

The regular monthly meeting of the Directors of the Eau Claire Public Library was held at the library rooms on Monday evening, March 26th, 1906, at 7:30 o'clock.

The following were present: Vice President Cotten presiding and Directors Eagles, Cypreansen, Frawley, Doolittle, Lockwood; absent Coffin, Starr, McIver, Putnam.

The record of the previous meeting was read and approved.

The Executive Committee by Director Doolittle reported the acceptance of the bid of Hoepfner-Bartlett & Co. for shelving in the store room, work room, office and delivery room and furnishings for cloak room, the bid of the Chippewa Valley Electric Railroad Co. for additional lights and the bid of the Wabash Screen Door Co. of Minneapolis for screen doors.

On motion of Director Frawley it was voted that the bill of Hoepfner-Bartlett Co. for \$315.00 for repairs and changes on roof be allowed and paid.

On motion of Director Doolittle, seconded by Director Frawley the following bills were approved and ordered paid:

Hoepfner-Bartlett Co.	\$ .50
	.35
A. C. McClurg & Co.	124.50
Chippewa Valley Electric R. R. Co.	22.97
Eau Claire Cornice & Heating Co.	.25
	1.75

F. Blackwell	\$	21.30
		6.45
		28.40
M. A. Smith, March Pay		75.00
Kate Lewis " "		50.00
L. C. Sanders " "		40.00
L. Radensleben " "		25.00
Edward Johnson " "		45.00

On motion of Director Cypreansen, seconded by Director Frawley the modifications of rules recommended by the Librarian were adopted, and two thousand copies were ordered printed.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

*C. W. Lockwood*

In payment of fines, two volumes of the same work will be considered as one book.

Only one book will be issued to anyone owing a fine.

The person to whom the card belongs is responsible for the fines on it by whomsoever incurred.

A borrower must pay for books lost or injured while charged on his card.

ORDER—It is necessary for everyone to be as quiet as possible, that those who use the Library may not have their attention distracted; hence any disturbance or extended conversation is forbidden. Silence and good order must be maintained throughout the Library.

Any person abusing the privileges of the Library or violating any of the rules shall be by the Librarian temporarily suspended from its privileges, and the case promptly reported to the Board of Directors for such action as may be deemed proper.

The Library is administered solely in the interests of the public; and the object of all regulations is to protect the many from the few and to insure to all the greatest good.

By order of the

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Eau Claire, Wis., April 1, 1906.

## RULES

### *Eau Claire Public Library*

## HOURS.

Week days, except holidays, 9 A. M. to 9 P. M.  
Sundays, Nov. 1 to May 1 (Reading room only) 3 P. M. to 6 P. M.

### CHILDREN'S ROOM.

Week days, except holidays and Saturdays, 1 P. M. to 6 P. M.  
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.  
Sundays, Nov. 1 to May 1 (Reading room only) 3 P. M. to 6 P. M.

**BORROWERS**—Residents of Eau Claire and non-residents paying taxes in the city are entitled to borrow books from the Library by signing an application card.

Non-residents not paying taxes in the city may borrow books by paying \$1.00 a year and signing the application card.

Non-residents attending school in the city may borrow books by signing an application card and getting the signature of teacher as a guarantor.

Transients may borrow books after depositing a sum sufficient to cover value of book or books borrowed and signing an application card.