In accordance with the provisions of the statute of the County Board of Supervisors of Custer county met adopted. in regular session at the court house in Broken Bow and at 9 o'clock a. m. were called to order by the clerk.

There were present, Supervisors, G. H. Thorpe, G. Hiser, George W. Greenwalt, John W. Conley, Alvin Daily, J. T. Arthur and J. H. Me-

On motion regularly made and seconded, supervisor Conley was elected \$1.50 and N. E. Armstrong for \$18.50 temporary chairman.

ors Daily and Greenwalt as a committee on credentials.

The committee on credintials reported as follows:

Mr. Chairman, we your committee, respectfully report that we have examined the certificates of election and bonds on file and find that G. H. Thorpe, of Supervisor District No. 3, G. Hiser, District No. 7, J. H. Mc-Guire, district No. 5 and J. T. Arthur, district No. 1, were duly elected and have filed their proper bonds which have been accepted They are therefore entitled to seats in this honorable body.

Alvin Daily, Geo. W. Greenwalt.

Moved and carried the report of the committee be accepted.

Moved and carried that the temporary organization be made per-

Moved and carried that the order of business as adopted last year be

adopted for this year. Moved and carried to adjourn until 1:30 p. m. in order to give the chairman time to make up the reg-

ular permanent committees. Board met at 1:30 p. m.

The chairman announced the committees for the year as follows:

I hereby respectfully announce the appointment of the following committees for the year 1903:

Alvin Daily. Finance Com. G. H. Thorpe, J. W. Conley. (G. H. Thorpe, J. T. Arthur,

Geo. W. Greenwalt. Official Bonds J. T. Arthur, roads, and road J. G. Hiser, claims Com. J. H. McGuire. Erroneous and (G. Hiser, Delin quent \ J. H. McGuire,

J. T. Arthur. Tax Com. Poor Farm, (J. W. Conley, Court House, G. H. Thorpe, Jail Sup. Com. | Alvin Daily.

Bridge and (Geo. W. Greenwalt, Bridge Claims Alvin Daily, Committee. G. H. Thorpe. J. H. McGuire,

Judiciary Com & Geo. W. Greenwalt, G. Hiser. Respectfully submitted, John W. Conley,

Chairman.

It was moved by Daily and seconded by McGuire that the claim of L. E. Kirkpatrick for eighty-five dollars and twenty-seven cents(85.27) which was rescinded by this board on January , , be allowed.

Voting Aye: Arthur, McGuire, Thorpe, Hiser and Daily. Voting Nay: Greenwalt and Conley

Motion moved and carried to adjourn to 9:00 a. m. tomorrow.

January 14, 1903 Board met at 9 a. m. with all members present.

Minutes of vesterday read and approved.

Moved by Greenwalt and seconded by Arthur that the Custer County Beacon and the Custer County CHIEF be and hereby are designated as the official papers of Custer county and order that all board proceedings, of ficial notices and delinquent tax list to be published in both of said papers each one to receive one half the legal rate for such publications. Motion carried.

Erronerous and delinquent tax committee report upon claim of I. A. Reneau for taxes of Broken Bow

Abstract Co. paid under protest.

assessment of the Broken Bow Ab- be allowed. stract Co. for the past three years and find the facts set forth in this subject to call of chairman. affidavit correpond with the record and recommend that there be refunded the sum of \$44.95, and the the clerk instructed to certify this action to the county treasurer at G. Hiser,

J.H. McGuire, J. T. Arthur,

Report of committee accepted and Moved and carried to adjourn un-

til 1:30 p. m.

Board met at 1:30 p. m. with all member present. Poor farm, court house and jail

committee reported as following: We your committee recommend that the claims of Chas. Gadd for be allowed and that the proposition The chairman appointed supervis- of W. H. Osborne, Jr. as janitor for court house at a salary of \$50 per month and of John Pernie as superintendent of poor farm at a salary of \$1200 per year, be accepted and

that contracts be made with each for

the present year.

J. W. Conley G. H. Thorpe Alvin Daily

Moved and carried to accept and adopt report of committee.

Chairman appointed the following committees to check up the county

Clerk of District Court's office-Supervisors Daily and Thorpe.

Sheriff's office-Supervisors Hiser and Arthur.

County Judge's office-Supervis ors Greenwalt and McGuire. Finance committee reported as

We your finance committee recommend that the following estimates be made as the probable expenses

1	for the year 1905:	
1	Salary of county officers \$	5000
١		15000
ų	Stationery and other supplies.	5000
	Miscellaneous expenses	4000
1	Agricultural society	700
-	Teachers institute	200
	Insurance fund	400
į	Road fund	5000
0	Bridge fund	10000
	Soldiers' relief fund	700
	Alvin Dail	y,
	C 17 (19)	-1

G. H. Thorpe, J. W. Conley.

Moved and carried to accept and adopt report of the committee.

Moved and carried to adjou subject to the call of the chairman.

January 15, 1903.

Pursuant to adjournment the board met at 9:30 at call of chairman. Minutes of yesterday read and ap

proved. Moved and carried that the action of this board taken on January 2d. rick for \$250, third quarters salary, was allowed for \$50 and \$200 rejected, be reconsidered.

Greenwalt presented the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, A bill has been introduced in the legislature, known as tion. House Roll No. 3, the intent and purpose of which is to prevent the bringing into this state children which are likely to become a public charge. Therefore be it

RESOLVED, That this board send greeting to the representatives of this county in both branches of the legislature urging them to use their influence in favor of said bill.

Daily seconded the motion and upon vote it was unanimously adopt-

Moved and carried unanimously

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the claim of L. E. Kirkpatrick of We your committee report that \$250, third quarters salary, and also we have examined the record of the one for \$250, fourth quarters salary

Moved and carried to adjourn

January 16, 1903.

The chairman called the board together at 1:30 p. m. All members were present.

Minutes of vesterday read and pproved.

Road committee reported as folows on petition of J. H. Catron and

others for road in T. - R. -. We your committee recommend that the petition be granted and remonstrance be rejected.

Geo. Greenwalt. We recommend that the petition Alvin Daily, be rejected. G. Hiser.

Moved and carried that the minorty report be accepted and adopted. Erroneous and delinquent tax committee reported as follows on claim of J. R. Baker for refund of listrict tax paid under protest:

We your committee recommend that the claim be allowed and the treasurer ordered to refund the tax of \$20.76. Also that the treasurer be and hereby is instructed to refund all the district tax that has been paid and to cancel the district tax that has not been paid in school district No. 174 for the year 1902.

J. H. McGuire, G. Hiser, J. T. Arthur.

Moved and carried to accept and dopt the report of the committee. Moved and carried to adjourn subject to call of chairman.

Farmers Meet

At the office of the county

superintendent the meeting of the Farmers Cooperative movement was called to order Monday afternoon by T. C. H. Hayerhoffer. On montion of J. D. Ream a temporary organization rights will be forfeited was effected by electing T. C. H. Bayerhoffer, Chairman and L. A. Wells, Secretary. The question of electing delegates to the convention to be held in Lincoln on the 22 was discussed by Messrs. Bayerhoffer and Ream, It being deemed advisable to have the vicinity represented at the meeting. On motion it was decided to elect delegates. The following persons were elected: L. A. Wells, J. D. Ream, John Reese, T. C. H. Bayerhoffer, C. U. Willis and G. E. Cadwell. On motion the chair appointed a committee of three on investigation. He appointed J, D. Ream, R. A. Watts and G. E. Cadwell. wherein the claim of L. E. Kirkpat- The meeting adjourned to meet at the court house, Saturday, Jan. 31, at 1:30 p. m. to hear report of delegates, the committee and to consider the advisability of effecting a permanent organiza-

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PUBLIC LAND SALE,
Lincoln, Nebraska, January 10, 1903

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Land Offica, under authority vested in him by
section 2155, U. S. Rev. Stat., as amended by the
act of Congress approved February 25, 1895, we
will proceed to offer at public sale on the 17th
day of February, next, at this office, the following
tract of land, to wit: next self Section 34. Township 16 n. Range 20 w. Any and all persons
claiming adversely the above-described lands are
advised to fle their claims in this office on or before the day above designated for the commencement of said sale, otherwise their rights will be
forfeited.
W. A. Green, Register.

22 37-9 ALVA E KEENNARD, Receiver. United States Land Office, North Platt, Nebr. January 20, 1903

North Plati, Nebr. January 20, 1903

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance to instructions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority vessed in him by Section 2455, Revised Statutes, U. S., as amended by Act of Congress approved February 20, 1895 we will procred to offer at public sale at 10 colock a. m. on the 7th day of March, 1903, at this office the following tract of land viz: Nwkg sets. Section 35, Townseip 16, north of Range 21 west oth P. M. All persons claiming adversiy the above described land are advised to file their claims on or before, the day designated for the commencement of eald sale, otherwise their claims will be forcitted.

Dated at the United States Land Office. North Platt, Neb., this 20th day of Jacuary, 1903
32.37—10 GEO. E. FRENCH, Register.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC LAND SALE. NOTICE OF PUBLIC LAND SALE.

Broken Bow. Nebraska, January 16, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of instructions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority vested in him by Section 245, Rev. Stat. as amended by the act of Congress approved February 26, 1895, we will proceed to offer at public sale on the twenty-fifth day of February next, at this office the following tract of Isud, to-wit: The nest of the sets of Section 14, Townsnip 18 corth. Range 20 west of the oth P. M. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are advised to file their claims in this office on or before the day above designated for the commencement of said sale, otherwise their rights will be forfeited.

32 37—11 JAMES WHITEHEAD Register.

PUBLIC LAND SALE,

Broken Bow, Nebraska Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of in-structions from the Commissioner of the General structions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office under authority vested in him by Sectioe 2455, U. S. Rev., Stat., as amended by the act of Congress approved. February 26, 1895, we will proceed to offer at pupile sale on the 7th day of February 1903 next, at this effice, the following tract of land, to wit: Nwi4 sel4 Section 30, Township 17 N, Range 22 W. Any said all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are advised to file their claims in this office on or before the day above designated for the commoncement of said sale, otherwise their rights will be forfeited.

JAMES WHITEHEAD, Register FRANK H. YOUNG, Receiver,

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Broken Bow, Nebraska

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of instructions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority vested in him by Section 2455, U. S. Rev. Stat., as amended by the act of Congress approved February 25, 1885, we will proceed to offer at public sale on the 7th day of February 1903, next. at this office, the following tract of land, to Wit: N. Sel Section 27, Township 20 N. Range 21 w. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are advised to file their clams in this office on or befor; the day above designated for the commencement of said sale, otherwise their rights will be forfeited

JAMES WHITEHEAD. Register.

29-34-5 FRANK H. YOUNG, Receiver.

United States Land Office.

Broken Bow, Nebraska, December 17, 1902.

Notice is bereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make ed settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim No. 1015, and that said proof will be made before register and receiver, at Broven Bow, Nebraska, on January 26, 1903, viz: CHARLES F. FOSTER. Broken Bow, Nebraska, for the Sey nets Section 23, wish nwist Section 24, Township is N., Range 21 w. He names the following witnessess to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Merritt E. Gordon, of Merna, Neb., Clarence A. Swick, of Broken How, Neb., Frank Thomson of Broken Bow, Neb., Janes Whitarrana, 27 32-118

United States Land Office. Broken Bow, Neb. December 29, 1902. Broken Bow, Neb. December 29, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has flied notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, No. 2473 and that said proof will be made before register and receiver, at Broken Bow, Neb. on February 9 1903, viz. ARTHER A. BWICK, Broken Bow, Neb for the self Section 11, Township 18 N., Range 21, west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz; deorge Templar, of Broken Bow, Neb. William Albright of Merna, Neb. Jesse Albright of Merna, Neb, James Hoffman of New Helena, Neb.

29-34—1 James Whitzhead, Register.

The water works meeting at the Court House Monday night was largely attended and more than ordinary interest was manifested in the question of city ownership. The meeting effected an organization by electing Mayor Purcell, Chairman and J. E. Adamson, Secretary. After discussing the various phases of the question for an hour and half a vote was taken instructing the city council to call a special election to vote bonds to either buy the present plant or build a new one. The vote was unanimous.

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CONNTRUCTIVE SERVICE. NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANT.

CONSTRUCTIVE SERVICE in the District Court of Custer County, Nebrasks

John B. Griffith, Platotiff.

Ve
Christinia Anderson, et al., Defendant.
Christinia Anderson, defendent, will take notice that on the 10th day of January, 1903. John B. Griffith filed his petition in the District Court of Custer county (Nebraska: against said defendants the object and grayer of which are tofforeclose a certain mortgage ex cuted by defendant. Christina Anderson, to defendant, The Nebraska Mortgage and Trust Co., and assigned and delivered to plaintiff, uson the south west quarter of Section 12, Township 13, north of Range 25, West of 6th p. m. in Custer county, Nebraska Said mortgage given to secure the payment of a certain promissory note dated March 24, 1894. for the sum of \$300.00 and due and payable on January 1st, 1890, and fourtsen interest notes in the sum of \$10.50 each of even date with principal note; the first of which fell due July 1st, 1894, and one-tailing due every six months there for That there is now size upon said note. Interest notes, mortgage and taxes naid to protect pla netiffs security the sum of Sod 80 for which sum logether with interest from this date at 10 per cent per anonum, plaintiff urays for a decree that defendants be required to pay the same or that John B. Griffith, Platetiff. together with interest from this date at 10 per cent per annum, plaintiff urays for a decree that defendants be required to pay the same or that said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount found due and for such other and further relief as may be just and equitable.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 2nd day of March, 1903.

Dated January 16, 1903.

John B Griffith, Plaintiff.

22:35—8 By Simon Cambridge, Atturney.

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In The District Court of Custer Cousty, Neb. Iowa Loan and Trust Company, Plaintiff, vs.

Barton Bishopp, et al Defendants.

To Barton Bishopp, Martha A Bishopp, Daniel Heenan, Clara M. Heenan and Mary E. Keeley, non-resident defendants: You and each of you will take Lotice that on the 20th day of Nov. 1902, the lows Loan and Trust Company, plaintiff, filed its petition in the District Court of Custer county, Nebraska, against you and each of you, together with other defendants, the object and prayer of which said petition are to foreclose a certain mortgage executed by the defendants, Bartod Bishopp and Martha A. Bishopp to the plaintiff upon the south half of the north west quarter, of Scion 3, Township 14, range 21, situate in Custer county, Nebraska, which mortgage was given to secure the payment of one promissory note dated July 1, 1891, for the sum of \$400, due and papable on the first day of July, 1896, That there is now due and unuald spon said note and mortgage the sum of \$400 together with the interest thereon at the rate of 10 percent per annum from the first day of July, 1898, for which sum and interest the plaintiff prays for a decree of foreciosure and sale of said real estate. You and each of you are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 9th day of February, 1903.

Dated at Broken Bow, Neb., this 30th day of December, 1902, Iowa Loan & Trust Co. 29 32—2

By C. L. Gettenson, its Atty.

NOTICE TO NON RESIDENTS DEFENDANTS NOTICE TO NON RESIDENTS DEFENDANTS.

It the District Court of Guster county, Nebraska,
William H. Swinton, Mrs. ——Swinton his
wife, Charles A. McBride. Mrs. ——McBride.
his wife, G. J. Evans, V. Pres't. Estate of Jno.
R. Clark, deceased, A. B. Clark. Admix. of the
estate of Jno. R. Clark. deceased, Harry McBride
and Carrie A. Dillion Ex. of estate of Chas. A.
McBride deceased, Amelia B. Clark. A. B. Clark.
Harry McBride. Mrs. ——Clark his wife, Carrie A.
Dillman and —— Dillman, her husband. defendants, each and all of you will take notice that
on the —day of January. A. D. 1903. Edward C.
Pfanschnidt, plaintiff herein, filed his petition
in the District court of Custer county. Nebraska,
against each and all of said defendants. The
object and prayer of which is to foreclose a cortain mortgaget secuted by Albert J. Gustin to
Jno. R. Clark upon all of section twenty mine,
township thirteen north of range twenty three
west oth p. m. in Custer county. Nebraska, to
secure the payment of a certain promissory note
dated August of 1888 in the sum of \$2970, due and
payable August oth, 1893, with interest at the
rate of seven per cent from the date thereof,
That B. Clark Admix. of the estate of Juo. R.
Clark deceased, for valuable consideration, sold
and assigned said no e and mortgage to this
plaintiff, who is now the owner and holder
thereof, and that there is now due upon said
note and mortgage the sum of \$4900 56 with interest at the rate of 10 per cent from January 19,
1903. Plaintiff prays for a decree that defendan a be required to pay the same or that said
premisses may be sold to satisfy the amount due,
said certific also alleges that a certain deed
given by Amelia B. Clark, widow, to Chas. A.
McBride was fraudulent and without consileration, and plaintiff prays for cancellation of said
deed and the removal of the cloud occasioned
thereby upon the title to said land
You and cach of you are required to answer
seid petition on or before the 2nd day of March.
1903.

Buwang C. Pransequenter, Plaintiff. In the District Court of Custer county, Nebraska

Dated January 7th A. D. 1963.

Boward C. Pranschindt, Plaintiff.

By Willis Cadwell, His Att'y.

Attest, C. T. One Clerk District cont. County Court Custer County , Nebraska.

To the heirs and next of kin of John W. Valuer. deceased you are hereby notified that Hadle E. Varner, widow of said deceased, has filed her petition in said Court, asking that J. J. Tooley may be appointed administrator of the estate of John W.

Varner deceased. Said matter has been set for warner decement and materials been set for the ring for January 31st, 1903 at 10 o'clock a. m. at the county court Room in Broken Bow, Nebraska, when all interested parties may appear and be heard. Dated the 3rd day of January 1903.

JA. Almoura, County Judge.



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