

Proceedings of the County Board.

November 28, 1913.
Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present: Spring, White, Herminghausen and county clerk. The vacating of part of road No. 163 comes up for action, and the board wishing to investigate the matter, action is hereby deferred until the meeting in January, 1914.

A road petition for a public road between Lincoln and Logan counties as follows: Commencing 240 rods west from the northeast corner of section 1, T 16, R 25, thence west along the section line past sections 2 and 3, T 16, R 25 to the north-east corner of section 4, T 16, R 25, road to be 40 feet wide and terminating thereat, the above road being a consent road and damages waived by parties owning the land along the proposed road, both in Lincoln and Logan counties, and the boards of the two counties having met together agree to establish the road as petitioned therefore this board grants the petition and declares the road open for public travel.

The county treasurer is hereby authorized to correct the tax list as to Frank Murray, of Buchanan precinct, on an assessed valuation of \$50, as an error was made in listing total value of cattle on his schedule.

The county treasurer is hereby authorized to correct the tax list for the year 1913 as to the school levy in District 77 on general fund for \$30 mills, cancelling the total levy for said year.

The county treasurer is hereby authorized to correct the 1913 tax list as to school district No. 37 as the judgment levy of 21 mills is 16 mills in excess of the levy allowed by law. The judgment levy for 1913 to be five mills. You are further authorized to refund to all parties that have paid their 1913 tax prior to this order as to the 16 mill excess levy.

A. Chambers, balance on grading experimental farm road, allowed on Com. Dist. L. . . . \$ 320 00
H P Siebold, road work on road 357 allowed on commissioner district 3. 43 45

The following claims were allowed on the general fund, to-wit:

Emma Pulver, care of county poor from Sept 30, 1912 to Dec. 31, 1912, for \$771 50 allowed for 644 92 and disallowed for 126 88
H C Lindsay, clerk of supreme court, costs State vs Faxton and Gallagher. 17 90
Cleo V. Chappell, salary for Nov. as Supt. 133 33
Logan Barrett, salary for Nov. as Supt. 50 00
Geo E Prosser, services as clerk of district court in state cases, four claims. 64 00
Geo E Prosser, attending district court. 64 00
Geo E Prosser making bar docket. 28 50
A B Hoagland, auto service county commissioners. 20 00
Jos M Wilson, salary for Nov. Reese Printing Co. supplies for surveyor. 7 00

State Journal Co. books for county treasurer. 17 75
J C Straborn, refund of taxes State Journal Co. supplies for county judge. 18 38
E C Baker, transcribing delinquent tax list. 19 00
J S Robbins, justice fees, state vs Pulley. 85 50
W S Woods, constable fees, state vs Pulley. 5 15
C W Yost, office expenses for Nov. 9 00

C W Yost, salary for Nov. 13 64
Anna Anderson, care of county poor for Nov. 137 50
I L Watkins, services as bailiff C L Bare, printing. 50 00
A J Salisbury, office expenses A J Salisbury, board of prisoners third quarter. 14 00
A J Salisbury, mileage state cases third quarter. 74 75
A J Salisbury, jailers fees, third quarter. 138 00

F T White, salary for Nov. 75 00
E A Yohlbred, refund of taxes A J Salisbury, salary for Nov. 5 59
Rich Ugni, meals for jurors A P Kelly, printing and publishing. 125 00
O A Landegren, auto service, county commissioners. 7 00
Klopp & Bartlett Co. tax list tax schedules, record books, indexes and supplies for all offices for year, nine claims 1885 62

Jacob Miller, cash for road district 38 allowed on said district. 50 00
John Walker, road work, allowed on commissioner district 1. 20 00

Whereupon the board adjourns until tomorrow. C W Yost, County Clerk

November 29, 1913.
Board met the same as yesterday. Present full board and county clerk.

The county treasurer is hereby authorized to refund to Mary McCullough the sum of \$10.13 from the village funds for Maxwell, on account of error in assessing stock in said village. The county treasurer is hereby authorized to correct tax list of J W Tucker for 1913, North Platte No 1 from a valuation of \$15 to \$115 on account of excessive valuation.

The following claims were allowed on the various road district funds, to-wit:

I M Adams, road work on district 2. 8 00
Jas Beckan, cash for road district 27. 50 00
Geo Meyer, cash for road district 23. 75 00
Carl A Anderson, cash for road district 42. 150 00
V M Richmond, cash for road district 39. 150 00
Martin Jepsen, cash for road district 14. 100 00
E T Latimer, cash for road district 47. 21 00
E B Ream, road work, allowed on district 49. 5 00
J N Carille, cash for road district 59. 25 00
Chas Cogle, cash for road district 5. 190 00
W I Quinn, road work, allowed on district 49, and settlement made for 1913. 37 25
A Kunkle, road work, allowed on district 57. 22 50
Wm Smith, cash for road district 22. 100 00
S O Hathaway, cash for road

district 46. 100 00
Allowed on general fund to-wit:
F W Herminghausen, services and mileage. 88 90
E H Springer, services and mileage. 66 40
D B White, services and mileage Chas. C. Hupfer, meals for jurors No Platte Lumber Co. coal for jail. 61 25
Paul G Meyer, extending city map. 7 50
Emma Pulver, care of county poor, part disallowed on previous claim. 81 58
Wm Hayes, refund on taxes. 7 65
Allowed on bridge fund to-wit:
Clyde Courtney, bridge work, Sutherland. 21 60
Geo. Hoover, bridge work, Sutherland. 31 60
Allowed on commissioners, to-wit:
Fred Marquitt, cash for road district 9 allowed on district 3. 100 00
W J Shinkle, road work on road 357 allowed on district 3. 138 00
W J Shinkle, hayting road, allowed on district 3. 8 00
Jacob Miller, grading county line road between Lincoln and Logan counties allowed on commissioner district 2. 313 85
The county clerk is hereby instructed to file one half of above claim with Logan County.
The county treasurer is hereby authorized to refund to Albert L. Ellison the sum of \$5.39 on account of error in assessing his personal property.
Whereupon the board adjourns to Dec. 10, 1913. C W Yost, County Clerk.

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8,000 Miles on Horseback.

Bitter Root Jack passed through the city Friday enroute to Washington, D. C., on horseback. He is riding for the world's championship long distance ride. He started September 21st from the Flathead reservation in Montana and will ride to Washington and back to San Francisco. The trip he has planned will take him over 8,000 miles. He has for company only his dog, a mongrel half coyote and half bull, and his horse, Y. A. The title is now held by Alberta May, the girl who rode from Sheridan, Wyo., to New York City.
The trip must be made on one horse and it must be identified along the line to assure that no change has been made. Jack sells souvenir post cards to defray the expenses of the trip but his supply was exhausted when he reached this city. Since starting from his home, he has missed being in the saddle only one day. He crossed the Rockies and the bad lands making an average of about twenty miles per day but has made as high as forty-six miles.

Local and Personal

Mrs. Fred Diener returned last week from an extended visit at Syracuse, Nebr.

Miss Flynn returned Friday evening from a visit of several days with friends in Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Lloyd visited last week in Ogalala at the home of H. E. Smith.

Mrs. Watts and Miss Alice Langford left Friday evening for California to spend the winter.

Attorney Albert Muldoon was a visitor to Grand Island Saturday to look after legal business.

Mrs. Mary Shea and son Dan, have returned from Virginia and will make their home in this city.

Attorney W. E. Shuman returned last week from Lincoln where he had a case before the supreme court.

County Surveyor R. L. Cochran returned Friday from Omaha where he had been looking after matters of business.

Mrs. Weland, of Britt, Ia., arrived in the city last week to visit for several days with her sister, Mrs. E. L. Robinson.

Miss West returned Saturday morning to her home in Gothenburg after a visit in the city with Mrs. Geo. T. Fields.

Miss Esther Antonides, who teaches at Brady, visited in the city over Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Antonides.

Selby Clarke, of Wichita, was visiting in the city a few days last week. Mr. Clark settled in North Platte in an early day but has been gone for several years.

County Commissioner F. W. Herminghausen attended the county commissioners' convention last week in Omaha. From there he went down into Missouri to look after his land interests.

MAN'S LUCKY FIND.

Will Interest Readers of The Tribune

Those having the misfortune to suffer from backache, urinary disorders, gravel, dropsical swellings, rheumatic pains or other kidney and bladder disorders, will read with gratification this encouraging statement by a North Platte man.

W. F. Blalock, 609 Seventh St., North Platte, Neb., says: "I had an awful, heavy ache across my loins which seemed to take every bit of strength from me. My back was weak and helpless. The kidney secretions seemed to get more disordered as the pain in my back increased and they were unnatural and too frequent in passage. I was lame and could stand erect only with a painful effort. I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills and got a box. They cured me of the complaint and I have been well since."

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HE SAVED HIS FACE

By DOROTHY BURNS

While amusing myself over some old letters from India, written by my grandfather about half a century ago, I came across one to his mother, in which he announced his engagement and gave an account of how he came to marry:

"You know, my dear mother, that I have always contended that neither clergymen nor soldiers should marry. The first should always be ready to fight the devil under the banner of the cross in any land, however barbarous, and the second to fight the enemies of his country under its flag. And it seemed to me that if a soldier should take a wife she should have about her something of a soldier's nature. I do not mean that she should be expected to march to battle like a man, but that in moments of great danger she should retain her self possession.

"You remember that I came out here the year before the great mutiny and was assigned to the 7th Bengal cavalry at Meerut, where it broke out. I saw enough of the terrors a soldier's wife is liable to among the Englishwomen, who were obliged to fly for their lives, many of them being butchered and some burned in their houses while their husbands attended to their military duties, to confirm my opinion that a soldier should not be encumbered with a wife, or at least if he has one she should be a marvel of courage.

"A few months ago, dear mother, I was invited to the quarters of Colonel Crocker of the fusiliers. The colonel has been in India twenty years and has a daughter, Cynthia, born just after his arrival here, so that, never having left India, she has never seen England. At my first meeting with this young lady I felt that she was to prove a strong temptation to me to desert my principles. After being constantly at her father's bungalow for three months the first part of my resolution—never to marry so long as I was a soldier—was completely broken down. I was passing an intermediate stage between that resolution and my second—if I did marry while a soldier to mate only with a woman of such remarkable nerve under danger as I had seen among the officers' wives and daughters at the breaking out of the mutiny at Meerut—when an episode happened that broke down all my scruples against marriage.

"I was dining one evening with Colonel Crocker and his family. The colonel sat at one end of the table, Mrs. Crocker at the other, while one of the younger children and Cynthia sat on one side and the other child beside me. A servant was pulling on the punkah; another, an Indian girl, was serving us at dinner. In those days one seldom talked about anything except the adventures of the mutiny, and the colonel, who was at the time it broke out at a cantonment about two miles from Delhi, was telling how he tried to induce the mutinous sepoys of the regiment to which he was attached to remain faithful to their duty when he was interrupted by Cynthia quietly telling the waitress to place a bowl of milk on the floor. The colonel gave over his narration and looked at his daughter anxiously, her mother doing the same. I saw at once that she was moved by some powerful emotion. But she neither moved nor spoke. We all sat waiting while the maid placed the bowl of milk on the floor not far from Cynthia's chair and in a position where I could see it. What was my surprise and horror to see a cobra slowly creep from where Cynthia sat to the bowl.

"The snake had been wound around her leg and uncoiled to get the milk. "Suddenly Colonel Crocker seized a carving knife from the table and, darting to the snake, with one blow severed it in two parts.

"And now, dear mother, I have come to the other important statement contained in this letter. This brave woman has consented to be my wife. I can keep, at least, my resolution not to marry a woman who is unfitted to be the wife of a soldier. Colonel and Mrs. Crocker have consented, and Cynthia and I are very happy. To crown all, the colonel is to be retired in a few months and will use his influence to have me ordered to England, so that we shall doubtless all sail for home together. Cynthia and I shall not be married till we reach England, and you, dear mother, will be at our wedding."

This is the end of the story as given in my grandfather's letter to my great-grandmother. All turned out satisfactorily. Colonel Crocker was retired as expected and had influence sufficient to secure an order for his intended son-in-law to report at the war office in London about the same time as he himself expected to reach there. So they all went home together, and the wedding was celebrated at Twickenham, where the Crockers took up their residence after their return.

There is a sequel to this story which goes to show that my grandfather had saved his face by not telling the whole of it. The truth is that in the exuberance of youth he had talked very loudly about remaining a celibate so long as he was in the army. When he gave in he must needs have an excuse. He had a very good one, but he did not state the case in full. In another letter giving the same story the writer said that the moment the cobra was killed Cynthia Crocker fell over in a faint.



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