

HOPE PIONEER.

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Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners.

SHREWSBURY, D. T., July 1st, 1899.

Regular meeting of the board of county commissioners.

Present—Commissioners Oxton, Day, Hanson and Thompson.

Oxton in the chair.

The minutes of the meeting of May 6th were read and approved, with the exception that the amount of money donated to Newburgh township for assistance in paying for a bridge in that township costing over \$200, should have been \$75 instead of \$100, and the auditor was instructed to render a bill to town of Newburgh for \$25.

On motion the salaries for the following officers were allowed and ordered paid from the general fund, viz:

C. G. Huntley, county auditor, salary for May and June, \$186.50.

C. J. Paul, district attorney, for quarter ending June 29, \$200.

S. J. Axdah, county superintendent, for quarter ending June 29, \$50.

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

Hope Pioneer, advertising notice of election, \$17.75, and notice to bridge builders, \$5.45—23.20.

Hope Pioneer, publishing proceedings May 6, and notices special examination, \$6.70.

Hope Pioneer, publishing board of health notices, \$3.20.

Hope Pioneer, printing certificates for county superintendent, \$1.50, and list of text books for same, \$5—6.50.

C. G. Huntley, transcribing proceedings, January 1, to July 1, \$14.80.

Samuel L. Linn, distributing ballot boxes and mileage, \$27.60; serving grand and petit jurors' venire, \$37.10; boarding prisoner and conveying him to jail, \$7.75; attending court five days and mileage, \$24; serving subpoena, Steele county, defendant, Erskine and Jacobson cases, \$7.45—103.90.

Skuse & Morrill, cash paid sheriff of Steele county for services of summons and complaint in case Belle Rosser vs. Steele county, \$8.90.

Free Press company, Pierre, Dak., blanks for county superintendent, \$19.68.

H. V. Ryther, putting up screen windows and doors, \$6.

On motion the board adjourned to 1:20 o'clock p. m.

Board reconvened at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

All members present.

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

Nugent, Brown & Co., mortgage record and canvas cover, \$17.50; poll books, envelopes, pen holders and rubber erasers, \$22.20—39.70.

M. B. Cassell, band numberer for register's office, \$3.10; postage for quarter ending June 30, 1899, \$9.60—12.70.

Bugbee Bros., scrubbing offices, \$5; hauling load of screens from Hope, \$4; cash paid for freight and hauling same from Hope, \$1—10.

Steele County Tribune, publishing notice of election, \$17.75; notice to bridge builders, \$12.50; publishing proceedings, April 12th and May 6th, \$9.55; publishing notices of teachers' examinations and institute and notice to assessors, \$10.95—51.05

Merriell Bros. & Luce, oil, hand axe and butts, \$14.25.

Beidler & Robinson Lumber company, screen windows and doors, \$54.

Ole Anderson, coffin for Gulbran Hagfoss, pauper, \$17.

Gertrude Orenburg, nursing Mrs. Hagfoss, pauper, eight days, at 75 cents per day, \$6.

W. H. M. Philip, medical attendance Olson and Stein, paupers, \$19.

Hegge & Nelson, flour for Osten Johnson, pauper, \$3.50.

On motion the following bills were allowed and ordered paid from the road and bridge fund, viz:

Christ. Musseleman, hauling 9,167 feet of lumber from Hope to Pickert bridge, as per contract, at \$2 per M., \$18.33.

D. N. Van Dusen, hauling 6,508 feet of lumber from Hope to Palfrey bridge, as per contract, at \$1.84 per M., \$11.97.

W. I. Warrey, building Eger bridge per contract, \$69; Primrose bridge per contract, \$64; extra work at Primrose and Eger bridges, \$78.25, and extra work allowed at \$35—total, \$169.25.

F. R. Rugg, building Pickert bridge per contract, \$23.70; building Palfrey bridge per contract, \$14.65—38.35.

F. R. Rugg, extra work at Palfrey and Pickert bridges, \$6.

E. W. Palmer, one day surveying, \$3; mileage, \$4.30; making estimates, \$2—10.30.

C. Musseleman, building Norway bridge per contract, \$20.

L. C. Goplerud, hauling 16,448 feet of lumber from Hatton to Eger at \$1.60 per M. as per contract, \$26.32; hauling rods and plates, \$1.18—27.50.

Kasper K. Knutson, hauling 15,648 feet of lumber from Portland to bridge site between Eger and Primrose, at \$1.75 per M., \$27.38; hauling rods to bridges, \$1.25—28.63.

Merriell Bros. & Luce, nails for Palfrey and Pickert bridges, \$8.43.

Arne C. Bye, hauling 9,806 feet of lumber from Hatton to Norway bridge at \$1.95 per M. as per contract, \$19.20.

E. Hughes, lengthening bridge rods, \$6.25.

Jens B. Berge, lengthening bridge rods \$6.

Flittie & Johnson, nails, bolts and washers, \$27.60.

O. C. Nelson, hauling bridge lumber, \$3.

Iver L. Seim, hauling lumber to bridge on section 30, town 147, range 57, and 1/2 day labor, \$5.

Ole M. Bale, bolts and nails, \$2.40.

Beidler & Robinson Lumber company, lumber for Primrose, Eger, Norway, Palfrey and Pickert bridges, \$1,307.53.

The bid of H. V. Ryther, for \$25, being the lowest for building the Rugg bridge, he was ordered to build and complete same by July 12, 1899.

The contract for hauling lumber from Hope to Rugg bridge was awarded to G. V. King at 85 cents per M.

On motion the following election expenses for election held May 14, 1899, were allowed and ordered paid from general fund:

PRECINCT NO. 1.	
G. H. Stevens, Judge	\$2.00
Osten H. Pladsen, Judge	2.00
Gustav Hansen, Judge	2.00
Samuel Thompson, Clerk	2.00
Lewis Thompson, Clerk making returns and mileage	6.00
PRECINCT NO. 2.	
P. J. Ostino, Judge. Making returns and mileage	5.50
A. K. Hundeb, Judge	2.00
Peter L. O. Colton, Judge	2.00
E. G. Erickson, Clerk	2.00
Knudt Nelson, Clerk	2.00
PRECINCT NO. 3.	
A. K. Cochran, Judge. Making returns and mileage	5.50
J. M. Lane, Judge	2.00
A. K. Johnson, Judge	2.00
James Savage, Clerk	2.00
John B. Oxton, Clerk	2.00
PRECINCT NO. 4.	
E. G. Erickson, Judge. Making returns and mileage	6.00
H. M. Burdick, Judge	2.00
James Simpson, Jr., Judge	2.00
Simon McKenzie, Clerk	2.00
James Henderson, Clerk	2.00
PRECINCT NO. 5.	
Thomas A. Brakke, Judge	2.00
David Loug, Judge	2.00
Jonathan Blattline, Judge	2.00
G. O. Johnson, Clerk	2.00
S. J. Axdah, Clerk. Making returns and mileage	5.40
PRECINCT NO. 6.	
R. B. Cochran, Judge. Making returns and mileage	4.85
Hans Gilbertson, Judge	2.00
William Patterson, Judge	2.00
Hans Erickson, Clerk	2.00
Andrew J. Johnson, Clerk	2.00
PRECINCT NO. 7.	
O. W. Williams, Judge. Making returns and mileage	5.10
Osten Haddeland, Judge	2.00
M. H. Ullensaker, Judge	2.00
Martin Hanson, Clerk	2.00
Christopher Hanson, Clerk	2.00
PRECINCT NO. 8.	
T. O. Schjeldahl, Judge. Making returns and mileage	5.40
Gunder Bud, Judge	2.00
Ole Hogenson, Judge	2.00
L. C. Goplerud, Clerk	2.00
O. H. Olson, Clerk	2.00
PRECINCT NO. 9.	
E. O. Wallen, Judge. Making returns and mileage	5.10
James Patterson, Judge	2.00
Peder Everson, Judge	2.00
H. J. Bindy, Clerk	2.00
S. K. Pladsen, Clerk	2.00
PRECINCT NO. 10.	
W. L. Aldrich, Judge	2.00
W. K. Elliott, Judge	2.00
L. N. Bugbee, Judge	2.00
A. T. Drakeley, Clerk	2.00
W. A. Winslow, Clerk	2.00
PRECINCT NO. 11.	
John Dunea, Judge. Making returns and mileage	4.30
Wellington Vandusen, Judge	2.00
J. P. Pease, Judge	2.00
Samuel Oxton, Clerk	2.00
Leonard Verwest, Clerk	2.00
PRECINCT NO. 12.	
Andrew Thum, Judge. Making returns and mileage	5.20
Arne J. Arneson, Judge	2.00
Thomas C. Ross, Judge	2.00
Carl G. Carlson, Clerk	2.00
H. A. Bemis, Clerk	2.00
PRECINCT NO. 13.	
Oliver Thorson, Judge. Making returns and mileage	5.90
George Saunders, Jr., Judge	2.00
Andrew Park, Sr., Judge	2.00
J. G. Brown, Clerk	2.00
Porter Kimball, Clerk	2.00
PRECINCT NO. 14.	
J. A. White, Judge	2.00
C. V. Ruse, Judge	2.00
J. M. Joslyn, Judge. Making returns and mileage	4.75
James T. Masters, Clerk	2.00
W. J. Skinner, Clerk	2.00
PRECINCT NO. 15.	
E. W. Palmer, Judge	2.00
Charles Chalmers, Judge	2.00
W. S. Williams, Judge	2.00
C. B. Willard, Clerk	2.00
Alex. Weatherhead, Clerk. Making returns and mileage	6.00
PRECINCT NO. 16.	
W. H. Dennis, Judge. Making returns and mileage	5.70
O. G. Major, Judge	2.00
John M. Loftand, Judge	2.00
John M. Keene, Clerk	2.00
Osborne Russell, Clerk	2.00
PRECINCT NO. 17.	
M. D. Henry, Judge	2.00
J. M. Whisman, Judge	2.00
J. B. Holman, Judge	2.00
Hugh Davidson, Clerk	2.00
R. A. Pope, Clerk. Making returns and mileage	5.90
PRECINCT NO. 18.	
C. H. Williams, Judge. Making returns and mileage	5.60
L. C. Day, Judge	2.00
Looy King, Judge	2.00
H. J. Harness, Clerk	2.00
John Greenan, Clerk	2.00
PRECINCT NO. 19.	
C. G. Merriell, Judge	2.00
F. N. Gilmore, Judge	2.00
H. D. Carpenter, Judge	2.00
B. F. Walden, Clerk	2.00
F. P. Rice, Clerk. Making returns and mileage	5.00
PRECINCT NO. 20.	
H. A. Northrup, Judge. Making returns and mileage	6.40
T. J. Baldwin, Judge	2.00
William Gilmore, Judge	2.00
L. A. Freeman, Clerk	2.00
H. B. Thomas, Clerk	2.00

On motion the board adjourned to Tuesday, July 2, at 10 o'clock a. m.

C. G. HUNTLEY, County Auditor.

Epoch.

The transition from ~~old~~ lingering and painful sickness to robust health marks an epoch in the life of the individual. Such a remarkable event is treasured in the memory and the agency whereby the good health has been attained is gratefully blessed. Hence it is that so much is heard in praise of Electric Bitters. So many feel they owe their restoration to health, to the use of the great alterative and tonic. If you are troubled with any disease of kidneys, liver and stomach, of long or short standing, you will surely find relief by use of Electric Bitters. Sold at 50 cents and \$1 per bottle at Wamberg & Jacobson's drug-store.

Their Business Booming.

Probably no one thing has caused such a general revival of trade at Wamberg & Jacobson's drug store as their giving away to their customers of so many free trial bottles of Dr. King's new discovery for consumption. Their trade is simply enormous in this very valuable article from the fact that it always cures and never disappoints. Coughs, colds, asthma, bronchitis, croup and all throat and lung diseases quickly cured. You can test it by getting a trial bottle free, large size \$1. Every bottle warranted.

Sunday School Convention.

The Steele County Sunday School association will hold its first annual convention at Hope, July 9th-11th. All Sunday school workers and those interested in Sunday school work in the county are cordially invited to be present. Further announcements will follow.

Consumption Surely Cured.

To the Editor—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy free to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and postoffice address. Respectfully, T. A. SLOCUM, M. C., 181 Pearl st., New York.

Wanted.

A good girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. C. G. MERRILL.

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Advice to Mothers.

Mrs. Winslow's soothing syrup, for children teething, is the prescription of one of the best female nurses and physicians in the United States, and has been used for forty years with never-failing success by millions of mothers for their children. During the process of teething its value is incalculable. It relieves the child from pain, cures dysentery and diarrhea, griping in the bowels, and wind colic. By giving health to the child it rests the mother. Price, 25 cents a bottle.