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## COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

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

Sherbrooke, N. D., Oct. 1, 1900.

Board of county commissioners convened in regular quarterly session at 10 o'clock a. m., as provided by law.

All members present. The minutes of the meeting of July 16, 1900, were read and on motion approved.

Voting precincts were on motion changed as follows:

Highland precinct, from school house on section 32 to town hall in the village of Finley.

Broadlawn precinct from school house on section 18 to school house on section 11.

Colgate precinct, from school house on section 29 to school house on section 26.

The monthly statements of the register of deeds of fees collected for quarter ending Oct. 1, 1900, aggregating \$378.00, were on motion approved.

The monthly statements of fees collected by clerk of court, aggregating \$64.55, for quarter ending Oct. 1, 1900, were on motion approved.

The county auditor's quarterly statement of warrants drawn for salary of county officials for quarter ending Oct. 1, 1900, was on motion approved as follows:

T S Hunt, county auditor, salary 3 months.....	\$ 306 12
C S Shippy, county attorney, salary 3 months.....	250 00
W H Butler, county superintendent, salary 3 months.....	270 00
W I Warrey, county judge, salary 3 months.....	250 00
O W Williams, county treasurer salary 3 months.....	345 00
P H Gilbertson, clerk of court, salary 3 months.....	200 00
Oscar Barrett, register of deeds, salary 3 months.....	350 00
W D Bradley, clerk for register of deeds, part of July 1900.....	28 00
Jennie Barrett, clerk for register of deeds part of July and for months of August and September.....	82 00
Ora E Fuller, clerk for county auditor 56 days.....	112 00

The following audited bills for conducting summer school at Mayville, for which warrants had been drawn upon the institute fund, were on motion approved:

Joseph Carhart, services conducting teacher's training school.....	\$ 50 00
Ella E Hallenbeck, assistant conductor of teacher's training school.....	135 00

The application of Emery Palmer to purchase Steele county's interest in lot 23, block 16, of Hope, and offering to pay for same the sum of four and 82-100 dollars, was on motion granted, and quit claim deed of the county's interest in said lot ordered executed.

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

Trail county, expenses in trial of T J McMahon at Hillsboro June 1900.....	\$ 123 80
O W Williams, cash advanced for carbide for gas plant.....	23 75
O W Williams, cash advanced for witness fees June term of court.....	6 00
Dr H Bacharach, salary county physician 3d quarter of 1900.....	37 50

The following bill was on motion allowed and ordered paid from the bridge fund:

Bergen civil township, appropriation by the county for assistance in road grading in said township, proof that grading had been completed, having been filed.....	\$ 200 00
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On motion the following bills were allowed and ordered paid from the county general fund:

Walker Bros., blanks for county auditor.....	\$ 10 25
Walker Bros., ledgers for county treasurer and county auditor \$54, blank book \$5.25, total.....	59 25
E N Henninger, clerk for county superintendent of schools 8 days.....	16 00
Steele County Progress, publication of annual financial statement.....	24 00

On motion the board adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m. of same day.

### AFTERNOON SESSION.

Board of county commissioners reconvened at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to adjournment. All members present.

On motion the Steele County Progress, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Hope, N. D., was designated as the paper in which the county auditor shall give notice of the sale of real estate for the delinquent taxes of 1900.

The county auditor was on motion authorized to advertise for bids for furnishing Steele county with 15 tons of hard stove coal, and for hauling same and delivering in cellar of county building, and said advertisement for bids to be published in the Steele County Tribune.

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

Steele County Progress, publishing notice to taxpayers, January 1900.....	\$ 2 40
T S Hunt, cash advanced for expenses before state board of equalization at Bismarck \$18.25, freight, express and cartage \$8.29, postage \$2.50, total.....	29 04
Geo A Monteith, publishing commissioner proceedings July meetings.....	24 25
Steele County Tribune, publishing commissioner proceedings July meetings.....	23 70
Hope Pioneer, publishing commissioner proceedings July	

meetings, \$32.70, allowed at.....	24 25
Geo A Monteith, furnishing and printing 1000 bill heads for county.....	4 50
Steele County Tribune, stationery for sheriff and superintendent of schools.....	5 75
Oscar Barrett, cash advanced for postage stamps.....	4 04
W H M Phillip, one day and mileage member board of health \$6.00, one day investigating and enforcing board of health laws \$5.00, total.....	11 00
A R Baker, coroner's fees and mileage, viewing body of James Saunders.....	7 05
Samuel L Linn, board and care of Henry DeMars, Steele county prisoner, five days \$8.75; cash advanced for clothing for Henry DeMars, \$9.00, conveying Henry DeMars to Hillsboro jail \$17.25, total.....	35 00
W H M Phillip, salary county physician 3d quarter 1900.....	47 50
H J Rindy, mileage attending meeting board of health.....	1 20
Frank Curry, serving papers and attending to burial of dead horse near Finley.....	4 00

The following bills being for construction of one room house for Jacob Hesken, poor person, under supervision of E G Erickson, as per instructions of board of commissioners, were allowed and ordered paid from county general fund:

St. Anthony & Dakota Elevator Co., bill of lumber furnished.....	\$ 107 00
Gilbert Erickson, cash paid for hardware \$10.80, for carpenter work performed \$45.25, total.....	56 05

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

O W Williams, cash advanced to Mrs Cyris poor person, for months of August, September and October 1900.....	\$ 51 00
O W Williams, cash advanced to Mrs Stankard poor person, for months of August, September and October.....	24 00
Svert Johnson, board and care of Jacob Hesken poor person, months of June, July and 6 days in August.....	44 00
F R Rugg, wood for James Taylor poor person, \$6.75, drayage 50 cents, total.....	7 25
W J Milligan, witness fees 2 days and mileage, case of state vs McMahon at Hillsboro.....	6 00
J A Klovstad, witness fees 2 days and mileage, case of state vs McMahon at Hillsboro.....	6 00
James D Brown, witness fees 1 day and mileage, case of state vs McMahon at Hillsboro.....	5 00
W H Furlong, witness fees 2 days and mileage, case of state vs McMahon at Hillsboro.....	6 00

The justice report of Charles G. Boise for quarter ending Oct. 1, 1900, was on motion approved and fees ordered paid from the county general fund as follows:

Charles G Boise, justice fees case of state vs Henry DeMars.....	3 20
Samuel L Linn, sheriff's fees and mileage, case of state vs Henry DeMars.....	68 80

On motion the justice report of William Palmer for quarter ending Oct. 1, 1900, was approved and fees ordered paid from the general fund as follows:

Wm Palmer, justice fees case of state vs O Cook.....	\$ 1 45
Wm Bateman, constable fees case of state vs O Cook.....	2 00

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

Laor King, commissioner per diem and mileage 1 day.....	\$ 4 00
G O Johnson, commissioner per diem and mileage 1 day and 25c for telephone.....	4 45
H J Rindy, commissioner per diem and mileage 1 day.....	4 20

# Auction

## Friday, Oct

At NW 1/4 Sec. 16-144-5

### Sale to commence a

- 9 Head of work horses.
- 1 Fresh milch cow.
- 1 2-year-old heifer.
- 1 Spring calf.
- 1 4-horse Dowagiak drill.
- 1 Spring tooth harrow.
- 1 4-horse wagon.
- 1 Grain tank.

## Terms of Sale

1, 1901, with 8 per cent interest

AXEL NELSON

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