

Railroads	977.08
Telephones	6.38
Telegraph	8.00
Express companies	4.72

total tax valuation 8,183.72  
 Levy for road purposes 1.00  
 total tax levied 4,091.86

to balance on hand at beginning of year, Jan. 1, 1903 282.91  
 to amount received from County Treasurer, April apportionment 475.64  
 to amount received from County Treasurer, October apportionment 49.49

total receipts 808.04

DISBURSEMENTS

By cash paid Geo. Langer for labor	2.00
By cash paid Peter Burke for labor	1.50
By cash paid G. L. Caswell publishing	1.35
By cash paid O. S. Smith repairing bridge	50
By cash paid Ed Ahart for labor and superintendent	23.35
By cash paid Wm. Theodor for labor and superintendent	28.60
By cash paid Ed Ahart for labor and superintendent	62.85
By cash paid J. A. Gould blacksmithing	6.80
By cash paid Geo. Wilson labor	5.25
By cash paid Green Bay Lumber Co. for lumber	37.60
By cash paid Ed Ahart labor and superintendent	48.45
By cash paid Ed Ahart labor and superintendent	69.15
By cash paid J. B. Thomas Co. supplies	1.80
By cash paid J. G. Wyzant supplies	4.00
By cash paid Wm. Doidge labor	1.00
By cash paid C. W. Merril repairs	1.00
By cash paid Green Bay Lumber Co. for lumber	13.50
By cash paid Ed Ahart labor and superintendent	33.75
By cash paid Ed Ahart labor and superintendent	2.50
By cash paid J. B. Fitzgerald labor	15.50
By cash paid John Baker labor	95.70
By cash paid Ohas Paup labor	9.75
By cash paid Joseph White labor	13.12
By cash paid Wm. Theodor labor	18.25
By cash paid H. Kelly labor	10.62
By cash paid Roy McBride labor	22.75
By cash paid D. G. Thow labor	8.12
By cash paid H. Minter labor	4.37
By cash paid Ed Ahart labor and superintendent	38.25
By cash paid H. Kelly labor	4.87
By cash paid J. B. Fitzgerald labor	3.50
By cash paid Chas. Paup labor	3.50
By cash paid Wm. Theodor labor	2.50
By cash paid Roy McBride labor	6.50
By cash paid H. Kelly labor	4.00
By cash paid A. Theodor labor	6.50
By cash paid Ed Ahart labor and superintendent	2.92
By cash paid Ed Ahart labor and superintendent	15.00
By cash paid John Baker labor	3.25
By cash paid Green Bay Lumber Co. for lumber	27.70
By cash paid Stone & Sons lumber	2.80
By cash paid W. H. Merril repairs	3.50
By cash paid Scott Wheeler labor	8.45
By cash paid Ed Ahart for labor and superintendent	25.20
By cash paid H. Minter labor	15.22
By cash paid J. W. Baker labor	4.35
By cash paid Ed Ahart labor and superintendent	25.90
By cash paid Roy McBride labor	5.80

total disbursements 748.38

We, the undersigned, Taxing Justices of Denison township, Crawford County, Iowa, do hereby certify that the above statement is a true and correct report of the receipts and disbursements of the road funds of said township, as appears from the books in the office of the township clerk.

T. A. HANVEY  
 Township Clerk

Dated at Denison, Iowa, this 7th of Jan. A. D. 1904.

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS**

Mary McCord, widow to James Rust, lots 21 and 22 blk 2 Kenwood	500.00
Francis G. Galt to Frank M. Mink, lot 28 Resub-city of W2 26th and 6th NW 3/4 sec 13 Denison township	500.00
Tueceda N. Nemeth single to Herman Garber & wife, section 16 Charter Oak township	5200.00
John Malony and wife to W. A. McHenry & wife, sec 31 West Side twp.	119.00
Phares Weaver and wife to T. W. Hill, lot 4 blk 3 Manila	775.00
Theos. P. Black and wife to Barbara Scott, lot 16 and 17 of lot 17 blk 12 Dow City	500.00
C. L. Voss and wife to Jess Lorenson, W 2 1/2 SW 3/4 31 Washington	2800.00
Monday 1, 1904.	
Ellen and Thomas F. Gillis to Peter J. Hartens & wife, 1/2 sec 35 West Side	1.00
Ellen A. and Arthur H. Cook to Frank Birkhofer, lot 6 blk 2 Kenwood	100.00

**RULES FOR LEAP YEAR.**

Fitzpatrick of the Esterville Enterprise Lays Down the Following Rules.

In the first place it shall be deemed proper to make a "date" with a young man if your mother approves of him. If he has no telephone hold him up on the street and tell him to be sure and call around.

If there is a dance scheduled and you are not sure of company rope in some desirable young gentleman and inform him he is "it". If he is not delighted it is not your fault.

Good attractions at the theatre should be witnessed by all of the girls and if your young man does not mention the fact tell him about it. Mention the price of the seats and inform him of the time they go on sale. Also let him know what part of the house you like best and whether he had better buy you something to eat after the performance.

If you have nothing to do of an evening call up some of your gentlemen friends and tell him to bring his sewing over. A profitable evening may be spent in this manner and you may be training him to be domestic.

If the moon shines and it is warm and balmy, tell him that there are numerous livery stables here and the horses are nearly all gentle. They are also nearly all for rent, and if he has not the money to hire a rig it will be proper for you to loan it to him.

Don't be backward. Remember this is leap year, and if you don't see what you want ask for it.

If these rules are faithfully observed you will have no trouble in having all the entertainment you could wish, and you will have no trouble in following up your suite even when the year is gone and your leap year privileges are withdrawn.

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One Minute Cough Cure gives relief in one minute, because it kills the mucus which tickles the mucus membrane, causing the cough, and at the same time clears the phlegm, draws out the inflammation and heals and soothes the affected parts. One Minute Cough Cure straightens the lungs, wards off pneumonia, and is a harmless and never failing cure in all curable cases of Coughs, Colds and Croup. One Minute Cough Cure is pleasant to take, harmless and good alike for young and old. Sold by

**Washington Letter.**

Washington, D. C., Feb. 5, 1904.

Washington churches and colleges take high rank. There are several educational institutions here of wide reputation and great merit. The Columbian University, a Baptist institution, is perhaps as widely known as Princeton or Cornell; Georgetown University, which is a Catholic school, is probably equally renowned.

Besides there is the American University; the Catholic University, which seems destined to become one of the strongholds of Catholic provincial instruction in America; Howard University, a school for colored people with a high standing; Columbian Institution for the deaf and dumb and National Deaf Mute College, and in addition the National Law School and the Ralston School of Expression. These schools draw a large support from the government service. Many young men come here principally for the educational facilities which the city affords, and for the opportunities for culture and to get a closer view of the operations of the U. S. government. The law faculties at the Universities here maintain a high standard, as the location is one which enables them to secure the highest talent. This is also true with reference to the faculties generally. Some of the foremost jurists of the country lecture at Georgetown and Columbian Universities.

This city is a favorite resort of the "professional student," to use the term in a sense of doubtful authenticity, men who study because the thirst for knowledge and erudition has become a passion to them, and whose financial affairs permit of uninterrupted devotion to study and research. The Congressional Library is almost inexhaustible in its facilities for accommodating this class of people. Visits to the reading room of this wonderful repository of literature reveal the chronic book mania of certain book worms, who may be seen early and late delving into abstruse science or forgotten lore. To the man of affairs this intellectual propensity is somewhat problematical. He conceives that it is not natural to segregate the realm of knowledge from the sphere of action. The one is indispensable to the other, and they should go hand in hand. Abstract truths lose their force when considered statically and it is only when they are rehearsed in their dynamic aspect that they serve their highest usefulness to man. The walking encyclopedia as a recluse from human affairs is more ornamental than useful.

One of the prominent events of the week in the House was a review of the Gov. Goebel murder case of Kentucky. Ollie James was elected to Congress from Kentucky in 1902, and this is his first session here. He is perhaps the largest man on the floor of the House, and is a real giant. He bears a reputation for considerable oratorical ability, and when he plunged into the unsavory circumstances surrounding the tragedy which occurred at Frankfort in 1900 it became evident that he was accustomed to sway audiences. He was followed by Crumpacker of Indiana, who defended the action of the Indiana governors who have refused to honor the requisition papers for the extradition of Mr. Taylor, who, it was alleged, was implicated in the assassination of Mr. Goebel. John Sharp, Williams and nearly all of the Kentucky delegation participated in the debate which followed, and as usual in matters of this character the debate was intensely partisan. In the Senate Gorman and Bailey have clashed quite sharply with Foraker, Spooner and others.

The National Republican Editorial Association met at the Arlington yesterday and today. Senator Dewey, who addressed the association last year spoke to the editors again this year. Senator Hanna also spoke at the last meeting, but he is seriously ill at this time, and it is thought that he is threatened with typhoid fever. Some of the Iowa editors present were: Ex-congressman Geo. D. Perkins, editor of the Sioux City Journal; Lefe Young, editor of the Des Moines Daily Capitol, and Will Parriott, of the Waterloo Reporter. John A. Slesicher, of New York, editor of L. S. Weekly, is the president of the association. The editors attended the Congressional Reception at the White House last night. The reception is said to have been one of the most successful of the season.

One of the most busy committees in the House perhaps at this time is the Committee of Labor, of which Congressman Conner is a member. There is much interest taken in the Eight Hour Bill now pending, and many are the arguments made pro and con concerning it. Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, has had frequent hearings before this committee of late. On yesterday Judge McCammon, representing iron, steel and ship building interests also made a showing before the committee, and during the argument a heated colloquy occurred between Gompers and McCammon. The manufacturing interests are quite generally opposed to the measure.

OLGER H. OLSON.

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The offering will consist of 3 tried brood-sows, 12 fall sows and the balance gilts, sired by excellent boars. They are a good lot of business sows that, if rightly taken care of, cannot fail to make their owner some money. Those wishing to add to their herds can find good representatives of the breed here and farmers wishing to get a start in raising Durocs should attend and get a few sows at their own price.

Sale to be held in heated and seated tent. No postponement on account of weather. Free conveyance to and from Kiron and Deloit to parties from a distance.

Take a day off and attend the sale; you are welcome whether you buy anything or not.

Terms: Cash, or 10 months' time on bankable notes bearing 8 per cent interest. Parties not known to clerk wanting credit, must have bank references. Send for catalogue.

W. J. SANDBERG, Clerk.  
 ALFRED J. CLAUSEN,  
 R. P. D. No. 2, Kiron, Ia.

**Public Sale.**

The undersigned will sell at Public Auction in Section 34 Otter Creek township, seven miles north of Denison, four miles northwest of Deloit, on

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 17, 1904, commencing at 10 o'clock, a. m. the following described property:

50 head of cattle consisting of 5 good milk cows, 20 calves, 13 yearling steers, 1 heifer, 10 head of good horses; 30 head of hogs; 2 binders; 1 corn planter; 160 rods wire; 1 riding plow; 4 Little Joger cultivators, nearly new; 2 iron drags; M. C. mower; 1 seeder; hay scale; 120 foot poles; 3 wagons; 2 good hay racks; fanning mill; good feed grinder and power; 2 good pulverizers; 1 grindstone; 6 sets work harness; 3 sets fly bars; 1500 bushels corn; 700 bushels oats; 20 tons prairie hay; 30 tons timothy, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Free Lunch at Noon.  
 Terms: \$10 and under, cash, 1 year's time 8 per cent, on sums over that.

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