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THE COURIER.

By Percy R. Grubshaw.

PRESIDENTIAL TICKET.

For President—
THEODORE ROOSEVELT, New York.
For Vice-President—
CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS, Indiana.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

Fifth Judicial District.
For Judge—
E. T. BURKE, Barnes County

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE
Board of County Commissioners,
Griggs County, North Dakota.

OFFICIAL PUBLICATION.

July 5, 1904.
There being no quorum present,
meeting adjourned until July 6 at 2
o'clock p. m.

P. A. Melgard,
County Auditor.

Board of county commissioners met
in regular session this 6th day of July
at 2 o'clock p. m.

All members of the board present.
The minutes of last meeting read and
approved.

The following bids for bridges were
opened and read:

Fargo Bridge and Iron Co., according
to plans by them submitted, was
\$2,945.00.

Northwestern Bridge Co., for the
erection of the steel structure, \$1,300.00;
for the erection of the wood bridges,
\$1,225.00; total \$2,425.00.

A. Y. Bayne & Co., for the erection of
all the bridges, \$2,965.00.

William S. Hewitt & Co., for the erec-
tion of all the bridges, \$2,997.00.

The Twin City Bridge Co., for the
erection of the steel bridge, \$2,600.00;
for the wood bridges, \$2,292; total
\$4,892.00.

Minneapolis Bridge and Iron Co., for
the erection of all the bridges, \$2,500.00.

Moved, that the contract be awarded
the Minneapolis Bridge and Iron Co.
Motion seconded and carried.

Upon application from the town of
Romes that Griggs county pay \$100.
00 as their share with Steele county for
the erection of a small bridge on the
county line between the two counties
on east line of sections 24 and 25, town-
ship 147, range 58, it was moved that
Griggs county pay to Steele county the
sum of \$100.00 as Griggs county's share
of the expenditure in the erection of
said bridge. Motion seconded and car-
ried.

On motion the following bills were
allowed:

N. Boe, for care and board of
sick poor..... \$ 20 00

J. R. Truscott, services on board
of health..... 31 50

Knapp & Buchheit, merchandise
to poor..... 61 40

T. O. Hetagar, services as en-
gineer..... 100 00

Ethel M. Warner, salary as de-
puty auditor..... 69 00

May K. Retzlaff, work for coun-
ty superintendent..... 1 50

C. H. Olsen, services as court
stenographer..... 42 00

Standard Oil Co., for keroene... 10 20

Ole Bakken, for freight and ex-
press paid..... 2 82

Clara Feiring, superintendent of
schools, for mileage, \$60.40;
postage, express, etc., \$11.93;
total..... 72 33

W. A. Hartman, janitors serv-
ices during institute..... 12 00

W. E. Hoover, leading institute. 32 15

Margaret Haley, services " 30 00

On motion board adjourned to meet
July 7, 1904, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.
All members present.

On motion the following bills were
allowed:

Nels Torgeson, for care of Simon
Johnson..... 69 00

Walker Brothers & Hardy, for
blanks..... 2 50

district..... 30 00

F. J. Stone, boarding jurors and
baillif..... 4 55

Moved and seconded, that Charley
Snider be appointed road overseer for
the 2d district. Motion carried.

The board then proceeded to review
and equalize the assessment rolls the
balance of the forenoon session.

On motion board adjourned to meet
at 2 o'clock p. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.
On motion the following bills were
allowed:

Ole Bakken, for postage..... 5 02

George Adams, for drayage..... 11 40

Thompson Bros., for merchan-
dise for poor..... 10 00

Ole Bakken, for court certifi-
cates, jurors' fees..... 28 20

C. B. Williams, wolf bounty..... 14 00

Knut Rogney, "..... 10 00

John H. Atchison, "..... 12 00

T. B. Olson, wolf "..... 8 00

Thorval Gunderson, "..... 14 00

Elias S. Olsvoid, "..... 16 00

Judson P. Calkins, "..... 10 00

John Dox, wolf "..... 10 00

W. H. Richardson, "..... 16 00

T. B. Olson, "..... 2 00

Lula E. Tennant, "..... 2 00

Adolph Retzlaff, "..... 20 00

The board then proceeded with the
review and equalization of assessments
the balance of the afternoon session.

On motion board adjourned to meet
July 8, 1904, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.
All members of board present.

The justice quarterly report of H. S.
Rearick, justice of the peace, was pre-
sented and on motion approved and the
following items of expense therein al-
lowed:

H. S. Rearick, justice fees case
state vs Dusabek..... \$ 1 90

J. C. Flynn, sheriff's fees case of
state vs Dusabek..... 4 20

H. S. Rearick, justice fees case
of state vs Painter..... 2 70

J. Arnold, marshal's fees case of
state vs Painter..... 3 20

J. Arnold, marshal's fees case of
state vs Kearn..... 50

J. Arnold, marshal's fees case of
state vs Kelly..... 50

J. Arnold, marshal's fees case of
state vs Percharit..... 50

H. S. Rearick, justice fees case
of state vs Ward..... 1 70

J. Arnold, marshal's fees case of
state vs Ward..... 2 70

J. C. Flynn, services as sheriff
district court..... 113 40

The board then proceeded with the
review and equalization of assessments
the balance of the forenoon session.

On motion board adjourned to meet
at 2 o'clock p. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.
All members present.

On motion the following bills were
allowed:

P. R. Trubshaw, for publishing,
\$43.30; for carbide, etc., \$3.40;
total..... 51 65

J. C. Flynn, for boarding pris-
oners, \$6.50; for salary as jail-
or, \$39.00; total..... 45 50

Matters necessary to the repairing of
said grade petitioned for. Motion car-
ried.

Moved and seconded, that the propo-
sition of Wm. Glass to pay one-half the
cost of grading on section line between
sections 9 and 4, township 146, range 58,
and the county of Griggs the other one-
half, be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved and seconded, that the county
surveyor be instructed to survey and
establish the road grades on the sev-
eral roads prayed for in petitions on
file with the county auditor, and file
such surveys with the county auditor
who shall at once proceed to advertise
for the grading of such roads. Motion
carried.

Moved that the following preamble
and resolution be adopted:

That, whereas, the probable expen-
ses for the ensuing fiscal year will be as
follows, to-wit:

Official salaries..... \$ 6,900 00

Clerk salaries..... 1,400 00

Insanity board..... 50 00

County commissioners..... 300 00

Engineer and janitor..... 600 00

County surveyor..... 250 00

County physician..... 250 00

Poor..... 600 00

Fuel and light..... 800 00

Blank books and printing..... 1,300 00

Courthouse and grounds..... 1,000 00

Boarding prisoners..... 250 00

District court expenses..... 400 00

Justice court expenses..... 150 00

Coroner's court expenses..... 50 00

Wolf bounties..... 200 00

Board of health..... 100 00

Miscellaneous expenses, con-
sisting of postage, express,
freight, drayage, telephone,
beds, bedding, etc., for jail,
and for sundry articles in
every-day use around the
building, not otherwise men-
tioned..... 700 00

Making a total expense of..... \$15,250 00

And, whereas, certain fees are paid
into the county treasury for the benefit
of the general fund, thereby reducing
the taxes to be levied to that extent;

Therefore be it Resolved by the
Board of County Commissioners of the
County of Griggs and State of North
Dakota, That the following taxes be
levied upon all real and personal prop-
erty assessed for the year 1904, in the
County of Griggs and State of North
Dakota, as follows, to-wit:

For general purposes, Ten Thousand
Dollars.

For interest on bonds, Fifteen Hundred
Dollars.

For sinking fund, Fifteen Hundred
Dollars.

Be it Further Resolved, That a tax
of one-fifth of one mill be levied on all
real and personal property in the coun-
ty, for the benefit of the Griggs County
Fair Association, as provided in Sec-
tion 163, revised codes 1899.

And be it Further Resolved, That
there be levied a tax of two mills on
each and every dollar of valuation upon
all taxable property in the county, ex-
cept in incorporated cities and villages,
for a County Road Fund, as provided
by section 1081, revised codes 1899, as
amended and approved March 10, 1903.

The motion was seconded and car-
ried, all voting in the affirmative.

On motion board adjourned to meet
at 2 o'clock p. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.
Moved, seconded and carried, that the
janitor procure paint and paint the
windows of the courthouse.

On motion the following bills were
allowed:

O. S. Gunderson, services as
county commissioner..... \$ 25 40

P. A. Melgard, postage..... 8 00

John T. Fosholdt, services as
county commissioner..... 21 80

C. J. Lucken, services as county
commissioner..... 23 20

J. B. Armstrong, services as
county commissioner..... 22 80

Charles Nelson, services as coun-
ty commissioner..... 23 00

Jameson & Olson, for merchan-
dise to poor..... 7 00

On motion board adjourned to meet
August 30, 1904, at 9 o'clock a. m.
P. A. MELGARD,
County Auditor Griggs County, N. D.

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

Relating to the Review and Equalization of Assessments.

The Board of County Commission-
ers being in regular session July 6, 7,
8 and 9, proceeded to review and
equalize the assessments in Griggs

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AN INVITATION.

We extend you a cordial invitation to partake with us
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