

Proceedings of County Commissioners.

Met October 17, 1884, at 2 p. m., in accordance with adjournment.
 Present, Com. Cooper.
 Adjourned until Oct. 18, 1884.
 Convened Oct. 18, 1884, at 2 p. m.
 Present, Commissioners Cooper, Halverson and Rukke.
 On motion adjourned till 4 p. m.
 Convened at 4 p. m.
 Present, Commissioners Cooper and Rukke.
 On motion adjourned till Oct. 20, 1884, at 2 p. m. *Oct 20 - 1884*
 Convened at 2 p. m.
 Present, Commissioners Rukke, Cooper, Halverson.

Bids for building bridge across Sheyenne river, on sec. 36, tp 148, r 59 were opened and found to be as follows, viz: Messrs. Thompson and Sifton's bid for building span across river, at \$7 cash; for building span across river, at \$9.35 county orders; building approaches, \$6 cash; building approaches, \$8 in county orders; drawing piles, \$7 cash; drawing piles, \$9.34 county orders. Hauling material from Cooperstown to place of bridge, \$100.

Bids for grading approaches to Sheyenne bridge on section 36, tp 148, range 59, were opened and found to be as follows, viz: Messrs. Thompson and Sifton, for grading per cubic yard, 25 cents in cash; 35 cents in county orders.

Peter Cameron, for grading, per cubic yard, 18 cents in cash; 23 cents in county orders. I. E. Mills, for grading, per cubic yard, 17 1/2 cents in cash; for grading per cubic yard, 24 cents in county orders.

On motion ordered that the bid of Peter Cameron for grading approaches to Sheyenne bridge on sec. 36, tp 148, r 59, be accepted at the sum of 23 cents per cubic yard, to be paid in county orders. Provided, however, that contract be entered into at once.

On motion ordered that bid of Messrs. Thompson and Sifton, for building bridge across Sheyenne river on sec. 36, tp 148, r 59, be rejected, the same not being in accordance with the advertisement.

On motion ordered that F. B. Edwards be instructed to purchase material for the above named bridge, and have the same delivered at Cooperstown, Dak., as soon as possible; also to purchase material for a pile driver.

On motion ordered that a new advertisement for bids for building a bridge across the Sheyenne river in section 36-148-59, according to plans to be found at county clerk's office, be published in the Cooperstown Courier for two insertions. Bids to be in two ways: for cash, and for county orders; and bids to be received until 12 o'clock m., Nov. 1, 1884, at county clerk's office—right reserved to reject any or all bids.

On motion ordered that a bridge be built across Bald Hill creek on section 33-145-59, and that the chairman be instructed to attend to the same.

On motion ordered that the salary of the county superintendent for six months from July 1, to December 31, 1884, be placed at \$200. No fees to be charged by him.

On motion ordered that plans furnished by F. B. Edwards for shelving pigeon holes in vaults in court house be accepted and that Alexander Moffat be instructed to construct the same, as per his proposition for \$210.

On motion ordered that a refunding order be issued to Andrew Johnson, of school township No. 3, for road poll tax, \$1.50.

On motion ordered that an abatement be granted to Ole J. Vestern for road poll tax, \$1.50.

On motion ordered that the following bills be allowed, viz: T. F. Kerr, three months' salary as county school superintendent, July 1 to October 1, 1884, \$100

Joseph Hoggarth, framing bridge across Bald Hill creek at D. Sinclair's, \$11.75.

The report of Hiram Williams, Maynard Crane and Graham Lockwood, views of the following proposed public road, and on motion ordered opened, viz: Commencing at the s w corner of section 30, tp 146, range 61 and running easterly through ranges 61 and 60 to the quarter stake between sections 24 and 36, tp 146, range 60, not leaving said section line at any point.

Proposition was made by S. B. Langford to raise the grade on east side of Sheyenne bridge, section 26-146-58, for 27 cents per cubic yard, cash, which was accepted by the board.

On motion adjourned till Nov. 1, 1884, at 9 a. m.

R. C. COOPER, Chairman.
 HERBERT P. SMART, Clerk.

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