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THE COUNTY SALONS.

They Grone Out a Large Amount of Work—Proceedings of General Interest—Assessors Make Schedule. MADISON, March 21, 1899.—At 1 p. m. the board of county commissioners met and attended the meeting of the county assessors. It was ordered that the minutes of the assessors be published with these proceedings. The minutes were as follows: A meeting of the assessors of Madison county, met with the county commissioners at the court house at Madison, Neb., Tuesday, March 21, 1899. All the assessors present except Mr. Osborn—all the commissioners present. Meeting called to order by Commissioner Johnson. Mr. Whitla was, on motion, unanimously elected chairman and C. T. Richardson secretary. Motion carried that all property be assessed at one-fourth of its real value. Moved and seconded that we value horses from \$5 to \$80. Carried. Moved and seconded that we value stallions from \$80 to \$400. Carried. Moved and seconded that we value stock cattle from \$8 to \$40. Carried. Moved and seconded that cattle fed 60 days be classed as fat and valued at \$24 to \$90. Carried. Moved and seconded that we value blooded cattle at \$40 to \$160. Carried. Moved and seconded that mules and jacks be valued the same as horses and stallions. Carried. Moved and seconded that sheep be valued from \$2 to \$6. Carried. Moved and seconded that hogs be valued at three cents per pound and full blooded hogs be assessed at one-fourth value. Carried. A motion was made and seconded that the balance of the schedule be taken at one-fourth value. Carried. It was moved and seconded that all building and loan stock held in the county, not mortgaged, be assessed at one-fourth of its cash value. Carried. A motion was made and seconded that we assess all corn over 500 bushels. Motion prevailed. A motion was made and seconded that we assess all oats over 500 bushels and all wheat over 100 bushels at one-fourth its cash value, after deducting legitimate expenses for marketing. Carried. It was moved and seconded that all lands be valued at \$5 to \$500 per acre. Motion carried. Moved and seconded that the notions relating to corn and oats be amended to read the same as wheat. Moved and seconded that meeting adjourn. On motion these minutes were read and approved. Attest: C. T. RICHARDSON, Secretary. DAVID WHITLA, Chairman.

W. H. Johnson, four days and mileage \$9.60. Frank Tannehill, three days and mileage, \$7.80. A. N. Eddy, two days and mileage, \$5.80 applied on tax. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax A. N. Eddy \$7.80. S. W. Hayes, three days and mileage \$7.80, justice fees \$9 total \$13.60. Frank Hirsh, two days and mileage \$5.80, less personal tax \$4.77 balance 83 cents. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax Frank Hirsh \$11.77. M. D. Tyler witness, \$4. W. H. Livingstone, three days and mileage \$7.80, applied on personal tax. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax W. H. Livingstone \$7.80. John Tannehill, two days and mileage \$5.20. Thos. Ferguson, four days and mileage \$9.60, applied on personal tax. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax Thos. Ferguson \$9.60. F. W. Sprague, three days and mileage \$7.80, applied on personal tax. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax F. W. Sprague \$7.80. C. F. A. Marquardt in justice peace court \$3.45. Chris Schavland, clerk district court, \$26.68. Alta B. Chandler, three days and mileage \$7.20, less personal tax \$1.50, balance \$5.70. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax Alta B. Chandler, \$11.50. Chauncey G. Chandler, three days and mileage, \$5.20. Mrs. John A. Green, three days and mileage, \$7.60. Edith Pepper, two days and mileage, \$5.00. James Nichols, one day, \$2. Ella W. Collins, one day, \$2. E. T. Barnum, jail cells \$800, less freight \$82.56, balance \$717.44. Geo. W. Losey, freight on jail cells, \$82.56. The matter of the road petitioned for by F. Dederman and others commencing at the north east corner of section two, in township 24, range 2 west, was again taken up and on motion said petition was granted and the road established as prayed for. On motion the claims filed pursuant to aforesaid petition were audited as follows: J. K. Martin four acres of land \$80, allowed at \$40, applied on personal tax. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax J. K. Martin '97 and '98 \$40. J. F. Dederman, five acres \$125, allowed at \$50, less personal tax \$25, balance \$25. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax J. F. Dederman \$25. Wm. Duhring, three acres \$75, allowed at \$30, less personal tax \$21.35, balance \$8.65. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax Wm. Duhring \$21.35. Anton L. Huebner three acres \$46.50, allowed at \$30. Fremont Brewing Co., one acre \$25, allowed at \$10. W. H. Lowe, viewing and surveying \$7, applied on personal tax. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax W. H. Lowe \$7. Anton Huebner, chairman one day, \$1.50. W. H. Widaman, chairman two days, \$3. S. F. Spaulding, axman, \$1.50. Ira G. Westvelt, appraiser, \$3. Herman Gerecke, appraiser \$3, applied on personal tax. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax H. Gerecke \$3. Geo. Davenport, appraiser \$3, applied on personal tax. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax Geo. Davenport 1898 \$3. R. D. Scott, printing notice, \$5. On motion the petition of Anna L. Dahlstad, asking for the establishment of a county road, beginning at the county line road at the southwest corner of section 19, township 21, north of range 4, west of the sixth p. m., running thence east on section line to a point 142 feet east of the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of section 20 same township and range, thence north 68 degrees 30 minutes east 115 eighth tenths feet thence south 29 degrees east 127 feet, thence east 14 degrees 30 minutes north 2665 feet to intersection of section line between sections 20 and 29 said township and range, and thence east on the section line to the southeast corner of section 21 same township and range, was granted. On motion claims filed pursuant to said petition were audited as follows: John Harbottle claimed \$30, allowed less benefits assessed by board \$30, nothing due. Alice Harbottle claimed \$30, allowed less benefit assessed by board \$30, nothing due. Christina Johnson claimed \$90, allowed less benefit assessed by board \$90, nothing due. J. W. Primmer claimed \$50, allowed less benefits assessed by board \$50, nothing due. Matilda C. Dickson claimed \$30, allowed less benefits assessed by board \$30 nothing due. Peter Nelson claimed \$25, less benefits assessed by board \$25, nothing due. A. J. Thatch viewing and surveying \$2, less personal tax \$0, balance \$2. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax A. J. Thatch, \$0.

J. S. Curtis assisting surveyor, and team \$6.50. A. L. Stewart advertising \$7.50, less personal tax \$2.15, balance \$5.35. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax A. L. Stewart \$5.35. P. W. Ruth serving notices \$3, applied on personal tax. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax P. W. Ruth \$3. C. A. Miller appraising \$2.40, applied on personal tax. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax C. A. Miller \$2.40. Levi Gutra appraising damages \$2.40, applied on personal tax. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax Levi Gutra 1898, \$2.40. Board adjourned until tomorrow morning at 8 a. m. Board met at 8 a. m., March 22, 1899. On motion official bond of Michael Carmody, appointed road overseer, district No. 4 Burnett precinct was approved. D. A. Hale, settlement in full for damages on account of land taken for road petitioned for by R. J. Duffphey and others in School Craft precinct \$100, applied on personal tax. Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax D. A. Hale \$100. On motion board adjourned until April 5, 1899, at 1 p. m. E. G. HELLMAN, County Clerk.

Wounded Nebraskans. WASHINGTON, March 28, 2:30 p. m.—Special to THE NEWS: The following additional casualties in the First Nebraska were reported from Manila this morning: Company A—Joe Scott, knee, slight. Company B—W. L. Remes, arm, severe. Company D—W. Senvele, knee, severe; John Grotzer, scalp, severe. Company F—Captain C. W. Jens, elbow, slight; Frank Peterson, knee, severe; George Newsort, leg, severe. Company H—H. E. Wright, foot, severe. Company I—L. H. Holbrook, shoulder, severe; Serman Bensch, knee; Musician Albert Taylor, scalp. Company L—M. I. Sayles, chest, serious; R. T. Riley, thigh, severe. Company M—Geo. L. Sears, hip, severe; Perley M. Busie, forearm, severe. G. D. MEIKLEJOHN, Act. Sec. of War.

Parsnip Complexion. It does not require an expert to detect the sufferer from kidney trouble. The hollow cheeks, the sunken eyes, the dark puffy circles under the eyes, the sallow parsnip-colored complexion indicates it. A physician would ask if you had rheumatism, a dull pain or ache in the back or over the hips, stomach trouble, desire to urinate often, or a burning or scalding in passing it; if after passing there is an unsatisfied feeling as if it must be at once repeated, or if the urine has a brick dust deposit or strong odor. When these symptoms are present, no time should be lost in removing the cause. Delay may lead to gravel, catarrh of the bladder, inflammation, causing stoppage, and sometimes requiring the drawing of the urine with instruments or may run into Bright's disease, the most dangerous stage of kidney trouble. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-root, the great discovery of the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, is a positive remedy for such diseases. Its reputation is world wide and it is so easy to get at any drug store that no one need suffer any length of time for want of it. However, if you prefer to first test its wonderful merits mention THE NORFOLK WEEKLY NEWS and write to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle and a book telling all about it, both sent absolutely free by mail.

South Norfolk News. Miss Nelson and Mr. Canote spent Sunday with friends in Blair. Ernest Bartlett of Scribner spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Smith. Mrs. Dority went to Fremont Monday to visit for a short time with her sister. Lucille Howe, of Sioux City, was here this week visiting with her little playmates. Mrs. Ed Muffley was up to O'Neill visiting Mrs. Dunbar a former resident of this city. Mrs. Huribert and Mrs. Belt with her niece Louise, went to Omaha to do their spring shopping. Miss Mae Barrett was confined to her bed for the past week but is now better and is sitting up. A few of Charlie Toler's friends met at Mrs. Aids for a farewell party, as Charlie is soon to leave this city. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy went to Missouri Valley Monday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Murphy's aunt, who died at her home in that place Sunday. There is no medicine that has yet been discovered that has virtues deserving to be compared with Dr. Sawyer's Wild Cherry and Tar, for bad cases of chronic rheumatism, consumption, or any cough cold. KIENAU & CHRISTOPHER. Box can suit you on coffee.

HIGH SCHOOL HONORS.

Miss Maud Tannehill and Clyde Hayes Contend for Them in a Declamatory Contest. From Wednesday's Daily. The high school room was filled last evening with the friends of those who were to contend for the honor of representing the Norfolk high school at the rhetorical contest of the high schools of northeastern Nebraska before the Teachers' association which convenes in this city next week. A fine program had been prepared consisting of piano, violin and vocal solos, instrumental duets and selections by the Mandolin club all of which were creditably rendered and much enjoyed by the auditors. The contestants for the evening's honors were Miss Maud Tannehill and Clyde Hayes. Miss Tannehill declaimed "Sister and I," and Mr. Hayes, "The Yankee in Love." The first was full of pathos and dramatic power, telling of the mental wanderings of a dying woman who years before had killed her only sister and in doing so had lost her own reason. The other was a humorous production, narrating the experience of a Yankee in proposing to his best girl. No comparison could be made between selections so utterly different. Both Miss Tannehill and Mr. Hayes gave very effective renditions of their parts, reflecting much credit upon the school and themselves. The judges of the evening were Father Walsh, Judge John R. Hays and Henry R. Cobb. Their decision, as announced by Father Walsh in a few well chosen remarks, gave the first honors of the evening to Clyde Hayes and made him the representative of the Norfolk high school at the coming contest next week. After the decision of the judges was made, H. C. Matran of the board of education, in behalf of the school, presented Miss Tannehill and Mr. Hayes with beautiful medals in recognition of the work and merit displayed by them in their well-rendered declamations.

In the spring the human body needs assistance to throw off the stagnation produced by winter diet. As the temperature rises under the growing heat of sun's rays, we feel tired, half sick and low in spirits, because the blood is sluggish and full of impurities. Dr. J. H. McLean's Strengthening Cordial and Blood Purifier is a reliable spring remedy to invigorate the blood and give tone to the digestion. Price 50 cents and \$1 a bottle. Koenigstein's pharmacy.

FAILS TO PASS. The Normal School Bill Goes Down to Defeat by a Narrow Vote in Senate. LINCOLN, March 29, 4:30 p. m.—Special to THE NEWS: On final passage, in the senate this afternoon the normal school bill failed to pass. The vote stood 16 in favor of the measure and 16 against it. This defeats the bill for this session. Sloan's Liniment has no equal for household use. It is the best known remedy for rheumatism, and in fact any pain. It will kill a pain quicker than any other remedy. It can be used with equal certainty on animals. Every one who buys a bottle comes back and says it is the best medicine he has ever used. For sale by John Koenigstein. A priceless blessing is found in Dr. Sawyer's Arnica and Witch Hazel salve for piles, hives, scald-head, eczema, pin worms, burns and cuts. KIENAU & CHRISTOPHER.

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WEST! Homeseeker's Excursion tickets will also be sold from stations in Iowa east of and including Cedar Falls, and from points on the Lytle and Cedar Rapids branches, March 21st, April 6th and 16th, and May 2d and 10th, to points on the Illinois Central Railroad to which the one way rate is \$7.00 or over, in South Dakota, Minnesota, and in Iowa, points west of Ackley inclusive, except points west of LeMars. Homeseeker's Excursions to Points on other Lines of Railroads. The Illinois Central will also sell on the first and third Tuesdays in March, April and May, Homeseeker's Excursion Tickets to points on foreign lines of railroads in many of the Western, Southwestern and Southern States. For rates, routes, etc., inquire of your nearest Illinois Central Ticket Agent. All Homeseeker's Excursion Tickets are sold at a rate of ONE FARE, PLUS \$2.00, for the round trip. Tickets limited to 21 days for return. J. F. MERRY, U. C. R. R., A. G. P. A., DUBUQUE, IOWA.

A SMALL SPOT MAY BE CANCER. MOST VIOLENT CASES HAVE APPEARED AT FIRST AS MERE PIMPLES. The greatest care should be given to any little sore, pimple or scratch which shows no disposition to heal under ordinary treatment. No one can tell how soon these will develop into Cancer of the worst type. So many people die from Cancer simply because they do not know just what the disease is; they naturally turn themselves over to the doctors, and are forced to submit to a cruel and dangerous operation—the only treatment which the doctors know for Cancer. The disease promptly returns, however, and is even more violent and destructive than before. Cancer is a deadly poison in the blood, and an operation, plaster, or other external treatment can have no effect whatever upon it. The cure must come from within—the last vestige of poison must be eradicated. Mr. Wm. Walpole, of Washington S. D., says: "A little blotch about the size of a pea came under my left eye gradually growing larger, from which shooting pains at intervals ran in all directions. I became greatly alarmed and consulted a good doctor, who pronounced it Cancer, and advised that it be cut out, but this I could not consent to. I read in my local paper of a cure effected by S. S. S., and decided to try it. It acted like a charm, the Cancer becoming at first irritated, and then discharging very freely. This gradually grew less and then discontinued altogether, leaving a small scab which soon dropped off and now only a healthy little scar remains where what threatened to destroy my life once held full sway." Positively the only cure for Cancer is Swift's Specific—S. S. S. FOR THE BLOOD. —because it is the only remedy which can go deep enough to reach the root of the disease and force it out of the system permanently. A surgical operation does not reach the blood—the real seat of the disease—because the blood can not be cut away. Insist upon S. S. S.; nothing can take its place. S. S. S. cures any case of Scrofula, Eczema, Rheumatism, Contagious Blood Poison, Ulcers, Sores, or any other form of blood disease. Valuable books on Cancer and Blood Diseases will be mailed free to any address by Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Georgia.