Town of Palmyra – Minutes for 1905

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Board held in the Justice Room, Village Hall on Tuesday, April 5th, 1905, duly called by the Supervisor. Present: R. N. Backus, Supervisor; R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk; M. C. Finley, J. M. Sutphen, C. H. Clark, and C. F. Griswold, Justices; and C. H. Hedden, Highway Commissioner.

Supervisor Backus called the meeting to order.

On motion made by Justice Finley and seconded by Justice Griswold, the Supervisor, Town Clerk, and Highway Commissioner were empowered to make a contract with the Buffalo Pitts Steam Roller Company of Buffalo to lease a steam roller for use in the Town of Palmyra. Unanimously carried.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk

Minutes of a special meeting of the Town Board held in the Justice Room, Village Hall on April 28th, 1905. Present: R. N. Backus, Supervisor; R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk; M. C. Finley, J. M. Sutphen, C. F. Griswold, and E. H. Clark, Justices.

Meeting was called to order by Supervisor Backus in the chair.

On motion, seconded and carried, Thomas L. Cook was appointed Assessor to fill the vacancy caused by the death of S. W. Sawyer.

On motion by Justice Finley and seconded by Justice Clark, the compensation of the Highway Commissioner be Two Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$2.50) per day from the 1st day of May to the 1st day of November for the year 1905. Carried.

On motion, the Supervisor, Clerk, and Justice Griswold were appointed a committee to provide a suitable place to shelter the road machinery of the Town. Carried.

On motion, seconded, and carried that the Town of Palmyra purchase seven Highway Manuals for use of each member of the Town Board and Highway Commission.

Minutes were read and approved. No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Board held in the Justice Room, Village Hall on May 5th, 1905. Present: R. N. Backus, Supervisor; R. H.

Barehaus, Clerk; J. M. Sutphen, M. C. Finley, E. H. Clark, and C. F. Griswold, Justices.

Supervisor Backus called the meeting to order.

On motion by Justice Griswold and seconded by Justice Clark that the Supervisor pay James Malcomb of Marion and is hereby instructed the sum of \$45.00 from the Road and Bridge Fund for services on the Marion Road.

By Justice Finley: Resolved that we set aside for the several roads of the town the amount of \$35.00 per mile for the maintenance and improvement of the several roads amounting to about the sum of \$1925.00.

That we set aside for the improvement of roads leading from Palmyra to Marion the sum of \$100.00 per miles for four miles of \$400.00.

That we set aside for the improvement of the road from the Palmyra NY Central Station east to the town line the sum of \$100.00 per mile amounting to \$900.00.

That we set aside for the improvement of the highway known as the Walker Road the sum of \$100.00 per mile amounting to about \$400.00

Resolved that we reserve in the Road Fund, the sum of \$900.00 to be expended as we may hereafter agree and determine. The above was copied in an agreement and signed by the Board and Highway Commissioners and sent to Albany.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned.

R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk

Minutes of a special meeting of the Town Board held in the Justice Room, Village Hall on May 25th, 1905. Present: R. N. Backus, Supervisor; R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk; M. C. Finley, J. M. Sutphen, C. F. Griswold, and E. H. Clark, Justices.

R. N. Backus, Supervisor, called the meeting to order.

On motion that the Committee on a Suitable place to store the road and other machinery of the town have power to rent of Pliny L. Sexton the land and foundation near the NY Central Depot near the corner for \$10.00 per year and to expend the amount necessary to fix the same in suitable shape. Carried.

On motion by Justice Finley and seconded by Justice Sutphen the road roller leased by the Town Board for one year is hereby accepted and the Supervisor is hereby granted power to pay to the Buffalo Pitts Roller Company the year's rent as per contract.

No. further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. R. H. Backhaus Town Clerk

Minutes of a special meeting of the Town Board held in the Justice Room, Village Hall on July 27th, 1905. Present: R. N. Backus, Supervisor; R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk; M. C. Finley, J. M. Sutphen, E. H. Clark, and C. F. Griswold.

R. N. Backus, Supervisor, called the meeting to order.

On motion, the Committee on a suitable place to store the road machinery, after making a report, as given further time. Carried.

On motion, seconded, and carried, the Board adjourned to Saturday the 29th at 2 p.m. R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk

Minutes of an adjourned meeting of the Town Board held in the Justice Room, Village Hall on Saturday, July 29th. Present: R. N. Backus, Supervisor; R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk; J. M. Sutphen, M. C. Finley, C. F. Griswold, and E. H. Clark, Justices.

Supervisor Backus called the meeting to order. On motion by Justice Finley and seconded by Justice Sutphen, the Supervisor and Town clerk were given power to purchase a tank running gear pump and sprinkler complete for use of the road roller.

No further business, the meeting, after hearing a report on the road money from Commissioner Hedden, adjourned.

R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk

Minutes of a meeting of the Town board held in the Justice Room, Village Hall on Tuesday, September 5th, 1905. Present: R. N. Backus, Supervisor; R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk; J. M. Sutphen, M. C. Finley, E. H. Clark, and C. F. Griswold, Justices.

R. N. Backus presided and declare the meeting in order for business.

On motion, the following places were designated places for voting and registration: District No. 1 – Justice Room, Village Hall

District No. 2 – West Store, Sanford Block

District No. 3 – Adam Zeigler's Blacksmith Shop

The Committee on Sprinkler reported that they had purchased running gear, a galvanized tank pump, and fixtures at a price of ____. On motion, the Committee was discharged.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. R. H. Barehaus, Clerk

Minutes of a special meeting of the Town Board held in the Justice Room, Village Hall on Saturday, October 28th, 1905. Present: E. H. Clark, M. C. Finley, J. M. Sutphen, and R. H. Barehaus

Justice Finley presided and declared the meeting in order for business.

On motion, the meeting adjourned to Tuesday, October 31st at 2 p.m.

R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk

Minutes of a special meeting of the Town Board held in the Justice Room, Village Hall on Monday, October 30th, 1905. Present: R. N. Backus, Supervisor; R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk; M. C. Finley, J. M. Sutphen, E. H. Clark, and C. F. Griswold.

R. N. Backus, Supervisor, presided and declared the meeting in order for business.

Justice Finley offered the following resolution, which was seconded by Justice Griswold: Notice – The Clerk not receiving the above for some time, it having been sent away to be signed. There was not enough space left, so recorded the preceding on pages 41, 2, and 3.

R. H. Barehaus, Clerk

Minutes of a special meeting of the Town Board held in the Justice Room, Village Hall on Tuesday, October 31st, 1905. Present: R. N. Backus, Supervisor; R. H. Barehaus, Town clerk; J. M. Sutphen, M. C. Finley, Chris. Griswold, and E. H. Clark.

Supervisor Backus declared the meeting in order for business.

On motion by Justice Finley and seconded by Justice Clark that the Committee on House and Grounds consisting of the Supervisor, Town Clerk, and Justice Griswold have power to purchase land and erect thereon a building suitable to store the road machinery of the Town of Palmyra at an expense not to exceed \$600.00. Carried.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk Minutes of the Town Board held in the Justice Room, Village Hall on Wednesday, November 8th, 1905. Present: R. N. Backus, Supervisor; R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk; J. M. Sutphen, C. F Griswold, E. H. Clark, and M. C. Finley.

Supervisor Backus presided and delared the meeting in order for business.

On motion, the Board proceeded to canvass the votes for Town Officers of the election on November 7, 1905.

District	t No. 1	2	3	Total	Majority
R. N. Backus - R	233	149	59	441	229
John H. Walton – D	80	99	33	212	
Robert H. Barehaus – R	234	148	59	441	231
William M. Parsons – D	78	99	33	210	
	226			429	207
Edwin H. Clark – R	237	151	55	_	234
Frederick E. Converse – D	89			222	
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er Carlton H. Hedden – D					653
•	223				203
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Charles D. Stuppleben - R	_	12	26 5	5 383	
Isaac Vienna – R.	216	1	36 5	8 410	
William H. Dennis – R	194	1	26 5	6 376	
John M. Ander – R	221	1	45 5	6 422	
George G. Throop – D	152	1	36 4	10 328	
	89	1	03 3	34 236	
Oscar Tiffany – D	85	1	04 3	33 222	2
Morris Clark – D	84	1	00 3	35 219	9
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On motion, the ones receiving the largest vote were declared elected.

On motion, the following were appointed Election Inspectors for the ensuing two years:

Dist. No. I George A. Tuttle - R; F. A. Boynton - R; Fred E. Converse - D Henry M. Wood - D

2 Frank Boutall – R; Arthur J. Gorman – R; Henry Fox – D;

Julius W. Phelps – D
3 Kingsley Young – R; Fred R. Smith – R; William Driscoll – D; Jacob Libbert – D

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned.

- R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk
- R. N. Backus, Supervisor
- M. C. Finley, J. M.Sutphen, C. F. Griswold, and E.H. Clark Justices

Minutes of the annual meeting of the Town Board of Auditors held in the Justice Room, Village Hall on Thursday, November 9 and 10th, 1905.

On motion, the following bills were audited and ordered paid:

No. Name of Claimant	Services Rendered Amt	. Claimed Ar	nt. Allowed
1 H. L. Averill	Poll Clerk \$	4.00	\$ 4.00
2 Verne C. Foster	Poll Clerk	4.00	4.00
3 T. H. Durfee	Poll Clerk	4.00	4.00
4 D. E. Lyon	Poll Clerk	4.00	4.00
5 Vincent Crouse	Poll Clerk	4.00	4.00
6 Morris Clark	Poll Clerk	4.00	4.00
7 C. A. Palmer	Inspector	16.00	14.00
8 G. A. Tuttle	Inspector	16.00	14.00
9 S. B. McIntyre	Inspector	22.12`	20.12
10 H. M. Wood	Inspector	16.00	14.00
1 Henry Fox	Inspector	22.20	20.12
2 T. H. Boutall	Inspector	16.00	14.00
3 W. J. Gorman	Inspector	16.00	14.00
4 A. J. Foskelt	Inspector	16.00	14.00
5 A. B. Robinson	Inspector	21.80	21.80
6 William Driscoll	Inspector	14.00	14.00
7 J. R. Smith	Inspector	14.00	14.00
8 C. S. Brown	Inspector	14.00	14.00
9 Pliny T. Sexton	Rent Voting Place	18.00	18.00
20 Adam Zeigler	Rent Voting Machine St		25.00
21 William J. Jones	Constable	36.35	36.35
22 George G. Throop		167.23	167.23
23 C. D. Stappleben		14.40	14.40
24 Isaac Vienna	Constable	10.00	10.00
25 George G. Throop		56.00	56.00
26 Isabel Sawyer	Copy	20.00	20.00
27 Village of Palmyra		100.00	100.00
28 L. B. Darling	Health Officer	164.84	110.00
29 Christopher Belty		120.00	120.00
30 A. Langdon	Assessor	125.00	125.00

31	Thomas L. Cook	Assessor	120.00	120.00
32	C. H. Hedden	Highway Comm.	480.00	480.00
33	A. R. Knapp	Insurance	26.87	26.87
34	E. S. Averill	Printing	146.30	146.30
35	F. W. Clemons	Printing	171.80	171.80
36	F. E. Converse	Attorney	10.00	10.00
37	Charles McLouth	Attorney	7.00	7.00
38	George S. Tinklepar	ugh Attorney	38.00	38.00
39	S. N. Sawyer	Attorney	75.00	75.00
40	A. C. Hopkins	Overseer of Poor	250.00	250.00
41	Adrian Elias	Work Dist. No. 1 & 2	5.00	5.00
42	Smith & Zeigler	Stationary	6.87	6.87
43	H. L. Chase, MD	Vital Statistics	5.50	5.50
44	D. McPherson, MD	Vital Statistics	5.00	5.00
45	L. H. Smith, MD	Vital Statistics	7.75	7.75
46	L. B. Darling, MD	Vital Statistics	3.50	3.50
47	W. J. Hennessey, M	ID "	7.25	7.25
48	W. J. Bolt, MD	Vital Statistics	1.50	1.50
49	Rev. E. S. Towson '	'Vital Statistics	.75	.75
50	Rev. Peeter McKen	zie "	2.00	2.00
51	Rev. G. H. Hubbard	Vital Statistics	.50	.50
52	Rev. E. J. Brooker	Vital Statistics	2.25	2.25
53	J. M. Sutphen	Justice	44.00	44.00
54.	Charles F. Griswold	Justice	48.00	48.00
55	E. H. Clark	Justice	42.00	42.00
56	M. C. Finley	Justice	160.15	160.15
57	R. H. Barehaus	Town Clerk	332.79	332.79
58	Adrian Elias	Boarding Prisoners	24.25	24.25
59	Jerome C. Feller	Citizen Mem. B. H.	8.00	8.00
				\$3046.05

We, the undersigned Board of Auditors of the Town of Palmyra, Wayne County, New York, swear that the above Abstract of Accounts is in all respects correct as audited and allowed by said Board. Dated: November 10th, 1905.

R. N. Backus, Supervisor

R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk

M. C. Finley, J. M. Sutphen, C. F. Griswold, & E. H. Clark Assessors

Minutes of the adjourned meeting of the Town Board of Audditors held in the Justice Room, Village Hall on November 13th, 1905. Present: R. N. Backus, Supervisor; J. M. Sutphen, E. H. Clark, C. F. Griswold, and M. C. Finley, Justices of the Peace; and R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk.

R. N. Backus, Supervisor, called the meeting to order.

Dr. Darling appeared before the Board to ask the Board to reconsider his bill as Town Health Officer. His bill for same having been cut from \$64.84 to \$110.

On motion made and seconded that no further action be taken in regard to the bill of Dr. Darling. Carried.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned.

R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Board held in the Justice Room, Village Hall on Friday, December 1st, 1905. Present: R. N. Backus, Supervisor; M. C. Finley, J. M. Sutphen, C. F. Griswold, and E. H. Clark, Justices of the Peace;; and R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk.

Chairman R. N. Backus presided and declared the meeting in order for business.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted and a copy of the same was ordered presented to the Board of Supervisors: We, the undersigned Town Board and Highway Commissioners of the Town of Palmyra, County of Wayne, do hereby certify that at a meeting of the Town Board, duly called and held in the Justice Room, Village Hall in the Town of Palmyra on the 1st day of December, 1905, it was voted to raise the sum of \$2916.20 upon the taxable property of the Town of Palmyra outside of the incorporated Village of Palmyra for highway purposes for the ensuing year, which sum is hereby fixed and certified to in accordance to the provision of Section 53 of the highway law.

On motion, the Supervisor was instructed to raise by tax on the taxable property of the Town for Town Audits \$3046.05

Note on Voting Machines 537.50 Note on Road Scraper 126.07 Contingent Fund 500.00

On motion, Backus, Griswold, and Barehaus were appointed a committee to investigate the matter of insuring the steam road roller and report.

On motion, the Supervisor was instructed to pay from the Contingency Fund for land on Kent Street the sum of \$200.00 and for erecting thereon a building to the amount of \$446.00. Carried

On motion, the Building Committee was instructed to have the town building on Kent Street primed. Carried.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned.

R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk

Minutes of a special meeting of the Town Board held in the Justice Room, Village Hall on Monday, October 30th, 1905. Present: R. N. Backus, Supervisor; R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk; C. F. Griswold, M. C. Finley, J. M. Sutphen, and E. H. Clark, Justices of the Peace.

Supervisor Backus presided and declared the meeting in order for business.

The following application was ordered read by the Clerk: To the honorable members of the Town Board and Commissioners of Highways of the Town of Palmyra, Wayne County, New York:

Gentlemen:

The undersigned, Niagara, Lockport, and Ontario Power Company, a corporation duly organized under the law of the State of New York, hereby makes application to the honorable Town Board and Commissioners of Highways of the Town of Palmyra, Wayne County, New York, for permission and consent to construct, maintain, and operate the necessary poles, towers, wires, cables, conduits, subways, appliances, and structures in, through, upon, or under all of the streets, alleys, and public ways of the Town of Palmyra for the purpose of using, distributing, and furnishing electricity for light and heat to the said Town of Palmyra and the inhabitants thereof.

Respectfully submitted, NIAGARA LOCKPORT, & ONTARIO POWER CO. By: Robert E. Drake, Managing Director

Dated: October 30th, 1905

John Pallace, Jr. appeared for the Niagara, Lockport, and Ontario Power Company and spoke in favor of granting the application.

Mr. Finley offered the following resolution and moved its adoption: Whereas, Niagara, Lockport, and Ontario Power Company, a corporation duly organized under and by virtue of the laws of the State of New York, has made application in writing to the Town Board and Commissioners of Highways of the Town of Palmyra, Wayne County, New York, for permission and consent to construct, maintain, and operate the necessary, poles, towers, wires, cables, conduits, subways, appliances, and structures in, through, under, and across the streets, highways, alleys, and public ways of the Town of Palmyra, Wayne County, New York, for the purpose of using, distributing, and furnishing electricity for light, heat, or power to the said Town of Palmyra and the inhabitants thereof, and

Whereas, said application has been duly considered; now, therefore, resolved that permission and consent; and they are hereby granted to

Niagara, Lockport, and Ontario Power Company, its successors, lessees, and assigns to construct, maintain, and operate the necessary poles, towers, wires, cables, conduits, subways, appliances, and structures in, through, upon, under, and across all of the streets, alleys, and public ways of the Town of Palmyra for the purpose of using, distributing, and furnishing electricity for light, heat, or power to the said Town of Palmyra and the inhabitants thereof. Such consent and permission being granted upon and subject to each and all of the following terms and conditions:

1st – Said Niagara, Lockport, and Ontario Power Company, its successors, lessees, or assigns shall at all times save and keep harmless and fully indemnify the said Town of Palmyra, its officers, and agents from any and all loss, liability, and damages and will pay to the said Town of Palmyra all damages which it shall sustain in any manner arising from the construction, maintenance, use, or operation of said poles, towers, wires, cables, conduits, subways, appliances, or other structures, or from any negligence, fault, or misconduct on the part of the said Niagara, Lockport, and Ontario Power Company, its successors, lessees, or assigns or its agents, servants of employees, and from any failure on its part to observe and comply with the conditions of this instrument.

2nd: All poles, towers, wires, cables, conduits, subways, appliances, structures, and erections of every kind in, upon, under, or across any street, highway, alley, or public way shall at all times be kept and maintained in a safe, suitable, and substantial condition and in such good order and repair as shall be directed or approved by the Town Board. All poles at any time in use unless made of iron or steel shall be of first quality pine or cedar erected and maintained in each case at such point as shall least obstruct the streets or interfere with their usefulness and shall be placed in every instance with reference to any poles or structures now existing in any of the streets, highways, alleys, or public ways. Said poles shall be erected at least one hundred feet apart, except where necessary to support and carry cables and wires around the corners of streets. They shall be safely and firmly erected, properly shaped and finished, and painted such color as shall be directed by the Town Board. They shall be at least twenty-five feet in height above the level of the ground and shall be of uniform size—either octagon or circular in form. The wires and cables shall be place and maintained at a safe and suitable distance from the ground, not less that twenty feet. They shall be properly insulated where fastened to poles or towers in such manner as to prevent the escape of the electric current.

3rd: Materials delivered on the streets shall be required to be piled neatly on the front of the sidewalks, not less than three feet from any fire hydrant and in such manner as will preserve a passageway of at least three feet on the line of the sidewalk, travel upon the streets or upon any intersecting street or alley shall not be hindered or inconvenienced

needlessly nor shall the same be obstructed completely without permission from the Town Board.

- 4th: Work shall be done with the utmost reasonable promptness and dispatch at each point and the street restored to as good condition in all respects as it was before being disturbed; and all dirt, refuse, and unused material immediately removed.
- 5th: Upon the application in writing of the owner or occupant of any building or premises within four hundred feet of any service wire of the Niagara, Lockport, and Ontario Power Company in the Town of Palmyra, and payment by him of all money due from him to the corporation, the corporation shall supply electricity for light, hear, power, or any other purpose as may be required at prices not exceeding the following rates:

For lamps, twelve cents per kilowatt hour, with a discount of two cents per kilowatt hour if the bill is paid on or before the 15th day of the month following that for which the bill is rendered, except that no bill shall be rendered for no less that one dollar per month.

For power, heat, or any other purpose except lighting, a service charge of one dollar per month per kilowatt capacity installed shall be paid for maximum power called for, and the following sums for the amount of electricity actually used monthly according to meter measurements.

For 1000 kilowatts or less per month \$.04 per kilowatt hour;

For excess over 1000 kilowatts up to 2000 kilowatts per month \$.03 per kilowatt hour;

For excess over 2000 kilowatts up to 3000 kilowatts per month \$.02 per kilowatt hour:

For excess over 3000 kilowatts up to 5000 kilowatts per month \$.01 per kilowatt hour;

For excess over 5000 kilowatts up to 10,000 kilowatts per month \$.008 per kilowatt hour;

For excess over 10,000 kilowatts up to 20,000 kilowatts per month \$.0075 per kilowatt hour;

For excess over 20,000 kilowatts up to 40,000 kilowatts per month \$.007 per kilowatt hour;

For excess over 40,000 kilowatts up to 80,000 kilowatts per month \$.0066 per kilowatt hour;

For excess over 80,000 kilowatts per month \$.0064 per kilowatt hour.

Electricity shall be measured by watt meter of standard manufacture.

After the construction of any service wire in, through, upon, or under any of the streets, highways, alleys, or public ways of the Town of Palmyra; and if for the space of ten days after such application and the deposit of a reasonable sum of money according to the amount of electricity required as security for the payment of the same, the corporation shall refuse or neglect to supply electricity for light, heat, power, or any other purpose as required, such corporation shall forfeit and pay to the applicant the sum of \$10, and the further sum of \$5 for every day thereafter during which such refusal or neglect shall continue.

6th: This permission and consent shall be duly accepted by an instrument in writing, executed, and acknowledged by the Niagara, Lockport, and Ontario Power Company within thirty days after the same has been duly adopted, which said acceptance shall be filed with the Town Clerk of the Town of Palmyra.

Mr. Griswold seconded the adoption of the resolution; the roll being called, the resolution was adopted. Ayes: R. N. Backus, C. H. Hedden, R. H. Barehaus, M. C. Finley, C. F. Griswold, E. H. Clark, and J. M. Sutphen. Noes: None. R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk

Minutes of the annual meeting of the Town Board of Settlements held in the Justice Room, Village Hall on Thursday, December 28th, 1905. Present: R. N. Backus, Supervisor; M. C. Finley, J. M. Sutphen, C. L. Griswold, and E. H. Clark, Justices; and R. H. Barehaus, Clerk.

Supervisor Backus presided and declared the meeting in order for business.

Overseer of the Poor, A. C. Hopkins, presented his report for 1905; and upon examination, was found correct. Showing disbursements of \$1676.25; receipts 1662.29; overdrawn at the bank \$14.96.

Supervisor Backus presented his report for 1905 showing General Fund:

Balance on Hand, 1904	•	J	693.83
Receipts			

Total

Disbursements:

Town Orders & Checks

Balance on Hand

Dog Fund:

6213.68

\$ 541.60

Balance on Hand, 1904 158.80 Received from Collections 72.00 Highway Fund: Balance on Hand, 1904 Receipts

Disbursements
Balance on Hand

On motion, the Supervisor was ordered to pay E. H. Clark \$4 from the General Fund, rebate for overpaid highway tax by error in the copy of the assessment roll. Carried.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned.

R. H. Barehaus, Town Clerk

850.0