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County, Nebraska to fill vacancy in said office for the year 1910. Also in the matter of the petition of Geo. J. Keohler, F. T. Hopka, and others petitioning the Board to appoint C. Fassler, as deputy County Assessor, to fill vacancy in Potsdam Precinct for the year 1910, and also in the matter of the petition of Dean W. Fay, C. Wegmann, et. al. asking the board, acting in conjunction with the County Assessor, as provided by law, to appoint Onno Goos, as deputy county assessor, to fill vacancy in Potsdam Precinct for the year 1910. After carefully considering the above, and foregoing petitions it was moved and seconded with the approval of the County Assessor, that Hugo Schultz be and is hereby appointed deputy county assessor to fill vacancy in and for Potsdam Precinct, Webster County, Nebraska, for the year 1910. Motion carried.

On motion Board adjourned until 9 a. m., March 23rd, 1910.

MARCH 23d, 1910. Board met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present.

It appearing that H. C. Scott, county Assessor in and for Webster County, Nebr., was sick during the board meeting of January 11th, 1910, and not able to appear, before the Board at that time, to make application for clerk hire during the year 1910. Application granted.

In the matter of the road petition of Henry Giger, John R. Frey, N. M. Doudna et al, petitioning the board to open the public high way, along the route hereinafter described, commencing at the south east corner of section 1, town 1, range 10, Webster county, Nebraska, running thence about 10 rods west, along the line between sections 1 and 12, in said township, thence south along the present private road, to the north line of the C.B. & Q. R.R., right of way, thence in a northwesterly direction, parallel with the right of way, of said C.B. & Q. R.R., to the section line between sections 1 and 2 in said township, thence north along said section line, to public highway, at the northwest corner of section 1 and the northeast corner of section 2, said road to be 40 feet wide.

It was moved and seconded that the above and foregoing road be granted as asked for in said petition. Motion carried.

Moved and seconded that the annual statement of J. E. Fox as overseer of highways, road district No. 9, Webster county, Nebraska, be approved. Motion carried.

It was moved and seconded that the claim of \$318.69 in favor of Elmer Wilson for balance on team of horses, purchased by him to use on poor farm and other necessary things for use on said farm, be allowed and the clerk ordered to draw warrant on poor farm fund, in payment of same. Carried.

It was moved and seconded that the claim of \$50 in favor of Elmer Wilson to use for incidental expenses on poor farm, and clerk is ordered to draw warrant on poor farm fund in payment of same. Carried.

To the County Commissioners of Webster county, State of Neb., We, your committee on poor farm, submit the following report. We have examined the vouchers and receipts and accounts, and we, in our judgment, find them correct. The 4th quarter ending March 1, 1910, total receipts for the 4th quarter, \$1,323.02, balance on hand carried forward from 3d quarter \$125.65, \$1,449.67 total. Total expense for 4th quarter \$551.93. Balance on hand Mar. 1 1910 \$896.74. Mar 1, we find on poor farm registered cattle 34 head, hogs of all ages 40 head, horses of all ages 7 head, mules of all ages 2 head, corn 600 bushels, oats 300 bushels, hay enough to feed, consisting of wild hay and alfalfa, and all necessary machinery, to run the farm, 10 dozen chickens, pork on hand 11 shoulders and 7 hams, side meat, 12 gallons of lard, 58 quarts of fruit, house furniture for inmates in good condition, 1 inmate. We find the farm and buildings in good condition. The foregoing is what we, your committee find on hand, Mar. 1st, 1910, and the same we have turned over to Elmer Wilson, successor to Mr. Coplen,

It looks like a prosperous farmer around Manley Bros., about work time for Pete works six horses on the gang plow, Alfred works four on the disk and Louis works three on the stalk cutter and then a saddle horse and driving team in the barn.

Good Friday has come and gone. Some planted potatoes and some plant them in the moon and they never get there to tend them but we would advise you to plant them in good rich soil when the weather gets warm and cultivate them every Saturday.

Ed Wiggins had quite a streak of luck. He started for town on Monday and run a tire off from his wagon and went on to town and got a new one, Tuesday he tried to burn some sand bars and the fire got away from him and burned a lot of the bottom pasture and the whole neighborhood turned out and helped fight the fire and the next day his team got loose with his new wagon and took a spin down wind mill row and up set the wagon in front of the picture gallery and run about a half mile into a mail box where they stopped. What is the next excitement Ed.

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS.

RED CLOUD, NEBR., March 22, 1910. The Honorable Board of Webster County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present.

To the Board of County Commissioners of Webster County, Nebr., I Clarence Reed Justice of the Peace in and for Red Cloud City, hereby tender my resignation as Justice of the Peace to take effect March 7th., 1910. Clarence Reed Justice of the Peace.

It was moved and seconded that the above and foregoing resignation of Clarence Reed, Justice of the Peace for Red Cloud City be accepted. Carried.

In the matter of the Petition of J. C. Saylor, W. L. Fox, and others to the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Webster County, Nebr., asking for the appointment of J. A. Burden, as Justice of the Peace, in and for the City of Red Cloud, to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of the former justice Clarence Reed.

It was moved and seconded that the above and foregoing petition be granted and J. A. Burden, be and is hereby appointed to fill said vacancy in and for Red Cloud City, Webster County, Nebr., for balance of year of 1910. Motion carried.

The official bond of J. A. Burden as justice of the peace was approved.

It appearing that there were 2 vacancies in the office of the Peace in and for Red Cloud City. It was moved and seconded that Ino. B. Stanser, be and is hereby appointed as justice of the peace, in and for Red Cloud City to fill one of said vacancies, for the year 1910. Motion carried.

In the matter of the petition of Theodore Bentz, E. McBride et. al, asking for the appointment of Hugo Schultz, as deputy assessor, in and for Potsdam Precinct, of Webster

COWLES

Mrs. Herrick of Donaphin, Nebr., is some visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ritchey.

Mr. Thomas Deakin was in Axtell this week visiting old friends. He brought home a few pets.

Easter exercises at the Congregational church Sunday were well attended and a fine program was rendered.

F. A. Good went to Lincoln Monday to appear before the Rail Road Commissioners in reference to a rail road dispute about train service.

One of the lady clerks of The Right Place while pulling off bananas last week discovered what seemed to be a big spider. But upon investigation it turned out to be a medium sized Tarantula.

GARFIELD

Pete Manley is on the sick list this week.

T. W. White finished cutting stalks Friday.

How March did blow his breath on Wednesday.

Ed. Wiggins had a horse cut in the wire on Friday.

George Harris has his ground about plowed for oats.

Archie Harris is working for Tom Hawkins this summer.

Louis Manley and family were visiting in Red Cloud Sunday.

Mr. Fitz and family called on Mr. White's Monday in their auto.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wiggins are the proud parents of a baby girl.

Pete McIntosh was on wind mill row Sunday looking as smiling as ever.

Clyde Simpson was up and swapped yarns with Guy Barnes Sunday night.

Reed and Davis are having pretty good luck braking mules on the Kaley ranch.

Quite a breeze Saturday. It looked like several farms moving to town in the air.

Guy Barnes and Will Fisher cut thirty acres of stalks Tuesday for oats on the Andrus place.

Munger, Davis and Robbins were on wind mill row on Saturday night and then went to the dance.

Charley Campbell has his house plastered and most completed and will soon be ready for the hop.

George Coon was out on wind mill row Monday with a livery rig. Looks like he was running for office.

Mr. Manley and wife were called over to town on Monday night on account of his mother being sick.

Tom Haykins and family went over the river Saturday on a visit while the weather was nice and came back Sunday.

Jessie Wagener came in from Chicago on Friday and expects to remain home for a while and help catch some of the dust as it goes over in the wind.

Josh Billings Says: "Life is short. If it ain't jolly it ain't worth living."

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also find that Mr. Wilson furnished his own bedding and furniture for his own department and has the right to remove the same at the expiration of his term, as overseer of said poor farm and also 102 quarts of fruit to be returned to him at the end of his term.

Respectfully submitted, Geo. W. Hummel, J. G. Overman, L. F. Schmidt, Com.

It was moved and seconded that the above and foregoing report be approved and spread on the commissioners record. Carried.

On motion board adjourned to March 24, 1910.

Board met pursuant to adjournment and all members present. On the following plans and specifications therefore for bridges furnished by the state engineer, were adopted by the board and filed with the clerk, designated as follows: Plan "A" concrete bridge, 20 feet. Plan "B" concrete 16 feet. The county attorney was instructed to correspond with the state engineer and produce plans for 8 and 12 foot, arch concrete culverts. 36x50 foot steel bridges with concrete floor and steel piling with concrete backing and wings. 50 foot wood pile bridge.

On motion board adjourned to meet April 15, A. D. 1910. E. W. Ross, County Clerk. See The Chief for job work. Citizen's Ticket. For Mayor.....C. H. Potter For Clerk.....O. C. Teel For Treasurer.....J. O. Butler For City Engineer.....Geo. Overing For Police Judge.....James Burden COUNCILMEN First Ward.....Joe Fogel Second Ward.....Geo. W. Hutchison MEMBERS OF SCHOOL BOARD Henry Gilham Henry Cook