Office of Co. Commissioners. Valentine, Neb., Jan. 7, 09.

Board of county commissioners met as per adjournment. Present: A. E. Morris, chm., James Mone and N. S. Rowley.

The following official bond was approved: J. C. Salmon, road overseer, district No. 3, Table precinct.

The following amounts were deducted from the claims allowed on Jan. 5, to be applied on delinquent personal taxes and same charged to the county General fund:

W J Beed	\$ 4 00	J McLaughlin	82
W R White	4 00	E B Quible	9
G H Mossman	4 00	Ira Johnson	4
L D Tice	5 00	T W Vollentine	4
H E Wells	12 05	J.Ormesher	4
E Ormesher	4 00	J T Hawley	2
B K Boyer	4 00	C Boyer	- 4
J A W Johnson	4 00	L D Bacnes	4
J Rauer	4 00	U G Creiger	4
A O Coleman	7 40	G W Burge	3
J Jackson	4 00	G Seager	2
▲ G Wickham	3 03	B Boyer	1
E P Ericksen	1 50	A L Stewart	5
L C Starr	13 00	W D Ricketts	4
J West	2 25	W M Sellers	4
Ira Goodin	4 00	S Lee	-
H Sherman	14 00	L E Carter	-4
G W Roan	4 00	J J Thomas	4
D A Piercy	2 00	R F Osborn	4
F W Pool	4 00	E B Wilkinson	1
L Giles	4 00	R Giles	4
A Palmer	5 35	G Giles	1
J Chaloud	4 00	A E Spall	1
Geo Christophe	4 00	F Cronin	-
CN Polen	4 00	A Brechbill	3
H Schaefer	4 00	W E Cady	14
G W Keller	17 00	D Fowler	,
C Hahn	5 85	A Grooms	-
Ed Sears	4 00	Wm Epke	1
J Dambly	2 20	H Reige	
J Melshaw	4 00	W E Haley	
W Morgan	5,15	W D Clarkson	1
Galloway & Eri	ckson		4
F Randall	2 35	G Elliott	-
W Francke	17 75		

The following amounts were deducted from the claims allowed on Jan. 5, applied on delinquent personal taxes and charged to the county Road Fund:

▲ E Spall 12 00 G S French E Breuklander 11 55 E L McCray Wm Dahlgrin 10 50

Board adjourned to Jan. 8th.

January 8. Board met as per adjournment. Present: A. E. Morris, chm., James Mone and N. S. Rowley.

day in checking up the office of James Mone and N. S. Rowley. the county clerk and clerk of the district court and the following re- ing of the accounts of the office of port submitted by J. T. Keeley, the county treasurer and find the county clerk and clerk of the dis- following statement which is aptrict court, was found to be cor- proved: rect and same was approved:

RECEIP;

FIRST QUARTER-		lax sal
Recording fees	\$ 356 00	School
District court fees	159 30	Protest
Claims filed	312 10	Miscell
Tetal	\$ 827 4	0 Taxes c
SECOND QUARTER-		Docket
Recording fees	434 65	Tota
District court	99 05	1
Claims filed	225 25	Genera
Total	758 9	5 Road w
THIRD QUARTER-		Bridge
Recording fees	370 10	Court h
District court	107 40	Special
Claims filed	15 50	Protest
Total	493 0	0 Tax sal
FOURTH QUARTER-		Soldier
Recording fees	501 35	School
District court	44 30	School
Claims filed	789 15	Precine
Total	1334 5	0 Road re
Grand total of fees receiv	red during year	Village
1 108 from January 9, '08,	to Jan. 7, 1909 \$3414 1	State tr
DISBURS	EMENTS	Treasur
Clerk's salary	\$1500	Balance
Deputy's sa'ary	700 00	Tot:
Clerk hire	729 00	Box
Expense, postage, etc	100 00	100
Claims cancelled in settle	ement 178 30	
Paid county treasurer	215 15	

Total disbursement of fees received from January 9, '08, 3414 15 to January 7, '09 Board adjourned to Jan. 9, '09.

Board met as per adjournment. Present: A. E. Morris, chm., James Morris and N. S. Rowley.

The following claims were al-

lowed on th	ie Ger	neral fund.	
John M Tucker	sal Dec	and Nov and ex	p 118 91
A Benson care	pauper		40 00
Lulu Kortz-Hud	son sala	ry	275 00
O A Rosseter fe			201 60
		expense	768 45
Geo Elliott fees	county	judge	3 80
Wm Francke fe	es speci	al deputy	1 00
The follo	wing	claims wer	e al-
lowed on th	ne Ros	d fund:	
Ludwig Lumber	Co sup	plies	2 30
J P Ninas repai			7.50
		Work	
L W Parker	12 50	G Hull	81 00
B E Johnston	6 00	A Howe	105 30
J W McDaniel	36 75	U G Welker	3 00
E Spangler	3 00	C Beckman	3 00
H Turner	3 00	J Skinner	3 00

The following claim was allowon the Bridge fund: Canten Bridge Co contract

Board adjourned to Jan. 11.

January 11.

A McKeuzie

Jah. 6, applied on delinquent per- \$160. sonal taxes and charged to the county General fund:

county Gene	erai i	una.	
Carison	11 40	F F Ralya	6
H Stoner	80	J M Tucker	7
M Rice	6 50	Wm Francke	6
3 B McNamee	5 03	Star Livery Co	20
F J Baldwin	10 10	I H Emery	2
3 Christopher	13 00	W R White	6
M A Glendeni g	8 95	G B McNamee	6
F Roberts	2 75	W Epke	15
R Crabb	9 16	M D Cyphers	14
G Christopher	12 60	G W Burge	12
H Porath	5 80	S Q Spain	2
Wm Franke	2 10	R Robertson	1
E Breuklander	12 10	G Carlson	2
F Randall	13 30	H Graham	1
II E Lavrocet	4.40	t on Flightt	1

The following amounts were applied on delinquent personal taxes and charged to the county Road

fund:			
J Haeber	10 80	H Becker	1
G Marks	9 60	G L Austin	
J Martin	18 45	A P Madsen	
D Crane	5 00	F Benchle	1
J F book	6.55	C Pavlik	
M Hatten	3 00	Wm Cady	5
A K Kuskie	15 90	Ira Johnson	
J May	3 00	F T Lee	
L C Starr	113 00	S E Smith	
W Smith	5 00	B Nichols	
		1	

Board proceeded to the office of the county judge for the purpose of checking the accounts of said office, and likewise the office of the sheriff and the accounts in both of said offices examined and approved, whereupon the board adjourned to Jan. 12th.

January 12. Board met as per adjournment Present: A. E. Morris, chairman.

James Mone and N. S. Rowley. Board proceeded to the office of the county treasurer for the purpose of checking up the books and accounts of said office for the past JT Keetey

The following claims were allowed on the Road fund:

Chas Sherman road work: J Case rock for approaches, clmd 25 20 alld 10 00 The following claims were allowed on the General fund:

Z T Davis sup pauper, cld 41 45 alld Geo Elliott fees G E Rossell comr fees J W Yeast coal

Board adjourned to Jan. 13th.

January 13, 1909.

Board met as per adjournment. The commissioners spent the Present: A. E. Morris, chairman,

Board countiued with the check-

RECEIPTS

	ICECETT 10	
-	Amount on hand last seitlement	\$ 60553 25
	Tax sale ce tificates	2876 58
	School lands	9480 40
	Protest	279 17
	Miscellaneous collections	7975 89
)	Taxes collected	90246 58
	Docket fees, etc	643 64
	Total	\$172055 51
	DISBURSEMENTS	
	General fund warrants	\$ 24212 99
,	Road warrants	6166 32
	Bridge "	8412 78
	Court house bond coupons	600 00
	Special road	4 25
	Protest	296 32
)	Tax sale certificates	2870 01
	Soldiers relief	67 50
	School district warrants	33430 39
	School bonds	3032 00
	Precinct bonds	72 00
1	Road receipts	101 99
	Village receipts	2581 18
,	State treasurer's receipts	20676 20
	Treasurer's fees and commissions	2739 97
	Balance on hand	66491 91
	Total	\$172055 51

pard adjourned to Jan. 14th.

January 14, 1908. Board met as per adjournment. Members all present.

The following claims were al-

lowed on th	e Ger	neral fund:	
	Witne	sa fees	
Flossie Grooms	64 10	Dora Grooms	64 1
T J Adams	34 50	Carrie Adama	34 5
Bessie Adams	34 50	Rosella Adame	8 34 5
E Vollentine	13 60	T W Vollentin	e 13 6
S Irwin	13 60	H L 'awrence	16 (
W S Barker prin	nting		490 9
S A Sears boarding jury			6 5
J M Tucker expe			5 4
The follo	wing	claims wer	e al

lowed on the Road fund: C Clarkson 24 00 A C Salmon J C Salmon 203 60 H W Harper 187 50

The following claim was allowed on the Bridge fund:

Canton Bridge Co contract Semi-annual statement of the

county superintendent for the first half of the year 1908-January 1, 1908 to August 12, 1908; also semiannual statement for last half of year 1908-August 12, 1808 to 1238 88 January 1, 1909, showing cash balance of \$101.18, approved.

Board called for bids to furnish all labor and material in repairing be held on April 19, 1909. Board met as per adjournment. plaster and calcimining all walls The following claims were al-Present: A. E. Morris, chm., and ceilings in the court house, in- lowed on the General fund: James Mone and N. S. Rowley. cluding courtroom, and accepted N. S. Rowley court fees The following amounts were de- the bid of M. Christensen to do Whereupon the board adjourned four successive weeks prior to said day of ed and directed to at such notice be given by thucted from the claims allowed on same for the contract price of to April 5, 1909.

The following estimate of expenses to Cherry county for the

year 1908	was made:	
County and pre	ecinct officers	10000 00
Jail and board		2000 00
Court and jury	60	S == 00
Supply s for po	30°	3 0 1 00
Bounty on wile	i animals	2000 00
Fuel a d rep -	rs	2000 00
Books, blanks	and stationery	2000 00
Bridges		6000 00
Roads		6000 00
Sinking fund		2000 00

The county commissioners designated THE VALENTINE DEMOCRAT as the paper in which the delinguent tax list for the year 1908, shall be printed and also the semiannual statement of the county

All bids for furnishing stationery and supplies for the county for the year 1909 as per advertisement were rejected and the officers instructed to purchase same in open market, except envelopes and the officers are instructed to purchase same from the govern-

Claim of El L Heath of \$329 2 for printing the delinquent tax list for year 1908 laid over until next meeting pending an investi-

Whereupon the board adjourned to January 15th.

January 15, 1909.

Board met as per adjournment. Orchard." Members all present.

The following claims were allowed on General fund:

Semi-annual statement of W. D. Armstrong, county treasurer, for the first half of the year 1908-January 9, to June 30, 1908-, al- personal insults will be included so semi-annual statement from in. All invited. June 30, 1908 to December 31, 1908, approved.

The county attorney is instructed to immediately commence foreclosure proceeding on the following tax sale certificates held by Cherry county: . Certificate No 672 Lot 12 Block 15 Valentine.

Certificate No 679 Lot 15 Block 15 Valentine. The county clerk is instructed to order at once for use of the road overseers: 12 buck scrapers, 12 road plows, part 162 Western Wheeled Scraper Co., Aurora, Ill., Pat. Feb. 14, 1893.

to order four statutes for the use of the county-statutes for year

The county clerk is ordered to 3-3 D. M. SEARS, Kennedy, Neb. draw a warrant on the General fund in the amount of \$25 for the Farmers Institute Association of Merriman and also a warrant for \$25 for said institute at Valentine, same to be made payable to the secretary's of the respective Institute associations.

The county clerk is allowed a salary of \$400 per year as clerk of the board of commissioners, deputy at a salary of \$700 per annum and extra help when required at not to exceed \$700 per year for the year 1909.

salary was fixed at \$1000 for the 1600 pounds. year 1909.

Geo. M. Heth for the year 1908, For further information see or adin Schlagel precinct is ordered dress me at Crookston, Neb. stricken from the tax list, he be-

ing exempt. The following claims were allowed on the General fund: N S Rowley comr tees

Board adjourned to Jan. 16th.

January 16, 1909. Board met as per adjournment. 118 65 Present: A. E. Morris, chairman, and N. S. Rowley.

The claim of \$25 of the Star Livery Co., for money paid out 432 96 by them on a reward offered for the arrest in the case of the State of Nebraska vs Smith and Stolp rejected for the reason that the body of said defendant was not delivered to the sheriff of Cherry

Board proceeded to draw sixty names from which to draw the jury for the spring term of the sons interested in said matter may, and do. district court of Cherry county to

Taken Up

at my place, 8 miles south of Valentine, Nebr., on Tuesday, January 19, 1909, one white face steer, 3 or four years old, no visible brand, ears under cropped, broad horns, left hind foot bruised. F. D. BEAMAN,

2-5Valentine, Neb.

Estray Notice.

I have taken up as estrays two red white face yearling steers. No brands, one has left ear either cropped off or end frozen off No other marks I am able to find. They are at my ranch on sec. 33, tp. 33, r. 25, Cherry Co., Nebr.

D. A. HANCOCK.

St. Nicholas Church.

Services will be held in the Catholic church as follows:

In Arabia on Sunday, Feb. 14, at 10 a. m.

In Valentine on Sunday, Feb. 21. High mass and sermon at 10

At 3 p. m., instruction for the children.

LEO M. BLAERE, Rector.

M. E. Church Notes.

Regular services next Sunday. Morning subject-"Robbing an

In the evening the Methodist church will again unite with the Presbyterian at the M. E chuach in a revival service. There will 9 00 be stirring singing by a united choir. Subject of sermon-"The Trail of the Serpent." Sin will be dealt with ungloved, but no

Il S. Weather Bur an it port In the county court of Cherry county, Ne for week Ending F. b. 9.

Daily mean temperature 25 -. Normal 19°.

Highest 66³, lowest −17³.

Precipitation 0 15 of an inch. Total precipitation from March 1st (the crop season) to date was 19 86 inches and the average for

same period for 20 years is 22.04

Estrayed from my range near Kennedy one roan steer 4 years The county clerk is instructed old, branded S on left side Was last seen in October, 1907, on Diamono Bar range. \$5 reward for information of his whereabouts.

For Sale.

One high grade Percheron stal-The county superintendens's lion, 3 years old last June, weight

Also one Cleveland Bay horse. The poll tax of \$2 50 assessed to 5 years old, weight 1250 pounds.

L. H. OVERMAN.

Notice to Creditors. In ne County Court within and for Cherry

In the matter of the estate of Levi N Kime. To the creditors of said estate:

You are hereby notified, That I will sit at the County Court Room in Valentine in said county on the 20th day of February, 1909 at 10 o'c ock a said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time int test to the presentation of ctaims against said enate is six months from the 20 h day of August A + 1 1908 and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from sand 20th day of Aurust 1908. SEAL tounty our t is 28th day of J county,

Order of Hearing and Notice on

Petition for Settlement of Account In the county court of Cherry county, Ne-State of Nebraska. | 88

To the heirs and all persons interested in the estate of Fred Kudeike, deceased. On reading the petition of Joseph Kudelke oraying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this court on the 2nd day of February, 1909, and for his discharge as administrator of said estate. It is hereby ordered that you and all perappear at the county court to be held in and for said county, on the 5th day of March, A. D., 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the JAMES O. QUIGLEY.

faithis once by Charles O. inyder contestant, against homest ad enery No 13447 0-224, mace February 1 1902, for E% E%, section 28, township 35, range 36, ry Horace D Hilton contestee, in which it is alleged that said Horace Hilton has wholly aband ned said land; tha the land is not settled up n nor cultivated go a faith and e tryman has n ver establish esidence thereon, and that said alleged abar iof the said and took place more than six ment is to the expiration of five years from the time of filing upon same and entrymes has failed to cure his la hes no to tois date Said parties ar-her by notified to appear. d offer ev dence to whing said alleg 'tion at 10 o'clock a m. on February 23 19 9. States la dome- in V l'entine Vebraska. ntestine having, in a croper autfied Janu ry 12 1909 set forto facts which show that after due diligence personal

Contest Notice.

serv e of this portee cann t be made it is

hereby ord-red and freezed that such cotic-

E. DLSON, Receive

ent contest afficiavit having been filed this office by Chriles O Snyder, con e amade rebrain 1 19:2 for s Wawld, swipers. section 28; nel4 nw4 and nw4m-4, section 3, to-nship 35, range 36, by James Pospes I conestee, in which it is al-eged that sold Janus Pospesil has what y abandoned said land; that it is not settled upon nor cultivated in good ai h, and entryman has not established re-ith reon, and said alleged abandonneut took piace more than six months prior to the expiration of file years from the time of filing noor same, as dentrym or has far ea to care I is

laches up to this date Said par iss are hereby notified to appear, respood and effer evidence tottening said affer a on at 10 o'clock a or, on February 23 1919, before the register and receiver at the United States L ad Office to Valentine, Nebraska The said contest int having, in a proper a h day t, filed Jan. 12 1909, et forth facts which show that after du ding- c per-onal service of thi not e can of be made, it is here by o dered that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

E OLSON Receiver

Notice to Creditors

THE STATE OF NEBRASKA (SE In the matter of the e-tate of Fred Kuselle,

To the cred tors of said estat to receive and examin all claims against and estate with a view to their adjustment and Howan to the time innied for the presentaon of claims against said estate is six mon as fr in said 27th day of August 1908. - Witness my bond and the ext of sai

SEAL county court, this 2nd day o - ry, 1909

Notice of Probate of Will.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, SS COUNTY OF CHERRY. SS

To all persons interested in the estate of On reading the petition of Bennett W. Smith, praying that the instrument filed in this court on the 8th day of January. 1809, and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, may be proved and allowed, and recorded as the last will and testament of said deceased; that said nstrument be admitted to probate, and the administration of said estate be granted to Victoria E Smith and Bennett W. Smith,

as executors. It is hereby ordered that all persons interested in said matter, may, and do appear at the county court to be held in and for said county, on the 12th day of February, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock, a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and that the hearig thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Valentine Democrat, a weel ly newspaper printed in said county. for theee uccessive weeks prior to said day of hearing. Witness my hand and seal of said court SEAL] this 22nd day of January, A. D., 1909. JAMES C. QUIGLEY, County Judge.

Notice of Probate of Will.

In the county court of Cherry county, Ne-

State of Nebraska. 'ss County of Cherry. To all persons interested in the estate of Lewis H. Smith, deceased. On reading the petition of A.C. Nellor, praying that the instrument filed in this court on the 22nd day of January, 1909, and surporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, may be proved and al-owed, and recorded as the last will and estament of said deceased; that said instrunent be admitted to probate, and the adninistration of said estate be granted to A. C. Nellor and C. H. Cornell as executors.

It is hereby ordered that all persons interested in said matter, may and do, appear at the county court to be held in and for said ounty, on the 13th day of February, A. D., 1909, at 2 o'clock p. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of he pendency of said petition and that the hearing thereof be given to all persons interes ed in said matter by publishing 2 copy of this order in the Valentine Democrat, 2 weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing. Witness my hand, and seal of said court, [SEAL] this 25th day of January, A. D., 1 00.

3-3 JAMES C. QUIGLEY, County Judge.

In the County Court of Cherry County, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate | of los ph Folk, dece sed state of Nebraska, 188

Cherry C unty.

Whereas, Theodore W. Folk has filed in my office a petition asking that the regular administration of said estate be despensed with a distant the notice be given to a l par ies interested in sal estate by the publication of this notice for three successive weeks in some legal newscaper published is said Cherry county.

It is therefore ord red by the court that the same be set down for hearing effore said court on the 27th da or February, 1909, at 10 o'cl-em, at which tim an place all perso s in erested are required to appear and show cates, any there be, who said petition should not be I wer as proved for an the service ther of be had up in all p rsons int-rest d in soid estate prior to said time of hearing by jubication of said notice once a week for three con ecutive weeks in The Valen in Democratia weekly newspaper printed published and of general circulant n in and Cherry county. Nebraska, Given under my hand and the seal of and cour in Valentine Cherry con ity, sebras a this 8th day of February, 1909 5 3 [SEAL]

Contest Notice.

JAMES C QUIGLEY

U. S. Land Once, Valentin- vehraska, February 10 190: A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed. in this office by Edward B, A not!, contes ant, against homestead entry to 18876-01373, m de June 27, 1907, 10: N 1/2 at 100: 26, and 1/2 sect on 27, Townsh = 29, Range 25 by Rufus E, Day, contestee i which it is alleged that Refus E Pay has wholly acandoned said band and changed his residence therefrom for more than six months last past that the lan is not set led upon nor cuttivated in good tach, and entry and ha not esta lished rest ence thereon and he his failed to cure als aches up to this date. Said parties are hereby notified to appear. respond and offer evidence touching salu allegati e at 19 o'clock a. m en March 23rd. 1909 before the register and receiver at the United States Land Office in Val otine, Nebr hearing thereof be given to all persons inter3 00 ested in said matter by publishing a copy ofthis order in The Valentine Democrat, a show that siter due difference personal service

due and pr per publicat on.

Pat Peiper.

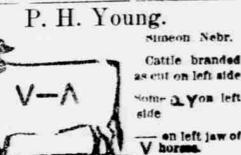


Joe Bristol.



R. M. Faddis & Co.





Range on Gordon Cre-k north of Simeon,



on left side. Herses branded 808 on left hip. Some

N. S. Rowley.



N on left jaw of horses



Horses and cattle come as cut; also Range on Oak and Butte creeks.

A liberal reward
for information leading to detection

cosebud. SD

Kohl & Terrill.



Brownlee, Neo. Cattle branded as cut on left branded E T V on left hip. Range on North Long river two miles

ruliman, Nebr

J. A. Yaryan.

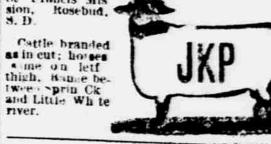


D. M. Sears. some on left hip. Horses same on Range - Squar

Roan Bros.



John Kills Plenty. St Francis Mis sion, Cattle branded



Metzger Bros.

Cattle branded anywhere on left Karmark, square crop right ear. Horses have

same brand on left thigh.

Range op Gordon and Snake Creeks.

A Reward of \$280 wil, he raid to any person for information leading to the arrest and final conviction of any person or persons stelling cattle with above brand.

B Skinner