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Official Paper of Griggs County

Commissioners' Proceedings.

Convened Oct. 4th, 1886, at 10 a. m.
Neither of the commissioners being
present the clerk adjourned the meeting
until Oct. 11th, 1886, at 11 o'clock a. m.
Present, Commissioners Hogenson
and Halverson.

Adjourned to meet at 1 p. m.
Convened at 1 p. m.

Present, Commissioners Hogenson,
Halverson and Moseley.

Upon motion ordered that John Hoge-
son be appointed temporary chairman.

Upon motion ordered that the follow-
ing bills be allowed, viz:

John Torfin, road work, district No.
seven, \$19.00.

Andrew Torfin, salary road sup.
district No. two, \$40.50.

Nels E. Nelson, salary road sup. dis-
trict No. seven, \$24.00.

Nels E. Nelson, road work district
No. seven, \$6.25.

Jas. Gimblett, road work district No.
six, \$1.50.

Andrew Anderson, road work district
No. two, \$2.77.

Martin Johnson, road work district
No. two, \$3.25.

L. Larson, road work district No.
three, \$2.70

A. Lukkasen, road work, district No.
ten, \$6.32.

Nels Gulbranson, bridge timber dis-
trict No. four, \$10.00.

Gull River Lumber Co., lumber for
bridges, \$74.12.

A. N. Adams, nails, stove pipe, etc.,
\$12.19.

Barnes county district court expenses,
\$579.30.

On motion ordered that the following
road supervisor's reports be approved,
viz: Andrew Torfin, district No. two;
Nels E. Nelson, district No. seven.

On motion ordered that the following
abatements be made, viz:

Halvor Klefstaadas, road poll tax
1885, \$1.50.

Claus Jackson, road and school poll
tax 1883, \$2.50.

Chas. Anderson, road and school poll
tax 1883, \$2.50.

Thos. Knudson, personal property tax
1885, \$1.30

Jos. Bartos, personal property tax,
1883, \$7.58.

J. Simpson, road and school poll tax
1883, \$2.50.

E. Western, road and school poll tax
1883, \$2.50.

NE 4-148-59, tax for 1885 on forty-
three acres, value \$172, tax \$4.64.

Jas. McCulloch, personal property tax
1883, \$4.74.

O. F. Ford, road and school poll tax
1883, \$2.50.

Nels Gulbranson, road and school poll
tax 1883, \$2.50.

A. Fekland, road and school poll tax
1883, \$2.50.

Dan L. Johnson, road and school poll
tax 1883, \$2.50.

Erik Jacobson, road and school poll
tax 1883, \$2.50.

H. O. Retztaff, road and school pol
tax 1885, \$2.50.

Theo. Andrus, personal property tax
1883, \$6.18

Ole Alfson, road and school poll tax
1883, \$2.50.

S 4-144-58, tax of 1883, \$27.26.

SE 4-s and ne 4 of ne 1/2 sw of sw
4-9-144-58 or tax of 1883, \$41.07.

Sec. 13-14-58, tax of 1883, \$54.53.

SE 4-23-144-58, tax of 1883, \$15.90.

Sec. 25-14-58, tax of 1883, \$22.70.

W 1/2 of e 1/2-27-144-58, tax of 1883, \$13.63.

E 1/2 of w 1/2 and e 1/2 of e 1/2-27-144-58, tax
of 1883, \$36.35.

Sec. 31-14-58, tax of 1883, \$111.10.

SW 1/2 of nw 1/2-n 1/2 of sw 1/2-se 1/2 of sw 1/2
of ne 1/2-35-144-58, tax of 1883, \$20.45.

NW 1/2-w 1/2 of sw 1/2-w 1/2 of e 1/2-9-145-58,
tax of 1883, \$40.03.

NE 1/2 of sw 1/2-38-146-58, tax of 1883,
\$6.09.

SW 1/2-s 1/2 and nw 1/2 of nw 1/2-35-145-59,
tax of 1883, \$43.00.

S 1/2 of n 1/2 and n 1/2 of s 1/2-11-146-59, tax
of 1883, \$16.26.

NW 1/2 of ne 1/2-15-146-59, tax of 1883,
\$4.06.

Sec. 1-146-00, tax of 1883, \$47.10.

S 1/2-31-147-00, tax of 1883, \$36.35.

S 1/2-33-147-00, tax of 1883, \$36.35.

S 1/2-35-147-00, tax of 1883, \$36.35.

W 1/2 of w 1/2-31-144-61, tax of 1883,
\$21.37.

E 1/2-33-144-61, tax of 1883, \$42.75.

J. C. Brendel, road and school poll tax
1883, \$2.50.

H. Williams, road poll tax 1883, \$1.50.

Hiram Reed, road poll tax 1883, \$1.50.

Edith McCrea, personal property tax
1883, \$23.20.

H. P. Frombus, road and school poll
tax 1883, \$2.50.

Unknown, personal property tax 1884
\$0.63.

S. J. Axdahil, personal property tax
1884, \$24.86

G. M. Cunningham, personal property
tax 1483, \$2.89.

Unknown, personal property tax 1883,
\$13.94.

E. J. Moan, personal property tax
1884, \$0.96.

J. H. Mustad, personal property tax
1884, \$6.05.

On motion ordered that the following
refunding orders be allowed, viz:

John Hanson, road poll tax for 1824,
over age, \$1.50.

John Hanson, road poll tax for 1885,
over age, \$1.50.

T. P. Flagestad, taxes for 1885 on
seventeen acres an e 1/2 and sw 1/2 of sw 1/2-
18-148-59, \$1.84.

School township treasurer's reports
for year ending June 30, 1886, from
treasurers of Red Willow and Greendale
townships, were returned for correction.

Upon motion ordered that the valua-
tion of Hans Olson's personal property
for year 1886 be reduced \$30.

Upon motion ordered that the proposi-
tion of W. E. Hyde, viz: To do all work
pertaining to care of court house and
heating apparatus during winter of 1886-
7 for \$35 per month in county orders, and
draw all necessary coal from station free
of charge, be accepted, providing the
building is to be heated by steam.

A letter from District Attorney Iver
Jacobson was presented, asking for in-
structions with reference to commencing
suits against those violating the law
regulating the sale of intoxicating liquors,
which was laid upon the table to be
disposed of at the next meeting.

Upon motion ordered that each of the
county officials be requested to furnish
the board of county commissioners, on
or before Nov. 1st, 1886, an estimate of
the number and kinds of all blanks,
books and stationery required for use in
their respective offices for the term of
one year next thereafter; and therefrom
the board of county commissioners will
advertise in two or more leading news-
papers, to be designated by said board,
for proposals to furnish such blanks,
books and stationery at the lowest pos-
sible price.

Petitions for the organization of town-
ship 145-58, as a civil township, signed
by C. Arestad, Martin A. Ueland,
Tomnes Vatie and others, was pre-
sented.

Upon motion ordered that township
145, range 58 be organized as a civil
township by name of Gallatin, and that
a meeting be held in said township, on
Saturday Oct. 30, 1886, at the Chalmers
schoolhouse on Sec. 22, for the purpose
of electing a full set of township offi-
cers, and also for the purpose of choos-
ing a name for said township.

On motion adjourned to meet Oct.
16th, 1886, at 1 p. m.

JOHN HOGENSON, Temp. Chairman,
H. P. SMART, Clerk.

WANTED.—100,000 bushels No. 1
hard in exchange for groceries, at 5 cents
above elevator prices.

Wm. Jamison & Co.

WANTED.—Good experienced far-
mer to put in 1887 crop, on forty acres
of land, and break and backset 120 acres.
Land situated five miles northeast of
Cooperstown. Address, Sirmington &
Miller.

Mothers wanting photographs of
their children, should come now, while
the weather is pleasant. I am using the
lightning process, and nobody need be
without a photo.

J. P. Aaberg,
The photographer.

Taken up.

Came to my place on Wednesday,
Oct. 6, one white hog, weight about 200
lbs; has three rings in his nose.

Henry Johnson,

Sec. 20, town, 145, r. 58.

Notes Due.

We have left for collection with Clark
& Smart. All parties owing us are re-
quested to come forth and settle same
without delay, and save cost.

Merrill Bros. & Luce.

Taken Up.

One bay gelding—old enough to vote
—weight 1,000 pounds—white on both
hind legs. Come, pay charges, and take
him away. 26 Nils Gilbranson.

J. P. Aaberg, wishes it understood,
that he does not intend to remain here
always. All wanting work done, come
early. First come, first serve d.

The unexpected large sales we have
had in sewing machines the past year,
justifies our belief, that we are repres-
enting the three best sewing machines
in the market. The White, Davis, and
American. A full stock of machines
always on hand. John Syverson & Co.

If you want a good photograph, go to
Cooperstown. First class work guaran-
teed, and prices reasonable.

J. P. Aaberg.

For good workhorses call on C. A.
Hunter. He always has a few on hand.

Box elder, and white ash tree
seeds for sale by Wm. C. Jameson.

Parties wanting furniture, should
bear in mind, that we have the largest,
and the only complete stock, in the
county. We can supply you with any-
thing from a cradle, to the finest parlor
set.

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Miss Emma Henry and Mrs. Jor-
gensen have entered into a partnership
and will endeavor to keep on hand the
most stylish articles in the millinery line
and the latest styles in dressmaking.

You can say what you think, and
think what you please; but the Coop-
erstown photographer, is the best work-
man in the Northwest. And he is
going to leave you soon, so come, before
it is too late.

J. P. Aaberg,
The photographer.

Notice to School Officers.

EXCHANGE OF BOOKS.

Arrangements having been completed
with the publishers, whereupon the Ar-
ithmetics now in use in the schools of
the county, may be exchanged for new
Arithmetics (where the old book is of
the same standard as the new,) free un-
til Dec. 1st. After that date all new
books must be bought at regular rates.
It is very desirable that the new Arith-
metic be introduced in all our schools,
to maintain the present uniformity.

It is hoped that school officers will take
pains to inform all patrons of the pro-
posed change.

Theo. F. Kerr,
County Supt.

TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC.

For flour and feed don't fail to call on
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have all your wants supplied from the
large stock which he always keeps on
hand. Flour of all grades; Bran, Shorts,
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Oats. All of which he will sell at lowest
living prices.

Note change in price of flour: Dia-
mond brand \$2.25, Straight \$2.50, A
Pat. \$2.75, Occident \$3.00.

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Our ready made clothing, and gents,
furnishing goods department, have al-
ways attracted the attention of every-
body, coming to our store. And our
stock this year, by far, exceeds all pre-
vious efforts, both in quantity, quality
variety of styles, and low prices.

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To whom it may concern:

The bank of Cooperstown, Coopers-
town, D. T., Stevens & Pickett, prop-
rietary, having made an assignment to me,
all parties holding valid claims against
above bank, are requested to file such
claims in writing with the undersigned,
within six months from date. Claims
not filed within given limit, will not be
considered.

THEO. DRAZ, Assignee.
St. Paul, May 10, 1886.

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NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo,
D. T., Sept. 8, 1886. Notice is hereby given that
the following named settler has filed notice of his
intention to make final proof in support of his
claim and secure final entry thereof, viz: Nels
Nelson D. B. No. 15,546, for the e 1/2 nw 1/4 and
sw 1/4 of sec. 12, tp. 18 n., 61 w., and names the fol-
lowing as his witnesses, viz: P. T. Scotland,
Halvor M. Wangness, Wm. Healy, and John E.
Quirk, all of Willow, P. O., Griggs county, D. T.

The testimony of claimant and wit-
nesses to be taken before Hon. Reg-
ister or Receiver of U. S. Land Office, at Fargo, D.
T., on the 20th day of Oct. A. D. 1886, at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

And von John Clark, who filed H. E. No. 16,402
on the 16 day of Feb'y, 1886, upon said lands and
hereby notified to be and appear before the Reg-
ister or Receiver of U. S. Land Office, at Fargo,
D. T., on the 29 day of Oct. 1886, and show cause
if any you have