

# PROCEEDINGS

## OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF GRIGGS COUNTY, N. D.

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment February 19th, 1912. Present, Chairman Blackwell and Commissioners Nelson, Huso and Hawden.

The minutes of the preceding session were read and approved.

At the July 1911 session, the Board having granted the petition for the construction of a bridge across the Shyenne River between sections 24 and 25, Sverdrup township, to be built this season, a motion was made, seconded and carried, directing the auditor to advertise for bids for the construction on said site, of a steel bridge, 80 feet long, 18 feet wide and 12 feet above the water, the foundation to be steel piles with concrete backing and wings.

Proposals from banks for the deposit of county sinking funds on one year time certificates, were opened, as follows:

First National Bank of Binford.

First State Bank of Binford.

State Bank of Jessie.

State Bank of Cooperstown.

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First National Bank of Hannaford.

Farmers State Bank of Hannaford.

Farmers State Bank of Walum.

Each bank offered to pay 3 per cent per annum on such deposits, and a motion was made, seconded and carried, ordering that the proposal of each of the named banks be accepted and that \$30,000.00 be deposited in said banks, on such certificates, to be divided pro rata, according to the capital stock of each bank, provided that each deposit-

ory shall furnish a surety bond, in amount, at least equal to the proposed deposit in such bank, and that no deposits shall be made until after the approval of such bonds by the Board of County Commissioners.

The following bills were duly allowed and warrants drawn in payment:

Gilbert Lee, sheriff, boarding prisoners .....	\$ 42 00
Gilbert Lee, sheriff, services in case of insane man Rico .....	20 80
Benj. Tuft, services on board of health .....	5 10
M. D. Westley, services as Spt. board of health .....	5 10
The Oakes Times, state official estray paper .....	5 00
F. J. Stone, postage and express .....	14 95
F. J. Stone, court certificates, witnesses .....	4 10
F. J. Stone, court certificates, jurors .....	16 00
Walker Bros. & Hardy, assessment supplies .....	130 00
Jimeson Cash Dept. Store mdse. for court house ..	1 75
R. M. Cowen, postage .....	4 60
Coop. Electric Light Plant light and supplies .....	43 45
P. R. Trubshaw, publishing..	80 42
Hannaford Enterprise, publishing .....	98 37
C. E. Peterson, publishing..	102 25
W. A. Richards & Co., office supplies .....	2 35
Phoenix Lumber Co., fuel for court house .....	393 95
Griggs Co. Tel. Co., service for Feby. ....	10 00
Crane-Johnson Co., fuel for court house .....	13 30
Otto O. Hoffman, wolf bounty	2 00
Alfred Hollanf, wolf bounty..	2 00
Torkel E. Aarestad, wolf bounty .....	2 00
M. D. Westley, services as Supt. board of health .....	2 50

On motion, the Board adjourned.  
R. M. COWEN,  
County Auditor.

## Report of the Condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK At Cooperstown, in the state of North Dakota, at the close of business February 20, 1912.

### RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts.....	\$ 275,092 85
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	445 03
U. S. bonds to secure circulation ..	25,000 00
Other Bonds to secure U.S. deposits	1,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds .....	172 30
Bonds, Securities, Etc. ....	1,722 41
Banking-house furniture and fixtures	11,000 00
Other real estate owned.....	6,500 00
Due from state and private banks and bankers, trust companies and savings banks .....	1,534 54
Due from approved reserve agents	46,368 17
Checks and other cash items ..	1,488 43
Notes of other national banks ..	210 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents. ....	129 24
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie.....	13,332 40
Legal-tender notes .....	2,500 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (2 percent. of circulation).....	1,210 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$87,595 37</b>

### LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund .....	20,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid .....	1,714 44
Nat'l bank notes outstanding .....	24,400 00
Individual deposits subject to check .....	119,565 45
Demand certificates of deposit.....	6,890 15
Time certificates of deposit.....	163 461 88
Cashier's checks outstanding .....	1,563 45
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$87,595 37</b>

State of North Dakota, }  
County of Griggs, } ss.  
I, Seval Friswold, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SEVAL FRISWOLD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of Feb. 1912.

[Seal]

H. J. KOLSTAD,  
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 1, 1914.