

FORMAN, N. DAK. JANUARY 2ND, 1946.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MET AT THEIR OFFICE IN THE COURTHOUSE, PURSUANT TO LAW, WITH ALL MEMBERS OF THE BOARD PRESENT.

THE BOARD WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY THE COUNTY AUDITOR, R. W. SAFSTROM, AND PROCEEDED TO ORGANIZE FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

A MOTION WAS MADE, SECONDED AND CARRIED THAT THE CHAIRMAN FOR THE ENSUING YEAR BE ELECTED BY SECRET BALLOT.

THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO BALLOT WITH THE RESULT THAT OLIVER A. RONNING RECEIVED A MAJORITY OF THE VOTES, AND HE WAS OFFICIALLY DECLARED CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD FOR THE YEAR 1946.

THE MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING WERE READ AND ON MOTION APPROVED BY THE BOARD AS READ.

IT WAS MOVED, SECONDED AND CARRIED THAT THE ORDER OF BUSINESS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR AS PROVIDED BY CHAPTER 112, 1943 SESSION LAWS BE ADOPTED BY THE BOARD.

COMMISSIONER MEINHARDT MOVED THAT ELMER WALSTEAD BE APPOINTED COURTHOUSE COMMISSIONER FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

A MOTION WAS MADE BY COMMISSIONER WALSTEAD THAT EACH COMMISSIONER BE APPOINTED ROAD AND BRIDGE COMMISSIONER IN AND FOR HIS OWN DISTRICT, WITH POWER TO CALL TO HIS ASSISTANCE OTHER COMMISSIONERS TO ACT WITH HIM WHEN NECESSARY.

COMMISSIONER MEINHARDT SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

MOVED BY COMMISSIONER LOUDEN THAT THE COUNTY AUDITOR BE AUTHORIZED AND DIRECTED TO PAY BY AUDITORS WARRANTS, ALL SALARIES AND ALL CLERK HIRE AS FIXED BY THE BOARD AND APPROVED IN THE VARIOUS BUDGET REQUESTS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR, 1946, AND JANITORS SALARIES, AS SET BY THE BOARD OR BY LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENT; ALSO ALL ORDERS PRESENTED BY THE COUNTY PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD TO BE PAID OUT OF THE SOCIAL WELFARE FUND, ALSO ALL AMOUNTS DUE THE STATE PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD OF NORTH DAKOTA AND THE RURAL REHABILITATION CORPORATION OR ITS SUCCESSORS AND SARGENT COUNTY OF COLLECTIONS MADE FOR LIVESTOCK FEED ASSISTANCE LOANS.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO CONSIDER THE APPOINTMENT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF THE COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON MOVED THAT DR. F. G. HUBBARD BE APPOINTED SUPERINTENDENT OF THE COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

COMMISSIONER WALSTEAD SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

COMMISSIONER WALSTEAD MOVED THAT THE SALARY OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH BE FIXED AT \$300.00 FOR THE ENSUING YEAR, SAME BEING THE MINIMUM AMOUNT THAT THE LAW ALLOWS AND THAT THE MILEAGE BE FIXED AT 5 CENTS PER MILE NECESSARILY TRAVELED.

COMMISSIONER MEINHARDT SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

THE BOARD NEXT PROCEEDED TO CONSIDER THE APPOINTMENT OF INSANITY COMMISSIONER. COMMISSIONER DAWSON MOVED THAT W. D. LYLE, M. D., BE APPOINTED INSANITY COMMISSIONER FOR A TERM OF TWO YEARS. COMMISSIONER WALSTEAD SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

ON MOTION THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO APPROVE PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD BILLS AND TO AUDIT BILLS AND CLAIMS FILED.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M., TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., JANUARY 3RD, 1946.

FORMAN, N. DAK. JANUARY 3RD, 1946.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MET, PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, WITH ALL MEMBERS PRESENT.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD OF NORTH DAKOTA, ON MOTION DULY MADE, SECONDED AND CARRIED, THE BOARD DIRECTED THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND COUNTY AUDITOR TO EXECUTE SATISFACTIONS OF TRUST MORTGAGES OF THE FOLLOWING:

200 x 486 FT. IN NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SEC. 9-132-53 AND W $\frac{1}{2}$ OF LOTS 2-3, BLOCK 1, VILLAGE OF DELAMERE, GIVEN BY ALBERT BIRD.
LOTS 31 & 32, BLOCK 15, CITY OF MILNOR, GIVEN BY ANNA B. SMITH.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ALLOWED THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSE TO SELL BEER FOR THE PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31ST, 1946:

RAYMOND PETERSON ON LOT 5, BLOCK 2, VILLAGE OF DELAMERE.
ROMAN WALDERA ON LOTS 20-21-22, BLOCK 8, VILLAGE OF VEDA.
NETTIE VERNON ON NORTHWEST CORNER OF BLOCK 1, MRS. NETTIE RILEY'S ADDITION, VILLAGE OF GENESEO.
CHESTER TUSOW ON LOT 1, BLOCK 2, VILLAGE OF BRAMPTON.
JOHN SMYKOWSKI, ON LOTS 1-2, BLOCK 1, VILLAGE OF VEDA.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ALLOWED THE APPLICATION OF ROMAN WALDERA FOR LICENSE TO SELL HARD LIQUOR ON & OFF LOTS 20-21-22, BLOCK 8, VILLAGE OF VEDA, FOR THE PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30TH, 1946.

ON MOTION THE BOARD APPROVED THE REPORT OF SHERIFF L. R. KERLING OF DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES COLLECTED DURING THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1945, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$796.52.

ON MOTION THE BOARD APPROVED THE SALE OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED COUNTY TAX DEED LANDS WHICH WERE SOLD AT THE PUBLIC SALE HELD NOVEMBER 20TH, 1945, ACTION ON SAME HAVING BEEN DEFERRED UNTIL THIS TIME:

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 17; NE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF NW $\frac{1}{4}$ & W $\frac{1}{2}$ OF NW $\frac{1}{4}$; NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ & SW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 20; NE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 20 & SE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 21, ALL IN 129-58, SOLD TO ROGER BANDERET FOR \$1,170.00; TERMS ONE-FOURTH CASH AND BALANCE ON TIME PAYMENTS.

ON MOTION THE BOARD APPROVED THE SALE OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED COUNTY LANDS, 30 DAYS NOTICE TO FORMER OWNERS HAVING BEEN COMPLETED:

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 21-130-57, SOLD TO MATT HAYEN FOR \$500.00; TERMS ONE-FOURTH CASH AND BALANCE ON TIME PAYMENTS.

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 20 & SW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 21-130-57, SOLD TO FRANKLIN G. & LEROY E. ELLIBEE FOR \$900.00; TERMS \$500.00 CASH AND BALANCE ON TIME PAYMENTS.

W $\frac{1}{2}$ OF W $\frac{1}{2}$ OF SEC. 9-129-58, SOLD TO CLARK J. LAMPORT FOR \$320.00; TERMS ONE-FOURTH CASH AND BALANCE ON TIME PAYMENTS.

LOT 4, BLOCK 1, WILLIAMSON'S ADDITION, VILLAGE OF HAVANA, SOLD TO CLIFFORD A. ROLIE FOR \$8000.00; TERMS ONE-FOURTH CASH AND BALANCE ON TIME PAYMENTS.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ORDERED DEEDS ISSUED COVERING THE FOLLOWING DESCRIPTIONS WHICH PREVIOUSLY HAD BEEN SOLD UNDER CONTRACT FOR DEEDS AND ALL CONTRACT INSTALLMENTS HAVING BEEN PAID IN FULL:

B. F. BOGARDUS, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 34-129-58
EMIL & BLANCHE FIALA, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 10-130-56
H. H. DARLAND, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 22-129-57
ZORA ABEL, LOTS 1 TO 12, BLOCK 22, CITY OF MILNOR.

THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION WAS INTRODUCED AND ON MOTION ADOPTED BY THE BOARD:

WHEREAS SARGENT COUNTY DID ON OCTOBER 11TH, 1943, ISSUE A TAX DEED COVERING THE SW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 12-132-58 TO NELS ENGQUIST OF CRETE, N. D. AND

WHEREAS SAID GRANTEE, NELS ENGQUIST HAS NEVER RECEIVED SAID TAX DEED OR DEED AND THE SAME HAS BEEN LOST OR DESTROYED, AND

WHEREAS THE SAID GRANTEE HAS REQUESTED THAT SARGENT COUNTY ISSUE A NEW OR DUPLICATE DEED COVERING THE ABOVE MENTIONED REAL PROPERTY AND THAT HE, THE SAID NELS ENGQUIST, WILL SAVE THE COUNTY HARMLESS AND THAT HE HAS NOT SINCE THE 11TH DAY OF OCT. 1943, SOLD, MORTGAGED OR TRANSFERRED THE ABOVE DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE,

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED THAT SARGENT COUNTY NOW ISSUE A TAX DEED REPLACING THE TAX DEED SO ISSUED BY SARGENT COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA ON THE 11TH DAY OF OCT. 1943 TO NELS ENGQUIST, CONVEYING TO HIM THE SW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 12-132-58 IN SARGENT COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA.

A DELEGATION FROM HALL, KINGSTON, HERMAN AND MARBOE TOWNSHIPS MET WITH THE BOARD IN REGARD TO THE MATTER OF LOCATING A ROAD PATROL AT GENESEO.

AFTER A LENGTHY DISCUSSION, COMMISSIONER LOUDEN MOVED THAT A ROAD PATROL BE LOCATED AT GENESEO. COMMISSIONER DAWSON SECONDED THE MOTION AND ON ROLL CALL THE VOTE WAS AS FOLLOWS:
AVE, COMMISSIONERS DAWSON AND LOUDEN. NO, COMMISSIONERS MEINHARDT, RONNING AND WALSTEAD.
THE MOTION WAS LOST.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ORDERED THE SUM OF \$1,800.00 TRANSFERRED FROM THE COUNTY GENERAL FUND TO THE SOCIAL WELFARE FUND.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON MOVED THAT SARGENT COUNTY BANK AND THE BANK OF NORTH DAKOTA BE DESIGNATED PUBLIC DEPOSITORIES FOR SARGENT COUNTY FUNDS FOR THE CALENDAR YEARS OF 1946 AND 1947.

COMMISSIONER WALSTEAD SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

THE QUARTERLY REPORTS OF JUSTICES OF THE PEACE, J. E. ELLSWORTH AND J. H. HOHANS, FOR THE QUARTER ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1945 SAME HAVING BEEN APPROVED AS TO FORM BY THE STATE'S ATTORNEY, WERE ON MOTION APPROVED AND ALLOWED BY THE BOARD.

THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO AUDIT BILLS AND CLAIMS FILED.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M., TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., JANUARY 4TH, 1946.

FORMAN, N. DAK. JANUARY 4TH, 1946.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MET, PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, WITH ALL MEMBERS PRESENT.

THE FOLLOWING BILLS WERE AUDITED AND ON MOTION ALLOWED AND ORDERED PAID BY THE BOARD:

WAR. No.			
20980	CLARENCE HEGLE,	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN	\$67.63
20981	LAWRENCE BRAKKE,	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN	30.40
20982	LEON F. ALFSON,	DRIVING TRUCK	47.60
20983	PETER WALDERA,	HAULING GRAVEL, ETC.	63.70
20984	ROBERT POVLITZKI,	HAULING ROCK	14.00
20985	OTTO BITZ,	HAULING ROCK	19.60
20986	ARTHUR SPANDE,	MILEAGE & SERVICES AS PATROLMAN	130.75
20987	JOHN BRONLUND,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS PATROLMAN	92.85
20988	LEON F. ALFSON,	BALANCE DUE ON TRUCKING	65.05
20989	TIM A. FRANCIS,	AMOUNT DUE ON LEON F. ALFSON'S GARNISHMENT	48.35
20990	MILLER K. DAWSON,	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN	140.00
20991	FRED CHRISTENSEN,	TRUCKING	97.20
20992	RUTLAND FARMERS Co-Op. GRAIN Co.,	COAL	12.27
20993	OLIVER A. RONNING,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER	24.00
20994	H. C. LOUIDEN,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, DECEMBER 13 AND JANUARY MEETING	29.10
20995	I. W. MEINHARDT,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, NOVEMBER 16, DECEMBER 6 & JAN. MEETING	29.95
20996	ELMER WALSTEAD,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, DECEMBER 29 & JANUARY MEETING	26.80
20997	Geo. C. DAWSON,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, DECEMBER 17, 20 & JANUARY MEETING	39.65
20998	RAY McFARLAND,	LABOR	5.00
20999	L. R. KERLING, SHERIFF,	MILEAGE FOR DECEMBER	110.32
21000	L. R. KERLING,	MEALS FOR PRISONERS	1.99
21001	WALTER C. KING,	MILEAGE AS STATE'S ATTORNEY	15.25
21002	GARTHAT LYKEN,	MILEAGE AS SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS FOR QUARTER ENDING DECEMBER 31	74.18
21003	SNORRI M. THORFINNSON,	SALARY AND EXPENSES AS COUNTY AGENT	162.80
21004	ELIZABETH WUCHERPFFENIG,	CLERICAL SERVICES - COUNTY AGENT	111.40
21005	F. G. HUBBARD, M. D.,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS SUPT. OF BOARD OF HEALTH FOR DECEMBER	60.00
21006	J. H. HOHAUS,	SERVICES AND EXPENSES AS CO. VETERAN'S OFFICER FOR DECEMBER. Less W. Tax 9.10	136.40
21007	J. H. HOHAUS,	FEES IN JUSTICE OF PEACE REPORT	7.80
21008	J. C. ELLSWORTH,	FEES IN JUSTICE OF PEACE REPORT	4.75
21009	ROSA B. HEINE,	EXPENSES AS JUVENILE COMMISSIONER, NOV. AND DEC.	91.42
21010	VINCENT BALD,	TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS STATE VS. JOSEPHINE WILSON	9.00
21011	MARION J. LESLIE & HELEN G. LYKEN,	OFFICE RENT FOR RATIONING BOARD	20.00
21012	NORTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE Co.,	LOCAL AND TOLL SERVICE FOR COUNTY	48.70
21013	TOWN OF FORMAN,	WATER FOR COURTHOUSE	4.55
21014	TOWN OF FORMAN,	WATER FOR FAIR GROUNDS FOR 1 YEAR	22.37
21015	SARGENT COUNTY NEWS,	PUBLISHING COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS AND OTHER PRINTING	56.35
21016	THE GLOBE-GAZETTE PRINTING Co.,	SUPPLIES	83.14
21017	THE GLOBE-GAZETTE PRINTING Co.,	ASSESSMENT SUPPLIES FOR 1946	291.70
21018	KNIGHT PRINTING COMPANY,	SUPPLIES	65.66
21019	BOND SERVICE STATION,	SUPPLIES	2.20
21020	HORVICK ELECTRIC MOTOR Co.,	REPAIR AND LABOR	17.35
21021	SHERWOOD LUMBER & FUEL Co.,	REPAIRS	19.90
21022	COSTELLO MANUFACTURING Co.,	JANITOR SUPPLIES	24.58
21023	IMPERIAL CHEMICAL Co.,	JANITOR SUPPLIES	18.24
21024	C. A. WALLOCH COMPANY,	SUPPLIES	35.93
21025	THOMPSON YARDS INC.,	COAL	208.78
21026	SARGENT COUNTY BANK,	PAYMENT ON GRADER	269.17
21027	BRAMPTON BLACKSMITH SHOP,	REPAIRS	7.75
21028	BRAMPTON SERVICE,	GAS, OIL AND SUPPLIES	58.03
21029	HOFLEN GARAGE,	SUPPLIES	21.80
21030	KIEFER BROS.,	GAS AND SUPPLIES	44.85
21031	G. T. SELTVEIT,	GAS AND SUPPLIES	29.29
21032	FARMERS UNION OIL Co., RUTLAND,	GAS AND SUPPLIES	5.77
21033	STANDARD OIL COMPANY,	GAS AND SUPPLIES	9.60
21034	DAKOTA TRACTOR & EQUIPMENT Co.,	REPAIRS	73.77
21035	NORTHWESTERN SHEET & IRON WORKS,	BELTS AND REPAIRS	12.80
21036	FARMERS CO-OPERATIVE GRAIN Co., HAVANA,	WELDING	1.00
21037	HAROLD SCHAEFERS,	WELDING, ETC.,	13.85
21038	A. WELLMAN,	HAULING GRAVEL	58.38
21039	M. BJORK,	HAULING GRAVEL	101.89
21040	W. LEWIS,	HAULING GRAVEL	91.14
21041	ANTON STILSETH,	HAULING GRAVEL	69.94
21042	DALE TUSOW,	CHECKING GRAVEL	17.00
21043	MRS. JOSIE JOHNSON & ANNA KREISER,	GRAVEL MATERIAL	32.44
21044	JOHN SUKUT,	CUTTING WEEDS	15.00
21045	ROBERT WILSON,	LABOR AND MILEAGE	73.75
21046	TOLLEF HAALAND,	MAN AND TRACTOR, ETC.	8.95
21047	RAY KOTCHIAN,	HAULING ROCKS	30.45
21048	PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD OF NORTH DAKOTA,	AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN	503.50
21049	PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD OF NORTH DAKOTA,	AID TO AGED PERSONS	559.83
	COUNTY PAY ROLL, SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICIALS ETC., PAID BY AUDITORS WARRANTS FOR DECEMBER		2,321.84

THE BOARD CONCLUDED APPROVING PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD BILLS. THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS HAD BEEN ORDERED PAID BY THE PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD FOR THE PURPOSES STATED FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER:

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE	\$527.64
SUBSISTENCE	266.12
CASH AID	343.00
MEDICAL AID	188.50
TOTAL PAYMENTS	\$1,325.26

THE ABOVE PAYMENTS FOR WHICH SOCIAL WELFARE WARRANTS NOS. 9714 TO 9748 INCLUSIVE HAD BEEN ISSUED, WERE ON MOTION APPROVED BY THE BOARD.

COLLECTIONS FOR THE VARIOUS COUNTY FUNDS FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER:

GENERAL	\$2,135.46
ROAD AND BRIDGE	1,496.15
POOR	579.23

THE BOARD REVIEWED ITS CANCELLATION OF UNCOLLECTIBLE DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES WHICH CANCELLATION HAD BEEN MADE WHERE THE TAX WAS FOUND UNCOLLECTIBLE THROUGH DEATH, REMOVAL FROM THE COUNTY OR FOR THE REASON THAT THE PROPERTY HAD BEEN LOST BY LEGAL PROCESS OR ACQUIRED BY THE GOVERNMENT, SAID CANCELLATION BEING IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 2169, 1931 SESSION LAWS.

ON MOTION DULY MADE, SECONDED AND CARRIED, THE BOARD ORDERED THE FOLLOWING ORIGINAL AMOUNTS OF DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES CANCELLED IN THE VARIOUS TAXING DISTRICTS OF THE COUNTY:

TAXING DISTRICT	AMOUNT OF TAXES CANCELLED:
BOWEN TOWNSHIP	\$13.74
BRAHNTON "	14.70
DENVER "	46.05
DUNBAR "	51.48
FORMAN "	16.52
HALL "	2.76
HARLEM "	96.65
HERMAN "	23.45
JACKSON "	9.42
KINGSTON "	4.84
MILNOR "	1.00
RUTLAND "	84.74
SARGENT "	48.25
SHUMAN "	9.95
TAYLOR "	127.35
TEWAUKON "	86.35
VERNER "	92.07
VIVAIN "	29.02
WEBER "	107.86
WHITE STONE HILL TOWNSHIP	27.24
WILLEY TOWNSHIP	7.07
CITY OF MILNOR	150.59
TOWN OF FORMAN	206.15
VILLAGE OF COGSWELL	21.94
RUTLAND VILLAGE	37.06
TOTAL AMOUNT OF TAXES CANCELLED	<u>\$1,316.25</u>

A PETITION SIGNED BY RESIDENTS OF TEWAUKON TOWNSHIP WAS RECEIVED BY THE BOARD. THE PETITION REQUESTED THAT A BRIDGE BETWEEN SECTIONS 5 AND 8 IN TEWAUKON TOWNSHIP BE CONSTRUCTED AND MAINTAINED BY THE COUNTY.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M., TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., FEBRUARY 5TH, 1946.

Oliver A. Rowing
CHAIRMAN.

ATTEST:
R. W. Siefert
AUDITOR.

FORMAN, N. DAK. FEBRUARY 5TH, 1946.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MET AT THEIR OFFICE IN THE COURTHOUSE, PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, WITH ALL MEMBERS OF THE BOARD PRESENT.

THE MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING WERE READ AND ON MOTION APPROVED BY THE BOARD AS READ.

ON MOTION THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO APPROVE PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD BILLS.

ON MOTION THE BOARD APPROVED THE REPORT OF SHERIFF L. R. KERLING OF DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES COLLECTED DURING THE MONTH OF JANUARY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$504.82.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ORDERED THE SUM OF \$1,000.00 TRANSFERRED FROM THE COUNTY POOR FUND TO THE SOCIAL WELFARE FUND.

ON MOTION THE BOARD APPROVED THE SALE OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED COUNTY OWNED LANDS:

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 14-130-57, SOLD TO JOHN D. KNUTSON FOR \$1,600.00; TERMS ONE-FOURTH CASH AND BALANCE ON TIME PAYMENTS.

W $\frac{1}{2}$ OF NW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 28-129-57, SOLD TO ARDELL COOPER FOR \$80.00; TERMS CASH.

NE $\frac{1}{4}$ AND W $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 19-129-58, SOLD TO V. W. FARRAR FOR \$480.00; TERMS ONE-FOURTH CASH AND BALANCE ON TIME PAYMENTS.

ON MOTION THE BOARD APPROVED THE REPURCHASES BY FORMER OWNER OR MEMBERS OF HIS IMMEDIATE FAMILY OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS; THE CONSIDERATION IN EACH CASE BEING PAYMENT OF ALL OUTSTANDING TAXES:

MRS. JEANETTE D. KISSINGER: NW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF NW $\frac{1}{4}$ & SE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF NW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 29-129-58.

CHARLES L. ALEXANDER: SW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 19-132-57.

MATHILDA SMITH: LOTS 9 TO 12, BLOCK 8, VILLAGE OF HAVANA.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ORDERED DEED ISSUED TO CLARK J. & J. G. LAMPORT COVERING THE W $\frac{1}{2}$ OF W $\frac{1}{2}$ OF SEC. 9-129-58 SAME HAVING PREVIOUSLY BEEN SOLD UNDER CONTRACT FOR INSTALLMENTS PAID IN FULL.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., FEBRUARY 11TH, 1946.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MET, PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, WITH COMMISSIONERS DAWSON AND WALSTEAD ABSENT.

ON MOTION THE BOARD APPROVED THE APPLICATION OF PETER C. SKROCH AND JOHN J. WOLFF, FOR LICENSE TO SELL BEER ON LOT 6, SEC. 32-130-53, L. T. L., FOR THE PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1946.

ON MOTION THE BOARD APPROVED THE SALE OF LOT 14, BLOCK 6, VILLAGE OF GWINNER, TO CLIFTON AND KATHRINE WELER FOR \$5.00. TERMS CASH.

THE FOLLOWING BILLS WERE AUDITED AND ON MOTION ALLOWED AND ORDERED PAID BY THE BOARD:

WAR. No.			
21050	CLARENCE HEGLE,	SERVICES, MILEAGE AND EXPENSES AS PATROLMAN	\$65.85
21051	MILLER K. DAWSON,	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN	133.00
21052	ARTHUR SPANDE,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS PATROLMAN LESS W. TAX \$3.00	118.20
21053	HENRY NELSON,	SUPPLIES AND LABOR	33.87
21054	ART L. HOLMSTROM,	LABOR AND SUPPLIES	6.25
21055	GEO. C. DAWSON,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE ATTENDING TO COUNTY LAND LEASING	112.65
21056	JOHN GRONLIND,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS PATROLMAN	87.05
21057	FRANK ANTCZAK,	HAULING ROCKS LESS W. TAX \$7.50	84.20
21058	OTTO BITZ,	HAULING ROCKS	77.70
21059	RAY KOTCHIAN,	HAULING ROCKS	48.30
21060	HENRY NIEBER,	HAULING ROCKS	34.90
21061	L. R. KERLING, SHERIFF,	HAULING ROCKS, APPLIED ON HENRY NIEBER'S TAXES	12.00
21062	ROBERT POVLITZKI,	HAULING ROCKS LESS W. TAX \$5.40	72.30
21063	ANTON THOMAS,	HAULING ROCKS	69.00
21064	L. R. KERLING, SHERIFF,	HAULING ROCKS, APPLIED ON ANTON THOMAS'S TAXES	15.00
21065	PETER WALDERA,	HAULING ROCKS	105.70
21066	ORVAL KNOKE,	GAS AND SUPPLIES	87.69
21067	STANLEY J. BENGTSON,	WELDING AND LABOR	29.40
21068	W. W. KASTNER, TREASURER, CASH ADVANCED FOR POSTAGE, EXPRESS, FREIGHT, LIGHT, POWER, ETC.		397.68
21069	L. R. KERLING, SHERIFF,	MILEAGE FOR JANUARY	20.48
21070	WALTER C. KING,	MILEAGE AS STATE'S ATTORNEY FOR JANUARY	15.00
21071	C. F. COLE, CLERK OF COURT,	SERVICES RENDERED AS LOCAL REGISTRAR OF VITAL STATISTICS	18.75
21072	J. H. HOHAUS, VETERAN'S SERVICE OFFICER, SERVICES AND EXPENSES FOR JANUARY LESS W. TAX \$9.80		148.50
21073	SNORRI M. THORFINNSEN,	EXPENSES AS COUNTY AGENT	26.94
21074	ELIZABETH WUCHERPFENNIG,	STENOGRAPHIC WORK LESS W. TAX \$13.60	111.40
21075	F. G. HUBBARD, M. D., SALARY AS SUPT. OF BOARD OF HEALTH AND EXPENSES FOR 1945 AND JANUARY		352.00
21076	ROSA B. HEINE,	EXPENSES AS JUVENILE COMMISSIONER	3.10
21077	WM. GARLEN,	GUARDING PRISONERS	9.00
21078	DICK KLINKHAMMER,	SHOVELING COAL	25.05
21079	FRANK MAPES,	CASH ADVANCED FOR ELECTRICITY FOR RATIONING BOARD	15.00
21080	SARGENT COUNTY NEWS,	PUBLISHING COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS AND OTHER PRINTING	46.60
21081	KNIGHT PRINTING CO.,	SUPPLIES FOR CLERK OF COURT	27.34
21082	KEYS PRINTING CO.,	SUPPLIES	15.81
21083	GAFFANEY'S OFFICE SPECIALTIES CO.,	SUPPLIES	11.06
21084	FIDLAR & CHAMBERS CO.,	SUPPLIES	8.41
21085	NORTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO.,	LOCAL AND TOLL SERVICE	38.25
21086	DVSTE AND DVSTE,	SUPPLIES	4.24
21087	GAMBLE STORE,	SUPPLIES	1.54
21088	C. A. WALLOCH CO.,	SUPPLIES	22.91
21089	COSTELLO MANUFACTURING CO.,	SUPPLIES	1.40
21090	THE HILLYARD COMPANY,	SUPPLIES	1.05
21091	FORMAN IMPLEMENT,	SUPPLIES	5.75
21092	THOMPSON YARDS INC.,	COAL	229.63
21093	FARMERS CO-OP. ELEVATOR CO.,	COAL	210.97
21094	ANDERSON GRAIN & FUEL CO.,	COAL	25.79
21095	BRAMPTON FARMERS ELEVATOR CO.,	COAL	41.41
21096	KIEFER BROS.,	GAS AND SUPPLIES	308.35
21097	KUGLER & SWANSON,	REPAIRS	25.17
21098	STANDARD OIL COMPANY,	SUPPLIES	173.61
21099	DAKOTA TRACTOR & EQUIPMENT CO.,	REPAIRS	27.30
21100	NORTHWESTERN SHEET & IRON WORKS,	GIANT SNOW PLOW AND REPAIRS	1,163.48
21101	ANTON STOCKSTAD,	TRUCK FLARE	3.53
21102	ALBERT WELLMAN,	HAULING GRAVEL	147.70
21103	SARGENT COUNTY BANK,	PAYMENT ON PATROL	268.35
21104	PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD OF NORTH DAKOTA, AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN FOR NOVEMBER		515.00
21105	PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD OF NORTH DAKOTA, AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN FOR DECEMBER		515.75
21106	PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD OF NORTH DAKOTA, AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN FOR JANUARY		584.50
21107	PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD OF NORTH DAKOTA, AID TO AGED PERSONS FOR DECEMBER		639.53
21108	PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD OF NORTH DAKOTA, AID TO AGED PERSONS FOR JANUARY		676.80
	COUNTY PAY ROLL, SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICIALS, ETC., PAID BY AUDITORS WARRANTS FOR JANUARY		2,476.78

THE BOARD CONCLUDED APPROVING PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD BILLS. THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS HAD BEEN ORDERED PAID BY THE PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, FOR THE PURPOSES STATED:

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE	\$478.38
SUBSISTENCE	215.08
CASH AID	343.00
MEDICAL AID	236.50
MISCELLANEOUS PAYMENTS	10.00
TOTAL PAYMENTS	\$1,282.96

THE ABOVE PAYMENTS FOR WHICH SOCIAL WELFARE WARRANTS NOS. 9749 TO 9778 INCLUSIVE HAD BEEN ISSUED, WERE ON MOTION APPROVED BY THE BOARD.

COLLECTIONS FOR THE VARIOUS COUNTY FUNDS FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER:

GENERAL	\$2,131.23
ROAD AND BRIDGE	1,145.13
POOR	340.89

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M. TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., FEBRUARY 27, 1946.

ATTEST

[Signature]
AUDITOR.

CHAIRMAN.

FORMAN, N. DAK. FEBRUARY 27TH, 1946.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MET AT THEIR OFFICE IN THE COURTHOUSE, PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, WITH COMMISSIONERS DAWSON, LOUDEN AND MEINHARDT PRESENT.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON MOVED THAT H. C. LOUDEN ACT AS CHAIRMAN, PRO TEM IN THE ABSENCE OF THE REGULAR CHAIRMAN, MR. RONNING.

COMMISSIONER MEINHARDT SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

THE MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING WERE READ AND ON MOTION APPROVED BY THE BOARD AS READ.

A PETITION WAS PRESENTED TO THE BOARD PRAYING THAT THE QUESTION OF INCORPORATING THE VILLAGE OF GWINNER BE SUBMITTED TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS RESIDING THEREIN.

BEFORE HEARING THE PETITION, THE BOARD PROCEEDED, WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF STATE'S ATTORNEY KING, TO ASCERTAIN IF ALL OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF CHAPTER 40, 1943 REVISED CODE HAD BEEN COMPLIED WITH.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON INTRODUCED THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION AND MOVED ITS ADOPTION:

NOW WHEREAS A PETITION HAS BEEN FILED WITH THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AND THE COUNTY AUDITOR OF SARGENT COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA ON THIS 27TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1946 ASKING AND REQUESTING THE INCORPORATION OF AN UNORGANIZED TERRITORY INTO A MUNICIPALITY, TO-WIT: A VILLAGE TO BE KNOWN AS THE VILLAGE OF GWINNER, AND

WHEREAS SAID PETITION IS SIGNED BY NOT LESS THAN ONE THIRD OF THE ELECTORS RESIDING WITHIN THE TERRITORY DESCRIBED IN SUCH PETITION. SAID PETITION SHOWS THE FOLLOWING:

1. THE BOUNDARIES OF THE PROPOSED MUNICIPALITY ARE AS FOLLOWS:

THE SURVEY WAS COMMENCED AT THE ONE QUARTER CORNER BETWEEN SECTIONS 23 AND 26, TOWNSHIP 132, RANGE 56, PROCEEDING WEST 1320 FEET THENCE NORTH AT A 90 DEGREE ANGLE 1320 FEET, THENCE EAST AT A 90 DEGREE ANGLE 2640 FEET, THENCE SOUTH AT A 90 DEGREE ANGLE 2640 FEET, THENCE WEST AT A 90 DEGREE ANGLE 1320 FEET, THENCE NORTH AT A 90 DEGREE ANGLE 1320 FEET TO POINT OF BEGINNING, THUS ENCLOSING THE SOUTH EAST ONE QUARTER OF THE SOUTH WEST ONE QUARTER AND THE SOUTH WEST ONE QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST ONE QUARTER OF SECTION 23 AND THE NORTHWEST ONE QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST ONE QUARTER OF SECTION 26, ALL BEING IN TOWNSHIP 132, RANGE 56, WEST OF THE 5TH P. M., SAID AREA CONTAINING 120 ACRES, MORE OR LESS DEPENDENT UPON THE ORIGINAL SURVEY THEREOF.

2. THE NUMBER OF INHABITANTS RESIDING WITHIN SUCH BOUNDARIES IS 191 PERSONS.

3. THE NAME OF THE PROPOSED MUNICIPALITY SHALL BE KNOWN AS "GWINNER" AND THE NAME OF SUCH MUNICIPALITY IS DIFFERENT FROM THAT OF EVERY OR ANY OTHER MUNICIPALITY IN THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA;

4. THAT THE PETITIONERS HAVE REQUESTED THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SARGENT COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA, THAT SUCH INCORPORATED TERRITORY AS DESCRIBED BE INCORPORATED INTO A MUNICIPALITY, TO WIT: A VILLAGE AND THAT THIS BE SUBMITTED TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS RESIDING WITHIN SUCH TERRITORY.

NOW THEREFORE, THE PETITION HAVING BEEN DULY FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY AUDITOR OF SARGENT COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA, ACCOMPANIED BY A VERIFIED COPY OF THE CENSUS OF THE PROPOSED TERRITORY DESIRED TO BE INCORPORATED AND WHEREAS A SURVEY, MAP AND CENSUS DULY VERIFIED, HAVE BEEN LEFT FOR A PERIOD OF NOT LESS THAN 30 DAYS AT THE UNITED STATES POST OFFICE AT GWINNER, NORTH DAKOTA, WHICH IS WITHIN SAID TERRITORY DESCRIBED IN THE PETITION FOR EXAMINATION BY THOSE HAVING AN INTEREST IN THE APPLICATION FOR INCORPORATION.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT IT IS ORDERED THAT SAID PETITION IS APPROVED AND THAT NOTICE OF ELECTION TO DETERMINE WHETHER OR NOT THE PROPOSED MUNICIPALITY SHALL BE ORGANIZED AS A VILLAGE FROM UNINCORPORATED TERRITORY SHALL BE GIVEN BY POSTING FIVE NOTICES OF SAID ELECTION IN FIVE CONSPICUOUS AND PUBLIC PLACES WITHIN THE TERRITORY TO BE AFFECTED, SUCH NOTICE OF ELECTION TO BE MADE AT LEAST TEN DAYS PRIOR TO THE DATE SET FOR SUCH ELECTION, AND

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT SAID ELECTION SHALL BE HELD IN THE FIRE HALL IN THE VILLAGE OF GWINNER, N. DAK. ON MARCH 11TH, 1946, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., AND 7 O'CLOCK, P. M., OF SAID DATE, AND THAT C. F. BERGEMANN AND WM. JENTZ BE APPOINTED JUDGES TO SERVE AT SAID ELECTION, ACCORDING TO LAW.

COMMISSIONER MEINHARDT SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED. ALL VOTING AYE.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., MARCH 5TH, 1946.

Oliver A. Ronning
CHAIRMAN PRO TEM.

ATTEST

H. H. Safferman
AUDITOR.

FORMAN, N. DAK. MARCH 5TH, 1946.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MET AT THEIR OFFICE IN THE COURTHOUSE, PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, WITH ALL MEMBERS PRESENT.

THE MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING WERE READ AND ON MOTION APPROVED AS READ.

THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO APPROVE PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD BILLS.

RUSSELL JACOBSON, M. HUTCHINSON, PHIL AUGDAHL & RALPH OLSON REPRESENTING THE CITY OF MILNOR AND THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MILNOR, HALL AND WILLEY TOWNSHIPS MET WITH THE BOARD IN REGARD TO LOCATING A ROAD PATROL AT MILNOR.

PETITIONS, SIGNED BY CITIZENS OF MILNOR AND STIRUM AND VICINITY, DEMANDING THAT THE BOARD PROVIDE ENOUGH HELP TO OPERATE SNOW PLOWS 24 HOURS PER DAY UNTIL ALL ROADS IN THE COUNTY ARE OPEN, AND THAT PLOW OPERATORS BE GIVEN AUTHORITY TO TAKE CARE OF EMERGENCIES, WERE FILED WITH THE BOARD.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ORDERED THE SUM OF \$1,000.00 TRANSFERRED FROM THE POOR FUND TO THE SOCIAL WELFARE FUND.

ON MOTION THE BOARD APPROVED THE SALE OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED COUNTY OWNED LANDS:
N $\frac{1}{2}$ OF NE $\frac{1}{4}$ & NE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SE $\frac{1}{4}$ & NE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF NW $\frac{1}{4}$ & SW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF NW $\frac{1}{4}$ & N $\frac{1}{2}$ OF SW $\frac{1}{4}$ & NW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 29-129-58, SOLD TO HEY GERDES FOR \$360.00; TERMS CASH, OR ONE-FOURTH CASH AND BALANCE ON TIME PAYMENTS.
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 6-129-57, SOLD TO WOODROW W. DAWSON FOR \$500.00; TERMS ONE-FOURTH CASH AND BALANCE ON TIME PAYMENTS.
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ & SW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 15-129-58, SOLD TO CLARK J. & J. G. LAMPORT FOR \$660.00; TERMS CASH.
E $\frac{1}{2}$ OF NW $\frac{1}{4}$ & W $\frac{1}{2}$ OF NE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 35-129-58, SOLD TO RAY S. JARRETT FOR \$320.00; TERMS CASH.

ON MOTION THE BOARD APPROVED THE REPURCHASE BY KEITH STALTER, ADMINISTRATOR OF THE KOTCHIAN ESTATE, OF LOTS 1 & 2, BLOCK 1, DADA'S THIRD ADDITION, VILLAGE OF CAYUGA, CONSIDERATION BEING PAYMENT OF ALL OUTSTANDING TAXES.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ORDERED DEED ISSUED TO V. W. FARRAR, COVERING N $\frac{1}{2}$ & SW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 19-129-58, SAME HAVING BEEN PREVIOUSLY SOLD UNDER CONTRACT FOR DEED AND ALL CONTRACT INSTALLMENTS PAID UP IN FULL.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M., TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., MARCH 6TH, 1946.

FORMAN, N. DAK. MARCH 6TH, 1946.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MET, PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, WITH ALL PRESENT EXCEPT COMMISSIONER RONNING.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON MOVED THAT EACH COMMISSIONER BE AUTHORIZED TO SIGN WAVERS FOR FEED AND SEED LOANS COVERING COUNTY OWNED LANDS, IN HIS OWN DISTRICT.
COMMISSIONER WALSTEAD SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON MOVED THAT THE COUNTY PAY \$10.00 PER MONTH FOR MARCH AND APRIL AND \$30.00 EACH FOR MAY AND JUNE, NOT TO EXCEED \$80.00 IN THE AGGREGATE, FOR CLERK HIRE FOR THE FEED AND SEED LOAN OFFICE AT LISBON, WHICH HAS SUPERVISION OVER SARGENT COUNTY.
COMMISSIONER WALSTEAD SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

IT HAD COME TO THE ATTENTION OF THE BOARD THAT BUILDINGS AND STRUCTURES ON SMALL TRACTS ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF TOWNS HAVE NOT, IN SOME CASES, BEEN ASSESSED, AND UPON MOTION, DULY MADE, SECONDED AND CARRIED, IT WAS ORDERED THAT THE ASSESSORS, AT THEIR ANNUAL MEETING BE DIRECTED TO COMPLY WITH THE LAW IN THIS RESPECT AS THE EXEMPTION OF FARM BUILDINGS APPLIES ONLY TO BUILDINGS LOCATED ON AN ACTUAL BONA FIDE FARM.

THE BOARD CONTINUED TO APPROVE PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD BILLS AND AUDIT BILLS AND CLAIMS FILED.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M., TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., MARCH 7TH, 1946.

FORMAN, N. DAK. MARCH 7TH, 1946.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MET, PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, WITH ALL MEMBERS PRESENT EXCEPT COMMISSIONER LOUDEN.

ON MOTION THE COUNTY AUDITOR WAS INSTRUCTED TO PUBLISH NOTICE IN THE OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER CALLING FOR SEALED BIDS FOR THE FURNISHING OF THE FOLLOWING COUNTY SUPPLIES FOR THE ENSUING YEAR:

RECORDS, TAX LISTS, ASSESSMENT, OFFICE AND OTHER COUNTY SUPPLIES; BIDS TO BE OPENED AT 1 O'CLOCK, P. M., APRIL 4TH, 1946.

CULVERTS; BIDS TO BE OPENED 10 O'CLOCK, A. M., APRIL 4, 1946.

CUTTING EDGES; BIDS TO BE OPENED 11 O'CLOCK, A. M., APRIL 4, 1946.

OIL, GREASE AND FUEL SUPPLIES, BIDS TO BE OPENED AT 2 O'CLOCK, P. M., APRIL 4, 1946.

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION, BIDS TO BE OPENED AT 3 O'CLOCK, P. M., APRIL 4, 1946.

ON MOTION THE BOARD APPROVED THE REPORT OF SHERIFF L. R. KERLING OF DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES COLLECTED DURING THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$745.82.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ALLOWED THE APPLICATION OF NELLIE SLEGGERS FOR THE ABATEMENT OF \$1.00 SCHOOL POLL TAX IN CITY OF MILNOR, FOR THE YEAR 1945, FOR THE REASON THAT APPLICANT HAS PAID SAID TAX IN RANSOM COUNTY.

THE FOLLOWING BILLS WERE AUDITED AND ON MOTION ALLOWED AND ORDERED PAID BY THE BOARD:

WAR. No.
21109 JOHN GRONLUND, SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS PATROLMAN LESS W. TAX \$4.00 \$179.65

WAR. No.				
21110	LAWRENCE BRAKKE,	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN		\$127.40
21111	ARTHUR SPANDE,	MILEAGE AND EXPENSES AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX \$10.50	146.08
21112	CLARENCE HEGLE,	SERVICES AND EXPENSES AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX \$6.70	175.52
21113	MILLER K. DAWSON,	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN		187.60
21114	ROBERT WILSON,	LABOR AND MILEAGE		176.55
21115	I. W. MEINHARDT,	BLACKSMITH WORK		7.35
21116	HARRY BENSON,	SERVICES RENDERED		3.00
21117	SAFSTROM & MAURER,	SUPPLIES		18.10
21118	RUSSELL WALLACE,	SNOW REMOVAL		39.90
21119	ELMER WALSTEAD,	SUPERVISING LEASING OF COUNTY LANDS		33.50
21120	ELMER WALSTEAD,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, JAN. 21 TO MARCH 7		32.80
21121	I. W. MEINHARDT,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, FEB. 5 TO MARCH 7		42.00
21122	OLIVER A. RONNING,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, FEB. 5 TO MARCH 7		46.90
21123	GEO. C. DAWSON,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, FEB. 11 TO MARCH 7	LESS W. TAX \$1.60	112.90
21124	W. W. KASTNER, TREASURER,	CASH ADVANCED FOR POSTAGE, DRAYAGE AND EXCHANGE		82.09
21125	L. R. KERLING, SHERIFF,	MILEAGE		5.60
21126	L. R. KERLING,	MEALS FOR PRISONER		1.66
21127	J. H. HOHAUS, SERVICES AND EXPENSES	AS VETERAN'S SERVICE OFFICER	LESS W. TAX \$5.70	121.80
21128	SNORRI M. THORFINNSON,	SALARY AND EXPENSES AS COUNTY AGENT		147.89
21129	ELIZABETH WUCHERPENNIG,	CLERICAL SERVICES - COUNTY AGENT	LESS W. TAX \$13.60	111.40
21130	WM. D. LYLE, M. D.,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE IN AVLESWORTH INSANITY CASE		14.70
21131	WM. CARLEN,	GUARDING PRISONERS		7.50
21132	CLARK J. LAMPORT,	REFUND OF RENT		45.00
21133	E. J. TAYLOR, SUPREME COURT REPORTER,	3 COPIES OF VOLUME 73, N. D. REPORTS		10.50
21134	ALBERT L. OSBORN,	LAW BOOKS		6.00
21135	SARGENT COUNTY NEWS,	PUBLISHING COMMISSIONER'S PROCEEDINGS AND OTHER PRINTING		39.45
21136	THE GLOBE-GAZETTE PRINTING CO.,	SUPPLIES		8.22
21137	KNIGHT PRINTING COMPANY,	SUPPLIES		7.10
21138	BOND EQUIPMENT CO.,	POST CAR DUPLICATOR		6.50
21139	WEST PUBLISHING CO.,	N. W. REPORTER		104.00
21140	NORTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO.,	LOCAL AND TOLL SERVICE		30.60
21141	NORTH DAKOTA RECLAMATION ASSOCIATION,	AID TO RECLAMATION IN NORTH DAKOTA		50.00
21142	NORTH DAKOTA WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION	BUREAU, PREMIUM ON INSURANCE		538.47
21143	C. A. WALLOCH COMPANY,	SUPPLIES		29.40
21144	THE HILLYARD COMPANY,	JANITOR SUPPLIES		184.15
21145	IMPERIAL CHEMICAL COMPANY,	JANITOR SUPPLIES		232.65
21146	INTERNATIONAL CHEMICAL COMPANY,	JANITOR SUPPLIES		60.00
21147	FARMERS Co-Op. ELEVATOR Co.,	COAL		33.17
21148	THOMPSON YARDS INC.,	COAL		6.19
21149	TOWN OF FORMAN,	WATER		13.78
21150	TOWN OF FORMAN,	SIDEWALK FOR COUNTY PROPERTY		50.00
21151	SARGENT COUNTY BANK,	PAYMENT ON GRADER		267.42
21152	R & G AUTO SUPPLY Co.,	SUPPLIES		3.70
21153	FARMERS UNION OIL Co.,	SUPPLIES FOR PATROLS		316.89
21154	GREENE IMPLEMENT Co.,	SUPPLIES		3.39
21155	DAKOTA TRACTOR & EQUIPMENT Co.,	REPAIRS		66.13
21156	NORTHWESTERN SHEET & IRON WORKS,	PARTS AND REPAIRS		65.41
21157	STANLEY BENGTSON,	WELDING		30.50
21158	EMIL TEDIN,	REPAIR WORK		10.00
21159	HARRY DENTON,	BLACKSMITH WORK		4.50
21160	JAMES SCHANIL,	WELDING		3.00
21161	RAYMOND R. ANDERSON,	MOVING SNOW		14.00
21162	JOHN DAWSON,	SNOW REMOVAL		4.80
	COUNTY PAYROLL, SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICIALS ETC., PAID BY AUDITORS WARRANTS FOR FEBRUARY			2,387.51

THE BOARD CONCLUDED APPROVING PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD BILLS. THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS HAD BEEN ORDERED PAID BY THE PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY FOR THE PURPOSES STATED:

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE	\$34.55
SUBSISTENCE	281.00
CASH AID	361.00
MEDICAL AID	218.40
MISCELLANEOUS PAYMENTS	21.59
TOTAL PAYMENTS	\$916.54

THE ABOVE PAYMENTS FOR WHICH SOCIAL WELFARE WARRANTS NOS. 9779 TO 9806 INCLUSIVE, HAD BEEN ISSUED WERE ON MOTION APPROVED BY THE BOARD.

COLLECTIONS FOR THE VARIOUS COUNTY FUNDS FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY:

GENERAL	\$14,659.55
ROAD AND BRIDGE	15,226.88
POOR	9,673.38
GAS TAX	2,875.14
MOTOR VEHICLE	172.86

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M., TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M. MARCH 12TH, 1946.

Oliver A. Ronning
CHAIRMAN.

ATTEST

J. W. Hagerman
AUDITOR.

FORMAN, N. DAK. MARCH 12TH, 1946.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MET AT THEIR OFFICE IN THE COURTHOUSE, PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, WITH ALL MEMBERS PRESENT.

THE MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING WERE READ AND ON MOTION APPROVED BY THE BOARD AS READ.

ON MOTION THE BOARD APPROVED THE REPURCHASE BY G. N. & BESSIE BERGH, FORMER OWNERS, OF THE NW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 21-130-56, CONSIDERATION BEING PAYMENT OF ALL OUTSTANDING TAXES, AND DEED WAS ISSUED TO THE REPURCHASERS.

THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION WAS INTRODUCED BY COMMISSIONER WALSTEAD, SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER MEINHARDT AND CARRIED, ALL VOTING AYE:

WHEREAS AT A LEGAL MEETING THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SARGENT COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA, HELD ON THE 27TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1946, AN ORDER WAS MADE CALLING A MEETING OF THE LEGAL VOTERS OF THE PROPOSED VILLAGE OF GWINNER AT THE FIRE HALL IN SAID PROPOSED VILLAGE, ON THE 11TH DAY OF MARCH, 1946, TO VOTE FOR OR AGAINST THE INCORPORATION OF SAID VILLAGE, AND

WHEREAS IT APPEARS FROM THE RETURNS OF WILLIAM JENTZ AND C. F. BERGEMANN, JUDGES, AND OSCAR BENSON AND OSCAR CARLBLOM, INSPECTORS AND CARL A. NELSON, CLERK OF SAID MEETING AND ELECTION, THAT SAID MEETING WAS HELD AT THE PLACE AND AT THE TIME APPOINTED; THAT THE PROPER NOTICE WAS GIVEN AND THAT IN ALL RESPECTS SAID MEETING AND ELECTION WAS CONDUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW. THAT THE WHOLE NUMBER OF PERSONS VOTING AT SUCH ELECTION WAS 80 AND THAT THE WHOLE NUMBER VOTING FOR INCORPORATION WAS 72 AND THERE WERE 8 VOTES CAST AGAINST INCORPORATION WHICH SAID REPORT AND POLL LIST WAS VERIFIED BY THE AFFIDAVIT OF SAID JUDGES, INSPECTORS AND CLERK AND THE BOARD BEING SATISFIED AS TO THE LEGALITY OF SAID ELECTION.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED TERRITORY TO-WIT:

COMMENCING AT THE ONE-QUARTER CORNER BETWEEN SECTIONS 23 AND 26 PROCEEDING WEST 1320 FEET, THENCE NORTH AT A 90 DEGREE ANGLE 1320 FEET, THENCE EAST AT A 90 DEGREE ANGLE 2640 FEET, THENCE SOUTH AT A 90 DEGREE ANGLE 2640 FEET, THENCE WEST AT A 90 DEGREE ANGLE 1320 FEET, THENCE NORTH AT A 90 DEGREE ANGLE 1320 FEET TO POINT OF BEGINNING, THUS ENCLOSING THE S $\frac{1}{4}$ OF THE SW $\frac{1}{4}$ AND THE SW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF THE SE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SECTION 23, AND THE NW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF THE NE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SECTION 26, ALL BEING IN TOWNSHIP 132, RANGE 56, WEST OF THE 5TH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, SAID AREA CONTAINING 120 ACRES MORE OR LESS DEPENDENT UPON THE ORIGINAL SURVEY THEREOF BE AND THE SAME IS HEREBY DECLARED TO BE DULY INCORPORATED WITH THE NAME OF THE VILLAGE OF GWINNER.

THE BOARD NEXT PROCEEDED TO DIVIDE THE VILLAGE OF GWINNER INTO DISTRICTS OR WARDS ACCORDING TO SEC. 40-0211, OF THE 1943 REVISED CODE.

AFTER CONFERRING WITH A NUMBER OF CITIZENS FROM GWINNER, A MOTION WAS MADE, SECONDED AND CARRIED, THAT THE VILLAGE BE DIVIDED INTO 3 DISTRICTS OR WARDS AS FOLLOWS:

DISTRICT No. 1: ALL TERRITORY NORTH OF THE NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD AND ALL THAT PORTION WEST OF MAIN STREET AND NORTH OF STATE HIGHWAY No. 13.

DISTRICT No. 2: ALL TERRITORY EAST OF MAIN STREET BETWEEN THE NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD AND STATE HIGHWAY No. 13.

DISTRICT No. 3: ALL TERRITORY SOUTH OF STATE HIGHWAY No. 13.

THE FOLLOWING BILLS WERE AUDITED AND ON MOTION ALLOWED AND ORDERED PAID BY THE BOARD:

WAR. No.			
21163	FRANK ANTOZAK,	HAULING ROCKS	\$28.70
21164	OTTO A. BITZ,	HAULING ROCKS	25.20
21165	RAY KOTCHIAN	HAULING ROCKS	31.50
21166	HENRY NIEBER,	HAULING ROCKS	21.00
21167	ANTON THOMAS,	HAULING ROCKS	18.20
21168	PETER WALDERA,	TRUCKING	33.60
21169	H. C. LOUDEN,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER JAN. 14 TO MARCH 12	81.60
21170	ANTON ZUPON,	BLACKSMITH WORK AND SUPPLIES	28.15
21171	EMIL A. MCLAEN,	REPAIRS	61.11
21172	ROMAN KULZER,	LABOR	75.25

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M., SINE DIE.

Oliver A. Rossing
CHAIRMAN.

ATTEST:
J. M. Saperow
AUDITOR.