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Of the Board of County Supervisors of Custer County, Nebraska.

Continued from 1st Section.

Also as follows upon the petition of Tom Oakes et al for a road commencing at the southeast corner of section 3, township 16, range 19, running south on the section line about 15 rods, then angle southwest, intersecting road No. 668 at a point about 20 rods north of the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 10, township 16, range 19, following road as now traveled.

Also to vacate that part of road No. 668 of which this road takes the place. We recommend that the petition be granted and the vacation be granted, as recommended by the commissioner, and damages allowed as follows against road district No. 2 of Berwyn township:

To I. E. Spencer, or the owner of the north half northeast quarter of section 10, township 16, range 19, \$250.00.
BEN P. MORRIS,
L. CUSHMAN,
J. B. GILMORE,
Committee.

It was moved and carried that the report of the committee be accepted and adopted as read, and that the roads be established and vacated as recommended by the committee.

The balance of the afternoon was spent in committee work, and at 6 o'clock the board adjourned till 8 a. m. tomorrow.

Tuesday, October 8, 1907.

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

C. B. Lauridsen appeared before the board in the interest of the farmers' institutes, and it was moved and carried that \$100.00 be appropriated out of the general fund of the county for the purpose of defraying the local expenses of holding farmers' institutes, said \$100.00 to be expended under the oversight and with the cooperation of the university of the state of Nebraska.

A motion was made and carried that the bond of Henry Kelley, for the issuance of duplicate warrants No. 187 on general fund of 1906, for \$3.75, and warrant No. 646 on general fund 1906, for \$2.50, be approved, and the county clerk be instructed to write duplicate warrants for said numbers and amounts.

It was moved and carried that the road committee be permitted to withdraw that part of their report made on October 3d, 1907, relative to the M. G. Montgomery road petition.

Whereupon said road committee withdrew said report.

The balance of the forenoon was spent in committee work, and at 12 m. the board took a recess till 1:30 p. m.

Afternoon Session.

The bridge committee made the following report on the claim of the Standard Bridge Co. for \$5,000.00, to estimate on bridges and bridge material.

We recommend the within claim be allowed.

R. R. WELCH,
JOSEPH FENIMORE,
A. FONDA,
Committee.

It was moved and carried to accept and adopt the report as read.

The parties interested in the establishment of the C. K. Heist road were present before the board and the consideration of the same was then taken up.

E. C. Gibbons appeared before the board, represented by his attorney, H. M. Sullivan, and filed his objections to the jurisdiction of the board to locate and establish said road for six (6) different and distinct reasons.

A motion was made and seconded that the objection of E. C. Gibbons as so far as it raises the question that no report of bridges or expenses were reported by the commissioner, and also be sustained as to paragraph No. 5, and be overruled as to the rest of the objections.

The chairman declared the motion carried.

It was moved and carried that the appointment and report of the commissioner on the C. K. Heist road petition be rejected and set aside, and the county clerk be directed to appoint a commissioner to report on said petition.

The following request from N. T. Gadd, city attorney of the city of Broken Bow, Neb., was then read by the clerk:

Before the Board of Custer County Nebraska.

Comes now your petitioner, the city of Broken Bow, Nebraska, and respectfully shows your honorable body, to wit:

That the city of Broken Bow, during the legal period, levied taxes for the purpose of raising revenue for the city.

That amongst other taxes levied there was by the mayor and city council levied the sum of 4 mills as a judgment fund levy.

That at the meeting of this board as a board of equalization, your honorable body, inadvertently, and by oversight, omitted to include the said 4 mill levy. That it is necessary that the said levy be had, and your petitioner asks that the board at this sitting make a nunc pro tunc order and have the clerk include the said tax levy.

It was moved and carried that the county clerk be instructed to add the additional 4 mill judgment levy to the tax list of the city of Broken Bow.

The erroneous and delinquent tax claims committee made the following report:

We recommend that the following claims be allowed and refunded to the several claimants, as follows:

Frank Kelsey \$13.23
N. B. Sheldon 8.11
And in the matter of the application of L. J. Pfehm, we recommend that the sum of \$2.44 be refunded and the county treasurer be instructed to transfer from the village fund of Sargent to the township fund of Sargent the sum of \$1.00, and upon the application of Homer Hockett we recommend that the county treasurer be and is hereby ordered to cancel personal tax of S. W. Hockett for assessment made by Homer Hockett for the year 1906 on one stallion and jack, and the county clerk be instructed to return check to S. W. Hockett, Howard, Neb.
JOS. FENIMORE,
J. B. GILMORE,
J. E. GRINT,
Committee.

It was moved and carried that the report of the committee be accepted and adopted as read.

The bridge committee made the following report:

We recommend that the petition of Frank Weisenreider et al for a bridge between sections 36 and 31, being in township 17, range 21 and 20, be granted, and that the following claims be allowed:

E. Knoell, hauling lumber, etc. \$ 10.00
C. C. Christensen, work on Evans bridge 4.50
G. F. Christy, hauling lumber, etc. 7.50
J. O. Taylor, merchandise 1.90
Dierks Lumber Co., mds. 26.70
Dierks Lumber Co., mds. 87.81
R. R. WELCH,
JOS. FENIMORE,
A. FONDA,
Committee.

It was moved and carried that the report of the committee be accepted and adopted as read.

The road committee made the following report upon the petition of Jos. Vodhena et al for a road in township 20, range 17:

We recommend that this petition be granted and road established as recommended by commissioner, road to be 40 feet wide, and remonstrance rejected, and claims allowed as follows against road district No. 1, Sargent township:

To the owner of the northwest quarter section 36, township 20, range 17, \$75.00, and all other claims be rejected.
BEN P. MORRIS,
L. CUSHMAN,
J. B. GILMORE,
Committee.

It was moved and carried that the report of the committee be accepted and adopted as read and that the road be established as recommended by committee.

Wednesday, October 9, 1907.

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

Minutes of October 7 and 8 read and approved.

The several members of the board handed in the following list of names from the different townships from which to draw a jury for the November term of the district court:

J. C. Spencer, Algernon township.
John O. Jackson, Algernon township.
Frank Kulha, Algernon township.
James Kerr, Algernon township.
Dave Scott, Ansley township.
M. L. Amsberry, Ansley township.
Robert Fox, Myrtle township.
Geo. Watson, Myrtle township.
C. B. Lauridsen, Elk Creek township.
Albert Rhoda, Elk Creek township.
John Schmitz, Cliff township.
Millard Hill, Cliff township.
Harry Sweeney, Kilfoil township.
D. W. Widdaman, Kilfoil township.
Jess Van Buskirk, Kilfoil township.
T. F. Kelley, Kilfoil township.
T. P. Maroney, Victoria township.
Joe Moore, Victoria township.
B. F. Kiker, Sargent township.
M. E. Vandenberg, Sargent township.
Wm. Buckbee, Sargent township.
Wm. Brown, Comstock township.
W. P. Hammond, Comstock township.
B. D. Allen, Douglas Grove township.
Chas. Howard, Douglas Grove township.
John Welch, Westerville township.
Theo. Friskhorn, Westerville township.
A. H. Luther, Westerville township.
A. E. Brigham, Wood River township.
Geo. Mary, Wood River township.
D. S. Meeks, Wood River township.
Hy Moore, Loup township.
Geo. Frew, Loup township.
John Dressel, Custer township.
Martin Kolbo, Custer township.
J. H. Evans, Triumph township.
Frank Mowler, West Union township.
Jas. McGraw, Lillian township.
R. H. Sargent, Lillian township.
Joe Haumont, Garfield township.
John Thornton, Berwyn township.
Jas. Davidson, Berwyn township.
Adolph Peterson, Wayne township.
H. H. Miller, Grant township.
E. S. Woodruff, Elm township.
H. W. Schreiber, Delight township.
J. D. Wieland, Delight township.
A. J. Higbee, Delight township.
Edward Smith, Delight township.
Godfrey Nansel, Arnold township.
C. M. Blowers, Arnold township.
W. H. Osborne, Sr., Broken Bow township.
C. T. Wright, Broken Bow township.
E. W. Simmons, Broken Bow township.

Leonard Hersch, Broken Bow township.
J. B. Holcomb, Broken Bow township.
Fred Bertran, Broken Bow township.
Geo. O. Waters, Broken Bow township.
Frank Weisenreider, Broken Bow township.
Florian Jacobs, Broken Bow township.

It was moved and carried that the list of names as handed in by the several members of the board be approved.

The following request from J. T. Wood was then read by the clerk:

To the Honorable County Board of Custer County, Nebraska:

Gentlemen—As a majority of the leading counties of our state are adopting the McMillan loose leaf system, or some other method whereby recording of deeds and mortgages are typewritten, and believing it will not be any extra expense, but will be economy, and at same time will be able to make a neater and plainer record, and the saving of books would shortly pay for a typewriter, and I will make this request, that I be allowed to use the McMillan loose leaf system, and that the county purchase a typewriter for our use, the same to be paid out of the fees of the office.

Yours respectfully,
J. T. WOOD,
Register of Deeds.

It was moved and carried that J. T. Wood be instructed to purchase a No. 5 Oliver typewriter with 15-inch carriage, including base and cover, the price of said typewriter not to exceed the sum of \$99.00, the same to be paid out of the fees of the office.

It was moved and carried that the county superintendent be allowed his rail road fare and hotel expenses for his attendance at the conference of superintendents and principals of schools to be held at Lincoln, Neb., October 25, 26 and 27, 1907.

The claims committee made the following report:

We recommend that the following election claims be allowed:

Frank Devine, Loup twp. \$ 8.50
H. E. Woodruff, Loup twp. 4.00
W. P. Trew, Loup twp. 4.00
Harve Brown, Loup twp. 4.00
J. E. Myers, Loup twp. 4.00
W. P. Henman, Custer No. 1. 7.40
Jerome Taylor, Custer No. 1. 4.00
W. H. Cline, Custer No. 1. 4.00
C. L. Hammond, Custer No. 1. 4.00
W. R. Cline, Custer No. 1. 4.00
J. H. Walburn, Custer No. 2. 4.00
I. H. Russell, Custer No. 2. 4.00
J. E. Neth, Custer No. 2. 4.00
S. Neth, Custer No. 2. 4.00
B. F. Empfield, Custer No. 2. 4.00
S. L. Glover, Douglas Grove twp. 10.20
A. Donahue, Douglas Grove twp. 4.00
Z. D. Amos, Douglas Grove twp. 4.00
W. H. Comstock, Douglas Grove twp. 4.00
E. C. Spooner, Douglas Grove twp. 4.00
H. J. Kolbo, Wood River twp. 3.00
Lee Cornish, Wood River twp. 3.00
Fred M. Bryner, Wood River twp. 3.00
W. R. Samson, Wood River twp. 3.00
M. Conley, Wood River twp. 9.50
E. E. Richards, Sargent twp. 4.00
D. H. Bowen, Sargent twp. 4.00
W. D. Hall, Sargent twp. 4.00
John Tolliver, Sargent twp. 4.00
Wm. Sherman, Sargent twp. 4.00
B. F. Kiker, Sargent twp. 4.00
C. C. Empfield, Victoria twp. 2.50
G. C. Empfield, Victoria twp. 8.00
A. Springstube, Victoria twp. 2.00
W. H. Lewis, Victoria twp. 4.00
Alex Parkison, Victoria twp. 4.00
Pierce Cain, Victoria twp. 4.00
O. C. Anderson, Victoria twp. 4.00
W. A. Gardner, Westerville twp. 8.00
H. F. Burnham, Westerville twp. 4.00
John Welch, Westerville twp. 4.00
E. A. Emmerson, Westerville twp. 4.00
T. B. Mills, Westerville twp. 4.00
J. P. Runner, Westerville twp. 4.00
P. G. Allen, Myrtle twp. 4.00
Ed Murray, Myrtle twp. 4.00
F. A. Walton, Myrtle twp. 4.00
A. H. Pester, Myrtle twp. 4.00
Joe Giddings, Myrtle twp. 4.00
J. M. Nichols, Myrtle twp. 2.00
A. H. Pester, Myrtle twp. 0.50
S. W. Weaver, Algernon twp. 4.00
John A. Hall, Algernon twp. 4.00
A. C. McIninch, Algernon twp. 4.00
J. L. Smith, Algernon twp. 4.00
J. D. Amsberry, Algernon twp. 4.00
J. J. Joyner, Kilfoil twp. 4.00
J. E. Graham, Kilfoil twp. 4.00
J. S. Lyon, Kilfoil twp. 4.00
Budd Daley, Kilfoil twp. 4.00
H. K. Atkinson, Kilfoil twp. 7.10
W. R. Bruce, Broken Bow, North Side 4.00
A. Lanphear, Broken Bow, North Side 4.00
I. A. Coleman, Broken Bow, North Side 4.00
C. H. Holcomb, Broken Bow, North Side 4.00
C. R. Luce, Broken Bow, North Side 4.00
W. H. Shackelfore, Broken Bow, South Side 4.00
Ed Osborne, Broken Bow, South Side 4.00
Chas. Stout, Broken Bow, South Side 4.00
T. A. Leasure, Broken Bow, South Side 4.00
W. H. Osborne, Sr., Broken Bow, South Side 4.00
B. W. Lowe, Delight twp. 10.50
F. J. Drum, Delight twp. 4.00
Wm. Nicholson, Delight twp. 4.00
Roy R. Barnard, Delight twp. 4.00
O. D. James, Delight twp. 4.00
Ira P. Mills, Arnold twp. 12.00
C. T. Holiday, Arnold twp. 4.00
J. M. Samuelson, Arnold twp. 4.00
A. D. Brown, Arnold twp. 4.00
Le Roy Needham, Arnold twp. 4.00
G. W. Butcher, West Union twp. No. 1 4.00
C. A. Allen, West Union twp. No. 1 4.00
W. J. Leep, West Union twp. No. 1 4.00
A. J. Smith, West Union twp. No. 1 4.00
S. J. Leep, West Union twp. No. 1 4.00
Robert Farley, West Union twp. No. 1 10.00
Jerry Phelps, West Union twp. No. 2 4.00
Jas. Abernathy, West Union twp. No. 2 4.00
Geo. E. Marsh, West Union twp. No. 2 4.00
Porter M. Farley, West Union twp. No. 2 4.00
J. H. McClure, West Union twp. No. 2 4.00
Fritz Gierham, Elk Creek twp. 12.00
Wm. Boeking, Elk Creek twp. 4.00
Fred J. Franklin, Elk Creek twp. 4.00
Hans G. App, Elk Creek twp. 4.00
H. J. Nielson, Elk Creek twp. 4.00
S. Deffenbaugh, Lillian twp. No. 2 4.00
O. C. Johnson, Lillian twp. No. 2 4.00
N. B. Predmore, Lillian twp. No. 2 11.00
Frank E. Lovejoy, Lillian twp. No. 2 4.00
R. J. Abernathy, Lillian twp. No. 2 4.00
W. H. Ash, Lillian twp. No. 1. 8.00
Tom Byers, Lillian twp. No. 1. 4.00
Clarence Metcalf, Lillian twp. No. 1 4.00
Geo. W. Dewey, Lillian twp. No. 1 4.00
A. R. Blessing, Lillian twp. No. 1 4.00
B. F. Riggle, Triumph twp. 7.25
Geo. W. Troyer, Triumph twp. 3.00
A. C. Griffith, Triumph twp. 3.00
Alf Schreyer, Triumph twp. 3.00
O. C. Murphy, Triumph twp. 3.00
E. S. Updike, Cliff twp. 3.00
Jas. Wardrobe, Cliff twp. 4.00
Chas. Myers, Cliff twp. 4.00
Millard Hill, Cliff twp. 4.00
C. W. Layton, Cliff twp. 4.00
C. E. Benckeser, Grant twp. 4.00
Joseph Gilmore, Grant twp. 12.50
R. E. Williams, Grant twp. 4.00
Lott Ward, Grant twp. 4.00
J. Thull, Ansley twp. 4.00
T. T. Daniels, Ansley twp. 4.00
F. G. Hagin, Ansley twp. 4.00
S. B. Harris, Ansley twp. 4.00
C. W. Hawk, Ansley twp. 8.00
C. W. Gestwite, Berwyn twp. 4.00
B. Talbot, Berwyn twp. 4.00
James Davidson, Berwyn twp. 4.00
E. S. Fretz, Berwyn twp. 4.00
J. O. Taylor, Berwyn twp. 7.05
S. A. Carr, Elim twp. 12.00
C. Bonde, Elim twp. 4.00
S. W. Henry, Elim twp. 4.00
John Tallin, Elim twp. 4.00
James W. Henry, Elim twp. 4.00
Chester E. Green, Garfield twp. 7.00
J. W. Barns, Garfield twp. 4.00
John V. Kleebe, Garfield twp. 4.00
Clyde Green, Garfield twp. 4.00
A. T. Crowther, Garfield twp. 4.00
C. D. Day, Hayes twp. 4.00
C. W. Bohart, Hayes twp. 4.00
W. D. Blankenship, Hayes twp. 4.00
E. B. Johnson, Hayes twp. 4.00
W. T. Davis, Hayes twp. 11.30
A. A. Winchester, Hayes twp. 2.00
Fred J. Anderson, Wayne twp. 13.40
John Jacobson, Wayne twp. 4.00
Iver O. Johnson, Wayne twp. 4.00
Ole Olson, Wayne twp. 4.00
M. H. Glassey, Comstock twp. 11.50
S. T. Stevens, Comstock twp. 4.00
Oscar R. Ross, Comstock twp. 4.00
Alex Stone, Comstock twp. 4.00
John F. Dworak, Comstock twp. 4.00
E. Taylor, service on canvassing board 6.00
J. S. McGraw, service on canvassing board 4.00
C. R. Luce, delivering ballots and mileage 20.00
L. Cushman, board work 30.65
A. Fonda, bridge work and mileage 16.75
A. Fonda, board work and mileage 27.00
J. E. Grint, board work and mileage 32.65
Jos. Fenimore, board work 3.00
Ben P. Morris, board work, etc. 51.75
J. B. Gilmore, board work, etc. 53.20
Jos. Fenimore, board work, etc. 28.10
R. R. Welch, board work, etc. 55.60
Custer County Republican, printing board proceedings, etc. 45.85
Custer County Republican, printing board proceedings, etc. 37.50
S. R. Lee, merchandise for Mrs. Larson 13.05
S. R. Lee, merchandise for Mrs. Larson 3.20
S. R. Lee, merchandise for Mrs. Larson35
Jos. Pigman, part payment on tax list 42.92
Jos. Pigman, part payment on tax list 50.00
Jos. Pigman, part payment on tax list 50.00
Jos. Pigman, salary for August, 1907 125.00
H. M. Pinckney, appropriation for institute 100.00
H. M. Pinckney, salary for July, August, September, and postage 428.05
Clarence Metcalf, delivering ballots 2.00
A. H. Copsey, rent for Mrs. Steinman 5.00
A. H. Copsey, rent for Mrs. Steinman 1.65
C. L. Mullins, care of Mrs. Larson 18.00
P. M. Townsley, erecting booths 2.50
Dr. T. W. Bass, meals for jury 9.10
Courier Tribune, printing tax notice85
Phin L. Metcalf, goods for Mrs. Barger 13.40

Phin L. Metcalf, merchandise 13.25
John Pirnie, salary from July 16th to October 16th, 1907. 375.00
Jos. Pigman, salary for September 125.00
Jos. Pigman, salary for June 125.00
Jos. Pigman, livery hire, delivering ballots 4.00
Francis Marsh, delivering ballots and mileage 15.00
Dierks Lumber & Coal Co., coal for poor 6.70
Dierks Lumber & Coal Co., 24-4-16 1.60
A. L. Mathews, fumigating smallpox patients, etc. 55.00
Hammond Stephens Co., supplies for superintendent 1.10
J. H. Morrow, viewing body of S. D. Bishop 11.20
Flora Raymond, care of Mrs. Durbey 44.00
Flora Raymond, care of Mrs. Durbey 8.50
W. A. George, ticket to Alliance for the poor 7.70
C. U. Richardson, postage, etc. 8.10
And that the following claims be rejected:
Dr. C. T. Owings \$ 35.00
M. G. Montgomery 2.00
Mrs. Laura Penn 2.20
J. E. GRINT,
R. R. WELCH,
BEN P. MORRIS,
Committee.

It was moved and carried that the report of the committee be accepted and adopted as read.

The official bond, road and road claims committee made the following report on the petition of A. C. Gates et al, for a road in township 16, range 18.

We recommend that this petition be granted and road be established as petitioned and damages allowed as stipulated against road district No. 4, Westerville township, and that the claim of J. Hatfield be rejected for the reason that said road does not take his land as noted in petition; and as follows upon the petition of Albert Kleebe et al, for a road in township 18, range 19, we recommend that this petition be granted and road established as recommended by the commissioner, and claims allowed as follows against road district No. 3, Lillian township:

To the owner of the east half northeast quarter, section 32, township 18, range 19, \$66.00, and that all other claims be rejected.

And that the following claims be allowed:

R. W. Buckner, commissioner on roads, etc. \$ 61.80
J. F. Hutchinson, appraising road and mileage 2.50
J. F. Hutchinson, appraising road and mileage 2.50
D. Hilton, appraising road and mileage 3.00
D. Hilton, appraising road and mileage 3.00
Frank Norton, appraising road and mileage 3.00
Frank Norton, appraising road and mileage 3.60
Frank Norton, appraising road and mileage 3.40
J. R. Humphrey, appraising road and mileage 2.50
J. R. Humphrey, appraising road and mileage 2.50
J. R. Humphrey, appraising road and mileage 3.40
J. R. Humphrey, appraising road and mileage 3.00
M. A. Walters, appraising road and mileage 3.60
M. A. Walters, appraising road and mileage 2.50
Ben P. Morris, chairman on Lowrey road 2.00
D. Hilton, appraising roads and mileage 3.40
C. U. Richardson, sheriff costs 17.00
BEN P. MORRIS,
L. CUSHMAN,
J. B. GILMORE,
Committee.

It was moved and carried that the report of the committee be accepted and adopted as read and that the roads be and hereby are established as recommended by the committee.

At 12 m. the board took a recess till 1:30 p. m.

Afternoon Session.

The board re-assembled at 1:30 p. m., with all members present.

The judiciary claims committee made the following report:

We recommend that the following claims be allowed:

W. W. Tooley, bailiff in district court \$ 8.00
C. U. Richardson, costs in various cases 92.00
C. U. Richardson, costs in various cases 4.95
C. U. Richardson, costs in various cases 11.85
C. U. Richardson, costs in various cases 7.50
C. U. Richardson, costs in various cases 11.85
Geo. B. Mair, costs in state cases 14.40
Andrew Lawn, witness in State vs. Barnworth 3.70
Lee Lawn, witness in State vs. Barnworth 3.70
Harrison, witness in State vs. Abernathy 4.30
Mark Marsh, witness in State vs. Abernathy 4.00
H. Sanderson, witness in State vs. Abernathy 4.00
Frank Anderson, witness in State vs. Abernathy 4.30
And the following claims be allowed in the case of State vs. James Wood, insane:
Alpha Morgan, 1 day member of board \$ 3.00
W. E. Talbot, 1 day member of board 3.00

Geo. B. Mair, 1 day member of board 3.00
W. E. Talbot, examination of patient 5.00
I. A. Coleman, 1 day as witness 2.00
Geo. B. Mair, clerk's costs 2.25
And the following claims in State vs. Arthur Norcutt, insane:
Alpha Morgan, 1 day member of board \$ 3.00
C. J. Christensen, 1 day member of board 3.00
Geo. B. Mair, 1 day member of board 3.00
C. J. Christensen, examination of patient 5.00
Geo. B. Mair, clerk's costs 2.00
And the following claims in the case of State vs. Miles Hopkins, insane:
Alpha Morgan, 1 day member of board \$ 3.00
W. E. Talbot, 1 day member of board 3.00
Geo. B. Mair, 1 day member of board 3.00
W. E. Talbot, examination of patient 5.00
Geo. B. Mair, clerk's costs 2.25
And the following claims in State vs. Patrick Jordan, insane:
W. E. Talbot, 1 day member of board \$ 3.00
Alpha Morgan, 1 day member of board 3.00
Geo. B. Mair, 1 day member of board 3.00
W. E. Talbot, examination of patient 5.00
Geo. B. Mair, clerk's costs 2.25
And that the claim of James Abernathy for services as constable in case of State vs. Abernathy for \$5.10 be rejected.

L. CUSHMAN,
R. R. WELCH,
J. E. GRINT,
Committee.

It was moved and carried to accept and adopt the report of the committee as read.

The finance committee reported as follows upon the county treasurer's statement for the half year ending June 30th, 1907:

We, your committee appointed to check up the office of the county treasurer, hereby certify that we have carefully examined the within report, and find the same correct, and that the vouchers and other items of credit were in proper form and correctly entered, and that said vouchers were surrendered to us.

J. B. GILMORE,
BEN P. MORRIS,
A. FONDA,
Committee.

It was moved and carried that the report of the committee be accepted and adopted as read.

The poor farm, court house and jail committee made the following report:

We recommend that the following claims be allowed:

Ed McComas, merchandise for court house \$ 7.00
Ray Gadd, material, paint and oil 99.30
Ed McComas, merchandise for poor 22.95
Rolla Townsley, board for prisoners 72.30
Advo Grocery, merchandise 9.75
Purcell Bros., supplies 762.44
D. C. Konkel, merchandise for superintendent 3.75
Central Telephone Co., phone rent for Wickham 1.00
Broken Bow city, water rent, Nebraska Hardware Co., merchandise 40.00
S. M. Dorris, labor 3.50
Western Light & Fuel Co., gas for court house 1.50
Western Light & Fuel Co., gas for court house 3.70
National Office Supply Co., numbering machine 9.25
Midland Chemical Co., merchandise 5.00
Central Telephone Co., rental on phones 70.25
E. C. House, premium on bond 30.00
E. Taylor, premium on bond 15.00
J. S. McGraw, premium on bond 15.00
Scott Cooper, salary for September 50.00
Scott Cooper, salary for August 50.00
S. R. Lee, merchandise for court house 1.80

It was moved and carried that the report of the committee be accepted and adopted as read.

The parties interested in the establishment of the C. K. Heist road were present before the board and the consideration of the same was then taken up.

E. C. Gibbons appeared before the board, represented by his attorney, H. M. Sullivan, and filed his objections to the jurisdiction of the board to locate and establish said road for six (6) different and distinct reasons.

A motion was made and seconded that the objection of E. C. Gibbons as so far as it raises the question that no report of bridges or expenses were reported by the commissioner, and also be sustained as to paragraph No. 5, and be overruled as to the rest of the objections.

The chairman declared the motion carried.

It was moved and carried that the appointment and report of the commissioner on the C. K. Heist road petition be rejected and set aside, and the county clerk be directed to appoint a commissioner to report on said petition.

The following request from N. T. Gadd, city attorney of the city of Broken Bow, Neb., was then read by the clerk:

Before the Board of Custer County Nebraska.

Comes now your petitioner, the city of Broken Bow, Nebraska, and respectfully shows your honorable body, to wit:

That the city of Broken Bow, during the legal period, levied taxes for the purpose of raising revenue for the city.

That amongst other taxes levied there was by the mayor and city council levied the sum of 4 mills as a judgment fund levy.