

THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS

Plattsmouth, Neb., Jan. 2, 1918.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present, Henry Snoko, Julius A. Pitz and C. E. Heebner, County Commissioners, and Frank J. Libershal, County Clerk. Minutes of previous session read and approved, when the following business was transacted in regular form:

County Judge Allen J. Beeson filed an order with the County Clerk renewing the mother's pension of Mrs. Edith Duckworth of Nebraska for the period of six months unless modified by the court. On motion the Board allowed same as instructed by the court.

County Clerk reported balance of all funds on hand in the County Treasurer's office at the close of business December 31, 1917 to be \$157,708.13.

Report of Boiler Inspector John T. Coleman, received and placed on file.

Claims Allowed.

The following claims were audited and allowed by the Board:

Table listing various claims and amounts, including items like 'Hans Sievers, for salary and laundry', 'D. C. Morgan, postal supplies', etc.

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R. Kettelhut, bridge work... 74.50
Aug Krecklow, bridge work... 28.40
Avoca Lumber Co., bridge material... 7.20
Monarch Engineering Co., bridge work for county... 2530.58

At 10 o'clock p. m., the Board on motion adjourned sine die. After a short recess the Board was called together and on motion proceeded to organize and did organize for the coming year by electing the following officers:

Chairman: Julius A. Pitz
Vice-Chairman: C. E. Heebner
Junior Member: Henry Snoko

Plattsmouth, Neb., Jan. 3, 1918. Board met as per adjournment.

Present Julius A. Pitz and C. E. Heebner, County Commissioners and Frank J. Libershal, County Clerk, when the following business was transacted in regular form:

Commissioner Henry Snoko was excused from today's session on account of having important business to attend to.

Jury Names. The following list of names was selected from which to choose a jury for the next term of the District Court:

Table listing names for the jury, including Tipton-Ed Doran, Austin Trimble, A. W. Norris, Greenwood-W. J. Althouse, Wm. Dowd, etc.

County Judge filed his report of fees collected for the third and fourth quarters of 1917, amounting to \$1,479.55.

County Judge Allen J. Beeson filed an order with the County Clerk renewing the mother's pension of Mrs. Belle D. Grassman for \$10.00 per month for a period of six months. Same was allowed as ordered by the court.

County Judge Allen J. Beeson filed his appointment of Florence White as Clerk of the County Court at a salary of \$1,000.00 per year, and same was confirmed by the Board.

County Clerk reported that as required by Statute he had called for bids for books, blanks and stationery to be furnished the county for the year 1918; bids to be filed on or before January 1, 1918, and that bids had been received from the Plattsmouth Journal Company on Class "B" stationery.

County Clerk was instructed to call for bids as follows: County Printing, Burial of Pauper Poor and for County Physicians for the various physician districts. Bids to be received up to noon on Monday, February 4, 1918.

Claims Allowed. The following claims were allowed by the Board:

Table listing various claims and amounts, including items like 'Henry Snoko, expense Rose Meeter to hospital', 'Platts Water Co., water to jail and court house', etc.

children for January... 10.00
Fred Patterson, office work... 50.00
Henry Snoko, salary, mileage and phone calls... 41.65
K-B Printing Co., supplies on claim No. 41... 31.97

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Buy Stamps and Save a Soldier

While you are at home tonight beside the warm fire, many American boys over there in France will be out in the cold in blood-soaked trenches.

Refuse to Buy Them and Let Brave Men Die. The boys in the trenches have loaned their lives for you; won't you loan your money for them—loan it at 4 per cent compound interest, the highest rate the government has ever paid.

Buy U. S. War Savings Stamps and you save the lives of American soldiers; refuse to buy and you let brave men die.

The government must have money now. The decision is soon to be made for or against America. Which way it will go depends upon you.

You can buy War Savings Stamps in 25-cent sizes, known as "Thrifty Stamps" and \$5 sizes, known as "War Savings Certificate Stamps." They are sold at the post office, at the banks and at stores.

C. E. Wescott's Sons

Thursday of this week, and further announcement will be made as to particulars later.

BURIED AT CO. BLUFFS TODAY. From Thursday's Daily. Mrs. R. F. Miles, who for many years lived south of this city, and a number of years ago left here, and has for a long time resided in Council Bluffs, Iowa, died of heart failure a couple of days ago, at the age of seventy years.

OPERATION NOT NECESSARY. From Thursday's Daily. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hess, who went to Omaha Tuesday and of whom it was stated in this paper that Mrs. Hess would undergo an operation in one of the hospitals there, returned home the same evening, and the many friends of Mrs. Hess will be pleased to learn that following an examination by one of the specialists in the hospital, an operation was decided unnecessary to relieve her trouble and she will instead submit to other form of treatment, which all hope will be productive of answering the purpose.

A CAPTAIN OF THE COMMISSARY. From Thursday's Daily. The county agents constitute American agriculture's first line of defense. They are the men in the first line trenches, zealously guarding the farmer's interests and bringing to his attention all that is of immediate practical value in our scientific teaching, and fortifying this with results from the experience of the

IN HONOR OF BIRTHDAY. From Thursday's Daily. Several of the friends of Miss Delores McCarthy met at her home Tuesday evening and enjoyed a dinner party in honor of her eighteenth birthday anniversary. Games and music were enjoyed until the hour of eight, when they all journeyed to the movies to spend the rest of the evening. After the show, the jolly company of young people wished Delores many more happy birthdays and departed for their homes.

COMBINATION DUROC-JERSEY SOW SALE! Given at the farm of Henry Hirz, six miles west of Plattsmouth, Neb., on Tuesday, January 29th.

One Tried Sow; Seven Fall Gilts and Twenty-One Spring Gilts—bread for March and April Farrow. Sale Will Commence at 1 O'clock in the Afternoon.

If interested, write either of the undersigned for complete catalogue. PHILIP HIRZ, Col. Wm. R. Young, Auctioneer, WM. RUMMEL, George O. Dovey, Clerk.



SOFT Collars of superior make are those produced by the Manhattan Shirt Company.

A variety of washable, non-shrinkable, and beautifully textured materials of exclusive weaves, in several shapes for comfortable wear.

20c--2 for 35c; 25 and 30c.



Thrifty Stamps!

The war is costing the United States \$1,000,000 an hour. To offset this steady and tremendous drain upon the nation's cash resources, there must be a corresponding stream of dollars flowing into the national treasury.

Thrifty stamps and war savings stamps offer the people an opportunity to deposit their daily, weekly or monthly savings with the government.

In return the government will repay the principal with 4 per cent interest, compounded quarterly. As an example of how the investor's money will grow, sixteen war savings stamps, costing 25 cents each, or \$4.00 in all, with 12 cents added, will entitle the depositor to \$5.00 on January 1, 1925.

As an investment, safely considered, there is nothing better on the market today. All the resources of the richest government on earth are behind the stamps.

Murray State Bank, MURRAY, NEBRASKA

Walter Byers, road work in road district No. 27... 17.20
H. A. Meisinger, Do, Dist. 7... 18.00
T. E. Hathaway, Do, Dist. 7... 22.50

Register of Deeds filed his report of fees earned for the fourth quarter of 1917, amounting to \$355.95.

County Clerk filed his report of fees collected for the fourth quarter, 1917, amounting to \$217.60.

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Table listing various claims and amounts, including items like 'Julius A. Pitz, salary and expense', 'John Bauer & Son, labor and material at jail', etc.

There being no further business the Board adjourned to meet in regular session Tuesday, January 29th, 1918.

Plattsmouth, Neb., Jan. 8, 1918. Board met in regular session there being present Julius A. Pitz, C. E. Heebner and Henry Snoko, County Commissioners, and Frank J. Libershal, County Clerk.

The following estimate of expense was made for the year 1918: For ordinary county revenue to be used for general purposes, including the support of the poor of the entire county, including the county poor farm, etc. \$57,000.00

Table listing various estimates and amounts, including items like 'Bridge purposes', 'Same (Emergency)', 'Road purposes', etc.

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