

FORMAN, N. DAK. APRIL 7, 1948.

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

THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO APPROVE PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD BILLS.

LEONARD BOPP, EDWIN HALIN AND ALBERT OLSON MET WITH THE BOARD AND DISCUSSED THE POSSIBILITIES OF HAVING ALL COUNTY EQUIPMENT CENTRALLY LOCATED AT THE COUNTY SEAT AND THE EQUIPMENT OF A COUNTY SHOP TO BE UNDER THE MANAGEMENT OF ONE MAN.

COMMISSIONER LOUDEN MOVED THAT ACTION ON THE PETITION REQUESTING THAT A MAINTAINER WITH SNOW REMOVAL EQUIPMENT BE STATIONED AT HAVANA AND THE PETITION THAT THE SAME EQUIPMENT BE LOCATED AT MILNOR BE TABLED UNTIL MAY 5.

COMMISSIONER OLSON SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED, ALL VOTING AYE.

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

WAR. No.				
23389	LEONARD CHRISTENSEN,	SNOW REMOVAL	LESS W. TAX \$14.90	\$155.55
23390	CHRIST DVSTE,	LABOR		35.35
23391	CLEMENTS PREBLE,	SNOW REMOVAL	LESS W. TAX 1.72	170.48
23392	LAWRENCE BRAKKE,	SNOW REMOVAL AND MILEAGE	LESS W. TAX .90	98.10
23393	G. E. PENFIELD	RIGHT OF WAY FOR ROAD AT SILVER LAKE		130.36
23394	ROBERT A. BENTSON,	LABOR AND SNOW REMOVAL		27.30
23395	CLARENCE HEGLE,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX 21.47	187.93
23396	ROBERT L. THAYER,	SNOW REMOVAL	LESS W. TAX 28.33	214.57
23397	H. B. LIEN,	SNOW REMOVAL		1,221.50
23398	ARTHUR SPANDE,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX 17.86	179.39
23399	SARGENT Co. TREASURER,	SNOW REMOVAL, APPLIED ON JOE SAPA'S TAXES		7.78
23400	JOE SAPA,	SNOW REMOVAL	LESS W. TAX .54	45.93
23401	ARTHUR NOCKLEBY,	SNOW REMOVAL AND MILEAGE	LESS W. TAX 1.20	123.60
23402	LEON F. ALFSON,	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX 26.56	208.99
23403	JOE BRICKZIN,	SNOW REMOVAL AND LABOR	LESS W. TAX 15.66	200.64
23404	JOHN SCHUDAR	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX 34.43	198.67
23405	PETER WALDERA,	SNOW REMOVAL AND LABOR	LESS W. TAX 1.36	135.14
23406	NORMAN BACKER,	WELDING AND SUPPLIES		50.90
23407	L. V. KESTER,	LABOR		3.50
23408	GEO. C. DAWSON, SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER MARCH 22 & APRIL MEETING			32.90
23409	H. C. LOUDEN	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, APRIL 2, 6, 7		19.50
23410	I. W. MEINHARDT,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, FEB. 7 TO APRIL 7		48.10
23411	RALPH G. OLSON, SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, FEB. 7 TO APRIL 7 & CASH ADVANCED			104.88
23412	ELMER WALSTEAD,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, FEB. 7 TO APRIL 7		135.75
23413	FRED CHRISTIANSEN,	SNOW REMOVAL AND MILEAGE	LESS W. TAX \$1.69	181.51
23414	H. J. SEAVERT, Co. TREASURER, CASH ADVANCED FOR POSTAGE, ENVELOPES, FREIGHT, P.O. BOX RENT, ETC.			310.80
23415	A. B. CHRISTIANSEN, SHERIFF,	MILEAGE FOR MARCH		51.68
23416	LILLIE V. BOWSER,	MILEAGE AS SUPT. OF SCHOOLS FOR QUARTER ENDING MARCH 31		18.41
23417	J. H. HOHAUS,	SERVICES AS VETERANS SERVICE OFFICER	LESS W. TAX 10.54	133.46
23418	JAMES A. FLAA,	SERVICES AND EXPENSES AS Co. AGENT	LESS W. TAX 1.50	184.87
23419	ELIZABETH WUCHERPFENNIG,	CLERICAL SERVICES - COUNTY AGENT	LESS W. TAX 19.20	130.80
23420	CECELIA ANDERSON,	CLERICAL SERVICES - Co. TREASURER	LESS W. TAX 4.85	110.15
23421	GRACE LUNSTAD,	WRITING SEED LOAN APPLICATIONS, ETC.	LESS W. TAX .76	74.84
23422	Mrs. M. O. PETERSON,	EXPENSES AND MILEAGE AS JUVENILE COMMISSIONER		36.44
23423	LARS HOLEN,	DRAVING		66.31
23424	Wm. HOBBS,	LABOR ON PLUMBING IN COURTHOUSE		10.50
23425	SARGENT COUNTY NEWS,	PUBLISHING COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS		33.89
23426	THE GLOBE-GAZETTE PRINTING Co.,	SUPPLIES		636.81
23427	THE GLOBE-GAZETTE PRINTING Co.,	FILE FOR STATE'S ATTORNEY		316.50
23428	KNIGHT PRINTING Co.,	SUPPLIES		4.33
23429	WEST PUBLISHING Co.,	LAW BOOK MATERIAL		81.00
23430	BURROUGHS ADDING MACHINE Co.,	MAINTENANCE SERVICE AS PER CONTRACT		155.15
23431	SHEPARD'S CITATIONS,	No. DAK. CITATIONS		12.00
23432	FINK, INC.,	RECONDITIONING CHECK WRITER		28.50
23433	SHERWOOD LUMBER & FUEL Co.,	REPAIRS FOR STOKER		45.25
23434	THOMPSON YARDS, INC.,	COAL AND SUPPLIES		235.52
23435	TOWN OF FORMAN,	WATER AND SEWER RENTAL		8.44
23436	DAKOTA TRACTOR & EQUIPMENT Co.,	PAID ON ACCOUNT		335.45
23437	MIDWEST EQUIPMENT Co.,	REPAIRS AND ROAD SIGNS		221.90
23438	NORTHWESTERN EQUIPMENT, INC.,	REPAIRS		323.49
23439	BRAMPTON OIL COMPANY,	GAS AND OIL		55.98
23440	BRAMPTON SERVICE,	SUPPLIES FOR COUNTY EQUIPMENT		53.05
23441	FARMERS UNION OIL Co.,	SUPPLIES FOR PATROLS		821.72
23442	FARMERS UNION OIL Co., RUTLAND,	GAS, OIL AND SUPPLIES		99.95
23443	STANDARD OIL Co.,	FUEL OIL AND SUPPLIES		68.61
23444	ANDERSON SERVICE STATION,	GAS AND SUPPLIES		31.37
23445	HIPP'S SERVICE STATION,	GAS AND OIL		36.06
23446	LISBON TIRE & SERVICE,	TIRE REPAIR		11.75
23447	TEXACO SERVICE STATION,	GAS AND OIL		37.45
23448	DAKOTA MOTOR SALES,	LABOR AND REPAIRS		22.95
23449	MURRAY'S IMPLEMENT Co.,	GAS AND SUPPLIES		58.82
23450	THORP AUTO Co., INC.,	LABOR AND REPAIRS		16.26
23451	FARGO FOUNDRY COMPANY,	SUPPLIES		21.37
23452	MILNOR WELDING & MACHINE WORKS,	WELDING		3.50
23453	HOFLEN GARAGE,	GAS, OIL AND SUPPLIES		160.11
23454	KIEFER BROS.,	GAS AND SUPPLIES		266.37
23455	KUGLER & SWANSON,	REPAIRS		29.80
23456	G. T. SELTVEIT,	GAS		5.00
23457	SCHULTE & STEWART,	GAS, OIL, ETC.,		25.73
23458	FRED WISNEWSKI,	GAS, OIL AND SUPPLIES		26.03
23459	HARRY DENTON,	LABOR		17.50
23460	EARL LARSON,	WELDING AND LABOR		95.75
23461	ANTON ZUPON,	LABOR AND SUPPLIES		184.20
23462	JOHN ALBRO,	LOG CHAIN		10.00

WAR. No.			
23463	EUGENE NICKESON,	HAULING GRAVEL	\$33.60
23464	GUSTAV WILLPRECHT,	SNOW REMOVAL	27.00
23465	WARREN K. DAWSON,	SNOW REMOVAL	17.50
23466	MRS. VEVA GLASER,	GARAGE RENT FOR FEB. AND MARCH	32.00
23467	SARGENT COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT,	SNOW REMOVAL	85.00
23468	PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD OF NORTH DAKOTA,	AID TO AGED PERSONS	366.12
23469	PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD OF NORTH DAKOTA,	AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN	908.25
23470	J. W. ANDERS,	ATTENDING ASSESSORS MEETING AND MILEAGE	4.65
23471	L. H. BESUCHET,	" " "	5.80
23472	NORMAN GRAY,	" " "	6.40
23473	W. L. MOHBERG,	" " "	4.45
23474	NORMAN HANSEN,	" " "	4.90
23475	O. W. WEHLANDER	" " "	6.50
23476	LYLE HAYDEN,	" " "	5.00
23477	MELVIN S. FIR,	" " "	5.80
23478	TED McMAHON,	" " "	5.70
23479	FRANK R. RIBA,	" " "	7.10
23480	TED SKROCH,	" " "	6.70
23481	O. A. RONNING	" " "	6.50
23482	THEO. HOFLEN,	" " "	5.00
23483	AXEL B. NELSON,	" " "	4.70
23484	JOHN F. LAMB,	" " "	5.10
23485	NORMAN M. ANDERSON,	" " "	5.60
23486	ROGER BANDERET,	" " "	6.50
23487	FRANK CHESLEY,	" " "	5.40
23488	SAMUEL SVVERSON,	" " "	6.00
23489	ALVIN KRAFT,	" " "	5.60
23490	F. J. LILLA,	" " "	5.80
23491	GEORGE BARBKNECHT,	" " "	5.00
23492	LESLIE JOHNSON,	" " "	5.25
23493	CARL KIRMIS,	" " "	5.15
23494	H. A. ROTHHOUSE,	" " "	6.20
23495	CASPER SMEDSRUD,	" " "	4.00
23496	C. A. MCGRAW,	" " "	4.70
23497	LOWELL M. SMITH	" " "	5.20
23498	S. L. GREENE,	" " "	5.00
23499	JEROME P. WEBER,	" " "	5.50
23500	W. D. PUTMAN,	" " "	5.00
COUNTY PAY ROLL, SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICIALS, ETC., PAID BY AUDITORS WARRANTS FOR MARCH			2,889.37

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

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE	\$584.32
SUBSISTENCE	344.04
CASH AID	536.80
MEDICAL AID	532.38
MISCELLANEOUS PAYMENTS	218.71
TOTAL PAYMENTS	\$2,216.25

THE ABOVE PAYMENTS FOR WHICH SOCIAL WELFARE WARRANTS Nos. 10677 TO 10725 INCLUSIVE HAD BEEN ISSUED, WERE ON MOTION APPROVED BY THE BOARD.

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

GENERAL	\$16,466.83
ROAD AND BRIDGE	17,158.39
POOR	11,886.86
MOTOR VEHICLE	958.01

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M., TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., MAY 4, 1948.

Edmond Malsbenden

CHAIRMAN.

ATTEST:

P. W. Safferson

AUDITOR.

FORMAN, N. DAK. MAY 4, 1948.

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 REPORT OF SHERIFF A. B. CHRISTIANSEN, OF DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES COLLECTED DURING THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1948, IN THE SUM OF \$375.01.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ALLOWED THE APPLICATION OF ROBERT THAYER FOR AN ABATEMENT OF \$1.00 SCHOOL POLL TAXES IN BRAMPTON TOWNSHIP FOR THE YEAR 1947, FOR THE REASON THAT HIS WIFE, BEVERLY, WHO IS NOT OF LEGAL AGE, HAD BEEN ASSESSED SCHOOL POLL TAXES FOR SAID YEAR.

MEMBERS OF THE HALL TOWNSHIP BOARD MET WITH THE BOARD IN REGARD TO ROAD WORK.

THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO OPEN BIDS FOR THE FURNISHING OF ONE OR MORE MOTOR PATROLS AS ADVERTISED IN PUBLISHED NOTICES.

BIDS HAD BEEN FILED BY THE FOLLOWING:

SWANSTON EQUIPMENT COMPANY; MYHRA EQUIPMENT COMPANY; SWEENEY BROS. TRACTOR CO.;
NORTHWESTERN EQUIPMENT INC.; MIDWEST EQUIPMENT CO.; DAKOTA TRACTOR & EQUIPMENT CO.

MESSRS. JOHNSON, HENDRICKSON, VAN SICKLE, COMSTOCK, SHIRLEY AND SMITH, REPRESENTING THE ABOVE COMPANIES, WERE PRESENT AT THE LETTING.

NO ACTION ON THE BIDS WAS TAKEN BY THE BOARD AT THIS TIME.

THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO APPROVE PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD BILLS.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M., TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., MAY 5, 1948.

FORMAN, N. DAK. MAY 5, 1948.

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

MR. SHIRLEY, REPRESENTING THE MIDWEST EQUIPMENT COMPANY, MET WITH THE BOARD IN REGARD TO SETTLEMENT OF COST OF TRUCK RECENTLY PURCHASED FROM SAID COMPANY.

THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO OPEN BIDS FOR THE FURNISHING OF CULVERTS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

BIDS HAD BEEN SUBMITTED BY THE FOLLOWING:

ARMCO DRAINAGE & METAL PRODUCTS, INC., NORTH DAKOTA METAL CULVERT CO.,
NORTHWESTERN SHEET & IRON WORKS.

ALL BIDS WERE FOUND TO BE THE SAME, AND ON MOTION ALL BIDS WERE ACCEPTED BY THE BOARD.

THE BOARD NEXT PROCEEDED TO OPEN BIDS FOR THE FURNISHING OF CUTTING EDGES FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

THE FOLLOWING HAD SUBMITTED BIDS:

DAKOTA TRACTOR & EQUIPMENT CO.; MIDWEST EQUIPMENT COMPANY;
NORTHWESTERN EQUIPMENT, INC.; MYHRA EQUIPMENT COMPANY;
SMITH COMMERCIAL BODY WORKS, INC.

ALL BIDS BEING IDENTICAL, ALL WERE ON MOTION ACCEPTED BY THE BOARD.

DR. F. G. HUBBARD AND MISS IRENE DONNOVAN AND MRS. GLYCE OF THE STATE HEALTH DEPARTMENT MET WITH THE BOARD IN REGARD TO HIRING A COUNTY NURSE.

THE BOARD NEXT PROCEEDED TO OPEN BIDS FOR THE FURNISHING OF OIL, GREASE AND FUEL SUPPLIES FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

A BID HAD BEEN FILED BY THE SOCONY-VACUUM OIL COMPANY AND COMMISSIONER OLSON MOVED THAT THE SAME BE ACCEPTED.

COMMISSIONER MEINHARDT SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

BIDS FOR HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION WERE NEXT CONSIDERED.

BIDS HAD BEEN FILED BY M. E. LIEN CONSTRUCTION CO.; THEODORE FISCHER;
T. W. ABRAHAM CONSTRUCTION CO.; JOHN DIESETH COMPANY; DAKOTA CONSTRUCTION CO.

COMMISSIONER LOUDEN MOVED THAT ALL BIDS BE ACCEPTED.

COMMISSIONER OLSON SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

COMMISSIONER OLSON MOVED THAT A RIGHT OF WAY EASEMENT BE GRANTED TO CASS COUNTY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. ON THE SE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 34-132-57 TO ALLOW THEM TO ERECT A POLE LINE.

COMMISSIONER MEINHARDT SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ALLOWED THE APPLICATION OF RALPH KIEFER FOR LICENSE TO SELL BEER ON LOTS 1 TO 6, SEC. 36,-130-54, L. T. L. FOR THE PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1948.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M., TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M. MAY 6, 1948.

FORMAN, N. DAK. MAY 6, 1948.

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

COMMISSIONER DAWSON MOVED THAT THE SUM OF \$1,500.00 BE TRANSFERRED FROM THE POOR FUND TO THE SOCIAL WELFARE FUND.

COMMISSIONER OLSON SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

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

WAR. No.					
23531	CLARENCE HEGLE,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX \$18.19	\$212.06	
23532	ARTHUR SPANDE,	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX 16.89	191.71	
23533	HAROLD McLAUGHLIN,	GAS AND SUPPLIES		44.57	
23534	LAWRENCE BRAKKE,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX 1.58	166.42	
23535	REINY KLINKHAMMER,	LABOR		41.00	
23536	ROBERT L. THAYER,	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX 8.58	149.62	
23537	LEON F. ALFSON,	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX 9.85	155.35	
23538	JOE BRICKZIN,	LABOR	LESS W. TAX 1.43	141.37	
23539	JOHN SCHUDAR,	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX 20.10	159.80	
23540	PETER WALDORA,	MAINTENANCE WORK	LESS W. TAX 1.62	160.08	
23541	H. C. LOUDEN,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, APRIL 10 TO MAY 6		84.05	
23542	I. W. MEINHARDT,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, APRIL 10 TO MAY 6		50.15	
23543	RALPH G. OLSON, SERVICES, MILEAGE AND EXPENSES AS COMMISSIONER, APRIL 10 TO MAY 6			51.73	
23544	ELMER WALSTEAD,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, APRIL 10 TO MAY 6		49.80	
23545	GEO. C. DAWSON,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, APRIL 10 TO MAY 6		54.80	
23546	A. B. CHRISTIANSEN, SHERIFF,	MILEAGE FOR MONTH OF APRIL		71.56	
23547	L. R. KERLING,	MEALS FOR PRISONERS		5.50	
23548	WALTER C. KING, MILEAGE AS STATE'S ATTORNEY AND ATTENDING BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING			19.80	
23549	J. H. HOHAUS, SERVICES AND EXPENSES AS VETERAN'S SERVICE OFFICER	LESS W. TAX 6.64		146.36	
23550	JAMES A. FLAA,	SALARY AND EXPENSES AS COUNTY AGENT	LESS W. TAX 1.50	242.94	
23551	ELIZABETH WUCHERPFFENNIG,	CLERICAL WORK - COUNTY AGENT	LESS W. TAX 15.60	134.40	
23552	DR. F. G. HUBBARD,	ATTENDING QUARTERLY MEETING OF COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH		5.00	
23553	WILLIAM N. PULLINS, SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS GOVERNMENT HUNTER	LESS W. TAX 2.90		206.85	
23554	TREASURER OF THE UNITED STATES,	RETIREMENT TAX OF WILLIAM PULLINS		9.35	
23555	VINCENT BALD,	TRANSCRIPT OF CASE STATE VS. ANDY E. ANDERSON		7.65	
23556	GLADYS E. HELMERS,	MILEAGE AND EXPENSES AS COURT STENOGRAPHER		10.01	
23557	MRS. M. O. PETERSON,	MILEAGE AND EXPENSES AS JUVENILE COMMISSIONER		28.70	
23558	WM. CARLEN,	GUARDING PRISONERS		7.50	
23559	LARS HOLEN,	DRAVING		44.71	
23560	THE GLOBE-GAZETTE PRINTING CO.,	SUPPLIES		272.26	
23561	KNIGHT PRINTING CO.,	SUPPLIES		37.16	
23562	THE LAWYERS CO-OP. PUBLISHING CO., AMERICAN JURISPRUDENCE AND AMERICAN LAW REPORTS			270.00	
23563	ART BURNSIDE & CO.,	SUPPLIES		5.58	
23564	GAFFANEY'S	1 TYPEWRITER		119.00	
23565	SARGENT COUNTY BANK,	PREMIUM ON BOILER INSURANCE		67.62	
23566	CHAS. O. DEWEY CO.,	SUPPLIES		39.13	
23567	H. O. DYTE & SON,	SUPPLIES		2.30	
23568	FARMERS CO-OP. ELEVATOR CO.,	COAL		9.60	
23569	THOMPSON YARDS, INC.,	COAL		178.85	
23570	IMPERIAL CHEMICAL CO.,	JANITOR SUPPLIES		408.25	
23571	NORTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO.,	LOCAL AND TOLL SERVICE		56.28	
23572	TOWN OF FORMAN,	WATER AND SEWER RENTAL		10.89	
23573	BRAMPTON FARMERS ELEVATOR CO.,	COAL AND PHONE CALLS		99.97	
23574	RUTLAND FARMERS CO-OP. GRAIN CO.,	COAL		83.14	
23575	BRAMPTON SERVICE,	GAS, OIL AND SUPPLIES		29.64	
23576	FARMERS UNION OIL CO.,	SUPPLIES FOR PATROLS		378.12	
23577	STANDARD OIL COMPANY,	FUEL OIL		7.75	
23578	DAKOTA TRACTOR & EQUIPMENT CO.,	REPAIRS		91.92	
23579	NORTHWESTERN EQUIPMENT, INC.,	REPAIRS, ETC.		484.80	
23580	SMITH, INC.,	REPAIRS		48.19	
23581	MAURER IMPLEMENT CO.,	REPAIRS, PHONE CALLS AND INCIDENTALS		45.33	
23582	LISBON TIRE & SERVICE,	TIRES, LABOR, ETC.		225.81	
23583	HOFLEN GARAGE,	GAS AND SUPPLIES		22.55	
23584	KIEFER BROS.,	GAS AND SUPPLIES		168.68	
23585	KUGLER AND SWANSON	REPAIRS		24.10	
23586	ORVAL KNOKE,	GAS, OIL AND SUPPLIES		117.82	
23587	EARL LARSON,	LABOR AND WELDING		23.50	
23588	ANTON ZUPON,	WELDING AND LABOR		14.00	
23589	VIRGIL ALFSON,	HAULING GRAVEL		3.50	
23590	JOHN FRISBY,	SNOW REMOVAL		100.50	
23591	LOUIS REHOVSKY,	SNOW REMOVAL		34.00	
23592	ORVIS SILSETH,	HAULING DIRT		39.00	
23593	MRS. VEVA GLASER,	GARAGE RENT		16.00	
23594	SARGENT COUNTY TELLER,	ROAD SIGNS		8.50	
23595	PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD OF NORTH DAKOTA, AID TO AGED PERSONS			529.81	
23596	PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD OF NORTH DAKOTA, AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN			1,064.50	
	COUNTY PAY ROLL, SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICIALS, ETC., FOR APRIL, PAID BY AUDITORS WARRANTS			2,048.08	

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

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE	\$742.78
SUBSISTENCE	520.00
CASH AID	563.00
MEDICAL AID	847.54
MISCELLANEOUS PAYMENTS	14.00
TOTAL PAYMENTS	\$2,687.32

THE ABOVE PAYMENTS FOR WHICH SOCIAL WELFARE WARRANTS NOS. 10, 726 TO 10,787 INCLUSIVE HAD BEEN ISSUED, WERE ON MOTION APPROVED BY THE BOARD.

COLLECTIONS FOR THE VARIOUS COUNTY FUNDS:

FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH:

GENERAL	\$2,021.41
ROAD AND BRIDGE	2,644.38
POOR	842.43

FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL:

GENERAL	\$1,276.41
ROAD AND BRIDGE	1,221.91
POOR	620.37
GAS TAX	901.97

THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO CONSIDER AND ACT UPON BIDS RECEIVED FOR THE FURNISHING OF ONE OR MORE MOTOR PATROLS AT THE LETTING HELD MAY 4, 1948.

COMMISSIONER OLSON MOVED THAT A MOTOR PATROL BE PURCHASED AND STATIONED AT MILNOR.

COMMISSIONER MEINHARDT SECONDED THE MOTION.

ON ROLL CALL THE FOLLOWING COMMISSIONERS VOTED AYE: MEINHARDT AND OLSON. VOTING NO: DAWSON, LOUDEN AND WALSTEAD AND THE MOTION WAS LOST.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M., TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., JUNE 1, 1948.

Elmer Walstead

CHAIRMAN.

ATTEST:

R. W. Safstrom

AUDITOR.

FORMAN, N. DAK. MAY 19, 1948.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MET AT THEIR OFFICE IN THE COURTHOUSE IN SPECIAL SESSION, CALLED BY THE COUNTY AUDITOR, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ACTING UPON THE RESIGNATION OF H. C. LOUDEN AS COMMISSIONER OF THE FIRST COMMISSIONERS DISTRICT. ALL WERE PRESENT EXCEPT COMMISSIONER MEINHARDT.

THE RESIGNATION OF MR. H. C. LOUDEN AS COMMISSIONER OF THE FIRST COMMISSIONERS DISTRICT TO BECOME EFFECTIVE AS OF MAY 19TH, 1948, WAS PRESENTED TO THE BOARD.

COMMISSIONER OLSON MOVED THAT THE RESIGNATION OF MR. LOUDEN BE ACCEPTED.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO CONSIDER FILLING THE VACANCY ON THE BOARD CAUSED BY THE RESIGNATION OF MR. LOUDEN, AND CALLED TO THEIR ASSISTANCE C. F. COLE, COUNTY JUDGE AND R. W. SAFSTROM, COUNTY AUDITOR, AS PROVIDED BY SEC. 14-0205, 1943 REVISED CODE.

AS SO CONSTITUTED, THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO CONSIDER CANDIDATES FOR FILLING THE VACANCY.

SEVERAL DELEGATIONS APPEARED BEFORE THE BOARD RECOMMENDING HARRY KIEFER AND THEO. HOFLEN AS CANDIDATES FOR THE APPOINTMENT.

IT WAS DECIDED TO NOMINATE AND ELECT BY SECRET BALLOTS.

A NOMINATING BALLOT WAS FIRST TAKEN RESULTING IN THE NOMINATION OF HARRY KIEFER AND THEO. HOFLEN.

THE BOARD THEN PROCEEDED TO ELECT AND ON THE FIRST BALLOT THEO. HOFLEN RECEIVED A MAJORITY OF THE VOTES CAST.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON MOVED THAT THEO. HOFLEN BE DECLARED DULY APPOINTED COUNTY COMMISSIONER FOR THE FIRST COMMISSIONERS DISTRICT, TO SERVE UNTIL THE FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY, 1949.

COMMISSIONER OLSON SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED.

Elmer Walstead

CHAIRMAN.

ATTEST:

R. W. Safstrom

AUDITOR.

FORMAN, N. DAK. JUNE 1, 1948.

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

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

ON MOTION THE BOARD APPROVED THE REPORT OF SHERIFF A. B. CHRISTIANSEN OF DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES COLLECTED DURING THE MONTH OF MAY, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$39.33.

MR. MOVILUS AND MR. KUGLER OF LIDGERWOOD, APPEARED BEFORE THE BOARD IN REGARD TO ROAD WORK.

CHAS. GLASSER, OF THE GLASSER BRIDGE COMPANY, CONFERRED WITH THE BOARD IN REGARD TO BRIDGE WORK.

OLIVER L. LAVOY OF THE LAVOY & SCHEFFLER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, MET WITH THE BOARD IN REGARD TO GRAVEL SURFACING.

MRS. B. KLINKHAMMER, MRS. L. W. KUMMETH AND MRS. HAROLD MALLBERG CONSULTED WITH THE BOARD IN REGARD TO HIRING A COUNTY HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT.

ON MOTION THE BOARD APPROVED THE SALE OF THE FOLLOWING COUNTY OWNED LOTS:

LOTS 4 & 5, BLOCK 3, WILLIAMSON'S SECOND ADDITION, VILLAGE OF HAVANA, SOLD TO LOWELL M. OR SHIRLEY M. SMITH FOR \$20.00. TERMS CASH.

LOTS 5 & 6, BLOCK 2, RANDALLS ADDITION, VILLAGE OF STIRUM, SOLD TO J. T. McDONALD FOR \$5.00. TERMS CASH.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ORDERED DEED ISSUED COVERING $E\frac{1}{4}$ OF NE $\frac{1}{4}$ AND $W\frac{1}{4}$ OF NW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SEC. 14-131-57, TO J. D. MARTIN, SAME HAVING PREVIOUSLY BEEN SOLD UNDER CONTRACT FOR DEED AND ALL INSTALLMENTS PAID UP IN FULL.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M., TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., JUNE 2, 1948.

FORMAN, N. DAK. JUNE 2, 1948.

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

MILTON BERGSJOE AND RAY WOHLWEND OF THE COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD MET WITH THE BOARD IN REGARD TO DRAINAGE MATTERS.

COMMISSIONER HOFLEN MOVED THAT A. F. PALENSKY, C. W. BENNETT AND GEO. C. DAWSON BE REAPPOINTED MEMBERS OF THE SARGENT COUNTY PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD FOR TERMS EXPIRING JUNE 30, 1951. COMMISSIONER MEINHARDT SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

ENGINEER V. D. MARSHALL CONFERRED WITH THE BOARD IN REGARD TO ROAD WORK AND DRAINAGE MATTERS.

A PETITION, SIGNED BY PROPERTY OWNERS LIABLE FOR 10% OR MORE OF THE COST OF IMPROVEMENT OF TRI-COUNTY DRAIN NO. 1, WAS PRESENTED TO THE BOARD.

THE PETITION REQUESTED THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO TAKE, FORTHWITH, SUCH STEPS AS MAY BE NECESSARY TO IMPROVE, REPAIR AND CLEAN OUT SAID DRAIN.

COMMISSIONER HOFLEN MOVED THAT THE ABOVE PETITION BE APPROVED. COMMISSIONER DAWSON SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO APPROVE PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD BILLS.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON MOVED THAT THE SUM OF \$2,000.00 BE TRANSFERRED FROM THE COUNTY POOR TO THE SOCIAL WELFARE FUND.

COMMISSIONER HOFLEN SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

COMMISSIONER MEINHARDT MOVED THAT THE AUDITOR BE INSTRUCTED TO PUBLISH NOTICE IN THE OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER OF THE COUNTY, CALLING FOR SEALED BIDS FOR THE PAINTING OF ONE COAT OF PAINT OF ALL THE BUILDINGS ON THE COUNTY FAIR GROUNDS AT FORMAN, AND THE PATROL SHEDS AT BRAMPTON, RUTLAND, AND STIRUM AND ALSO TO CALL FOR BIDS FOR THE FURNISHING OF APPROXIMATELY 75 GALLONS OF GOOD GRADE OUTSIDE WHITE PAINT FOR THE ABOVE DESCRIBED PROJECT.

BIDS TO BE OPENED AT 2 O'CLOCK, P. M., JULY 6, 1948.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

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

WAR. No.				
23639	CLARENCE HEGLE,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX .54	\$56.66
23640	LAWRENCE BRAKKE,	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX 2.40	237.60
23641	REINHARD KLINKHAMMER,	LABOR		17.00
23642	LEON F. ALFSON,	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX 11.15	163.85
23643	JOE BRICKZIN,	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX 1.56	154.54
23644	JOHN J. SCHUDAR,	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX 21.38	166.22
23645	PETER WALDERA,	LABOR	LESS W. TAX 1.64	162.15
23646	ARTHUR SPANDE,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS PATROLMAN	LESS W. TAX 13.04	175.46
23647	MIDWEST EQUIPMENT CO.,	PATROL GRADER & SNOW PLOW AND PARTS		8,627.33
23648	THEO. HOFLEN,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER		14.00
23649	I. W. MEINHARDT,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER MAY 10 & JUNE MEETING		20.00
23650	ELMER WALSTEAD,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, MAY 19 & JUNE MEETING		20.10
23651	GEO. C. DAWSON,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS COMMISSIONER, MAY 6 TO JUNE 2		49.25
23652	A. B. CHRISTIANSEN, SHERIFF,	MILEAGE FOR MAY AND CASH ADVANCED FOR TELEGRAMS		38.59
23653	J. H. HOHAUS,	SERVICES AS VETERAN'S SERVICE OFFICER, LESS W. TAX 6.64		137.36
23654	JAMES A. FLAA,	SALARY AND EXPENSES AS COUNTY AGENT, LESS W. TAX 1.50		202.35
23655	ELIZABETH WUCHERPFENNIG,	CLERICAL SERVICES - COUNTY AGENT	LESS W. TAX 15.60	134.40

WAR. No.			
23656	MRS. M. O. PETERSON,	MILEAGE AND EXPENSES AS JUVENILE COMMISSIONER	\$26.87
23657	SECRETARY OF STATE,	7 COPIES OF 1947 SUPPLEMENT OF 1943 REVISED CODE	28.00
23658	LARS HOLEN,	DRAWING	25.00
23659	ART BURNSIDE & Co.,	BATTERY	5.58
23660	ADDRESSOGRAPH-MULTIGRAPH CORP.,	ZINC PLATES	4.02
23661	BURROUGHS ADDING MACHINE Co.,	RIBBONS	5.64
23662	GAFFANEY'S	SUPPLIES	23.30
23663	THE GLOBE-GAZETTE PRINTING Co.,	SUPPLIES	190.82
23664	KNIGHT PRINTING Co.,	SUPPLIES	8.44
23665	SARGENT COUNTY NEWS,	PUBLISHING COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS AND OTHER PRINTING	102.25
23666	NORTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE Co.,	LOCAL AND TOLL SERVICE	60.73
23667	TOWN OF FORMAN,	WATER AND SEWER RENTAL	17.95
23668	COSTELLO MANUFACTURING Co.,	JANITOR SUPPLIES	20.07
23669	HILLYARD SALES Co.,	JANITOR SUPPLIES	48.75
23670	RED OWL STORE,	SUPPLIES	1.96
23671	KULZER HARDWARE,	HARDWARE	5.40
23672	DAKOTA TRACTOR & EQUIPMENT Co.,	REPAIRS	3.62
23673	NORTHWESTERN EQUIPMENT, INC.,	REPAIRS	153.87
23674	FARGO FOUNDRY Co.,	BALANCE ON ACCOUNT	8.58
23675	BRAMPTON SERVICE,	GAS, OIL AND SUPPLIES	28.31
23676	HIPP'S SERVICE,	GAS	2.88
23677	WEBER'S SERVICE STATION,	GAS AND SUPPLIES	24.39
23678	STANDARD OIL COMPANY,	SUPPLIES	92.97
23679	MURRAY'S IMPLEMENT Co.,	GAS AND OIL	33.09
23680	KURLER & SWANSON,	SUPPLIES	12.10
23681	KIEFER BROS.,	SUPPLIES	56.98
23682	ORVAL KNOKE,	GAS AND SUPPLIES	22.60
23683	CHAS. DANIELS,	ALFALFA SEED	16.00
23684	ROBERT L. THAYER,	SERVICES AS PATROLMAN	151.10
23685	MRS. VEVA GLASER,	GARAGE RENT	16.00
23686	V. D. MARSHALL,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS ENGINEER	241.56
23687	R. D. MARSHALL,	SERVICES AS ROOMAN	14.25
23688	L. E. MARSHALL,	SERVICES AS INSTRUMENT MAN	42.50
23689	W. A. SCHULENBERG,	SERVICES AS INSTRUMENT MAN	42.50
23690	HAZEL DIETZ, TREAS.,	SNOW REMOVAL	204.00
23691	SARGENT TOWNSHIP	CASH ADVANCED FOR SNOW REMOVAL	48.00
23692	MILTON BERGSJOE,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS DRAINAGE COMMISSIONER	49.50
23693	RAY WOHLWEND,	SERVICES AND MILEAGE AS DRAINAGE COMMISSIONER	53.70
23694	SARGENT COUNTY NEWS,	PRINTING NOTICE	16.75
23695	NORTHWESTERN SHEET & IRON WORKS,	CULVERTS	487.04
23696	PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD OF NORTH DAKOTA, AID TO AGED PERSONS		558.68
23697	PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD OF NORTH DAKOTA, AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN		962.00
23698	PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD OF NORTH DAKOTA, REFUND IN LORRAINE KNUTSON CASE		104.75
	COUNTY PAY ROLL, SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICIALS, ETC., FOR MAY, PAID BY AUDITORS WARRANTS		2,948.08

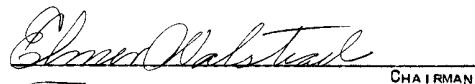
THE BOARD CONCLUDED APPROVING PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD BILLS. THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS HAD BEEN ORDERED PAID BY THE PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, FOR THE PURPOSES STATED:

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE	\$639.68
SUBSISTENCE	188.72
CASH AID	578.00
MEDICAL AID	209.60
TOTAL PAYMENTS	\$1,616.00

THE ABOVE PAYMENTS FOR WHICH SOCIAL WELFARE WARRANTS NOS. 10,788 TO 10,839 INCLUSIVE, HAD BEEN ISSUED, WERE ON MOTION APPROVED BY THE BOARD.

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

ATTEST:  AUDITOR.

 CHAIRMAN.

FORMAN, N. DAK. JUNE 21, 1948.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MET AT THEIR OFFICE IN THE COURTHOUSE, IN SPECIAL SESSION, CALLED FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE GRAVEL SURFACING OF COUNTY HIGHWAYS, WITH ALL COMMISSIONERS PRESENT.

THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO DISCUSS AND CONSIDER PLANS FOR GRAVEL SURFACING OF COUNTY HIGHWAYS.

COMMISSIONER OLSON MOVED THAT THE AUDITOR BE INSTRUCTED TO PUBLISH NOTICE IN THE OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER OF THE COUNTY, CALLING FOR SEALED BIDS FOR THE LOADING AND HAULING OF 8,000 OR MORE CUBIC YARDS OF GRAVEL TO BE PLACED ON APPROXIMATELY 2 1/2 MILES ON HIGHWAY K; 8 MILES ON HIGHWAY 1 AND 2 MILES ON HIGHWAY B. COMMISSIONER MEINHARDT SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

ART SPANDE MET WITH THE BOARD IN REGARD TO THE OVERHAULING AND REPAIR OF HIS PATROL GRADER.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., JUNE 22ND, 1948, TO MEET WITH THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF RUTLAND SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, IN REGARD TO REDISTRICTING MATTERS.

FORMAN, N. DAK. JUNE 22, 1948.

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

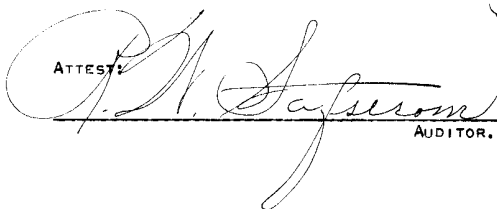
MRS. OTTO MEYER, PRESIDENT, EMIL McLAEN, MEMBER AND MRS. EVELYN JOHNSON, CLERK OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF RUTLAND SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, APPEARED BEFORE THE BOARD AND FILED PETITIONS SIGNED BY PEOPLE FROM ADJACENT TERRITORIES WISHING TO BECOME ATTACHED TO RUTLAND SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT.


THE PETITIONS WERE PURPORTED TO CONTAIN THE SIGNATURES OF TWO-THIRDS OF THE ELECTORS RESIDING WITHIN THE AREAS SEEKING TO BE ATTACHED TO RUTLAND SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT AS FOLLOWS:

ALL OF TEWAUKON TOWNSHIP
ALL OF RANSOM SCHOOL DISTRICT
THAT PORTION OF SHUMAN SCHOOL DISTRICT AS FOLLOWS:
ALL SEC. 36, 35, 34, 33, 32, 31, S $\frac{1}{2}$ OF 30, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF 29, S $\frac{1}{2}$ OF 28, S $\frac{1}{2}$ OF 27, S $\frac{1}{2}$ OF 26, S $\frac{1}{2}$ OF 25.
DUNBAR TOWNSHIP: S $\frac{1}{2}$ OF 34, S $\frac{1}{2}$ OF 35, ALL OF 36, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF SE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF 25
RUTLAND TOWNSHIP: ALL OF SEC. 1, 2, 3, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF 20, ALL OF 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, S $\frac{1}{2}$ & NE $\frac{1}{4}$ OF 29, S $\frac{1}{2}$ OF 30, ALL OF 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON MOVED THAT IN ORDER TO DETERMINE THE LEGALITY OF THE PETITIONS, THAT THE SAME BE TURNED OVER TO STATE'S ATTORNEY KING FOR HIS APPROVAL OR DISAPPROVAL.
COMMISSIONER HOFLEN SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED.


ATTEST: Elmer Bendtson
AUDITOR.


Elmer Walstead
CHAIRMAN.

FORMAN, N. DAK. JULY 6, 1948.

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

THE MINUTES OF THE MEETINGS HELD JUNE 1, 2, 21 AND 22 WERE READ AND ON MOTION APPROVED BY THE BOARD AS READ.

ON MOTION THE BOARD APPROVED THE REPORT OF SHERIFF A. B. CHRISTIANSEN, OF DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES COLLECTED DURING THE MONTH OF JUNE, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$283,48.

ON MOTION THE BOARD APPROVED THE REPORTS OF JUSTICES OF THE PEACE, J. H. HOHAUS AND J. E. ELLSWORTH, FOR THE QUARTER ENDING JUNE 30TH, 1948, SAME HAVING BEEN APPROVED BY THE STATE'S ATTORNEY AS TO FORM.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON MOVED THAT AN AGREEMENT BE ENTERED INTO WITH THE U. S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE FOR THE EMPLOYMENT OF A GOVERNMENT HUNTER IN ORDER TO CONTINUE THE PREDATOR CONTROL PROGRAM.
COMMISSIONER HOFLEN SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO OPEN BIDS FOR THE PAINTING OF THE BUILDINGS ON THE COUNTY FAIR GROUNDS AT FORMAN AND THE PATROL SHEDS AT BRAMPTON, RUTLAND AND STIRUM.

BIDS HAD BEEN SUBMITTED BY THE FOLLOWING:

HENRY MINTZLAFF	OLIVER ANDERSON	LLOYD GELDRICH
ELMER BENDTSON	ALFRED S. HALVORSON	H. E. JOHNSON

COMMISSIONER OLSON MOVED THAT THE BID OF HENRY MINTZLAFF HAVING BEEN FOUND TO BE THE LOWEST AND BEST, BE ACCEPTED AND THAT THE CONTRACT FOR PAINTING THE COUNTY BUILDINGS BE AWARDED TO HIM, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$367.00.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

THE BOARD NEXT PROCEEDED TO OPEN BIDS FOR THE FURNISHING OF PAINT FOR THE COUNTY BUILDINGS AS ADVERTISED.

THE FOLLOWING HAD SUBMITTED BIDS:

NORTHERN PAINT CO.	GAMBLE STORE, FORMAN	BRAMPTON SERVICE (A. ROBERTS)
REINHARD BROS.	CHAS. O. DEWEY CO.	OLIVER ANDERSON
ALFRED S. HALVORSON	H. E. JOHNSON	THOMPSON YARDS, INC., FORMAN.

COMMISSIONER HOFLEN MOVED THAT THE BID OF ARTHUR ROBERTS OF BRAMPTON, SAME BEING THE BEST BID, BE ACCEPTED AND CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING THE PAINT AWARDED TO HIM IN THE AMOUNT OF \$14.95 PER GALLON FOR MINNESOTA PAINT.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

REPRESENTATIVES FROM MARBOE AND TEWAUKON TOWNSHIPS MET WITH THE BOARD IN REGARD TO ROAD CONSTRUCTION MATTERS. MARBOE TOWNSHIP WAS REPRESENTED BY MR. HARRY KIEFER AND TEWAUKON TOWNSHIP BY MR. OLE BREUM.

COMMISSIONER OLSON MOVED THAT THE COUNTY REORGANIZATION COMMITTEE BE NOTIFIED THAT PETITIONS SIGNED BY PEOPLE FROM ADJACENT TERRITORIES WISHING TO BECOME ATTACHED TO RUTLAND SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT HAD BEEN FILED WITH THE BOARD.

COMMISSIONER HOFLEN SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

COMMISSIONER HOFLEN MOVED THAT THE PETITION ASKING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A BRIDGE ACROSS THE WILD RICE, LOCATED ON L. T. L. 129-53 BE APPROVED.
COMMISSIONER OLSON SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M., TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., JULY 7, 1948.

FORMAN, N. DAK. JULY 7, 1948.

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

COMMISSIONER OLSON MOVED THAT THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSE TO SELL HARD LIQUOR BE ALLOWED FOR THE PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1948:

ROMAN WALDERA ON AND OFF LOTS 20-21-22, BLOCK 8, VILLAGE OF VEDA.
KATHRYN RILEY, ON AND OFF ALL OF BLOCK 1, MRS. NETTIE RILEY'S ADDITION, VILLAGE OF GENESEO.
FRED W. MEYER, ON AND OFF LOT 2, BLOCK 2, RANDALL'S ADDITION, VILLAGE OF STIRUM.
COMMISSIONER HOFLEN SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ENTERED INTO A CONTRACT WITH ARNOLD L. CORNWELL FOR THE SALE OF $\frac{1}{2}$ OF LOTS 1 & 2, BLOCK 2, CAMPS ADDITION, VILLAGE OF COOSWELL FOR A CONSIDERATION OF \$925.00; TERMS: ONE-FOURTH CASH AND BALANCE ON TIME PAYMENTS OVER A PERIOD OF FIVE YEARS WITH INTEREST AT THE RATE OF $\frac{1}{2}$ %.

A PETITION SIGNED BY TAXPAYERS OF SARGENT COUNTY WAS PRESENTED TO THE BOARD, ASKING THAT THE COUNTY PROCEED TO REBUILD THAT PORTION OF COUNTY HIGHWAY C COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SEC. 30 IN SHUMAN TOWNSHIP, THENCE EAST 2 MILES, THENCE NORTH 7 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF STATE HIGHWAY 13.

THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO APPROVE PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD BILLS.

COMMISSIONER DAWSON MOVED THAT THE SUM OF \$3,000.00 BE TRANSFERRED FROM THE COUNTY POOR FUND TO THE SOCIAL WELFARE FUND.

COMMISSIONER HOFLEN SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M., TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., JULY 8, 1948.

FORMAN, N. DAK. JULY 8, 1948.

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

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AS BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO 1 O'CLOCK, P. M., JULY 12TH, 1948, AND PROCEEDED TO ORGANIZE AS BOARD OF REVIEW AND EQUALIZATION.

COMMISSIONER MEINHARDT MOVED THAT GEO. C. DAWSON BE DESIGNATED CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF REVIEW AND EQUALIZATION.

COMMISSIONER OLSON SECONDED THE MOTION AND SAME CARRIED.

ON MOTION R. W. SAFSTROM, COUNTY AUDITOR, WAS APPOINTED CLERK AND SECRETARY OF THE BOARD OF REVIEW AND EQUALIZATION.

THE OATH OF OFFICE WAS ADMINISTERED TO THE MEMBERS IN DUE FORM AND ON MOTION THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO REVIEW AND EQUALIZE THE ASSESSMENT AS RETURNED BY THE ASSESSORS OF THE VARIOUS DISTRICTS OF THE COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1948.

ON MOTION THE BOARD EXAMINED THE ASSESSORS BOOKS OF ASSESSMENT OF FARM LANDS AND VILLAGE LOTS, INCLUDING STRUCTURES ON VILLAGE LOTS AND FOUND THAT THE ASSESSORS HAD COMPLIED WITH THE PROVISIONS OF CHAP. 57-0211, 1943 REVISED CODE, WHICH PROVIDES THAT REAL ESTATE, INCLUDING STRUCTURES, BE ASSESSED FOR THE EVEN NUMBERED YEARS AT THE SAME VALUE AS LEFT BY THE STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION FOR THE PRECEDING YEAR.

THE BOARD FOUND THAT SAID LAW HAD BEEN FULLY COMPLIED WITH; THAT NO ASSESSMENT HAD BEEN MADE EXCEPT SOME CHANGES, MADE NECESSARY FOR THE REASON THAT IN SOME CASES STRUCTURES HAD EITHER BEEN ERECTED OR REMOVED OR DESTROYED SINCE THE LAST ASSESSMENT WAS MADE, AND IN SOME CASES PROPERTY WHICH HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN OMITTED FROM TAXATION HAD BEEN ADDED.

ON MOTION THE ENTIRE ASSESSMENT OF FARM LANDS AND VILLAGE LOTS, INCLUDING STRUCTURES ON VILLAGE LOTS WAS LEFT UNCHANGED FOR THE YEAR 1948, EXCEPT WHERE CHANGES HAD BEEN MADE AS EXPLAINED IN THE FOREGOING.

ON MOTION THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO REVIEW THE ASSESSMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY IN THE COUNTY INCLUDED UNDER ITEMS 1 TO 17 INCLUSIVE, IN THE ASSESSMENT ROLLS, AND FOR THE PURPOSE OF EQUALIZATION ORDERED THE FOLLOWING CHANGES:

1. HORSES AND MILES:
Under 1 year:
CITY OF MILNOR DECREASED 80%
2. CATTLE:
OTHER CATTLE, 2 YEARS AND OVER:
SHUMAN TOWNSHIP INCREASED 70%
3. SHEEP, ALL AGES:
HALL " INCREASED 50%
RANSOM " " 10%
4. HOGS, SWINE ALL AGES:
VILLAGE OF HAVANA INCREASED 100%

6. FARM AND RANCH EQUIPMENT:

A. TRACTORS:

TOWNSHIP	INCREASED	PERCENTAGE
BOWEN	INCREASED	10%
HALL	"	25%
HERMAN	"	20%
KINGSTON	"	10%
MARBOE	DECREASED	10%
MILNOR	INCREASED	15%
SARGENT	INCREASED	10%
SHUMAN	"	50%
SOUTH WEST	"	20%
TAYLOR	DECREASED	20%
TEWAUKON	"	10%
VIVIAN	INCREASED	400%
WEBER	"	20%
CITY OF MILNOR	"	250%
VILLAGE OF COGSWELL	"	25%
VILLAGE OF HAVANA	DECREASED	20%
RUTLAND VILLAGE	INCREASED	55%
VILLAGE OF CAYUGA	"	50%
VILLAGE OF GWINNER	DECREASED	60%

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M., TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., JULY 12, 1948.

FORMAN, N. DAK. JULY 12, 1948.

THE BOARD OF REVIEW AND EQUALIZATION MET, PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT, WITH ALL MEMBERS PRESENT.

ON MOTION THE BOARD PROCEEDED WITH THE REVIEW OF THE ASSESSMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY AND FOR THE PURPOSE OF EQUALIZATION, ORDERED THE FOLLOWING CHANGES:

B. SEPARATORS:

TOWNSHIP	INCREASED	PERCENTAGE
BOWEN	INCREASED	50%
DENVER	"	200%
HALL	"	50%
HARLEM	"	200%
HERMAN	"	200%
JACKSON	DECREASED	50%
KINGSTON	"	10%
MILNOR	INCREASED	60%
RANSOM	DECREASED	50%
RUTLAND	"	45%
SARGENT	INCREASED	50%
SHUMAN	"	60%
TAYLOR	"	150%
VERNER	DECREASED	50%
VIVIAN	INCREASED	350%
WEBER	DECREASED	40%
WHITE STONE HILL	INCREASED	100%
WILLEY	"	300%
VILLAGE OF HAVANA	DECREASED	65%

C. COMBINES:

TOWNSHIP	INCREASED	PERCENTAGE
BRAMPTON	INCREASED	10%
DENVER	DECREASED	20%
DUNBAR	"	25%
FORMAN	"	30%
HALL	INCREASED	30%
HARLEM	"	50%
HERMAN	"	60%
KINGSTON	"	20%
MARBOE	DECREASED	20%
RANSOM	"	10%
RUTLAND	INCREASED	10%
SARGENT	"	25%
SHUMAN	"	350%
TAYLOR	DECREASED	50%
TEWAUKON	INCREASED	100%
VERNER	DECREASED	25%
VIVIAN	INCREASED	900%
WEBER	"	25%
WHITE STONE HILL	DECREASED	20%
CITY OF MILNOR	INCREASED	90%
VILLAGE OF HAVANA	"	190%
RUTLAND VILLAGE	INCREASED	50%
VILLAGE OF CAYUGA	"	100%
VILLAGE OF GWINNER	DECREASED	65%

ON MOTION THE BOARD ORDERED THAT THE ASSESSMENT OF ALL PERSONAL PROPERTY IN THE VARIOUS ASSESSMENT DISTRICTS UNDER ITEMS 1 TO 17 INCLUSIVE, NOT MENTIONED IN THE FOREGOING MINUTES BE LEFT AS EQUALIZED BY THE LOCAL BOARDS OF REVIEW.

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

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON, SINE DIE.

ATTEST

[Handwritten Signature]
CLERK AND SECRETARY.

CHAIRMAN.

FORMAN, N. DAK. JULY 9TH, 1948.

THE COUNTY CANVASSING BOARD MET AT THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY AUDITOR, PURSUANT TO LAW, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CANVASSING THE RETURNS OF THE PRIMARY ELECTION HELD JUNE 29, 1948, AS MADE BY THE VARIOUS ELECTION BOARDS IN THE COUNTY AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

MR. WALTER C. KING, STATE'S ATTORNEY, RULED THAT DUE TO THE FACT THAT N. D. NELSON WAS A CANDIDATE FOR STATE SENATOR, HE WAS INELIGIBLE TO SERVE ON THE CANVASSING BOARD.

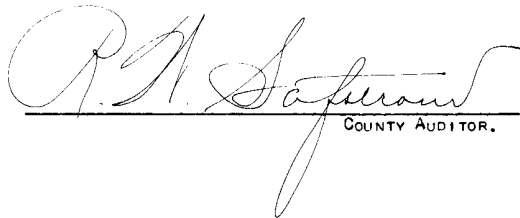
THE OATH OF OFFICE WAS ADMINISTERED TO THE FOLLOWING:

ELMER WALSTEAD,	CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
A. E. PETERSON,	CHAIRMAN OF THE DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMITTEE
J. H. HOHAUS,	JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
R. W. SAFSTROM,	COUNTY AUDITOR.

ON MOTION IT WAS AGREED THAT SCATTERED VOTES OF 5 OR LESS, CAST FOR ANY CANDIDATE SHOULD NOT BE PUBLISHED IN THE OFFICIAL COPY OF THE ABSTRACTS, UNLESS SUCH NUMBER WERE SUFFICIENT TO NOMINATE THE CANDIDATE RECEIVING SAME.

ON MOTION THE BOARD PROCEEDED WITH THE OFFICIAL CANVASS OF THE ELECTION RETURNS AND CONTINUED UNTIL SAME WAS COMPLETED.

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED.



COUNTY AUDITOR.

FORMAN, N. DAK. JULY 12, 1948.

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

A COMMUNICATION RECOMMENDING CERTAIN IMPROVEMENTS ON COUNTY HIGHWAYS, WAS RECEIVED FROM J. D. PRINDIVILLE, RUTLAND POSTMASTER.

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

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE	\$608.02
SUBSISTENCE	255.00
CASH AID	445.00
MEDICAL AID	2,087.49
MISCELLANEOUS PAYMENTS	100.00
TOTAL PAYMENTS	\$3,495.51

THE ABOVE PAYMENTS, FOR WHICH SOCIAL WELFARE WARRANTS NOS. 10,840 TO 10,885 INCLUSIVE HAD BEEN ISSUED, WERE ON MOTION APPROVED BY THE BOARD.

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

COUNTY GENERAL	\$1,030.52
ROAD AND BRIDGE	770.37
POOR	314.98
MOTOR VEHICLE	9,619.14

FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE:

COUNTY GENERAL	1,413.91
ROAD AND BRIDGE	680.92
POOR	248.67

THE BOARD PROCEEDED TO AUDIT ELECTION COST BILLS AND BILLS AND CLAIMS FILED.

THE BOARD NEXT PROCEEDED TO CONSIDER BUDGET REQUESTS FOR THE ENSUING FISCAL YEAR, WHICH HAD BEEN FILED BY THE VARIOUS COUNTY OFFICIALS AND BEGAN WORK ON THE PRELIMINARY COUNTY BUDGET.

THE AUDITOR REPORTED THAT IN THE SETTLEMENT WITH THE COUNTY TREASURER JULY 1, 1948, HIS LEDGER SHOWED THE FOLLOWING CREDIT BALANCES IN THE VARIOUS FUNDS:

COUNTY GENERAL	\$32,156.66
ROAD AND BRIDGE	28,308.43
POOR	8,555.69
MOTOR VEHICLE	11,642.55
GAS TAX	6,680.28
EMERGENCY	14,587.44
ASSESSED VALUATION - 1947	\$7,536,413.00

ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 5 O'CLOCK, P. M., TO 9 O'CLOCK, A. M., JULY 13, 1948.