Commissoners' Proceedings .

Convened November 1, at 9 a. m., in accordance with adjournment.

Present, Commissioners Cooper and

On motion adjourned till 2 p. m. Convened at 2 p. m.

Full board present, Com. Cooper presiding.

Bids for building bridge across Sheyenne river, on sec. 36, tp 148, r 59 were opened and found to be as follows, viz: Bid of Nathan Sifton:

For driving piles, \$5.90 each, cash; orders, \$6.50.

Building span, \$5.90 cents per lineal

foot, cash; orders, \$6.50. Building approaches, \$4.75 per lineal

foot; orders, \$5.95. Hauling material from Cooperstown,

in county orders, \$125. Bid of A. Moffat:

For building bridge, cash, \$1,150; in

orders, \$1,437,50

Bid of J. M. Melville:

For truss work, \$6 per lineal foot. For approaches, \$5 per lineal foot.

For driving piles, \$5 each. For hauling material to site, \$125.

Bid of Knud Thompson: For building span across river at \$7

per lineal foot, cash. For building approaches, \$6 per foot,

For driving piles, \$7 per lineal foot cash. If pile driver is furnished by the county a rebate of \$2 per pile will be

made to the county. Hadling all material from Coopers town, \$100. One fourth to be added to above prices if paid in county orders.

On motion ordered that the bid of Nathan Sifton for building said bridge be accepted on the county order basis.

On motion ordered that the chairman be authorized to enter immediately into contract with Nathan Sifton, according to specifications furnished by F. B. Edwards, and that said Sifton be required the chairman for the faithful completion of said work before December 15, 1884.

On motion ordered that a bridge be built across the creek on section 22, tp. 148, r. 59, and that F. B. Edwards Je authorized to purchase the material and superintend the construction of the same.

On motion ordered that an abatement of taxes for the year 1883, on personal property, be granted to H. V. Safford for \$3.27, and L. W. Safjord for \$5.68, affidavits having been presented showing that the property was not subject to taxation.

On motion ordered that an abatement of school township tax for year 1883 be granted to Iver Hanson for \$4.35, he baving been assessed in townships of Wheatland instead of Garlatin.

Moffat be allowed \$1,000 on account of construction court house and jail as per estimate of F. B. Edwards, superintend-

On motion ordered that the following bills be allowed:

Pioneer Press Co,, one blank book for treasurer.....\$ 5 50

Valley City Times, publishing no-

tice to confractors, bridge..... 2 90 Andrew Johnson, sheriff's elec-

tion fees...... 64 30 N. C. Rukke, services as commis-

sioner..... 69 80 M. Crane, services as road viewer

8 00 iram Williams, services as road

Rollef Berg, services at road sur-

Adjourned till Nov. 10, 1884, at 2 p. m.

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