

# SECRET SOCIETIES.



A. F. & A. M.—Occidental Lodge No. 27. Meets the second and fourth Friday evening of each month. Visiting brethren always welcome.  
O. L. BOWEN, W. M.  
E. O. KEENE, Secy.

**EASTERN STAR**.—Fidelity Chapter No. 13. Meets the first and third Friday evening of each month. Visiting members always welcome.  
MRS. MAMIE KLOVSTAD, W. M.  
MISS ALTA GILMORE, Secy.



I. O. O. F.—Hope Lodge No. 13. Meets every Tuesday evening. Visiting brethren always welcome.  
GEO. STOKY, N. G.  
A. M. McLAUGHLIN, Secy.

**PEREKAHS**.—Friendship Lodge No. 12. Meets the first and second Thursday evening of each month. Visiting members always welcome.  
Miss Ethel Moots, N. G.  
Mrs. Grace Carpenter, R-Secy.



**K. P. M'KINLEY LODGE** No. 44 KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS Meets every Monday evening. Visiting Knights always welcome.  
M. C. JOHNSTON, C. C.  
GEO. A. FEAD, E. of R. & S.

**I. O. R. M.** WAN-TO-WAN TRIBE No. 4. Meets every Wednesday evening. Visiting Braves welcome.  
NAM'L SCOTT, Sachem.  
GEO. A. FEAD, C. O. R.

**W. A.**—Camp No. 2628. Meets the first and third Wednesday evening of each month. Visiting neighbors always welcome.  
J. J. WAMBERG, V. C.  
KARL DANSEKIN, Clerk.

**ROYAL NEIGHBORS**.—Camp No. 604. Meets the second and fourth Wednesday evening of each month. Visiting members always welcome.  
MRS. MARY ALDRICH, Orator.  
MRS. GRACE CARPENTER, Recorder.

**A. O. U. W.**—Hope Lodge No. 3. Meets the second and fourth Saturday evening of each month. All visiting members welcome.  
D. W. VADNIE, M. W.  
E. A. GILMORE, Recorder.

**D. of H.**—Champion Lodge Degree of Honor. No. 103. Meets 1st and 3rd Saturday evening of each month. Visiting members welcome.  
MISS AGATHA YADNIE, C. of H.  
MRS. FRANCES STILES, Recorder.

**YEOMEN**—Hope Homestead No. 243—Brotherhood of American Yeomen. Meets first Monday in each month. All visiting Yeomen welcome.  
A. M. McLAUGHLIN, Forman.  
W. K. ROYER, Orator.

## OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS.

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

Sherburne, N. Dak., Oct. 5th. 1903.  
The Board of County Commissioners convened in regular session at 9 o'clock A. M. Present Elliott, Gray, Sulland and Horner.

Minutes of the meeting of August 29th read and on motion approved.

The following statement of warrants drawn by the Auditor, was on motion approved.

B. McPherson, Auditor, salary for months of July, August and September.....	\$ 350 00
C. S. Shippy, States Attorney salary for July, August and September .....	300 00
T. A. Hasselquist, Supt. of Schools, for July, August and September .....	310 00
A. Mickels, County Judge, for July, August and September, 250 00	
T. O. Schjeldahl, Treasurer, for July, August and September, 400 00	
P. O. Sathre, Clerk of Court, for July, August and September, 225 00	
T. G. Anderson, Register of Deeds, for July, August and September .....	400 00
S. V. Anderson, Clerk for Register of Deeds, July, August and half month of September	100 00
Julius Linn, Clerk for Auditor July, August and September...	120 00
M. C. Johnston, Reporting and Registering Births and Deaths	5 40
Edith Carhart, Teaching at summer school at Mayville...	50 00
B. A. Wallace, Teaching at summer school at Mayville .....	77 08
Ida R. Moore, Teaching at summer school at Mayville.....	83 23
T. O. Schjeldahl, transfer from County general to Institute fund .....	150 00

The following bills were on motion allowed:

Steele County Tribune, publishing Commissioners proceedings and other legal printing.....	10 10
Steele County Tribune, Stationery.....	6 75
T. A. Hasselquist, mileage visiting schools and meeting with board of arbitration at Wayzsa .....	16 50
T. A. Hasselquist, cash advanced for postage, express and cartage.....	7 85
T. G. Anderson, postage and telephoning.....	17 48
Pepper & Keene, publishing Commissioners proceedings and other legal printing.....	34 45
P. O. Sathre, cash advanced for postage.....	1 50
T. O. Schjeldahl, cash advanced Fairbanks, Morse & Co. for test scale weights.....	00 70
T. O. Schjeldahl, cash advanced Norman Township, for grade appropriation for grading on line between sections 25 and 36 and 34 and 27.....	341 00
A. Mickels, salary under the prohibition law, for months of Aug. and Sept.....	14 72

C. Christenson, taking care of gas plant months of July, Aug. and Sept..... 15 00  
S. McPherson, cash advanced for postage and repairing office clock..... 2 00  
Finley Beacon, publishing Commissioners proceedings,..... 3 50  
Finley Beacon, Stationery..... 8 00  
Finley Beacon, legal printing.. 5 35  
Walker Bros. & Hardy, Books and Stationery..... 16 75  
The bill of the Lion Drug Co. of Hatton, amounting to \$11.05 for medicine furnished J. Syverson and E. Qualey was on motion placed on the table.  
On motion the Board adjourned until 1:30 P. M. same day.

### AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Board of County Commissioners reconvened at 1:30 P. M. pursuant to adjournment. Present Elliott, Horner, Gray and Sulland.

On motion the following bills were allowed.

Pepper & Keene, Stationery, postal cards and legal printing for Supt. of Board of Health.....	\$ 22 00
J. W. Needham, Formaldehyde for disinfecting.....	17 50
H. Bacharach, quarterly salary as County Physician.....	62 50
Knight Printing Co. Stationery	3 40

The following bills were on motion placed on the table awaiting further information, E. D. Washburn, \$100.00 for casket, embalming and preparing the body of Frank Dann for burial.  
Dr. K. A. Wadel, \$38.00 for medical attendance rendered Emil Hedlof.  
Mayville Hospital, \$21.00 for nursing and medicine for Emil Hedlof.  
Hanson & Hanson, \$1.50 for medicine furnished Emil Hedlof.

The Register of Deeds, statement of fees collected during the three months ending September 30th 1903, aggregating \$238.85 were on motion approved.

The Clerk of Courts monthly statement of fees collected during the three months ending September 30th 1903, aggregating \$94.50 were on motion approved.

K. S. Sulland, presented Treasurers receipt for \$100.45 and made report on sale of old bridge lumber in Newburgh, Primrose and Enger Townships.

Frank Gray, presented Treasurers receipt for \$5.00 and made report on sale of old bridge lumber in Hope Township.

On motion the petition for a bridge between sections 5 and 6 Newburgh Township was taken from the table and on motion said petition was rejected on account of the bridge site not being on a laid out road.

The Board proceeded to open bids for furnishing the County with coal. The contract was awarded to J. A. Klovstad of Hope, to furnish the County with 20 tons hard nut coal, to be delivered in the cellar of the County building, at \$11.50 per ton, this was the only bid received.

On motion the Auditor was instructed to notify all Township Clerks, that all petitions for bridges wanted built during year of 1904, must be presented to the Board of County Commissioners, not later than November 9th 1903.

The following motion was duly seconded and carried: Whereas the inspectors of the Village of Finley, have duly made a statement showing the whole number of votes cast at an election held on the 22nd day of September 1903, and returned the same to the Board of County Commissioners, where statement has been duly considered by said Board of County Commissioners, and said Commissioners being satisfied of the legality of said election, hereby order and declare that said Village of Finley has been incorporated by the name of the Village of Finley.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

Frank Gray, commissioner, per diem and mileage, .....	\$ 5 90
K. S. Sulland, commissioner per diem and mileage and selling old bridge lumber.....	11 00
W. E. Elliott, commissioner, per diem and mileage and two day on poor Board.....	9 20
H. N. Horner, commissioner, per diem and mileage.....	4 90

On motion the Board adjourned until 9 o'clock A. M. November 9th 1903.

S. MCPHERSON,  
County Auditor.

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