

Commissioners

Proceedings.

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

Sherbrooke, N. Dak., April 11th 1908.

The Board of County Commissioners reconvened at 9 o'clock A. M. pursuant to adjournment. Present O N Grefshelm, K S Sulland and J B Oxtan. In the absence of Chairman Gray, K S Sulland was chosen temporary Chairman. Minutes of the meeting of April 6th 1908, read and on motion approved. Bills were on motion allowed as follows:

Steele County Tribune, legal printing and stationery..... \$95 60
North Dakota Publishing Co. legal printing..... 75 55
Fialey Beacon, legal printing, 57 75
K A Johnson and Frank Gray having arrived, Mr. Gray took his place as chairman of the Board.

The following bills were on motion allowed:

S McPherson, cash advanced for express, cartage and postage..... \$ 11 89
J M Johnson, cash advanced for list of holders of internal revenue licenses and Vol. 15 N. Dak. Reports..... 6 00
W G Crocker, pupils. monthly review questions..... 2 25
Red River Valley Telephone Co. rent of phones for county offices to Dec. 1st 1908, and two calls to Fargo..... 36 50
Fargo Bridge & Iron Co. part payment on bridge contracts..... 2336 00
M F Hegge, supplies for Heskin, county charge..... 43 78
Mrs Ole H Snortland, board and care M. Sanve, county charge..... 62 50
A K Johnson, board and care of Mrs Osten Johnson, county charge..... 55 00
F E Carpenter, three months rent for house occupied by Stacey family..... 15 00
Major Supplement Co. fuel furnished Stacey family..... 9 90
Hope Provision Co. supplies for Stacey family..... 4 34
O E Couron, supplies for Stacey family..... 4 70
A M McLaughlin, fuel furnished Granda and Stacey families..... 28 35

King & Smith, supplies for Stacey family..... 4 00
The bill of A Mickels & Co. \$45. for coffin furnished for burial of Mrs Osten Johnson, was on motion rejected account it being the opinion of the board that said bill should be paid by Christ Ostenson, son of the deceased.

The report of the States Attorney in the matter of the investigation of violations of the prohibition law was on motion approved and fees ordered paid from the liquor prosecution fund as follows:

Earnest Hazelblad, witness, \$ 2 10
Ed Sivertson, witness, 2 10
John Bakker, witness, 2 10
Axel Skadsand, witness, 2 10
Frank Long, witness, 2 30
Alfred Tenold, witness, 2 40
Julius Blegen, witness, 2 40
Albert Hallen, witness, 2 10
I W Standley, sheriff, 12 40

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. All members present. As the Assessors of the County were holding their meeting with the Auditor, a recess was taken till 2:30 P. M. when the regular business of the board was resumed. On motion the auditor was instructed to advertise for bids for furnishing the county with 24 tons hard nut coal delivered in the basement of the Court house not later than August 15th 1908; bids to be opened at 2 o'clock P. M. July 6th 1908.

On motion the auditor was instructed to notify Mrs. Cyrus to vacate house owned by the county, by May 15th 1908, or pay rent at the rate of \$5. per month; rent payable monthly in advance.

H E Myrah having paid the 1907 taxes on the NW 1/4 Sec. 15 148-56, by mistake. It was on motion ordered that the said taxes to the amount of \$22.36 be refunded and made to apply upon the 1907 taxes on the N. W. 1/4 Sec. 15-147-56.

The justice report of John K Nybo for quarter ending March 31st 1908, was on motion approved and following fees ordered paid:

John K Nybo, justice..... \$ 2 70
Tom Shannon, appraiser..... 2 00
F C Meader, appraiser..... 2 00
Matt Loftus, appraiser..... 2 00

The Justice report of Charles G Boise for quarter ending March 31st 1908, was on motion approved and following fees ordered paid:

Charles G Boise, justice..... \$ 4 65
I W Standley, sheriff..... 8 80

The Justice report of G A Monteith for quarter ending March 31st 1908, was on motion approved and fees

ordered paid as follows:
G A Monteith, justice..... \$ 13 05
J W Needham, constable and guarding prisoners..... 47 10
Dell Burner, deputy sheriff..... 5 00
Chas E Mitchell, witness..... 2 10
Robert Gustafson, witness..... 2 10
G N Grimson, witness..... 2 10
J W Needham, witness..... 2 10
J T Stensland, witness..... 2 10
Ed Barnaby, witness..... 2 10
C H Brown, witness..... 2 10
J B Morris, witness..... 2 10

The monthly statements of fees collected by the Clerk of Court for quarter ending March 31st 1908, aggregating \$99.00 was on motion approved.

The monthly statements of fees collected by the Register of Deeds for quarter ending March 31st 1908, aggregating \$617.40, was on motion approved.

The bond of the Fargo Bridge & Iron Co. to the amount of \$4672.00, with the Northern Trust Co. as sureties thereon, was on motion approved.

The bond of Charles G Boise County Justice, in the sum of \$500.00, with Wm Oxtan and H J Rindy as sureties thereon, was on motion approved.

On motion T O Schjeldahl was appointed appraiser to appraise stray horse taken up by F G Enger November 28th 1907.

On motion duly seconded and carried, O G Major was appointed a member of the drainage board to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of B F Walden, the amount of bond being fixed at \$1000.00.

The resignation of H A Burner, county constable, was on motion accepted.

The auditor was on motion authorized and instructed to draw warrant to the amount of \$108.00, in favor of the Treasurer of Westfield twp. as part payment of appropriation for grading on line between sections 28 and 33 Westfield twp. upon the filing of a duly verified bill.

The report of the board of insanity in the matter of the investigation of the alleged insanity of Hannah Wedin, was on motion approved and the following fees ordered paid:

Adam S Moote, chairman..... \$ 4 00
Dr A J Heimark, member..... 8 60
Gerge Murray, member..... 2 00
Dr H Bacharach, examining physician..... 8 60
Thomas Devlin, witness..... 2 00

The following petitions for bridges and grade appropriations were presented:

For an appropriation of \$250.00 for new bridge on line between sections 6 and 7 Carpenter twp.
For an appropriation of \$400.00 for grading on line between sections 15-16 and 21-22 and 27-28 Westfield twp.

For two new bridges on line between sections 33 Westfield twp. and 4 Finley.

For a new bridge or a six foot metal culvert in coulee on line between sections 33 Finley twp. and section 4 Easton.

To repair bridge on line between sections 17 and 20 and 13 and 24 Newburgh.

On motion the Chairman appointed himself and J B Oxtan to inspect site in Carpenter twp.; K S Sulland, J B Oxtan and K A Johnson to inspect bridges in Newburgh twp and J B Oxtan, O N Grefshelm and K A Johnson to inspect the other sites as per petitions.

On motion the auditor was instructed to make bill against Griggs county for one half the cost of building bridge on line between Steele and Griggs counties, along west line of section 30 Franklin twp.

The report of the committee appointed to inspect site for grading on line between sections 1 and 2 Franklin twp was accepted and on motion an appropriation of \$150.00 was granted for grading said site and committee discharged.

The petition for an appropriation of \$150.00 for grading on line between sections 35 Sharon twp. and 2 Franklin was on motion tabled.

Motion made, seconded and carried, that the purchasing committee be instructed to have a suitable ventilator put in the Court room and new curtains provided where necessary.

The report of the committee appointed to appraise various lots owned by the county, was on motion accepted and committee discharged.

The following resolution was on motion adopted by the board, all members voting aye: Resolved that the county auditor be, and is hereby instructed, to advertise and offer for sale at public auction as provided for by Chapter 67 of the Session laws of 1907, the following described lots and parts of lots situated in the City of Hope and Village of Sherbrooke, County of Steele, State of North Dakota; said sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, June 10th 1908.

Original townsite of Hope.
Lots Block.
3 1
5 to 12 inclusive 1
21 and 22 1
4 and 5 8
18 to 24 inclusive 8
7 to 9 inclusive, 16
12 16
West 25 ft of east 70 ft of lots 1 and 2 23

West 22 ft of east 45 ft of lots 1 and 2 23
10 26
1 to 8 inclusive 34
11 to 14 inclusive 34
17 and 18 34
21 to 24 inclusive 34
11 35
3 45
4 to 6 inclusive 45
7 to 9 inclusive 45
17 to 23 inclusive 46
1 and 2 47
5 47
6 to 9 inclusive 47
1 to 3 inclusive 48
5 48
7 to 9 inclusive 48
10 to 12 inclusive 48
13 to 18 inclusive 48
22 to 24 inclusive 48
1 to 6 inclusive 49
10 to 12 inclusive 49
13 to 24 inclusive 49
1 to 8 inclusive 50
13 to 18 inclusive 50
19 50
21 to 24 inclusive 50
7 to 10 inclusive 51
18 54
First addition to townsite of Hope.
Lots Block.
12 to 24 inclusive 5
1 to 24 inclusive 6
7 to 9 inclusive 7
21 and 22 7
1 and 2 8
5 8
6 to 12 inclusive 8
13 and 14 8
15 and 16 8
17 to 24 inclusive 8
11 9
18-19-20 and 24 9
1 and 2 10
3 10
4 10
9 10
10 10
11 10
15 and 16 10
4 to 8 inclusive 11
9 11
13 to 19 inclusive 11
20 and 21 11
22 to 24 inclusive 11
1 to 24 inclusive 12
1 to 12 inclusive 13
13 13
14 to 24 inclusive 13
1 to 24 inclusive 14
1 to 7 inclusive 15
8 15
9 to 11 inclusive 15
13 to 16 inclusive 15
17 to 24 inclusive 15
1 to 6 inclusive 16
7 to 24 inclusive 16
1 to 24 inclusive 17
1 to 18 inclusive 18
19 18
20 to 24 inclusive, 18
1 to 24 inclusive, 19
1 to 6 inclusive, 20
7 20
13 20
21 20
1 to 12 inclusive, 21
23 21
14-15-16 and 22 22
13 to 24 inclusive, 23
4-14 and 15 24
24 24
1 to 7 inclusive, 25
8 25
14 to 24 inclusive, 25
1 to 12 inclusive, 26
17 to 21 inclusive, 26
2 to 21 inclusive, 26
1 to 10 inclusive, 27
11 and 12 27
13 to 16 inclusive, 27
17 and 18 27
19 to 22 inclusive, 27
23 and 24 27
1-2-8-11-12 13-14-18-19-23 and 24 28
1 to 24 inclusive, 29
1 to 3 inclusive, 30
9 30
10 to 12 inclusive, 30
13 30
14 and 15 30
16 to 18 inclusive, 30
19 to 21 inclusive, 30
2 31
5 to 9 inclusive, and 11 and 12 31
17 to 24 inclusive, 31
1 to 18 inclusive, 32
21 to 24 inclusive, 32
1 to 24 inclusive, 33
1 to 12 inclusive, 34
18 and 19 34
20 and 21 34
22 to 24 inclusive, 34
1 to 8 inclusive, 35
1 to 11 inclusive, 36
12 36
1 to 4 inclusive, 38
5 to 11 inclusive, 38
12 to 15 inclusive, 38
16 to 24 inclusive, 38
4 39
5 to 12 inclusive, 39
13 to 15 inclusive, 39
16 to 24 inclusive, 39
1 to 24 inclusive, 40
1 to 12 inclusive, 41
19 and 21 41
22 41
23 and 24 41
1 to 12 inclusive, 42
13 to 17 inclusive, 42
20 to 24 inclusive, 42
1 to 16 inclusive, 43
19 to 24 inclusive, 43
1 to 24 inclusive, 44
1 to 24 inclusive, 45
1 to 24 inclusive, 46
1 to 24 inclusive, 47
1 to 24 inclusive, 48