citizens, with power to use such means as would prevent the spread of, and effectually put an end to the disease in our midst. With the concurrence of the committee I also appointed a guard to prevent contact of infected with non-infected persons. A number of the physicians went to work as soon as they had received their commissions; but it was found that twenty five cents in preferred warrants, the amount named for each vaccination in the commission, would not pay the expenses incurred. But a few still continued the work, trusting that your Honorable Body would grant them a fair remuneration.

It is therefore recommended that you appropriate in preferred warrants, such an ammount per vaccination as will be fair return for their services and money expended.

The committee fo three, thought best to entirely destroy those infected houses which were not worth the amount of money that would be necessarily expended in throughly disinfecting them, and they therefore destroyed several cabins by fire .

If any claims for remuneration for loss in the matter exist, they will doubtless be presented to your body. It is suggested that you make such an appropration in favor of the guard as will be deemed proper. As an additional precaution against the spread of the disease, it was thought best to discontinue the schools of the Nation during the first quarter of the present term and all of them except the Lovering Manual Labor School have been closed since the last day of June.