

January 9, 1899

Nine o'clock A.M.

A.M.

In session

The board met in session pursuant to adjournment.
All members present.

E. B. Johnson, Chairman, presiding.

On motion, the board proceeded to the consideration of bonds of County officers.

Bond of
M. Lockerby

The bond of S. M. Lockerby, as State's Attorney, in the penal sum of two thousand dollars, with sureties therein as follows, viz: Adolph Sanner, Frank Argersinger and D. M. Gillies, the same having been approved by the State's Attorney, as to form, was, on motion, accepted and duly approved. The bond of W. S. Wolfe, as Justice of the Peace, in the penal sum of five hundred dollars, with H. K. Pennington and C. B. Wheeler as sureties therein, and the same having been approved by the State's Attorney, as to form, was, on motion, accepted and duly approved.

adjournment

On motion, the board adjourned to one o'clock P.M.

P.M.

One o'clock P.M.

In session

The Board in session.

All members present.

Chairman Johnson presiding.

Settlement with Auditor and Treasurer continued.

adjournment

On motion, the board adjourned to nine o'clock A.M.

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In session

The board convened pursuant to adjournment.

And called to order by E. B. Johnson, Chairman.

All members present.

Settlement

Settlement with Auditor and Treasurer completed, by checking over all receipts and vouchers for payments, and found the balance on hand in all funds January 1, 1899 to be \$46102.42 which amount was duly accounted for by the Treasurer, and the accounts of the Auditor and Treasurer are hereby approved.

On motion, the sum of \$25.00 was appropriated out of the general fund, as compensation for extra services rendered by E. B. Johnson, as Chairman, the past year, and the Auditor was instructed to draw a County warrant for said amount.

The quarterly report of E. W. Thorpe as State's Attorney, for quarter ending December 31, reporting that no money or monies had been received by him as State's Attorney, for Sargent County.

On motion, the report was accepted and approved.

A petition of the taxable inhabitants of South West

reorganization
of South West
School Dist

township asking for a reorganization of South West School District was taken up for consideration, and it appearing that South West Township being a duly organized school district under the statutes in such cases made and provided.

On motion, the petition was not granted, on the grounds that it was not a proper matter for this board to act upon. The application of F. W. Vail for a refunding on the N.E. 1/4 of Section 7, Township 132, Range 53, for taxes of 1895 and sold at tax sale December 7, 1897, to Cheshire Provident Institution under tax sale certificate No. 1, said sale, with penalty and interest to date amounting to \$29.72, and whereas, it appears that in said year of 1895 there was an assessment for improvements at \$65.00, and that taxes should be paid on the improvements which tax for the 1895 would amount to 1.70.

On motion, the auditor was instructed to make refunding order to the amount of \$28.02 said order to issue only upon the return of said tax sale certificate, which, at the present time, cannot be found.

On motion, the board adjourned to one o'clock P.M.

P.M.

One o'clock P.M.

The board in session.

All members present.

E. B. Johnson, Chairman, presiding.

Justice Report
E. A. Enochson

The quarterly report of E. A. Enochson, as Justice of the Peace for quarter ending December 31, 1898, was, on motion, laid over until the next meeting of the board.

Illegal
assessment

On motion, the auditor was instructed to draw a refunding order for 1.00 to Johannes Hollengren, of Willey Township for one school poll illegally assessed for the year 1897, said Hollengren being at that time under age, and not subject to school poll.

M.P.

indemnity land
resolution
for cancellation

The following preamble and resolution was read:
Whereas, it appears that, that part of a resolution passed on May 18, 1898, relative to the authority and duties given to the auditor and treasurer, in cancelling and abating certain taxes assessed to the N. P. indemnity lands and lots in the village of Milnor, providing that such taxes were paid on or before November 1, 1898, has not been fully understood by the taxpayers interested therein. Therefore:
Be it resolved that said resolution referred to, be extended as follows, viz: the Auditor and Treasurer of the county of Sargent are hereby instructed and authorized to cancel upon the records of said county all such taxes levied upon said Northern Pacific indemnity lands prior to the date of the patent thereof, which remain unsold on the books and records of said county: also to

N.D. Indemnity
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cancel such taxes and assessments, where sales for taxes have been made to the State of North Dakota, or the County of Sargent but excepting from this resolution and their authority such tracts as, in any of the years prior to the date of the patent, were sold on tax sales to purchasers other than said County and State, also excepting therefrom and from this resolution, such lots in the town of Milnor, Sargent County, North Dakota, as have thereon, or had thereon at the time of assessment, erections, buildings and improvements; and it is further, "Resolved, that taxes and assessments, or the lots and tracts aforesaid in the town of Milnor which are now unpaid, and where said lots and tracts are unsold to other parties than the County and State be received by the Treasurer of Sargent County, in full, when tendered in amount covering the original amount of taxes, if paid on or before Jan. 1, 1900.

Dated at Forman, North Dakota, this 10th day of January, 1899

Signed

E. B. Johnson
M. Doyle
J. C. Burkhardt.
Anton Marboe
H. A. Intlehouse.

On motion, the foregoing resolution was adopted, In the matter of the claim of E. W. Barton, asking for a re-funding of monies paid for an assignment from the State on the S. E. 1/4 of Section 1, Township 132, Range 57 for taxes of 1893, and sold to the State of North Dakota on Dec. 7, 1894, it was, on motion, laid over to be referred to the State's Attorney for his opinion as to the liability of the County. By reason of the election of S. M. Lockerby, to the office of State's Attorney, and being thereby disqualified from acting as commissioner of insanity, on motion, J. E. Bishop was appointed to fill said vacancy.

On motion, the board adjourned to nine o'clock A. M. January 11, 1899.

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Nine o'clock A. M.

A. M.

Discussion

The board convened pursuant to adjournment. All Members present.

E. B. Johnson, Chairman, presiding.

Appointment of
Comm of Insanity

On motion, the board proceeded to appoint commissioners of insanity, according to the statute in such case made and provided, and on motion J. E. Bishop, attorney and W. W. Bradley M. D. were duly appointed for a period of two years.

The third commissioner being L. D. Gooler, County Judge

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Bonds.

by virtue of the statute, made in such case.

On motion, the Auditor was instructed to correspond with the holders of Sargent County bonds, with reference to a redemption of a portion of said bonds.

On motion, O. B. Johnson, Clerk of Court, was requested to furnish this board with an abstract of all judgments on file in his office, in favor of Sargent County, for seed wheat and personal property taxes, remaining unsatisfied.

adjournment On motion, the board took a recess until one o'clock P.M.

P.M.

One o'clock, P.M.

In session

The Board in Session.

All members present.

E. B. Johnson, Chairman, presiding.

Bills

The following bills were audited and on motion allowed:

C. P. Chesney, Sheriff's fees and postage	311.25.
Wm. Hurly Stationery	3.50
W. W. Bradley services as County physician	12.50
Wm. Hurly Jr. publishing proceedings Dec. meeting.	5.50
Forman Telephone Company's messages	2.08
Wm Hurly, stationery	12.50
Mrs. Dahl, board and care of Annie Petersen	3.00
E. B. Johnson, services as county commissioner	25.40
M. Doyle, services as County Commissioner	24.80
J. C. Burkhardt services as County Commissioner	25.20
Anton Marboe, services as County Commissioner	26.50
H. A. Intlehouse services as County Commissioner	24.10
C. P. Chesney, Sheriff's fees on redemptions made from Sheriff tax sale of February 9, 1898	412.13

apportionment
of jurors.

Motion made by H. A. Intlehouse and seconded by J. C. Burkhardt that all matter relating to the apportionment of jurors at this session be expunged from these minutes.

Motion prevailed by unanimous vote, and the Auditor was instructed to so expunge the minutes of this meeting.

Minutes of December meeting were read and on motion, approved as read.

adjourned,

On motion, the board adjourned to the 13th. day of March, 1899. at Nine o'clock A.M.

Attest.

W. S. Baker
County Auditor.

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