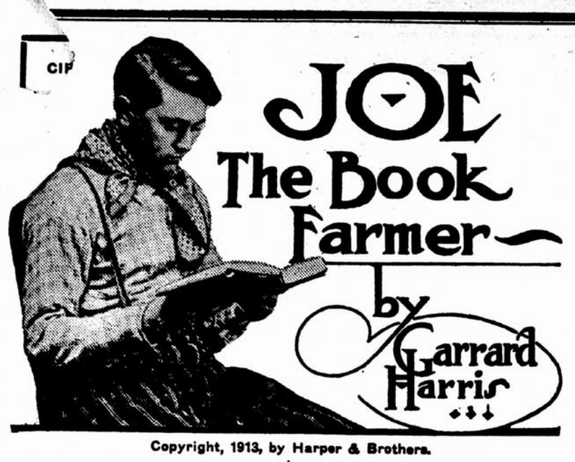

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CHAPTER IV.

Joe Works Unceasingly.

SULLIVAN drove on, his ungreased wagon wheels squeaking a dismal tune and the shaky wagon rattling and jingling in all its joints from being left exposed and unsheltered in all sorts of weather.

Joe went to the barn and got a sack. From the oak grove he managed to scrape up four sackfuls of leaves. These he placed in a corner of the fence. Then he cut a pole about ten feet long and ran it cater cornered through the wires of the two lines of fence about three feet from the ground. Several shorter ones were placed behind it to the angle formed by the fence corner post.

With his hatchet he cut pine brush from the bushes in an old field and piled them on the poles in the fence corner, the stems all pointing to the front, until a thick thatch formed a sloping roof which would shed rain. Then he piled more pine brush about the two sides formed by the converging wire fence and climbed over and surveyed his work.

He had made a cozy rain and wind proof shelter, and he smiled as he thought of how those uncared for pigs of Sullivan's would enjoy it. Across the road was a spring branch and an abandoned washtub from the house, with an approach of dirt banked to its edge, which, set down and placed in the field, formed a watering place for the pigs. Joe thoughtfully put several large stones in the tub so that the water was not over five inches deep. In case one of the pigs fell in it would not drown.

Next morning Jim Sullivan brought the pigs, lively, spotted little fellows, but poor as snakes. Joe turned them loose in the field, and they began eating the tender young rye as if they were famished. Jim's scrawny horses were also ravenously devouring the green stuff. After stipulating that Sullivan was to fill the water tub each morning and evening Joe locked the gate and went up to the house.

"Mother, you and sister come with me. I've got something to show you," he said.

"All right. Come on, Annie," called Mrs. Weston. And they followed Joe down the road to his "farm," as they called the four acres.

"Oh-h, brother, look at those old horses in your farm! Let's run them out!" cried Annie.

"Hurry, son! They are just gobbling your rye."

Joe laughed.

"That's what I put them in there for. I'm renting it for a pasture for awhile."

"But they are eating up the rye!" objected his mother.

"That won't hurt it—really benefits it. Those first shoots nipped off makes the roots throw out twice as many more, and makes each plant stronger and thicker."

"Oh, and there are two horrid little pigsies in there too! I'll chase them out for you," said Annie.

"I thought you said that hogproof fencing would keep them out?" inquired Mrs. Weston.

"It will—and keep them in too. Those are my pigs, and I put them in there. I traded pasturage with Jim Sullivan for them."

"They are mighty little—and poor," observed his mother.

"I feels sorry for them—just look at their poor little ribses!" said Annie.

Joe Then Started to Hoe a Field of Potatoes.

"Which do you like best, sis?"

"That cute little one with the white face and the curly tail."

"All right; that's your pig, and his name is John L. Sullivan, and the other one is named Mike Sullivan."

"Oh, thank you for John L., Buddy! I just love my pig now!"

"The other one belongs to you, mother."

"Why, I'm obliged to you, son, but I hardly know what to do with it. We have no pen, you know."

"You and Annie just save the kitchen scraps for them. I'll feed them on this rye and oats awhile, and that will give them a good start. Then I'll build a pen nearer the house. If we keep them growing right each one ought to weigh 300 pounds by next fall."

"But, son, we couldn't use all that meat"—

"No'm; I know that, and I didn't mean for us to eat them. I wanted you to have something for your very own—you and Annie. Those hogs will bring $15 apiece or maybe more next fall. I want you and sister to take the money, every cent of it, and buy you some new dresses and things."

Tears welled up into his mother's eyes. It had been a long time since she had bought a new dress. Her garments were really so shabby and rusty that she would not go to church, and some unkind little girls had made fun of Annie at Sunday school not long since, which sent her home, her little heart sorely hurting. She danced about in glee.

"Oh, I'm going to have a velvet cap with a red feather in it, and a red and black worsted dress, and a pair of new shoes, and some stockings that ain't patched!" she cried, hugging her brother.

"It's mighty good of you, son, to think of your mother that way," said Mrs. Weston.

"It isnt half of what I am going to do when I get a start," answered Joe stoutly.

"Son, it isn't so much what you do, but it is the fact that you thought of your mother and sister and wanted to help them that makes me happy," smiled his mother.

"Well, I just saw a chance to pick up something that would give you and sis something all your very own. It—it gives a person a heap more interest in everything to own something, don't it?"

"Indeed it does, Joe."

Joe then started to hoe a field of potatoes. Then he returned to his pigs.

John L. and Mike, now filled to repletion, sought the shelter Joe had constructed for them and snuggled among the dry leaves with many contented grunts.

"Ain't you going to feed 'em, Buddy?"

"Not now—just a few scraps from the house and maybe a nubbin of corn a day for variety. This rye is about all they need."

"Why, that won't fatten them," said Mrs. Weston.

"No'm, but that government bulletin says it's a waste of feed to try to fatten hogs under eight months old if they are to be kept until they are a year old. All we want to do is to give them enough to keep them healthy and growing fast, and that green feed will do it. It will build up a good strong frame to hang all that fat on during the last three months."

"Pigs is dirty beasts," announced Annie, as if she had discovered something new.

"Because the people that own them put them in nasty, little, muddy pens, keep pouring swill and slops in there and never give it a chance to dry out. Hogs don't like filth."

"And they wallows in mudholes!" argued Annie.

"They do that to kill the flies and insects that bother them and to keep cool in summer. Mud isn't filthy. Give a hog a good range for pasture and clean water to drink and he is clean as a cow."

Annie was not convinced.

"They eats nasty slops," she announced crushingly.

"If the slops are nasty it's the fault of the people that give them to the hogs. Pigs naturally graze like cows and horses and would rather eat nice green grass or grain than slops any time," said Joe.

"I never knew that before," remarked his mother; "but, come to think of it, they always do seem to be eating something off the ground."

"It's grass and weeds and roots and such stuff. And they don't mind a nice fat cricket or a grasshopper either," said Joe.

As the three strolled back to the house Mrs. Weston looked over in the field behind the barn. There was Mr. Weston with the two horse turning plow breaking about five acres of land as deeply as he could sink the plow.

"Well, I never!" she exclaimed. "This is the first time I ever heard of your father breaking any land before March. Joe, I wonder what put him in that notion?"

"He seen Buddy doing it," announced Annie, with an air of conviction. His mother and sister continued toward the house, and Joe went to where his father was steadily plowing.

"What you going to plant, daddy?" he asked. Mr. Weston grinned a bit sheepishly.

"I ain't never thought about plantin' oats till I seen you do it, and I just figgered I could foller the oats with late corn, an' maybe some peavine hay for these critters, and make a double crop on the land. It's pretty late to be plantin' oats, though, ain't it? You don't s'pose it's too late, do you?"

It was the first time his father had ever recognized him as knowing anything at all about farming, and to be asked as an authority compensated for a whole lot of things.

"No, sir; they'll 'make' all right. If I were you I'd cross break this land, and I'll harrow it for you tomorrow."

"Exactly what I was goin' to do," said his father.

"And, daddy, if you want to, you can turn those horses in on my rye nights when Sullivan's horses are off. I think some green stuff would help them a whole lot."

"Now, that's mighty clever, son—an' you needn't pay for the use of the wagon to haul that fertilizer in, nor for the use of the harrow and horse."

"Thank you, sir. I'm going up now and see how much seed oats I have left—I think there is a bushel and a half. You may have 'em—it will save you just that much."

His father's eyes followed him up the hill toward the house. Joe felt nearer to his father than he could ever recall before—more on an equality as a comrade with him.

"Giddap, Baldy!" called Tom Weston to the lazy one of his team. "Baldy, I thought that boy was actin' the fool about these leaves an' stuff an' this here deep plowin'. It ain't him, Baldy; it's me. Giddap! By granny, I got to be makin' up for a lot of time I've lost by bein' pigheaded."

That night Joe got down his account book. One page he had headed "Expense," and there he carefully entered every cent paid out for posts, wire, labor, seed. On the opposite side he wrote the heading "Income" for the first results of his farming operations that had come in the shape of two scrawny little pigs.

"Received from J. Sullivan two spotted pigs six weeks old; value, $2 each; total, $4," he entered. On another page he headed, "J. Weston in acct. with Weston & Somerville." He had taken the pigs in for the firm, but presented both to his mother and sister.

"To one of the Sullivan pigs," he wrote under his individual account, then paused. He started to charge the pig at the two dollar value, but at once put the thought from him.

"One of those pigs is mine; the other is Mr. Somerville's. If I take his pig and make a present of it I should settle with Mr. Somerville at what the pig would be worth when he and I settle in the fall. I'll pay for it out of my share of the crop," he said to himself. Then he picked up the pen.

"To one of the Sullivan pigs, $15," he wrote.

(To be continued.)

RINGO LAKE.

Ringo Lake, Nov. 15—Mrs. Berg delightfully entertained a large number of friends last Sunday.

A box social will be held in Lakeview schoolhouse, Dist. 70, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 24. A good program will be rendered commencing at 7:30 o'clock. Everyone is hereby invited to come.

Misses Mabel and Anna Ekblad spent last Sunday at the W. Ekblad home in Spicer.

A. Carlson's young folks spent last Sunday at the August Carlson home near New London.

Mr. Otto Ekblad arrived home last week from a few days' visit in St. Paul.

Mr. Arvid Pohl came out from Willmar last Thursday to visit at Berg's.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Carlson and daughter, Stella and son, Lloyd, were Sunday visitors at J. Peterson's.

August Dengerud from near Norway Lake was a Sunday visitor at J. E. Carlson's.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Hanson and daughter, Rubina of Willmar visited from Saturday until Sunday at Berg's.

The Willing Workers' Society which was entertained at the home of Miss Lena Monson last Friday was well attended. The proceeds amounted to $6.00.

DOVRE.

Dovre, Nov. 17—The Dovre Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. I. C. Holland November 24. Rev. M. B. Michaelson will speak. All welcome to attend.

Iver Skaftedahl has returned from Fergus Falls where he has been employed with a threshing crew for some time.

The Vikör Y. P. S. will meet at the home of Nels Sletten next Friday evening, Nov. 19. A good attendance is looked for.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swalin of Willmar are visiting at the Theo. Dengerud home.

The Y. P. meeting held at the Alvig home last Sunday was well attended. Rev. Larsen delivered a very interesting and instructive talk. The receipts were about $6.00.

Mr. John Hatleberg is enjoying a visit from his sister. She is enroute from Montana to Marshall, Minn.

Willie Hegstrom has returned from a two weeks' stay in North Dakota.

Several friends from Willmar were entertained at the John Otterness home last Sunday.

Nels and Gurina Elgeross and Carl Birkeland called at the C. C. Birkeland home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rierson and Stella Berry visited at Ole Alvig's last Sunday.

Mrs. N. B. Leines returned last Tuesday from Benson, where she has visited with her mother.

Carl Sletten and C. F. Birkeland left this morning for St. Paul.

ARCTANDER.

Arctander, Nov. 15th.—Mrs. Skare and Mrs. C. T. Skindelien visited at the Herman Edman home last Sunday.

Quite a few from here attended the Y. P. S. at the Negaard home last Sunday.

A parcel shower was given Miss Minnie Ellingson a week ago last Saturday. Everyone enjoyed a good time.

Miss Minnie Ellingson and brother and Gotfrid Liem spent Sunday at P. P. Lien's.

Peter Tongen is at present working at the S. Reigstad home.

Mrs. Ole Stene and Mrs. Poverud visited with the latter's daughter at the Jackson farm one day last week.

Elling Ellingson left a week ago on a deer hunt in the northern part of Minnesota.

A surprise party was given at Henry Nordin's last Saturday evening.

Victor Nelson made a call at the S. Reigstad home last Sunday.

Mrs. John Edberg of Willmar is at present visiting at the C. G. Nelson home.

Miss Minnie Skindelien visited with her sister, Mrs. John Lundemoe, a couple of days last week.

RINGVILLE-GEORGEVILLE.

Ringville-Georgeville, Nov. 15—Mrs. Henry Halvorson, who underwent an operation at Rochester some time ago, returned to her home here Thursday.

The Iverslie and Gunderson families were entertained at the Rasmus Olson home Sunday.

William Newgard called on Simon Lunde Saturday evening.

A hat social will be given in the Ringville school Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Johnson and daughter, Minnie, visited with the Knut Lunde family at Regal, Sunday.

Miss Huldah Stenerson, who has been staying at Sanborn, N. D., for some time, returned to her parental home here Friday.

The Bethania Ladies' Aid meets Thursday with Mrs. P. O. Sonstegaard.

AUCTION SALE

As I will quit farming, I will sell at public auction on the James Lawler farm, one mile west of Kandiyohi on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30th, 1915.

the following described property:

One black horse, coming 4 years old weight 1300 lbs.; one black mare, 3 years, weight 1200 lbs.; one bay mare, 8 years, with foal, weight 1250 lbs.; one bay trotting mare, coming three years; one gray mare, coming 12 years old; 5 milch cows, 1 fresh and 4 coming in soon; two heifers, 2 years old, coming in this spring; three calves; about 100 chickens; some turkeys and geese; 25 spring pigs; one full-blooded Berkshire boar, one year old; two sets working harness; one set double driving harness; one single harness; one Velie single top buggy, nearly new; one hay rack; one Milwaukee hay rake; one wagon and box, nearly new; one platform buggy; one Minnesota grain binder, 8 ft. cut; one McCormick corn binder; one 2-horse riding cultivator; one 20-disc light draft Kentucky drill; one McCormick mower; one Champion mower; one ice rack; one 500-bushel corn crib, one cutter, one set dump boards, one John Deere sulky plow, two John Deere, 14-inch walking plows, one new; one hog crate; 40 rods, 42 inch web wire; about 150 bushels good corn, 200 bushels seed barley, 600 bushels good seed oats; 75 bushels seed wheat, about 8 tons of hay; one new Galloway No. 9 cream separator; one kitchen range, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale begins at 10 o'clock a. m.

TERMS: All sums under $5.00, cash; over that amount time will be given until Nov. 1st, 1916, at 8 per cent interest.

Free Lunch at Noon.

C. C. LAWLER, Owner.

Harry Sands, Clerk.
W. N. Davis, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE

One-half mile west of Kandiyohi on the O'Neill Farm, on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 6.

Sale starts at 10 a. m., sharp. The following property will be sold:

8 HEAD OF HORSES.

One grey horse, 8 year old, weight about 1550; one bay mare, 8 years old, weight about 1500; one black mare 6 years old, weight about 1400, one sorrel horse, 2 years old; bay mare two years old; one yearling colt; one spring colt.

12 HEAD OF CATTLE.

Five milch cows, four heifers and three spring calves. Thirty-five hogs, 50 chickens, 11 geese.

FARM MACHINERY.

A top buggy, nearly new; an incubator; a 7-ft. McCormick binder; a cultivator; an iron, 4-horse harrow; a gang plow; a disc pulverizer; mower, new; a wide tired wagon; a narrow tired wagon and rack; a light wagon; a Blue Bell Separator; a single harness, new; a 1200 lbs.scale; five horse collars and harness; 25 grain sacks; one stack of hay; household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

Free Lunch at Noon.

TERMS: Sums under $5 cash; sums over $5, time will be given till November 1 ,1916, at 7 per cent interest.

MARY T. O'NEILL, Owner.

W. N. Davis, Auctioneer.
P. B. Hong, Clerk. 11-17-3t

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Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration.

Estate of Gustaf Danielson.

State of Minnesota, County of Kandiyohi, in Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Gustaf Danielson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Emma Danielson having been filed in this court, representing that Gustaf Danielson, then a resident of the County of Kandiyohi, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 14th day of April, 1915; and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Richard Danielson, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Willmar, in the County of Kandiyohi, State of Minnesota, on the 22nd day of November, 1915, at 2 o'clock p. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 25th day of October, 1915.

(COURT SEAL)

IDA A. SANDERSON,
Clerk of Probate Court

CHARLES JOHNSON,
Attorney for Petitioner
Willmar Minn.

(First publication, Nov. 3-4t).

State of Minnesota, } ss.
County of Kandiyohi, }

In District Court,
Twelfth Judicial District.

SUMMONS.

Amanda Melvina Beadleson, Plaintiff,
vs.
James Beadleson, Defendant.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which said complaint has been filed in the Office of the Clerk of the District Court at the Court House in the City of Willmar, County of Kandiyohi and State of Minnesota; and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber at his office, in the Bank of Willmar building, in the City of Willmar, County of Kandiyohi and State of Minnesota, within Thirty (30) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint herein.

Dated November 2nd, 1915.

CHARLES JOHNSON,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Bank of Willmar Building,
Willmar, Minn.

Hoagland & Diffendorf

SPECIAL SESSION OF COUNTY BOARD.

State of Minnesota,
County of Kandiyohi.

County Auditor's Office, Willmar, Minn., November 15, 1915.

The County Board of said county convened in special session on above date at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to call. All members present.

The Raymond M. E. church of Raymond, Minn., had previously filed an application for the settlement and abatement of accumulated taxes, penalties and costs upon Real Estate bid in for the State, which application was taken up and considered. Upon motion made and carried the same was recommended to the Minnesota Tax Commission.

Application of Michael Donovan for a reduction in the assessed valuation of real estate for the current year, was presented and duly considered and on a motion which carried, said application was rejected.

Application of Harold Swenson of New London, Minn., praying for a refundment of delinquent taxes, paid as subsequent for the year 1910, was at this time taken up and considered. On motion said application was recommended to the Minnesota Tax Commission.

In the matter of seining for rough fish in the lakes within the boundaries of Kandiyohi County:

Commissioner C. J. Swenson proposed the following resolution which was adopted by a full vote of the Board:

WHEREAS, It appears to the Board of County Commissioners of Kandiyohi County, that it has become necessary for the protection of fish in certain lakes situated within the borders of Kandiyohi County, Minnesota, that some action be taken by the Board of County Commissioners of said county, forbidding the seining of said lakes.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Kandiyohi County, Minnesota, and pursuant to Section 4809, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1913, that the following lakes situated wholly within the limits of said County, shall not be seined, namely: Norway Lake, Lake Andrew, Eagle Lake, Green Lake, Lake Wagonga, Foot Lake, Willmar Lake, Big Kandiyohi Lake, and all other lakes in said county that are meandered lakes and are now abounding in game fish.

In the matter of a gravel pit situated on the north part of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter (NE¼ NE¼) of section 18, T. 120, R. 34:

The following resolution in the matter offered by County Commissioner S. A. Syverson, was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, On July 13th, 1915, the Board of County Commissioners by resolution authorized the County Attorney of Kandiyohi County to acquire a plot of ground on the north part of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 18, T. 120, R. 34, in Kandiyohi County in order to obtain ground for road purposes;

And whereas under and pursuant to said resolution, the County Attorney purchased a tract of land containing one acre in the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 18, T. 120, R. 34, in said county, for the sum of Two Hundred ($200.00) Dollars for such purpose.

NOW THEREFORE, It is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners that the said purchase be and the same is hereby confirmed, and that the sum of two hundred ($200.00) dollars be appropriated out of the Road and Bridge fund of said county in payment of said tract of land, and that the Auditor of said county is hereby authorized and empowered to issue his warrant to Ansgar Ekren, the former owner, in payment thereof.

A petition, signed by P. A. Gandrud and others, praying for the designation of a State Road in the Towns of Norway Lake, Colfax and Burbank and dated the 16th day of August, 1915, having been duly filed in the County Auditor's office on October 28, 1915, was now presented to the Board for consideration. The petition was read and the matter discussed. Thereupon a motion was made that said petition be not rejected but tabled for an indefinite time or until such time as the Board could see their way clear to designate said road as prayed for. Carried.

On motion a recess was taken till 7:30 p. m.

The Board reconvened at 7:30 p. m. Members all present.

A report of completion of road work in the Town of Arctander was filed by Commissioner S. A. Syverson. Said report was accepted and on motion was approved in the sum of $250.00.

Commissioner S. A. Syverson also filed a report of completion of road work in the Town of Dovre. On motion the report was accepted and approved in the sum of $200.00.

On motion the Board accepted a report filed by Commissioner Albert Boersma for completion of road construction in the Town of Holland and approved same in the sum of $500.00.

Commissioner N. B. Johnson filed a report of partial completion of road work in the Town of New London. Said report was accepted and on motion same was allowed in the sum of $250.00. Carried.

The following resolution proposed by Commissioner Albert Boersma was unanimously adopted by the Board:

WHEREAS, The Public Examiner of the State of Minnesota, has instructed the County Auditor, that hereafter no claims for expenses, incurred by any county official or any other person employed by the County of Kandiyohi, can be allowed by the County Board, without having proper receipts or vouchers attached thereto,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THIS BOARD, That now and hereafter said Board will require aforementioned receipts to be attached to all such claims presented for payment before they will be allowed by said Board of County Commissioners of Kandiyohi County.

On motion duly carried the Board proceeded to audit and allow claims filed against the county in amounts set forth.

Claimant	For What	Am't. Claimed	Am't. Allowed
O. A. Norman,	relaying floor in court room	$ 15.40	$ 15.40
Minn. State Sanatorium,	board and treatment for Oscar Bramvold for October	31.90	31.90
Minn. State Sanatorium,	board and treatment for Beret Hanson for October	32.75	32.75
Minn. State Sanatorium,	board and treatment for Beret Hanson for August	31.75	31.75
Minn. State Sanatorium,	board and treatment for Beret Hanson for September	30.75	30.75
Drusilla S. Baldwin,	assistant to County Superintendent 7½ days	22.50	22.50
Muriel Anderson,	witness in Municipal court	1.12	1.12
A. O. Nordstrom,	oiling new floor in court room	1.65	1.65
C. C. Field,	witness in Municipal court	3.28	3.28
Louis W. Hedlund,	juror in Municipal court	1.00	1.00
Peterson & Qvale,	lumber for court room floor	50.64	50.64
Prussian Remedy Co.,	scrubbing compound	7.50	7.50
L. P. Felt,	procuring special election ballots	3.00	3.00
Standard Lumber Co.,	fuel for court house	294.70	294.70
Willmar Fuel Co.,	wood for court house	9.50	9.50
Tribune Printing Co.,	printing	3.75	3.75
N. B. Johnson,	5 days' service and mileage on board of audit	18.00	18.00
Samuel Nelson,	5 days' service on board of audit	15.00	15.00
H. J. Ramsett,	5 days' service on board of audit	15.00	15.00

On motion a recess was entered till 8 o'clock a. m., Nov. 16th.

On November 16, 1915 the Board reconvened. All members present.

The board resumed auditing claims, as follows:

City of Willmar,	light for September	12.51	12.51
City of Willmar,	light for August	9.12	9.12
City of Willmar,	water rent for jail to Nov. 1, 1915	8.60	8.60
City of Willmar,	water and light for court house	22.29	22.29
City of Willmar,	electric lamps for court house	4.32	4.32
City of Willmar,	cutting of weeds, etc., on court house block	30.45	30.45
J. E. Seagren,	office supplies for court house	21.15	21.15
W. B. Crosby,	official printing	60.70	60.70
Ole J. Nickelson,	meals for jurors, district court	4.90	4.90
W. D. Frederickson,	one sign for school exhibit	2.25	2.25
Peter Bonde,	board for prisoners, October	6.60	6.60
Minn. State Sanatorium,	board and treatment for Oscar Bramvold for August	31.90	31.90
Minn. State Sanatorium,	board and treatment for Oscar Bramvold for September	30.50	30.50
Carl Lundberg,	witness Municipal court	3.16	3.16
Bethesda Homes,	board and lodging for Nels Anderson, a poor charge	125.00	125.00
Peter Bonde,	board for prisoners for September	51.60	51.60
United Duck Company,	blankets for prisoners	2.75	2.75
Tribune Printing Company,	printing and supplies	7.85	7.85
Tribune Printing Company,	official publishing	132.00	132.00
C. A. Baklund,	drawing jurors for district court	4.20	4.20
Sivert Benson,	juror in Municipal court	1.00	1.00
J. R. Carlson,	witness in Municipal court	3.28	3.28
J. R. Bayley,	speaker at teacher's meeting	10.00	10.00
P. E. Parson,	one wheel barrow for court house	6.00	6.00
Isaac Nordstrom,	labor tearing up old floor in court room	10.00	10.00
C. H. Sherwood,	transcript of court records in district court	3.00	3.00
Geo. D. Barnard & Co.,	number plates for blank files	9.24	9.24
Geo. D. Barnard & Co.,	one document file	1.70	1.70
Security B. B. and Prtg. Co.,	tax receipts in triplicate	46.80	46.80
Free Press Printing Co,	one rubber stamp	.50	.50
Free Press Printing Co.,	blanks for probate judge	2.75	2.75
Miller Davis Company,	one ink well	1.05	1.05
Miller Davis Co.,	annual account blanks	2.07	2.07
Miller Davis Co.,	ditch blanks and ruled tablets	13.20	13.20
Miller Davis Co.,	one numbering machine for County auditor	15.00	15.00
Miller Davis Co.,	legal blanks	.38	.38
Miller Davis Co.,	legal blanks	.27	.27
Miller Davis Co.,	typewriter paper	5.94	5.94
Miller Davis Co.,	ditch blanks for county auditor	.39	.39
Miller Davis Co.,	one record for register of deeds	25.00	25.00
Kimball Storer Co.,	office supplies	4.50	4.50
Kimball Storer Co.,	treasurer's warrant register	21.00	21.00
Kimball Storer Co.,	legal blanks for probate judge	4.77	4.77
Kimball Storer Co.,	envelopes for county superintendent	4.50	4.50
Fritz Cross Co.,	certificate register	10.58	10.58
Fritz Cross Co.,	excuse blanks for pupils—County Supt.	6.09	6.09
Fritz Cross Co.,	teachers' pension fund ledger	10.18	10.18
Peter Bonde,	sheriff's expenses	86.92	86.92
Wm. O. Johnson,	commissioner's mileage	.20	.20
S. A. Syverson,	commissioner's mileage	3.00	3.00
N. B. Johnson,	commissioner's mileage	6.00	6.00
N. B. Johnson,	expenses attending conference of charities and corrections at New Ulm	17.94	17.94
Albert Boersma,	commissioner's mileage	3.60	3.60
C. J. Swenson,	commissioner's mileage	2.00	2.00
	COUNTY DITCH FUND.		
Albert Lundquist,	board for survey crew, ditch No. 33	10.00	10.00
Standard Lumber Co.,	one culvert for ditch No. 31	12.05	12.05
John Norgaard,	engineer's expenses ditch No. 31	73.87	73.87
Standard Lumber Co.,	lumber and lath for ditch No. 31	1.30	1.30
J. A. Engvall,	board for survey crew, ditch No. 33	9.00	9.00
J. A. Rowat,	engineer's fees and expenses, ditch No. 34	148.75	148.75
A. M. Hedin,	services as viewer, ditch No. 34	38.00	38.00
John H. Martin,	services as viewer, ditch No. 34	28.25	28.25
Hans H. Flygare,	services as viewer, ditch No. 34	30.00	30.00
J. A. Rowat,	engineer's services and expenses, ditch No. 33	263.00	263.00
Peter Bonde,	posting first notice of hearing, ditch No. 34	15.40	15.40
	ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND.		
E. F. Burns,	road patrol S. R. No. 1	60.00	60.00
S. Sondreson,	dragging and miscellaneous work, S. R. No. 1	74.00	74.00
McCormick & McDonald,	dragging S. R. No. 1	6.00	6.00
Nels Alvig,	dragging S. R. No. 5	30.20	30.20
Esping and Holland,	auto livery for road engineer	9.30	9.30
Paul Swenson,	dragging S. R. No. 4	16.80	16.80
Gunder Pederson,	dragging S. R. No. 2	51.73	51.73
C. O. Bjelkengren,	repair of road tools, S. R. No. 1	1.00	1.00
Tobias Rasmusson,	dirt for filling on S. R. No. 6	25.00	25.00
J. F. Daugherty,	dragging S. R. No. 6	16.85	16.85
W. J. Ruddy,	dragging on S. R. No. 1	4.40	4.40
C. O. Bjelkengren,	repair of road tools, S. R. No. 4	1.50	1.50
C. O. Bjelkengren,	repair of road tools, S. R. No. 3	2.25	2.25
P. H. Downs,	dragging on S. R. No. 1	27.00	27.00
Peterson & Qvale,	lumber for temporary bridge on S. R. No. 3	25.30	25.30
Agaton Dokken,	dragging on S. R. No. 5	8.65	8.65
Charles J. Estlund,	road engineer's expenses	120.60	120.60
Wm. A. Blomquist,	dragging on S. R. No. 4	14.15	14.15
D. B. Daugherty,	grading on Job 17, S. R. No. 3	48.60	48.60
D. B. Daugherty,	grading on S. R. No. 3	27.00	27.00
D. B. Daugherty,	work on Job 12, 1914, S. R. No. 3	38.00	38.00
Monson Bros. & Holm,	supplies for S. R. No. 1	3.90	3.90
A. H. Erickson,	dragging on S. R. No. 4	10.20	10.20
Martin Downs,	labor on Job 5, 1914, S. R. No. 6	606.50	606.50
Wm. A. Blomquist,	dragging on S. R. No. 4	14.95	14.95
O. Westlund,	dragging on S. R. No. 7	19.50	19.50
Agaton Dokken,	dragging on S. R. No. 5	16.20	16.20
C. J. Hanson,	dragging on S. R. No. 6	47.25	47.25
Christ Paulson,	labor on Job 5, 1914, S. R. No. 6	64.80	64.80
Martin Downs,	labor on Job 20, S. R. No. 5	99.20	99.20
Martin Downs,	labor on Job 9, S. R. No. 6	77.50	77.50
Martin Downs,	salary as foreman Job 20, S. R. No. 5	19.20	19.20
Martin Downs,	salary as foreman Job 5, 1914, S. R. No. 6	83.70	83.70
J. F. Daugherty,	dragging on S. R. No. 6	28.80	28.80
John Bengtson,	maintenance work on S. R. No. 6	1.50	1.50
C. J. Hanson,	dragging on S. R. No. 6	24.25	24.25
Wm. O. Johnson,	1 day, 16 miles, committee work on S. R. No. 1	4.60	4.60
Wm. O. Johnson,	1 day, 6 miles, committee work on S. R. No. 6	3.60	3.60
S. A. Syverson,	2 days, 32 miles, committee work county roads	9.30	9.30
S. A. Syverson,	1 day, 39 miles, committee work S. R. No. 5	12.90	12.90
Albert Boersma,	1 day, 12 miles, committee work county roads	4.20	4.20
N. B. Johnson,	1 day, 12 miles committee work county roads	4.20	4.20
A. N. Baker,	livery for road engineer	19.05	19.05
W. L. Potter,	dragging and repair S. R. No. 3	15.60	15.60
Frank O. Carlson,	dragging on S. R. No. 2	22.40	22.40
Olof Bergman,	dragging and repair on S. R. No. 1	19.95	19.95
O. H. Peterson,	dragging and repair on S. R. No. 6	80.70	54.20
O. H. Peterson,	dragging and repair on S. R. No. 6	37.20	37.20
Wm. A. Blomquist,	placing culvert on S. R. No. 4	3.00	3.00
S. E. Stansberry,	nestible culverts Job 17, S. R. No. 3	29.16	29.16
Ole Olson,	blowing up stumps on S. R. No. 3	8.55	8.55
D. B. Daugherty,	part payment on road contract Job 12, 1914, S. R. No. 3	678.00	600.00
D. B. Daugherty,	hauling culverts to Job 13, 1914, S. R. No. 6	3.00	3.00
D. B. Daugherty,	part payment on road contract, Job 13, 1914, S. R. No. 6	218.00	150.00
W. L. Potter,	repair of road tools, Job 16, S. R. No. 3	4.35	4.35
Paul Swenson,	dragging S. R. No. 4	13.00	13.00
Henry Johnson,	grading on Job 18, S. R. No. 4	38.25	38.25
Henry Johnson,	services as foreman Job 18, S. R. No. 4	39.00	39.00
Wm. H. Kruger,	placing culvert Job 26, 1914, S. R. No. 6	2.70	2.70
C. J. Hanson,	service as foreman Job 26, S. R. No. 6	68.10	68.10
C. J. Hanson,	service as foreman Job 26 S. R. No. 6	57.00	57.00
George Herr,	dragging S. R. No. 8	29.40	29.40
O. Westlund,	placing culvert S. R. No. 7	3.75	3.75
O. Westlund,	dragging on S. R. No. 7	9.00	9.00
Standard Lumber Co.,	culverts for state roads	13.20	13.20
Minneapolis Steel & Machinery Co.,	culverts for state roads	124.70	124.70
A. H. Erickson,	placing culvert, Job 18, S. R. No. 4	6.00	6.00
Tony Felsen,	labor on state roads	73.20	73.20

The following resolution, in the matter of the County Jail, offered by County Commissioner S. A. Syverson, was adopted unanimously by the Board:

WHEREAS the Grand Jury of Kandiyohi County, Minnesota, at the General October Term of the District Court of said county, recommended that the Board of County Commissioners proceed to make improvements on the old one or build a new jail for said county,

And WHEREAS it appears necessary that some action be taken by this Board in regard to the same:

NOW THEREFORE, Be It Resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Kandiyohi County, Minnesota, that this Board proceed to make necessary improvements on the County Jail,

And Be It Further Resolved, that Wm. O. Johnson, N. B. Johnson and C. J. Swenson, members of this Board, be, and they hereby are appointed a Committee to investigate into the matter and report thereon at the next meeting of said Board.

On motion duly made and carried, the Board adjourned.

(SEAL)

N. B. JOHNSON,
Chairman Board of County Commissioners,
Kandiyohi County, Minnesota

Attest: SAMUEL NELSON,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board.

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