# Treasurer's Report.

RECAPITULATION, showing the amount on hand June 31st, 1902, the collections since made, warrants redeemed, and amount remaining on hand at the close of the thirty-first day of December, 1902, in each and all of the several funds and accounts of O. L. Thompson, Treasurer of Red Willow county, Nebraska, together with the total amounts of the several items stated.

KIND OF FUND.	Amount on hand last Settlement	Since	TOTAL.	Warrants Redeemed.	Amount Now on Hand	
STATE,						
General.	\$ 1250 47					
Sinking	83		16 64	4 85		
School.	156 15		£ 519 51	358 07	161 4	
University Institute Feeble-Minded.	249 30		753 80		196 8	
Relief	13		1 58 1 59			
SCHOOL LAND.	10	1.40	1 59	33	1 2	
Principal.		2281 63	2281 63	22 82	2258 8	
nterest	32 07	1359 27	1391 34			
Lease	197 18		1138 39			
COUNTY.			22107.410	100	200	
General COUNTY.	4537 98	4579 78				
		2063 64		h		
		4 40	ŧ .			
	6.0	322 50				
2.12		1427 95	12936 25	8098 48	4837 7	
Bridge.	2620 76	MERCHANICAL PROPERTY.	and the second			
Road	000.00	60 85		1571 05		
Road Soldiers' Relief.			750 94	316 05		
Jounty school.	341 87		481 86			
District road.	3 50 1508 33		14 50 4040 91		862 1	
District school	10820 98		4040 91	9719 91	862 1	
District school	10020 100	32 52				
	il :	50 23				
	1	1906 42				
	H	14 50	\$\$ 23000 65	12500 78	10499 8	
District school bond	19156 66	2460 00	21616 66	2569 13	19047 5	
nterest	712 51		2318 81	2318 81		
Advertising	104 20		322 50	322 50		
East Valley precinct bond North Valley precinct	4.81		4 81		4.8	
North Valley precinct	2276 72	299 20	2575 92	200 41	2375 5	
Willow Grove precinct			8640 70	300 22	8340 4	
ndianola precinct	84 50		85 82	80 15	85 8	
Bartley village bond	1042 41 2300 27	103 69 373 13	1146 10			
Bartley village	50 68		2673 40 119 04	1 200 100 100 100		
Indianola village	23 56		197 80		197 8	
McCook city	216 90		2157 89			
Danbury village	39 18		96 02	57 97	38 (	
fax sale redemption.	290 89		8957 06			
School district No. 17, judgment School district No. 16, special	1 79		12 85		12 8	
School district No. 16, special	4 94	1 65	5 99		5 9	
School district No. 29, special	25 75		25 75		25 7	
High school.	3 18		4 40	4 40	**	
Bank interest	668 95		1427 95		**	
Miscellaneous fees	461 86	37377.20	816 09			
	\$ 57701 40	8 51055 71	8 108757 11	8 49410 25	\$ 59346 8	

- Transferred from General Interest fund.
  Transferred from High School fund,
  Transferred from Advertising fund.
- Transferred foom Bank Interest fund.
- \*8—Miscellaneous Receipts—sale of old lumber.
  \*\*—Transferred form District Bond funds.
- December Apportionment.
   Transferred from County School fund.
- \*+-Transfers.
  \*‡-Transferred to Private Account.

Total fees and commissions received during the year 1902.

lotal retained for self and deputy hire. Balance paid into County General fund

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W. B. Wolfe, care of paupers.

W. B. Wolfe, care of pauper, Oct. 11, 1902, ing at this office.

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McCook, Neb.

### Commissioners' Proceedings.

McCook, Nebraska, Jan. 6, 1903. The board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present, D. A. Waterman, Maurice Reddy, and J. H. Bennett, county commissioners, W. R. Starr, county attorney,

McCook, Nebraska, Jan. 7, 1903.

The board of county commissioners met purstant to adjournment. Present. D. A. Waterman, Maurice Reddy and J. H. Bennett, county commissioners, W. R. Starr, county attorney, and E. J. Wilcox, county clerk.

approved

The board having made a careful examination of the accounts of E. J. Wilcox, county clerk, find the following to be a true and correct account of all fees received and disbursed by him from January 9, 1902, to January 7, 1903, both inclusive:

M. L. Michols, J. W. Little, same.

Frank Cain, same.

E. J. Baker, same.

Henry C. Shouse, same.

M. Coyle, same.

M. Coyle, same.

M. Coyle, same.

Beste Smith, same.

Regrett Lumber Co., lumber. both inclusive: Total fees received... Paid county clerk, Paid deputy clerk, Paid assistant.
Paid county treasurer, excess.

On motion the board commenced the examination of the accounts of O.L.Thompson.county treasurer, and continued same through the day.
On motion board adjourned to meet January 8, 1903.
D. A. WATERMAN, Chairman.
Attest: E. J. WILCOX. County Clerk.

McCook, Nebraska, Jan. 8, 1903. McCook, Nebraska, Jan. 8, 1903.

The board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present, D. A. Waterman, Maurice Reddy and J. H. Benaett, county commissioners, C. E. Eldred, county attorney, and E. J. Wilcox, county clerk.

The minutes of last meeting were read and

20, 1902, to December 31, both inclusive, \$46.25.
On motion board adjourned to meet January
9, 1903.
MAURICE REDDY, Chairman.
Attest: E. J. WILCOX, County Clerk.

McCook, Nebraska, Jan. 9, 1903. The board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present Maurice Reddy, J. H. Bennett and D. A. Waterman, county commissioners, C. E. Eldred, county attorney, and

E. J. Wilcox county clerk.

The minuets of last meeting were read and On motion the board continued the examina-tion of the accounts of O. L. Thompson, county treasurer, during the day. Semi-annual report of Eugene S. Dutcher was

examined and on motion approved, which is as | Follows: | Balance on hand July 10, 1902, as | shown by last report | \$72.48 | Received for endorsements | 5.00 | Received for examinations | 28.00 | Institute expense.....

Cash on hand		a'r		94	
The following and on motion o	official	bonds	\$105 were	48 exa	\$105 amine
Joseph Vontz, o			istrict	No	. 4.
M. L. Nichols,	44	44	11	**	23.
J. M. Miles,	14	**	**	4.6	34.
H. I. Peterson	44	66	44	44	25.
S. O. Hoagland,	8.6	14	44		31.
M. L. Scarrow,	**	44	44	44	42.
Thomas Whitme	44	44	14	96	19.
Frank Hill,	**	**	44	44	28.
Henry Corcoran,	63	141	44	44	40.
J. S. Modrell,	**	44	. 44	44	7.
R. E. George,	44	14	46	44	12.
George Harber.	44	**	44	44	27.
Frank E.Carothe	FO 50	44	++	44	38,
J. H. Huntwork,	44		44	44	6.
Nelson Downs,	44	44)	44	144	15.
Chris Jensen,	11	44	44	44	5.
A. W. Dutcher,	4.0	**	44	**	35.
H. W. Naden,	**	44	**	- 14	17.
Evan Davis,	**	44	4.6	144	20.
	tion of n	onno C		-	
Ira Kennedy, jus	tice of p				
n. o. Daker,	44 44	10	ast Va	rite?	
Abraham Peters,			rant		
	assessor			pi	ecine
Jas. A. Modrell,	11		Elder		**
Henry Crabtree,		India			144
S. W. Clark.	- 5	Last	Valley	7	195

P. D. Brooks, North Valley Tyrone Grant Danbury Perry Coleman Red Willow Louis Longnecker Alliance Bondville Driftwood

Lebanon Willow Grove Annual settlements of the following overseers were examined and on motion approved and the so much superior reading matter offered for so small an amount of money. G.W. Arbogast, road dist. 1, cert. 289, 824 00 592. 293. 294. 295.

> and on motion clerk was instructed to draw warrants on the county general fund, levy of 1902, in payment thereof as follows: E.G Caine & Co., coal for paupers Barnett Lumber Co., same..... N. J. Uerling, mdse for paupers. Smith & Cochran, same....

Thefollowing claims were audited and allowed

to Jan. 11, 1903, as per contract..... Nebraska Institution for Feeble-Minded Closky, pupil. J. Ruggles, sharpening plow. 3 00 C. A. Gentry, same John McClung, sharpening road scraper G. Coglizer, material and labor on court house. Starr, salary 4th quarter

200 00 227 11 E. S. Dutcher, same and office expense. R. Starr, office expense for 1902. G.C. Boatman, postage and office expense E. J. Wilcox, postage, express and office expense.

Andrew Phillips, janitor December

McCook Electric Light Co,,heat and light
for December.

Lincoln Land Co., water tax first quarter

George Elbert, setting glass.
W. T. Coleman, paint, nails etc.
Pade & Son, office furniture for county judge 90 00
O. L. Thompson, premium advanced on treasurer's bond 210 00
On motion the demand of North British &

Mercantile Insurance Co. on the county treasurer for the refunding of taxes erroneously assessed against them in McCook City for the year 1902, amounting to \$16.05, which demand was ertified by the county treasurer to the comnissioners, was allowed.

Petitions of the county officers asking for eputy and clerk hire for the year 1903 were read nd considered and on motion granted fixing he number and compensation as follows;
O. L. Thompson, county treasurer, one deputy

700.00, and assistant if any be needed, at \$300.00.
On motion board adjourned to meet January 10, 1903.

MAURICE REDDY. Chairman.
Attest: E. J. WILCOX, County Clerk.

McCook, Nebraska, Jan. 10, 1903. The board of county commissioners met pur-uant to adjournment. Present, Maurice Reddy. H. Bennett and D. A. Waterman, county com-nissioners, C. E. Eldred, county attorney, and

The minutes of last meeting were read and The board having made a careful examination January 9, 1902, to December 31, 1902, both in-

clusive: Fees and commissions \$2000 00

and correct statement of all moneys received and disbursed by him as such treasurer from July 1st, 1902, to December 31st, 1902, both inclusive, in the several funds

(See report as published elsewhere.)
The following claims were audited and allow-

Frank Hill, bridge work ..... John Ekstedt, same..... John Droll, same..... and E. J. Wilcox, county clerk.

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved

The board having made a careful examination

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The board having made a careful examination Barnett Lnmber Co., lumber. 12 65 \$1500 00 A.J.Markwad, blacksmithing bridge bolts 1 00 And on the county road fund, levy of 1902, as follows:
Frank Cain, road work......\$ 9 00

On motion the demands of Frank Stillman and C. A. Littel on the county treasurer for the refunding of poll tax \$3.00 each illegally assessed to them in 1901, which demands were certified by the county treasurer to the county commissioners, were allowed.

On motion the demand of Geo. McClain on the county treasurer for the refunding of poll tax illegally assessed to him in 1901 by reason of double assessment, which demand was certified by the county treasurer to the county commis-

by the county treasurer to the county commis-sioners, was allowed.

and E. J. Wilcox, county clerk.

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

The board on motion continued the examination of the accounts of O. L. Thompson, county treasurer, during the day.

The board having made a careful examination of the accounts of A. C. Crabtree find that he has received in fees from January 9, 1902, to January 7, 1903, both inclusive, \$754.20.

The board having made a careful examination of the accounts of S. L. Green, county judge, find that he has received infees from November 20, 1902, to December 31, both inclusive, \$46.25. precincts of the First commissioner district.

The Second district comprises all of the pre-

cincts of the Second commissioner district.

The Third district comprises the eight western recincts of Red Willow county.
On motion board adjourned sine die. MAURICE REDDY, Chairman. Attest: E.J. WILCOX, County Clerk.

McCook, Nebraska, January 13, 1903. The board of county commissioners met in regular session. Present Maurice Reddy, J. H. Bennett and D. A. Waterman, county commissioners, C. E. Eldred, county attorney, and E. J. Wilcox, county clerk. The minutes of previous meeting were read

and approved.

On motion the clerk was allowed \$250.00 per annum to be paid quarterly, for performing the duties of clerk to the board of county commissioners and attending to the business of the

county.

The clerk having advertised that the board would received sealed bids for furnishing the various county officers, with books, blanks and stationery, the board proceeded to open and examine the bids on file and after due consideration of the considerati tion find the bid of the State Journal company

to be the lowest and the best. On motion the contract for furnishing the same was let to the State Journal company, Lincoln, Nebraska.

Moved by Bennett, seconded by Waterman, that the action of the board of county commissioners approving the final settlement made by B. W. Parismin as a progress of sead district. B. W. Benjamin as supervisor of road district number twenty-five for the year ending on the first Monday of January, 1903, and allowing the claim of the said B. W. Benjamin, \$26.00 for services as such supervisor for said year, which was allowed on the 9th day of January, 1903, be reconsidered by the said board of county commissioners; and that a hearing be had for such reconsideration on the third day of February, at the hour of nine o'clock a. m., and that due notice of such hearing and reconsideration of their said action by the said board of county commissioners be given to the said B. W. Benja

min. Motion carried.
Pursuant to law in such cases made and pro vided the salaries of the following officers for the ensuing year were fixed as follows: County superintendent.

County superintendent 800 00
County attorney. 800 00
On motion the clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for printing delinquent tax list, commissioners' proceedings and legal notices, all bids to be filed with the county clerk on

all bids to be filed with the county clerk on or before noon, February 3, 1903 Annual settlement of J. E. Perdue, overseer road district number 36, was examined and on motion approved and clerk instructed to draw certificate on road district in payment thereof for \$28,00.

The following claims were audited and allowed and on motion clerk was instructed to

draw warrants on the county general fund, levy 1902, in payment thereof as follows: A. C. Crabtree, board and care of prisoner \$27 00 D. A. Bowen, board of prisoner and jury... A. C. Crabtree, telegrams and office expenses.
W. C. Bullard, coal for paupers.
A. J. DeArmand, house rent for pauper.
J. C. Moore, commissioner to locate road
No. 364.

A. C. Wilson, surveying, platting and laying out road No. 366. Jacob Korb, chainman road No. 366

S. S. Graham, same
A. Reed, rodman road No. 366.
Maurice Reddy, services as commissioner.
J. H. Bennett, same....

and on county bridge fund, levy 1902, as follows:

J. E. Perdue, bridge work. \$ 6 90
W. C. Bullard, lumber. 62 10 In the matter of the necessary expenses dur-ing the year, on motion the estimate for the morning. same for the year 1903 was fixed as follows: County General fund \$12,0 County Bridge fund. County Road fund. Soldiers' Relief fund

Bartley Village bond. McCook City bond. North Valley precinct. School District bonds. On motion board adjourned to meet February

Willow Grove precinct

Attest: MAURICE REDDY, Chairman. E. J. Wilcox, County Clerk. NOTICE FOR BIDS. Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the county commissioners of will be received by the county commissioners of Red Willow county. Nebraska, at the office of the county clerk up to noon, February 3rd, 1903, for such medical services of physicians as may be required by the poor of Red Willow county, proposals to embrace the following districts

precincts of the First commissioner district, The Second district comprises all of the preincts of the Second commissioner district.
The Third district comprises the eight western recincts of Red Willow county.

The county commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.—1-16-3is.

E. J. Wilcox, County Clerk. McCook, Nebraska, January 12, 1903.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS. Notice is hereby given that the county com-missioners of Red Willow county will receive sealed bids for the printing of commissioners' proceedings, legal notices and delinquent taxes for the year 1903, parties receiving contract to furnish good and sufficient bond for the faith-ful performance of said contract. Said bids to be filed with the county clerk on or before February 3rd, 1963, and to be endorsed thereof "Bids for the county printing for the year 1933." Commissioners reserve the right to reject any

and all bids.—1-16-3ts.
E. J. Willow, County Clerk.
Dated this 13th day of January, 1903. NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS.

To John Hummell, John T. Farrell, Edward Farrell, Hannah Doyle, Mary Farrell, Albert E. Latham, Mary Ann Fitzgerald, Minnie Farrell and Mary Ann Farrell, and to all whom it may

The commissioner appointed to locate a road commencing at the southeast corner of section of the fee book of O. L. Thompson, county treas-treer, find that he has received as fees from p. m. thence west on section line two miles to the southwest corner of section thirty (30), thence north one mile to the southwest corner of section printed (10), and to the southwest corner of section printed (10), and to the southwest corner of section printed (10), and to the southwest corner of section printed (10), and to the southwest corner of section printed (10), and to the southwest corner of section printed (10), and to the southwest corner of section printed (10), and to the southwest corner of section printed (10), and to the southwest corner of section printed (10), and the section pri Paid county treasurer \$200 00
Paid deputy treasurer 700 00
Excess turned into county treasury 14 26
The board having made a careful examination of the accounts of O. L. Thompson, county treasurer, find the following to be a true

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thence north one mile to the southwest corner of section nineteen (19), and terminating there of section nineteen (19), and terminating there at, in Tyrone precinct, Red Willow county, Nebraska, has reported in favor of the location thereof, and all objections thereto or claims for damages must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon of the 17th day of March, A. D. 1903, or said road will be established without reference thereto.—1-16-4ts.

E. J. Wilcox, County Clerk.

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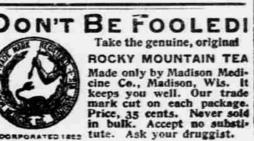
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