

January, 2nd, 1905

Yorman, N. D., Jan 2nd, 1905;

The Board of County-Commissioners of Sargent County, N. D. met at the office of the county Auditor pursuant to law.

Present, Messrs Marcellus, Ditzler and Seltvik.

Mr Ditzler moved that inas much as the day is a legal holiday, the Board do now adjourn, Which motion prevailed,

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The Board in session. Present Messrs Seltvik, Marcellus, Peterson, Straub and Ditzler.

The oath of office was administered to Commissioners elect, Peterson and Straub.

Mr Marcellus moved that the Board do now proceed to elect a chairman for the year 1905; Which motion prevailed,

On the second ballot, Mr Seltvik secured a majority of the votes and was declared elected Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners.

The bond of E. W. Bowen, as State Atty, in the sum of \$2000.00, was presented, and approved.

The bond of J. W. Christian, as County Judge, in the sum of \$2000.00, was presented and approved.

The Bond of A. M. Simpson, as County Superintendent of Schools, in the sum of \$500.00, was presented and approved.

The bond of St. L. Daylor, as Coroner, in the sum of \$500.00, was presented and approved.

The Bond of J. R. Mason, as County Justice of the Peace, in the sum of \$500.00 was presented, and approved.

The bond of Thos. A. Staigh, as County Surveyor, in the sum of \$500.00, was presented, and approved.

Mr Straub moved that the surety bonds of E. B. Johnson, county treasurer, Chas. Marcellus, county Auditor, and Dennis L. Warriner, register of Deeds be returned to the Northern Trust Co. for correction, Which motion prevailed.

Mr Peterson moved that the Board proceed to take an inventory of the property belonging

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Commissioners qualify

Chairman elected

Bond of State Atty

Bond of Co Judge

Bond of Co Supt of Schools

Bond of Coroner

J. R. Mason's bond

Bond of Co Surveyor

Bonds returned to Northern Trust Co. The county bond of William J. Jackson, in the sum of \$15,000.00, was presented and approved.

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Inventory

to the County,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr Marcellus moved that the Board do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

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The Board in session. All members present. The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

Inventory

The Board completed the inventory of property belonging to the County, and the same is as follows:

Court house and adjoining property, including jail and grounds,	\$8,700.00
Bridges	11,000.00
Tracts section of land in Dunbar Twp.	2,400.00
Office furniture and fixtures,	3,820.00
Lots in Forman,	100.00
Total	26,020.00

Reg. Deeds Fees

The Board proceeded to examine the fee books of the Register of Deeds for the year 1904, and found the amount turned in to the County treasury to be \$2,159.00.

Clerk of Court's Fees

The Board proceeded to examine the fee books of the office of Clerk of Court, for the year 1904, and found the amount turned in to the County treasury to be \$525.25.

Probate fees

Upon examination it was found that the probate fees turned in to the treasury during the year 1904, amounted to \$598.20.

Mr Straub moved that the Board do now adjourn to 2 o'clock, P.M.

Which motion prevailed.

2. P.M.

2 o'clock, P.M.

Standing Committees

The Board in session. All members present. Mr Weitzler moved that the following standing committees be appointed by the Board:

A poor Committee for each commissioner district, consisting of the commissioner from that district, and a bridge committee for each district consisting of the commissioner for that district. Such committees to have the power to call

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in the commissioner from an adjoining district, in any case where his services shall be needed.

Order of Business

- Which motion prevailed,
- Mr Marcellus moved that the following order of business be adopted by the Board;
- First, Reading and approval of the minutes,
- Second, Unfinished business,
- Third, Consideration of bills,
- Fourth, Consideration of applications and petitions,
- Fifth, Miscellaneous business,
- Sixth, Adjournment,

Which motion prevailed, Mr Marcellus moved that Dr W.W. Bradley be appointed commissioner of insanity - for the ensuing two years,

W.W. Bradley Com of Insanity

Which motion prevailed, Mr Peterson moved that S.A. Surtman be appointed commissioner of insanity - for the ensuing two years,

S.A. Surtman Com of Insanity

Which motion prevailed, Mr Deitzler moved that Dr St. W. Emanuel be appointed Superintendent of Public Health for the year 1905;

H.W. Emanuel Supt of Public Health

Which motion prevailed, Mr Marcellus moved that W.C. Foreman be appointed vice president of the County Board of Health,

W.C. Foreman Vice Pres of Co Board of Health

Which motion prevailed, Mr Deitzler moved that the Board do now adjourn,

Which motion prevailed, Jan 5th, 1905;

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The Board in session, all members present. The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved,

A communication from the State Auditor was presented, directing that the name of Lake Township, in this county be changed,

Lake Twp changed to Marbor Twp

Mr Peterson moved that the name of Lake Township, in this county, be changed to Marbor Township, Which motion prevailed, all

County physicians appointed,

members voting "aye".

Mr Pilson moved that Dr S. W. Emanuel be appointed county physician for the first commissioner district, Dr W. W. King for the second district, Dr. W. W. Bradley for the third district, Dr H. A. Steile for the fourth district, and Dr H. L. Saylor for the fifth district; the foregoing appointments to be made subject to the following conditions:

Each of said county physicians shall furnish free of charge, any and all medicines used or prescribed by him in the performance of his duties as county physician; shall render all surgical assistance necessary; shall respond to any and all calls of the commissioners of his district; and shall attend any consultation called by the county physician of another district, when called upon to do so.

In consideration of the foregoing appointment, and services to be rendered thereby, the county physician from each district shall receive the sum of \$100.00 per annum, to be paid quarterly, by the Board of County Commissioners, upon presentation of a verified account for same.

Which motion prevailed.

Under the provisions of Chapter 113, Laws of 1901, the Board proceeded to fill out the jury list of the county, and found the number of names to be furnished by the various townships, as follows:

Stall	2	names
Storman	1	"
Kingston	6	"
Lake	7	"
Milnor	1	"
Town of Milnor	3	"
Shuman	3	"
Ransom	2	"
Jewawken	1	"
Dunbar	1	"
Ruelland	1	"
Webb	5	"

Jury list

jury list

Sargent	1	name
Ufener	1	"
Jackson	1	"
South West	3	"
Town of Forman	2	"

appropriation for chairman

Mr Ditzler moved that an appropriation of \$25⁰⁰ be made for extra services rendered by Mr Sallent, while Chairman of the Board.

Which motion prevailed,

Co. warrants cancelled

The following county warrants, having remained uncalled for, for more than six years, was cancelled,

No 5815, W. St. Dixon, \$2.00

Appropriation for estray horse

Mr Peterson moved that Louis Swin be appointed to appraise an estray horse, taken up and advertised by Emil Valin in Lake Trip.

Which motion prevailed,

The following resolution was presented;

Resolution as to sum of bonds

Resolved, That the members of the legislative assembly from this county be requested to work for the repeal of Chap. 127, Laws of 1903; or failing to secure the repeal of same, to have the same amended so that counties shall not be liable for the premiums on bonds of any county officer except the treasurer

Mr Marcellus moved the adoption of the foregoing resolution,

Which motion prevailed,

Bills

The following bills were audited and allowed;

J. W. Christian, salary under prohibition law,	\$90.00
Walker Bros and Hardy, blanks,	5.50
W. W. Bradley, services as Co physician	50.00
Elias Glaes, board and care of Edward Norwalk	50.00
Lidgerwood Hospital, care of Mrs Olson and child \$60.00; allowed	\$40.00
R. U. Fyhs, legal publications	13.50
Munley J. Jacobson, postage	51.74
D. L. Gayler, salary as County physician	25.00
A. M. Simpson mileage to Ferry	22.20

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Bills

Thos. A. Staigh,	legal publications	\$ 4.00
Manly J. Jacobson,	express and freight	6.45
P. A. Erickson,	livery for Mr La Croix	4.00
Manly J. Jacobson,	exchanges	1.20
" " "	cash advanced for Linby, family	55.00
H. A. Gundrus,	Coal for County	149.17
Boardman Bros,	burial expenses of John Hart	27.00

Mr Marcellus moved that the Board do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

Jan 6th

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minutes

The Board in session, All members present. The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

Salaries 1904

The Board proceeded to ascertain the amounts paid for salaries and clerk hire in the various county offices during the year 1904, and found the same to be as follows:

Treasurer's salary,	\$1600.00
Auditor's " "	1400.00
Register of Deeds " "	1600.00
County Judge's " "	1090.00
County Supt of Schools " "	1350.00
Clerk of Court " "	900.00
State Attorney " "	1200.00
Amount paid for clerk hire, Auditor's office	720.00
" " " " " " Insurors " "	572.00
" " " " " " Reg. of Deeds " "	600.00
" " " " " " Supt of Schools " "	225.00
" " " " " " Clerk of Court " "	150.00
" " " " " " County Judge " "	110.00

clerk hire 1904

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Mr Marcellus moved that an allowance of \$720.00 be made for clerk hire in the County Auditor's office for the ensuing year.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr Deitzler moved that an allowance of \$600.00 be made for clerk hire in the treasurer's office for the ensuing year.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr Straub moved that an allowance of \$600.00 be made for clerk hire in the office

clerk him
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of Register of Deeds for the ensuing year,
Which motion prevailed.

Mr Ditzler moved that an allowance of \$150⁰⁰ be made for clerk him in the office of Clerk of Court.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr Peterson moved that an allowance of \$200⁰⁰ be made for clerk him in the office of County Judges for the ensuing year.

Which motion prevailed.

Time fixed
for adjournment

Mr Straub moved that when the Board adjourns, it adjourn to meet Jan. 9th, 1905.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr Marcellus moved that the Board do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

Jan 9th

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minutes

The Board in session, all members present. The minutes of Jan 6th session were read and approved.

Bond of
county
treasurer

Mr Ditzler moved that the surety bond of Edward B. Johnson, county treasurer, in the sum of \$35,000 be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

Bond of
Co. Auditor

Mr Peterson moved that the surety bond of Chas. Marcellus, county auditor, in the sum of \$5,000.00 be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

Bond of
Reg. Deeds

Mr Straub moved that the surety bond of Dennis L. Warren, register of deeds, in the sum of \$5000.00 be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

Bond of
C. H. Hornum

Mr Marcellus moved that the bond of C. H. Hornum, justice of the peace, in the sum of \$500.00 be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

Bond of J. J.
Hutton

Mr Peterson moved that the bond of J. J. Hutton, constable, in the sum of \$500⁰⁰ be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

Jan 9th, 1905Bond of
Harry Brown

Mr Ditzler moved that the bond of Harry Brown, constable, in the sum of \$500. be approved,

Which motion prevailed

Mr Straub moved that the Board do now adjourn,

Which motion prevailed,

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The Board in session. All members present. The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved,

Official
papers

Mr Ditzler moved that the Board proceed to select, by ballot, the official papers of the county for the year 1905;

Which motion prevailed.

On the first ballot, the Gorman News, the Ogden Enterprise, and the De Larned Brothers received a majority of the votes, and were designated the official papers of the county, for the year 1905.

Mr Ditzler moved that the Board do now adjourn, to 2 o'clock, P. M.

Which motion prevailed,

2, P. M.

2 o'clock, P. M.

Lots in Ran-
som City
sold to
A. C. Holding

The Board in session. All members present. Mr Ditzler moved that the auditor be authorized and instructed to sell and transfer all the interest of the county in all lots ^{and blocks} in the village of Ransom city that have become forfeited to this county for delinquent taxes, to A. C. Holding for a sum equal in amount to the original tax assessed against said lots and blocks for all years that the taxes remain unpaid, and in addition thereof, the sheriff's fees resulting from the sale of Feb. 9th, 1898,

Which motion prevailed,

The Board commenced the semi-annual settlement with the county treasurer,

Mr Marcus moved that the Board do now adjourn,

Which motion prevailed,

Semi-an-
nual set-
tlement