

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners

WHITMAN COUNTY, WASHINGTON.

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Pursuant to adjournment, the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Whitman and State of Washington, met the 7th day of December, 1908.

Members present.—W. C. McCoy, Chairman, J. R. Ruple and Samuel Ellis, County Commissioners.

Current Expense Claims Allowed.

Bramwell Bros., supplies for county physician	7 00
Bramwell Bros., supplies for county Auditor	45 50
Bramwell Bros., supplies for judge	2 75
Bramwell Bros., supplies for county superintendent	80 00
Bickford, P. G., fuel for election	1 50
Buzzard & Sons, supplies for county farm	11 65
Canfield, H. W., supplies for county treasurer	20 50
Coxley Bros., repairing chairs	2 50
Cox, R. A., expense of county farm	7 65
Commoner Printing Co., supplies for county treasurer	45 00
Collins Bros., conveying small-pox patients	10 00
Cocoran, D. P., livery for prosecuting attorney	12 50
Codd & McKenzie, light for November	104 23
Collax City water for November	49 30
Daley, W. J., expense as deputy sheriff	80 40
Dreftus, Simon & Co., supplies for court house	31 95
Dwyer, Tom upholstering furniture	105 50
Ellis, J. A., disinfectants	1 50
Dickinson, G. L., expense deputy sheriff	21 55
Garfield Enterprise, supplies and printing	35 50
Ellerton Flour Mill Co., supplies for county farm	8 20
Edwards, C. H., eighth grade examination	3 00
Ellis, H. C., supplies for county farm	2 45
Ellis, Samuel, expense as county commissioner	18 50
Ellis, W. D., repairing at court house	1 00
Ellis Drug Co., supplies for county superintendent	1 25
Elk Drug Store, supplies for county clerk	7 75
Elk Drug Store, supplies for county treasurer	6 10
Elk Drug Store, supplies for county auditor	3 50
Elk Drug Store, supplies for county superintendent	3 00
Frederick, C. E. & Co., supplies for indigent	17 95
Glass & Prudhomme Co., supplies for Auditor	14 29
Green, Ed., janitor work	3 00
Good, J. R. & Co., repairs	6 00
Hankins, A. H., livery for prosecuting attorney	3 00
Hall, D. E., engineer heating plant	52 00
Hall, Oliver, burying indigent	15 00
Hamilton, W. J., drugs and disinfectants	21 65
Henderson, J. A., supplies for county farm	3 75
Hill, R. F. & Co., supplies for Auditor	2 25
Johnson, A. F., livery	7 00
Johnson & Johnson, fuel for court house	406 85
Kipp, R. H., expense as prosecuting attorney	26 85
King, A. E., supplies for county auditor	12 80
King, A. E., supplies for county auditor	10 45
Lippitt Bros., supplies for sheriff	2 25
Love, H. M., supplies for stenographer	4 85
Love, H. M., stamps for stenographer	4 50
Mattson, Mrs. J. O., eighth grade examination	7 50
Mattson, J. O., mileage	16 70
Meane, Henry, hauling dirt	2 50
Model Steam Laundry, laundry for court house	60 00
Murry, E. C., expense as county engineer	10 55
McKinney, T. H., small-pox nurse expense	10 63
McCoy, W. C., expense as county commissioner	7 65
Newton & Goff, livery for surveyor	14 00
Newton & Goff, livery for sheriff	15 50
Newton & Goff, livery for county nurse	9 00
Oberly, M. B., supplies for county farm	13 90
Pacific Builder and Engineer Advertising for bridges	8 80
Palmer, C. E., expense as deputy sheriff	26 05
Pioneer Bindery and Printing Co., supplies for county superintendent	15 00
Pioneer Bindery and Printing Co., supplies for county superintendent	59 72
Potlatch Lumber Co., fuel for indigent	2 50
Pullman Herald county printing	19 75
Pullman Herald supplies for county Auditor	65 00
Pullman Herald printing for treasurer	27 65
Ratliff, Fred S., expense as sheriff	91 91
Ratliff, Fred S., boarding prisoners	56 40
Reed & Ripley, draying	50 00
Ripley, J. K., expense as county commissioner	19 10
Shaw & Borden Co., supplies for county engineer	5 00
St. Ignatius hospital caring for indigent	283 00
Stevenson, J. R., making pictures for prosecuting attorney	4 75
Smith, Olive, cleaning in court house	31 60
Schick & Lamphere, supplies and printing	39 60
Tekoa Pharmacy, supplies	3 00
Wheeler & Motter Co., supplies for county farm	3 50
Wheeler Motter Co., supplies for court house	4 20
White, B. D., fuel for court house	21 38
Worth, Lee A., supplies for county farm	10 45
Zimmerman, P. L., supplies for county farm	21 00
Abbott, F. T., telegram for Judge	70 00

Road and Bridge Claims Allowed.

Amshy, J. W., blacksmithing	1 90
Anderson, D. F. & Sons, supplies for crusher	31 60
Anderson, D. F., & Sons, supplies for crusher	28 25
Asburn, Harry, labor on Stipe road	12 00
Barroll & Mahoney road supplies	5 00
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Bickford, P. G., fuel for crusher	98 18
Bramwell Bros., repairing crusher	10 75
Dreftus, Simon & Co., road supplies	20 25
Drinkwater, A. B., blacksmithing	4 95
Edwards, W. J., blacksmithing	23 90
Hayfield Bros., nails, in auger	95 00
Henkle & Schuler, bridge supplies	6 50
Hoare, Wm., road supplies	11 50
Hoar, Wm., road supplies	28 15
Johnson & Johnson, fuel for crusher	28 15
Lee, J. S., road supplies	3 00
Marsh, W. D., fill at bridge	50 00
Madison Lumber Co., fuel for crusher	16 10
Madison Lumber Co., lumber	24 05
Meckling, A. W., blacksmithing	3 95
McNall, E. P., road supplies	2 50
Nelson, C. M., labor	4 00
Neighbor, H. M., livery county engineer	3 00
Phelps, Nellie, land for McClure bridge	150 00
Pleasant Valley Implement Co., road supplies	4 80
Peavy, Joseph, road supplies	4 00
Fig, Frank, labor on Stipe road	16 00
Fring, Charles, labor on Stipe road	10 50
Potlatch Lumber Co., lumber	178 50
Potlatch Lumber Co., lumber	3 10
Potlatch Lumber Co., lumber	185 20
Potlatch Lumber Co., lumber	62 15
Potlatch Lumber Co., lumber	27 70
Potlatch Lumber Co., lumber	1 10
Potlatch Lumber Co., lumber	11 05
Potlatch Lumber Co., lumber	16 20
Pullman Hardware Co., road supplies	114 30
Pullman State Bank freight	3 00
Ruth & Hartman, state aid road	2009 28
Stewart, Chas. G., raising bridge at Palouse	1100 00
Strong, Geo. G., lumber	21 65
Scott, E. L., & Co., road supplies	17 20
Stewart, Chas. G., hardware Co., road supplies	34 50
Snider, A., & Son, lumber	11 40
Stipe, W. M., blacksmithing	1 05
Stuart, Mark, labor on Stipe road	6 00
Tipton Bros., livery county engineer	5 00
Valk, A., payment Winona bridge	700 00
Valk, A., fixing bridge	95 00
Wilmer, Dwyer Helmer Co., road supplies	7 60
Wilmer, Dwyer Helmer Co., supplies for crusher	1 40
Wood, J. A., labor Stipe road	28 00

Surveyors' Cost Bills Allowed.

Huber Bros., road	33 46
Penawawa Siding, road	1 50
Inspecting bridges	99 95

Road District Claims Allowed.

Road District No. 1	
Bailor, P. H., labor	7 00
Bailor, S. S., foreman	20 50
Bailor, S. S., foreman	41 00
Bailor, S. S., foreman	35 10
Bailor, S. S., foreman	19 20
Bailor, Elgin, labor	23 40
Bailor, Elgin, labor	4 00
Bailor, Elmer, labor	23 40
Bailor, Elmer, labor	4 00
Best, Conway, labor	100 00
Burns, S. H., foreman	29 00
Clark, J. B., labor	10 00
Clark, E. Amos, labor	18 50
Davis, Wm., labor	16 20
Decker, John, labor	5 00
Dickson, Chas., labor	12 00
Farris, O. I., labor	10 90
Fealy, J. R., labor	4 00
Fealy, J. R., labor	4 60
Fealy, J. R., labor	23 40
Gammitt, Paul, labor	20 00

Gilkey, J. O., labor	8 20
Gilkey, J. O., labor	23 40
Gilkey, J. O., labor	5 00
Gilkey, J. O., labor	4 00
Herron, W. S., labor	15 75
Hein, Henry, labor	12 00
Huntley, supervisor	35 50
Humphreys, Griff, labor	38 00
Lamb, M. E., labor	2 00
Leathart, Geo. A., labor	6 50
McNall, O. P., foreman	28 50
McPheeters, S. F., foreman	63 60
McPheeter, Orville, labor	52 65
McMillian, C. F., labor	100 00
Overholt, W. E., labor	10 90
Roberts, M. C., labor	25 00
Roberts, T. O., labor	12 50
Stevens, F. M., foreman	12 00
Still, Milan, foreman	86 50
Stillson, W. J., labor	22 00
Stillson, W. J., labor	20 00
Torpey, W. L., labor	3 75
Torpey, Michael, labor	12 15
Venters, J. A., labor	11 25
Wright, Joseph, labor	30 90
Wright, W. F., foreman	38 00

Road District No. 2.

Anderson, J. H., foreman	10 00
Rames, Vernal, labor	2 00
Blair, C. A., labor	3 25
Boyd, A. R., foreman	100 80
Bunting, A. C., labor	21 30
Byrton, John, labor	4 50
Bryant, Nat, foreman	35 20
Carter, James, labor	22 80
Clark, B., labor	28 00
Crawford, Samuel, labor	34 00
Rames, E. L., labor	5 50
Cunningham, W. J., labor	7 50
Cunningham, J. A., labor	7 00
Cunningham, J. J., supervisor	14 80
Dailey, Frank, labor	2 00
Dailey, Archie, labor	3 20
Fort, T. S., labor	5 00
Gideon, Z. A., labor	2 00
Gibson, J. N., labor	7 50
Gulick, Fred, labor	20 00
Hodges, F. A., labor	9 75
Hughes, H. I., labor	9 00
James, W., labor	4 00
Jeffries, Claude, labor	21 00
Johnson A., labor	28 00
Jones, P. J., labor	6 50
Largent, L. E., roller engineer	52 50
Labe, J. B., labor	22 80
Levit, C. M., labor	4 00
Lester, M. W., labor	7 00
Ling, Bud, labor	37 00
Modora, August, labor	15 00
McReynolds, Joseph, labor	4 00
Oldham, W. A., labor	4 50
Parvil, W. A., labor	4 00
Reid, Charles, labor	15 25
Riley, Geo. A., labor	29 50
Richardson, Ernest, labor	4 00
Richardson, Tom, labor	3 50
Ringer, Lute, labor	12 50
Robertson, W. W., foreman	18 00
Robertson, Clarence, labor	16 00
Spray, G. W., labor	2 00
Stevenson, W. D., labor	21 00
Sills, J. T., labor	38 00
Simpson, J. W., labor	2 25
Siler, Alvin, labor	4 00
Siler, W. A., labor	6 50
Siler, Walter, labor	4 00
Stover, E. A., blacksmithing	4 15
Thompson, W. M., labor	2 25
Thompson, G., labor	4 00
Thurston, C. P., labor	43 00
Vischer, A. J., labor	4 75
West, J. T., labor	2 00
Wolfe, Lester, labor	5 50

Road District No. 3.

Arrasmuth, Ray, labor	14 00
Bartelson, H. G., labor	6 00
Bloom, John H., supervisor	51 00
Bodine, J. M., foreman	23 00
Casserly, T. I., labor	12 00
Canutt, V. A., labor	9 00
Davis, B. C., labor	6 00
Davis, J. C., labor	12 00
Ellis, S. J., labor	6 00
Greer, W. J., labor	4 00
Cunrison, Howard, labor	12 00
Hanbin, W. P., labor	4 00
Hinchliff, Clarence, labor	1 00
Hoffman, F. W., labor	1 00
Jordan, S. P., labor	1 00
Lee, Harvey, labor	10 00
Weber, Leid, labor	10 00
Wollner, Roll, labor	9 60
Love, H. D., labor	7 00
Long, Lem, labor	10 50
Lyons, Lake, labor	6 00
Madson, Martin, labor	8 90
Mackey, J. B., labor	12 00
Maine, J. W., labor	6 00
McDaniel, George, labor	3 00
Parvin, H. N., labor	7 50
Parkins, Walter, labor	10 00
Pritchard, J. E., labor	6 00
Pointer, W. N., labor	28 00
Rothermal, Henry, labor	6 00
Rockwell, J. S., labor	50 00
Roberts, Harry, labor	5 00
Statnett, Phil, labor	8 50
Sherfey, W. E., labor	10 50
Scott, H., labor	12 50
Summers, J. W., labor	6 00
Tracy, H. W., labor	6 50
Thelma, H. W., labor	6 00
Thomson, J. W., labor	6 00
White, M. B., labor	6 00

Road District No. 4.

Ackerman, Paul H., labor	22 00
Garman, J. T., labor	42 00
James, I. W., labor	6 00
Morasch, Phillip, labor	28 00
Paul, J. P., labor	15 00
Wise, W. B., Supervisor	28 00

Justice Court Cost Bills.

State of Washington vs W. J. Kitterman	45 30
State of Washington vs George Krom	5 75

Coroner's Cost Bill.

In the case of W. De Cordova	37 25
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Miscellaneous Matters.

The report of the County Auditor on the Expenditure of Appropriation made August 5, 1908 to defray the Current Expense of the Office was approved by the Board.

The Report of the County Auditor on the Expenditure of Appropriation made October 19, 1908, to defray the Current Expense of the Office was approved by the Board.

The report of the County Auditor on checking Books of the Treasurer for the month of October, was approved by the Board.

The Auditor's Certified List of Salaries for the month of November was approved by the Board.

The report of R. A. Cox, Superintendent of the County Farm was approved by the Board.

Joseph Lynch, of Palouse, was granted an Auctioneer's License.

Joseph Williamson of Malden was granted a license to conduct a Bowling Alley.

The Bond of Joseph Williamson of Malden was approved by the Board.

The application of John Monroe of Malden for license to conduct a pool room was rejected.

An order was made transferring \$181.50 from the Board and Bridge Fund to Road District No. 2 to reimburse the District Fund for warrants drawn on account of raising the Steel Bridge at Palouse.

An order was made transferring from Road District No. 2 Fund, to the Road and Bridge Fund, \$925.33, the same being thirty percent of the County's one-half of the expense of improving the Eskridge Road by State Aid.

An order was made cancelling Current Expense Warrant No. 7210 for \$7.30 and No. 7215 for \$2.00.

The allowance heretofore made to Mrs. Chris Christenson of St. John was ordered discontinued.

On application of the County Coroner the sum of \$38.00 found on the body of Joe Ladich and turned in to the County Treasurer, was ordered refunded to the Coroner and by him to be turned over to the relatives of the deceased.

On application of Fred S. Ratliff, sheriff, an order was made offering a reward of \$200 for the body of J. R. Bradshaw, a citizen of Whitman County who is thought to have been murdered in Spokane.

The following bonds were approved: I. B. Doolittle, Justice of the Peace for Precincts Nos. 36, 46, and 53.

B. M. Keaton, Justice of the Peace for Precinct No. 14.

John Sidler, Justice of the Peace for Precinct No. 61.

Frank Beste, Constable for Precincts Nos. 44 and 52.

William Cole, Constable for Precinct No. 65.

The County Engineer submitted reports on the condition of bridges over the following streams:

Dry Creek.
Cottonwood and Pleasant Valley.
Pine Creek, above Rosalia.
Four Mile.

Bids having been called for the construction of eight Steel Bridges the same were now opened and examined with the following results:

Shawnee Bridge.	
Intermountain Bridge Co., Tecumseh, Nebraska	\$3417 00
C. G. Sheeley, Denver, Colo.	3197 00
Columbia Bridge Co., Walla Walla, Washington	3110 00
J. W. Janney, Tekoa, Wash.	2995 00
Wm. Oliver Bridge Co., Spokane, Wash.	3490 00
I. J. Bailey & Co., Wenatchee, Wash.	3024 00
Burrell Construction Co., Oakland, California	3900 00

Armstrong Siding Bridge.

Intermountain Bridge Co.	\$3130 00
C. G. Sheeley	2760 00
Columbia Bridge Co.	2750 00
J. W. Janney	2540 00
Wm. Oliver Bridge Co.	3190 00
I. J. Bailey & Co.	2656 00
Burrell Construction Co.	3200 00

Frank Dowling Bridge.

Intermountain Bridge Co.	\$2653 00
C. G. Sheeley	2297 00
Columbia Bridge Co.	2440 00
J. W. Janney	2167 00
Wm. Oliver Bridge Co.	2590 00
I. J. Bailey & Co.	2078 00
Burrell Construction Co.	3000 00

Torrance Bridge.

Intermountain Bridge Co.	\$5758 00
C. G. Sheeley	5290 00
Columbia Bridge Co.	5390 00
J. W. Janney	4200 00
Wm. Oliver Bridge Co.	5590 00
I. J. Bailey	4950 00
Burrell Construction Co.	6300 00

Stipe Bridge.

Intermountain Bridge Co.	4813 00
Columbia Bridge Co.	3923 00
C. G. Sheeley	4300 00
J. W. Janney	3975 00
Wm. Oliver Bridge Co.	4500 00
I. J. Bailey	4216 00
Burrell Construction Co.	5200 00

The North Latah Bridge.

Intermountain Bridge Co.	\$2056 00
C. G. Sheeley	1697 00
Columbia Bridge Co.	1970 00
J. W. Janney	2090 00
Wm. Oliver Bridge Co.	2090 00
I. J. Bailey	1928 00
Burrell Construction Co.	2400 00

Horlacher Bridge