

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MEET.

Regular Session of the Board of Supervisors, April, 1901.

Board met in auditor's office Thursday, April 4, 1901.

Members all present. Called to order at 9 a. m. Minutes of Wednesday, April 3rd, were read and approved.

On motion claims were allowed as follows:

J W Kelly repairs on scrapers	7 35
O G Prill merchandise for J C Christensen	5 55
J L Maurer merchandise for Sol Chase	6 30
C H Molter committee work and mileage	29 85
W W Rhodenbaugh committee work and mileage	31 50
Fred Gray committee work and mileage	28 50
H C Schroeder committee work and mileage	39 97
Chas Smith trustee	8 00
A A Conrad merchandise for farm	3 25
Frank Faulk, clerk, to costs in insane cases of J Rusterholtz	25 30
Board adjourned at 12 noon, to meet at 1 p. m.	

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Board met at 1 p. m. and allowed claims as follows:

H D Bath trustee	8 00
B H Wiggins attending assessor's meeting, etc.	4 00
A M Justice costs for jail	4 00
J J Carson assessing Paradise township, etc.	91 20
John H Meehan serving subpoenas, case State vs Saul and Malone	10 45
J L Maurer merchandise for farm	2 40
Henry Jacobsen labor Flaherty district	7 00
Wm Flaherty committee work and mileage	41 75
Highway petition No. 901, Ellis road, came up for final hearing and on motion was rejected.	

Highway petition No. 897, Buss road, came before the board for rehearing and on motion the time for payment was extended to May 1, 1901.

Highway petition No. 904, Messer road, came up for hearing and on motion was laid over until April 11, and the whole board a committee to view the same.

Board adjourned at 5 p. m. to meet Friday, April 5, at 9 a. m.

W. W. RHODENBAUGH, Chairman.

M. J. COLLINS, Auditor.

Board met in auditor's office Friday, April 5, 1901.

Members all present. Called to order at 9 a. m. Minutes of Thursday, April 4, were read and approved.

On motion claims were allowed as follows:

Stone & Temple coal for J Olson, J C Christensen, H Theodorf.	26 94
Wm Mair & Co coal for Mrs J B Croone	5 90
C Scharke merchandise for Mrs Evers	14 22
Hans Seick merchandise for Jackson, Stovall, Hays	3 00
Green Bay Lumber Co lumber Flaherty district	36 95
Stone & Temple lumber Rhodenbaugh district	21 00
Denison Bulletin job work, etc.	109 55
Dan McGrath attending assessor's meeting, etc.	3 56
Boone Blank Book Co supplies	75 08
Iowa Printing Co supplies	107 02
Stone & Temple coal for court house	70 55
M L Jones clerk job work, etc.	2 00
C Y Marshall trustee	2 00
O J Staley trustee	4 60
W J Campbell, J P transcript State vs Jackson, Stovall, Hays	53 80
Board adjourned at 12 noon, to meet at 1 p. m.	

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Board met at 1 p. m. and allowed claims as follows:

County Recorder's Report. I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that during the quarter year ending March 30, 1901, I collected as fees for recording instruments of record the aggregate sum of \$781.70.	
O. M. CRISWELL, Recorder.	
On motion report was accepted.	
County Auditor's Report. Of fees collected during January, February, March, 1901, as bonds, redemptions and transfer fees the sum of \$106.25, and deposited the same with the county treasury as shown by the receipt attached.	
M. J. COLLINS, Auditor.	
On motion report was accepted.	
Clerk Dist. Court Report. Of fees collected during January, February, March, 1901, the sum of three hundred and fifty-nine dollars (\$359.40) and deposited the same with the county treasury, as shown by the receipt attached.	
FRANK FAUL, Clerk.	
On motion report was accepted.	
On motion resignation of J. A. Miles, constable Washington township, was accepted.	
On motion of C. R. Carpenter be appointed assessor of Washington township and Martin Nehls, justice of the peace.	
On motion the following bonds were approved:	
Wm Schneider, assessor.	
C R Carpenter, " "	
I A Mains, " "	
J T Turner, justice of peace.	
Chas Shives, " "	
Ed Downey, " "	
Henry Helken, " "	
Martin Nehls, " "	
O E Shives, constable.	
W H Kirkindall, " "	
Lawrence Winans, " "	
Ed Downey, clerk.	
Sam'l Baer, " "	
E L Johnson, " "	
F R Shirliff, " "	
J W Wilkensen, " "	
Hans Lohse, " "	
C H White, " "	
E J Lane repairs at jail	2 00
W M McLennan, J P transcript State vs Meyers	17 60

Link Riddle labor Flaherty district	12 00
E Gulick J P transcript State vs Burk	6 55
G W Huntington, J P transcript, State vs Eilsen	14 53
M Coon, J P transcript, State vs Saul and Malone	12 25
W M McLennan, J P transcript State vs Ang Moller	17 55
W M McLennan, J P transcript State vs Doe & Roe	6 10
H H Klinker robe for Mrs Wilmer	4 00
W H Laub livery hire for grand jury	3 00
E F Tucker city clerk of Denison to expense of board of review for 1899	26 00
W C Rollins city clerk of Denison to expense of board of review for 1900	56 00
Board adjourned at 5 p. m. to meet Saturday, April 6, at 9 a. m.	

W. W. RHODENBAUGH, Chairman.

M. J. COLLINS, Auditor.

Board met in auditor's office Saturday, April 6, 1901.

Members all present. Called to order at 9 a. m. Minutes of Friday, April 5th, were read and approved.

On motion claims were allowed as follows:

T H Flood & Co supplies	18 00
Egbert Fidar & Chambers supplies	36 21
Illinois Printing Co supplies	329 70
Heral Printing Co supplies	75 00
Iowa Phone Co rental of instruments, etc. claimed \$39.60	25 60
Wm Flaherty sitting with board and mileage	25 60
Denison board of health to expense in quarantine case of Thos Albersen	18 96
Township board of health to four meetings	38 10
Union township trustee meeting	10 50
Board adjourned at 12 noon to meet at 1 p. m.	

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Board met at 1 p. m. and allowed claims as follows:

Fred Gray committee work and mileage	4 00
Green Bay Lumber Co lumber, Molter district	35 26
Green Bay Lumber Co coal for A Johnson	12 25
Bowman & Kranz Bros coal for Mrs Stapleberg	4 50
Monthly allowances were made for the following poor persons for April and May, 1901:	
Mrs Johnson Vail	6 00
Mrs Stapleberg Vail	6 00
Mrs Palmer Vail	5 00
Jas McCarthy Vail	5 00
Frantz Eisel Vail	8 00
Mr Baber Dow City	6 00
Mrs Gott Dow City	5 00
Mrs Reece Charter Oak	3 00
Mrs J D Crone Charter Oak	6 00
Fred Eckert Charter Oak	8 00
John Olson Denison	6 00
Igorz Ahart Denison	5 00
Philip G Denison	5 00
George Dodd Denison	8 00
Henry Koltze Denison	6 00
Anna Collins Manilla	5 00
Mrs Palmer Manilla	8 00
Mrs Hollander Aspinwall	5 00
Lars Peterson Otter Creek township	4 00
C A Johnson Stockholm township	3 00
Board adjourned at 9 a. m. to meet Thursday, April 11th, at 9 a. m.	

W. W. RHODENBAUGH, Chairman.

M. J. COLLINS, Auditor.

Board met in Auditor's office, Thursday, April 11, 1901.

Members all present. Called to order at 9 a. m. Minutes of Saturday, April 6th, were read and approved.

On motion claims were allowed as follows:

Noble and Dressel labor Schroeder district	7 75
C J Salomon merchandise for court house, etc.	45 17
Green Bay Lumber Co coal for court house	93 29
Richard McGuire assessing West Side township, etc.	89 70
Dan McGrath labor Flaherty district	6 00
Henry Lamp labor Molter district	6 50
Green Bay Lumber Co lumber Flaherty district	27 30
Healey Bros livery hire by Board	4 00
Thomas Meehan assessing Hays township, etc.	94 04
G W Brokaw assessing town of Manilla	53 25
J P Duncan trustee	4 00
Ed Weisse trustee	6 00
J Strathman trustee	6 00
Pat Beirne trustee	6 00
John Hagge clerk	2 00
Bowman and Kranz Bros coal for Thos Lumley	2 50
Sol Chase allowance for April and May	10 00
Andy Bell one wolf scalp	10 00
Anton Gaestel two wolf scalps	4 00
R W Lownes seven wolf scalps	17 00
L M Coon Justice of Peace transcript State vs Conners	11 06
Aaron Sedarberg assessing town of Kiron	22 25
Wm Schnieder assessing East Boyer township	90 35
Charter Oak Times publishing board proceedings etc	12 70
Vail Observer publishing board proceedings etc	21 60
Denison Bulletin publishing board proceedings etc claimed \$53.08	40 75
Denison Review publishing board proceedings etc claimed \$49.37	37 02
Denison Zeitung publishing board proceedings etc claimed \$21.03	15 03
Crawford County Democrat publishing board proceedings claimed \$26.24	15 03
Henry Bell sheriff serving subpoenas jury venire etc.	110 20
Wm Dodge Justice of Peace transcript case State vs James McCarthy and Mart Henry	16 20
W McLennan Justice of Peace transcript case State vs M Turner and L Mason	55 04
A D Wilson mayor to 182 tramp transcripts	91 00

in quarantine case of Wynie, Mathews, Marlof and Brecht. City of Denison to expense of meetings of board of review for 1901	24 00
J W Baker oil for jail	3 94
Iowa Telephone Company to telephoning	1 15
Board adjourned at 12 noon, to meet at 1 p. m.	

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Board met at 1 p. m. and allowed claims as follows:

C J Coase assessing Milford township etc	95 10
M J Conway assessing Denison township etc	94 60
A J Bond assessing city of Denison	154 00
C H Molter sitting with board and mileage etc	36 95
H C Schroeder sitting with board and mileage etc	39 90
Fred Gigax sitting with board and mileage etc	38 00
W W Rhodenbaugh sitting with board and mileage etc	32 00
Wm Flaherty sitting with board and mileage etc	12 50
Ordered by the board that a refund of \$66.24 be made to Henry Hagge of taxes on account of erroneous collections.	

Resolved by the board that the following divisions be made by the relative lengths and valuations of each of the following named railroads in each of the following towns, townships and independent school districts:

CHICAGO & NORTH-WESTERN (11.865 PER MILE.)

Miles.	Total value
West Side Inc.	1.07 12,695
do. Ind.	1.07 12,695
do. Twp	2.23 26,495
Vail, Inc.	.96 11,391
do. Ind.	1.46 17,323
do. Ind. Milford tp.	.68 8,068
Milford township	1.17 13,882
East Boyer twp.	4.93 58,495
Denison, Inc.	.91 10,797
do. Ind.	2.03 24,086
do. Twp.	4.32 51,257
Paradise twp.	1.21 14,357
Arion Inc.	.40 4,746
Dow City Inc.	.34 4,034
do. Ind.	2.58 30,612
Union Twp.	2.61 30,967
Boyer Twp.	3.63 43,070
	31.60 374,934

C. & N.-W. (IOWA SOUTH WESTERN BRANCH).

Miles.	Total value
Iowa Twp.	1.83 5,490
	3,000.

C. & N.-W. (BOYER VALLEY BRANCH, \$3000.)

Miles.	Total value
Denison Inc.	1.06 3,180
Denison Ind.	1.23 3,690
Goodrich twp.	4.37 13,110
Deloit Inc.	.91 2,730
Milford twp.	1.82 5,460
Stockholm twp.	6.89 20,670
Jackson twp.	1.66 4,980
	17.94 53,820

C. & N.-W. (SOLDIER RIVER BRANCH, \$3000.)

Miles.	Total value
Stockholm twp.	6.32 18,960
Otter Creek twp.	5.78 17,340
Schleswig Inc.	.56 1,680
Kiron Inc.	.61 1,830
Morgan twp.	6.56 19,860
Soldier twp.	2.14 6,420
Charter Oak twp.	6.47 19,410
	28.44 85,320

DUBUEGE AND SIOUX CITY (ILLINOIS CENTRAL) \$3580.

Miles.	Total value
Jackson twp.	1.98 7,088
Stockholm twp.	6.25 22,375
Milford twp.	2.07 7,410
Deloit Inc.	1.00 3,580
Goodrich twp.	4.03 14,428
Denison Inc.	.72 2,578
do. Ind.	2.03 7,267
do. twp.	4.32 15,466
Paradise twp.	1.25 4,475
Arion twp.	2.54 9,093
Arion Inc.	.40 1,432
Dow City Inc.	.25 895
do. Ind.	2.75 9,787
Boyer twp.	3.68 13,175
	33.17 118,749

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL (SIOUX CITY CRANCH \$3500.)

Miles.	Total value
Manilla Inc.	.23 805
do. Ind.	.69 2,415
Nishnabotny twp.	4.30 15,050
Washington twp.	7.42 26,070
Dow City Ind.	1.50 5,250
Arion Inc.	.36 1,260
Union twp.	1.18 4,130
Paradise twp.	6.46 22,610
Hanover twp.	2.29 8,016
Charter Oak twp.	2.02 7,175
do. Ind.	3.50 12,250
do. Inc.	.80 2,800
	30.78 107,730

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL (CHICAGO & C. B. DIV. \$7250.)

Miles.	Total value
Aspinwall Ind.	2.30 17,327
Iowa twp.	4.10 29,725
Manilla Inc.	.83 6,018
do. Ind.	2.29 16,602
Nishnabotny twp.	2.89 20,953
	12.50 90,625

Total railroads in county, 156.26 miles at \$836,068 taxable valuation.

Resolved by the Board that the compensation be fixed as to the amount to be paid any peace officer and magistrate or mayor in trying any tramps under Sec. 5134 of the code. To the peace officer or mayor trying the tramp 15 cents; to the officer making the arrest 10 cents. This resolution to take effect from and after this date.

On motion the appointment of A. J. Mackey, deputy sheriff, was accepted.

On motion official bond of A. J. Mackey and F. H. Brown, constable Willow township, was approved.

Resolved by the Board that J. M. Jensen be appointed constable of Iowa township to fill vacancy.

Highway petition No. 899 (Kroll Road) came up for hearing and was rejected.

Consent highway petition No. 892 of Wm. Flaherty and others came up for final hearing and on motion was established as a public highway by Crawford county paying Rich'd Clough \$70, Anton Gaestel \$70, Wm Flaherty \$70, as damages.

Highway petition No. 904 (Messer Road) came up for hearing and on motion was established as a public highway by Crawford county paying the following damages as assessed by the appraisers: To Blume Bros., \$300; Sears McHenry, \$70; A. D. Randall, \$55; C. F. Buss, \$55.

Consent highway petition No. 905 of A. F. Kadonch and others came up for hearing and on motion was established as a public highway as prayed for, Crawford county paying the sum of \$100 and town of Arion paid \$100 to Mary E. Coon as damages.

Board adjourned at 5 p. m. to meet Monday, June 3d, 1901, at 10 a. m.

M. J. COLLINS, Auditor.

W. W. RHODENBAUGH, Chairman.

Placed it to the Limit.

Many writers have declared that an Irish gentleman's hospitality is unlimited, but this is a slight exaggeration, as is shown by a story borrowed from a book of Irish memories.

Jerry McCartie was often the guest of friends who on account of his pleasant ways extended to him that sort of old Irish hospitality which enabled a visitor in my own family who came for a fortnight to stay for six years.

In McCartie's case the visit stretched to nearly double that time. After eight or nine years, however, his kinsman got a little tired of his guest and let him know of his old mansion's proposed renovation and that he had signed a contract for having it painted from garret to cellar.

"By George," said Jerry, "it's fortunate that I don't object to the smell of paint, and it will be well to have some one to keep an eye on the painters now that the wall fruit is ripening."

Some months passed. Then his host informed him that he was going to be married, adding, "I thought I'd tell you in good time, so that you could make leisurely preparations to go, as the lady and you may not hit it off as well as you and I do."

With tearful eyes Jerry grasped his cousin's hand, saying: "Oh, Dan, dear, you have my hearty thanks for your consideration; but, dear, dear boy, surely if you can put up with her I can."

The Rogues' Refuge.

There is one corner of Central America that is at present a perfect paradise for men who have committed any crime. It is a place where the outcasts of the world's society rule the land of their adoption and where the officials of the government protect all thieves that come to them and make it dangerous for any detective to molest them.

This is the republic of Honduras, one of the least advanced of the states of South or Central America. Honduras indeed is a curious mixture of jungle and gigantic forest, of cocoa and of rubber trees, of bugs, vampires, snakes and crocodiles—of all manner of things that creep and crawl and sting and bite; a region where life in the daytime is a mockery and at night one feels as though sleeping in red pepper.

Here, in every hamlet and city, are to be found men from different lands, mostly outlaws from their own country. Chicago, Boston, New York and Philadelphia all furnish their quota. England, France, Italy and even far away Russia have their share. They make no attempt at concealment, bear the names they were born to bear and go along about their business as if the laws of their own country had not declared them outcasts.—London Express.

Naming the Chinese Baby.

In China girls are called instead of Mary Ann or Marguerite "Spring Peach," "Cloudy Moon," "Celestial Happiness" or what may not be considered so nice, "Come-along-a-little-brother" or "Add-a-younger-brother" or "Lead-everlasting-younger-brothers." The latter means that a son would have been more welcome than a little "go away child," as they call the girls. They belong to the family of the husbands to be and do not count in the family of their birth, so that when a Chinaman is asked, "How many children have you?" he makes no count of the girls, although he may have ten. The boys only he counts, and his reply will indicate only the number of boys.

He gives his sons such names as "Ancestral Piety," "Ancestral Knowledge," "Practical Industry," "Able to Sing Out," "Second God of Learning," "Excite the Clouds," "Beginning of Joy," "All Virtue Complete." The little slaves who begin life as household drudges before they graduate lower answer to such names as "As You Please," "Sparrows' Crumbs," "Joy to Serve," "Your Happiness," "Not For Me."—Kansas City Journal.

Low Rates to California and Back This Summer.

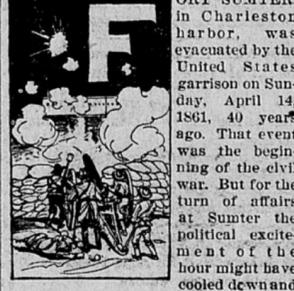
An illustrated book, which will be of much interest to all who are expecting to take advantage of the low rates to California this summer, at the time of the Epworth League Convention, to be held in San Francisco in July, has just been issued by the Chicago & North-Western Railway. Much valuable information is given relating to the state, variable routes, etc. The rate via this line will be only \$50.00 for the round trip from Chicago, with corresponding low rates from other points. Copy of this book may be had free upon application to W. B. Kniskern, 22 Fifth Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

FORT SUMTER'S FATE

HOW "YANK" AND "JOHNNY" CRIED HAVOC FORTY YEARS AGO.

The South Carolina Demands on Major Anderson—Efforts to Avoid War. Flight of the Garrison—No Bread and Little Powder.

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peaceful counsel prevailed.

The event which led up to Sumter was the secession of the state of South Carolina from the Union in December, 1860, as a protest against the election of Abraham Lincoln to the presidency on a platform which was held at the south to threaten the rights of states, rights of which the southern people were particularly jealous. In withdrawing from the Federal Union the people of South Carolina held that the Federal property situated on South Carolina soil and paid for in part by South Carolina's contributions to the general