

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

Board of County Commissioners,
Griggs County, North Dakota.

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Board of County Commissioners met in regular session according to law this 4th day of January, A. D. 1904.

Present, Carl J. Lucken, Chas. Nelson and O. S. Gunderson.

The minutes of last meeting read and approved.

There being two vacancies to fill on the board of County Commissioners, to-wit: For the third and fourth districts. The county judge and county auditor were called in to act as members of the appointing board.

Moved and seconded that the appointments be made by acclamation. Motion carried.

Moved and seconded that John T. Fosholdt be appointed county commissioner for the third district to succeed himself until his successor shall have been elected and qualified. Motion carried.

Moved and seconded that J. B. Armstrong be appointed county commissioner for the fourth district to succeed himself until his successor shall have been elected and qualified. Motion carried.

John T. Fosholdt was sworn in and furnished bond as required by law.

Moved and seconded that Carl J. Lucken be permanent chairman of the board for the ensuing year. Motion carried.

The justice quarterly report of P. R. Trubshaw, justice of the peace, was approved and the following items of expense therein allowed:

P. R. Trubshaw, justice fees, case of state vs. Ely.....	\$ 4 95
P. R. Trubshaw, justice fees, case of state vs. Gallagher...	5 90
P. R. Trubshaw, justice fees, case of state vs. Painter.....	2 90
M. H. Jellison, witness fees, case of state vs. Ely.....	2 90
Knudt Skattebo, witness fees, case of state vs. Ely.....	2 60
A. Christianson, constable fees, case of state vs. Painter.....	2 70
J. C. Flynn, sheriff fees, case of state vs. Gallagher.....	12 00
J. C. Flynn, sheriff fees, case of state vs. Ely.....	22 85

On motion the following bills were allowed:

Treadwell Twitchell, sheriff of Cass Co., for serving papers on bondsmen of Citizens National Bank of Fargo in an action wherein the County of Griggs is plaintiff.....	\$ 8 70
J. C. Flynn for boarding prisoners.....	13 00
Clara Feiring, for mileage as superintendent of schools, \$87.10; express, 45 cents; postage, \$10.20; total.....	97 75
J. C. Flynn, miscellaneous expenses.....	1 00
Walker Bros. & Hardy, for blanks.....	5 60
P. R. Trubshaw, for publishing proceedings.....	38 45
John Syverson, for merchandise Berg Bros. & Co. for merchandise.....	52 23
Pioneer Publishing Co., official estray paper.....	3 35
A. M. Baldwin, services as attorney.....	5 00
P. A. Melgard, for postage, express, etc.....	15 00
H. S. Rearick for publishing proceedings and blanks.....	28 46
Oscar Arneson, coroner's juror.....	49 20
Ed Ladbury, " ".....	2 10
Ed Ladbury, " ".....	2 60

The justice quarterly report of H. S. Rearick, justice of the peace, was approved and the following items of expense therein allowed:

Anton Christianson, constable fees, state vs. O'Meara.....	\$ 5 05
J. C. Flynn, sheriff fees, case of state vs. Dusbabek.....	14 25
Arthur Houghton, witness fees case of state vs. Belden.....	1 10
H. S. Rearick, justice fees, case of state vs. Belden.....	4 55
Geo. A. Houghton, constable fees, case of state vs. Belden.....	3 90
H. S. Rearick, justice fees, state vs. Samuelson.....	2 95
H. S. Rearick, justice fees, state vs. Samuelson.....	9 35
H. S. Rearick, justice fees, state vs. Derrick.....	7 45
J. C. Flynn, sheriff fees, state vs. Samuelson.....	12 80
J. C. Flynn, sheriff fees, state vs. Derrick.....	17 20
Mrs. A. M. Olson, witness fees, state vs. Samuelson.....	1 10
Dr. C. L. Brimi, witness fees, state vs. Samuelson.....	1 10
J. C. Flynn, witness fees, state vs. Samuelson.....	1 10
James Welch, witness fees, state vs. Samuelson.....	1 10
Albert Dokken, witness fees, state vs. Derrick.....	1 10
Hannah Hanson, witness fees, state vs. Derrick.....	2 60
H. S. Rearick, justice fees, state vs. Beamer.....	1 50
Geo. Sundby, deputy sheriff fees, state vs. Beamer.....	12 50
J. C. Flynn, sheriff fees, state vs. Carline.....	22 85

On motion the board adjourned to meet Jan. 5, at 9 o'clock a. m., A. D.

1904.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present, Lucken, Nelson, Fosholdt and Gunderson

On motion the following bills were allowed:

May Retzlaff, for typewriting services to states attorney.....	\$ 3 00
E M Warner, salary as deputy auditor.....	80 00
T O Hetager, services as engineer.....	100 00
Ole Bakken, court certificates.....	32 60
Louis Hognsen, wolf bounty.....	2 00
Peter Knudsen, wolf bounty.....	2 00
J H Sinclair, deputy and clerk \$800, for miscellaneous expenses \$86.25, total.....	886 25
George Adams, draying.....	2 45
George Sundby, deputy sheriff's fees in case of State vs. Dusbabek.....	12 95
Crane-Johnson Co. fuel for poor.....	10 50
N A Bergstrom, for services as coroner.....	22 01
M A Ueland, for services as surveyor.....	61 00
Gust Olson, merchandise.....	5 90
Knight Printing Co., office supplies.....	6 60
Knight Printing Co., record books, etc.....	63 50
Jameson & Olson, for merchandise for poor.....	10 00

Moved and seconded that Halvor E. Halvorson be refunded 1903 taxes on a valuation of \$100 assessed against the set of ne $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec 1 Tp 148 Rg 61, for the reason that the same was assessed as 80 acres instead of 40 acres. Motion carried.

Moved and seconded that W S Hyde be refunded \$1 for school poll he having been charged the same in two districts. Motion carried.

Moved that the Griggs County Sentinel, The Cooperstown Courier and The Binford Times be the official newspapers of the county. Motion seconded and carried.

Moved and seconded that the settlement made by the county auditor for the back taxes due the county on part of S. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of N. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 16, Twp. 145, R. 58, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres, be approved. Motion carried.

Moved and seconded that the county surveyor be authorized to purchase surveying instruments on account of the county, for a sum not to exceed \$500. Motion carried.

On motion made and carried the following county warrants were cancelled:

No. 1419, dated July 6, 1896, to Chas. Clark.....	\$ 1 10
No. 1489, dated Oct. 5, 1896, to Wm. White.....	1 10
No. 1663, dated Jan. 6, 1897, to Claus Jackson.....	1 60
No. 1838, dated Nov. 29, 1897, to Geo. Farnertzer.....	2 50
No. 1711, dated Jan. 3, 1898, to Maud Mellich.....	1 10
No. 1254, dated Jan. 14, 1898, to Carl Sporeland.....	2 00

J. C. Flynn presented bill of expense for taking Iver Johnson, insane, to the hospital at Jamestown, amount \$38.50. On motion made, seconded and carried it was resolved that the expenses therein enumerated be approved.

On motion board adjourned to meet at 2 o'clock p. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment and proceeded to check up the county auditor and treasurer in which business the whole afternoon session was used.

Board adjourned to meet Jan. 6, 1904, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present, Lucken, Nelson, Fosholdt and Gunderson.

The board proceeded with the checking up until finished and everything found correct.

Propositions in writing were submitted by George Adams and Wm. Davidson for the county draying.

Moved and seconded that the draying for the year 1904 be let to George Adams. Motion carried.

Moved and seconded that \$550.00 be allowed the county auditor and treasurer's office for clerk hire. Motion carried.

Moved and seconded that the emergency fund be transferred to the road and bridge fund, and that all interest and penalty hereafter collected be credited to the general fund. Motion carried.

Moved and seconded that the county auditor draw his warrant for \$300.00 in favor of Ole Bakken, being balance his due as county treasurer. Motion carried.

Moved and seconded that C. L. Brimi be appointed county physician for the ensuing year.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

Peter E. Nelson for mdse.....	\$ 57 18
O. S. Gunderson, services as county commissioners.....	13 50
C. J. Lucken, services as county commissioner.....	12 00
Chas. Nelson, services as county commissioner.....	13 50
John T. Fosholdt, services as county commissioner.....	12 90

On motion board adjourned sine die.

P. A. MELGARD,

County Auditor.

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