

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Annual meeting of the board of county commissioners of Marshall county Minnesota, held at the court house in the City of Warren, Minn., on July 10th, 11th and 12th, 1905.

July 10th, 1905, at 9 o'clock a. m. Meeting called to order by the chairman, J. S. Hilleboe. All members present.

Minutes of former meeting read and approved.

On motion duly made and carried the board proceeded to select additional names to serve as Grand and Petit Jurors as requested by law to take the place of the names of those retired from the original list, and the names selected to fill the list is as follows viz:

GRAND JURORS.		
NAMES.	TOWNS.	POST OFFICE.
Peter Flo.	Agder.	Thorwick
Henry Schantzen.	Augsburg.	Stephen
Fred Christenson.	Boxville.	Warren
Clark Bradford.	Cedar.	Middle River
J. M. Loeslie.	Comstock.	Warren
Peter Person.	East Park.	Skog
Rasmund.	East Park.	Koland
Anton Johnson.	East Valley.	Ringbo
C. H. Grive.	Fork.	Fork
Mathias Hjelte.	Huntsville.	Middle River
John E. Strandquist.	Lincoln.	Strandquist
Bernard Crummy.	Middle River.	Argyle
And. Andrewson.	Moose River.	Jonstad
H. Helgeson.	Nelson Park.	Englund
John Halvorson.	New Solum.	Hellem
John Dagoberg.	Oak Park.	Vega
N. A. Nelson.	Oak Park.	Elden
Edward Edlund.	Spruce Valley.	Ingalls
H. M. Clark.	Thief Lake.	Whitford
Chas. E. Westberg.	Vega.	Gotland
L. A. Johnson.	Viking.	Viking
Olof Hvidsten.	Wanger.	Stephen
Fritz Fisher.	Village of Argyle.	Argyle

PETIT JURORS.		
Simon M. Swanson.	Big Woods.	Big Woods
Swan S. Larberg.	Bloomer.	Argyle
J. B. Erikson.	City of Warren.	Warren
H. L. Wood.	City of Warren.	Warren
Ole O. Mo.	East Park.	Jevne
John Pfeifer.	Esplee.	Esplee
Olof L. Swanberg.	Foldahl.	Foldahl
Amund Johnson.	Foldahl.	Foldahl
S. O. Hoff.	Huntsville.	Jevne
L. C. Nilson.	Lincoln.	Karlstad
A. D. Nordstrom.	Moose River.	Jonstad
Lewis A. Nelson.	New Solum.	Hellem
Louis N. Smith.	Oak Park.	Vega
Charles Peterson.	Parker.	Stephen
Martin Jensen.	Sinnot.	Stephen
L. P. Brandstrom.	Spruce Valley.	Ingalls
Nils M. Olson.	Thief Lake.	Ware
A. O. Fladeland.	Valley.	Grylla
Anton Hill.	Vega.	Bloomer
Irene Trotter.	Wanger.	Argyle
C. R. Engelstad.	Warrenton.	Warren
Alfred Elseth.	West Valley.	West Valley
C. Westman.	West Valley.	West Valley
Allen Boree.	Village of Argyle.	Argyle

Upon motion duly made and carried the board proceeded to examine the county treasury and made the following report:

ANNUAL JULY MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MARSHALL COUNTY, MINNESOTA.

We the county commissioners of Marshall county, Minnesota, convened at the office of the county treasurer of said county on the 10th day of July 1905, for the purpose of examining and auditing the accounts, books and vouchers of said county treasurer, and we found the said treasurer indebted to the several funds at the beginning of business on July 10th, 1905, in the aggregate sum of \$92,635.90.

And we find the Treasurer in the possession of the funds covering said indebtedness in kind and amount as follows:

Cash in safe	\$ 104.93
Deposited in State Bank of Warren	14,350.43
Deposited in Bank of Warren	14,404.95
Deposited in Farmers & Merchants Bank	14,549.66
Deposited in First National Bank of Warren	14,011.32
Deposited in State Bank of Stephen	11,303.97
Deposited in Scandia State Bank of Stephen	11,024.61
Deposited in First National Bank of Argyle	12,433.72
Cash items, Money Orders, Checks, etc.	432.11
School District Orders	20.20
Town orders	20.20
Total Funds on hand July 10th, 1905,	\$92,635.90

By the Board of commissioners: J. S. HILLEBOE, H. R. MEISCH, HERMAN ENGELSRUD, E. O. BYSTROM, JENS P. JENSON.

Adjoined till July 11th, at 9 a. m. Meeting called to order by chairman at 9 a. m., July 11, 1905. All members present.

Board proceeded with the cancellation of personal property taxes, List as follows:

Report of the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Marshall, State of Minnesota, on Uncollected Personal Property Taxes for the Year 1904.

Warren, Minnesota, July 11th, 1905. Be it known, That the board of county commissioners of Marshall county, Minnesota, did meet in session on the 11th day of July 1905, the same being the first session of said board after the 10th day of June, 1905. That at said session the county treasurer of said county delivered to said board the list of uncollected personal property taxes for the year 1904, together with his certificate thereon as required by law; and that at said session the said board did duly consider said list of uncollected taxes, and did cancel such taxes as they are satisfied cannot be collected. That the following is a correct list of said uncollected personal property taxes in said county for year 1904, as so revised by said board, to-wit:

Name of Person Assessed.	Township or District.	DOLLARS.		PENALTY, FEES AND COSTS.	Total tax, penalty and costs.	REMARKS.
		Dolls.	Cts.			
F. H. Crevier	Alma	2 84	1 51	4 15		
Fred Kvidman	Augsburg	25	1 28	1 53		
Osuf Korshedt	Bigwoods	4 77	1 73	6 50		
H. W. Fisher	Bloomer	4 36	1 09	5 45		
Martin Anderson	Boxville	4 10	1 06	5 16		
Michael Willis	Como	1 79	1 74	3 53		Now of Oak Park
Newcomb Bros.	Donnelly	8 45	2 10	10 55		
Halvor T. Holte	Eckvold	4 26	1 08	5 34		
H. W. Hopkins	Excel	3 34	1 48	4 82		
Thomas Lewis	Esplee	6 23	1 87	8 10		
Gust Svenson	Foldahl	1 17	1 37	2 54		
O. M. Omie	Fork	3 09	1 56	4 65		
Mrs. A. E. Dieken	Huntsville	3 33	1 54	4 47		
George Chapin	McCrea	1 09	1 36	2 45		
Peter Kallin	.....	7 44	1 99	9 43		
W. E. Wood	.....	1 83	1 43	3 26		
O. Halvorson	Middle River	1 88	1 44	3 32		
E. L. Quist	Moylan	2 23	1 47	3 70		
Edith Quist	.....	30	1 27	1 47		
W. H. Quist	.....	3 51	1 50	4 01		
L. E. Amundson	New Folden	4 38	1 09	5 47		
F. E. Edwards	Parker	12 71	2 52	15 23		
M. H. Ostad	New Solum	36	1 38	3 31		
John Patterson	.....	1 96	1 45	3 41		
Christ Fay	Parker	6 18	1 87	8 05		
Michael Johnson	.....	2 88	1 74	4 40		
John Anderson	Sinnot	1 06	1 26	2 32		
Peter Haug	.....	1 78	1 43	3 19		
Jens Olson	.....	1 26	1 38	2 64		
Russell Bros.	.....	4 93	1 74	6 67		
Thomas Bradford	Spruce Valley	13 38	2 59	15 97		
J. S. Johnson	.....	1 92	1 44	3 36		
Geo. Koller	Thief Lake	1 86	1 44	3 30		
John O. Borson	.....	7 64	2 01	9 65		
John Boleten	Tamarac	4 88	1 74	6 62		
Chas. Labine	.....	8 70	2 13	10 82		
Frank McCann	.....	7 22	1 97	9 19		
J. A. McDannott	.....	4 02	1 65	5 67		
Ernest Rasp	.....	10 30	2 27	12 47		
Robert Toomb	.....	5 30	1 78	7 08		
Jos. DuCamp	Valley	6 01	1 85	7 86		
Edward Hanson	Veltd	15 62	*2 81	18 43		
August Peterson	Wanger	6 25	1 88	8 13		Now of Roseau county.
Elbert Bede	City of Warren	3 97	1 05	5 02		
Nicholson & Freeman	.....	12 77	2 53	15 30		
W. A. Day	.....	5 42	1 65	7 21		Now of Thief River Falls.
W. E. Wood	.....	1 06	1 42	2 48		
J. K. Wood	.....	50	1 34	3 24		
Johnson Dear Co.	.....	11 08	2 36	13 42		
Russell Bros.	.....	28 82	4 13	32 95		
Porier Drill Mfg. Co.	Stephen	7 32	1 98	9 30		Now of Gladstone, Minn.
Jacob Peters	.....	13 50	2 61	16 11		
Deering Harvester Co.	.....	19 32	3 20	22 52		
Ole Ensrud	.....	5 97	1 85	7 82		
Champion Harvester Co.	.....	24 40	3 69	28 09		
S. E. Nutt	Argyle	8 67	2 12	10 79		
J. O. Forrest	.....	3 79	1 63	5 42		
P. S. Nelson	.....	5 5	1 31	6 86		
J. J. McIntyre	.....	1 85	1 44	3 29		
P. Kirsch	.....	1 51	1 46	2 91		
C. M. Peterson	Grand Plain	1 08	1 36	2 44		
Wills & Sons	Holt	44 18	5 66	49 80		
Peter Forstad	Warrenton	1 13	1 36	2 59		

That the following is a correct list of the personal property taxes in said county for said year which said board are satisfied cannot be collected, and so cancelled by said board, to-wit:

Name of person assessed.	Township or District.	DOLLARS.		PENALTY, FEES AND COSTS.	Total tax, penalty and costs.	REMARKS.
		Dolls.	Cts.			
Lars Timton	Cedar	16	1 27	1 43		
Mary Eggeman	Comstock	1 80	1 43	3 23		
Fred Loeslie	.....	1 93	1 44	3 37		
Mrs. B. Flester	.....	3 4	1 30	4 34		
Henry Carlson	East Park	2 75	1 80	4 55		
F. Springham	Grand Plain	7 1	1 32	8 43		
Wm. J. Gard	McCrea	3 08	1 46	4 54		
J. O. Dokken	Marsh Grove	2 46	1 46	3 92		
Jacob Soland	Moylan	69	1 36	1 33		
Ludvig J. Grandall	Nelson Park	63	1 31	1 94		
H. C. Morgan	Sinnot	24	1 27	2 51		
E. H. Peterson	.....	7 1	1 32	8 43		
Andrew Amundson	Viking	3 28	1 61	4 89		
M. Ludviksd	Wanger	2 4	1 28	3 72		
Ferdinand Besch	Warrenton	4 30	1 56	5 86		
A. J. Webster	.....	80	1 33	2 13		
Mary Peachy	.....	3 64	1 91	5 54		
John O. Erikson	West Valley	30	1 34	3 68		
Alfred Sandberg	.....	33	1 33	3 16		
John Lund	Warren	6 26	1 88	8 14		
A. Toomb	.....	1 34	1 31	2 65		
E. M. Price	Stephen	66	1 32	1 96		
Ada McMahon	.....	1 59	1 41	3 00		
S. B. Sandford	.....	1 46	1 40	2 86		
J. Fitzgeraid	Argyle	1 16	1 37	2 53		

The Board of County Commissioners of Marshall County, Minnesota. Attest: P. B. MALBERG, County Auditor.

Petition of Chas. Evenson for the formation of a new school district, granted a hearing August 15th, 1905, 2 p. m.

Petition of S. S. Kolden for the formation of a new school district, granted a hearing August 15th, 1905, 2 p. m.

Adjourned till July 12th, at 9 a. m. Board reconvened July 12th at 9 a. m. Full board present.

The board proceeded to make an estimate of the expenses of the county for the ensuing year, as a basis for the 1905 tax levy, which estimates was as follows:

Salaries expense	\$9,000.00
Books, blanks, stationery, postage etc. expense	4,000.00
County Commissioners expense	600.00
District Court expense	2,000.00
Contagious disease expense	1,000.00
State cases expense	600.00
Insanity cases	800.00
Unclassified	6,000.00
Total	\$24,000.00

On motion resolved that the tax levy for the year 1905 be and is hereby levied as follows:

For county revenue	\$24,000.00
For county bond and interest	1,500.00

tion, and having by said order appointed a committee of its members to examine said proposed route of said road, and designated Saturday the 8th day of July 1905, at 12 o'clock p. m., at the south end of the route in said county, as the time and place for said committee to meet on the route of said proposed road, for the examination of the same, and having caused notices of said hearing and said meeting of said committee to be published in a copy of said petition, to be posted in the most public places of each town through which the proposed route of said road runs, or affected thereby, at least ten days before the time appointed for said hearing, and being satisfied that said notices were so posted and published, and that the committee had met on the route of said proposed road, and being satisfied that said petition should be granted.

It is hereby ordered, that the prayer of said petition be and the same is hereby granted, and said highway is hereby established, to run according to said committee's report, by courses and distances as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of section one (1) township one hundred fifty-five (155) range forty-seven (47), and northwest corner of section six (6) township one hundred fifty-five (155) range 46, and running thence south on the range line between range 46 and range 47, to the line of Marshall county, and terminating at the boundary line between Marshall and Polk counties at the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of section twelve (12) township one hundred fifty-four (154) range forty-seven (47), and southwest corner of northwest quarter of section seven township one hundred fifty-four (154) range forty-six (46).

It is further ordered, that the county auditor notify the town supervisors of each town through which said road is located and established of the fact of said location and establishment, and that they shall cause to be opened for public travel so much of said highway as lies in their respective towns.

And whereas, at the said hearing, upon said petition and said report of said committee, it was determined that the amount of the damages sustained by said persons and that said proposed route of said road would be a sufficient advantage to said county to warrant the said board to assess damages at what is deemed to be a fair value, and that the taking into account the advantages and benefits of said route of said highway as well as the disadvantages and damages.

In witness whereof, the chairman of this board has hereunto set his hand and affixed our seal at City of Warren, in said county, this 12th day of July, A. D. 1905.

The Board of County Commissioners of Marshall County, Minn. Attest: P. B. MALBERG, County Auditor.

Filed the 12th day of July, A. D. 1905.

The petition of Peter O. Haugen and others for the formation of a new school district was duly granted and the following order was duly passed by the board:

ORDER FORMING NEW SCHOOL DISTRICT. Whereas, a petition signed and duly acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts, residing within the territory of the proposed new school district, with the approval and recommendation of the county superintendent endorsed thereon, asking for the formation of a new school district, which shall embrace the territory hereinafter described, was presented to the board of county commissioners of this county, at a session of said board held on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1905 for the action of said board thereon;

And whereas, it was then ordered by said board that a hearing should be had on said petition, at a session of said board commencing on the 12th day of July, A. D. 1905 at the office of the county auditor, City of Warren, in said county;

And whereas, due notice of the time and place of such hearing has been given by posting a copy of said petition and by handing to and leaving with the clerk of each of said school districts, so affected thereby a true copy of said order, at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing; and by the publication of said order twice in the legal newspaper of said county, and published in said Marshall county, to-wit, WARREN HERALD, which said newspaper last mentioned is published in said county, in said county, and was duly designated by said county commissioners for the publishing of the same; and due proofs of the posting and publication of said petition and order, and notice of hearing having been made and filed by the said county auditor, who posted said order and by the certificate of the county auditor of said county, who caused the said order to be served upon each of the clerks of said school districts affected thereby, and by the affidavits of the publishers of said newspaper, which the same was so published, respectively;

And whereas, at a session of said board of county commissioners commencing on said 12th day of July, A. D. 1905 said petition was duly read and considered, and arguments of all persons interested therein for and against the organization of said proposed new school district duly heard and considered.

It is hereby ordered and determined, that said petition be granted, and the following described territory to-wit: All of sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, all in Township 155, Range 46, be and the same is hereby organized and constituted a school district, and shall be hereinafter designated as a school district, named School District No. 106 of the county of Marshall, state of Minnesota.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Marshall County, Minnesota. Attest: P. B. MALBERG, County Auditor.

Filed the 12th day of July, A. D. 1905.

On motion petition of Mikkel Johnson to have his land set off from school district No. 84 to school district No. 20, was duly granted and the following order was passed by a unanimous vote of the board: