Commissioners Proceedings.

Sherbrooke, N. D., July 9, 1908.

The Board of County Commissioners reconvened at 9 o'clock a. m. All members present. Minutes of the meeting of July 8th, 1908, read and on motion approved. As a County Board of Review and Equalization, the following oath was administered to the several members of the board:

State of North Dakota, County of Steele—ss.

I, Frank Gray, Ole N. Grefsheim, K. S. Sulland, K. A. Johnson and J. B. Oxton, being duly sworn, each for himself doth say: That I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of North Dakota; that I will fairly and impartially perform the duties as a member of the County Board of Review and Equalization for the County of Steele, State of North Dakota, for the year 1908, so help me God.

Signed—

Frank Gray,
J. B. Oxton,
K. S. Sulland,
K. A. Johnson,
Ole N. Grefsheim.
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July, 1908.

S. McPherson,
County Auditor.

On motion Frank Gray was chosen chairman of the Board of Review and Equalization. For the purpose of equalization, the average value of horses one year old, was on motion placed at $14, and increased and decreased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Newburgh 2 per cent, Enger 15 per cent, Finley 4 per cent, Franklin 18 per cent. Decreased—Sharon 1 per cent, Melrose 9 per cent, Riverside 1 per cent, and Carpenter 1 per cent. No change made in Beaver Creek, Westfield, Golden Lake, Primrose, Sherbrooke, Easton, Greenview, Edendale, Hugo, Broadlawn, Colgate, Willow Lake, Hope city and Finley village.

The average value of horses three years old and over, was on motion, placed at $34, and increased and decreased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Sharon 2 per cent, Enger 6 per cent, Franklin 6 per cent, Primrose 6 per cent, Edendale 4 per cent, Broadlawn 3 per cent, Colgate 1 per cent, Hope city 11 per cent, and Finley village 7 per cent. Decreased—Golden Lake 4 per cent, Hugo 1 per cent, Riverside 1 per cent, Carpenter 3 per cent. No change made in Newburgh, Beaver Creek, Westfield, Finley, Sherbrooke, Easton Greenview, Melrose and Willow Lake.

The average value of stallions kept for service was on motion placed at $150, and increased and decreased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Newburgh 50 per cent, Westfield 30 per cent, Finley 34 per cent, Easton 100 per cent, Broadlawn 9 per cent, Hope city 20 per cent. Decreased—Sherbrooke 33 1-3 per cent. No change made in Beaver Creek, Primrose, Colgate and Carpenter.

The average value of cattle one year old was on motion placed at $4, and increased and decreased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Newburgh 5 per cent, Enger 33 1-3 per cent, Sherbrooke 3 per cent. Decreased—Melrose 2 per cent, Broadlawn 20 per cent. No change made in the other assessment districts.

The average value of cattle two years old was on motion placed at $7, and increased and decreased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Finley village 17 per cent. Decreased—Newburgh 8 per cent, Beaver Creek 12 per cent, Westfield 12 per cent, Sharon 12 per cent Enger 3 per cent, Golden Lake 12 per cent Finley 12 per cent, Franklin 12 per cent, Sherbrooke 12 per cent, Easton 12 per cent, Greenview 12 per cent, Edendale 12 per cent, Hugo 12 per cent, Melrose 3 per cent, Riverside 12 per cent, Colgate 12 per cent, Willow Lake 12 per cent. No change made in Primrose, Broadlawn and Carpenter.

The average value of cows three years old and over was on motion placed at $10, and increased and decreased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Franklin 11 per cent, Broadlawn 11 per cent, and Colgate 7 per cent. Decreased—Golden Lake 5 per cent. No change made in the other assessment districts.

The average value of all other cattle three years old and over, was on motion placed at $15, and increased in various assessment districts by the following per centum: Newburgh 25 per cent, Westfield 3 per cent, Sharon 20 per cent, Enger 25 per cent, Golden Lake 7 per cent, Finley 257 per cent, Franklin 12 per cent, Primrose 25 per cent, Greenview 35 per cent, Edendale 4 per cent, Melrose 10 per cent, Willow Lake 50 per cent. No change made in the other assessment districts.

The average value of mules and asses one year old was on motion fixed at $14, and increased in Broadlawn 17 per cent. No change made in Beaver Creek.

The average value of mules and asses two years old was on motion fixed at $20, and increased in Franklin 18 per cent. No change made in the other assessment districts.

The average value of mules and asses three years old and over was on motion fixed at $34, and increased and decreased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Westfield 1 per cent, Enger 3 per cent, Primrose 4 per cent, Edendale 5 per cent, Colgate 6 per cent. Decreased—Sherbrooke 1 per cent and Finley village 9 per cent. No change made in the other assessment districts.

The average value of sheep was on motion fixed at $1, and decreased in the various assessment districts by the following per centum: Golden Lake 33 1-3 per cent, Hugo 30 per cent, Melrose 47 per cent, Broadlawn 100 per cent, Carpenter 33 1-3 per cent. No change made in the other assessment districts.

The average value of hogs was on motion fixed at $2, and increased and decreased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Sharon 30 per cent, Enger 30 per cent, Hope city 50 per cent, Edendale 7 per cent Willow Lake 31 per cent, and Finley village 60 per cent. Decreased—Newburgh 33 1-3 per cent, Beaver Creek 30 per cent, Westfield 33 1-3 per cent, Franklin 14 per cent, Sherbrooke 9 per cent, Greenview 18 per cent, Hugo 7 per cent, Melrose 22 per cent, Riverside 33 1-3 per cent, Broadlawn 33 1-3 per cent, Colgate 34 per cent. No change made in the other assessment districts.

The average value of sleighs and sleds was on motion placed at $5, and increased and decreased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Newburgh 25 per cent, Sharon 15 per cent Primrose 18 per cent. Decreased—Hope city 33 1-3 per cent, and Finley village 5 per cent. No change made in the other assessment districts.

The average value of wagons, carriages and other wheeled vehicles was on motion placed at $10, and increased and decreased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Newburgh 37 per cent, Westfield 10 per cent, Sharon 27 per cent, Enger 16 per cent. Franklin 2 per cent, Sherbrooke 5 per cent, Greenview 8 per cent, Finley village 5 per cent. Decreased—Golden Lake 2 per cent, Hugo 1 per cent, Melrose 3 per cent, Riverside 12 per cent, Colgate 1 per cent, Carpenter 2 per cent, Hope city 19 per cent. No change made in the other assessment districts.

No change made in the assessed value of musical instruments.

The average value of melodeons, organs and other musical instruments was on motion fixed at $10, and increased and decreased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Newburgh 18 per cent, Sharon 30 per cent, Enger 70 per cent, Finley 17 per cent, Franklin 7 per cent, Greenview 23 per cent, Melrose 15 per cent, Colgate 11 per cent, Carpenter 66 per cent. Decreased—Beaver Creek 3 per cent, Hope city 20 per cent. No change made in the other assessment districts.

On motion adjournment was taken until 1:30 p. m. same day.

Afternoon Session.

The Board of Review and Equalization reconvened at 1:30 p. m. All members present.

The average value of pianos was on motion placed at $50, and increased and decreased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Beaver Creek 100 per cent, Sharon 20 per cent, Enger 25 per cent, Franklin 20 per cent, Broadlawn 25 per cent, Willow Lake 15 per cent. Decreased—Newburgh 10 per cent, Westfield 17 per cent, Sherbrooke 1 per cent, Easton 17 per cent. Hugo 14 per cent, Melrose 17 per cent Carpenter 17 per cent, Finley village 11 per cent. No change made in the other assessment districts.

The valuation of household goods was on motion increased and decreased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Newburgh 50 per cent, Beaver Creek 32 per cent, Westfield 100 per cent, Enger 40 per cent, Golden Lake 60 per cent, Finley 30 per cent, Franklin 60 per cent, Primrose 20 per cent, Easton 40 per cent, Greenview 25 per cent, Melrose 25 per cent, Riverside 10 per cent, Broadlawn 75 per cent, Carpenter 25 per cent, Willow Lake 25 per cent, Hope city 10 per cent. Decreased—Sharon 10 per cent. Colgate 15 per cent. No change made in the other assessment districts.

G. K. Jordett appeared before the board and was heard with regard to the assessment of his personal property.

On motion it was ordered that the assessment of 12 wagons against G. K. Jordett in Finley village be stricken from the assessment roll account, the same property being assessed in another district. On motion it was ordered that the assessment of G. K. Jordett in Sherbrooke township of horses three years old and over be reduced to 32 head at an average value of $34 each, and agricultural tools and implements reduced to the value of $195.

On motion adjournment was taken until 9 o'clock a. m. July 10th, 1908.

S. McPherson,
County Auditor.

Sherbrooke, N. D., July 10, 1908.

The Board of Review and Equalization reconvened at 9 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment. Present: Greefsheim, Sulland, Johnson and Oxton. In the absence of the chairman, K. S. Sulland was chosen temporary chairman. Minutes of the meeting of July 9th, 1908, read and on motion approved. Frank Gray having arrived he took his seat as chairman of the Board of Review and Equalization.

The average value of agriculture tools and implements was on motion fixed at $6, and increased and decreased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Newburgh 49 per cent, Beaver Creek 34 per cent, Westfield 33 1-3 per cent, Sharon 12 per cent, Enger 8 per cent, Golden Lake 30 per cent, Finley 25 per cent, Franklin 135 per cent, Sherbrooke 12 per cent, Greenview 90 per cent, Edendale 35 per cent, Melrose 37 per cent, Colgate 8 per cent, Willow Lake 50 per cent. Decreased—Primrose 7 per cent, Easton 3 per cent, Hugo 19 per cent, Riverside 15 per cent, Broadlawn 1 per cent, Carpenter 2 per cent.

The average value of separator and horse powers was on motion fixed at $100, and increased and decreased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Newburgh 50 per cent, Westfield 19 per cent, Enger 25 per cent, Golden Lake 9 per cent, Finley 11 per cent, Franklin 63 per cent, Primrose 17 per cent, Easton 24 per cent, Greenview 65 per cent, Edendale 14 per cent, Melrose 7 per cent, Riverside 33 1-3 per cent, Broadlawn 14 per cent, Hope city 100 per cent, Finley village 17 per cent. Decreased—Beaver Creek 3 per cent, Sharon 15 per cent, Sherbrooke 17 per cent, Hugo 15 per cent Colgate 8 per cent. No change made in Carpenter and Willow Lake.

On motion adjournment was taken until 1 p. m. same day.

Afternoon Session.

The Board of Review and Equalization reconvened at 1 p. m. All members present.

The average value of engines and boilers was on motion fixed at $200, and increased and decreased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Newburgh 30 per cent, Westfield 7 per cent, Enger 27 per cent, Golden Lake 24 per cent, Finley 6 per cent, Franklin 152 per cent Primrose 12 per cent, Sherbrooke 5 per cent, Easton 27 per cent, Greenview 73 per cent, Edendale 100 per cent, Melrose 4 per cent, Riverside 4 per cent, Carpenter 27 per cent, Broadlawn 14 per cent, Finley village 25 per cent. Decreased—Sharon 19 per cent, Hugo 12 per cent. No change made in Beaver Creek and Willow Creek.

No change made in the assessed valuation of diamonds, watches and jewelry, goods and merchandise, manufactured materials and manufactured articles, manufacturers' tools, implements and machinery, moneys other than those in banks and brokers, credits other than that of bankers or brokers.

On motion the assessed value of bank stock was fixed at 40 per cent of the net valuation for each bank.

On motion it was ordered that the assessment of 10 shares of bank stock against A. Gilbertson, Finley township, be stricken from said assessment roll account the same being assessed in Sharon township.

No change made in the assessed valuation of shares of capital stock in foreign companies; furniture of sample rooms, lunch counters, etc.

On motion the assessed valuation of elevators in Sharon township was increased 20 per cent, and in Hope city decreased 15 per cent. No change made in Easton, Melrose, Colgate and Finley village.

On motion the assessed valuation of structures on farm land was increased and decreased in the various assessment districts by the following per centum: Increased—Newburgh, 30 per cent, Westfield 5 per cent, Sharon 12 per cent, Enger 30 per cent, Franklin 25 per cent, Primrose 20 per cent, Easton 4 per cent, Riverside 5 per cent, Colgate 7 per cent, Willow Lake 105 per cent. Decreased—Bever Creek 10 per cent. No change made in the other assessment districts.

No change made in the assessed valuation of structures on town lots.

No change made in the assessed valuation of town or city lots exclusive of structures.

The assessed valuation of land exclusive of structures was on motion increased in the several assessment districts by the following per centum: Newburgh 5 per cent, Beaver Creek 22 per cent, Enger 27 per cent, Golden Lake 20 per cent, Finley 5 per cent, Franklin 14 per cent, Primrose 24 per cent, Greenview 5 per cent, Edendale 17 per cent, Hugo 5 per cent, Riverside 5 per cent, unplatted portion of City of Hope 20 per cent, unplatted portion Finley village 20 per cent. No change made in Westfield, Sharon Sherbrooke, Easton, Melrose, Broadlawn, Colgate Carpenter and Willow Lake.

On motion the Board adjourned until 9 o'clock a. m. July 11th 1908.

S. McPherson,
County Auditor.

Sherbrooke, N. D., July 11, 1908.

The Board of Review and Equalization reconvened at 9 o'clock a. m. All members present. Minutes of the meeting of July 10th, 1908, read and on motion approved.

Sleighs and sleds not having been assessed in Broadlawn township on motion it was ordered that the same be placed upon Broadlawn assessment roll, at a value of $5 each, as per following list furnished by the assessor: Paul P. Satrom, 1; A. P. Satrom, 1; Satrom Bros., 1; J. L. Jones, 1; Nick Pitzen, 1; Henry Plaine 1; Geo. Wilcox 1; Nick L. Prend, 1.

On motion it was ordered that the following individuals be assessed in the several assessment districts for automobiles as follows: the same having been omitted by the assessor: Ivor I. Selm, Finley village 1, value $1400; Ole Dahl, Beaver Creek, 1 value $75; B. T. Kraabel, City of Hope, 1, value $100; Brown-Danskin Co., City of Hope, 1, value $100.

On motion it was ordered that Albert Sigmund, Enger township be assessed for one stallion valued at $150, and that E. M. Fuller of City of Hope be assessed for one-half interest in one stallion to the value of $75, account the same not having been assessed.

On motion adjournment was taken until 1 p. m. same day.

Afternoon Session.

The Board of Review and Equalization reconvened at 1 p. m. All members present.

The board having evidence that a number of bushels of grain owned by various individuals had not been assessed in several of the assessment districts, it was on motion ordered placed upon the assessment rolls as follows: Sharon township, Geo. Combs, 235 bushels wheat, Ole Nerdal, 528 bushels wheat; J. E. Blegeberg, 302 bushels wheat; John Vig, 390 bushels wheat; John Kellior, 264 bushels wheat; A. Halland, 380 bushels flax. Beaver Creek—O. H. Windlos, 445 bushels flax. Westfield—Iver K. Bakke, 1369 bushels wheat, and 1452 bushels flax; T. A. Bergan, 800 bushels wheat; John O. Jensen, 913 bushels flax; Margaret Brunsdale, 235 bushels wheat and 433 bushels flax; Ole Hefta, 280 bushels wheat and 319 bushels flax; D. Savage, 486 bushels wheat; O. Rockney, 1567 bushels wheat; Andrew Siveson, 541 bushels wheat and 202 bushels flax; Andrew Edgar Long, 850 bushels wheat; Oscar Swanson, 594 bushels wheat. Golden Lake—Berge Bros., 340 bushels wheat and 299 bushels flax. Greenview—W. W. Archer, 600 bushels flax. Sherbrooke—B. E. Baldwin, 1000 bushels wheat; O. H. Stavens, 1000 bushels wheat; R. E. Anderson, 1000 bushels wheat; T. G. Anderson, 500 bushels wheat; Geo. Murray, 1000 bushels wheat and 500 bushels flax.

Minutes of the meeting of July 11th, 1908, read and on motion approved.

On motion the Board of Review and Equalization adjourned and the members met as a regular board of county commissioners. All members present.

On motion duly seconded and carried, the following sums of money were voted to be raised upon the taxable poperty of the county for the current fiscal year:

For county general fund, six-teen thousand dollars	$16,000.00
For bridge fund, seven thousand dollars	7,000.00
For care of patients at state hospital for insane, one thousand dollars	1,000.00
For emergency fund, three thousand seven hundred dollars	3,700.00

The above levy being based upon the following itemized statement of expenditures for the ensuing year, outstanding indebtedness consisting of warrants uncalled for and probable revenue to be derived from the penalty and interest fund and other miscellaneous sources:

Auditor's salary	$ 1,600.00
Sate's attorney's salary	1,200.00
County supt. salary and mileage	1,371.60
Sheriff, deputy and bailiff's fees	114.00
County judge's salary	623.15
County treasurer's salary	1,103.39
Coroner	1,600.00
County physician's salary	163.15
Janitor's salary	625.00
Register of deeds, salary	1,100.00
Treasurer's clerk hire	1,600.00
Register of deeds, clerk hire	351.86
Auditor's clerk hire	720.00
Board of health	344.33
County commissioners per per diem and mileage	415.97
District court expenses	673.45
Attorneys appointed by the court	1,746.30
Justice court expenses	300.00
Books, stationery and supplies	391.30
Printing and advertising	1,729.52
Light, fuel and repairs for county building	643.65
Care of county poor	532.85
Board of insanity expenses	1,386.38
Bridges and roads	74.90
Board of prisoners	10,066.66
Wolf bounties	33.90
Teachers' institute	28.00
Filing fees returned to candidates	215.00
Miscellaneous	497.80
	272.14
Total	$31,324.30

Outstanding warrants uncalled for, $50.90.

Probable revenue to be derived from the penalty and interest fund and other miscellaneous sources, $6,000.00.

Frank Gray presented treasurer's receipt for $15, and made report of the sale of old bridge lumber for the said amount.

K. A. Johnson presented treasurer's receipt for $10, and made report of the sale of old bridge lumber for the said amount.

The clerk of court having made requisition for 50 jurors to complete the jury list, they were on motion appointed to be drawn from the various townships, incorporated villages and cities as follows: Newburgh 3, Beaver Creek 2, Westfield 2, Sharon 3, Enger 2 Golden Lake 2, Finley 2, Franklin 2, Primrose 2, Sherbrooke 2, Easton 2, Greenview 2, Edendale 2, Hugo 2, Melrose 2, Riverside 2, Broadlawn 2, Colgate 3, Carpenter 2, Willow Lake 2, Hope City 4, Finley village 3.

Motion made seconded and carried, that the contract for furnishing coal for county with 24 tons hard nut coal be given to A. M. McLaughlin at $9.05 per ton delivered at Pickert siding.

The justice report of H. J. Harness for quarter ending June 30th, 1908, was on motion approved; all fees and costs having been paid from fine collected.

The petition for an appropriation for grading on line between sections 1 and 2 Carpenter twp. was on motion tabled temporarily.

The report of the state's attorney of investigations of the violations of the prohibition law was on motion approved and fees ordered paid as follows:

Andrew Thumm, witness	$ 2.10
Swen Swenson, witness	2.10
D. Jaguest, witness	2.10
Iver Stordahl, witness	2.10
Herman Selss, witness	2.10
Nels Vossetelg, witness	2.80
John Gjerstad, witness	2.10
W. Mandley, sheriff	26.A.

Petitions for the removal of the county seat having been presented and found sufficient, having been signed by the required number of electors, upon motion duly seconded and carried, it was ordered that the question of removal of the county seat be submitted to a vote of the electors at the next general election to be held November 3rd, 1908, and the auditor directed to publish and post notices.

On motion the auditor was authorized and instructed to draw warrant for $1500.00 in favor of the Fargo Bridge & Iron Co., as part payment of bridge contracts.

Bills were on motion allowed as follows:

A. G. Miller, mileage visiting schools and attending superintendents meeting at Bismack	$81.80
S. McPherson, cash advanced for express, cartage and supplies for court house	19.50
Walker Bros. & Hardy, books	8.20
K. A. Johnson, board of Ole Hanson county charge	20.00
Westfield township, balance of appropriation for grading Strand Hill	42.00
Hilda Rindy, scrubbing and cleaning county offices	6.00
J. O. Collins, scrubbing and cleaning court room, sheriff's office and jail	6.00
Adam S. Moote, carpenter work around court house and postage	3.00
H. J. Rindy, cash advanced for postage	3.80
Frank Gray, on poor board and mileage	5.50
Frank Gray, com. per diem, inspecting bridge and grade sites and mileage	43.55
Ole N. Grefsheim, on poor board and mileage and cash advanced county poor	6.25
Ole N. Grefsheim, com. per diem, inspecting bridge and grade sites and mileage	36.30
K. S. Sulland, com. per diem, in specting bridge and grade sites and mileage	31.25
K. A. Johnson, com. per diem, inspecting bridge and grade sites and mileage	21.75
J. B. Oxton, on poor board and mileage	2.60
J. B. Oxton, com. per diem, inspecting bridge and grade sites and mileage	36.55

On motion the board adjourned.

S. McPherson,
County Audior.

INDICT CHICAGO ATTORNEY

R. E. CANTWELL AND OTHERS ACCUSED OF CONSPIRACY.

Illegal Act Injurious to Public Safety Charged Against Figures in a Murder Trial.

Chicago, July 13.—The grand jury Friday returned a joint indictment against Attorney Robert E. Cantwell, H. H. Stridiron and John S. Meissand, charging them with conspiracy to do an illegal act injurious to public administration of justice. Two more indictments charging perjury are expected to be returned by the body. They will probably be against Stridiron and Meissand. The indictment of the lawyer and the two others was a result of the Chinese murder trial, in which the defendants, Hip Lung, a wealthy and influential Chinaman, his brother, Hoy Dong Hoy, and Harry Lee were acquitted of killing Chin Wai, who was shot 13 times last October.

During the trial Stridiron and Meissand took the stand for the defendants and swore that they were witnesses to the shooting and positively declared that Harry Lee, who was identified by one witness for the state as the man who had done the shooting, was not the murderer. Later it developed that Stridiron and Attorney Cantwell were in Wisconsin with a a baseball party, the guests of Charles A. Comiskey, on the night of the shooting, October 16, 1907.

Stridiron was well known among the Chinese in Clark street, and it was he, it is charged, that got Attorney Cantwell in the case. While on the witness stand Stridiron was extremely nervous and was asked by the state's attorney whether he had not told two men in a Clark street saloon that he was going to get $300 for the job. The witness explained that he had made such a remark, but that the money was coming from a man for whom he had done some work.

CLEVELAND, O., BANK ASSIGNS.

Fun Closes Doors and Later the Company Files Deed in Court.

Cleveland, O., July 13.—Owing to a run that gradually declined its vault of currency the Farmers & Merchants Banking Company, at No. 3237 West Twenty-fifth street, failed to open its doors Friday. Later a deed of assignment was filed in the insolvency court and Edward S. Spurney was appointed receiver. The bank was capitalized at $100,000. The assets and liabilities are each estimated to be about $500,000. The run upon the bank started in a small way two months ago when two or three of the smaller banks failed here. The bank could not realize up on its securities and as a result it was decided to close the doors. It is said the securities, when realized upon will be sufficient to pay all depositors in full.

The Oldest City.

The oldest historical mention of Jerusalem is in the Tel el-Amarna tablets, about 1400 B. C., while Damascus is mentioned in Gen. 14:15, as existing 1913 B. C., and appears even then to have been a place of considerable note. Beyond a doubt the romantic Syrian city is the oldest place on earth with a continuous history.—New York American.

Misers.

There is a perpetual frost in the pockets of some rich people, as soon as they put their hands into them they are frozen so they cannot draw out their purses. Had I my way, I would hang all misers; but reversing the common mode, I would hang them up by the heels, that their money might run out of their pockets.—Rowland Hill.

A Fortunate Man.

One day a young matron to the man at the place did go, where she bought a oyster plant, then set it out to grow. Said she: "Next winter we'll have oysters, fresh oysters every day, and what a saving it will be, with not a cent to pay. Oh, but hubby should be thankful it was his lot in life to get such a saving woman for his own little wife."

Lavender Water as Disinfectant.

According to a great French chemist the free use of lavender water by those who nurse contagious diseases will greatly lessen the danger of infection. It is certainly a more agreeable disinfectant than most of those in common use and gives a fresh, clean odor to a sickroom that is very agreeable.