

THE OLD RELIABLE



ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure

THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

total of \$3169.07. The amount of fees earned in my office during the fiscal year, 1902. Vouchers for deputy hire hereto attached.

N. E. Armstrong, Sheriff of Custer county, Nebr., Broken Bow, Nebr., January 8, 1903.

Quarterly report of the sheriff's work for the fiscal year, 1902:

Table with 2 columns: Quarter, Amount. Rows: First quarter \$914.62, Second 1138.15, Third 569.00, Fourth 547.30.

Total \$3169.07

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct statement of all fees earned in my office during the fiscal year, 1902. N. E. Armstrong, Sheriff of Custer county, Nebr.

We your committee appointed to check up the office of the sheriff respectfully report that we have carefully compared the within report with the records of his office and have found it correct.

J. T. Arthur, G. H. Hiser, Moved and carried to accept and adopt the report of committee.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT. Semi-Annual statement of J. G. W. Lewis, county superintendent of Custer county, Nebraska.

July 9-Bal. Ins. fund on hand \$206.07. Rec. from Cert's 7-9-02 to 1-9-03 276.00. Total \$482.07

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows: Aug. 7, 1902, paid for Inst. Inst. \$352.60, Paid rent for building 12.50, Paid for Opera House 8.00, Paid drayage 8.00, Paid board of two instructors 15.00, Balance on hand 86.57.

I hereby certify the above to be a correct statement of all monies received by me and paid out by me as county superintendent from July 9, 1902 to Jan 9, 1903.

J. G. W. Lewis, Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 25th day of January, 1903. Jos. Pigman, Deputy County Clerk.

We, your committee, respectfully report that we have checked up the office of the county superintendent and find the within statement correct.

J. T. Arthur, G. H. Hiser, Report of committee accepted and adopted.

COUNTY CLERK'S REPORT. Statement of Geo. W. Dewey, county clerk, for the year ending January 7, 1903:

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows: Amt. Rec. for clerk of the board \$200.00, for tax list 3074.18, for postage, drayage, etc 50.83, for fees (as per fee books) 938.75, for making Assessor books 311.95.

By clerk hire paid to: Mrs. Pignam \$50.00, Mary Botwell 84.20, Dave Dewey 3.75, W. H. Hartley 10.50, Mrs. Dewey 111.52, John Benjamin 70.30, Fred Stack 53.90, Myrtle Lytle 86.20, C. W. Hakes 29.25, Postage, drayage etc paid 50.83, Deputy's salary 1500.00, County clerk's salary 819.36, Balance due the county 8375.71

County claims assigned to cover excess: J. Geo. W. Dewey, county clerk of Custer county, Nebraska, do hereby certify that the above statement is true and correct as I verily believe.

Geo. W. Dewey, Co. Clerk. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of January, 1903. C. O. Lind, Register of Deeds.

We your committee appointed to check up the office of county clerk, respectfully report that we have compared his report with the fee book and have checked up the records of the office and find the within statement of money received and disbursed correct, and that he has assigned county claims to cover the excess.

J. T. Arthur, G. H. Hiser, Report of committee accepted and adopted.

DISTRICT CLERK'S REPORT. Annual statement of the clerk of district court:

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows: Total collections \$3445.70, Trial fees 252.00, \$3697.70

C. T. Orr's salary \$1800.00, Gertrude Orr, deputy 700.00, Clerk hire 81.00, Excess 35.79, Due the county 1280.91, \$3697.70

State of Nebr., Custer County. I, C. T. Orr, clerk of the district court, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct statement of the fees of my office for the year 1902, and also the expenditures of the same, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. T. Orr, Clerk of Dist. Court. We your committee appointed to check up the office of the clerk of the district court, make the following report:

We have checked his report with fee book and records of his office and find the same correct as submitted. Alvin Daily, G. H. Thorpe

Report of committee accepted and adopted. JANUARY 27, 1903.

Official bonds, road and road claims committee reported as follows:

We your committee recommend that the following claims be allowed: F. E. VanAntwerp, \$40.00; W. H. Osborne Jr., \$2.00; and that the following official bonds be approved:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Rows: Harry Klump \$100.00, Edward Foley \$100.00, G. H. Hoyer \$100.00.

ROAD OVERSEERS. William Porter \$100.00, E. A. Marsh \$100.00, Nick Peterson \$100.00, A. T. Grover \$100.00, M. L. Ambery \$100.00, Samuel Willis \$100.00, Jacob Klump \$100.00, Wilbur A. Spicer \$100.00, J. A. Copps \$100.00, S. R. Hicks \$100.00, Henry Chabman \$100.00, G. H. Hoyer \$100.00, J. W. Scott \$100.00.

TOWNSHIP CLERKS. W. O. Helz \$100.00, R. E. Warren \$100.00, H. H. Hoyer \$100.00, H. A. Sherman \$100.00, J. T. Berley \$100.00, John Reinhard \$100.00.

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE. Henry Kelley \$100.00, R. E. Kelley \$100.00, G. H. Thorpe \$100.00, J. T. Arthur \$100.00, G. H. Hiser \$100.00.

Moved and carried to accept and adopt the report.

Poor farm, court house and jail supplies committee reported as follows:

We your committee recommend that the following claims be allowed: Purcell Bros \$25.00, J. W. Crutcher \$1.00, Jud Kay \$1.00, Scott Cooper \$1.00, G. H. Thorpe \$1.00, Fred Koenig \$1.00, W. H. Osborn Jr. \$1.00, S. R. Groat & Co. \$1.00.

We also report that we have carefully examined the bids for county supplies and find the bid of Purcell Bros. the lowest complete bid and we recommend the contract be awarded Purcell Bros., and that their bond for the faithful performance of their contract be approved.

J. W. Conley, G. H. Thorpe, Alvin Daily, Moved and carried to accept and adopt the report of the committee.

CLAIMS COMMITTEE REPORTED AS FOLLOWS: We your committee recommend that the following claims be allowed: J. Hiser \$40.00, J. W. Conley \$45.25, Geo. B. Malar \$8.10, E. H. Burrows \$16.60, John Moran \$3.45, H. Thorpe \$3.40, J. G. W. Lewis \$119.25, S. J. Utten \$7.70.

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

REPORT OF SOLDIERS RELIEF COMMISSION. To the Chairman and Board of Supervisors of Custer County, Nebr. We, the members of the Soldiers' Relief Commission for said county, make the following report of our work for the year ending January 15, 1903.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows: Cash on hand last report \$44.80, Warrant No. 1 75.00, Warrant No. 2 50.00, Warrant No. 3 140.00, Total \$319.80, Disbursements as per receipts \$114.20, Balance on hands \$205.60.

We, the finance committee, have checked the within report, and find the same to be correct.

Alvin Daily, J. W. Conley, G. H. Thorpe, Moved and carried to accept and adopt the report of the committee.

Whereas, In the case of L. E. Kirkpatrick vs Custer County, has been tried in the district court, and judgment rendered against the county in the sum of \$255, therefore be it

Resolved, that the clerk be, and

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Rows: Dr. G. E. Pennington \$28.00, Pin Notch \$10.00, Pin Mearns \$10.00, Harry Day \$9.75, F. E. Sala \$21.40, Ray Gadd \$39.00, J. T. Arthur \$27.30, C. J. Stevens \$27.08, Broken Bow Telephone Exchange \$24.85, Geo. Greenwall \$31.25, Alvin Daily \$21.00, Alvin Daily \$21.00, Geo. Greenwall \$23.25, J. G. W. Lewis \$38.83.

and that the claim of Charles Battelle for \$50.00 be laid over till taxes are collected, and the claim of Mrs. Lizzie Reynolds for \$12.98 for care of Conway child be rejected.

J. T. Arthur, Geo. Greenwall, Moved and carried to accept and adopt the report of the committee.

BRIDGE COMMITTEE REPORTED AS FOLLOWS: We your committee recommend that the claim of N. B. Predmore for \$15.00 be allowed.

Alvin Daily, G. H. Thorpe, Moved and carried to accept and adopt the report of the committee.

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE REPORTED AS FOLLOWS: We your committee recommend that the following claims be allowed:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Rows: J. A. Armour \$14.80, J. A. Armour \$13.65, J. A. Armour \$12.75, J. Snyder \$2.10, F. L. Dean \$6.00, Frank Dean \$2.00, Henry Kelley \$4.00, Henry Kelley \$4.00, Henry Kelley \$4.00, W. H. Fisher \$9.00, W. H. Fisher \$9.00, W. S. Branson \$1.10, Grace Barnes \$17.77, A. R. Humphrey \$9.93, J. A. Armour \$2.00, N. V. Pierson \$9.55, John Power \$2.00, John Power \$2.00, Mrs. Susie Dean \$2.00, N. T. Gadd \$20.00, Chas. E. Hader \$2.00, Jud Kay \$2.00, Walter Glass \$2.00, John Stewart \$6.00, Scott Cooper \$6.00, G. Westbrooke \$2.00, G. N. Rawson \$2.00, M. O. Brinn \$2.00, Henry Reeder \$6.30, Chas. Shinn \$2.00, W. H. Osborn \$2.00, W. W. Lotts \$9.00, James Murray \$10.30, M. O. Shinn \$2.00, G. S. McMillan \$2.00, Mrs. A. Pummell \$2.00, J. F. Hutchison \$2.00, E. W. Tucker \$2.00, W. S. Metcalf \$6.00, Robert P. Fry \$9.40, E. W. Tucker \$2.00, J. A. Armour \$2.55, J. A. Armour \$7.05, N. E. Armstrong \$4.00.

And that the following claims be rejected: J. A. Armour \$5.65, N. E. Armstrong \$10.85, Chas. Wacabush Sr. \$3.00, E. Wacabush Jr. \$3.00, E. Wacabush \$3.00, Geo. Willing \$1.00, Scott Cooper \$1.00, J. W. Crutcher \$1.00, S. M. McCann \$1.00, D. R. Rockwell \$1.00, J. A. Armour \$1.00, J. A. Armour \$1.85, N. E. Armstrong \$4.00, J. A. Armour \$1.85, J. A. Armour \$1.50, John Sanderson \$1.85, N. E. Armstrong \$2.80, J. A. Armour \$1.85, J. A. Armour \$1.50, N. E. Armstrong \$1.85, N. E. Armstrong \$1.50, J. A. Armour \$3.70, J. A. Armour \$7.95, N. E. Armstrong \$13.55, Fred W. Inman \$5.80, Henry Johnson \$3.00, Chas. Meyers \$2.60, Sam Dodd \$2.00, Clara E. Livingston \$2.60, Reuben Ravment \$3.10, Martin Ellingstone \$2.60, A. W. Drake \$1.00, B. B. Hawthorne \$1.00, G. W. Howard \$1.00, W. H. Hartley \$1.00, Robert Brindle \$1.00, J. A. Armour \$5.35, N. E. Armstrong \$1.50, N. E. Armstrong \$3.00, Bert Engfield \$3.00, J. D. Pelham \$3.00, Geo. W. Williams \$3.00, Moss King \$3.00, J. A. Armour \$3.45, N. E. Armstrong \$39.55, J. A. Armour \$5.10, N. E. Armstrong \$15.60, C. O. Richardson \$1.00, J. A. Armour \$5.40, N. E. Armstrong \$1.50, A. H. Barcus \$2.00, M. King \$2.00, Arthur Powers \$2.00, D. L. Herrick \$2.20, J. S. King \$2.00, L. E. Koot \$1.00, J. A. Armour \$1.00.

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hereby is, instructed to draw warrant to satisfy said judgment. Seconded by Daily. Carried.

Moved and carried that the county clerk be, and hereby is, instructed to draw warrants on the proper funds for all claims allowed at this meeting of the board, and to hold the claims of all persons owing delinquent taxes.

Finance committee reported as follows: We, your finance committee, recommend the following transfers be made to the 1902 general fund:

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows: From 1902 miscellaneous account \$482.00, 1900 General fund to 1902 general fund 1258.91, County judgment to 1902 Gen. fund 110.00, Advertising to 1902 Gen. fund 786.10, Warrant No. 1 to 1902 general fund 1000.00, 1901 general fund to 1902 general fund 800.00, Bridge to 1902 general fund 800.00.

Total \$4847.91. 1901 general fund to 1902 general fund \$800.00, 1901 bridge fund to 1902 bridge fund \$800.00, 1900 bridge fund to 1902 bridge fund 450.00.

Total \$4640.00. 1900 road to 1902 road \$100.00. Respectfully submitted. ALVIN DAILY, J. W. CONLEY, G. H. THORPE, Committee.

Moved and carried that the report of the committee be accepted and adopted.

The requisitions of the register of deeds and county clerk each for one deputy at a salary of \$700.00 per year, and the necessary clerks to keep up the work of their offices at salaries not exceeding \$50.00 per month, were read and, by vote of the board, were granted, as was also the request of Mr. Lind to be allowed to take into his office a "Book Typewriter" on trial, the same to be purchased if found practicable and satisfactory.

Moved and carried to adjourn till 9 a. m., March 10th, 1903.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Town lots and a few five acre lots in this city, for cattle, horses or farm land.—Allen Reyner.

U. S. Land Office. JAMES WHITEHEAD, Register. F. H. YOUNG, Receiver.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS. All advertisements under this head will be charged for at the following rates: \$1.00 per square for first insertion, and 50c per square for each subsequent insertion. A "square" is ten lines or fraction thereof.

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