

### Ginger Snaps

You can't keep a good November day down.

A little fish in a small puddle imagines he is big.

We notice that Turkey is now on the bill of fare.

Much of the sweetness of life is due to the weather.

Mixed drinks are responsible for a lot of mixed ideas.

Nothin' warmer than an old overcoat just a little bit patched up.

New York women have just staged a great suffrage parade. New Jersey had one.

The President can't help feeling in these days that he is a deserving Democrat.

"King George Reviews Troops," and wishing all the time there were more to review.

The dry Sunday in Chicago may soon become a day of rest, instead of a day of arrest.

If this war keeps on for another year we'll probably find out how far a kilometer is.

What has become of the fellow who used to chew Black Navy Twist and go without his dinner?

Governor-General Bissing appears to think that an executive's business is to execute Belgium.

Possibly Germany fixed up the Arabic case with President Wilson because all the world loves a lover.

What has become of the old-fashioned man who said the harvest jubilee committees couldn't put it over.

The Oklahoma woman who laughed herself to death over a funny story must have heard one that escaped us.

It is not the smile that won't come off that we dislike about some girls, so much as the blush that won't come off.

It is clear why the President does not wish to be bothered by an extra session of congress between now and December.

Rumors that Secretary Daniels has decided to have the great new dreadnaughts constructed at the Raleigh navy yard are as yet unverified.

Even though he favors equal suffrage, the President believes that women's place is in the White House.

Some very sane and sensible people hold to the theory that it is desecration of the sweet potato to bake it in a pie.

The President's new summer home is "Shadow Lawn." Germany will note that he doesn't need a place in the sun.

National leaders will watch with feverish interest Chicago Mayor Thompson's experiment in political dry farming.

There must be something wrong somewhere—here it is November and not a single magazine has issued its Christmas number.

Senator Heyburn is dead, but the "bloody shirt" won't lack for a waver as long as the Boston Transcript is able to get subscribers.

The details of atrocity that constitute such irresistible appeal to sympathy indicate a laxity somewhere in the system of censorship.

The harvest of the corn is in; the wheat and oats bulge barn and bin, but that which turns us all so bug is cider gurgling in the jug.

Once upon a time a couple of women boarded a street car didn't squabble for ten minutes over who should have the privilege of paying the fares.

If, as a London editor says, the fleet will retrieve all the British mistakes, a tolerably lively time may be predicted for it during the rest of the war.

Us men may be a bunch of hypocrites. But a man never stops another man he hasn't much use for, on the street, and kisses him effusively.

Professor Watson is doubtless right about its being possible to teach animals to talk. Why, even human animals talk sometimes just like monkeys.

Statements are made that Germany would be willing to consider peace on reasonable terms. As usual, that word "reasonable" becomes the crucial consideration.

The next time an officer of an interned ship offers his parole it may be well to have him accompanied by some authoritative person who will keep him constantly reminded of his moral obligation.

Chicagoans have failed to report that there is anything abnormal about the Monday thirst. People in Europe who talk about a "victorious peace" are overlooking the graveyards.

### COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS

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which was turned over to the Clerk, for faithful performance of filling fuel contract for Valley County court house and jail heating plant, during the ensuing year.

On motion the assessment of J. N. Frish on improvements to the amount of \$150, as shown on page 111, line 10, 1915 assessment book, is hereby cancelled as same was erroneously assessed.

Affidavit of J. C. Duncan for a reduction of 1915 taxes was presented to the Board. No action taken.

At 5 o'clock P. M. the Board adjourned until 10 o'clock A. M., Nov. 2, 1915.

Peter A. West, Chairman  
W. B. Shoemaker, Clerk.

Regular meeting, forenoon of 2nd November, 1915.

At 10 o'clock A. M., November 2nd, 1915, the Board of County Commissioners of Valley County, Montana, met pursuant to adjournment of the 1st inst. All members and the Clerk present.

The following claims on the general fund were audited and allowed:

Clarence Hall, Dep. Sheriff, exp. \$ 38.30  
Wm. F. Dickman, Dep. Sheriff, exp. 20.00  
Henry J. Lamdre, office exp., Sheriff 36.22  
Mrs. Sarah Stephens, widow's pension 22.50  
Nellie Johannott, office and traveling exp. 151.75  
Wm. F. Dickman, exp. insane case 2.50  
W. B. Shoemaker, stamps for office 57.68  
Glasgow Democrat, publications 7.50  
Sam Grossman, auto hire, Sheriff 105.50  
Waber Drug Co., fumigation supplies 13.75  
Frank Bogetka, refund of tax. 18.24  
W. B. Shoemaker, stamps, etc. 16.75

The following claims on the road fund were audited and allowed:

Sam Grossman, auto hire, Co. Surveyor \$ 22.00  
Joe Martinkowski, tool repairs and supplies, Dis. No. 18..... 25.70  
Joe Martinkowski, tool repairs and supplies, Dis. No. 2..... 8.40  
Joe Martinkowski, tool repairs and supplies, Dis. No. 24..... 8.40  
Leo B. Coleman, culverts..... 566.40  
T. M. Patten, refund special road tax 8.00  
Robertson-Yotter Hdw. Co., road supplies 27.50  
Opheim Hdw. Co., road supplies and scraper 23.10  
E. A. Townsend, posting road notices 5.00  
D. S. McGregor, posting road notices 12.00  
T. G. Mooney, viewing roads..... 5.00  
W. B. Robinson, viewing roads 5.00  
John Fuller, viewing roads..... 10.00  
Martin Risa, viewing roads..... 15.00  
John Willer, viewing roads..... 5.00  
J. L. Lytle, viewing roads..... 5.00  
James Sherry, viewing roads..... 5.00  
J. U. Kindschy, viewing roads 5.00  
W. M. Hall, viewing roads..... 5.00  
O. C. Anderson, viewing roads 5.00  
H. H. Keefer, viewing roads..... 5.00  
Peter Sowa, viewing roads..... 5.00  
Dan Gaasch, viewing roads and auto hire 25.00  
Wm. Leonard, viewing roads..... 5.00  
C. W. Coombs, R. W. Dis. No. 10 140.00  
Paul Kunde, R. W. Dis. No. 10 89.00  
John Tangen, R. W. Dis. No. 10 39.00  
Sigurd Holter, R. W. Dis. No. 11 40.00  
John Holter, R. W. Dis. No. 11 50.00  
Lewis-Wedum Co., assigned R. W. Fred Foley, Dis. No. 18..... 77.00  
H. Dahl, R. W. Dis. No. 18..... 20.00  
D. S. Hall, assigned N. Madden, R. W. Dis. No. 18..... 77.00  
D. S. Hall, assigned Fred Gavlign, R. W. Dis. No. 18..... 89.00  
Milk River Valley Bank, assigned A. Fox, R. W. Dis. No. 18..... 34.50  
Haakon Hopstad, R. W. Dis. No. 18..... 9.00  
J. L. Lytle, assigned H. A. Rush, R. W. Dis. No. 18..... 24.00  
D. S. Hall, R. W. Dis. No. 18..... 55.00  
William Wright, R. W. Dis. No. 20..... 38.00  
Henry Abeln, R. W. Dis. No. 21..... 6.00  
Martin Ball, R. W. Dis. No. 24..... 94.50  
J. L. Lytle, assigned R. W. Elmer Seversen, Dis. No. 24..... 207.50  
Wilhelm Jensen, R. W. Dis. No. 24..... 164.50  
J. L. Lytle, assigned Will Brophy, R. W. Dis. No. 24..... 77.50  
J. L. Lytle, assigned Ed. Grath, R. W. Dis. No. 24..... 140.00  
J. L. Willer, R. W. Dis. No. 25..... 28.00  
J. L. Willer, assigned C. W. O'Brien, R. W. Dis. No. 25..... 12.00  
Mike L. Demko, R. W. Dis. No. 26..... 30.00

John Demko, R. W. Dis. No. 26 30.00  
Paul Valacek, R. W. Dis. No. 26 5.00  
T. E. Craig, R. W. Dis. No. 33 30.00  
A. G. Craig, R. W. Dis. No. 33 70.00  
" (disallowed) 5.00  
Alfred Wolfe, refund special road tax 2.00  
Harold Roe, R. W. Dis. No. 10 7.00  
State Bank of Nashua, assigned M. L. Meyer Lbr. Co., material 8.20  
J. L. Truscott, fresnoes..... 70.00  
J. L. Truscott, road supplies..... 10.55  
Glasgow Nat'l Bank, assigned R. W. L. N. Fitzgerald, Dis. No. 12..... 20.00  
Glasgow Nat'l Bank, assigned R. W. Sig. Ostby, Dis. No. 13 36.00  
Olaf Olson, R. W. Dis. No. 21. 6.00  
Geo. W. Pointer, R. W. Dis. No. 31 70.50

The following claims on the Poor Fund were audited and allowed:

Lewis-Wedum Co., Poor Farm supplies \$ 3.05  
J. L. Truscott, Poor Farm Supplies 48.02  
A. H. Whitbread, freight bill, Poor Farm 7.05  
Anna Richardson, salary, Mar-tron Poor Farm..... 75.00  
C. H. Richardson, salary Supt. Poor Farm..... 75.00  
Moore Tel. & Tel. Co., Poor Farm phone rental..... 4.00  
J. I. Lebert & Son, supplies Poor Farm 34.75  
T. M. Patten, refund special poor tax 14.00  
W. B. Shoemaker, cash advanced, County poor..... 15.00  
Chas. E. Peterson & Co., burial of poor 70.00  
Lewis-Wedum Co., supplies for poor 5.00  
Alfred Wolfe, refund special poor tax 2.00  
W. B. Shoemaker, cash advanced County poor..... 10.00

At 12 o'clock noon, on motion the Board took a recess until 2 o'clock P. M. of even date.

Peter A. West, Chairman  
W. B. Shoemaker, Clerk.

At 2 o'clock P. M., November 2nd, 1915, the Board of County Commissioners of Valley County, Montana, met pursuant to morning recess. All members and the Clerk present.

The following claims on the Bridge Fund were audited and allowed:

J. L. Lytle, labor on bridges... \$ 30.00  
Hans J. Christianson, work on bridges 136.50  
Nashua Hdw. & Implement Co., bridge supplies..... 46.26  
Andrew Sherry, labor on bridges 35.00  
L. V. Lockwood, exp. inspecting Beaver Creek Bridge..... 64.34  
C. H. Pippin, bridge work..... 9.00  
Geo. S. Stewart, labor on bridge 15.00  
Imperial Elevator Co., lumber for bridges 159.60

John Betz, lumber, Vandalia Bridge 493.50  
Dan O'Toole, work on bridge... 1.75  
Rogers-Templeton Lumber Co., lumber 56.20  
J. L. Lytle, assigned Gilbert Aspass, labor on bridge..... 147.00  
John McKeague, labor on bridge 9.00  
Imperial Lumber Co., lumber.. 140.40  
Steven Spangler, bridge labor.. 30.00

The Sheriff's report of jail boarders for the month ending Oct. 31st, 1915, is hereby approved.

Affidavit of Geo. Stewart, Valley-ton, for a cancellation of taxes, as shown on page 162, line 18, 1915 assessment book, for reason of not being a Valley County resident, was presented to the Board. No action was taken.

The Clerk is hereby instructed to advertise for bids for medical attention to the sick, poor and infirm of the County and to the inmates of the County Jail, and also for furnishing of medicine to same, for the ensuing year, 1916.

Sealed bids will be received up to and opened at 2 o'clock P. M., Monday, December 6, 1915.

At 4 o'clock P. M., on motion the Board adjourned until 10 o'clock A.M., Nov. 3, 1915.

Peter A. West, Chairman  
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