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Official Proceedings of County Commissioners

Alliance, Neb., Feb. 23, 1909
Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, all members present—J. M. Wanek, chairman; J. P. Jensen and Sang C. Reck.

Owing to the blizzard they were unable to get here until late, and adjourned until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock.

Alliance, Neb., Feb. 24, 1909
Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment; all members present. The following proceedings were had and done:

The petition of Clyde Whelan and fifteen others, and J. C. Blumdel and twenty others, for a public road to be laid out, commencing at the northeast corner of section 5, town 28, range 49, and running thence south between sections 4 and 5 and 8 and 9, town 28, range 49, and terminating at the southeast corner of the northwest corner of section 8, town 28, range 49. On motion of Reck and seconded by Jensen, the above petition and remonstrance are rejected.

The petition of C. A. Burlew and 36 others for a public road to be laid, commencing at the northwest corner of the southwest corner of section 10, township 28, range 49, and running thence directly south and terminating at the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of section 10, town 27, range 49. On consideration whereof the above petition is laid over until the next meeting for further consideration.

It is the order of the commissioners that the deposit required by law in the petition of C. A. Burlew et al. for road be waived, and the clerk appoint a commissioner to go and view said proposed road and report on same. In compliance with the above order, I, W. C. MOUNTS, county clerk, hereby appoint J. P. Jensen as such commissioner to view said proposed road.

To the Hon. Board of County Commissioners of Box Butte county, Nebraska: I respectfully submit the following bid for the county poor farm and for keeping the county poor for the term of one year, commencing on March 1, 1909:

For the use of the poor farm will pay said county the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars per year. I will keep the county paupers for the sum of \$3.75 per week, up and including the number of six, and for all paupers in excess of six, and for all paupers in excess of six, for the sum of \$2.50. The above bid is made on the condition that the house on said poor farm be made habitable, and I will enter into an agreement to care and keep said premises in as good condition at the time of leaving as they are at the time of entering said premises, the usual wear and inevitable accidents excepted.

CON STIRKLE.

February 23, 1909. Moved by Reck and seconded by Wanek, that the foregoing bid be accepted, and the clerk is hereby ordered to draw up contract for same according to stipulations of said bid.

The clerk is hereby ordered to buy the county supplies on the open market, wherever he can buy them the cheapest.

Whereupon the board adjourned until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock.

W. C. MOUNTS, Clerk.

Alliance, Neb., Feb. 25, 1909
Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. All members present. The following proceedings were had and done to-wit: The following claims were allowed and the clerk ordered to draw warrants on the road fund for the same:

F. McCoy, labor, \$ 6.00
C. A. Anderson, labor, 2.50
J. R. Lawrence, labor, 3.50
John Dougherty, labor, 3.50
John Workman, labor, 1.00
James B. Leith, labor, 9.00

William Mitchell being appointed by the court to defend Earl H. Turber, Joe Sirlin and Joe Price, and the court certifies that he believes the claims to be reasonable at \$100.00 in each case and is allowed by the court and signed by J. J. Harrington, district judge, the board of county commissioners waives their right and allows the warrants to be drawn on claims No. 626, 627 and 628 of William Mitchell, on the action of the District Judge.

The following claims were allowed and the clerk ordered to draw warrants on the general fund for the same:

Electric Light Co., lights, \$ 14.00
L. A. Berry, health, 14.75
F. W. Irish, 2.25
W. H. Zerung, labor, 3.00
W. D. Zerung, labor, 2.50
W. H. Zerung, labor, 4.00
C. L. Drake, board, 63.42
S. G. Tillet, grand jury, 28.00
A. F. Baldwin, grand jury, 28.00
F. M. Baker, grand jury, 28.00
F. M. Bevan, grand jury, 28.00
G. E. Leidy, grand jury, 28.00
John Herlein, grand jury, 28.00
John Reiman, grand jury, 28.00
N. S. Nelson, grand jury, 28.00
Chas. Lotzpeich, grand jury, 28.00
Frank Russell, grand jury, 28.00
Herman Frederick, grand jury, 28.00
Robert Graham, grand jury, 28.00
J. A. Hunter, grand jury, 28.00
John O'Keefe, grand jury, 28.00
Peter Brown, grand jury, 28.00
F. E. Phillips, grand jury, 28.00
H. T. Cary, grand jury, 28.00
Peter Bergam, grand jury, 28.00
Olex Vogie, grand jury, 28.00
Joe Sheldon, grand jury, 28.00
T. A. Berlew, grand jury, 28.00
E. C. McClure, grand jury, 28.00
Glen Miller, grand jury, 28.00
M. Laurson, grand jury, 28.00
John Mahin, grand jury, 28.00
S. A. Shepherd, grand jury, 28.00
Julius Aze, grand jury, 28.00
Fred Barnes, grand jury, 28.00
Fred Traubke, grand jury, 28.00

List of Claims of Jurors

Ray H. Key, 27.20
W. W. Roth, 27.20
F. W. Irish, 27.20
T. B. Barnes, 27.20
A. H. Rodgers, 27.20
A. W. Waime, 27.20
J. B. Gray, 27.20
G. W. Duncan, 27.20
James Dubon, 27.20
Peter Bergam, 27.20
F. E. Phillips, 27.20
H. T. Cary, 27.20
Peter Bergam, 27.20
Olex Vogie, 27.20
Joe Sheldon, 27.20
T. A. Berlew, 27.20
E. C. McClure, 27.20
Glen Miller, 27.20
M. Laurson, 27.20
John Mahin, 27.20
S. A. Shepherd, 27.20
Julius Aze, 27.20
Fred Barnes, 27.20
Fred Traubke, 27.20

F. B. Connor, 42.10
M. T. Kenna, 42.10
Peter Workman, 40.80
Art Kennedy, 40.80
C. A. McDaniels, 40.80
W. L. Griffiths, 40.80
James Denton, 42.10
E. Becker, 39.10
Chas. Ferguson, 36.10
W. G. Zediker, 18.20
C. J. Osborn, 14.10
D. Landrigan, 14.10
S. W. Holt, 8.10
Geo. Parker, 4.40
C. A. Benjamin, 4.18
Ed Garrett, 8.10
Bert McCool, 4.10
C. H. Vinson, 4.10
C. J. Tubbs, 4.10
Hugh Deal, 2.10
John Fitzgerald, 2.10
George Carroll, 5.00
C. J. Osborn, 4.40
W. R. Wilson, 12.40
R. C. Wright, 12.40
C. A. Petrie, 12.40
C. A. Shindler, 4.00
S. K. Blythe, 4.00
E. M. Snyder, 4.00
A. S. Koyert, 4.00
L. A. Elmer, 4.00
W. D. Johnson, 4.20
F. W. Melick, 12.20
Ham Taylor, 4.00
A. D. Millet, 12.00
Fred Aard, 4.00
Rollo Johnson, 12.40
H. H. Pierce, 4.00
Ole Moe, 4.00
Fred Hulse, 12.50
John Hughes, 12.50
Joe Whelan, 13.40
Henry Brass, 13.10
A. Baunton, 4.00
Clark Olds, 4.00
Fred Davison, 12.40
M. S. Schneider, 2.00
Chas. Brinkman, 2.00
S. B. Libby, 2.00
W. D. Johnson, 2.00
E. T. Kibbie, 2.00
C. J. Tubbs, 2.00
D. L. Bomer, 2.00
D. Landrigan, 2.00
Geo. Parker, 6.00
D. Landrigan, 6.00
H. Hopkins, 6.00
J. R. Lawrence, 2.00
J. R. Benjamin, 2.00
C. W. Hall, 2.00
John Dougherty, 6.00
L. A. Surpise, 6.00
Andy Kibbie, 6.00
S. W. Holt, 6.00
De Campbell, 2.10
A. Baunton, 7.40
E. L. Vanhook, 2.10
A. M. Miller, 2.10
W. D. Johnson, 2.10
S. B. Libby, 2.10
A. Langford, 2.10
H. Hopkins, 2.10
Mrs. Con Sterkie, work, 6.05
Kate Sterkie, guard, 28.00

List of Claims of Witnesses

F. J. Benjamin, 11.00
J. H. Lawrence, 15.00
J. H. Merritt, 4.00
John B. Hadley, 15.20
Peter Ketter, 22.50
Geo. W. Lown, 2.00
Mrs. H. M. Gager, 4.00
W. D. Johnson, 4.00
C. W. Hall, 2.00
W. F. Paugh, 2.00
Fred Countryman, 11.00
John Klemm, 4.10
Alfred Jahnske, 14.00
Cal. Johnson, 4.00
R. R. Marsh, 2.00
Harry Kreller, 1.00
Peter Ketter, 2.00
A. P. Brown, 10.00
C. A. Laing, 10.00
Jon Spill, 4.00
Peter Ketter, 4.00
Vogie Vogie, Jr., 5.00
C. W. Laing, 7.70
W. H. Harris, 4.00
C. A. Laing, 4.00
W. S. Sloan, 4.00
H. M. Hollock, 4.00
Daffron Miller, 2.00
Mrs. V. A. Baker, 4.00
Frank Vaughan, 3.40
E. H. Scott, 2.00
G. W. Nation, 2.00
W. H. Harris, 2.00
Roy Hickey, 4.00
Al Vaughn, 3.40
Fred Niekam, 3.40
Karl F. Gaudel, 1.00
Henry Loveland, 1.00
J. A. Wood, 20.00

Laurence Romer, 6.00
W. Roth, 2.00
W. M. Kendall, 52.50
E. J. Campbell, 4.00
Karl Kaidal, 42.10
J. H. Klassin, 14.00
Ed Miller, 8.50
E. T. Kibbie, 4.00
M. D. Nichols, 4.00
J. F. Drake, 10.00
E. T. Kibbie, 10.00
T. V. Richards, 14.00
W. H. Holt, 2.00
Neil Thompson, 2.00
A. E. Butler, 8.00
S. E. Klappal, 8.00
W. B. Hall, 12.00
T. H. Morris, 2.00
S. C. Boon, 2.00
H. T. Lund, 8.00
C. M. Underwood, 15.00
George Rouch, 2.00
J. J. Connor, 2.00
Joe Hills, 4.00
W. R. Wilson, 14.00
C. L. Muntz, 4.00
Mrs. Ed Ozman, 2.00
Mrs. Cassie D. Hall, 2.00
Cal Hashman, 2.00
Mrs. James Dickey, 2.00
L. A. Elmer, 2.00
H. A. Copsy, 2.00
C. O. Rosenberger, 4.00
Neil Thompson, 2.00
Jennie Woods, 2.00
F. J. Beal, 2.00
George House, 2.00
Marion Pyle, 4.00
Hornace Sharp, 2.00
W. D. Johnson, 2.00
E. J. Wilson, 6.00
B. B. Van Court, 2.00
Henry Blume, 2.00
Neil Thompson, 2.00
C. H. Murphy, 2.00
Mrs. A. D. Rodgers, 2.00
Mrs. Annie Darnell, 2.00
Lynn Cantwell, 2.00
Henry Conrad, 2.00
Clare Mewhiter, 2.00
D. W. Hayes, 2.00
W. L. McNamara, 2.00
J. O. Beiden, sheriff Morrill Co., 1.30
H. Hopkins, sheriff Lancaster Co., 1.30
E. P. Sweeney, sheriff, 1.30
Al Spear, 1.30
Ben Joy, 1.30
W. D. Johnson, 1.30
W. Hooper, 1.30
W. C. MOUNTS, clerk fees, 11.65
L. A. Beckwith, sheriff of Sheridan County, 6.20
T. J. Campbell, 6.50
Jesse Cannon, 6.50
Oscar Bush, 6.50
J. B. DeClous, 6.50
W. H. McLesse, 6.50
John J. Bennett, 6.50
W. D. Johnson, 6.50
Jack Steel, 6.50
F. Herbaugh, 6.50
Ray Boller, 6.50
F. H. Phelps, 6.50
Geo. Vonkins, 6.50
C. A. Laing, 6.50
Bert Hutchison, 6.50
Geo. Bark, 6.50
C. M. Cox, 6.50
W. C. MOUNTS, 6.50
F. E. Augustus, 6.50
G. L. Griggs, 6.50
J. L. Wiker, 6.50
T. M. Law, sheriff Morrill Co., 6.50
T. M. Law, sheriff Morrill Co., 6.50
W. C. MOUNTS, clerk fees, 28.50
F. H. Hopkins, guard, 4.00
William Roth, 4.00
C. A. Laing, 4.00
J. M. Kendall, 4.00
W. D. Johnson, 4.00
C. A. Laing, 4.00
T. M. Lawler, 4.00
Jerry Rowan, 4.00
A. F. Bairdridge, 4.00
Frank Merritt, 4.00
Mrs. Daffron Miller, 4.00
J. D. Emrick, 4.00
Mrs. B. C. Curran, 4.00
Mrs. Cassie D. Hall, 4.00
Mrs. F. E. Allen, 4.00
Mr. ... 4.00
J. V. P. Wagon, 2.10

Al Wiker, 2.10
Geo J Burke, 2.10
S. H. Desch, 2.10
E. J. Griggs, 2.10
Rev Graves, 2.10
John O'Keefe, 2.10
Rohr Birney, 2.10
E. T. Kibbie, 2.10
B. F. Gilman, 2.10
John McDonald, 2.10
Rat Randall, 2.10
W. O. Barnes, 2.10
Ev Beck, 2.10
Chas. Nelson, 2.10
Mrs. Carlon, 2.10
Mary Anderson, 2.10
Olive Wilson, 2.10
Nellie Allen, 2.10
Mrs. Nelson, 2.10
Ed Ozman, 2.10
Al Wiker, sheriff, 28.20
W. C. MOUNTS, clerk, 52.70
C. A. Laing, 2.10
F. E. Wilson, 2.10
Cal Cox, 2.10
C. A. Laing, 2.10
J. P. Jensen, 2.10
Lena Pries, 2.10
Ella Pries, 2.10
John Pries, 2.10
F. E. Wilson, 2.10
Al Wiker, sheriff, 2.10
Maudie McConnell, 2.10
Lynn Cantwell, 2.10
Al Wiker, 2.10
Arnold Geva, 2.10
E. J. Wilson, 2.10
Mrs. A. D. Rodgers, 2.10
W. C. MOUNTS, expense, 34.07
F. J. Jensen, 2.10
S. C. Reck, 2.10
J. M. Wanek, 2.10
J. P. Hazard, 2.10
Alfred Jahnske, 2.00

bers being present.

The following proceedings were had and done to-wit:

The board now takes a recess for the purpose of going out and inspecting the poor farm. The day being taken up mostly with the inspection of the poor farm, the board now adjourns until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Alliance, Neb., Feb. 27, 1909
Board of commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. All members present. The following proceedings were had and done to-wit:

The following claims were allowed and the clerk ordered to draw warrants on the general fund for the same:

John Armstrong, 6.10
C. E. Phillips, 40.80
Wm James, 45.35
Mrs. J. Lockwood, 32.60
Alliance Hospital, 15.00
J. P. Jensen, 17.40
S. C. Reck, 13.50
J. M. Wanek, 18.20
J. P. Hazard, 20.00
Alfred Jahnske, 2.00

Application of T. M. Lawler for the job of janitor and deputy sheriff for the sum of \$50.00 per month was offered.

It is moved, seconded and carried that the bid be accepted and it is so ordered.

The board having disposed of all the business coming before them, it is ordered that they adjourn until April 12, 1909.

W. C. MOUNTS, clerk.

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Alliance, Neb., Feb. 26, 1909
The board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, all mem-