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CONGRESSIONAL TICKET.

Congressman, Third district,
W. F. NORRIS, Wayne.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

Governor,
M. L. HAYWARD, Nebraska City.
Lieutenant-Governor,
GEORGE A. MURPHY, Beatrice.
Secretary of State,
C. DURAS, Wilber.
Auditor Public Accounts,
T. L. MATHEWS, Fremont.
Treasurer,
PETER MORTENSEN, Ord.
Superintendent Public Instruction,
JOHN F. SAYLOR, Lincoln.
Attorney-General,
N. D. JACKSON, Neligh.
Land Commissioner,
G. R. WILLIAMS, Elk City.

JUDICIAL TICKET.

For Judge Sixth Judicial District,
W. A. McALLISTER, Columbus.

LEGISLATIVE TICKET.

For Senator Twelfth District,
PATRICK J. MURPHY, Colfax county.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Representative Platte county,
JOHN TANNAHILL.
For County Attorney,
ROYAL P. DRAKE.
For Supervisor, Districts 6 and 7,
JOHN WIGGINS.
For Assessor,
O. C. SHANNON.

SIXTY-TWO cases of yellow fever reported in New Orleans.

THE Seventh army corps, including the Third Nebraska has been ordered from Jacksonville to Savannah, thence to Cuba.

A THOUSAND lives are said to have been lost by fire at Hankow, China, a square mile of the city having been destroyed, including the government building and temple.

YELLOW fever has a firm grip on the state of Mississippi, and nothing but frost is relied upon to save the state from devastation. Seventeen counties are now afflicted. The governor has appealed to the general government for relief.

THERE are some of us who have a very lively recollection of those who opposed the war of the rebellion, and there are persons here now who are opposed to President McKinley's general line of conducting the war against Spain, but it will have to prevail, as it ought to do.

J. A. DUNN for senator is a weak candidate. He made a poor one two years ago and will make a poorer one this time. His party did not want him. They wanted Sprecher and as a consequence will not all vote for him. P. J. Murphy has a walk-a-way this time.—Schuyler Sun.

THE false "economists" feed the blind, feeble-minded, insane, orphans and old soldiers a very pure grade of packing house oleomargarine, but they provide their own tables with a good grade of butter. It is not known for a certainty yet whether or not it also comes from Missouri.—Wahoo Wasp.

AN unsuccessful attempt was made Friday morning about 7, to wreck the west-bound Union Pacific passenger train at a bend in the road about three miles east of Brady. Antony O'Donald has been arrested. This curve was the scene of the hold-up by the Knudson brothers, several years ago, for which they are now serving time in the penitentiary.

SECRETARY PORTER says that no one who knows him would ever think of impugning his motives; from which we assume that he has a high opinion of Mr. Porter. However, the voters have a right to believe that his campaign cards were not intended to imply that his predecessor was scrupulous about turning in fees that belonged to the state. To be sure nothing was said to that effect, but the cards were worded with the evident intent of leaving strong grounds for conjecture. And conjecture is a pop's long suit.—Lincoln Journal.

Condition of Cotton.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The October report of the statistician of the department of agriculture shows the average condition of cotton on Oct. 1 to have been 75.4, as compared with 79.8 Sept. 1, a decline of 4.4 points. The average condition on Oct. 1, 1897, was 70 and the mean of the October averages of the last 10 years is 73.9.

Yardmaster Killed.

BOONE, Ia., Oct. 11.—Walt Fay, yardmaster, was caught between two cars in the Carroll yards last night and instantly killed. He was repairing a bad order car when a car was run in on the track without warning and he was crushed to death. His home was in State Center, where the body was taken for interment.

Spanish Evacuating.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Advices received at the war department indicate that the evacuation of Cuba by the Spanish forces is proceeding satisfactorily and smoothly. The threatened trouble at Manzanillo has blown over and the Spaniards have yielded control to the American forces.

Will Not Speak In Nebraska.

HOT SPRINGS, S. D., Oct. 11.—Senator B. F. Pettigrew, has cancelled his engagements to make campaign speeches in Nebraska on account of poor health. He will probably remain here a week to rest.

Games of the National League.

Pittsburg, 2; Cleveland, 6.
Louisville, 6; Cincinnati, 3.
Washington, 3; Boston, 6.
Brooklyn, 7; Philadelphia, 3.
Second Game—Brooklyn, 6; Philadelphia, 3.

"Sound Money and Protection." Prosperity does not come by luck.

MUSTER OUT OFFICERS

Major General Breckinridge at the Head of List.

WILL BE SUCCEEDED BY WILSON

General Wheeler, Who Will Command Fourth Corps, Expects to Resume His Seat In the House Soon After Congress Meets—General Graham Retired as a Brigadier General—Other Changes.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The order designating the general officers to be mustered out of service, dated Oct. 7, was published officially yesterday and at the head of the list is Major General Joseph C. Breckinridge, whose name was not in the first publication. General Breckinridge will return to duty Nov. 30, as inspector general of the army. General Breckinridge was to have commanded the First corps, which just now will be commanded by Major General James H. Wilson. It is understood that there will be other changes in the commands of army corps stationed in the south. General Wheeler, who will command the Fourth corps, stated before leaving Washington that he expected to resume his seat in the house soon after it met. General Graham, who is to command the Second corps, has retired as a brigadier general, and the question has arisen as to whether he shall be continued longer in the volunteer service. The attorney general has rendered an opinion that there is no reason why he should not, but there is a feeling among army officers that this would not be altogether fair to the young men, and it is probable that Generals John C. Bates and A. R. Chaffee, later on will succeed to the command of the Second and Fourth corps, and General Wilson will continue to command the First corps.

For Money and a Wife.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Oct. 11.—Edward Lee, who claims to have started from Minneapolis Sept. 10, to walk 5,000 miles, get a wife on the trip and earn $500 inside of one year, arrived in Marshalltown at 3:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, and remained here over Sunday. Mr. Lee has so far covered 410 miles. He left here for Des Moines and will then go east to Boston. Mr. Lee says he is footsore from wearing new shoes, but otherwise is all right. If he can manage to find a wife with $500 he should be able to fulfill the other requirements of the wager.

Work on Vizcaya Abandoned.

PLAYA DEL ESTE, Cuba, Oct. 11.—Work on the Spanish cruiser Vizcaya has been abandoned. Divers found 50 feet of the bottom of the bilge gone. The tug Chapman is here and will tow the wrecking ship from Santiago today, where she has been provisioning, to the wreck of the Colon. Naval Constructor Hobson accompanies the expedition. Half of the deck of the Infanta Maria Teresa has been laid. In pumping out the engine room, both engines were turned by hand. It is expected that the Teresa will leave for New York or Norfolk on Oct. 18.

President and Wife Attend Funeral.

CANTON, O., Oct. 11.—President and Mrs. McKinley attended the funeral of G. D. Saxton this afternoon. No changes have been made in the formerly announced plans. Private funeral services were held from the Barber residence at 2 o'clock this afternoon, conducted by Rev. C. D. Milligan of the First Presbyterian church. The president joined the cabinet at the Pennsylvania station at 9:27, his private car being attached to the special train. Mrs. McKinley will remain in the city for a few days.

Evacuation of Cuba and Porto Rico.

MADRID, Oct. 11.—It is said here that the evacuation of Porto Rico will be completed next week and that the evacuation of Cuba will be accomplished by the end of November. The government is employing 21 vessels in the repatriation of the troops. The soldiers have received their pay for June and on landing in Spain they will receive two months' pay, be given civilian clothing and be mustered out of the service.

Fall Term of Supreme Court Opens.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The fall term of the supreme court began at noon today, the justices coming together after an extended summer vacation. There was added interest owing to the importance of some of the cases about to be decided, including the test on the legality of the railroad traffic associations.

Three Appointments.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The president has appointed Myron D. Taylor to be register of the land office at St. Cloud, Minn. Lemuel C. Burriss and Napoleon Bainsworth of the Indian territory, both Indians, have been appointed coal and asphalt trustees for the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations.

Italian Emigrants Coming.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The immigration bureau has information that two steamers with 2,000 Italian immigrants on board are soon due to arrive at New Orleans, but as the city is quarantined the immigration bureau will send a force of inspectors to Pensacola, where they will be landed.

Accept Corbett's Challenge.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Tom O'Rourke, in behalf of Tom Sharkey, has posted $2,500 with "Honest John" Kelly as an acceptance of Corbett's challenge to fight anybody. It has been added that articles shall be drawn tomorrow, the fight to take place about Nov. 25.

Senator Clark Ill.

LARAMIE, Wyo., Oct. 11.—United States C. E. Clark was taken seriously ill in this city yesterday, being threatened with pneumonia. He was obliged to cancel his engagement to speak at the Republican meeting last night, and has gone to his home at Evanston.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Navigation on the Yukon is closed.

Jack Daily was given the decision over Owen Zeigler after 25 rounds at New York.

General P. Wat Hardin has announced himself as Democratic candidate for governor of Kentucky.

The failure is announced at London of Ernest Orger Lambert, financier. His liabilities are estimated at £1,000,000.

The late minister from China to Japan was arrested by the empress of China for alleged connection with the reform movement.

POSTAL SERVICE IN CUBA.

Agent Kempner on His Way to Washington to Make Report.

HAVANA, Oct. 11.—Louis Kempner, United States postal agent at Santiago, arrived here on his way to Washington, where he is to call on matters relating to the postal service. He reports that the concentration of Spanish troops at Cienfuegos is being actively pursued, about 1,500 men being brought there weekly from the ports between Manzanillo and Cienfuegos on the south coast.

Mr. Kempner visited the Spanish postoffices at Manzanillo, Tunas and Cienfuegos, and will make a report on their condition, suggesting radical improvement in the system. A meeting will be held in a few days, it is said, in Havana province of all the commanders of the Cuban army. General Maximo Gomez will preside. The meeting will have significance as deciding the future policy of the Cuban army on the island.

The Western railway of Havana, has made a reduction of 50 per cent. in the charge for transporting the Cuban troops.

Advices from Cardenas report the arrival there of Colonel Cowan and Lieutenant Parker, enroute from Santiago, and who have been visiting the Cuban camps on the way, under a special commission from the United States government. Today they were to visit Brigadier General Carlos Rojas at Camp Varadore, leaving for Matanzas by rail in the course of the afternoon.

Military Club Disbands.

The Spanish military club of Havana held a meeting yesterday and resolved to dissolve. The club's furniture will be sold, one-third of the proceeds going to the public orphan asylum of Havana, and the other two-thirds to the asylum for the orphans of soldiers of Spain. Last evening shortly before midnight representatives of the local cab companies and livery stables assembled at the office of the civil governor, where they had been summoned with a view to heading off a strike that threatened for the day. Senor de Castro, the civil governor, addressed them collectively and individually, and succeeded in persuading them to abandon their proposed strike.

This morning the delegates called upon the mayor, who subsequently had a conference with Senor de Castro. The crisis was created by the demands of the cab companies for higher fares in view of the depreciation of silver. Their demands were well founded, and it is likely that the mayor will himself authorize the demanded increase although he repudiated it a week ago, although granted by Senor de Castro. The Spanish paymaster general published a notice to persons in the naval, military and civil service announcing that beginning today monthly payments will be re-established, but there will still be four months' arrears outstanding.

Criticise Americans.

MANILA, Sept. 1 (via San Francisco) Oct. 11.—The Spanish newspapers in Manila are revelling in an unprecedented atmosphere of freedom and criticise the American authorities in a way they never would have dared to criticise their own government, for the Spanish censor has now joined the great army of unemployed and the United States army censor confines his attention to cablegrams going abroad. He will not, he says, permit a word to be said in any way derogatory to the United States army or authorities, but he takes no notice of violent, inflammatory distribes daily exciting the people of the Philippines. He lets Spaniards say what they like to their readers, while he refuses to trust the American people and loyal American journalists.

Husband Held for Murder.

LAWRENCE, Kan., Oct. 11.—The body of Mrs. J. J. Kunkel, whose husband is now under arrest, charged with having poisoned her to secure the insurance covering her life, has been exhumed for examination. Arsenic was used to embalm the body and the examination is to determine whether the arsenic found in the stomach was separate from that used in the embalming. A feeling in favor of Kunkel has developed in the last 24 hours and the officers now are even inclined to believe that it will be hard to convict him of the charges against him. A telegram was received from Seattle, Wash., asking if Kunkel needed any assistance in any way, proffering financial or any other aid that might be needed.

Roosevelt Meets Labor Leaders.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt took lunch today with Messrs. Weissmann of the Bakers' union, White of the United Garment Workers' union, and Derflinger of the Typographical union. The conversation, Colonel Roosevelt said, was rather more about labor questions than about politics. Half a dozen rough riders will go with Colonel Roosevelt on his speaking trip through the state. Candidate Van Wyck will speak in Buffalo Oct. 22.

To Suppress Train Robbery.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 11.—The express companies from several western cities met here and agreed to act together in suppressing train robbery. Plans to that end were agreed upon, but will be kept secret. The superintendents of the Pacific, American, Wells-Fargo and United States express companies, from Omaha, St. Louis and Kansas City were present.

Getting Transports Ready.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—Work on the transport steamers Valencia, Indiana, Senator and Ohio is progressing, but it will be next Sunday at the earliest before the Senator, the first to be ready for sea, can be finished. It is said that she will carry the Twenty-third United States infantry, and the recruits of the Second Oregon regiment. The Valencia will be ready some time next week, but the troops to go on her have not yet been assigned. The Ohio and Indiana need extensive repairs. The transports Rio de Janeiro, Pennsylvania and Newport are expected to put in an appearance at any time. The Rio de Janeiro has a number of sick soldiers on board.

Monument to Lafayette.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Hon. Charles G. Dawes, controller of the currency and treasurer of the fund to be raised by voluntary contributions of the school children of the United States to erect a monument in Paris to General Lafayette, is receiving encouraging reports from all sections. Although Oct. 19 is the day fixed by the committee as the day on which collections are to be taken up in all schools donating, they have already begun to arrive.

SOLDIERS BEGIN A RIOT

Members of Twelfth New York Attempt to Raid a Jail.

SEIZE TRAIN TO GO TO LEXINGTON

General Wiley and Colonel Leonard Take Prompt and Radical Action to Suppress the Mob—Trouble Arose Over the Killing of a Private by Provost Guard Kitchen—Over Five Hundred Arrested.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 11.—As a result of the killing of a private in the Twelfth New York regiment by Provost Guard Kitchen Sunday night 300 or 400 members of that regiment formed a mob last night and seized a train at Camp Hamilton with the intention of coming to town on it and raiding the county jail for the purpose of taking Kitchen out and lynching him. General Wiley and Colonel Leonard were quickly notified of the uprising and they suppressed the mob by the most radical and prompt action. The outbreak was not unexpected and the jail was heavily guarded. The provost guard in the city was also doubled. It is believed that the prompt measures that were taken have prevented what promised to be a very serious affair.

At a late hour the excitement was increasing. General Wiley sent a battalion under Captain Holbrook to stop the mob and turn it back. The captain ordered the soldiers to return to camp. A corporal shouted, "All who do are cowards!" Holbrook asked him from what regiment he belonged and he shouted, "The Big Four!" When Holbrook protested that was no way to address an officer, the soldier replied sharply. Holbrook grabbed him, when the soldier shot at Holbrook, but missed him. The soldier then fled.

Many of the Twelfth New York had to be clubbed into submission. The Eighth Massachusetts is placed as a guard around Camp Hamilton. The mob began again to form in town and the One Hundred and Sixtieth Indiana was sent with orders to shoot to kill if resistance was made. Over 500 arrests have already been made. Kitchen still fears a lynching.

The officers say Kitchen will unquestionably get the death sentence. When he shot Nygren he was under orders not to even have his gun loaded. It is said Colonel Leonard of the Twelfth New York was the principal promoter of the mob. The matter will be thoroughly investigated tomorrow.

President Leaves Canton.

CANTON, Oct. 11.—President McKinley boarded the Omaha special at 9:20 last night and reached Chicago at 7 o'clock this morning, leaving an hour later on the Northwestern road. Mrs. McKinley remained in Canton but will join the president at Chicago in time for the peace jubilee. The members of the party on the Pennsylvania special are the president, Secretary Bliss, Secretary Wilson, Assistant Secretary of War Meiklejohn, Secretary John Addison Porter, and Assistant Secretary John B. Cortelyon. Postmaster General Smith and Secretary Gage are expected to join the party at Omaha. Governor Shaw of Iowa and his staff will take the train at Clinton, Ia., in order to be present at the exposition on Wednesday, President's Day.

Slot Machine 'Phone Illegal.

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—In an opinion rendered to the judiciary committee of the city council, Corporation Counsel Thornton holds that the slot machine telephone as used by the Chicago Telephone company is illegal. Counsel Thornton contends that the company has no right to charge any extra to an outsider for the use of the telephone when the company is already being paid by the party renting the telephone, and leaves it to the option of the latter whether he shall make an extra charge or not.

Railway Employes Killed.

BOONE, Ia., Oct. 11.—Superintendent Leisure of Clinton, and F. C. Anderson of Boone, employed by the Chicago and Northwestern in the water supply department, were killed at the railroad well in this city yesterday while putting in a new pump. C. F. Case went down and also had an arm broken. The pump, weighing over a ton, fell on them.

WOOD DOES GOOD WORK

Yellow Fever Is Practically Stamped Out of Santiago.

RESULT OF THOROUGH CLEANING

Major Barber, Who Is at Head of Street Cleaning Department, Has Had Six Hundred Men Engaged In Carting Away Filth of Generations, Which Is Burned. General Wood Advises Investors.

SANTIAGO, Cuba, Oct. 11.—The health of the United States troops now in the province of Santiago has considerably improved, not more than 10 per cent now being on the sick list. Most of the cases of indisposition now are merely light malarial fevers. Yellow fever has been practically stamped out of the city by the systematic cleaning process put in operation. For several weeks Major Barber, who is at the head of the street cleaning department, has had 600 men engaged in carting away the filth of generations, which is burned. General Wood has shown wonderful executive ability.

General Lawton is well satisfied with the soldierly qualities displayed by his men since they have been here, and all reports from other places in the province as to the behavior of the American troops are satisfactory. There has been very little drunkenness, which when one remembers that as a soldier puts it, "Drink is cheap and you are always thirsty," is really remarkable.

General Wood advises investors not to come to Cuba if they intend their investments to take the form of land purchase, as the records and archives have been left in a shocking state by the Spanish authorities.

A man with a little capital here would do well with a steam laundry, an American bakery, or a small store with good groceries. Such enterprises could be made to pay from the outstart. This month is the last of the rainy season here. With November comes fine weather with cool winds and good health.

The death rate in Santiago has decreased six fold, though as a rule the end of September shows heavy mortality.

Senator Kyle Has Recovered.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 11.—Senator Kyle of South Dakota, who was stricken with paralysis at the Forest City house here some weeks ago, has so far recovered that he will leave for Washington on Thursday. It was his original intention to go from Cleveland to Chicago, where the first meeting of the non-partisan industrial commission, of which he was chairman, was scheduled to be held on Monday, Oct. 17. During the last week, however, the place of meeting was changed at the solicitation of the majority of members, who thought Washington would be a more central point. Senator Kyle, therefore, deferred to their wishes and the meeting will be held in Washington Oct. 17. Mr. A. D. Tinsley, Senator Kyle's private secretary, said that the widely circulated reports as to the senator's change of front on the money question was false, and that he was an out and out free silver man.

Admiral Febinger Dead.

EASTON, Md., Oct. 11.—Admiral John Carson Febinger, U. S. N., retired, died yesterday at Londonderry, his residence, near Easton, in his 78th year. He was of Danish ancestry and entered the navy as a midshipman from Ohio in 1838, and was in the Concord of the Brazil squadron, when she was wrecked on the eastern coast of Africa in 1843. Later he was for years in the coast survey service and in the East India squadron.

Transport Ship Returns.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—The transport ship Tacoma, which sailed from this port for Manila with a cargo of horses for the use of the army in the Philippines, and got no further on her trip to the island than Honolulu, arrived last evening from the latter place, having been ordered to return here.

County Supervisors.

(Official.)

COLUMBUS, Neb., Sept. 27, 1898.

Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment at 2 o'clock p. m., Hon. Peter Bender chairman and G. W. Phillips, clerk.

Roll called and the following members present: Sup'rs Becher, Carrig, Kiernan, Lisco, Olson, Wiggins and Chairman Bender.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Application of David Malloy for admission to the Soldiers Home at Milford, presented and referred to committee.

Petition of John Flackus and others for a public road commencing at the northeast corner of section 32, town 17, range 1 west, running thence north on line of new survey one mile, was presented and referred to the committee of roads and bridges.

Report of county superintendent showing condition of institute fund on Sept. 30, 1898, presented and ordered filed.

Official bond of G. D. Carstens, constable of St. Bernard township, presented and approved.

The question as to whether the survey of the Mitera road was made in accordance with the prayer and intent of the petitioners, was brought before the board and on motion all papers in connection therewith was referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

The contract and bond of N. Blaser for the construction of a bridge over Loseke creek in Bismark township, was presented and on motion the contract was accepted and bond approved.

Adjourned until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

September 28, 1898.

Board met at 9 o'clock as per adjournment, with all members present, and on motion took a recess for committee work until 2 o'clock this p. m.

Board reconvened at 2 o'clock p. m., all members being present.

Moved by Sup'r Kiernan that a committee of three be appointed to view and examine the bridges built by the Irrigation company over their canals in this county, and report their findings to this board. Motion carried and chair appointed Sup'rs Kiernan, Carrig and Lisco as such committee.

Moved by Sup'r Carrig that the clerk be directed to prepare and have published in the official papers of the county, a notice requesting sealed proposals for the renting of the poor farm, and the care of the inmates thereof, for the year 1899. Said lease to be for the term of one year and possession to be given March 1st, 1899. Motion carried.

Adjourned for committee work till 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

September 29, 1898.

Board met at 9 o'clock as per adjournment and again took a recess for committee work until 2 o'clock this p. m.

At 2 o'clock board reconvened with all members present.

The following bills were on motion allowed:

H S Elliott, county treasurer, cash advanced and postage	$ 67 45
L H Leavy, county sup't, same	10 28
G W Phillips, county clerk, same	18 40
Nebraska Tel. Co., service for July, August and September, 1898	27 00
L H Leavy, county sup't, salary for July, August and September, 1898	200 00
City of Columbus, water rent to August 1, 1898	2 00
G W Phillips, preparing 1898 tax list	794 64
D A Becher, sup'r, committee work, etc.	23 40
C J Carrig, sup'r, district work, etc	34 50
R. Y Lisco, sup'r, same	15 00
Peter Bender, sup'r, same	21 20
Frischholz Bros., make insane patient	2 95
Greisen Bros., same	5 25
W A Way & Co., coal for county	136 46
Hammond Bros. & Stephens, Mdse. for county	24 50
C Gruenther, legal printing	18 33
Humphrey Democrat, legal printing (claimed $45.05)	12 16
Omaha Printing Co., Mdse. for county (claimed $44.15)	35 99
Omaha Printing Co., Mdse. for county (claimed $56.05)	50 05
Omaha Printing Co., Mdse. for county (claimed $29.05)	25 66
D O'Brien, repairs on county jail	2 85
Schwartz & Easton, Mdse. for county	10 20
Henry Gass, repairing furniture, clerk's office	4 00
Thomas Gentleman, guarding insane patient	154 00
T D Robinson, county Judge, costs state vs Laughlin, et al	4 70
T D Robinson, county Judge, costs state vs Golligan	4 80
J C Byrnes, sheriff, boarding prisoners etc	218 00
" " attending Dist. court	29 00
" " jailor and janitor fees	154 50
Becher, Jaeggi & Co., Ins. policy on court house	75 00
G W Phillips, county clerk, salary 3rd quarter 1898	100 00
T D Robinson, assisting Com. on Killian settlement	7 50
Josef Haschke, illegal school assessment	1 45
John Hoessel, taxes paid in duplicate	3 92
Louis Held, repairs for lawn mower	75
John Geev, repairing coal shed	75
Times Printing Co., blanks for county (claimed $13.73)	12 36
Times Printing Co., blanks for county (claimed $2.00)	90
Times Printing Co., blanks for county	1 00
" " " legal printing	5 50
" " " blanks for county	16 60
F E Stephens, livery for committee	1 50
Edward Flynn, work on outbuildings at court house	3 00
Wm O'Brien, county attorney, salary 3rd quarter 1898	200 00
Joseph Flynn, Cleaning cess-pool at court house	11 20
Joseph Flynn, cleaning outhouse at court house	27 50
R P Brigham, serving notices on Irrigation Co	6 00
H S Elliott, county Treasurer, account del. tax N H Parks, legal printing (claimed $15.87)	11 67
H S Elliott, county Treasurer, account del. tax Thos. Keating, work on court yard, (claimed $7.90)	3 40

The bill of H S Elliott, county Treas. of $120 for settling with township treasurer's, was reported back by the committee without recommendation. Moved by Supr. Becher that the claim be allowed. Roll called: Supr's, Becher, Carrig, Olson, Wiggins and Mr. Chairman voting Aye, 5; Supr's Kiernan and Lisco, voting No, 2. Motion declared carried and clerk directed to issue warrant on general fund.

The claim of J M Weidner for illegal school assessment was reported back by the committee as follows: Your committee recommend that a warrant be drawn upon the county general fund in favor of M J Weidner for $4.97 and that the clerk be directed to file with the school district officers of district No. 70 a bill for $4.97 to reimburse the county. On motion the report of the committee was adopted.

Claim of D A Campbell, clerk of the supreme court, $6.60 clerk's fees in case of Harriet Wright vs state of Nebraska, was on motion rejected as same is not a legal claim against the county.

Claim of M Vogel $51.30 for illegal assessment for the year 1896, was on motion rejected.

Bill of A L Koon, four months house rent for sheriff to Oct. 1, 1898, $43.00, was reported back by the committee recommending allowance $2.20 to be drawn in favor of county treasurer to apply on del. tax of A L Koon and warrant for balance $45.80 in favor of said Koon.

On motion the report of the committee was adopted, Supr, Lisco voting no.

Numerous bills of county judge for costs in mis-demeanor cases, were ordered filed.

Following bills were allowed on county poor fund:

St Marys Hospital, care Alfred Palme	$28 00
" " " Mrs. Nordburg	36 00
" " " Harry Carners	48 00
" " " A Konwiski	16 56
" " " Jno Desmond	6 25
Schwartz & Easton, Mdse. for poor farm	19 85
Albert King, repairs for poor farm	6 00
Louis Held, repairs for poor farm	65
Peter Kozlowski, Mdse. for poor farm	2 45
" " " Mdse. for poor farm	1 25
Julia Coe, house rent for poor farm	7 50
H S Elliott, county Treas. account del. tax Julia Coe, account house rent	3 50
H S Elliott, county Treas. account del. tax Henry Gass, burial expence of Jno Grein	16 00

Following bills were allowed on the county road and bridge fund:

John Eybs, account Butler Twp	$25 96
Denis Sullivan, " Shell Creek "	12 00
D D Roberts, " " "	13 00
Foster & Smith " Butler "	14 00
D C Owen, Jr. " " "	10 25
Foster & Smith " " "	9 00
G Borzinski " " "	9 00
A Eyba " " "	4 50
Otto Ernst " " "	4 50
E L Rossiter " " "	2 70
County Treas. " del. tax Henry Nelson account city of Columbus	6 00
County Treas. account del. tax Robt. McGray account city of Columbus	1 00
Henry Nelson, account city of Columbus	13 50
John Eyba " " "	15 18
R B McGray " " "	4 50
Robert McGray " " "	4 50
" " " "	1 50
" " " "	37 10
R L Rossiter " Monroe "	2 70
J J Regan " Lost Creek "	13 75
Andrew Peterson " " "	16 00
C C Doody " " "	15 00
County Treasurer account del. tax Henry Burns, account Lost Creek Twp	3 00
County Treasurer, account del. tax Wm Schirman account Sherman Twp	3 00
Josef Kopetzky, Jr. acct. Sherman Twp	15 00
Ed Luschen, same	13 50
Columbus Lumber Co. same	18 48
Oscar Luschen, same	9 00
Fred Gerber account Loup Twp	2 80
Jacob Tschudin, same	2 40
H J Breunig, account Granville Twp	1 50
Adam Bahm, same	3 00
W A Bender, same	9 00
John Frey, same	14 50
A Schoenrohl, same	9 00
R L Rossiter, account Woodville Twp	5 00
J C Byrnes, same	6 00
C P Bender, account Granville Twp	9 00
Math. Schafer, same	27 50
Henry Marek, same	5 00
John Frey, same	22 50
H Hunker & Bro., same	10 20
J P Hennessey, account Lost Creek Twp	15 00
G Gruenthal, same	26 10
J H Muehlier, same	15 00
R W Gentleman, same	10 00
Charles Chorac, same	2 70
Dan Maher, account Lost Creek twp	15 00
Albert Klug, account Grand Prairie twp	85
Jas. Myers, account Grand Prairie twp.	2 50
Frank S German, acct Burrows twp	24 00
Columbus Lumber Co., acct Columbus township	60 00
Tony Schefelik, acct Columbus township	29 25
R. P. Brigham, " " "	11 25
Louis Held, " " "	2 00
Nick Blaser, " " "	29 65
A. Phillipps, " " "	1 50
John Eyba, " " "	51 48
Mair & Kotler, " " "	2 75
Walrath & Sherwood Lumber Co., acct Grand Prairie township	32 00
H. L. Smith, acct Lost Creek township	8 50
Andrew Peterson, acct Lost Creek twp	19 00
Burrows & Scheidel, account Lost Creek township	3 20
Edward Higgins, acct Lost Creek twp	5 00
R. L. Rossiter, acct St. Bernard twp	5 00
P. Van Ackeren, " " "	4 32
Michael Lehnerz, " " "	4 80
H. C Niemeyer, " " "	4 80
Nick Blaser, " " "	49 61
Walrath & Sherwood Lumber Co., acct. Shell Creek township	40 82
Walrath & Sherwood Lumber Co., acct. Lost Creek township	169 56
H. J. Breunig, acct Granville twp	3 10
H Hunker & Bro " " "	24 02
H Hunker & Bro " " "	6 72
Jas McDermott " " "	21 50
Jos Schoenrohl " " "	46 45
Jas McDermott " " "	39 50
H Hunker & Bro. " " "	19 56
Crowell Lumber and Grain Co. acct Humphrey township	85 95
Daniel Driscoll, acct Humphrey twp	13 25
Jas Rightree " " "	12 50
Fred Remender " " "	19 70
Elbert Taylor " " "	9 50
H Hunker & Bro " " "	14 40
Victor Palmateer " " "	12 00
J N Mellmann " " "	32 00
H Hunker & Bro. " " "	7 72
H Hunker & Bro. " " "	3 84
H Hunker & Bro. " " "	1 92
Nick Blaser " Bismark "	222 23
H Hunker & Bro. " Grand Prarie "	53 26
Ole W Ohlson " Walker "	3 00
Nick Blaser " Bismark "	148 16

County treasurer, acct delinquent tax

Ed Hogan acct Lost Creek township	5 00

County treasurer, acct delinquent tax

C H Blecher acct Walker township	2 00

Bill of Nick Blaser of $9.50 for building bridge in Columbus township was referred to the township for settlement.

Bill of Foster & Smith of $10.46, account Butler township, was referred to said township for information.

Committee to whom was referred the petition of John Flakus and others for a public road in Butler township submitted the following report:

Your committee on roads and bridges to whom this petition was referred, would report that from information at hand it appears that there is a dispute among the land owners along the line of this road. Some claiming that the road now know as the "Geo. Borowiak road" is located on the section line herein described, and that at the time of its location the old government mounds were plainly visible, while others claim that the section line is where a recent survey was made by County Surveyor Reiter locates it. We would therefore recommend that a committee of three be appointed, whose duty it will be to investigate and, if necessary, take testimony in ascertaining whether said Geo. Borowiak road is, or was located in accordance with the original government section corners along said line of road

NILS OLSON,
D. A. BECHER,
R. Y. LISCO,
Committee.

On motion of the committee was adopted.

The following committee report was submitted:

Your committee on roads and bridges to whom was referred the matter of the survey of the "Mitera road" in Columbus township, would report that we have examined the papers in connection with the location of said road, have also interviewed several of the parties most interested as petitioners, as well as the county surveyor, and we find that while the survey was probably made in accordance with a strict and literal construction of the wording of the petition, it was not made in accordance with the wishes and intentions of the petitioners of said road. We would therefore recommend that the county surveyor be instructed to make and file with this board a survey and plat of said road showing its location along and wholly upon the north bank of the slough named in said petition.

NILS OLSON,
D. A. BECHER,
R. Y. LISCO,
Committee.

On motion report of committee was adopted.

Action upon the petitions for public roads known as the "Mogan road" in St. Bernard township and the "Ole road" in Walker township were referred over until the next meeting of the board.

In the matter of the "Eiseman road" commencing at the north west corner of sw¼ of section 19 town 17 range 2 west, and running thence south on the section line and terminating at the Merrick county line, on motion the road was declared duly established; the county surveyor instructed to survey and file plat of same as provided by law; the report of the appraisers appointed therein approved, and the clerk directed to issue warrants upon the 1897 county road fund in payment of the damages awarded claimants as named in said report, to-wit:

L Gerrard, acct Loup township	$ 12 00
Christ Boss, acct Loup township	30 00

The application of David Malloy for admission to the Soldiers' Home at Milford was approved and the chairman directed to make the necessary certificate.

On motion of Supervisor Wiggins, the county surveyor was instructed to file with the clerk a plat showing the meanderings of the north bank of the Loup river, where same passes through the city of Columbus.

On motion the board now adjourned until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

September 30, 1898.

Board convened at 9 o'clock pursuant to adjournment, the chairman, clerk and all members of the board present.

Moved by Supervisor Olson that the committee appointed yesterday for the purpose of viewing the bridges along the line of the irrigation company's canal, be instructed to proceed with their investigation forthwith and report to this board at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. Motion carried.

Board now adjourned till 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Friday a. m., Oct. 1, 1898.

Board of supervisors met at 9 o'clock with Chairman Bender presiding and G. W. Phillips clerk. Roll called and the following members present: Supervisors Becher, Carrig, Kiernan, Lisco, Olson, Wiggins and Chairman Bender.

Supervisor Lisco submitted the following resolution:

Whereas, The outer walls and roof of the court house need repairing and painting, therefore be it

Resolved, That a committe of three be appointed by the chair, whose duty it shall be to have the court house painted and repaired as in their judgment they think necessary and for the best interest of the county.

Adopted, and chair appointed Supervisors Lisco, Wiggins and Carrig.

Moved by Supervisor Wiggins that this same committee be authorized to have a brick walk eight feet in width built along the west front of the court house and a like walk from the front of the court house west to the street.

Roll called for vote.

Supervisors Becher, Kiernan, Lisco, Olson and Wiggins voting aye—5. Supervisors Carrig and Chairman Bender voting no—2.

Motion declared carried.

The following bills were allowed:

Nils Olson, services as supervisor	$ 34 30
James Kiernan, " "	19 70
Peter Bender, " "	21 20
C J Carrig, " "	17 50