

**ADJOURNED MEETING COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, WARD COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA, AUG. 9TH, 1915.**

The Board of County Commissioners of Ward County, North Dakota met in the office of the county auditor at 2 o'clock P. M. August 9th, 1915 as per adjournment. Com. Anderson in the chair.

Members present: Lokensgard, Vandenoever, Rohe and Hennessy. This being the date set for the opening of bids for grade and bridge work the following bids were opened and read, on motion of Com. Rohe seconded by Com. Vandenoever. Carried.

Grade between sections 25 and 26, Twp. 154, R. 84, bid of Grover Mayer 30 cents per cu. yd.

Grade between sections 29 and 30, Twp. 152, R. 82, bid of Grover Mayer 22 cents per cu. yd.

Grade between sections 12, 13, 157-84 and 7, 18, 157-83, bid of W. A. Whitson 22 cents per cu. yd. Bid of Joe Makes, 20 cents per cu. yd. Bid of Grover Mayer, 17 cents per cu. yd.

Grades south and east of Section 31, Twp. 153, R. 82. Bid of W. A. Whitson 27 cents per cu. yd. Bid of Grover Mayer, 20 cents per cu. yd.

Grade between sections 26 and 27, Twp. 154, R. 82. Bid of Grover Mayer, 20 cents per cu. yd.

Bridge between sections 26 and 27, Twp. 154, R. 82. Bid of E. L. Perry \$93.00. Bid of Grover Mayer \$150.

Moved by Com. Rohe, seconded by Com. Hennessy that the Bid of Grover Mayer on the following grades be accepted and approved as the lowest and best bid and the surveyor instructed to draw up contracts for same, and the bid of E. L. Perry for the construction of the Bridge between sections 26 and 27, 154-82, be accepted and approved as the lowest and best bid submitted and the surveyor instructed to draw up contracts for same. Motion carried.

Bid of Grover Mayer, grade between sections 25 and 26, 154-84. Grade between sections 29 and 30, 152-82. Grade between sections 12, 13, 157-84, and 7, 18, 157-83. Grades south and east of section 31, 153-83.

The Board proceeded to audit and allow bills and at 6 o'clock P. M. adjourned to meet again at 9 o'clock A. M.

August 10th, 1915. Board met at 9:00 o'clock A. M. as per adjournment. Com. Anderson in the chair and all members present.

Moved by Com. Lokensgard, seconded by Com. Hennessy that the road

overseers report of T. A. McGrew of Twp. 154 R. 81 be accepted and approved and the auditor instructed to issue warrant in the sum of \$112.41. Motion carried.

Moved by Com. Hennessy, seconded by Com. Lokensgard that the report of the coroner of an inquest held over the body of Paul Hupski, near Max, on the 5th day of August, 1915 and over the body of W. M. New, in the city of Minot on the 23rd day of July, 1915, and over the body of E. O. Edwards in the city of Minot on the 16th day of July 1915, be accepted and approved and the auditor instructed to issue warrants in payment of same. Motion carried.

The board proceeded to audit bills and at 12 o'clock A. M. adjourned to meet again at 2 o'clock P. M.

**Afternoon Session.**

The Board met at 2:00 o'clock P. M. as per adjournment. Com. Anderson in the chair with all members present.

Moved by Com. Lokensgard, seconded by Com. Rohe that the requisition from the Clerk of the Dist. Court for 70 names to complete the jury list for the county and district courts be accepted and the names distributed among the different townships, villages and cities as follows. Motion carried.

Nedrose, 1. Minot City, 11. Des Lacs Village, 1. Berthold Village, 3. Douglas Village, 1. Donnybrook, 1. Carpio Twp., 2. Orlein, 2. Kenmare Twp., 3. St. Mary's 2. Torning, 1. Freedom, 1. Ryder Twp., 2. Greenbush, 1. Poxholm, 1. Evergreen, 2. Margaret, 1. Harrison, 3. Mandan, 1. Eureka, 2. Burt, 1. Anna, 1. Mayland, 1. Kirkelie, 1. Brilliant, 2. Vang, 2. Ree, 1. Willis, 1. Surrey, 2. Burlington Twp., 1. Lund, 1. Rice Lake, 1. Waterford, 2.

Moved by Com. Hennessy seconded by Com. Vandenoever that the report of the overseer of the Poor of the City of Minot for quarter ending June 30th be accepted and approved and the auditor is herewith authorized to issue warrant to the city of Minot in the sum of \$1054.40, being 75 per cent of the amount paid out by city for care of poor. Motion carried.

Moved by Com. Rohe seconded by Com. Hennessy that the following bonds be accepted and approved and placed on file. Motion carried.

Bond No. 2741 of the First State Bank of Ryder in the amount of \$2000 with the Northern Trust Company as surety, given for the renewal of the sinking fund deposit.

Bond No. 8456 of the State Bank of Berthold in the amount of \$5000.00 with the Northwestern Trust Co. as surety, given for the renewal of the sinking fund deposit.

Bond No. 9059 of the German American State Bank, Burlington in the amount of \$5000.00 with the Dakota Trust Co. as surety, given for the renewal of the sinking fund deposit.

Moved by Com. Lokensgard seconded by Com. Rohe that the reports of the checking committees appointed to check up all the county offices for quarter ending June 20, be accepted and approved and placed on file. Motion carried.

Moved by Com. Hennessy seconded by Com. Vandenoever that the report of the manager of the poor farm for the month of July, showing 32 inmates at county farm, be accepted and approved and placed on file. Motion carried.

Moved by Com. Vandenoever seconded by Com. Rohe that the following reports and statements be accepted and approved and placed on file. Motion carried.

**For Month of July.**

Statement of fees of Clerk of Dist. Court showing collections of \$201.25. Statement of fees of the Clerk of the County Court showing collections of \$125.00. Statement of fees of the Register of Deeds showing collections of \$234.05. Statement of fees collected by sheriff in civil actions in the amount of \$158.97.

Report of sheriff of 1913 delinquent personal property taxes collected from Jan. 4th to July 31st in the amount of \$1,535.30.

Report of sheriff of 1913 delinquent personal property taxes collected during month of July in the amount of \$23.98.

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Moved by Com. Lokensgard seconded by Com. Vandenoever that the following contracts and bonds be accepted and approved and placed on file and the chairman of the board authorized to sign the contracts. Carried.

Contract of Minot Construction Co. for grade work between sections 24 and 25, Twp. 154, R. 84, at 16 cents per cu. yd., and construction of bridge between same sections at \$2.30, bond in the amount of \$550 with A. P. and J. H. Scofield as sureties.

Contract of E. L. Perry for construction of bridge at section 26 Twp. 154, R. 82 at \$93.00 bond in the sum of \$100.00 with E. D. Skinner as surety.

Contract of Geo. W. Kemper for construction of bridge between sections 25 and 26 Twp. 156, R. 83 at \$240,000 bond in the amount of \$240, with M. R. Porter as surety.

Moved by Com. Vandenoever seconded by Com. Hennessy that the following petitions be accepted and approved and viewers appointed. Motion carried.

Petition for opening up highway through Twp. 154, R. 82, signed by O. E. McGuire and 19 others.

Petition for opening section line in Twp. 156-84 and for bridge over Mouse river, signed by A. B. Hills, C. J. Swanson and others.

Petition for grading between sections 12 and 13, 154-83 signed by Ole Grothe and others.

Petition for highway in Twp. 154-87 signed by Thos. Erickson, John Higgins and others.

Petition for bridge between sections 7 and 12, 154-82 and 83 signed by Ole Grothe and others.

Moved by Com. Lokensgard seconded by Com. Hennessy that the minutes of the previous meetings be read. Motion carried.

The minutes were read and on motion of Com. Rohe seconded by Com. Hennessy were approved as read. Motion carried.

Moved by Com. Lokensgard seconded by Com. Rohe that the following applications for abatement of taxes be accepted and approved and the auditor is hereby authorized to make the proper corrections on the tax lists. Motion carried.

Application for abatement of real estate taxes for the years 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1914 on S. E. 1-4, S. E. 1-4 Sec. 21, 151-81, for the reason that the land was not proved up until Nov. 20, 1913 and the assessment for the year 1914 is a double assessment.

Application of first State Bank of Burlington for abatement of real estate taxes for the year 1914 on parts

Greeley, 2. Tatman, 1. Spencer, 2. Spring Lake, 1. Hiddenwood, 2. Jesse, Twp. 154-81, Sawyer, N. D. A. D. Morey, 154-82, Logan, Art Sillman, 154-82.

Moved by Com. Rohe seconded by Com. Hennessy that the statement of services rendered by the sheriff during the month of July in criminal actions be accepted and allowed and the auditor is hereby authorized to issue warrant to the sheriff in the sum of \$308.78. Motion carried.

Moved by Com. Lokensgard seconded by Com. Hennessy that the following, described section line be opened and same is hereby declared a public highway. Motion carried.

Beginning at the N. W. corner of Sec. 23, Twp. 154, R. 82 thence running south three miles on section line with a slight variation from line across coulee between sections 26 and 27 Twp. 154-82 as shown on plat on file in the office of the county surveyor.

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of lots 4 and 5, Block 1, Colton's Add. to Burlington for the reason of an error in the assessment.

Application of J. M. Rohe and Co. for abatement of personal property assessment in the city of Kenmare for the year 1915 for the reason of double assessment, same property being assessed to Rohe and Rohe.

Moved by Com. Vandenoever seconded by Com. Lokensgard that the following requisitions from county officers for supplies be accepted and the auditor is hereby authorized to order same. Motion carried.

County treasurer for 2000 letter heads, 3000 notices to delinquent personal property taxpayers, 7000 notices to delinquent real estate taxpayers, 10,000 envelopes, No. 13.

Supt. of Schools for 5000 letter heads, States attorney for 1000 No. 5 stamped envelopes. Register of deeds for record books.

Moved by Com. Hennessy seconded by Com. Vandenoever that the following bills be allowed and the auditor is hereby authorized to issue warrants in payment of same. Motion carried.

City of Minot, care of poor... \$1054.40

Perry & Kenaston, grading 33 and 4, 153-82, 32 and 33, 154-82... 200.00

R. E. Cook, road work 154-82... 44.00

R. A. Nestos, office expense... 67.41

Dorr H. Carroll, services of automobile, state's attorney's office... 10.00

H. C. Frahm, services, mileage, assistance and expense... 159.20

James Hayes, dragging roads Sawyer township... 37.50

R. E. Hopkins, stamps... 14.00

Kenmare Journal, job printing... 8.50

John Lee, dragging roads... 17.25

Harry Lyght, Road work, 154-82... 14.00

William Murray, fees, insanity cases... 10.00

John Renz, dragging roads North Hill... 14.00

H. G. Rasmussen, 2 cows and calves for poor farm... 155.00

D. Vannett, Digging rocks on road... 23.25

B. J. Anderson, expense to Minneapolis for buying cattle... 75.00

City of Minot, water rent for July... 56.25

Carl Lindberg, freight and express... 138.92

Skrivseth Studio, portrait... 3.15

P. Vandenoever, expense to Minneapolis for buying cattle... 75.00

Alex Scarlett, supplies... 12.00

Alex Scarlett, County Court blanks... 12.00

Olaf Lokensgard, services and expenses... 89.91

Scarletts, supplies... 6.75

Scarletts, covers... 12.00

Scarletts, documents and envelopes... 50.97

Scarletts, quit claim deeds... .15

Scarletts, stationery... 1.13

Scarletts, Stationery... 1.20

Scarletts, carbon paper, mending tissue... 1.58

Peter Johnson, services... 3.20

William Hecker, repairing grades on Twp. line, 154-81-

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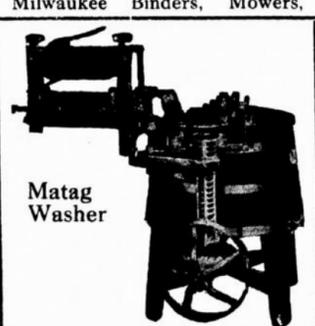
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Louis F. Ayer, stenographer	4.55	City of Minot, patient's care for county	16.52
Lucis F. Ayer, stenographer	14.20	United Chemical Co. chemicals for jail and court house	103.00
F. C. Newman, census	14.52	August Paulson, grading at	
Denmark Twp., Census	112.41		
T. A. McGrew, road supervisor or	138.10		
J. M. Rohe, services and expense			(Continued on page 7.)

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