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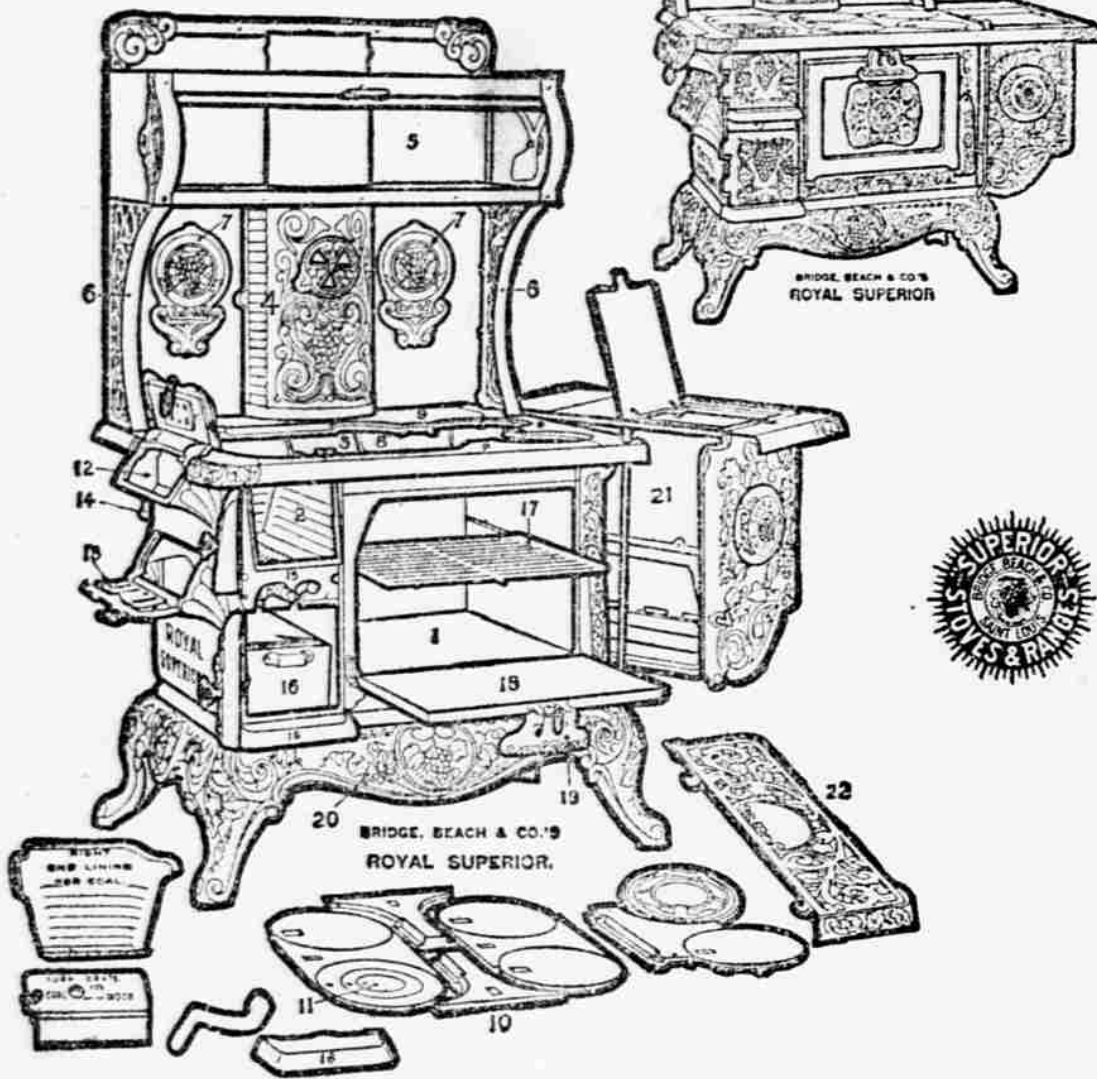
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Commissioners' Proceedings.

Office of Co. Commissioners,
Valentine, Neb., Dec 28, 08

Board of county commissioners met pursuant to the call of the county clerk for the purpose of acting on the petition of the Chicago & Northwestern R. R. Co., for the appraisal and condemnation of certain school lands belonging to the state of Nebraska proposed to be taken by said railroad company for railroad purposes. Present A. E. Morris and James Mone.

Board immediately proceeded to view and appraise said lands set forth in said application of the C. & N. W. R. R. Co. as follows, to-wit: Part of the s.w.s.w. sec. 16, tp. 33, r. 27, containing 5.08 acres the value thereof assessed at \$7 per acre, amounting in the aggregate to \$40.60; part of the n.w.s.w. sec. 16, tp. 33, r. 27, containing .91 of an acre, the value thereof assessed at \$7 per acre, amounting in the aggregate to \$6.37.

Board immediately proceeded to further appraise and assess the damages to the state of Nebraska by reason of the appropriation by the said railroad company of the aforesaid parcels of land as follows, to-wit: The e½ sec 16, tp. 33, r. 27 at no damage; the w½ of sec. 16, tp. 33, r. 27, at no damages.

Upon duly filing their report with the county treasurer in the matter of said application the board adjourned sine die.

January 4, 1909.

Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present: G. E. Russell, chm., A. E. Morris and James Mone.

The official bond of James C. Quigley, county judge, approved.

The commissioners designated a new precinct in Cherry county to be known as Russell precinct and comprising the following territory to-wit: Commencing at the northeast corner of section 4, tp. 30, r. 38, running thence west to the northwest corner of sec. 6, tp. 30, r. 40, thence south to the southwest corner of sec. 31, tp. 28, r. 40, thence east to the southeast corner of sec. 30, tp. 28, r. 38, thence north to the point of beginning, all the territory included in the above described meets and bounds being the territory designated as said Russell precinct, and the voting place in said precinct designated at the Hewett & Morey ranch, said precinct being granted as per the petition of Wm. Enlow et al.

As per the petition of D. A. Hancock et al the territory included in the south half of township 35, range 25 was taken from Sparks precinct and annexed to Woodlake precinct.

Matter of the affidavit of A. Procnier for a refund of real estate taxes paid by him on a part of lots 3, 4, 5 and 6 in block 1, Merriman village, for the years 1905 and 1906, said taxes having been paid by him under protest for the reason that the assessed valuation of said property was not lowered when said property deteriorated in value caused by fire, taken and a refund ordered granted him of \$21.69.

Refund of \$300.98 made to R. M. Faddis & Co., on taxes paid by them in Kennedy precinct for the year 1908, on personal property, same having been erroneously assessed.

Matter of the application for a refund of \$3.80 on real estate taxes paid by W. R. White on lot 6, block 6, Merriman village, rejected for the reason that said taxes were not paid under protest.

The county clerk is instructed

to draw a warrant on the General fund in favor of Warren S. Frank for \$41.39 same being in redemption of tax sale certificate issued by the county treasurer on tract No. 1365, tax suit year 1906, said tract being government land.

The commissioner instructed the county clerk to draw a warrant on the General fund in the sum of \$11.66 in favor of John Bagley, same being in part redemption of tax sale certificate issued by the county treasurer on tracts No. 1499 and 1500, tax suit year 1906, a portion of said tracts being government land.

Affidavit of W. Honey for refund of personal taxes paid by him for the year 1908 laid over until next meeting pending investigation.

Commissioners appointed Alexander McKenzie justice of the peace in and for the precinct to fill vacancy, on petition of Frank Bresce et al.

Commissioners appointed the following persons to constitute a county board of health: Dr. Alfred Lewis, Dr. Herman and J. T. Keeley.

Application of A. G. Shaw for the appointment as justice of the peace Valentine precinct, rejected. Adjourned to Jan. 5th.

Hackberry Items.

Cattle are wintering fine, having been but very little loss.

This is the green field of the world for green hay stacks.

Mr. E. Stillwell and Milt Latta each have up a nice lot of ice.

William Bachelor looks rather melancholy while his wife is in the South.

Fred Beel and bride have now taken up their abode here in this green meadow country.

We were all greatly shocked by the sad echoing of the telephone bearing the news of Mrs. Fairchild's suicide.

We miss Miss Anna Newman from our midst, she having the care of her little sick brother at a southern hospital.

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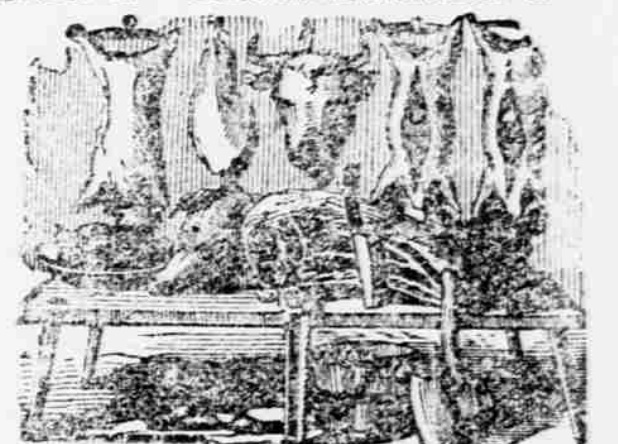
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