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COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS

July 8, 1901

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present Carpenter and McCullough commissioners and County Clerk. Claims were allowed as follows on the general fund for witness fees in case of state against Fowles:

Corda Hauglan.....	\$36 00
J. A. Harshfield.....	8 00
Corda Hauglan.....	22 00
J. C. Fogg.....	9 00
Irvine Austin.....	7 00
Chas. Harney.....	9 10
E. M. Smith.....	5 60
Mrs. J. A. Harshfield.....	8 00
Eileen Lumborn.....	10 00
Otto Nelson.....	8 30
Millard Ross.....	7 00
John Ritaer.....	4 50
Walter McNeil.....	5 50
Geo. Skinner.....	10 00
Hugh Brogan.....	8 20
John Schrick.....	8 00
Geo. Febrach.....	6 60
Nathan Trego.....	10 00
Chas. Hendy, Sr.....	3 50
Thos. Stebbins.....	4 10
Trot Roberts.....	5 50
D. W. Baker.....	4 10
Geo. S. Johnson.....	8 00
A. S. Baldwin.....	2 10
Ed Murphy.....	6 60
Chas. McDonald.....	5 10
Wm. Volmer.....	2 10
M. Holcomb.....	6 50
Stephen Lowe.....	8 00
Geo. Roberts.....	5 50
Lester Walker.....	4 10
T. T. Keliber.....	2 10
Sam'l LaRue.....	8 00
W. C. Elder fees.....	17 13

Fees in case of state against Ringler:

S. B. Fank.....	\$11 50
Chas. Ell.....	2 10
Mrs. Chas. Ell.....	2 10
Syl Friend.....	2 10
John Ell.....	2 10
George Ell.....	2 10
T. T. Keliber.....	2 10
W. C. Elder fees.....	16 73

Fees in case of state against Frank Gusmeyer:

E. P. Snelling.....	\$24 00
Josiah Weir.....	6 90
T. T. Keliber.....	4 10
J. H. Abshire.....	6 70
Louis Schladerman.....	7 00
Frank McFadden.....	7 70
H. A. Patrick.....	9 00
J. C. Weir.....	6 90
Chas. McDonald.....	4 10
Mrs. Mary Ertz.....	7 00
Cole Gunnell.....	7 00
W. C. Elder fees.....	11 68

Fees in case of State vs. Edward Sheppard:

Martin Oberst.....	\$ 4 10
Mrs. Chas. Jensen.....	5 00
Lewis West.....	5 00
Chas. Jensen.....	5 00
M. McNamara.....	4 10
Carl Newton.....	4 10
W. C. Elder fees.....	379 60
S. Richards mdse.....	4 50
Bertha Thoelecke expenses.....	44 93

The following fees were allowed in the Knapp, Mulholen and Combs insane cases:

F. H. Longley.....	\$22 00
W. T. Wilcox.....	6 00
W. C. Elder.....	19 55

HAYING SEASON

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W. T. Wilcox.....	3 00
H. M. Grimes.....	2 00
C. O. Weingand.....	2 00
C. F. Iddings.....	2 00
A. S. Baldwin.....	2 00
F. H. Longley.....	8 00
W. T. Wilcox.....	3 00
W. C. Elder.....	7 05
J. T. Combs.....	2 00
John Combs.....	2 00
J. L. McGrew.....	2 00
Mrs. E. C. Hainer keep and board of H. Heppner two months \$24.00.	
Dr. N. McCabe services to county poor \$290.25.	

Settlement was made with S. W. Fender overseer road dist. 58.

Report of Wm. Holtry as county clerk for first and second quarters for 1901, examined, checked and approved.

Adjourned until tomorrow.

July 9, 1901.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present Carpenter and McCullough commissioners and county clerk.

Report of A. S. Baldwin county judge for first and second quarters of 1901 examined and approved.

Report of T. T. Keliber for first and second quarters of 1901 examined and approved.

Board adjourned until tomorrow.

July 10, 1901.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present commissioners Carpenter and McCullough and county clerk.

Contract with Mrs. Pulver for keep, care and board of county poor is hereby renewed.

Claim under contract of H. S. Kellner for building jetty in North Platte river for the protection of the bridge considered and allowed on general fund for \$50.

Claim of Mrs. Emma Pulver for keep and care of county poor under contract allowed on general fund for \$885.25.

Claim of M. B. Cryderman for hauling dirt and manure for court house lawn allowed on general fund for \$61.20.

Claim of M. B. Cryderman for moving county attorney's safe and delivering ballots allowed on general fund for \$8.00.

Board adjourned until tomorrow.

BETWEEN THE RIVERS.

J. M. Dwyer had a fine colt badly damaged in a wire fence the other day. It will recover but will be badly scarred. He also had another older one get a leg broken in some unknown way.

E. F. Seeberger returned the fore part of the week from a business trip to Chappell.

Grasshoppers are still located here but are harmless as ever for which the tiller of the soil is very gratified.

We counted thirty-two large, plump kernels in one head of wheat the other day that was grown on a valley farm.

The intense heat the first of the week done up several men and teams.

Fall grain is all in the shock. The second crop of alfalfa as well as wild hay is being piled up fast.

Sugar beets are doing fairly well at this time.

C. L. Bowen and Geo. Hatfield are repairing the Farmers & Merchants canal at the present time.

Isaac Dillon has just finished loading twelve cars of new baled hay at Pallas. W. F. McGlone of North Platte shipped it.

The chinch bugs have damaged spring grain to some extent lately but it is about all out of their reach at this time in this section.

The old canal company have had a crew of men at work on their canal for some time.

The White Cottony Scale.

Nearly all the maple trees in North Platte are affected with a pest which turns the leaves to a light yellow, and later the leaves curl and to some extent die. In speaking of this pest Prof. Bruner of the state university says: This insect is known as the white cottony scale of the maple tree. I would suggest that it might very readily be handled at this time by spraying the trees quite copiously with kerosene emulsion, since now is the time when the scale insects are running about over the tree and without the usual scale covering of the body. It is useless to try to destroy these insects after they once become settled upon the twigs since they are then covered with an impervious scale that protects them from the effects of kerosene unless sufficiently strong to destroy the tree along with the insects. Even a good drenching with soapsuds, if applied with great force by means of a strong force pump will do much in the way of washing off the young insects.

Resolutions.

Whereas, The angry billows of life's troubled sea have engulfed our friend, and the life of John Baker has gone out in the stream and his form has been laid away in peaceful rest,

Therefore be it resolved, That in the death of our friend our sister Mary A. Baker loses an affectionate son and the family a devoted brother.

Resolved, That it is a just tribute to the memory of the departed to say that in regretting his removal from our midst we mourn for one who was in every way worthy of our respect and regard.

Resolved, That S. A. Douglas Relief Corps No. 110 sincerely condole with the family of the deceased in their affliction and commend them for consolation to Him who orders all things and whose chastisements are meant in mercy.

Resolved, That we tender a copy of these resolutions to the family of the deceased, that a copy be spread upon the minutes of this Corps, and that they be inserted in the city papers.

ETTA S. JEFFREY,
VIOLA M. DAVIS,
FANNIE E. HAMILTON,
Committee.

LAND FOR SALE.

The following lands in Lincoln county, Neb., bought in by the county under foreclosure of tax liens are now offered for sale by the county commissioners at the price given at the right hand end of each description. Arrangements for the purchase of the land can be made through the county attorney.

Description	Sec.	Twp.	Rg.	Acres	Amt.
ne qr.....	20	9	32	160	\$149 75
sw qr.....	31	10	33	160	130 23
nw qr.....	6	12	30	160	164 98
ne qr.....	26	9	34	160	212 92
ne qr sw qr, s hf sw qr, nw qr se qr, ne qr.....	6	12	33	160	135 83
ne qr.....	18	11	31	160	104 83
se qr.....	8	10	33	160	116 35
s hf sw qr s hf se qr.....	35	9	30	160	105 13
ne qr.....	18	9	30	160	148 81
se qr.....	31	9	30	160	149 19
se ne qr n hf se qr sw qr se qr.....	27	9	30	160	158 33
w hf sw qr.....	31	9	27	80	118 84
ne qr.....	8	9	34	160	172 98
se qr.....	2	9	34	160	210 71
nw qr.....	1	9	30	160	128 80
e hf nw qr e hf sw qr.....	19	16	26	160	136 10
w hf nw qr w hf sw qr.....	27	16	26	160	163 43
nw qr.....	20	9	34	160	140 43
sw qr.....	18	13	33	160	139 03
nw qr.....	28	10	33	160	103 93
se qr.....	10	13	33	160	119 28
sw qr.....	6	10	33	160	117 08
s hf nw qr n hf sw qr.....	30	12	31	160	101 98
ne qr.....	11	16	31	160	135 65
w hf nw qr nw qr sw qr.....	17	16	26	120	113 43
sw qr.....	26	12	31	160	119 63
ne qr.....	17	11	33	160	112 83
se qr.....	17	11	33	160	112 83
chf nw qr.....	3	12	30	80	76 13
nw qr.....	32	13	33	160	157 13
ne qr.....	30	16	28	160	150 28
sw qr.....	17	16	28	160	123 00
se qr.....	13	16	29	160	150 28
se qr.....	35	9	28	160	152 00
ne qr.....	13	16	29	160	138 73
n hf nw qr se qr nw qr.....	24	9	28	120	117 56
sw qr.....	33	15	29	160	106 05
s hf sw qr s hf se qr.....	24	14	29	160	103 10
sw qr.....	20	15	30	160	101 55
n hf nw qr se qr nw.....	27	9	31	120	136 83
nw qr.....	9	10	33	160	120 28
nw qr.....	15	10	33	160	116 58

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Notice to Students and Teachers.

Section 8a, of Sub-div. VII. of the school law provides that the county superintendent shall, on the third Saturday of July, conduct an examination of applicants for admission to the State Normal School at Peru.

In accordance with this law, I will hold an examination July 20th, 1901.

BERTHA THOELECKE,
County Supt.

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