

# COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

## Official Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Steele County.

Sherbrooke, N. D., March 26, 1898.

Board of county commissioners convened at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment. Present O. W. Williams chairman, and Commissioners King, Johnson, Rindy and Cochrane.

The minutes of the meeting of January 24, 1898, were read and approved.

The board spent some time in the consideration of pauper business.

The bill of F. H. Knowles in the amount of \$16.55, was presented to the board. The same being constable fees in the case of state vs. Walter Langdon.

On motion said bill was disallowed.

The petition of Tosten Klabo and Ole Fosse to send Andrew L. Nelson, a habitual drunkard, to the Keeley Institute at Fargo, was presented to the board.

On motion the board adjourned until 1:30 o'clock p. m.

### AFTERNOON SESSION.

Board reconvened at 1:30 o'clock p. m. pursuant to adjournment. All members present.

The board with the auditor, spent some time in consultation with the assessors of the various townships, in regard to their duties.

The board then took up the consideration of the petition of Tosten Klabo and Ole E. Fosse to send Andrew L. Nelson to the Keeley Institute at Fargo, presented at the morning session, and on motion the same was laid on the table until April 4, 1898.

On motion the following bills were allowed and ordered paid from the general fund by warrants, viz:

S H Nelson, cash advanced for rubber stamps..... \$ 3 25

Oscar Barrett, recording 7 bonds \$7.00. Cash advanced \$5.50.

Supplies for office \$3.25. Total..... 15 75

Edward Baldner, cleaning and putting storm windows on sheriff's office \$1.00. Digging opening to cellar. Cleaning out hall and sundry jobs about the county building \$3.00. Total..... 4 00

C Christensen, postmaster, 2,000 No. 5, government envelopes with 2c stamps, for county offices..... 43 60

A D Murrell, one National Sunlight gas plant with 26 lights complete as per contract \$183.00, 2 extra lights \$2.00, two extra swing brackets for sheriff's office \$1.25, 15 feet extra piping \$1.75, total..... 188 00

A D Murrell, 6 extra globes and tripods, 6 star burners and and 4 Bray burners, for repairs and breakages..... 5 10

C Christensen, care of gas plant one month..... 4 00

The application of F. R. Rugg for the issuance of a deed to lot 1, block 31, original townsite of Hope, payment having been made therefor and application having been granted for the sale of said premises by the board of October 1, 1894, and a deed therefor having not been issued, was presented to the board.

On motion said application was granted, and the chairman of the board directed to execute, and the auditor to attest, a deed of said premises to F. R. Rugg.

The application of F. R. Rugg to purchase the interest of the county in and to lot 3, block 31, original townsite of Hope, agreeing to pay the sum of \$6.25 therefor, was presented to the board.

On motion said application was granted and the chairman directed to execute and the auditor to attest, a quit claim deed of said premises to F. R. Rugg.

On motion the board adjourned.

Attest:

CHARLES G. BOISE,

County Auditor.