County Commissioners' Proceedings.

Caldwell, Idaho, Jan. 12, 1903. The Board of County Commissioners in and for Canyon County, State of Idaho, met at 1:30 p. m., pursuant to law. Present John M. Bernard, Chairman, C. P. Bartley, J. F. Nesbitt and Edgar Meek, Clerk. when the following proceedings were had:

W. R. Lanktree, William H. Platt and Robert McGuire appeared before the Board for the purpose of qualifying as the Board of County Commissions in and for the County of Canyon, State of Idaho, for the ensuing two years.

Whereupon the Board approved the official bonds of the said W. R. Lanktree, William H. Platt and Robert McGuire, and thereupon Edgar Meek, Recorder in and for said County, administered the official oath to said W. R. Langtree, William H. Platt and Robert McGuire, and to each of them as required by law.

Whereupon the members of said Board proceeded to ballot for a Chairman and it appearing that W. R. Langtree received a majority of the votes cast, it is therefore ordered and declared that W. R. Langtree be chairman of said Board.

Whereupon the said Board approved the official bond of John A. Tucker as Clerk of the District Court and Ex-Officio Auditor and Recorder in and for said County and thereupon the Chairman of said Board administered the official oath to said John A. Tucker and thereupon at 2 o'clock p. m., the said John A. Tucker assumed the duties of said office.

Attest: EDGAR MEEK.

The official bonds of James Hutchinson, Treasurer and Ex Officio Public Administrator; J. W. Watkins, Sheriff; Gilbert T. Hamill, Assessor and Ex-Officio Tax Collector; M. I. Church, Probate Judge; William A. Stone, County Attorney; Cora B. Bean, Superintendent of Public Instruction, and Francis B. Delano, Coroner, were approved by the Board and the official oath duly administered to each of them by the Chairman.

And the following official bonds were approved by the Board: Robert Milliken, Surveyor; Robert E. Bowman, Constable Nampa precinct; J. A. Gould, Justices of the Peace, East Nampa precinct; H. H. Mannis, Constable North Payette precinct; Robert F. Taylor, Constable East Nampa precinct; George Gardiner, Constable Emmett precinct: C. W. Geisler, Justice of the Peace, South Payette precinct; Douglas Knox, Justice of the Peace, Emmett precinct, and Frank A. Smith, Justice of the Peace, North Payette precinct.

In the matter of the application of J. W. Watkins, Sheriff, to appoint a deputy in his office, it appearing to the Board that such deputy is necessary, and an affidavit of publication being now on file as required by law it is hereby ordered that said J. W. Watkins, Sheriff, be empowered to appoint a deputy at a salary of Seventy-five Dollars per month.

On motion the Board adjourned until January 13, 1903, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Approved: W. R. LANKTREE, Chairman.

Attest: JOHN A. TUCKER, Clerk.

Caldwell, Idaho, January 13, 1903. The Board of County Commissioners met at 9 o'clock a m., pursuant to adjournment from January 12, 1903. All members of said Board being present when the following proceedings were had:

In the matter of the application of John A. Tucker, Clerk of the District Court and Ex-Officio Auditor and Recorder, for deputies in his said office, Edgar Meek, Ex-Clerk of the District Court and Ex Officio Auditor and Recorder, was called, sworn and examined, the books of the office of the said Clerk of the District Court and Ex Officio Auditor and Recorder were introduced in evidence showing the amount of business done during the preceding year, in behalf of the application, the evidence being closed and submitted to the Board for its consideration and decision, the Board after due consideration and deliberation, being fully advised in the premises, after consideration of the fact that the work of the office is fully one month behind, finds that a necessity exists for deputies in the said office, and the said John A. Tucker is hereby empowered to employ one deputy at seventy-five dollars per month, one deputy at fifty dollars per month, also one deputy for thirty days at fifty dollars per month.

In the matter of C. W. Geisler, et. al., asking for the appointment of A. J. Young as Constable of South Payette precinct, upon motion petition granted and said A. J. Young is hereby appointed Constable of South Payette precinct, and the official bond of said A. J. Young was approved.

On motion Wm. Noot is hereby employed as engineer in charge of construction ot the Emmett Bridge, under salary of five dollars per day and expenses.

On motion the following officers reports were accepted and approved: H. Koelenbeck, Justice of the Peace Payette precinct; Edgar Meek, Clerk of the District Court and Ex-Officio Auditor and Recorder: H. A. Griffiths, County Attorney; John McGlinchey, Treasurer; John C. Geisler, Assessor and Tax Collector; George Little, Probate Judge; W. H. Thorpe, Sheriff; E. E. Dutton, Coroner; Ella M. Walling, Superintendent of Public Instruction; O. M. Van Duyn, Justice of the Peace Nampa precinct; J. A. Gould, Justice of the Peace Nampa precinct; L. J. Magee, Superintendent of the Poor Farm; W. C. Maxey, County Physician; supplemental report of Edgar Meek, Clerk of the District Court and Ex-Officio Auditor and Recorder.

On motion the petition of John C. Rice, et al, to appoint G. W. Hodson Justice of the Peace for West Caldwell precinct, petition granted and said G. W. Hodson is hereby appointed Justice of the Peace of West Caldwell precinct.

On motion the following bills were allowed and warrants ordered drawn on the current expense fund:

A. J. Young, Constable fees	$ 1.25
J. M. Bernard, salary and expenses Co. Commissioner	138.25
Chas. P. Hartley, salary and expenses County Commissioner	128.50
J. F. Nesbitt, salary and expenses Co. Commissioner	141.00
John C. Geisler, salary and expenses Assessor Disallowed, $150.	611.40
H. A. Griffiths, salary and expenses Co. Attorney	349.70
A. C. Lillard, Constable fees and witness certificate	47.25
Ella M. Walling, salary and expenses School Supt	263.40
John Thomas, wood for poor farm	29.25
Steve Dempsey, Board of Jurors	18.45
Canyon Co. Abstract Co	10.50
D. D. Campbell, livery hire	21.50
W. H. Thorpe, salary sheriff	350.00
Kraft Clothing Co., shoes for prisoners	3.00
C. S. Tucker, groceries for jail	1.80
George Little, salary Probate Judge	250.00

On motion the Board adjourned until 9 o'clock a. m., January 14, 1903.

Attest: JOHN A. TUCKER Clerk.

Approved, W. R. LANKTREE Chairman.

Caldwell, Idaho, January 14, 1903. The Board of County Commissioners met at 9 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment from January 13, 1903. All members of the Board being present when the following proceedings were had:

The following bills were read and passed upon and warrants ordered drawn on the current expense fund for the amounts allowed:

J. A. Gould, Justice of the Peace fees	$ 6.00
Clay A. Walker, salary Deputy Sheriff	225.00
H. E. King, premium on bond of G. T. Hamill, Assessor two years, $105.00; J. W. Watkins, Sheriff, two years, $35.00; John A. Tucker, Clerk, four years, $70.00; Robert Milliken, Surveyor, two years, $7.00 Disallowed, $5.00.	217.0
George Little, premium on bond of Cora B. Bean, School Supt., two years, $7.00; W. A. Stone, County Attorney, two years, $7.00 Francis Delano, Coroner, two years, $3.50; W. R. Lanktree, County Commissioner, two years, $17.50	35.00
G. A. R. Fremont Post No. 23, hall rent for election	15.00
Davis & Shorb, county printing	18.65
Edgar Meek, salary as Clerk	444.00
Jas. F. Boone, Deputy Clerk, Oct. 1, 1902, to Jan. 12, 1903	255.00
W. C. Bader, Deputy Clerk, Dec. 31, 1902, to Jan. 12, 1903	15.95
R. S. Madden, premium on bond of M. I. Church, Probate Judge, two years	17.50
W. H. Redway, Mdse. for county	113.85
H. D. Blatchley, Mdse. for county	29.20
Bill for John McGlinchey salary laid over for proper verification	
R. H. Dutton, Coroner, jury fees and expenses	44.20
C. E. Brainard, premium on bond of Jas. Hutchinson, Treasurer, two years	420.00
Commercial Bank of Caldwell, assigned accts	423.70
Davis & Shorb, printing	179.30
Chas. A. Walton, caring for prisoner	3.00
John F. Durham, expense conveying patient to poor farm, disallowed $5.00	
M. R. Jenkins, Registrar fees Middleton Precinct	66.00
Hattie Branthoover, Registrar fees S. Payette Precinct	97.25
O. M. VanDuyn, Justice of the Peace, witness fees	28.25

On motion adjourned until 9 o'clock a. m., Jan. 15, 1903.

Approved, W. R. LANKTREE, Chairman.

Attest: JOHN A. TUCKER, Clerk.

January 15, 1903.

The following bills were read and passed upon and warrants ordered drawn on the current expense fund for the amounts allowed.

Citizens National Bank, assigned accounts	$272.25
Mrs. Mary Hoag, Janitor	60.00
C. M. Nichols, Sheriff Elmore Co. fees	11.15
S. D. Hartkopf, booths for election	202.50
Payette Independent, printing Disallowed $6.40	18.70
Payette Lumber Co., Lumber for election tables	1.80
W. C. Maxey, County Physician Disallowed $10.00	256.00
Burt Venable, Registrar fees Payette Precinct	92.25
Bank of Commerce, assigned accts	13.75
Frank Lee, witness fees	8.25
C. H. Crocker Co. steel furniture	216.00
Mrs Mary McCloud disallowed $5.00	
Emma Schneider, grading examination papers	12.00
H. Koelenbeck, Justice of the Peace fees	3.00
L. J. Magee, Supt. Poor Farm Disallowed $9.00	100.00

In the matter of the petition of W. G. McNeilly, et al came on for hearing and after examining the report of the viewers and hearing the the statement of interested parties the final action on the petition and report was postponed until 2 o'clock P. M., Jan. 19, 1903.

January 16, 1903.

The following bills were read and passed upon and warrants ordered drawn on the current expense fund for the amounts allowed:

I. R. Woodward, medical services Disallowed $20.50	$ 95.50
T. K. Little, Mdse for Jail	27.25
J. M. Demo, getting evidence in case of State vs. Stinson, on behalf of State	7.10
Edgar Meek, assigned account	50.00
E. Boone, assigned acct	109.00
Minnie Smithson, Registrar fees Emmett Precinct	174.75
Minnie McJunkin, Registrar fees Franklin Precinct	30.50
Henry Kohlepp, hall rent, lights, fuel for election	6.50
W. C. Maxey, examination insane person	5.00
P. E. Engle, livery for Co. Auditor in delivering election supplies	16.00
R. H. Clopton, laid over for proper verification.	
F. W. Hawks, Juror certificate	23.00
George Gardner, Constable Emmett Precinct	5.20
George Gardner, Constable Emmett Precinct	2.00
Rocky Mt. Bell Telephone Co	18.25
A. J. Young, Constable fees Disallowed $4.05	22.45
Glass & Prudhomme, repairing typewriter, Clerk's office	12.45
Glass & Prudhomme, election supplies Disallowed, rubber stamps $7.00	107.50
H. A. Partridge, Juror certificate	15.75
George Huntley, nursing small pox patient Disallowed $17.00	34.00
Mrs. D. O. Castator, registrar fees Lower Boise Precinct	61.25
Zilpha Miller, registrar fees East Caldwell	63.00
A. F. Isham, examination of an insane person	5.00
Lyda M. Estabrook, Registrar fees Nampa precinct	104.50
A. F. Isham, wit ess certificate	8.25
L. E. Hay, Mdse. for Jail, poor farm, smallpox patient	81.45

On motion report of R. H. Clopton, Justice of the Peace of Emmett Precinct, accepted and approved.

January 17, 1903.

The Board orders that John C. Geisler, Assessor, be credited on the 1902 assessment roll for the total valuation of $296,580.00 as shown by lists filed with the Auditor, that amount being for property erroneously assessed and which for lawful reasons should not be assessed.

The following bills were read and passed upon and warrants ordered drawn on the current expense fund for the amounts allowed:

H. W. Mansfield, printing, special election and bridge bonds	$ 25.00
A. J. Young, Constable fees Disallowed $5.50	38.35
A. Koelenbeck, Justice of the Peace fees Disallowed swearing judges of election $5.50	7.95

January 19, 1903.

In the matter of the petition of John D. Bloomfield et al, for the appointment of A. G. Nettleton and Carl Maughmer to the positions of Justice of the Peace of Nampa Precinct, Canyon County, State of Idaho, on motion petition granted and said A. G. Nettleton and Carl Maughmer are hereby appointed Justices of the Peace of Nampa Precinct, Canyon County, State of Idaho.

On motion the bond of John Hart, Justice of the Peace of East Nampa Precinct accepted and approved.

On motion the following bills were read and passed upon and warrants ordered drawn on the Current Expense fund for the amounts allowed:

Geo. D. Bernard & Co., supplies for Co. offices	$ 57.25
Doan & Hay Co., Ltd., Mdse. for Jail, smallpox patients	14.10
C. A. Walton, supplies, putting up election booths	3.80
J. M. Bowman, hauling booths to Bowman Precinct	4.00
J. H. Field, election expenses	10.00
Loren Tompkins, carpentering for Assessor's office	3.00
Mrs. E. Shipley, witness certificate	6.80
Canyon County Chronicle, printing	3.00
Dr. J. J. Hamilton, examination of insane person	5.00
J. F. Creasy, Jurors certificate	22.25
N. S. Dills, " "	20.50
Robt. L. Morrow, " "	21.75
M. E. Pruitt, " "	26.00
S. F. Bane, " "	25.75
Walter Burke, " "	25.75
J. A. Moberly, " "	18.60
John McNish, " "	21.50
Fred Fisk, Witness "	6.00
Edward Madden, Surveyor's salary	12.50
H. N. Mann, putting up election booths and caring for Court House	4.50
E. E. Dutton, fee for Court House, feed bill at Emmett while on duty as Coroner	5.55
Nellie J. Wilson, Registrar fees, West Caldwell Precinct	125.25
Glass & Prudhomme, Mdse. for Court House Disallowed $8.50	78.50
Henry Asmussen, rent and fuel for election. Disallowed $5.00	
Capital News Printing Co., printing	5.20
" " "	22.10
The Irwin Hodson Co. School Supplies Disallowed $2.10	
Amy L. Madden, assisting teachers' examination	12.00

On motion the petition of W. G. McNeilly et al praying for the opening of a public road, laid over unil the April meeting of the Board of County Commissioners.

January 20, 1903.

The following election bills were read and passed upon and warrants ordered drawn on the current expense fund for the amounts allowed in accordance with the certificate of Edgar Meek, Clerk.

Mary F. Wallace, Clerk	$ 8.00
C. H. Cupp, Constable Disallowed 3.00	6.00
C. V. Whallon, Judge Disallowed 4.00	8.00
Bird Bowman, Judge	8.00
Durward King, Clerk Disallowed 4.00	8.00
John Dugal, Judge Disallowed 4.00	8.00
R. M. Estes, Judge Disallowed 8.00	.00
John P. Davis, Judge Disallowed 4.00	8.00
F. J. Long, Clerk Disallowed 4.00	8.00
Kate E. Davis, Clerk Disallowed 4.00	8.00
John Hart, Judge Disallowed 4.00	8.00
Frank E. Rogers, Clerk Disallowed 4.00	8.0
Louis H. Beddig, Judge Disallowed 4.00	8.04
Frank L. Givens, Judge Disallowed 4.00	8.00
Dean Hamilton, Clerk Disallowed 5.00	8.00
J. E. White, Clerk Disallowed 5.00	8.00
J. W. Pittenger, Judge Disallowed 4.00	8.00
Clarenre E. Pratt, Judge Disallowed 4.00	8.00
M. Swank, Judge Disallowed 4.00	8.00
M. W. Watts, Judge Disallowed 4.00	8.00
Chas. F. Compton, Constable Disallowed 3.00	3.00
Wm. McKnett, Judge	8.00
P. E. Anderson, "	8.00
F. R. Fouch, "	8.00
W. B. Mitchell, "	8.00
N. B. Sebree, "	8.00
W. J. Hartman, "	8.00
Altha E. Fouch, Clerk	8.00
J. N. Leigh, "	8.00
W. C. Morris, "	8.00
M. A. Bates, "	8 00
Bertha Peterson, Distributing Clerk Disallowed 2.00	4.00
W. S. Woods, Constable	6.00
I. O. O. F. Lodge of Parma, hall rent	10.00
D. P. Dodd, Judge	8.00
Frederick Kull, "	8.00
Wallace York, "	8.00
Ollie Beck, Distributing Clerk	4.00
J. P. Wilson, Judge Disallowed 2.00	8.00
Hyram Payne, Judge Disallowed 2.00	8.00
John Williams, Judge Disallowed 2.00	8.00
Bertha Plowhead, Clerk Disallowed 2.00	8.00
Mary D. Kerby, Clerk Disallowed 2.00	8.00
D. W. Shaffer, Distributing Clerk Disallowed 6.00	4.00
Peter H. Rutledge, Judge Disallowed 2.00	8.00
F. M. Breshears, Judge Disallowed 2.00	8.00
Wm. Marsh, Constable Disallowed 1.50	6.00
Nellie Connell, Distributing Clerk	4.00
S. H. Morehouse, Constable Disallowed 3.00	6.00
Chas. Robertson, Judge Disallowed 2.00	8.00
J. S. Haines, Clerk Disallowed 2.00	8.00
Asa S. Bixby, Clerk Disallowed 2.00	8.00
Jessie Nettleton, Distributing Clerk Disallowed 4.00	4.00
G. H. Alexander, Judge Disallowed 4.00	8.00
E. R. Shaver, Clerk	8.00
G. W. Lampson, Judge	8.00
H. E. King, Judge Disallowed 5.00	8.00
W. K. Dummick, Clerk Disallowed 5.00	8.00
O. F. Persons, Judge Disallowed 4.00	8.00
Herbert N. Moore, Clerk Disallowed 4.00	8.00
Ben Reed, Distributing Clerk	4.00
W. S. King, Judge Disallowed 2.00	8.00
Peter Pence, Judge Disallowed 2.00	8.00
Chas. H. Ensign Disallowed 2.00	8.00
A. A. Branthoover, Judge Disallowed 2.00	8.00
D. S. Lamme, Judge Disallowed 2.00	8.00
B. R. Hart, Judge Disallowed 2.00	8.00
Wm. Breckon, Clerk Disallowed 2.00	8.00
Harry Aden, Clerk Disallowed 2.00	8.00
O. C. Miller, Clerk Dissallowed 2.00	3.00
H. C. Flint, Clerk Disallowed 2.00	8.00
J. B. Cosman, Constable	9.00
D. S. Lamme, Hall rent	15.00
A. J. Young, Constable and putting up booths Disallowed 1.50	9.00
M. E. McDonald, Clerk Disallowed 4.00	8.00
Irvin Thurston, Distributing Clerk Disallowed 8.00	4.00
W. C. Clayton, Clerk Disallowed 4.00	8.00
John H. Hart, laid over for proper verification.	
Roy H. Clark, Clerk Disallowed 5.00	8.00
M. W. Fazeltine, Clerk Disallowed 4.00	8.00
G. P. Ransom, Judge Disallowed 4.00	8.00
J. J. Toole, Judge Disallowed 4.00	8.45

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I. YANT.

Caldwell, Idaho, Jan. 14, 1903.

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