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July 12th

Forman, N. Dak. July 12th 1894

In session

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Members

All members present.

Chairman

Chairman Smith in the chair

Settlement

The board having finished the semi-annual settlement with the County Treasurer, and having checked through all the collections and disbursements in the Auditors Office, found the balance on hand in the several district, County, and state funds, to be \$9614.21, which amount was accounted for by the Treasurer.

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Apportionment of names for Jurors

The following apportionment of names for the several townships and towns, from which ^{Jurors} may be drawn for the next term of district Court, was made, viz;

Ransom	2	names.	Taylor	2	names
Brampton	3	"	Weber	1	"
Verner	1	"	Town of Melnor	3	"
Hall	3	"	Rittland	3	"
White Stone Hill	2	"	Kaulin	1	"
Sargent	2	"	Jewankon	2	"
Deubar	2	"	Kingston	2	"
South West	1	"	Highland	1	"
Denver	1	"	Forman	1	"
Town of Forman	3	"	Union	1	"
Melnor	1	"	Harlem	3	"
Borran	1	"	129-53	2	"

Justice Report
W. L. Straub
referred back

The Quarterly Report of W. L. Straub, Justice of the Peace, for the quarter ending June 30th 1894, was presented, and on motion referred back for corrections, to show name of officer serving the papers, mileage of witnesses, and who were the states witnesses.

Bills

The following bills were audited and on motion allowed, viz;

Wm. J. Jackman, assessor unorganized	129-53	\$45.00
Math. Paul	129-54	45.00
A. M. Grover	Postage	9.14
Dypte Bros	goods for County	2.45
A. M. Grover	services on Caucassing board 2 days	4.00
A. M. Grover,	mileage Collecting delinquent tax	13.40
S. M. Lockerby	services on board of insanity	\$4.00
	on account that only 1 day's service was rendered, allowed	2.00
John. F. Devlin,	sheriffs fees Coroners inquest	6.85
Louis Steinke	goods for County	7.71
Dypte Bros,	goods for Seorson	9.95
Nellie Donahue,	Care Mrs Pedley	4.00
Carl. A. Bergstrom,	witness and interpreter Coroners inquest	2.20
Neigent & Brown	stationery	5.50
	Balance returned, and allowed at	3.00
Fordey & Wood	wolf bounties	10.00

Bond of
A. M. Simpson

The official bond and oath of A. M. Simpson, Co. Superintendent of Schools elect, with Peter Christensen, W. W. Bradley, and

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approved and filed.

Wm. Hourly as sureties, in the penal sum of \$500., was presented and by resolution passed, duly approved and filed according to law.

Resolution abolishing County bounty on wolves.

The following resolution was presented and read, viz; Whereas, Chapter 135 of the Laws of 1893 provides for the payment of a state bounty for the destruction of wolves, and whereas, a large sum of money has been expended for the payment of County bounties on said wolves according to the laws of 1890, Now therefore be it;

Resolved, That the action taken on February 17th, 1892, by the board of County Commissioners, making a County bounty of \$2.00 for each wolf killed within the County, be and the same is hereby rescinded, and that from and after the date hereof, it is ordered, that no more County bounties be paid.

Moved and seconded, That the resolution be adopted. Motion prevailed.

W. T. Jackman Inspector.

On motion, Wm. T. Jackman was appointed Inspector for the general election to be held Nov. 6th 1894, in Precinct No 25 comprising Lake School District.

Transfer of R. B fund to Gen. Co fund
Adjournment

On motion the balance on hand in the Road & Bridge fund, being \$1403.45 was ordered transferred to the General County funds.

On motion the Board adjourned to 9 o'clock A. M. July 13th 1894.

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Board in session
All members present.

Chairman Smith in the Chair.

The following affidavit was presented and read, viz;

Affidavit of F. W. Vail Cashier
BK of Forman
in case of said Bank
on judgment against town
of Harlem,
asking that a levy be made to pay the judgment

State of North Dakota }
County of Sargent. } es

F. W. Vail, Cashier of the Bank of Forman a Corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of North Dakota, being first duly sworn and says;

The Bank of Forman, a Corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of North Dakota, has and has had a judgment against the town of Harlem, a municipal corporation organized under the laws of the territory of Dakota, now state of North Dakota, since the 8th day of September, 1891, said judgment being for the sum of \$456.90, on which sundry ^{payments} have been made, amounting to \$337.30, the balance remaining unpaid, including interest to July 6th 1894, being \$170.75, as evidenced by the judgment roll of said judgment against said town of Harlem, as shown by the records of the Clerk of Court in and for the County of Sargent, state of North Dakota. That the levy author-

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affidavit of
F. W. Vail
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ized and ordered by the Board of County Commissioners against the town of Harlem under Chapter 143 of the Session laws of 1890 of the state of North Dakota, being an act entitled "An Act authorizing the levy and collection of taxes in cities, towns, and villages which have failed to elect boards of trustees, aldermen or Council" is insufficient to pay said judgment.

That the citizens of the town of Harlem have refused and neglected, and still neglect and refuse to elect proper officers to levy taxes to pay said judgment, and there are now no proper officers in and for said village to levy taxes for any purpose whatever.

Geo

F. W. Vail, Cashier of
The Bank of Forman.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of July, 1894

J. D. Vail
Notary Public. M.D.

Levy of 10 mills
made on town
of Harlem.

Mr Thompson moved, That a levy of ten (10) mills on the dollar upon all the real and personal property in the town of Harlem be and the same is hereby ordered made for the year A.D. 1894, for the purpose of paying the balance due on the judgment held by The Bank of Forman against said town, and the County Auditor is hereby instructed and directed to spread said levy aforesaid.

Motion prevailed.

Bill.

Bill of C. P. Cheney, services as Bailiff, was allowed \$36.00

Adjournment.
P.M.

On motion, the Board adjourned to 1 o'clock P.M.
1 o'clock P.M.

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members

Board in session

Chairman

All members present
Chairman Smith in the Chair

Estimate of
expenditures
for ensuing
year

The Board proceeded to make the following estimate of expenditures of the County for the ensuing year, according to Section 48, Chapter 132, Laws of 1890, viz:

For County Expenses	\$5000.
" County Commissioners, salary and mileage	800.
" State's Attorney salary	800.
" Printing & Advertising	1000.
" Books & Stationery	700.
" Fuel & Lights	600.
" Salary and mileage County Superintendent of Schools	1400.
" Election expenses	500.
" County Judge salary under the Prohibition Law	75.
" Repairs	150.
" County Coroners expenses	100.
" County Physicians salaries	500.
" Interest on County Warrants	2000.
" County Poor expenses	2500.

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estimate cont.	For Janitor	300.
	Interest on Bonds	700.
	Roads & Bridges	1000.
	Payment of Floating Indebtedness	1700.
	Gopher bounty	939.
	Total	\$20764.

Levy for taxes made Pursuant to Sec. 44, Chap. 132, Laws of 1890, and in accordance with the foregoing itemized estimate of expenses, it was on motion, ordered that the County revenue levy for taxes for the fiscal year be \$21994.75 upon all the taxable, real and personal property within the County of Sargent, State of North Dakota, and that the rate on each dollar aforesaid taxable property in the several revenue funds be as follows, viz:

General County fund	6. mills
Sinking fund	1.2 "
Poor fund	2. "
Road & Bridge fund	2. "
Gopher destruction fund	.5 "
Total	11.7 mills

Justice Report The Quarterly Report of W.L. Straub, Justice of the Peace for the quarter ending June 30th 1894, was presented and on motion approved, and fees ordered paid as follows, viz:

W.L. Straub	Justice fees	\$6.95
Stephen Ellison	Witness "	2.90
Henry Anderson	" "	2.90
Anton Hallem	" "	2.90
Henry Bacon	" "	2.90
Calvin Smart	" "	2.90

Salary States atty On motion, the salary of States Attorney for the term commencing Jan 1st 1895 was fixed at \$800. per year.

Bills The following bills were audited and on motion allowed, viz:

H.W. Emanuel,	salary as County Physician	41.66
A.A. Friskop,	services as County Commissioner	35.40
Gilbert Thompson	" " " "	25.10
E.E. Soule	" " " "	33.00
B.K. Rush	" " " "	35.30
A.O. Smith	" " " "	25.90

Delinquent Tax list Consideration of postponed. On motion, the further consideration of the delinquent tax list was postponed to Sept 22nd 1894

Dist. Court Orders. The following District Court orders for June term 1894, were audited and allowed, viz:

J.O. Blouin \$18.50	J.C. Brandt \$22.25	F.G. Bartlett \$18.20
H.L. Van Ornum 8.25	Martin Johnson 21.50	A. Mederbo 4.50
John Poirers 43.00	P.J. Harms 24.90	Gilbert Elkin 28.70
B.C. Grow 18.10	W.S. Howard 23.10	W. Lebakken 28.80
John Smellman 30.50	Frank Marcellus 6.10	A.G. Hagle 6.10
Albert Steens 7.10	H.A. Soule 24.35	John Fladby 29.80
Anton Busev 24.25	L.W. Preble 17.80	J.S. Wood 25.80