COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

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

(Continued from last week)
Sherbrooke, N. D., April 4, 1898.

Ward Bros., one-half cord maple wood for Mrs. Cyris, pauper.. $ 3 65
R R Fisher, sundry shoe repairing for Mrs. Cyrus, pauper, from June 7, 1895 to Oct. 25, 1897........ 6 00
S H Nelson, cash advanced Laor King for keeping of Mrs. Cyris months of February and March 1898........ 40 00
D W Ryder, conveying Mike Burke, sick pauper to Hillsboro hospital........ 6 50
L N Wood, wood and coal furnished Mrs. Cyris, pauper.... 8 60
Leonard Verwest, one-half cord maple wood and 1,050 lbs soft coal for Hans Borstad, pauper........ 6 45
A K Cochrane, groceries and supplies furnished Hans Borstad, pauper........ 15 21
Thompson & Patterson, groceries and supplies furnished Hans Borstad, pauper........ 14 64
Leonard Verwest, 1,030 lbs soft coal and one-half cord of maple wood for Hans Borstad, pauper........ 6 10

On motion the report of board of insanity in the case of John J. Erstad, Jr., insane, was approved, and fees ordered paid by warrants, viz:

Samuel L. Linn, sheriff's fees.. $ 6 25
W I Warrey, county judge's fees........ 5 35
George Murray, per diem as member of poor board....... 2 00
Dr W H M Philip, per diem, milage and examining patient 9 00

On motion the justice report of M. C. Pressly for the quarter ending March 31, 1898, was approved and fees ordered paid by warrants:

M C Pressly, justice fees case state vs Casey Foster........ $ 6 00
Geo A Warner, deputy sheriff's fees,........ 7 20
H S Curry, witness fees........ 1 80
W H Furlong, " 1 70
R L Furlong, " 1 70

On motion the report of Charles G. Boise, justice of the peace for quarter ending March 31, 1898, was approved and fees ordered paid by warrants:

Charles G Boise, justice fees case state vs Nyre........ $ 8 10
Samuel L Linn, sheriff's fees... 16 00
Nels Ronning, witness fees..... 2 80
Claus M Olson, " 2 80
Samuel L Linn, " 1 00
Charles G Boise, justice fees case state vs D. B. Vale....... $ 7 00
Samuel L Linn, sheriff's fees... 23 80
H G Otis, witness fees......... 1 00
George Murry, " 1 00

On motion the monthly reports of fees deposited by the clerk of the district court for the quarter ending March 31, 1898, were approved.

On motion the monthly reports of fees by the register of deeds for the quarter ending March 31, 1898, were approved.

On motion the bills for salary of officers on which warrants have been drawn for quarter ending March 31, 1898, were approved as follows:

S H Nelson, treasurer's salary.. $345 00
P H Gilbertson, clerk of court's salary........ 150 00
W I Warrey, county judge's salary........ 140 00
George Murray, states attorneys salary........ 125 00
W H Butler, county superintendent's salary........ 262 50
C G Boise, county auditor's salary........ 340 96
Oscar Barrett, register of deed's salary........ 386 10
Fred Bently, deputy register of deeds' salary February and March........ 66 67

On motion the following bills were ordered paid by warrants:

P. H Gilbertson, services as clerk treasurer' office........ 50 00
T G Anderson, services as clerk auditor's office January..... 52 00
T G Anderson, services as clerk auditor's office February..... 48 00
T G Anderson, services as clerk auditor's office March........ 12 00
W I Warrey, cash advanced postage $2.75, one doz spittoons, kerosene and door locks, furnished county building $13.55, total........ 16 86
H J Rindy, drawing lumber and piling for Hallingstad bridge was ordered paid from the road and bridge fund........ 16 00
W H Butler, cash advanced for Edison mimeograph........ 20 00
W H Butler, cash advanced for postage and telephone....... 3 50
W H Butler, milage for quarter ending March 31, 1898....... 45 36
Laor King, commissioner's per diem and mileage........ 20 75
G O Johnson, commissioner's per diem and mileage........ 8 40
H J Rindy, commissioner's per diem and mileage........ 24 20
O W Williams, commissioner's per diem and mileage........ 7 60
R B Cochrane, commissioner's per diem and mileage........ 15 60

On motion the board adjourned to April 11, 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Attest:

CHARLES G. BOISE,
County Auditor.

Notice to Bridge Builders and Dealers in Bridge Supplies.

State of North Dakota, } ss.
County of Steele. }

Sealed proposals will be received by the board of county commissioners of Steele county, at the office of the county auditor, at Sherbrooke, N. D., up to 2 o'clock p. m., on

Saturday, May 7, 1898,

for building the following bridges in Steele county, viz:

1st. A 32-foot pile bridge across a branch of Goose river, [illegible] 23 and 26, Sherbrooke [illegible]

2d. A 38-foot pile bridge acro[ss] coulie between sections 27 and 2[illegible] way township.

3d. A 46 foot pile bridge across coulie between sections 31 and 32, N[illegible] way township.

4th. A 31-foot pile bridge across t[he] coulie between sections 17 and 18, Golden Lake township.

5th. A 46 foot pile bridge across t[he] coulie between sections 31, Golden [Lake] township and 6, in Sherbrooke to[wn]ship.

6th. A 40-foot pile bridge a[cross] Goose river between sections 6, [illegible] rose township, and 1, in Sherbrooke township.

7th. A 46 foot pile bridge across Little Forks of Goose river, between sections 32 and 33, Newburgh township.

8th. A 80-foot pile bridge across Goose river between sections 26 and 27, Enger township.

Bids will be received at the same time and place for lumber and hardware, to be used in the construction of said bridges, and for haulin[g] [illegible] material from the stations wher[e] [illegible] is delivered, to the places [wh]ere said bridges are to be built. Or said bids may be made for furnishing material, and placing bridges on sites in a complete condition.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the county auditor.

The lumber for bridges 1, 6 and 8, to be delivered at Portland, for bridges 2, 3 and 7, at Hatton and for bridges 4 and 5, at Finley.

The county will furnish a pile driver for the convenience of successful bidders who are not supplied.

Contractors will be required to give good and sufficient bonds for the faithful performance of their contracts.

All binds for furnishing material, delivering the same and construction of bridges, must specify the amount of the bid for each particular bridge.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of board.

Dated at Sherbrooke, N. D., April 12, 1898.

CHARLES G. BOISE,
[SEAL.] County Auditor.

Noxious Weed Notice.

State of North Dakota, }
County of Steele, } ss.
Office of Auditor. }

Notice is hereby given, that at a regular meeting of the board of county commissioners within and for the county of Steele, and state of North Dakota, held on the 4th day of April, A. D. 1898, the following resolution was adopted:

"In accordance with chapter 103, of the session laws of 1897, and section 1684, of the revised codes of 1895, of the state of North Dakota,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, That each person shall destroy upon all lands in Steele county, which he or she shall own or occupy, all weeds known as Canada thistle, cocklebur, mustard, wild oats, French weed and Russian cactus. Said weeds shall be destroyed either by pulling or burning the same; or by any other method that shall completely destroy said weeds and prevent them from going to seed.

The time for destroying said weeds shall be: For Canada thistle, cocklebur, mustard and wild oats, between the first day of June and the first day of July, 1898, and for French weed and Russian cactus, between the first day of June and the first day of October, 1898.

The county auditor is hereby instructed to publish notices of the time and manner of destroying such weeds in the Steele County Tribune, Hope Pioneer and the Finley Golden Slope, for two consecutive weeks, and said last publication being made at least two weeks prior to said first day of June, 1898, and also to mail printed copies of sections 1684, 1685 and 1686, of the political code, and chapter 103 of the session laws of 1897, and of this resolution, to the chairman of each township board of supervisors and each overseer of highways in the county, as provided in said law.

Dated Sherbrooke, N. D., April 15, A. D. 1898.

CHARLES G. BOISE,
[SEAL.] County Auditor.

Obituary.

Clara Edith Newell. After an illness of about three weeks duration the above beloved daughter of Thos. and Mrs. Newell who was born May 13, 1882, fell asleep in Jesus, at the family residence, at 8 o'clock p. m., Easter Sunday, April 10, 1898.

The funeral services were held on Tuesday, April 12, in the Congregational church. A large number of friends being present to offer sympathy and consolation to the bereaved.

"But the sad conflict's past,—'tis o'er;
That gentle bosom throbs no more!
The spirit's freed,—through realms of light
Faith's eagle-glance persues her flight
To other worlds, to happier skies;
Hope dries the tear which sorrow weepeth
No mortal sound, the voice which cries,
'The damsel is not dead, but sleepeth.'"

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