

**COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.****Official Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Steele County**

Sherbrooke, N. D., April 13, 1901.

Board of county commissioners convened at 10 o'clock a. m. pursuant to adjournment. All members present.

The minutes of the meeting of April 1, 1901 were read and, on motion, approved.

The application of J. O. Collins for a one year lease of the north one-half of block 4, Sherbrooke, and offering to pay for same \$2.00 was on motion granted.

The application of C. Christensen for a 5 year lease of lot 6, block 6, Sherbrooke, and offering to pay for same \$1.00 per year, was on motion granted.

The following bills were, on motion, allowed and ordered paid from the county general fund:

T G Anderson, filing and recording oaths of office and bonds of E D Washburn, county justice of the peace; Mons Jerdee, county constable; A R Baker, coroner; and the oaths of office of C W Connor surveyor and Commissioners Elliott and Gray.....	\$ 3 00
C Christensen, 2 gross Spencerian pens.....	1 70
A R Pope, 10 day's work on assessment books for county auditor.....	20 00
Steele County Tribune, publishing commissioner proceedings \$6.75, assessment notice \$4.40, total.....	11 15
Steele County Tribune, 9 copies pocket edition session laws....	6 75
W H M Phillip, salary county physician 3 months.....	47 50

On motion the following resolution was adopted by unanimous vote:

Resolved, That hereafter the board of county commissioners of Steele county will decline to consider any petitions for assistance by the county, in grading, unless such petitions are first approved by a majority of the township board of supervisors of the township for which such assistance is petitioned for; and where assistance is for on township line roads; such petitions must first be approved by a majority of the township boards of each township.

On motion the board adjourned until 3 o'clock p. m. same day.

**Afternoon Session.**

Board of county commissioners reconvened at 3 o'clock p. m., pursuant to adjournment. All members present.

On motion the reports of the committees to inspect grade sites in Hope township were taken from the table.

The committees appointed at meeting of April 1 1901, to inspect sites of grades where assistance in constructing same had been petitioned for, submitted reports as follows:

That an appropriation of \$100.00 be granted for assistance in constructing grade on township line between River side and Willow Lake.

That an appropriation of \$100.00 be granted to assist in constructing grade on line between sections 23 and 26 River side township.

That an appropriation of \$200.00 be granted to assist in constructing grade across slough on line between sections 17 and 18 and 19 and 20, Melrose township.

On motion appropriations for assistance in constructing grades were granted as follows:

For grading down hill on line between sections 22 and 27, Hope township..... \$ 75 00

For grading down hill on line between sections 6 and 7, Hope township..... 75 00

For grading slough on town line between sections 3 Willow Lake township and 35 and 36 Riverside township..... 100 00

For grading slough on line between sections 17 and 18, and 19 and 20, Melrose township.. 200 00

Conditioned that the grading for which such appropriations are given shall be constructed under the supervision of the township board of supervisors of the respective townships where the grade is wholly within the township and that the grade on town line between Riverside and Willow Lake shall be constructed by the township board of Willow Lake; said appropriations to be paid upon presentation of satisfactory proof that the grade for which the appropriation is given has been completed.

A petition signed by Henry Palfrey and 42 others, asking that the county commissioners appropriate \$2.00 per section for the purpose of purchasing poison to destroy gophers in Steele county, was presented to the board.

On motion said petition was laid on the table. On motion it was ordered that the sum of \$231.48 being the amount on hand in the gopher destruction fund, be used to purchase strychnine for the purpose of destroying gophers in Steele county.

The county auditor was on motion, authorized to purchase strychnine and to distribute same free to the farmers of Steele county.

Mary E. Stankard appeared before the board, making claim that she is the owner of lot 24, block 11, Sherbrooke, North Dakota, and that her husband P. T. Stankard, has no interest in said property pursuant to instructions of the board to the states attorney, at meeting of April 1, 1901, to collect the judgment now held by the county against the said P. T. Stankard, to give

to said Steele county a mortgage on said property to secure said judgment and would also proceed at once to remove clouds, if any there be, to her title to said property.

On motion the proposition of Mary E. Stankard was accepted, and the states attorney and the county auditor were instructed to have the papers necessary to secure said judgment, executed and recorded.

The bill of W. I. Warrey for 17 month's salary as county judge for services under the prohibition law and amounting to \$85.00, was on motion taken from the table.

The bill of W. I. Warrey for 17 months salary as county judge under the prohibition law and amounting to \$85.00 was on motion rejected.

On motion the following bills were allowed and ordered paid from the county general fund:

Latimer & Long, ax for use about the county building... \$ 1 15	
L N Bugbee, hauling 1 cord of wood and piling same in cellar of county building.....	3 00
W I Warrey, cash advanced for stamps and for telephone service prior to January 1, 1901, \$2.00, supplies furnished for county building, \$3.31 total...	5 31
Frank Gray, commissioner per diem and mileage and inspecting grade sites.....	9 65
G O Johnson, commissioner per diem and mileage and inspecting grade sites.....	9 20
H J Rindy, commissioner per diem and mileage.....	4 20
W E Elliott, commissioner per diem and mileage.....	3 20
H N Horner, commissioner per diem and mileage and inspecting grade sites.....	8 40

On motion the board adjourned sine die.

T. S. HUNT,  
County Auditor.**FOR SALE.**

600 bu. of good seed wheat. For further particulars inquire of E. M. Fuller.

**FEED.**

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**NOTICE.**

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By the Board of Health of Broadlawn Township.

**HORSES PASTURED.**Will take in a limited number of horses in my pasture  $3\frac{1}{2}$  miles west of Hope. As this pasture has never been fed down close and with plenty of living water, stock will get fat. I intend to fatten my own stock, and yours will have the same chance. Price \$5.00 per season for any kind of horses. No cattle will be taken, and no horses for less time than by the season. If you want to engage pasturing, better do so early as I have booked quite a number and will not take any more after required number is booked. A. T. WARD.**\$1,000 Worth of Good.**

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