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SUPERVISORS PROCEEDINGS
 Loup City Nebraska, March 16, 1899
 State of Nebraska
 Sherman County's s s

County board in session pursuant to adjournment of March 15, 1899: Present: S. N. Sweetland chairman, O. L. Way, J. P. Leininger, Lewis Bechtold, W. C. Dietrichs, Peter McKeon and A. Dickerson Supervisors; and T. S. Nightingale, county attorney, and John Minshall, county clerk. The following proceedings were had and done, to-wit:

On motion the county is ordered to transfer the sum of \$1000.00 from the county general fund to the county bridge fund.

On motion the county treasurer is instructed to take up of the county road bonds to the amount of \$3,000 at their full value with accrued interest, or at as low a premium as the said bonds can be obtained, provided that the county treasurer shall not pay a greater premium on said bonds than a sum representing an amount equal to 2 per cent on said bonds, per annum until the same are due.

The report of bridge committee on the construction of new bridge across the Middle Loup, commencing the work as being in accordance with contract, plans and specifications was accepted and approved.

On motion the claim of M. L. Scott appearing for \$2,733.30 in being in payment for the new bridge across Middle Loup river west of Loup City was allowed and a warrant for said sum ordered drawn on the bridge fund.

It having been shown to the county board that T. H. Elsner, now of Loup City had paid his poll tax in Hall county for the year 1898, his poll tax for said year was therefore stricken from the tax list of Loup City village.

The contract and bond of the Omaha Printing company for printing books and furnishing supplies was read and on motion approved.

E. A. Brown's contract and bond for printing and furnishing stationery supplies was also approved.

On motion it was resolved to make a grade from the east end of the new Loup river bridge to the east bank of said river, the grade to be one foot higher than the bridge floor, and said grade to have a fall commencing at said bridge, of six inches to every 20 feet of its entire length, the grade to be 20 feet wide on top with slope of one and one-half feet to every foot of height, top of grade to consist of at least one foot of clay, and county clerk ordered to advertise for bids, a notice of which appears elsewhere in this issue.

On motion it was ordered that Supervisors Leininger and Bechtold construct the necessary wing dam on the right of the new Loup river bridge, and they are hereby authorized, together with Chairman Sweetland to let the contract for the grading designated in the foregoing motion.

On motion the county treasurer is authorized to accept the full amount of all delinquent taxes against a certain two acre tract, being a part of southwest quarter of section 4, township 18, Range 14, assessed in the name of Henry C. Palmer and in the name of James Shields in full of the delinquent taxes against said tract.

On motion the item of poll tax charged to Christine Hehnke for 1897, and of Christine Riegel for same year were ordered stricken from the tax list.

It appearing to the board that the personal assessment of John Johnson in the year 1898 in Ashton township had been erroneously entered, it was on motion ordered that one of said assessments and the tax resulting therefrom be stricken from the tax list.

Whereupon the county board adjourned to March 17th, 1899.

County board in session pursuant to adjournment. Present: Full board, county attorney and clerk.

On motion the county treasurer is instructed to furnish the county attorney with a list of all lands upon which the special Russian thistle tax is unpaid, and also with a list of all the improved village properties upon which there are delinquent taxes, together with the address of the owners of such lands and of such village lots, and that the county attorney with the county treasurer proceed at once to collect such taxes by foreclosure or other means.

The contract of M. L. Scott, bridge builder and his bond for the faithful performance of said contract was read, examined and on motion approved and the chairman instructed to sign said contract on behalf of said county. The above mentioned contract to be made a part of this record and is recorded on pages 214 and 215 of supervisors record No. 4.

On motion the county attorney is instructed to purchase on behalf of the county for delinquent taxes, lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, in block 13, Lark & Kreichbaum's addition to Loup City, known as the "Brewer Property."

On motion Frank Badura, county treasurer and Louis Helt, deputy county clerk, are appointed a committee to appear before the state board of educational lands and buildings for the purpose of making such arrangements with said board that the county of Sherman may be entitled hereafter to gradually pay that part of the bonded debt now held by the state of Nebraska as an investment of its school fund, said committee to make its report to this board on June 12, 1899.

The following claims were allowed, deductions for taxes made and warrants ordered drawn on the respective funds, viz:

On general fund:

Little V. Reese	\$ 15.01
J. H. Williams	15.00
Omaha Printing Company	20.84
W. T. Chase	3.00
Keystone Lumber Company	40.00
Frank Smith	1.00
T. S. Nightingale	2.25
John Minshall	117.56
H. G. Patton	5.75
J. M. Puskas	1.00
John Elm	1.00
P. B. Jelfers	1.00
H. M. Crain	1.00

ASHTON LOCALS.

A. N. Conklin returned from South Omaha Thursday evening.

W. C. Dunker made a flying business trip to St. Paul Thursday afternoon.

Miss Tracy Seifert of Grand Island arrived Wednesday evening for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Seifert. Miss Seifert returned to the island Friday morning, accompanied by her father, who spent a few days in that bustling city.

We beg to acknowledge receipt of an announcement card saying Miss Maud Blanchard of Cotesfield, Neb., was married to Mr. West on the 15 inst. Many of the Ashton people will remember Mrs. West as one of our primary school teachers. May joy and a long happy wedded life be theirs.

W. R. Mellor of Loup City, was a caller at these headquarters on Friday.

John Spotanski left Friday morning with his little daughter for the hospital at Grand Island, where he intends to place the young lady for treatment.

Ed. F. Chinn, Ashton's one time druggist, now traveling for an Omaha drug firm, was a pleasant caller Friday.

Prof. R. E. Arthaud, accompanied by Miss Grace Arthaud made a visit to St. Paul, Saturday.

Mr. Dollarhide of St. Paul, was seen on our streets Saturday morning.

Mr. J. H. Frank, a carpenter from Nevada, came up Tuesday and secured the job of doing the carpenter work on our new Catholic church, while the enterprising firm, the Keystone Lumber Co., secured the contract for furnishing the material. Work will begin at once.

Keep your eyes on Ashton, and see it grow. "We are the people!"

Mr. E. A. Witter, gave his lecture on "Pilgrims Progress" at the Presbyterian church on Monday evening, to a very small audience.

Don't forget the big Easter dance at the opera house here on Monday evening April 3rd. Come and have a good time.

Remember that next Tuesday is Village election. Don't forget to vote, and vote for who you think will manage the affairs of our little city for the best of those interested.

Mr. Ohlsen of Loup City was seen parading our streets Wednesday.

E. G. Taylor went to Loup City Wednesday on business.

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NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS.
 To all whom it may concern:
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Dated this 29th day of March, 1899.
JOHN MINSHALL, County Clerk.

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS.
 To all whom it may concern:
 The commission's appointed to view and report upon a road commencing at the south west corner of section twenty-two (22) township thirteen (13) range fifteen (15) and running thence east on said section line and terminating at the south-east corner of section twenty-four (24) township thirteen (13) range fifteen (15) in Sherman county, Nebraska, has reported in favor of the establishment thereof, and all objections thereto, or claims for damages must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon of the 1st day of June A. D. 1899, or such road will be established without reference thereto.

Signed this 29th day of March, 1899.
JOHN MINSHALL, County Clerk.

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