

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS of the Board of County Commissioners.

Sherbrooke, N. D., July 8th. 1895. Board of county Commissioners met at 10 o'clock a. m. pursuant to adjournment.

The minutes of the meeting of July 2nd, 1895, were read and approved.

The following bills were on motion allowed and ordered paid from the General Fund:

Samuel L. Linn, Sheriff's fees in county seal lien cases. \$ 26 70

Steele County Tribune, Publishing noxious weed notice and notice of teachers examination 11 73

Geo D Bernard & Co., Blank and supplies. 4 40

Walker Bros, 4 Justice's Doc's \$24. 00, b/anks \$5.76, total. 29 76

The bill of Walker Bros for miscellaneous record for Clerk of Court. \$15.55 was on motion allowed and ordered paid at \$13.00.

The bill of G O Norgord for hauling material for the Newburgh bridges, \$24.10, was on motion allowed and ordered paid from the Bridge Fund.

The committee appointed to view the site for bridge petitioned for, on or near line between Steele and Griggs Counties filed their report, which was on motion accepted.

The petition of Andrew Park Sr., Angus Stewart and others, asking that Steele County join with Griggs County in building a bridge across Shevonne River, near the south-west corner of Section 31, Riverside Township, was upon motion granted on condition that Griggs County builds the bridge, and that the cost to Steele County will not exceed \$500.00.

On motion the Board adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, July 9th. 1895.

L. C. GOPLEKUD, County Auditor.

Proceedings of the Board of Equalization.

Sherbrooke, N. D., July 8th. 1905.

The Board of County Commissioners, together with the County Auditor, being first duly sworn according to law, convened as a County Board of Equalization, for the purpose of equalizing the assessment of the County for the year 1895.

On motion J. G. Brown was elected chairman.

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

Board reconvened at 1:30 o'clock p. m. Present, all members.

The Board proceeded to equalize the personal property assessment of the several townships in the county.

The assessor of Edendale Township having failed to assess all the household furniture in the township, according to law, therefore be it ordered, that the following amounts be assessed and entered up as valuation of household furniture, to the following taxpayers in said township:

Nels L. Nyre, \$5, Nathan Bentley, \$15, I W Bolen, \$5, Emanuel Cripe, \$5, Owen C Cripe \$5, Wm Domiro \$10, W H Dennis \$10, Peter Dayhuff \$20, F H Fuller \$5, J R Flora \$5, Gustaf Gunkel \$15, W H Hunter \$5, Wm Henderson \$5, Albert Quille \$5, J R Lindstrom \$5, J M Lofland \$5, M B Miller \$5, O G Major \$25, E E Morrison \$5, Osborne Russell \$10, Frank Splett \$10, and John Thompson \$5.

The valuations of horses under three years old were on motion raised in the following townships as follows:

Norway 10 per cent, Enger 5 per cent, Golden Lake 16 1/2 per cent, Bergen 5 per cent, Sherbrook 5 per cent, Easton 20 per cent, Lincoln 35 per cent, Riverside 40 per cent, Colgate 16 1/2 per cent, Hope Township 15 per cent, Willow Lake 33 1/2 per cent, and Hope Incorporated 16 1/2 per cent.

The valuations of horses under three years old were on motion reduced in the following townships as follows:

Newburgh 10 1/2 per cent, Westfield 20 per cent, Norman 20 per cent, Primrose 5 per cent, Greenview 5 per cent, Edendale 5 per cent, Melrose 15 per cent, and Broadlawn 15 per cent.

On motion the Board adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m. Tuesday, July 9th 1895.

L. C. GOPLEKUD, County Auditor.

Sherbrooke, N. D., July 9th. 1895.

Board of Equalization convened at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment. Present, all members.

The equalization of personal property was resumed.

On motion the valuations of horses three years old and over were increased in the following townships as follows:

Norway 12 1/2 per cent, Golden Lake 10 per cent, Highland 8 per cent, Bergen 15 per cent, Sherbrooke 10 per cent, Easton 25 per cent, Lincoln 12 1/2 per cent, Riverside 20 per cent, Broadlawn 3 per cent, Hope Township 35 per cent, and Willow Lake 25 per cent.

On motion the valuations of horses three years old and over were reduced in the following townships as follows:

Newburgh 10 per cent, Westfield 5 per cent, Primrose 15 per cent, Edendale 15 per cent, and Melrose 12 1/2 per cent.

On motion the valuations of bronchos or range horses were increased in the following townships as follows:

Newburgh 35 per cent, Enger 60 per cent, Enger 12 1/2 per cent, Highland 10 per cent, Bergen 5 per cent, Primrose 35 per cent, Lincoln 25 per cent, Riverside 33 1/2 per cent, Colgate 20 per cent, Hope Township 15 per cent, Willow Lake 5 per cent, and Incorporated Town of Hope 10 per cent.

On motion the valuations of bronchos or range horses were reduced in the following townships as follows:

Westfield 5 per cent, Norman 12 1/2 per cent, Golden Lake 5 per cent, Sherbrooke 16 1/2 per cent, Greenview 5 per cent, Edendale 5 per cent, Melrose 15 per cent, and Broadlawn 25 per cent.

On motion the valuations of cattle under two years old were increased in the following townships as follows:

Golden Lake 12 1/2 per cent, Bergen 20 per cent, Primrose 10 per cent, Easton 10 per cent, Riverside 16 1/2 per cent, Colgate 21 per cent, and Willow Lake 25 per cent.

On motion the valuations of cattle under two years old were reduced in the following townships as follows:

Newburgh 5 per cent, Norway 15 per cent, Norman 5 per cent, Highland 16 1/2 per cent, Edendale 12 1/2 per cent, Lincoln 8 per cent, Melrose 8 per cent, Broadlawn 15 per cent and Hope Township 5 per cent.

On motion the valuations of cows were increased in the following townships as follows:

Eager 10 per cent, Golden Lake 5 per cent, Bergen 5 per cent, Easton 10 per cent, Greenview 12 1/2 per cent, Riverside 30 per cent, Colgate 5 per cent and Willow Lake 15 per cent.

On motion the valuations of cows were reduced in the following township as follows:

Newburgh 8 per cent, Norway 3 per cent, Westfield 15 per cent, Highland 5 per cent, Sherbrooke 8 per cent, Lincoln 8 per cent, Melrose 10 per cent, Broadlawn 10 per cent and Hope Township 10 per cent.

On motion the valuations of all other cattle two years old and over were increased in the following townships as follows:

Norway 5 per cent, Eager 15 per cent, Bergen 15 per cent, Riverside 55 per cent, Colgate 45 per cent and Willow Lake 10 per cent.

On motion the valuations of all other cattle two years old and over were reduced in the following townships as follows:

Westfield 45 per cent, Norman 35 per cent, Golden Lake 35 per cent, Highland 20 per cent, Primrose 5 per cent, Sherbrooke 12 1/2 per cent, Easton 10 per cent, Greenview 5 per cent, Melrose 5 per cent, Broadlawn 40 per cent and Hope Township 40 per cent.

On motion the valuations of mules were increased in the following townships as follows:

Newburgh 55 per cent, Norway 100 per cent, Norman 15 per cent, Highland 25 per cent, Bergen 16 1/2 per cent, Sherbrooke 80 per cent, Easton 30 per cent, Riverside 40 per cent, Hope Township 55 per cent and Willow Lake 65 per cent.

On motion the valuations of mules were reduced in the following townships as follows:

Westfield 20 per cent, Golden Lake 5 per cent, Primrose 5 per cent, Greenview 5 per cent, Lincoln 5 per cent and Colgate 15 per cent.

On motion the Board adjourned until one o'clock p. m.

Board reconvened at one o'clock p. m. Present, all members.

On motion the valuations of sheep were increased in the following townships as follows:

Easton 30 per cent, Lincoln 25 per cent and Riverside 15 per cent.

On motion the valuations of sheep were reduced in the following townships as follows:

Norway 10 per cent and Broadlawn 40 per cent.

On motion the valuations of hogs were increased in the following townships as follows:

Westfield 33 1/2 per cent, Bergen 33 1/2 per cent, Sherbrooke 33 1/2 per cent, Riverside 100 per cent, Willow Lake 90 per cent and Incorporated Town of Hope 33 1/2 per cent.

On motion the valuations of hogs were reduced in the following townships as follows:

Norway 16 1/2 per cent, Norman 33 1/2 per cent, Primrose 25 per cent and Broadlawn 20 per cent.

On motion the valuations of wagons and carriages were increased in the following townships as follows:

Westfield 15 1/2 per cent, Enger 10 per cent, Golden Lake 20 per cent, Bergen 100 per cent, Easton 25 per cent, Greenview 20 per cent, Lincoln 20 per cent, Riverside 50 per cent and Willow Lake 80 per cent.

On motion the valuations of wagons and carriages were reduced in the following townships as follows:

Norman 15 per cent, Primrose 12 1/2 per cent, Sherbrooke 30 per cent, Edendale 20 per cent, Melrose 5 per cent, Broadlawn 30 per cent, Colgate 10 per cent and Hope Township 10 per cent.

On motion the valuations of melodeons and organs were increased in the following townships as follows:

Newburgh 60 per cent, Norman 40 per cent, Bergen 60 per cent, Easton 10 per cent, Greenview 80 per cent and Lincoln 33 1/2 per cent.

On motion the valuations of melodeons and organs were reduced in the following townships as follows:

Enger 12 1/2 per cent, Highland 10 per cent, Primrose 33 1/2 per cent, Sherbrooke 30 per cent, Edendale 33 1/2 per cent, Colgate 30 per cent and Incorporated Town of Hope 30 per cent.

On motion the valuations of pianos in the Incorporated Town of Hope were increased 10 per cent.

On motion the valuations of pianos, in the townships of Melrose and Broadlawn were reduced 20 per cent.

On motion the valuations of household furniture were increased in the following townships as follows:

Newburgh 50 per cent, Norway 50 per cent, Westfield 75 per cent, Norman 40 per cent, Enger 33 1/2 per cent, Highland 20 per cent, Easton 25 per cent, Greenview 10 per cent, Lincoln 50 per cent, Broadlawn 100 per cent, Willow Lake 50 per cent and Incorporated Town of Hope 25 per cent.

On motion the valuations of household furniture were reduced in the following townships as follows:

Primrose 20 per cent, Sherbrooke 33 1/2 per cent, Colgate 10 per cent and Hope Township 10 per cent.

On motion the valuations of agricultural implements and machinery were increased in the following townships as follows:

Newburgh 25 per cent, Norway 100 per cent, Westfield 100 per cent, Highland 25 per cent, Bergen 125 per cent, Easton 100 per cent, Lincoln 55 per cent, Riverside 30 per cent, Colgate 8 per cent and Willow Lake 15 per cent.

On motion the valuations of agricultural implements and machinery were reduced in the following townships as follows:

Norman 33 1/2 per cent, Golden Lake 20 per cent, Primrose 20 per cent, Sherbrooke 12 1/2 per cent, Edendale 5 per cent, Melrose 25 per cent and Broadlawn 55 per cent.

The following resolution was on motion adopted:

Whereas the assessor of Riverside Township has failed to assess the household furniture in said township, according to law, therefore be it resolved, and it is ordered, that, for the purpose of equalizing the assessment with the other towns in the county, the following amounts be assessed and entered up as valuations of household furniture, to the following taxpayers in said township:

Andrew G Anderson \$10, P O Anderson \$10, J G Brown \$5, Fred Brown \$5, C W Conner \$5, J E Erickson \$5, Carl Gustafson \$5, Ole K Hagen \$5, R F Hadwen \$5, John Hagan \$10, C V Ide \$5, W B Jones \$10, John I Johnson \$5, Andrew Johnson \$5, Porter Kimball \$15, John Kitcher \$5, Lowellen Ladbury \$10, Carl Linden \$5.

Andrew Morgan \$15, Andrew Park Sr. \$10, Gustaf Peterson \$15, P R Peterson \$10, N R Peterson \$5, Moses Savola \$5, Eden Scholtes \$5, August Stewart \$15, Geo Saunders Jr. \$5, Geo Oliver Thorson \$5, Geo D Slingsby \$10, Oliver Thorson \$5, and Ole C Tosterud \$10.

On motion the Equalization Board adjourned.

L. C. GOPLEKUD, County Auditor.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS of the Board of County Commissioners.

Sherbrooke, N. D., July 9th. 1894.

Board of County Commissioners met at 2 o'clock p. m. pursuant to adjournment. Present, Chairman Brown, and Commissioners Williams, Cochrane, Rindy and King.

The minutes of the meeting of July 8th 1895 were read and approved.

On motion J. G. Brown, and Laor King were appointed a committee to inspect the Broadlawn, Edendale, Sherbrooke and Easton bridges, when completed.

On motion O. W. Williams, R. B. Cochrane and H. J. Rindy were appointed a committee to inspect the Enger and Newburgh bridges, when completed.

An application was received from L. N. Bugbee, for the lease of lots 11 and 12, block 6, Sherbrooke, for a term of five years, offering therefor the sum of \$7.50. On motion said application was granted.

The following bills were on motion allowed and ordered paid from the General Fund.

Laor King, Commissioner's per diem and mileage. \$ 12 30

J. G. Brown, Commissioner's per diem and mileage. 12 40

H. J. Rindy, Commissioner's per diem and mileage. 8 80

O. W. Williams, Commissioner's per diem and mileage. 7 00

R. B. Cochrane, Commissioner's per diem and mileage. 13 20

On motion the Board adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m. Saturday, July 20th 1895.

L. C. GOPLEKUD, County Auditor.

The Seventh Steele County Sabbath School Convention met in the Congregational church in this city Wednesday, July 10 1895.

Delegates were in attendance from ten different Sabbath Schools in our county and two from Page, Cass County. The Program was carried out generally as arranged.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year; C. G. Boies, President, W. S. Henry, Vice-Pres. W. H. Bulter, Sec. & Treas. Executive Committee

John Duncan, J. C. Lang and Mr. Wilcox of Broadlawn. Mr. Wilcox was elected as delegate to the next State Convention, J. C. Lang, Alternate.

Fritz L. Treldad of Grand Forks, general missionary of the Sunday School Union U. S. A. was in attendance through the entire session and rendered valuable assistance.

The attendance was good and much interest was manifested. New Methods were introduced and all went home thankful that they attended the Seventh Annual Convention at Hope.

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Notice to Creditors. State of North Dakota, In County Court, County of Steele. In the Matter of the Estate of William Venable, late of the City of Macomb, County of McDonald, State of Illinois. All persons having claims against the estate of said William Venable, deceased, are required to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned duly appointed and qualified executor, at her residence in the City of Macomb, County of McDonald, State of Illinois, or to Frank N. Gilmore, her duly authorized agent, in the Town of Hope, County of Steele, State of North Dakota, and that six months after the first publication of this notice has been limited as the time for the creditors to present and prove their claims against said estate. Dated this 24th day of June, 1905. ANNE E. VENABLE, Administratrix of the Estate of William Venable, Deceased.