OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA

Watertown, South Dakota
March 4, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Minutes of meetings of February 1, 5, 8, 13, 21, and 26 were approved.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Carl Lindqvist $16.00; W. B. Higman $110.67; Gerald Best $1.10; Hazel Hegarty $163.20; Commissioners Per Diem and Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $39.80; A. G. Hestad $46.73; Einar Jordeth $39.80; James L. Keenan $51.90; Palmer D. Sheldon $36.30; Coroner's Expense-Fred Wolcott $5.10; Mrs. Wm. Hoftiezer $1.10; Wm. Hoftiezer $1.10; James O'Byren $1.05; Mrs. James O'Byrne $1.05; Mabel C. Alworth $27.70; Clifford Larabee $5.10; H. M. Jacobson $5.10; C. C. Wamsley $5.10; George Wolcott $5.40; John A. Fish $5.10; John Quick $2.40; Kenneth Kirsch $1.10; Darrell Purintun $1.10; Marvin Young $1.10; Tommy William $1.10; Bob Ward $1.10; Carrie Blake $1.10; Vernon Arnold $1.10; Ed Murphy $1.10; Dwight Sandidge $1.10; Peggy Kant $1.10; Norma Skells $1.10; Audry Schmeling $1.10; Donna O'Byrne $1.10; Dr. O. S. Randall $10.05; Mrs. Claus Engels $1.05; Viola Matson $1.05; Lloyd Shenk $1.05; Eldridge Engels $1.05; Leonard Ploof $1.05; Joseph E. Messer $90.73; S. J. Walters $5.00; M. W. Larson $5.00; H. T. Kenney $10.00; G. R. Bartron $25.00; W. G. Magee $12.94; John W. Argabrite $5.00; O. S. Randall $5.00; Vital Statistics-Walter A. Farl $336.00; R. M. Kilgard $96.50; C. Rodney Stoltz $28.75; M. C. Rousseau $27.50; S. J. Walters $6.00; H. W. Huber $6.75; Myron Larsen $10.00; H. Russell Brown $3.25; W. G. Magee $1.00; Donald N. Fedt $2.00; Carroll J. Clark $3.00; M. C. Thompson $1.50; G. Robert Bartron $5.00; O. S. Randall $2.50; Thomas Reul $3.50; H. T. Kenney $6.25; Joseph E. Messer $2.00; Mary Schmidt $.75; H. J. Bartron $1.00; L. J. Armalavage $2.00; J. W. Argabrite $2.50; John S. Stransky $2.25; Abern Willen $3.75; Ramon Askups $1.00; John W. Gridley $8.75; Donald M. Olson $.50; Auditor's Office Expense-Addressograph Sales Agency $45.99; County Judge Office Expense-Watertown Typewriter Co. $137.50; Welfare-R. K. Johnson Grocery $18.00; Red Owl Food Store $9.36; Dr. M. C. Thompson $73.00; Medical Arts Clinic $220.00; Bartron Hospital $192.40; Bartron Clinic $76.32; County Farm-Olson Appliance Co. $12.60; K. D. Inc. $27.31; Watertown Co-Operative Elevator $53.30; C. M. V.-Lyle Thorson $35.38.

The following bounty claims were approved: Lloyd S. Foster $15.00; Kenneth Davis $7.50.

Monthly statements of State Sanatorium at Sanator, S. D. in the amount $221.65 and Redfield State Hospital and School in the amount of $500.00 for the month of February, 1952 were approved by the Board.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer was approved by the Board as follows: Total amount of deposits in banks, $395,994.38; Total amount of checks, drafts, and cash in the Treasuer's possession not exceeding three days, $10,805.38; Government Bonds, $182,000.00; Total of all items, $588,799.10.

The Board approved the application of Herman Schulte for Wilfred Schulte for refund of 1951 personal property tax in the amount of $5.12 and abatement of 1951 personal property tax in the amount of $5.12 for the reason of an error which resulted in getting the tax of Lewis Schults entered on Wilfred Schultes tax notice and receipt.

Several people appeared before the Board for information regarding the duties of the care-taker at Memorial Park.

The Board authorized the County Auditor to attend the Third Annual Assessor's School at Huron, South Dakota, March 5 and 6, 1952.

The County Auditor submitted for the Board's approval, a quit claim deed to tax deed property from Codington County to Olaf M. Jordeth for a consideration of $5.00 the following described property: Lot 5, Block 23 in Wallace Village, South Dakota.

It was moved by Hestad and seconded by Keenan that foregoing deed be approved, which motion prevailed.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the Board reject all road petitions praying for admission to the County Highway System on file in the Auditor's Office as of March 1, 1952. The motion carried.

Appraisal of Land Acquired by Tax Proceeding to be Offered For Sale by County

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, SouthDakota, deems it advisable to sell the real property hereinafter described, acquired by said county by tax deed, and said Board of County Commissioners has directed that such real property be offered for sale and that it first be appraised by said board as provided by law,

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, report that they have made a just and fair appraisement of the real property hereinafter described:

Description	Appraised Value
East 16' of South 34' of Lot 4, Block 39, Second Ry. Add. to Watertown	$25.00
Lot 2, Block 5, Gesley's Addition to Watertown	10.00
Lot 10, Block 5, Kemp Bros. Addition to Watertown	5.00
Lot 32, Block 5, Kemp Bros. Addition to Watertown	5.00
Lot 32, Block 11, Kemp Bros. Addition to Watertown	5.00
Lot 25, Block 3, in the town of Waverly	40.00

Dated this 4th day of March, 1952.

Palmer D Sheldon
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

Vernon H Belk
County Commissioner

Elmar Sorderth
County Commissioner

A G Hustad
County Commissioner

James L Benson
County Commissioner

R E S O L U T I O N #134

RESOLUTION DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, the County of Codington in the State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 4th day of March, 1952, at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property, to-wit:

Description	Appraised Value
East 16' of South 34' of Lot 4, Block 39, Second Railway Addition to Watertown, South Dakota	$25.00
Lot 2, Block 5, Gesley's Addition to Watertown	10.00
Lot 10, Block 5, Kemp Bros. Addition to Watertown	5.00
Lot 32, Block 5, Kemp Bros. Addition to Watertown	5.00
Lot ~~32~~ 28, Block 11, Kemp Bros. Addition to Watertown	5.00
Lot 25, Block 3, in the town of Waverly	40.00

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of said Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota.

Dated this 4th day of March, 1952

Palmer D Sheldon
Vernon Hoelk
Elmar Sorderth
A G Hustad
James L Benson
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Notice of Sale By County of Land Acquired by Tax Proceeding

Whereas, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Codington, South Dakota, has directed the within described real property acquired by said County by tax proceedings to be sold as provided by law.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the direction of the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, notice is hereby given that the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the Board of Commissioners of said County at the front door of the Courthouse, in theCity of Watertown, County of Codington, State of South Dakota, on the 25th day of March, 1952, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described real estate situate in the County of Codington, State of South Dakota, to-wit:

Description	Appraised Value
East 16' of South 34' of Lot 4, Block 39, Second Railway Addition to Watertown	$25.00
Lot 2, Block 5, Gesley's Addition to Watertown	10.00
Lot 10, Block 5, Kemp Bros. Addition to Watertown	5.00
Lot 32, Block 5, Kemp Bros. Addition to Watertown	5.00
Lot 28, Block 11, Kemp Bros. Addition to Watertown	5.00
Lot 25, Block 3, in the town of Waverly	40.00

The terms upon which said real estate will be sold are as follows: Cash

Dated this 4th day of March, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County,
South Dakota.

The Board adjourned to March 11, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
March 11, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Tax Collector-Beatrice Nelson $82.02; Ole James Nelson $99.23; County Extension-Audrey McCollum $48.05; Printing and advertising $236.07; South Shore Gazette $42.04; The Henry Independent $46.45; Coroner's Expense-Joseph E. Messer $3.50; H. Russell Brown $5.00; Assessor's Salaries and Supplies-Carl F. Bergan $6.40; Court Expense-M. J. DeVille $3.80; E. Clifford Englund $70.92; Sheriff's Mileage $407.40; Board of Prisioners $160.40; Sheriff's Fees $39.39; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown $81.00; Court House Maintenance-Carl Lindqvist $65.00; Mrs. Carl Lindqvist $125.00; Egge Electric Co. $1.75; Joseph H. Strom $1.00; Wilson Forwarding Co. $1.64; Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $182.30; L. O. H. Co. $7.30; Mrs. J. Elvera Englund $3.78; Dunlop Wall Paper and Paint Co. $9.90; Bernie's Cycle Shop $1.00; Burghardt Radio Supply $4.50; Sioux Falls Paper Co. $35.01; Park Grant Co. $7.70; Marshall Wells Store $39.02; Nelson Hardware $12.29; City Treasurer $620.92; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $47.57; Auditor's Office Expense-R. C. Booth Enterprises $14.00; Frieden Calculating Machine Co. $38.50; Watertown Typewriter Co. $4.88; Midwest Beach Co. $130.43; Treasurer's Office Expense-Midwest Beach Co. $130.42; Ruhe's Stationery $35.00; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-The Mitchell Publishing Co. $156.75; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Ruhe's Stationery Co.-35¢; Public Welfare Office Expense-Midwest Beach Co. $45.50; Sheriff's Office Expense-Standard Railway Rusee Corp. $13.34; F. C. Grow Sons-Printers $11.25; Welfare-National Tea Co. $12.50; O. P. Skaggs $92.50; The Little Grocery $24.50; Home Grocery $27.50; R. K. Johnson Grocery $74.43; Hunter's Grocery $73.30; Graham's Grocery $48.00; Boyle's Grocery $40.00; Re Owl Store $25.00; Hiway Grocery $10.00; Tiny's Grocery $10.00; Everett's Grocery $32.50; Council Oak Grocery $15.00; F. P. Creaser and Sons $122.08; Thompson Yards, Inc. $33.00; Codington County Oil Co. $38.25; Watertown Community Oil Co. $49.55; Standard Oil Co. $68.85; McBath Coal and Coke Co. $47.72; Mundell Petroleum $15.30; Joseph E. Messer $103.00; Memorial Hospital $2309.11; Bartron Hospital $1354.77; Bartron Clinic $501.05; St. Ann's Hospital $432.65; H. T. Kenney $62.00; Brown Clinic $67.00; Medical Arts Clinic $260.50; Duffner's Drug Store $139.85; Duffner's Drug Store $103.13; Thomes Drug Store $18.54; Kriser's Drug Store $98.05; Randall Spies, Inc $25.00; Florence Farmers Coop. Elevator $57.12; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $83.35; Gary Rest Home $5.00; Walter Gusso $25.00; Mrs. Gladys Helseth $60.00; Louis C. Kinstad $63.00; Lohr's Home $30.00; Ed Schaaf $30.00; Irene Stockman $100.00; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00; Mrs. Mary Miller $10.00; County Farm-Park Grant Co. $13.30; Marshall-Wells Store $3.53; Nelson Hardware $45.32; City Treasurer $28.85; Kriser's Drug Store $1.48; Randall Spies $11.02; Mahowald Co. $5.95; Watertown Coop. Elevator $59.96; COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE-City Treasurer $11.37; Miller Brother's Lumber Co. $1.20; F. C. Grow Sons-Printers $45.00; Florence Farmers Coop. Elevator $26.26; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $22.00; Mahowald Co. $2.44; Empire Equipment Co. $44.02; Hanten General Sales & Service $13.70; Motor Supply Co. $167.03; Marquardt's Service and Supply Co. $303.10; Wheat's Electric Service $6.25; Philip Jesme $13.00; Watertown Tire Co. $6.50; Elizabeth Pinholt $1.81; Watertown Machine Works $149.28; International Harvester Co. $333.81; North Western Public Service Co. $8.21; LaNoue's Radiator Shop $6.00; J. P. Foster Co. $36.19; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $36.48; Chicago and Northwestern Railway Co. $4.18; Cave Supply Co. $39.82; Reiter's Standard Service $2.25; Ed's Grocery $3.70; Dakota Welding and Supply Co. $1.95; Putnam's Uptown Service $383.77; Arthur Schwandt $13.80; ROAD-Susan J. Hanten $20.62; COUNTY HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE RESERVE-Walter H. Schwanke $24.37; TESTBOOKS-Hub City School Supply Co. $15.42; WEED BOARD-Paul David $5.82; Joseph J. Fox $5.68; INSANE-Ruth Shenk $5.00.

Morris Wisott appeared before the Board regarding delinquent personal property taxes. No action was taken.

The application of Donald Schoepp for abatement of 1951 personal property tax in the amount of $2.51 for reason of error in computing Review Board raise on his assessment was approved by the Board.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board of Commissioners for public hearing on the applications of Matt N. Kranz for Class "D" (on and off sale beer license) and Class "F" (on sale intoxicating liquor license) at the place of business known as the Silver Star Bar, located on Lots 12, 13, and 14 in Block 12, Kranzburg, South Dakota; and whereas no one appeared to protest said applications it was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that foregoing applications be approved, which motion prevailed.

The Clerk of Courts Statement of Fees Collected in February 1952 in the amount of $315.40; and the statement of Yankton State Hospital in the amount of $1612.33 were approved by the Board.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the Board of Commissioners authorize the South Dakota State Highway Commission to make the necessary surveys preliminary to carrying out Project #S 426 (5) FAS Route #293, and Project #S 359 (2) FAS Route #286. The motion carried.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that when petitions to add township roads to the County Highway System are presented for consideration to the County Board of Commissioners they must be accompanied by agreements to furnish deeds to right-of-way and easements for bank slopings necessary for road so petitioned. Before final approval by the County Board, it will be required that deeds and easements above mentioned shall be delivered to said Board, and that final approval for addition of township roads to the County Highway System is subject to acceptance and ratification by the State Highway Commission. The motion carried.

It was moved by Hestad and seconded by Keenan that the Board vote a bonus in the amount of $125.00 to Carl Lindqvist, deceased, for his honest and faithful service as custodian of the Court House for over twenty years, and that said bonus be made payable to Mrs. Lindqvist. The motion carried unanimously.

The three Watertown hospitals submitted to the Board of County Commissioners an agreement whereby they offered to provide hospital care to Codington County indigent patients for $5.00 a day plus regular prices for other services and supplies less ten per cent, these rates to be effective as of March 1, 1952 and subject to change upon a thirty day notice.

The Board ordered foregoing agreement to be filed in the County Auditor's Office.

The Board adjourned to March 17, 1952 at 10:00 A. M.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

March 17, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Commissioner's Per Diem and Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $123.60; A. G. Hestad $84.92; Einar Jordeth $65.96; James L. Keenan $125.90; Palmer D. Sheldon $106.80.

Three Board members, Keenan, Jordeth, and Belk and the County Auditor spent the forenoon at the County Farm for routine inspection and checking inventory of same.

The Board reconvened at 2:00 P. M.

The appointment of Lew Fjerstad as Deputy Sheriff was noted by the Board.

The remainder of the day was spent in studying applications for the position of caretaker of Memorial Park.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. March 18, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
March 18, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present on roll call, Sheldon presiding.

Commissioner Hestad asked to be excused to attend a funeral, which request the Board granted.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense $5.10; COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE-J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $4.18.

Mrs. Betty Wattier and Mrs. Irvin Eisenbise appeared before the Board regarding county liens of Irvin Eisenbise and Della Eisenbise which appeared on the abstract of title to property now owned by Mrs. Wattier.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that all liens of Della Eisenbise and Irvin Eisenbise incurred prior to August 23, 1949 be released, which motion prevailed.

Several of the 38 applicants applying for the position of caretaker of Memorial Park appeared before the Board. Chairman Sheldon explained that in view of the much larger number of applicants than was anticipated, the Board would defer choosing a caretaker until the list of applicants could be more thoroughly checked.

After screening the list of applicants down to eight, the Board requested the County Auditor to notify those eight that they should appear before the Board at 10:00 A. M., March 24, 1952 for further consideration.

R E S O L U T I O N #135

WHEREAS, Almighty God, in his just and manifest wisdom has seen fit to call to his kingdom our late friend and fellow-worker, Carl Lindqvist, and

WHEREAS his life has long been an example of unselfish service to his family and his community which should be accorded recognition and appreciation by this body, and

WHEREAS it is felt desirable that the true worth of this good man should be made manifest, and

WHEREAS for twenty two years this modest and unassuming man has rendered yeoman serivce, not only for the officers of the County, not only to the preservation and improvement of his greatest pride the Codington County Courthouse, but for all the organizations and individuals who have availed themselves of the facilities of the Courthouse, and

WHEREAS his presence will continue to be felt, The name of "Carl" echoes through the halls, though he is gone hsi name will ever live so long as this Courthouse shall stand and the memory of those now living shall persist because of his philosophy of diligence and honesty in all that he did, the motto which stood over his worn workbench;

"DO WELL THY WORK: IT WILL SUCEED IN THIS OR IN ANOTHER'S DAY: AND, IF DENIED THE VICTOR'S MEAD THOU SHALL NOT LACK THE TOILER'S PAY."

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that we hereby express, on behalf of Codington County, our sincere regard for Carl Lindqvist, our respect for the example thus set for all by a workman who respected and took pride in his work, and our deepest sympathy for his wife and child in their bereavement, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution be spread upon the official records of this Board and that a copy of such Resolution be sent to the widow of the departed.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 18th day of March, 1952.

Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

Commissioner, Second District

Commissioner, Third District

Commissioner, Fourth District

Commissioner, Fifth District

ATTEST:

County Auditor

The Board adjourned until 10:00 A. M. March 24, 1952.

County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
March 24, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournemt at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Pursuant to direction of the Board as noted in the Commissioners' Proceedings of March 18, 1952, applicants for the position of caretaker of Memorial Park and assistant Court House Custodian appeared before the Board and were individually interviewed.

After due deliberation, J. W. Hoftiezer, 314 West Kemp Ave., Watertown, South Dakota was selected as caretaker of Memorial Park for the 1952 season, May through September; and Carl Michaelson, 221½ 3rd Ave. N. W., Watertown, South Dakota, was chosen as Court House assistant custodian.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Ellsworth Spearbeck $81.60.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. March 25, 1952.

County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
March 25, 1952

The Board of Commissioners convened at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

This being the time and place fixed bythe Board for the letting of bids to furnish Codington County with the following materials for 1952:

(1.) Reinforced concrete pipe 15" and up
(2.) Chemical Weed Spray
(3.) Petroleum products delivered to County equipment wherever stationed.
(4.) Service station service to County Motor Vehicles

Chairman Sheldon requested the County Auditor to open and read the bids in the order appearingabove.

South Dakota Concrete Products Co. submitted the only bid on concrete pipe.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the bid of South Dakota Concrete Products Co. be accepted as shown on contract to be filed in the Auditor's Office. The motion carried.

Weed spray bids were submitted by the following firms: R. A. Hyde Oil Co, Standard Oil Co., General Mills, and Lester Hanson Elevator Co.

Bids to furnish petroleum products by tank wagonwere submitted by the following firs: R. A. Hyde Oil Co., Codington County Oil Co., D. A. Lubricant Co., Inc., Standard Oil Co. and Socony Vacuum Oil Co. Service station bids were submitted by Putnam's Uptown Service and Reangy's Service.

The Board deferred action on foregoing Weed Spray and petroleum bids till 10:00 A. M., March 26, 1952, and asked that representatives of firms submitting bids appear at that time for individual interviews with the Board.

Report of Sale by County Auditor of Class One Land Acquired By Tax Proceedings.

TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA:

Carl F. Bergan, the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota makes the following return of the proceedings had pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners to offer for sale the within described real estate acquired by the county by tax proceedings, and reports as follows, to-wit:

That the real property directed to be offered for sale by the Board of County Commissioners was first classified as class one land and was appraised by the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, at the sum of $50.00.

That in pursuance of the direction of the Board of County Commissioners that the within described real estate acquired by tax proceeding be offered for sale, he caused notice of sale thereof to be published in a legal newspaper of the County of Codington once each week for a period of two successive weeks before the date of sale specified therein, which notice contained a description of the real property to be sold and the time, place, and terms of sale, all of which appears by such notice and affidavit of publication filed herein.

That said County Auditor, pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners and notice duly given, offered for sale and on the 2th day of March, 1952, sold subject to the confirmation of the Board of County Commissioners, the following described real estate to Benson Quinn Company, and Emmett Keyser, etal, being the highest and best bidder for the sum of $50.00, said sum being the highest and best sum bid and not being less than the amount of the appraisement, upon the following terms, to-wit: Cash at the time of sale in the amount of $50.00 deposited with the County Treasurer,

The real estate so sold is described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 25, Block 3, Town of Waverly
Lot 2, Block 5, Gesley's Addition to Watertown

Dated this 25 day of March, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County,
South Dakota

R E S O L U T I O N #136

Resolution Approving Sale

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described real property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to legal sale have been complie with and that one Benson Quinn Company and Emmett Keyser, etal of Waverly and Watertown, has offered the sum of $50.00 in cash for the following described real property, to-wit:

Lot 25, Block 3, Town of Waverly
Lot 2, Block 5, Gesley's Addition to Watertown

which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited in cash with the County Treasurer;

NOW THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 25 day of March, 1952, that the sale of said premises to the said Benson Quinn Company and Emmett Keyser, etal of Codington County be and the same is hereby approved and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deed to said purchaser conveying to said purchaser all of the right, title, and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 25th day of March, 1952.

Palmer D. Sheldon
Vernon H. Belk
Elmer Goodeth
G. G. Hallet
James P. Kemmy
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

The Quarterly Report of the Justice of Peace, J. H. Strom, in the amount of $137.25 for the period ending March 31, 1952 was approved by the Board.

The application of Eddie Benson for abatement of 1947 school and road poll in the amount of $3.00 for reason of armed service exemtpion, was approved by the Board.

The application of Mrs. Ardell Goodroad for abatement of 1950 taxes in the amount of $1.62 on property described as Lot 62 in Belmont Addition to Watertown was approved by the Board.

The farm rental lease from Codington County to Alvin Tulowetzke of the SW¼ Sec. 22-119-51 from March 1, 1952 until March 1, 1953 for $160.00 was approved by the Board.

Bonds of township officers were approved as follows: Albert Erickson, Clerk, Leola Township; Reuben Noeldner, Assessor, Leola Township; Thomas N. Hagen, Treasurer, Dexter Township; John Neville, Treasurer, Leola Township; Ernest Konrady, Assessor, Elmira Township; Albert Schultz, Treasurer, Richland Township; Otto Korth, Treasurer, Germantown Township; Fred C. Benthin, Assessor, Pelican Township; August Zamow, Treasurer, Pelican Township; Vernon Benthin, Clerk, Pelican Township; Morris Michaelson, Clerk, Fuller Township.

The bond of Lewellyn Fjerstad, Court House Custodian, was also approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-Auditor's Office-Carl F. Bergan $294.16; Oscar J. Fromke $210.00; Marlys J. Haney $190.00; Dorothy Below $180.00; Irma E. Welch $150.00; Total $1024.16; Treasurer's Office-Alma Gerberding $294.16; Hazel Schliesmann $210.00; Jean Rawlins $190.00; Alma Schulz $180.00; DeLoris Goodroad $120.00-Total $994.16; Clerk of Courts Office-Walter A. Farl $267.50; Lillian Schoenberger $195.00-Total $462.50; Register of Deeds Office-Beverly Mickelson $267.50; Harriett Horning $205.00 Margaret Brown $175.00-Total $647.50; Supt. of Schools-Josephine M. Hoover $294.16; Ruth M. Johnson $180.00-Total $474.16; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $256.66; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Laura J. Avis $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $260.00; Municipal Judge-Lloyd B. Peterson $183.33; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Lew Fjerstad $175.00; Robert Sharp $24.65; John Fjerstad $21.25; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Etta Pulscher $10.10; County Farm-Hazel Roberts $75.00; Harry Roberts $90.00; Veterans Service-George W. Burke $175.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; Court Expense-Katherine Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; County Extension-Mary Andrew $140.00; Commissioners Per Diem and Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $66.20; A. G. Hestad $52.84; Einar Jordeth $67.18; James L. Keenan $59.90; Palmer D. Sheldon $60.25; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $175.00; COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE-Lars G. Larson $325.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $170.00; J. P. Haug $298.45; C. B. Sumner $340.55; Harold Scriver $309.35; Joe Stricherz $370.00; John Rennie $326.15; Ed Gould $300.80; James Hendren $284.75; Alfred Spring $308.40; H. Williams $283.65; Fred Brownell $271.70; L. Roethler $207.00; E. Noeldner $108.30; Stanley Spring $8.10; Carl Zweig, Jr. $21.85; Sever Tobiason $200.00; Bert Smith $20.00; GENERAL-Court House Maint.-Florence Lindqvist $31.10.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. March 26, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
March 26, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Pursuant to direction of the Board as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of March 25, 1952, representatives of the firms submitting bids to furnish the county with weed spray, petroleum products, and service-station service for the current year appeared before the Board and were individually interviewed.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that certified checks of unsuccessfuly bidders be returned and that the following bids be accepted: Weed Spray, General Mills; Petroleum products delivered to county equipment where stationed, Socony Vacuum Oil Co.; Service station service to county motor vehicles, Putnam's Uptown Service. On roll call vote, foregoing motion carried unanimously.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M., April 1, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA

Watertown, South Dakota
April 1, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Minutes of meetings of March 4, 11, 17, 18, 24, 25, and 26 were approved by the Board.

A delegation from Dexter Township, headed by Earling Johnson, appeared before the Board with a petition for adding the following described road to the Codington County Highway System, to-wit:

Commencing on the S. E. Corner of Section 29-120-52 in the Sisseton-Wahpeton Indian Reservation, thence four miles west to the S. W. corner of Section 1-119-54.

R E S O L U T I O N # 138

WHEREAS, the petition of more than twenty-four free holders of Codington County, South Dakota, who petitioned the Board of County Commissioners of said County for the location and addition to the County Highway System of a highway beginning at a point on the Southeast corner of Section 29, Township 120 North of Range 52 West of the 5th P. M., in the Sisseton Whapeton Indian Reservation, thence west four miles to the Southwest corner of Section 1, Township 119 North of Range 54 West of the 5th P. M., in Codington County, South Dakota, to connect to the present County Highway System, more particularly described by papers on file with the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, and duly came on for a hearing before said Board of County Commissioners at the office of said Commissioners, in the Court House in the City of Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota, at ten o'clock in the forenoon on the 1st day of April, 1952.

AND WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners do hereby appoint Vernon H. Belk, Einar Jordeth and James L. Keenan from the members thereof as the Committee to examine such proposed location of said highway hereinbefore described, and that the said Committee shall meet at the point of beginning of said highway, to-wit:

"At a point on the Southeast corner of Section 29, Township 120 North of Range 52 West of the 5th P. M., in the Sisseton Whapeton Indian Reservation in Dexter Township of Codington County, South Dakota, on the 15th day of April, 1952 at 2:00 o'clock P. M., to examine said highway proposed to be located and added to said County Highway System and take such other action as may be necessary in the premises."

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, THAT notice of hearing be given by posting Notices in three public places in the neighborhood of the Highway proposed to be located and added to the said County Highway System, and that Tuesday at ten o'clock in the forenoon of May 27, 1952 be set as the date of hearing upon the report of the committee and final action taken relating to the petitions on file..

THE FOREGOING resolution was moved for adoption by Jordeth, seconded by Belk, and all commissioners voting yea upon roll call, the Chairman declared the same duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 1st day of April, 1952.

Palmer D Sheldon
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County Watertown, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
Auditor, Codington County, South Dakota

Bounty claims were approved as follows: Jim Taecker, $4.00; Robert Kirby, $45.00.

Township Officer bonds were approved as follows: O. A. Olson, clerk, Eden Township; Selmer Peterson, clerk, Phipps Township.

The application of Verdie and Oscar Schnackenberg for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes was approved by the Board.

The Board approved the application of Harry E. and Agnes Little for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, will received sealed bids up to ten o'clock in the forenoon, May 9, 1952, at the Commissioners Chambers in the Courthouse in the City of Watertown, South Dakota, for the following:

(1) Two Motor Graders, minimum HP rating of 100, tires not less than 13:00 12-ply, front and rear. Following accessories and attachments are to be included: Steel cab, electric windshield wipers, hot water heater, lights, starter, rear view mirror, defroster fan, 12 foot moldboard with two 2 foot extentions, with and without hydraulic power steering. Each bidder on above must include trade-in offer on the following used equipment: One Adams 411 Motor Grader, with Wausau Snow Plow.

(2) Also taking bids on Two V Snow Plows and Wings, to be mounted on motor graders.

A certified check of 5% of bid payable to the County Treasurer of Codington County, South Dakota, must accompany each bid, such check to be certified or issued by a State or

National Bank, domiciled within the State as a guarantee that such bidders will enter into contracti with Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with such letting in event such bidder is awarded the contract.

Preference may be given to goods and materials produced or grown within the boundaries of the State of South Dakota.

The Board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 1st day of April, 1952.

Palmer D Sheldon
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
Auditor, Codington County, S.D.

R E S O L U T I O N #137

DESIGNATING DEPOSITORY BANKS FOR COUNTY FUNDS

State of South Dakota)
ss
County of Codington)

WHEREAS, acting under Section 12.0818 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, and all other amendatory acts, the following named banks have made proper application to be designated as depositories for the funds ofCodington County, South Dakota:

NAME OF BANK	LOCATION
Farmers and Merchants Bank	Watertown, South Dakota
First Citizens National Bank	Watertown, South Dakota
Farmers State Bank,	Kranzburg, South Dakota
Tri-County Bank	Wallace, South Dakota

And, Whereas, it appears from the examination of said application that they are in proper form in compliance with the Statutes;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that the above named banks be and they are hereby designated as depositories for funds of Codington County, South Dakota, for the period of one year, beginning April 1 1952 and the Treasurer is authorized to deposit funds therein when bonds or other legal security have been assigned to the County Treasurer.

AND, BE IT FURHTER RESOLVED, That the following banks:

ACTIVE DEPOSITORIES	
First Citizens National Bank	Watertown, South Dakota
Farmers and Merchants Bank	Watertown, South Dakota

are each designated as ACTIVE depositories as provided by Section 12.0819 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, and all amendatory acts, for the deposit therein by the County Treasurer of daily receipts of cash, checks, drafts, and other items, and the County Treasurer is expressly authorized to deposit in each of said banks in excess of 100% of the capital and surplus of each of said banks, providing that at all times, the funds on deposit shall be fully secured by surety bond, pledge of legal collateral and/or insurance as provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Provided, further, that eachsuch depository shall pay on demand all deposits therein subject to payment on demand, and shall pay, when demanded, all time deposits therein, with accrued interest, if any.

Dated this 1 day of April, 1952, and to be spread on the minutes of the said Board of County Commissioners at this quarterly meeting duly attended by a majority of the Board.

Approved: Palmer D Sheldon
Chairman
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

R E S O L U T I O N #137A

APPROVING COLLATERAL PLEDGED BY DEPOSITORY BANKS AND DESIGNATION AND APPROVAL OF CUSTODIAN BANKS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
ss
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, acting under Section 12.0818 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, and all other amendments as have been or may hereafter be enacted, the following named banks have been designated as depositories for the funds of Codington County, South Dakota, by the Board of County Commissioners and the County Treasurer, and in compliance with the aforesaid laws the said banks have assigned, transferred and set over to said Codington County, South Dakota, those certain securities described below; this collateral having been found by the said Board of County Commissioners to be good and sufficient for county funds, and

in compliance with the Statutes relating thereto,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the same is hereby approved.
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the custodian banks named below for the safekeeping of said securities are hereby designated and approved.

FIRST CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK, WATERTOWN, SOUTH DAKOTA

AMOUNT	NAME AND DESCRIPTION	MATURITY DATE
$ 75,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds - 2%	12-15-52/54
150,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds - 2%	6-15-52/54

CUSTODIAN BANKS FOR THE SAFEKEEPING OF said securities:

Chase National Bank — New York City, New York
Federal Reserve Bank — Minneapolis, Minnesota

FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BANK, WATERTOWN, SOUTH DAKOTA

10,000.00	Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation Guaranty	
100,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds - 2½%	9-15-59
75,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds - 2%	6-15-54
5,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds - 2½%	3-15-71/66
5,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds - 2¼%	6-15-55/52
5,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds - 2%	12-15-51/55
10,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds - 2%	9-15-53/51
30,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds - 2%	9-15-53/51
10,000.00	Notes - 1½%	3-15-55

CUSTODIAN BANKS FOR THE SAFEKEEPING OF said securities:

Chase National Bank — New York City, New York

FARMERS STATE BANK, KRANZBURG, SOUTH DAKOTA

25,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds 1951-53 - 2%	9-15-53
15,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds 1952-54 - 2%	12-15-54
10,000.00	Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation	

CUSTODIAN BANKS FOR THE SAFEKEEPING OF said securities:

Northwestern National Bank — Minneapolis, Minnesota

TRI-COUNTY BANK, WALLACE, SOUTH DAKOTA

10,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds	Dec. 1952-54
5,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds	Dec. 1952-54
20,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds	Sept. 1951-53
10,000.00	Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.	

CUSTODIAN BANKS FOR THE SAFEKEEPING OF said securities:

Northwestern National Bank — Minneapolis, Minnesota

Dated this ~~10th~~ 1st day of April 1952, and to be spread on the minutes of the said Board of County Commissioners at this meeting duly attended by a majority of the Board.

Approved Clifford D. Sheldon
Chairman
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
County of Codington, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Alma Gerlinger
County Treasurer

The Board adjourned to April 8, 1952 at 10:00 A. M.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
April 8, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL: Tax Collector-Beatrice Nelson $71.80; Ole James Nelson $71.80; Veterans Service-Dorothy D. Tessier $18.00; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $18.90; Board of Health-$81.00, H. Russell Brown; Sheriff's Mileage-Cliff Englund $314.90; Board of Prisioners-Cliff Englund $130.80; Sheriff's Fees-Cliff Englund $57.75; Court Expense-Cliff Englund $76.00;W. B. Higman $110.67; Hazel Hegarty $126.60; John H. Hanten $25.00; County Extension-Fred Morris-$52.07; R. E. Huffman Co.$11.01;

Watertown Public Opinion $39.00; Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.10; Coroner's Expense-Educator Supply Co. $11.55; Insurance and Bonds-Western Surety Co. $15.00; Election Expense-Watertown Machine Works $295.65; Assessors Salaries and Supplies-Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.80; News Printing Co. $783.20; F. C. Grow-Sons-Printers $203.50; Printing and Advertising-Watertown Public Opinion $106.93; The Henry Independent $66.78; South Shore Gazette $65.82; Auditor's Office Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $8.40; Ruhe Stationery Co. $57.17; South Shore Gazette $10.50; State Publishing Co. $5.00; Brown & Saenger $7.00; I.B.M. Corp.$13.33; Pitney Bowes, Inc. $25.06; Addressograph Corp. $21.73; Treasurer's Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.65; Photo News $9.18; LaFrance Office Equipment $4.00; Clerk of Courts Office Expense $2.85-Ruhe Stationery Co.; Railway Express Agency $1.43; Midwest Beach Co. $124.86; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.10; South Shore Gazette $28.50; Remington Rand, Inc. $96.10; States Attorney's Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $480; Ross H. Oviatt $7.56; Public Welfare Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $13.95; Panama Carbon & Ribbon Co. $27.00; Court Office Exp.-Hazel Hegary $28.78; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Midwest Beach Co. $11.76; Contests and Exhibits-Anneita Kannas $6.00; The Sommer Badge Manufacturing Co. $16.83; Eloyce McGillivary $6.00; Mrs. Elsie Olson $6.00; Virginia Eidsness $6.00; Ethel M. Hagele $6.00; Mrs. Hazel Murphy $6.00; Mrs. Harry Thorson $6.00; Miss Ruth Moir $6.00; Mrs. Edith Harriott $6.00; Court House Maintenance-Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $304.31; West Disinfecting Co. $21.96; Great Northern Railway Co. $2.34; Marshell Wells Store $3.45; Churchill Manufacturing Co. $31.80; Mrs. J. Elvera Englund $3.78; Park Grant Co. $12.75; City Treasurer $522.34; Nelson Hardware $11.57; Egge Electric Co. $10.57; Board of Insanity-H. T. Kenney $12.00; Commissioners Per Diem and Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $82.75; M. G. Hestad $77.16; Einar Jordeth $74.87; James L. Keenan $106.85; Palmer D. Sheldon $70.65; Welfare-Gary Rest Home for Henry Spilde, $5.00; Walter Gusso for Bert Crandall, $25.00; Mrs. Gladys Helseth for Art Owsley, Sadie Stevens and Sarah Harvey, $61.95; Louis C. Kinstad for Harry Forbush, Charles Lownd, and Ola Hanson, $61.00; Lohr's Home for Edith Kinsey, $30.00; Mrs. Mary Miller for Mrs. Joe Coyle, $10.00; Ed Schaaf for Robert Wiseman, $30.00; Maude Stockman for Loretta Stockman $100.00; University of Minnesota Hospitals for Betty Schreifels, $10.50; The Little Grocery for Will Norman, John Brower, Clarence Tessier, John Fjerstad, and S. E. Tubbs, $58.50; National Tea Co. for Clarence Tessier,$7.50; O. P. Skaggs for John Brockhoff; George Manley, and Robert Sharp, $75.00; Randall-Spies, Inc. for Robert Corey, Frank Barthel, Jr., and Emil Redlin, $65.00; Red Owl Food Stores for Earl Jenson, $10.00; Florence Farmer's Coop. Elevator Ass'n for Seldon Sumner, $21.32; Watertown Community Oil Co. for Oscar Anderson, Emil Redlin, N. T.Remington, Robert Corey, S. E. Tubbs, Daniel Mattheisen, Carl Fritz, Leo Meis, Ellen Anderson, $117.25; McBath Coal & Coke Co. for Charles Bagan, Lena Mauer, and Wm. Glendening, $58.50; Mundell Petroleum for Frank Metzinger, $15.30; Standard Oil Co. for Will Norman and Wm. Barto, $22.95; Peavey Elevators-Loren Wohlwend, $25.56; F. P. Creaser & Sons for Otto Jungen, Richard Kemp, Wm. Bunde, Carl Hemiller, Lester Schultz, Harry Conrad, and Josephine Riley, $110.39; Kampeska Hotel for Jerry O'Brien, $9.69; Thompson Yards for Ellsworth Spearbeck, $22.00; Codington County Oil Co. for George Tribett, S. E. Tubbs, John Brockhoff,$45.90; Lien's Grocery for Richard Kemp, Carl Hemiller, Harry Conrad and Anna Larson, $52.50; H. T. Kenney for Arthur Owsley, Marshall Bradfield, Henry DeWall, $65.50; H. J. Bartron, Jr. for Fred Marther, $75.00; Dr. M. C. Thompson for Louisa Richter, Richard DePeel,Mimie Johnson, and Lena Trumer, $26.00; Brown Clinic for Mrs. Albert Krohn, Gertrude Heathcote, Dooks Teijen, Richard Davis, Mrs. Dagmar Karterud, Ellsworth Spearbeck, John Bergan, Emma Henthorn, $165.50; Medical Arts Clinic for Wallace Czech, Steve Wisneski, Andrew Christianson, John Farley , George Scholl, Lesley Schultz, Rose Reade, Earl Crocker, Bartron Hosp. and Clinic forW. B. Barkley, John Brockhoff, Mrs. Pearl Digman, Emma Jenkins, B. J. Murray, Hans Olson, Hannah Smith, Henry A. Springer, Alta Tessier, Richard Reich, William Redemske, Clarence Morrison, Ernest Meyer, Ludwig Johnson, Mrs.Phillip Jenkins, Mrs. Gordon Hoover, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck, David Bright, and Mrs. John Fjerstad, $1517.51; Memorial Hospital for Mrs. Nellie Harvey, Fred Kozak,Henry Marther, Rex Richmond, Earl Crocker, Henry DeWall, Ole Omodt, Carl Bergh, Susanna Hegg, Agusta Wilcox, and Alfred Vick,$1579.88; Haggar's Drug Store for John Farley, Art Owsley, Emma Henthorn, Mrs. Wm. Czeck, Mrs. Fern Washtook, Mrs. Oscar B. Anderson, Lester Schultz, Mrs. Clucas, Catherine Marx, Frank Krause, $104.12; Kriser's Drug Store, for Anna Parsley, Dagmar Karterud, Dooks Teijen, Sophia Kieso, Matilda Blek, Juliet DuBois, Carl Struss, Lena Mauer, Carl Fritz, George Scholl, and Earl Crocker, $59.08; Thomes Drug Store for Richard Depeel, Alfred Vick, Harry Forbush, Louisa Richter, Minnie Johnson and Lena Trumer, $59.08; Hayes Lucas for Mrs. Mowery, Robert Sharp, John & Rosie Brower, John Fjerstad, Mrs. Wm. Lundeen, Walter Klatt, Joseph Gerjits, Mrs. A. M. Johnson, Clarence Tessier, $142.60; County Farm-Park Grant Co. $26.00; City Treasurer $25.00; Nelson Hardware $4.98; Egge Electric Co. $10.95; Lien's Grocery $15.71; Botsford Lumber Co. 36¢; Watertown Coop. Elevator $133.53; Olson Appliance Co. $5.80; G. R. Herberger's, Inc. $1.76; Dun-Dee Store $37.00; Modern Shoe Shop $4.50; ROAD-Egge Electric Co. $5.68; Thompson Yards, Inc. $5.25; Codington County Oil Co. $4.00; Chet's Bicycle Service 50¢; John Sturm $2.99; Lyle Thorson $14.96; Western Transportation $2.86; Marquardt's Service $13.47; International Harvester Co. $11.58; Philip Jesme $55.00; Kenneth Hayes $44.55; Koch's Phillips 66 Station $17.40; Botsford Lumber Co. $65.37; North Western Public Service Co. $6.25; Watertown Machine Works $99.11; Motor Supply Co. $73.99; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $39.45; Mahowald Co. $7.20; McGowan Lumber Co. $17.29; Dakota Iron Store $25.01; M. W. Hinde $5.00; Jensne's Service $9.05; Harold Scriver $3.42; Gooch Sales Co. $4.25; Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $7.70; Williams Hardware Co. $63.72; Dakota Welding Supply Co. $28.40; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $27.22; R. E. Hubbard Co. $109.52; Railway Express Agency $3.03; J. P, Foster Co. $2.13; BRIDGE-Standard Tar Products Co. $123.75; HIWAY & BRIDGE-Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $157.73; Sioux Road Equipment Co. $295.49; Empire Equipment Co. $300.94; Elmer Zweig $580.00; Putnam's Uptown Service $754.29; Cave Supply Co. $150.32; TEXTBOOKS-Hammond & Stephens $54.98; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $37.75; Robert Redlin $6.52.

R E S O L U T I O N #139

WHEREAS East River Electric Power Cooperative, Inc., a corporation, on the 19th day of March, 1952, filed with the County Auditor of the County of Codington, South Dakota, its duly verified petition for franchise for a grant of the right to construct, maintain, and operate poles and wires for the purpose of transmitting electricity and electric energy for lighting, heating, and power purposes over, upon, along, and across the following public highways in said County of Codington, to-wit:

According to the present plans of the East River Electric Opwer Cooperative, Inc., the said cooperative's transmission line will begin at the substation of the Bureau of Reclamation in Section Two (2), Township One Hundred Sixteen (116) North, Range Fifty Two (52) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, proceeding thence west to the west section line of said Section Two (2), thence proceeding south to the northwest corner of Section Eleven (11), thence proceeding west along the north sectinn line of Section Ten (10), Nine (9),

Eight (8), and Seven (7) to the northwest corner of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of said Section Seven (7), thence proceeding north along the quarter line to a point approximately in the center of Section Six (6), thence proceeding in a northwesterly direction to a point along the north and south sixteenth line in the Northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section One (1), Township One Hundred Sixteen (116) North, Range Fifty Three (53) West, said point being the point of intersection of the said sixteenth line and the previously established center line of the east and west transmission line of the cooperative, proceeding thence north to a point in the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Thirty Six (36), Township One Hundred Seventeen (117) North, Range Fifty Three (53) West, which is the point of intersection of the sixteenth line with the Right-of Way of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company, proceding thence in a northeasterly direction along the south side of said Right-of Way to the east section line of the said Section Thirty Six (36), TownshipOne Hundred Seventeen (117) North, Range Fifty Three (53) West, a distance of approximately six and one-half (6½) miles.

Also beginning at a point along the north and south sixteenth line in the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section One (1), Township One Hundred Sixteen (116) North, RangeFifty Three (53) West, proceeding thence in a southwesterly direction across Sections One (1) and Two (2), thence proceeding west along the quarter line across Sections Three (3), Four (4), Five (5), and Six (6), same Township and Range, and proceeding west to a point approximately in the center of Section One (1), Township One Hundred Sixteen (116) North, Range Fifty Four (54) West, thence proceeding north to a point approximately in the center of Section Thirty Six (36), Township One Hundred Seventeen (117) North, Range Fifty Four (54) West, thence proceeding in a westerly direction along the quarter line across the West One-Half (W½) of said Section Thirty Six (36), and across Section Thirty Five (35), Thirty Four (34), Thirty Three (33), Thirty Two (32), and Thirty One (31), same Township and Range, and continuing west along the quarter line across Sections Thirty Six (36), Thirty Five (35) Thirty Four (34), Thirty Three (33, Thirty Two (32), and Thirty One (31), Township One Hundred Seventeen (117) North, Range Fifty Five (55) West, and leaving Codington County at this point, a distance of approximately nineteen (19) miles.

Also beginning at a point in the northwest corner of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Eleven (11), Township One Hundred Sixteen (116) North, Rage Fifty Two (52) West, thence proceeding east along the north section line of said Section Eleven (11) and Section Twelve (12) to the quarter line of said Section Twelve (12), thence proceeding in a southerly direction along the quarter line across Sections Twelve (12) Thirteen (13), Twenty Four (24), Twenty Five (25), and Thirty Six (36), all in TownshipOne Hundred Sixteen (116) North, Range Fifty Two (52) West, and leaving Codington County At this point, a distance of approximately six and one-half (6½) miles.

WHEREAS said application was heard by the Board of County Commissioners of said County of Codington on the 8th day of April, 1952 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. at the office of said board in the Court House in the City of Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota, due notice of said hearing having been given by registered mail, in strict compliance with the requirements of law, to all persons, firms, or corporations owning or operating transmission, telegraph, or telephone lines on or along any part of the highways hereinbefore described which the proposed transmission or distribution line of the applicant is to occupy, all in accordance with the terms and provisions of Sections 28.1001 and 28.1002 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, and Chapter 108 of the Session Laws of South Dakota for the year 1939 amending said Section 28.101; and

WHEREAS no person, fir, or corporation has appeared in opposition to the granting of such application, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Board of County Commissioners that no differences have arisen or exist between the applicant, East River Electric Power Cooperative, Inc., and any owner of any transmission, telegraph, or telephone line on or along any part of said highways; and it further appearing to the satisfaction of the board that the construction, operation, and maintenance of the applicant's distribution and transmission line as now installed and operating and with additions thereto will not interfere with the maintenance and operation of any other line upon any part of said highways;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Codington and State of South Dakota that the right ot construct, maintain, and operate poles and wires for the purpose of transmitting electricity and electric energy for lighting, heating, and power purposes over, upon, along, and across the public highways herein before described in said County of Codington for a period of twenty years from and after the date hereof be, and it hereby is, granted to said East River Electric Power Cooperative, Inc., subject to the terms and conditions of Sections 28.1001 and 28.1002 of the South Dakota Code of 1939 and Chapter 108 of the Session Laws of South Dakota for the year 1939 amending said Section 28.1001, and also subject to such further reasonable regulations as the legislature of the State of South Dakota may hereafter prescribe.

The Foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Jordeth and upon being put to vote all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the chairman declared the resolution adopted.

Dated this 8th day of April, 1952.

Edmund D. Nelson
Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Codington and State of So. Dak.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

The Auditor's Account with the County Treasurer was approved as follows for March, 1952: Total amount of deposits in banks, $422,696.45; Total amount of cash, checks, and drafts in treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $16,404.30; Government Bonds, $182,000.00; Total of all items, $621,100.75.

The following monthly statements of March, 1952 were approved by the Board: State Sanatorium at Sanator, South Dakota, $221.65; Yankton State Hospital, $1647.33; Redfield State Hospital, $500.00..

The application of Mrs. Phillip Erickson for refund of $4.96 for overcharge of interest on special assessments against Lots 20-21-22 and 23 in Block 48 of Replat of West Watertown was approved by the Board.

The County Auditor submitted for the Board's approval a quit claim deed to tax deed property from Codington County to Frank LaFountain for a consideration of $10.00 the following described property, to-wit: Lots 17, Block 2, Gesley's Addition to Watertown.

Foregoing deed was approved on a motion by Hestad second by Belk, which motion carried.

Cliff Grinols appeared before the Board for information relating to a proposed county road in Dexter Township.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. April 15, 1952.

Carl G. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
April 15, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Bonds of Township officers were approved as follows: Dwanne Hallstrom, Treasurer, Eden Township; Frank Goplan, Treasurer, Henry Township; Edwin Kittelson, Clerk, Henry Township; Harold Boyd, Assessor, Henry Township; H. J. Welch, Treasurer, Lake Township; Mrs. Edna R. McNamara, Assessor, Lake Township; Harold K. Benbow, Clerk, Lake Township; Edgar Rausch, Clerk, Kampeska Township; Hubert Klatt, Treasurer, Kampeska Township; Donald Born, Assessor, Kampeska Township; Elmer Noeldner, Clerk, Rauville Township; Herman Buelow, Assessor, Rauville Township; Raymond Stein, Treasurer, Rauville Township.

The Clerk of Courts Statement of Fees Collected in March, 1952 in the amount of $270.75 was approved by the Board.

The Board approved the application of Virgil Sikkink for abatement of 1951 taxes in the amount of $17.56 on Lot 10, Block 12, Brocks Addition to Watertown for the reason that said property was acquired by tax deed on August 7, 1951, and affiant had no taxable interest in said property at the time of assessment.

Don Emmick, agent for Huntington Laboratories, Inc., appeared before the Board at their request to clarify the matter of a shipment of soap to the county without authorization of the Board. An agreement was reached whereby the Board would use enough of the soap to determine whether it was satisfactory. If found unsatisfactory, the remainder of the soap would be returned and no charge would be made to the county.

The Board of County Commissioners accepted $55.50 from J. B. Trasta in payment of taxes charged against Robert Center, and released the following property from any liability relating to taxes, to wit: (1) One Adams Elevating Grader, Model-10, Motor #P-301HC, Serial #170; (1) One Caterpillar Blade; Model-77, Serial #2A421; (1) One Garwood Hydraulic Scraper, Model-L-12, Serial #2442; (1) One Garwood Hydraulic Pump, Model L-12, Seral #2442; (1) One Adams Roatry Scraper, 2 yard size; (1) One Allis Chalmers Tractor, Model L, Year 11-2-37, Serial #1277; (1) One Caterpillar 60 Tractor, Model-60, Motor #PA-12899, Serial #PS12899; (1) One LeTaurneau Cable Power Control Unit, No Model, Serial or Motor Number.

The application of Emma Gilmore for abatement of 1951 taxes in the amount of $9.67 on Lot 1, Block 16 of Brocks Addition to Watertown was rejected by the Board on a motion by Belk, second by Keenan, which motion carried.

The application of Ray Messerschmidt for abatement of 1951 taxes in the amount of $16.20 on a structure assessed to him on Lot 12, Block 2 in Davlin's Addition to Watertown was approved by the Board for the reason that said structure was assessed on above described lot in error.

Bond Renewal

The County Treasurer appeared before the Board to request renewal of Government Bonds in the amount of $50,000.00, said bonds having expired April 1, 1952.

It was moved by Hestad and seconded by Jordeth that the County Treasurer renew bonds in the amount of $50,000.00 to March 15, 1954, said bonds to carry a rate of 1.7% interest.

Commissioners Belk, Jordeth and Keenan pursuant to agreement as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of April 1, 1952, left at 2:30 P. M. to inspect the road in Dexter Township.

Chairman Sheldon declared the meeting adjourned to 10:00 A. M., April 22, 1952.

Carl G. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
April 22, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-William LaFramboise, $15.10; Gerald Hartley, $4.20; Lloyd Young, $1.10; Insurance & Bonds-First Citizens National Bank, $11.58; County Treasurer, $11.15; Commissioners Per Diem and Mileage- Vernon H. Belk $65.35; A. G. Hestad $73.12; Einar Jordeth $56.06; James L. Keenan $63.60; Palmer D. Sheldon $70.65;

A delegation of men from Henry Township, headed by Earl Van Sickle appeared before the Board with a petition to add township road to the County Highway System as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of Section 19-116-55, thence 6 miles east to the northeast corner of

Section 24-116-55 all in Henry Township.

R E S O L U T I O N #140

WHEREAS, the petition of more than twenty-four free holders of Codington County, South Dakota, who petitioned the Board of County Commissioners of said County for the location and addition to the County Highway System of a highway beginning at a point on the Northwest corner of Section 19, Township 116 North, Range 55 West of the 5th P. M., thence running east six (6) miles to the Northeast corner of Section 24, Township 116 North, Range 55 West of the 5th P. M., connecting up with the present State road running North and South, more particularly described by papers on file with the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, and duly came on for a hearing before said Board of County Commissioners at the office of said Commissioners, in the Court House in the City of Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota, at ten o'clock in the forenoon on the 22nd day ofApril, 1952.

AND WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners do hereby appoint Vernon H. Belk, Einar Jordeth and James L. Keenan from the members thereof as the Committee to examine such proposed location of said highway hereinbefore described, and that the said Committee shall meet at the point of beginning of said highway, to-wit:

"At a point on the Northwest corner of Section 19, Township 116 North, Range 55 West of the 5th P. M., in Henry Township of Codington County, South Dakota, on the 29th day of April, 1952 at 2:00 o'clock P. M., to examine said highway proposed to be located and added to said County Highway System and take such other action as may be necessary in the premises."

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, THAT notice of hearing be given by posting Notices in three public places in the neighborhood of the Highway proposed to be located and added to the said County Highway System, and that Tuesday at ten o'clock in the forenoon of June 10, 1952 be set as the date of hearing upon the report of the committee and final action taken relating to the petitions on file.

THE FOREGOING Resolution was moved for adoption by Belk, seconded by Jordeth, and all Commissioners voting yea upon roll call, the Chairman declared the same duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 22nd day of April, 1952.

Edward D Nelson
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
Auditor, Codington County, S. D.

The Board advised the delegation that on April 29, 1952 at 2:30 P. M. they would inspect above described road to determine whether it should be added to the County System.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that foreoing petition be filed pending further action, which motion prevailed.

The bounty claim of Kenneth True in the amount of $4.00 was approved by the Board.

The application of Mrs. E. Lucille Sotka for abatement of 1951 personal property tax in the amount of $9.16 for the reason of duplication of assessment was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Jordeth.

The application of C. R. VanSickle for abatement of 1951 tax in the amount of $14.32 on a car which was subsequently licensed for the same year was deferred by the Board pending a ruling by the States Attorney.

The application of Mrs. Herbert H. Froelich for refund of 1951 School Poll in the amount of $1.00 to Herbert H. Froelich for reason of military exemption was approved by the Board.

The following Township officers bonds were approved by the Board: Chris Hvidhild, Assessor, Fuller Township; B. J. Thyen, Assessor, Waverly Township; Helen E. Bauer, Treasurer, Kranzburg Township; Harold L. Hanson, Clerk, Graceland Township; Charles N. Sunne, Assessor, Wallace Village; Chris Kirsch, Clerk, Elmira Township; Richard Stoltenberg, Treasurer, Elmira, Township; Clarence J. Bauer, Constable, Elmira Township; Philip Bergh, Assessor, Dexter Township; Clarence Moorehouse, Assessor, Sheridan Township; C. B. Moorehouse, Clerk, Sheridan Township; Bert Draves, Treasurer, Sheridan Township; H. J. Welch, Treasurer, Lake Township; Mrs. Edna R. McNamara, Assessor, Lake Township; Harold K. Benbow, Clerk, Lake Township; Donald Born, Assessor, Keampeska Township; Hubert Klatt, Treasurer, Kampeska Township; Edgar Raushh, Clerk, Kampeska Township; Herman Buelow, Assessor, Rauville Township; Elmer Noeldner, Clerk, Rauville Township; Raymond Stein, Treasurer, Rauville Township; Edwin Kittelson, Clerk, Henry Township; Frank Coplan, Treasurer, Henry Township; Harold Boyd, Assessor, Henry Township; Duane Hallstrom, Treasurer, Eden Township; Lester Hanson, Clerk, Kranzburg Township; Carl H. Haan, Assessor, Kranzburg Township.

The Application of Clinton G. Voight for abatement of 1951 tax in the amount of $4.94 on a refrigerator in a trailer house was approved by the Board as recommended by the City Council for the reason that said refrigerator was part of the standard equipment of the trailer, and as such, was covered by the license fee.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, will receive sealed bids up to ten o'clock in the forenoon, May 23, 1952, at the Commissioners Chambers in the Courthouse in the City of Watertown, South Dakota, for the following:

For stripping, loading and screening gravel and clay into County owned equipment, and price

per yard mile for gravel and clay hauling, as needs required during the year 1952, and that stripping and waste material shall be disposed of to satisfay owner. For specifications, contact L. G. Larson, County Highway Superintendent, at his office in the Cont House, Watertown, South Dakota.

A certified check of $100.00, payable to the County Treasurer of Codington Cuunty, South Dakota, must accompany each bid, such check to be certified or issued by a State of National Bank, domiciled within the State as a guarantee that such bidders will enterinto contract with Codington County, South Dakota, in acoordance with such letting in event such bidder is awarded the contract.

Preference may be given to goods and materials produced or grown within the boundaries of the State of South Dakota.

The Board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 22nd day of April, 1952.

Palmer D Sheldon
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
Auditor, Codington County, S. D.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

Comes now the Committee apointed by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, to examine the proposed location of the highway hereinafter more particularly described and submit to the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the following report:

That said Committee, consisting of Vernon H. Belk, Einar Jordeth and James L. Keenan, met at the time and place designated by the Resolution appointing said committee, to-wit: At a point on the Southeast corner of Section 29, Township 120 North of Range 52 West of the 5th P. M., in the Sisseton Whapeton Indian Reservation, in Dexter Township, of Codington County, South Dakota, on the 15th day of April, 1952, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., said Committee being accompanied at said time by L. G. Larson, the duly appointed, qualified and acting Superintendent of Highway of the County of Codington and State of South Dakota, and your Committee thereupon proceeded to examine said highway accompanied by said Superintendent of Highways, such highway being more particulaarly described as follows:

Commencing on the South east corner of Section 29, Township 120 North of Range 52 West of tje 5th P. M. in th Sisseton Whapton Indian Reservation, thence west four miles to the South West corner of Section 1, Township 119 North of Range 54 West of the 5th P. M., Codington County, South Dakota.

That after having completed its examination of said highway proposed to be located and added to the County System of Codington County, South Dakota, it is the opinion of all members of said Committee that the prayer of the petitioners be granted and said Committee does therefore recommend to the Board ofCounty Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that said proposed highway above described be located andadded to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, pursuant to the prayer of said petitioners or free holders who petitioned for the location of said highwayand to have same added to the said County Highway System.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 22nd day of April, 1952.

Vernon H Belk
Member of Committee

Einar Jordeth
Member of Committee

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Member of Committee

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
James L Keenan

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO WHOM IT MAY CONERN:

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that there has been filed in the Office of Carl F. Bergan, County Auditor for Codington County, South Dakota, a petition signed by twenty five free-holders or more of Codington County, South Dakota, petitioning the Board of County Commissioners of said County for the location and addition to the County Highway System of a highway beginning at a point on the Southeast corner of Section 29, Township 120 North ofRange 52 West of the 5th P. M., in the Sisseton Whapeton Indian Reservation, thence West four miles to the Southwest corner of Section 1, Township 119 North of Range 54 West of the 5th P. M., which is not within the limits of any City or incorporated Town within said County and State.

YOU WILL FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that said petition will be heard by the Board of County Commissioners in and for said Codington County, South Dakota, at a meeting of said Board to be held on the 27th day of May, 1952, at Ten o'clock in theforenoon, in theCommissioners Chambers located on the second floor of the Court House, in the City of Watertown, Codington

County, South Dakota, when and where, anyone opposing to the granting of the prayer,of said petitioners may appear and be heard:

Said petition on file is hereby referred to for further particulars.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 22nd day of April, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
Carl F. Bergan, County Auditor
Codington County, Watertown, S. D.

The Board adjouned to 8:00 A. M. April 25, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
April 25, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 8:00 A. M. with Sheldon, Keenan, Belk and Jordeth present, Hestad absetn.

Above members of the Board met for the purpose of driving down to Sioux Falls to inspect county equipment currently advertized for bidding.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. April 29, 1952 after which they left for Sioux Falls for reason above stated.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
April 29, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-AUDITOR-Carl F. Bergan $294.16; Oscar J. Fromke $210.00; Marlys J. Haney $190.00; Dorothy Below $180.00 Iram E. Welch $150.00; Total $1024.16; TREASURER-Alma Gerberding $294.16; Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, Jean Rawlins $190.00; Alma Schulz $180.00, Total $874.16; CLERK OF COURTS-Walter A. Farl $267.50, Lillian Schoenberger $195.00, Total $462.50; REGISTER OF DEEDS-Beverly Mickelson $267.50, Margaret Brown $175.00, Harriett Horning $205.00, Total $647.50; SUPT. OF SCHOOLS-Josephine M. Hoover $294.16, Ruth M. Johnson, $180.00, Total $474.16; STATES ATTORNEY-Ross H. Oviatt $256.66, Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00, Laura J. Avis $125,00, Total $531.66; COUNTY JUDGE-Herber Norbeck $260.00; MUNICIPAL JUDGE-Lloyd B. Peterson $183.33; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Lew Fjerstad $175.00, Carl S. Michaelson $180.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; County Farm-Hazel Roberts $75.00, Harry Roberts $90.00; Veterans Service-George W. Burke $175.00, Dorothy D. Tessier $21.50; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; Court Expense-Katherine Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; County Extension-Mary Andrew $140.00; Welfare-Graham Grocery for Ellsworth Spearbeck $37.00; Mrs. Bessie Young for Rose Dixon, Sarah Black and David Bright $45.00; Commissioners Per Diem and Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $54.82; A. G. Hestad $52.59; Einar Jordeth $76.00; James L. Keenan $39.20; Palmer D. Sheldon $50.60; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $175.00; C.M.V.-Lars G. Larson $325.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $170.00; J. P. Haug $286.13; C. B. Sumner $280.60; Harold Scriver $294.05; Joe Stricherz $382.20; John Rennie $297.65; Ed Gould $265.40; Alfred Spring $281.10; Howard Williams $325.20; James Hendren $278.10; Carl Zweig $287.89; E. Noeldner $266.00; Fred Brownell $193.69; John N. Strait $132.05; Harold Berg $76.00; Chris Engels $81.00; Chester Quick $36.00; Henry Klemsrud $36.00; E. Spearbeck $57.00; Erwin Koll $9.00; Sever Tobiason $200.00; Bert Smith $20.00; C.H. & B.R.-Alfred Spring $11.00; Howard Williams $9.50; James Hendren $35.25; Carl L. Zweig $22.00; Fred Brownell $19.00; John N. Strait $19.00; Harold Berg $19.00.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Hestad that the following bounty claims be approved: Earling Johnson, $12.00; John DeBerg, $4.00; H. A. Johnson $4.00. The motion carried.

On a motion by Jordeth and second by Hestad Township officers bonds were approved as follows: Sig Gran, Assessor, Germantown Township; Otto Noeldner, Assessor, South Shore Village; A.F. Hilts, Clerk Graceland Township; Elden Flury, Treasurer, Graceland Township; A. G. Koppman, Assessor, Henry Village; William Flisrand, Clerk, Dexter Township; Grover Peterson, Assessor, Phipps Township.

The application of C. R. Van Sickle for abatement of 1951 personal property taxes in the amount of $14.32 was rejected by the Board in concurrence with the States Attorney's ruling on same.

The application of Wesley Zirbel for abatement of 1946 School poll in the amount of $1.00 for reason of armed service exemption was approved by the Board.

Mrs. R. H. Barnes and Mrs. Burnham Hinds appeared before the Board with a request to use the Community Room of the Court House as a meeting place for the organization known as the "Three-Score and Ten Club." Because of the advanced ages of the members of this group, Mrs. Hinds asked that the Board make an exception to the rule, and permit the group to serve lunches in the Community Room. The Board granted her request.

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
SS AFFIDAVIT OF POSTING
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

The undersigned, being first duly sworn, upon oath deposes and says that he is now and was at the time he posted a copy of the within Notice as elector of Codington County, South Dakota, and over twenty-one years of age; that on the 26th day of April, 1952 at Dexter

Township in the County of Codington, South Dakota, he did then and there post the within Notice in three Public Places in the neighborhood of the Highway proposed.

Elmer Sandeck

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of April, 1952.

Carl F Bergan
Notary Public, Codington County, S.D
County auditor

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. May 6, 1952, after which they went to inspect the road in Henry Township., purusant to agreement as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of April 22, 1952.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA

Watertown, South Dakota
May 6, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Minutes of meetings April 1, 8, 15, 22, 25 and 29, 1952 were approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Buster Lawerance Gross $4.20; Mrs. Ray Makepeace $15.00; Ray Makepeace $15.00; Mrs. Ervin Hunteman $1.10; Ervin Hunteman $5.60; Harold Rasmussen $1.10; W. B. Higman $118.59; Virgil Sanders $4.20.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer was approved as follows: Total amount of actual cash and checks, $34,611.53; Total amount of deposits in banks, $624,235.15; U.S. Government Bonds, $182,000.00; Total of all items $840,846.68.

Monthly statements for April, 1952 were approved as follows: State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis, Sanator, S.D. $214.50; Redfield State Hospital $500.00; Yankton State Hospital $1725.50.

The Clerk of Courts Statement of Fees collected during the month of April, 1952 in the amount of $246.75 was approved by the Board.

Bounty claims were approved as follows: Sylvester Roe, $10.00; H. A. Rear $4.00; Alvin V. Nelson $157.50.

The application of Mary B. Hildebrandt for abatement of 1951 tax in the amount of $4.28 on property described as Lots 9 and 10 in Blk. 71 of Second Railway Addition to Watertown was rejected by the Board for the reason that said abatement was requested on grounds of over-assessment which is a matter of equalization and must be taken care of during equalization time.

Bill Langefeld, Chairman of the City Recreational Board, appeared before the Board with a request that the City be allowed the use of Memorial Park for their summer swimming program, and that the county furnish certain facilities.

The Board advised Mr. Langefeld to present his request in writing after which definite action could be taken.

Applications of William Smith and Benjamin and Jesena Jenkinson for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes were approved by the Board.

The following officers bonds were approved: Lester Kannas, Treasurer, School Dist. #23; Leonard Chilson, Assessor, Eden Twp.; James Nelson, Tax Collector, Codington County; Beatrice E. Nelson, Deputy Tax Collector, Codington County.

The application for compromise settlement of county liens against the Benjamin Jenkinson Estate was approved by the Board.

On a motion by Keenan and second by Jordeth, the Board approved the application of John Boyle for abatement of 1951 personal property taxes in the amount of $112.56 for the reason of an error in extending the value on itme 19 which resulted in a valuatinn of $1850.00 instead of $150.00.

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that there has been filed in the office of Carl F. Bergan, County Auditor for Codington County, South Dakota, a petition signed by twenty five free-holders or more of Codington County, South Dakota, petitioning the Board of County Commissioners of said County for the location and addition to the County Highway System of highway beginning at a point on the Northwest corner of Section 19, Township 116 North, Range 55 West of the5th P. M., thence east six (6) miles to the Northeast corner of Section 24, Township 116 North, Range 55 West of the 5th P. M. which is not within the limits of any City or incorporated Town within said County and State.

YOU WILL FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that said petition will be heard by the Board of County Commissioners in and for said Cdoington County, South DaKota, at a meeting of said Board to be held on the 10th day of June, 1952 at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, in the Commissioners Chambers located on the second floor of the Court House, in the City of Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota, when and where, anyone opposing to the granting of the prayer of said petitioners may appear and be heard:

Said petition on file is hereby referred to for further particulars.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 6th day of May , 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County, Watertown, S. D.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

Comes now the Committee appointed by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, to examine the proposed locatan of the highway hereinafter more particularly described and submit to the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota,

the following report:

That said Committee, consisting of Vernon H. Belk, Einar Jordeth and James Keenan, met at the time and place designated by the Resolution appointing said Committee, to-wit: At a point on the Northwest corner of Section 19, Township 116 North, Range 55 West of the 5th P. M., in Henry Township, of Codington County, South Dakota, on the 29th day of April, 1952, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., said Committee being accompanied at said time by L. G. Larson, the Duly appointed, qualified and acting Superintendent of Highway of the County of Codington and State of South Dakota, and your Committee thereupon proceeded to examine said highway accompanied by said Superintendent of Highways, such highway being more particularly described as follows:

Commencing on the Northwest corner of Section 19, Township 116 North, Range 55 West of the 5th P. M., thence east six (6) miles to the Northeast corner of Section 24, Township 116 North, Range 55 West of the 5th P. M., connecting with the present State road going North and South, Codington County, South Dakota.

That after having completed its examination of said highway proposed to be located and added to the County System of Codington County, South Dakota, it is the opinion of all members of said Committee that the prayer of the petitioners be granted and said Committee does therefore recommend to the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that said proposed highway above described be located and added to the County Highway System ofCodington County, South Dakta, pursuant to the prayer of said petitioners or free holders who petitioned for the location of said highway and to have same added to the said County Highway System.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 6th day of May, 1952.

Vernon H Belk
Member of Committee

Einar Jordeth
Member of Committee

James L Keenan
Member of Committee

Ed Gould appeared before the Board for information relating to sick leave of county employees.

The Board adjourned as a Board of Commissioners and convened as a Board of Survey.

RESOLUTION OF CONDEMNATION #141

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, acting as a Board of Survey under S.D.C. 48.0503 have inspected the following personal property in the custody of the County officers of said Codington County: One Adams 411 Motor Grader, with Wausau Snow Plow. Serial #306; Motor #PD-40, Serial #4540.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that saidproperty has become unfit for use by reason of change, wear, tear and is beyond repair, and same is therefore condemned and appraised as being of a value as follows: One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and 00 Cents($1500.00)

It is further resolved that said property may be forthwith used in exchange for purchase of two motor graders required for the use of said Codington County.

Dated this 6th day of May, 1952.

Palmer D Sheldon
Vernon H Belk
Einar Jordeth
A G Hartat
James L Keenan

The Board adjourned as a Board of Survey and reconvened as Board of Commissioners.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. May 9, 1952.

Carl F. Burgard
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
May 9, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

This being the time and place fixed by Board for the opening of sealed bids for two motor graders as specified in notice to bidders duly advertized in the official newpapers of Codington County, Chairman Sheldon asked the County Auditor to open and read the bids.

Bids were submitted by the following firms and read in the following order: J. P. Foster Co., Sioux Falls, S. D.; Sioux Road Equipment Co., Sioux Falls, S. D.; J. D. Evans Equipment Co., Stan Houston Equipment Co., Inc., Sioux Falls, S.D.;

Sioux Falls, S. D.; Empire Equipment Co., Sioux Falls, S. D. After the bids were read, the Board interviewed representatives of each firm individually and set 4:00 P. M. as the time for letting of bids.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Hestad that the bids of the J. D. Evans Equipment Co. and the Empire Equipment Co. as shown in files in the County Auditor's Office be accepted, and that the certified checks of the unsuccessful bidders be returned. The motion carried.

The application for partial release of liens of Mrs. Lewis Stein, Jr. in so far as said liens pertain to the Julius and Emma Schmeling Estate described as the W. 50 feet of Lot 1 and W. 50 feet of N. 18 feet of Lot 2 in Block 80 of the Third Railway Addition to Watertown was approved by the Board.

On a motion by Belk, and second by Keenan, the applications of Merle Whitwam and Dale Carpenter for abatement of taxes were referred to the States Attorney for ruling on same.

APPRAISAL OF LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING

Whereas, the Board of County Commissioners of Codingtnn County, South Dakota, deems it advisable to sell the real property hereinafter described, acquired by said county by tax deed, and said Board of County Commissioners has directed that such real property be offered for sale and that it first be appraised by said board as provided by law,

Now, therefore, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, report that they have made a just and fair appraisement of the real property hereinafter described:

Description	Appraised Value
Lots-4,5, and 6 in Block 12, Henry Village (One-third down, balaone in four equal annual installments)	$3000.00
Lot 1 in Block 3 of Wm. H. Johnston's Add. to South Shore (One-third down, balance in two equal annual installments)	1000.00
Lots-16 and 17 in Block 12, Florence Village (One-third down, balance in threee qual annual installments)	1500.00

Dated this 9th day of May, 1952.

Palmer D Sheldon
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.

Vernon H Belk
County Commissioner.

Einar Jordeth
County Commissioner.

County Commissioner.

James L Keenan
County Commissioner.

R E S O L U T I O N #142

DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, the County of Codington in the State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota, and

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 9th day of May, 1952, at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota that the following described real property, to-wit:

Description	Appraised Value
Lots-4, 5, and 6 in Block 12, Henry Village (One-third down, balance in four equal annual installments)	$3000.00
Lot 1 in Block 3 of Wm. H. Johnston's Add. to South Shore (One-third down, balance in two equal annual installments)	1000.00
Lots-16 and 17 in Block 12, Florence Village (One-third down, balance in three equal annual installments)	1500.00

Dated this 9th day of May, 1952

Palmer D Sheldon

Vernon H Belk

Einar Jordeth

Irvin L Keenan

Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

NOTICE OF SALE BY COUNTY OF LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING

Whereas, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Codington, South Dakota, has directed the within described real property acquired by said County by tax proceedings to be sold as provided by law.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the direction of the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, notice is hereby given that the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the Board of Commissioners of said County at the front door of the Courthouse, in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, State of South Dakota, on the tenth day of June, 1952, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described real estate situate in the County of Codington State of South Dakota, to wit:

Description	Appraised Value
HENRY VILLAGE Lots 4, 5, & 6 in Block 12 The terms upon which said real estate will be sold will be as follows: One-third down, the balance Payable in four annual installments of equal amounts, bearing 5 per cent interest, payable annually.	$3000.00
SOUTH SHORE VILLAGE Lot 1 in Block 3 of Wm. H. Johnston's Add. The terms upon which said real estate will be sold are as follows: One-third down, the balance payable in two annualinstallments of equal amount, bearing 5 per cent interest, payable annually.	1000.00
FLORENCE VILLAGE Lots 16 and 17 in Block 12, Original town The terms upon which said real estate will be sold are as follows: One-third down, balance payable in three annual installments of equal amount, bearing 5 per cent interest, payable annualy.	1500.00

Annual installments payable on the first day of Januayy of each succeeding calendar year at the discretion of the Board until the whole of the purchase price is paid, with interest thereon at the rate of five percent per annum, payable annualy, with option in the purchaser to pay the balance or any number of installments on any installment-paying date.

Dated this 9th day of May, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County, South Dakota

ADULTERATED AND/OR MISBRANDED PRODUCTS

The following list of products covered by the Inspection Laws enforeced by the Department of Agriculture have been found to be adultereated or misbranded, or both, and notice of publication having been given the manufactureres or jobbers as required by law, and no adequate objection filed, the list is hereby published as provided by law.

Fertilene: Manufacturer, Fertilene Manufacturing Company, Worthington, Ohio. Misbranded and adulterated since this sample is deficient in potash.

Dakota Maid 40% Range pellets: Manufactuber, N. D. Mill & Elevator Company, Grand Forks, N. D. Misbranded and adulterated since total crude protein is lower than the guarantee.

41% Range Cubes: Manufacturer, Nutrena Mills, Minneapolis, Minn. Misbranded and adulterated since total crude protein is below guarantee. This condidtion may be caused by lack of urea which is lower than amount indicated.

Multirich Minral: Manufacturer, Sargent & Co., Des Moines, Iowa. Misbranded and adulterated since fat is below and crude fiber is above guarantee.

Co-Op 26% Cafeteria Egg Mash Granules: Manufacturer, Spink County Co-Op Assn., Redfield, S. D. Misbranded and adulterated since crude fiber is much higher than guarantee.

18% Egg-A-Day Laying Mash: Manufacturer, Supersweet Feed Co., Mapleton, Minn. Misbranded and adulterated since crude fiber is above and crude protein is below the guarantee.

Tarkio Winner 12% 3/8 pellets: Manufacturer, Tarkio Molasses Feed Company, Kansas City, Mo. Misbranded and adulterated since crude fiber exceeds guarantee.

Sugar Processed Tarkio: Manufacturer, Tarkio Molasses Feed Co., Kansas City, Mo. Misbranded

and adulterated since crude protein is below the guarantee.

Wedco Imported Steamed Bone Meal: Wessel, Duval & Co., New York, N. Y. manufacturer. Misbranded and adulterated since both protein and fat are considerably below the guarantee.

I, L. V. Ausman, Secretary of Agriculture of the State of South Dakota, do hereby certify that all articles herein listed were properly and officially sampled by duly authorized inspectors or agents of the Department of Agriculture and that samples were taken and officially examined and analyzed at the State Chemical Laboratory under supervision and authorization of the State Chemist. They were found to be adulterated or misbranded within the meaning of the law as was found in Title 22 of the 1939 Code.

L. V. Ausman
Secretary of Agriculture
Pierre, South Dakota

RESOLUTION OF CONDEMNATION # 143

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, acting as a Board of Survey under S. D. C. 48.0503 have inspected the following personal property in the custody of the County officers of said Codington County; One (1) Chevrolet Two Door Sedan-Serial #21-GA-06-1937 Model. Original owner Earnest Canfield, Stratford,S.D. 1951 License #7-A338. Earnest, a transient, died in car and burial by Codington County, S.D. Cost to put car where it would run $24.20, by Putnam Service.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that said property has become unfit for use by reason of change, wear, tear and is beyond repair, and same is therefore condemned and appraised as being of a value as follows: Seventy Five Dollars ($75.00)

It is futher resolved that said property;may be forthwith sold

Dated this 9th day of May 1952.

Palmer D. Sheldon
Vernon H. Belk
Einar Jordeth
A. G. Hestad
James L. Keenan

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M., May 13, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
May 13, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-Register of Deeds-Betty Kranz $18.90; Auditor-Irma E. Welch $75.00; GENERAL-Tax Collector-Beatrice Nelson $97.44; Ole James Nelson $106.59; Court House Maintenance-Nash Finch Co. $19.60; Marquardt's Service $88.85; Hillyard Sales Co. $220.50; Mrs. J. Elvera Englund $3.60; Great Northern Railway Co $1.48; Luther Paint & Glass Co. $5.53; Egge Electric Co. $12.45; Dunlop's Wall Paper & Paint Co. $28.16; Bernie's Cycle Shop $1.00; Oscar C. Rixson Co. $22.30; Pink Supply Co. $90.90; Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $57.71; Thompson Yards $6.00; Otis Elevator So. $12.08; Michaels Clothes, Inc. $53.60; Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $307.80; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. 78¢; Thomes Drugs $6.50; Putnam's Uptown Service $2.08; Park Grant Co. $52.19; Nelson Hardware Co. $10.35; City Treasurer $488.56; American RAilway Express Agency $2.64; Contests and Exhibits-Miller Brothers Lumber Co. $48.00; Josten's $3.83; Insurance & Bonds-Heaton Insurance Agency $75.20; Board of Health-H. Russell Bbown $81.00; Supt. of Schools Mileage-Muriel Hoover $35.76; Memorial Park-American Legion Auxillary $8.00; Veterans of Foregin Wars $7.00; Henry Legion Post #227 $25.00; Memorial Day Committee $75.00; Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $120.00; New Grand Hotel $22.05; Cliff Egglund $72.00; Sheriff's Mileage-Cliff Englund $825.15; Board of Prisioners-Cliff Englund $173.60; Sheriff's Fees-Cliff Englund $63.00; Printing and Advertising-The Henry Independent $44.55; Watertown Public Opinion $91.26; South Shore Gazette $13.11; Auditor's Office Expense-American Railway Express Agency $6.06; South Shore Gazette $65.50; Pitney Bowes, Inc. $25.90; Wilson Storage & Transfer Co. $1.38; Postmaster $8.01; Brown & Saenger $877; Ruhe Stationery Co. $10.45; LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $1.40; Treasurer's Office Expense-F. C. Grow-Sons-Printers-$25.00; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-American Railway Express Co. 96¢; Brown & Saenger $41.63; Ruhe Stationery Co. $39.40; The Mitchell Publishing Co. $19.02; Midwest-Beach Co. $2.17; Educator Supply Co. $4.25; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $14.65; Ruhe's Stationery Co. 85¢; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Frankel Carbon & Ribbon Co. $43.40; LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $42.07; States Attorney's Office Expense-Ross H. Oviatt $2121; Sheriff's Office Expense-Burghardt Radio Supply Co. $10.26; Vic's Radio Service $12.40; Court Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $7.00; Mabel C. Alworth $25.00; Public Welfare Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.80; Frankel Carbon & Ribbon Co. $22.00; County Extension-Frankel Carbon and Ribbon Co. $38.85; Commissioner's Per Diem and Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $64.70; A. G. Hestad $70.23; Einar Jordeth $72.54; James L. Keenan $72.60; Palmer D. Sheldon $103.80; Welfare-Thomes Drug Store for Minnie Johnson, Lena Trummer, Nellie Harvey, Andrew & Anna Christianson, Richard DePeel, Louisa Richter, and Alfred Vick $85.06; Putnam's Uptown Service $22.45; Bartron Hospital & Clinic for Clarence I. Morrison, LeRoy Kraft, Mrs. Emma Jenkins

Mrs. John Fjerstad, Mrs. Henry Becker, W. B. Barkley, Clarence Tessier, Mrs. Alta Tessier, Richard Reidh, William Redemske, Ernest Meyer, Mrs. Gordon Hoover, Magnus Helland, Harry Forbush, Sr., David Bright, Charles Bierschiede, and John Welter $2180.16; Memorial Hospital for Carl Bergh, Nellie Harvey, Susanna Hegg, Fred Kozak, Mary Mourers, Ole Omodt, Delia Scholl, Agusta Struss, and Alfred Vick $$1067.90; St. Ann's Hospital for Fern Washtook, John O'Neil, Melvin & Joyce Christianson, John Bergan, Sarah Davis, and Albert and Leona Krohn $1607.23; University of Minnesota Hospitals for Betty Schreifels $150.15; Brown Clinic for Eric Frese, Mrs. Hugh Davis, John Bergan, Dooks Teijen, Anna Parsley, Mrs. Gertrude Heathcote, Mrs. Emma Henthorn, Mervin Christianson, A. R. Quade, Mrs. Ellsworth Spearbeck, Mrs. Lean Mauer, Mrs. Albert E. Krohn, and Dagmar Karterud $140.00; Haggar's Drug Store for John Farley, Mrs. Wm. Czech, Frank Krause, Lester Schultz, Mrs. O. Anderson, Ellsworth Spearbeck, Mrs. Frank Klucas, Emma Hanthorn, Mervin Christensen, and Mr. Hegg $65.59; Dr. H. T. Kenney for Bernard & Rachel Stevenson, Marshall Brandfield, Fred Kozak, Paul M.Lehman, Arthur Owsley, Lillian Lehman, and Henry DeWall $73.00; Medical Arts Clinic for Susanna Hegg and Frank & Emma Klucas $11.00, Dr. M. C. Thompson for Mrs. Mathilda Blek, Richard DePeel, Mrs. Minnie Johnson, Fremond Tribbett, and Mrs. Lena Trummer $41.00; Watertown Clinic for Peter Brockhof $75.00; Kreiser's Drug Store for Mathilda Blek, Earl Crocker, Juliet DuBois, Dagmar Kartrud, Sophia Kieso, Mick & Lean Mauer, Anna Parsley, George & Delia Scholl, Carl & Agusta Struss, and Dooks Teijen $$71.78; Duffner's Drug Store for George Tribitt, Bernard Murray, Andrew Westrum, Jerry O'Brien, Ole Hanson, Marshall Bradfield, Harry Forbush, Sr., William Ball, Mrs. Steve Wisneske, Gertrude Heathcote, Leo Breske, A. R. Quade, Arthur Owsley, Richard Duus, Ole Omodt, Olger Markuson, Anna Anderson, Earl Crocker, H. DeWall, $304.78; Mathiesen, Gergen and Rhodes for Ole Omodt, Harry Forbush, and Mrs. Josephine Friskey $26.50; Joseph E. Messer for Louie Mourere $3.00; Red Owl Food Stores for Mrs. William Bundy, and Loren Wohlwend $35.29; Schaefer Grocery for Seldon Sumner $29.77; Standard Oil Co. For Will & Bessie Norman and William Barto $22.95; Home Grocery for Nortie Remington and William Barto $17.50; O. P. Skaggs for John Brockhoff $75.00; Little Grocery for John Brower, William Norman, and John Fjerstad $31.50; Little Grocery $1.50; Peavey Elevator for Edward Haack $21.29; J. C. Penney Co. for Loren Wohlwend $5.90; F. P. Creaser & Sons for Richard Kemp and Otto Jungen $34.13; Florence Co-Op. Elevator Co. for Andrew H. Springer $22.16; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. for Phoebe Mowery, A. M. Johnson, John Brower, F. W Struss, and Clarence Tessier $75.50; Graham Grocery Co. for Ellsworth Spearbeck, Maxine Aasby $27.00; Hunter's Grocery for Olger Markuson, Joseph Gjertz, Melvin Lawrence, and Alice Dummer $70.00; Randall Spies, Inc. for Roberty Corey, Arley Lauseng $77.50; Anna Larson and Richard Kemp $17.50; Watertown Community Oil Co. For Robert Corey, George Tribbitt, Arley Lauseng, Daniel Mathiesen $32.60; Graham Grocery For Ellsworth Spearbeck $37.00; Lohr's Home for Edith Kinsey $30.00; Mrs. Mary Miller for Mrs. Joe Coyle $10.00; Ed Schaaf for Robert Wiseman $30.00; Irene Stockman for Loretta Stockman $100.00; Thora Kinstad for Ole Hanson, Charley Lond, Ole Omodt and Harry Forbush, Sr. $78.08; Mrs. Bessie Young for Rose Dixon, Sarah Black, David Bright $45.00; Court Expense for Katherine Moriarty $10.20; Board of Insanity-Harry T. Kenney $6.00; County Farm-Park Grant Co. $61.42; Nelson Hardware $3.50; City Treasurer $27.10; Randall Spies, Inc. $20.25; Lien's Grocery $7.72; South Dakota Livestock Sales Co. $98.04; Watertown Milling Co. $40.89; Sperling Shoe Co. $5.50; Watertown Veterinary Clinic $17.00; Webb Service 75 ¢; Botsford Lumber Co. $24.88; K. D. Locker, Inc. $28.33; Olson Appliance Co. $5.80; L. O. H. Co. $75.90; COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE-Ellsworth Spearbeck $123.50; Putnam's Uptown Service $454.43; Northwestern Road Supply Co. $236.94; Marquardt's Service & Supply Co. $377.80; The Adams Paint Co. $257.50; International Harvester Co. $352.91; Emprie Equipment Co. $890.14; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $254.60; Watertown Machine Works $207.66; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $588.41; ROAD-Miller Brother Lumbers Co. $38.40; City Treasurer $8.05; American Railway Express Agency $13.46; Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.64; F. C Brow, Sons-Printers $62.50; Watertown Community Oil Co. $8.15; Motor Supply Co. $92.19; Paper Calmenson & Co. $83.91; J. P. Foster Co. $91.83; LaNou Radiator Shop $5.50; Sanders Chevrolet Co. $1.48; Burghardt Radio Supply $4.30; North Western Public Service Co. $4.71; Kenneth Hayes $3.10; General Sales & Service $13.76; Koch's Phillips 66 Service Station $12.25; West ern Transportaion Co. $2.19; Carl L. Zweig, Jr. $1.00; Harold Scriver $2.50; Johnson Farm E uipment Co. $9.30; Algard Machine Shop $1.00; Mahowald Co. $9.74; Riley Hardware Co. $10.32; Cave Supply Co. $42.85; R. E. Hubbard Co. $9.43; Cal's Standard Service $10.31; Aktomotive Supply Co. $7.61; Dick's Seat Cover Shop $4.70; Two Twelve Lunch $3.50; Dakota Welding Supply Co. $7.48; Sioux Road Equipment Co. $195.38; Elmer Zweig $30.00; Watertown Tire Co. $8.85; Arthur Schwandt $51.57; Rosholt Equipment Co. $5.91; BRIDGE-South Dakota Concrete Products Co. $90.64; TEXTBOOKS-Educator Supply Co. $11.47; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $2.80; INSANE-Albert Saeger $5.00; TUITION-South Dakota State College $51.00; 1951 bills-County Farm-Pioneer Plumbing Co. $25.05; Insurance & Bonds $188.03; C.M.V.-Western Surety Co. $536.72; TUITION-Watertown Independent School Dist. $637.50.

C. H. Sonnenberg, Municipal Utilities Dept. Superintendent, appeared before the Board with a request that the County pay to the City of Watertown the cost of installing Mercury Vapor lighting along Broadway on the west border of the court yard. The cost of such lighting would be $2.00 per foot which would amount to approximately $600.00 for Codington County.

The Board deferred action on the matter for more thorough consideration.

Donald Erickson, representing the City Recreation Board, appeared before the Board of County Commissioners on the matter of using Memorial Park for the Recreation Board's summer swimming program. He asked that the county furnish a 32 ft. pier and 230 ft. of rope for safety zone marking and explained that the Red Cross would furnish ring buoys and life saving equipment.

No action was taken by the Board of Commissioners pending legal advise as to what responsibilities of the county would be.

The applications of Merle Whitwam and Dale Carpenter for abatement of taxes were rejected by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Hestad, which motion carried.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that dance hall license fees for 1952 would be increased as follows: ~~Spider Palace~~ Glenn Lake at Stony Point from $50.00 to $100.00; One night stands from $2.00 to $3.00; Smaller dance halls from $25.00 to $35.00. The motion carried.

The Board approved screening of the porch on the main building at Memorial Park. The City Wood Products Co. was selected to furnish the material, screens, doors, etc., at a cost installed of $387.05.

The application of Wesley Zirbel for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes was approved by the Board.

The County Auditor submitted a quit claim deed to tax deed propertyfrom Codington Cunty to Otto Scharn as follows: Codington County to Otto Scharn Lots 258 and 259 in Fairfax Add. to Watertown for $50.00. The Board approved foregoing deed.

R E S O L U T I O N #144

WHEREAS, ther has been received the sum of $30,984.28 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund, and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS,

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the first meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment amogg the respective townships for the Fourth quarter of 1951 and the first quarter of 1952, and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows, to-wit:

For the Fourth quarter of 1952: Kranzburg Township $46.57; Sheridan, Pelican, Kampeska, Henry Elmira, Lake, Richland, Graceland, Phipps, Leola and Eden Townships, $27.04 each; Waverly Township $34.55; Rauville $38.31; Fuller $42.82; Germantown $36.05; Dexter $45.09; and

For the First quarter of 1952: Kranzburg Township $2621.61; Sheridan, Pelican, Elmira, Richland, Graceland, Phipps, Leola and Eden Township $1522.17 each; Waverly Township $1944.97; Rauville Township $2156.40; Fuller Township $2410.09; Germantown Township $2029.57; Total $23,880.83.

AND WHEREAS, the County Highway system has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following Townships: Kampeska $1522.17; Henry Township $1522.17; Lake Township $1522.17; and Dexter Township $2536.94.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That, said fund apportioned above set out be held by the County Auditor to pay for completing the County Highway System in the said townships in the proportion as above provided and pursuant to law, and no part thereof shall be actually paid over to the said townships, provided however, that any amount of the respective allotments to their respective townships not paid over, shall remain unexpended after completion of the roads of the County Highway System, shall revert to and be payable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Hestad, Seconded by Commissioner Keenan and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 13th day of May, 1952.

Tulum L Sheldon
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:
Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County, S.D.

R E S O L U T I O N #144A

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $11,007.97 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners and this being the proper time to make the apportionment for the Fourth quarter of 1951 and the First quarter of 1952;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners, of Codington County, S. D. that the said money be apportioned among the respective municipalities as follows:

Florence $616.69; Henry $616.69; South Shore $616.69; and Wallace $462.53, Watertown $8,695.37; Total $11,007.97.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Hestad, seconded by Commissioner Keenan, and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 13th day of May, 1952.

Vernon H Belk
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:
Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County, S.D.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M., May 20, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
May 20, 1952

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Belk, Hestad, Jordeth and Keenan present; Sheldon absent, Vice Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-W. F. Woter $35.00; Roger Lidtke $15.20; Ray Makepeace $10.00; Mrs. Ray Makepeace $10.00; Charles Cook, Sr. $16.05; May Borns $1.10; Violet Hayes $15.20; Rachel Brehm $25.20; Ida Dunlop $10.20; E. G. Skells $10.20; Pete Molln $25.20; Commissioners Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $27.00; A. G. Hestad $50.50; Einar Jordeth $50.30; James L. Keenan $24.55.

Terms of the contract for deed having been met and payments made in full, it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan that the quit claim deed from Codington County to Glen C. Page to property described as N.E.¼ Sec. 20-118-55 for $3100.00 be approved, which motion prevailed.

Donald Erickson, City Recreational Director, appeared before the Board on the matter of the county furnishing a pier and ~~20~~ 230 ft. of rope for safety zone marking at Memorial Park for the swimming classes.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that the county furnish and install a 32 ft. pier and 230 ft. of rope as requested for use by the Watertown Recreation Program's swimming classes. The motion carried.

Dale Carpenter appeared before the Board regarding his application for abatement of personal property taxes.

The application of W. T. Williams for dance hall license for the Rainbow Room at Stony Point, Lake Kampeska was approved by the Board on a motion by Jordeth, second by Keenan, which motion carried.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan that Codington County pay to the City of Watertown $600.00 for the installation of Mercury Vapor lighting along Broadway on the west border of the court yard. The motion carried.

The application of Annette Burgdof for compromise settlement of county liens was approved by the Board.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M., May 23, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
May 23, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Hestad, Belk, Keenan and Jordeth present, Sheldon absent; Belk presiding.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board of Commissioners for the letting of gravel bids as advertized in the official newspapers of Codington County, Vice Chairman Belk asked that bids be opened and read.

Elmer Zweig submitted the only bid as follows: Loading and screening gravel and clay into County and Company owned equipment, according to County Highway Superintendant's specifications, 25¢ per yard; hauling gravel and clay with company equipment, 7¢ per yard per mile, stripping pits anddisposing of waste materail to satisfaction of owner, $5.00 per hr.

After a brief discussion by the Board and the Highway Superintendent, it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan that foregoing bid of Elmer Zweig be accepted, which motion prevailed.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that the county pay a maximum of 5¢ per yard for binding clay, 5¢ per yard for gravel from rock crusher, and 6¢ per yard for screened gravel. The motion carried.

Herb Trandall of City Wood Products Co. appeared before the Board regarding the matter of furnishing tables for polling places in the coming election. The Board authorized Mr. Trandall to furnish ten tables at approximate cost of $22.00 each.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Hestad that the application of Helmer Jacobson for refund of 1951 school poll in the amount of $1.00 to Mrs. Helmer Jacobson for reason of duplication of assessment be approved, which motion prevailed.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. May 27, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
May 27, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Belk, Hestad, Jordeth and Keenan present, Sheldon absent; Belk presiding.

R E S O L U T I O N #145

WHEREAS, a petition has been filed asking the Board of County Commissioners to recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that the following described highway in CodingtonCounty, South Dakota, be added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, to-wit:

> Commencing at a point in the Southeast corner of Section 29, Township 120 North of Range 52 West of the 5th P. M., in the Sisseton Whapeton Indian Reservation, thence West four miles to the Southwest corner of Section 1, Township 119 North of Range 54 West of the 5th P. M., Codington County, South Dakota:

AND WHEREAS, it appears to the Board of County Commissioners that the same should be added

to the County Highway System,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Cdoington County, South Dakota, that Codington County does hereby recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that there be added to the County Highway system of Codington County, South Dakota, the highway above described.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Auditor be and he is hereby instructed to forward to the Secretary of the Highway Commission of South Dakota copy of this resolution with the request that action hereon be taken by the State Highway Commission.

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Jordeth and seconded byCommissioner Keenan and upon being put to vote all Commissioners voted aye and none voted nay, whereupon theChairman declared and said Resolution to be duly passed adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 27th day of May 1952.

Vernon H Belk
Vice-Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

R E S O L U T I O N # 146

At a regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota held at the Courhouse in the City of Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota on the 27th day of May, 1952. The following members being present: Vernon H. Belk, A. G. Hestad, James L. Keenan, and Einar Jordeth. The following members being absent: Palmer D. Sheldon.

The following proceedings were had:

Moved by Jordeth and motion seconded by Hestad that under the provisions of SDC 12.1913 as amended by Chapter 28, Laws of 1951, we hereby authorized the expenses asda proper charge agains this County of the State's Attorney and Sheriff to attend an annual meeting of State's attorneys and Sheriffs called by the Attorney General for June 15, 16 and 17, 1952 to be held in theCity of Pierre, South Dakota, as follows;

1. Ann allowance for the actual cost of subsistence per day, including meals and lodging, as evidenced by appropriate receipts, not to exceed $7.00 per day.

2. An allowance for mileage not in excess of six cents per mile actually and necessarily traveled if made by automobile or actual cost for transportaion if by railroad.

Members voting in favor of this resolution: Vernon H. Belk, A..G. Hestad, James L Keenan, and Einar Jordeth. Members voting against the resolution: None.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 27 day of May, year of 1952.

Vernon H Belk
Vice Chairman of County Commissioners Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Bounty claims were approved as follows: Robert Newell, $2.00; John Bergan $4.00; Mrs. Oscar Mallgren $4.00; Harold Bunde $8.00; George Groves $10.00; John Rowe $4.00; John Bergan $4.00; Mrs. Earl Dally $4.00; T. J. Bergan $4.00; H. A. Rear $4.00; Jerome A. Harriott $4.00; Orrin Korth $4.00; John C. Henning, Jr. $7.50; Mrs. Albert Andresen $4.00; John E. Henning, Jr. $10.00;

Donald Erickson, Watertown Recreation Director appeared before the Board requesting the use of County property described as the W½ of Blk. 16 Pettigrews Add. to Watertownby the Watertown Recreation Board for playground purposes.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that foregoing request be granted and that agreement relating to same be filed in the County Auditor's office. The motion carried.

The application of Abe and Lena Seveland for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes was approved on a motion by Hestad and second by Jordeth.

County Highway Supt. Larson, appeared before the Board to request that the county purchase a tractor and mower for service in the Highway Dept.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan that the County Auditor advertize for bids to furnish the county with a tractor and mower for use in the County Highway Dept. The motion carried.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, will receive sealed bids up to ten o'clock in the forenoon, July 1, 1952, at the Commissioners Chambers in the Courthouse in the City of Watertown,S. D., for the following:

One, Highway Tractor complete with starter, lights, and wide front axle, also One 5 foot Highway Mower complete with all hookups, rock guards and heavy sickles.

A certified check of 5% of bid payable to the County Treasurer of Codington County, South

Dakota, must accompany each bid, such check to be certified or issued by a State or National Bank, domiciled within the Sate as a guarantee that such bidders will enter into contract with Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with such letting in event such bidder is awarded the contract.

Preference may be given to goods and materials produced or grown within the boundaries of the State of South Dakota.

The Board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 27th day of May, 1952.

Vernon H. Belk
Vice Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County, S.D.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $294.16; Oscar J. Fromke $210.00; Marlys J. Haney $190.00; Dorothy Below $180.00; Irma E. Welch $75.00; Total $949.16; Treasurer-Alma Gerberding $294.16; Hazel Schliesmann $210.00; Jean Rawlins $190.00; Alma Schulz $180.00; Total $874.16; Clerk of Courts-KWalter A. Farl $267.50; Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Total $462.50; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $267.50; Harriett Horning $205.00; Margaret Brown $175.00; Total $647.50; Supt. of Schools-Muriel Hoover $294.16; Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; total $474.16; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $256.66; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Laura J. Avis $125.00; Total $531.66; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $260.00; Municipal Judge-Lloyd B. Peterson $23.66; Donald W. Lobitz $159.67 GENERAL-Court House Maint.-Lew Fjerstad $175.00; Carl S. Michaelson $150.00; Court Expense-W. B. Higman $118.97; Mabel C. Alwroth $110.67; Katherind Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Hounty Farm-Hazel Roberts $75.00; Harry Roberts $90.00; Veterans Service-George W. Burke $175.00; Dorothy D. Tessier $22.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension -Mary Andrew $140.00; Commissioner's Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $54.80; Einar Jordeth $43.40; A. G. Hestad $56.34; James L. Keenan $51.30; Welfare-Mrs. Bessie Young $50.00;WEED BOARD Matt Brandriet $175.00; COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE-Lars G. Larson $325.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $170.00; J. P. Haug $262.50; C. B.Sumner $176.44; Harold Scriver $227.85; Joe Stricherz $277.20; John Rennie $267.75; Ed Gould $50.88; James Hendren $1.56; Alfred Spring $237.98; Howard Williams $193.88;C. T. Howey $132.03; Carl Zweig, Jr. $6.98; E. Noeldner $20.19; Fred Brownell $102.44; Leo L. Clausen $111.72; John N. Strait $138.94; E. Spearbeck $2.05; Harold Berg $124.90; Chris Engels $19.12; Vernon Anderson $75.63; Sever Tobiason $200.00; Bert Smith $20.00; C.H. & B. R. - C. B. Sumner $96.60; Ed Gould $66.00;James Hendren $87.45; Alfred Spring $11.00; Howard Williams $77.00; C. T. Howey $63.00; Carl Zweig, Jr. $242.00; E. Noeldner $41.10; Fred Brownell $85.50; Leo L. Clausen $9.50; John N. Strait $85.50; E. Spearbeck $50.50; Harold Berg $85.50; Chris Engels $40.00; Vernon Andersnn $27.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $154.00; E. Noeldner $147.25; Fred Brownell $9.50; Leo L. Clausen $28.50; John N. Stait $9.50; E. Spearbeck $51.00; Harold Berg $9.50; Chris Engels $139.50; and Vernon Anderson $54.00

The Board Adjourned to 10:00 A. M. June 1, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA

Watertown, South Dakota
June 3, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Belk, Hestad, Jordeth and Keenan present, Sheldon absent; Belk presiding.

Minutes of meetings of May 6, 9, 13, 20, 23 and 27, 1952 were approved by the Board.

The Board recessed shortly after convening and left in a group for an inspection of Memorial Park,

The Board reconvened at 2:30 P. M.

The following officers bonds were approved: John F. Korte, Assessor, City of Watertown; Leonard J. Murphy, Assessor, Richland Township; Gerald Burke, Clerk, Richland Township,

Certification by the State Weed Board of County Weed Board members was submitted to the Board as follows: Joe Fox, R. R. #5, Watertown, S. D., Chairman; Robert Redlin, R. R. #3, Watertown, S. D., Vice Chairman; Paul David R. R. #1, Henry, S. D., Secretary.

The Board Adjourned to 10:00 A. M. June 6, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 6, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Hestad, Belk, and Keenan present; Sheldon and Jordeth absent; Belk presiding.

The following applications for class "C" or "D" permits to engage in the retail sale of non-intoxicating liquors came up for hearing purusant to publication, May 29, 1952, as provided for in Chapter 17 of the South Dakota Session Laws of 1949, to-wit: Adolph DeVille and James R. Schultz, Jr., (212 Lunch), NE ten acres of NE¼ NE¼ Section 5, Township 116 North, of Range Fifty Two, West; John Albert Gillies, Lots 2 and 3 in Block 3 of Kranzburg, S.D.; Ray B. Halling, NW one acre in Section 6, Township116, Range 53 inPelican Township; Jessie Hecathorne, Lots 3, 4, in Block 4, Kranzburg; Chris A. Henriksen (Lakeside Drive Inn), West side of Lake Kampeska, on Highway #23, part of Lots 1and 2 in Section 31, Township 117 Range 53 in Lake Township; Ed Heyn, NE four acres of NE¼ Section 3, Township 116, Range 51, Kranbzrg, Twp.; Matt N. Kranz, Lots 12, 13, 14 Block 2, Kranzburg, S. D.; George Laqua, NW 1 acre of the W½ of SW¼ Section 17, Township 117, Range 52 in Elmire Township; W. R. Meseberg, OL 1 of Gove. lot 2, Section #15 Township 117, Range 53 in Lake Township; Caroline Meyer, Pt. of Smith OL in Section 15, Township 117, Range 53 in Lake Township; Lloyd A. Opperud, (Hillcrest Resort) Lots 4 and 5 in Hillcrest Addition in Lake Township; Clarence Reeve, Gov. Lot 6 in Section 32, Township 118, Range 54 in Fuller Township ; Henry N. L. Ries, Lots 10 & 11 in Block 2, Kranzburg; Leslie Robinson, Lot 1 Block 2, City View Add. in Lake Township; C. J. Ruhr, Lots 1 and 2,Block 3, Kranzburg; Frank Schmitt, Lots 4 and 5, Block 3, Waverly; Merle D. Stanton, Lot 1, Block 1, Grover, S. D.; John E. Stricherz, Lots 1 and 2, Block 3, Waverly, DBA Jack & Al's Bar; Gordon Thompson, NE Corner of Gov. Lot 3, Section 17, Township 116, Range 53, Pelican Township; Willis R. Walters, SE Two acres of SE¼ Section 1, Township 116, Range 55, Henry Township; Watertown Country Club, Outlots B and C of Arend's Park Addition in Section 28, Township 117, Range 53, in Lake Township; Mrs. Glen C. Watkins, Lots 21 Highland Park, in Lake Township; Frank Welch, OL A Section 32, Township 118, Range 52, in Rauville Township; W. T. Williams, Stony Point, Gov. Lot 3, Section 29, Township 117 Range 53, Lake Township.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Hestad that foregoing applications be approved, which motion prevailed.

Monthly statements for May, 1952 were approved as follows: State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis, $221.65; Yankton State Hospital, $1754,67; Redfield State Hospital, $500.00;

The application of George and Mrs. Benshoof for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes was approved by the Board.

The official bond of P. O. Brekke, Treasurer, Wallace Village was approved,

Bounty Claims were approved as follows: Donald Pieschke $2.00; Clarence Helle $4.00; Curtis LaFramboise $4.00; Ralph Raml $8.00; Lawrence Arneson $4.00; Harry Pieschke $4.00; Ole Dahl $4.00; John DeBerg $4.00; Bruce Florey $4.00; Art J. Greipp $4.00; Andrew Mack, 30¢.

Jack Olson for the L. O. H. Co. appeared before the Board on the matter of plumbing installation at Memorial Park.

The Clerk of Courts Statement of Fees colledcted during May 1952 in the amount of $364.45 was approved by the Board.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of June 1, 1952 was checked and approved as follows: Total amount of deposits in banks, $618,411.07; Total amount of checks, drafts and cash in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $11,718.29; Government Bonds $182,000.00; Total of all items $812,129.36.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: General-Court Expense-William LaFramboise $5.10; Jesse Morris $1.10; John Vaux $15.20; Margaret Colwell $25.20; Mrs. Selma Thesenvitz.

Commissioner Keenan left with County Highway Supt. Larson to inspect a bridge in Waverly Township.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. June 10, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 10, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Belk, Hestad, Keenan, and Jordeth present, Sheldon absent; Belk presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-Treasurer-Jean Rawlins $190.00; GENERAL-Tax Collector-Beatrice Nelson $57.75; Ole James Nelson $62.51; Election Expense-Mary M. Welch $8.40; Inez Hanson $7.40; Mabel Moen $7.40; Jacqueline Andreee $7.40; Alta Meek $7.40; Bichler Motor Co. $5.00; Mary E. Smedley $7.23; Arlene Keller $6.23; Elizabeth Korcal $6.23; Viola Peterson $6.23; Lillian C. Boland $6.23; Board of Education $30.00; Luella Leonard $7.28; Inez Eggen $6.28; Pearl Britzman $6.28; Marjorie Middleton $6.28; Erma Handeland $6.28; B. M. Tollefson $6.92; Ilah May Mitchell $5.92; Verna Redlinger $5.92; Marjorie Reese $5.92; Margaret Arkland $5.92; Skinner Transfer Co. $5.00; Mrs. Lloyd Peterson $7.16; Emma Trzynka $7.16; John Noonan $8.16; C. O. Monson $7.16; Sadye Bryson $7.16; Baskerville & Dahl Co. $5.00; Boyd F. Smith $7.04; Ethel Miller $6.04; Bernice Bichler $6.04; Fern E. Hustad $6.04; Mrs. Elmer Pardau $6.04; Lester E. Schull $7.01 ; Earl Mills $6.02; Gertrude Haney $6.01; Mrs. Ray Schwandt $6.01; Arthur Schwanke $6.01; Raymond Carlson $5.00; G. Paul Pitt $5.45; Maurice G. Smith $6.45; Marie Mack $5.45; Emma Korte $5.45; Margaret Grow $5.45; N. T. Enevoldsen $7.68; Theona Burroughs $6.68; Mazie Langwill $6.68; Myrtle Barnes $6.68; Ruth Graham $6.68; City Treasurer $5.00; George A. Knight $7.30; Erick Heuer $6.30; Lydia Tessier $6.30; Mary L. Chapman $6.30; Mrs. Murl Waba $6.30; Alvina Bartling $7.51; Hazel Lester $6.51; Paul Born $6.51; Rose Harmel $6.51; Barbara M. Johnson $6.51; Larry O'Toole $7.72; H. M. Hanten $6.72; Margaret Cherveny $6.72; Abbie Gergen $6.72; Geo. Bunce $6.72; K. D. Locker Plant $5.00; Geo. Wemmering $7.49; Caroline Lebert $6.49; Mrs. Louise Stricherz $6.49; Carl J. Stein $6.49; Veva Ohlsen $6.49; Frank B. Lebert $5.00; Arnold Koepke $7.05; Mabel Drake $6.05; Ruby Kraling $6.05; Minnie Strom $6.05; Ida Olson $6.05; Edwin Kampen $7.86; Lewis W. Larson $6.86; Mrs. J. C. Larson $6.86; Mabel Lowry $6.86; Anna Heiden $6.86; Guy Moes $5.00; Mrs. William Mack $5.00; Mrs. Alvin Mack $5.00; Theo. F. Stricherz $5.00; Isador Clausen $6.80; Kranzburg, C. O. F. Hall $5.00; Bernard Perry $5.00; C. B. Moorhouse $6.40; Erwin Deke $5.00; Henry A. Welter $5.00; Edwrad Dessonville $5.00; School Dist. $66 $5.00; Fred Benthin $7.40; Roland Thiede $5.00; May Schuelke $5.00; Helen Klatt $5.00; Della Zamow $5.00; School Dist. #39 $5.00; Edgar Rausch $5.00; Loren Wolf $5.00; Emil Mischke, Jr. $7.00; Vernon Klatt $5.00; Aaron VanSickle $5.00; Jacob DeBerg $5.00; Elwin Kittleson $8.20; James Riley $5.00; Peder Valberg $5.00; Robert VanSickle $5.00; Frank Coplan $5.00; School Dist. #49 $5.00; Harry A. Bauer $6.00; J. P. Suttor $5.00; Carl E. Nelson $5.00; Hubert Klatt $5.00; Norman Stoltenburg, $5.00; Richard Hoffman $5.00; Richard Stoltenburg $5.00; G. E. Williams $6.45; Walter H. Spurrell $5.45; H. J. Welch $5.45; Harold K. Benbow $5.45; Chauncey Brmbaugh $5.45; H. J. Welch, Treas. $5.00; Fred Schwandt $7.00; Joe Murphy $5.00; Paul David $5.00; Albert Schultz $5.00; A. D. Redlin $5.00; School Dist #6 $5.00; Arthur Vogt $5.00; Stanley Waddell $9.00; Frank McGillivary $5.00; Elinor Flury $5.00; Dena Helle $5.00; School Dist. #45-$5.00; Frank Schmitt $7.80; John Wall $5.00; Matt DeVille $5.00; T. A. Zemlicka $5.00; M. J. DeVille $5.00; Waverly Town $5.00; Albert Mohr $6.60; Raymond Stein $5.00; Curtis LaFramboise $5.00; Roland Redlin $5.00; FrankBoeder $5.00; Rauville Twp. $5.00; Smith Robbins $5.00; Edward Flemming $5.00; Morris Michaelson $7.40; Vern Thorson $5.00; Norbert Ronke $5.00; Fuller Township $5.00; James Huppler $9.80; Henry McGillivary $5.00; John McCabe $5.00; Lila Johnston $5.00; Effie Paulson $5.00; School Dist. #43 $5.00; Geo. Gunderson, Jr. $8.09; Otto Korth $10.09; Edgar Bunde $5.09; Carl Gunderson $5.09; August Strege $5.09; H. A. Johnson $9.00; Earling Johnson $5.00 Theodore Lovick $11.00; Agnes Meland $5.00; Leonard Chilson $5.00; O. A. Olson $5.00; Philip Bergh $5.00; K. O. Markve $5.00; William Flisrand $5.00; Dexter Township $5.00; Frances Kelly $5.00; Eden Township $5.00; Harold M. Engh $9.00; Charles Jones $5.00; Elmer Sumner $5.00; Mrs. Thos. J. Bergan $5.00; Mrs. Elsie Lloyd $5.00; Florence Vill $5.00; Kathryn Flanagan $9.01; A. G. Reiter $5.01; E. L. Wilson $5.01; Sadie Cummings $5.01; Delores Cummings $5.01; Henry Village $5.00; H. C. Knippel $5.21 ;J. R. Schultz $9.61; Louis Zielsky $5.21; Otto Noeldner $5.21; Albert Erickson $5.21; South Shore Village $5.00; Bent Benson $10.60; Alfred Anenson $5.00; S. L. Hjermstad $5.00; Howard Groves $5.00; P. O. Brekke $5.00; Wallace Village $5.00; Bert Hammond $3.00; Melvin Faehn $4.00; Art Bolhouse $4.50; Andrew Anderson $4.50; William Ruesink $3.00; South Shore Gazette $86.00; Midwest Beach Co $940.19; Printing and Advertising-South Shore Gazette $147.97; Henry Independent $154.42; Watertown Public Opinion $196.09; Assessors Supplies-Watertown Photo News $382.50; Auditor's Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.0; Pitney, Bowes, Inc. $2.70; Brown & Saenger $15.50; LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $6.90; F. C. Grow Sons-Printers $16.50; Addressograph-Multigraph Co. $75.27; Treasurer's Office Expense-Burroughs Adding Machine Co. $8.07; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Remington Rand, Inc. $113.10; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $22.15; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. 60¢; Welfare Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $40.72; States Attorney's Office Expense-Courtright Publishing Co. $6.00; County Extension-$42.39 to Audrey McCollum; Insurance & Bonds-Alma Hammel $83.62; Lamm Insurance Agency $67.80; Western Surey Co. $37.50; Boardof Health-H. Russell Brown $81.00; Sheriff's Office Expense-F. C. Grow Sons-Printers $20.00; Sheriff's Mileage-Cliff Englund $520.90; Board of Prisioners-Cliff Englund $155.20; Sheriff's Fees $104.18 to Cliff Englund; Court Expense-Cliff Englund $122.14; Watertown Cafe $31.70; Ruth Shenk $5.00; Emil Scharn $9.00; Hazel Hegarty $120.00; Coroner's Expense-Joseph E. Messer $12.28; Court House Maintenance-Northwestern Bell Telephone Co.$232.60; General Mills $3.45; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $1.14; Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $21.80; Mrs. J. Elvera Englund $3.06; F. P. Creaser & Sons $1.00; Wilson Transfer & Storage Co. $5.95; Putnam's Uptown Service $2.63; Park Grant Co. $20.30; Nelson Hardware Co. $98.10; City Treasurer $253.73; Memorial Park-Putnmans Uptown Service $2.94; North Western Public Service $20.11; Bernie's Cycle Shop $10.98; Nelson Hardware Co. $12.30; J. W. Hoftiezer $100.00; Minnie D. Hoftiezer $100.00; Welfare-Thomes Drug Store $34.33; St. Ann's Hospital $893.86; Bartron Hospital & Clinic $2089.79; Medical Arts Clinic $427.00; Memorial Hospital $2461.90; Dr. M. C. Thompson $63.20; R. K. Johnson Grocery $32.50; Farmer's Market $29.46; Boyle's Grocery $30.00; Hagger's Drug Sotre $73.00; Dr. Harry T. Kenney $42.00; Joseph E. Messer $9.00; J. H. Crawford, Jr. $10.00; Brown Clinic $118.00; Codington County Oil Co. $19.13; Red Owl Food Stores $25.15; Red Owl Agency $25.00; Standard Oil Co. $7.65; Lohr's Home $30.00; Gary Rest Home $5.00; Walter Gusso $25.00; Irene Stockman $100.00; Watertown Rest Home $60.00; Ed Schaaf $30.00; Mrs. Mary Miller $10.00; Louis C. Kinstad $123.00; County Farm-Park Grant Co. $26.98; Botsford Lumber Co. $16.29; Watertown Milling Co. $66.92; Nelson Hardware Co. $3.08; Pioneer Plumbing Co. $1.90; F. P. Creaser & Sons $10.05; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $20.15; K. D.Inc. $1.05; City Treasurer $19.72; C. M. V.-Mrs. Louise Rennie $123.90; ROAD-Putnam's Uptown Service $265.66; Cave Supply Co. $1048; International HarvesterCo. $30.08; Motor Supply Co. $1.80; Marquardt's Service $88.49; North Western Public Service Co. $3.05; Sioux Road Equipment Co. $3.45; W. E. Mollberg $7.50; General Mills, Inc. $10.00; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $153.53; Mahowald Co. $7.67; Watertown Machine Works $85.22; Watertown Tire Co. $67.59;

Empire Equipment Co. $24.81; American Railway Express $14.74; R. E. Hubbard Co. $8.62; Koch's Phillips 66 Service $23.15; City Treasurer $5.25; All States Steel Co. $143.50; C. E. McGowan Lumber Co. $1000;0Jensen's Service $23.20; Harold Scriver $1.00; Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $1.30; Co-Op. Farm Supply Co. $2.61; Arthur Schwandt $35.02; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $20.84; BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $91.75; S. D. Concrete Products Co. $226.60; C. H. & B. R.-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $7.95; S. D. Concrete Products Co. $1381.52; Clifford Chandler $17.15; Joseph M Lindner $17.34; Henry E. Lindner $16.38; C. S. Rasmusson $373.18; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $23.67; Paul David $5.82; Joe Fox $5.68; Robert F. Redlin $6.52; General Mills, Inc. $14.75; GENERAL-Election Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $120.00; Commissioner's Per Diem and Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $64.70; A. G. Hestad $84.01; Einar Jordeth$56.38; James L. Keenan $59.10;

R E S O LU T I O N #147

WHEREAS, a petition has been filed asking the Board of County Commissioners to recommend to the State Highway Commission of the Sate of South Dakota that the following described highway in Codington County, South Dakota, be added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, to-wit:

> Commencing at a point in the Northwest corner of Section 19, Township 116 North, Range 55 West of the 5th P. M., thence east six miles to the Northeast corner of Section 24, Township 116 North, Rang 55 West of the 5th P. M., connecting with the present State road going North and South, in Henry Township, Codington County, South Dakota.

AND WHEREAS, it appears to the Board of County Commissioners that the same should be added to the the County Highway System,

NOW THERFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that Codington County does hereby recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that there be added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, the highway above described.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Auditor be and he is hereby instructed to forward to the Secretary of the Highway Commission of South Dakota copy of this Resolution with the request that action hereon be taken by the State Highway Commission.

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Jordeth and seconded by Commissioner Hestad and upon being put to vote all Commissioners voted aye and none voted nay, wherupon the Chairman declared and said Resolution to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 10th day of June, 1952.

Vernon H Belk
Vice Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

A delegation of freeholders from Graceland and Phipps Townships appeared before the Board with a petition to add certain township road to the County Highway System as described in petition on file in the County Auditor's Office.

R E S O L U T I O N #148

WHEREAS, the petition of more than twenty-four freeholders of Codington County, South Dakota, who petitioned the Board of County Commissioners of said County for the location and addition to the County Highway System of a highway beginning at a point on the south-west corner of the South west quarter ($SW\frac{1}{4}$) of Section3, and the southeast corner of the Southeast quarter ($SE\frac{1}{4}$) of Section 4, both in Township 117 North, Range 55 West of the 5th P. M., thence proceeding north a distance of three miles and terminating at the northwest corner of the Northwest quarter ($NW\frac{1}{4}$) of Section 27, and the northeast corner of the North-east quarter ($NE\frac{1}{4}$) of Section 28, both in Tonwship 118 North, Range 55 West of the 5th P.M., more particularly described by papers on file with the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, and dulycame on for a hearing before said Board of County Commissioners at the office of said Commissioners, in the Court House in the City of Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota, at ten o'clock in the forenoon on the 10th day of June, 1952.

AND WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners do hereby appoint Vernon H. Belk, Einar Jordeth, James L. Keenan and A. G. Hestad from the members thereof as the Committee to examine such proposed location of said highway hereinbefore described, and that the said Committee shall meet at the point of beginning said highway, to-wit:

> At a point on the southwest corner of Section3, Township 117 North, Range 55 West of the 5th P. M., in Graceland Township of Codington County, South Dakota, on the 20th day of June, 1952 at 2:30 o'clock P. M., to examine said highway proposed to be located and added to said County Highway System and take such other action as may be necessary in the premises.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, THAT notice of hearing be given by posting Notices in three public places in the neighborhood of the Highwayproposed to be located and added to the said County Highway System, and that Tuesday at ten o'clock in the forenoon of July 22, 1952, be set as the date of hearing upon the report of the Committee and final action taken relating to the petitions on file.

The foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Jordeth, seconded by Keenan, and all Commissioners voting yea upon roll call, the Chairman declared the same duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 10th day of June, 1952.

Vernon H Belk
Vice Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Auditor, Codington County, South Dakota

Pursuant to tax deed sale held June 10, 1952, the following contracts for deed were approved by the Board, to-wit: Lots 4, 5 & 6, Blk. 12, Henry Village to John E. and Crescentia Curley for $3,000.00; Lots 16 and 17, Block 12, Florence Village to L. E. Soreng for $1,500.00.

The application of Dwight Uthe for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes was approved by the Board..

The application of Herbert Linderer for partial release of County lien #286 in so far as said lien pertains to property described as Lot 29, Brady's Subdivision of Block 17, Pettigrew's Addition to Watertown was approved by the Board.

The Board approved the application of Richard A. Duffner for abatement of 1951 School Poll in the amount of $1.00 for the reason of military service exemption

The official bond of Elmer O. Bunde, Clerk of Germantown Township was approved.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M., June 16, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 16, 1952

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Belk, Hestad, Keenan and Jordeth present, Sheldon absetn; Belk presiding.

The morning was spent in checking the hospital bills with the medical committee.

The claim of WesternChemical Co. in the amount of $192.21 was rejected by the Board for the reason that same had not been authorized by any Board member.

Bounty claims were approved as follows: R. D Bonfoey, $4.00; R. M. Saathoff $4.00; David Flemming $4.00; Jerome Feyerisen $2.00; H. A. Johnson $8.00; Robert Chilson $4.00; H. A. Johnson $8.00; Peter Schaack $4.00; Sidney Aaker $4.00; Ole Dahl $4.00; L. A. Keszler $4.00; Paul Spartz $4.00; J. L. Sharp $6.00; David Flemming $4.00; Donald Pieschke $6.00; Orland Hogie $4.00.

A quit claim deed to tax deed property was submitted by the County Auditor and approved by the Board as follows, to-wit: Codington County, Grantor, conveys and quit claims to David R. Stobo and Madeline Stobo, husband and wife, Lots 132, and 133, Fairfax Addition to Watertown for and in consideration of $50.00.

The Board authorized payment of $500.00 to the U. S. Post Office for postage for the postage machine in the auditor's office.

The Board adjourned to 9:30 A. M., June 18, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 18. 1952

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 9:30 A. M. with Keenan, Belk Hestad and Jordeth present, Sheldon absent.

The forenoon was spent in discussing County affairs with State Auditor, Laurence E. Mayes and William McKee of the Old Age and Survivor's Insurance Dept.

The Board adjourned to 1:00 P. M. June 20, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 20, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 1:00 P. M. with Hestad, Belk, Jordeth and Keenan present, Sheldon absent; Belk presiding.

The application of Robert Blow for compromise settlement of county lien #66A was approved by the Board.

Pursuant to Resolution #148 as adopted in Commissioners Proceedings of June 10, 1952, the Board recessed to inspect the road described in said Resolution

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
SS BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

N O T I C E O F H E A R I N G

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT there has been filed in the Office of Carl F. Bergan, County Auditor for Codington County, South Dakota, a petition signed by twenty-five free-

holders or more of Codington County, South Dakota, petitioning the Board of County Commissioners of said County for the location and addition to the County Highway System of a highway beginning at a point on the southwest corner of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section 3, and the southeast corner of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section 4, both in Township 117 North, Range 55 West of the 5th P. M., thence north three miles and terminating at the northwest corner of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section 27, and the northeast corner of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section 28, both in Township 118 North, Range 55 West of the 5th P. M., which is not within the limits of any City or IncorporatedTown within said County and State.

YOU WILL FURTHER TAKE NOTICE THAT said petition will be heard by the Board of County Commissioners in and for said Codington County, South Dakota, at a meeting of said Board to be held on the 22nd day of July, 1952, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, in the Commissioners Chambers located on the second floor of the Court House, in the City of Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota, when and where, anyone opposing to the granting of the prayer of said petitioners may appear and be heard:

Said Petition on file is hereby referred to for further particulars.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 20th day of June, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County
Watertown, South Dakota

The Board returned from ~~raid~~ inspection.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Myrtle Curley $10.20; Ernest Hemstock $20.10; James Bush $20.10; H. H. Redlinger $20.10; Carl Michaelson $20.00; Florence Lindqvist $20.00; Nels Eastberg $20.10; Geneve Dye $20.10; Nora Fehn $20.10;

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M., June 24, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 24, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened at 10:00 A. M. with Belk,Hestad, Keenan and Jordeth present, Sheldon absent; Belk presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $294.16; Oscar J. Fromke $210.00; Marlys J. Haney $190.00; Dorothy Below $180.00; Irma E. Welch $150.00-Total 1024.16; Treasurer-Alma Gerberding $294.16; Hazel Schliesmann $210.00; Alma Schulz $180.00; Joyce Rowe $132.00-Total $816.16; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $267.50; Lillian Schoenberger $195.00-Total $462.50; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $267.50; Harriett Horning $205.00; Margaret Brown $175.00; Violet VanPelt $50.40-Total $697.90; Supt. of Schools-Muriel Hoover $294.16; Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; Total-474.16; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $256.66; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Laura J. Avis $125.00-Total $531.66; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $260.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $183.33; GENERAL-Court House Maint.-Lew Fjerstad $175.00; Carl S. Michaelson $150.00; Court Exp.-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Katherine Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Darlene Solberg $20.10; Helen Haugen $26.00; Austin Painter $22.70; Luella Frankenhoff $20.10; George Bleck $5.10; Matt W. Hanten $20.10; Leonard Chilson $22.50; Harry Chap $20.10; County Farm-Hazel Roberts $75.00; Harry Roberts $90.00; Veterans Service-George W. Burke $175.00; Dorothy D. Tessier $30.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension-Mary Andrew $140.00; Memorial Park-J. W. Hoftiezer $100.00; Minnie Da Hoftiezer $100.00; C.M. V.-Lars G. Larson $325.00;Elizabeth Pinholt $170.00; J. P. Hagg $242.55; Ed Gould $200.79; James Hendren $2.16; Alfred Spring $94.61; Howard Williams $111.71; Carl Zweig, Jr. $122.11; C. T. Howey $52.94; E. Noeldner $134.75; Fred Brownell $30.46; Leo L. Clausen $25.36; John N. Strait $53.72; Harold Berg $25.68; E. Spearbeck $137.88; Chris Engels $129.02; Vincent Swenson $84.72; Thad Kranz $19.83; Ed Brekke $5.320; Bert Smith $20.00; John Rennie $136.20; C. B. Sumner $191.52; C. H. & B. R.-Ed Gould $38.50; James Hendren $253.85; Alfred Spring $137.50; Howard Williams $137.50; Carl Zweig, Jr. $110.00; C. T. Howey $135.00; E. Noeldner $38.00; Fred Brownell $142.50; Leo L. Clausen $180.50; John N. Strait $161.50; Harold Berg $159.60; E. Spearbeck $35.25; Chris Engels $36.00; Vincent Swenson $47.50; Thad Kranz $18.00; John Rennie $103.95; C. B. Sumner $56.70; Special Bridge-Ed Gould $11.00; E. Noeldner $14.25; E. Spearbeck $6.65; Chris Engels $13.50; Vincent Swenson $14.25; C.M.V.-J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $12,028.22;; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $768.94; C. H. & B. R. $282.74 to Socony Vacuum Oil Co.; GENERAL-County Farm-Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $32.40; Insurance & Bonds-The First Citizen's National Bank $14.87; Commissioner's Per Diem, Mileage, and Salary-Vernon H. Belk $114.40; A. G. Hestad $87.39; Einar Jordeth 115.52; James L. Keenan $103.20.

The Codington County Highway Department monthly report for May, 1952 was checked by the Board and filed.

RESOLUTION NO.7160

CODINGTON COUNTY

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SOUTH DAKOTA
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION:

THAT, WHEREAS, a resolution has been presented by the Board of County Commissioner of Codington County, South Dakota, requesting certain changes in the County Highway System of Codington County, as hereinafter described,

AND, WHEREAS, it appears that the said Board of County Commissioners has complied with all the regulations in regard to the proposed changes, and the State Highway Commission being fully advised in the matter, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the State Highway Commission that the folbwing described roads, be, and the same are hereby added to the County Highway System of Codington County:

Beginning at a point in the Southeast corner of Section 29, Township120 North of Range 52 West of the 5th P. M., in the Sisseton Whapeton Indian Reservation, thence West four miles to the Southwest corner of Section 1, Township 119 North of Range 54 West of the 5th P. M., Codington County, South Dakota.

Adopted this 12th day of June, 1952.

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

BY: Frank W. Mitchell
Secretary

Bounty Claims were approved as follows: Richard Grasse $4.00; Harlan Johnson $4.00; John Dalton $4.00; John Schierbeck $4.00; Loren Wolf $8.00; Edwin Noeldner $4.00; Ralph Fischer $4.00; George Groves $4.00; Grnak Redlin $4.00; John Riely $4.00; Roger E. McFarland $4.00; Ervan Wishard $4.00; Palmer Johnson $4.00; L. A. Keszler $4.00.

The application of Harry Matthes for refund of 19.83 for reason of overpayment to Yankton State Hospital was approved by the Board.

On a motion by Hestad and second by Jordeth, the Board authorized renewal of the Radio License for the Sheriff's Office.

The application of Leonard Peterson and D. F. Achartz for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes were approved by the Board.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. July 1, 1952.

Carl F Bryan
County Auditor

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA

Watertown, South Dakota
July 1, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened in regular session at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Minutes of meetings of June 3, 6, 10, 16, 20 and 24, 1952 were approved by the Board.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the letting of bids to furnish Codington County with a tractor and mower for use by the County Highway Dept., Chairman Sheldon asked the County Auditor to open and read the bids.

Bids were submitted by five firms and were read in the following order: 1. Sioux Road Equipment Co., 2. Empire Equipment Co., 3. Stan Houston Equipment Co., 4. Pecaut Industrial Supply Co, and 5. Rozum Brothers Motor Co.

The Board interviewed representatives of each firm individaully.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan that the bid of Rozum Brothers Motor Co. be accepted, which motion carried unanimously.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Hestad that the checks of the unsuccessful bidders be returned, which motion carried.

C. C. Kellogg appeared before the Board for information as to who is responsible for the maintenance of the old Highway #20. The Board advised Mr. Kellogg that the County would take over the maintenance of said road until the responsibility for such maintenance could be established.

The appointment by the Public Health Advisory Council of the Codington County Board of Healthfor a two year term ending July1, 1954 was noted by the Board of Commissioners as follows: Dr. H. R. Brown, Supt.; Dr. M. C. Rousseau, Vice President; Ross Oviatt, States Attorney, as ex-officio third member of the Board.

The application of Hazel Schliesmann, Dept. County Treasurer for refund to Oscar Forbush of $5.00 for reason of overcharge by County Treasurer on Redemption Receipt #2863 was approved by the Board.

RESOLUTION #7162

CODINGTON COUNTY

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SOUTH DAKOTA
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION:

THAT, WHEREAS, A resolution has been presented by the Board of County Commissioners of CodingtonCounty, South Dakota, requesting certain changes in the County Highway System of Codington County, as hereinafter described.

AND, WHEREAS, it appears that the said Board of County Commissioners has complied with all the regulations in regard to the proposed changes, the State Highway Commission being fully advised in the matter, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the State Highway Commission that the following described roads be, and the same are, hereby added to the County Highway System of Codington County:

> Commencing at a point in the Northwest corner of Section 19, Township 116 North, Range 55 West of the 5th P. M., thence east six miles to the Northeast corner of Section 24, Township 116 North, Range 55 West of the 5th P. M., connecting with the present State road going North and South, in Henry Township, Codington County, South Dakota.

Adopted this 24th day of June, 1952.

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

BY: Frank W. Mitchell
Secretary

The application of Mrs. Tilda Thompson for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes was approved by the Board.

The application of Mrs. Harvey Hogstad for abatement of 1951 personal property taxes and interest in Florence Village in the amount of $17.15 for the reason of duplication of assessment was approved by the Board.

The quarterly report of Justice of the Peace, Joe Strom, was approved.

Bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Howard Popham $8.00; John Riley $4.00; Russell Schwinger $4.00; Selmer Peterson$4.00; Mrs. Frank Hupf $4.00; Mrs. K. O. Markve $4.00; Roger Rausch $8.00.

July 15, 1952 was set by the Board as the final date of Equalization, and the County Auditor was requested to publish notice of same in the local newspaper.

Lew Fjerstad, by decision of the Board of Commissioners, was relieved of his duties as Court House Custodian as of July 1, 1952.

The Board appointed Carl Michaelson as Court House Custodian and set his salary at $175.00 per month beginning July 1, 1952.

The appointment of Carl Michaelson as Deputy Sheriff by Sheriff, Cliff Englund was checked adn approved by the Board.

Harry Haan presented to the Board a petition signed by fourteen free holders of District #45 and District #29 requesting changes in school district boundaries as follows: Dist. #45 to exclude the NW¼ of Sec.34-117-55 and Dist. #29 to include the NW¼ of Sec. 34-117-55.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Hestad that July 22 at 10:00 A. M. be set as the time of hearing on foregoing petition and that the notice of hearing on said petition be published in the official newspapers of the County on July 10, 1952. The motion carried.

The Board decided that no evening meetings should be held in the Community Room of the Court House during August, 1952 because of shortage of custodian help.

All members of the Board of County Commissioners and the County Auditor subscribed to the oath of Board of Equalization.

The Board of Commissioners Adjourned at 5:00 P. M. to convene as a Board of Equalization at 10:00 A. M. July 2, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 2, 1952

The Board of Equalization convened in regular sessionat 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

The Watertown City Auditor certified to the County Board of Equalization the following names as having declared intention toappeal assessments to the County Board, to-wit: Mary B. Hildebrandt, Minnie Zirbel, L. G. Larson, and the Coca-Cola Bottling Co.

Mary B. Hildebrandt appeared before the board with an appeal to lower the assessment on a dwelling located at 616 S. Maple St. from $970.00 to $700.00 and another dwelling at 606 S. Maple Street from $765.00 to $5.90.00.

Merele Zirbel appeared before the Board with an appeal to lower the assessment on a dwelling owned by Minnie Zirbel, located at 1025 E. Kemp Ave., from $1375.00 to $975.00.

The Board appointed Hestad, Jordeth, and Keenan as a committee to investigate foregoing appeals of Mary B. Hildebrandt and Minnie Zirbel.

Acting on recommendation of above committee, it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that the assessments on dwellings at 616 S. Maple St. and 606 S. Maple St., appealed by Mary B. Hildebrandt, remain as assessed. The motion carried.

It was moved by Hestad and seconded by Keenan that the dwelling of Minnie Zirbel on Lot 4 of Scholtz Subdivision of O. L. 17 in Block 17, Ricke Bros. Addition to Watertown, located at 1025 E. Kemp Ave., be reduced from $1375.00 to $975.00. The motion carried.

Charles Arnold, Henry, South Dakota, appeared before the County Board of Equalization and stated that he had received notice from the Henry Township Review Board that assessments on two tracts of real estate in Henry Twp., owned by Mr. Arnold, were to be raised. Mr. Arnold stated further that on receiving said notice he immediately went to appeal his case, but on contacting the clerk of Henry Twp. Review Board, he was informed that said Review Board had adjourned and would not be able to hear his appeal.

The County Board advised Mr. Arnold that the Henry Township Review Board would be asked to meet with the County Board and Mr. Arnold on July 9, 1952 at 10:00 A. M. at which time the necessary action would be taken.

L. G. Larson appeared before the Board with an appeal to lower the assessment on his house on the West 65' of Lots 1and 2, Blk. 29, Second Railway Addition to Watertown.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the assessment on Mr. Larson's house be reduced from $2160.00 to $1760.00, which motion prevailed.

The Board of Equalization adjourned to 10:00 A. M., July 3, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 3, 1952.

The Board of Equalization convened in regular session at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Arthur Vogt, resident of Graceland Township, appeared before the Board with an appeal to reduce the assessment from $3,060.00 to $2560.00 on real estate in Phipps Township described as SE¼ of Sec. 32-118-55.

It was moved by Hestad and seconded by Keenan that foregoing appeal of Arthur Vogt be granted, which motion carried.

The Board adjourned as a Board of Equalization and convened as a Board of Commissioners.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Oscar J. Mogard $10.20; Mrs. Eno Tulowetzke $1.10; Eno Tulowetzke $1.10; W. B. Higman $110.67; W. B. Higman $8.20; Douglas Fairbanks $20.20; Stella Creaser $10.10; Welfare-Mrs. Anna Lange $100.58; Commissioner's Per Diem, Mileage and Salary-Palmer D. Sheldon $57.70; Vernon H. Belk $47.00; A. G. Hestad $33.57; Einar Jordeth $48.40; James L. Keenan $47.70; Palmer D. Sheldon $45.25; COUNTY MOTORVEHICLE-Joe Stricherz $328.65; Harold Scriver $249.90.

Ed Shelsta appeared before the Board to report on the condition of the sewer plumbing at Memorial Park. The Board authorized Mr. Shelsta to repair sewer plumbing as necessary.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that the application of Otto Scharn for refund of 1947 personal property taxes and interest in the City of Watertown in the amount of $28.92 be approved for the reason of duplication of assessment. The motion carried.

The application of David and Evelyn Olson for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes was approved by the Board.

The Board adjourned as a Board of Commissioners and convened as a Board of Equalization.

The remaineder of the day was spent in checking moneys and credits assessments.

The Board adjorned to 10:00 A. M., July 7, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 7, 1952

The Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. withall members present, Sheldon presiding.

Francis Leverett of Sioux Falls, South Dakota appeared before the County Board of Equalization with an appeal to reduce the assessment of property described as SE¼ Less platted pt. of Lake Shore Plat, Less Ry. and Rd. in Sec. 9-117-53 in Lake Township from $2250.00 to $510.00 which was the valuation in 1951.

Four members of the Board went out to inspect above described property.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that the assessment on above described property of Mr. Leverett be reduced from $2250.00 to $1500.00 which motion carried.

The Board spent the remainder of the day checking money and credits assessments and comparing assessors returns of 1951 and 1952.

The Board of Equalization adjourned to meet as a Board of Commissioners at 10:00 A.M. July 8, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown,South Dakota
July 8, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL: Tax Collector- Beatrice Nelson $80.23; Ole James Nelson $86.11; Supt. of Schools Mileage-Muriel Hoover $51.56; States Attorney's Mileage-Dale E.Bradshaw $44.40; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown $81.00; Sheriff's Mileage-Lloyd Shenk $50.10;Cliff Englund $441.40; Board of Prisioners-Cliff Englund $269.20; Sheriff's Fees-Cliff Englund $99.50; Court Expense-Cliff Englund $84.00; Mabel C. Alworth $38.76; Palace of Sweets $35.00; Insurance and Bonds- Loren B. Stein Agency $326.03; First National Agency $231.70; Election Expense - Skinner Transfer and Storage Co. $50.00; Ruhe's Stataionery Co. 25¢; South Shore Gazette $95.00; Printing and Advertising-South Shore Gazette $9.43; The Henry Independent $76.99; Watertown Public Opinion $191.12 County Extension-Fred Morris $26.27; Ruhe's Sationery Co. $2.31; Midwest Beach Co. $57.36; Auditor's Office Expense-Pitney Bowes, Inc. $5.25; Monroe Calculating Machine Co. $18.00; State Publishing Co. $11.50; Wilson Storage & Transfer Co. $1.25; LaFrance Office Equip. Co. $5.61; Watertown Typewriter Co. $1.27; Treasurer's Office Exp. - Midwest Beach Co. $6.77; Burrough's Adding Machine Co. 87¢; Clerk of Courts Office Exp. - Ruhe's Stationery Co. $1.75; LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $12.50; Brown & Saenger $23.62; Register of Deeds Office Exp. Ruhe's Sationery Co. $1.95; Brown & Saenger $22.59; Remington Rand, Inc. $16.90; Supt.of Schools Office Exp.-Midwest Beach Co. $11.12; States Attorney's Office Exp.-Watertown Typewriter Co. $2.50; Sheriff's Office Exp.-Cliff Englund $8.00; The Mitchell Publishing Co. $35.21; Federal Laboratories, Inc. $4.68; Public Welfare Office Exp.-Ruhe's Stationery Co. $10.35; LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $1.50; Court House Maintenance-Park Grant Co. $36.52; Egge Electric Co. $6.58; Mrs. J. Elvera Englund $6.12; Nelson Hardware Co. $36.02; Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $202.88; Dunlop's Wall Paper & Paint Co. $48.19; Putnam's Uptown Service $1.37; City Wood Products Co. $242.00; City Treasurer $257.10; L. O. H. Co. $63.39; Memorial Park-Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $29.34; Putnam's Uptown Service $2.70; City Wood Products Co. $378.05; Barrett's $29.70; L. O. H. Co. $380.00; Montgomery Wards, Inc. $5.00; Ed Shelsta $35.00; Marshall Wells Store $10.68; Northwestern Public Service $37.89; Welfare-Mrs. Bessie Young for Rose Dixon, Sarah Black, and David Bright $50.00; J.C. Penney Co. for Loren Wohlwend $11.48; Farmer's Market for Homer Black $10.00; J.C. Penney Co. for John Brockhoff $45.00; Randall Spies, Inc. for Alta Safford $15.00; Red Owl Stores for William Bunde, Julius Larson, and F. W. Struss $80.00; Bartron Hospital & Clinic for Henry Raml, David Bright, Frank Soulak, Mrs. Helen Waba, William Ruppert, Alta Tessier, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck, Mrs. Henry Springer, Mrs. Henry Becker, Mrs. William Barto, Wm. Schwarzrock; Hazel Rasmussen, B. J. Murray, Lydia McQueen, W. B. Barkley, Harry Forbush, Irene Friedl, Robert L. Smith, Emma Jenkins, Mrs. Donald Safford, Mrs. Glen Muckey, Magnus Helland, and Ernest Meyer $2011.61; St. Ann's Hospital for Erick Frese; John O'Neil, Ellsworth Spearbeck, Elvin Satter, Jr., Alsina Meyer, $554.73; Medical Arts Clinic for Louisa Richter, William Zech, Juliet DuBois, John Farley, Mrs. Henry Kraft, George Scholl, Versal Smith, Allen Wangen, Andrew Christianson, Rose Reade, Lester Schultz, Fern Washtook, Frank Klucas, GeorgeTribbett, and William Reilley $368.00; Dr. M. C. Thompson for Minnie Johnson, Richard DePeel, Lena Trumer, Hilda Haack, Mildred Taylor, and Albert Hendrick $57.00; Clear Lake Clinic for Henry Speidle, $8.00; Brown Clinic for John O'Neil, Mrs. Albert Krohn, Mrs. Nick Mauer, Dooks Teijen, Mrs. Francis Swenson, A. R. Quade, Mrs. Anna Parsley, Dagmar Karterud,Lena Wangen, Erick Frese $392.50; Thomes Drug Store for Hilda Haack, Minnie Johnson, Alfred Vick, Richard DePeel, and Lean Trumer $32.26; Duffner's Drug Store for Bernard Murray, Ole Omodt, A. R Quade, George Tribbitt,

Arthur Owsley, Leo Breske, Steve Wisneske, Brad Barclay, Henry Marther, Charles Lound, Harry Forbush, William Ball, Richard Duus, James Hegarty, Ole Hanson, Marshall Bradfield, $123.72; Haggar's Drug Store for Mrs. Frank Krause, Mrs. Frank Klucas, Fern Washtook, Erick Freze, LesterSchultz, John Farley, Frank Klucas, Mildred Taylor,Anna Czech, Emma Hanthorn $83.56; George Wangen $20.00; Kriser's Drug Store for Carl Fritz, Dagmar Kartrude, Anna Ersley, Mrs. Lena Mauer, Sophio Kieso, Myrtle Wiggins, Earl Clock, Carl Struss, George Scholl, Dooks Teijen $51.72; Agusta Bunde forLouisa Richter $15.00; Gary Rest Home for Henry Spilde $5.00; Walter Gusso for Bert Crandall $25.00; Mrs. Gladys Helseth for Arthour Owsley and Sadie Stevens $60.00; Louis C. Kinstad for Ola Hanson and Ole Omodt $55.50; Lohr's Home for Edith Kinsey $30.00, Mrs. Mary Miller for Mrs. Joe Coyle $10.00; Ed Schaaf for Robert Wiseman $30.00; Irene Stockman for Loretta Stockman $100.00; Mrs. Bessie Young for Rose Dixon and Sarah Black David Bright $50.00; County Farm-City Treasurer $17.56; Marshall Wells Store $12.63; Kriser's Drug Store $2.72; G. R. Herberger's, Inc. $17.28; Ed Aljoe $6.00; Watertown Milling Co. $90.93; Sunshine State Hatcher $45.95; ROAD-Wilson Storage & Transfer Co. $9.01; Putnam's Uptown Service $235.47; City Treasurer $5.13; L. O. H. Co. $9.52; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $3.52; North Western Public Service Co. $7.59; Internatioanl Harvester Co. $156.13; Kenneth Hayes $5.45; Empire Equipment Co. $443.72; Marquardt's Service $187.20; Mahowald Co. $25.14; Arthur Schwandt $6.87; Dakota Welding & Supply Co. $7.48; Sioux Road Equipment Co. $395.00; Gerriets Radio Service $4.70; Northwestern Road Supply Co. $143.38; Cave Supply Co. $127.44; Riley Hardware Co. $7.39;Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $41.55; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $582.63; General Mills, Inc. $177.55; Watertown Tire Co. $284.30; Harold Scriver $1.00; C. H. & B. R. - Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $4.69; Socnny Vacuum Oil Co. $701.63; Nicholas H. Fox $8.90; Susie E. Fox $8.90; Joseph Gravning $33.68; Mrs. Louise Rennie $555.10; BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $3.60; WEED BOARD - Schwanke's Seeds and Service $2.27; Matt Brandriet $45.99.

The following bounty claims were approved on a motion by Keenan and second by Jordeth: H. A. Rear $4.00; Shirley Strutz $4.00; Lloyd Stark $8.00; John Rowe $4.00; Mrs. Harold Schwanke $4.00; Emery Elmore $10.00; Donald Pieschke $4.00; Steve Winski $4.00; J. H. Johnson $4.00; Jerry Elsher $2.00; Richard Stoltenberg $4.00.

Fred Matthes, Earl Bunde, and Carl Gunderson, Supervisors, and Elmer Bunde, Clerk of Germantown Township, appeared before the Board with a request that the county install more and larger culverts on a three mile stretch of township road in Germantown Township.

The County Board together with Highway Supt. L. G. Larson, went out and investigated the road and culverts but no action was taken.

The following monthly statements for June, 1952 were approved by the Board: State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis, Sanator, S. D. $214.50; Yankton State Hospital $1678.83; Redfield State Hospital $500.00.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of July 1, 1952 was approved as follows: Deposits in banks, $433,080.11; Checks and cash in Treasurer's possession not to exceed three days, $5,175.50; Government Bonds $182,000.00; Total of all items $620.255.61.

The Register of Deeds Statement of Fees Collected during June, 1952 in the amount of $525.10 was approvedby the Board.

A petition signed by sixteen residents of school districts #53 and #58 praying for changes in formentioned school district boundaries was submitted to the Board as follows, to-wit:

The boundaries of District #53 to exclude the SE¼ Sec. 7 and NE¼ Sec. 18 all in Township 119 North, of Range 54 West, of the Fifth P. M; And the boundaries of District #58 to include the SE¼ of Sec. 7 and the NE¼ of Sec. 18 all in Township 119 North, of Range 54 West of the Fifth P. M.

The Board advised the County Auditor to send notices of hearing to Board members of Districts #53 and #58 and set the date of hearing for July 29, 1952 at 10:00 A. M.

The Board of Commissioners adjourned and convened as a Board of Equalization.

O. E. Beardsley, Attorney for the Coca Cola Bottling Co., appeared before the County Board of Equalization with an appeal to lower the assessment on the Coca Cola building located in the North West Corner of the NE¼ of Sec. 31-117-52 in City Lands Addition to Watertown.

Mr. Beardsley quoted from the tax records several assessments on other structures comparable to the Coca Cola building and made comparisions of valuations on a square foot basis.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the assessment on theCoca Cola Bottling Co. equipment be reduced $5,000.00 thereby reducing the total assessment on building and equipment from $48,500.00 to $43,500.00.

Ed Hansonof Henry, S. D. appeared before the Board as an absentee land owner with an appeal to reduce the assessment on property described as the SW¼ Sec.35-120-52 Reservation from $4,000.00 to $3,500.00.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Hestad that foregoing appeal be granted, which motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M., July 9, 1952.

Carl F. Bugan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 9, 1952

The County Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members presnt, Sheldon presiding.

Pursuant to the request of the County Equalization Board as noted in proceedings of July 2, 1952, the Henry Township Review Board and Charles Arnold appeared before the County Board on the matter of the asessment and appeal of said Charels Arnold on property described as NE¼ Less Rd. Sec. 36-116-55, and S½ of SW¼ Less Rd. Sec. 36-116-55.

After discussing and checking the assessment records, it was moved by Keenan and seconded by

Jordeth that the assessment remain as fixed by the Henry Township Review Board. The motion carried.

Mr. Arnold indicated orally that he might appeal to the State Board of Equalization.

L. S. Spencer, absentee landlord, appeared before the County Board with an appealto reduce the assessment on real estate in Graceland Township described as W½ of NW¼ Sec. 25-117-55 from $900.00 to $425.00 which was the valuation set by the County Board in 1951.

After checking the records, it was moved by Hestad and seconded by Belk that foregoing appeal be granted, which motion prevailed.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. July 10, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 10, 1952

The Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

T. A. Zemlicak, absentee landlord, appeared to appeal the assessment of structures located on the SW¼ and W½ of SE¼ Sec. 32-119-51 in Leola Township.

The Board checked the assessment and compared it with other in Leola Township. It was moved by Keenan, seconded by Jordeth that foregoing appeal be granted and that the assessment be reduced from $800.00 to $500.00. The motion carried.

L. C. Gooch of South Shore appeareddbefore the Board with a request that the assessment of $1150.00 on two tractors and other farm machinery in Waverly Township be cancelled for the reason that said tractors and machinery had previously been assessed in Leola Township and South Shore Village.

The Board checked the assessment sheets and books and found that there was a duplication of assessment as above stated.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that foregoing assessment of L. C. Gooch in Waverly Twp. be cancelled, which motion prevailed,
The Board of Equalization adjourned and convened as a Board of Commissioners.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that theChairman of the Board of Commissioners and the County Auditor be authorized to sign nine copies of Unit Price Agreement, One copy of Analysis of Unit Prices, and six copies of Maintenance Agreement covering S-169(3) — Codington County F. A. S. Route #429, 5.494 miles and forward same copies to the State Hiway Commission at Pierre, South Dakota, The Motion Carried.

A petition signed by twenty five freeholders of Kranzburg Township requesting Addition of Township road to the County Highway System was submitted to Board; description of road as follows: Beginning on the NW Corner of Sec. 36-118-51 in Waverly Township thence south four miles to the NW corner of Sec. 13-117-51 in Kranzbur Township.

No immediate action on foregoing petition was takenby the Board.

The Board adjourned to meet as a Board of Equalization at 10:00 A. M. July 11, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 11, 1952

The County Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

E. H. Prey appeared before the Board to appeal assessment of real estate in Richland Twp. Three members of the Board, Hestad, Jordeth, and Keenan accompanied Mr. Prey out to check on said real estate. Actionon same was deferred until Monday, July 14, 1952.

Through an error in transposition, personal property assessment on Item #26 of the Peavey Elevator in Henry Village came in at $24,000.00 instead of $2,400.00. The correction was made by the County Board on a motion by Belk and second by Hestad.

Alan Austin, Attorney for L. A. Ducoffe of Sioux City, Iowa, appeared before the Couty Board to protest the increase of $12,000.00 by the Watertown Review Board. on the asssessment of the structures formerly owned by the International Harvester Co., located on Lots 1 and 2 and the E19.5' of Lot 3 in Blk. 35, Second Railway Addition to Watertown.

The Board deferred action on foregoing appeal until Monday, July 14, 1952.

The remainder of the day was spent in checking and equalizing both real and personal property assessments among the various taxing districts.

The Board of Equalization adjourned to 10:00 A. M. July 14, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 14, 1952

The County Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Omitted money and credits assessments were checked and listed by the Board.

Board action on appeals of E. H. Prey and L. A. Ducoffe as noted in Equalization Proceedings of July 11, 1952 was deferred until July 15, 1952.

The Board adjourned at 11:00 A. M. to attend the District Meeting of the East Central County Commissioners, Auditors and Highway Superintendents Association at Brookings, S.D. at 10:00 P. M. of this date.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 15, 1952

The County Board of Equalization convened at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.'

The Board adjourned as an Equalization Board and convened as a Board of Commissioners.

Wallace Spicer appeared before the Board for information regarding a County Tax Deed Lot.

Elmer and Earl Bunde, board members of Germantown Township, appeared before the Board of Commissioners on the matter of getting the county to install larger culverts on a township road between Section 28 and 33 in Germantown Township. The Board deferred action on the matter until they could check more thoroughly and consult with the County Highway Superintendent.

REPORT OF SALE BY COUNTY AUDITOR OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING

TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA:

Carl F. Bergan, the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, makes the following return of the proceedings had pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners to offer for sale the within described real estate acquired by the county by tax proceedings, and reports as follows, to-wit:

That the real property directed to be offered for sale by the Board of County Commissioners was first classified as class one land and was appraised by the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, at the sum of $25.00.

That in pursuance of the direction of the Board of County Commissioners that the within described real estate acquired by tax proceeding be offered for sale, he cuase notice of sale thereof to be published ina legal newspaper of the County of Codington once each week for a period of two successive weeks before the date of sale specified therein, which notice contained a description of the real property to be sold and the time,place, and terms of sale, all of which appears by such notice and affidavit of publication filed herein.

That said County Auditor, pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners and notice duly given, offered for sale and on the 10th day of July, 1952 sol, subject to the confirmation of the Board of County Commissioners, the following described real estate to Bertha Splinter, she being the highest and best bidder for the sum of $25.00, said sum being the highest and best sum bid and not being less than the amount of the appraisement, upon the following terms, to-wit: cash at the time of sale in the amount of $25.00 deposited with the County Treasurer,

The real estate so sold is described as follows, to-wit: Lot 29, Block 15, Rice Borthers Addition to Watertown, S. D.

Dated this 15th day of July, 1952

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County,
South Dakota

It was moved by Hestad and seconded by Belk that the tax deed sale as reported above be rejected, which motion prevailed.

The application of Theona Burroughs for refund of $7.00 for reason of overpayment ot Yankton State Hospital for care of Zephineah Burroughs from March 27, to April 24, 1952 was approved by the Board.

Crow bounty claims were approved and allowed as follows: Andrew Mack 30¢; James Korcal 45¢; Harlan Back 75¢; Michael McManus 30¢.

Badger bounty claims were approved as follows: Marie Kliegel $4.00; Mrs. Harley McFerran $4.00; Roger Rausch $4.00; Arnold App $4.00; Ingvald Johnson $4.00; Edgar RAusch $8.00; Marvin Gallisath $4.00; Marvin Czech $2.00; John Zirbes $4.00; Russel Schwinger $12.00; Mrs. John Mack $8.00; Roman Cordell $4.00; Kenneth Flemming $4.00; Mrs.Gerald Haider $4.00; Chuck Elshere $4.00; Clifford A. Lentz $4.00; Lloyd Stark $4.00.

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TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA:

Carl F. Bergan, the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota makes the following return of the proceedings had pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners

to offer for sale the within described real estate acquired by the countyby tax proceedings and reports as follows, to-wit:

That the real property directed to be offered for sale by the Board of County Commissioners was first classified as class one land and was appraised by the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, at the sumof $45.00.

That in pursuance of the direction of the Board of CountyCommissioners that the within described real estate acquired by tax proceeding be offered for sale, he cause notice of sale thereof to be published in a legal newspaper of the County of Codington once each week for a period of 2 successive weeks before the date of sale specified therein, which notice contained a descripton of the real property to be sold and the time, place, and terms of sale, all of which appears by such notice and affidavit of publication filed herein.

That said County Auditor, pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners and notice duly given, offered for sale and on the 15th day of June 1952, sold, subject to the confirmation of the Board of County Commissioners, the following describe d real estate for the sum of $45.00, siad sum bing th highest and best sum bid and not being less than the amount of the appraisement, upon the following terms, to-wit: cash at the time of sale in the amount of $45.00 deposited with the County Treasurer,

The real estate so sold is described as follows, to-wit:

To Evely J. VanSchoiack, The E 16' of S 34' of SE corner of Lot four, Block Thirty Nine, Second Railway Addition to Watertown, South Dakota for $2500; To Benjamin H. Corwin, Lots Five and Six in Block Five of Davis Addition to Watertown, South Dakota for $20.00.

Dated this 15th day of July, 1952

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County
South Dakota

R E S O L U T I O N #148

RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described real property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appaers from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and onfile hrein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that Evelyn J. VanSchoiack and Benjamin H. Corwin, of Watertown, South Dakota has offered the sum of $45.00 in cash for the followingdescribe real property, to-wit: E16' of S 34' of Lot 4 Block 39, Second Railway Addition to Watertown, aNd Lots 5 and 6 Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown, South Dakota., which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited in cash with the County Treasurer;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regualr session on this 15th day of July, 1952, that the sale of said premises to the said parties of Watertown, South Dakota be and the same is hereby approved, and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deed to said purchaser conveying to said purchaser all of the right, title, and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 15th day of July, 1952.

Calvin D Sheldon
Vernon H Belk
Einar Sandeth
A G Hartel
James L Kleven
Board of County Commissioners
of Codington County, So. Dak.

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

PROMULGATION OF PROVISIONAL BUDGET FOR CODINGTON COUNTY FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR, JANUARY 1, 1953 to DECEMBER 31, 1953 AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 12.2003 S.D.C. 1939

FUNDS: ITEMS:	ESTIMATED OTHER REVENUE	ESTIMATED CASH BALANCE	ESTIMATED REAL AND PERS.PROP. TAX	TOT.ESTD. REV.& BAL. FROM ALL SOURCES	ADOPTED BUDGET APPROP. CANNOT EQUAL MORE THAN 95% OF COL. 4
GENERAL FUND					
Commissioners Per Diem					$ 7,500
Mileage					2,500
Expense, Advertising & Printing					6,000
Salary					900
AUDITOR'S Office Expense					2,800
Election Expense					4,000
Assessor's Salaries and Supplies					1,800
TREASURER'S Office Expense					2,800
Delinquent Tax Expense					4,000
Tax Deed Expense					300
CLERK OF COURTS Office Expense					1,000
Vital Statistics					950
REGISTER OF DEEDS Office Expense					2,500
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS Office Expense					1,200
Travel Expense					1,000
County Institute					600
SHERIFF'S Fees and Salary					5,600
Office Expense					500
Mileage					5,000
Board of Prisioners					1,500
STATES ATTORNEY Office Expense					300
Mileage					300
COURTS					
Jurors, Witness Fees and Court Reporter					12,000
Justice Fees					400
Office Expense					400
Bailiffs					300
CORONER Expense					500
COUNTY VETERANS' SERVICE OFFICE Expense and Salary					3,500
Court House Maintenance					20,000
State Accountant					1,000
Insurance, Bond Premiums and Workmen's Comp.					2,400
Agriculture and Home Extension					3,800
County Contest and Exhibits					200
Public Welfare Office Expense					400
County Insanity Board					500
Care of Poor and Poor Farm $ 8,000					75,000
Board of Health					1,000
Bounties, Trees					2,000
Crow and Magpie Bounty (CH. 102 SL 1949)					100
Social Security					2,400
Law Library					1,000
Memorial Park					2,500
County Moneys and Credits Tax 5,000					
Telephone Tax Outside 2,600					
Licenses 200					
Prior Tax Collections 7,500					
Beverage Sales Revenue 4,500					
GENERAL FUND TOTALS	$ 27,800	$ 30,000	$134,254	$192,054	182,450
SALARY FUND					
Auditor					16,000
Treasurer					11,000
Clerk of Courts	3,500				5,800
Register of Deeds	7,000				8,500
Superintendent of Schools					5,800
States Attorney					6,500
County Judge					3,200
Municipal Judge					2,200
SALARY FUND TOTALS	10,500		51,650	62,150	59,000
Insane Fund	1,000		24,270	25,270	24,000
Feeble Minded Fund	500		6,350	6,850	6,500
Custer Sanatorium Fund			3,200	3,200	3,000
County Road Fund-Maintenance			15,780	15,780	15,000
County Road Totals			15,780	15,780	15,000
Bridge Fund		5,275		5,275	5,000
Bridge Fund Totals		5,275		5,275	5,000
TOTALS OF FUNDS WITHIN LIMITED LEVY	39,800	35,275	235,504	310,579	294,950
Co.Hiway & Bridge Res.Fund (Ch.35,SL'51)		115,900	42,000	157,900	150,000
Special Bridge Fund (Ch.459,SL'51)		14,110	28,000	42,110	40,000
Weed Control Fund (Ch.465,SL'51)			3,370	3,370	3,200
TOTALS OF FUNDS OUTSIDE LIMITED LEVY		130,010	73,370	203,380	193,200
County High School Tuition Fund			94,500	94,500	89,775
GRAND TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS SUBJECT TO LEVIES	39,800	165,285	403,374	608,459	577,925
COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE FUND (45% Coll.)					77,400
Co.Hiway Supt. Office &Salary Exp.					6,000

Workmens' Compensation					$ 1,600
C. M. V. FUND TOTALS	$ 89,475			$ 89,475	85,000
Co.Spec.Hiway (28% MV Coll.)	31,580			31,580	30,000
Co.Hiway & Bridge Fund (1/8 States Gas Tax)	30,000	$ 5,000		35,000	33,250
Textbook Revolving Fund	10,000			10,000	9,500
School Library Fund	1,580			1,580	1,500
GRAND TOTAL OF FUNDS NOT SUBJECT TO LEVIES	162,635	5,000		167.635	159,250
GRAND TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS	202,435	170,285	403,374	776,094	737,175

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, will meet at their office in the Court House at Watertown, South Dakota, on Tuesday, September 2, 1952, at 10 A. M. for the purpose of considering the foregoing Provisional Budget for the year 1953, and the various items, schedules, amounts and appropriations set forth therein, and as many days thereafter as is deemed necessary until the final adoption of the budget on the 9th day of September, 1952. At such time all interested persons may appear, either in person or by a representative, and will be given an opportunity for a full and complete discussion of all purposes, objects, itmes, schudules, appropriations, extimates, amounts, and matters set forth and contained in the provisional budget.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County
South Dakota

The Board of Commissioners adjourned and convened as a Board of Equalizatdn.

Pursuant to deferment as noted in County Equalization Proceedings of July 11 and 14, 1952, Alan Austin, Attorney for L. A. Ducoffe of Sioux City, Iowa appeared before the Board with an appeal to reduce the assessment of the structure formerly owned by the Interantiaonl HarvesterCo. Located on Lots land 2 and the E. 19.5' of Lot 3,in Block 35, Second Railway Addition to Watertown,

On a motion by Hestad, second by Jordeth, the valuation on above described structure was reduced from $38,640.00 to $30,000.00.

On an appeal from E. H. Prey as noted in Equalization proceedings of July 11, and 14, 1952, it was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that the assessment on the E½ of W½ and NW¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 2-117-54 in Richland Twp. be reduced from $3160.00 to $2860.00, which motion carried.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that the assessment to Mrs. Florence M. Prey of $710.00 on 40 acres of land described as the SE¼ of NE¼ of Sec.3-117-54 in Richland Twp. remain as set by the assessor, The motion carried.

Harold Belk, absentee landlord, appealed to the County Board for a reduction of assessment from $600.00 to $200.00 on approximately 5 acres of real estate in Lake Township described as Outlot 2 of Gov. Lots land 2 in Sec. 18-117-53.

Foregoing appeal was granted on a motion by Jordeth and second by Hestad.

Evaluation of assessment rolls as delivered to the County Auditor having been complete, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the following changes be made, which motion previaled.

REAL ESTATE

AGRICULTURE LAND OUTSIDE OF CORP. LIMITS

Kampeska	Raised 5%
Graceland	Raised 5%
Phipps	Raised 5%
Dexter	Raised 15%
Eden	Raised 5%

RESIDENCE STRUCTURES ON AGRICULTURE LANDS OUTSIDE CORP. LIMITS

Kranzburg	Raised 15%
Kampeska	Raised 10%
Henry Twp.	Raised 10%
Lake Twp.	Raised 10%
Graceland	Raised 10%
Waverly	Raised 10%
Leola	Raised 10%

AGRICULTURE LANDS INSIDE CORP. LIMITS

Henry Village	Lowered 10%

RESIDENCE STRUCTURES ON AGRICULTURE LANDS INSIDE CORP. LIMITS

South Shore Village	Raised 10%
Watertown	Raised 40%

CITY AND TOWN LOTS

Lake	Lowered 5%

RESIDENCESTRUCTURES ON CITY AND TOWN LOTS

Richland	Raised 20%

Florence Village	Raised 10%
South Shore Village	Raised 20%
Wallace Village	Lowered 30%
Watertown City	Raised 10%

BUSINESS STRUCTURES ON CITY AND TOWN LOTS

Kranzburg	Raised 10%
Wallace Village	Lowered 50%

STATE PUBLIC SHOOTING AREAS (ACREAGE)

Pelican	Raised 67%
Lake	Raised 131%
Richland	Raised 167%
Fuller	Raised 100%
Phipps	Raised 60%

STATE PUBLIC SHOOTING ACREAS (LOTS)

Lake	Raised 200%

P E R S O N A L P R O P E R T Y

COWS ALL AGES

Kranzburg	Raised 5%
Kampeska	Raised 15%
Lake	Raised 8%
Florence Village	Raised 5%
Watertown City	Raised 50%

CATTLE 1½ to 2½ YEARS OLD

Sheridan	Raised 15%
Henry Township	Raised 15%
Elmira	Lowered 10%
Rauville	Raised 45%
Watertown City	Raised 45%

CATTLE 2½ YEARS OLD AND OVER INCLUDING CATTLE IN FEED LOTS

Henry Township	Raised 15%
Lake	Lowered 20%
Watertown City	Raised 50%

BULLS

Sheridan	Raised 15%
Richland	Raised 30%
Graceland	Raised 20%
Fuller	Raised 25%
Eden	Raised 30%

SHEEP ALL AGES

Sheridan	Raised 10%
South Shore Village	Raised 12%
Watertown City	Raised 10%

HOGS ALL AGES VALUE BY WEIGHT

Kranzburg	Raised 15%
Sheridan	Lowered 17%
Pelican	Raised 23%
Kampeska	Raised 17%
Lake	Lowered 30%
Richland	Raised 38%
Rauville	Raised 12%
Fuller	Lowered 23%
Leola	Raised 57%
Germantown	Raised 37%
South Shore Village	Raised 44%
Watertown City	Lowered 30%

STEAM OR GAS TRACTION ENGINES

Lake	Raised 20%
Leola	Raised 10%
Henry Village	Raised 90%
South Shore Village	Raised 40%
Wallace Village	Raised 50%
Watertown City	Raised 250%

COMBINES

Graceland	Raised 30%
Henry Village	Raised 90%
South Shore Village	Raised 300%

ELECTRIC OR MECHANICAL REFRIGERATORS, RESIDENCE

Pelican	Lowered 33%
Kampeska	Raised 16%
Henry Twp.	Raised 67%

Elmira	Raised 30%
Lake	Raised 22%
Graceland	Raised 15%
Waverly	Raised 10%
Rauville	Raised 24%
Leola	Raised 25%
Eden	Lowered 15%
Henry Village	Raised 34%
South Shore Village	Raised 23%
Watertown City	Raised 63%

RADIO SETS

Kranzburg	Raised 91%
Sheridan	Raised 125%
Pelican	Raised 14%
Kampeska	Raised 45%
Henry Twp.	Raised 117%
Elmira	Raised 82%
Lake	Raised 40%
Richland	Raised 96%
Graceland	Raised 125%
Waverly R	Raised 45%
Rauville	Raisedd59%
Fuller	Raised 42%
Phipps	Raised 15%
Leola	Raised 10%
Germantown	Raised 37%
Dexter	Raised 74%
Eden	Raised 47%
Henry Village	Raised 80%
South Shore Village	Raised 90%
Wallace Village	Raised 16%
Watertown City	Raised 44%

COMMERCIAL FREEZER LOCKERS

Watertown City	Raised 100%

POULTRY

Watertown City	Raised 200%

AGRICULTURE IMPLEMENTS TOOLS AND MACHINERY, ETC,

Waverly	Raised 10%
Leola	Raised 20%
Henry Village	Raised 50%
South Shore Village	Raised 200%
Watertown City	Raised 130%

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, RUGS, PROVISIONS, ETC.

Kranzburg	Raised 6%
Sheridan	Lowered 22%
Pelican	Lowered 21%
Kampeska	Raised 34%
Henry Twp.	Raised 45%
Richland	Raised 16%
Rauville	Raised 36%
Phipps	Raised 16%
Leola	Raised 36%
Germantown	Lowered 12%
Eden	Lowered 22%
Florence Village	Lowered 25%
Henry Village	Raised 13%
South Shore Village	Lowered 9%
Wallace Village	Lowered 10%
Watertown City	Raised 100%

FURNITURE AND FIXTURES OF MERCHANTS, HOTELS, SOFT DRINK PARLORS

Kranzburg	Raised 10%
Sheridan	Raised 10%
Kampeska	Raised 10%
Henry Twp.	Raised 10%
Lake	Raised 10%
Waverly	Raised 10%
Phipps	Raised 10%
Florence Village	Raised 10%
Henry Village	Raised 10%
South Shore Village	Raised 10%
Wallace Village	Raised 10%
Watertown City	Raised 10%

ELEVATORS, WAREHOUSES, LUMBER AND COAL SHEDS ON LEASED SITES

Watertown City	Raised 25%

ALL OTHER IMPROVEMENTS ON U. S. OR LEASED LANDS EXCEPT ITEMS #25 AND #28

Watertown City	Raised 20%

Having completed the work of Equalization, it was moved by Hestad and seconded by Keenan that the assessment rolls stand as equalized by the Board and that the County Board of Equalization of 1952 be adjourned, which motion prevailed.

Tuesday, July 22, 1952 at 10:00 A. M. was fixed as the next meeting of the Board of Commissioners.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 22, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-W. B. Higman $8.20; Robert Drake $25.20; Don Brinkman $25.20; Max Croft $20.40; Elmer Nogelmeier $22.20; Leonard Domonoske $15.20; Hazel Hegarty $104.90; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $60.55; Welfare-County Treasurer $15.00; Commissioners Per Diem and Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $40.05; A. G. Hestad $48.94; Einar Jordeth $62.92; James L. Keenan $36.55; Palmer D. Sheldon $66.75; SPECIAL BRIDGE-E. Spearbeck $51.71.

Hearing on petition to change boundaries of School Districts 45 and 29 came up pursuant to notices of same duly mailed to school board members of said districts.

Members of both districts were present. After a discussion in which those favoring the boundary change and those opposed to it were heard, it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Hestad that the petition to change boundaries of School Districts 45 and 29 be rejected. On roll call vote, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the motion carried.

A petition to add to the County Highway System certain township roads in Graceland and Phipps Township described in said petition on file in the County Auditor's Office came up for hearing at this time pursuant to notices of said hearing duly posted.

Delegations from both Graceland and Phipps Townships werepresent. In the discussion that followed, A. F. Hilts, Clerk of the Graceland Township Board, stated that the Graceland Board at a regular meeting had gone on record as opposing the addition of the mile in Graceland to the County System. Irvin York, one of the Graceland supervisors, stated that their Board was unwilling to relinquish the motor vehicle apportionment as would be necessary if the road were to be added to the County System.

L. I. Bursvold and Bob Nichols of Phipps Township spoke in favor of adding two miles in Phipps and the one mile in Graceland to the County System.

After discussing the matter at length, it was moved by Keenan and seconded by Hestad that the petition to add forementioned township roads to the County Highway System be rejected. On roll call vote, all members of the Board voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the motion carried.

The Clerk of Courts Statement of Fees collected during June, 1952 was approved by the Board.

Bounty claims were approved as follows: Gerald Brage $4.00; Eugene Borns $6.00; Ben F. Stricherz $6.00; Ben Nelson $4.00; Edgar Rausch $4.00; Michael Misztal $2.00; James Rowe $4.00; Alvin Rossow $4.00; Hale LaFramboise $2.00; Howard Popham $4.00; Harold Hanson $4.00; George McClung $4.00.

R E S O L U T I O N #150

FEDERAL AID SECONDARY PROGRAM RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Codington County Board of Commissioners desires the reconstruction of the following described road, to-wit:

FAS Route No. 503:

"Beginning at the S. W. corner of Section 30, Township 116, North of Range 54, West of the 5th P. M., thence east approximately four miles to the S. E. corner of Section 27, Township 116, North of Range 54, West of the 5th P. M."

AND WHEREAS method of construction will be upon contract bids, at a monthly letting by the State Highway Commission with the concurrence of Codington County.

AND WHEREAS Codington County is obligated to maintain a project after construction with Federal Aid Secondary Funds.

AND WHEREAS the Codington County Board of Commissioners is prepared to pay the County's share (approsimately 44%) of the cost of this project.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:
(1) That the State Highway Commission be and hereby is requested to program [redacted] gravel, together with some heavy roadway shaping, plus drainage structures as [redacted], this project under the Federal Aid Secondary program to be constructed in accordance with the State's current "Standard Specifications for Roads and Bridges."

(2) That the Chairman of the said Board of County Commissioners be and hereby is authorized to sign an Agreement with the State Highway Commission for the maintenance of this project after construction.

Vote of Commission, Yes 5, No, None. Resolution is hereby declared adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 22nd day of July, 1952.

ATTEST:
Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Chairman, Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. July 29, 1952.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakta
July 29, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for hearing on the petition to change the boundaries of School Districts #53 and #58, and, whereas no one appeared to protest changes as as requested in said petition, it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that the prayer of the petitioners be granted, which motion prevailed.

Mrs. William Zirbel appeared before the Board regarding a compromise of delinquent personal property taxes. No action was taken.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the Board adjourn to 11:30 A. M. to attend the funeral of Mrs. Harry Roberts. The motion carried.

The Board reconvened at 11:30 A. M.

O. E. Beardsley appeared before the Board and presented a petition signed by ten freeholders relating to the vacating of a part of Arizona Ave. in the SE¼ of Sec.9-117-53 as further described in said petition. It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the hearing on foregoing petition be set for 10:00 A. M. September 23, 1952 and that notice of said hearing be published once each week for three consuctive weeks in the official county newspapers, whcih motion carried.

The application of William and Hattie Vogt for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes was approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $294.16; Oscar J. Fromke $210.00; Marlys J. Haney $190.00; Dorothy Below $180.00 Irma E. Welch $150.00; Carol M. Zamow $140.00-Total $1,164.16; Treasurer-Alma Gerberding $294.16; Hazel Schliesmann $210.00; Alma Schulz $190.00; Joyce Rowe-Total $874.16; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $267.50; Lillian Schoenberger $195.00-Total $462.50; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $267.50; Harriett Horning $205.00; Margaret Brown $175.00; Violet VanPelt-Total $701.05; Supt. of Schools-Josephine Muriel Hoover $294.16; Ruth M. Johnson $180.00;Total $474.16; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $256.66; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Laura J. Avis $125.00-Total $531.66; County Judge-Herbert Norbec $260.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $183.33;GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl S. Michaelson $175.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Katherine Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Edwin Noeldner $6.80; Veterans Service-George W. Burke $175.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension $140.00; Memorial Park-J. W. Hoftiezer $100.00; Wilhelmina D. Hoftiezer $100.00; County Farm;Hazel Roberts $75.00; Harry Roberts $75.00; Commissioners Per Diem, Mileage and Salary-Vernon H. Belk $42.70; A. G. Hestad $47.74; Einar Jordeth$44.10; James L. Keenan $44.80; Palmer D. Sheldon $90.75; Welfare-Harry T. Kenney for Lloyd Dummer, Vivina Reis, Robert Haight, Leo Christian, Jeanece Mahanke, Donald Withrow, Lillian Lehman, Rosa Dixon, Fed Kozak, Henry Marther, Marshall Bradfield, and Art Owsley $88.00; County Farm-Watertown Coop. Elevator $19.58; COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE-Lars G. Larson $325.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $170.00; J. P. Haug $294.00; Ed Brekke $227.05; Bert Smith $20.00; Clarence Sumner $187.90;Joe Stricherz $196.93; John Rennie $144.78; Harold Scriver $17198; James Hendren $10.29; H. Williams $27.64; A. Spring $11.11; Fred Brownell $14.25; Carl Zweig, Jr. $28.83; John Strait $10.29; Harold Berg $6.54; Leo Clausen $16.18; C. T. Howey $52.64; COUNTY HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE RESERVE-Clarence Sumner $91.35; John Rennie $133.35; Harold Scriver $50.40; Ed Gould $44.00; James Hendren $301.55; H. Williams $245.30; A. Spring $250.80; E. Noeldner $39.90; Fred Brownell $131.10; Carl Zweig, Jr. $228.80; Chris Engels $37.80; John Strait $221.35; Harold Berg $178.60; E. Spearbeck $68.60; Leo Clausen $164.35; C. T. Howey $178.20; Vincent Swenson $61.75; Thad Kranz $34.20; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Joe Stricherz $52.50; H. Williams $6.60; A. Spring $11.00; Fred Brownell $72129;L. Roethler $189.00; Carl Zweig, Jr. $4.40; Chris Engels $159.85; John Strait $28.50; Harold Berg $9.50; E. Spearbeck $112.74; Leo Clausen $185.28; Vincent Swenson $52.48; Thad Kranz $165.68; Gene Hess $9.00; Harold Cordell $9.00.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. August 5, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA

Watertown, South Dakota
August 5, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened at 10:00 A. M. with Sheldon, Hestad, Jordeth and Keenan present, Belk absent; Sheldon presiding.

George Gunnison appeared before the Board with an application for partial release of county liens of Frank Lentz, also known as Frank C. Lentz, said liens to be released in so far as they pertain to property described as the NE¼ less the N 20 rods of the E 32 rods of the W 50 rods of Sec. 26-119-52 for the reason that grantor of above described property, Frank Lentz, is not the same Frank Lentz against whom the county liens #63A and 64A in the amount of $349.08, are filed.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that foregoing application for partial release of liens be granted, which motion prevailed.

Bounty claims were approved as follows: Edwin C. Matthes $2.00; Bob Whipple $2.00; Robert Redlin $7.50; John E. Nelson $4.00; Ed Schmeling $4.00; Ben Ronke $4.00; George Isack $4.00; Roger Bailly $4.00; Orville Anderson $4.00; Agnes Abraham $4.00; Elmer Gutgesell $4.00; Earl Bunde $4.00; H. A. Rear $4.00; E. G. Barr $4.00; Floyd Olson $4.00; Gerald H. Mack $4.00; Mrs. Leslie Jenkins $4.00; Glen Buchholz $4.00; Ronald McGillivary $4.00; Clarence Helle $4.00; Alfred Brewster $4.00; Victor Floden $4.00; George Vick $4.00.

Monthly statements for July, 1952 of State Sanatorium at Sanator, S. D. in the amount of $204.49 and Yankton State Hospital in the amount of $1655.50 were approved by the Board.

Justice of the Peace, Joe H. Strom's report for July, 1952 showing fines of $147.00, Sheriff fees $107.65; and Court fees $77.00, was approved.

Norman Wexler appeared before the Board regarding compromise settlement of delinquent taxes.

ADULTERATED AND MISBRANDED COMMERCIAL FEEDS, FERTILIZERS AND MINERAL FEEDS

The following list of products covered by the Inspection Laws enforced by the Department of Agriculture have been found to be adulterated or misbranded, or both, and notice of publication having been given the manufacturers or jobbers as required by law, and no adequate objection filed, the list is hereby published as provided by law.

Arco Dehydrating Co., Lake Park, Iowa, manufacturer. Arco 17% Dehydrated Alfalfa Meal. Fiber above the guarantee and protein a little low.

Clinton Feeds, Inc., Clinton, Iowa, manufacturer. DexMo-Lass. Protein and total sugars are below the guarantee.

Farmcraft Feeds, Inc., Des Moines, Iowa, manufacturer. Framtrate Rumine. Low in fat.

Farmers Elevator Company, Tripp, S. D. manufacturer. Sioux Brand 34% poultry concentrate. Protein and fat are below the guarantee.

Sioux Brand 32% Pig Meal. Crude fiber exceeds the minimum guarantee. Honeymead, Inc., Estherville, Ia., manufacturer, Honey mead mineral. Contains less calcium than is guaranteed.

Lexington Mill & Elevator, Lexington, Nebraska, manufacturer. David Harum 26% Free Choice Balancer. Fiber is very much higher and fat is a little below the guarantee.

Cock O'The Walk Laying Mash, fat is below and fiber is above guarantee.

Northwest Co-Op Mills, St. Paul, Minn., manufacturer. Co-Op Brand 24% Calf Starter pellets. Fat is below and fiber above guarantee.

Co-Op Brand Plat Food, 9-36-0. Total nitrogen is below the guarantee.

Nutrena Mills, Inc., Minneapolis, Minnesota, manufacturer. Nutrena 24% sow and pig meal. Crude fiber is above the guarantee.

Nutrena 27% Grain Balancer. Fiber is above the guarantee.

Nutrena 20% Egg Mash. Fiber is above the guarantee.

National Compound Co., Sioux Falls, S. D., manufacturer. National Nuton, Calcium and phosphorus are below the guarantee.

Norfolk Cereal & Flour Mills Co., Norfolk, Nebraska, manufacturer. Norco "40" Hog maker Supplement. Fiber is above the guarantee.

Park Lane Feed Company, Freeman, S. D., manufacturer. Park Lane 11% Scratch Feed. Protein is below the guarantee.

Wessell, Duval & Co., Inc., New York, N. Y.,manufacturer. Wedco Imported Steamed Bone Meal. Both fat and protein are below the guarantee.

Wester Soybean Mills, Sioux Falls, S. D., manufacturer. Sioux 27% Poultry Grain Balancer. Protein and fat are below and fiber is above the guarantee.

Sioux 24% Protein Fortified Turkey Starter Mash. Crude Protein and fat are below the guarantee.

I, L. V. Ausman, Secretary of Agriculture of the State of South Dakota, do hereby certify

that all articles herein listed were properly and officially sampled by duly authorized inspectors or agents of the Department of Agriculture and that samples were taken and officially examined and analyzed at the State Chemical Laboratory under supervision and authorization of the State Chemist. They were found to be adulterated or misbranded within the meaning of the law as was found in Title 22 of the 1939 Code.

L. V. Ausman
Secretary of Agriculture
Pierre, South Dakota

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-W. B. Higman $110.67; TRUST FUND-Cora Hess $1,000.00.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. August 12, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
August 12, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Tax Collector-Beatrice Nelson $63.44; Ole James Nelson $78.22; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $270.40; Sheriff's Mileage Cliff Englund $581.35; Sheriff's Fees-Cliff Englund $102.50; Court Expense-Cliff Englund $92.00; Lawyer's Service $57.95; Mrs. Frances Sandal $2.00; Barbara Sandal $2.00; Duane Sandal $2.00; Eddie Moss $2.00; Richard Novak $2.00; County Extension-Audrey McCollum $37.08; Fred Morris $93.09; Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.40; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown $81.00; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $83.55; Insurance & Bonds-Western Surety Co. $5.00; Court House Maintenance-Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $319.73; Park Grant Co. $8.00; Nelson Hardware $15.05; Bernie's Cycle Shop 75¢; Dunlop Wall Paper & Paint Co. $1.45; Mrs. J. Elvera Englund $7.74; Inman Plumbing & Heating $2.50; R. K. Johnson Grocery $1.10; O. J. Fromke $4.26; Putnam's Uptown Service $2.27; Egge Electric Co. $2.30; City Treasurer $228.95; General Mills, Inc. $3.85; Memorial Park-Putnam's Uptown Service $1.91; Egge Electric Co. $2.27; Dick's Tractor Parts Co. $5.00; L. V. Harmel $12.76; Mahowald Co. $23.15; Ed Shelsta $23.50; Montgomery Wards $7.81; R. E. Hubbard Co. $8.36; Northwestern Public Service $34.27; Cave Supply Co. $1.08; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $19.68; Printing and Advertising-The Henry Independent $235.25; South Shore Gazette $186.30; Watertown Public Opinion $209.00; Auditor's Office Expense-Addressograph-Multigraph Co. $38.12; Pitney-Bowes, Inc. $19.80; The Mitchell Publishing Co. $147.46; Treasurer's Office Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $18.50; The Mitchell Publishing Co. $147.46; Midwest Beach Co. $10.46; Register of Deeds Office Exp.-Remington Rand, Inc. $121.60; Remington Rand, Inc. $96.10; Supt. of Schools Office Exp.-Midwest Beach Co. $2.24; C. A. Gregory Co. $49.64; Sheriff's Office Expense-The Mitchell Publishing Co. $51.85; Gerriets Radio Service $4.00; Hazel Schliesmann $40.00; States Attorney Office Exp.-R. E. Huffman Co. $14.00; Court Office Exp.-Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.40; Watertown Typewriter Co. $2.36; Public Welfare Office Exp.-Ruhe Stationery Co. $19.65; Board of Insanity-Harry T. Kenney $12.00; Commissioners Per Diem & Milegge-Vernon H. Belk $55.75; A. G. Hestad $48.82; Einar Jordeth $52.60; James L. Keenan $35.60; Palmer D. Sheldon $67.50; Welfare-Montgomery Wards for wheel chair $75.18; Harry T. Kenney for Rachel Stevenson, Marshall Bradfield, and Art Owsley $18.00; Airport Grocery $40.00 for Walter Klatt; Boyle's Grocery for Willie Schmeling $30.00; Farmer's Market for Homer Black $30.00; Hollywood Grocery for Emma Schultz $9.92; Red Owl Store for Mrs. William Bunde and Emma Schultz $41.50; Mathiesen, Gergen and Rhodes for Ernest Meyer, George Tribitt, Mrs. Fred Heathcote, and Harry Forbush $99.00; Joseph E. Messer for Nick Roberts $3.00; Duffner's Drug Store for William Ball, Fred Kozak, A. R. Quade, Henry Marther, Gertrude Heathcote, Bernard Murray, Arthur Owsley, Marshall Bradfield, Richard Duus, Ole Hanson, Louis Mourere, Brad Barclay, Leo Breske, $99.60; Haggar's Drug Store for John Farley, Mrs. John Taylor, Frank and Mrs. Krause, Frank and Mrs. Klucas, Emma Hanthorn, Fern Washtook, Erick Frese, and Catherine Marx $85.36; State Sanatorium for Albert Krohn $14.50; Thomes Drug Store for Gerald Coon, Alfred Vick, Richard DePeel, Hilda Haack, Louise Richter, and Lena Trummer $39.28; Dr. M. C. Thompson for Mildred Taylor, Lena Trumer, Louisa Richter, Minnie Johnson, Earl Crocker, Richard DePeel, Hilda Haack $47.00; Brown Clinic for Clem Doms, Eric Frese, Emma Hanthorn, Dagmar Karterud, Mrs. Albert Krohn, Catherine Marx, John O'Neill, Anna Parsley, Gloria Mae Riley, Dooks Teijen, and Lena Wangen $279.00; Medical Arts Clinic for William Reilly, Versal Smith, Frank Klucas, Mrs. Frank Klucas, Andrew Christianson, Delia Scholl, John Farley, Sophie Kieso, Juliette DuBois, Mrs. Henry Kraft, Louis Mourere, Mrs. William Czech, Allen Wangen, Louise Richter, and Lester Schultz $297.75; Robert Trzynka, D. C. for Emma Schultz $8.00; Bartron Hospital and Clinic for Alta Tessier, Mrs. Andrew H. Springer, Robert L. Smith, Olaf Rogde, Thomas Redwing, Phoebe Mowery, Lyla Lesniak, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck, Charles Bierschiede, Mrs. William Barto, Mrs. Minnie Zirbel, Helen Waba, Mae Till, Ernest Meyer, Mrs. Don Mertts, Lydia McQueen, Alma Mack, Emma Jenkins, Joe Hobelsberger, Magnus Helland, and W. B. Barkely $3,186.70; Memorial Hospitalfor Nick Roberts, Alfred Vick, Juliett DuBois, Andrew Christianson, Emma Klucas, Allen Wangen, Mrs. Richard Stanton, Amelia Born, Lester Schultz, and Rachael Stevenson $1,837.58; St. Ann Hospital for Erick Frese, Francis Swenson, Clem Doms, John O'Neil, Theoline Wangen $604.46; Krisger's Drug Store for Anna Parsley, Dooks Teijen, Dagmar Kartrude, Earl Krocker, Nick and Lean Mauer, George Scholl, and Matilda Blek $39.51; Lien's Grocery for Mrs. W'm. Bunde, A. M. Johnson, $27.50; Randall Spies, Inc. for Alta Safford, and Gyle Lauseng $22.50; Mrs. Agust Bunde forLouise Richter $15.00; Gary Rest Home for Henry Spilde $5.00; Walter Gusso for Bert Crandall $25.00; Louis Kinstad for Ole Hanson and Ole Omodt $64.36; Mrs. Anna Lange for Joan and Clarence Tessier, Jr. and Linda Lowe, Dixie Crieder $132.82; Lohr's Home for Edith Kinsey $30.00; Mrs. Mary Miller for Mrs. Joe Coyle $10.00; Ed Schaaf for Robert Wiseman $30.00; Maude Stockman for Loretta Stockman $100.00; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant for David Bright $25.00; Watertown Rest Home forArthur Owsley and Sadie Stevens $60.00; Mrs. Bessie Young for Rose Dixon and Sarah Black $25.00; Mrs. Fritz Lentz for Fern Washtook $24.00; Carroll Dally for Fern Washtook $72.00,; County Farm-City Treasurer $16.72; R. E. Hubbard Co. $6.17; Kriser's Drug Store $3.01; Lien's Grocery $35.62; Randall-Spies, Inc. $9.66; K. D. Inc. $24.26; Park-Grant Co. $28.24; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $32.40; Watertown Milling Co. $83.22; Watertown War Surplus Tore $465; Botsford Lumber Co. $58.21; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $52.92; Paul David $5.82; Joe Fox $5.68; Robert Redlin $7.29; ROAD-Putnam's Uptown Service $230.25; City Treasurer $5.13; General Mills, Inc. $219.25; R. E. Hubbard Co. $11.68; Northwestern Public Service $3.04; Cave Supply Co. $14.65; Ruhe

Stationery Co. $4.24; Botsford Lumber Co. $7.37; Topeka Hiway Mower Co. $49.99; Watertown Tire Co. $94.60; F. C. Grow Sons-Printers $33.00; Mahowald Co. $14.43; Motor Supply Co. $6.02; Northwestern Public Service Co. $1.52; Kenneth Hayes $17.80; Arthur Schwandt $3.50; Marquardt's Service & Supply Co. $24.66; Gerriets Radio Service $4.50; Florence Service $15.93; Harold Scriver $2.19; Jensen's Service $18.32; Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $36.88; Lyle Thorson $52.58; Koch's Phillips 66 Service $27.22; International Harvester Co. $114.70; Watertown Machine Works $215.26; Paper Calmenson& Co. $306.68; Empire Equipment Co. $308.97; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $21.57; Western Transportation Co. $9.22; Wilson Storage & Transfer Co. $2.50; Joe T. Wensing $6.90; Harry O. Weagel $5.50; Aaron VanSickle $1.50; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $241.78; Lee Grinols $1.00; Codington County Implement Co. $13.23; Automotive Refinisher Supply Co. $11.50; BRIDGE-Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $23.22; Northwestern Road Supply Co. $16.10; Watertown Cement Products Co. $517.30; South Dakota Concrete Products Co. $1061.58; HIWAY AND BRIDGE-Empire Equipment Co. $16,164.68; J. P. Foster Co. $1,160.58; Sioux Road Equipment Co. $705.14; Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $2, 130.30; Elmer Zweig $1.178.58; Charles H. Jones $111.50; COUNTY HIWAY AND BRIDGE RESERVE-Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $746.87; Lee Grinols $18.43; South Dakota Concrete Products Co. $978.88; Thompson Yards $12.85; John Stadheim $76.02; Theodore L. Thompson $19.90; Virgil Sikkink $9.13; Theresa Plattner Chruch $21.13; Anna T. Simon and Ed Simon $21.13; Dora Stee $10.84; Selmer Sakarisaon $10.00; Floyd A. Thacker $32.99; Ida Kaaz $10.37; Thomas F. Monahan $7.87; Julius Stee $33.88; Harry Bergan $12.28; Martin A. B. Gramberg $58.10; Glen Stadheim $11.34; Henry Meyer $21.50; Frank T. Jungers $8.20; State HiwayCommission $718.75; William and Anna Klein $11.05; C. S. Rasmusson $287.50; TEXTBOOKS-Midwest Beach Co. $39.08; Wilson Storage & Transfer Co. $2.20; Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Ry. $10.49; The A. N. Palmer Co. $182.00; Olive Pearl Ritter $23.69; Rowe, Peterson & Co. $62.61; INSANE-Betty Englund $5.00; Bill Meyer $5.00; George W. Burke $5.00; REDFIELDHarry T. Kenney $12.00.

The application of Mrs. Violet Daley of Altamont, New York for refund of 1951 money and credits tax in the amount of $13.60 for the reason that she was not a resident of Codington County at the time of assessment was approved by the Board.

The application of Frances Haight for compromise settlement of county liens of Frances Haight, also Francis Haight, was approved by the Board.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer was approved as follows: Total amount of deposits in Banks $438.991.05; Total amount of actual cash $6,556.48; Government Bonds, $182,000.00;

The Clerk of Courts Statement of Fees collected during July, 1952 in the amount of $338.30 was approved.

The statement of the Redfield State Hospital in the amount of $500.00 was approved.

Action on the applications of Lester Grady and Wesley P. Smith for abatement of taxes in the amount of $109.06 for the years 1948 thru 1951 on a structure located on Lots 5-6-7 and 8 in Block 44, Replat of West Watertown was deferred by the Board for further checking.

Tree Bounty applications were checked by the Board.

The monthly report of the County Weed Board for July, 1952 was checked and approved.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved by the Board as follows: Kenneth Urevig $2.00; Mrs. Robert Waege $4.00; Wanda Tesch $4.00; Raymond Morrison $4.00.

RESOLUTION #7216
CODINGTON COUNTY

BE IT RESOLVED BYTHE SOUTH DAKOTA
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

THAT,WHEREAS, it appears from reports received from the Engineers that the work embraced under contract with Codington County, for the Blade and Cast In Work and Gravel Surfacing of Federal Aid SecondaryProject #S 463(2), Codington County, has been satisfactorily completed in accordance with the plans and specifications, and

WHEREAS, District Engineer, T. J. Bunn, and State Highway Engineer, H. C. Rmpfer, have recommended acceptance of the work, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the State Highway Commissinn that the work embraced under contract with Codington County, for the Blade and Cast In Work and Gravel Surfacing of Federal Aid Secondary Project # S 463(2), Codington County, be, and the same is, hereby accepted and final settlement with the Contractor is authorized.

ADOPTED this 29th day of July, 1952.

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION
BY: Frank W. Mitchell, Secretary

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. August 19, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
August 19, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

H. C. Knippel and N. J. Benn of South Shore appeared before the Board regarding the matter of Punished Woman's Lake breaking through on its eastern shore and threatening damage to the county highway running north and south between the two lakes.

The Board agreed to investigate the matter to determine what should be done, and also contact the State Dept. of Game, Fish and Parks for possible aid from that source.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Lowell Bach, $4.00; Joe Becking $4.00; Jim Henning $4.00; Orville Gerberding $4.00; Matt A. Hanten $4.00; W. T. Hvidhyld $4.00; Otto Korth $4.00; Mrs. Phillip Bergh $2.00; Jim Redlin $4.00; Harry Matthes $12.00.

Report of Sale by County Auditor of Class One Land Acquired by Tax Proceeding

TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA:

Carl F. Bergan, the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, makes the following return of the proceedings had pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners to offer for sale the within described real estate acquired by the county by tax proceedings, and reports as follows, to-wit:

That the real property directed to be offered for sale by the Board of County Commissioners was first classified as class one land and was appraised by the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, at the sum of $300.00.

That in pursuance of the direction of the Board of County Commissioners that the within described real estate acquired by tax proceeding be offered for sale, he caused notice of sale thereof to be published in a legal newspaper of the County of Codington once each week for a period of three successive weeks before the date of sale specified therein, which notice contained a description of the real property to be sold and the time, place, and terms of sale, all of which appears by such notice and affidavit of publication filed herein.

That said County Auditor, pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners and notice duly given, offered for sale and on the 5th day of June, 1952, sold, subject to the confirmation of the Board of County Commissioners, the following described real estate to George A. Leonard, being the highest and best bidder for the sum of $300.00, said sum being the highest and best sum bid and not being less than the amount of the appraisement, upon the following terms, to-wit: cash at the time of sale in the amount of $20.00 deposited with the County Treasurer, and the remainder of the purchase price to be paid on or before September 1, 1952.

The real estate so sold is described as follows, to-wit: The North 18' of Lot 5 in Block 26 of First Railway Addition to Watertown, and the North 18' of Lot 5 less the East 60' thereof in Block 5 of East Watertown Addition and the North 25' of Stover's Place all in the City of Watertown.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County, South Dakota

R E S O L U T I O N #151

RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described real property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that one George A. Leonard of Watertown, South Dakota has offered the sum of $300.00 in cash for the following described real property, to-wit: The North 18' of Lot 5 in Block 26 of First Railway Addition to Watertown, and the North 18' of Lot 5 less the East 60' thereof in Block 5 of East Watertown Addition and the North 25' of Stover's Place all in the City of Watertown, which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited in cash with the County Treasurer;

NOW THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 19th day of August, 1952, that the sale of said premises to the said George A. Leonard of Watertown, South Dakota be and the same is hereby approved, and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deed to said purchaser conveying to said purchaser all of the right, title, and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1952.

Palmer Sheldon
Vernon Hozelk
Elmer Jordelh
G. G. Hustad
James P. Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota

Attest:
Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Hestad, seconded by Commissioner Jordeth and upon being put to vote, all Commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution adopted.

The Board of County Commissioners on a motion by Hestad and second by Jordeth concurred with the City Council in approving the application of Lester Grady for abatement of taxes in the amount of$109.06 for the years 1948, 1949, 1950 and 1951 on a structure located on property described as Lots 5, 6, 7 and 8 in Block 44, Replat of West Watertown for the reason that no structure ever existed on said property and said structure was assessed in error.

Two petitions requesting changes in boundaires of School District #27 and District #45 were submitted to the Board by Roy Sharp of Henry as follows:

Petion #1 - to exclude the N½ of NE¼ of Section 30 and the S½ Of SE¼ of Section 19 all in Township 117- Range 55 from District #27 and add same to District #45.

Petition #2 - to exclude the NE¼ of Sec. 33-117-55 from District #45 and add same to Dist. #27.

The Board requested the County Auditor to notify School Board members of Districts #27 and #45 that a public hearing on foregoing petitions would be held on September 2, 1952, at 10:00 A. M. in the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House.

Art Henrickson and L. L. Blake appeared before the Board regarding County liens of Anna Hardt deceased, and S. E. Tubbs.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the liens of Anna Hardt be released on a payment of $500.00, and that liens of S. E. Tubbs in the amount of $32.77 be partially released in so far as they pertain to property described as Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 in Blk 19, Lots 3 and 4 in Block 21 and lots 3 and 4 in Block 22 all in Henry, Codington County South Dakota. The motion carried.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Leo Stanislaus $10.20; James Keyser $2.00; Kenneth Engen $2.00; Bob Benner $2.00; Clarence Heaton $20.20; Robert Johnson $2.10; Arnold M. Larson $20.20; Robert Haight $6.20; W. F. Wolter $20.00; Ray W. Makepeace $20.00; Florence Lindqvist $20.00; CH. & B.R.-Dora Stee $10.84.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M., August 26, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
August 26, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $294.16; Oscar J. Fromke $210.00; Marlys J. Haney $190.00; Dorothy Below $180.00; Irma E. Welch $150.00; Carol M. Zamow $140.00-Total $1,164.16; Treasurer-Alma Gerberding $294.16; Hazel Schliesmann $210.00; Alma Schulz $190.00; Joyce Rowe-Total $874.16; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $267.50; Lillian Schoenberger $195.00-Total $462.50; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $267.50; Harriett Horning $205.00; Margaret Brown $175.00; Violet VanPelt-Total $672.70 ; Superintendent of Schools-Josephine Muriel Hoover $294.16; Ruth M. Johnson-Total $474.16; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $256.66; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Laura J. Avis $125.00-Total $531.66; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $260.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $183.33; GENERAL-Court House Maintainenance-Carl S. Michaelson $175.00; Court Exp. Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Katherine Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; W. B. Higman $110.67; Veterans Service-George W. Burke $175.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension-Mary Andrew $105.00; Audrey Kleveter $75.00; Memorial Park-J. W. Hoftiezer $100.00; Wilhelmina D. Hoftiezer $100.00; County Farm-Irene Roberts $50.00; Harry Roberts $100.00; Commissioners Per Diem, Mileage and Salary-Vernon H. Belk $80.40; A. G. Hestad $94.24; Einar Jordeth $78.52; James L. Keenan $62.70; Palmer D. Sheldon $86.82; Auditor's Office Exp.-Secretary of State $12.50; States Attorney Office Exp.-Secretary of State $12.50; County Judge Office Exp.-Secretary of State $12.50; Printing and Advertising-Sec. of State $25.00; Court Expense-Dale Parks $20.20; COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE-Lars G. Larson $325.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $133.45; J. P. Haug $267.75; C. Sumner $216.43; Joe Stricherz $223.10; John Rennie $273.00; H. Williams $18.81; James Hendren $12.23; Alfred Spring $27.21; John Strait $236.65; C. T. Howey $189.08; Sever Tobiason $200.00; Bert Smith $20.00; Carl Zweig $27.50; COUNTY HIWAY AND BRIDGE RESERVE-C. Sumner $51.45; Ed Gould $66.00; H. Williams $262.90; James Hendren $277.00; Alfred Spring $231.00; E. Spearbeck $196.35; John Strait $6.65; Leo Clausen $175.75; Fred Brownell $185.25; Thad Kranz $67.45; C. T. Howey $44.10; L. Roethler $58.50; Harold Cordell $111.94; Clayton Iverson $58.50; Emil Kittwing $108.00; Carl Zweig $208.71; Donald John Giese $23.07; SPECIAL BRIDGE - Joe Stricherz $31.50; Ed. Gould $214.51; E. Spearbeck $47.73; Leo Clausen $48.83; Fred Brownell $12.19; Ernest Noeldner $95.00; Thad Kranz $128.41; Chris Engels $45.00; L. Roethler $158.69; Harold Cordell $18.00; Clayton Iverson $71.44; Stanley Spring $63.00; Carl Zweig $22.00; GENERAL-Court Expense-Agnes Polze $10.20.

The application of Devon Reeve for a dance license for one night, August 29, 1952 at the location described as Lot 6, Sec. 32-118-54 was approved by the Board.

The Board approved the application of Maude A. Murphy for Compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes.

On a motion by Jordeth and second by Keenan, Tree Bounty applications were approved as follows: Otto Adolphsen $17.50; H. J. Bartron, Jr. $28.00; Edward F. Becking $38.75; Joe Becking $9.00; F. W. Beskow $12.25; Donald Born $5.00; Alfred Briggs $16.25; Everett Collins $20.00; Martin Cordell $45.00; R. W. Crandall $7.50; Charles Darling $12.50; Herman DeWall $17.00; Milo Elshere $11.05; George A. Engler $9.00; Erickson Bros. $28.50; John M. Fisher $5.00; Sig Gran $7.00; William Haan $43.75; Carl H. Hanson $30.00; Herb Hanten $13.00;

H. J. Henricks $32.50; James Jellis $26.65; Orville Kingslien $10.50; Calvin L. Kucker $18.50; Walter Lantsberger $8.00; Frank Lenards $12.50; Thomas Lindner $50.00; Chester L. Lohr $15.00; Maurice Markve $7.50; Walter McLung $20.00; Meyer Bros. $35.00; Ed Noeldner $9.00; Helmuth Noeldner $5.00; Morris Noeldner $34.00; Orville E. Noeldner $27.50; Swen Overland $13.50; Austin Painter $8.00; Elmer Pardau $11.25; Alvin Redlin $15.00; Harold Redlin $15.00; Wm. H. Redlin $14.50; Vernon E. Reichling $50.00; O. P. Ronning $18.75; Lester Schacht $36.00; Russell Schwinger $21.50; Willie Schmeling $28.50; August K. Selchert $10.00; L. S. Spencer $30.00; Lloyd Stark $15.00; John Stricherz $12.00; Albert Sturm $26.60; Harry Voelsch $262.5; Stanley Waddell $11.25; Elmer Zaug $39.00; T. A. Zemlicka $5.50; Louis Zielsky $6.50.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Hestad the Tree Bounty application of Lance Barrett be rejected for the reason that trees in said application were planted by the State Game, Fish and Parks Dept. at no cost to Mr. Barrett for which reason they are not eligible for bounty. The motion carried.

On a motion by Belk and second by Hestad the tree bounty application of Otto Scharn was rejected for the reason that trees were planted in 1946 and were no longer eligble for bounty, also the application of Levi Kannas was rejected for the reason that it was filed too late.

The Board adjourned at 3:00 P. M. and Belk, Hestad, Jordeth, Keenan and Highway Supt., Larson, went out to inspect a bridge in Waverly Township.

The Board reconvened at 4:30 P. M.

The following predatory animal bounty claims were approved. Elmer Hedman $7.50; Don Schaack, $4.00; Mrs. Bruce Florey $4.00; Henry Bunde $4.00; Glenn Stadheim $4.00; Oscar Taecker $4.00; David Engstrom $4.00; Nels Eastberg $4.00; Albert Schaack $4.00; Bernard Flemming $4.00.

The application of Norma Jean Davis for abatement of 1951 school poll of Richard C. Davis in the amount of $1.00 for reason of military service exemption was approved by the Board.

A Quit Claim deed to property described as the SW¼ of NW¼ Sec. 32-120-52 in the Sisseton Wahpeton Indina Reservation from Ole Hanson to Codington County for $1.00 and other valuable consideration was approved by the Board.

The Board agreed to the terms proposed by City of Watertown for paying the county's share of expense in the black topping of the air port road as set forth in ~~the following~~ letter to the County Highway Supt. from John Babcock, City Engineer, said letter on file in the County Hiway Office.

~~CITY OF WATERTOWN, SOUTH DAKOTA~~
August 18, 1952

Mr. Lars Larson
County Highway Supt.
Watertown, S. D.
Dear Mr. Larson:

As discussed last Thursday I am submitting quantities of material used on the airport -lake road for seal coating:

363 yds. of pea gravel - County's share: 181 yds. @ $2.00 $352.00
11,050 gal. of oil (RC-3) - County's share: 5,525 gal.
27 tons of mixed black top - County's share: 13 tons @ $4.00 $52.00
(WE pay $.105 per gal. of oil - $52.00 - $\frac{52}{105}$ - 495 gal. of oil)
24 tons of pea gravel - County's share: 12 tons @ $1.92 $23.04

According to attached purchase orders signed by Ed Gould, the County purchased 10,800 gallons of oil from us this spring.

If you can obtain approval of the Commissioners, we would propose to have Standard Oil bill you for two carloads of oil.. As it now stands the County owes the City 10,800 plus 5,525 plus 495 = 16,820 gallons. If the two carloads of oil total more than 16,820 gallons, we ill credit you with the difference in gallonage. (credit to be taken out in oil) Also, we would prefer to have Withrow bill you $362.00 plus $23.04 = $385.04 for pea gravel.

We will appreciate it if you can work this method of payment out with the Commissioners.

Very truly yours,
CITY OF WATERTOWN

John O. Babcock
City Engineer

M J. Hoy
Supt. of Streets

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. September 2, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA

Watertown, South Dakota
September 2, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Minutes of meetings of August 5, 12, 19 and 26, 1952 were approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Elmer Zweig $9,206.96 COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE-Elmer Zweig $1,000.00; Harold Scriver-$188.02; COUNTY HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE RESERVE-Harold Scriver-$46.20; GENERAL-Court Expense-Maurice Brekke-$20.20; Caroline Holdridge-$5.10; Robert Bonfoey-$20.20; Lucille Seater-$20.20.

Ruth Johnson, Deputy Superintendent of Schools, appeared before the Board for the hearing on petitions to change boundaries of School District No. 27 and District No. 45, as noted in commissioners Prodeedings of August 19, 1952.

As no one appeared to protest proposed changes, it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that the prayer of the petitioners be granted and that the changes be made as requested in said petitions now on file in the County Auditor's office.

On roll call vote the commissioners and Deputy Supt. of Schools all voted "yea" whereupon the Chairman declared the motion carried.

C. H. Lockhart and Alan Austin appeared before the Board regarding property described as Lot 7, Block 75, Third Railway Additon to Watertown.

Records in the County Auditor's office indicate that above described property was sold to the Watertown Milling Co. on December 24, 1934 for $50.00.

Pursuant to Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners dated January 3, 1935 as recorded in Book H, Page 594, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that Chairman Sheldon be authorized to sign a quit claim deed from Codington County to the Watertown Milling Co. to above described property. Motion Carried.

Thirty-one petitions signed by 555 freeholders of the five Commissioners Districts of Codington County, petitioning the Board of Commissioners to take the necessary steps as provided by law for setting up and conducting future County Fairs in Codington County were submitted to the Board.

The Board accepted the petitions, but took no immediate action on methods and procedure of carrying out the prayer of said petitions.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the public hearing on the provisional budget for 1953, same was brought before the Board for further checking and any necessary revision. After checking the provisional budget as proposed, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that a fund of $8,975.00 be added to the provisional budget for County Fair purposes, this fund to be appropriated on the basis of a three tenths mill levy on the County valuation for 1952 and set up under the part of the budget which is outside the limited levy as provided in Chapter 31 of the 1951 Session Laws. The motion carried.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the Chairman of the Board and the County Auditor be authorized to sign 6 copies of the Maintenance Agreement with the State Highway Commission for F.A.S. Route #293, Project # S 426(5) 5.002 miles, and return said copies to the State Highway Commission. The motion carried.

The Board approved the application of Herman B. Schaeffer for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes.

Pursuant to voluntary liquidation of the Tri-County Bank of Wallace, South Dakota as confirmed by a certified copy of the minutes of the special meeting of the Board of Directors of said bank held on August 26, 1952 and submitted to the County Treasurer by P.O. Brekke, Cashier and Secretary of said bank, the County Treasurer appeared before the Board and asked that the requests of P. O. Brekke as contained in the following letter be granted, to-wit:

"We have today requested the First Citizens National Bank to charge our account and pay you the balance of the funds on deposit with us in your name. We have also requested the First Citizens National Bank to ask you to release the Northwestern National Bank of Minneapolis the bonds which have been pledged as collateral to this account."

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk thatthe County Treasurer be authorized to release bonds as requested in foregoing letter. The motion carried.

The application of Mrs. Pearl Runge for partial release of county liens of August and Pearl Runge in so far as said liens pertain to property described as the W82½' of Lot 11 and the N3' of Lot 12 in Block 5, Lake View Addition to Watertown was approved by the Board.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved by the Board as follows: Gregory Spartz $4.00; Julius Stee $4.00; Vern L. Thorson $4.00; Roy O. Hackbart $4.00; Melvin Schmieding $4.00; Joe Althaus $4.00; Don DeBerg $4.00.

NOTICE TO MAKE AND ADOPT SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET FOR 1952

Notice is hereby given, that the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, will meet at their office in the Court House at Watertown, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., on Tuesday, September 23, 1952, for the purpose of considering the following supplemental budget for the year 1952, and the various items, schedules, amounts and appropriations set forth, therin, pursuant to Chapter 42 of the 1947 Session Laws; that the final budget adopted for 1952 is insufficient to enable the County to conduct the indespensable functions of government and which are just obligations upon the County for the necessary conduct of the Courts, Support of the Poor and other duties which it is the lawful duty

of the County to discharge; at such time all interested persons may appear, either in person or by representative and will be given an opportunity for a full and complete discussion of all purposes, and amounts as set forth in the supplemental budget.

Purpose for which appropriated:

GENERAL FUND:		
Board of Prisioners	$ 1,400.00	
Sheriff's Mileage	2,000.00	
Assessor's Salaries & Supplies	300.00	
Clerk of Courts Office Expense	700.00	
Public Welfare Office Expense	200.00	
Welfare and County Farm	25,000.00	
GENERAL FUND TOTALS		$29,600.00
SALARY FUND:		
Social Security	1,000.00	1,000.00
INSANE FUND:	5,000.00	5,000.00
SUMMARY		$35,600.00

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 2nd day of September, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County
South Dakota

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., September 9, 1952

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

WAtertown, South Dakota
September 9, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Sheldon, Hestad, Belk and Keenan present, Jordeth absent; Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows:GENERAL-Commissioners Per Diem and Mileage-Palmer D. Sheldon $107.40; A. G. Hestad $54.28; James L. Keenan $84.85; Vernon H. Belk $39.10; Court Expense-J. W. Hoftiezer $11.60; Mrs. Maud Erickson $20.20; Alma Best $10.20; Arthur Grube $10.20; Mrs. Helen Ruhr $12.00; Cliff Englund $94.56; Francis C. Burns $50.00; Grand Hotel Cafe $27.90; Palace of Sweets $25.25; Theodore H. Peters $21.80; Tax Collector-Beatrice Nelson $404.15; Ole James Nelson $404.15; Sheriffs Mileage-Cliff Englund $428.35; Sheriffs Fees-Cliff Englund $82.49; Board of Pris.-Cliff Englund $169.20; Tax Deed Exp. $41.55; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown $79.78; County Expension- Audrey McCollum $54.12; Fred Morris $33.67; Insurance & Bonds-First National Agency $386.19; J. E. Walseth $4.38; Farmers & Merchants Agency $67.80;Court House Maint.-Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $243.35; West Disnfection Co. $11.75; Inman Plumbing Co. $22.25; Park & Grant Co. $23.60; Mrs. Elvera Englund $4.86; Hillyard Sales Co. $48.75; Huntington Laboratories Inc. $146.25; G. & P. Transportation Co. $2.50; Carl Michaelson $1.33; Theodore Treat $18.00; Martins Flag Co. $22.20; Egge Electric Co. $6.78; L.O.H. Co. $3.97; Halvorsen Repair Shop; $.75; Memorial Park-Egge Electric Col $1.80; L.O.H. Co. $4.90;Halvorsen Repair Shop $1.50; Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent $98.07; Geraldine Ostroot $45.00; Watertown Public Opinion $285.05; South Shore Gazette $224.47; Auditors Office Expense-Mitchell Publishing Co. $20.25; Sheriffs Office Expense-Gowins Photo Shop $2.02; Lesis Gerrits $5.00; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Remington Rand, Inc. $113.10; Dakota Directory Service $3.00; Brown & Saenger $188.37; Ruhe Stationery Co. $5.41; Public Welfare Office Exp.-$40.55; Veterans Service $7.25; Court Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $10.75; Sheriffs Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $6.16; Auditors Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.83; States Attorneys Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $51.70; Auditors Office Expense-F.C. Grow Sons $323.00; Public Welfare Office Expense-F.C. Grow Sons $24.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $6.48; States Attorneys Travel Expense-Ross Oviatt $13.16; Welfare-Annette Burgdorf-for Emma Schultz $25.00; Walter Gusso for Bert Crandall $25.00; Lohrs Home for Mrs. Edith Kinsey $30.00; Mrs. August Bunde for Louisa Richter $15.00; Gary Rest Home for Henry Spilde $5.00; Louis C. Kinstad for Ola Hanson $17.50, Ola Omodt $38.00; Mrs. Anna Lange for Joan Tessier and Clarence Tessier Jr. $66.40 and Linda Lowe and Dixie Crider $66.40; Mrs. Mary Miller for Mrs. Joe Coyle $10.00; Ed Schaaf for Robert Wiseman $30.00; Irence Stockman for Loretta Stockman $100.00; Mrs Abner Sturdevant for David Bright $25.00; Watertown Rest Home for Mrs Sadie Stevens $40.00 and Arthur Owsley $20.00; Mrs. Bessie Young for Mrs. Rose Dixon $15.00 and Mrs. Sarah Ann Black $10.00; Carroll L. Dally for Mrs Fern Washtoak $60.00;Dr. Harry T. Kenney for Marshxall Bradfield, Dick Brown,Fred Kozak,Arthur Owsley $54.00; Louis Mourere; Duffners Drug Store-Ole Hanson; George Tribitt, Arthur Owsley, Steven Wishneski, B. J. Murray, Richard Duus, William Ball, Fred Kozak, Lee Breske $136.12; Haggers Drug Store for Erick Frese, Catherine Marx, Fern Washtoak, Mrs. Mildred Taylor, Frank Krause, Emma Henthorn, Lester Schultz, John Farley, Adolph Stankey, Mrs. William Czech, Mrs. George Scholl, Mrs. Frank Klucas $121.63; Bartron Hospital & Clinic-W. B. Barkley, Earl Crocker, Frances DeMuynck, John & Lydia Fjerstad, Jim Harding, Joe Hobelsberger, Emma Jenkins, Lila Lesniak, Mrs. Don Mertz, Ernest Meyer, Arthur Moss, B. J. Murray, Mrs. Margaret Papka, Mrs. Henry Springer, Mrs. Alta Tessier, Mae Till, Cheryl Vermillion, Helen Waba, Mrs. Minnie Zirbel-$1652.24; St. Ann's Hospital-Clem Doms, Jacob Ekse, Luella Engers John O'Neil, Theoline Wangen, Walter & Ruth Woitte $777.06; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes Funeral Chapel Inc, Mrs. Josephine Kraling, Mr. Earl Crocker $6.00; Dr. Thompson-Mrs. Hilda Haack, Mildred Taylor, Mrs. Minnie Johnson, Lena Trumer, Mrs. Gertrude Heathcote, Richard DePeel $67.00; Medical Arts Clinic-John Farley, Frank & Emma Klucas, Wayne Krueger, Louis Mourere, Mrs. Rose Reed, Lester Schultz, Fred Walsh Sr., Mrs. Fern Washtoak, Steven Wishniski $156.00; Thomes Drug Store for Alfred Vick, Mrs. Louisa Richter, Lena Trumer, Richard DePeel, Mrs. Ed Haack $26.85; Brown Clinic for Albert & Leona Krohn, Clem Doms, Dagmar Karterud, Richard Davis, Mrs. Josephine Riley, Catherine Marx, Erick Frese, Theoline Wangen, Mrs. Emma Henthorn, Dooks Tiejen, A. R. Quade, Luella Engers, Elizabeth Larson, Mrs Gwen Stein, John O'Neil, Anna Parsley $266.50; Memorial Hospital for Amelia Borns, Frank & Emma Klucas, Fred Kozak, Mrs. Henry Kraft, Oranna Mills, Louis Mourere $622.38; University of Minn. Hospitals for William R. Vermillion $427.35; H.H. Sand for wheel chair $50.00; Joseph E.

Messer for Mrs. Selma Kraft $3.00; G. R. Herbergers, Inc. for Vermillion children $20.00; Hunter Grocery for Alice Dummer Tassler and Melvin Lawrence $44.00; Montgomery Ward Co. for Richard DePeel $10.98; Kriesers Drug Store for Dooks Tiejen, Dagmar Karterude, Lena Mauer, Anna Parsley, Matilda Blek, George Scholl and Earl Crocker $48.83; L. L. Blake for Billy Vermillion $42.00; Court House Maint. Nelsons Hardware $5.25; Marshall-Wells Store $2.29; Memorial Park-Marshall-Wells Store $19.47; County Farm-Marshall-Wells Store $3.04; Nelsons Hardware $2.39; Kriesers Drug Store $2.48; General Mills, Inc. $37.39; K. D. Inc. $16.06; Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $12.15; Watertown Milling Co. $22.02; C. L. Berner $1.75; Wm. Schreurs $33.00; Watertown Veterinary Clinic $45.25; Park & Grant Co. $22.15; Watertown Co-op Elev. $5.55; Watertown War Surplus Store $33.92; R. E. Hubbard Co. $3.40; Court House Maint.-Putmans Uptown Service $1.15; Memorial Park-Putmans Uptwon Service $1.91; Auditors Office Expense-Burroughs Adding Machine Co. $21.80; Treas. Office Expense-Burroughs Adding Machine Co. $38.40; C.M.V.-R. E. Hubbard Co. $233.60; Kenneth Hayes $50.75; Empire Equipment Co. $84.42; Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $80.03; LaNoue's Radiator Shop $9.50; J. P. Foster Co. $40.66; Florence Service $17.48; Ed Heyn $43.15; Melvin Hanthorn $2.70; Dakota Welding Supply Co. $16.28; Watertown Tire Co. $8.05; Mahowald Co. $29.58; Co-op Farm Supply Co. $3.76; Sanders Chev. Co. $.38; Arthur Schwandt $12.05; Philip Jesme $15.00; Kochs Phillips 66 Service $24.73; Jostad Lumber Co. $140.19; Harold Scriver $3.61; Jensens Service $11.54; Williams Hardware Co. $79.00; Sioux Road Equipment Co. $11.00; Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $6.66; International Harvestor Co. $512.25; Cave Supply Co. $521.99; Northwestern Road Supply Co. $10.70; Watertown Machine Works $29.56; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $183.65; ROAD-N.W. Public Service Co. $4.57; City Treasurer $5.13; H. M. Hanten Agency $39.12; L.O.H. Co. $1.00; BRIDGE- L.O.H. Co. $5.08; C. E. McGown Lumber Co. $9.76; Watertown Cement Products $332.78; Northwestern Road Supply Co. $6.80; S. Dak. Concrete Products Co. $431.74; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $11.21; Thompson Yards $15.11; C.H. & B.R.- John Rislov $21.00; Elmer O. Schmeling $59.02; Henry Zick $28.29; Frank W. Boeder $20.95; Carl & Walter Rau $20.45; Clarence R. Meseberg $12.08; Henry Klein $40.87; Ralph Redlin $14.43; Albert Hillestad $17.12; Watertown Machine Works $.96; S. Dak. Concrete Products Co. $945.28; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $12.50; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $514.19; Thompson Yards $3.75; CO. SPECIAL HIGHWAY-Virgil Sikkink $1.00; Mrs. Amanda B. Knutson $1.00; Earl & Ella Kruthoff $1.00; Mrs. Hilbert Ristvedt $1.00; Mrs. Mary Johnson, Admx $1.00; Oscar Rogge $1.00; H. A. Rear $1.00; H. C. Small $1.00; Harry Bergan $1.00; Alma Markve $1.00; Sam & Harry Sigelman $1.00; K. O. Markve $1.00; GENERAL-Auditors Office Exp. -Midwest-Beach Co. $11.33; Court House Maint.-City Treasurer $820.79; Memorial Park-N./W. Public Service Co. $40.23; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $46.06; Paul David $5.82; TEXTBOOKS- Allyn & Bacon Inc. $396.49; Midwest-Beach Co. $80.12; Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $69.05; Western Transportation Co. $16.11; Wilson Transfer & Storage Co. $3.71; S. W. Singer Co. Inc. $159.26; American Book Co. $160.31; Ginn & Co. $432.30; Iroquois Publishing Co. $65.36; Hub City Supply Co. $61.40; McCormick Mathers Publishing Co. $192.58; Charles E. Merrill Books $69.20; Houghton Mifflin Co. $483.13; Charles Scribners Sons $111.98; INSANE-Ruth Shenk $5.00; TUITION-Hazel Ind. Con. School # 1 $1575.00; Waverly Ind. Con. School # 1 $525.00; Webster High School $315.00; South Shore Ind. School # 38 $3780.00; Goodwin Ind. Cons. School # 3 $2835.00; Henry Ind. School # 27-$6957.22; Wallace Ind. School # 37-$4095.00;

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the final hearing on the provisional budget and the adoption of the annual budget for the calender year 1953, the Board rechecked the provisional budget and recommended that the Board of Prisioners appropriation in the General Fund be increased from $1,500.00 to $2,000.00.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Hestad that the budget be revised as recommended and that the following annual budget be adopted for 1953. On roll call vote all Commissioners voted "yea", whereupon the Chairman declared the motion carried.

ANNUAL BUDGET FOR CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA, FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR, JANUARY 1, 1953 TO DECEMBER 31, 1953 AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 12.2003 SDC 1939.

FUNDS: Items:	ESTIMATED OTHER REVENUE	ESTIMATED CASH BALANCE	ESTIMATED REAL AND PERS. PROP TAX	TOT.ESTD. REV.&BAL. FROM ALL SOURCES	ADOPTED BUDGET APPROP. CANNOT EQUAL MORE THAN 95% OF COL. 4
GENERAL FUND					
Commissioners Per Diem					$ 7 500
Mileage					2 500
Expense, Advertising and Printing					6 000
Salary					900
Auditors Office Expense					2 800
Election Expense					4 000
Assessors Salaries and Supplies					1 800
Treas. Office Expense					2 800
Delinquent Tax Expense					4 000
Tax Deed Expense					300
CLERK OF COURTS Office Expense					1 000
Vital Statistics					950
REGISTER OF DEEDS Office Expense					2 500
SUPT. OF SCHOOLS Office Expense					1 200
Travel Expense					1 000
County Institute					600
SHERRIF'S Fees and Salary					5 600
Office Expense					500
Mileage					5 000
Board of Pris.					2 000
STATES ATTORNEY Office Expense					300
Mileage					300
COURTS					
Jurors, Witness Fees and Court Reporter					12 000
Justice Fees					400
Office Expense					400
Bailiffs					300
CORONER Expense					500
COUNTY VETERANS' SERVICE OFFICER					3 500
Court House Maint.					20 000
State Accountant					1 000
Insurance, Bond Premiums and Workmens' Comp.					2 400
Agriculture and Home Extension					3 800

County Contest and Exhibits					200
PUBLIC WELFARE Office Expense					400
County Insanity Board					500
Care of Poor and Poor Farm	8 000				75 000
Board of Health					1 000
Bounties, Trees					2 000
Crow & Magpie Bounty					100
Social Security					2 400
Law Library					1 000
Memorial Park					2 500
County Money & Credits Tax	5 000				
Telephone Tax Outside	2 600				
Licenses	200				
Prior Tax Collections	7 500				
Beverage Sales Revenue	4 500				
GENERAL FUND TOTALS	27 800	30,000	134 854	192 654	182 950
SALARY FUND					
AUDITOR					16 000
TREASURER					11 000
CLERK OF COURTS	3 500				5 800
REGISTER OF DEEDS	7 000				8 500
SUPTERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS					5 800
STATES ATTORNEY					6 500
COUNTY JUDGE					3 200
MUNICIPAL JUDGE					2 200
SALARY FUND TOTALS	10 500		51 650	62 150	59 000
Insane Fund	1 000		24 270	25 270	24 000
Feeble Minded Fund	500		6 350	6 850	6 500
Custer Sanatorium Fund			3 200	3 200	3 000
COUNTY ROAD FUND, Maint.			15 780	15 780	15 000
COUNTY ROAD FUND TOTALS			15 780	15 780	15 000
BRIDGE FUND, Maint.		5 275		5 275	5 000
BRIDGE FUND TOTALS		5 275		5 275	5 000
TOTALS OF FUNDS WITHIN LIMTD.Levy	39 800	35 275	236 104	311 179	295 450
County Hiway & Bridge Res. Fund		115 900	42 000	157 900	150 000
Special Bridge Fund		14 110	28 000	42 110	40 000
Weed Control Fund			3 370	3 370	3 200
County Fair			8 975	8 975	8 525
TOT. OF FUNDS OUTSIDE LMTD. LEVY		130 010	82 345	212 355	201 725
County Highschool Tuition Fund			94 500	94 500	89 775
GRAND TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS SUBJECT TO LEVIES	39 800	165 285	412 949	618 034	586 950
COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE FUND					77 400
Salary Expense					6 000
Workmens' Compensation					1 600
COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE FUND TOT.	89 475			89 475	85 000
County Special Highway	31 580			31 580	30 000
County Hiway & Bridge Fund	30 000	5 000		35 000	33 250
Text Book Revolving Fund	10 000			10 000	9 500
School Library Fund	1 580			1 580	1 500
GRAND TOTAL OF FUNDS NOT SUBJECT TO LEVIES	162 635	5 000		167 635	159 250
GRAND TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS	202 435	170 285	412 949	785 669	746 200

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
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County of Codington)

WHEREAS, Section 12.2007 South Dakota Code of 1939 provides that the Board of County Commissioners shall prepare each year a Provisional Budget of all the contemplated expenditures and revenues of the County, and all its institutions and agencies for such fiscal year and

WHEREAS, The Board of County Commissioners did prepare a Provisional Budget and caused the same to be published as provided by law, and

WHEREAS, Due and legal notice has been given of the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners for the consideration of such Provisional Budget, and all changes, eliminationsand additions have been made thereto.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That such Provisional Budget as amended, and each and all of the purposes, objects, items, schedules, appropriations, amounts, estimates and all matters contained therein as herein set forth shall be approved and adopted as the Annual Budget of Appropriations and expenditures for Codington County, South Dakota and all its institutions and agencies for the calendar year beginning January 1st, 1953 and ending December 31st,1953, and the same is hereby approved and adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, this 9th day of September, 1952.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
of Codington County, South Dakota

Vernon Walk

Einar Lordeth

C. G. Hustad

James P. Keenan

Motion was made and seconded that the County Levies for 1952 be approved as follows;

SCHEDULE OF TAX LEVIES FOR COUNTY PURPOSES FOR 1952

ADOPTED SEPTEMBER 11, 1952

FUND	BUDGET	PLUS 5%	TOTAL	ESTIMATED REVENUES	TAXES	LEVY
GENERAL	182 950	9 148	192 098	57 800	134 298	4.49
Salary	59 000	2 950	61 950	10 500	51 450	1.72
INSANE	24 000	1 200	25 200	1 000	24 200	.81
FEEBLE MINDED	6 500	325	6 825	500	6 325	.20
CUSTER SANITORIUM	3 000	150	3 150	00	3 150	.11
COUNTY ROAD	15 000	750	15 750	00	15 750	.53
TOTAL LIMITED LEVY	295 450	14773	310 223	75 075	235 173	7.86
WEEDS	3 200	160	3 360	00	3 360	.11
SPECIAL BRIDGE	40 000	2 000	42 000	14 110	27 890	.93
C.H.&.B.R.	150 000	7 500	157 500	115 900	41 600	1.39
COUNTY FAIR	8 525	426	8 951	00	8 951	.30
TOTAL UNLIMITED	201 725	10 086	211 811	130 010	81 801	2.73
CONSOLIDATED	497 175	24 859	522 034	205 085	316 974	10.59

Palmer D Sheldon

Palmer D. Sheldon, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington Cou ty, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergsad AUDITOR

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of Septemberl, 1952 was approved as follows: Total amount of deposits in banks, $343,860.17; Total amount of checks, drafts and cash in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $3,194.66; Government Bonds $182,000.00.

The Clerk of Courts Statement of Fees Collected during August, 1952 in the amount of $407.50 was approved.

The Board approved August, 1952 statements as follows: State Sanatorium at Sanator $248.82; Wankton State Hospital $1,780.34; Redfield State Hospital $496.77.

A lease agreement from Codington County to Earl North for rental of the SW¼ of NW¼ of Section 32, Township 120 Range 52 in the Sisseton Wahpeton Indian Reservation from September 1, 1952 until March 1, 1953 for $20.00 was approved by the Board.

The applications of H.H. Hilliard and Lillian Ward for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes were approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Keenan.

The application of Mrs. Violet Daley for abatement of 1952 money and credits tax in the amount of $13.60 for the reason that she was not a resident of Codington County at the time of assessment was approved by the Board.

On a motion by Belk and second by Keenan the Board concurred with the City Council in approving the application of Gordon Larson for abatement of 1951 tax on a trailer house in the amount of $37.82 plus penalty and interest on same for the reason of double assessment.

Art Hasche appeared before the Board regarding delingquent personal property taxes.

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
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COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles of Main Line and Side Track and the Value per mile for the year 1952 of each of the railroads running through or into said County, as fixed by said Commission, to-wit:

Company, Line or Division	Main Line No. of Miles	Side Track No. of Miles	Val. Per Mile Main Line	Val. Per Mile Side Track	Valuation Main Line	Valuation Side Track	Total Valuation
C & NW DIVISION	11.76	.26	6 390	1 558	225 110	405	225 515
Dakota Division	26.36	.52	5 960	1 570	165 972	816	166 788
GREAT NORTHERN							
Watertown to Huron	33.06	.76	7 286	2 349	291 966	1 785	293 751
M & ST. L.							
Pacific Division	16.65	.39	2 893	706	81 581	275	81 856
Northwestern Div.	24.19	.58	2 172	706	62 625	409	63 034
C.R.I. & P. Watertown Branch	12.33	.28	3 576	1 172	68 199	328	68 527
Watertown to S. Falls	5.68	.12	5 417	1 191	38 219	143	38 362
TOTAL	130.03	2.91			933 672	4 161	937 833

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NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of siad County and State, that the number of miles of Main Line and Side Track, showen by the plats of each of said railroads on file in the office of the County Auditor, and the value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township and school district of Codington County, South Dakota, for the year 1952 shall be as follows:

Name of Taxing Districts	Mileage Main Line	Mileage Side Track	Value per Mile Main Line	Value per Mile Side Track	Val'n Main Line	Val'n Side Track	Total Valuation
Watertown, C&NW Minn.	2.14				163 638		163 638
C&NW Branch	2.50				23 230		23 230
Great Northern	2.85				68 162		68 162
M & St. L. West Div.	2.06				39 373		39 373
M & St.L. N.W. Div.	1.45				6 544		6 544
C.R.I. & P.	1.73				30 294		30 294
G.N.Sioux Falls Branch					7 451		7 451
Henry, C & NW Branch Line	1.02				6 616		6 616
South Shore, G.N.Branch Line	1.26				12 874		12 874
Florence, M & St.L. N.W.Div.	.51				5 073		5 073
Wallace, M & St.L. N.W. Div.	.50				3 810		3 810
Kranzburg, Twp. C & NW Main Line	6.09	.26	6 390	1 558	38 916	405	39 321
Kranzburg, Twp. C.R. & P.	7.04	.28	3 576	1 172	25 175	328	25 503
Sheridan Twp. C & NW	6.71	.23	5 960	1 570	39 991	361	40 352
Sheridan Twp. C.R.I & P.	2.30		3 576		8 225		8 225

Pelican Twp, C & N.W.	4.58		5 960			27 297		27 297
Pelican Twp, G N	7.25		7 286			52 824		52 824
Pelican Twp. G.N. Sioux Falls Branch	5.68	.12	5 417	1 191		30 768	143	30 911
Kampeska, C & NW	6.09	.29	5 960	1 570		36 297	455	36 752
Kampeska, G N	2.69	.38	7 286	2 349		19 599	893	20 492
Henry Twp, C & NW	4.92		5 960			29 323		29 323
Elmira Twp. C & NW	3.53		6 390			22 556		22 556
Elmira Twp., C.R.I & P	1.26		3 576			4 505		4 505
Elmira Twp., M & St.L	6.15		2 893			17 791		17 791
Elmira Twp. G N	2.25		7 286			16 394		16 394
Lake Twp, C & NW	.54		5 960			3 218		3 218
Lake Twp., G N	1.77		7 286			12 896		12 896
Lake Twp, M & St.L. NW Div	6.52	.57	2 172	706		14 162	402	14 564
Waverly Twp, N & St.L	8.44	.39	2 893	706		24 417	275	24 692
Waverly Twp., GN	.90		7 286			6 558		6 558
Rauville Twp, G N	7 74	.38	7 286	2 349		56 393	892	57 285
Fuller Twp, M & St.L, NW Div	7.69		2 172			16 703		16 703
Leola Twp, G N	6.35		7 286			46 266		46 266
Dexter Twp, M & St.L, NW Div	1.93		2 172			4 192		4 192
Eden Twp, M & St. L, NW Div	5.59	.01	2 172		706	12 141	07	12 148
TOTAL	130.03	2.91				933 672	41x61	937 833

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COUNTY OF CODINGTON }

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles of Main Line ans Side Track and the value per mile for the year 1952 of each of the railroads running through or into said County, as fixed by said Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State, that the number of miles of Main Line and Side Track, shown by the plats of each of siad railroads on file in the office of the County Auditor, and the value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township and school district of Codington County, South Dakota, for the year 1952 shall be as follows:

SCHOOL DISTRICT Number	Main Line	Side Track	Main Line	Side Track	Main Line	Side Track	Total Val'n
Watertown	13.22				341 612		341 612
Ind. 27C & NW Branch	3.44		5960		21 039		21 039
Ind. 38 G N	2.38		7286		21 034		21 034
Ind. 28 M & St. L	3.51		2172		11 589		11 589
Wallace Ind. M & St. L	2.03	.01	2172	706	7 133	07	7 140
W.C. 1 M & St. L	6.62	.39	2893	706	19 151	275	19 426
W.C. 1 G N	6.60		7286		48 088		48 088
No. 2 Gettysburg	4.65		5960		27 714		27 714
3 M & St. L	3.96		2172		8 601		8 601
4 Watertown Branch	.33	.07	5960	1570	1 967	110	2 077
5 Minn. Div	3.04	.26	6390	1558	19 426	405	19 831
5 C.R.I & P	4.32	.28	3576	1172	15 448	328	15 776
7 G N Sioux Falls Branch	5.68	.12	5417	1191	30 768	143	30 911
7 G N	3.62		7286		26 376		26 376
8 G N	4.02		7286		29 290		29 290
9 C & NW	3.58		5960		21 337		21 337
10 M & St. L	.65		2172		1 412		1 412
13 G N	3.20	.38	7286	2349	23 315	892	24 207
14 M & St. L	5.26		2893		15 217		15 217
16 Minnesota Div	2.01		6390		12 844		12 844
17 Minnesota Div	3.53		6390		22 556		22 556
17 C.R.I. & P	3.56		3576		12 730		12 730
17 Watertown Branch	2.24		5960		13 350		13 350
24 Watertown to Gettysburg	2.98	.29	5960	1570	17 761	455	18 216
25 G N	2.69	.38	7286	2349	19 599	893	20 492
29 Watertown to Gettysburg	2.50		5960		14 900		14 900
36 G N	2.88		7286		20 984		20 984
39 G N	3.63		7286		26 448		26 448
41 M & St. L	1.17		2172		2 542		2 542
43 M & St. L	1.49		2172		3 236		3 236
46 M & St. L	3.98		2172		6.690		6.690
51 M & St. L	3.77		2172		8 188		8 188
52 C.R.I. & P.	2.72		3576		9 727		9 727
63 M & St. L	2.71		2893		7 840		7 840
64 Minnesota Div	1.04		6390		6 646		6.646
66 Watertown Branch	3.65	.16	5960	1570	21 754	251	22 005
67 G N	1.19		7286		8 670		8 670
73 M & St. L	3.08	.57	2172	706	6 690	402	7 092
TOTAL	130.03	2.91			933 672	4161	937 833

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 9th day of September, 1952

Vernon A Bell
Vice Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles and total valuation for the year 1952 of each of the Pipeline Companies running through or into said county, as fixed by said Commission, to-wit:

Name of Company	Miles	Total Valuation
Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	11.09	144 680

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State that the number of miles of Pipeline Companies, shown by the plats of each said Pipeline Company on file in the office of the County Auditor, and value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township, and school district of Codington County, South Dakota, for the year 1952 be as follows:

Taxing District	Name of Company	Miles	Total Valuation
Kranzburg	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	6.69	14 050
Sheridan	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	4.40	130 630
		11.09	144 680

School District	Name of Company	Miles	Total Valuation
1	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	.51	122 460
11	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	2.05	4 310
12	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	3.91	8 210
17	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	3.34	7 010
52	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	1.28	2 690
		11.09	144 680

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 9 day of September, 1952.

Chairman Boardof County Commissioners

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)ss
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles and total valuation for the year 1952 of each of the Electric Light or Power Companies running through or into said County , as fixed by said Commission, to-wit:

Name of Company	Miles	Total Valuation
N. W. Public Service Co.	67.50	110 908
Ottertail Power Co.	3.25	5 621

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State that the number of miles of Electric Light and Power Companies, shown by the plats of each said Electric Light and Power Company on file in the office of the County Auditor, and value thereof in each city, incorporated town and township and school district of Codington County, South Dakota, for the year 1952 be as follows:

Taxing District	Nameof Company	Miles	Total Valuation
Watertown	N. W. Public Service Co.	2.3	22 650
South Shore	Ottertail Power Co.	1.70	4 696
Florence	N. W. Public Service Co.		4 950
Henry	N. W. Public Service Co.		5 600
Wallace	N. W. Public Service Co.		3 400
Kranzburg	N. W. Public Service Co.	8	8 379
Kampeska	N. W. Public Service Co.	13	11 633
Henry Twp.	N. W. Public Service Co.	12	12 295
Elmira	N. W. Public Service Co.	10.5	6 836
Lake	N. W. Public Service Co.	12	26 500
Richland	N. W. Public Service Co.	1	753
Fuller	N. W. Public Service Co.	.50	390
Leola	Ottertail Power Co.	1.55	925
Dexter	N. W. Public Service Co.	4.	2 830
Eden	N.W. Public Service Co.	6.5	4 692
	TOTAL		116 529

School District	Name of Company	Miles	Total Valuation
Watertown	N. W. Public Service Co.	1	23 301
South Shore Ind.	Ottertail Power Co.	3.25	5 621
Wallace Ind.	N. W. Public Service Co.	4.	6 287
Florence Ind.	N.W. Public Service Co.	3.5	7 463
Henry Ind.	N. W. Public Service Co.	6.5	12 260
No. 2	N. W. Public Service Co.	4.5	9 938
No. 3	N. W. Public Service Co.	2.	4 417
No. 5	N. W. Public Service Co.	5.	6 400
No. 6	N. W. Public Service Co.	1.	753
No. 9	N. W. Public Service Co.	9.	7 188
No.16	N. W. Public Service Co.	2.	1 320
No.17	N. W. Public Service Co.	9.5	6 185
No.24	N. W. Public Service Co.	1.	2 759
No.25	N. W. Public Service Co.	4.	3 895
No.29	N. W. Public Service Co.	2.5	2 561
No.44	N. W. Public Service Co.	3.5	7 728
No.51	N. W. Public Service Co.	3.5	2 512
No.54	N. W. Public Service Co.	3.	3 074
No.64	N. W. Public Service Co.	1.	659
No.73	N. W. Public Service Co.	1.	2 208
	TOTAL		116 529

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 9 day of September, 1952.

Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Belk was excused and left the meeting at 3:45 P.M.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. September 16, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
September 16, 1952

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10: A.M. with Sheldon, Hestad, Keenan and Belk present, Jordeth absent; Sheldon presiding.

Report of Sale by County Auditor of Class One Land Acquired by Tax Proceedings

TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA:

Carl F. Bergan, the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, makes the following return of the proceedings had pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners to offer for sale the within described real estate acquired by the county by tax proceedings and reports as follows, to-wit:

That the real property directed to be offered for sale by the Board of County Commissioners was first classified as class one land and was appraised by the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, at the sum of $5.00.

That in pursuance of the direction of the Board of County Commissioners that the within described real estate acquired by tax proceeding be offered for sale, he caused notice of sale therof to be published in a legal newspaper of the County of Codington once each week for aperiod of 3 successive weeks before the date of sale specified therein, which notice contained a desxription of the real property to be sold and the time, place and terms of sale, all of which appears by such notice and affidavit of publication filed herein.

That said County Auditor, pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners and notice duly given, offered for sale and on the 3rd day of September, 1952, sold, subject to the confirmation of the Board of County Commissioners, the following described real estate to Fred D. and Claudia Gottsleben, being the highest and best bidder, for the sum of $5.00, said sum being the highest and best sum bid and not being less than the amount of the appraisment, upon the following terms, to-wit: cash at the time of sale in the amount of $5.00 deposited with the County Treasurer;

The real estate so sold is described as follows, to-wit: Lot 28, Block 11, Kemp Bros. Addition to Watertown.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 16th Day of September, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County, South Dakota

R E S O L U T I O N # 153

Resolution Approving Sale

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described

real property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that one Fred D. and Claudia Gottsleben of Watertown, South Dakota has offered the sum of $5.00 in cash for the following described real property, to-wit: Lot 28 Block 11, Kemp Bros, Addition to Watertown , which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited in cash with the County Treasurer;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 16th day of September, 1952, that the sale of said premises to the said Fed D. and Claudia Gottsleben of Watertown, South Dakota be and the same is hereby approved, and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deed to said purchased conveying tosaid purchaser all of the right, title, and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 16th day of September, 1952.

Vernon H Belk
Einar Lordseth
James R Keenan
C G Hustad
Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Bounty claims were approved as follows: Carl Nelson, $4.00; Ruth Soreng $4.00; Don Ries $4.00; Mrs. Harley McFerran $4.00; Donald Knudson $4.00;

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense- Nels P. Hanson $14.60; Mrs. Dorothy Haan $22.00; Robert Hunter $5.10;Frank Biedinger $5.10; Dick Thesenvitz $3.20; Al Gillies $3.00.

Math DeVille, one of the supervisors of Waverly Twp. appeared before the Board regarding a culvert on one of the township roads. The Board agreed to check the culvert in question.

L. C. Lausen, one of the supervisors of Rauville Twp. appeared before the Board on the matter of an agreement between Codington County and Rauville Twp. for installing two steel culverts and a spill-way on a township road between Section 35, Township 118, Range 53 in Rauville Township and Section 2, Township 117, Range 53 in Lake Township.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that Codington County pay $600.00 on the purchase and installation of above mentioned culverts and spill-way, which motion carried.

County Highway reports ere checked and approved.

Applications for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes of Glenn H. Zweig, W. H. and Evelyn Trenholm and Tom Beattie were approved by the Board on a motion by Keenan and second by Belk.

R E S O L U T I O N # 154

Resolution of Condemnation

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, acting as a Board of Survey under S.D.C. 48.0503 have inspected the following personal property in the custody of the County officers of said Codington County: One (1) Wheel Chair-Purchased years ago. This chair has been in use by many County cases and has gone to pieces and it is not practical to repair.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that said property has become unfit for use by reason of change, wear, tear and is beyond repair, and same is therefore condemned and appraised as being of a value as follows: No Value, No Salvage

Dated this 9th day of September, 1952.

Vernon H Belk
Einar Lordseth
James R Keenan
C G Hustad
Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

The application of Tyler E. Erickson for a partial release of the county lien filed against Barbara Erickson in-so-far as said lien pertains to property described as the E63' of Lot 1, Block 3 of Hopper's Fairview Addition to Watertown was approved by the Board for the reason that the Barbara Erickson against whom the lien is filed is not the same Barbara Erickson whose name appears on the abstract of title to above described property.

Elmer Schmeling appeared before the Board regarding a culvert in Rauville Township.

The application of D. W. Lobi~~g~~, Attorney for the Sadie Stevens Estate, for a compromise settlement in full of liens of Sadie Stevens, also known as S. J. Stevens, and Catherine Comer on a payment of $388.14 and previous payments as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of October 2, 1951, was approved by the Board on a motion by Keenan and second by Hestad.

Pursuant to appraisal by the Board at $75.00 of a 1937 Chevrolet car acquired by the County as payment on county liens, it was moved by Keenan and seconded by Belk that Chairman Sheldon be authorized to sign certificate of title to said car and deliver same to buyer on receipt of payment. The motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., September 23, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
September 23, 1952

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Commissioners Per Diem and Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $53.30; A. G. Hestad $68.45; Einar Jordeth $162.78; James L. Keenan $73.30; Palmer D. Sheldon $109.90; Auditors-Office Expense-Carl F. Bergan $11.32; Memorial Park-Smith Bros. Garage $17.00; C.H. & B.R.-Katherine Moriarty $22.22; H. J. Giese $26.32.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the public hearing on the proposed supplemental budget for 1952, and whereas no one appeared to protest adoption of same, the following resolution was introduced, to-wit:

R E S O L U T I O N # 155

Resolution Adopting Supplemental Budget for 1952

WHEREAS, acting under Chapter 43 of the Session Laws of South Dakota of 1947, and upon notice duly published to adopt a supplement budget for 1952,

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary to adopt a Supplemental Budget so the County may conduct the indispensable functions of government,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the following amounts as set out herein shall constitute and be adopted as the Supplemental Budget for 1952.

		AMOUNT	
	GENERAL FUND		
	Board of Prisioners	$ 1,400.00	
	Sheriff's Mileage	2,000.00	
	Assessor's Salaries & Supplies	300.00	
	Clerk of Courts Office Exp.	700.00	
	Public Welfare Office Exp.	200.00	
	Welfare and County Farm	25,000.00	
	TOTAL GENERAL		$29,600.00
SALARY	SALARY FUND		
	Social Security	$ 1,000.00	$ 1,000.00
	INSANE FUND	5,000.00	5,000.00
	SUMMARY		$35,600.00

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Hestad, seconded by Commissioner Jordeth, and upon roll call, all Commissioners voted yea, and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the said resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 23 day of September, 1952.

Chairman, Board of County
Commissioners, Codington County

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
COUNTY OF CODINGTON) ss

Einar Jordeth, James L. Keenan and A. G. Hestad, being a committee of Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota having been selected and designated to make an inspection and examination of the road or street known as Arizona Avenue lying between Lombard Street and Martin Street in East Yahota in the southeast quarter of Section 9, Township 117 north, Range 53, West of the 5th P. M. in Codington County, South Dakota (and property adjoining thereto) which Jessie Guddal and Frances J. Leverett have petitioned for the vacation of, and it appearing to the Commissioners upon such investigation and examination that said roadway or street has not been used or traveled as a street or alley at any

time during the period of more than 20 years last past, or during the period of 20 years subsequent to the recording of the Plat, and the Committee does recommend to the Board of County Commissioners that the road above described should be vacated.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 1952.

Eimer Jordeth

James L Keenan

County Commissioners

ORDER VACATING ROAD

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
COUNTY OF CODINGTON) ss

A petition having been submitted by Jessie Guddal and Frances J. Leverett praying for an Order of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, vacating a certain road described as all that part of Arizona Avenue lying between Lombard Street and Martin Street in the Plat of East Yahota as it formerly platted and which is a part of the southeast quarter of Section 9, Township 117 north, Range 53, West of the 5th P.M. in Codington County, South Dakota, and a committee of County Commissioners selected by the Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, having examined and inspected said road and adjoining property, and hearing have been had on the 23rd day of September, 1952 at the hour of ten o'clock A.M. at the place designated in the Notice given by the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, and it appearing from the affidavit of publication presented theron that due and proper notice had been given and no one having appeared in opposition thereto, and it further appearing to the Board of County Commissioners that good cause exists for the vacation of said road and that said road has not been used or traveled as a street or roadway at any time during the period of more than 20 ydars lst past and the period of 20 subsequent to the recording of the Plat.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that all of that part of Arizona Avenue lying between Lombard Street and Martin Street in property formerly platted as East Yahota and located in the southeast quarter of Section 9, Township 117 north, Range 53, West of the 5th P.M. in Codington County, South Dakota be and is hereby vacated and the rights of the public therein are hereby terminated and extinguished.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 1952.

Vernon Belk

Eimer Jordeth

A G Keenan

James L Keenan

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Lester Strege $4.00; Alvin Rossow $4.00; Howard Popham $4.00;

Joe Johnson, Joe Becking and Vern Thorson, Supervisors of Fuller Twp. appeared before the Board regarding the maintenance of the east and west 4 miles of old Highway No. 20. The Board advised the Supervisors that the County Highway Department would mow the weeds along said road this fall, but took no action regarding general maintenance of the road pending word from the State Highway Commission as to whether the maintenance of said road is a responsibility of the county or the township.

Norman Wexler and Tax Collector, Jim Nelson appeared before the Board regarding delinquent personal property taxes of Wexler. No action was taken.

The Quarterly Report of Justice of the Peace, Joe Strom was checked and approved.

The applicatinn of John Meyer for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes in the amount of $96.82 for a cash settlement of $86.92 was approved by the Board.

The Board authorized County Highway Superintendent, L. G. Larson to attend the County Officials Convention at Mobridge, South Dakota, September 25, 26, 27, 1952.

Commissioners Sheldon, Belk, Keenan and Jordeth left at 3:30 P. M. to inspect a newly constructed road in Dexter Twp.

Above mentioned Board members returned at 5:00 P.M.

The Board adjourned until 10:00 A.M. September 30, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
September 30, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 9:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor- Carl F. Bergan $294.16; Oscar J. Fromke $210.00; MarlysJ. Haney $80.00; Dorothy Below $185.00; Irma E. Welch $165.00; Carl M. Zamow $145.00; DeLoris A. Goodroad $155.00; County Treasurer- Alma Gerberding $294.16; Hazel Schliesmann $210.00; Alma Schulz $190.00; Joyce Rowe $180.00; Clerk of Courts- Walter A. Farl $267.50; Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds- Beverly Mickelson $267.50; Harriett Horning $205.00; Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools- Josephine Muriel Hoover $294.16; Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; States Attorney- Ross H. Oviatt $256.66; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Laura J. Avis $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $260.00; Municipal Judge $183.33; GENERAL-Court House Maint.- Carl S. Michealson $175.00; Court Expense- Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Katherine Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; GENERAL-County Farm-Irene Roberts $50.00; Harry Roberts $100.00; Memorial Park-J. W. Hoftiezer $100.00; Wilhelmina D. Hoftiezer $100.00; Extension Office-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; Vet. Service-George W. Burke $175.00; C.M.V. Lars G. Larson $325.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $170.00; J. P. Haug $262.50; C. B. Sumner $295.05; Harold Scriver $218.40; Joe Stricherz $320.25; John Rennie $273.00; Carl Zweig $55.00; Ed Gould $30.80; A. Spring $38.50; Howard Williams $27.50; James Hendren $23.10; John Strait $48.45; Thad Kranz $23.75; L. Roethler $25.20; Emil Kettwig $2.70; C. T. Howey $100.80; Stanley Spring $25.20; Clayton Iverson $22.50; Sever Tobiason $200.00; Bert Smith $20.00; C.H. & B.R.-C. B. Sumner $11.55; Harold Scriver $65.10; Carl Zweig $181.50 A. Spring $176.00; Howard Williams $ 176.00; James Hendren $118.75; E. Spearbeck $177.50; John Strait $ 9.50; Fred Brownell $199.50; Leo Clausen $199.50; Emil Kettwig $ 45.00; C. T. Howey $81.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY- Henry- Carl Zweig $44.00; A. Spring $71.50; Howard Williams $82.50; James Hendren $110.00; E. Spearbeck $52.50; Hohn Strait $180.50; Fred Brownell $47.50; Leo Clausen $47.50; C. T. Howey $54.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $255.20; Thad Kranz $23.75; L. Roethler $208.80; Emil Kettwig $186.30; Stanley Spring $37.80; Chris Engels $144.00; Clayton Iverson $22.50. GENERAL COmmissioners Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $66.90; A.G. Hestad $59.20; E.NAr Jordeth $29.76; JAMES L KEENAN $58.65; Palmer D. Sheldon $64.25; SAlary- Blue Cross Assoc. Hospital service, INC.- $48.10; C.MV.-Blue Cross Assoc. Hospital service INC., $2.45; Bridge-Rauville Twp. Treas. $600.00. The monthly report of the CountyWeed Board for Septembe, 1952 was checked and approved.

The application of Homer J. Black for partial release of county liens in so far as said liens pertain to property described as Lots 5,6,7 and 8, Block 5, Gesleys Addition to Watertown was approved by the Board on payment of $25.24.

The applications of Jay Sherman and Mrs. Sigrid Birdsell for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes were approved by the Board on a motion by Hestad and second by Keenan.

Lau Lausen appeared before the Board regarding on agreement between Codington County and Rauville Township in the matter of sharing expenses in the purchase and installation of culverts and spill-way on a township road as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of September 16, 1952.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that the claim of Ruavill Township in the amount of $600.00 as per above agreement be allowed, which motion carried.

In the matter of the petition of Mrs. Theresa Tarbell protesting the legality of the sale of certain tax deed property, it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that no action be taken by the Board. The motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. October 7, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA

Watertown, South Dakota
October 7, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened in regular session at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon oresiding.

Minutes of meetings of September 2,9,16,23,and 30, 1952 were approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Old Age & Survivors Ins.-Commissioners Per Diem $29.92; Commissioners Salary $3.68; Court House Maint.-Old Age & Survivors Insurance; Court Expense-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $6.36-L. D. Nichols $20.20 Esterline Clark $10.10-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $15.36-W. B. Higman $109.01; Roland Halse $15.00; Jailor-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $7.44; Veterans Service-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $7.89; County Extension-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $7.21; Memorial Park-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $9.00; County Farm-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $6.76; The Loken Co.$565.00; Board of Health-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $3.66; Tax Collector Old Age & Survivors Insuarance $16.42; Sheriffs Fees-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $4.29; Election Expense-Postmaster $10.00; Welfare-Mae Abbott $15.00; SALARY-Auditor-Old Age & Surviviors Insurance $53.45; Treausrer-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $39.33; Clerk of Courts-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $20.82; Register of Deeds-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $30.34; Supt. of Schools-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $21.33; States Attorney-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $23.94; County Judge-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $11.70; Muncipal Judge-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $8.25;C.M.V.-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $187.39; C.H. & B.R.-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $27.33; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $57.38; SOCIAL SECURITY-Old Age & Survivors Insurance $600.34

On a Motion by Keenan and second by Jordeth the Board authorized Chairman Sheldon to sign a Drainage Easement permitting Tom Nelson to lay out a drain across or within the limits of the county road between the SE¼ of Section 5, Township 116, Range 52 and the SW¼ of Section 4, Township 116, Range 52.

Irving Hinderaker appeared before the Board with the application of Wealthy Misener for partial release of county liens of Jesse D. Misener and Jesse Misener in so-far as said liens pertain to property described as Lots 263 thru 267 in Fairfax Addition to Watertown.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan that foregoing application be approved and that the partial release be granted on a payment of $10.00 to cover clerical costs of handling same. The motion carried.

Norman Wexler appeared before the Board with a request for an extension of time to pay his delinquent personal property taxes. It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that no extension of time be granted and that the matter be left in the hands of the Tax Collector. The motion carried.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Bill Maag $4.00; Herb Schwanke $7.50; Francis Wall $4.00; James Endres $4.00; E. G. Barr $4.00; Peter Schaack $8.00; Allen Griepp $8.00; Epho Thomas $4.00; Andrew Darling $4.00.

The application of Earl Popham for abatement of 1951 personal property taxes in the amount of $63.72 on a combine assessed in Dexter Township for the reason thatthe same combine was assessed the same year in Rauville Twonship was approved by the Board.

The application of Alice Dummer Tassler for partial release of county liens on a payment of $25.00 was approved by the Board on a motion by Hestad and second by Belk.

September 1952 statements were approved as follows: Redfield State Hospital $500.00; State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis, Sanator, S. D. $175.89.

The Clerk of Courts Statement of Fees Collected in September 1952 in the amount of $395.05 was approved.

Application of Myron B. and Cora Stanton, also James and Gladys Thompson for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes were approved by the Board.

Arthur Hasche appeared before the Board regarding delinquent personal property taxes.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. October 14, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
October 14, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 9:30 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $161.95; W. B. Higman $25.40; Farmers & Merchants Bank $15.90; Cliff Englund $55.16; Election Expense-Marjorie Barber $3.50; Peggy Cope $3.25; Marilyn Frandsen $3.50; Dorothy Herman $3.50; Commissioners Per Diem & Mileage $Vernon H. Belk-$77.50; A. G. Hestad-$67.78; Einar Jordeth $82.40; James L. Keenan $60.50; Palmer S. Sheldon $98.00; Veterans Service Farmers & Merchants Bank $1.50; County Extension-Farmers & Merchants Bank $21.30;Court House Maintenance-Farmers & Merchants Bank $12.60; Mrs. Elvera Englund $3.78; N.W. Bell Telephone Co. $234.50; Midland Laboratories $9.00; Botsford Lumber Co. $5.20; Watertown Machine Works $1.85; Wagner & Son $202.30; Otis Elevator Co. $46.10; Egge Electric Co. $9.85; R. E. Huffman Co. $145.00; Putmans Uptown Service $.50; Nelson Hardware $4.98; City Treasurer $220.32; Park Grant Co. $5.38; C. J. Ruhr $11.25; Memorial Park-Framers & Merchants Bank $20.40; Montgomery Wards $7.91; Mahowald Co. $26.29;N.W. Public Service $40.03; Tax Collector-Farmers & Merchants Bank $141.80; Beatrice Nelson $318.38; Ole James Nelson $318.38; County Farm-Farmers & Merchants Bank $1.00; Nelson Hardware $2.28; City Treasurer $26.54; Park Grant Co. $28.34; C. J. Ruhr $69.75; Lien Grocery $41.25;Hayes Lucas Lumber Co.$31.21.

Paul L. Kinggslien $67.00; Marshall-Wells Store $5.63; Watertown Milling Co. $152.53;Wheats Electric Motor Repair $5.00; Watertown Co-op Elevator $21.00; Watertown Veterinary Clinic $16.00; Botsford Lumber Co. $188.14; Tax Deed $21.25; Board of Prisioners $151.60; Sheriffs Mileage $288.80; Sheriffs Fees-Cliff Englund $65.50; Justice Feed-Joseph Strom $18.40; Coroners Expense-Joseph E. Messer $11.86; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown $81.00;Insurance and Bonds-Loren B. Stein Agency $123.64; Farmers Insurance Exchange $11.74;First Citizens Natiannal Bank $10.57; Law Library-Shepards Citations Inc. $592.90; Halvorson Book Store $37.50; Public Welfare Office Expense-R. E. Huffman Co. $152.50; Printing and Advertising South Shore Gazette $112.85; Henry Independent $115.91; Watertown Public Opinion $803.55; Treasurers Office Expense-Chicago & N.W. Railway Co. $3.89;Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.20; Auditors Office Expense-Pitney-Boes Inc. $22.38;Friden Calculating Machine Agency $44.00; Brown & Saenger $83.58; Ruhe Stationery Co. $34.57; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $728.03;Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.55; Remington Rand Inc. $63.10;L. V. Harmel $4.40; Mitchell Publishing Co. $4.75; Clerk of Courts Office Expense $Brown & Saenger $52.34; Ruhe Stationery Co. $9.24; F. C. Grow-Printers $7.50;Court Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $10.02; Sheriffs Office Expense-Mitchell Publishing Co. $37.92; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Midwest Beach Co. $5.67; Supt. of Schools Mileage $Muriel Hoover $106.40; Welfare-Mrs. August Bunde for Mrs. Louisa Richter $15.00; Walter Gusso for Bert Crandall $25.00; Gary Rest Home For Henry Spilde $5.00; Louis C. Kinstad for Ola Hanson $17.50; Ola Omodt $38.00; Mrs Anna Lange For Joan and Clarence Tessier $64.26 and Dixie Crider and Linda Lowe $64.26; Mrs. Mary Miller for Etta Coyle $10.00; Ed Schaaf for Robert Wiseman $30.00; Irene Stockman for Loretta Stockman $100.00; Watertown Rest Home for Arthur Owsley $30.00 and Sadie Stevens $40.00; Bessie Young for Rosa Dixon $15.00 and Sarah Blank $10.00. Welfare-Florence Co-op Elevator-Andrew H. Springer $25.00; Mary A. Schmidt M.D.-Clarence Tessier Jr. $2.00; Thomes Drug Store-Mrs Lena Trumer, Alfred Vick, Minnie Johnson, Louisa Richter and Richard DePeel $55.62; Carroll Dally-Mrs. Ferne Washtoak $36.00; Bartron Hospital and Clinic-Oscar J. & Corrine Anderson, William & Cora Barto, W. B. & Edna Barkley, John Blum,David Bright, Kenneth Bucklin, James Chambers, Eddie Hayes, Joe Hobelsberger, Mrs. Emma Jenkins,Erick S. Johnson, Gustav Lentz, Dan and Barbara Mertz, Ernest Meyer, Bernard Murray, Mrs. Margaret Papka, Slyvester Lesniak, Mr and Mrs Hamry H. Springer and Helen Waba $1749.22; Red Owl Super Market-Mrs. William Bundy $49.57; Dr. M.C. Thompson-Richard DePeel, Mrs. Mary Troelson, Mrs. Lena Trumer, Mrs. Mildred Taylor and Mrs. Minnie Johnson $40.00; Brown Clinic-Joyce Christianson, Mrs Nick Mauer, Mrs. Henry Enger, Mrs. J. C. Larson, Mrs. Gwen Stein, Mrs. Lena Wanger, Eirck Frese, Clement Jungen, Mrs. Emma Schultz, Mrs. Dagmar Karterud, A. R. Quade, Mrs. Emma Henthorn, DoOks, Teijen and John' O'Neill $196.00; Haggers Drug Store-Erick Frese, John Farley, Mrs. Frank Kruse, Adolph Stankey, Mrs. Frank Klucas, Lester Schultz, Mrs. Anna Czech, Mrs. Mildred Taylor and Emma Henthorn $75.91; Duffners Drug Store-Fred Kozak, William Ball, Ole Hanson, B. J. Murray, Clarence Tessier, Arthur Owsley, Marschall Bardfield, Rosa Dixon, Olgar Markuson, Mrs Gertrude Heathcote, A. R. Quade, and Louis Mourere $107.28; Memorial Hospital-Rosa Dixon, Irvin Eisenbise, George D. and Jennie Fish, Fred Kozak, Selma Kraft, Roy Phipps, Rex Richmond, Adolph Stankey, Mrs. Agusta Struss, and Alfred Vick $1436.81; Harry T. Kenney-Rosa Dixon, Fred Kozak and Arthur Owsley $42.00; Mathieson,Gegen and Rhodes Funeral Chapel-John O"Neill and Irvin G. Eisenbise $9.00; University of Minn. Hospitals-Mae Till $661.05; Watertown Clinic-Jacob Eske, Amelia A. Burns, Mrs Peter DeMuynck and Mrs. Mrytle Wiggens, $130.50; Medical Arts Clinic-Selma Kraft, Louis Mourere, Oranna Mills, Mrs. George Scholl, Nick Roberts, Alvin Wangen, Mrs. Anna Czech, John Farley, Donald Schultz, Frank Klucas, Rose Reed and Adolph Stankey $246.00; St. Ann's Hospital-Jacob Ekse, Luella Engers, Clement Jungen, Elizabeth Larson, John O'Neill, Mrs. Gwen Stein, Mrytle Wiggens, and Walter Woitte $920.29; Joseph E. Messer-John Blum, W. B. Barkley and Rosa Dixon $9.00; Boyles Grocery-Willie Schmeling $35.00; Randall-Spies Inc.-Clarence Berke, Robert Corey and Mrs. Leonard Johnson$36.70; Lien Grocery-Mrs. William Bundy; C.M.V.-Ed Heyn $24.14; The Alemite Co. Inc. $48.06; Herbergers Inc. $5.88; Langenfeld Dairy Products Co. $1.00; Harold Scriver $3.00; Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $7.67 Burroughs Adding Machine Co. $.69; J. P. Foster Co. $5.48; The Thomas Co. $20.71; Elmer Zweig $4,100.88; N.W.Road Supply Co. $10.70; Coddington County Implement Co. $10.17, J. C. Penney Co. $5.85; Gooch Sale Co. $11.57; Williams Hardware Co. $33.17; LaNoues Radiator Shop $12.50; Kenneth Hayes $16.95; Arthur Schwandt $7.84; Cave Supply Co. $218.26; Florence Service $30.11; Mahowald Co. $21.81; Dennis Small $16.20; Empire Equipment Co. $137.42; Watertown Machine Works $63.63 R..E. Hubbard Co. $54.73; Watertown Tire Co. $51.91; Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $6.62; Western Transportation Co. $2.50; Ed Nerland $33.35; Sioux Road Equipment Co. $429.67; International Harvester Co. $66.98; Photo News $7.50; Kochs Phillips 66 Service $54.92; Jensens Service $9.82; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $231.02; Peter Abram $112.63; Floyd D. Knight $2,855.06; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $662.63; C.H. & B.R.-Botsford Lumber Co. $6.75; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $324.60; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $115.37; S. D. Concrete Produst Co. $298.76; Joseph I. Clausen $15.21; Hiway Sign Co. $20.00; Ralph Kranz $16.86; Lyle Signs Inc. $44.75; C. S. Rasmussen $343.00; Ed Redmond $75.75; S. D. State Highway Commission $7.00; Bert and Elmer Draves $42.00; Mike Wagner $565.98; HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE-Peter Abram $81.77; BRIDGE-Miller Bros Lumber Co. $115.37; Thompson Yard $26.57; Watertown Cement Products $413.02; Watertown War Surplus Store $23.50; S. Dak. Concrete Products Co. $367.82; CountySPECIAL HIGHWAY-Floyd D. Knight $2,522.94; Charles F. Schoepp $1.00; William Dally $1.00; Ervin K. Hay $1.00; Thomas Peterson $1.00; Max Coplan $1.00; TEXTBOOKS-Allyn and Bacon $42.55; Silver Burdett Co. $76.37; Amercian Book Co. $69.88; Ginn and Co. $24.14; Educator Supply Co. $525.08; Laidlaw Bros. $129.00; Lyons and Carnahan $632.36; Sioux Falls Book and Stationery Co. $137.60; L. W. Singer Co. Inc. $17.58; McCormick Mathers Publishing Co. $24.64; S. N. Palmer Co. $2.52; John C. Winston Co. $272.88; Scott,Foresman and Co. $1,360.04; TUITION-Castlewood Ind. Cons. School # 1 $272.00; Florence Ind. School Dist. #28 $7,700.00; Garden City High School $945.00; Waverly Ind. Cons. School #1 $70.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $25.90; REDFIELD-Ralph Maltby $1.30.

The Veteran's Service Officer's report for September 1952 was approved.

The application of Paul Lehman for compromise settlement of county liens was approved by the Board.

Andrew Foley and Norman Wexler appeared before the Board with an application for a compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes of Wexler.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that said application of Norman Wexler be approved, which motion prevailed.

The monthly statement of Yankton State Hospital for September, 1952 in the amount of $1750.00 was approved.

The auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of October 1, 1952 was checked and approved by the Board as follows: Total amount of deposits in banks $328,110.61; Total amount of checks drafts and cash in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $12,555.68; Government Bonds, $181,837.33.

Payments on contract for deed to Lot 17, Block 8 in Florence Village having been completed it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Hestad that the Quit Claim deed to said property from Codington County to M. G. Trautner for $1075.00 be approved, and that Chairman Sheldon be authorized to sign said deed. The motion carried.

The application of J. J. Bucklin for compromise settlement of delingquent personal property taxes was approved.

The Board recessed and drove out to Memorial Park for a check as to whether everything was taken care of for the cold weather. They also inspected the county road on the West end of Lake Pelican which road hadebeen reported in bad condition.

They returned and reconvened at 3:15 P.M. and spent the remainder of the day checking monthly claims.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. October 17, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
October 17, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. With all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Much of the day was spent by the Board in selecting Judges for the November 4, General Election.

R E S O L U T I O N #156

WHEREAS, bids for the gravel surfacing of Federal Aid Secondary Project S426 (5), Codington County, have been received by the South Dakota Highway Commission, and

WHEREAS, the Steve R. Oberg Construction Company is the lowest bidder of four with a proposal of $18,222.21 and

WHEREAS, said bid is $2,833.45 or 13.46% under the engineers estimate;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota concur with the South Dakota State Highway Commission in awarding the contract to Said Steve R. Oberg Construction Company.

The foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Jordeth and upon being put to a vote all Commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 17th day of October, 1952.

Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

R E S O L U T I O N #157

WHEREAS, bids for the gravel surfacing of Federal Aid Secondary Project S169 (3), Codington County have been received by the South Dakota Highway Commission, and

WHEREAS, the Steve R. Oberg Construction Company is the lowest bidder of four with a proposal of $14,992.40 and

WHEREAS, said bid is $1,895.56 or 12.64% under the engineers estimate;

NOW THEREFORE BE TI RESOLVED THAT, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota concur with the South Dakota State Highway Commission in awarding the contract to said Steve R. Oberg Construction Company.

The foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Jordeth, and upon being put to a vote all Commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 17th day of October, 1952.

Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Appraisal of Land acquired by Tax Proceeding to be Offered for Sale by County

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, deems it advisable to sell the real property hereinafter described, acquired by said county by tax deed, and said Board of County Commissioners has directed that such real property be offered for sale and that it first be appraised by said board as provided by law,

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, report that they have made a just and fair appraisement of the real property hereinafter described:

Description	Appraised Value
SW¼ NW¼ Section 32, Township 120, Range 52, Reservation	$25.00 per acre
W½ Lot 15, Block 13, Florence Village	10.00
Lot 29, Block 15, Rice Bros. Addition to Watertown	40.00
Lot 7, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown	10.00
Lot 8, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown	10.00
Lot 9, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown	10.00
Lot 10, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown	10.00
Lot 24 and 25, Block 9, Davis Addition to Watertown	25.00 each
Lot 26, Block 9, Davis Addition to Watertown	25.00
Lot 27, Block 9, Davis Addition to Watertown	25.00
Lot 28, Block 9, Davis Addition to Watertown	25.00
O.L. 25, Section 32, Township 117, Range 52	125.00

Dated this 17th day of October, 1952.

Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

Vernon H Belk
County Commissioner

Emma Lockerbie
County Commissioner

County Commissioner

James L Keenan
County Commissioner

R E S O L U T I O N #158

DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, the County of Codington in the State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS, said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota, and

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 17th day of October, 1952, at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property, to-wit:

Description	Appraised Value
SW¼ NW¼, Section 32, Township 120, Range 52, Reservation	$25.00 per acre
W½ of Lot 15, Block 13, Florence Village	10.00
Lot 29, Block 15, Rice Bros. Addition to Watertown	40.00
Lot 7, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown	10.00
Lot 8, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown	10.00
Lot 9, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown	10.00
Lot 10, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown	10.00
Lot 24 and 25, Block 9, Davis Addition to Watertown	25.00 each
Lot 26, Block 9, Davis Addition to Watertown	25.00
Lot 27, Block 9, Davis Addition to Watertown	25.00
Lot 28, Block 9, Davis Addition to Watertown	25.00
O.L. 25, Section 32, Township 117, Range 52	125.00

Dated this 17th day of October, 1952.

Vernon H Belk
Emma Lockerbie
James L Keenan
G G Hustad

Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Hestad, seconded by Commissioner Keenan and upon being put to vote all Commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution adopted.

NOTICE OF SALE BY COUNTY OF LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Codinton, South Dakota, has directed the within described real property acquired by said County by tax proceedings to be sold as provided by law.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the direction of the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, notice is hereby given that the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the Board of Commissionrs of said County at the front door of the Courthouse, in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, State of South Dakota, on the 18 day of November, 1952, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described real estate situate in the County of Codington, State of South Dakota, to-wit:

Description	Appraised Value
SW¼ NW¼, Section 32, Township 120, Range 52, Reservation	$25.00 per acre
W½ of Lot 15, Block 13, Florence Village	10.00
Lot 29, Block 15, Rice Bros. Addition to Watertown	40.00
Lot 7, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown	10.00
Lot 8, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown	10.00
Lot 9, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown	10.00
Lot 10, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown	10.00
Lot 24 and 25, Block 9, Davis Addition to Watertown	25.00 each
Lot 26, Block 9, Davis Addition to Watertown	25.00
Lot 27, Block 9, Davis Addition to Watertown	25.00
Lot 28, Block 9, Davis Addition to Watertown	25.00
O.L. 25, Section 32, Township 117, Range 52	125.00

The terms upon which said real estate will be sold are as follows: Cash

Dated this 17 day of October, 1952.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County,
South Dakota.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. October 21, 1952.

Watertown, South Dakota
October 21, 1952

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Belk, Keenan, Jordeth and Hestad present, Sheldon absent; Vice Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: TRUST FUND-Harold Christenson $500.00; GENERAL-Commissioners Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $37.70; A. H. Hestad $53.79; Einar Jordeth $39.80; James L. Keenan $53.30; Palmer D. Sheldon $43.30; Court Expense-Mrs. Jacob Carlson $14.60; Oscar Hatle $20.20; Court House Maint.-Carl Michaelson $1.78.

A delegaton of Lake Township residents appeared before the Board to request blacktopping of the county road now being used as a detour past the Tobey Slough project on U. S. Highway 212. Members of the delegation were: Emma A. Gilmore, Mr and Mrs C. W. True, Albert DeVille, Chris Berg, G. E. Williams, Ross Sievert, William Mooers Jr. and H. Mikkelson.

Mrs. Gilmore spokesman for the goup, told of the severe dust condition caused by the heavy traffic, and also mentioned the excessive wear on the road during the time it has been used as a detour.

The Board advised the group that due to the lateness of the season and shortage of road funds it would be impossible to consider blacktopping this fall, but the matter had been considered by the Board and plans were being made to do the job in 1953.

Vice-Chairman Belk also stated that Lake Township and the City of Watertown would be asked to share in the cost of the project.

Chairman Sheldon appeared at 11:15 A.M., and Belk relinquished the chair to Mr. Sheldon.

Applications of Charles Schoepp and Dale M. Carpenter for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes were approved by the Board.

B. M. Tollefson, appeared before the Board regarding county liens of Eric Frese. No action was taken.

Bounty claims on badgers at $4.00 each were approved as follows: Frank Cordell, Warren Thacker, Haakon Rear, Arnold Flisrand, Maurice Johnson, Harry Mack, Arthur Resen, Dale Breuer, Louis Landuyt, H. A. Johnson, Ed Flemming, Don Schaack, R. M. Shenk, Melvin Schmieding and Gerald Briggs.

Fox Bounty claims at $7.50 each were approved as follows: Walter Schmidt, Carl Michaelson, Glenn Barber, Jens Sorsen, Robert Romans, Kenneth Roethler and Dwane Hanson.

The claim of Harry Brandt for 2 foxes in the amount of $15.00 was also approved.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. October 24, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
October 24, 1952

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Mayor G. A. Gilbert and Airport Manager, H. O. Chester, appeared before the Board to discuss ways and means of handling County Fairs in Codington County. The different methods as provided by law for the establishment and conduct of County Fairs were discussed, and it was generally agreed the Fair Board system seemed most workable.

Mayor Gilbert proposed a tentative plan as follows:

The City of Watertown would lease Airport grounds and existing buildings to Codington County for 25 years with annual rentals at $500.00 a year with no upkeep or maintenance by the City; or $1,000.00 a year with maintenance and upkeep by the City with no charge to the County, including grandstand and track, except during Fair Week.

City furnishes: Now existing grounds and buildings, plus grass cutting and maintenance of buildings, grounds and track, except during Fair Week. The City wull also furnish all rehabilitation and maintenance labor.

County furnishes: Funds for any new construction agreed upon, which would perhaps be only grandstand or bleachers and the race track; also, any new materials needed for rehabilitation.

City-County joint: Dirt moving for track or other purposes.

Mayor Gilbert also recommended the "Fair Board" system.

Mr Chester advised the Board that a cost to the County of approximately $1000.00 would be necessary to put existing buildings in shape for the fair.

Mr. Gilbert's proposed plan also stated that the County would have absolute control over the area during Fair Week; the Airport and the City of Watertown would be responsible for the area during the rest of the year.

The City would furnish insurance; county charges and keeps admissions collected during Fair Week.

Legals to be submitted to City and County attorneys, and contract resolution to City Council.

All of above is subject to arbitration.

The Board deferred action on the proposed plan till its next meeting.

L. H. Loken appeared before the Board regarding liens and delinquent personal property taxes of Mrs. Emma L. Haliburton. No action was taken pending formal applications.

The Board went out to Memorial Park to check on road work being done there by the County Highway Department.

After returning from Memorial Park, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. October 28, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
October 28, 1952.

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $294.16; Oscar J. Fromke $210.00; Dorothy Below $190.00; Irma E. Welch $170.00; DeLoris A. Goodroad $160.00; Carol Zamow $150.00; Treasurer-Alma Gerberding $294.16; Hazel Schliesmann $210.00; Alma Schulz $190.00; Joyce Rowe $180.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $267.50; Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $267.50; Harriett Horning $205.90; Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-Josephine Muriel Hoover $294.16; Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $256.66; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Laura J. Avis $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $260.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $183.33; GENERAL-Court House Maintanance-Carl S. Michaelson $175.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Katherine Down $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service Officer-. George W. Burke $175.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleyeter $160.00; County Farm-Harry Roberts $100.00; Irene Roberts $50.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-Lars G. Larson $325.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $170.00; Sever Tobiason $200.00; Bert Smith $20.00; J. P. Haug $273.00; Clarence Sumner $275.10; Harold Scriver $222.60; Joe Stricherz $276.15; John Rennie $211.05; Carl Zweig Jr. $13.20; James Hendren 19.75; Ed Gould $146.30; Howard Williams $286.00; Al Spring $286.00; E. Spearbeck $135.50; John Strait $23.75; Fred Brownell $14.25; Leo Clausen $125.40; L. Roethler $91.80; Chris Engels $96.90; Emil Kettwig $78.30; C. T. Howey $225.00; C.H. & B.R.-Ed Gould $11.00; E. Spearbeck $21.00; John Strait $115.90; Fred Brownell $85.50; Leo Clausen $33.25;

L. Roethler $9.00; Chris Engels $9.50; Emil Kettwig $8.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $123.20; E. Spearbeck $95.15; John Strait $102.60; Fred Brownell $33.25; L. Roethler $126.00; Chris Engels $142.50; Emil Kettwig $135.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY(HENRY)-John Rennie $61.95; Carl Zweig Jr. $271.70; James Hendren $302.55; Ed Gould $7.70; Fred Brownell $114.00; Leo Clausen $69.35; GENERAL-Commissioners Per Diem & Mileage -A. G. Hestad $43.54; Vernon H. Belk $54.10; Einar Jordeth $57.60; James L. Keenan $54.80; Palmer D. Sheldon $63.90; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Railway Express Agency Inc. $1.50; Treasurers Office Expense Railway Express Agency Inc. $8.31; Law Library $3.89; Court Expense-Quenten Tessier $10.80; James Suttor $10.40; Tom Lindner $3.10; Helen Weber $5.10; John Stricherz $12.40 TEXTBOOKS-Wilson Transfer and Storage Co. $5.76.

The monthly report of the County Weed Board was checked by the Board.

The report of Justice of the Peace, Joe Strom, for October, 1952 was checked and approved.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Kenneth Elmore $4.00; Donald R. Knutson $4.00; Ray Phillips $7.50; Jack Krause $4.00; Jimmie Schamens $7.50.

Joseph Lindner Jr. having completed payments in the total amount of $600.00 on contract for deed to county tax deed property described as Lots 10,11, 12 and 13 in Block 9 of Gesley's Second Addition to Watertown, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that Chairman Sheldon be authorized to sign a quit claim deed to above described property from Codington County to said Joseph Lindner Jr. The motion carried.

The matter of future county fairs in Codington County was discussed, but decision on same was indefinitely postponed.

The application for compromise settlement of county liens of G. Ostboe and Anna Ostboe was approved by the Board.

The application of Emma L. Haliburton and Harry G. Haliburton for compromise settlement of county liens was approved by the Board.

The application of T. E. Cope for partial release of liens of Seymour Peterson in so-far as said liens pertain to property described as Lot 18, Block 5, in Davlin's Additon to Watertown was approved.

MISBRANDED AND ADULTERATED COMMERCIAL AND MINERAL FEEDS

The following list of products covered by the Inspection Laws enforced by the Department of Agriculture have been found to be adulterated or misbranded, or both, and notices of publication having been given to the manufacturers or jobbers as required by law and no adequate objection filed, the list is hereby published according to law.

Farmcraft Feeds, Inc., Des Moines, Ia. Mfr. Farmtrate Rumine. Misbranded because deficient in fat.

Land O'Lakes Creameries, Minneapolis, Minn. Mfr. Pig and Sow Meal Pellets. Misbranded since protein is below guarantee.

National By-Products, Inc., Des Moines, Iowa, Mfr. Green Top Brand Meat Scraps. Misbranded since protein is below guarantee.

Nutrena Mills, Minneapolis, Minn., Mfr. Nutrena Sow and Pig Nuggets. Misbranded since protein is below guarantee.

Vigortene Products Co., Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Mfr. Mineral Feed No. 20. Misbranded since Calcium is below guarantee.

Western Soybean Mills, Sioux Falls, S. D., Mfr. Sioux Brand 27% Poultry Grain Balancer. Misbranded since crude fiber exceeds the guarantee.

I, L. V. Ausman, Secretary of Agriculture of the State of South Dakota, do hereby certify that all articles herein listed were properly and officially sampled by duly authorized inspectors or agents of the Department of Agriculture and that samples were taken and officially examined and analyzed at the State Chemical Laboratory under supervision and authorization of the State Chemist. They were found to be adulterated or misbranded within the meaning of the law as was found in Title 22 of the 1939 Code.

L. V. Ausman
Secretary of Agriculture
Pierre, South Dakota

The Board adjourned to 11:00 A.M. November 4, 1952.

Carl E. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
November 4, 1952

The Board convened at 11:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Minutes of meetings of October 7,14;17,21,24 and 28, 1952 were approved by the Board.

County Aid cases were checked and discussed.

The Board decided that the County should not pay for the care of Fern Washtoak for the reason that she has an income sufficient for self support.

The application of Louis Mourere for compromise settlement of county liens was approved by the Board on a motion by Keenan and second by Belk.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. November 10, 1952.

Carl E. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
November 10, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-John Stricherz $12.40; Watertown Public Opinion $174.65; Mabel C. Alworth $37.00; Rubin Schmeling $198.00; Joseph H. Strom $14.30; Dale E. Bradshaw $9.10; Ray Makepeace $3.00; Register of Deeds at Desmet, So. Dak. $1.50; Elmer Pardau $157.00; Commissioners Per Diem and Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $70.60; A. G. Hestad $47.08; Einar Jordeth $64.84; James L. Keenan $86.46; Palmer D. Sheldon $71.00; Court Expense-W. B. Higman $110.67; Tax Collector-James Nelson $891.78; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $121.20; Sheriffs Fees-Cliff Englund $51.25; Sheriffs Mileage-Cliff Englund $448.05; Court Expense-Cliff Englund $47.28; Veterans Service-Rosella Howey; Ruhe Stationery Co. $29.30; County Extension-Audrey McCollum $104.10; Fred Morris $47.27; Supt. of Schools Mileage-Muriel Hoover $82.89; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown, M.D. $81.00; Memorial Park-Steve Winski $31.50; N.W. Public Service Co. $24.60; Watertown Machine Works $22.47; Printing and Advertising-Watertown Public Opinion $210.47; South Shore Gazette-$47.50; Henry Independent $125.70; Ruhe Stationery Co.-Register of Deeds Office Expense $1.00; Register of Deeds office Expense-Frankel Carbon & Ribbon Co. $13.75; Remington Rand Inc. $113.00; Auditors Office Expense-Monroe Calculating Machine Co. $1.10; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Educator Supply Co. $114.35; Midwest-Beach Co. $289.32; Treasurers Office Expense-Mitchell Publishing Co. $52.92; South Shore Gazette $51.00; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Midwest-Beach Co. $4.45; Sheriffs Office Expense-Mitchell Publishing Co. $55.51; Election Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $27.84; South Shore Gazette $81.22; Henry Independent $75.92; Ruhe Station ery Co. $20.82; Brown & Saenger $62.84; F. C. Grow Sons $66.00; William Ruesink $8.00; Nels Bale $6.00; Emmett Johnson $9.00; James C. Mooney $7.50; Arthur Bolhouse $9.00; Andrew Anderson $8.50; Melvin Faehn $8.00; Mitchell Publishing Co. $1072.75; Court House Maintenance-Nelson Hardware $6.25; Egge Electric Co. $89.46; Mrs. Elvera Englund $3.42; Dunlop Wallpaper and Paint Co. $5.85; Wagner & Son $45.78; G. R. Herbergers Inc. $4.57; City Treasurer $342.09; Putmans Uptown Service $1.13; Poor-Mrs. August Bunde For Mrs. Louisa Richter $15.00; Carrol Dally for Mrs. Fern Washtoak $48.00; Gary Rest Home for Henry Spilde $5.00; Walter Gusso for Bert Crandall $25.00; Louis C. Kinstad for Ole Omodt and Ole Hanson $56.50; Mrs. Anna Lange for Joan & Clarence Tessier and Dixie Crider and Linde Lowe $66.40; Mrs Mary Miller for Etta Coyle $10.00; Ed Schaaf for Robert Wiseman $30.00; Iren Stockman for Loretta Stockman $100.00; Watertown Rest Home for Sadie Stevens and Arthur Owsley $95.00; Mrs. Bessie Young for Sarah Black and Rosa Dixon $25.00; Lohrs Home forEdith Kinsey $60.00; Mae Abbott for Mary Wilson $15.00; Watertown Community Oil Co. $4.89; Keller Fuel and Supply Co. $23.28; University of Minn. Hospitals for Mae Till $25.00; Harry T. Kenney for Marshall Bradfield, Rosa Dixon, Fred Kozak and Arthur Owsley $74.00; Dr. Crawford Jr. M.D. for Louis Mourere $12.00; Medcial Arts Clinic for Mrs. Anna Czech, John Farley,Frank and Emma Klucas, Mrs. Henry Kraft, Wayne Krueger, Louis Mourere, Rex Richmond, George & Delia Scholl; Lester Schultz, Adolph Stankey, Mrs. Carl Struss, Myrtle Wiggins,Steve Winiski $249.00; Dr. Thompson for Richard DePeel, Charles Bierschied, Louisa Richter, Mildred Taylor, Lena Trumer and Minnie Johnson $57.00; Duffners Drug Store for Ole Hanson, Peter DeMuynek, Bernard J. Murray, George Tribitt, Gertrude, Heathcote, Arthur Owsley, Marschall Bradfield, Leo Breske, Steve Winiski, Richard Duus, Billie Vermillion, William Ball and A. R. Quade $124.25; Dr. Mary Schmidt for David Brown $12.00; Haggers Drug Store for Pauline Jungen, Lester Schultz, Frank Klucas, Adolph Stankey, Cliff Van Sickle, Frank Krause, Mildred Taylor, Eric Frese, John Farley, Mrs Anna Czech, Fern Washtoak $126.22; Red Owl Super Market for Mrs. William Bundy and Bernard Henrichs $42.66; Eagle Cafe for Mrs Gwen Stein $11.00; Kriesers Drug Store for Mrs. Anna Parsley, Mrs. Dagmar Karterud, Mrs Matilda Belk, Dooks Teijen and Mrs Nick Mauer $44.67; Brown Clinic for John and Mrs Nels Bergan, Mrs. Hugh Davis, Mrs. Henry Engers, Eric Frese, Pauline Jungen, Mrs Nick Mauer, John O'Neill, Gwen Stein, Dooks Tiejen and C.R. Van Sickle $160.00; Thomes Drug Store forMrs. Lena Trumer, Alfred Vick, Richard DePeel, Minnie Johnson, Mrs. Haack $48.86; St. Ann's Hospital for Jacob Ekse, John O'Neill, Gwen Stein, Myrtle Wiggins and Walter Woitte $994.08; Hungers Grocery for Alice Dummer Tassler $48.00; Bartron Hospital and Clinic for Mrs. Oscar Anderson, W. B. Barkley, John Blum, John Bordeaux, Lucille Bowman, David Bright, Joe Hobelsberger, Emma Jenkins, Vincent Konrady, LeRoy Kraft, Fred Lenards, Roger Mach, B. J. Murray, Robert Smith, Mrs. Andrew Springer, Mrs. Alta Tessier, Mae Till and Helen Waba $1,970.55; County Farm-Watertown Co-op Elevator $44.25; K-D Inc. $22.26; Frank Jungers $5.00; Wat'n War Surplus Store $10.63; Nelson Hardware Co. $9.00; General Mills $39.97; Park Grant Co. $24.98; WEED BOARD-General Mills,$5.50; B.M.V.-Sylvester Roe $88.20; Cave Supply Co. $47.37; City Treasurer $4.13; N. W. Public Service Co. $5.19; Watertown Machine Works $18.97; Ruhe Stationery Co. $5.25; Int. Harvester Co. $22.96; Ed Heyn $9.63; Paper Calmanson Co. $316.05; Withrow Sales & Service $385.04; George Nelson $10.00; Arthur Schwandt $3.50; Harold Scriver $2.15; Marquardts Service & Sypply Co. $7.18; Western Transportation Co. $2.66; LaNoues Radiator Shop $23.00; Watertown Tire Co. $8.20; Gooch Sales Co. $3.13; Rosenwald-Cooper Inc. $7.66; Earl Stee $8.10; Mahowald Co. $19.28; Motor Supply Co. $13.80; Automotive Refinisher Supply Co. $12.65;

Sioux Road Equipment Co. $3.80; Botsford Lumber Co. $62.70; C. E. McGowan Lumber Co. $44.30; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $757.73; Empire Equipment Co. $461.16; W. Haan $37.80; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $17.25; Theodore Thompson $9.90; BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $151.10; S.D. Concrete Products Co. $309.56; C.H. & B.R.-Theodore Thomspon $9.90; S. D. Concrete Products Co. $2,836.52; John Rislov $36.00; Forrest L. Stimson $8.04; State Highway Commission $11,069.00; Julius Stee $9.90; Elmer O. Schmeling $36.00; Albert Hillestad $18.90; Clarence Davidson $101.70; Western Transportation Co. $4.02; TEXTBOOKS-Lyons & Carnahan $19.81; McCormick-Mathers Publishing Co. $5.80; Joe J. Fox $5.68; Photo News $40.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $26.67; Paul David $5.82;

The application of Henry and Gertrude Hanson for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes was approved by the Board.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer for October, 1952 was approved as follows: Total amount of deposits in banks $547,828.53; Total amount of checks,drafts and cash in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $30,314.69; Government Bonds $181,837.33; Total of all items, $759,980.55.

The following October, 1952 statements were approved: Redfield State Hospital $499.19; State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis at Sanator $177.32.

The Clerk of Courts Statement of Fees Collected during October, 1952 in the amount of $273.65 was approved by the Board.

An application submitted by L. H. Loken for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes of H. G. Haliburton and Emma L. Haliburton was approved by the Board.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Robert Pickrel $4.00; Mrs. Bruce Florey $4.00; George L. Kahnke $4.00; Gregg Spartz $4.00; Clement Karpinski $4.00; Ruth DeBerg $4.00; Jerry Johnson $7.50.

Certified copies of the contracts with Steve R. Oberg Construction Co. of Sioux Falls, S.D. for the Gravelsurfacing Federal Aid Secondary Projects No's S169(3) and S426(5) with Codington County as noted in Commissioner's Proceedings by Resolutions No. 156 and 157 dated October 17, 1952, were submitted by the South Dakota State Highway Commission and checked approved by the Board of County Commissioners.

The application of Nick Till, Jr. for abatement of 1950 road poll in the amount of $2.00 in the City of Watertown for the reason that he was over 50 years of age at the time of this assessment,was approved by the Board.

The application of Chas. and Ruth McDorman for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes was approved.

Mervin Olson of the Olson Appliance Co. of Watertown appeared before the Board regarding the matter of furnishing a heating unit at the County Highway Maintenance Shop at Watertown. No action was taken by the Board pending an itemized statement of the cost to the County of the unit completely installed.

The Board adjourned to ~~10~~ 9:00 A.M. November 17, 1952

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
November 17, 1952

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 9:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

The day was spent in making the official canvass of the November 4, 1952 General Election.

On completing the canvass at 4:30 P.M., the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. Nov. 18, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
November 18, 1952

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified Claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-County Treasurer-Alma Schulz $116.45; GENERAL-Court Expense-Frank Haider $12.00; Lloyd Jacobson $2.10; Delmar Lindgren $13.20;

The application of Martin Lindner for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes of Martin and Mrs. Lindner was approved by the Board.

The application of Mrs. Wesley P. Smith, also known as Margaret S. Smith, for release of county lien No. 6759 in the amount of $1.25 for the reason that said lien appears on the abstract of Mrs. Wesley P. Smith who is not the same Margaret Smith against whom the lien was filed, was approved by the Board.

The October, 1952 statement of the Yankton State Hospital in the amount of $1709.17 was approved.

The application of the County Auditor for abatement of 1950 taxes in the amount of $65.12 on the E½ of SE¼ of Section 32, Township 116, Range 54 owned by Carl S. Berg for the reason of an error in extending the tax where-by the tax was shown as $72.36 instead of $7.24, was approved by the Board.

The County Highway Supt. Lars G. Larson, appeared before the Board to discuss road matters, also the contemplated installtion of new heating and lighting facilities at the County Maintenance Shed in Watertown.

The report from the State Highway Commission showing the count's share of the cost of F.A.S. Project No. S126(1) was checked by the Board.

The application of Jessie C. Sandidge for partial release of county liens of Alfred M. and Marjorie M. Jacobson in so-far as asid liens pertain to Lot 9, Block 12, Less E82½ feet of S10 feet of Original Plat of Watertown was approved by the Board.

The Board authorized the sale of a 1937 Chevrolet car to Donald Lindner for $75.00, said car having been acquired by Codington County as payment on county liens of Earnest Canfield, deceased, and appraised by the Board in Resolution No. 143 of May 9, 1952.

The application of Glen Mettick for abatement of taxes forthe years 1948 through 1951 in the total amount of $46.25 on the E½ of SE¼ of Section 32, Township 116, Range54 owned by Carl S. Berg, was rejected by the Board for the reason that it was a matter of over assessment and, as such, not eligible for abatement.

R E S O L U T I O N # 159

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $8992.91 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund, and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS, said apprtionment is required to be made quarterly at the first meeting of the Board of County Commissioners, in January, April, July and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the second and third quarter of 1952, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows: to-wit: to the townships of

Sheridan, Pelican, Kampeska, Elmira, Richland, Graneland, Phipps, Leola and Eden $449.65 each; Kranzburg Township $774.42; Waverly Township $574.53; Rauville Township $637.00; Fuller Township $711.93; Germantown Township $599.52; and

WHEREAS, the County Highway System has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following townships;

Henry $449.65; Lake $449.65 and Dexter $749.36;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said fund apportioned above set out be held by the County Auditor to pay for completing the County Highway System in the said townships, in the porportion as above provided and pursuant to law, and no part thereof shall be actually paid over to the said townships, proveded however, that any amount of the respective allottments to their respective townships not paid over, shall remain unexpended after completion of the roads of the County Highway System, shall revert to and be apyable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan, seconded by Commissioner Belk and upon roll call, all Commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 18 day of ~~October~~ November, 1952.

Vernon H. Belk
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County South Dakota

ATTEST:
Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

R E S O L U T I O N # 159A

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $3,211.76 from the sale of Motor Vehicle license plates, properly apportionable to the varioux municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners and this being the proper time to make the apportionment for the Second and Third Quarter of 1952;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners, of Codington County, South Dakota, that the said money be apportioned among the respective municipalities as follows:

Florence V.	$179.93
Henry V.	$179.93
South Shore	$179.93
Wallace	$134.95
Watertown	$2537.02
TOTAL	$3,211.76

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Hestad; seconded by Commissioner Keenan, and upon roll call, all Commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 18 day of November, 1952.

Vernon H Belk
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

R E S O L U T I O N # 160

RESOLUTION OF CONDEMNATION

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, acting as a Board of Survey under S.D.C. 48.0503 have inspected the following personal property in the custody of the County officers of said Codington County:

Used Excavator Belt

NOW, THEREFOR, be it resolved that said property has become unfit for use by reason of change, wear, tear and is beyond repair, and same is therefore condemned and appraised as being of a value as follows:

$40.00

It is further resolved that said property may be forthwith sold for $40.00, it not required for the use of said Codington County.

Dated this 18 day of November, 1952.

Vernon H Belk
James L Keenan
C C Hayton
Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

R E S O L U T I O N # 161

WHEREAS, there remains a balance of cash on hand, as shown by the Auditor's General Ledger in the sum of $16,342.94 representing the amounts levied and collected for the retirement of the Permanent School Sinking and Interest fund bonds; Courthouse building bonds, Refunding Bond issue Number One and Refunding Bond issue Number Two.

AND WHEREAS, the balance shown for each fund, being as follows: Permanent School Sinking and Interest Fund $2,301.62; Courthouse building bond Fund $6,887.16; Refunding Bond Fund number One $4,004.37 and Refunding Bond Fund number Two $3,149.79;

AND WHEREAS, all the bonds of the above original issue have been fully including the interest and all obligations relating to the same have been fully satisfied and paid;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED; that the total balance in each fund be transferred to the County General Fund as provided by law.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Jordeth, seconded by Commissioner Keenan, and upon roll call, all Commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 18 day of November, 1952.

Vernon H Belk
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. November 25, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
November 25, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Belk, Hestad, Keenan and Jordeth present, Sheldon Absent; Vice-Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows:GENERAL-Poor-Johnson Grocery for Jewell Turner $10.00; Law Library-American Law Book Co. $82.50; Lawyers Co-operative Publishing Co. $90.90; Shepard's Citations Inc. $335.50; Bancroft-Whitney Co. $84.00; Election Expense-Isador Clausen $8.89; Susan Korbel $6.49; Guy Moes $6.49; Lester Hanson $6.49; Mary Tesch $6.49; C.O.F. Hall $5.00; Bernard Perry $6.76; Erwin Deke $5.36; Clarence J. Moorhouse $5.36; Edward Dessonville $5.36; Walter Lantsberger $5.36; Treas. School Dist. #66 $5.00; May Schuelke $5.09; Fred Benthin $7.49; Roland Thiede $5.09; Della Zamow $5.09; Helen Klatt $5.09; Treasurer School Dist. #49 $5.00; Owen Barr $5.24; Loren Wolf $5.24; Emil Mischke Jr. $7.04; Edgar Rausch $5.24; Albert Schamens $5.24; Kampeska Township Treasurer $5.00; Elwin Kittelson $7.20; Peter Valberg $5.00; George Curley $5.00; Frank Coplan $5.00; Robert Van Sickle $5.00; Treasurer School Dist.#49 $5.00; Harry A. Bauer $6.32; James P. Suttor $5.12; Carl A. Nelson $5.12; Earl R. Wheatley $5.12; Ernest R. Konrady $5.12; Elmira Township Treasurer $5.00; G. E. Williams $7.75; Harold K. Benbow $6.75; H.J. Welch $6.75; Chauncey Brumbaugh $6.75; Rufus R. Spurrell $6.75; Lake Township Treasurer $5.00; Fred Schwandt $7.20; Leonard Murphy $5.00; Herman A. Schultz $5.00; Albert Schultz $5.00; A. F. Ostrander $5.00; Richland School District #6 $5.00; Frank McGillivary $9.00; Harold L. Hansen $5.00; Arthur Vogt $5.00; Dena Helle $5.00; Elinor Flury $5.00; School District #45 $5.00; Frank Schmitt $7.65; John Wall $5.25; M. J. DeVille $5.25; Erwin Johnson $5.25; Francis Wall $5.25; Waverly Town Hall $5.00; L. C. Lausen $6.86; Robert Zick $5.26; Frank Boeder $5.26; Elmer Redlin Jr. $5.26; Elmer Noeldner $5.26; Rauville Township Treasurer $5.00; Vern Thorson $7.97; Robert Newell $5.57; R. W. Crandall $5.57; Morris Michaelson $5.57; Arnold Borns $5.57; Fuller Township Treasurer $5.00; James Huppler $9.80; John McCabe $5.00; Henry McGillivary $5.00; Lila Johnston $5.00; Effie Paulson $5.00; School District # 43 $5.00; Fred Matthes $8.60; F. W. Beskow $5.60; Orrin Gunderson $5.60; Tom Monahan $5.60; Sig Gran $5.60; Otto Korth $5.00; Norman S. Bergan $9.78; K.O.Markve $5.78; Theo. L. Thompson $5.78; H. A. Johnson $5.78; William Flisrand $5.78; Dexter Township $5.00; Lawrence Hagen $11.10; Arthur Haugen $5.10; Francis Kelley $5.10; Robert Chilson $5.10; Halmer Wibeto $5.10; Eden Township $5.00; Harry Thorson $5.25; Bernard Sumner $5.25; C. G. Burnstad $9.25; Luceil Jostad $5.25; Sophia Skogstad $5.25; Florence Village $5.00; Joe K. Turrill $9.75; Carl Brownell $5.75; Kathryn Flanagan $5.75; Sarah Stadem $5.75; Sadie Cummings $5.75; Henry Village $5.00; J. R. Schultz $10.83; Louis Zielsky $6.03; H. C. Knippel $6.03; Leonard Johnson $6.03; Reuben Neoldner $6.03; Town of South Shore $5.00; Hirman B. Hanson $11.02; Adolph Hogstad $5.02; Ole H. Sunset $5.02; H. E. Groves $5.02; P. O. Brekke $5.02; Town of Wallace $5.00; George W. Burke $9.94; Jacqueline Andree $8.94; Mary Welch $8.94; Alta Meek $8.94; Myrtle Curley $8.94; Eichler Motor Co. $5.00; Elizabeth Korcal $9.14; Connie Gray $8.14; Mary E. Smedley $8.14; Viola Peterson $8.14; Kay Mondlock $8.14; Board of Education $35.00; Luella Leonard $9.20; Pearl Britzman $8.20; Inez Eggen $8.20; Alca Engels $8.20; Marjorie Middleton $8.20; B.M. Tollefson $8.06; Verna Redlinger $7.06; Ilah May Mitchell $7.06; Ed R. Brummond $7.06; Bernice Gooch $7.06; Broadway Motors $5.00; John Noonan $9.71; Emma Trzynka $8.71; Selma Young $8.71; C. O. Munson $8.71; Sayde Bryson $8.71; Baskerville & Dahl Co. $5.00; Clarence H. Halvorson $7.76; Gertrude M. Uhrich $6.76; Olive Pardau $6.76; Mabel L. Ching $6.76; Evelyn Meadows $6.76; Earl Mills $7.89; James R. Horning $6.89; Gertrude Haney $6.89; Natalie Langenfeld $6.89; Gertrude Kabrick $6.89; Margaret L. Grow $6.41; Nels E. Moen $7.41; Marie Mack $6.41; Gertrude Peterson $6.41; Emma Korte $6.41; W. E. Knight $9.28; Theona Burroughs $8.28; Mabel Speers $8.28; Tillie Gaughan $8.28; Ruth Graham $8.28; City of Watertown $5.00; Erick Heuer $9.04; Mary L. Chapman $8.04; William J. Fox $8.04; Muriel Waba $8.04; Eleanor Bucholz $8.04; Louie Loken Jr. $9.27; Carrie Blake $8.27; Alvina Barling $8.27; C. B. Wiles $8.27; Jeanne Hanson $8.27; H. M. Hanten $9.48; Margaret D. Chervany $8.48; Kenneth Glaze $8.48; George D. Bunce $8.48; Angela Hallauer $8.48; K. D. Lockers $5.00; Louise Stricherz $8.58; Caroline Lebert $8.58; Bertha C. Stein $9.58; Clara Wagner $8.58; C. A. Taylor $8.58; Frank Lebert $5.00; Arnold E. Koepke $9.28; Minnie Strom $8.28; Mabel Drake $8.28; Oreet Carr $8.28; Ida Olson $8.28; Lewis W. Larson $10.68; Elizabeth M. Larson $9.68; Ed Kampen $9.68; Mabel Lowry $9.68; Anna Heiden $9.68; SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $294.16; Oscar J. Fromke $210.00; Dorothy Below $190.00; Irma E. Welch $170.00; DeLoris A. Goodroad $160.00; Carol Zamow $150.00; Pearl Bergan $42.30; County Treasurer-Alma Gerberding $294.16; Hazel Schliesmann $210.00; Joyce Rowe $180.00; Walter A. Farl $267.50; Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Beverly Mickelson $267.50; Harriett Horning $205.00; Margaret Brown $175.00; Josephine Muriel Hoover $294.16; Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $256.66; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Laura J. Avis $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $260.00; Municipal Judge-Donald Lobitz $183.33; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance -Carl S. Michaelson $175.00; Court Expense Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Katherine Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Verterans Service-George Burke $175.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; Louise Tesch $5.43; County Farm-Harry Roberts $115.00; Irene Roberts $50.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-Lars G. Larson $325.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $170.00; Bert Smith $20.00; J. P. Haug $252.00; C. B. Sumner $262.50; Harold Scriver $249.90; Joe Stricherz $279.30; John Rennie $262.50; James Hendren $151.20; Ed Gould $202.40; Alfred Spring $33.00; Howard Williams $117.70; E. Spearbeck $119.70; Leo Clausen $204.25;Fred Brownell $199.50; John Strait $199.50; Chris Engels $138.70; Emil Kettwig $137.70; L. Roethler $140.40; Mrs. Louise Rennie $203.00; Carl Zweig Jr. $264.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY(HENRY)-James Hendren $118.80; Alfred Spring $176.00; Howard Williams $99.00; E. Spearbeck $55.65; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY(DEXTER)-Alfred Spring $55.00; Howard Williams $47.30; Leo Clausen $23.75; Fred Brownell $28.50; John Strait $28.50; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $73.70; E. Spearbeck $10.50; Chris Engels $71.25; Emil Kettwig $52.20; L. Roether $56.70; GENERAL-Commissioners Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $75.50; A. G. Hestad $92.65; Einar Jordeth $126.00; James L. Keenan $52.70; Palmer D. Sheldon $94.95.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Lyle Barrett $4.00; Paul DeBerg $4.00; Warren Bessler $7.50; Mrs. Bruce Florey $4.00; Harry Brandt $4.00; Alfred O. Noeldner $4.00; George Groves $4.00; Don DeBerg $7.50; Fred Ritz $4.00; Harry Brandt $4.00; Marvin A. Schwanke $4.00;

The app;ication of Alfred Vick, Wallace, S.D. for partial release of county aid liens in the amount of $1,088.32 in so-far as said liens pertain to Lots 1 thru 6 in Block 7, Wallace Village was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Keenan.

The monthly report for November, 1952, the Joint Annual Report of the Weed Program in Codington County and the Proposed Weed Program for the ensuing year were submitted by

Matt Brandriet and checked by the Board.

Bill Owen of Owen Electric Service appeared before the Board to discuss the matter of installing new lighting facilities in the County Highway Maintenance Shed at Watertown. The Board advised Mr. Owen that they would require estimates of cost to the County from other electricians before deciding on the matter.

REPORT OF SALE BY COUNTY AUDITOR OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING

TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA:

Carl F. Bergan, the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, makes the following return of the proceedings had pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners to offer for sale the within described real estate acquired by the county by tax proceeding and reports as follows, to-wit:

That the real property directed to be offfered for sale by the Board of County Commissioners was first classified as class one land and was appraised by the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, at the sum of $210.00.

That in pursuance of the direction of the Board of County Commissioners that the within described real estate acquired by tax proceeding be offered for sale, he caused notice of sale thereof to be published in a legal newspaper of the County of Codington once each week for a period of 2 successive weeks before the date of sale specified therein, which notice contained a description of the real property to be sold and the time, place, and terms of sale, all of which appears by such notice and affidavit of publication filed herein.

That said County Auditor, pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners and notice duly given, offered for sale and on the 18 day of November, 1952, sold, subject to the confirmation of the Board of County Commissioners, the following described real estate to the highest and best bidders, for the sum of $210.00, said sum being the highest and best sum bid and not being less than the amount of the appraisement, upon the following terms, to-wit: Cash at the time of sale in the amount of $210.00 deposited with the County treasurer,

The real estate so sold is described as follows, to-wit: To Benjamin H. Corwin, Lot 7, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown for $10.00; To Eugene Krause, Outlot 25 in Section 32, Township 117, Range 52 for $125.00; To Harold L. Whooley, Lots 24,25 and 26, Block 9, Davis Addition to Watertown for $75.00; To Thomas J. Bergan, W½ of Lot 15, Block 13 Florence Village for $10.00.

Dated this 18 day of November, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codingtnn County, South Dakota

R E S O L U T I O N #162

RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described real property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that the sum of $210.00 in cash has been offered for the following described real property to-wit: Benjamin H. Corwin, for Lot 7, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown, for $10.00; Eugene Kruase, Outlot 25 in Section 32, Township 117, Range 52 for $125.00; Harold L. Whooley, Lots 24, 25 and 26, Block 9, Davis Addition to Watertown, for $75.00; Thomas J. Bergan, W½ of Lot 15, Bock 13, Florence Village for $10.00., which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited in cash with the County Treaurer;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota in regular session on this 18 day of November, 1952, that the sale of siad premises to the said bidders Watertown and Florence, South Dakota be and the same is hereby approved, and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deed to said purchaser conveying to said purchaser all of the right, title, and interest of siad County therein.

Dated this 18 day of November, 1952

Vernon H Belk

Emma Jordeth

A. G. Hastad

James L. Keenan
Board of CountyCommissioners fo Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:
Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Chairman Sheldon appeared on the Board at 2:00 P.M. at which time Belk relinquished the chair to him.

Judge Norbeck appeared before the Board regarding matters pertaining to Juvenile Court.

The Board adjourned to 2:00 P.M., November 28, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
November 28, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 2:00 P.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

The Board discussed the matter of installing lights and a heating system in the old County Highway Shop on C. Avenue in Watertown. Of the four electrical firms from whom estimated bids on the cost of installing lighting on the county shed had been solicited only the Owen Electric Co. submitted a bid. The Board awarded the contract to the Owen Electric Co. for an estimated cost of approximately $760.00.

The Board awarded the contract to furnish and install a heating system in the Highway Shop to the Olson Appliance Co. for an estimated cost of $625.00.

Mrs. Edith Hawley of the First Federal Savings and Loan Association appeared before the Board with an application for partial release of county aid liens of Robert E. Mitchell in the amount $66.28 in so-far as said liens pertain to property described as Lot 18, Block 5 of East Yahota Addition to Lake Township. The Board granted foregoing application for a payment of $30.00 by the First Federal Savings and Loan Association.

The application of William and Mrs. Zirbel of Florence, South Dakota, for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property in the amount of $199.14 for a cash payment of $163.99 was approved by the Board.

The application of Francis and Alta Riley of Watertown, South Dakota, for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes in the amount of $38.80 for a cash payment of $33.15 was approved by the Board.

The Board ordered publication on the official newspapers of Codington County on December 4, 11 and 18, 1952 of the following:

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, will receive sealed bids up to ten o'clock in the forenoon, January 9, 1953, at the Commissioners Chambers in the Courthouse in the City of Watertown, South Dakota, for the following:

(1) Reinforced concrete and steel pipe, size 15" and up as required for the ensuing year 1953. F.O.B. Watertown, South Dakota;

(2) 2-4-D Chemical for weed control standard specifications Butyl ester 32%, 2.64 pounds per gallon or Isopropyl ester 37%, 3.34 pounds per gallon, F.O.B., Watertown, South Dakota;

(3) Supplies for the equipment of the County Highway department as follows: Gasoline, pressure gun grease, cup grease; Diesel fuel with sulphur content not to exceed 0.4% Diesel Motor Oil to meet U.S. Army specification, Mil-O-2104. Specifications on commodities bid, must accompany each bid. Successful bidder to furnish gasoline and diesel fuel for equipment at Henry, Florence, South Shore or Kranzburg, including tank wagon service to road crews and snow plows in quantities as required;

(4) Supplies for equipment of the Highway department for 1953; gasoline and oil in trucks, tractors and equipment at Watertown, South Dakota, at the filling station.

A certified check of 5% of bid, payable to the County Treasurer of Codington County, South Dakota, must accompany each bid, such check to be certified or issued by a State or National Bank, domiciled within the State as a guarantee that such bidders will enter into contract with Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with such letting in event such bidder is awarded the contract.

Perference may be given to goods and materials produced or grown within the boundaries of the State of South Dakota.

The Board of CountyCommissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 28 day of November, 1952.

Vice Vernon H Belk
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County, South Dakota.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., December 2, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
December 2, 1952

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. With all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Minutes of meetings of November 4, 10, 17, 18, 25, and 28, 1952 were approved by the Board.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Rudy Jepp $4.00; Clarence McIntyre $4.00; Glen Buchholz $4.00.

The application of Mrs. Mary Walsh for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes in the amount of $56.64 for a payment of $44.00 was approved by the Board.

The application of Irving Hinderaker for compromise settlement of county aid liens of Anna L. Rogers, deceased, in the amount of $419.25 for a payment of $210.56 was approved on a motion by Keenan and second by Hestad.

The County Veteran's Service Officer report for November 1952 submitted by George Burke, was checked by the Board.

Commissioner Jordeth was excused and left the meeting at 12:00 noon.

The Board ordered that notice of hearing upon all applications for any "on" or "off" sale applications for the sale of Alcoholic Beverages outside the limits of any incorporated municipality within Codington County be published in the official newspapers of Codington County December 4, 1952, and that hearing on said applications be held December 16, 1952.

B. M. Tollefson appeared before the Board with an application for compromise settlement of county aid liens of Dale W. Roberts in the amount of $53.00 for a cash payment of $25.00. The Board approved the foregoing application.

A letter from the State Highway Commission dated November 29, 1952, stating that siad Highway Commission hadgone on record at their November 25, 1952 meeting to the effect that they would no longer maintain Old State Highway #20 from the Overhead north about four miles, thence west about four miles, thence north about three miles, thence west into Florence, was noted by the Board.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. December 9, 1952.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
December 9, 1952

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified Claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-W. B. Higman $110.67; Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbot forMary Wilson $10.00; Gary Rest Home for Henry Spilde $5.00; Walter Gusso for Bert Crandall $25.00; Louis C. Kinstad for Ole Hanson, Ole Omodt $55.50; Mrs. Anna Lange for Joan and Clarence Tessier Jr. $40.00;Lohrs Home for Edith Kinsey $25.00; Mrs. Mary Miller for Etta Coyle $10.00; Ed Schaaf for Robert Wiseman $25.00; Irene Stockman for Loretta Stockman $100.00; Watertown Rest Home for Mrs. Sadie Stevens and Louis Mourer $25.00; Mrs. Bessie Young for Rosa Dixon and Sarah Ann Black $25.00; Mathiesen, Gergen and Rhodes Funeral Home for Mrs. Helen Waba, Mrs. Alta H. Tessier and Mr. W. M. Conrad $6.00; St. Annis Hospital for George M. Carlton, John Farley,Luke Hopkins,John O'Neill,Gwen Stein, and Mrs. Ferne Washtoak $664.21; Medical Arts Clinic For Mrs. Oscar Anderson, Anna Czech, Ella Eisenbise, Charles Eutin, John Farley, Wayne Kruegar Family, Louis Mourere, Ole Hanson, Albet Henrichs, Mrs. Frank Klucas, Fred Kozak, Delia Scholl, Lester Schultz, Mrs. Laurice Smith, Adolph Stankey, Richard Stanton, Ferne Washtoak, Steve Wisniski and Mrs. Inga Yarns $413.00; Duffner Drug Store for B. J. Murray, Mrs. Hugh Davis, George Tribitt, Mrs. G. Heathcote, Louis Mourere, Mrshall Bradfield, Mrs. Andrew Westrum, Arthur Owsley, Richard Duus, Leo Breske, Mrs. Peter DeMuynek, Ole Hansen, Inga Yarns,William Ball $149.16; Harry J. Bartron Jr. M.D. for George Fish $75.00; Butterbrodt Drug Store for Rex Richmand $5.00; Harry T. Kenney for Marhsall Bradfield, Luke Hopkins, Arthur Owsley $36.00; Bartron Hospital and Clnic for Mrs Oscar Anderson, Marion E. Bowman, David Bright,James Chambers, Mrs. John Dobson, Harry Freesman, Emma Jenkins, Ed McPeek, Mrs. Margaret Papka, Robert Smith, Mrs. Henry Springer, Mrs. Sidney Ulvin, Helen Wabaand Ramona Wholwend $1582.15; Memorial Hospital-Delia Scholl, Jack Dietrick, Fannie Baker, Rose Dixon, Ella Eisenbise, Charles Eutin, Susanna Hegg, Fred Kozak, Arthur Owsley, Roy Phipps, Rex Richmond, Lester Schultz, Mrs. Lurice Smith, Mrs. Anna Stanton, Mrs George Tribitt, Mrs. Sidney Ulvin, and Robert Wiseman $2587.05; Thomes Drug Store-Richard DePeel, Minnie Johnson, Alfred Vick, Louisa Richter, Lena Trumer, $81.83; Haggers Drug Store-Mrs. Frank Krause, Clifford Van Sickle, Frank Klucas, Adolph Stankey, Ferne Washtoak, Mrs. Sidney Ulven, Mrs. George Scholl, Mrs. Taylor,Mrs. Anna Stanton, Lester Schultz, Albert Henrichs, Mrs. H. Enger, Adolph Stankey, John Farley and Mrs. Oscar Anderson $125.17;Kreisers Drug Store for Mathilda Blek, Dagmar Karterude, Mrs. Lena Mauer, Mrs. Laurice Smith, Delia Scholl, Dooks Tiejen $40.13; Nathional Tea Grocery for James Kinon $10.00; Huebner Oil Co. for William Glendening $8.42; Webb Service Station for Jerome Pionk $4.00; Watertown Community Oil Co. forWilliam Barto $8.15, Thompson Yards for Joe Lindner $11.00; Standard Oil Co. for Harold Tibbits and William Barto $22.95; O.P. Skaggs Grocery for Anna Kretzemar, Robert Sharp, Mrs. Harold Tibbits, $64.11; F. P. Creasers for Otto Jungen, Mrs. Edith Bundy $32.75; Airport Grocery for Harold Tibbits $10.00; Joseph E. Messer for Homer Black Baby $41.00; J. C. Penney Co. for Richard DePeel $4.50; McBath Coal & Coke Co. for Lena Mauer $14.35; Dr. Fehlman for Mary Vermillion $4.00; Florence Farmers Co-op Elev. for Henry Springer $26.63; Red Owl Super Market for Mrs. Edith Bundy $23.00; Brown Clinic for LeRoy Kraft, Joe Meyers, Josephine Riley, John O'Neill, Gwen Stein and Clifford Van Sickle $134.00; Socony Vacuuum Oil Co. for Charles Underhill $13.12, Boyles Grocery for Willie Schmeling $15.00; Commissioners Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $59.60; A. G. Hestad $87.38; Einar Jordeth $88.90; James L. Keenan $35.05; Palmer D. Sheldon $93.25; Sheriffs Mileage-Cliff Englund $331.90; Board of Prisoners $98.00; Sheriffs Fees-Cliff Englund $40.14; Court Expense-Cliff Englund $51.22; Mabel Alworth $14.30;Grays Studio $15.00;Sheriffs Office Expense-Lloyd Shenk $7.65; Harolds Camera Shop $3.62;

Veteran's Service-Rosella Howey $12.50; Board of Health-Russell Brown $81.00; County Extension-Audrey McCollum $18.36; Fred Morris $10.08, F. C. Grow Sons $7.75; Insurance & Bonds-Heaten Insurance Agency $25.25; Ellis E. Hanson $13.87; The Morris Agency $27.75; Printing and Advertising-Henry Independent $11.73; South Shore Gazette $136.22; Watertown Public Opinion $91.30; Election Expense-Skinner Transfer & Storage Co. $55.00; Auditors Office Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $34.75; Ruhe Statonery Co. $5.45; Pitney-Bowes Inc. $2.58; Watertown Typewriter Co. $29.87; Treasurers Office Expense-Burroughs Adding Machine Co. $.69; Mitchell Publishing Co. $121.35; Ruhe Stationery Co. $9.00; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $16.35; Welfare Office Expense $25.01; States Attorney Office Expense-Watertown Typewriter Co. $4.25; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Curtis 1000 Inc. $27.84; Supt. of Schools Mileage-Muriel Hoover $20.56; Court House Maint. Wagner & Son Plumbing $18.93; Hillyard Sales Co. $37.50; Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $224.43; Mrs. Elvera Englund $3.06; Home HeatingCo. $20.20; Algard Machine Shop $4.50; Egge Electric Co. $36.42; Davey Furniture Co. $9.71; Film Foundation $15.00; City Treasurer $419.72; County Farm-City Treasurer $33.61; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $372.04; Olson Appliance Co. $29.00; Watertown War Surplus Store $8.95; Watertown Co-op Elevator $68.65; Park Grant Co. $41.61; Marshall Wells Store $3.64; Sperling Shoe Co. $6.50; ROAD-Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $144.10; C.M.V.-Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $28.77; Dakota Welding Supply Co. $19.06; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $62.88; Lyle Thorson $56.91; LaNoues Radiator Shop $105.03; City Treasurer $5.25; R. E. Hubbard Co. $9.25; N.W. Public Service $5.42; International HarvesterCo. $65.20; Helen Voelker $1.00; Gladys Ehrstrom $1.00; Koch's Phillips 66 Service $9.39; Ed Heyn $6.29; Harold Scriver $1.50; Johnson Farm Equipment $25.45; Florence Service $19.40; R. E. Harmon $17.00; Codington County Implement Co. $11.80; Kenneth Hayes $12.90; Sanders Chevrolet Co. $1.14; Western Transportation Co. $4.70; Mahowald Co. $8.73; Kreisers Drug Store $1.30; Wm. Haan $7.20; C. E. McGowan Lumber Co. $9.32; Motor Supply Co. $2.92; Arthur Schwandt $20.00; Philip Jesme $19.00; Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $7.98; Larson Service Station $2.85; Watertown Machine Works $71.90 Williams Hardware Co. $123.51; Thompson Yards $256.90; Empire Equipment Co.$1181.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Thompson Yards $28.96; Empire Equipment Co. $755.78; Watertown Tire Co. $336.84; S. D. Concrete Products Co. $137.00; Marquardts Service $438.51; Watertown Cement Products Co.$501.06;Cave Supply Co. $173.12; Putnams Uptown Service $274.04; Sioux Road Equipment Co. $427.70; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY(DEXTER)-Virgil Sikkink $61.50; K. O. Markve $13.95; C. H. & B. R.-Albert Scott $17.26; Royal Redlin $32.05; State Highway Commission $897.10; Joseph Huff $15.93; Harriett Redmond $15.65; Midwest Beach Co. $27.49; TEXTBOOKS-American Book Co. $40.04; Educator Supply Co. $15.54; C. A. Gregory Co. $123.79; TUITION-Watertown Ind. School Dist. #1 $37,876.40; WEED BOARD-Paul David $10.74; Robert Redlin $11.44; Joseph J. Fox $21.20.

The Clerk of Courts Statement of Fees Collected during November, 1952 in the amount of $407.75 was approved by the Board.

The monthly statements of the Sanatorium at ~~Santor~~ Sanator forNovember, 1952 in the amount $171.60 and the Yankton State Hospital in the amount of $1,682.33 were approved by the Board.

The Auditor's account with the county Treasurer as of December 1, 1952 was checked and approved as follows: Total amount of deposits in banks-$485,782.83; Total amount of checks, drafts and cash in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days $12,529.75; Government Bonds $181,837.33; Total of all items $680,149.91.

The application of Horace B. Florey for refund of 1951 taxes in the amount of 50¢ for the reason of an error in collection of the last installment was approved by the Board.

The Board authorized Chairman Sheldon to endorse an insurance check from the St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Co. in the amount of $1,500.00 and turn same over to Glen M. Anderson in payment of fire loss on a barn located on SE¼ of Section 17, Township 118 Range 55 which property was currently on contract for deed from Codington County to said Glen M. Anderson. The Board stipulated that Anderson should pay the balance of the contract upon receipt of the insurance check, to which Anderson agreed.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as Follows: Ed Simon and Harry Voelsch $7.50 each; Forrest Dessonville, Ronald Burchatz, Ben Nelson and Lloyd Evjen $4.00 each; Henry Schultz $8.00.

The application of Ella Stevens for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes in the amount of $58.98 for a payment of $47.48 was approved by the Board.

The Contract for deed to the SE¼ of Section 17, Township 118, Range 55 having been paid in full by Glen M. Anderson, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that Chairman Sheldon be authorized to sign a quit claim deed to above described property from Codington County to Glen M. and Agnes Anderson for a total payment of $2,000.00 plus interest at 5% during the term of the contract. The motion carried.

On a motion by Jordeth and second by Belk, the Board of Commissioners concurred with the Graceland Township Board of Supervisors in approving the application of Elmer York for refund of 1950 personal property taxes in the amount of $21.97 on cattle assessed on Graceland Township for the Reason that same cattle had been assessed the same year in Fuller Township.

Tax Collector, Jim Nelson and Henry Forman appeared before the Board regarding delinquent personal property taxes of Glenn Forman in the amount of $138.78. Ona a motion by Keenan and second by Belk the Board approved an application for compromise settlement of above taxes of Glenn Forman for a payment of $115.53.

The Board concurred with the County Treasurer in granting a three month leave of absence to Tax Collector, Jim Nelson.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. December 11, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
December 11, 1952

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

The November, 1952 statement of the Redfield State Hospital in the amount of $500.00 was checked and approved.

Ole H. Sunset and S. B. Crothers appeared before the Board regarding delinquent personal property taxes of Mr. Sunset which taxes consisted of a part of the 1948 taxes and all of the 1949, 1950 and 1951 taxes in Wallace Village. The total amount owed was $1,262.14 as follows: Original tax, $1,068.74; Penalty, $4.00; Advertizing, $1.50; Tax Collector's mileage, $4.20; Interest, $183.70.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that the Board abate $75.00 of the interest as shown above and accept a compromise settlement of $1,187.14. The motion carried.

On being questioned by proponents of a street widening plan regarding their opinion as to the advisability of widening Second Avenue South, between Broadway and Third Street, S.E., by taking seven feet on each side of the avenue for that purpose, the Board indicated that they were not in favor of the proposed plan, but would rather favor a strict patrolling of the area during the time of the heavy traffic congestion on Sunday mornings. The Board also suggested that traffice signs allowing only one-way traffic during this period of congestion might solve the problem.

Report of Sale by County Auditor of Class One Land Acquired by Tax Proceeding

TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA:

Carl F. Bergan, the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, makes the following return of the proceedings had pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners to offer for sale the within described real estate acquired by the county by tax proceedings, and reports as follows, to-wit:

That the real property directed to be offered for sale by the Board of County Commissioners was first classified as class one land and was appraised by the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, at the sum of $50.00.

That in pursuance of the direction of the Board of County Commissioners thatthe within described real estate acquired by tax proceeding be offered for sale, he caused notice of sale thereof to be published in the legal newspaper of the County of Codington once each week for a period of 2 sucessive weeks before the date of sale specified therein, which notice contained a description of the real property to be sold and the time, place, and terms of sale all of which appears by such notice and affidavit of publication filed herein.

That siad County Auditor, pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners and notice duly given, offered for sale and on the 18 day of November, 1952, sold, subject to the confirmation of the Board of County Commissioners, the following described real estate to Harold L. Whooley, being the highest and best bidder for the sum of $50.00, said sum being the highest and best sum bid and not being less than the amount of the appraisement, upon the following terms, to-wit: Cash at the time of sale in the amount of $50.00 deposited with the County Treasurer,

The real estate so sold is described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 27 and 28, Block 9, Davis Addition to Watertown

Dated this 10 day of December, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County,
South Dakota

R E S O L U T I O N #163

RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described real properrty belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appeares from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and one Harold L. Whooley of 617-1 St. N.W.,Watertown, South Dakota has offered the sum of $50.00 in cash for the following described real property, to-wit:

Lots 27 and 28, Block 9, Davis Addition to Watertown

which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited in cash with the County Treasurer;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 16 day of December, 1952, that sale of said premises to the said Harold Whooley of Watertown, South Dakota, be and the same is hereby approved, and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deed to said purchaser conveying to said purchaser all the right, title and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 16 day of December, 1952.

Vernon H Belk

Einar Forkell

James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., December 16, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
December 16, 1952

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M., with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows:GENERAL-Court Expense-Arthur Rau $5.10; Ida Rau $20.10; Hazel Hegarty $120.00; Commissioners Per Diem & Mileage -Vernon H. Belk $42.60; A. G. Hestad $58.06; James L. Keenan $34.00; Palmer D. Sheldon $63.10.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for hearing upon all applications to engage in the "on" or "off" retail sale of alcoholic beverages outside the limits of any incorporated municipality within Codington County, and, whereas no one appeared to protest the approval of said applications, it was moved by Keenan, seconded by Belk and unanimously carried that the following applications be approved, to-wit: Frank Schmidt, Lots 4 and 5, Block 3, Town of Waverly, Class "C" license; John E. Stricherz, doing business as Jack's Bar, Lots 1 and 2 in Block 3, Town of Waverly, for Class "F" license; C. J. Ruhr, doing business as Ruhr's Store, North 19' of Lots 1 and 2, Block 3, Kranzburg Village, for a Class "C" license; Matt N. Kranz, doing business as Silver Star Bar, Lots 12, 13 and 14, Block 2, Town of Kranzburg, for a Class "F" license.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: $4.00 each to Roy Hackbart, Paul DeBerg, Mrs. Douglas Fisher and Orlan Hogie; Harvey Sharp, $7.50.

The Board authorized closing of the county offices at 1.00 P.M., December 24, 1952, in observance of Christmas.

William Gautsch appeared before the Board regarding delinquent taxes. No action was taken.

L. Roush of the American Bindery and Supply Co. of Minneapolis, Minn. appeared before the Board on the matter of repairing county record books in the Register of Deeds Office. Mr Roush submitted a proposal to repair the records for $452.50.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Belk that the Board authorize repair of records as proposed. The motion carried.

The Board authorized the purchase of two new Sundstrand Electric Duplex Adding Machines for the County Auditor's Office from the Underwood Corporation at the cost of $634.00 plus $300.00 allowance on the old machine

RESOLUTION OF CONDEMNATION #164

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, acting as a Board of Survey under S. D. C. 48.0503 have inspected the following personal property in the custody of the County officers of said Codington County:

1- Sunstrand - Duplex - Model 10240 - Serial #593512

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that said property has become unfit for use by reason of Change, and same is therefore condemned and appraised as being of a value as follows:

$300.00

It is further resolved that said property may be forthwith (used in exchange for Two (2) new adding machines as described in a proposal by Watertown Typewriter Co. required for the use of said Codington County.

Dated this 16 day of December, 1952.

Vernon H Belk

Einar Forkell

James L Keenan

attest:
Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Board of Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. December 23, 1952.

Watertown, South Dakota
December 23, 1952

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M., with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $294.16, Oscar J. Fromke $210.00, Dorothy Below $190.00, Irma Welch $170.00, Carol Zamow $150.00, Kathryn Skinner $140.00, Pearl Bergan $139.05; County Treasurer-Alma Gerberding $294.16, Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $180.00, Joyce Rowe $190.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $267.50, Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $267.50, Harriett Horning $205.00, Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-Josephine Muriel Hoover $294.16, Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $256.66, Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00, Laura J. Avis $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $260.00; Municipal Judge-Donald Lobitz $183.33; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl S. Michaelson $175.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Katherine Downs $25.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $175.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Harry Roberts $100.00, Irene Roberts $50.00; C.M.V.-Lars G. Larson $325.00, Elicabeth Pinholt $170.00, Sever Tobiason $200.00, Bert Smith $20.00, J. P. Haug $231.00, John Rennie $195.30, James Hendren $242.00, H. Williams $242.00, A. Spring$$42.00, Fred Brownell $209.00, E. Spearbeck $173.85, Leo Clausen $209.00, John Strait $209.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $231.00,Chris Engels $19.00, L. Roethler $4.50, Emil Kettwig $18.00, Mrs. Louise Rennie $450.45; C.M.V.-Carl Zweig Jr. $242.00, C. B. Sumner $241.50.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Ervin W. Hunteman, Orville Anderson Leif Eidsness, Orlan Hogie, Paul Jongeling and Alvin Rossow $4.00 each; Glenn Elmore, $8.00;

The december, 1952 report of Justice of the Peach, Joe Strom, was checked and approved.

In response to a letter form Floyd Snyder, Jr., Post Commander of Codington County Post No. 17, requesting the Board to permit the American Legion to present at the proper time a memorial tablet honoring the memory of the Codington County men who gave their lives in the Korean Campaign, the Board went on record as granting the request and assuring the American Legion that a suitable place in the Court House would be allocated for the tablet.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., December 30, 1952.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
December 30, 1952

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: C.M.V.-J. P. Haug $31.50; H. Scriver $187.95, C. B. Sumner $21,00, John Rennie $31.50, E. Spearbeck $19.95, Ed Gould $33.00, H. Williams $33.00, James Hendren $31.90, Carl Zweig Jr. $9.90, Alfred Spring $31.90, John Strait $28.50, Leo Clausen $27.55, Fred Brownell $27.55, Joe Stricherz $223.65; GENERAL-Commissioners Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $43.00, A. G. Hestad $95.00, Einar Jordeth $55.00,James L. Keenan $31.80,PalmerD. Sheldon $39.90,Court Expense-W. B. Higman $110.67, Virginia Otteson $10.20.

Payments on contract for deed to tax deed property with Codington County to Lot 7, Block 7, Florence Village having been made in full by Agnes Bludorn, it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan that Chairman Sheldon be authorized to sign a quit claim deed to above described property from Codington County to said Agnes Bludorn. The motion carried.

Official Bonds and Oaths of County elected officials, appointed officials and deputies were submitted to the Board for approval as follows: Hazel Schliesmann, County Treasurer, $50,000; Alma Gerberding, Deputy County Treasurer, $2,500; Joyce Rowe, Deputy County Treasurer, $2,500; DeLoris Goodroad, Deputy County Treasurer, $2,500; Walter A. Farl, Clerk of Courts, $2,000; Lillian Schoenberger, Deputy Clerk of Courts, $1,000; E. Clifford Englund, Sheriff, $2,500; Ross H. Oviatt, States Attorney, $1,000; Jospeh E. Messer, Coroner, $1,000; Harry Roberts, Supt. County Farm, $500.

It was moved by Hestad and seconded by Belk that foregoing bonds be approved, which motion carried.

On the report of the County Auditor that L. E. Soreng had completed payments on the contract for deed with Codington County to Lots 16 and 17, Block 12, Florence Village, it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk thatChairman Sheldon be authorized to sign a quit claim deed from Codington County to said L. E. Soreng to above described property. The motion carried.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that the application of J. Albert Gillies for a Juke-box , Nickelodian, and small orchestra dance license at his place located on Lots 3 and 4, Block 3, Kranzburg Village be approved for a fee of $12.00. The motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., January 5, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 5, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Minutes of meetings of December 2, 9, 11, 16, 23 and 30, 1952 were approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-W. B. Higman $110.67; Welfare-County Treasurer $10.00.

On a motion by Belk and second by Keenan the Board approved applications for dance hall licenses for the Calendar year 1953 as follows: W. T. Williams for the "Rainbow Ballroom" at Stony Point, Lake Kampeska located on Lot 3, Sec. 29-117-53; Albert DeVille for "Sunny-Side Inn" at Lake Kampeska located on Lot 13 and the East 6' of Lot 14, Gilmore Beach addition to Lake Twp. Sec. 31-117-53 for $12.00; Michael E. Mirras for the "Flamingo" at Lake Kampeska located on Outlot 1, Sec. 7-117-53 in Lake Twp. for $12.00.

The License fee for the Rainbow Ballroom at Stony Point was under consideration by the Board at this time and was not stipulated.

Mrs. Mary Lamb appeared before the Board regarding County insurance. No immediate action was taken on the matter, pending further discussion and study by the Board.

The December, 1952 statement of the State Sanatorium at Sanator, South Dakota in the amount of $145.86 was approved by the Board.

The individual Contact Reports for December, 1952, also, for the last six months of 1952 submitted by George Burke, Veterans Service Officer, were checked and approved by the Board.

On motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned.

Carl E. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 6, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened in regular session at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding. The old Board of Commissioners continued to hold over till 1952 business could be finished.

Commissioners Hestad and Sheldon were appointed to check receipts in the County Treasurer's office and report as follows: CASH REGISTER-Drawer #1-Alma Gerberding-Coin $23.41, Currency $293.00, Checks $4406.69, total amount $4723.10; Drawer #2-DeLoris Goodroad-Coin $1.75, currency $600.00, Checks $1933.89, total amount $2535.64; Drawer #3-Joyce Rowe-Coin $17.29, Currency $1045.00, Checks $1715.75, total amount $2778.04, One check NF $33.00, one check NF $12.96, $1.00 OC, total $46.96, total amount $2825.00; Drawer #4-Hazel Schliesman-Coin $1.20 Currency $376.00, Checks $428.08, total amount $805.28; Vault-Coin $19.38, Currency $1101.00, total amount $1120.38; Total four drawers cash register and vault $12009.40, which total agrees with Treasurer books.

Signed A. G. Hestad
A. G. Hestad, County Commissioner

Signed _____
Palmer D. Sheldon, County Commissioner

W. T. Williams appeared before the Board regarding the dance hall license fee for operating the Rainbow Ballroom at Stony Point, Lake Kampeska. Mr. Williams objected to the fee of $100.00, paid in 1952, as being discriminatory compared to fees charged for operating other dance halls in the County. The Board deferred action on the matter till a later time.

Leslie Gooch of South Shore and Willard DeWilde of Grant County appeared before the Board with a petition to the Codington County Commissioners to cooperate with the Grant County Commissioners in building a County Highway from the Northeast corner of Section 29-120-51, Mazeppa Twp. in Grant County to the intersection of State Highway No. 20, three miles west of South Shore, This being two miles of road in Grant County and three in Codington.

After a brief discussion of the matter, it was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that the petition be filed, which motion carried.

John Mors of South Shore and George Overland of Stockholm appeared before the Board with a petition to add to the County Highway System the following described road, to wit: Beginning at the southwest corner of Section 2-119-51, thence east two miles to the southeast corner of Sec. 1-119-51 to intersect with the Codington County Highway on the west and the Grant County System on the east.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that this petition also be filed. The motion carried.

After a discussion of dance hall license fees, it was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that the fee for the "Rainbow Ballroom" at Stony Point, Lake Kampeska be reduced from $100.00, as set in 1952, to $50.00 for the calendar year 1953, so as to more closely conform to fees paid by operators of similar dance halls under City of Watertown jurisdiction. The motion carried with all members voting yea.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that license fees for dance halls of the second class be set at $25.00 for the calendar year 1953, and that one-night stand license fees be set at $2.50. The motion carried.

County business for the year 1952 having been completed, it was moved by Hestad and seconded by Belk that the old Board adjourn sine die. The motion carried.

Oscar J. Fromke having qualified as County Commissioner of District #4 by submitting a properly executed official bond and oath and having same approved by the Clerk of Courts, officially became a member of the Board of Codington County Commissioners to succeed A. G. Hestad whose term expired as of this date, January 6, 1953.

Vernon Belk, also having qualified as commissionerof District #2, retained his place on the new Board.

The County Auditor called for nominations for Chairman of the Board for 1953. Belk nominated P. D. Sheldon. It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan that nominations cease, which motion carried. Sheldon was elected Chairman by unanimous vote of the other four Board members.

Chairman Sheldon called for nominations for Vice Chairman. Belk nominated Jordeth. It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that nominations cease, which motion carried. Jordeth was elected Vice Chairman by unanimous vote of the other four members.

Chairman Sheldon appointed Fromke to Supervise the County insurance program for 1953.

City Attorney Lloyd Peterson appeared before the Board regarding County liens of Martin Wick, deceased. Mr. Peterson requested a compromise settlement of the liens. The Board deferred action on the matter till a later date.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. Jan. 7, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 7, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Sheldon, Jordeth, Keenan and Belk present, Fromke absent; Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Virginia Otteson $10.20.

In response to a request of the commissioners, Lloyd Bobeldyk, representing the Western Surety Co. appeared before the Board for the purpose of clarifying the matter of workmen's compensation as it affects elected County officials. Mr. Bobeldyk informed the Board that prior to July 1, 1951 elected County officials had not been covered in the Workmen's Compensation Law, but that the 1951 South Dakota legislature had enacted legislation which provided that elected officials, also, should be included as of July 1, 1951.

L. L. Blake appeared before the Board regarding Social Security and Welfare matters.

The application of Mrs. Nina Parrish for compromise settlement of County aid liens of E. E. Parrish, also known as Esta Parrish, deceased, in the amount of $21.00 for a payment of $8.00 was approved by the Board.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. January 8, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 8, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Statements of fees collected during December, 1952 were checked and approved as follows: Clerk of Courts $216.10; Register of Deeds $541.15.

Designation of official newspapers for Codington County for 1953 came up at this time. Application had been submitted by the following papers: Watertown Public Opinion, South Shore Gazette, Henry Independent and Watertown Photo News.

Chairman Sheldon called for ballot voting by Commissioner district. The results of the vote was as follows: District Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, Sheldon, Belk, Jordeth, Fromke and Keenan respectively all voted for the Watertown Public Opinion and the South Shore Gazette; District Nos. 1, 2, and 3, Henry Independent; District Nos. 4 and 5, Watertown Photo News. It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the Watertown Public Opinion, South Shore Gazette and the Henry Independent, having received the highest number of votes be designated as the official newspaper for 1953. The motion carried.

The remainder of the morning was spent checking the inventory of the County Highway Department.

The Board adjourned at 12:00 noon to reconvene at 10:00 A. M. January 9, 1953, and left to attend the 4-County Commissioners, County Highway Supervisors and Auditors meeting at Webster, South Dakota.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 9, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Commissioners Per diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $67.00; Oscar J. Fromke $30.00; James L. Keenan $83.30; Palmer D. Sheldon $50.00.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the opening of sealed bids to furnish Codington County Highway Department with the following materials for the ensuing year, 1953, to wit: Reinforced concrete tile 15" and up, metal culverts 15" and up, petroleum products (bulk and service station), and chemical weed spray, said products to meet specifications as called for in advertizing for bids; Chairman Sheldon requested the County Auditor to open and read the bids.

S. D. Concrete Materials Co., Watertown, S. D. submitted the only bid on reinforced concrete tile at prices ranging from $1.75 per lineal foot on 15" tile up to $26.80 per foot on 84" tile.

Northwestern Road Supply Co., Watertown, S. D., H. V. Johnston Culvert Co., Aberdeen, S. D. and Armco Drainage and Metal Products Co., Sioux Falls, S. D., submitted identical bids on metal culverts 15" and up, prices ranging from $2.11 per lineal foot on 15" culverts up to $29.55 per foot on 84" culverts.

F. P. Creaser & Sons, Watertown Milling Co., and Butterbrodt Drugs, all of Watertown, S. D. and the Huron Branch of the Standard Oil Co. of Indiana submitted bids on chemical weed spray. Prices bid were as follows: F. P. Creaser & Sons-Butyl Ester $3.78 per gal., Isopropyl Ester $4.17 per gal.; Butterbrodt Drugs-Butyl Ester $3.45 per gal., Isopropyl Ester $3.90 per gal.; Watertown Milling Co.-Butyl Ester $3.42 per gal., Isopropyl Ester $3.80 per gal.; Standard Oil Co.-Isopropyl Ester $4.80 per gal. No bid on Butyl Ester.

The Huron Branch of the Standard Oil Co. of Indiana and Socony Vacuum Oil Co. of Aberdeen, S. D. submitted bids on bulk petroleum products. D. A. Lubricant Co. Inc. of Indianapolis, Ind., bid on only greases and oils.

Reaney's Standard Station and Putnam's Service Station, both of Watertown, submitted bids on station service to County equipment. Putnam bid a straight 10% discount on all products purchased at his station. Reaney's Standard Service bid as follows: Regular or Ethyl gas-3¢ off posted pump price at time of delivery less taxes the County is allowed to deduct; Motor oil-3 grades-at 35¢, 30¢ and 25¢ per qt.

The Standard Oil Co.'s bid on bulk products was as follows: Gasoline-posted tank wagon price at time of delivery less 1½¢ per gal; Diesel Fuel-posted tank wagon price at time of delivery less 1¢ per gal; Diesel lubricating oils-58¢ per gal. in 55 or 33 gal. drums; Transmission greases-7.15¢ to 10.40¢ per lb. in bbl. lots; Pressure gun and cup greases-10.4¢ to 11.9¢ per lb. in bbl. lots.

Socony's bid on bulk products was as follows: Gasoline-posted tank wagon price at time of delivery less 1½¢ per gal; Diesel Fuel-posted tank wagon price at time of delivery less 1¢ per gal; Diesel motor oils-3 grades at 78¢, 65¢ and 54¢ per gal. in 55 gal. drums, (the 54¢ oil, however, did not meet the Mil-O-2104 specifications called for in the advertizing for bids). Gear oils and greases in 400 lb. drums 9 7/8¢ to 12 3/8¢ per lb.

Representatives of most of the firms submitting bids were present and were interviewed by the Board before bids were let.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the bid of S. D. Concrete Products Co. be accepted and that said Co. furnish a bond in the amount of $500.00 in lieu of the Certified check accompanying the bid. The motion carried.

Whereas all three bids on metal culvert were identical, it was moved by Keenan and seconded by Fromke that all be accepted and filed and that certified checks accompanying the bids be returned to the bidders. The motion carried.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the Weed Spray bid of the Watertown milling Co. be accepted and that the certified checks of the unsuccessful bidders be returned. The motion carried.

Commissioner Jordeth was excused from the Board at noon.

Letting of petroleum bids, both bulk and service station, was deferred till 11:00 A. M. Jan. 12th so that all members of the Board could be present for the letting.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. Jan. 12, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 12, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: General-Commissioners Per Diem & Mileage-Einar Jordeth $82.40.

Monthly statements for Dec. 1952 were checked and approved as follows: Yankton State Hospital $1647.33; Redfield State Hospital $500.00.

The appointment of George Burke as Deputy Sheriff by Sheriff Cliff Englund was noted by the Board. At 11.00 A. M. representatives of the Standard Oil Co., Reaney's Service, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. and Putnam's Service appeared before the Board to be present at the time of

letting of bids to furnish Codington County with petroleum products, both bulk and service station, for 1953, said letting having been deferred to this time as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of Jan. 9, 1953.

Representatives of each Company were interviewed separately by the Board, after which Chairman Sheldon requested the County Auditor to call for a ballot vote by Commissioner District on the bids submitted.

Vote by Commissioner District was as follows: District Nos. 2, 4 and 5 voted for Standard bulk bid and Reaney's Service Station bid; District Nos. 1 and 3 voted for Socony Vacuum Oil Co.'s bulk bid and Putnam's Service Station bid. No votes cast for the D. A. Lubricating Co. bid.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the bids of the Standard Oil Co. and Reaney's Service Station be accepted, contract to begin on January 15, 1953, and that the certified check of the unsuccessful bidders be returned. The motion carried.

It was moved by Sheldon and seconded by Fromke that an unanimous vote be cast for acceptance of the bids of Standard Oil Co. and Reaney's Service Station. The motion carried with all commissioners voting Yea.

Notice of intention to attend a meeting called by the State Dept. of Education to be held at Huron, S. D. on January 15 and 16, was submitted by County Supt. of Schools, Muriel Hoover, and approved by the Board.

The remainder of the day was spent in checking the Sheriff's fee books for 1952.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. Jan. 13, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 13, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott for Mary L. Wilson $10.00; Gary Rest Home for Henry Spilde $5.00; Walter Gusso for Bert Crandall $25.00; Louis Kinstad for Ole Hanson and Ole Omodt $56.50; Mrs. Anna Lange for Joan and Clarence Jr. Tessier $40.00; Lohrs Home for Mrs. Edith Kinsey $30.00; Mrs. Mary Miller for Mrs. Joe Coyle $10.00; Irene Stockman for Loretta Stockman $100.00; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant for David Bright $35.00; Watertown Rest Home for Mrs. Sadie Stevens and Louis Mourere $60.00; Mrs. Bessie Young for Mrs. Rosa Dixon and Sarah Ann Black $25.00; Mrs. August Bunde for Mrs. Louisa Richter $15.00; Duffners Drug Store-B. J. Murray, Arthur Owsley, Mrs. Wm. Bunde, Mrs. G. Heathcote, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck, Louis Mourere, Geo. Tribbitt, Steve and Mrs. Wisneske, Marsh Bradfield, A. R. Quade, Leo Breske, Wm. Ball, Mrs. W. C. Yarns, Richard Duus, $122.13; Memorial Hospital-Fannie Baker, Philomena Holzemer, Frank & Emma Klucas, Theodore & Mrs. Treat, Ronald Ulven, Geo. & Delia Scholl, Adolph Stankey, Richard & Anna Stanton, Robert Wiseman, $1,378.43; St. Ann's Hospital-Luke Henry Hopkins, Sarah C. McMahon, Joseph Meyers, John O'Neill, $329.18; Jurgensen's Dairy-Tracy & Freda Sherer, $26.00; Lester Hansen Elev. Co.-Fred Lenards $21.00; O. P. Skaggs Grocery-Mrs. Lucille Bowman, Anna Mae Kretzschmar, Otto & Alice Jungen, Melvin Lawrence, Geo. Manley, Wm. & Bessie Norman, Robert & Sylvia Sharpe, Harold Tibbits, Jud & Mae Turner, $119.00; Red Owl Super Market-Mrs. Wm. Bunde, $17.40; Joseph E. Messer-Mrs. Sarah C. McMahon $3.00; Harry J. Bartron, M. D.-Jack & Rose Dietrick, $75.00; Randall-Spies Super Valu-Robt. Corey, Albert Erickson, Anna Mae Kretzschmar, Eva Schultz, $79.61; Farmers Market-Mrs. DeLane Schaaf, $30.02; Little Grocery-Carl Hemiller,Ben Nelson, $40.93; Dr. Harry T. Kenney-Jack & Rose Dietrick, Marshall Bradfield, Henry Hopkins, Henry Dewall, $61.00; Thomes Drug Store-Minnie Johnson, Lena Trumer, Richard DePeel, Alfred Vicks, Seymore Peterson, Dale Bright, $60.93; Haggars Drug Store-Fern Washtoak, John Farley, Clifford Van Sickle, Frank Krause, Henry Anderson, R. H. Ulven, Frank Klucas, Richard Stanton, Mrs. M. Taylor, Adolph Stankey, Emma Henthorn, Philomena Holzemer, $173.95; Kreisers Drug Store-Matilda Blek, Dagmar Karterude, Anna Parsley, Dooks Teijen, Myrtle A. Wiggin, $31.26; Brown Clinic-Mervin & Joyce Christianson, Emma Henthorn, John O'Neill, Ernest Quitsch, Dooks Tiejen, Clifford Van Sickle, $81.00; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes Funeral Chapel-David Bright $3.00; Hunter Grocery-Harold Tibbits, Jud Turner, Jerome Pionk, $39.50; Liens Grocery-LeRoy Kraft $10.00; Sioux Valley Hospital-Fred Klatt, Marvin Klatt, $160.06; Florence Farmers CoOp. Elev.-Mr. & Mrs. Andrew H. Springer $47.95; McBath Coal & Coke Co.-Carl Hemiller, Hazel Steenberg, $27.30; Dr. S. A. Keller-Fred Klatt $30.00; Dr. M. C. Thompson-Minnie Johnson, Louisa Richter, David Bright, Seymore Peterson, Mrs. Myrtle Nelson, Mrs. Wm. Bunde, Richard DePeel, Mrs. Lena Trumer, Mildred Taylor, Mrs. Fred Heathcote, $170.00; Socony-Vacuum Oil Co.-Chas. & Effie Underhill $13.01; F. P. Creaser & Sons-Nelson Brekke, Wm. Bunde, Josephine Riley, Hazel Steenberg, Jud Turner, Harry Conrad, Ben Nelson, Richard Kemp, $152.25; Standard Oil Co.-Wm. & Bessie Norman, Harold & Marjorie Tibbits, $22.95; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co.-Mrs. Albert Krohn, Melvin Lawrence, Mrs. Wm. Lundin, Mrs. Lucille Bowman, $56.75; Sheriffs fees-Cliff Englund-$33.74; Court Expense-Cliff Englund-$39.40; C. R. Larson $69.91; Sheriffs Mileage-Cliff Englund-$407.10; Board of prisoners-Cliff Englund-$165.20; Insurance & Bonds-P. O. Brekke $22.75; A. B. Turback $82.50; McClintic Insurance Agency $35.50; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $9.20; Veterans Service-Rosella Howey $16.00; Law Library-West Publishing Co. $149.31; Lawyers Co-op Publishing Co. $177.40; County Extension-R. E. Huffman Co $149.48; S. D. Extension Service $44.48; Auditors Office Expense-Pitney Bowes Inc. $10.15; Watertown Machine Works $2.25; Wilson Transfer & Storage Co. $9.65; Educator Supply Co. $69.23; Railway Express Agency $4.72; Mitchell Publishing Co. $156.83; F. C. Grow Sons Printers $27.50; Treasurers Office Expense-Railway Express Agency $1.84; Mitchell Publishing Co. $14.14; Sheriffs Office Expense-F. C. Grow Sons Printers $11.75; Printing & Advertising-Ruhe Stationery Co. $6.15; States Attorneys Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.80; Veterans Service-Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.30; County Extension-Ruhe Stationery Co. $9.79; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Hub City School Supply Co. $9.90 F. C. Grow Sons Printers $64.00; G & P Transportation $2.70; Supt. of Schools Mileage-Muriel Hoover $21.84; Sheriffs Office Expense-Burghardt Radio Supply Co. $4.65; Court House Maintenance-N. W. Bell Telephone Co. $245.05; Egge Electric Co. $56.77; L. V. Harmel $4.00; Mrs. Elvera Englund $4.50;LOH Co. $2.76; Nelson Hardware $6.25; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $3.30; Carl Michaelson $1.45; Bernies Cycle Shop $.75; E. J. Scarry & Co. $43.09;

Park Grant Co. $35.35; City Treas. $583.57; Carl Michaelson $.65; Putnams Uptown Service $4.05; County Farm-Liens Grocery $29.33; Mahowald Co. $3.01; Butterbrodt Drug $3.99; Marshall Wells Store $5.36; Woodrow Rossow $13.90; Watertown Co-op Elevator $38.30; Watertown War Surplus Store $16.30; J. C. Penney Co. $7.94; Nelson Hardware $2.68; Park Grant Co. $39.95; City Treasurer $36.41; Road-City Treasurer $12.33; Putnams Uptown Service $101.99; Western Transportation Co. $6.31; Harold Scriver $2.48; N. W. Public Service Co $5.85; Codington Oil Co. $1.70; International Harvester Co. $105.02; Algard Machine Shop $6.50; Owen Electric Service $598.00; J. P. Foster Co. $1,157.83; Olson Appliance Co. $679.86; Sioux Road Equipment Co. $444.58; Luther Paint & Glass Co. $71.32; Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $4.33; Marquardts Service & Supply Co. $413.14; Watertown Tire Co. $222.01; Paper Calmenson & Co. $82.58; Cave Supply Co. $58.52; Redfield- State Sanatorium $18.65; Insane- Mrs. George Burke $5.00; C.M.V.-Motor Supply Co. $5.24; Watertown Machine Wroks $3.96; Lester Hansen Elev. Co. $22.89; Halverson Repair Shop $12.00; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $2.74; Hubbard co. $7.11; Kochs Phillips Service $24.93; Chets Bicycle Service $.75; Arthur Schwandt $11.47; Sarah Kane $1.00; S. D. State Highway Commission $136.50; Riley Hardware Co. $9.85; Mahowald Co. $3.98; Florence Service $7.01; Coast to Coast Store $9.29; County Spec. Hiway (Dexter)-Alma Markve $58.20; Special Bridge-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $23.27; L. W. Larson $618.54; Herb Andree Tire Co. $178.40; Hubert Klatt $172.68; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $1,212.12; Chicago & Northwestern Railway Co. $15.00; C.H. & B.R.-Bert & Elmer Draves $16.12; Harold Haigh & Union Central Life Insurance Co. $14.47; Albert J. Schaack $22.98; Cliff Grinols $22.50; Textbooks-Laidlaw Brothers $96.15; Midwest-Beach Co. $129.75; American Book Co. $33.39; Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $60.00; Institute-Midwest-Beach Co. $14.50; Weed Board-Bob Pulscher $7.20; Matt Brandriet $34.11; Lloyd R. Wilson $48.50;

Dora Williams of Lake Twp. appeared before the Board regarding assessment on her property in Lake Twp. The Board advised Miss Williams to check with the Lake Twp. Board of Supervisors.

On a motion by Belk and second by Keenan, the Board approved the following predatory animal bounty claims, to wit: Glen Elmore $4.00; Lester E. Simon $7.50; Alec Tigner $4.00; Lloyd Foster $60.00 Ralph Raml $4.00.

The Board continued checking the Sheriff's fee book for the remainder of the day.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. Jan. 14, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 14, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Frank Muntz appeared before the Board regarding the 1952 assessment on a house trailer in Watertown, which trailer was subsequently licensed for the same year. Mr. Muntz requested that the tax be abated for 1952. The Board pointed out that the license was purchased long after the assessment was made, said license covering only one quarter of the year, for which reason assessment must stand.

John Luken appeared before the Board requesting an explation of the difference in his personal property valuation as shown on his duplicate assessor's listing blank as compared to his tax statement. The Board explained the various raises of valuation by the County and State Boards of Equalization and the reason for them, which raises accounted for the differences noted.

The remainder of the day was spent checking Sheriff's fee books.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. January 15, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 15, 1953

Due to bad weather and road conditions, Chairman Sheldon postponed this meeting till 10:00 A.M. January 16, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 16, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to postponement at 10:00 A.M. with Sheldon, Fromke, and Keenan present; Belk and Jordeth absent; Sheldon presiding.

The morning was spent in checking monthly claims and aid to County indigent.

Commissioners Jordeth and Belk appeared on the Board at noon.

Checking of Sheriff's Fee Books was completed and the report showed a total of fees collected in 1952 in the amount of $2,821.26.

As provided in Chap. 23 of the S. D. Session Laws of 1951, the Sheriff's minimum salary is $2,800.00. The Deputy Sheriff's salary as set by resolution of the Board of Commissioners and paid by the Sheriff was $600.00 in 1952. Total due Sheriff in 1952 - $3400.00 less fees collected in amount of $2,821.26, leaves a deficiency salary due the Sheriff for 1952 in the amount of $578.74.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. January 19, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 19, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor Farm-Olson Appliance Co. $11.60; K-d Inc. $43.04; C.M.V.-Dels Standard Service $4.58.

Jordeth and Keenan checked the record of fees collected in the Clerk of Courts office during 1952.

Jordeth and Fromke checked fees collected in the Register of Deeds office during 1952 and reported as follows: 900 Chattel Mortgages-$450.00; 1367 Conditional Sales Contracts-$684.00; 438 Car Liens- $219.00; 100 Cancellation of Car Liens $25.00; 2,981 Recording Fees on Real Estate $6,121.35; 200 Miscellaneous Liens (Mechanics Liens, Tax Liens, Bills of Sale, etc.) $100.00; Photostat copies of miscellaneous papers $102.50; Total of all items $7,701.85.

The Board checked inventories of office equipment of the following County offices: Clerk of Courts, American Legion (State Headquarters), County Service Office, State Highway Office, Sheriff's Office and County Highway Office.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. January 20, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 20, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $92.60; Oscar J. Fromke $60.00; Einar Jordeth $96.60; James L. Keenan $66.30; Palmer D. Sheldon $97.50; Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $143.25.

The application of Clifford A. Lentz for abatement of 1952 real estate tax in the City of Watertown in the amount of $75.41 on property described as Lot 9, Block 50, Second Railway Addition to Watertown for the reason of a clerical error in the extension of the final valuation on above described property resulting in a valuation of $2,908.00 instead of $1,908.00, was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Jordeth.

On a motion by Keenan and second by Belk, the County Extension Board for 1953 was appointed and approved as follows: W. H. Schwanke, Watertown, S. D.; Mrs. Al Saeger, Florence, S. D; Erwin Beskow, South Shore, S. D; John Ehrstrom, Watertown, S. D; Einar Jordeth, Wallace, S. D.

Howard Ristvedt, Delmar Dale, Ingvald Johnson and Dwane Hallstrom, all of Eden Twp., appeared before the Board to request information on the proper proceedure necessary to add township road to the County Highway System. Mr. Ristvedt, spokesman for the group, explained the need for the road and was advised by the Board of the proper proceedure to follow.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. January 23, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 23, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

L. G. Larson, County Highway Supt., appeared before the Board with the Annual Report of the County Highway Dept. for 1952. The report was checked, approved and ordered filed by the Board.

States Attorney, Ross Oviatt, appeared before the Board on matters relating to the Bordeaux trial.

The report of Justice of the Peace, Joe Strom, for January, 1953 was checked and approved by the Board.

The County Board, on a motion by Belk and second by Jordeth, concurred with the Rauville Twp. Board of Supervisors and the Rauville Assessor in approving the application of R. H. Stein for abatement of 1952 Real Estate taxes on property described as the E½ of SE¼ and Lot 4, Sec. 13-118-53 in the amount of $82.70 for the reason of an error by the assessor in transposing valuations from the assessor's listing sheet to the assessor's book whereby a valuation of $6,280 was entered instead of the proper valuation of $3,582.

The application of Edwin N. Nordquist for abatement of personal property taxes for 1952 in the amount of $8.86 in Richland Twp. for reason of duplication of assessment was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Jordeth.

The application of the County Auditor for abatement of 1952 real estate taxes in the amount of $23.48 on property in Germantown Twp. described as SW¼ Sec. 35-120-52 for the reason of an error in the Auditor's office whereby the reduction of assessment granted by the County Board of Equalization on July 8, 1952 was not carried into the tax lists, thereby making a final valuation on the property of $4,600.00 instead of $4,025.00 as the value should have been, was approved by the Board on motion by Belk and second by Jordeth.
The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. Jan. 26, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 26, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present Sheldon presiding.

GENERAL- Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $294.16; Dorothy Below $210.00; Marlys J. Haney $95.00; Irma Welch $190.00; Pearl J. Bergan $241.65; Alice Olson $75.00;County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $294.16; Alma Gerberding $210.00; DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00; Joyce Rowe $185.00; Cerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $267.50; Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $229.64; Harriett Horning $205.00; Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-Josephine Muriel Hoover $294.16; Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $256.66; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Laura J. Avis $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $260.00; Municipal Judge-Donald Lobitz $183.33; Court House Maintenance-Carl Michaelson $175.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Katherine Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service Officer-George Burke $190.00; Jailor Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Harry Roberts $115.00; Irene Roberts $50.00; Weed Board-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-J. P. Haug $268.85; Joe Stricherz $286.20; John Rennie $265.90; C. B. Sumner $289.35; Harold Scriver $258.35; Ed. Gould $275.00; Alfred Spring $273.90; Howard Williams $130.90; Carl Zweig, jr. $260.70; James Hendren $272.80; E. Spearbeck $238.75; John Strait $237.50; Leo Clausen $236.55; Fred Brownell $209.00; L. G. Larson $325.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $175.00; Sever Tobiason $200.00; Bert Smith $20.00;

The Board discussed salaries of deputies, clerks and appointed officials in County offices and County Highway Dept. for 1953. The pay for board of prisoners was also discussed.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that the pay for board of prisoners should continue at forty cents per meal during 1953. The motion carried.

The Board did not feel that another paid Deputy Sheriff would be required in 1953.

R E S O L U T I O N NO. 165

WHEREAS, The Board of County Commissioners shall contract for such books as have been adopted by the County Text Book Committee, and shall pay for the books and transportation of the same out of the general fund of the County,

AND WHEREAS, The Text Book Revolving fund is not sufficient to meet the requirements of the budget adopted due to the increased prices;

NOW THEREFORE, be it hereby resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session this 26th day of January, 1953, that the County Auditor and the County Treasurer hereby are authorized to transfer $1600.00 from the General fund to be credited to the Text Book Revolving Fund.

The foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Fromke, seconded by Commissioner Jordeth, and upon roll call all commissioners voting yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Vice Emmar Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:
Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

R E S O L U T I O N NO. 166

Pay Scale 1953

WHEREAS, in the judgement of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, it is deemed necessary for the prompt and accurate dispatch of business that deputies or clerks be employed in the office of the County Treasurer, County Auditor, Clerk of Courts, Sheriff, Register of Deeds, States Attorney, Superintendent of Schools, County Highway; also, a County Veterans' Service Officer.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that pursuant to Chapter 12.16 of the South Dakota Code of 1939 the number of deputies or clerks to be employed therein shall be as follows:

In the office of the Treasurer, one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $210.00; one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $190.00; one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $180.00.

In the office of the Auditor, one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $210.00; one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $190.00; one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $180.00; one clerk with a monthly salary of $150.00.

In the office of Register of Deeds, one deputy with a monthly salary of $205.00; one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $175.00.

In the office of the Superintendent of Schools, one deputy with a monthly salary of $180.00.

In the office of the Clerk of Courts, one deputy with a monthly salary of $195.00.

In the office of the States Attorney, one deputy with a monthly salary of $150.00; and one stenographer with a monthly salary of $125.00.

One Custodian with a monthly salary of $175.00.

In the County Highway office, one superintendent with a maximum monthly salary of $325.00; one clerk with a monthly salary of $175.00; one Radio Clerk with a monthly salary of $20.00.

One Veterans' Service Officer with a monthly salary of $190.00;

One Jailor with a monthly salary of $165.00;

One Deputy Sheriff with a monthly salary of $50.00.

Superintendent and Matron of Memorial Park with a monthly sa

Superintendent and Matron of the County farm with a monthly salary of $150.00 Superintendent and Matron of Memorial Park with a monthly salary of $200.00 for the months of May, June, July, August and September; wages for extra help employed to be paid at the rate of 90¢ per hour; new clerks to start at $150.00 per month.

VACATIONS: All employees shall be limited to one week with pay during the first six months of employment and two weeks with pay after one year of employment, vacation time to be non-cumulative and taken in the current year. Sick leave shall be limited to one week after six months of employment and two weeks after one year of employment on a Doctors certificate. Heads of the offices to allocate time for taking vacations.

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan and seconded by Commissioner Belk, and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 26th day of January, 1953.

Vice Chairman, Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

County Auditor

R E S O L U T I O N NO. 166A

Pay Scale - 1953

WHEREAS, in the judgement of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, it is deemed necessary for the prompt and accurate dispatch of business for the operation of the County Highway Department and employment of personnel on an hourly basis.

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary that a pay schedule of rates be set up for the year 1953 with provision of time lost due to sickness.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, regular session, that the following classifications are hereby adopted.

Classification	Rate of Pay per hour
Patrol Operators	$1.05
When working in snow with plow	1.15
Cat and Bucket operator	1.25
Cat Skinner	1.10
Front End Loader	1.05
Truck and Mower Operators	.95
Common Labor	.90
Bridge and Dirt Foreman	1.10
Shop Foreman	200.00 per month

All employees when employed at other than their respective classifications above enumerated, shall be classified as common labor and paid at such rate.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That in accordance with the good and faithful service of the employees of the County Highway Department, continually employed for one year in any calendar year, shall be entitled to two weeks sick leave upon the order of physician only.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Keenan and seconded by Belk, and upon roll call all commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota, this 26th day of January, 1953.

Vice Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

County Auditor

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Harlon Korth $4.00; Harold Heaton $8.00; Ray Wiles $90.00.

The application of Dr. L. S. Spencer for abatement of 1952 taxes in the amount of $18.60 on the W½ of NW¼ of Sec. 25-117-55 for the reason of a clerical error whereby the reduction granted by the County Equalization Board was not carried into the tax list was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Keenan.

The application of Eric Freese for compromise settlement of County Aid liens in the amount of $642.68 for a payment of $600.00 was approved by the Board.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. January 27, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 27, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

On recommendation of the County Highway Supt., it was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the County Auditor advertize in the official newspapers for bids to furnish the County Highway Dept. with one "Bucket Loader", as described in the following notice to bidders, to wit:

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, will receive sealed bids up to ten o'clock in the forenoon March 3, 1953 at the Commissioners Chambers in the Courthouse in the City of Watertown, S. Dak., for the following:

One, Bucket Loader, medium size or large, crawler type or rubber tires, with vibrating screen.

One, Model 42, Barber Greene loader as trade in, subject to appraisal and approval of the Court.

Bids to state with trade-in and without.

A certified check of 5% of bid, payable to the County Treasurer of Codington County, South Dakota, must accompany each bid, such check to be certified or issued by a State or National Bank, domiciled within the State as a guarantee that such bidders will enter into contract with Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with such letting in event such bidder is awarded the contract.

Preference may be given to goods and materials produced or grown within the boundaries of the State of South Dakota.

The Board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 27th day of January, 1953.

Vice Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

It was decided by the Board that in order to facilitate regular County business, relief orders for County indigent should be issued only on Mondays from 10:00 to 12:00 A. M. and 2:00 to 4:00 P. M.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Belk that the application of C. J. Ruhr for a dance hall license for one night Jan. 30, 1953 at the C. O. F. Hall in Kranzburg be approved on payment of the $2.50 fee. The motion carried.

At the request of the Board, States Attorney, Ross Oviatt, appeared to clarify the matter of the salary of the Supt. of the County Health Board. After discussing the matter, the Board requested the States Attorney to get an opinion from the Attorney General on the question of whether the Health Board Supt. could be paid on a straight salary basis, or whether he should be paid according to his fees and expenses.

At the request of the County Treasurer, the Board authorized the purchase of a new typewriter for the County Treasurer's office.

The remainder of the day was spent in cancelling paid warrants of 1952.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. January 30, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 30, 1953.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Sheldon, Fromke, Jordeth and Belk present, Keenan absent, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $93.90; Oscar J. Fromke $89.20; Einar Jordeth $99.00; Palmer D. Sheldon $124.25.

R E S O L U T I O N #167

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $1070.85 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the fourth quarter of 1952 and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows, to wit: To the townships of Sheridan, Pelican, Kampeska, Henry, Elmira, Lake, Richland, Graceland, Phipps, Leola and Eden $53.54 each; Kranzburg Township $92.22; Waverly Township $68.41; Rauville Township $75.86; Fuller Township $84.78; Germantown Township $71.40; and Dexter Township $89.24.

The Above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Jordeth, and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 30th day of January, 1953.

Vice Einar Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:
Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

R E S O L U T I O N # 167A

WHEREAS, there as been received the sum of $191.74 from the sale of Motor Vehicle plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota and

Whereas, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners and this being the proper time to make the apportionment for the Fourth Quarter of 1952;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners, of Codington County, South Dakota, that the said money be apportioned among the respective municipalities as follows:

Florence	$10.74
Henry	10.74
South Shore	10.74
Wallace	8.05
Watertown	151.47
	$191.74

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Fromke, seconded by Commissioner Belk, and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 30th day of January, 1953.

Vice Einar Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan County Auditor

The Board approved the application of A. J. Jantzen for abatement of Real Estate taxes in the City of Watertown for the years 1951 and 1952 in amounts of $73.74 and $82.04 respectively on property described as Lots 12 and 13 in Block 47, Replat of West Watertown addition for the reason that said property belongs to the American Sunday School Union and is used solely for SundaySchool and Church purposes, making same tax exempt.

The application of Charles Raml for abatement of 1952 dog tax in the amount of $1.00, which tax was assessed to Vincent Raml, was approved for the reason that same dog had also been assessed to Charles Raml.

The application of L. G. Monahan for abatement of 1952 real estate tax in the amount of $97.72 on a structure assessed on Lots 1 and 2 in Block 14 of Henry Village was approved by the Board for the reason that said structure had been assessed on above described property in error. A check by Commissioner Belk revealed that no structure existed on said property.

The application of Ed Aljoe for abatement of 1952 personal property taxes in the amount of $59.56 in Elmira Township was approved by the Board for the reason that the property was erroneously listed in School District No. 1 by the assessor and should have been listed in Dist. #17.

The Board continued to cancel paid warrants of 1952 until 5:00 P. M. at which time they adjourned to 10:00 A. M. Feb. 3, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
February 3, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjourment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Minutes of meetings of January 6, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, 16, 19, 20, 23, 26, 27, and 30, 1953 were approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Sheriffs Fees-Cliff Englund $578.74; Poor-County Treasurer-$65.00; C.M.V.-Howard Williams $66.00; GENERAL-Court Expense-W. B. Higman $118.87.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of February 1, 1953 was approved by the Board as follows: Total amount of deposits in banks, $408,821.58; Total amount of checks, drafts and cash in treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $10,556.42; Government Bonds $181,837.33; Total of all items, $601,215.33.

Verne Thorson, Ed O"Toole, Joe Becking and Russel Bach appeared before the Board for information as to the status of old Highway No. 20 and proceedure necessary to get said Highway added to the County System. The Board advised the delegation of the proceedure necessary for adding said road to the County System.

The Board approved the application of Mrs. John Rennie for abatement of 1950 real estate taxes in the amount of $4.64 on Lots 10 and 11 in Block 3, Kemp's Addition to Watertown for the reason that said property belonged to Codington County at the time of the 1950 assessment and should have been tax exempt.

The statement of the Redfield State Hospital for January 1953 in the amount of $506.45 was approved.

The monthly report of the County Weed Supervisor, Matt Brandreit, for January, 1953 was checked and approved.

The statement of the State Sanatorium at Sanator, S. D. for January, 1953 in the amount of $132.99 was checked and approved by the Board.

The application of Clayton J. Johnson for partial release of County Aid liens, in the amount of $2,280.67, in so far as said liens pertain to Lot 6, Block 12, Brock's Addition to Watertown was approved by the Board for the reason that said liens were liens of another Clayton Johnson and not the Clayton J. Johnson on whose abstract of title to above described property they appeared.

The Board adjourned to 9:00 A. M. Feb. 6, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
February 6, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

The statement of the Yankton State Hospital for January, 1953 in the amount of $1,638.00 was checked and approved by the Board.

Chairman Sheldon relinquished the Chair to Vice Chairman Jordeth.

It was moved by Sheldon and seconded by Belk that the claim of the Brookings Municipal Hospital in the amount of $474.05 for the careof Joe Clark be rejected for the reason that care of Clark had not been authorized by the Board. The motion carried.

Sheldon resumed the Chair.

The Register of Deeds appeared before the Board to request better lighting facilities in the vault room of her office. The Board agreed to check and make necessary improvements.

The application of the County Auditor for abatement of 1952 money and credits tax of J. P. Alden in the amount of $8.00 for the reason that said tax was entered in error was approved on a motion by Keenan and second by Belk.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the application of A. O. Jevnem for abatement of 1952 taxes in the amount of $101.80 be referred back to the City Council for further checking and that a photostatic copy of the Assessor's Listing Sheet showing Jevnem's assessment be furnished the Council to aid them in their checking. The motion carried.

On a motion by Belk and second by Jordeth, the application of William Chilson for abatement of 1952 Road Poll tax in the amount of $4.00 for the reason that said Chilson was over 50 years of age and therefore exempt from the Road Poll, was ordered referred back to the City Assessor for verification of Chilson's age.

Floyd Snyder of the American Legion and County Judge, Herbert Norbeck, appeared before the Board to request that in connection with the Legion's Student Government Program, a group of High School students be permitted to visit the Board of County Commissioners when in session, also other county offices, for the purpose of observing and studying local government. The Board granted the request.

C. C. Kellogg, Grant Kellogg and Lawrence Kellogg appeared before the Board for information on right-of-way and easements along old Highway No. 20 in the event said Highway should be added to the County System. Kelloggs asked that the trees on their farms along said road be spared if possible. The Board expressed the opinion that if the trees were kept properly

trimmed and free from weeds, they could possible be saved.

Four members of the Board, Fromke, Jordeth, Keenan and Belk drove out and inspected above mentioned trees and road and reported trees well trimmed and ground clean.

The Board ordered the following "Notice to Bidders" advertised in the County official newspapers, to wit:

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, will receive sealed bids up to ten o'clock in the forenoon, March 10, 1953, at the Commissioners Chambers in the Courthouse in the City of Watertown, S. Dak., for the following:

One carload of No. 1 Common Fir Bridge Planks,
Standard Sawn 3" x 12" x 18', F. O. B. Watertown, S. Dak.
Subject to inspection on arrival.

A certified check of 5% of bid, payable to the County Treasurer of Codington County, South Dakota, must accompany each bid, such check to be certified or issued by a State or National Bank, domiciled within the State as a guarantee that such bidders will enter into contract with Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with such letting in event such bidder is awarded the contract.

Preference may be given to goods and materials produced or grown within the boundaries of the State of South Dakota.

The Board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 6th day of February, 1953

vice Emma Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
Auditor, Codington County, S. D.

(Publish February 12, 19, and 26, 1953)

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. February 10, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. Dak.
February 10, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Sheldon, Keenan and Fromke present, Jordeth and Belk absent, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott for Mary L. Wilson $10.00; Mrs. Augusta Bunde for Mrs. Louisa Richter $15.00; Louis C. Kinstad for Ola Hanson and Ola Omodt $65.50; Mrs. Anna Lange for Joan and Clarence Jr. Tessier $40.00; Lohr's Home for Edith Kinsey $30.00; Mrs. Mary Miller for Mrs. Joe Coyle $10.00; Irene Stockman for Loretta Stockman $100.00; Mae Waba for Helen Waba $5.00; Watertown Rest Home for Sadie Stevens and Louis Maurer $60.00; Mrs. Bessie Young for Rose Dixon and Sarah Ann Black $25.00; Lampert Lumber Co. for Thomas Redwing $22.95; Dr. H. T. Kenney-Marshall Bradfield, Henry DeWall, Sadie McMahn $17.00: F. C. Grow Sons $32.50; Walter Gusso for Bert Crandall $25.00; Haggars Drug-Clifford VanSickle, Adolph Stankey, Mrs. Frank Klucas, Ferne Washtoak, John Farley, Rosa Shape, Emma Henthorn, Mildred Taylor, Philomena Holzemer $148.63; Brown Clinic-Thomas Benson, Samuel BlueDog, Edward Breuer, Mrs. Ella Flanigan, Mrs. Emma Henthorn, Mrs. J. C. Larson, Dena Mathiesen, Mrs. Nick Mauer, Clarence Nelson, John O'Neill, Anna Parsley, Rosa Shape, Dooks Teijen, Clifford VanSickle $458.00; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co- Mrs. Leona Krohn, Melvin Lawrence, Phoebe Mowery, Lucille Bowman $79.10; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co.-Edward Haack $22.63; Hollywood Grocery-Ben Nelson, $39.80; Creaser & Sons-Harry C. Conrad, Judd Turner, Richard Kemp, Edith Bundy, Catherine Brockhoff, Otto Jungen, Wayne Krueger, $141.50; Red Owl Store-Willie Schmeling $15.00; Bauer's Store-Fred Lenards $15.00; Everetts Grocery-Tracy Sherer, Harry C. Conrad, Nick Schriefels, $54.00; Farmers Co-op Elev.-Henry Springer $23.33; Henry Oil Co.-George Henricks $15.50; Farmers Market-Homer Black $11.56; Gilman Groceries-George Henricks $40.02; Jurgensens Dairy-Tracy Sherer $15.00; Huebner Oil Co.-Frank Metzinger, Wm. Glendening, $39.02; Hunter Grocery-Daniel Mathiesen, Melvin Lawrence, $33.79; Dr. M. C. Thompson-Pete Demuynck, Minnie Johnson, Mrs. Lena Trumer, Louisa Richter, David Bright, Ben Nelson, Geo. Tribbits, Mary Vermillion, Seymore Peterson, $110.50; Duffners Drug-Leo Breske, Wm. Ball, Mrs. Wm. Bunde, Marshall Bradfield, George Tribbits, B. J. Murray, Steve Wisneske, Andrew Westrum, Louis Mourere, Ole Hanson, Mrs. G. Heathcote, Mrs. Sophia Kieso, $125.30; Home Grocery-James Kinon;$10.00; Little Grocery-Robt. Corey, Carl Hemiller, Daniel Mathiesen, Leo Meis, Ben Nelson, Will Norman, Howard Thompson, $188.37; Boyles Grocery-Willie Schmeling $15.90; Thomes Drug-Andrew Christianson, Minnie Johnson, Richard DePeel, Mrs. Lena Trumer, Hilda Haack, Seymore Peterson, Louisa Richter, Alfred Vick, Dave Bright, $85.09; K-D Lockers Inc.-Toby Van Dyke $10.00; Linden Park Grocery-Robert Sharp $29.98; Thompson Yards-A. M. Johnson, Lester lackey, $37.75; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes Funeral Chapel-Elmer Robb, Hans Sand, Ella Flannigan, Sarah C. McMahon, Mrs. Rose Shape, $154.00; R. J. Van Delinder-Geo. Henricks $15.50; Spies Super Value-Earl Jensen, Fred Lenards, Eva Schulz $28.78; Red Owl Super Market-Thomas Redwing, Loren Wohlwend, Mrs. Wm. Bundy, $67.69; J. C. Penney Co.-Ben Nelson $4.98; McBath Coal & Coke Co.-Robert Sharp, Ben Nelson, Mrs. Lena Mauer, Prescott Moter, Carl Hemiller, $137.90; Joseph E. Messer-Sophia Kieso $3.00; Strait Grocery-Merwin Christiansen $12.00; Standard Oil Co., Huron,-William Barto, Will Norman $22.95; Skinner Transfer & Storage Co.-$1.50;

Socony-Vacuum Oil Co.-Howard Thompson $7.65; O. P. Skaggs-Marion Bowman, George Manley, Daniel Mathiesen, Robert Sharp, Otto Jungen, Arthur E. Webb, $97.00; Kreisers Drug-Matilda Blek, Dagmar Karterud, Nick Mauer, Mrs. Myrtle Nelson, Ben Nelson, Anna Parsley, Delia Scholl, Dooks Teijen, $134.59; Court Expense-Lyle Levake $30.60; Virgil Sikkink $30.20; Barbara McNulty $30.20; Vera Lidtke $35.20; Yvonne Dunn $30.20; Dale Dunnihoo $30.20; Roy Noeldner $40.60; Richard Thyen $38.40; Max Hallauer $52.20; Milton Carter $46.20; Hilda Harrington $43.80; Hazel Hegarty $120.00; Dr. J. D. Mahoney $346.58; Virgil L. Crowl $6.30; States Attorney's Office $87.10; Mabel C. Alworth $25.70; Elmer Pardau $41.65; Ray Makepeace $30.00; Mrs. Ray Makepeace $30.00; Anton Lutzvick $30.20; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $55.40; Oscar J. Fromke $80.22; Einar Jordeth $59.88; James L. Keenan $111.10; Palmer D. Sheldon $90.30; Bailiff-Carl Michaelson $30.00; Tax Collector-Ole James Nelson $723.63; Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent $396.35; Watertown Public Opinion $604.12; South Shore Gazette $382.78; Veterans Service-George W. Burke $6.24; Rosella Howey $16.01; County Extension-Clara W. Johnson $12.36; Fred Morris $17.90; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $9.20; Insurance & Bonds-Loren B. Stein Agency $9.28; Heaton Insurance Agency $75.20; Farmers & Merchants Agency $697.34; Murphy-Hoffman Agency $301.50; Anita M. Mehlberg $69.39; Western Surety Co. $15.25; Morris Agency Inc. $18.50; Auditors Office Expense-Chicago & Northwestern Railway Co. $3.06; Pitney-Bowes Inc. $22.81; Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. $221.19; Ruhe Stationery Co $25.20; Brown & Saenger $409.31; Clerk of Courts Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.30; Brown & Saenger $77.57; County Extension-Ruhe Stationery Co. $7.31; Treasurers office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.20; First Citizens Nat'l Bank $3.00; News Printing Co. $12.70; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.30; Brown & Saenger $595.60; News Printing Co. $7.17; Remington Rand Inc. $130.00; Sheriffs Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $9.50; News Printing Co. $7.17; States Attorney's Office Expense-News Printing Co. $2.35; Court Office Expense $19.07; Supt. of Schools Office Exp.-Midwest-Beach Co. $65.44; Court House Maintenance-E. B. Wagner & Son $14.08; Egge Electric Co. $24.90; Nelson Hardware $3.39; Mrs. Elvera Englund $3.06; Northwestern Bell Tele. Co. $230.66; Lampert Lumber Co. $11.00; City Treas. $659.72; Sheriffs Office Exp.-Gerriets Radio Service $11.80; Supt. of Schools Mileage-Josephine Muriel Hoover $70.64; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $148.40; Mileage-Cliff Englund $334.50; Sheriffs Fees-Cliff Englund $32.50; Court Expense-Cliff Englund $47.28; County Farm-Kreisers Drug Store $3.58; Marshall-Wells Store $1.49; Park-Grant Co. $58.26; Watertown Milling Co. $45.69; S. S. Kresge Co. $1.95; John Thompson $45.80; City Treas. $39.14; TEXT-BOOKS-Midwest-Beach Co. $87.39; Educator Supply Co. $75.00; Western Transportation Co. $1.25; ROAD-City Treas. $21.21; F. C. Grow Sons $43.50; N. W. Public Service Co. $6.48; Harold Scriver $1.50; Mpls. & St. Louis Railway Co. $34.84; Secretary of State $3.50; INSANE-George W. Burke $5.00; Dr. H. T. Kenney $12.00; C.M.V.-Reaney's $75.04; Motor Supply Co. $48.80; Algard Machine Shop $1.00; Mahowald Co. $7.31; Sioux Road Equipment Co. $564.50; Marquardts Service & Supply Co. $14.25; Dicks Seat Cover Shop $7.70; Williams Hardware Co. $1.18; C. E. McGowan Lumber Co. $29.33; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $54.25; Kochs Phillips 66 Service $9.20; Watertown Sheet Metal Works $2.20; Rosenwald-Cooper Inc. $12.50; Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $6.63; Lyle Thorson $24.82; J. P. Foster Co. $750.30; Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. $552.60; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $28.36; Cal's Standard Service $11.66; Int. Harvester Co., Aberdeen $98.68; Watertown Tire Co. $10.75; Sanders Chevrolet Co. $6.00; Thompson Yards $28.08; H. M. Hanten Agency $760.09; Watertown Machine Works $58.37; Dakota Welding Supply Co. $50.91; Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $1.71; Cave Supply Co. $211.52; Luther Paint & Glass Co. $20.93; Gerriets Radio Service $12.20; Halverson Repair Shop $10.00; Automotive Supply Co. $5.03; Northwestern Road Supply Co. $8.56; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $98.66; P. O. Brekke Agency $509.70; C.H. & B.R.-Rudolph Saathoff $17.06; Mrs. Mary Flury Sydenstricker $31.08; TUITION-Waverly Ind. Cons. School #1 $2,520.00.

At 2:00 P. M. Jordeth and Belk appeared on the Board.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that the rate of pay for guard duty be set at 85¢ per hr. retroactive to January 1, 1953. On roll call vote all members voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the motion carried.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the Sheriff's claim for mileage during the month of January, 1953 be held up till same could be further checked and clarified with the States Attorney and the Sheriff. The motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. Feb. 11, 1953.

Carl E. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
February 11, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

George Isack of Elmira Twp. appeared before the Board to discuss the matter of petitioning to add roads to the County Highway System.

The Board discussed medical, hospital and drug costs to the County for care of indigent patients. At the request of the Board, heads of the three Watertown hospitals appeared at 2:00 P. M. to discuss with the Commissioners these medical costs. Officials of the three hospitals agreed to prepare a schedule of prices for services and drugs furnished by hospitals and meet with the County Board of Commissioners again on Feb. 20, 1953 to present the price schedule and try to arrive at a satisfactory arrangement on same.

Sheldon vacated the Chair to Vice Chairman Jordeth.

It was moved by Sheldon and seconded by Keenan that owing to excessive costs of medical care for County indigent, the County will no longer authorize care of County patients by Specialists or hospitals outside of Codington County. The motion carried.

Sheldon resumed the Chair.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the claims of the three Watertown hospitals for January, 1953 be returned for further itemization and clarification. The motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. Feb. 14, 1953.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
February 14, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Pursuant to action of the Board as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of February 10, 1953, Sheriff, Cliff Englund, States Attorney, Ross Oviatt and Deputy States Attorney, Dale Bradshaw, appeared before the Board to discuss matters relative to the Sheriff's mileage claim for January, 1953. The matter of routine checking by the Sheriff of business places engaged in the sale of liquor under County jurisdiction was also discussed.

The Board approved the Sheriff's January mileage claim as submitted and authorized continued routine checking as noted above.

On a motion by Belk and second by Keenan the claim of Dr. Magni Davidson of Brookings, S. D. in the amount of $212.00 for care of Joe Clark was rejected by Board for the reason that no authorization had been given for care of said Joe Clark.

D. W. Tieszen, Principal of Watertown Senior High School, Bert Beglinger, Supt. of Henry High School, Andrew Markve, Supt. of Florence High School, Paul Eggers, Supt. of Waverly Consolidated School, and Floyd Snyder, Jr., Post Commander of Codington County Post No. 17 of the American Legion appeared before the Board on the matter of the Student Government Program sponsored by the American Legion.

Mr. Tieszen explained the purpose and plan of the program and asked that the County Commissioners and other County officials cooperate in the plan by allowing students from the High Schools of the County to visit the various offices in the Court House on a specified day. The Board called in other officials of County offices and it was agreed by all presnet that April 7, 1953 be designated as Student Government Day, at which time students from County High Schools would visit County offices to study and take part in County government.

The Board adjourned at 12:30 P. M. to 10:00 A. M. February 17, 1953.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
February 17, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Freeman McInroy $10.20; Joe Fischer $18.00; Earl Conway $30.20; Marinus Saathoff $30.60; Arthur Larson $2.00; Court House Maintenance-Jacob Dahl $64.50; Walter Dobson $107.50; Poor-Medical Arts Clinic for Fannie Baker, John Farley, Susanna Hegg, Philomena Holzemer, Mrs. Emma Klucas, Delia Scholl, Adolph Stankey, Richard Stanton, Mrs. Ferne Washtoak, Helen Webb, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Wisneske, $316.00; Medical Arts Clinic for Mrs. Ferne Washtoak, Mrs. Versal Smith, Rex Richmond, Delia Scholl, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Wisneske, Geo. Tribbit, Alfred Vick, Frank & Emma Klucas, Richard Stanton, Lester Schultz, Wilma Ulven, Susanna Hegg, Fannie Baker, Henry Anderson, John Farley, Roy Phipps, Adolph Stankey, $535.00.

The County Highway Superintendent's report for January, 1953 was checked and approved.

The application of the County Treasurer for refund of $5.92 to Oscar Schnackenberg for the reason of an error in computing interest on special assessments was approved by the Board.

The Clerk of Courts statement of fees collected during January, 1953 in the amount of $234.10 was approved.

The application of Albert Talbott for abatement of 1952 School Poll in the amount of $1.00 for reason of six years of National Guard Service was approved by the Board.

The County Treasurer submitted an application for abatement of balance on contract payment on back taxes in the amount of $13.97 on ~~the~~ *the* SW¼ of NW¼, Sec. 32-120-52-Res., also back taxes on same as follows: 1949 tax $21.52; 1950 tax $25.62; 1951 tax $26.40; 1952 tax $29.66.

Foregoing application was approved on a motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth for the reason that said property has been deeded to Codington County by Ole Hanson and is therefore tax exempt.

R E S O L U T I O N #168

WHEREAS, there has been with-held the sum of $3926.65 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to Kampeska, Lake and Dexter townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund, to be known as the County Special Highway Fund, and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund,

AND WHEREAS, the sum with-held is greater than required to complete the necessary work in the said County Highway System in the said townships,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the sum of $3926.65 be apportioned to the said townships as follows:

Kampeska	$1522.17
Lake	1971.82
Dexter	432.66

The Above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Jordeth and upon Roll Call all Commissioners voted yea, and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 17th day of February, 1953

Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota

By Einar Jordeth
Vice Chairman

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

R E S O L U T I O N #169

At a regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota held at the County Court House in the City of Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota on the 17th day of February, 1953. The following members being present: P. D. Sheldon, Vernon H. Belk, Einar Jordeth, O. J. Fromke and James L. Keenan. The following members being absent: None.

The following proceedings were had: Moved by Commissioner Keenan and motion seconded by Commissioner Belk that under the provisions of SDC 12. 1913 as amended by Chapter 28, Laws of 1951, we hereby authorize the expenses as a proper charge against this County, of the State's Attorney and Sheriff to attend an annual meeting of State's Attorneys and Sheriff called by the Attorney General for March 22, 23, and 24, 1953 to be held in the City of Pierre, South Dakota as follows:

1. An allowance for the actual cost of subsistence per day, including meals and lodging, as evidenced by appropriate receipts, not to exceed $6.00 per day.

2. An allowance for mileage not in excess of six cents per mile actually and necessarily traveled if made by automobile or actual costs for transportation if by railroad.

Members voting in favor of this resolution: P. D. Sheldon, Vernon H. Belk, Einar Jordeth, O. J. Fromke and James L. Keenan. Members voting against the resolution: None

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 17th day of February, year of 1953.

Codington County, South Dakota

By Einar Jordeth
Vice Chairman of County Commissioners

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the application of A. O. Jevnem for abatement of 1952 personal property taxes in the amount of $101.80 be rejected for the reason of an attorney Generals opinion that over-assessment is not grounds for abatement. The motion carried.

The Board was advised by letter from the State Highway Commission that Old Highway No. 20 from the Overhead to Florence reverted to the townships when the new Highway No. 20 was built.

The application of William Chilson for abatement of 1952 Road Poll in the amount of $4.00 was rejected by the Board on a motion by Keenan and second by Belk for reason of lack of proof of age of applicant.

Epho Thomas appeared before the Board with a petition by free holders of Fuller Twp. to add to the County Highway System the following described road, to wit:

> Commencing at the northwest corner of Section 33-118-54 thence east approximately 3½ miles to connect with S. D. Highway No. 20 in Fuller Twp.

Same petition also requested that the following described road be abandoned from the County System, to wit:

> Commencing on the Nowthwest corner of Section 28-118-54 thence two miles east to the northeast corner of Section 27-118-54 in Fuller Twp.

The Board deferred action on foregoing petition to a later date.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. Feb. 20, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
Feb. 20, 1953

The meeting scheduled for this date was postponed because of the severe weather conditions.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
Feb. 24, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to postponed at 10:00 A. M. with all members present.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $294.16; Dorothy Below $210.00; Irma Welch $190.00; Pearl Bergan $180.00; Alice Olson $150.00; County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $294.16; Alma Gerberding $210.00; DeLoris Goodroad $185.00; Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $267.50; Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $267.50; Harriett Horning $205.00; Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-Josephine Muriel Hoover $294.16; Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $256.66; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Laura J. Avis $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $260.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $183.33; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl Michaelson $175.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Katherine Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; George Scheenherr $4.00; Rudolph Kannas $13.10; W. B. Higman $110.67; Erwin Koll; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Harry Roberts $100.00; Irene Roberts $50.00; John Strait $4.75; Leo Clausen $4.75; E. Spearbeck $5.25; Commissioners per diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $111.60; Oscar J. Fromke $105.50; Einar Jordeth $94.04; James L. Keenan $108.10; Palmer D. Sheldon $117.75; Poor-Bartron Hospital & Clinic for Corrine Anderson, W. B. Barkley, Johnny Boehme, David Bright, Alvina Butts, Mrs. Clara Cates, Mrs. John Dobson, Harry Freeseman, Magnus Helland, Eric Johnson, Peter Johnson, Mrs. Joe Lindner, George Manley, Mrs. Ed McPeek, Frank Metzinger, B. J. Murray, Will Norman, Ernest Putnam, Dale Sheffer, Robert L. Smith, Henry Springer, Mrs. Henry Springer, Esther Schwartz, Chas. Underhill, Mrs. Helen Waba, Henry Webb, Sr.; Edgar Wight, Loren Wohlwend, $2,446.11; St. Anns Hospital for Thomas Benson, Samuel Blue Dog, Ed Breuer, John Farley, Ella Flanagan, Emma Henthorn, Clarence Nelson, John O'Neill, Rosa Shape, Myrtle Wiggin, $1,488.18; Memorial Hospital for Fannie Baker, Anna Christianson, Casper Johnson, Sophie Kieso, Frank Klucas, Wm. Kyle, Olger Markuson, Elmer Robb, Mrs. Frances Sandal, Delia Scholl, Anna Stanton, Helen Webb, Robt. Wiseman, $2,501.28; Standard Oil Co.-Mrs. James Kinon, Mrs. Earl Jensen, Will Norman, Wm. Barto, Glenn Forman, $53.55; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.W.-L. G. Larson $325.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $175.00; Severt Tobiason $200.00; Bert Smith $20.00; J. P. Haug $273.30; Joe Stricherz $220.90; John Rennie $264.40; C. B. Sumner $289.30; Harold Scriver $249.15; Melvin Hanthorn $8.55; Ed Gould $191.82; James Hendren $234.20; Howard Williams $242.70; Alfred Spring $232.10; Carl Zweig Jr. $225.25; Fred Brownell $165.12; John Strait $210.19; Leo Clausen $232.00; E. Spearbeck $192.25; Standard Oil Co. $155.74; C.H. & B.R.-Ed Gould $47.50; Fred Brownell $19.00; C.H. & B.R.-John Strait $19.00.

States Attorney, Ross Oviatt, appeared before the Board for the purpose of checking with the Commissioners the discrepensies in County offices as noted by the State Auditor's report as of July 31, 1952.

Elmer Pardau appeared before the Board regarding the rate of pay for guard duty in the case of Victor Dordeaux. The Board advised Mr. Pardau that the rate of pay for guard duty had been fixed at 85¢ per hour, as shown in Commissioners Proceedings of February 10, 1953, which pay rate was retroactive to January 1, 1953. Mr. Pardau felt that he should receive $1.00 per hour.

The Board deferred action on above matter pending advice from the States Attorney.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Kenneth Borns $4.00; Harley Rauch $22.50; Cliff Foss $187.50.

The February, 1953 report of Justice of the Peace, Joe Strom was checked and approved.

The Register of Deeds Report of Fees collected during January, 1953 in the amount of $341.35 was checked and approved.

C. H. Sonnenberg appeared before the Board to request that George Burke, Veterans Service Officer, be granted a three-week leave of absence with pay to accompany a group of Boy Scouts from the Pheasant Council to the National Boy Scout Jamboree near Los Angeles, California some time in July, 1953. The Board agreed to give Burke two weeks, but that the third week should be applied on his two-week vacation. This arrangement was agreed upon by all concerned.

Representatives of the three Watertown hospitals appeared before the Board pursuant to agreement as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of February 11, 1953 with a proposed schedule of rates for hospital, drugs and other hospital services. After considerable discussion it was agreed among those present, that members of the medical staff should also be consulted. March 6, 1953 at 2:00 P. M. was fixed by the Board as the time for another meeting for the purpose of arriving at some definite agreement.

The bond of Carl Michaelson, Court House Custodian, in the amount of $3,000.00 was approved by the Board.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. March 3, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
March 3, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Chris Engels $83.30; Poor-Mrs. Earnest Schmeling $25.00; Court House Maintenance-Tracy Sherer $42.50.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the opening of sealed bids to furnish the County with one "Bucket Loader" as specified in notice to bidders duly published in the official county newspapers, Chairman Sheldon requested the County Auditor to open and read the bids.

Bids were submitted as follows: Empire Equipment Co. of Aberdeen, S. D.- One (1) Barber-Greene Model 82-A Bucket Loader, crawler type as per specifications, price F.O.B. Watertown, S. D. $10,269.75, less $350.00 allowed on trade-in of old Barber-Greene, less $113.87 for swivel spout included in price but not desired. Net price bid $9,805.88.

J. D. Evans Equipment Co. of Sioux Falls, S. D. - One (1) Haiss 77C Crawler Bucket Loader as per specifications-price F.O.B. Watertown- $11,131.00, less trade-in allowance on old Barber-Greene $750.00; net price bid $10,381.00.

Representatives of the above firms were interviewed separately by the Board.

On roll call vote by Commissioner District, all Commissioners voted to accept the Empire Equipment bid as the lowest and best bid.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the bid of the Empire Equipment Co. be accepted and that Chairman Sheldon be authorized to sign contract with said firm; also that the certified check of the unsuccessful bidder be returned. The motion carried.

Howard Ristvedt, Delmar Dale, Duanne Hallstrom and Ingwold Johnson, all of Eden Twp. appeared before the Board with a petition to add to the County Highway System the following described road, to wit: Commencing on the southwest corner of Sec. 5-119-55, thence five miles east to the Southwest Corner of Sec. 1-119-55, all in Eden Twp., Codington County.

The Board ordered foregoing petition filed pending final action on similiar petitions previously filed.

The application of Pelican Twp. assessor, F. C. Benthin, for abatement of 1952 Real Estate taxes of Watertown Abbatoir Co. in Pelican Twp. in the amount of $58.70 for the reason of an error by the assessor in entering the valuation of the property, was rejected by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Fromke.

The application of Thomas Hoffman for abatement of 1952 personal property taxes in Henry Village in the amount of $3.50 for the reason of an error in assessment whereby a refrigerator was assessed to Mr. Hoffman when he actually had none, was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Fromke.

The Board of Commissioners and the County Highway Supt. received a letter signed by several residents from aroond Lake Kampeska expressing appreciation for the manner in which the County Highway Dept. had kept the Lake Road open for traffic during the past winter.

States Attorney, Ross Oviatt, and Elmer Pardau appeared before the Board on the matter of pay for guard duty served by Pardau. The States Attorney advised the Board that it was entirely within their jurisdiction to set the pay rate. Mr. Pardau accepted the County warrant in the amount of $41.65 for guard duty at the rate of 85¢ per hour, but submitted a supplement claim in the amount $7.35 which would increase the pay rate to $1.00 per hour. The Board deferred action on the supplemental claim till March 10, 1953.

The official bond and oath of Carl Bergan, County Auditor, in the amount of $2,000.00 was approved on a motion by Belk and second by Jordeth.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. March 6, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

watertown, South Dakota
March 6, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $127.50; Court House Maintenance-Tracy Sherer $76.25; Poor-Mae Abbott for Mary L. Wilson $10.00.

The morning was spent in cancelling paid warrants of 1952.

Pursuant to previous agreement, heads of the three Watertown hospitals appeared before the Board at 2:00 P. M. to further discuss hospital and drug rates for County indigent. The following proposed schedule of rates was accepted by the Board for a trial period up to July 1, 1953, to wit:

Room - $5.00 per day.
Laboratory - gross limit, $10.00 per patient per month.
Xrays - gross limit, $10.00 per patient per month.
Drugs - gross limit, $35.00 per patient per month.

The application of David R. Stobo for abatement of 1951 taxes in the amount $4.30 and 1952 taxes in the amount of $4.52 on Lots 132 and 133 in Fairfax Addition to Watertown was

approved by the Board for the reason that said property belonged to Codington County during those years and was not acquired by Stobo till June of 1952.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. March 10, 1953.

Carl F. Bargen
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
March 10, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Walter Gusso for Bert Crandall $25.00; Louis C. Kinstad for Ola Hanson and Ola Omodt $66.50; Mrs. Anna Lange for Joan and Clarence Jr. Tessier $40.00; Lohrs Home for Edith Kinsey $30.00; Mrs. Mary Miller for Mrs. Joe Coyle $10.00; Mae Waba for Helen Waba $30.00; Mrs. Gladys Helseth for Sadie Stevens, Louis Mourere, John O'Neill $91.40; Mrs. Bessie Young for Rose Dixon and Sarah Ann Black $25.00; L. L. Blake for Billy Vermilion $40.00; Mrs. Augusta Bunde for Louisa Richter $15.00; Irene Stockman for Loretta Stockman $45.00; Photo News $55.00; Herbergers, Inc. $37.45; Acme Feed & Coal Co. for Emmett Keyser $22.50; Bartron Hospital & Clinic for Mrs. Oscar J. Anderson, W. B. Barkley, Cora Barto, Johnny Boehm, Marion Bowman, Leo Breske, David Bright, James Chambers, Harry Freeseman, Dora Gartzke, Magnus Helland, Emma Jenkins, Matt Kemp, LeRoy Krapf, Mrs. Fred Lenards, Mr. & Mrs. Joe Lindner, Geo. Manley, Frank Metzinger, B. J. Murray, Mrs. Margaret Papka, Robt. L. Smith, Mrs. Henry Springer, Hazel Steenberg, John Welter, Edgar Wight, Sharon & Robt. Schreifels, $1961.53; Brown Clinic for Adeline Bakken, Thomas Benson, Edward M. Breuer, Mrs. Mervin Christenson, Frank Cox, Richard Depeel, Ella Flanagan, Mrs. Emma Henthorn, Luke Henry Hopkins, Nick & Lena Mauer, Mrs. J. B. McLaughlin, Mrs. Clarence Nelson, A. R. Quade, Anna Parsley, Rosa Shape, Cliff Van Sickle, Dooks Teigen, $357.50; Bockoven Bros. for Geo. Hendricks $4.50; Cass County Welfare Board for Frederick and Rachel Boadwine $45.06; Clark Medical Clinic for Geo. Hendricks $57.50; Community Memorial Hospital for Georgia Painter $39.50; Dr. J. H. Crawford Jr. for Mrs. Monroe Simons $20.40; Creasers & Sons for Mrs. Wm. Bunde, Jud Turner, Otto Jungen, Hazel Steenberg, Homer Black, Richard Kemp, $163.25; Duffners Drug Store for Gertrude Heathcote, A. R. Quade, Geo. Tribitt, Ole Hanson, Louis Mourere, Emma Jenkins, Peter DeMuynck, Naomi Duus, Wm. Ball, Marshall Bradfield, Steve Wisneski, Mrs. Wm. Bunde, B. J. Murray, Freemond Tribitt, Sophie Kieso, $220.58; Farmers Co-op Assn. of South Shore for Loren Wohlwend $30.75; Farmers Market for Homer Black, Glenn Forman, $42.02; G. N. Train Depot for LeRoy Krapf $6.16; Haggars Drug Store for Cliff VanSickle, Mrs. Frank Krause, Fern Washtoak, Emma Klucas, Philomena Holzemer, Emma Henthorn, John Farley, Frank Cox, Mildred Taylor, $137.92; Lester Hansen Elev. for Fred Lenards $35.68; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. for Robt. Sharp, Melvin Laurence, Phoebe Mowery, $55.95; Henry Oil Co. for Geo. Henricks, $15.50; Hollywood Grocery for Carl Christensen, Ben Nelson, $32.59; Home Grocery for James Kinon $24.00; Huebner Oil Co. for Wm. Glendenning, Frank Metzinger, $45.81; Johnson Grocery for Monroe Simons, Daniel Mathiesen, Harold Tibbits, Melvin Lawrence, Lester Lackey, $97.00; Jurgensens Dairy for Tracy Sherer $12.00; Kreisers Drug Store for A. R. Quade, Myrtle Nelson, Matilda Blek, Dooks Teijen, Nick & Lena Mauer, Anna Parsley, $47.40; Lampert Lbr. Co. for Thos. Redwing $22.50; Linden Park Grocery for Robt. Sharp $10.00; Little Grocery for Robt. Corey, Carl Hemiller, Alfred Lovejoy, Daniel Mathiesen, Leo Meis, Ben Nelson, Will Norman, S. E. Tubbs, $276.60; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes for Robt. Wiseman, Geo. Tribitt, Chas. Underhill, Hans Olson, Joyce Christensen, LeRoy Krapf, Richard DePeel, $131.00; Memorial Hospital for Fannie Baker, Richard DePeel, Sophie Kieso, Wm. Kyle, Hans Olson, Olger Markuson, Peter Peterson, A. R. Quade, Rex Richmond, Frances Sandal, Adolph Stankey, Robt. Wiseman, $2130.02; McBath Coal & Coke Co. for Carl Hemiller, Mrs. Lena Mauer, Ben Nelson, $50.13; Medical Arts Clinic for Adolph Stankey, Steve Wisneski, Frank & Emma Klucas, Philomena Holzemer, Fern Washtoak, Rex Richmond, Fannie Baker, Mrs. Richard Stanton, Susanna Hegg, Frances Sandal, Anna Christianson, Geo. Tribbitt, John Farley, Wm. Ball, Peter Peterson, Louis Mourere, Wayne Krueger, Sophie Kieso, $320.00; Northside Grocery for Freemond Tribitt $10.00; J. C. Penney Co. for Mary & Billy Vermilion $16.59; Dr. Clark Prey for David J. Beynon $18.00; Red Owl Super Market for Mrs. Wm. Bundy, Wm. Carter, Lyle Thompson, Loren Wohlwend, $103.80; Shaw-Messer Chapel for Philomena Holzemer, Rose Shape, $119.25; O. P. Skaggs Grocery for Marion Bowman, Arthur Webb, Fred Krueger, $44.00; Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. for Lyle Thompson, Chas. Underhill, $28.31; Thomes Drug Store for Louisa Richter, Hilda Haack, Anna Christianson, Mrs. Minnie Johnson, Helen Waba, Richard DePeel, Alfred Vick, $64.60; Dr. M. C. Thompson for Mrs. Fred Heathcote, Geo. Tribitt, Mrs. Minnie Johnson, Richard DePeel, Lena Trumer, Peter DeMuynck, Helen Waba, Myrtle Nelson, $114.00; S. D. Children's Aid Society for Sharon & Robert Schreifels $30.00; Watertown Clinic for David Brown, Peter DeMuynck, Myrtle Wiggins, $199.00; Red Owl Store of South Shore for Willie Schmeling $25.45; Thompson Yards for Lester Lackey, Mrs. Ralph Kinsey, Joseph Lindner, $66.45; Watertown Community Oil co. for Nick Schriefels, Arthur Webb, Robt. Corey, Gustav Lentz, Tracy Sherer, Daniel Mathiesen, Earl Jensen, Mervin Christianson, Howard Thompson, Leo Meis, $281.40; Watertown Community Oil Co. for Howard Thompson, Marion Bowman, Leo Meis, Robt. Corey, Tracy Sherer, Daniel Mathiesen, Gustav Lentz, Arthur Webb, Robt. Mitchell, $131.58; St. Ann's Hospital for Thos. Benson, Ed Breuer, Joyce Christianson, Richard DePeel, Luke Hopkins, Lena Mauer, Mrs. J. B. McLaughlin, Rose Shape, Fern Washtoak, Myrtle Wiggins, $1213.79; Univ. of Minn. Hospitals for LeRoy Krapf $1321.30; Watertown Potato Co. for Fred Lenards $5.00; Putman's Service for Robt. Corey, Sam Lovejoy, $3.28; Spies Super Valu for Eva Schultz $10.00; K-D Inc. for Nick Schreifels $12.00; Keller Fuel & Supply Co. for Mrs. Josephine Riley $11.13; Standard Oil Co. for Glenn Forman, James Kinon, Wm. Barto, Will Norman $65.03; Insurance & Bonds-Farmers Ins. Exchange $11.74; McClintic Insurance $183.81; Lamm Agency $9.25; Loken Co. $18.50; McClintic Insurance $35.50; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $97.65; Oscar Fromke $96.04; Einar Jordeth $79.60; James L. Keenan $108.00; Palmer D. Sheldon $103.10; Vital Statistics-Dr. R. M. Kilgard $100.00; Walter A. Farl $335.65; M. C. Rousseau $35.00; Donald M. Olson $6.25; G. R. Bartron $5.50; C. R. Stoltz $31.50; Romans Auskaps $4.00; H. Russell Brown $3.00; Abner Willen $6.50; S.J. Walter $7.75; M. W. Larsen $22.00; R. W. Huber $1.75; J. W. Argabrite $4.75; Thomas Reul $4.00; H. T. Kenney $3.50; M. C. Thompson $1.75; C. J. Clark $4.00; H. J. Bartron Jr. $1.25; O. M. Storsteen $1.00; W. G. Magee $.25; Joseph E. Messer $1.50; Joseph Lovering $.25; O.S. Randall $.25; Mary Schmidt $.50; J. H. Crawford $.25; Donald Campbell $.25; Valdis Brakes $.25; Visvaldis Janavs $.25; Coroners Expense-Clarence A. Heaton $5.10; W. H. Michaels $5.10; W. L. Johnson $5.10; Everett Hanthorn $1.10; Al White $1.10; Jack Hoy $1.10; Floyd LaVake $.10; Joseph E. Messer $15.53; Dr. G. R. Bartron $50.00; Bartron Clinic $42.50; Gunn's

Studio $6.25; Supt. of Schools Mileage $28.84; County Extension-Clara W. Johnson $6.22; Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.30; Veterans Service-Rosella Howey $14.98; Court Expense-Dale E. Bradshaw $1.75; F. W. Haas, M.D. $235.28; George Engler $61.20; Walter A. Farl $1.50; Palace of Sweets $36.72; Watertown Cafe $35.70; Cliff Englund $63.90; Cliff Englund $8.16; Joseph H. Strom $18.40; Mabel C. Alworth $25.00; New Grand Hotel $3.50; Court Office Expense-Watertown Typewriter Co. $2.93; Sheriffs Office Expense-Gerriets Radio Service $8.50; Assessors Supplies-Panama Carbon Co. $30.00; Photo News $5.00; Auditors Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $32.42; Watertown Public Opinion $26.50; South Shore Gazette $18.75; Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.20; Underwood Corp. $634.20; Western Transportation Co. $10.13; Sheriffs Fees-Cliff Englund $36.94; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $118.00; Sheriffs Mileage-Cliff Englund $189.80; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $25.17; LaFrance Office Equip. Co. $2.50; Railway Express Agency Inc. $1.90; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $393.19; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Midwest Beach Co. $6.27; LaFrance Office Equip. Co. $7.70; Treasurers Office Expense-Uarco, Inc. $845.04; Watertown Public Opinion $12.03; Printing & Advertising-Watertown Public Opinion $194.46; Henry Independent $125.21; South Shore Gazette $145.39; Public Welfare Office Exp.-Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.42; Court House Maintenance-Western Transportation Co. $2.62; Walter D. Dobson $7.50; Wagner & Son Plumbing $15.03; Ben Nelson $2.70; Harris Janitor Co. $36.75; N.W. Bell Telephone Co. $271.35; Owen Electric Co. $520.85; S & H Furniture Repair $251.85; Park Grant Co. $45.71; City Treas. $630.77; G. R. Herbergers $10.92; Botsford Lumber Co. $7.90; Reaney's Service $.80; County Farm-Park Grant Co. $56.46; City Treas. $42.57; Liens Grocery $33.62; Spies Super Valu $11.92; K-D,Inc. $14.10; Butterbrodt Drug Store $4.06; Montgomery Ward $5.77; Olson Appliance Co. $97.31; Holland Furnace Co. $15.00; Public Welfare Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.42; C.M.V-McClintic Insurance $643.62; Richard Eidsness $8.55; Harold Hanson $4.75; George Holida $32.30; Pat Paulson 8.55; ROAD-Railway Express Co. $5.42; Ruhe Stationery Co. $13.80; City Treas. $32.75; Pacific Grain Co. $41.50; Keller Fuel & Supply Co. $2.50; N.W. Public Service $3.67; Harold Scriver $2.24; Textbooks-Western Transportation Co. $2.50; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Botsford Lumber Co. $7.05; Reaney's Service $260.34; Putman's Service $63.26; Standard Oil Co. $380.19; Olson Appliance Co. $91.51; Standard Tar Products Co. $148.75; Cal's Standard Service $8.29; Dakota Welding Co. $41.95; Empire Equipment Co. $48.05; Cave Supply Co. $131.53; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $29.94; J. P. Foster Co. $90.72; Gilberts Hardware $3.76; R. E. Hubbard Co. $36.47; International Harvester Co. $602.44; LaNoues Radiator Shop $20.00; Mahowald Co. $28.59; Marquardts Service $257.34; Frank Miller Co. $17.35; Motor Supply Co. $143.00; N.W. Road Supply Co. $10.50; Sanders Chevrolet Co. $20.08; Schweigers Inc. $22.30; Sioux Road Equipment Co. $63.80; Watertown Machine Works $41.60; Watertown Tire Co. $50.70; Williams Hardware Co. $68.78; C.H. & B.R. Louis A. Henningson $17.21; Thompson Yards $12.39; TEXTBOOKS-Hub City School Supply Co. $15.45; Silver Burdett Co. $84.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $7.27; Paul David $5.82; Joseph J. Fox $5.68; INSTITUTE-Mrs. Geo. Anderson $2.50; Mrs. Lyle Buskrud $2.50; Mrs. Roland L. Givens $2.50; Mrs. Lyle Grady $2.50; Mrs. Albert Holzworth $2.50; Mrs. Marshall L. Johnson $2.50; Betty Kruegar $15.00; Mrs. Rodney Stoltz $7.50; Mrs. D. W. Tiezen $7.50.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the opening of sealed bids to furnish Codington County with No. 1 bridge plank for the current year, bids were opened and read as follows: Thompson Yards, Watertown, S. D.-$103.00 per M for No. 1; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co., Watertown, S. D.-$100.25 per M for 20% #2; Botsford Lbr. Co., Watertown, S. D.-$100.00 per M for 20% #2; Lampert Lbr. Co., Watertown, S. D., -$108.25 per M for #1; Thompson Lbr. Yard, Estelline, S. D.-$109.25 per M for 10% #2; E.S. Gay Gaynor Lumber Co., Sioux City, Ia.-$100.50 per M for #1.

Representatives of each firm submitting bids were interviewed separately by the Board.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Belk that the bid of Thompson Yards of Watertown be accepted and that certified checks of the unsuccessful bidders be returned. The motion carried.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of March 1, 1953 was approved by the Board as follows: Total amount of deposits in banks - $406,293.18; Total amount of cash, checks and drafts in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days $7,856.37; Government Bonds -$181,837.33; Total of all items - $595,986.88.

The statements of fees collected during February, 1953 were checked and approved as follows: Register of Deeds - $339.00; Clerk of Courts - $215.90.

The following monthly statements for February, 1953 were checked and approved by the Board: State Sanatorium at Sanator, S. D. - $127.27; Yankton State Hospital - $1622.83; Redfield State Hospital - $525.00.

The claim of the City of Watertown in the amount of $2.75 for use of tables for school exhibits was rejected by the Board.

C. J. Henrichs of Rauville Twp. presented to the Board a petition signed by ten legal voters in Rauville School Districts #13 and 26 requesting changes in boundaries of said school districts as follows, to wit:

> The boundaries of Rauville Dist. #13 to exclude 115'x 378' in the Northwest Corner of the $SE\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 30-118-52, and the boundaries of Rauville District #26 to include above described property.

The Board deferred action on foregoing petition till further checking could be done on same.

The claim of Elmer Pardau in the amount of $7.35 to supplement pay rate in guard duty for Victor Bordeaux was rejected by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Fromke.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. March 17, 1953.

Carl F. Bryan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
March 17, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Jordeth, Belk, Keenan and Fromke present, Sheldon absent, Vice Chairman Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Printing & advertising-Postmaster $6.69; Court Office Expense-Postmaster $1.06; County Extension-Postmaster $10.11; Supt. of Schools-Postmaster $47.27; Veterans Service-Postmaster $3.36; Public Welfare Office Postmaster $15.86; Sheriffs Office Expense-Postmaster $9.98; Cerk of Courts Office Expense-Postmaster $49.41; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Postmaster $31.15; Treas. Office Expense Postmaster $280.46; Auditors Office Expense-Postmaster $42.21; Court House Maintenance-Tracy Sherer $85.00; Court Expense-Ada Cloos $5.10; Elmer Adams $5.10; ROAD-Postmaster $2.44.

The application of Leo Smith for a compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes plus interest, penalties and advertising costs in the total amount of $158.12 for a payment of $121.47 was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Belk.

The annual report of fees collected by the Clerk of Courts during 1952 was checked and approved by the Board as follows; Circuit Court-$1,114.70; County Court - $1,517.40; Miscellaneous - $1,287.80; Total receipts for 1952 - $3,919.90.

The County Highway Superintendent's report for February, 1953 was checked by the Board.

On a motion by Belk and second by Keenan the Board authorized L. Roush, agent for the American Bindery and Supply Co. of Minneapolis, Minn. to repair records in the Register of Deeds office at a total cost of $550.00 as follows: Plat Book A - $150.00; Surveyors Field Notes 1 - $25.00; Deed Record A, Mortgage Record A, Deed Record B - $25.00 each; Deed Record 95, Deed Record 99, Deed Record 103, Deed Record 69, Deed Record E, Deed Record 101, Deed Record M and Deed Record 13 at $12.50 each; 33 Canvas jackets - $200.00.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved by the Board as follows: Bernard Fleming $7.50; Glenn Stadheim $15.00; Mervin Moyer $4.00; Alfred Noeldner $4.00; A. J. Mueller $390.00; Lloyd S. Foster $172.50.

City Attorney, Lloyd Peterson, L. L. Blake of the State Welfare Dept. and States Attorney, Ross Oviatt, appeared before the Board regarding liens of the Martin Wick estate. No action was taken.

APPRAISAL OF LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING TO BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, deems it advisable to sell the real property hereinafter described, acquired by said county by tax deed, and said Board of County Commissioners has directed that such real property be offered for sale and that it first be appraised by said board as provided by law,

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, report that they have made a just and fair appraisement of the real property hereinafter described:

The following described property situated in the City of Watertown:

.25 acres in N.W. Corner of SE¼ of Sec. 36-117-53, City Lands	$ 5.00
Lot 11, Blk. 75, Third Railway	150.00
Lots 5,6,7,8, & 9, Blk. 5, Davlins Addition	25.00 each
S½ of Lot 14, Blk. 7, East Watertown Addition	200.00
Lots 15,16,17,18,19,20, & 21, Fairfax Addition	10.00 each
Lots 87,88, & 89, Fairfax Addition	10.00 each
Lots 96, 97, 98, & 99, Fairfax Addition	5.00 each
Lot 143, Fairfax Addition	20.00
Lots 32 thru 37, Blk. 3, Kemp Bros. Addition	10.00 each
Lot 10, Blk. 5, Kemp Bros. Addition	5.00
Lot 32, Blk. 5, Kemp Bros. Addition	5.00
Lot 28, Blk. 11, Kemp Bros. Addition	25.00
Lot 6, Blk. 12, Kemp Bros. Addition	5.00
Lot 4, Blk. 23, Pettigrew's Addition	5.00
Lots 53 & 54, Blk. 55, West Watertown Addition	10.00 each
Outlot 33, Way-Case Addition, Sec. 36-117-53	25.00
Lots 8 & 9, Blk. 5, Way-Davlins-Hillcrest Addition	150.00 each
Lot 188, Way's Lake Drive Addition	10.00
Florence Village:	
Lot 8, Blk. 2	$ 10.00
Lot 9, Blk. 2	10.00
Lot 6, Blk. 3	10.00
Lot 7, Blk. 3	10.00
Lot 2, Blk. 13	200.00
Lot 3, Blk. 13	5.00
Lots 1, 2, & 3, Blk. 14	300.00
Wallace Village:	
Lots 1 thru 5, Blk. 18	5.00 each
South Shore Village:	
Lot 1, Blk. 3, Wm. H. Johnston's Addition	$800.00
Dexter Township:	
SW¼ of NW¼ Sec. 32-120-52, Sisseton Wahpeton Indian Res.	$800.00

Dated this 17th day of March, 1953.

March 17, 1953

Vice Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

County Commissioner

County Commissioner

County Commissioner

County Commissioner

R E S O L U T I O N #170

DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, The County of Codington in the State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota,

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 17th day of March, 1953, at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property, to-wit:

The following described property situated in the City of Watertown:

.25 acres in N.W. Corner of SE¼ of Sec. 36-117-53, City Lands	$ 5.00	
Lot 11, Blk. 75, Third Railway	150.00	
Lots 5,6,7,8, & 9, Blk. 5, Davlins Addition	25.00	each
S½ of Lot 14, Blk. 7, East Watertown Addition	200.00	
Lots 15,16,17,18,19,20 & 21, Fairfax Addition	10.00	each
Lots 87, 88 & 89, Fairfax Addition	10.00	each
Lots 96, 97, 98 & 99, Fairfax Addition	5.00	each
Lot 143, Fairfax Addition	20.00	
Lots 32 thru 37, Blk. 3, Kemp Bros. Addition	10.00	each
Lot 10, Blk. 5, Kemp Bros. Addition	5.00	
Lot 32, Blk. 5, Kemp Bros. Addition	5.00	
Lot 28, Blk. 11, Kemp Bros. Addition	25.00	
Lot 6, Blk. 12, Kemp Bros. Addition	5.00	
Lot 4, Blk. 23, Pettigrew's Addition	5.00	
Lots 53 & 54, Blk. 55, West Watertown Addition	10.00	each
Outlot 33, Way-Case Addition Sec. 36-117-53	25.00	
Lots 8 & 9, Blk. 5, Way-Davlins-Hillcrest Addition	150.00	each
Lot 188, Way's Lake Drive Addition	10.00	
Florence Village:		
Lot 8, Blk. 2	10.00	
Lot 9, Blk. 2	10.00	
Lot 6, Blk. 3	10.00	
Lot 7, Blk. 3	10.00	
Lot 2, Blk. 13	200.00	
Lot 3, Blk. 13	5.00	
Lots 1, 2, & 3, Blk. 14	300.00	
Wallace Village:		
Lots 1 thru 5, Blk. 18	5.00	each
South Shore Village:		
Lot 1, Blk. 3, Wm. H. Johnston's Addition	800.00	
Dexter Township:		
SW¼ of NW¼ Sec. 32-120-52, Sisseton Wahpeton Indian Res.	800.00	

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of said Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota.

Dated this 17th day of March, 1953.

Vice Chrm. Board of County Commissioners

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota.

NOTICE OF SALE BY COUNTY OF LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Codington, South Dakota, has directed the within described real property acquired by said County by tax proceedings to be sold as provided by law.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the direction of the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, notice is hereby given that the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the Board of Commissioners of said County at the front door of the Courthouse, in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, State of South Dakota, on the 17th day of April, 1953, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described real estate situated in the County of Codington, State of South Dakota, to-wit:

The Following described property situated in the City of Watertown:

.25 acres in N.W. Corner of SE¼ of Sec. 36-117-53, City Lands	$ 5.00	
Lot 11, Blk. 75, Third Railway	150.00	
Lots 5,6,7,8 & 9, Blk. 5, Davlins Addition	25.00	each
S½ of Lot 14, Blk. 7, East Watertown Addition	200.00	
Lots 15,16,17,18,19,20 & 21, Fairfax Addition	10.00	each
Lots 87, 88 & 89, Fairfax Addition	10.00	each
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Lot 28, Blk. 11, Kemp Bros. Addition	25.00	
Lot 6, Blk. 12, Kemp Bros. Addition	5.00	
Lot 4, Blk. 23, Pettigrew's Addition	5.00	
Lots 53 & 54, Blk. 55, West Watertown Addition	10.00	each
Outlot 33, Way-Case Addition Sec. 36-117-53	25.00	
Lots 8 & 9, Blk. 5, Way-Davlins-Hillcrest Addition	150.00	each
Lot 188, Way's Lake Drive Addition	10.00	
Florence Village:		
Lot 8, Blk. 2	10.00	
Lot 9, Blk. 2	10.00	
Lot 6, Blk. 3	10.00	
Lot 7, Blk. 3	10.00	
Lot 2, Blk. 13	200.00	
Lot 3, Blk. 13	5.00	
Lots 1, 2, & 3, Blk. 14	300.00	
Wallace Village:		
Lots 1 thru 5, Blk. 18	5.00	each
South Shore Village:		
Lot 1, Blk. 3, Wm. H. Johnston's Addition	800.00	
Dexter Township:		
SW¼ of NW¼ Sec. 32-120-52, Sisseton Wahpeton Indian Res.	800.00	

The terms upon which said real estate will be sold are as follows: Cash at the time of the sale on all property listed except the last parcel, namely, SW¼ of NW¼ Sec. 32-120-52, Sisseton Wahpeton Indian Reservation which will be sold on the following terms, to-wit: $400.00 at the time of the sale, and the balance of the purchase price shall be paid with interest thereon at the rate of five percent per annum to date of final payment, on or before October 1, 1953.

Dated this 17th Day of March, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County,
South Dakota

(publish March 26, April 2, April 9, 1953)

NOTICE OF HEARINGS ON PETITIONS TO ADD ROADS TO Codington
County Highway System

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

You will please take notice that there has been filed in the office of Carl F. Bergan, County Auditor for Codington County, South Dakota, six petitions, each signed by twenty-five free holders or more of Codington County, South Dakota, petitioning the Board of County Commissioners of said county for the location and addition to the County Highway System of highways described as follows, to-wit:

PETITION NO. 1 - In Kranzburg and Waverly Townships: "Commencing on the northwest corner of Section 36-118-51 in Waverly Township, thence south four miles to the southwest corner of Section 13-117-51 in Kranzburg Township".

PETITION NO. 2 - In Mazeppa Township, Grant County and Leola Township, Codington County: "Commencing on the northeast corner of Section 29-120-51 in Mazeppa Township, Grant County, at a point on the present Grant County Highway known as the Evergreen Stock Farm Corner, to the intersection of State Highway #20, three miles west of South Shore, proposed road being two miles in Grant County and three miles in Codington County."

PETITION NO. 3 - In Leola Township: "Commencing at the Southwest corner of Section 2, thence east two miles to the southwest corner of Section 1, all in Township 118 north of Range 51, west of the Fifth P.M., being about two miles, and to intersect with the County Highway System on the west, and the proposed Grant County Highway System on the east."

PETITION NO. 4 - In Fuller Township: "Commencing on the northwest corner of Section 33-118-54 thence east approximately 3½ miles to connect with South Dakota Highway #20 in Fuller Township." Your petitioners further agree that the two miles of road described as follows, to-wit: "Commencing on the northwest corner of Section 28-118-54, thence two miles east to the northeast corner of Section 27-118-54, in Fuller Township is to be abandoned as a County road."

PETITION NO. 5 - In Lake and Fuller Townships: "Beginning at the Overhead in the northeast corner of Section 8-117-53 in Lake Township, thence about 3¼ miles north to the northeast corner of Section 29-118-53 in Fuller Township, thence west 4 miles to the southeast corner of Section 22-118-54, in Fuller Township, making about 7¼ miles."

PETITION NO. 6 - In Eden Township: "Commencing on the southwest corner of Section 5-119-55, thence five miles east to the southwest corner of Section 1-119-55, all in Eden Township". None of which are within the limits of any city or incorporated town within said County and State.

You will further take notice that foregoing petitions will be heard by the Board of County Commissioners in and for said Codington County, South Dakota at meetings of said Board to be held on the 13th and 14th of May, 1953 in the Commissioners Chambers located on the second floor of the Court House in the City of Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota, when and where any one opposing to the granting of the prayer of said petitioners may appear and be heard.

Petitions will be heard at specified times and in order as follows, to-wit:

Petition No. 1 - Waverly and Kranzburg Twps., 10:00 A.M. May 13, 1953
Petition No. 2 - Leola Township. 11:00 A. M. May 13, 1953
Petition No. 3 - Leola Township. 3:00 P. M. May 13, 1953
Petition No. 4 - Fuller Township. 10:00 A. M. May 14, 1953
Petition No. 5 - Lake & Fuller Townships.(Old Highway #20) 2:00 P. M. May 14, 1953
Petition No. 6 - Eden Township. 3:00 P. M. May 14, 1953

Foregoing petitions on file in the County Auditor's Office are hereby referred to for further particulars.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 17th day of March, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County

(Publish: March 26, April 2, April 9, 1953)

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. March 24, 1953

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
March 24, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiging.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Register of Deeds Office Expense-American Bindery & Supply Co. $550.00; Court House Maintenance-Tracy Sherer $95.00; Court Expense-Ray Bullard $5.10; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $67.50; Oscar J. Fromke $74.00; Einar Jordeth $64.00; James L. Keenan $87.50; Palmer D. Sheldon $89.75.

Art Henrickson appeared before the Board with a check in the amount of $80.49 which applied as final payment on liens of the Emma Jackson estate.

The report of Justice of the Peace, Joe Strom, for March, 1953 was checked and approved.

The application of Earl J. O'Laughlin for abatement of $1.00 School Poll for reason of military service exemption was approved by the Board.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. March 31, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
March 31, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Tracy Sherer $95.31; Carl S. Michaelson $175.00; Court Reporter-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Court Expense-Katherine Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Harry Roberts $100.00; Irene Roberts $50.00; Per Diem Mileage & Salary-Vernon H. Belk $55.50; Oscar J. Fromke $89.50; Einar Jordeth $50.60; James L. Keenan $66.20; Palmer D. Sheldon $93.70; Salary-Carl F. Bergan $294.16; Deputy County Auditor-Dorothy Below $210.00; Irma Welch $190.00; Pearl Bergan $180.00; Alice Olson $150.00; County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $294.16; Alma Gerberding $210.00; DeLoris Goodroad $185.00; Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $267.50; Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $267.50; Harriet Horning $205.00; Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-Josephine Muriel Hoover $294.16; Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $256.66; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Laura J. Avis $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $260.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $183.33; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V. Lars G. Larson $325.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $175.00; Sever Tobiason $200.00; Bert Smith $20.00; J. P. Haug $288.80; Joe Stricherz $372.75; John Rennie $303.80; C. B. Sumner $255.70; Harold Scriver $293.05; Ed Gould $236.38; James Hendren $259.00; Alfred Spring $266.95; Howard Williams $247.02; Carl Zweig, Jr. $257.55; John N. Strait $214.62; Fred Brownell $151.28; E. Spearbeck $178.69; Leo Clausen $213.70; C. B. Sumner $31.50; C.H. & B.R.-Ed Gould $19.00; Howard Williams $9.50; John N. Strait $19.00; Fred Brownell $9.50; E. Spearbeck $19.00; Leo Clausen $19.00; BRIDGE-John N. Strait $20.90; Fred Brownell $4.75; E. Spearbeck $19.95; Leo Clausen $19.95.

Alan Austin appeared before the Board regarding the application of Mrs. Abbie Johnson for compromise settlement of County poor liens of Bird and Augusta Wilcox. The Board authorized release of said liens in the amount of $753.05 for a cash payment of $37.65.

The following applications for abatement of taxes were presented to the Board: Harold Mooney, $1.00 dog tax in City of Watertown for the reason that he had no dog; Gaylord R. Bohn, 1952 personal property tax in the amount of $63.32 in Lake Twp. for the reason that he was assessed in School District #1 which was in error, and should be assessed in District #2; County Treasurer, 1951 tax on Lots 258 and 259 in Fairfax Addition to Watertown in the amount of $4.30 for the reason that said property had been taken for tax deed and was therefore exempt at the time of the 1951 assessment; Clark Stephens, 1952 Road Poll in the amount of $2.00 for the reason that said tax had been paid at the City Assessor's office.

Foregoing applications were approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Keenan.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, will receive sealed bids up to ten o'clock in the forenoon, May 5, 1953, at the Commissioners Chambers in the Courthouse in the City of Watertown, S. Dak., for the following:

"Two Trucks, 146 inch wheel base, equipped with dual wheels in rear, enclosed cab, 8.25 x 10 Ply Tires, two speed axle, Oil Filter, Heater, Defroster, Hydraulic Hoist, Body size Five Yards, extra windshield wiper, all F.O.B. at Watertown, South Dakota."

Two trucks as trade in, subject to appraisal and approval of the Court.

Bids to state with trade-in and without.

A certified check of 5% of bid, payable to the County Treasurer of Codington County, South Dakota, must accompany each bid, such check to be certified or issued by a State or National Bank, domiciled within the State as a guarantee that such bidders will enter into contract with Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with such letting in event such bidder is awarded the contract.

Preference may be given to goods and materials produced or grown within the boundaries of the State of South Dakota.

The Board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 31st day of March, 1953.

Vice Einar Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
Auditor, Codington County, S. D.

(Publish April 9-16-23, 1953)

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. April 7, 1953.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
April 7, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened in regular session at 9:00 A. M. with Jordeth Keenan, Belk and Fromke present, Sheldon absent, Vice Chairman Jordeth presiding.

Minutes of meetings of March 3, 6, 10, 17, 24 and 31, 1953 were approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Tracy Sherer $95.63; Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $120.00; County Judge Office Expense-Jeanette Kluck $13.00.

Chairman Sheldon appeared on the Board at 1:00 P. M., and Vice Chairman Jordeth relinquished the Chair to Sheldon.

The application of T. E. Johnson for abatement of 1952 School Poll in Watertown in the amount of $1.00 for the reason of military service exemption, was approved by the Board on motion by Fromke, second by Keenan.

On motion by Belk and second by Keenan, monthly statements of March, 1953 were approved as follows: Redfield State Hospital and School, $525.00; State Sanatorium at Sanator, S. D., $134.42.

Statements of Fees Collected during March, 1953 were approved on a motion by Keenan and second by Belk as follows: Register of Deeds, $507.60; Clerk of Courts, $332.15.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of April 1, 1953 was approved on a motion by Jordeth and second by Belk as follows: Total deposits in banks $490,151.52; Total amount of checks, drafts and cash in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days $9,727.48; Government Bonds $181,837.53; Total of all items $681,716.33.

The Veterans Service Individual Contact Report for March, 1953 was noted by the Board.

The Board acknowledged the Court Order refunding to the Coca Cola Bottling Company of Watertown, S. D., 1949 and 1951 taxes, plus interest on structures and equipment in the amount of $1,889.72.

The Court Order abating 1952 taxes of the Coca Cola Bottling Company in the amount of $352.54 was also acknowledged by the Board.

The application of John Fox for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes, plus penalties and interest in the amount of $231.40 for a payment of $185.60 was approved on a motion by Jordeth and second by Belk.

The Board discussed the matter of the time at which the Court House should be closed following public meetings in the Community Room or elsewhere in the building. It was unanimously agreed among the Board members that the Court House should be cleared and closed by not later than 11:00 P. M.

The application of Myrtle Van Sickle for abatement of 1949 personal property tax of Eva Madsen in the amount of $1.00 was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Jordeth.

William Hoftiezer appeared before the Board to announce his resignation as Caretaker of Memorial Park for the 1953 season. The Board accepted his resignation.

Mrs. Andrew Melham and Mrs. R. S. Williams, President and Vice President, respectively, of the Mellette Memorial Association, appeared before the Board for information as to whether the County, under provision of Senate Bill No. 298 passed by the 1953 Legislature, might give financial aid in the maintenance of Mellette House.

The Board advised Mrs. Melham and Mrs. Williams that the matter would be given consideration but no action could be taken until the law becomes effective, July 1, 1953.

R E S O L U T I O N #171

DESIGNATING DEPOSITORY BANKS FOR COUNTY FUNDS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
) SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, acting under Section 12.0818 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, and all other amendatory acts, the following named banks have made proper application to be designated as depositories for the funds of Codington County, South Dakota:

NAME OF BANK	LOCATION
First Citizens National Bank	Watertown, South Dakota
Farmers and Merchants Bank	Watertown, South Dakota
Farmers State Bank	Kranzburg, South Dakota

And, Whereas, it appears from the examination of said application that they are in proper form in compliance with the Statutes;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that the above named banks be and they are hereby designated as depositories for funds of Codington County, South Dakota, for the period of one year, beginning April 1, 1953, and the Treasurer is authorized to deposit funds therein when bonds or other legal security have been assigned to the County Treasurer.

AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the following banks:

ACTIVE DEPOSITORIES	
First Citizens National Bank	Watertown, South Dakota
Farmers and Merchants Bank	Watertown, South Dakota

are each designated as ACTIVE depositories as provided by Section 12.0819 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, and all amendatory acts, for the deposit therein by the County Treasurer of daily receipts of cash, checks, drafts, and other cash items, and the County Treasurer is expressly authorized to deposit in each of said banks in excess of 100% of the capital and surplus of each of said banks, providing that at all times, the funds on deposit shall be fully secured by surety bond, pledge of legal collateral insurance as provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Provided, further, that each such depository shall pay on demand all deposits therein subject to payment on demand, and shall pay, when demanded all time deposits therein, with accrued interest, if any.

Dated this 7th day of April, 1953, and to be spread on the minutes of the said Board of County Commissioners at this April 7th meeting duly attended by a majority of the Board.

Approved: Elmer Goodeth
Vice Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
Codington County,
South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

R E S O L U T I O N #172

APPROVING COLLATERAL PLEDGED BY DEPOSITORY BANKS AND DESIGNATION AND APPROVAL OF CUSTODIAN BANKS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
)SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, acting under Section 12.0818 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, and all other amendments as have been or may hereafter be enacted, the following named banks have been designated as depositories for the funds of Codington County, South Dakota, by the Board of County Commissioners and the County Treasurer, and in compliance with the aforesaid laws the said banks have assigned, transferred and set over to said Codington County, South Dakota, those certain securities described below; this collateral having been found by the said Board of County Commissioners to be good and sufficient for county funds, and in compliance with the Statutes relating thereto,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the same is hereby approved.
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the custodian banks named below for the safekeeping of said securities are hereby designated and approved.

FIRST CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK, WATERTOWN, SOUTH DAKOTA

AMOUNT	NAME AND DESCRIPTION	MATURITY DATE
$ 75,000.00	U. S. Treas. Bonds 2%	12-15/ 52-54
150,000.00	U. S. Treas. Bonds 2%	6-15/ 52-54

CUSTODIAN BANKS FOR THE SAFEKEEPING OF SAID SECURITIES:

Chase National Bank — New York City, New York
Federal Reserve Bank — Minneapolis, Minn.

FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BANK, WATERTOWN, SOUTH DAKOTA

$ 10,000.00	Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation
240,000.00	Securities now pledged as per list on file

CUSTODIAN BANKS FOR THE SAFEKEEPING of said securities:

Chase National Bank — New York City, New York

FARMERS STATE BANK, KRANZBURG, SOUTH DAKOTA

$10,000.00	F. D. I. C.	
25,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds 1951-53 2%	
	#77221/22 @ $500.00 Each	
	#71813/15 - 71746 @ $1,000.00 Each	
	#19308-61149/51 @ $5,000.00 Each	9-15-1953
15,000.00	U. S. A. Treasury Bonds 1952-54 2%	
	#139365E @ $10,000.00	
	#67256F @ 5,000.00	12-15-1954
$50,000.00		

CUSTODIAN BANK FOR THE SAFEKEEPING of said securities

Northwestern National Bank — Minneapolis, Minn.

Dated this 7th day of April, 1953, and to be spread on the minutes of the said Board of County Commissioners at this April 7th meeting duly attended by a majority of the Board.

Approved: Elmer Goodeth
Vice Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, County of Codington, South Dakota

Attest:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

County Treasurer

Foregoing resolutions were moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, second by Commissioner Keenan, and upon being put to a vote, all commissioners voted "yea" and none voted "nay", whereupon the Chairman declared the motion carried and the Resolutions adopted.

Several students from high schools in the County were present to observe the Commissioners Proceedings in connection with Student Government Day sponsered by the American Legion.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. April 8, 1953.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
April 8, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

The Board recessed while Commissioners Keenan, Jordeth and Fromke went out to the County Farm for the annual inspection and inventory..

COUNTY FARM REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1952

RECEIPTS

Produce (Cream & Eggs)	$1186.30
Cattle	295.75
Grain	147.00
Rental from 14.85 acres	84.10
Dividend	2.25
Total receipts	$1715.40

DISBURSEMENTS

Salary	$1926.74
Food	632.50
Clothing	129.44
Drugs	23.25
Fuel & Light	800.44
Equipment & Supplies	141.11
Feed & Seed	923.47
Produce & Livestock	864.74
Repairs	744.98
Miscellaneous	5.55
	$6192.22

State of South Dakota

County of Codington

I, Carl F. Bergan, County Auditor, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the receipts and disbursements of the County Farm, maintained in the said County from the accounts of my office.

Dated at Watertown, S. Dak., April 8, 1953

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

The Board reconvened at 2:00 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hoftiezer appeared before the Board to apply for the position as caretakers of Memorial Park for the 1953 season.

The Board advised them of their duties as Caretakers of the Park and agreed to emply them for the current season, beginning April 15, 1953 through September 15, 1953, at a salary of $200.00 per month; further details to be set out in contract to be drawn up and filed in the County Auditor's office.

The Board authorized the County Auditor to sign an agreement with the Pitney-Bowes Co. for service on postage meter equipment in the County Auditor's office once each month at an annual cost of $67.00.

The application of Robert Stemwedel for compromise settlement of County Poor liens in the amount of $291.01 for a payment of $250.00 was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Keenan.

The Board spent the remainder of the day cancelling paid warrants of March, 1953 and adjourned to 10:00 A. M. April 14, 1953.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
April 14, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Sheldon, Keenan, Jordeth, and Fromke present, Belk absent, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Charles Miller $11.50; W. A. Hackett $25.00; Cliff Englund $63.04; Mabel C. Alworth $33.30; Chris Engels $35.70; Joseph H. Strom $4.60; Ross Oviatt $43.75; Dale E. Bradshaw $3.50; Watertown Public Opinion $48.50; Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.95; Bartron Clinic $5.00; Court House Maintenance-Tracy Sherer $45.00; N. W. Bell Telephone Co. $253.15; Egge Electric Co. $314.69; Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co $110.55; Sig Swenson $4.25; Mrs. Elvera Englund $7.38; Nelson Hardware $7.08; Marshall-Wells Store $1.49; City Treasurer $502,58; Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $2.30; Coroners Expense-Jack Hoy $1.10; Al White $1.10; Grays Studio $25.00; Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $10.00 for Mary L. Wilson; L. L. Blake $20.00 for Billie Vermillion; Mrs. Augusta Bunde $15.00 for Louisa Richter; Annette Burgdorf $30.00 for Sophie Kieso; Mrs. Harry Elsing $11.66 for LeRoy Krapf; Walter Gusso $25.00 for Bert Crandall; Louis C. Kinstad-$254.20 for David Bright $27.00, Ole Hanson $28.50, Ole Omodt $38.00, Robt. Wiseman $72.00, Wm. Kyle $54.00, George Manley $34.70; Mrs. Anna Lange $40.00 for Joan and Clarence Tessier Jr; Lohrs Rest Home $30.00 for Edith Kinsey; Mrs. Ernest Schmeling $25.00 for Willie Schmeling; S. D. Childrens Aid $62.00 for Sharon and Robert Schreifels; Irene Stockman $45.00 for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $22.00 for David Bright; Watertown Rest Home $60.00-for Louis Mourere $25.00, Sadie Stevens $35.00; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00-for Rosa Dixon $15.00, Sarah Ann Black $10.00; Dr. H.J. Bartron Jr. $150.00-for Mrs. Theo. Treat $75.00, Wm. Kyle $75.00; Helen E. Bauer Grocery $15.00 for Fred Lenards; L. L. Blake $21.00 for Billy Vermillion; Brown Clinic $185.00-for Mrs. Axel Bakken $6.50, Edw. Breuer $18.00, Frank Cox $6.50, Mrs. Hugh Davis $4.50, Mrs. Emma Henthorn $7.50, Luke Hopkins $4.00, Mrs. J. B. McLaughlin $42.00, Mrs. Ben Nelson $8.50, Mrs. Anna Parsley $6.50, A. R. Quade $4.50, Mrs. Maurice Riley $44.00, Julie Ann Spearbeck $5.00, Dooks Tiejen $10.00, Cliff VanSickle $17.50; Codington County Oil Co. $38.75-for Mrs. Mary Tribbitts $30.60, Emil Redlin $8.15; Creaser & Sons $67.50-for Mrs. Wm. Bundy $23.00, S. E. Tubbs $22.25, Jud Turner $22.25; Duffner Drug Store $119.53-for B. J. Murray $17.80, Steve Wisneske $46.65, A. R. Quade $8.70, Ole Hanson $8.05, Mrs. Axel Bakken $3.50, Louis Mourere $2.75, Wm. Ball $19.55, Marsh Bradfield $14.50, Wm. Kyle $2.86, Robt. Wiseman $2.75, Gertrude Heathcote $1.80, Peter DeMuynck $3.90; Farmers Market $27.00-for Homer Black $22.00, Glenn Forman $5.00; Gilman Grocery $13.32 for Geo. Henricks; Haggars Drug Store $95.47-for Emma Henthorn $4.50, Henry Kraft $1.50, John Farley $3.83, Philomena Holzemer $23.90, Adolph Stankey $18.00, Mrs. Frank Krause $12.60, Mrs. Frank Klucas $5.45, Cliff VanSickle $13.30, Frank Cox $6.15, Mrs. Mildred Taylor $1.25, Mrs. Oscar Anderson $4.50, Ed Goeman $11.10; Lester Hansen Elev. Co. $21.70 for Fred Lenards; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $21.75 for Melvin Lawrence; Herbergers Inc. $5.98-for Mary and Billy Vermillion; Highway Grocery $12.00-for Carl Christenson; Hollywood Grocery $50.00-for Mrs. Wm. Bundy $14.00, Ben Nelson $36.00; Home Grocery $34.00-for Mrs. James Kinon; Huebner Oil Co. $22.95-for Frank Metzinger $15.30, Wm. Glendenning $7.65; Hunter Grocery $65.53-for Albert Erickson $7.53, Otto Jungen $15.00, Thos. Redwing $15.00, Alfred Lovejoy $8.00, Robt. Mitchell $20.00; Little Grocery $43.88-for Robt. Corey $12.00, Will Norman $11.88, Leo Meis $10.00, Carl Hemiller $10.00; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes Ambulance $15.00-for Gertrude Heathcote $3.00, David Bright $6.00, Robt. Wiseman $3.00, Wm. Kyle $3.00; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $49.60-for Mrs. Lena Mauer $25.30, Carl Hemiller $24.30; Memorial Hospital $748.57-for Fannie Baker $207.44, Fred Eaton $42.49, Mrs. Frank Klucas $78.55, Wm. Kyle $92.70, Olger Markuson $138.91, Adolph Stankey $123.98, Sheryl Vermillion $13.50, Robt. Wiseman $51.00; Miller Package Delivery $1.00-for Wm. Kyle; National Tea Co. $20.00-for Myrtle Nelson; Northside Grocery $30.00-for Mrs. Mary Tribbit $20.00, Anton Kraus $10.00; J. C. Penney Co. $14.41-for Geo. Manley; Propane Supply Co. $4.80-for James A. Grovenburg; Mary A. Schmidt, M.D. $15.00-for Ronald Ulven; Shaw-Messer Amb. Service $3.00-for Sophia Kieso; O. P. Skaggs Grocery $58.00-for Melvin Lawrence $10.00, Arthur Webb $10.00, Ann Kretzschmar $20.00, Jud Turner $10.00, Will Norman $8.00; Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. $13.01-for Chas. Underhill; S. D. Childrens Aid $68.85-for Richard Lane; S. D. State Sanatorium $10.40-for Albert Krohn; Spies Super Valu $80.00-for Robt. Corey $12.00, James A. Grovenburg $10.00, Fred Kruegar $15.00, Mabel Limberg $15.00, Gustav Lentz $10.00, Emil Redlin $8.00, Eva Schultz $10.00; St. Ann's Hospital $737.97-for John Schaack $152.69, Josephine Riley $66.55, Ferne Washtoak $221.80, Mrs. Joe Coyle $131.97, John Bordeaux $59.34, Edw. Breuer $10.00, Mrs. J. B. McLaughlin $95.62; Thomes Drug Store $86.08-for Minnie Johnson $25.20, Richard DePeel $4.20, Helen Waba $9.50, Lena Trumer $5.25, Mrs. Anna Christianson $10.35, Alfred Vick $32.70, David Bright $8.45; Dr. M. C. Thompson $96.00-for Chas. Bierschied $8.00, David Bright $4.00, Richard DePeel $13.00, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $25.00, Mildred Taylor $2.00, Mrs. Lena Trumer $11.00, Gertrude Heathcote $3.00, Gustav Lentz $6.00, Seymore Peterson $2.00, Sonja Nelson $3.00, Helen Waba $12.00, Wm. Kyle $7.00; Thompson Yards $55.30-for Ralph Kinsey $22.50, Lester Lackey $10.55, Joe Lindner $22.25; Watertown Community Oil Co. $107.60-for Gustav Lentz $30.60, Robt. Corey $15.30, Dan Mattheisen $8.15, Arthur Webb $30.60, Leo Meis $7.65, Earl Jensen $15.30; Standard Oil Co. Huron $53.55-for Wm. Barto $15.30, Glenn Forman $7.65, Carl Christenson $7.65, James Kinon $15.30, Will Norman $7.65; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $78.20; Oscar J. Fromke $63.08; Einar Jordeth $84.50; James L. Keenan $88.20; Palmer D. Sheldon $93.80; Tax Collector-Ole James Nelson $56.92; Sheriffs Fees-Cliff Englund $56.39; Sheriffs Mileage-Cliff Englund $482.80; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $165.20; Veterans Service-Rosella Howey $16.50; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $32.15; Supt. of Schools Mileage-Josephine Muriel Hoover $60.72; Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent $44.00, Watertown Public Opinion $97.05, South Shore Gazette $96.32, F. C. Grow Sons $1.50, LaFrance Office Equip. Co. $3.00, Ruhe Stationery Co. $6.95; Auditors Office Expense-South Shore Gazette $75.50, Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. $30.75, LaFrance Office Equip. Co. $1.40, Brown & Saenger $5.77, Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.00; Assessors Supplies-F. C. Grow Sons $6.50, News Printing Co. $761.20; County Extension-F. C. Grow Sons $24.00, Fred Morris $52.85, Clara W. Johnson $17.39, Extension Service $18.00, LaFrance Office Equip. Co. $38.30, Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.35; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $19.70; Treasurers Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $147.90, News Printing Co. $1.64, Burroughs Adding Machine Co. $2.58, Monroe Calculating Machine Co. $25.00, Panama Carbon Co. $18.35; Register of Deeds Office expense $8.96, Remington Rand, Inc. $146.90; Co. Judge Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $16.45; States Attorneys Office Expense-Watertown Typewriter Co. $35.55; Public Welfare Office Expense-Panama Carbon Co. $27.00; County Contests-Hodges Badge Co. $2.50, Mrs. Cliff Sanders $7.50, Rose White $7.50, Mrs. George Moeller $7.50; County Contests & Exhibits-Sommer Badge Mfg. Co. $27.00; County Farm-Marshall-Wells Store $1.76, City Treasurer-$35.43, Park-Grant Co. $34.87, Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. $40.24, Watertown Co-operative Elev. $133.28, Watertown Milling Co. $61.35, Watertown Surplus Store $6.59; ROAD-City Treasurer $33.40,

Algard Machine Shop $30.75, Dakota Warehouse Co. $3.95, Gerriets Radio Service $4.70, Gooch Sales Co. $5.38, Kenneth Hayes $8.69, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $29.41, H. V. Johnston Culvert Co. $13.70, Kochs Phillips 66 Service $11.00, Luther Paint & Glass Co. $40.50, Mahowald Co. $9.97, C. E. McGowan Lumber Co. $18.03, Nordstrom Sales $.54, N. W. Public Service $5.63, Northwestern Road Supply Co. $8.45, Reiters Standard Service & Repair $3.03, Riley Hardware $4.81, Sanders Chevrolet Co. $8.10, Schweigers Inc. $26.68, Watertown Sheet & Metal $1.00, Watertown Tire Co. $9.29, Western Transportation $6.26; C.H.&B.R.-Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $39.50; Highway & Bridge-Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $62.20, N.W. Auto Parts Co. $68.25, Paper, Calmenson & Co. $230.28, Reaneys Service $167.07, Arthur Schwandt $58.60, Rubber Service Inc. $107.50, Rosenwald-Cooper Inc. $99.00, Sioux Road Equip. Co. $267.79, Watertown Machine Works $61.51, Motor Supply Co. $55.08, Marquardts Service & Supply Co. $166.62, International Harvester Co. $103.83, J. P. Foster Co. $2,037.95, J. D. Evans Equip. Co. $288.08, Empire Equipment Co. $322.17, Botsford Lbr. Co. $51.46, Williams Hardware Co. $50.91, Cave Supply Co. $162.31, Dakota Welding & Supply Co. $65.56; C.M.V.-Western Surety Co. $600.00; TEXTBOOKS-Educator Supplu Co. $25.92, Scott, Foresman & Co. $29.60; INSTITUTE-Hodges Badge Co. $51.15; SCHOOL LIBRARY-Maplewood Bindery $187.38, MacMillan Co. Publishers $36.59; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $34.93, Paul David $5.82, Joseph J. Fox $5.68, Robert Redlin $6.52; INSANE-Betty Englund $5.00.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that the application of Elsie Warnke for refund of 1952 Poll Tax in the amount of $1.00 be approved. The motion Carried.

Commissioner Belk appeared on the Board at 1:30 P. M.

R E S O L U T I O N #173

TOWNSHIP MOTOR VEHICLE APPORTIONMENT

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $31,852.63 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and
WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the first quarter of 1953,
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows,to-wit:

Sheridan, Pelican, Elmira, Richland, Graceland, Phipps, Leola, and Eden $1592.63 each; Kranzburg $2742.96; Waverly $2035.00; Rauville $2256.22; Fuller $2521.65; and Germantown $2123.49; Total $24,420.36,

AND WHEREAS, the County Highway System has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following townships;

Kampeska $1592.63; Henry $1592.63; Lake $1592.63 and Dexter $2654.38.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that, said fund apportioned as above set out be held by the County Auditor to pay for completing the County Highway System in the said townships, in the proportion as above provided and pursuant to law, and no part thereof shall be actually paid over to the said townships, provided however, that any amount of the respective allotments to their respective townships not paid over, shall remain unexpended after completing the roads of the County Highway System, shall revert to and be payable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Keenan and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 14th day of April, 1953

Emil Jordeth Vice Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
Auditor, Codington County, S. D.

R E S O L U T I O N #173A

MUNICIPALITIES MOTOR VEHICLE APPORTIONMENT

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $11373.80 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota, and
WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners and this being the proper time to make the apportionment for the First Quarter of 1953.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, BY the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned among the respective municipalities as follows:

FLORENCE	$636.93
HENRY	636.93
SOUTH SHORE	636.93
WALLACE	477.70
WATERTOWN	8985.31

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Jordeth, seconded by Commissioner Fromke and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 14th day pf April, 1953.

Emma Jordeth Vice Chairman

ATTEST:

Palmer D. Sheldon, Chairman,
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota

Carl F. Bergan

Carl F. Bergan, County Auditor

The application of Naomi Duus for abatement of 1952 personal property taxes in the City of Watertown, in the amount of $1.88 for reason of an error in transposing valuation from Assessor's Listing Sheet to Assessor's Book was approved by the Board.

The application of Ernest Akkerman for refund of 1952 poll tax in the amount of $1.00 for reason of military service exemption was approved by the Board.

The monthly statement of the Yankton State Hospital for March, 1953 in the amount of $1645.00 was checked and approved.

T. A. Zemlicka of Waverly Township appeared before the Board with a petition to add to the County Highway System the following described road, to-wit:

"Beginning at the SE Corner of Sec. 20-118-51, thence north 10 miles to the NE Corner of Sec. 5-119-51 on the Grant County Line."

The Board deferred action on foregoing petition till a later date.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that the application of Otto Krokow of Bellingham, Minn. for abatement of 1952 personal property tax in Leola Twp. in the amount of $212.50 be referred back to the Leola Twp. Board of Supervisors for their recommendation on same. The motion carried.

The claim of Elmer Pardau in the amount of $7.65 for over-time guard duty was rejected by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Jordeth.

Pursuant to petition for school district boundary changes in Districts Nos. 13 and 26, as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of March 10, 1953, it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Fromke that hearing on said petition be set for 10:00 A. M., April 28, 1953 in the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House and that Clerks of School Boards of said school districts be notified of said hearing. The motion carried.

The matter of advertising for bids on grading three miles of County road in Dexter Twp. and three miles in Henry Twp. was discussed by the Board, but no definite action was taken.

On a motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth, the Board agreed to accept a compromise settlement on County aid liens of Edith Rowe in the amount of $580.77 for $300.00.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. April 21, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
April 21, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Medical Arts Clinic $693.00-for Fannie Baker $60.00, Mrs. Andrew Christianson $2.00, Richard DePeel $6.00, Fred Eaton $12.00, John Farley $8.00, Ed Goeman $19.00, Sussanna Hegg $3.00, Philomena Holzemer $41.00, Emma Klucas $57.00, Henry Kraft $26.00, Wayne Kruegar $65.00, Olger Markuson $30.00, Dena Mathiesen $3.00, Louis Mourere $2.00, Peter Peterson $38.00, Rex Richmond $34.00, Frances Sandal $36.00, John H. Schaack $32.00, Geo. Scholl $30.00, Adolph Stankey $63.00, Ferne Washtoak $62.00, Robt. Wiseman $30.00, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Wisneski $31.00, Mrs. Inga Yarns $3.00; Bartron Clinic $334.92-for W. B. Barkley $65.26, Edw. McPeek $6.00, Mrs. Merle Lohr $3.80, B. J. Murray $40.97, Mrs. Joe Lindner $5.26, Ben Bergerson $12.16, LeRoy Krapf $30.00, Geo. Manley $10.00, Frank Metzinger $3.23, Clarence Morrison $13.02, Eleanor Tulowetzke $75.00, Magnus Helland $15.50, Emma Jenkins $30.00, Corrine Anderson $24.72; Bartron Hospital $634.70-for B. J. Murray $31.17, Corrine Anderson $25.30, LeRoy Krapf $161.02, Geo. Manley $29.88, Clarence Morrison $34.53, Eleanor Tulowetzke $113.20, Emma Jenkins $239.60; East Kemp Grocery $10.00 for Arthur Webb; Court Expense-Bartron Clinic $5.00; Court House Maintenance-Carl Michaelson $1.85; Court Expense-Mrs. Mabel L. Durkee $34.70; INSANE-Eva Walter $5.00; ROAD-Harold Scriver $1.50; SCHOOL LIBRARY-Doubleday & Co., Inc. $92.50.

REPORT OF SALE BY COUNTY AUDITOR OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING

TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA:

Carl F. Bergan, the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, makes the following return of the proceedings had pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners to offer for sale the within described real estate acquired by the county by tax proceedings, and reports as follows, to-wit:

That the real property directed to be offered for sale by the Board of County Commissioners was first classified as class one land and was appraised by the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, at the sum of $470.00.

That in pursuance of the direction of the Board of County Commissioners that the within described real estate acquired by tax proceeding be offered for sale, he caused notice of sale thereof to be published in a legal newspaper of the County of Codington once each

week for a period of three successive weeks before the date of sale specified therein, which notice contained a description of the real property to be sold and the time, place, and terms of sale, all of which appears by such notice and affidavit of publication filed herein.

That said County Auditor, pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners and notice duly given, offered for sale and on the 17th day of April, 1953 sold, subject to the confirmation of the Board of County Commissioners, the following described real estate to the highest and best bidders, for the sum of $470.00, said sum being the highest and best sum bid and not being less than the amount of the appraisement, upon the following terms, to-wit: cash at the time of sale in the amount of $470.00 deposited with the County Treasurer.

The real estate so sold and to whom sold is described as follows, to-wit:

To B. W. Johnson and Oscar Hatle, Lots 5,6,7,8 and 9, Block 5, Davlins Addition to Watertown, S. D. for $125.00;

To Helmer Lovald, Lots 8 and 9, Block 2, in Florence, S. D. for $20.00;

To St. Peters Lutheran Church, Lots 6 and 7, Block 3, in Florence, S. D. for $20.00;

To Town of Florence, Lot 3, Block 13, in Florence, S. D. for $5.00;

To C. E. Cole, Lots 1, 2, and 3, Block 14, in Florence, S. D. for $300.00.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County, South Dakota

R E S O L U T I O N #174

RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE FOR CASH OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described real property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that the sum of $470.00 in cash for the following described real property, to-wit:

B.W. Johnson and Oscar Hatle, for Lots 5,6,7,8 and 9, Block 5, Davlins Addition to Watertown, S. D. for $125.00;
Helmer Lovald, for Lots 8 and 9, Block 2, in Florence, S. D. for $20.00;
St. Peters Lutheran Church, for Lots 6 and 7, Block 3, in Florence, S. D. for $20.00;
Town of Florence, for Lot 3, Block 13, in Florence, S. D. for $5.00;
C. E. Cole for Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 14, in Florence, S. D. for $300.00;

which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited in cash with the County Treasurer;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 21st day of April,1953, that the sale of said premises to the said bidders of Codington County be and the same is hereby approved, and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deed to said purchaser conveying to said purchaser all of the right, title, and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1953.

Vernon H Belk
Elmer Jordeth
Chas J Zimmerly
James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

R E S O L U T I O N #175

WHEREAS, bids for the gravel surfacing of Federal Aid Secondary Project S 359(2), Codington County, South Dakota, have been received by the South Dakota State Highway Commission, and

WHEREAS, the Mannerud Brothers of Volga, South Dakota are the low bidders of seven with a proposal of $12,062.83, which bid is $3,879.19 or 24.33% below the Engineer's Estimate,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County,

South Dakota concur with the South Dakota State Highway Commission in awarding the contract to said Mannerud Brothers.

The foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan, seconded by Commissioner Belk, and upon being put to a vote all commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 21st day of April, 1953.

ATTEST:

Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
of Codington County, South Dakota

County Auditor

The application of A. Menkveld for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes of Lyle and Dorothy Thompson in the amount of $100.09 for a payment of $44.42 was approved on a motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the claim of the Codington-Clark Electric Co-operative, Inc. in the amount of $1471.60 for moving lines in Dexter, Graceland and Henry Twps. be referred to the States Attorney for advice as to whether same should be allowed. The motion carried.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved on a motion by Jordeth and second by Fromke as follows: Jacob DeBerg $4.00; Arvid Popham $4.00; Calvin Wheelock $4.00; Jacob DeBerg $7.50; Lawrence Arneson $4.00; Ralph Raml $4.00; Peter Schaack, Jr. $4.00.

On motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth, Township officers bonds and oaths were approved as follows: Sheridan Twp.-Clarence Moorhouse, Assessor; C. B. Moorhouse, Clerk; Bert Draves Treasurer; Pelican Twp.-F. C. Benthin, Assessor; Vernon Benthin, Clerk; August Zamow, Treasurer; Kampeska Twp.-Maynard Born, Assessor; Edgar Rausch, Clerk; Herbert Klatt, Treasurer; Henry Twp.-Justus Muller, Assessor; Elwin Kittelson, Clerk; Frank Coplan, Treasurer; Willis R. Walters, Constable; Elmira Twp.-Emil Stoltenberg, Justice of the Peace; Richland Twp.-Albert Schultz, Treasurer; Graceland Twp.-A. F. Hilts, Clerk; Eldon Flury, Treasurer; Waverly Twp.-Ervin Johnson, Assessor; Rauville Twp.-Robert Zick, Assessor; Fuller Twp.-Chris Hvidhyld, Assessor; Phipps Twp.-Selmer Peterson, Clerk; Leola Twp.-Reuben Noeldner, Assessor; Albert Erickson, Clerk; John Neville, Treasurer; Germantown Twp.-Sig Gran, Assessor; Elmer O. Bunde, Clerk; Eden Twp.-Clarice L. Hjermstad Assessor; O. A. Olson, Clerk; Duane Hallstrom, Treasurer.

On recommendation of the States Attorney, the claim of the Codington-Clark Electric Co-operative, Inc. as previously noted was rejected by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth.

The Board hired Carl Deal to work as Assistant Custodian in the Court House till January 1, 1954 at $175.00 per month, salary to be retroactive to April 10, 1953 at which time he started work.

The Board recessed at 3:00 P. M. to inspect bridges on the County Highway System now under construction in Waverly Twp.

They returned from the bridge inspection at 5:00 P. M., at which time the Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. April 28, 1953.

County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
April 28, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-Carl F. Bergan $294.16; Dorothy Below $210.00; Irma Welch $190.00; Pearl Bergan $180.00; Alice Olson $150.00; Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $294.16; Alma Gerberding $240.00; Deloris Goodroad $185.00; Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $267.50; Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $267.50; Harriet Horning $205.00; Margaret Brown $170.87; Supt. of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $294.16; Ruth Johnson $180.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $256.66; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Laura J. Avis $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $260.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $183.33; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl Michaelson $175.00; Leo Clausen $4.75; John N. Strait $2.85; Carl J. Deal $122.64; Court Expense-Waldemar Larson $10.10; Clem Mondloch $13.80; Clarence Kannas $13.20; Virgil Alexander $14.60; Charlotte Vik $10.10; Lester Kannas $12.90; John Korcal $10.10; Clara W. Perry $10.10; Sig. Swenson $10.10; Gale Larson $10.10; John Lovick $10.10; Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Katherine Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Harry Roberts $115.00; Irene Roberts $50.00; E. Spearbeck $5.70; Leo Clausen $5.70; John N. Strait $5.70; Weed Board-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-Lars G. Larson $325.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $175.00; Sever Tobiason $200.00; Bert Smith $20.00; J. P. Haug $283.50; Joe Stricherz $283.50; John Rennie $278.25; C. B. Sumner $283.50; Harold Scriver $273.00; Ed Gould $190.71; James Hendren $274.55; Howard Williams $115.99; Alfred Spring $45.79; E. Spearbeck $64.48; Fred Brownell $74.86; Leo Clausen $109.19; John N. Strait $90.00; Clarence Helle $107.70; Ludwig Roethler $13.50; Carl Zweig, Jr. $208.11; C.H. & B.R.-Ed Gould $91.30; James Hendren $194.75; Howard Williams $123.35; Alfred Spring $202.15; E. Spearbeck $131.40; Fred Brownell $128.25; Leo Clausen $133.95; John N. Strait $153.90; Clarence Helle $63.65; Carl Zweig, Jr. $55.00; Bailiff-Ray Makepeace $10.00; Mrs. Ray Makepeace $10.00; Carl Michaelson $14.00; GENERAL-Per Diem-Mileage-salary-Vernon H. Belk $81.80; Oscar J. Fromke $97.11; Einar Jordeth $108.80; James L. Keenan $80.10, Palmer D. Sheldon $80.05.

Muriel Hoover, County Supt. of Schools, appeared before the Board to be present for the hearing on the petition to change boundaries of School Districts Nos. 13 and 26 in Rauville Twp., which hearing had been set for this time.

As no one appeared to protest the changes, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the prayer of the petitioners be granted and that changes in said School Districts be made as follows, to wit: "The boundaries of Rauville District No. 13 to exclude 115' x 378' in the North West Corner of the SE¼ of Section 30-118-52; and the boundaries of District No. 26 to include above described property." The motion carried.

Ed Gribben, attorney for the Codington-Clark Electric Cooperative Inc., Harry Anderson, President of the Codington-Clark Electric Cooperative Inc., John Fritz, manager of said firm and Ross Oviatt, Codington County States Attorney, appeared before the Board on the matter of claims of the Codington-Clark Electric Coop. Inc. in the amount of $1471.60 for moving electric lines in Graceland, Henry and Dexter Twps.

The Board of County Commissioners, as noted in Proceedings of April 21, 1953, had rejected said claims on the advice of the States Attorney.

Mr. Gribben and Mr. Anderson pointed out the fact that these lines had originally been constructed on privately owned right-of-way and that the County had subsequently acquired the right-of-way, which, according to Attorney Generals opinions made the County liable for the costs of moving these lines.

It was generally agreed, after a thorough discussion of the matter, that above claims were a proper charge to Codington County, and the Board requested the States Attorney to submit to them in writing the facts showing that said claims are a proper charge to Codington County.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the Board of Commissioners reconsider fore-mentioned claims of the Codington-Clark Electric Coop. Inc. The motion carried.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that the Board authorize the County Superintendent of Schools to attend the Y.C.L. Convention at Pierre, S. D. May 3 through 5, 1953, also the County Superintendents Convention at Deadwood, S. D. May 30 through June 5, 1953. The motion carried.

County Health Board

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan that the remuneration of the County Health officer and office be fixed at $75.00 per month, retroactive to January 1, 1953. On roll call vote, all commissioners voted "yea" and none voted "nay", whereupon the Chairman declared the motion carried.

The April, 1953 report of Justice of the Peace, Joe Strom, was checked and approved by the Board.

Kranzburg Twp. officers bonds were approved as follows: Carl H. Haan, Assessor; Helen E. Bauer, Treasurer; Lester Hanson, Clerk; Joseph W. Stricherz and Richard F. Thesenvitz, constables.

On a motion by Belk and second by Keenan the following applications for abatement were approved: John G. Mohan - 1952 School Poll in amount of $1.00 for reason of military service exemption; Gail Hinschberger - 1952 money & credits tax in the amount of $6.80 for reason of an error in assessment.

On a motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth applications for abatement were approved as follows: Glen Haugan-1952 School Poll in the amount of $1.00 for reason of military service exemption; Mary Hoffman-1952 personal property tax in the amount of $1.00 for reason of duplication of assessment in both Clark and Codington Counties.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. May 5, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
May 5, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Minutes of meetings of April 7, 8, 14, 21 and 28, 1953 were approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Mrs. Mabel L. Durkee $110.67, Wm. H. Mooers Jr. $5.60, Marvel Larson $5.10; Memorial Park-Arnold Hoftiezer $50.00, Bess Hoftiezer $50.00, American Legion Auxiliary $8.00; Poor-Mae Waba for Helen Waba $30.00, Mrs. Harry Elsing for LeRoy Krapf $35.00, Avabelle Snook for Cheryl Vermillion $17.50, Avabelle Snook for Richard and Betty Vermillion $35.00, Avabelle Snook for Bonnie and Joan Vermillion $35.00.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the opening of sealed bids to furnish the County Highway Department with two trucks as specified in notices to bidders duly published in the official County newspapers, Chairman Sheldon requested the County Auditor to read the "Notice to Bidders" preliminary to opening and reading the bids.

Three firms, Bichler Motor Co., McCormick Farm Equipment Store (IHC), and Rozum Bros. Motor Co., all of Watertown, S. D. submitted bids. The bids were opened and read as follows:
Bichler Motor Co.- Option #1-One Dodge Truck-Model B-4-JA-152, equipped as specified-F.O.B. Watertown, less Federal Excise Taxes-$4071.16, less trade-in of one IHC Model D35 truck-$896.16. Net per unit-$3175.00. Option #2-One Dodge Truck-Model B-4-KA-140, equipped as specified, F.O.B. Watertown, less Federal Excise Tax-$4123.20, less trade-in of one IHC Model D35 truck $913.20. Net per unit-$3210.00. Two units under Option #1-net-$6350.00; Two units under Option #2-net-$6420.00.

McCormick Farm Equipment Store (IHC)- Two R172-1953 Model International Trucks, equipped as specified, with 5 speed-overdrive in 5th transmission-bid price less trade-in of two D35 IHC Trucks-$6395.00 F.O.B. Watertown, less Federal Excise tax.

Rozum Bros. Motor Co.-Option #1-Two 1953 Ford Trucks, Series F-600, as specified, but with only 4 speed transmission-net price bid, less Federal Excise tax and trade-in of two Model D35 IHC Trucks-$5544.00, F.O.B. Watertown. Option #2-Two 1953 Ford Trucks, Series F-700, equipped as specified, including 5 speed transmission, F.O.B. Watertown, less Federal Excise tax and less trade-in of two Model D35 IHC Trucks-net bid for two trucks-$6486.00.

Only Option #2 of the Bichler Motor Co. and Option #2 of the Rozum Bros. Motor Co. were comparable to the McCormick Farm Equipment Co. (IHC) bid, meeting all specifications including the 5-speed transmission, for which reason only these three bids were considered.

Representatives of all firms submitting bids were present, also, representatives of the St. Paul and Heil Hydraulic Hoist Companies.

The Board interviewed representatives of each firm separately and set 2:30 P. M. as the time for making the final decision on the bids.

Two petitions to add road to the County Highway System were brought before the Board. M. J. Fox of Elmira Twp. presented one, and George Isack, Mark Davey and G. O. Taecker, all of Elmira Twp. presented the other.

The Fox petition lacked the necessary signers for consideration by the Board, and the other petition lacked the necessary agreements for right-of-way and bank sloping, wherefore both petitions were withdrawn to be presented at a later date when requirements as noted shall have been fully met.

Donald Erickson, City Recreation Director, appeared before the Board to request the use of the Memorial Park beach and lake shore for the City Recreation Swimming Classes.

Foregoing request was granted by the Board on a motion by Keenan and second by Jordeth.

The Board authorized the purchase of one dozen brooms from the Watertown Lions Club.

At 2:30 P. M. representatives of firms submitting truck bids reappeared before the Board and were again interviewed separately.

Chairman Sheldon called for a ballot vote on bids, which resulted as follows: 3 votes were cast for 2 IHC Trucks; 1 vote for IHC and 1 Dodge; 1 vote for 1 IHC and 1 Ford.

Chairman Sheldon declared that on the basis of the votes cast, the bid of the McCormick Farm Equipment Store be accepted and that the certified checks of the unsuccessful bidders be returned.

Pursuant to appraisal by the Board of Commissioners and the required advertizing in the official newspapers, the County Auditor reported the tax deed sale of Lot 143 in Fairfax Addition to Watertown to Jiles L. and Roberta Kranz for $20.00.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan that Chairman Sheldon be authorized to sign and the County Auditor attest a Quit Claim Deed to above described property from Codington County to said Jiles L. and Roberta Kranz for $20.00. The motion carried.

Monthly statements for April, 1953 were approved as follows: State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis at Sanator, S. D. $105.82; Redfield State Hospital $525.00.

The Clerk of Courts statement of Fees Collected during April, 1953 in the amount of $331.45 was approved by the Board.

The report of the Veterans Service Officer for April, 1953 was noted by the Board, also, the monthly report of the County Weed Board.

The Board declined to grant authorization to T. J. Grewe for admission of his wife, Berniece Grewe, to the University Hospital of Minneapolis, Minn. for the reason of a decision reached

by the Board at a meeting held February 11, 1953 at which time it was moved by Sheldon and seconded by Keenan that owing to excessive costs of medical care for County indigent, Codington County would no longer send patients to specialists or hospitals outside the County. The Board feels that there are adequate facilities for medical treatment within the County.

Through the purchase of supplies for the County Farm, Codington County has acquired stock in the Watertown Cooperative Elevator Co. and has on file in the County Auditor's office Stock Certificates Nos. A77, A752 and 1259 with a par value of $25.00 each.

It was pointed out by the State Auditor that a governing body can not legally own such stock for which reason it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan that Codington County relinquish all interest in and claim to said stock, and that the said certificates be returned to the Watertown Cooperative Elevator Co. for a Credit with said Firm in the amount of the par value of the stock. The motion carried.

The Application of Donald Nogelmeier for abatement of 1952 money and credits tax in the amount of $12.00 for reason an error which resulted in listing this tax to Donald Nogelmeier instead of Elmer Nogelmeier, was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth.

The application of Herman Abraham, Sr. for abatement of 1952 Real Estate tax in Richland Twp. in the amount of $19.36 for reason of an error in assessment whereby a structure was assessed on his property where no structure existed, was approved on a motion by Belk and second by Fromke.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. May 12, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
May 12, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-R. M. Dugan $5.10, Hazel Hegarty $120.00, Cliff Englund $79.78, Mabel C. Alworth $34.55, Ross Oviatt $62.94; Poor-Mae Abbott for Mary L. Wilson $10.00; L. L. Blake for Billy Vermillion $20.00; Mrs. August Bunde for Louisa Richter $15.00; Mrs. Annette Burgdorf for Sophia Kieso $30.00; Walter Gusso for Bert Crandall $25.00; Louis C. Kinstad $210.50-for Ole Hanson $28.50, Ole Omodt $38.00, Geo. Manley $29.00, Wm Kyle $40.00, Robt. Wiseman $40.00, Andrew Horn $35.00; Mrs. Anna Lange for Joan & Clarence Jr. Tessier $40.00; Lohrs Rest Home for Edith Kinsey $30.00; Mrs. Susan McCullough for Mrs. Mabel Johnson $33.00; Mrs. Ernest Schmeling for Willie Schmeling $25.00; Avabelle Snook for Bonnie, Joan, Richard, Betty and Cheryl Vermillion $87.50; S. Dak. Childrens Aid for Sharon & Robert Schreifels $64.98; Irene Stockman for Loretta Stockman $45.00; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant for David Bright $40.00; Mae Waba for Helen Waba $30.00; Watertown Rest Home $60.00-for Sadie Stevens $35.00, L. Mourere $25.00; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00-for Rosa Dixon $15.00, Sarah Black $10.00; Bartron Clinic $401.04-for Corrine Anderson $9.57, Hazel Steenborn $6.00, Frank Metzinger $4.63, Henry Springer $12.59, Edgar Wight $3.40, Ben Bergeson $10.16, Mrs. Robert Sharp $82.50, Matt Kemp $7.06, Mrs. Merle Lohr $39.73, Gustav Lentz $1.87, Clara Cates $9.00, B. J. Murray $37.05, John Welter $.98, Emma Jenkins $30.00, Gertrude Heathcote $35.00, Richard Hubbartt $76.50, Mrs. Loren Wholwend $35.00; Brown clinic 286.40-for Ed Breuer $24.00, Frank Cox $6.50, Marian Davis $2.00, Emma Henthorn $6.00, Henry Hopkins $8.00, Gerald and Carolyn Kurkowski $20.00, Mrs. Ruth Martell $8.50, Mrs. Mary Matteson $20.00, Mrs. Ben Nelson $39.50, A. R. Quade $8.50, Clara Zeigler $88.50, Mrs. Dooks Teijen $12.00, Cliff VanSickle $22.00, John O'Neill $12.00, Anna Parsley $2.00, Mrs. J. B. McLaughlin $4.00, Mrs. Nick Mauer $3.00; Bartron Hospital $1448.51-for Mrs. Robt. Sharp $119.15, Mrs. Merle Lohr $45.40, Clara Cates $21.89, B. J. Murray $98.48, Emma Jenkins $267.93, Gertrude Heathcote $544.43, Richard Hubbartt $271.71, Loren Wohlwend $79.52; Butterbrodt Drug Store $11.11-for Mrs. Ruth Martell $5.75, Rex Richmond $5.36; Dr. D. F. Campbell $45.00-for Fred Eaton $35.00, Frank Cox $4.00, Anna Parsley $2.00, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $4.00; Codington County Oil Co. $8.15 for Earl Jensen; Creaser & Sons $11.00 for Mrs. Mabel Johnson; Duffners Drug Store $77.32-for Wm. Kyle $3.08, Robt. Wiseman $.98, Wm. Ball $31.00, Richard Duus $2.10, Ole Hansen $7.25, B. J. Murray $9.80, A. R. Quade $9.05, Richard DePeel $1.75, L. Mourere $2.85, Marsh Bradfield $10.00, Freemont Tribbitt $2.00, S. Wisneski $1.25, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $4.80; Farmers Market $22.00 for Homer Black; East Kemp Grocery $10.00 for Arthur E. Webb; Everetts Grocery $62.10-for Mrs. James Kinon $32.05, Tracy Sherer $30.05; Gilman Grocery $8.00 for Mrs. Mable Henricks; Haggars Drug Store $137.39 for Adolph Stankey $9.00, Cliff Van Sickle $37.90, Frank Klucas $11.05, John Farley $16.45, Mildred Taylor $17.80, Frank Cox $11.15, Mrs. Ellen Anderson $5.35, Ed Goeman $3.00, Frank Krause $4.00, Philomena Holzemer $30.05, Emma Henthorn $1.10, Sophia Kieso $1.25, Irene Kurkowski $4.55; Hayes-Lucas, Henry, S. D. $18.90 for Ed Haack; Hollywood Grocery $14.00 for Wm. Bundy; Home Grocery $10.00 for James Kinon; Dr. H. T. Kenney $22.00-for Richard DePeel $4.00, Marsh Bradfield $8.00, Chas. Bierscheid $10.00; Kreisers Drug Store $61.46-for Matilda Blek $3.89, Mrs. Wm. Bundy $8.95, Luke Hopkins $2.35, Dagmar Karterud $6.70, Lena Maur $7.10, Mrs. Myrtle Nelson $1.85, Anna Parsley $6.70, Dook Teijen $30.75; Liens Grocery $10.00 for Mrs. Mabel Johnson; Little Grocery $37.31-for Will Norman $10.08, Daniel Mattheisen $27.23; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes $6.00-for Mrs. Mary Matteson $3.00, Peter Peterson $3.00; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $13.70 for Ben Nelson; Medical Arts Clinic $276.88-for Mrs. Ellen Anderson $5.00, Fannie Baker $30.00, Carl Berge $32.00, Wm. Ball $4.00, Ed Goeman $36.00, Ole Hanson $2.00, Susanna Hegg $30.00, Philomena Holzemer $2.00, Frank Klucas $37.00, Mrs. Wayne Krueger $25.00, Wm. Kyle $4.00, L. Mourere $4.00, John Schaack $18.00, Adolph Stankey $17.88, Fern Washtoak $30.00; Memorial Hospital $1313.65-for Fannie Baker $199.05, Carl Berge $193.25, Frank Cox $13.50, Fred Eaton $151.75, Ed Goeman $169.55, Susanna Hegg $159.70, Emma Klucas $72.09, Adolph Stankey $25.57, Mr. & Mrs. Dooks Teijen $96.19, Alfred Vick $40.00, G. O. Wigdahl $193.00; Dr. H. C. Mueller $6.00 for Richard Vermillion; Northside Grocery $23.00-for Will Norman $13.00, Ben Nelson $10.00; Red Owl Agency, South Shore, S. D. $28.00 for Loren Wohlwend; Red Owl Super Market $54.09-for Wm. Bundy $24.09, Wm. Carter $10.00, Ruth Martell $20.00; O. P. Skaggs $45.00-for Otto Jungen $5.00, Anna Kretzchmar $20.00, Robert Sharp $10.00, Arthur E. Webb $10.00; Spies Super Valu $61.56-for

Arthur Larson $12.00, Mabel Limberg $30.00, Iris Perry $12.00, Loren Wohlwend $7.56; Standard Oil Co. Huron, S. D. $45.90-for Wm. Barto $22.95, Mabel Limberg $15.30, Donna Kinon $7.65; Stone Oil Co. $39.02 for Fred Krueger; St. Ann's Hospital $837.72-for Emma Henthorn $32.57, Gerald Kurkowski $76.69, Mrs. Mary Matteson $86.57, Mrs. Ben Nelson $69.81, John Schaack $86.29, Ferne Washtoak $206.50, Clara Zeigler $279.29; Thomes Drug Store $94.49-for Richard DePeel $2.70, Minnie Johnson $31.65, Alfred Vick $32.70, Helen Waba $4.25, Louisa Richter $12.55, Mabel Johnson $8.54, Lena Trumer $12.60; Dr. M. C. Thompson $92.00-for Mrs. Wm. Bundy $3.00, John Farley $15.00, Pete DeMuynck $9.00, Richard DePeel $8.00, Mrs. Mabel Johnson $3.00, Minnie Johnson $23.00, Louisa Richter $4.00, Mildred Taylor $3.00, Mrs. Lena Trumer $9.00, Helen Waba $15.00; Watertown Community Oil $36.49-for Daniel Mattheisen $8.15, Helena Lentz $15.30, Robt. Corey $8.15, Will Norman $4.89; Memorial Park-V. F.W. $8.00; Watertown Lions Club $3.00; Wright Tarbell $75.00; Henry Legion Post #217 $25.00; Marshall-Wells Store $1.00; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $3.52; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $51.90; Oscar J. Fromke $47.70; Einar Jordeth $87.02; James L. Keenan $77.22; Palmer D. Sheldon $88.90; Court House Maintenance-Watertown Lions Club $7.50; Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $11.40; Skinner Transfer & Storage Co. $1.00; True Electric Co. $2.90; Davey Furniture Co. $6.69; Mrs. Elvera Englund $5.58; L. V. Harmel $86.34; Hillyard Sales Co. $115.70; Sherwin-Williams Co. $82.62; N. W. Bell Telephone Co. $252.80; Nelson Hardware $8.74; City Treas. $522.78; County Farm-Watertown Lions Club $3.00; Marshall-Wells Store $7.18; Nelson Hardware $1.50; City Treas. $37.32; Duffners Drug Store $3.74; Kreisers Drug Store $7.40; Liens Grocery $39.54; Montgomery Ward $3.96; Codington County Implement Co. $6.91; General Mills $2.30; Hubbard's, Inc. $4.20; K-D Inc. $24.18; Olson Appliance Co. $11.60; Park Grant Co. $39.93; M. M. Staley $2.50; Watertown Co-op Elev. $35.25; Watertown Milling Co. $22.78; War Surplus Store $4.00; Assessors Supplies-Photo News $530.00; Railway Express Agency $12.03; Tax Collector-James Nelson $165.51; Sheriffs Mileage-Cliff Englund $522.45; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $159.20; Sheriffs Fees-Cliff Englund $106.38; Printing & Advertising-Watertown Public Opinion $206.10; Henry Independent $116.86; South Shore Gazette $98.56; Register of Deeds Office Expense-South Shore Gazette $21.00; Brown & Saenger $9.63; Carlsons $14.75; County Extension-Clara Johnson $5.70; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $14.80; Sheriffs Office Expense-Hazel Schliesmann $40.00; Supt. of Schools Mileage-Muriel Hoover $46.50; State Accountant-S. D. State Treas. $914.60; County Contests & Exhibits-Jostens $4.43; Veterans Service-Rosella Howey $17.73; Insurance & Bonds-Western Surety Co. $2.50; County Judge Office Expense-Virginia Morgan $5.75; Jeanette Kluck $2.46; Brown & Saenger $5.89; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $164.00; Remington Rand, Inc. $175.00; Brown & Saenger $40.14; Auditors Office Expense-Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. $14.00; Pitney-Bowes Inc. $23.46; News Printing Co. $295.00; Frankel Carbon & Ribbon Co. $9.00; Treas. Office Expense-News Printing Co. $22.78; National Cash Register Co. $62.76; Public Welfare Office Expense-Frankel Carbon & Ribbon Co. $22.00; LaFrance Office Equip. Co. $12.50; Midwest-Beach Co. $18.54; States Attorneys Office Expense $2.10; Coroners Expense $38.00-St. Ann's Hospital $38.00; ROAD-Watertown Lions Club $4.50; Railway Express Agency $1.56; City Treas. $10.01; Botsford Lumber Co. $56.50; Cals Standard Service $2.20; Cave Supply Co. $28.34; Dakota Welding & Supply Co. $7.48; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $30.43; Florence Service $10.43; J. P. Foster Co. $6.94; Gerriets Radio Service $8.04; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co., Henry, S. D. $32.12; R. E. Hubbard Co. $29.28; International Harvester Co. $56.41; Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $9.59; H. V. Johnston Culvert Co. $7.72; LaNoues Radiator Shop $21.00; Mahowald Co. $17.10; Marquardts Service & Supply Co. $30.15; Frank Miller Co. $4.86; Motor Supply Co. $47.19; N. W. Public Service Co. $4.58; N. W. Road Supply Co. $199.86; J. C. Penney Co. $7.80; Reaneys Service $262.81; Riley Hardware Co. $1.89; Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $6.47; Arthur Schwandt $5.37; Harold Scriver $1.50; Lyle Thorson $38.44; Williams Hardware Co. $5.30; Watertown Machine Works $4.18; Western Transportation Co. $8.12; Watertown Sheet Metal Works $3.00; Watertown Tire Co. $112.20; SALARY-Carl F. Bergan $294.16; Pearl Bergan $135.00; INSANE-A. Freesemann $5.00; C.M.V.-Empire Equipment Co. $10,696.83; C.H. & B.R.-Botsford Lbr. Co. $7.00; Thompson Yards $2.70; Codington-Clark Elec. Co-op Inc. $1037.79; BRIDGE-S. D. Concrete Products Co. $138.34; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Sioux Road Equipment Co.$614.11; Codington-Clark Elec. Co-op Inc. $433.81; INSTITUTE-Mrs. Merlin Billington $10.00; Doris Nelson $12.50.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for hearing upon applications for licenses to engage in the retail sale of intoxicating and non-intoxicating liquors, notices of said hearing having been published in the official County newspapers April 30, 1953, and, whereas no one appeared to protest the granting of said licenses, it was moved by Keenan and seconded by Belk that the applications be approved as follows: Class "F" license to Joseph Murray, Lots 1 and 2, Block 3 in the town of Waverly; Class "D" license to Theodore Swenson, Outlot A in Section 32-118-52 in Rauville Twp. The motion carried.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved by the Board as follows: Kenneth Borns, Donald Pieschke, Orlan Hogie, Mrs. Ole Dahl, Glenn Buchholz, James Dagel, Richard Hallauer, L. C. Hlavacek, and Joe Rossow, $4.00 each.

The Register of Deeds Statement of Fees collected during April, 1953 in the amount of $548.65 was approved by the Board.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of May 1, 1953 was approved by the Board as follows: Total amount of deposits in banks $738,381.96; Total amount of cash, checks and drafts in the Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days $25,867.23; Government Bonds $181,837.33; Total of all items $946,086.52.

The statement of the Yankton State Hospital for April, 1953 in the amount of $1731.34 was checked and approved.

Carl Nelson and Emil Stoltenberg of Elmira Twp. appeared before the Board to discuss road matters. No action was taken.

On a motion by Keenan and second by Jordeth the following Twp. officers bonds and oaths were approved: Elmira Twp. - Ernest Konrady, Assessor; Chris Kirsch, Clerk; Lake Twp.- M. C. Mahanke, Assessor; Wm. Mahanke, Constable; Harold K. Benbow, Clerk; Richland Twp. - Leonard Murphy, Assessor; Gerald Burke, Clerk; Fuller Twp. - Morris Michaelson, Clerk; Graceland Twp. - Harold L. Hanson, Assessor; Phipps Twp. - Grover Peterson, Assessor; Germantown Twp. - Otto Korth, Treasurer; Dexter Twp. - Philip Bergh, Assessor; Thomas N. Hagen Treasurer; William Flisrand, Clerk.

The County Auditor reported the tax deed sale of Lots 32 thru 37, Block 3, Kemps Addition to Watertown to Mrs. Thresa Kranz for $60.00, said property having been advertised for sale

in the official County papers and offered at public auction on April 17, 1953.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Jordeth that Chairman Sheldon be authorized to sign and the County Auditor attest a Quit Claim deed to above described property from Codington County to said Thresa Kranz for $60.00. The motion carried.

County Highway Supt., L. G. Larson, appeared before the Board to discuss road matters.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the County Highway Dept. be instructed to remove the concrete abutments from the culverts on the county roads and replace same with markers with reflectors. The motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. May 13, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
May 13, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Pursuant to "Notice of Hearing" published in the official County newspapers on March 26, April 2 and April 9, 1953, comes now the hearing on Petition #1, presented by freeholders of Kranzburg and Waverly townships, petitioning the Board of County Commissioners to add to the Codington County Highway System the following described road, to-wit: "Commencing on the Northwest Corner of Section 36-118-51 in Waverly Twp., thence south four miles to the Southwest Corner of Section 13-117-51 in Kranzburg Twp."

Appearing before the Board for this hearing were the following Kranzburg and Waverly residents: Carl H. Haan, Gerhart Albrecht, Ralph Raml, John Hobelsberger, Francis Hupf, Henry J. Laqua, John Schmieding, Melvin J. Schmieding, Frank Hupf, John Laqua and Harry Mack.

John Laqua acted as spokesman for this delegation. He explained to the Board the need for this road and stressed in particular the need for a new bridge to replace the defective one now located between Sections 1 and 2 in Waverly Twp.

After considerable discussion, Chairman Sheldon appointed the entire Board to act as a committee for inspection of all roads petitioned for in above referred to "Notice of Hearing" and the Board set May 19, 1953 at 1:00 P.M. as the time for inspection of this road at which time all interested parties can meet with the committee for inspection on the Southwest Corner of Section 13 in Kranzburg Twp.

11:00 A. M. - Comes now the hearing on Petition #2, presented by freeholders of Mazeppa Twp. in Grant County and Leola Twp. in Codington County to add to the Codington and Grant County Highway Systems the following described roads, to-wit: "Location of proposed road to extend south of present Grant County Highway from the Northwest Corner of Section 29-120-51, Mazeppa Twp. in Grant County, known as the Evergreen Stock Farm Corner, to the intersection of State Highway #20, three miles west of South Shore, being two miles in Grant County and three Miles in Codington County."

Members of the delegation appearing for the hearing on this Petition were as follows: Arnold M. Gengler, Merle Elshire, Myron Resen, Willard DeWilde, L. C. Gooch, Donald Myer and W. D. Gibson.

L. C. Gooch, spokesman for this delegation, explained to the Board the need for this road, both as a mail route and school and bus route. He also pointed out that because of its location along high ground, it would not be difficult to build.

Inspection of this road was set by the Board for May 19, 1953 at 3:00 P. M., the meeting place for said inspection to be on Highway #20, three miles west of South Shore on the south end of the proposed road.

At 1:30 P. M., in response to a request of the Board, John Fritz, manager of the Codington-Clark Electric Co-op. Co., appeared for the purpose of explaining to the Board more fully the charges as shown in the said firm's claim against Codington County for moving lines in Graceland, Henry and Dexter townships. Mr. Fritz explained how the charges were determined after which the Board, on the advice of the States Attorney, approved and allowed the claims as submitted in the amount of $1471.60.

3:00 P. M.- Comes now the hearing on Petition #3, presented by freeholders of Leola Twp. petitioning to add to the County Highway System the following described road, to-wit: "Commencing at the Southwest corner of Section Two, thence East two miles to the Southwest Corner of Section One, all in Twp. 119 North, of Range 51 West of the Fifth P. M., being about two miles, and to intersect with the Codington County Highway System on the West and the proposed Grant County Highway System on the East.

Appearing before the Board for this hearing were the following: Floyd Steffenson, M. Scriver, Nels P. Hanson, George Overland, John Mors, Manley Owen, Edwin C. Matthes, Ingeman Jensen, Peter Anderson, Chas. F. Anderson, Carl Eliasen, Walter A. Anderson, Ephraim Jensen, John Stensrud, Alton Larson, Erick Jensen and J. L. Blek. Also present were Grant County Commissioners, Arthur Nelson and Henry Seide.

John Blek, spokesman for this delegation, presented the case for the road to the Board.

May 19, 1953 at 4:30 P. M. was the time set by the Board for inspection of this road, the meeting place for said inspection to be at the Northwest Corner of Section 11, on the County Road two miles north of South Shore.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. May 14, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
May 14, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Pursuant to "Notice of Hearing" published in the official county newspapers on March 26, April 2 and April 9, 1953, comes now the hearing on Petition #4, signed and presented by freeholders of Fuller Twp., petitioning to add to the County Highway System the following described road, to-wit:

> In Fuller Twp.-"commencing on the Northwest Corner of Section 33-118-54, thence East approximately three miles to connect with S. D. Highway No. 20 in Fuller Twp." Your petitioners further agree that the two miles of road described as follows, to wit: "Commencing on the Northwest Corner of Section 28-118-54, thence two miles East to the Northeast Corner of Section 27-118-54, in Fuller Twp. is to be abandoned as a County road."

The delegation present for this hearing were the following: Glen Campbell, Elmer Gutgesell, Melvin Thompson, Sylvester Roe, William Roe, Joe H. Johnson, August Marotz, Leland A. Marotz, Vern Thorson, Earl Roe, Elmer York, Grover Peterson and Epho Thomas.

Epho Thomas, spokesman for this group, pointed out the importance of the proposed road both as a farm-to-market outlet and a school road.

May 21, 1953 at 4:00 P. M. was the time set by the Board for inspection of this road, the meeting place for said inspection to be on Highway No. 20 at the Southwest Corner of Section 25 in Fuller Twp.

An unscheduled delegation of residents from Elmira Twp. appeared before the Board at this time to discuss and try to settle a controversy among Elmira Twp. residents as to which one of two proposed roads in Elmira Twp. should be added to the County System.

The Two roads in question are both a continuation of the County road now under construction beginning in Waverly Twp. just east of the town of Waverly, thence south to the southwest corner of Section 32 in Waverly Twp., thence west two miles to the northwest corner of Section 1 in Elmira Twp., thence three miles south to the northwest corner of Section 24 in Elmira Twp., thence west two miles to the northwest corner of Section 22 in Elmira Twp. It is at this point, on the northwest corner of Section 22-117-52 where the controversy has risen over right-of-way to the extent that the possibility of rerouting the road to go south one mile, thence west to the Mt. Hope Cemetery Road instead of continuing west to Highway No. 81 as was originally intended, is being considered by the Board.

Harry Bauer, spokesman for the delegation favoring the proposal to continue west two miles from the northwest corner of Section 22-117-52, to connect with Highway No. 81, represented a large majority of those present. M. J. Fox represented the minority group favoring the other proposed route as explained above.

Mr. Fox asked to go on record as offering to furnish all of the right-of-way needed at no cost to the county from his land adjoining the proposed route he favored.

After much discussion, Chairman Sheldon conferred with the other Board members and proposed to the delegation that they take a week in which to try to arrive at a definite decision as to which of the proposed routes should be accepted, after which they should report back to the Board for further action.

Members of the above delegation were the following: Earl R. Wheatley, Harry A. Bauer, Carl A. Nelson, Bob Cordell, Emil Stoltenberg, Clarence Bauer, Peter Cordell, Albert W. Cordell, John Cordell, Wm. P. Cordell, Oscar Taecker, George Bauer, Edwin Hanson, Richard M. Hoffman, Ernest R. Konrady, Harry O. Weagel, M. J. Fox, Richard Stoltenberg and Kenneth Carlson.

At 11:30 A. M. Commissioners Belk and Keenan were excused from the Board to attend a meeting of the James River Valley Commissioners Association at Aberdeen, S. D.

2:00 P.M. - Comes now the hearing on Petition #5 presented by freeholders of Fuller and Lake Twps. to add to the County Highway System the following described road, to wit: "Beginning at the Overhead in the northeast corner of Section 8-117-53 in Lake Twp., thence about $3\frac{1}{4}$ miles north to the northeast corner of Section 29-118-53 in Fuller Twp., thence west 4 miles to the southeast corner of Section 22-118-54 in Fuller Twp., making about $7\frac{1}{4}$ miles."

Appearing before the Board for this hearing were the following: Joe H. Johnson, Vern Thorson, C. C. Kellogg, Grant Kellogg, Morris Michaelson, Russel Bach, Ed J. O'Toole, Robert Flemming, Joe Becking, Peter Flemming, Henry Flemming, John O'Toole, Art Wensing, Joe Wensing, Andrew L. Darling, Oscar Darling, Glen Campbell, Leon Grygiel, Leland A. Marotz, Grover Peterson, Epho H. Thomas and J. B. McCabe.

Joe H. Johnson, spokesman for this delegation presented the case for the road to the Board.

1:30 P.M., May 21, 1953 was set by the Board as the time for inspection of this road, the committee and interested persons to meet at the overhead bridge.

4:00 P. M. - Comes now the hearing on Petition #6 presented by freeholders of Eden Twp. to add to the Codington County Highway System the following described road, to wit: "Commencing on the southwest corner of Section 5-119-55, thence five miles east to the southeast corner of Section 1-119-55, all in Eden Twp.".

Delegation appearing on this hearing were the following: Maurice O. Bergh, George E. Trygstad, Delmer Dale, Harold B. Ohnstad, Arthur E. Haugen, Duane Hallstrom, Philip Bergh, Ingvold Johnson, Howard A. Ristvedt and Leonard Chilson.

Howard Ristvedt, spokesman for this group, explained the need for this road from the standpoint of serving a four-church parish in that vicinity and also two schools. He also pointed out that the distance between county roads in Eden Twp. was considerably greater than

in most parts of the County.

The Board set May 21st at 4:00 P. M. as the time for inspection of this road, said inspection to begin on the southeast corner of Section 1-119-55, at which point interested persons would meet with the Committee for inspection.

The application of Mrs. Bert Mahanke for refund of $18.67 for reason of overpayment to Yankton State Hospital was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth.

The Board ordered advertising for bids to grade three miles of road in Dexter Twp. and three miles in Henry Twp. "Notice to Bidders" to be published in the official county newspapers on May 21 and 28, 1953, and date of letting fixed for June 9, 1953 at 10:00 A. M.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 May 19, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
May 19, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Motion made by Keenan and seconded by Belk to sell the Lars Larson property at South Shore, S. D., Lot 1, Block 3 of Wm. H. Johnson addition, to Willie and Marie Schmeling for $800.00 cash. All members voted "yea" and none "nay".

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Belk to authorize chairman Sheldon, to sign a Quit Claim deed. All members voted "yea" and None "nay".

A motion made by Fromke and seconded by Jordeth to concur with the Leola Twp. Board in rejecting the application for abatement of taxes on cattle in Leola Twp. of Otto Karkow, Bellingham, Minnesota. All members voted "yea" and none "nay".

M. J. Fox appeared before the Board and discussed the road in his vicinity. Action to be taken later.

Hearing was set for June 9, 1953 on all beer license applications over which the County Commissioners have jurisdiction.

Moved by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan to approve Twp. officers bonds of the following: Eden Twp.-Leonard Chilson, assessor; Fuller Twp.-Chris Hvidhyld, assessor; Elmira Twp.-Richard Stoltenburg, Treasurer;

On a motion by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan, the bond of Muriel Hoover, Supt. of Schools was approved.

On a motion by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan, the bond was approved of P. O. Brekke, Treas. of the town of Wallace.

On a motion by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan, bonds were approved of James Nelson and Beatrice E. Nelson, Tax Collectors.

The application of W. C. Williams for dance hall license for the Marine Room at Stony Point, Lake Kampeska, was approved by the Board.

Motion made by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan that the Board accept $300.00 in a Compromise settlement for liens amounting to $863.70 for Emmett and Maggie Forbes.

Recessed at 1:00 P.M. to inspect roads in South Shore area, and returned at 5:00 P. M. and adjourned until 10:00 A.M. May 26, 1953.

Irma Welch
Deputy County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
May 26, 1953

Board convened, pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-Dorothy Below (auditor) $210.00; Irma Welch $190.00; Alice Olson $150.00; Hazel Schliesman (Treasurer) $294.16; Alma Gerberding $210.00; DeLoris Goodroad $185.00; Joyce Rowe $185.00; Walter A. Farl (Clerk of Court) $267.50; Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Beverly Mickelson (Register of Deeds) $267.50; Harriet Horning $205.00; Margaret Brown $175.00; Muriel Hoover (Supt. of Schools) $204.16; Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; Ross H. Oviatt (State attorney) $256.66; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Laura J. Avis $125.00; Herbert Norbeck (County Judge) $260.00; Donald W. Lobitz (Municipal Judge) $183.33; GENERAL-Court Expense-Arlo Withrow $5.10; Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Katherine Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Gordon Coplan; Court House Maintenance-Carl Michaelson $175.00; Carl Deal $175.00; Carl Zweig, Jr. $3.30; Clarence Helle $17.10; E. J. Scarry & Co. $5.13; Carl Michaelson $1.44; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Harry Roberts $100.00; Irene Roberts $50.00; Memorial Park-Arnold Hoftiezer $100.00; Bess Hoftiezer $100.00; Poor-Mrs. Susan McCullough for LeRoy Krapf $21.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-L. G. Larson $325.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $175.00; Sever Tobiason $200.00; Bert Smith $20.00; J. P. Haug $262.50; Joe Stricherz $290.85; John Rennie $262.50; C. B. Sumner $279.30; Harold Scriver $242.55; Ed Gould $94.97; James Hendren $.51; Howard Williams $49.34; Alfred Spring $54.91; Carl Zweig, Jr. $66.47; John N. Strait $53.44; Fred Brownell $11.45; Leo Clausen $61.99; E. Spearbeck $56.58; Clarence Helle $39.44; L. Roethler $44.01; Chris Engles $39.20; Curtis O. Underwood $46.45; C.H.&B.R.-Ed Gould $170.50; James Hendren $257.25; Howard Williams $212.30; Alfred Spring $187.00; Carl Zweig, Jr. $169.40; John N. Strait $180.50; Fred Brownell $175.75; Leo Clausen $171.95; E. Spearbeck $168.00; Clarence Helle $152.00; L. Roethler $139.50; Chris Engels $135.00; Curtis O. Underwood $147.25; Mrs. Louise Rennie $187.95; GENERAL-Per Diem & Mileage-

Vernon H. Belk $91.10; Oscar J. Fromke $123.69; Einar Jordeth $118.80; James L. Keenan $96.70; Palmer D. Sheldon $96.00.

On motion by Belk and second by Jordeth, the bond of Wm. Klein, clerk of Waverly township was approved.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved by the Board as follows: Andrew Redlin, Orrin Korth, Kenneth Borns, Melvin Smunk, Grover Peterson, Geo. Gunderson Jr., Walter Geiger, John Copski, LeMar Marquardt, Joe Rossow, Merle Miller, Donald Knudson, Robert Raml, Randall Mischke, Earl Dally, $4.00 each; Gerald Schwanke $16.00; Gene Schrieber $8.00; George Groves $6.00; Lawrence Jacobs $12.00; Curtis LaFrombois $2.00.

Date set for hearing on late beer license applications, June 16, 1953.

Leo Toharzyk appeared before the Board in regard to buying a tax accounting machine. After careful consideration, motion was made by Fromke and seconded by Belk to purchase said machine, all voted "yea" and none "Nay".

Joe Strom's report read and approved. Motion made by Belk and seconded by Fromke. All voted "Yea" and none "Nay".

Geo. Isack appeared before the Board in regard to his petition for road as described in petition on file in County Auditor's office. He informed the Board he could not get all signatures required for right-of-way and easements for bank-sloping. The Board advised him that no action could be taken until he obtained the necessary signatures.

Don Erickson and Bill Langenfeld appeared before the Board in regard to lots for playground in East Watertown. Action delayed.

Board recessed for lunch.

Convened at 1:30 P.M. Belk was excused for the afternoon. All other members present, Sheldon presiding.

Harry Roberts appeared in regard to 1954 contract. Agreed to let the Board of County Commissioners know not later than October 1, 1953, of his intentions.

Compressor Repair representative appeared. Inspected heating in Court House and reported condition to Board, was authorized to make necessary repair.

Carl Deal appeared in regard to back taxes, agreement was reached by the Board.

Adjourned at 5:00 P. M. until next regular meeting, June 2, 1953.

Irma Welch
Deputy County Auditor

Appraisal of Land Acquired by Tax Proceeding to be offered for sale by County.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, deems it advisable to sell the real property hereinafter described, acquired by said county by tax deed, and said Board of County Commissioners has directed that such real property be offered for sale and that it first be appraised by said board as provided by law,

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, report that they have made a just and fair appraisement of the real property hereinafter described:

CITY OF WATERTOWN	APPRAISED VALUE
Lot 28, Block 11, Kemp Bros. Addition	$25.00
Lots 45, 46 & 47, Block 28, Replat of West Watertown	$25.00 for 3
Lot 29, Block 15, Rice Bros. addition	$25.00
Lot 37, Block 53, Way-Case Addition	$25.00
FLORENCE VILLAGE	
All of O. L. E, less W256 Feet	$30.00
Lots 13 14 & 15, Block 14	$10.00 each
Lots 20 & 21, Block 15,	$10.00 each
Lots 27, 28 & 29, Block 15	$10.00 each
Lots 16, 17 & 18, Block 16	$10.00 each

Dated this 19th day of May, 1953

Vic Emma Sondeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

Vernon H. Belk
County Commissioner

County Commissioner

Oscar J. Iverson
County Commissioner

James L. Keenan
County Commissioner

R E S O L U T I O N #176

RESOLUTION DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, The County of Codington in the State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota, and

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 19th day of May, 1953, at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property, to-wit:

CITY OF WATERTOWN	APPRAISED VALUE
Lot 28, Block 11, Kemp Bros. Addition	$25.00
Lots 45, 46 & 47, Block 28, Replat of West Watertown	$25.00 for 3
Lot 29, Block 15, Rice Bros. Addition	$25.00
Lot 37, Block 53, Way-Case Addition	$25.00
FLORENCE VILLAGE	
All of O. L. E, less W256 Feet	$30.00
Lots 13, 14 & 15, Block 14	$10.00 each
Lots 20 & 21, Block 15	$10.00 each
Lots 27, 28 & 29, Block 15	$10.00 each
Lots 16, 17 & 18, Block 16	$10.00 each

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of said Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota.

Dated this 19th day of May, 1953

Vernon H. Belk

Eisman Fordeth

Oscar J Franck

James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota

Attest:

Irma Welch
Deputy County Auditor

NOTICE OF SALE BY COUNTY OF LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Codington, South Dakota, has directed the within described real property acquired by said County by tax proceedings to be sold as provided by law.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the direction of the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, notice is hereby given that the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the Board of Commissioners of said County at the front door of the Courthouse, in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, State of South Dakota, on the 16th day of June, 1953, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described real estate situate in the County of Codington, State of South Dakota, to-wit:

CITY OF WATERTOWN	APPRAISED VALUE
Lot 28, Block 11, Kemp Bros. Addition	$25.00
Lots 45, 46 & 47, Block 28, Replat of West Watertown	$25.00 for 3
Lot 29, Block 15, Rice Bros. Addition	$25.00
Lot 37, Block 53, Way-Case Addition	$25.00
FLORENCE VILLAGE	
All of O. L. E, less W256 Feet	$30.00
Lots 13, 14 & 15, Block 14	$10.00 each
Lots 20 & 21, Block 15	$10.00 each
Lots 27, 28 & 29, Block 15	$10.00 each
Lots 16, 17 & 18, Block 16	$10.00 each

The terms upon which said real estate will be sold are as follows: Cash

Dated this 19th day of May, 1953.

Irma Welch
Deputy County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 2, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Minutes of meetings of May 5, 12, 13, 14, 19 and 26, 1953 were approved.

The County Auditor reported the tax deed sale of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 in Block 18, Wallace Village to the Town of Wallace for $25.00. It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan that Chairman Sheldon be authorized to sign and the County Auditor attest a Quit Claim deed to above described property from Codington County to the Town of Wallace. The motion carried.

Ed Schnackenberg appeared before the Board to discuss the matter of repairing sidewalks in the court yard. No action was taken.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of June 1, 1953 was approved as follows: Total amount of deposits in banks, $656,820.71; Total amount of actual cash and checks in the hands of the Treasurer not exceeding three days, $11,860.00; Government Bonds, $181,837.33; Total of all items, $850,518.10.

The Veterans Service Officer report for May, 1953 was noted by the Board.

The Board recessed at 2:30 P. M. and went out to Memorial Park to investigate the possibility of constructing a boat-launching approach to the lake. No decision was reached.

Chairman Sheldon was excused from the Board at 2:30 P. M.

After returning from the Memorial Park inspection, Vice Chairman Jordeth assumed the Chair.

The application of Gerhard Weerts for a season dance hall license at Medicine Lake, Lot 9-Sec. 31-118-54 for $25.00 was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Fromke.

The application of Mrs. Chas. Tesch for a refund of $35.00 paid to the Yankton State Hospital was approved by the Board on a motion by Keenan and second by Belk for the reason that the patient for whom the payment to Hospital was made did not enter said Hospital.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. June 4, 1953.

Carl T. Borgan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 4, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Jordeth, Fromke, Belk and Keenan present, Sheldon absent; Vice Chairman Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $120.00.

Manfred Krakow of South Shore appeared before the Board with a request that the Board allow the County patrol to maintain a township road past his farm. The Board advised Mr. Krakow that County equipment could be used on township roads only in cases of emergency.

Lester Schull, Chairman of the Civic Development Committee, appeared before the Board to arrange for a meeting of that organization with the Board at 4:00 P. M. June 9, 1953. The Board agreed to meet with said Committee at that time.

The following monthly statements for May, 1953 were approved by the Board on a motion by Keenan and second by Belk: Redfield State Hospital $525.00; State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis, Sanator, S. D., $175.89.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Roger Pries, Lee Barlow, Arnold App, Morris Bergh, Randall Mischke, Gene Schreiber, Walter Mohr, Jim Myers, Gerald Schwanke, Jerome Fox, Mrs. Robert Keyes, Mrs. Ole Dahl, Mrs. Ralph Raml, Peter Walter, Donald Born, Theodore Stricherz, Bernard Flemming, Alvin Rossow and L. B. Harkin, $4.00 each; R. H.Saathoff, Ben Heitland, Curt LaFromboise, William Redlin and Allen Posner, $2.00 each; Theodore Stricherz and Alvin Rossow, $6.00 each; John Sonstebo, $8.00.

Applications for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes were approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Belk as follows: F. W. Walsh $34.16 for payment of $22.13; E. J. and Minnie Eisenbise, $99.20 for $89.20; Francis and Ruth Cunningham $85.40 for $75.40.

On motion by Keenan, second by Belk, the official bond and oath of Wayne Elshere, Treasurer of South Shore Village was approved by the Board.

RESOLUTION TO CONDEMN #177

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
) SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

WHEREAS by order of the South Dakota State Highway Commission it has become necessary for Codington County, South Dakota, through its board of County Commissioners to acquire land or property described as follows, to-wit: The South Rod of the North Three Rods (S Rd N3Rd) of the North East Quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-one (21), Township One Hundred Seventeen (117), Range Fifty-two (52) West of the 5th P. M., Codington County, South Dakota, such acquisition being necessary in order to comply with an order of said commission for the

purpose of relocating and widening a highway and

WHEREAS it has become necessary to acquire Title to the South One Half Rod of the North Two and One Half Rods (S½rd N2½ rds) of the North East Quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-one (21), Township One Hundred Seventeen (117), Range Fifty-two (52), in Codington County, South Dakota and to acquire an easement to the South One Half Rod (S½rd) of the North Three Rods of the North East Quarter (N 3rd NE¼) of Section Twenty-one (21), Township One Hundred Seventeen (117), Range Fifty-two (52), in Codington County, South Dakota, and

WHEREAS the owners of said land, Michael J. Fox and Margaret M. Fox and the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, cannot agree upon the price to be paid for such land by said County,

NOW, THEREFORE

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that said South One Rod of the North Three Rods (S1 rd N3rds) of the North East Quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-one (21), Township One Hundred Seventeen (117), Range Fifty-two (52), Codington County, South Dakota, be and the same hereby is condemned for such highway purposes.

IT IS ORDERED that if said owners of said land shall not, within ten days after the service of a copy of this Resolution upon them, demand the right to participate in the appointment of appraisers as contemplated by SDC 28.1301, this Board shall by motion appoint three appraisers to appraise said land and further proceedings shall be had herein consistent with and under the provisions of Chapter 28.13 of the South Dakota Code of 1939.

The said appraisers shall make a careful inspection of such land and fix a value upon the same, taking into consideration any benefits as well as damages that may accrue to such owners by the acquiring and use of such land.

Dated at Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota, this 4th day of June, A. D. 1953.

Vernon H Belk

Emma Jordeth

Oscar J Fromke

James P Keenan
County Commissioners in and for said Codington County.

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor.

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
) SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

SHERIFFS RETURN OF PERSONAL SERVICE

I hereby certify and return that the annexed RESOLUTION TO CONDEMN, came into my hands for service on the 9th day of June, 1953, and that on the 9th day of June, 1953, I did in the County of Codington, South Dakota, make personal service on Michael J. Fox and Margaret M. Fox, by delivering to and leaving with each of them a true and correct copy of Resolution.

Dated this 9th day of June, 1953.

Lloyd Shenk
Deputy Sheriff of Codington County, South Dakota.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. June 9, 1953.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 9, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Jordeth, Fromke, Keenan and Belk present, Sheldon absent. Vice Chairman Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: General-Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $10.00 for Mary L. Wilson; L. L. Blake $20.00 for Billy Vermillion; Mrs. Betty Elsing $45.00 for LeRoy Krapf; Walter Gusso $25.00 for Bert Crandall; Louis C. Kinstad $183.80 for Ole Hanson $28.50, Ole Omodt $38.00, Geo. Manley $35.00, Wm. Kyle $7.30, Robt Wiseman $40.00, Andrew Horn $35.00; Mrs. Anna Lange $40.00 for Joan and Clarence Jr. Tessier; Lohrs Rest Home $30.00 for Edith Kinsey; Mrs. Susan McCullough $12.00 for Mabel Johnson; Mrs. Ernest Schmeling $25.00 for Willie Schmeling; S. D. Childrens Aid $62.00 for Sharon & Robt. Schreifels; Irene Stockman $45.00 for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $40.00 for David Bright; Mae Waba $30.00 for Helen Waba; Watertown Rest Home $60.00 for Sadie Stevens $35.00, Louis Mourere $25.00; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00 for Rose Dixon $15.00, Sarah Black $10.00; Reaneys Service $3.00 for Iris Perry; Bartron Hospital $1129.21 for Marion Bowman $25.63,

Clara Cates $175.76, Ray Farquaher $145.49, Emma Jenkins $286.45, Gertrude Heathcote $28.16, Richard Hubbartt Jr. $73.50, Robt. Mack Jr. $48.31, Hannah Smith $191.45, Robt. Vermillion $109.01, Loren Wohlwend $45.45; Bartron Clinic $462.33 for W. B. Barkley $106.99, Ben Bergeson $6.08, Marion Bowman $8.00, David Bright $25.50, Clara Cates $30.00, James Chambers $7.56, Ray Farquaher $28.00, Emma Jenkins $55.00, Mrs. Robt. Johnson $4.55, Gertrude Heathcote $8.00, Richard Hubbartt Jr. $30.00, James Mack $11.50, Frank Metzinger $7.80, Hannah Smith $86.50, Andrew H. Springer $12.95, Robt. Vermillion $20.00, John Welter $5.90, Loren Wohlwend $8.00; Bauers Store $25.00 for Fred Lenards; Brown Clinic $61.00 for Clara Ziegler; Codington County Oil Co. $8.15 for Mary Tribbitts; Council Oak Store $52.39 for Earl Jensen $30.96, Merle Lohr $21.43; J. H. Crawford Jr. $8.00 for Matt Kemp; Duffners Drug Store $86.34 for Wm. Ball $21.00, Chas. Bierscheid $3.30, Ellen Cosgrove $8.90, B. J. Murray $17.35, A. R. Quade $5.00, Ole Hanson $3.60, Richard Duus $4.20, Marsh Bradfield $4.00, L. Mourere $4.30, Wm. Kyle $7.10, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $3.90, Jerry O'Brien $3.00, Steve Wisneski $6.40; Farmers Market $18.19 for Homer Black $8.14, Glenn Forman $10.05; Haggars Drug Store $132.30 for Mrs. Frank Klucas $1.30, Ed Goeman $22.25, Philomena Holzemer $26.50, Cliff VanSickle $30.30, Adolph Stankey $11.75, Frank Cox $6.85, John Farley $10.50, Frank Krause $4.00, Mildred Taylor $4.35, Fern Washtoak $29.20; Lester Hansen Elev. Co. $11.90 for Fred Lenards; Herbergers Inc. $4.59 for Billy Vermillion; Kreisers Drug Store $40.57 for Matilda Blek $1.96, Matt Kemp $1.00, Mrs. Edith Bunde $7.50, Mr. and Mrs. Dooks Tiejen $19.50, Anna Parsley $6.31, Lena Trumer $8.80; Liens Grocery $32.13 for Mrs. Mable Johnson $10.13, Richard Kemp $22.00; Math. Gergen & Rhodes Funeral Chapel $100.00 for John H. Schaack; Medical Arts Clinic $346.50 for Fannie Baker $30.00, Carl Berge $30.00, Anna Christianson $2.00, Ed Goeman $12.00, Susanna Hegg $3.00, Philomena Holzemer $8.00, Sophie Kieso $59.00, Emma Klucas $26.00, Mrs. Iva Krueger $32.00, Wm. Kyle $3.00, Louis Mourere $2.00, Bernard J. Murray $37.50, Geo. & Delia Scholl $8.00, Adolph Stankey $39.00, Fern Washtoad $6.00, Steve Wisneski $49.00; Memorial Hospital $1525.44 for Frank & Emma Klucas $82.90, Fannie Baker $199.98, Mable Johnson $145.48, Steve Wisneski $197.82, Geo. & Delia Scholl $92.82, Adolph Stankey $165.37, Alfred Vick $12.84, Carl Berge $186.57, Donald Lawrence $92.61, Fred Eaton $349.05; C. O. Munson $6.00 for Sussanna Hegg; Montgomery Ward $3.04 for Mary Vermillion; National Tea Co. $15.00 for Donna Kinon; Northside Grocery $35.00 for Mrs. Ben Nelson; Red Owl - S. Shore $25.00 for Loren Wohlwend; Shaw-Messer Service $9.00 for Steve Wisneski $6.00, Sophie Kieso $3.00; Avabelle Snook $17.50 for Cheryl Vermillion; Avabelle Snook $35.00 for Richard and Betty Vermillion; Avabelle Snook $35.00 for Bonnie and Joan Vermillion; Spies Super Valu $5.00 for Marvis Conrad; St. Ann's Hospital $553.47 for Mary Matteson $229.00, Chas. Briggs $125.08, Clara Ziegler $199.39; Thomes Drug Store $87.07 for Anna Christianson $8.30, Minnie Johnson $34.05, Louisa Richter $5.35, Peter DeMuynck $1.00, Helen Waba $5.25, Richard DePeel $2.25, Susie Erickson $.35, Alfred Vick $32.70, Lena Trumer $4.50; Dr. M. C. Thompson $117.00 for Lena Trumer $10.00, Edith Bundy $6.00, Peter DeMuynck $12.00, Richard DePeel $5.00, Susie Erickson $6.00, John Farley $17.00, Minnie Johnson $18.00, Louisa Richter $6.00, Mildred Taylor $2.00, Helen Waba $31.00, David Bright $4.00; Creasers $11.00 for Joe Lindner; County Farm-Antonia Jegerin $3.50; City Treasurer $32.00; Nelson Hardware $1.13; Kriesers Drug Store $4.34; Liens Grocery $29.13; Creasers $5.75; S. D. Livestock Sales Co. $98.08; Court Expense-Mabel L. Durkee $111.64; Cliff Englund $59.10; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $76.10; Oscar J. Fromke $74.21; Einar Jordeth $67.50; James L. Keenan $86.80; Sheriffs Mileage-Cliff Englund $409.40; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $74.80; Sheriffs Fees-Cliff Englund $63.29; Tax Collector-F. C. Grow Sons $26.00; Ole James Nelson $79.07; Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent $118.24; Watertown Public Opinion $135.72; South Shore Gazette $78.34; Carlsons $8.10; Veterans Service $22.00; Rosella Howey $23.50; Reg. of Deeds Office expense-Carlsons $1.20; Beverly Mickelson $1.43; Brown & Saenger $19.02; Watertown Typewriter Co. $1.18; Ruhe Stationery Co. $8.80; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $9.20; Sheriffs Office Expense-Gerriets Radio Service $9.10; Harolds Camera Shop $2.62; Ruhe Stationery Co. $14.55; Supt. of Schools Mileage-J. Muriel Hoover $100.94; Social Security-Brookings County Auditor $6.24; Clark County Auditor $2.94; Duel County Auditor $1.34; Insurance & Bonds-Western Surety Co. $56.00; First Citizens National Bank $14.25; Co. Judge Office Expense-Virginia Morgan $21.43; Brown & Saenger $7.81; Ruhe Stationery Co. $9.35; County Extension-Fred Morris $21.14; County Auditors Office Expense $1.27; Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.31; Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. $34.75; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $6.23; Treasurers Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.80; Midwest Beach Co. $18.96; Mitchell Publishing Co. $9.06; Public Welfare Office expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.25; Midwest Beach Co. $14.82; Memorial Park-Cave Supply Co. $3.46; Montgomery Ward & Co. $6.00; N. W. Public Service $25.76; Nelson Hardware $3.07; Reaneys Service $2.89; Court House Maintenance-Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $5.20; N. W. Bell Telephone Co. $221.17; Egge Electric Co. $10.84; Mrs. Elvera Englund $2.16; West Disinfecting Co. $34.50; Western Chemical Co. $16.20; Western Transportation $2.78; City Treasurer $375.57; Nelson Hardware $9.26; Reaneys Service $1.60; ROAD-Reaneys Service $224.05; Cave Supply Co. $45.12; Dakota Welding Supply Co. $8.80; Empire Equipment Co. $794.73; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $42.54; J. P. Foster Co. $24.81; R. E. Hubbard Co. $2.37; International Harvester Co. $209.94; Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $5.22; LaNoues Radiator Shop $9.50; Mahowald Co. $14.05; Marquardts Service & Supply Co. $86.08; Frank Miller Co. $5.16; Motor Supply Co. $30.80; N. W. Public Service Co. $4.79; N. W. Road Supply Co. $13.62; Harold Scriver $1.50; State Highway Commission $117.00; Loren B. Stein Agency $34.55; Theo. Swenson $3.00; Watertown Tire Co. $117.65; Western Transportation Co. $8.67; Sioux Road Equipment Co. $150.49; Standard Oil Co. $522.61; Watertown Machine Works $12.08; INSANE-F. W. Haas, M. D. $50.00; C.H. & B.R.-Sioux Road Equipment Co. $332.32; Standard Oil Co. $266.84; Watertown Machine Works $8.01; S. D. Concrete Products Co. $6080.98; Botsford Lbr. Co. $7.00; BRIDGE-S. D. Concrete Products Co. $108.16; TEXT BOOKS-Hub City School Supply Co. $12.50; TUITION-Waverly Ind. Cons. School $3150.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $19.67; Paul David $5.82; Joseph J. Fox $5.68; Marquardts Service & Supply Co. $5.88; Robert F. Redlin $6.52; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Watertown Machine Works $.83.

Pursuant to "Notice of Hearing" on application for Class "C" or Class "D" permits to engage in the retail sale of non-intoxicating liquors as advertized in the official county newspapers on May 28, 1953, comes now the hearing on said applications. Vice Chairman Jordeth requested the County Auditor to read said "Notice of Hearing" preliminary to action by the Board.

After the reading of said "Notice of Hearing", it was pointed out by George Isack that the legal description in the application of George Laqua was incorrect. The Board checked and verified the error after which it was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the Laqua application be set aside and re-advertized. The motion carried.

It was further noted by the Board that the application of Elmer E. Jensen for a Class "F"

license to engage in the retail sale of intoxicating liquors at Lots 12, 13 and 14 in Block 2, Kranzburg, S. D. was included in above mentioned "Notice of Hearing".

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Belk that the Jensen application also be set aside and readvertized. The motion carried.

As no further objections were raised on other applications submitted, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that applications for Class "C" and Class "D" permits be approved as follows: Watertown Country Club, O.L. "B" and "C", Arends Park, Sec. 28-117-53 in Lake Twp.; Elmer E. Jensen (Silver Star Bar) Lots 12, 13 and 14, Block 2, in Kranzburg Village; Ed Heyn, NE 4 acres of the NE¼ in Sec. 3-116-51 in Kranzburg Twp.; Henry N. L. Ries, Lots 10 and 11, Block 2, Kranzburg Village; C. J. Ruhr, Lots 1 and 2, Block 3, Kranzburg Village; Jessie Heckathorne, Lots 3 and 4 in Kranzburg Village; John Albert Gillies, Lots 2 and 3, Block 3, Kranzburg Village; Mrs. Glenn C. Watkins, Lot 21, Highland Park, Lake Twp.; Caroline A. Meyer, Part of Smith O. L. in Sec. 15-117-53 in Lake Twp.; Willis R. Walters, SE 3 acres of SE¼ Sec. 1-116-55, Henry Twp.; Theodore Swenson, O. L. "A", Sec. 32-118-52 in Rau-ville Twp.; Leslie Robinson, Lot 1, Block 2, City View in Lake Twp.; Clarence Reeve, O. L. 9, Sec. 31-118-54 in Fuller Twp.; Ray Halling, NW 1 acre in NW¼ Sec. 6-116-53 in Pelican Twp.; Gordon Thompson, NW Corner Gov. Lot 3, Sec. 17-116-53 in Pelican Twp.; Lloyd Opperud, Lots 4 and 5, Hillcrest Addition in Lake Twp.; W. T. Williams, Gov. Lot 3, Sec. 29-117-53 in Lake Twp. The motion carried.

Pursuant to "Notice to Bidders" duly advertized in the county official newspapers, comes now the opening of sealed bids for grading six miles of County road in Codington County; also, bids for stripping gravel pits, loading, screening and hauling gravel and clay.

For gravel and clay work the following firms submitted bids: Loomis Bros., Garden City, S. D.; Elmer Zweig, Road Contractor and Trucker, Watertown, S. D.; Withrow Sales and Service, Watertown, S. D.

Grading bids were submitted by the following: Ernest A. Goodroad, Watertown, S. D.; Floyd E. Knight, Webster, S. D.; Nick Martin Construction Co., Webster, S. D.; Loomis Bros., Garden City, S. D.

Representatives of all above firms submitting bids were interviewed separately by the Board.

After due deliberation, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the bid of Elmer Zweig be accepted as the lowest and best bid at 25¢ per yd. for stripping, screening, loading and disposing of stripping waste material, and 7¢ per yd. per mile for hauling gravel and clay. The motion carried.

The Board deferred action on the grading bids till 2:00 P. M. June 10, 1953.

On a motion by Belk and second by Keenan, the Board authorized the County Treasurer to exchange County owned Government bonds in the amount of $6,000.00 due June 1, 1953 for Series B Government bonds in the same amount with maturity date of June 1, 1954.

Pursuant to the arrangement made with Lester Schull, Chairman of the Civic Development Committee, as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of June 4, 1953, a delegation of Civic Development Committee members and other interested persons appeared before the Board at 4:00 P. M. Members of the delegation were as follows: Lester Schull, Alan Austin, Jim Grant, L. D. Nicols, Herb Trandall, A. H. Steinmetz, Matt H. Suttor, H. M. Haywood, Mrs. A. F. Reese, John A. Guddal, Ben Ackerman, Edith H. Hawley, Earl Mills, Clark Prey, T. W. Johnston, LaVern Hubbard, Loren Stein, Glee Tarbell, Herb Skinner, M. J. Drange, Max Witcher, Morris Korsh and Reuben Wicks.

Lester Schull, spokesman for the group, explained to the Board that residents on Tenth Ave. north were opposed to the City and Civil Development Committee plan to extend said Tenth Ave. west across the Sioux River to connect with Highway No. 20 near the S. D. Livestock Sales Pavilion for the reason that such an extension would encourage undesirable truck traffic along that avenue. Schull further explained, that to offset this opposition, the Civil Development Committee had decided to ask the County Board of Commissioners to cooperate with the City in this matter by extending the County Highway System from Highway 81 west on what is known as Fourteenth Avenue, North, to the section line west of Matt Suttor's residence, thence south to connect with the Tenth Avenue extension, thereby making it possible to bar truck traffic on Tenth Avenue and route it north on the County road.

A general discussion followed in which several members of the delegation voiced opinions and questions. The matter of right-of-way and easements on the proposed county road was discussed. The Board advised the delegation that the County would cooperate in the plan only if the proper petition for adding road to the county system, together with agreements to deed right-of-way for $1.00 and furnish the necessary easements for grading and bank sloping for an 80 ft. right-of-way to meet county road specifications were presented to the Board. The Board also stipulated that the County would not be responsible for any of the cost of bridging the Sioux River.

Matt Suttor objected to the 80 ft. right-of-way past his residence for the reason that such a right-of-way would necessitate removing his curb and would bring the road too close to his house. After further discussion the Board agreed to allow a 66 ft. road at that point.

Mr. Suttor also stated that it might be better to locate the County road farther north for the reason that Fourteenth Avenue residents may also object to the truck traffic. He also suggested that if the "truck route", as referred to by the delegation, were to be located on Fourteenth Avenue, provision should be made to have same black topped through the residential area.

Alan Austin brought up the question of whether the north-south section line west of Matt Suttor's place has been legally closed. Mr. Suttor stated that he would cooperate in reopening said section line if it became necessary.

John Guddal expressed the opinion that the truck route should be located about a mile north of Tenth Avenue, and that the Sioux River should be bridged at a point directly west

on that route.

The delegation left with the understanding that the County Board would cooperate with the plan if terms as stated above were met.

Gerhard Knorr, agent for Mid-Continental Painting and sand Blasting Co., appeared before the Board to discuss the matter of cleaning and water-proofing the exterior of the Court House. The Board advised Mr. Knorr that in view of the cost of the project, approximately $6,000.00, no action would be taken until the matter had been more fully studied.

Joe Johnson appeared to discuss road matters. At his request the Board agreed to allow the County Patrol to maintain that part of old Highway No. 20 from the Bob Welch corner north until the new Highway 20 is completed.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. June 10, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 10, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment, at 10:00 A. M. with Jordeth, Belk, Keenan and Fromke present, Sheldon Absent, Vice Chairman Jordeth presiding.

Pursuant to arrangement as noted in Proceedings of June 9, representatives of firms submitting bids for grading six miles of county road in Codington County appeared before the Board.

After some discussion, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan, that all bids be rejected, certified checks be returned to bidders, and the bidding be readvertized to show the six miles of grading in two separate projects, Henry Twp. and Dexter Twp., with each project to be divided into numbered miles with bidders bidding on each separate mile of each project. The motion carried.

The application of Doris Tofte Schmeling for abatement of 1952 real estate taxes in Rauville Twp. in the amount of $38.78 was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Keenan for the reason of an error in assessment whereby the valuation on forty acres was increased $1,000.00 by incorrectly extending the figures in the assessors book.

The application of Raymond Kluck for abatement of 1952 personal property taxes in Rauville Twp. in the amount of $132.47 for the reason that said property was assessed in Richland Twp. for the same year, was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Keenan.

Following monthly statements of fees collected during May, 1953 were approved on a motion by Belk and second by Fromke: Register of Deeds, $462.85; Clerk of Courts, $304.60.

The following predatory animal bounty claims were approved on a motion by Belk and second by Keenan: Gerald Schwanke, Paul Flemming, Ronald W. McGillivary, L. B. Harkin, Richard Hanson and Peter Walter, $4.00 each; Ralph Raml, John Jurgenson and Emory Elmore, $6.00 each; Bernard Hoverstadt and R. H. Saathoff, $2.00 each.

Edward P. Gribben, attorney for the M. & St L. Ry. Co., appeared before the Board with an application for abatement of taxes on property os said M. & St L. Ry. Co. for the years 1934 to 1945, both years inclusive, as follows: At Wallace, S. D., $1,868.68; at Waverly, S. D., $429.54; at Florence, S. D., $1,009.08; Total, $3,307.30.

As explained by Mr. Gribben and stated in the application for abatement, all of above property has been assessed against the M. & St L. Ry. Co. for the same years by the Director of Taxation as provided by law, wherefore above tax becomes a duplication of assessment.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that the Board concur with the Court order in granting the abatement as shown in foregoing application of the M. & St L. Ry. Co. The motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M., June 16, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 16, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Jordeth, Belk, Keenan and Fromke present, Sheldon absent; Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Printing & Advertising-South Shore Gazette $15.75; Per Diem & Mileage-Palmer D. Sheldon; Poor-Brown Clinic $165.50 for Ed Breuer $8.00, Chas. N. Briggs $28.50, Axel & Adeline Bakken $4.50, Mrs. Ellen Cosgroce $8.00, Mary Matteson $30.00, Ruth Martell $6.50, Mr. & Mrs. Dooks Tiegen $37.00, A. R. Quade $16.50, Cliff Van Sickle $24.50, Clara Ziegler $2.00.

The application of Clayton J. Johnson for partial release of liens of Clayton Johnson insofar as said liens pertain to the West ½ of Lot 1, Block 2, Pettigrews Addition to Watertown was granted by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Belk for the reason that said liens are against another Clayton Johnson.

The Yankton State Hospital statement for May, 1953 in the amount of $1790.84 was checked and approved.

The application of Hans A. Hogstad for abatement of $1.00 School Poll in the City of Watertown for the reason of a duplication of assessment in Wallace Village was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Keenan.

The application of Gerhard F. Giese for refund of 1952 real estate tax in Germantown Twp.

in the amount of $42.26 for the reason of an error in extension of valuation whereby the structure assessment belonging on the description in the line above was extended to Giese's description, was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Belk.

On a motion by Fromke and second by Belk, the Board approved the application of W. C. Hackbart for abatement of 1952 school and road poll in Germantown Twp. in the amount of $3.00 for the reason of duplication of assessment on same in the City of Watertown.

Chairman Sheldon appeared on the Board at 11:40 A. M. and assumed the Chair.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that the Community Room of the Court House be closed to public meetings on Saturday afternoons and all evenings during the months of July and August, 1953. The motion carried.

Bonds of South Shore Village officials were approved on a motion by Keenan and second by Belk as follows: Leonard H. Johnson, Clerk; Wayne Elshere, Treasurer; John Stainocher, Marshall.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Marvin Czech, George E. Trygstad, John Bergan, Ralph Raml, Mrs. Bruce Florey, Donald Ritz, Harry Bergan, Ed Fleming, O. R. Liesure, Donald Ritz, Joe N. Mack, Harvey Monahan, Arnold App and Ralph Raml, $4.00 each; Orris McInroy $12.00; Clifford Johnson $6.00; Dennis Giese and Stub Jenkins, $2.00 each.

REPORT OF SALE BY COUNTY AUDITOR OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING

TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA:

Carl F. Bergan, the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, makes the following return of the proceedings had pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners to offer for sale the within described real estate acquired by the county by tax proceedings, and reports as follows, tp-wit:

That the real property directed to be offered for sale by the Board of County Commissioners was first classified as class one land and was appraised by the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, at the sum of $80.00.

That in pursuance of the direction of the Board of County Commissioners that the within described real estate acquired by tax proceeding be offered for sale, he caused notice of sale thereof to be published in a legal newspaper of the County of Codington once each week for a period of three successive weeks before the date of sale specified therein, which notice contained a description of the real property to be sold and the time, place, and terms of sale, all of which appears by such notice and affidavit of publication filed herein.

That said County Auditor, pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners and notice duly given, offered for sale and on the 16th day of June, 1953, sold, subject to the confirmation of the Board of County Commissioners, the following described real estate to the highest and best bidders, for the sum of $80.00, said sum being the highest and best sum bid and not being less than the amount of the appraisement, upon the following terms, to-wit: cash at the time of sale in the amount of $80.00 deposited with the County Treasurer,

The real estate so sold is described as follows, to-wit:

Roy H. Soule, Lots 45, 46 & 47, Block 28 Replat of West Watertown for $25.00;
Wallace Spicer, Lot 29, Block 15, Rice Bros. Addition for $25.00;
George Keszler, All of O.L. E Less W256 ft. Section 4-118-54 in Florence Village for $30.00.

Dated this 16th day of June, 1953

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County,
South Dakota.

RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE FOR CASH OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE #178

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described real property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that the sum of $80.00 in cash for the following described real property, to-wit:

Lots 45, 46 and 47, Block 28, Replat of West Watertown
Lot 29, Block 15, Rice Bros. Addition to Watertown
All of O.L. E Less W256 ft. Section 4-118-54, Florence Village

which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited in cash with the County Treasurer;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 16th day of June, 1953, that the sale of said premises to the said bidders of Codington County be and the same is hereby approved, and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deed to said purchaser conveying to said purchaser all of the right, title, and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 16th day of June, 1953.

Vernon H Belk
Einar Jordeth
Oscar J Fromke
James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

A petition signed by twelve freeholders of Codington County requesting the vacation and abandonment of certain section line highways outside the corporate limits of any City or town was presented to the Board at this time. Highways to be abandoned as requested in said petition are described as follows: "Beginning at the Northwest Corner of the North East ¼ Sec. 32-118-55, thence East one mile to the Northeast Corner of the SW¼ of Sec. 33-118-55."

Also; "Beginning at the Northeast Corner of Sec. 29-118-55, thence South two miles to the SE¼ of Sec. 32-118-55, all in Phipps Twp."

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that "Notice of Hearing" on foregoing petition be published in the official newspapers of Codington County on June 25, July 2 and July 9, 1953, and the hearing be set for August 18, 1953 at 10:00 A.M. in the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House. The motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. June 23, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 23, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $39.10; James L. Keenan $47.14; Oscar J. Fromke $50.08; Einar Jordeth $66.80; Per Diem-Palmer D. Sheldon $19.70; Poor-Mrs. Augusta Bunde $15.00 for Louisa Richter; County Farm-War Surplus Store $1.95; Park Grant Co. $78.15; Watertown Co-op Elevator $9.50; Watertown Milling Co. $26.00; Watertown Veterinary Clinic $39.00; Botsford Lumber Co. $4.50; Memorial Park-Clarence McIntire $201.95; Register of Deeds Office Expense $4.15; County Judge Office-Expense-Carlson's $2.35; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Carlson's $17.52;

Applications for permits to engage in the retail sale of alcoholic beverages came before the Board for public hearing at this time as follows: George L. Laqua, NW 1 acre of the W½SW¼ in Section 17-117-52, Elmira Twp.; Elmer E. Jensen, Lots 12, 13 and 14 in Kranzburg Village.

As no one appeared to protest foregoing applications, it was moved by Keenan and seconded by Belk that same be approved, which motion carried.

Howard Williams appeared before the Board with an application for compromise settlement of county aid liens in the amount of $707.08 for a payment of $355.00.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that foregoing application of Howard Williams be approved. The motion carried.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Carl Michaelson, Gary C. Springer, Mrs. Walter Schwanke, Darwin Nogelmeier, Kenneth Klein, Harold Moyer, Mrs. Erwin Hay, $4.00 each; Harold L. Hanson, $2.00; A. J. Mueller, $52.50.

The application of Milo and Melvin Goens for refund of 1952 School and Road Poll in Kranzburg Twp. in the amount of $6.00 for reason of military service exemption was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth.

The application of Mrs. Herman Abraham, Sr. for abatement of 1952 personal property tax in Richland Twp. in the amount of $5.34 for the reason that no personal property existed where assessment was made, was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Keenan.

Glenn Miller, Secretary of the Watertown Country Club, appeared before the Board to request permission for the Country Club to have a public Fire-works display on July 4, 1953. The Board granted permission on a motion by Belk and second by Fromke.

County Highway Superintendent, L. G. Larson, appeared before the Board to discuss road and culvert problems caused by the excessive rains of the last few days. Mr. Larson mentioned the need for another "Front End Loader".

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Keenan that the County advertize for bids to furnish the Highway Dept. with a "Front End Loader" - "Notice to Bidders" to be published in the official county newspapers, July 2, 9, and 16, 1953, and letting of bids to be held at 10:00 A.M., July 24, 1953. The motion carried.

The application of Stanley L. Bon for partial release of county poor liens of C. N. Bucholz and Mrs. C. N. Bucholz in the amount of $19.40 insofar as said liens pertain to Lot 1A

of the NW¼ SW¼ of Section 24-116-53 for a payment of $9.70 was approved by the Board.

W. A. Hackett appeared before the Board with the application of Joseph T. and Clara G. Wensing for partial release of county aid liens of Joseph M. Wensing, which liens appeared on the abstract of title to property described as Lot 12, Block 72, Second Railway Addition to Watertown. Mr. Hackett explained to the Board that these liens were not against Joseph T. Wensing on whose abstract they appeared, after which it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Fromke that a partial release of said liens be granted as requested. The motion carried.

At 2:00 P. M. the Board recessed and went out to the City Air Port where they met with Mayor Gilbert, and H. O. Chester, Airport manager, to discuss plans for a County Fair and inspect airport buildings which might be used for said Fair. The Board returned at 4:00 P. M. and reported no definite decision reached.

The Board authorized closing of the Court House at 1:00 P. M. July 2, 1953 for a Court House picnic at Memorial Park.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. June 26, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 26, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Jim Freeland appeared before the Board and reported that the dam on the Sioux River outlet to Lake Kampeska was keeping the water level in the Lake too high, thereby causing considerable damage to property along the lake front. He asked the Board who was responsible for the dam and what could be done to have it removed.

The Board checked records of Commissioners proceedings and found that at a meeting of the Board of County Commissioners together with a delegation of interested persons on April 4, 1941, the Board had authorized the County Highway Dept. to build the dam to specifications prescribed by the Department of Game, Fish and Parks, with said Game and Fish Department furnishing funds for the project in the amount of $3,500.00. On the basis of this information, the present County Board recommended that Mr. Freeland contact the Department of Game, Fish and Parks for further advice on the matter.

Thor M. Peterson of the Universal Improvement Co. appeared before the Board with a proposal to repair the Court House roof for $635.00, the damaged and broken sky lights for $208.75, and roofs of buildings on the County Farm for $160.00.

After discussing the matter, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the proposal to repair the Court House roof and sky-lights for a total cost of $843.75 be accepted. The motion carried.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that the proposal to repair roofs on the County Farm for a cost of $160.00 be accepted. The motion carried.

Matt Langenfeld appeared before the Board to request that the County repair a road in Pelican Twp. for access from Highway 212 to Matt's Resort on the north shore of Lake Pelican.

The Board advised Mr. Langenfeld that the road was under the jurisdiction of the Pelican Township Board of Supervisors who were responsible for repair and upkeep of same.

The Board authorized Arnold Hofteizer, caretaker of Memorial Park, to make two tables to be used for the Park.

The matter of the County Fair was discussed, but no definite decisions were reached and no action taken.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. June 30, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 30, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $294.16; Dorothy Below $210.00; Irma Welch $190.00; Pearl Bergan $180.00; Alice Olson $150.00; County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $294.16; Alma Gerberding $210.00; DeLoris Goodroad $185.00; Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $267.50; Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $267.50; Harriet Horning $205.00; Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-Muriel Hoover $294.16; Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $256.66; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Laura J. Avis $125.00; Herbert Norbeck $260.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $183.33; Court House Maintenance-Carl Michaelson $175.00; Carl Deal $175.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Katherine Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Harry Roberts $113.50; Irene Roberts $50.00; Memorial Park-Arnold Hoftiezer $100.00; Bess Hoftiezer $100.00; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $55.50; Oscar J. Fromke $50.60; Einar Jordeth $68.30; James L. Keenan $66.90; Palmer D. Sheldon $57.25; Weed Board-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-Lars G. Larson $325.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $175.00; Sever Tobiason $200.00; Bert Smith $20.00;

J. P. Haug $262.50; Joe Stricherz $294.00; John Rennie $273.00; C. B. Sumner $305.55; Harold Scriver $267.75; Ed Gould $220.11; James Hendren $11.27; Howard Williams $69.23; Alfred Spring $49.29; Carl Zweig, Jr. $55.86; John Strait $194.86; Fred Brownell $54.02; Leo Clausen $77.20; E. Spearbeck $88.76; Clarence Helle $32.42; L. Roethler $167.76; Chris Engels $164.72; Curtis Underwood $183.24; John Lyle Barrett $72.00; Ed Brekke $138.70; C.H. & B.R. Harold Scriver $36.75; Ed Gould $22.00; James Hendren $265.95; Howard Williams $187.00; Alfred Spring $203.50; Carl Zweig Jr. $199.10; John Strait $19.00; Fred Brownell $145.35; Leo Clausen $155.80; E. Spearbeck $150.15; Clarence Helle $182.40; L. Roethler $18.00; Chris Engels $18.00; Curtis Underwood $19.00; Bridge-Ed Gould $33.00; John Strait $28.50; L. Roethler $27.00; Chris Engels $27.00; Curtis Underwood $28.50; ROAD-Secretary of State $2.50.

On a motion by Keenan and second by Belk, predatory animal claims were approved as follows: Alvin Redlin, Calvin Nerland, Elmer Hedman, Marvin Gallisath, Harold Redlin, Floyd Thacker, Stanley Michaelson and Andrew Redlin, $4.00 each; Joe Ries and William Halling, $8.00 each; Glenn C. Moorhouse, $2.00; Justus Muller, $10.00.

The application of Donald Lindner for abatement of 1952 road and school poll in Kranzburg Twp. in the amount of $3.00 for the reason of military service exemption was approved by the Board on a motion by Jordeth and second by Keenan.

W. A. Hackett, attorney, and Mrs. Emmet Johnson appeared before the Board regarding delinquent personal property taxes of Emmet Johnson. The Board advised Mr. Hackett to take the matter up with the tax collector.

The monthly report of the County Weed Supervisor for May, 1953 was noted by the Board.

The June, 1953 report of Justice of the Peace, Joe Strom, was checked and approved.

C. H. Sonnenberg appeared before the Board regarding lighting of the band stand in the Court Yard. Commissioner Fromke and Sonnenberg inspected the lights after which Mr. Sonnenberg agreed that the City would check and repair same.

At 2:00 P. M. the Board went out to Memorial Park to check picnic facilities. The Board returned from the Memorial Park inspection at 3:30 P. M.

Pursuant to Resolution to Condemn and service of same as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of June 6, 1953, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that the Board appoint a committee of three to appraise said condemned right-of-way. The motion carried.

The following committee was appointed, to-wit: B. M. Tollefson, Julius Feyereisen and R.J. Roby. The Board requested the County Auditor to notify members of the committee of their appointment and ask said committee to appear before the Board of County Commissioners at 10:00 A. M. July 7, 1953 for further instructions as to their duties.

The Board appointed Carl Deal as Court House Custodian, effective July 1, 1953.

The application of John W. Gridley for abatement of 1952 personal property tax in Watertown was deferred for further checking.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. July 3, 1953.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 3, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Sheldon, Keenan, Jordeth and Fromke present, Belk absent, Sheldon presiding.

Public hearing on applications to engage in the retail sale of alcoholic beverages came before the Board at this time as follows: Merle D. Stanton, Lot 1, Block 1, Grover Village; Frank Schmitt, Lots 4 and 5, Block 3, Waverly Village; Norman Hallberg and Adolph Kindt, NE 10 acres of NE¼ of NE¼ Section 5, Township 116, Range 52, Sheridan Township; Joseph Murray, Lots 1 and 2, Block 3, Waverly Village.

As no one appeared to protest foregoing applications, it was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that same be approved. Motion carried.

The Board authorized CommissionerKeenan and Auditor Bergan to go to Pierre to deliver forementioned license applications in order that the licenses could be issued by July 4, 1953.

Glen C. Ryan, agent for the United Chemical Co. appeared before the Board with a sample of deodorant and containers for same. The Board authorized purchase of the chemical and containers in the amount $20.25.

Commissioner Fromke reported that Thor Peterson would make certain added repairs on the roofs of County Farm buildings for a cost of $67.00. The Board authorized the expenditure.

The Board adjourned at 12:00 noon to 10:00 A.M. July 7, 1953.

Carl T. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 7, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened in regular session at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

Minutes of meetings of June 2, 4, 9, 10, 16, 23, 26, 30 and July 3, 1953 were approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $120.00; Mabel L. Durkee $110.67; ROAD-C. S. Rasmussen $14.40; Secretary of State $.50; GENERAL-County Farm-Universal Improvement Co. $225.00; Court House Maint. $1.05 Carl Michaelson.

Pursuant to the request of the Board as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of June 30, 1953, Julius Feyereisen, R. J. Roby and B. M. Tollefson appeared for information as to their duties as an appraisal committee in the condemnation proceedings regarding right-of-way owned by M. J. Fox and Margaret Fox.

After a brief discussion with the Board, the forementioned appraisal committee left to inspect and appraise said right-of-way.

The Board adjourned as a Board of Commissioners and convened as the County Board of Equalization. Each member of the Board and the County Auditor subscribed to the oath of Board of Equalization.

The names of property owners who had indicated their intention to appeal assessments from the City Review Board to the County Board of Equalization, as certified by the Watertown City Auditor, were presented to the Board at this time as follows: Elmer Pardau, 515 E. Kemp, West one half of Lots 6,7, 8 and 9, Block 6, East Watertown Addition; Fred Ellwein, 322-4 Ave. N.W., Lots 8 thru 14, Block 4, Mellette and McIntyre Addition; Mrs. Hattie Bannister, 52-4 Ave. N.W., Lots 1 and 2, Block 4, Hoppers Addition; Bernard Kranz, 700-3rd St. N.E., Lots 7 and 8, Block 15, Syndicate Addition; Arnold Brevick, 422-1 Ave. S.E., Less W60' of Lots 1 and 2, Block 24, First Railway Addition.

Harry Haan, Kranzburg, South Dakota, appeared as a non-resident to appeal his assessment on the NW¼ Section 34, Township 117, Range 55 in Graceland Township assessed at $3,600 and a structure on same assessed at $250.00. He asked a reduction of $100.00 on the structure and $600.00 on the land. The Board deferred action pending inspection of the property.

Bernard Kranz appeared before the Board with a request to reduce the assessment on his house located on Lots 7 and 8, Block 15, Syndicate Addition.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that the valuation of Kranz's house be reduced from $3,000.00 to $2,500.00. Motion carried.

Joe Beardsley appeared before the Board with an appeal to reduce the valuation on property belonging to the Kampeska Land Co. described as follows: Lot 4, Section 29, Township 117, Range 53 (23.10 acres) in Lake Twonship; Also, W½ NW¼ Less E26 Rods (52.40 acres) in Section 32, Township 117, Range 53, Lake Township. Beardsley requested that above described properties be reduced from $2,475.00 and $3,960, respectively to the 1952 average baluation on agricultural land in Lake Township of approximately $22.00 per acre. The Board deferred action on foregoing appeal pending inspection of the property.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brevik appeared before the Board with an appeal to reduce the valuation on their residence located on the W60' of Lots 1 and 2, Block 24, First Railway Addition, assessed at $2,120.00.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that valuation on the Brevik house be reduced from $2,120.00 to $1,500.00. Motion carried.

The Board of Equalization adjourned and immediately convened as a Board of Commissioners.

The Appraisal Committee, acting on the Condemnation Proceedings as previously noted, returned from their inspection of right-of-way. M. J. Fox, owner of said right-of-way, also appeared before the Board at this time. Said Appraisal Committee submitted a written report to the Board of Commissioners appraising the right-of-way, consisting of one-half acre, at $21.96.

Chairman Sheldon requested that the County Auditor read aloud the report of the Committee for all present to hear, and further instructed the Auditor to send by registered mail, with a demand for return receipt, a copy of said Report to M. J. Fox. The Auditor complied with instructions as noted.

The Board of Commissioners recessed at 12:30 P.M. to meet with the Chamber of Commerce at the Chambers' office at 1:00 P.M. to discuss County Fair matters.

The Board of Commissioners returned from the meeting with the Chamber of Commerce at 3:00 P.M. at which time Chairman Sheldon appointed Commissinner Belk to represent the County on a committee composed of representatives of the City of Watertown and the Chamber of Commerce to plan for a County Fair.

Francis and Kenneth Winjum appeared before the Board with an application for compromise settlement of County poor liens of Martin Winjum, deceased, in the amount of $250.93. It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that foregoing application be approved on a payment of $150.00. Motion carried.

The application of John W. Gridley for abatement of 1952 personal property taxes in Watertown in the amount of $79.68 was rejected by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth for the reason that the property assessed was in Watertown during the assessment period as evidenced by the signature of Mrs. John Gridley on the assessor's listing sheet.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved by the Board as follows: W. R. Walters, Judy Breuer, Ed Simon, Ralph Raml, Richard Becking, LaMar Marquardt, Henry Markuson, H. A. Rear, Mrs. Alvin Rossow, Wallace Redlin, Don Lindner and Mrs. Lloyd Evjen, $4.00 each; LeRoy McCoy, Don DeBerg, Mrs. Paul DeBerg, Donald Johnson, William Flisrand and Ben Ronke, $8.00 each; Karl H. Kaaz $6.00; Gerald Brage and Earling Johnson, $8.00 each; Randall Mischke $12.00; Glenn Stadheim $14.00.

The Clerk of Courts statement of Fees collected during June 1953 in the amount of $362.70 was checked and approved.

The Board authorized Thor Peterson to repair the cornice and ledge on the Court House for a cost of $120.00.

The Board authorized Wright Tarbell to handle the affairs of the Veteran's Service Office during the absence of the Veteran's Service Officer, George Burke.

The application of Harold Benner for abatement of 1952 personal property taxes in Watertown in the amount of $29.66 was rejected by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Belk for the reason that said application showed no proof that the property assessed was not actually in Watertown at the time of assessment, or that it had been assessed elsewhere.

The Board of County Commissioners adjourned to meet as a Board of Equalization at 10:00 A.M. July 8, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 8, 1953

The County Board of Equalization convened in regular session at 10:00 A.M. with Jordeth, Keenan, Belk and Fromke present, Sheldon absent; Jordeth presiding.

Ed Simon, 207-3 St. S.W., Appeared before the Board with an appeal to reduce the assessment of his house located on Part of Lots 1 and 2, Block 42, Second Railway Addition to Watertown. After checking the assessment, the Board denied Simon's appeal on the grounds that the assessment was not out of line with assessments on neighboring property.

Dr. L. S. Spencer appeared with an appeal to reduce the assessment on the West half of the NW¼ Section 25, Township 117, Range 55 in Graceland Township from $900.00 to $425.00.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that foregoing appeal be granted. Motion carried.

George Williams, W. T. Williams, Mrs. Dora Williams and Mrs. Mabel Buholz appeared before the Board to appeal assessments on property in Lake Township described as follows: 3.20 acres of Lake Shore property of the South 40 Rods of Lot 3 and the East 40 Rods of the West 46 Rods of Lot 2 lying North of the Road Project in Section 29, Township 117, Range 53, belonging to George Williams; Lots 1 and 2 lying North of Highway, Less West 46 Rods in Section 29, Township 117, Range 53 (11 acres) belonging to Dora Williams and Mabel Bucholz; West 6 Rods of Lot 2, Less the South 40 Rods, and Lot 3 Less the South 40 Rods in Section 29, Township 117, Range 53 (38.10 acres) belonging to W. T. Williams.

Above described properties were assessed in 1953 on a basis of shore footage at $3.00 per foot. The property owners contended that the property should be assessed as agricultural land on an acreage basis for the reason that it has not been platted. The Board expressed the opinion that property should be assessed on the basis of its actual value and the purpose for which it is used, but deferred action on the foregoing appeal pending inspection of the property.

The Board adjourned to 1o:00 A.M., July 9, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 9, 1953

The County Board of Equalization convened in regular session at 10:00 A.M. with Belk, Keenan, Jordeth and Fromke present, Sheldon Absent; Jordeth presiding.

All members present went out to inspect lake shore property in Lake Township for equalization purposes. The Board returned from the inspection of the lake shore property at 2:00 P. M. at which time Chairman Sheldon appeared and assumed the Chair.

Following inspection of Lake Township property belonging to Mrs. Dora Williams and Mrs. Mabel Buholz, George Williams and W. T. Williams as noted in Equalization Proceedings of July 8, 1953, it was moved by Keenan and seconded by Jordeth that the assessment on said property remain as fixed by the Lake Township Board of Review. Motion carried.

R. G. (Stub) Williams appeared before the Board to appeal the assessment on his residence structure at 320-2 St. N.W. The Board deferred action on Williams' appeal pending certification of appeal from the City Auditor.

Pursuant to inspection of Lake Township property of the Kampeska Land Co., as noted in Equalization Proceedings of July 7, 1953, it was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that the 1953 valuations be reduced as follows: Lot 4, Section 29, Township 117, Range 53 (23.10 acres) from $2,475.00 to $800.00; The West half of the NW$\frac{1}{4}$ Less East 26 Rods, Section 32, Township 117, Range 53 (52.40 acres) from $3,960.00 to $1,166.00 which reductions would bring the valuations down to the average on agricultural land in Lake Township of approximately $22.00 per acre. Motion carried.

At 4:00 P. M. Commissioner Belk was excused from the Board to attend a meeting of the Fair Board Committee in the Watertown Chamber of Commerce offices.

The remainder of the day was spent in routine checking of tax summaries.

The Board of Equalization adjourned to meet as a Board of Commissioners at 10:00 A. M. July 10, 1953.

Carl T. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 10, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Sheldon presiding.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the opening of sealed bids to grade six miles of County Road in Codington County, (three miles in Dexter Township and three miles in Henry Township) Chairman Sheldon requested the County Auditor to ppen and read the bids.

The four bids submitted were opened and read as follows: No. 1, Floyd Knight, Webster, South Dakota; No. 2, John Vander Wal, Brookings, South Dakota; No.3,Nick Martin, Webster, South Dakota; No.4, Ernest Goodroad, Watertown, South Dakota.

As specified in "Notice to Bidders", the bids were divided into two projects, Henry Township and Dexter Township, with the Henry Township project divided into numbered miles as follows: 4,5 and 6 going east, and the Dexter project divided in numbered miles 2,3 and 4 going west.

Bids per project were as follows: Floyd Knight, Dexter project $8,127.12, Henry project $6,744.00; John VanderWall, Dexter project $12,201.80, Henry project $7,750.00; Nick Martin, Dexter project $8,474.15, Henry Project $7,050.00; Ernest Goodroad, Dexter project $10,185.00; Henry project $8,385.00.

The Board interviewed each bidder separately to clarify bids and get information as to when the wourk could be started.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that the Floyd Knight bid on the Dexter project be accepted for $8,127.12 and the Nick Martin bid on the Henry project be accepted for $7,050.00, both bids to include tamping; also, that checks of unsuccessful bidders be returned. Motion Carried.

Carl Schreiber appeared before the Board regarding the assessment on his residence Structure at 401 E. Kemp. On learning that he had not appealed his assessment to the Watertown Review Board, the County Board advised Mr. Schreiber that his appeal could not be considered by the County Board.

The Board adjourned to 10: A.M. July 13, 1953.

Carl T. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 13, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Jordeth, Belk, Keenan and Fromke present, Vice-Chairman Jordeth presiding.

Chairman of the Board, Palmer D. Sheldon, died on Sunday morning, July 12, 1953, leaving a vacancy on the Board. Until a successor has been appointed, the Board will consist of only four members.
The Board authorized closing of the Court House from 10:00 A. M. to 1:00 P. M., July 15,

for funeral services for the late Chairman of the County Board of Commissioners, Palmer D. Sheldon.

A proposal by the Redlinger Brothers to repair the heating system at the County Farm for a cost of $187.75 was accepted by Board on a motion by Keenan and second by Fromke.

The Board recessed at noon, and at 2:00 P. M. Commissioners Belk, Keenan and Jordeth drove down near Madison, South Dakota to check on a new type of bridge construction.

Forementioned Commissioners returned at 4:30 P.M. and after a brief discussion of the bridge inspected, adjourned to 10:[illegible] A.M., July 14, 1953.

Carl F. Burgan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 14, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Jordeth, Fromke, Belk and Keenan present, Jordeth presiding.

On a motion by Belk and second by Keenan verified claims were approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Mae Abbott $10.00 for Mary L. Wilson; Mrs. August Bunde $15.00 for Louisa Richter; Mrs Betty Elsing $45.00 for LeRoy Krapf; Walter Gusso $25.00 for Bert Crandall; Louis C. Kinstad $183.30 for Ole Hanson $26.00, Ole Omodt $40.00, George Manley $35.00, William Kyle $7.30, Robert Wiseman $40.00, Andrew Horn $35.00; Mrs. Anna Lange $40.00 for Joan and Clarence Tessier Jr.; Lohrs Rest Home $30.00 for Edith Kinsey; Mrs. Ernest Schmeling $25.00 for Willie Schmeling; S. Dak. Childrens Aid $64.98 for Sharon and Robert Schreifels; Irene Stockman $45.00 for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $40.00 for David Bright; Watertown Rest Home $67.04 for Sadie Stevens $42.02, Louis Mourere $25.00; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00 for Rose Dixon $15.00, Sarah Black $10.00; Bartron Hospital and Clinic $2664.39 for Ole H. Aamodt $382.00, W. B. Barkley $211.73, Ben Bergeson $4.08, David Bright $12.75, Clara Cates $197.78, Marvis Conrad $168.55, Ralph Erickson $162.15, Gertrude Heathcote $9.68, Henry Jameson $624.06, Emma Jenkins $385.51, Nellie Jensen $231.97, Benson McGurk $14.78, Glenda Lee Muckey $18.80, Bernard Murray $16.62, Margaret Papka $34.93, Hannah Smith $8.33, Sadie Stevens $37.16, Sidney Ulven $3.92, Robert Vermillion $139.50; Brown Clinic, $287.00 for Mary Matteson $30.00, Ben Scott $45.00, A. R. Quade $6.50, Joseph K. Meyer $6.50, Dooks and Louise Tiejen $41.00, Otto & Alice Jungen $36.50, Achsah Hemstock $8.50, Joyce Christenson $2.00, Ellen Dosgrove $30.50, Edward Breuer $8.00, Adeline Bakken $18.50, Ruth Matell $6.50, Mrs. Harvey Ziegler $11.00, Charles N. Briggs $2.00, Clifford Van Sickle 34.50; Butterbrodt Drug $5.20 for Ruth Martell; Dr. D. F. Campbell $137.50 for Edward Kroeger $15.00, Peter DeMunick $35.00, Mrs. Mabel Johnson $79.50, Anna Parsley $8.00; Council Oak Store $224.00 for Arlene Lohr $148.00, Henen Henricks $10.00, Earl Jensen $66.00; Duffners Drug Store $112.51 for Peter DeMynick $15.40, William Ball $36.00, Ellen Cosgrove $13.51, A. R. Quade $4.75, Steve Wisneski $10.00, Jerry O'Brien $3.00, Marshall Bradfield $9.25, B. J. Murray $16.20, Ole Hanson $10.80, William Kyle $2.98, Louis Mourere $2.50; Graham Grocery $30.00 for Mrs. Arlene Johnson; Haggers Drug Store $133.97 for Clifford Van Sickle $11.00, Mildred Taylor $11.25, Mrs. Frank Klucas $18.75, Frank Cox $7.70, Ed Goeman $16.05, John Farley $3.15, Philomina Holzemer $3.75, Adolph Stankey $9.00, Mrs. Wayne Kruegar $18.51, Mrs. Brockhoft $5.25, Fern Washtoak $36.80, Otto Jungen $1.10, Mrs. Oscar B. Anderson $7.20; Herbergers Inc. $4.59 for Billy Vermillion; Everett D. Jones for $35.00 for Billy Vermillion; Jurgensens Dairy $5.60 for Mrs. Mabel Johnson; Dr. H. T. Kenney $8.00 for Charles Bierschied $2.00, Marshall Bradfield $6.00; Kriesers Drug Store $44.93 for Mrs. Matilda Blek $2.45, Anna Parsley $8.36, Dooks and Louise Teijen $22.50, Leo Breske $13.42; Liens Grocery $43.75 for Marvis Conrad $5.00, Ralph Erickson $5.00; Mathiesen, Gergen, & Rhodes Funeral Chapel $118.00 for Dooks & Louise Teijen $3.00, Sadie Stevens $6.00, Mrs. Edith Bundy $3.00, Mrs. Mabel Johnson $6.00, Harry Schaack $100.00; Medical Arts Clinic $334.00 forFannie Baker $30.00, Carl Berge $30.00, Wayne Tribbitts $40.00, Adolph Stankey $4.00, Wayne Kruegar $4.00, Ole Hanson $4.00, Sophia Kieso $8.00, Donald Cox $50.00, Mrs. John Brockhoft $5.00, Mrs. Ellen Anderson $10.00, Donald Schultz $6.00, Mrs. Edith Bundy $33.00, Frank & Emma Klucas $39.00, Ed Goeman $24.00, Philomina Holzemer $9.00, Fern Washtoak $14.00, Steve Wisneski $24.00; Memorial Hospital $1721.77 for Fannie Baker $194.00, Ed Goeman $68.35, Carl Berge $195.60, Louise Tiejen $66.10, Dooks Tiejen $66.10, Fred Eaton $100.70, G. O. Wigdahl $8.55, Donald Cox $42.88, Alfred Vick $15.67, Mrs. Mabel Johnson $641.40, Anna Parsley $98.41, Sophia Kieso $40.79, Edith Bundy $164.70; C. O. Monson $14.00 for Mrs. Susanna Hegg; Dr. O. M. Ostrander $33.00 for Myrtle Nelson; J. C. Penney Co. $7.94 for Mary Vermillion; Red Owl Super Market $36.00 for Mrs. Edith Bundy; Shaw Messer Ambulance Service $6.00 for Marvis Conrad $3.00, Mrs. Sophia Kieso $3.00; O. P. Skaggs Co. $35.00 for Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar $20.00, Whity Larson $15.00; Avabelle Snook $87.50 for Bonnie & Joan Vermillion $35.00, Cheryl Vermillion $17.50, Richard & Betty Vermillion $35.00; S. D. State Sanatorium $23.30 for Albert Krohn $16.35, Raymond Ries $6.95; Spies Super Valu $8.96 for Ralph Erickson; St. Ann's Hospital $412.50 for Mary Matteson $265.24, Ben Scott $147.26; Thomes Drug Store $86.63 for Achsah Hemstock $8.40, Minnie Johnson $31.88, Richard DePeel $2.25, Alfred Vick $32.70, Helen Waba $7.65, Louisa Richter $10.13, Mrs. Andrew Christensen $3.25; Dr. Thompson $122.00 for John Brockhoft $34.00, David Bright $9.00, Peter DeMuynick $2.00, John Farley $13.00, Minnie Johnson $18.00, James Mack $11.00, Louisa Richter $6.00, Mrs. Mary Troelson $8.00, Mrs. Lena Trumer $8.00, Mrs. Helen Waba $13.00; War Surplus Store $3.49 for Jerry O'Brien; County Farm-C. L. Berner $3.00; Botsford Lumber Co. $13.03; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $36.97; R. E. Hubbard Co. $2.75; John Meseberg $6.00; Modern Shoe Shop $3.10; Mutt & Jeff $10.00; Park Grant Co. $64.15; C. J. Ruhr $121.60; K-D. Locker $12.63; Standard Oil Co. $26.35; Watertown Co-op Elevator $58.95; Watertown Milling Co. $5.95; War Surplus Store $10.14; Commissioners Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $79.10; Oscar J. Fromke $102.81; Einar Jordeth $98.76; James L. Keenan $92.25; Veterans Service-Rosella Howey $30.00; Sheriffs Fees-Cliff Englund $69.20, Board of Prisioners $92.40, Sheriffs Mileage $276.35, Court expense-Cliff Englund $51.22, Brown & Saenger $16.39, Bartron Clinic $15.00, Secretary of State $8.25; Tax Collector-Ole James Nelson $99.06; Printing & Advertsing-South Shore Gazette $335.80, Henry Independent $90.95, Watertown Public Opinion $342.20; Treasureres Office Exp.-Watertown Public Opinion $64.00, Midwest Beach Co. $7.75; Clerk of Courts Office Exp.-Watertown Public Opinion $71.75, F. C. Grow Sons-Printers $24.00; Public Welfare Office Exp.-Midwest Beach Co. $12.91; Supt. of Schools Office Exp.-LaFrance Office Equip. Co. $8.50, Watertown Typewriter Co. $23.00, C. A. Gregory Co. $69.80; Sheriffs Office Exp.-Burghardt Radio Service $19.92; County Judge Office Exp.-Virginia Morgan $12.75,Lenora

Lenora Sweet $18.47, Watertown Typeriter Co. $12.75, Ruhe Statinnery Co. $1.30; County Extension-Ruhe Stationery Co. $20.90,Clara Johnson $74.27; Fred Morris $12.36; Register of Deeds Office Exp.-Ruhe Stationery Co. $45¢; Auditors Office Exp.-Pitney-Bowes Inc. $67.00,Monroe Calculating Machine Co. $21.00, Brown & Saenger $2.73; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $50.60; Social Security-Hamlin County Auditor $1.24; Memorial Park-Carl Deal $15.75, Dependable Welding Co. $1.25, Montgomery Wards $8.45, L. O. H. Co. $29.85, Reaneys Service $1.42, Dan Shenk $15.75, Watertown Machine Works $73.17, Reaneys Service $1.97, Vernies Cycle Shop $4.50, Egge Electric Co. $20.20, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $2.53; Court House Maint.-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $.75,Universla Improvement Co. $963.75, Dunlop Wall-paper & Paint Co. $14.75, L. V. Harmel $23.50, Johnson Service Co. $22.32, The Kent Co. $8.13, Marshall Wells Store $31.88, Redlinger Bros. Co. $56.73; City Treasurer $231.81, Nelson Hardware $11.20, ROAD Cave Supply Co. $101.16, City Treasurer $5.13, Dakota Welding Supply Co. $25.06, Eco Inc. $19.70, Empire Equipment Co. $985.91, J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $426.40, J. P. Foster Co. $30.71, Ernest Goodroad $150.00, Kenneth Hayes $17.35, Arthur R. Hegstrom $47.93, Hakel Hardware $3.73, Kuehn Blue Print Co. $48.86, Mahowald Co. $5.59, Marguardts Service $254.58, Motor Supply Co. $8.62, N. W. Public Service Co. $47.94, N.W. Road Supply Co. $170.63, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $10.79, Arthur Schwandt $11.79, Harold Scriver $1.50, Sioux Road Equipment Co. $104.03, Topeka Hiway Mower Co. $28.72, Watertown Tire Co. $4.60, Botsford Lumber Co. $18.64, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $15.00, Standard Oil Co. $984.79, Thompson Yards $12.08, BRIDGE-S. D. Concrete Products Co. $4487.63; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Internation Harvestor Co. $6618.33; C.H. & B.R.-Albert J. Brandriet $20.46, Donald Brandriet $27.06, Harry J. Bartron Jr. $16.89, Clarence J. Bauer $32.86, Harry A. Bauer $24.36, Margaret C. Baurer $41.37, Albert W. Cordell $10.51, Joe Cordell $27.36, Peter J. Cordell $61.46, Katherine Deville $15.04, Julius Feyereisen $6.82, Edward G. Fox $21.96 Ralph Hill $9.34, Richard M. Hoffman $36.38, Frank Klien $36.83, Henry Klein $37.99, John J. Klein $28.82, Carl A. Nelson $23.65, Mrs. Volborg Olson $39.57, R. J. Roby $5.00, S. D. State Highway Commission $9554.53, Emil Stoltenburg $44.38, Richard Stoltenburg $36.47, Richard Thyen $10.42, Bert Tollefson $5.00, Harry O. Weagel $19.73, Hazel M. Buchholz Webber $23.85, INSTITUTE-Bervens Florist Shop $10.00, R. F. Manson $10.00, J. Howard Kramer $32.74, City of Watertown $15.00; WEED BOARD-General Mills Inc. $12.15, R. E. Hubbard Co. $1.05, Schwankees Seeds & Service $4.35, Matt Brandriet $41.23; INSANE-Dr. Kenney $100.00.

Commissioner Belk, having been duly appointed to represent Codington County on the County Fair Committee, reported to the Board at this time on a meeting of said Committee held in the Commissioners Chambers of the Court House at 8:00 P.M., July 13, 1953 as follows: Belk had proposed that the City of Watertown lease to Codington County for a 5 year period the Airport Grounds and buildings for $1000.00 yearly rental, with the possibility of renewal of contract, the county to have full control of and all income from the grounds and 11 buildings for a period of two weeks of each year. The County, in addition, would cooperate with the City of Watertown on a 50-50 basis in constructing a race track.

Mayor G. A. Gilbert, representing the City of Watertown counter proposed that the County lease the grounds and buildings for a 10 year period at $1000.00 per year, the first five years rental to be paid in advance and the balance at $1000.00 per year beginning on the 6th year, race track to be built jointly as the county proposed, the County to furnish all its own exhibit facilities.

Mayor Gilbert at this time telephoned the County Board and proposed that the City would sell to the County 80 acres of the Airport Grounds for $250.00 per acres and 16 buildings for $9,600.00, a total of $29,600.00 plus interest, which cost could be paid on a 20 year installment arrangement.

The Board set 8:00 P. M., July 28, 1953, in the Commissioners chambers in the Court House as the time and place for a meeting with Board members and other interested persons for further discussion of foregoing proposals and plans for the County Fair.

On a motion by Keenan and second by Belk, predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Jacob DeBerg, Harry Archer, Arnold Flisrand, Ed Troska, Mr.s Robert Houghtaling, Reginald Beynon, Don Flakus, Mr.s Howard Popham, Mrs. Russell Schwinger, Ben Ronke and Mrs. Leo Klein, $4.00 each; Dennis Burke, Lester A. Ohnstad, Gilbert Larson, Edgar Bunde and Francis Wagner, $2.00 eahc; John McFerran $6.00; Mrs. John Mark, Tony Dupont and Martin Schurman, $8.00 each.

P. O. Brekke appeared before the Board regarding insurance adjustment on hail damage to the Court House roof.

The remainder of the day was spent in checking monthly claims.

The Board of Commissioners adjourned to meet as a Board of Equalization at 2:00 P. M. July 15, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 15, 1953

The County Board of Equalization convened in regular session at 2:00 P.M. with Fromke, Jordeth, Belk and Keenan present, Jordeth presiding.

Bursuant to appeal duly certified from the City Auditor's office, Dr. Thomas Real and Mrs. Andrew Melham appeared before the Board to protest assessments on their residences at 803-1 St. N.W. and 721-1 St. N.W., respectively. Dr. Real's residence structure was assessed at $4,100.00 and Mrs. Melham's at $4,000.00. They requested a reduction of approximately $500.00 on each structure. The Board deferred action pending inspection of the properties.

L. D. Nicols appeared before the Board on behalf of Mrs. Ruth B. Johnson, absentee land-lord, with an appeal to reduce the assessment on property in Phipps Township belonging to said Mrs. Johnson, described as the NW¼ Section 5, Township 118, Range 55 from $2,510.00 to $2230.00, which valuation would be in line with the assessment of the NE¼ in same section.

The Board deferred action pending inspection by Commissioner Jordeth.

Ben Sheldon appeared before the Board and turned in the Court House keys formerly held by Palmer D. Sheldon.

In checking real estate assessments in Lake Twonship, the Board discovered an omission of assessment on property described as Lot 5 of Stokes Subdivision, Section 17, Township 117, Range 53. The Board assessed the omitted property at $450.00 after first notifying owner of said property, Warden E. Mickelson.

Pursuant to notification by the Board of intention to raise the valuation on Lake Township property described as Lots 1,3,4,6,7 and 8 in Stokes Subdivision of Section 17, Township 117, Range 53, C. K. Snyder, owner of said property, appeared before the Board and signed an assessment sheet increasing the valuation on the property from $1,400.00 to $2,700.00.

The Board adjourned to 10.00 A. M., July 16, 1953.

Carl F. Bryan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 16, 1953

The Board of Equalization convened in regular session at 10:00 A.M. with Jordeth, Belk, Keenan and Fromke present, Jordeth presiding.

Jerry Drake, manager of K.D. Inc., appeared before the Board to appeal the assessment on the locker plant in Henry Village. He stated that all unit lockers had been removed from the plant prior to assessment date, and he also asked a reduction in valuation of the structure from $3,500.00 to $1,500.00.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that the $1,100.00 assessment on unit lockers be concelled and that the reduction from $3,500.00 to $1,500.00 on the structure be granted as appealed. Motion carried.

Fred Ellwein appeared before the Board with an appeal to reduce the assessed valuation on his residence structure located on Lots 8 thru 14, Block 4, Mellette and McIntyre Addition from $4,900.00 to $3,000.00.

The Board deferred action pending inspection of the property.

A delegation from Phipps Twonship appeared before the Board on the matter of equalization of real estate, particulary agricultural land in Phipps Township, as compared with other townships in the county.

Spokesman for the delegation, Elmer Gutgesell, one of the Phipps Township Board of Supervisors, stated to the County Board that it was the opinion of Phipps Township tax-payers that their agricultural land was assessed too high in comparison with other townships. He asked that the assessor's average valuation of $14.60 per acre on land in Phipps Township be left at that figure by the County Board. The County Board pointed out that such a low valuation could make it impossible or very difficult for the schools in the township to operate under the present limited levies, but that the Phipps delegation's request would be given reasonable consideration.

A delegation from Dexter Township appeared before the Board regarding equalization of agricultural land in their taxing district. William Flisrand and Frank Reilly , spokesmen for the delegation, stated that their primary purpose in appearing before the County Board was to request an adjustment on equalization of Dexter Township land to compensate for a 10% increase on Dexter Agricultural land in 1951, which increase had been recommended by the Division of Taxation to assessors of all townships, but had actually been applied to only seven of the seventeen , Dexter being one of the seven. Flisrand stated further that it was the feeling of taxpayers of Dexter Township, that the County Board should have corrected this situation in 1951 by either raising the ten township 10% or reducing the seven 10%, but that nothing had been done by the Board at that time for which reason they were asking for the adjustment on the 1953 valuations.

The County Board advised the delegation that these facts would be considered in the final equalization, but that in view of the fact that the other six townships similarily raised had not protested the raise and that the County and tuition levies ~~are~~ were considerably higher now than in 1951, the 1953 equalization would be made with careful consideration of all these factors.

Elmer Pardau appeared before the Board with an appeal to reduce the assessment on the residence structure at 505 E. Kemp from $1765 to $1,500.00. The Board deferred action pending inspection.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., July 20, 1953.

Carl F. Bryan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 20, 1953

The Board of Equalization convened in regular session at 10:00 A.M. with Jordeth, Belk, Fromke and Keenan present, Jordeth presiding.

Irving Hinderaker and LaVern Hubbard appeared before the Board with an appeal to reduce the valuation on the business structure located on Lots 6,7, 8 and 9 in Block 5, Original Plat Additon to Watertown from $18,500.00, as set by the Watertown Review Board to $15,000.00. Hinderaker informed the Board that the original 1953 assessment on the structure was $21,500.00, but a $3,000.00 reduction had been granted by the City Review Board. He also

Skinner appointed July 21, 1953 To replace P. D. Sheldon

listed assessment figures on several other comparable business structures.

The Board deferred action pending inppection.

Charles Arnold of Henry Township appeared as a non-resident to appeal the assessment on property in Kampeska Township described as the NW¼ Section 30, Township 116, Range 54, assessed at $3,660.00. Mr. Arnold requested a reduction to $2,500.00.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that the valuation on above described property be reduced from $3,660.00 to $3,000.00. Motion carried.

Pursuan to Commissioner Jordeth's report on inspection of the NW¼ of Section 34, Township 117, Range 55, appealed by Harry Haan of Kranzburg, it was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that the assessment on the land remain as assessed and the structure be reduced from $250.00 to $200.00. Motion carried.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the appeal of L. D. Nicols, agent for Ruth B. Johnson to reduce assessment on the NW¼ of Section 5, Township 118, Range 55 from $2,510.00 to $2,230.00 be granted. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that all resurveyed government land in Sections 19 and 30, Townships 118, Range 55 not now assessed, that same be added to the assessment rolls. Motion carried.

On the appeal, by letter, of Herbert Paulson, administrator of the estate of Ida M. Paulson, for a reduction of assessment on property described as the SE¼ Section 15, Township 117, Range 54, the County Board deferred action pending inspection of the property by Commissioner Belk.

At 4:45 P. M. the Board recessed while Belk, Keenan, Jordeth and Fromke left on a tour of inspection of Watertown properties on which appeals had been taken to the County Board.

After inspection, as noted, the Board of Equalization adjourned to meet as a Board of Commissioners at 10:00 A.M., July 21, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 21, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Jordeth, Keenan, Belk and Fromke present, Jordeth presiding.

The business of appointing a commissioner for District No. 1 to succeed the late Palmer D. Sheldon came before the Board at this time.

County Judge Herbert Norbeck, appeared before the Board at this time to participate in the appointment of the commissioner as required by law.

The four Board members together with the County Judge and the County Auditor retired to the County Judge's Chambers for the business of appointing the commissioner.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that Fromke and Bergan act as tellers in the balloting for Commissioner. Motion carried.

Five applications for Commissioner appointment had been filed with the County Auditor and the result of the vote by secret ballot was as follows: First ballot-Chester K. Snyder-2; Herbert Skinner-2; John Guddal-0; R. E. Hunter-1; Jens N. Bergan-1.

As no one received a majority vote on the first ballot, it was generally agreed that balloting continue until some one did get a majority or a decided deadlock would be reached, in which case the County Treasurer would be called in to help decide the vote.

Second ballot- Synder-1; Skinner-3; Guddal-0; Hunter-1; Bergan-1.

Third ballot-Snyder-1; Skinner-3; Guddal-1; Hunter-1; Bergan-0.

Fourth ballot-Snyder-2; Skinner-3; Guddal-0; Hunter-1; Bergan-0.

Fifth ballot-Snyder-1; Skinner-4; Guddal-0; Hunter-1; Bergan-0.

Vice-Chairman of the Board, Jordeth, declared Skinner appointed on the fifth ballot, and ordered a written certificate of his appointment be given him at the earlist opportunity.

CERTIFICATE OF APPOINTMENT

Herb Skinner is hereby appointed as Commissioner of First District in Codington County, South Dakota, to replace Palmer D. Sheldon, Deceased. This appointment is effective forthwith and to continue until the next general election at which time the vacancy can be filled and until a successor is elected and qualified.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 21st day of July, 1953.

Vernon H. Belk
Commissioner 2nd District

Emmanuel Jordeth
Commissioner 3rd District

Ben L. Fromke
Commissioner 4th District

James L Keenan
Commissioner 5th District

Herbert Hanbeck
County Judge

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

The application of O.M. Knutson for abatement of 1953 dog tax in the City of Watertown in the amount of $1.00, having been presented to the Board at this time, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that the application be rejected for the reason that the assessor's listing sheet showing the dog tax had been signed by O. M. Knutson, and there was no evidence to prove that he had no dog. Motion carried.

The application of Helmer Jacobson for refund of 1952 school poll in Watertown in the amount of $1.00 for reason of military service exemption was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Belk.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that the County Board concur with the City Council in approving the application of Gloria Davis for refund of 1950, 1951 and first half of 1952 taxes on a structure assessed at $375.00 on Lots 19 thru 24, Block 2, Davis Addition to Watertown and abatement of the last half of the 1952 taxes on said structure for the reason of an error in assessment whereby this structure was assessed although it did not actually exist. The motion carried.

The official bond and oath of Frank Schmitt, Treasurer of Waverly Township was approved on a motion by Keenan and second by Fromke.

Monthly statements for June, 1953 were approved as follows: Yankton State Hospital, $1835.17; Redfield State Hospital, $541.67; State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis at Sanaotr, S. D., $171.60.

The June 1953 statement of fees collected by the Register of Deeds in the amount of $565.10 wa was approved by the Board.

R E S O L U T I O N # 180

WHEREAS, Palmer D. Sheldon, a respected and honored citizen of Codington County, South Dakota and a faithful servant of Codington County, as a member of its Board of County Commissioners, has been called from his earthly duties to the Great Beyond, and

WHEREAS, in his death his immediate family and friends and Codington County, South Dakota, as well, have suffered a distinct loss.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that it hereby expresses its sincere sympathy to the family of Mr. Palmer D. Sheldon by reason of his death at this time.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution be spread upon the minutes of this Board, and copy thereof, transmitted to the widow of Mr. Sheldon.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 21st day of July, 1953.

Carl J. Thorpe
Vernon Belk
Elmar Fordeth
James L Keenan
County Commissioners

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

State Highway Commission Resolutions numbered 7453 and 7458 accepting completion of the work embraced under contract with Mannerud Brothers for Gravel Surfacing of Federal Aid Secondary Project No. S359(2), Codington County, and under Steve R. Osberg Construction for completion of Federal Aid Secondary Project No. S169(3), respectively, and authorizing final settlement with said contractors, were noted by the Board of Commissioners and ordered filed.

The Board of Commissioners adjourned at 3:00 P.M. to meet as a Board of Equalization.

Mrs. Fred Barber appeared before the Board to appeal the assessment on the residence structure, belonging to Mrs. Hattie Bannister at 52-4 Ave. N.W., assessed at $1820.00 and reduced by the City Review Board to $1725.00. Mrs. Barber requested a further reduction to $1500.00. The Board deferred action till later.

S. B. Crothers and Arnold Koepke appeared before the Board for information regarding assessment and equalization of property in Wallace Village.

Having completed the inspection of all properties appealed, the Board acted on same as follows:

Moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that the assessment on the residence structure at 505-

East Kemp, appealed by Elmer Pardau, be reduced from $1765.00 to $1500.00. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that assessments on residence structures of Dr. Thomas Reul and Mrs. Andrew Melham of $4100.00 and $4000.00, respectively, be left as fixed by the City Review Board. Motion carried.

Moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that the County Board concur with the Watertown Boaed and leave the assessment on the Hattie Bannister residence at $1735.00. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Belk that the assessment on the residence structure of Fred Ellwein remain at $4000.00. Motion carried.

Dr. E. C. Fischer appeared before the Board to appeal the assessment on his residence structure at 520-1 Ave. S.E., but on being informed by the Board that his appeal had not been certified to the County Board from the City Board, he withdrew same.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that the assessment on the Hubbard business structure located on Lots 6,7,8 and 9, Block 5, Original Plat of Watertown, be reduced from $18,500.00 to $16,000.00. Motion carried.

Moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that the assessment on the residence structure of R. G. Williams at 320-2 St. N.W., Be reduced from $1300.00 to $1100.00. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the valuation on the SE¼ Section 15, Township 117, Range 54, appealed by Herbert Paulson, administrator of the estate of Ida Paulson, be reduced from $4290.00 to $4000.00. Motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 9:00 A.M., July 22, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 22, 1953

The County Board of Equalization convened in regular session at 9:00 A.M. with Jordeth, Belk, Keenan and Fromke present, Jordeth presiding.

Until 11:00 A.M. the Board checked and equalized real estate assessments among the different taxing Districts of the County.

The Board of Equalization adjourned at 11:00 A.M. and convened as a Board of Commissioners.

Verified claims were approved and checked as follows: ROAD-Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $1.35; GENERAL-Court House Maint.-N. W. Bell Telephone Co. $239.85; Commissioners Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $79.10, Oscar J. Fromke $67.28, Einar Jordeth $54.20, James L. Keenan $74.20, Herbert O. Skinner $10.00.

Herb Skinner having been appointed as Commissioner of Distr No.1 to fill the vacancy left by the death of Palmer D. Sheldon, appeared before the Board with his official bond and oath of office, duly approved by the Codington County Clerk of Courts.

The business of reorganizing the Board was taken up at this time.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that Jordeth act as Chairman of the Board for the remainder of the year, 1953. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that Keenan act as Vice-Chairman of the Board for the remainder of the year, 1953. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that Skinner's bond be filed. Motion carried.

Herb Skinner, having qualified according to law, was officially seated as Codington County Commissioner of District No.1.

The Board of Commissioners adjourned and convened as a Board of Eqalization.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the assessment on property described as the West 24 acres of the NE¼ SE¼ Section 36, Township 117, Range 53, Less Street Outlot B, in City Lands Addition to Watertown, Be increased from $618.00 to $2200.00 making the valuation comparabel to valuation on other land used for similar purposes. Motion carried.

Evaluation of assessment rolls as delivered to the county auditor having been completed, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the following changes be made. Motion carried.

REAL ESTATE

AGRICULTURE LAND OUTSIDE OF CORP. LIMITS

Kranzburg	Raised 5%
Pelican	Lowered 13%
Kampeska	Raised 3%
Richland	Raised 4%
Graceland	Raised 5%
Waverly	Raised 3%
Phipps	Raised 20%
Dexter	Raised 20%
Eden	Raised 5%

RESIDENCE STRUCTURES ON AGRICULTURE LANDS OUTSIDE CORP. LIMITS

Kranzburg	Raised #20%
Kampeska	Raised #13%
Henry Township	Raised #15%
Elmira	Raised #10%
Lake	Raised #10%
Graceland	Raised #12%
Waverly	Raised #12%
Rauville	Raised # 5%
Fuller	Raised # 5%
Phipps	Raised # 5%
Leola	Raised #15%
Germantown	Raised #10%
Dexter	Raised #10%
Eden	Raised #10%

AGRICULTURE LANDS INSIDE CORP. LIMITS

South Shore Village	Raised #10%

RESIDENCE STRUCTURES ON AGRICULTURE LANDS INSIDE CORP. LIMITS

South Shore Village	Raised #20%
Watertown City	Raised #25%

CITY AND TOWN LOTS

Kranzburg	Lowered #10%
Lake	Lowered 10%
Richland	Lowered 8%
Henry Village	Lowered 10%

RESIDENCE STRUCTURES ON CITY AND TOWN LOTS

Richland	Raised 30%
Florence Village	Raised 15%
South Shore Village	Raised 20%
Wallace Village	Lowered 10%
Watertown City	Raised 20%

BUSINESS STRUCTURES ON CITY AND TOWN LOTS

Kranzburg	Raised 10%
Kampeska	Raised 15%
Wallace Village	Lowered 40%
Watertown, City	Raised 15%

STATE PUBLIC SHOOTING AREAS (ACREAGE)

Pelican	Raised 2%
Lake	Raised 134%
Richland	Raised 2%
Fuller	Raised 102%
Phipps	Raised 102%

PERSONAL PROPERTY

COWS ALL AGES

Kranzburg	Raised 10%
Henry Township	Raised 10%
Elmira	Lowered 20%
Lake	Raised 10%
Richland	Lowered 30%
Waverly	Raised 10%
Rauville	Raised 10%
Fuller	Lowered 25%
Phipps	Raised 10%
Leola	Raised 10%
Dexter	Raised 10%
Eden	Raised 10%
Florence Village	Lowered 30%
Henry Village	Raised 10%
South Shore Village	Raised 10%

SHEEP ALL AGES

Kampeska	Raised 3%
Elmira	Lowered 20%
Richland	Lowered 4%
Waverly	Raised 3%
Leola	Lowered 3%
Dexter	Lowered 2%
South Shore Village	Lowered 12%
Watertown City	Lowered 14%

HOGS ALL AGES

Kranzburg	Raised 67%
Sheridan	Raised 29%
Pelican	Raised 3%
Kampeska	Raised 22%
Henry Township	Raised 17%
Lake	Raised 30%
Richland	Raised 3%

	Graceland	Raised 16%
	Waverly	Raised 50%
	Rauville	Raised 25%
	Fuller	Raised 14%
	Phipps	Raised 8%
	Leola	Raised 27%
	Germantown	Raised 48%
	Eden	Raised 4%
	South Shore Village	Raised 40%
	Watertown City	Lowered 29%
TRACTORS SMALL TYPE		
	Kranzburg	Raised 4%
	Sheridan	Lowered 13%
	Pelican	Lowered 24%
	Kampeska	Raised 8%
	Henry Township	Raised 92%
	Elmira	Raised 1%
	Lake	Raised 80%
	Richland	Lowered 15%
	Graceland	Raised 15%
	Waverly	Lowered 25%
	Rauville	Lowered 18%
	Fuller	Raised 23%
	Phipps	Lowered 16%
	Leola	Raised 49%
	Germantown	Lowered 22%
	Dexter	Raised 35%
	Eden	Raised 18%
	Florence Village	Lowered 20%
	Henry Village	Raised 100%
	South Shore Village	Raised 20%
	Wallace Village	Raised 36%
	Watertown City	Raised 125%
TRACTORS LARGE TYPE		
	Sheridan	Lowered 20%
COMBINES PULL TYPE		
	Elmira	Raised 50%
	Graceland	Raised 30%
	Henry Village	Raised 140%
	Watertown City	Raised 60%
COMBINES LARGE TYPE		
	Kampeska	Raised 20%
	Henry Township	Raised 45%
	Richland	Raised 35%
	Henry Village	Raised 150%
TELEVISION		
	Kranzburg	Raised 27%
	Henry Twonship	Lowered 50%
	Elmira	Raised 41%
	Lake	Lowered 43%
	Leola	Lowered 43%
	Florence Village	Lowered 15%
	Henry Village	Lowered 43%
	South Shore Village	Lowered 43%
	Watertown City	Lowered 3%
ELECTRIC OR MECHANICAL REFIGERATORS, RESIDENCE		
	Kranzburg	Lowered 4%
	Sheridan	Lowered 8%
	Pelican	Lowered 18%
	Kampeska	Raised 22%
	Henry Township	Raised 33%
	Elmira	Raised 24%
	Lake	Raised 38%
	Richland	Raised 22%
	Graceland	Raised 13%
	Waverly	Raised 12%
	Rauville	Raised 17%
	Fuller	Raised 5%
	Phipps	Lowered 9%
	Leola	Raised 42%
	Germantown	Raised 7%
	Dexter	Raised 9%
	Eden	Lowered 8%
	Florence Village	Lowered 3%
	Henry Village	Raised 65%
	South Shore Village	Raised 11%
	Wallace Village	Raised 12%
	Watertown City	Raised 71%
RADIO SETS		
	Kranzburg	Raised 99%
	Sheridan	Raised 97%
	Pelican	Raised 9%
	Kampeska	Raised 30%
	Henry Township	Raised 100%
	Elmira	Raised 61%
	Lake	Raised 54%
	Richland	Raised 81%
	Graceland	Raised 233%
	Waverly	Raised 32%

	Rauville	Raised 23%
	Fuller	Raised 31%
	Phipps	Raised 23%
	Leola	Raised 70%
	Germantown	Raised 42%
	Dexter	Raised 33%
	Eden	Raised 45%
	Florence Village	Lowered 15%
	Henry Village	Raised 84%
	South Shore Village	Raised 50%
	Wallace Village	Raised 47%
	Watertown City	Raised 38%
POULTRY		
	Kranzburg	Lowered 5%
	Sheridan	Lowered 8%
	Elmira	Lowered 17%
	Lake	Raised 7%
	Richland	Raised 1%
	Graceland	Lowered 17%
	Phipps	Raised 72%
	Leola	Lowered 2%
	Germantown	Lowered 16%
	Henry Village	Raised 1%
	South Shore Village	Lowered 15%
	Watertown City	Raised 144%
AGRICULTURE IMPLEMENTS, TOOLS AND MACHINERY, ETC.		
	Kampeska	Raised 15%
	Fuller	Raised 10%
	Henry Village	Raised 60%
	South Shore Village	Raised 100%
	Wallace Village	Raised 150%
	Watertown City	Raised 150%
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, RUGS PROVISIONS, ETC.		
	Kranzburg	Raised 35%
	Sheridan	Lowered 2%
	Pelican	Lowered 2%
	Kampeska	Raised 72%
	Henry Township	Raised 62%
	Elmira	Raised 30%
	Lake	Raised 60%
	Richland	Raised 46%
	Graceland	Raised 23%
	Waverly	Raised 34%
	Rauville	Raised 71%
	Fuller	Raised 27%
	Phipps	Raised 99%
	Leola	Raised 60%
	Germantown	Raised 24%
	Dexter	Raised 41%
	Eden	Raised 4%
	Florence Village	Raised 13%
	Henry Village	Raised 51%
	South Shore Village	Raised 25%
	Wallace Village	Raised 17%
	Watertown City	Raised 157%
ELEVATORS, WAREHOUSES, LUMBER AND COAL SHED ON LEASED SITES		
	Watertown City	Raised 25%
GOODS AND MERCHANDISE		
	Watertown City	Raised 50%
ALL OTHER IMPROVEMENTS ON U.S. OR LEASED LANDS EXCEPT ITEMS 25 AND 26		
	Watertown City	Raised 25%

Having completed the work of Equalization, it was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that the assessment rolls stand as equalized and that the CountyBoard of Equalization of 1953 be adjourned. The motion carried.

The Board of County Commissioners convened at 6:30 P. M. and immediately adjourned to 10:00 A.M., July 24, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 24, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Mrs Mae Waba $30.00 for Helen Waba; Sheriffs Office Expense-Thomes Drug Store $3.75; SALARY-Deputy County Auditor-Dorothy Below $210.00.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the opening of sealed bids to furnish the Codington County Highway Department with a front end shovel loader, Chairman Jordeth requested the County Auditor to open and read the bids.

The five bids submitted were opened and read in the following order: #1-J. P. Foster Co., Sioux Falls, S. D., -One "Caterpillar" D4-60- Price F. O. B. Factory-$10,832.75. #2-Stan Houstan Equipment Co., Sioux Falls, S. D.-One Scoopmobile Model L D-5- Price F. O. B. Watertown, S. D. - $7,815.00. #3- J. D. Evans Equipment Co., Sioux Falls, S. D.-One Pettibone-Mulliken Model 15 Speedall Front End Loader, with Torque Convertor-Price F. O. B. Watertown, S. D. - $11,048.00. #4- Empire Equipment Co., Sioux Falls, S. D.-three bids-(A) Hough Model H M - $11,443.80; (B) Hough Model HMC- $11,943.80; (C) Hough Model HR-$9,788.70-all prices quoted F. O. B. Watertown, S. D., only bid (B) including the Torque Convertor. #5-Sioux Road Equipment, Inc., Sioux Falls, S. D.-One Allis-Chalmers Model HD-5 G Tracto Shovel Diesel Crawler Tractor-Model TS-5 Shovel-Price F. O. B. Watertown, S. D.-$10,458.50.

Bids numbered 1 and 5 covered crawler-type tractors. Bids 2, 3 and 4 covered 4-wheel rubber-tired tractors. Bid No. 2 covered shovel of only 1 Cu. Yd. capacity and no Torque Convertor. Bid No. 3 covered shovel of 1½ Cu. yards capacity and Torque Convertor. Bid No. 4 -(B) also covered 1½ cu. yd. capacity shovel and Torque Convertor.

Representatives of each firm bidding were interviewed separately, after which the Board set 3:00 P. M. of this date as the time for the letting of the bid. County Highway Superintendent, Lars Larson, was present during the interviews and discussion.

The Board recessed at noon and returned at 2:00 P. M.

Chairman Jordeth called for ballot vote on the bids which resulted in all five votes being cast for the #3 bid of the J. D. Evans Equipment Co.

On the basis of the unanimous vote for J. D. Evans Equipment Co. bid, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that said bid, being the low bid on comparable machines, be accepted for a total cost of $11,048.00, f. o. b. Watertown, S. D., for one Pettibone-Mulliken Model 15 Speedall Front End Loader 4-wheel drive, 14:00 x 24 - 12 ply tires, 1½ yd. capacity bucket- Hercules J X B 76 H. P. gasoline engine, Torque Convertor, Deluxe Cab, Adjustable seat, Hydraulic Booster Steering, Booster type brake control, Parking brake, Down pressure, Hand throttle, Horn and lights (12V) two head lights, two back up lights and two stop tail lights; that machine be delivered to Watertown, S. D. within twenty days or contract may be cancelled; also, that certified checks of unsuccessful bidders be returned. The motion carried.

Chairman Jordeth signed the sales agreement drawn up by R. H. Stein, agent of the J. D. Evans Equipment Co.

RESOLUTION # 179 (TWPS.)

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $6,398.58 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight percent required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the second quarter of 1953.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows, to-wit:

Sheridan, Pelican, Kampeska, Elmira, Richland, Graceland, Phipps, Leola and Eden $319.93 each; Kranzburg $551.00; Waverly $408.79; Rauville $453.23; Fuller $506.55; and Germantown $426.57; Total $5,225.51.

AND WHEREAS, the County Highway System has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following townships:

Henry $319.93; Lake $319.93; and Dexter $533.21; Total $1,173.07.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that, said fund apportioned as above set out be held by the County Auditor to pay for completing the County Highway System in the said townships, in the proportion as above provided and pursuant to law, and no part thereof shall be actually paid over to the said townships, provided however, that any amount of the respective allotments to their respective townships not paid over, shall remain unexpended after completing the roads of the County Highway System, shall revert to and be payable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Keenan and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

DATED AT WATERTOWN, SOUTH DAKOTA, this 24th day of July 1953.

ATTEST:
Carl E. Bergan, Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota

Elmer Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, So. Dak.

RESOLUTION # 179 A (Villages & Watertown)

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $2285.21 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment for the second quarter of 1953.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned among the respective municipalities as follows: Florence - $127.97; Henry - $127.97; South Shore - $127.97; Wallace - $95.98; Watertown - $1,805.32; Total $2,285.21.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Keenan and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 24th day of July, 1953.

Emma Goodeill Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan, Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota

APPRAISAL OF LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING TO BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, deems it advisable to sell the real property hereinafter described, acquired, acquired by said county by tax deed, and said Board of County Commissioners has directed that such real property be offered for sale and that it first be appraised by said board as provided by law,

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, report that they have made a just and fair appraisement of the real property hereinafter described:

	APPRAISED VALUE
Lot 8, 9 & 10, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown	$ 10.00 each
Lot 188, Way's Lake Drive Addition to Watertown	5.00
East 50 feet of North 110.5 feet of Outlot 32, Sec. 5-116-55 in Henry Village	10.00
Lots 15, 16 & 17, Block 2 in Henry Village	100.00 for all
Lots 3 and 4, Block 7 in Henry Village	50.00 for both
Outlot 11, Sec. 15-119-51, in South Shore	25.00

Dated this 24th day of July, 1953.

Emma Goodeill
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Vernon H. Belk
County Commissioner
Herb Skinner
County Commissioner
Oscar J. Fremmd
County Commissioner
James L. Keenan
County Commissioner

RESOLUTION # 181

RESOLUTION DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, the County of Codington in the State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota,

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 24th day of July, 1953, at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property, to-wit:

	APPRAISED VALUE
Lot 8, 9, & 10, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown	$ 10.00 each
Lot 188, Way's Lake Drive Addition to Watertown	5.00
East 50 feet of North 110.5 feet of Outlot 32, Sec. 5-116-55 in Henry Village	10.00
Lots 15, 16 & 17, Block 2 in Henry Village	100.00 for all
Lots 3 and 4, Block 7 in Henry Village	50.00 for both

Outlot 11, Sec. 15-119-51 in South Shore - - - - - - - - - - - $ 25.00

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of Said Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota.

Dated this 24th day of July, 1953.

Einar Jordeth

Vernon H. Belk

Herb Skinner

Oscar J. Fromke

James L. Keenan

Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. July 28, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
July 28, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00; Irma Welch $190.00; Pearl Bergan $180.00; Alice Olson $112.50; County Treasurer-Hazel Schleismann $325.00; Alma Gerberding $210.00; DeLoris Goodroad $185.00; Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68; Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68; Harriett Horning $205.00; Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-Muriel Hoover $325.00; Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $283.75; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Laura J. Avis $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl Michaelson $175.00; Carl Deal $175.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Katherine Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Harry Roberts $100.00; Irene Roberts $50.00; Memorial Park-Arnold Hoftiezer $100.00; Bess Hoftiezer $100.00; Per Diem-Mileage-Salary-Herb Skinner $49.55; Vernon H. Belk $54.10; Oscar J. Fromke $49.34; Einar Jordeth $72.50; James L. Keenan $52.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; TEXT BOOK-Chi. Rock Island & Pacific Ry. $12.71; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Elmer Zweig $4625.22; C.M.V.-Curtis Underwood $15.72; Walter Darling $80.01; Ed Brekke $38.95; John Lyle Barrett $29.70; Carl Zweig, Jr. $7.56; Leo Clausen $30.62; E. Spearbeck $17.38; Clarence Helle $23.99; L. Roethler $14.76; Chris Engels $8.73; James Hendren $.02; Howard Williams $11.67; Alfred Spring $1.48; John Strait $20.19; Fred Brownell $29.25; Joe Stricherz $114.49; John Rennie $262.50; C. B. Sumner $289.80; Harold Scriver $203.49; Ed Gould $23.48; Elizabeth Pinholt $175.00; Sever Tobiason $200.00; Bert Smith $20.00; J. P. Haug $236.97; Lars G. Larson $325.00; BRIDGE-Curtis Underwood $73.15; Leo Clausen $38.95; E. Spearbeck $52.50; L. Roethler $69.30; Chris Engels $72.90; C. H. & B.R.-Curtis Underwood $126.35; Carl Zweig Jr. $237.60; Leo Clausen $165.30; E. Spearbeck $168.00; Clarence Helle $184.55; L. Roethler $128.70; Chris Engels $107.10; James Hendren $273.75; Howard Williams $195.80; Alfred Spring $247.50; John Strait $140.60; Fred Brownell $129.45; Joe Stricherz $114.45; Harold Scriver $11.55; Ed Gould $158.40; J. P. Haug $5.25; SPECIAL BRIDGE-John Strait $73.15; Fred Brownell $28.50;

M. J. Fox appeared before the Board for information on petitioning to add roads to the County Highway System. The Board advised Mr. Fox that only ten freeholders were needed on the petition, but that these freeholders must include those owning land adjoining the highway proposed to be added.

Floyd Knight, road contractor, appeared before the Board regarding the County road in Dexter Twp., which he is now building. He stated that the recent heavy rains had made it impossible for him to complete the first mile of the road, and requested permission to begin the second mile while waiting for weather conditions to permit completion of the first.

On the recommendation of Highway Superintendent, Larson, the Board authorized Knight to go ahead on the second mile.

On a motion by Skinner and second by Keenan the Board approved predatory animal bounty claims as follows: William Halling, John Murphy, Alvin Rossow, Fred Thrun, Karen Springer, Raymond Pieper, John Dalton, Arnold Byer, Dale Drake, Harry Kucker, C. O. Mundahl, Elmer Koppman, Bud Clarksean, Franklin Andress, Robert Endres, Glenn Stadheim, Mrs. John N. Mack, H. D. Small, Harold Paulsen, John Bergan, I. J. Gygiel and Calvin Kucker, $4.00 each; Lawrence Kellogg, Lester Ohnstad, Charles Arnold, John Sonstebo, Mrs. Orville Stormo, Harold Haigh, Frank Boeder, B. J. Buckley, Mrs. Ed Buchholz, Harold Anderson, R. W. Hammond, Mrs. John Mack, $2.00 each; E. H. Puhlman, Elwood Chapman, Harold Moes, Chester Lohr, $6.00 each; Fred Thrun, $8.00; Eldomar Zirbel, $12.00.

The matter of the County Fair was taken up and discussed.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Belk that the County Commissioners would go along with a plan wherein the City or some non-profit organization would develop the grounds and fix the buildings suitable for fair purposes, after which the Board of County Commissioners

will appoint a Fair Board to function according to law. The motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. August 4, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
August 4, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Jordeth, Fromke and Skinner present.

Because of funeral services for a brother of Chairman Jordeth on this date at Lebanon, S. D., the Board did not take up any business and adjourned to 10:00 A. M. August 6, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
August 6, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Minutes of meetings of July 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, 15, 16, 20, 21, 22, 24, and 28, 1953 were approved by the Board.

Mrs. Andrew Melham, President of the Mellette Memorial Association, Mrs. Fred Scholtz, Secretary, Mrs. Rolla Williams and Mrs. Walter Miller appeared before the Board to request County aid in financing the maintenance and upkeep of Mellette House in Watertown. Mrs. Scholtz read to the Board from records of the Association showing costs of the last ten years of approximately $10,000 for restoration and upkeep of Mellette House.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that the maximum levy of five cents per capita as provided under Section 12.2310 of Chapter 26 of the 1953 S. D. Session Laws be set up in the County Budget for 1954. The motion carried.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon W. Jelinek, Ralph H. Meyer, Harry E. Smith, Roy Schmeling and Jim Freeland, Sr., appeared before the Board to request that something be done to lower the water level in Lake Kampeska. They stated to the Board that the high water level in the lake was causing ~~extreme~~ extensive damage to lake shore property.

Dam in Scime Twp Outlet
See Com. Proceed. April, 1941

Jack Olson and Jack Kintsley, president and vice president, respectively, of the Codington County Sportsman's Association and Harold Hanson, a farmer living north of Highway No. 20 a short distance from the lake, were also present.

Jack Olson read statistics on Kampeska Lake water levels and rainfall measurements in past years which showed that the abnormal rainfall of almost twenty-five inches during the first seven months of this year had raised the water level in Lake Kampeska from a normal sea level of 1719 Ft. to 1721 Ft. He expressed the opinion that normal weather conditions would quickly restore the lake level to normal, and recommended that all factors involved be considered carefully before taking steps to remedy the situation by removal of existing dams as suggested by some of those present.

The Board advised all present that Lake Kampeska was not under County jurisdiction, but that an effort would be made to get the matter to the attention of the South Dakota Dept. of Game, Fish and Parks through Game Warden, H. H. Deblon, who represents that organization here.

M. J. Fox appeared before the Board for information on petitioning to add road to the County Highway System. The Board advised Mr. Fox of the proper procedure.

Elmer Schmeling and N. W. Evans appeared before the Board to discuss County Fair matters. Schmeling informed the Board that steps had been taken to provide for a non-profit corporation to handle the County Fair. He also submitted a list of names of fifteen men who had been recommended for positions on the County Fair Board when and if such a Board should be appointed.

The County Board advised Schmeling and Evans that when the non-profit corporation had been secured, the matter of appointing a Fair Board would be taken up and acted upon.

Leonard Johnson, Treasurer of the South Shore Town Board, appeared before the County Board for information regarding certain county tax levies for the County Highway and Bridge Reserve Fund and the Road Fund. He asked whether the revenue derived from this county levy should be considered in levying for taxes to supply the needs of the South Shore civil government.

The Board informed Johnson that the revenue from this source was so small that it would not materially affect the ordinary civil levy as fixed by the Town Board.

At the request of the Board, Game Warden, H. H. Deblon, appeared to discuss the matter of high water level in Lake Kampeska. He agreed to contact the Department of Game, Fish and Parks on the matter.

It was moved by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Keenan that the Board of Commissioners request Game Warden, H. H. Deblon, to contact the South Dakota Department of Game, Fish and Parks to urge an immediate study of conditions causing the high water level in Lake Kampeska, resulting in severe damage to lake shore property and to request said Department to take the necessary steps to alleviate the situation. The motion carried.

Mr. Deblon asked whether the County might grade up and repair the south mile of the road running south from Highway No. 212 to the north shore of Lake Pelican, between Sections 8 and

9 in Pelican Township.

The Board advised Mr. Deblon that said road was under Pelican Twp. jurisdiction and should be brought to the attention of the Pelican Board of Supervisors.

The Board ordered advertizing for bids to furnish the offices of County Auditor and County Treasurer with a Tax Computing Machine for use in preparing the county tax lists, receipts and notices - Notice to Bidders to be published in the official county newspapers on August 13, 20 and 27, 1953 and letting to be held September 8, 1953.

Muriel Hoover, County Superintendent of Schools, appeared before the Board to request the purchase of an adding machine for her office. The Board authorized purchase of the machine, but suggested that she check with suppliers on prices and types of machines before making the purchase.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Larry Cole, Lloyd Madsen, Roland Redlin, Ben Heitland, Berniel Aslesen, Donald Bevers, Darrell Harkin, William Halling, Alf Bergan, E. D. Christensen, Frank Flemming, Leon Mack, LaVern Meseberg, Erling Johnson, Arbie Ronke, $4.00 each; Lester Knutson, Ed Schmeling and Ralph Endres, $2.00 each.

The application of Alfred Anderson for compromise settlement of county aid liens of Alfred and Arlene Anderson in the amount of $172.50 for a payment of $110.00 was approved by the Board on a motion by Skinner and second by Fromke.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of August 1, 1953 was approved by the Board as follows: Total amount of deposits in banks, $460,347.33; Total amount of checks, drafts and cash in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $4,864.90; Government Bonds, $181,837.33; Total of all items, $647,049.56.

The Board authorized Chairman Jordeth to sign a work order with the Otis Elevator Co. to repair the Court House elevator.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the Board approve the application of Jewell R. and Louise Kirkeby for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes, plus penalty and interest in the amount of $41.99 for a payment of $35.15. Motion carried.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that Commissioner Fromke be authorized to represent the County Board at the hearing on the Phipps Twp. appeal to the State Equalization Board, said hearing to be held at Pierre, S. D., Aug. 12, 1953. Motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 9:00 A. M. August 11, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
August 11, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 9:00 A. M. with Jordeth, Belk, Keenan and Skinner present, Fromke absent; Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $120.00, Winfield Coykendall $25.10, Robert Pinholt $15.20, Eagle Cafe $8.60, Bartron Clinic $7.50, Gray's Studio $45.00, Robert L. Lee $10.00, Dr. H. T. Kenney $10.00, Cliff Englund $74.86; C. R. Larson $2.86, Alexander J. Jantzen $5.10, Arnold M. Larson $15.10, Arthur Redmond $10.20, Lawrence Redlin $20.20; Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott for Mary L. Wilson $10.00; Mrs. Augusta Bunde $25.00 for Louisa Richter; Mrs. Betty Elsing $45.00 for LeRoy Krapf; Walter Gusso $25.00 for Bert Crandall; Louis Kinstad $276.00 for Ola Hanson $26.00, Ole Omodt $45.00, Geo. Manley $35.00, Robt. Wiseman $45.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ole Aamodt $45.00, Clara Cates $45.00; Mrs. Anna Lange $40.00 for Joan & Clarence Jr. Tessier; Lohrs Home $30.00 for Edith Kinsey; Mrs. Ernest Schmeling for Willie Schmeling $25.00; Irene Stockman $45.00 for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $60.00 for David Bright; Mrs. Mae Waba $15.00 for Helen Waba; Watertown Rest Home $66.15 for Sadie Stevens $36.15, Louis mourere $30.00; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00 for Rosa Dixon $15.00, Sarah Black $10.00; Union Bus Depot $7.77 for Mrs. Vivian Miner and daughter Sharol; Duffners Drug Store $93.84 for Steve Wisneski $15.90, Ole Hanson $8.85, B. J. Murray $19.95, Mrs. Frank Smith $4.60, A.R. Quade $5.00, Peter DeMuynck $6.50, Jim Mack $11.62, Louis Mourere $1.25, Wm. Ball $16.00, Marsh Bradfield $6.60, Mrs. John Cosgrove $8.00; Bartron Hospital & Clinic $2222.52 for Nellie Jensen $134.71, Emma Jenkins $47.29, Clara Cates $137.10, Gertrude Heathcote $9.61, Sadie Stevens $5.55, Mrs. Thos. Black $46.88, Frank Barthel Sr. $243.24, David Bright $55.16, Andrew Westrum $4.27, Ole H. Aamodt $135.85, Rena Ackerman $726.10, Ben Bergeson $6.08, Carrie Hanson $119.42, Henry Jamison $279.30, Mrs. Joe Lindner $11.91, Ruth Martell $109.80, Bernard Murray $14.85, Mrs. O. A. Olson $135.40; Brown Clinic $327.00 for Mrs. Axel Bakken $41.50, Edward Breuer $4.00, Mrs. John Cosgrove $44.00, Frank M. Cox $6.00, Mrs. Sophia Eck $30.00, Mrs. L. D. Hemstock $2.00, Mrs. Wm. Jones $31.50, James Mack $35.00, Mrs. Mary Matteson $30.00, Joseph J. Meyer $4.50, A. R. Quade $4.50, Ben Scott $46.50, Dooks Tiejen $24.00, Cliff Van Sickle $14.50, Mrs. Clara Ziegler $9.00; Creaser & Sons $2.21 for Mrs. Edith Bunde; Dr. D. N. Fedt $45.00 for Chas. Bierscheid; Haggars Drug Store $159.21 for Otto Jungen $.30, John Farley $12.05, Frank Klucas $18.15, Mrs. Edith Bunde $6.60, Ed Goeman $20.15, Mrs. Oscar B. Anderson $14.40, Cliff VanSickle $29.40, Fern Washtoak $43.90, Mildred Taylor $3.65, Philomena Holzemer $28.30; Dr. E. D. Harper $60.00 for Vincent McGurk $22.00, Peter DeMuynck $38.00; Hollywood Grocery $21.00 for Mrs. Edith Bundy; Kreisers Drug Store $73.30 for Ben Scott $12.95, Leo Breske $14.28, Irwin Eisenbise $8.50, Dooks Tiejen $19.50, Mrs. Dooks Tiejen $13.50, Mathilda Blek $2.55, Anna Parsley $10.16; Math. Gergen & Rhodes $83.80 for David Bright $3.00, Dooks Tiejen $6.00, Mrs. Mable Johnson $59.50, Wm. Kyle $15.30; Medical Arts Clinic $408.00 for Steve Wisneski $26.00, Ed Goeman $27.00, Philomena Holzemer $12.00, Frank & Emma Klucas $41.00, Fern Washtoak $42.00, Fannie Baker $30.00, Carl Berge $30.00, Wm. Kyle $18.00, Edith Bundy $3.00, Mrs. Oscar B. Anderson $2.00, Mrs. Wayne Krueger $34.00, Mayme Tribitt $20.00, Louis Mourere $2.00, Ola Hanson $6.00, Mrs. Andrew Christianson $34.00, Mrs. John Brockhoft $35.00, Charlie Ward Montney $46.00; Memorial Hospital $1112.51 for Adeline Bakken $199.16, Carl Berge $89.45, Fannie Baker $206.60, Mrs. Mable Johnson $277.70, Mrs. Gunda Brockhoft $67.30,

Peter DeMuynck $102.70, Anna Parsley $113.25, G. O. Wigdahl $8.55, Dooks Tiejen $32.80, Alfred Vick $15.00; Shaw-Messer Ambulance Service $6.00 for Ole H. Aamodt #.00, Mrs. Carrie Hanson $3.00; Skaggs Store $25.00 for Albert L. Kritta $10.00, Whitey Larson $15.00; S. D. Childrens Aid $81.00 for Sharon and Robert Schreifels; Spies Super Valu $15.00 for Emmett Johnson; St. Ann's Hospital $915.30 for Mrs. John Cosgrove $208.87, Frank Cox $40.58, Sophia Eck $129.42, Mrs. W. E. Jones $88.68, James Mack $98.44, Mrs. Mary Matteson $245.61, Ben Scott $103.70; Thomes Drug Store $78.84 for Minnie Johnson $31.95, Frank Cox Sr. $3.05, Richard DePeel $2.25, Alfred Vick $32.70, Chas. Bierscheid $2.95, Mrs. Christianson $1.00, Louisa Richter $8.60, Lena Trumer $5.10; Dr. M. C. Thompson $154.00 for C. A. Briggs $3.00, David Bright $34.00, Frank Cox $43.00, John Farley $15.00, Minnie Johnson $20.00, Marion Kraft $7.00, Louisa Richter $3.00, Mildred Taylor $6.00, Lena Trumer $10.00, Helen Waba $13.00; Standard Oil Co., Huron $5.19 for Will Norman; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $56.10; Einar Jordeth $69.60; James L. Keenan $51.20; Herb Skinner $52.80; Tax Collector-Ole James Nelson $49.50; Printing & Advertising-South Shore Gazette $40.95; Henry Independent $306.27; Watertown Public Opinion $202.80; Treasurer's Office expense-Watertown Public Opinion $9.40; Veterans Service-Rosella Howey $24.00; County Judge Office Expense-Lenora Lowitz Sweet $44.25; Tax Deed Expense-Hazel Schliesmann $25.00; Insurance & Bonds-McClintic Insurance $7.20; Western Surety Co. $69.39; Stein Agency $28.80; Sheriffs Office Expense-W. S. Darley & Co. $15.88; Board of Insanity-Dr. H. T. Kenney $15.00; County Extension-Clara W. Johnson $50.15; Audrey McCollum $22.50; Fred Morris $81.07; Extension Visual Aids $6.00; Carlsons $26.50; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Educator Supply Co. $213.35; Remington Rand Inc. $335.82; Railway Express Agency $2.05; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Railway Express Agency $1.56; Auditors Office Expense-Railway Express Agency $2.40; News Printing Co. $22.60; Brown & Saenger $7.02; Pitney-Bowes Inc. $21.05; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-F. A. Owen Publ. Co. $17.50; Memorial Park-Marshall-Wells Store $6.28; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $69.36; Montgomery Ward $2.78; Park Grant Co. $4.75; N. W. Public Service Co. $52.56; Reaney's Service $1.29; County Farm-Park Grant Co. $37.99; City Treasurer $25.77; Creaser & Sons $1.05; Kreisers Drug Store $6.43; Botsford Lumber Co. $123.97; Liens Grocery $34.88; Nelson Hardware $2.94; Watertown Cement Products Co. $43.71; Watertown Co-op Elev. Co. $42.72; Watertown Milling Co. $39.49; Court House Maintenance-Reaneys Service $.52; Chets Bicyle Service $.50; Davey Furniture Co. $.49; Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $22.60; Egge Electric Co. $18.41; Mrs. Elvera Englund $7.56; Inman Heating & Plumbing $5.25; Mahowald Co. $18.08; N. W. Bell Telephone Co. $236.76; City Treasurer $209.05; Duffners Drug Store $1.00; Midwest-Beach Co. $4.92; ROAD-Stein Agency $401.89; N. W. Public Service Co. $4.53; City Treasurer $5.13; Florence Service $19.71; Kenneth Hayes $13.70; Jakle Hardware $4.07; Philip Jesme $24.00; Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $30.84; Kochs Phillips 66 Service $22.46; Mahowald Co. $30.37; C. E. McGowan Lbr. Co. $4.06; Motor Supply Co. $4.68; Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $12.45; Arthur Schwandt $2.50; Harold Scriver $2.24; Watertown Machine Works $34.41; Watertown Tire Co. $38.40; WEED BOARD-Carlsons $76.50; Paul David $5.82; Joseph J. Fox $5.68; Robt. F. Redlin $6.52; TEXTBOOK-F. A. Owen Publ. Co. $90.00; Midwest-Beach Co. $99.30; Allyn & Bacon Inc. $125.27; American Book Co. $87.34; Chicago & N. W. Ry. Co. $2.32; E. M. Hale & Co. $29.25; D. C. Heath & Co. $54.38; Houghton Mifflin Co. $60.20; Hub City School Supply Co. $35.70; Iroquois Publ. Co. $119.88; Laidlaw Bros. $278.25; A. N. Palmer Co. $139.00; Row, Peterson & Co. $42.08; Scott, Foresman & Co. $454.76; Chas. Scribners Sons $43.31; Silver Burdett Co. $38.25; L. W. Singer Co. Inc. $87.17; Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $235.90; Wilson Truck System $18.05; John C. Winston Co. $51.50; C.M.V.-Reaneys Service $227.43; Railway Express Agency $2.55; Standard Oil Co. $320.48; Watertown Milling Co. $369.11; Cave Supply Co. $34.53; Codington County Implement Co. $1.00; Empire Equipment Co. $464.31; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $154.56; J. P. Foster Co. $34.45; R. E. Hubbard Co. $122.06; International Harvester Co. $71.28; Jevnem Battery & Body Service $3.75; Lyle Sighns Inc. $38.98; Marquardts Service $133.63; Lyle Thorson $57.66; Williams Hardware Co. $105.34; Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $12.50; Thompson Yards $6.20; C.H. & B.R.-Standard Oil Co. $535.90; Lyle Sighns Inc. $74.10; Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $2.25; Thompson Yards $4.81; S. D. Concrete Products Co. $1006.88; S. D. State Highway Commission $7150.72; SPEC. BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $31.50; Mpls. & St. Louis Ry. Co. $928.84; N. W. Road Supply Co. $1347.92; Weyerhaeuser Timber Co. $2641.96; S. D. Concrete Products Co. $3690.72; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Mannerud Bros. $975.84; S. D. State Highway Commission $520.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (DEXTER) C. S. Rasmusson $205.00; (Henry) C. S. Rasmusson $150.00.

At the request of the County Board,
H. E. McFarland, Bert Klatt and Orville Liesure, Board of Supervisors of Pelican Twp., and Vernon Benthin, Clerk, appeared at 9:00 A. M. on the matter of repairing the south mile of the road beginning at Highway No. 212 and extending south to the north shore of Pelican Lake, between Sections 8 and 9 in Pelican Twp. After some discussion, it was tentatively agreed that the County would do the necessary grading on the road and Pelican Twp. would handle the graveling and furnish fill for the grading.

Ed Schnackenberg appeared before the Board with a proposal to build a concrete slab in the court yard for use as a band stand for a total cost of $175.00, said slab to be 29 ft. by 20 ft. by 4 in. thick. It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Belk that foregoing proposal be accepted. Motion carried.

The application of Mrs. Minnie Zirbel for a compromise settlement of County Aid liens in the amount of $428.14 for a payment of $250.00 was approved by the Board on a motion by Keenan and second by Belk.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Mrs. Frank Hupf, G. C. Henricks, Jr., Ole Knutson, Ronald Burchartz, Paul Jongeling, Matt Kranz, Jr., Arvid Popham, Paul David, Glenn Buchholz, Elmer Alden and Jim Harkin, $4.00 each; David Flemming and Donald Lindner, $2.00 each.

Statements of fees collected during July, 1953 were approved as follows: Register of Deeds $535.10; Clerk of Courts, $358.45.

Following monthly statements for July, 1953 were checked and approved: Yankton State Hospital, $1879.50; Redfield State Hospital $550.00; State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis, Sanator, S. D., $221.65.

The Veterans Service Officer's monthly report and the County Weed Supervisor's monthly report for July, 1953 were noted by the Board.

The business of appointing a committee to inspect the section line highways petitioned to be vacated as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of June 16, 1953 was brought up at this

time. It was agreed that the entire Board act as a committee for inspection of said section line highways. August 18th at 2:00 p. m. was the time set for the inspection.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. August 18, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
Aug. 18, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Jordeth, Belk, Keenan and Skinner present, Fromke absent, Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $175.20; Sheriffs Mileage-Cliff Englund $544.65; Court Expense-Mabel L. Durkee $110.67; Laura Strohfus $5.10; Ed Wagner $10.20; Lily Melsby $30.20; Howard Lebert $6.50; Rene Petty $5.10; Margaret Althouse $5.10; O. M. Olson $13.60; Thomas Shoop $5.10; O. E. Beardsley $50.00; W. A. Hackett $50.00; J. E. Freeland, Sr. $25.50; Paul Herdman $5.10; Ernest Kausch $5.10; Olaf Rye $5.10; Courthouse Maintenance-Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.59; Court Office-Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.10; Auditors Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.00; Public Welfare Expemse-Ruhe Stationery Co. $5.95; Poor-Liens Grocery $9.88 for Ralph Erickson $4.88, Mar-Jean Conrad $5.00; Per Diem-Alma Sheldon $40.00; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Watertown Typewriter Co. $187.50; C.M.V. -Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.59.

Pursuant to notices duly published in the official County newspapers, the hearing on petition to vacate three miles of section line highway in Phipps Twp. came up at this time. As no one appeared at the hearing on petition to vacate, the Board took up other business pending inspection at 2:00 P. M. of this date of highways proposed to be vacated.

M. J. Fox appeared before the Board with a petition to add to the County Highway System the following described road, to wit: "Beginning at the NE Corner of Section 21-117-52, thence one mile South to the SE Corner of Sec. 21-117-52, thence one and one-half miles West to the Mount Hope Cemetery, between Sec. 20 and 29-117-52."

The Board ordered foregoing petition filed in the County Auditor's office pending public hearing on same.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Nick P. Mack, Roger Crocker, Henry Meyer, Mrs. Elmer O. Schmeling, Roland Pieper, Raymond Pieper, Carl Nelson, John B. Coplan, Mrs. John Mack, Vern Bergan, Elsie Schultz, Mrs. John Erickson, Roger Rausch, Gilmore Schmeling, Emery Elmore, Ronald Burchatz and John Stone, $4.00 each; Albert Mohr $2.00.

The Board recessed at noon and returned at 3:00 P. M. after inspection of section line highways proposed to be vacated, as previously noted.

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
) SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SAID CODINGTON COUNTY

REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS" COMMITTEE AFTER EXAMINATION OF PROPOSED VACATION SITE

The undersigned, comprising the committee appointed by the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, on this date, under the provisions of Chapter 28.06 S.D.C. 1939 as amended, for the purpose of examining the proposed vacation site of the section line highways which have been asked to be vacated by a petition of the required number of free-holders of said Codington County report as follows: That on this date, August 18, 1953, the undersigned, being the members of said Committee as aforesaid, met at the time and place designated and examined the section line highways which are proposed to be vacated and which are described as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest Corner of the Northeast Quarter of Section Thirty Two (32), Township One Hundred Eighteen (118), Range Fifty-Five (55), thence East one mile to the Northeast Corner of the Northwest Quarter of Section Thirty-three (33), Township One Hundred Eighteen (118), Range Fifty-Five (55), also; Beginning at the Northeast Corner of Section Twenty-Nine (29), Township One Hundred Eighteen (118), Range Fifty-Five (55), thence South Two miles to the Southeast Corner of Section Thirty-Two (32), Township One Hundred Eighteen (118), Range Fifty-Five (55).

It is the unanimous recommendation of your Committee that the prayer of said petition be granted and that said roadway be vacated.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, Aug. 18, 1953.

Emma Jordeth

Vernon A. Belk

Herb Skinner

Fromke absent

James L. Keenan

REPORT OF SALE BY COUNTY AUDITOR OF CLASS ONE
LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING

TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA:

Carl F. Bergan, the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, makes the following return of the proceedings had pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners to offer for sale the within described real estate acquired by the county by tax proceedings, and reports as follows, to-wit:

That the real property directed to be offered for sale by the Board of County Commissioners was first classified as class one land and was appraised by the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, at the sum of $25.00.

That in pursuance of the direction of the Board of County Commissioners that the within described real estate acquired by tax proceeding be offered for sale, he caused notice of sale thereof to be published in a legal newspaper of the County of Codington once each week for a period of three successive weeks before the date of sale specified therein, which notice contained a description of the real property to be sold and the time, place and terms of sale, all of which appears by such notice and affidavit of publication filed herein.

That said County Auditor, pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners and notice duly given, offered for sale and on the 14th day of August, 1953, sold, subject to the confirmation of the Board of County Commissioners, the following described real estate to South Shore Co-operative Creamery, being the highest and best bidder, for the sum of $25.00, said sum being the highest and best sum bid and not being less than the amount of the appraisement, upon the following terms, to-wit: cash at the time of sale in the amount of $25.00 deposited with the County Treasurer,

The real estate so sold is described as follows, to-wit:

O.L. 11 in Section 15-119-51, Berrys Addition to South Shore Village

Dated this 18th day of August, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County,
South Dakota

RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE FOR CASH OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED.

R E S O L U T I O N A P P R O V I N G S A L E

No. 182

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described real property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that South Shore Co-operative Creamery of South Shore, S. D. has offered the sum of $25.00 in cash for the following described real property, to-wit:

O.L. 11 in Section 15-119-51, Berrys Addition to South Shore

which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited in cash with the County Treasurer;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 18th day of August, 1953, that the sale of said premises to the said South Shore Co-operative Creamery of South Shore, S. D. be and the same is hereby approved, and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deed to said purchaser conveying to said purchaser all of the right, title, and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 18th day of August, 1953.

Einar Lordeth
Vernon H. Belk
Herb Skinner
Frank Absent
James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. August 25, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
August 25, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

On motion by Skinner and second by Fromke, verified claims were approved as follows: SALARY-Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Dorothy Below $210.00, Irma Welch $190.00, Pearl Bergan $180.00, Alice Olson $150.00; Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00, Alma Gerberding $210.00, DeLoris Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68, Harriett Horning $205.00, Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $283.75, Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00, Laura J. Avis $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl Deal $175.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Katherine Downs $25.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00, Frank Sherer $5.10, Mrs. Laura Peterson $5.10, Esther Coyle $5.10, H. D. Gates $5.10, Bertha White $30.20, Cecil Pogatschnik $40.40, Elizabeth $51.00, Lucille Lang $5.10, Pete Molln $6.10, Ruth Brelsford $51.00, George Wemmering $5.10, William Schally $49.00, Lenore Carpenter $10.20, Mrs. Al Iverson $2.10, Minnie Nommenson $5.10; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Schenk $162.52; County Extension $160.00; County Farm-Salary & Mileage-Harry Roberts $113.50, Irene Roberts $50.00; Memorial Park-Arnold Hoftiezer $100.00, Bess Hoftiezer $100.00; Poor-L. L. Blake $45.00 for Richard DePeel; Dr. D. F. Campbell $91.00 for Anna Parsley $14.00, Peter DeMuynck $21.00, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $2.00, Mrs. Dooks Tiejen $2.00, Mrs. Mabel Johnson $52.00; Dr. Glee Tarbell $35.00 for Frank M. Cox; Per Diem & Salary-Vernone H. Belk $68.30, Oscar J. Fromke $133.63, Einar Jordeth $96.70, James L. Keenan $64.80, Herb Skinner $76.20; Court House Maintenance-Eco, Inc. $97.85; Sheriffs Office Expense-Gerriets Radio Service $31.50; Bailiff-Carl Deal $60.00, Ray Makepeace $70.00, Mrs. Ray Makepeace $56.00, Carl Michaelson $40.00, Carl Deal $4.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-Lars G. Larson $325.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $175.00, Bert Smith $20.00, J. P. Haug $261.45, Joe Stricherz $191.48, John Rennie $231.00, C. B. Sumner $262.50, Harold Scriver $242.55, Ed Gould $23.47, James Hendren $257.95, Howard Williams $55.96, Alfred Spring $50.99, Carl Zweig, Jr. $95.64, John Strait $39.20, Fred Brownell $14.35, Leo Clausen $33.48, E. Spearbeck $7.03, Clarence Helle $11.89, L. Roethler $23.67, Chris Engels $12.57, Curtis Underwood $25.27, Gerriets Radio Service $10.00; C.H. & B.R.-Joe Stricherz $22.05, Ed Gould $44.00, James Hendren $194.15, Howard Williams $165.00, Alfred Spring $160.60, Carl Zweig, Jr. $126.50, John Strait $54.55, Fred Brownell $156.75, Leo Clausen $154.37, E. Spearbeck $168.00, Clarence Helle $146.30, L. Roethler $36.00, Chris Engels $36.00, Curtis Underwood $38.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $198.00, James Hendren $23.10, Howard Williams $39.60, Alfred Spring $36.30, Carl Zweig,Jr. $17.60, John Strait $128.25, Fred Brownell $21.85, Leo Clausen $46.55, E. Spearbeck $52.50, Clarence Helle $50.35, L. Roethler $159.30, Chris Engels $159.30, Curtis Underwood $149.15.

Howard Ristvedt appeared before the Board regarding a road in Eden Twp. petitioned for addition to the County Highway System. No action was taken.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Gerald Schwanke, Carl Michaelson, John A. Murphy, C. F. Buchholz, R. B. Walker, Mervin Moyer and Lyle Gasper, $4.00 each; Joe Latt, $2.00.

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
)
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SAID CODINGTON COUNTY

ORDER OF VACATION

There having been presented to the Board of County Commissioners in said Codington County a petition signed by the statutory number of freeholders of said Codington County petitioning said Board of Commissioners to vacate certain section line highways hereinafter described, not being within the limits of any city or incorporated town, and it having appeared from "Affidavits of Publication" on file that notice thereof has been given as required by law, and on August 18, 1953, a committee of said Commissioners having been appointed to examine such proposed location and such Committee having reported its examination of same on this date and the report of said Committee recommending the vacation of said roadway being on file herein and no objections of any sort having been made or filed and no objectors appearing at the time of hearing, on this date, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. at the Commissioners meeting room on the first floor of the Court House in the City of Watertown in said Codington County, and it appearing that order should be made as herein set out upon the unanimous vote of the Commissioners in and for said Codington County, now therefore

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the following described section line highways within said Codington County, to-wit:

Beginning at the Northwest Corner of the Northeast Quarter of Section Thirty-Two (32), Township One Hundred Eighteen (118), Range Fifty-Five (55). thence East one mile to the Northeast Corner of the Northwest Quarter of Section Thirty-Three (33), Township One Hundred Eighteen (118), Range Fifty-Five (55), also; Beginning at the Northeast Corner of Section Twenty-Nine (29), Township One Hundred Eighteen (118). Range Fifty-Five (55), thence South Two miles to the Southeast Corner of Section Thirty-two (32), Township One Hundred Eighteen (118), Range Fifty-Five (55), being section line highways which have never been used as such and which have never been vacated or re-located and are not within the limits of any city or incorporated town and should be vacated.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that said section line highways be and the same hereby are forever vacated.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, August 25th, 1953.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Herb Skinner

Vernon H Belk

Elmar Jordeth

Cesar J Fromke

James L Keenan

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that foregoing "Order to Vacate" be approved and entered in official proceedings of the County Commissioners as of this date. The motion carried.

The Board recessed at noon, and at 1:30 P. M. left to inspect county roads now under repair and construction.

The Board returned at 4:00 P. M. from road inspection.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the County advertize for bids to grade approximately one hundred ft. more than one mile of County road described as follows: "Beginning at the Southeast Corner of Section 1-117-55, thence South to a point approximately one hundred ft. South of the Southeast Corner of Section 12-117-55, all of said road lying between Richland and Graceland Twps." The motion carried.

Depository Central

The County Treasurer appeared before the Board with the information that Government Bonds of the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Watertown in the amount of $40,000.00 deposited with the Chase National Bank of New York as pledged collateral to secure County funds, would mature on September 16, 1953, wherefore the Farmers and Merchants Bank requested authorization from Codington County to exchange said bonds for Investment Service Savings Bonds in the same amount to mature at a later date.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the County Treasurer authorize the exchange of bonds by the Farmers and Merchants Bank as requested. The motion carried.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Fromke that the County order a carload of stoker coal for the County Farm from the Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. The motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 9:00 A. M. Sept. 1, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
Sept. 1, 1953

The board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 9:30 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Minutes of Proceedings of Aug 4, 6, 11, 18, and 25, 1953 were approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Mabel L. Durkee $110.67, William Nowell $10.10, Clarence Wamsley $10.10, Paul Pitt $40.10; Special Highway-Floyd Knight $2812.10.

Dale Kannas, Floyd Thacker, Holtrich Meyer, L. C. Lausen, Levi Kannas and Fred Bailly appeared before the Board to request financial aid from Codington County to Rauville and Germantown twps. in building a spillway on the section line road between Rauville and Germantown Twps., between Sections 22 and 27 in the Sisseton-Wahpeton Indian Reservation. After some discussion the Board agreed to inspect the proposed site of the spillway at 2:00 P. M. September 8, 1953 after which appropriate action could be taken.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the public hearing on the Provisional Budget for 1954, same was brought before the Board for further study and necessary revision. As no one appeared on the budget hearing, action on same was deferred till later.

Depository Collateral

The County Treasurer appeared before the Board to report that Government Bonds of the Farmers State Bank of Kranzburg in the amount of $25,000.00 deposited with the Northwestern National Bank of Minneapolis, Minn. as pledged collateral to secure County funds, would mature on September 15, 1953, wherefore, said Farmers State Bank had requested authorization from the County Treasurer to exchange said Government Bonds for other securities in the same amount to mature at a later date.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Belk that the County Treasurer authorize the exchange of securities as requested by the Farmers State Bank of Kranzburg. the motion carried.

Jack Ruhe appeared before the Board with a proposal to furnish the Treasurer's office with filing facilities for the Drivers Permits at a cost of $206.68.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Belk that Ruhe's proposal be accepted. The motion carried.

The Board recessed at noon and left at 1:30 P. M. to attend a State Weed Board demonstration in the vicinity of Gary, S. D.

The Board returned at 4:30 P. M.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Matthew Spartz, Bernard Flemming, Mrs. Bill Meyer, Albert Maag, W. G. Bodtker, $4.00 each; Leonard Kranz and Earling Johnson, $2.00 each.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of Sept. 1, 1953 was checked and approved as follows: Total amount of deposits in banks, $349,032.65; checks, drafts and cash in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $7048.11; Government Bonds, $181,837.33; Total of all items, $537,918.09.

Ernest Goodroad appeared before the Board to discuss the matter of trading road equipment with the county. No action was taken.

The Provisional Budget for 1954 was again brought up for checking and discussion. It was noted that the levy limit of eight mills would not produce $262,866.00 as set up in said Provisional Budget.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that changes be made in the 1954 Provisional Budget as follows: Appropriation of $75,000.00 for care of county poor and county farm be reduced from $75,000.00 to $54,000.00; the appropriation of $17,000.00 for County Fair be reduced to $9,400.00; the appropriation for county highway and bridge reserve fund be increased from $150,000.00 to $162,000.00. The motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. Sept. 8, 1953.

Carl F. Bargen
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
Sept. 8, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Ray Spooner $5.10, Frank Karpinski $15.20, Earl McBath $5.10, Hazel Hegarty $120.00, Ed Sauer $5.10, Ellis Hanson $5.10, Arthur Rorvick $25.10, Glen Vavricka $5.10, L. W. Larson $30.20, Jake Carlson $36.90, Andrew Murphy $10.20, Harold Gray $2.10, Ione Sanwick $7.60, William Minor $5.10, Glenn Sears $5.10, Carl Michaelson $51.00, American Bar Ass'n $5.00, Bartron Clinic $7.50, Geo. W. Burke $20.82, Palace of Sweets $57.24, Mark Wilkey $59.50; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $51.55, Oscar J. Fromke $90.40, Einar Jordeth $68.90, James L. Keenan $55.40, Herb Skinner $68.00; Veterans Service-Rosella Howey $33.00; Tax Collector-Ole James Nelson $380.40; Insurance & Bonds-Farmers Insurance Exchange $14.06; Board of Insanity-H. T. Kenney, M. D. $10.00; Printing & Advertising-Secretary of State $8.25, Henry Independent $176.17, South Shore Gazette $181.97, Watertown Public Opinion $257.91; Auditors Office Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $8.50, Burroughs Adding Machine Co. $24.00, Watertown Typewriter Co. $2.54, Western Transportation Co. $3.31; Treasurer's office expense-Educator Supply Co-$12.45, Burroughs Adding Machine Co. $42.20; Public Welfare Office Expense-Watertown Typewriter Co. $105.30; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Western Transportation Co. $2.51, Carlson's-$15.80, Brown & Saenger $41.25; County Extension-Carlson's $2.30, F. C. Grow Sons $10.00, Clara W. Johnson $34.77; Court Office Expense-Precision Equipment Co. $42.72; Court House Maintenance-Dakota Warehouse Co. $2.59, Dependable Welding Service $9.00, Mrs. Elvera Englund $3.96, Hillyard Sales Co. $69.00, Kent Co., Inc. $3.16, Midland Laboratories $74.10, City Treasurer $231.77, Reaney's Service $7.24; County Farm-City Treasurer $25.98, Duffners Drug $3.27, Liens Grocery $44.82, Botsford Lbr. Co. $12.59, Duffners Drug Store $3.00, General Mills $2.20, Hubbards, Inc. $1.18, K. D. Inc. $13.63, Marshall-Wells Store $12.03, Olson Appliance Co. $47.35, Park Grant Co. $125.54, Standard Oil Co. $24.07, Vic's Radio Service $13.89, War Surplus Store $7.34, Wat'n Co-op Elev. $54.97, Wat'n Veterinary Clinic $7.00; County Judge Office Expense-Lenora Lowitz Sweet $38.41; Memorial Park-N.W. Public Service $50.69, Propane Supply Co. $6.00, Marquardt's Service $13.45, Reaney's Service $9.59; Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $10.00 for Mary L. Wilson; Mrs. Augusta Bunde $25.00 for Louisa Richter; Walter Gusso $25.00 for Bert Crandall; Louis C. Kinstad $229.00 for Ole Hanson $26.00, Ole Omodt $45.00, Geo. Manly $35.00, Robt. Wiseman $45.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ole H. Aamodt $43.00; Mrs. Anna Lange $37.42 for Joan & Clarence Tessier Jr.,; Lohrs Rest Home $30.00 for Edith Kinsey; Mrs. Ernest Schmeling $25.00 for Willie Schmeling; S. D. Children's Aid $65.07 for Sharon and Robt. Schreifels; Irene Stockman $45.00 for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $60.00 for David Bright; Watertown Rest Home $70.93 for Sadie Stevens $35.00, Louis Mourere $35.93; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00 for Rosa Dixon $15.00, Sarah Black $10.00; Chamberlain Clinic $35.00 for Betty Vermillion; Community Bailey Hospital $10.00 for Betty Vermillion; Brown Clinic $104.50 for Joseph L. LeTourneau $10.00, Cheryl Clausen, $2.00, Dooks Tiejen $2.00, A. R. Quade $4.50, Cliff Van Sickle $19.50, Mrs. Ellen Cosgrove $8.50, L. D. Hemstock $2.00, Mrs. William Jones $4.00, Allen A. Wangen $52.00; Duffners Drug Store $102.73 for A. R. Quade $4.00, Ellen Cosgrove $9.00, Steve Wisneski $12.30, Ole Hanson $19.90, Wm. Ball $27.00, B. J. Murray $7.80, Marsh Bradfield $10.05, Louis Mourere $3.50, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $8.70, Rose Lenards $.60, Leo Breske $11.29; D. N. Fedt, M.D. $53.00 for Chas. Bierscheid; Haggars Drug Store $161.40 for John Farley $2.44, Cliff VanSickle $29.95, Ed Goeman $22.80, Fern Washtoak $56.15, Frank Cox $12.09, Mildred Taylor $11.25, Mrs. Oscar B. Anderson $14.40, Mrs. Frank Klucas $9.00, Edith Bundy $2.85, Mrs. Anna Christianson $4.80, Philomena Holzemer $7.85, Joseph LeTourneau $5.75; Hollywood Grocery $14.00 for Mrs. Edith Bundy; Kreisers Drug Store $38.70 for Mathilda Blek $2.91, Dooks Tiejen $26.45, Anna Parsley $13.64; Liens Grocery $12.00 for Cora Barto; Math. Gergen & Rhodes Funeral Chapel $12.00 for Donan Phipps $3.00, Sadie Stevens $3.00, Inga Yarns $3.00, Dooks Tiejen $3.00; Memorial Hospital $1139.16 for Hugo Arthur Dove $132.24, Wm. Kyle $15.00, Fannie Baker $202.30, Donan Phipps $119.82, G. O. Wigdahl $8.55, Peter Conley $197.55, Anna Parsley $85.95, Harold E. Berg $126.15, Mrs. Frank Klucas $61.20, Alfred Vick $15.00, Inga Yarns $188.90; Shaw-Messer Ambulance Service $165.00 for Ole Aamodt $12.00, Henry J. Webb Sr. $3.00, Henry Jamison $150.00; O. P. Skaggs Store $15.00 for Arthur Larson; Spies Super Valu $15.00 for Arthur Larson; St. Ann's Hospital $178.21 for Allen Wangen; Thomes Drug Store $84.43 for Chas. Bierscheid $2.00, Richard Depeel $2.25, Anna Christianson $3.50, Minnie Johnson $37.25, Alfred Vick $30.80, Frank Cox $12.51, Louisa Richter $5.50; Dr. M. C. Thompson $98.00 for David Bright $6.00, Frank Cox $25.00, John Farley $13.00, Minnie Johnson $16.00, Marion Kraft $17.00, Mrs. H. A. Lipelt %.00, Mildred Taylor $8.00, Lena Trumer $8.00; Mrs. Betty Elsing for LeRoy Krapf $45.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY-Floyd E. Knight $170.49; Highway & Bridge-Floyd E. Knight $5144.53; ROAD-City Treasurer $5.39, Harold

Scriver $1.99, N.W. Public Service $4.53, Western Transportation $5.57; C.M.V.-Marquardt's Service $224.65, Reaney's Service $234.38, Baskerville & Dahl Co. $29.00, Butterbrodt Drug $.50, Cave Supply Co. $41.02, Codington Co. Imp. Co. $27.40, Dakota Welding Supply Co. $16.88, Dicks Seat Cover Shop $24.55, Empire Equipment Co. $9.79, Florence Service $25.09, J. P. Foster Co. $51.21, Gooch Sales Co. $4.06, R. E. Hubbard Co. $190.35, International Harvester Co. $90.51, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $10.72, K & Z Service Station $8.00, Koch's Phillips 66 Service $16.89, LaNoues Radiator Shop $4.50, Mahowald Co. $34.22, C. E. McGowan Lbr. Co. $5.29, Motor Supply Co. $13.12, N.W. Road Supply Co. $14.37, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $1.34, Sioux Road Equipment Co. $335.37, Tip Top Tavern $21.80, Watertown Tire Co. $91.31, Williams Hardware Co. $34.97, J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $6,048.00, Thompson Yards $6.19, Watertown Machine Works $27.88, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $23.26, Standard Oil Co. $275.37; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $5,000.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Thompson Yards $26.37, Watertown Machine Works $19.34, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $43.66, Johnson Surplus Store $20.98, Watertown Cement Products $556.70, S. D. Concrete Products Co. $1367.60; CH & B.R.-Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $14.75, Standard Oil Co. $291.73, S. D. Concrete Products Co. $766.68, D. H. McKee $27.27; TEXTBOOK-Educator Supply Co. $798.75, Hammond & Stephens Co. $28.16, Lyons & Carnahan $517.95, Macmillan Co. $239.95, A. N. Palmer Co. $11.24, Scott, Foresman & Co. $943.20; TUITION-Castlewood Ind. Cons. School $315.00, Garden City High School $630.00, Hazel Ind. Cons. $1,478.75, South Shore High School $5,775.00; Wallace Independent $4,410.00, Webster High School $341.25; INSTITUTE-Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $27.78; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $47.67.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the opening of sealed bids to furnish Codington County with a tax computing machine, Chairman Jordeth asked that the County Auditor open and read the bids.

The Burroughs Corporation of the Sioux City, Iowa Branch, submitted the only bid as follows: One M222 Tax Accounting Machine with direct multiplication and multiplying factor to print-$5132.00; less 10% governmental discount, $513.20; net, $4618.00-this price to include one year of free service by a factory trained service man residing in Watertown.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that foregoing bid of the Burroughs Corporation be accepted. The motion carried.

Walter Stegeman appeared before the Board with a petition to change boundaries of Elmira School District #8 and Lake District #73 as follows: The Boundaries of Elmira District No. 8 to exclude the North 20 rods of the South 40 Rods of the West 40 Rds. in the NW$\frac{1}{4}$ Section 24-117-53, and the boundaries of Lake school district #73 to include the above described property.

The Board ordered notices of hearing on foregoing petition to be mailed to the Board members of said school districts Nos. 8 and 73 and fixed the time of hearing on said petition at 10:00 A. M. Sept. 15, 1953 in the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House.

Monthly statements for August, 1953 were checked and approved as follows: State Sanatarium for Tuberculosis at Sanitor, S. D., $221.65; Redfield State Hospital, $545.16; Yankton State Hospital, $1909.83.

The County Weed Supervisor's monthly report for August, 1953 was noted by the Board.

The use of the Community Room for public meetings was discussed. It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that Fromke be appointed as contact man for the Board regarding the use of the Community Room. Motion carried.

On motion by Skinner and second by Fromke the Board approved a service maintenance agreement with the Otis Elevator Co. of Aberdeen for servicing the Court House elevator at a cost of $21.00 per month.

The application of Lawrence Jankord for a compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes plus penalties and interest in the amount of $125.44 for a payment of $64.11 was approved by the Board on a motion by Keenan and second by Belk.

Pursuant to agreement as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of Sept. 1, 1953, the Board recessed at noon and left at 1:30 P. M. to inspect the site of the proposed spillway between Rauville and Germantown Twps.

The Board returned at 3:30 P. M. but made no recommendations regarding said spillway.

Floyd E. Knight, road contractor, appeared before the Board regarding settlement for his work on three miles of road in Dexter Twp.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that Knight's claim of $5,315.02 be allowed as payment in full for building three miles of road in Dexter Twp. Motion carried.

The Board authorized an extension telephone in the back room of the Register of Deeds office.

Pursuant to Section 12.2003 SDC 1939 and amendments thereto, the business of adopting the annual budget for the calendar year, 1954, came before the Board at this time. The provisional Budget for 1954 with changes as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of September 1, 1953 was brought before the Board for further study and checking.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Fromke that the 1953 Provisional Budget, with changes as noted, be adopted as the annual budget for the calendar year, 1954. The motion carried.

ANNUAL BUDGET FOR CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA, FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR, JANUARY 1, 1954 TO DECEMBER 31, 1954 AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 12.2003 SDC 1939.

FUNDS	ITEMS	1 ESTIMATED OTHER REVENUE	2 ESTIMATED CASH BALANCE	3 ESTIMATED REAL AND PERS. PROP TAX	4 TOT.ESTD. REV.& BAL. FROM ALL SOURCES	5 ADOPTED BUDGET APPROP. CANNOT EQUAL MORE THAN 95% OF COL. 4
GENERAL FUND						
	Commissioners per diem & Salary					9 400
	Mileage					2 500
	Expense, advertising & printing					6 000
	Convention & research fund					600
	Auditor office expense					2 800
	Election expense					7 000
	Assessors' salaries & supplies					1 800
	Treasurer office expense					2 800
	Delinquent tax expense					4 000
	Tax deed expense					300
	Publishing tax list					3 000
	Clerk of Courts office expense					1 000
	Vital statistics					950
	Register of Deeds office expense					2 500
	Supt. of Schools office expense					1 200
	Travel expense					1 000
	County Institute					500
	Sheriff fees & jailors salary					5 750
	Office expense					300
	Mileage					5 000
	Board of prisoners					2 000
	States Attorney office & steno. expense					300
	Mileage					300
	Courts-jurors, witness fees & court reporter					12 000
	Justice fees					300
	Office expense					300
	Bailiffs					300
	Coroner expense					500
	County Veterans' service office expense & salary					3 500
	Court House maintenance					20 000
	State accountant					500
	Insurance, bond premiums & workmen's comp.					2 400
	Agriculture & home extension					3 800
	County contest & exhibits					200
	Public Welfare office expense					450
	County insanity board	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	500
	Care of poor & Poor Farm-Beverage fund	12 500				54 000
	Board of health					1 000
	Bounties, trees					2 000
	Crow & magpie bounty					100
	Social security					2 400
	Memorial Park					3 000
	Law Library					1 000
	Equipment					8 000
	County moneys & credits tax	5 000				
	Telephone tax outside	3 600				
	Licenses	200				
	Prior tax collections	7 000				
GENERAL FUND TOTALS		28 300	20 000	138 280	186 580	177 250
SALARY FUND						
	Auditor					14 000
	Treasurer					11 000
	Clerk of Courts	3 500				6 000
	Register of Deeds	7 000				8 200
	Superintendent of Schools					6 300
	States Attorney					6 800
	County Judge					3 450
	Municipal Judge					2 400
SALARY FUND TOTALS		10 500		50 715	61 215	58 150
INSANE FUND		1 000		24 264	25 264	24 000
FEEBLE MINDED FUND		500		6 870	7 370	7 000
CUSTER SANATORIUM FUND				3 790	3 790	3 600
COUNTY ROAD FUND-Maintenance				15 790	15 790	15 000
COUNTY ROAD FUND TOTALS				15 790	15 790	15 000
BRIDGE FUND - Maintenance				1 053	1 053	1 000
BRIDGE FUND TOTALS				1 053	1 053	1 000
TOTALS OF FUNDS WITHIN LIMITED LEVY		40 300	20 000	240 762	301 062	286 000
COUNTY HIGHWAY & BRIDGE RESERVE FUND			140 900	32 000	172 900	164 000
SPECIAL BRIDGE FUND			15 000	37 632	52 632	50 000
COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL FUND				31 580	31 580	30 000
WEED CONTROL FUND				3 370	3 370	3 200
OTHER FUNDS NOT LISTED-COUNTY FAIR			8 525	1 370	9 895	9 400
MELETTE MEMORIAL FUND				1 000	1 000	950
TOTALS OF FUNDS OUTSIDE LIMITED LEVY			164 425	106 952	271 377	257 550
COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL TUITION FUND			20 000	78 422	98 422	93 500
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL EQUALIZATION				81 650	81 650	77 567
GRAND TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS SUBJECT TO LEVIES		40 300	204 425	507 786	752 511	714 617
COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE FUND-construction & maintenance						80 000
	County highway superintendent office & salary expense					6 500
	Workmens' compensation					1 600
COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE FUND TOTALS		92 737			92 737	88 100

COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY	36 843		36 843	35 000	
COUNTY HIGHWAY & BRIDGE FUND	28 843	8 000	36 843	35 000	
TEXT BOOK REVOLVING FUND	10 000		10 000	9 500	
SCHOOL LIBRARY FUND	1 580		1 580	1 500	
GRAND TOTAL OF FUNDS NOT SUBJECT TO LEVIES	170 003	8 000	178 003	169 100	
GRAND TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS	210 303	212 425	507 786	930 514	883 717

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
COUNTY OF CODINGTON) SS

WHEREAS, Section 12.2007 South Dakota Code of 1939 provides that the Board of County Commissioners shall prepare each year a Provisional Budget of all the contemplated expenditures and revenues of the County, and all its institutions and agencies for such fiscal year, and

WHEREAS, The Board of County Commissioners did prepare a Provisional Budget and caused same to be published as provided by law, and

WHEREAS, Due and legal notice has been given of the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners for the consideration of such Provisional Budget, and all changes, eliminations and additions have been made thereto.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That such Provisional Budget as amended, and each and all of the purposes, objects, items, schedules, appropriations, amounts, estimates and all matters contained therein as herein set forth shall be approved and adopted as the Annual Budget of Appropriations and expenditures for Codington County, South Dakota and all its institutions and agencies for the calendar year beginning January 1st, 1954 and ending December 31st, 1954, and the same is hereby approved and adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, this 8th day of September, 1953.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA

Einar Jordeth
Chairman

Herb Skinner
Commissioner

Vernon Hozeck
Commissioner

Oscar J Franck
Commissioner

James L Keenan
Commissioner

ATTEST:

Carl H. Bergan
County Auditor

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
COUNTY OF CODINGTON) SS

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles of Main Line and Side Track and the value per mile for the year 1953 of each of the railroads running through or into said County, as fixed by said Commission, to-wit:

COMPANY, LINE OR DIVISION	MAIN LINE NO. OF MILES	SIDE TRACK NO. OF MILES	VALUATION PER MILE MAIN LINE	VALUATION PER MILE SIDE TRACK	VALUATION MAIN LINE	VALUATION SIDE TRACK	TOTAL VALUATION
C&NW-Minn State Line	11.76	.26	6 071	1 480	213 859	385	214 244
Dakota Division	26.36	.52	5 662	1 492	157 673	776	158 449
GREAT NORTHERN							
Watertown to Huron	33.06	.76	6 703	2 161	268 605	1 642	270 247
M & ST. L.							
Pacific Division	16.65	.39	2 835	692	79 948	270	80 218
Northwestern Division	24.19	.53	2 129	692	61 382	367	61 749
C.R.I.&P. Watertown Branch	12.33	.28	3 469	1 137	66 156	318	66 474
Watertown to S. Falls	5.68	.12	4 984	1 096	35 164	132	35 296
TOTAL	130.03	2.86			882 787	3 890	886 677

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
COUNTY OF CODINGTON) SS

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles of Main Line and Side Track and the value per miles for the year 1953 of each of the railroads running through or into said County, as fixed by said Commission.

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of Said County and State, that the number of miles of Main Line and Side Track, shown by the plats of each of said railroads on file in the office of the County Auditor, and the value thereof

in each city, incorporated town, township and school district of Codington County, South Dakota for the year 1953 shall be as follows:

NAME OF TAXING DISTRICTS	MILEAGE MAIN LINE	MILEAGE SIDE TRACK	VALUATION PER MILE MAIN LINE	VALUATION PER MILE SIDE TRACK	VALUATION MAIN LINE	VALUATION SIDE TRACK	TOTAL VALUATION
Watertown, C&NW RY. Minn.	2.14				155 456		155 456
C&NW Dakota Div	2.50				22 068		22 068
Great Northern	2.85				62 709		62 709
M&STL PACIFIC Div.	2.06				38 585		38 585
M&ST.L.N.W. Div.	1.45				6 413		6 413
C.R.I & P.	1.73				29 385		29 385
G.N. Sioux Falls Div.					6 855		6 855
Henry,C&NW Dakota Div.	1.02				6 285		6 285
South Shore,G.N.Huron Branch	1.26				11 844		11 844
Florence,M&STL N.W. Div.	.51				4 972		4 972
Wallace M&STL N.W. Div.	.50				3 734		3 734
Kranzburg,C&NW Minn. Line	6.09	.26	6 071	1 480	36 973	385	37 358
Kransburg, C.R.I & P	7.04	.28	3 469	1 137	24 422	318	24 740
Sheridan,C&NW Dakota Div.	6.71	.23	5 662	1 492	37 991	343	38 334
Sheridan, C.R.I & P.	2.30		3 469		7 979		7 979
Pelican,C&NW, Dakota Div.	4.58		5 662		25 933		25 933
Pelican,GN, Huron Branch	7.25		6 703		48 596		48 596
Pelican,GN, S. Falls Branch	5.68	.12	4 984	1 096	28 309	132	28 441
Kampeska,C&NW DAKOTA Div.	6.09	.29	5 662	1 492	34 482	433	34 915
Kampeska,GN, HURON Branch	2.69	.38	6 703	2 661	18 031	821	18 852
Henry, C&NW, Dakota Div.	4.92		5 662		27 857		27 857
Elmira, C&NW, Minn Line	3.53		6 071		21 430		21 430
Elmira, C.R.I & P.	1.26		3 469		4 370		4 370
Elmira, M&ST L, Pacific Div.	6.15		2 835		17 435		17 435
Elmira, GN, Huron Branch	2.25		6 703		15 082		15 082
Lake,C&NW, Dakota Div.	.54		5 662		3 057		3 057
Lake, GN, Huron Branch	1.77		6 703		11 864		11 864
Lake, M&STL, NW Div.	6.52	.52	2 129	692	13 881	360	14 241
Waverly,MSTL, Pacific Div.	8.44	.39	2 835	692	23 928	270	24 198
Waverly, GN, Huron Branch	.90		6 703		6 033		6 033
Rauville,GN, Huron Branch	7.74	.38	6 703	2 161	51 882	821	52 703
Fuller,M&STL, N.W. Div.	7.69		2 129		16 372		16 372
Leola, GN, Huron Branch	6.35		6 703		42 564		42 564
Dexter, M&STL, N.W. Div.	1.93		2 129		4 109		4 109
Eden, M&STL, N.W. Div.	5.59	.01	2 129	692	11 901	07	11 908
TOTAL	130.03	2.86			882 787	3 890	886 677

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
) SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles of Main Line and Side Track and the value per mile for the year 1953 of each of the railroads running through or into said County, as fixed by said Commission.

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State, that the number of miles of Main Line and Side Track, shown by the plats of each of said railroads on file in the office of the County Auditor, and the value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township and school district of Codington County, South Dakota, for the year 1953 shall be as follows:

SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER	MILEAGE MAIN LINE	MILEAGE SIDE TRACK	VALUE PER MILE MAIN LINE	VALUE PER MILE SIDE TRACK	VALUATION MAIN LINE	VALUATION SIDE TRACK	TOTAL VALUATION
Watertown	13.22				324 245		324 245
Ind. 27, C&NW Dakota Div	3.44		5 662		19 987		19 987
Ind. 28, M&STL, N.W. Div	3.51		2 129		11 359		11 359
Ind. 38, GN, Huron Branch	2.38		6 703		19 351		19 351
Wallace Ind.M&STL,N.W. Div.	2.03	.01	2 129	692	6 991	07	6 998
W.C.1, M&STL, N.W. Div.	6.60		6 703		44 240		44 240
W.C. 1, GN, Huron Branch	6.62	.39	2 835	692	18 768	270	19 038
No. 2, Gettysburg	4.65		5 662		26 329		26 329
3, M&STL, N.W. Div.	3.96		2 129		8 431		8 431
4, C&NW, Dakota Div.	.33	.07	5 662	1 492	1 868	104	1 972
5, C&NW, Minn. State	3.04	.26	6 071	1 480	18 456	385	18 841
5, C.R.I. & P.	4.32	.28	3 469	1 137	14 986	318	15 304
7, GN, Sioux Falls Branch	5.68	.12	4 984	1 096	28 309	132	28 441
7, GN, Huron Branch	3.62		6 703		24 264		24 264
8, GN, Huron Branch	4.02		6 703		26 946		26 946
9, C&NW, Dakota Div.	3.58		5 662		20 270		20 270
10, M&STL, N.W. Div.	.65		2 129		1 384		1 384
13, GN, Huron Branch	3.20	.38	6 703	2 161	21 450	821	22 271
14, M&STL, Pacific Div.	5.26		2 835		14 912		14 912
16, C&NW,Minn. Line	2.01		6 071		12 203		12 203
17, C&NW, Minn. Line	3.53		6 071		21 430		21 430
17, C.R.I. & P.	3.56		3 469		12 349		12 349
17, C&NW, Dakota Div.	2.24		5 662		12 683		12 683
24, Watertown, Gettysburg	2.98	.29	5 662	1 492	16 873	433	17 306
25, GN, Huron Branch	2.69	.38	6 703	2 161	18 031	821	18 852
29, Watertown, Gettysburg	2.50		5 662		14 155		14 155

36, GN, Huron Branch	2.88		6 703		19 305		19 305
39, GN, Huron Branch	3.63		6 703		24 332		24 332
41, M&STL, N.W. Div.	1.17		2 129		2 491		2 491
43, M&STL, N.W. Div.	1.49		2 129		3 172		3 172
46, M&STL, N.W. Div.	3.08		2 129		6 557		6 557
51, M&STL, N.W. Div.	3.77		2 129		8 027		8 027
52, C.R.I.& P.	2.72		3 469		9436		9 436
63, M&STL, Pacific Div.	2.71		2 835		7 683		7 683
64, C&NW, Minn. Line	1.04		6 071		6 314		6 314
66, C&NW, Dakota Div.	3.65	.16	5 662	1 492	20 666	239	20 905
67, GN, HURON Branch	1.19		6 703		7 977		7 977
73, M&STL, N.W. Div.	3.08	.52	2 129	692	6 557	360	6 917
TOTALS	130.03	2.86			882 787	3 890	886 677

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 8th day of September, 1953.

Erna Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles and total valuation for the year 1953 of each of the Pipeline Companies running through or into said County, as fixed by said Commission, to-wit:

NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	11.09	144 840

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State that the number of miles of Pipeline Companies, shown by the plats of each said pipeline company on file in the office of the County Auditor, and value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township, and school district of Codington County, South Dakota, for the year 1953 be as follows:

TAXING DISTRICT	NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Kranzburg	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	6.69	14 050
Sheridan	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	4.40	130 790
		11.09	144 840

SCHOOL DISTRICT	NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
1	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	.51	122 620
11	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	2.05	4 310
12	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	3.91	8 210
17	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	3.34	7 010
52	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	1.28	2 690
		11.09	144 840

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 8th day of September, 1953.

Erna Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of Miles and total valuation for the year 1953 of each of the Electric Light or Power Companies running through or into said county, as fixed by said Commission, to-wit:

NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Northwest Public Service Co.	67.50	110 908
Otter Tail Power Co.	3.25	5 688

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State that the number of miles of Electric Light and Power Companies, shown by the plats of each Electric Light and Power Company on file in the office of the County Auditor, and value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township and school district of Codington County, South Dakota, for the year 1953 be as follows:

TAXING DISTRICT	NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Watertown	Northwest Public Service Co.	2.3	22 650
South Shore	Otter Tail Power Co.	1.7	4 763
Florence	Northwest Public Service Co.		4 950
Henry	Northwest Public Service Co.		5 600
Wallace	Northwest Public Service Co.		3 400
Kranzburg	Northwest Public Service Co.	8.	8 379
Kampeska	Northwest Public Service Co.	13.	11 633
Henry Twp.	Northwest Public Service Co.	12.	12 295
Elmira	Northwest Public Service Co.	10.5	6 836
Lake	Northwest Public Service Co.	12.	26 500
Richland	Northwest Public Service Co.	1.	753
Fuller	Northwest Public Service Co.	.5	390
Leola	Otter Tail Power Co.	1.55	925
Dexter	Northwest Public Service Co.	4.	2 830
Eden	Northwest Public Service Co.	6.5	4 692
		TOTAL	116 596

SCHOOL DISTRICT	NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Watertown	Northwest Public Service	3.3	23 301
South Shore Ind.	Otter Tail Power Co.	3.25	5 688
Wallace Ind.	Northwest Public Service	4.	6 287
Florence Ind.	Northwest Public Service	3.5	7 463
Henry Ind.	Northwest Public Service	6.5	12 260
No. 2	Northwest Public Service	4.5	9 938
No. 3	Northwest Public Service	2.	4 417
No. 5	Northwest Public Service	5.	6 400
No. 6	Northwest Public Service	1.	753
No. 9	Northwest Public Service	9.	7 188
No. 16	Northwest Public Service	2.	1 320
No. 17	Northwest Public Service	9.5	6 185
No. 24	Northwest Public Service	1.	2 759
No. 25	Northwest Public Service	4.	3 895
No. 29	Northwest Public Service	2.5	2 561
No. 44	Northwest Public Service	3.5	7 728
No. 51	Northwest Public Service	3.5	2 512
No. 54	Northwest Public Service	3.	3 074
No. 64	Northwest Public Service	1.	659
No. 73	Northwest Public Service	1.	2 208
		TOTAL	116 596

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 8th day of September, 1953.

Einar Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. Sept. 15, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
Sept. 15, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Catherine Stadfeldt $25.10, Sam Osbeck $10.20, Jess Vincent $5.10, Ray Makepeace $5.00, Hilda Dahle $5.10, Jos. Roethler $25.10, Irwin Ault $10.10, Bert Kerner $5.10; Postmaster $448.48; ROAD-Postmaster $3.41; County Spec. Highway-Nick Martin $1762.68; Highway & Bridge-Nick Martin $687.32.

The hearing on a petition to change boundaries of School Districts No. 8 and 73, as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of Sept. 8, 1953, came before the Board at this time.

Muriel Hoover, County Superintendent of Schools, James Freeland, Sr., a resident of District #73, and Harold Boyer, one of the school board members of Dist. #73, appeared before the County Board for said hearing.

James Freeland stated to the Board that he opposed the change which would bring more school children into Dist. #73 for the reason that said District is not operating a school, and the revenue derived from taxes on the property added would not compensate for the additional cost of tuition and transportation incurred by said Dist. #73 in bringing more school children into the district. He also stated that the approval of this petition might encourage others to bring in similar petitions.

Harold Boyer stated to the Board that in his opinion the additional cost to Dist. #73 would be negligible and in view of the distance and road conditions to Dist. #8, the petition should be granted. Miss Hoover was also in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioners.

After some discussion, it was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk, that the petition be granted, thereby transferring the North 20 rds. of the South 40 rds. of the West 40 rds. in the NW¼ Section 24-117-53 from Elmira School District #8 to Lake School District #73. The motion carried.

Ardell Goodroad appeared before the Board regarding county aid liens filed against him. It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Belk that in view of the evidence presented, the Board would accept $20.00 as a compromise settlement in full for liens numbered 6524, 6957 and 7590 in the total amount of $80.95. The motion carried.

L. C. Lausen, member of the Rauville Twp. Board of Supervisors, appeared before the County Board to request financial aid from Codington County in building a spillway on the section line between Rauville and Germantown Twps. Mr. Lausen reported that he had contacted the Germantown Board of Supervisors who were not in favor of sharing the cost of building the spillway for the reason of a previous agreement between the two townships whereby Germantown Twp. had agreed to assume all road costs on the five miles between the two townships east of Highway No. 81, and Rauville Twp. had agreed to assume the costs on the three miles west of Highway No. 81.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that Codington County allow $985.00 on the cost of building forementioned spillway between Rauville and Germantown Twps., between Section 22 in Germantown Twp. and Section 27 in Rauville Twp., all in the Sisseton-Wahpeton Indian Reservation, with the stipulation that said spillway must have a top width of at least 18 feet. The motion carried.

Pete Jorgensen, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Lake Twp., appeared before the County Board to discuss road matters. No action was taken.

L. L. Blake and Andrew Foley appeared before the Board regarding county aid liens of Hugh Davis, deceased, and Sarah Davis. No action was taken pending formal application.

Tax Collector, Jim Nelson, and George Moss appeared before the Board regarding delinquent personal property taxes of Mr. Moss. No action was taken.

The application of Albert DeVille for partial release of liens of Charles Sharp of Watertown, in-so-far as said liens pertain to property described as the NW¼ of Section 28-118-51 was approved by the Board on a motion by Skinner and second by Keenan for the reason that the Charles O. Sharp who conveyed above described property is not the same Charles Sharp against whom the liens are filed.

The Clerk of Courts statement of fees collected during August, 1953 in the amount of $227.55 was approved by the Board.

The Board concurred with the City Council of Watertown in approving the application of Mrs. Ruth Bard for abatement of 1952 school poll tax of Mrs. Ella Hagna in the amount of $1.00 for the reason that Mrs. Hagna was not a resident of Codington County at the time of this assessment.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved by the Board as follows: Jim Henning, Albert Erickson and Mrs. Harry Kucker, $4.00 each.

Tree bounty applications were approved on a motion by Keenan and second by Belk as follows: Mrs. Wencel Lindner, $11.00; Calvin Kucker, $18.50; Thomas Lindner, $10.00; Martin Cordell, $45.00; Alfred C. Briggs, $16.25; Hanten Bros., $13.00; Chas. Cook, Jr., $7.00; Lester Schacht, $36.00; Mark N. Mack, $8.00; Sheldon Little, $10.00; David Little, $7.50; Paul Kingslien, $19.50; Orville Kingslien, $10.50; Wilfred Kranz, $21.50; Delia Kranz, $7.50; John M. Fischer, $15.00; Ralph Raml, $7.50; Frank Hupf, $3.75; Anton Dupont, $5.00; John P. Stricherz, $12.00; Leo Mack, $7.50; Geahart Albrecht, $8.50; Joseph Fischer, $15.00; Charles Phelps, $7.50; Harry Voelsch, $26.25; Vernon E. Reichling, $50.00; Herman DeWall, $17.00; James Jellis, $26.65; H. J. Bartron, Jr., $28.00; Edward G. Fox, $21.25; Robert Redlin, $30.00; Maurice Borns, $7.50; Swen Overland, $13.50; Erickson Bros., $28.50; Ragna M. Gooch, $50.00; Albert Sturm, $7.50; Edward Becking, $6.25; Amanda Knutson, $5.00; Floyd A. Thacker, $33.25; Milo Elshere, $11.00; Fred W. Beskow, $12.25; Joe Becking, $9.00; Russell Schwinger, $33.50; Willie Schmeling, $28.50; O. P. Ronning, $18.75; Clinton Halse, $8.00; H. J. Henrichs, $32.50; Robert Zick, $7.50; Sig Gran, $7.00; Lyle E. Ward, $8.50; Lawrence Hagen, $5.00; Myer Hagen, $5.00; Elmer Redlin, Jr., $16.00; Alvin Redlin, $17.50; Leo J. Popham $6.25; Otto N. Adolphsen, $17.50; Elmer Pardau, $11.25; Chester Lohr, $15.00; Orville Noeldner, $27.50; Morris Noeldner, $15.50; Helmuth Noeldner, $5.00; Harold LaFramboise, $10.00; Edwin O. Noeldner, $9.00; Meyer Bros., $35.00; John DeBerg, $13.75; Harold Redlin, $15.00; Levi Kannas, $34.25; Walter McClung, $20.00; Max J. Coplan, $36.25; Owen Barr, $5.00; Oscar Wilson, $5.50; Emil Lura, $6.50; Charles Darling, $12.50; Elmer Gutgesell, $5.00; Lloyd Stark, $12.50; George Engler, $9.00; Earling Johnson, $16.25.

On motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. September 22, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
Sept. 22, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Northwestern Bell Tel. Co. $301.49, Dan Shenk $7.60; States Attorney Office Expense-Railway Express Co. $1.97; Court Expense-Dan Shenk $13.60, Mrs. Helen Anderson, $5.10, Mark

Wilkey $5.10, Mae McKay $5.10, Al Freeseman $61.20, Bartron Clinic $7.50, Cliff Englund $124.00, Olive Skinner $5.10, Ida Spooner $5.10, Gordon C. Pickert $10.10, Vernon Kranz $5.10, Mrs. Blair Tessier $20.10, Peder Sonstebo $36.00, Alma Solberg $5.10, Elsie Lokke $5.10, Mrs. Lester Purcell $5.50, Mabel L. Durkee $54.50, Paul Cheatham $20.10; Poor-Medical Arts Clinic $287.00 for Donan Phipps $43.00, Inga Yarns $30.00, Mrs. Chas. Montney $12.00, Susanna Hegg $4.00, Mayme Tribitt $9.00, Ola Hanson $8.00, L. Mourere $3.00, Anna Christianson $3.00, Wayne Krueger $29.00, Mrs. Frank Klucas $24.00, Fannie Baker $30.00, Fern Washtoak $33.00, Philomena Holzemer $20.00, Ed Goeman $22.00, Steve Wisneski $17.00; Mrs. Doris L. May $7.88; Mileage-Cliff Englund $584.10; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $174.40; Sheriffs Fees-Cliff Englund $159.32; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $58.90, Oscar J. Fromke $110.10, Einar Jordeth $100.66, James L. Keenan $74.15, Herb Skinner $77.30; ROAD-Railway Express Co. $2.01.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the opening of sealed bids for grading approximately 500 ft. more than one mile of road in Codington County between Richland and Graceland Twps., Chairman Jordeth requested that the County Auditor read the "Notice to Bidders" as published in the official county newspapers preliminary to opening the bids.

Bids were submitted by Nick Martin and Floyd E. Knight, both of Webster, S. D. Martin bid $4,675.60; Knight bid $4,820.56. The Board explained to the bidders that this road must be built according to state highway specifications, to which bidders agreed.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the lower bid of Nick Martin be accepted at $4,675.60, and that the certified check of the unsuccessful bidder be returned. The motion carried.

Thor Peterson, of the Universal Improvement Co., appeared before the Board regarding repairing and weather stripping the Court House windows.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Fromke that said Universal Improvement Co. be authorized to repair and weather strip the Court House windows as necessary. Motion carried.

The Board authorized repairing of the jail roof and plastering on the second floor of the jail by the Universal Improvement Co. for a total cost of $135.00.

The quarterly report of Justice of the Peace, Joe Strom, for the quarter ending Sept. 30, 1953 was checked and approved by the Board.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that the heads of the County offices be authorized to attend the 39th Annual Convention of the State Association of County Commissioners, County Officers, Highway Superintendents and State Highway officials of South Dakota September 24, 25 and 26, 1953 at Aberdeen, S. D., with expenses paid as provided in Section 12.1913, Chapter 25 of the 1953 S. D. Session Laws.

John Hanten appeared before the Board regarding county aid liens of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jankord in the amount of $199.00.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Belk that the Board accept a payment of $87.25, which was the total amount of the liens against Lawrence Jankord, as a compromise settlement in full for liens of both Mr. & Mrs. Jankord, said liens to be released only when payment of the $87.25 has been tendered. The motion carried.

The Board recessed at noon and left at 1:30 P.M. to inspect a road project in Henry Twp. The Board returned at 4:00 P. M.

Dwight Morrow of the Soil Conservation Office appeared before the Board to request storage in the Court House for some equipment and files of said office. The Board authorized storage space as requested.

A petition submitted by Lester Schull to add to the County Highway System approximately one mile of section line highway described as 66 ft. in width lying along the section line between the W½ of Sections 19 and 30 in Twp. 117-R52 and lying between the section line boundary between the N½ of Sections 25 and 30 in said Twp. 117, R52, was presented to the Board at this time.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that foregoing petition be filed pending public hearing on same. The motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. Sept. 29, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
Sept. 29, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Ray Johnson $5.10, Morris Russell $10.10, Ida Kuhn $10.20, Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Katherine Downs $25.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00, Maurice McGrann $25.10, Cecelia M. Bierne $55.34, Hazel Hegarty $120.00, Eleanor Holt $35.00, Mrs. Harold Evans $5.10; Court House Maintenance-Carl Deal $175.00, Ed Gould $5.50, John Strait $4.75, L. Roethler $4.50, Chris Engels $4.50, Curtis Underwood $4.75; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Harry Roberts $100.00, Irene Roberts $50.00, Ed Gould $5.50, John Strait $5.70, Fred Brownell $4.75, Leo Clausen $4.75, L. Roethler $4.50, Chris Engels $4.50, Curtis Underwood $4.75; County Farm Mileage-Harry Roberts $15.00; Memorial Park-Arnold Hoftiezer $100.00, Bess Hoftiezer $100.00; Per Deim, Mileage & Salary-Vernon H. Belk $91.10, Oscar J. Fromke $83.40, Einar Jordeth $85.08, James L. Keenan $70.60, Herb Skinner $82.21;

SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Dorothy Below $210.00, Irma Welch $190.00, Pearl Bergan $180.00, Alice Olson $150.00; County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00, Alma Gerberding $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68, Harriett Horning $205.00, Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $183.75, Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge $200.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-Lars G. Larson $325.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $175.00, Sever Tobiason $200.00, Bert Smith $20.00, J. P. Haug $283.50, Joe Stricherz $220.28, John Rennie $232.06, C. B. Sumner $297.15, Harold Scriver $270.90, Ed Gould $55.05, James Hendren $14.67, Howard Williams $16.06, Alfred Spring $18.65, Carl Zweig Jr. $16.15, John Strait $58.85, Clarence Helle $9.54, L. Roethler $48.65, Chris Engels $37.55, Curtis Underwood $48.40, Ed Brekke $38.00, E. W. Spearbeck $15.60, Nick Martin $5,220.00, Elmer Zweig $2,731.14; C.H. & B.R.-Joe Stricherz $84.00, John Rennie $18.90, Ed Gould $187.00, James Hendren $298.95, Howard Williams $264.00, Alfred Spring $247.20, Carl Zweig Jr. $249.70, John Strait $162.45, Fred Brownell $204.52, Leo Clausen $247.90, Clarence Helle $209.30, L. Roethler $153.00, Chris Engels $153.00, Custis Underwood $166.25, Raymond E. Riley $28.60, E. W. Spearbeck $197.50; Special Bridge-Ed Gould $29.70, John Strait $20.90, L. Roethler $24.30, Chris Engels $24.30, Curtis Underwood $20.90, E. W. Spearbeck $10.50.

The application of Mrs. Olive Patterson for compromise settlement of county aid liens in the amount of $102.26 for a payment of $60.00 was approved on a motion by Fromke and second by Skinner.

The application of Mrs. Edward Coyle for compromise settlement of county aid liens of Edward and Marion Coyle in the amount of $92.90 for a payment of $46.45 was approved by the Board on a motion by Skinner and second by Fromke.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: O. K. Anderson, Joe Comes, Walter Schmidt, Mrs. Norman Stoltenberg, Leon Flanagan and Jacob DeBerg, $4.00 each; Clarence Bauer, $8.00.

H. H. Redlinger, of the Redlinger Bros. Plumbing and Heating Co., appeared before the Board to report on the condition of the heating plant at the County Farm. Mr. Redlinger informed the Board that the boiler at the plant was in bad condition and should be replaced but that he had patched it up temporarily in such a way that it could be expected to run another season.

County Commissioners, William Meyer, Eugene Sullivan, and Ben Brinker, and Highway Superintendent, William Campbell, all of McCook County, appeared before the Board for information on the "Front-end Loader" recently purchased by Codington County.

Nick Martin, road contractor, appeared before the Board with his claim for road building in Henry Twp.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that Martin's claim in the amount of $5,220.00 as final payment for the building of three miles of county road in Henry Twp. be approved. The motion carried.

The application of Sidney L. Ward for a compromise settlement of county aid liens in the amount of $101.40 for a payment of $75.00 was approved on a motion by Skinner and second by Keenan.

The Board adjourned at 4:30 P. M. till 10:00 A. M. October 2, 1953, after which they went out to Memorial Park to make the necessary arrangements for closing same for the 1953 season.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. Dak.
Oct. 2, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Petitions for adding section line roads to the County Highway System were brought before the Board for further study and checking, before making final recommendations to the State Highway Commission as to which of the roads so petitioned should be added to the County System. Only petitions on which public hearings have been held and committee inspections have been made were considered at this time as follows:

No. 1 - In Kranzburg and Waverly Twps.: "Beginning on the NW Corner of Sec. 36-118-51 in Waverly Twp., thence south four miles to the SW Corner of Sec. 13-117-51 in Kranzburg Twp."
No. 2 - In Leola Twp.: "Beginning on the NE Corner of Sec. 6-119-51, thence south three miles to the SE Corner of Sec. 18-119-51."
No. 3 - In Leola Twp.: "Beginning at the SW Corner of Sec. 2-119-51, thence east two miles to the SE Corner of Sec. 1-119-51."
No. 4 - In Fuller Twp.: "Beginning on the NW Corner of Sec. 33-118-54, thence east a little more than three miles to connect with S. D. Highway No. 20 in Fuller Twp." Your petitioners further agree that the two miles of road described as follows, to wit: "Beginning on the NW Corner of Sec. 28-118-54, thence two miles east to the NE Corner of Sec. 27-118-54, in Fuller Twp. is to be abandoned as a County road."
No. 5 - In Lake and Fuller Twps.: "Beginning at the Overhead in the NE Corner of Sec. 8-117-53 in Lake Twp., thence about 3¼ miles north to the NE Corner of Sec. 29-118-53 in Fuller Twp., thence west a little more than four miles to intersect with State Highway No. 20 in Fuller Twp."
No. 6 - In Eden Twp.: "Beginning on the SW Corner of Sec. 5-119-55, thence five miles east to the SE Corner of Sec. 1-119-55."

The Board acted on foregoing petitions as follows: It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that Petition No. 1 be rejected. The motion carried.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Belk that Petition No. 2 be recommended for approval by the State Highway Commission. Motion Carried.

Moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that Petition No. 3 be recommended for approval by the State Highway Commission. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that Petition No. 4 be recommended for approval by the State Highway Commission. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that Petition No. 5 be recommended for approval by the State Highway Commission. Motion carried.

Moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that Petition No. 6 be recommended for approval by the State Highway Commission. Motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. October 6, 1953.

Carl F. Borgan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. Dak.
Oct. 6, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Virgil Eclov $10.10, Al Drenkow $5.70, Carl F. Schreiber $45.10, Tom Wayne $5.10, Henry Zeller $10.20; Poor-Bartron Hospital $739.21 for Lorence Albrecht $94.86, Mrs. Cora Barto $36.93, Hazel S. Black $89.24, Henry Jamison $63.70, Mrs. James Kinon $9.54, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $42.49, Mrs. O. A. Olson $77.89, Sadie Stevens $106.21, Henry Webb Sr. $30.41, Mrs. Carrie Hanson $37.77, Mrs. Florence Williams $150.17; Bartron Clinic $442.42 for Lorence Albrecht $46.31, Mrs. Cora Barto $19.02, Ben Bergerson $4.08, Hazel Black $25.00, Harry Freeseman $2.77, Henry T. Jamison $24.00, Mrs. James Kinon $9.02, Rosie Lenards $4.85, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $13.50, B. J. Murray $12.03, Mrs. O. A. Olson $34.65, Sadie Stevens $26.00, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $26.07, Henry Webb Sr. $10.00, Ole Aamodt $5.80, Rena Ackerman $75.00, Mrs. Carrie Hanson $16.00, Mrs. Emma Jenkins $6.84, Mrs. Nellie Jensen $7.20, Frank Ketzinger $16.52, Andrew Westrum $5.96, Edgar Wight $8.80, Mrs. Florence Williams $43.00; Tree Bounty-Otto M. Adolphsen $17.50, Gaehart Albrecht $8.50, Owen Barr $5.00, H. J. Bartron Jr. $28.00, Edward Becking $6.25, Joe Becking $9.00, Fred W. Beskow $12.25, Maurice Borns $7.50, Alfred C. Briggs $16.25, Chas. Cook Jr. $7.00, Max J. Coplan $36.25, Martin Cordell $45.00, Charles Darling $12.50, John DeBerg $13.75, Herman DeWall $17.00, Anton Dupont $5.00, Milo Elshere $11.00, George Engler $9.00, Erickson Bros. $28.50, John M. Fishcher $15.00, Joseph Fishcer $15.00, Edward G. Fox $21.25, Ragna M. Gooch $50.00, Sig Gran $7.00, Elmer Gutgesell $5.00, Lawrence Hagen $5.00, Myer Hagen $5.00, Clinton Halse $8.00, Hanten Bros. $13.00, H. J. Henricks $32.50, Frank Hupf $3.75, James Jellis $26.65, Earling Johnson $16.25, Levi Kannas $34.25, Orville Kingslien $10.50, Paul Kingslien $19.50, Amanda Knutson $5.00, Delia Kranz $7.50, Wilfred Kranz $21.50, Calvin Kucker $18.50, Harold LaFramboise $10.00, Thomas Lindner $10.00, Mrs. Wencel Lindner $11.00, David Little $7.50, Sheldon Little $10.00, Chester Lohr $15.00, Emil Lura $6.50, Walter McClung $20.00, Leo Mack $7.50, Mark N. Mack $8.00, Meyer Bros. $35.00, Edwin O. Noeldner $9.00, Helmuth Noeldner $5.00, Morris Noeldner $15.50, Orville Noeldner $27.50, Swen Overland $13.50, Elmer Pardau $11.25, Charles Phelps $7.50, Leo J. Popham $6.25, Ralph Raml $7.50, Alvin Redlin $17.50, Elmer Redlin Jr. $16.00, Harold Redlin $15.00, Robert Redlin $30.00, Vernon E. Reichling $50.00, O. P. Ronning $18.75, Lester Schacht $36.00, Willie Schmeling $12.50, Willie Schmeling $16.00, Russell Schwinger $21.50, Russell Schwinger $12.00, Lloyd Stark $12.50, John P. Stricherz $12.00, Albert Sturm $7.50, Floyd A. Thacker $33.25, Harry Voelsch $26.25, Lyle E. Ward $8.50, Oscar Wilson $5.50, Robert Zick $7.50; C.H. & B.R.-Howard Williams $43.34.

Minutes of meetings of Sept. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 and Oct. 2, 1953 were approved by the Board.

Mr. & Mrs. Chris Eliason appeared before the Board for information as to the duties of the Caretaker of the County Farm.

The County Veteran's Service office report for September, 1953 was noted by the Board.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gebur appeared before the Board on matters pertaining to property settlement and county aid liens of N. T. Nelson, a patient in a local hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Patterson appeared before the Board regarding additional county aid liens of Bud Patterson which had been overlooked when the statement of liens as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of September 29 had been prepared. The additional liens were in the amount of $119.35.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that above noted additional liens be included in the original application for compromise settlement on September 29, 1953, and that all liens of Bud Patterson in the total amount of $221.61 be declared satisfied for the payment of $60.00. The motion carried.

Henry and Pearl Klemsrud, husband and wife, appeared before the Board to apply for the position of caretaker of the County Farm, which position will be vacant November 1, 1953 on the resignation of Harry Roberts, present County Farm Superintendent. The Board advised Mr/ Klemsrud that his application would be considered together with others on file and that a decision would be reached by 4:00 P. M. of this date.

Donald Lobitz appeared before the Board to present the application of Norman Wexler for abatement of 1952 personal property taxes of the Wexler Auto Wrecking Co. The Board declined to act on the application until same had been acted on by the City Council.

At 4:00 P. M. Henry Klemsrud reappeared before the Board on the matter of the County Farm. It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Belk that Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klemsrud be employed as caretakers of the County Farm beginning October 26, 1953 through December 31, 1954 with a salary of $150.00 per month. The motion carried.

APPRAISAL OF LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING TO BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, deems it advisable to sell the real property hereinafter described, acquired by said county by tax deed, and said Board of County Commissioners has directed that such real property be offered for sale and that it first be appraised by said board as provided by law,

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, report that they have made a just and fair appraisement of the real property hereinafter described: Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty Two (22) Township, One Hundred Nineteen (119), North, Range Fifty One (51), West of the Fifth P. M. Appraised at $2,400.00.

Amount at which said land is appraised by the Board of County Commissioners $2400.00.

Dated this 6th day of October, 1953.

Emma Forcleth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

Vernon H Belk
County Commissioner

Herb Skinner
County Commissioner

Emma J Fromke
County Commissioner

James L Keenan
County Commissioner

R E S O L U T I O N N O. 183

RESOLUTION DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, the County of Codington in the State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and

WHEREAS said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota, and

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 6th day of October, 1953, at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property, to-wit:

Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty Two (22) Township, One Hundred Nineteen (119), North, Range Fifty One (51), West of the Fifth P. M. Appraised at $2,400.00,

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of said Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota.

Dated this 6th day of October, 1953.

Einar Jordeth
Vernon Belk
Herb Skinner
Oscar J Franck
James P Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota

Attest:
Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

R E S O L U T I O N N O. 184

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $1,536.53 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the third quarter of 1953.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows, to-wit:

Sheridan, Pelican, Kampeska, Elmira, Lake, Richland, Graceland, Phipps, Leola and Eden, $76.83 each; Kranzburg $132.31; Waverly $98.17; Rauville $108.83; Fuller $121.63; and Germantown $102.43; TOTAL $1,331.67

AND WHEREAS, the County Highway System has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following townships:

Henry $76.83 and Dexter $128.03; TOTAL $204.86

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that, said fund apportioned as above set out be held by the County Auditor to pay for completing the County Highway System in the said townships, in the proportion as above provided and pursuant to law, and no part thereof shall be actually paid over to the said townships, provided however, that any amount of the respective allotments to their respective townships not paid over, shall remain unexpended after completing the roads of the County Highway System, shall revert to and be payable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Keenan and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 6th day of October, 1953.

Einar Jordeth Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:
Carl F Bergan
Auditor, Codington County
South Dakota

R E S O L U T I O N N O 184A

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $548.77 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment for the third quarter of 1953.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned among the respective municipalities as follows:

Florence, Henry and South Shore, $30.73 each; Wallace $23.05; Watertown $433.53; TOTAL $548.77

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Keenan and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 6th day of October, 1953.

Einar Jordeth
Einar Jordeth, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:
Carl F. Bergan
Carl F. Bergan, County Auditor

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. October 13, 1953.

Carl E. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. Dak.
Oct. 13, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Jordeth, Keenan, Skinner and Fromke present, Belk absent; Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Irene Goerke $2.10, John Blek $7.50, Ed Ronke $6.50, Cliff Englund $76.94, Ross H. Oviatt $12.71, Bartron Hospital $10.00, Joseph E. Messer $64.10, Watertown Photo News $11.22; Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $20.00 for Mary L. Wilson; Mrs. Augusta Bunde $25.00 for Louisa Richter; Mrs. Annette Burgdorf $59.00 for Mr. & Mrs. Dooks Tiejen; Mrs. Betty Elsing $45.00 for LeRoy Krapf; Walter Gusso $25.00 for Bert Crandall; Louis C. Kinstad $226.00 for Ola Hanson $26.00, Ola Omodt $45.00, Geo. Manley $35.00, Robt. Wiseman $45.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ola Aamodt $40.00; Lohrs Rest Home $30.00 for Edith Kinsey; Mrs. Ernest Schmeling $25.00 for Willie Schmeling; Irene Stockman $45.00 for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $105.00 for David Bright $60.00, Lorence Albrecht $45.00; Watertown Rest Home $72.88 for Louis Mourere, Fannie Baker $42.88; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00 for Rose Dixon $15.00, Sarah Black $10.00; Bauer Grocery $20.00 for Fred Lenards; Bartron Hospital $157.25 for Sadie Stevens $105.15, Mrs. Fred Yato $52.10; Bartron Clinic $122.07 for Mrs. Robt. Corey $4.55, Emma Jenkins $6.86, Rosie Lenards $2.98, Mrs. Joe Lindner $4.85, Frank Metzinger $2.85, B. J. Murray $7.07, Mrs. Celia Karn Painter $3.67, Sadie Stevens $30.00, Mrs. Thos. Black $6.00, Henry Webb Sr. $1.53, Mrs. Leonard Vaughan $4.00, Mrs. Margaret Papka $5.70, Mrs. Fred Yato $35.00, Henry Springer $7.01; Bockoven Bros. $9.35 for Richard DePeel; Brown Clinic $118.00, for Mrs. John Cosgrove $6.50, Dooks Tiejen $13.00, A. R. Quade $6.50, Joseph LeTourneau $18.00, Mrs. Wm. Jones $18.50, Mrs. Harold Berg $35.00, Cliff Van Sickle $20.50; Dr. D. F. Campbell $99.00 for Mr. and Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $8.00, Anna Parsley $20.00, Arthur Dove $30.00, Harry Freeseman $41.00; Clark Medical Clinic $28.75 for Richard DePeel; Codington County Oil Co. $4.33 for Mrs. Mathilda Blek; Council Oak Store $28.00 for Mrs. Helen Henrichs $10.00, Mrs. Merle Lohr $18.00; Duffners Drug Store $132.84 for B. J. Murray $10.20, Steve Wisneski $23.62, A. R. Quade $12.40, Marsh Bradfield $4.95, Mrs. Chas. Montney $13.44, Peter DeMuynck $4.75, Mrs. John Cosgrove $13.00, Ole Hanson $16.40, Ole Omodt $.75, Mrs. Inga Yarns $10.00, Robt. Wiseman $4.83, Wm. Ball $19.50, Louis Mourere $2.25, Leo Breske $11.51; Haggars Drug Store $164.48 for Fern Washtoak $40.40, Cliff Van Sickle $40.75, John Farley $7.20, Mrs. E. Anderson $23.10, Philomena Holzemer $1.65, Mrs. Frank Klucas $13.75, Mildred Taylor $12.40, Frank Cox $14.25, Ed Goeman $9.50, Joseph LeTourneau $19.75; Hollywood Grocery $14.03,for Mrs. Edith Bundy; Hunters Grocery $10.00 for Joyce Christenson; Dr. H. T. Kenney $38.00 for Marsh Bradfield $16.00, Peter Conley $22.00; Kreisers Drug Store $65.40 for Anna Parsley $28.23, Dooks Teijen $29.00, Mathilda Blek $3.07, Donan Phipps $2.00, Ben Scott $10.36; Liens Grocery $24.03 for Mrs. Cora Barto $15.00, Mable Johnson $9.03; Medical Arts Clinic $309.50 for Mrs. Ellen Anderson $18.00, Henry Anderson $21.00, Linda Rae Brockhoff $4.00, Fannie Baker $30.00, Ed Goeman $49.50, Philomena Holzemer $15.00, Frank Klucas $34.00, Wayne Kruegar $31.00, Donan Phipps $2.00, Fern Washtoak $38.00, Steve Wisneski $47.00, Mrs. Inga Yarns $18.00, Ole Hanson $2.00; Memorial Hospital $1694.09 for Ernest Meyer $252.41, Steve Wisneski $50.95, Henry Anderson $97.30, Peter Conley $319.62, Donan Phipps $28.43, Anna Parsley $35.60, Inga Yarns $115.70, Mrs. Otis Olson $108.75, Fannie Baker $148.80, Chas. Bierscheid $152.38, Harry Freeseman $111.28, Susanna Hegg $36.55, N. T. Nelson $220.88, Alfred Vick $25.44; Dr. R. M. Ostrander $30.00 for Myrtle Nelson; J. C. Penney Co. $34.82 for Mrs. Robt. Corey; Shaw-Messer Ambulance $9.00 for Ole Aamodt $6.00, Fannie Baker $3.00; O. P. Skaggs $10.00 for Emma Jensen; South Dakota Childrens Aid $70.51 for Sharon Schreifels $32.21, Robt Schreifels $38.30; Spies Super Valu $15.00 for Arthur Larson; St. Ann's Hospital $188.80 for Mrs. Harold E. Berg $110.64, Mrs. Wm. E. Jones $59.91, Allen Wangen $18.25; Thomes Drug Store $81.81 for Minnie Johnson $33.70, Chas. Bierscheid $2.55, Lena Trumer $8.70, Alfred Vick $30.00, Frank Cox $11.75, Mrs. Anna Christianson $3.00, Richard DePeel $1.20; Dr. M. C. Thompson $104.00 for Frank Cox $28.00, David Bright $3.00, Mildred Taylor $3.00, Miss Marion Kraft $16.00, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $24.00, Mrs. Lena Trumer $6.00, Mrs. Louisa Richter $5.00, John Farley $13.00, Mrs. H. A. Lipelt $6.00; F. R. Trzynka, D.C. $9.00 for Mrs. Edith Bundy $6.00, Mrs. Pete DeMuynck $3.00; Watertown Community Oil Co. $15.60 for Mrs. Arlene Lehr; Dr. Donald N. Fedt $114.00 for Chas. Bierscheid; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $71.70, Oscar J. Fromke $88.76, Einar Jordeth $71.00, James L. Keenan $66.80, Herb Skinner $92.04; Tax Collector-Ole James Nelson $813.81; Sheriffs Fees-Cliff Englund $86.68; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $79.60; Mileage-Cliff Englund $405.35; Veterans Service-Rosella Howey $17.00; County Judge Office Expense-Lenora Lowitz Sweet $14.00; Printing & Advertising-Watertown Public Opinion $273.42; South Shore Gazette $222.60; Henry Independent $222.60; Tree Bounty-Thomas Lindner $40.00; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $4.60; Supt. of Schools Mileage-Muriel Hoover $74.20; Law Library-Bancroft-Whitney Co. $81.00, Lawyers Co-op Publ. Co. $12.50, Shepards Citations Inc. $75.00, County Extension-Clara Johnson $99.09, Fred Morris $99.57, Hodges Badge Co. $28.37; States Attorneys Mileage-Ross H. Oviatt $3.85; Sheriffs Office Expense-Gowins Photo Shop $1.83; County Auditors Office Expense-Dakota Business Machines $44.00, Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. $37.00, Carlsons $4.35, News Printing Co. $27.19; Public Welfare Office Expense $13.95; County Treasurers Office Expense-Mitchell Publ. Co. $80.48; Supt. of Schools Office Expense $4.12; Tax Collecting-Watertown Photo News $39.50; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Midwest-Beach Co. $184.09; Court House Maintenance-Midwest-Beach Co. $25.89, Millers Package Delivery $.70, Chets Bicycle Shop $1.00, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $3.86, Egge Electric Co. $7.09, Hillyard Sale Co. $272.75, Johnson Service Co. $377.22, Luxor Lighting Products Inc. $21.75, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $8.70, Nelson Hardware $80.90, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $234.94, Woodrow Rossow $2.55, Ed E. Schnackenberg $175.00, Universal Improvement Co. $135.00, City Treasurer $270.83, Park grant Co. $9.35, Redlinger Bros. $70.77, United Chemical Co., Inc. $6.51; Memorial Park-Mahowald Co. $1.79, N. W. Public Service Co. $48.07, Millers Package Delivery $3.00; County Farm-General Mills Inc. $2.20, City Treas. $30.74, Park Grant Co. $79.22, Redlinger Bros. $256.13, United Chemical Co. $15.79, Kreisers Drug Store $5.63, Liens Grocery $30.81, Botsford Lbr. Co. $5.56, K-D Inc. $18.67, Paul Kingslien $54.40, Nelson Hardware $2.93, Watertown Co-op Elev. $41.20, Watertown Surplus Store $12.90, Webb Service Station $.75, Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $322.77, Standard Oil Co. $12.98; Court House Maintenance-Reaneys Service $.85; Memorial Park-Reaneys Service $.50; Board of Insanity-Dr. H. T. Kenney $45.00; TEXTBOOKS-News Printing Co. $190.62;

ROAD-City Treas. $5.13, Hayes Lucas Lbr Co. $122.95, Standard Oil Co. $107.10, Algard Machine Shop $1.25, Automotive Supply Co. $2.18, Cave Supply Co. $79.47, Codington County Implement Co. $16.23, Empire Equipment Co. $188.49, J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $161.65, Florence Service $17.46, Gooch Sale Co. $6.14, K. E. Harmon $10.00, Kenneth Hayes $14.13, R. E. Hubbard Co. $81.54, Int. Harvester Co. $86.26, Jakle Hardware $3.92, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $54.21, Kochs Service $22.00, K & Z Service Station $6.46, LaNoues Radiator Shop $42.00, Mahowald Co. $8.37, Marquardts Service $114.16, N. W. Public Service Co. $4.52, Northwestern Road Supply Co. $14.37, Reaneys Service $272.25, Reiters Standard Service $2.75, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $13.03, Sanders Chevrolet Co. $7.22, Harold Scriver $5.27, S. D. State Highway Commission $78.00, Stein Agency $119.34, Tip Top Station $45.44, Watertown Iron & Metal Co. $9.75, Watertown Machine Works $33.68, Watertown Tire Co. $5.05, Western Transportation $2.51, Carl Wiese Machine Shop $6.00, Williams Hardware Co. $33.36; C.H. & B.R.-Standard Oil Co. $634.36, S. D. Concrete Products Co. $1,060.02, Wm. P. Cordell $29.04, Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $17.25, Nick Martin $2,531.75; County Special Hiway (Henry)-Northwestern Road Supply Co. $76.83; Special Bridge-Northwestern Road Supply Co. $65.76, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $17.92, Thompson Yards $1.30, S. D. Concrete Products Co. $284.90; C.M.V.-Ruhe Stationery $.36; TEXTBOOK-Iroquois Publ. Co., Inc. $26.22, Lyons & Carnahan $45.32, McCormick-Mathers Publ. Co. $8.02, Chas. E. Merrill Books $8.18, Scott, Foresmann & Co. $176.15, Wilson Transfer & Storage Co. $1.50, John C. Winston Co. $15.68; TUITION-Goodwin Ind. Cons. School $1,260.00, Henry Ind. School $6,422.50, Thorp Ind. Cons. School $315.00; INSTITUTE-F. B. Decker $50.00, Everett Evans $50.00, Winston Brown $50.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $41.65, Paul David $5.82, Paul David $5.82, Joseph J. Fox $5.68, Joseph J. Fox $5.68, Robt. F. Redlin $6.52,

On motion by Keenan and second by Fromke, predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Samuel Toering, R. H. Aaker, Mrs. Roman Rumpza, R. E. Noeldner and Don DeBerg, $4.00 each; Herman Johnson $8.00; A. F. Hilts $7.50.

The application of Walter Popham for abatement of 1952 personal property taxes in the amount of $72.17 on 29 head of cows of all ages assessed to William Gibson in Phipps Twp., School District #43 was ordered referred back to the Phipps Twp. assessor for his recommendation.

The application of Lester Hanson for a dance license for one night, October 16, 1953, at the C.O.F. Hall at Kranzburg, S. D. was approved by the Board on a motion by Keenan and second by Skinner.

The County Auditor reported the sale of tax deed property as follows: Lots 9 and 10, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown, from Codington County to Richard L. Parish for $20.00.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Belk that Chairman Jordeth be authorized to sign a quit claim deed to above described property from Codington County to Richard L. Parish. The motion carried.

The County Weed Supervisor's monthly report for September, 1953 was noted by the Board.

Statements of fees collected during September, 1953 were checked and approved by the Board as follows: Clerk of Courts, $217.00; Register of Deeds, $563.35.

Commissioner Belk appeared on the Board at 11:45 A. M.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of October 1, 1953 was checked and approved by the Board as follows: Cash, checks and drafts in the Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $17,700.11; Total amount of deposits in banks, $293,310.55; Government bonds, $181,837.33; Total of all items, $492,847.99.

Monthly statements for September, 1953 were checked and approved as follows: State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis at Sanator, S. D., $214.50; Yankton State Hospital, $1791.99; Redfield State Hospital, $556.67.

The application of Garrett Sumner for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes plus penalty and interest in Phipps, Fuller and Germantown Twps. in the amount of $305.48 for a payment of $253.67 was approved by the Board on motion by Fromke and second by Keenan.

R E S O L U T I O N NO. 185

WHEREAS, petitions have been filed asking the Board of County Commissioners to recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that the following described highways in Codington County, South Dakota, be added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, to-wit:

Petition No. 2 - 3.0 miles in Leola Township beginning on the Northeast corner of Sec. 6-119-51 thence south three miles to southeast corner of Sec. 18-119-51.

Petition No. 3 - 2.0 miles in Leola Township, beginning at the Southwest corner of Sec. 2, thence east two miles to the southeast corner of Sec. 1-119-51, west of the 5th P.M.

Petition No. 4 - Approximately 3.5 miles in Fuller Township beginning on the northwest corner of Sec. 33-118-54 thence east to connect with South Dakota Highway No. 20 in Fuller Township.
Your petitioners further agree that the two miles of road described as follows, to-wit: Beginning on the northwest corner of Sec. 28-118-54, thence two miles east to the northeast corner of Sec. 27-118-54, in Fuller Township is to be abandoned as a County road.

Petition No. 5 - Approximately 7½ miles in Lake and Fuller Townships beginning at the Overhead in the northeast corner of Sec. 8-117-53 in Lake Township thence about 3½ miles north to the northeast corner of Sec. 29-118-53 in Fuller Township, thence west a little more than four miles to intersect with State Highway No. 20 in Fuller Township.

Petition No. 6 - 5.0 miles in Eden Township beginning on the southwest corner of Sec. 5-119-55, thence five miles east to the southeast corner of Sec. 1-119-55. None of which are within the limits of any city or incorporated town within said County and State.

AND WHEREAS, the necessary hearings and inspections have been had as provided by law,

AND WHEREAS, it appears to the Board of County Commissioners that the same should be added to the County Highway system,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that Codington County does hereby recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that there be added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, the highways above described.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Auditor be and he is hereby instructed to forward to the Secretary of the Highway Commission of South Dakota copy of this resolution with the request that action hereon be taken by the State Highway Commission.

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Keenan and upon being put to vote all Commissioners voted aye and none noted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared ~~and~~ said Resolution to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 13th day of October, 1953.

Emma Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Dick Hallauer appeared before the Board to request the use of one of the County Cook shacks for living quarters while rebuilding his house which was recently destroyed by fire. The Board granted his request.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. October 20, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
Oct. 20, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Mary Popham $5.10, Chas. G. Schoepp $6.90, Walter Lebert $20.10, George Rindels $6.70, Clara Johnson $10.10, Howard Evenson $5.10; C.H. & B.R.- Ethel L. Cooley and Walter McCling $17.03.

On motion by Fromke and second by Skinner, the Board authorized the County Superintendent of Schools to attend the S.D.E.A. annual meeting at Aberdeen, S. D. October 28 through Oct. 30, 1953.

On motion be Belk and second by Keenan, predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Richard L. Van Sickle, Gary Berger, Alfred E. Briggs, Francis Kranz, Charles Rukstad and Melvin Drake, $7.50 each; Mrs. Paul Jongeling and Gerald Schwanke, $4.00 each.

On motion by Belk and second by Keenan, the Board approved the transfer of a 1953 season Dance Hall license for the "Flamingo", located on O.L. 1-Section 7-117-53 in Lake Twp., from Michael E. Mirras to Venard Brandriet and Arthur Schwanke.

The County Auditor reported the sale of tax deed land described as Lots 20 and 21, Fairfax Addition to Watertown, from Codington County to Clarence George Hanson and Hazel Ida Hanson for $20.00.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that Chairman Jordeth be authorized to sign and the County Auditor attest a Quit Claim deed to above described property as noted.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Fromke that the County Board concur with the Phipps Twp. Assessor in approving the application of Walter Popham for abatement of 1952 personal property taxes of William Gibson in Phipps Twp. in the amount of $72.17 on 29 head of cows of all ages for the reason of evidence presented showing that said cattle were purchased by Gibson after the 1952 assessment date, for which reason they were not eligible for the 1952 assessment. The motion carried.

The application of Andrew Ulven for abatement of personal property taxes in Richland Twp. in the amount of $5.61 for 1951 and $11.43 for 1952 was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Fromke for the reason that said taxes were also spread on cattle belonging to Sidney Ulven who had paid taxes on the same cattle in the same year, thereby making a duplication of assessment.

Dr. H. Russel Brown, County Health Board Superintendant, and Norbert Neisen appeared before the Board on the matter of the salary for services of the County Health officer. As noted in Commissioners Proceedings of April 28, 1953, the County Board of Commissioners had established a fixed salary of $75.00 per month for the County Health Board Superintendent for the calendar year 1953. For some time previous to January 1, 1953 an additional amount of $6.00 per month had been allowed the County Health Officer for incidental expenses such as postage, wrapping, etc. The State Auditor had criticized the additional $6.00 allowance on the grounds that the law provides that the health officer must be paid either on a flat salary basis or on an itemized statement of fees and expenses, for which reason the Board of Commissioners had discontinued the $6.00 per month payment.

Dr. Brown stated to the Board that the $75.00 salary was insufficient for the work involved, but that in view of the fact that the 1953 salary had been fixed by resolution of the Board at $75.00 per month, he would accept same for the balance of the year, 1953. He asked that the Board consider his request to raise the salary of the County Health Board Superintendent to $100.00 per month for 1954 to which the Board agreed.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the claim of Dr. Brown in the amount of $825.00 for salary as superintendent of the County Board of Health from December, 1952 through October, 1953 at the rate of $75.00 per month be allowed. The motion carried.

The application of Frederico Yato, transient laborer, for compromise settlement of county aid liens in the amount of $87.10 for a payment of $20.00 was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Skinner.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. Oct. 27, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
October 27, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Dorothy Below $210.00, Irma Welch $190.00, Pearl Bergan $180.00, Alice Olson $150.00; County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00, Alma Gerberding $210.00, Deloris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68, Harriett Horning $205.00, Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $283.75, Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $175.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Katherine Downs $25.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Farm-Harry Roberts $100.00, Irene Roberts $50.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; Per diem & Mileage & Salary-Vernon H. Belk $73.90, Oscar J. Fromke $100.13, Einar Jordeth $98.52, James L. Keenan $82.15, Herb Skinner $100.20; Court House Maintenance-Dan Shenk $28.91, Herbert C. Borns $45.50, Universal Improvement Co. $335.59; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-Lars G. Larson $325.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $175.00, Sever Tobiason $200.00, Bert Smith $20.00, J. P. Haug $263.55, Joe Stricherz $259.35, John Rennie $262.50, Clarence Sumner $265.65, Harold Scriver $171.15, Ed Gould $34.47, Howard Williams $3.30, Alfred Spring $3.30, Carl Zweig Jr.$5.50, E. W. Spearbeck $6.91, Clarence Helle $19.00, John N. Strait $11.71, Curtis Underwood $17.00, Ludwig Roethler $11.07, Chris Engels $13.24; C.H. & B.R.-Ed Gould $132.00, James Hendren $297.50, Howard Williams $209.59, Alfred Spring $245.67, Carl Zweig Jr. $219.54, Raymond Riley $275.00, E. W. Spearbeck $165.90, Fred Brownell $184.39, Leo Clausen $222.57, Clarence Helle $189.54, John N. Strait $129.20, Curtis Underwood $128.25, Ludwig Roethler $103.50, Chris Engels; Special Bridge-Ed Gould $99.00, E. W. Spearbeck $63.00, Fred Brownell $9.50, Leo Clausen $9.50, John N. Strait $88.35, Curtis Underwood $84.55, Ludwig Roethler $45.00, Chris Engels $80.10.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Ben H. TeBeest, Roger Ries, Mrs. Douglas Fischer, Don DeBerg, George Vick, Merle Anderson and Richard Bach, $7.50 each.

L. L. Blake appeared before the Board on welfare matters.

County Highway Supt, L. G. Larson, appeared before the Board on highway matters.

In checking county budget balances as of October 1, 1953, it was noted that certain fund balances were insufficient to meet the needs for the current calendar year, 1953.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that a supplemental budget be set up for 1953, that notice of hearing on same be published in the official county newspapers on November 5, 1953, and the time of hearing be fixed for 10:00 A. M. November 17, 1953. The motion carried.

NOTICE TO MAKE AND ADOPT SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET FOR 1953

Notice is hereby given, that the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, will meet at their office in the Court House at Watertown, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., on Tuesday November 17, 1953 for the purpose of considering the following supplemental budget for the year 1953, and the various items, schedules, amounts and appropriations set forth, therein, pursuant to Chapter 42 of the 1947 Session Laws; that the final budget adopted for 1953 is insufficient to enable the County to conduct the indispensable functions of government and which are just obligations upon the County for the necessary conduct of the Courts, Support of the Poor and other duties which it is the lawful duty of the County to discharge; at such time all interested persons may appear, either in person or by representative and will be given an opportunity for a full and complete discussion of all purposes, and amounts as set forth in the supplemental budget.

Purpose for which appropriated:

GENERAL FUND		
Commissioners per diem	$1,000.00	
Convention and research	400.00	
Register of Deeds office expense	300.00	
Welfare and County Farm	15,000.00	
GENERAL FUND TOTALS		$16,700.00
SALARY FUND		
Supt. of Schools	$ 65.00	
States Attorney	25.00	
County Judge	65.00	
Municipal Judge	100.00	$255.00
SUMMARY		$16,955.00

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 27th day of October, 1953.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County
South Dakota

Publish: Nov. 5, 1953

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that the Deputy Clerk of Courts be allowed expenses for attending the Clerks of Courts Vital Statistics Meeting held at Huron, S. D. October 27, 1953. The motion carried.

REPORT OF SALE BY COUNTY AUDITOR OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING

TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA: Carl F. Bergan, the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, makes the following return of the proceedings had pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners to offer for sale the within described real estate acquired by the county by tax proceedings, and reports as follows, to-wit:

That the real property directed to be offered for sale by the Board of County Commissioners was first classified as class one land and was appraised by the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, at the sum of $2400.00.

That in pursuance of the direction of the Board of County Commissioners that the within described real estate acquired by tax proceeding be offered for sale, he caused notice of sale thereof to be published in a legal newspaper of the County of Codington once each week for a period of two successive weeks before the date of sale specified therein, which notice contained a description of the real property to be sold and the time, place, and terms of sale, all of which appears by such notice and affidavit of publication filed herein.

That said County Auditor, pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners and notice duly given, offered for sale and on the 27th day of October, 1953, sold, subject to the confirmation of the Board of County Commissioners, the following described real estate to Ulysses Snoozy, he being the highest and best bidder, for the sum of $2400.00, said sum being the highest and best sum bid and not being less than the amount of the appraisement, upon the following terms, to-wit: cash at the time of sale in the amount of $2400.00 deposited with the County Treasurer.

The real estate so sold is described as follows, to-wit: Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty Two (22), Township One Hundred Nineteen (119), North, Range Fifty One (51), West of the Fifth P.M.

Dated this 27th day of October, 1953.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County
South Dakota

RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE FOR CASH OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE No. 186

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described real property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that one Ulysses Snoozy of Twin Brooks, South Dakota has offered the sum of $2400.00 in cash for the following described real property, to-wit: Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty Two (22), Township One Hundred Nineteen (119), North, Range Fifty One (51), West of the Fifth P. M., which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited in cash with the County Treasurer;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 27th day of October, 1953, that the sale of said premises to the said Ulysses Snoozy of Twin Brooks, South Dakota be and the same is hereby approved, and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deed to said purchaser conveying to said purchaser all of the right, title, and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 27th day of October, 1953.

Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Einar Sandeth
Oscar J Fromke
James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Belk that foregoing resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

The application of Mrs. Clyde Owen for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes plus penalty and interest in the amount of $54.79 for a payment of $45.95 was approved by the Board on a motion by Skinner and second by Fromke.

On motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. Oct. 30, 1953.

Carl F. Fox
County Auditor

Watertown, S. Dak.
October 30, 1953

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Jordeth, Fromke, Skinner and Keenan present, Belk absent, Jordeth presiding.

John R. Dobson appeared before the Board with an application for partial release of County aid liens in the amount of $543.29 in-so-far as said liens pertain to property located at 608 So. Maple St. described as Lot 12, Block 71, Second Railway Addition to Watertown.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Fromke that foregoing application be approved for a cash payment of $10.00 and an agreement with Mr. Dobson that he make payments of $10.00 per month on the balance of the liens. The motion carried.

A petition to add to the County Highway System a section line road described as "Beginning at the Northeast Corner of Sec. 30-119-54, thence south approximately one-half mile to connect with the new State Highway No. 20" was presented to the Board at this time. The Board ordered said petition filed pending hearing on same.

Commissioner Belk appeared on the Board at noon.

On a motion by Belk and second by Keenan Codington County levies for 1953 were approved by the Board as follows:

SCHEDULE OF TAX LEVIES FOR COUNTY PURPOSES

FOR 1953 ADOPTED OCTOBER 30, 1953

FUND	BUDGET	PLUS 5%	TOTAL	ESTIMATED REVENUES	TAXES	LEVY
General	177,250	8,863	186,113	48,300	137,813	4.56
Salary	58,150	2,907	61,057	10,500	50,557	1.67
Insane	24,000	1,200	25,200	1,000	24,200	.80
Feeble-minded	7,000	350	7,350	500	6,850	.23
Custer	3,600	180	3,780	- - -	3,780	.13
County Road	15,000	750	15,750	- - -	15,750	.52
County Bridge	1,000	50	1,050	- - -	1,050	.03
TOTAL LIMITED LEVY	286,000	14,300	300,300	60,300	240,000	7.94
Melette Memorial	950	48	998	- - -	998	.03
Weed Control	3,200	160	3,360	- - -	3,360	.11
Special Bridge	50,000	2,500	52,500	22,500	30,000	.99
C.H. & B.R.	164,000	8,200	172,200	140,900	31,300	1.04
County Snow Removal	30,000	1,500	31,500	- - -	31,500	1.04
County Fair	9,400	470	9,870	8,525	1,345	.04
TOTAL UNLIMITED LEVY	257,550	12,878	270,428	171,925	98,503	3.25
CONSOLIDATED	543,550	27,178	570,728	232,225	338,503	11.19

Einar Jordeth
Einar Jordeth, Chairman Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:
Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

The application of Edward Belatti for abatement of 1952 personal property taxes in the amount of $43.92 spread on 35 head of cattle assessed in Pelican Twp., School District # 39, was approved by the Board on a motion by Keenan and second by Belk for the reason that said cattle were erroneously assessed twice in the same year, 1952.

At 3:00 P. M. the Board recessed and went out to the County Farm to check the inventory there preliminary to turning the management of the County Farm over to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klemsrud.

After taking inventory at the County Farm, the Board went to inspect the recently installed spillway across the Sioux River between Rauville and Germantown Townships. The spillway was found to be satisfactory and approved.

After returning from fore-mentioned inspection the Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. November 3, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
November 3, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Minutes of meetings of October 2,6, 13, 20, 27 and 30, 1953 were approved.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Robert E. Glass $5.10; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $58.20, Oscar J. Fromke $34.90, Einar Jordeth $56.10, James L. Keenan $41.20, Herb Skinner $56.80; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $37.50.

The County Weed Supervisor's monthly report for October, 1953 was noted by the Board.

The application of Donald Nogelmeier for refund of 1952 money and credits tax in Kampeska Twp. in the amount of $6.00 for the reason of an error in extension of the tax was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Skinner.

The County Veterans Service Officer's Individual Contact report for October, 1953 was noted by the Board.

L. G. Larson, County Highway Superintendent, appeared before the Board to discuss road matters.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that resolutions requesting programming for grading and graveling of F. A. S. Routes Nos. 825, 826 and 495 be submitted to the S. D. State Highway Commission. The motion Carried.

Petitions for adding roads to the County Highway System on which public hearings had not been held and on which no inspection had been made were brought before the Board for consideration at this time.

Petitions so to be considered request addition of roads to the County System as follows:

Petition No. 7 - "Beginning at the SE corner of Section 20-118-51, thence north ten miles to the NE corner of Section 5-119-51, all in Waverly and Leola Twps."

Petition No. 8 - "Beginning at the NE corner of Section 21-117-52, thence south one mile to the SE corner of Section 21-117-52, thence west 1½ miles to the Mt. Hope Cemetery, between Sections 20 and 29-117-52, all in Elmira Twp."

Petition No. 9 - "66 Ft. in width lying along the section line between the west half of Sections 19 and 30-117-52, thence south between the north half of Section 25-117-53 and the north half of Section 30-117-52 to connect with the extension west on 10th Ave. north."

Petition No. 10 - "Beginning at the NW corner of Section 30-119-54, thence south approximately one-half mile to intersect with new South Dakota Highway No. 20."

The Board ordered that a notice of hearing on foregoing petitions be published in the county official newspapers on November 12, 19 and 25, 1953, and the time of hearing on same be set for December 29, 1953 at specified hours as follows:

Petition No. 9 - 9:00 A.M.
Petition No. 7 - 10:00 A.M.
Petition No. 8 - 2:00 P.M.
Petition No. 10- 3:00 P.M.

Richard V. Welch, representing the Hearne Bros. Engineers and Cartographers of Detroit, Michigan, appeared before the Board on the matter of furnishing state maps for the County offices. The Board advised Mr. Welch that the purchase of the maps would be left to the discrimination of the officials.

The matter of the Federal Government Resurvey of Twp. 118 North, of Range 55 West of the 5th P.M. in Codington County was discussed by the Board.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that all land in Codington County affected by above noted Survey, on which contracts have been issued, and which, to this date, have been omitted from the assessment records, that same be entered on the tax lists as added assessments from the date of the contract to purchase. The motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. November 10, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
November 10, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Henry Mack $5.10, Matt Brandreit $5.10, Clark Myers $10.20, Herbert Tulowetzke, Mrs. Eleanor Tulowetzke $2.20, Cecilia M. Beirne $113.19, Cliff Englund $39.40, New Grand Hotel $9.23, Secretary of State $8.25, F. C. Grow Sons-Printers $40.80;

Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott for Mary L. Wilson $20.00; Mrs. Augusta Bunde for Louisa Richter $25.00; Walter Gusso for Bert Crandall $25.00; Louis C. Kinstad $231.00 for Ole Hanson $26.00, Ole Omodt $45.00, George Manley $35.00, Robt. Weisman $45.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ole Aamodt $45.00; Lohrs Home $30.00 for Edith Kinsey; Mrs. Ernest Schmeling $25.00 for Willie Schmeling; Irene Stockman $45.00 for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $150.00 for David E. Bright $60.00, Lorence Albrecht $90.00; Watertown Rest Home $115.86 for L. Mourere $30.00, Fannie Baker $85.86; Mrs. Bessie Young $45.00 for Rose Dixon $15.00, Sarah Ann Black $10.00, Alpha Mudge $20.00; Duffners Drug Store $124.52 for Steve Wisneski $18.56, Peter DeMuynck $5.85, Mrs. Chas. Montney $13.44, Wm. Ball $21.00, Marsh Bradfield $11.65, Ole Hanson $19.10, Mrs. Inga Yarns $14.65, A. R. Quade $7.00, Ole Omodt $1.76, Earl Crocker $15.85, B. J. Murray $5.10, Henry Hopkins $4.40; Bartron Hospital $1210.70 for Lorence Albrecht $98.78, Gertrude Heathcote $231.11, Nellie Jensen $128.76, Mrs. James J. Mack $43.14, Nels C. Nielson $441.27, Georgia Painter $133.08, Elaine Robison $20.05, Willie Schmeling $114.51; Bartron Clinic $423.93 for Lorence Albrecht $36.80, Ben Bergerson $2.00, Gertrude Heathcote $30.00, Emma Jenkins $7.01, Nellie Jensen $30.00, Mrs. James J. Mack $35.00, Frank Metzinger $8.25, B. J. Murray $11.85, Nels C. Nielson $104.40, Georgia Painter $83.00, Elaine Robison $9.20, Willie Schmeling $49.00, Mrs. L. Albert Vaughn $17.42; Brown Clinic $138.50 for Mrs. John Cosgrove $15.00, John W. Miller $52.00, Mrs. Wm. Jones $2.00, A. R. Quade $6.50, Ben Scott $2.00, Dooks Tiejen $17.00, Mrs. Theo. Treat $14.00, Cliff Van Sickle $30.00; Dr. D. F. Campbell $37.00 for Mrs. Roger Thompson $35.00, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $2.00; J. H. Crawford, M.D. $15.00 for Matt Kemp; Farmers Market $40.00 for Harold Berg $30.00, Mrs. Robt. Corey $10.00; D. N. Fedt, M.D. $69.00 for Chas. Bierscheid; Haggars Drug Store $148.50 for John Farley $14.20, Ed Goeman $20.95, Cliff Van Sickle $22.85, Fern Washtoak $38.90, Philomena Holzemer $11.45, Mrs. Frank Klucas $13.30, Henry Anderson $8.60, Mildred Taylor $7.30, Mrs. Ellen Anderson $27.45; Hollywood Grocery $22.00 for Edith Bundy $14.00, Elaine Robison $8.00; Home Grocery $5.01 for Donald Stensgaard; Huebner Oil Co. $15.60 for Frank Metzinger; Dr. H. T. Kenney $216.00 for Marsh Bradfield $16.00, Peter Conley $200.00; Liens Grocery $10.00 for Cora Barto; Math. Gergen & Rhodes Ambulance $13.50; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $23.05 for Mrs. Edith Bundy; Medical Arts Clinic $271.00 for John Brockhoft & family $16.00, Henry Anderson $15.00, Ellen Anderson $36.00, Irwin Eisenbise $12.00, Ed Goeman $23.00, Ole Hanson $4.00, Susanna Hegg $3.00, Philomena Holzemer $14.00, Mrs. Frank Klucas $22.00, Wayne Krueger $41.00, Mayme Tribbitts $2.00, Alfred Vick $12.00, Fern Washtoak $30.00, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Wisneski $41.00; Northside Grocery $5.00 for Roy Strait; J. C. Penney Co. $88.56 for Olaf Erickson $20.37, Geo. Manley $8.48, Lloyd Madsen $59.71; Shaw-Messer Amb. $3.00 for Steve Wisneski; So. Dak. Childrens Aid $66.75 for Sharon Schreifels $35.25, Robt. Schreifels; S. D. State Sanatorium at Custer, S. D. $60.10 for Raymond Ries $27.80, Albert Krohn $32.30; Avabelle Snook $3.80 for Frances Emery; Spies Super Market $15.00 for Arthur Larson; St. Ann's Hospital $149.24 for John W. Miller; St. Bernards Prov. Hospital $114.60 for Rose Reade $89.60, John Welter $25.00; St. John's Hospital $91.45 for LeRoy Krapf; Mrs. Frieda Story $149.00 for Mary Vermillion $45.00, Frances Emery $104.00; Thomes Drug Store $92.34 for Minnie Johnson $17.30, Lena Trumer $8.80, Anna Christianson $9.95, Lorence Albrecht $17.75, Alfred Vick $32.50, Richard DePeel $2.40, Louisa Richter $8.25, David Bright $4.00, Mrs. Theo. Treat $1.65; Dr. M. C. Thompson $178.50 for Lorence Albrecht $50.00, David Bright $18.00, Nat Campbell $10.50, Frank Cox $9.00, Earl Crocker $32.00, John Farley $15.00, Gertrude Heathcote $3.00, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $26.00, Mildred Taylor $4.00, Lena Trumer $8.00, Louisa Richter $3.00; F. R. Trzynka $6.00 for Mrs Peter De Muynck $3.00, Edith Bundy $3.00; Webb Service Station $7.50 for Henry Stillwell; Dr. C. B. Wiles $20.00 for Louisa Richter; Memorial Hospital $568.84 for Irwin Eisenbise $27.83, Donna Thompson $59.75, Alfred Vick $15.00, Dooks Tiejen $22.76, Harry Freeseman $43.80, Rev. G. O. Wigdahl $11.50, Nels T. Nelson $203.58, Theresa Schummer $167.77, Peter Conley $16.85; Mrs. Annette Burgdorf $130.00 for Ella Flanagan $80.00, Mr. & Mrs. Dooks Tiejen $50.00; Board of Health-Dr. H. Russell Brown $812.62; Per Diem & Mileage $48.90, Oscar J. Fromke $50.02, Einar Jordeth $39.94, James L. Keenan $39.80, Herb Skinner $48.20, Tax Collector-Ole James Nelson $436.28; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $79.20; Mileage-Cliff Englund $468.70; Fees-Cliff Englund $50.23; Veterans Service-Rosella Howey $21.50; Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent $133.06, South Shore Gazette $168.78; Supt. of Schools Mileage-J. Muriel Hoover $90.63; County Extension-Clara W. Johnson $22.39; Board of Insanity-Dr. H. T. Kenney $30.00; Memorial Park-N.W. Public Service $17.52; Public Welfare Office Expense-F. C. Grow Sons $41.00, Panama Carbon Co. $27.00; Treasurer's Office Expense-Panama Carbon Co. $68.00; States Atty. Office Expense-LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $1.50, Watertown Typewriter Co. $7.89; Court House Maintenance-Barkley Truck Lines $30.00, Davey Furniture Co. $30.19, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $4.60, Egge Electric Co. $10.97, Mrs. Elvera Englund $5.40, Inmans $31.70, L.O.H. Co. $1.72, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $13.08, N.W. Bell Telephone Co. $312.30, Otis Elev. Co. $42.00, Redlinger Bros. $22.50, Uptown Mobil Service $3.62, Duffners Drug Store $.50, City Treasurer $299.79, Nelson Hardware $10.08, Park-Grant Co. $5.70; County Farm-City Treasurer $24.40, Nelson Hardware $10.55, Park-Grant Co. $66.99, Liens Grocery $43.46, Henry Klemsrud $1.00, Marshall Wells Store $1.38, Modern Shoe Shop $2.00, Olson Appliance $11.60, WatertownCo-op Elev. $14.10, Watertown Milling Co. $2.51, Watertown Surplus Store $66.66; ROAD-Alex. H. Brown $1.00, Cave Supply Co. $106.96, Eugene Dietzgen Co. $11.99, J. D. Evans Equip. Co. $24.00, Florence Service $28.78, J. P. Foster Co. $10.63, Gooch Sales Co. $6.42, R. E. Hubbard Co. $194.89, Int. Harvester Co. $120.66, Hans Jensen $5.00, Johnson Farm Equip. Co. $5.72, Kochs 66 Service $43.57, LaNoues Radiator Shop $45.25, Mahowald Co. $14.12, Marquardts Service $5.29, Motor Supply Co. $84.84, N.W. Public Service $3.02, Pacific Grain Co. $56.03, Elizabeth Pinholt $1.80, Putmans Uptown Service $15.20, Reaneys Service $333.29, Rozums $33.96, C.J. Ruhr $13.50, Arthur Schwandt $61.87, Harold Scriver $4.65, Sioux Road Equip. Co. $106.00, S. D. State Highway Commission $51.75, Loren B. Stein Agency $19.63, R. H. Stein $12.50, Watertown Machine Works $.58, Watertown Sheet Metal Works $1.65, Watertown Tire Co. $29.35, Western Transportation $2.70, Williams Hardware Co. $18.68, Tip Top Service Station $40.22; Special Bridge-L.O.H. Co. $17.40, Thompson Yards $28.79, Orville Withrow $985.00, S. D. Concrete Products Co. $108.16, C.H. & B.R.-S. D. Concrete Products Co. $2,969.38, Joe Cordell $61.75, Edward O. Hallauer $53.76, John O. Hallauer $76.73, Edmund Klatt $32.52, Hilda H. Luck $16.87, Harriett Redmond $16.33, Ollie Shipp $22.84, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $3.75; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $24.39, Luxor Lighting Products Inc. $52.32, Railway Express Agency $2.50, Mrs. Alma Markve $233.59; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Dexter)-Mrs. Alma Markve $128.03; TEXTBOOK-Educator Supply Co. $159.36, Houghton Mifflin Co. $157.82, McCormick-Mathers Publ. Co. $5.32, Midwest Beach Co. $135.50, Scott, Foresman & Co. $11.16, Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $46.85; TUITION-Fairview High School $315.00, Florence Ind. School $8,610.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $7.00.

Predatory animal bounty applications were approved as follows: Gerhart Koch, Mrs. Otto Korth, Donald Eck, Robert Zerfas and Ronald Burchatz, $7.50 each; Ed Troska, Francis Smith, Bruce Halvorson and Donald Nogelmeier, $4.00 each.

The application of Francis Burns for partial release of County Aid liens of Carrie Johnson in the amount of $1182.51 in-so-far as said liens pertain to property described as Lot 1, Block 1, of McMath's Addition to Watertown was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Belk for the reason that said liens came on the abstract of Carrie Johnson of Brockley, Montana, which Carrie Johnson has never resided in Codington County and is not the same Carrie Johnson against whom the liens are filed.

Mrs. Grace Wilson appeared before the Board for information regarding county and state welfare matters. She informed the Board that she had opened a rest home at 317 2nd St. N.W. in Watertown.

R E S O L U T I O N No. 187

FEDERAL AID SECONDARY PROGRAM RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Codington County Board of Commissioners desires the reconstruction of the following described road, to wit:

FAS Route No. 825:

"Beginning at the Northeast corner of Section 10, Township 116 North, Range 54, West of the Fifth P. M., intersecting U.S. 212, thence south about 5 miles around Goose Lake, to the Southeast corner of Section 27, Township 116 North, Range 54, West of the Fifth P. M., intersecting FAS No. 503, in Kampeska Township.

AND WHEREAS method of construction will be upon contract bids, at a monthly letting by the State Highway Commission with the concurrence of Codington County.

AND WHEREAS Codington County is obligated to maintain a project after construction with Federal Aid Secondary Funds.

AND WHEREAS the Codington County Board of Commissioners is prepared to pay the County's share (approximately 44%) of the cost of this project.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:
(1) That the State Highway Commission be and hereby is requested to program for grade and gravel, together with some heavy roadway shaping, plus drainage structures as may be needed, this project under the Federal Aid Secondary program to be constructed in accordance with the State's current "Standard Specifications for Roads and Bridges."

(2) That the Chairman of the said Board of County Commissioners be and hereby is authorized to sign an Agreement with the State Highway Commission for the maintenance of this project after construction.

Vote of Commission Yes 5 No 0
Resolution is hereby declared adopted.
Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 10th day of November, 1953.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Emma Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota.

R E S O L U T I O N No. 188

FEDERAL AID SECONDARY PROGRAM RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Codington County Board of Commissioners desires the reconstruction of the following described road, to-wit:

FAS Route No. 826:

"Beginning at the Northwest corner of Section 5, Township 116, North, Range 53, West of the Fifth P. M., intersecting U. S. 212, thence south about 5 miles to the Southwest corner of Section 28, Township 116 North, Range 53, intersecting with FAS No. 503, in Pelican Township.

AND WHEREAS method of construction will be upon contract bids, at a monthly letting by the State Highway Commission with the concurrence of Codington County.

AND WHEREAS Codington County is obligated to maintain a project after construction with Federal Aid Secondary Funds.

AND WHEREAS the Codington County Board of Commissioners is prepared to pay the County's share (approximately 44%) of the cost of this project.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

(1) That the State Highway Commission be and hereby is requested to program for grade and gravel, together with some heavy roadway shaping, plus drainage structures as may be needed, this project under the Federal Aid Secondary program to be constructed in accordance with the State's Currect "Standard Specifications for Roads and Bridges."

(2) That the Chairman of the said Board of County Commissioners be and hereby is authorized to sign an Agreement with the State Highway Commission for the maintenance of this project after construction.

Vote of Commission Yes 5 No 0 . Resolution is hereby declared adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 10th day of November, 1953.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan County Auditor

Emma Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

R E S O L U T I O N No. 189

FEDERAL AID SECONDARY PROGRAM RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Codington County Board of Commissioners desires the reconstruction of the following described road, to-wit:

FAS Route No. 497:

"Beginning at the Northeast corner of Section 1, intersecting U. S. 212, Township 116 North, Range 52, West of the Fifth P. M., thence South four (4) miles to the Southeast corner of Section 24, Township 116 North, Range 52, West of the Fifth P. M., intersecting with FAS Route No. 498.

AND WHEREAS method of construction will be upon contract bids, at a monthly letting by the State Highway Commission with the concurrence of Codington County.

AND WHEREAS Codington County is obligated to maintain a project after construction with Federal Aid Secondary Funds.

AND WHEREAS the Codington County Board of Commissioners is prepared to pay the County's share (approximately 44%) of the cost of this project.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

(1) That the State Highway Commission be and hereby is requested to program for grade and gravel, together with some heavy roadway shaping, plus drainage structures as may be needed, this project under the Federal Aid Secondary program to be constructed in accordance with the State's current "Standard Specifications for Roads and Bridges."

(2) That the Chairman of the said Board of County Commissioners be and hereby is authorized to sign an Agreement with the State Highway Commission for the maintenance of this project after construction.

Vote of Commission Yes 5 No ___. Resolution is hereby declared adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 10th day of November, 1953.

ATTEST:

Chairman, Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota.

County Auditor

Following monthly statements for October, 1953 were approved by the Board: State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis, Sanator, S. D., $221.65; Redfield State Hospital, $575.00; Yankton State Hospital, $1810.66.

Statements of fees collected during October, 1953 were approved as follows: Register of Deeds, $634.40; Clerk of Courts, $369.85.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of November 1, 1953 was approved by the Board as follows: Total amount of deposits in banks, $555,838.00; Total amount of cash, checks and drafts in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $23,227.09; Government Bonds, $181,837.33; Total of all items, $760,902.42.

The application of Norman Wexler for abatement of 1952 personal property taxes on the Wexler Auto-Wrecking Co. was brought before the Board at this time.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that the County Board concur with the Watertown City Council in rejecting the application of Norman Wexler for abatement of 1952 personal property taxes spread against the Wexler Auto-Wrecking Co. The motion carried.

The Watertown City Council approved application of Oliver Wolden for refund of 1952 personal property taxes in the amount of $30.16 was presented to the Board at this time. The application stated that carpeting had been assessed both as real estate and personal property in 1952.

After some discussion, it was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that foregoing application of Oliver Wolden be rejected for the reason that the 1952 personal property listing blank did not indicate specifically that the carpeting was included in the $300.00 assessment listed under Item 22, and said assessment of $300.00 did not seem unreasonably high. The motion carried.

The Board deferred action for further checking on the application of Vera Mahanke for refund of taxes on a structure assessed on property described as Lots 18 and 19, Blk. 3 of Rice Bros. Addition to Watertown. The application stated that the structure assessed had been removed from above described location in 1946, but had been continuously carried on the assessment rolls through 1952, accumulating a total tax of $26.50.

The application of Henry Wellner for refund of school poll tax in the amount of $2.00 for the years 1946 and 1952 was approved by the Board for the reason of military service exemption.

Fred Morris, County Agent, and William Waddell, Veterinarian for the U. S. Bureau of Animal Industry, appeared before the Board to request permission to use the County Shed Yards for setting up and operating a mobile testing unit to give the "Ring" test for Bangs disease in cattle. The Board granted permission as requested for a period of possibly two weeks.

The application of Joseph L. Dunn for a compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes plus penalty and interest in the amount of $96.60 in the City of Watertown for a payment of $92.14 was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Belk.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. Nov. 17, 1953.

Carl F. Bryan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
November 17, 1953.

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $120.00, Roy Phillips $15.10; Court House Maintenance-Churchill Mfg. Co. $21.09; Tax Collector-Ole James Nelson $493.38; Auditors Office Expense-Pitney-Bowes Inc. $19.80.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for public hearing on the proposed Supplemental Budget for 1953, as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of October 27, 1953, and, whereas no one appeared to protest the adoption of said Supplemental Budget, the following resolution was introduced, to-wit:

R E SO L U T I O N No. 190

SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET FOR 1953

WHEREAS, acting under Chapter 43 of the Session Laws of South Dakota of 1947, and upon notice duly published to adopt a supplement budget for 1953,

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary to adopt a Supplemental Budget so the County may conduct the indispensable functions of government.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the following amounts as set out herein shall constitute and be adopted as the Supplemental Budget for 1953.

GENERAL FUND	AMOUNT	
Commissioners per diem	$1,000.00	
Convention and research	400.00	
Register of Deeds office expense	300.00	
Welfare and County Farm	15,000.00	
General Fund totals		$16,700.00
SALARY FUND		
Supt. of Schools	$ 65.00	
States Attorney	25.00	
County Judge	65.00	
Municipal Judge	100.00	255.00
SUMMARY		$16,955.00

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Fromke, and upon roll call, all Commissioners voted yea, and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the said resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 17th day of November, 1953.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bryan
County Auditor

Einar Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota

Chester Smith appeared before the Board on the matter of furnishing the County with a new power lawn mower for the Court Yard. He proposed to furnish a new mower for a net cost of $435.45, allowing $100.00 trade-in on the old mower. The Board agreed to consider the proposal but took no definite action.

Two applications of Jerry Loken for abatement of 1952 taxes were presented to the Board at this time. It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the County Board concur with the Rauville Twp. Board of Supervisors in approving the two applications of Jerry Loken for abatement of 1952 personal property taxes in Rauville Twp., School Dist. No. WC1 as follows: $28.04 tax spread on 57 head of sheep and one bull - abate for reason of duplication of assessment; $5.04 on one bull - abate for the reason that said bull did not belong to Jerry Loken. The motion carried.

The application of Doris Tofte Schmeling for refund pf 1952 taxes on real estate in Rauville Twp., School Dist. #60, described as the SW¼ of SE¼ of Section 9-118-52 Res. in the amount of $2.58 for the reason of an overpayment in that amount was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Skinner.

The Board recessed at noon and went out to inspect county roads and bridges. They returned at 3:30 P. M.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that the County Board concur with the City Council in-so-far as statutory limits would permit, in approving the application of Vera Mahanke for refund of taxes on a structure assessed on property described as Lots 18 and 19,

Block 3, Rice Bros. Addition to Watertown for the years 1947 through 1952, both inclusive, in the total amount of $23.82 for the reason that said structure had been removed in 1946, but had been continuously carried on the assessment roll through 1952. The motion carried.

The matter of parking facilities for Court House employees and patrons was discussed. It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that parking facilities be expanded to accommodate Court House employees and patrons. The motion carried.

The application of Lester Hanson for a dance hall license for one night, Nov. 20, 1953, at the C.O.F. Hall at Kranzburg, S. D. was approved by the Board on a motion by Keenan and second by Belk.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. November 24, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
November 24, 1953.

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Dorothy Below $210.00, Irma Welch $190.00, Pearl Bergan $180.00, Alice Olson $150.00; County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00, Alma Gerberding $210.00, Deloris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68, Harriet Horning $205.00, Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $283.75, Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl Deal $175.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Katherine Downs $25.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $113.50, Pearl Klemsrud $50.00; Weed Board-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-Lars G. Larson $325.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $175.00; Sever Tobiason $200.00; Bert Smith $20.00; J. P. Haug $184.13; Joe Stricherz $212.10; John Rennie $241.50; C. B. Sumner $257.50; Harold Scriver $197.40; Ed Gould $34.81; James Hendren $232.25; Howard Williams $206.98; Alfred Spring $193.61; Carl Zweig, Jr. $85.82; E. Spearbeck $119.48; Fred Brownell $124.98; Leo Clausen $110.72; John Strait $91.72; Clarence Helle $59.87; Curtis Underwood $34.72; Raymond Riley $199.11; Chris Engels $19.46; C.H. & B.R.-J. P. Haug $7.35, Ed Gould $58.30, James Hendren $37.50; Howard Williams $33.00, Alfred Spring $38.50, Carl Zweig, Jr. $118.80, E. Spearbeck $101.85, Fred Brownell $5.70, Leo Clausen $104.50, Clarence Helle $61.75, Curtis Underwood $50.35, Raymond Riley $33.00, Chris Engels $38.70, Federal Land Bank & Theo. H. Peters $57.86, Nick Martin $4208.04; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $150.70, Fred Brownell $38.00, John Strait $123.50, Clarence Helle $72.20, Curtis Underwood $130.15, Chris Engels $123.30; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-J. P. Haug $42.00, Carl Zweig, Jr. $22.00; County Farm-Carl Zweig, Jr. $4.40, Fred Brownell $3.80, Gusta Haug $17.50; Per diem-Mileage-Salary-Vernon H. Belk $112.30, Oscar J. Fromke $96.98, James L. Keenan $93.55, Herb Skinner $104.67; Per Diem-Salary-Einar Jordeth $85.00; Auditors Office Expense-R. L. Polk & Co. $25.00; Treasurer's Office Expense-R. L. Polk & Co. $25.00; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-R. L. Polk & Co. $25.00, Brown & Saenger $1.73; Register of Deeds Office Expense-R. L. Polk & Co. $25.00, LaFrance Office Equip. Co. $3.11, Brown & Saenger $1.73, Remington Rand Inc. $201.86; Tax Collector-R. L. Polk & Co. $25.00; Sheriffs Office Expense-R. L. Polk & Co. $25.00; Public Welfare Office Expense-R. L. Polk & Co. $25.00; County Judge Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $5.89; Court Expense-Mrs. Adoph Hogstad $7.80.

Mr. & Mrs. William E. Eck appeared before the Board on the matter of a tax abatement. It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the application of William E. Eck for abatement of 1952 real estate tax in Phipps Twp., School District No. 42 in the amount of $8.72 be approved by the Board for the reason of an error whereby 3.18 acres of land was listed on the assessment rolls as 16.20 acres. The motion carried.

R E S O L U T I O N No. 191

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners shall contract for such books as have been adopted by the County Textbook Committee, and shall pay for the books and transportation of the same out of the general fund of the County,

AND WHEREAS, the Text Book Revolving Fund is not sufficient to meet the requirements of the budget adopted due to the increased prices:

NOW THEREFORE, be it hereby resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session this 24th day of November, 1953, that the County Auditor and the County Treasurer hereby are authorized to transfer $1700.00 from the General fund to be credited to the Text Book Revolving Fund.

The foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Skinner seconded by Commissioner Belk and upon roll call all commissioners voting yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Einar Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Henry Klemsrud, the County Farm Superintendent, appeared before the Board on the matter of purchasing a heater for the stock tank at the County Farm.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Skinner that Mr. Klemsrud be authorized to purchase a stock tank heater for the County Farm for a cost of $21.50. The motion carried.

George D. Fish appeared before the Board to request a compromise settlement of County Aid liens.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that the Board accept $100.00 as a compromise settlement in full for liens of George D. and Jennie Fish in the amount of $148.35. The motion carried.

The Board recessed at 3:00 P.M. and went with the County Highway Supt. out to inspect County roads. They returned at 4:30 P.M.

Jim Nelson, Tax Collector, appeared before the Board on the matter of delinquent personal property taxes of Blair Tessier.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that the Board approve the application of Blair Tessier for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes, plus penalty and interest, in the amount of $90.54 for a payment of $83.98. The motion carried.

Applications for permits to engage in the retail sale of alcoholic beverages came before the Board at this time. It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that notice of hearing on applications for sale of alcoholic beverages by dealers within Codington County but outside corporate limits of any town or city be advertized in the official County newspapers on December 3, 1953 and the time of hearing be set for 10:00 A.M. Dec. 15, 1953. Motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. Nov. 25, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
November 25, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members presnet, Jordeth presiding.

At the request of the Board, C. S. Rasmusson, of State Highway Office and L. G. Larson, County Highway Superintendent appeared to discuss road matters and plans for road construction for the coming year.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that a resolution be drawn up and submitted to the State Highway Commission requesting said Commission to immediately advertize for bids for grading and gravel surfacing of the following described road, to-wit: "That portion, approximately 6 miles, of F.A.S. Project S120 (2) from the junction with State Highway No. 20 at Florence, south to the southeast corner of Section 29-118-54, thence west approximately 1 3/4 miles to junction with the road running south along the west side of Medicine Lake. Plans on above project to be revised to make a square corner (50 ft. radius stop junction) at the southeast corner of Section 29-118-54, also,to eliminate the curve at the west end of this portion of S120 (2), the remainder of S120 (2), approximately 3 miles running south,to be eliminated from the project. Also, that Federal Aid matching funds now being held for the south 3 miles of this project be released for use on other roads in Codington County." The motion carried.

The remainder of the day was spent in further discussion of road plans and cancellation of paid warrants.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. December 1, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
Dec. 1, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Minutes of meetings of November 3,10,17,24 and 25, 1953 were approved.

John Ehrstrom appeared before the Board on the matter of assessment of real estate acreage in Phipps Twp. affected by the Federal Government resurvey of 1945. The Board advised Mr. Ehrstrom that the tax records have been corrected to conform to said survey.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the County Auditor be instructed to write the U. S. Department of Interior regarding the status of certain real estate in Phipps Twp., Sections 18,19 and 30. The motion carried.

The County Weed Supervisors monthly report for November, 1953 was checked by the Board.

The application of Charles Cozard for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes plus penalties and interest in the amount of $301.82 was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Belk.

Chairman Jordeth was excused from the Board at noon.

The Board recessed at noon and left at 1:30 P. M. for Clark where they met with the Clark County Board to discuss road problems and future Federal Aid Secondary Projects which might be of mutual interest.

The Board returned at 5:00 P.M. at which time Vice Chairman Keenan assumed the Chair.

On motion by Fromke and second by Belk, predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Dwight Young, $8.00; Ralph Raml, Ira Dahl, Ed Fleming and Walter David, $4.00 each.

The matter of the revision of plans for F.A.S. Project S-120 (2), as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of November 25, 1953 was again taken up at this time, and the following resolution was introduced, to wit:

R E S O L U T I O N No. 192

FEDERAL AID SECONDARY PROGRAM RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the relocation of South Dakota State Highway No. 20 with resulting changes in plans for the extension of the Codington Highway System has practically eliminated the need for the second and third mile from the south end of F.A.S. Project S-120 (2).

AND WHEREAS Codington County has built the south mile of Project S-120 (2) according to F.A.S. specifications.

AND WHEREAS the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County desire that the south three miles of said Project S-120 (2) be eliminated from the Project.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:
(1) That the State Highway Commission be and hereby is requested to release Federal Aid Matching Funds now being held for the south three miles of said Project S-120 (2).
(2) To advertize for bids for grading and gravel surfacing of that portion of said project with revisions in same, described as follows, to-wit:

F.A.S. Route No. 294 S120(2): "That portion, approximately seven miles, of S120(2), from the junction with State Highway No. 20, at Florence, South Dakota, thence south to the S.E. corner of Section 29, Township 118 North, Range 54, West of the Fifth P.M., thence west approximately one and three-quarters (1 3/4) miles to the junction with the road south along the west side of Medicine Lake. Plans on the above project to be revised to make a square corner (fifty foot radius stop junction) at the S.E. corner of Section 29, Township 118 North, Range 54, also, to eliminate the curve to the south at the west end of this portion of S120(2), the balance of S120(2) approximately three miles running south, to be eliminated from this project.

Vote of Commission, Yes 5 No None . Resolution is hereby declared adopted.
Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 1st day of December, 1953.

Einar Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. December 8, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
December 8, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $14963, Lee Barlow $5.10, Thos. C. Halajan $5.10, Albert Scott $22.50, Albert Van Oort $25.20; Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $39.00,for Mary L. Wilson $20.00, Emma Henthorne $19.00;

Mrs. Augusta Bunde $25.00, for Mrs. Louise Richter; Walter Gusso $25.00, for Bert Crandall; Louis Kinstad $231.00, for Ole Hanson $26.00; Ole Omodt $45.00; George Manley $35.00; Robt. Wiseman $45.00; Andrew Horn $35.00; Ole Aamodt $45.00; Mary E. Lohr $5.00, for Edith Kinsey; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $90.00, for David Bright $50.00; Lorence Albrecht $40.00; Irene Stockman $45.00, for Loretta Stockman; Watertown Rest Home $84.17, for L. Mourere $30.00; Fannie Baker $54.17; Mrs. Bessie Young $37.50, for Rose Dixon $15.00; Sarah Ann Black $10.00; Alpha Mudge $12.50; Annette Burgdorf $80.00, for Dooks Teijen $40.00; Ella Flanagan $40.00; States Atty. Steno.-Beverly DeVille $25.20; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $103.80, Oscar J. Fromke $64.35, James L. Keenan $88.20, Herb Skinner $82.04; Per Diem-Einar Jordeth $70.00.

Mr. & Mrs. Arthur McMahon appeared before the Board regarding county liens.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that the application of Arthur McMahon for a compromise settlement of county aid liens in the amount of $102.18 for a payment of $65.00 be approved. The motion carried.

Ralph Meyer and Jim Freeland appeared before the Board to request that the Board take some definite action to reduce the water level in Lake Kampeska. Meyer and Freeland referred to a recent survey of dams and waterways in the vicinity of Lake Kampeska by the State Dept. of Game, Fish and Parks wherein said Dept. had suggested lowering a certain dam about six inches to bring about the desired lower level of the Lake.

The Board declined to take any definite action on the matter until assured of authority to do so by the Game and Fish Dept.

Monthly statements for November, 1953 were checked and approved as follows: State Sanatorium at Sanator, S. D., $231.66; Redfield State Hospital, $573.33; Yankton State Hospital, $1860.83.

The Auditor's Account with the County Treasurer as of Dec. 1, 1953 was approved as follows: Total amount of deposits in banks, $495,575.26; Total amount of checks, drafts and cash in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $4,138.95; Government Bonds, $181,837.33; Total of all items, $681,551.54.

The County Veterans Service Office Individual Contact Report for November, 1953 was noted by the Board.

The application of Peder Valberg for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes plus penalty and interest in Henry Twp. in the amount of $308.03 for a payment of $280.00 was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Skinner.

Jim Nelson, County Tax Collector, appeared before the Board to request a leave of absence from Dec. 14, 1953 to April 1, 1954.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that foregoing request be granted. Motion carried.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: David Fleming, $8.00; Harry Kucker, $4.00.

Crow bounty claims were approved as follows: Andrew Mack, $.60; Delono Dunn, $.15.

The Board discussed the matter of employing an assistant custodian. It was generally agreed that Tracy Sherer be employed as assistant custodian at $150.00 per month for the remainder of 1953.

Road matters were discussed with resulting resolutions, to-wit:

R E S O L U T I O N No. 193

FEDERAL AID SECONDARY ROUTE

WHEREAS the Codington County, Board of Commissioners desire the addition of the following mileage to the Federal Aid Secondary Highway System:

:Beginning at the southwest corner of Section 20, Township 118 North, Range 55, West of the Fifth P.M., thence east four (4) miles to the northwest corner of Section 25, Township 118 North, Range 55, thence south one (1) mile to the southwest corner of Section 25, Township 118 North, Range 55, thence east one and one-half (1½) miles to connect with Route 294, S120(2), in Phipps and Fuller townships, a distance of approximately six and one-half (6½) miles."

"Beginning at the southwest corner of Section 28, Township 118 North, Range 54, West of the Fifth P. M., thence east approximately three (3) miles to connect with State No. 20, in Fuller township, a distance of approximately three (3) miles."

"Beginning at the southeast corner of Section 23, Township 118 North, Range 54, West of the Fifth P.M., and State No. 20, thence east four (4) miles to the southeast corner of Section 20, Township 118 North, Range 53, thence south three (3) miles to the southeast corner of Section 5, Township 117 North, Range 53 and connecting with State No. 20, in Fuller and Lake townships, a distance of approximately seven (7) miles."

AND WHEREAS the major portion of this is a mail route, also connecting with existing routes.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the State Highway Commission be and hereby is requested to recommend to the Public Roads Administration the selection of the roads described above as part of the Federal Aid Secondary Highway System.

Vote of Commission. Yes 5 No None. Resolution is hereby declared adopted.
Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 8th day of December 1953.

ATTEST:
Carl E. Bugan County Auditor

Einar Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota

R E S O L U T I O N No 194

FEDERAL AID SECONDARY ROUTE

WHEREAS the Codington County, Board of Commissioners desire the addition of the following mileage to the Federal Aid Secondary Highway System:

"Beginning at the southwest corner of Section 6, Township 119 North, Range 55, West of the Fifth P.M., at the Clark County line, thence east eight (8) miles to the southeast corner of Section 5, Township 119 North, Range 54, West of the Fifth P.M., in Eden and Dexter townships, a distance of approximately eight (8) miles."

"Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 5, Township 119 North, Range 54, West of the Fifth P.M., at the Day County line, thence south six (6) miles to the southeast corner of Section 32, Township 119 North, Range 54, connecting with State No. 20, in Dexter township, a distance of approximately six (6) miles."

AND WHEREAS the major portion of this is a mail route, also connecting with existing routes and anticipated routes.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the State Highway Commission be and hereby is requested to recommend to the Public Roads Administration the selection of the roads described above as part of the Federal Aid Secondary Highway System.

Vote of Commission. Yes 5 NoNone. Resolution is hereby declared adopted.
Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 8th day of December, 1953.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Einar Jordeth
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. December 11, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
Dec. 11, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: General-Court Expense-Gene Dahl $25.20, Arthur Sorkness $10.20, Ray Hayford $25.20, Lorenz Fox $15.00, Lance Barrett $10.20, Mrs. Bert Draves $5.80, Cecilia M. Bierne $110.67, Winfield Whitmore $11.90, Ed Graf $15.10, August Grewing $38.60, Leslie Jenkins $5.10, Mrs. Bert Tesch $5.60, Thos. Poor $7.00, Evelyn Gilliland $10.20, Arthur Lundberg $25.20, Clayton Bradshaw $25.20; Crow Bounty-Andrew Mack $.60, Delono Dunn $.15; Tax Collector-Ole James Nelson $548.62; Veterans Service-Rosella Howey $25.75; County Judge Office Expense-Beverly Madsen $18.00; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $46.00; Fees-Cliff Englund $59.84; Mileage-Cliff Englund $392.40; Court Expense-Cliff Englund $59.10, Bently & Simon $47.00, City Auditor $241.70, Eagle Cafe $3.91, Tucks Cafe $18.25; Ruhe Stationery Co. $20.85; Court House Maintenance-Tracy Sherer $73.31, City Treasurer $424.20, Dunlop Paper & Paint Co. $6.95, Hillyard Sales Co. $38.13, Arnold Hoftiezer $12.15, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $19.34, Park Grant Co. $47.20, Inman Plumbing & Heating Co. $17.55, Luxor Lighting Products $69.45, Nelson Hardware $12.01, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $225.05, Otis Elev. Co. $39.53, J. L. Reedy $4.00, O. P. Skaggs Store $1.74, Lloyd Shenk $1.50, Universal Improvement Co. $856.10, Watertown Machine Works $1.25; Board of Insanity-H. T. Kenney, M.D. $15.00; Convention & Research-Carl F. Bergan $21.62; County Farm-City Treasurer $33.61, Park Grant Co. $44.40, Kreisers Drug Store $5.36, Lien's Grocery $15.03, Spies Super Valu $4.95, Watertown Community Oil Co. $4.05, Alois Fox $75.00, Herberger's $43.17, K.D.Inc. $28.95, Marshall-Wells Store $5.48, Metz Baking Co. $6.50, Montgomery Ward & Co. $1.78, National Tea Co. $4.68, J. C. Penney Co. $5.84, Redlinger Bros. $31.07, Watertown Co-op Elev. Co. $92.35; Poor-O.P.Skaggs Store $50.00-Anna Kretzschmar $40.00, Albert L. Kritta $10.00; Acme Feed & Coal Co. $34.00-for Albert' L. Kritta $17.00, Harry Conrad $17.00; Bartron Hospital $1078.07-for Anna Kretzschmar $66.32, David Bright $105.62, Willie Schmeling $222.21, Gertrude Heathcote $15.78, Nellie Jensen $334.63, Nels C. Nielson $181.90, Herman Reich $53.36, Henry J. Webb Sr. $48.08, Earl Crocker $50.17; Bartron Clinic $528.53-for Henry Springer $3.83, Elaine Robison $3.78, Mrs. O.A. Olson $10.18, David Bright $67.74, Willie Schmeling $52.50, Gertrude Heathcote $12.00, Frank Metzinger $10.33, Margaret Papka $13.95, Frank Barthel Sr. $22.10, Mrs. Jas. Mack $5.91, Nellie Jensen $60.00, Nels C. Nielson $30.00, Chas. Underhill $5.76, Edgar Wight $17.52, Henry J. Webb Sr. $19.53, Soren Nelson $2.90, Mrs. Thos. Black $9.00, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $43.41, Herman Reich $30.00, Dawn Asby $4.55, Robt. Johnson Jr. $13.00, Fred Lenards $13.06, Michael Kinon $10.41, Mrs. Myrtle Nelson $5.82, Mrs. Joe Lindner $26.59, Ben Bergerson $10.33, B. J. Murray $14.33, Earl Crocker $10.00; Brown Clinic $276.50-for Joyce Christenson $40.00, Mrs. John Cosgrove $4.00, Otto Jungen $9.50, Mrs. Edith Mills $63.00, John Miller $64.00, A. R. Quade $4.50, Rollin Vance $58.50, Cliff Van Sickle $33.00; Dr. J.H. Crawford Jr. $186.25-for Matt Kemp $175.00, Ole Hanson $11.25; F. P. Creaser & Sons $7.90-for Mrs. Thos. Black; Duffners Drug Store $157.19-for A. R. Quade $3.50, Steve Wisneski $40.10, Peter DeMuynck $3.00, Mrs. Chas. Montney $13.44, Leo Breske $12.67, Mrs. John Cosgrove $13.00, Marsh Bradfield $20.00, Ole Hanson $16.10, Earl Crocker $14.50, Wm. Ball $16.00, Inga Yarns $11.20, B. J. Murray $7.80, L. Mourere $2.10, Robt. Wiseman $1.25; Haggars Drug Store $159.44-for Fern Washtoak $66.70, Mrs. Frank Klucas $17.25, Ed Goeman $21.00, Edith Bundy $4.45, Henry Anderson $13.00, Mrs. Ellen Anderson $21.00, John Farley $.85, Mary L. Wilson $6.10, Otto Jungen $8.35, Philomena Holzemer $5.70, Mrs. Edith Mills $8.50, Mildred Taylor $4.25; Lester Hansen Elev. Co. $21.11-for Fred Lenards; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $54.20-for Leora Rose $20.00, Mrs. Albert Krohn $22.50, Joe Lindner $11.70; Hollywood Grocery $54.14-for Mrs. Edith Bundy $24.14, Fred Boadwine $10.00, Elaine Robison $20.00; Kreisers Drug Store $75.81- for Dooks Teijen $53.68, Mathilda Blek $7.70, Ben Scott $14.43; Lien's Grocery $18.99-for Cora Barto; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $51.48-for

T.T. Leverett Sr. $25.60, Mrs. Edith Bundy $25.88; Mathiesen,Gergen,Rhodes Funeral Chapel $397.10-for Gertrude Heathcote $3.00, Henry J. Webb Sr. $3.00, Fannie Baker $3.00, David Bright $3.00, Ernest Clausen $155.10, LeRoy Krapf $230.00; Medical Arts Clinic $346.00-for Emma Klucas $40.00, Philomena Holzemer $28.00, Ed Goeman $20.00, Mr.& Mrs. Steve Wisneski $26.00, Henry Anderson $9.00, Fern Washtoak $21.00, Mrs. Ellen Anderson $8.00, Adolph Stankey $9.00, Olger Markuson $30.00, Irvin Eisenbise $14.00, Wayne Krueger $15.00, Fannie Baker $30.00, Theresa Schummer $75.00, Hilda Marie Ebens $21.00; Memorial Hospital $809.60-for Irvin Eisenbise $81.90, Matt Kemp $103.40, Mrs. Frank Klucas $77.29, Adolph Stankey $57.32, Alfred Vick $20.00, Nels T. Nelson $188.58, Louise Teijen $17.18, Olger Markuson $125.75, Fannie Baker $138.18; Minnehaha County Mental Health Center $30.00-for Frances Emery; S. D. Childrens Aid $60.00-for Sharon Schreifels $30.00, Robt. Schreifels $30.00; Shaw-Messer Amb. Service $12.50-for John Miller $12.50; Spies Super Valu $15.00-for Arthur Larson; St. Ann's Hospital $1141.86-for Joyce Christensen $150.63, Louise Cordell $107.70, Luke Henry Hopkins $130.61, Philomena Holzemer $142.87, John Miller $214.25, Edith Mills $144.25, Rollin A. Vance $251.55; Standard Oil Co.Huron $15.60-for Cora Barto; St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $71.25-for Rose Reade $43.75, John Welter $27.50; Mrs. Frieda Story $63.04-for Frances Emery $30.00, Mary Vermillion $33.04; Thomes Drug Store $67.00-for Minnie Johnson $5.25, Alfred Vick $31.80, Mrs. Theo. Treat $5.70, Lorence Albrecht $8.75, Richard DePeel $1.20, Louisa Richter $1.84, Lena Trumer $6.65, Harry G. Freeseman $13.25; Dr. M. C. Thompson $154.00-for Lorence Albrecht $22.00, David Bright $12.00, Earl Crocker $38.00, Minnie Johnson $20.00, Marion Kraft $15.00, Lena Trumer $8.00, Rollin A. Vance $22.00, John Farley $17.00; Dr. R. E. VanDemark $177.00-for Marvin Klatt; Watertown Clinic $92.50-for Donald A. Cordell $89.50, Sara Hanchett $3.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $30.00-for Edith Kinsey; Watertown Community Oil Co. $63.73-for Caroline Lausen $14.70, Fred Boadwine $14.70, Arlene Lohr $7.85, Tracy Sherer $3.93, Gustav Lentz $14.70, Carl Christenson $7.85; Webb Service Station $37.95-for Elaine Robison $15.50, Tracy Sherer $14.70, Harold L. Tibbits $7.75; County Extension-Fred Morris $36.95, Clara W. Johnson $8.58, S.D. Extension Visual Aids $13.50, Ruhe Stationery Co. $132.70; Treasurers Office Expense-Burroughs Corp. $.69, Educator Supply Co. $20.00, Mitchell Publ. Co. $53.16, Ruhe Stationery Co.$32.31, Western Trans. Co. $3.11; Auditor's Office Expense-City Engineering Dept. $2.50, Mitchell Publ. Co.$45.85, Ruhe Stationery Co. $71.79; Sheriffs Office Expense-Gerriets Radio Service $2.50, Secretary of State $8.25; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-LaFrance Office Equip. Co. $14.00, Railway Express Co. $1.80, Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.35; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Midwest-Beach Co. $7.36, Ruhe Stationery Co. $52.86; Supt. of Schools Mileage-Muriel Hoover $24.78; County Judge Office expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.80; Register of Deeds Office Expense -Ruhe Stationery Co. $7.64; Tax Collector Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $6.30; Public Welfare Office Expense $24.98; Printing & Advertising-South Shore Gazette $71.91, Henry Independent $71.50; ROAD-City Treasurer $6.37, Railway Express Co. $2.00, Lester Hansen Elev. Co. $46.75, Kreisers Drug Store $2.68, Atlantic Steel Corp. $165.90, Botsford Lbr. Co. $.96, Cave Supply Co. $79.89, Codington County Implement Co. $10.35, Empire Equip. Co. $188.51, J.D.Evans Equip. Co. $27.83, Florence Service $27.45, J. P. Foster Co. $108.74, Kenneth Hayes $9.90, R.E.Hubbard Co. $14.30, International Harvester Co. $31.46, Philip Jesme $19.00, Johnson Farm Equip. Co. $43.25, Koch's Station $20.40, K & Z Service Station $10.14, LaNoue's Radiator Shop $18.00, Mahowald Co. $24.61, Motor Supply Co. $24.89, Northwestern Pub. Serv. Co. $6.48, Nowthwestern Road Supply Co. $6.05, Olson Appliance Co.$61.36, Reaney's Service Station $253.10, Sander's Chevrolet Co. $6.60, Sioux Road Equip. Co. $19.95, Arthur Schwandt $30.91, Harold Scriver $3.02, Watertown Machine Works $17.45, Watertown Tire Co. $251.95, Williams Hardware Co. $12.75; C.M.V.-Western Surety Co. $600.00; C.H. & B.R.-Mahowald Co. $2.40, Lyle Signs, Inc. $16.06, Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $2.75; SPECIAL BRIDGE-S.D. Concrete Products Co. $457.08; TEXTBOOK Railway Express Co. $2.37, Allyn & Bacon, Inc. $12.00, Lyons & Carnahan $26.04, Scott, Foresman & Co. $19.38, Wilson Truck System $1.50; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $2.27, Paul David $5.82, Robert Redlin $6.52, Joe J. Fox $5.68.

At the Board's request, Harold Scriver appeared to inform the Board of the circumstances relating to an accident which occurred about 9:00 A.M. December 9, 1953, on U.S. Highway 81 about one and one-half (1½) miles north of Watertown involving a Codington County road maintainer driven by Scriver and a passenger car carrying seven school children.

Donald Nogelmeier, Carl Spiering and Arthur Spiering appeared before the Board to discuss road matters relating to Kampeska Twp. No action was taken.

The matter of research in county government as authorized by the 1953 legislature was discussed.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that Codington County "join in" on the services offered by the University of South Dakota relating to county government research as provided in Senate Bill 135, Chapter 25 of the 1953 Session Laws. The motion carried.

On a motion by Fromke and second by Belk, predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Elmer Gutgesell, Warren Thacker and Alvin Rossow, $4.00 each.

Frank M. Albright appeared before the Board to request partial release of county aid liens of Frank Albright and Mrs. Frank Albright in-so-far as said liens pertain to property described as Lot 6, Blk. 2, in South Shore, S. D.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that the foregoing application for partial release be approved for the reason that the Frank Albright against whom the liens are filed is not the same Frank M. Albright on whose abstract of title the liens appear. The motion carried.

F. J. Scholtz appeared before the Board with an application for partial release of county aid liens of Lillian Peterson which appear on the abstract of title to property described as Lot 3, Block 3, Rice Bros. addition to Watertown now owned by Mr. Scholtz.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that foregoing application of F. J. Scholtz be granted for a payment of $10.00. The motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., December 15, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
Dec. 15, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Jordeth, Fromke, Keenan and Belk present, Skinner absent; Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Convention & Research-Herb Skinner $22.40, Oscar Fromke $8.10, James L. Keenan $22.10, Einar Jordeth $8.10; Per Diem & mileage-James Keenan $37.70, Oscar Fromke $38.40, Vernon H. Belk $77.50; Per Diem-Einar Jordeth $40.00; Court Expense-Molly Belatti $20.20, Fred Fiebelkorn $10.20, John Strichertz Jr. $27.20, Angela Brewster $10.20, Gertrude Howey $5.10, Loren Wolf $38.40, Rose Swenson $10.20, Glen Jensen $27.00, Leonard Bowen $37.60.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for hearing on applications for permits to engage in the retail sale of alcoholic beverages within Codington County, outside the corporate limits of any town or city, applications were presented to the Board for consideration as follows:

Frank Schmitt, Lot 5, Block 3, Town of Waverly; C.J. Ruhr, North 19 ft. of Lots 1 & 2, Block 3, Town of Kranzburg; Joseph Murray, Lots 1 & 2, Block 3, Town of Waverly; Elmer E. Jensen, Lots 13, 14 and 15, Block 2, Town of Kranzburg.

As no one appeared to protest the granting of foregoing applications, it was moved by Keenan and seconded by Belk that same be approved. Motinn carried.

The County Auditor reported the sale of tax deed property described as Lot 8, Block 5, Davis Addition to Watertown from Codington County to Benjamin H. Corwin for $10.00.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that Chairman Jordeth be authorized to sign and the County Auditor attest a quit claim deed to above described property from Codington County to Benjamin H. Corwin. Motion carried.

The County Auditor reported that payments in the total amount $1,500.00 on contract for deed to property described as the SE¼ & E½ of SW¼ of Sec. 21-119-51 had been made in full by Frank W. Durkee.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that Chairman Jordeth be authorized to sign and the County Auditor attest a quit claim deed to said SE¼ & E½ of SW¼ of Sec. 21-119-51 from Codington County to Frank W. Durkee and wife, Jennie Durkee. Motion carried.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Taecker appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to the accident on U.S. Highway 81, about one and one-half (1½) miles north of Watertown on December 9, 1953, involving six of their children and a county road patrol.

On motion, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. December 17, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
Dec. 17, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Jordeth, Fromke, Keenan and Belk present, Skinner absent; Jordeth presiding.

Lester Schull, chairman of the Watertown Chamber of Commerce Civic Development Committee, and Lloyd Eastman, executive secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to plans for a Codington County Fair. No formal action was taken by the Board. Individual opinions were expressed by Board members indicating that they would favor a long-term lease on the Watertown Airport grounds, which are currently being considered as the most desirable site for the Fair, and that the handling of the Fair be turned over to a non-profit organization.

The Board recessed at 11:15 A.M. and went out to the County Farm to cull out livestock for market.

The Board returned and reconvened at 1:30 P.M. Matters relating to County welfare and plans for 1954 were discussed.

At 4:00 P.M. Commissioner Skinner appeared and took his place on the Board.

The Bauman Brothers of Huron, S. D. appeared before the Board to protest the 1952 personal property assessment on inventory at the G.A. Wilson Co., now owned by the Bauman Brothers. The Board declined to take any action on the matter pending recommendations from the Watertown assessor and Council.

On motion, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. December 22, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
December 22, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Jordeth, Fromke and Keenan present, Belk and Skinner absent; Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Dorothy Below $210.00, Irma Welch $190.00, Pearl Bergan $180.00, Alice Olson $150.00; County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00, Alma Gerberding $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68, Harriett Horning $205.00, Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-J.Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $180.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $283.75, Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; Treasurers Office Extra Help-Frances Poage $92.70; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl Deal $175.00, Ed Gould $40.70, Clarence Helle $35.15, Curtis Underwood $25.65, Chris Engels $24.30, Dan Shenk $50.15, Beverly Mackelson $3.69, D.B. Purintun $5.95, Herbert Borns $68.50, Tracy Sherer $1.02, Tracy Sherer $85.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Katherine Downs $25.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00, Herbert Kuhlman $53.00; Veterans Service $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $165.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $100.00, Pearl Klemsrud $50.00; Per Diem & Mileage-Herb Skinner $45.95; Poor-C.O. Monson $9.00 for Mrs. Andrew Hegg; Mrs. Wm. Zamow $9.00 for Mrs. Andrew Hegg; Minnehaha County Mental Health Center $130.00; C.M.V.-Lars G. Larson $325.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $175.00, Sever Tobiason $200.00, Bert Smith $20.00, J. P. Haug $260.15, John Rennie $248.30, Ed Gould $137.10, James Hendren $167.37, Howard Williams $181.25, Alfred Spring $165.00, Carl Zweig Jr. $249.70, E. Spearbeck $172.54, Fred Brownell $122.29, Leo Clausen $163.92, John Strait $167.72, Clarence Helle $123.60, Curtis Underwood $43.82, Raymond Riley $249.70, Chris Engels $6.39, Clarence Sumner $272.90; C.H. & B.R.-Ed Gould $66.00, James Hendren $71.50, Howard Williams $59.40, Alfred Spring $67.10, E. Spearbeck $38.00, Fred Brownell $57.95, Leo Clausen $51.30, John Strait $47.50, Clarence Helle $38.95, Curtis Underwood $47.50, Chris Engels $22.50.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Harold Selchert, Harry Kucker and Glenn Stadheim, $4.00 each; David Fleming, $8.00.

Russel R. Hopkins appeared before the Board with an application for a compromise settlement of county aid liens of his son, Russel F. Hopkins, in the amount of $200.96 and his own in the amount of $50.70.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that a payment of $100.00 be accepted as a compromise settlement in full for the Hopkins liens in the total amount of $251.66. The motion carried.

On motion, the Board adjourned to 9:00 A.M. Dec. 29, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
December 29, 1953

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 9:00 A.M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL -Court expense-George Peck $7.00, Mike Wagner $21.60.

Pursuant to notice of hearing on petitions to add roads to the County Highway System duly published in the official county newspapers, comes now the hearing on Petition No. 9 requesting addition of the following described road, to-wit:

"66 ft. in width lying along the section line between the west half of Sections 19 and 30 in Twp. 117, Range 52 in Codington County, thence south between the section line boundary between the north half of Section 25-117-53 and the north half of Section 30-117-52 to connect with the extension west on Tenth Avenue North."

Math Suttor, Earl Mills, Joe Johnson and Lester Schull appeared before the Board for this hearing. After some discussion concerning the exact location of the proposed highway, Chairman Jordeth appointed the entire Board to act as a committee of inspection on this road and also the other three coming on for hearings on this date, Dec. 29, 1953.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that on December 31, 1953 the necessary inspections and all committee reports be made on the four roads above mentioned. The motion carried.

10:00 A.M., Comes now the hearing on Petition No. 7 for addition to the County Highway System of section line highway described as follows: "Beginning at the SE Corner of Section 20-118-51, thence north ten miles to the NE Corner of Section 5-119-51, all in Waverly and Leola Twps."

Appearing before the Board for this hearing were the following: Lars Koustrup, Edwin C. Matthes, A. H. Lindgren, Paul Guderian, David Guderian, Fred Walsh, Joe Comes, Joe Murray, Lawrence DeVries, Delmer Lindgren, T. A. Zemlicka, Harley Zemlicka and Dale Zemlicka.

The delegation indicated that they favored the addition of this road to the County System for the reason that it would serve a large number of families and also serve as a connecting link to the Grant County System.

The Board pointed out that the north three miles and also the south three miles of this proposed highway would be located only a mile from present county roads for which reason it would be doubtful whether this road, as petitioned, could be added to the County System.

Applications for dance hall licenses for the calendar year, 1954 were presented to the Board at this time as follows: Arthur Schwanke and Venard Brandriet for the "Flamingo"

located on Outlot 1, Section 7-117-53 Lake Twp.; Albert DeVille for the "Sunnyside", located on Lot 13, Gilmore Beach addition to Lake Twp., Section 31-117-53; W. C. Williams for the "Marine Room" and the "Rainbow Room", both located on Lot 3, Section 29-117-54.

In checking foregoing license applications it was noted by the Board that the licensing of the "Flamingo" should properly come under the jurisdiction of the City of Watertown for the reason that said "Flamingo" is within a mile of the city limits. Action on same was deferred pending a decision as to whether the license should be issued by the City of Watertown or Codington County.

The matter of fees for dance hall licenses for the year 1954 was discussed by the Board. It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that pursuant to Section 53.0204 S.D.C. 1939, the amount required to be paid for a license for the conducting, maintaining, or operating any public dance hall in Codington County, outside corporate limits, shall be $25.00 per year except for the "Rainbow Room" at Stony Point, Lake Kampeska which shall be $50.00 per year. The motion carried.

Dance hall license applications for 1954 were approved by the Board as follows: Albert DeVille for "Sunnyside", Lake Kampeska; W. C. Williams for the "Marine Room" and the "Rainbow Room" both at Stony Point, Lake Kampeska.

Carl and Arthur Spiering and Donald Nogelmeier appeared before the Board with a petition to add to the County Highway System the following described road, to-wit: "Beginning at the SE Corner of Sec. 3-116-54, thence approximately one mile east to the SE Corner of Section 2-116-54, this being the legal mail route; and to abandon from the County System the following described road: "Approximately one and one-half miles beginning at the SE Corner of Section 2-116-54, thence south one-half mile to the east quarter line of Section 11-116-54, thence west one mile to the west quarter line of Section 11-116-54 intersecting with the county road running north and south."

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that foregoing petition be filed pending hearing on same. The motion carried.

2:00 P.M. Comes now the hearing on Petition No. 8 requesting addition to the County Highway System of the following described road, to-wit: "Beginning at the NE Corner of Section 21-117-52, thence south one mile to the SE Corner of Section 21-117-52, thence one and one-half miles to the Mt. Hope Cemetery, between sections 20 and 29-117-52, all in Elmira Twp."

M. J. Fox and Fred Kirsch appeared before the Board for this hearing. As no one protested the addition of this road, the Board set Thursday, December 31, 1953 as the time for the committee report on same.

3:00 P.M. Comes now the hearing on Petition No. 10, requesting addition to the County Highway System of the following described road, to-wit: "Beginning at the NW Corner of Section 30-119-54 thence south approximately one-half mile to intersect with the new S.D. Highway No. 20."

No one appeared for this hearing. The Board set Thursday, December 31, 1953 as the time for the committee report on said road.

The application of Sarah E. Davis for a compromise settlement of county aid liens of Sarah Davis and Hugh Davis, deceased, in the amount of $41.40 for a payment of $25.00 was approved by the Board on a motion by Skinner and second by Fromke.

The official bond and oath of Henry Klemsrud, County Farm Superintendent, in the amount of $500.00 was approved by the Board on a motion by Skinner and second by Fromke.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., December 31, 1953.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
December 31, 1953

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Jordeth, Fromke, Skinner and Keenan present, Belk absent - Jordeth presiding.

Venard Brandriet appeared before the Board regarding the application for a 1954 dance hall license for the "Flamingo" at Lake Kampeska.

As noted in Commissioners Proceedings of December 29, 1953, the County Board had decided that the "Flamingo" should properly come under the jurisdiction of the City of Watertown. After some discussion it was generally agreed that if it were satisfactory to all concerned, said "Flamingo" would continue under county jurisdiction.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that the application of Schwanke and Brandriet for a 1954 dance hall license for the "Flamingo", located on Outlot 1, Section 7-117-53, Lake Twp., be approved and a license be issued for a fee of $25.00. Motion carried.

Commissioner Fromke became ill and was excused from the Board at noon.

At 1:30 P.M. Commissioner Belk appeared and took his seat on the Board.

At 2:00 P. M. the Board recessed and went out to inspect highways petitioned for addition to the County System, as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of Dec. 29, 1953.

The Board returned from the highway inspection at 3:30 P. M. but postponed their committee report till their regular meeting to be held January 5, 1954.

Irving Hinderaker appeared before the Board with a petition signed by ten freeholders of Codington County praying for vacation of the following described section line highway, to-wit: "The section line highway lying between Lots 1 and 2 of Pebble Beach in U.S. Government Lots numbered 1 and 2 of Section 31-117-53, and Lot 4 in Section 30-117-53, all in Codington County, South Dakota, which highway is approximately 250 ft. in length, lying between the westerly boundary of the above described property and the shore line of Lake Kampeska."

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the County Auditor file the foregoing petition and cause notice of hearing on same to be published in the Watertown Public Opinion for three successive weeks, said publication to be on January 2, 9 and 16, 1954, and hearing on said petition to be held at 10:00 A.M. February 2, 1954. The motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., January 5, 1954.

Carl F Bryan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 5, 1954

The Board of County Commissioners convened in regular session at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Jordeth presiding.

Minutes of meetings of December 1, 8, 11, 15, 17, 22, 29 and 31, 1953 were approved by the Board.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner, verified claims were allowed as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Louis Anenson $40.40, Cecilia Beirne $110.67, Gertrude Moriarty $4.00; Tax Collector-Ole James Nelson $196.00.

M. J. Fox, Harry Weagel, Joe Johnson and Martin DeVille appeared before the Board to be present for the committee report on roads petitioned for addition to the County System.

Pursuant to inspection of roads petitioned for addition to the County System as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of December 31, 1953, comes now the report of the Committee as follows:

Report of Committee

Commissioner Fromke, serving as clerk for the Committee, first reported roads inspected by petition number and description as follows:

Petition No. 7 - "Beginning at the SE Corner of Sec. 20-118-51, thence north ten miles to the NE Corner of Sec. 5-119-51, all in Waverly and Leola Twps."

Petition No. 8 - "Beginning at the NE Corner of Sec. 21-117-52 thence south one mile to the SE Corner of Sec. 21-117-52 thence west 1½ miles to the Mt. Hope Cemetery, between Sections 20 and 29-117-52, all in Elmira Twp."

Petition No. 9 - "66 Ft. in width lying along the section line between the west half of Sections 19 and 30-117-52, thence south between the north half of Sec. 25-117-53 and the north half of Sec. 30-117-52, to connect with the extension west on 10th Ave. North in Watertown, S. D."

Petition No. 10 - "Beginning at the NW Corner of Sec. 30-119-54, thence south approximately one-half mile to intersect with new S.D. Highway No. 20."

Committee recommends that Petition No. 7 be rejected. It was moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that Committee report be accepted and that Petition be rejected. On roll call vote all commissioners voted "Yea". Motion carried.

Committee recommends that Petition No. 8 be rejected. It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that the Committee report be accepted and Petition No. 8 be rejected. At this time M. J. Fox spoke to the Board urging that said Petition No. 8 be reconsidered and that the Board recommend its approval.

The Board pointed out that 1½ miles of the road petitioned parallels 1½ miles of County road only one mile north, and that highway petitioned for is adequate as is. After further discussion, Commissioner Belk called for the "question". Roll call vote resulted as follows: Skinner-Dist. #1 "No"; Belk-Dist.#2 "Yes"; Jordeth-Dist. #3 "yes"; Fromke-Dist.#4 "Yes"; Keenan-Dist.#5 "No". Motion carried, and Chairman Jordeth declared Petition No. 8 rejected.

Committee reports favorably on Petition No. 9 and recommends that same be approved. It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that Committee report be accepted and that Petition No. 9 be approved. On roll call vote, all Commissioners voted "Yea" whereupon the Chairman declared the motion carried and Petition No. 9 be approved.

Committee reports favorably on Petition No. 10 and recommends that same be approved. It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that the Committee report be accepted and that Petition No. 10 be approved. On roll call vote all Commissioners voted "Yea" whereupon the Chairman declared the motion carried.

The Veterans Service Officer's monthly report for December, 1953 was noted by the Board.

Monthly statements for December, 1953 were checked and approved as follows: State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis, Sanator, S. D. $234.52; Yankton State Hospital $1926.15; Redfield State Hospital $575.00.

As there was no more old business to be taken up at this time, it was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that the Board adjourn sine die. Motion carried.

The Board immediately reconvened and took up the business of reorganization for 1954. Chairman Jordeth requested the County Auditor to take the Chair for election of the Chairman.

The Auditor called for nominations for Chairman. Keenan was nominated by Commissioner Belk. It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Jordeth that nominations cease and that the Secretary cast a unanimous ballot for Keenan. Motion carried and Keenan was declared Chairman of the Board for 1954.

Keenan assumed the Chair and called for nominations for Vice Chairman. Fromke was nominated. It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that nominations cease and that the Secretary cast a unanimous ballot for Fromke. Motion carried and Fromke was declared duly elected Vice Chairman.

The County Treasurer appeared before the Board to request permission to make necessary changes in her office telephone set-up to better accommodate the larger size tax records of this year. The Board granted her request.

Pursuant to notice by letter from the State Weed Supervisor, Charles J. Gilbert, that a member of the Board of County Commissioners shall be selected annually to serve on the County Weed Board, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that Einar Jordeth be appointed from the Codington County Board of Commissioners to serve on the County Weed Board for 1954. Motion carried.

Chairman Keenan appointed Commissioner Jordeth to serve again on the County Extension Board for 1954.

C.S. Rasmusson, State Highway Resident Engineer, and T.J. Bunn, District Engineer of the State Highway Commission, appeared before the Board for the purpose of checking details regarding roads petitioned for addition to the Federal Aid Secondary System as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of December 8, 1953.

Monthly statements of fees collected during December, 1953 were checked and approved as follows: Clerk of Courts, $206.40; Register of Deeds, $587.65.

The business of selecting official newspapers for 1954 came up at this time. Applications for designation as official newspaper were presented to the Board for consideration as follows: South Shore Gazette, Henry Independent, Watertown Photo News and Watertown Public Opinion.

Chairman Keenan requested that the County Auditor poll the Board with roll call vote resulting as follows: Skinner-Dist.#1-Watertown Public Opinion, Photo News, South Shore Gazette. Belk-Dist.#2-Watertown Public Opinion, Henry Independent, South Shore Gazette. Jordeth-Dist.#3-South Shore Gazette, Watertown Public Opinion, Henry Independent. Fromke-Dist.#4-Watertown Public Opinion, South Shore Gazette, Henry Independent. Keenan-Dist.#5-South Shore Gazette, Watertown Public Opinion, Photo News.

The Auditor announced results of the poll as follows; Watertown Public Opinion 5, South Shore Gazette 5, Henry Independent 3, Watertown Photo News 2.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that the Watertown Public Opinion, South Shore Gazette and the Henry Independent, having received the most votes, be designated as the official County newspapers for 1954. Motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. Jan. 6, 1954.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 6, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Sheriff, Cliff Englund appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to personnel arrangement between his office and the County Highway Department.

The business of appointing committees for special functions for the year, 1954, was taken up at this time. With the approval of the Board, Chairman Keenan appointed Committees as follows:

Committees for 1954

First named in each committee to act as Chairman; Chairman of the Board to act as ex officio member of all committees.

1. Finance.....Belk, Fromke, Skinner
2. Purchasing (Court House supplies)...Fromke, Skinner, Keenan
3. Court House & Jail.....Skinner, Fromke, Jordeth
4. Insurance.....Fromke
5. County Home.....Keenan, Belk, Jordeth
6. Rural Property.....Jordeth, Belk, Keenan
7. City Property.....Fromke, Skinner
8. Memorial Park.....Belk, Jordeth, Keenan
9. Highway Purchase.....Belk

Dale M. Dilk, Claim Representative of the Hartford Accident and Indemnity Co. of Sioux Falls, S.D., appeared before the Board on insurance matters. No action was taken.

At the Board's request, Sever Tobiason of the County Highway Department, appeared to discuss highway matters. The Board requested Mr. Tobiason to take charge of highway matters during the illness and absence of Highway Supt., L. G. Larson.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. January 7, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 7, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

L. C. Lausen, Elmer Schmeling and Albert Mohr, Rauville Twp. Board of Supervisors, appeared before the County Board to discuss road matters. They asked the Board to give serious consideration to the possibility of adding the county Highway from the Baskerville and Dahl Corner on U.S. Highway 81 west to the new S.D. Highway No. 20 to the Federal Aid Secondary Road System. The Board agreed to give the matter consideration in future highway planning, but took no action at this time.

The remainder of the morning was spent in checking Sheriff's fee records of 1953 and Register of Deeds fee records.

The Board adjourned at 12:30 P.M. till 10:00 A.M., January 8, 1954, and left at 1:30 P.M. to attend the quarterly meeting of the Lake Region Commissioners Association at Webster, S. D.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
January 8, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Commissioners Skinner and Fromke having made the required annual check in the County Treasurer's Office between 9:00 and 10:00 A.M. of this date, January 8, 1954, reported as follows: Cash on hand-$2,646.49; Checks-$9,730.53; Total Cash and Checks-$12,377.02; one check in the amount of $37.92 had been held over three days.

Pursuant to advertizing for bids in the official county newspapers for supplies for the County Highway Department for 1954 as follows, to-wit: Reinforced concrete tile 15" and up, metal culverts 15" and up, chemical weed spray, and petroleum products (both bulk and service station), and, this being the time and place fixed by the Board for the opening of said bids, Chairman Keenan requested the County Auditor to open and read the bids submitted.

South Dakota Concrete Products Co., Watertown, submitted the only bid on concrete tile at prices ranging from $1.75 per lineal foot in 15" size up to $26.80 in 84" size.

Northwestern Road Supply Co., Watertown, H.V.Johnston Culvert Co., Aberdeen, S. D., C.A. Branson Culvert Co., Aberdeen, S. D., and Armco Drainage and metal Products, Inc., Sioux Falls, S. D. submitted bids on metal culverts. Prices on all metal culvert bids ranged from $2.11 per ft. on 15" size up to $29.55 per ft. on 84" size. All bids were identical on similar metals.

Socony Vacuum Oil Co., Inc. of Aberdeen, S. D. and the Huron Branch of the Standard Oil Co. of Indiana submitted bids on bulk petroleum products. Both firms bid gasoline at posted tank wagon price at Watertown on date of delivery anywhere in Codington County, less 1.5¢ per gal. Contract discount.

Two grades of diesel fuel were bid by each firm. Standard bid posted tank wagon prices at time of delivery and quoted prices as of this date at 14.7¢ and 13.7¢ per gal. in 100 gal. or more, deliveries for the first and second grade fuel, respectively.

Socony bid posted tank wagon price at time of delivery at place of delivery, less 1¢ per gal. on 100 gal. or more at one time and to one place, quoting prices as of this date at 16.3¢ per gal. and 14.6 per gal. for the first and second grade fuels respectively.

Standard's motor oils in barrel lots ranged in price from 58¢ per gal. to 97¢; their greases from 8¢ per lb. to 13.5¢ per lb.

Socony's motor oils in barrel lots ranged in price from 54¢ per gal. to 96¢; Gear oils and greases, from 9 7/8¢ per lb. to 17 7/8¢.

Weed Spray bids were submitted by the following firms: Watertown Milling Co. and General Mills, both of Watertown, and Standard Oil Co. of Huron.

In 50 gal. lots, prices ranged as follows, depending on percentage of Butyl Ester or Isopropyl Ester and lbs. acid per gal., to wit: General Mills-$2.80 per gal. for Butyl Ester 2 2/3 lb. acid, $3.72 per gal. for Butyl Ester 4 lb. acid; Isopropyl Ester 37%, 3.34 lb. acid per gal. $3.10, and 6 lb. acid per gal. $5.50.

Watertown Milling Co.-Butyl Ester 40%, 3.34 lb. acid per gal., $3.07; Butyl Ester 50%, 3.34 lb. acid, $3.44; Isopropyl Ester 45% 3.34 lb. acid per gal., $3.44; Butyl Ester 80-5 lb. per gal. and 4 lb. acid per gal., $4.18.

Standard Oil Co.-4 lb. acid per gal., in 30 gal. bbl. $4.45 per gal.

Bids to supply County Highway motor vehicles at the service station were submitted by Reaneys Standard Service and Putnam's Uptown Service, both of Watertown. Both firms bid gasoline (regular and ethyl) at 3¢ off posted pump price at time of delivery. Reaney's bid canned motor oil at prices per qt. for first, second and third grade oils of 40¢, 30¢ and 25¢, respectively. Socony bid bulk motor oils, first, second and third grade at 30¢,

25¢ and 20¢ per quart respectively.

After all bids had been opened and read, the Board interviewed representatives of firms submitting bids separately, and set the time for the letting of the bids as follows: Concrete and metal culverts, 1:30 P.M.; Weed Spray, 2:30 P.M.; Bulk petroleum and service station bids; 3:30 P.M.

At times specified above the Board acted on bids as follows:

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the concrete tile and culvert bid of the S.D. Concrete Products Co. be accepted and that said firm be permitted to file a contract bond in lieu of the certified check. The motion carried.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Skinner that the Weed Spray bid of General Mills be accepted. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Jordeth that the bulk petroleum products bid of Socony Vacuum Oil Co. be accepted. Motion carried.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the service station bid of Putnam's Uptown Service be accepted. Motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. January 11, 1954.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown,So. Dak.
January 11, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Skinner, Jordeth and Belk present, Fromke absent. Keenan presiding.

The morning was spent in checking Sheriff's fees of 1953 and office inventories.

At 2:00 P.M. C.C. Allensworth, manager of the Metz Baking Co., appeared before the Board for information relating to assessment and equalization on the Metz Baking Co. structure in Watertown. The Board explained the procedure of assessment and equalization to Mr. Allenworth's satisfaction.

The remainder of the day was spent in checking Sheriff's fees and office inventories.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. January 12, 1954.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, So. Dak.
January 12, 1954

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

On motion by Belk and second by Jordeth, verified claims were approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hubert Klatt $28.00, Cliff Englund $66.64, W.S. Darley & Co.$16.63, Joe H. Johnson $5.00, Geo. W. Burke $5.00, Dale E. Bradshaw $35.75, Mabel C. Alworth $30.00, Palace of Sweets $94.75, Mrs. Elvera Englund $5.00; Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $77.13-for Mary L. Wilson $20.00, Mr.& Mrs. Ed McPeek $38.13, Emma Henthorne $19.00; Mrs. Aug. Bunde $25.00-for Louisa Richter; Annette Burgdorf $175.00-Ella Flanagan $40.00, Dooks Teigen $40.00, Nels T. Nelson $95.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Louis C. Kinstad $186.00-Ole Hanson $26.00, Ole Omodt $45.00, Geo. Manley $35.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ole Aamodt $45.00; Irene Stockman $45.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $100.00-Lorence Albrecht $40.00, David E. Bright $60.00; Watertown Rest Home $30.00-for L. Mourere; Mrs. Grace Wilson $30.00-Edith Kinsey; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00-for Rosa Dixon $15.00,Sarah Ann Black $10.00; Bauer's Grocery $30.00-for Earl L. Good; Brown Clinic $139.00-Mrs. John Cosgrove $4.00, Mrs. Ella Flanagan $3.00, Albert Krohn $9.50, Mrs. Wm. Luck $33.50, John Miller $8.50, A.R. Quade $4.50, Seymore Peterson $19.00, Gwen Stein $8.00, Dooks Teigen $19.00, Cliff Van Sickle $30.00; Busy Bee Cafe $13.70-for Henry Stillwell; Clark Medical Clinic $4.00-for Richard DePeel; F.P. Creaser & Sons $97.63-for Thos. Black $32.13, Evelyn Schultz $22.50, Richard Kemp $22.50, Robert Sharp $20.50; R.E. Crichton Oil Co. $29.40-for Anton Kraus $14.70, Joe Gerjets $14.70; Duffner Drug Store $144.54-Ole Omodt $5.22, Wm. Ball $41.00, Inga Yarns $13.35, Pete DeMuynck $3.75, C.W. Montney $18.97, Marsh Bradfield $11.80, Ole Hanson $22.00, Leo Breske $13.91, A. R. Quade $1.50, Steve Wisneski $16.20, L. Mourere $1.25, B.J. Murray $5.10, Mrs. John Cosgrove $6.55; D.N. Fedt, M.D. $10.00-for Mrs. Will Norman; Haggars Drug Store $96.56-for N.T. Nelson $2.50, Frank Klucas $5.85, Ed Goeman $21.60, Philomena Holzemer $26.85, Mrs. Ellen Anderson $13.50, Mrs. Mildred Taylor $6.95, John Farley $5.89, Fern Washtoak $24.15; Lester Hansen Elev. Co. $33.98-for Fred Lenards; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $42.50-for Arthur Larson $22.50, Leora Mae Rose $20.00; Hollywood Grocery $54.00-for Harold L. Tibbits $30.00, Elaine Robison $10.00, Mrs. Edith Bundy $14.00; Huebner Oil Co. $36.76-for Frank Metzinger $14.70, Wm. Glendenning $22.06; Huron Clinic $15.00-for LeRoy Krapf; Kreiser's Drug Store $51.50-for Mathilda Blek $2.31, Anna Parsley $38.19, Mary Troelson $1.50, Dooks Teigen $9.50; Lampert Lbr. Co. $22.50-for Joe Lindner; Lien's Grocery $15.00-for Cora Barto $10.00, Ella Lentz $5.00; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $75.17-for Mrs. Blair Tessier $11.75, Mrs. Thos Redwing $25.10, Jas. A. Grovenburg $14.35, Edith Bundy $23.97; Math.Gergen & Rhodes Funeral Chapel $150.00; Medical Arts Clinic $496.00-for Mary Troelson $6.00, Anna Larson $205.00, Earl Crocker $30.00, Philomena Holzemer $16.00, Frank Klucas $16.00, Mr.& Mrs.Steve Wisneski $50.00, Ed Goeman $23.00, Fannie Baker $30.00, Hilda Marie Ebens $30.00, Fern Washtoak $21.00, Iva Krueger $44.00, Ole Hanson $2.00, L. Mourere $2.00, Henry Anderson $14.00, Robt. Wiseman $4.00, Mrs. C.W.Montney $3.00; Michaels Clothes, Inc. $11.90-for Geo. Manley; Northwestern Hotel $15.00-for Henry Stillwell; J.C. Penney Co. $8.78-for Loren Wohlwend; So. Dak. Childrens Aid $64.05-Sharon Schreifels $30.00, Robt. Schreifels $34.05; Shaw-Messer Chapel $44.00-for Steve

Wisneski $3.00, Baby Boy Christenson $41.00; Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. $14.70-for Mrs. C.E. Underhill; Spies Super Valu $55.00-for James Grovenburg $10.00, Gustav Lentz $30.00, Arthur Larson $15.00; St. Ann's Hospital $532.73-for Anna Larson $252.5I, Gwen Stein $6.20, Steve Wisneski $274.02; St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $68.00-for Rose Reade $43.00, John Welter $25.00; Standard Oil Co. $37.20-for Wm. Barto $22.50, Will norman $14.70; Mrs. Frieda Story $63.00-for Frances Emery $32.00, Mary Vermillion $31.00; Dr. M. C. Thompson $101.00-for Lorence Albrecht $12.00, David Bright $15.00, John Farley $14.00, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $12.00, Marion Kraft $24.00, Lena Trumer $12.00, R.A. Vance $12.00; Thomes Drug Store $82.66-for Richard DePeel $3.60, Mrs. Treat $5.60, Minnie Johnson $2.80, Alfred Vick $32.70, Harry Freeseman $8.50, Lorence Albrecht $3.00, R.A. Vance $18.25, Louisa Richter $6.50, Joyce Shristianson $1.40, Lena Trumer $7.50, Seymore Peterson $2.00; Webb Service Station $30.20-for Harold Tibbits $22.45, Lew Fjerstad $7.75; Codington County Oil Co. $59.30-for John Fjerstad $15.20, Mary Tribitt $14.70, Carl Good $14.70, Olaf Erickson $14.70; Northside Grocery $45.00-for Carl Christenson $35.00, Gerrit Katze $10.00; Memorial Hospital $2093.24-for Hilda Marie Ebens $307.35, Hans Hill $170.69, Otis Olson $43.45, Cliff Van Sickle $516.64, Rex Richmond $69.70, Fannie Baker $226.60, G.O. Wigdahl $17.10, Earl Crocker $307.97, Alfred Vick $13.50, Donna Thompson $420.24; Veterans Service Office-Rosella Howey $21.25; Co. Judge Office Expense-Beverly Madsen $18.00; Board of Health-Dr. H. Russell Brown $150.00; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $90.80; Sheriffs Fees-Cliff Englund $45.81; County Treas. Office Expense-National Cash Register Co. $3.43, Wilson Storage & Transfer Co. $1.50, LeFebure Corp. $280.00; Auditor's Office Expense-Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. $37.00, LeFebure Corp. $336.43, Burroughs Adding Machine Co. $46.17, Watertown Typewriter Co. $1.27; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Taylor Films $6.94; Sheriff's Office Expense-Railway Express Agency $3.45, F.C. Grow Sons $52.00, W.S. Darley & Co. $13.25, Ruhe Stationery Co. $17.00; States Atty. Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $6.60; Treas. Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $439.69; Court House Maintenance-True Electric Service $7.20, Watertown Cement Products Co. $246.35, R. E. Hubbard Co. $.70, Western Chemical Co. $32.92, Watertown Machine Works $1.25, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $39.25, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $62.91, Egge Electric Co. $134.45, Marshall-Wells Store $10.52, Mrs. Elvera Englund $2.16, Davey Furniture Co. $113.52, Dependable Welding Service $1.75, Nelson Hardware $4.65, Nash Finch Co. $6.50, Dandar Elec. Motor Repair $114.00, City Treasurer $574.07, Cave Supply Co. $57.28, Reaney's Service $.80, Midwest-Beach Co. $20.00; County Farm-Marshall-Wells Store $26.31, Davey Furniture Co. $3.48, City Treas. $37.53, Pioneer Plumbing Co. $24.50, Hanks Shoe Service $4.25, F.W. Meek $7.00, Park Grant Co. $17.12, Watertown Veterinary Clinic $12.50; Register of Deeds Office Expense $.89; Sheriffs Office Expense-Midwest-Beach Co. $51.63; Insurance & Bonds-Hilda E. Harrington $94.00, P.O. Brekke Agency $515.56; Tax Collector-Carlson's $1.25; County Extension-Clara W. Johnson $11.87; Board of Insanity-Dr. H.T. Kenney $45.00, D.N. Fedt, M.D. $15.00; Law Library-Shepard's Citations, Inc. $303.50, West Publ. Co. $528.00; County Farm-Lien's Grocery $37.94; ROAD-Wilson Storage & Transfer Co. $1.50, City Treas. $18.21, Reaney's Service $74.00, Pioneer Plumbing Co. $6.00, Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.50, Baskerville-Dahl Co. $11.25, Dakota Welding Supply $59.26, Dick's Seat Cover Shop $3.35, J. P. Foster Co. $91.72, F.C. Grow & Sons $32.50, Kenneth Hayes $21.05, Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $27.50, R. E. Hubbard Co. $16.93, International Harvester Co. $79.49, Jakle Hardware Co. $7.40, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $10.15, Jostad Lbr.Co. $27.05, Henry Klein $9.50, Koch's 66 Service $7.95, LaNoue's Radiator Shop $16.50, Mahowald Co. $17.04, Marquardt's Service $78.60, Motor Supply Co. $97.77, Northwestern Public Service Co. $5.40, Northwestern Road Supply Co. $60.00, Olson Appliance Co. $12.50, Elizabeth Pinholt $.77, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $6.65, Arthur Schwandt $14.85, Harold Scriver $2.84, Sioux Road Equipment Co. $22.08, Thompson Yards $6.79, Lyle Thorson $41.88, Watertown Machine Works $21.80, Watertown Tire Co. $48.65, Western Transportation Co. $3.38, Chicago & N.W. Raidroad Co. $15.00; C.M.V.-Reaney's Service $166.14, Cave Supply Co.$156.45; Bridge-Thompson Yards $9.19; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Cave Supply Co. $82.81; SPECIAL BRIDGE-J.D. Evans Equipment Co. $305.99, Empire Equipment Co. $1,432.05; C.H.&B.R.-Sioux Road Equipment Co. $95.59, Thompson Yards $13.44, Donald Born $22.02, Maynard C. Born $28.31, W.A. Flanders $6.73, Joseph Flemming $14.92, Walter Gusso $16.77, Hi-Way Sign Shop $6.00, Joseph H. Johnson $33.32, Elwin Kittleson $148.46, Hubert Klatt $22.08, Hattie Meyers & C.G.Burnstad $2.50, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $8.40, Harry I. Markve $523.34, Thos. F. Monahan $71.46, Mrs. Hazel Murphy $31.25, Robt. Newell $15.25, Earl L. Paulson $50.60, Edith Peck $70.12, Earl Roe $11.73, Albert Schaak $20.26, John Schafer $7.03, Sophia Skogstad $10.00, Chris A. Springer $16.02, State Highway Commission $2,205.18, Standard Oil Co. $228.37, Harry Thorson $2.50, Bernard Sumner, Clerk Town of Florence $10.00, Donald Tschakert $12.30, Harry O. Weagel $56.70, Lawrence G. Wishard $7.78, Wm. Zirbel $5.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Standard Oil Co. $1,260.21; GENERAL-Sheriffs Fees-Cliff Englund $764.09; Poor-Sioux Valley Hospital $248.53; TEXTBOOK-News Printing Co. $213.50, Educator Supply Co. $44.66; TUITION-Waverly Ind. Cons. School District $4,130.00, Watertown Ind. School District $40,664.25; WEED BOARD-Lloyd R. Wilson $8.50; SALARY-Clerk in Auditor's Office-Connie Sikkink $18.15.

R E S O L U T I O N NO. 195

WHEREAS, petitions have been filed asking the Board of County Commissioners to recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that the following described highways in Codington County, South Dakota, be added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, to-wit:

Petition No. 9 - Approximately 1.0 miles in Lake and Elmira Townships, 66 feet in width lying along the section line between the west half of Sections 19 and 30, Township 117 North, Range 52, thence south between the north half of Section 25, Township 117 North, Range 53, and the north half of Section 30, Township 117 North, Range 52, West of the Fifth P.M., to connect with the extension west on 10th Avenue North in Watertown, South Dakota.

Petition No. 10 - Approximately ½ mile, in Eden Township, beginning at the Northwest corner of Section 30, Township 119 North, Range 54, West of the Fifth P.M., thence south approximately one-half mile to intersect with new South Dakota Highway No. 20.

AND WHEREAS, the necessary hearing and inspections have been had, as provided by law,

AND WHEREAS, it appears to the Board of County Commissioners that the same should be added to the County Highway System,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that Codington County does hereby recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that there be added to the County Highway System of Codington

County, South Dakota, the highways above described.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Auditor be and he is hereby instructed to forward to the Secretary of the Highway Commission of South Dakota, copy of this resolution with the request that action hereon be taken by the State Highway Commission.

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Skinner and upon being put to vote all Commissioners voted aye and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared and said Resolution to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 12th day of January, 1954.

James L. Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

R E S O L U T I O N NO. 196

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $598.35 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the fourth quarter of 1953.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows, to-wit:

Sheridan, Pelican, Kampeska, Henry, Elmira, Lake, Richland, Graceland, Phipps, Leola and Eden $29.92 each; Kranzburg $51.53; Waverly $38.23; Rauville $42.37; Fuller $47.36; Germantown $39.89; and Dexter $49.85; TOTAL $598.35.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Skinner and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 12th day of January, 1954.

James L. Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

R E S O L U T I O N NO. 196A

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $213.69 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment for the fourth quarter of 1953.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned among the respective municipalities as follows:

Florence, Henry, South Shore $11.97 each; Wallace $8.97; Watertown $168.81; TOTAL $213.69.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, and seconded by Commissioner Skinner and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 12th day of January, 1954.

James L. Keenan
Chairman of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

L. S. Bauman's application for abatement was presented. It was moved by Fromke, seconded by Skinner that the County Board concur with the City Council in approving the application of L.S. Bauman for abatement of 1952 personal property tax spread against the G.A. Wilson Co. inventory in the amount of $113.12. Motion carried.

Claim of Tracy Sherer in amount of $75.00 for salary through January 15, 1954 was rejected on a motion by Belk and second by Skinner for the reason that claim was not yet due.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. January 14, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. Dak.
January 14, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

The matter of the Sheriff's deficiency salary for 1953 was taken up at this time.

On motion by Belk and second by Jordeth, the Sheriff's deficiency salary claim for 1953 was allowed as follows: Fees allowed Sheriff by law - $2,800.00; amount collected in fees during 1953 - $2,635.93; Deficiency due Sheriff - $164.07. Paid to deputy during 1953, as provided in salary resolution - $600.00; Total amount due Sheriff - $764.07.

Salaries of deputies, clerks and appointed officials in county offices for 1954 were discussed, but no action was taken at this time.

The Board spent the remainder of the day checking office inventories, and on motion, adjourned to 10:00 A.M. January 19, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. Dak.
January 19, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

On motion by Belk and second by Fromke, verified claims were allowed as follows: GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Otis Elevator Co. $21.00, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $253.67, Dwayne Deal $120.18; Sheriffs Mileage-Cliff Englund $632.10; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $105.90, Oscar J. Fromke $88.90, Einar Jordeth $111.64, James L. Keenan $90.30, Herb Skinner $100.37; Poor-Memorial Hospital $2,093.24-for Hilda Marie Ebens $307.35, Hans Hill $170.69, Otis Olson $43.45, Cliff Van Sickle $516.64, Rex Richmond $69.70, Fannie Baker $226.60, G. O. Wigdahl $17.10, Earl Crocker $307.97, Alfred Vick $13.50, Donna Thompson $420.24.

Salaries of clerks, deputies and appointed officials in county offices were fixed by the County Board by resolutions as follows:

R E S O L U T I O N NO. 197
(Pay Scale 1954)

WHEREAS, in the judgement of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, it is deemed necessary for the prompt and accurate dispatch of business that deputies or clerks be employed in the office of the County Auditor, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Clerk of Courts, Sheriff, States Attorney, Superintendent of Schools, County Highway; Also a County Veterans Service Officer, Court House Custodian, a Superintendent and Matron of the County Farm and a Jailor.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that pursuant to Chapter 12.16 of the South Dakota Code of 1939 the number of deputies or clerks to be employed therein shall be as follows:

In the office of the Auditor, one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $210.00; one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $190.00; one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $180.00; one clerk with a monthly salary of $160.00.

In the office of the Treasurer, one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $210.00; one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $190.00; one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $180.00.

In the office of Register of Deeds, one deputy with a monthly salary of $205.00; one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $175.00.

In the office of the Clerk of Courts, one deputy with a monthly salary of $195.00.

One Deputy Sheriff with a monthly salary of $50.00.

In the office of the States Attorney, one deputy with a monthly salary of $150.00; and one stenographer with a monthly salary of $125.00.

In the office of the Superintendent of Schools, one deputy with a monthly salary of $190.00.

In the County Highway office, one Superintendent with a maximum monthly salary of $325.00; one clerk with a monthly salary of $190.00; one Radio Clerk with a monthly salary of $74.00.

One Veterans Service Officer with a monthly salary of 190.00;
One Custodian with a monthly salary of $200.00;
Superintendent and Matron of the County Farm with a monthly salary of $150.00; plus monthly car allowance of $15.00;
Superintendent and Matron of Memorial Park with a monthly salary of $200.00 for the months of May, June, July, August and September;
One Jailor with a monthly salary of $175.00;
Wages for extra help employed to be paid at the rate of 90¢ per hour; new clerks to start at $150.00 per month; after one full year of service, salary may be increased to $160.00 per month.

VACATIONS: All employees shall be limited to one week with pay during the first six months of employment and two weeks with pay after one year of employment, vacation time to be non-cumulative and taken in the current year; Sick leave shall be limited to one week after six months of employment and two weeks after one year of employment on Doctor certificate. Sick leave cumulative up to a maximum of four weeks, retroactive to January 1, 1953. Heads of offices to allocate time for taking vacations.

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Fromke, and upon roll call, all Commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 19th day of January, 1954.

James L. Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

Vernon H. Belk

Einar Jordeth

Oscar J. Fromke

Herb Skinner

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

R E S O L U T I O N NO. 197A

(Highway Pay Scale 1954)

WHEREAS, in the judgement of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, it is deemed necessary for the prompt and accurate dispatch of business for the operation of the County Highway Department and employment of personnel on an hourly basis.

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary that a pay schedule of rates be set up for the year 1954 with provision of time lost due to sickness.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, regular session, that the following classifications are hereby adopted.

CLASSIFICATION	RATE OF PAY PER HOUR
Patrol Operators	$1.05
When working in snow with plow	1.15
Cat and Bucket operator	1.25
Cat Skinner	1.10
Front End Loader	1.05
Truck and Mower Operators	.95
Common Labor	.90
Bridge and Dirt Foreman	1.10
Shop Foremen	$200.00 per month

All employees when employed at other than their respective classifications above enumerated, shall be classified as common labor and paid at such rate.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in accordance with the good and faithful service of the employees of the County Highway Department, continually employed for one year in any calendar year, shall be entitled to two weeks sick leave upon the order of physician only. Sick leave cumulative up to a maximum of four weeks, retroactive to January 1, 1953.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Skinner and seconded by Jordeth, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 19th day of January, 1954.

James L. Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota

Vernon H. Belk

Einar Jordeth

Oscar J. Fromke

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Herb Skinner

The December, 1953 report of the County Highway Department was checked by the Board.

Sever Tobiason and Joe Stricherz appeared before the Board on the matter of purchasing portable battery charges for the Highway Department.

On motion by Skinner and second by Belk, the Board authorized the purchase of four battery chargers for the County Highway Department.

The application of George Zeller for abatement of 1953 school poll for reason of military service exemption was approved by the Board on motion by Jordeth and second by Skinner.

On motion by Jordeth and second by Skinner, supply Contract bonds were approved in lieu of certified checks as follows: South Dakota Concrete Products Co., $500.00; Armco Drainage and Metal Products Inc., $1,000.00.

The matter of hospital and medical rates for county indigent during 1954 was discussed. No action was taken pending further study and discussion.

On motion the Board adjourned to 1:00 P.M. Jan. 22, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. Dak.,
January 22, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 1:00 O.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Hospital and medical claims for county indigent were checked and discussed.

At 3:00 P.M. pursuant to request of the Board of Commissioners, heads of the three Watertown hospitals appeared to further discuss county rates.

Discussion was continued until 6:00 P.M. with no definite decisions reached and no action taken by the Board.

On motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. Jan. 26, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. Dak.
January 26, 1954

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Dorothy Below $210.00, Irma Welch $190.00, Pearl Bergan $180.00, Alice Olson $160.00; Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00, Alma Gerberding $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter Farl $296.68, Lillian Schoenberger $195.00, Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68, Harriett Horning $205.00, Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Ross H.Oviatt $283.75, Beverly DeVille $125.00, Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl Deal $200.00, Tracy Sherer $150.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Katherine Downs $25.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $175.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $100.00,Pearl Klemsrud $50.00, Tax Collector-Ole James Nelson $289.67; Bailiff-Mrs. Ray Makepeace $28.00, Ray Makepeace $35.00, Carl Deal $28.00; Per Diem, Mileage & Salary-Vernon H. Belk $64.80, Oscar J. Fromke $72.84, Einar Jordeth $92.78, James L. Keenan $91.10, Herb Skinner $91.66, Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent $293.37, South Shore Gazette $325.58, Watertown Public Opinion $722.34; Register of Deeds Office Expense-South Shore Gazette $39.50; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-Elizabeth Pinholt $190.00, Sever Tobiason $200.00, Bert Smith $74.00, J.P. Haug $280.10, Joe Stricherz $278.75, John Rennie $279.45, C.B.Sumner $289.35, Harold Scriver $292.55, Ed Gould $275.00, James Hendren $270.60, Howard Williams $256.30, Alfred Spring $278.30, Carl Zweig Jr. $266.70, E. Spearbeck $204.25, Fred Brownell $217.55, Leo Clausen $234.65, John Strait $237.50, Clarence Helle $237.50, Raymond Riley $275.00, Secretary of State $3.75.

Ed Sauer appeared before the Board to discuss assessment and taxation matters relating to the "Inn" located on South Broadway. No action was taken.

George Isack of Elmira Twp. appeared to thank the Board for permitting the County Highway Dept. to open township roads permitting access to the Herbert Moser farm during his recent illness and death.

The 1953 County Highway Department Annual Report and the Inventory Report of Highway Equipment as of Dec. 31, 1953 were presented to the Board by Mrs. Pinholt, Highway Dept. clerk.

The County Auditor reported to the Board that F.M. Brooks had completed payments in the amount of $800.00, plus interest, on a contract for deed to tax deed property described as

follows: Lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, Block 1, Florence Village.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that Chairman Keenan be authorized to sign and the County Auditor attest a quit claim deed to above described property from Codington County to F. M. Brooks. The motion carried.

Six copies of a maintenance agreement between Codington County and the S. D. Highway Commission regarding F.A.S. Project No. S 120 (2) were presented to the Board.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that Chairman Keenan be authorized to sign and the County Auditor attest said agreements and return same to the Highway Commission. Motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. Jan. 27, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. Dak.
Jan. 27, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner, verified claims were allowed as follows: GENERAL-Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $56.80; Auditors Office Expense $3.93; Sheriffs Office Expense $3.30; County Judge Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $10.57; Equipment-Burroughs Corp. $4,431.60.

The remainder of the morning was spent in cancelling paid warrants of 1953.

At 3:00 P.M., pursuant to request of the Board, Dr. D.F. Campbell appeared to discuss matters relating to medical costs for county indigent.

The salary of the Superintendent of the County Board of Health was discussed.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Belk that the salary of the County Board of Health Superintendent be fixed at $100.00 per month. Motion carried.

The following resolution from the S. D. State Highway Commission was presented, to wit:

R E S O L U T I O N #7650

CODINGTON COUNTY

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SOUTH DAKOTA
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION:

THAT, WHEREAS, a Resolution has been presented by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, requesting certain changes in the County Highway System of Codington County, as hereinafter described,

AND, WHEREAS, it appears that the said Board of County Commissioners has complied with all the regulations in regard to the proposed changes, and the State Highway Commission being fully advised in the matter, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the State Highway Commission that the following described roads, be, and the same are, hereby added to the Codington County Highway System:

3.0 miles in Leola Township beginning on the northeast corner of Sec. 6-119-51, thence south three miles to the southeast corner of Sec. 18-119-51.

2.0 miles in Leola Township, beginning at the southwest corner of Sec. 2, thence east two miles to the southeast corner of Sec. 1-119-51, west of the 5th P.M.

Approximately 3.5 miles in Fuller Township, beginning at the northwest corner of Sec.33-118-54, thence east to connect with South Dakota Highway No. 20 in Fuller Township.

Approximately 7-1/4 miles in Lake and Fuller Townships beginning at the Overhead in the northeast corner of Sec. 8-117-53 in Lake Township, thence about 3-1/4 miles north to the northeast corner of Sec. 29-118-53 in fuller Township, thence west a little more than four miles to intersect with State Highway No. 20 in Fuller Township.

5.0 miles in Eden Township beginning on the southwest corner of Sec. 5-119-55, thence five miles east to the southeast corner of Sec. 1-119-55, none of which are within the limits of any city or incorporated town within said County and State.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the State Highway Commission that the following described roads, be, and the same are, hereby deleted from the County Highway System of Codington County:

Beginning on the northwest corner of Sec. 28-118-54, thence two miles east to the northeast corner of Sec. 27-118-54 in Fuller Township.

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

Adopted this 12th
day of January, 1954.

BY: Frank W. Mitchell Secretary

This is to certify that the above is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. 7650, adopted by the South Dakota State Highway Commission in the City of Pierre, South Dakota, on January 12, 1954.

Frank W. Mitchell, Secretary

On motion, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. January 29, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 29, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Fromke, Skinner and Jordeth present, Belk absent, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were approved on motion by Jordeth and second by Fromke as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Cecilia M. Beirne $110.67; Poor-Bartron Hospital $1996.31-for Mrs. James J. Mack $222.41, Mrs. Verlin Halvorson $225.27, Gertrude Heathcote $54.72, LuAnn Davis $392.04, Mrs. Chas. Bagan $298.15, Anna Asby $150.34, Vickie Lynn Junso $18.50, Anna McDonald $208.21, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $54.60, Willie Schmeling $236.30, Mrs. Mervin Christensen $135.77; Bartron Clinic $724.26-for Mrs. James J. Mack $106.90, Mrs. Verlin Halvorson $30.00, Gertrude Heathcote $19.00, B.J. Murray $14.98, Frank Metzinger $7.66, Fred and Rosie Lenards $6.68, LuAnn Davis $75.00, Mrs. Chas. Bagan $100.00, Anna Asby $84.36, Vickie Lynn Junso $28.85, Anna McDonald $69.00, Mrs. Mervin Christensen $29.23, Edward Hayes $4.47, Michael Kinon $31.14, Colleen Kinon $2.98, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $30.78, Henry Springer $1.96, Emma Jenkins $17.02, Georgia Fay Painter $3.85, Mrs. Robt. H. Johnson $8.00, Anna Kretzschmar $3.06, Edgar Wight $6.76, Myrtle Nelson $6.40, James Chambers $5.53, Margaret Papka $9.10, Nels C. Nielson $5.80, Nellie Jensen $1.92, Mrs. Thos. Black $7.27, Mrs. Joe Lindner $6.56.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: M.J. Fox, $7.50; Jerome C. Even, $210.00; Victor Mikula, Virgil Sikkink, Gene Monahan and Ira Dahl, $4.00 each.

Commissioner Belk appeared and took his seat on the Board at 11:45 A. M.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the application of Dale Freeburg for abatement of 1953 personal property taxes in the amount of $28.27 spread against Roy Goepfert in Lake Twp., School District #2, be referred back to the Lake Twp. Board of Supervisors. Motion carried.

The County Treasurer appeared to inform the Board that the First Citizens National Bank and the Farmers and Merchants Bank, both of Watertown, had requested permission to exchange collateral securing county funds for higher interest bearing collateral. The Board authorized exchange of collateral as requested.

C.S. Rasmusson, Resident State Highway Engineer, at the Board's request, appeared to discuss matters pertaining to the vacancy in the office of County Highway Superintendent.

R E S O L U T I O N #198

WHEREAS, the contract of the County Highway Superintendent has expired,

AND WHEREAS, the state of health of said Highway Superintendent will not permit his reappointment,

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that a vacancy exists in the office of Codington County Highway Supt., and

WHEREAS, it is deemed necessary for the prompt and accurate dispatch of business for the operation of the County Highway Dept. that a County Highway Superintendent be appointed,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that C.S. Rasmusson, a qualified engineer, be and hereby is appointed as Codington County Highway Superintendent and Engineer for the years 1954 and 1955 at a salary of $525.00 per month, to begin when release from present position with the State Highway Dept. becomes official.

Foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Jordeth and upon being put to vote, all members voted "yea" and none voted "nay" whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 29th day of January, 1954.

James L. Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota

Vernon H. Belk

Einar Jordeth

Oscar J. Fromke

Herb Skinner

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., February 2, 1954

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown,South Dakota
February 2, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Minutes of meetings of January 5,6,7,8,11,12,14,19,22,26,27 and 29, 1954 were approved.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Donald Osheim $25.00; Poor-Chicago North Western $16.99, Clifford Frazier $3.00.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for hearing on the petition to vacate 250 feet of section line highway located in Pebble Beach Addition to Lake Twp., Chairman Keenan requested the County Auditor to read the "Notice of Hearing."

Ed T. Elkins, Alan Austin, Jack Kintsley, representing the Codington County Sportsmens Association, and Pete Jorgensen, Chairman of the Lake Twp. Board of Supervisors were present for the hearing.

As no one protested vacation of forementioned highway, the Board ordered vacation of same by resolution as follows:

RESOLUTION VACATING SECTION LINE HIGHWAY - No. 199

The application of Ed T. Elkins and other freeholders of Codington County, South Dakota, asking that the section line highway lying between Lots 1 and 2 of Pebble Beach in U. S. Government Lots Numbered 1 and 2 of Section 31, T.117, R. 53 W., and Lot 4 in Section 30, in Township 117 North, of Range 53 West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Codington County, South Dakota, which section line highway lies between said properties above described and is approximately 250 feet in length extending from the westerly boundary of the property above described to the edge of Lake Kampeska, having come on for hearing before the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, at the office of said Board in the Court House in the City of Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota, on the 2nd day of February, 1954, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, and the Board of County Commissioners having heard the arguments for and against the granting of said petition and having thereafter examined said portion of the section line highway proposed to be vacated, and having determined that said highway is not essential to the system of highways in Codington County, South Dakota, and that said section line highway is not needed and has no value or utility for the use of the public, and that therefore the same can be properly vacated.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that the above described section line highway be and the same is hereby vacated.

Foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Skinner and seconded by Commissioner Fromke, and upon being put to vote all Commissioners voted "yea" and none voted "nay" whereupon the resolution was declared duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, the 2nd day of February, 1954.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

The County Farm Report for the Calendar year 1953, as submitted by the County Auditor, was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Belk as follows:

C O U N T Y F A R M

JANUARY 1, 1953 to DECEMBER 31, 1953

RECEIPTS		DISBURSEMENTS	
Produce (Cream & Eggs)	$1168.00	Salary	$2184.30
Cattle	558.05	Food	1145.79
Horses	44.45	Drugs	55.05
Grain	356.20	Clothing	188.50
Rental from 9 3/8 acres	56.25	Feed & Seed	815.89
		Fuel & Lights	586.72
Total Receipts	$2182.95	Produce & Livestock	198.48
		Repairs	731.35
		Insurance	30.80
		Equipment & Supplies	641.84
		Total Disbursements	$6578.72

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
) SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

I, Carl F. Bergan, County Auditor, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the receipts and disbursements of the County Farm, maintained in the said County, for the accounts of my office.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 2nd day of February, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Monthly reports of the County Weed Supervisor and the County Veterans Service Office for January, 1954 were noted by the Board.

The application of Mrs. Clarence Fisher for abatement of 1953 school poll in the amount of $1.00 assessed to Gloria Fisher was approved on motion by Jordeth and second by Skinner for the reason that said Gloria Fisher was only eighteen years of age at the time of this assessment and not eligible for the tax.

The January, 1954 monthly statement of the Redfield State Hospital in the amount of $575.00 was checked and approved.

Claims of the Codington-Clark Electric Cooperative, Inc. in the amount of $616.00 for moving poles in Henry and Dexter Twps. were checked by the Board, but action on same was deferred pending further checking.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. Feb. 5, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
February 5, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Per Diem & Mileage-Oscar J. Fromke $63.44, Vernon H. Belk $80.30, Einar Jordeth $78.36, James L. Keenan $64.70, Herb Skinner $73.23.

Charles Voas, one of the Hamlin County Commissioners, Palmer Peterson, Hamlin County Highway Superintendent, Eidness Pereboom, Arvid Lakness and Frank Smith, Supervisors of Brantford Twp. in Hamlin County, Charles Thoreson and Thomas Peterson, Supervisors of Henry Twp., and Lloyd Gjerde of Hazel, S. D. appeared before the Board to discuss county road matters of mutual interest to both Hamlin and Codington Counties.

Voas and Peterson requested that Codington County add to its Highway System one mile of road running north and south between Sections 31 and 32-Twp. 116-R-54 in Kampeska Twp., which would extend a contemplated addition of three miles to the Hamlin County System north to connect with the present Codington County System.

The Henry Twp. Supervisors requested that Codington and Hamlin Counties share the cost of installing a bridge on the County line road running along the south boundary of Section 32 in Henry Twp., and that Brantford Twp. of Hamlin County and Henry Twp. of Codington share the cost of repairing this road.

No action was taken at this time pending further discussion and inspection of the roads and bridge in question.

A resolution from the State Highway Commission accepting roads on the Codington County Highway System was presented to the Board as follows:

R E S O L U T I O N NO. 7655

CODINGTON COUNTY

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SOUTH DAKOTA
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION:

THAT, WHEREAS, a resolution has been presented by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, requesting certain changes in the County Highway System of Codington County, as hereinafter described.

AND WHEREAS, it appears that the said Board of County Commissioners has complied with all the regulations in regard to the proposed changes, and the State Highway Commission being fully advised in the matter, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the State Highway Commission that the following roads, be, and the same are, hereby added to the Cdoington County Highway System:

Approximately 1.0 miles in Lake and Elmira Townships, 66 feet in width lying along the section line between the west half of Sections 19 and 30, Township 117 North, Range 52, thence south between the north half of Section 25, Township 117 North, Range 53, and the North half of Section 30, Township 117 North, Range 52, West of the Fifth P.M., to connect with the extension west on 10th Avenue North in Watertown, South Dakota.

Approximately 1/2 mile, in Eden Township, beginning at the northwest corner of Section 30, Township 119 North, Range 54, West of the Fifth P.M. thence south approximately one-half mile to intersect with new South Dakota Highway No. 20.

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

Adopted this 26th day of January, 1954.

BY: /s/ Frank W. Mitchell, Secretary

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the above is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. 7655, adopted by the South Dakota State Highway Commission in the City of Pierre, South Dakota, on January 26, 1954.

Frank W. Mitchell, Secretary
State Highway Commission

The January, 1954 statement of State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis at Sanator, S. D. in the amount of $221.65 was checked and approved.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of Feb. 1, 1954 was checked and approved as follows: Deposits in banks $347,370.33; Total amount of checks drafts and cash in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days $5,497.68; Government Bonds $181,837.33; Total of all items $534,705.34.

The report of Justice of the Peace, Joe Strom, for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1953 was checked and approved.

On motion by Fromke and second by Skinner, the County Board concurred with the City Council's recommendation on applications for abatements and refunds of taxes as follows: Approved the application of R. J. Thompson for abatement of 1953 real estate tax in the amount of $59.37 on structure located on - Less 50' of Lots 1-2-3, Blk. 15, Brock's Addition, for the reason of an error whereby reduction granted by the City Council was omitted in extension of the valuation in the assessor's records; Approved the application of Robert and Amanda Fingerhut for abatement of 1953 money & credits tax in the amount of $16.00 for the reason that said tax was spread against shares of stock of corporations whose tengible property is located within this state, and as such is tax exempt; Rejected the application of Mrs. Rose Little for abatement of 1953 personal property taxes on $700.00 of inventory in the grocery store for the reason that, according to an attorney General's ruling, overassessment is not grounds for abatement; Approved the application of Waldo McInroy for refund of taxes erroneously spread against a non-existent structure assessed on Lots 6 & 7, Blk. 8, Stone & Wylies Addition to Watertown for the following years in following amounts: 1948 - $22.62; 1949 - $28.84; 1950 - $28.52; 1951 - $29.17.

The application of Clarence Anderson for cancellation of a County Aid lien in the amount of $1.00 was rejected by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Fromke.

On motion, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. Feb. 9, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. Dak.
February 9, 1954

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Jordeth, Belk and Skinner present, Fromke absent, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $60.00-for Mary L. Wilson $20.00, Mr. & Mrs. Ed McPeek $40.00; Mrs. Augusta Bunde $25.00-for Louisa Richter; Annette Burgdorf $173.30-for Ella Flanagan $45.00, Nels T. Nelson $95.00, Fannie Baker $33.30; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Louis C. Kinstad $186.00-for Ola Hanson $26.00, Ola Omodt $45.00, Geo. Manley $35.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ole Aamodt $45.00; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $110.00-for David Bright $60.00, Lorence Albrecht $40.00, James Chambers $10.00; Watertown Rest Home $30.00-for L. Mourere; Mrs. Grace Wilson $105.00-for Edith Kinsey $30.00, Hilda Ebens $75.00; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00-for Rosa Dixon $15.00, Sarah Ann Black $10.00; F.C.Grow Sons $11.50; Acme Feed & Coal Co. $12.38-for Mrs. Earl Popham; Mrs. August Anderson $12.73-for Frances Emery; Bauer's Store $139.68-for Earl Good $75.00, Fred Lenards $64.68; Busy Bee Cafe $4.60-for Henry Stillwell; D.F. Campbell, M.D. $31.00-for Harry Freeseman $10.00, Anna Parsley $6.00, Nels T. Nelson $15.00; Council Oak Store $30.00-for Albert L. Kritta; F. P. Creaser & Sons $166.13-for Richard Kemp $45.00, Jud Turner $45.00, Alice Lohr $10.63, Hazel Black $21.50, Theresa Tubbs $21.50, Homer Black $22.50; R.E.Crichton Oil Co. $8.30-for Toby Van Dyke; Duffner Drug Store $137.00-for Mrs. P. DeMuynck $10.33, Mr.& Mrs.Steve Wisneske $42.70,Mrs. C.W.Montney $13.44, Inga Yarns $11.70, B.J.Murray $2.40, Ole Hanson $19.00, Ole Omodt $1.25, Mathilda Blek $3.70, Wm. Ball $11.00, M. Bradfield $13.75, Mrs. John Cosgrove $6.55, Leo Breske $16.40; Everett's Grocery $87.00-for Tracy Sherer $20.00, Harry Conrad $12.00, Leo Meis $55.00; Farmer's Elev.So.Shore $30.00-for Loren Wohlwend; D.N. Fedt, M.D. $146.85-for Tollef Faehn $53.60, Otis Olson $32.00, Chas. Bierschied $44.25, Geo. Manley $11.80, Andrew Horn $5.20; Haggar Drug Store $147.01-for Fern Washtoak $23.50, Mildred Taylor $8.50,Ellen Anderson $20.25, John Farley $11.84, Ed Goeman $18.05, Mrs. Frank Klucas $11.85, Henry Anderson $5.75, Nels T. Nelson $4.00, Hilda Ebens $40.05, Philomena Holzemer $5.60, Fannie Baker $13.95; Lester Hansen Elev. Co. $44.96-for Fred Lenards; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $157.00-for Albert Hillestad $22.50, Arnold Hoftiezer $22.50, Wm. Strutz $22.50,Mrs. Otto Jungen $22.50, Leora Mae Rose $20.00, Mrs. Robt. Sharp $22.50, Mrs. Wm. Lundeen $24.50; Hollywood Grocery $35.99-for Fred Boardwine $16.00, Harold Tibbits $19.99; Home Grocery $27.28-for Lew Fjerstad; Huebner Oil Co. $51.46-for Wm. Glendenning $22.06, Frank Metzinger $29.40; Hunters Grocery $175.01-for Roy A. Hayes $10.00, John Fjerstad $80.00, Thos. Redwing $10.00, Albert Erickson $10.00, Albert Kritta $25.00, Sprigg Tubbs $10.01, Wm. Strutz $30.00; H.T. Kenney, M.D. $60.00-for Marsh Bradfield $24.00, Henry DeWall $31.00, Ella Lentz $5.00; Lien's Grocery $51.89-for Richard Kemp $22.00, Cora Barto $29.89; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $132.09-for Mrs. Blair Tessier $36.35, Harry Conrad $24.86, Thos. Redwing $23.29, John Hess

$24.53, Albert Kritta $23.06; Mathiesen,Gergen & Rhodes $6.00-for Fannie Baker; Northside Grocery $30.00-for Carl Christensen; Propane Supply Co. $3.84-for Earl L. Good; Red Owl Store,So.Shore $50.00-for Loren Wohlwend $25.00, Gertrude Shepherd $25.00; S. D. Childrens Aid $73.91-for Sharon & Robt. Schreifels; S.D. State Sanatorium $42.55-for Albert Krohn $18.35, Raymond Ries $24.20; O.P. Skaggs $75.00-for Homer Black $15.00, Wilfred Painter $20.00, Anna Mae Kretzschmar $40.00; Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. $22.05-for Elaine Robison $7.35, Charles Underhill $14.70; Spies Super Valu $55.00-for Arthur Larson $15.00, Albert Erickson $10.00, Helena Lentz $30.00; St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $68.50-for Rose Reade $43.50, John Welter $25.00; Mrs. Frieda Story $49.98-for Mary Vermillion; Thomes Drug Store $113.67 -for Minnie Johnson $6.65, R.A. Vance $21.50, Mrs. Theo. Treat $9.65, Harry Freeseman $12.75, Alfred Vick $32.70, Anna Christianson $4.60, Richard DePeel $1.20, L. Albrecht $12.50, David Bright $9.15, Albert Hendricks $6.50, Lena Trumer $9.15; Dr. M. C. Thompson $128.00-for Mildred Taylor $2.00, Lorence Albrecht $18.00, David Bright $19.00, John Farley $7.00, Albert Hendricks $15.00, Minnie Johnson $23.00, Marion Kraft $10.00, Lena Trumer $8.00, R. A. Vance $26.00; Watertown Community Oil Co. $110.75-for Helena Lentz $44.10, Carl Christensen $7.85, Leo Meis $29.40, Caroline Lausen $14.70, Fred Boadwine $14.70; Webb Service Station $37.15-for Lew Fjerstad $7.75, Harold Tibbits $29.40; Whooley Oil Co.$29.20 -for Marvin Troelson $14.60, D.A. Button $14.60; Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $120.00,Cliff Englund $66.64, American Bar Ass'n $5.00,Coll. of Internal Revenue $10.90, Photo News $9.00, Ruhe Stationery Co. $6.03; County Farm-Howard M. Williams $5.70, City Treasurer $43.83, Lien's Grocery $38.38, Watertown Co-op.Elev. Co. $5.55, Edward Bennett $60.00, K.D. Inc. $2.10, Marshall Wells Store $4.71, Metz Baking Co. $4.06, Olson Appliance Co. $11.60, J.C. Penney Co. $5.96, Redlinger Bros. $4.95, Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $273.65, R.E. Hubbard Co. $2.45; Veterans Service-Rosella Howey $20.50; Board of Health-Dr. H. Russell Brown $100.00; Fees-Cliff Englund $64.68; Tax Deed-Cliff Englund $6.00; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $134.80; Mileage-Cliff Englund $456.25; Insurance & Bonds-Heaton Insurance Agency $75.20; Mileage-Supt. of Schools-Muriel Hoover $49.70; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $23.00; County Extension-Carlson's $7.00, Jensen Radio Service $5.80, Clara W. Johnson $18.83, Fred Morris $73.71; Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent $83.42, South Shore Gazette $98.71, Watertown Public Opinion $122.48; Publishing Tax List-Henry Independent $132.44, South Shore Gazette $82.68; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-C.A. Gregory Co. $209.78, Midwest-Beach Co. $109.71, Ruhe Stationery Co. $7.80; Public Welfare Office Expense-R. F. Manson $40.00, Frankel Carbon & Ribbon Co. $22.00, Ruhe Stationery Co. $5.80; States Atty's Off. Expense-F.C. Grow & Sons $72.00; Treasurer's Office Expense-LeFebure Corp. $54.80, First National Bank $3.00, Ruhe Stationery Co. $54.14; Auditor's Office Expense-Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. $159.01, Brown & Saenger $5.20, Burroughs Adding Machine Co. $11.34, Monroe Calculating Machine Co., Inc. $25.00, Watertown Typewriter Co. $3.81, Frankel Carbon & Ribbon Co. $18.00, Carlson's $7.50, Educator Supply Co. $99.90, Ruhe Stationery Co.$93.65; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Carlson's $.90, Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.45; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Educator Supply Co. $30.79, Midwest-Beach Co. $3.76, Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.28; Sheriffs Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.68, Gerriets Radio Shop $10.00;Court House Maintenance-Ruhe Stationery Co. $8.65, Herbert C. Borns $16.15, Bendix Washette $4.50, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $93.86, Egge Electric Co. $52.54, Mrs. Elvera Englund $3.24, Gambles $6.42, L.V. Harmel $115.26, The Kent Co., Inc. $25.02, L.W. Larson $4.00, Montgomery Ward & Co. $25.27, Nelson Hardware Co. $73.43, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co.$224.50, Northwest Products Co. $13.75, Otis Elev. Co. $21.00, Pitney-Bowes, Inc. $35.82, Western Chemical Co. $56.02, Wilson Truck System $1.50, City Treasurer $738.33, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $94.64, Reaney's Service $.60; Poor-Standard Oil Co. $98.67-for Cora Barto $44.10, Gerrit Katze $8.67, Phoebe Mowery $15.60, Will Norman $7.80, Carl Christensen $7.80, Wilfred Painter $14.70; SALARY-Treasurer's Office-Frances Poage $21.60; ROAD-Gerriets Radio Shop $10.00, City Treasurer $17.37, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $25.86, Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $138.60, R. E. Hubbard Co. $9.12, Automotive Supply Co. $2.38, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $1.35, Ray S. Sumner $13.60, Watertown Radiator Works $18.00, Foster-Bell Co. $57.04, Watertown Machine Works $34.98, LaNoue's Radiator Shop $4.50, Gooch Sales Co. $6.45, Dick's Seat Cover Shop $27.00, Harold Scriver $4.84, Arthur Schwandt $34.62, Ruhe Stationery Co. $15.59, Rauville Service Station $4.74, Pacific Grain Co. $56.12, Olson Appliance Co.$63.06, Northwestern Publis Service Co. $5.40, Mahowald Co. $15.77; C.M.V.-Howard M. Williams $43.79; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Cave Supply Co. $592.74, Watertown Tire Co. $113.12, Empire Equipment Co. $113.11, Putman's Uptown Service $232.98, Motor Supply Co. $172.29, International Harvester Co. $605.11, Marquardt's Service $649.16, Paper Calmenson Co. $456.22, J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $91.11; C.H. & B.R.-Charles Born $36.87, Chris Kirsch $66.12, Annie Orthaus $2.29, C.S. Rasmusson $325.86, Earl Roe $14.16, State Highway Commission $20.60, Donald Tschakert $16.02, Clarence Tschakert $15.29, Lawrence Wishard $3.95, Elmer York & Farm Home Adm. $7.32, Elmer Zweig $88.32; TEXTBOOK-American Book Co. $32.25, Scott, Foresman & Co. $6.52, The Macmillan Co. $38.96, Ginn & Co. $171.37; TUITION-Willow Lake Ind. School $254.43; WEED BOARD-Paul David $5.82, Robt. Redlin $6.52; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Standard Oil Co. $887.57.

Fromke appeared at 10:30 and took his place on the Board.

Pursuant to written request of the County Commissioners, Emil Hammel of Henry Village and Robert Keyes of Kampeska Twp. appeared before the Board on the matter of omitted personal property assessments for 1953. Added assessments were made as follows: Emil Hammel - $305.00; Robert Keyes - $1650.00; these assessments subject to changes as authorized by the various equalization boards.

Statement of fees collected during January, 1954 were checked and approved as follows: Register of Deeds, $534.65; Clerk of Courts, $219.35.

The January 1954 statement of the Yankton State Hospital in the amount of $1984.50 was checked and approved.

On motion by Jordeth and second by Belk, predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Dwight Monteith for the Codington County Sportsmen's Association, $7.50; Cliff Foss, $82.50; Harley Rauch, $217.50.

The application of Donald Tschakert for abatement of 1953 dog tax in the amount of $1.00 was approved on a motion by Belk and second by Jordeth for the reason of an error in transposition of assessment from the listing sheet to the Assessor's book.

Dr. C.B. Wiles failed to appear before the Board on the matter of omitted assessments of personal property for the years 1949 thru 1953. Assessments were made as follows: 1949-$515.00; 1950 - $500.00; 1951 - $490.00; 1952 - $680.00; 1953 - $620.00; these assessments

subject to changes as authorized by the various equalization boards.

On motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. February 16, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
February 16, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

On motion by Skinner and second by Jordeth, verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $80.30, Oscar J. Fromke $68.90, Einar Jordeth $105.62, James L. Keenan $81.00, Herb Skinner $74.07.

Robert Bard of the Watertown Sheet Metal Works appeared before the Board with a proposal to install a ventilating system in the Court House attic at a total cost of $890.00. The L.O.H. Co. had previously submitted a proposal at a cost of $683.00.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Belk that the proposal of the Watertown Sheet Metal Works be accepted for the reason that said proposal provided for a more complete ventilating system. Motion carried.

L. C. Lausen, Elmer Schmeling and Albert Mohr, Supervisors of Rauville Twp., appeared before the Board to report that four county bridges located on Rauville Twp. roads a mile east of Highway No. 81 were in need of repairs. The Board agreed to inspect the bridges and make the necessary repairs.

L.C. Gooch, William Comes and Ben Stricherz appeared before the Board for information as to whether the county planned to rebuild the County Highway from South Shore to Waverly. The Board indicated that no immediate plans had been made. No action was taken.

The application of Weltha Granquist for abatement of 1953 poll tax in Watertown in the amount of $1.00 was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Fromke for the reason of a duplication of assessment in Grant County.

The claims of the Codington-Clark Electric Cooperative Co. in the amount of $616.00 for moving lines in Dexter and Henry Twps. were approved on a motion by Skinner and second by Jordeth.

R E S O L U T I O N #200

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, is required by the provision of Section 16.0801 of the South Dakota Code of 1939 and Amendments thereto, to provide for election precincts throughout the county and to designate the polling places within such precincts and to change or establish new election precincts and in particular is so required to do when in an election precinct heretofore established more than five hundred votes are cast for Governor in the preceding General Election and,

WHEREAS, at the last General Election in November, 1952, more than five hundred votes were cast for Governor in Ward Five in Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that said Ward Five shall be divided into two precincts whose boundaries shall be established as follows:

Precinct No. 1 of Ward Five shall include all of that part of Ward Five south of the center of Kemp Avenue West;

Precinct No. 2 of Ward Five shall include all of that part of Ward Five north of the center of Kemp Avenue West.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Fromke and seconded by Commissioner Jordeth and upon roll call, all Commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertoan, South Dakota, this 16th day of February, 1954.

James L. Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

APPRAISAL OF LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING TO BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY COUNTY

Whereas, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, deems it advisable to sell the real property hereinafter described, acquired by said county by tax deed, and said Board of County Commissioners has directed that such real property be offered for sale and that it first be appraised by said board as provided by law,

Now, therefore, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, report that they have made a just and fair appraisement of the real property hereinafter described:

In the City of Watertown	Appraised Value
Lot 188 in Ways Lake Drive Addition to Watertown	$ 5.00
Lots 27,28 and 29, Block 46, Replat of West Watertown	800.00

In Florence Village:	Appraised Value
Lot 2, Block 13	$ 25.00
In Dexter Township:	
SW¼NW¼ Sec.32-120-52 in the Sisseton Wahpeton Indian Reservation	800.00

Dated this 16th day of February, 1954.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Vernon H Belk
Einar Jordeth
Oscar L Trumbauer
Hub Skinner

R E S O L U T I O N # 201

RESOLUTION DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, the County of Codington in the State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota,

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 16th day of February, 1954, at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property, to-wit:

In the City of Watertown	Appraised Value
Lot 188 in Ways Lake Drive Addition to Watertown	$ 5.00
Lots 27,28 and 29, Block 46, Replat of West Watertown	$800.00
In Florence Village:	
Lot 2, Block 13	$ 25.00
In Dexter Township:	
SW¼NW¼ Sec.32-120-52 in the Sisseton Wahpeton Indian Reservation	$800.00

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of said Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota.

Dated this 16th day of February, 1954.

Hub Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Einar Jordeth
Oscar L Trumbauer
James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:
Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. Feb. 19, 1954.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, So. Dak.
February 19, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

The application of Albert Menkveld for refund of 1947 tax, plus interest, in the total amount of $4.24 on property described as Lot 9, Block 86, Fourth Railway Addition to Watertown was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Jordeth for the reason that said tax had been paid on redemption proceedings and subsequently abated.

The Board spent the remainder of the day checking medical and hospitalization records on county indigents.

At 5:00 P.M. the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. February 23, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
February 23, 1954

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Pearl Bergan $180.00, Dorothy Below $210.00, Irma Welch $190.00, Alice Olson $160.00; Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00, Alma Gerberding $210.00, DeLoris Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68, Harriett Horning $205.00, Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-J.Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $283.75, Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Katherine Downs $25.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00, Barney Travers $5.10; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $175.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $113.00, Pearl Klemsrud $50.00, Ed Gould $4.75, James Hendren $5.70, E. Spearbeck $5.70, Leo Clausen $5.70, John Strait $5.70, Clarence Helle $7.60, Raymond Riley $4.75; Court House Maintenance-Tracey Sherer $150.00, Clarence Helle $3.80; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-Elizabeth Pinholt $190.00, Sever Tobiason $200.00, Bert Smith $74.00, J. P. Haug $127.71, Joe Stricherz $57.31, John Rennie $194.90, C. B. Sumner $139.20, Harold Scriver $80.59, Ed Gould $98.13, James Hendren $127.26, Howard Williams $106.45, Alfred Spring $51.28, Carl Zweig Jr. $178.16, E. Spearbeck $93.75, Fred Brownell $28.97, Leo Clausen $87.51, John Strait $73.57, Clarence Helle $146.21, Raymond Riley $172.36; COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL-J.P. Haug $108.10, Joe Stricherz $92.00, John Rennie $41.40, C. B. Sumner $93.15, Harold Scriver $127.65, Ed Gould $22.00, James Hendren $55.00, Howard Williams $22.00, Alfred Spring $141.90, Carl Zweig Jr. $5.75, E. Spearbeck $11.40, Fred Brownell $120.65, Leo Clausen $38.00, John Strait $39.90; Bridge-Ed Gould $56.80, E. Spearbeck $43.70, Leo Clausen $49.40, John Strait $46.55, Clarence Helle $9.50.

Emil Mischke appeared before the Board with a petition to add to the County Highway System the following described road: "Beginning at the NW Corner of Sec. 32-116-54, thence one mile south to the SW Corner of Sec. 32-116-54 in Kampeska Twp. to connect with the Hamlin County Highway System.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that foregoing petition be filed pending hearing on same. Motion carried.

Pursuant to "Notice of Hearing" duly published in the official county newspapers, comes now the hearing on Petition No. 11 praying for addition to the Codington County Highway System of the following described road, to-wit: "Beginning at the SE Corner of Sec. 3-116-54, thence approximately one mile east to the SE Corner of Sec. 2-116-54; and to abandon the following as a county road: Approximately 1½ miles, beginning at the SE Corner of Sec. 2-116-54, thence south one half mile to the east quarter line of Sec. 11-116-54, thence west one mile to the west quarter line of Sec. 11-116-54 intersecting with the county road running north and south.

Carl and Arthur Spiering and Donald Nogelmeier appeared before the Board for this hearing. These men stated their reasons for favoring the petition. No protests were registered.

Chairman Keenan appointed the entire Board to act as a committee of inspection on the roads petitioned for in above petition, and 4:00 P.M. of this date was set for the time of inspection.

A petition requesting school district boundary changes was presented to the Board as follows: The boundaries of Elmira District No. 8 to exclude the $NW\frac{1}{4}$ and $N\frac{1}{2}$ of the $SW\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 13-117-53, and the boundaries of Lake District No. 73 to include above described property.

The Board ordered foregoing petition filed pending hearing on same.

Henry Seide, a member of the Grant County Board of Commissioners and the Executive Director of the State Association of County Commissioners, appeared before the Board to report on the meeting of the Executive Board of the State Association of County Commissioners held at Pierre, S. D. Jan. 25, 1954.

At 3:30 P.M. the Board recessed and left to inspect roads petitioned for addition to, and abandonment from the county system as above noted.

The Board returned at 4:30 P.M., and after some discussion of routine matters, adjourned to 10:00 A.M. February 26, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
February 26, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Per Diem-Mileage-Salary-Vernon H. Belk $69.00, Oscar J. Fromke $75.78, Einar Jordeth $114.40, James L. Keenan $106.70, Herb Skinner $85.78.

The Board approved the application for abatement of 1953 taxes in the amount of $26.40 on the SW¼ NW¼ Sec. 32-120-52 Res. for the reason that said property belonged to Codington County at the time of assessment and should not have been assessed.

On motion by Jordeth and second by Skinner the Board approved the predatory animal bounty application of Lloyd Foster in the amount of $67.50 for nine adult foxes.

On motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. March 2, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
March 2, 1954

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Belk, Fromke and Skinner present, Jordeth absent, Keenan presiding.

Minutes of meetings of Feb. 2, 5, 9, 16, 19, 23 and 26, 1954 were approved.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Reporter-Cecilia M. Beirne $112.81.

The County Treasurer appeared before the Board to report that the Farmers and Merchants Bank and the First Citizens National Bank, both of Watertown, had exchanged collateral pledged to secure County funds, as previously authorized by the County Board, for collateral as follows: Farmers and Merchants Bank, $80,000.00 for U.S. Treasury Bonds bearing 2½% interest, due November 15, 1961; First Citizens National Bank, $150,000.00 for U. S. Treasury Bonds bearing 2½% interest, due November 15, 1961.

The Treasurer also requested permission of the Board to purchase a new typewriter for her office, which request was granted.

R E S O L U T I O N # 202

WHEREAS, there has been with-held the sum of $3505.19 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to Kampeska and Lake townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund, to be known as the County Special Highway Fund, and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund,

AND WHEREAS, the sum with-held is greater than required to complete the necessary work in the said County Highway System in the said townships,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the sum of $3505.19 be apportioned to the said townships as follows: Kampeska-$1592.63, Lake-$1912.56, Total $3505.19.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Skinner and upon Roll Call all commissioners voted yea, and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 2nd day of March 1954.

Board of County Commissioners, of
Codington County, South Dakota

By James L. Keenan
Chairman

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

The February, 1954 report of the County Veterans Service Officer was noted by the Board.

C.S. Rasmusson appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to the County Highway Department and his contract with the County.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that the Board approve the contract between Codington County and C. S. Rasmusson stipulating terms relative to the appointment of said C.S. Rasmusson as Codington County Highway Engineer and Superintendent for the period beginning March 1, 1954 through December 31, 1955, and that Chairman Keenan be authorized to sign and the County Auditor attest said contract, same to be filed in the County Auditor's office. Motion carried.

The application of H. A. Hogstad for abatement of 1953 school poll in the amount of $1.00 in Wallace Village was approved on a motion by Skinner and second by Belk for the reason same assessment was made in Watertown.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner the Board concurred with the Lake Twp. Board of

Supervisors in approving the application of Dale Freeburg for abatement of 1953 personal property taxes spread against the Roy Goepfert Estate for a cottage and other personsl property assessed in Richland Twp. for the reason that the same property was assessed in error to both Freeburg and Goepfert, making a duplication of assessment.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to inspection of highways proposed for addition to and abandonment from the County Highway System as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of February 23, 1954, comes now the committee appointed by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota to examine the proposed location of the highways hereinafter more particularly described and submit to the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County the following report:

Said Committee, consisting of the entire Board, met at the time and place designated and proceeded to examine said highway more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the S.E. Corner of Section 3, Township 116 North, Range 54, West of the Fifth P.M., thence approximately 1 mile east to the S.E. corner of Section 2, Township 116, North Range 54, this being the legal mail route, and to abandon the following as a County Road, approximately 1½ miles, beginning at the S.E. corner of Section 2, Township 116, Range 54, thence south ½ mile to the east quarter line of Section 11, township 116 North, Range 54, thence west 1 mile to the west quarter line of Section 11, Township 116 North, Range 54, intersecting with County Road running north and south.

That after having completed its examination of said highway proposed to be located and added to the County System of Codington County, South Dakota, it is the opinion of all members of said Committee that the prayer of the petitioners be granted, and said Committee does therefore recommend to the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that said proposed highway above described be located and added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, pursuant to the prayer of said petitioners or free holders who petitioned for the location of said highway and to have same added to the said County Highway System.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 2nd day of March, 1954.

Herb Skinner
Member of Committee

Vernon H Belk
Member of Committee

Judith abs Oscar J Fronk
Member of Committee

Member of Committee

James L Keenan
Member of Committee

R E SO L U T I O N # 203

WHEREAS, a petition has been filed asking the Board of County Commissioners to recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that the following described highway in Codington County, South Dakota, be added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, to-wit:

"Beginning at the SE corner of Section 3, Township 116 North, Range 54, West of the Fifth P.M., thence approximately 1 mile east to the S.E. corner of Section 2, Township 116 North, Range 54, this being the legal mail route."

AND FURTHER, that the following described highways be abandoned from the Codington County Highway System, to-wit:

"Approximately 1½ miles, beginning at the S.E. corner of Section 2, Township 116, Range 54, thence south ½ mile to the east quarter line of Section 11, Township 116 North, Range 54, thence west 1 mile to the west quarter line of Section 11, Township 116 North, Range 54, intersecting with the County Road running north and south."

AND WHEREAS, it appears to the Board of County Commissioners that same should be added to and abandoned from, the County Highway System as above requested.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that Codington County does hereby recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that there be added to, and abandoned from, the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, the highways above described as requested.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Auditor be and he is hereby instructed to forward to the Secretary of the Highway Commission of South Dakota a copy of this resolution with the request that action hereon be taken by the State Highway Commission.

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Skinner, and all Commissioners voting "Yea" upon roll call, the Chairman declared the same duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 2nd day of March, 1954.

ATTEST:
Carl E. Bergan
County Auditor

James L Keenan
James L. Keenan, Chairman Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

The hospital and related service rate schedule as proposed by the three Watertown hospitals for 1954 was checked and discussed.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that the proposed rate schedule be rejected. Motion carried.

The Board recessed and went out to inspect the damage to the dam on the river just north of Lake Kampeska.

At 4:00 P.M. the Board returned and adjourned to 10:00 A.M. March 9, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
March 9, 1954

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $40.00-for Mary L. Wilson $20.00, Emma Henthorne $20.00; Mrs. Aug. Anderson $15.00-for Frances Emery; Mrs. Augusta Bunde $25.00-for Louisa Richter; Annette Burgdorf $135.00-for Ella Flanagan $40.00, Nels T. Nelson $95.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Louis C. Kinstad $138.50-for Ola Hanson $26.00, Ola Omodt $45.00, Geo.Manley $12.50, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ola Aamodt $45.00; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $110.00-for David Bright $60.00, Lorence Albrecht $40.00, James Chambers $10.00; Watertown Rest Home $30.00-for L. Mourere; Mrs. Grace Wilson $103.06-for Edith Kinsey $30.00, Hilda Ebens $55.00, Nat Campbell $18.06; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00-for Rose Dixon $15.00, Sarah Ann Black $10.00; Duffner Drug $144.29-for Wm. Ball $32.00, Mrs. C.W.Montney $13.44, Mrs. Wm. Jones $10.20, L. Mourere $6.55, Mrs. W.C.Yarns $6.70, B. J. Murray $4.80, Steve Wisneski $28.50, Mr.& Mrs.Peter DeMuynck $13.40, Mrs, John Cosgrove $9.85, Glenn Maas $5.50, Fred Lenards $3.48, Ole Omodt $3.21, Marsh Bradfield $3.00, Mathilda Blek $5.49, A.R.Quade $1.35, Mrs. Adolph Stoltz $4.00, Ole Hanson $8.85; Lampert Lumber Co. $12.25-for Joseph Lindner; Bartron Hospital $1423.84-for Ludwig Johnson $119.00, Roger Mack $35.15, Mrs. James J. Mack $27.05, Carrie Hanson $193.02, Willie Schmeling $223.30, Ed McPeek $34.47, Geo. Wexley Crocker $15.43, Carl Berge $81.54, Verlin Halverson $250.22, Leonard Vaughn $41.83, Chas. Bagan $55.87, Albert Johnson $346.96; Bartron Clinic $613.97-for Ludwig Johnson $75.94, Gertrude Heathcote $13.70, Roger Mack $10.00, Mrs. Jas.J. Mack $14.00, Carrie Hanson $78.00, Willie Schmeling $30.00, Emma Jenkins $9.54, Michael Kinon $2.72, Anna Kretzschmar $13.17, Ronald Lohr $13.67, B.J. Murray $17.92, Mrs. Anna Asby $7.83, Henry Webb Sr. $1.53, Cathryn McLaughlin $8.55, Cynthia Christianson $11.90, Henry Springer $2.00, John Brockhoft Jr. $9.00, Arlone Johnson $17.08, Ed McPeek $12.85, Geo. W. Crocker $25.00, Frank Metzinger $9.78, Carl Berge $28.00, Verlin Halvorson $30.00, Leonard Vaughn $24.04, Chas. Bagan $59.75, Albert Johnson $88.00; Bauer Grocery $50.00-for Earl Good $15.00,Fred Lenards $35.00; Chi.& N.W. RY.$16.99-for Clifford Frazier, Clifford Frazier $3.00; Brown Clinic $470.00-for Mrs. John Cosgrove $2.00, Helen Gronewold $21.50, Mrs. W.E.Jones $24.00, Mike McAleer $54.00, Mrs. J.B.McLaughlin $3.00, John W.Miller $24.00, Seymour Peterson $47.50, John D. Sleiter $81.00, Mrs. Theo. Treat $4.00, Albert Krohn $15.00, Mrs.Wm.Luck Sr. $164.00, Cliff VanSickle $30.00; Brown Clinic $201.50-for Mrs. John Cosgrove $13.00, Helen Gronewold $41.00, Mrs. W.E.Jones $6.00, Bernadine Heathcote $4.50, Mr.& Mrs. Albert Krohn $17.00, Mrs. Wm. Luck Sr. $30.50, John W. Miller $4.50, Seymour Peterson $8.50, DeOrville Purintun $24.00, A.R. Quade $16.50, John D. Sleiter $6.00, Cliff VanSickle $30.00; Busy Bee Cafe $36.80-for Henry Stillwell $36.80; Dr. D.F. Campbell $93.00-for Anna Parsley $9.00, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $2.00, Harry Freeseman $22.00, Nat Campbell $60.00; F.P.Creaser & Sons $44.76-for Richard Kemp $22.50, Alice Lohr $10.63, Catherine Brockhoft $11.63; Codington Co. Oil Co. $154.35-for John Fjerstad $44.10, Earl Good $29.40, Roy A. Hayes $22.05, Mary Tribbitt $29.40, Olaf Erickson $29.40; R. E. Crichton Oil Co. $29.40-for Anton Kraus $14.70, Joe Gerjets $14.70; Everetts Grocery $60.00-for Leo Leis $45.00, John A. Gillies $15.00; D.N.Fedt,M.D., $28.90-for Chester L. Olson; Haggars Drug $173.16-for Ed Goeman $25.70, Fern Washtoak $38.25, Frank Klucas $12.60, Ellen Anderson $19.50, Mildred Taylor $8.50, Philomena Holzemer $7.65, Nels T. Nelson $4.00, Henry Anderson $6.00, Seymore Peterson $20.60, Mrs. Hilda Ebens $35.40, Rex Richmond $10.25, John Farley $3.95; Lester Hansen Elev. Co. $24.08-Fred Lenards; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $90.70-for Arthur Larson $11.70, Albert Krohn $22.50, Wm. Strutz $11.50, Mrs. Thos. Black $22.50, N.T. Remington $22.50; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $21.77-for Edw. Haack; Hiway Grocery $44.00-for Joe Gerjets; Hollywood Grocery $25.47-for Will Norman $10.00, Frederick Boadwine $15.47; Huebner Oil Co. $36.76-for Wm. Glendenning $22.06, Frank Metzinger $14.70; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $49.49-for John Hess $23.74, Edith Bundy $25.75; Hunters Grocery $117.05-for Albert Kritta $12.00, Joyce Christianson $10.02, John Fjerstad $35.04, Wm. Strutz $59.99; Dana J. Lepler,D.D.S. $22.00-Chester Olson; Lien's Grocery $20.00-for Richard Kemp $10.00, Cora Barto $10.00; Linden Park Grocery $10.00-for Mrs. Robt. Sharp; C.E. McGowan Lbr. Co. $57.75-for Loren Wohlwend $21.25, Gertrude Shepherd $21.25, Carl J. Struss $15.25; Math.Gergen & Rhodes Funeral Chapel $12.00-for N.C. Campbell; Medical Arts Clinic $283.00-for Emma Klucas $22.00, Hilda Ebens $23.00, Fern Washtoak $18.00, Ed Goeman $12.00, Philomena Holzemer $10.00, Anna Christianson $3.00, Susanna Hegg $30.00, Rex Richmond $80.00, C.O. Monson $29.00, Donna Kinon $6.00, Adolph Stoltz $3.00, Earl Crocker $14.00, Henry Anderson $6.00, Ola Hanson $4.00, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Wisneski $23.00; Medical Arts Clinic $244.00-for Henry Anderson $6.00, Susanna Hegg $30.00, Ola Hanson $4.00, Joe Lindner $4.00, Mrs. Chas. Alt $39.00, Mr. & Mrs. C.O. Monson $9.00, Hilda Ebens $26.00, Ed Goeman $8.00, Fern Washtoak $42.00, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Wisneski $24.00, Philomena Holzemer $4.00, Emma Klucas $8.00, Fannie Baker $30.00, Ivrin S. Rislov $10.00; Memorial Hospital $2574.23-for Theo. Treat $160.78, Hilda Ebens $71.62, Fannie Baker $143.41, Cliff VanSickle $774.55, Robert Main $64.21, Nat Campbell $460.20, Earl Crocker $45.05, G. O. Wigdahl $8.55, Rex Richmond $273.03, Henry DeWall $35.00, Alfred Vick $13.10, C. O. Monson $118.10, Susanna Hegg $318.63, Lizzie Alt $88.00; Memorial Hospital $1858.35-for Lizzie Alt $109.53, Chester Olson $20.00, Hilda Ebens $66.23, Ivrin Rislov $86.74, G.O. Wigdahl $9.50, Nat Campbell $263.77, Susanna Hegg $187.90, DeOrville Purintun $183.30, Fannie Baker $184.50, Cliff VanSickle $746.88; Minnehaha County Mental Health Center $70.00-for Frances Emery; National Tea Co. $32.00-for Tracy Sherer; Northside Grocery $25.00-Gerrit Katze $10.00, Carl Christensen $15.00; J.C. Penney Co. $7.90-for Albert Hendricks; Propane Supply Co. $4.53-for James A. Grovenburg; Red Owl Agency $40.00-for Gertrude Shepherd $15.00, Loren Wohlwend $25.00; S.D. Childrens Aid $60.00-

for Sharon and Robt. Schreifels; O.P.Skaggs Store $159.00-for Homer Black $30.00, John Fjerstad $15.00, Jas. Grovenburg $12.00, Verlin Halvorsen $10.00, Ann Kretzschmar $20.00, Albert Kritta $12.00, Arthur Larson $15.00, Wilfred E. Painter $45.00; Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. $14.70-for Mrs. Chas. Underhill; Spies Super Valu $15.00-for Albert Erickson; St. Ann Hospital $486.75-for Seymore Peterson $229.21, Michael McAleer $109.60, John D. Sleiter $75.43, Elida B. Jones $72.51; St. Ann Hospital $1156.46-for Helen Gronewold $232.48, Mrs. Alma Mack $233.09, Mrs. Wm. Luck Sr. $690.89; St.Bernard Prov. Hospital $70.50-for Rose Reade $43.50, John Welter $27.00; Standard Oil Co. $98.64-for Gerrit Katze $17.34, Gertrude Heathcote $14.70, Will Norman $14.70, Wm. Barto $14.70, Phoebe Mowery $7.80, Wilfred E. Painter $14.70, Albert Gillies $14.70; Mrs. Frieda Story $27.50-for Mary Vermillion $22.50, Frances Emery $5.00; Thomes Drug Store $81.49-for R.A. Vance $19.25, Alfred Vick $30.80, Richard DePeel $1.20, Lena Trumer $15.95, Mrs. Theo. Treat $7.70, Harry Freeseman $5.05, L. Albrecht $1.50, Minnie Johnson $1.40, Mrs. Christianson $1.20, Louisa Richter $6.50; Dr. M.C. Thompson $120.50-for Lorence Albrechtt $22.50, David Bright $31.00, John Farley $12.00, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $23.00, Marion Kraft $10.00, Mrs. Lena Trumer $9.00, R.A. Vance $13.00; Dr. Rob.F.Trzynka $12.00-for Gustav Lentz; Watertown Community Oil Co. $133.30-for Della Eisenbise $29.40, Caroline Lausen $29.40, Leo Meis $14.70, Helena Lentz $14.70, Carl Christenson $7.85, Gerald Douglas $7.85, Tracy Sherer $14.70, Fred Boadwine $14.70; Watertown Milling Co. $4.52-for Loren Wohlwend $4.52; Webb Service Station $14.70-for Harold L. Tibbits; Whooley Oil Co. $14.60-for D.A. Button; Butterbrodt Drug Store $11.44-for Loren Wohlwend; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $81.00, Oscar J. Fromke $83.31, Einar Jordeth $26.02, James L. Keenan $81.00, Herb Skinner $74.77; Bailiff Fees-Carl Deal $4.00; Veterans Service $19.50; Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent $119.54, Watertown Public Opinion $199.60, South Shore Gazette $85.32; Publishing Tax List-Watertown Public Opinion $1314.77; Insurance & Bonds-South Shore Gazette $10.00, Farmers & Merchants Agency $16.92, Western Surety Co. $23.50, Western Surety Co. $165.83; Supt. of Schools Mileage-J.Muriel Hoover $25.06; Court Expense-E.M.Olson $11.55; Board of Insanity-Dr. H. T. Kenney $15.00; States Attorney Office Expense-Ross H. Oviatt $12.13; County Extension-Clara W. Johnson $10.72; Treas. office Expense-Burroughs Corp. $21.79, Ruhe Stationery $4.00; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Engineering Dept. $10.00, Remington Rand,Inc. $232.45, Western Transportation Co. $2.73, Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.10; Auditor's Office Expense-LaFrance Office Equip. Co. $1.40, Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.49; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Midwest-Beach Co. $3.11, Co. Judge Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $1.95; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $1.41; Sheriffs Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $2.10; Co. Extension Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $10.05; Welfare Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $44.18; Court House Maintenance-City Treasurer $597.95, NW Bell Telephone Co. $207.45, Elvera Englund $2.70, Wheat's Electric Motor Repair $3.50, Watertown Cement Products Co. $3.90, Nash Finch Co. $5.42, Theo. Lubitz $30.00, N.T. Enevoldsen $30.00, Inman Plumbing & Heating $7.45, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $103.44, Gray Construction Co. $20.00, Otis Elev. Co. $21.00, Davey Furniture Co. $151.75, L.V. Harmel $66.50, Utility Supply Co. $8.05, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $50.53, Duffner Drug $1.55, Lampert Lbr. Co. $8.07, Putman's Service $1.64; Coroners Expense-Joseph E. Messer $7.84; Fees-Cliff Englund $83.05; Court Attendance-Cliff Englund $58.80; Tax Deed-Cliff Englund $5.50; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $94.40; Mileage-Cliff Englund $482.95; Auditor's Office Expense-Hearne Bros. $37.50; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Hearne Bros. $37.50, Midwest Beach Co $118.80; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Hearne Bros. $37.50; Sheriff's Office Expense-Hearne Bros. $37.50; County Farm-Watertown Co-op Elev. Co. $81.84, K. D. Inc. $59.65, Acme Feed & Coal Co. $2.65, Thompson Yards $42.73, Park Grant Co. $41.95, Hank's Shoe Service $1.25, City Treas. $24.15; ROAD-City Treasurer $31.27, Western Transportation Co. $3.83, Northwestern Public Service $6.23; C.M.V.-Western Surety Co. $521.51, Putman's Service $368.09, Hearne Bros. $37.50, Cave Supply Co. $151.91, Dakota Welding Supply $63.82, Empire Equipment Co. $59.13, J.D. Evans Equip. Co. $23.48, Florence Service $22.16, Foster-Bell Co. $1286.08, R.E. Hubbard Co. $3.55, Lester Hansen Elev. Co. $29.04, International Harvester Co. $127.41, Philip Jesme $15.00, Mahowald Co. $36.55, Marquardt's Service $196.90, Frank Miller Co. $11.05, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $55.45, Nelson Hardware $1.00, Paper Calmenson Co. $38.51, Carl Zweig Jr. $32.20, Watertown Tire Co. $4.25, Standard Oil Co. $75.55, Schweiger's Inc. $.72, Thompson Yards $4.00, Watertown Machine Works $68.82, Motor Supply Co. $91.75, Sioux Road Equipment Co. $784.80; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Codington-Clark Co-op. Inc. $616.00; C.H.& B.R.-Sylvester Roe $11.52, Herman Hvidhyld $29.13, Herman Abraham $21.19, C. S. Rasmusson $651.51; TEXTBOOK-Midwest-Beach Co. $97.43, American Book Co. $25.40, Educator Supply Co. $52.09, Lyons & Carnahan $4.00, Hammond & Stephens Co. $54.75; TUITION-Garden City Ind. School District # 47 $157.50; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $23.68.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of March 1, 1954 was checked and approved as follows: Total deposits in banks, $441,001.09; checks, drafts and cash in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $6,331.22; Government Bonds, $181,837.33; total of all items, $629,169.64.

Statements of fees collected during February, 1954 were checked and approved as follows; Clerk of Courts, $209.05; Register of Deeds, $451.55.

Monthly statements for February, 1954 were checked and approved as follows: Yankton State Hospital, $1,877.16; Redfield State Hospital, $575.00.

The official bond and oath of C.S. Rasmusson, County Highway Superintendent and Engineer, in the amount of $2,000.00 was approved by the Board.

Mrs. Annette Burgdorf appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to nursing care of county indigent.

At the request of the Board, Arnold Hoftiezer appeared, and matters relating to Memorial Park were discussed.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that Mr. & Mrs. Arnold Hoftiezer be re-appointed as caretakers of Memorial Park for the 1954 season, with a salary of $200.00 per month for the five months beginning May 1st thru September, with the stipulation that Hoftiezer pay $10.00 per month on the electric bill. Motion carried.

Harry Anderson, a member of the Board of Commissioners of Clark County, appeared before the Board to discuss tax matters.

At the request of the Board, the administrative heads of the three Watertown hospitals

appeared at 4:30 P.M. to discuss matters relating to hospital and related service rates for county indigent during 1954. Proposed rate schedules were presented by the hospital heads and discussion was continued till 6:00 P.M. Action was deferred pending further discussion and study of rate schedules.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Jordeth that Chairman Keenan be authorized to execute a quit claim deed to property described as Lots 11 and 12, Block 12, Rice Bros. Addition to Watertown and all of fractional Block 7 of Brock's Addition to Watertown, less the south 165 ft., which tract so conveyed is also described as the North 61.7 feet of Block 7, Brock's Addition to Watertown, to correct an error in description of the original conveyance which read 61' 7" instead of 61.7 ft. The motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. March 10, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
March 10, 1954

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

The morning was spent in studying and discussing proposed hospital rate schedules for county indigent.

The matter of the County Highway Department personnel pay-scale as fixed by Resolution No. 197A adopted by the Board in January, 1954 was discussed resulting in the following resolution, to-wit:

R E SO L U T I O N NO. 204

Highway Dept. Pay Scale - Effective March 1, 1954

WHEREAS, in the judgement of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, it is deemed necessary for the prompt and accurate dispatch of business for the operation of the County Highway Department and employment of personnel on an hourly basis.

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary that a pay schedule of rates be set up for the year 1954 with provision of time lost due to sickness.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, regular session, that the following classifications are hereby adopted.

CLASSIFICATION	RATE OF PAY PER HOUR
Light Equipment Operators and Common Labor..... 1½ to 4½ ton trucks,all power mowers, other miscellaneous equipment if any.	$ .95
Medium Equipment Operators ..... Patrol (Motor Grader), Front End Loaders, other miscellaneous Equipment if any.	1.05
Heavy Equipment Operators..... Trucks rated 5 ton capacity or over, Large Cat. tread tractors, Barber Greene, Elevating Grader, Other miscellaneous equipment if any.	1.10
Special Operators ..... Large Cat. tread tractors with Scraper, Rotary Snow Plow.	1.25

Note: Truck drivers and Patrol Operators will be paid $0.10 per hour extra when plowing snow. (Excluding Rotary.)

Foreman - Bridge, Grading or Gravel.....$1.10 to $1.25

Shop Foreman .....$200.00 per month.

County Highway Engineer and Superintendent.....$525.00 per month.

Changes in classification and rates will not be made for occasional operation of equipment of other classification, but will only be made when considered necessary by the Highway Superintendent.

Normal working time will be from 7 to 12 o'clock A.M. and 1 to 6 o'clock P.M. during the period from April 1st, to November 30th inclusive, and 8 to 12 o'clock A.M. and 1 to 5 o'clock P.M., during the period from December 1st to March 31st inclusive. No time limit on emergency work.

This pay scale to be effective as of March 1, 1954.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in accordance with the good and faithful service of the employees of the County Highway Department, continually employed for one year in any calendar year, shall be entitled to two weeks sick leave upon the order of physician only. Sick leave cumulative up to a maximum of four weeks, retroactive to January 1, 1953.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Belk and seconded by Skinner, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 10th day of March, 1954.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota.

Herb Skinner

Vernon H Belk

Einar Jordeth

Oscar J Fromke

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. March 16, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
March 16, 1954

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10;00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

On motion by Jordeth and second by Belk, verified claims were approved as follows: General-Court Expense-Irving A. Hinderaker $25.00, Hazel Hegarty $127.80; Court House Maintenance-Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $60.17.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the hearing on a petition to change school district boundaries of Districts No's 8 and 73 as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of February 23, 1954, Chairman Keenan requested the County Auditor to read said petition.

Appearing before the Board for this hearing were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tesch, owners of the property involved and residents of Dist. #8, Albert Sturm, a Board member of Dist. #8, Lloyd Peterson, attorney for Dist. #8, and Muriel Hoover, Superintendent of Schools.

Chairman Keenan called for comments regarding the boundary changes as petitioned. Mr. Tesch stated that road conditions from his home to the school in Dist. #8 were very bad during much of the school year, and that bus service provided by Dist. #73 to the Watertown schools was very convenient for his children.

Mr. Peterson pointed out that the removal of the land from Dist. #8 would decrease that districts taxing base which should be considered in view of the fact that Dist. #73 already has a larger tax base than Dist. #8. However, Mr. Sturm stated that neither the patrons nor the Board members of District #8 were opposed to the change, but were rather in favor of it.

Miss Hoover also recommended that the change be allowed as petitioned.

As no one protested the changes as petitioned, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that the prayer of petitioners be granted taking property described as the NW$\frac{1}{4}$ & N$\frac{1}{2}$ of SW$\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 13-117-53 from Elmira District #8 and adding same to Lake Dist. #73. On roll call vote all commissioners and the County Superintendent of Schools voted "aye" whereupon the Chairman declared the motion carried.

On motion by Belk and second by Jordeth the Board adjourned at noon in order to attend meetings of the 1954 South Dakota State Weed and Pest Control conference being held in Watertown at this time. The time for the next meeting of the Board was set for 10:00 A.M. March 23, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
March 23, 1954

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Bailiff Fees-Ray Makepeace $6.00; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $78.20, Oscar J. Fromke $105.41, James L. Keenan $87.50, Herb Skinner $95.61, Einar Jordeth $93.10.

George Isack of Elmira Twp., appeared before the Board to request a hearing on a petition for addition of roads to the County System, said petition having originally been presented to the Board on May 26, 1953, at which time action on same was deferred for the reason that deeds to right-of-way and easements for bank sloping had not been obtained from all the owners of land adjoining the proposed road. The Board pointed out that, to date, all deeds and easements had not yet been acquired, for which reason they again deferred action pending opinion from the States Attorney as to whether the hearing must be held even though said deeds and easements had not been obtained.

The County Treasurer and Mike Feyen appeared before the Board to request that tax deed pro-

ceedings on property described as Less W50' of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 3, Pettigrew's Addition to Watertown, belonging to said Mike Feyen, be discontinued on the condition that at least one year of the furthest delinquent tax be paid. The Board granted the request.

Levi Redlin appeared before the Board for information on road matters. No action taken.

The application of William H. Broderman for release of a county aid lien No. 15946 in the amount of $50.08 filed against William Broderman, deceased father of the applicant, was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Fromke for the reason that said lien is not a lien of the applicant and that no estate was left by the William Broderman against whom the lien was filed.

The Board approved the predatory animal bounty claim of A. J. Muller in the amount of $112.50.

On motion by Belk and second by Fromke, the application of Fred D. Gottsleben for abatement of 1951 and 1952 taxes on Lot 28, Block 11, Kemps Addition to Watertown, in the total amount of $2.92 was approved for the reason that said property was purchased from Codington County for tax deed on Sept. 3, 1952, wherefore taxes prior to 1953 should have been cancelled.

On motion by Fromke and second by Belk, the application of Hazel Irene Steinmetz for abatement of 1953 taxes in the amount of $272.09 spread against a structure assessed on Lot 11, Block 5, Syndicate addition to Watertown, was approved by the Board for the reason that said assessment was made in error as no structure exists on the Lot above described.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the application of Della Hinricks for abatement of 1953 school poll tax in the amount of $1.00 be approved for the reason of duplication of assessment. Motion carried.

AT the request of the Board, Irving Hinderaker, Chairman of the Memorial Hospital Board, appeared to discuss matters relating to hospitalization of county indigent at Memorial Hospital. The schedule of rates for hospitalization and related service for county indigent as proposed by the Board of Commissioners was discussed, and Mr. Hinderaker stated that he would contact the other hospital board members for their opinion on the matter and inform the County Board.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that C.S. Rasmusson, County Highway Superintendent and Engineer be authorized to attend the Sixth Annual Highway Short Course to be held at Brookings, S. D. on April 7, 8 and 9, 1954, and that mileage and subsistence expenses be allowed as provided by law.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. March 30, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
March 30, 1954

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

On a motion by Belk and seconded by Jordeth, verified claims were allowed as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Dorothy Below $210.00, Irma Welch $190.00, Pearl Bergan $180.00, Alice Olson $160.00; County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00, Alma Gerberding $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68, Harriett Horning $187.55, Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $283.75, Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Walter Dobson $132.00, Carl J. Deal $200.00, Alfred Spring $2.20, Raymond Riley $2.20, Fred Brownell $1.90, Tracy Sherer $150.00; Poor-Memorial Hospital $14.37; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Katherine Downs $25.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $175.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $100.00, Pearl Klemsrud $50.00; Per Diem, Mileage & Salary-Vernon H. Belk $55.50, Oscar J. Fromke $64.59, Einar Jordeth $56.56, James L. Keenan $55.20, Herb Skinner $67.32; Court Expense-Mrs. Eunice McBath $5.10; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-C.S. Rasmusson $525.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $190.00, Sever Tobiason $200.00, Bert Smith $75.00, J.P. Haug $178.50, Joe Stricherz $177.90, John Rennie $252.00, C. B. Sumner $213.80, Harold Scriver $145.26, Carl Zweig, Jr. $187.26, James Hendren $210.39, Ed Gould $87.18, Alfred Spring $188.89, Howard Williams $180.39, Raymond Riley $181.82, Fred Brownell $146.82, Leo Clausen $98.95, Clarence Helle $80.45, John Strait $109.96, E. Spearbeck $100.02; Snow Removal-J.P. Haug $66.15, Joe Stricherz $36.80, C. B. Sumner $25.30, Harold Scriver $41.90, James Hendren $10.00, Ed Gould $8.80, Alfred Spring $5.00, Howard Williams $7.70, Raymond Riley $8.80, Fred Brownell $4.75, Leo Clausen $7.60, Clarence Helle $7.60, John Strait $8.40; BRIDGE-Ed Gould $105.60, Leo Clausen $72.20, Clarence Helle $77.90, John Strait $79.80, E. Spearbeck $26.60.

A delegation consisting of Mayor G. A. Gilbert, Frank Bramble, W. E. Williams, Jack Kintsley, Jim Shields, Clarence Hanson, Jim Freeland, Sr., Ralph Meyer, and Mr. & Mrs. Leon Jelinek appeared before the Board for the purpose of trying to reach some agreement as to what action should be taken relative to the cutting off of the dam on the Sioux River at the Lake Kampeska outlet. Mayor Gilbert stated that although proper jurisdiction for handling the matter should be established, he felt that the important thing to accomplish at present was to restore the dam to its original height and proceed from there. He indicated that the County Board possibly had more jurisdiction in the matter, but the City of Watertown had more interest from the standpoint of being more directly affected by the results of lowering the dam.

The County Board stated that the whole matter was the joint responsibility of the State

Game & Fish Dept., the City of Watertown and Codington County, and produced records of Commissioners Proceedings of April, 1941 showing that the original plan for the dam was handled by a joint commission in the following manner: State Game & Fish Dept. furnished funds in the amount of $3,500.00; the Watertown City Engineer made the survey; Codington County Highway Dept. did the actual construction.

After much discussion during which nearly all of those present expressed opinions, the matter seemed to resolve itself around the question of whether the dam should first be restored to its original height before proceeding further, or whether a survey should be made first to determine the height of the dam as it now is, after which the party or parties responsible for cutting the dam would be expected to restore it to the height of 1719 feet as original plans called for.

The County Board declined to take any definite action in the matter at the present time, and the delegation left at 11:30 A. M.

The County Auditor reported the sale of tax deed property described as Lot 2, Block 13, Florence Village, from Codington County to Florence Village for $25.00.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Fromke that Chairman Keenan be authorized to execute a quit claim deed to above described property from Codington County to Florence Village for $25.00. Motion Carried.

The County Weed Supervisor's monthly report for March, 1954 was noted by the Board.

The hearing on Petition No. 13 for addition of section line road to the County Highway System was set for May 11, 1954 at 10:00 A.M., notice of hearing on same to be published in the official county newspapers April 8, 15 and 22, 1954.

The quarterly report of Justice of the Peace, Joe Strom for the quarter ending March 31, 1954 was approved on a motion by Jordeth and second by Skinner.

The Vital Statistics Annual Report for the year 1953 as submitted by the Clerk of Courts was checked and ordered filed.

The application of Henry O. **Olson** of Rolla, N. D. for refund of 1950 real estate taxes in the amount of $30.76 paid on property described as the SE$\frac{1}{2}$ of SE$\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 11-119-54 was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Jordeth for the reason that said tax had been paid on Receipt No. 7501 issued August 31, 1951 but had not been credited on the tax records, and was paid again on a tax redemption dated Sept. 24, 1953.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. April 6, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
April 5, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened in special session called by Chairman Keenan at 3:00 P. M. for the purpose of trying to reach some agreement and take some definite action on the matter of the controversy resulting from the unauthorized lowering of the Sioux River Channel Dam at the Lake Kampeska Outlet. All Board members were present, Keenan presiding.

Several people interested in the matter were present for the meeting including Andrew Foley, W.E. Williams, James Freeland Sr., Ralph Meyer, Peter Jorgenson, Clarence Hanson and Les Purcell.

Belk moved that no official action be taken by the County Board regarding the present status of the dam, and then withdrew his motion and suggested that the States Attorney be called for legal advice before proceeding further.

At the request of Chairman Keenan, States Attorney Ross Oviatt, appeared and was informed by the Board of the matters under consideration. Chairman Keenan, at the request of Andrew Foley, asked the States Attorney whether the County had or has any jurisdiction over the dam in question. Mr. Oviatt replied that it was his opinion that the Board certainly had the same authority relative to the dam now as it had at the time the dam was built. Reference was made to minutes of April 3, 1941 recorded in Book J of Commissioners Proceedings.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Jordeth that the plat showing the elevation of the Sioux River Channel Dam as 1717.7 ft. established by the survey conducted by C.S.Rasmusson, County Highway Engineer and Superintendent, on April 1, 1954 be filed in the Register of Deeds office. Motion carried.

The Board instructed the County Auditor to inform the City Auditor that no action relative to the dam had been taken by said Board on this date, April 5, 1954.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
April 6, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Minutes of meetings of March 2, 9, 10, 16 and 23, 1954 were approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $105.60, Cecilia M. Bierne $112.56, Ben Wensing $25.10, George D. Bunce $5.10; Poor-Union Bus Depot $38.55; Printing & Advertising-Postmaster $40.08.

Henry Jankord, Nick Spartz and M.A. Hanten, Board of Supervisors of Kranzburg Twp., appeared before the Board for information on township road matters. No action was taken.

Vern Thorson, Joe H. Johnson, Joe Becking and Morris Michaelson, Supervisors of Fuller Twp., appeared to request that the County Board replace a damaged culvert in Fuller Twp.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that Codington County furnish and install a 48" steel culvert on the township road between sections 8 and 17 in Fuller Twp. Motion carried.

Monthly statements for March, 1954 were checked and approved by the Board as follows: State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis at Sanator, S. D. $221.65; Redfield State Hospital $575.00.

Statements of fees collected during March, 1954 were checked and approved as follows: Register of Deeds $498.20; Clerk of Courts $318.40.

The County Veterans Service Officers monthly report for March, 1954 was noted by the Board.

A letter from Charles J. Gilbert, Secretary of the South Dakota State Weed Board, listing members of the Codington County Weed Board elected and approved pursuant to Section 6, Chapter 349 of the S. D. Session Laws of 1945 was presented to the Board.

Members of said Weed Board, certified to the County Auditor as above noted, are as follows: Joe Fox, Robert Redlin, Paul David amd Einar Jordeth.

The application of Edward Aljoe for abatement of 1953 personal property taxes in the amount of $82.26 was approved by the Board on a motion by Jordeth and second by Belk for the reason of an error whereby said personal property was listed in School District # 1 with a mill levy of 60.14 mills whereas it should properly be listed in District # 17 with a levy of 29.41 mills.

At 3:00 P. M. Commissioner Belk was excused from the Board.

Pursuant to call for sealed bids to furnish Codington County with a power lawn mower, and this being the date fixed by the Board for considering such bids, Chairman Keenan requested that bids be opened and read.

Chet's Bicycle Service of Watertown submitted the only bid as follows: One 30" Super Detroit -Reel Type-self propelled lawn mower with 4-5 H.P. motor for $420.00. It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Jordeth that the Chairman of the Court House Purchasing Committee be authorized to sign order for the mower as bid. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that for a payment of $100.00 a partial release of County Aid liens in the amount of $186.90 be granted to Earl McMicheal,said liens

to be released only in-so-far as they affect property described as Lots 190 and 191, Fairfax Addition to Watertown. Motion Carried.

The application of Herbert Norbeck, agent for Fred Walsh, Jr., for a partial release of county aid liens of Fred Walsh, Sr. in the amount of $428.97 in-so-far as said liens affect property described as Lots 3 and 4, Block 6, Gesley's Addition to Watertown was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Skinner.

A written opinion from the States Attorney relating to petitions for additions of township roads to the County Highway System was presented to the Board at this time pursuant to request for same as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of March 23, 1954. On the basis of this opinion which holds that the County Board is not required to hold a hearing on a road petition which does not meet requirements as previously stipulated by said Board, it was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that Petition No. 9, originally presented to the Board by George Isack on May 26, 1953, with highway so petitioned fully described in proceedings of that date, be tabled. Motion carried.

At 4:00 P. M. Jordeth was excused from the Board to accompany C.S. Rasmusson, County Highway Superintendent, out to inspect the culvert in Fuller Twp., previously mentioned in Proceedings of this date.

At 5:00 P. M. the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., April 13, 1954.

Carl F. Bagan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
April 13, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Fromke, Skinner and Jordeth present, Belk absent, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-M.M. Staley $10.10, Cliff Englund $72.52, Mabel C. Alworth $22.38, Les Purcell $20.00, Watertown Clinic $35.00; Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $65.00-for Mary L. Wilson $20.00, Emma Henthorne $20.00, Mr. & Mrs. Ed McPeek $25.00; Mrs. Augusta Bunde $25.00-for Louisa Richter; Mrs. Annette Burgdorf $135.00-for Ella Flanagan $40.00, Nels T. Nelson $95.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Louis C. Kinstad $151.00-for Ole Hanson $26.00, Ola Omodt $45.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ole Aamodt $45.00; Anna M. Larson $9.50-for Fannie Baker; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $102.10-for James Chambers $15.00, David Bright $47.10, Lorence Albrect $40.00; Watertown Rest Home $30.00-for L. Mourere; Mrs. Grace Wilson $77.50-for Edith Kinsey $30.00, Hilda Ebens $27.50, Fred Coan $20.00; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00-for Rose Dixon $15.00, Sarah Ann Black $10.00; Watertown Clinic-$56.00-for Albert & Elizabeth Dummer $8.00, Tollef Faehn $13.00; Mrs. Aug. Anderson $75.00-for Frances Emery; Bauer's Store $50.00-for Earl Good $35.00, Fred Lenards $15.00; Bartron Hospital $1345.98-for Mrs. O.A. Olson $297.28, Chas. Thrun $37.50, Malcolm Axford $31.12, Willie Schmeling $193.40, Mrs. Verlin Halvorson $116.09, Ed McPeek $182.20, Mrs. Gustav Lentz $372.65, Mrs. Chas. Bagan $115.74; Bartron Clinic $623.25-for Mrs. O. A. Olson $75.00, Mrs. Kathryn Vaughn $3.00, Mrs. Robt. Johnson $5.87, Ben Bergeson $4.09, Patricia Jo Minor $7.00, Mrs. Nellie Jensen $5.10, B. J. Murray $11.22, Mrs. Cathryn McLaughlin $6.50, Henry Springer $1.96, Chas. Thrun $27.00, Chas. Underhill $3.00, Mrs. Jas. J. Mack $75.00, Emma Jenkins $4.85, Ronald Crocker $5.00, Edgar Wight $28.01, Malcolm Axford $13.00, Willie Schmeling $30.00, Mrs. Verlin Halvorson $80.00, Ronald Lohr $20.59, Ed McPeek $40.00, Mrs. Ludwig Roethler $24.78, Ann Kretzschmar $2.04, Jacquelin Robison $6.38, Mrs. Gust Lentz $86.40, Mrs. Chas. Bagan $57.46; Bartron Hospital $1191.28-for Leora Rose $25.00, Emery Smith $54.00, Ed McPeek $44.00, Willie Schmeling $178.50, Peter Peterson $236.03, David Bright $9.25, Alice Roush $112.50, Mrs. O.A. Olson $329.50, Adolph Stankey $21.00, Mrs. Sever Engen $181.50; Bartron Clinic $487.72-for Mrs. Myrtle Nelson $7.00, Leora Rose $33.00, Mrs. Gustav Lentz $2.00, Ludwig Roethler $20.00, Ben Bergeson $8.00, Mrs. Arnold App $35.00, Emery Smith $21.00, Ed McPeek $14.50, Willie Schmeling $30.00, James Chambers $10.63, Mrs. Olaf Erickson $2.00, Wm. Barto $2.00, Margaret Papka $8.25, Peter Peterson $34.00, Mrs. Florence Thompson $22.00, David Bright $4.00, Cathryn McLaughlin $2.00, Ronald Crocker $2.00, Elaine Robison $5.05, Mrs. Loren Wohlwend $6.00, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $9.00, H. J. Webb Sr. $8.21, Frank Metzinger $8.08, Alice Roush $79.00, Mrs. Robt. Johnson $4.00, Mrs. Anna McDonald $4.00, Mrs. O. A. Olson $30.00, Mrs. Sever Engen $77.00; Brown Clinic $103.50-for Mrs. John Cosgrove $4.00, Helen Gronewold $4.00, Emma Henthorn $5.00, Cliff VanSickle $30.00, Mrs. Wm. Jones $4.00, Albert Krohn $15.00, Mrs. Wm. Luck $8.50, John Miller $4.50, Seymore Peterson $2.00, DeOrville Purintun $20.00, A. R. Quade $4.50; Dr. D. F. Campbell $155.00-for Donna Thompson $100.00, Anna Parsley $10.00, Wm. Peterson $45.00; Codington County Oil Co. $66.15-for Mary Tribitt $14.70, Leonard Vaughn $7.35, John Fjerstad $14.70, Roy A. Hayes $14.70, Susie Erickson $14.70, Phoebe A. Mowery $7.35; F.P.Creaser & Sons $45.26-for Richard Kemp $22.50, Frank Barthel $11.63, Alice Olhr $11.13; Don's Food Shop $14.94-for Albert Dummer; Duffner Drug Store $193.79-for Edgar Wight $4.50, Mrs. W.E. Jones $35.85, Inga Yarns $11.70, B. J. Murray $15.10, Steve Wisneske $21.90, Frank Metzinger $8.85, M. Bradfield $5.00, Mrs. Peter Demuynck $16.35, Fannie Baker $4.83, Ole Omodt $1.00, Albert Dummer $9.15, L. Mourere $1.25, Wm. Ball $20.70, Ole Hanson $25.00, Mrs. C.W. Montney $21.74, Mathilda Blek $3.35, A. R. Quade $2.50, Mrs. John Cosgrove $6.55; Everett's Grocery $90.20-for Tracy Sherer $15.00, Albert Gillies $45.00, Leo Meis $30.20; Dr. Donald N. Fedt $190.50-for Chas. Bierscheid $92.00, Chester Olson $6.50, Mrs. Wm. Norman $16.00, Ole Omodt $6.00, Mrs. Jas. Grovenburg $66.00, Fannie Baker $4.00; Graham Grocery $20.00-for Gerald Douglas; Haggars Drug Store $414.64-for Mrs. Ellen Anderson $14.00, Fern Washtoak $61.20, Philomena Holzemer $5.50, John Farley $8.75, Mildred Taylor $5.50, Fannie Baker $2.70, Ed Goeman $47.85, Mrs. Frank Klucas $13.35, Leora Rose $18.75, Nels T. Nelson $2.00, Seymore Peterson $19.80, Mrs. Emma Henthorn $2.75, Mrs. Robt. Johnson $1.00, Henry Anderson $5.75, Mrs. Hilda Ebens $92.93, Mrs. Ellen Stoltz $117.38, Chas. Bierscheid $19.65, Earl Crocker $12.20, Mrs. Jas. Grovenburg $9.65; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $57.50-for Joe Lindner $3.30, Albert Hillestad $22.50, Leora Rose $20.00, Sylvia Sharp $11.70; Hollywood Grocery $20.00-for Fred Boadwine $10.00, Will Norman $10.00; Hunter's Grocery $62.00-for Wm. Strutz $15.00, Mrs. Thos. Redwing $12.00, Joyce Christianson $10.00, John Fjerstad $15.00, Elmer Rockwood $10.00; Kreiser Drug Store $86.15-for Ben Bergerson $10.64, Earl Crocker $21.25, Susie Erickson $1.50, Albert Johnson $6.00, Myrtle Nelson $6.00, Anna Parsley $14.90, Ludwig Roethler $11.10,

Elaine Robison $2.45, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $6.25; Kreiser Drug Store $58.49-for Earl Crocker $8.75, Mathilda Blek $3.12, Anna Parsley $38.98; Lien's Grocery $49.93-Mrs. Cora Barto $24.93, Richard Kemp $10.00, Gustav Lentz $15.00; Linden Park Grocery $10.00-for Mrs. Robt. Sharp; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $92.60-for Mrs. Edith Bundy $23.97, Thos. Redwing $23.63, Mrs. Blair Tessier $22.50, Harry Conrad $22.50; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes Amb. $3.00; Medical Arts Clinic $237.00-for Mrs. Lizzie Alt $2.00, Henry Anderson $6.00, Mrs. C. W. Montney $12.00, Earl Crocker $13.00, Ellen Stoltz $33.00, Wm. Ball $4.00, Ole Hanson $2.00, Fern Washtoak $29.00, Philomena Holzemer $15.00, Steve Wisneske $12.00, Fannie Baker $24.00, Ed Goeman $25.00, Mrs. Frank Klucas $16.00, Ervin Eisenbise $14.00, Hilda Ebens $30.00; Memorial Hospital $1592.90-for Chas. Bierscheid $170.55, Patricia Grovenburg $79.85, Ellen Stoltz $282.30, Hilda Ebens $186.50, Earl Crocker $36.50, Mrs. C. W. Montney $36.00, Cliff Van Sickle $775.50, Alfred Vick $20.70; Minnehaha Co. Mental Health Center $30.00-for Frances Emery; Montgomery Ward & CO. $12.40-for Ole Omodt; Northside Grocery $55.00-Mrs. Gilbert Maas $30.00, Gerrit Katze $10.00, Carl Christenson $15.00; J. C. Penney Co. $5.90-for Loren Wohlwend $5.90; S. D. Childrens Aid $81.00-for Sharon Schreifels $41.00, Robt. Schreifels $40.00; S.D. State Sanatorium $23.90-for Raymond Ries; Shaw-Messer Amb. Service $9.00-for Fred Coan $3.00, Fannie Baker $3.00, Hilda Ebens $3.00; O.P. Skaggs $126.78-for Homer Black $7.78, Loren Wohlwend $20.00, Wilfred E. Painter $25.00, Leonard Vaughn $10.00, Gustav Lentz $12.00, John Fjerstad $30.00, Albert Kritta $22.00; Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. $29.40-for Chas Underhill; Spies Super Value $79.00-for Gustav Lentz $30.00, Albert Erickson $12.00, Mrs. Blair Tessier $22.00, Arthur Larson $15.00; St. Ann Hospital $81.00-for De-Orville Purintun; Standard Oil Co. $38.97-for Albert Gillies $14.70, Mrs. Wm. Barto $15.60, Gerrit Katze $8.67; St. Bernard's Prov. Home $202.85-for Rose Reade $51.25, John Welter $31.60, Bridget B. Brandreit $120.00; Mrs. Frieda Story $26.48-for Mary Vermillion; Thomes Drug Store $87.12-for Mrs. Treat $2.00, Harry Freeseman $14.20, Lena Trumer $8.50, Lorence Albrecht $3.00, Richard DePeel $3.60, R. A. Vance $15.75, Minnie Johnson $4.20, Albert Hendricks $6.00, Anna Christianson $2.60, Alfred Vick $32.70, Louisa Richter $1.25, Chas. Bierscheid $3.00; Dr. M. C. Thompson $173.50-for Lorence Albrecht $25.50, David Bright $35.00, Peter DeMuynck $2.00, John Farley $11.00, Albert Hendricks $9.00, Minnie Johnson $31.00, Marion Kraft $13.00, Fremond Tribett $28.00, Lena Trumer $8.00, R. A. Vance $11.00; Watertown Community Oil Co. $81.35-for Mrs. Gustav Lentz $29.40, Leo Meis $14.70, Caroline Lausen $14.70, Carl Christensen $7.85, Tracy Sherer $14.70; Whooley Oil Co. $14.60-for D.A. Button $14.60; Court House Maintenance-Tracy Sherer $75.00, Midwest-Beach Co. $4.92, Botsford Lumber Co. $6.55, Chet's Bicycle Shop $3.10, Chas. E. Crown $5.00, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $66.35, Egge Electric Co. $48.45, Mrs. Elvera Englund $3.72, L. V. Harmel $39.43, Midland Laboratories $40.09, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $51.03, Nelson Hardware $43.00, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $95.65, N.W. Bell Telephone Co. $204.45, Otis Elevator Co. $21.00, Pitney-Bowes,Inc. $24.04, Wheat's Elec. Motor Repair $7.00, City Treas. $531.94, Uptown Mobile Service $.88; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $81.70, Oscar J. Fromke $104.99, Einar Jordeth $65.82, James L. Keenan $79.60, Herb Skinner $108.20; Board of Health-H. Russel Brown, M.D. $98.00; Veterans Service Office Expense-Rosella Howey $22.50; Fees-Cliff Englund $66.88; Mileage-Cliff Englund $439.40; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $115.20; Tax Deed-Cliff Englund $45.45; Vital Statistics-Walter A. Farl $350.90, Dr. R.M. Kilgard $88.00, Dr. C.Rodney Stoltz $30.50,Dr. M.C.Rousseau $46.25, Dr. M.W. Larson $19.00, Dr. S J. Walters $12.00, Dr.H.R.Brown $3.75, Dr. G.R.Bartron $1.00, Dr. Ramon Auskaps $6.50, Dr. Thos. Reul $2.00, Dr. D.M.Olson $4.00, Dr. John Argabrite $4.50, Dr. C.J. Clark $4.75, Dr. Abner Willen $6.50, Dr. V.Janaus $2.25, Dr.D.F. Campbell $6.00, Dr. Mary A. Schmidt $.75, Dr. M. C. Thompson $1.00,Dr. O.S. Randall $.75, Dr. H.T. Kenney $1.75, Valdis Brakes $2.00, J.E. Messer $2.50, Dr. Dagfinn Lie $.25, Dr. J.C. Trivett $1.25, Dr.S.W.Allen, Jr. $2.25, Dr. H.J. Bartron Jr. $.25, Dr. D.N. Fedt $.75; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $13.80 ; Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent $60.34, South Shore Gazette $60.34, Watertown Public Opinion $110.40; Insitute-Mrs. Louis DeWall $7.50, John R. Ditch Jr. $20.00, Mrs. G. R. Eidsness $2.50, Miles Esget $7.50, Kenneth Holum $25.00, Mrs. Geo. A. Moeller $7.50, Anna L. Molln $7.50, Mrs. Joe Murphy $2.50, Mrs. Roy Sharp $2.50, Mrs. Rodney Stoltz $7.50, Mrs. Rose White $7.50; Contests & Exhibits-Hammond & Stephens Co. $70.27, Hodges Badge Co. $33.24, Sommer Badge Mfg. Co. $10.63,; Convention & Research-Henry W. Seide $97.36; Assessors Supplies-Photo News $198.50, F. C. Grow Sons $359.50; County Extension-R.E. Huffman Co. $1.33, Clara W. Johnson $51.93, Fred Morris $40.20, Tri-State Trans. Co. $9.24; Insurance & Bonds $824.76; Supt. of Schools Mileage-J. Muriel Hoover $53.06; Board of Insanity-H.T. Kenney M.D. $30.00; Sheriffs Office Expense-Fingerprint Equip. Laboratory $1.19; Supt. of Schools Office Expemse-C.E.Gregory Co. $119.30, Carlson's $21.61; Midwest-Beach Co. $12.44, Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.25; County Extension-Carlson's $149.70, Ruhe Stationery Co. $7.20; Auditor's Office Expense-Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. $40.72; F.C. Grow Sons $18.00, LaFrance Office Equip. Co. $1.40, News Printing Co. $276.00, Brown & Saenger $296.16, Ruhe Stationery Co. $8.35; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Remington Rand Inc. $53.08, Brown & Saenger $9.29, Ruhe Stationery Co. $27.50; Treas. Office Expense-LeFebure Corp. $280.00, National Cash Register Co. $62.76, Ruhe Stationery Co. $157.70; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $41.59, Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.25; County Judge Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $5.94, Ruhe Stationery Co. $.50; Welfare Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $7.50; Assessors Supplies-Ruhe Stationery Co. $5.85; States Attorney's Office Expense $4.80; Court Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.50; Memorial Park-Metz Baking Co. $6.00; County Farm-Metz Baking Co. $.75, City Treas. $20.50, Lien's Grocery $43.61, K. D. Inc. $2.10, Marshall-Wells Store $3.95, Park Grant Co. $27.35, Putnam's Service $4.38, Fred Walsh $72.80, Watertown Veterinary Clinic $17.50, Olson Appliance Co. $11.60, Olson Appliance Co. $5.80; ROAD-Carlson's $149.30, City Treas. $30.88, Uptown Mobile Service $97.02, Olson Appliance Co. $49.79, Botsford Lumber Co. $70.76, Butterbrodt Drug Store $6.21, Cave Supply Co. $169.97, Mel Dahle Tire Co. $23.69, Dakota Welding Supply Co. $6.46, Empire Equipment Co. $35.27, J.D.Evans Equip. Co. $43.55, Foster-Bell Co.$156.33, Frederick Post Co. $40.80, F.C. Grow Sons $38.25, W. & L.E. Gurley $386.75, Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $43.20, Kenneth Hayes $3.04, Henry Cooperative Co. $34.34, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $44.80, Koch's Service Station $13.61, Luther Paint & Glass Co. $54.75, Mahowald Company $6.62, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $27.62, Motor Supply Co. $242.53, Nelson Hardware Co. $1.00, N.W. Public Service Co. $3.45, Railway Express Agcy. $9.76, Reaney's Service $238.00, Roxum Bros. Motor Co. $1.24, Ruhe Stationery Co. $.75, Schweiger's Inc. $46.72, Harold Scriver $3.00, Sioux Road Equipment Co. $49.11, Watertown Machine Works $13.86, Watertown Tire Co. $9.55; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-International Harvester Co. $522.25, L.O.H. Co. $6.03, Marquardts Service $6.16, Northwestern Road Supply Co. $258.48, Arthur Schwandt $32.77, Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. $1127.26, Watertown Iron & Metal Co. $5.00; C.H. & B.R.-Thomas J. McFerran $21.67, Codington-Clark Elec. $686.92; TEXTBOOK-American Book Co. $37.19, Wilson Storage & Transfer $1.50; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $22.18, Paul David $5.82, Einar Jordeth $7.78.

George Isack, Martin Cordell and Mark Davey appeared before the Board for information relative to Board action on Petition #9, requesting addition of township roads in Elmira Twp. to the County Highway System. Chairman Keenan informed the above named men that on the basis of the States Attorney's opinion the Board had tabled the petition indefinitely.

Commissioner Belk appeared and took his seat on the Board at 1:00 P.M.

RESOLUTION #205

RESOLUTION DESIGNATING DEPOSITORY BANKS FOR COUNTY FUNDS.

State of South Dakota)
)SS
County of Codington)

WHEREAS, acting under Section 12.0818 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, and all other amendatory acts, the following named banks have made proper application to be designated as depositories for the funds of Codington County, South Dakota:

(List all Banks here)

(NAME OF BANK (LOCATION)

First Citizens National Bank- - - - - - - - - - - -Watertown, South Dakota
Farmers & Merchants Bank - - - - - - - - - - - - -Watertown, South Dakota
Farmers State Bank - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Kranzburg, South Dakota

And, Whereas, it appears from the examination of said applications that they are in proper form in compliance with the Statutes;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that the above named banks be and they are hereby designated as depositories for funds of Codington County, South Dakota, for the period of one year, beginning April 13, 1954, and the Treasurer is authorized to deposit funds therein when bonds or other legal security have been assigned to the County Treasurer.

AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED , that the following banks:

(List only ACTIVE Depositories here)

First Citizens National Bank - - - - - - - - - - Watertown, South Dakota
Farmers & Merchants Bank - - - - - - - - - - - - Watertown, South Dakota

are each designated as ACTIVE depositories as provided by Section 12.0819 of the So.Dakota Code of 1939, and all amendatory acts, for the deposit therein by the County Treasurer of daily receipts of cash, checks, drafts, and other items, and the County Treasurer is expressly authorized to deposit in each of said banks in excess of 100% of the capital and surplus of each of said banks, providing that at all times the funds on deposit shall be fully secured by surety bond, pledge of legal collateral and/or insurance as provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Provided, further, that each such depository shall pay on demand all deposits therein subject to payment on demand, and shall pay, when demanded, all time deposits therein, with accrued interest, if any.

Dated this 13th day of April, 1954, and to be spread on the minutes of the said Board of County Commissioners at this April 13th meeting duly attended by a majority of the Board.

Approved: James L Keenan
Chairman
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS,
Codington County, South Dakota

Attest:
Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

RESOLUTION #206

RESOLUTION APPROVING COLLATERAL PLEDGED BY DEPOSITORY BANKS
AND
DESIGNATION AND APPROVAL OF CUSTODIAN BANKS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
)SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, acting under Section 12.0818 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, and all other amendments as have been or may hereafter be enacted, the following named banks have been designated as depositories for the funds of Codington County, South Dakota, by the Board of County Commissioners and the County Treasurer, and in compliance with the aforesaid laws the said banks have assigned, transferred and set over to said Codington County,South Dakota, those certain securities described below; this collateral having been found by the said Board of County Commissioners to be good and sufficient for county funds, and in compliance with the Statutes relating thereto,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the same is hereby approved.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the custodian banks named below for the safekeeping of said securities are hereby designated and approved.

NAME OF BANK - The First Citizens National Bank - - - - - - City - Watertown, S. D.

AMOUNT	NAME AND DESCRIPTION		MATURITY DATE
$75,000	U.S. Treas. Bonds	2%	12-15-54
275,000	U.S. Treas. Bonds	2½%	11-15-61

CUSTODIAN BANKS FOR THE SAFEKEEPING OF SAID SECURITIES:

Chase National Bank - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - New York, N. Y.
Federal Reserve Bank - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Minneapolis, Minn.

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NAME OF BANK - Farmers & Merchants Bank City - Watertown, S. D.

AMOUNT	Name and description	Maturity Date
$ 10,000	Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation Guaranty	
340,000	Securities now pledged as per list on file	

CUSTODIAN BANKS FOR THE SAFEKEEPING of said securities:

Chase National Bank - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - New York, N. Y.
Marquette National Bank - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Minneapolis, Minn.

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NAME OF BANK - Farmers State Bank City - Kranzburg, S. D.

AMOUNT	NAME AND DESCRIPTION			MATURITY DATE
$25,000	U.S. Treas. Notes Serial A-1957 - #12152 @ 5M #37091/92 @ 10M	2 7/8 %	Due	3-15-1957
15,000	U.S. A. Treas. Bonds Dated 12-1-1944 #139365E @ 10M #67256F @ 5M	2%	Due	12-15-1954
$10,000	F. D. I. Corporation			

Dated this 13th day of April, 1954, and to be spread on the minutes of the said Board of County Commissioners at this April 13th meeting duly attended by a majority of the Board.

Approved: James L Keenan
Chairman
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON, SOUTH DAKOTA

Attest:
Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Hazel Nebbiesmann
County Treasurer

R E SO L U T I O N # 207

WHEREAS, bids for the Gravelsurfacing of Federal Aid Secondary Project S 120 (2), Codington County, South Dakota, have been received by the South Dakota Highway Commission, and

WHEREAS, the Loomis Brothers of Garden City, South Dakota are the low bidders of seven with a proposal of $11,613.73, which bid is $6,288.39 or 35.1% under the Engineer's Estimate of $17,902.12,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota concur with the South Dakota State Highway Commission in awarding the contract to said Loomis Brothers.

The foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Jordeth, seconded by Commissioner Fromke, and upon being put to a vote all commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 13th day of April, 1954.

Attest:
Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota

R E S O L U T I O N # 208

WHEREAS, bids for the Grading, etc. on Federal Aid Secondary Project S 120 (2), Codington County, South Dakota, have been received by the South Dakota State Highway Commission, and

WHEREAS, the E. L. Lien Construction Company of Veblen, South Dakota is the low bidder of thirteen with a proposal of $23,126.82, which bid is $9,686.43 or 29.5% below the Engineer's Estimate of $32,813.25,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota concur with the South Dakota State Highway Commission in awarding the contract to said E.L. Lien Construction Company.

The foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Jordeth, seconded by Commissioner Fromke, and upon being put to a vote all commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 13th day of April, 1954.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota

Attest:

Carl T. Bergan
County Auditor

Chairman Keenan asked to be excused from the Board at 3:30 P.M. and relinquished the chair to Vice Chairman Fromke.

The Auditor's Account with County Treasurer as of April 1, 1954 was checked and approved by the Board as follows: Deposits in banks $500,725.83; checks, drafts and cash in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $16,248.32; Government Bonds, $181,837.33; Total of all items, $698,811.48.

The March, 1954 statement of the Yankton State Hospital in the amount of $1,898.16 was checked and approved.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: John Schultz, $4.00; Lloyd Evjen, $4.00; Donald Burchatz, $4.00; Ralph Wartenbee, $8.00; Melvin Thompson,$4.00; Glenn Stadheim, $4.00; Allen Aldridge, $4.00.

Keenan returned and assumed the chair.

The Application of Esther L. Johnson for refund of 1953 real estate taxes in the amount of $50.55 on property described as the SE$\frac{1}{4}$ SW$\frac{1}{4}$ Less the East 330 Ft. of the South 693 ft., Section 25-117-52 was approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and second by Skinner for the reason that said property had been assessed as industrial land, taking an 82.45 mill levy, and should properly be classified as agricultural land taking a mill levy of 53.57 mills.

On a motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth the Board concurred with the City Council in approving the application of Edwin Anderson for abatement of 1953 personal property taxes in the amount of $20.86 for the reason that the property against which this tax was spread had been disposed of in October, 1952.

On motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth, the Board authorized the Superintendent of Schools, Muriel Hoover, to attend the State Y.C.L. Convention at Pierre, S. D. May 2 through May 4, 1954 with expenses paid as provided by law.

County Highway Supt. C.S. Rasmusson, appeared before the Board to discuss road matters.

M.H. Suttor appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to the addition to the County Highway System of the road on 14th Ave. north, thence south to 10th Ave. N. near the Sioux River. No action was taken.

Two petitions requesting addition of township roads to the County Highway System were presented to the Board at this time as follows:

Petition No. 14 - Requesting addition of road described as "Commencing at the NE corner of Section 6-117-51, thence south 2$\frac{1}{2}$ miles to the SE corner of the NE quarter of Section 18-117-51, thence west one mile to Section 13-117-52, thence south $\frac{1}{2}$ mile to the NE corner of Section 24-117-52 to join with the County road."

Petition No. 15 - Requesting addition of road described as, "Beginning at the NE corner of Section 25-116-51, thence south 1 mile to the SE corner of Section 25-116-51."

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that Petition No. 14 be filed pending further checking, and that notice of hearing on Petition No. 15 be published in the official newspapers on April 22, 29 and May 6, 1954, and that time of hearing be set for May 18, 1954 at 10:00 A.M. Motion carried.

Mort L. Laur and Dr. S. J. Walters appeared before the Board to request information as to who has jurisdiction over the "Mud Creek" Dam north of Lake Kampeska. Dr. Walters requested a written statement from the Board indicating whether said Board did have or did not have jurisdiction over said dam. Chairman Keenan called the States Attorney and requested that he appear before the Board to advice the proper procedure. A court record covering a law suit relating to a dam north of Lake Kampeska, in which suit the City of Watertown was the defendant, was brought from the Clerk of Courts office for reference. Dr. Walters asked whether this record would be available for future reference for anyone interested, and, upon being advised that it would, he stated that he would not need the written statement as previously requested.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the Board advertize for bids to furnish the Codington County Highway Dept. with a four-door automobile, specifications to be drawn up by the County Highway Superintendent and notice to bidders published in the official newspapers on April 22, 29 and May 6, 1954, bids to be opened at 10:00 A.M. May 18, 1954. Motion carried.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. April 20, 1954.

Carl T. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
April 20, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Clifford Melander $5.10; Poor-Codington County Oil Co. $7.35-for John Fjerstad, Dennis Meyer $37.00; Court House Maintenance-L.O.H. Company $3.74, Nash-Finch Co. $81.15.

The application of Galen A. West for compromise settlement of county aid liens in the amount of $675.97 for a payment of $338.00 was approved by the Board on a motion by Skinner and second by Belk.

The County Auditor reported a tax deed sale of property described as Lot 188, Way's Lake Drive Addition to Watertown from Codington County to Ellanora L. Tesch for $5.00. It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Fromke that Chairman Keenan be authorized to execute deed to above described property from Codington County to said Ellanora L. Tesch. Motion carried.

Nick Martin, road contractor from Webster, S. D. appeared before the Board to discuss road matters. No action was taken.

R E S O L U T I O N # 209

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $33,222.87 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the first quarter of 1954.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows, to-wit:

Kranzburg, $2,860.95; Sheridan, $1,661.14; Henry Twp., $1,661.14; Richland, $1,661.14; Graceland, $1,661.14; Waverly, $2,122.54; Rauville, $2,353.29; Phipps, $1,661.14; Germantown, $2,214.85; Dexter, $2,768.57; TOTAL $20,625.90

AND WHEREAS, the County Highway System has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following townships:

Pelican, $1,661.14; Kampeska, $1,661.14; Elmira, $1,661.14; Lake, $1,661.14; Fuller, $2,630.13; Leola, $1,661.14; Eden, $1,661.14: TOTAL $12,596.97

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that, said fund apportioned as above set out be held by the County Auditor to pay for completing the County Highway System in the said townships, in the proportion as above provided and pursuant to law, and no part thereof shall be actually paid over to the said townships, provided however, that any amount of the respective allotments to their respective townships not paid over, shall remain unexpended after completing the roads of the County Highway System, shall revert to and be payable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Jordeth and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 20th day of April, 1954.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

Attest:

Carl F. Bergan
Auditor, Codington County
South Dakota

R E S O L U T I O N # 209 A

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $11,865.31 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment for the first quarter of 1954.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned among the respective municipalities as follows:

Florence $664.46; Henry $664.46; South Shore $664.46; Wallace $498.34; Watertown $9373.59; TOTAL $11,865.31

The above and foregoing resolution was mpoved for adoption by Commissioner Fromke, Seconded by Commissioner Skinner and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 20th day of April, 1954.

Attest:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington co., S.D.

The Board adjourned at 4:30 P.M. till 10:00 A.M. April 27, 1954, after which they went out to Memorial Park for routine inspection.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
April 27, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Dorothy Below $210.00, Irma Welch $190.00, Pearl Bergan $180.00, Alice Olson $160.00; County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00, Alma Gerberding $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68, Harriett Horning $205.00, Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $283.75, Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Katherine Downs $25.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $175.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $115.00, Pearl Klemsrud $50.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-C.S. Rasmusson $525.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $190.00, Sever Tobiason $200.00, Bert Smith $74.00, J. P. Haug $236.78, Joe Stricherz $284.55, John Rennie $262.50, C.B. Sumner $273.00, Harold Scriver $194.78, Carl Zweig Jr. $191.20, James Hendren $257.25, Ed Gould $179.08, Alfred Spring $238.28, Howard Williams $203.76, Raymond Riley $57.08, Fred Brownell $79.70, Leo Clausen $172.10, Clarence Helle $124.88, John Strait $200.60, E. Spearbeck $188.10, Curtis Underwood $57.00, Chris Engels $47.50, Julius Lentz $47.50; Snow Removal-J.P.Haug $10.50, Harold Scriver $9.45; BRIDGE-Ed Gould $59.40, Howard Williams $44.00, Fred Brownell $71.25, Leo Clausen $53.20, Clarence Helle $68.40, John Strait $20.90; County Farm-Carl Zweig Jr. $2.10; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl Zweig Jr. $10.50, James Hendren $5.00, Ed Gould $8.80, Alfred Spring $4.40, Howard Williams $8.80, Raymond Riley $4.40, Fred Brownell $9.50, Clarence Helle $7.60, John Strait $3.80; Per diem, Mileage & Salary-Vernon H. Belk $108.80, Oscar J. Fromke $92.78, Einar Jordeth $81.52, James L. Keenan $92.50, Herb Skinner $78.51; Court Expense-Cecilia M. Beirne $110.67.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that the claim of M. J. Fox in the amount of $134.85 for damages to his flax crop during road construction adjoining his land in Elmira Twp. be temporarily tabled for further checking. Motion carried.

Carl Gunderson, Jr., Fred Matthes and Leonard Bowen, Supervisors of Germantown Twp., and Edgar Bunde, resident of Germantown Twp., appeared before the Board to request that the County furnish and install a culvert on the township line road between Rauville and Germantown Twps. The Board deferred action on foregoing request pending inspection of the situation.

The application of Lyle Sotka for abatement of $1.00 school poll and $2.00 road poll assessed to him in Pelican Twp. in 1953, was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Belk for the reason of military exemption.

Upon recommendation of the Court House Maintenance Committee that new sidewalks be constructed on the north and west sides of the Court Yard, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that the County Auditor advertize for bids for said side walk construction. Motion carried.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Skinner that the County Commissioners, the County Highway Superintendent and the County Auditor be authorized to attend the James River Valley Commissioners Association to be held at the Richmond Youth Camp, Aberdeen, S. D. at 2:00 P.M. May 6, 1954, with expenses paid as provided by law. Motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. May 4, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
May 4, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Minutes of meetings of April 2, 5, 6, 13, 20 and 27, 1954 were approved by the Board.

Albert Endres appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to the problems of keeping the line fence between his farm and the County Farm repaired. He stated that because of a ravine which periodically washed out the line fence, it was very difficult to keep the fence in repair which created a problem with the live stock.

The Board took no action at this time, but three members, Jordeth, Keenan and Belk, went out to check on the matter.

Mrs. Earle Johnson appeared before the Board for information relative to the classification for assessment purposes of a tract of land consisting of approximately thirty acres, located in West Watertown. She informed the Board that the land had been assessed as industrial property whereas she felt that it should be classified as agricultural land, for which reason it should have been taxed on the lower mill levy rate.

The Board took no action but recommended that she consult an attorney on the matter.

The application of Mrs. Thresa Kranz for abatement of 1952 tax in the amount of $20.36 on property described as Lots 32 thru 37, Block 3, Kemp's Addition to Watertown, was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Belk for the reason that said property was purchased for tax deed in May of 1953 and not subject to the 1952 tax.

The application of Chas. Martin for refund of 1953 school poll in the amount of $1.00 assessed to Mrs. Chas. Martin was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Belk for the reason of military service exemption.

The Veterans Service Officers monthly report and the County Weed Boards monthly report for April, 1954 were noted by the Board and filed.

Monthly statements for April, 1954 were checked and approved as follows: State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis, Sanator, S. D., $214.50; Redfield State Hospital, $572.50.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. May 11, 1954.

Carl T. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
May 11, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $120.00, Cliff Englund $62.72, Watertown Public Opinion $6.75, Mabel C. Alworth $250.00, Jensen Radio Service $5.85, Brown & Saenger $4.65; Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $80.00-for Mary L. Wilson $20.00, Emma Henthorne $20.00, Nora & Ed McPeek $40.00; Mrs. Augusta Bunde $25.00-for Louisa Richter; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Louis C. Kinstad $151.00-for Ola Hanson $26.00, Ole Omodt $45.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ola Aamodt $45.00; Anna Mae Larson $45.00-for Fannie Baker; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $55.00-for Lorence Albrecht $40.00, James Chambers $15.00; Watertown Rest Home $30.00-for L. Mourere; Mrs. Grace Wilson $30.00-for Edith Kinsey; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00-for Rosa Dixon $15.00, Sarah Ann Black $10.00; Duffner's Drug Store $202.60-for Carl Becker $3.50, Mrs. Wm. Jones $15.05, Inga Yarns $11.70, Ola Hanson $21.00, Mrs. C. Montney $13.44, Wm. Ball $33.79, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Wisneske $28.00, Emma Henthorne $4.80, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $13.25, Matilda Blek $3.53, B. J. Murray $15.20, Frank Metzinger $17.60, Ole Aamodt $4.80, Mrs. Arlene Lohr $1.00, Ole Omodt $1.00, Leo Breske $19.59, Ellen Cosgrove $6.50, Marsh Bradfield $3.30, L. Mourere $1.25, Ed McPeek $4.20, Carl Berg $1.50; Mrs. Aug.Anderson $30.00-for Frances Emery; Brown Clinic $400.50-for Judith Beynon $94.00, Ellen Cosgrove $2.00, Mrs. Wm. Jones $6.50, Albert Krohn $15.00, Mrs. Theo. Lovick $139.00, Mrs. Wm.Luck $6.50, Mrs. Dooks Teijen $29.50, Cliff Van Sickle $30.00, Mrs. Bertha Watters $75.00, Emma Henthorn $3.00; Busy Bee Cafe $1.33-for Caleb & Ida Hill; Butterbrodt Drug Store $82.40-for Anna Christianson $2.65, Thressa Schummer $1.30, Ellen Stoltz $17.20, Ervin & Della Eisenbise $49.20, Rex Richmond $48.55, Ed Goeman $73.20, Hilda Ebens $194.05, Otis Olson $11.40, Patricia Grovenburg $56.05, Mrs. James Wertman $6.55, Mrs. Loren Wohlwend $3.15, Cliff Van-Sickle $19.10; D.F.Campbell, M.D.$7.00-for Harry Freeseman $4.00, Anna Parsley $3.00; Codington Co. Oil Co. $3.93-for John Fjerstad; Council Oak Stores $55.53-for Leonard Vaughn $25.00, Chas. Underhill $10.00, Will Norman $10.00; F.P.Creaser & Sons $11.63-for Mae Turner; Everett's Grocery $45.20-for Albert Gillies; D.N.Fedt,M.D. $423.75-for Carl Berg $7.00 Robt. Main $103.00, Glenn Taken $72.00, Chas. Bierscheid $22.50, Ole Omodt $6.00, Fannie Baker $4.00, Jas. Grovenburg $126.25, Otis Olson $68.00, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $15.00; Haggar Drug Store $219.32-for Mrs. DeOrval Purintun $6.48, Lizzie Alt $8.36, Thos. Black $5.85, Ellen Anderson $11.25, John Farley $7.07, Nels T. Nelson $5.40, Ben Bergerson $19.93, Seymore Peterson $20.70, Fern Washtoak $22.41, Philomena Holzemer $5.76, Ed Goeman $21.60, Emma Klucas $11.97, Gertrude Shepherd $2.84, Fannie Baker $1.22, Mildred Taylor $3.87, Judith Beynon $.54, Chas. Bierschied $3.91, Mrs. Theo. Lovick $11.47, James Mack $7.83, Lenora Spearbeck $3.24, Cliff Van Sickle $37.62; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $6.10-for Joe Lindner; Hollywood Grocery $10.00-for Elaine Robison; Hunters Grocery $25.00-for Elmer Rockwood $10.00, Glenn Taken $15.00; Walter T. Judge,M.D. $25.00-for Mrs. Rose Reade; Kreiser Drug Store $218.49-for Albert Johnson $6.00, Anna Parsley $15.00, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $3.50, Peter Peterson $60.55, Earl Crocker $21.55, Johanna Olson $63.57, Wm.N.Ruppert $4.00, Ben Bergerson $6.65, Josephine Roethler $10.00, David Bright $2.25, Sever Engen $17.30, Ed McPeek $4.14, Elaine Robison $1.05, Willie Schmeling $2.93; Mrs. Anna Lange $76.25-for Dixie Crider $76.25; Lien's Grocery $82.17-for Glenn Taken $14.90, Richard Kemp $20.00, Cora Bart $15.00; C.E.McGowan Lbr. Co. $42.50-for Loren Wohlwend; Medical Arts Clinic $365.00-for

Earl Crocker $18.00, Mr.& Mrs.Steve Wisneske $12.00, Colleen & Michael Kinon $2.00, Adolph Stoltz $30.00, Della Eisenbise $8.00, Hilda Ebens $105.00, Philomena Holzemer $3.00, Ed Goeman $36.00, Emma Klucas $8.00, Fern Washtoak @26.00, Henry Anderson $5.00, Susanna Hegg $3.00, Rex Richmond $36.00, Thressa Schummer $50.00, Lizzie Alt $2.00, L. Mourere $3.00, Ola Hanson $2.00, Anna Christianson $16.00; National Tea Co. $30.00-for Myrtle Nelson; Northside Grocery $55.00-for Frank Bartell $20.00, Carl Christenson $15.00, Wm. Norman $20.00; Palace Grocery $10.00-for Victor Rosekranz; J.C.Penney Co.$13.80-for Loren Wohlwend; Red Owl Agency $45.00-for Loren Wohlwend; Rourk Drug Store $16.75-for Henry Spilde; Shaw-Messer $165.50-for Willie Schmeling $162.50, Anna Christianson $3.00; O.P.Skaggs Store $167.00-for Royal Carlill $35.00, Joyce Christensen $30.00, John Fjerstad $25.00, Anna Kretzschmar $20.00, Albert Kritta $12.00, Glenn Taken $15.00, Wilfred Painter $15.00,Arthur E. Webb $15.00; S.D. Children's Aid $60.00-for Sharon and Robt. Schreifels; Spies Super Valu $40.00-for Arthur Larson $15.00, Helena Lentz $15.00, Mrs. Blair Tessier $10.00; Standard Oil Co. $60.60-for Wm. Barto $22.50, Phoebe Mowery $15.60, Wm.Norman $7.80, Albert Gillies $14.70; St.Bernard's Prov. Hospital $28.00-for John Welter; Mrs. Frieda Story $30.99-for Mary Vermillion; Thomes Drug Store $109.03-for Lena Trumer $15.05, Louise Teijen $10.50, Lorence Albrecht $12.50, James Chambers $3.85, Anna Christianson $7.05, Harry Freeseman $8.50, Alfred Vick $31.80, Louisa Richter $6.50, Minnie Johnson $2.80, R. A. Vance $17.25, Margaret Papka $4.15, Richard DePeel $1.20; Thompson Yards $6.68-for Thos. Black; Dr. M.C.Thompson $127.70-for Lorence Albrecht $16.00, James Chambers $18.70, Peter DeMuynck $2.00, Albert Hendricks $3.00, Minnie Johnson $27.00, Marion Kraft $6.00, Jessie Lipelt $6.00, Louisa Richter $3.00, Mildred Taylor $13.00, Lena Trumer $9.00, R.A. Vance $6.00, John Farley $18.00; Dr. R.F. Trzynka $6.00-for Richard Kemp; Wat'n Community Oil Co.$75.00-for Glenn Taken $15.70, Helena Lentz $14.70, Arthur E. Webb $22.05, Della Eisenbise $7.85, Caroline Lausen $14.70; Watertown Milling Co. $5.54-for Loren Wohlwend; Whooley Oil Co. $14.60-for Albert Dummer; Annette Burgdorf $135.00-for Ella Flanagan $40.00, N. T. Nelson $95.00; Minnehaha Co. Mental Health Center $20.00-for Frances Emery; Bartron Hospital $1323.05-for James VanGilder $27.75, Arlene Lohr & baby $11.00, Adolph Stankey $87.00, Robert Blow $355.25, Florence Williams $182.25, Cecil C. Rousch $318.40, Peter Peterson $159.50, John & Verna Dobson $87.25, Carl Becker $34.00, Wilfred E. Painter $60.65;Bartron Clinic $564.70-for Wilfred E. Painter $35.00, Mrs. Johanna Olson $8.00, Jas. VanGilder $13.00, Josephine Roethler $13.70, Nellie Jensen $2.00, Pearl Wertman $5.00, Wm. Alexander $2.00, B.J. Murray $2.00, Frank Metzinger $2.00, Arlene Lohr & baby $13.00, James J. Mack $82.00, Gertrude Shepherd $5.00, Florence Thompson $32.00, Frank Barthel $5.50, Edw.McPeek $9.00, Ben Bergerson $44.00, Wm.N. Ruppert $2.00, Adolph Stankey $8.00, Robt. Blow $100.00, Florence Williams $75.00, Rousch, Cecil C. $35.00, Peter Peterson $31.50, Ole Aamodt $9.00, John & Verna Dobson $25.00, Carl Becker $6.00; St. Ann Hospital $728.24-for Elizabeth Lovick $228.54, Chas. Bierscheid $46.00, James J. Mack $143.40, Ben Bergerson $147.20, Judith Beynon $159.10, DeOrval Purintun $4.00; Memorial Hospital $2153.86-for Anna Christianson $50.65, Hilda Ebens $311.00, Ervin Eisenbise $50.65, Della Eisenbise $59.75, Ed Goeman $228.55, Patricia Grovenburg $345.84, Otis Olson $42.35, Rex Richmond $73.70, Thressa Schummer $132.69, Ellen Stoltz $138.75, Cliff Van Sickle $685.43, Alfred Vick $27.50, G.O. Wigdahl $7.00; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $91.15, Oscar J. Fromke $88.20, Einar Jordeth $149.06, James L. Keenan $74.70, Herb Skinner $109.47; County Judge Office Expense-Rosella Howey $2.45, Watertown Typewriter Co. $1.18; Veterans Service Office Expense $16.66; Fees-Cliff Englund $64.19; Board of Prisoners $108.80; Tax Deed $10.60; Mileage-Cliff Englund $388.05; Printing & Advertising-South Shore Gazette $109.84, Watertown Public Opinion $150.87, Henry Independent $97.99; Supt. of Schools Mileage $54.07; Insanity Board-H.T.Kenney,M.D. $45.00; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown,M.D.$100.00; County Extension-Wilson Truck System $16.55, Fred Morris $26.00, Hoffer Soil Sampler $4.28, Chas. E. Tice $6.00, Ruhe Stationery Co. $5.15; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Chas. E. Tice $3.00, Remington Rand,Inc. $8.50, Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.60; Insurance & Bonds-Loren B. Stein Agency $3.60; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $27.09, Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.60; Court House Maintenance-Inman Plumbing & Heating $57.20, J.E.Alexander $8.00, M.M.Barkley Truck Line $8.00, Chet's Bicycle Service $420.00, City Treasurer $452.97, Davey Furniture Co. $1.50, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $46.70, Mrs. Elvera Englund $3.06, Jo's Laundry $5.64, L.V. Harmel $196.40, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $224.94, Amer.Legion Post #227 $25.00, Wright Tarbell $75.00, Amer. Legion Aux. $8.00, Otis Elevator Co.$21.00, Watertown Machine Works $1.00, Watertown Sheet Metal Works $890.00, Park Grant Co. $12.70; County Farm-City Treasurer $21.05, Park Grant Co. $21.40, Uptown Service $3.59, Butterbrodt Drug Store $11.50, Council Oak Stores $10.53, Kreiser Drug Store $2.36, Lien's Grocery $32.27, Henry Klemsrud $1.00, Loken's Sales Pavilion $105.94, Marshall Wells Store $5.53, Fred Walsh $13.50, Watertown Co-op Feed Ass'n $58.94; Memorial Park-McIntire Elec. Service $15.40, Montgomery Ward & Co. $34.04, Uptown Service $2.91; Election Expense-Harmel Sheet Metal $36.63; States Atty's Office Expense-LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $1.50, Courtright Publ. Co. $6.00; County Treas. Office Expense-First Citizens National Bank $30.70, Miller-Bryant-Pierce $4.00, Burroughs Corp. $11.24; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $5.05, Ruhe Stationery $12.01; Sheriff's Office Expense-Duffner's Drug $1.00, Ruhe Stationery Co. $.45; Auditors Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co.-$2.20; C.M.V.-Loren B. Stein Agency $592.40, City Treasurer $21.69, Uptown Service $345.15, Burroughs Corp. $.69, Peter Abram $54.06, Berger Scientific Supplies $21.95, Carlson's $5.59, Cave Supply Co. $158.02, Dakota Welding & Supply Co. $47.58, Empire Equipment Co. $82.85, J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $23.75, Foster-Bell Co. $128.76, Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $39.00, R.E. Hubbard Co. $55.99, International Harvester Co. $300.27, Jakle Hardware Co. $3.05, LaNoue's Radiator Shop $5.50, Mahowald Company $19.06, Marquardt's Service $113.61, Motor Supply Co. $67.12, Northwestern Road Supply Co. $447.88, C.S. Rasmusson $4.00, Arthur Schwandt $14.75, Sioux Road Equip. Co. $1.02, Standard Oil Co. $100.00, Lyle Thorson $37.11, Watertown Tire Co. $3.50, Williams Hardware Co. $47.58, NW Public Service Co. $13.52, Chi. & N.W. Railway Co. $20.27; BRIDGE-Chi.& N.W. Ry. Co. $17.30, Standard Tar Products Co. $97.50; SPECIAL BRIDGE-S.D. Concrete Products Co. $1258.16, H.V. Johnston Culvert Co. $398.08; C.H.&B.R.-State Highway Commission $70.85, State Highway Commission $1162.95; TEXTBOOK-Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $7.60; TUITION-R.A. Larson $102.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $12.04, Paul David $5.82, Joe Fox $5.68, Einar Jordeth $7.78, Robt. Redlin $6.52; GENERAL-Tax Collector-Ole James Nelson $157.91; Election Expense-Nelson Hardware $2.25; Court House Maintenance-Nelson Hardware Co. $27.51.

Albert Endres appeared before the Board and requested permission to purchase from the County approximately ten acres of land from the County Farm. The Board advised Mr. Endres that he could purchase the land for $30.00 per acre as soon as a survey could be made to determine the exact acreage.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for hearing on Petition # 13 requesting addition to the County Highway System of the following described road, to-wit: "Beginning at the NW corner of Section 32-116-54, thence south one mile to the SW corner of Section 32-116-54, all in Kampeska Twp.," Chairman Keenan requested the County Auditor to read the "Notice of Hearing".

Emil Mischke was present for the hearing. As no protests to the granting of the petition were made, Chairman Keenan appointed the entire Board to act as a committee of inspection on said road and set the time for the inspection at 2:00 P.M., May 12, 1954.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved by the Board as follows: Fred Matthes, Jerald Schwanke, Melvin Heathcote and Willis Moyer, $4.00 each; Marvin McGillivary, $12.00; Howard Popham, $13.50.

Clark Prey and Lloyd Eastman appeared before the Board to request the Boards' opinion on the matter of obtaining special designation on Codington County license plates for 1955 to distinguish between automobiles owned by Watertown residents and the out of town cars. Mr. Prey explained that in order to enforce parking regulations in a manner most satisfactory to all concerned, it is necessary that enforcement officers be able to distinguish between these automobiles.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Fromke that the Chairman of the Board be authorized to write a letter to the Secretary of State recommending that the 1955 license plates for Codington County have a special identification to distinguish the Watertown cars from the out-of-town cars in Codington County. Motion carried.

Statements of fees collected during April, 1954, were checked and approved as follows: Clerk of Courts, $282.65; Register of Deeds, $558.20.

The statement of the Yankton State Hospital for April, 1954 in the amount of $1876.00 was checked and approved.

C.S. Rasmusson, County Highway Superintendent, appeared before the Board on the matter of installing a culvert on the township line road between Germantown and Rauville townships, pursuant to request of Germantown Twp. Board of Supervisors as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of April 27, 1954. Upon the recommendation of Mr. Rasmusson, it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Skinner that Codington County furnish and install a culvert on the township line road between Germantown and Rauville townships as requested, of dimensions as follows: 36" rise, 58½" span and 46 ft. in length. Motion carried.

Paul Lehman appeared before the Board to request permission to rent a county cook trailer for a couple of months while he remodeled his home. The Board granted his request.

Robert S. Wilson, representative of the Carter Elevator Service of Sioux Falls, appeared before the Board on the matter of repairing and servicing the Court House elevator. No action was taken.

On motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., May 18, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. Dak.,
May 18, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Jordeth and Skinner present, Belk and Fromke absent, Keenan presiding.

At 10:30 A.M. Commissioner Fromke appeared and took his place on the Board.

This Being the time and place fixed by the Board for the opening of sealed bids to furnish the County Highway Department with a 1954 4-door sedan as specified in "Notice to Bidders" published in the official county newspapers, Chairman Keenan requested the County Auditor to read said "Notice" preliminary to opening the bids.

Four firms, all of Watertown, submitted bids as follows: No.1 - Hubbard's - One new 1954 Model Plymouth Plaza 4-door sedan, specifications as required, net F.O.B. Watertown $1595.00. No. 2 - Sanders Chevrolet Co. - One 1954 Model 1503 Standard 4-door Chevrolet, as per specifications, net bid $1570.00. No. 3 - Bichler Motor Co., Inc. - One 1954 Plymouth Plaza 4-door sedan, as per specifications, net price $1585.00. No.4 - Rozum Bros. Motor Co. - One new 1954 Ford, Mainline Series 6 cylinder 4-door sedan, equipped as per bid specifications, net price $1583.50.

Fred Bichler of Bichler Motor Co. and Royal Meseberg of Rozum Bros. Motor Co. were present for the bidding. The Board interviewed fore-mentioned representatives, but deferred letting of bid till 3:30 P.M. of this date.

11:00 A.M. - Pursuant to "Notice of Hearing" as published in the official county newspapers, comes now the hearing on Petition # 15 requesting addition to the county Highway System of section line highway described as follows: "Beginning at the NE corner of Section 25-116-51, thence south one mile to the SE corner of Section 25-116-51."

As no one appeared for this hearing and no protest was made, Chairman Keenan appointed the entire Board to act as a committee of inspection and set the time of inspection for 2:00 P.M. May 25, 1954.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: William DeBerg $10.00; George Isack $6.00; Paul Jongeling, George McClung and Frank McGillivary, $4.00 each; Harlan and Donald Klucas, $2.00 each.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE (Petition # 13)

Pursuant to inspection of highways proposed for addition to the County Highway System as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of May 11, 1954, comes now the committee appointed by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota to examine the proposed location of the highways hereinafter more particularly described and submit to the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County the following report:

Said Committee, consisting of the entire Board, met at the time and place designated and proceeded to examine said highway more particularly described as follows: "Beginning at the Northwest corner of Section 32, Township 116 North, Range 54, thence one mile south to the Southwest corner of Section 32, Township 116, North, Range 54, in Kampeska Township, to connect with Hamlin County Highway System."

That after having completed its examination of said highway proposed to be located and added to the County System of Codington County, South Dakota, it is the opinion of all members of said Committee that the prayer of the petitioners be granted, and said Committee does therefore recommend to the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that said proposed highway above described be located and added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, pursuant to the prayer of said petitioners or free holders who petitioned for the location of said highway and to have same added to the said County Highway System.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 18th day of May, 1954.

Herb Skinner
Member of Committee

Falk absent
Member of Committee

Einar Jordeth
Member of Committee

Oscar J. Fromke
Member of Committee

James L. Keenan
Member of Committee

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Jordeth that the County Superintendent of Schools be authorized to attend the State Meeting of County Superintendents to be held at Aberdeen, S. D., May 31 thru June 5, 1954. Motion carried.

At 3:30 P.M. the matter of the letting of the bid for a car for the Highway Dept. was again taken up. It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that the bid of the Bichler Motor Co. be accepted and certified checks of unsuccessful bidders be returned. Motion carried.

The application of Clarence Roethler for abatement of 1940 school and road poll in Watertown in the amount of $5.00 was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Skinner for the reason that said Clarence Roethler did not live in Watertown during 1940.

The application of R.E. Kahnke for abatement of 1953 personal property taxes in the amount of $412.25 on a structure located on a leased site and assessed to the Rubber Service, Inc. was presented to the Board at this time, but action on same was deferred pending further checking.

Floyd R. Mills appeared before the Board in behalf of his application for abatement of 1953 personal property taxes, which application had been approved by the City Council. The Board advised Mr. Mills that the provisions of the law would not allow them to grant the abatement, but action was deferred pending an opinion from the States Attorney.

On motion made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., May 25, 1954.

Carl F. Bergen
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
May 25, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, K[illegible]an presiding.

On motion by Fromke and second by Belk, verified claims were approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Dorothy E. Below $210.00, Irma Welch $190.00, Pearl Bergan $180.00, Alice Olson $160.00; County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00, Alma Gerberding $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68, Harriett Horning $205.00, Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $283.75, Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Katherine Downs $25.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George W. Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $175.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm $100.00, Pearl Klemsrud $50.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-C.S. Rasmusson $525.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $190.00, Sever Tobiason $200.00, Bert Smith $74.00, J.P. Haug $225.79, Joe Stricherz $234.59, Claude Van Sickle $240.45, C.B. Sumner $281.40, Harold Scriver $211.11, Carl Zweig, Jr. $120.23, James Hendren $42.15, Ed Gould $142.20, Alfred Spring $182.18, Howard Williams $92,27, Fred Brownell $130.67, Leo Clausen $175.56, Clarence Helle $193.46, John Strait $167.98, E. Spearbeck $147.50, Curtis Underwood $141.82, Chris Engels $118.17, Julius Lentz $99.73, Chas. Krogman $116.45, Henry Anderson $19.00; SNOW REMOVAL-J.P.Haug $22.05, Joe Stricherz $13.65, Harold Scriver $19.95, Carl Zweig Jr. $82.95, James Hendren $12.50, Alfred Spring $77.00, Fred Brownell $73.15, Leo Clausen $66.50, John Strait $73.15, E. Spearbeck $57.00, Curtis Underwood $42.75; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Carl Zweig, Jr. $15.75, Ed Gould $23.10, Clarence Helle $2.85, E. Spearbeck $16.15, Curtis Underwood $4.75, Julius Lentz $18.05, Chas. Krogman $22.80; County Special Hiway-Carl Zweig, Jr. $28.35, James Hendren $233.75, Ed Gould $89.10, Howard Williams $183.70, Clarence Helle $21.85, Curtis Underwood $33.25, Chris Engels $78.85, Julius Lentz $83.60, Chas. Krogman $19.95; C.H. & B.R.-Julius Lentz $9.50, Allen R. Junso $9.50, Robert C.Ward $9.50, Rudolph J. Lange $9.50; GENERAL-Per Diem-Mileage-Salary-Vernon H. Belk $54.10, Oscar J. Fromke $67.95, Einar Jordeth $52.56, James L. Keenan $60.75, Herb Skinner $75.44; Memorial Park-Arnold Hoftiezer $100.00, Bessie Hoftiezer $100.00; Court Expense-Cecelia M. Bierne $110.67.

R E S O L U T I O N # 210

WHEREAS, a petition has been filed asking the Board of County Commissioners to recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that the following described highway in Codington County, South Dakota, be added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, to-wit: "Beginning at the Northwest corner of Section 32, Township 116 North, Range 54, thence one mile south to the Southwest corner of Section 32, Township 116, North, Range 54, in Kampeska Township, to connect with Hamlin County Highway System."

AND WHEREAS, it appears to the Board of County Commissioners that the same should be added to the County Highway System,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that Codington County does hereby recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that there be added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, the highway above described.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Auditor be and he is hereby instructed to forward to the Secretary of the Highway Commission of South Dakota copy of this resolution with the request that action hereon be taken by the State Highway Commission.

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Jordeth and upon being put to vote all Commissioners voted aye and none voted nay,,whereupon the Chairman declared ~~that~~ said Resolution to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 25th day of May, 1954.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, S. Dak.

The application of Joseph Bergan for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes plus interest and advertising in the total amount of $60.68 on personal property assessed in Watertown was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth for a cash payment of $40.18.

On the basis of States Attorney's and Attorney General's opinions which hold that over assessment is not grounds for abatement or refund of taxes, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the application of Floyd R. Mills for abatement of 1953 personal property taxes in Watertown be rejected. Motion carried.

R E S O L U T I O N NO. 211

At a regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota held at the Court House in the City of Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota on the 25th day of May, 1954.

The following members being present: James L. Keenan, Herb Skinner, Oscar J. Fromke, Einar Jordeth, Vernon H. Belk; the following members being absent: None.

The following proceedings were had: Moved by Skinner and motion seconded by Fromke that under the provisions of SDC 12.1913 as amended by Chapter 28, Laws of 1951, we hereby authorize the expenses as a proper charge against this County, of the State's Attorney and Sheriff to attend an annual meeting of State's Attorneys and Sheriff called by the Attorney General for June 28, 29, and 30, 1954 to be held in the City of Pierre, South Dakota as follows:

1. An allowance for the actual cost of subsistence per day, including meals and lodging, as evidenced by appropriate receipts, not to exceed $7.00 per day.

2. An allowance for mileage not in excess of six cents per mile actually and necessarily traveled if made by automobile or actual costs for transportation if by railroad.

Members voting in favor of this resolution:

Herb Skinner — Einar Jordeth

Vernon H Belk — Oscar J Fromke

James L Keenan

Members voting against the resolution: None.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 25th day of May, year of 1954.

Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

By: James L Keenan
Chairman of County Commissioners

Predatory animal bounty applications were approved as follows: Martin Schurman $8.00; Lloyd Stark $4.00; George Isack $2.00; Maurice Bergh $8.00; Kenneth Elmore $8.00; Mrs. Virgil Bastian $12.00.

Pursuant to action of the Board as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of May 18, 1954, the Committee of Inspection, consisting of the entire Board, went out to inspect the section line highway petitioned for addition to the County Highway System in Petition No. 15.

The Committee returned from road inspection at 4:00 P.M. and reported as follows:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE -(Petition No. 15)

Pursuant to inspection of highways proposed for addition to the County Highway System as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of May 18, 1954, comes now the committee appointed by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota to examine the proposed location of the highways hereinafter more particularly described and submit to the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County the following report:

Said Committee, consisting of the entire Board, met at the time and place designated and proceeded to examine said highway more particularly described as follows: "Beginning at the Northeast corner of Section 25, Township 116 North, Range 51, West of the Fifth P.M., thence south one mile to the Southeast corner of Section 25, Township 116, North, Range 51, West of the Fifth P.M."

That after having completed its examination of said highway proposed to be located and added to the County System of Codington County, South Dakota, it is the opinion of all members of said committee that the prayer of the petitioners be granted, and said Committee does therefore recommend to the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that said proposed highway above described be located and added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, pursuant to the prayer of said petitioners or free holders who petitioned for the location of said highway and to have same added to the said County Highway System.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 25th day of May, 1954.

Herb Skinner
Member of Committee

Vernon H Belk
Member of Committee

Einar Jordeth
Member of Committee

Oscar J Fromke
Member of Committee

James L Keenan
Member of Committee

APPRAISAL OF LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING
TO BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, deems it advisable to sell the real property hereinafter described, acquired by said county by tax deed, and said Board of County Commissioners has directed that such real property be offered for sale and that it first be appraised by said board as provided by law,

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, report that they have made a just and fair appraisement of the real property hereinafter described:

TAX DEED SALE IN WATERTOWN

DESCRIPTION	APPRAISAL VALUE
O.L. 2 Less S160' of Sec. 25-117-53, City Lands	$ 40.00
.25 acres in NW corner of SE¼ of Sec. 36-117-53, City Lands	5.00
Lot 8, Block 75, Third Railway Addition	100.00
Lot 11, Block 75, Third Railway Addition	150.00
Lots 112 & 113, Belmont Addition	20.00 each
Lots 118, 119, 120, Belmont Addition	25.00 each
Lot 10, Block 3, Davis First Addition	20.00
S½ of Lot 14, Block 7, East Watertown Addition	100.00
Lots 15 & 16, Fairfax Addition to Watertown	10.00 each
Lot 18, Fairfax Addition	5.00
Lot 19, Fairfax Addition	5.00
Lot 87, Fairfax Addition	10.00
Lot 88, Fairfax Addition	10.00
Lot 89, Fairfax Addition	5.00
Lots 96, 97 & 98, Fairfax Addition	5.00 each
Lot 99, Fairfax Addition	5.00
Lots 1 & 2, Block 3, Horswill's Addition	10.00 each
Lot 10, Block 5, Kemp Bros. Addition	5.00
Lot 32, Block 5, Kemp Bros. Addition	5.00
Lots 14,15,16 & 17, Block 7, Kemp Bros. Addition	10.00 each
Lot 28, Block 11, Kemp Bros. Addition	20.00
Lot 6, Block 12, Kemp Bros. Addition	5.00
All of Block 13, Kemp Bros. Addition	2.00
Lot 4, Block 23, Pettigrews Addition	5.00
Lots 53 & 54, Block 55, Replat of West Watertown Addition	20.00 for both
Lot 13, Block 7, Rice Bros. Addition	10.00
Lots 4 thru 8, Block 2, South Side Addition	15.00
O.L. 33, Way-Case Addition	25.00
Lot 37, Block 53, Way-Case Addition	25.00
Lots 8 & 9, Block 5, Way Davlin Hillcrest Addition	100.00 each

TAX DEED SALE IN HENRY VILLAGE

E50' of Lot 6, Block 10	$ 50.00

TAX DEED SALE IN WALLACE VILLAGE

Lots 7 & 8, Block 12	$200.00

Dated this 25th day of May, 1954.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

Herb Skinner
County Commissioner

Vernon H Belk
County Commissioner

Oscar J Arnold
County Commissioner

Einar Gerdeth
County Commissioner

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., June 2, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 2, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Skinner, Jordeth and Belk present, Fromke absent; Keenan presiding.

Minutes of meetings of May 4, 11, 18 and 25, 1954 were approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Edwin Redlin.

Mrs. L. L. Blake appeared before the Board on welfare matters.

Henry Klemsrud, County Farm Supt., appeared before the Board on County Farm matters. The Board authorized the purchase of two hundred baby chicks for the Farm.

Commissioner Fromke appeared and took his seat on the Board at 11:00 A.M.

Pursuant to advertizing for bids for installing new sidewalks on the north and west sides of the Court Yard and repair bases of court yard monuments, and this being the time and place fixed by the Board for the opening of such bids, Chairman Keenan requested the County Auditor to open and read the bids.

Raderschadt Construction Co. of Watertown submitted the only bid as follows: Remove and replace main sidewalks on north and west sides of the court yard as per specifications and paint and repair monument foundations-Total bid for material and labor, $1672.00.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that foregoing bid be rejected and that the County Auditor readvertize for bids, dividing the project into three separate parts and requesting bidders to bid each part separately as follows: North side walk, west sidewalk and repair monuments. The motion carried.

Petition No. 16, requesting addition to the County Highway System of section line highway described as, "Beginning on the SE corner of Section 3-118-51, thence east two miles to the SE Corner of Section 1-118-51, all in Waverly Twp., Codington County, South Dakota." was presented to the Board at this time.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Fromke that foregoing petition be tabled. Motion Carried.

R E S O L U T I O N No. 212

WHEREAS, a petition has been filed asking the Board of County Commissioners to recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that the following described highway in Codington County, South Dakota, be added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, to-wit:

"Beginning at the Northeast corner of Section 25, Township 116 North, Range 51, West of the Fifth P.M., thence south one mile to the Southeast corner of Section 25, Township 116, North, Range 51, West of the Fifth P.M."

AND WHEREAS, it appears to the Board of County Commissioners that the same should be added to the County Highway System,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that Codington County does hereby recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that there be added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, the highway above described.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Auditor be and he is hereby instructed to forward to the Secretary of the Highway Commission of South Dakota copy of this resolution with the request that action hereon be taken by the State Highway Commission.

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Skinner and upon being put to vote all Commissioners voted aye and none nay, whereupon the Chairman declared said Resolution to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 2nd day of June, 1954.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, S. D.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

R E S O L U T I O N No. 213

RESOLUTION DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, the County of Codington in the State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota, and

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 2nd day of June, 1954, at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property, to-wit:

In Watertown

DESCRIPTION	APPRAISAL VALUE
O.L. 2 Less S160' of Sec. 25-117-53, City Lands	$ 40.00
.25 acres in NW Corner of SE¼ of Sec.36-117-53, City Lands	5.00
Lot 8, Block 75, Third Railway Addition	100.00
Lot 11, Block 75, Third Railway Addition	150.00
Lots 112 & 113, Belmont Addition	20.00 each
Lots 118, 119, 120 Belmont Addition	25.00 each
Lot 10, Block 3, Davis First Addition	20.00
S½ of Lot 14, Block 7, East Watertown Addition	100.00
Lots 15 & 16, Fairfax Addition	10.00 each
Lot 18, Fairfax Addition	5.00
Lot 19, Fairfax Addition	5.00
Lot 87, Fairfax Addition	10.00
Lot 88, Fairfax Addition	10.00
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Lots 96, 97 & 98, Fairfax Addition	5.00 each
Lot 99, Fairfax Addition	5.00
Lots 1 & 2, Block 3, Horswill's Addition	10.00 each
Lot 10, Block 5, Kemp Bros. Addition	5.00
Lot 32, Block 5, Kemp Bros. Addition	5.00
Lots 14,15,16 & 17, Block 7, Kemp Bros. Addition	10.00 each
Lot 28, Block 11, Kemp Bros. Addition	20.00
Lot 6, Block 12, Kemp Bros. Addition	5.00
All of Block 13, Kemp Bros. Addition	2.00
Lot 4, Block 23, Pettigrews Addition	5.00
Lot 53 & 54, Block 55,Replat of West Watertown Addition	20.00 for both
Lot 13, Block 7, Rice Bros. Addition	10.00
Lots 4 thru 8, Block 2, South Side Addition	15.00
O.L. 33, Way-Case Addition	25.00
Lot 37, Block 53, Way-Case Addition	25.00
Lots 8 & 9, Block 5, Way Davlin Hillcrest Addition	100.00 each
IN HENRY VILLAGE	
E50' of Lot 6, Block 10	$ 50.00
IN WALLACE VILLAGE	
Lots 7 & 8, Block 12	$200.00

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of said Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota.

Dated this 2nd day of June, 1954.

Herb Skinner

Vernon H. Belk

Elmer Jordeth

Owen J. Fromke

James L. Keenan

Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan

County Auditor

The monthly report of the County Weed Supervisors for May, 1954 was noted by the Board.

On a motion by Fromke and second by Belk, township officers official bonds and oaths were approved as follows: Kranzburg Twp.- Carl Haan, Assessor; Helen E. Bauer, Treasurer; Lester Hanson, Clerk; Robert Raml, Justice of the Peace; Peter W. DeVille, Constable. SHERIDAN Twp.,-Clarence Moorhouse, Assessor; C. B. Moorhouse, Clerk; PELICAN TWP.,-Fred C. Benthin, Assessor; August Zamow, Treasurer; Vernon Benthin, Clerk; Kampeska Twp.,-Vernon Klatt, Assessor; Herbert Klatt, Treasurer; Edgar Rausch, Clerk; HENRY TWP.,-Justus Muller, Assessor; Frank Coplan, Treasurer; Elwin Kittelson, Clerk; ELMIRA TWP.-Ernest Konrady, Assessor; Richard Hoffman, Treasurer; Chris Kirsch, Clerk; Carl A. Nelson, Justice of the Peace; Clarence J. Bauer, Constable; LAKE TWP.,-M.C. Mahanke, Assessor; Harold K. Benbow, Clerk; RICHLAND TWP.,-Leonard J. Murphy, Assessor; Albert Schultz, Treasurer; Gerald Burke, Clerk; GRACELAND TWP.,-Harold L. Hanson, Assessor; Elden Flury, Treasurer; A. F. Hilts, Clerk; RAUVILLE TWP.,-Robt. Zick, Assessor; Raymond Stein, Treasurer; Elmer Noeldner, Clerk; WAVERLY TWP.,-Ervin Johnson, Assessor; Wm. Klein, Clerk; FULLER TWP.,-Chris Hvidhyld, Assessor; PHIPPS TWP.,-Grover Peterson, Assessor; Dorothy Bursvold, Treasurer; LEOLA TWP.,-Donald Meyer,Assessor; John Neville, Treasurer; Albert Erickson, Clerk; GERMANTOWN TWP.-Sig Gran,Assessor; Otto Korth, Treasurer; DEXTER TWP.,-Howard Popham, Assessor; Elbert Rukstad, Treasurer; William Flisrand, Clerk; EDEN TWP.,-Leonard Chilson, Assessor; Duane Hallstrom, Treasurer; O. A. Olson, Clerk; WALLACE VILLAGE-Clarice L. Hjermstad, Assessor; SOUTH SHORE VILLAGE-Alvin C. Meyer, Assessor.

At 2:00 P.M. the Board recessed and three members, Belk, Jordeth and Skinner went to Webster, S. D. to meet with the Day County Board of Commissioners to discuss road matters of mutual interest to both Counties.

The above mentioned Commissioners returned at 5:00 P. M. and the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. June 8, 1954.

Carl E. Bargen
County Auditor

Watertown, So. Dak.,
June 8, 1954

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Belk, Jordeth and Skinner present, Fromke absent. Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $120.00, Cliff Englund $19.60, Bartron Clinic $7.50, Hazel Hegarty $33.40, Brown & Saenger $4.91; Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $80.00-for Mary L. Wilson $20.00, Emma Henthorne $20.00, Ed & Nora McPeek $40.00; Mrs. Augusta Bunde $25.00-for Louisa Richter; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Louis C. Kinstad $186.64-for Ole Hanson $26.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ole Omodt $45.00, Ole Aamodt $40.00, Carl Berge $40.64; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $55.00-for Lorence Albrecht $40.00, James Chambers $15.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $30.00-for Edith Kinsey; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00-for Rosa Dixon $15.00, Sarah Ann Black $10.00; Annette Burgdorf $163.53-for Nels T. Nelson $95.00, Ella Flanagan $40.00, Henry L. Spilde $28.53; Duffner Drug Store $170.66-Mrs. Inga Yarns $10.05, James Chambers $1.75, Ole Hanson $23.80, Edgar Wight $8.35, Emma Henthorne $5.35, Mrs. C.W. Montney $13.44, B.J. Murray $21.35, Mathilda Blek $3.78, Wm. Ball $33.45, Marsh Bradfield $11.40, Matt Kemp $3.50, Steve Wisneski $19.00, Maria Born $15.95, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $5.50, Mrs. Wm. Jones $10.45, L. Mourere $2.50; Mrs. Aug. Anderson $15.00-for Frances Emery; Butterbrodt Drug Store $454.31-for Maria Born $96.70, Ed Goeman $28.61, Rex Richmond $114.63, Patricia Grovenburg $25.45, Betty Jane Taken $8.15, Glenn Taken $41.33, Cliff Van Sickle $6.04, Hilda Ebens $133.40; D.F. Campbell, M.D. $36.00-for Anna Parsley $3.00, Harry Freeseman $14.00, Mrs. P. DeMynck $19.00; Donald N. Fedt, M.D. $99.00-for Glenn Taken $26.00, Betty Jane Taken $35.00, Otis Olson $2.00, Chester Olson $7.00, Chas. Bierscheid $22.00, Patricia Grovenburg $7.00, Haggar Drug Store $240.31-for N. T. Nelson $3.60, Fannie Baker $3.65, Ellen Anderson $16.20, Henry Anderson $5.18, Hilda Ebens $72.99, Fern Washtoak $35.37, Henry Webb, Sr. $7.56, Glen Taken $14.67, Edith Bundy $2.52, J.L. LeTourneau $12.60, Frank Klucas $12.11, Mrs. Verlin Halvorson $1.93, Mildred Taylor $5.26, Philomena Holzemer $1.71, Otto Jungen $7.87, Arlene Lohr $9.32, John Farley $13.64, Lizzie Alt $9.53; Hallran Hospital $75.00-for Mrs. Frances Sandal Schmeling; Mrs. Ella Heathcote $27.50-for Maria Born ; Hollywood Grocery $25.00-for Carl Christensen $15.00, Leonard Vaughn $10.00; Hunters Drocery $55.00-for Elmer Rockwood $10.00, Glen Taken $45.00; Anton Hyden, M.D. $230.00-for James Jones; Kreiser Drug Store $127.46-for Peter Peterson $31.37, Robt. Blow $62.54, Mrs. J. Dobson $5.51, Henry Becker $8.34, Mrs. W. Van Gilder $1.79, Mrs. Cecil Roush $2.02, Florence Williams $1.20, Arlene Lohr $.46, Leora Rose $3.10, Mrs. Thos. Black $10.09, Mrs. Wilfred Painter $1.04; Dr. Edw. A. Laga $6.00-for Mrs. P. DeMuynck; Mrs. Anna Lange $38.75-for Dixie Crider; Lien's Grocery $20.00-for Mrs. Cora Barto $10.00, Richard Kemp $10.00; C. E. McGowan Lbr. Co. $21.25-for Loren Wohlwend; Math.Gergen,Rhodes Funeral Chapel $150.00-for Luke Henry Hopkins; Medical Arts Clinic $298.00-for Philomena Holzemer $2.00, Henry Anderson $16.00, Ed Goeman $30.00, Mrs. Hilda Ebens $22.00, Geo. Scholl $8.00, Frank Klucas $14.00, Fern Washtoak $33.00, Anna Christianson $2.00, Earl Crocker $7.00, Adolph & Ellen Stoltz $5.00, Lizzie Alt $2.00, Rex Richmond $95.00, Ola Hanson $4.00, L. Mourere $2.00, S. Wisneski $18.00, Maria Born $38.00; Memorial Hospital $1152.69-for Hilda Ebens $78.50, Rex Richmond $253.20, G.O. Wigdahl $7.00, Chas. Bierscheid $4.00, Patricia Grovenburg $38.25, Cliff Van Sickle $189.09, Maria Born $163.50, Ed Goeman $217.00, Betty Jane Taken $43.90, Glen Taken $158.25; J.C. Penney Co. $25.28-for Carl Berge $14.32, Loren Wohlwend $10.96; C.J. Pinard, M.D. $45.00-for Henry Spilde; Red Owl Stores $25.01-for Edith Bundy; St. Ann Hospital $2063.95-for Ivrin Rislov $300.45, Ben Bergerson $307.65, Mrs. Bertha Watters $175.70, Mrs. Wm. Jones $233.35, Otto Jungen $79.70, Grace Wilson $312.60, Thos. Hoffman $308.40, Luke Henry Hopkins $346.10; St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $33.25-for John Welter; South Dakota Childrens Aid $64.98-for Sharon Schreifels $34.98, Robt. Schreifels $30.00; Shaw-Messer Amb. Service $51.00-for Lillian Lehman; Sioux Valley Hospital $135.80-James F. Jones; O.P.Skaggs Store $125.00-for James & Alma Mack $15.00, Kenneth Wangen $10.00, Anna Kretzschmar $40.00, Royal J. Carlill $30.00, H. A. Lippelt $30.00; Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. $11.03-for Chas. Underhill $11.03; Spies Super Valu $107.24-for Royal Carlill $15.00, Arthur Larson $15.00, Helena Lentz $30.00, Mrs. Blair Tessier $20.00; Standard Oil Co. $22.50-for Mrs. Phoebe Mowery $7.80, James & Alma Mack $14.70; Dr. Glee Tarbell $6.00-for Henry Stillwell; Thomes Drug Store $88.80-for Harry Freeseman $3.45, Lena Trumer $9.60, Albert Hendricks $2.15, Alfred Vick $31.70, R. A. Vance $21.25, James Chambers $3.85, Richard DePeel $2.40, Lorence Albrecht $7.50, Anna Christianson $8.00, Minnie Johnson $3.65, Robt. Blow $.65, Louisa Richter $3.75; Dr. M. C. Thompson $122.50-for Lorence Albrecht $9.00, Oscar Boldon $7.50, Peter DeMuynck $2.00, John Farley $14.00, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $30.00, Marion Kraft $8.00, Mrs. Jessie Lipelt $12.00, Mildred Taylor $12.00, Fremond Tribitt $8.00, Albert Hendricks $6.00, R. A. Vance $6.00, Lena Trumer $8.00; Watertown Rest Home $58.00-for L. Mourere $30.00, Hilda Ebens $28.00; Mrs. Frieda Story $22.50-for Mary Vermillion; Anna Mae Larson $45.00-for Fannie Baker $45.00; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $79.60, Einar Jordeth $96.04, James L. Keenan $71.90, Herb Skinner $70.51; Fees-Cliff Englund $146.01; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $211.60; Mileage-Cliff Englund $602.45; Tax Collector-Ole James Nelson $123.27; Election Expense-Brown & Saenger $989.44, Watertown Photo News $35.00, Agnes Polze $5.22, Esther L. Johnson $5.22, Iola Kampen $6.22, Estherline Clark $5.22, Mrs. Calwin Howey $5.22, West Side Texaco $5.00, Clifford Hallquist $6.00, Mrs. Vernon Kranz $5.00, Mrs. Elsie Larson $5.00, Mrs. Clifford Hallquist $5.00, Mrs. Ray McPeek $5.00, Louis Loken, Jr. $6.37, Yvonne B. Wiles $5.37, Juanita Biedinger $5.37, Mildred Bauer $5.37, Mary O'Neill $5.37, C. A. Heaton $6.66, Emma Trzynka $5.66, Mrs. Albert F. Cherveny $5.66, Mrs. Emma Gilmore $5.66, Mrs. Lillian M. Reis $5.66, K.D. Locker Plant $5.00, Geo. Wemmering $6.37, Caroline Lebert $5.37, Mrs. Louise Stricherz $5.37, Yvo A. Mannie $5.37, Hazel I. Kornmann $5.37, Arnold Koepke $6.09, Mabel Drake $5.09, Minnie Strom $5.09, Ida Olson $5.09, Eldora Pickering $5.09, Mrs. Arthur Hanson $6.00, Miss Marie Mack $5.00, Mrs. Mabel Moen $5.00, Anna Martens $5.00, Margaret L. Grow $5.00, W. E. Knight $6.68, Mabel E. Speers $5.68, Mazie Langwill $5.68, Ruth Graham $5.68, Tillie Gaughan $5.68, City Auditor $5.00, George H. Knight $6.25, Mary Terveen $5.25, Mrs. William Fox $5.25, Mrs. Maude Erickson $5.25, Mrs. Lydia Tessier $5.25, Harry Sigelman $6.32, Mrs. A. H. Scott $5.32, Ilah May Mitchell $5.32, Jennie Sikkink $5.32, Inez Hanson $5.32, Broadway Motors $5.00, H. C. Carey $6.97, John Noonan $5.97, Florence Peters $5.97, Selma Young $5.97, Donna Sue Jensen $5.97, Baskerville & Dahl Co. $5.00,

Mrs. Lois Hallberg $6.17, Mrs. Alma Sheldon $5.17, Mrs. Caroljean Sullivan $5.17, Mrs. Marge McNamara $5.17, Bert Morgan $5.17, Mrs. A. H. Steinmetz $6.39, Mrs. Gertrude Haney $5.39, Mrs. F. J. Kerssen $5.39, Jessie N. Guddall $5.39, Marlys J. Haney $5.39, George W. Burke $6.94, Jacqueline Andree $5.94, Mary M. Welch $5.94, Alta Meek $5.94, Myrtle Curley $5.94, Bichler Garage $5.00, Elizabeth Korcal $6.57, Mary E. Smedley $5.57, Mrs. Connie Gray $5.57, Mrs. Viola Peterson $5.57, Mrs. Lillian C. Boland $5.57, Luella Leonard $6.15, Erma Handeland $5.15, Pearl Britzman $5.15, Alca Engels $5.15, Wilma Palm $5.15, Mabel P. Hanson, Clerk, Watertown Public Schools $35.00, Isadore Clausen $6.80, Susan Korbel $5.00, Guy Moes $5.00, Carl Haan $5.00, Mrs. Mary Tesch $5.00, C.O.F. Hall $5.00, Clarence J. Moorhouse $6.50, Henry Welter $5.00, Bernard Perry $5.00, Mike Wagner $5.00, Forrest Stimson $5.00, Martin Fuerstenau $5.00, J. E. Krull $5.00, May Schuelke $5.00, Helen Klatt $5.00, Della Zamow $5.00, Martin Fuerstenau $2.20, Carl Zamow, Treas. $5.00, Emil Mischke Jr. $6.80, Edgar Rausch $5.00, Loren Wolf $5.00, Edward Hallauer $5.00, Paul McElhaney $5.00, Lester Purcell-Kampeska Town Hall $5.00, George Curley $5.00, Peder Valberg $5.00, Elwin Kittelson $8.20, Frank Coplan $5.00, Erwin Hay, Treas. $5.00, Carl A. Nelson $6.80, M. H. Suttor $5.00, Harry A. Bauer $5.00, Ernest R. Konrady $5.00, Earl R. Wheatly $5.00, Richard Hoffman, Treas. $5.00, G. E. Williams $6.12, H. J. Welch $5.12, Harold K. Benhow $5.12, Rufus R. Spurrell $5.12, Elmer Borns $5.12, Herb Welch, Treas. $5.00, Leonard Murphy $5.00, Herman A. Schultz $5.00, Albert Schultz $5.00, Louis Landuyt $5.00, Paul David, Treas. $5.00, Frank O. McGillivary $9.00, Arthur Vogt $5.00, Anna David $5.00, Harold Haigh $5.00, Jeanette Hansen $5.00, Clarence Alden, Treas. $5.00, M. J. DeVille $7.80, Harry H. Miller $5.00, Stanley Schmitt $5.00, Felex DeVille $5.00, Pail J. Stricherz $5.00, Frank Schmitt, Treas. $5.00, Albert Mohr $6.60, Lloyd Stark $5.00, L. C. Lausen $5.00, Elmer Noeldner $5.00, Robert Zick $5.00, Raymond Stein, Treas $5.00, Morris Michaelson $5.00, Arnold O. Borns $5.00, Treas. Henry Village $5.00, R. W. Crandall $5.00, Robert Newell $5.00, Vern L. Thorson $7.60, C. C. Kellogg, Treas. $5.00, James Huppler $9.40, Ronald McGillivary $5.00, Effie Paulson $5.00, Jerome Orthaus $5.00, Lila Johnston $5.00, Selmer Peterson, Treas. $5.00, Otto Korth $7.00, Fred Matthes $5.00, Orrin Gunderson $5.00, Carl Gunderson $5.00, Otto Richter $5.00, Otto Korth, Treas. $5.00, K. O. Markve $5.00, Norman S. Bergan $5.00, H. A. Johnson $9.00, Clifford L. Johnson $5.00, William Flisrand $5.00, Elbert Rukstad, Treas. $5.00, Lawrence Hagen $5.00, Arthur Haugen $5.00, Howard Ristvedt $5.00, George Trygstad $5.00, Herman Gulbraa $5.00, Lawrence Hagen $6.00, Duane Hallstrom, Treas. $5.00, C. G. Burnstad $8.00, Harry Thorson $5.00, Luceil Jostad $5.00, Bernard Sumner $5.00, Sam J. Buss $5.00, Chas. Jones, Treas. $5.00, Edna Hineline $9.00, Kathryn Flanagan $5.00, Carl Brownell $5.00, J. C. Aldous $5.00, Sadie Cummings $5.00, F. C. Grow Sons $39.00, Watertown Public Opinion $103.04, Peder Dragsten $10.40, Howard Groves $5.00, Sophie Wike $5.00, Gertie Halse $5.00, P. O. Brekke $5.00, P. O. Brekke, Treas. $5.00, J.R. Schultz $9.60, Hilda Harrington $5.00, Louis Ziekk $5.00, Roy Drake $5.00, Lenard Johnson $5.00, Lowell Anderson, Treas. $5.00, Forrest Stimson, Treas. $5.00, Earl Paulsen $5.00, Frank Lebert Garage $6.00, Fred Schwandt $7.00; Veteran's Service Office Expense-Rosella Howey $16.50; Auditor's Office Expense-International Business Machines Co. $2.88, Addressograph-multigraph Corp. $37.00, Watertown Typewriter Co. $8.02, Mitchell Publishing Co. $124.18, Railway Express Agency $1.52, Ruhe Stationery Co. $16.46, Carlson's $2.80; Treas. Office Expense-Mitchell Publishing Co. $124.17, Railway Express Agency $1.53; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Railway Express Agency $5.76, F.C. Grow Sons $18.50, Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.50; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Remington Rand $16.90, Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.90; Sheriff's Office Expense-F. C. Grow Sons $17.00, Jensen's Radio Service $5.00, Olson Appliance Co. $17.95, Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.25; Public Welfare Office Expense-Midwest-Beach Co. $10.29,Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.10; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $25.92, Muriel Ann Fisher $32.40; County Extension-Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.95, Clara W. Johnson $15.39, Fred Morris $17.14, Carlson's $4.50; Supt of Schools Mileage-J. Muriel Hoover $93.30; Insurance & Bonds-Heaton Insurance Agency $5.00; Printing & Advertising-South Shore Gazette $172.55, Watertown Public Opinion $152.46, Henry Independent $107.17; County Farm-Olson Appliance Co. $22.55, Uptown Mobile Service $10.70, Montgomery Ward & Co. $11.24, City Treasurer $12.20, Haggar Drug Store $4.60, Lien's Grocery $49.19, Spies Super Valu $27.24; Court House Maintenance-Ruhe Stationery Co. $10.65, Watertown Machine Works $.39, Botsford Lumber Co. $7.80, Nelson Hardware $21.50, Uptown Mobile Service $5.02, Veterans of Foreign Wars $7.00, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $53.19, Otis Elevator Co. $21.00, True Electric Service $6.38, Western Chemical Co. $42.33, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $1.54, City Treasurer $390.54, Dandar Electric Motor Repair $5.50, Duffner Drug Store $4.80, Egge Electric Co. $134.28, Mrs. Elvera Englund $5.48, Mahowald Co. $1.15, Lake Kampeska Nursery $407.50, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $247.96; Memorial Park-Florence Luth.Parish $10.00, Northwestern Public Service Co. $24.58, Watertown Machine Works $61.54, Botsford Lbr. Co. $110.89, Nelson Hardware $1.75, Uptown Mobile Service $8.87, Montgomery Ward & Co. $26.44, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $5.11; Rent & Sale-Botsford Lbr. Co. $30.38, Nelson Hardware Co. $3.10; ROAD-City Treas. $11.67, Botsford Lbr. Co. $32.50, Cave Supply Co. $59.01, Dakota Welding Supply Co. $19.39, Empire Equipment Co. $422.96, J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $149.91, Foster-Bell Co. $129.40, International Harvester Co. $239.62, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $15.32, Mahowald Co. $56.52, Marquardts Service & Supply Co. $592.57, Montgomery Ward & Co. $11.70, Motor Supply Co. $14.89, Uptown Mobile Service $331.84, Northwestern Public Service Co. $30.30, Powell's Station $3.70, C. S. Rasmusson $18.62, S. D. State Highway Commission $150.00, Harold Scriver $3.68, Arthur Schwandt $92.09, Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. $599.91, Watertown Machine Works $15.51, Watertown Tire Co. $22.65, Western Transportation Co. $1.50, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $24.56; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Miller Bros Lbr. Co. $9.00, S. D. Concrete Products Co. $392.00; COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL-Codington County Soil Conservation Dist $101.50; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (EDEN)-Anna Chilson $1.00, Leonard Chilson $1.00, William Chilson $1.00, Delmar Dale $1.00, Duane Hallstrom $1.00, Ingwald Johnson $1.00, Virgil Sikkink $1.00, Lillian A. Spolum $1.00, Arlie E. Sunne $1.00, E. C. Ustrud $1.00, Halmer Wibeto $1.00; C.H. & B.R.-Charles Cordell $23.28, W. N. Evans $32.32, Nick H. Fox $20.90, Carl Haider $44.08, Henry Jungers $23.85, Bernard Perry $24.27, Anna J. Raschke $37.28, Ed Simon & Anna Simon $46.17, Anna Tritz $42.10, Michael J. Wagner $64.52, Francis Wagner $28.85; TEXTBOOK-Midwest-Beach Co. $18.54; INSTITUTE-Mrs. Doris Nelson $15.00, Mrs. Agnes L. Henrikson $10.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $28.55; ROAD-Schweiger's $76.65; GENERAL-County Farm-Acme Feed & Coal Co. $5.38, Thompson Yards $43.93, Fred Walsh $4.00, Watertown Co-op. Feed Ass'n $56.08.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Jacob DeBerg, Lawrence Arneson, Luverne Erickson, Donald McClung and Ben Heitland $2.00 each; L. T. Brekke, Martin Schurman, Kenneth Elmore, Wm. Halling, Sam Fulton, John W. Rowe, Mrs. Harold Neuendorf, and Chas. Redlin $4.00 each; Maurice Bergh $9.50; Glen Stadheim $8.00.

Moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that the claim of Mutt & Jeff be allowed in the amount of $20.00 for repair of roof at County Poor Farm.

A delegation from Dexter appeared before the Board in regard to five miles of road being petitioned for addition to County Highway System. Virgil Sikkink, Philip Bergh, Howard Ristvedt, Maurice Bergh and Russell Schwinger were members of the delegation. No action was taken by the Board, as all easements and right-of-way had not been signed by the land-owners.

The Board recessed for lunch.

Statement of Fees collected during May, 1954 were approved as follows: Register of Deeds, $555.60.

Veterans Service Officers monthly report was noted by the Board.

Auditors account with the County Treasurer was approved as follows: Total amount of deposits in banks, $669,479.44; total amount of checks and drafts in treasurer's possession not exceeding three days and cash, $7,310.66; Government Bonds $181,837.33; Total of all items $858,627.43.

The application of Lester Chizek for abatement of last half of 1953 Money and Credits tax in the amount of $8.00, and the refund of Lester Chizek for first half of 1953 Money and Credits tax approved by the Board on a motion by Belk and seconded by Jordeth.

On motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner to adjourn until June 15, 1954.

Irma Welch
Deputy County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 15, 1954

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Belk, Jordeth, Skinner and Fromke present. Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-County Judge Office Expense-Postmaster $.72; County Extension-Postmaster-$9.59; Supt. of Schools-Postmaster $40.56; Veterans Service Office Expense-Postmaster $4.65; Public Welfare Office Expense-Postmaster $16.28; Sheriffs Office Expense-Postmaster $10.35; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Postmaster $24.30; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Postmaster $35.76; Tax Collector-Postmaster $14.62; Treas. Office Expense-Postmaster $179.91; Auditors Office Expense-Postmaster $124.73; Printing & Advertising-Postmaster $5.30, Election Expense-Postmaster $7.41; Assessors Supplies-Postmaster $18.29; Court House Maintenance-Postmaster $5.00; ROAD-Postmaster $4.19.

Pursuant to Notice of Hearing on application for Class C or Class D license to engage in retail sale of non-intoxicating liquors as advertized in official county newspapers on June 3, 1954, comes now the hearing on said application. Chairman Keenan requested the deputy County Auditor to read the Notice of Hearing preliminary to action by the Board.

After the reading of said hearing, it was pointed out by Geo. Isack that there was some question as to descriptions. The Board checked and verified the error, after which it was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner to amend the "212 License" to read - Kranz & De-Ville Out Lot A Sec. 5-116-52. Motion carried. Francis Burns, legal representative for Norman Halberg and Adolph Kindt, appeared before the Board and made the required changes.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner the Board approved the beer license applications as follows:

Lloyd Opperud, Lots 4 and 5, Hillcrest Addition in Lake Township.
Roy Thompson, Lot 1, Block 1, Grover.
Clarence Reeve, Outlot 9, Section 31, Twp. 118, Range 54 in Fuller Township.
George Laqua, Northwest 3 Acres of $W\frac{1}{2}SW\frac{1}{4}$, Section 17, Township 117, Range 52, Elmira Twp.
Joseph Murray, Lots 1 and 2 of Block 3, Waverly.
Leslie Robinson, Lot 1, Block 2, Lake View Addition, Lake Township.
Willis R. Walters, SE 3 Acres of $SE\frac{1}{4}$, Sec.1, Twp. 116, Range 55, in Henry Township.
Elmer Jensen, Lots 12, 13, and 14 in Block 2, Kranzburg.
C. J. Ruhr, Lot 1 and 2 in Block 3, Kranzburg.
Gordon Thompson, NW Corner of Government Lot 3, Sec. 17, Twp. 116, Range 53, Pelican Twp.
Ray Halling, NW 1 Acre of $NW\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec.6, Twp. 116, Range 53, in Pelican Township.
W. T. Williams, Lot 3, Section 29, Township 117, Range 53 in Lake Township.
Theodore Swenson, Outlot A, Section 32, Township 118, Range 52 in Rauville Township.
Frank Schmitt, Lot 5, Block 3, Waverly.
Mrs. Glenn C. Watkins, Lot 21, in Highland Park, Lake Township.
Caroline A. Meyer, Smith Outlot, Sec. 15, Twp. 117, Range 53 in Lake Township.
Henry N. L. Ries, Lots 10 & 11 in Block 2, Kranzburg.
Watertown Country Club, Outlot "B" and "C", Arends Park, Sec. 28, Twp. 117, Range 53 in Lake Township.
Norman Halberg and Adolph Kindt, Kranz & DeVille Outlot A, Sec. 5, Twp. 116, Range 52, in Sheridan Township.
Francis J. Hupf, Northeast 4 acres of $NE\frac{1}{4}$, Section 3, Township 116, Range 51, in Kranzburg Township.

Recessed for lunch.

L. L. Blake appeared in regard to welfare matters.

Delegation from Germantown township appeared before the Board in regard to two culverts on a township road under construction. Delegates were Elmer Bunde, Fred Matthes, Leonard Bowen and Carl Gunderson Jr., said road being located between Sec. 25 and 26, Township 119, Range 52. Moved by Jordeth, second by Belk to allow two culverts, One 42 inch 36 Ft. R.C. and 60 inch 30 ft. R. C. Motion carried.

It was moved by Skinner and second by Belk to concur with City Council to abate the Dog Tax assessed to O. Knudsen in error. Motion carried.

Recessing at two o'clock to inspect bridges-returned at 3:15, all members present.

Clerk of Courts report read and approved. May Fees collected $257.25.

The application of Herman Gaul for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes in the amount of $43.05 for a payment of $39.76 was approved by the Board, on a motion by Belk and second by Skinner.

Moved by Belk, second by Skinner to adjourn until Tuesday, June 22nd at 10:00 A. M.

Irma Welch
Deputy County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 22, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-County Farm-Mutt & Jeff $20.00; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $65.05, Oscar J. Fromke $150.94, Einar Jordeth $95.20, James L. Keenan $76.80, Herb Skinner $77.15; C.M.V.-Royal J. Carlill $64.35; C.H. & B.R.-Royal J. Carlill $9.50; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Royal J. Carlill $65.55; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (ELMIRA)-Royal J. Carlill $12.35.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Harold L. Hanson, Arthur Pupil, Owen Thacker, LeRoy Stricherz, Mrs. Paul Jongeling, Wm. Langenfeld, Mrs. Virgil Bastian, Ed Fleming, Arnold Hackbart, Joe Rossow, $4.00 each; Randall Mischke, Maurice Bergh, Mrs. Clara Sieverts, $8.00 each; Jimmy Ostrander, Carl Benthin, Gary Thorson $2.00 each; Mrs. Bert Hastings, $6.00; Kenneth Wibeto, $10.00.

A petition requesting the County to repair a county road located between Sections 13 and 14 in Lake Twp., was presented to the Board at this time. No action was taken.

On motion by Belk and second by Jordeth, the Board approved the application of Clayton Iverson for abatement of 1953 school poll in Watertown in the amount of $1.00 for reason of military service exemption.

On motion by Belk and second by Jordeth the Board concurred with the Phipps Twp. Board of Supervisors in granting abatement of $1.00 dog tax to Clarence Tschakart for the reason of an error in transposing from assessor's listing sheet to assessor's book.

C. S. Rasmusson appeared before the Board to discuss a contemplated bridge and road construction project in Elmira Twp.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that Codington County advertize for bids for grading approximately 1900 ft. and constructing a box culvert on F.A.S. Project No. S-575 (1), located along the east line of Section 2-117-52. Motion carried.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A. M. June 29, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, South Dakota
June 29, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A. M. with Keenan, Jordeth, Skinner and Fromke present, Belk absent, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Dorothy Below $210.00, Irma Welch $190.00, Pearl Bergan $180.00, Alice Olson $160.00, Kay Turbak $150.00; County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00, Alma Gerberding $210.00, DeLoris Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lillian Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68, Harriett Horning $205.00, Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $283.75, Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Katherine Downs $25.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veteran's Service-George W. Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $175.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $100.00,Henry Klemsrud $15.00, Pearl Klemsrud $50.00; Memorial Park-Bessie Hoftiezer $100.00, Arnold Hoftiezer $100.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-C. S. Rasmusson $525.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $190.00, Sever Tobiason $200.00, Bert Smith $74.00, J. P. Haug $265.65, Joe Stricherz $289.80, Claude Van Sickle $262.50, C.B. Sumner $273.00, Harold Scriver $238.35, Carl Zweig, Jr. $144.41, Ed Gould $142.20, James Hendren $3.75, Howard Williams $19.95, Alfred Spring $55.95, Fred Brownell $87.54, John N. Strait $35.45, Leo Clausen $59.98, Clarence Helle $19.95, Curtis Underwood $111.72, Chris Engels $143.02, Julius Lentz $107.07, Henry Anderson $38.00, E. Spearbeck $96.14, Chas. H. Krogman $107.08, Robert L. Howey $24.19, Paul E. Palmer $95.00; C.H. & B.R.-Carl Zweig Jr. $26.25, Ed Gould $20.70, James Hendren $238.45, Howard Williams $162,80, Alfred Spring $175.95, Fred Brownell $72.20, John N. Strait $170.05, Leo Clausen $150.10, Clarence Helle $159.41, Chris Engels $4.75, Julius Lentz $19.00, E. Spearbeck $43.70, Rudolph Lange $75.81, Allen Junso $152.47, Robert C. Ward $152.47, Chas. H. Krogman $19.00, Stephen A. Olsen $64.85, Berton Fedt $64.85, Robert L. Howey $171.95, Loomis Bros. $603.00, C. S. Rasmusson $28.56; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Carl Zweig Jr. $10.50, Ed Gould $87.40,Howard Williams $22.00, Alfred Spring $9.20, Fred Brownell $9.50, Clarence Helle $1.90, Curtis Underwood $76.95, Chris Engels $37.05, Julius Lentz $62.70, E. Spearbeck $37.05, Rudolph Lange $1.90, Allen Junso $1.90, Robert C. Ward $1.90, Chas. H. Krogman $62.70; Co.Spec.Hiway (Elmira)-Carl Zweig, Jr. $43.05, Ed Gould $14.95, James Hendren $21.25, Howard Williams $28.60, Alfred Spring $10.35, Fred Brownell $15.20, John N. Strait $12.35, Leo Clausen $16.15, Clarence Helle

$26.60, Curtis Underwood $16.15, Chris Engels $16.15, Julius Lentz $16.15, Rudolph Lange $24.70, Allen Junso $26.60, Robert C. Ward $26.60, Chas. H. Krogman $16.15, Stephen A. Olsen $16.15, Berton Fedt $16.15, Robert L. Howey $15.20; CO. SPEC. HIWAY (LAKE)-James Hendren $22.50, Howard Williams $28.60, Alfred Spring $9.20; GENERAL-Memorial Park-Carl Zweig, Jr. $4.20, Carl Deal $60.00; Court House Maintenance-Carl Zweig, Jr. $3.15; Per Deim, Mileage & Salary-Vernon H. Belk $52.70, Oscar J. Fromke $54.10, Einar Jordeth $64.80, James L. Keenan $56.20; Salary-Herb Skinner $15.00; Poor-Bartron Hospital $938.88-for B.J. Murray $5.00, Mrs. Alma Pederson $206.50, Robt. Blow $37.50, Earl Blowers $277.63, Oscar Boldon $57.00, Adolph Stankey $128.50, Marvin Sharp $90.00, Mrs. Thos. Black $84.40, Mrs. James M. Mack $52.35; Bartron Clinic $477.80-for Mrs. Verlin Halvorson $2.00, B. J. Murray $8.00, Mrs. Cathryn McLaughlin $9.00, Henry Webb, Sr. $2.00, Arlene Lohr $4.00, Robt. Blow $31.80, Loren Wohlwend $3.00, Gertrude Shepherd $3.00, Baby Allen Roush $53.00, Earl Blowers $28.00, Oscar Boldon $14.00, Adolph Stankey $10.00, Marvin Sharp $79.00, Mrs. Thos. Black $22.00, Helena Lentz $2.00, Ben Bergerson $30.00, Arlone Johnson $10.00, Coral Wohlwend $5.00, Mrs. John Dobson $14.00, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $14.00, Mrs. Ludwig Roethler $18.00, Mrs. James M. Mack $25.00, Mrs. Florence Thompson $16.00, Alma Pederson $75.00.

REPORT OF SALE BY COUNTY AUDITOR OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING

TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA:

Carl F. Bergan, the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, makes the following return of the proceedings had pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners to offer for sale the within described real estate acquired by the county by tax proceedings, and reports as follows, to-wit:

That the real property directed to be offered for sale by the Board of County Commissioners was first classified as class one land and was appraised by the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, at the sum of $265.00.

That in pursuance of the direction of the Board of County Commissioners that the within described real estate acquired by tax proceeding be offered for sale, he caused notice of sale thereof to be published in the legal newspapers of the County of Codington once each week for a period of two successive weeks before the date of sale specified therein, which notice contained a description of the real property to be sold and the time, place, and terms of sale, all of which appears by such notice and affidavit of publication filed herein.

That said County Auditor, pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners and notice duly given, offered for sale and on the 25th day of June, 1954, sold, subject to the confirmation of the Board of County Commissioners, the following described real estate to Chris Carstenson, Walter Day and Albin Johnson, they being the highest and best bidders, for the sum of $265.00, said sum being the highest and best sum bid and not being less than the amount of the appraisement, upon the following terms, to-wit: cash at the time of sale in the amount of $265.00 deposited with the County Treasurer.

The real estate so sold is described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 4 thru 8, Block 2, South Side Addition to Watertown	$15.00
E50' of Lot 6, Block 10, Henry Village	50.00
Lots 7 & 8, Block 12, Wallace Village	200.00

Dated this 29th day of June, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County,
South Dakota

Commissioner Belk appeared and took his place on the Board at 10:45 A. M.

RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE No. 214

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described real property belonging to said county, which was acquired by said County by tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that Chris Carstenson of Watertown, Walter Day of Henry and Albin Johnson of Wallace have offered the sum of $265.00 in cash for the following described real property, to-wit:

Lots 4 thru 8, Block 2, South Side Addition to Watertown,	$15.00
E50' of Lot 6, Block 10, Henry Village	50.00
Lots 7 & 8, Block 12, Wallace Village	200.00

Which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited in cash with the County Treasurer;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 29th day of June, 1954, that the sale of said premises to the said persons above noted be and the same is hereby approved, and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest deeds to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deeds to said purchasers conveying to said purchasers all of the right, title, and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 29th day of June, 1954.

Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Einar Jordeth
Chas J Franck
James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:
Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Petition No. 12 requesting addition to the County Highway System of highway described as, "That part of old Highway No. 20 between Sections 29 and 32 in Dexter Twp. and Section 5 in Fuller Twp. on the one side, and Sections 28 & 33 in Dexter Twp. and Section 4 in Fuller Twp. on the other side, all in Twps. 118 & 119-54, Codington County, South Dakota" was presented to the Board at this time.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that foregoing petition be filed pending hearing on same-said hearing to be held at 10:00 A.M., July 23, 1954. Motion carried.

M. J. Fox appeared before the Board to report damage to his crop resulting from county highway construction adjoining his land. The Board advised Mr. Fox that they would go out and investigate the situation before taking any definite action on the matter.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the Watertown Country Club be permitted to have a fireworks display at the Country Club on July 5, 1954. Motion carried.

The official bonds of James Nelson, Tax Collector, and Ella Koppman, Henry Village assessor, in amounts of $3,000.00 and $500.00 respectively, were approved by the Board.

On Motion by Belk and second by Jordeth the quarterly report of Justice of the peace, Joe Strom, for the period ending June 30, 1954 was approved by the Board.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Edgar Rausch, Mrs. Earl Dally, George Czech, Raymond Morrison, Emery Elmore, Edwin C. Matthes, Clarence Kahnke, Arnold Borns, $4.00 each; Dennis L. Eck and Louis Washtoak, $6.00 each; H. D. Small, $12.00; George McClung, $2.00.

The Board recessed at 4:15 P.M. and went out to check on the alleged damage to the M. J. Fox property resulting from County highway construction as above noted.

The Board returned at 5:00 P.M. and adjourned to 10:00 A. M. July 6, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
July 6, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened in regular session at 10:00 A.M. with all members present. Keenan presiding.

Minutes of meetings of June 2, 8, 15, 22 and 29, 1954 were approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Cecilia M. Beirne $111.84.

John E. Zirbel, Joe Becking, Ben Ronke, Ed Fleming and Gus Marquardt, all of Fuller Twp., appeared before the Board to request that the county install a suitable culvert or bridge on the section line between Sections 12 and 7 in Fuller Twp.

The Board agreed to install a bridge or culvert as recommended by the County Highway Supt.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner the Board approved monthly statements for June, 1954 as follows: State Sanatorium at Sanator, S. D., $205.92; Redfield State Hospital and School $576.67; Clerk of Courts statement of fees collected, $375.75.

The annual statement of fees collected by the Clerk of Courts during 1953 in the amount of $3,408.20 was checked by the Board and filed.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of July 1, 1954 was checked and approved as follows: Deposits in banks, $471,106.77; Checks, drafts and cash in Treasurers possession not exceeding three days, $7,575.69; Government bonds,$112,000.00; C.D's $70,000.00. Total of all items, $660,682.46.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner the official bond and oath of Beatrice E. Nelson, Deputy Tax Collector, in the amount of $3,000.00 was approved by the Board.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Maurice Bergh, Glenn Buchholz, Calvin Kucker, Elroy Westrum, Mrs. Vincent Mack, Leonard Murphy, $4.00 each; David Engstrom, $2.00; Arlyn Strege, $10.00; Lester Strege, $7.50.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that $5.00 be accepted for a partial release of county aid liens of Mike Feyen in so far as said liens affect property described as Lot 3 Less W50', Block 3, Pettigrews addition to Watertown. Motion carried.

The Board of Commissioners adjourned and reconvened as a County Board of Equalization.

Each member of the Board and the County Auditor subscribed to the Oath of Equalization as prescribed by law.

Nels Bale appeared before the Board to appeal his 1954 personal property assessment. As no appeal had been certified by the City Auditor, the Board informed Mr. Bale that they could not act on his appeal and advised him of the proper procedure.

At 5:00 P.M. the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. July 7, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
July 7, 1954

The County Board of Equalization convened in regular session at 10.00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

The Board spent the entire day checking and comparing assessment summaries of the 22 taxing districts in Codington County as compiled and submitted by the County Auditor; also, money and credits assessments were checked against the list of mortgages recorded in Codington County as compiled by the Division of Taxation for that purpose.

The Board adjourned at 5:00 P.M.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
July 8, 1954

The Board of Equalization convened in regular session at 10.00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

The morning was spent in equalizing personal property assessments among the taxing districts of Codington County.

Item 22, (household furnishings), was discussed at length. The Watertown average assessment on Item 22 came in at $94.11 as compared to the average outside Watertown of $181.72. It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Fromke that the county average on Item 22 be fixed at $188.22 which was a 100% increase on that Item as assessed in the Watertown taxing district. Motion carried.

Mrs. Emma Jensen of 321 - 2nd St., N. E., Watertown, appeared before the Board as an absentee landlord to appeal the assessment on land in Graceland Twp. described and assessed as follows: S½ of SE¼ Section 18-117-55. (80 acres) assessed at $1700.00 ($21.25 per acre); NE¼ & E½ of E½ of NW¼ Section 19-117-55. (199.5 acres) assessed at $4000.00 (approximately $20.00 per acre).

Mrs. Jensen did not stipulate any specific amount of reduction, and the Board deferred action on the appeal pending inspection of the land in question.

Lester Ohnstad of Florence appeared before the Board to appeal the assessment on his residence structure located on Lots 8 & 9, Block 8, Florence Village from $775.00 to $500.00.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Fromke that a compromise adjustment be made and the assessment be reduced from $775.00 to $600.00. Motion carried.

Henry Forman appeared before the Board to appeal the assessment on his property in Waverly Twp. As he had not appeared before his local Board and no appeal had been certified to the County Board, no action was taken.

The Board of Equalization adjourned and reconvened as a Board of Commissioners.

The application of Mrs. Maude Lauseng for a compromise settlement of county aid liens in the amount of $317.70 for a payment of $200.00 was approved by the Board on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Belk.

The Board of Commissioners adjourned, reconvened as a Board of Equalization, and adjourned at 5:00 P.M.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
July 9, 1954

The Board of Equalization convened in regular session at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

A. G. Hestad of 308-3rd Ave., N. E., Watertown, appeared before the Board as an absentee landlord to appeal the assessment on property described as Lot 6, Sylvan Heights Addition to Lake Twp., from $400.00 to $300.00.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Jordeth that foregoing appeal of A. G. Hestad be granted and assessment reduced from $400.00 to $300.00. Motion carried.

The remainder of the morning was spent in comparing and equalizing personal property assessments among the taxing districts.

At noon the Board recessed, and at 1:00 P.M. left to meet with the Hamlin County Board on the Hamlin-Codington County line to inspect two bridges located on the south side of Section 32-116-55.

The Board also inspected Mrs. Emma Jensen's land in Graceland Twp. pursuant to appeal as noted in Equalization Proceedings of July 8.

The Board returned at 6:00 P.M. and adjourned to 10:00 A.M. July 12, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
July 12, 1954

The Board of Equalization convened in regular session at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Pursuant to inspection of property appealed by Mrs. Emma Jensen as noted in Equalization Proceedings of July 8, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that the appeal be granted and the assessments be reduced as follows: $S\frac{1}{2}$ of $SE\frac{1}{4}$ Section 18-117-55, Graceland Twp. reduced from $1700.00 to $1550.00; $NE\frac{1}{4}$ & $E\frac{1}{2}$ of $E\frac{1}{2}$ of $NW\frac{1}{4}$ Section 19-117-55, Graceland Twp. reduced from $4000.00 to $3,400.00. Motion carried.
James Nelson, 308 N. Park St. appeared before the Board as an absentee landlord to appeal the assessment of his unfinished residence structure located on Lot 11, Pebble Beach Addition to Lake Twp. He requested a reduction in assessment from $800.00 to $500.00. The Board deferred action pending inspection.

Pursuant to inspection by the Board of the business structure located on Lot 1, Block 4, Original Plat Addition to Watertown, appealed by Carl Lamke on this date, it was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that the appeal be granted and the assessment on said structure be reduced from $990.00 to $500.00. Motion carried.

At 5:00 P.M. the Board adjourned for the day.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
July 13, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

On motion by Belk and second by Fromke, verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $70.00-for Mary L. Wilson $20.00, Nora and Edward McPeek $40.00, Emma Henthorn $10.00; Mrs. August Anderson $15.00-for Frances Emery; Mrs. Augusta Bunde $25.00-for Louisa Richter; Annette Burgdorf $190.00-for Nels T. Nelson $95.00, Henry Spilde $40.00, Mrs. Flanagan $55.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall;

Mrs. Ella Heathcote $55.00-for Mrs. Maria E. Born; Nora A. Kinstad $256.50-for Ola Hanson $34.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Olie Omodt $45.00, Ole A. Oamodt $40.00, Karl Berge $30.00, Ervin Eisenbic $72.50; Mrs. Anna Mae Larson $45.00-for Fannie Baker; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $95.00-for James Chambers $15.00, Ella Flannigan $40.00, Lorence Albrecht $40.00; Watertown Rest Home $80.00-for L. Maurere $30.00, Mrs. Ebens $50.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $30.00-for Edith Kinsey $30.00; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00-for Mrs. Rose Dixon $15.00, Miss Sarah Ann Black $10.00; Mrs. Anna Lange $37.50-for Dixie Crider; H.J. Kenny, M.D. $277.00-for Marshal Bradfield $32.00, Walter Richards $204.00, Emma Henthorn $3.00, Linda Sangsaas $38.00; Duffner Drug Store $195.16- Ola Hanson $28.85, S. Wisneske $16.30, B. J. Murray $18.95, Carl Berg $2.50, Wm. Boll $14.50, Fannie Baker $10.42, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $12.60, Mrs. E. Cosgrove $6.55, Mrs. W. C. Yarns $11.70, Louis Mourere $3.90, Marshal Bradfield $6.90, Frank Metzinger $14.10, A. R. Quade $4.50, Leo Breske $19.92, Mrs. Hecraft $4.40, Mrs. C. W. Montney $16.24, Mrs. Mathilda Blek $18.52, Edgar Wight $4.50, Inga Yarns $1.50; Bartron Hospital $1172.95-for Herman Reich $208.20, Adolph Stankey $84.00, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $279.85, Earl Blowers $70.50, Mrs. Wm. R. Shepherd $73.40, Mrs. Florence Williams $83.00, B. J. Murray $5.00-Clinic-for Herman Reich $75.00, Baby Allen Roush $6.00, Hazel Black $8.00, Adolph Stankey $8.00, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $116.00, Earl Blowers $22.00, Florence Thompson $3.00, Mrs. Wm. Shepherd $35.00, Mrs. Loren Wohlwend $3.00, Ben Burgeson $30.00, Mrs. Charles Underhill $5.00, Mrs. Florence Williams $24.00, Arlone Johnson $6.00, Myrtle Nelson $6.00, Robert Blow $8.00, Mrs. Ludwig Roethler $10.00, Ed McPeek $2.00, B. J. Murray $2.00; Brown Clinic $788.00-for Judith Beynon $2.00, Mrs. Ellen Cosgrove $4.00, Thomas Hoffman $152.00, Mrs. William Jones $61.50, Otto Jungen $68.00, Albert Krohn $37.50, Mrs. Theodore Lovick $8.00, I. S. Rislov $130.50, Clifford VanSickle $30.00, Mrs. Bertha Watters $2.00, Mrs. Grace Wilson $169.00, Mrs. William Luck $6.00, A. R. Quade $113.50, William H. Mead $4.00; Busy Bee Cafe $14.00-for Harry Stillwell; D. F. Campbell $108.42-for Mrs. DeMuynck $8.00, Mathilda Blek $21.00, Theodore Treat $58.92, Anna Parsley $20.50; H. Christianson, M.D. $75.00-for Mrs. Francis S. Schmeling; Council Oak Store $90.69-for James & Alma Mack $50.00, Leonard Vaughn $25.69, Mrs. Lepelt $15.00; Butterbrodt Drug Store $252.60-for Henry Dewall $9.45, Emma Klucas $9.30, Harry Freeseman $31.65, Rex Richmond $39.60, Henry Anderson $105.10, Ed Goeman $23.25, Mrs. DeMuynck $34.25; Donald N. Fedt, M.D. $83.60-for Fannie Baker $5.00, Chas. Bierschied $5.60, Luke Henry Hopkins $57.00, Glen Taken $10.00, Robert Taken $6.00; Haggars Drug Store $716.16-for Mrs. Bertha Watters $22.37, Otto Jungen $4.55, Mr. Henry Hopkins $147.96, Mrs. Grace Wilson $15.71, Mr. Irwin Rislov $72.32, Mr. Thomas Hoffman $89.69, Mr. Ben Burgeson $31.96, Mrs. Elida Jones $25.79, Ellen Anderson $11.25, Frank & Emma Klucas $12.06, Robert Blow $4.86, Seymore Peterson $4.32, Philomena Holzmer $5.76, Henry Anderson $8.10, Fannie Baker $3.36, Hilda Marie Ebens $66.51, Ed Goeman $22.01, Hazel Blek $12.69, N. T. Nelson $3.60, Glen Taken $51.84, John Farley $2.93, Ferne Washtaak $75.65, Mrs. Arlone Johnson $.90, Lizzie Alt $9.84, Mrs. M. Taylor $10.13; Hallberg Clothing Store $18.80-for Lorance Albrecht; Hunter's Grocery $39.99-for John Fjerstad $15.00, Glen Taken $24.99; Kreiser Drug Store $131.72-for Josephine Roethler $9.45, Mrs. Anna Parsley $28.22, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $7.40, Earl Crocker $40.80, Mrs. Alma Pederson $16.85, Albert Johnson $6.00, Gertrude Shepherd $.85, Mrs. L. Roethler $9.50, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn & baby $12.34; Lampert Lumber Co. $26.00-for Leora Rose Painter $26.00; Lien's Grocery $5.00-for Cora Barto; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes Funeral Chapel $3.00-for Mrs. P. DeMuynck; Medical Arts Clinic $447.00-for Henry Anderson $29.00, Ferne Washtaak $29.00, Frank & Emma Klucas $16.00, Ed Goeman $24.00, Philomena Holzmer $10.00, Steve Wisneski & Wife $68.00, Mrs. Francis DeMuynck $150.00, Irwin Eisenbise $8.00, Harry Freesemann $75.00, Walter Richards $15.00, Lizzie Alt $3.00, Louis Mourere $2.00, Mrs. anna Christianson $2.00, Ola Hanson $4.00, Inga Yarns $6.00, Rex Richmond $6.00; Memorial Hospital $688.55-for Mrs. Francis DeMuynck $125.50, Henry DeWall $41.00, Mrs. Frank Klucas $59.00, Rex Richmond $168.60, Henry Anderson $82.85, Alfred Vick $20.00, Harry G. Freesemann $100.60, Ed Goeman $84.00, G. O. Wigdahl $7.00; Dr. Warden E. Mickelson $44.00-for Lena Trumar; Minnehaha County Mental Health Center $30.00-for Frances Emery; National Tea Co. $3.95-for Loren Wohlwend; Red Owl Store $49.40-for Mrs. Edith Bundy $25.00, Loren Wohlwend $24.40; E. A. Rudolph, M.D. $60.00-for Ola Hanson; Red Owl Agency $32.77-for Loren Wohlwend; S. D. Children's Aid $12.24-for Sharon & Robert Schreifels; O.P. Skaggs Store $90.00-for Jessie Lipelt $60.00, Hazel Black $10.00, James & Alma Mack $20.00; Spies Super Valu $125.05-for Mrs. Blair Tessier $20.05, Helena & Gustav Lentz $45.00, Arthur Lauson $15.00, Royal Carlill $25.00, Mrs. Donald Lauseng $20.00; St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $25.00-for John Welter; St. John's McNamara Hospital $594.50-for Mrs. Mary Meyers; St. Mary's Cemetery $50.00-for Luke Henry Hopkins; S. D. State Sanatorium $6.70-for Raymond Ries; Mrs. Frieda Story $28.32-for Mary Vermillion; Thomes Drug Store $106.96-for James Chambers $3.85, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $.75, Margaret Papka $5.70, Lawrence Albrecht $17.00, Rollin A. Vance $34.50, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $2.80, Richard DePeel $2.40, Lena Trummer $3.50, Chas. Bierscheid $4.25, Alfred Vick $31.80, Mrs. Anna Christianson $12.30; Dr. M. C. Thompson $140.00-for Lawrence Albrecht $4.00, Chas. Bierscheid $16.00, John Farley $6.00, Albert Hendricks $4.00, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $30.00, Marion Kraft $9.00, Mrs. Jessie Lipelt $11.00, Darrell Peterson $9.00, Mrs. Mildred Taylor $8.00, Fremond Tribitt $8.00, Mrs. Lena Trumer $6.00, R. A. Vance $19.00; Watertown Clinic $224.50-for Mrs. Henry Kraft $45.50, Leo Breske $175.00, Mrs. Hilda Haack $4.00; Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $105.60, Cliff Englund $7.84, Betty Englund $5.00, Hubbard Aviation Co. $5.00, Midwest - Beach Co. $3.23, Ruhe Stationery Co. $20.03; County Farm-Gusta C. Haug $14.00, Marshall-Wells Store $50.72, Duffners Drug Store $2.00, Uptown Mobile Service $12.02, Montgomery Ward & Co. $20.16, Botsford Lumber Co. $1.60, City Treasurer $13.65, Council Oak Stores $5.97, Butterbrodt Drug Store $13.90, Kreiser Drug Store $5.58, Lien's Grocery $26.34, Spies Super Valu $69.84, Hubbard's, Inc. $7.04, K.D. Inc. $1.03, Park Grant Co. $6.62, J.C. Penney Co. $8.28, Watertown Community Oil Co. $1.65, Watertown Co-operative Elevator Co. $67.78, Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $111.70, Oscar J. Fromke $80.64, Einar Jordeth $84.14, James L. Keenan $82.04, Herb Skinner $70.71, Court House Maintenance-Rev. Chas. Ebersole $10.75, Ruhe Stationery Co. $.15, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $3.08, Northwest Products Co. $18.37, L. O. H. Co. $6.00, Uptown Mobile Service $3.06, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $2.15, Mrs. Elvera Englund $3.24, Dandar Electric Motor Repair $9.00, L. V. Harmel $48.32, Jo's Laundry $5.85, Hillyard Chemical Co. $164.25, Otis Elevator Co. $21.00, Pitney-Bowes, Inc. $96.00, Egge Electric Co. $272.09, Western Chemical Co. $48.40, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $276.36, Inman Plumbing & Heating Co. $3.60, Nash Finch Co. $16.10, City Treasurer $290.81, Schwanke's Seeds & Service $76.00, Carl Deal $2.55, Gene Alexander $76.81; Tax Collector-Ole James Nelson $83.84; Mileage-Cliff Englund $363.05; Fees-Cliff Englund $88.93; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $126.80; States

Attorney Mileage-$45.00, Dale E. Bradshaw; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $54.20; County Extension-Agricultural Extension Service $5.40, Fred Morris $26.00, Ruhe Stationery Co. $.60, Clara W. Johnson $57.02, Crow Bounty-Carl Below $.75, Andrew Mack $.90; Insurance and Bonds-First National Agency $75.96, The Morris Agency $69.00, P. O. Brekke Agency $164.16, Loren B. Stein Agency $79.10; Printing & Advertising-South Shore Gazette $86.79, Watertown Public Opinion $147.02, Henry Independent $88.96; Board of Health-H. Russel Brown, M.D. $194.00; Board of Insanity-H. T. Kenney, M.D. $30.00; Election Expense-M. M. Barkley Truck Line $29.25, Andrew Anderson $2.70, Nels Bale $2.25, Art Bolhouse $2.25, Melvin Faehn $2.70, James C. Mooney $1.80, Wm. Ruesink $2.25, Marshall-Wells Store $21.21; Vet Service-Betty Englund $10.29; Bailiff Fees-Carl Deal $4.00; Court Office Expense-Midwest - Beach Co. $9.50; Auditor's Office Expense-Duffners Drug Store $1.45, Ruhe Stationery Co. $20.60, Brown & Saenger $17.58; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.25, Brown & Saenger $3.25, Remington Rand, Inc. $135.14; Assessors Supplies-Brown & Saenger $81.93; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $58.43; Treasurers Office Expense-LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $595.42, Chi. & N. W. Ry. Co. $6.75; States Attorneys Office Expense-LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $1.50; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Educator Supply Co. $5.00, Muriel Ann Fisher $35.28; Sheriff's Office Expense-Burghardt Radio Supply, Inc. $.67, Hazel Schliesmann $40.00, W. S. Darley & Co. $11.53, Dick's Radio Service $31.65; Memorial Park-Iverson Electric Service $38.66, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $3.90, Northwest Products Co. $18.38, L. O. H. Co. $106.79, Uptown Mobile Service $12.10, Montgomery Ward & Co. $31.64, Botsford Lumber Co. $106.91, Northwestern Public Service $41.31; TEXTBOOK-Educator Supply Co. $719.00, Hub City School Supply Co. $15.42, Laidlow Bros. Inc. $230.64, Lyons & Carnahan $423.24, McCormick-Mathers Publishing Co. $412.18, The A. N. Palmer Co. $93.00, Scott, Foresman & Co. $28.51, Silver Burdett Co. $86.25, Wilson Storage & Transfer Co. $5.08, Allyn & Bacon, Inc. $254.47, American Book Co. $116.62; INSTITUTE-J. Howard Kramer $25.00, First Methodist Church $25.00; CH&BR-Berton Fedt $96.02, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $222.36, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $5.80, Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $63.00, Nick Martin $166.25, South Dakota Concrete Products Co. $4522.40, South Dakota State Highway Commission $35.15, Richard Stoltenburg $42.60; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Lake)-Berton Fedt $9.50, Myrtle S. Weber $160.50; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Eden)-Theo. L. Benson $1.00, Thea Louise Hagen $1.00, Howard O. Ristvedt $1.00, Mrs. Ida White $1.00; ROAD-Loren B. Stein Agency $39.17, Dick's Radio Service $10.00, City Treasurer $5.13, All-States Steel Co. $332.21, Matt Brandriet $1.96, Cave Supply Co. $197.83, Dakota Welding Supply $8.45, Eugene Dietzgen Co. $39.42, Empire Equipment Co. $71.23, J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $33.90, Foster-Bell Co. $13.67, Frederick Post Co. $83.14, Florence Service $48.44, General Mills, Inc. $292.93, F. C. Grow Sons $30.00, Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $2.50, Kenneth Hayes Magneto & Electric Shop $4.95, R. E. Hubbard Co. $64.22, International Harvester Co. $55.46, Philip Jesme $35.00, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $13.15, Koch's 66 Service $15.15, Mahowald Co. $34.89, Marquardt's Service $458.62, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $13.52, Motor Supply Co. $21.55, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $12.78, Harold Scriver $2.48, Watertown Tire Co. $6.00; C.M.V.-Bichler Motor Co. $1585.00, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $964.26, Uptown Service $304.86, SPECIAL BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $26.04; WEED BOARD-General Mills, Inc. $7.00, Matt Brandriet $64.96, Paul David $5.82, Joseph J. Fox $5.68, Einar Jordeth $7.78, Robert Redlin $6.52;

The Register of Deeds statement of fees collected during June, 1954 in the amount of $554.15 was checked and approved; also, the monthly statement of Yankton State Hospital in the amount of $1752.33 for June, 1954.

Pursuant to a meeting with the Hamlin County Board of Commissioners as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of July 8, 1954, the Codington County Board reports that an agreement has been reached with the Hamlin County Board whereby Codington and Hamlin Counties will share equally in the cost of replacing a culvert on the Hamlin-Codington County line, said culvert to be located about 500' West of the NE Corner of Section 5-116-55-detailed written agreement on file in County Highway Office and Commissioners Office.

John H. Kersey, agent for the Panther Oil and Grease Mfg. Co., of Fort Worth, Texas, appeared before the Board to explain a cement repair material. No action was taken.

Francis Wall, a member of the Waverly Twp. Board of Supervisors appeared before the Board to request that the County replace a culvert on the township road located between Sections 11& 12-118-51. Action was deferred pending inspection and recommendations by the County Highway Supt.

The application of Jerry Eggen for a dance hall license for a one-night stand at Medicine Lake in Fuller Twp. on July 16, 1954 was approved by the Board on a motion by Jordeth and second by Belk.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Edward Conway, Marvin Czech, Wayne Borkhuis, Walter Puhlman, K. O. Markve, Roger Rausch, Ray Sturm, and Gerald Johnson, $4.00 each; Don Bursvold, $8.00; John Drake and George Kuhlman, $2.00 each; L. T. Brekke $30.00.

The official bond and oath of John Korte, City Assessor, in the amount of $1,000.00 was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Belk.

The report of Justice of the Peace, Joe Strom, for the quarter ending June 30, 1954 was checked and approved.

On motion by Fromke and second by Skinner the Board concurred with the City Council in approving the application of Anita Allen for abatement of 1953 school poll tax in Watertown in the amount of $1.00 for the reason that said Anita Allen was not 21 years old at the time of assessment.

The application of Mrs. Susie Fox, 616-2nd St., S. E., Watertown, for abatement of 1953 personal property taxes in the amount of $31.82 for the reason of an alleged error in the assessment of Item No. 22 was presented to the Board at this time after having been approved by the City Council. No action was taken pending further checking on the matter.

R E S O L U T I O N NO. 215

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $6,212.75 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the second quarter of 1954.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows, to-wit:

Sheridan, $310.64; Henry Township, $310.64; Richland, $310.64; Graceland, $310.64; Waverly, $396.92; Rauville, $440.06; Phipps, $310.64; Leola, $310.64; Germantown, $414.18; Dexter, $517.72; TOTAL $3,632.72

AND WHEREAS, the County Highway System has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following townships:

Kranzburg, $535.00; Pelican, $310.64; Kampeska, $310.64; Elmira, $310.64; Lake, $310.64; Fuller, $491.83; Eden, $310.64; TOTAL $2,580.03

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that, said fund apportioned as above set out be held by the County Auditor to pay for completing the County Highway System in the said townships, in the proportion as above provided and pursuant to law, and no part thereof shall be actually paid over to the said townships, provided however, that any amount of the respective allotments to their respective townships not paid over, shall remain unexpended after completing the roads of the County Highway System, shall revert to and be payable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Jordeth and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

DATED AT WATERTOWN, SOUTH DAKOTA, this 13th day of July 1954.

James L Keenan, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:
Carl F Bergan
Auditor, Codington County
South Dakota

R E S O L U T I O N NO. 215 A

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $2,218.85 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment for the second quarter of 1954.

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned among the respective municipalities as follows:

FLORENCE	$ 124.26
HENRY	$ 124.26
SOUTH SHORE	$ 124.26
WALLACE	$ 93.19
WATERTOWN	$ 1,752.88
	$ 2,218.85

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Fromke, seconded by Commissioner Belk and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

DATED AT WATERTOWN, SOUTH DAKOTA this 13th day of July, 1954.

James L Keenan
James L. Keenan, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:
Carl F. Bergan
Carl F. Bergan, Auditor

On motion, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. July 16, 1954
Carl F. Bergan
Co. auditor

Watertown, S. D.
July 14, 1954

The Board of Equalization convened in regular session at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

F. M. Brooks of Florence, appeared before the Board to appeal from action of the Florence Review Board the assessment on the residence structure located on property described as Lots 9, 10, 11 & 12, Block 1, Florence Village, assessed at $1,075.00. He asked a reduction of assessment to $700.00. The Board deferred action on foregoing appeal pending inspection of the property.

Dr. L. S. Spencer, Watertown, appeared before the Board as an absentee landlord to appeal the assessment on property in Graceland Twp. described as W½ of NW¼ Section 25-117-55. He requested a reduction from $900.00 to $425.00.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that Spencer's appeal be granted and assessment reduced to $425.00. Motion carried.

Charles Arnold of Henry Twp. appeared before the Board as an absentee landlord to appeal the assessment on property in Kampeska Twp. described as the NW¼ Section 30-116-54 (149.80 acres). He requested a reduction from the assessed value of $3,660.00 to $3,000.00.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Jordeth that the appeal of Chas. Arnold be granted and the assessment reduced from $3,660.00 to $3,000.00. Motion carried.

Charles Arnold also appealed assessments on property in Henry Twp., but, as no certification of appeal from the Henry Twp. Board had been filed with the County Board no action was taken.

Jesse Arnold of Henry Twp., appeared to appeal assessments in Henry Twp. As no appeal from the Henry Twp. Board had been certified to the County Board, no action was taken.

Bruce Florey of Henry, appeared before the Board as an absentee landlord to appeal the assessment on the N½ SW¼ Section 27-117-55, Graceland Twp., from $900.00 to $400.00.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that Florey's appeal be granted and assessment be reduced from $900.00 to $400.00. Motion carried.

The remainder of the day was spent in checking and equalizing real estate assessments among the taxing districts.

On Motion the Board adjourned at 5:00 P.M.

Carl F. Bryan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
July 15, 1954

The Board of Equalization convened in regular session at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Charles and Jesse Arnold, both of Henry Twp., having obtained certifications of appeal from the Henry Twp. Review Board, appeared at this time to appeal assessments on property located in Henry Twp. as follows:

Jesse Arnold - SE¼ Section 36-116-55, assessed at $3,450.00 - requested reduction to $3,200.00; also, structure on SE¼ Section 35-116-55, assessed at $1,200.00 - requested reduction to $900.00; also, SW¼ & NE¼ Section 35-116-55, assessed at $5,800.00 - requested reduction to $5,200.00.

Charles Arnold - Structures located on NW¼ Section 35-116-55, assessed at $1,000.00 - requested reduction to $800.00 ; also, E½ NE¼ Section 34-116-55, structures assessed at $800.00 - requested reduction to $700.00 - land assessed at $1,700.00 - requested reduction to $1,500.00; also, SE¼ Section 27-116-55, assessed at $3,250.00 - requested reduction to $2,700.00; also, S½ NW¼ & N½ SW¼ Section 36-116-55, assessed at $3,600.00 - requested reduction to $3,300.00.

The Board deferred action on foregoing appeals of Charles and Jesse Arnold pending inspection of property involved.

At 3;00 P.M. the Board recessed and left to inspect property in Henry and Lake Twps. appealed for adjustment of assessment as previously noted.

At 5:00 P.M. the Board returned and adjourned.

Carl F. Bryan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
July 16, 1954

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the letting of bids for construction of a box culvert and the grading of a portion of county road known as FAS Project No. S.575 (1), beginning at approximately 1368' N. of S.E. corner of Section 2-117-52 and extending south approximately 1900', Chairman Keenan requested the County Auditor to read the "Notice to Bidders" preliminary to opening the bids.

Five bids were submitted as follows:

1. Herried Construction Co., Summit, S. D., Total bid - $13,731.16
2. Lien Construction Co., Veblen, S. D., Total bid - $ 8,601.72
3. Nick Martin, Webster, S. D. (for grading only) Total bid3,916.72
4. Ernest A. Goodroad, Watertown, S. D. Total bid - $11,897.90
5. Dahl & Halloway Construction Co., Brookings, S. D.Total bid - $13,686.50

The Board interviewed agents present of firms submitting bids.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the bid of Lien Construction Co. of Veblen, S. D. be accepted, that the Chairman of the Board be authorized to sign a contract with said Lien Construction Co. and that certified checks of the unsuccessful bidders be returned. Motion carried.

C. S. Rasmusson, County Highway Supt. and Engineer, appeared before the Board to report on bridge and culvert inspections, and made recommendations as follows: Replace 24" by 22½' metal culvert located between the NE¼ Section 11-118-51 & NW¼ Section 12-118-51 with three 42" by 28' culverts and 6 flared ends for a cost delivered to site of $1,371.24; Replace Bridge No. 58 located between SW¼ Section 23-119-52, Res. & NE¼ Section 26-119-52, Res. with new pre-cast concrete bridge, 18' span - 24' roadway - 14' piling at an approximate cost of $5,400.00; also, three 60" by 28' metal culverts and 6 flared ends at an approximate cost of $3,000.00

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that replacements of bridge and culverts be made as recommended. Motion carried.

Mr. Rasmusson also reported on inspection of Bridge No. 34, located along the south section line of SW¼ Section 32-119-51 between Waverly and Leola Twps., and recommended widening of said Bridge #34 at an approximate cost of $1,866.40.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that Bridge #34 be widened as recommended. Motion carried.

On motion the Board of Commissioners adjourned and reconvened as a Board of Equalization.

Ole Dahl of Richland Twp., appeared before the Board with a certification of appeal from the Richland Twp. Board on property described as Lots 5 & 6 Less S20' of 6, Section 3-117-54 (49.10 acres) assessed at $930.00. He requested a reduction to $450.00. He also appealed the assessment on the E½ SW¼ & W½ SE¼ Section 3-117-54 (152.90 acres) assessed at $2,300.00. He requested a reduction from $2,300.00 to $1,500.00. The Board deferred action pending inspection of property.

At 1:30 P.M. the Board recessed to go out and inspect property appealed for adjustment of assessment in Richland Twp. and Florence Village.

The Board returned at 4:30 P.M.

At this time Alan Austin appeared before the Board representing A. E. Cave, Watertown; First Citizens National Bank of Watertown as Trustee of the H.F.W. Schaller Trust Estate; Owners of Lincoln Hotel, Watertown; and Watertown Abattoir Co., Pelican Twp. Mr. Austin presented appeals and requested reductions in assessments as follows:

1. A. E. Cave - Lot 4, Block 9, Original Plat Addition to Watertown - Lot from $6,160.00 to $5,000.00; Structure on said Lot from $8,790.00 to $7,000.00
2. H.F.W. Schaller Trust Estate - Lot 5 & N½ of Lot 6, Block 9, Original Plat Addition, Lots from $9,240.00 to $8,000.00; Structure from $25,900.00 to $22,000.00.
3. Lincoln Hotel, located on Lots 10, 11, 12, 13 & 14, Block 3, Original Plat Addition, Structure from $110,000.00 to $100,000.00; No appeal on Lots.
4. Watertown Abattoir, Inc., located on Part of Lot 9, Section 1-116-53, Pelican Twp.; appealed assessment on structure from $30,000.00 to $25,500.00. Moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that a compromise adjustment be made and assessment reduced $30,000-$27,500. Carried. Moved by Fromke and seconded by Jordeth that the Lincoln Hotel appeal be granted and the assessment on the structure be reduced from $110,000.00 to $100,000.00. Motion carried.

The Board deferred action on the Cave and Schaller appeals pending inspection of properties involved.

Mrs. Charles Tesch and Lorraine Tesch appeared before the Board to check on the assessment and subsequent Kranzburg Twp. Review Board action on property owned by Mrs. Emma Tesch of Watertown, said property described as SW¼ Section 26-116-51, (159.50 acres) in Kranzburg Twp.

The County Board pointed out that the Kranzburg Review Board had reduced the assessment on above described property from $3,400.00 to $3,100.00. No further reduction was requested.

At 5:30 P.M. the Board adjourned.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
July 19, 1954

The County Board of Equalization convened in regular session at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Fromke, Jordeth, and Belk present, Skinner absent, Keenan presiding.

Pursuant to inspection by the Board of property of A. E. Cave and the H.F.W. Schaller Trust Estate, appealed to the County Board of Equalization by Alan Austin as noted in Equalization Proceedings of July 16, 1954, it was moved by Fromke and seconded by Jordeth that the County Board concur with the Watertown Review Board in denying said appeals and that assessments remain as fixed by the Watertown Review Board. Motion carried.

At 1:00 P.M. Commissioner Skinner appeared and took his place on the Board.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the Board of Equalization adjourn and reconvene as Board of Commissioners. Motion carried.

Lloyd Peterson appeared before the Board with the application of Blair Tessier for partial release of County liens of Albert M. Tessier, Alta Heath Tessier, Claude and Lydia Tessier, Darwin Tessier and Dorothy Tessier as said liens affect property described as Lot 7, Block 2, Lake View Addition to Watertown.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that a partial release to above described property be granted as requested for a payment of $104.74. Motion carried.

Circuit Judge R. F. Manson, appeared before the Board to request permission to purchase a typewriter for his office at a cost of $117.90.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that Judge Manson be authorized to purchase the typewriter as requested.

The Board of Commissioners adjourned and reconvened as a Board of Equalization.

Elmer Gutgesell, Chairman of the Phipps Twp. Board of Supervisors, Louis Bursvold and Glenn Campbell, Phipps Twp. residents, appeared before the Board to protest the increase of 10% made by the County Board on the Phipps Twp. Agricultural land as turned in by the Phipps Twp. Assessor and equalized by the Phipps Twp. Review Board at an average of $14.58 per acre. The 10% increase by the County Board increased the average per acre to $16.04.

Elmer Gutgesell spoke for the group and requested that the County Board reconsider their action and leave the assessment as fixed by the Phipps Twp. Review Board. The County Board, after some discussion and explanation for its action, refused to reconsider, whereupon Mr. Gutgesell stated that Phipps Twp. would appeal the action of the Co. Board to the State Board of Equalization and asked that intention of appeal be entered into the record.

Pursuant to inspection by the County Board of property located in Florence Village, Lake Twp. and Richland Twp. as appealed by F. M. Brooks, James Nelson and Ole Dahl, respectively, the Board acted as follows:

Moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that a compromise adjustment be made on the appeal of F. M. Brooks, and the assessment on his residence structure located on Lots 9, 10, 11 and 12 Block 1, Florence Village be reduced from $1075.00 to $975.00. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the appeal of James Nelson be granted and the assessment on his unfinished residence structure located on Lot 11, Pebble Beach Addition to Lake Twp., be reduced from $800.00 to $500.00. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the appeal of Ole Dahl be granted and assessments reduced as follows: Lots 5 & 6, Less S20' of 6, Section 3, 117-54, (49.10 acres) reduced from $930.00 to $450.00; also, E½ SW¼ & W½ SE¼ Section 3-117-54 (152.9 acres) reduced from $2,300.00 to $1,500.00. Motion carried.

At 5:30 P.M. the Board adjourned.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
July 20, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $70.50; Oscar J. Fromke, $50.00; Einar Jordeth $57.98; James L. Keenan $58.75; Herb Skinner $58.96; Bailiff Fees-Carl Deal $4.00;

Mr. & Mrs. Albert Dummer appeared before the Board to request a partial release of County aid liens of Alice Dummer.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that for a payment of $5.00 a partial release of County liens of Alice Dummer in the amount of $636.75 be granted in-so-far as said liens affect property described as W44' of Lots 7 & 8, Block 4, Hoppers Fairview Addition to Watertown. Motion carried.

The application of Jerry Eggen for a dance hall license for one night, July 23, 1954, at the Medicine Lake Resort Dance Hall in Fuller Twp. was approved by the Board on motion by Jordeth and second by Belk.

Petition #17 requesting addition to, & deletion from, the County Highway System of the following described roads, to wit: "Beginning at the NE corner of Section 5-116-53,thence south 1 mile to the SE corner of Section 5-116-53, thence west 1 mile to the SW corner of Section 5-116-53; and to abandon the following road; "approximately 1 mile, beginning at the SW corner of Section 5-116-53, thence north 1 mile to the NW corner of Section 5-116-53," was presented to the Board at this time.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the County Auditor be instructed to cause notice of hearing to be published in the official county newspapers and fixed the date of hearing on foregoing petition #17 at 10:00 A.M. August 24, 1954. Motion carried.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the Board of Commissioners adjourn and reconvene as a Board of Equalization. Motion carried.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the Board of Commissioners adjourn and reconvene as a Board of Equalization. Motion carried.

Tom J. Bergan of Florence, appeared before the Board to appeal the assessment on a business structure located on Lots 15 & 16, Block 8, Florence Village. He requested a reduction from $1550.00 to $1,000.00.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that a compromise adjustment be made and the assessment reduced from $1550.00 to $1,200.00. Motion carried.

Pursuant to inspection by the County Board of property in Henry Twp. appealed by Charles Arnold and Jesse Arnold, as noted in Equalization Proceedings of July 15, 1954, it was moved by Skinner and seconded by Belk that the appeal of Jesse Arnold be denied, and a compromise adjustment be made on one piece of property described as SE¼ Section 27-116-55, appealed by Charles Arnold, and assessment on said property be reduced from $3,250.00 to $3,000.00; assessments on all other properties appealed by Charles Arnold to remain as fixed by the Henry Twp. Review Board. Motion carried.

Mrs. Marie Larson, Bryant, S. D., having appealed by letter the assessment of her real estate described as Lot 12, Block 85, Fourth Railway Addition to Watertown, from $635.00 to $450.00, the Board recessed briefly to check on said property.

Pursuant to inspection of above described property, appealed by Mrs. Marie Larson, it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Skinner that said appeal be granted and the assessment be reduced from $635.00 to $435.00. Motion carried.

Locker plant assessments were checked at this time. It was noted that an assessment of $1200.00 had been listed to K.D. Inc., of Watertown for 200 locker units in Henry Village. Commissioner Belk informed the Board that there were no longer any lockers in Henry Village, that the plant was already assessed as real estate and the unit locker assessment should be cancelled. After checking with K.D. Inc. confirming Commissioner Belk's statement, the Board authorized cancellation of the locker assessment.

The locker unit assessment of $6.00 per unit on 200 units in Florence Village was reduced 50% by the Board.

Evaluation of assessment rolls as delivered to the County Auditor having been completed, it was moved by Fromke and seconded by Jordeth and carried that the following changes be made, to wit:

REAL ESTATE

A - AGRICULTURE LAND OUTSIDE OF CORP. LIMITS

Pelican	Lowered	13%
Phipps	Raised	10%
Leola	Raised	10%
Dexter	Raised	10%

A # 1 - STRUCTURES ON AGRICULTURE LANDS OUTSIDE CORP. LIMITS

Pelican	Lowered	10%

B - Agriculture Lands Inside Corp. Limits

Florence Village	Raised	8%
Henry Village	Raised	5%

B # 1 - RESIDENCE STRUCTURES ON AGRICULTURE LANDS INSIDE CORP. LIMITS

Watertown City	Raised	20%

D - CITY AND TOWN LOTS

Lake	Lowered	12%
Richland	Lowered	8%

D # 1 - RESIDENCE STRUCTURES ON CITY AND TOWN LOTS

Richland	Raised	20%
Florence Village	Raised	15%
South Shore Village	Raised	10%
Wallace Village	Lowered	10%
Watertown City	Raised	20%

D # 2 - BUSINESS STRUCTURES ON CITY AND TOWN LOTS

Wallace Village	Lowered	10%
Watertown City	Raised	20%

A - STATE PUBLIC SHOOTING AREAS (ACREAGE)

Pelican	Raised	2%
Lake	Raised	135%
Richland	Raised	2%
Fuller	Raised	116%
Phipps	Raised	102%

PERSONAL PROPERTY

ITEM #1 - HORSES & MULES, STALLIONS, JACKS, RIDING HORSES, ETC.

Eden	Raised	100%

ITEM #2 - COWS ALL AGES

Kranzburg	Raised	20%
Sheridan	Raised	10%
Kampeska	Raised	20%
Henry Twp.	Raised	20%
Elmira	Raised	19%
Lake	Raised	22%
Richland	Raised	20%
Graceland	Raised	20%
Waverly	Raised	20%
Rauville	Raised	20%
Fuller	Raised	14%
Phipps	Raised	20%
Leola	Raised	20%
Germantown	Raised	17%
Dexter	Raised	20%
Eden	Raised	20%
Florence Village	Lowered	20%
Henry Village	Raised	40%
South Shore Village	Raised	20%
Watertown City	Raised	47%

ITEM #3 - CATTLE 6 MOS. TO 1½ YRS. OLD

Kranzburg	Raised	15%
Sheridan	Raised	13%
Kampeska	Raised	14%
Henry Twp.	Raised	14%
Elmira	Raised	14%
Lake	Raised	18%
Richland	Raised	13%
Graceland	Raised	14%
Waverly	Raised	15%
Rauville	Raised	14%
Fuller	Raised	14%
Phipps	Raised	13%
Leola	Raised	14%
Germantown	Raised	13%
Dexter	Raised	33%
Eden	Raised	14%
Henry Village	Raised	18%
South Shore Village	Raised	25%
Watertown City	Raised	103%

ITEM #4 - CATTLE 6 MOS. TO 1½ YRS. IN FEED LOTS

Sheridan	Raised	11%
Henry Twp.	Raised	11%
Lake	Lowered	4%
Waverly	Raised	25%
Rauville	Raised	12%
Fuller	Raised	17%
Dexter	Raised	67%
Henry Village	Raised	43%
Watertown City	Raised	150%

ITEM #5 - CATTLE 1½ TO 2½ YRS. OLD

Kranzburg	Raised	22%
Sheridan	Raised	23%
Pelican	Raised	12%
Kampeska	Raised	23%
Henry Twp.	Raised	22%
Elmira	Raised	22%
Lake	Raised	22%
Richland	Raised	21%
Graceland	Raised	22%
Waverly	Raised	22%
Rauville	Raised	22%
Fuller	Raised	23%
Phipps	Raised	23%
Leola	Raised	24%

Germantown	Raised	21%
Dexter	Raised	34%
Eden	Raised	22%
Florence Village	Lowered	24%
South Shore Village	Raised	22%
Watertown City	Raised	24%

ITEM #6 - CATTLE 1½ YRS. IN FEED LOTS

Lake	Raised	7%
Richland	Raised	87%
Fuller	Raised	25%
Dexter	Raised	87%

ITEM #6½ - CATTLE 2½ YRS. OLD AND OVER INCLUDING CATTLE IN FEED LOTS

Henry Twp.	Raised	67%
Richland	Raised	87%
Rauville	Lowered	25%

ITEM #7 - BULLS

Kranzburg	Raised	11%
Pelican	Lowered	2%
Kampeska	Raised	22%
Henry Twp.	Raised	34%
Elmira	Raised	2%
Lake	Raised	28%
Richland	Raised	39%
Graceland	Raised	40%
Waverly	Raised	10%
Rauville	Lowered	2%
Fuller	Raised	44%
Phipps	Raised	11%
Leola	Raised	25%
Germantown	Raised	69%
Dexter	Raised	11%
Eden	Raised	36%
Florence Village	Raised	83%
Henry Village	Raised	47%
South Shore Village	Raised	22%
Watertown City	Lowered	12%

ITEM #8 - SHEEP ALL AGES

Watertown City	Lowered	20%

ITEM #9 - HOGS ALL AGES

Phipps	Lowered	10%
Leola	Raised	50%
Watertown City	Lowered	25%

ITEM # 10 - TRACTORS SMALL TYPE

Kranzburg	Lowered	2%
Sheridan	Raised	30%
Pelican	Lowered	18%
Kampeska	Raised	80%
Henry Twp.	Raised	105%
Elmira	Raised	34%
Lake	Raised	25%
Richland	Raised	49%
Graceland	Raised	15%
Waverly	Lowered	17%
Rauville	Lowered	15%
Fuller	Raised	51%
Phipps	Lowered	25%
Leola	Raised	73%
Germantown	Raised	6%
Dexter	Raised	36%
Eden	Raised	7%
Florence Village	Raised	12%
Henry Village	Raised	271%
South Shore Village	Raised	246%
Wallace Village	Raised	12%
Watertown City	Raised	313%

ITEM #11 - TRACTORS LARGE TYPE

Kranzburg	Lowered	16%
Sheridan	Lowered	22%
Kampeska	Lowered	12%
Henry Twp.	Raised	19%
Elmira	Lowered	5%
Lake	Raised	85%
Richland	Lowered	11%
Rauville	Lowered	43%
Fuller	Lowered	24%
Phipps	Lowered	54%
Leola	Lowered	20%
Germantown	Lowered	5%
Dexter	Lowered	27%

Eden	Lowered	49%
Henry Village	Lowered	40%
South Shore Village	Raised	20%
Watertown City	Raised	458%

ITEM #12 - COMBINES PULL TYPE

Lake	Raised	20%
Graceland	Raised	50%
Fuller	Raised	41%
Dexter	Raised	18%
Henry Village	Raised	112%

ITEM #13 - COMBINES LARGE TYPE

Henry Twp.	Raised	100%
Dexter	Raised	25%

ITEM #13½ - TELEVISION

Kranzburg	Raised	20%
Sheridan	Raised	12%
Pelican	Raised	11%
Kampeska	Raised	650%
Henry Twp.	Raised	76%
Elmira	Raised	80%
Lake	Raised	58%
Richland	Raised	39%
Graceland	Raised	200%
Waverly	Raised	62%
Rauville	Raised	105%
Phipps	Raised	20%
Dexter	Raised	9%
Florence Village	Raised	67%
Henry Village	Raised	6%
South Shore Village	Raised	67%
Wallace Village	Raised	50%
Watertown City	Raised	48%

ITEM #14½ - ELECTRIC OR MECHANICAL REFRIGERATORS RESIDENCE

Kranzburg	Raised	24%
Sheridan	Lowered	4%
Pelican	Lowered	20%
Kampeska	Raised	24%
Henry Twp.	Raised	39%
Elmira	Raised	28%
Lake	Raised	60%
Richland	Raised	28%
Graceland	Raised	16%
Waverly	Lowered	8%
Rauville	Raised	19%
Fuller	Raised	11%
Phipps	Lowered	8%
Leola	Raised	36%
Germantown	Raised	20%
Dexter	Raised	10%
Eden	Raised	2%
Florence Village	Raised	1%
Henry Village	Raised	71%
South Shore Village	Raised	40%
Wallace Village	Raised	40%
Watertown City	Raised	85%

ITEM #15 - ELECTRIC OR MECHANICAL REFRIGERATORS BUSINESS

Watertown City	Raised	20%

ITEM #16 - RADIO SETS

Kranzburg	Raised	179%
Sheridan	Raised	152%
Pelican	Raised	35%
Kampeska	Raised	99%
Henry Twp.	Raised	150%
Elmira	Raised	104%
Lake	Raised	55%
Richland	Raised	138%
Graceland	Raised	150%
Waverly	Raised	25%
Rauville	Raised	52%
Fuller	Raised	82%
Phipps	Raised	61%
Leola	Raised	116%
Germantown	Raised	99%
Dexter	Raised	53%
Eden	Raised	150%
Florence Village	Lowered	4%
Henry Village	Raised	155%
South Shore Village	Raised	93%
Wallace Village	Raised	108%
Watertown City	Raised	94%

ITEM #18 - POULTRY NO. OF DOZEN

Lake	Lowered	14%
Richland	Lowered	4%
Fuller	Lowered	5%
South Shore Village	Lowered	17%
Watertown City	Lowered	46%

ITEM #20 - AGR. IMPS. TOOLS & MACH.HARNESS, SADDLES, ROBES, WAGONS, SPREADERS

Kranzburg	Raised	19%
Sheridan	Lowered	25%
Pelican	Lowered	26%
Kampeska	Raised	61%
Henry Twp.	Raised	5%
Elmira	Raised	17%
Lake	Raised	18%
Richland	Raised	7%
Graceland	Raised	30%
Waverly	Raised	13%
Rauville	Lowered	19%
Fuller	Raised	12%
Phipps	Lowered	15%
Leola	Raised	46%
Germantown	Raised	4%
Dexter	Raised	21%
Eden	Lowered	2%
Florence Village	Lowered	15%

ITEM #22 - HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, RUGS, PROV. ETC.

Kranzburg	Raised	21%
Sheridan	Lowered	24%
Pelican	Lowered	24%
Kampeska	Raised	32%
Henry Twp.	Raised	15%
Elmira	Lowered	4%
Lake	Raised	22%
Richland	Raised	11%
Graceland	Lowered	10%
Waverly	Lowered	3%
Rauville	Raised	28%
Fuller	Lowered	3%
Phipps	Lowered	29%
Leola	Raised	22%
Germantown	Lowered	2%
Dexter	Raised	7%
Eden	Lowered	18%
Florence Village	Lowered	9%
Henry Village	Raised	17%
Wallace Village	Raised	15%
Watertown City	Raised	100%

ITEM #23 - FURN.& FIXTURES OF MERCHANTS, HOTELS, SOFT DRINK PARLORS, RESTAURANTS AND IN OFFICES AND LIBRARIES.

Watertown City	Raised	40%

ITEM #24 - MAT.&MFRS. ITEMS TOOLS AND MACH. OF MFRS. NOT A PART OF REAL ESTATE

Watertown City	Raised	25%

ITEM #25 - ELEVATORS, WAREHOUSES, LBR.& COAL SHEDS ON LEASED SITES

Watertown City	Raised	30%

ITEM #26 - GOODS & MERCHANDISE

Watertown City	Raised	60%

ITEM #29 - ALL OTHER IMPROVEMENTS ON U.S. OR LEASED LANDS EXCEPT ITEMS 25 AND 26

Lake	Raised	15%
Watertown City	Raised	50%

Having completed the work of equalization, and this being the end of the Equalization period as fixed by law, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the County Board of Equalization for 1954 be adjourned. Motion carried.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

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Watertown, S. D.
July 23, 1954

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Belk, Fromke and Jordeth present, Skinner absent, Keenan presiding.

10:00 A.M. of this date having been fixed by the Board as the time for hearing on Petition #12 requesting addition to the County Highway System of section line highway described as "that part of Old Highway #20 between Sections 29, 32 (Dexter Twp.) and Section 5 (Fuller Twp.) on the one side and Sections 28, 33 (Dexter Twp.) and Section 4 (Fuller Twp.) on the other side, all in Townships 118 & 119, Codington County, approximately 2½ miles," and, whereas no one appeared to oppose the granting of the prayer of said petition, Chairman Keenan appointed the entire Board to act as a committee of inspection on road petitioned and set 2:00 P.M. of this date for said inspection.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: David Engstrom, Gerald Brage, Oscar Thompson, Louis Landuyt, Leon Mack, Herman Gronewold, Mrs. J. E. Henning and Melvin Hanthorn $4.00 each; Mrs. John Rowe, $10.00; William E. Eck $12.00; Randall Mischke, Claud Schacht and Emery Elmore, $8.00 each.
At 1:00 P.M. Commissioner Belk left with the County Highway Superintendent to check on road and bank sloping easements for the Goose Lake Road in Kampeska Twp.

At 2:00 P.M. Commissioner Skinner appeared and took his place on the Board, after which the Board made the road inspection pursuant to plan as above noted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE Petition No. 12

Pursuant to inspection of highways proposed for addition to the County Highway System as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of this date, July 23, 1954, comes now the committee appointed by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota to examine the proposed location of the highways herein-after more particularly described and submit to the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County the Following report:

Said Committee, consisting of the entire Board, met at the time and place designated and proceeded to examine said highway more particularly described as follows:

That part of Old Highway "20" between Sections 29, 32, (Dexter Township) and 5 (Fuller Township) on the one side and Sections 28, 33 (Dexter Township) and Section 4 (Fuller Township) on the other side, all in Townships 118 & 119 North of Range 54 West of the 5th P.M., Codington County, South Dakota, approximately 2½ miles.

That after having completed its examination of said highway proposed to be located and added to the County System of Codington County, South Dakota, it is the opinion of all members of said committee that the prayer of the petitioners be granted, and said Committee does therefore recommend to the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that said proposed, highway above described be located and added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, pursuant to the prayer of said petitioners or free holders who petitioned for the location of said highway and to have same added to the said County Highway System.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 23rd day of July, 1954.

Herb Skinner
Member of Committee

Vernon N Belk
Member of Committee

Emil Jordeth
Member of Committee

Oscar J Thomas
Member of Committee

James L Keenan
Member of Committee

R E S O L U T I O N No. 216 (Petition No. 12)

WHEREAS, a petition has been filed asking the Board of County Commissioners to recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that the following described highway in Codington County, South Dakota, be added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, to-wit:

That part of Old Highway "20" between Sections 29, 32, (Dexter Township) and 5 (Fuller Township) on the one side and Sections 28, 33 (Dexter Township) and Section 4 (Fuller Township) on the other side, all in Township 118 and 119 North of Range 54 West of the 5th P. M., Codington County, South Dakota, approximately 2½ miles.

AND WHEREAS, it appears to the Board of County Commissioners that the same should be added to the County Highway System.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County,

South Dakota, that Codington County does here-by recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that there be added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, the highway above described.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Auditor be and he is hereby instructed to forward to the Secretary of the Highway Commission of South Dakota copy of this resolution with the request that action hereon be taken by the State Highway Commission.

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Jordeth and seconded by Commissioner Skinner, and upon being put to vote all Commissioners voted aye and none nay, where-upon the Chairman declared said Resolution to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 23rd day of July, 1954.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

At 5:00 P.M. the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. July 27, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
July 27, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Belk and Skinner present, Jordeth and Fromke absent; Keenan presiding.

Jordeth appeared and took his place on the Board at 10:30 A.M. At 10:40 A.M. Fromke appeared and took his place on the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00; Dorothy E. Below $210.00; Irma Welch $190.00; Pearl Bergan $180.00; Alice Olson $160.00; Kay Turbak $150.00; County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00; Alma Gerberding $210.00; DeLoria A. Goodroad $185.00; Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68; Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68; Harriett Horning $205.00; Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00; Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $283.75; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Beverly DeVille $125.00; Co. Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; M. Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Katherine Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Cecelia M. Beirne $111.95; Veteran's Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $175.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $100.00; Pearl Klemsrud $50.00; Memorial Park-Bessie Hoftiezer $100.00; Arnold Hoftiezer $100.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-J. P. Haug $237.30; Joe Stricherz $103.91; Claude VanSickle $273.00; C. B. Sumner $268.80; Harold Scriver $223.65; Carl Zweig, Jr. $50.46; Ed Gould $6.10; Alfred Spring $46.75; Howard Williams $62.92; Fred Brownell $1.90; John Strait $1.90; Clarence Helle $90.06; Curtis Underwood $5.17; Julius Lentz $9.50; Chas. Krogman $9.50; Chris Engels $37.34; Allen Junso $84.81; Rudolph Lange $67.55; Robert C. Ward $86.90; Robert L. Howey $1.90; Elmer Woolven $4.75; C. S. Rasmusson $525.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $190.00; Sever Tobiason $200.00; Bert Smith $74.00; Court Office Expense-Midwest-Beach Co. $6.27; Court Expense-Midwest-Beach Co. $3.23; Tax Deed Expense-Hazel Schliesmann $85.00; C.H.& B.R.-J. P. Haug $3.15; Joe Stricherz $149.10; Carl Zweig, Jr. $108.15; James Hendren $239.30; Ed Gould $143.78; Alfred Spring $138.00 Howard Williams $160.60; E. Spearbeck $181.16; Fred Brownell $159.49; Leo Clausen $194.75; John Strait $194.75; Clarence Helle $117.80; Curtis Underwood $131.10; Julius Lentz $116.38; Chas. Krogman $116.38; Chris Engels $95.95; Allen Junso $113.05; Rudolph Lange $66.50; Stephen Olsen $193.30; Robert C. Ward $94.05; Robert L. Howey $140.14; Elmer Woolven $142.50; Loomis Bros. $2,115.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Carl Zweig, Jr. $15.75; Ed Gould $80.50; Curtis Underwood $47.50; Julius Lentz $66.50; Chas. Krogman $66.50; Chris Engels $57.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Lake)-Carl Zweig, Jr. $31.50; James Hendren $26.25; Ed Gould $17.25; Alfred Spring $37.95; Howard Williams $17.60; E. Spearbeck $4.75; Fred Brownell $17.10; Leo Clausen $19.00; John Strait $18.05; Curtis Underwood $14.25; Julius Lentz $14.25; Chas. Krogman $14.25; Chris Engels $14.25; Robert L. Howey $16.15; Elmer Woolven $9.50; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Elmira)-Carl Zweig, Jr. $31.50; James Hendren $26.25; Ed Gould $17.25; Alfred Spring $37.95; Howard Williams $17.60; E. Spearbeck $4.75; Fred Brownell $18.05; Leo Clausen $19.00; John Strait $18.05; Curtis Underwood $14.25; Julius Lentz $14.25; Chas. Krogman $14.25; Chris Engels $14.25; Stephen Olsen $6.65; Robert C. Ward $9.50; Robert L. Howey $16.15; Elmer Woolven $9.50; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $54.10; Oscar J. Fromke $89.00; Einar Jordeth $53.26; James L. Keenan $40.60; Herb Skinner $56.20;

The matter of publishing names of those making payments on county liens was discussed.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Fromke that payments on County aid liens be published each month in the Commissioners Proceedings, next months publication to list payments retroactive to January 1, 1954. Motion carried.

The following is a list of County lien payments made from January 1, 1954 to July 1, 1954:

Sarah & Hugh Davis $25.00; John Miller $500.49; Mrs. Wayne Krueger $16.00; Tracy Sherer $40.00; Mr. & Mrs. Theodore Treat $81.00; Mabel Limberg $45.30; Fannie Baker $55.00; Earl McMichael $100.00; Mrs. Roger Thompson $115.00; DeOrville Purintun $60.00; Galen A. West $338.00; L. E. Rowe $128.86; George Rowe $192.33; Henry Jamison $400.00; Henry & Lola Nelson $340.48; Beatrice Lovick $227.00; Luke Henry Hopkins $50.00; Irwin Eisenbise $10.00; Alfred Lauen $17.00;

Mrs. Annette Burgdorf appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to the care of county indigent. No action was taken.

The County Auditor reported the sale of tax deed property described as "E50' of N110.5' of Out Lot 32, Section 5-116-55, Henry Village" to Thelma M. Leighty, Henry, S. D. for $10.00.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that Chairman Keenan be authorized to sign, and the County Auditor attest, a quit claim deed to above described property from Codington County to said Thelma M. Leighty for $10.00. Motion carried.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the application of Jerry Eggen for a dance hall license for one night, July 30, 1954, at the Medicine Lake Resort, Fuller Twp., be approved. Motion carried.

On a motion by Belk and second by Skinner, the Board approved the application of Gunder Bjerke for abatement of 1953 personal property taxes in the amount of $20.11 spread against 73 sheep assessed in Kranzburg Twp. for the reason that the same sheep had also been assessed in Clark County in 1953.

The Board recessed at 2:30 P.M. to go out to check on the well at Memorial Park. They returned at 4:15 P.M.

C. S. Rasmusson, County Highway Supt., appeared before the Board to discuss road matters.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that Codington County advertize for bids for stock piling 3/4" surfacing gravel to state standard specifications, stock piles to be located at three different pits as shown on plans available in the County Auditor's Office, 20,000 tons in each of two pits and 40,000 tons in the other. Motion carried.

Ellsworth Spearbeck appeared before the Board on the matter of County aid liens and tax deed property.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that tax deed property described as Lot 10, Block 3, Davis Addition, be withheld from tax sale. Motion carried.

The Board discussed matters relating to the provisional budget for 1955 until 7:00 P.M. at which time the meeting was adjourned to 10:00 A.M. August 3, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
July 30, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened at 10:00 A.M. in special session, called by Chairman Keenan for the purpose of considering road problems. All members were present, Keenan presiding.

C. S. Rasmusson, County Highway Superintendent, appeared before the Board with information regarding the road from Highway No. 20, south to Wallace.

On motion by Jordeth and second by Belk the County Board approved a proposal, by G. H. Lindekugal & Sons, Inc., of Mitchell, S. D., to assist the Codington County Highway Department to improve the base course on the county road from State Highway No. 20 south .7 mile to a point south of approach roads into Wallace Village.

The claim of the Dundee Store in the amount of $49.00 for a fan for the Commissioners Office was presented. It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that said claim be allowed. Motion carried.

Applications of Earl Clifford King for compromise settlement and partial release of county liens were presented to the Board.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Jordeth that liens of Earl Clifford King in the amount of $46.25 be released in full for a payment of $25.00, and a partial release of liens of Earl King in the amount of $149.50 be granted to Earl Clifford King in-so-far as said liens affect property described as Lot 12, Block 44, Second Railway Addition to Watertown, for a payment of $5.00. Motion carried.

The Board recessed at 2:00 P.M. to go out to check on right-of-way agreements on county roads.

The Board returned at 4:00 P.M. and adjourned.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
August 3, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Fromke, Skinner and Jordeth present, Belk absent; Keenan presiding.

Minutes of July 6, 7, 8, 9, 12, 14, 15, 16, 19, 20, 23, 27 and 30, 1954 were approved by the Board.

On motion by Jordeth and second by Skinner verified claims were approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense, Hazel Hegarty $120.00.

Commissioner Belk appeared and took his place on the Board at 10:45 A.M.

L. L. Blake appeared before the Board to discuss welfare matters.

Pursuant to a report by the County Auditor of the budget balances in the 1954 Annual Budget as of July 1, 1954, it was apparent that a supplemental budget would be necessary to meet the cost of County government during the current fiscal year.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that a notice of hearing on a proposed Supplemental Budget for 1954 be advertized in the official newspapers of Codington County August 5, 1954, and that time of hearing be set for 10:00 A.M. August 17, 1954. Motion carried.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of Jerry Eggen for a dance hall license for one night, August 6, 1954, at the Medicine Lake Resort in Fuller Twp.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of Melvin Drake for abatement of 1953 personal property taxes in Lake Twp. in the amount of $7.21 for the reason that said Melvin Drake owned no personal property in Lake Twp., and the assessment was made in error.

C. S. Rasmusson, County Highway Superintendent, appeared before the Board on road matters.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that the Board authorize the G. H. Linde-Kugal & Sons, Inc., to furnish and apply 3,200 gallons Primer Liquid Asphalt at 14¢ per gallon on the County Road from State Highway No. 20, south .7 mile to a point south of the approach road to Wallace Village. Motion carried.

The official bond and oath of Frank Schmitt, Treasurer of Waverly Twp., was approved by the B oard on a motion by Fromke and second by Skinner.

The County Veterans Service Officer's Individual Contact Report for July, 1954 was noted by the Board.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. August 10, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
August 10, 1954

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Per Diem & Mileage, Vernon Belk $64.00; Oscar J. Fromke $51.62; Einar Jordeth $55.96; James L. Keenan $57.70; Herb Skinner $71.13; Fees-Cliff Englund $250.14; Mileage-Cliff Englund $636.85; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $107.20; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown, M.D. $196.00; Tax Collector-James Nelson $33.21; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Marlyn R. Heintz $31.75, Ruhe Stationery $2.80; County Judge Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $9.80, Dianne Brown $8.33; County Extension-Clara W. Johnson $24.77, Fred Morris $81.52, Ruhe Stationery $1.50; Court Expense-Ruhe Stationery $7.85, Ruhe Stationery $122.84; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $5.50, Beverly Mickelson $3.00, Remington Rand $143.95, Watertown Photo News $11.00; States Attorney's Mileage-$28.00, States Attorney's Office Expense-Ross H. Oviatt $6.06, Ruhe Stationery $.30; Treasurer's Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $7.00, Mitchell Publishing Co. $188.48, Burroughs Corporation $63.30; County Auditor's Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $.50, Burroughs Corporation $42.00, Monroe Calculating Maching Co., Inc. $21.00, La France Office Equipment Co. $1.40; Superintendent of Schools Office Expense-La France Office Equipment Co. $14.70, Carlson's $10.60, Mid-West Beach Co. $8.54, Court House Maintenance-Mid-West Beach Co. $5.77, Park-Grant Co. $4.20, Midland Laboratories $81.92, Watertown Lions Club $23.00, L. V. Harmel $7.10, Watertown War Surplus Store $7.80, Elvera Englund $10.52, Nelson Hardware $50.91, Pete P. Lindner $34.20, Dunlops Wallpaper & Paint $5.85, Otis Elevator Company $21.00, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $241.80, Uptown Service $4.82, City Treasurer $265.30, Watertown Tire Co. $.75; Insurance & Bonds-Western Surety Co. $37.50; Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent $225.06, South Shore Gazette $313.06, Watertown Public Opinion $399.21; Memorial Park-Northwestern Public Service Co. $54.84, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $1.56, Watertown Skelgas Service $5.30, Iverson Electric Service $9.85, Mahowald Co. $1.36, Park-Grant Co. $2.10, Court Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $9.00; County Farm-Uptown Service $4.23, City Treasurer $14.30, K. D. Inc. $15.75, Park-Grant Co. $22.74, Botsford Lumber Co. $2.58, Watertown Co-op Feed Ass'n $49.20, Loken's Watertown Sales Pavilion $160.00, Marshell Wells

Co. $9.53; Public Welfare Office Expense-Mid-West Beach Co. $8.34; INSTITUTE-Carlson's $20.63; TEXTBOOK-Mid-West Beach Co. $123.92, Houghton Mifflin Company $242.08, The John C. Winston Co. $62.29, Scott, Foresman & Company $1,435.82; TUITION-Waverly Independent Consolidated School $5,362.70, Webster Independent $331.27, South Shore High School, Independent $5,449.44; WEED BOARD-Paul David $5.82, Joseph J. Fox $5.68; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Ruhe Stationery $1.50, Mahowald Co. $28.31, Uptown Service $215.86, Watertown Tire Co. $5.75, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $398.50, Lyle Signs, Inc. $142.06, Keuffel & Esser Co. $17.38, LaNoue's Radiator Shop $18.50, Motor Supply Co. $1.87, Marquardts Service $14.26, Reiters Service $3.25, Watertown Machine Works $1.10, Standard Oil Co. $12.80, Panther Oil & Grease Mfg. Co. $23.50, Kock's 66 Service $50.19, International Harvester Co. $141.36, Koh-I-Noor Pencil Co. Inc. $4.05, Carlson's $2.60, Codington County Implement $6.94, Dick's Seat Cover Shop $30.00, J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $272.17, Empire Equipment Co. $489.84, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $22.82, Foster Bell Co. $209.18, K & Z Service Station $6.27, The Thomas Co. $107.50, Sioux Road Equipment Co. $64.53, Williams Hardware Co. $66.83, Florence Service $38.42, Arthur Schwandt $46.57, R. E. Hubbard Co. $212.29, Gooch Sales Co. $5.48, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $12.06, Cave Supply Co. $84.79, Kenneth Hayes Magneto & Elec. $3.05; CH&BR- Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $117.54, Mahowald Co. $15.56, Marshall Wells Co. $13.69, Watertown Cement Products $106.30, C. S. Rasmusson $635.08, Steve Winski $23.00, J. Sigelman Co. $6.00, Northwestern Road Supply Company $30.60, S. D. Highway Commission $2,881.07, H. V. Johnston Culvert Co. $195.55, Nick Martin $1,692.56, Watertown Sash & Door Co. $3.00, Paul Cordell $11.05, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $479.03, South Dakota Concrete Products Co. $1,304.38, Lyle Signs, Inc. $138.30; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $22.50, South Dakota Concrete Products Co. $4,720.46, Lyle Signs, Inc. $189.80; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Lake)-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $10.10, (Elmira)-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $10.10; ROAD-Northwestern Public Service Co. $5.99, City Treasurer $6.93, Railway Express Co. $3.16, Harold Scriver $2.00, Western Transportation $2.51; C.M.V.-Farmers & Merchants Bank Agency $13.76;

On motion by Jordeth and second by Belk the Board approved the application of Jerry Eggen for a dance hall license for one night, August 13, 1954, at the Medicine Lake Resort in Fuller Twp.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Mrs. Marvin Strohfus, H. A. Rear, Melvin Lantgen, Otto Clarksean, Mrs. Emil Tesch, F. J. Ritz, Ingvold Johnson, Mrs. H. A. Rear, John Klein and Gerald Meland, $4.00 each; Mrs. Allen Posner, Allen Griepp and Jean Taecker, $2.00 each; Clayton Barkley and Eldon Flury, $7.50 each; Anton Feyereisen and John Bergan $8.00 each.

Mrs. Susie Fox appeared before the Board regarding her application for abatement of 1953 personal property taxes in Watertown in the amount of $26.46.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that the Board concur with the Watertown City Council in approving foregoing application of Mrs. Susie Fox for the reason of an error on the assessor's listing sheet whereby Item 22 was assessed erroneously for $275.00 which assessment should properly have been only $150.00. Motion carried.

On motion by Skinner and second by Fromke the Board approved the application of Blair Tessier for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes plus penalties and interest in the amount of $95.74 for a payment of $83.98.

On motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth the Board approved the application of Erick Anderson for abatement of 1953 personal property taxes in Lake Twp. in the amount of $13.58 for the reason that said Erick Anderson had no personal property in Lake Twp. at any time.

Monthly statements of fees collected during July, 1954 were checked and approved as follows: Register of Deeds, $586.10; Clerk of Courts, $310.45.

Following monthly statements for July, 1954 were checked and approved: Redfield State Hospital and School, $610.48; Yankton State Hospital, $1,705.67; State Sanatorium at Sanator, S. D., $231.66.

The Auditor's Account with the County Treasurer as of August 1, 1954 was checked and approved as follows: Deposits in banks, $461,365.25; checks, drafts and cash in Treasurer's possession not exceeding 3 days, $5,308.33; Government Bonds, $112,000.00; C.D., $70,000.00; Total of all items, $648,673.58.

Cecil Gasper appeared before the Board regarding county liens. Moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that $40.00 be accepted as a compromise settlement in full for county liens of Cecil and Jay Gasper in the total amount of $125.70. Motion carried.

Resolution No. 7742, adopted by the State Highway Commission July 13, 1954, was presented to the Board for its records as follows:

Be it resolved by the S. D. State Highway Commission:

That, the designation and route of Highway No. 20 through the City of Watertown, from the present connection with 10th Ave., be changed to run straight south from the present junction of said Highway with west 10th Street to connect with U. S. Highway No. 212.

At the request of the Board Sheriff Cliff Englund appeared to discuss matters relating to routine checking of liquor establishments and traffic patrolling. He presented statistical reports of fines, fees and mileage collected as a result of routine checking and patrolling which was the information desired by the Board. No action was taken.

The County Treasurer presented to the Board an application for abatement of real estate taxes on Lot 5, Block 16, Florence Village in the amount of $3.12 for 1946 and $3.44 for 1947. Abatement was requested for the reason that said property belonged to Codington County by tax deed and should have been tax exempt.

Moved by Jordeth and seconded by Fromke that foregoing application be approved. Motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. August 17, 1954.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
August 17, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Fromke, Skinner and Jordeth present, Belk absent; Keenan presiding.

On motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth verified claims were approved as follows:

GENERAL-Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $70.00-for Mary L. Wilson $30.00, Nora & Ed McPeek $40.00; Mrs. August Bunde $25.00-for Louisa Richter; Annette Burgdorf $80.00-for Nels T. Nelson $40.00, Henry Spilde $40.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Mrs. Ella Heathcote $40.00-for Mrs. Maria Born; Mrs. Nora A. Kinstad $228.00-for Ola Hanson $43.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ole H. Aamodt $40.00, Olie Omodt $45.00, Carl Berge $30.00, Irwin Eisenbise $35.00; Mrs. Anna Lange $38.75-for Dixie Crider; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $95.00-for Lorence Albrecht $40.00, Ella Flannigan $40.00, James Chambers $15.00; Watertown Rest Home $92.00-for Louie Mourere $30.00, Mrs. Alfred Ebens $62.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $30.00-for Esther Kinsey; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00-for Rose Dixon $15.00, Sarah Ann Black $10.00; Mrs. August Anderson $16.45-for Frances Emery $15.00, Mary Vermillion $1.45; Bartron Hospital $1,155.88-for Darrell Peterson $68.50, Mrs. John Dobson $157.25, Alma Pederson $38.00, Mrs. Loren Wohlwend $90.75, Adolph Stankey $63.00, Emma Jenkins $201.25, Alpha Mudge $113.50, Shirley Ann Young $39.00, Gail Christianson $12.50, Ed Schmeling $185.25, Nellie Jensen $80.50, H. A. Lipelt $106.38; Bartron Clinic $393.50-for Darrell Peterson $45.50, Mrs. John Dobson $34.00, Alma Pederson $8.00, Robert Blow $6.00, Mrs. Loren Wohlwend $42.00, Adolph Standey $8.00, Emma Jenkins $65.00, Alpha Mudge $30.00, Cathryn McLaughlin $3.00, Ed McPeek $5.00, Shirley Ann Young $12.00, Gail Christianson $4.00, Ed Schmeling $32.50, Mrs. Donna Kinon $4.00, Mrs. Joe Lindner $7.00, Arlone Johnson $7.00, Ben Bergeson $30.00, Nellie Jensen $22.00, H. A. Lipelt $28.50; H. J. Bartron, Jr. M.D. $56.00-for Theo. Treat & Wife; D. Campbell, M.D. $11.00-for Anna Parsley $8.00, Mrs. DeMuynck $3.00; Codington County Oil Co. $2.00-for Arthur Larson; Duffners Drug Store $210.23-for Carl Berge $2.00, B. J. Murray $18.05, Carl Struss $.80, William Ball $25.35, Louis Rohde $2.00, Ola Hanson $26.30, Mrs. Mathilda Blek $6.46, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $3.20, Mrs. W. C. Yarns $11.70, Steven Wisneski $32.35, Ole Omodt $2.00, Louis Mourere $2.50, Walter Richards $9.50, Edgar Wight $10.50, Mrs. Ellen Cosgrove $6.55, Mrs. C. W. Montney $14.94, Leo Breske $34.84, Marshall Bradfield $5.40, Frank Metzinger $3.15; Donald N. Fedt, M.D. $168.60-for Charles Bierscheid $44.00, Glenn Taken $16.00, Andrew Horn $19.00, Robert Harvey $34.00, Chester L. Olson $35.60; Dr. A. K. Fehlman $69.00-for Mrs. Esther Kinsey; Hunters Grocery $14.99-for John Fjerstad; Hunter's Grocery $15.00-for Glenn Taken; Haggars Drug Store $219.97-for Philomena Holzmer $7.02, Hilda Marie Ebens $59.76, N. T. Nelson $5.40, Mrs. Ellen Anderson $17.55, John E. Taylor $10.58, Fannie Baker $1.22, Ed Goeman $13.50, Mrs. Ferne Washtoak $51.48, Robert Blow $10.21, Arlene Lohr $1.67, M. & Joyce Christianson $9.90, Frank & Emma Klucas $8.82, Seymore Peterson $22.86; Kreisers Drug Store $111.87-for Robert Blow $2.50, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $16.90, Earl Blowers $49.97, Mrs. Thomas Black $14.00, Alma Pederson $25.45, Marvin Sharp $3.05; Kreisers Drug Store $112.96-for Nellie Jensen $20.55, H. A. & Jessie Lipelt $8.25, Mrs. John Dobson $6.29, Anna Parsley $9.22, Josephine Roethler $10.00, Albert Johnson $6.00, Ed McPeek $5.60, Alpha Mudge $8.43, John Farley $2.10, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn & Baby $6.03, Ed Schmeling $4.00, Earl Crocker $21.05, Emma Jenkins $5.44; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes Funeral Chapel, Inc. $10.00-for Robert Harvey; Medical Arts Clinic $388.00-for Elmer Rockwood $17.00, Don Vogt $73.00, Frank & Emma Klucas $37.00, Ed Goeman $5.00, Philomena Holzmer $17.00, Mrs. Ferne Washtoak $39.00, Mrs. Anna Christianson $4.00, Anna Kennedy $2.00, Ola Hanson $4.00, Walter Richard $81.00, Marie Born $5.00, Rex Richmond $2.00, William Black $2.00, Mrs. Charlie Montney $14.00, Frances DeMuynck $44.00, Steven Wisneski & Wife $35.00, Carl J. Struss $7.00; Memorial Hospital $1,404.95-for Marshall Bradfield $141.40, Fannie Baker $137.75, Frances DeMuynck $77.65, Frank & Emma Klucas $130.45, Andrew Horn $46.75, John Peterson $66.25, Rev. G. O. Wigdahl $129.55, Alfred Vick $24.50, Elmer Rockwood $30.25, Mr. Irwin Eisenbise $37.60, Mr. Chester Olson $79.95, Don Vogt $327.20, Walter Richard $175.65; Minnehaha County Mental Health Center $20.00-for Frances Emery; National Tea Co. $40.00-for Elmer Meisenheimer; Red Owl Store, S. S. $40.00-for Loren Wohlwend; Red Owl Store $19.90-for Mrs. Esther Bunde; Shaw-Messer Funeral Service $35.00-for Emma Henthorn, Fannie Baker $3.00; O. P. Skaggs Store $95.00-for Anna Kretzschmar $40.00, H. A. & Jessie Lipelt $30.00, Hazel Black $15.00, Albert L. Kritta $10.00; Spies Super Valu $60.00-for Mrs. Otto Jungen $25.00, Mrs. Alice Jungen $20.00, A. Larson $15.00; Mrs. Frieda Story $18.94-for Mary Vermillion; St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $25.00-for John Welter; St. Lukes Hospital $96.35-for Ole Hanson; Dr. Glee Tarbell $3.00-for LeRoy Shepherd; Thomes Drug Store $81.62-for Lawrence Albrecht $1.50, Charles Bierschied $.85, Rollin Vance $3.25, John Farley $4.85, Mr. Alfred Vick $32.70, James Chambers $16.35, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $4.50, Richard Depeel $2.40, Anna Kennedy $3.39, Mrs. Anna Christianson $6.80, Louisa Richter $12.60, Lena Trumer $1.50; Jack D. Weeks $25.00-for Adolph Stankey; Dr. C. B. Wiles $36.00-for Mrs. Vivian Minor; Dr. M. C. Thompson $170.00-for Mrs. Mildred Taylor $6.00, Mrs. Lena Trumer $10.00, R. A. Vance $11.00, Lorence Albrecht $38.00, James Chambers $23.00, John Farley $14.00, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $35.00, Marion Kraft $10.00, Mrs. Jessie Lipelt $9.00, Mrs. Louisa Richter $8.00, Fremont Tribett $6.00; GENERAL-County Farm-Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $12.10; Butterbrodt Drug Store $15.18; Kreisers Drug Store $6.00; Spies Super Valu $46.95; Olson Appliance Co. $5.80; Court House Maintenance-Thomes Drug Store $2.95; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $65.70; CH&BR -Robert C. Ward $182.83; Stephen A. Olsen $123.12;

Payments made on county liens for the month of July are as follows: Mrs. Maude Lausøng $200.00; Ben Bergeson $45.00; Mike Feyen $5.00; Altha Heath Tessier & Albert M. Tessier, Claude & Lydia Tessier, Darwin Tessier and Dorothy Tessier $104.74; Alice Dummer $5.00; Clifford King $25.00; Earl King $5.00;

H. H. Deblon, Game Warden, and James Freeland, Sr., appeared before the Board to report that dead fish on the north shore of Lake Kampeska, near the gravel pits, were becoming a nuisance and requested that the Board check into the matter. The Board agreed to take it up with the County Health Department and take whatever steps necessary.

A large delegation of tax-payers from Lake Twp., with Arthur Hasche, Sr., as their attorney, appeared before the Board for information relating to assessment in Lake Twp. and subsequent equalization by the County Board. Members of the delegation were as follows: Walter Stegmen, Art J. Griepp, Melvin Spurrel, Lloyd Rossiter, Clyde H. Owen, Peter Beckmann, Jay Gasper, Arthur Tesch, Clinton Spurrell, Elmer Borns, Philip Little, J. E. Freeland, Sr., E. W. Ostrander, Ernest Madsen, G. E. Williams, John Meseberg, Tom Minor, Chris Berg, Clarence Passig, W. H. Spurrell, Ray Ostrander, Roy Soule, Walter Popham, Ruben H. Bohn and John Kolln.

Chairman Keenan announced that the delegation would be heard as soon as Commissioner Belk arrived.

Belk appeared at 11:10 A.M. and took his place on the Board.

Mr. Hasche acting as counsel for the group, stated to the Board that County equalization had resulted in discrimination against Lake Twp. tax-payers, especially on tractors. He said it appeared from assessment records that only the Lake Twp. Assessor had followed the chart recommended by the Division of Taxation in assessing tractors, which fact had resulted in raising Lake Twp. tractor assessments above similar assessments in other townships.

Arthur Tesch, chief spokesman for the delegation, stated that assessments on tractors in Lake Twp. were much higher than assessments on similar tractors in other townships and protested the 85% increase by the County Equalization Board on large tractors in Lake Twp.

The Board pointed out that only 4 tractors had been assessed under the "Large Tractor" classification in Lake Twp., and in view of the fact that these 4 tractors averaged only $325.00 as compared with the county average of $702.00, it was necessary to increase this valuation by 85% to bring the assessment in line with other taxing districts. The Board further explained that county equalization dealt only with averages as turned in by assessors, and, except in the case of individual appeals, equalized only among taxing districts - not individuals.

Mr. Hasche contended that it was the duty of the County Board to see to it that all assessors assessed on an equal basis. The Board, however, declared that it had no jurisdiction over the various assessors. The assessment laws are prescribed by the State, and the governing body of each taxing district should review assessments in the taxing district during the period provided by law for such review, and at that time individual assessments should be carefully checked and equalized.

Mr. Tesch requested, and was granted, permission to poll the taxpapers present on the type, size, model and make of tractor each owned to establish his contention that tractors in Lake Twp. are actually less valuable than tractors throughout the county as a whole, for which reason they should be equalized at a lower average by the County Board. The Board agreed that this might possibly be true, but stated that same should be brought to its attention during the county equalization period.

Dale Bradshaw, Deputy States Attorney, also present to represent the Board, briefly reviewed assessment laws and stated that to his knowledge there was nothing in the law which gave jurisdiction over assessors to County Commissioners, and at this time, nothing could be done to change assessments or valuations of property except in cases of clerical errors.

Mr. Hasche stated that he believed he could produce legal evidence to support a demand for reassessment of the county.

After further discussion, it was moved by Skinner and seconded by Fromke that the discussion on this matter cease, and that no action be taken by the Board until Mr. Hasche could present legal evidence to show whether anything can be done to rectify the alleged bad assessment. Motion carried.

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the public hearing on the proposed Supplemental Budget for the current year, 1954, as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of August 3, 1954, and pursuant to publication of "Notice of Hearing" on said proposed Supplemental Budget as provided by law, and, whereas, no one appeared to protest the adoption of same, the following resolution was introduced, to wit:

R E S O L U T I O N #217

SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET FOR 1954

WHEREAS, acting under Chapter 43 of the Session Laws of South Dakota of 1947, and upon notice duly published to adopt a supplement budget for 1954,

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary to adopt a Supplemental Budget so the County may conduct the indispensable functions of government.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the following amounts as set out herein shall constitute and be adopted as the Supplemental Budget for 1954.

GENERAL FUND

Printing and advertising	$ 500.00
Welfare & County Farm	35, 000.00
Board of Health	200.00
Social Security	700.00
	36,400.00

Summary

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Jordeth, and upon roll call, all Commissioners voted yea, and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the said resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 17th day of August, 1954.

James L. Kennan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Mayor Everett Creaser and City Street Superintendent, M. J. Hoy, appeared before the Board to discuss the possibility of the City of Watertown and Codington County co-operating in blacktopping streets in N. E. Watertown as follows: "Beginning on 5th St. N. E. on B. Ave., thence east 2 blocks to 7th St. N. E., thence north 1 block to C. Ave., thence west 2 blocks to 5th St. N. E."

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that in view of the fact that county property is located within above described area thereby causing an increased amount of traffic on the streets mentioned, that Codington County be authorized to cooperate with the City of Watertown in blacktopping above described streets and that Commissioners Fromke and Skinner be appointed to act for the county in the matter. Motion carried.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Nels Ekse, Merle Elshere, Lewis Stein, Ralph Mack, Orlando Thompson, Dennis Moyer, Mrs. Dwayne Deal and Philip Mack, $4.00 each.

R E S O L U T I O N #218

FEDERAL AID SECONDARY ROUTE

WHEREAS the Codington County Board of Commissioners desire the addition of the following mileage to the Federal Aid Secondary Highway System:

"Beginning at the southwest corner of Section 6, Township 119 North, Range 55, West of the Fifth P.M., at the Clark County line, thence east approximately eight (8) miles to the southeast corner of Section 5, Township 119 North, Range 54, West of the Fifth P.M., thence south approximately 5.35 miles to a point 1829.6 feet south of the northwest corner of Section 4, Township 118 North, Range 54, West of the Fifth P.M., at junction with State Highway No. 20 and County Secondary FAS S 120 (2)."

AND WHEREAS the major portion of this is a mail route, also connecting with existing routes and anticipated routes.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the State Highway Commission be and hereby is requested to recommend to the Public Roads Administration the selection of the roads described above as part of the Federal Aid Secondary Highway System.

Vote of Commission. Yes 5 No None
Resolution is hereby declared adopted.
Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 17th day of August 1954.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

James L. Kennan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota.

The matter of installing new side walks along the west side of the Court Yard was discussed.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Jordeth that Codington County contract with

Ralph Miller to remove the old side walk and install a new one 6½ ft. wide and 4 in. thick along the west side of the Court Yard -- the width extension to be taken from the Court House grounds. Motion carried.

On motion by Jordeth and second by Fromke the Board approved the application of Jerry Eggen for a dance hall license for one night, August 20, at the Medicine Lake Resort in Fuller Twp.

On motion by Skinner and second by Jordeth the Board approved the application of Edwin H. Ulrick for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes plus penalties and interest in the amount of $84.68 for a payment of $69.29.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner the Board deferred action on the claim of John J. Feehan, M.D., of Rapid City, S. D., in the amount of $540.00 pending further information regarding same.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. August 24, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
August 24, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $54.00; Oscar J. Fromke $87.64; Einar Jordeth $60.78; James L. Keenan $51.90; Herb Skinner $81.90; Poor-C. J. Langenfeld $105.53-for Mrs. Eddie Hauff & son;

Mrs. Robert Bowe appeared before the Board on the matter of the 1953 and 1954 assessments of the personal property of Halbkat Jewelers, Inc. She explained that the assessments had been made to Robert Bowe instead of to Halbkat Jewelers, Inc., and the taxes, now being deliquent, had become an encumbrance on property belonging to Mrs. Bowe. She requested that the County Board abate the taxes to Robert Bowe and reassess the property to Halbkat Jewelers, Inc., in order to remove the encumbrance on her property.

The Board declined action on Mrs. Bowes request pending advice from the States Attorney.

Lyle Thorson and George Keszler of Florence, appeared before the Board to request that the Codington County pay the cost of black-topping the short piece of County road beginning on Highway No. 20 at the northwest corner of Florence, thence south to the corner of the block in which the Florence School buildings are located.

The Board tentatively agreed, to black-top as requested on the condition that Florence black-top its main street from the railroad tracks on the east end to connect with the proposed black-topping on County road. No definite action was taken until further checking on arrangements could be made.

Willard DeWilde of Grant County appeared before the Board for information regarding a three mile stretch of road in Codington County beginning on Highway 20 at a point three miles west of South Shore, thence north to the Grant County line. He requested a written statement from the Board explaining its reason for accepting this road on the County System rather than the one petitioned for a mile farther east and parallel to the one described.

The Board gave him the statement as requested.

10:00 A.M. of this date being the time fixed by the Board for the hearing on Petition No. 17 requesting addition to, and deletion from, the County Highway System of section line highways described as follows: "Beginning at the NE corner of Section 5-116-53, thence south 1 mile to the SE corner of Section 5-116-53, thence west 1 mile to the SW corner ofSection 5-116-53;" and to abandon the following road: "approximately 1 mile, beginning at the SW corner of Section 5-116-53, thence north 1 mile to the NW corner of Section 5-116-53;" and, whereas, no one appeared to protest the granting of the prayer of petitioners, Chairman Keenan appointed Commissioners Skinner, Fromke and Jordeth as a committee of inspection on above described highways and set 4:00 P.M. of this date, August 24, as the time for inspection of same.

Carl Peterson, land owner in Lake Twp., and Arthur Wight, rural mail carrier, appeared before the Board to inquire whether the County was planning any repair work on the County road lying between Sections 13 and 14 in Lake Twp.

Chairman Keenan explained that at present no work was planned on above described road because of the heavy schedule of work now planned for the County Highway Department.

On motion by Jordeth and second by Belk the Board approved the application of Jerry Eggen for a dance hall license for one night, August 27, at the Medicine Lake Resort in Fuller Twp.

The Board recessed at 3:15 P.M. to meet with City and Army officials to discuss matters relating to the proposed armory building.

At 4:00 P.M. the Board members appointed as a committee of inspection on the highways petitioned for addition to, and deleted from, the County System, as noted in Proceedings of this date, went out and made said inspection.

At 5:00 P.M. the Board returned.

The matter of the County's participation in the building of a proposed armory in Watertown was briefly discussed, after which it was decided that the Board should meet as a committee in the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House at 7:30 P.M., August 27, 1954 and further discuss this matter.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. August 31, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
August 31, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00; Irma Welch $210.00; Pearl Bergan $190.00; Alice Olson $180.00; Kay Turbak $150.00; County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00; Alma Gerberding $210.00; DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00; Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68; Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Beverly Mickelson $296.68; Harriett Horning $205.00; Margaret Brown $175.00; Superintendent of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00; Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $283.75; Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00; Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00; Carl Zweig Jr. $10.50; Ed Gould $23.00; Julius Lentz $19.00; Chris Engels $19.00; Curtis Underwood $19.00; Chas. Krogman $19.00; Ralph S. Miller $594.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Katherine Downs $25.00; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $175.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $113.00; Pearl Klemsrud $50.00; Memorial Park-Bessie Hoftiezer $100.00; Arnold Hoftiezer $100.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-C. S. Rasmusson $525.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $190.00; Sever Tobiason $200.00; Bert Smith $74.00; J. P. Haug $235.71; Joe Stricherz $176.15; Claude VanSickle $173.88; C. B. Sumner $283.50; Harold Scriver $262.50; Carl Zweig, Jr. $17.33; Ed Gould $14.84; Alfred Spring $7.61; Fred Brownell $4.17; E. W. Spearbeck $12.12; Leo Clausen $3.80; John Strait $1.90; Clarence Helle $5.32; Julius Lentz $13.91; Rudolph J. Lange $9.52; Chris Engels $13.91; Robert Howey $2.64; Elmer Woolven $9.14; Allen Junso $9.33; Curtis Underwood $4.75; Chas. Krogman $19.00; CH&BR-J. P. Haug $22.05; Joe Stricherz $96.60; Claude VanSickle $103.95; Carl Zweig, Jr. $115.50; James Hendren $337.50; Ed Gould $124.90; Alfred Spring $270.15; Howard Williams $298.10; Fred Brownell $206.53; E. W. Spearbeck $231.80; Leo Clausen $244.78; John Strait $243.88; Clarence Helle $214.50; Julius Lentz $101.45; Rudolph J. Lange $199.50; Chris Engels $101.45; Robert Howey $231.80; Elmer Woolven $241.30; Allen Junso $197.90; Curtis Underwood $106.45; Chas. Krogman $96.36; Andrew Larson $100.11; Jack K. Basart $177.65; Berton Fedt $57.00; Loomis Bros. $2,281.50; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Carl Zweig, Jr. $113.40; Ed Gould $115.00; Julius Lentz $95.00; Chris Engels $95.00; Curtis Underwood $104.50; Chas. Krogman $95.00; Andrew Larson $1.90; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Lake)-Ed Gould $5.75; Julius Lentz $4.75; Chris Engels $4.75; Curtis Underwood $4.75; Chas. Krogman $4.75; GENERAL-Memorial Park-Clarence Helle $4.75; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $42.70; Oscar J. Fromke $65.50; Einar Jordeth $54.38; James L. Keenan $58.30; Herb Skinner $51.86;

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the letting of bids for stockpiling gravel in three separate piles - one pile to contain 40,000 tons and each of the other two, 20,000 tons - as specified in notices to bidders published in the official newspapers of Codington County; Chairman Keenan requested the County Auditor to read the "Notice to Bidders", preliminary to opening and reading the bids.

Ten firms submitted bids as follows:

1. Central Construction Co., Sioux Falls, S. D. - 37.9¢ per ton;
2. Kies and Zastrow, Hurley, S. D. - 28½¢ per ton;
3. Chase Construction Co., Rapid City, S. D. - 33¢ per ton;
4. Loomis Bros. Construction Co., Garden City, S. D. - 39¢ per ton on the 40,000 ton pile and 35¢ per ton on each of the two 20,000 ton piles;
5. Mauer Construction Co., Bison, S. D. - 30¢ per ton on the 40,000 ton pile and 33¢ on the other two;
6. Gustafson and Reynolds, Sioux Falls, S. D. - 43¢ per ton;
7. Roger Jones Construction Co., Madison, S. D. - 46¢ per ton;
8. Ray Werner, Wheaton, Minnesota - 29¢ per ton on the 40,000 ton pile and 33¢ on each of the other two;
9. Batie Gravel Co., Webster, S. D. - 33¢ on the 40,000 ton pile and 39¢ on the other two;
10. A. W. Schnuerle Construction Co., Aberdeen, S. D. - 34¢ per ton.

The No. 2 bid of Kies and Zastrow, Hurley, S. D., being the lowest and best bid submitted, it was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the bid be awarded to said Kies and Zastrow, that the certified checks of the unsuccessful bidders be returned, and that the successful bidder furnish a performance bond in lieu of the certified check. Motion carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to inspection of highways proposed for addition to and abandonment from the the County Highway System as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of August 24, 1954, comes now the committee appointed by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota to examine the proposed location of the highways hereinafter more particularly described and submit to the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County the following report:

Said Committee, consisting of Commissioners Skinner, Fromke and Jordeth, met at the time

and place designated and proceeded to examine said highway more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the NE Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 53, West of the Fifth P.M., thence south 1 mile to the SE Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 53, thence west 1 mile to the SW Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 53, West of the Fifth P.M.; and to abandon the following road, approximately 1 mile, beginning at the SW Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North Range 53, thence north 1 mile to the NW Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North Range 53, West of the Fifth P.M.

That after having completed its examination of said highway proposed to be located and added to the County System of Codington County, South Dakota, it is the opinion of all members of said Committee that the prayer of the petitioners be granted, and said Committee does therefore recommend to the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that above described section line highways be added to, and deleted from, the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, pursuant to the prayer of said petitioners.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 31 day of August, 1954.

Herb Skinner
Member of Committee

Member of Committee

Member of Committee

RESOLUTION #219

WHEREAS, a petition has been filed asking the Board of County Commissioners to recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that the following described highways in Codington County, South Dakota, be added to, and deleted from, the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, to wit:

Beginning at the NE Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 53, West of the Fifth P.M., thence south 1 mile to the SE corner of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 53, thence west 1 mile to the SW Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 53, West of the Fifth P.M.;

AND FURTHER, that the following described highway be abandoned from the Codington County Highway System, to wit:

Approximately 1 mile, beginning at the SW Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North Range 53, thence north 1 mile to the NW Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North Range 53, West of the Fifth P.M.

AND WHEREAS, it appears to the Board of County Commissioners that same should be added to, and abandoned from, the County Highway System as above requested.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that Codington County does hereby recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that there be added to, and abandoned from, the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, the highways above described as requested.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Auditor be and he is hereby instructed to forward to the Secretary of the Highway Commission of South Dakota a copy of this resolution with the request that action hereon be taken by the State Highway Commission.

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION was moved for adoption by Commissioner Fromke, seconded by Commissioner Skinner, and all Commissioners voting "Yea" upon roll call, the Chairman declared the same duly passed and adopted.

DATED AT WATERTOWN, SOUTH DAKOTA this 31 day of August, 1954.

James L. Keenan, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan, Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota

RESOLUTION NO. 220

WHEREAS, bids for the gravel surfacing of Federal Aid Secondary Projects S 575 (1) and

S 576 (1), Codington County, South Dakota, have been received by the South Dakota State Highway Commission, and

WHEREAS, Kies and Zastrow of Hurley, South Dakota, are the low bidders of eleven with a proposal of $19,825.42, which bid is 33.7% under the Engineer's Estimate of $29,901.31.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota concur with the South Dakota State Highway Commission in awarding the contract to said Kies and Zastrow.

The foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Fromke, seconded by Commissioner Belk, and upon being put to a vote all commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 31st day of August, 1954.

Jasmer L Kleman
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

On motion by Jordeth and second by Belk, the Board approved the application of DeVon Reeve for a dance hall license for one night, Sept.3, 1954, at the Medicine Lake Resort in Fuller Twp.

Mr. & Mrs. Emil Redlin appeared before the Board on the matter of delinquent taxes and county liens. No action was taken.

A copy of Resolution #7790, adopted by the State Highway Commission, was presented to the Board and ordered entered in the Proceedings as follows:

RESOLUTION NO. 7790

CODINGTON COUNTY

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SOUTH DAKOTA
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION:

THAT, WHEREAS, a resolution has been presented by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, requesting certain changes in the County Highway System of Codington County, as hereinafter described.

AND, WHEREAS, it appears that the said Board of County Commissioners has complied with all the regulations in regard to the proposed changes, and the State Highway Commission being fully advised in the matter, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the State Highway Commission that the following described roads, be, and the same are, hereby added to the Codington County Highway System:

That part of old Highway "20" between Sections 29, 32, (Dexter Township) and 5 (Fuller Township) on the one side and Sections 28, 33 (Dexter Township) and Section 4 (Fuller Township) on the other side, all in Township 118 and 119 North of Range 54 West of the 5th P.M., Codington County, South Dakota, approximately 2½ miles.
ADOPTED THIS 11th day of August, 1954.

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

BY: /s/ Bert Tollefson, Jr.
Secretary

Carl Zweig, Jr., appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to delinquent personal property taxes of Carl Zweig, Sr., in Fuller Twp. No action was taken.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Earling Johnson, Dean Urban, Mrs. Norman Stoltenberg, H. A. Rear, $4.00 each; Theodore Thompson, $8.00.

The matter of the dilapidated condition of the polling place in Kampeska Twp. was brought to the attention of the Board.

The Board ordered that the School House in School District #24 be designated as the polling place in Kampeska Twp. for the forthcoming General Election.

The application of James W. Grant for release of county liens of James Grant of Hillsboro, Texas, came before the Board at this time.

On motion by Skinner and second by Belk, county liens of James Grant in the amount of

$26.50 were released for a payment of $1.00 for the reason that the James Grant against whom the liens were filed is not the same James W. Grant on whose abstract said liens appear, which fact is established by a statement from Bartron Hospital & Clinic showing that the James Grant against whom the liens are filed was a transient from Hillsboro, Texas at the time he received county aid for care at the Bartron Hospital.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. September 7, 1954.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
September 7, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Fromke, Skinner and Jordeth present, Belk absent; Keenan presiding.

Minutes of meetings of August 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31, 1954 were approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL -Court expense-Hazel Hegarty $120.00; Cecilia M. Beirne $112.91; W. A. Hackett $50.00; O. E. Beardsley $50.00;

This being the time and place fixed by the Board for the hearing on the 1955 Provisional Budget, as provided in SDC Supplement Section 12.2004, said Provisional Budget was brought before the Board for further consideration and study.

No one appeared for the hearing, whereat said Provisional Budget was set aside pending final adoption on the second Tuesday of September as provided by law.

Mr. & Mrs. Harry E. Forbush of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, appeared before the Board on the matter of county liens.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Skinner that the application of Harry E. Forbush for compromise settlement of county liens of Harry, Helen, Frances, Betty, Patricia and Carole Forbush in the amount of $623.94 for a payment of $312.00 be approved. Motion carried.

Ethan Ostrander, a member of the Board of Supervisors of Lake Twp., appeared before the Board to request permission for Lake Twp. to buy gravel from a county gravel pit to gravel about a mile of township road.

The Board granted permission to purchase the gravel at 7¢ per yard.

On motion by Fromke and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of Edward Schaaf for compromise settlement of county liens of Ed and Julia Schaaf in the amount of $730.80 for a payment of $300.00.

At 1:30 P.M. Commissioner Belk appeared and took his place on the Board.

On motion by Belk and second by Jordeth the Board approved applications for dance hall licenses as follows: Jiles Kranz-Medicine Lake Resort, Fuller Twp., one night, Sept. 10, 1954, fee-$2.50; Francis Hupf-Tip Top Tavern, located Lot 1, NE¼ Sec. 3-116-51, Kranzburg Twp., for remainder of 1954 season through Dec. 31, 1954 - Fee, $12.50.

Monthly statements for August, 1954, were checked and approved as follows: State Sanatorium at Sanator, S. D. $177.32, Yankton State Hospital $1807.17; Redfield State School and Home $612.90.

The County Veterans Service Report for August, 1954 was noted by the Board.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of Carl and Pauline Deal for a compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes plus penalties and interest in the amount of $163.98 for a payment of $101.38.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of September 1, 1954 was checked and approved as follows: Deposits in banks, $357,751.57; Cash, checks and drafts in Treasurers possession not exceeding three days, $8,521.06; Government Bonds, $112,000.00; C. D. $70,000.00; Total of all items $548,272.63.

The matter of the 1953 assessment to Robert Bowe of the personal property taxes of Halbkat Jewelers, Inc., was again brought to the attention of the Board by County Judge, Herbert Norbeck, acting for Mrs. Bowe. The Board was informed that Mrs. Bowe had paid the first installment of the tax and now requests a correction of assessment to place the last installment of the tax to Halbkat Jewelers, Inc., where it properly belongs.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Belk that the tax records be corrected to show the above tax in the name of Halbkat Jewelers Inc., instead of to Robert Bowe. Motion carried.

On motion by Skinner and second by Jordeth the Board approved the application of Emil and Annie Redlin for a compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes plus penalties and interest in the amount of $442.27 for a payment of $292.27.

Statements of fees collected during August, 1954 were checked and approved by the Board as follows: Register of Deeds, $484.70; Clerk of Courts, $287.60.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Belk that the G. H. Lindekugal & Sons, Inc., be authorized to furnish and apply 310 tons of crushed gravel @$2.00 per ton, plus $50.00 for rolling same, on .7 mile of county road beginning on Highway No. 20, thence south to the approach road to Wallace Village. Motion carried.

Arthur Hasche, Jr., appeared before the Board on the matter of delinquent personal property taxes of Arthur Hasche, Sr. No action was taken.

Pursuant to provisions of SDC Supplement Section 16.0801, the Board designated polling places for the forthcoming General Election - polling places to be the same as for the 1954 Primary Election except in Kampeska Twp. where the school house in District #24 is hereby designated as the polling place for said 1954 General Election.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that all county officials be authorized to attend the 40th Annual Convention of the State Association of County Commissioners, County Officers, Highway Superintendents and State Highway Officials of South Dakota, to be held on September 20, 21, and 22, 1954 at Deadwood, S. D., with expenses paid as provided in Chapter 25, S. D. Session Laws of 1953. Motion carried.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. September 14, 1954.

Earl F. Bryan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
September 14, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $70.00-for Edward McPeek $20.00, Nora McPeek $20.00, Mary L. Wilson $30.00; Augusta Bunde $5.16-for Louisa Richter; Annette Burgdorf $80.00-for Nels T. Nelson $40.00, Henry Spilde $40.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Mrs. Ella Heathcote $40.00-for Marie E. Born; Nora A. Kinstad $218.00-for Ole Hanson $26.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ole H. Aamodt $40.00, Olie Omodt $45.00, Carl Berge $30.00, Irwin Eisenbise $35.00, Matt Kemp $7.00; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $105.00-for Lawrence Albrecht $40.00, James Chambers $25.00, Ella Flannigan $40.00; Watertown Rest Home $145.95-for Louie Mourere $30.00, Mrs. Ebbens $50.00, Ben Bergeson $65.95; Mrs. Grace Wilson $30.00-for Edith (Esther) Kinsey; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00-for Mrs. Rose Dixon $15.00, Sarah Ann Black $10.00; Warren R. Anderson, M.D. $6.00-for Frances Emery; Mrs. August Anderson $37.57-for Mary Vermillion $25.48, Frances Emery $12.09; Bartron Hospital $864.25-for Emma Jenkins $55.85, Mrs. Joe Lindner $22.00, Mrs. Lew Fjerstad $64.75, Mrs. Chester Olson $131.00, Mrs. Loren Wohlwend $49.65, Fred Coan $21.00, William Barto $58.50, Mrs. Florence Williams $218.50, Adolph Stankey $34.00; Bartron Clinic $318.50-for Albert Johnson $34.50, Emma Jenkins $21.00, Cathryn McLaughlin $2.00, Mrs. Wm. Shepherd $2.00, Mrs. Joe Lindner $5.50, Leo Breske $5.00, Mrs. Lew Fjerstad $35.00, Mrs. Chester Olson $46.50, Mrs. Loren Wohlwend $34.00, Arlone Johnson $10.00, Fred Coan $9.00, John Farley $18.00, Mrs. Wm. Barto $5.00, Wm. Barto $19.50, Arlene Lohr $26.00, Robert Blow $2.00, Michael Kinon $4.00, Mrs. Florence Williams $31.50, Adolph Stankey $8.00; Brown Clinic $162.00-for Judith Bruer $4.00, Mrs. Wm. Jones $30.00, Clement Jungen $4.00, Joseph L. Letourneau $23.50, Mrs. Mary Meyers $47.50, A. R. Quade $20.00, Thomas Hoffman $10.00, Louis Rohde $8.00, Albert Krohn $15.00; Butterbrodt Drug Store $482.84-for Francis DeMuynch $60.05, Hilda Ebbens $283.90, Rex Richmond $88.14, Fannie Baker $3.65, Adolph Stankey $47.10; Dr. F. C. Campbell $5.00-for Anna Parsley $2.00, Mrs. L. Vaughn $3.00; Duffner Drug Store $211.75-for Frank Metzinger $18.83, Ole Omodt $1.20, Ole Hanson $26.80, Wm. Boll $17.10, B. J. Murray $21.20, Mrs. Chas Montney $13.44, Mrs. W. C. Yarns $11.70, Louis Rohde $3.00, Carl Berge $2.00, Marshall Bradfield $14.70, Peter DeMuynch $1.50, Mathilda Blek $6.00, Edgar Wight $9.00, Steve Wisneski $29.60, Walter Richards $11.15, Leo Breske $15.21, Michael & Mrs. Keenan $8.00, Louie Mourere $4.35, Rosa Dixon $3.00, Mrs. H. E. Kraft $3.60, Mrs. Wm. Jones $10.80, Louisa Richter $1.60, Mrs. Marie Born $2.50; Donald N. Fedt, M.D.$62.40-for Chester Olson $9.40, Fred Coan $3.00, Chas. Bierscheid $20.00, Fannie Baker $30.00; Haggars Drug Store $568.41-for Mrs. R. Luck $35.65, Ben Bergeson $21.34, Robert Harvey $34.00, Mr. Henry Hopkin $26.40, Mrs. Grace Wilson $24.75, Mrs. E. Jones $53.10, Mr. Otto Jungen $36.10, Mr. E. A. Quade $108.90, Judith Bruer $3.10, Mrs. Mary Meyers $89.04, Mrs. J. E. Taylor $3.82, Robert Blow $2.97, Fern Washtoak $38.47, N. T. Nelson $3.60, Ruth Painter $4.32, Lizzie Alt $13.70, Philomena Holzmer $7.02, Thomas Hoffman $1.62, Frank & Emma Klucas $5.62, Seymore Peterson $2.16, Mrs. Wm. Czeck $5.35, Ellen Anderson $13.14, Hilda Ebbens $3.82, Leona Mae Rose $7.11, Mrs. P. DeMuynch $6.12, Ed Goeman $17.19; Highway Grocery $15.00-for Deloris Anderson; Hollywood Grocery $5.00-for Leonard Vaughn; R. E. Hunter $15.00-for John Fjerstad; Morris King $25.00-for Ed Thompson; Kreisers Drug Store $104.97-for Cathryn McLaughlin $2.50, Alma Pederson $1.20, Mrs. Chester Olson $.60, Emma Jenkins $2.20, Anna Parsley $5.73, Leonard Vaughn $6.79, Nellie Jensen $27.50, Albert Johnson $20.40, Mrs. Ludwig Roethler $10.45, Florence Williams $5.70, Earl Crocker $19.50, Fred Coan $2.40; Mrs. Anna Lange $51.58-for Dixie Crider; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes Funeral Chapel $3.00-for Ben Bergeson; Medical Arts Clinic $319.00-for Walter Richard $24.00, Mrs. Anna Christianson $6.00, Mrs. Anna Czeck $7.00, Ola Hanson $2.00, Louis Mourere $6.00, Steven & Wife Wisneski $27.00, Adolph Stankey $12.00, Rex Richmond $107.00, Carl J. Struss $9.00, Frank & Emma Klucas $10.00, Fern Washtoak $28.00, Philomena Holzmer $5.00, Ed Goeman $8.00, Lizzie Alt $2.00, Hilda Ebbens $33.00, Francis DeMuynch $33.00; Memorial Hospital $919.00-for Alfred Vick $15.00, Lyle Gerjets $34.95, Mrs. Andrew Horn $22.50, Ole Aamodt $22.85, Mrs. Hilda Ebbens $185.05, Rex Richmond $237.95, Mrs. Peter DeMuynch $186.25, Anna Christianson $32.95, Mrs. Fannie Baker $246.00; Marshall-Wells Store $9.18-for Fred & Gertrude Heathcote; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $9.34-for Fred & Gertrude Heathcote; National Tea Co. $80.00- for Elmer Meisenheimer; J. C. Penney Co. $5.96-for Andrew Horn; E. A. Rudolph, M.D. $5.00-for Matt Kemp; Shaw-Messer Ambulance Service $156.00-for Fred Coan $153.00, Mrs. Anna Christianson $3.00; O. P. Skaggs Store $35.00-for Albert L. Kritta $10.00, Hazel & Thomas Black $25.00; Mrs. Alma Solberg $25.00-for Adolph Stankey $25.00; Spies Super Valu $25.00-for Arthur Larson $15.00, Albert L. Kritta $10.00; St. Ann Hospital $2,918.66-for Mrs. Ruie Luck $233.10, Mr. Otto Jungen $67.22, Ben Bergeson $405.67, Mrs. Grace Wilson $56.25, Mr. Robert Harvey $69.65, Mr. Wm. Black $6.00, Mrs. Elida Jones $1070.10, Mr. Henry Hopkins $45.72, Mr. Emil A. Quade $ 519.40, Judith Bruer $89.25, Mrs. Mary Meyers $235.35, Mr. Joseph Letourneau $124.95,

St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $25.00-for John Welter; Mrs. G. Stoltenberg $15.00-for Louisa Richter; Thomes Drug Store $140.89-for Chas. Bierscheid $.85, John Farley $17.79, James Chambers $6.85, Rollin A. Vance $22.40, Lawrence Albrecht $12.50, Margaret Papka $11.80, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $32.05, Lena Trummer $3.50, Alfred Vick $32.70, Anna Kennedy $4.30, Mrs. Anna Christianson $9.40, Richard DePeel $2.40; Dr. M. C. Thompson $93.00-for Lawrence Albrecht $6.00, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $39.00, Marion Kraft $8.00, Mrs. Jessie Lipelt $7.00, Louisa Richter $5.00, Mrs Mildred Taylor $12.00, Fremond Tribbitt $8.00, Mrs. Lena Trummer $8.00; Dorothy Wall $25.00-for Ed Thompson; Watertown Clinic $83.00-for Mrs. Henry Kraft $2.00, Mrs. Ed Haack $79.00, Leo Breske $2.00; C. B. Wiles $30.00-for Robert C. Main $6.00, Glenn Taken $24.00; Yankton Clinic $103.00-for Emma Henthorne; Court House Maintenance-Jack K. Basart $78.85; Berton Fedt $67.45; Pete L. Lindner $103.40; Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $270.25; Uptown Service $.84; Otis Elevator Company $21.00; Mrs. John Breyer $46.49; Egge Electric Co. $3.55; Mrs. Ralph Young $7.50; Nelson Hardware $39.14; Western Chemical Co. $76.22; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $12.96; True Electric Service $6.37; City Treasurer $266.67; Herbert C. Borns $15.00; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $3.62; Dakota Welding Supply $2.85; Co. Extension-Fred Morris $33.41; Clara W. Johnson $53.95; Hodges Badge Co. $44.73; Ruhe Stationery $8.42; Co. Judge Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $17.00; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Muriel Fisher $13.50; Ruhe Stationery $6.25; Carlson's $72.96; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $5.52; F. A. Owen Publishing Co. $4.00; Auditor's Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $1.25; Brown & Saenger $2.49; News Printing Company $90.45; Addressograph Sales Agency $37.00; Watertown Typewriter Co. $6.70; Court Expense-Cliff Englund $7.84; Welfare Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $8.05; Carlson's $4.35; States Attorney's Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $4.20; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Remington Rand $8.50; Brown & Saenger $275.30; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $39.65; Treasurer's Office Expense-News Printing Company $90.00; Election Expense-F. C. Grow Sons-Printers $174.00; Sheriff's Office Expense-Olson Appliance $38.00; Gunn Studio $3.00; Burghardt Radio Supply $.68; Dick's Radio Service $4.65; Uptown Service $3.65; Memorial Park-Northwestern Public Service $44.42; Mileage-Cliff Englund $385.70; Fees-Cliff Englund $117.60; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $112.40; Tax Collector-James Nelson $796.87; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown, M.D. $100.00; Memorial Park-Uptown Service $2.50; Printing & Advertising-Watertown Public Opinion $306.72, Henry Independent $197.12, South Shore Gazettee $193.11; Board of Insanity-H. T. Kenney, M.D. $15.00; Tax Deed Expense-Ray Phillips $7.50; Insurance & Bonds-Heaton Insurance Agency $18.75; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $53.30, James L. Keenan $80.30, Herb Skinner $71.69, Einar Jordeth $79.60, Oscar J. Fromke $108.70; County Farm-Olson Appliance $5.80, Uptown Service $2.74, City Treasurer $12.20, Kreisers Drug Store $2.15, Marshall-Wells Store $6.12, Spies Super Valu $97.90, Botsford Lumber Co. $465.43, Everett's Grocery $5.68, Graham Grocery $2.54, Hank's Shoe Service $2.50, Liens Grocery $46.08, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $11.00, Sunshine State Hatchery $138.88, Thompson Yards $128, Poor-Zeller's Concrete Materials Co. $5.00; Court House Maintenance-Thompson Yards $15.75; CH&BR-Jack K. Basart $6.24, Berton Fedt $18.57, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $122.65, Empire Equipment Co. $454.88, South Dakota Concrete Products Co. $636.84, Scott Engineering Co. $6.00, Watertown Cement Products Co. $6.20, South Dakota State Highway Commission $10,746.56, Thompson Yards $22.44, Cave Supply Co. $211.52, HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Dick's Radio Service $20.88, Uptown Service $251.20, Nelson Hardware $3.90, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $5.57, Dakota Welding Supply $31.26, Botsford Lumber Co. $107.36, Empire Equipment Co. $228.79, Thompson Yards $19.49, Bichler Motor Co. $8.29, Cave Supply Co. $44.91, Foster-Bell Co. $84.23, Gooch Sales Co. $3.20, International Harvester Co. $193.96, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $13.84, K. & Z. Service $6.13, Kenneth Hayes Magneto & Electric $6.33, Koch's 66 Service $9.12, K. D. Orton Co. $186.20, LaNoue's Radiator Shop $15.50, Marquardt's Service $4.25, Mahowald Co. $35.91, C. E. McGowan Lumber Co. $3.96, Mel Dahle Tire Co. $19.25, Motor Supply Co. $43.87, Elmer Pardau $19.74, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $20.47, Rubber Service Inc. $12.70, Lyle Thorson $73.22, Watertown Machine Works $32.00, Watertown Sheet & Metal Works $2.00, Watertown Tire Co. $10.30, Florence Service $21.61, Williams Hardware Co. $43.57; ROAD-Carlson's $3.85, City Treasurer $5.13, Northwestern Public Service $4.55; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lumber Co.$29.40, Empire Equipment Co. $57.32, South Dakota Concrete Products Co. $1,234.90, Thompson Yards $25.98, Mahowald Co. $13.37; WEED BOARD-Botsford Lumber Co. $5.40, Matt Brandriet $43.33; TEXTBOOK -Educator Supply Co. $5.37, Ginn & Company $112.68, E. M. Hale & Company $39.00, Wilson Truck System $3.00, Scott, Foresman & Company $265.58, Mid-West Beach Co. $14.04; INSTITUTE-F. A. Owen Publishing Co. $107.60, Lee DeBoer $50.00, Mrs. Helen Holgate $50.00, Rev. James E. Robinson $50.00, Dale E. Summers $25.00, TUITION-Hazel Independent Consolidated School $1,654.95, Hayti Independent Consolidated School $331.27, Castlewood Independent Consolidated School $29.06, Henry Independent School District $7,950.48, Independent School Dist. of Clark $57.38; TEXTBOOK-Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $153.90;

Payments made on county liens for the month of August are as follows: Cecil D. Gasper, $40.00;

Ramona Popham appeared before the Board and reported that her car had been sprayed with tar by the County Highway Department during the black-topping of the parking area behind the Court House. She requested that the county pay the cost of removing the tar from the car. The Board suggested that she have the car cleaned and report the cost for same to the Board.

Pursuant to Section 12.2003 SDC 1939 and amendments thereto, the business of adopting the Annual Budget for the calendar year, 1955, came before the Board at this time. The Provisional Budget for the calendar year, 1955, was again presented to the Board for further study and checking prior to adoption of same as the Annual Budget.

In checking said Provisional Budget, it was noted that the $500.00 budgeted for County Institute Fund was less than the amount allowed on the school census per capita basis as provided by SDC 1939, Section 15.903. It was also noted that no appropriation had been made for expenses incurred on tax deed property.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that the 1955 Provisional Budget be amended and changed as follows: Budget $200.00 for Rent and Sale; decrease Delinquent Tax Expense from $4,500.00 to $4,300.00; increase County Institute Fund from $500.00 to $800.00. Motion carried.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Fromke that the Provisional Budget for the calendar

year 1955, with changes as above noted, be adopted as the Annual Budget for 1955. Motion carried.

ANNUAL BUDGET FOR CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA, FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR JANUARY 1, 1955 TO DECEMBER 31, 1955 AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 12.2003 SDC 1939.

FUNDS: ITEMS:	(1) ESTIMATED OTHER REVENUE	(2) ESTIMATED CASH BALANCE	(3) ESTIMATED REAL AND PERS.PROP. TAX	(4) TOT.ESTD. REV.& BAL. FROM ALL SOURCES	(5) ADOPTED BUDGET APPROP. CANNOT EQUAL MORE THAN 95% OF COL. 4
GENERAL FUND					
Commissioners Per Diem & Salary					9 400
Mileage					2 500
Expense, Advertising & Printing					6 000
Convention Expense					600
AUDITOR Office Expense					2 800
Election Expense					4 000
Assessors' Salaries & Supplies					1 000
TREASURER - Rent & Sale					200
Office Expense					2 800
Delinq. Tax Expense (Tax Coll.)					4 300
Tax Deed Expense					300
Publication Fees					2 500
CLERK OF COURTS Office Expense					1 000
Vital Statistics					675
REGISTER OF DEEDS Office Exp.					2 500
SUPT. OF SCHOOLS Office Expense					1 000
Travel Expense					800
County Institute					800
SHERIFF Fees & Salary					1 000
Office Expense					300
Mileage					5 000
Board of Prisoners					1 500
Jailor's Salary & Maint. of Jail					3 000
Radio					300
STATES ATTORNEY Off. & Steno. Exp.					200
Mileage					200
COURTS-Jurors, Witness Fees and Court Reporter					10 000
Justice Fees					200
Office Expense					300
Bailiffs					500
CORONER Expense					400
COUNTY VETERANS'SERVICE OFFICE Expense and Salary					3 000
Court House, Maintenance					20 000
State Accountant					1 000
Insurance, Bond Premiums and Workmens' Comp.					2 800
Agriculture and Home Extension					3 500
County Contest and Exhibits					200
Public Welfare Office Expense	200				500
County Insanity Board					500
Care of Poor & Poor Farm-Beverage Fund	12 500				60 000
Board of Health					1 400
Bounties, Trees					1 500
Crow and Magpie Bounty					100
Social Security					3 000
Memorial Day & Park					3 000
Equipment					2 000
Law Library					750
County Moneys and Credits Tax	5 500				
Telephone Tax Outside	3 600				
Licenses	200				
Prior Tax Collections	7 000				
GENERAL FUND TOTALS	29 000	10 000	139 237	178 237	169 325
SALARY FUND					
Auditor					13 000
Treasurer					11 000
Clerk of Courts	3 500				6 200
Register of Deeds	7 000				8 200
Superintendent of Schools					6 400
States Attorney					6 800
County Judge					3 500
Municipal Judge					2 400
SALARY FUND TOTALS	10 500		50 027	60 527	57 500
INSANE FUND	1 000		24 264	25 264	24 000
FEEBLE MINDED FUND	500		6 870	7 370	7 000
CUSTER SANATORIUM FUND			3 158	3 158	3 000
COUNTY ROAD FUND-Maintenance			15 790	15 790	15 000
COUNTY ROAD FUND TOTALS			15 790	15 790	15 000
TOTALS OF FUNDS WITHIN LIMITED LEVY	41 000	10 000	239 346	290 346	275 825
JAIL BUILDING FUND			13 475	13 475	12 800
COUNTY HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE RESERVE FUND		110 422	58 000	168 422	160 000

SPECIAL BRIDGE FUND		3 000	28 579	31 579	30 000
COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL FUND		25 000	32 895	57 895	55 000
WEED CONTROL FUND			4 211	4 211	4 000
County Fair		9 825	8 070	17 895	17 000
Mellette Memorial			1 000	1 000	950
TOTALS OF FUNDS OUTSIDE LIMITED LEVY		148 247	146 230	294 477	279 750
GRAND TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS LEVIES SUBJECT TO LEVIES	41 000	158 247	385 576	584 823	555 575
COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL TUITION FUND					93 500
COMMON SCHOOL EQUALIZATION FUND					87 075
					180 575
COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE FUND					
Construction & Maintenance	56 300	10 000		66 300	66 300
Salary Expense	8 700			8 700	8 700
Workmens' Compensation	1 600			1 600	1 600
COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE FUND TOTALS	66 600	10 000		76 600	76 600
COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY	40 000			40 000	40 000
COUNTY HIGHWAY & BRIDGE FUND	27 000	8 000		35 000	35 000
TEXTBOOK REVOLVING FUND	10 000			10 000	10 000
SCHOOL LIBRARY FUND	1 500			1 500	1 500
GRAND TOTAL OF FUNDS NOT SUBJECT TO LEVIES	145 100	18 000		163 100	163 100
GRAND TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS	186 100	176 247	385 576	747 923	899 250

R E S O L U T I O N NO. 221

ANNUAL BUDGET FOR YEAR 1955

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
COUNTY OF CODINGTON) SS.

WHEREAS, Section 12.2007 South Dakota Code of 1939 provides that the Board of County Commissioners shall prepare each year a Provisional Budget of all the contemplated expenditures and revenues of the County, and all its institutions and agencies for such fiscal year, and

WHEREAS, The Board of County Commissioners did prepare a Provisional Budget and caused same to be published as provided by law, and

WHEREAS, Due and legal notice has been given of the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners for the consideration of such Provisional Budget, and all changes, eliminations and additions have been made thereto.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That such Provisional Budget as amended, and each and all of the purposes, objects, items, schedules, appropriations, amounts, estimates and all matters contained therein as herein set forth shall be approved and adopted as the Annual Budget of Appropriations and expenditures for Codington County, South Dakota and all its institutions and agencies for the calendar year beginning January 1st, 1955 and ending December 31st, 1955, and the same is hereby approved and adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, this 14 day of September, 1954.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA

James L Keenan
Chairman

Herb Skinner
Commissioner

Vernon H Belk
Commissioner

Oscar J Iverson
Commissioner

Ernest Jordeth
Commissioner

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles of Main Line and Side Track and the value per mile for the year 1954 of each of the railroads running through or into said County, as fixed by said Commission, to-wit:

COMPANY, LINE OR DIVISION	MILEAGE MAIN LINE	MILEAGE SIDE TRACK	VALUATION PER MILE MAIN	VALUATION PER MILE SIDE	VALUATION MAIN LINE	VALUATION SIDE TRACK	TOTAL VALUATION
CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN							
Minnesota State Line	11.76	.26	5 767	1 406	203 161	366	203 527
Dakota Division	26.36	.52	5 379	1 417	149 792	737	150 529

GREAT NORTHERN							
Watertown to Huron	33.06	.76	6 301	2 031	252 493	1 544	254 037
Watertown to Sioux Falls	5.68	.12	4 685	1 030	33 055	123	33 178
M. & ST. L.							
Pacific Division	16.65	.39	2 750	671	77 549	262	77 811
Northwestern Division	24.19	.53	2 065	671	59 538	356	59 894
TOTALS	117.70	2.58			775 588	3 388	778 976

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State that the number of miles of Main Line and Side Track, shown by the plats of each of said railroads on file in the office of the County Auditor, and the value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township and school district of Codington County, South Dakota for the year 1954 shall be as follows:

DISTRIBUTION BY CITY, TOWNS AND TOWNSHIPS

NAME OF TAXING DISTRICTS	MILEAGE MAIN LINE	MILEAGE SIDE TRACK	VALUATION PER MILE MAIN	VALUATION PER MILE SIDE	VALUATION MAIN LINE	VALUATION SIDE TRACK	TOTAL VALUATION
Watertown, C&NW, Minn.Line	2.14				147 683		147 683
C&NW, Dakota Div.	2.50				20 965		20 965
Great North.,Hur.	2.85				58 946		58 946
M&St.L., Pacific	2.06				37 427		37 427
M&St.L.,Northwest	1.45				6 221		6 221
G.N., Sioux Falls	.00				6 444		6 444
Henry, C&NW, Dakota Division	1.02				5 971		5 971
South Shore,G.N., Huron Br.	1.26				11 133		11 133
Florence, M&St.L.,Northwest	.51				4 823		4 823
Wallace,M&St.L., Northwest	.50				3 622		3 622
Kranzburg,C&NW, Minn. Line	6.09	.26	5 767	1 406	35 121	366	35 487
Sheridan, C&NW, Dakota Div.	6.71	.23	5 379	1 417	36 093	326	36 419
Pelican, C&NW, Dakota Div.	4.58		5 379		24 636		24 636
Pelican, G.N., Huron Br.	7.25		6 301		45 683		45 683
Pelican, G.N.,Sioux Falls Br.	5.68	.12	4 685	1 030	26 611	123	26 734
Kampeska, C&NW, Dakota Div.	6.09	.29	5 379	1 417	32 758	411	33 169
Kampeska, G.N., Huron Br.	2.69	.38	6 301	2 031	16 950	772	17 722
Henry, C&NW., Dakota Div.	4.92		5 379		26 464		26 464
Elmira, C&NW, Minn. Div.	3.53		5 767		20 357		20 357
Elmira, M&St.L.,Pacific Div.	6.15		2 750		16 912		16 912
Elmira, G.N., Huron Br.	2.25		6 301		14 177		14 177
Lake, C&NW., Dakota Div.	.54		5 379		2 905		2 905
Lake, G.N., Huron Br.	1.77		6 301		11 153		11 153
Lake, M&St.L., Northwest Div.	6.52	.52	2 065	671	13 464	349	13 813
Waverly, M&St.L.,Pacific Div.	8.44	.39	2 750	671	23 210	262	23 472
Waverly,G.N., Huron Branch	.90		6 301		5 671		5 671
Rauville,G.N.,Huron Branch	7.74	.38	6 301	2 031	48 769	772	49 541
Fuller, M&St.L., Northwest	7.69		2 065		15 880		15 880
Leola,G.N., Huron Branch	6.35		6 301		40 011		40 011
Dexter, M&St.L., Northwest	1.93		2 065		3 985		3 985
Eden, M&St.L., Northwest	5.59	.01	2 065	671	11 543	07	11 550
TOTALS	117.70	2.58			775 588	3 388	778 976

DISTRIBUTION BY SCHOOL DISTRICTS

SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER	MILEAGE MAIN LINE	MILEAGE SIDE TRACK	VALUE PER MILE MAIN LINE	VALUE PER MILE SIDE TRACK	VALUATION MAIN LINE	VALUATION SIDE TRACK	TOTAL VALUATION
Watertown #1	11.49				280 322		280 322
Ind.27, C&NW, Dakota Div.	3.44		5 379		18 988		18 988
Ind.28,M&St.L.,Northwest Div.	3.51		2 065		11 018		11 018
Ind.38,G.N., Huron Branch	2.38		6 301		18 190		18 190
Wallace Ind.,M&St.L., Northwest	2.03	.01	2 065	671	6 781	7	6 788
WC1, G.N., Huron Branch	6.60		6 301		41 586		41 586
WC1, M&St.L., Pacific Div.	6.62	.39	2 750	671	18 205	262	18 467
No. 2, C&NW., Dakota Division	4.65		5 379		25 013		25 013
No.3, M&St.L.,Northwest Div.	3.96		2 065		8 178		8 178
No.4, C&NW, Dakota Division	.33	.07	5 379	1 417	1 775	99	1 874
No.5, C&NW., Minn. State Line	3.04	.26	5 767	1 406	17 531	366	17 897
No.7, G.N., Sioux Falls Branch	5.68	.12	4 685	1 030	26 611	123	26 734
No.7, G.N., Huron Branch	3.62		6 301		22 810		22 810
No.8, G.N., Huron Branch	4.02		6 301		25 330		25 330
No.9, C&NW, Dakota Division	3.58		5 379		19 257		19 257
No.10,M&St.L., Northwest Div.	.65		2 065		1 342		1 342
No.13,G.N., Huron Branch	3.20	.38	6 301	2 031	20 163	772	20 935
No.14, M&St. L., Pacific Div.	5.26		2 750		14 465		14 465
No.16, C&NW, Minnesota Line	2.01		5 767		11 592		11 592
No.17, C&NW, Minnesota Line	3.53		5 767		20 357		20 357
No.17, C&NW, Dakota Division	2.24		5 379		12 049		12 049
No.24, C&NW, Dakota Division	2.98	.29	5 379	1 417	16 029	411	16 440
No. 25, G.N., Huron Branch	2.69	.38	6 301	2 031	16 950	772	17 722
No. 29, C&NW, Dakota Division	2.50		5 379		13 447		13 447
No. 36, G.N., Huron Branch	2.88		6 301		18 147		18 147
No. 39, G.N., Huron Branch	3.63		6 301		22 873		22 873
No. 41, M&St.L., Northwest Div.	1.17		2 065		2 416		2 416
No. 43,M&St. L.,Northwest Div.	1.49		2 065		3 077		3 077

No. 46,M&St.L., Northwest Div.	3.08		2 065		6 360		6 360
No. 51,M&St.L., Northwest Div.	3.77		2 065		7 785		7 785
No. 63,M&St.L., Pacific Div.	2.71		2 750		7 452		7 452
No. 64,C&NW, Minnesota Line	1.04		5 767		5 998		5 998
No. 66,C&NW, Dakota Division	3 65	.16	5 379	1 417	19 633	227	19 860
No. 67, G.N., Huron Branch	1.19		6 301		7 498		7 498
No. 73, M&St.L., Northwest Div.	3.08	.52	2 065	671	6 360	349	6 709
TOTALS	117.70	2.58			775 588	3388	778 976

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 14th day of September, 1954.

James L Kernan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles and total valuation for the year 1954 of each of the Pipeline Companies running through or into said County, as fixed by said Commission, to-wit:

NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Great Lakes Pipeline Company	11.09	144 840

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State that the number of miles of Pipeline Companies, shown by the plats of each said pipeline company on file in the office of the County Auditor, and value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township, and school district of Codington County, South Dakota, for the year 1954 be as follows:

TAXING DISTRICT	NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Kranzburg	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	6.69	14 050
Sheridan	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	4.40	130 790
	TOTALS	11.09	144 840

SCHOOL DISTRICT --	NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
1	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	.51	122 620
11	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	2.05	4 310
12	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	3.91	8 210
17	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	3.34	7 010
52	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	1.28	2 690
	TOTALS	11.09	144 840

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 14th day of September, 1954.

James L Kernan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles and total valuation for the year 1954 of each of the Electric Light or Power Companies running through or into said county, as fixed by said Commission, to-wit:

NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Northwest Public Service Co.	69.80	110 908
Otter Tail Power Company	3.25	5 683

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State that the number of miles of Electric Light and Power Companies, shown by the plats of each said Electric Light and Power Company on file in the Office of the County Auditor, and value thereof in each City, incorporated town, township and school district of Codington County, South Dakota, for the year 1954 be as follows:

TAXING DISTRICT	NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Watertown	Northwest Public Service Co.	2.30	22 650
South Shore	Otter Tail Power Co.	1.70	4 759
Florence	Northwest Public Service Co.		4 950
Henry	Northwest Public Service Co.		5 600
Wallace	Northwest Public Service Co.		3 400
Kranzburg	Northwest Public Service Co.	8.00	8 379
Kampeska	Northwest Public Service Co.	13.00	11 633
Henry Twp.	Northwest Public Service Co.	12.00	12 295
Elmira	Northwest Public Service Co.	10.50	6 836
Lake	Northwest Public Service Co.	12.00	26 500
Richland	Northwest Public Service Co.	1.00	753
Fuller	Northwest Public Service Co.	.50	390
Leola	Otter Tail Power Company	1.55	924
Dexter	Northwest Public Service Co.	4.00	2 830
Eden	Northwest Public Service Co.	6.50	4 692
	TOTALS	73.05	116 591

SCHOOL DISTRICT	NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Watertown	Northwest Public Service Co.	3.30	23 301
South Shore Ind.	Otter Tail Power Company	3.25	5 683
Wallace Ind.	Northwest Public Service Co.	4.00	6 287
Florence Ind.	Northwest Public Service Co.	3.50	7 463
Henry Ind.	Northwest Public Service Co.	6.50	12 260
No. 2	Northwest Public Service Co.	4.50	9 938
No. 3	Northwest Public Service Co.	2.00	4 417
No. 5	Northwest Public Service Co.	5.00	6 400
No. 6	Northwest Public Service Co.	1.00	753
No. 9	Northwest Public Service Co.	9.00	7 188
No.16	Northwest Public Service Co.	2.00	1 320
No.17	Northwest Public Service Co.	9.50	6 185
No.24	Northwest Public Service Co.	1.00	2 759
No.25	Northwest Public Service Co.	4.00	3 895
No.29	Northwest Public Service Co.	2.50	2 561
No.44	Northwest Public Service Co.	3.50	7 728
No.51	Northwest Public Service Co.	3.50	2 512
No.54	Northwest Public Service Co.	3.00	3 074
No.64	Northwest Public Service Co.	1.00	659
No.73	Northwest Public Service Co.	1.00	2 208
	TOTALS	73.05	116 591

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 14th day of September, 1954.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Carl Peterson, landowner in Lake Twp., appeared before the Board to request that the county furnish and install a more adequate bridge or culvert on the section line road between Sections 2 and 11 in Lake Twp.

The Board agreed to check the bridge in question, but deferred action pending inspection.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: J. E. Henning, Albert Maag, Vincent Maag, Alan Holmberg, H. A. Rear, $4.00 each; Donald Burchatz, $8.00.

On motion by Jordeth and second by Belk the Board approved the application of Jiles L. Kranz for a dance hall license for one night, September 18, 1954, at Medicine Lake Resort in Fuller Twp.

The Weed Supervisor's monthly report for August, 1954, was noted by the Board.

Claude Paterson appeared before the Board regarding delinquent personal property taxes of John and Ferne Washtoak.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the application of Claude Paterson for

a compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes plus penalty and interest in the amount of $321.95, against John and Ferne Washtoak, be approved by the Board for a payment of $196.30. Motion carried.

R E S O L U T I O N NO. 222

WHEREAS, Codington County acquired tax deed to property described as, Lots numbered Fourteen, Fifteen, Sixteen and Seventeen, in Block Seven, of Kemp Bros. Addition to Watertown, in Codington County, South Dakota; and the former owner of record has now tendered the full amount of the tax, interest and costs;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, Codington County re-convey the above described real estate to the owner of record, Herman Gaul, of Watertown, South Dakota, pursuant to Chapter 292 of the 1943 Session Laws of the State of South Dakota, and the County Treasurer is hereby Authorized to wxecute a quit claim deed as provided by Law, upon the payment of the sum of Sixty Three Dollars & Seventy Five Cents ($63.75) by Herman Gaul.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Skinner, and upon being put to a vote, all commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 14th day of September, 1954 A.D.

Oscar J Fromke
Vice chairman, of the Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, State of South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan Auditor
State of South Dakota, County of Codington:

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. September 28, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
September 28, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner verified claims were approved and allowed as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Irma Welch $210.00, Pearl Bergan $190.00, Kathleen Turbak $150.00; County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00, Alma Gerberding $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68, Harriett Horning $205.00, Margaret Brown $175.00; Superintendent of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $283.75, Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00, Carl Zweig, Jr. $154.35, Ed Gould $184.00, Fred Brownell $2.85, Leo Clausen $3.80, John Strait $6.65, Curtis Underwood $135.85, Chris Engels $146.30, Julius Lentz $150.10, Chas. Krogman $141.55, Lawrence Person $45.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Katherine Downs $25.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $175.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; Poor Farm-Henry Klemsrud $100.00, Pearl Klemsrud $50.00, Ed Gould $5.75, Fred Brownell $6.65, Leo Clausen $5.70, John Strait $6.65, Curtis Underwood $6.65, Andrew Larson $5.70, Robert L. Howey $5.70, Chas. Krogman $6.65; Memorial Park-Clarence Helle $5.70; Per Diem, Mileage & Salary-James L. Keenan $92.00, Herb Skinner $103.42, Oscar J. Fromke $85.51, Einar Jordeth $99.56, Vernon H. Belk $89.70; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $64.40; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-J. P. Haug $229.95, Joe Stricherz $187.30, Claude VanSickle $114.26, C. B. Sumner $262.50, Harold Scriver $231.00, Carl Zweig, Jr. $39.90, James Hendren $7.70, Ed Gould $2.65, Alfred Spring $5.35, Howard Williams $10.01, Leo Clausen $5.70, John Strait $3.86, E. W. Spearbeck $72.18, Clarence Helle $15.20, Chris Engels $.91, Andrew Larson $4.75, Thomas Spiering $9.50, Leiv Valberg $11.40, C. S. Rasmusson $525.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $190.00, Sever Tobiason $200.00, Bert Smith $74.00; CH&BR-J. P. Haug $10.50, Joe Stricherz $53.55, Claude VanSickle $152.25, James Hendren $274.75, Ed Gould $.40, Alfred Spring $248.40, Howard Williams $138.60, Fred Brownell $167.30, Leo Clausen $212.80, John Strait $193.80, E. W. Spearbeck $105.45, Clarence Helle $128.25, Curtis Underwood $87.45, Rudolph J. Lange $135.08, Julius Lentz $1.65, Andrew Larson $154.74, Robert L. Howey $140.20, Chas. Krogman $5.05, Allen R. Junso $134.41, Elmer Woolven $154.47, Thomas Spiering $32.66, Loomis Bros. $1,660.50; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Carl Zweig, Jr.$9.45, Ed Gould $11.50, Julius Lentz $4.96, Andrew Larson $60.80, Robert L. Howey $59.85, Chas. Krogman $4.25; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Kampeska)-Carl Zweig, Jr. $36.75, Ed Gould $34.50, Clarence Helle $42.75, Chris Engels $42.75, Rudolph J. Lange $42.75, Julius Lentz $33.25, Chas. Krogman $28.50, Allen R. Junso $33.25, Elmer Woolven $33.25; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Kranzburg)-Ed Gould $26.45, Alfred Spring $6.90, Howard Williams $115.50, Fred Brownell $9.50, Leo Clausen $4.75, John Strait $19.00, E. W. Spearbeck $9.50, Clarence Helle $18.05, Chris Engels $21.85, Rudolph J. Lange $17.10, Julius Lentz $21.85, Chas. Krogman $21.85, Allen R. Junso $14.25, Elmer Woolven $17.10, Thomas Spiering $5.70,

On motion by Jordeth and second by Belk the Board approved the application of Jiles Kranz for a dance hall license for one night, Oct. 1, 1954, at the Medicine Lake Resort in Fuller Twp.

At the request of the Board, Jack Ruhe, Jr., and his service man, Elmer Boone, appeared to discuss the matter of servicing Court House office machines. Mr. Ruhe stated that he could set up a service schedule for maintenance and repair of the ordinary type equipment in the Court House offices which he believed would result in a lower cost to the county than the present service contract system.

After some discussion, it was agreed by the Board that Mr. Ruhe should proceed to set up a service schedule on Court House office equipment of the type which he is equipped to service, and that he should assume the responsibility for the periodic checking of such equipment.

L. L. Blake, County Public Welfare Director, appeared before the Board on welfare matters.

The County Treasurer appeared before the Board to report an overcharge of interest in the amount $3.92 to Mrs. Eldon Clark on Redemption Receipt No. 3276 relating to Lots 1 & 2, Block 21, Brocks Addition to Watertown.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that a refund of $3.92 be made to Mrs. Clark for reason above noted. Motion carried.

On motion by Fromke and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of Arthur S. Hasche Jr., for a compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes plus penalties and interest in the amount of $1,068.97 against Arthur H. Hasche, Sr., for a payment of $668.97.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Oscar Thompson, Mrs. Walter McClung, Anton Feyereisen and Robert Chilson, $4.00 each; Ronald Burchatz, $8.00.

The County Auditor reported a tax deed sale of property described as Lots 87, 88 and 89, Fairfax Addition to Watertown, from Codington County to H. J. Murray of Sisseton, S. D. for the appraised value of $25.00.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that Chairman Keenan be authorized to execute a quit claim deed from Codington County to H. J. Murray to above described property. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that the Board approve the application of Emil and Anna Redlin for a compromise settlement of County liens in the amount of $129.79 for a payment of $125.00. Motion carried.

At 3:00 P.M. the Board recessed and all members except Fromke left to inspect a road in the Grover area, Kampeska Twp. At 4:45 P.M. they returned and resumed the Board meeting.

On motion by Jordeth and second by Belk the Board approved the application of Herbert Norbeck for a partial release of county liens of Hilda Thrun Ebens in the amount of $1,077.78 as said liens affect property described as SE$\frac{1}{4}$ Section 13-118-52 for a payment of $550.00.

On motion by Jordeth and second by Belk the Board accepted $463.04 as a compromise settlement for county aid liens of Agnes Kozak in the amount of $1967.38.

The Board designated Colonel Motors as the polling place in Ward 4, Precinct 2, for the forthcoming General Election November 2, 1954.

REPORT OF SALE

TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA:
Carl F. Bergan, the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, makes the following return of the proceedings had pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners to offer for sale the within described real estate acquired by the county by tax proceedings, and reports as follows, to-wit;

That the real property directed to be offered for sale by the Board of County Commissioners was first classified as class one land and was appraised by the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, at the sum of $150.00.

That in pursuance of the direction of the Board of County Commissioners that the within described real estate acquired by tax proceeding be offered for sale, he caused notice of sale thereof to be published in a legal newspaper of the County of Codington once each week for a period of 2 successive weeks before the date of sale specified therein, which notice contained a description of the real property to be sold and the time, place, and terms of sale, all of which appears by such notice and affidavit of publication filed herein.

That said County Auditor, pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners and notice duly given, offered for sale and on the 28 day of September, 1954, sold, subject to the confirmation of the Board of County Commissioners, the following described real estate to Anna L. Redlin, she being the highest and best bidder, for the sum of $150.00, said sum being the highest and best sum bid and not being less than the amount of the appraisement, upon the following terms, to-wit: cash at the time of sale.

The real estate so sold is described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 11, Block 75, Third Railway Addition to Watertown.

Dated this 28 day of September, 1954

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County, South Dakota.

RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE #223

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described real property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that one Anna L. Redlin of Watertown, S. D. has offered the sum of $150.00 in cash for the following described real property, to-wit:

Lot 11, Block 75, Third Railway Addition to Watertown.
which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited in cash with the County Treasurer

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 28 day of September, 1954, that the sale of said premises to the said Anna L. Redlin of Watertown, S. D. be and the same is hereby approved, and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deed to said purchaser conveying to said purchaser all of the right, title, and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 28 day of September, 1954.

Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Erna Jordeth
Oscar J Fromke
James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., October 5, 1954.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
October 5, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Minutes of meetings of September 7, 14 and 28, 1954 were approved by the Board.

On motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth verified claims were allowed as follows: GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Gene Coplan $36.90; Memorial Park-Arnold Hoftiezer $100.00, Bessie Hoftiezer $100.00; Court Expense-Cecilia M. Beirne $116.50; Election Expense-Postmaster $10.00; CH&BR-E. L. Lien Construction Co. $8,275.52;

A delegation of residents from Dexter, Germantown and Leola Twps. and Grant County appeared before the Board to discuss the possibility of getting Codington County to cooperate with Grant County in adding to Codington and Grant County Highway Systems the Grant-Codington County line road beginning on the NE Corner of Section 3-119-51 in Leola Twp., thence west 13 miles to the NW Corner of Section 28-120-52, Res., in Dexter Twp.

Members of the delegation were as follows: Otto Kriesel, Earl Johnston, Charles Zirbel, Carl Beskow, John Neville, August Grewing, Orvil Stormo, Robert Neville, Carl Gunderson, Gerhard Matthes, Edwin C. Matthes, William H. Redlin, Cliff Grinols, Rudolph Noeldner and Oscar Hogstad.

The Board took no action at this time pending further study and possible contact with the Grant County Board.

The Auditor's Account with the County Treasurer as of October 1, 1954 was approved by the Board as follows: Deposits in banks $345,364.06; Checks, drafts and cash in Treasurers possession not exceeding three days, $15,896.19; C. D., $70,000.00; Government Bonds $112,000.00; Total of all items, $543,260.25.

Monthly statements for September, 1954 were checked and approved as follows: Yankton

State Hospital, $1,738.34; Redfield State Hospital and School, $625.00; State Sanatorium at Sanator, S. D., $171.60.

On motion by Jordeth and second by Skinner the Board authorized Muriel Hoover, County Superintendent of Schools, to attend the S.D.E.A. Convention to be held at Huron on November 3, 4 and 5, 1954.

On motion by Skinner and second by Fromke the Board approved the application of Roy and Daphne Jaeger for a compromise settlement of personal property taxes plus penalties and interest in the amount of $287.48 for a payment of $200.41 plus collection costs of $11.30.

On motion by Belk and second by Fromke the Board approved the application of R.E. Kahnke, President of Rubber Service, Inc., for abatement of 1953 personal property taxes spread against a building on a leased site for the reason that said building belonged to North American Creameries, Inc., at the time of assessment and was assessed to Rubber Service, Inc., in error - said building has subsequently been assessed to North American Creameries, Inc., who has paid the taxes.

On motion, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. October 12, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
October 12, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor- Mrs. Mae Abbott $97.50-for Mary L. Wilson $40.00, Nora & Ed McPeek $40.00, Adolph Stankey $17.50; Mrs. August Anderson $27.60-for Mary Vermillion; Annette Burgdorf $80.00-for Henry Spilde $40.00, Nels T. Nelson $40.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Nora A. Kinstad $338.23-for Ola Hanson $33.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ole H. Aamodt $40.00, Olie Omodt $45.00, Carl Berge $30.00, Irwin Eisenbise $35.00, Peter Demuynck $86.84, Ruth Burson $28.39, Matt Kemp $5.00; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $105.00-for Lorence Albrecht $40.00, James Chambers $25.00, Ella Flanagan $40.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $30.00-for Edith Kinsey $30.00; Watertown Rest Home $130.65-for Louis Mourere $30.00, Mrs. Hilda Ebens $50.00, Ben Bergeson $50.65; Bessie Young $25.00-for Rosa Dixon $15.00, Sarah Ann Black $10.00; Mrs. August Anderson $24.19-for Frances Emery; Uptown Service $15.69-Raymond Hernandez $5.69, Lewis Hemenway $10.00; Bartron Hospital $1285.75-for Mrs. Henry Lipelt $60.75, Alma Pederson $65.35, Marshall Bradfield $159.05, Albert Johnson $226.10, Ed Thompson $204.00, Mrs. Thomas Black $52.75, Mrs. W. Barclay $126.00, Nellie Jensen $391.75; Bartron Clinic $334.05-for Mrs. Henry Lipelt $36.05, Alma Pederson $25.00, Marshall Bradfield $32.50, Albert Johnson $30.00, Emma Jenkins $9.00, Michael Kinon $2.00, Frank Metzinger $10.00, Edward Thompson $50.00, William Barto $6.00, Ben Bergeson $3.00, Phoebe Mowery $3.00, Mrs. Thomas Black $14.00, Arlone Johnson $8.00, Mrs. W. Barclay $32.50, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $11.00, John Farley $2.00, Nellie Jensen $60.00; Brown Clinic $349.00-for Eric Frese $36.00, Tom Hoffman $4.50, Mrs. William Jones $30.00, Albert Krohn $15.00, Mrs. J. C. Larsen $43.50, Joseph L. Letourneau $26.50, Mrs. William Luck $85.00, Mrs. Mary Myers $33.00, Louis F. Rohde $6.00, Rollin Vance $32.00, Mrs. John Welter $34.50, Mrs. Grace Wilson $3.00; Dr. F. Campbell $18.00-for Anna Parsley $11.00, H. Freeseman $7.00; Codington Co. Oil Co. $8.65-for Arthur Larson; Dawson Hospital, Inc. $187.25-for Mrs. W. B. Barclay; Duffner Drug Store $202.99-for Mrs. Inga Yarns $11.70, B. J. Murray $31.25, William Ball $41.50, Mrs. Chas. Ward Montney $15.90, Frank Metzinger $18.55, Rosa Dixon $1.50, Louis Rohde $8.74, Ola Omodt $3.25, Ola Hanson $17.10, Carl Berge $1.00, Steve Wisneski $36.40, Walter Richards $6.00, Henry & Mrs. Kraft $1.20, Edgar Wight $7.50, Louis Mourere $1.75, Leo Breske $1.50, Mathilda Blek $4.88, Ludwig Grewing $2.75, Marshall Bradfield $3.60, Irwin Eisenbise $2.40, Emma Schultz $3.60; Donald N. Fedt, M.D. $52.90-for Ola Hanson $4.00, Chas. Bierscheid $24.90, Irwin Eisenbise $4.00, Fannie Baker $20.00; John J. Feehan, M.D. $90.00-for Mary Myers; Haggar Drug Store $495.25-for Hilda Ebens $21.60, Mrs. Mildred Taylor $7.65, Josephine Welter $60.80, Thomas Hoffman $1.62, Philomena Holzmer $32.72, Nels T. Nelson $3.60, Ferne Washtoak $66.65, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $16.65, Seymore Peterson $23.49, Joseph L. LeTourneau $9.00, Mrs. Wm. Czeck $6.03, Frank & Emma Klucas $12.15, H. C. & Jessie Lipelt $2.43, Elmer Meisenheimer $13.32, Ellen Anderson $1.25, Mary Wilson $4.05, Thomas J. Peters $54.63, Ed Goeman $26.15, Lizzie Alt $14.16, Mr. Frese $4.91, Mrs. Beatrice Brandriet $18.05, Mary Myers $28.13, Mrs. Elida Jones $55.31, Mrs. Ruie Luck $.90; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $22.50-for Albert Krohn; Huebner Oil Company $47.78-for Frank Metzinger $22.05, Mrs. Wm. Glendenning $18.38, Royal Carlill $7.35; Hunters Grocery $15.00-for John Fjerstad; H. T. Kenney, M.D. $30.00-for Robert Strait $15.00, Ella Lentz $15.00; Dr. F. C. Kohlmeyer $5.00-for Olaf L. Larson; Liens Grocery $10.00-for Cora Barto; Lutheran Welfare Society $6.95-for Billy Vermillion; Elizabeth Marsch $10.00-for Matt Kemp; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $38.10-for Edith Bundy $24.10, Mrs. Blair Tessier $14.00; Medical Arts Clinic $329.00-for Mrs. Theodore Brandriet $54.00, Anna Christianson $4.00, Mrs. Wm. Czeck $2.00, Ola Hanson $2.00, Anna Kennedy $4.00, Louis Mourere $6.00, Walter Richard $4.00, Mrs. Hilda Ebens $30.00, Ed Goeman $14.00, Philomena Holzmer $28.00, Frank & Emma Klucas $18.00, Ferne Washtoak $41.00, Steve Wisneski $22.00, Adolph Stankey $30.00, Henry & Wife Kraft $2.00, Mrs. Charlie Ward Montney $68.00; Memorial Hospital $1113.30-for Mrs. Theo. Treat $45.50, John Kleinsasser $40.00, Alfred Vick $11.00, Rollin A. Vance $222.00, Mrs. Rosa Dixon $69.25, Mrs. Hilda Ebens $230.90, Adolph Stankey $306.15, Fannie Baker $188.50; North Side Grocery $30.00, for Edward J. Coyle; Northwestern Hotel $35.00-for Henry Stillwell; O. P. Skaggs $60.00-for Thomas & Hazel Black $20.00, Anna Kretzschmar $40.00; Shaw-Messer Ambulance Service $3.00-for Mrs. Rosa Dixon; St. Ann Hospital $1134.90-for Mrs. Wm. Luck $66.50, Joseph LeTourneau $113.90, Philomena Holzmer $58.20, Mrs. Beatrice Brandriet $130.00, Mrs. Elida Jones $366.95, Eric Frese $267.00, Mrs. Mary Myers $132.35; St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $26.00-for John Welter; St. John's McNamara Hospital $80.00-for Mrs. Mary Myers $80.00; Standard Oil Co. $4.32-for Will Norman; Dr. Glee Tarbell $4.00-for Gertrude Shepherd (LeRoy); Thomes Drug Store $120.99-for Mrs. Minnie Johnson $31.70, Lena Trumer $5.00, Anna Christianson $3.60, Alfred Vick $32.70, Anna Kennedy $1.23, John Farley $15.10, Chas. Bierscheid $1.00, Margaret Papka $8.80, James Chambers $20.60, Lawrence Albrecht $3.00, Richard DePeel $2.40, Harry Freesemann $9.30;

Watertown Co-op Elevator $20.00-for Elmer Meisenheimer; Mrs. Deloris Anderson $45.00-for Mrs. Anderson; Mrs. G. Stoltenburg $15.00-for Louisa Richter; Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty 120.00; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown, M.D. $100.00; Co. Judge Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $29.00, Brown & Saenger $4.80; Court Expense-Ruhe Stationery $1.00; Mileage-Cliff Englund $520.00, Fees-Cliff Englund $136.46, Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $114.80; James L. Keenan
Per Diem & Mileage-$61.90; Einar Jordeth-$72.74, Herb Skinner $69.25, Vernon H. Belk $52.60, Oscar J. Fromke $80.30; Convention & Research-James L. Keenan $91.20, Einar Jordeth $31.00; Tax Collector-James Nelson $1098.89; Ruhe Stationery $1.95; South Shore Gazette $26.65; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $6.04; Auditor's Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $14.45; Convention & Research-Carl F. Bergan $80.05; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $4.11; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Tri-State Transportation Co. $4.99, Carlson's $6.00, C. A. Gregory Co. $61.85; Supt. of Schools Travel Expense-Josephine M. Hoover $107.31; States Attorney's Travel Expense-Ross H. Oviatt $43.87; Memorial Park-Northwestern Public Service Co. $43.43, Uptown Service $5.04; Election Expense-Wilson Truck System $3.00, Chets Bicycle Shop $209.06, F. C. Grow Sons - Printers $45.00, Watertown Photo News $464.00; Court House Maintenance-Cliff Englund $8.95, Churchill Manufacturing Co. $29.00, City Treasurer $222.52, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $21.48, Egge Electric $6.75, Elvera Englund $10.40, Scotty Gunn $10.00, Lake Kampeska Nursery $16.85, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $2.62, Millers Package Delivery $2.00, Nelson Hardware $21.31, Northwest Bell Telephone Co. $220.15, Otis Elevator Co. $21.00, Pitney-Bowes, Inc. $5.24, Ramona Popham $12.00, Norman Schwanke Electric $57.55, John Thompson $5.00, Dr. F. R. Trzynka $3.00, Uptown Service $1.73, Western Chemical Company $243.29, Wilson Truck System $1.55, Watertown Machine Works $3.13, Watertown Cement Products Co. $364.00, Huebner Oil Company $21.61; Board of Insanity-H. T. Kennedy, M.D. $30.00; Co. Farm-City Treasurer $13.10, Liens Grocery $18.35, Watertown Co-op Elevator $113.77, Dr. J. P. Harman $5.00, R. E. Hubbard Co. $118.20, Marshall-Wells Store $7.43, Olson Appliance Company $8.80, Park & Grant Co. $30.17, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $11.00, Butterbrodt Drug Store $16.15; Common Schools-Henry Independent $68.06, South Shore Gazette $66.83, Watertown Public Opinion $138.24; Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent $66.00, South Shore Gazette $64.90, Watertown Public Opinion $214.85; Election Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $431.50; Court House Maintenance-O. W. Enger $183.75; ROAD-City Treasurer $6.51, Northwestern Public Service Co. $4.51, Wilson Truck System $18.42, Harold Scriver $3.00; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $4.50, Uptown Service $300.00, Watertown Machine Works $4.29, R. E. Hubbard Co. $63.08, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $992.93, Bichler Motor Co. $4 85, Empire Equipment Co. $63.74, J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $414.55, Florence Service $21.41, Foster-Bell Co. $241.78, Gooch Sales Co. $2.38, Kenneth Hayes Magneto & Electric $9.75, International Harvester Co. $199.09, Jakle Hardware Co. $6.43, Johnson Farm Equipment $21.06, K & Z Service $2.78, LaNoue's Radiator Shop $16.00, Mahowald Co. $34.93, Marquardt's Service $29.52, Motor Supply Co. $51.11, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $13.90; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $6.00, Watertown Machine Works $1.60, Botsford Lumber Co. $12.80, Dahl & Hollaway Construction Co. $880.00, S. D. C oncrete Products Co. $1,295.03; CH&BR-Botsford Lumber Company $41.60, Codington Clark Electric Cooperative, Inc. $717.94, Curtis O. Underwood $6.37, S. D. Concrete Products Co. $3,662.34, Steve Winski $16.00; CO. SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Kranzburg)-Howard Williams $4.76; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $36.30; TEXTBOOK-Tri-State Transportation Co. % Herb Skinner, Jr. $4.61, Wilson Truck System $5.23, American Book Company $92.69, Ginn & Company $37.95, E. M. Hale & Company $19.50, Houghton Mifflin Co. $42.53, Iroquois Publishing Co. $12.09, Lyons & Carnahan $59.09, Midwest-Beach Co. $9.09, Charles E. Merrill Company $163.40, The Macmillan Co. Publishers $151.87, Scott, Foresman & Company $52.46, Silver Burdett Company $30.69, Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $69.60, McCormick-Mathers Publishing Co. $30.59, The A. N. Palmer Company $8.72, The John C. Winston Co. $60.11; INSTITUTE-Double Day & Co., Inc. $239.79; TUITION-Clark Independent High School $8.73, Florence Inc. Dist. #28 $8,935.36, Garden City Independent School, Dist. #47, $173.77, Wallace Independent $5962.86;

Tree Bounty applications were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Tree Bounty- Delmer Dale $11.00, Otto N. Adolphsen $3.75, Edward Becking $21.50, Joe Becking $9.00, Carl Benthin $6.00, F. W. Beskow $12.25, Gilbert O. Bruflat $20.00, Max Coplan $36.25, Lloyd E. Dayton $10.50, Chas. Darling $12.50, Walter David $25.00, Alvin Kasuske $10.50, Orin Gunderson $5.00, Kenneth Hogstad $17.50, Joe H. Johnson $15.00, Hugh H. Johnston $11.00, Karen C. Kjos $10.00, John Klein $17.50, Harold LaFrambois $10.00, L. H. Loken $8.50, Emil Lura $6.50, Bill Maag $8.00, Clyde McElhaney $15.00, Walter McClung $20.00, Tom Minor $18.50, Leonard J. Murphy $10.00, Orville Noeldner $27.50, Don Nogelmeier $5.00, Helmuth Noeldner $5.00, Ray Ostrander $25.25, Charles Redlin $11.65, Edward Redlin $10.00, Robert Redlin $35.00, Ed Redmond $5.00, Ray McRoden $13.00, Russel Schwinger $12.00, Earl Stee $3.75, Floyd A. Thacker $33.25, Oscar Wilson $5.60, Joe Strophus $11.00, Geahart Albrecht $8.50, Maurice Borns $5.00, Alfred Briggs $12.50, John Erickson $28.50, Julius Feyereisen $12.50, Joe Fischer $15.00, John M. Fischer $15.00, Edward G. Fox $30.25, Hanten Bros. $13.00, Frank Hupf $3.75, Jim Jellis $26.65, Leo Klein $15.00, Al Kranz $14.50, Delia Kranz $8.00, Calvin Kucker $18.50, George Kuhlman $16.00, Frank Lantgen $10.50, Wm. F. Lenards $5.00, Thomas Lindner $50.00, Guy Moes $5.00, Harvey Monahan $23.00, A. E. Nordstrom $6.50, Swen Overland $13.50, Elmer Pardau $11.25, Ralph Raml $7.50, Vernon Riechling $50.00, L. C. Rueschenberg $11.50, Lester Schacht $36.00, Maynard Stormo $8.75, John P. Stricherz $12.00, Nick Stricherz $7.50, Pete Stricherz $3.00, John J. Sturm $13.00, B. J. Thyen $14.50, Cecilia Turbak $26.50, Harry Voelsch $26.25, Francis Wall $15.50, Louis Zielsky $6.50;

At the request of the Board, Carl Schreiber, agent for the Chamberlain Co. of America, appeared before the Board to discuss the matter of repairing and caulking leaks in the masonry around the windows and doors of the Court House. No action was taken at this time.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Lloyd Stark, Robert Adams and Mrs. Edward J. Lindner $8.00 each; Mrs. Clayton Thorson, Otto Richter, Bud Froke, Stanley Schwinger, Donald Brinkman, Kenneth Stormo, Richard Jurgensen and Albert Turbak $4.00 each.

Monthly statements of fees collected during September, 1954 were checked and approved as follows: Register of Deeds $708.95; Clerk of Courts $323.10.

The County Weed Supervisors monthly report as of September 30, 1954 was noted by the Board.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Fromke that the Board of Commissioners be authorized to attend the 13th Annual Meeting of the S. D. Social Welfare Conference to be held at

Aberdeen October 12, 13 and 14, 1954. Motion carried.

Robert Shevling of the State Highway Commission appeared before the Board to request purchase by the State Highway Commission from Codington County for State Highway right-of-way tax deed property described as the North 35 ft. of Lot 4, Block 2, of Wm. H. Johnston's addition to South Shore Village.

The Board agreed to deed the right-of-way requested as soon as a resolution for so doing could be prepared.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that the partial release of county aid liens granted to Hilda Thrun Ebens, as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of September 28, 1954, be extended to include lien numbers 117A, 118A, 121A and 122A for a total amount of $1659.55. Motion carried.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. October 19, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
October 19, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

On motion by Fromke and second by Belk the Board approved the application of Elmer Johnson for partial release of county liens in the amount of $61.75 as said liens affect property described as Lot 3 Less W 50 Ft., in Block 3, Pettigrews Addition to Watertown, for the reason that said liens were liens of another Elmer Johnson and not the liens of the applicant.

On motion by Fromke and second by Belk the Board approved the application of Joseph Hobelsberger for partial release of county liens in the amount of $1,059.52 as said liens affect 1/6 interest in property described as: NW¼ Section 14-117-51 for a payment of $175.72.

On motion by Skinner and second by Fromke the Board approved the application of Mrs. Gus (Katherine) Strutz for a compromise settlement of county liens in the amount of $158.66 for a payment of $125.00.

On motion by Fromke and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of the County Auditor for abatement of 1953 taxes spread against Lot 4, Block 4, Mayfair Addition to Watertown in the amount of $13.60 for the reason of an error in the Auditor's office whereby said property was listed twice in the Assessor's Book and taxes subsequently spread against both listings.

On motion by Fromke and second by Jordeth the Board approved the application of Harold Anderson for abatement of 1948 school poll in amount of $1.00 for reason military service exemption.

RESOLUTION #225

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
:SS BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

RESOLUTION TO CONVEY TAX DEED LAND FOR HIGHWAY PURPOSES

WHEREAS it is necessary that the South Dakota State Highway Commission purchase or otherwise acquire, for the purpose of constructing and relocating a highway of the State Highway system, the following described property to-wit: North Thirty-five (N35) feet of Lot Four (4), in Block Two (2), of William H. Johnston Addition to South Shore, Codington County, South Dakota, and

WHEREAS the County of Codington, State of South Dakota, has previously purchased said above described property at tax sale and now holds a tax deed to said above described real property, and

WHEREAS it appears to the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County that it is in the best interest of the public, and in particular to the best interests of Codington County that said above described real property be sold and conveyed by quit claim deed to the State of South Dakota for highway right-of-way purposes, NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that a quit claim deed of conveyance be made and executed to the State of South Dakota for highway right-of-way purposes by the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, and attested by the County Auditor, conveying the following described real property, to-wit: North Thirty-five (N35) feet of Lot Four (4), in Block Two (2), of William H. Johnston Addition to South Shore, Codington County, South Dakota; and that said conveyance shall contain a provision that when said property conveyed or dedicated ceases for the period of two years to be used as a public highway that the same shall revert to Codington County or its assigns, all pursuant to SDC Supp. 12.34.

Dated at Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota, this 19th day of October, A.D. 1954. The foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Belk, seconded by Jordeth & carried unanimously.

James P. Keenan
Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:
Carl F. Bergan, County Auditor

RESOLUTION #226

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $4,237.97 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the third quarter of 1954.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows, to-wit:

Sheridan, $211.90; Henry Twp., $211.90; Elmira, $211.90; Richland, $211.90; Graceland, $211.90; Waverly, $270.75; Rauville, $300.19; Phipps, $211.90; Germantown, $282.53; and Dexter, $353.15; TOTAL - $2,478.02.

AND WHEREAS, the County Highway System has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following townships; Kranzburg, $364.95; Pelican, $211.90; Kampeska, $211.90; Lake, $211.90; Fuller, $335.50; Leola, $211.90; and Eden, $211.90; TOTAL - $1,759.95.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that, siad fund apportioned as above set out be held by the County Auditor to pay for completing the County Highway System in the said townships, in the proportion as above provided and pursuant to law, and no part thereof shall be actually paid over to the said townships, provided however, that any amount of the respective allotments to their respective townships not paid over, shall remain unexpended after completing the roads of the County Highway System, shall revert to and be payable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Jordeth, seconded by Commissioner Belk and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

DATED AT WATERTOWN, SOUTH DAKOTA, this 19th day of October 1954.

James L Keenan
Chairman Board of County Commissioners Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
Auditor, Codington County
South Dakota

RESOLUTION #226 A

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $693.49 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment for the third quarter of 1954.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned among the respective municipalities as follows:

FLORENCE	$ 38.84
HENRY	38.84
SOUTH SHORE	38.84
WATERTOWN	547.85
WALLACE	29.12
TOTAL	$ 693.49

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Skinner, seconded by Commissioner Fromke and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

DATED AT WATERTOWN, SOUTH DAKOTA this 19th day of October, 1954.

James L Keenan
James L. Keenan, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
Carl F. Bergan, Auditor

The Board authorized payment in the amount of $37.40 for transportation and $7.60 for subsistence for Mrs. DeLores Anderson to Detroit, Michigan.

C. S. Rasmusson appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to grading and graveling by the City of Watertown and Codington County of the streets in Northeast Watertown as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of August 17, 1954.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that said Commissioners Proceedings of August 17, 1954, relating to graveling and grading by county and city forces of streets in northeast Watertown be amended to describe streets to be graded and graveled as follows: Beginning on the intersection of 1st Ave. and 6th St., N. E., thence northerly along 6th St., to intersect with 3rd Ave. North; also, beginning at 6th St. and B Ave. thence easterly to 7th St., thence northerly to C Ave., thence westerly along C Ave. to U.S. Highway 81, approximately 10 blocks. Motion carried.

A deferred claim of M. J. Fox of Elmira Twp. for damages to crops during construction of a County highway adjoining his farm and another for right-of-way acquired by the county through condemnation proceedings were again presented to the Board for further consideration.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Jordeth that above mentioned claims of M. J. Fox be referred to the States Attorney and action on same deferred pending States Attorney's advice. Motion carried.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. October 26, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
October 26, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Irma Welch $210.00, Pearl Bergan $190.00, Alice Olson $180.00, Kathleen Turbak $150.00; County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00, Alma Gerberding $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl, Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68, Harriett Horning $205.00, Margaret Brown $175.00; Supt. of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $283.75, Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; Co. Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00; Carl Zweig, Jr. $21.00, Ed Gould $23.00, Fred Brownell $18.05, Leo Clausen $19.00, E. Spearbeck $19.00, Curtis Underwood $9.50, Andrew Larson $19.00, John Strait $14.25, Rudolph J. Lange $19.95, Chris Engels $19.95, Chas. H. Krogman $42.75, Julius Lentz $23.75, Clarence Helle $19.00, Robert Howey $19.00, Gene Coplan $11.70, O. W. Enger $91.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Katherine Downs $25.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $175.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; Co. Farm-Henry Klemsrud $100.00, Pearl Klemsrud $50.00, Ed Gould $5.75, Julius Lentz $4.75, Spies Super Valu $64.67; CMV-J. P. Haug $273.00, Joe Stricherz $168.28, Claude Van Sickle $79.48, C. B. Sumner $174.35, Harold Scriver $237.30, Carl Zweig, Jr. $166.99, Ed Gould $30.95, Alfred Spring $33.27, Howard Williams $23.98, Fred Brownell $23.45, Leo Clausen $80.56, Curtis Underwood $11.74, Andrew Larson $61.54, John Strait $89.45, Chris Engels $1.41, Chas. H. Krogman $6.18, Julius Lentz $25.18, Clarence Helle $1.90, Robert Howey $69.14, Thomas Spiering $155.77, Leiv Valberg $42.75, C. S. Rasmusson $525.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $190.00, Sever Tobiason $200.00, Bert Smith $74.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; CO. SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Kranzburg) Joe Stricherz $106.05, Ed Gould $40.25, Alfred Spring $60.95, Howard Williams $80.30, E. Spearbeck $21.85, Curtis Underwood $8.55, Rudolph J. Lange $20.90, Chris Engels $20.90, Chas. H. Krogman $37.05, Julius Lentz $37.05, Clarence Helle $19.95; CO. SPECIAL HIGHWAY Eden)-C. B. Sumner $75.60, Alfred Spring $86.25, Howard Williams $91.30, Fred Brownell $9.50, Leo Clausen $9.50, E. Spearbeck $9.50, Andrew Larson $9.50, Rudolph J. Lange $11.40, Chris Engels $17.10, Clarence Helle $19.00, Robert Howey $8.55, Nick Martin $784.00; CO. SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Pelican)-James Hendren $62.50, Rudolph J. Lange $47.50, Chris Engels $28.50, Clarence Helle $38.00, Peter P. Lindner $19.00, Loomis Bros. $405.00; CO. SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Kampeska)-James Hendren $150.00, Howard Williams $37.40, Rudolph J. Lange $4.75, Chris Engels $4.75, Clarence Helle $4.75; CO. SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Fuller)-Alfred Spring $6.90, Howard Williams $5.50; CH&BR-Claude VanSickle $193.20, Carl Zweig, Jr. $49.35, James Hendren $87.70, Ed Gould $166.75, Alfred Spring $81.65, Howard Williams $41.80, Fred Brownell $143.45, Leo Clausen $133.00, E. Spearbeck $128.40, Curtis Underwood $83.60, Andrew Larson $92.15, John Strait $121.60, Rudolph J. Lange $90.43, Chris Engels $129.20, Chas. H. Krogman $123.50, Julius Lentz $123.50, Clarence Helle $115.56, Thomas Spiering $33.25, Peter P. Lindner $5.78, Loomis Bros. $1,746.00, Kies & Zastrow $5,130.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Carl Zweig, Jr. $10.50, Ed Gould $8.05, Curtis Underwood $9.50, Andrew Larson $52.25, Chas. H. Krogman $6.65, Julius Lentz $6.65, Robert Howey $53.20; GENERAL-Per Diem, Mileage & Salary-James L. Keenan $71.10; Einar Jordeth $84.32; Oscar J. Fromke $104.40; Vernon H. Belk $68.30, Herb Skinner $80.54; Poor-Spies Super Valu $15.00-for Arthur Larson;

Payments made on county liens for the month of September are as follows: Ellsworth Spearbeck $25.00; James Grant $1.00; Harry Forbush Jr., Carroll, Betty, Patricia, Helen and Francis $312.00; Fannie Baker $55.00; Ed Schaaf $300.00; Marshall Bradfield $13.00; Emil Redlin $125.00; Fred and Agnes Kozak $463.04; Carl Zweig $3.90;

Richard Erickson, agent for the Western Surety Co., appeared before the Board with a proposal for a blanket bond coverage on all county officials and employees to replace the indivikual office responsibility for bonding as is presently being practiced. Mr. Erickson explained that the blanket bond would give a much greater coverage both in amount of individual coverage and in number of employees covered for a smaller cost to the county.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the blanket bond coverage as proposed by

Richard Erickson for the Western Surety Co. be accepted--details to be worked out so that plan could be checked and made effective in January, 1955. Motion carried.

On motion by Fromke and second by Skinner the Board authorized Chairman Keenan to execute, and the County Auditor to attest a quit claim deed from Codington County to the State Highway Commission for right-of-way purposes the property described in Resolution #225 in Commissioners Proceedings of October 19, 1954.

Pursuant to SDC 1939 Section 37.3503, it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Skinner that the Board designate locations for mortgage foreclosure sales as follows: County Sheds at Watertown, Kranzburg, Florence, South Shore and Henry, also, the Wallace Town Hall and the Farmers Elevator at Groover. Motion carried.

On motion by Fromke and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of Emmet and Bernice Johnson for a compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes plus penalties and interest in the amount of $359.74 for a payment of $246.79.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Ed Andree, Harlan Bach, Frank Lantgen, Ed Redmond, Charles Waege, Ed Fleming, Warren Bastian, Elmer Redlin, Jr., Bill Michaels, Carl Moyer, Harold Moyer, Harry Pieschke, Robert Newell, Carl Benthin and Robert Adams, $4.00 each; Thomas J. Bergan, Glen Buchholz, Clare Ward, Harry O. Borns, Norris Johnson, Don DeBerg, Adolph DeVille, John DeVille, Ed Maag and Matt Langenfeld, $7.50 each; Dale O'Neil, $15.00.

G. O. Taecker, Richard Stoltenberg, Chris Kirsch and Edward Fox, Town Board of Elmira Twp., appeared before the County Board to request that the county gravel the bad spots and repair in general, the township road in Elmira Twp. extending two miles east and one mile north of Mt. Hope Cemetery, for the reason that said road had been badly damaged by County vehicles as well as regular traffic during the time that said road had been used as a detour while work was being completed on a county road farther north.

The County Board agreed to meet with the Elmira Twp. Board on Friday, October 29, to inspect the road and determine what should be done.

On motion by Fromke and second by Belk, the Board approved the application of Harold Ries for a compromise settlement of county liens in the amount of $40.45 for a payment of $25.00.

On motion by Fromke and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of Francis Burns for partial release of county liens of Mr. & Mrs. Homer Black as said liens affect property described as Lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, Block 5, Gesley's Addition to Watertown, now owned by Frank La Fountain.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner Codington County levies for 1954 were approved by the Board as follows:

SCHEDULE OF TAX LEVIES FOR COUNTY PURPOSES

FOR 1954, ADOPTED OCTOBER 26,

1954

FUND	BUDGET	PLUS 5%	TOTAL	ESTIMATED REVENUES	TAXES	LEVY
General	169,325	8,466	177,791	39,000	138,791	4.58
Salary	57,500	2,875	60,375	10,500	49,875	1.65
Insane	24,000	1,200	25,200	1,000	24,200	.80
Feeble Minded	7,000	350	7,350	500	6,850	.23
Custer	3,000	150	3,150	000	3,150	.10
County Road	15,000	750	15,750	000	15,750	.52
TOTAL LIMITED LEVY	275,825	13,791	289,616	51,000	238,616	7.88
Jail Building	12,800	640	13,440	000	13,440	.44
Mellette Memorial	950	48	998	000	998	.03
Weed Control	4,000	200	4,200	000	4,200	.14
Special Bridge	30,000	1,500	31,500	3,000	28,500	.94
C.H. & B.R.F.	160,000	8,000	168,000	110,422	57,578	1.90
Co.Snow Removal	55,000	2,750	57,750	25,000	32,750	1.08
County Fair	17,000	850	17,850	9,825	8,025	.27
TOTAL UNLIMITED LEVY	279,750	13,988	293,738	148,247	145,491	4.80
CONSOLIDATED	555,575	27,779	583,354	199,247	384,107	12.68

James L. Keenan

James L. Keenan, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan County Auditor

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. October 29, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
October 29, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Spies Super Valu $15.00-for Arthur Larson; County Farm-Spies Super Valu $64.67; Court Expense-Cecilia M. Beirne $110.67; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Uptown Service $469.73; CH&BR-Harry O. Weagel $1,170.62;

On motion by Belk and second by Fromke, the Board concurred with the Lake Twp. Board in approving the application of Kermit C. Buchele for abatement of 1953 real estate taxes in the amount of $12.88 spread against a cottage located on Lot 18, Block 5, East Yahota Addition to Lake Twp., for the reason that said cottage had been removed from said location prior to the 1953 assessment.

The Board recessed at noon, and at 1:30 P.M. left to inspect the township road in Elmira Twp. Board of Supervisors as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of October 26, 1954.

The Board returned at 4:00 P.M., and adjourned to 10:00 A.M. November 4, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
November 4, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Minutes of meetings of October 5, 12, 19, 26 and 29, 1954 were approved by the Board.

On motion by Belk and second by Jordeth the Board allowed the claim of Harry O. Weagel in the amount of $1,170.62 for gravel for county roads.

The County Veterans Service Officers Individual Contact Report for October, 1954 was noted by the Board.

Monthly statements for October, 1954 were approved as follows: Redfield State Hospital and School, $625.00; State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis at Sanator, S. D. $163.02.

At 2:30 P.M. the Board recessed and went out to inspect work on the recently constructed roads in the county.

At 4:00 P.M. the Board returned, and after some discussion of routine road matters, it was moved and seconded that the meeting be adjourned to 10:00 A.M. November 9, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
November 9, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $80.00-for Mary L. Wilson $40.00, Edward McPeek $20.00, Nora McPeek $20.00; Mrs. August Anderson $54.27-for Mary Vermillion; Annette Burgdorf $80.00-for Henry Spilde $40.00, Nels T. Nelson $40.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Mrs. G. Stoltenberg $15.00-for Louisa Richter; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Nora A. Kinstad $261.00-for Ola Hansen $26.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ole H. Aamodt $40.00, Ola Omodt $45.00, Carl Berge $30.00, Irwin Eisenbise $35.00, Ruth Burson $50.00; Ann Mae Larson $14.65-for Mrs. Mary Myers; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $105.00-for Lorence Albrecht $40.00, James Chambers $25.00, Ella Flanagan $40.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $30.00-for Edith Kinsey; Watertown Rest Home $125.00-for Louis Mourere $30.00, Mrs. A. Ebens $50.00, Ben Bergeson $45.00; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00-for Mrs. Rose Dixon $15.00, Sarah Ann Black $10.00; Fees-Cliff Englund $138.67; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $158.76; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown $100.00; County Extension-Clara W. Johnson $86.89, Extension Service $22.62, Carlson's $47.03, Ruhe Stationery $33.30; County Judge Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $32.00; Superintendent of Schools Travel Expense-Josephine Muriel Hoover $65.30; County Auditor's Office Expense-Carlson's $57.50, Alice V. Olson $1.00, Ruhe Stationery $14.72; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Educator Supply Company $146.05, Ruhe Stationery $2.50, Remington Rand $151.15; States Attorney's Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $2.20; Treasurers Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $24.90, F. C. Grow Sons-Printers $26.00, Watertown Public Opinion $28.00; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $.40; Child Welfare Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $37.85; Court Expense-Cecilia M. Beirne $110.67, Ruhe Stationery $5.25, Hazel Hegarty $129.75; Superintendent of Schools Office Expense-Hub City School Supply Co. $16.75; Court House Maintenance-Jo's Laundry $6.59, M. M. Barkley Truck Line $21.25, Egge Electric Co. $7.30, City Treasurer $356.99, Herbergers $7.15, L. V. Harmel $35.00, Northwestern Bell T elephone Co. $260.67, Otis Elevator Co. $21.00, Pitney-Bowes $23.60, Sherwin-Williams Co. $99.80; Printing & Advertising-South Shore Gazette $144.40, Watertown Public Opinion $268.59; Convention & Research-C. S. Rasmusson $25.00;

County Farm-City Treasurer $14.60, Uptown Service $2.95, Hank's Shoe Shop $5.50, Jensen's Radio Service $2.00, K. D. Inc. $20.73, Marshall-Wells Store $23.60, Olson Appliance $5.80, Park & Grant $7.61, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $10.85, Watertown Co-op Feed Ass'n $77.32, Thompson Yards $42.16, R. E. Hubbard Co. $.66; Memorial Park-Northwestern Public Service $13.30, Uptown Service $.70; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $66.80, Herb Skinner $71.49, Oscar J. Fromke $76.32, Einar Jordeth $89.26, James L. Keenan $54.70; Election Expense-Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $2.30, Mid-West Beach $1179.11, Emmett Johnson $7.20, James C. Mooney $8.10, William Ruesink $5.85, Art Bolhouse $7.20, Melvin Faehn $8.10, South Shore Gazette $102.12; CH&BR-Harry O. Weagel $1170.62; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Uptown Service $469.73, Ruhe Stationery $18.00, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $975.54, Berger Scientific Supplies Inc. $21.95, Bichler Motor Co. $8.15, Botsford Lumbers Co. $3.50, Cave Supply Co. $244.13, J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $294.37, Foster Bell Co. $34.34, Dick's Tractor Parts Co. $1.00, Gooch Sales Co. $7.67, Henry Oil Co. $29.14, R. E. Hubbard Co. $107.12, International Harvester Co. $124.39, Johnson Farm Equipment $4.94, K & Z Service $2.76, Keuffel & Esser Co. $8.01, Marquardt's Service $144.60, Mahowald Co. $7.35, Motor Supply Co. $23.81, Northwestern Road Supply Company $14.91, John Strait $28.00, Harold Scriver $9.92, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $22.64, Albert Lea Tool Co. $15.60, Watertown Machine Works $4.00, Watertown Tire Co. $268.10; CH&BR-S. D. Highway Commission (State) $4631.26, Thompson Yards $24.96; ROAD-City Treasurer $6.23, Northwestern Public Service $6.03; TEXTBOOK-Mid-West Beach $23.08, Ginn & Company $9.56, Scott, Foresman & Company $87.32, The John C. Winston Co. $23.54; WEED BOARD-Joseph J. Fox $5.68, Robert Redlin $6.52, Matt Brandriet $8.16; CO. SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Fuller)-Carlatta A. Babcock $1.00, H. H. Hanson $1.00, Curtis C. Kellogg $1.00, Grant C. Kellogg $1.00, Grant & Lawrence Kellogg $1.00, Allie May Nelson $1.00, Orrila Olds $1.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Lake)-Etta Borns $1.00, Jacob Mack $1.00, H. J. Welch $1.00, Gilbert Yards $1.00; CMV-Western Surety Co. $600.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Dahl & Hollaway $373.38, Cave Supply Co. $210.38; GENERAL-Election Expense-Ruhe Stationery $18.85;

Payments made on county liens for the month of October are as follows: C. C. Kinsmann $11.65, Hilda Thrun Ebens $550.00, Van & Meta Mills $173.75, Eric Freese $150.00, Elmer Johnson $20.30, Harold J. Ries $25.00, Mrs. Homer Black $1.00, Mary Jane Stanley $35.15, Mrs. W. B. Fischer $17.44;

On motion by Fromke and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of Albert Dummer for a partial release of his county liens in the amount of $590.70 as said liens affect property described as the West 44 ft. of Lots 7 and 8, Block 4, Hopper's Fairview Addition to Watertown for a payment of $10.00.

On motion by Belk and second by Jordeth the Board granted a refund of $2.00 to Mrs. Emma A. Weiss for the reason of an error in dividing taxes into two installments whereby an overpayment of $2.00 was collected on Tax Receipt No. 1091.

The monthly statement of Yankton State Hospital in the amount of $1715.00 for October, 1954 was approved by the Board.

The County Weed Supervisor's monthly report for October was noted by the Board.

On motion by Fromke and second by Belk the Board approved the application of W. A. Flanders for abatement of 1952 real estate taxes spread against Lot 11, Block 75, Third Railway Addition to Watertown in the amount of $24.50 for the reason that the above property was being taken for tax deed at the time of assessment and should have been exempt.

Les Purcell appeared before the Board to discuss road matters. No action was taken.

The Board authorized a service agreement with the Burroughs Corporation on the Tax Accounting Machine M-222-M3719D in the Auditor's Office for the period from October 1, 1954 to March 31, 1955 for a cost of $62.25.

Monthly statements of fees collected furing October, 1954 were checked and approved by the Board as follows: Register of Deeds, $808.50; Clerk of Courts, $261.15.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of November 1, 1954 was checked and approved as follows: Deposits in banks, $587,395.11; checks, drafts and cash in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $41,073.47; C.D's $70,000.00; Government Bonds, $112,000.00; Total of all items, $810,468.58.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Darwin Latt, John Rowe, Richard Wick, Mrs. John Mack, Robert Boenke, Joe Comes, Lawrence Asmussen, and Lester M. Knutson, $4.00 each; Mrs. Roland Dahl, $7.50; Melvin Lantgen $7.50; Royal Redlin, $12.00; Robert Adams, $8.00.

Mayor, Everett Creaser, appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to county participation in the cost of the proposed National Guard Armory Building in Watertown. Mr. Creaser asked the Board to consider the proposition of the county paying a flat yearly rental fee for the use of the Armory for County 4-H activities and other farm livestock shows. The Board deferred action on the matter pending further study and discussion.

Paul Beebe of Reaney's Service appeared before the Board to request that the county provide parking facilities for wrecked cars towed in from the highways and unclaimed by the owners. He explained that Reaney's parking lot was filling up with these unclaimed cars, with titles to same still held by the owners, making it impossible to legally dispose of them. The Board agreed to take the matter up with the States Attorney to see what could be done.

A delegation of residents from South Shore and vicinity appeared before the Board to request that the county rebuild the present county road beginning on State Highway No. 20 between Sections 22 and 23 in Leola Twp. and running south 8 miles to intersect with the east and west county road between Sections 26 and 27 in Waverly Twp.

Members of the delegation were as follows: Hans Jensen, Alvin Tulowetzke, Donald Waege, Otto Heuer, Manley Owen, Charles Waege, Carl Lindberg, Elmer Hedman, Arnold Enger, Vernon Jensen, Leslie Gooch, Jacob Carlsen, Glenn Johnson, Maynard Scriver and Orville Darrington.

The Board informed the delegation that the road in question had been under consideration for rebuilding for sometime, and that the necessary resolution recommending programming for survey, grading and graveling to the State Highway Commission would be prepared as soon as possible in order that work on the road could be started as soon as conditions permit in 1955.

The application of Jack Krause for abatement of 1951, 1952 and 1953 real estate taxes in the total amount of $6.70, plus interest and penalties, on property described as West ½ of Lot 3, Block 1, Stutenroth's Addition to Watertown, for the reason of an error in the description whereby a strip of ground 10 ft. wide had been erroneously included in the description was presented to the Board.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that foregoing application of Jack Krause be rejected for the reason that his property, as aboved described, has been assessed for $100.00 less than the East ½ of the same Lot making it apparent that only the description was in error and not the valuation. Motion carried.

Mervin Battleson of the Federal Social Security Department appeared before the Board to request office quarters in the Court House. The Board agreed to arrange office space for him in the Community Room of the Court House.

Report of Sale by County Auditor of Class one Land Acquired by Tax Proceeding.

TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA:

Carl F. Bergan, the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, makes the following return of the proceedings had pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners to offer for sale the within described real estate acquired by the county by tax proceedings and reports as follows, to-wit:

That the real property directed to be offered for sale by the Board of County Commissioners was first classified as class one land and was appraised by the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, at the sum of $200.00.

That in pursuance of the direction of the Board of County Commissioners that the within described real estate acquired by tax proceeding be offered for sale, he caused notice of sale thereof to be published in a legal newspaper of the County of Codington once each week for a period of 2 successive weeks before the date of sale specified therein, which notice contained a description of the real property to be sold and the time, place, and terms of sale, all of which appears by such notice and affidavit of publication filed herein.

That said County Auditor, pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners and notice duly given, offered for sale and on the 1st day of November, 1954, sold, subject to the confirmation of the Board of County Commissioners, the following described real estate to Glee Tarbell, being the highest and best bidder, for the sum of $200.00, said sum being the highest and best sum bid and not being less than the amount of the appraisement, upon the following terms, to-wit: cash at the time of sale in the amount of $200.00 deposited with the County Treasurer.

The real estate so sold is described as follows, to-wit:

Lots eight (8) and nine (9), Block Five (5), Way and Davlin's Hillcrest Addition to the Town of Watertown.

Dated this 9th Day of November, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County, South Dakota.

RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE #228

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described real property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County be tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that one Glee Tarbell of Watertown, South Dakota has offered the sum of $200.00 in cash for the following described real property, to-wit:

Lots eight (8) and nine (9), Block Five (5), Way and Davlin's Hillcrest Addition to the Town of Watertown, which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited in cash with the County Treasurer;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 4th day of November, 1954, that the sale of said premises to the said Glee Tarbell of Watertown, South Dakota be and the same is hereby approved, and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deed to said purchaser conveying to said purchaser all of the right, title, and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 9th day of November, 1954.

Oscar J Franck
Vernon H Belk
Einar Jordeth
Herb Skinner
James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Skinner and seconded by Belk. Motion carried with all members voting "yea".

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. November 12, 1954.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
November 12, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Romans Auskaps, M.D. $3.00-for Carol Madsen; Dr. Harry Bartron $75.00-for Vernon Thompson; Bartron Hospital $1546.48-for Blair Tessier $31.60, Earl Crocker $80.00, Albert Johnson $301.90, Alma Pederson $46.75, Mrs. Anna Bridge $60.60, Mrs. Charles Meseberg $197.00, Marshall O. Bradfield $348.70, Edward Schmeling $29.00, Mrs. W. B. Barclay $106.25, Carrie Hanson $53.85, B. J. Murray $20.00, Mrs. Mervin Christensen $162.00, Raymond Shepherd $108.83; Bartron Clinic $345.85-for Blair Tessier $11.20, Earl Crocker $24.00, Albert Johnson $30.00, Alma Pederson $12.00, John Farley $6.00, Mrs. Anna Bridge $23.00, Mrs. Charles Meseberg $30.00, Marshall O. Bradfield $30.00, Edward Schmeling $8.50, Henry Becker $10.55, Tyrone Meyer & Arlone Johnson $12.00, B. J. Murray $53.60, Mrs. Mervin Christensen $20.00, Raymond Shepherd $75.00; Dr. D.F. Campbell, M.D. $10.00-for Anna Parsley $2.00, Harry Freeseman $2.00, Mrs. Will Norman $6.00; Codington Co. Oil Co. $14.70-for Mary Tribitt; Duffner Drug Store $216.21-for B. J. Murray $46.55, Ludwig Grewing $8.50, Leo Breske $26.77, Edgar L. Wight $3.00, Steve & Mrs. Wisneski $29.35, Walter Richards $3.25, Peter DeMuynch $.60, Mrs. W. C. Yarns $10.05, Mathilda Blek $8.21, Ola Hanson $25.00, Wm. Ball $24.50, Louis Mourere $5.40, Carl Berge $3.00, Mrs. W. C. Montney $20.94, Louis Rhode $14.60, Frank Metzinger $6.68, Ole Omodt $6.50; Donald N. Fedt, M.D.$75.10-for Irwin Eisenbise $17.20, Ola Omodt $6.00, Fannie Baker $20.00, Chas. Bierscheid $31.90; Haggars Drug Store $400.00-for Chas. Bierscheid $10.80, Mrs. Mary Myers $27.36, Mr. Charles Gaumitz $1.89, Mrs. Anna Mae Hartley $6.03, Mrs. Elizabeth Larsen $1.94, Mrs. Beatrice Brandriet $30.15, Henry Schloesser $.90, Mrs. Ebens $32.36, Frank & Emma Klucas $5.85, Fern Washtoak $30.02, Thomas J. Peters $66.15, Elmer Meisenheimer $9.36, Josephine M. Welter $22.54, Ed Goeman $18.23, Nels T. Nelson $3.60, Philomena Holzemer $24.30, Mrs. John E. Taylor $3.83, Mrs. Peter DeMuynch $10.76, Ellen Anderson $16.20, Mrs. Wm. Czeck $5.13, Miss Mary Mitchell $10.49, Mrs. Elida Jones $22.14, Mr. Henry Schloesser $14.81, Henrietta Fritz $25.16; Kreisers Drug Store $213.63-for Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $4.10, Ed Thompson $9.80, Marshall O. Bradfield $21.95, Edward Schmeling $12.95, Phoebe Mowrey $4.35, Mrs. L. Roethler $18.75, Michael Kinon $1.80, Thomas & Hazel Black $7.20, Mrs. Brad Barclay $13.60, Albert Johnson $31.00, Nellie Jensen $15.90, Alma Pederson $1.75, Earl Crocker $42.69, Anna Parsley $12.94, Carl Henry Becker $9.25, Arlone Johnson $3.00, Adolph Stankey $.95, Mrs. Carrie Hanson $.65, Ben Bergeson $1.00; Elizabeth Marsh $10.00-for Matt Kemp; Mathiesen-Gergen & Rhodes Funeral Chapel $158.00-for Marshall O. Bradfield; C. E. McGowan Lumber Co. $36.25-for Loren Wohlwend $21.00, Carl Struss $15.25; Medical Arts Clinic $310.00-for Mrs. Chas. Montney $59.00, Adolph Stankey $2.00, Mrs. Theodore Brandriet $30.00, Anna Christianson $2.00, Walter Richard $2.00, Lizzie Alt $19.00, Louis Mourere $2.00, Ola Hanson $2.00, Anna Kennedy $16.00, Mary Wilson $7.00, Mrs. Wm. Czeck $13.00, Mrs. Henrietta Fritz $26.00, Vernon Thompson $30.00, Frank & Emma Klucas $14.00, Fern Washtoak $24.00, Hilda Ebens $6.00, Rex Richmond $12.00, Philomena Holzemer $8.00, Steve & wife Wisneski $22.00, Ed Goeman $14.00; National Tea Co. $25.00-for Loren Wohlwend; J. C. Penney Co. $27.41-for Ruth Burson $14.77, George Manley $12.64; Red Owl Store $5.00-for John Thompson; E.A. Rudolph, M.D. $60.00-for Ole Hanson; Red Owl Groceries, S.S. $25.00-for Loren Wohlwend; Spies Super Valu $65.00-for Mrs. Blair Tessier $25.00, Arthur Larson $30.00, Loren Wohlwend $25.00; Shaw-Messer Ambulance Service $3.00-for Adolph Stankey; St. Ann Hospital $1327.70-for Mr. Henry Schloesser $227.10, Mrs. Elida Jones $314.45, Miss Mary Mitchell $297.95, Mr. Charles Gaumitz $27.20, Anna Mae Hartley $61.00, Mrs. Theodore Brandriet $177.60, Chas. Bierscheid $60.20, Clarence L. Black $3.00, Mary Meyers $98.00, Mrs. Julius Larson $61.20; St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $25.00-for John Welter; St. Lukes Hospital $85.00-for Mr. Blair Tessier; Standard Oil Co. $30.30-for Mrs. Cora Barto $7.80, Will Norman $7.80, Phoebe Mowery $14.70; Thomes Drug Store $136.26-for Margaret Papka $2.75, Alfred Vick $32.70, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $25.75, James Chambers $4.25, Albert Hendricks $7.50, Anna Christianson $7.36, John Farley $13.35, Lorence Albrecht $12.00, Harry Freeseman $1.45, Anna Kennedy $1.00, Richard DePeel $2.40, Rollin Vance $25.75;

Dr. M.C. Thompson $218.00-for Lorence Albrecht $13.00, Marion Kraft $22.00, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $48.00, Clarence Morrison $36.00, Mrs. Mildred Taylor $19.00, Fremont Tribett $8.00, Lena Trumer $16.00, L. F. Rhode $39.00, James Chambers $2.00, Albert Hendricks $9.00, Peter DeMuynch $6.00; Memorial Hospital $1152.65-for Adolph Stankey $28.85, Mrs. Chas. Montney $76.30, Mrs. Wm. Czech $3.00, Mr. John Peterson $206.25, Irwin Eisenbise $63.25, Mr. Theo. Treat $10.00, Lizzie Alt $45.00, Alfred Vick $15.00, Fannie Baker $252.90, Vernon Thompson $251.80, John Kleinsasser $150.00, Rex Richmond $50.30; Election Expense-George W. Burke $8.56, Myrtle D. Curley $7.56, Mrs. Jim Bennett $7.56, Alta Meek $7.56, Emil Ostlund $7.56, Bichler Garage $5.00, Elizabeth Korcal $8.42, Mary E. Smedley $7.42, DeLoris Goodroad $7.42, Viola Peterson $7.42, Lillian Bolland $7.42, Luella Leonard $8.02, Pearl Britzman $7.02, Erma Handeland $7.02, Phyllis Coomber $7.02, Inez Eggen $7.02, Harry P. Sigelman $7.51, Ilah May Mitchell $6.51, Mrs. Anton H. Scott $6.51, Inez Hanson $6.51, Lillian Livingston $6.51, Martin Handeland $5.00, C. O. Manson $8.41, John Noonan $7.41, Selma A. Young $7.41, Florence Peters $7.41, Irma Raymond $7.41, Baskerville & Dahl $5.00, Mrs. Herbert Hallberg $7.52, Mrs. Palmer Sheldon $6.52, Caroljean Sullivan $6.52, Marge McNamara $6.52, Berenice Bichler $6.52, Mrs. A. H. Steinmetz $7.45, Mrs. Gertrude Haney $6.45, Mrs. F. J. Kerssen $6.45, Erma F. Horning $6.45, Jessie Guddal $6.45, Mrs. Arthur Hanson $6.64, Marie Mack $5.64, Mabel Moen $5.64, Margaret L. Grow $5.64, Anna Louise Martens $5.64, Mabel E. Speers $7.14, Mazie H. Langwill $7.14, W. E. Knight $8.14, Ruth Graham $7.14, Tillie Gaughan $7.14, City Treasurer $5.00, George H. Knight $7.47, Lydia Tessier $6.47, Mary Terveen $6.47, Eleanor Bucholz $6.47, Gladys Thompson $6.47, Yvonne B. Wiles $7.85, Carrie Blake $6.85, Carleton Dyce $6.85, Juanita Biedinger $6.85, Bee Ann Kass $6.85, C. A. Heaton $8.16, Mrs. Mary Overas $7.16, Mrs. A. F. Cherveny $7.16, Mrs. F. J. Scholtz $7.16, Mrs. Chester Irwin $7.16, Colonel Motors $5.00, George Wemmering $8.42, Caroline Lebert $7.42, Mrs. Joe Stricherz $7.42, Roma Coplan $7.42, John Frey $7.42, Caroline Lebert $6.25, A E. Koepke $7.71, Mabel Drake $6.71, Minnie Strom $6.71, Ida Olson $6.71, Eldora Pickering $6.71, Clifford Hallquist $6.17, Mrs. Ruth Goodell $5.17, Mrs. Elsie Larsan $5.17, Mrs. Clifford Hallquist $5.17, Mrs. Ray McPeek $5.17, Iola Kampen $7.68, Esther L. Johnson $6.68, Agnes Polze $6.68, Esterline Clark $6.68, Lillian Gallisath $6.68, Colonel Motors Westside Texaco $5.00, Watertown Board of Education $35.00, Albert Mohr $6.60, Lloyd Stark $5.00, L. C. Lausen $5.00, Elmer Noeldner $5.00, Robert Zick $5.00, Raymond Stein, Rauville Twp. Treas. $5.00, Peder Dragsten $10.30, Robert M. Pack $5.00, Olive Floden $5.00, A. Anenson $5.00, P. O. Brekke $5.00, P. O. Brekke, Treas. Wallace Village $5.00, Leslie W. Gooch $10.56, Hilda E. Harrington $5.96, Louis Zielsky $5.96, Roy Drake $5.96, Leonard H. Johnson $5.96, Ervin Kohl, Treas. South Shore, Village $5.00, Carl Brownell $5.30, George Swisher $5.30, D. B. Kelton $9.30, Sadie Cummings $5.30, Mabel Van Sickle $5.30, Alma Hammel, Treas. Henry Village $5.00, C G. Burnstad $8.48, Harry Thorson $5.08, Bernard Sumner $5.08, Doris Nelson $5.08, Mary Orthouse $5.08, Lawrence Hagen $10.53, Howard Ristvedt $5.13, Arthur Haugen $5.13, O. A. Olson $5.13, Robert Chilson $5.13, Duane Halstrom, Treas of Eden Twp. $5.00, K. O. Markve $9.47, T. F Reilly $5.47, C. A. Hansen $5.47, H. A. Johnson $5.47, William Flisrand $5.47, Elbert Rukstad, Treas. of Dexter Twp. $5.00, Geo Gunderson $5.60, Otto Korth $10.60, Otto Korth $5.00, Otto Richter $5.60, Marris Noeldner $5.60, Lawrence Zimmel $3.20, James Huppler $14.40, Dorothy McGillivary $5.00, Effie Paulson $5.00, Lila Johnston $5.00, Joyce Peterson $5.00, Selmer Peterson, Treas. School Dist. #43 $5.00, R. W. Crandall $5.28, Vern Thorson $8.08, Ed Fleming $5.28, Morris Michaelson $5.28, A. O. Borns $5.28, C. C. Kellogg, Treas. Fuller Twp. $5.00, Martin J. DeVille $7.89, Harry Miller $5.09, Stanley Schmitt $5.09, Paul J. Stricherz $5.09, Felix N. DeVille $5.09, Frank Schmitt, Treas. Waverly Twp. $5.00, Frank O. McGillivary $9.20, Elinor Flury $5.00, Arthur Vogt $5.00, Harold Haigh $5.00, Anna David $5.00, Clarence Alden, Treas. School Dist. #45,$5.00, Fred Schwandt $7.00, Herman A. Schultz $5.00, Leonard Murphy $5.00, Albert Schultz $5.00, Louis Landuyt $5.00, Albert Schultz, Treas. School Dist. #6 $5.00, G. E. Williams $7.16, Maynard Mahanke $6.16, Harold K. Benbow $6.16, Rufus R. Spurrell $6.16, Elmer Borns $6.16, Herbert J. Welch, Treas. Lake Twp. $5.00, Carl A. Nelson $6.40, Earl R. Wheatley $5.00, Harry A. Bauer $5.00, Ernest R. Konrady $5.00, Norman Stoltenburg $5.00, Richard Hoffman, Treas. Elmira Twp. $5.00, Elwin Kittelson $9.20, Peder Valberg $5.00, George Curley $5.00, Robert Van Sickle $5.00, Joe Strohfus $5.00, Ervin Hay, Treas. School Dist. #49 $5.00, Paul McElhaney $5.00, James DeVine $5.00, Loren Wolf $5.00, Edgar Rausch $5.00, Emil Mischke $6.80, Herbert Benthin, Treas. School Dist. #24 $5.00, J. E. Krull $5.00, Martin A. Fuerstenau $7.40, Helen Klatt $5.00, May Schulke $5.00, Carl O. Zamow, Treas. of School Dist. #39, $5.00, Mike Wagner $5.00, Henry A. Welter $5.00, Walter Lantsberger $5.00, Edward Dessonville $5.00, Clarence Moorhouse $6.00, Forrest Stimson, Treas. of School Dist. #66 $5.00, Susan Korbel $6.26, Guy Moes $6.26, Isadore Clausen $7.36, Mary Tesch $6.26, Carl H. Haan $6.26, Helen E. Bauer, Treas. Kranzburg Twp. $5.00, Charles H. Jones, Treas. Florence Village $5.00, Della Zamow $5.00, Isadore Clausen $1.00; Tax Collector-James Nelson $1189.15; County Farm-Butterbrodt Drug Store $17.55, Kreisers Drug Store $4.00, J. C. Penney Co. $6.07, Spies Super Valu $11.03; Court Expense-W. A. Hackett $25.00, Ben Steinhouse $36.45, Eugene Clifford $6.60; Trust-M. M. Anderson $800.00, George Hill $800.00; Auditor's Office Expense-Burroughs Corporation $62.25; Poor-Walter Kuhn $25.00-for Lucy Bell Gregory; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Empire Equipment Co. $653.89; CH&BR-William Klein, Anna Klein, & Mary Hoffman $226.98;

L. L. Blake appeared before the Board on welfare matters.

Dallas Butterbrodt appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to drug costs to the county for county indigent.

RESOLUTION #227

FEDERAL AID SECONDARY PROGRAM RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Codington County Board of Commissioners desire the reconstruction of the following described road, to-wit:

FAS Route No. 284:
"Beginning at the North Quarter line, Section 2, Township 119 North, Range 51, thence west approximately one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) mile to the northwest corner of Section 2, Township 119 North, Range 51, thence south three miles to the southwest corner of Section 14, Township 119 North, Range 51 West of the Fifth P.M."

FAS Route No. 285:
"Beginning at the northwest corner of Section 23, Township 119 North, range 51, thence

south one mile to the southwest corner of Section 23, Township 119 North, Range 51 West of the Fifth P.M."

FAS Route No. 287:
"Beginning at the northwest corner of Section 26, Township 119 North, Range 51, thence south four miles to the southwest corner of Section 11, Township 118 North, Range 51 West of the Fifth P.M."

FAS Route No. 286:
"Beginning at the northwest corner of Section 14, Township 118 North, Range 51, thence south two miles, thence west three miles to the southwest corner of Section 20, Township 118 North, Range 51 West of the Fifth P.M."

AND WHEREAS method of construction will be upon contract bids, at a monthly letting by the State Highway Commission with the concurrence of Codington County.

AND WHEREAS, Codington County is obligated to maintain a project after construction with Federal Aid Secondary Funds.

AND WHEREAS, The Codington County Board of Commissioners is prepared to pay the County share (approximately 44%) of the cost of this project.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: 1. That the State Highway Commission be and hereby is requested to program for survey, plans, grade and gravel, plus drainage structures as may be needed, this project under the Federal Aid Secondary program to be constructed in accordance with the State's current "Standard Specifications for Roads and Bridges."

2. That the Chairman of the said Board of County Commissioners be and hereby is authorized to sign an Agreement with the State Highway Commission for the maintenance of this project after construction.

Vote of Commission, Yes 5 - No None
Resolution is hereby declared adopted.
Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 12 day of November, 1954.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Jordeth and upon being put to vote all commissioners voted "yea" and none voted "nay" whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution duly passed and adopted.

In order to attend the funeral of Lars G. Larson, former County Highway Superintendent, to be held at 1:30 P.M. of this date, the Board adjourned at 12:00 Noon until 10:00 A.M. November 16, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
November 16, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Skinner, Jordeth and Belk present, Fromke absent; Keenan presiding.

Commissioner Fromke appeared and took his place on the Board at 11:00 A.M.

Mayor Creaser and John Babcock, City Engineer, appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to the grading and graveling by City and County forces of the two blocks of city streets on 6th St., N.E. between C Ave. and Third Ave., N.E. Mr. Creaser asked whether it would be possible for the county forces to get the grading of those two blocks done before bad weather sets in.

After discussing the matter with C. S. Rasmusson, County Highway Superintendent, the Board agreed to bring in equipment and start work on the two blocks at noon, November 18.

At the request of the Board, William Klein appeared regarding sale of right-of-way to the county. Mr. Klein agreed to sell to Codington County for highway right-of-way 8.7 acres of land described as the Corner of the $NE\frac{1}{4}$ $NE\frac{1}{4}$ Section 33-118-51 for the assessed valuation of $26.09 per acre.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that Codington County purchase above described right-of-way from William Klein as per agreement and allow claim of $226.98 for same. Motion carried.

Myron Hjermstad appeared before the Board regarding county liens.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that the application of Myron Hjermstad for a compromise settlement of county liens in the amount of $295.40 be approved for a payment of $200.00. Motion carried.

At 2:00 P.M. Mayor Creaser again appeared before the Board on the matter of county participation with the City of Watertown in the cost of the proposed National Guard Armory Building.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Jordeth that the county contract with the City of Watertown to pay rental in the amount of $2,500.00 per year for a period of ten years for the use of the proposed Armory Building for all 4-H and agricultural programs provided that a satisfactory arrangement can be made regarding the deeding of 3 acres of land to Codington to be used for buildings for housing livestock for said programs. The motion carried unanimously.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. November 23, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
November 23, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Fromke, Skinner and Jordeth present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Cecilia M. Beirne $110.67, Arthur H. Hasche $25.00; Per Diem & Mileage-James L. Keenan $79.60, Oscar J. Fromke $63.58, Herb Skinner $70.58, Einar Jordeth $85.34, Vernon H. Belk $105.90;

Commissioner Belk appeared and took his place on the Board at 10:45 A.M.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Ben H. Te Beest, L.A. Keszler, Jerry Kranz $4.00 each; Earl Johnson, Donald Lindner and Carl Nelsen, $7.50 each; Ronald Burchatz, $8.00.

On motion by Skinner and second by Belk the Board approved the application of the County Auditor for abatement of 1953 real estate tax in the amount of $48.65 spread against the West 80 ft. of Lots 2, 3 and 4, Pettigrew's Addition to Watertown, for the reason of an error in the Auditor's office whereby above description was listed twice, making a duplication of assessment.

On motion by Belk and second by Fromke the Board approved the application of the County Auditor for abatement of 1953 real estate tax in the amount of $11.10 spread against Lots 4 and 5, Block 1, Quiola Beach addition to Lake Twp. for the reason of an error whereby said description was listed twice in the assessor's book resulting in a duplication of taxation.

The Board authorized a leave of absence to Jim Nelson, Tax Collector, from December 15, 1954 to approximately April 1, 1955.

A resolution from the State Highway Commission was presented to the Board as follows:

RESOLUTION NO. 7869
CLARK-CODINGTON COUNTIES

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SOUTH DAKOTA
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION:

THAT, WHEREAS, it appears from reports received from the Engineers that the work embraced under contract with G.H. Lindekugel and Sons for Base Course and Bituminous Surfacing on

Federal Aid Project No. F 199 (11), Clark and Codington Counties, has been satisfactorily completed in accordance with plans and specifications, and

WHEREAS, District Engineer, T. J. Bunn, and State Highway Engineer, H. C. Rempfer, have recommended acceptance of the work, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the State Highway Commission that the work embraced under contract with G. H. Lindekugel and Sons for Base Course and Bituminous Surfacing on Federal Aid Project No. F 199 (11), Clark and Codington Counties, be, and the same is, hereby accpeted and final settlement with the Contractor is authorized.

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

BY: /s/ Bert Tollefson, Jr.
Secretary

Adopted this 29th day of October, 1954.

Deficiences in the 1954 Budget of the County General Fund were reported by the County Auditor as follows: Welfare and County Farm, Court House Maintenance, Sheriff's Office Expense, Sheriff's Mileage and Delinquent Tax Expense.

The Board prepared a Supplemental Budget and ordered Notice of Hearing on same published in the county legal newspapers on December 2, 1954, and fixed December 14, 1954 at 10:00 A.M. in the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House as the time and place for public hearing on said proposed Supplemental Budget.

Tom Haggar, Clark Redlinger, L. E. (Shadow) Domonoske and C. S. Rasmusson, committee representing the Cosmopolitan Club, and Mayor Everett Creaser appeared before the Board to request that the county participate in the project to build a track on the hill located on City owned property south of the airport which track is intended for use as a recreation center for coasting and skiing in the winter time and soap-box derby practice during the summer.

After some discussion the Board agreed to participate to the extent of furnishing approximately $300.00 worth of crushed rock for the grade, also, a county patrol for two or three days to help shape up the hill and grade.

Edward Fox of Elmira Twp. appeared before the Board to request that the county fill in dirt between the county road and the river sufficient to provide space for building a fence between the river and the road at a location described as the SW Corner of Section 19-117-51. Mr. Fox explained that the river had cut so close to the road that there was no longer room for a fence between, and it is necessary to place the fence between the river and the road in order to give the livestock in the pasture access to the water.

Chairman Keenan agreed to accompany the County Highway Superintendent out and inspect the situation to see what can be done.

A petition signed by 46 freeholders of Codington and Grant Counties praying for addition to the Grant and Codington County Highway Systems of 12 miles of the Grant-Codington County line road beginning at the NW Corner of Section 27-120-52 Res., thence 12 miles east to the NE Corner of Section 3-119-51.

The Board ordered the petition filed pending further study and possible contact with the Grant County Board.

Henry Seide, a member of the Grant County Board, appeared before the Codington County Board on the matter of above petitioned road. It was tentatively agreed that the Codington and Grant County Boards meet at some future date for further discussion on the matter.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of Sam and Dorothy Brown for a compromise settlement of delinquent personnal property taxes in the amount of $48.65 plus interest and advertizing costs of $48.60, for a cash payment of $69.53.

On motion by Belk and second by Fromke the Board approved the application of Catherine Strutz for a compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes in the amount of $76.17 plus interest and advertizing costs on same in the amount of $64.91, for a cash payment of $100.87.

Chairman Keenan appointed Commissioners Belk and Fromke as a committee to represent the Board on the City Armory Building Plan.

Mrs. Absolon Fosness and Mrs. Thos Peterson appeared before the Board to request that the county decorate the pine tree in the west Court yard for a Christmas background for the Girl Scouts and Brownies Christmas caroling and symbol for a Korean Christmas project.

The Board agreed to decorate the tree as requested.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. November 30, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
November 30, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner, salary claims and other verified claims were allowed as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Irma Welch $210.00, Pearl Bergan $190.00, Alice Olson $180.00, Kathleen Turbak $150.00; Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00, Alma Gerberding $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lill Schoenberger $195.00;

Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68, Harriett Horning $205.00, Margaret Brown $175.00; Superintendent of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $283.75, Dale E. Bradshaw $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Katherine Downs $25.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $175.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $115.00, Pearl Klemsrud $50.00; Per Diem & Mileage, Salary-James L. Keenan $54.10, Herb Skinner $52.50, Vernon H. Belk $52.70, Oscar J. Fromke $42.49, Einar Jordeth $50.18; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; CMV-Elizabeth Pinholt $190.00, C. S. Rasmusson $525.00, Sever Tobiason $200.00, Bert Smith $74.00, J. P. Haug $299.25, Joe Stricherz $181.55, Claude VanSickle $205.46, C. B. Sumner $91.76, Harold Scriver $81.38, Carl Zweig Jr. $145.91, Alfred Spring $92.59, Ed Gould $91.44, Howard Williams $63.40, Fred Brownell $11.62, Leo Clausen $71.02, John Strait $227.68, Curtis Underwood $62.03, Julius Lentz $72.66, Clarence Helle $77.62, Chas. Krogman $15.47, E. W. Spearbeck $128.73, Andrew Larson $34.27, Rudolph J. Lange $57.21, Chris Engels $31.73, Thomas Spiering $159.86, Peter P. Lindner $59.51, Otis C. Olson $48.62; CH&BR-Joe Stricherz $23.10, Claude VanSickle $68.25, Carl Zweig Jr. $24.15, Ed Gould $16.10, Fred Brownell $95.30, Leo Clausen $104.50, John Strait $9.50, Curtis Underwood $38.00, Julius Lentz $5.70, Clarence Helle $9.50, Chas. Krogman $133.80, E. W. Spearbeck $38.00, Andrew Larson $102.60, Rudolph J. Lange $9.50, Chris Engels $4.75, Thomas Spiering $28.50, Peter P. Lindner $9.50; CO.SPEC. HIGHWAY (Pelican)-Joe Stricherz $36.75, James Hendren $74.55, John Strait $9.50, Clarence Helle $3.80, Rudolph Lange $4.75, Chris Engels $4.75, Thomas Spiering $9.50; CO.SPEC. HIGHWAY (Eden)-C. B. Sumner $40.95, Fred Brownell $38.00, Leo Clausen $4.75, John Strait $1.90, Curtis Underwood $19.00, Clarence Helle $1.90, E. W. Spearbeck $19.00, Andrew Larson $35.15; CO.SPEC.HIGHWAY (Fuller)-C. B. Sumner $119.70, Harold Scriver $140.70, Carl Zweig Jr. $81.90, James Hendren $185.00, Alfred Spring $151.80, Ed Gould $115.00, Howard Williams $181.50, Fred Brownell $58.90, Leo Clausen $63.65, Julius Lentz $95.00, Clarence Helle $89.30, Chas. Krogman $76.00, E. W. Spearbeck $4.75, Andrew Larson $66.50, Rudolph J. Lange $104.50, Chris Engels $33.25, Peter P. Lindner $104.50, Otis C. Olson $71.25; CO.SPEC. HIGHWAY (Lake)-C. B. Sumner $31.50, Harold Scriver $37.80, James Hendren $50.00, Alfred Spring $34.50, Ed Gould $33.35, Howard Williams $44.00, Julius Lentz $35.15, Clarence Helle $33.25, Peter P. Lindner $35.15, Otis C. Olson $25.65; CO. SPEC. HIGHWAY (Kranzburg)-Ed Gould $17.25, Julius Lentz $9.50, Chas. Krogman $14.25, E. W. Spearbeck $19.00, Peter P. Lindner $4.75;
GENERAL-Court Expense-Arthur R. Henrikson; CH&BR-Kies & Zastrow $6142.79, Nick Martin $879.69; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Kies & Zastrow $105.88; CO.SPEC.HIGHWAY (Pelican)-Loomis Bros. $666.00, CO.SPEC.HIGHWAY (Lake)-Loomis Bros. $328.50, Nick Martin $366.00; CO.SPEC.HIGHWAY (Fuller)-Loomis Bros. $1039.50, Nick Martin $667.76;

At the request of Commissioner Belk, Fred Morris, County Agent, and Mrs. Clara Johnson, County Home Extension Agent, appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to 4-H, Home Extension and other farm activities planned in connection with the proposed Armory Building in Watertown. Mr. Morris and Mrs. Johnson explained to the Board what they thought would be necessary for room and facilities to carry on these activities.

Commissioner Belk asked them to prepare a rough plan together with recommendations for facilities so that he could present same to the Armory Planning Board. They agreed to do so.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Clifford Schaack, $11.50; Stanley Schwinger, $7.50; Leslie E. Simon, $7.50.

C. S. Rasmusson, County Highway Superintendent, appeared before the Board to request authorization for attendance at the Engineers and Architects Annual Convention to be held at Aberdeen, S. D. December 1, 2, 3, 1954.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that Mr. Rasmusson be authorized to attend foregoing mentioned convention with expenses paid as provided by law. Motion carried.

APPRAISAL OF LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING TO BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY COUNTY

Whereas, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, deems it advisable to sell the real property hereinafter described, acquired by said county by tax deed, and said Board of County Commissioners has directed that such real property be offered for sale and that it first be appraised by said board as provided by law,

Now therefore, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, report that they have made a just and fair appraisement of the real property hereinafter described as follows:

	APPRAISED VALUE
IN FLORENCE VILLAGE:	
Lots 13 and 14, Block 14	$ 5.00 each
Lots 20 and 21, Block 15	5.00 each
IN HENRY VILLAGE:	
Outlot 33, Section 5-116-55	15.00
Lots 3 and 4, Block 7	40.00 for both
Lots 15, 16 and 17, Block 24	150.00 for all
IN SOUTH SHORE VILLAGE:	
Outlots 11 and 12, SE¼ Section 22-119-51 (10 acres)	200.00
IN WALLACE VILLAGE:	
Lots 6 & 7, Block 5	10.00 each
Lots 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12, Block 7	20.00 for all
North 4.4 ft. of South 57.2 ft. of Lots 16 & 17 and of E½ of Lot 15, Block 12	5.00
Lot 3, Block 24	40.00
IN DEXTER TWP.	
SW¼ of NW¼ Section 32-120-52, Sisseton Wahpeton Indian Reservation	525.00

Dated this 30 day of November, 1954.

James L Kellman
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.

Einar Goodrich
County Commissioner

Herb Skinner
County Commissioner

Vernon H Belk
County Commissioner

Oscar J Fromke
County Commissioner

RESOLUTION DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, the County of Codington in the State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota, and

NOW,THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 30 day of November, 1954, at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property, to-wit:

	APPRAISED VALUE
IN FLORENCE VILLAGE:	
Lots 13 and 14, Block 14	$ 5.00 each
Lots 20 and 21, Block 15	5.00 each
IN HENRY VILLAGE:	
Outlot 33, Section 5-116-55	15.00
Lots 3 and 4, Block 7	40.00 for both
Lots 15, 16 and 17, Block 24	150.00 for all
IN SOUTH SHORE VILLAGE	
Outlots 11 and 12, SE¼ Section 22-119-51 (10 acres)	200.00
IN WALLACE VILLAGE:	
Lots 6 & 7, Block 5	10.00 each
Lots 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12, Block 7	20.00 for all
North 4.4 ft. of South 57.2 ft. of Lots 16 & 17 and of E½ of Lot 15, Block 12	5.00
Lot 3, Block 24	40.00
IN DEXTER TWP.	
SW¼ of NW¼ Section 32-120-52, Sisseton Wahpeton Indian Reservation	525.00

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of said Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota.

Dated this 30 day of November, 1954.

Herb Skinner

Vernon H Belk

Einar Goodrich

Oscar J Fromke

James L Kellman
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., December 7, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
December 7, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Minutes of meetings of November 4, 9, 12, 16, 23 and 30, 1954 were approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Bailiff Fees-Carl Deal $30.00;

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of George Hayworth for compromise settlement of delinquent personal property taxes in the amount of $64.89, plus penalties, interest and advertising in the amount of $8.98 for a total payment of $73.87.

On motion by Skinner and second by Belk the Board approved the application of Violet Konrady for abatement of delinquent personal property taxes in the amount of $38.49 plus penalties, interest and advertising in the amount of $15.91 for a total payment of $44.99.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Jordeth that the County Auditor be instructed to advertise for bids to furnish the County Highway Department with petroleum products--bulk and service station--weed spray, and reinforced concrete and steep pipe 15" and up for the ensuing calendar year, 1955. Motion carried.

Bill Hinde, representative of Radio Communications Service of Madison, S. D., appeared before the Board regarding new radio installation for the County Highway Department and Sheriff's office.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that Chairman Keenan be authorized to sign an agreement with said Radio Communications Service for installation of a base radio station in the County Highway Department covering two operating units at a cost of $927.00 for the Highway Department unit and $485.00 for the Sheriff's office. Motion carried.

The Auditor's account with the County Treasurer as of December 1, 1954 was approved by the Board as follows: Total amount of deposits in banks, $530,973.59; cash, checks and drafts in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $13,251.74; Government Bonds, $112,000; C.D's, $70,000.00; Total of all items, $726,225.33.

The County Weed Supervisor's monthly report for November, 1954 was noted by the Board.

Statements of fees collected during November, 1954 were checked and approved as follows: Register of Deeds $715.70; Clerk of Courts, $244.20.

Monthly statements for November, 1954 were checked and approved as follows: State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis at Sanator, S. D., $171.60; Yankton State Hospital, $1711.50; Redfield State Hospital and School, $625.00.

The need for new equipment for the County Highway Department was discussed.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the County Auditor be authorized to advertise in the official county newspapers for bids to furnish the County Highway Department with a new Crawler type Diesel tractor and a new or used scraper--specifications on same to be drawn up by the County Highway Superintendent. Motion carried.

On motion by Belk and second by Keenan the Board approved the application of the County Treasurer for abatement of 1953 real estate tax in the amount of $2.37 spread against the E50 ft. of Lot 6, Block 10 in Henry Village for the reason that said property had been taken for tax deed.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M., December 9, 1954.

Carl F. Hegarty
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
December 9, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $130.00;

L. L. Blake appeared before the Board on welfare matters.

The morining was spent discussing welfare matters and issuing authorizations for county aid to county indigents.

At 2:00 P.M. the Board recessed and went to meet the Grant County Board on the Grant-Codington County line road for the purpose of discussing matters relating to the petitioning for addition to the County highway systems of 12 miles of said Codington-Grant County line highway, pursuant to agreement as noted in Commissioners Proceedings of November 23, 1954.

The Board returned at 4:30 P.M. and adjourned to 10:00 A.M. December 14, 1954.

Carl F. Hegarty
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
December 14, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $99.22-for Mary L. Wilson $49.22, Edward McPeek $25.00, Nora McPeek $25.00; Annette Burgdorf $85.00-for Nels T. Nelson $45.00, Henry Spilde $40.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Mrs. Martha Giese $40.00-for Maria E. Born; Nora A. Kinstad $271.00-for Ola Hanson $26.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ole H. Aamodt $40.00, Ole Omodt $45.00, Karl Berge $30.00, Irvin Eisenbise $45.00, Ruth Burson $50.00; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. G. Stoltenburg $15.00-for Louisa Richter; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $80.00-for Lorence Albrecht $40.00, Ella Flanagan $40.00; Watertown Rest Home $97.80-for L. Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00, Mrs. Hilda Ebbens $22.80; Mrs. Grace Wilson $30.00-for Edith Kinsey; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00-for Rose Dixon $15.00, Sarah Black $10.00; F. P. Creaser & Sons $67.26-for Arlene Lohr $10.63, Catherine Brockhoft $11.63, Celia Painter $22.50, Alice Painter Reditzke $22.50; Butterbrodt Drug Store $4.50-for Clarence Black; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $10.48; Mrs. August Anderson $41.79-for Mary Vermillion; Brown Clinic $129.00-for Josephine Welter $8.00, Rollin A. Vance $2.00, L. F. Rohde $2.00, Mary E. Mitchell $44.00, Mary Myers $26.00, Albert Krohn $15.00, Mrs. Wm. Luck $2.00, Mrs. Elida Jones $30.00; Brown Clinic $214.50-for Chas. Bierschied $58.50, Mrs. Hazel Black $8.00, Thos. Hoffman $4.50, Mrs. Elida Jones $30.00, Albert Krohn $17.00, Mrs. Wm. Luck $2.00, Mrs. Mary Myers $3.00, Mary Mitchell $43.50, Seymore Peterson $8.00, L. F. Rohde $30.00, Josephine Welter $6.00, Mrs. J. C. Larson $4.00; Burke Brewster M.D. $2.00-for Mrs. Anna Christianson; Busy Bee Cafe $3.35-for Raymond Hernandez; Clark Medical Center $35.00-for Martin Larson; Codington Co. Oil Co. $52.96-for Henrietta Fritz $14.70, Arthur Larson $7.85, John & Lydia Fjerstad $15.71, James & Alma Mack $14.70; C. E. Cole $14.70-for Maynard J. Kremer; Duffner Drug Store $249.92-for B. J. Murray $62.30, Walter Richard $4.25, Mrs. C.W. Courtney $34.38, Mr. & Mrs. P. DeMuynck $31.80, Edgar Wight $9.00, L. Mourere $2.50, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $4.50, Irvin Eisenbise $2.50, Frank Metzinger $13.85, Inga Yarns $11.70, Wm. Boll $22.00, Mathilda Blek $5.31, Ole Omodt $4.50, Carl Berge $2.00, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Wisneske $48.00, Mary Wilson $2.50, Ole Hanson $14.60, Leo Breske $2.00; D.N. Fedt, M.D. $66.45-for Chas. Bierschied $9.45, Fannie Baker $20.00, Irvin Eisenbise $4.00, Peter DeMuynck $6.00, Ole Omodt $12.00, Vernon Thompson $15.00; Haggar Drug Store $1057.78-for Chas. Bierschied $5.76, Mrs. Mary Mitchell $20.57, Mrs. Elida Jones $70.56, Mrs. Mary Myers $3.83, L.F. Rohde $18.68, Robert Corey $53.06, Hilda Ebens $170.06, Martin Larson $115.65, Fannie Baker $8.78, John Kleinsasser $5.45, Mary Wilson $25.47, Henrietta Fritz $18.81, Mrs. Anna Christianson $8.42, Rex Richmond $17.24, Francis Kreger $33.57, John Peterson $56.34, Ed Goeman $52.79, C. O.Manson $31.55, Mrs. Hazel Black $6.17, Josephine Welter $18.44, Frank & Emma Klucas $6.93, Elmer Meisenheimer $10.89, Mrs. Carl Fritz $29.07, Mary Mitchell $5.85, Henry Schlosser $1.35, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $6.21, Mary Myers $39.87, Mrs. Edith Bunde $4.77, Eno Tulowetzke $14.76, Thos. J. Peters $78.71, Lizzie Alt $15.48, Seymore Peterson $31.14, Ferne Washtoak $29.93, Wm. Czeck $10.53, Ellen Anderson $19.84, Nelson, Nels T. $3.60; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $39.00-for Douglas Tupper $16.50, Gertrude Shepherd $22.50; Lester C. Hemiller %0.40-for Mary & Joseph Hemiller; Hollywood Grocery $15.00-for Frank Barthel $10.00, Mrs. Phoebe Mowery $5.00; Huebner Oil Co. $27.82-for Frank Metzinger $14.30, Wm. Glendening $13.52; Kreiser Drug $147.66-for James Chambers $10.95, Mrs. Mervin Christianson $7.31, Albert Johnson $14.40, Earl Crocker $12.90, Ben Bergerson $14.05, Mrs. John Dobson $20.30, Mrs. Alma Pederson $9.40, Anna Parsley $12.45, Mrs. Brad Barclay $11.00, Mrs. Ludwig Roethler $12.00, Mrs. Arlone Johnson $2.90, Joseph Mack $9.50, Edward Schmeling $10.50; Walter H. Kuhn $25.00-for Lucy Bell Gregory; Anna Mae Larson $55.00-for Mrs. Mary Myers; Dana J. Lepler $81.00-for Elmer Meisenheimer $17.00, Mrs. Phil Jenkins $64.00; Lien's Grocery $5.00-for Cora Barto; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $69.00-for Mrs. Alice Jungen $23.20, Mrs. Blair Tessier $22.50, Edith Bunde $23.30; Elizabeth Marsh $10.00-for Matt Kemp; Mathiesen,Gergen Rhodes $10.50-for Ed Schmeling, Hilda Ebens $3.00; Medical Arts Clinic $521.00-for Mrs. Ellen Anderson $4.00, Mrs. Anna Christianson $12.00, Mrs. Mary Wilson $30.00, Ole Hanson $2.00, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $5.00, Mrs. Wm. & Wm. Czeck $22.00, Theresa Schammer $2.00, Mrs. Wm. Glendenning $4.00, Mrs. Lizzie Alt $4.00, Martin Larson $85.00, L. Mourere $2.00, Henrietta Fritz $27.00, Anna Kennedy $14.00, Edith Kinsey $8.00, Walter Richard $2.00, Francis Kreger $21.00, Chas. W. Montney $14.00, Alfred Vick $17.00, Fern Washtoak $25.00, Ed Goeman $36.00, Robert Corey $93.00, Frank & Emma Klucas $20.00, Mr. & Mrs. S. Wisneski $30.00, Rex Richmond $10.00, Vernon Thompson $2.00, Alfred & Hilda Ebens $30.00; Memorial Hospital $2046.90-for Mary Wilson $136.35, Mrs. Anna Christianson $50.70, Rex Richmond $40.00, Fannie Baker $245.70, Hilda Ebens $329.15, Martin Larson $376.45, Henrietta Fritz $30.60, Francis Kreger $62.40 John Peterson $133.85, Mrs. Hazel Black $36.90, C. O. Manson $94.90, Ed Goeman $198.50, Robert Corey $161.40, John Kleinsasser $150.00; Montgomery Ward $10.71-for Rosa Dixon; Northwestern Hotel $15.00-for L.F. Rohde; J. C. Penney Co. $53.04-for Loren Wohlwend $19.70, Carl Hemiller $33.34; Shaw-Messer $27.50-for Mary L. Wilson $6.00, Anna Christianson $3.00, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $3.00, L. F. Rohde $3.00, Vernon Thompson $12.50; O.P. Skaggs $158.00-for James & Alma Mack $33.00, Oscar A. Syren $5.00, Loren Wohlwend $25.00, Carl Hemiller $5.00, Douglas Tupper $30.00, Hazel Black $20.00, Anna Kretzschmar $40.00; Spies Super Valu $80.00-for Mrs. Blair Tessier $30.00, Maynard Kremer $20.00, Arthur Larson $15.00, Maria Paschall $15.00; Standard Oil $7.80-for Wm. Barto; St. Ann's Hospital $768.15-for Chas. Bierscheid $89.05, Mary Myers $16.00, Mary Mitchell $176.90, L.F. Rohde $150.20, Elida Jones $336.00; St. Bernards Prov. Hospital $64.95-for John Welter $32.25, Augusta Schonberger $32.70; Thomes Drug Store $148.01-for Harry Freeseman $7.55, Margaret Papka $7.60, John Farley $23.74, Lena Trumer $5.85, Robert Corey $4.15, James Mack $4.00, Richard DePeel $2.40, Alfred Vick $31.70, H. A. Lippelt & Jessie $.80, Anna Kennedy $6.77, James Chambers $3.85, Lorence Albrecht $3.00, Louisa Richter $18.45, Anna Christianson $6.95, Chas. Bierscheid $2.60, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $35.05; Dr. M. C. Thompson $130.00-for Albert Hendricks $8.00, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $22.00, H. A. Lippelt & Jessie $18.00, James & Alma Mack $21.00, Louis Richter $5.00, Mrs. John E. Taylor $9.00, Lena Trumer $8.00, Lawrence Albrecht $11.00, P. DeMuynck $2.00, Clarence Morrison $20.00, Marion Kraft $6.00; Bartron Hospital $890.15-for Albert Johnson $324.40, Mrs. Mervin Christianson $25.00, Frank Metzinger $44.75, Mrs. Alma Pederson $47.50, Mrs. John Dobson $216.00, Arlone Robert Johnson Jr. $31.50, Earl Crocker $86.00, Mrs. Eno Tulowetzke $115.00; Bartron Clinic $275.50-for Albert Johnson $30.00, Mrs. Mervin Christianson $10.00, Frank Metzinger $19.00, Mrs. Alma Pederson $12.00, Mrs. John Dobson $52.50, B.J.Murray $6.00, John Farley $4.00, Arlone & Robert Johnson $31.00, Earl Crocker $30.00, Mrs. Eno Tulowitzke $81.00;

Dr. D. F. Campbell $31.00-for Mrs. Will Norman, Henry Freeseman $19.00, Anna Parsley $4.00; J. C. Penney Co. $28.92-for Norma Madsen $24.73, Carl Hemiller $4.19; Court Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $20.00, Ruhe Stationery $41.95; Fees-Cliff Englund $212.90; Mileage-Cliff Englund $893.00; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $208.44; Court Expense-Cliff Englund $7.84, Burghardt Radio Supply $1.31, The Gray's Studio $5.00, Palace of Sweets $53.90, Ruhe Stationery $19.35; Election Expense-Cliff Englund $21.75, Andrew Anderson $5.40, M. M. Barkley Truck Line $46.80, Uptown Service-Lyle F. Karsten $2.10; Tax Collector-James Nelson $628.37; Law Library-The Lawyers Co-operative Publishing Co. $285.50, The American Law Book Co. $100.00, Bancroft-Whitney Co. $56.00, Shepards' Citations $306.00, West Publishing Co. $252.50; Supt.of Schools Mileage-$55.51; Insanity Board-H.T. Kenney, M.D. $30.00; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown, M.D. $100.00; County Extension-Extension Service-S.D. State College $4.60, Clara W. Johnson $36.92, Fred Morris $76.50; Printing & Advertising-South Shore Gazette $54.04, Henry Independent $272.89, Watertown Public Opinion $196.64, Ruhe Stationery $42.50; Treasurer's Office Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $56.00, News Printing Co. $104.00, Burroughs Corp. $.69, The Mitchell Publishing Co. $53.16, Ruhe Stationery $65.50; Auditor's Office Expense-Dakota Business Machines Co. $44.00, Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. $39.55, News Printing Co. $104.00, Frankel Carbon & Ribbon Co. $27.50, Ruhe Stationery $22.55; Superintendent of Schools Office Expense-Frankel Carbon & Ribbon Co. $26.25, Ruhe Stationery $94.25, Precision Equipment Co.$37.00; County Extension-Ruhe Stationery $49.55; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Remington Rand, Inc $76.25, Railway Express Agency, Inc. $2.23, Ruhe Stationery $45.45; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-The Mitchell Publishing Co. $155.19, Railway Express Agency, Inc. $2.57, Ruhe Stationery $54.60; Sheriff Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $52.60, Midwest-Beach Co. $46.39; States Attorney Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $4.80;Court House Maintenance-M.M. Barkley Truck Line $20.20, Ruhe Stationery $.15, Davey Furniture Co. $96.81, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $298.93, Egge Electric Co. $19.10, Elvera Englund $8.64, Lewis W. Larson $3.00, Dugan Sales & Service $4.50, Otis Elevator Co. $21.00, Owen Electric Service $47.48, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $24.59, Gray Construction Co. $42.12, F.P. Creaser & Sons $11.64, Butterbrodt Drug Store $7.28, Park Grant Co. $6.38, Redlinger Bros. $55.60, City Treasurer $468.69, Botsford Lumber Co. $23.90, Marshall-Wells Store $1.49, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $28.62; Welfare Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $2.28; County Farm-Uptown Service-Lyle F. Karsten $2.30, Watertown Public Opinion $6.75, Park Grant Co. $44.35, Redlinger Bros. $.40, City Treasurer $17.45, Marshall-Wells Store $7.28, A. Duffner Store $11.70, Lien's Grocery $47.65, J. C. Penney Co. $15.44, Spies Super Valu $9.30, Codington County Implement Co. $.41, Alois Fox $49.80, K. D. Inc.,$11.13, J. C. Penney Co. $25.82, Sunshine State Hatchery $21.32, Watertown Co-operative Feed Ass'n $108.37, Olson Appliance Co. $5.80; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $73.30, Oscar J. Fromke $47.70, Einar Jordeth $60.00, Herb Skinner $76.95, James L. Keenan $106.95; TEXTBOOK-News Printing Co. $217.25, Houghton Mifflin Co. $29.27, The A.N. Palmer Co. $86.28, Ritter Curriculum Materials $16.78, Scott, Foresman & Co. $3.30; TUITION-Watertown Independent School District $44,227.08; INSTITUTE-Milo K. Swanton $32.28; C.H.& B.R.-Nick Martin $565.02, Botsford Lumber Co. $10.27, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $101.35, Harold Scriver $73.92, S. Dak. Concrete Products Co. $2067.76, Thompson Yards $19.75, Carl Zweig Jr. $2.52, Henry Coplan $26.02, John G. Devine $25.86, Michael J. Fox $100.00, Ed Hallauer $25.85, Hubert Klatt $35.35, Chas. H. Krogman $10.57, S. Dak. State Highway Commission $6435.91, Mike Wagner $1359.88, Harry O. Weagel $3.28, D. L. Nogelmeier $230.35, Howard Williams $68.20; ROAD-City Treasurer $11.49, Harold Scriver $1.50, Northwestern Public Service $4.56, Ben H. TeBeest $50.00; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $10.42, Algard Machine Shop $3.00, Bichler Motor Co. $15.37, Cave Supply Co. $483.72, Codington County Implement Co. $1.70, Dakota Welding Supply Co. $15.26, Dick's Tractor Parts $12.00, Empire Equipment Co. $363.31, J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $754.63, Florence Service $16.55, Foster-Bell Co. $169.24, Lester Hansen Elevator Co. $50.05, Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $33.92, Kenneth Hayes Magneto & Elec. $17.45, R. E. Hubbard Co. $51.91, International Harvester Co. $65.74, Philip Jesme $20.50, Keuffel & Esser Co. $8.03, LaNoue's Radiator Shop $9.00, Marquardt's Service $7.00, Motor Supply Co. $42.09, Lowell K. Nelson $9.50, Northwestern Road Supply Co. $14.91, Olson Appliance Co. $54.86, Dr. E. H. Prey $5.00, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $69.33, Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.20, Sanders Chevrolet Co. $1.66, Sioux Road Equipment Co. $17.47, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $565.19, John Strait $15.40, C. B. Sumner $22.75, O. M. Wicks, Mgr. Uptown Service $94.65, Watertown Machine Works $1.15, Watertown Tire Co. $176.63, Williams Hardware Co. $9.91, Thompson Yards $10.85, Carl Zweig, Jr. $5.60; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Howard Williams $22.00, Watertown Cement Products Co. $45.00, H. V. Johnston Culvert Co. $1596.40, S. Dak. Concrete Products Co. $5859.64; CMV-Howard Williams $22.99; CO.SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Eden)-S. Dak. Concrete Products Co. $137.92, Virgil Sikkink $111.95; CO.SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Pelican)-D. L. Nogelmeier $21.00; CO.SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Kampeska)-D. L. Nogelmeier $33.25; WEED BOARD-Joseph J. Fox $5.68, Paul David $5.82, Robert Redlin $6.52, Matt Brandriet $3.78;

Deputy States Attorney, Dale Bradshaw, and M. J. Fox, resident of Elmira Twp., appeared before the Board on the matter of a damage claim of Mr. Fox against Codington County in the amount of $134.85 for damage to a flax crop during county road construction along the north side of the N.E$\frac{1}{4}$ Section 21-117-52.

After a discussion in which all details of proceedings had regarding right-of-way and damages were reviewed, a compromise settlement was reached whereby the Board agreed to allow Mr. Fox $78.04 for damages and $21.96 for right-of-way making a total payment of $100.00 as settlement in full for both damages and right-of-way.

City Attorney, Lloyd B. Peterson, representing the League of Municipalities, appeared before the Board to discuss provisions of a County Assessor, or County Supervisor of Assessors bill intended for presentation to the next State Legislature. Mr. Peterson read parts of the bill and asked that the Board give him a written statement explaining any criticisms of the bill or recommendations for changes, to which they agreed.

10:00 A.M. of this date having been fixed by the Board as the time for public hearings on a proposed supplemental budget for 1954 and applications for permits to engage in the retail sale of alcoholic liquor within Codington County and outside the jurisdiction of any incorporated city or town, and, whereas no one appeared regarding either of the hearings, the Board acted as follows:

RESOLUTION #231

SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET FOR 1954

WHEREAS, acting under Chapter 43 of the Session Laws of South Dakota of 1947, and upon notice duly published to adopt a supplemental budget for 1954,

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary to adopt a Supplemental Budget so the County may conduct the indispensable functions of government.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the following amounts as set out herein shall constitute and be adopted as the Supplemental Budget for 1954.

GENERAL FUND-

Welfare & County Farm	$22,000.00
Delinquent Tax Expense	700.00
Sheriff's Mileage	1,000.00
Sheriff's Office Expense	100.00
Court House Maintenance	2,000.00
Summary	$25,800.00

The above and foreoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Jordeth and upon roll call, all Commissioners voted yea, and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the said resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 14th day of December, 1954.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

On motion by Belk and second by Jordeth the Board approved applications for alcoholic liquor licenses as follows: Frank Schmitt-Lot 5, Block 3, Town of Waverly; Joseph Murray-Lots 1 & 2, Block 3, Town of Waverly, C. J. Ruhr-North 19 ft. of Lots 1 & 2, Block 3, Town of Kranzburg; John A. Haan-Lots 13, 14 & 15, Block 2, Town of Kranzburg.

The County Veterans Service Officer's report for November, 1954 was noted by the Board.

On motion by Skinner and second by Fromke the Board rejected the application of Paul M. Schaack for abatement of 1953 and 1954 dog tax in the amount of $2.00.

RESOLUTION #232

WHEREAS: A joint meeting of the Boards of County Commissioners of Codington and Grant Counties was held on the 9th day of December, 1954, on the County Line between Codington and Grant Counties for the purpose of considering a certain petition asking the joint Boards of County Commissioners to designate the section lines beginning at the Southwest corner of Sec. 22 Twp. 120, Range 52, West, in the Sisseton-Wahpeton Indian Reservation, thence east 12 miles to the Southeast corner of Sec. 34, Twp. 120, R. 51 West, joint county roads to be added to the county systems of the respective counties,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Boards of County Commissioners of Codington and Grant County in joint session assembled that the aforesaid petition filed in the County Auditors offices of Codington and Grant Counties, is hereby rejected by a majority vote of the Boards of County Commissioners assembled.

Dated this 9th of December, 1954, at Milbank, South Dakota.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
CODINGTON COUNTY

James L Keenan, Chairman
Herb Skinner
Vernon Hoelke
Oscar J Fromke
Edna Jordeth

ATTEST: Carl F Bergan
Auditor, Codington County

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
GRANT COUNTY

James L Keenan, Chairman

ATTEST:
Auditor, Grant County

The County Auditor hereby reports a tax deed sale of tax deed property described as, "That part of land lying at the extreme northwest corner of the SE¼ Section 36-117-53, being that part of the above described quarter lying northwest of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway Right-of-Way, about ¼ acre, more or less," from Codington County to South Dakota Concrete Products Co. for $5.00.

Moved by Skinner and seconded by Fromke that Chairman Keenan be authorized to execute, and the County Auditor attest, a quit claim deed to above described property from said Codington County to said South Dakota Concrete Products Co. Motion Carried.

A petition praying for vacation and abandonment of a section line highway described as, "Beginning at the NE corner of Section 20-118-55, thence south one mile to the SE corner of Section 20-118-55, all in Phipps Twp., Codington County, South Dakota," was presented to the Board at this time.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Belk that foregoing petition be filed pending inspection of highway described therein. Motion carried.

The County Auditor hereby reports that on this date, December 14, 1954, Delmar A. Lindgren paid the final installment, plus interest as per contract, on contract, for deed to tax deed property described as, "the NW¼ Section 9-118-51."

Moved by Fromke and seconded by Jordeth that Chairman Keenan be authorized to execute, and the County Auditor attest, a quit claim to property above described from Codington County to said Delmar A. Lindgren. Motion carried.

On motion, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. December 21, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
December 21, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Irma Welch $210.00, Pearl Bergan $190.00, Alice Olson $180.00, Kathleen Turbak $150.00; County Treasurer-Hazel Schliesmann $325.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Beverly Mickelson $296.68, Harriett Horning $205.00, Margaret Brown $175.00; Superintendent of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Ross H. Oviatt $283.75, Dale W. Bradshaw $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Katherine Downs $25.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-Lloyd Shenk $175.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $113.00, Pearl Klemsrud $50.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; CMV-C. S. Rasmusson $525.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $190.00, Sever Tobiason $200.00, Bert Smith $74.00, J. P. Haug $165.37, Joe Stricherz $262.50, C. B. Sumner $152.25, Harold Scriver $159.15, James Hendren $164.00, Ed Gould $36.88, Alfred Spring $18.48, Carl Zweig, Jr. $120.92, Fred Brownell $1.32, Leo Clausen $9.65, Andrew T. Larson $66.24, Curtis Underwood $18.51, Thomas Spiering $47.80, E. Spearbeck $45.92, John Strait $60.04, Peter P. Lindner $1.52, Rudolph J. Lange $1.52. Claude VanSickle $188.20; CH&BR-J. P. Haug $34.65, C. B. Sumner $86.10, Harold Scriver $64.05, James Hendren $87.50, Ed Gould $207.00, Alfred Spring $163.30, Carl Zweig, Jr. $101.85, Fred Brownell $119.84, Leo Clausen $142.50, Clarence Helle $165.94, Andrew T. Larson $95.00, Curtis Unerwood $137.75, Thomas Spiering $80.75, E. Spearbeck $133.00, John Strait $115.90, Otis C. Olson $164.54, Chas. Krogman $164.54, Julius Lentz $164.54, Peter P. Lindner $63.65, Rudolph J. Lange $63.65, Claude VanSickle $56.70; COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL-J. P. Haug $33.60; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $11.50, Howard Williams $102.41, Clarence Helle $9.50, Otis C. Olson $9.50, Chas. Krogman $9.50, Julius Lentz $9.50; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Pelican)-Alfred Spring $20.70, Fred Brownell $27.55, Leo Clausen $14.25, Clarence Helle $9.50, Andrew T. Larson $29.45, Curtis Underwood $28.50, Thomas Spiering $14.25, E. Spearbeck $23.75, John Strait $23.75, Otis C. Olson $9.50, Chas. Krogman $9.50, Julius Lentz $9.50; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Kampeska)-Alfred Spring $31.05, Leo Clausen $21.85, Clarence Helle $15.20, Andrew T. Larson $17.10, Curtis Underwood $22.80, Thomas Spiering $20.90, John Strait $9.50, Otis C. Olson $28.50, Chas. Krogman $28.50, Julius Lentz $28.50; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Lake)-Alfred Spring $17.25, Leo Clausen $14.25, Andrew T. Larson $14.25, Curtis Unerwood $14.25, Thomas Spiering $14.25, E. Spearbeck $14.25, John Strait $14.25; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Kranzburg)-Fred Brownell $23.75, Leo Clausen $22.80; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Clarence Helle $1.90; Bailiff Fees-Ray Makepeace $49.00, Court Expense-Mrs. Wm. Mack $53.60, Eleanor Bonfoey $45.50, J. C. Penney Co. $5.90, George Haider $5.30, Agnes Johnson $35.20, Cecilia M. Beirne $112.15, Hazel Hegarty $134.73; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $40.30; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown $100.00;

Payments made on county liens for the month of November are as follows: Charles Gaumitz $27.20, Joe Hobelsburger $175.72, Marshall O. Bradfield $55.00, Albert Dummer $10.00, Catherine Strutz $50.00, Anton Lauseng $54.55, Myron T. Hjermstad $210.00, Julius & Elsie Larson $20.00;

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Theodore Flisrand, J.E. Henning, Alvin Satter, Mirel Hogie, Ralph Noeldner, Edwin Anderson, Norman Anderson, Ronald Burchatz and Paul DeBerg, $4.00 each; Richard Bach, Edwin Pries, David Fleming, Clarence Tschakert and Mrs. Lloyd Hanks, $7.50 each; Alvin Rossow and Arnold Flisrand, $8.00 each; Leslie Simon and Harlan Bach, $15.00 each.

At 12:00 noon Commissioner Skinner was excused from the Board for the remainder of the day.

The report of Justice of the Peace, Joe Strom, as of December 21, 1954, was checked and approved by the Board.

Following resolutions from the State Highway Commission were noted by the Board and ordered entered in the Commissioners Proceedings of this date, to wit:

RESOLUTION NO. 7901

CODINGTON COUNTY
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SOUTH DAKOTA
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION:

THAT, WHEREAS, it appears from reports received from the Engineers that the work embraced under contract with J. L. Healy Construction Company for Bituminous Surfacing (Maintenance Retread Type) on Federal Aid Project No. 58, Codington County, has been satisfactorily completed in accordance with plans and specifications, and

WHEREAS, District Engineer, T. J. Bunn, and State Highway Engineer, H. C. Rempfer, have recommended acceptance of the work, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the State Highway Commission that the work embraced under contract with J. L. Healy Construction Company for Bituminous Surfacing (Maintenance Retread Type) on Federal Aid Project No. 58, Codington County, be, and the ame is, hereby accepted and final settlement with the Contractor is authorized.

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

Adopted this 16th day of November, 1954. By /s/ Bert Tollefson, Jr. - Secretary

RESOLUTION NO. 7909

CODINGTON COUNTY
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SOUTH DAKOTA
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION:

THAT, WHEREAS, a resolution has been presented by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, requesting certain changes in the County Highway System of Codington County, as hereinafter described.

AND, WHEREAS, it appears that the said Board of County Commissioners has complied with all the regulations in regard to the proposed changes, and the State Highway Commission being fully advised in the matter, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the State Highway Commission that the following described roads, be, and the same are, hereby added to the Codington County Highway System:

Beginning at the NE Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 53, West of the Fifth P.M., thence south 1 mile to the SE Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 53, thence west 1 mile to the SW Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 53, West of the Fifth P.M.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the State Highway Commission that the following described roads, be, and the same are, hereby deleted from the County System of Codington County.

Approximately 1 mile, beginning at the SW Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 53, thence north 1 mile to the NW Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 53, West of the Fifth P.M.

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

ADOPTED THIS 16th day of November, 1954. By /s/ Bert Tollefson, Jr. - Secretary

At 5:00 P.M. the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. December 28, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
December 28, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $59.94, Oscar J. Fromke $27.70, James L. Keenan $49.80, Herb Skinner $24.90;

Mr. & Mrs. Jack J. Turner appeared before the Board with an application for partial release of county liens of Jack Turner as said liens affect property described as Lot 6, Block 24, Second Railway Addition to Watertown, also, Lot 6, Block 13, Brock's Addition to Watertown.

Mr. & Mrs. Turner explained that these liens in the amount of $57.30 were liens of another Jack Turner and were entered on the abstract of Jack J. Turner for the reason of the similarity of names.

Moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that foregoing application be approved. Motion carried.

Bob Carlson appeared before the Board on the matter of furnishing a filing cabinet for the County Treasurer's Office.

The Board authorized the County Treasurer to purchase a filing cabinet for her office on terms proposed by Mr. Carlson.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner, applications for dance hall licenses for the calendar year, 1955, were approved as follows: W. C. Williams for the "Marine Room" and the "Rainbow Room" at Stony Point, Lake Kampeska--fees $25.00 and $50.00, respectively; Venard Brandriet for the "Flamingo" at Lake Kampeska, Lake Twp.--fee $25.00; Francis Hupf for the "Tip-Top-Tavern" in Kranzburg Twp.--fee $25.00; Albert DeVille for the "Sunnyside Inn" at Lake Kampeska, Lake Twp.--fee $25.00.

On motion by Fromke and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of Fred Walsh, Jr. for a partial release of county liens of Fred Walsh, Sr., (deceased) in the amount of $428.97 as said liens affect property described as Lot 7, Block 15, Brock's Addition to Watertown.

Following resolutions from the S. D. State Highway Commission were noted by the Board and ordered entered in the Proceedings of this date, to wit:

RESOLUTION #7910

CODINGTON COUNTY

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SOUTH DAKOTA
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION:

THAT, WHEREAS, it appears from reports received from the Engineers that the work embraced under contract with Larson and Teigen for the Grading, Portland Cement Concrete Pavement, etc. on Federal Aid Project No. FAP 1 (pt.) (State Work), Codington County, has been satisfactorily completed in accordance with plans and specifications, and

WHEREAS, District Engineer, T. J. Bunn, and State Highway Engineer, H. C. Rempfer, have recommended acceptance of the work, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the State Highway Commission that the work embraced under contract with Larson and Teigen for Grading, Portland Cement Concrete Pavement, etc. on Federal Aid Project No. FAP 1 (pt.) (State Work), Codington County, be, and the same is, hereby accepted and final settlement with the Contractor is authorized.

Adopted this 30th day of November, 1954.

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION
By /s/ Bert Tollefson, Jr. - Secretary

RESOLUTION #7918

CODINGTON COUNTY

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SOUTH DAKOTA
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION:

THAT, WHEREAS, it appears from reports received from the Engineers that the work embraced under contract with Kies & Zastrow for Gravelsurfacing on Federal Aid Secondary Projects Nos. S 576(1) and S 575(1), Codington County, has been satisfactorily completed in accordance with plans and specifications, and

WHEREAS, District Engineer, T. J. Bunn, and State Highway Engineer, H. C. Rempfer, have recommended acceptance of the work, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the State Highway Commission that the work embraced under contract with Kies and Zastrow for Gravelsurfacing on Federal Aid Secondary Projects Nos. S 576(1) and S 575(1), Codington County, be, and the same is, hereby accepted and final settlement with the Contractor is authorized.

Adopted this 30th day of November, 1954.

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION
By /s/ Bert Tollefson, Jr.- Secretary

Pursuant to SDC 1939-Sec. 5.0226 and any amendments thereto, it was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Fromke that a reminder be issued to all liquor and beer license holders by the Codington County Board of Commissioners that no licensee shall sell intoxicating beer or liquor to persons receiving welfare assistance from the County. Motion carried.

On motion, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. December 31, 1954.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
December 31, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Leo Boland $50.30; Sheriff's Office Expense-Midwest-Beach Co. $15.27; Poor-Watertown Community Oil Co. $14.30-for Lowell Mead; Per Diem, Mileage & Salary-Vernon H. Belk $77.80, Oscar J. Fromke $40.40, Einar Jordeth $15.00, James L. Keenan $81.80;Herb Skinner $35.00;

10:00 A.M. of this date having been fixed by the Board as the time for opening of sealed bids to furnish the Codington County Highway Department with one new crawler-type Diesel tractor and one, either new or used scraper, said equipment to conform to specifications as set out in the notice to bidders duly published in the official Codington County newspapers, Chairman Keenan requested the County Auditor to read the "Notice to Bidders" preliminary to opening the bids.

Five firms submitted bids which were read in the order in which they were filed as follows:

1. Foster-Bell Co., Sioux Falls, S. D.
   (a) Caterpillar Diesel Tractor-Complete F.O.B. Watertown - $20,448.00;
   (b) Caterpillar No. 25 Cable control unit - 1,865.00;
   (c) New Scraper Model 70 - 8,703.75;
   (d) Used Model 80 Scraper - 11,990.00

2. Sioux Road Equipment Inc., Sioux Falls, S. D.
   (a) Allis-Chalmers Model HD-20 H Tractor - $22,685.00;
   (b) One Gar Wood Model 281 Cable Control unit - 2,222.00;
   (c) New Allis Chalmers Model 315 Scraper - 12,015.00;

3. Empire Equipment Co., Sioux Falls, S. D.
   (a) International Harvester Model TD-24 Diesel - $21,000.00;
   (b) International Harvester Model P-29 Cable Control Unit - 1,844.00;
   (c) International Harvester Model B-170-A-Scraper - 16,250.00;

4. E. L. Lien Construction Co., Veblen, S. D.
   (a) Used LeTourneau Model LP Scraper - $ 4,900.00;

5. J. D. Evans Equipment Co., Sioux Falls, S. D.
   (a) New LeTourneau - Westinghouse Control Unit - $ 1,215.00;
   (b) Used Model LP LeTourneau Scraper - 4,175.00;
   (c) New LeTourneau - Westinghouse Model CT Scraper - 10,102.10;

All above equipment prices are F. O. B. Watertown.

After separate interviews with representatives of firms bidding, the Board set 3:00 P.M. of this date as the time for decision on letting of bid.

On motion by Belk and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of John Schmeling for a dance hall license for the "Casino Ball Room" at Lake Kampeska for the calendar year, 1955, for a fee of $50.00.

At 4:00 P.M. the Board reached a decision on bids submitted.

It was moved by Jordeth and seconded by Belk that the low bid of Foster-Bell Co. in the amount of $20,448.00 for a Caterpillar Diesel Tractor be accepted and the certified checks of the unsuccessful bidders be returned. On roll call vote all Commissioners voted "aye" whereupon the Chairman declared the motion carried.

It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that all scraper and cable control unit bids be rejected. Motion carried.

After returning certified checks of unsuccessful bidders, the Board adjourned.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 4, 1955

The Board of Commissioners convened in regular session at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding. It was agreed that the old Board continue to function until 1954 business could be disposed of.

Minutes of meetings of December 7, 9, 14, 21, 28 and 31, 1954 were approved by the Board.

On motion by Jordeth and second by Belk, verified claims were approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Inga Erickson $45.30, Alvina Mahowald $25.30, Ed Breuer $64.25, Cliff Englund $6.84; Board of Prisoners-Cliff Englund $155.20; Redfield-Judy Englund $5.00; Court House Maintenance-Elvera Englund $5.22; Board of Insanity-Betty Englund $5.00; Per Diem & Mileage-Einar Jordeth $27.98;

Moved by Fromke and seconded by Jordeth that the claim of Butterbrodt Drugs in the amount of $689.87 be rejected. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the old Board adjourn sine die. Motion carried.

The new Board immediately reconvened and took up the business of reorganization for 1955.

Chairman Keenan requested the County Auditor to preside for election of a new chairman.

Auditor called for nominations for Chairman. Skinner nominated Belk. Moved by Skinner and seconded by Belk that nominations cease and that the County Auditor cast a unanimous ballot for Belk for Chairman of the Board for 1955. Motion carried.

Belk was declared Chairman after which he assumed the chair and called for nominations for Vice Chairman.

Keenan nominated Fromke for vice chairman. Moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that nominations cease and that the County Auditor cast a unanimous ballot for Fromke for Vice Chairman of the Board for 1955. Motion carried.

Adolph Hogstad, having been duly elected as Commissioner of Codington County, Third District, in the November, 1954 General Election, and having further qualified for this office by subscribing to the official bond and oath of office, was at this time officially seated as

a member of the Codington County Board of Commissioners, and Einar Jordeth, former Commissioner of District No. 3, relinquished his place on the Board to Adolph Hogstad.

Chairman Belk appointed Commissioners Keenan, Skinner and Hogstad as a committee to check the Sheriff's office inventory preliminary to change of officials in that office.

Commissioners Skinner and Fromke, having made the required annual check of the County Treasurer's office, reported as of January 4, 1955 as follows: Cash on hand - $3,874.67; Checks - $3,269.36; Total - $7,144.03. On the recommendation of Skinner and Fromke, the Board authorized the new Treasurer, Paul Krakowski, to assume the duties of that office.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad that the report on the Treasurer's office be accepted. Motion carried.

Commissioners Keenan, Skinner and Hogstad reported Sheriff's office inventory checked and found correct, at which the Board authorized the new Sheriff, Lloyd Shenk, to assume the duties of that office.

Designation of official newspapers for Codington County for 1955 was taken up at this time. Applications had been submitted by the following: Watertown Public Opinion, Watertown Photo News, South Shore Gazette, and Henry Independent.

Chairman Belk requested the County Auditor to poll the Board with roll call vote on official newspapers to be designated for 1955 as follows: Skinner-District #1-South Shore Gazette, Watertown Public Opinion and Photo News; Belk-District #2-South Shore Gazette, Henry Independent and Watertown Public Opinion; Hogstad-District #3-South Shore Gazette, Henry Independent and Watertown Public Opinion; Fromke-District #4-South Shore Gazette, Photo News and Watertown Public Opinion; Keenan-District #5-South Shore Gazette, Henry Independent and Watertown Public Opinion.

Moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that the three newspapers, South Shore Gazette, Henry Independent and Watertown Public Opinion, having received the highest number of votes, be designated as the official newspapers for 1955. Motion carried.

The Veterans' Service Officers individual contact report for December, 1954 was noted by the Board.

The Weed Supervisor's monthly report for December, 1954 was noted by the Board.

On motion by Keenan and second by Hogstad the Board designated places for holding mortgage foreclosure sales in Codington County as follows: County sheds, at Kranzburg, Florence, South Shore, and Henry, and Watertown, Town Hall at Wallace and Farmers Elevator at Grover.

Moved by Fromke and seconded, by Skinner that Chairman Belk be authorized to execute and the County Auditor attest a quit claim deed to tax deed property described as Lots 87,88 and 89, Fairfax Addition to Watertown from Codington County to H.M. Murray of Sisseton, South Dakota - this deed to correct error in middle initial of grantee appearing on previous deed issued to the same property on September 17, 1954 and recorded in Book 175, page 187 in Register of Deeds office on September 30, 1954. Motion carried.

County welfare matters were discussed.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Skinner that all orders for hospitalization or medical care of county indigent be issued to Bartron Hospital or Bartron Clinic from and after January 5, 1955,

On roll call vote all Commissioners voted "aye", and the Chairman declared the motion carried.

The Auditor's Account with the County Treasurer was checked and approved as follows: Deposits in banks, $323,965.37; Cash, checks and drafts in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $8,544.98; Government Bonds, $112,000.00; C. D. $70,000.00; Total of all items, $514,510.35.

On motion made and seconded, the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. January 5, 1955.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 5, 1955

The Board of Commissioners convened prusuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Belk presiding.

Commissioner Fromke was excused to attend a Committee meeting of the Armory Planning Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hila Rossow $55.40; Convention & Research-State Association of County Commissioners $97.36; Bailiff Fees-Carl Deal $16.00;

The business of appointing Committees for 1955 was taken up at this time.

Chairman Belk, with the Board's approval appointed Committees as follows: - first named Commissioner to act as Chairman of respective committee, and Chairman of the Board to act as ex officio member of all Committees, to wit:

1. Finance- Skinner, Hogstad and Keenan.

2. Purchasing (Court House Supplies) - Fromke and entire Board.
3. Court House, Jail and Grounds - Keenan and Fromke.
4. Insurance - Fromke
5. County Home - Keenan, Fromke and Hogstad.
6. Rural Property - Hogstad, Keenan and Belk
7. City Property - Skinner and Fromke
8. Memorial Park - Belk, Skinner and Keenan
9. Highway Purchasing - Keenan and entire Board
10. Welfare Purchase and Supplies - Keenan, Fromke and Skinner

At 11:00 A.M. Fromke returned, and Commissioner Skinner was excused to attend another committee meeting of the Armory Planning Board.

The Board spent the remainder of the day checking Sheriff's fee records of 1954.

At 5:00 P.M. the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. January 6, 1955.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 6, 1955

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Belk presiding.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that Codington County continue its membership in the South Dakota Association of County Commissioners and Research Group by paying the annual fees for membership in same. Motion carried.

The Board spent the remainder of the morning checking Sheriff's fee records of 1954.

In order to attend the Quarterly Meeting of the Lake Region County Commissioners Association to be held at Webster, S. D. at 2:30 P.M. of this date, it was moved, seconded and motion carried that the Board adjourn at noon until 10:00 A.M. January 7, 1955.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 7, 1955

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Belk presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Lois Mann $45.30; CH&BR-John Rennie $89.25;

10:00 A.M. of this date having been fixed by the Board as the time for opening sealed bids to furnish Codington County for the year, 1955, with reinforced concrete and metal pipe 15 inches and up, bulk petroleum products, weed spray, and gasoline and oil at service stations, Chairman Belk requested the County Auditor to read the "Notice to Bidders" preliminary to opening and reading bids.

Bids were opened and read as follows:
Reinforced concrete and metal pipe bids:
(1) H. V. Johnston Culvert Co., Aberdeen, S. D.
(2) Armco Drainage and Metal Products Co., Sioux Falls, S. D.
(3) Northwestern Road Supply Co., Watertown
(4) C. A. Branson Culvert Co., Inc., Aberdeen, S. D.
(5) S. D. Concrete Products Co., Watertown.
Weed spray bids:
(1) Standard Oil Co., Huron
(2) Watertown Milling Co.
(3) R. A. Hyde Oil Co., Pipestone, Minnesota
Bulk petroleum products bids:
(1) Socony Vacuum Oil Co.
(2) Standard Oil Co.
(3) Codington County Oil Co.
Service Station bids:
(1) Reaney's 24 hr. Service
(2) Wolter's Direct Service
(3) O. M. Wicks Uptown Service
(4) H. Strohfus Mileage Market
(5) Codington County Oil Co.

The Board interviewed representatives of firms bidding, but deferred decision on letting of bids until 5:00 P.M. of this date.

After studying and checking bid prices and specifications of products bid, comparisons were noted as follows: The four metal culvert bids were identical; the weed spray bids, in the order above listed, gave prices per lb. of acid content as .87½¢, .82¢, and .86¢ respectively; all bulk gasoline bids quoted 1½¢ off posted tank wagon price at time of delivery less deductible taxes. Socony Vacuum quoted 1½¢ off posted tank wagon price on both #1 and #2 diesel fuel deliveries of 100 gallons or more at one time and in one place; Standard Oil Co. quoted 1½¢ off on #1 diesel and 1¢ off on #2 diesel; Codington County Oil Co. bid only one grade diesel at 1¢ off. With discounts as above noted, prices on #1 and #2 diesel fuel to Codington County on this date would be as follows:
Socony Vacuum - #1-15.8¢, #2-14.6¢;
Standard Oil - #1-15.9¢, #2-14.9¢
Codington County Oil Co.
Diesel Fuel 15.3¢.

The bids of Socony Vacuum and Standard Oil stated that prices on diesel fuel in the Watertown area were at present sub-normal which would make the price to the county today 13.6¢ for #2 diesel at either firm, and 14.5¢ for #1. Socony did not quote a sub-normal price on H.S. Diesel fuel.

Service Station bids were as follows: Reaneys - gasoline-3¢ off posted pump price, Motor oil-30¢ to 25¢ per qt.; Wolters Direct Service - gasoline-5¢ off Standard Oil Co. normal posted pump price, Motor oil-38¢ to 25¢ per qt.; Uptown Service-gasoline - 2¢ off posted pump price, motor oil- 35¢ to 25¢ per qt.; Mileage Market-gasoline -3.1¢ off posted pump price, Motor oils-35¢ to 25¢ per qt. and a straight 10% discount off posted selling price on all other products; Codington County Oil Co.-gasoline-3¢ off posted pump price, Motor oils 35¢ to 30¢ per qt.

South Dakota Concrete Products Co. submitted the only bid on concrete tile and culverts.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Skinner that the bulk petroleum bid of Socony Vacuum Oil Co. be accepted and that certified checks of unseccessful bidders be returned. On roll call vote all commissioners voted "aye" - Motion carried.

For the reason of proximity of the service station to the County Highway Department Sheds, it was moved by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad that the Service Station bid of Mileage Market be accepted and certified checks of unsuccessful bidders be returned. On roll call vote, all "ayes." Motion carried.

Moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that the S. D. Concrete Products Co. bid on concrete tile be accepted, and that said S. D. Concrete Products Co. be permitted to file a performance bond in the amount of $500.00 in lieu of the certified check accompanying the bid. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad that all metal pipe bids be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Skinner that the weed spray bid of the Watertown Milling Co. be accepted and certified checks of unsuccessful bidders be returned. Motion carried.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. January 10, 1955.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 10, 1955

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Belk presiding.

Sheriff's fee records of 1954 were checked until 11:00 A.M.

Irving Hinderaker, representing Memorial Hospital, appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to drug charges to county patients hospitalized at Memorial Hospital. No action was taken.

The remainder of the morning was spent checking Sheriff's fee records.

At 1:30 P.M. Doctors Stoltz, Fedt, Kilgard, Clark and Rousseau and Tom Haggar of Haggar's Drug Store, appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to the decision of the County Board to issue authorizations for medical care and hospitalization of county indigent persons only to Bartron Hospital and Clinic. The doctors protested this decision of the Board and asked for permission to present a proposal whereby a committee of doctors and one pharmacist would be appointed to audit all County medical and drug claims, and, also, recommend the type of care to be administered to county patients.

The Board agreed to consider such a proposal, if submitted.

Commissioners Fromke and Skinner, having been appointed as a committee to check fees collected during 1954 in the Register of Deeds and Clerk of Courts offices, reported as follows: Register of Deeds fees collected during 1954 - $7,147.25; Clerk of Courts - $3,403.95.

Moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that foregoing report be accepted. Motion carried.

Commissioners Skinner, Keenan and Belk, having checked Sheriff's fees collected during 1954, reported as follows: Total fees collected - $2,956.60; minimum allowance to Sheriff for fees and deputy salary as fixed by the 1954 salary resolution-$3,400.00; Deficiency salary due Sheriff for 1954 - $443.40.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. January 11, 1955.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 11, 1955

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Belk presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Mae Abbott $50.00-for

Nora McPeek $25.00, Edward McPeek $25.00; Annette Burgdorf $245.00-for Dora Corwin $150.00, Nels T. Nelson $55.00, Henry Spilde $40.00; Martha Giese $40.00-for Marie E. Born; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Mrs. Nora Kinstad $322.41-for Ola Hanson $26.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ole H. Aamodt $40.00, Ole Omodt $45.00, Carl Berge $30.00, Irvin Eisenbise $45.00, Ruth Burson $38.41, James Chambers $63.00; Anna Mae Larson $55.00-for Mary Myers; Elizabeth Marsh $10.00-for Matt Kemp; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. G. Stoltenburg $15.00-for Louisa Richter; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $40.00-for Lorence Albrecht; Watertown Rest Home $75.00-for Louis Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $30.00-for Edith Kinsey; Mrs. Bessie Young $25.00-for Mrs. Rosa Dixon $15.00, Sarah Ann Black $10.00; Duffner Drug $205.63-for Mrs. Chas. W. Montney $14.60, Louis Mourere $.90, Edgar L. Wight $2.70, Inga Yarns $10.53, Wm. Boll $29.70, Mathilda Blek $3.33, Ole Omodt $2.25, Carl Berge $1.35, Frank Metzinger $17.10, B. J. Murray $59.81, Mr. & Mrs. P. DeMuynck $20.61, Ola Hanson $22.77, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Wisneski $19.98; Mrs. August Anderson $31.72-for Mary Vermillion; Bartron Hospital $729.10-for James Chambers $188.65, Mrs. John Dobson $177.75, B. J. Murray $20.00, Albert Johnson $342.70; Bartron Clinic $260.70-for Ella Flanagan $85.00, Ed A. Schmeling $2.00, Andrew H. Springer $3.00, Art Eastberg $4.00, Mary Lindner $9.70, Henry Becker $2.00, James Chambers $55.00, Mrs. John Dobson $33.00, Dennis Painter $13.00, B. J. Murray $12.00, Albert Johnson $30.00, Loren Wohlwend $2.00, Arlone Johnson $6.00, John Farley $4.00; Burke Brewster, M.D. $9.00-for Mathilda Blek; Brown Clinic $185.00-for Mary Myers $3.00, Mrs. Wm. Luck $2.00, Seymore Peterson $4.00, Chas. Bierscheid $17.00, Josephine Welter $10.50, Albert Krohn $23.00, Louis F. Rohde $22.00, Mary Mitchell $37.50, Elida Jones $30.00, Henry Schlosser $36.00; Busy Bee Cafe $11.46-for Louis F. Rohde; D. F. Campbell $23.60-for Anna Parsley $19.60, Harry Freeseman $4.00; Codington County Oil Co. $108.75-for Mrs. Carl Fritz $14.30, Olaf Erickson & Susie $14.30, John Fjerstad $14.30, Mrs. Edwin Bates $15.30, Mrs. Mary Tribitt $14.30, Arthur Larson $7.65, Mrs. Claus Engels $14.30, James J. Mack $14.30; Council Oak Stores $50.00-for Mrs. Lowell Mead $30.00, Leonard Vaughan $10.00, Albert Kritta $10.00; F. P. Creaser & Sons $20.50-for Sophia Sharp; D. N. Fedt, M.D. $154.00-for Fannie Baker $20.00, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $15.00, Mrs. Douglas Tupper $109.00, Rita Eisenbise $10.00; Haggars Drug $595.18-for Fannie Baker $6.57, Ed Goeman $19.40, John Kleinsasser $2.84, Martin Larson $11.30, Lorraine Tupper $12.15, Henry Anderson $26.06, Rita Eisenbise $1.39, Theo. Treat $54.23, Edith Kinsey $11.57, Hilda Ebens $43.97, Elida Jones $26.28, Mary Myers $.68, Mary Mitchell $17.37, Ella Flanagan $52.88, Louis F. Rohde $1.89, Thos. J. Peters $58.73, Seymore Peterson $12.15, Vernon Thompson $4.55, Mildred Taylor $3.83, Albert Krohn $45.41, Ellen Anderson $9.90, Frank & Emma Klucas $17.60, Fern Washtoak $38.07, Mary Myers $18.90, Henrietta Fritz $35.78, Josephine Welter $25.72, Mary Mitchell $8.82, Nels T. Nelson $3.60, Hilda Ebens $19.67; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $22.50-for Albert Krohn; Lester Hemiller $60.00-for Carl Hemiller, Huebner Oil Co. $13.16-for Mrs. Wm. Glendenning; R. E. Hunter $30.00-for John Fjerstad; Huron Clinic Ass'n $106.00-for Robert Blow; Lien's Grocery $5.00-for Mrs. Cora Barto; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $95.64-for Carl Hemiller, Edith Bundy $24.53, Mrs. Blair Tessier $23.85, Geo Scholl $23.86; C.E. McGowan Lbr. Co. $31.50; Medical Arts Clinic $419.00-for John H. Peterson $41.00, Earl Crocker $21.00, Rex Richmond $5.00, Mrs. Chas. Montney $2.00, Frank & Emma Klucas $28.00, Vernon Thompson $5.00, Ed Goeman $30.00, Hilda Ebens $30.00, Fern Washtoak $37.00, Henry Anderson $22.00, Steve Wisneski $23.00, Robert Corey $19.00, Ola Hanson $2.00, Mrs. Henrietta Fritz $5.00, Lizzie Alt $12.00, Louis Mourere $6.00, Edith Kinsey $20.00, Wm. Boll $2.00, Anna Christianson $34.00, Theo. Treat $75.00; Northside Grocery $10.00-for Will Norman; Palace Grocery $10.00- for Victor Rosekranz; Shaw-Messer Amb. Serv $3.00-for Ella Flanagan; O.P. Skaggs $204.00-for James J. Mack $69.00, Loren Wohlwend $50.00, John Fjerstad $30.00, Mrs. A. Kretzschmar $20.00, Douglas Tupper $20.00, Mrs. Edwin Bates $15.00; Spies Super Valu $65.00-for Mrs. Blair Tessier $30.00, Arthur Larson $15.00, Kremer, Maynard $20.00; St. Ann Hospital $826.40-for Ella Flanagan $187.65, Elida Jones $392.70, Mary Mitchell $161.40, Mary Myers $7.00, Louis F. Rhode $77.65; St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $56.70-for John Welter $25.00, Augusta Schonberger $31.70; St. John's Hospital $271.90-for Robert Blow; St. Luke's Hospital $140.11-for Albert Krohn; Thomes Drug $162.57-for Alfred Vick $60.21, Lena Trumer $20.65, Chas. Bierscheid $4.50, James Chambers $3.46, Margaret Papka $1.26, Anna Kennedy $4.74, John Farley $5.04, Harry Freeseman $4.91, Louisa Richter $2.48, Rollin A. Vance $4.73, Richard DePeel $1.08, Anna Christianson $15.44, Minnie Johnson $22.37, Albert Hendricks $.90, Lorence Albrecht $10.80; Dr. M.C. Thompson $138.00-for Albert Hendricks $9.00, Emma Lehman Dralle $39.00, Minnie Johnson $26.00, Lena Trumer $25.00, Marion Kraft $8.00, Lorence Albrecht $18.00, Clarence Morrison $13.00; Leo O. Titze $3.00-for Gertrude Shepherd; Mrs. August Bunde $17.75-for Hilda Ebens; Brown Clinic $2.00-for Albert Krohn; Joseph Osterhoff $113.80; Memorial Hospital $1539.90-for Henry Anderson $71.55, Hilda Ebens $206.60, Theo. Treat $293.65, Edith Kinsey $79.00, Rita Eisenbise $21.00, Douglas Tupper $225.40, Martin Larson $52.00, Mark Kleinsasser $150.00, Robert Corey $10.50, Fannie Baker $188.20, Ed Goeman $220.00, Alfred Vick $22.00; Kreisers Drug $212.30-for Mrs. Brad Barclay $11.23, B. J. Murray $3.33, Anna Parsley $9.46, N. Nielson $2.83, James Chambers $27.72, Florence William $1.44, Ed Schmeling $9.36, Albert Hendricks $4.05, Arlone Johnson $2.52, Ben Bergerson $4.05, Nellie Jensen $5.40, Mrs. Ludwig Roethler $8.50, Mrs. Mary Lindner $6.57, Mrs. John Dobson $42.43, Carl Henry Becker $11.70, Albert Johnson $16.92, Mrs. M. Christensen $17.01, Alma Pederson $7.72, Frank Metzinger $1.35, Mrs. Eno Tulowetske $.10, Fred Coan $.10, Emma Jenkins $3.58, H.A. Lipelt $2.70, Shirley Ann Young $1.35, Marshall Bradfield $1.03, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $5.76, Donald Schultz $4.09; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $89.80, Oscar J. Fromke $96.17, James L. Keenan $77.00, Adolph Hogstad $79.66, Herb Skinner $77.35; Court Expense-James F. Scanlon $50.50, Palace of Sweets $45.77, Ruhe Stationery Co. $23.41, Palace of Sweets $33.75, Joe Brewster $50.40, Thos. C. Halajian $45.30, Harold B. Ohnstad $60.00, Leslie Barrett $54.25; Tax Collector-James Nelson $115.72; County Judge Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $28.00; Treasurer's Office Expense-South Shore Gazette $108.25, Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.60; Auditor's Office Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $10.50, Pitney-Bowes, Inc. $2.00, Watertown Typewriter Co. $28.02, Monroe Calculating Machine Co. $21.00, News Printing Co. $190.73, Midwest-Beach Co. $52.34, Educator Supply Co. $161.85, Brown & Saenger $258.92, Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.24; County Judge Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $5.98; Treasurer's Office Expense-Midwest-Beach Co. $52.33, Educator Supply Co. $161.85; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $60.42, F. C. Grow Sons $9.75; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Remington Rand, Inc. $143.88, Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.84; Sheriff's Office Expense-Chas. E. Crown $3.40, Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.85; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-Wilson Truck System $5.27; States Attorney Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.50; County Extension-Fred Morris $22.68, Clara W. Johnson $19.36, Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.20 ; Printing & Advertising-South Shore Gazette $229.94, Watertown Public Opinion

$266.33; Election Expense-Nelson Hardware $8.74; Court House Maintenance-Gene Coplan $18.90, Nelson Hardware $81.67, Barkley Truck Lines $30.00, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $11.60, L. V. Harmel $102.81, Chet's Bicycle Service $20.23, City Treasurer $536.84, Luther Paint & Glass Co. $2.32, Egg Electric Co. $17.26, Davey Furniture Co. $69.00, Luxor Lighting Products, Inc. $47.67, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $9.70, Herbert Borns $6.40, City Wood Products $57.95, Inman Plumbing & Heating Co. $1.25, Park & Grant Co. $40.50, Duffner Drug Store $.60; Insurance & Bonds-Western Surety Co. $943.56; Equipment-Town & Country Store $19.90; Insanity Board-H.T. Kenney, M.D. $30.00; Memorial Park-Chet's Bicycle Service $3.00; Co. Farm-City Treasurer $23.05, Park Grant Co. $59.60, Duffner Drug Store $17.92, Spies Super Valu $9.99, Dr. M.C. Thompson $6.00, Dakota Warehouse Furniture Co. $115.00, Codington County Implement Co. $1.40, K.D. Inc. $2.08, Olson Appliance Co. $11.60, J. C. Penney Co. $28.18, Thompson Yards $44.50, Watertown Co-op Elevator Co. $31.99, Uptown Service $5.50; Bailiff Fees-Ray Makepeace $29.00; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Chas. E. Crown $7.10, Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.35, J. C. Penney Co. $8.18, Uptown Service $328.19, Algard Machine Shop $2.00, Cave Supply Co. $145.95, Chicago & Northwestern Railway $15.00, Colonel Motors $4.20, Dakota Welding & Supply $8.59, Empire Equipment Co. $206.93, J. D. Evens Equipment Co. $743.05, Foster-Bell Co. $398.38, Ernest A. Goodraod $75.00, Kenneth Hayes Magneto & Electric Co. $18.95, R. E. Hubbard Co. $12.60, International Harvester Co. $253.05, LaNoue's Radiator Shop $14.00, The Mahowald Co. $14.03, Marquardt's Service $7.00, Motor Supply Co. $25.00, C. S. Rasmusson $23.99, Arthur Schwandt $16.27, Sioux Road Equipment Co. $152.59, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $732.98, L. E. Tanksley $895.55, Watertown Machine Works $12.49, Watertown Tire Co. $154.01, Carl Wiese $18.50, Carl Zweig Jr. $10.08, Jostad Lumber Co. $26.09; ROAD-Wilson Truck System $3.77, Don & Lois Briggs $1.00, Henry Flemming $1.00, Elsie D. McElhaney $1.00, Marvin Muller $1.00, Allie May Nelson $1.00, Northwestern Public Service $4.77, Claude Parsons $1.00, Railway Express $10.63, Mrs. Jennie Schmeling Neuendorf $1.00, Kathryn N. Spencer $1.00, John E. Thomas $1.00, Vern L. Thorson $1.00, Robert Welch $1.00, 1st Citizens Nat. Bank-Guardian of Julius Zech $1.00, August Zeck $1.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Nelson Hardware $15.60, South Dakota Concrete Products $221.12, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $76.88; CH&BR-Thompson Yards $44.28, L. T. Brekke $49.50, Einar Jordeth $19.00, Jostad Lumber Co. $2.80, Loomis Bros. $414.00, Miller Bros. Lbr. Co. $32.34, D. L. Nogelmeier $81.90, South Dakota State Highway Commission $4,674.70; CMV-McClintic Insurance $61.00; COUNTY SP. HIGHWAY (Kampeska)-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $29.76, D. L. Nogelmeier $29.75; COUNTY SP. HIGHWAY (Pelican)-D. L. Nogelmeier $34.65; TEXTBOOK-Chicago & Northwestern Railway $5.84, The Macmillan Co. $36.51, Scott, Foresman & Co. $5.31; REDFIELD-H. T. Kenney, R. D. $30.00;

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Willard Redemske, Ronald Burchatz, Raymond Amdahl, W. S. Krause, Thomas Vick, Ralph Wartenbee, $4.00 each; Philip Bergh, Vinton Lee Heaton, $7.50 each; Mirel Hogie, Royal Redlin, Robert Adams, $8.00 each; Alvin J. Bruchhof for Codington County Sportsmen's Ass'n. and Richard Bach, $15.00 each; Lloyd Foster, $37.50.

Report of Sale by County Auditor of Class One Land Acquired by Tax Proceeding.
TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA:

Carl F. Bergan, the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, makes the following return of the proceedings had pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners to offer for sale the within described real estate acquired by the county by tax proceedings and reports as follows, to-wit:

That the real property directed to be offered for sale by the Board of County Commissioners was first classified as class one land and was appriased by the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, at the sum of $820.00.

That in pursuance of the direction of the Board of County Commissioners that the within described real estate acquired by tax proceeding be offered for sale, he caused notice of sale thereof to be published in the legal newspapers of the County of Codington once each week for a period of 2 successive weeks before the date of sale specified therein, which notice contained a description of the real property to be sold and the time, place, and terms of sale, all of which appears by such notice and affidavit of publication filed herein.

That said County Auditor, pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners and notice duly given, offered for sale and on the 28 day of December, 1954, sold, subject to the confirmation of the Board of County Commissioners, the following described real estate to Thelma Marie Leighty, Rev. F. Majusiak, Joe Schmeling, Ted Thompson, they being the highest and best bidders, for the sum of $975.00, said sum being the highest and best sum bid and not being less than the amount of the appraisement, upon the following terms, to-wit: cash at the time of sale in the amount of $405.00 deposited with the County Treasurer, and the remainder of the purchase price to be paid in two equal annual installments on the first day of January of each succeeding calendar year until the whole of the purchase price is paid, with interest thereon at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable annually, with option in the purchaser to pay the balance or any number of installments on any installment-paying date.

The real estate so sold is described as follows, to-wit:

OL 33, Sec. 5-116-55 - Henry Village	$15.00
Lots 3 & 4, Blk. 7 - Henry Village,	$40.00
Outlots 11 & 12-SE¼ Sec.22-119-51, -South Shore (10 acres)	$330.00
Lot 3, Blk. 24, - Wallace Village	$ 65.00
SW¼ NW¼ Sec. 32-120-52-Res., Dexter Twp.	525.00

Dated this 11th day of January, 1955.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor, Codington County, South Dakota

Resolution Approving Sale of Class One Land Acquired by Tax Deed.

RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE #232

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described real property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that Thelma Marie Leighty of Henry Village, Rev. F. Majusiak of Henry Village, Joe Schmeling of South Shore, Ted Thompson of South Shore, have offered the sum of $405.00 in cash, and $570.00 for contracts for deeds for the following described real property, to-wit:

OL 33, Sec. 5-116-55- Henry Village,	$ 15.00
Lots 3 & 4, Blk. 7 - Henry Village,	40.00
Outlots 11 & 12-SE¼ Sec. 22-119-51, South Shore,	330.00
Lot 3, Blk. 24, - Wallace Village	65.00
SW¼ NW¼ Sec. 32-120-52-Res. Dexter Twp.,	525.00

$405.00 of the purchase price has been deposited in cash with the County Treasurer;

NOW,THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 11th day of January, 1955, that the sale of said premises to the said persons above noted, be and the same is hereby approved, and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest deeds and contracts for deeds to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deeds and contracts for deeds to said purchasers conveying to said purchasers all of the right, title, and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 11th day of January, 1955.

Herb Skinner
Vernon Belk Chr.
Adolph Hogstad
Osmund Iverson
James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:
Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

On motion by Skinner and second by Keenan the Board appointed members to the 1955 Codington County Extension Board as follows: Walter Schwanke, Erwin Beskow, Howard McFarland, Al Saeger and Adolph Hogstad.

Chairman Belk appointed Commissioner Keenan to represent the County Commissioners on the County Weed Board for 1955.

Statements of fees collected during December, 1954 were checked and approved as follows: Register of Deeds, $690.95; Clerk of Courts, $315.00.

Monthly statements for December, 1954 were checked and approved as follows: State Sanatorium at Sanator, S. D., $161.59; Redfield State Hospital and School, $624.20; Yankton State Hospital, $1714.99.

Following Resolution from the State Highway Commission was noted by the Board and ordered entered in the Proceedings of this date to-wit:

RESOLUTION #7928

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SOUTH DAKOTA
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION:

THAT, WHEREAS, it appears from reports received from the Engineers that the work embraced under contract with the Mauer Construction Company for Gravelsurfacing on Federal Aid Secondary Project No. S 593(1), Codington County, has been satisfactorily completed in accordance with plans and specifications, and

WHEREAS, District Engineer, T.J. Bunn, and State Highway Engineer, H. C. Rempfer, have recommended acceptance of the work, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the State Highway Commission that the work embraced under contract with the Mauer Construction Company for Gravelsurfacing on Federal Aid Secondary Project No. S 593(1), Codington County, be, and the same is, hereby accepted and final settlement with the Contractor is authorized.

Adopted this 14th day of December, 1954.

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION
BY: /s/ Bert Tollefson, Jr. -Secretary

RESOLUTION NO. 233

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $758.51 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS, siad apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the fourth quarter of 1954.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows, to-wit:

Sheridan, Pelican, Kampeska, Henry, Elmira, Lake, Richland, Graceland, Phipps, Leola, and Eden $37.93 each; Kranzburg $65.32; Waverly, $48.45; Rauville, $53.73; Germantown, $50.55; and Dexter, $63.19;

Total $698.47

AND WHEREAS, THE County Highway System has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following township: Fuller $60.04

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that, said fund apportioned as above set out be held by the County Auditor to pay for completing the County Highway System in the said townships, in the proportion as above provided and pursuant to law, and no part thereof shall be actually paid over to the said townships, provided however, that any amount of the respective allotments to their respective townships not paid over, shall remain unexpended after completing the roads of the County Highway System, shall revert to and be payable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan, seconded by Commissioner Hogstad and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

DATED AT WATERTOWN, SOUTH DAKOTA, this 11 day of January, 1955.

Vernon H. Belk, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
Auditor, Codington County
South Dakota

RESOLUTION NO. 233A

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $270.90 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment for the fourth quarter of 1954.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned among the respective municipalities as follows:

FLORENCE	$ 15.17
HENRY	$ 15.17
SOUTH SHORE	$ 15.17
WALLACE	$ 11.38
WATERTOWN	$$ 214.01
Total	$ 270.90

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Skinner, seconded by Commissioner Fromke and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

DATED AT WATERTOWN, SOUTH DAKOTA this 11th day of January, 1955.

Vernon H. Belk
Vernon H. Belk, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
Carl F. Bergan, County Auditor

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. January 13, 1955.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 13, 1955

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Belk presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Horace Ustrud $5.10;

Pursuant to a ruling by the Attorney General, received by the County Board through States Attorney, Dale Bradshaw, regarding the County's participation in the Armory Building Program, wherein said Attorney General holds that the County cannot participate in such a program to the extent of more than $1,000.00 per year, it was moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that the former motion of the Board, recorded in Commissioner's Proceedings of November 16, 1954, allowing $2,500.00 per year, be rescinded. On roll call vote all Commissioners voted "aye". Motion carried.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad that Codington County contract with the City of Watertown to pay rental in the amount of $1,000.00 per year for a period of 25 years for the use of the proposed Armory Building and facilities for all 4-H and agricultural programs, conditioned upon the deeding by the American Legion or the City of Watertown of three acres of land to Codington County to be used for buildings for housing livestock for said programs. On roll call vote all Commissioners voted "aye". Motion carried.

The Board spent the remainder of the day cancelling paid checks of 1954, and adjourned at 5:00 P.M. until 10:00 A.M. January 17, 1955.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 17, 1954

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Belk presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $258.65;

The County Highway Superintendent appeared before the Board to discuss matters relating to salaries and wages in the County Highway Department for 1955.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Skinner that the County Highway Superintendent be authorized to attend a meeting of County Highway Superintendents to be held at Pierre, S. D., beginning at 1:00 P.M. January 18, and another meeting with Henry Seide, also in Pierre, on January 19, 1955, with expenses paid as provided by law. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad that Codington County purchase two mobile radio units for the County Highway Department. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Skinner that the application of Ole Hanson Aamodt for a compromise settlement of all county liens to this date for a payment of $25.00 be approved. Motion carried.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. January 18, 1955.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 18, 1955

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Belk presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $61.90, Oscar J. Fromke $62.25, Adolph Hogstad $65.68, James L. Keenan $61.20, Herb Skinner $58.82; Sheriff's Fees-Cliff Englund $434.53;

Dr. S. W. Allen, Jr. appeared before the Board for information regarding his 1954 personal property assessment and tax in Watertown. He protested the high valuation shown on his tax statement as compared with the valuation shown on his duplicate copy of the assessors listing sheet.

The Board explained equalization proceedings which accounted for the difference in valuations.

On motion by Fromke and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of Esther L. Johnson for abatement of 1954 taxes in the amount of $50.43, spread against the SE¼ SW¼ Less East 330 ft. of the South 693 ft. of Section 25-117-53 in City Lands Addition to Watertown, for the reason that said property was assessed as industrial land, taking a mill levy of 81.52 mills, and should properly have been classified as agricultural land, taking a mill levy of 52.70 mills.

On motion by Skinner and second by Fromke the Board approved the application of H. J. Miller for abatement of 1954 money and credits tax in the amount of $16.40 for the reason that an error in spelling of the name had resulted in a duplication of assessment.

On motion by Keenan and second by Hogstad the Board approved the application of LeRoy Mernaugh for abatement of 1954 school poll tax in amount of $1.00 for reason of military service exemption.

On motion by Keenan and second by Hogstad the Board approved the application of Elmer Hineline of Henry Village for abatement of 1954 money and credits tax in the amount of $14.40 for reason of an error by the assessor wherein valuation was entered as $4000.00 instead of $400.00.

Max Croft of Watertown appeared before the Board for information regarding 1954 assessment and taxes on a tractor. The Board explained equalization proceedings which accounted for the large increase in final valuation resulting in the high tax.

At 4:00 P.M. Dr's. Kilgard, Rousseau, and Fedt, and Tom Haggar, druggist, appeared before the Board with the written proposal for medical care of County indigent as referred to in Commissioners Proceedings of January 10, 1955. After discussing the proposal and other matters relating to medical care of County patients, the Board agreed to give the matter consideration, but deferred action pending further study.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon W. Jellinek, Lake shore residents of Lake Twp., appeared before the Board for information relating to assessment of Lake shore property. The Board explained the Lake shore footage method of assessment and equalization proceedings.

The 1955 salary schedule for County personnel was taken up at this time.

RESOLUTION #234
(1955 Monthly Pay Scale)

WHEREAS, in the judgement of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, it is deemed necessary for the prompt and accurate dispatch of business that deputies or clerks be employed in the office of the County Auditor, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Clerk of Courts, Sheriff, States Attorney, Superintendent of Schools, County Highway; also, a County Veterans Service Officer, Court House Custodian, a Superintendent and Matron of the County Farm and a Jailor.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that pursuant to Chapter 12.16 of the South Dakota Code of 1939 the number of deputies or clerks to be employed therein shall be as follows:

In the office of the Auditor, one deputy with a monthly salary of $210.00; one deputy with a monthly salary of $190.00; one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $180.00; one clerk with a starting monthly salary of $150.00.
In the office of the Treasurer, one deputy with a monthly salary of $210.00; one deputy with a monthly salary of $190.00; one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $180.00.
In the office of Register of Deeds, one deputy with a monthly salary of $205.00; one deputy or clerk with a starting monthly salary of $150.00;
In the office of the Clerk of Courts, one deputy with a monthly salary of $195.00.
In the office of the States Attorney, one deputy with a monthly salary of $150.00; and one stenographer with a monthly salary of $125.00.
In the office of the Superintendent of Schools, one deputy with a monthly salary of $190.00; Supt. & Matron of Co. Farm with a monthly salary of $200.00;plus mo. car allowance of $15.
In the County Highway office, one Superintendent with a maximum monthly salary of $525.00; one clerk and radio operator with a monthly salary of $210.00. Shop foreman with a salary of $205.00 per month.
One Veteran's Service Officer with a monthly salary of $190.00;
One Custodian with a monthly salary of $200.00.
Superintendent and Matron of Memorial Park with a monthly salary of $200.00 for the months of May, June, July, August and September.
One Jailor with a monthly salary of $250.00.
One Radio operator in Sheriff's office, $85.00 per month.
Wages for extra help employed to be paid at the rate of 90¢ per hour; new clerks to start at $150.00 per month; after one full year of service, salary may be increased to $160.00 per month.
VACATIONS: All employees shall be limited to one week with pay after 1 year of employment and two weeks with pay after two years of employment, vacation time to be non-cumulative and taken in the current year. Sick leave shall be limited to one week after six months of employment and two weeks after one year of employment on Doctor certificate. Sick leave cumulative up to a maximum of four weeks, retroactive to January 1, 1954. Heads of offices to allocate time for taking vacations.

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan and seconded by Commissioner Hogstad, and upon roll call, all Commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 18th day of January, 1955.

Vernon H. Belk
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners Codington County, South Dakota.

Adolph Hogstad

Herb Skinner

Leon J. Fromke

James L. Keenan

ATTEST:
Carl F. Bergan, County Auditor

RESOLUTION # 234A
(1955 County Highway Department Hourly Pay Scale)

WHEREAS, in the judgement of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, it is deemed necessary for the prompt and accurate dispatch of business for the operation of the County Highway Department and employment of personnel on an hourly basis.

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary that a pay schedule of rates be set up for the year 1955 with provision of time lost due to sickness.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, regular session, that the following classifications are hereby adopted.

CLASSIFICATION	RATE OF PAY PER HOUR
Light Equipment Operators and Common Labor 1½ to 4½ ton trucks, All power mowers, Other miscellaneous Equipment if any.	$1.00
Medium Equipment Operators Patrol (Motor Grader), Front End Loaders, Other miscellaneous Equipment if any.	$1.05-1.20
Heavy Equipment Operators Trucks rated 5 ton capacity or over, Large Cat. tread tractors, Barber Greene, Elevating Grader, Other miscellaneous Equipment if any.	$1.15-1.25
Special Operators Large Cat. tread tractors with Scraper, Rotary Snow Plow, Large tractor (D7 E D8) with Bull dozers, Rubber tired tractor with Scraper.	$1.15-1.50
Note: Truck drivers and Patrol Operators will be paid $0.10 per hour extra when plowing snow. (Excluding Rotary.)	
Foreman-Bridge, Grading or Gravel	$1.15-1.30

Changes in classification and rates will not be made for occasional operation of equipment of other classification, but will only be made when considered necessary by the Highway Superintendent.

Normal working time will be from 7 to 12 o'clock A.M., and 1 to 6 o'clock P.M., during the period from April 1st, to November 30th inclusive, and 8 to 12 o'clock A.M., and 1 to 5 o'clock P.M., during the period from December 1st to March 31st inclusive. No time limit on emergency work.

This pay scale to be effective as of January 1, 1955.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in accordance with the good and faithful service of the employees of the County Highway Department, continually employed for one year in any calendar year, shall be entitled to two weeks sick leave upon the order of physician only. Sick leave cumulative up to a maximum of four weeks, retroactive to January 1, 1954.

Two weeks vacation for all regular employees with 2 years service or more--one week after employed 1 year.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 18th day of January, 1955.

Vernon Wolfe
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County South Dakota.

Herb Skinner

Adolph Hogstad

Owen J. Franck

James L. Keenan

ATTEST:

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. January 25, 1955.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 25, 1955

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Belk presiding.

On motion by Hogstad and second by Keenan verified claims were approved and allowed as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Irma Welch $210.00, Pearl Bergan $190.00, Alice Olson $180.00, Kathleen Turbak $150.00; Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00, Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Margaret Brown $296.68, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth Mary Larson $150.00; Superintendent of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75, Ross H. Oviatt $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-William J. Meyer $250.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $113.00, Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown $100.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; CMV-C. S. Rasmusson $525.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00, Sever Tobiason $205.00, J. P. Haug $270.50, Joe Stricherz $211.50, Claude VanSickle $262.50, C. B. Sumner $278.50, Harold Scriver $167.51, John Rennie $44.00, Carl Zweig, Jr. $235.41, James Hendren $328.25, Ed Gould $130.03, Alfred Spring $52.50, Howard Williams $189.02, Julius Lentz $78.94, Chas. Krogman $78.94, E. Spearbeck $66.75, Andrew T. Larson $133.59, Thomas Spiering $15.90, Leo Clausen $101.34, John Strait $56.36, Fred Brownell $17.00, Curtis Underwood $47.27, Clarence Helle $24.84, Otis C. Olson $5.09, John Rennie $15.54; CH&BR-Harold Scriver $45.70, Ed Gould $25.00, Alfred Spring $215.30, Howard Williams $60.00, Julius Lentz $34.25, Chas. Krogman $34.25, E. Spearbeck $141.50, Andrew T. Larson $37.10, Thomas Spiering $166.30, Leo Clausen $139.25, John Strait $183.25, Fred Brownell $177.25, Curtis Underwood $185.50, Clarence Helle $191.85, Otis C. Olson $221.60, Eugene P. Collins $197.00, Eugene P. Collins $49.42; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Carl Zweig, Jr. $10.50, Ed Gould $123.00, Howard Williams $44.00, Julius Lentz $113.50, Chas. Krogman $113.50, Andrew T. Larson $66.00; ROAD-Secretary of State $4.00; GENERAL-Sheriff's Fees & Salary-Bert Smith $79.75;

GENERAL-Court Expense-Henry Welter $41.20, Francis Wheat $45.30, Hazel Hegarty $80.00, H. W. Dugan $25.40;

The contract bond of S. D. Concrete Products Co. in the amount of $1000.00 to be furnished in lieu of the certified check accompanying bid to furnish Codington County with concrete tile for 1955 was approved by the Board on a motion by Fromke and second by Skinner.

On motion by Keenan and second by Hogstad the Board approved the application of the County Auditor for abatement of 1954 taxes resulting from erroneous assessment of County tax deed property as follows: SW¼ NW¼ Section 32-120-52 Res., $24.71; Lot 13, Block 7, Rice Bros. Add. to Watertown, $4.08; Lots 4 through 8, Block 2, So. Side Add. to Watertown, $6.93; Lot 37, Block 53, Way-Case Add. to Watertown, $1.22; Lots 1 and 2, Block 3, Horswill's Add. to Watertown $3.26; E½ SE¼ Less Ry., Section 6-116-53 (73.76 acres) - $35.26.

On motion by Fromke and second by Keenan the Board approved the application of Joe Becking for refund of 1953 personal property and real estate taxes in the amount of $219.15 for the reason of an oversight whereby this amount was paid twice on the same property.

On motion by Skinner and second by Hogstad the application of Carl A. Peterson for abatement of a 1954 weed tax in the amount of $20.00 spread against the NW¼ Section 11-117-53 was approved for the reason that said tax had been spread without the knowledge of, or proper authorization from the Lake Twp. Board of Supervisors.

On motion by Fromke and second by Keenan the County Board concurred with the Kranzburg Twp. Board of Supervisors in rejecting the application of Gerhart Albrecht for abatement of 1953 personal property taxes spread against 40 head of cattle in Kranzburg Twp.

On motion by Fromke and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of K.C. Buchele for abatement of 1954 taxes in the amount of $14.59 spread against a structure on Lot 18, Block 5, East Yahota Addition to Lake Twp. for the reason that said structure had been removed from above described location in November of 1952.

States Attorney, Dale Bradshaw, appeared before the Board to request approval for purchase of a distaphone and transcriber for his office to replace the worn out machines there. He informed the Board that the two units, distaphone and transcriber, would cost $360.00 each and the old machines had a trade-in value of $175.00 making a net cost of $545.00 for the two new units. The Board deferred action pending checking of budget and old machines.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: L. T. Brekke, $19.00; Robert D. Adams, $4.00; Alvin J.Bruchhof for the Codington County Sportsmens Ass'n. $7.50; Yvo Mannie for the Knights of Columbus, $7.50.

The Board authorized installation of fluorescent lights in the offices of Sheriff and Clerk of Courts.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that the County Auditor be instructed to advertise for bids to furnish the Codington County Highway Department with a new blade bulldozer and a new rubber-tired scraper and tractor unit - Notice to Bidders to be advertised in the official county newspapers on January 27 and February 3 and 10, 1955. Letting to be held at 10:00 A.M. February 18, 1955. Motion carried.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. February 1, 1955.

Carl F Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
February 1, 1955

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Belk presiding.

Minutes of meetings of January 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 13, 17, 18 and 25, 1955 were approved by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-John Klein $12.00, Lillian Livingston $30.50, Cecilia M. Beirne $110.67, Roy F. Nugent $50.40, Howard McFarland $22.40;

At 10:45 A.M. a delegation representing St. Ann's Hospital appeared before the Board on the matter of the Board's decision to designate only one hospital and one clinic to handle medical care of county indigent. Attorney James McFarland appeared as legal counsel for the St. Ann Hospital. Others present were: Sister Medard, Hospital Administrator; Sister Berenice, business manager; and George Rozum, Leonard Heckathorne, Albert Endres, Henry Dugan, William Langenfeld, Ed Belatti and Willard Foley, representing the St. Ann Hospital Board.

Mr. McFarland read a letter from Sister Medard, addressed to Vernon Helk, County Board Chairman, in which the action of the Board designating one hospital and one clinic for care of county indigent was criticized on the grounds that such action denies the choice of doctor and hospital to the county poor, and also unjustifiebly denies St. Ann Hospital proper consideration. The letter also stated that the St. Ann Hospital had at all times tried to render satisfactory service to county patients at an economical cost to the county, and asked to be informed if the Board had any specific or general criticism of its services.

After much discussion in which the Board stated that it had no criticism or complaint against any particular hospital or clinic, but had taken the action solely for the purpose of cutting costs to the county, Mr. McFarland requested that St. Ann Hospital be permitted to receive county patients during 1955. Sister Medard also suggested that doctors representing each clinic be appointed for county patients.

The Board agreed to take the whole matter under advisement, but deferred action until a later date.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Fromke that the letter above referred to be filed with county hospital matters as a permanent record. Motion carried.

Mayor Everett Creaser and States Attorney, Dale Bradshaw appeared before the Board on the matter of the summons and complaint of Lester R. Purcell, Peter A. Jorgenson and the American Sand and Gravel Co., plaintiffs, and State of South Dakota, City of Watertown, and Lake Twp., defendents, relating to the construction of a dam on the Sioux River outlet to Lake Kampeska. The complaint states that no authority for construction of said dam had ever been obtained.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Fromke that the States Attorney be instructed to file an answer with the Clerk of Courts to said summons and complaint. Motion carried.

Tom Leverett, owner of property in Dexter Place Addition to Lake Twp. on the Northeast shore of Lake Kampeska, appeared before the Board to request vacation of a section line road running from State Highway No. 20 to the lake shore. He explained that a gravel pit had destroyed part of the road making it necessary to move the road from its proper site west onto his property.

The Board advised Mr. Leverett that he should take the matter up with the Lake Twp. Board, as the road was not on the county system.

On motion by Keenan and second by Hogstad the Board approved the application of Lester Hanson for a dance hall license for the C.O.F. Hall at Kranzburg for one night, February 1, 1955 for a fee of $2.50.

On motion by Skinner and second by Hogstad the Board approved the application for transfer of Dance Hall License No. 788 from John Schmeling to Park Enterprises, Inc. for the Casino Ball Room at Lake Kampeska.

The County Highway Superintendent appeared before the Board to report on a meeting with representatives of the Department of Game, Fish and Parks regarding repair of the road and shore line on the east shore of Punished Women's Lake at South Shore.

Chairman Belk relinquished the Chair to Vice Chairman Fromke.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the application of Mrs. Alta Larson for abatement of 1954 personal property taxes in Watertown in the amount of $14.43 be rejected. Motion carried.

Belk resumed the Chair.

On motion by Keenan and second by Skinner the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. February 7, 1955.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
February 7, 1955

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members

present, Belk presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Mrs. August Anderson $22.50-for Mary Vermillion; Mrs. Augusta Bunde $110.00-for Hilda Ebens; Burgdorf Rest Home $95.00-for N. T. Nelson $55.00, Henry Spilde $40.00; Mrs. Martha Giese $40.00-for Maria E. Born; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Nora Kinstad $203.00-for Ola Hanson $26.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ole H. Aamodt $40.00, Karl Berge $30.00, Irvin Eisenbise $45.00, Rube Gatchall $27.00; Anna Mae Larson $55.00-for Mrs. Mary Myers; Elizabeth Marsh $10.00-for Matt Kemp; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. G. Stoltenburg $15.00-for Louisa Richter; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $40.00-for Lorence Albrecht; Watertown Rest Home $75.00-for L. Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergeson $45.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $30.00-for Edith Kinsey; Mrs. Bessie Young $10.00-for Sarah Ann Black; Mrs. Mae Abbott $75.00-for Mary L. Wilson $25.00, Nora McPeed & Ed $50.00; Bartron Clinic $597.00-for Vernon Thompson $2.00, Frank Metzinger $4.00, Joyce Christensen $5.00, Emma Jenkins $4.00, Mrs. Wm. Barto $4.00, Mrs. Arlone Johnson $8.00, Lena Trumer $12.00, Blair Tessier $25.00, Vincent McGurk $2.00, Albert Hendricks $7.00, John Farley $9.00, Frank Soulak $10.00, Ronald Lohr $12.00, Cathryn McLaughlin $2.00, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Wisneski $8.00, Art Eastberg $2.00, Nels C. Nielson $2.00, Ole Aamodt $11.00, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $3.00, Ed Goeman $6.00, Mrs. Robert Corey $2.00, Walter Richard $8.00, Mrs. Florence Williams $36.00, Mrs. John Dobson $30.00, B. J. Murray $27.00, Pete Peterson $6.00, Albert Johnson $30.00, Doris Nelson $4.00, John O'Neill $75.00, James Chambers $75.00, Wm. Gautsch $23.00, Curtis Engels $128.00, Rose Dixon $15.00; Bartron Hospital $1594.53-for Walter Richard $5.00, Florence Williams $200.75, Mrs. John Dobson $295.50, B. J. Murray $59.20, Pete Peterson $18.50, Albert Johnson $313.92, Doris Nelson $35.55, John O'Neill $204.18, James Chambers $208.98, Wm. Gautsch $89.00, Curtis Engels $95.95, Rose Dixon $68.00; Jewell Brekke $25.00-for Rosa Dixon; Paul G. Bunder $75.00-for Albert Krohn; Mrs. I. B. Christopherson $24.00; City of Watertown, Cemetery Dept. $11.00-for Ole M. Omodt; Codington Co. Oil Co.$159.37-for John & Lydia Fjerstad;$29.00, James Mack $14.21, Mrs. Henrietta Fritz $28.80, Edwin Bates $14.50, Phoebe Mowery $9.57, Maynard Kremer $14.50, Mary Tribitt $14.50, Arthur Larson $7.75, Grace Engels $14.30, Olaf & Susie Erickson $12.24; F.P. Creaser & Sons $22.50-for Evelyn Schultz; A. Duffner Store $205.28-for Mary Myers $4.36, Ed Wight $6.75, Albert Hendricks $11.65, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $20.11, Mathilda Blek $6.52, Louis Mourere $2.70, Ola Hanson $21.42, Inga Yarns $10.53, Steve Wisneski & wife $53.01, Wm. Boll $15.28, Frank Metzinger $21.63, B. J. Murray $14.80, Carl Berg $1.80, Ole Omodt $11.66, Rosa Dixon $1.35, Frank Metzinger $1.71; Everetts Grocery $60.00-Lew Fjerstad; Donald N. Fedt $64.00-for Fannie Baker $6.00, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $30.00, Ole Omodt $28.00; Haggars Drug Store $383.14-for Elida Jones $14.09, Ella Flanagan $16.88, Mary Mitchell $17.64, Seymore Peterson $9.27, Francis L. Schmeling $12.95, Hilda Ebens $36.50, Josephine Welter $13.64, Henrietta Fritz $33.89, John E. Taylor $14.40, Ellen Anderson $13.95, Albert Krohn $32.40, Wm. Czeck $3.78, Ed Goeman $15.71, Henry Anderson $11.43, Nels C. Nielson $3.60, Thomas Peters $11.25, Mary Mitchell $20.93, Mary Myers $22.68, Vernon Thompson $5.13, Frank & Emma Klucas $22.86, Fern Washtoak $40.41, Loretta Stockman $7.95, Rex Richmond $1.80; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $79.20-for Douglas Tupper $11.70, Catherine Brockhoft $22.50, Gertrude Shepherd $22.50; Walter Howey $25.00-for Rosa Dixon; Kreisers Drug Store $121.66-for Carl Hemiller $2.70, Anna Parsley $7.86, Wm. Gautsch $2.70, Anna Christianson $12.82, Florence Williams $1.44, B. J. Murray $1.21, Rosa Dixon $7.65, Vincent McGurk $2.48, James Chambers $8.50, Albert Johnson $6.48, John A. Dobson $10.71, Carl Becker $4.01, Mrs. Brad Barclay $11.88, John O'Neil $12.87, Ludwig Roethler $8.60, Cathyrn McLaughlin $1.93, Mrs. Louis Tiejen $17.82; Lake View Nursing Home $14.15-for Louis F. Rhode; Lien's Grocery $10.00-for Cora Barto; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $76.30-for Mrs. Blair Tessier $23.05, Albert L. Kritta $14.00, Meta Hemiller $15.05, Mrs. Edith Bundy $24.20; C. E. McGowan Lbr. Co. $31.50-for Loren Wohlwend; Mathiesen-Gergen & Rhodes Funeral Chapel $165.00-for John O'Neill $3.00, Ole Omodt $156.00, B. J. Murray $3.00, Mrs. Ella Flanagan $3.00; Medical Arts Clinic $188.00-for Earl Crocker $26.00, Mrs. Charles Alt $15.00, Henry Anderson $10.00, Fern Washtoak $26.00, Louis Mourere $2.00, Rex Richmond $24.00, Francis L. Schmeling $18.00, Vernon Thompson $3.00, Anna Christianson $10.00, Henrietta Fritz $6.00, Ed Goeman $16.00, Ola Hanson $2.00, Frank & Emma Klucas $30.00; Memorial Hospital $916.80-for Mrs. Lizzie Alt $83.00, Rex Richmond $142.50, Henry Anderson $57.90, Ole Omodt $101.05, Mrs. Francis DeMuynck $89.00, Ed Goeman $56.75, Alfred Vick $15.00, Theo. Treat $2.00, Francis Schmeling $121.00, Earl Crocker $248.60; Dr. W.E. Mickelson $110.00-for Doris Nelson; Northside Grocery $5.00-for Wm. Norman; Shaw-Messer Ambulance Service $74.93-for Hilda Ebens $3.00, Mrs. Francis DeMuynck $6.00, Fannie Baker $59.93, Rosa Dixon $6.00; O.P. Skaggs Store $124.00-for James & Alma Mack $34.00, John & Lydia Fjerstad $30.00, Sylvia Sharp $10.00, Douglas Tupper $15.00, Albert L. Kritta $10.00, Mr. & Mrs. Edwin Bates $25.00; Spies Super Valu $114.00-for Meta Hemiller $10.00, Maynard Kremer $28.99, Mrs. Blair Tessier $30.00, Robert Corey $45.02; St. Ann Hospital $348.15-for Mary Myers $8.00, Ella Flanagan $193.05, Mary Mitchell $35.70, Elida Jones & Wm. $161.40; St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $56.30-for Augusta Schonberger $30.80, John Welter $25.50; Standard Oil Co. $102.00-for Cora Barto $36.40, Wm. Norman $22.10, Phoebe Mowery $29.00, Mrs. Maynard Kremer $14.50; St. Lukes Hospital $32.50-for Albert Krohn; Thomes Drug Store $109.21-for Louisa Richter $4.01, Lorence Albrecht $6.93, John Farley $12.46, Anna Kennedy $4.14, Minnie Johnson $26.64, Loretta Stockman $2.74, Rollin Vance $6.93, Richard DePeel $2.16, Margaret Papka $2.61, Anna Christianson $6.57, Harry Freeseman $5.80, Lena Trumer $8.01, Blair Tessier $6.75, Theo. Treat $13.46; Dr. M.C. Thompson $112.00-for Mrs. Jessie Lipelt $6.00, Marion Kraft $6.00, Jerry O'Brien $6.00, Louisa Richter $3.00, Minnie Johnson $17.00, Mildred Taylor $11.00, Clarence Morrison $28.00, Emma Dralle $35.00; Dr. Leo O. Titze $3.00-for Mrs. Otto Jungen; Whooley Oil Co. $42.90-for Lew Fjerstad; Court Expense-William Ronning $5.10, Wm. Meseberg $38.00, Fred M. Pollard $5.10, Henry A. Johnson $40.40, J. B. Kintsley $25.40, Edith Johnson $7.60, Hazel Hegarty $130.00, Leonard LaNoue $15.30, LaVerne Coplan $5.10; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $80.30, Oscar J. Fromke $62.18, Adolph Hogstad $67.36, James L. Keenan $91.70, Herb Skinner $74.42; County Farm-Butterbrodt Drug Store $7.98, A. Duffner Store $21.52, Haggar Drug Store $1.80, Kreiser Drug Store $9.90, O. P. Skaggs Store $1.91, Spies Super Valu $17.87, Mahowald Co. $2.25, Marshall-Wells Store $2.84, Marshall-Wells Store $2.30, Hank's Shoe Repair $1.26, Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $5.80, Park Grant Co. $22.11, J. C. Penney Co. $23.49, Redlinger Bros. Plumbing & Heating $13.50, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $10.45, Sunshine State Hatchery, Inc. $5.90, Watertown Co-op. Feed Ass'n $2.15, City Treasurer $28.00; Court House Maintenance-City Treasurer $700.73, Herbert C. Borns $8.50, Cave Supply Co. $2.50, Dugan Sales & Service $280.00, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $1.70, Egge Electric Co. $350.49, Otto W. Enger $115.22, Hillyard Sales Co. $157.45, Inman Plumbing & Heating $3.00, L. W. Larson $2.00, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $23.20, Nash-Finch Co. $51.75, Nelson Hardware $9.95, Northwest Products Co. $15.40, Otis Elevator Co. $21.00,

Park Grant Co. $7.33, Pitney-Bowes, Inc. $21.60, Watertown Machine Works $2.00, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $220.98; States Attorney Office Expense-Dale E. Bradshaw $5.62; Auditor's Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $3.20, Carlson's $6.33, Educator Supply Co. $96.27, News Printing Co. $8.45, Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.83; Co. Judge Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $5.98, LaRue Douglass $39.00, Ruhe Stationery Co. $.99; Assessors Supplies-Brown & Saenger $202.49; Treasurer's Office Expense-Carlson's $219.75, F. C. Grow Sons $18.00, Monroe Calculating Machine Co. $21.00, National Cash Register Co. $66.24, News Printing Co. $73.08; Sheriff's Office Expense-Charles E. Crown $3.75, Dicks Radio Service $18.70, F. C. Grow Sons $11.75, Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.95; Treasurer's Office Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $8.25; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Frankel Carbon & Ribbon Co. $25.00, Railway Express Agency $1.80; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $2.25; Register of Deeds Office Expense-News Printing Co. $8.60, Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.43, Ruhe Stationery Co. $12.40; County Extension-Ruhe Stationery Co. $73.86, Clara W. Johnson $3.49; Printing & Advertising-Ruhe Stationery Co. $19.45, South Shore Gazette $185.10, Watertown Public Opinion $1629.42; Supt. of Schools Mileage-J. Muriel Hoover $38.92; Insurance & Bonds-McClintic-Insurance $17.25, Heaton Insurance Agency $75.20; Sheriff's Mileage-Lloyd Shenk $319.30; Board of Prisoners-Lloyd Shenk $114.70; Fees-Lloyd Shenk $148.96; Insanity Board-H.T. Kenney, M.C. $15.00; Court Expense-F. C. Grow Sons $32.00, Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.30; ROAD-F.P. Creaser & Sons $2.20, C.E. McGowan Lumber Co. $20.41, Mahowald Co. $7.28, Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $58.50, City Treasurer $31.09, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $27.40, Watertown Machine Works $24.80, Dicks Radio Service $10.00, Railway Express Agency $24.84, Ruhe Stationery Co. $9.70, Algard Machine Shop $12.00, Dexter Telephone Co. $6.00, Dicks Seat Cover Shop $2.00, Ernest A. Goodroad $32.00, Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $27.07, R.E. Hubbard Co. $13.68, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $17.90, Kenneth Hayes Magneto & Electric $10.68, LaNoue's Radiator Shop $24.00, Lyle Signs, Inc. $14.11, The McCabe Co. $42.22, Frank Miller Co. $5.20, Harold Muller $57.05, D. L. Nogelmeier $1.05, Northwestern Public Service Co. $6.61, Harold Scriver $3.67, Arthur Schwandt $25.60, Schweigers, Inc. $8.82, South Dakota State Highway Commission $76.00, Sioux Road Equipment Co. $8.81, L.E. Tanksley $25.00, True Electric Service $41.80, Watertown Tire Co. $89.15, Western Transportation $13.38, Wilkinson Decorating Center $40.75; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Soxony Vacuum Oil Co. $1346.51, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $864.26, F.C. Grow Sons $120.00, Cave Supply Co. $177.41, Empire Equipment Co. $1191.80, Eugene Kietzgen Co. $192.96, J.D. Evans Equipment Co. $206.43, Foster-Bell Co. $1279.59, International Harvester Co. $418.13, Marquardt's Service $185.59, Motor Supply Co. $188.04, Uptown Service $79.38; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Lyle Signs, Inc. $227.47, South Dakota State Highway Commission $75.00; C.H.& B.R.-Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $30.00, Harold Muller $412.65, D. L. Nogelmeier $208.60, Harold Scriver $22.68, South Dakota State Highway Commission $131.50, Herman Hemp $91.70, South Dakota State Highway Commission $289.73; CMV-Farmers & Merchants Agency $754.12; TEXTBOOK-Educator Supply Co. $46.48, Ginn & Co. $61.39, Scott, Foresman & Co. $11.06; TUITION-Waverly Independent Cons. School $4410.00; WEED BOARD-Paul David $12.76, Joseph J. Fox $15.36, Matt Brandriet $.81, Robt. Redlin $6.52;

Monthly statements for January, 1955 were checked and approved as follows: Yankton State Hospital, $1830.50; T.B. Sanatorium at Sanator, $177.32; Redfield State Hospital, $650.00.

Statements of fees collected during January, 1955 were checked and approved as follows: Register of Deeds, $534.05; Clerk of Courts, $186.20.

The Auditor's Account with the County Treasurer was checked and approved as follows: checks, drafts and cash in Treasurer's possession not exceeding three days, $13,132.50; Deposits in banks, $357,426.67; Government Bonds, $112,000.00; C.D.$70,000.00; Total of all items, $552,559.17.

On motion by Keenan and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of the County Auditor for abatement of 1953 taxes in amount $32.91 on E½ SE¼ Less Ry., Sec. 6-116-53 for the reason that said property belongs to Codington County and is tax exempt.

On motion by Fromke and second by Hogstad the Board approved the application of David Northcutt for abatement of 1954 personal property tax in Lake Twp. in the amount of $5.58 for reason of an error in assessment whereby property was listed to said David Northcutt and should properly have been listed to Charles McCoy.

On motion by Keenan and second by Skinner the Board approved the application of Max Brandsrud for refund of $1.00, 1954 poll tax, for reason of military service exemption.

On motion by Skinner and second by Keenan the Board approved the application of the County Treasurer for abatement of taxes spread against County tax deed property as follows: Way-Case Add.-Lot 37, Block 53, 1952 tax $1.14; Horswills Add.-Lots 1 and 2, Block 3, 1953 tax $3.30; South Side Add.-Lots 4 thru 8, Block 2, 1953 tax $7.01; Rice Bros. Add.-Lot 13, Block 7, 1953 tax $4.12.

On motion by Keenan and second by Hogstad the Board approved the application of Herbert Kuhlman for refund of 1954 real estate taxes in the amount of $30.18 spread against a residence structure located on Outlot C of Outlot A of NE¼ Sec. 35-116-54 and Lots 3 and 4 of Block 1 in Grover Village, Kampeska Twp., for the reason that said structure was assessed on two different locations in the same year, making a duplication of assessment.

On motion by Fromke and second by Keenan the Board approved the application of the Watertown School Board for abatement of 1954 taxes in the amount of $32.61 spread against Lots 1 thru 4, Block 11, Rice Bros. Addition for the reason that said property is tax exempt.

On motion by Skinner and second by Hogstad the Board approved the application of Maynard Kremer for compromise settlement of county liens in the amount of $54.70 for a payment of $30.00.

It was noted by the Board that the amount of the rejected claim of the Butterbrodt Drug Store as noted in Commissioner's Proceedings of January 4, 1955 was incorrect, wherefore, it was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that the error be corrected to show the amount of said rejected claim as $1,072.97 instead of $689.87. On roll call all members voted "aye". Motion carried.

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. February 15, 1955.

Emma Welch
Dep. County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
February 15, 1955

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Belk presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Insurance & Bonds-Farmers & Merchants Agency $16.92; Court Expense-Leonard LaNoue $15.30; County Farm-K.D. Inc., $16.25, Liens Grocery $66.50; Poor-Nora Kinstad $35.96-for Ole Omodt, Charles T.Miller Hospital $250.10-for Harold Mills;

Mrs. Virgil Hoase appeared before the Board regarding county liens of her mother, Mrs. Rena Ackerman. No action was taken pending formal application and settlement.

Mrs. Albert C. Priem appeared before the Board to protest the 1954 tax spread against personal property in Watertown. She explained that her refrigerator had been assessed for $150.00, while another refrigerator of the same make, year and model had been assessed by a different deputy assessor at only $25.00. The Board explained that it had no authority to grant relief at this time as the refrigerator had not been assessed at more than its full and true value.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that the claim of the Charles T. Miller Hospital of St. Paul, Minnesota be allowed as corrected from $360.60 to $250.00. Motion carried.

On motion by Hogstad and second by Keenan the Board approved the application of Delbert A. Button for a compromise settlement of county liens in the amount of $299.69 for a payment of $150.00.

The County Auditor reported deficiencies in the 1954 budget as follows: General Fund-Printing and Advertising, $875.95; Treasurers Office Expense, $229.34; Delinquent Tax Expense, $32.10; Court House Maintenance $19.17; Sheriff's Mileage $543.15. Special Fund-Redfield State Hospital, $236.75.

Moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that a supplemental budget for 1954 be prepared to cover deficiencies above noted and the County Auditor be instructed to publish notice of hearing on same in the official county newspapers on February 17, 1955. Motion carried.

Darrel E. Boyd, representing Industrial Chemical Laboratories, Inc., appeared before the Board to demonstrate a scrub and vacuum machine.

On motion by Keenan and second by Hogstad the Board authorized Chairman Belk to sign a purchase order for above machine for a cost of $600.00 less $50.00 allowance on old machine.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. February 18, 1955.

Carl T. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
February 18, 1955

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Belk presiding.

10:00 A.M. of this date having been fixed by the Board as the time for the opening of sealed bids to furnish the Codington County Highway Department with one Straight Blade Bulldozer, one Push-Cup Attachment, and one new Rubber-Tired Scraper and Tractor Unit--specifications as listed in "Notice to Bidders"--Chairman Belk requested the County Auditor to read the "Notice to Bidders" preliminary to opening bids.

Bids were opened and read in the order of filing with prices quoted F.O.B. Watertown, S.D. as follows:
#1- Foster-Bell Co., Sioux Falls, S. D. - One "Caterpillar" DW15 Tractor and Scraper Unit as specified--capacity 12½ Cu. yds. struck and 15 Cu. yds. heaped; tire size 21:00 x 25, 20-ply on drivers and scraper; 12:00 x 20, 14- ply on front of tractor; Price - $27,400.00.

#1A - Foster-Bell Co., Sioux Falls - One "Caterpillar" 8S Hydraulic straight blade Bulldozer with Model 46 Hydraulic Control Unit - $3205.00.

#2 - Empire Equipment Co., Sioux Falls - (a) One Arrow Model B-10 Bulldozer with Push-Cup Attachment for Caterpillar D-8 Tractor--$3,245.00; (b) One International Model 55 Payscraper, complete as per specifications--capacity 10 yds. struck and 13 yds. heaped; 21:00 x 25, 20-ply tires - $27,420.00, (c) One Used International Model 55 Payscraper, same as above--$20,850.00.
#3 - J.D. Evans Equipment Co., Sioux Falls - (a) One LeTourneau-Westinghouse Model C. Tournapull with C Scraper equipped with four 21:00 x 25-24-ply tires, capacity 14 Cu. yds. struck and 17 Cu. yds. heaped--$28,435.00.

Following reading of bids, the Board granted separate interviews to representatives of firms bidding.

Moved by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner that inasmuch as only the Foster-Bell Co. bid the Bulldozer separate from the Push-Cup Attachment, as specified, said bid in the amount of $3,205.00 be accepted. On roll call vote all Commissioners voted"aye". Motion carried.

On motion by Hogstad and second by Skinner all Push-Cup Attachment bids were rejected.

Moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that the Tractor and Scraper Unit bid of the J.D. Evans Equipment Co. be accepted, that certified checks of unseccessful bidders be returned and the Chairman of the Board be authorized to execute contract agreements with the successful bidders. On roll call vote, all Commissioners voted "Aye". Motion carried.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. February 23, 1955.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
February 23, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Belk presiding.

On motion by Keenan and second by Skinner verified claims were allowed as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Carl F. Bergan $325.00, Irma Welch $210.00, Pearl Bergan $190.00, Alice Olson $180.00, Kathleen Turbak $150.00, Edna Derenthal;$150.00; County Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00, Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Margaret Brown $296.68, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson $150.00; Superintendent of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75, Ross H. Oviatt $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-William J. Meyer $250.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $113.00, Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown $100.00; Sheriff's Fees & Salary-Bert Smith $85.00; Per Diem, Mileage & Salary-Vernon H. Belk $137.40, Oscar J. Fromke $99.98, Adolph Hogstad $126.14, James L. Keenan $110.96, Herb Skinner $127.81; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; CMV-C. S. Rasmusson $525.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00, Sever Tobiason $205.00, J. P. Haug $175.13, Joe Stricherz $172.14, Claude VanSickle $214.43, Harold Scriver $147.25, John Rennie $214.34, Carl Zweig, Jr. $219.27, James Hendren $269.00, Ed Gould $189.85, Alfred Spring $241.45, Howard Williams $260.72, Otis C. Olson $154.56, Andrew T. Larson $150.83, Curtis Underwood $190.04, Leo Clausen $203.75, John Strait $199.79, Fred Brownell $154.93, Clarence Helle $154.04, Chas. Krogman $159.04, Julius Lentz $162.26, Thomas Spiering $162.48, John Rennie $75.18, E. W. Spearbeck $116.00; COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL-J. P. Haug $44.00, Joe Stricherz $22.50, Claude VanSickle $31.50, Harold Scriver $32.60, John Rennie $12.10, Carl Zweig, Jr. $5.75, Ed Gould $5.00, Alfred Spring $2.50, Otis C. Olson $4.00, Andrew T. Larson $3.30, Curtis Underwood $4.00, Leo Clausen $4.40, John Strait $6.30, Fred Brownell $8.40, Thomas Spiering $3.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $51.25, Andrew T. Larson $50.00, Chas. Krogman $37.00, Julius Lentz $37.00; CH&BR-Howard Williams $10.00, Otis C. Olson $33.00, Fred Brownell $4.00, Clarence Helle $32.00, Thomas Spiering $1.00, Eugene P. Collins $184.00; Eugene P. Collins $22.47, C. B. Sumner $18.40;

Payments made on county liens for the month of December are as follows: Nels T. Nelson $174.06, James S. Chambers $50.00, Louis F. Rohde $36.00, Mrs. Erick Frese $50.00, Mrs. Magnus Helland $150.00;

Payments made on county liens for the month of January are as follows: John Murphy $1.00, Ole Hanson Aamodt $25.00, Lucy Belle Gregory $50.00, Ben Nelson $2.70;

Moved by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad that the claims of Butterbrodt Drugs in the amounts of $292.20 and $242.04 for months of September and October, 1954, respectively be allowed. Motion carried.

Predatory animal bounty claims were checked and approved as follows: Frank Hallauer $4.00; Ronald Burchatz $4.00; Frank Gerberding, $7.50; Glen Buchholz $7.50; Richard Bach, $30.00; L.T. Brekke, $37.50; Lloyd Foster, $97.50.

For the purpose of correcting the record regarding County liens of Katherine Strutz as noted in Commissioner's Proceedings of October,19, 1954, it was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that the amount of $125.00 as shown in said Proceedings be corrected to $100.00, of which amount $50.00 was applied on State liens, and $50.00 on County liens. Motion carried.

Hazel Blum, Deputy City Assessor, submitted to the County Board an application for abatement of 1954 taxes in the City of Watertown for reason of errors in assessment as follows: Richard Seifel-Lots 211 and 212, Fairfax Addition-assessment on residence structure to be corrected from $1800.00 to $1600.00; Gordon Bergh-assessment on residence structure on Lot 2, Block 1, Mayfair Addition to be corrected from $2,250.00 to $1,725.00; R. J. Thompson-assessment on resident structure on W50 ft. of Lots 1 and 2, Block 15, Brock's Addition, from $1500.00 to $900.00; Remove assessment of structure on NE¼, except the S 48½ ft. x E 108 ft. of Block 33, Syndicate Addition in the amount of $2200.00, and reduce assessment of real estate from $650.00 to $325.00; Correct assessment appearing against the E½ of SW¼, Block 33, Syndicate Addition to show structure as $2,200.00 and land, $650.00 instead of as listed; remove assessment of personal property from Eugene and Mabel Hanson for the reason that same assessment was made against Eugene and Mabel Hauser and was a duplication of assessment; Remove school poll assessment of $1.00 from Mrs. Leroy Mernaugh for reason of military service exemption.

For the reason that the Mernaugh abatement had already been granted on a separate application and that some of the requested abatements contained in foregoing application did not seem justified, it was moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that foregoing application be rejected. Motion carried.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that the County Highway Superintendent and County Commissioners be authorized to attend the Seventh Annual Highway Short Course to be held at the South Dakota State College on April 13, 14 and 15, 1955, with expenses paid as provided by law. Motion carried.

On motion by Fromke and second by Hogstad the Board approved the application of the County Treasurer for abatement of 1954 taxes on tax deed property as follows: Lot 8, Block 75, Third Railway Add., $26.49; Belmont Addition-Lot 78, $2.04; Lot 79, $2.04; Lots 112 and 113, $4.08; Lots 118, 119, 120, $6.11; Lot 10 Block 3, Davis Addition, $1.63; Lot 218, Fairfax Addition $2.45; Lot 5, Block 12, Kemp Bros. Addition, $1.63; Outlot 33, Section 5-116-55, Henry Village, $2.17; Wallace Village-E105.4 ft. of Outlot 6, Sec. 30-119-55, $1.53; Lots 6 & 7, Block 5, $1.53; Lots 7 & 8, Block 12, $67.90.

COUNTY FARM REPORT
JANUARY 1, 1954 to DECEMBER 31, 1954

RECEIPTS

Produce (Cream & Eggs)	$665.73
Cash Rent	60.00
Cattle	464.13
Grain	716.51
Hogs	118.25
Total Receipts	$2024.62

DISBURSEMENTS

Salary	$1980.00
Extra Help	53.95
Food	963.32
Drugs	123.17
Clothing	83.38
Feed & Seed	826.98
Fuel & Lights	772.09
Produce & Livestock	461.64
Repairs	281.33
Equipment & Supplies	75.72
Total Disbursements	$5621.58

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
) SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

I, Carl F. Bergan, County Auditor, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the receipts and disbursements of the County Farm, maintained in the said County, from the accounts of my office.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 27th day of January, 1955.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

On motion by Keenan and second by Skinner the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. March 1, 1955.

Carl F. Bergan
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
March 1, 1955

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Belk, Fromke, Keenan and Skinner present, Hogstad absent, Belk presiding.

Minutes of meetings of February 1, 7, 15, 18 and 23, 1955 were approved by the Board.

On motion by Skinner and second by Keenan verified claims were allowed as follows: GENERAL Court Expense-Cecilia M. Beirne $110.67, Florence Boyd $40.70, Leo Bisping $6.70, Fred Fiebelkorn $50.40; Sheriff's Mileage-Cliff Englund $743.35; Fees-Cliff Englund $73.01;

10:00 A.M. of this date having been fixed by the Board as the time for public hearing on a proposed supplemental budget for 1954 as published in the official county newspapers on February 17, 1955, said supplemental budget was brought before the Board. As no one appeared to protest same, following resolution was adopted, to-wit:

RESOLUTION #235
SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET FOR 1954

WHEREAS, acting under Chapter 43 of the Session Laws of South Dakota of 1947, and upon notice duly published to adopt a supplemental budget for 1954.

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary to adopt a Supplemental Budget so the County may conduct the indispensable functions of government.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the following amounts as set out herein shall constitute and be adopted as the Supplemental Budget for 1954.

GENERAL FUND

Printing and Advertising	$875.95
Treasurers Office Expense	229.34
Delinquent Tax Expense	126.66
Sheriffs Office Expense	32.10
Court House Maintenance	19.17
Sheriff's Mileage	543.15
TOTAL GENERAL FUND	$1,826.37

SPECIAL FUND

Redfield State Hospital	$ 236.75
GRAND TOTAL	$2,063.12

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan, seconded by Commissioner Fromke and upon roll call, all Commissioners voted yea, and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the said resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 1st day of March, 1955.

Vernon H. Zelk
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Anna Welch Dep.
County Auditor

On motion by Skinner and second by Keenan the Board allowed the 1954 claim of former Sheriff, Cliff Englund for mileage and fees in the amounts of $743.35 and $74.50, respectively.

J. O. Johnson, Vern Franz, B. M. Tollefson, Dale Freeburg, Russel Creaser, Irving Hinderaker, and Ross Oviatt, members of Memorial Hospital Board, and Harry Christianson, Memorial Hospital Administrator, appeared before the County Board on the matter of said County Board's decision of January 4, 1955 designating the Bartron Hospital and Clinic, exclusively, for medical care and hospitalization of County indigent.

Ross Oviatt, spokesman for the Hospital Board, read a prepared statement, endorsed by all fifteen members of said Board, protesting the County Board's action of January 4, 1955, designating one hospital and one clinic for care of county poor, on the gounds that such action denied the choice of hospital to the county poor and also denied Memorial Hospital its share of revenue from that source. The statement requested that Memorial Hospital facilities be made available to everyone in this community and that the action heretofore taken by the County Board be modified to make that possible.

Mr. Oviatt gave the County Board a copy of the statement he read together with a copy of the Memorial Hospital Articles of Incorporation, and after further general discussion, the Board agreed to take the matter under advisement.

The application of Gordon Bergh for abatement of 1954 taxes on his residence structure in Watertown was presented to the Board.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Fromke that foregoing application be mailed to the City Auditor for presentation to the City Council. Motion carried.

On motion by Skinner and second by Keenan, the Board approved the application of Mrs. Evelyn Johnson for a compromise settlement of County liens in the amount of $537.30 for a payment of $270.00.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that the lien record be corrected to show lien numbers 244 for Anna Kannas, and 658, 991 for Emil Kannas, filed against Charles Kannas, changed and properly filed against Anna & Emil Kannas, there being an error in 1937 in filing same.

Welfare Director, L. L. Blake, appeared before the Board on welfare matters.

Applications of Peter Lindner and Mr. & Mrs. Arnold Hoftiezer for the position of Memorial Park caretaker for the 1955 season were presented to the Board.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Skinner that Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hoftiezer be appointed as caretaker of Memorial Park for the 1955 season at $200.00 per month for the months of May through September, inclusive. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that the States Attorney be authorized to proceed with the necessary legal action to recover from Geahard Albrecht the county liens charged against his father, Lawrence Albrecht. On roll call vote all Commissioners present voted "aye". Motion carried.

The monthly reports of the County Weed Supervisor and the Veterans Service Officer for February, 1955 were noted by the Board.

On motion by Keenan and second by Skinner the Board designated the size and type of culverts to be used on F.A.S. Projects No. S 449(4) and No. S 359(3) in Codington County as follows:

Reinforced concrete Pipe to be used for entire projects except in slough or bog areas--details to be filed with above project record.

On motion the Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. March 8, 1955.

Dep Anna Stelch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
March 8, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Bills were checked and approved as follows; GENERAL-Poor-Butterbrodt Drug Store $292.20-for Fannie Baker $2.10, Rollin Vance $52.90, Rosa Dixon $18.30, Mrs. Hilda Ebens $191.25, Adolph Stankey $27.65; Butterbrodt Drug Store $242.04-for Beryl Montney $.10, Fannie Baker $2.95, Rex Richmond $30.25, Vernon Thompson $54.80, Adolph Stankey $1.95, Irvin Eisenbise $13.10, John Peterson $138.89; Lester Hemiller $62.00-for Carl Hemiller; Mrs. Mae Abbott $57.60-for Mary L. Wilson $40.00, Ed & Nora McPeek $17.60; Mrs. Augusta Bunde $75.00- for Hilda Ebens; Annette Burgdorf $95.00-for N.T. Nelson $55.00, Henry Spilde $40.00; Martha Giese $40.00-for Maria E. Born; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Kinstad Rest Home $186.00-for Rueben Gatchall $25.00, Ola Hanson $26.00, Karl Berge $30.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Irvin Eisenbise $45.00, James Chambers $25.00; Anna Mae Larson $55.00-for Mary Myers; Elizabeth Marsh $10.00-for Matt Kemp; Edith Raschke $57.50-for Mary Mitchell; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. G. Stoltenburg $15.00-for Louisa Richter; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $40.00-for Lorence Albrecht; Swendsen Rest Home $138.00-for Sarah Ann Black $25.00, B.J. Murray $48.00, Rosa Dixon $65.00; Watertown Rest Home $75.00-for Louis Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergeson $45.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $70.00-for Edith Kinsey $30.00, Ella Flanagan $40.00; Mrs. Augusta Bunde $75.00-for Hilda Ebens; Mrs.August Anderson $30.84-for Mary Vermillion; Bacon Rexall Drug $9.55-for Wilhelmina A. Lentz; Bartron Hospital $2337.91-for Mrs. Charles Alt $106.25, Mrs. Anna Christianson $71.00, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $96.00, Albert Johnson $290.60, Mrs. John Dobson $303.75, Ed McPeek $34.10, DuWayne Stevens $48.25, Mary Myers $5.00, James Chambers $116.73, Ed Goeman $7.00, Mrs. Carl Hemiller $128.10, John O'Neil $85.25, Mrs. Howard Nelson $30.20, Ludwig Johnson $158.63, Walter Richard $9.00, Francis LeRoy Schmeling $33.75, Mrs. Helma Synnerholm $112.50, Ben Scott $114.00, Arthur Johnson $121.25, Wood R. Carter $335.75, R.F. Luck $40.05, Lena Trumer $90.75; Bartron Clinic $795.70-for Lizie Alt $30.00, Mrs. Anna Christianson $23.50, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $31.00, Albert Johnson $30.00, Mrs. John Dobson $43.00, Olaf Erickson $5.00, Frank & Emma Klucas $5.00, Ed McPeek $12.50, Soren Nelson $7.00, Mrs. Wm. Alexander $5.00, Louis Mourere $2.00, DuWayne Stevens $14.00, Mary Myers $5.00, James Chambers $75.00, Henry Becker $2.00, Emma Jenkins $8.00, Ed Goeman $13.00, Henry Kraft $5.00, Curtis Engels $2.00, Mary Lindner $8.00, Mrs. Carl Hemiller $39.00, John O'Neil $20.00, Blair Tessier $27.00, Mrs. Howard Nelson $4.00, John Farley $8.00, Ole Aamodt $3.00, Albert Krohn $13.50, Mr. Steve Wisneski $6.00, Ludwig Johnson $87.00, Ole Hanson $4.00, Walter Richard $15.00, Anna C. Kennedy $4.00, Mrs. Francis Schmeling $11.00, Hilma Synnerholm $27.50, Ben Scott $37.50, Lena Radtke $4.20, Wood R. Carter $100.00, Rinhard Luck $10.00, Wm. Bolls $2.00, Lena Trumer $24.00, Ferne Washtoak $14.00, Joe Gerjets $3.00, Mary Corey $6.00; Bartron Hospital $303.42-for Chris Engels; Bennett Memorial Hospital $71.05-for Michael Kinon; Brown Clinic $79.00-for Mary Myers $3.00, Mary Mitchell $16.00, Mrs. Josephine Welter $6.50, Chas. Bierscheid $10.50, Albert Krohn $15.00, Mrs. Wm. Jnnes $28.00; Codington Co. Oil Co. $139.20-for Olaf & Suzie Erickson $37.70, John & Lydia Fjerstad $29.00, Arthur Larson $14.50, Mary Tribitt $14.50, Wm. Matteson $14.50, Roy B. Bowdish $14.50, Emery Smith $14.50; Council Oaks Store $31.00-for Jerome & Helen Pionk $15.00, Ed & Shirley Switzenberg $16.00; Creaser Coal & Coke Co. $79.38-for Arlene Lohr $10.63, Evelyn Schultz $22.50, Ed Switzenberg $24.50, Oscar Wangan $21.75; A. Duffner Store $159.93-for Kenneth Wickkerst $13.41, Walter Richard $1.80, Mathilda Blek $5.80, Albert Hendricks $3.60, Inga Yarns $6.03, Louis Mourere $6.16, Mrs. Wm. Alexander $3.47, Mrs. Chas. Montney $14.62, Wm. Boll $17.98, S. & Mrs. Wisneski $37.67, Ola Hanson $7.96, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $6.75, Frank Metzinger $16.98, Mary Myers $3.57, Carl Berge $4.50, Edgar Wight $4.05,Will Norman $3.65, William Gautsch $.81; Mr. Augustine Gonzalez $12.00-for Albert Krohn; Haggars Drug Store $340.05-for Francis DeMuynck $3.69, Ed Goeman $13.86, Rex Richmond $28.76, Lizzie Alt $21.59, Henry Adnerson $14.76, Francis Schmeling $33.99, Ole Omodt $15.57, Earl Crocker $6.08, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Czeck $3.78, Ellen Anderson $13.05, Mrs. John Taylor $10.58, Ferne Washtoak $55.53, Niels C. Nielson $1.80, Mrs. Josephine Welter $7.83, Mary Myers $15.12, Ed Goeman $7.43, Hilda Ebens $16.56, Mrs. Carl Fritz $18.32, Albert Krohn $35.55, Henry Anderson $5.40, Frank & Emma Klucas $10.80; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $45.00-for Albert Krohn $22.50, Catherine Brockhoft $22.50; Lester C. Hemiller $59.00-for Carl Hemiller; Huebner Oil Co. $37.99-for Wm. Glendening $23.49, Frank Metzinger $14.50; Kreiser Drug Store $297.85-for Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $16.15, Ben Bergeson $4.95, Soren Nelson $6.61, Mrs. Ludwig Roethler $8.55, Ed Schmeling $7.20, Nellie Jensen $2.70, Olaf Erickson $7.47, Ella Flanagan $2.75, Mrs. Joe Lindner $1.80, Mrs. Ed McPeek $7.06, Albert Johnson $10.44, Anna Christianson $11.21, Mrs. Louisa Teigen $25.20, James Chambers $14.99, John O'Neil $.77, Lena Trumer $1.89, Mrs. John Dobson $10.48, Mrs. Rosa Dixon $1.08, Mrs. Chas. Alt $21.46, Mrs. Carl Hemiller $11.70, B. J. Murray $5.04, Art Johnson $8.87, Lena Radtke $7.42, Earl Crocker $11.79, Chris Engels $3.29, Hilma Synnerholm $20.65, Ben Scott $8.71, Carl Becker $13.19, Gustva Lentz $11.20, Wood Carter $22.46, Geo. Scholl $1.12, Anna Parsley $6.58; Mathiesen-Gergen & Rhodes $150.00-for Ole H. Aamodt; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $70.65-for Sylvia Sharp $24.64, Edith Bundy $22.95, Mrs. Blair Tessier $23.06; McKennan Hospital $28.50-for Mary Vermillion; Miller Funeral Home $5.00-for Mary Vermillion; Northside Grocery $15.00-for Wm. Norman; J.C. Penney Co. $42.26-for Carl Hemiller $9.94, Geo. Manley $17.29, Loren Wohlwend $15.03; Orville Quinn $25.00-for Mrs. Synnerholm; Gerald Ries $25.00-for Hilma Synnerholm; Shaw-Messer Funeral Chapel $207.00-for Fannie Baker $51,00, Frances DeMuynck $3.00, Hilma Synnerholm $3.00, Roy Wing $150.00; O.P. Skaggs $181.63-for Douglas Tupper $25.10, John Fjerstad $26.53, Mr. & Mrs. Ed Bates $20.00, Harold L. Tibbets $30.00, Loren Wohlwend $20.00, Sylvia Sharp $15.00, Robert & Mary Corey $15.00, Anna Kretzschmar $20.00, Chas. F. Carter $10.00; Spies Super Valu $102.23-for Mrs. Blair Tessier $30.00, Robert Corey $15.00, Loren Wohlwend $29.00, Arthur Larson $15.00; St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $90.45-for Augusta Schoenberger $33.20, John Welter $60.25; Thomes Drug Store $147.64-for Mrs.

Minnie Johnson $25.65, Harry Freeseman Sr. $7.61, Theo Treat $9.95, Blair Tessier $16.60, James Chambers $3.46, John Farley $19.08, Richard DePeel $2.16, Anna C. Kennedy $7.88, Louisa Richter $2.34, Alfred Vick $29.43, Lena Trumer $8.87, Rollan Vance $3.01, Chas. Bierscheid $3.24, Sarah Ann Black $2.47, Robert Corey $3.19, Lorence Albrecht $2.70; Dr. M.C. Thompson $114.00-for Mildred Taylor $4.00, Lawrence Albrecht $18.00, Emma Lehman Dralle $32.00, Albert Hendricks $10.00, Clarence Morrison $26.00, Minnie Johnson $16.00, Marion Kraft $8.00; Watertown Community Oil Co. $101.10-for Chas. Carter $29.00, Helena Lentz $29.00, Anna Bridge $29.00, Marvin Trollson $14.10; Webb Service Station $14.70-for Kermit Fjerstad; Whooley Service Station $14.30-for Lew Fjerstad; Minor Oil Co. $14.50-for Clifford Davis; Co. Farm-Kreiser Drug Store $15.95; Botsford Lumber Co. $439.92, Dr. J.P. Harman, Jensen's Radio Service $5.20, Marshall-Wells Store $1.00, Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $5.80, Park Grant Co. $53.87, Fred Walsh $188.99, Watertown Co-op Elevator $45.56, City Treasurer $31.35; Redfield-H.T. Kenney, M.D. $15.00; Board of Insanity-H.T.Kenney, M.D. $15.00; Court House Maintenance-J.C. Penney Co. $23.76, Marshall-Wells Store $1.35, M.M. Barkley Truck Line $30.00, City Treasurer $642.13, Dakota Warehouse Furniture Co. $30.05, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $12.35, Egge Electric Co. $6.90, Industrial Chemical Laboratories $550.00, Jo's Laundry $6.50, Mileage Market $.71, Montgomery Ward & Co. $17.86, Nelson Hardware $22.89, Otis Elevator Co. $21.00, Redlinger Bros. Plumbing & Heating Co. $322.50, Watertown Fire Dept. $5.00, Western Chemical Co. $223.86, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $218.80, Ruth Shenk $6.60; Clerk of Courts Office Exp-Wilson Truck System $4.53, Brown & Saenger $25.28, Carlson's $.65, Midwest-Beach Co. $32.41, Watertown Public Opinion $14.00; County Judge Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $7.11, Ruhe Stationery $8.70; Veteran's Service Office Expense-Carlson's $8.18; Court Expense-Carlson's $74.75, Ruhe Stationery $9.58; Auditor's Office Expense-Carlson's $1.00, Monroe Calculating Machine Co. $1.00, Ruhe Stationery $66.81; Register of Deed's Office Expense-Carlson's $4.52, Remington Rand $25.40, Remington Rand, Inc. $173.55; Welfare Office Expense-Carlson's $2.28, F.C. Grow Sons-Printers $51.00, Midwest-Beach Co. $63.55, Panama Carbon Co. $5.00; Sheriff's Office Expense-W.S. Darley & Co. $41.00, Railway Express Agency $2.26, Ruhe Stationery $3.78; Treasurer's Office Expense-First Citizens Nat'l Bank $2.75, Ruhe Stationery $1.69; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-C.A. Gregory Co. $63.70, Midwest-Beach Co. $9.45, Railway Express Agency $6.36, Webster Publishing Co. $9.09; Assessor's Supplies-Panama Carbon Co. $30.00; County Extension-Clara W. Johnson $25.17, Ruhe Stationery $2.50; States Attorney Travel Expense-Dale E. Bradshaw $44.10; Supt. of Schools Mileage-J. Muriel Hoover $36.96; Insurance & Bonds-Morris Agency, Inc. $115.00; Coroners Expense-Leslie Mathiesen $3.64; Printing & Advertising-Postmaster $10.00, Henry Independent $420.45, South Shore Gazette $131.45, Watertown Public Opinion $205.90, Henry Independent $192.72; Sheriff's Mileage-Lloyd Shenk $251.55; Fees-Lloyd Shenk $71.78; Board of Prisoners-Lloyd Shenk $127.20; Poor-Wilson Truck System $58.35; ROAD-J.C. Penney Co. $11.70, Watertown Community Oil Co. $62.00, Wilson Truck System $8.76, Botsford Lumber Co. $122.71, Olson Applicance & Gas Co. $61.49, F.C. Grow Sons-Printers $22.25, Ruhe Stationery $3.32, City Treasurer $33.75, Mileage Market $256.42, Bichler Motor Co., Inc. $14.78, Cave Supply Co. $248.61, City Wood Products Co. $3.75, Dakota Welding Supply Co. $62.95, Dicks Tractor Parts Co. $35.00, Empire Equipment Co. $740.76, J.D. Evans Equipment $11.67, Foster Bell Co. $32.04, Kenneth Hayes Magneto & Elec. $12.10, R.E. Hubbard Co. $20.09, International Harvester Co. $230.27, Johnson Farm Equipment $5.21, Marquardt's $257.18, Mahowald Co. $35.05, Mel Dahle Tire Service $820.68, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $110.17, Motor Supply Co. $146.45, NW Public Service $6.20, Sanders Chevrolet Co. $1.64, C.S. Rasmusson $36.84, Harold Scriver $4.86, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $474.90, L.E. Tanksley $230.00, Watertown Machine Works $38.54, Watertown Sheet & Metal Works $3.10, Watertown Tire Co. $255.19, Williams Hardware Co. $33.90; CH&BR-E.L. Lien Construction Co. $864.09, Hubbard Aviation Co. $2.00, S.D. State Highway Commission $2822.54; TEXTBOOK-News Printing Co. $1.73; GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $130.00; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $66.10, Oscar Fromke $77.50, Adolph Hogstad $69.32, James L. Keenan $64.70, Herb Skinner $62.53;

Monthly statements of the State Sanatorium at Sanator, S. D. in the amount of $160.16, State Hospital at Yankton, $1808.33 and State School at Redfield, $650.00 were approved by the Board.

Fees in the amount of $294.20 collected by the Clerk of Courts, and fees in the amount of $488.20 collected by the Register of Deeds for February were approved by the Board.

Motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad that any Commissioner who wishes to attend the State Weed Board Meeting at Mobridge March 22-23, be authorized to do so with expenses paid as perscribed by law.

Matt Langenfeld appeared before the Board in regard to real estate tax. After some discussion it was decided to table the matter until he had time to consult an attorney.

Highway Superintendent, C.S. Rasmusson, appeared before the Board in regard to purchasing 2 more Radio units to be installed in the Motor Patrols stationed at Florence and Henry, these to be added to the system already in use. Motion made by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad to purchase same. On roll call, all voted "aye" and no "nays".

The abatements of real estate tax of R. J. Thompson, Richard Seifel, and Gordon Bergh was approved in concurence with the City Council, as moved by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

Applications for abatements of personal property tax for Mary Kannas, Ward Grovenberg and real estate tax for Donald Lobitz, were rejected on the motion of Skinner and seconded by Hogstad.

It was moved by Hogstad and seconded by Keenan, to authorize the States Attorney to start Court action to remove the Clayton Barse family from Codington County.

On motion by Fromke and seconded by Skinner, the abatement of Real Estate tax for Kenneth Hayes be allowed, this being a double assessment, his house having been assessed on both of his lots.

Anna Welch
County Auditor

The Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. March 15, 1955.

Watertown, S. D.
March 15, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims were approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Natalie Langenfeld $5.10, George Redlinger $20.20; Court House Maintenance-Precision Equipment Co. $37.00; ROAD-Western Transportation Co. $2.70;

RESOLUTION #236

WHEREAS, there has been with-held the sum of $4698.86 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to Pelican, Kampeska, Elmira, Lake, Fuller, Leola and Eden townships in Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund, to be known as the County Special Highway Fund, and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund,

AND WHEREAS, the sum with-held is greater than required to complete the necessary work in the said County Highway System in the said townships,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the sum of $4698.86 be apportioned to the said townships as follows:

Pelican	$ 344.61
Kampeska	1228.37
Elmira	377.81
Lake	431.52
Fuller	47.64
Leola	1873.04
Eden	395.87
	$4698.86

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan, seconded by Commissioner Hogstad and upon roll call all Commissioners voted yes, and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 15th day of March, 1955.

Board of County Commissioners,
of Codington County, South Dakota

By Vernon H Belk
Chairman

Herb Skinner

Adolph Hogstad

Oscar J Fromke

James L Keenan

ATTEST:

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Willie Schmeling's application for settlement of liens that appeared against his name were not his. It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that these liens be stricken from the records for $5.00 which he agreed to pay.

Mrs. Roy Lebert requested an abatement for $1.00 school poll tax having been assessed twice, as Emma Lebert and Mrs. Roy Lebert are one and the same person. Moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan, this abatement be allowed.

A letter to the Board from George Clark, asking for an abatement of personal property tax in Henry as he has not lived there for 5 years. Moved by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad that this abatement be allowed.

Mayor Everett Creaser and chief appraiser Don Kerns appeared before the Board to discuss assessments.

Albert Mohr of Rauville Township appeared before the Board and asked them to inspect some voting booths of that township. Upon inspection it was agreed to repair same and then notify him and he would call for them.

Don Lobitz appeared before the Board in regard to a double assessment on his lots, also on valuation of house. Action tabled for more information.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Skinner, the Board adjourned until Friday March 18, 1955 at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
March 18, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims: GENERAL-Court Expense-Shirley Withrow $13.50, Robert Withrow $13.50, Richard Guddal $5.10;

RESOLUTION OF CONDEMNATION #239

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, acting as a Board of Survey under S.D.C. 48.0503 have inspected the following personal property in the custody of the County officers of said Codington County:

2 Elliot Fisher Bookkeeping and writing machines
1 Remington typewriter # Z206656
1 Royal typewriter # X1236381
1 Ediphone Secretarial unit # K.F.T 552906
1 Dictaphone Dictator # A.T. 513684
1 Edison Shaver # N.A.S. 39217

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that said property has become unfit for use by reason of change, wear, tear and is beyond repair, and same is therefore condemned and appraised as being of a value as follows:

2 Elliot Fisher @ $25.00 each
1 Royal @ 20.00
1 Remington @ 10.00
Dictaphone Equipment, all 3 pieces @ $135.00

It is further resolved that said property may be forthwith sold.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Fromke that the Auditor be authorized to make a list of this equipment and mail to surrounding counties.

Dated this 18th day of March, 1955.

Vernon H Belk

Herb Skinner

Adolph Hogstad

Oscar J Fromke

James L Keenan

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad that the Ruhe Stationery and Repair Service agreement, for servicing Court House office equipment, be terminated effective as of today March 18, 1955, and authorized the Auditor to notify them of this action.

Arnold Hoftiezer appeared before the Board and asked for a compromise settlement of County liens in the amount of $195.55, to be satisfied for $100.00. It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that this amount be approved.

The Board authorized the purchase of dictaphone equipment for the States Attorney's office.

The Auditor was instructed to notify Irene Stockman that the supplement for the care of Loretta Stockman be reduced to $30.00 a month instead of the $60.00 that had been allowed in the past, and be effective April 1, 1955.

The Board recessed at 2:30 P.M. and left to inspect County property at Florence, Wallace, and Memorial Park.

At 5:00 P.M. the Board returned and adjourned.

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
March 22, 1955

Pursuant to adjournment, the Board of County Commissioners convened at 10:00 with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved: GENERAL-Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $94.50, Oscar J. Fromke $103.80, Adolph Hogstad $84.78, James L. Keenan $80.30, Herb Skinner $72.88; CMV-Foster Bell Co. $20,448.00; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-General Electric Co. $927.00; GENERAL-Court Expense-H.C. Bongfalk $2.10;

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad that the Board purchase a Gurley Standard Precise Transit, Engineer's Model 132 R F to be used in the County Highway Superintendent's office. Motion carried.

C.S. Rasmusson appeared before the Board in regard to right-of-way, suggesting that the County purchase one rod for right-of-way on each side of the road instead of one-half rod, as in the past.

RESOLUTION #240

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CODINGTON COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

THAT, WHEREAS, it has been determined that additional Right-of-Way is required for the proper construction and maintenance of the roads on the County System and that for the following reasons such additional Right-of-Way is required: Agreements with the State Highway Commission and Bureau of Public Roads require that expenditure of Federal Aid Funds only be made on Pipe Culverts, Bridges, etc, that are located on Public owned Right-of-Way; Present modern design of new roads require flattened road inslopes and with standard ditch sections the toe of the backslope on normal sections will be at forty one feet (41') each side of centerline of the road and whereas drainage structures for approaches are normally placed at this point which would place part of such pipe culvert or other structure on private land; Further that if fences are placed back on the Right-of-Way line as previously acquired to forty one and one-quarter feet (41¼') and telephone and power poles are placed within the outer two feet (2') of such Right-of-Way they will block drainage, hinder snow removal and cleaning of such ditches and whereas if an additional one Rod of Right-of-Way is acquired on each side of the normal sixty six (66) foot Right-Of-Way that above conditions will be remedied or greatly improved:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that one rod additional Right-of-Way, on each side of the normal sixty six (66) foot Right-of-Way shall be acquired for Highway purposes on all new construction or reconstruction of Roads now on the County Highway System and or any additions made to such County Highway System.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that easement for borrow areas, backslopes, and inslopes will continue to be acquired as necessary where road slopes and borrow extend beyond the Right-of-Way or forty nine and one-half (49½') foot line as measured from road centerline.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that where new additions to the County Highway System are made, only one dollar ($1.00) per acre will be paid for the one Rod additional Right-of-Way on each side of the normal sixty six foot Right-of-Way; Also that all petitions for new additions to the County Highway System must be accompanied by an agreement signed by all owners of land adjacent to the proposed new addition that each land owner will deed the one Rod additional Right-of-Way, on each side of the normal sixty six (66') foot Right-of-Way, to the County for road purposes at the rate of one Dollar ($1.00) per acre, or fraction thereof if less than one acre is involved with one owner, and in addition that each owner will give the County an easement for road slopes and or that may extend beyond the forty nine and one-half foot line (Proposed new Right-of-Way line) without additional compensation to the land owner.

Vote of Commission Yes 5 No ___.
Resolution is hereby declared adopted.
Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 22nd day of March, 1955.

Vernon H Belk
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.

ATTEST:

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Herb Skinner

Adolph Hogstad

Leon J Fromke

James L Keenan

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan and seconded by Commissioner Hogstad, and upon being put to a vote all Commissioners voted "aye and none "nay", where-upon the Chairman declared such resolution dully passed and adopted.

The application of John Dokken for a refund, for over-payment on County liens in the amount of $10.95. Payment allowed on motion of Fromke and seconded by Keenan.

A committee was appointed by Chairman Belk, consisting of Skinner, Keenan, and Fromke, to inspect abandoned and vacated road described as follows, and to report findings to the Board:

Beginning at the Northeast corner of Section Twenty (20), Township One Hundred Eighteen (118), Range Fifty-Five (55), Thence south one mile to the Southeast corner of Section Twenty (20), Township One Hundred Eighteen (118), Range Fifty Five (55), all in Phipps Township, Codington County, State of South Dakota.

RESOLUTION #237
RESOLUTION DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, the County of Codington in the State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS, said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real

property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota, and

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 22 day of March, 1955, at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property, to-wit:

TAX DEED SALE IN WATERTOWN (all for City of Watertown)

DESCRIPTION	APPRAISAL VALUE
Lot 8, Block 75, Third Railway Addition	$100.00
Lot 78, Belmont Addition	50.00
Lot 79, Belmont Addition	50.00
Lots 112 & 113, Belmont Addition	20.00 each
Lots 118, 119 & 120, Belmont Addition	25.00 each
S½ of Lot 14, Block 7, East Watertown Addition	25.00
Lots 15 and 16, Fairfax Addition	5.00
Lot 17, Fairfax Addition	5.00
Lot 19, Fairfax Addition q	5.00
Lots 96, 97 and 98, Fairfax Addition	5.00 each
Lot 99, Fairfax Addition	5.00
Lot 218, Fairfax Addition	35.00
Lots 1 and 2, Block 3, Horswills Addition	5.00 each
Lot 28, Block 11, Kemp Bros. Addition	20.00
Lot 5 and 6, Block 12, Kemps Addition	5.00 each
All of Block 13, Kemp Addition	5.00
Lot 54 & 53, Block 55, West Watertown	20.00 for both
Lot 13, Block 7, Rice Bros. Addition	25.00
O.L. 33, Way-Case Addition (Sec. 36-117-53)	25.00
Lot 37, Block 53, Way Case Addition	25.00

TAX DEED SALE IN FLORENCE VILLAGE

Part of W½ of NW¼ less .40 acres Sec. 4-118-54 including O.L. 1 of S½ SE¼ 4-118-54	$800.00

TAX DEED SALE IN HENRY VILLAGE

Lots 15-16-17 Block 2 Henry Village	$150.00

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of said Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota.

Dated this 22nd day of March, 1955.

Vernon H. Belk

Herb Skinner

Adolph Hogstad

Owen J. Franke

Jamie L. Keenan

Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Ina Welch
County Auditor

Moved by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad that dates be set for hearings on petitions #14, #16 and #19 and advertised according to law.

RESOLUTION #238
FEDERAL AID SECONDARY ROUTE

WHEREAS the Codington County, Board of Commissioners desire the addition of the following mileage to the Federal Aid Secondary Highway System:

"Beginning at the NE Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 53, West of the Fifth P.M., thence south 1 mile to the SE Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 53, West of the Fifth P.M., thence west 1 mile to the SW Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 53, West of the Fifth P.M."

AND WHEREAS the Codington County, Board of Commissioners desire the deletion of the following mileage from the Federal Aid Secondary Highway System:

"Beginning at the SW Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 53, West of the Fifth P.M., thence north 1 mile to the NW Corner of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 53, West of the Fifth P.M., approximately 1 mile."

AND WHEREAS above changes effect one mile of FAS S595(1), it is hereby requested that such Project be revised to include two added miles and deletion of one mile.

AND WHEREAS the major portion of this is on mail route, also connecting with existing routes.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the State Highway Commission be and hereby is requested to recommend to the Public Roads Administration the selection of the roads described above as part of the Federal Aid Secondary Highway System.

Vote of Commission. Yes 5 No ___.
Resolution is hereby declared adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 18th day of March, 1955.

Vernon H Belk
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Irene Stockman appeared before the Board in regard to the care of Loretta Stockman, no action was taken.

The Clerk of Courts Yearly Report in the amount of $3403.95 was read and approved.

Adjourned until Tuesday, March 29, at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
March 29, 1955

The Board of Commissioners convened at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Irma E. Welch $325.00, Pearl Bergan $210.00, Alice Olson $190.00, Kathleen Turbak $180.00, Edna Derenthal $150.00; County Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00, Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Margaret Brown $296.68, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth Larson $150.00; Superintendent of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75, Ross H. Oviatt $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veteran's Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-William J. Meyer $250.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $113.00, Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown $100.00; Sheriff's Fees & Salary-Bert Smith $85.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; CMV-C.S. Rasmusson $525.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00, Sever Tobiason $205.00, J. P. Haug $91.18, Joe Stricherz $127.92, Claude VanSickle $159.12, C. B. Sumner $50.49, Harold Scriver $107.40, John Rennie $122.31, Carl Zweig, Jr. $193.71, James Hendren $220.00, Ed Gould $179.20, Alfred Spring $178.75, Howard Williams $210.15, Leo Clausen $145.44, Fred Brownell $121.74, E. W. Spearbeck $157.00, Thomas Spiering $134.21, John Strait $167.04, Otis C. Olson $160.44, Clarence Helle $129.26, Julius Lentz $145.26, Andrew T. Larson $148.16, Chas. Krogman $141.26, Curtis Underwood $153.36; COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL-J. P. Haug $115.20, Joe Stricherz $80.00, Claude VanSickle $70.15, Harold Scriver $88.75, John Rennie $82.80, Carl Zweig, Jr. $13.80, James Hendren $33.75, Ed Gould $10.00, Alfred Spring $42.50, Howard Williams $17.50, Leo Clausen $22.00, Fred Brownell $17.00, Thomas Spiering $25.30, John Strait $20.90, Otis C. Olson $19.80, Clarence Helle $4.00, Julius Lentz $8.00, Chas. Krogman $8.00, Curtis Underwood $17.00; CH&BR-C. B. Sumner $147.20, Eugene P. Collins $134.82; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $45.00, Clarence Helle $34.00, Julius Lentz $30.00, Andrew T. Larson $36.00, Chas. Krogman $34.00; ROAD-John Rennie $53.20, Henry Oil Co. $9.94; GENERAL-County Farm-Alfred Spring $2.50, Howard Williams $10.00, Leo Clausen $7.00, Fred Brownell $8.00, Thomas Spiering $6.00, John Strait $6.00, Otis C. Olson $8.00, Clarence Helle $6.00, Andrew T. Larson $4.00, Curtis Underwood $8.00; Per Diem, Mileage & Salary-V. H. Belk $54.10, Oscar J. Fromke $54.10; Adolph Hogstad $53.96, J.L. Keenan $56.20, H.Skinner $55.01; GENERAL-Court Expense-Carroll Guddal $15.30, Philip Jenkins $5.10, Glenn Mitchell $5.10; Court House Maintenance-O.W. Enger $309.68; Poor-Swendsen Rest Home $90.00; Equipment-General Electric Co. $507.97, Dictaphone Corporation $680.00; CH&BR-Cod.-Clark Elec.Co-operative, Inc. $689.39;
Payments made on county liens for the month of February are as follows: Lowell Mead $30.00, Mrs. Maynard Kremer $30.00, Mrs. Hazel Button $150.00, Fannie Baker $5.00, Ola Omodt $35.96;

Alvin Satter appeared before the Board asking for a compromise settlement of County liens in the amount of $154.01. He agreed to pay $80.00 cash to satisfy such liens. Moved by Skinner and seconded by Fromke that this amount be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad that C. S. Rasmusson, County Highway Superintendent, be authorized to take samples of gravel to Pierre and meet with the State Highway Commission, with expenses paid as permitted by law.

Howard Wess appeared before the Board in regard to moving telephone poles along the right-way. He stated that they were damaged by the County maintainer. After some discussion the Board agreed to check and find out who had given the operator authority to move said poles.

The Contract for deed for Lots 1, 2, 3, 4,5, and SE¼ of SW¼ and NE¼ SW¼ of Section 30, Township 118, Range 55 having been paid in full by William Eck, it was moved by Hogstad and seconded by Keenan that Chairman Belk be authorized to sign a quit claim deed to the above described property from Codington County to William E. Eck and Ellen K. Eck for a

total payment of $2001.00 plus interest at 5% during the term of the contract. Motion carried.

Moved by Hogstad and seconded by Keenan that Dr. H. Russell Brown, County Superintendent of Health be notified by the County Auditor that effective April 1 he will be put on a Fee and Mileage basis, instead of the $100.00 a month salary, as pursuant to South Dakota Code 27.1802.

Moved by Fromke and seconded by Hogstad that the bill of the Codington-Clark Electric Cooperative Inc. in the amount of $689.39, for moving the polls on county rightway be allowed. Motion carried.

Board adjourned to 10:00 A.M. April 5, 1955.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
April 5, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with members Belk, Fromke, Hogstad, Skinner present, Keenan absent, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims approved: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $130.00, Arlene Brekke $45.30, Marjorie Hoaas $45.30, Ed Link $40.30, Kenneth Ackman $15.30, Garriet M. Miller $35.30, Doris Hubbartt $40.40, Ruth Eastman $20.40, Nels Eastberg $20.40, Ray Collins $40.40, Phyllis Bard $40.40, Harriet Brown $45.40, Herbert Timmerman $40.30, Palace of Sweets $18.75, Louise Pella $40.30, Ernest Campbell $20.40, Clair E. Young $10.20, Marjorie Phillips $10.20, Carroll Guddal $5.10, Muriel Hoover $25.40, Pearl Nelson $20.20; County Judge Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $28.00; Bailiff Fees-Carl Deal $48.00, Ray Makepeace $90.00; Auditors Office Exp.- Postmaster $39.13; Treasurers Office Exp.-$317.86; Tax Collector-$1.08; Register of Deeds Office Exp.-$26.42; Clerk of Courts Office Exp.-$30.56; Sheriff Office Exp.-$6.58; Welfare Office Exp.-$17.03; Veterans Service Office Exp.-$2.56; Supt. of Schools Office Exp.-$45.24; County Extension-$3.47; Co. Judge Office Exp.-$1.12; Assessors Supplies-$3.70; Printing & Advertising $3.03; ROAD-$2.22;(Foregoing amounts paid to Postmaster).

Kenneth E. Johnson made application to the Board for relief of Co. liens, proving that he was not the Kenneth Johnson described in said liens. Moved by Fromke and seconded by Hogstad, a release be made of these liens, insofar as they pertain to this property. Motion carried.

#241- RESOLUTION DESIGNATING DEPOSITORY BANKS FOR COUNTY FUNDS

State of South Dakota)
)ss
County of Codington)

WHEREAS, acting under Section 12.0818 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, and all other amendatory acts, the following named banks have made proper application to be designated as depositories for the funds of Codington County, South Dakota:

(List all Banks Here)

(NAME OF BANK)	(LOCATION)
First Citizens National Bank	Watertown, South Dakota
Farmers & Merchants Bank	Watertown, South Dakota
Farmers State Bank	Kranzburg, South Dakota

And, Whereas, it appears from the examination of said application that they are in proper form in compliance with the Statutes;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that the above named banks be and they are hereby designated as depositories for funds of Codington County, South Dakota, for the period of one year, beginning April 5th 1955, and the Treasurer is authorized to deposit funds therein when bonds or other legal security have been assigned to the County Treasurer.

AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the following banks:

(LIST only ACTIVE Depositories here)

First Citizens National Bank	Watertown, South Dakota
Farmers & Merchants Bank	Watertown, South Dakota

are each designated as ACTIVE depositories as provided by Section 12.0819 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, and all amendatory acts, for the deposit therein by the County Treasurer of daily receipts of cash, checks, drafts, and other cash items, and the County Treasurer is expressly authorized to deposit in each of said banks in excess of 100% of the capital and surplus of each of said banks, providing that at all times, the funds on deposit shall be fully secured by surety bond, pledge of legal collateral, insurance as provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Provided, further, that each such depository shall pay on demand all deposits therein subject to payment on demand, and shall pay, when demanded, all time deposits therein, with accrued interest, if any.

Dated this 5th day of April, 1955, and to be spread on the minutes of the said Board of County Commissioners at this April 5th meeting duly attended by a majority of the Board.

Approved: Herman N Belk
Chairman

ATTEST:
Inna Welch
County Auditor

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
Codington County, South Dakota.

RESOLUTION #242

RESOLUTION APPROVING COLLATERAL PLEDGED BY DEPOSITORY BANKS
AND
DESIGNATION AND APPROVAL OF CUSTODIAN BANKS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
ss
COUNTY OF Codington)

WHEREAS, acting under Section 12.0818 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, and all other amendments as have been or may hereafter be enacted, the following named banks have been designated as depositories for the funds of Codington County, South Dakota, by the Board of County Commissioners and the County Treasurer, and in compliance with the aforesaid laws the said banks have assigned, transferred and set over to said Codington County, South Dakota, those certain securities described below; this collateral having been found by the said Board of County Commissioners to be good and sufficient for county funds, and in compliance with the Statutes relating thereto,
BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the same is hereby approved.
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the custodian banks named below for the safekeeping of said securities are hereby designated and approved.

NAME OF BANK- The First Citizens National Bank CITY-Watertown, South Dakota

AMOUNT	NAME AND DESCRIPTION	MATURITY DATE
$345,000.00	U.S. Treas. Bonds 2 3/4 %	9-15-61
5,000.00	U.S. Treas. Bonds 2 1/4 %	12-15-62/59

CUSTODIAN BANKS FOR THE SAFEKEEPING OF said securities:
BANK- Chase Manhattan Bank LOCATION - New York, N.Y.
BANK- Federal Reserve Bank ********** LOCATION - Minneapolis, Minn.
NAME OF BANK -Farmers & Merchants City - Watertown, S.D.

AMOUNT	NAME AND DESCRIPTION	MATURITY DATE
$10,000.00	Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation Guaranty	
$340,000.00	Securities now pledged as per list on file	

CUSTODIAN BANKS FOR THE SAFEKEEPING of said securities:
BANK - Chase Manhattan Bank LOCATION - New York, N.Y.
BANK - Marquette National Bank LOCATION - Minneapolis, Minn.
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NAME OF BANK - Farmers State Bank LOCATION - Kranzburg, S. Dak.

AMOUNT	NAME AND DESCRIPTION
$40,000.00	U.S. Government securities described as follows: $25,000.00 U.S. Treasury Notes Series A-1957, #12152 @ 5M #37091/92 @ 10M each. $15,000.00 U.S Treasury Bonds of 1963, #16009 @ 10M #5034 @ 5M

Moved by Hogstad and seconded by Fromke that The First Citizens Bank, Farmers & Merchants Bank of Watertown, and The Farmers State Bank of Kranzburg, be named depositories for Codington County funds for the year of 1955.

Harold Hanson, assessor, Howard Myers, Allen Posner, and Ervin York township officers, appeared before the Board and discussed valuations and assessments for Graceland Township.

Otis Elevator report was read and discussed. The Board authorized the Auditor to write the Company for an estimate on suggested repairs. No action taken.

Monthly statements in the amount of $1727.83 Yankton, $650.00 Redfield, and $132.99 Custer Sanatorium were approved by the Board.

Bounty claims approved as follows: Dennis VanTassel $4.00, H.A. Johnson $4.00, Howard Popham $4.00, John Erickson $4.00, Raphael Turbak $7.50, Harlen Back $7.50, A.J. Mueller $315.00, and Jerome Evens $135.00. Moved by Skinner and seconded by Fromke said claims be allowed. Motion carried.

Minutes of the March 8, 15, 18, 22, and 29 meetings were read and approved.

Upon a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until Tuesday April 12, at 10:00 A.M.

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
April 12, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened at 10:00 A.M. with members Belk, Fromke, Hogstad, Skinner present, Keenan absent, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved: GENERAL-Court Expense-Ewing Middleton $20.40; Poor-Svendsen Rest Home $90.00-for B.J. Murray, Bartron Hospital $2920.05-for Chris Engels $241.20,

Wood Carter $113.50, Dora Corwin $75.95, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $105.00, Mrs. John Dobson $53.22 Irvin Eisenbise $172.65, Charley & Beatrice Halverson $29.50, Phil Jenkins $97.10, Albert Johnson $204.00, Albert Krohn $7.00, Reinhard Luck $237.40, Bernard J. Murray $51.00, Mary Myers $5.00, Sharon Miner $89.50, Peter Peterson $50.00, Walter Richard $6.00, Hilma Synnerholm $233.50, Francis L. Schmeling $291.78, George C. Scholl $311.30, Pearle Stecker $46.00, Blair Tessier $173.75, Rex Richmond $104.25, Mary Wilson $198.70, Alfred Vick $22.75; Bartron Clinic-$945.20-for Charles Alt $4.00, Carl Berge $3.00, Wm. Boll $9.00, Wood Carter $30.00, Mrs. Dora Corwin $19.00, Joyce Christensen $5.00, Mr. & Mrs. P.DeMuynck $30.00, Gerald Douglas $23.00, Mrs. John Dobson $15.00, Jerry O'Brien $8.20, Rex Richmond $31.50, Chris Engels $30.00, Susie Erickson $2.00, Hilda Ebens $9.00, Art Eastbert $2.00, John Farley $6.00, Ruben Gatchell $6.00, Charlie & Beatrice Halvorsen $9.00, Ola Hanson $5.00, Mrs. Carl Hemiller $4.50, Mrs. Arlone Johnson $5.00, Arthur Johnson $6.00, Emma Jenkins $4.00, Phil Jenkins $82.00, Ludwig Johnson $34.00, Albert Johnson $30.00, Frank & Emma Klucas $7.00, Albert Krohn $12.00, Reinhard Luck $30.00, B.J. Murray $22.00, Mary Myers $2.00, Sharon Miner $22.00, Louis Mourere $2.00, Frank Metzinger $2.00, Soren Nelson $20.50, Seymore Peterson $6.00, Peter Peterson $14.00, Walter Richard $10.00, Hilma Synnerholm $30.00, Francis L. Schmeling $113.00, George C. Scholl $80.50, Pearle Stecker $39.00, Blair Tessier $41.00, Vernon Thompson $2.00, Steven Wisneski $3.00; Mrs. August Anderson $22.50-for Mary Vermillion; Mrs. Augusta Bunde $75.00-for Hilda Ebens; Burgdorf Nursing Home $103.40-for Dora Corwin $8.40, Henry Spilde $40.00, N.T. Nelson $55.00; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. G. Stoltenburg $15.00-for Louisa Richter; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $40.00-for Lorance Albrecht; Svendsen Rest Home $105.00-for Mrs. P. DeMuynck $45.00, Sarah Ann Black $30.00, Rosa Dixon $30.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $70.00-for E. Kinsey $30.00, Ella Flannigan $40.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Helseth Rest Home $75.00-for Ben Bergerson $45.00, Louis Mourere $30.00; Anna Mae Larson $55.00-for Mary Myers; Elizabeth Marsh $10.00-for Matt Kemp; Mrs. Edith Raschke $28.75-for Mary Mitchell; Bartron Clinic $45.00-for Mary Wilson $39.00, Ferne Washtoak $16.00; Codington Co. Oil Co. $103.63-for Mary Tribbitts $14.10, Olaf & Suzie Erickson $11.08, Emory Smith $14.10, Roy B. Bowdish $7.55, Arthur Larson $14.10, Celia K. Painter $14.10, Henrietta Fritz $14.50, John Fjerstad $14.10; Council Oak Store $40.00-for Helen Pionk $30.00, Ed Switzenberg $10.00; F. P. Creaser & Sons $10.63-for Arlene Lohr; Duffner Drug Store $154.32-for Mrs. P. DeMuynck $7.60, Wm. Boll $35.37, Steven Wisneski $30.82, Ola Hanson $11.97, Frank Metzinger $14.31, Mary Myers $2.76, Rueben Gatchell $4.09, Carl Berg $9.90, Edgar Wight $6.75, Enga Yarns $7.51, Louis Mourere $2.70, Mathilda Blek $6.64, Mrs. Chas. Montney $12.10, Walter Richard $1.80; Haggar Drug Store $212.46-for Vernon Thompson $4.19, Frank & Emma Klucas $7.65, Mrs. John E. Taylor $7.65, Seymore Peterson $14.67, Mrs. Wm. Czeck $5.13, Mrs. Mary Myers $41.06, Arlene Lohr $.90, Dora Corwin $3.60, N.T. Nelson $3.60, Josephine Welter $13.55, Ellen Anderson $17.10, Albert Krohn $2.34, Edith Kinsey $1.89, Francis Schmeling $11.88, Mrs. Henrietta Fritz $38.84, Pearl Stecker $1.08, Mary Mitchell $7.02, Ferne Washtoak $28.26, Hilda Ebens $22.05; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $45.00-for Geo. C. Scholl $22.50, Albert Hillstad $22.50; Lester C. Hemiller $69.10-for Carl Hemiller; Huebner Oil Co. $71.21-for Wm. Glendening $21.46, Florence Kennedy $14.10, Leo Mies $14.10, Helen Pionk $7.05, Frank Metzinger $14.50; Kinstad Rest Home $202.25-for William Gautsch $51.25, James Chambers $25.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ola Hanson $26.00, Carl Berge $30.00, Rueben Gatchell $35.00; Liens Grocery $30.00-for Cora Barto $5.00, Mrs. K. Wickherst $15.00, Carl Hemiller $10.00; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $38.50-for Carl Hemiller $13.60, Mrs. Edith Bundy $12.60, Sylvia Sharp $12.30; C.E. McGowan Lbr. Co. $31.50-for Loren Wohlwend; McKennan Hospital $13.00-for Mary Vermillion; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes $8.00-for Henry Schloesser $5.00, John O'Neill $3.00; Memorial Hospital $96.55-for John M. Kleinsasser; National Tea Co. $25.00-for Clifford Davis $10.00, Emory Smith $15.00; Palace Grocery $10.00-for Victor Rosenkranz; Propane Supply Co. $5.30-for Charles Carter; J. C. Penney Co. $4.90-for Mary Lindner; Orville Quinn $25.00-for George Scholl; Shaw Messer Ambulance Service $3.00-for George Scholl; O.P. Skaggs $136.00-for Anna Kretzschmar $10.38, Emory Smith $15.00, Sylvia Sharp $10.00, John Fjerstad $30.62, Chas. Carter $20.00, Roy B. Bowdish $50.00; Doris U. Tulare $12.00-for Albert Krohn; Spies Super Valu $80.00-Florence Kennedy $20.00, Mrs. Blair Tessier $45.00, Arthur Larson $15.00; Standard Oil Co. $201.00-for Wm. Barto $114.80, Mrs. Phoebe Mowery $43.10, Wm. Norman $28.60, Robert Corey $14.50; Standard Oil Co.-S.Shore $22.50--for Carl J. Struss $22.50; St. Bernards Prov. Hospital $203.00-for Augusta Schonberger $33.50, John Welter $169.50; St. John's Hospital $82.60-for Robert Blow; Thomes Drug Store $142.30-for Richard DePeel $2.16, Edith Kinsey $2.70, Harry Freeseman $3.33, R. Vance $3.01, James Chambers $3.47, Geo. Scholl $11.97, Dora Corwin $.68, Irvin Eisenbise $5.40, Hilma Synnerholm $.72, Francis L. Schmeling $.85, Anna Parsley $11.73, Peter Peterson $.45, John Farley $13.14, Theo Treat $7.42, Chas. Bierscheid $8.42, Louisa Richter $2.69, Lorance Albrecht $2.70, Blair Tessier $7.29, Anna Kennedy $4.22, Emma L. Dralle $3.60, Lena Trummer $2.25, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $13.77, Hilda Haack $.90, Alfred Vick $29.43; Dr. M.C. Thompson $126.50-for Albert Hendricks $2.00, Emma L. Dralle $29.00, Clarence Morrison $22.50, Minnie Johnson $25.00, Marion Kraft $8.00, Louisa Richter $29.00, John E. Taylor $9.00, Lorance Albrecht $2.00; Watertown Community Oil Co. $50.85-for Helena Lentz $28.20, Charles Carter $15.10, Bernard Hendricks $7.55; Webb Service Station $14.70-for Kermit Fjerstad; Whooley Oil Co. $28.60-for Lew Fjerstad; Kreiser Drug Store $1178.61-for Mrs. John Dobson $38.43, James Chambers $29.66, Louise Tiegen $11.88, Mrs. Carl Hemiller $4.50, Nellie Jensen $2.39, Mrs. Joe Gerjets $14.49, Albert Hendricks $1.80, Niels C. Nielson $2.96, Suzie Erickson $4.23, Ben Bergerson $1.80, Mrs. Charles Alt $22.99, Ed & Bernice Schmeling $7.20, Irvin Eisenbise $1.44, Carl Becker and wife $14.76, Mary Wilson $4.81, Reinhart Luck $15.77, Blair Tessier $26.24, Mrs. Francis Schmeling $28.60, George Scholl $16.11, Mrs. Brad Barclay $7.92, Cathryn McLaughlin $4.86, Rex Richmond $7.02, Pete Peterson $15.66, Mrs. Ella Flanagan $3.51, Soren Nelson $10.04, Chris Engels $682.37, Lena Radtke $16.88, Gerald Douglas $9.41, Ludwig Johnson $9.78, Albert Johnson $17.50, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $15.03, Rosa Dixon $17.10, Wood Carter $15.17, Anna Christianson $15.79, Hilma Synnerholm $34.60, Wm. Gautsch $7.65, Doris Nelson $.90, John O'Neil $8.95, Mrs. Ed McPeek $1.80, Duane Stevens $.87, Lena Trummer $11.12, Arthur Johnson $2.02, Ben Scott $12.60; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $67.15, Oscar J. Fromke $79.46, Adolph Hogstad $68.06, Herb Skinner $67.29; Court Expense-Jess Vincent $20.40, Lyle Mason $35.30, Ruhe Stationery Store $23.50, Palace of Sweets $18.75, Bartron Hospital & Clinic $12.50, Kenneth Ackman $5.10, Helen Paulis $5.10; County Farm-Duffner Drug Store $49.03, Lien's Grocery $69.11, J.C. Penney Co. $13.77, Spies Super Valu $9.28, Kreiser Drug Store $16.74, City Treasurer $32.45, Park Grant Co. $54.54, First National Agency $239.20, Watertown Co-operative Co. $55.42, Sunshine State Hatchery $5.00, South Dakota Livestock Co. $89.55, K.D. Inc. $10.35, Henry Klemsrud $1.00, Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $5.80, Motor Supply Co. $13.14, Marshall Wells Store $2.95; County Judge Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $43.00; Fees-Lloyd Shenk $169.05; Mileage $493.80(Lloyd Shenk); Board of

Prisoners-Lloyd Shenk $299.20; Tax Deed-Lloyd Shenk $9.05; Insane-Lloyd Shenk $86.87, Al Freeseman $5.00, Gordon Schaefer $5.00, Joanita Meyer $5.00; Court House Maintenance-Barkley Truck Lines $21.67, Herbert C. Borns $6.50, Dandar Motor Repair $44.25, Egge Electric Co. $103.44, O.W. Enger $386.02, L.V. Harmel $249.03, Harris Janitor Supply Co. $53.25, J.J. Inman $4.70, Nelson Hardware $28.54, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $233.70, Otis Elevator Co. $76.20, Pink Supply Co. $68.00, Pitney-Bowes, Inc. $2.00, Redlinger Bros. $5.75, Sears, Roebuck & Co. $12.01, Shenk's Shop $65.25, Town & Country Store $33.30, Western Transportation Co. $2.81, City Treasurer $525.34, Dakota Welding Supply $14.11, Park Grant Co. $5.25, Watertown Machine Works $44.62, Wilson Transfer & Storage $2.69; Auditor's Office Expense-Park Grant Co. $2.25, Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. $42.68, Ruhe Stationery Store $35.85; Treasurer's Office Expense-The National Cash Register Co. $3.31, Burroughs Corp. $2.07; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Remington Rand, Inc. $118.55, Ruhe Stationery Store $1.19, Superintendent of Schools Office Expense-Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $54.85, Ruhe Stationery Store $14.05; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $13.39, Railway Express Agency $2.39, Ruhe Stationery Store $155.71; Sheriff's Office Expense-Lloyd Shenk $44.40, Asleson Company $25.10; Welfare Office Expense-Carlson's $3.00, Ruhe Stationery $54.65; Assessors Supplies-Carlson's $8.67, Educator Supply Co. $69.90, Watertown Photo News $418.50, F.C. Grow Sons $199.75, Ruhe Stationery Store $3.30; Bailiff Fees-Joe Johnson $4.00; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $9.20; States Attorney's Mileage-Dale E. Bradshaw $60.47; Supt. of Schools Mileage-J. Muriel Hoover $55.09; Insanity Board-H.T. Kenney, M.D. $30.00; Insurance & Bonds-Western Surety Co. $166.72; County Extension-Fred Morris $26.00, Clara W. Johnson $5.36, Ruhe Stationery $1.20; Printing & Advertising-South Shore Gazette $46.20, Watertown Public Opinion $89.73; Memorial Park-Post Serv.Officer, Amer.Legion #227 $25.00, Wright Tarbell, Post Service Officer $75.00, First National Agency $5.49; Printing & Advertising-Ruhe Stationery $9.00; Veteran's Service Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $22.75; States Attorney's Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $51.20; Radio-Bill Hinde $30.00; Poor-Ruhe Stationery $2.26; ROAD-City Treasurer $29.37, Wilson Storage & Transfer $40.75, Railway Express Agency $13.72, Bill Hinde $60.00, Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $55.38, Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $16.08, Northwestern Public Service Co. $6.82; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Dakota Welding Supply $98.84, Watertown Machine Works $22.42, Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.23, Motor Supply Co. $53.89, Marshall Wells Store $5.42, Algard Machine Shop $2.50, Botsford Lumber Co. $18.16, Cave Supply Co. $124.34, Chuck Crown Radio-T.V. $12.75, Dahle Tire & Imp. Co. $144.94, Empire Equipment Co. $801.13, J.D. Evans Equipment Co. $2 41, Foster-Bell Co. $567 82, General Electric $493.86, W. & L.E. Gurley $675.00, Kenneth Hayes Magneto & Electric $12.70, International Harvester Co. $89.86, Jakle Hardware Co. $13.08, Keuffel & Esser Co. $10.31, LaNoue's Radiator Shop $3.00, Lyle Signs Inc. $130.65, Mahowald Co. $30.89, Marquardt's Service & Supply $185.60, William W. Putnam $299.79, Reiter Service Station $1.65, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $4.31, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $316.94, L.E. Tanksley $230.60, Watertown Tire Co. $20.80, Williams Hardware Co. $82.45, Sanders Chevrolet Co. $61.30; CMV-Western Surety Co. $732.69; SPECIAL BRIDGE-General Electric $493.86; CO. SPECIAL HIWAY (Kampeska) $129.31; CO. SPECIAL HIWAY (Pelican) $32.79; CO.SPECIAL HIWAY (Kranzburg) $171.48; (Last three being paid to Codington Clark Electric Coop. Inc.). TEXTBOOK-Hub City School Supply Co. $13.95, Hammond & Stephens Co. $24.40; WEED BOARD-Paul David $5.82, Matt Brandriet $44.43, Robert Redlin $6.52, Joseph J. Fox $5.68; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-J.C. Penney Co. $13.65;

Payments made on County liens for the month of March are as follows: Mrs. Evelyn Johnson $275.00, Gloria Davis $1.75, Willie J. Schmeling $5.00, Arnold Hogtiezer $100.00, Mrs. Rena Ackerman $401.10, Edward Coyle & Marion Coyle $30.00, B.J. Murray $26.50;

Moved by Skinner and second by Fromke that the application of Clark and Prisilla Sweeny for an abatement of interest in the amount of $66.32 on personal property tax be allowed. Motion carried. Total balance to be paid--$254.21.

At 2:00 P.M. Dr. Brown, Superintendent of the Board of Health, met with the Board and discussed the problems to be considered in regard to the Polio Vaccine to be administered to all children in the County in the first and second grades. He stated there were approximately 1026 children in those grades in Codington County. On a motion by Fromke and seconded by Hogstad, that the Superintendent be authorized to purchase up to $100.00 worth of equipment if needed to administer this vaccine. Motion carried.

Mr. & Mrs. Loren Wohlwend and a Union Central representative, J.A. McGillivary, appeared before the Board in regard to the liens of Loren Wohlwend. After some discussion, Wohlwend agreed to a partial release for the sum of $100.00 in-so-far as it pertains to this property, $S\frac{1}{2}$ of $S\frac{1}{2}$ and $NW\frac{1}{4}$ 29-119-51. It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner this amount be accepted.

The Auditors account with the Treasurer for the month of March, 1955 was approved as follows: Total amount of Deposits in banks,$441,306.85; total amount of cash, $16,578.88, government bonds $112,000.00; and certificates of deposit, $70,000.00. Total of all items-$639,885.73.

Veteran's Service report approved.

Clerk of Courts report in the amount of $234.65 and the Register of Deeds report in the amount of $449.85 was approved for the month of March.

On a motion made by Skinner and seconded by Fromke, that the Board concur with the City Council in approving the abatements as follows: Mabel Taecker $1.00, double assessment of school poll; E.P. Gribbin, attorney for the Immaculate Conception Church, $33.40 tax together with all penalty and interest be abated for the reason that improvements listed did not exist; and C.J. Langenfeld $78.26 refund for the reason that a building on these lots had been torn down prior to the assessment date.

Achsah Hemstock asked for an abatement for a double assessment on school poll of $1.00. Moved by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad that this abatement be allowed. Motion carried.

Rejected application of Lloyd Karpinski because of lack of information.

Adjourned until Tuesday, April 19, 1955 at 10:00 A.M.

County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
April 19, 1955

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims were read and approved: GENERAL-Poor-Bartron Hospital $523.10-for Chris Engels; Court Expense-Mildred Clark $40.40; CH&BR-Eugene P. Collins $160.00; WEED BOARD-James L. Keenan $5.82;

Edward Fox appeared before the Board requesting a fence to be replaced that had been taken down in the construction of a County Highway. C.S. Rasmusson, Highway Superintendent agreed to replace the fence.

Don Erickson, Recreational Director and Frank Norton a member of the recreation board, met with the commissioners to discuss some additional pier at Memorial Park. The park committee agreed to make necessary additions.

James Nelson tax collector, appeared before the Board in regard to personal property tax of Oscar Ritz. A compromise settlement was made to accept $35.94 original tax, and to abate the interest of $31.16. On a motion by Fromke and seconded by Hogstad, motion carried.

RESOLUTION #243

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $35,626.79 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the meeting of the Board of Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the first quarter of 1955.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows, to-wit:

Sheridan, $1,781.34; Henry Twp., $1,781.34; Richland, $1,781.34; Graceland, $1,781.34; Waverly, $2,276.12, Rauville, $2,523.55; Germantown, $2,375.10;

TOTAL $14,300.13

AND WHEREAS, the County Highway System has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following townships:

Kranzburg, $3,067.97; Pelican, $1,781.34; Kampeska, $1,781.34; Elmira, $1,781.34; Lake $1,781.34; Fuller, $2,820.43; Phipps, $1,781.34; Leola, $1,781.34; Dexter, $2,968.88; and Eden, $1,781.34;

TOTAL $21,326.66

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that, said fund apportioned as above set out be held by the County Auditor to pay for completing the County Highway System in the said townships, in the proportion as above provided and pursuant to law, and no part thereof shall be actually paid over to the said townships, provided however, that any amount of the respective allotments to their respective townships not paid over, shall remain unexpended after completing the roads of the County Highway System, shall revert to and be payable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Skinner, seconded by Commissioner Keenan and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

DATED AT WATERTOWN, SOUTH DAKOTA, this 19th day of April 1955.

Vernon H Belk Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Auditor, Codington County South Dakota

RESOLUTION #243A

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $12,723.85 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment for the first quarter of 1955.

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned among the respective municipalities as follows:

FLORENCE	$	712.54
HENRY		712.54
SOUTH SHORE		712.54

WALLACE	$	534.40
WATERTOWN		10,051.83
TOTAL	$	12,723.85

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Skinner, seconded by Commissioner Fromke and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

DATED AT WATERTOWN, SOUTH DAKOTA this 19th day of April, 1955.

Vernon H. Belk
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners Codington County South Dakota

ATTEST:

Irma Welch
Irma E. Welch, Auditor

Hazel Schliesmann, Deputy County Treasurer, asked for an abatement of tax deed lots 45-46-47, Block 28, Replat of West Watertown, $38.98 having been assessed and are unassessable. Moved by Keenan and seconded by Skinner to grant abatement.

Abatement of Lloyd Karpinski for $12.23 for an assessment on a house that had been torn down in April of 1953, was granted on a motion made by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad.

Abatement of $279.04 to the Dakota Welding Supply Co., an error having been made in computing the tax. Motion by Fromke and seconded by Skinner.

On a motion by Fromke, and seconded by Hogstad to abate the $1.00 school poll of Irene Resen, Having been assessed twice.

RESOLUTION #244
SHERIFFS AND ATTORNEYS SCHOOL

At a regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota held at the meeting in the City of Watertown Codington County, South Dakota, on the 19th day of April 1955.

The following members being present: Vernon Belk, Chairman-James Keenan, Adolph Hogstad, Oscar Fromke, Herb Skinner.

The following proceedings were had:

Moved by Hogstad and motion seconded by Keenan that under the provisions of SDC Supp 12.1913, as amended by Chapter 25, Laws of 1953, we hereby authorize the expenses as a proper charge against this County, of the State's Attorney and Sheriff to attend an annual meeting of State's Attorneys and Sheriffs called by the Attorney General for May 10, 11, and 12, 1955, to be held in the City of Pierre, South Dakota as follows:

1. An allowance for the actual cost of subsistence per day, including meals and lodging, as evidenced by appropriate receipts, not to exceed $8.50 per day.

2. An allowance for mileage not in excess of six cents per mile actually and necessarily traveled if made by automobile or actual costs for transportation if by railroad.

Members voting in favor of this resolution:

Herb Skinner
Oscar J. Fromke
Adolph Hogstad
James L. Keenan

Members voting against the resolution: None

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 19th day of April, year of 1955.

Codington County South Dakota.

By Vernon H. Belk
Chairman of County Commissioners

ATTEST:

Irma Welch
Auditor

Appointment of Weed Board members noted by the Board as follows; Robert Redlin-Chairman, Paul David-Vice Chairman, Joseph Fox-Secretary, and James Keenan member from the Board of Commissioners.

Carl Deal Custodain, came before the Board to discuss some repair work needed on the Court House. He stated, the building was badly in need of painting. No action was taken.

Motion duly made and seconded to adjourn until Tuesday April 26, at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S.D.
April 26, 1955

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims were read and approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Irma E. Welch $325.00, Pearl Bergan $210.00, Alice Olson $190.00, Kathleen Turbak $180.00, Edna Derenthal $150.00; County Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00, Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Margaret Brown $296.68, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson $150.00; Superintendent of Schools-J.Muriel Hoover $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75, Ross H. Oviatt $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George W. Burke $190.00; Jailor-William J. Meyer $250.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $113.00, Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Sheriff's Fees & Salary $85.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; CMV-C.S. Rasmusson $525.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00, Sever Tobiason $205.00, John Rennie $287.50, J.P. Haug $241.00, Joe Stricherz $316.25, Claude VanSickle $262.50, Harold Scriver $242.65, C.B. Sumner $297.85, Carl Zweig, Jr. $242.25, James Hendren $337.50, Howard Williams $271.25, Burton H. Jackson $311.25, Ed Gould $155.20, Alfred Spring $79.35, Clarence Helle $108.60, Chas. H. Krogman $92.44, Andrew T. Larson $101.18, Julius Lentz $114.60, E.W. Spearbeck $138.24, Otis C. Olson $71.16, John Strait $75.06, Fred Brownell $38.68, Leo Clausen $176.04, Thomas Spiering $41.18, Curtis Underwood $71.16; COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL-J.P. Haug $8.80; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Howard Williams $13.75, Ed Gould $18.75, Clarence Helle $40.00, Chas. H. Krogman $29.00, Andrew T. Larson $49.00, Julius Lentz $29.00;COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Fuller)-Ed Gould $105.00, Clarence Helle $71.00, Andrew T. Larson $87.00, Julius Lentz $84.00, E.W. Spearbeck $46.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Kampeska)-Alfred Spring $108.75, Otis C. Olson $50.00, John Strait $45.00, Fred Brownell $50.00, Leo Clausen $17.00, Thomas Spiering $55.00, Curtis Underwood $35.00; CH&BR-Alfred Spring $91.25, Chas. H. Krogman $123.00, Otis C. Olson $107.00, John Strait $122.00, Fred Brownell $117.00, Leo Clausen $50.00, Thomas Spiering $111.00, Curtis Underwood $132.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl Zweig, Jr. $18.40, Howard Williams $21.25; Memorial Park-Ed Gould $5.00, Julius Lentz $2.00; Per Diem, Mileage & Salary-Vernon H. Belk $96.70, Oscar J. Fromke $79.70, Adolph Hogstad $84.74, James L. Keenan $90.40, Herb Skinner $80.96;

GENERAL-County Judge Office Expense- LaRue Douglass $41.00; Court Expense-Arlene Melander $25.40, Cecilia M. Beirne $110.67; Vital Statistics-Walter A. Farl $346.10, Stanley W. Allen, M.D. $5.50, R.M. Kilgard, M.D. $89.75, Myron W. Larsen, M.D. $25.75, Ramon Auskaps, M.D. $7.75, Visvaldis Janaus, M.D. $3.00, Abner Willen, M.D. $7.50, C.Rodney Stoltz, M.D. $25.50, M.C. Rousseau, M.D. $41.75, D.N. Fedt, M.D. $8.50, S.J. Walter, M.D. $8.75, V. Brakes, M.D. $4.75, H.T. Kenney, M.D. $.75, D.F. Campbell, M.D. $3.75, J.W. Argabrite, M.D. $4.75, H.J. Bartron, Jr., M.D. $1.25, H. Russell Brown, R.D. $.75, C.J. Clark, M.D. $3.75, O.S. Randall, M.D. $2.75, Thomas W. Reul, M.D. $2.00, Dagfin Lie, M.D. $.25, John Stransky, M.D. $5.25, R.T. Maxwell, M.D. $.50, J.E. Messer $1.75, J.C. Trivett, M.D. $2.50, M.C. Thompson, D.O. $1.00, R. Leonard Carefoot, M.D. $.25; Poor-Annette Burgdorf $55.00-for Dora Corwin;

Mrs. Mary Kannas appeared before the Board to ask them to reconsider a rejected application for abatement on personal property tax. No action was taken.

Mrs. Minnie Lambert asked for an abatement of personal property tax on property that did not belong to her, the property being properly assessed to Max Schaaf. Motion made by Kennan and seconded by Skinner that this abatement be allowed.

On a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad that the Vital Statistics Report be approved as read.

Moved by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that Jerry Leahy be refunded $31.50 for an overpayment on care of John Leahy at the State Hospital. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Skinner that the County Superintendent of Schools be authorized to attend the YCL Convention at Pierre, May 6, 7, 8, 1955 with expenses paid as prescribed by law. Motion carried.

Motion made by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that the County Treasurer, Paul Krakowski, shall keep the funds of the "Jail Building Fund" invested in Government Bonds, when said fund reached the amount of Twenty-Five Hundred Dollars or more. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION #246

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, have deemed it advisable according to SDC 12.2303 to set up an annual tax levy of .44 mills with the proceeds paid into a fund known as the "Jail Building Fund", and,

WHEREAS, the sum of $2500.00 has accumulated from the imposition of the tax levy of .44

mills for the purpose of (or designated as) the "Jail Building Fund",

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the County Treasurer be, and he is hereby instructed to invest said funds of the "Jail Building Fund" in the amount of $2500.00, which sum has accumulated, and designated as the "Jail Building Fund", in U.S. Government Bonds and all accumulative interest to be credited to said "Jail Building Fund",

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Fromke and seconded by Skinner and upon roll call all Commissioners voted "yea" and none voted "nay", whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 26th day of April, 1955.

Vernon H Belk
Chairman

Herb Skinner

Adolph Hogstad

Oscar J Fromke

James L Keenan

ATTEST:

Irma E Welch
Irma E. Welch
County Auditor

APPRAISAL OF SALE

Whereas, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, deems it advisable to sell the real property hereinafter described, acquired by said county by tax deed, and said Board of County Commissioners has directed that such real property be offered for sale and that it first be appraised by said Board as provided by law,

Now, therefore, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, report that they have made a just and fair appraisement of the real property hereinafter described:

	APPRAISAL VALUE
Lots 27, 28, 29, Block 46 - Replat of West Watertown -	$800.00

Dated this 26th day of April, 1955

Vernon H Belk
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

Herb Skinner
County Commissioner

Adolph Hogstad
County Commissioner

Oscar J Fromke
County Commissioner,

James L Keenan
County Commissioner

RESOLUTION DIRECTING SALE #245

WHEREAS, the County of Codington in the State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota, and

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 26th day of April, 1955, at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property, to-wit:

Lots 27, 28, 29, Block 46 - Replat of West Watertown,

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of said Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota.

Dated this 26th day of April, 1955.

Vernon H Belk
Chairman

April 26, 1955 — May 3, 1955

Herb Skinner
James L Keenan
Osum J Fromke
Adolph Hogstad
Vernon H Belk
Board of County Commissioners
of Codington County, South
Dakota.

ATTEST:
Inna Welch
County Auditor

A motion was made by Fromke and seconded by Skinner to authorize Chairman Belk to sign a purchase order for one Apeca Dialematic (Photostatic Copy,) machine1Duplex Guider, and necessary cabinets to use machine. Roll call, Hogstad "aye", Skinner "aye", Fromke "aye", Keenan "aye". All voted "aye" and nnne "nay".

On a motion duly made, the Board adjourned until May 3, 1955.

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S.D.
May 3, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened, pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M., with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $136.50; CH&BR-Kies and Zastrow $9621.60;

Report of Committee appointed by Chairman Belk of the Section line to be vacated and abandoned. Namely, Skinner, Fromke, and Keenan.

Pursuant to notice of hearing on a petition to vacate and abandon section line in Phipps Township, duly published in the offical newspapers, comes now the hearing on petition requesting the vacating of the following described road towit:

Beginning at the Northeast corner of Section Twenty (20), Township one hundred eighteen (118), Range 55, thence south one mile to the Southeast Corner of Section (20), Township one eighteen (118), Range (55) all in Phipps Township, Codington County, South Dakota.

That no part of said section line proposed to be vacated is within a city or incorporated town, and said section line is not now being used and has not been used for several years for the reason that much of it is continuously under water.

YOU WILL FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that said petition will be heard by the Board of County Commissioners in and for said Codington County, South Dakota, at a meeting of said Board to be held on the 3rd day of May, 1955 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, in the Commissioners Chambers of the Court House at Watertown, South Dakota, when and where anyone opposing to granting of the prayer of said petitioners may appear and be heard.

Said petition on file is hereby referred to for further particulars.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 22nd day of March, 1955.

Inna Welch
County Auditor, Codington
County, South Dakota

PETITION AND OBJECTION

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA

A petition having been filed in the office of the County Auditor, of Codington County, South Dakota for the vacation and abandonment of a certain section line highway for a distance of one mile between Sections Twenty (20) and Twenty One (21) Township One Hundred Eighteen (118) in Range Fifty Five (55), Codington County, South Dakota, and said County Auditor having given notice of a hearing thereon May 3rd., 1955 at ten (10) o'clock A.M. before your board when and where objections thereto may be made and heard:

Come now the undersigned residents of the State of South Dakota and all persons who are interested in the maintenance of said highway as a section line highway, and persons who are interested in game and waterfowling and do hereby object to and protest the vacation and abandonment of said highway for the following and other reasons:

That said section line highway is a part of the highway systems provided for by law; that regard should be had for the future use of said highway as well as present considerations; that a natural body of water bisects said section line; that same is a habitat for waterfowl for nesting and other nature uses; that in the adjacent area are state game preserves; that said slough is in the direct line of flight between Warner Lake and other lakes and water in said area; that along said highway and said slough very desirable shooting area

exists and that same is largely used by sportsmen for such purpose; that the abandonment of said section line highway would deprive the residents of the state of access to said shooting and hunting area, and that a substantial public right would be affected.

Wherefore the undersigned interested persons pray that said petition and application be denied.

A delegation from the Sportsman Club, namely Jack Kinsley spokesman, Jack Olson, and A.J. Brochoff appeared and protested the closing of the section line, and presented the foregoing petition, properly signed by the prescribed number of signers, and was read by the County Auditor.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Skinner to file the petition as read, in the County Auditors Office.

On a motion by Fromke and seconded by Skinner to reject the petition asking for the vacating of said section line. On roll call, all voted "yea" and none voted "nay". Motion carried.

A salesman from Marquardts Service, appeared before the Board in regard to a lawn mower for Memorial Park. After some discussion, it was moved by Hogstad and seconded by Keenan to purchase the mower.

Howard Wess came before the Board to see what could be done, about persons trespassing on a certain section line. No action was taken.

On a motion by Fromke and seconded by Skinner, a refund was granted to Helmer Jacobson for $1.00 school poll, having been assessed, and was a veteran.

A dance hall license for Lakeside Pavilion to Jerry Eggen for May 3rd was granted, on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

On a motion duly made, the Board adjourned until Friday at 10:00, May 6.

Inna Belch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
May 6, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened at 10:00 A.M. with Commissioners Skinner, Hogstad, Belk present, Keenan being excused. Fromke later appeared and took his place on the Board. Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims: GENERAL-Court Expense-Orrin Korth $29.80;

At eleven o'clock, Petition #14 was read by the Auditor. A delegation from Waverly Township, namely Paul Stricherz, William Meyer, Lawrence Lantgen and Jim Ahlers represented the Petition. On a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad, the petition was rejected, all voting "yea" and none "nay". Motion carried.

At two o'clock in the afternoon, petition #16 was read by the Auditor. A delegation of Waverly Township citizens appeared for the petition; Henry Forman, Don Waege, T.A. Zemlicka, Ray Evyen, Alvin Hedman, Charles Phelps, Walter Lundberg, Frank Ruhr, Ben DeBeest, Clayton Lindgren, Lloyd Evyen, Donald Misner, and Alfred Klaven. A motion by Fromke and seconded by Hogstad to reject the petition. All voted "yea" and none "nay". Motion carried.

At 4 o'clock petition #19 was read. Levi Redlin from Kampeska Township appeared for the petition. Moved by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner to reject this petition, all voted "yea" and none "nay". Motion carried.

All of the above petitions were rejected for the same reason, having only agreed to give one rod of rightaway, whereby Resolution #240 of March 22, 1955 states that the County must have two rods of rightaway; one rod on each side of the highway, to comply with the State and County highway commissions, which will build and maintain a better road.

On a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Fromke, the Board adjourned until May 10, at 10:00 A.M.

Inna Belch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
May 10, 1955

The Board convened at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Belk presiding.

Verified claims were approved as follows: GENERAL-Poor-Annette Burgdorf $55.00-for Dora Corwin; Burgdorf Nursing Home $95.00-for N.T. Nelson $55.00, Henry Spilde $40.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Helseth Rest Home $75.00-for Ben Bergerson $45.00, L. Mourere $30.00; Nora A. Kinstad $226.00-for Carl Berge $30.00, Earl Crocker $60.00, Rupert Gatchall $35.00, Ola Hanson $26.00, James Chambers $25.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Wm. Gautsch $15.00; Anna M. Larson $55.00-for Mary Myers $55.00; Mrs. Elizabeth Marsh $10.00-for Matt Kemp; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. G. Stoltenburg $15.00-for Mrs. Louisa Richter; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $40.00-for Lorence Albrecht; Mrs. Grace Wilson

$70.00-for Edith Kinsey $30.00, Ella Flanigan $40.00; Svendsen Rest Home $170.00-for Peter DeMuynck $35.00, Rosa Dixon $30.00, Sarah Ann Black $30.00, Rex Richmond $75.00; Augusta Bunde $75.00-for Hilda Ebens; Mrs. August Anderson $38.39-for Mary Vermillion; Bacon Rexall Drug $9.90-for Wilhelmina Lentz; Bartron Hospital $1832.85-for Chas. Bierscheid $49.00, William Boll $30.50, Frank Barthel Sr., $37.50, Earl Crocker $12.00, Rex Richmond $43.00, Jerry O'Brian $119.35, Dora Corwin $60.95, Anna Christianson $53.50, Irvin Eisenbise $12.20, Chris Engels $274.50, Albert Johnson $262.80, Emma Jenkins $245.75, Edith Kinsey $63.25, Nels Nielson $98.75, Peter Peterson $65.00, Walter Richard $6.00, Reinhart Luck $4.00, Ed Switzenberg $62.55, Geo. Scholl $31,00, Blair Tessier $254.75, Mary Wilson $41.50, Mary Myers $5.00; Bartron Clinic $596.50-for Lizzie Alt $2.00, Chas. Bierscheid $39.00, Wm. Boll $8.00, Frank Barthel Sr. $11.00, Carl Becker $13.00, Ed Breuer $3.00, Earl Crocker $4.00, Rex Richmond $16.00, Art Eastberg $4.00, Jerry O'Brien $37.50, Dora Corwin $12.00, Anna Christianson $14.00, Irvin Eisenbise $2.00, Chris Engels $30.00, John Farley $12.00, Rupert Gatchall $15.00, Ola Hanson $4.00, Ed Haack $4.00, John Fjerstad $8.00, Albert Johnson $31.50, Mrs. Emma Jenkins $41.50, Phil Jenkins $2.00, Arlone Johnson $14.00, Mary Lindner $3.00, Matt Kemp $2.00, Edith Kinsey $25.00, Frank Klucas $4.00, Arlene Lohr $3.00, Cathryn McLaughlin $3.00, Mary Myers $2.00, Nels Nielson $40.00, Myrtle Nelson $5.00, Peter Peterson $18.00, Walter Richard $14.00, Pearle Stecker $3.00, Ed Schmeling $4.50, Mrs. Ed Switzenberg $35.00, Geo. Scholl $5.50, Blair Tessier $30.00, Lena Trumer $3.00, Steve Wisneski $3.00, Mary L. Wilson $22.00, Fern Washtoak $10.00, August Warnke $34.00; Cemetery Department $11.00-for Mary Wilson; Dr. F.J. Clark $8.00-for Joseph LeTourneau; Codington Co. Oil $35.75-for Roy Bowdish, $7.55, Henrietta Fritz $14.10, John Fjerstad $14.10; F.P. Creaser & Sons $12.63-for Ed Switzenberg; Duffner Drug $212.55-for R. Gatchall $8.95, Frank Metzinger $6.92, Carl Berge $8.10, Edith Kinsey $.68, Wm. Boll $35.64, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $5.80, Mathilda Blek $6.27, L. Mourere $1.80, Walter Richard $9.90, Inga Yarns $10.53, Mrs. Chas. Montney $12.10, Matt Kemp $2.43, Mr. & Mrs. S.Wisneski $20.02, Mary Myers $3.56, Art Eastberg $4.89, Rex Richmond $20.12, Jerry O'Brien $21.54, Ola Hanson $26.82, Pearl Stecker $6.48; Haggar Drug $183.09-for Mildred Taylor $3.83, Mary Mitchell $6.71, Henrietta Fritz $23.49, Ed. Haack $2.88, Mary Myers $18.90, Hilda Ebens $18.14, Ellen Anderson $12.15, Vivian Miner $1.13, Mrs. Wm. Czeck $3.78, Fern Washtoak $39.56, Josephine Welter $9.09, Edith Kinsey $2.30, Frank & Emma Klucas $13.14, Frances Schmeling $24.39, Nels T. Nielson $3.60; Walter T. Judge $5.00-for Augusta Schonberger; Kreiser Drug $578.46-Frances Schmeling $25.81, Geo. Scholl $49.00, Peter Peterson $22.93, Mrs. John Dobson $1.35, Irvin Eisenbise $17.66, Blair Tessier $172.62, Pearl Stecker $1.13, Rex Richmond $29.25, Dora Corwin $9.31, Reinhard Luck $26.59, Mary Wilson $6.75, Eileen Jenkins $2.73, Robert Baker $.58, James Chambers $13.23, Mrs. Carl Hemiller $4.50, Chris Engels $16.29, Albert Johnson $10.62, Wm. Boll $.85, Olaf Erickson $2.88, Cathryn McLaughlin $4.86, Nels C. Nielson $8.77, Lena Radtke $7.69, Peter DeMuynck $14.27, Carl Becker $23.53, Earl Crocker $30.86, Mrs. Anna Christianson $14.72, Ella Flanagan $3.51, Ben Bergerson $4.05, Louise Teigen $18.00, Ludwig Johnson $1.71, Rosa Dixon $2.70, Mrs. Brad Barkley $3.96, Augusta Schonberger $.72, Emma Jenkins $1.08, Joe Lindner $7.92, Myrtle Nelson $.68, Arlone Johnson $5.40, Mrs. Lizzie Alt $9.95; Lien's Grocery $5.00-for Wm. Barto; C.E. McGowan Lbr. Co. $21.00-for Loren Wohlwend; McKennan Hospital $6.50-for Mary Vermillion; E. Clark Prey $1.50-for Peter DeMuynck; Shaw-Messer Chapel $3.00-Dora Corwin; O.P. Skaggs $104.38-for Jud Turner $15.00, Roy Bowdish $25.00, Chas. Carter $25.00, John Fjerstad $29.38, Anna Kretzschmar $10.00; Spies Super Valu $75.00-for Blair Tessier $30.00, Florence Kennedy $30.00, Arthur Larson $15.00; Standard Oil $28.20-for Phoebe Mowery $14.10, Will Norman $7.05, Wm. Barto $7.05; St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $110.75-for John Welter; Thomes Drug $192.89-for Nels Nielson $7.65, Chris Engels $2.03, Peter Peterson $.63, Robert Baker $5.04, Dianne Ward $1.67, Frances Schmeling $.85, Dora Corwin $1.85, Chas. Bierscheid $5.85, Blair Tessier $31.55, Rollin Vance $3.01, James Chambers $3.47, Emma Jenkins $13.45, Alfred Vick $55.44, Louisa Richter $2.16, Anna Kennedy $3.45, John Farley $13.94, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $15.52, Lena Trumer $4.27, Richard DePeel $2.16, Anna Parsley $6.35, Harry Freeseman $7.69, Margaret Papke $4.86; Dr. M.C. Thompson $75.00-for Emma Lehman Dralle $6.00, Clarence I. Morrison $24.50, Louisa Richter $2.00, Minnie Johnson $34.50, Marion Kraft $8.00; Dr. Titze $15.00-for Gertrude Shepherd; Mathiesen Gergen & Rhodes $170.50-for Augusta Schonberger $17.50, Mary L. Wilson $153.00; County Farm-Duffner Drug Store $1.40; Lien's Grocery $35.04; O.P. Skaggs Store $28.90, Spies Super Valu $5.94; Watertown Community Oil Co. $4.35; Watertown Co-operative Elevator Co. $82.65; South Dakota Livestock Sales Co. $19.50; R.E. Hubbard Co. $13.42; Marshall-Wells Store $3.20; William Putnam $10.65; Park Grant Co. $33.02; City Treasurer $30.15; Court House Maintenance-William Putnam $.70; Park Grant Co. $51.80; Butterbrodt Drug Store $7.92; Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $.50; Egge Electric Co. $28.20; Hillyard Sales Co. $61.58; Inman Plumbing & Heating $4.60, Jo's Laundry $10.40; Luxor Lighting Products, Inc. $95.53; Nelson Hardware $47.09; Otis Elevator Co. $21.00; Pitney-Bowes, Inc. $31.96; City Treasurer $521.94; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $25.20; L.O.H. Co. $10.95; Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $323.14; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $82.05; Oscar J. Fromke $54.90; Adolph Hogstad $67.08; James L. Keenan $39.10; Herb Skinner $74.14; Court Expense-Margaret Crichton $5.10; Ruhe Stationery $11.23; Memorial Park- William Putnam $1.80; Park Grant Co. $5.45; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $1.35; L.O.H. Co. $18.05; American Legion Auxiliary $8.00, Northwestern Public Service Co. $7.32; Mahowald Co. $11.81; Tax Collector-James Nelson $173.38; Superintendent of Schools Office Expense-Muriel Fisher $14.40; Carlson's $3.85; Veterans Service Office-Dorothy O. Thomas $11.25; Carlsons $.88; Insane-Lloyd Shenk $81.63; Tax Deed-Lloyd Shenk $30.26; Fees-Lloyd Shenk $86.97; Mileage-Lloyd Shenk $358.10; Board of Prisoners-Lloyd Shenk $183.20; Auditor's Office Expense-LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $5.00; Carlson's $20.73; F.C. Grow Sons $23.50; Ruhe Stationery Co. $6.94; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Carlson's $2.70; F.C. Grow Sons $17.00; Remington Rand, Inc. $33.90; News Printing Co. $4.22; Ruhe Stationery $1.50; Welfare Office Expense-Carlson's $8.72; Frankel-Carbon & Ribbon Co. $22.00; Ruhe Stationery Co. $5.00; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-F.C. Grow Sons $24.00; Brown & Saenger $4.82; Treasurer's Office Expense-Photo News $30.00; States Attorney Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $27.50; County Extension-Ruhe Stationery $4.65; Clara W. Johnson $28.25; Printing & Advertising-South Shore Gazette $139.78; Watertown Public Opinion $179.71; Henry Independent $203.10; Election Expense-Otto Korth $3.20; Superintendent of Schools Mileage-Josephine Muriel Hoover $103.47; Insurance & Bonds-Haan's Insurance Agency $36.16; Insanity Board-H.T. Kenney, M.D. $15.00; ROAD-R.E. Hubbard Co. $203.35; William Putnam $236.29; City Treasurer $23.37; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $64.15; Mahowald Co. $45.90; News Printing Co. $30.46; Algard Machine Shop $3.50; Automotive Supply Co. $2.46; Cave Supply Co. $338.10; Empire Equipment Co. $164.23; Foster Bell Co. $13.39; Ernest A. Goodroad $25.00; International Harvester Co. $25.51; Johnson Farm Equ9pment Co. $18.00; Kenneth Hayes Magneto & Electric $38.73; Keuffel & Esser Co. $2.32; K & Z Service $3.15; Marquardt's Service $109.78; Northwestern Public Service $4.96; Railway Express Agency $2.41; C. S. Rasmusson $11.20;

Harold Scriver $2.24; Stan Houston Equipment Co. $37.63; Watertown Machine Works $157.83; Watertown Milling Co. $9.30; Western Transportation $2.68; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Foster Bell Co. $3205.00; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $917.65; CH&BR-Chas. H. Krogman $28.00; South Dakota State Highway Commission $74.40; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-J.D. Evans Equipment Co. $14950.11; CMV-Loren B. Stein Agency $685.36; P.O. Brekke Agency $39.83; J.D. Evans Equipment Co. $14000.00; TEXTBOOK-Educator Supply Co. $7.95; TUITION-South Dakota State College $153.00; INSTITUTE-Halbkat Jewelers $1.00; J. Howard Kramer $31,00;

REPORT OF SALE

TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA:

Irma Welch, the County Auditor of Codington County, South Dakota, makes the following return of the proceedings had pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners to offer for sale the within described real estate acquired by the county by tax proceedings, and reports as follows, to-wit:

That the real property directed to be offered for sale by the Board of County Commissioners was first classified as class one land and was appraised by the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, at the sum of $1155.00.

That in pursuance of the direction of the Board of County Commissioners that the within described real estate acquired by tax proceeding be offered for sale, he caused notice of sale thereof to be published in the legal newspapers of the County of Codington, once each week for a period of 2 successive weeks before the date of sale specified therein, which notice contained a description of the real property to be sold and the time, place, and terms of sale, all of which appears by such notice and affidavit of publication filed herein.

That said County Auditor, pursuant to the direction of the Board of County Commissioners and notice duly given, offered for sale and on the 19th day of April, 1955, sold, subject to the confirmation of the Board of County Commissioners, the following described real estate to City of Watertown, Clara M. Putnam, L.G. Evans, Albert & Mary Menkveld, Lester Grady, they being the highest and best bidders, for the sum of $1155.00, said sum being the highest and best sum bid and not being less than the amount of the appraisement, upon the following terms, to-wit: cash at the time of sale in the amount of $1155.00 deposited with the County Treasurer,

The real estate so sold is described as follows, to-wit:
Lots nummered 78, 79, 112, 113, 118, 119 and 120 all in Belmont Addition to Watertown, Lots numbered 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 96, 97, 98, and 99 all in Fairfax Addition to Watertown, Lots 1 and 2, Block 3, Horswills Addition, Replat of Blocks 1, 2, and 3.-- $270.00

S½ of Lot 14, Block 7, - East Watertown Addition	$ 25.00 L. G. Evans
Lot 218 in Fairfax Addition to Watertown	$ 35.00 Albert & Mary Menkveld
Lot 37, Block 53 - Way Case Addition to Watertown	$ 25.00 Lester Grady
317' E. from R. of W. on ¼ Line 165' N 503' 4-118-54 (Part of W½ of NW¼ less .40 acres Sec. 4-118-54) in Florence Village	*$800.00 Clara M. Putnam
	$1155.00

Dated this 10th day of May, 1955.

Irma Welch
County Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota.

RESOLUTION #247 APPROVING SALE

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described real property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by Tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that L.G. Evans, Albert & Mary Menkveld, City of Watertown, Clara M. Putnam, & Lester Grady of Watertown, South Dakota, has offered the sum of $1155.00 in cash for the following described real property, to-wit: L

Lots numbered 78, 79, 112, 113, 118, 119 and 120 all in Belmont Addition to Watertown, Lots numbered 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 96, 97, 98, and 99 all in Fairfax Addition to Watertown, Lots numbered 1 and 2, Block 3, Horswills Addition, Replat of Blocks 1, 2, and 3.--- $270.00

S½ of Lot 14, Block 7 - East Watertown Addition	25.00
Lot 218 in Fairfax Addition to Watertown	35.00
Lot 37, Block 53 - Way Case Addition to Watertown	25.00
317' E. from R. of W. on ¼ Line 165' N 503' - 4-118-54 (Part of W½ of NW¼ less .40 acres Sec. 4-118-54) in Florence Village	800.00
	$1155.00

which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited in cash with the County Treasurer;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 10th day of May, 1955, that the sale of said premises to the said Persons above noted be and the same is hereby approved,

and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deed to said purchaser conveying to said purchaser all of the right, title, and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 10th day of May, 1955.

Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Oscar J Fromke
James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners
of Codington County, South
Dakota.

ATTEST:

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Skinner that Chairman Belk be authorized to execute and the County Auditor attest quit claim deeds to the tax property described above.

Mrs. Lucille Kuester appeared before the Board asking for a compromise settlement of interest on personel property tax. Moved by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad to accept $78.89 payment in full. Motion carried.

Art Greippe appeared before the Board to discuss assessments.

Bills for Yankton State Hospital, $1747.67, Redfield $642.50, and Sanator $128.70 were noted by the Board.

Collections for fees in Clerk of Courts Office $245.15 and collections in the Register of Deeds Office, $649.45 were approved.

On a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner, a dance hall license was granted to Jerry Eggen for one night only.

Veterans Service report was noted by the Board.

Animal claims approved as follows: Robert Huppler, Jim Henning, Emery Elmore, Lawrence Kellogg, Mrs. D.L. Nogelmeir, $4.00 each; Harriet Sikkink $6.00;

Mr. & Mrs. Leo Popham appeared before the Board and asked that Lot 2 in Outlot A. of Florence Village be put on the tax list, it having been omitted before, and Road marked on the tax list.

On a motion by Fromke and seconded by Skinner an abatement of $1.00 was allowed Milton Swartz; he having been assessed and is a veteran.

Auditors account with the Treasurer was approved by the Board as follows: total amount of deposits in banks, $785,324.41; total cash, $17,364.25; certificates of deposit $70,000.00; Government bonds, $112,000.00. Total $984,688.66.

On a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan, the abatement of Hazel Fisher be allowed in concurrence with the City of Watertown.

On a motion made and duly seconded, the Board adjourned until Tuesday, May 17, 1955.

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S.D.
May 17, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approwed: GENERAL-Court Expense-Thomas Cordell $15.20; G.C. Henrichs $30.60; Edna Hineline $33.00; Richard D. Johnson $230.45; Court House Maintenance-Walter E. Dobson $18.00; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $52.60; Oscar J. Fromke $49.10; Adolph Hogstad $66.94; James L. Keenan $49.10; Herb Skinner $69.03; TRUST-Ray Bakkedahl $1000.00;

Time having been set by the Board for the hearing of an application for a beer license for the Park Enterprises Inc., Leonard Heckathorne Manager, at 10:00 A.M. in the forenoon May 17, 1955. The Auditor was requested to read the application, anyone having reason for rejection of said license shall now speak up. Ray Halling appeared and protested the issuing of the above application. Mr. Halling stated the race track being seasonal, he thought the persons in business the year around should not be penalized by letting some

outside persons come in and take what is called "gravey" business in the summer time. The Board rejected the license on these grounds. The Auditor asked for a roll call of votes Skinner "yea", Hogstad "yea", Fromke "nay", Keenan "nay", and Belk "nay". This license was for a period from May 29 to July 1, 1955.

On a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad, that the County Treasurer, Paul Krakowski be authorized to invest the $70,000 C.D. that expired today, May 17, 1955.

Dance hall license for the balance of the year ending December 31, 1955 was granted to Jerry Eggen of the Stardust Trio, for the Lakeside Pavillion for the sum of $25.00 on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Keenan.

On a motion by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that a refund be issued to Ray French for $1.00 and Mrs. C.J. Marston for $1.00 both being veterans and were assessed for school poll.

A motion was made by Keenan and seconded by Skinner, whereby a land owner requesting a cattle pass must pay the difference between the actual cost of the cattle pass and the normal drainage structure. No charge made for the installation. Retroactive as of January 1, 1955. Upon roll call all voted "yea" and none voted "nay". Motion carried.

The Board reconsidered the claim of Irene Stockman for care of Loretta Stockman, and agreed to give her $60.00, instead of the proposed $30.00 as was stated in the minutes of March 18, 1955.

A motion was duly made and seconded to adjourn until Tuesday, May 24, 1955 at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
May 24, 1955

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Leonard Heckathorne asked the Board to reconsider the rejected application for a beer license at the Race Track at Lake Kampeska. After some discussion the States Attorney was called. The States Attorney stated that the law was very clear, in stating that once an application had been rejected, that it could not be reconsidered for one year (1).

Bert Klatt appeared before the Board in regard to building a road in Pelican Township connecting Section 31-116-53 and Section 32-116-53. No action was taken.

The Board approved the sale of Lot 13 in Block 7 in Rice Bros. Addition to Watertown, to Clara Putman, and Chairman Belk was authorized to sign a quit claim deed to the above described property on a motion by Fromke and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

Adjourned until May 31, 1955 on a motion duly made and seconded.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S.D.
May 31, 1955

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members of the Board present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved: SALARY-County Auditor-Irma E. Welch $325.00; Pearl Bergan $210.00; Alice Olson $190.00; Kathleen Turbak $180.00; Edna Derenthal $150.00; County Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00; Hazel Schliesmann $210.00; DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00; Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68; Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Margaret Brown $296.68; Beverly Mickelson $205.00; Elizabeth M. Larson $150.00; Superintendent of Schools-J. Muriel Hoover $325.00; Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75; Ross H. Oviatt $150.00; Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veteran's Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-William J. Meyer $250.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Henry Klemsrud $113.00; Memorial Park-Arnold Hogtiezer $100.00; Bessie Hoftiezer $100.00; Sheriff's Fees & Salary-Bert Smith $85.00; Per Diem, Mileage & Salary-Vernon H. Belk $68.65; Oscar J. Fromke $40.60; Adolph Hogstad $43.12; James L. Keenan $40.60; Herb Skinner $37.80; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandtet $200.00; CMV-C.S. Rasmusson $525.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00; Sever Tobiason $205.00; John Rennie $165.17; J.P. Haug $286.00; Joe Stricherz $326.60; Claude VanSickle $296.70; Clarence B. Sumner $423.32; Harold Scriver $269.10; James Hendren $159.86; Ed Gould $23.55; Alfred Spring $147.97; Howard Williams $173.55; Burton Jackson $106.00; Carl Zweig, Jr. $131.24; John Strait $139.98; Leo Clausen $139.84; Fred Brownell $5.40; Otis C. Olson $126.04; Chas. Krogman $7.50; Andrew T. Larson $34.76; Julius Lentz $21.00; Clarence Helle $100.04; Thomas Spiering $49.46; Curtis Underwood $117.04; Floyd M. Pionk $8.80; David E. Shults $60.20; CH&BR-John Rennie $113.85; James Hendren $145.80; Ed Gould $25.00; Alfred Spring $137.50; Howard Williams $142.50; Burton Jackson $212.50; Carl Zweig, Jr. $151.10; John Strait $91.00; Leo Clausen $98.00; Fred Brownell $55.20; Otis C. Olson $95.00; Chas. Krogman $95.30; Andrew T. Larson $23.00; Julius Lentz $20.00; Clarence Helle $116.00; Thomas Spiering $150.00; E. W. Spearbeck $1508; Curtis Underwood $28.00; Floyd M. Pionk $41.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Fuller)-Clarence B. Sumner $20.70; Ed Gould $167.50; Fred Brownell $131.00; Chas. Krogman $117.00; Andrew T. Larson $128.00; Julius Lentz $134.00; Clarence Helle $10.00; E. W. Spearbeck $30.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Lake)-Ed Gould $63.75; Chas. Krogman $27.00; Andrew T. Larson $26.00; Julius Lentz $51.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Kampeska)-John Strait $15.00; Leo Clausen $15.00; Fred Brownell $20.00; Otis C. Olson $15.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $11.25; Julius Lentz $9.00; GENERAL-Memorial Park-Ed Gould $3.75; Julius Lentz $3.00;

Wm. A. Hackett appeared before the Board in regard to an abatement of personal property tax of Donald Ehlert. No action was taken.

Jim Nelson appeared before the Board to discuss tax problems.

Joyce Parnell, welfare worker, came before the Board to discuss some dental work to be done for Mary and Joan Vermillion. She was instructed to get an estimate of the work to be done.

A petition was presented to the Board, by the Sportsman's Club to open a road way to Inspiration Point at Lake Kampeska. The Auditor was instructed to fill said petition in the Auditors Office. No action taken, it being the opinion of the Board, the petition should be presented to the Township Board.

A petition was presented to the Board, with the proper number of signers, to change the boundries of School Districts No. 47 and No. 65. The auditor was instructed to mail a copy of the petition to the School Board Clerk and notify the other members and set a date for the hearing. The above petition is on file in the Auditors Office; the date of the hearing having been set for 11 o'clock in the forenoon of June 17, 1955 in the commissioners chambers in the Court House at Watertown, South Dakota.

A group of doctors, namely Dr. Larsen, Dr. Clark, Dr. Fedt, Dr. G. Robert Bartron, Orville Quinn, Harry Christian, and Dr. Stransky, the spokesman, appeared to discuss care of County patients. Several suggestions were offered by the spokesman. No action was taken.

Dance hall license for the C.O.F. Hall at Kranzburg was granted on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Skinner.

Mrs. Charles Tesch came before the Board in regard to boundry lines of school districts No. 11 and No. 12. No action was taken.

Hazel Murphy, new County Superintendent asked permission to attend the County Superintendent's convention at Sioux Falls, beginning June 6, On a motion by Fromke and seconded by Hogstad, she was authorized to do so with expenses paid as prescribed by law.

Board adjourned until Tuesday June 7, at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Belch
County Auditor

Watertown, S.D.
June 7, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Hogstad, Fromke, Belk present, and Skinner absent, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims approved: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $130.00;

At 10:00 o'clock, the time and place set for hearing of the applications, for beer licenses, outside municipalities , the auditor was instructed to read the list of applicatants.

On a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad that all beer applications be approved except the application for Lloyd (Lyle) Murphy Speedway Park, the reason being that once an application has been rejected, the law so states that the application cannot be considered for one (1) year. On roll call, Skinner absent, Belk aye, Hogstad aye, Fromke aye, and Keenan aye. None voted nay, motion carried.

The application for Hugh Kelly was withdrawn, because of the death of the applicant, Hugh Kelly.

A delegation from Lake Township appeared before the Board and asked the Board to consider maintaining, and the possibility of oiling old 212, due to the amount of travel on this graveled road to all the new activities, at the lake. The dust being a menace and also a hazard to those persons living right on the highway. The Board advised them they would work out some solution after they had time to inspect the road. The delegation appearing were; Chris Berg, Vern Jacobson, Clinton Spurrell, Maynard Madsen, Ernest Madsen, Jay Gasper, Tom Minor, Ruffus Spurrell, G.E. Williams, Walter Spurrell, Ross Seiverts, Stanley Spurrell, Melvin Spurrell, and Herman Mikkelson.

Herb Skinner appeared and took his place on the Board.

Mrs. Francis Schmeling appeared before the Board in regard to a release, the county had on the proceeds of the sale of her household goods.

At two (2) o'clock the petition for the transfer of the liquor license of John Haan to Thomas Spartz was approved on a motion made by Keenan and seconded by Skinner. Motion carried. On roll call all voted "aye" and none "nay".

Joseph Murray appeared and withdrew the application for transfer of the liquor license to Hugh Kelly, due to the death of the applicant.

The bills for Yankton, $1715.00, Redfield, $675.00 and Sanator $132.99 were noted by the Board.

Veteran's Service report for May was approved by the Board.

George Burke was called by the Commissioners to discuss some Veteran problems. He was instructed to make a check and report on some veterans that are now being cared for in the hospital at Watertown.

Moved by Skinner and seconded by Fromke to abate the interest $32.01 and accept $127.51 as full payment on the Personal Property tax of Virgil and Bessie Smith. Motion carried.

Moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan to abate the interest $8.88 and accept $40.48 as full payment on the Personal Property tax of Donald and Gloria Elhert. Motion carried.

Moved by Fromke and seconded by Hogstad to abate the Personal Property tax of Mrs. Mary Kirkeby, including the interest, total $5.17, she and Mrs. Hilma Synnerholm having been assessed for the same furniture, in the same location.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad to abate the Personal Property tax of Sophia York in Henry Village, having been assessed and did not live in Henry the year of 1954. Motion carried upon the recommendation of Ella Koppmann, the assessor.

On a motion by Fromke and seconded by Skinner, the Auditor was authorized to sign a service contract with IBM Co. to service the IBM typewriter in the office of the County Auditor.

Animal bounties were approved as follows: Joe Becking, Ole Dahl, Jim Henning, Edward Klucas, Walter Geiger, Earl Wishard, Leonard Mack, Ingwald Johnson, Robert Adams, Mrs. Orrin Gunderson, Melvin Grovenberg, Harry Voelsch, Frank Gerberding, John Fischer, Havery Kumm, Elmer Zaug, Wm. DeBerg, Ralph Raml, Francis Leonards, Vincent Leemhuis, Edward Andree, Willis Moyer, $4.00 each; Laura Becking, Jack Henning, Harvey Kumm, $8.00 each; Mark Coplan $7.50; L. Lindberg, L.P. Sheperd, Ralph Raml, $12.00 each; Wm. Roe $21.00; Edward Andree $10.00; Edward Andree $2.00; Lloyd Kittleson $11.50; John Mors $14.00; Donald Rauch $7.50; Laura Becking $8.00; Raymond Morrison, Allen Greippe $6.00 each; George Groves $10.00; On a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

A motion was made by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad that we continue on the Government Surplus Commodity Program for the year of 1955 and 1956. Motion carried.

A motion was duly made and seconded that the Board adjourn until Tuesday, June 14, 1955 at 10:00 A.M.

Watertown, S.D.
June 14, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with Keenan, Hogstad, Fromke, Belk present, Skinner absent.

Verified claims checked and approved: GENERAL-Poor-Mrs. August Bunde $110.00-for Hilda Ebens; Burgdorf Nursing Home $165.00-for Louis Schulner $70.00; Henry Spilde $40.00, N.T. Nelson $55.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Helseth Rest Home $75.00-for Louis Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00; Kinstad Rest Home $226.00-for Ruben Gatchell $35.00; Carl Berge $30.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ola Hanson $26.00, James Chambers $25.00, Earl Crocker $75.00; Elizabeth Marsh $10.00-for Matt Kemp; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. G. Stoltenburg $15.00-for Louisa Richter; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $55.64-for Lorence Albrecht $40.00, August Warnke $15.64; Svendsen Nursing Home $197.70-for Rosa Dixon $30.00, Sarah Ann Black $30.00, Rex Richmond $90.00, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $35.00, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $12.70; Mrs. Grace Wilson $70.00-for Edith Kinsey $30.00, Ella Flanigan $40.00; Mrs. August Anderson $31.45-for Mary Vermillion; Bacon Rexall Drug Store $8.80-for Mrs. Wm. Lentz; Bartron Hospital $2373.65-for Robert Baker $66.50, Chas. Bierscheid $91.00, Morris Christracht $204.95, Mrs. John Dobson $87.00, Chris Engels $257.50, Dianne Ward $29.00, Albert Johnson $269.35, Emma Jenkins $178.20, Gloria Kemp $106.85, James & Alma Mack $67.25, Ruth Martell $89.60, Niels C. Nielson $35.00, Jerry O'Brien $229.25, Lester Pomeroy $202.50, Martin Rasmussen, Jr. $124.60, Louis Schulner $72.00, Blair Tessier $263.10; Bartron Clinic $935.25-for Ellsworth Spearbeck $3.00, Henry Anderson $5.00, Robert Baker $22.00, Chas. Bierscheid $39.00, Mrs. Henry C. Becker $4.00, Anna Christianson $3.00, Mrs. Wm. Czeck $8.00, Wood Carter $36.00, Morris Christracht $75.00, Mrs. John Dobson $28.00, Art Eastberg $2.00, Chris Engels $30.00, John Farley $16.00, Wm. Glendenning $6.00, Ole Hanson $10.00, Robert Johnson, Jr. $4.00, Dianne Ward $12.00, Albert Johnson $30.00, Emma Jenkins $30.00, Richard Kemp $75.00, Mrs. Frank Klucas $2.00, Darrell & Howard Mack $8.75, Louis Mourere $2.00, Frank Metzinger $4.00, Mrs. James Mack $40.50, Ruth Martell $75.00, Nels C. Nielson $12.00, Jerry O'Brien $30.00, Lester Pomeray $94.00, Celia Painter $2.00, Martin L. Rasmussen Jr. $85.00, Walter Richard $3.00, Louis Schulner $20.00, Blair Tessier $30.00, Vernon Thompson $7.50, Jean Spearbeck $2.00, Mrs. Blair Tessier $2.00, Alfred Vick $24.00, Ferne Washtoak $11.00, Andrew Westrum $2.00, August Warnke $37.50, Mrs. S. Wisneski $3.00; Connie Bergh $25.00-for Morris Christracht; L.L. Blake $7.80; Duffner Drug $204.16-for Ellsworth Spearbeck $2.16, Mrs. Chas. Montney $12.10, Ola Hanson $11.43, Inga Yarns $13.54, Walter Richard $3.60, Wm. Boll $18.36, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Wisneski $20.92, Louis Mourere $6.75, Frank Metzinger $19.26, Mathilda Blek $10.28, Rex Richmond $38.56, Mrs. P.DeMuynck $6.48, Carl Berge $9.90, Emma Jenkins $9.62, Emile Sanstad $6.75, Wm. Gautsch $8.10, August Warnke $6.35; Haggar Drug $216.27-for Francis Schmeling $32.74, Mrs. Carl Fritz $37.13, Vernon Thompson $4.19, Lester Pomeroy $2.70, Mrs. Henry Lippelt $5.40, N.T. Nelson $1.80, Mrs. Henry Anderson $1.67, Frank & Emma Klucas $12.60, Mildred Taylor $14.40, Ferne Washtoak $35.96, Edith Kinsey $2.66, Seymore Peterson $5.79, Wm. Czeck & Anna $11.43, Hilda Ebens $22.64, Mary Mitchell $1.71, Ellen Anderson $17.10, Josephine Welter $6.35; Hollywood Grocery $10.01-for Edith Bundy; The Inn $2.02-for Thomas Benson; K.D. Inc. $56.92; Kreisers $316.94-for Mrs. Anna Christianson $17.46, Chris Engels $2.88, Albert Johnson $19.53, Emma Jenkins $2.16, Rex Richmond $8.01, Rosa Dixon $5.40, Robert Johnson Jr. $10.80, Mrs. John Dobson $6.30, Mrs. Carl Becker $23.40, Brad Barkley $7.92, Blair Tessier $42.93, James Chambers $24.84, Earl Crocker $44.05, Mrs. Wm. Glendenning $4.50, Nellie Jensen $2.39, Cathryn McLaughlin $4.95, Joyce Christensen $10.57, Ben Bergerson $4.05, Chas. Bierscheid $6.30, Nels C. Nielson $10.39, Ella Flanagan $2.75, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $13.05, Lena Radtke $19.93, Mrs. Louise Teigen $16.34, Mrs. James Mack $1.85, Lester Pomeroy $4.19; F.C. Kohlmeyer,M.D. $12.00-for Billy Vermillion; Liens Grocery $13.37-for Wm. & Cora Barto $5.00, Kermit Fjerstad $8.37; Garret Miller $25.00-for Louisa Richter; Mpls. General Hospital $35.00-for Lewis G. Brinker; Palace Grocery $5.00-for Victor E. Rosekrans; J.C. Penney Co. $20.00-for Albert Hendricks $6.90, Marlys Madsen $50.62, Aug. Warnke $5.45; Red Owl-South Shore $20.00-for Loren Wohlwend; Red Owl-Watertown $35.85-for Mrs. Cecil Roush $15.00, Bernard Henrichs $20.85; Gerald Ries $25.00-for Mrs. Louise Richter;

O.P. Skaggs Store $72.00-for James & Alma Mack $32.00, Roy Bowdish $15.00, John Fjerstad $15.00, May Turner $10.00; Dr. Chas. C. Smith $20.00-for Mrs. Myrtle Nelson; Spies Super Valu $130.00-for Blair Tessier $15.00, Arthur Larson $30.00, Martin L. Rasmussen $85.00; St. Bernards Prov. Hospital $115.20-for John Welter; Standard Oil Co. $10.58-for Phoebe Mowery $7.05, Wm. & Cora Barto $3.53; Glee Tarbell $60.00-for Lydia Fjerstad; Thomes Drug $208.30-for Dorothy Flathers $2.16, Robert Baker $6.71, Nels C. Nielson $9.36, Chris Engels $2.02, James Chambers $3.06, Mrs. Andrew From $.54, Blair Tessier $36.45, Emma Jenkins $4.14, James Mack $1.62, Jerry O'Brien $12.65, Morris Christracht $12.46, Louisa Richter $13.86, Richard DePeel $1.08, Lena Trumer $2.25, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $11.83, Harry Freeseman $6.16, Margaret Papka $15.39, Anna C. Kennedy $1.79, Chas. Bierscheid $9.86, Alfred Vick $28.62, Rollin Vance $3.42, Lorance Albrecht $5.40, John Farley $6.03, Anna Parsley $4.51, Thos. Benson $.45, Lester Pomeroy $6.48; Dr. M.C. Thompson $93.00-for Lorance Albrecht $26.00, Emma Lehman Dralle $12.00, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $17.00, Marion Kraft $8.00, Clarence Morrison $24.00, Louisa Richter $6.00; Vandermark Clinic $51.00-for Mary Vermillion; Wilson Truck System $68.11; St. Bernards Prov. Hospital $113.00-for Mary Myers; Memorial Hospital $312.45-for August Warnke; County Farm-Haggar Drug Store $15.53; K.D. Inc. $24.41; Liens Grocery $29.03; J.C. Penney Co. $7.12; Spies Super Valu $21.14; Jensen's Radio Service $7.10; Marshall-Wells Store $30.30; Olson Applicance Co. $5.80; Park Grant Co. $27.74; Thompson Yards $23.25; Watertown Co-op. Elevator Co. $106.16; City Treasurer $21.60; Dandar Electric Motor Repair $34.95; Court Expense-Thomas Mani $25.00; Cecilia M. Beirne $130.64; Hazel Hegarty $130.00; Cecilia Beirne $56.61; Mabel C. Alworth $20.00; J. C. Penney Co. $12.37; Ross H. Oviatt $16.07; Gertrude Moriarty $1.00; Clerk of Circuit and County Courts $240.75; Ruhe Stationery Co. $15.72; B. H. Fuller $37.00; Wm. O. Jorgenson $36.00; Al Freesemann $7.00; Marinus Saathoff $16.00; Court House Maintenance-Gene Coplan $120.60; William Putnam $2.64; Pitney-Bowes, Inc. $72.40; Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $262.85; Nelson Hardware $60.45; Ralph S. Miller $722.00; Dwayne Deal $15.00; City Treasurer $312.41; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $2.18; Otis Elevator Co. $21.00; Marquardt's Service & Supply $2.13; Inman Plumbing & Heating Co. $5.70; Ruth Shenk $36.21; Dandar Electric Motor Repair $2.75; Thomes Drug Store $2.95; Memorial Park-William Putnam $3.01; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $62.29; Marquardt's Service & Supply $95.00; Timmerman Woodworking Co. $5.75; J. W. Byrd $63.00; V.F.W. Auxiliary $7.00; Dick's Tractor Parts Co. $9.00; Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $184.59; Hubbard's $30.24; Montgomery Ward & Co. $11.52; Iverson Electric Service $16.79; Marshall-Wells Store $3.64; Arnold Hoftiezer $3.00; Veterans Service Office-Dorothy O. Thomas $49.24; Ruhe Stationery Co. $8.29; Sheriff's Office Expense-Duffner Drug Store $6.50; Wilson Truck System $1.75; Marquardt's Service & Supply $6.02; Tax Collector-Ole James Nelson $199.62; County Extension-Extension Service-State College Station $19.36; Fred Morris $7.03; Clara W. Johnson $10.57; Carlson's $58.00; Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.50; Auditor's Office Expense-Burroughs Corp. $41.17; News Printing Co. $11.38; International Business Machines Corp. $15.08; Carlson's $4.40; Sheriff's Office Expense-Gowin's $5.16; Hazel Schliesmann $45.00; Secretary of State $7.50; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Carlson's $6.25; Remington Rand, Inc. $118.55; Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.94; County Judge Office Expense-Carlson's $5.24; Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.61; LaRue Douglass $34.00; Welfare Office Expense-Carlson's $.52; States Attorney's Office Expense-Dale E. Bradshaw $29.91; Ruhe Stationery Co. $87.00; Superintendent of Schools Office Expense-Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $8.98; Muriel Fisher $30.87; Bailiff Fees-Clerk of Circuit and County Courts $10.00; Coroner Expense-Leslie E. Mathiesen, Coroner $3.78; Fees-Lloyd Shenk $156.60; Board of Prisoners-Lloyd Shenk $232.40; Convention & Research-Lloyd Shenk $49.50; Dale E. Bradshaw $24.00; Insanity Board-Lloyd Shenk $40.00; H.T. Kenney M.D. $15.00; Mileage-Lloyd Shenk $218.70; Superintendent of Schools Mileage-Mrs. Hazel Murphy $45.70; J. Muriel Hoover $34.30; Election Expense-Lawrence Zimmel $2.40; Assessors Supplies-F.C. Grow Sons $3.00; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.60; Printing & Advertising-Watertown Public Opinion $153.98; South Shore Gazette $81.66; Brown & Saenger $8.91; Insurance & Bonds-Heaton Insurance Agency $12.50; First Citizens National Bank $14.19; Board of Health-M.C. Rousseau, M.D. $16.50; H. Russell Brown, M.D. $169.68; Per Diem & Mileage-Herb Skinner $94.36; Vernon H. Belk $52.60; Oscar J. Fromke $71.90; Adolph Hogstad $91.28; James L. Keenan $54.00; ROAD-William Putnam $525.38; City Treasurer $8.05; Marquardt's Service & Supply $79.69; Hubbard's $10.32; Earl Algard $4.25; Cave Supply Co. $211.05; Dakota Welding Supply $42.37; Empire Equipment Co. $610.61; Foster-Bell Co. $7.69; The General Tire & Rubber Co. $104.08; John Hallauer $46.32; International Harvester Co. $92.54; Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $2.75; LaNoue's Radiator Shop $10.50; Franklin B. Lebert $44.52; Mahowald Co. $8.70; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $2.10; Motor Supply Co. $34.08; Northwestern Public Service Co. $4.76; Northwestern Road Supply Co. $28.42; Pecaut Equipment Co. $345.00; Arthur Schwandt $2.00; Harold Scriver $33.70; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $1419.13; Joe W. Stricherz $42.70; Clarence B. Sumner $28.84; Lyle Thorson $53.06; Watertown Machine Works $36.62; Watertown Sheet & Metal Works $16.85; Watertown Tire Co. $308.80; Western Transportation $5.45; Williams Hardware Co. $6.39; Mable V. Wolf $91.32; CH&BR-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $40.83; Kies & Zastrow $628.57; S.D. Concrete Products Co. $969.20; Carl Zweig, Jr. $13.86; S.D. State Highway Commission $2034.58; Thompson Yards $32.16; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $73.89; S.D. Concrete Products Co. $429.92; Thompson Yards $2.08; Watertown Cement Products $55.60; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Fuller)-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $112.24; Northwestern Road Supply Co. $363.72; S.D. Concrete Products Co. $571.46; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Lake)-S.D. Concrete Products Co. $121.28; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Kampeska)-Donald Born $20.54; Franklin B. Lebert $46.38; Helena L. Lebert $44.37; Emil Mischke, Jr. $31.41; WEED BOARD-Joseph Fox $5.68; ROAD-Kenneth Hayes $4.00; INSTITUTE-Agnes L. Henrikson $10.00; Doris Nelson $15.00; Harold Sampson $15.00; Strong's Florist $11.25; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $112.75; James L. Keenan $5.96;

Payments made on County liens for the month of April are as follows: Alvin Satter $80.00, Cyril Beynon $255.64; Eno & Eleanor Tulowetzke $210.86, Dora E. Corwin $55.00, Loren & Erna Wohlwend $100.00;
Payments made on County liens for the month of May are as follows: Clarence V. Nelson $100.00, Mrs. Eric Frese $80.00;
Payments made on County liens for the month of June are as follows: Clarence Morrison $20.00, Mrs. Eric Frese $27.91, Thomas J. Benson $55.00, Bernard J. Murray $30.00;

Vern Olds came before the Board to ask for a compromise settlement of County liens listed against Lot 2, Block 43, 2nd Railway addition in the amount of $57.90. On a motion by Fromke and seconded by Keenan, that the Board accept $30.00 as payment in full. Motion carried.

Francis Wall and Elmer Lindgren came before the Board to ask for culverts for roads between sections 24 and 25 and between sections 3 and 4 in Waverly Township. They were told to get in touch with the County Highway Superintendent. No action taken.

The Treasurers report to the Auditor was read and approved as follows; Total cash on hand in Banks $601,975.02; Government bonds $112,000.00; Government Bonds Jail Fund $2500.00; Certificates of Deposit, $70,000.00, as of May 1, 1955.

The bill for Memorial Hospital was rejected on a motion by Fromke and seconded by Keenan.

The various proposals for the care of County Indigents as submitted to the Board of County Commissioners, have been duly considered, that according to the record in the office of the County Auditor, total expenditures in 1954 for County Welfare during the months of February, March, April, and May totaled $38,916.05; that during the same period in 1955 the total cost was $31,359.65, or a saving of $7,556.40, whereas it is deemed to be for the best interests of Codington County to continue our welfare plan on the same basis for the balance of the year 1955. A motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Keenan and on a roll call by the Auditor all voted yes and none voted no, motion carried.

George Burke appeared before the Board with a report on the Veterans that are receiving county aid in the hospital in Codington County.

A petition to add Highway to the County Highway System known as and beginning at the Northeast corner of Section 8, Township 116, North Range 53, West of the Fifth P.M., thence south approximately one (1) mile to the Lake Pelican shore line.
Date of hearing was set for Friday, July 15 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the Commissioners Chambers in Watertown, South Dakota, on motion by Keenan & seconded by Skinner.

Chas. Mahanke came before the Board for an abatement of his 1954 taxes, $14.92 and $.20 interest, because of a double assessment. It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan to grant this abatement.

The monthly report of the Clerk of Courts for $270.75 and the report of the Register of Deeds for $558.85 was approved on a motion by Fromke and seconded by Hogstad.

Motion was duly made and seconded to adjourn until Friday June 17, at 10:00 A.M.

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S.D.
June 17, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M., with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

The applications for beer license's for Roy Thompson at Grover and Joseph Murray at Waverly, were approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Fromke, motion carried.

The application for a transfer of the beer license, from Les and Jean's Place, located at Lot 2, City-View, Lake Township, to Park Enterprises was approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Fromke, Motion carried.

The hearing for the changing of the boundary lines of School Districts Number 47 and 65 in Germantown Township, was held. Sig Gran, Orrin Gunderson, and the Deputy County Superintendent of Schools appeared in favor of the said petition and on a motion made by Hogstad and duly seconded by Skinnner, the boundary change was granted.

Adjourned until Tuesday, June 21 at 10:00 A.M. on a motion duly made and seconded.

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S.D.
June 21, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

RESOLUTION #249--TRANSFER OF CMV FUNDS

WHEREAS, there has been withheld the sum of $3677.83 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to Kranzburg and Elmira, townships in Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund, to be known as the County Special Highway Fund, and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund.

AND WHEREAS, the sum withheld is greater than is required to complete the necessary work in the said County Highway System in the said Townships,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the sum of $3677.83 be apportioned to the said townships as follows:

Kranzburg	$2396.49
Elmira	$1281.34

The above and foregoing resolution was moved by Commissioner Keenan, seconded by Commissioner Hogstad and upon roll call all Commissioners voted yes,and none voted no, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 21st day of June, 1955.

Board of County Commissioners
of Codington County, South Dakota

Vernon H. Belk
Chairman

Herb Skinner

Adolph Hogstad

Oscar J. Fromke

James L. Keenan

ATTEST:

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Mrs. Leo Stanislaus came before the Board to ask for a compromise settlement for County liens in the amount of $25.10. On a motion by Fromke and seconded by Keenan, it was agreed to accept $15.10 as payment in full, motion carried.

Mrs. George Wess came before the Board to discuss welfare for her husband who is ill.

Mark LaFrance came in to demonstrate a recording machine.

Mr. Svendsen of the Svendsen Rest Home appeared before the Board to discuss the care of Mrs. Hilda Ebens.

Dr. Wiles came before the Board in regard to calling the Poll Line road "Melody Lane". The Board informed him that roads are named by land marks.

Motion was made and duly seconded to adjourn until Tuesday, June 28, 1955, at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D. June 28, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and apppoved: SALARY-County Auditor-Irma E. Welch $325.00; Pearl Bergan $210.00; Alice Olson $190.00; Kathleen Turbak $180.00; Edna Derenthal $150.00; County Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00; Hazel Schliesmann $210.00; DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00; Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68; Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Margaret Brown $296.68; Beverly Mickelson $205.00; Elizabeth M. Larson $150.00; Superintendent of Schools-Hazel G. Murphy $325.00; Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75; Ross H. Oviatt $150.00; Beverly DeVille $125.00; Co. Judge-Herbert Norbeck $285.00; Municipal Judge $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-William J. Meyer $250.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Henry Klemsrud $113.00; Memorial Park-Arnold Hoftiezer $100.00;Bessie Hoftiezer $100.00; Sheriff's Fees & Salary-Bert Smith $85.00; County Judge Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $53.00; Memorial Park-Carl Zweig, Jr. $6.75; Alfred Spring $5.00; Andrew T. Larson $2.00; Clarence Helle $18.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; CMV-C. S. Rasmusson $525.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00; Sever Tobiason $205.00; John Rennie $6.07; J. P. Haug $275.00; Joe Stricherz $331.20; Claude VanSickle $287.50; Harold Scriver $289.80; C. B. Sumner $287.50; James Hendren $4.05; Howard Williams $2.50; Carl Zweig, Jr. $5.77; Alfred Spring $71.25; Ed Gould $43.95; Fred Brownell $53.85; John Strait $59.22; Leo Clausen $65.04; Thomas Spiering $14.56; Julius Lentz $3.20; Andrew T. Larson $58.82; Chas. Krogman $61.30; Clarence Helle $63.24; Otis C. Olson $39.76; David E. Shults $21.46; Floyd M. Pionk $19.32; Curtis Underwood $89.00; Paul E. Palmer $89.00; CH&BR-John Rennie $251.70; James Hendren $297.82; Burton Jackson $281.25; Howard Williams $303.75; Carl Zweig, Jr. $274.05; Alfred Spring $156.25; Ed Gould $101.25; Fred Brownell $69.30; John Strait $143.00; Leo Clausen $145.00; Thomas Spiering $135.00; Julius Lentz $81.00; Andrew T. Larson $62.00; Chas. Krogman $62.00; Clarence Helle $133.00; Otis C. Olson $145.00; David E. Shults $145.00; Floyd M. Pionk $154.90; Floyd Pionk $50.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Pelican)-Alfred Spring $37.50; John Strait $32.00; Leo Clausen $33.00; Thomas Spiering $32.00; Otis C. Olson $27.00; David E. Shults $27.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $138.75; Fred Brownell $70.35; Julius Lentz $134.00; Andrew T. Larson $96.00; Chas. Krogman $98.00; Floyd M. Pionk $23.00;

Mr. Leland Schwinger of Dexter township appeared in regard to moving some telephone polls for the Dexter telephone Co. No action was taken on the bill until it had been signed by the County Highway Superintendent.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan to reject the bill for Miss Muriel Hoover for pay for June 1st through 5th, as according to law, and under the advisement of the State Auditor, there is only one salary for the Superintendent of Schools and it would have to be prorated between the incoming Superintendent and the outgoing Superintendent.

A motion was made by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad to authorize the County Superintendent of Schools to attend the meeting at Pierre, called by the State Superintendent of Public instruction, with expenses paid as prescribed by law.

Mrs. Eva Wolters, welfare worker, came before the Board in regard to the care of Wm. Boll.

A motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Fromke to deny the abatement of personal property tax for Leonard Johnson, because he signed the listing blank in Codington County April 6, 1954, and the listing blank in Roberts County May 21, 1954.

RESOLUTION #250 TRANSFERING FUNDS FROM SALARY FUND TO GENERAL

WHEREAS, acting under Chapter 12.17 of the Session Laws of the State of South Dakota of 1947, and the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County Watertown, South Dakota, have deemed it advisable, and to the best interests of the Residents of said County, to transfer the funds, known as the Salary Fund, to the General Fund,

WHEREAS, the sum of $40,000.00 has accumulated over a period of years, in the said Salary Fund for the purpose of (or designated as) the Salary Fund,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the County Treasurer be, and is hereby instructed to transfer such funds known as the Salary Fund, in the amount of $40,000.00, which has accumulated, and designated as Salary Fund, into the General Fund, there being a deficit in the General Fund and a surplus in the Salary Fund,

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Fromke and seconded by Skinner, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted "yea" and none voted "nay", whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 28th day of June, 1955.

Vernon H Belk
Chairman
-Herb Skinner.
Adolph Hogstad
Oscar J Fromke
James L Keenan

ATTEST:
Inna Welch
County Auditor

A motion was made by Fromke and seconded by Skinner to transfer the amount of $4351.47 from the drivers fund to the general fund as prescribed by law.

On a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad, that the Board accept the agreement between the Great Northern Railway and the County Highway Superintendent for the crossing on the New Suttor Road. Motion carried.

The Board of County Commissioners adjourned until Tuesday, July 5, on a motion duly made and seconded.

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
July 5, 1955

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS
BOARD OF EQUALIZATION
COUNTY BOARD, CODINGTON
COUNTY, WATERTOWN, SO. DAK.

The Board of County Commissioners, County of Codington, convened as a board of Equalization on Tuesday, July 5, 1955 at 2:00 P.M., with all members present, namely, Vernon Belk, James Keenan, Oscar Fromke, Herb Skinner, and Adolph Hogstad, Chairman Belk presiding.

Simon Johnson came before the Board and requested a reduction on two duplexes, located at 108 and 112 4th Ave., N.E., Lot 1, Block 12, N. Watertown, assessment $7930, reduced to $6595.00. A committee was appointed by the Chairman to inspect said property and report to the Board; no action taken.

Arthur Henrickson, Attorney, appeared and requested an appointment for a delegation from Lake Township, which was set for 10:00 A.M., Monday July 11, 1955.

Board of County Commissioners spent the balance of the day, checking monies and credits assessments.

At 4 o'clock the Board adjourned as an equalization board, on motion by Fromke and seconded by Keenan.

July 6, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened, pursuant to adjournment at 11:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Mrs. Emma Wiess, 619 S. Broadway, City, appeared with an appeal, asking that her assessment on Block 8, and Lot 8 in Brocks Addition to Watertown, be reduced from $3125 to $2300; no action taken.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the County Equalization Board adjourned at 12:30 P.M.

At 2:30 P.M., the Board convened as an Equalization Board and heard the case of Henry Forman of Waverly Township, Mr. Forman asking for a reduction on Sec. 3-118-51, NE¼ from $5650 to $5085, SE¼ Sec. 4-118-51, $2070 to $1800, and the E½ of Sec. 10-118-51 from $6400 to $3840; no action taken, agreed to inspect named property.

Checked Township assessors valuations the balance of the day, and at 5 o'clock, adjourned on a motion made by Commissioner Keenan and seconded by Commissioner Skinner.

July 7, 1955

County Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment, with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

D. K. Loucks appeared as Consul for Mrs. Blanche Flint, in regards to 103 acres in the extreme S.W. part of the City Limits, in Watertown, S. D., having been assessed at $3910.00, the land is used for agricultural purposes only, and does not feel that this property will stand this kind of a tax; the Board informed D. K. Loucks that they would inspect the property and inform him of their decision later.

Don Kearns, City Assessor, came before the Board to discuss valuations and assessments.

Assessment records were checked the balance of the day, and at 4:30 o'clock P.M., D. K. Loucks appeared as consul for Dr. G. Robert Bartron, he having been assessed last year at $18,600 with a tax of $1516.27, and this year at $28,775 being a substantial raise over the previous year. This appeal is on the hospital only, not on the Clinic or Nurses home. It would seem that there is no building to compare this structure to; the other two hospitals with in the City are charitable institutions and are not taxable. This property is known as Bartron Hospital and located at 12 2nd Ave., S. E. in Watertown, S. D., East 88.75 foot of Lot 1, Block 19 of First Railway Addition to Watertown. A committee was appointed by the Chairman, namely, Commissioner Keenan, Commissioner Fromke, Commissioner Hogstad and Commissioner Skinner, to inspect the property. No action was taken at this time.

A motion duly made and seconded to adjourn until Friday at 10:30 A.M., July 8, 1955.

July 8, 1955

Convened pursuant to adjournment as a Board of Equalization with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding, at 10:30 A.M. Friday.'

Irving Hinderaker Attorney, appeared with the appeal of Watertown Milling Company, within the said City of Watertown, having been assessed at $32,425.00, personal property and the real estate at $48,220.00, located at Outlot 1 in Sec. 31-117N of 52W, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and lots 5, 6, and 7, in Block 75 of Watertown, S. D. No action taken.

Recess

Chas Arnold, Kampeska Township, Sec. 30-116-54, 149.80 acres, assessed at $3600,asked that his real estate be lowered to $3000. Mr. Arnold being an absentee landlord, the Board agreed to grant the appeal on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad, motion carried.

A delegation from Henry Township and the Board of the said township came in to discuss some problems in Henry Township; Mr. Thorsen, Chairman of the Board, felt that the Board was not functioning properly, and after some discussion with the Board of Equalization, they were informed that the big part of equalization must begin in their own townships. They were satisfied that next year they could do a better job. The assessor informed the Board that she tried hard to assess the personal property at a 35% figure, and that perhaps the land was closer to 50%. The delegation consisted of Erwin Sasse, Idella Muller, Albin Johnson, Arthur Paulson, Earl Paulson, Harold Paulson, E. E. Paulson, Peter Berkmo, Elwin Kittleson, Frank Coplan, Dan Curley and E. Valberg.

The Township Board of Richland, and the assessor, Leonard Murphy, requested that the Board of Equalization lower Richland Township 10%, that they felt that their township had been assessed too high in comparison to the townships close around them. They were informed by the Board of Equalization that the Board could not give any township a blanket raise or lower, but must equalize between the townships.

A delegation from Kranzburg Township, and the Kranzburg Township Board, Mr. Hanten Chairman, Henry Jankord, Nick Spartz, and Joseph Clausen and local tax payers, Wilfred Kranz, Tony Hurkes, Peter Stricherz and Theo Stricherz appeared before the Board, stating they had been assessed higher because their property adjoined the State Highway 212.

Tony Hurkes asked that his real estate on Sec. 34-117-54, E½ of W½, 156 A. be reduced from $3800 to $3500 and the structures from $2200 to $1900, and the NE¼ 34-117-54, be reduced from $3900 to $3600 and the structures reduced from $1000 to $700, and others as follows:

Wilfred Kranz, SE¼ of 3-116-51, 160 A. be reduced from $4000 to $3600, and E½ of the SW¼ 3-116-51, 80 A. be reduced from $1800 to $1600,

Peter Stricherz, W½ of 2-116-54, structures reduced from $1500 to $1300,

Theo Stricherz, Lots 1, 2, S½ of NE¼ 3-116-51, 116 A. real estate, from $2870 to $2400.

Leonard Richter, appearing as an absentee landlord, asked that the W½ of W½ 34-117-51, 157.18 A. be reduced from $3900 to $3500 and the structures from $960 to $800.

No action was taken at this time, the Board asked time to consider the appeals and make their decision later.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board of Equalization adjourned until Monday, July 11, 1955 at 10:00 A.M.

July 11, 1955

The County Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M., with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Art Henrickson and Art Hashe Attorneys, appeared as consul for the delegation from Lake Township, appeals were made for Art Tesch, Robert Daily, John Dovenbarger, Harold Hanson, Arthur Greipp, Theo Engels Jr., and Carl Peterson. Lake Township has never been equalized as far as the different kinds of land, the tax payers living in the Sioux Valley have poorer grade of soil than those that live in the western part of the Township, therefore the Sioux Valley land raises little grain and must resort to cattle and forage crops, which means they must also have a capital investment in both cattle, which are taxable and machinery. It seems that the highest priced land in Lake Township according to the assessor has been set at $40 per A and the cheapest land at $20 per A, and then using the assessment figure of 35% does not seem fair to the delegation as base figures. Mr. T.J. Ollila, Soil Conservation Expert was called to make the classification of different soil found in Lake Township.

We have seven types of soil in Codington County, going from what is called #2, #3, #4, #5, #6, #7, and #8, there being no class #1 in Codington County, these different types were explained as follows: #2- deep soil, will hold moisture well, considered good crop land; #3- Deep to medium texture, washes readily, has some sandy patches, in some places top soil is not more than 30 inches deep, must have more rainfall, will not hold moisture, soil limited to agricultural purposes; #4- deep to medium heavy textures soil, bottom land, wet in the spring, need abundant rainfall; #5- same as #4, only too wet to farm, cannot cultivate, must be used for pasture or hay, there are times when this type would be too wet for a hay crop; #6- sloping top soil, too thin, is extremely dry if we do not have even normal rainfall, mostly gravel subsoil, not suitable for crops of any kind; #7- we do have this type in the County, #8- marshes good only for duck hunters and muskrats. Mr. Ollila answered the questions that were asked in regard to the different soils and after some discussion, it was decided to take this matter under advisement and report at a later date; there was a question as to whether some of this delegation were properly certified to the Board, the Attorneys decided to settle that and report to the Board Wednesday morning at 10:00 A.M.

Paul Born appeared before the Board in regard to real estate located on the corner of First Ave., and Second Street, S. E. He asked that his assessment be reduced from $2590 to $1590 on real estate only; no action was taken.

Herb Andree presented an appeal to reduce his assessment from $2600 to $2000, on Lot 8, Block 11 of Original Plat and also, W45', E115' of Lot 1, and Block 15 having only his actual lot being only 45' by 50' as his residence sets on a part of said lot, reduced from $1665 to $945 and the structure from $5710 to $3840; no action was taken at this time.

Recess

Mrs. Bernice Johnson appeared at this time, she had not been properly certified to the Board of Equalization, having made no appearance at the City Board of Equalization.

The appointed committees made their report at this time, on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Keenan, that the appeal of Dr. G. Robert Bartron, in the amount of $3000 be granted on the Hospital only; motion carried and on roll call all "yea" and none "nay".

It was moved by Commissioner Keenan and seconded by Commissioner Skinner to concur with City Equalization Board on the appeal of Simon Johnson. Motion carried and on roll call Belk yea, Keenan yea, Skinner yea, Hogstad yea, and Fromke nay; Four yea's and one nay.

Watertown Milling Company, on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad to concur with the City Equalization Board, and upon roll call all voted yea and none voted nay; motion carried.

Herb Andree also asked that a structure and the real estate, located at 118 1st Ave., S.E., be reduced from $1665 to $945 and structure from $5710 to $3840, and on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad, this appeal was granted, all voted "yea" and none voted "nay". Motion carried.

The appeal of Paul Born on Lot 1, Block 15 for a reduction of $1000 be granted, on a motion by Fromke and seconded by Skinner, all voted "yea" and none "nay"; motion carried.

The real estate of Blanche Flint, for a reduction of $1110 was granted on a motion by Hogstad, and seconded by Keenan, motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded that the Board of Equalization adjourn as a Board of Equalization and convene as an offical board for their regular meeting, Tuesday, July 12, at 10:00 A.M. Motion carried.

July 13, 1955

The County Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:30 A.M., with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Irving Hinderaker appeared as consul for the Murkes Implement Co. in regard to a structure

located at 127 N. Broadway, and asked that the assessment be reduced from $12,590 to $4375.00. Claiming that the replacement value was set too high, Mr. Hurkes appeared in person and gave the Board the price that he paid for the structure and what repairs were added to structure, also what he sold the structure for to the corporation, hoping to establish his figure for assessment purposes. The structure was built in 1903. No action was taken at this time.

Irving Minderaker presented the appeal of Fox Deluxe Foods; at the time of assessment the City assessor did not have figures, that is true figures to make an assessment on, so used the figures that he thought were high enough to cover the assessment. Jim Fox appeared and presented the inventory figures from the records kept by the Company, to the Board. No action was taken, the Board agreed to take the matter under consideration and notify him of their decision later.

Mr. Ole Dahl of Richland Township appeared before the Board and asked that E½ of SW¼ and W¼ of SE¼ Sec. 3-117-54, 152.9 A. be reduced from $1900 to $1500, and lots 5, 6, Sec. 3-117-54, 49.10 A. be reduced from $690 to $450. On a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad, the appeal was granted.

Leonard Richter's real estate was reduced from $3900 to $3800 which was the average per quarter in that locality; on a motion by Fromke and seconded by Skinner, motion carried.

Wilfred Kranz's real estate, SE¼ 3-116-51, reduced from $4000 to $3600, but left the E¼ SW¼ of 3-116-51 as assessed, on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Keenan.

Peter Stricherz's structures on Lots 3, 4, S½ NW¼ and SW¼, reduced from $1500 to $1350, on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Skinner; motion carried.

Theo Stricherz's real estate, reduced from $2890 to $2500, on Lots 1, Less the N183' E183' Lot 2, less Rd. and S½ NE¼ Sec. 3-116-51, 116.32 A. On a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad, motion carried.

In view of the fact that the city assessor was compelled to use arbitrary figures at the time of assessment, the Commissioners now having that true valuation, it was agreed on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Fromke to reduce the inventory valuation from $28,000 to $12,600 on the Fox DeLuxe Foods Company. Motion carried.

The Hurkes Implement Co. appeal denied on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

The Board of Equalization adjourned on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad, until Friday, July 15, 1955 at 11:00 A.M.

July 15, 1955

Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment, at 11:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

J.N. Zellmer presented the Board with a written appeal and also appeared in person, stating the base figure on his property was set too high, saying that on June 20, 1955 he purchased said property at the cost of $20,400, including some personal property, the structure was assessed at $6,965.00 and he was not asking for any reduction on the real estate.

This property is located at 20-6 Ave., N.W., on O.L. "A" of O'Tooles OL in Block 33, Syndicate Addition to the City of Watertown, S. D. Chairman Belk appointed a committee to inspect the property at 11:30 A.M.

Recess

The appointed committee reported at 2:00 P.M. and on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Keenan, it was decided to concur with the City Board of Equalization and deny the appeal, motion carried.

Judge Norbeck came before the Board with an appeal for Dr. O.S. Randall, on a structure located at 506 First Ave., S.E. in the City of Watertown, S. D. Dr. Randall claims that there is gross inequality in the assessed value of this structure, and has been assessed much higher than other property of the same class and that there is a mistake in arriving at the appraised value. A committee was appointed by the Chairman to inspect this property and at 4:30 P.M. the committee came in with their report; on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Keenan it was agreed to reduce the structure from $7850 to $6900, motion carried; all voted "yea" and none voted "nay".

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board of Equalization adjourned until Monday, July 18, 1955 at 10:00 A.M.

July 18, 1955

The Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment, with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Joe Freund, Waverly Township, appeared before the Board in regard to NE¼ of Sec. 23-118-51 after comparing the adjoining real estate and other assessment, he decided to withdraw his appeal.

Chairman Belk vacated the chair of Vice Chairman Fromke; after much discussion, and careful consideration, Belk made a motion to deny the appeals of Art Tesch, Carl Peterson, John Doverbarger, and Arthur Greipp; this motion was seconded by Skinner, all voted "yea" and none voted "nay". Motion carried. The committee did not think that this property in Lake Township had been assessed out of line with the adjoining real estate. Belk resumed the chair as Chairman, and it was moved by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner that the appeal of Henry Forman of Waverly Township be denied. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad that the percentage figures as set by the Board on personal property be adopted and fixed as of July 18, 1955, and on roll call all voted "yea" and none voted "nay". Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board of Equalization adjourned to convene as an offical Board Tuesday July 19, 1955 at 10:00 A.M.

July 19, 1955

Convened as an Equalization Board at 11:30 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Art Mashe appeared in regard to property located at 15 1st Ave., S.E. on Lots 1, 2, Mantens Bond Co. Subdivision of Lots 6, 7, of Original Plat, Block 9, Watertown, S. D. He stated that his base figure was set too high, having an assessment of $7775 and asked that it be reduced to $5950, he presented that figure on which he based his appraisal, on stating the purchase price, the condition of the building, and what he was getting for rent of this structure. No action taken. A committee was appointed by the Chairman.

Board recessed.

At 2 o'clock the committee reported, Commissioner Hogstad having been excused, and on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan, it was agreed to concur with City Equalization Board and deny the appeal of Art Mashe, and on roll call all voted "yea" and none voted "nay". Motion carried.

On a motion by Skinner and seconded by Fromke, it was agreed to adopt the percentages as set by the Board on structures and real estate. Motion carried. The Board spent much time, and took into consideration the types and percentages of all the real estate, and structures in the County. They have prepared graphs of the different types of real estate, and placed values on these percentages, making it easier to equalize real estate in the County.

We have detailed reports of all appeals filed in the Office of the County Auditor, also graphs of the different types of real estate, and percentages that are found of these particular types of real estate in County, together with the valuation figures as set up by the Equalization Board.

Mabel Alworth appeared as an absentee landlord, in regard to real estate in Phipps and Fuller Townships; 160 A. in Fuller, SE$\frac{1}{2}$ of NE$\frac{1}{4}$, Lots 1, 2, Sec.-33-118-54 and Lot 1, Sec. 4-117-54 be redaed from $1530 to $1200, and in Richland Township, Lots 1, 2, 3, less OL of Government Lot 3 - Sec. 4-117-54, and Lot 9 of 4-117-54, be reduced from $800 to $600. No action taken at this time.

On a motion by Fromke and seconded by Skinner the appeal of Mabel Alworth was denied. Motion carried.

Moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that all steel locker boxes be equalized at $1.50, and that all wooden boxes be equalized at $.50 per unit as brought in by the assessor. Motion carried.

Motion made by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that the Board adjourn until Thursday July 21, at 10:00 A.M.

July 21, 1955

County Equalization Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Art Mendrickson represented Ray Matz in regard to the assessments on automobiles, saying that he had been assessed on a form, being obsolete, stating that the time of assessment was August 1st instead of July 1st. He was given time to conform with the law and license automobile, and pay the tax.

JOHN
~~Joe~~ Strohfus, Hazel, S. D. appeared as an absentee landlord and asked that the assessed value be reduced from $1890 to $1500 on NE$\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17-118-55, 160 A. in Phipps Township. It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad to grant the reduction. Motion carried.

A letter ~~form~~ and absentee owner was received, Geigy Chemical Co., asking a reduction on personal property stored in the Dakota Warehouse, from $2370 to $1058; appeal denied on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

Hogstad excused.

Evaluation of assessment rolls as delivered to the County Auditor having been completed, changes were made as follows, to-wit:

REAL ESTATE - 1955

A - ABRICULTURE LAND OUTSIDE OF CORP. LIMITS

Kranzburg	Raised	13%
Sheridan	Lowered	25%
Pelican	Lowered	34%
Kampeska	Lowered	16%
Henry Twp.	Lowered	18%
Elmira	Lowered	25%
Lake	Raised	10%
Richland	Lowered	22%
Graceland	Raised	24%
Waverly	Raised	21%
Rauville	Lowered	24%
Fuller	Raised	21%
Phipps	Raised	37%
Leola	Raised	7%

Germantown	Lowered	18%
Dexter	Lowered	5%
Eden	Raised	17%

A #1 - STRUCTURES ON AGRICULTURE LANDS OUTSIDE CORP. LIMITS

Kranzburg	Raised	22%
Sheridan	Lowered	17%
Pelican	Raised	10%
Kampeska	Raised	41%
Henry Twp.	Raised	53%
Elmira	Raised	32%
Lake	Raised	46%
Richland	Raised	23%
Graceland	Raised	49%
Waverly	Raised	50%
Rauville	Raised	26%
Fuller	Raised	29%
Phipps	Lowered	10%
Leola	Raised	63%
Germantown	Raised	47%
Dexter	Raised	40%
Eden	Raised	24%

A #2 - BUSINESS STRUCTURES ON AGRICULTURE LAND OUTSIDE OF CORP. LIMITS

Elmira	Raised	50%
Lake	Raised	12%

B #1 - RESIDENCE STRUCTURES ON AGRICULTURE LANDS INSIDE CORP. LIMITS

Florence V.	Raised	39%
Henry V.	Raised	27%
South Shore V.	Raised	63%

D #1 - RESIDENCE STRUCTHES ON CITY AND TOWN LOTS

Kampeska	Raised	100%
Lake	Raised	30%
Richland	Raised	20%
Waverly	Raised	40%
Florence V.	Raised	18%
Henry V.	Raised	10%
South Shore V.	Raised	10%

D #2 - BUSINESS STRUCTURES ON CITY AND TOWN LOTS

Kranzburg	Raised	40%

A - STATE PUBLIC SHOOTING AREAS (ACREAGE)

Pelican	Raised	51%
Lake	Raised	248%
Richland	Raised	51%
Graceland	Raised	144%
Fuller	Raised	372%
Phipps	Raised	329%

PERSONAL PROPERTY - 1955

ITEM #1 - HORSES & MULES STALLIONS,JACKS, RIDING HORSES, ETC.

Kranzburg	Raised	32%
Kampeska	Raised	12%
Henry Twp.	Raised	59%
Elmira	Raised	10%
Richland	Raised	17%
Graceland	Raised	67%
Fuller	Raised	88%
Phipps	Raised	100%
Dexter	Lowered	20%
Eden	Raised	100%
South Shore V.	Lowered	20%

ITEM #2 - COWS ALL AGES

Kranzburg	Raised	17%
Pelican	Lowered	32%
Henry Twp.	Raised	14%
Lake	Raised	13%
Richland	Raised	26%
Graceland	Raised	14%
Waverly	Lowered	11%
Rauville	Lowered	20%
Fuller	Raised	20%
Phipps	Raised	10%
Leola	Raised	14%
Florence V.	Lowered	20%
Henry V.	Raised	30%

ITEM #3 - CATTLE 6 MONTHS TO 1½ YEARS OLD.

Pelican	Lowered	34%

	Henry Twp.	Raised	62%
	Elmira	Lowered	20%
	Richland	Raised	40%
	Graceland	Raised	17%
	Rauville	Lowered	20%
	Fuller	Raised	14%
	Phipps	Raised	16%
	Leola	Raised	17%
	Germantown	Lowered	10%
	Florence V.	Lowered	422%

ITEM #4 - CATTLE 6 MONTHS TO 1½ YEARS IN FEED LOTS

	Henry Twp.	Raised	90%
	Lake	Raised	11%
	Richland	Raised	14%
W	Watertown City	Raised	100%

ITEM #5 - CATTLE 1½ YEARS TO 2½ YEARS OLD

	Kranzburg	Raised	39%
	Kampeska	Raised	25%
	Henry Twp.	Raised	72%
	Lake	Raised	40%
	Richland	Raised	58%
	Graceland	Raised	41%
	Fuller	Raised	48%
	Phipps	Raised	47%
	Leola	Raised	41%
	Germantown	Raised	15%
	Dexter	Raised	20%
	Eden	Raised	20%

ITEM #7 - BULLS

	Kranzburg	Raised	57%
	Sheridan	Raised	31%
	Pelican	Lowered	32%
	Kampeska	Raised	53%
	Henry Twp.	Lowered	7%
	Elmira	Lowered	18%
	Lake	Raised	41%
	Richland	Raised	52%
	Graceland	Raised	49%
	Waverly	Lowered	7%
	Rauville	Lowered	36%
	Fuller	Raised	51%
	Phipps	Raised	32%
	Leola	Raised	48%
	Dexter	Lowered	23%
	Eden	Raised	18%
	Florence V.	Lowered	7%
	South Shore V.	Raised	133%

ITEM #8 - SHEEP ALL AGES

	Kranzburg	Raised	18%
	Pelican	Lowered	25%
	Kampeska	Lowered	14%
	Elmira	Lowered	14%
	Lake	Raised	26%
	Richland	Raised	37%
	Graceland	Raised	26%
	Waverly	Lowered	16%
	Rauville	Lowered	25%
	Fuller	Raised	30%
	Leola	Raised	20%
	Germantown	Raised	18%
	Dexter	Lowered	23%
	Eden	Lowered	25%
	Henry V.	Raised	60%
	South Shore V.	Raised	61%
	Watertown City	Lowered	40%

ITEM #9 - HOGS ALL AGES

	Sheridan	Raised	15%
	Pelican	Lowered	13%
	Kampeska	Lowered	10%
	Lake	Raised	14%
	Richland	Raised	23%
	Graceland	Raised	24%
	Waverly	Raised	37%
	Rauville	Lowered	34%
	Fuller	Raised	24%
	Phipps	Raised	57%
	Germantown	Raised	15%
	Eden	Lowered	7%
	Watertown City	Lowered	49%

ITEM #10 - TRACTORS SMALL TYPE

	Kranzburg	Raised	10?%
	Sheridan	Raised	58%
	Pelican	Lowered	44%

Kampeska	Raised	34%
Henry Twp.	Raised	71%
Elmira	Raised	89%
Lake	Raised	207%
Richland	Raised	281%
Graceland	Raised	20%
Waverly	Lowered	15%
Rauville	Lowered	43%
Fuller	Raised	133%
Phipps	Raised	200%
Leola	Raised	47%
Germantown	Raised	3%

ITEM #11 -TRACTORS LARGE TYPE

Kranzburg	Raised	100%
Sheridan	Raised	33%
Pelican	Lowered	54%
Kampeska	Raised	10%
Henry Twp.	Raised	26%
Elmira	Raised	50%
Lake	Raised	39%
Richland	Raised	80%
Waverly	Lowered	19%
Rauville	Lowered	38%
Fuller	Raised	85%
Phipps	Raised	203%
Leola	Raised	38%
Germantown	Raised	5%
Dexter	Lowered	18%
Eden	Lowered	28%

ITEM #12 - COMBINES PULL TYPE

Kranzburg	Raised	62%
Sheridan	Lowered	8%
Pelican	Lowered	61%
Kampeska	Lowered	26%
Henry Twp.	Raised	31%
Elmira	Raised	160%
Lake	Raised	21%
Richland	Raised	44%
Graceland	Raised	51%
Waverly	Lowered	20%
Rauville	Lowered	37%
Fuller	Raised	93%
Phipps	Raised	148%
Leola	Lowered	8%
Germantown	Lowered	23%
Eden	Lowered	32%
Henry V.	Raised	244%

ITEM #13 - COMBINES LARGE TYPE

Kranzburg	Raised	22%
Henry Twp.	Raised	63%
Elmira	Raised	20%
Lake	Raised	46%
Fuller	Raised	61%
Phipps	Raised	38%
Henry V.	Raised	20%

ITEM #13½ - TELEVISION

Kranzburg	Raised	48%
Kampeska	Raised	48%
Henry Twp.	Raised	50%
Lake	Raised	23%
Richland	Raised	53%
Waverly	Raised	18%
Rauville	Raised	24%
Fuller	Raised	22%
Phipps	Raised	77%
Leola	Raised	100%
Germantown	Lowered	26%
Eden	Raised	67%
Wallace V.	Raised	37%

ITEM #15 - ELECTRIC OR MECHANICAL REFRIERATORS, RESIDENCE

Kranzburg	Raised	54%
Pelican	Lowered	37%
Henry Twp.	Raised	27%
Richland	Raised	78%
Rauville	Lowered	11%
Fuller	Raised	74%
Phipps	Raised	96%
Germantown	Lowered	14%
Dexter	Lowered	18%
Eden	Lowered	21%
Florence V.	Lowered	13%

ITEM #18 - POULTRY NO.OF DOZEN

Sheridan	Lowered	21%
Pelican	Lowered	21%

Henry Twp.	Raised	90%
Elmira	Lowered	20%
Lake	Lowered	17%
Richland	Raised	122%
Graceland	Raised	31%
Waverly	Raised	59%
Rauville	Lowered	20%
Fuller	Raised	33%
Phipps	Raised	81%
Leola	Raised	33%
Eden	Lowered	20%
Florence V.	Lowered	20%
Henry V.	Lowered	20%

ITEM #20 - AGR. IMPS. TOOLS, AND MACH. INC. HARNESS, SADDLES, WAGONS, ETC.

Kranzburg	Raised	75%
Sheridan	Lowered	38%
Pelican	Lowered	36%
Kampeska	Raised	72%
Henry Twp.	Raised	20%
Elmira	Lowered	10%
Lake	Raised	32%
Richland	Raised	43%
Rauville	Lowered	30%
Phipps	Raised	37%
Leola	Raised	33%
Florence V.	Lowered	40%
Henry V.	Raised	166%
South Shore V.	Raised	190%
Wallace V.	Raised	313%

ITEM #22 - HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, RUGS PROV. ETC.

Kranzburg	Raised	159%
Sheridan	Lowered	15%
Pelican	Lowered	11%
Kampeska	Raised	77%
Henry Twp.	Raised	110%
Elmira	Raised	24%
Lake	Raised	58%
Richland	Raised	53%
Graceland	Raised	14%
Waverly	Raised	32%
Rauville	Raised	66%
Fuller	Raised	25%
Phipps	Raised	123%
Leola	Raised	51%
Germantown	Raised	27%
Dexter	Raised	37%
Eden	Raised	10%
Florence V.	Raised	17%
Henry V.	Raised	66%
South Shore V.	Raised	27%
Wallace V.	Raised	76%

ITEM #29 - ALL OTHER IMPROVEMENTS ON U.S. OR LEASED LANDS EXCEPT ITEMS 25 and 26

Lake	Raised	20%

The Board of Equalization of Codington County, having completed their work of equalizing within the said County, moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that they be adjourned for the year of 1955. Motion carried.

Anna Welch
County Auditor

July 5, 1955
Watertown, S. D.

OFFICAL & REGULAR BOARD MEETINGS:

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved: GENERAL-Court Expense-Manley Owen $47.50; Hazel Hegarty $134.50;

Loren Wohlwend appeared before the Board to discuss County liens, asking for a compromise settlement, no action taken. He was instructed to get the facts and figures of his Auction Sale together and make a proposal to the Commissioners in the amount of settlement he wished to make.

Bounty claims checked and approved as follows, on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Fromke. John Wiles, Edward Puhlman, Raymond Sturm, Wm. Schuelke, Harvey Kumm, Robert Chilson, A. R. Kant, Richard Becking, each $2.00; Chris Springer, Ray Halling, Dennie VanTassel, George McClung, Wilbert Voelsch, Mrs. Rollo Korth, Herb Welch, John Mors, Lester Arten, Jim Ahlers, B. J. Thyen, Roland Pieper, Stub Jenkins, Freda Peterson, James Rowe, Dean Morris, Sayde Brysen, Weston Edwards, Edward Redlin, Joe Spartz, Paul DeBerg, James Dailey, Charles Phelps, Leo Hanten, Clayton Thorson, Mrs. Dalmer Dale, Douglas Klein, Tom Hallauer, John Dalton, Marlan Redlin, William Ostrander, Lester Rear, Pat Falvey, Ingwald Johnson, August Marotz, Albert Hoverstadt, Kenneth Elmore, L. A. Keszler, David Mack, Leo Klein, Charles Raml, Kenneth C. Kellogg, Edwin Hanson, David Anderson, Elwin Kittelson, LeRoy C. Kannas, Melvin Lantgen, Marvin Czech, Mrs. Lester Schacht, each $4.00; August Zamow, Kenneth Schwinger, Albert Mohr, each $6.00; L. T. Brekke, $32.00; Louis Landuyt $7.50; John M. Fischer $16.00; Mrs. Leo Klein $12.00; Dennis Halling $15.00; David Flemming, David Young, Jim Stewart, Albert Schaack, Christian Bachman, Leon Mack, each $8.00;

July 5, 1955 July 6, 1955

Matt Brandriet's weed report of the month checked and approved.

George Burke, Veteran's Service Officer's report for June noted by the Board.

Chairman Belk asked the County Auditor to notify the Henry Township Board and the Assessor to appear Friday at 2 o'clock in the afternoon to discuss valuations and assessments.

The June bills for Yankton, $1704.50, Redfield $688.33, and Custer $128.70 were approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner.

Board adjourned as an offical Board to meet as a Board of Equalization ~~Board~~ at 2 o'clock.

Board convened at 4 o'clock and instructed the Auditor to send notices to all those who are responsible for the care of persons at Yankton and Redfield. The Court and the States Attorney were also instructed tonnotify the County Auditor of persons entering these institutions so they could be properly billed. Motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until July 6, at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

July 6, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment, all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Paul Krakowski, County Treasurer, appeared before the Board in regard to the reinvesting of the Certificates of Deposits of the County.

RESOLUTION #251

WHEREAS, acting under Laws of the State of South Dakota, and the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, Watertown, South Dakota, have deemed it advisable and for the best interests of the residents of said County to transfer or reinvest, the Certificates of Deposits, now held by the County, known as Codington, into Government Bonds.

WHEREAS, the sum of $132,000.00 now invested in Certificates of Deposit, be put into Government Bonds,

$132,000.00 C. D. converted to $131,000.00 U.S. Treasury 2% notes, due August 15, 1956 at 100 4/32.

	$131,163.75
And interest May 17, 1955 to July 19, 1955.	455.97
	131,619.72
Depository July 20, 1955, First Citizens National Bank	380.28
	$132,000.00

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the County Treasurer be, and is hereby instructed to transfer or reinvest such holdings as Certificates of Deposits in the amount of $132,000.00 which is part of the monies invested by the Treasurer of County known as Codington.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Skinner and seconded by Commissioner Hogstad, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted "yea" and none voted "nay", where upon the Chairman declared the same duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 6th day of July, 1955.

Vernon O Belk
Chairman
Herb Skinner
Adolph Hogstad
Oscar J Franck
James L Keenan

Loren Wohlwend appeared with his family to discuss county liens.
Adjourned as an offical board to convene as a board of equalization at 2:30 P.M. o'clock.

At 4 o'clock convened as an offical board to hear Vern Larson Salesman for Motorola Corp. He explained a program which comes under civil defense, sponsored by the Government. On a motion bh Keenan and seconded by Hogstad to concur with the City of Watertown in the purchase of such material and equipment as need to carry out the program; motion carried, all voted "yea" and none voted "nay".

Motion duly made and seconded to adjourn until 10:00 A.M. July 12, 1955.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

July 12, 1955
Watertown, S. D.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved: GENERAL-Poor-Annette Burgdorf $140.00-for Henry Spilde $40.00, L. N. Schulner $45.00, Nels T. Nelson $55.00; Mrs. Augusta Bunde $77.50-for Joe LeTourneau $40.00, Hilda Ebens $37.50; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Melseth Rest Home $75.00-for Louis Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00; Kinstad Rest Home $154.25-for Rupert M. Gatchell $35.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, James Chambers $28.25, Carl Berge $30.00, Ola Manson $26.00; Elizabeth Marsh $10.00-for Matt Kemp; St. Bernards Prov. Hospital $146.50-for John Welter $103.50, Mary Meyers $43.00; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $70.00-for August Warnke $30.00, Lorance Albrecht $40.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $70.00-for Edith Kinsey $30.00, Ella Flanagan $40.00; Svendsen Nursing Home $210.20-for Mrs. Peter DeMynck $12.70, Rosa Dixon $30.00, Sarah Ann Black $30.00, Rex Richmond $90.00, Hilda Ebens $47.50; Montgomery Ward & Co. $3.98-for Matt Kemp; Mrs. Aug. Anderson $16.50-for Mary Vermillion; Bacon Rexall Drug Store $10.30-for Wilhelmina Lentz; Bartron Hospital $2667.16-for Tom Benson $87.56, John Blum $110.50, Wood Carter $86.00, Chris Engels $258.80, Dorothy Flathers $112.75, Joe LeTourneau $19.75, Mrs. Matt Lenards $159.70, Clarence Morrison $108.25, Jerry O'Brien $239.00, Blair Tessier $256.00, Louise Teigen $144.25, Andrew Westrum $15.00, Mrs. John Stanley $100.10, George West $205.90, Beverly VanWinsen $59.50, Adolph Stoltz $59.00, Albert Johnson $294.25, Louisa Richter $350.85; Bartron Clinic $1004.80-for Chas. Alt $2.00, Tom Benson $18.00, John Blum $76.50, Mrs. Edwin Bates $4.00, Robert Baker $2.00, Henry Beaker $3.00, Anna Christianson $2.00, Wood Carter $78.00, Wm. Czeck & wife $4.00, Mrs. John Dobson $16.00, Peter DeMynck $3.00, Mike Feyen $4.00, Chris Engels $30.00, John Farley $10.00, Art Eastberg $4.00, Dorothy Flathers $26.50, Rex Richmond $33.00, Ole Hanson $4.00, Emma Jenkins $7.00, Robert Johnson $14.00, Lester Pomeroy $21.00, Frank Klucas $2.00, Joe Le Tourneau $47.00, Mrs. Matt Lenards $75.00, Louis Mourere $2.00, LeRoy Mack $18.00, Clarence Morrison $75.00, Nels C. Nielson $2.00, Jerry O'Brien $30.00, Cathryn McLaughlin $2.00, Margaret Papka $6.00, Blair Tessier $30.00, Lena Trumer $3.00, Louise Teigen $53.50, Emile M. Lanstad $3.00, Fern Washtoak $10.00, Andrew Westrum $4.00, Mrs. Steve Wisneski $5.00, Mrs. John Stanley $24.50, George West $75.00, Beverly VanWinsen $36.00, Adolph Stoltz $8.00, Albert Johnson $30.00, Louisa Richter $101.80; Herbert Benthin $25.00-for Mrs. Louise Richter; L.L. Blake $7.80-for Myrtle & Soren Nelson; Busy Bee Cafe $1.13-for Vernon & Flora Bernhardt; Dallas Butterbrodt $25.00-for George West; Duffner Drug $225.55-for John Blum $.81, Frank Metzinger $14.67, Rupert Gatchall $1.49, Carl Berge $5.85, Rex Richmond $44.64, Mrs. P. DeMynck $7.15, Wm. Boll $39.05, Ole Hanson $19.89, Mathilda Blek $5.88, Mrs. Chas. Montney $12.10, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Wisneski $40.55, L. Mourere $6.75, August Warnke $6.34, Mike Feyen $2.83, Mrs. Esther Kinsey $.90, Inga Yarns $6.03, Joe LeTourneau $10.62; Don Erickson $25.00-for Louisa Richter; Haggar Drug $194.39-for Seymore Peterson $6.21, Ferne Washtoak $58.91, Edwin Bates $7.29, Hilda Ebens $18.14, Art Eastberg $13.41, Ellen Anderson $12.60, Josephine Welter $6.35, Henrietta Fritz $37.85, Edith Kensey $2.30, Frank & Emma Klucas $6.53, Wm. & Anna Czeck $13.55, Mrs. John E. Taylor $7.65, Nels T. Nelson $3.60; Hertz-Rent-A-Car $10.50-for Mrs. H.H. Parliament; National Tea $15.00-for Myrtle Nelson; Palace Grocery $5.00-for Victor E. Rosekrans; J. C. Penney Co. $18.90-for Andrew Horn $10.45, Peter DeMynck $8.45; Red Owl Store $19.94-for Cecil Roush; Shaw Messer $176.53-for Mrs. John Stanley $5.03, Hilda Ebens $3.00, Andrew Westrum $3.00, Anna C. Kennedy $3.00, Louisa Richter $12.50, Thos. Benson $150.00; O. P. Skaggs Store $50.00-for LeNora Spearbeck $15.00, James & Alma Mack $20.00, Mrs. Myrtle Nelson $15.00; Spies Super Valu $30.00-for Minnie Tessier $30.00, Thomes Drug Store $140.81-for Jerry O'Brien $19.89, James Chambers $3.46, Matthew Lenards $.90, Robert Baker $2.43, Blair Tessier $6.07, Anna Parsley $3.79, John Farley $14.53, Dorothy Flathers $2.43, Morris Christnacht $1.57, Chris Engels $2.03, Margaret Papka $23.90, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $4.54, Richard DePeel $2.16, Rollin Vance $3.02, Lena Trumer $4.73, Anna Christianson $2.70, Louisa Richter $8.05, Chas. Bierscheid $5.99, Alfred Vick $28.62; Veteran's Service Office-Dorothy O. Thomas $124.50; Printing & Advertising-Watertown Public Opinion $114.66; South Shore Gazette $71.90; Treasurer's Office Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $37.00; S. D. Stock Grower's Ass'n $.50; Auditor's Office Expense-News Printing Co. $1.11; Carlson's $1.85; Railway Express Agency $2.18; Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. $37.00; Ruhe Stationery Co. $21.34; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Carlson's $2.20; Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.75; Brown & Saenger $61.44; F. C. Grow Sons $24.00; County Judge Office Expense-Carlson's $.72; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $.50; Remington Rand Inc. $135.45; Sheriff's Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.25; F. C. Grow Sons $23.00; Jensen's Radio Service $3.15; Gowin's Photo Shop $4.06; Art Burnside & Co. $14.75; Midwest-Beach Co. $17.50; Court Expense-$3.90, Ruhe Stationery Co.; Mabel C. Alworth $8.83; Bartron Clinic $20.50; County Extension-Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.75; Public Welfare Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $7.50; Midwest-Beach Co. $3.08; Tax Collector-James Nelson $96.66; States Attorney's Mileage-Dale E. Bradshaw $30.72; Justice Fees-Secretary of State $7.50; Insurance & Bonds-Morris Agency $11.51; McClintic Insurance $17.25; First National Agency $427.33; County Extension-Fred Morris $34.58; Clara W. Johnson $11.44; Welfare Office Expense-Frankel Carbon & Ribbon Co. $27.00; Court Expense-Duffner Drug Store $11.40; J. C. Penney Co. $7.05; Mileage-Lloyd Shenk $241.65; Board of Prisoners-Lloyd Shenk $141.20; Memorial Park-Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $35.28; William Putnam-Mileage Market $3.64; Watertown Machine Works $6.79; Carl Deal $54.00; Northwestern Public Service Co. $40.97; Mahowald Co. $6.69; Fees-Lloyd Shenk $157.78; Mileage-Lloyd Shenk $82.70; Tax Deed Expense-Lloyd Shenk $16.35; Insanity Board-Lloyd Shenk $76.00; Equipment-Mrs. Otto Kannas $75.00; Per Diem, Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $93.30; Oscar J. Fromke $97.50; Adolph Hogstad $92.74; James L. Keenan $100.85; Herb Skinner $100.90; Court House Maintenance-Pitney-Bowes, Inc. $2.00; Acme Chemical Co. $16.87; Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $227.95; Otis Elevator Co. $21.00; Ruth Shenk $5.20; Pitney-Bowes, Inc. $21.60; Ralph W. Berner $36.00; Schwanke's Seeds & Service $1.95; Jo's Laundry $9.75; Montgomery Ward & Co. $2.20; City Treasurer $273.21; Park Grant Co. $71.25; Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $107.46; William Putnam-Mileage Market $1.80; Watertown Machine Works $178.88; Nelson & Hardware $75.92; Hubbard's $9.49; County Farm-Montgomery Ward & Co. $6.37; City Treasurer $14.95; Park Grant Co. $24.88; William Putnam-Mileage Market $3.16; Duffner Drug Store $1.67; J. C. Penney Co. $4.27; Spies Super Valu $10.36; Dr. J. P. Harman $8.00; K. D. Inc. $3.40; Lien's Grocery $24.59; Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $5.80; Marshall Wells Store $1.35; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $10.70;

Thompson Yards $31.60; Watertown Co-op Elevator Co. $57.19; Board of Insanity-M.T. Kenney, M.D. $45.00; Board of Health-M.C. Rousseau, M.D. $20.40; ROAD-F. C. Grow Sons $15.50; Codington Clark Elec. Co-op. Inc. $7.40; Northwestern Public Service Co. $4.50; Harold Scriver $6.00; Wilson Truck System $1.75; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-William Putnam-Mileage Market $213.92; Watertown Machine Works $77.83; Nelson Hardware $4.90; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $137.26; Cave Supply Co. $226.76; Dakota Welding Supply Co. $14.30; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $236.68; Florence Service $22.53; Foster Bell Co. $124.23; General Supply Co. $3.00; Kenneth Mayes Elec. Co. $38.58; International Harvester Co. $494.46; Jakle Hardware Co. $5.34; Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $6.32; Kuehn's Blue Print Co. $54.26; K & Z Service $1.85; Mahowald Co. $47.07; Marquardt's Service $11.61; Frank Miller Co. $2.00; Motor Supply Co. $13.88; Northwestern Road Supply Co. $7.64; Phillips 66 Service $2.85; Sanders Chevrolet Co. $.75; Kenneth Schafer $6.50; Arthur Schwandt $31.33; Tractor Supply Co. $9.95; Watertown Iron & Metal Co. $1.00; Watertown Milling Co. $439.85; Watertown Tire Co. $18.00; CH&BR-Carl Zweig, Jr. $36.96; S. D. Concrete Products Co. $2715.12; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $1152.13; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Thompson Yards $8.08; South Dakota Concrete Products Co. $3815.10; TEXTBOOK-Allyn & Bacon, Inc. $49.08; Ginn & Co. $116.57; Midwest-Beach Co. $23.54; WEED BOARD-James L. Keenan $5.96; Robert Redlin $6.52; Paul David $5.82; Joseph J. Fox $5.68;

RESOLUTION #252

WHEREAS, THERE has been received the sum of $6,522.12 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the second quarter of 1955.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows, to-wit:

Sheridan, $326.11; Henry, $326.11; Richland, $326.11; Graceland, $326.11; Waverly, $416.68; Rauville, $461.97; and Germantown, $434.80;

TOTAL $2,617.89

AND WHEREAS, the County Highway System has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following townships;

Kranzburg, $561.64; Pelican, $326.11; Kampeska, $326.11; Elmira, $326.11; Lake, $326.11; Fuller, $516.32; Phipps, $326.11; Leola, $326.11; Dexter, $543.50; and Eden, $326.11;

TOTAL $3,904.23

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that, said fund apportioned as above set out be held by the County Auditor to pay for completing the County Highway System in the said townships, in the proportion as above provided and pursuant to law, and no part thereof shall be actually paid over to the said townships, provided however, that any amount of the respective allotments to their respective townships not paid over, shall remain unexpended after completing the roads of the County Highway System, shall revert to and be payable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan, seconded by Commissioner Hogstad and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 12th day of July, 1955.

Vernon H Belk
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County South Dakota

ATTEST:

Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County

RESOLUTION #252A

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $2,329.33 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota and,

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment for the second quarter of 1955.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned among the respective municipalities as follows:

FLORENCE	$130.44
HENRY	130.44
SOUTH SHORE	130.44
WALLACE	97.83
WATERTOWN	1840.18
TOTAL	$2329.33

July 12, 1955 July 15, 1955

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Skinner, seconded by Commissioner Fromke and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 12th day of July, 1955.

Vernon H Belk
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Irma Welch
Irma E. Welch, Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota

The monthly report of Margaret Brown, Register of Deeds, in the amount of $602.05 was read and approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

Clerk of Courts report for the month of June in the amount of $364.85 was read and approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

The bond of Harold LaFrambois, Treasurer of School District #60 was approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

A bill for $2.00 was rejected of Dr. Roman Auskaps on a motion by Fromke and seconded by Skinner. Motion carried. The bill was for 1954 and had not been authorized.

Adjourned as an offical board on a motion duly made and seconded, to convene as an equalization board at 10:00 A.M. Friday, July 15.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

July 15, 1955
Watertown, S. D.

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M., with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

The hearing of the adoption of the Supplemental Budget was set at 10:00 A.M. The adoption proceedings was read by the County Auditor,

RESOLUTION #248

WHEREAS, acting under Chapter 43 of the Session Laws of South Dakota of 1947, and upon notice duly published to adopt a supplement budget for 1955,

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary to adopt a Supplemental Budget so the County may conduct the indispensable functions of Government, and to correct an error in setting up the 1955 Budget.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the following amount as set out herein shall constitute and be adopted as the supplemental budget for 1955.

GENERAL FUND	AMOUNT
Sheriff's Fees	$2400.00

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Skinner, seconded by Commissioner Keenan, and upon roll call, all Commissioners voted yea, and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the said resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 15th day of July 1955, at Watertown, South Dakota.

Vernon H Belk
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota.

Herb Skinner

Adolph Hogstad

James L Keenan

ATTEST:

Irma Welch
County Auditor

RESOLUTION #253

WHEREAS, a petition has been filed asking the Board of County Commissioners to recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that the following described highway in Codington County, South Dakota, be added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, to-wit:

"Beginning at the Northeast corner of Section 8, Township 116 North, Range 53, West of the Fifth P.M., thence south approximately one (1) mile to the Lake Pelican Shore line."

AND WHEREAS, it appears to the Board of County Commissioners that the same should be added to the County Highway System and,

The County Board of Commissioners deems it advisable and for the best interests of the residents of Codington County, to add said road considering the fact that this road gives access to the State owned fishing ground, adjoining Lake Pelican, and would make a good road for winter driving and would be most beneficial to the public in general.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that Codington County does hereby recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that there be added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota, the highway above described.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Auditor be and is hereby instructed to forward to the Secretary of the Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota, a copy of this resolution with the request that action hereon be taken by the State Highway Commission.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan and seconded by Commissioner Skinner, and upon roll call all voted "yea" and none "nay" whereupon the Chairman declared said resolution to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 15th day of July, 1955.

Vernon H Belk
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Adjourned as an offical board to convene as a board of equalization, on a motion duly made and seconded, at 11:00 A.M.

Inna Welch
County Auditor

July 18, 1955
Watertown, S. D.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Mr. Elsas of the Home Improvement Co. appeared before the Board to discuss some needed repairs on the Court House Garage roof, and agreed to furnish materials and labor for $50.00. He being authorized to go ahead and do the job.

Francis Burns appeared as consul for Loren Wohlwend and made an offer of $900.00 to settle the County liens in the amount of $1805.65; no action taken; money first must be delivered to the County Auditor.

Adolph Hogstad was excused at noon.

Adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded, until Thursday, July 21, at 10:00 A.M.

Inna Welch
County Auditor

July 21, 1955
Watertown, S. D.

The Board convened at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Ernest Eisenbise appeared and asked for a compromise settlement of County liens, in the amount of $569.12 for $285.00. After some discussion it was agreed to accept this amount, on a motion by Fromke and seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

Adjourned as an offical board at 5 o'clock.

Inna Welch
County Auditor

July 26, 1955
Watertown, S. D.

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved: SALARY-County Auditor-Irma E. Welch $325.00; Pearl Bergan $210.00; Alice Olson $190.00; Kathleen Turbak $180.00; Edna Derenthal $150.00; County Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00; Hazel Schliesmann $210.00; DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00; Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68; Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Margaret Brown $296.68; Beverly Mickelson $205.00; Elizabeth M. Larson $150.00; Superintendent of Schools-Hazel G. Murphy $325.00; Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75; Ross H. Oviatt $150.00; Beverly Mickelson $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $400.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $110.67; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veteran's Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-William J. Meyer $250.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $113.00; Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Memorial Park-Arnold Hoftiezer $100.00; Bessie Hoftiezer $100.00; Sheriff's Fees & Salary $85.00; Per Diem, Mileage & Salary-Vernon H. Belk $109.70; Oscar J. Fromke $94.80; Adolph Hogstad $103.90; James L. Keenan $86.90; Herb Skinner $107.88; County Judge Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $50.70; County Auditor's Office Expense-Marlys Haney $107.10; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; CMV-C. S. Rasmusson $525.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00; Sever Tobiason $205.00; J. P. Haug $275.00; John Rennie $3.85; Joe Stricherz $325.45; Claude VanSickle $288.65; C. B. Sumner $289.80; Harold Scriver $271.40; James Hendren $9.00; Carl Zweig, Jr. $2.70; Howard Williams $2.70; Ed Gould $166.42; Alfred Spring $188.10; Fred Brownell $61.62; Chas Krogman $21.58; Julius Lentz $49.60; Clarence Helle $20.58; Leo Clausen $152.00; Curtis Underwood $64.58; John Strait $157.04; Otis C. Olson $126.26; Andrew T. Larson $99.20; Thomas Spiering $117.20; Wayne M. Fisher $9.78; David E. Shults $108.56; Francis Schmeling $219.00; Franz Ferber $60.00; Peter W. DeVille $73.00; C.H.& B.R.-John Rennie $266.80; James Hendren $331.50; Burton Jackson $312.50; Carl Zweig, Jr. $267.01; Howard Williams $322.76; Ed Gould $62.50; Alfred Spring $62.50; Fred Brownell $128.10; Chas Krogman $140.00; Julius Lentz $110.00; Clarence Helle $200.00; Leo Clausen $68.00; Curtis Underwood $156.00; John Strait $61.00; Otis C. Olson $82.00; Andrew T. Larson $115.00; Thomas Spiering $69.00; Wayne M. Fisher $148.00; David E. Shults $41.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $6.25; Alfred Spring $7.50; Fred Brownell $5.25; Chas Krogman $29.00; Julius Lentz $30.00; Curtis Underwood $20.00; Andrew T. Larson $20.00; Thomas Spiering $2.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Pelican)-Ed Gould $50.00; Chas Krogman $40.00; Julius Lentz $40.00; Leo Clausen $25.00; John Strait $9.00; Andrew T. Larson $2.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Lake)-Alfred Spring $10.00; Fred Brownell $9.45; John Strait $8.00; Otis C. Olson $7.00; Thomas Spiering $10.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Elmira)-Alfred Spring $11.25; Fred Brownell $8.40; John Strait $8.00; Otis C. Olson $8.00; Thomas Spiering $10.00;

Payments made on County liens for the month of July are as follows:
August Warnke $46.00; Clarence Morrison $20.00; Ernest Eisenbise $285.00;

Otis Elevator representative appeared before the Board in regard to the repairs and maintenance of the elevator in the Court House. No action taken.

A delegation from Germantown Township appeared in regard to culverts for Sections 16-15-119-52, Wallace Bunde, Leonard Bowen and Elmer Bunde, after cnnsulting the County Highway Engineer, it was agreed to furnish said culverts with a portion of the cost being paid by said township.

The Superintendent of Schools was authorized to attend a meeting at Webster with expenses paid as prescribed by law; on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

Hogstad excused at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Tuftland came before the Board in regard to a culvert near the Eastwood property; no action taken.

A compromise settlement of taxes for the North American Creamery Corp. of $451.60,was accepted on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

The check of $900.00 was accepted as a compromise settlement of the liens of Loren Wohlwend; on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

The balance of the day was spent working on the Provisional Budget for 1956.

Adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded, until August 2, 1955 at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch

Watertown, S. D.
August 2, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $7.89; Mabel L. Durkee $118.96; Bailiff Fees-Carl J. Deal $4.00;

Ernest Mehaffey, Monroe Salesman, came before the Board in regard to the purchase of an adding machine for the auditors office. The Board authorized the purchase of the machine, on a motion by Fromke and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

Mr. & Mrs. Ellsworth Harriet came before the Board in regard to being assessed $1000.00 for two 1927 and 1925 Case Tractors. No action could be taken at this time.

Otis Elevator representative recommended to the Board that $395.00 was needed for repairs for the elevator. This amount would complete the repairs recommended by the Company to date. A service contract was also discussed. On a motion by Fromke and seconded by Keenan, the representative was authorized to make the necessary repairs and replace the parts needed. Motion carried.

The Board accepted the full maintenance contract at a cost of $56.75 a month, and the Chairman was authorized to sign the said agreement, on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan. This contract becomes effective September 1, 1955.

Matt Brandriet, Weed Supervisor's report was noted by the Board for the month of July.

Service Officer's report for the month of July was noted by the Board.

An abatement for a school poll for $1.00 for Marjorie Schoenberger of Watertown, was allowed on a motion by Fromke and seconded by Skinner.

Chairman Belk asked for authorization for the County Board to go to Pierre and meet with the State Board of Equalization. An appointment was made for Friday at 10:00 A.M. ; it was moved by Hogstad and seconded by Keenan that the Board go to Pierre Friday, August 4. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board ajourned until August 9, 1955 at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Belch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
August 9, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved: GENERAL-Poor-Mrs. Augusta Bunde $25.00-for Joe LeTourneau; Annette Burgdorf $180.00-for Nels T. Nelson $55.00, Ed McPeek $40.00, Henry Spilde $40.00, L. N. Schulner $45.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Mrs. Rose Kelly $15.00-for Wm. Boll; Kinstad Rest Home $151.00-for Rueben Gatchall $35.00, Carl Berge $30.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, James Chambers $25.00, Ola Hanson $26.00; Elizabeth Marsh $10.00-for Matt Kemp; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman $60.00; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $70.00-for Lorance Albrecht $40.00, August Warnke $30.00; Watertown Rest Home $75.00-for Ben Bergerson $45.00, L. Mourere $30.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $70.00-for Edith Kinsey $30.00, Ella Flanagan $40.00; Bacon Rexall Drug Store $7.55-for Mrs. Minnie Lentz; Bartron Hospital $2175.01-for Chris Engels $271.80, Clem Jungen $73.50, Myrtle Nelson $123.96, Leora Rose $126.25, Jerry O'Brien $236.00, Mrs. Steve Wisneski $521.95, Ed Haack $61.00, Chas. Bierschied $114.00, Mrs. John Dobson $50.00, Oscar Wangen $36.50, Henry Schlosser $12.00, Anna Kennedy $30.05, Blair Tessier $120.00, Albert Johnson $138.00, Harold York $260.00; Bartron Clinic $788.70-for Fern Washtoak $11.00, Lizzie Alt $2.00, Robert Baker $2.00, Wm. Barto $2.00, Mrs. Leo Breske $3.00, Wood Carter $2.00, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Czech $4.00, Richard DePeel $2.00, Chris Engels $75.00, John Farley $8.00, Albert Henricks $2.00, Clem Jungen $16.00, Mrs. Frank Klucas $4.00, Frank Metzinger $4.00, Clarence Morrison $2.00, Myrtle Nelson $75.00, Lester Pomeroy $11.00, Leora Rose $100.00, Jerry O'Brien $30.00, Alfred Vick $18.70, Mrs. Steve Wisneski $98.00, Mr. & Mrs. Ed Haack $22.00, Chas. Bierschied $54.00, Ronald Rohdy $3.00, Freemond Tribbit $20.00, John Blum $2.00, Mr. & Mrs. Henry Becker $8.00, Ola Hanson $4.00, Mrs. John Dobson $24.00, Georgia Fay Painter $7.50, Oscar Wangen $15.00, Henry Schlosser $4.00, Earl Crocker $3.00, Hilda Ebens $3.00, Peter Johnson $7.50, Anna Kennedy $4.50, Edith Kinsey $6.00, Blair Tessier $32.00, Harold York $97.50; Dr. R. Leonard Carefoot $75.00-for Earl Jensen; Cemetery Department, City of Watertown $8.50-for Earl Jensen; Duffner Drug Store $161.77-for Ola Hanson $10.80, Carl Berge $10.80, Art Eastberg $7.00, Wm. Boll $22.14, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $5.13, Adolph Stoltz $5.40, Mathilda Blek $11.77, August Warnke $6.34, Louis Mourere $1.35, Joe LeTourneau $4.72, Mrs. Chas. Montney $15.52, Inga Yarns $13.14, Rex Richmond $21.78, Steve Wisneski $8.41, Frank Metzinger $15.67, Walter Richards $1.80; Haggar Drug Store $157.87-for Edith Kinsey $3.06, Josephine Welter $5.13, N. T. Nelson $3.60, Fern Washtoak $40.01, Ellen Anderson $17.10, Mildred Taylor $3.15, Hilda Ebbens $13.99, Henrietta Fritz $30.83, Frank & Emma Klucas $18.00, Mae Mitchell $7.29, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Czech $15.71;

Kreisers Drug Store $1745.59-for Mrs. John Stanley $.68, Nellie Jensen $4.77, Lonnie Van Winson $1.35, Albert Johnson $22.81, Louise Tiegen $21.60, Thos. Benson $1.80, Anna Kennedy $3.83, John Blum $3.60, Joe LeTourneau $.85, Robert Johnson $1.35, Lester Pomeroy $93.96, Mary Kirkeby $1.80, Rosa Dixon $2.70, Morris Christnacht $53.80, Ester Kinsey $6.75, Gloria Kemp $13.50, Ruth Martell $4.50, Frank Barthel Sr. $2.20, Wm. Boll $15.17, Dianne Ward $13.50, Emma Jenkins $45.68, Jerry O'Brien $156.96, Blair Tessier $667.72, Louise Richter $11.01, Lizzie Alt $18.49, Cathryn McLaughlin $2.70, Hilda Haack $15.70, Rex Richmond $27.32, Earl Crocker $46.66, James Chambers $73.93, Mrs. Brad Barkley $17.28, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $33.07, Louise Tiegen $13.23, Albert Johnson $20.16, Mrs. John Dobson $29.33, Chris Engels $71.55, Ben Bergerson $4.95, Carl Becker $15.52, Lena Radtke $60.61, Chas. Bierschied $44.33, Mrs. Steve Wisneski $.62, Ella Flanagan $8.01, Leora Rose $1.12, Anna Christianson $28.71, Clem Jungen $2.12, Nils Nielson $36.77, Hilda Ebbens $20.85, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $.67; Lien's Grocery $5.00-for Wm. & Cora Barto; Mathiesen, Gergen Rhodes $158.34-for Earl Jensen; J. C. Penney Co. $5.58-for Mrs. P. DeMuynck; Spies Super Valu $55.00-for Mrs. Edwin Bates $10.00, Mrs. Blair Tessier $15.00, Arthur Larson $30.00 St. Bernards Prov. Hospital $159.15-for Mrs. Mary Myers $46.40, John Welter $112.75; Svendsen Nursing Home $285.70-for Sarah Ann Black $30.00, Rex Richmond $90.00, Hilda Ebens $95.00, Rosa Dixon $30.00, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $40.70; Thomes Drug Store $100.88-for Mrs. Minnie Johnson $4.05, Lena Trumer $3.06, James Chambers $3.47, Lorence Albrecht $2.70, John Farley $6.17, Margaret Papka $13.41, Alfred Vick $28.94, Richard DePeel $3.24, Anna Parsley $7.72, Harry Freesemann $6.07, Jerry O'Brien $10.98, Chas. Bierschied $6.66, Leora Rose $2.25, Robert Baker $2.16; Dr. M. C. Thompson $91.00-for Lorence Albrecht $22.00, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $31.00, Fremond Tribbit $16.00, Marion Kraft $16.00, Clarence Morrison $3.00, Emma Lehman Dralle $3.00; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $115.90; Oscar J. Fromke $61.90; Adolph Hogstad $65.40; James L. Keenan $54.00; Herb Skinner $49.17; Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent $233.18; South Shore Gazette $92.17; Watertown Public Opinion $190.75; Ruhe Stationery Co. $.55; Publication Fees-South Shore Gazette $115.80; Watertown Public Opinion $184.00; Auditor's Office Expense-Monroe Calculating Machine Co. $236.50; Burroughs Corp. $194.50; News Printing Co. $13.61; Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.24; Treasurer's Office Expense-Burroughs Corp. $63.30; Miller-Bryant-Pierce $20.25; Superintendent of Schools Office Expense-News Printing Co. $1.10; Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.75; Midwest-Beach Co. $5.23; Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $22.94; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.45; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.25; Carlson's $3.72; Midwest-Beach Co. $48.09; Sheriff's Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $6.59; F. C. Grow Sons $10.75; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Nelson Hardware $1.49; States Attorneys Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.40; Court Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.60; Clerk of Municipal Court $81.45; Gloria Shenk $5.00; Ray M. Shenk $5.00; County Extension-Ruhe Stationery Co. $6.62; Hodges Badge Co. $39.41; Clara W. Johnson $42.13; Fred Morris $26.20; Court House Maintenance-Ruhe Stationery Co. $11.25; Bernie's Cycle Shop $2.00; Botsford Lumber Co. $6.90; Cave Supply Co. $6.77; City Treasurer $244.99; Walter E. Dobson $60.00; Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $47.35; Egge Electric Co. $46.63; Hertz-Rent-A-Car $4.00; Lake Kampeska Nursery $60.75; Mahowald Co. $4.75; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $6.42; Nash Finch Co. $8.40; Nelson Hardware $39.61; Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $269.55; Otis Elevator Co. $21.00; Putnam-Mileage Market $2.64; Reaney's Service $1.26; Ruth Shenk $8.14; Duffner Drug Store $20.00; Welfare Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.95; Tax Collector-James Nelson $113.62; Superintendent of Schools Mileage-Mrs. Hazel Murphy $48.15; Fees-Lloyd Shenk $700.90; Mileage-Lloyd Shenk $363.75; Board of Prisoners-Lloyd Shenk $158.40; Radio-Crown Radio & T.V. $33.10; Burghardt Radio & Supply $2.28; Coroner-Leslie E. Mathiesen $12.58; Veteran's Service-Dorothy O. Thomas $111.00; Marshall-Wells Store $9.95; County Farm-City Treasurer $11.70; Lien's Grocery $33.67; Spies Super Valu $17.04; Kenneth Hayes $2.50; R. E. Hubbard Co. $1.48; K. D. Inc. $1.37; Marshall-Wells Store $15.80; Olson Appliance Co. $5.80; Park Grant Co. $23.03; J. C. Penney Co. $7.56; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $11.77; Equipment-Egge Electric Co. $25.00; Dugan Sales & Service $69.90; Memorial Park-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $6.14; Nelson Hardware $3.09; Barrett's Sporting Goods Store $28.04; Iverson Electric Service $7.80; Northwestern Public Service Co. $46.94; Thomes Drug Store $3.77; Marshall-Wells Store $4.38; Insanity Board-Dr. H. T. Kenney $30.00; Board of Health-Dr. H. Russell Brown $51.06; Dr. H. Russell Brown $198.31; CMV-Burroughs Corp. $18.00; Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.80; Cave Supply Co. $155.22; Kenneth Hayes $13.55; R. E. Hubbard Co. $89.27; Watertown Tire Co. $25.57; Watertown Machine Works $21.86; Lyle Thorson $14.94; Empire Equipment Co. $442.67; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $423.24; Foster Bell Co. $484.22; Bill Hinde $9.56; International Harvester Co. $161.97; Marquardt's Service & Supply Co. $516.86; Motor Supply Co. $23.95; Phillips 66 Service $32.95; Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $65.82; Woodrow Rossow Motor Repair $3.55; Schweiger's Inc. $19.10; Sioux Road Equipment Co. $121.09; Clarence B. Sumner $10.22; ROAD-City Treasurer $6.23; Northwestern Public Service $5.50; C.H.& B.R.-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $17.60; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $1052.75; Carl Zweig, Jr. $29.19; Northwestern Road Supply Co. $55.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $5.22; Empire Equipment Co. $131.80; Mrs. George Keenan $122.00; Minnesota Mining & Mfg. Co. $21.99; CMV-Bichler Motor Co. $35.58; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Putnam-Mileage Market $299.94; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $721.68; General Electric $988.56; S. D. State Highway $314.50; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Lake)-Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $12.42; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Elmira)-Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $12.41; TEXTBOOK-Midwest-Beach Co. $119.18; American Book Co. $84.97; Educator Supply Co. $307.22; E. M. Hale & Co. $31.20; Houghton Mifflin Co. $187.61; Iroquois Publishing Co. $33.33; Lyons & Carnahan $311.77; McCormick-Mathers Publishing Co. $428.12; The A.N. Palmer Co. $10.08; Dr. O. P. Ritter $11.77; Row, Peterson & Co. $57.67; Scott, Foresman & Co. $1044.49; Wilson Storage & Transfer $1.98; TUITION-Henry Independent School District #27 $7888.48; Florence Independent School District #28 $7630.48; Wallace Independent School District #37 $5824.22; South Shore Ind. School District #38 $6929.50; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $54.95; Matt Brandriet $111.97; Paul David $5.82; Joseph J. Fox $5.68; James L. Keenan $5.96; Robert Redlin $6.52;

Representatives from the Public Opinion and Radio Station KWAT met with the Board to discuss valuations on Real Estate as set by the Board of Equalization.

On a motion by Fromke and seconded by Skinner, the bills for Yankton $1746.50, Redfield $694.35, and Custer $132.99 were allowed.

Fees collected by the Register of Deeds in the amount of $621.30 for July were approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

Fees collected by the Clerk of Courts in the amount of $362.90 for the month of July were approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

Emily Keenan came before the Board in regard to a compromise settlement of County liens. The Board agreed to accept $195.00, on a motion by Fromke and seconded by Hogstad.

The Board of Commissioners reconsidered the action of January 7, 1955, in reference to the Bids for Metal Pipe, according to the Attorney General's opinion, and the advice of the States Attorney. The law so stating that when one or more bids are identical, one only must be considered and accepted. These bids being identical, H. V. Johnson Culvert Co., Branson Culvert Co., Northwest Road Supply Co., and the South Dakota Concrete Products Co., it was agreed by the Board to accept the bid of Northwest Road Supply Co. for the balance of the year 1955; on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Fromke, and on roll call all voted "yea" and none voted "nay"; Motion carried.

Commissioner Hogstad was excused for the balance of the day.

Provisional Budget was discussed and final figures affixed.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until Tuesday, at 10:00 A.M., August 16, 1955.

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S.D.
August 16, 1955

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved: GENERAL-Poor-Mrs. Mae Abbott $36.50-for Mrs. Andrew Westrum; SPECIAL BRIDGE-C. A. Branson Culvert Co. $1849.20;

Lloyd Peterson, Attorney, appeared as consul for Blair Tessier, requesting a compromise settlement of County Liens in so far as it pertains to this property, Outlot C less the West 360 feet and the East 152 feet in Way's 3rd Lake Drive Addition to Watertown. On a motion by Fromke and seconded by Skinner, it was agreed to accept the settlement offered. Motion carried.

It was moved by Keenan and seconded by Skinner to allow the corrected statement of C.A. Branson for culverts in the amount of $1849.20.

The auditor's account with the Treasurer for the month of July was approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Skinner. Total amount in Banks, $388,810.62; Cash on hand and in Banks, $6682.21 and Government Bonds $184,119.72.

Dr. Brown appeared before the Board in regard to the 1956 Budget; he requested and cited the need for a County Nurse; no action was taken.

The auditor was authorized to notify the Township Officers of Germantown Township to appear at a meeting with the County Commissioners at 10:00 A.M., Tuesday, August 23, 1955, in the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House at Watertown, S. D.

Leonard Blake came in to discuss welfare matters with the Board.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until Tuesday, August 23, at 10:00 A.M.

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S.D.
August 23, 1955

The Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved: GENERAL-Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $81.70; Oscar J. Fromke $79.60; Adolph Hogstad $67.43; James L. Keenan $66.10; Herb Skinner $99.18; Court Expense-Kathleen Turbak $10.00;

Johnson Service Co. presented an itemized statement on the installation of a day and night thermostat for the Court House; in view of the fact that some employees must work after hours in the rush seasons, the Board felt it would be impractical. On a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan, the proposal was rejected. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Fromke and seconded by Skinner that for the purpose of the records, that the following statement be incorporated in the minutes of the August 23, 1955 meeting, to-wit:

TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

On July 21, 1913 by Ordinance A60, the City of Watertown detached the following property from the corporate limits:

W½ of SE¼ - 24 and NE¼ of the SE¼ 24-117-53
N½ of the S½ of Section 20-117-52
N½ of the S½ of the SE¼ 20-117-52

N½ of SE¼ 19-117-52
SW¼ 19-117-52
SW¼ 21-117-52
E½ of the NE¼ 29-117-52
NW¼ 28-117-52
SW¼ 28-117-52
E½ of NW¼ 33-117-52
S½ of the NW¼ 4-116-52
E½ of the SW¼ 4-116-52
South 503 feet of the w½ of the SW¼ 4-116-52

The County Auditor in that year erroneously put these descriptions in several School Districts, namely #1, #8, #14, 17. These incorrect boundaries are continually causing trouble. By putting the following descriptions back into District #1, all records would be in order and a new School District Map - up to date:

SW¼ and N½ of SE¼ 19-117-52
S½ 20-117-52
SW¼ 21-117-52
NE½ 29-117-52
W½ 28-117-52
E½ of NW¼ 33-117-52

Pearl Bergan, Deputy
County Auditor

The hearing that was set for the Germantown Township Board of Supervisors and township officers was attended by Wallace Bunde, Elmer Bunde, Fred Mathes, Harold Bowen and Otto Korth. The Culverts that were installed between sections 15, 16, 119-52 seemed to be too large for the constructed road bed. After some discussion, it was agreed that the County Highway Superintendent remove the large tile and replace with smaller tile to fit the road bed already constructed.

After some discussion of the new law, on Supervisor of Assessments, and Director of Assessments, it was decided by the Board to have a roll call vote.

RESOLUTION #254
CHANGING LOCAL ASSESSMENT METHOD IN THE COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, met at a regular meeting, pursuant to Chapter 422 of the Session Laws, of 1955, State of South Dakota, to determine whether a Director of Assessments or a Supervisor of Assessors be appointed for the year beginning October 1, 1955 to October 1, 1956.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota, deemed it advisable and for the best interests of the residents of Codington County, to appoint a Supervisor of Assessors as prescribed in Chapter 422, Section 14, of the Session Laws of South Dakota, for the year of 1955.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that upon a roll call vote, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, voted as follows:

District #1, Commissioner Skinner	Supervisor of Assessors
District #2, Commissioner Belk	Supervisor of Assessors
District #3, Commissioner Hogstad	Supervisor of Assessors
District #4, Commissioner Fromke	Supervisor of Assessors
District #5, Commissioner Keenan	Supervisor of Assessors

All having voted "yea" and none "nay", whereupon the Chairman declared the Resolution duly passed and adopted.

DATED at Watertown, South Dakota, September 6, 1955, in Codington County, South Dakota.

Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Oscar J Fromke
James L Keenan

ATTEST:
Anna Welch
County Auditor

The balance of the day was spent checking and discussing the State raises on Personal Property and Real Estate in Codington County.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until August 30, at 10:00 A.M.

Anna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S.D.
August 30, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved: SALARY-County Auditor-Irma E. Welch $325.00; Pearl Bergan $210.00; Alice Olson $190.00; Kathleen Turbak $180.00; Edna Derenthal $150.00; Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00; Hazel Schliesmann $210.00; DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00; Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68; Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Margaret Brown $296.68; Beverly Mickelson $205.00; Elizabeth M. Larson $150.00; Superintendent of Schools-Hazel G. Murphy $325.00; Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75; Ross H. Oviatt $150.00; Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $400.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00; Francis Schmeling $4.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $118.56; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veteran's Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-William J.' Meyer $250.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $113.00; Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Memorial Park-Arnold Hoftiezer $100.00; Bessie Hoftiezer $100.00; Sheriff's Fees & Salary-Bert Smith $85.00; County Auditor's Office Expense-Marlys Haney $61.20; County Judge Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $26.00; Court Expense-Mable Durkee $118.56; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; CMV-John Rennie $32.44; J. P. Haug $160.36; Joe Stricherz $142.30; Claude VanSickle $310.50; C. B. Sumner $209.24; Harold Scriver $116.21; James Hendren $21.90; Howard Williams $37.58; Carl Zweig, Jr. $65.73; Burton Jackson $54.55; Ed Gould $.35; Alfred Spring $118.30; Fred C. Brownell $26.37; Otis C. Olson $109.46; Clarence Helle $40.38; Chas. Krogman $16.60; Julius Lentz $2.60; Andrew T. Larson $2.60; Thomas Spiering $72.00; Leo Clausen $207.60; David Shults $77.26; John Strait $219.60; Wayne M. Fisher $2.14; Francis Schmeling $214.00; Peter W. DeVille $140.00; C. S. Rasmusson $525.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00; Sever Tobiason $159.45; CH&BR-John Rennie $187.45; J. P. Haug $18.70; Joe Stricherz $66.70; C. B. Sumner $74.75; Harold Scriver $73.60; James Hendren $183.70; Howard Williams $195.75; Carl Zweigm Jr. $195.75; Burton Jackson $137.50; Ed Gould $77.55; Alfred Spring $50.00; Fred C. Brownell $100.80; Otis C. Olson $44.00; Clarence Helle $112.00; Curtis Underwood $83.30; Chas. Krogman $60.80; Julius Lentz $61.80; Andrew T. Larson $69.80; Thomas Spiering $146.00; Leo Clausen $51.00; David Shults $121.00; John Strait $45.00; Wayne M. Fisher $37.25; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Kampeska)-John Rennie $69.00; J. P. Haug $88.00; Joe Stricherz $87.40; C. B. Sumner $10.35; Harold Scriver $49.45; James Hendren $157.50; Howard Williams $108.00; Carl Zweig, Jr. $47.25; Burton Jackson $137.50; Alfred Spring $131.25; Fred C. Brownell $6.30; Otis C. Olson $90.00; Clarence Helle $81.00; Curtis Underwood $43.00; Chas. Krogman $3.00; Julius Lentz $10.00; Andrew T. Larson $10.00; Thomas Spiering $10.00; Leo Clausen $6.00; David Shults $7.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Harold Scriver $32.20; Ed Gould $226.25; Fred C. Brownell $99.75; Clarence Helle $4.00; Curtis Underwood $105.00; Chas. Krogman $166.00; Julius Lentz $172.00; Andrew T. Larson $174.00;

Payments made on County Liens for the month of August are as follows: George Keenan $195.00; Rueben Gatchall $100.00;

George Burke, Veteran Service Officer, came before the Board to discuss Salary and the Budget for office expenses for the year of 1956.

Bounty claims were checked and approved as follows, on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried. William Halling, Ralph Raml, $12.00 each; Howard Popham, Jack Henning, Mrs. D. L. Nogelmeier, Kenneth Schaack, Mrs. Harold Hansen, Tom Endres, Walt Emmert, Walter Wilber, Darrel Drake, Donald Pieschke, David Kittleson, Delmar Dale, Roy Sharp, Edward Paulson, Ben Thyen, Roland Redlin, Floyd Steffensen, Mrs. V. E. McBride, James Rowe, John Fischer, John Nordstrom, $4.00 each; Jerry Johnson $7.50; Merle Brenden $2.00; Raymond Morrison $6.00; L. T. Brekke $8.00;

An abatement of a School Poll for the year 1954 for Mrs. E. Sotha was requested, and on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad, abatement granted.

The bond of Marvin Anderson, Treasurer of South Shore Village was approved, on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad.

Huber Fryer came before the Board and asked that the interest on Personal Property in the amount of $5.76 be abated, and on a motion by Fromke and seconded by Skinner, abatement was granted.

A compromise settlement in the amount of $100.00 was accepted for the liens of Rupert Gatchall on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan.

A motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until September 6, at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
September 6, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment, with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Now being the time and place fixed by the Board for a public hearing on the Provisional Budget for 1956, same was brought before the Board and read by the Auditor, Irma Welch. After some discussion the necessary changes were made. As no one appeared on the Budget hearing, action on the same will be deferred until September 13, 1955.

Milford Hansen of Stockholm came before the Board in regard to a partial release, in so far as it pertains to this property, SE$\frac{1}{4}$ 13-118-52, of the liens of Hilda and Alfred Ebens.

It was moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan to grant said Partial Release.

On a motion by Keenan and seconded by Skinner, the bills for Custer Sanatorium $132.99, Yankton $1780.34, Redfield $681.45, for the month of August be approved; motion carried.

The report of Matt Brandriet, Weed Supervisor, was noted by the Board, for the month of August.

Veteran's Service Officer's report for the month of August was approved by the Board.

A delegation for the South Shore area, namely, Eldor Larson, Superintendent of Schools; James Allison, Mail carrier; Jack Carlson,Merchant; W. C. Molberg, Locker Operator; Otto Heuer, Cafe Operator; Chas Waege, Don Waege, Alvin Tulowitzke, Farmers; Verner H. Jenson, Trucker; and Elmer Hedman, garage operator; appeared in regard to the roads in the vicinity of South Shore; after some discussion, the Board agreed to do everything possible to take care of these roads and build them as fast as the Program planning could be worked out.

A motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Keenan to abate the interest on personal prop. tax of Mr. & Mrs. Engwald Johnson in the amount of $59.10; motion carried.

On a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner, the taxes of G. Albrecht were abated due to a double assessment, both in Codington County and Duel County, in the amount of $67.21; motion carried. 40 head of cattle were assessed.

The Treasurer's report to the Auditor for the month of August, was as follows; Cash on hand and in Banks $301,191.13, Government Bonds $181,619.72, Jail Bonds $2500.00; Total $485,310.85, was approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad.

On a motion by Fromke and seconded by Keenan, the Board of County Commissioners, County Auditor, County Treasurer, Clerk of Courts, Register of Deeds, and the Highway Superintendent was authorized to attend the State Meeting at Custer, September 18, 19, 20th of the County Officers, with expenses paid as prescribed by law.

A motion was made and duly seconded that the Board adjourn until September 27, 1955 at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Belch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
September 13, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

A motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Keenan to adopt the Annual Budget.

Pursuant to Sec. 12.2003 SDC 1939 and amendments thereto, the business of adopting the annual budget for the Calendar year of 1956 came before the Board at this time. The provisional budget for 1956 with changes as noted were made. It was then moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan that the provisional budget, with the changes made by the Board be adopted as the Annual Budget for the year of 1956. Motion carried.

ANNUAL BUDGET FOR CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA, FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR JANUARY 1, 1956 TO DECEMBER 31, 1956 AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 12.2003 SDC 1939.

FUNDS: ITEMS:	(1) ESTIMATED OTHER REVENUE	(2) ESTIMATED CASH BALANCE	(3) ESTIMATED REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX	(4) TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUES & BALANCES FROM ALL SOURCES	(5) ADOPTED BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS CANNOT EQUAL MORE THAN 95% OF COLUMN 4
GENERAL FUND					
Commissioners Per Diem					9 400
Mileage					2 500
Expense, Advertising & Printing					7 000
Convention Expense					600
AUDITOR					
Office Expense					2 500
Election Expense					7 000
Assessor's Salaries & Supplies					1 800
Supervisor of Assessment					4 200
TREASURER					
Office Expense					2 800
Delinquent Tax Expense					4 300
Tax Deed Expense					300
Publication Fees					1 800
CLERK OF COURTS					
Office Expense					1 000
Vital Statistics					1 075
REGISTER OF DEEDS					
Office Expense					3 000
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS					
Office Expense					1 000
Travel Expense					800
County Institute					800

FUNDS: ITEMS:	(1) ESTIMATED OTHER REVENUE	(2) ESTIMATED CASH BALANCE	(3) ESTIMATED REAL AND PERS.PROP. TAX	(4) TOT.ESTD. REV. & BAL. FROM ALL SOURCES	(5) ADOPTED BUDGET APPROP. CANNOT EQUAL MORE THAN 95% OF COL. 4
SHERIFF					
Fees & Salary					4 500
Office Expense					400
Mileage					5 000
Board of Prisoners					2 000
Jailors Salary & Maint.of Jail					3 000
Radio					200
STATES ATTORNEY					
Office & Steno Expense					200
Mileage					200
COURTS					
Jurors, Witness Fees & C. Reporter					10 000
Justice Fees					200
Office Expense					300
Bailiffs					300
CORONER					
Expense					400
COUNTY VET. SERVICE OFFICER					
Expense & Salary					3 000
Court House Maintenance					30 000
State Accountant					500
Insurance, Bond Premiums and Workmen's Comp					2 800
Agriculture and Home Ext.					4 200
County Contest and Exhibits					200
Public Welfare Office Expense	300				500
County Insanity Board	12 500				500
Care of Poor and Poor Farm-Beverage Fund					59 000
Board of Health					1 200
Bounties, Trees					1 300
Crow and Magpie Bounty					25
Social Security					3 500
Other Funds Needed-Mellette Memorial					950
School Dist. Reorganization-Law Library					1 000
Memorial Day & Park					3 000
Burial Indigent Persons					1 000
Civil Defense					1 000
Equipment					5 000
Co. Moneys & Credits Tax	8 000				
Telephone Tax Outside	4 000				
Licenses	200				
Prior Tax Collections	10 000				
GENERAL FUND TOTALS	35 000	9 626	163 105	207 731	197 250
SALARY FUND					
Auditor					13 000
Treasurer					11 500
Clerk of Courts	3 500				6 200
Register of Deeds	7 100				8 000
Superintendent of Schools					6 300
States Attorney					6 800
County Judge					4 800
Municipal Judge					2 400
SALARY FUND TOTALS	10 600		51 600	62 200	59 000
INSANE FUND	2 000	15 000	8 280	25 280	24 000
FEEBLE MINDED FUND	500	3 200	4 000	7 700	7 300
CUSTER SANATORIUM FUND		3 158		3 158	3 000
COUNTY ROAD FUND			15 790	15 790	15 000
COUNTY ROAD FUND TOTALS			15 790	15 790	15 000
BRIDGE FUND		1 053		1 053	1 000
COURT HOUSE & JAIL BUILDING FUND		11 320	15 000	26 320	25 000
TOTALS OF FUNDS WITHIN LIMITED LEVY	48 100	43 357	257 775	349 232	331 550
COUNTY HIGHWAY & BRIDGE RESERVE FUND		110 000	60 000	170 000	160 000
SPECIAL BRIDGE FUND		5 000	32 000	37 000	35 000
COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL FUND		57 900		57 900	55 000
WEED CONTROL FUND-Must be organized			3 370	3 370	3 200
County Fair		17 320	9 000	26 320	25 000
TOTALS OF FUNDS OUTSIDE LIMITED LEVY		190 220	104 370	294 590	278 200
GRAND TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS LEVIES	48 100	233 577	362 145	643 822	609 750
COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL TUITION FUND		25 000	75 000	100 000	95 000
COMMON SCHOOL EQUALIZATION FUND			92 719	92 719	92 719
COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE FUND					
Construction & Maintenance	66 000	23 157		89 157	84 700
Co.Highway Supt. Office & Salary Expense	9 158			9 158	8 700
Workmen's Compensation	1 685			1 685	1 600
COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE FUND TOTALS	76 843	23 157		100 000	95 000

COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY	20 000			20 000	18 000
COUNTY HIGHWAY & BRIDGE FUND	53 700	20 000		73 700	70 000
TEXTBOOK REVOLVING FUND	10 550			10 550	10 000
SCHOOL LIBRARY FUND		1 580		1 580	1 500
GRAND TOTAL OF FUNDS NOT SUBJECT TO LEVIES	161 093	44 737		205 830	194 500
GRAND TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS	209 193	303 314	529 864	1 042 371	991 969

Verified claims checked and approved: GENERAL-Poor-Mrs. Augusta Bunde $25.00-for Joe LeTourneau; Burgdorf Nursing Home $180.00-for Ed McPeek $40.00, N. T. Nelson $55.00, Henry Spilde $40.00, L. N. Schulner $45.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Helseth Rest Home $75.00-for Louis Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00; Rose Kelly $15.00-for Wm. Boll; Kinstad Rest Home $176.00-for Earl Crocker $15.00, James Chambers $35.00, Rupert Gatchell $35.00, Carl Berge $30.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Ole Hanson $26.00; Mrs. Elizabeth Marsh $10.00-for Matt Kemp; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Sturdevant Rest Home $70.00-for August Warnke $30.00, Lorance Albrecht $40.00; Svendsen Nursing Home $185.70-for Mrs. P. DeMuynck $30.70, Rosa Dixon $30.00, Sarah Ann Black $30.00, Hilda Ebens $95.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $70.00-for Edith Kinsey $30.00, Ella Flanagan $40.00; St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $165.85-for Mary Myers $51.10, John Welter $114.75; Bacon Rexall Drug $10.15-for Wilhelmina Lentz; Bartron Hospital $3152.55-for Ervin Ault $763.70, Peter DeMuynck $134.85, Mrs. John Dobson $168.50, Chris Engels $316.10, Clem Jungen $102.50, Margaret Jungen $162.70, Roger Jungen $119.80, Albert Johnson $297.20, Leora Rose $35.50, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $204.25, Rex Richmond $358.55, Jerry O'Brien $227.75, Mrs. Steve Wisneski $261.15; Bartron Clinic $746.00-for Ervin Ault $67.50, Edwin Bates $4.00, Joyce Christensen $4.00, Earl Crocker $2.00, Peter DeMuynck $40.50, Mrs. John Dobson $36.00, Chris Engels $75.00, John Farley $6.00, Henrietta Fritz $20.00, Clem Jungen $28.50, Roger Jungen $30.00, Margaret Jungen $30.00, Emma Jenkins $2.00, Albert Johnson $60.00, Leora Rose $10.00, Frank Klucas $12.50, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $95.00, L. Mourere $3.00, Myrtle Nelson $2.00, Clarence Underhill Jr. $2.00, Sharon Lee Underhill $11.50, Fern Washtoak $8.00, Mrs. Steven Wisneski $78.00; Duffner Drug Store $144.67-for Carl Berge $9.90, Peter DeMuynck $2.47, Ola Hanson $16.20, Walter Richard $2.70, L. Mourere $11.43, August Warnke $6.34, Mathilda Blek $5.47, Mrs. Chas. Montney $14.62, Inga Yarns $13.14, Art Eastberg $5.75, Frank Metzinger $19.57, Wm. Boll $36.54, Rupert Gatchall $.54; Haggar Drug Store $195.19-for Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Czeck $6.48, Hilda Ebens $9.86, Mildred Taylor $16.65, Ellen Anderson $12.15, Fern Washtoak $23.31, Seymore Peterson $4.82, Edith Kinsey $1.13, Josephine Welter $6.66, N. T. Nelson $1.80, Frank Klucas $41.09, Henrietta Fritz $71.24; K.D. Inc. $14.15; Kreiser Drug $670.20-for Mrs. Chas. Alt $10.62, Art Eastberg $29.07, S. Wisneski $28.45, Mrs. Brad Barkley $3.96, Ella Flanagan $3.51, Lena Radtke $23.13, Mrs. John Kirkeby $3.60, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $4.73, Blair Tessier $92.02, Mrs. Anna Christianson $20.61, Clem Jungen $7.20, Leora Rose $20.61, Rex Richmond $24.48, Francis Kreger $5.76, Esther Kinsey $1.98, Albert Johnson $4.86, Nellie Jensen $4.77, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $16.38, Mrs. John Dobson $6.69, James Chambers $41.80, Earl Crocker $36.77, Louise Teigen $18.63, Hilda Ebens $10.71, Ben Bergerson $2.33, Chris Engels $3.24, Lonnie Van Winsen $2.16, Hilda Haack $5.67, Carl Becker $7.20, Nels C. Nielson $3.78, Myrtle Nelson $22.95, Louise Richter $35.07, Mrs. Matt Lenards $10.80, Anna Kennedy $1.80, Dorothy Flathers $25.66, Mrs. John Stanley $26.01, Jerry O'Brien $16.56, Clem Jungen $.47, Chas. Bierscheid $17.55, George West $10.80, Thos. Benson $19.66, Harold York $38.15; Chas. T. Miller Hospital $110.50-for Arthur Mills; J. C. Penney Co. $24.29-for Mary Vermillion; Sears Roebuck & Co. $2.76-for Rupert Gatchall; Spies Super Valu $90.00-for Arthur Larson $15.00, Mrs. Blair Tessier $15.00, Amanda & Chris Jensen $15.00, Edward Bates $15.00, Myrtle Nelson $15.00, Myron B. Corwin $15.00; Thomes Drug Store $104.17-for Lena Trumer $2.79, Alfred Vick $29.43, Richard DePeel $2.16, Chas. Bierscheid $13.68, John Farley $6.72, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $6.30, Jerry O'Brien $11.74, Anna Parsley $4.44, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $2.57, James Chambers $3.46, Margaret Papka $6.62, Ed Wight $1.35, R. A. Vance $3.01, Lorance Albrecht $9.90; Dr. M. C. Thompson $75.00-for Louisa Richter $7.00, Mildred Taylor $6.00, Emma Lehman Dralle $5.00, Clarence Morrison $2.00, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $12.50, Marion Kraft $12.00, Lorance Albrecht $30.50; Salvation Army $20.00; Publication Fees-Henry Independent $116.90; Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent $71.25; South Shore Gazette $98.73; Watertown Public Opinion $196.27; Auditor's Office Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $3.20; Dakota Business Machines $44.00; F. C. Grow Sons-Printers $10.00; Addressograph Sales Agency $37.00; Monroe Calculating Machine Co. $21.00, Ruhe Stationery $9.11; Treasurer's Office Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $46.00; Ruhe Stationery $8.00; County Extension-F. C. Grow Sons-Printers $23.00; Ruhe Stationery $12.10; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $1.40; Brown & Saenger $49.31; Carlson's $11.00; News Printing Co. $67.00; States Attorney's Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $4.80; LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $1.50; Court Expense-Ruhe Stationery $22.55; American Law Institute $10.00; Bartron Clinic $25.00; Dana J. Lepler, D.D.S. $49.00; Assessor's Supplies-Midwest-Beach $559.55; Superintendent of Schools Office Expense-Midwest-Beach Co. $4.89; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $2.08; Tax Collector-James Nelson $862.90; Tax Deed Expense-Hazel Schliesmann $65.00; Register of Deeds Office Expense-News Printing Co. $3.07; Remington Rand, Inc. $152.45; Radio-Roberts Radio $10.00; Veterans Service-Dorothy O. Thomas $114.00; Memorial Park-Mileage Market $7.49; Northwest Products Co. $38.25; Northwestern Public Service Co. $26.50; Law Library-West Publishing Co. $738.50; County Extension-Extension Service $21.10; Board of Insanity-H. T. Kenney, M.D. $15.00; Ray M. Shenk $5.00; Court House Maintenance-Herbert C. Borns $7.50; Chets Bicycle Service $89.11; City Treasurer $320.12; Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $19.40; Egge Electric Company $8.01; Hertz Rent-A-Car $2.50; Marquardt's Service $.27; Maxwell Hotel Supply Co. $18.05; Metz Baking Co. $6.00; Mileage Market $1.50; Nelson Hardware $13.20; Northwest Products Co. $31.20; Otis Elevator Co. $124.61; Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $303.85; Ruth Shenk $6.67; Oswald D. Thompson $3.50; Watertown Home Improvement Co. $50.00; Cave Supply Co. $8.87; Watertown Machine Works $10.00; County Farm-City Treasurer $11.95; Mileage Market $.90; J. C. Penney Co. $4.36; Spies Super Valu $8.03; Liens Grocery $41.02; Marshall-Wells Store $8.41; Olson Appliance Co. $5.80; Park Grant Co. $22.82; Redlinger Bros. $2.25; Sunshine State Hatchery, Inc. $5.90; Watertown Co-op Elevator Co. $41.27; Court Expense-Duffner Dug Store $1.50; Irv A. Hinderaker $25.00; Memorial Park-Marshall-Wells Store $2.99; Radio-Bill Hinde $6.00; ROAD-City Treasurer $5.13; Paper Calmenson Co. $853.23; NW Public Service $6.10; Harold Scriver $2.50; Wilson Transfer & Storage Co. $1.75; C.M.V.-Marquardt's Service $47.80; J. C. Penney Co. $11.70; Botsford Lumber Co. $46.70; Cave Supply Co. $225.83; Codington County Imp. Co. $5.30; Dakota Welding Supply Co. $12.89; Empire Equipment Co. $151.90; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $92.60; Florence Service $25.28; Foster-Bell Co. $29.92; Gooch Sales Co. $5.47; Bill Hinde $34.15; Kenneth Hayes Magneto & Elec. Co. $57.92;

International Harvester Co. $215.05; Philip Jesme $30.00; Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $10.57; K & Z Service $23.64; LaNoue Radiator Shop $10.85; Lyle Signs, Inc. $174.90; Mahowald Company $10.70; Motor Supply Co. $33.21; Phillips 66 Service $41.29; Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $58.79; Arthur Schwandt $23.35; Clarence B. Sumner $6.79; Watertown Iron & Metal Co. $18.75; Watertown Machine Works $15.18; Howard Williams $28.21; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Mileage Market $370.77; Watertown Tire Co. $536.86; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $865.71; C.H.&B.R. Clarence B. Sumner $25.83; Howard Williams $27.02; Northwestern Road Supply Co. $254.95; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Northwestern Road Supply Co. $5.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Kampeska)-Edith Peck $22.49; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Lake)-Watertown Street Dept. $30.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $50.04; TEXTBOOK-Allyn & Bacon, Inc. $122.40; American Book Co. $36.46; Chicago & Northwestern Ry. Co. $9.10; Educator Supply Co. $162.44; Hub City School Supply Co. $26.72; Laidlau Bros. $103.31; McCormick-Mathers Publishing Co. $11.20; Charles E. Merrill Books $68.90; F. A. Owen Publishing Co.$41.10; The A.N. Palmer Co. $121.75; Silver Burdett Co. $72.37; Western Transportation Co. $3.83; The John C. Winston Co. $89.29; TUITION-Goodwin Independent Cons. School $663.52; Hazel Independent Consolidated School $2978.91; Waverly Independent Consolidated School $4879.28; Webster High School $331.76; INSTITUTE-Roy Swenson $25.00; Mrs. Art Hendrickson $5.00; Peter Kaufmann; Mrs. Doris Nelson $10.00;

Tree bounty claims having been inspected by the Board of Commissioners were approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Fromke to concur with the Attorney General's opinion and reject the abatement of Donald Lobitz. Motion carried.

The report of Walter Farl, Clerk of Courts, for the month of August was approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan.

The Board instructed the Auditor to advertize for applications for the position of Supervisor of Assessors.

An abatement for Dr. Spencer on a structure, which was assessed in the city of Watertown, and should be in Elmira Township, where it had been assessed, being a double assessment, was granted on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan, motion concurring with the city of Watertown.

Bonds of the following officers were approved: Mrs. Ina Hividhyld, Sadie Cummins, A.F. Hilts, Eldon Flurry, and Harold Hansen, on a motion by Fromke and seconded by Skinner.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until Monday, September 26 at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Moved by Fromke and seconded by Keenan that the Co. Superintendent of Schools be authorized to attend the Dist. Meeting at Webster, with expenses paid as prescribed by law. Motion carried.

Watertown, S. D.
September 23,1955

A meeting was called by the County Auditor, Irma Welch, as prescribed in the South Dakota Code, Chapter 422 of the Session Laws of 1955, for the purpose of electing a six man committee to act as a selection committee in selecting a Supervisor of Assessors for the County of Codington for one year. The following officers of the County, Cities, and villages were present:
County Commissioners- Vernon Belk, James Keenan, Adolph Hogstad, Herb Skinner, and Oscar Fromke.
Mayors of First Class Cities- Mayor Everett Creaser.
Mayors of second class cities- Robert Pack, Wallace and a representative from Henry.
Presidents of the Independent School Districts- William Comes, Waverly WCI; Laverne Hubbard, Watertown District #1; Frank Riley, Florence; Gilbert Bruflat, Wallace; and Jacob Carlson, South Shore.
Township Board Chairmen- M.A. Hanten, Kranzburg; Howard McFarland, Pelican; Paul McElhany, Kampeska; Charles Thoreson, Henry Township; Edward Fox, Elmira; Ethan Ostrander, Lake; Earl Wishard, Richland; A.C. Boles, Waverly; Elmer Schmeling, Rauville; Joe Becking, Fuller; Lee Johnson, Phipps; T. F. Riley,Dexter; and Theo Lovick, Eden;
School Board Chairmen- Elmer Borns, Dist. #3; Albert Schultz, #6; Mrs. Vernon Benthin, #7; Vern Thorsen, #10; Leo Klien #11; George Rindells, #12; Chris Kirsch, #14; Edgar Bunde, #15; John Endres, #17; Arbie Ronke, #19; C.A. Hanson,#20; George Blais, #24; Herman Schultz, #32; Thomas Peterson, #33; Erwin Sasse, #49; Jack O'Toole #60; Donald Waege,#63; Lewis Bursvold,#70; John Gullickson, #72; Melvin Heathcote #41; Grover Peterson #42;
The six man committee was selected to represent the various groups, as follows: Vernon Belk, County Board of Commissioners; Everett Creaser, Mayor of Watertown; Robert Pack, small towns and villages; Independent School Districts, Frank Riley of Florence; Township Boards; DeLois DeBerg, School Board Chairman, within the County.

On a motion by Frank Riley and seconded by Robert Pack, Vernon Belk was selected to act as Chairman.

It was moved by Robert Pack and seconded by Frank Riley that Odtober 15, 1955 be set as the deadline for receiving applications; motion carried.

Moved by Howard McFarland and seconded by DeBerg to meet October 20, 1955 at 7:30 P.M. in the County Auditor's Office, to consider the applications for the Supervisor of Assessors. All applicants are requested to be present at the time and place set by the Selection Committee to be interviewed at that time.

A motion was made by Everett Creaser and seconded by Robert Pack to file the applications in the Auditor's Office and names be released as requested by the public.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the meeting adjourned until October 20, at 7:30 P.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
September 27, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved: SALARY-County Auditor-Irma E. Welch $325.00, Pearl Bergan $210.00, Alice Olson $190.00, Kathleen Turbak $180.00, Edna Derenthal $150.00; County Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00, Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Margaret Brown $296.68, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson $150.00; Superintendent of Schools-Hazel G. Murphy $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75, Ross H. Oviatt $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $400.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $118.56, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veteran's Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-William J. Meyer $250.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $160.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $113.00; Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Memorial Park-Arnold Hoftiezer $100.00, Bessie Hoftiezer $100.00; Sheriff's Fees & Salary-Bert Smith $85.00; Convention & Research-Margaret Brown $33.04, Oscar J. Fromke $41.72, Adolph Hogstad $29.00, James L. Keenan $92.00, C. S. Rasmusson $34.75, Hazel Schliesmann $28.90, Herb Skinner $98.00, Irma Welch $96.75; Per Diem, Mileage & Salary-Vernon H. Belk $86.90, Oscar J. Fromke $112.50, Adolph Hogstad $82.56, James L. Keenan $82.00, Herb Skinner $105.30; Tree Bounty-Delma Andrisen $10.00, Edward F. Becking $21.50, Joe Becking $1.00, Carl Benthin $6.00, Menno Borkhuis $5.50, Alfred C. Briggs $11.25, William Comes $11.20, Dan Curley $10.00, Delmer Dale $15.00, Charles Darling $12.50, John Erickson $28.50, Julius Feyereisen $12.50, John M. Fischer $15.00, Joseph Fischer $25.00, Hanten Bros. $13.00, Frank Hupf $3.75, Earling Johnson $16.25, Karen C. Kjos $19.50, John Klein $17.50, Delia Kranz $8.00, Al Kranz $14.50, Wilbert M. Kranz $25.00; Wilfred D. Kranz $21.50, Calvin Kucker $18.50, Harold LaFramboise $10.00, Frank Lantgen $10.50, Archie W. Little $6.50, Emil Lura $6.50, Paul McElhaney $20.50, Albert Maag $10.00, Leo Mack $7.50, Helmuth Noeldner $5.00, Orville E. Noeldner $27.50, Donald Nogelmeier $16.00, John E. O'Toole $33.50, Clarence Passig $7.50, Ralph Raml $7.50, Edward Redlin $10.00, Robert Redlin $30.00, Ed Redmond $5.00, Pat Redmond $5.00, Ed Ronke $15.50, L. C. Rueschenberg $11.50, Oscar Skogstad $26.00, Maynard Stormo $8.75, John P. Stricherz $12.00, Nick Stricherz $7.50, Nick Stricherz $34.50, John Sturm $13.00, Ben J. Thyen $14.50, Peter Tritz $13.00, George E. Trygstad $11.25, Jerome J. Turbak $7.50, Watertown Sales Pavilion $8.50, Oscar Wilson $5.60, Louis Zielsky $6.50, WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $176.05; CMV-C. S. Rasmusson $525.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00; Sever Tobiason $205.00; John Rennie $163.61; J. P. Haug $275.00; Joe Stricherz $160.38; Claude VanSickle $263.17; Harold Scriver $222.38; James Hendren $129.27; Howard Williams $266.94; Carl Zweig, Jr. $191.65; Ed Gould $8.75; Alfred Spring $154.30; Burton Jackson $147.50; Fred Brownell $1.69; John Strait $40.00; Chas. Krogman $2.04; Clarence Helle $63.60; Otis C. Olson $46.20; Julius Lentz $.64; Andrew T. Larson $5.64; Curtis Underwood $94.16; Leo Clausen $53.02; Thomas Spiering $11.00; Francis Schmeling $99.60; Joe H. Schmeling $105.00; Peter W. DeVille $217.00; Clarence B. Sumner $216.23; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Kampeska)-$10.35; Harold Scriver $9.20; James Hendren $82.50; Burton Jackson $50.00; Clarence Helle $35.00; Otis C. Olson $5.00; Curtis Underwood $15.00; Clarence B. Sumner $26.45; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Pelican)-John Rennie $72.45; Joe Stricherz $138.00; James Hendren $117.00; Howard Williams $27.00; Carl Zweig, Jr. $106.65; Ed Gould $18.75; Alfred Spring $35.00; Burton Jackson $28.75; John Strait $145.00; Chas. Krogman $46.00; Clarence Helle $57.00; Otis C. Olson $125.00; Julius Lentz $15.00; Andrew T. Larson $15.00; Curtis Underwood $62.00; Leo Clausen $141.00; Thomas Spiering $142.00; Francis Schmeling $110.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Dexter)-John Rennie $4.60; Harold Scriver $33.35; Ed Gould $91.25; Alfred Spring $67.50; Burton Jackson $67.50; Fred Brownell $73.50; John Strait $10.00; Chas. Krogman $75.00; Clarence Helle $21.00; Otis C. Olson $10.00; Julius Lentz $73.00; Andrew T. Larson $73.00; Curtis Underwood $17.00; Leo Clausen $10.00; Thomas Spiering $10.00; Clarence B. Sumner $44.85; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Lake)-John Strait $20.00; Chas. Krogman $53.00; Clarence Helle $43.00; Otis C. Olson $20.00; Leo Clausen $20.00; CH&BR-Claude VanSickle $27.60; Harold Scriver $2.30; Ed Gould $45.60; Alfred Spring $25.00; Burton Jackson $12.50; Fred Brownell $47.25; John Strait $20.00; Otis C. Olson $20.00; Julius Lentz $45.00; Andrew T. Larson $45.00; Curtis Underwood $20.00; Leo Clausen $20.00; Thomas Spiering $41.00; Clarence B. Sumner $2.30; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $125.00; Fred Brownell $94.50; John Strait $10.00; Chas. Krogman $51.60; Julius Lentz $94.00; Andrew T. Larson $99.00; Curtis Underwood $30.00; GENERAL-Court Expense-Cecilia M. Beirne $78.64; Tree Bounty-Frances Lindner $11.00;

Herman Johnson and son Harlan came before the Board in regard to a car hitting a rock in the road that was under construction on September 14, 1955 about 9:30 P.M. between sections 28-29-119-54, ½ mile north of the Frank Riley place, north of Florence. After some discussion it was decided to turn the matter over to the insurance company that covers county liability.

Ed Gribbin appeared as Consul for Susie Mack, an invalid, in regard to care in a nursing home.

The Auditor was authorized to get prices on ten (10) voting booths to be constructed by the Primary election of 1956.

The bond of Hilda Harrington was approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

Francis Burns appeared as consul for Matt Suttor, Jim Suttor, and Ernest Konrady, in regard to School District Boundaries. No action was taken.

Deeds for Charles Gaumitz for OL 33, Section 36-117-53 for $25.00, and Jerome Pionk for Lots 53, 54, Block 55 - Replat of West Watertown in the amount of $20.00 were approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan; motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until Tuesday, October 4th at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

1955

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles of Main Line and Side Track and the value per mile for the year 1955 of each of the railroads running through or into said County, as fixed by said Commission, to-wit:

COMPANY, LINE OR DIVISION	MILEAGE MAIN LINE	MILEAGE SIDE TRACK	VALUATION PER MILE MAIN	VALUATION PER MILE SIDE	VALUATION MAIN LINE	VALUATION SIDE TRACK	TOTAL VALUATION
CHICAGE & NORTHWESTERN							
Minnesota State Line	11.76	.26	5 563	1 356	195 983	353	196 336
Dakota Division	26.36	.52	5 189	1 367	144 502	711	145 213
GREAT NORTHERN							
Watertown to Huron	33.06	.76	6 079	1 959	243 593	1 489	245 082
Watertown to Sioux Falls	5.68	.12	4 520	994	31 891	119	32 010
M & ST. L.							
Pacific Division	16.65	.39	2 682	654	75 635	255	75 890
Northwestern Division	24.19	.36	2 014	654	58 069	235	58 304
TOTALS	117.70	2.41			749 673	3 162	752 835

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State that the number of miles of Main Line and Side Track, shown by the plats of each of said railroads on file in the office of the County Auditor, and the value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township and school district of Codington County, South Dakota for the year 1955 shall be as follows:

BY TOWNSHIPS

NAME OF TAXING DISTRICTS	MILEAGE MAIN LINE	MILEAGE SIDE TRACK	VALUATION PER MILE MAIN	VALUATION PER MILE SIDE	VALUATION MAIN LINE	VALUATION SIDE TRACK	TOTAL VALUATION
Watertown, C&NW, Minn.Line	2.14				142 467		142 467
C&NW, Dakota Div.	2.50				20 225		20 225
Great Northern,Hur.	2.85				56 866		56 866
M&St. L.,Pacific	2.06				36 505		36 505
M&St.L., Northwest	1.45				6 068		6 068
G.N., Sioux Falls	.00				6 217		6 217
Henry, C&NW, Dakota Division	1.02				5 760		5 760
South Shore, G.N., Huron Br.	1.26				10 740		10 740
Florence, M&St.L., Northwest	.51				4 704		4 704
Wallace, M&St.L., Northwest	.50				3 533		3 533
Kranzburg, C&NW, Minn.Line	6.09	.26	5 563	1 356	33 879	353	34 232
Sheridan, C&NW, Dakota Div.	6.71	.23	5 189	1 367	34 818	315	35 133
Pelican, C&NW, Dakota Div.	4.58		5 189		23 766		23 766
Pelican, G.N., Huron Br.	7.25		6 079		44 073		44 073
Pelican, G.N., Sioux Falls, Br.	5.68	.12	4 520	994	25 674	119	25 793
Kampeska, C&NW, Dakota Div.	6.09	.29	5 189	1 367	31 601	396	31 997
Kampeska, G.N. Huron Br.	2.69	.38	6 079	1 959	16 352	744	17 096
Henry, C&NW, Dakota Div.	4.92		5 189		25 530		25 530
Elmira, C&NW, Minn. Div.	3.53		5 563		19 637		19 637
Elmira, M&St.L., Pacific Div.	6.15		2 682		16 494		16 494
Elmira, G.N., Huron Br.	2.25		6 079		13 678		13 678
Lake, C&NW, Dakota Div.	.54		5 189		2 802		2 802
Lake, G.N., Huron Br.	1.77		6 079		10 760		10 760
Lake, M&St.L., Northwest Div.	6.52	.35	2 014	654	13 131	229	13 360
Waverly, M&St.L., Pacific Div.	8.44	.39	2 682	654	22 636	255	22 891
Waverly, G.N., Huron Branch	.90		6 079		5 471		5 471
Rauville, G.N. Huron Branch	7.74	.38	6 079	1 959	47 052	745	47 797
Fuller, M&St.L., Northwest	7.69		2 014		15 487		15 487
Leola, G.N., Huron Branch	6.35		6 079		38 601		38 601
Dexter, M&St. L., Northwest	1.93		2 014		3 887		3 887
Eden, M&St.L., Northwest	5.59	.01	2 014	654	11 259	06	11 265
TOTALS	117.70	2.41			749 673	3 162	752 835

BY SCHOOL DISTRICTS

SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER	MILEAGE MAIN LINE	MILEAGE SIDE TRACK	VALUE PER MILE MAIN LINE	VALUE PER MILE SIDE TRACK	VALUATION MAIN LINE	VALUATION SIDE TRACK	TOTAL VALUATION
Watertown #1	11.49				270 891		270 891
Ind.27,C&NW, Dakota Div.	3.44		5 189		18 317		18 317
Ind.28, M&St.L., Northwest Div.	3.51		2 014		10 746		10 746
Ind.38,G.N., Huron Branch	2.38		6 079		17 548		17 548
Wallace Ind.,M&St.L., Northwest	2.03	.01	2 014	654	6 615	6	6 621
WC1,G.N., Huron Branch	6.60		6 079		40 122		40 122
WC1, M&St.L., Pacific Div.	6.62	.39	2 682	654	17 755	255	18 010
No.2, C&NW, Dakota Division	4.65		5 189		24 129		24 129
No.3, M&St.L., Northwest Div.	3.96		2 014		7 975		7 975

No.4,C&NW, Dakota Division	.33	.07	5 189	1 367	1 712	96	1 808
No.5, C&NW, Minn.State Line	3.04	.26	5 563	1 356	16 911	353	17 264
No.7,G.N., Sioux Falls Br.	5.68	.12	4 520	994	25 674	119	25 793
No.7,G.N., Huron Branch	3.62		6 079		22 006		22 006
No.8, G.N., Huron Branch	4.02		6 079		24 438		24 438
No.9, C&NW, Dakota Division	3.58		5 189		18 577		18 577
No.10,M&St.L., Northwest Div.	.65		2 014		1 309		1 309
No.13,G.N., Huron Branch	3.20	.38	6 079	1 959	19 453	745	20 198
No.14,M&St.L., Pacific Div.	5.26		2 682		14 107		14 107
No.16,C&NW, Minnesota Line	2.01		5 563		11 182		11 182
No.17,C&NW, Minnesota Line	3.53		5 563		19 637		19 637
No.17, C&NW, Dakota Divis.	2.24		5 189		11 623		11 623
No.24,C&NW, Dakota Divis.	2.98	.29	5 189	1 367	15 463	396	15 859
No.25,G.N., Huron Branch	2.69	.38	6 079	1 959	16 352	744	17 096
No.29,C&NW, Dakota Division	2.50		5 189		12 973		12 973
No.36,G.N., Hurnn Branch	2.88		6 079		17 507		17 507
No.39,G.N., Huron Branch	3.63		6 079		22 067		22 067
No.41,M&St.L., Northwest Div.	1.17		2 014		2 356		2 356
No.43, M&St.L., North W.Div.	1.49		2 014		3 001		3 001
No.46,M&St.L., Northwest Div.	3.08		2 014		6 203		6 203
No.51,M&St.L., Northwest Div.	3.77		2 014		7 593		7 593
No.63,M&St.L., Pacific Div.	2.71		2 682		7 268		7 268
No.64,C&NW, Minnesota Line	1.04		5 563		5 786		5 786
No.66,C&NW, Dakota Division	3.65	.16	5 189	1 367	18 940	219	19 159
No.67,G.N., Huron Branch	1.19		6 079		7 234		7 234
No.73, M&St.L., Northwest Div.	3.08	.35	2 014	654	6 203	229	6 432
TOTALS	117.70	2.41			749 673	3 162	752 835

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 13th day of September, 1955.

Vernon H Belk
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

ATTEST:

Inna Welch
County Auditor

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles and total valuation for the year 1955 of each of the Pipeline Companies running through or into said County, as fixed by said Commission, to-wit:

NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Great Lakes Pipeline Company	11.09	144 920

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State that the number of miles of Pipeline Companies, shown by the plats of each pipeline company on file in the office of the County Auditor, and value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township, and school district of Codington County, South Dakota, for the year 1955 be as follows:

TAXING DISTRICT	NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Kranzburg	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	6.69	14 050
Sheridan	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	4.40	130 870
	TOTALS	11.09	144 920

SCHOOL DISTRICT	NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
1	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	.51	122 700
11	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	2.05	4 310 1-11
12	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	3.91	8 210 1-12
17	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	3.34	7 010 2-17
52	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	1.28	2 690
	TOTALS	11.09	144 920

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 13th day of September, 1955.

Vernon H Belk
Chairman, Board of County Comm.

ATTEST:

Inna Welch, County Auditor

1955
ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles and total valuation for the year 1955 of each of the Electric Light or Power Companies running through or into said county, as fixed by said Commission, to-wit:

NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Northwest Public Service Co.	73.60	126 158
Otter Tail Power Company	3.25	5 954

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State that the number of miles of Electric Light and Power Companies, shown by the plats of each said Electric Light and Power Company on file in the Office of the County Auditor, and value thereof in each City, incorporated town, township and school district of Codington County, South Dakota, for the year 1955 be as follows:

TAXING DISTRICT	NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Watertown	Northwest Public Service Co.	3.50 ✓	27 450 21,255
South Shore	Otter Tail Power Co.	1.70 ✓	5 030 6306
Florence	Northwest Public Serv.Co.		4 950 8875
Henry	Northwest Public Serv.Co.		5 600 12395
Wallace	Northwest Public Serv.Co.		3 400 6520
Kranzburg	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	8.00 ✓	8 379 16645
Kampeska	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	13.00 15.00	11 683 15810
Henry Twp.	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	12.00 ✓	12 295 23305
Elmira	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	12.60 11.61	15 236 14750
Lake	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	12.00 10.5	26 500 31420 ✓
Richland	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	1.00 ✓	753 750
Fuller	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	.50 ✓	390 1100
Leola	Otter Tail Power Company	1.55 ✓	924 1152
Dexter	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	4.00 ✓	2 830 3655
Eden	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	~~6.50~~ 6.01 ✓	4 692 5395
Sheridan	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	.50 ✓	2 000 1860
	TOTALS	76.85	132 112 53 0
Graceland	NW Pub Serv.	— 75.35	171,799

SCHOOL DISTRICT	Name OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Watertown	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	5.00 ✓	30 101
South Shore Ind. 31	Otter Tail Power Company	3.25 ✓	5 954 1464
Wallace, Ind. 37	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	4.00	6 287
Florence Ind. 28	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	3.50	7 463
Henry Ind. 27	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	6.50	12 260
No. 2	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	5.50	18 500
No. 3	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	2.00	1 000
No. 5	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	5.00 Kranz.	6 400 —
No. 6	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	1.00	753
No. 9	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	9.00	7 188
No. 16	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	2.00 Kranz	1 320 —
No. 17	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	11.60 Sheridan	14 585
No. 24	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	2.00	6 350
No.25	Northwest Public Service Co.	4.00	3 895
No. 29	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	2.50	2 561
No. 44	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	2.00	1 000
No. 51	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	3.50	2 512
No. 54	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	3.00	3 074
No. 64	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	1.00 Kranz	659 —
No. 73	Northwest Public Serv.Co.	.50	250
	TOTALS	76.85 75.35	132 112 171,799

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 13th day of September, 1955.

Vernon H Zelch
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

ATTEST:
Inna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
October 4, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all commissioners present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $133.90;

The bills for Yankton, $1811.84, Custer $100.10 and Redfield $699.17 were approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

Bounty claims approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Keenan as follows: Jack Nordstrom, Paul DeBerg, Bob Adams, Keith Arbogast, Mrs. Alvin Rossow, Mrs. Don Hjermstad, Mrs. Ralph Raml, Robert J. Nicols, Glen Buchholz, Ray Sieveke, James Stewart, each $4.00; Bob Adams $12.00; Vern Frantz, L. T. Brekke $7.50 each; Mrs. Harley McFerran $8.00;

The commissioners and other county officials were invited to attend a district meeting held at Sisseton October 6, 1955 at 3:00 P.M.

Mabel Hanson's bond, Clerk of Watertown School District #1, was approved on a motion by Fromke and seconded by Keenan; motion carried.

George Burke, Veterans Service Officer's report for the month of September was approved.

Chairman Belk appointed Commissioner Skinner, Fromke and himself to serve as a committee to meet with the American Legion and the City in regard to the location of the three acres that was presented to the county by the Legion.

Motion was duly made and seconded to adjourn until October 11th, at 10:00 A.M.

Anna Belk
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
October 11, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved: GENERAL-Poor-Augusta Bunde $25.00-for Joe LeTourneau; Annette Burgdorf $140.00-for N.T. Nelson $55.00, L.N. Schulner $45.00, Henry Spilde $40.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Rose Kelly $15.00-for Wm. Boll; Kinstad Rest Home' $191.00-for Ole Hanson $26.00, Earl Crocker $15.00, Rupert Gatchell $35.00, Carl Berge $30.00, Peter DeMuynck $15.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, James Chambers $35.00; Elizabeth Marsh $10.00-for Matt Kemp; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $85.85-for Lorance Albrecht $40.00, August Warnke $30.00, Joseph Croft $15.85; Svendsen Nursing Home $167.70-for Mrs. P.DeMuynck $12.70, Sarah Ann Black $30.00, Rosa Dixon $30.00, Hilda Ebens $95.00, Watertown Rest Home $75.00-for L. Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $70.00-for Edith Kinsey $30.00, Ella Flanagan $40.00; Bartron Hospital $2838.10-for Irvin Ault $428.70, Joseph Croft $231.40, Chris Engels $333.25, Art Eastberg $328.35, Maxine Asby $160.60, Ludwig Grewing $118.25, Mrs. Wm. Glendening $37.15, Albert Johnson $212.40, Francis Kreger $130.00, Jerry O'Brien $223.50, Chester Olson $175.25, Leora Mae Rose $38.00, Mrs. Bennie Olson $252.75, Lonnie Van Winson $43.00, Ed Wight $8.00, Harold York $117.50; Bartron Clinic $1036.50-for Vernon Anderson $51.00, Irvin Ault $30.00, Mrs. Edwin Bates $12.00, Henry Becker $2.00, Blanche Berry $11.50, Mathilda Blek $2.00, Robert Baker $2.00, Joseph Croft $30.00, Earl Crocker $5.00, Mrs. John Dobson $16.00, Peter DeMuynck $3.00, Chris Engels $75.00, Art Eastberg $79.00, Henrietta Fritz $6.00, Maxine Asby $93.00, John Farley $12.00, Ludwig Grewing $36.00, Mrs. Wm. Blendenning $15.50, Ole Hanson $8.00, Earl Jensen $4.00, Pauline Jungen $12.00, Albert Johnson $30.00, Henry Kraft $6.00, Frank & Emma Klucas $5.00, Francis Kreger $34.00, Cathryn McLaughlin $4.00, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $15.00, Frank Metzinger $2.00, Nels Nielson $2.00, Jerry O'Brien $30.00, Chester Olson $75.00, Leora Mae Rose $34.00, Mrs. Bennie Olson $75.00, Seymore Peterson $2.00, Ed Thompson $4.00, Blair Tessier $16.00, Bertha Strait $24.00, Alfred Vick $24.00, Lonnie VanWinsen $18.50, Ferne Washtoak $42.00, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Wisneski $6.00, Ed Wight $6.00, Harold York $75.00; Duffner Drug $180.19-for Inga Yarns $6.03, Ludwig Grewing $1.62, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Wisneski $20.34, Mrs. Chas. Montney $14.62, Frank Metzinger $20.43, Mathilda Blek $6.80, Henry Kraft $3.78, Peter DeMuynck $6.75, Carl Berge $10.80, Ole Hanson $14.22, L. Mourere $8.28, August Warnke $8.59, Esther L. Kinsey $.67, Jessie Lipelt $9.00, Wm. Boll $32.06, Harry G. Fisher $16.20; Thomes Drug Store $201.55-for Mrs. John Dobson $6.08, Francis Schmeling $7.65, Robert Baker $2.61, Francis Kreger $5.54, Jerry O'Brien $12.92, Joseph Croft $.77, Harry Freeseman $5.22, Margaret Papka $14.54, Anna Parsley $4.95, Ludwig Grewing $8.01, Maxine Asby $.54, Blair Tessier $1.80, Irvin R. Ault $2.97, R. A. Vance $3.01, Art Eastberg $6.75, Chas. Bierscheid $25.96, John Farley $19.20, Bertha Strait $32.94, Lawrence Albrecht $2.70, Richard DePeel $2.16, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $5.80, Alfred Vick $29.43; Bacon Rexall Drug $9.05-for Wilhelmina Lentz; L. L. Blake $7.80; Annette Burgdorf $150.00-for Susan Mack, Haggar Drug Store $217.82-for N.T. Nelson $3.60, Seymore Peterson $10.89, Wm. Czeck $6.48, Henrietta Fritz $76.01, Ellen Anderson $17.10, Fern Washtoak $47.75, Katherine M. Vaughn $13.50, Mildred Taylor $4.73, Blanche Edwards Berry $9.09, Josephine Welter $12.69, Mae Mitchell $3.29, Vernon Anderson $12.69; Dr. C.A. Halbkat $15.00-for L. Mourere; Ellis Hanson $35.00-for Diane Henderson; R.E. Hunter $15.30-for Carole Anderson $5.00, Clarence Underhill $10.30; J.J. Inman $13.85-for Chris Engels; Walter T. Judge, M.D. $3.00-for Mrs. Mary Myers; Kreiser Drug Store $775.07-for Edith Kinsey $3.96, Carl Henry Becker $20.03, Ludwig Grewing $.86, Ben Bergerson $.90, Ella Flanagan $3.51, Irvin Ault $202.27, Anna Christianson $10.62, Edgar Wight $.81, Blair Tessier $27.40, Hilda Ebens $27.68, Art Eastberg $15.84, Lizzie Alt $8.68, Louisa Tiegen $12.42, Mr. & Mrs. P. DeMuynck $37.06, Albert Johnson $13.77, Mrs. Wm. Blendenning $15.17, Cathryn McLaughlin $4.32, Jerry O'Brien $13.50, Francis Kreger $18.36, Lena Radtke $44.79,

Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $37.14, Mrs. John Dobson $27.71, Chris Engels $6.48, Rosa Jane Dixon $2.70, Leora Mae Rose $28.80, Nels C. Nielson $9.32, Earl Crocker $29.11, James Chambers $71.27, Roger Jungen $5.61, Rex Richmond $19.74, Margaret Jungen $3.27, Chris Engels $21.60, Steve Wisneski $28.03, Otto Jungen, Jr. $2.34; Madison Drug & Jewelry Co. $2.00-for L.F. Rhode; Mathiesen-Gergen & Rhodes $6.00-for Peter DeMuynck; Memorial Hospital $543.97-for John M. Kleinsasser; J. C. Penney Co. $23.33-for Marlys Madsen $18.84, Geo. Riley $4.49; Dr. V.F. Poulson $9.00-for Lizzie Alt; Browns Red Owl Agency $40.00-for Ethel Wickhurst; Gerald J. Ries $25.00-for Marie Bryant; Shaw-Messer Amb. Service $6.00-for Joe Croft; O.P. Skaggs Store $25.00-for Florence Kennedy $15.00, Irvin Ault $10.00; Spies Super Valu $85.00-for Myron & Cora Corwin $30.00, Mrs. Elsie Ranetetle $25.00, Chris & Amanda Jensen $15.00, Arthur Larson $15.00; St. Bernards Prov. Hospital $146.25-for John Welter $103.75, Mary Myers $42.50; Dr. M.C. Thompson $74.10-for Mrs. Will Norman $21.10, Mildred Taylor $2.00, Marian Kraft $12.00, Albert Hendricks $4.00, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $18.00, Clarence Morrison $8.00, Lawrence Albrecht $9.00; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $67.50, Oscar J. Fromke $115.90, Adolph Hogstad $53.93, James L. Keenan $50.15, Herb Skinner $80.23; Printing & Advertising-Watertown Public Opinion $156.48; South Shore Gazette $118.54; Auditor's Office Expense-Mitchell Publishing Co. $159.01; R. L. Polk & Co. $28.00; Hub City School Supply Co. $5.65, Ruhe Stationery Co. $52.13; Brown & Saenger $.82, Paname Carbon Co. $10.00; Treasurer's Office Expense-Mitchell Publishing Co. $159.01; R. L. Polk & Co. $28.00; Western Transportation Co. $4.76; LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $588.36; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-R.L. Polk & Co. $28.00; Ruhe Stationery Co. $10.75; Brown & Saenger $32.15; Railway Express Agency $1.98; Tax Collector-R. L. Polk & Co. $28.00; James Nelson $1040.76; Sheriff's Office Expense-R.L. Polk & Co. $28.00; Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.30; Register of Deeds Office Expense-R.L. Polk & Co. $28.00; Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.78; Midwest-Beach Co. $1.87; Public Welfare Office Expense-R.L. Polk & Co. $28.00; Paname Carbon Co. $27.00; Midwest-Beach Co. $7.64; County Extension-Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.50; Watertown City Auditor $30.00; Fred Morris $59.06; Clara W. Johnson $54.72; George W. Cook $53.08; County Judge Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $20.95; Superintendent of Schools Office Expense-Midwest-Beach Co. $1.56; C. A. Gregory Co. $18.65; Board of Education-Mabel P. Hanson, Clerk $10.00; Hall & McCreary Co. $1.38; Superintendent of Schools Mileage-Hazel Murphy $40.16; Mileage-Lloyd Shenk $345.90; Fees-Lloyd Shenk $89.42; Tax Deed Expense-Lloyd Shenk $37.15; Board of Prisoners-Lloyd Shenk $160.80; Court Expense-Douglas Mfg. Corp. $28.29; Bartron Hospital & Clinic $15.00; Duffner Drug Store $.90; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $4.60; Coroner Expense-Leslie E. Mathiesen $3.78; Veteran's Service Office-Carlson's $6.34; Memorial Park-L.O.H. Co. $20.70; Thomes Drug Store $3.23; Watertown Lions Club $4.50; Mahowald Co. $6.95; Northwestern Public Service Co. $51.77; Putnam-Mileage Market $3.30; Watertown Cement Products Co. $3.50; Board of Insanity-Gordon Schaefer $5.00; H.T. Kenney, M.D. $30.00; Court House Maintenance-City Treasurer $234.78; City Wood Products Co. $8.25; Davey Furniture Co. $16.50; Dunlop Wall-paper & Paint Co. $.95; Eco, Inc. $112.70; Egge Electric Co. $20.70; Harris Janitor Supply Co. $55.00; R. E. Hubbard Co. $6.48; L.O.H. Co. $20.70; Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $20.18; Nelson Hardware Co. $54.35; Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $277.78; Otis Elevator Co. $56.75; Park Grant Co. $7.40; Pitney-Bowes, Inc. $23.60; Redlinger Bros. $46.78; Josephine Reed $9.75; Thomes Drug Store $2.95; Watertown Lions Club $9.00; Wilson Storage & Transfer Co. $1.88; County Farm-City Treasurer $11.85; R. E. Hubbard Co. $10.12; Park Grant Co. $7.38; Watertown Lions Club $4.50; J. C. Penney Co. $3.97; Spies Super Valu $9.42; Liens Grocery $47.88; Marshall-Wells Store $9.50; Henry Moss $3.00; Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $5.80; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $10.85; Thompson Yards $4.98; Board of Health-Dr.H. Russell Brown $106.72; M.C. Rousseau, M.D. $10.40; State Accountant-South Dakota State Treasurer $1000.00; C.M.V.-Ruhe Stationery Co. $.35; R. E. Hubbard Co. $242.35; L.O.H. Co. $.30; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $848.10; Thompson Yards $3.20; Mahowald Co. $14.65; Putnam-Mileage Market $296.09; Cave Supply Co. $53.19; Dick's Tractor Shop $13.00; Empire Equipment Co. $674.80; J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $43.43; Foster Bell Co. $26.87; Gooch Sales Co. $6.99; International Harvester Co. $409.80; Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $15.36; Kenneth Hayes $6.45; K & Z Service $14.31; C. E. McGowan Lumber Co. $1.90; Marquardts Service $264.78; Motor Supply Co. $45.33; Nordstrom Sales $23.00; Northwestern Road Supply Co. $43.99; Roger Paulson $14.00; Phillips 66 Service $23.17; Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $46.16; Scholtz Radiator Service $26.50; Schwanke's Seed & Service Co. $1.22; Sioux Road Equipment Co. $46.62; C. B. Sumner $55.30; True Electric Co. $84.26; Watertown Machine Works $1.14; Watertown Tire Co. $53.36; Williams Hardware Co. $17.06; Carl Zweig, Jr. $20.79; ROAD-City Treasurer $6.93; CH&BR-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $56.63; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $452.32; Carl Zweig, Jr. $7.84; Botsford Lumber Co. $45.00; Elmer Draves $20.00; South Dakota Concrete Products Co. $1696.12; South Dakota Dept. of Highways $6936.40; ROAD-Marvin Lebert $43.95; Northwestern Public Service $4.70; Harold Scriver $3.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $71.00; Watertown Cement Products Co. $111.20; Northwestern Road Supply Co. $180.16; South Dakota Concrete Products Co. $4989.30; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Dexter)-Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $137.26; Harold Scriver $16.80; Botsford Lumber Co. $3.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Lake)-Julia Berkimo $30.98; Chris Carstensen $11.96; Harold O. Chester $11.06; Robert L. Daily $51.65; Marie Dally $38.39; Walter L. Stegeman $11.06; Arthur Tesch $86.41; R. B. Walker $18.80; Pearl E. Wells $112.51; Catherine F. Williams $18.80; Harry G. Williams $47.18; Botsford Lumber Co. $10.00; TEXTBOOK-Midwest-Beach Co. $267.51; Educator Supply Co. $103.30; D. C. Heath & Co. $30.85; Houghton Mifflin Co. $42.26; Lyons & Carnahan $101.89; McCormick-Mathers Publishing Co. $63.87; Dr. O.F.Ritter $36.56; Scott, Foresman & Co. $226.37; Wilson Storage & Transfer $1.75; TUITION-Castlewood Independent Cons. School #1 $331.76; Clark Independent School $331.76; Garden City Independent School $331.76; Willow Lake Independent #29 $64.50; COUNTY INSTITUTE-Mrs. Ruth Hedman $5.00; W. Otto Meissner $50.00; Mrs. Doris Nelson $10.00; Glenn C. Parker $50.00; Dr. Olive Pearl Ritter $50.00; INSANE-Lloyd Shenk $42.00;

RESOLUTION #255

WHEREAS, acting under Chapter 43 of the Session Laws of South Dakota of 1947, and upon notice duly published to adopt a Supplemental Budget for 1955,

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary to adopt a Supplemental Budget so that the County of Codington may conduct the indispensable functions of government,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the following amounts as set out herein shall constitute and be adopted as the Supplemental Budget for 1955:

GENERAL FUND

Welfare	$30,000.00
Board of Prisoners	500.00
Sheriff's Office Expense	100.00
Court Office Expense	250.00
Supervisor of Assessors	800.00
Social Security	750.00
TOTAL	$32,400.00

SALARY FUND

County Judge's Salary	$600.00
GRAND TOTAL	$33,000.00

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan and by Commissioner Hogstad, and upon roll call, all Commissioners voted "yea" and none voted "nay", whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution, duly passed and adopted.

DATED THIS 11th day of October, 1955, at Watertown, South Dakota.

Vernon H Belk
Chairman

James L Keenan

ATTEST:

Inna Welch
Connty Auditor

Clerk of Courts Fees for September, $354.85 and the Register of Deeds fees for the same period, $821.00 were approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan.

Matt Brandriet, County Weed Board Supervisor's Report for the month of September was noted by the Board.

County Superintendent of Schools was given approval by the Board to attend the meeting of the State Board at Huron Tuesday, October 11, 1955, on a motion by Fromke and seconded by Hogstad.

Lester Hanson of Kranzburg, was granted a dance hall license for the C.O.F. Hall for one night only; on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

A delegation from School Districts #8, 14, 17 appeared before the Board in regard to school boundaries of the above districts; namely Matt Suttor, Jim Suttor, Wm. Cordell, Ernest Konrady, Joseph M. Mack, and Francis Burns Attorney. Petitions were presented and the date of hearing was set for October 25, 1955 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon in the commissioners chambers of the Court House.

Motion duly made and seconded that the meeting adjourn until October 18, 1955 at 10:00 A.M.

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
October 18, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all commissioners present except Oscar Fromke, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved: GENERAL-Per Diem & Mileage-Oscar J. Fromke $73.30;

A compromise settlement for Gordan Brusie in the amount of $17.00 for county liens, was approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

Earl Roe came before the Board in regard to crop damage that was caused in the construction of the Medicine Lake Road. After some discussion it was agreed to turn the matter over to the Highway Superintendent for investigation.

Donald Lobitz, Attorney, appeared for the Assembly of God Church in regard to tax on Church property that should have been paid by a former owner. He requested that the interest be abated provided the Church assume the tax and costs, on which the Board agreed. On a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan. Motion carried. Tax $126.04; Costs $7.05;

Fromke appeared and took his place on the Board at 2 o'clock.

Auditors account with the treasurer was approved on a motion by Hogstad and Skinner. Deposits in banks, $279,665.36; Cash $10,810.42; Jail Building Fund $2500.00; Government bonds, $181,619.72. Motion carried.

Abatement of a 1954 school poll was granted Wallace West, he having been assessed and was a veteran. Motion was made by Fromke and seconded by Skinner.

Oscar Fromke at this time submitted his resignation as Commissioner of the Fourth District, effective as of now 4:15 o'clock, October 18, 1955, and was accepted on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad.

Mr. Vernon H. Belk, Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Watertown, S. D.:
In accordance with my appointment as City Auditor, for the City of Watertown, I believe it to be to the best interest of my Commissioner District as well as to the Governing body for me to resign my position as County Commissioner of District Four, in the City of Watertown.

I have enjoyed working in this position with the members of the Board as well as with the other County Governmental departments, and hope that our public relations will always remain in harmony, and to the best interests of the general public.

Respectfully yours,

Oscar J. Fromke

The remaining Commissioners took up the business of appointing a Commissioner to fill the vacancy left by Fromke. The auditor was asked for the written applications, there having been four - Al Williams, Ralph Siepp, John Redmond, and Palmer Bergh.
First Ballot - Al Williams 3, Palmer Bergh 1, Ralph Seipp 1, John Redmond 1.
Second Ballot- Al Williams 4, Palmer Bergh 1, John Redmond 1; Williams having received the most number of votes on the second ballot, was officially appointed Commissioner of the Fourth District.

Chairman Belk appointed Keenan to serve on the Legion Committee to replace Fromke.

Oscar Fromke being Vice Chairman of the Board and having his resignation accepted, a motion was made by Hogstad and seconded by Keenan that Herb Skinner now be appointed Vice Chairman, and on roll call all voted "yea" and none voted "nay". Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until October 21, at 10:00 A.M. on Tuesday.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
October 21, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Al Williams being the newly appointed Commissioner of district four, was seated and took up his official duties.

Omit listing above here and should be in the minutes of Oct 25

Verified claims checked and approved: SALARY:-County Auditor-Irma E. Welch $325.00; Pearl Bergan $210.00; Alice Olson $190.00; Kathleen Wirtz $180.00; Edna Derenthal $150.00; County Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00; Hazel Schliesmann $210.00; DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00; Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68; Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Margaret Brown $296.68; Beverly Mickelson $205.00; Elizabeth M. Larson $150.00; Superintendent of Schools-Hazel G. Murphy $325.00; Ruth M. Johnson; $190.00 States Attorney-Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75; Ross H. Oviatt $150.00; Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $400.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $118.56; Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veteran's Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-William J. Meyer $250.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $170.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $115.00; Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Sheriff's Fees & Salary-Bert Smith $85.00; Auditor's Office Expense-Fay N. Wohlheter $74.70; Per Diem Mileage & Salary-Vernon H. Belk $81.80; Adolph Hogstad $80.40; James L. Keenan $80.40; Herb Skinner $91.10; Al M. Williams $61.51; Poor-Svendsen Nursing Home $35.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; CMV-C. S. Rasmusson $525.00; Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00; Sever Tobiason $205.00; J. P. Haug $76.58; Joe Stricherz $107.11; Claude VanSickle $295.55; C. B. Sumner $99.81; Harold Scriver $71.06 Carl Zweig, Jr. $6.48; James Hendren $13.20; Alfred Spring $6.12; Ed Gould $2.50; Fred Brownell $2.10; John Strait $27.29; Chas. Krogman $2.00; Curtis Underwood $4.80; Julius Lentz $2.00; Clarence Helle $2.00; Thomas Spiering $9.08; Otis C. Olson $6.26; Andrew T. Larson $2.00; Leo Clausen $2.00; Francis Schmeling $208.62; Peter W. DeVille $177.38; Joe H. Schmeling $178.44; Howard Morrison $99.22; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Pelican)-John Rennie $66.27; J. P. Haug $44.00; Joe Stricherz $123.05; Carl Zweig, Jr. $55.15; Howard Williams $63.93; John Strait $15.00; Chas. Krogman $50.00; Clarence Helle $40.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Dexter)-John Rennie $109.25; C. B. Sumner $93.15; Harold Scriver $35.65; Carl Zweig, Jr. $128.25; Howard Williams $135.00; James Hendren $112.50; Burton Jackson $22.25; Burton Jackson $15.00; Alfred Spring $26.25; Ed Gould $140.00; John Strait $20.00; Chas. Krogman $50.00; Curtis Underwood $100.00; Julius Lentz $111.00; Clarence Helle $53.00; Otis C. Olson $15.00; Andrew T. Larson $110.00; Leo Clausen $15.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Eden)-John Rennie $103.50; C. B. Sumner $81.65; Harold Scriver $41.40; Carl Zweig, Jr. $121.50; Howard Williams $120.15; James Hendren $135.00; Burton Jackson $93.75; Alfred Spring $73.75; Ed Gould $82.50; Fred Brownell $74.55; John Strait $25.00; Chas. Krogman $65.00; Curtis Underwood $71.00; Julius Lentz $71.00; Clarence Helle $85.00;

Thomas Spiering $25.00; Otis C. Olson $25.00; Andrew T. Larson $71.00; Leo Clausen $25.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Lake)-J. P. Haug $138.60; Joe Stricherz $62.10; C. B. Sumner $4.60 ; Harold Scriver $106.95; John Strait $77.00; Chas. Krogman $42.00; Julius Lentz $10.00; [illegible] Burton Jackson $17[illegible]8.75; Alfred Spring $175.00; Clarence Helle $19.00; Thomas Spiering $64.00; Otis C. Olson $82.00; Andrew T. Larson $10.00; Leo Clausen $88.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Leola)-Harold Scriver $2.30; Burton Jackson $8.75; Alfred Spring $11.25; John Strait $27.00; Chas. Krogman $29.00; Clarence Helle $29.00; Thomas Spiering $5.00; Leo Clausen $5.00; CH&BR-James Hendren $91.70; Ed Gould $35.20; Fred Brownell $3.23; Curtis Underwood $43.20; Julius Lentz $16.00; Thomas Spiering $65.00; Otis C. Olson $28.20; Andrew T. Larson $26.00; Leo Clausen $52.80; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $40.00; Fred Brownell $145.95; John Strait $18.00; Curtis Underwood $29.00; Julius Lentz $28.00; Andrew T. Larson $29.00; Leo Clausen $4.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Kampeska)-John Strait $46.00; Thomas Spiering $56.00; Otis C. Olson $63.00; Leo Clausen $63.00;

Payments made on county liens for the month of October are as follows: Lewis C. Brinker $55.00; Joseph H. Croft $51.00;

Some time was spent discussing salaries for the year of 1956.

On a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner the Supervisor of Assessors salary was set at $300 a month, with necessary traveling allowance, and upon roll call all members voted "yea" and none voted "nay"; the chairman then declared the motion carried.

The names of Harold O. Chester, Frank Millard, and Glenn Mitchel were the three names that were submitted to the Board by the County Selection Committee.

Senate Bill #6 was discussed by the Board a great deal of time being spent referring to the changes that would affect our own county.

Chairman Belk informed the Board that Al Williams would replace Fromke on all Committees except Herb Skinner replaces Fromke as Chairman of the Court House Purchasing Committee, and Belk will take over the County Insurance for the balance of the year.

The board set the date of appointing the Supervisor of Assessors at their next regular meeting, which is November 1, 1955.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until October 25, at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
October 25, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Joe Messer and Dr. Davis, Jenkins Memorial representatives, came before the Board in regard to tax problems that might arise in the purchase of the Bartron Hospital. They were interested in what might be tax exempt property.

Robert Redlin, Germantown Township, appeared before the Board to request an oil mat for dust protection on the corner of SW¼ Sec. 14-119-52, not to exceed two hundred feet. After some discussion, the Board tabled the matter for farther action.

Hearing for the changing of school boundaries in districts #8, #14, and #17 was set for 2 o'clock at which time the following interested persons appeared: Allen Austin, representing the Independent School District #1, Dale Bradshaw, representing the County Auditor and the Board of County Commissioners, and Francis Burns as consul for Districts #8, #14, 17, also Lavern Hubbard, Carl Nelson, Steve Aljoe, Wm. R. Cordell, Albert Strum, William J. Cordell, Albert Cordell, Edward G. Fox, Jim Suttor, Ellen J. Olson, Chris Kirsch, Ernest R. Konrady, Matt H. Suttor, Joseph N. Mack, Albert Endres, and Richard Stoltenburg. After some discussion, it was agreed under the new law, Senate Bill #6, that the County Commissioners, County Superintendent of Schools had no jurisdiction over the changing of these boundaries. No action was taken at this time.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Williams that the Auditor be instructed to write a letter to the Madison Hospital in regard to the care of Edna Barkley. Mrs. Barkley being in an auto accident; and all commissioners signing the letter. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad to adjourn until November 1, at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
November 1, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved: GENERAL-Co. Judge Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $31.00; Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $134.50;

On a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner, an agreement was made with Robert and Elsie Lloyd to abate the interest on delinquent taxes, if the balance of $228.00 was paid in full. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION #259
APPOINTMENT OF SUPERVISOR OF ASSESSORS

WHEREAS, the County Board of Commissioners of Codington County South Dakota, met on November 1, 1955, a regular meeting date, to appoint a Supervisor of Assessors, according to Resolution #254 and pursuant to Chapter 422 of the Session Laws of S. D. of 1955, and,

WHEREAS, three names having been submitted to the County Board of Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota; Harold O. Chester, Frank Millard, and Glenn Mitchell, and,

WHEREUPON, in the first ballot Glenn Mitchell received the most number of votes.

THEREFORE, upon a motion by Commissioner Skinner and seconded by Commissioner Keenan, Glenn Mitchell was appointed Supervisor of Assessors for the period of November 1, 1955 to October 1, 1956, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted "yea" and none voted "nay", whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 1st day of November, 1955 at Watertown, South Dakota.

Board of County Commissioners

1st District Vernon Belk

2nd District _____

3rd District Adolph Hogstad

4th District _____

5th District James L. Keenan

ATTEST:

Inna Welch
County Auditor

On a motion by Keenan and seconded by Skinner, the County Superintendent of Schools was authorized to attend the S.D.E.A. convention at Huron November 2, 3, 4th with expenses paid as prescribed by law.

The abatement of Helmer Jacobson, Dexter Township, for $17.81 1954 and 1955 tax on Sec.30-119-53, 40 acres (this description is State land and the party taxed has no interest in the property, other than a lease) was approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Animal bounties were approved as follows, on a motion by Williams and seconded by Hogstad. Fred Gerberding $8.00; Ervin Hay, Donald Stee each $2.00; Ed Redlin, Harlan Skogstad, Kenneth Elmore each $4.00; Gene Monahan $7.50;

Robert Carlson and Carl Vander Hoek, came before the Board to explain the different types of Duplicator machines. No action was taken.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until November 8, at 10:00 A.M.

Inna Welch County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
November 8, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved: GENERAL-Poor-Svendsen Nursing Home $35.00-for Mrs. Mary Kirkeby; Mrs. August Bunde $25.00-for Joe LeTourneau; Burgdorf Nursing Home $175.00-for Susan Mack $35.00, Henry Spilde $40.00, L. N. Schulner $45.00, N. T. Nelson $55.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Rose Kelly $15.00-for Wm. Boll; Kinstad Rest Home $191.00-for Peter DeMuynck $15.00, Carl Berge $30.00, Rupert Gatchell $35.00, Earl Crocker $15.00, Ole Hanson $25.00, James Chambers $35.00, Andrew Horn $35.00; Elizabeth Marsh $10.00-for Matt Kemp; Svendsen Nursing Home $226.00-for Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $36.00, Sarah Ann Black $30.00, Hilda Ebens $95.00, Mrs. Mary Kirkeby $35.00 , Rosa Dixon $30.00;

Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Sturdevant Rest Home $115.60-for Claude Smith, Lewis Carl Brinker $22.80; August Warnke $30.00; Lorance Albrecht $40.00; Watertown Rest Home $75.00-for Louis Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00; Grace Wilson $70.00-for Edith Kinsey $30.00, Ella Flanigan $40.00; Wilson Truck System $69.64; Bartron Hospital $2854.10-for Irvin Ault $240.80, Marie Bryant $275.10, Lewis C. Brinker $194.75, Joe Croft $85.00, Chris Engels $5.00, Albert Johnson $303.75, Martin Erickson $249.90, Art Eastberg $243.00, Fred Leighty $68.50, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $123.00, Jerry O'Brien $227.75, Mrs. Bennie Olson $84.50, Frances Schmeling $331.75, Ray Strait $261.60, Claude Smith $118.20, Vernon Thompson $28.50, Edgar Wight $5.00, Alfred Vick $8.00; Bartron Clinic $767.80-for Irvin Ault $30.00, Maxine Asby $6.00, Marie Bryant $102.00, Lewis C. Brinker $38.00, Blanche E. Berry $11.50, Joe Croft $22.00, Czeck, Wm. & wife $7.00, Hilda Ebens $2.00, John Farley $12.00, Mrs. Wm. Glendenning $2.00, Ole Hanson $4.00, Albert Johnson $30.00, Martin Erickson $53.50, Art Eastberg $40.50, Edith Kinsey $11.00, Fred Leighty $12.00, Cathryn McLaughlin $4.00, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $24.00, Louis Mourere $4.00, Jerry O'Brien $30.00, Mrs. Bennie Olson $30.00, Leora Rose $5.00, Alice P. Redetzke $11.00, Walter Richard $2.00, Frances Schmeling $46.50, Ray Strait $129.80, Bertha Strait $6.00, Claude Smith $30.00, Vernon Thompson $8.50, Edgar Wight $2.00, Mrs. Steve Wisneski $160.00, Fern Washtoak $27.50, Rollin Vance $8.00; L. L. Blake $7.80-for Harry Fisher $3.90, Chris Jensen $3.90; Creasers $89.50-for Jud Turner $22.75, Myron Corwin $16.75; Duffners $207.50-for Wm. Boll $43.92, August Warnke $7.35, Carl Berge $12.60, Ola Hanson $21.24, Pete DeMynck $8.77, Mrs. Chas. Montney $14.62, Inga Yarns $16.15, Herman Wollan $4.59, Frank Metzinger $19.21, Walter Richard $2.70, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Wisneski $5.40, Louis Mourere $12.15, Edwin Bates $9.00, Chris Jensen $14.00, Matilda Blek $15.18, Rupert Gatchall $.62; Haggars $121.64-for N.T. Nelson $1.80, Mrs. John E. Taylor $5.85, Frank & Emma Klucas $12.51, Alice Redetzke $12.15, Mr. Leonard Vaughn $13.50, Wm. Czeck & wife $22.32, Edward Haack $1.44, Ellen Anderson $13.05, Fern Washtoak $33.98, Blanche E. Berry $5.04; R. E. Hunter $10.00-for Elmer Rockwood; Kreisers $377.95-for Art Eastberg $8.37, Fred Leighty $8.41, Edgar L. Wight $.72, Ray Strait $.67, Mrs. Francis Schmeling $40.30, Irvin R. Ault $3.37, Marie Bryant $4.77, Mrs. Florence Williams $1.89, Vernon Thompson $8.55, Rosa Dixon $2.70, Earl Crocker $32.11, Lena Ratdke $15.48, Mrs. John Dobson $7.92, Hilda Ebens $45.36, Ben Bergerson $3.15, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $17.80, Leora Mae Rose $28.71, Louisa Tiegen $20.79, Chris Engels $5.99, Nellie Jensen $2.39, Mrs. Pete DeMynck $11.79, Nels C. Nielson $9.09, Carl Henry Becker $11.70, Cathryn McLaughlin $3.51, Albert Johnson $25.70, Ella Flanagan $2.75, Mrs. Edith Kinsey $3.96, Mrs. Mary Kirkeby $3.60, James Chambers $46.40; Dr. Edward Laga $7.00-for Rosa Dixon; Liens Grocery $15.00-for Mrs. Cora Barto; Lutheran Welfare Society $7.00-for Billy Vermillion, McGowan Lbr. Co. $58.50-for Wood Carter $43.00, Carl J. Struss $15.50; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes $3.00-for Mrs. Peter DeMuynck; Matson Drug Store $11.00-for Mrs. Florence Thompson; Memorial Hospital $150.00-for John Mark Kleinsasser; Garriet M. Miller $25.00-for Marie Bryant; Nash-Finch Co. $2.30; Northside Grocery $10.00-for Mrs. Bessie Norman; J. C. Penney Co. $10.97; Shaw-Messer $57.00-for Joe Croft $51.00, Chris Engels $3.00; Claude Smith $3.00; Spies Super Valu $115.00-for Arthur Larson $15.00, Mrs. Edwin Bates $10.00, Mrs. Myron Corwin $30.00, Chris Jensen $30.00, Mrs. Elsie Ravelette $30.00; Standard Oil Co. $21.15-for Norman Williams $7.05, Mrs. Amanda & Chris Jensen $7.05, Wm. Barto $7.05; St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $162.95-for John Welter $113.75, Mary Meyers $49.20; Mrs. Gertrude Thomas $5.00-for Lewis F. Rohde; Thomes Drug Store $245.91-for Fred Leighty $.79, Bertha Strait $6.75, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $1.66, Marie Bryant $4.32, Rollin A. Vance $3.87, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $1.44, Anna Parsley $3.44, Lena Trumer $1.71, Margaret Papka $18.90, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $4.64, Anna Christianson $2.70, Albert Hendricks $6.52, Emma Lehman Dralle $3.60, Alfred Vick $30.55, Richard DePeel $2.16, Claude Smith $4.05, John Farley $6.39, Ludwig Grewing $12.24, Robert Baker $4.41, Art Eastberg $18.13, Ervin Ault $5.22, Frances Schmeling $23.00, Harry Geo. Freeseman $10.62, Jerry O'Brien $21.33, Roy Strait $3.60, Martin Erickson $6.75, Chas. Bierschied $29.52, Lorance Albrecht $6.70, L. C. Brinker $.90; Dr. M.C. Thompson $68.00-for Clarence J. Morrison $10.00, Emma Lehman Dralle $5.00, Mrs. John E. Taylor $4.00, Mrs. Minnie Johnson $17.00, Clarence Albrecht $13.00, Marion Kraft $11.00, Albert Hendricks $8.00; Haggar Drug $222.12-for Maxine Asby $23.40, Irvin Ault $56.18, Joe Croft $11.70, Art Eastberg $31.53, Ludwig Grewing $1.44, Chris Engels $27.46, Francis Kreger $31.05, Chester Olson $22.87, Mrs. Bennie Olson $10.19, Lonnie VanWinson $6.30; Printing & Advertising-Watertown Public Opinion $231.77, South Shore Gazette $105.35; Auditor's Office Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $23.00, LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $32.45, Panama Carbon Co. $41.95, Watertown Typewriter Co. $4.50, Brown & Saenger $180.38, Ruhe Stationery Co. $12.15; Treasurer's Office Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $1.05, Panama Carbon Co. $41.95, Brown & Saenger $180.39, Ruhe Stationery Co. $7.85, Carlson's $15.00, Mitchell Publishing Co. $6.05; Clerk of Courts Office Expense $227.63, Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.85, Mitchell Publishing Co. $24.76; States Atty's Office Expense-$2.50 for LaFrance Office Equipment Co.; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $18.37, Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.47, Remington, Rand Inc. $168.05; Court Expense-Brown & Saenger $28.41, Ruhe Stationery Co. $14.24, Bartron Clinic $25.00, Watertown Photo News $13.50; Sheriff's Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $2.25; Superintendent of Schools Office Expense-F. C. Grow Sons $44.25, Midwest-Beach Co. $11.65, Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $36.60, Mrs. Hazel Murphy $26.75, Hub City School Supply Co. $2.06, Wilson Truck System $1.75, News Printing Co. $111.35; Superintendent of Schools Mileage $42.80; Tax Collector $1197.90; Fees-Lloyd Shenk $121.76; Mileage-Lloyd Shenk $630.20; Board of Prisoners $239.20 for Lloyd Shenk; Tax Deed Expense-Lloyd Shenk $6.05; County Extension-Clara W. Johnson $83.72; Board of Insanity-Ray M. Shenk $5.00; H.T. Kenney, M.D. $15.00; Board of Health-H.Russell Brown $12.50; Crow Bounty-Roger Wood $.15; Memorial Park-Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $5.04, Redlinger Bros. $17.75, Marquardt's Service $10.26, Northwestern Public Service Co. $62.05, Iverson Electric Service $7.32; Court House Maintenance-Wilson Truck System $1.75, Butterbrodt Drug Store $1.38, City Treasurer $348.03, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $35.77, G & P Transportation Co. $3.00, Hillyard Sales Co. $48.75, Imperial Chemical Co. $12.19, Mahowald Co. $10.95, Frank Miller Co. $13.00, Nelson Hardware Co. $23.92, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $247.97, Northwest Products Co., Inc. $47.25, Otis Elevator Co. $56.75, Redlinger Bros. $3.76, Ruth Shenk $20.81, Herb Skinner, Jr. $105.00, Oswald D. Thompson $1.50, Town & Country Store $27.80, Watertown Machine Works $6.86; County Farm-City Treasurer $11.70, Nelson Hardware Co. $2.21, Redlinger Bros $30.90, Duffner Drug Store $4.16, Lien's Grocery $29.72, J. C. Penney Co. $25.84, Spies Super Valu $13.54, R. E. Hubbard Co. $10.60, K. D. Inc. $26.47, Marshall-Wells Store $2.29, Olson Appliance Co. $5.80, Park Grant Co. $22.04, Sunshine

State Hatchery $2.15, Thompson Yards $46.50, Watertown Co-op Elevator Co. $11.30; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $40.50, Adolph Hogstad $100.24, James L. Keenan $87.50, Al M. Williams $91.77, Herb Skinner $95.06; TEXTBOOK-Midwest-Beach Co. $3.62, American Book Co. $14.37, Scott, Foresman & Co. $17.54; ROAD-Wilson Truck System $5.52, City Treasurer $8.75, McGowan Lumber Co. $.44, R. E. Hubbard Co. $65.82, P. G. Appelhof $16.03, Cave Supply Co. $147.90, Dick's Tractor Parts Co. $1.00, Empire Equipment Co. $791.58, J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $568.81, Foster-Bell Co. $39.08, Hubbard Motor Co. $7.50, Northwestern Public Service Co. $4.00; C.M.V.- Mahowald Co. $22.89, Nelson Hardware Co. $6.25, Watertown Machine Works $33.26, Marquardt's Service $6.10; CH&BR-Peter Abram $146.10, Verne L. Bergan $20.50, Mrs. Ella W. Born $78.79, Department of Highways $208.00, M. & Gladys Dirks $21.23, Joseph Flemming $26.94, Walter Gusso $41.27, Joseph H. Johnson $61.32, H.V. Johnston Culvert Co. $122.67, Walter M. McClung $7.54, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $251.43, Chris Springer $109.81, Clarence Tschakert $26.22, Donald Tschakert $67.06, Western Transportation Co. $1.75, Lawrence Wishard $25.10, Carl Zweig, Jr. $7.84; C.M.V.- Florence Service $46.50, International Harvester Co. $126.79, Motor Supply Co. $50.88, Northwestern Road Supply Co. $548.09, Phillips 66 Service $62.11, Putnam-Mileage Market $46.35, Reaney's Service $653.88, Rosholt-Empire Equipment Co. $4.71, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $56.21, Sioux Road Equipment, Inc. $88.25, L. E. Tanksley $42.50, Thompson Lumber Co. $17.99, Watertown Foundry $28.00, Watertown Tire Co. $37.68, Steve Winski $20.50; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Lake)-Carl A. & Maude M. Peterson $34.98, Putnam-Mileage Market $271.67; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Eden)-Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $388.63, Carl Zweig, Jr. $41.37; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Dexter)-Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $357.93, Carl Zweig, Jr. $26.88, Allan Putnam $15.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Leola)-Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $6.32, Putnam-Mileage Market $6.56, Botsford Lumber Co. $37.50; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Kranzburg)-Roy Krause $2.00, Simon Munneke $2.00, Irma E. Welch $2.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Kampeska)-Howard Williams $21.42; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $31.29, Paul David $5.82, Joseph J. Fox $5.68, James L. Keenan $5.96, Robert Redlin $6.52; TUITION-Thomas Ind. Consolidated School $995.28, Watertown Independent School District $42,450.29; INSANE-Lloyd Shenk $87.75;

On a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad, the following lots were appraised for sale:
Lots 1-2-3-4-5, Block 10 in Wallace Village, all for $50.00;
Lots 4-5, Block 28, Wallace Village - both for $10.00;
Lot 8, Block 1 - Ulvins Addition, Henry Village $20.00;
Lots 220-221, Fairvax Addition to Watertown - both $70.00;
Lots 7-8, Block 1 - Hanten & McKools Add. to Watertown - both $40.00
Lot 3, Block 4, - Horswills Addition to Watertown - $10.00;
Lot 29, Block 10 - Kemps Addition to Watertown - $5.00;

It was moved by Williams and seconded by Keenan that the Auditor advertise this real estate for sale. Motion carried.

Clerk of Courts report in the amount of $344.95, and the Register of Deed's report of $796.35, for the month of October was approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

Matt Brandriet, Weed Supervisor's report for the month of October was noted by the Board.

George Burke, Veteran's Service Officer's report for the month of October was noted by the Board.

The bills for Yankton, $1668.32, Redfield $723.39, and Custer $114.40 were approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

The dance hall license for the C.O.F. Hall at Kranzburg was granted to Lester Hanson on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Skinner, for one night only, November 8, 1955.

The application of Gilbert Yards Inc. for abatement of the 1950 real estate tax in the amount of $612.82 on the real property described as Lots 1 thru 30 and 33 to 40 inclusive, all in Block 9, Gesleys Second Addition, less N½ of Lots 17-18-19-20 in the said Block and Addition, after some discussion, it was moved by Skinner and seconded by Keenan to concur with the City Council and reject the application; all voted "yea" and none voted "nay". Motion carried.

Motion was duly made and seconded to adjourn until Tuesday, November 15, 1955 at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
November 15, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved: GENERAL-Court Expense-James Lantgen $1.10, Alfred Anenson $8.00; Court House Maintenance-Frank Miller Co. $35.95; Common School Statement-South Shore Gazette $69.30, Watertown Public Opinion $138.24, Henry Independent $78.75; Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent $272.85;

An application for a compromise settlement of County liens of Norman Thronson in the amount of $41.00 was approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

Dance Hall license for the Senior Sodality of Kranzburg, in the C.O.F. Hall, was approved bn a motion by Keenan and seconded by Williams.

Auditors account with the Treasurer was approved as follows: Deposits in Banks, $542,417.83; cash on hand and in banks,$69,288.39; Bonds, $181,619.72; and Jail Building Bonds $2500, on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

The refund of $61.96 was granted the Chicago Northwestern Railway System following an action brought by the said Railway System, seeking the refund of taxes paid under protest, and upon good cause shown and pursuant to a stipulation of the dismissal of said action, refund was hereby made on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

Upon the payment of $34.45 of Augusta Schoenberger (deceased), the county liens of said party were considered paid in full, on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Williams.

Upon the payment of $55.00 of Claude Smith (deceased), the county liens of said party was considered paid in full upon a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

Mr. Willard Knutson appeared before the Board asking for an abatement of interest on taxes, and on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad, the Board agreed to abate the interest providing the total tax was paid in full. Motion carried.

Mr. Coffey, Business Manager of the Watertown Independent School District and the County Highway Superintendent appeared before the Board in regard to the use of the County's small tractor for plowing snow from the sidewalks, and upon an agreement between the said persons, the County would furnish the tractor, the School to furnish the operator, the equipment to be used for the removal of snow only, and to be returned to the County Sheds in the spring as soon as the tractor has served its purpose.

It was moved by Hogstad and seconded by Keenan that the Redlinger Bros. be authorized to furnish and install a hot water heater at the poor farm. The heater to be automatic and of 120 gallon capacity, completely installed for $270.00. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until November 22, at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
November 22, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Salary checks should be listed in Nov. 29 minutes.

Verified claims approved as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Irma E. Welch $325.00, Pearl Bergan $210.00, Alice Olson $190.00, Kathleen Wirtz $180.00, Edna Derenthal $160.00; County Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00, Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Margaret Brown $296.68, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson $160.00; Superintendent of Schools-Hazel G. Murphy $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney $283.75, Ross H. Oviatt $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $400.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00, Gene Coplan $45.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $118.56, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veteran's Service-George Burke $190.00; Jailor-William J. Meyer $250.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $170.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $113.00, Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Sheriff's Fees & Salary-$85.00 for Bert Smith; County Auditor's Office Expense-Fay Wohlheter $91.80; Supervisor of Assessors-$300.00 for Glenn M. Mitchell; County Judge Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $33.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-C. S. Rasmusson $525.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00, Sever Tobiason $205.00, John Rennie $236.15, J. P. Haug $80.95, Joe Stricherz $193.32, Claude VanSickle $207.99, C. B. Sumner $80.69, Harold Scriver $77.36, Ed Gould $168.95, Alfred Spring $133.10, James Hendren $295.50, Howard Williams $285.30, Carl Zweig, Jr. $277.66, Burton Jackson $31.27, Fred Brownell $159.70, Otis C. Olson $176.40, Clarence Helle $196.40, Chas. Krogman $188.00, John Strait $99.10, Leo Clausen $32.00, Andrew T. Larson $125.20, Julius Lentz $91.60, Thomas Spiering $64.00, Curtis Underwood $111.00, Francis Schmeling $116.20, Joe H. Schmeling $21.40; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Eden)-John Rennie $34.50, Ed Gould $25.00, James Hendren $45.00, Howard Williams $35.10, Carl Zweig, Jr. $32.40, Fred Brownell $15.75, Clarence Helle $16.00, Chas. Krogman $15.00, John Strait $10.00, Leo Clausen $23.00, Andrew T. Larson $19.00, Julius Lentz $18.00, Thomas Spiering $25.00, Curtis Underwood $24.00, Francis Schmeling $15.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Leola)-J. P. Haug $13.20, Harold Scriver $121.90, Ed Gould $55.00, Alfred Spring $128.75, Burton Jackson $236.25, Fred Brownell $46.20, Clarence Helle $14.00, Chas. Krogman $15.00, John Strait $91.00, Leo Clausen $120.00, Andrew T. Larson $48.00, Julius Lentz $53.00, Thomas Spiering $98.00, Curtis Underwood $54.00, Francis Schmeling $20.00, Joe H. Schmeling $9.00; CH&BR-J.P. Haug $134.75, Joe Stricherz $66.70, Claude VanSickle $67.85, C. B. Sumner $155.25, Alfred Spring $12.50, John Strait $20.00, Leo Clausen $25.00, Andrew T. Larson $7.00, Julius Lentz $15.00, Thomas Spiering $12.00, Curtis Underwood $8.00, Francis Schmeling $32.00, Joe H. Schmeling $40.00; COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL-J. P. Haug $20.90, Claude VanSickle $13.80, C. B. Sumner $35.65, Harold Scriver $49.45, Clarence Helle $10.00, Chas. Krogman $10.00; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $51.25, Alfred Spring $5.00, Burton Jackson $37.50, Fred Brownell $3.15, Chas. Krogman $10.00, John Strait $20.00, Leo Clausen $23.00, Andrew T. Larson $37.00, Julius Lentz $52.00, Thomas Spiering $5.00, Curtis Underwood $51.00, Francis Schmeling; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Dexter)-Leo Clausen $2.00; (Lake)-Leo Clausen $20.00;

Payments made on County Liens for the month of November are as follows: Norman Thronson $41.00; Claude Smith $55.00, Augusta Schoenberger $34.45;

The bond of W.N. Evans for school district #17 was approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Williams.

The Board of County Commissioners authorized the Supervisor of Assessors and the County Auditor to attend the Assessors school held in Huron January 11, 12, and 13th, 1956 with expenses paid as prescribed by Law, on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Skinner.

The hearing of the applications for alcoholic beverages outside the limits of any municipality was set for December 13, 1955 at 10:00 A.M. in the forenoon, in the chambers of the Commissioners in the Court House. It was set on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Skinner.

Joe Leathers and E.A. Fletcher came before the Board in regard to a decision on the valuation of Section 28-118-55 as to the NW¼ and SW¼. They both agreed that the NW¼ was valued $1000 more than the SW¼, and the County Auditor was advised to spread the taxes accordingly.

The Board spent the balance of the day in Milbank inspecting the St. Bernard Prov. Hospital and nursing home.

Moved to adjourn until November 29, 1955 at 10:00 A.M.

Anna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
November 29, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Glenn Paterson, attorney for Max Fiebelkorn, came before the Board in regard to County liens of Max Fieblekorn Sr., these being O.A.A., the Board released all County liens in so far as they pertain to the property of Max Fieblekorn and Lots 17-18-19-20, Rice Brothers Addition to Block 1 of Burchards addition; on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Mrs. Sturdevant came before the Board in regard to care of Louis C. Brinker.

On a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Keenan, the Board purchased one atlas for the Auditor's office, from the R.C. Booth Enterprise Publishers at a cost of $16.00.

The Board voted to accept the raise of the Addressograph Sales Agency on the maintenance contract of $3.75, effective as of November 22, 1955, on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

Minutes for the month of November were read and approved with the following corrections; to incorporate in the abatement of Helmer Jacobson, Dexter Township, the abatement of the 1955 tax on Sec. 30-119-53, this having been omitted in the November 1, 1955 minutes. On a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

The Highway Superintendent was authorized to attend the Highway Convention at Rapid City with expenses paid as prescribed by law, on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

RESOLUTION #260

WHEREAS, there has been with-held the sum of $2370.92 from the sale of Motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to Phipps township in Codington County, South Dakota, being the Twenty-eight per cent required to be placed in the fund, to be known as the County Special Highway Fund, and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund.

AND WHEREAS, the sum with-held is greater than is required to complete the necessary work in the said County Highway System in the said Township,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the sum of $2370.92 be apportioned to the said township as follows:

Phipps $2370.92

The above and foregoing resolution was moved by Commissioner Hogstad, seconded by Commissioner Keenan, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted yes, and none voted no, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 29th day of November, 1955.

Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota

By Vernon Belk

Adolph Hogstad

James L. Keenan

ATTEST:

Anna Welch, County Auditor

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until Friday, December 2, at 10.00 A.M.

Anna Welch Co. Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
December 2, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Hazel Hegarty $130.00, Ed Bribbin $25.00; TRUST-Frances E. Wheat $2000.00;

(The following had been omitted in October's proceedings)
On a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan, Codington County levies for 1955 were approved by the Board as follows:

SCHEDULE OF TAX LEVIES FOR COUNTY PURPOSES FOR 1955,
ADOPTED OCTOBER 25, 1955

FUND	BUDGET	PLUS 5%	TOTAL	ESTIMATED REVENUES	TAXES	LEVY
General	196,300	9,815	206,115	44,626	161,489	4.91
Salary	59,000	2,950	61,950	10,600	51,350	1.56
Insane	24,000	1,200	25,200	17,000	8,200	.25
Feeble Minded	7,300	365	7,665	3,700	3,965	.12
Custer	3,000	150	3,150	3,158	00	.00
County Road	15,000	750	15,750	00	15,750	.48
County Bridge	1,000	50	1,050	1,053	00	.00
Jail Building	25,000	1,250	26,250	11,320	14,930	.46
Mellette Memorial	950	48	998	00	998	.03
TOTAL LIMITED LEVY	331,550	16,578	348,128	91,457	256,682	7.81
Weed Control	3,200	160	3,360	00	3,360	.10
Special Bridge	35,000	1,750	36,750	5,000	31,750	.97
C.H.& B.R.	160,000	8,000	168,000	110,000	58,000	1.76
Co.Snow Removal	55,000	2,750	57,750	57,900	00	00
County Fair	25,000	1,250	26,250	17,320	8,930	.27
TOTAL UNLIMITED LEVY	278,200	13,910	292,110	190,220	102,040	3.10
CONSOLIDATED	609,750	30,488	640,238	281,677	358,722	10.91

Vernon H. Belk
Vernon H. Belk, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners, Codington County
South Dakota

ATTEST:
Inma Welch
County Auditor

A motion was made by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad to purchase a special oil burner No. 11 Super Flame, twin burner, for the machine sheds at Kranzburg,to be installed at a cost of $190.00. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Skinner to set a rental of $75.00 on the space occupied by the State Highway Department. Motion carried. The District Engineer, T.J. Bunn at Huron was notified.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until December 6, 1955 at 10:00 AM.

Inma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
December 6, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment, with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

The bills were checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan. Motion carried. (The following bills were checked and approved on December 13, and should not have been listed in the proceedings for the 6th.)

GENERAL-Poor-Mrs. Augusta Bunde $25.00-for Joe LeTourneau; Burgdorf Nursing Home $192.00-for L.N. Schulner $45.00, Henry Spilde $40.00, Susan Mack $35.00, Jerry O'Brien $17.00, N.T. Nelson $55.00; Walter Gusso-for Bert Crandall $25.00; Rose Kelly $15.00-for Wm Boll; Kinstad Rest Home $201.00-for Ole Hanson $36.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Karl Berge $30.00, Peter DeMuynck $15.00, Rupert Gatchell $35.00, James Chambers $35.00, Earl Crocker $15.00; Mrs. Walter Kuhn $85.00-for Chancy Bartholameu; Elizabeth Marsh $10.00-for Matt Kemp; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $72.85-for Lewis C. Brinker $40.00, August Warnke $30.00, Claude Smith $2.85; Svendsen Nursing Home $190.00-for Hilda Ebens $95.00, Mary Kirkeby $35.00, Sarah Ann Black $30.00, Rosa Dixon $30.00; Watertown Rest Home $75.00-for L. Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $47.60-for Ella Flanagan $40.00, Frances DeMuynck $7.60; Miller Delivery & Gas Service $3.50; Nash Finch $3.50; Herb Skinner Jr. $5.00; Wilson Storage & Transfer $87.64; Bartron Hospital $3484.79-for Ervin Alt $248.30, Chas. Bierscheid $10.00, Marie Bryant $234.35, Mrs. John Dobson $644.43, Mrs. P. DeMuynck $50.80, Art Eastberg $239.40, Chris Engels $273.75, Ludwig Grewing $118.08, Albert Johnson $300.93, Edith Kinsey $27.50, Marlys Madsen $108.75, Jerry O'Brien $185.25, Barbara Richard $256.30, R. A. Vance $135.90, Wm. Selchert $88.50, Henry J. Schloesser $107.50, Florence Williams $455.05; Bartron Clinic $983.00-for Chas. & Lizzie Alt $4.00, Ervin Alt $30.00, Edna Barkley $3.00, Wm. Barto $9.00, Chas. Bierscheid $19.00, Carl Henry Becker $6.00, Marie Bryant $78.00, Anna Christianson $6.00, Mrs. John Dobson $66.00, Mrs. Pete DeMuynck $12.00, Hilda Ebens $9.00, Art Eastberg $36.00, Chris Engels $75.00, John Farley $10.00, Ludwig Grewing $36.50, Ola Hanson $2.00, Hilda Haack $19.00, Albert Johnson $30.00, Edith Kinsey $8.00, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $3.00, Marlys Madsen $89.00, L. Mourere $2.00, Jerry O'Brien $30.00, Leora Rose $5.00, Barbara Richard $75.00, Ray Strait $2.00, Mrs. Ellsworth Spearbeck $45.00, Lena Trumer $8.00, Alfred Vick $12.00, Rollin A. Vance $76.50, Wm. Selchert $35.00, Henry J. Schloesser $34.00, Florence Williams $75.00, Fern Washtoak $24.00, Steve Wisneski $9.00; Brown Clinic $3.00-for Henry J. Schloesser; Codington Co. Oil Co. $79.46-for Mrs. Edwin Bates $7.55, Mary Tribitt $14.10, Harold L. Tibbits $7.05, Arthur Larson $14.10, Olaf Erickson $22.56, John & Lydia Fjerstad $14.10; F. P. Creaser & Sons $44.50-for Myron Corwin $21.75, Jud Turner $22.75; A. Duffner Store $157.18-for Mrs. Chas. Montney $15.52, Mathilda Blek $18.00, Frank Metzinger $19.08, Peter DeMuynck $6.75, Ola Hanson $23.71, Carl Berge $8.10, L. Mourere $5.71, Chris Jensen $12.42, Walter Richard $1.80, Wm. Boll $18.71, Aug Warnke $13.25, Inga Yarns $8.19, Herman Wallon $5.94; Haggar Drug Store $133.94-for Hilda Haack $5.94, Henrietta Fritz $7.52, Vernon & Ellen Anderson $22.77, Wm. Czeck $6.48, Fern Washtoak $24.89, Marie Bryant $5.40, Mildred Taylor $5.85, N.T. Nelson $3.60, Josephine Welter $9.72, Mrs. Leonard Vaughn $33.53, Seymore Peterson $5.40, Blanche E. Berry $2.84; Hayes Lucas Lbr. Co. $25.62-for Catherine Brockhoft; Hollywood Grocery $45.00-for Harold L. Tibbits $25.00, Mrs. LeRoy Anderson $5.00, Will Norman $15.00; K. D. Inc. $232.52; Kreiser Drug Store $507.86- Nels C. Nielson $22.50, Anna From $2.14, Louise Tiejen $20.97, Hilda Ebens $48.64, Mrs. John Kirkeby $3.60, Blair Tessier $82.26, Mrs. Pete DeMuynck $31.47, Anna Christianson $43.87, Earl Crocker $21.63, James Chambers $38.47, Ella Flanagan $8.60, Rosa Dixon $4.71, Frances Schmeling $92.79, Carl Henry Becker $18.00, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $10.30, Leora Rose $14.94, Chas. & Lizzie Alt $14.72, Lena Radtke $1.17, Ben Bergerson $2.33, Jerry O'Brien $1.35, Ludwig Grewing $3.24, Mary Lindner $1.80, Albert Johnson $15.93, Edith Kinsey $1.08, Art Eastberg $1.35; McBath Coal & Coke $24.60-for Mrs. Edith Bunde; C. E. McGowan Lumber Co. $15.50-for Carl J. Struss; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes $15.00-for L. C. Briner $3.00, Claude Smith $6.00, Florence Williams $3.00, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $3.00; Memorial Hospital $150.00-for John Mark Kleinsasser; Kenn R. Mercer $25.00-for Barbara Richards; Gene C. Nesheim $25.00-for Barbara Richards; Northside Grocery $10.00-for Will Norman; Orville Quinn $25.00-for Chris Engels; Shaw-Messer $25.00-for Mrs. H.H. Parliament; O. P. Skaggs Store $40.00-for Alice Reditzke $25.00, Jud Turner $15.00; Betty Smith $25.00-for Chris Engels; Spies Super Valu $135.00-for Arthur Larson $15.00, Myron Corwin $30.00, Chris Jensen $30.00, Harold E. Berg $30.00, Mrs. Robert Ward $15.00, Elsie Ravellette $15.00; St. Bernards Prov. Hospital $134.75-for John Welter $96.00, Mary Myers $38.75; Standard Oil Co. $69.51-for Elsie Ravelette $28.20, Phoebe Mowery $14.10, Will Norman $14.10, Will Barton $6.06, Chris Jensen $7.05; Gertrude Thomas $5.00-for L. Rhode; Thomes Drug Store $137.64-for Mrs. Anna From $5.40, John Farley $11.92, Lena Trumer $1.93, Inga Fisk $19.17, Claude Smith $.45, Art Eastberg $2.25, Jerry O'Brien $11.44, Rollin A. Vance $10.63, Richard DePeel $2.16, Chas. Bierscheid $8.32, Anna Parsley $3.90, Alfred Vick $32.80, Theo. Treat $1.57, Ludwig Grewing $17.82, Marton Erickson $4.28, Roy Strait $3.60; Dr. M.C. Thompson $62.00-for Mildred Taylor $3.00, Inga Fisk $16.00, Clarence I. Morrison $26.00, Minnie Johnson $17.00; E. M. Watson, M.D. $12.00-for Mrs. Florence Thompson; Jack Weeks $25.00-for Chris Engels; Insurance & Bonds-A. B. Turbak $136.80; Court Expense-Dick Boettcher $3.15, Larry Crodt $3.15, James Lantgen $3.15, Harlan Johnson $3.15, Cecilia M. Beirne $119.90, Glen S. Paterson $50.00, Lawrence E. Kayl $25.00, Ruhe Stationery Co. $16.62, Mabel C. Alworth $41.92, H. F. Anderson Engraving Co. $159.65, Bartron Hospital & Clinic $14.00, S. & H Furniture Repair $4.00, Photo News $18.00, A. Duffner Store $.85; Printing & Advertising-Postmaster $10.00, Henry Independent $47.21, South Shore Gazette $113.40, Watertown Public Opinion $83.48; Auditor's Office Expense-Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. $61.37, Midwest-Beach Co. $32.02, News Printing Co. $36.83, Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.95; Register of Deeds Office Expense-News Printing Co. $11.76, Ruhe Stationery Co. $11.44, Carlson's $1.05; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.10; Public Welfare Office Expense-$17.48 to Ruhe Stationery Co.; County Extension-Ruhe Stationery Co. $5.45, George W. Cook $62.60, Extension Service-State College Station $5.35, Clara W. Johnson $25.31, Fred Morris $112.33; Treasurer's Office Expense-F. C. Grow Sons-Printers $27.00, Mitchell Publishing Co. $114.06; Tax Collector-James Nelson $526.97; Superintendent of Schools Office Expense-C. A. Gregory Co. $3.00; Mileage-Lloyd Shenk $237.05; Fees-Lloyd Shenk $102.41; Sheriff's Office Expense-Smith & Wesson, Inc. $3.80; Radio-Burghardt Radio Supply Co. $.73; States Attorney's Mileage-Dale E. Bradshaw $12.00; Board of Insanity-Mabel C. Alworth $51.37, H. T. Kenney, M.D. $60.00, Lloyd Strain $5.00; Law Library-The Lawyer's Co-operative Publishing Co. $5.00; Election Expense-Miller Delivery & Gas Service $1.50; Memorial Park-Miller Delivery & Gas Service $9.35; Coroner-Leslie E. Mathiesen $34.63; Board of Health-H. Russell Brown, M. D. $28.68, M.C. Rousseau, M.D. $26.00; Court House Maintenance-Ruhe Stationery Co. $.30, Balsiger Bakery $2.50, Cave Supply Co. $1.68, Central Products Co. $29.50, City Treasurer $489.38, Dandar Electric Motor Repair $12.00, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $7.30, Egge Electric Co. $114.53, Harris Janitor Supply Co. $12.00, Inman Plumbing & Heating $7.05, Lion's Club $18.00, Miller Delivery & Gas Service $1.50, Nash Finch Co. $29.50, Nelson Hardware $16.63, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $276.18, Otis Elevator Co. $56.75, Park Grant Co. $43.50, Putnam-Mileage Market $1.55, Sears Roebuck Co. $14.93, Ruth Shenk $13.04, Herb Skinner

Jr. $18.75, Town & Country Store $8.28, Watertown Machine Works $4.54, Wilson Storage & Transfer $3.50; County Farm-City Treasurer $20.45, Park Grant Co. $29.18, Redlinger Bros. $7.50, A. Duffner Store $1.79, K. D. Inc. $13.22, Lien's Grocery $37.75, Spies Super Valu $4.37, Botsford Lumber Co. $440.46, Dr. J.P. Harman $6.00, Loken's Sales Pavilion $81.60, Marshall-Wells Store $3.59, Olson Appliance Co. $5.80, J. C. Penney Co. $18.48, Sunshine State Hatchery $3.25, Bert Tesch $4.00, Uptown Service $3.25, Watertown Co-op, Elevator $6.40; INSTITUTE-Augusta Maguire Wider $50.00, James Deacon $20.00, Dr. J. Howard Kramer $30.00, Robert Pearson $25.00; GENERAL-Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $93.10, Adolph Hogstad $93.59, James L. Keenan $105.50, Herb Skinner $112.00, Al M. Williams $113.80; INSANE-Lloyd Shenk $38.00; ROAD-Cave Supply Co. $110.23, City Treasurer $10.01, Watertown Machine Works $89.10, C. E. McGowan Lumber Co. $1.02, Botsford Lumber Co. $117.73, Olson Appliance Co. $49.38, Dick's Tractor Parts Co. $6.00, Dakota Welding Supply Co. $11.73, Florence Service $8.30, Gooch Sales Co. $26.97, Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $33.49, Kenneth Hayes Magneto & Electric $35.42, International Harvester Co. $23.30, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $50.74, Keuffel & Esser Co. $45.42, K & Z Service $16.53, LaNoue's Radiator Shop $22.50, Mahowald Co. $57.06, Marquardt's Service & Supply Co. $5.00, Motor Supply Co. $26.16, N.T.'s Service $6.00, Northwestern Public Service $3.00, Northwestern Road Supply Co. $69.90, Phillips 66 Service $26.51, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $2.03, Schweigers Inc. $5.60, Arthur Schwandt $10.45, Sever Tobiason $12.00, Watertown Tire Co. $12.29, Western Transportation $3.00, Williams Hardware Co. $47.03; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Putman-Mileage Market $309.45, Northwestern Road Supply Co. $16.20, South Dakota Concreta Products $128.02, Grover Farmers Elevator Co. $13.21, Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $6.80, Minnesota Mining & Mfg. Co. $42.40, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $.85; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Olson Appliance Co. $8.60; CMV-Arthur Schwandt $12.97; C.H.& B.R.-Chas. L.Brandriet & Union Central Life Ins. Co. $181.10, Herman Hvidhyld $24.96, Robert Newell $21.42, Annie Orthaus $4.19, Earl Roe & Mildred Roe $63.02, South Dakota Concrete Products $1593.80; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Algard Machine Shop $8.00, Paper Calmenson & Co. $52.20, Harold Scriver $43.75, Carl Zweig, Jr. $22.54; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Dexter)-South Dakota Concrete Products $505.18; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Eden)-Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $133.49, Leonard Chilson $6.00, Harold Scriver $30.24, Carl Zweig, Jr. $12.53; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Leola)-Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $308.56, Merle Elshere $14.17, Arnold M.Gengler & Lawrence Kaiser $25.83, Herman J. Hanneman $15.28, W. D. Gibson $55.77, Ernest A. Goodroad $25.00, Levi Kannas $14.45, Myron Resen $26.52, Thompson Yards $3.70; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Lake)-Peter Beckman $5.57; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Elmira)-Peter Beckman $3.43; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $53.04, Paul David $5.82, Joe J. Fox $5.68, Robert Redlin $6.52; TEXTBOOK-American Book Co. $32.54, Educator Supply Co. $218.33, Ginn & Co. $30.44, A.N. Palmer Co. $5.40, Scott, Foresman & Co. $55.85, Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $80.80, Warp Publishing Co. $22.30;

RESOLUTION DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, the County of Codington in the State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota.

NOW THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 1st day of November, 1955, at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property, to-wit:

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 - Block 10, Wallace Village	all for	$50.00
Lots 4, 5 - Block 28, Wallace Village	both	10.00
Lot 8, - Block 1-Ulvins Addition in Henry Village		20.00
Lots 220, 221, Fairfax Addition to Watertown	both	70.00
Lots 7, 8, - Block 1, Hanten & McKool's Addition to Watertown	both	40.00
Lot 3, - Block 4, Horswills Addition to Watertown		10.00
Lot 29, - Block 10, Kemp Addition to Watertown		5.00

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of said Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota.

Dated this 8th day of November, 1955.

Vernon H Belk

Adolph Hogstad

James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Irma Welch
County Auditor

A motion to abate the interest on personal property tax of Fred W. Struss and Mrs. Struss, providing that base tax in the amount of $471.07 be paid in full, was made by Keenan and seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE #258

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by Tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that three have offered the sum of $85.00 in cash for the following described real property, to-wit:

Lots 220-221 - Fairfax,sold to Clara Putnam
Lot 3, - Block 4- Horswills, sold to Henry Forman
Lot 29, - Block 10- Kemps Addition, sold to Wm. Ronning

which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited in cash with the County Treasurer

NOW THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 6 day of December, 1955, that the sale of said premises to the above named, be and the same is hereby approved, and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deed to said purchaser conveying to said purchaser all of the right, title, and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 6 day of December, 1955.

Vernon H Belk

Adolph Hogstad

James L. Keenan

Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Motion to approve the sale of Lots 220-221, Fairfax Addition to Clara Putnam, Lot 3, Block 4-Horswills Addition, to Henry Forman, Lot 29, Block 10-Kemps Addition, to William Ronning, total amount $85.00,was made by Skinner and seconded by Williams. Motion carried

Clerk of Courts report for November in the amount of $239.00 was approved on a motion by' Skinner and seconded by Williams.

George Burke, Veterans Service Officers report for the month of November was noted by the Board.

Matt Brandriet, Weed Supervisors report for the month of November was noted by the Board.

Treasurer's report to the Auditor, Deposits in bank $461,950.01, cash on hand and in banks $7421.80, bonds $181,619.72, and Jail bonds $2500.00, was approved on a motion by' Keenan and seconded by Williams.

The bills for Yankton, $1637.99, Redfield $721.67 and Custer $127.27 were approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

The policy for Workmans Compensation for County employees with Loren Stien was approved by the Board on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Keenan.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until December 13 at 10:00 A.M.

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
December 13, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims approved an a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad: GENERAL-Court Expense-Warren H. Dahl $5.10, Chris Ohnstad $12.30, Killian Stricherz $5.10,R.L.Hurlbut

$10.20; Bailiff Fees-Ray Makepeace $15.00;

This being the time and place for the hearing of applications for permits to engage in the sale of intoxicating (Alcoholic) liquor within Codington County, and outside municipalities under the jurisdiction of any incorporate city or town and whereas no one appeared regarding said hearing, the board acting thus, on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Williams, the licenses of the following were approved: Frank Schmitt and Joseph Murray of Waverly and Thomas Spartz and C.J. Ruhr of Kranzburg, all having voted "yea" and none "nay" on roll call, the Chairman declared the motion carried.

Register of Deed's report for the month of November for $636.40 was approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

Duaine L. Johnson came before the Board in regards to a release of County liens that were not his. The liens were for DuWayne Johnson.

Dance hall licenses for the year of 1956 were approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Hogstad as follows: W.C. Williams Rainbow Room, $50.00, Albert DeVille-Sunnyside Inn $25.00, and Flamingo Steak House, $25.00.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until December 20, at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
December 20, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan as follows: SALARY-County Auditor-Irma E. Welch $325.00, Pearl Bergan $210.00, Alice Olson $190.00, Kathleen Wirtz $180.00, Edna Derenthal $160.00; Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00, Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00, Fay Wohlheter $150.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Margaret Brown $296.68, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson $160.00; Superintendent of Schools $325.00-Hazel G. Murphy $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $190.00; States Attorney-Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75, Ross H. Oviatt $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $400.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $200.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $118.56, Joe Gerlach $25.00, Trebor Williams $5.10, Albert Gillies $10.20, Cliff Johnson $19.60; Veterans Service-George W. Burke $190.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $170.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $100.00, Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Sheriff's Fees & Salary-Bert Smith $85.00; Supervisor of Assessors-Glenn M. Mitchell $300.00; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $89.60, Adolph Hogstad $105.69, Herb Skinner $95.76, Al M. Williams $108.00, James L. Keenan $89.60; Court Expense-Eva Belk $7.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V.-John Rennie $99.93; J. P. Haug $74.47, Claude VanSickle $70.02, Clarence B. Sumner $164.15; Harold Scriver $83.47, James Hendren $246.75, Howard Williams $24.18, Carl Zweig Jr. $245.43, Alfred Spring $168.52, Burton Jackson $44.80, Fred Brownell $24.36, John Strait $30.47, Leo Clausen $40.99, Curtis Underwood $46.94, Julius Lentz $5.00, Andrew T. Larson $63.00, Clarence Helle $34.20, Thomas Spiering $14.42, Chas. Krogman $6.44, Harold O. Chester $21.95, C. S. Rasmusson $525.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00, Sever Tobiason $205.00, Joe Stricherz $57.56; SPECIAL BRIDGE-John Rennie $67.85, Burton Jackson $200.00, Fred Brownell $108.60, John Strait $139.00, Leo Clausen $147.00, Curtis Underwood $101.00, Julius Lentz $194.81, Andrew T. Larson $141.00, Clarence Helle $143.00, Thomas Spiering $112.00, Chas. Krogman $191.00; COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL-John Rennie $75.30, J. P. Haug $61.60, Claude VanSickle $93.75, Clarence B. Sumner $83.45, Harold Scriver $102.50, James Hendren $51.00, Howard Williams $33.75, Carl Zweig, Jr. $14.85, Ed Gould $20.00, Alfred Spring $60.00, Burton Jackson $10.00, Fred Brownell $52.50, John Strait $44.55, Leo Clausen $33.00, Curtis Underwood $43.00, Julius Lentz $9.50, Andrew T. Larson $12.00, Clarence Helle $15.00, Thomas Spiering $43.00, Chas. Krogman $7.00; CH&BR-J.P. Haug $47.30, Claude VanSickle $96.03, Harold Scriver $14.95, Alfred Spring $12.50, Thomas Spiering $10.00; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Leola)-Harold Scriver $8.05; GENERAL-County Farm-Carl Zweig, Jr. $8.10, Alfred Spring $10.00, Fred Brownell $8.40, John Strait $8.00, Curtis Underwood $8.00, Andrew T. Larson $8.00; SALARY-County Auditor-Frances Engwer $27.90;

Dance hall license of Francis Hupf for Tip Top Tavern for the year of 1956 for $25.00 was approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

An abatement for 1955 tax on real estate assessed to Harold Anderson, this being state property and Harold Anderson has no interest in said property, was approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Williams.

The abatement of Robert Cordell from the City Independent School District #1 and properly assesshim in district #8 where he belongs. (This being an error by the Assessor), was approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

The abatement of Leon Davis personal property tax for 1954, he being assessed both in Lake Township and City of Watertown, in the amount of $16.30, was approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

The Auditor was instructed to issue a Quit Claim Deed to Oscar Skogstad of Florence, S. D. upon the payment in full of the Contract for SE¼ Sec. 29-119-54, upon a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

The compromise settlement of county liens for Ellenora and Melvin Tesch for $40.00 was approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until December 27, at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
December 27, 1955

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Keenan: GENERAL-Poor-Walter Kuhn $16.25-for Chancey Bartholameu; Court Expense-Lydia Tessier $15.20, Hazel' Hegarty $135.40; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $30.00, Adolph Hogstad $45.32, James L. Keenan $52.60, Herb Skinner $35.40, Al M. Williams $44.00;

NE¼ 22-117-54 sold to C.E. Peterson on a contract for deed, having been paid in full, the auditor was instructed to issue a Quit Claim Deed on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad.

A motion was made by Williams and seconded by Hogstad to abate the school poll of Ivan Flemming, he being a Veteran.

On a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad all public liability insurance on County Machinery be raised from $5000 - $25000 - $50000 to $10000 - $50000 - $100,000. Motion carried.

The balance of the day was spent checking insurance policies.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until Friday, December 30, at 10:00 A.M.

Anna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
December 30, 1955

The County Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all commissioners present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Bounty Claims were checked and approved on a motion by Keenan andsseconded by Skinner as follows: Herman Sanwich, Joe Stricherz, James H. Sharp, Gene Lindahl, Wallace Bunde, Lynn Johnson, Derald Bostran, Maynard R. Mills, Hugo Frentz, Jim Daley, Donald Pieschke, Dale Zemlicka, Anthony Fischer, Clyde Fisher, each $4.00; Merle Hogie, Robert Adams, $8.00 each; Orrin Korth $12.00; H.D. Small, Lewis Benshoof, Owen Thaeker, Glen Buchholz, C. W. Lindberg, H. J. Miller, Frank Gerberding, Frank Karpinski, Harlan Bach, $7.50 each; Royal Redlin $15.00; Floyd Foster $60.00; Harlan Bach $37.50;

The abatement of John Strohfus of 1955 tax in the amount of $23.79 on NE¼ Sec.17-118-55 having been an error in the final assessment. It was approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

The public liability insurance on highways, roads, culverts, and bridges with the Wolverine Insurance Co., P.O. Brekke agent, was approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

The public liability insurance and property damage with Westchester Fire Insurance for the year of 1956 was approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Skinner. Motion carried. McClintic Insurance Company are the agents for this insurance.

Minutes for December were read and approved on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad.

Motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until January 3, 1956.

Anna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 3, 1956

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Belk presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad. GENERAL-Per Diem-Vernon H. Belk $30.00, Adolph Hogstad $45.32, James L. Keenan $52.60, Herb Skinner $35.40, Al M. Williams $44.00; Court Expense-George Trygstad $20.40, Levi Kannas $17.60;

RESOLUTION #261

WHEREAS, the final budget adopted for the year of 1955 is insufficient to enable the County to conduct the indispensable functions of government, which are just obligations upon the County for the necessary conduct of the Courts, support of the Poor, and other duties which it is the lawful duty of the County to discharge,

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary to adopt a Supplemental Budget so that the County of Codington may conduct the indispensable functions of government,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the following amounts as set out herein shall constitute and be adopted as the Supplemental Budget for 1955, notice having been duly published to adopt said Supplemental Budget, December 22, 1955.

GENERAL FUND
Board of Prisoners $500.00

SPECIAL FUND
Redfield 1600.00
TOTAL $2100.00

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan, and seconded by COMMISSIONER HOGSTADAND upon roll call all Commissioners voted "yea" and none voted "nay", whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 16th day of December, 1955 at Watertown, South Dakota.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of Co. Commissioners

Herb Skinner
District #1

Adolph Hogstad
District #3

Al M. Williams
District #4

Vernon Belk
District #2

ATTEST:

Inna Welch
County Auditor

The County Weed Board report for the year of 1955 was read and approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner.

The application for abatement of John Riechling was rejected on the advice of the States Attorney, and on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad.

The minutes for December were read and approved.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Hogstad that the Old Board adjourn sine die. Motion carried.

The new Board immediately reconvened and took up the business of reorganization for 1956.

The Auditor called for nominations for a chairman for the year of 1956; Hogstad nominated Keenan, Belk moved that nominations close and the Auditor was instructed to cast a unanimous ballot for Keenan for Chairman for the year of 1956. Motion carried.

Keenan was declared Chairman, after which he assumed the chair, and called for nominations for Vice Chairman.

Belk nominated Skinner, Hogstad moved that nominations close, and the Auditor was instructed to cast a unanimous ballot for Skinner, for Vice Chairman for the year of 1956. Motion carried.

Chairman Keenan wished to extend to Vernon Belk in behalf of the Board of County Commissioners a vote of thanks and appreciation for work done in the past year.

Dale Bradshaw, States Attorney, came before the Board to discuss the State Auditor's report of Codington County.

Chairman Keenan appointed the following Committees for the year 1956.

Finance	Skinner, Hogstad, Belk
Purchase of Court House Supplies	Williams and the Entire Board
Court House, Grounds, Jail	Skinner, Hogstad, Williams
Insurance	Belk
County Home	Keenan, Williams, Hogstad
Rural Property	Hogstad, Keenan, Belk
City Property	Skinner, Williams
Memorial Park	Belk, Skinner, Hogstad
Highway Purchases	Belk, entire Board
Welfare purchases, supplies	Belk, Keenan, Skinner

The first name printed, acting as Chairman.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until January 4 at 10:00 A.M.

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 4, 1956

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present,

Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad. GENERAL-Court Expense-Cecilia M. Beirne $104.99;

Designation of the official newspapers for Codington for the year of 1956 was taken up at this time, applications having been submitted by the following: Watertown Public Opinion, South Shore Gazette, and Henry Independent, only three applications submitted, moved by Belk and seconded by Hogstad, that all three be designated as official newspapers for the year 1956. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION #262

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota have deemed it advisable according to SDC 12.2303, to set up an annual tax levy of .44 mills with the proceeds paid into a fund known as "Jail Building Fund", and,

WHEREAS, the sum of $10,142.48 has accumulated from the imposition of the tax levy of .44 mills for the purpose of (or designated as) the "Jail Building Fund"

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the County Treasurer be, and he is hereby instructed to invest said funds of the "Jail Building Funds" in the amount of $10,142.48, which sum has accumulated and designated as the "Jail Building Fund", in U.S. Government Bonds and all accumulative interest to be credited to said "Jail Building Fund"

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Skinner and seconded by Commissioner Belk, and upon roll call, all Commissioners voted "yea" and none voted "nay", whereupon the Chairman declared the same duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 4th day of January 1956.

James L Keenan
Chairman
Herb Skinner
Vernon Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Al. McWilliams

ATTEST:
Irma Welch
County Auditor

George Burke, Veterans Service Officer's report for the month of December was noted by the Board.

Veterans Service Officer, George Burke, was re-appointed for the year 1956, with a salary of $200.00 a month, on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until Thursday at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 5, 1956

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

The Board spent morning inspecting records and discussing the program for the year of 1956, and adjourned at noon to attend a district meeting of County Officers at Webster, S. D.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 6, 1956

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

At 10:00 A.M., the time being set for bids for gas, and oil for the year 1956, the following bids were submitted; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. Inc., Standard Oil Co., Wolters Direct Service, Reaney's Service and Mileage Market.

The bids were opened and read, and after some discussion it was decided to set 4 o'clock as the time for final consideration of such bids.

Belk and Williams checked the Sheriff's reports for the year.

Skinner, Hogstad, Keenan, checked the inventories for the Welfare Office, Superintendent of Schools Office, and the Sheriffs Office.

At 4 o'clock, they resumed their regular session, and on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner, the Socony Vacuum Oil Co. bid was accepted for bulk station supplies. Motion carried.

On a motion by Skinner and seconded by Belk, the Mileage Mart bid for Station service be accepted. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until Monday, January 9, at 10:00 A.M.

Anna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 9, 1956

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment, with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Edward Howson, acting defense director, came before the Board and explained that the State had taken this program over, and it was the duty of the Board to appoint a director for Codington County and report same.

The Board delayed action at this time.

The Commissioners spent the balance of the day checking records and inventories.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until January 10, at 10:00 A.M.

Anna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 10, 1956

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams, as follows; GENERAL-Poor-Augusta Bunde $25.00-for Joe LeTourneau, Burgdorf Nursing Home $273.87-for Florence Williams $5.00, Nels T. Nelson $55.00, Jerry O'Brien $88.87, Henry Spilde $40.00, L.N. Schulner $45.00, Susan Mack $40.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Bertha Johnson $16.00-for Henry Schlosser; Kinstad Rest Home $186.00-for Ola Hanson $36.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Karl Berge $30.00, James Chambers $35.00, Rupert Gatchell $35.00, Earl Crocker $15.00; Elizabeth Marsh $25.00-for Matt Kemp; Svendsen Nursing Home $190.00-for Hilda Ebens $95.00, Sarah Ann Black $30.00, Rose Dixon $30.00, Mary Kirkeby $35.00; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $92.68-for Lewis Brinker $40.00, Henry Schloesser $12.68, August Warnke $30.00, Ed McPeek $10.00; Watertown Rest Home $75.00-for L. Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $147.74-for Ella Flanagan $40.00, Arthur Eastberg $79.24, Emma Jenkins $28.50; Herb Skinner Jr. $4.10; Bartron Hospital $2387.32-for Irvin Ault $260.40, Marie Bryant $70.70, Chas. Bierscheid $99.20, Mrs. Peter DeMuynck $93.70, Chris Engels $176.05, Barbara Erickson $116.90, Martin Erickson $197.65, Albert Johnson $214.60, Herman Kieso $51.25, Mrs. Dan Mertz $21.00, Mrs. J.B. McLaughlin $200.87, Edward McPeek $22.25, Nels C. Nielson $93.50, Barbara Richards $251.35, Claude Smith $49.50, Francis Schmeling $212.50, Alice Redetzke $57.00, Rollin A. Vance $198.90; Bartron Clinic-$575.10-for Irvin Ault $30.00, Chas. Alt $2.00, Marie Bryant $14.00, Chancey R. Bartholomeu $2.00, Wm. Boll $2.00, Chas. Biershied $29.00, James Chambers $3.00, Earl Crocker $5.00, Mrs. Wm. Czeck $2.00, Chris Engels $33.00, Barbara Erickson $37.00, Martin Erickson $33.00, John Farley $8.00, Hilda Haack $4.00, Nellie Jensen $5.60, Albert Johnson $30.00, Mrs. Otto Jungen $3.00, Frank & Emma Klucas $4.00, Herman Kieso $24.00, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $3.00, Mrs. Dan Mertz $29.00, Mrs. Chas. W. Montney $2.00, L. Mourere $2.00, Sharon Minor $3.00, Mrs. J.B. McLaughlin $30.00, Ed McPeek $6.00, Nels C. Nielson $24.00, Jerry O'Brien $3.00, Margaret Papka $3.00, Seymore Peterson $10.00, Barbara Richards $30.00, Ellsworth Spearbeck $8.50, Ed Switzenberg $4.00, Claude Smith $14.00, Francis Schmeling $56.00, Alice Redetzke $14.00, Rollin A. Vance $30.00, Alfred Vick $12.00, Herman Wollan $3.00, Ferne Washtoak $4.00, Mrs. Steven Wisneski $14.00; L.L. Blake $3.90-for Chris Jensen;L.L. Blake $3.90-for Harry Fisher; Codington Co. Oil Co. $48.45-for Mary Tribitt $13.70, Arthur Larson $7.35, Edwin Bates $13.70, John Fjerstad $13.70; Council Oak Store $15.00-for Ed Switzenberg; F.P. Creaser & Sons $68.00-for Evelyn Schultz $11.75, Myron B. Corwin $21.75, Sprigg Tubbs $22.75, Albert Erickson $11.75; Duffner Drug Store $164.56-for Carl Berg $10.80, Edwin Bates $4.50, Mrs. Chas. W. Montney $12.09, Peter DeMuynck $2.47, Ola Hanson $40.30, Mrs. Henry Lipelt $7.87, Mathilda Blek $11.09, Inga Yarns $15.62, Myron B. Corwin $.90, Frank Metzinger $17.73, August Warnke $6.91, L. Mourere $9.45, Art Eastbert $12.24, Wm. Boll $4.95, Emma Jenkins $7.64; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $91.63-for Catherine Brockhoft $23.38, Evelyn Schultz $22.75, Alice Jungen $22.75, Jud Turner $22.75; Haggar Drug Store $170.92-for Alice Jungen $5.13, Seymore Peterson $8.24, Fern Washtoak $28.80, Mrs. Henrietta Fritz $9.05, Mr. & Mrs. Martin Bale $13.50, Marie Bryant $1.80, Mildred Taylor $4.73, H.H. Parliament $1.44, Hilda Haack $7.52, Ellen Anderson $16.74, Mrs. Robert Ward $10.50, Rollin Vance $4.50, Ed Switzenberg $5.13, Nels T. Nelson $3.60, Barbara Erickson $1.58, Frank & Emma Klucas $4.95, Mrs. Wm. Czech $21.20, Josephine Welter $7.83, Blanche E. Berry $9.95, Chancey Bartholomeu $4.73; Hollywood Grocery $15.00-for Will Norman; R.E. Hunter $10.00-

for Sprigg Tubbs; Palace Grocery $10.00-for Victor E. Rosekrans; Kreiser Drug Store $275.63-for Carl Henry Becker $7.20, Frances Schmeling $36.20, Mrs. Brad Barkley $4.77, Anna Christianson $15.39, Lena Radtke $2.88, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $13.03, Peter DeMuynck $3.42, Mary Kirkeby $1.80, Rosa Dixon $2.70, N.C.Nielson $2.25, Ella Flanagan $1.35, Lizzie & Chas. Alt $6.16, Hilda Ebens $45.49, Art Eastberg $13.59, Mrs. Dooks Tiegen $15.66, Chris Engles $3.87, Ben Bergerson $3.15, James Chambers $52.28, Earl Crocker $21.35, Albert Johnson $.45, Marie Bryant $.59, Chas. Bierscheid $2.25, Herman Wolter $19.80; Larson Clothing Co. $7.95-for John Farley; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $50.00-for Edith Bundy $26.10, Don Mauer $23.90; Memorial Hospital $150.00-for John Mark Kleinsasser; Red Owl Store $20.00-for Frederick Boadwine $15.00, John Thompson $5.00; Richs Conoco Products $27.90-for Mrs. Minnie Lambert; Shaw-Messer Co. $124.80-for John Welter $64.80, Edith Kinsey $3.00, Chris Engels $6.00, Leona Popham $51.00; O.P. Skaggs Store $45.00-for Lydia Fjerstad $25.00, Victor Rosekrans $5.00, Jud Turner $15.00; Spies Super Valu $30.00-for Harold E. Berg $15.00, Myron B. Corwin $15.00; Standard Oil Co. $76.04-for Elsie Ravellette $13.70, Wm. Barto $20.55, Will Norman $13.70, Phoebe Mowery $13.70, Gerrit Katze $7.54, Chris Jensen $6.85; St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $35.25-for Mary Myers; Gertrude V.Thomas $5.00-for Louis F. Rohde; Thomes Drug Store $111.72-for John Farley $11.79, Anna Christianson $4.95, Albert Hendricks $7.02, Lena Trumer $2.70, Chas. Bierscheid $9.23, Jerry O'Brien $11.12, Inga Fisk $1.71, Minnie Johnson $5.80, Richard DePeel $1.08, Theo Treat $1.58, Rollin A. Vance $2.25, Anna Parsley $9.57, Ludwig Grewing $10.12; Dr. M.C. Thompson $63,00-for Emma Lehman Dralle $7.50, Albert Hendricks $3.00, Clarence I. Morrison $15.00, Minnie Johnson $18.00, Jessie Lipelt $14.50, Inga Fisk $5.00; Thompson Yards $22.75-for Mrs. Robert Sharp; Visvaldis Janavs $16.00-for William Boll; Watertown Community Oil Co. $29.40-for Ed Switzenberg $14.70, Harold Tibbits $7.35, John Berchhoff $7.35; Whooley Service Station $14.30-for Willard Goette; Bus Depot $9.90; Court Expense-Guy Mann $15.20, Waldo McInroy $10.20, Ruhe Stationery Co. $8.52, Carlson's $27.08; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $81.90, Adolph Hogstad $82.67, James L. Keenan $66.30, Herb Skinner $60.00, Al M. Williams $60.00; Printing & Advertising-South Shore Gazette $421.17, Watertown Public Opinion $343.13; Convention & Research-C. S. Rasmussen $19.00; Sheriff's Office Expense-F.C. Grow Sons $31.00, Gowins Photo Shop $.45; Auditors Office Expense-F.C. Grow Sons $2.50, Monroe Calculating Machine Co. $25.00, Ruhe Stationery Co. $6.92; Treasurers Office Expense-F.C.Grow Sons $98.00, Ruhe Stationery Co. $50.10, Paul Krakowski $15.27, Miller-Bryant-Pierce $12.00; Supervisor Of Assessors-Ruhe Stationery Co. $5.80, Nelson Hardware $.58; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.15, Carlson's $2.55; Supervisor of Assessors-Glenn M. Mitchell $11.10; County Extension-Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.95, George W. Cook $32.08, Clara Johnson $19.35; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.69, Watertown Photo News $45.00; County Extension-Carlson's $54.98; Public Welfare Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.40; Election Expense-Watertown Machine Works $270.59; Superintendent of Schools Office Expense-Curtis 1000 Inc. $32.05, Harolds Camera Shop $3.70, Hub City School Supply Co. $3.47, Mid-West Beach Co. $6.24, Western Transportation Co. $3.00; Superintendent of Schools Mileage-Mrs. Hazel Murphy $4.96; Mileage-Lloyd Shenk $241.95; Board of Prisoners-Lloyd Shenk $578.40; Fees-Lloyd Shenk $130.34; Jailor's Salary-O.L. DeWall $81.00, Al Freeseman $134.00; Justice Fees-Joseph H. Strom $4.60; Co.Judge Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $24.00; Coroner Expense-Leslie E. Mathiesen $6.44; Insurance & Bonds-Loren B. Stein Agency $299.85; Board of Insanity-W.N. Stangland-Sheriff of Minnehaha County $26.00; Board of Health-H.Russell Brown, M.D. $163.25, M.C. Rousseau, M.D. $78.00; Rent & Sale-Arthur J. Voelsch $12.00; Court House Maintenance-Watertown Machine Works $1.50, City Treasurer $662.47, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $1.95, Egge Electric Co. $403.75, Inman Plumbing & Heating Co. $9.00, Jo's Laundry $5.85, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $31.92, Nash Finch Co. $5.55, Nelson Hardware $23.43, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $280.17, Redlinger Bros. $9.09, Ruth Shenk $10.21, Herb Skinner, Jr. $17.00; County Farm-City Treasurer $27.85, Redlinger Bros. $278.00, Spies Super Valu $13.50, Raymond E. Henrichs $107.47, Lien's Grocery $22.99, Marshall-Wells Store $6.61, Mercantile Co. $12.48, Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $5.80, Park Grant Co. $16.54, Sunshine State Hatchery $6.30; WEED BOARD-Ruhe Stationery Co. $69.80, Paul David $5.82, Joe Fox $5.68, Johnson Service Co $111.54, James Keenan $5.96, Robert Redlin $6.52; CMV-Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.10, City Treasurer $17.49, Redlinger Bros. $1.34, Bichler Motor Co. $83.52, Cave Supply Co. $165.95, Chicago & Northwestern Railway Co. $25.00, Chuck Crown Radio-TV $44.99, Florence Service $14.88, Kenneth Hayes Elec. Co. $20.35, Bill Hinde $38.21, Burton Jackson $20.00, Jakle Hardware $12.10, Philip Jesme $24.00, Jostad Lumber Co. $11.06, LaNoue's Radiator Shop $20.50, Marquardt's Service $22.70, Motor Supply Co. $52.06, Pecaut Equipment Co. $1.13, Reaney's Service $25.94, L.E. Tanksley $83.50, Ben H. TeBeest $25.00, Lyle Thorson $22.50, Watertown Iron & Metal Co. $1.02, Watertown Machine Works $34.88, Watertown Radiator Works $.34, Watertown Tire Co. $12.00, Howard Williams $4.73; REDFIELD-Lloyd Shenk $.30; INSANE-Lloyd Shenk $95.15; C.H.& B.R.-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $22.50, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $1000.00, Epho H. Thomas $2186.09; SPECIAL BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $117.66, Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $6.80, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $362.91, J.D. Evans Equipment Co. $1175.28, Foster Bell Co. $277.47, R.E. Hubbard Co. $6.61, International Harvester Co. $310.26, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $6.05, Mahowald Co. $168.58, Putnam-Mileage Market $364.04, Harold Scriver $3.40, S. D. Concrete Products Co. $6830.70, Sheehan-Bartling, Inc.$1049.00, Steve Winski $105.39; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Kampeska)-Putnam-Mileage Market $15.75; COUNTY SPECIAL HIWAY (Eden)-Putnam-Mileage Market $15.16; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Pelican)-Putnam-Mileage Market $.98; COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY (Leola)-S.D. Concrete Products Co. $569.26, W.D. Gibson $13.35; TEXTBOOK-Macmillan Co. Publishers $32.48, Scott, Foresman & Co. $6.66;

Commissioner Belk was appointed by Chairman Keenan to serve on the Extension Board for the year of 1956.

Commissioner Hogstad was elected by the Board of Commissioners to serve on the Weed Board for the year of 1956, on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams.

The treasurer's report for the month of December was read as follows: deposits in banks and cash, $388,597.25; $2500, jail building bonds; and $181,619.72, government bonds; approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad.

The bills for Yankton, $1758.17, Custer $132.99 and Redfield $731.45 were approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

The Register of Deeds' fees $678.45 and the Clerk of Courts' fees $321.85, for the month of December were approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Williams.

The County Superintendent of Schools was authorized to attend the Spring work shop at Springfield, S. D. and the State Regional Board of Education meeting at Webster, January 26, on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Belk.

The abatement for Hattie Erickson rejected on the basis of the Attorney Generals opinion, SDC 1939 Code Chapter 57.0801, on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

The Board adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded until January 13, 1956.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 13, 1956

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were authorized on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams as follows: GENERAL-Court Expense-Haggar Drug Store $.90, Eugene McMannus $10.10, Bernard Lantsberger $10.20, Bernard Lantsberger $5.10, Richard Lantsberger $5.10; MELLETTE MEMORIAL-Mellette Memorial Association $392.06; GENERAL-Convention & Research-Irma Welch $15.90; Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent $404.11; CMV-Northwestern Public Service Co. $5.01;

This being the time and place for the opening of the bids for metal pipe and concrete pipe. The following bids were opened and read by the County Auditor. H.V.Johnston Culvert Co., C.A. Branson Culvert Co., Inc., Northwestern Road Supply, Armaco Drainage Co., and South Dakota Concrete Products Co. All bids F.O.B. Watertown or culvert site.

The Board voted by ballot on the bids submitted, there being four for metal, and one for concrete. The Northwestern Road Supply receiving the most number of votes on the fifth ballot, it was moved by Skinner and seconded by Williams that the Northwestern Road Supply be awarded the contract for 1956, to furnish the metal pipe for Codington County. The South Dakota Concrete Products Co. was awarded the contract for Concrete pipe for the year of 1956, on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Belk and seconded by Hogstad that Edward Howson be appointed Defense Director for Codington County for the year of 1956. Motion carried.

The County Superintendent of Highways recommended to the Board that Carl Zweig, Jr. be authorized to attend the LaTourneau Westinghouse Service Training School at Sioux Falls for the week January 17 through the 20th with expenses paid as prescribed by law. On a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

Weed bids were opened at 2:00 P.M. and read by the Auditor. Three bids were submitted, Peavey Elevators, Dakota Improved Seed Co., and General Supply Co. A motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Williams that the bid of General Supply Co. of Watertown be given the contract for the year of 1956 to furnish weed killer for Codington County.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until January 17, at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 17, 1956

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams: GENERAL-Court Expense-Richard Lantsberger $5.10;

Weed Board report of Matt Brandriet, Weed Supervisor, for the month of December was noted by the Board.

RESOLUTION #263

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $589.79 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty eight per cent required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the fourth quarter of 1955.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows, to-wit:

Kranzburg, $50.78; Sheridan, $29.49; Pelican, $29.49; Henry Twp., $29.49; Elmira, $29.49; Richland, $29.49; Graceland, $29.49; Waverly, $37.68; Rauville, $41.78; Fuller, $46.69; Phipps, $29.49; Leola, $29.49; Germantown, $39.32. TOTAL $452.17

AND WHEREAS, the County Highway System has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following townships:

Kampeska, $29.49; Lake, $29.49; Dexter, $49.15 and Eden, $29.49; TOTAL $137.62

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that, said fund apportioned as above set out be held by the County Auditor to pay for completing the County Highway System in the said townships, in the proportion as above provided and pursuant to law, and no part thereof shall be actually paid over to the said townships, provided however, that any amount of the respective allotments to their respective townships not paid over, shall remain unexpended after completing the roads of the County Highway System, shall revert to and be payable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Hogstad, and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 18 day of January 1956.

James P Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Inna Welch
Auditor, Codington County, South Dakota.

RESOLUTION #263A

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $210.63 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota and,

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment for the fourth quarter of 1955.

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned among the respective municipalities as follows:

FLORENCE, $11.80; HENRY, $11.80; SOUTH SHORE, $11.80; WALLACE, $8.84; WATERTOWN, $166.39;
TOTAL $210.63

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Hogstad, and upon roll call, all commissioners voted yea;, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 18 day of January, 1956.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Inna Welch
County Auditor

The tax of Louis J. Hill for school poll for the year of 1955 was abated on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams. Mr. Hill is a veteran.

Dave Patterson, representative for Martin Derkes, came before the Board in regard to an assessment of 55 pigs, in Florence Village; no action was taken.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner to reject the hospital charge for care of Mrs. Margaret Kent, this not being authorized by the County Commissioners or any member thereof.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Williams, the County Superintendent be authorized to attend the Board of Education in Webster, January 27, 1956.

The abatement of the school polls for Austin and Bertha Painter from districts 16-59 and 21-37 and leave the school poll in the village of Wallace where he was also assessed, was allowed on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner. Mr. Painter lives in Wallace and should be assessed school there with his household furnishings

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until January 20 at 10:00 A.M.

Inna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 20, 1956

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Moved by Skinner and seconded by Williams to correct the error in extending the valuation of Alvina Ness and John Bakke property.

The Board of County Commissioners appointed C. S. Rasmusson as County Highway Superintendent for the years of 1956 and 1957; salary to be $575.00 a month, on a motion by Williams and seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION #264
(Pay Scale - 1956)

WHEREAS, in the judgement of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, it is deemed necessary for the prompt and accurate dispatch of business that deputies or clerks be employed in the office of the County Auditor, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Clerk of Courts, Sheriff, States Attorney, Superintendent of Schools, County Highway; also a County Veterans Service Officer, Court House Custodian, a Superintendent and Matron of the County Farm and a Jailor.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that pursuant to Chapter 12.16 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, the number of deputies or clerks to be employed therein shall be as follows:

In the office of the Auditor, one deputy with a monthly salary of $210.00; one deputy with a monthly salary of $190.00; one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $180.00; one clerk with a starting monthly salary of $150.00.

In the office of the Treasurer, one deputy with a monthly salary of $210.00; one deputy with a monthly salary of $190.00; one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $180.00.

In the office of Register of Deeds, one deputy with a monthly salary of $205.00; one deputy or clerk with a starting monthly salary of $165.00.

In the office of the Clerk of Courts, one deputy with a monthly salary of $195.00.

In the office of the States Attorney, one deputy with a monthly salary of $150.00; and one stenographer with a monthly salary of $125.00.

In the office of the Superintendent of Schools, one deputy with a monthly salary of $200.

In the County Highway office, one Superintendent with a maximum monthly salary of $575.00; one clerk and radio operator with a monthly salary of $210.00. Shop Foreman with a salary of $205.00 per month.

One Veterans Service Officer with a monthly salary of $200.00.
One Custodian with a monthly salary of $220.00.

Superintendent and Matron of the County Farm with a monthly salary of $200.00; plus monthly car allowance of $15.00.

Superintendent and Matron of Memorial Park with a monthly salary of $200.00 for the months of May, June, July, August and September.

One Jailor with a monthly salary of $250.00.
One Radio operator in Sheriff's office, $85.00 per month.

Wages for extra help employed to be paid at the rate of 90¢ per hour; new clerks to start at $150.00 per month; after one full year of service, salary may be increased to $160.00 per month.

VACATIONS: All employees shall be limited to one week with pay after 1 year of employment and two weeks with pay after two years of employment, vacation time to be non-cumulative and taken in the current year. Sick leave shall be limited to one week after six months of employment and two weeks after one year of employment on Doctor certificate. Sick leave cumulative up to a maximum of four weeks, retroactive to January 1, 1954. Heads of offices to allocate time for taking vacations.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Hogstad, and upon roll call, all Commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 20th day of January, 1956.

Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Al M. Williams
James L. Larson

ATTEST:
Emma Welch County Auditor

RESOLUTION #265
Highway Pay Scale - 1956

WHEREAS, in the judgement of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, it is deemed necessary for the prompt and accurate dispatch of business for the operation of the County Highway Department and employment of personnel on an hourly basis.

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary that a pay schedule of rates be set up for the year 1956 with provision of time lost due to sickness.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, regular session, that the following classifications are hereby adopted.

CLASSIFICATION	RATE OF PAY PER HOUR
Light Equipment Operators and Common Labor 1½ to 4½ ton trucks, All Power Mowers, Other miscellaneous Equipment if any.	$1.00
Medium Equipment Operators Patrol (Motor Grader), Front End Loaders, Other miscellaneous Equipment if any.	$1.05-1.20
Heavy Equipment Operators Trucks rated 5 ton capacity or over, Large Cat. tread tractors, Barber Greene, Elevating Grader, Other miscellaneous Equipment if any.	$1.15-1.25
Special Operators Large Cat. tread tractors with Scraper, Rotary Snow Plow, Large tractor (D7 & D8) with Bull dozers, Rubber tired tractor with Scraper	$1.15-1.50
Foreman-Bridge, Grading or Gravel	$1.15-1.30

Note: Truck drivers and Patrol Operators will be paid $0.10 per hour extra when plowing and or winging snow. (Excluding Rotary.)

Changes in classification and rates will not be made for occasional operation of equipment of other classification, but will only be made when considered necessary by the Highway Superintendent.

Normal working time will be from 7 to 12 o'clock A.M., and 1 to 6 o'clock P.M., during the period from April 1st, to November 30th inclusive, and 8 to 12 o'clock A.M., and 1 to 5 o'clock P.M., during the period from December 1st to March 31st inclusive. No time limit on emergency work.

This pay scale to be effective as of January 1, 1956.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in accordance with the good and faithful service of the employees of the County Highway Department, continually employed for one year in any calendar year, shall be entitled to two weeks sick leave upon the order of physician only. Sick leave cumulative up to a maximum of four weeks.

Two weeks vacation for all regular employees with 2 years service or more--one week after employed 1 year.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Hogstad and seconded by Belk, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 20th day of January, 1956.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dak.

Herb Skinner

Vernon N Belk

Adolph Hogstad

Elm Williams

ATTEST:

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Abate the school poll of Roy Mernaugh for 1955, on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams. Mernaugh being a veteran. Motion carried.

Adjourned until January 24 at 10:00 A.M. on a motion duly made and seconded.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 24, 1956

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all commissioners present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner. GENERAL-Auditor's Office Expense-Postmaster $35.33; Co. Judge Office Expense-Postmaster $1.68; County Extension-Postmaster $4.27; Superintendent of Schools Office Expense-Postmaster $54.99; Veterans Service-Postmaster $4.20; Public Welfare Office Expense-Postmaster $14.59; Sheriff's Office Expense-Postmaster $9.77; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Postmaster $14.90; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Postmaster $34.23; Tax Collector-Postmaster $22.17; Treasurer's Office Expense-Postmaster $295.75; Printing & Advertising-Postmaster $3.63; Court Expense-Archie Peterson $10.10; Cecilia M. Beirne $119.95; Donald A. Schweiger $5.10; Clarence Helle $10.20; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $123.60, Adolph Hogstad $135.00, James L. Keenan $129.75, Herb Skinner $127.58, Al M. Williams $107.70; ROAD-Postmaster $4.49;

Jim McFarland appeared before the Board to discuss an abatement on property that had been assessed to him, which he had sold. He claims no taxable interest in said property. A motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Belk to take the matter under advisement and report the action taken latter. Motion carried.

John Reicling came before the board in regard to an over assessment on property known as strip of land 383' by 383' in City Lands Addition to Watertown; no action taken.

The bond of Aaron VanSickle approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Belk.

After some discussion, a motion was made by Williams and seconded by Skinner, the Board of County Commissioners will not assume any responsibility for Mrs. Henrietta Fritz. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until January 27, 1956 at 10:00 AM.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 27, 1956

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present Chairman Keenan presiding.

This being the time for the hearing for the transfer of the Beer and Liquor licenses of C.J. Ruhr to Carl Haan, both living in Kranzburg Village and no one appeared to contest such transfers, on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams said transfer was granted. Motion carried.

A motion duly made and seconded to adjourn until January 31 at 10:00.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
January 31, 1956

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad. SALARY-County Auditor-Irma E. Welch $325.00, Pearl Bergan $210.00, Alice Olson $190.00, Kathleen Wirtz $180.00, Edna Derenthal $160.00; Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00, Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00, Fay Wohlheter $150.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds-Margaret Brown $296.68, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson $160.00; Superintendent of Schools-Hazel G. Murphy $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $200.00; States Attorney-Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75, Ross H. Oviatt $150.00, Beverly V. DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $400.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Poor-Huebner Oil Co. $66.04-for Frank Metzinger $14.10, Wm. Glendening $37.84, Frederick Boadwinr $14.10; C.E. McGowan Lbr. Co. $43.00-for Wood Carter; Mathiesen-Gergan & Rhodes $12.00-for Martin Erickson; Minor Oil Co. $15.56-for Harold E. Berg; National Tea Co. $15.00-for H.H. Parliament; Treasurer's Office Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $78.50; Register of Deeds Office Expense-Remington Rand $152.45; Court House Maintenance-Pitney-Bowes, Inc. $2.00, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $23.65, Carl J. Deal $220.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $118.56, Joe Gerlach $25.00; County Judge Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $38.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $200.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $170.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $113.00, Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Sheriff's Fees & Salary-Bert Smith $85.00; Supervisor of Assessors-Glenn M. Mitchell $300.00;

WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; CMV-John Rennie $95.97; Joe Stricherz $66.51, Claude VanSickle $189.34, Burton Jackson $170.90, Clarence B. Sumner $151.97, Harold Scriver $132.19, Alfred Spring $166.17, Ed Gould $157.10, James Hendren $267.94, Carl Zweigm Jr. $259.38, Howard Williams $243.42, Fred Brownell $138.48, Thomas Spiering $137.80, Curtis Underwood $141.98, Leo Clausen $160.91, John Strait $140.93, Clarence Helle $143.60, Andrew T. Larson $112.00, Chas. Krogman $137.60, Julius Lentz $97.60, C. S. Rasmusson $575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00, Sever Tobiason $205.00; COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL-John Rennie $133.20, Joe Stricherz $145.00, Burton Jackson $91.25, Clarence B. Sumner $86.25, Harold Scriver $77.50, Alfred Spring $45.00, Ed Gould $20.00, James Hendren $15.00, Howard Williams $12.15, Fred Brownell $34.65, Thomas Spiering $30.00, Curtis Underwood $55.00, Leo Clausen $39.60, John Strait $57.50; BRIDGE-Ed Gould $62.50, John Strait $1.00, Clarence Helle $36.00, Andrew T. Larson $84.00, Chas. Krogman $52.00, Julius Lentz $92.00; ROAD-Secretary of State $3.75; GENERAL-Per Diem, Mileage & Salary-Vernon H. Belk $81.10, Adolph Hogstad $83.06, James L. Keenan $79.70, Herb Skinner $72.63, Al M. Williams $68.50;

The States Attorney requested more time to consider the abatement of James McFarland.

Sever Engen requested a compromise settlement of County Liens. On a motion by Hogstad and a second by Williams, the Board accepted $150.00 offered by Mr. Engen. Motion carried.

Henry and Pearl Klemsrud signed a contract as caretakers for the County farm for the year of 1956. This contract was accepted by the Board on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Levi Kannas requested a refund $20.00, he having been assessed for weed tax that should have been assessed to Raymond Kannas. Moved by Williams and seconded by Skinner, this refund was granted.

C. S. Rasmusson, County Highway Superintendent signed a contract for the years of 1956 and 1957. This contract was accepted by the Board on a motion by Williams and seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

A house was erroneously assessed on lots 19-20-21, Gesleys First Addition, that should be on lots 22 and 23 in Gesleys First Addition. A motion was made to abate and assess the proper lots, by Williams and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

George Burke's Service Officer's report for the month of January was noted by the Board.

The report for the County Farm for the year of 1955 was read and approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Boafd adjourned until Friday, February 3, at 10:00 A.M.

Anna Welch
County Auditor

(Please print the following before the adjournment in January 10th's proceedings:)

Upon the recommendation of the County Highway Superintendent, a motion was made by Williams and seconded by Hogstad that the County Commissioners purchase a motor grader and the County Auditor was instructed to advertise for bids in the legal newspaper of the County.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the County Board of Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota will receive sealed bids up to ten o'clock in the forenoon, February 3, 1956, at the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House in the City of Watertown, South Dakota, for the following:

(1) New 1956 Model Motor Grader with horse power rating between 114 H.P. and 126 H.P. and equipped with tandem drive; also to be equipped with 13.00 or 14.00 (12 ply) tires on all wheels, (both sizes to be bid if available); also Motor Grader manufactures best new standard Cab, Cab Heater, Windshield Wipers and two inside cab Windshield Fans, Lights (front and rear), Hour Meter on motor to show all motor operating hours, Moldboard Extensions, 2 feet each end, and Hydraulic controlled Lateral Shift Moldboard, Scarifier, Power or Power Boosted Steering, Snow Plow and Hydraulic controlled Snow Wing with necessary and proper attachments to make mounting or removal of plow and wing easily accomplished. Manufactors complete specifications to be furnished with all bids.

All bids to be on complete unit with all of the above attachments complete and in place on Motor Grader delivered at the County Sheds 618 C Avenue N.E., Watertown, South Dakota.

If some attachments called for on the above unit are made by other than manufacturer of the Motor Grader, than manufacturer of such items must be noted on bids and specifications furnished.

Including in the above bid, a trade in allowance for an Adams 512 Motor Grader, 1947, Serial No. 189, with snow plow and snow wing attachments, to be inspected at the County Sheds, 618 C Avenue N.E., Watertown, South Dakota.

A certified check of 5% of bid, payable to the County Treasurer of Codington County, South Dakota must accompany each bid, such check to be certified or issued by a State or National Bank, domiciled within the State as a guarantee that such bidders will enter into contract with Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with such letting in event such bidder is awarded the contract.

The Board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated this 3rd day of January, 1956 at Watertown, South Dakota.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, Watertown, South Dakota

ATTEST:
Anna Welch County Auditor

Published 2/14/56

Watertown, S. D.
February 3, 1956

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all commissioners present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams. GENERAL-County Judge Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $38.00; Court Expense-Edward Lindner $16.70, Hazel Hegarty $136.20, Virgil Haase $5.10, Rufas Spurrell $5.30; Court House Maintenance-O.W. Enger $156.97; Court Expense-Walter Cook $10.20, Grace Kucker $15.20, Roland Dahl $15.20;

This being the time and place for the opening of the bids for a Motor Grader, the Auditor was instructed to open and read the bids, six bids were submitted by the following firms: J.D. Evans Equipment Co., $19,000, Foster Bell Co. $18,500, Pecaut Equipment Co. $15,580, Sheehan & Bartling Inc., $17,067, Sioux Road Equipment, $18,837.40 and the Stan Housten Equipment $17,310. After all the bids were read and discussed, the Board adjourned to Committee work and thoroughly studied the different bids, on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

At 4 o'clock the Board convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

The Pecaut Equipment Co. being the lowest bidder with $15,580 for a motor grader,#40115 Huber Warco. This price includes the trade-in allowance of Adams $512. Delivery date is not to be later than 30 days after thw awarding of such bid, F.O.B., Watertown, South Dakota; fully equipped and all extra parts in place and in working order. It was moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner, and upon roll call, all voted "yea" and none voted "nay" to award the bid to the Pecaut Company. Motion carried.

The unsuccessful bidder's certified checks were returned.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until Friday, February 7, at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
February 7, 1956

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Belk. GENERAL-Court Expense-Richard Gerth $15.20, Walter Cook $5.10, Grace Hjermstad $20.60, Bernard Kranz $5.10; Printing & Advertising-Postmaster $10.00;

RESOLUTION #266

WHEREAS, the adopted budget for 1956 did not include a fund for the County Board of Education since Senate Bill number six was not adopted until September the sixth , Nineteen Hundred and Fifty Six; now the Board of Commissioners deems it advisable, and to enable the County Board of Commissioners to conduct the indispensable functions of Government, which are just obligations upon the County for the necessary conduct of the Courts, and other duties which are the lawful duty of the County to discharge;

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary to adopt a Supplemental Budget so that the County of Codington may conduct the indispensable functions of Government,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the following amount as set out herein shall constitute and be adopted as the Supplemental Budget for 1956, notice having been duly published to adopt said supplemental budget, February 2, 1956.

GENERAL	
County Board of Education	$1500.00

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Hogstad and seconded by Commissioner Belk, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted "yea" and none voted "nay", whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 2nd day of February, 1956.

James L Keenan
Chairman
Nick Skinner
Adolph Hogstad
Al M Williams
Vernon H Belk

ATTEST:
Irma Welch
County Auditor

Resolution No. 266A was omitted from printed minutes.

January minutes were read and approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Williams.

William Lovejoy came before the Board to discuss tires for County road equipment.

The monthly bills for Redfield, $765.32, Yankton $1820.00 and State Sanatorium were approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner.

The bonds of M.G. Traunter, treasurer of Florence Independent School and Marvin M. Anderson, treasurer of South Shore Independent School were approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner.

APPRAISAL OF LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING TO BE OFFERED FOR SALE

Whereas, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, deems it advisable to sell the real property hereinafter described, acquired by said county by tax deed, and said Board of County Commissioners has directed that such real property be offered for sale and that it first be appraised by said board as provided by law,

Now, therefore, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, report that they have made a just and fair appraisement of the real property hereinafter described: Tax deed sale in Watertown.

DESCRIPTION	APPRAISED VALUE
Lots 3 & 4, Block 1, North Kampeska in Kampeska Twp.	$ 5.00 each
Lot 5, Block 1, North Kampeska, In Kampeska Twp.	5.00
Lots 7 & 8, Block 3, North Kampeska in Kampeska Twp.	5.00 each
Lots 1 thru 8 and Lots 15 & 16, Block 2, Village of Vera	5.00 each
Lots 15, 16 & 17, Block 2 in Henry Village	30.00 each

Dated this 10th day of February, 1956.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.

Herb Skinner

Adolph Hogstad

Al M Williams

Vernon H Belk

RESOLUTION DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND

WHEREAS, the County of Codington in the State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS, said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota, and,

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 10th day of February, 1956, at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property, to-wit:

Lots 3 & 4, Block 1, North Kampeska in Kampeska Twp.	$5.00 each
Lot 5, Block 1, North Kampeska, In Kampeska Twp.	5.00
Lots 7 & 8, Block 3, North Kampeska in Kampeska Twp.	5.00 each
Lots 1 thru 8 and Lots 15 & 16, Block 2, Village of Vera	5.00 each
Lots 15, 16 & 17, Block 2 in Henry Village	30.00 each

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of said Codington County, South Dakota in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota.

Dated this 10th day of February, 1956.

Herb Skinner

Vernon H Belk

Adolph Hogstad

Al M Williams

Chr James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

Anna Welch, County Auditor

The County Highway Superintendent presented his report for the year of 1955, and was approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad.

Leonard Brekke refund for school poll for 1955 was approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams. Mr. Brekke being a veteran.

The abatement of a dog tax for Henry Zerfas of Sheridan township was approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams. Mr. Zerfas did not have a dog at the time of assessment.

Register of Deed's report was read and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams, in the amount of $587.50.

The Commissioners recessed and went to the County Farm on a routine check.

County Superintendent of Highways came before the Board to discuss County roads in districts two and three.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until February 10 at 10:00 Am.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
February 10, 1956

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Due to the death of Doctor Kenny, the Board appointed Doctor Fedt to conduct the insanity hearings for Codington County, upon the motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Clerk of Courts report for the month of January, for $211.35 was approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Williams.

The abatement of Clayton Welch for$1.00 school poll for the year 1955 was allowed on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner. Clayton is a veteran.

The abatement of Hattie Erickson was rejected on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner; this not being 100% of true and full value as per Chapter 57.08 of the South Dakota Code of 1939. This error does not constitue an over assessment, therefore cannot be abated.

The abatement of accumulated interest on 383 Sq.Ft. South Side Addition belonging to John Reichling, was approved on a motion by Skinner and secnnded by Belk. This motion concurring with the City Council's Action.

The Auditor was instructed to advertise for bids for a Motor Patrol, for the County Highway department as per specifications on a motion by Hogstad and second by Belk. Motion carried.

Chris Iverson's abatement was referred to the States Attorney for consideration.

Bounty claims were approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Belk as follows: A.D. Briggs, $4.00; Harvey Kumm $7.50; Lloyd Foster $127.50; A.J. Mueller $217.50, Roy Eykamp $210.00; Jerome C. Even $420.00, and Meril Hogie $12.00.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until Tuesday February 14, 1956 at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
February 14, 1956

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved with the exception of C.H. Lindekugel bill,on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner. This bill being tabled for more information. GENERAL-Poor-Annette Burgdorf $281.67-for Henry Spilde $40.00, Nels T. Nelson $55.00, Susan Mack $40.00, Florence Williams $5.00, Jerry O'Brien $85.00, Louis Schulner $36.67, Albert Johnson $20.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Mrs. Bertha Johnson $16.00-for Henry Schloesser; Kinstad Rest Home $186.00-for Rupert Gatchell $35.00, James Chambers $35.00, Karl Berge $30.00, Ola Hanson $36.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Earl Crocker $15.00; Elizabeth Marsh $25.00-for Matt Kemp; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $122.00-for Edw. McPeek $52.00, L. C. Brinker $40.00, August Warnke $30.00; Svendsen Nursing Home $190.00-for Hilda Ebens $95.00, Mrs. Mary Kirkeby $35.00, Sarah Ann Black $30.00, Rosa Dixon $30.00; Gertrude V. Thomas $5.00-for Louis F. Rhode; Watertown Rest Home $75.00-for L. Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $144.00-for Ella Flanagan $34.00, Arthur Eastberg $85.00, Emma Jenkins $25.00; Ruhe Stationery $2.26; Nash-Finch Co. $2.94; Herb Skinner, Jr. $3.00-for hauling; Bartron Hospital $2099.48-for Irvin Ault $75.50, Mrs. Brad Barkley $133.12, Dorothy Flathers $406.30, Albert Johnson $231.76, George Manley $223.30, Myrtle Nelson $81.25, Barbara Richard $52.35, Mr. & Mrs. Frank Soulak $185.10, Francis Schmeling $36.00, Oscar Wangen $24.60, Herman Wolter $533.60, Rollin Vance $116.60; Bartron Clinic $475.50-Irvin Ault $16.00, Mrs. Edwin Bates $4.00, Carl Henry Becker $2.00, Wm. Czech $2.00, Mrs. Brad Barkley $20.00, John Farley $8.00, Dorothy Flathers $75.00, Ola Hanson $2.00, Albert Johnson $30.00, George Manley $36.00, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $3.00, N.C. Nielson $2.00,

Myrtle Nelson $26.00, Barbara Richard $31.50, Mr. & Mrs. Frank Soulak $47.50, Jud Turner $4.00, Frances Schmeling $21.00, Mr & Mrs Steve Wisneski $8.00, Alfred Vick $12.00, Fern Washtoak $11.00, Oscar Wangen $6.50, Herman Wolter $73.00, R.A. Vance $35.00; Botsford Lumber Co. $11.50,-Joseph Lindner; Busy Bee Cafe $10.00-for Joseph LeTourneau; Butterbrodt Drug $4.25-for Herman Wolter; Codington County Oil Co. $50.20-for Mary Tribitt $14.20, Ed Bates $7.60, John Fjerstad $28.40; F.P. Creaser & Sons $79.13-for Myron B. Corwin $44.50, Evelyn Schultz $22.75, Carl Hemiller $11.88; Crause Drug & Jewelry $18.00-for Wm. Boll; Duffner Drug Store $165.54-for Chas. W. Montney $12.10, Harry Glen Fisher $16.20, Frank Metzinger $18.78, Louis Mourere $3.60, Wm. Boll $14.26, August Warnke $6.17, Walter Richard $1.80, Chris Jensen $12.42, Mathilda Blek $7.82, Steve Wisneski $10.08, Art Eastberg $7.56, Emma Jenkins $7.64, Inga Yarns $9.32, Carl Berge $9.45, Ola Hanson $21.59, Mrs. H.A. Lipelt $6.75; W.J. Hage, M.D. $7.00-for Mrs. Vincent Ferrar; Haggar Drug $165.34-for Ferne Washtoak $39.06, Jud Turner $10.67, Martin Bale $8.10, Mildred Taylor $5.85, Wm. Czech $23.13, Vivian Miner $5.40, Seymore Peterson $8.73, Frank & Emma Klucas $21.60, Nels C. Nielson $1.80, Blanche Edwards Berry $5.89, Mrs. Leonard Vaugh $17.78, Ellen Anderson $16.20, Alice Jungen $1.13; Hayes Lucas $91.25-for Alice Jungen $22.75, Sprigg Tubbs $23.00, Jud Turner $45.50; Huebner Oil Co. $28.40-for Wm. Glendenning $14.20, Frank Metzinger$14.20; Kreiser Drug Store $253.41-for James Chambers $35.68, Hilda Ebens $42.21, Anna Christianson $25.74, Ben Bergerson $1.80, Frances Schmeling $17.50, Lena Radtke $4.81, Louise Tiejen $11.88, Ella Flanagan $11.16, Joseph LeTourneau $1.52, Carl Henry Becker $8.10, Myrtle Nelson $15.84, Nellie Jensen $4.50, N.C. Nielson $10.21, Mrs. Willard Goette $.95, Chris Engels $6.79, Earl Crocker $25.02, Mrs. Frances Schmeling $9.90, Herman Wolter $19.80; Lutheran Welfare $11.00-for Billy Vermillion; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $24.80-for Edith Bundy; Minor Oil Co. $14.20-for Otis Olson; National Tea $30.00-for H.H. Parliament; Olberg Thrifty Drug $3.00-for Florence Thompson; J. C. Penney Co. $34.51-for Verlain Christopherson $15.03, Mrs. Joe Vermillion $19.48; Putnam-Mileage Market $1.90-Rich's Conoco $28.40-for Minnie Lambert; Rich's Conoco $14.20-for Harold Nafus; Rogers Dairy $10.00-for Otis Olson; Shaw-Messer $51.00-for Joseph Croft; Skaggs Store $153.28-for Harold Berg $10.00, Myron B. Corwin $22.01, Chris Jensen $17.60, Edwin Bates $9.97, Ed Switzenberg $26.30, Jud Turner $18.86, John Fjerstad $14.83, Manuel Dale Dorman $9.91, Arthur Webb $5.55, Will Norman $5.21, Homer Lehman $4.43, Harold Nafus $5.14, Sprigg Tubbs $3.47; Standard Oil Co. $131.17-for Phoebe Mowery $35.00, Will Norman $14.20, Elsie Ravelette $14.20, Wm. Barto $39.87, Gerrit Katze $13.95, Chris Jensen $13.95; St. Bernard's Prov. Hospital $42.50-for Mary Myers; Stone Oil Co. $21.80-for Edwin Bates; Richard E. Stupey $25.00-for Jim Audus; Thomes Drug Store $115.33-for Richard DePeel $3.24, John Farley $9.40, R.A. Vance $15.75, Lena Trumer $2.12, Jerry O'Brien $5.26, Ludwig Grewing $12.23, Frank Soulak $23.85, Mrs. Theo. Treat $2.84, Chas. Bierscheid $1.12, Minnie Johnson $5.80, Alfred Vick $31.05, Anna Parsley $2.67; Dr. M.C. Thompson $55.00-for Mrs. Henry Lipelt $8.00, Clarence Morrison $27.00, Minnie Johnson $15.00, Emma Lehman Dralle $5.00; Dr. Leo Titze $6.00-for Lloyd Madsen; Watertown Community Oil Co. $53.92-for Arthur Webb $24.52, Ed Switzenberg $15.20, Homer Lehman $14.20; Whooley Oil Co. $28.60-for Willard Goette; Wilson Truck System $311.50; Printing & Advertising-Watertown Public Opinion $127.53, South Shore Gazette $75.67; Publication Tax List-Watertown Public Opinion $1204.88, South Shore Gazette $86.81; Court Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $27.00, Dale Johnson $5.10, Brown & Saenger $13.84, Ruhe Stationery $3.29, Gladys Freesemann $10.00, Curtis Underwood $15.20; Auditor's Office Expense-Watertown Typewriter Co. $4.80, Monroe Calculating Machine Co. $200.00, Educator Supply Co. $91.77, News Printing Co. $15.92, Brown & Saenger $78.90, Ruhe Stationery $14.14; Register of Deeds Office Expense-News Printing Co. $1.23; Sheriff's Office Expense-News Printing Co. $27.51, Federal Laboratories, Inc. $69.88, F. C. Grow Sons $12.50, Railway Express Agency $1.80; Assessors Supplies-Brown & Saenger $343.20; Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $47.31; States Attorneys Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $8.70, LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $2.10, Dale E. Bradshaw $13.06; Court Office Expense-S.& H. Furniture Repair $103.20;Treasurer's Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $9.20, First Citizens National Bank $2.75, Mitchell Publishing Co. $164.77, The National Cash Register Co. $69.60; County Extension-Ruhe Stationery $15.95, Extension Service-College Station $18.00, Clara W. Johnson $18.27; Superintendent of Schools Office Expense-Midwest-Beach Co. $6.24, Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $15.25, LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $1.90; Mileage-Lloyd Shenk $366.90; Board of Prisoners-Lloyd Shenk $161.60; Fees-Lloyd Shenk $82.07; Jailor Salary-Orville DeWall $82.00, Al Freesemann $129.00; Radio-Francis Alwin $6.95; States Attorney's Mileage-Dale E. Bradshaw $16.90; Veterans Service Office $143.10-for Dorothy O. Thomas; Court House Maintenance - Acme Chemical Co. $75.72, City Treasurer $712.11, Churchill Mfg. Co. $125.70, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $21.07, Egge Electric Co. $161.36, Hillyard Sales Co. $210.75, Jo's Laundry $5.20, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $16.05, Nash-Finch Co. $120.25, Nelsnn Hardware $15.24, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $252.60, Otis Elevator Co. $56.75, Park Grant Co. $15.45, Pitney-Bowes, Inc. $21.60, Ruth Shenk $7.49, Herb Skinner, Jr. $25.00, Watertown Machine Works $.59; County Farm-City Treasurer $37.05, Park Grant Co. $50.28, Butterbrddt Drug Store $3.00, Duffner Drug Store $4.96, J. C. Penney Co. $19.52, K.D. Inc. $18.00, Lien's Grocery $22.61, Spies Super Valu $.99, Sunshine State Hatchery $24.50, Thompson Yards $24.48, Edward Aljoe $3.00, Uptown Service $.90, Watertown Co-op Elevator Co. $21.93, Fred Walsh $146.45; Insurance & Bonds-P.O. Brekke Agency $350.18, Heaton Insurance Agency $75.20, Murphy-Hoffman Agency $309.75; Contests & Exhibits-Hammond & Stephens Co. $69.16, Hodges Badge Co. $52.16; Board of Insanity-Donald N. Fedt, M.D. $15.00, Cliff Englund' $5.00, Ray Shenk $5.00, H.T. Kenney, M.D. $50.00; Board of Health-H.Russell Brown, M.D. $29.08; Civil Defense-Ed Howson $7.58; Law Library-West Publishing Co. $157.00, Shepard's Citations $349.00, Bancroft-Whitney Co. $60.00; Per Diem & Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $105.20, Adolph Hogstad $96.46, James L. Keenan $88.90, Herb Skinner $81.34, Al M. Williams $122.90; REDFIELD-Donald N. Fedt, M.D. $30.00, H.T. Kenney, M.D. $20.00; TEXTBOOK-News Printing Co. $213.50, Ginn & Co. $5.27, Hub City School Supply Co. $24.38, J.B. Lippincott Co. $3.12, Charles E. Merrill Books $60.61; ROAD-Ruhe Stationery Co. $13.89, Railway Express Agency $14.08, City Treasurer $28.54, Wilson Truck System $2.53, Burghardt Radio Service $17.28, Burroughs Corporation $.94, Dick's Seat Cover Shop $3.20, Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $16.43, Northwestern Public Service $16.64, Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $59.67; TEXTBOOK-Hammond & Stephens Co. $69.81, Wilson Truck System $1.75; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $19.38, Watertown Machine Works $79.16, Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $2.72, Putnam-Mileage Market $189.80, Cave Supply Co. $361.24, City Wood Products Co. $4.75, Dakota Welding Supply Co. $30.85, J.D. Evans Equipment Co. $985.77; Foster-Bell Co. $85.78, Ernest A. Goodroad $25.00, F.C. Grow Sons $37.50, Hamlin-Deuel Elec. Co-op Inc. $98.61, Kenneth Hayes Electric Co. $11.32, Bill Hinde $45.60, International Harvester Co. $48.88, K & Z Service $10.53, Mahowald Co. $1.90, Marquardt's Service & Supply $174.82, Frank

Miller Co. $15.15, Motor Supply Co. $70.54, Pettibone Mulliken Corp $119.01, Phillip's 66 Service $9.99, H. A. Rogers Co. $15.15, Rosholt-Empire Equipment Co. $250.46, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $26.10, Schweiger's Inc. $15.40, Sheehan-Bartling, Inc. $775.88, Sioux Road Equipment $647.62, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $1069.17, L. E. Tanksley $17.50, True Electric Service $95.00, Watertown Tire Co. $46.39, Williams Hardware Co. $4.00, Carl Zweig, Jr. $36.56; C.H.& B.R.-Mrs. Anna B. Owen $5.09, Codington-Clark Electric Co-op Inc. $483.56, G. H. Lindekugel & Sons, Inc. $1642.04; SPECIAL BRIDGE-S.D. Concrete Products Co. $5703.32; WEED BOARD-Joseph J. Fox $9.68; TUITION-Waverly Ind. Consolidated School $5580.00; C.M.V.-McClintic Insurance $810.21, Loren B. Stein Agency $300.15;

Road petitions were presented by the Rauville town Board; L.C. Lamsen, Elmer O. Schmeling and Albert Mohr. The proposed road to start at NW Corner of Section 12-118-52 and run 5 miles south along sections 12-13-24-25 and to the SW corner of Section 36. Starting point known as the Forrestville Road. Action would be delayed until after inspection and proper notices printed.

South Shore town Board came in to discuss tax problems within the city.

The County Superintendent asked for the Board's approval to attend the district meeting at Webster, S. D.;on a motion made by Skinner and seconded by Belk, the County Superintendent was authorized to attend this meeting.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until Friday February 17, 1956 at 10:00 A.M.

Anna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. D.
February 17, 1956

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

The Treasurer's report for the month of January was read and approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams in the amounts of; deposits in banks $357,028.51; Cash $12,884.17; Government Bonds $181,619.72 and Jail Building Bonds $12,642.48.

The bill of Lindekugel & Sons Inc. Was rejected on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner for $286.58, this being a primer coat on the road from Highway #20 into Florence, South Dakota.

The County Auditor asked the Commissioners to select by drawing, the period of time the members of the Board of Education shall serve the district they represent. This being set up by Senate Bill #6.

#1	Commissioner Skinner	2 years
#2	Commissioner Belk	4 years
#3	Commissioner Hogstad	4 years
#4	Commissioner Williams	2 years
#5	Commissioner Keenan	4 years

The members at large on the Board of Education, one will serve 2 years and one will serve 4 years, this to be determined by lot after election. This schedule was adopted on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

The dog tax for Joseph C. Jankord for $1.00 was abated on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams. Mr. Jankord did not have a dog at the time of assessment.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until February, 21, at 10:00 A.M.

Anna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S.D.
February 21,1956

Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Belk as follows: TRUST-Lucy R. Grant $195.00;

C. J. Langenfeld and Matt Langenfeld came before the Board to discuss some tax problems.

A motion was made by Belk and seconded by Skinner to concurr with the City Council and approve the abatement of Chris Iverson for Monies and Credits tax. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Commissioners adjourned until February 28, 1956, at 10:00 A.M.

Anna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S.D.
February 28, 1956

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all Commissioners present excepting Hogstad, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Belk. SALARY-County Auditor-Irma E. Welch $225.00, Pearl Bergan $210.00, Alice Olson $190.00, Kathleen Wirtz $180.00, Edna Derenthal $160.00; Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00, Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, DeLoris A.Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00, Fay Wohlheter $150.00, Clerk of Courts-Walter A.Farl $296.68, Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds - Margaret Brown $296.68, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson $165.00, Superintendent of Schools - Hazel G.Murphy $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $200.00; States Attorney-Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75, Ross H. Oviatt $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge - Herbert Norbeck $400.00; Municipal Judge - Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court Expense-John Terveen $5.10, Mabel C. Alworth $118.56, Joe Gerlach $25.00, Cecilia M. Beirne $118.56; County Judge Office Expense $42.00 for LaRue Douglass; Court House Maintenance-Carl J. Deal $220.00, Clarence Helle $6.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $200.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $170.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $100.00, $15.00, Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Sheriff's Fees and Salary $85.00 to Bert Smith; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; CMV-C.S.Rasmusson $575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00, Sever Tobiason $205.00, John Rennie $64.77, Joe Stricherz $51.39, Burton Jackson $100.17, C.B.Sumner $77.24, Harold Scriver $128.12, Ed Gould $260.00, Alfred Spring $41.50, James Hendren $246.75, Howard Williams $56.66, Carl Zweig, Jr., $243.28, Fred Brownell $5.95, John Strait $60.66, Andrew T. Larson $194.84, Julius Lentz $187.04, Thomas Spiering $40.04, Curtis Underwood $49.80, Clarence Helle $174.02, Chas. Krogman $189.04, Leo Clausen $76.80; C.H.&B.R.-John Rennie $81.65Alfred Spring $91.25, Howard Williams $159.30, Fred Brownell $107.10, John Strait $109.00, Thomas Spiering $119.00, Curtis Underwood $120.00, Leo Clausen $104.00; COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL-John Rennie $91.25, Joe Stricherz $178.75, Burton Jackson $197.50, C.B.Sumner $194.60, Harold Scriver $102.50, Alfred Spring $98.75, James Hendren $51.00, Howard Williams $62.10, Carl Zweigg Jr. $10.80, Fred Brownell $69.30, John Strait $33.80, Andrew T. Larson $9.00, Julius Lentz $9.00, Thomas Spiering $27.00, Curtis Underwood $36.00, Clarence Helle $7.00, Chas. Krogman $7.00, Leo Clausen $25.20; GENERAL-Welfare-John Strait $9.00; Supervisor of Assessors-Glenn M. Mitchell $300.00; Jailor-William J. Meyer $250.00; County Commissioners Per Diem and Mileage Vernon H. Belk $109.50, Adolph Hogstad $84.46, James L. Keenan $101.80, Herb Skinner $94.04, Al M. Williams $137.90.

RESOLUTION #269

WHEREAS: Acting under the Laws of the State of South Dakota, and the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, Watertown, South Dakota, have deemed it advisable and for the best interests of the residents of said County of Codington to reinvest the Government Bonds that have matured, into another series of Government Bonds now held by the County known as Codington.

WHEREAS, the sum of $50,000.00 amount of matured bonds, this amount to be reinvested,

Invested $50,000.00

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED; THAT the County Treasurer be, and is hereby instructed to reinvest such matured Government Bonds in the amount of $50,000.00, which is a part of the Bonds invested by the County Treasurer of Codington County, Watertown, South Dakota.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Skinner, and upon roll call all commissioners voted "yeaf" and none voted "nay", whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 28th day of February, 1956, at Watertown, South Dakota.

James L Keenan
Chairman
Herb Skinner
Adolph Hogstad
Glenn Williams
Vernon H Belk

ATTEST:
Irma Welch
County Auditor

Moved by Williams and seconded by Belk, to authorize the Sheriff to purchase a siren for the Sheriff's car. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded the meeting was adjourned until March 3, 1956 at 10 AM.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Tokens published 3/7/56

Watertown, S.Dak.,
March 3, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with Skinner, Belk, Williams and Hogstad present, Chr. Keenan presiding:

Verified claim checked and approved on motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad: TRUST FUND-Lucy R. Grant $15.00.

A motion was made by Hogstad and seconded by Belk, to release all County Liens of Lorance Albrecht upon the payment of $1878.06 by his son, Gaehart Albrecht, this being a full and complete settlement. Receipt 45726

The Board agreed to purchase office equipment for L. L. Blake - Welfare Director.

Ed Housen, Civil Defense Director, appeared before the Board with a progress report of the Civil Defense in Codington County.

Glenn Mitchell discussed assessment figures for Codington County after attending a meeting in Webster.

A motion was duly made and seconded to adjourn until March 6, 1956 at 10:00 A.M.

Anna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S.Dak.,
March 6, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members except Vernon Belk; Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams:

The Clerk of Courts report for the month of February was approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams. The report shows $217.00 fees collected in February.

A motion was made by Williams and seconded by Hogstad to adopt a Fee Schedule for the balance of the year 1956, to Hospitals participating in care of County indigent. Motion carried.

The Register of Deeds report for the month of February of total fees collected of $460.85 was approved on motion of Hogstad and seconded by Skinner.

Geogge Burke, Veterans Service Officers report for the month of February was noted by the Board.

A motion was made by Williams and seconded by Skinner to allow the bills for Yankton - $1793.17, Redfield $750.00, and Sanator $124.41 for the month of February. Motion carried.

A Quit Claim Deed for O. D. Harper on Lots 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44 in Block 29 Replat of West Watertown was approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Hogstad.

The Doctors Fee Schedule for the balance of the year 1956 was adopted by the Board of County Commissioners upon a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Williams, and upon roll call all commissioners voted "yea" and none "nay", motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until March 9 1956 at 10:00 A.M.

Anna Welch
County Auditor.

Watertown, S.D.
March 9, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened, pursuant to adjournment, with Skinner, Hogstad, Williams present, Belk absent, Chr. Keenan presiding.

This being the time and place for the opening of the bids for a rubber tired Scraper and Tractor unit, and a Used Lowboy Trailer and Truck Tractor, the Auditor was instructed to open and read the bids submitted there being five in number for the Scraper unit, and six for the used lowboy and tractor.

After some discussion the Board requested time to consider each bid. A motion was made by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner to purchase One New LeTourneau Model C Tournapull for $24,475.00 plus trade in allowance, this being the lowest bid. Upon roll call, District #1 "yea", District #2 absent, District #3 "yea", District #4 "yea" and District #5 "yea", all voted "yea" and none "nay", motion carried. Details of the bids are on file in the Auditors Office. The auditor was instructed to return all certified checks to the unsuccessful bidders.

The Lowboy and Tractor bids will be considered and final decision will be made Tuesday, March 13, 1956.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad: GENERAL-Court Expense W.A.Hackett $25.00, Hazel Hegarty $130.00.

A motion duly made and seconded to adjourn until March 13, 1956 at 10 o'clock A.M.

Anna Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S.D.
March 13, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all Commissioners present except V. Belk, Chr. Keenan presiding:
Verified claims were checked and approved on motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams:

GENERAL Vital Statistics-Walter A.Farl $343.25; J. W. Argabrite,M.D. $4.75; S.W.Allen,Jr., M.D. $6.25; Romans Auskaps,M.D. $9.00; G.R.Bartron, M.D. $1.75; H.J.Bartron,M.D. $.50; Valdis Brakes, M.D. $6.25; Russell Brown, M.D. $1.25; C.J.Clark,M.D. $6.25; Donald M.Fedt, M.D. $7.25; V.Janaus,M.D. $4.00; H.T.Kenney, M.D. $1.25; R.M.Kilgard, M.D. $85.50; M.W. Larson, M.D. $22.50; Leslie Mathiesen, Coroner $1.50; Faris Pfister, M.D. $.25; M.C. Rousseau, M.D. $37.50; C.Rodney Stoltz,M.D. $30.00; O. S. Randall, M.D. $.25; Thomas W. Reuel, M.D. $2.50; John J. Stransky, M.D. $7.50; M.C.Thompson, D.O. $1.00; C.J.Trivett,M.D. $2.50; Stanely J. Walters, M.D. $7.00; Abner Willen, M.D. $8.25; Court Expense-Hallie Morris $5.10.

A motion was made by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner that the bid of The McCormick Farm Equipment Store for a used tractor for the sum of $1525.00 be accepted, the same to be delivered to the County Sheds on March 14, 1956. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner to reject all bids for the used Lowboy Trailer, and return all certified checks to the bidders. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Williams and seconded by Skinner to advertise for bids for a new trailer, bids to be opened April 6, 1956.

A motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Williams to set Lot #49 apart from lots 46, 47-48 in Block 29 Replat of West Watertown for the reason that the county has a tax deed to Lot 49. Motion carried.

The Board agreed to give a full release in so far as it pertains to this property - W76½ feet of the East 126 feet of Lot 1, Block 18, Pettigrews Addition to Watertown, for the sum of $5.00 for liens of Nick and Lena Mauer, both deceased.

A motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad to reject the bill for $25.00 to DeLos DeBerg, for a blood transfusion in March of 1955, this bill being outlawed. Motion carried.

A motion was made and duly seconded to adjourn until March 20 at 10:00 A.M.

Anna Skelch
County Auditor

GENERAL-Poor-Anette Burgdorf $369.65-for Susan Mack $40.98, Albert Johnson $103.67, Barbara E.Richards $40.00, Nels T. Nelson $55.00, Jerry O'Brien $85.00, Henry Spilde $40.00; Florence E. Williams $5.00; Walter Gusso $25.00 for care Bert Crandall; Mrs.Bertha Johnson $16.00-for Henry Schloesser; Kinstad Rest Home $186.00-for Ola Hanson $36.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Karl Berge $30.00, James Chambers $35.00, Rupert Gatchell $35.00, Earl Crocker $15.00; Gertrude V. Thomas $5.00 for Louis Rhode; Elizabeth Marsh $25.00 for Matt Kemp; Irene Stockman $60.00-for Loretto Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $105.00-for Lewis C. Brinker $40.00, Edward McPeek $35.00, August Warnke $30.00; Svendsen Nursing Home $190.00-for Mrs. Mary Kirkeby $35.00, Sarah Black $30.00, Rosa Dixon $30.00, Mrs. Hilda Ebens $95.00; Watertown Rest Home $75.00-for Louie Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $95.00-for Art Eastberg $85.00, Emma Jenkins $10.00; Watertown Photo News $14.00; Ruhe Stationery Co. $1.13; Lloyd Shenk $76.00-for Geo.Manley $38.00, Chancey Bartholomew $38.00; Bartron Hospital $1714.80-for James Audus $496.35, Earl Blowees $93.15, Chris Engels $41.50, Ella Flanagan $23.00, James & Alma Mack $264.30, Barbara Richards $56.85, Mrs. Wm. Shhreuers $574.50, Ed Switzenburg Baby $38.70, R.A.Vance $126.45; Bartron Clinic $857.10-for Lizzie & Chas.Alt $11.50, James Audus $136.50, Earl Blowers $22.00, Mrs.Edwin Bates $11.00, Carl Henry Becker $10.00, Wm. Czech $4.00, Chris Engels $25.00, Hilda Ebens $ $3.00, Ella Flanagan $15.00, John Farley $10.00, Harry Glen Fisher $11.60, Mrs.John Fjerstad $4.00, Hilda Haack $2.00, Albert Johnson $46.00, Alice Jungen $4.00, Donna Kinon $9.00; Catherine McLaughlin $2.00, Sharon Minor $4.00, Mrs. Dan Mertz $5.00, James & Alma Mack $109.50, L. Mourere $11.50, Jerry O'Brien $3.00, Mr.& Mrs.H.H.Parliament $12.00, Mrs. Seymore Peterson $5.00, Barbara Richards $14.50, Mrs. Wm.Schreuers $300.00, Bertha Strait $3.00, Mrs. Frances Schmeling $4.00, Ellsworth Spearbeck $5.00, Ed Switzenburg Baby $10.00, R.A.Vance $24.00, Alfred Vick $16.00, Ferne Washtoak $4.00; Helen E. Bauer $12.00-for James & Alma Mack; Botsford Lumber Co. $11.50-for Joe Lindner; Butterbrodt Drug Store $10.00 -for Dwayne Stevens; Codington County Oil Co. $69.16-for John Fjerstad $14.20, Arthur Larson $14.20, Mary Tribitt $14.20, James Audus $26.56; F.P.Creaser & Sons $75.00-for Joe Lindner $6.25, Wm.& Augusta Redemske $23.00, M.Corwin $22.75, Carl Hemiller $23.00; Duffner Drug Store $130.81-for Walter Richard $2.70, August Warnke $6.90, Mathilda Blek $10.32, Mrs. Chas. Montney $12.10, Carl Berg $9.90, Frank Metzinger $19.33, Wm. Ball $14.08, Ola Hanson $24.61, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Wisneski $16.60, L. Mourere $14.27; Haggar Drug Store $143.53-for Alice Jungen $2.70, Joseph Gerjets $7.38, Mrs. John Taylor $4.73, Frank & Emma Klucas $3.60, Martin Bale $5.81, Nels T. Nelson $3.60, Ferne Washtoak $37.22, Edwin Bates $4.73, Sharon Minor $10.80, Ellen Anderson $33.30, Josephine Welter $4.86, Ed Switzenburg Baby .99, Wm. Czech $.5.00, Hilda Haack $7.52, Blanche Berry $11.29; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $58.75 -for Jud Turner $22.75, Catherine Brockhoft $13.00, Sprigg Tubbs $23.00; Huebner Oil Co. $69.30 -for Fred Krueger $14.20, Wm. Glendenning $12.50, Lester Anderson $14.20, Frank Metzinger $28.40; K.D.Inc. $82.10; Kreiser Drug Store $221.65-for Frances Schmeling $7.80, John Fjerstad $8.64, Louise Tiejen $7.56, Rosa Dixon $2.70, Carl Henry Becker $14.71, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $11.10, Nellie Jensen $4.50, Catherine McLaughlin $3.78, Ben Bergerson $3.15, Lena Radtke $4.99, Chris Engels $4.18, Charles & Lizzie Alt $15.83, Anna Christianson $5.40, Mary Kirkeby $3.60, Nels C. Nielson $10.26, Earl Crocker $24.87, James Chambers $40.43, Hilda Ebens $41.00, R.A.Vance $7.06; Mc Bath Coal & Coke Co. $23.92-for Edith Bundy; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes $45.00-for L. M. Schulner; Nash-Finch Co. $9.26; National Tea Co. 12.50-for H.H.Parliament; Rich's Oil Co. $7.10 for Harold Nafus; Rogers Dairy Co. $10.00 for Otis C.Olson; Schreiter's $22.00-Marlys Madsen; Shaw-Messer Ambulance Service $6.00-Chris Engels; O. P. Skaggs Store $259.01-for James Audus $13.33, Irwin Ault $10.15, Mrs. Edwin Bates $6.41, Nordeen Brekke $7.49, Myron B. Corwin $9.90, John Fjerstad $23.86, Joseph Gerjets $13.13, Mrs. Willard Goette $20.00, Chris Jensen $7.53, Albert Jewell $18.81, Fred Krueger $9.14, Arthur Larson $18.19, Richard M. McKee $14.08, Don Mauer $5.00, Harold Nafus $3.97, Mrs. Will Norman $7.26, Victor Rosekranz $1.57, WallaceSpicer $2.36, Ed Switzenburg $23.38, John Thompson $3.14, Sprigg Tubbs $14.63, Elmore Tupper $13.11, James Walters $6.85, Arthur Webb $4.72; Standard Oil Co. $50.41-for Wm.& Cora Barto $7.10, Gerrit Katze $7.81, Will Norman $14.20, Phoebe Mowery $14.20, Chris Jensen $7.10; St.Bernard's Prov.Hospital $43.20 for Mary Myers; Stone Oil Co. $14.20 for Edwin Bates; Thomes Drug Store $136.40-for Eva Schulz $5.67, Harry Freeseman $3.42, Jerry O'Brien $11.88, Richard DePeel $2.16, R.A. Vance $10.35, John Farley $19.84, Chas. Bierscheid $8.73, H.H.Parliament $7.42, Frank Soulak $22.41, Minnie Johnson $2.52, Anna Parsley $5.23, Alfred Vick $30.56, James & Alma Mack $3.51, Mrs. Theo. Treat $2.70; Dr. M.C. Thompson $94.40-for Clarence I. Morrison $20.00,

Albert Hendricks $4.00, Minnie Johnson $12.00, Ludwig H. Johnson $55.40; Watertown Community Oil Co. $57.80-for Arthur Webb $14.20, Ed Switzenberg $15.20, Albert Jewell $14.20, Gustav Lentz $14.20; Whooley Oil Co. $21.45-for Willard Goette $7.15, Joseph Gerbets $14.30;Wilson Truck System $308.54; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes $18.00-for Barbara Richards $9.00, Albert Johnson $3.00, Ella Flanagan $6.00; Per diem & Mileage Adolph Hogstad $109.47, James L. Keenan $117.30, Herb Skinner $96.94,Al M. Williams $115.00,; Bailiff - $5.00 Carl Deal, $4.00 Frank Welch; Printing & Advertising-$107.58 South Shore Gazette, Watertown Public Opinion $185.88, Watertown Photo News $10.45; Assessor's Supplies-$336.40 Watertown Public Opinion, Watertown Photo News $62.00, F.C.Grow Sons $557.50, Brown & Saenger $106.60; Auditor's Office Expense-Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. $40.75, News Printing Co. $2.82, Carlson's $10.50, Watertown Photo News $10.45, R.R.Yates $2.25; Reg. of Deeds Office Expense-Carlson's $7.92, Mitchell Publishing Co. $9.46; Supt. of Schools Office Expense-$64.05 for C.A.Gregory Co.; Election Expense-Watertown Photo News $17.00; Welfare-Watertown Photo News $14.00, Lloyd Shenk $76.00; Supervisor of Assessors-Watertown Photo News $18.45, Glenn M. Mitchell $36.40; Treas. Office Expense-R.R.Yates $2.25, 1st Citz.National Bank $8.20,Ruhe Stationery $5.00; Sheriffs Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $4.50; Court Expense-Ruhe Stationery $9.75, Lloyd Shenk $76.00; County Extension-Ruhe Stationery $1.20, Geo. W.Cook $22.47, Clara W. Johnson $6.41; Welfare Ruhe Stationery $1.13; Supr. Assessors $.98 Ruhe Stationery; Clerk of Courts Office Exp.-Midwest-Beach Co.$124.60; Supt. of Schls Mileage-Mrs.Hazel Murphy $54.32; Contests & Exhibits-Young Citizens League $7.80; Sheriff's fees -Lloyd Shenk $114.50, Board of Prisoners $198.40, Mileage $160.05; Radio-Roberts Radio $109.50; Coroner Expense-Leslie E. Mathiesen $4.06; Veterans Service-$49.50 Dorothy O. Thomas; Court House Maintenance-Bard Sheet Metal Works $24.25, City Treas. $677.52, Dun-Dee Store $3.17, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $14.47, L. W. Larson $5.00, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $2.56, Nelson Hardward $8.79, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $283.10, Otis Elevator Co. $56.75, Herb Skinner Jr. $27.00; County Farm-City Treas. $41.58, Nelson Hardware $4.00, Duffner Drug Store $8.38, Dr. M. C. Thompson $3.00,Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $5.80, Lien's Grocery $28.76, Park-Grant Co. $10.84, J. C. Penney Co. $3.96, Watertown Co-op Elev. Co. $26.20, Fred Walsh $110.00; Insurance &Bonds-Western Surety Co. $1148.81; Board of Insanity-Donald M. Fedt,M.D. $45.00; Board of Health-M.C.Rousseau,M.D. $77.40; State Accountant-S.D.State Treas. $51.90; Co.Board of Education-Mrs.Phyllis Bard $37.28, P.O.Brekke Agency $7.50,Philip C.Bergh $34.00, DeLos DeBerg $16.68, Willard Grow $20.28, Earling Johnson $41.52 W.I.Nichols $41.66, Ben J. Thyen $39.84; TEXTBOOKS-Midwest-Beach Co. $65.62, Young Citizens League $26.25, Wilson Truck System $1.75, American Book Co. $53.76, Educator Supply Co. $101.83, Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $89.50;HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Ruhe Stationery Co. $4.55,, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $41.16, Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $60.32, Cave Supply Co. $406.35, Dakota Welding Supply Co. $20.80, Dandar Elec. Motor Repair $12.90, Algard Machine Shop $54.00, Dicks Tractor Parts Co. $1.00, J.D.Evans Equipment Co. $28.60, Foster Bell Co.$599.50, Gooch Sales Co. $4.29, Kenneth Hayes Elec. Co. $60.85, R.E.Hubbard Co. $210.37, International Harvester Co. $231.79, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. $2.81, K & Z Service $3.50, LaNoue's Radiator Shop $15.00, Mahowald Co. $5.36, Marquardt's Service & Supply $372.56, Mileage Market $356.59, Frank Miller Co. $10.20, Motor Supply Co. $52.15, W.S.Nott Co. $84.85,Paper Calmenson Co. $297.95, Phillip's 66 Service $8.70, Reaney's Service $203.03, Rubber Stamp Co. $4.00, Sheehan-Bartling Inc. $320.67, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $1363.81, True Electric Co. $55.45, Watertown Machine Works $5.39, Watertown Radiator Works $.75, Watertown Tire Co. $24.24, Williams Hardware Co. $11.50, International Harvester Co. $1525.00; ROAD-City Treas. $31.98, Northwestern Public Service Co. $8.73, Harold Scriver $3.65, Western Transportation Co. $3.00; BRIDGE-Minnesota Mining & Mfg. Co. $43.80; INSANE-Lloyd Shenk $40.00; REDFIELD-Donald M. Fedt,M.D. $15.00.

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Watertown, S. Dak.
March 20, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all Commissioners present except Belk, Chr. Keenan presiding.

Mrs. Hazel Murphy, Superintendent of Schools was authorized by the Board to attend a district meeting at Webster, on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad.

A motion by Skinner, seconded by Hogstad, authorized the States Attorney to prepare the necessary papers to release a file a satisfaction of mortgage of J.E.Krull. The mortgage paid in full for the SW ¼ of Sec. 12,116,53 to the County Treasurer, Sept. 1943. Previously in September 16, ~~1944~~ 1943, page 402, Book J, a motion was made by Haan and seconded by Ristvedt to instruct the States Attorney to file and release said mortgage. The release had been omitted from the records.

The Treasurer's report to the Auditor was approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner. Amount in banks $340,519.52, amount in checks and money in treasurer's hands $9,301.46, Government Bonds $181,619.72 and Jail Building Bonds $12,642.48.

A full release of all county liens of Joe Ries for the sum of $35.00 was approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams. Rec 4625 E

Bonds of P.O.Brekke, Treasurer; Albert Schultz, Treasurer; Olive Floden, Treasurer;Herbert Klatt, Treasurer; August Zamow, Treasurer; Vernon Benthin, Clerk; James DeVine, Clerk; Edmund Klatt, Assessor; Charles Elfring, Assessor, were approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by williams.

The tax of Al Freeseman for a house trailer was abated in the amount of $18.19, this trailer being assessed in Lake Township and also in the City of Watertown, neither assessment sheet was signed. On a motion by Skinner, seconded by Hogstad the motion carried.

A motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad to adjust and abate the over assessment of Paul Kingslien, Sheridan Township, and Helmer Jacobson, Dexter Township, this being an error in extending the valuations. Motion carried.

Weed supervisors report for the month of February was noted by the Board.

Edward Gribbin and Irving Hinderaker appeared as counsel for the Saint Ann Hospital, and Memorial Hospital, Harry Christianson as administrator of Memorial Hospital, and Russell Creaser as chairman of the executive board to discuss hospitalization for county indigent. After discussing all costs and operations of both hospitals, the Board asked for sometime to consider all of the facts.

A motion was made by Williams, seconded by Hogstad, to approve the bond of Ray Halling, of Pelican Township for Justice of the Peace.

Chairman Keenan appointed all the members of the Board to act as a committee to inspect the road to be vacated known as That portion of Wyonka Drive, Owatona Avenue, as shown in plat of Outlots 16-17-18-19-20-21-22 in Lots 3 and 4 of Section 9-117-North Range 53 West of Fifth PM, Codington County, South Dakota, and report on April 3, 1956 at 10:00 AM, on conditions as they find them.

A motion duly made and seconded to adjourn until March 27, 1956 at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. Dak..
March 27, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present. Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad: SALARY:County Auditor-Irma E.Welch $325.00, Alice Olson $190.00, Edna Derenthal $180.00, Fay Wohlheter $160.00, Pearl Bergan $157.50; Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00, Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00, Dorothy O.Thomas $150.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A.Farl $296.68, Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Reg.of Deeds-Margaret Brown $296.68, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson $165.00; Supt. of Schools-Hazel G.Murphy $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $200.00; States Attorney-Dale E.Bradshaw-$283.75, Ross H.Oviatt $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck$400.00; Municipal Judge-Donald W.Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-CHM Carl J.Deal $220.00; Jailor $250.00, William J. Meyer; Court Expense-Mabel C.Alworth $118.56, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service $200.00 George Burke; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $170.00; Co.Farm-Henry Klemsrud $100.00 & $15.00 Mileage, Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Sheriff's Fees & Salary-Bert Smith $85.00; Supervisor of Assessors-Glenn M. Mitchell $300.00; Auditor's Office Exp. Hilary M. Jensen $75.00; Per Diem, Mileage & Salary-James L.Keenan $117.40, Vernon H.Belk $79.30; Herb Skinner $117.26, Al M. Williams $72.00, Adolph Hogstad $111.46; CIVIL DEFENSE Motorola Communications & Electronics Inc. $561.68; WEED BOARD Matt Brandriet $200.00; CMV-C.S.Rasmusson $575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00, Sever Tobiason $205.00; John Rennie $103.61, Joe Stricherz $92.61, Claude VanSickle $156.78, C.B.Sumner $115.73, Harold Scriver $84.43, James Hendren $288.00, Carl Zweig,Jr. $243.70, Howard Williams $21.52, Ed Gould $179.60, Alfred Spring $17.40, Burton Jackson $230.05, Fred Brownell $4.89, Leo Clausen $3.98, John Strait $59.97, Andrew T. Larson $180.00, Julius Lentz $176.60, Thomas Spiering $13.60, Curtis Underwood $2.00, Clarence Helle $160.60, Chas. Krogman $159.32: CH&BR-John Rennie $67.85,Howard Williams $81.00, Alfred Spring $20185, Fred Brownell $41.50,Leo Clausen $68.00, John Strait $44.00, Thomas Spiering $54.00, Curtis Underwood $58.00: SNOW REMOVAL-John Rennie $41.25, Joe Stricherz $122.50, Claude VanSickle $50.00, C.B.Sumner $50.00, Harold Scriver $102.50, Carl Zweig,Jr. $2.70, Howard Williams $13.50, Alfred Spring $51.25, Burton Jackson $12.50,Fred Brownell $12.60, Leo Clausen $8.80, John Strait $5.50, Thomas Spiering $8.00,Curtis Underwood $14.00, Chas. Krogman $33.00; Co. Sp. Highway-LAKE John Rennie $14.95, Alfred Spring $2.50, Fred Brownell $8.40, Leo Clausen $8.00,Thomas Spiering $12.00Curtis Underwood $13.00; CO.SP.HIWAY-Dexter-C.B.Sumner $10.35, Howard Williams $87.75, Alfred Spring $62.50, Fred Brownell $59.85,Leo Clausen $62.00,John Strait $60.00, Thomas Spiering $36.00, Curtis Underwood $59.00; CO.SP.HIWAY-Eden-C.B.Sumner $36.80, Howard Williams $64.80, Alfred Spring $70.00, Fred Brownell $47.25, Leo Clausen $46.00, John Strait $28.00, Thomas Spiering $56.00, Curtis Underwood $50.00, BRIDGE-Ed Gould $60.00, Andrew T. Larson $16.00, Julius Lentz $13.00; CO. FARM Clarence Helle $19.00.

Payments made on County Liens are as follows: William J. Quick $255.78, G. Albrecht - liens of Lorance Albrecht paid in full $1878.06, Frederick Boadwine-$277.00 - full release County Liens, Stevens County, Morris, Minn. liens of James Audus family $765.33 and $204.59, Don Mauer $5.00 full release of all liens of Nick & Lena Mauer, Joe Ries $35.00 full release of all liens.

The bonds of Bert Draves, Treasurer, Clarence Moorhouse, Assessor, and C.B.Moorhouse,Clerk, were approved on motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams.

The Bill of Motorola Communications & Electronics, Inc., for $561.69 was approved, as the County's share of the Civil Defense program for Codington County, on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad.

Moved by Hogstad and seconded by Belk to approve the quit claim deed for Lots 27-28-29, Block 46 in Replat of West Watertown from the County of Codington to Frederic Boadwine and Gladys Boadwine. Motion carried.

Irving Hinderaker and Edward Gribbin appeared as counsel for the hospitals to discuss fee schedules.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until April 3, 1956 at 10 AM.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 29th day of March, AD 1956.

Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota.

X James L.Keenan Ch
Herb Skinner
Vernon H.Belk
Al M.Williams
Adolph Hogstad

Attest: Irma Welch
County Auditor

March 30, 1956,
Watertown, S. Dak.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present. Chr. Keenan presiding:

A mompromise settlement and full release of county liens for L.N.Schulner, Deceased, in the amount of $279.12 was approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Skinner. L.L.Blake appeared on behalf of L.N.Schulner's estate.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner, and the Auditor was instructed to issue checks for the same:
Road-Register of Deeds $1.00; COURT EXPENSE-Al Fritz $5.10;

There being no further business, and on a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until April 3, 1956 at 10 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Published 4-12-56.

April 3, 1956
Watertown, S. Dak.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment, with all members present. Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Belk as follows: GENERAL: County Court Expense $47.00 LaRue Douglass; Court expense $118.56-Cecilia M.Beirne; WEEFARE-Postmaster $10.00.

The monthly report from Sanator in the amount of $128.70, and the report from Redfield for $750.00 was approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad.

A motion was made by Belk and seconded by Hogstad to request a refund on the balance of the policy from the Heaton Agency for the Heathcote property which has been recently sold.

Commissioner Belk requested that Commissioner Skinner be named as Chairman of the Insurance Committee. Chairman Keenan appointed Skinner then for the balance of the year 1956, Belk having been appointed when the Board reogganized in January.

Chairman of the Court House Committee recommended that the exterior of the Court House be waterproofed, caulked and tuck pointed as needed. Nothing of this nature has been done since the Court House was built in 1928, and this is deemed necessary to preserve the exterior of the Court House building, and upon a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Belk the auditor was instructed to Advertise for bids for this work. Motion carried.

The report of Matt Brandriet, weed supervisor, for the month of March was noted by the Board.

At this time a report of the Committee investigating the vacating of a road described as follows - was heard, and a motion was made by Belk and seconded by Skinner that said vacation was in order. Committee report on file in Auditor's Office. The hearing will be April 17.

That portion of Wyonka Drive and Owatona Avenue as shown upon the Plat of Outlots 16,17,18,19,20,21 and 22 in Lots 3 and 4, of Section 9, Township 117 North, of Range 53 West of the Fifth P.M., Codington County, South Dakota, recorded in Book B of Plats on pages 329-333 insofar as said roadways cross or appear to cross Lots 3,4, and 5 of "Plat of part of Outlot 17 and Outlot 18 in Section 9, Township 117 North, of Range 53 West, showing Lots 1 to 14 inclusive" Codington County, South Dakota, recorded in Book B of Plats on pages 360-361, all of such recording being in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Codington County.

Gribbin and Hinderaker, attorneys for the Watertown hospitals met with the Board to discuss Hospital schedules.

The Board agreed upon and adopted the schedule as worked out by the Board of Commissioners, Saint Anns and Memorial Hospitals for the care of the County Indigent and upon a motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad those schedules were adopted for the balance of the year 1956, and upon roll call all voted "yea" and none voted "nay" motion carried.

There being no further business, and upon a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until Friday, April 6 at 10 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor.

April 6, 1956.
Watertown, S. Dak.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present. Chairman Keenan presiding.

The J. G. McFarland abatement on City Real Estate was rejected on the advise of the States Attorney and to concur with the Attorney General's opinion. On motion by Skinner and seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

This being the time and place to open the bids for one Flat Low Boy Trailer, the Auditor was instructed to open and read the bids as follows:-

Stan Houston Equipment Co.	$3,550.00
Sheehan & Barkling	3,982.00
Sioux Road Equipment Co.	3,675.00
Pecaut Equipment Co.	4,099.00
Foster Bell Co.	4,038.00

Stan Houston Co. being the low bidder, a motion was made by Williams and seconded by Skinner to accept said bid, and the Auditor was instructed to return the certified checks of the unsuccessful bidders, and upon roll call by districts all voted "yea" and none voted "nay". The Chairman declared the motion carried.

COUNTY FARM ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1955

RECEIPTS		DISBURSEMENTS	
Produce (Eggs and Cream)	$ 937.62	Salary	$2271.60
Cattle	289.00	Food	1059.67
		Drugs	253.31
		Insurance	239.20
		Equipment & Supplies	121.90
		Fuel	1426.88
		Lights	249.20
		Feeds and Seeds	462.29
		Clothing	143.41
		Repairs	247.91
		Livestock	211.65
		Withholding Income Tax	211.40
		Social Security withheld	45.00
Total Receipts	$1226.62	Total Disbursements	$6943.42

Feed raised on County Farm - 406 Bu. Oats and 398 Bu. Barley.

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
County of Codington)SS

I, Irma Welch, County Auditor, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the receipts and disbursements of the County Farm, maintained in the said County, from the accounts of my office.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 21st day of January, 1956.

Irma Welch
County Auditor.

RESOLUTION No. 270 APPRAISAL OF LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDINGS TO BE OFFERED FOR SALE.

WHEREAS, The Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, deems it advisable to sell the real property hereinafter described, acquired by said county by tax deed, and said Board of County Commissioners has directed that such real property be offered for sale and that it first be appraised by said board as approved by law,

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, report that they have ma de a just and fair appraisement of the real property hereinafter described as follows:

Description	Appraised Value
Lots 26-27 and the East 16 feet of Lot 28, Block 28, Replat of West Watertown Addition	$200.00
Florence, South Dakota, S 52.8' of W½ of Lot 15	5.00
W½ of S½ of Lot 3 and S½ of Lots 4&5, Block 7	5.00 each
South Shore, S. Dak.: Lots 15 & 16, Block 2 of American Land Co. Add.	20.00
Lot 24, Block 1, South Shore Village	75.00

Dated this 3rd day of April, 1956.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hoglstad
Al M Williams

Attest: Irma Welch
County Auditor.

RESOLUTION No. 271, DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, The County of Codington in South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as Class One Land, and
WHEREAS said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and
WHEREAS said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota, and
NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 3rd day of April, 1956, at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property, to-wit:

Lots 26-27 and the East 16 feet of Lot 28, Block 28 Replat of West Watertown Addition	$200.00
Florence, South Dakota, S52.8' of W½ of Lot 15	5.00
W½ of S½ of Lot 3 and S½ of Lots 4-5, Block 7	5.00 each
South Shore, South Dakota Lots 15-16, Block 2 of American Land Co. Add.	20.00
Lot 24, Block 1	75.00

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of Codington County, S.D. in accordance with laws.
Dated this 3rd day of April, 1956.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of Commissioner
Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hoglstad
Al M Williams

There being no further business, and on a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until April 10 at 10 A.M.

Irma Nolch
County Auditor.

April 10, 1956.
Watertown, S.Dak.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment, with all members present, Chr. Keenan presiding:

A motion was made to approve the Rest Home Bills for March by Skinner, and seconded by Belk.

Verified claims were checked and approved, with the exception of Memorial Hospital and Bartron Hospital, on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams, as follows:

GENERAL-Poor- Annette Burgdorf $461.77, for Henry Spilde $40.00, Florence E.Williams $5.00, Donan Phipps $26.67, Albert Johnson $100.00, Susan Mack $40.00, Nels T. Nelson $55.00, Barbara Richards $70.00, Alpha Mudge $40.00, Jerry O'Brien $85.00; Walter Gusso $25.00-for Bert Crandall; Mrs. Bertha Johnson $16.00 for Henry Schloesser; Kinstad Rest Home $186.00-for Ola Hanson $36.00, Andrew Horn $35.00, Carlø Berge $30,00, James Chambers $35.00, Rupert Gatchell $35.00, Earl Crocker $15.00; Lakeview Nursing Home $5.00 for Louis F.Rhode; Elizabeth Marsh $25.00 for Matt Kemp; Irene Stockman $60.00 for Loretto Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $77.00 for Aug. Warnke $30.00, Edw. McPeek $7.00, Lewis C. Brinker $40.00; Svendsen Nursing Home $190.00-for-Mary Kirkeby $35.00, Sarah Ann Black $30.00, Rosa Dixon $30.00, Hilda Ebens $95.00; Watertown Rest Home $75.00 for L. Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $131.00-for Arthur Eastberg $85.00, Henry Schlosser $46.00. Per Diem and Mileage-Vernon H. Belk $72.60, Adolph Hogstad $103.59, James L. Keenan $86.80, Herb Skinner $95.26, Al M. Williams $47.00; Municipal Court Expense Hazel Hegarty $119.62; WEED BOARD Matt Brandriet $9.98; Henry Independent-Print & Adv. $208.81, Publ Tax List $38.90; Printing & Adv. South Shore Gazette $82.56; Watertown Public Opinion $120.15 - Print & Adv. $103.65, Assessors Supplies $16.50; GENERAL-Auditors Office Exp. Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. $.93; Ruhe Stationery $12.71; ROAD Ruhe Stationery Co. $.60, City Treasurer $34.22; Redlinger Bros. $3.80, Watertown Machine Works $80.98, C.E.McGowan Lumb. Co. $1.19, LaNoue's Radiator & Battery Shop $23.00, Motor Supply Co. $149.72, Olson Appliance & Gas.Co. $59.80, Watertown Implement Co. $31.05, Algard Machine Shop $4.00, Alvin Block $209.93, Cave Supply Co. $162.81, Chuck Crown Radio-TV $19.65, Codington Co. Implement Co. $9.90, Dakota Welding Supply Co. $10.25, J.D.Evans Equipment Co. $18.86, Foster Bell Co. $28.01, General AutoElectric Co. $40.60, Ernest A. Goodroad $35.00, International Harvester Co. $212.74, Mahowald Co. $2.74, Marquardt Service & Supply $19.48, Marshall Wells Co. $6.59, Mileage Market $206.44, Northwestern Public Service Co. $7.08, Pecaut Equipment Co. $160.32, Rosholt Equipment Co. $3.21, Schweiger's Inc. $20.68, Sheehan Bartling Inc. $39.08, Watertown Tire Co. $10.69, Western Transportation Co. $4.04; Treas. Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery $9.58, Mitchell Publishing Co. $10.85, National Cash Register Co. $3.36; Clerk of Courts Office Expense - Ruhe Stationery $3.73; Supt. of Schools Office Expense -Ruhe Stationery $3.85; News Printing Co. $37.00, Research & Planning Div. Dept. of Highways $12.06, Frankel Carbon & Ribbon Co. $33.00; Court Expense $1.60 Ruhe Stationery; Duffner Drug Store $5.76; Butterbrodt Drug Store $2.80; County Extension Ruhe Stationery $10.78, George W. Cook $29.18, Clara W. Johnson $7.09; Welfare-Ruhe Stationery $2.26, Robert J. Carlson $195.00; Reg. of Deeds Office Expense-Remington Rand $118.55, News Printing Co. $.96; States Atty's Office Expense-F.C.Grow Sons $38.00; Assessor's Supplies-F.C.Grow Sons $64.00; Supt. of Schools-Mileage-Mrs.Hazel Murphy $37.60; Sheriff's Office Expense - W.S.Darley & Co. $37.65; Convention & Research-Henry W. Seide $97.36; Lloyd Shenk-Fees $98.00, Mileage $294.25, Board of Prisoners $122.80; Poor-Duffner Drug Store $175.52 for Mathilda Blek $31.00, Frank Metzinger $22.21, Mrs.Henry Lipelt $11.25, Mike Feyen $2.83, Ola Hanson $24.57, Carl Berge $8.91, Aug Warnke $5.28, Chris Jensen $14.58, Art Eastberg $8.08, Ed Wight $1.44, Mrs. Chas.W.Montney $29.56, Richard M.McKee $2.21, Rupert Gatchell $1.35, Steve Wisneski $8.69, Louis Mourere $3.56; Dr. Donald Fedt $9.00 for Ola Hanson $3.00, Earl Crocker $3.00, Carl Berge $3.00; Brown Clinic $32.00 for Mary Mitchell $32.00; Codington County Oil Co. $57.42 for James Audus $28.12, John Fjerstad $15.10, Mrs. Mary Tribbit $14.20; Co-op Farm Supply Store $40.00; F.P.Creaser & Sons $57.38 for Evelyn Schultz $22.75, Myron Corwin $22.75, Carl Hemiller $11.88; Haggar Drug Store $122.14-for Hilda Haack $7.52, Mildred Taylor $10.71, eymore Peterson $7.11, Josephine Welter $7.83, Mary Mitchell $4.68, Martin Bale $41.04, Wm. Zech $19.04, Fern Washtoak $17.01, Nels Nielson $3.60, Frank & Emma Klucas $3.60; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $22.75 for Jud Turner $22.75; Kreiser Drug Store $176.53 for Charles Alt $2.25, Anna Christianson $7.65, Rosa Dixon $2.70, Louise Tiejen $16.20, Chris Engels $5.76, Hilda Ebens $42.89, John Fjerstad $4.62, Nellie Jensen $4.50, Mary Kirkeby $1.80, Nels C. Nielson $10.26, Lena Radtke $2.88, Frances Schmeling $10.26, James Chambess $40.21, Earl Crocker $24.55; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $40.82 for Don Maur $14.60, Edith Bunde $26.22; C.E.McGowan Lbr.Co. $21.50 for Wood Carter $21.50; Madison Drug & Jewelry Co. $16.00 for Louis Rohde $16.00; Minor Oil Co. $14.20 for Otis Olson; S.D.Childrens Aid $40.00 for Soren Nelson; Shaw-Messer Ambulance Service $18.00 for Chris Engels $6.00, Donan Phipps $6.00, Henry Schlosser $6.00; O. P. Skaggs Store $103.59 for Chris Jensen $7.36, Fred Kruegar $19.51, Edwin Bates $3.15, Alice Redetzke $5.20, James Grovenburg $6.98, Will Norman $6.45, Wallace Spicer $5.24, Joseph Gerjets $6.19, Elmore Tupper $10.01, Ed Switzenburg $6.54, Myron Corwin $10.00, John Fjerstad $16.96; Standard Oil Co. $127.80 for Elmore Tupper $7.10, James J. Mack $14.20, Will Norman $14.20, Donna Kinon $7.10, Gerrit Katze $14.20, Elsie Ravelette $28.40, Chris Jensen $14.20, Phoebe Mowery $28.40; Saint Anns Hospital $299.55 for Ed McPeek $145.05, Mrs. Mary Mitchell $154.50; St.Bernard's Prov.Hospital $46.00 for Mary Myers; Stone Oil Co. $15.20 for Edwin Bates; Watertown Community Oil Co. $43.60 for Sidney Ulven $14.20, Albert Jewell $7.60, Ed Switzenberg $7.60, Arthur Webb $14.20; Thomes Drug Store $158.81 for Alfred Vick $33.75, Aug.Warnke $2.84, Frank Soulak $22.41, Eva Schultz $2.97, Chas. Bierscheid $7.11, Lewis Brinker $2.84, Harry G. Freeseman $3.42, Ric Richard DePeel $1.12, John Farley $17.54, Ludwig Grewing $6.66, Minnie Johnson $5.04, Emma Lehman Dralle $6.30, Jerry O'Brien $13.91, H.H.Parliament $2.03, Anna Parsley $2.66, Lena Trumer $2.79, R.A.Vance $25.42; Dr. M. C. Thompson $135.00-for Ludwig H.Johnson $40.00, Henry Lipelt $12.00, Lewis C. Brinker $12.00, Aug.Warnke $6.00, Clarence Morrison $21.00, Minnie Johnson $13.00, Emma Lehman Drakle $6.00, Mildred Taylor $25.00; Dr. Leo Titze $15.00 for Florence Kennedy; Whooley Oil Co.$15.50 for Joseph Gerjets.

County Farm-Duffner Drug Store $18.16,City Treasurer $33.23, Nelson Hardware $48.74, Larry Cole $15.00, LaNoue's Radiator & Battery Shop $7.50, Lien's Grocery $39.83,Motor Supply Co.$10.13,Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $5.80, Park Grant Co. $17.25, J.C.Penny Co. $9.16, Socony Vacuum Oil Co.$10.85, Spies Super Valu $8.19, Watertown Co-op Elevator Co. $37.25, Watertown Implement Co. $43.58; Veterans Service Office $31.08 George W. Burke; Court House Maintenance-Churchill Mfg.Co. $70.50,City Treasurer $617.39, Dandar Electric Motor Repair $3.50, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $12.56,Egge Electric Co.$37.55, Gray Construction Co.$34.80, Imperial Chemical Co. $318.45, Jo's Laundry $6.50, Frank Miller Co. $39.70, Nelson Hardware $4.35,Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $283.89, Otis Elevator Co. $56.75, Redlinger Bros. $197.07, Herb Skinner Jr. $27.00, Watertown Machine Works $8.00; Bd of Insanity -Dr.Donald Fedt $15.00; Board of Health-H.Russell Brown M.D.$70.54, M.C.Rousseau,M.D. $46.80; Law Library-The Bobbs Merrill Co. $45.00, Shepard's Citations Inc. $75.00, West Publishing Co. $132.00; Supervisor of Assessors-Glenn M. Mitchell $8.96, S.D.Implement Dealers Assoc. $6.15; Tax Deed Expense -Mrs.J.Warren Grandle $5.40, Hazel Schliesmann $60.00; County Bd. of Education -Ben Thyen $20.04, Barling Johnson $33.30, W.I.Nichols $16.58, Willard S. Grow $23.54, DeLos DeBerg $15.60, Philip Bergh $25.50, Mrs. Robert C.Bard $22.14; CH&BR Socony Vacuum Oil Co.$102.53,Jacob Ritz $362.95; County Spec.Highway-Lake $25.03 for Socony Vacuum Oil Co.,A.A.Ledegar,Gt.Northern Ry. $118.23; Co.Spec.Highway-Dexter-Socony Vacuum Oil Co.$245.40; Eden-Socony Vacuum Oil Co.$187.67; Pelican-Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $249.33, Jacob Ritz $60.55; Kampeska $369.42 Socony Vacuum Oil Co., Jacob Ritz $165.20; Elmira - A.A.Ledegar-Gt.Northern Ry $118.24; HI&BR Jacob Ritz $169.75; TRUST FUND Lucy R. Grant $15.00; WEED BOARD Robert F.Redlin $6.52, Joseph J.Fox $5.68, Paul David $5.82; TEXTBOOK-Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co.$2.83,Laidlaw Bros.$17.34; INSTITUTE-Sister M.Joachim $25.00,Florence Bruhn $25.00; GENERAL-County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $1.00; ~~GENERAL - Poor - Postage $10.00~~.

Condemnation

RESOLUTION No. 272 of CONDEMNATION

WHEREAS, The Board of Commissioness of Codington County, South Dakota, acting as a Board of Survey under S.D.C. #48.0503 have inspected the following personal property in the custody of the County Officers of said Codington County:

1 6 Volt Siren - obsolete by change in voltage in sheriff's car and no further value.
1 Brunsvig Midget Adding Machine No. 26656

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that said property has become unfit for use by reason of change, wear, tear and is beyond repair, and same is therefore condemned and appraised as being of a value as follows:

6 Volt Siren @ $10.00
Brunsvig Midget Adding Machine #26656 @ $5.00

It is further resolved that said property may be forthwith sold.

Dated this 10th day of April 1956.

James L Keenan Chairman
Board of County Commissioners.
Herb Skinner
Vernon N Belk
Wolfe Hogstad
Al M. Williams

A motion was made by Belk and seconded by Skinner to continue Board membership for 1956 in the Reasearch Council, and to pay the annual dues as per billing.

Bonds apprvd.

Bonds of O.A.Olson, Julius Stee, Leonard Murphy, Otto Korth, Herman Benthin, Elbert Rukstad, Richard Hoffman and Duane Hallstrom were approved on a motion by Hogstad seconded by Skinner.

A bill for Yankton-$1738.34 for the month of March was approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner.

The Clerk of Courts' report for March, in the amount of $282.70 and the Register of Deeds' report for $617.05 were approved on a motion by Belk.

Schwinger abatement

The abatement of Stanley Schwinger for $14.06 was approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Belk. This portion of personal property should be assessed to Anton Scott, there being an error in extending the figures.

The recommendation of the Otis Elevator Co was approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad and referred to the Court House Committee to proceed as authorized.

There being no further business the Board adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded until April 17 at 10 A.M.

Anna Welch
County Auditor.

April 17, 1956.
Watertown, S. Dak.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment, with all members present, Chr.Keenan presiding:

This being the time and place for hearing to vacate a certain public road hereinafter described as none appeared to protest said vacation-a motion was made by Belk and seconded by Skinner to allow this portion to be vacated as follows:

That portion of Wyonka Drive and Owatona Avenue as shown upon the Plat of Outlots 16,17,18,19,20,21 and 22, in Lots 3 and 4 of Section 9, Twp.117, North, of Range 53 West of the Fifth P.M.,Codington County,S.D. recorded in Book B of Plats on pages 329-333 insofar as said roadways cross or appear to cross Lots 3, 4 and 5 of "Plat of part of Outlot 17 and Outlot 18 in Section 9, Township 117 North, of Range 53 West, showing Lots 1 to 14 inclusive" Codington County, South Dakota, recorded in Book B of Plats on pages 360-361, all of such recording being in the office of the Register of Deeds of Codington County.

#273 RESOLUTION DESIGNATING DEPOSITORY BANKS FOR COUNTY FUNDS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
)SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON)

WHEREAS, acting under Section 12.0818 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, and all other amendatory acts, the following named banks have made proper application to be designated as depositories for the Funds of Codington County, South Dakota:

First Citizens National Bank	Watertown, South Dakota
Farmers & Merchants Bank	Watertown, South Dakota
Farmers State Bank	Kranzburg, South Dakota

And,Whereas, it appears from the examination of said applications that they are in proper form in compliance with the Statutes:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that the above named banks be and they are hereby designated as depositories for funds of Codington County, South Dakota, for the period of one year, beginning April 17, 1956, and the Treasurer is authorized to deposit funds therein when bonds or other legal security have been assigned to the County Treasurer.

AND,BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the following banks:

First Citizens National Bank,	Watertown,South Dakota
Farmers & Merchants Bank	Watertown, South Dakota

are each designated as ACTIVE depositories as provided by Section 12.0819 of the So.Dak. Code of 1939, and all amendatory acts, for the deposit therein by the County Treasurer of daily receipts of cash, checks, drafts, and other items, and the County Treasurer is expressly authorized to deposit in each of said banks in excess of 100% of the capital and surplus of each of said banks, providing that all times, the funds ~~xxxx

Farmers & Merchants Bank, Continued:

25,000.00	U.S.Treasury Bonds	2 3/8%	6/15/58
100,000.00	U.S.Treasury Bonds	2 1/4%	9/15-56-59
30,000.00	U.S.Treasury Bonds	2 3/4%	9/15/61
75,000.00	U.S.Treasury Bonds	2 1/2%	11-15-61
5,000.00	U.S.Treasury Bonds	2 1/2%	11-15-61
20,000.00	U.S.Treasury Bonds	2 1/2%	11-15-61
10,000.00	U.S.Treasury Bonds	2 1/2%	8-15-63
5,000.00	U.S.Treasury Bonds	2 1/2%	8-15-63
5,000.00	U.S.Treasury Bonds	2 1/2%	3-15-71-66
10,000.00	Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.Guaranty		

Custodian Bank FOR THE SAFEKEEPING of said securities.
BANK Chase Manhattan Bank LOCATION New York, N. Y.
BANK Marquette National Bank LOCATION Minneapolis, Minn.

NAME OF BANK Farmers State Bank CITY Kranzburg, S. Dak.

AMOUNT	NAME AND DESCRIPTION		MATURITY DATE
$10,000.00	F.D.I.C.		
25,000.00	U.S.Treasury Notes	2-7/8%	3/15-57
15,000.00	U.S.Treasury Bonds		1963 #16009 @10M and #5034 @ 5M.

Dated this 17th day of April 1956, and to be spread on the minutes of the said Board of County Commissioners at this April 17 meeting duly attended by a majority of the Board.

Approved: James L Keenan
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS: Chairman
County of Codington South Dakota.

ATTEST: Anna Welch
County Auditor.

The Auditor and the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners was authorized to sign a Quit Claim deed to the Legion Post #227 for Lots 15-16-17,Block 2 Henry Village, on a motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad.

RESOLUTION #276

WHEREAS, there has been withheld the sum of $4,896.04 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to Kranzburg, Kampeska, Elmira, Lake, Fuller,Dexter, and Eden Townships in Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight percent required to be placed in the fund, to be known as the County Special Highway Fund, and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund,

AND WHEREAS, the sum withheld is greater than required to complete the necessary work in the said County Highway System in the said Townships,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the sum of $4,896.04 be apportioned to the said townships as follows:

Kranzburg $1509.41; Kampeska $29.49; Elmira $764.62; Lake $29.49; Fuller $1576.29; Dexter $957.25; Eden $29.49

TOTAL $4896.04

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Williams, seconded by Commissioner Skinner and upon Roll Call all Commissioners voted "Yea" and none voted "nay", whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 17th day of April, 1956.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERs
of Codington County, South Dakota.
By James L Keenan Chairman
Fred Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Al M Williams

ATTEST: Anna Welch
County Auditor

RESOLUTION No. 277

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $36,199.10 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County,South Dakota, being the twenty-eight percent required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and
WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made quarterly, at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the first quarter of 1956,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County,South Dakota, that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows,to-wit:

Sheridan $1809.95; Henry Twp.$1809.95; Richland $1809.95; Graceland $1809.95; Waverly $2312.69; Rauville $2564.10; Germantown $2413.26

TOTAL $14,529.85

AND WHEREAS, the County Highway System has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following townships:

Kranzburg $3117.26; Pelican $1809.95; Kampeska $1809.95; Elmira $1809.95; Lake $1809.95; Fuller $2665.75; Phipps $1809.95; Leola $1809.95; Dexter $3016.59; Eden $1809.95.

TOTAL $21,669.25

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that said fund apportionment as above set out, be held by the County Auditor to pay for the completion of the County Highway System in the said townships, in the apportion as above provided and pursuant to law, and no part thereof shall be actually paid over to the said townships, provided however, that any amount of the respective allotments to the respective townships not paid out for completing the roads of the County Highway System, shall revert to and be payable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Skinner, and seconded by Commissioner Hogstad and upon Roll Call, all Commissioners voted yea and none voted no; whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 17th day of April, 1956.

James L Keenan
Chairman.
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST: Irma Welch
County Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota

RESOLUTION No. 278

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $12,928.25 from the sale of Motor Vehicle License Plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment for the first quarter of 1956.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved, by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned among the respective municipalities as follows:

Florence $723.98; Henry $723.98; South Shore $723.98; Wallace $542.99; Watertown $10,213.32

TOTAL $12,928.25

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Williams, and seconded by Commissioner Skinner, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted yes, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 17th day of April, 1956.

James L Keenan Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST: Irma Welch County Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota.

A motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Williams to give a partial release to Edwin Anderson insofar as it pertains to this property E 100' and the N 16' of the West 50 ft of Lot 5, Block 31 of Syndicate Addition. Said owner, Edwin Anderson is not the person by whom the liens attached.

Auditors Account with the Treasurer - Deposits in Bank $565,229.67; actual cash $12,061.67, Bonds-Government Bonds $181,702.06, Jail Bonds $12,642.48 were approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad.

The County Superintendent of Schools was authorized to attend the Y.C.L. convention at Pierre April 29 and 30, and a district meeting at Aberdeen April 24 on a motion by Williams and seconded by Belk.

There being no further business, and on a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until April 24 at 10 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor.

April 24, 1956,
Watertown, S. Dak.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chr. Keenan presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams. Motion carried:

SALARY: Auditor $325.00 Irma Welch, $210.00 Alice V. Olson, Edna Derenthal $190,00, Fay Wohlheter $180.00, Hilary Jensen $150.00; Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00, Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00, Dorothy Thomas $150.00; Clerk of Courts $296.68, Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds $296.68 Margaret Brown, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson $165.00; Supt. of Schools-Mrs. Hazel G. Murphy $325.00, Ruth M. Larson $200.00; States Attorney-Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75, Ross H. Oviatt $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge-Herbert Norbeck $400.00; Municipal Judge $200.00 Donald W. Lobitz; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance Carl J. Deal $220.00; Welfare-Howard Williams $2.70; Jailor - William J. Meyer $250.00; Court Expense-Mabel C. Alworth $118.56, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $200.00; County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $170.00; County Judge Office Expense-LaRue Douglass $49.00; County Farm

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Henry Klemsrud $115.00, Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Clarence Helle $2.00; Sheriff's Fees and Salary-Bert Smith $85.00; Supervisor of Assessors - Glenn M. Mitchell $300.00; Per Diem & Mileage-James L. Keenan $66.20, Vernon H. Belk $96.00, Adolph Hogstad $93.48, Herb Skinner $95.86, Al M. Williams $55.00; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; CMV C.S.Rasmusson $575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00, Sever Tobiason $205.00, John Rennie 242.65,Joe W. Stricherz $279.45, Claude Van Sickle $239.20, C.B.Sumner $236.90 Harold Scriver $198.95,James Hendren $345.00,Carl Zweig,Jr. $332.10, Howard Williams 141.75, Ed Gould $300.00, Alfred Spring $65.00, Burton Jackson $302.50, Burton Jackson $10.00, Fred Brownell $115.50,Chas.Krogman $245.00, Clarence Helle $248.00, Thomas Spiering $48.00, Curtis Underwood $45.00, John Strait $62.00, Julius Lentz $191.00, Leo Clausen $64.00, Andrew T. Larson $177.00; CSR-John Rennie $28.75, Joe W. Stricherz $40.00,Claude VanSickle $50.00C.B.Sumner $45.00, Harold Scriver $56.25, James Hendren $3.00, Howard Williams $25.65, Alfred Spring $40.00, Fred Brownell $15.75, Thomas Spiering $17.60, Curtis Underwood $32.00, Leo Clausen $17.60;County Special Highway-Lake-John Rennie $20.70, Ed Gould $12.50, Alfred Spring $31.25, Fred Brownell $57.75, Chas. Krogman $5.00, Thomas Spiering $31.00, Curtis Underwood $36.00, John Strait $41.00, Julius Lentz $14.00, Leo Clausen $36.00, Andrew T. Larson $17.00;CH&BR-C.B.Sumner $3.45, Howard Williams $40.50, Alfred Spring $100.00, Fred Brownell $31.50,Thomas Spiering $83.00, Curtis Underwood $60.00 John Strait $80.00, Leo Clausen $66.00; Co.Sp.Hi.-Dexter-C.B.Sumner $20.70;Howard Williams $94.50, Alfred Spring $28.75, Fred Brownell $36.75, Thomas Spiering $43.00, Curtis Underwood $39.00, John Strait $37.00. Leo Clausen $37.00; Eden-Howard Williams $40.50,Alfred Spring $35.00, Thomas Spiering $25.00, Curtis Underwood $30.00, , Leo Clausen $31.00; BRIDGE-Julius Lentz $46.00, Andrew T. Larson $59.00.

A motion was made by Hogstad and seconded by Williams to allow the Bounty claims as follows: LeRoy Reed $4.00, Donald Pieschke $4.00, Manfred Krokow $7.50, Howard Popham $4.00, Donald Maag $4.00, L.F.Brekke $4.00, Cliff Foss $120.00, Lloyd Foster $90.00, Harley Rarch $67.50 and A.J.Muller $270.00.

The abatement of John Stoen, for homestead exemption, was discussed and given to the States Attorney for his opinion.

The abatement of Golda Horton for a school poll was allowed on a motion by Williams and seconded by Skinner. Mrs. Horton was assessed both in Lake Township and the City of Watertown.

The refund of Dog Tax for Harry Haan was rejected on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad, the assessment sheet had been signed.

A school poll for George Tellekson of $1.00 was refunded on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner. He had been assessed for two school poll for the year 1955.

The Board left at 2:30 P.M. to inspect a spillway and a bridge in Sheridan Township and roads in the South Shore area, and returned at 5 P.M.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned until 10 A.M. May 1, 1956.

Emma Belch
County Auditor.

Watertown, S. Dak.,
May 1, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chr. Keenan presiding:

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Commissioner Skinner and seconded by Commissioner Belk.

GENERAL:-Court Expense $125.37 Cecilia M. Beirne, Mabel C. Alworth $30.00, Mabel C. Alworth $39.30; Hazel Hegarty $130.00: -Welfare - Mrs. Mary Gerjets $12.00; Poor - Bartron Hospital $1384.63 for James Audus $238.18, Hannah Smith $268.10, Mrs. Eric Freese $221.50, Chas. Bierscheid $100.20, Chas. Thrun $167.00, Donan Phipps $272.10, Dorothy Flathers $31.50, Alpha Mudge $75.20, Frederick Boadwine $70.85; Bartron Clinic $657.22 for James Audus $14.00, Nelson T. Nelson $3.00, Florence Williams $3.00, Mrs. Barbara Richards $6.00, Henry Spilde $3.00, Jerry O'Brien $3.00, Ed McPeek $26.00, Earl Crocker $3.00, Ola Hanson $3.00, Mary Kirkeby $3.00, Nate Campbell $6.50, Chris Engels $11.00, Albert Johnson $45.80, Edgar Wight $9.40, Mrs. Dan Mertz $2.20, John Blum $17.00, Edwin Bates $11.90, Hannah Smith $71.15, Mrs. Eric Freese $63.00, Mrs. Wm. Barto $6.00, Wood & Mabel Carter $2.00, Wm. Schreur $6.00, Wm. Czech $12.00, Anna Christianson $4.00, Mrs.Charles Ward Montney $6.00, Louis Mourere $6.00, Rollin A. Vance $10.00, Nels C. Nielson $5.00, Mrs. Steve Wisneski $4.00, Eva Schultz $11.00, Charles Alt $4.00, Charles Bierschied $23.00, James Grovenburg $37.00, Lena Trumer $8.60, Vernon Thompson $3.57, Ellsworth Spearbeck $19.00, Art Eastberg $12.30, Ferne Washtoak $15.00, Glenn Fisher $8.60, Pearl Stecker $8.20, John Farley $12.00, Earl Blowers $2.00, Chas. Thrun $18.00, Donan Phipps $52.00, Dorothy Flathers $25.00, Alpha Mudge $18.00, Frederick Boadwine $14.00; Memorial Hospital $359.96 for Edward Wight $23.30, Alfred Vick $15.20, Henry J. Schloesser $34.45, Mrs. Donald Roth $71.40, Donan Phipps $142.57, Hagen Herding $73.04, TRUST FUND-MRS. Lucy R. Grant $15.00.

A motion was made by Belk and seconded by Hogstad in regard to the petition for a drainage culvert and spillway across the Sioux River on the section line between sections 5 and 8-116-52 Sheridan Township, and on motion the County Highway Superintendent was instructed to check the drainage area and report to the Commissioners.

Upon the recommendation of the Memorial Park Committee, Arnold Hofteizer was retained as caretaker for the park for a period to begin May 1 through September 30 for the year 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners inspected the work being accomplished at Memorial Park.

The abatement of the taxes on the First Congregational Church property was rejected as the records show no property listed for the church in the year of 1956. The motion was made by Commissioner Skinner and seconded by Commissioner Belk. Motion carried.

There being no further business, and upon a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until May 8 at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

May 8, 1956
Watertown, S.D.

The Board of County Commissioners convened at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all members present. Chairman Keenan Presided.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Belk:
GENERAL-Poor: Wilson Truck Stytem-$50.65,
Burgdorf Nursing Home $320.36 for Florence Williams $5.00, Albert Johnson $20.00, Nels T.Nelson $55.00, Jerry O'Brien $85.00, John Blum $25.36, Henry Spilde $40.00, Alpha Mudge $45.00, Susan Mack $45.00; Walter Gusso $25.00 for Bert Crandall; Bertha Johnson $35.00 for Edward McPeek; Kinstad Rest Home $186.00 for Andrew Horn $35.00, Carl Berge $30.00, James Chambers $35.00, Rupert Gatchell $35.00, Ola Hanson $36.00, Earl Crocker $15.00 Lakeview Nursing Home $5.00 for Louis F. Rohde; Elizabeth Marsh $25.00 for Matt Kemp; Mrs. Lyle Mogler $35.00 for Norma Remedies; Irene Stockman $60.00 for Loretta Stockman; Sturdevant Rest Home $82.68 for Aug.Warnke $30.00; Henry Schloesser $12.68, Lewis C. Brinker $40.00; Svendsen Nursing Home $200.00 for Hilda Ebens $95.00, Mary Kirkeby $45.00, Sarah Ann Black $30.00, Rosa Dixon $30.00; Watertown Rest Home $75.00 for Louis Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00; Mrs. Grace Wilson $71.43 for Arthur Eastberg $59.43, Henry Schloesser $12.00; A.Duffner Store $18.99 for Mrs. Chas. W. Montney $21.42, Ola Hanson $43.87, Frank Metzinger $29.24, Inga Yarns $10.12, Mathilda Blek $43.67, Rupert Gatchell $2.88, August Warnke $4.73, Lewis Mourere $14.31, Carl Berg $11.75; Herb Skinner, Jr.-Drayage $4.00; Bartron Clinic $536.35 for Mrs. Chas.W.Montney $5.00, Lena Trumer $7.00, Edgar L. Wight .70, Steve Wisneski $21.00, Ferne Washtoak $19.00, John Farley $10.00, Hilda Haack $8.50, Harry Geo.Freesemann $5.00, Alice Jungen $3.00, Lewis Mourere $2.00, N. C. Neilson $24.00, Henry J.Schloesser $26.00, Dorothy Flathers $9.00, Edward Switzenberg $14.00, Mrs. Seymore Petersen $8.80, Mr. & Mrs.Wm. Czeck $26.80, Frances Schmeling $12.20, Carl J.Struss $3.15, Mathilda Blek $43.00, Olive Gowen $75.00, Rollin A. Vance $4.00, Herman Wolter $30.00, Walter Richard $16.90, ~~XXXXX~~ Chris Engels $25.00, Wm. Alexander $31.30, Mrs. James Audus $65.30, James A.Grovenburg $8.00, Chas. Bierschied $14.00, Ellsworth Jean Spearbeck $4.00, Charles Alt $7.60,Pearle Stecker $7.10; Brown Clinic $34.00 for Dena Mathieson $14.00, Chas. Bierschied $18.00, Mrs. Mae Mitchell $2.00; Busy Bee Cafe $10.00 for Joseph LeTourneau; Codington County Oil Co. $7.60 for Mrs. Mary Tribitt; F.P.Creaser Sons $17.50 for Myron B. Corwin; Everetts Grocery $20.00 for Willard Goethe; Faulk Co. Memorial Hospital $57.80 for Maynard Withrow; Haggar Drug Store $201.62 for Ferne Washtoak $53.24, Mrs. John Taylor $5.85, Glenn H. Taken $35.33, Hilda Haack $7.52, Frank & Emma Klucas $7.65, Josephine Welters $4.86, Elmore Tupper $5.40, Ellen Andersen $23.04, Blanche Edwards Berry $24.30, Mae Mitchell $6.93, Seymore Petersen $5.13, Alice Jungen $1.13, Nels C. Nielson $3.60, Bale Martin $17.64; Harbor Lunch $10.00 for Oscar Youngren; K-D.Inc. $104.54; Dana J. Lepler,D.D.S. $10.00 for Mrs. Will Norman $4.00, Co. Farm $6.00; Lutheran Welfare Society of Sioux Falls $16.00 for Richard Vermillion $5.00 and Billy Vermillion $11.00; Mathiesen,Gergen & Rhodes $3.00 for Ed McPeek; Memorial Hospital $28.30 for Soren Nelsen; Wm.Murphy $22.35 for Carl J. Struss; Redlin Lumber Co. $36.91; Shaw-Messer Ambulance Serv.$15.00 for Henry Schloesser $9.00, Chris Engels $6.00; O. P. Skaggs Store $53.84 for Mrs.Lois Ulven $10.06, Wallace Spicer $5.91, John Fjerstad $4.55, Harold Nafus $2.28, Mrs.Will Norman $1.46, Chris Jensen $7.24, Myron B. Corwin $8.70, Mrs. Albert Good $10.45, Mrs. Ed Bates $3.19; South Dakota Childrens Aid $46.79 for Soren Nelsen; Saint Anns Hospital $166.40 for Henry Schloesser $23.25, Chas. Bierschied $86.70, Ed Switzenberg $56.45; Standard Oil Co. $85.20 for Donna Kinon $7.10, Will NOrman $14.20, Phoebe Mowry $28.40, Elmer Tupper $7.10, Gerrit Katze $7.10, Wm. Barto $7.10, James & Alma Mack $14.20; Saint Williams Home $35.25 for Mary Meyers; Thomas Drug Store $123.12 for Chas. Bierschied $8.15, Eva Schultz $2.97, John Farley,$13.35, Richard DePeel $1.62, Mrs. Frank Soulak $21.60, Ludwig Grewing $12.60, Rollin A. Vance $12.60, Jerry O'Brien $9.77, Lena Trumer $1.53, Harry Friesman $3.42, Anna Parsley $2.66, Alfred Vick $32.85; Dr. M. C. Thompson $120.00 for Ludwig H. Johnson $59.00, Charles Bierscheid $27.50, Clarence I. Morrison $21.50, Mrs. John Taylor $12.00; Wilson Truck System $2.70; GENERAL, Per Diem & Mileage $66.10 James L. Keenan, $79.95 Vernon H. Belk, Adolph Hogstad $79.25, Herb Skinner $76.10, Alm.Williams $57.50; Printing & Advertising-South Shore Gazette $79.86; Watertown Public Opinion $138.93; Sheriff Office Expense - South Shore Gazette $11.50, Railway Express $1.93,News Printing $27.51, Ruhe Stationery $1.40; Assessors Supplies-$29.50 Watertown Public Opinion, News Printing $74.82,F.C.Grow Sons $50.00, Ruhe Stationery $7.65; Delinquent Tax Expense $221.51 James Nelson; Treas. Off. Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $44.00, Burroughs Corp. $1.88, Ruhe Stationery $23.34; Convention & Research - C.S. Rasmusson $12.00; Auditors Office Expense - Monroe Calculating Machine Co. $1.00, Railway Express Agency $5.11,News Printing Co. $6.15,A.Duffner Store $.50,Brown & Saenger $6.13, Ruhe Stationery $7.14; Reg. of Deeds Office Expense $14.35 Ruhe News Printing Co., Remington Rand $36.30, Ruhe Stationery $2.94; County Farm-A.Duffner Store $26.01, City Treasurer $36.40,Mileage Mart $2.02, Marshall Wells $11.10, Dandar Electric Motor Repair $21.75, General Supply Co. $3.50,Lien's Grocery $23.90, Olson Appliance & Gas.Co.$5.80, Park-Grant Co. $56.44, Sunshine State Hatchery $2.40, Thompson Yards $23.20, Watertown Co-op Elev. Co.$30.33; Clerk of Courts Office Expense $71.27,Brown & Saenger; County Court Office Expense-Brown & Saenger $3.00, Ruhe Stationery 13.50; County Extension-Ruhe Stationery $1.10,George W. Cook $23.01, Clara W. Johnson $14.82, Fred Morris $20.07; States Attorney Office Exp.-Ruhe Stationery $8.70; Public Welfare Office Exp.-Ruhe Stationery $19.32, Midwest Beach Co.$5.38; Supt. of School Travel Expense-Mrs.Hazel Murphy $88.22; Sheriff Mileage $258.60, Tax Deed $32.70, Fees $179.10, Board of Prisoners $127.60; Court Expense - Penn Thompson $25.00; Coroner Expense - Leslie Mathiesen $7.00; Court House Maintenance - City Treasurer $512.37, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $68, Egge Electric Co. $101.43, G&P Transportation Co. $3.10, J.J.Inman $20.50, Jo's Laundry $9.10, Mileage Market $2.64, Eco. Inc. $127.50, Herb Skinner Jr. $37.25, Nelson Hardware $19.34, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $255.69, Otis Elevator Co. $56.75, Pitney-Bowes Inc. $24.97, Redlinger Bros. $40.75; Memorial Park - Nelson Hardware $3.26, American Legion Post #227 $25.00, Mrs. Etta Lamb, American Legion Auxiliary $8.00, Hayford Plumbing & Heating Co. $25.58, Marshall-Wells 75¢, Montgomery Ward Co. $6.88, Propane Supply Co. $4.80, Veterans Foreign Wards $8.00, Watertown Machine Works $.75, Wright Tarbell-Post Service Officer,American Legion $75.00; Insurance & Bonds-Marvin Anderson $72.96, Ellis E. Hanson Ins. Agency $72.32,Loren B. Stein Agency $4.93; Board of Insanity-

GENERAL: Cont'd- Board of Insaity-Dr. Donald N. Fedt $15.00, Gordon Schaeffer $5.00, Ray M. Shenk $5.00; Board of Health-H.Russell Brown,M.D. $43.29, M.C.Rousseau,M.D. $15.20; Supervisor of Assessors $35.63 for Glenn M. Mitchell; Civil Defense-$45.96 for Ed Howson; Law Library $32.50 for West Publishing Co.;Co.Board of Education $17.07 for Phyllis Bard, $8.50 Philip Bergh, $11.12 DeLos DeBerg, Willard S. Grow $22.14, Earling Johnson $26.76, W.I. Nichols $22.35, Ben Thyen $23.54; ROAD-Railway Express Agency $5.16, Ruhe Stationery Co. $5.05, City Treasurer $36.50, G&P Transportation Co. $3.10, Mileage Market $249.70, Eco, Inc.$31.82, Watertown Machine Works $4.75, Allied Plastics of Minneapolis $18.39, Cave Supply Co. $169.76, Mel Dahle Tire Co. $3.50, Dakota Welding Supply Co. $94.59, J.D.Evans Equipment Co. $144.53, Foster-Bell Co. $141.91, General Auto Electric Co. $21.13, Kenneth Hayes Electric Co. $69.17, Hayes-Lucas Lumber Co. $19.03, Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $7.24, R.E.Hubbard Co. $1.36, International Harvester Co. $416.66, Jakle Hardware Co. $9.37, H.V. Johnston Culvert Co.$101.91, Mahowald Co. $16.55, Marquardt Service $20.03, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $32.55, Motor Supply Co. $190.73, Northwestern Public Service Co. $5.42, Northwestern Road Supply Co. $33.88, Pecaut Equipment Co. $52.71, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. $4.88, Sanders Chevrolet Co. $175.14, Sheehan-Bartling Co. $388.68, Sioux RoadEquipment Co. $95.63, Lyle Thorson $24.85, Watertown Implement Co. $25.10, Western Transportation $151.17, Williams Hardware Co. $76.21, Carl Zweig Jr. $36.75, Watertown Tire Co. $14.10; INSANE - Lloyd Shenk $76.00; C.M.V. $517.27 Loren B. Stein Agency, Socony Mobile Oil Col$1168.63; BRIDGE-Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $126.00, S.D.Concrete Products Co. $51.84; SPEC.BRIDGE Northwestern Road Supply Co. $258.30; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE - Herb Andree Tire Co. $599.10, Stan Houston Equipment Co. $3184.00; WEED BOARD Matt Brandriet $28.93, Joseph J. Fox $9.68; TUITION-South Dakota State College $51.00; COUNTY INSTITUTE-Mrs. Art Hendrickson $10.00, Mrs. Doris Nelson $15.00.

Moved by Skinner and seconded by Belk, to approve the Abatement and refund of John Stoen for Homestead Exemption, on advise of the States Attorney. Refund 98¢ and abatement 98¢. (SDC 57.0311)

The bills for Yankton $1785.00, Sanator $85.80, and Redfield $742.50 for the month of April were read and approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams.

George Burke, Veterans Service Officer, reported for the month of April. Report was noted by the Board.

Approval of the sale of Lots 26 and 27 and the East 16 ft of Lot 28 in Block 28 Replat of West Watertown to F.E.Mundell and Dallas Butterbrodt was made on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried. The Auditor was instructed to draw and record the Quit Claim Deed.

The Auditor's Account with the Treasurer was approved on motion by Belk and seconded by Williams. The report as follows:-$762,919.52 deposited in Banks, Cash $53.840, Jail Building Bonds $12,642.48, Government Bonds $181,702.06.

The Clerk of Courts report of fees collected for the month of April $191.80 was approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Belk.

Register of Deeds report of Fees collected for the month of April $512.80 was approved on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Skinner.

Joseph Mack appeared before the Board in regard to the assessment of cattle in the wrong school district. The cattle never leave District #17 as he has a foreman living on this property to look after his cattle there. As per S.D.C. 57,0326 Mr. Mack asked for an abatement, because of the millage rate in District No. 1. The abatement was approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

Irving Hinderacker appeared before the Board in regard to the welfare of Memorial Hospital.

A motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad to file a release of liens insofar as they apply and pertain to this property North 90Acres of NW¼, Sec. 13-119-54. Otis Olson owner of the property is not the party who has county liens recorded against.him.

A refund was granted to the Coco Cola Co. for taxes. This Coco Cola unit was assessed in the City of Watertown March 20, and in Florence Village June 1, 1955. Motion was by Skinner and seconded by Belk.

There being no further business the Board adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded until May 15, 1956 at 10;00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

Watertown, S. Dak.,
May 15, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened at 10:00 A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding:

Verified claim checked and approvedon a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad - GENERAL-Welfare- Pat Paterson $16.50.

This being the time and place for the opening of the bids for Weather-proofing, Tuck pointing and caulking the Court House Structure, the Auditor was instructed to open and read bids in the order in which they were filed:
Northern Star Waterproofing Co., St. Paul, Minn.; Mid Continental Waterproofing, Sioux Falls, S.D.; R. L. Cotton and Associates, St. Paul, Minnesota; Vernon Bascon, Newhall, Iowa; Midway Waterproofing and Tuck-pointing Co. St. Paul, Minn. those bing the five bidders, after some discussion the Board delayed action until a thorough investigation can be made.

Rev. Kleinsasser appeared before the Board in regard to the case of John Mark Kleinsasser, in Memorial Hospital.

The Matt Hanten abatement was referred to the States Attorney for his opinion on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner.
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The entire Board recessed to make an inspection of a bridge in Sheridan Township.

There being no further business the Board adjourned until May 22, 1956 at 10:00 A.M.

Anna Belch
County Auditor.

Watertown, S.D.
May 22, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 a.m. with all members present. Chairman Keenan presiding:

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad as follows: GENERAL-Poor- Mrs. Peter Gerjets $20.00; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Pecaut Equipment Co. $15,000.00, Sheehan-Bartling Inc. $1,475.00; C.M.V.-Sheehan-Bartling Inc. $23,000.00.

This being the time and place set for the hearing and approving of the beer license for the Park Enterprise at the race track at Lake Kampeska in Lake Township, the chairman instructed the Auditor to read the petition asking for the license. Mrs. Clarence Passig and Mrs. Earl Tobey representing the W.C.T.U., Rev. Rames representing the Ministerial Association, Ray Halling, representing the operators having beer licenses in the County, Melvin Spurrell, Orville Kingslien and Paul Guderian residents of Lake Township appeared against the granting of said license, and Virgil Stange, Les Schultz, Jim Fox and John Foley appeared endorsing the license. Both the opposition and endorsers were given an opportunity to state reasons for and against granting of the license. After the discussion, a motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad to have time to consider the facts and report later on in the days business the decision. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Hogstad and seconded by Williams to approve the payment of Pecaut Equipment Co. for Motor Grader in the amount of $15,000 and hold the balance of $911.50 until the wing in question is in working order- this action on the recommendation of the County Highway Superintendent. Motion carried.

A representative from Sheridan Township, appeared in regard to culvert between sections 5-8-116-52 and on the recommendation of the County Highway Superintendent the Board of County Commissioners authorized the Highway Superintendent to purchase twin 60 inch 38 foot arch for this project, the Township agreeing to pay the first $200. Motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

The Auditor was authorized to advertise for bids for oiling equipment on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner.

A motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad to allow the Beer License for Park Enterprise, Inc. The commissioners voting by districts, District No. 1 Yea, District #2 Yea, District #3 Yea, District #4 Yea, and District #5 yea. There being no Nays and all "yeas" the motion was declared carried by the Chairman.

A motion was made to abate the interest on the back taxes of Clement Link on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams.

An abatement was allowed on a motion by Williams and seconded by Hogstad for Mrs. Georgina Youngren for the difference in tax, that was given by an estimated tax and the assessment made by the Assessor, Mrs. Youngren sold her household goods and entered an Old People's Home in Minnesota, June 20, 1953. This was done to save the expense of advertising, and there being no way to collect the difference.

The Quit Claim Deed for Stanley Shikoski was approved upon payment in full of the contract, this covers the building and the west 55 feet of the East 80 feet of Lot 4, and the East one-half of Lots 5 and 6 and the east 55 feet of Lot 4, all in Block 79 of the Third Railway Addition, on a motion by Williams and seconded by Hogstad.

A motion was made by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner to accept the bid of the Mid-Continental Waterproofing Company of Sioux Falls, S.D. for $7000.00, this bid is to include painting windows inside and outside, and to deduct from the contract Sand-blasting and Waterproofing as stated in the original contract. The Auditor was authorized to return the certified checks to the unsuccessful bidders, and upon roll call all voted "yea" and none voted "nay." Motion carried.

A motion was made by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner to allow the payment of Sheehan-Bartling for the Tournapull Scraper. Motion carried.

The Board approved the request of the County Superintendent of Schools to attend the district meeting at Webster, and the Y.C.L. Convention to be held in Brookings on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams.

There being no further business the Board adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded until Tuesday, May 29 at 10:00 A.M.

Anna Belch
County Auditor

Watertown, S.D.
May 29, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chr. Keenan presiding:

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Hogstad as follows: GENERAL: Insane-Hazel Hegarty $50.00; Court Expense - Dwight Deal $4.15; Court House Maint.-Carl J. Deal $220.00, Jailor-William J. Meyer $250.00; Court Expense

Mabel C. Alworth - $108.56, Joe Gerlach $25.00, LaRue Douglass $31.00; Beverly Blackburn $33.75; Veterans-Service- George Burke $200.00; County Extension $170.00-Audrey Kneveter; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $100.00, Mileage $15.00, Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Sheriff's Fees & Salary $85.00 Bert Smith; Supr. of Assessors - Glenn M. Mitchell $300.00; Per Diem Adolph Hogstad $60.00, James L. Keenan $50.00, Vernon H. Belk $70.00, Al M. Williams $60.00, Herb Skinner $100.00; Mileage Adolph Hogstad $21.00, James L. Keenan $13.30, Vernon H. Belk $19.95, Al M. Williams $46.20, Herb Skinner $28.42; Salary $15.00 Adolph Hogstad, James L. Keenan $15.00, Vernon H. Belk $15.00, Al M. Williams $15.00, Herb Skinner $15.00; TRUST FUND -E.A.Fletcher $1090.12; SALARY-Auditor $325.00 Irma Welch, Alice Olson $210.00, Edna Derenthal $190.00, Fay Wohlheter $180.00, Hilary M. Jensen $150.00; Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00, Dorothy O. Pomeroy $74.70; Clerk of Courts $296.68-Walter A. Farl, Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds Margaret Brown $296.68, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson $165.00; Supt. of Schools $325.00 Hazel G. Murphy, Ruth M. Johnson $200.00; States Attorney Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75, Ross H. Oviatt $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge $400.00; Municipal Judge $200.00: WEED BOARD Matt Brandriet $200,00; C.M.V. C.S.Rasmusson $575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00, Sever Tobiason $205.00, John Rennie $201.25, Joe Stricherz $325.45, Claude Van Sickle $276.00, Clarence B. Sumner $224.25, Harold Scriver $219.65, Ed Gould $172.50, Alfred Spring $162.50, James Hendren $202.50, Howard Williams $222.75; Carl Zweig, Jr. $245.70, Burton Jackson 175.00. Fred Brownell $257.25, Andrew T. Larson $131.00, Thomas Spiering $140.00, Clarence Helle $140.00, Julius Lentz $130.00, Chas.Krogman $130.00, Leo Clausen $140.00, Curtis Underwood $140.00, John Strait $140.00; CO.SP.HI.LAKE John Rennie $86.25, Clarence B. Sumner $13.80, Ed Gould $62.50, Alfred Spring $87.50, James Hendren $37.50, Howard Williams $40.50, Carl Zweig,Jr. $9.45, Burton Jackson $37.50, Andrew T. Larson $89.00, Thomas Spiering $65.00, Clarence Helle $30.00, Julius Lentz $55.00, Chas. Krogman $52.00, Leo Clausen $70.00, Curtis Underwood $70.00, John Strait $70.00; CO.SP.HI. FULLER Clarence B. Sumner $33.35, Harold Scriver $14.95, Ed Gould $37.50, James Hendren $60.00, Carl Zweig, Jr. $37.80, Burton Jackson $25.00, Andrew T. Larson $30.00, Thomas Spiering $2.00, Clarence Helle $40.00, Julius Lentz $33.00, Chas. Krogman $37.00, Curtis Underwood $3.00; CO.SP.HI.EDEN Clarence B. Sumner $28.75, Ed Gould $41.25, Alfred Spring $62.50, Howard Williams $20.25, Thomas Spiering $38.00, Julius Lentz $32.00, Chas.Krogman $32.00, Leo Clausen $40.00, Curtis Underwood $37.00, JohnStrait $40.00; CO.SP.HI. LEOLA Harold Scriver $32.20, James Hendren $67.50, Howard Williams $54.00, Carl Zweig,Jr. $44.55, Burton Jackson $50.00, Clarence Helle $40.00; GENERAL-Municipal Court Expense - Hazel Hegarty $135.00.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner, to authorize the County Highway Superintendent to go to Pierre and present the plans for Federal Aid Project S-359 (3) with expenses paid as prescribed by law.

Mr. Morgan came at the request of the Board, to explain the Insurance problems confronting the County.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded until Friday June 8, 1956 at 10:00 a.m.

Irma Welch

County Auditor

June 6, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding:

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams: GENERAL: Memorial Park-Arnold Hofteizer $100.00, Bessie Hofteizer $100.00; Court Expense-Cecilia M. Bierne $118.56; C.H.Maint.-Mid-Continental Waterproofing Company $1134.00. TRUST FUNDS-Lucy R. Grant $15.00.

The biils for the month of May for Sanator $47.19, Yankton $1919.15 and Redfield $750.00 were approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad.

The abatement of Mary Walsh for $1.00 School Poll was approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams. She had been assessed twice at the same address - one listing blank was signed, the other mailed.

Dance Hall License for the Star Dust Trio at Medicine Lake for 1 night only was approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

George Burke, Veteran's Service Officer, submitted his report for the month of May. Said report was noted by the Board.

Clerk of Courts fees $254.70 and the Register of Deeds fees $591.60,collections for the month of May were approved on motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner.

The Supt. of Schools inventory of books was noted by the Board.

The Contract for full and complete maintenance of the Addressograph was approved on a motion by Skinner seconded by Belk.

The Board recessed to inspect roads in Sheridan Township.

There being no further business and on a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until June 8 1956 at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch

Auditor.

June 8, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened at 10:00 A.M. pursuant to adjournment, with all members present. Chairman Keenan presided.

This being the time and place to open the bids for: 1 New (1956) Forde Feed Spreader for Rock Chips, Sand, Gravel Etc.; 1 New (1956) Model Engine Driven Road Sweeper; 1 New (1956 Model) 13 Wheel Rubber Tired roller; 1 New (1956) Model 3 inch-power driven

water pump, 20,000 gal. per hr.; 1 New 1500 gallon water tank with skind rails and 8 foot spray bar.

There being 8 bidders, details on file in the Auditor's office, each bidder was given an opportunity to explain his bid. A motion was made by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the Boa rd take time to study the bids and report at 4 o'clock. Motion carried.

At 2 o'clock the time and place set to hear applications for permits to sell non-intoxicating beer outside municipalities and within Codington County, a letter was read from Mrs. Clarence Passig representing the WCTU, objecting to the approval of these licenses. The letter was read by the chairman. Mr. George Isack appeared in regard to the location of the property in Elmira Township in the George Laqua application. Moved by Belk and seconded by Williams to note the objections in their order and the Board discuss and report on the matter after discussion and consideration. After careful consideration a motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad the grant the applications as advertised and upon roll call by H all voted "Yea" and none voted "nay".Motion carried.

A dance hall license for the Star Dust Trio for June 14 at Medicine Lake was approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams.

After study,the lowest bid being Foster Bell Co. $1526 for the force feed spreader - moved by Belk and seconded by Skinner to accept this bid and upon roll call all voted "yea" and none voted "nay. Motion carried. On the Brush Sweeper,Stan Houston Equipment Company's $149.00 on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Williams was accepted as all voted "yea" none voted "nay". Rubber Tired roller,Sioux Road Equipment Company $1636.73 moved by Skinner and seconded by Belk to accept this bid and upon roll call all voted "yea", and none voted "nay". Motion carried. Water Pump, Fairbanks Morse Co. $472.00 moved by Hogstad and seconded by Belk to accept this bid. Upon roll call all voted "yea" and none voted "nay". Motion carried. Tank and Sprinkler - Stan Houston Equipment Co. $950 a motion made by Williams and seconded by Hogstad, and upon roll call all voted "yea" and none voted "nay". Motion carried. All of this equipment to be F.O.B. Watertown and to be delivered within thirty days.

The Auditor was instructed to return the certified checks to the unsuccessful bidders.

There being no further business and upon a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until June 12 at 10:00 A.M.

Auditor.

June 12, 1956.

The County Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all Commissioners present. Chairman Keenan presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Belk and Seconded by Skinner except Memorial Hospital, Board of Health and Strongs Florist. These bills were held for further clarification. Approved for payment were the following: COUNTY INSTITUTE -City of Watertown $68.00, George Moeller $15.00: GENERAL-Poor-Burgdorf Nursing Home $320.00 for Florence Williams $5.00, Henry Spilde $40.00, Nels T. Nelsen $55.00, John Blum $45.00, Susan Mack $45.00, Alpha Mudge $45.00, Jerry O'Brien $85.00; Mrs. Peter Gerjets $20.00 for Lyle Gerjets; Walter Gusso $25.00 for Bert Crandall; Mrs. Bertha Johnson $35.00 for Edward McPeek; Mrs. Esther Kinsey $46.60 for Mrs. Rosa Shape; Nora A. Kinstad $151.00 for Ola Hanson $36.00, Carl Berg $30.00, James Chambers $35.00, Rupert Gatchell $35.00, Earl Crocker $15.00; Elizabeth Marsh $25.00 for Matt Kemp; Mrs. Lyle Mogler $35.00 for Norma Remedies; Irene Stockman $60.00 for Loretto Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $70.00 for August Warnke $30.00, Lewis Carl Brinker $40.00; Svendsen Nursing Home $205.00 for Sarah Ann Black $30.00, Rosa Dixon $30.00, Mary Kirkeby $50.00, Mrs. Alfred Ebens $95.00; Gertrude V. Thomas $5.00 for Louis Rhode; Mrs. Grace Wilson $53.77 for Art Eastberg; Watertown Rest Home $75100 for L. Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00; Mrs. Peter Gerjets $21.00 for Lyle Gerjets; Wilson Truck System $26.77; A.Duffner Drug Store $197.48 for Joseph Gerjets $1.44, Frank Metzinger $10.21, L. Mourere $5.85, Mike Feyen $2.16, Ellsworth Spearbeck $4.50, Aug.Warnke $7.31, Mathilda Blek $25.35, Andrew Horn $2.16, Harry Glenn Fisher $16.20, Mrs. Chas. W. Montney $57.51, Norma $3.87, Rupert Gatchell $5.40, Carl Berge $11.02, Ola Hanson $44.50; J.C.Penney Co. $28.27 for Matt Kemp $2.98, Joseph Gerjets $25.29; Herb Skinner Jr. Drayage $10.00; F.P.Creaser & Sons $8.75 for Myron Corwin; Bartron Clinic $878.15 for Ella Alexander $1.50, James Audus $46.00, Henry Anderson $8.00, Charles Alt $9.50, Lizzie Alt $2.00, JohnBlum $47.00, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Czech $24.60, Norris Erickson $96.20,Art Eastberg $9.50, Chris Engels $23.65, John Farley $10.00, Mike Feyen $9.80, Harry Freesemann $2.00, Joseph Gerjets $142.60, Rhoda Gowin $30.00, Ludwig Grewing $26.00, James Grovenburg $7.80, Helen Hendricks $34.00, Edw.Haack $3.50, Donna Kinon $9.00, Mathilda Blek $2.00, Mrs. Chas. W. Montney $2.00, Louis Mourere $5.25, News Neilson $40.80, Jerry O'Brien $4.20, Anna Parsley $18.80, Walter Richard $14.95, Hilda Schmeling $36.45, Rosa Shape $78.50, Sherry & Julie Ann Spearbeck $6.00, Seymore Peterson $7.65, Frances Schmeling $9.90, Eva Schultz $2.00, Rollin Vance $4.00,Fred Thornton $35.00, Annie Westrum $11.00, Herman Walter $30.00, Fern Washtoak $17.00, Steven Wisneski $10.00; Busy Bee Cafe $20.00 for Oscar Youngren $10.00, Joseph LeTourneau $10.00; Donald N. Fedt, M.D. $103.00 for Carl Berge $7.00, Earl Crocker $3.00, Ola Hanson $3.00, James Chambers$7.00, Rupert Gatchell $7.00, Frank & Emma Klucas $7.00, Andrew Horn $26.00, Lyle Gerjets $5.00, Norma $38.00; Huebner Oil Co. $49.42 for Fred Krueger $21.02, Frank Metzinger $14.20, Jerome Pionk $14.20; Kreiser Drug Store $386.86 for Nels Nielson $10.26, James Chambers $67.85, Anna Christianson $40.60, Hilda Ebens $90.94, Louise Teijen $19.44, Ben Bergerson $3.15, Nellie Jensen $4.50, Lena Radtke $5.76, Rosa Dixon $2.70, Donald & Irene Lauseng $12.15, Mary Kirkeby $9.54, Chris Engels $8.06, John Fjerstad $12.96, Earl Crocker $41.03, Frances Schmeling $14.09, Charles Alt $14.76, Ben Bergerson $4.05, Nellie Jensen $4.41, Katherine McLaughlin $9.45, Mrs.Chas. Meseberg $10.35, Mrs. Carl H. Becker $.81; Dr. Dana J. Lepler $63.00 for Mrs. Elmer Meisenheimer; Madison Clinic $10.00 for Louis Rohde; Madison Drug & Jewelry Co.$09.00 for Louis Rohde; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes $6.00 for John Blum $3.00, Rosa Shape $3.00; Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $5.30 for Donald & Irene Lauseng; S.D.Childrens Aid $46.03 for

Soren Nelson; Shaw-Messer $9.00 forArthur Eastberg $3.00, Andrew Westrum $3.00, Mrs.Peter DeMuynkk $3.00; O. P. Skaggs Store $61.68 for Donald & Irene Lauseng $18.73, Myron B. Corwin $9.28, Chris Jensen $7.62, Mrs. John Fjerstad $8.25, Helen Henrichs $8.01, Wallace Spicer $3.26, Mrs. Ed Bates $3.08, Mrs. Will Norman $3.45; St. Bernards Prov.Hosp.$38.00 for Mary Meyers; St. Ann Hospital $134.30 for John Sleiter $82.20, Norma Remedies $52.10; Standard Oil Co. $56.80 for Elsie Ravelette $14.20, Chris Jensen $7.10, Phoebe Mowry $14.20, Donna Kinon $7.10, Will Norman $7.10, Gerrit Kuize $7.10; Thomes Drug Store $147.18 for Anna Parsley $4.93, Eva Schultz $2.97, H.H.Parliament $2.03, Rollin Vance $13.27, Alfred Vick $31.68, Richard DePeel $2.16, Hilda Haack $.90, Chas. Bierscheid $5.67, Albert Hendricks 1.44, Harry G. Freesemann $7.38, Jerry O'Brien $13.64, Ludwig Grewing $15.66, Mrs.Wm.Alexander $8.77, Mrs. Frank Soulak $11.61, Mary Tribitt $4.05, Anna Christianson $5.40, John Farley $15.62; Dr. M. C. Thompson $79.00 for Mildred Taylor $4.00, Ludwig Johnson $44.00, Albert Hendricks $9.00, Clarence Morrison $20.00, Hilda Haack $2.00; Watertown Community Oil Co. $7.60 for Donald & Irene Lauseng; Haggar Drug Co. $138.40 for Alice Jungen $5.04, Mary Mitchell $15.35, Martin Bale $22.10, Hilda Haack $11.66, Ferne Washtoak $39.92, Ellen Anderson $17.10, Frank & Emma Klucas $4.05, Josephine Welter $12.69, Mildred Taylor $8.69, Nels C. Nielson $1.80;Print.& Adv. $211.78 for Henry Independent; South Shore Gazette $121.94, Watertown Public Opinion $129.69; Treas.Office Expense South Shore Gazette $70.00, Wilson Truck System $1.75; The Bates Manufacturing Co. $4.51; Burroughs Corporation $1.88; Mitchell Publishing Co. $382.39; Veterans Service Office Exp. $29.00 South Shore Gazette; Tax Deed Expense-South Shore Gazette $20.01; Auditor's Office Expense-Watertown Pub.Opin. $2.70; Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. $51.75, Brown & Saenger $.73, LaFrance Office Equip. $13.20, Ruhe Stationery Co. $17.18; Supt. of Sch.Off Expense $1.50 LaFrance Office Equip.; Educator Supply Co. $46.95, Houghton Mifflin Co. $2.96; Mrs. Mabel Johnson $36.00, A.K. J. Masuen Co. $9.95; Miller Bros.Lumber Co.$2.16, The National Board of Examiners $89.85; Western Transportation Co. $3.50, Mrs. Hazel Murphy (Travel) $25.24; Reg.of Deed Off.Exp. Watertown Photo News $25.00, Mitchell Publishing Co. $1.49, Ruhe Stationery Co. $8.37; Delinquent Tax Expense-James Nelson $100.31; Sheriff's Office Expe. A.J.Masuen Co.$4.50, Hazel Schliesmann $40.00, Ruhe Stationery Co. $3.85; Sheriff Fees Lloyd Shenk $189.25, Board of Prisoners-Lloyd Shenk $128.80; Sheriff Mileage - Lloyd Shenk $262.00, $183.25; Court Expense-Bartron Clinic $25.00, Ruhe Stationery $3.15, J. C. Penney Co. $5.47; Justice Fees - Joseph H. Strom $13.80; Coroner Expense-Leslie E.Mathiesen $7.98; Court House Maint. Churchill Mfg.Co. $78.75, City Treas. $451.20,A.Duffner Drug Store $2.95, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $16.83, Inman Plumbing & Heating Co.$49.40. Mileage Market $2.41, Nash Finch Co. $3.25, Nelson Hardware $31.56, Northwestern Bell Tel.Co.$343.78,Otis Elevator Co. $56.75, Pitney-Bowes Inc. $72.40, Herb Skinner Jr. $25.00; County Farm-City Treas. $29.55, A.Duffner Drug Store $37.97, J.C.Penney Co. $14.70, Marshall Wells Co. $11.99, Olson Appliance & Gas Co.$5.80, Cota's Produce $85.20, General Supply Co. $26.00, Dr. J. P. Harmon $3.00, Lien Grocery $36.71, Park Grant Co. $21.08, Socony Mobile Oil Co. $11.15,Spies Super Valu $3.21,Watertown Co-op Elevator Co.$31.91; Memorial Park-Mileage Market $4.18, F.P.Creaser & Sons $120.00,Egge Electric Co. $5.40, Hayford Plumbing & Htg. $20.05, Mahowald Co. $4.50, Marshall Wells Co. $1.14,Northwestern Public Serv. $27.13; Assessor's Supplies-Ruhe Stationery $9.35; Supr. of Assessors $32.20 - Glenn Mitchell; States Atty Office Exp. Ruhe Stationery $4.95, Clerk of Courts Office Exp. Ruhe Stationery $1.10; County Extension-Ruhe Stationery $1.20, Carlson's $1.85, City of Watertown $30.00, Extension Service, S.D.State College $20.09, Clara W. Johnson $18.55, Fred Morris $8.98; Insurance & Bonds-A.B.Turbak $72.10; Public Welfare Office Exp. Carlsons $4.00, Midwest Beach Co. $16.47; Board of Insanity-$5.00 Gordon Schaefer; County Board of Education-Mrs. Robert Bard $10.14, Philip Bergh $17.00, Willard S.Grow $10.14, W.I.Nichols 16.72, Ben Thyen $13.64; Per Diem - Vernon H. Belk $70.00, Adolph Hogstad $80.00, James L.Keenan $60.00, Herb Skinner $60.00, Al M. Williams $60.00; Mileage - Vernon H.Belk $25.90,Adolph Hogstad $24.36, James L. Keenan $16.10, Herb Skinner $23.03, Al M. Williams $31.50; CMV A.J.Masuen Co. $36.00,Mileage Market $314.56, Mahowald Co.$4.65,Marshall Wells Store $1.80, Ruhe Stationery $7.10, General Supply Co. $46.48, Socony Mobile Oil Co. $1862.12,Bruce Walker $681.80, Herb Andree Tire Co. $2.75, Bard & Wika $9.72, Cave Supply Co. $86.85,Mel Dahle Tire Co. $25.00,Dakota Welding Supply Co. $14.76, J.D.Evans Equipment Co. $980.83, Foster-Bell Co. $6.63, The Frontier Refining Co. $30.66, Gooch Sales Co. $2.40, F.C.Grow Sons $35.00, Hjermstad Oil Co. $6.89, International Harvester Co. $376.42, Johnson Farm Equip.Co.$4.22, LaNoue Radiator Shop $66.50, Marquardt's Service $29.53, Motor Supply Co. $43.89, Pecaut Equipment Co. $61.20, Phillips 66 Service $7.06, Schweigers Inc. $26.62, Sheehan-Bartling Inc. $132.21, Loren B. Stein Agency $116.46, L.E.Tanksley $25.50, Watertown Machine Works $5.36, Williams Hardware Co. $85.90, Watertown Tire Co. $145.18; ROAD - Western Trans.Co.$6.50, City Treas. $19.70, Wilson Truck System $1.75, Northwestern Pub.Serv.Co.$4.76, Harold Scriver $4.50, INSANE-Lloyd Shenk $76.00, Shaw-Messer Ambulance $51.00; TEXTBOOK -Education Supply Co $73.21, Midwest-Beach Co. $40.00, Hub City School Supply Co.$5.25; C.H.&.B.R. C.S.Rasmusson $39.92, R.J.Healy & Myron E. Wigan $36.39, Bruce Walker $18.20; SPECIAL BRIDGE S.D.Concrete Products $886.48, Northwestern Road Supply Co. $1490.55. TUITION $348.00 Webster High School.

Election expenses were checked and approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner as follows: GENERAL-Election Expense-Wilson Truck System $1.75, Educator Supply Co. $965.05, Watertown Photo News $145.00, So. Shore Gazette $47.04, Henry Independent $10.12, Ruhe Stationery $3.60, Watertown Public Opinion $44.04, James Mooney $4.00, Andrew Anderson $3.50, Melvin Faehn $4.00, Ervin Johnson $3.00, Art Bolhouse $3.00, Herb Skinner, Jr. $39.00, Richard Hoffman,Treas.Elmira Twp $8.00, M.H.Suttor $8.50, Carl A. Nelson $7.50, Harry A.Bauer $7.50, G.O.Taecker $7.50, Ernest R. Konrady $7.50, Treas.Richland School Dist.$5.00, Fred Schwandt $9.50, Herman A. Schultz $7.50, Leonard Murphy $7.50, Louis Landuyt $7.50,Albert Schultz $7.50, Treas.Waverly Twp $5.00, Martin J. DeVille $9.40,Stanley W.Schmitt $7.50, Chas. Phelps $7.50,Felix N.DeVille $7.50, Francis Wall $7.50, Treas.Fuller Twp.$5.00, Chris Hvidhyld $10.00, Raymond Crandall $7.50, Robt.Newell $7.50, Roy Brown $7.50, Edward Flemming $7.50, Otto Korth $17.50, Orrin Gunderson $7.50, Fred Matthes $7.50,Carl Gunderson $7.50, Harold Moyer $7.50, Treas.Dexter Twp $5.00, Norman Bergan $7.50,William Flisrand $11.50,H.A. Johnson $7.50, K.O.Markve $7.50, Julius Stee $7.50, Duane Hallstrom Treas.Eden Twp $5.00, William Nesbit $13.50, Arthur Haugen $7.50, Howard Ristvedt $7.50, Geo.Trygstad $7.50,Herman Gulbraa $7.50, Treas.Florence Village $5.00, C.G.Burnstad $10.50, Bernard Sumner $7.50,Harry Thorson $7.50,Robt.N.Lloyd $7.50, Arnold Terveen $7.50, J.M.Ruhe $8.22, Emil Ostlund $8.22, James W.Seator $9.22, Alta Meek $8.22, Mrs. Odin Olson $8.22, Elizabeth Korcal $8.50, Connie Gray $7.50, Mary E. Smedley $7.50, Bernice Waba $7.50, Mrs. Kenneth E. Engwer $7.50, Luella Leonard $8.50, Mrs. Martin Handeland $7.50, Harriett Horning $7.50, Alca Engels $7.50, Mrs. Juliana Sanford $7.50, B.M.Tollefson $8.50, E.R.Brummond $7.50, Ilah May Mitchell $7.50, Jessie Scott $7.50, Lucille Sheehan $7.50, Bakkerville & Dahl $5.00, Clarence Hall $8.50, Selma Young $7.50, John Noonan $7.50, Nora Berg $7.50, Percy A. Wulff $7.50, Lois Hallberg $8.50,Harry B. Goose $7.50, Mrs. Palmer Sheldon $7.50, Marge McNamara $7.50, Vera Olson $7.50, Mrs. A.H.Steinmetz $8.50, Mrs. Gertrude Haney $7.50, Mrs. Alma Kerssen $7.50,Mrs. Edith Potter $7.50, Mrs. Mary Welch $7.50, Katherine Hanson $8.50, Marie Mack $7.50, Mabel

Moen $7.50, Grace Shinnick $7.50, Pauline Deal $7.50, W.E.Knight $8.58, Mabel Speers $7.58, Mazie H.Langwill $7.58, Ruth Graham $7.58, Tillie E. Gaughan $7.58, Mrs.William J. Fox $8.50, Lydia Tessier $7.50, Mary Terveen $7.50Mrs. Lela Curtice $7.50, Eleanor Bucholz $7.50, George Haberman $8.50, Yvonne Wiles $7.50, Juanita Biedinger $7.50, Maisie Barrick $7.50, Carrie Blake $7.50, Elmer L. Carey $8.50, Pauline Irwin $7.50, Emma Trzynka $7.50, Mrs. Virgil Sikkink $7.50, Lillian M. Ries $7.50, Frank B. Lebert $6.00, George Wmmering $8.72, Caroline Lebert $7.72, Louise Stricherz $7.72, Averil Moeller $7.72, Clara Wagner $7.72, Anneita Kannas $8.50, Mabel Drake $7.50, L.H.Karbo $7.50, Carl V. Lindgren $7.50, Alma Fiebelkorn $7.50, Elizabeth M. Larson $8.50, Mabel Lowry $7.50, Ruth Goodell $7.50, Marilyn Mack $7.50, Regina Miller $7.50, Westside Motors $5.00, Esther L. Johnson $8.50, Iola Kampen $7.50, Luella Sivertsen $7.50, Betty Ward $7.50, Mrs. Al Freesemann $7.50, Arthur VanSickle $5.00, Emil Mischke Jr $7.50, Loren Wolfe $7.50, Edgar Rausch $9.30, Mildred Born $7.50, Lyndren Kuhlman $7.50, Treas.School Dist #39 $5.00, J.E.Krull $8.50, May Schulke $7.50, Martin Fuerstenau $7.50, Della Zamow $7.50, Helen Kaatt $7.50, Treas. Wallace Village $5.00, P.O.Brekke $7.50, Mrs. Melvin Wike $7.50, Robert Pack $12.50, Mrs. Paul J. Palm $7.50, Mrs. Milton Haaland $7.50, Treas.Henry Village $5.00, D.B.Kelton $11.50, Mabel Van Sickle $7.50, Sadie ummings $7.50, Sam Brown $7.50, Kathryn Flanagan $7.50, Treas. School Dist #30 $5.00, Arthur Vogt $12.10, Anna David $7.50, Charles Redlin $7.50, Erna Scott $7.50, Harry Vogt $7.50, Treas.School Dist #43 $5.00, James Huppler $12.00, Effie Paulson $7.50, Mrs. Ronald McGillivary $7.50, Mrs. Olive Floden $7.50, Mrs.Grover Peterson $7.50, Treas. South Shore Village $5.00, Louis Zielsky $7.50, J. R. Schultz $12.50, Hilda Harrington $7.50, Roy Drake $7.50, John H.Boyle $7.50, Treas. School#49 $5.00, Geo. Curley $10.50, John Dalton $7.50, ElwinKittelson $7.50, Thos. Peterson $7.50, Frank Coplan $7.50, G.E.Williams $8.84, Treas. Lake Twp $7.50, Harold K. Benbow $7.64, Maynard Mahnke $7.64, Wm. Drenkow $7.64, Elmer Borns $7.64, Treas.School Dist #66 $5.00, Edward Dessonville $8.50, Clarence J. Moorhouse $7.50, Mike Wagner $7.50, Walter Lantsberger $7.50, Ed Gronewald $7.50, Treas. C.O.F. Kranzburg,S.D. $10.00, Isador Clausen $8.55, Guy Moes $7.50, Susan Korbel $7.50, Carl H. Haan $7.50, Mary Tesch $7.50, Treas.Rauville Twp.$5.00, Raymond Stein $8.50, Lloyd Stark $7.50, L.C.Lausen $7.50, Robert Zick $7.50, Elmer Noeldner $7.50, William Ruesink $4.00, Bichler Motor Co. $5.00, Colonel Motors $5.00, Skinner Transfer & Storage Co. $5.00.

Alice Gray, School Nurse, came before the Board to explain the County Nurse program. No action was taken.

Martin Strofus came before the Board in regard to County Welfare for George Wagner.

Mrs. Claude Edwards came before the Board requesting aid in the care of Thuessa Schummer. Miss Schummer receives aid to the disabled. The Board agreed to supplement this aid.

A vote of thanks fromthe Sportsman's Club to the County Commissioners for the fine work done at Memorial Park, Lake Kampeska was received from the chairman, letter on file in the Auditor's Office.

Moved by Williams and seconded Hogstad to bring the insurance on the Court House up to current insurable value to comply with co-insurance requirements and upon roll call all voted "yea" none voted "nay." Motion carried.

There being no further business the Board adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded until Friday June 15 at 10 A.M.

Irene Welch
County Auditor.

June 15, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all commissioners present, Chr. Keenan presided.

This being the time and place for the hearings on vacating and adding to the County Highway System of Codington County, and the following roads having been inspected by the entire Board, theAuditor was instructed to read the petitions as follows:

10:00A.M. After careful consideration a motion was made by Belk and seconded by Skinner to grant the vacation of that part of County Road System located between U.S.Highway 212 and State Highway 23 in the SE¼ of Section 36,117,54, Codington County, Lake Township. No one appearing against this vacating, motion carried.

11:00 A.M. After some discussion the Board approved the following road on a motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad. Beginning at the SW corner of Section 1,Twp. 116, Range 54 West of fifth P.M. at Kampeska Village, thence east 2 miles to the SE Corner of Section 6, Township 116, Range 53, one (1) mile in Kampeska Township and one (1) mile in Pelican Twp. Levi Redlin and Paul McElhaney appeared for the road and there was no appearance in opposition. Motion carried.

2:00 P.M. Rauville Township, beginning at the NW Corner of Section 12, Twp. 118, Range 52, and running five (5) miles south along the west section lines of 12-13-24-25 and Sections 36 to SW Corner of 36,118,52. Albert Mohr, of circulating the petition, Henry Klein a large land owner in that area, and Glenn Heaton a land owner appeared for the petition, Roland Redlin Supervisor, L.Clausen, Albert C. Lane, Curtis LaFramboise, Henry Henricks, Pete Abram, Robert Zick, Henry Zick, Ed Buchholz, and Harold LaFramboise appeared in opposition to the petition. Reasons given were - not enough travel, and the township is not willing to forfeit all of the County Motor Vehicle money to complete that road. After a general discussion by the Township Board and residents, the County Commissioners rejected the petition, and suggested the Township supervisor work out some program to give the property owners a road. This was moved by Belk, seconded by Skinner, all voted "yea" on roll call, none voted "nay,"and motion carried.

4:00 P.M. Commencing at NE of Section 6-117-51 thence 2½ miles to SE corner of NE¼ 18-117-51, thence 1 mile to sec. 13-117-52 thence ½ mile to NE Corner of Sec.24-117-52 to join with the County Road. William Meyers and J.E.Warriner appeared for the road, the Twp Board was not represented and as it does involve Elmira, Kranzburg and Waverly Townships the Board thought it adviseable to delay action until June 19,1956 at 2 o'clock. This motion was made by Belk, seconded by Skinner. Motion Carried.

There being no further business the Board adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded until June 19, 1956 at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor.
June 19, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened at 10:00 A.M. pursuant to adjournment, with all members present, Chr. Keenan presiding.

RESOLUTION #279

At a regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota held at the Court House in the City of Watertown, CodingtonCounty, South Dakota on the 19th day of June, 1956 the following members being present:
James Keenan, Al Williams, Vernon Belk, Adolph Hogstad and Herb Skinner
The following prpceedings were had:
Moved by Skinner and motion seconded by Hogstad that under the provisions of SDC Supp. 12.1913, as Amended by Chapter 25, Laws of 1953, we hereby authorize the expenses as a proper charge against this County, of the State's Attorney and Sheriff to attend an annual meeting of State's Attorneys and Sheriffs called by the Attorney General for June 20th and 21st, 1956, to be held in the City of Pierre, South Dakota, as follows:

1. An allowance for the actual cost of subsistence per day, including meals and lodging, as evidenced by appropriate receipts, not to exceed $8.50 per day.

2. An allowance for mileage not in excess of six cents per mile actually and necessarily traveled if made by automobile or actual costs for transportation if by railroad.

Members voting in favor of this resolution: HerbSkinner, Vernon Belk,Al M. Williams, James L. Keenan and Adolph Hogstad. Members voting against the resolution - none.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 19th day of June Year of 1956.
(SEAL)

Codington County, So.Dak.
by James L. Keenan,
James L Keenan
Chairman of County Commissioners.

ATTEST:
Irma Welch
Auditor.

The refund of Gertrude and John A. Schmitt was approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad. This was an error in extending figures. This should be and is assessed to John Schmidt. The correction has been made and property is properly assessed to the rightful owner.

A motion was made by Belk and seconded by Hogstad to adopt the Federal Aid Secondary Program as stated in the following RESOLUTION.

RESOLUTION #280

FEDERAL AID AND SECONDARY PROGRAM RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Codington County Board of Commissioners desire the improvement (gravel surfacing) of the following described roads, to with:

F.A.S. Route No. 881:
(1) Beginning at the SW Corner of Section 6, Township 119 North, Range 55 west of the Fifth P.M., thence east 6 miles to the SE corner of Section 1, Township 119 North, Range 55 west of the fifth P.M.
(2) Beginning at the NW corner of Section 28, Township 119,North, Range 54 West of the Fifth P.M., thence south 2.36 miles to the junction of State Highway No. 20 at a point 1873.3 feet south of the SE corner of Section 32, Township 119 North, Range 54 West of the Fifth P.M.

F.A.S. Route No. 880:
Beginning at the SW corner of Section 28, Township 118 North, Range 54 West of the Fifth P.M. , thence east 3 miles to junction with State Highway No. 20 at SW corner of Section 25, Township 118 North, Range 54 West of the Fifth P.M.

F.A.S.Route No. 286:
Beginning at the junction with State Highway No. 20 at a point 1038.5 feet west of the SE corner of Section 22, Township 118 North, Range 54 West of the Fifth P.M., thence east 4.20 miles to the SE corner Section 20, Township 118 North, Range 53 west of the Fifth P.M.

F.A.S. Route No. 429:
Beginning at the SE Corner of Section 20, Township 118,North, Range 53 West of the 5th P.M., thence south 3 miles to the SW corner of Section 4, Township 117 North, Range 53 West of the Fifth P.M.

F.A.S. Route No. 499:
Beginning at the NW corner of Section 2, Township 116 North, Range 51 West of the Fifth P.M., thence south 6 miles to the SE corner of Section 34, Township 116 North, Range 51 west of the Fifth P.M.

And WHEREAS method of construction will be upon contract bids, at a monthly letting by the State Highway Commission with the concurrence of Codington County,

AND WHEREAS, Codington County is obligated to maintain a project after construction with Federal Aid Secondary Funds,

AND WHEREAS, The County Board of Commissioners is prepared to pay the County share (approx.44%) of the cost of this project.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: 1. That the State Highway Commission be and hereby is requested to program for surface Gravel, the above described projects, under the Federal Aid Secondary Program.
2. That the hairman of the said Board of County Commissioners be and hereby is authorized to sign an agreement with the State Highway Commission for the maintenance of this project under construction.

Vote of Commission, Yes X No_____.
Resolution is hereby declared adopted.
Dated at Watertown,South Dakota, this 19th day of June 1956.

Attest:
Irma Welch
County Auditor.

James L Keenan
Chairman,Board of County Commissioners,Codington County,S.D.

The abatement of Austin Painter was approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Williams. This abatement was for a double assessment having had his household furniture assessed both in Wallace and in Dexter Townships.

At 2 o'clock the Kranzburg Township Board, George Rindels, Nick Sparta, and Henry Jankord; Carl Nelson - Elmira Township and William Meyer, Edward Fox called by telephone expressing his approval. After some discussion the Kranzburg Supervisors said they would gravel this road but were not willing to forfeit their share of C.M.V. money to rebuild this road. After recognizing this road is already in their 1956 program for gravelling, and because of the above agreement a motion was made to reject this road by Skinner, seconded by Belk and upon roll call all voted "yea" none voted "nay" and motion carried.

County Superintendent of Schools Mrs. Hazel G. Murphy requested permission to attend a district meeting held at Pickerel Lake Motion was made by Williams and seconded by Belk to grant the request. Motion carried.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned until Tuesday June 26, 1956 at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor.

June 26, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened at 10:00 A.M. pursuant to adjournment, with all members present, Chr. Keenan presiding:

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad, as follows: SALARY: Auditor-Irma Welch $325.00, Alice V. Olson $210.00, Edna Derrenthal $190.00, Fay Wohlheter $180.00, Hilary Jensen $150.00; Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00, Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lill Schoenberger $195.00; Register of Deeds - Margaret Brown $296.68, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson $165.00; Superintendent of Schools $325.00 Mrs. Hazel G.Murphy, Ruth M. Johnson $200.00; States Attorney-Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75, Ross H. Oviatt $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge $400.00 Herbert Norbeck; Municipal Judge - Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL-Court House Maintenance - Carl Deal $220.00; Jailor - William J. Meyer $250.00; Court Expense-Mabel C.Alworth $118.56, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service-George Burke $200.00; County Extension $170.00-Audrey Kleveter; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $100.00,Mileage $15.00; Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Sheriff Fees and Salary-Bert Smith $85.00: Supervisor of Assessors-Glenn M. Mitchell $300.00; Memorial Park-Arnold Hofteizer $100.00, Bessie Hofteizer $100.00; Commissioners Per Diem James L. Keenan $70.00, Adolph Hogstad $60.00, Herb Skinner $50.00, Vernon Belk $50.00; Al M. Williams $60.00; Mileage-James L. Keenan $14.70, Adolph Hogstad $14.84, Herb Skinner $28.00, Vernon Belk $16.40, Al M. Williams $35.00; Salary-James L. Keenan $15.00, Adolph Hogstad $15.00, Herb Skinner $15.00, Vernon Belk $15.00, Al M. Williams $15.00; Board of Health-Dr. M.C.Rousseau $15.60, H. Russell Brown, M.D. $60.01; County Institute $17.50 Strongs Florist; WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V. C.S.Rasmusson $575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00, Sever Tobiason $142.20, John Rennie $219.65, Joe W.Stricherz $353.05, Claude Van Sickle $297.85, C.B.Sumner $264.50, Harold Scriver $110.40, Ed Gould $91.25, Alfred Spring $275.00, James Hendren $9.00; Howard Williams $27.00, Carl Zweig,Jr. $14.85, Burton Jackson $27.00, Leonard Peterson $156.40, Fred C. Brownell $145.95, Clarence Helle $131.50, John Strait $230.00, Julius Lentz$76.50, Chas. Krogman $72.50, Andrew T. Larson $230.00, Thomas Spiering $220.00, Leo Clausen $220.00, Curtis O. Underwood $216.00, Frank Ferber $100.00, Larry Headley $29.00, John L. Zimprich $110.54; CO.SP.HI.LAKE-John Rennie $79.35, C. B. Sumner $44.85, Ed Gould $18.75, Alfred Spring $50.00, Fred C. Brownell $14.70, John Strait $30.00, Julius Lentz $14.00, Chas. Krogman $13.00, Andrew T. Larson $30.00, Thomas Spiering $40.00, Leo Clausen $40.00, Curtis O. Underwood $38.00; CO.SP.HI.LEOLA-Harold Scriver $164.45, James Hendren $202.50, Howard Williams $202.50, Carl Zweig, Jr. $197.10, Burton Jackson $193.50, Clarence Helle $166.75; SPECIAL BRIDGE Ed Gould $218.75, Fred C. Brownell $93.45, Julius Lentz $133.00, Chas. Krogman $128.00: CO.SP.HI. EDEN-James Hendren $150.00, Howard Williams $121.50, Carl Zweig,Jr. $125.55, Burton Jackson $121.50, Leonard Peterson $4.60, Fred C.Brownell $10.50, Julius Lentz $37.00, Chas. Krogman $47.00, Larry Headley 10.00; CO.SP.HI.DEXTER-Fred C.Brownell $3.15, Julius Lentz $3.00, Chas. Krogman $3.00; GENERAL/Auditor Office Expense-Marlys J.Haney $67.05; SALARY-Register of Deeds-Jo Duncan $24.00; Poor-Memorial Hospital $3938.09-Fred Thornton $159.66, James Audus $203.22, Ella (Mrs.Wm.)Alexander $81.94, Art Eastberg $120.70, John Blum $419.01, Mrs.Geraldine Tupper & Baby $79.89, Alfred Vick $15.20, Mrs.Annie Westrum ~~$50.50~~ $50.50, Herman Wolter $585.30, Rosa Shape $265.85, Hilda Schmeling $248.05, Walter Richard $101.62, Nels C. Nielson $235.52, Dena Mathieson $74.95, Robert Jackmeyer $13.12,Mrs.Leona Ille $56.80, Andrew Horn $142.95, Hilda Haack $95.14, James C. Grovenburg $212.94, Olive Gowen $360.48, Joseph Gerjets, Juanita & Baby $346.05, Chris Engels $69.20.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Williams to abate the 1950, 1951, 1952 tax for the Immaculate Conception Church property, this being unassessable, Lots 32,33,34,35,Block 53 Way Case Addition.. Motion carried. This abatement was allowed to clear the records as the 1953 and 1954 tax had been abated in March of 1955.

Moved by Williams and seconded by Belk to abate the 1950 through 1954 tax on lots 15,16,17,18, Block 9 in Davis addition. This abatement was allowed to clear the records, as this property was deeded to the County in 1953 by Joe Hobelsberger. Motion carried.

The dance hall license for Francis Mack, for one night only - July 3, 1956 was approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Belk. The dance to be held in the C.O.F. Hall at Kranzburg, S.D.

The dance hall license of Harold H. Frentz, "Concerteers" for one night only - June 29, 1956, at Medicine Lake, was approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

The Memorial Hospital, Strongs Florist, Dr. Rousseau, Dr. Brown bills were allowed after the requested clarifications on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

There being no further business, and upon a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until July 3 at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County,S.D.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS
COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION
CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA.

Watertown, S. Dak.,
July 3, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners, County of Codington, convened as a Board of Equalization on Tuesday, July 3, 1956, at 11:15 o'clock A.M. with all members present, namely James Keenan, Vernon H. Belk, Herb Skinner, Al M.Williams, Adolph Hogstad and County Auditor Irma E. Welch. Chairman Keenan presided.

Emma Weise, Watertown, appeared and requested the Board to inspect her property and compare it with different properties in the same locality - Original Plat, Brocks and Second Railway Addition. No action was taken, Board to inspect and report later.

Chairman Keenan appointed the whole Board to act as a Committee to inspect appeals as presented, and report later in the process of equalization.

The remainder of the day was spent checking valuations.

A motion was made by Belk and seconded by Williams to adjourn until Thursday, July 5 at 10:00 a.m. Motion carried.

July 5, 1956.

The Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chr. Keenan presiding:

Robert Nichols, Phipps Twp. appeared, requesting the Board to reduce the value on N½&SE¼ Sec 34-118-55 from $10950 to the original assessment of $10400. No action taken.

Elmer J. Hoven, Lot 10, Block 11, Original Plat, requests a reduction on Lot 10, from $2450 to $1850 and on the structure from $1130 to $950. Board to inspect and report later.

Mabel Alworth, an absentee landlord, Fuller Twp. requested a reduction on 2.43 acres Sec. 4-117-54 from $52 to $21, and the SE¼ of NE¼ and Lots 1,2, and 3, Section 33-118-54, 160 acres assessed at $3010 to $2400, and in Richland Twp. Lots 1,2,3, less outlot 1 of Govt. lot 3 in Sec. 4-117-54, 97.68 acres from $1160 to $900. 50 acres hayland.

Nick Strichertz requested the valuation on a structure in NW¼ of Sec. 4-116-51 be reduced to $650 from $900, Kranzburg Township.

Mollie Andree requested a reduction on Lot 8, Block 11, Original Plat from $2600 to $2000. This being the same value as assessed in the year 1955.

George Groves of Eden Township, requested the valuation on Lots 3+4 in SW¼ SW¼ 35-119-55 be be lowered from $3000 to $2000, and NE¼ NE¼ Sec.34-119-55 from $700 to $400, and Lots 1-2 Sec. 35-119-55 from $450 to $300. This land is assessed too high in comparison with other land in same area - a part of this being swamp land.

Clarence Moorhouse, Phipps Township absentee landlord, requested the SE¼ 16-118-55 be reduced from $4000 to $3500.

Lots 1 in Block 32, Syndicate Addition to Watertown, and structure belonging to Elmer Schellhouse, an absentee landlord, assessed at $4180 to $3500.

Vera Nicholson, an absentee landlord, Phipps Township requested the Board to inspect the E½ E½ SE¼ Sec.3-118-55, 80 acres assessed at $1900, raised by the township board to $2400, and lower same to the original assessed valuation.

Beulah Reineke, Phipps Township, and absentee landlord, requests the W½SE¼ Sec 3-118-55 80 acres be reduced from $2400 to the original assessment of $1900.

There being no further business, and upon a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until July 6 at 10 A.M.

July 6, 1956

The County Board of Equalization, convened pursuant to adjournment, at 10 a.m. with all members present - Chairman Keenan presiding.

Harold O. Chester, Lake Township, requested a reduction on his real estate from $450 to $250, this being only 5 acres and all other land adjoining assessed at $50 an acre. Structure assessed at $6000 requested it be lowered to $3500.00.

Palmer Faragher, Lake Township, appeared and requested the Board to reduce his Chinchilas from $25.00 to $3.50, the same as those assessed in Watertown. His 48 chinchilas were assessed at $1200. Palmer explained at present there is no market for them.

P.M.Stee and Palmer Bergh, representing the Farmers Cooperative Elevator of Florence, S.D. requested the Board to inspect and reduce the elevator from $58,000 to a comparable figure with other elevators assessed valuations in the county.

Edgar Bunde, Germantown Township, requested the Board to reduce the S½ Sec 32-119-52 from $12,000 to $11,600. A television set - 1952 Hoffman - from $220.00 to $100.00 as those assessed of equal value in Watertown. A horse drawn manure spreader from $150.00 to $100.00.

There being no further business for this day a motion was made by Belk and seconded by Williams to adjour until Monday July 9 1956 at 10 a.m. Motion carried.

July 9, 1956.

The County Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment, with all members present. Chairman Keenan presiding.

Nick Mack, Kranzburg Township, Sec. 34-116-51, requests structures be lowered to $1400.00 from $1600. He believes these to be too high in comparison with others similar in size.

Clyde Blizzard, Lake Township, requests a structure at Lake Kampeska be reduced from $6300 to $4500.00.

Walter Stegeman, Lake Township, requests his real estate, 5 acres, be reduced from $450 to $250.00 which is a fair figure as compared with other land adjoining assessed at $50.00 an acre, and his struction from $6300 to $3500.00.

Bessie Hestad, Lot 6 in Sylvan Heights, Lake Kampeska, asked to be reduced from $800 to $400. Believes this is too high in comparison with better lots.

Joe Johnson, Fuller Township, an absentee landlord, requests that the S½ Sec.21-118-54 assessed at $8860 be lowered to $7800. This land is hilly and not all under cultivation.

Joe Johnson, Fuller Township - absentee landlord, requests the value of W½ of NE¼ and N½ of NW¼ Sec 28-118-54 be reduced from $4000 to $3500.00.

The balance of the day was spent checking listing blanks and valuations.

A motion was made by Belk and seconded by Commissioner Williams to adjourn until Tuesday July 10, 1956 at 10 a.m. Motion Carried.

July 10, 1956.

The Board of Equalization convened at 10:00 a.m. with all members present. Chairman Keenan presiding:

Harry Haan, Kranzburg, appeared and requested the NE¼ 23-117-51 be lowered from $3600 to $2760, and the NW¼ Sec.34-117-55 in Graceland Township be reduced from $5670 to $5040. This land, he believes, is assessed too high in comparison with adjoining real estate.

Residents of Waverly Township appeared in a group included Ed DeVires, Martin DeVille, Clayton E. Lindgren, Math DeVille, Joseph DeVille, Ben J.Thyen, Harry H. Miller, Delmar Lindgren, A.C.Bohls, Maynard Stormo, Paul J. Stricherz, Ervin Johnson, Frank Klein, John Comes, Henry Forman, William Comes, Jim Schultz, Ed Simon, Harry Haan, Art Hegstrom, and Joe Murray. All protested that real estate was assessed too high in Waverly township.

Jim Schultz requested a reduction from $5100 to $5000 on NE¼ Sec 8-118-51.

Joe DeVille requested a reduction from $4700 to $4600 Sec. NW¼ 8-118-51.

Joe Murray requests that the valuation of the elevator at Waverly be reduced from $10,000 to a lower figure, or that other Codington County Elevators be raised to this figure.

Harry Haan, Waverly Township, SW¼ 24-118-51 assessed at $5000.00 be reduced to $4800, and N½ SE¼ Sec 36-118-51 reduced from $7200 to $6700.00.

Dale White of Dexter Township requested the assessed valuation of $5810.00 be reduced to $4300 on Sec. 28-119-54, this being the SE¼.

At 3 p.m. the Board adjourned as an equalization Board to convene as a County Board to transact business on a motion by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

July 11, 1956.

The Board convened as an equalization Board at 10 a.m. with all members present. Chr. Keenan presiding.

H.C.Sanwick, Phipps Twp. requested that the SW¼ 16-118-55 assessed at $3500.00 be reduced to $2500.00.

Henry Rogers appeared for Delores Rogers in regard to Lot 9, Block 11, in Original Plat of Watertown, Lot 10 [illegible] claim gross inequality in assessment. Lot 8 assessed at [illegible], Lot 9

Harry Rogers appeared for Deleres Rogers in regard to Lot 9, Block 11 in Original Plat claiming gross inequality in assessment. Lot 8 assessed at $2600.00, Lot 9 a $3065.00, Lot 10 at $2450.00, all side by side, facing the same street and with the same frontage, and he asked this be reduced to the same as the adjoining property.

Charles Arnold, Kampeska Township, an absentee landlord, requests that the NW¼ Sec. 30-116-54 149.80 acres be reduced from $5280.00 to $3000.00.

There being no further business to transact the Board adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded until July 12, 1956 at 10:00 a.m.

July 12, 1956.

The County Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding:

A group of residents from Kranzburg came in and appealed as follows: Claiming gross inequality in the assessing of their properties as follows:

Jerome Turbak residence assessed at $8500.00, lowered by Township Board to $4500.00, wishes to have same lowered to $2500, making comparisons on other residences in county. Structure on Lots 19, thru 22, Block 1, Kranzburg, Village. His mink were assessed at $12.00 a round, and believes that $7.00 or $8.00 would be a fair figure.

Alfred Tubbak, structures on Lots 1 thru 7, Block 6, Kranzburg Village, assessed at $2500.00 township board reduced to $1700.00, and wishes County Board to reduce to $1200.00.

Henry Haan, Jr. structure located on Lots 1 thru 8, Kranzburg Village, assessed at $3500 township Board reduced to $2500, and requests the County Board to reduce to $1200.00.

Francis Mack, structure located on Lots 20 thru 23, Block 3, Kranzburg Village assessed at $3000.00, township Board reduced to $1800, and wishes the County Board to reduce to $1500.00.

Albert Turbak, Kranzburg Township, requests the NW¼ Sec.24-116-51 assessed at $4380.00 be reduced to $2300.00. He stated that 81 acres of the quarter is pasture and 79 acres under cultivation, He compared his real estate with like real estate in this taxing district.

Matt Kranz, Kranzburg Township, requested the real estate in the NE¼NE¼, S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ SE¼ less Lot H-1 33-117-51, 159.37 acres assessed at $4560 be reduced to $4160.00.

Guy Moes, Kranzburg Twp. requests the SE¼ Sec 26-117-51 assessed at $4080 be reduced to $3500.

Carl Haan, Kranzburg Village, structure on Lot 21-22, Block 2, assessed at $3000.00, Township Board reduced to $1200.00, requests County Board to reduce to $1100.00.

Liquor Store, located on Lots 2, Block 3, assessed at $1500, Township Board reduced to $800 requests County Board to reduce to $700.00.

The above group requested to Board to inspect and compare, and stated if they did not get appeals granted would request be certified to the State Board of Equalization.

Clark Stephens, Lake Township, structure assessed at $3375.00 reduced by Township Board to $2750.00, requests that the County Board reduce to $2500.00.

George Engler, absentee landlord of Phipps Township, requested that Lots 6,7,8 and W½NW¼ Sec. 13-118-55, 126.36 acres assessed at $1680.00 and raised by the Township Board to $2500.00, requests it be reduced to the original assessment of $1680.00.

There being no further business and on a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until Friday July 13, 1956.

July 13, 1956.

The Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with allmembers present, Chairman Keenan presiding:

Board adjourned as a Board of Equalization at 11 o'clock A.M. to act as a Board of County Commissioners on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Boadd of Equalization reconvened pursuant to adjournment at 2:00 o'clock P.M. as a Board of Equalization to consider appeals.

Eva Whittemore, Lake Township, assessed at $4500.00 wishes to be reduced to $3000.00.

D.D.Miiler appeared as an absentee landlord from Lake Township, in behalf of himself and Alan Austin's property located on Lot 6, Block 2, Lake Shore Addition to Yaheta, assessed at $3900.00, requests this be reduced to $2000.00.

Jerome Orthaus appeared from Phipps township, requesting that his cattle be lowered from $1400 to $1050, also asked a reduction on his real estate, as listed SE¼ & S½ of SW¼ Sec. 11-118-55 assessed at $7090, and asked it be reduced to $5890.00.

Delia Kranz, Kranzburg Township, requested a structure (basement house) assessed at$800.00 be reduced to compare with others of like value, and as an absentee landlord in Watertown asked Lots 1-2, BlockC Second Railway Addition structure assessed at $4960 asked it be reduced to $3230.

Irving Hinderaker, attorney, appeared in behalf of Hurkes Implement Co. assessed at $12,590, asked it be reduced to whatever consideration the Board might see fit to do after inspection, this being a structure on leased site.

There being no further business, and on a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until Saturday, July 14, 1956 at 10:00 a.m.

July 14, 1956.

The Board convened as a Board of Equalization at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chr. Keenan presiding.

The Board considered all appeals up to this time, and left to inspect Lake Township valuations and locations; to make recommendations and report later in the Equalization.

Board returned at 12:00 o'clock, and adjourned as an Equalization Board on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad to conduct County Affairs.

Convened as an equalization board at 1:00 P.M. with all members present, Chr.Keenan presiding.

Left at 1:30 o'clock to inspect agricultural land outside corporate limits.

Returned at 5 o'clock and adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded, until Monday, July 16, 1956 at 10:00 A.M.

July 16, 1956.

The County Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chr. Keenan presiding.

Alvin Valberg, Henry Village, appeared in regard to the assessment on a combine, assessed at $675 and being compared with the same make a model in the same taxing district, a motion made by Belk and seconded by Williams that he be lowered to $500. Motion carried.

Harold H. Sanwick, Eden Township, requested the value of the N½ 28-119-55 be reduced from $5750 to a comparable figure with other real estate in the area.

Charles Arnold, being an absentee landlord, requested the following reductions on these descriptions: NE¼ 36-116-55 from $5360 to $4940; S½NW¼ 36-116-55 from $2150 to $1900; N½SW¼ 36-116-55 from $5900 to $5480 and the structures from $1500 to $1200. SE¼ 27-116-55 from $5200 to a comparable figure; E½ NE¼ 34-116-55, 80 acres assessed at $2700 and a structure at $1200 to a comparable figure and NW¼ Sec 35-116-55 from $3600 on real estate and a structure $1550 to a comparable figure, this property is all located in Henry township.

The County Board of Equalization adjourned as an equalization board at 11:30 A.M. on a motion duly made and seconded.

Convened pursuant to adjournment at 2 o'clock with all members present, Chr. Keenan presiding.

The Board left to inspect city property in general, to return at 5 o'clock P.M.

At 5 o'clock the Board adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded until July 17 at 10 A.M.

July 17, 1956.

County Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment, with all members present, Chr. Keenan presiding.

Orville Kinsman, an absentee landlord, of Phipps Township, requested the NE¼ 31-118-55 be reduced from $3560 to $3060.

Mrs. R. W. Ogden requested a structure located at 1110 West Kemp, on lots 5-6, block 46 be reduced from $1120 to $800, this structure is a double garage made into a house, has only garage size windows, no basement, and does not compare with adjoining property. She is an absentee landlord.

Melvin Hanthorn, structure located at 20 7 Ave SE on Lots 1-2 Block 5 in Martin Ry.Addn. assessed at $3435 asked it be reduced to $3100. Gave several structures of comparable size and requested the Board to check.

A.F.Hilts, ~~Henry~~ Gracelan Township, requested the Board to inspect the following property and make changes in valuation to compare with surrounding real estate: N½NW¼ and SW¼NW¼ ~~of SW¼~~ 26-117-55 and ~~S½~~NE¼ & ~~NW½~~ SE¼, 240 acres, 27-117-55, respectively assessed at $3620 and $8505, claims that this real estate is assessed at more than adjoining real estate.

I. G. Grygiel, Dexter township, requests that the NW¼ of 27-119-54 assessed at $4320 be reduced to $4000 and that the Board inspect same.

Bill Maag, Dexter Township, requests that the SW¼ 23-119-54 assessed at ~~$4600~~ $4550 be reduced to $4000.00.

An absentee landlord, Melvin Jensen, Eden, S.D. Richland Township property NW¼ 20-117-54 assessed at $4270 be reduced to $3500. Only 160 acres in the farm, 93 acres of farm land, 18 acres of pasture and balance swamp land.

Robert VanDelinder, Henry Village, requests that a warehouse and tanks on leased sites be reduced from $2000 to $1500 and a warehouse on lots 17-18, block 7, assessed at $1200 be reduced to $1000.00.

Roy Moes, Kranzburg Twp., SE¼ 36-117-51 assessed at $4680 real estate, and structures at $1800 requests that they be reduced from $4680 to $4250 and from $1800 to $1500, and E½ SW¼ 36-117-51, 80 acres assessed at $1500 be reduced to $1200.00.

The County Board of Equalization adjourned at 3:30 o'clock on a motion by Belk, and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

July 18, 1956.

The County Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

The Board spent the morning checking valuations on units in the City of Watertown and comparing them to same units assessed in the townships.

At 2:00 P.M. the Board left to inspect the appeals in theCity and the rural areas.

The Committee recommended that the Auditor prepare and serve notice on Walter Popham, Lake Township, that the assessment on his structure be raised to $3500 from $1600 as lowered by the Township Board, because comparable property was assessed at a much higher figure, on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

There being no further business, and on a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until July 19, 1956 at 10:00 A.M.

July 19, 1956.

The County Board of Equalization convened pursuant to adjournment, at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

The forenoon was spent checking valuations, and making comparisons.

The Board left at 2:00 o'clock to take up the balance of the appeals in Kranzburg Twp. and to check elevators, warehouses, structures and personal property appeals.

At 7 o'clock P.M. the committees gave the following recommendations and proceededto make these changes:

The committee recommended that the Emma Weise appeals in all three locations be denied, and it was moved by Belk, seconded by Hogstad, motion carried.

The Elmer Schellhouse appeal to reduce his structure from $4180 to $3500 was approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

The committee recommended that the Melvin Hanthorn structure be reduced from $3435 to $3100 and upon a motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad the appeal was approved.

The Robert Nichols appeal was granted on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams, he having requested valuation be reduced from $10950 to the assessed valuation as placed by the assessor. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Hogstad and seconded by Belk to reduce lots 8-9-10 Block 11, Original Plat to $2000 each. Andree from $2500 to $2000, Rogers from $3065 to $2000 and Heven from $2450 to $2000 and to reduce Heven's structure from $1130 to $950. Motion carried.

The Hurkes Implement Co. appeal of $12,500 was denied, because of a court action pending. This was on a motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

George Groves, Eden Twp., Lots 3 and 4 SW¼SW¼ 35-119-55 granted request of reduction from $3000 to $2000, and the NE¼NE¼ 34-119-55 from $700 to $500, and lots 1,2,Sec.35-119-55 be left as it is. This motion by Hogstad, seconded by Skinner, and after discussion motion carried.

Vera Nicholson, absentee landlord, of Phipps Twp. was granted her appeal to be reduced from $2400 back to the assessed figure of $1900m00 and Beulah Reineke, absentee landlord Phipps Township request granted to be reduced from $2400 to $1900, the assessed figure as placed there by the assessor. This was a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams and after discussion motion carried.

The Harold O. Chester, Lake Twp. appeal on both real estate and structures was granted and real estate reduced from $450 to $250 and structure reduced from $6000 to $5000 on a motion by Hogstad, seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

The Walter Stegeman appeal on real estate from $450 to $250 was granted on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams, and after discussion Williams moved the structure be reduced from $6300 to $5500 and this motion was seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

Palmer Farragher's request to have 48 Chinchillas assessed at $25.00 each reduced to $7.00 each was granted on a motion by Skinner, seconded by Hogstad. There being no other chinchillas in the rural area to compare these to,the chinchillas in Watertown being assessed at $3.50.

Edgar Bunde, Germantown Twp. request granted to be lowered from$12,000 to $11,800 on real esta e in Sec 32-119-52 and an Ideal Manure Spreader be reduced from $150 to $125 and a 1950 Huffman TV set assessed at $220, reduced to $100. This motion was made by Hogstad, seconded by Williams, Motion carried.

Clyde R. Blizzard, Lake Twp. structure assessed at $6300 reduced valuation to $5250 on motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

The Bessie Hestad lot in Sylvan Heights, assessed at $800 request to be lowered to $400. Committee recommended appeal be denied because all adjoining lots are assessed at the same valuation. This motion was made by Hogstad, seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

Melvin Thompson, Phipps Twp., appeal rejected on the SW¼ 20-118-55 reduction from $7200 to $6700. Motion by Skinner, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

The appeal of Chas. Arnold, Kampeska Twp. was granted. Assessed at $5280, reduced to $5000 on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

John C. Aldous, Henry, Lots 5 and 6 - Business structure assessed at $2500, Twp. board reduced to $1750, and he requested it be reduced to $1250. It was moved by Williams and seconded by Skinner that this appeal be rejected. After discussion motion carried.

Ray DeVetter appeared as an absentee landlord for the G.A.Gilbert Yards in regard to the NE¼ 26-117-55 assessed at $2520, raised by Twp. board to $3150, requested it be reduced to $1500. After discussion and a comparison, the committee recommended that it be reduced to $2350. Motion was made by Hogstad, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Joe Johnson, Fuller Twp. S½ 21-118-54, assessed at $8850 be reduced to $8000. On motion by Belk, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Rose Schultz, Waverly Twp NE¼ 8-118-51 Assessed at $5000, raised to $5100, requested back to $5000 as assessed by assessor. Appeal granted on motion by Belk, seconded by Skinner.

Waverly Twp. Joe DeVille, the NW¼ Sec 8-118-51 assessed at $4600 raised to $4700, on a motion by Skinner, seconded by Hogstad, lowered to $4600. Motion carried.

The Joe Murray Elevator inspected at Waverly,S.D. No action taken.

The appeal of Dale White, Dexter Twp. on the SE¼ 28-119-54 be rejected upon the recommendation of the committee. Motion made by Skinner,seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

Herman Sanwick, Phipps Twp. SW¼ 16-118-55 assessed at $3500, committee recommended reduction to $3000. This was moved by Williams, seconded by Keenan, motion carried.

Harry Haan, Waverly Twp. SW¼ 24-118-51 appeal granted to be reduced from $5000 to $4800. This was moved by Skinner, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Ed O'Toole, Fuller Twp., appeal denied. Committee recommended he concur with the Township Board and its valuation. This was moved by Belk, seconded by Skinner. Motion carried to deny appeal.

Clark Stephens, Lot 18, Block 2, Arends Park, Lake Township, committee recommended he concur with the township board's valuation and leave his assessment at $2750. Motion was made by Skinner, seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

George Engler, Phipps Twp. Lots 6,7,and 8 and W½ ~~and~~ NW¼ Sec. 13-118-55,assessed at $1680.00 raised by Township Board to $2500. Committee recommended it be lowered to $1680.00 as brought in by the Assessor. Moved by Belk, seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

The Eva Whittemore, Lake Township, appeal, Block 1, Arands Park, appeal denied upon recommendation of the Committee. Moved by Skinner, seconded by Hogstad appeal be denied. Motion carried.

D.D.Miller, Lakeshore Addition to Yahota, Lots 6, Block 2 - structure assessed at $3900, appeal denied on a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams.Motion carried.

Jerome Orthaus, Phipps Twp., personal property appeal denied on a motion by Skinner, seconded by Hogstad. The appeal on the SE¼ ~~of~~ SW¼ Sec.11-118-55- 240 acres assessed at $7090 be reduced to $6090. This motion by Hogstad, seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

The appeal of Delia Kranz, absentee landlord, inWatertown rejected on a motion by Skinner, seconded by Belk. On the Kranzburg Township appeal of Delia Kranz, NE¼ 33-116-51 motion by Skinner seconded by Belk to reduce structure from $800 to $500. Motion carried.

The Harold Sanwick, Eden Township, rejected on motion by Belk, seconded by Williams. Motion to reject carried.

A motion was made by Hogstad, seconded by Skinner to reject all appeals of Charlie Arnold in Henry Township. After some discussion, motion carried.

Orville B. Kinsman's appeal NE¼ 31-118-55 valuation reduced from $3560 to $3060 on a motion by Williams, seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

Mrs. R.W.Ogden, absentee landlord, structure located at 1110 West Kemp, lots 5-6, of Bl.46 of Replat of West Watertown reduced from $1120 to $800 on a motion by Hogstad, seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

Graceland Twp, A.F.Hilts N½ ~~and~~ NW¼ and SW¼ ~~and~~ NW¼ ~~of NW¼ of~~ 26-117-55 - appeal granted to reduce from $3620 to $3120 on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

The appeal on Section 27 of A.F.Hilts was moved for rejection and that he concur with the Township Board's action. This motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad was carried when put to vote.

The appeals of I.G.Grygiel and Bill Maag of Dexter Twp. were rejected and committee recommended they concur with the township board. This motion made by Belk, seconded by Williams.Motion carried.

The Melvin Jensen absentee landlord - Richland Twp.- appeal denied on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

The appeal of Robert VanDerLinder on personal property on leased sites be granted from $2000 to $1500, and warehouse on Lots 17 and 18, Block 7 Henry Village be reduced from $1200 to $1000 on a motion by Skinner seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

Mabel Alworth appeal from Fuller Twp. on 2.43 acres moved it be rejected on a motion by Skinner, seconded by Hogstad, and on the SE¼ ~~and~~ NE¼ of Lot 1 and 2 and 3, in 33-118-54 be reduced from $3,000 to $2800.00. On a motion by Belk, seconded by Skinner, motion carried. The appeal from valuation of structure on same was rejected on a motion by Skinner, and seconded by Williams. Lots 1,2, and 3 less outlot ~~of~~ #1 of Govt. outlot 3 in Sec.4-117-54, Richland Twp. be rejected on a motion by Hogstad, seconded by Williams. Motion to reject carried.

Phipps Twp. Clarence Moorehouse, absentee landlord, value $4000 reduced to $3700 on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

The Harry Haan appeal from Graceland Twp. was rejected on motion by Skinner, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

E.O.Ulyot, absentee landlord, SW¼ 10-118-55 assessed at $3200 reduced to $2860 on motion by Skinner, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

There being no further business the Board Adjourned until July 20, 1956 at 10 A.M. on a motion duly made and seconded.

July 20, 1956.

The Board convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present. Chr.Keenan presiding.

The Board left to inspect property in Kranzburg Twp. The Fuller Township Board appeared to discuss valuation of Real Estate.

Appeal of the residents in Kranzburg Twp. in regard to structures and real estate were denied as follows: The Roy Moes structure and real estate, Nick Stricherz structure, Nick P. Mack structure, Harry Haan real estate, Jerome Turbak structure, and the Jerome Turbak mink assessment of $1200, because th re is no property to compare the assessed valuation with and this $12.00 each was set up by the State Board of Taxation. The Alfred Turbak structure, the Henry Haan Jr. structure, the Francis Mack structure, the Albert Turbak,Sr. structure and real estate, the Matt Kranz real estate, Guy Moes real estate, Carl Haan structure, and Carl Haan liquor store in Kranzburg village. These appeals were all denied on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Belk, and after some discussion the Committee felt because of other gross inequality in Kranzburg township it would be unfair to grant said appeals, and these appeals will all be certified to the State. The Supervisor of Assessors was instructed to request the State Board of Equalization to reassess Kranzburg real estate, and s structures, because of the variation in assessment and the gross inequality which exists in this township.

Lockers were equalized at $1.50 on all metal lockers, $1.00 on wooden lockers and small units 95¢. This motion was made by Belk and seconded by Skinner,and voted to carry.

Commissioner Belk moved that all lots in Watertown be raised 75% and his motion was lost for the want of a second.

Al Williams moved that all lots be raised 62% in Watertown, and this motion was lost for want of a second.

After a heated discussion a motion was made by Hogstad and seconded by Belk to raise lots in Watertown 75 percent, and upon roll call Dist #1 voted "Nay" Dist. 2 "Yea", Dist 3 "Yea" Dist. 4 Yea, Dist 5 Yea. Four voted "Yea" and 1 "Nay", and motion carried.

A motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad that the Supervisor of Assessors be instructed to appeal to the State Board of Equalization that all lots lowered in valuation from Third Avenue North to 14th Avenue North and from Fourth Street N.E. - Highway 81 * to the bluff or river, be raised to the valuation as placed there by Doanes Appraisal, and upon roll call all voted "yea" and none "nay". Motion carried.

Agricultural Lands outside ofCorporate limits - Kranzburg Twp. raised 35%, Henry Township lowered 2%, Waverly raised 8%, Fuller Township raised 13%, Phipps Township raised 3%, and the rest remain as brought in by the Assessors. The motion made by Belk was seconded by Skinner, voted upon favorably and motion was adopted.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Hogstad that the residence structures on agricultural lands outside of Corporate lands be left as the assessors brought them in, and upon roll call all voted "yea", none voted "nay." Motion carried.

Business structures on agricultural lands outside corporate limits Henry Twp. raised 20%, Elmira raised 50%, balance to be and remain as brought in by the assessors. Motion made by Skinner, seconded by Williams. All voted Yea on roll call, none voted Nay, and motion carried.

Agricultural lands within corporation limits be as follows: Florence Village - plus 40%, Henry Village lowered 5%, South Shore raised 10% and Watertown raised 40%. This motion made by Belk, seconded by Williams, and upon roll call all voted "yea" none voted "nay, motion carried.

Residence structures on agricultural lands within corporate limits - Florence Village lowered 20%, South Shore Village raised 20%, balance of valuations as brought in by the Assessors. Motion made by Williams, seconded by Skinner. All voted Yea, none "nay", motion carried.

Business structures on agricultural lands within corporate limits to remain as assessed by the Assessors on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

City and Town lots all to remain as assessed with the following exception, lots in Watertown as stated in previous motion which raised lots in Watertown 75%. Upon roll call vote was 5 Yeas, no Nays. Motion carried. Motion was made by Belk, and seconded by Hogstad.

City and Town Lots in Kranzburg Village - residences and structures in Kranzburg Village a motion made by Skinner, seconded by Williams that the Supervisor of Assessors appeal to the State Board of Equalization for the reason there are variations and gross inequalities and it is the County Boards request that the State Board reassess such property. Motion carried.

A motion made by Belk was seconded by Hogstad that all residence structures on city and town lots in Watertown be raised 75% and upon roll call District #1 voted "nay", District #2 "Yea", Dist. No. 3 "Yea", Dist #4 "Nay", Dist. #5"Yea". There being three Yea and two Nay votes cast, the motion carried.

Residence structures on town lots in Wallace are to be raised 30% on a motion by Williams and seconded by Belk, and upon roll call Dist. 1 "Yea", Dist 2 "Yea", Dist 3"Nay", Dist 4 "Yea", Dist 5 "Yea". Fourvoted Yea, one Nay - motion carried.

On a motion by Belk, seconded by Skinner, residence structures inLake Township on city and town lots be reduced 20%, Richland increased 30%, Waverly increased 30%, Wallace 30% increase, and the rest of the valuation to remain as brought in by the assessors. Upon roll call all voted "Yea", none voted "nay". Motion carried.

On a motion by Hogstad, seconded by Belk that business structures on city and town lots in Watertown be raised 75% and on roll call Dist 1 "Nay, Dist 2"Yea", Dist. 3"Yea", Dist 4. "Nay", Dist 5"Yea". Three yeas, two nays, motion carried.

A motion made by Williams, seconded by Skinner, that business structures in Florence be reduced 30%, Wallace raised 40% and upon roll call all voted "yea", none voted "nay". Motion carried.

On a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams that the P.S.A. be assessed at $30.00 per acre in all townships, all voted on roll call "yea", none voted "nay". Motion carried.

The valuation of the Assessors Roll as delivered to the County Auditor is complete, and it

is moved by Belk, seconded by Williams, that the following chan es be made towit: Motion carried.

REAL ESTATE

A - AGRICULTURAL LAND OUTSIDE OF CORPORATE LIMITS:

Kranzburg	Raised 35%	
Henry Twp		Lowered 2%
Waverly	Raised 8%	
Fuller	Raised	13%
Phipps	Raised 3%	

A #1 RESIDENCE STRUCTURES ON AGRICULTURAL LANDS OUTSIDE CORP. LIMITS

As reported by Assessors.

A #2 BUSINESS STRUCTURES ON AGRICULTURAL LAND OUTSIDE CORPORATE LIMITS

Henry Township	Raised 20%
Elmira Township	Raised 50%

B AGRICULTURAL LANDS WITHIN CORPORATE LIMITS

Florence Village	Raised 30%	
Henry Village		Lowered 5%
South Shore Village	Raised 10%	
Watertown	Raised 40%	

B #1 RESIDENCE STRUCTURES ON AGRICULTURAL LANDS WITHIN CORPORATE LIMITS

Florence Village		Lowered 20%
South Shore Village	Raised 20%	

B #2 BUSINESS STRUCTURES ON AGRICULTURAL LANDS WITHIN CORPORATE LIMITS

As reported by Assessors.

D CITY OF WATERTOWN OR TOWN LOTS

Watertown	Raised 75%

D#1 RESIDENCE STRUCTURES ON CITY OR TOWN LOTS

Lake Township		Lowered 20%
Richland Township	Raised 30%	
Waverly Township	Raised 30%	
Wallace Village	Raised 30%	
Watertown	Raised 75%	

D #2 BUSINESS STRUCTURES ON CITY OR TOWN LOTS

Florence Village		Lowered 30%
Wallace Village	Raised 40%	
Watertown	Raised 75%	

A STATE PUBLIC SHOOTING AREAS (ACREAGE)

	Pelican	Raised 11%
	Lake	Raised 65%
	Richland	Raised 4%
Gracela	Graceland	Raised 9%
	Fuller	Raised 136%

A STATE PUBLIC SHOOTING AREAS (LOTS)

As reported by Assessor.

PERSONAL PROPERTY

Item #1 HORSES & MULES

Lake Twp		Lowered 10%
Waverly Twp	Raised 55%	
Rauville	Raised 50%	
City of Watertown	Raised 100%	

Item #2 COWS ALL AGES

Same as assessor listed.

Item #3 CATTEE 6 MONTHS TO 1½ YEARS AND OVER

Rauville	Raised 50%
Florence Village	Raised 40%
South Shore Village	Raised 95%
City of Watertown	Raised 150%

Item #4 CATTLE 6 MONTHS TO 1½ YEARS OLD IN FEED LOTS

Kampeska		Lowered 15%
Rauville	Raised 50%	
Leola	Raised 40%	
Florence Village	Raised 60%	
Watertown	Raised 60%	

Item #5 CATTLE 1½ YEARS AND OVER		
Rauville	Raised	50%
Watertown	Raised	150%
Item #6 CATTLE 1½ YEARS AND OVER IN FEED LOTS		
Rauville	Raised	100%
Dexter	Raised	90%
Item #7 DAIRY COWS BY GRADE AND CLASSIFICATION		
Watertown	Raised	71%
Item #8 BULLS		
Same as listed by Assessors.		
Item #9 SHEEP		
Sheridan	Raised	30%
Pelican	Raised	30%
Watertown	Raised	70%
Item #10 HOGS		
Watertown	Lowered	30%
Item #11 POULTRY		
Watertown	Raised	120%
Item #12 TRACTORS		
Watertown	Raised	100%
Item #13 MACHINERY, HARVESTING & PROCESSING		
Watertown	Raised	100%
Item #14 MACHINERY, AGRI.IMP & TOOLS		
Watertown	Raised	100%
Item #15 MOTOR VEHICLES, AIRCRAFT NOT LICENSED MAY 1st.		
Same as assessors listed.		
Item #16 HOUSE TRAILERS		
Watertown	Raised	80%
Item #17 HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE & FURNISHINGS		
Kranzburg	Raised	142%
Sheridan	Lowered	34%
Kampeska	Raised	34%
Henry Twp	Raised	31%
Elmira Twp	Raised	71%
Lake Twp	Raised	35%
Richland Twp	Raised	105%
Graceland Twp	Raised	20%
Waverly Twp	Raised	25%
Rauville Twp	Raised	149%
Fuller	Lowered	19%
Phipps	Raised	25%
Leola	Raised	8%
Germantown	Raised	12%
Dexter	Raised	40%
Eden	Raised	34%
Florence Vil.	Raised	43%
Henry Vil.	Raised	36%
South Shore Vil	Raised	22%
Wallace Vil.	Raised	95%
Watertown	Raised	35%
Item #18 HOME ELEC. & MECH. APPLIANCES		
Sheridan	Lowered	20%
Pelican	Lowered	15%
Germantown	Lowered	5%
Dexter	Lowered	10%
Wallave Vil.	Raised	20%
Watertown	Raised	60%
Item #19 PROFESSIONAL TOOLS & EQUIP.		
Watertown	Raised	100%
Item #20 SERVICE & REPAIR TOOLS AND EQUIP.		
Watertown	Raised	100%
Item #21 BUSINESS-RETAIL FIXTURES & EQUIP.		
Watertown	Raised	100%
Item #22 WHOLESALE, INDUSTRIAL, FIXTURES, MACHINERY & EQUIP.		
Watertown	Raised	100%
Item #23 HOTELS, THEATRES, RECREATION, ETC.		
Watertown	Raised	100%
Item #24 ELEVATORS, OIL TANKS & BLDGS ON LEASED SITES		
Rauville	Raised	40%
Wallace Vil.	Raised	30%
Watertown	Raised	100%
Item #25 MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS NOT COVERED IN LISTED ITEMS		
Watertown	Raised	100%

Item #26 GOODS & MERCHANDISE
Watertown — Raised 100%

Item #27 GREAT LAKES PIPELINE COMPANY
As listed by Assessor

At 11:59 P.M. July 20, 1956, the evaluation of the Assessors Rolls were delivered in all categories to the County Auditor who was instructed to prepare abstracts and mail to the State Board of Equalization to be in that office July 23, 1956, and upon a motion by Commissioner Skinner, seconded by Commissioner Hogstad, the Board of Equalization adjourned for the year 1956. The motion carried.

Inna Belch
CO.AUDITOR

OFFICIAL & REGULAR BOARD MEETING

July 3, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chr. Keenan presiding.

On a motion by Skinner, seconded by Belk verified claims were checked and approved as follows: GENERAL Court Expense Cecilia M.Beirne $107.80, Bernice Dokken $10.20, Hazel Hegarty $121.45, Ruhe Stationery $2.50, Emmett Johnson $3.50; C.H.Main.-Mid-Continental Waterproofing Co. $5886.00.

Ed Housen appeared before the Board to discuss Civil Defense for the year of 1957, and to explain the National blackout to be scheduled on July 20, 1956.

Jerome and Julia Pionk appeared and requested an abatement of interest in the amount of $46.10. The abatement was approved on a motion by Hogstad, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Bounty claims checked and approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner: $4.00 each for 1 adult badger for following - Carol Popham, John D. Johnson, Darrell Harkin, Kenneth Elmore, Glen Buchholz, Robert Raml,Wm. Broderman, Jim Harkin, James Ostrander, Donald Pieschke, Edwin C. Matthes, Tom Monahan, Orrin Korth, Jerome Harriott, Mrs.Lynell Popham, Glen Buchholz, Bill Meyer, Orlando Thompson, Harold Anderson, Richard E. Thomas, Mrs. Earl Roe, Fred Matthes, Kenneth Stormo, Vincent Blais, Erwin Hay, John Johnson, Frances Wall, Terry Kaaz, Douglas Fisher, Eugene Moyer, Mrs. Earl Ree, Richard Hallauer; 1 badger pup at $2.00 each to - Darrell Bunde, Mrs. Lawrence Simonton, Ralph Drake, Harold Anderson, Mrs. Harley McFerran, Lynn Johnson, Michael Schmit; $8.00 for 2 adult badgers to - Alois Fox, Robert Huppler, L. T. Brekke, Grover Peterson, Donald Elmore, Ed Fleming; 1 adult badger, 2 badger pups $8.00 to Donald Pieschke; 2 badger adult, one badger pup $10.00 to Ralph Syverson, 2 badger adults, 2 badger pups $12.00 to Mrs. Ray Sturm, 2 badger pups $4.00 to L. T. Brekke.

Bert Tollefson and Dale Bradshaw appeared before the Board to request a release of County Liens for Irene and Maud Stockman. These liens were really Loretta Stockmans and not Irene or Maud. This is involved in an estate. Insofar as it pertains to this property - Lots 23-24, Block 1 and Lots 73-74, Block 2 and Boathouse Lots 45-46-47-48 of Queila Beach the liens are released. Evidence was produced, and a motion made by Belk and seconded by Skinner. With discussion and consideration the motion was allowed when upon roll call all voted "yea" and none voted "nay". Motion carried.

The Board adjourned on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams, to reconvene as a Board of Equalization.

Inna Belch
County Auditor

July 10, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened at 3:00 P.M. pursuant to adjournment to take up County business, with all members present. Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved with the exception of Svendsen's Rest Home which was held up for explanation and clarification. Moved by Hogstad and seconded by Williams:GENERAL Poo Burgdorf Nursing Home $320.00 - Jerry O&Brien $85.00, Alpha Mudge $45.00, Nels T. Nelson $55.00, John H. Blum $45.00, Henry Spilde $40.00, Florence Williams $5.00, Susan Mack $45.00; Poor - Walter Gusso $25.00 for Bert Crandall; Bertha Johnson $35.00 for Ed McPeek; Esther Kinsey $25.00 for Rosa Shape; Nora Kinstad $186.00 for Ole Hanson $36.00, Carl Berge $30.00, James Chambers $35.00, Rupert Gatchell $35.00, Earl Crocker $15.00, John Farley $35.00; Elizabeth Marsh $25.00 for Matt Kemp; Mrs. Lyle Mogler $35.00 for Norma Remedies; Irene Stockman $60.00 for Loretta Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $70.00 for August Warnke $30.00, Lewis Brinker $40.00; Gertrude V. Thomas $5.00 for Louis F. Rhode; Watertown Rest Home $75.00 for L. Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00; Postmaster $8.41; Duffner Drug Co. $120.32 for Inga Yarns $7.96, Mrs. C.W.Montney $17.28, Aug. Warnke $14.67, Carl Berge $10.94, Ola Hanson $19.93, Mrs. Wangen $4.95, Rupert Gatchall $4.32, Mathilda Blek $7.28, Frank Metzinger $32.99. Bartron Clinic $694.73 for James Augus $1.90, Henry Anderson $24.00, Clarence I. Morrison $4.00, Jerry O'Brian $5.00, Lena Trumer $4.00, Charles Alt $9.50, Ludwig Johnson $35.20, John Farley $12.50, Henrietta Fritz $14.50, Robert C. Main $62.00, Wm. Schreurs $75.00, James Kinon $2.00, Mrs. Wood Carter & Joyce $104.00, Hilda Schmeling $10.00, Anna Parsley $6.78, Mrs. Wm. Czech $11.25, Dan Mertz $13.00, Mrs. Matt Lenards $75.00, Mrs. Seymore Peterson $7.00, Florence Williams $42.00, Hannah Smith $11.00, Mrs. Jud Turner $24.20, Mr. & Mrs. M.H.Parliament $12.75, Walter Richard $3.75, Mrs. Steve Wisneski $8.85, Rollin Vance $24.00, Rosa Shape $5.65, Fred Thornton $12.00, Louise Mourere $9.80, Fern Washtoak $8.00, Mary E. Mills $6.00, Nels Nielson $37.50, Mathilda Blek $2.60, Henry Spilde $3.00, Anna Christianson $4.00, Hilda Ebens $3.00; Brown Clinic $271.00 for Ella Alexander $57.00, Mrs. J. B. McLaughlin $16.50, Chas. Bierschied $10.50, Hilda Haack $26.00, George Wagner $155.00, Albert Erickson $4.00, Miss Mae Mitchell $2.00; Crippled Children's Hospital & School $49.00 for Lyle Gerjets; Haggar Drug Store $77.45 for Seymore Peterson $7.83, Martin Bale $1.35, Mrs. John E. Taylor $6.21, Hilda Haack $12.60, Edwin Bates $1.13, Mrs. Frank Klucas $6.75, Nels T. Nelson $3.60, Ellen Anderson $18.00, Alice Jungen $5.04, Ferne Washtoak $8.91, Mae Mitchell $4.23, Blanche Berry $1.80.

Kreisers Drug Store $177.89 for Hilda Ebens $51.66, Nellie Jensen $4.41, Anna Christianson $13.77, John Fjerstad $4.32, Chas. Alt $16.29, Lena Radtke,$7.24, Louise Tiejen $11.88, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $21.45, James Chambers $30.51, Frances Schmeling $1.33, Earl Crocker $15.05; Madison Clinic $3.00 for Louis Rohde, Madison Drug & Jewelry Co. $9.00 for Louis Rohde; Medical Arts Clinis $65.00 for Emil Herter; Memorial Hospital $1688.91 for John Mark Kleinsasser $105.00, Alfred Vick $18.74, Rollin Vance $110.95, Fred Thornton $38.44, Rosa Shape $29.34, Wm. Schreurs $185.94, Nettie Peterson $42.90, Robt.Main $256.29, Morris Ghristnacht $198.16, Wood Carter & Joyce $196.25, Homer Black $219.55, Lizzie Alt $158.25, El Ella Alexander $129.10; Michaels Clothes $18.40 for James Chambers; J. C. Penney Co. $5.70 for Norma Remedies; Red Owl Store $9.72 for Ethel Wickhurst; Rogers Dairy $12.00 for Phoebe Mowery; Mary A. Schmidt,M.D. $5.00 for Sharon Gerjets; South Dakota Children's Aid $40.00 for Soren Nelson; Shaw-Messer Amb. Service $18.00 for Chris Engels $12.00, Florence Williams $6.00; G. P. Skaggs Store $45.05 for Chris Jensen $8.48, Will NOrman $2.80, Myron Corwin $11.36, John Fjerstad $7.84, Harold Tibbits $5.22, Melvin Lake $9.35: St. Ann Hospital $1543.41 for Hannah Smith $56.45, Matt Lenards $201.30, Chas. Wattawa $510.21, Geo.Wagner $537.80, John & Dorothy Till $237.65. Standard Oil Co. $25.56 for Elsie Ravelette $14.20, Chris Jensen $4.26, Phoebe Mowery $7.10; St. Williams Home $35.75 for Mary Myers; Thomes Drug Store $131.81 for Albert Erickson $3.24, John Farley $12.42, Harry Freeseman $2.61, Ludwig Grewing $26.10, Jerry O'Brien $15.57, Anna Parsley $2.66, Eva Schultz $1.49, H.H.Parliament $2.02, Alfred Vick $29.43, Rollin A. Vance $16.20, Lena Trumer $1.98, Richard DePeel $2.16, Ella Alexander $12.65, Chas. Bierscheid $3.38; Dr. M. C. Thompson $70.50 for Clarence I. Morrison $23.50, Emma Lehman Dralle $3.00, Mildred Taylor $8.00, Robt.Main $2.00, Ludwig Johnson $29.00, August Warnke $5.00; Svendsen Nursing Home $190.00 for Hilda Ebens $95.00, Mary Kirkeby $35.00, Sarah Black $30.00, Rosa Dixon $30.00. Printing & Advertising - Postmaster $10.23, South Shore Gazette $50.46, Watertown Public Opinion $119.69; County Auditor Office Expense - Postmaster $67.39, Ruhe Stat. $1.83,Mid-west Beach Co. $153.87, Mitchell Pub. Co. $148.38, Monroe Calculating Mach.Co.$23.00; Treasurer Office Exp. Postmaster $179.25, Watertown Pub. Opinion $73.75; Midwest Beach Co. $151.90, Mitchell Pub. Co. $119.50; Tax Collector $20.37 Postmaster, Delinquent Tax Expense - James Nelson $84.78, Hazel Schliesmann $100.00; Register of Deeds Office Exp. Postmaster $46.73, Ruhe Stationery $3.62,Duffner Drug Co. $2.83, Remington Rand $15.90; Clerk of Courts Office Exp. Postmaster $35.48, LaFrance Office Equip.Co. $14.00; Sheriff Office Exp. Postmaster $10.25, Midwest Beach Co. $5.77, Duffner Drug Co. $2.25, Gowin's Photo Shop $1.45; Social Security $24.46 Postmaster, Ruhe Stationery $1.50; Veterans Service Office Exp. Postmaster $3.96; Supt of Schools Office Exp. Postmaster $49.57, R.E.Huffman Co. $37.16, Mrs.Hazel Murphy $22.20; County Extension Office Exp. Postmaster $14.40, Park Grant Co.$4.48, Clara W. Johnson $22.23, Fred Morris $29.20; County Judge Office Exp. Postmaster $1.14; Circuit Court Office Exp. - Postmaster $.24; Suprvisor Assessors Office Exp. Postmaster $7.72, Watertown Public Opinion $15.50, Duffner Drug Co. $.86, Glenn M. Mitchell $30.80; Election Expense Postmaster $12.51; Commissioners Per Diem & Mileage Al Williams $80.50, Adolph Hogstad $62.74, Herb Skinner $82.68, Vernon H. Belk $84.00, James L. Keenan $84.70; Conv. & Res. Dale E.Bradshaw $20.00, Bill Meyer $44.00; States Attorney Office Exp. Dale E.Bradshaw $12.19, Ruhe Stationery $3.78; States Atty Mileage -DaleE.Bradshaw $76.14; Supt. Schools Mileage Mrs.Hazel Murphy $20.72; County Farm - Duffner Drug Co. $36.63, City Treas. $29.90, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $6.80; Park Grant Co. $40.70, Marshall WellstStore $3.20, Botsford Lumber Co. $3.00, Fleet Wholesaler Supply $6.93, Lien's Grocery $39.40, Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $5.80, Socony Vacuum Oil Co. $11.15, Spies Super Valu $13.31,Sunshine State Hatchery $17.90, Watertown Implement Co. $17.09; Sheriff Mileage $396.65, Board of Prisoners $150.80, Sheriff Fees $185.00, Tax Deed $14.25; Court House Maintenance-Certified Electric Corp. $11.55, City Treas. $279.74, Thos. Dulmage $30.38, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $.90, Egge Electric Co. $12.95, Imperial Chemical Co. $83.70, Mileage Market $1.06, Motor Supply Co. $3.70, Nelson Hardware $12.55, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $270.01, Otis Elevator Co. $56.75, The Para-wax Co. $29.75, Park Grant Co. $6.66, Redlinger Bros. $5.77, Ruth Shenk $36.40, Herb Skinner Jr. $33.00, Wilson Transfer & Storage Co. $3.00, Western Transportation Co. $1.75; Memorial Park - Egge Electric Co. $9.25, Mileage Market $5.72, Nelson Hardware $3.67, Halverson Repair Shop $2.00, Marquardt's Service $4.23, Marshall Wells Store $9.69, Miller Bros.Lumber Co. $11.23, Montgomery Ward & Co. $5.00, Northwestern Public Service Co. $38.40, Ed Shelsta $40.00, Watertown Machine Works $1.75; Court Expense - Calvin Wheelock $6.40, Insurance & Bonds - Murphy Hoffman Agency $171.98; Board of Insanity $30.00 Donald N. Fedt,M.D., Board of Health - H. Russell Brown, M.D. $39.66, M. C. Rousseau, M.D. $22.60; Civil Defense - E.Howe son $12.00; County Board of Education $5.02 Mabel P. Hanson; Burial of Indigent Persons Shaw-Messer Funeral Service $150.00; ROAD Postmaster $7.89, City Treasurer $6.50, Northwestern Public Service Co. $3.00; INSANE - Lloyd Shenk $114.00; C.M.V. Mileage Market $291.54, Motor Supply Co. $27.34, Marquardt's Service $8.15, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $29.91, Watertown Machine Works $.97, Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. $2032.05, Watertown Implement Co. $73.82, Algard Machine Shop $9.00,Cave Supply Co. $98.42, J.D.Evans Equipment Co. $6.36, Bichler Motor Co. $3.95, Florence Service $28.80, Foster-Bell Co. $18.82, The Frontier Refining Co. $18.91, Art J. Griepp $54.00, Kenneth Hayes Elec.Co.$7.50, International Harvester Co. $367.88, H.V. Johnston Culvert Co. $141.75, Keuffel & Esser Co.$27.49, Mahowald Co. $8.03, Pecaut Equip.Co. $49.85, C.S.Rasmusson $29.61,Schweigers, Inc. $2.85, Sheehan-Bartling Inc. $834.00, Watertown Tire Co. $5.50, TEXTBOOK - Wilson Storage & Transfer Co. $4.10, Allyn & Bacon Inc. $27.84, American Book Co. $33.47, C & NW Ry Co. $7.47, Educator Supply Co. $375.00, Ginn & Co.$92.64, E.M.Hale & Co. $19.50, Houghton Mifflin Co. $109.70, Laidlaw Brothers $148.30, J.B.Lippincott Co. $301.76, McCormick-Mathers Publishing Co $455.51, Row, Peterson & Co. $20.44, Scott Foresman & Co. $3.45, The Stratmore Co. $20.25; C.H.. & B.R. $28.31 Selmer M. Markrud, Adolph Hogstad $18.60, Elmer Sunne $18.60, SPECIAL BRIDGE-S.Dak.Concrete Products Co. $1095.32; WEED BOARD Matt Brandriet $123.47, Paul David $11.64, Joseph J. Fox $11.36, Adolph Hogstad $7.78, Robt. Redlin $6.52; TUITION Hazel Consolidated School $346.00, Redfield Independent School District $348.00, South Shore Independent SchoolDistrict $5850.00; CO.SP.HI. LAKE Thompson Yards $8.30, Fuller $25.50, Eden $15.25; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE - Sioux Road Equip Co. $1636.75.

The register of Deeds fees in the amount of $525.15 and the Clerk of Court fees in the amount of $349.10 for the month of June was approved on a motion by Commissioner Williams and seconded by Commissioner Hogstad.

A letter was read from theSouth Shore Independent SchoolDistrict thanking the Board for the use of the equipment for the excavation of the new addition to the school. TheAuditor was instructed to file the letter.

The bills from Yankton for $1850.34, Sanator for $65.78 and Redfield $721.67 for the month of June were approved on a motion by Commissioner Belk, and seconded by Commissioner Williams.

Commissioners adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded until Tuesday, July 13, 1956 at 10 A.M.

Irma Welch

July 13, 1956

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present. Chairman Keenan presiding.

At 11 A.M. the time and place set for the transfer of the beer license from Lenore Balthazor and Adolph Kindt to Lenore Balthazor, located at the 212 Club, Kranz-DeVille outlot A,Sec. 5-116-52, Sheridan Township, on highway 212 east, a motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Belk to approve the transfer. Motion carried. No one appeared to contest the transfer.

The County Commissioners adjourned as a County Board to convene as a Board of Equalization, on a motion by Belk, seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

Irma Welch

July 14, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 noon with all members present, chairman Keenan presiding.

A motion was made by Commissioner Skinner and seconded by Commissioner Belk to reinvest the Bonds that because due July 15, 1956. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION #283

WHEREAS: Acting under the Laws of the State of South Dakota, and the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, have deemed it advisable to and for the best interests of the residents of said County to reinvest the Government Bonds now held by the County of Codington into similar series Government Bonds.

#4153	$1,000.00
1140 of 3-4-5-	30,000.00
#3606	100,000.00

WHEREAS the sum of $131,000.00 now invested in Government Treasury Notes due July 15, 1956 be reinvested in U.S.Treasury Notes at 2 3/4% due July 15, 1957.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the County Treasurer be,and he hereby is, instructed to reinvest such Government Bonds in the amount of $131,000.00, which is a part of the monies invested by the Treasurer of Codington County, in Watertown, South Dakota.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved by Commissioner Skinner for adoption, and seconded by Commissioner Belk, and upon roll call all voted "yea",none voted "nay" whereupon the Chairman declared the Resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 13th day of July 1956 at Watertown, S.D.

Herb Skinner Dist.1
Vernon H Belk Dist.2
Adolph Hogstad Dist.3
Dist.4
James L Keenan Chairman Dist.5

Attest: Irma Welch
County Auditor.

The Board of County Commissioners adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded until Tues. July 16, 1956 at 11:30 A.M.

Irma Welch

July 16, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 11:30 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

A.O.Schmidt, attorney from Milbank, representing Krokow family of Bellingham, Minn. The County claims that they owe $812.41 in taxes, interest, etc. Mr. Schmidt said this is a part of a double assessment. Ross Oviatt, Deputy States Attorney, recommends the abatement of the double assessment, and Mr. Schmidt agreed to send a check as soon as abatements could be compiled. Action is delayed until check is forwarded.

Commission adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded until July 17, 1956.

Irma Welch

July 17, 1956

County Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 3:30 P.M. with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

The dance hall license for Park Enterprises Inc. for the year 1956 at Lake Park Ballroom was approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Belk.

Matt Brandriet, Weed Supervisor, reported for the month of June. His report was noted.

Treasurer's report to the Auditor for the month of June - cash in banks $404,216.12, cash on hand $3314.53, Government Bonds $181,702.06, jail building bonds,$12,642.48. Report was approved on a motion by Belk, seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

The Board adjourned until July 24, 1956 on a motion duly made and seconded.

Irma Welch

July 24, 1956.

County Board of Commissioners convened, pursuant to adjournment, with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad. GENERAL-Court Expense, City of Watertown $41.00, Curtis LaFramboise $16.40, John Mors $18.92, Clinton Voight $15.14, Eugene Bohls $15.14, Bert Kerner $4.15, Ray Makepeace $15.00, Roy Helgeson $15.14, Andy Link $4.15, Melvin Thompson $12.50, Carroll E. Brandriet $4.15, Hazel Zeller $15.14; Bailiff $17.00 Carl J. Deal; C.H.&.B.R. Albert L.Markrud $9.98; TRUST FUNDS Lucy R. Grant $15.00; Commissioners Per Diem, and Mileage: James L.Keenan $78.40, Vernon H. Belk $79.10, Al. M. Williams $70.00, Adolph Hogstad $73.78, Herb Skinner $98.00.

Moved by Commissioner Skinner, and seconded by Hogstad that the appointment of a County Nurse for the year of 1956 be rejected, thus removing from the budget the amount suggested.

Balance of the day was spent in preparing the 1957 budget.

Adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded until July 31, 1956.

Irma Welch

July 31, 1956.

The County Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner:- GENERAL - Court Expense, Martha Sharp $5.14, Mrs. John Tesch $16.96, Ed Hinsch $15.14, Cecilia M. Bierne $118.56, Mabel C. Alworth $118.56, Joe Gerlach $25.00; SALARY Auditor Irma Welch $325.00, Alice V. Olson $210.00, Edna H. Derenthal $190.00, Fay N.Wohlheter $180.00, Hilary M. Jensen $150.00; Treasurer-Paul Krakowski $325.00, Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, C. Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Lill Schoenberger $97.50, Viola Maxine Koenders $65.70; Register of Deeds Margaret Brown $296.68, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson $165.00; Superintendent of Schools $325.00 Hazel G. Murphy, Ruth M. Johnson $200.00; States Attorney Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75, Ross H. Oviatt $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge $400.00,Herbert Norbeck; Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; C. H. Main. Carl Deal $220.00; Jailer $250.00 William J. Meyer; Veterans Service George Burke $200.00; County Extension -Audrey Kleveter $170.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $115.00, Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Sheriff Fee & Mileage - Bert Smith $85.00; Supervisor of Assessors Glen Mitchell $300.00; Memorial Park - Arnold Hofteizer $100.00, Bessie Hofteizer $100.00; Reg. of Deeds Office Exp. Hazel O.Duncan $151.20; Auditor Office Expense-Marlys J.Haney $133.20; WEED BOARD Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V. - C.S.Rasmusson $575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00, Sever Tobiason $205.00, John Rennie $287.50, Joe Stricherz $323.15, Claude Van Sickle $282.90, Clarence Sumner $136.85, Frank Filipek $29.90, Braniff Airways $15.24, Harold Scriver $280.60, Howard Williams $54.00, Burton Jackson $27.00, Carl Zweig, Jr.$39.15, Ed Gould $56.25,Alfred Spring $281.25, Clarence Helle $23.00, Fred C.Brownell $68.25, Julius Lentz $155.00, Chas. Krogman $45.00, Andrew T. Larson $161.00, Curtis O. Underwood $202.00, Thomas Spiering $135.00, John Strait $137.00, Leo Clausen $129.00, Leonard M. Peterson $89.70, Gerald D. Peterson $69.00, Franz Ferber $180.00, Emery Elmore $131.25, Wm. E. Hjellming $172.50, Elmer Dahl $202.50, Joe Schmeling $80.00; CO.SP.HI. Fuller -Clarence Sumner $138.00, Frank Filipek $39.10, James Hendren $304.50,Howard Williams $263.25, Burton Jackson $274.05, Carl Zweig,Jr. $275.40, Ed Gould $91.25, Clarence Helle $230.00, Fred C. Brownell $75.60, Julius Lentz $62.00, Chas, Krogman $84.00, Harold Nafus $23.00; EDEN Clarence Sumner $12.65, James Hendren $63.00, Howard Williams $20.25, Burton Jackson $27.00, Carl Zweig, Jr. $22.95, Ed Gould $41.25Clarence Helle $34.50,Fred C. Brownell $18.90, Julius Lentz $5.00, Chas. Krogman $34.00, Harold Nafus $23.00; [illegible]LEOLA-Ed Gould $26.25, Fred C. Brownell $8.40, Chas. Krogman $22.00, Harold Nafus $20.00; SP.BR. Ed Gould $97.50, Alfred Spring $10.00F Fred C. Brownell $91.35, Julius Lentz $28.00, Chas. Krogman $65.00, Andrew T. Larson $13.00, Thomas Spiering $3.00, John Strait $10.00, Leo Clausen $18.00, Harold Nafus $43.00, Dale A. Griffin $30.00; CO.SP.HI.DEXTER $21.25, Alfred Spring; Andrew T. Larson $18.00, Curtis O. Underwood $20.00, Thomas Spiering $20.00, John Strait $20.00, Leo Clausen $20.00; CO.SP.HI.LAKE-Andrew T. Larson $58.00, Curtis O. Underwood $28.00, Thomas Spiering $87.00,John Strait $84.00, Leo Clausen $78.00; CO.SP.HI. PELICAN-Thomas Spiering $5.00, Leo Clausen $5.00: GENERAL-Poor Farm $2.30 Leonard M. Peterson; C.H.Main. $36.00, John A. Dokken $32.00; GENERAL - Commisioners Per Diem, Mileage & Salary. James L. Keenan $90.75, Herb Skinner $25.00, Vernon H. Belk $74.80, Adolph Hogstad $75.36, Al M. Williams $86.00.

Johnson Service of Sioux Falls presented a contract to be signed for servicing the thermostats and other equipment in the Court House. A motion was made by Skinner, seconded by Hogstad to reject said contract, and return to Johnson Service Co. Motion carried.

Kenneth Andree, abatement on school poll allowed, [illegible] approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

Rena Sours, abatement of school poll allowed, assessment sheet not signed, had moved away approved on a motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad.

The request of the County Superintendent of Schools to attend a district meeting in Webster was allowed on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Williams.

The abatement on Robert Carter for $1.90 was allowed on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner, an error was made in listing this property to him, it should be in the name of Robert Campbell. Correction was made and the receipt mailed to Campbell.

Dance Hall license for the C.O.F. Hall at Kranzburg for the balance of the year on application of Francis Mack, was approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad.

Board recessed to make an inspection in regard to a petition to vacate a street in the NW addition to Watertown.

Board returned and spent the balance of the day working on the County Budget for 1957.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until August 7, 1956 at 10:00 A.M.

Inma Welch Co Auditor

August 7, 1956

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment, with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Hogstad as follows: TRUST FUND:Lucy R. Grant $15.00: BENERAL: Auditor Office Expense-Postmaster $5.00: Court Expense Frank Sherer,Sr. $4.15, Ray Clark $4.15,Gordon Schaefer $4.15.

Palmer Farragher came before the Board in regard to a partial release on Lot 5, Block 14, Davis Addition insofar as it pertains to this property only. Liens were listed against this property when the person actually never had a deed to the property - merely a contract had paid only three payments then moved from the state. Upon the advise of the Deputy States Attorney, Ross Oviatt, the release was granted on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

Margaret Brown, Register of Deeds, report in the amount of $527.25 and the Clerk of Courts, Walter Farl, in the amount of $336.20 were approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Hogstad.

The Treasurer's report for the month of July to the Auditor, amount in banks $412,254.54, cash $4937.49, Govermment Bonds $181,702.06, Jail Building Bonds $12,642.48 was approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

George Burke, Veterans Service Officers report for July was noted by the Board.

Hazel Schliesman, deputy county treasurer, came before the Board in regard to a transfer. In December 9, 1952, a payment in full for a sales contract on Sec. 17,118,55 was made and a rent and sales receipt given. This receipt should have been on a miscellaneous receipt and credited to county general. The transfer of the funds to General was approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

The Bills of Yankton $1888.83, Sanator $88.66, and Redfield $752.41 for the Month of July was approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Belk.

Motion to abate tax upon a double assessment to Otto and Edwin Krakow for the years 1952 on 18 head of cattle taxed $30.12, and 15 head of cattle for the year 1953 tax $32.91 was approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad. Abatement is in Leola Township.

Upon the recommendation of Jim Nelson, the tax collector, the interest be abated on the 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955 taxes in Leola Township for Otto and Edwin Krakow. These taxes would have been paid if the above agreement on the double assessment could have been settled before.

The Provisional Budget was adopted, and the hearing set for September 4, 1956 at 10:00 A.M. on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner.

The Board adjourned upon a motion duly made and seconded, until August 14, at 10:00 A.M.

Inma Welch
County Auditor.

August 14, 1956.

August 14, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment, with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Belk as follows: GENERAL Poor - Annette Burgdorf $337.90-Henry Spilde $49.87, Jerry O'Brien $93.03, Nels T.Nelson $55.00, John Blum $45.00, Alpha Mudge $45.00, Florence Williams $5.00, Susan Mack $45.00; Walter Gusso $25.00 for Bert Crandall; Bertha Johnson $35.00 for Edward McPeek; Mrs. Esther Kinsey $25.00 for Rosa Shape; Elizabeth Marsh $25.00 for Matt Kemp; Mrs. Lyle Mogler $17.50 for Norma Remedies; Irene Stockman $60.00 for Loretta Stockman; Mrs.Abner Sturdevant $38.50- August Warnke $30.00, Lewis C. Brinker $8.50; Svendsen Nursing Home $190.00-Hilda Evens $95.00, Mary Kirkeby $35.00, Sarah Ann Black $30.00, Rosa Dixon $30.00; Watertown Rest Home $75.00-L. Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00; Kinstad Rest Home $265.00-Ola Hanson $36.00, Carl Berge $30.00, James Chambers $35.00, Rupert Gatchell $35.00, Earl Crocker $9.00, John Farley $35.00, Robert Main $85.00; Thomes Drug Store $140.48 Eva Schultz $9.90, Chas. Bierscheid $4.05, Ella Alexander $18.09, Hilda Haack $.90, Rosa Shape $3.37, Alfred Vick $31.68, Richard DePeel $2.16, Ludwig Grewing $36.05, Harry Freesemann $1.80, Jerry O'Brien $20.69, John Farley $11.79; Donald M. Fedt $86.00- Frank Klucas $5.00, Homer Black $48.00, James Chambers $6.00, Carl Berge $2.00, Earl Crocker $3.00, Rupert Gatchell $6.00, Hagen Herding $16.00; Bartron Hospital-Clinic $514.79-Lizzie Alt $39.50, Mrs. Wm. Czech $9.25, Anna Christianson $19.00, Morris Christ-nacht $94.00, Harry Freesemann $16.75, Larry Henricks $45.00, Mrs. Edith Mills $11.00, L. Mourere $13.60, Francis Nelson $2.75, Anna Parsley $5.71, Hector Parliament $4.53, Walter Richard $3.15, Jean Spearbeck $11.00, Hilda Schmeling $14.40, Emilie Sanstad $9.00, John & Dorothy Till $88.75, Lena Trumer $40.35, Jud Turner $3.20, Rollin A. Vance $24.85, Ferne Ferne Washtoak $23.00, Steve Wisneski $36.00; Brown Clinic $153.50-John D.Sleiter $12.00, George Wagner $6.00, Miss Mary Mitchell $34.00, Ella Alexander $8.50, Clarence Eck $57.00, Richard DePeel $3.00, Mrs. Edw.Haack $33.00; Busy Bee Cafe $20.00-Oscar Youngren $10.00, Jos.LeTourneau $10.00; Haggar Drug Store $124.12-Mildred Taylor $1.13, Mr.& Mrs.Martin Bale $18.45, Mosephine Welter $7.83, Frank & Emma Klucas $6.75, Ferne Washtoak $34.47, Ellen Anderson $33.30, Mary (Mae) Mitchell $13.73, Nels C. Nielson $3.60, Jud Turner $2.25

Ed Bates $1.80, Hilda Haack $.81; Kreiser Drug Store $342.89-Earl Crocker $21.42, James Chamber $165.90, Hilda Ebens $54.86, Chas. & Lizzie Alt $6.57, Chris Engels $4.41, Louise Tiejen $16.87, Lena Radtke $6.23, Katie Schummer $21.90, Mary Kirkeby $4.54, Rosa Dixon $2.70, Nellis Jensen $8.82, Chatryn McLaughlin $7.02, Anna Christianson $18.99, Francis Schmeling $2.66; Lakeview Nursing Home $15.00 for Louis Rohde; Lutheran Welfare Society of South Dakota $4.50 for Billy Vermillion; Madison Clinic $10.00 for Louis Rohde; Madison Drug & Jewelyy Co. $14.10 for Louis Rohde; Memorial Hospital $1452.92 for Harry Freeseman $142.86, John Hess $340.27, Henry Anderson $263.90, Lena Trumer $233.18, Hilda Haack $248.90 Nels C. Nielson $197.88, Edgar L. Wight $8.36, Alfred Vick $17.57; Mrs. Gordon Miller $80.00 for Sharon Gerjets; J.C.Penney Co. $11.40 John Till; Dr. V. F. Poulson $27.00 for L-Lizzie Alt; Rogers Dairy $10.40 for Phoebe Mowery; S.D.Children's Aid $40.00 for Soren Nelson; Shaw-MesserAmbulance Service $13.00- Robert Main $3.00, Lizzie Alt $10.00; Sioux Valley Hospital $171.50 for Richard Vermillion; O. P. Skaggs Store $102.24-Homer Bla ck $30.66, Chris Jensen $7.93, Wallace Spicer $5.81, Melvin C. Lake $20.50, Myron Corwin $15.69, John Fjerstad $7.52, Will Norman $4.52, Albert Erickson $2.76, Florence Kennedy $6.85; Socony Mobile Oie Co. $62.18 Wessington Springs S.D. Kenneth Wickhurst; Saint Ann Hospital $485.51-Ferne Washtoak $102.35, Ellsworth Spearbeck $55.06, Clarence Eck $207.60, Mary Mitchell $120.50; Standard Oil Co. $32.66-Will Norman $4.26, Chris Jensen $7.10, Elsie Ravelette $14.20, Donna Kinon $7.10; St.Williams Home-Milbank-$34.25 for Mary Myers; Dr.M.C.Thompson $61.75 for Will Norman $3.00, Clarence Morrison $23.00, Lewis Brinker $20.75, Emma Lehman Dralle $11.00, Mildred Taylor $4.00; Commissioners Per Diem & Mileage-James L. Keenan $37.70, Herb Skinner $91.56, Vernon H. Belk $53.30, Adolph Hogstad $64.63, Al M. Williams $70.00; Court Expense $135.00 Hazel Hegarty, Railway Express Agency $1.93, Sam A. Latsis $17.50, Nash Finch Co. $13.95; Poor-Duffner Drug Store $119.32-Mike Feyen $2.16, Mathilda Blek $14.70, Cal Eck $9.00, Homer Black $7.42, Mrs. Chas. W. Montney $17.95, Aug. Wannke $6.75, Inga Yarns $11.25, Frank Metzinger $22.51, Carl Berge $9.90, Ola Hanson $15.68; Printing & Advertising - South Shore Gazette $94.37, Watertown Public Opinion $146.55, Delinquent Tax Expense-South Shore Gazette $114.50, Watertown Public Opinion $187.90; Civil Defense - Public Opinion $20.00; Treas. Office Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $1.50,Mitchell Publishing Co. $5.71, Burroughs Corp. $63.30; Auditor's Office Expense - Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. $249.25, R.C.Booth Enterprises $16.00, Butterbrodt Drug Store $.98, News Printing Co. $5.62, Railway Express Agency $3.15, Watertown Photo News $20.00, Burroughs Corp. $194.50; Reg. of Deeds Office Exp. $16.00 R.C.Booth Enterprises; LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $6.76, Remington-Rand $313.28, Brown & Saenger $4.24, Duffner Drug Store $1.47; Delinquent Tax Collector $44.91 James Nelson; Clerk of Courts Office Exp. Ruhe Stationery $2.80, Brown & Saenger $62.99; Sheriff's Office Expense - Ruhe Stationery $3.94; County Judge Office Expense Ruhe Stationery $5.25, Brown & Saenger $5.94; County Extension -Ruhe Stationery $4.50, Vernon H. Belk $4.00, Erwin Beskow,$12.20, Hodge Badge Co. $68.57, H.E.McFarland $14.52, Fred Morris $62.96, W. H. Schwanke $15.36, Mrs. Al Saeger $15.00, Extension Visual Aids $25.62; Public Welfare Office - Ruhe Stationery $5.65, F.C.Grow Sons $52.50, Jack Williamson $21.00; Equipment Fund - Brown & Saenger $227.66,Watertown Typewriter Co. $270.00; County Farm Duffner Drug Store $30.09,City Treasurer $27.03,Nelson Hardware $.87, Park-Grant Co. $29.35,Marshall-Wells Store $6.22,J.C.Penney Co. $17.76,Dandar Electric Motor Repair $14.00, Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $5.80, Ralph Conoco Service $7.00, Spies Super Valu $12.85, Sunshine State Hatchery $15.75, Watertown Co-op Elevator Co. $34.33, Watertown Implement Co. $18.63; Supt. of Schools Office Exp. Harold's Camera Shop $8.31, H b City School Supply Co. $1.00; Suptl of Schools Mileage $9.00-Mrs.Hazel Murphy; Sheriff Mileage $406.50-Lloyd Shenk, Board of Prisoners $73.20, Fees $216.75, Tax Deed Expense $30.75; Radio-Burghardt Radio Supply $5.99, Lewis Gerriets $10.00; Court House Maintenance - City Treasurer $214.02, Coast to Coast Store $1.59, Egge Electric Co. $22.01, Inman Plumbing & Heating Co.$18.50, Nelson Hardware $13.54, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $270.70, Otis Elevator Co. $56.75, Park Grant Co. $35.00, Pitney Bowes, Inc. $21.60, Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co. $895.00,Herb Skinner, Jr. $27.50, Watertown Machine Works $8.50, Western Chemibal Co. $113.31;Memorial Park Nelson Hardware $2.98, Marshall-Wells Store $7.68, Mileage Market $4.56,Northwestern Public Service Co. $37.50, Merle D. Walklin $7.25; Restoring Fund - Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co. $742.00, Twin City Roofing & Material Co. $190.00; Board of Insanity-Donald N.Fedt,M.D. $15.00; Board of Health -H. Russell Brown, M.D. $40.58, M. C. Rousseau, M.D. $5.20; County Board of Education-Mrs. Robert C. Bard $15.21, Phillip Bergh $25.50, DeLos DeBerg $16.05, Willard S. Grow $10.14, Earling Johnson $31.76, W. I. Nichols $31.48, Ben Thyen $20.46; Tax Deed Expense $25.00-Hazel Schliesmann; Supervisor of Assessors $57.26-Glenn M. Mitchell; HI.& BRIDGE Burroughs Corp. $18.00,Watertown Machine Works $30.28, Mileage Market $271.43, N Northwestern Road Supply Co. $185.86,Herb Andree Tire Co. $1.75, Ray M. Cook $200.00, J.D.Evans Equipment Co. $1259.25, Fairbanks Morse & Co. $472.00, Florence Service $65.27, Foster-Belle Co. $1691.40, General Supply Co. $1095.96, Art.J.Griepp $47.00, Wm.Haan $12.00, Hjermstad Oil Co. $2.00, International Harvester Co. $353.44, Philip Jesme $21.50, Johnson Bros. $32.68, Keuffel & Esser Co. $28.15, LaNoue's Radiator Shop $83.81, Marquardt's Service $240.90, Miller Bros. Lumber Co.$44.41, Minnesota Mining & Mfg. Co.$148.10, Morton Salt Co. $307.87, Motor Supply Co. $4.93, Redlinger Bros. $2.56, Sanders Chevrolet Co. $130.85, Sheehan Bartling Inc. $261.31, Sioux Road $37.83, Socony Mobile Oil Co. $1253.85, Stan Houston Equipment Co. Inc. $2448.00, Watertown Cement Products Co. $23.10, Watertown Community Oil Co. $1.43, Watertown Implement Co. $251.87, Watertown Tire Co. $7.25; ROAD City Treas. $8.56, Northwestern Public Service Co. $9.00, Western Transportation Co. $3.04; REDFIELD-Donald N. Fedt M.D. $15.00; INSANE- Shaw-Messer Amb. Service $102.00, Carlson's $15.10; C.H.& B.R. Johnson & Oseby $27.95, John E. Low $129.08; SP.BR. $561.68 Northwestern Road Supply Co.; South Dakota Concrete Products Co. $1641.08; CO.SP.HI.LEOLA Whetstone Valley Electric Co-op, Inc. $146.25; WEED BOARD Paul David $11.64, Joseph J. Fox $5.68, Adolph Hogstad $7.78, Robt. Redlin $6.52; TUITION Clark Independent School Dist. #15 $704.00, Garden City Ind. School Dist No. 47 $230.00, Henry Independent School Dist.#27 $6822.00, Goodwin Independent School District $210.00; TEXTBOOK Educator Supply Co. $15.58, Follett Publishing Co. $245.79, D.C.Heath & Co. $37.12, Iroquois Publishing Co. $350.88, A.N.Palmer Co. $108.20, Scott, Foresman & Co. $1853.43, Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co. $212.35, The John C. Winston Co. $34.52; INSTITUTE Educational Recording Services $7.08,

Mabel Johnson came before the Board in regard to County Liens. Not any action taken.

Upon receipt of a check from the Krokows, in Leola Township, the abatement of interest for the years 1952-1953,1954,1955 was allowed on a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams. This interest was accumulating because of a double assessment that was being settled by the States Attorney from Codington County and A. O. Schmidt representing the Krokows. The settlement was agreed upon by the Board of County Commissioners, Ross Oviatt, deputy States Attorney and A.O.Schmidt.

The bill from the Codington Clark Electric Co-op was rejected for moving poles until different phases could be cleared up. It was so moved by Belk, seconded by Skinner.

RESOLUTION #284

WHEREAS, in the judgment of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, and for the best interest of the residents of Codington County, the Board of County Commissioners has deemed it advisable to allow a salary for the Civil Defense Director of Codington County, for the prompt and accurate dispatch of business, and the duties required of him.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, a salary is hereby set for the Civil Defense Director beginning August 1, 1956 in the amount of Twenty-five and no/100 Dollars ($25.00) per month.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Williams, and upon roll call all voted "Yea", and none voted "Nay", whereupon the chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 14th day of August, 1956, at Watertown, South Dakota.

James P. Keenan Chairman
Board of County Commissioners

Herb Skinner

Adolph Hoyt

Al. M. Williams

Attest: Irma Welch
County Auditor

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until Tuesday August 21 at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor

August 21, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Mrs. Charles Bunde came in to see the Board in regard to the care of Vilane Bunde (Christopherson), age 12 years. No action was taken.

Ed Murphy, police officer, came before the Board to ask consideration in regard to weeds on county owned lots in the northeast part of Watertown. After some discussion the Board referred the matter to the Superintendent of Highways.

Judge Norbeck came before the Board in regard to release of County Liens insofar as it pertains to the following described property: NE¼ NW¼NW¼ 16 116 55 SE¼ 28 116 55, Lot 1 less the N 220' of the E 60' thereof and less the S127' of said Lot 1 of Cosgroves subdivision of outlots 37, 38, 39, 40 of NW¼ Sec. 8-116-55 for Eileen Fitzgerald for $37.28, her share of an estate, from Walsh et al. A motion was made to accept this amount as she is at the state hospital. Motion by Skinner, seconded by Belk, carried.

Dance hall license for Lester Givens for one night only - August 24 at Medicine Lake, was approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Skinner. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until August 28 at 10:00 A.M.

Irma Welch
Auditor Codington County

August 28, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams as follows: SALARY, Auditor Irma E.Welch $325.00, Alice V. Olson $210.00, Edna Derenthal $190.00, Fay M. Wohlheter $180.00, Hilary Jensen $150.00; Treasurer Paul Krakowski $325.00, Hazel Schliesman $210.00, Deloris A. Goodroad $185.00, C. Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter E.Farl $296.68, Viola M. Koenders $63.00; Register of Deeds-Margaret Brown $296.68, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson $165.00; Supt. of Schools - Mrs. Hazel Murphy $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $200.00; States Attorney $283.75 Dale E. Bradshaw, Ross H. Oviatt $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge Herbert Norbeck $400.00; Municipal Judge Donald W. Lobitz $200.00; GENERAL Auditor Office Expense - Marlys Haney $80.10; Register of Deeds Office Expense Hazel O. Duncan $81.00; Sheriff Fees & Mileage $85.00 Bert Smith; Jailor - William J. Meyer $250.00; Court Expense - Mabel C. Alworth $118.56, Joe Gerlach $25.00; Veterans Service Officer-George Burke $200.00; C.H.Maint. Carl J. Deal $220.00; County Ext. Audrey Kleveter $170.00; County Farm-Henry Klemsrud $115.00; Pearl Klemsrud $100.00; Memorial Park-Arnold Hofteizer $100.00, Bessie Hofteizer $100.00; Supervisor of Assessors-Glen M. Mitchell $300.00, Kay Lyn Welch $36.00; Civil Defense - Ed Howson $25.00; WEED BOARD Matt Brandriet $200.00; C.M.V. C.S.Rasmusson $575.00

Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00, Sever Tobiason $205.00, John Rennie $309.35; Joe W. Stricherz $341.55, Claude Van Sickle $302.45, C.B.Sumner $301.30, Harold Scriver $286.35, Ed Gould $87.50, Alfred Spring $87.50, James Hendren $30.10, Carl Zweig Jr. $209.25, Burton Jackson 121.50, Howard Williams $60.75, Clarence Helle $129.95, Gerald Peterson $299.00, Fred Brownell $73.50, Julius Lentz $94.00, Chas. Krogman $79.00, John Strait $143.00, Thomas Spiering $165.00, Curtis O. Underwood 101.00, Andrew T.Larson $122.00, Leo Clausen $123.00, Dale A. Griffin $52.00,, Harold L. Nafus $37.00, Emery Elmore $197.00, Joe Schmeling $16.00, Elmer Dahl $229.00, Wm. E. Hjellming $229.00; SP. BRIDGE ED Gould $237.50, James Hendren $7.50, Howard Williams $25.65, Clarence Helle $13.80, Fred Brownell $189.00, Julius Lentz $169.00, Chas. Krogman $182.00, Dale A. Griffin $167.00, Harold L. Nafus $184.00; CH & BR Alfred Spring $87.50, John Strait $63.00, Thomas Spiering $50.00, Curtis O. Underwood $70.00, Andrew T. Larson $70.00,Leo Clausen $70.00; CO.SP.HI.Leola $118.75 Alfred Spring, John Strait $29.00, Thomas Spiering $45.00, Curtis O. Underwood $89.00, Andrew T.Larson $68.00, Leo Clausen $67.00; CO.SP.HI.FULLER James Hendren $311.90, Carl Zweig Jr. $135.00, Burton Jackson $229.50, Howard Williams $264.60, Clarence Helle $155.25, John Strait $25.00; GENERAL: Commissioners Per Diem, Mileage, Salary-James L. Keenan $84.25, Herb Skinner $90.13, Vernon H. Belk $68.30, Al M. Williams $99.00; HIGHWAY & BRIDGE Codington-Clark Electric Cooperative Inc. $658.82.

Payments made on County Liens are as follows: Ella A. Flanagan $55.00; D.B.& Nettie Purentum $258.78, Deuel County $14.20 for Lester Anderson, Yellow Medicine County Welfare Board $16.30 for Richard McKee family, Maynard Kramer $57.99, First Federal Savings & Loan $75.38 for Tracy Sherer, Andy Messerschmidt $23.20, Catherine Noecker $10.60, Dorothy Medick $55.00, Charles Wattoma $55.00, Jerome Poink $135.68, Roberts County $91.00 for Willard Goette family, James H. Van Gilder $40.75, Charles Gaumitz $11.60, Edward McPeek $35.00, Mr. & Mrs. Don Safford $81.93, Della Henrichs $5.00, Mrs. Elizabeth Marsh $235.00 for Mr. & Mrs. Peter DeMuynck, Mrs. Harry G. Freeseman $34.20, Eileen Fitzgerald $37.28.

A motion was made by Belk and seconded by Skinner that the auditor be instructed to publish a notice in regard to a Public Hearing to comply with Section 116 (c) of the Federal Aid Highway Act of 1956 to afford the opportunity of individuals to be heard on the economic effects of the Federal Highway Improvement in South Shore. Motion carried.

L.L.Blake appeared in regard to State Welfare.

Joe Beardsley, attorney for Hattie & George York in so far as it pertains to the following prooerty - Lots 11, 12 and 17 through 30, Block #6, Davis Second Addition, and Lot 1 thru 8, Block #6, Davis addition. No action was taken at this time.

County Farm report was noted by the Board.

The abatement of Carl Schmeling of $60.29, 1954 tax was approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner. This covered a combine assessed in both Rauville & Fuller Twps.

An abatement of school poll for Jim Sheilds in the amount of $1.00 for the year of 1946 was approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Skinner. Jim Sheilds is a Veteran.

John Maurice Redmond abatement of $3.00 for School and Road Boll for 1942 was moved by Belk and seconded by Williams. He is a Veteran.

D.K.Loucks, attorney for Robert Birchall appeared and presented the following resolution:

R E S O L U T I O N # 285

ROBERT R. BIRCHALL, the holder of a Sheriff's Certificate in connection with foreclosure of mortgage upon the real estate which is described as Lot One (1) in Block One (1) of Mellette & McIntyre's Addition to Watertown, Codington Co. South Dakota, having presented application herein relative to liens in favor of said Codington County and against Thomas T. Leverett, Sr., against the above described Real Estate, the said Robert R. Birchall having offered to place $91.01 in escrow in the First Citizens National Bank of Watertown, to be paid to said Codington County in case he becomes entitled to receive Sheriff's Deed affecting the above described real estate on November 24, 1956, and it appearing to the satisfaction of this Board that it will be to the best interest of said Codington County, and that the circumstances of the case are such that it is advisable.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that said application be granted and that agreement be made and entered into with the said Robert R. Birchall as provided by law under which in consideration of the above mentioned deposit in escrow, the said Codington County waives all right to redeem from the mortgage foreclosure sale affecting the above described real estate under which the said Robert R. Birchall holds Sheriff's certificate, and agrees that upon receipt of the above mentioned $91.01 all liens of said County against the above named Thomas T. Leverett, Sr., will be released and satisfied as to the above described real estate, and in full.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Skinner, and upon roll call all voted "yea" and none "nay" whereupon the chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 28th day of August, 1956, at Watertown, South Dakota.

James L Keenan Chairman
Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hagstad
Al M. Williams

Attest: Anna Welch
County Auditor.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until Tues. Sep. 4 at 10:00 AM

September 4, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claim was checked and approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Skinner: GENERAL:Commissioners per diem,Mileage, Salary-Adolph Hogstad $77.53.

This being the time and place for the reading of the Provisonal Budget, and as no one appeared the said provisional budget was set aside for final adoption on the 2nd Tuesday of September as provided by law.

At 11:00 A.M. the hearing was set for the transfer of the Beer License from Ray Halling to Roy Klix, and as no one appeared to protest such transfer a motion was made by Belk and seconded by Hogstad to approve said transfer and upon roll call all voted "yea" and none voted "nay" and the Chairman declared the motion carried.

Bounty Claims were approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Belk as follows: Badger claims: Peter Mumm $4.00, Julius Feyereisen $4.00, Allan Roe $4.00, Mrs. Gilbert Kittelson $4.00, Giles Wilson $4.00, Ralph Drake $4.00, Elmer Redlin Jr. $4.00, Ruth Kittelson $4.00, Edward Buchholtz $4.00, Don Briggs $4.00, T.J.Bergan $4.00, Otto Heuer $4.00, Mrs. Elmo Swenson $4.00, Mrs. Harley McFerran $4.00, H.D.Small $4.00, Maurice Borns $4.00, Mrs.Harry Kucker $4.00, Donald Dale $4.00, Jas. Hupper $4.00, Harlan Stadheim $4.00 Martin J. DeVille $4.00; FOX-Emery Elmore $7.50.

George Burke, Veterans Service Officer's report for the month of August was noted by the Board.

A Public Hearing was held in the Commissioners Chambers in Watertown, South Dakota at 3 P.M. in accordance with advertised notice to afford the opportunity for individuals to be heard on the economic effects of Highway Route #286 and #287 S 350 (3) through the City of South Shore in Codington County. No one appeared to be heard on the project. The commissioners considered the economic effects and adjourned this hearing.

RESOLUTION NO. 286

WHEREAS action under the Laws of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to Chapter 28.1304 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota have deemed it to the best interests of the residents of Codington County and adviseable to deed back to the owner, that right of way which was abandoned for State Highway purposes, the following described real estate:

Gray's Outlot "A" being a part of the NE¼ of Sec. 30-117-52 as platted and recorded in the offices of the Register of Deeds.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners issue a Quit Claim Deed for the above mentioned property and have instructed the County Auditor, Irma Welch, to draw such quit claim deed.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Williams and seconded by Commissioner Skinner, and upon a roll call, all voted "yea" and none "nay" whereupon the chairman declared the Resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 4th day of September 1956 at Watertown, South Dakota.

James L Keenan Chairman
Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Al. M. Williams

Attest: Irma Welch
County Auditor.

A compromise settlement of $105.00 for a full release of the County Liens of Kenneth and Mrs. Kenneth Bucklin was approved on a motion by Skinner, and seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

A compromise settlement of County Liens of Mrs. Joe Johnson for $85.00 was approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until September 11 1956 at 10 A.M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor.

September 11, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified Claims Checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad as follows: TRUST FUNDS - Lucy R. Grant $15.00. GENERAL,Court Expense-Winfield Whitmore $7.80, Cecilia M. Beirne $118.56, Hazel Hegarty $135.00, $4.25; Commissioners Per Diem, Mileage - Adolph Hogstad $63.09, James L. Keenan $79.95, Vernon H. Belk $54.00, Herb Skinner 87.86, Al M. Williams $94.00; Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent 287.63, Watertown Public Opinion 246.26, Photo News $10.00, South Shore Gazette $171.94;

(Harry Freeseman 51.00, Frank Metzinger 66.00, August Warnke 30.00)
POOR: Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $147.00 for Irene Stockman $60.00 for Loretto Stockman, Elizabeth Marsh $25.00 for Matt Kemp; Mrs. Lyle Mogler $17.50 for Norma Remedies, Mrs. Esther Kinsey $25.00 for Rosa Shape, Bertha Johnson $35.00 for Edw.McPeek, Kinstad Rest Home $259.20 $36.00 for Ola Hanson, Karl Berge $30.00, James Chambers $35.00, Rupert Gatchell $35.00, Earl Crocker $8.20, John Farley $35.00, Robert Main $80.00; Watertown Rest Home L. Mourere 30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00 total $75.00; Walter Gusso $25.00 for Bert Crandall; Bartron Clinic $715.10 for Mr. & Mrs. Frank Soulak $155.40, Henry Anderson $46.00, Chas & Lizzie Alt $4.00, Mrs. John Brockhoff $10.80, Mathilda Blek $11.00, Bert Crandall $75.00, Richard DePeel $9330, Hilda Ebens $3.00, Chris Engels $6.00, Mrs. Carl Fritz $12.35, Mike Feyen $13.80, John Farley $25.00, Harry Freeseman $30.00, Helen Hendricks $5.00, Ludwig Johnson $2.00, Mrs. Arlone Johnson $8.25, Mary Kirkeby $3.00, Michael Kinon 7.60, Louis Mourere $20.53 Frank Metzinger 20.60, Robert Main $22.80, Nels Neilson 23.10, Jerry O'Brien 4.50, Seymore Peterson 7.05, Anna Parsley 6.67, Henry Spilde $3.00, Hilda Schmeling 21.20, Rosa Shape 3.50, John Till 16.25 Lena Trumer 29.20, Jud Turner 18.50, Rollin A. Vance 39.10, Mrs. Eugene Wolford 11.80, Steve Wisneski 14.40, Edgar L.Wight 8.90, Ferne Washtoak $13.50, Baby X $3.00; Bartron-Watertown Clinic 34.50 Inga Yarns; Annette Burgdorf $282.63 for Jerry O'Brien $87.63, John G. Blum $45.00, Susan Mack $45.00, Florence Williams $5.00, Nels T. Nelson $55.00, Alpha Mudge $45.00; Clark Medical Center $8.75 for Richard DePeel; Duffner Drug Store 85.78 for Aug. Warnke $8.64, Frank Metzinger 1.80, Inga Yarns 9.90, Ola Hanson 15.35, Ola Hanson 15.35, Carl Berge 10.80, Mathilda Blek 15.98, Mrs. Chas.Ward Montney 18.00, Mike Feyen 4.41, Rupert Gatchell .90; Faulk Co.Memorial Hosp.$76.90 for Mr.& Mrs.Al Dummer; Donald Fedt,M.D. $5.00 for Earl Crocker 3.00, Mrs.Frank Klucas 2.00; Haggar Drug Store $123.23 for Mrs. JohnTaylor 6.21, Ferne Washtoak 25.34, Seymore Peterson 6.48, Hilda Haack 4.19, Erwin Bates 1.58, Josephine M. Welter 7.29, Mrs. Frank Klucas 1.35, Kathryn Vaughn 19.67, Ellen Anderson 16.20, Martin Bale 17.64, Nels Nielson 1.80, Mae Mitchell 15.48; Kreisers Drug Store $322.84 for Lizzie Alt $16.10, Mary Kirkeby $1.80, Anna Christiansen 14.67, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $7.99, Mrs. Doods Tiezen 11.88, Lena Radtke $6.23, Hilda Ebens $47.25, Mrs. Nellie Jensen $6.57, Earl Crocker $42.86, Ben Bergusen $4.05, Jas. Chambers $143.86, Kattie Schummer $19.58; Mrs. Gertrude V. Thomas $15.00 for Louis Rohde, Madison Drug & Jewelry Ed. $9.00 for Louis Rohde; Medical Arts Clinic $10.00 for Naomi Adams. Mathiesen,Gergen & Rohdes $45.00 for Peter DeMuynck, Andrew Horn $3.00, Harry Freeseman $10.00, Frank Metzinger $10.00, Earl Crocker $5.00; Montgomery Ward & Co. $12.07 for Frank Metzinger $6.58, Mrs.A.Sturdevant Home 5.49; Mrs. Gordon Miller $40.00 for Sharon Gerjets J.C.Penney Co. $22.42 for Verlaine Bundy; Red Owl Store $4.59 for Ethel Wickhurst; Rogers Dairy $5.60 Mrs. Phoebe Mowery; Shaw-Messer $5.00 Harry Freeseman; St. Bernards Providence Hospital $37.25 for Mrs. Mary Myers; O. P.Skaggs Store $61.28 for Mrs. Blair Tessier $5.41, Homer Black $7.20, Chris Jensen $8.22, Mrs. Arlone Johnson $6.21, Wallace Spicer $3.11, Victor Rosenkranz 3.37, Mrs.Goldie Grey Buffalo 3.24, Mrs. Rose Ellen Wolford 7.07, John Till 17.45; S.Dak.Childrens Aid 69.68 for Soren Nelson $40.00, Lyle Gerjets $29.68; Memorial Hospital $1287.18 for John Hess $156.10, Frank Metzinger $79.14, Daniel Mertz 23.58, Henry Anderson 35.75, Bert Crandall 279.38, Mrs. Viola Borns 175.49, Miss Naomi Adams 56.89, Harry Freeseman 108.50, Mr.& Mrs. Frank Soulak 372.35; St. Anns Hospital $90.90 for Mrs. Jud Turner; Sevendsen Nursing Home $225.00 for Mrs. Teresa Shummer $35.00, Mrs. Alfred Ebens $95.00, Mrs. Mary Kirkeby $35.00, Sarah Ann Black $30.00, Rosa Dixon $30.00; Thomes Drug Store 119.14 for Henrichs Albert 3.96, Jerry O'Briend17.16, Aug. Warnke 28.26, Ella Alexander 8.15, Rose Shape 2.39, Alfred Vick 31.68, JohnFarley 6.53, Lena Trumer 1.71, Chas. Bierscheid 4.05, Richard DePeel 7.15, Eva Schultz 8.10; Dr. M. C. Thompson $100.50 for Aug. Warnke 50.50, Clarence Morrison 34.00, Albert Hendricks 6.00, Emma Lehman Orell 4.00, Mrs. John Taylor $4.00, Richard DePeel $2.00.

County Farm: Cota's Produce $1.80; International Harvester Co. 1.69, Liens Grocery $73.20, K-D Inc. 35.33, Lokens Watertown Sales Pav. 206.48, Olsons Gas & Appliance Co. 5.80, Park Grant Co. 10.22, Socony Mobile Oil Co. 12.27, Watertown Coop Elevator Co. 33.90, City Treas. 30.23, Nelson Hardware $14.74, A.Duffner Store 15.40.
Delinquent Tax Expense Henry Independent $114.20, James Nelson $399.98. Auditor's Office Expense-Watertown Public Opinion $4.00, Brown & Saenger $86.75, Marlys J. Haney $22.05, Hyman Trans. Co. 9.17, Mid-West Beach Co. 123.27, Monroe Calculating Co. 1.30, Ruhe Stat.Co. 9.58, A. Duffner Store 6.31, Register of Deeds Office Expense- Photo News $20.00, A.Duffner Store $5.00. Welfare Office Expense - Mid-West Beach Co. $6.37, Ruhe Stat. $2.75. Court House Maint. Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. 266.25, City Treas. $241.92, Churchill Manufacturing Co. 40.20, Egge Electric $19.40, Lake Kampeska Nursery $29.25, Nelson Hardware $8.64, Otis Elevator Co. $451.75, Redlinger Brothers $2.75, True Electric $5.76. Clerk of Courts Office Expense-Ruhe Stationery 2.60. States Attorney Office Expense-Ruhe Stat. $5.05, LaFrance Office Equip. $1.50. County Extension-Ruhe Stat. $13.65, City of Watertown $60.00. Superintendent of Schools Office Exp. Denoyer Geppert Co. $3.27, Fillmore & Bradbury Inc. $2.11. Sheriff Board for Prisoners, Mileage, Fees total $424.60. Coroner's Expense - Leslie E.Mathiesen $49.18. Board of Health-M.C.Rousseau M.D. $15.60, H. Russell Brown, M.D. 67.55. Crow Bounty - Erwin Beskow $1.80, Carl Below. 75¢. Memorial Park - Coast to Coast Store 42¢, Northwestern Public Service Co. 40.98, Watertown Machine Works $3.00, Thomes Drug Store $2.85, Mileage Market $5.79. Court Expense - Bartron Clinic $4.50, A.Duffner Store $2.75, Memorial Hospital 7.00. Burial of Indigents - Mathiesen,Gergen,Rhodes $150.00.
ROAD: Barkley Truck Lines $3.00, Harold Scriver $4.50, Wilson Truck System $3.04, NW Public Serv. Co. $5.30, City Treas. $10.38. L.T.Brekke the following C.M.V. 200.00, CH&BR 144.20, CO SP.HI.DEXTER 208.25, CO.SP.HI.EDEN 41.50 total $593.95. COUNTY INSTITUTE Mrs.Doris Nelson 15.00, F.A.Strand $20.00. TUITION FUND Waverly Ind.School Dist #74 $4,900.00. WEED BOARD Matt Brandriet $70.08. TEXTBOOK FUND-Mid-West Beach Co. 156.99, Lyons & Carnahan $365.26, Cooperative Recreation Service $8.82, Educator Supply Co. $91.80, The John C. Winston Co.$137.47, Wilson Truck System $3.90, HIGHWAY & BRIDGE Mileage Market $437.72, Watertown Machine Works $35.59, Socony Mobile Oil Co. 2127.24, International Harvester Co. $182.97, Mahowald Co. $13.57. Marquartdts Service $198.06, Motor Supply Co. $48.14, Pettibone Mulliken Corp. $263.84, Miller Brosl Lumber Co. $40.96, Sheehan-Bartling Co. 446.65, Sioux Road Equipment Co. 60.71, Lyle Thorson $54.44, Watertown Implement Co. 124.70, Watertown Iron & Metal Co. $10.00, Watertown Tire Co. $381.87, Carl Wiese Machine Shop $6.75, Williams Hardware Co. $38.00, Zellers Concrete Materials Co. $6.75, K & Z Service $6.25, LaLoue's Radiator & Battery Shop $63.78, Joy Johnson Farm Equip. Co. 20.52, Hubbard Farm Store $8.95, Kenneth Hayes Elec.Co. $41.75,Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $1.39, Gooch Sales Co. $22.62, Foster-Bell Coo $338.66. J.D.Evans Equip.Co. $222.26, Dicks Tractor Parts $4.00. Dakota Welding Supply Co. $7.56. Burnstad & Meyer $1.18, Botsford Lumber Co. $2.88, Bard & Wika Inc. 212.70. Ackerman Welding Supply Co. $5.50, Algard Machine Shop $4.25. SPECIAL BRIDGE Northwest Road Supply Co. $272.65,S.D.Concrete Products $269.24.

Bills for the month of August 1956 for Yankton $1860.83, Redfield $746.76, and Sanator $88.66 were approved on motion by Belk and seconded by Williams.

Register of Deeds fees of $603.05 and Clerk of Courts fees $383.00 for the month of August 1956 were approved on a motion by belk, and seconded by Williams.

The abatement of Dorothy Hogstad of $1.00 for School poll was allowed on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Belk. Dorothy Hogstad was double assessed in Wallace and Watertown.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until September 18 at 10 A.M.

September 18, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

The abatement of Matt Hanten was rejected on motion by Skinner and seconded by Belk. This action was made on the advise of the states attorney - Dale Bradshaw.

Pursuant to Section 12.2003 SDC 1939 and amendments thereto, the business of adopting the Annual Budget for the calendar year 1957 came before the Board at this time. The provisional Budget for the calendar year was again presented to the Board for further study and checking prior to adoption of same as the Annual Budget.

It was moved by Skinner and Seconded by Williams that the Annual Budget for theCalendar year 1957 be adopted. Upon roll call all voted "yea", none voted "nay", and motion carried and the Chairman declared the following Annual Budget adopted:

Annual Budget for Codington County, South Dakota, for the Calendar Year January 1, 1957 to December 31, 1957, as required by Section 12.2003 SDC 1939.

FUNDS ITEM	(1) Estimated Other Revenue	(2) Estimated Cash Balance	(3) Estimated Real and Pers.Prop. Tax	(4) Tot.Estd. Rev. & Bal. From all Sources	(5) Adopted Budget Approp.Cannot Equal more than 95% of Col. 4.
GENERAL					
Commissioners Per Diem					9 400
Mileage					2 500
Expense,Advertising & Printing					7 000
Convention Expense					600
AUDITOR					
Office Expense					2 200
Election Expense					4 000
Deputy Assessor's Salary, Supplies and Expense					2 400
TREASURER Tax Deed Expense					300
Office Expense					2 400
Delinquent Tax Expense					4 300
Publication Fees					2 000
CLERK OF COURTS					
Office Expense					1 200
Vital Statistics					1 100
REGISTER OF DEEDS					
Office Expense					2 000
Superintendent of SCHOOLS					
Office Expense					1 200
Travel Expense					710
County Institute					500
SHERIFF					
Fees & Salary					4 500
Office Expense					400
Mileage					5 000
Board of Prisoners					2 000
Jailors Salary & Maint. of Jail					3 300
Radio.					200
STATES ATTORNEY					
Office and Stenographic Expense					200
Mileage					200
COURTS					
Jurors, Witness Fees & Court Reporter					10 000
Justice Fees					200
Office Expense					600
Bailiffs					300
CORONER					
Expense					400
COUNTY VETERANS SERVICE OFFICE					
Expense and Salary					3 000
Court House Maintenance					17 500
Foreclosed Property Expense					
State Accountant					1 000
Insurance, Bond Premium and Workmen's Comp.					5 000
Agriculture & Home Extension					4 300
County Contest and Exhibits					200
Insect and Weed Control					3 200
Public Welfare Office Expense	300				550
County Insanity Board					500
Care of Poor & Poor Farm-Beverage Fund					90.000
Board of Health Fund		12,500			1 200
Bounties, Trees					1 300
Crow & Magpie Bounty					20
Social Security					3 500
Law Library					1 000
County School Board of Edu.					3 000
Memorial Day & Memorial Park					3 000
CourtHouse Equipment					2 500
Civil Defense					1 000
Mellette Memorial					950

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Revenues from other sources, Column No. 1.					
County Moneys and Credit Tax	10 000				
Telephone Tax Outside	4 000				
Licenses	200				
Inheritance Tax					
Prior Tax Collections	10 000				
GENERAL FUND TOTALS	37 000	20 000	168 200	225 200	213 830
SALARY FUND					
Auditor					14 500
Treasurer					12 400
Clerk of Courts	3 500				6 500
Register of Deeds	7 100				8 400
Superintendent of Schools					7 320
States Attorney					7 200
County Judge					4 800
Municipal Judge					2 400
Director of Assessments					6 500
SALARY FUND TOTALS	10 600	10 000	53 105	73 705	70 020
Insane Fund	2 000	15 000	8 270	25 270	24 000
Feeble Minded Fund	500	3 200	6 300	10 000	9 500
Custer Sanatorium Fund		3 158		3 158	3 000
County Road Fund					
Construction			21 060	21 060	20 000
Maintenance					
Machinery & Equipment					
County Road Fund Totals			21 060	21 060	20 000
Bridge Fund					
Construction					
Maintenance					
Machinery and Equipment					
Workmen's Compensation					
Bridge Fund Totals					
Court House & Jail Building Fund		25 000	17 120	42 120	40 000
TOTAL OF FUNDS WITHIN LIMITED LEVY	50 100	76 358	274 055	400 513	380 350
County Highway & Bridge Reserve Fund		65 000	72 000	137 000	130 150
Special Bridge Fund		5 000	36 000	41 000	38 950
County Snow Removal Fund		36 850		36 850	35 000
Weed Control Fund			3 900	3 900	3 705
County Fair		26 400	10 000	36 400	34 580
County Health Dept.					
Total of Funds Outside Limited Levy		133 250	121 900	255 150	242 390
GRAND TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS LEVIED	50 100	209 608	395 955	655 663	622 800
County High School Tuition Fund		20 000	75 000	95 000	95 000
Common School Equalization Fund			94 001	94 001	94 001
COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE FUND					
Construction and Maintenance	85 000	14 000		99 000	94 050
County Highway Superintendent Office and Salary Expense	10 000			10 000	9 500
Workmen's Compensation.	1 685			1 685	1 600
COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE FUND TOTALS	96 685	14 000		110 685	105 150
County Special Highway	20 000			20 000	19 000
County Highway and Bridge Fund	83 500			83 500	79 320
Text Book Revolving Fund	10 000			10 000	9 500
School Library Fund.		788		788	788
TOTAL OF GRAND FUNDS NOT SUBJECT TO LEVIES	210 185	14 788		224 973	213 758
GRAND TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS	260 285	224 396	564 988	1 069 637	1 025 559

RESOLUTION # 286A

ANNUAL BUDGET FOR YEAR 1957

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
County of Codington)

WHEREAS, Section 12.2007 South Dakota Code of 1939 provides that the Board of County Commissioners shall prepare each year a Provisional Budget of all the contemplated expenditures and revenues of the County, and all its institutions and agencies for such fiscal year, and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners did prepare a Provisional Budget and caused same to be published as provided by law, and

WHEREAS, Due and legal notice has been given of the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners for the consideration of such Provisional Budget, and all changes, eliminations

and additions have been made thereto.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That such Provisional Budget as amended, and each and all of the purposes, objects, items schedules, appropriations, amounts, estimates and all matters contained therein as herein set forth shall be approved and adopted as the Annual Budget of Appropriations and Expenditures for Codington County, South Dakota, and all its institutions and agencies for the calendar year beginning January 1st, 1957 and ending December 31, 1957, and the same is hereby approved and adopted this 18th day of September 1956.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
of CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA

James L. Keenan — Chairman
Herb Skinner — Commissioner
Vernon H. Belk — Commissioner
Adolph Hogstad — Commissioner
Al. M. Williams — Commissioner

ATTEST: Irma Welch
County Auditor.

A quit claim deed was approved for John Kranz for Grays Outlot being that part of NE¼ of Section 30-117-52 platted and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds office on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad. This outlot at one time was purchased for road purposes, and as it is no longer needed for this purpose it reverts to the owner.

A motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Williams that all county officers be permitted to attend the State Convention of County Officers at Huron, including Glenn Mitchell, with expenses paid as prescribed by law. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until September 25, 1956 at 10AM.

September 25, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present except Hogstad, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams, as follows: TRUST FUND- WARRen Cosgrove $258.07. GENERAL, Court House Main. Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $53.60, Carl J. Deal $220.00, Convention Expense Glen Mitchell $24.00 James L. Keenan $21.00, Al M. Williams $21.00, Herb Skinner $24.00, Irma Welch $48.00, Margaret Brown $32.00. Register of Deeds Office Expense Hazel O. Duncan $116.10, Court Expense-Vera Hodge 17.00, Ann Gullickson $17.56, Arlene Asmussen $20.28, Rose Robinson $10.28, Marcella Haugen $10.28, David Rawdon $10.28, Mabel C. Alworth $118.56, Joe Gerlach $25.00, Commissioners Per Diem, Mileage,Salary-James L. Keenan $88.65, Herb Skinner $110.26, Al M.Williams $115.10, Vernon H. Belk $84.80, Sheriff Fees & Mileage-Bert Smith $85.00. Jailors Salary-William J. Meyer $250.00. Veterans Service Officer-George Burke $200.00, Dorothy Pomeroy $75.60. County Farm-Andrew T. Larson $10.00, Leo Clausen $10.00, Thos. Spiering $10.00, Curtis Underwood $10.00, John Strait $10.00, Henry Klemsrud $115.00, Pearl Klemsrud $100.00. County Extension-Audrey Kleveter $170.00. Memorial Park-Arnold Hofteizer $100.00, Bessie Hofteizer $100.00. Supervisor of Assessors-Glen M.Mitchell $300.00, Office Expense-Kay Lyn Welch $117.90. Civil Defense-Edward H. Howson $25.00. SALARY-Auditor Irma Welch $325.00, Alice V. Olson $210.00, Edna Derenthal $190.00, Fay Wohlheter $180.00, Hilary M. Jensen $150.00. Treasurer-Paul Krakowski,$325.00, Hazel Schliesman $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, C.Joyce Rowe $185.00, Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Viola Maxine Koenders $16.20, Leilah Catherine Auby $195.00. Register of Deeds-Margaret Brown $296.68, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson $165.00, Superintendent of Schools-Hazel G. Murphy $325.00, Ruth M. Johnson $200.00. States Attorney-Dale E.Bradshaw $283.75, Ross E. Oviatt $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00, County Judge - Herbert Norbeck $400.00. Municipal Judge - Donald W. Lobitz $200.00. WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet $200.00. C.M.V. C.S. Rasmusson $575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00, Sever Tobiason $205.00, John Rennie $300.15, Joe Stricherz $330.05, Claude Van Sickle $294.40, Clarence B. Sumner $106.94, Harold Scriver $281.75, Ed Gould $212.50, Alfred Spring $212.50, James Hendren $157.50. Carl Zweig,Jr. 48.60, Burton Jackson $94.50, Howard Williams $27.00, Clarence Helle $63.25, Gerald Peterson $293.25, Fred S. Brownell $236.25, Chas. Krogman $82.00, Harold L.Nafus $55.00, Dale A. Griffin $35.00, Julius Lentz $83.00, Wm.E.Hjellming $234.50, Elmer Dahl $235.50, Emery Elmore $181.00, Joe Schmeling $145.00,Andrew T. Larson 210.00, Leo Clausen $163.00,Thomas Spiering $115.00, Curtis Underwood $200.00, JohnStrait 129.00. CH&BR-Clarence B.Sumner $200.10, Alfred Spring $112.50, James Hendren $232.50, Carl Zweig Jr. $216.00, Burton Jackson $229.50, Howard Williams $252.45, Clarence Helle $201.25, Fred S. Brownell $24.15, Chas. Krogman $98.00, Harold L. Nafus $80.00, Dale A. Griffin $90.00, Julius Lentz $78.00, Andrew T.Larson $40.00, Leo Clausen $87.00, Thomas Spiering $120.00, Curtis Underwood $60.00, John Strait $122.00, SPECIAL BRIDGE-Ed Gould $50.00, Fred S. Brownell $12.60, Chas.Krogman $52.00,Harold L. Nafus $38.00,Dale A. Griffin $43.00, Julius Lentz $52.00. CO.SP.HI.RICHLAND-Ed Gould $37.50, Carl Zweig Jr. $86.40, Howard Williams $68.85, Clarence Helle $34.50, Chas. Krogman 13.00, Harold L. Nafus $35.00, Dale A. Griffin $20.00, Julius Lentz $30.00. CO SP.HI.DEXTER Ed Gould $25.00, Chas. Krogman $15.00, Harold L. Nafus $20.00, Dale A. Griffin $20.00, Julius Lentz $17.00. COUNTY INSTITUTE-F.B.Decker $50.00, Vera Beck Anderson $50.00,Mrs. Marcus Bach $50.00.

The Quit Claim deed from County to Carrol Lockhart for the payment in full of Loan No.253 was approved on a motion by Belk, seconded by Skinner for the following property-to-wit:

South Half of SE ¼ of Sec. 24, Twp 117, R 54, and Lot 4 and NW¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 25-117-54 and South Half of SW¼ and less YMCA Outlot of Sec.19 Twp 117 R 53

R E S O L U T I O N No. 287

RESOLUTION NO. 287

WHEREAS bids for the Grading, Sub-base, etc., on Federal Aid Secondary Project S359(3)Codington County, have been received by the South Dakota Highway Commission, and

WHEREAS, the G. A. Olson Construction Company, Inc., of Marshall, Minnesota, is the low bidder of three, with a proposal of $106,262.10 and

WHEREAS said bid is $20,470.91 or 16.2% below the Engineers' Estimate of $126,733.01,

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved that the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota concur with the South Dakota State Highway Commission in awarding the contract to said G.A.Olson Construction Company, Inc. of Marshall, Minnesota.

The foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Skinner, and upon being put to a vote all Commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, 1 Commissioner being absent, whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 25th day of September, 1956.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commssioners, Codington County, South Dakota.

(SEAL)

ATTEST: Anna Welch
County Auditor.

RESOLUTION NO. 288

WHEREAS bids for the Gravel-surfacing on Federal Aid Secondary Project S359(3) Codington County, have been received by the South Dakota State Highway Commission, and

WHEREAS the H. G. Seeley of De Smet, South Dakota, is the low bidder of three with a proposal of $29,269.34 and

WHEREAS said bid is $3,087.63 or 9.5% below the Engineers' estimate of $32,356.97

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved that the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, concur with the South Dakota State Highway Commission in awarding the Contract to said H. G. Seeley of DeSmet, South Dakota.

The foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Skinner, and upon being put to a vote all Commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, one commissioner being absent, whereupon the Chairman declared the Resolution adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 25th day of September, 1956.

James L Keenan
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota.

(SEAL)

ATTEST: Anna Welch
County Auditor.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until October 2, 1956 at 10:oo A.M.

October 2, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present except Commissioner Hogstad. Commissioner Keenan, the chairman, presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams: GENERAL: Election Expense - Postmaster $10.00, Court Expense - Cecilia M. Beirne $119.94.

The County Levy for 1956 was adopted on a motion by Skinner, seconded by Belk.

SCHEDULE OF TAX LEVIES FOR COUNTY PURPOSES
FOR 1956 ADOPTED OCTOBER 2, 1956

FUND	BUDGET	PLUS 5%	TOTAL	ESTIMATED REVENUE	TAXES	LEVY
GENERAL	212,880	10,644	223,524	57,000	166,524	2.57
SALA RY	70,020	3,500	73,520	20,600	52,920	.91
INSANE	24,000	1,200	25,200	17,000	8,200	.14
FEEBLE MINDED	9,500	475	9,975	3,700	6,275	.11
CUSTER	3,000	150	3,150	3,158		.00
CO.ROAD	20,000	1,000	21,000		21,000	.36
CO.BRIDGE						
JAIL BUILDING	40,000	2,000	42,000	25,000	17,000	.29
MELLETTE MEM.	950	48	998		998	.02
TOTAL LIMITED LEVY	380,350	19,017	399,367	126,450	272,917	4.70
WEED CONTROL	3,705	185	3,890		3,890	.07
SPECIAL BRIDGE	38,950	1,900	40,850	5,000	35,850	.62
C.H.& BR.	130,150	6,510	136,650	65,000	71,650	1.24
CO.SNOW REMOVAL	35,000	1,750	36,750	36,850	000	00
CO.FAIR	34,580	1,730	36,310	26,400	9,910	.17
TOTAL UNLIMITED LEVY	242,385	12,075	254,450	133,250	121,200	2.10
CONSOLIDATED	622,735	31,092	653,817	259,700	394,117	6.80

Mrs. Ernest Schmeling came before the Board in regard to abatement of taxes on Mathilda Harrington property which Mrs. Schmeling had purchased without knowledge of back taxes. No action was taken by the Board.

Ed Howson, defense director, came before the Board in regard to emergency power in case a need arises.

The County Superintendent of Schools, Hazel Murphy, requested permission to attend the S.D.E.A. meeting in Sioux Falls October 30,31, November 1 and 2. Request was granted on a motion by Commissioner Williams, seconded by Commissioner Belk. Motion carried.

Tree bounty claims for Codington County were approved on a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams: Clarence Passig $7.50, Ed Redmond $5.00, Pat Redmond $5.00, Emil Lura $6.50, Donald Nogelmeier $16.00, L.H.Loken $8.50, Julius Feyereisen $12.50, Maynard Stormo $8.75, Calvin L. Kucker $18.50, Math A. Hanten $5.50, Frank Lantgen $10.50, $4.00, Jerome Turbak $26.50, Delia Kranz $8.00, Leo Mack $7.50, L.S.Spencer $22.50, Albert Sturm $27.00, Elwood Haney $19.50, Harry G. Williams $22.50, Leo E. Page $10.00, H.D.E.Miller $10.50, Fred Busskohl $5.00, Paul DeBerg $8.50, Walter David $25.00, Ole Dahl $28.00, Paul McElhaney $20.50, John M.Fischer $15.00, L.G. Rueschenberg $11.50, Nick Stricherz $42.00, John Henning $6.50, Joseph Fischer $25.00, Ralph Raml $7.50, Gearhart Albrecht $8.50, Frank Hupf $3.75, Ben J. Thyen $14.50, Bill Comes $11.20, Louis Zielsky $6.50, Francis Wall $15.50, Harvey Monahan $23.00, Carl Beskow $13.00, Wilbert Kranz $25.00, Wilfred O. Kranz $21.50, Robert Redlin $35.00, Oscar Skogstad $26.00, Edward Redlin $10.00, John F. O'Toole $33.50, Joe H. Johnson $15.00, Lloyd Stark $11.00, Harold LaFramboise $10.00, Elmer Redlin, Jr. $15.00, George Trygstad $7.50, Delmer Dale $16.50, Edward Becking $21.50, John Klein $17.50, Albert Maag $17.00, Orrin Gunderson $5.00, Earling Johnson $16.25, Ed Ronke $15.50, Emil Beskow $10.00, Lester H. Strege $21.50, Edgar L. Strege $20.00, Lillian A. Spolum $44.50, Alice V. Olson $13.00, Arthur Meland $14.50, LeRoy Hogstad $50.00, Adolph Hogstad $17.50, Alex Brown Estate $28.00, W.R.Lange $26.00, Wilmar Boeder $22.50, Edward J. Lindner $21.00, Karen Kjos $19.50.

The report of George Burke, Veterans Service Officer, for the month of September was noted by the Board.

Abatement of the 1955 tax on Lots 14-17, Block 7, Kemp Addition, County took tax deed in 1954, and this tax was not spread at that time. On a motion Belk seconded by Skinner abatement was allowed on vote by the Board. This abatement will clear the records.

Abatement of the 1953 tax on O L 2, less S 160' 25-117-53, City Lands, was moved by Belk seconded by Skinner. Tax deed was taken on this property in July and the tax was in the process of being extended at the time. The Treasurer requested this abatement to clear the records. Motion carried.

A delegation from Germantown Township, Codington County, and from Grant County appeared in regard to 13 miles of highway on the Grant County Line. Those appearing were Gerhard Giese, Edwin Mathes, Rudolph Noeldner, Charles Zirbel, all from Grant County, and Carl Gunderson, William Redlin, Harry Mathes, Robert Neville of Germantown Township. A petition rejected in March 1955 was discussed, and after further discussion it was agreed the petition would again be circulated and presented to the Commissioners. No action was taken.

Glen Mitchell was appointed County Supervisor of Assessors for the year 1956, his term to end October 31, 1957, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted "yea", none voted "nay, and the Chairman declared the motion carried. The motion to appoint was made by Hogstad and seconded by Skinner.

A check paid to Faulkton Hospital $66.90 for care of Al Dummer had been returned to the County Commissioners, and on a motion by Skinner seconded by Belk it was ordered the amount should be credited to the Poor fund and the lien against Al Dummer for this amount should be released.

The payment of $20.35 by Hattie York was accepted by the Board as a payment in full for County Liens, on a motion by Skinner, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Partial release of the Charles Underhill property insofar as it pertains to the following described property Lots 1 thru 8, Block 6 Davis Addition to Watertown was granted on a motion by Skinner, seconded by Williams.

The Board spent the rest of the day inspecting roads and bridges.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until October 9 at 10:00 A.M.

October 9, 1956.

THE Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams: GENERAL Court Expense - Ray Makepeace $5.00, Hazel Hegarty $139.10, Ann Gullickson $27.56 Vera Hodge $27.56, Eagle Cafe $33.37, Ray French $35.70, Roy Stoltenburg $23.36, Curtis LaFramboise $19.20, Edgar Bunde $44.80, Royal Redlin $57.60, John Mors $64.60; Poor - Brown Clinic - $199.00 for Ella Alexander $9.00, Edwin Bates $4.00, Chas. Bierscheid $12.00, Cal Eck $8.00, Hilda Haack $19.00, Mrs. J.B.McLaughlin $9.50, Mrs.Theo. Meyers $24.00, Mae Mitchell $36.00, Seymore Peterson $6.50, Chas. Wattawa $71.00; O.P.Skaggs Store $63.33 for Verlaine Bundy $11.99, Robert Corey $16.47, Corwin Stanton $6.40, Chris Jensen $7.02, Florence Kennedy $5.67, Mrs. Will Norman $3.00, Sylvia Sharp $3.74, Jud Turner $9.04: J. C. Penney Store $24.22 for Chas. & Elsie Bundy; Shaw-Messer Ambulance Service $32.50 for Richard DePeel $7.50, Chris Engels $20.00, Harry Freeseman $5.00; Rogers Dairy $5.04 for Phoebe Mowery; M. C. Thompson $75.00 for Albert Hendricks $11.00, Clarence I. Morrison $27.00, Emma Lehman Orell $2.00, Mrs.John Taylor $4.00, August Warnke $31.00; Haggar Drug Store $120.47 for Ellen Anderson $17.10, Martin Bale $1.35, Hilda Ebens $28.89, Hilda Haack $6.84, Mary Kirkeby $1.80, Mrs. Frank Klucas $6.75, Nels Nielson $3.60, Seymore Peterson $7.20, Mrs. John Taylor $5.09, Ferne Washtoak $34.56, Joseph Welter; $7.29; Thomes Drug Store $145.80 for Ella Alexander $9.45, Chas. Bierscheid $1.35, Anna Christianson $6.30, Richard DePeel $14.27, John Farley $18.22, Albert Hendricks $6.21, Ludwig Grewing $26.19, May Mitchell $.68, Jerry O'Brien $27.21, Hector Parliament $2.03, Lena Trummer $2.21, Alfred Vick $31.68; Medical Arts Clinic $46.00 for Naomi Adams $30.00, Richard DePeel $2.00, Edwin Haack $14.00; Kreisers Drug Store $196.50 for Charles Alt $8.62 Ben Bergerson $3.15, James Chambers $121.37, Anna Christianson $16.47, Rosa Dixon $2.70, Hilda Ebens $20.43, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $11.88, Mrs. Doods Tiejen $11.88; Dr. D.J.Buchanana $9.00 for Sharon Gerjets; Dr. Donald N. Fedt $27.00 for Oscar Youngren $3.00, Earl Crocker $24.00; Madison Clinic $10.00 for Louis Rohde; A. Duffner Store $133.93 for Carl Berge $10.22 Mathilda Blek $17.09, Cal Eck $19.08, Rupert Gatchell $2.70, Ola Hanson $15.52, Frank Metzinger $2.69, Mrs. Chas. W. Montney $22.95, Louis Mourere $4.95, Jud Turner $1.62, August Warnke $32.16, Inga Yarns $4.95; Bartron Clinic $807.69 for James Audus $38.00, Maxine Asby $35.00, William Ball $3.00, Thomas Black $3.00, Mrs. Henry Becker $7.88, Blanche Berry $2.00, Mathilda Blek $1.20, Mrs. Reuben Born $80.00, Wood Carter $4.15, Mr. & Mrs. William Czech $4.75, Hilda Ebens $3.00, Art Eastberg $26.20, Chris Engels $35.00, John Farley $10.00, Harry Freeseman $60.76, Mrs. Carl Fritz $26.60, John Hess $64.60, Mrs. Arlone Johnson $34.80, Alice Jungen $9.10, Albert Kritta $18.00, Robert Main $4.65, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg $15.40, Frank Metzinger $6.60, Mary Mills $8.00, Louis Mourere $17.50, Nels Nielson $15.10, Emile Samstad $33.50, Hilda Schmeling $19.40, Wm. Schruers $18.00, Mrs. Eva Schultz $8.75, Rosa Shape $9.75, Mrs. & Mr. Frank Soulak $51.00, Sylvia Sharp $32.00, Carl J. Struss $6.30, Mrs. Blair Tessier $35.25, Mr. &Mrs. Jud Turner $1.70, Lena Trummer $9.10, Charles Underhill $3.00, Rollin A. Vance $17.35, Ferne Washtoak $8.00, Steve Wisneski $20.30; Memorial Hospital $1537.92 for Nammi Adams $167.54, Sara Black $394.64, Bert Crandall $7.00, Earl Crocker $46.86, Richard DePeel $15.18, Arthur Eastberg $58.70, Chris Engels $60.62, Harry Freeseman $155.45, Edward Haack $98.92, Mrs. Sylvia Sharp $194.97, Alfred Vick $34.93, Mrs. Wm. Schreurs $89.51, Frank Soulak $213.60; Annette Burgdorf $255.00 for John G. Blum $40.00, Susan Mack $40.00, Alpha Mudge $40.00, Nels T. Nelson $50.00, Jerry O'Brien $85.00; Walter Gusso $25.00 for Bert Crandall; Bertha Johnson $35.00 for Edw. McPeek; Mrs. Esther Kinsey $25.00 for Rosa Shape; Kinstad Rest Home $216.00 for Ola Hanson $36.00, Karl Berge $30.00, James Chambers $35.00, Rupert Gatchell $35.00, Robert Main $80.00; Elizabeth Marsh $25.00 for Matt Kemp; Mrs. Gordon Miller $40.00 for Sharon Gerjets; Mrs. Lyle Mogler $17.50 for Norma Remedies; St. Bernards Prov. Hospital $32.50 for Mary Meyers; S.D.Children's Aid $55.97 for Soren Nelson $42.64, Lyle Gerjets $13.33; Irene Stockman $60.00 for Loretto Stockman; Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $102.00 for Harry Freeseman $27.00, Frank Metzinger $40.00, August Warnke $35.00; Svendsen Nursing Home $208.00 for Sarah Black $13.00, Rosa Dixon $30.00, Hilda Ebens $95.00, Mary Kirkeby $35.00, Theresa Schummer $35.00; Watertown Rest Home $108.30 for L. Mourere $30.00, Ben Bergerson $45.00, Naomi Adams $33.30; Mrs. Bethel Cunningham $26.67 for Lyle Gerjets; Commissioners Per Diem & Mileage - James L. Keenan $64.70, Adolph Hogstad $164.05, Al M. Williams $111.50, Vernon H. Belk $53.30, Herb Skinner $81.00; Convention Expense - C.S. Rasmusson $21.00, Adolph Hogstad $38.92; Printing & Advertising - South Shore Gazette $36.58, Credit Bureau of Watertown $8.00, Watertown Public Opinion $141.65; County Farm

- J.C.Penney Store $6.31, A. Duffner Store $23.38, Nelson Hardware $6.20, Redlinger Bros. $3.90, City Treasurer $27.05, Watertown Implement Co. $4.00,Botsford Lumber Co. $297.67, Socony Mobil Oil Co. $11.15, Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $5.80, Park-Grant Co.$42.29,Sun-Shine State Hatchery $18.05, Ferrell Sales Co. $19.95,Spies Super Valu $9.76,Watertown Co-op Elevator Co. $40.00, Liens Grocery $25.73; Del.Tax Expense-South Shore Gazette $16.56; Court Expense - Bartron Clinic $30. 0; Assessors Supplies $34.00,to Watertown Public Op. Supervisor of Assessors Travel $32.97 for Glen Mitchell; Ruhe Stationery $1.50; Del.Tax Exp. $3.50; Photo News $85.00, News Printing Co. $3.23, James Nelson $862.46; Election Expense - Watertown Public Opinion $68.86, Photo News $458.20, South Shore Gazette $216.00; Supt. Schools Office Expense - Watertown Public Opinion $46.44, South Shore Gazette $41.47, News Printing Co. $4.82; Reg. Deeds Office Exp.-Remington Rand Co. $18.25, Mitchell Publishing Co. $58.70, Panama Carbon Co. $9.50; Supt. of Schools Travel-Mrs. Hazel G. Murphy $53.44; Sheriff's Radio $6.70to Roberts Radio & TV; States Attorney Office Exp. $41.54, Ruhe Stationery 5.05; Auditor Office Expense - Brown & Saenger $180.57, Panama Carbon Co. $64.50, Dakota Business Machines $44.00, Ruhe Stationery $1.75; Treasurers Office Exp. - Brown & Saenger $180.58, Panama Carbon Co. $64.50, LaFrance Office Equipment Co. $601.15; Equipment Fund $111.25 for Brown & Saenger; Clerk of Courts Office Exp. Brown & Seanger $4.82; Public Welfare Office Exp. $34.50 for Panama Carbon Co., Ruhe Stationery $4.65; Sheriff Office Exp. Ruhe Stationery $1.45, Sheriff Board of Prisoners - Lloyd Shenk $68.40, Mileage $287.15, Fees $218.00; Veterans Service - Office Exp. Ruhe Stationery $13.29; Extension Office Expense - Ruhe Stationery $2.50, Clara W. Johnson $165.26, Fred Morris $36.71; States Attorney Office Expense $41.54, Mileage $3.08 to Dale E. Bradshaw; Court House Maintenance - Nelson Hardware $6.85, Redlinger Bros. $1.28, Herb Skinner, Jr. $56.00, Dandar Electric Motor Co. $2.25, City Treas. $243.40, Otis Elevator Co. $56.75, United Chemical Co. $10.20, Egge Electric Co. $287.55, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $268.86, Dunlop Paint & Wallpaper Co. $88.28, Harris Janitor Supply Co. $60.00, Marshall Wells Co. $1.79, Midland Laboratories $61.38, Thomas Dulmage $66.00, Sherwin-Williams Paint Co. $4.70, Otto Enger $99.80, A. Duffner Store $22.00; Board of Health - Dr. H. Russell Brown $65.40; Memorial Park - Mileage Market $5.54, NW Public Service Co. $37.56, Montgomery Ward Co. $10.30,Raye Service Co. $2.00, Marquardts Service & Supply Co. $3.61; Burial of Indigent Persons - Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes $185.00: HIGHWAY & BRIDGE - Mileage Market - $372.04, Socony Mobil Oil Co. $1,527.40,Botsford Lumber Co. $32.85, Marquardt Service & Supply Co. $567.98, J. D. Evans Equipment Co. $1.42, Sioux Road, Inc. $26.67, Motor Supply Co. $8.93, Bard & Wika Inc. $17.13, Watertown Implement Co. $126.43, Cave Supply Co. $535.12, Bichler Motor Co. $19.70, Schwanke Seed & Service $7.95, Sheehan-Bartling Inc. $148.96, Chuck Crown Radio-TV $203.60, International Harvester Co. $221.40, Pecaut Equipment Co. $957.68,Foster-Bell Co. $168.73, Sanders Chevrolet Co. $4.62, Rezum Bros. Motor Co. $21.34,LaNoues Radiator Shop $9.00, Scholtz Radiator Service $10.00, John Mors $35.35, Florence Service $94.63, Thompson Yards $12.50, Watertown Radiator Co. $2.40, Mahowald Co. $4.69,Watertown Machine Works $5.58, Watertown Tire Co.$40.96, Watertown Iron & Metal Co.$1.50, Codington-Clark Elec. Co-op. Inc. $287.87, Phillips 66 Service -Henry $5.95: ROAD - City Treas. $9.26, Botsford Lumber Co. $234.97, Ray L. Carr $21.71, Northwest Public Service $10.10, Western Transportation $3.00; C.H.& B.R. Donald Nogelmeier $135.80, S.D. Dept. of Highways $4.00: SPECIAL BRIDGE - S.D.Concrete Products Co. $1,039.08, C.E.McGowan Lumber Co.$3.60: WEED BOARD - Matt Brandriet $43.61, Paul David $5.82, Joe J. Fox $5.68, Adolph Hogstad $7.78, TUITION FUND - Wallace Ind. School #37 - $4,614.00, Thorp Consolidated School Dist.$222.00, TEXT BOOKS - KWAT $60.00, Educator Supply Co. $47.06, Co-operative Recreation Service Inc. $18.96, Ginn & Co.$32.90,Scott Foresman & Co. $155.56, John C. Winston Co.$67.98, Row-Peterson & Co. $47.74, C.A.Gregory Co. $28.00, Hub City School Supply $15.53: INSTITUTE Doris Faye Nelson $10.00: TRUST FUNDS - Lucy R. Grant $15.00.

Lloyd Peterson, attorney, came before the Board in regard to the abatement of current taxes of Florence Lindquist Nafus in the amount of $13.40 on personal property of 1951, 1952, and 1953. The abatement was rejected on a motion by Skinner, seconded by Belk.

The State of South Dakota requested an abatement on non-assessable property in the amount of $259.37, which had been erroneously assessed against the State of South Dakota. Request was granted on a motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad, Motion carried.

A compromise settlement of Isabel Fitzgerald for 1939 and 1941 tax was agreed upon, and a motion was made by Belk and seconded by Williams to accept the compromise settlement on the interest as proposed by James Nelson the tax collector, for the years 1938, 1944, 1945. Motion carried.

Miss Joyce Parnel came before the Board in regard to winter clothing for Lyle Gerjets, and discussed various other welfare problems.

The bills for Yankton State Hospital $1885.34, Redfield $775.00, and Sanator for $60.06 were approved on a motion by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Williams.Motion carried.

Fees for the month of October for the Clerk of Courts $242.15 and the Register of Deeds for $539.70 were approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

County Treasurer's report to the Auditor was approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Belk as follows: Amounts deposited in Banks $284,492.60, Cash $3,059.10, Government Bonds $181,702.06, and Jail Building Bonds $12,642.48.

Orville Darrington came before the Board to discuss the removal of trees on his property. The State is constructing a road by his farm. TheCounty Highway Superintendent agreed to inspect and report to the Commissioners later. No action taken.

The Board agreed to send Gerald Peterson, the Shop Mechanic, with expenses paid to the LaTourneau Motor Grader School at Sioux Falls on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

TheBureau of Reclamation requested the Board of County Commissioners to take care of a drainage problem on the property that is owned by them. After some discussion the Superintendent of the Bureau was requested to appear. No action taken at this time.

RESOLUTION No. 289

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $687.25 from the sale of Motor Vehicle license plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July and October and this being the time to make the apportionment for the third quarter of 1956

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that the said money be apportioned among the respective municipalities as follows:

FLORENCE	$38.49
HENRY V.	38.49
SOUTH SHORE	38.49
WALLACE	28.86
WATERTOWN	542.92
TOTAL	687.25

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Williams and upon roll call, all Commissioners voted "yea" whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 9th day of October, 1956.

James L Keenan Chairman,
Board of County Commissioners

ATTEST:
Ina Welch Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota.

RESOLUTION #290

WHEREAS there has been received the sum of $5,110.27 from the sale of Motor Vehicle License plates, properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the 28% (twenty-eight percent) required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the third quarter of 1956

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows, to-wit:

Sheridan	$255.51	Graceland	$255.51		
Henry Twp	255.51	Waverly	326.49	Germantown	$340.67
Elmira "	255.51	Rauville	361.99	Dexter	425.86
				TOTAL	$2,477.05

AND WHEREAS, the County Highway System has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following townships:

Kranzburg	$440.08	Lake	$255.51	Phipps	$255.51
Pelican	255.51	Richland	$255.51	Leola	255.51
Kampeska	255.51	Fuller	404.57	Eden	255.51
				TOTAL	$2,633.22

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that said fund apportionment as above set out be held by the County Auditor to pay for the completion of the County Highway System in the said townships in the apportion as above provided and pursuant to law, and no part thereof shall be actually paid over to the said townships, provided however that any amount of the respective allotments to the respective townships not paid out for the completing of the roads of the County Highway System, shall revert to and be payable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Williams and upon roll call all Commissioners voted "Yea", whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 9th day of October, 1956.

James L Keenan Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, S. Dak.

ATTEST: Ina Welch Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota.

Fred Morris appeared with the specifications for the Armory. He asked the Board to state when it wished the three acres given to the County by the American Legion to be turned over to the County. The Board requested the City Engineer to draw the plans as to location of the acreage and report to them later. No action was taken.

A motion was duly made and seconded to adjourn until Tuesday, October 16 at 10:00 A.M. Motion carried.

October 16, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all Commissioners present, Chairman Keenan presided.

Equip Bids

This being the time and place set for opening the bids for a new 1956 Model Four Wheel Tractor with detachable mower, the county auditor was instructed to open and read the bids submitted - five bids were received:

Codington County Implement Company
Watertown Implement Company
Stan Houston Equipment Company
Rozum Brothers Motor Company and
The McCormick Farm Equipment Store.

After each representative was given time to explain the various machines, and after much discussion by the Board the bid was given to The Stan Houston Equipment Company for its machine most closely met the required specifications and the amount of their bid being $2,587.00. The motion was made by Skinner, seconded by Hogstad, and upon roll call all voted "yea" and none voted "nay", whereupon the Chairman declared the motion carried. The auditor was instructed to return the certified checks to the unsuccessful bidders.

Ross Oviatt met with the Board to set a date for the hearing to vacate a certain road way in Crestview Addition to Watertown. On motion by Skinner, seconded by Belk, the hearing was set for November 16, 1956 at 10:00 A.M.

Rex Blackwell Construction Engineer for the Bureau of Reclamation appeared in reference to a drainage problem. The Board recessed to inspect this site, accompanied by the Supt. of Highways for Codington County.

The Chairman appointed the entire Board to act as a committee to inspect the property in Crestview Addition concerned with the vacation of the roadway or street.

Ray Johnson appeared before the Board in regard to interest on personal property taxes and real estate taxes for the years 1951, 1953, but no action was taken.

Barch abatement

It was moved by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad to concur with the City and grant the abatement of Dale Barch of $10.00, this being a double assessment, he having been assessed in Watertown and in Sheridan Townships.

Cong church abatement Refused

A motion was made by Skinner and seconded by Belk to reject the application of the First Congregational Church for abatement of real estate taxes for 1955 on and against Lots 5-6, Block 7, Syndicate Addition to Watertown, and be further deferred until application for abatement on J. G. McFarland is fully determined in court. Motion carried.

Road Petition

Wm. Redlin filed a petition with the Board for 13 miles more or less of road on the Grant and Codington County dividing lines and on a motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad the petition was ordered filed and no other action was taken.

1956
ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
:SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON :

WHEREAS a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles of main line and side track and the value per mile for the year 1956 of each of the railroads running through or into said County, as fixed by said Commission, towit:

COMPANY, LINE OR DIVISION	MILEAGE MAIN LINE	MILEAGE SIDE TRACK	VALUATION PER MILE MAIN	VALUATION PER MILE SIDE	VALUATION MAIN LINE	VALUATION SIDE TRACK	TOTAL VALUATION
CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN							
Minnesota State Line	11.76	.26	5 563	1 356	195 983	353	196 336
Dakota Division	26.36	.52	5 189	1 367	144 502	711	145 213
GREAT NORTHERN							
Watertown to Huron	33.06	.76	6 079	1 959	243 593	1 489	245 082
Watertown to Sioux Falls	5.68	.12	4 520	994	31 891	119	32 010
M & ST. L							
Pacific Division	16.65	.39	2 682	654	75 635	255	75 890
Northern Division	24.19	.36	2 014	654	58 069	235	58 304
TOTALS	117.70	2.41			749 673	3 162	752 835

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State that the number of miles of Main Line and Side Track, shown by the plats of each of said railroads on file in the office of the County Auditor, and the value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township and school district of Codington County, South Dakota for the year 1956 shall be as follows:

~~BY TOWNSHIPS~~

NAME OF ~~TAXING DISTRICT~~ Mileage

1956

BY TOWNSHIPS

NAME OF TAXING DISTRICT	MILEAGE MAIN LINE	MILEAGE SIDE TRACK	VALUATION PER MILE MAIN	VALUATION PER MILE SIDE	VALUATION MAIN LINE	VALUATION SIDE TRACK	TOTAL VALUATION
WATERTOWN, C&NW Minn.Line	2.14				142 467		142 467
C&NW Dakota Div	2.50				20 225		20 225
Gt.Northern Hur	2.85				56 866		56 866
M&St.L Pacific	2.06				36 505		36 505
M&St.L NW	1.45				6 068		6 068
GN Sioux Falls	00				6 217		6 217
HENRY,C&NW Dak.Div.	1.02				5 760		5 760
SOUTH SHORE,GN Huron Div.	1.26				10 740		10 740
FLORENCE M&ST L Northwest	.51				4 704		4 704
WALLACE,M&STL NORTHWEST	.50				3,533		3,533
KRANZBURG,C&NW Minn.Line	6.09	.26	5,563	1,356	33 879	353	34 232
SHERIDAN,C&NW Dak.Div.	6.71	.23	5 189	1 367	34 818	315	35 133
PELICAN,C&NW Dakota Div.	4.58		5 189		23 766		23 766
PELICAN,GN Huron Br.	7.25		7 079		44 073		44 073
PELICAN,GN Sioux Falls Br	5.68	.12	4 520	994	25 674	119	25.793
KAMPESKA,C&NW Dakota Div.	6.09	.29	5 189	1 367	31 601	396	31 997
KAMPESKA,GN Huron Br.	2.69	.38	6 079	1 959	16 352	744	17 096
HENRY, C&NW Dakota Div.	4.92		5 189		25 530		25 530
ELMIRA, C&NW Minn. Div.	3.53		5 563		19 637		19 637
ELMIRA, M&ST.L.PacificDiv.	6.15		2 682		16 494		16 494
ELMIRA, GN Huron Br.	2.25		6 079		13 678		13 678
LAKE, C&NW Dakota Div.	.54		5 189		2 802		2 802
LAKE, GN Huron Br.	1.77		6 079		10 760		10 760
LAKE, M&STL Northwest Div	6.52	.35	2 014	654	13 131	229	13 360
WAVERLY,M&STL Pac.Div.	8.44	.39	2 682	654	22 636	255	22 891
WAVERLY,GN Huron Br.	.90		6 079		5 471		5 471
RAUVILLE,GN Huron Br.	7.74	.38	6 079	1 959	47 052	745	47 797
FULLER,M&STL Northwest	7.69		2 014		15 487		15 487
LEOLA,GN Huron Branch	6.35		6 079		38 601		38 601
DEXTER, M&STL Northwest	1.93		2 014		3 887		3 887
EDEN, M&ST L Northwest	5.59	.01	2 014	654	11 259	06	11 265
TOTALS	117.70	2.41			749 673	3 162	752 835

BY SCHOOL DISTRICTS

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO.	MILEAGE MAIN LINE	MILEAGE SIDE TRACK	VALUE PER MILE MAIN LINE	VALUE PER MILE SIDE TRACK	VALUATION MAIN LINE	VALUATION SIDE TRACK	TOTAL VALUATION
Watertown #1	11.49				270 891		270 891
#27 C&NW Dak.Div.	3.44		5 189		18 317		18 317
Ind.#27 M&STL NW Div.	3.51		2 014		10 746		10 746
Ind. #38 GN Huron Br.	2.38		6 079		17 548		17 548
Wallace Ind.M&STL NW	2.03	.01	2 014	654	6 615	6	6 621
#74 GN Huron Br.	6.60		6 079		40 122		40 122
#74 M&STL Pac.Div.	6.62	.39	2 682	654	17 755	255	18 010
No. 2 C&NW Dakota Div.	4.65		5 189		24 129		24 129
No. 3 M&STL NW Div.	3.96		2 014		7 975		7 975
No. 4 C&NW Dakota Div.	.33	.07	5 189	1 367	1 712	96	1 808
No. 5 C&NW Minn.St.Ln	3.04	.26	5 563	1 356	16 911	353	17 264
No. 7 GN Sioux Falls Br	5.68	.12	4 520	994	25 674	119	25 793
No. 7 GN Huron Br.	3.62		6 079		22 006		22 006
No. 8 GN Huron Br.	4.02		6 079		24 438		24 438
No. 9 C&NW Dakota Div.	3.58		5 189		18 577		18 577
No.10 M&STL NW Div.	.65		2 014		1 309		1 309
No.13 GN Huron Br.	3.20	.38	6 079	1 959	19 453	745	20 198
No.14 M&STL Pacific Div	5.26		2 682		14 107		14 107
No.16 C&NW Minn. Line	2.01		5 563		11 182		11 182
No.17 C&NW Minn.Line	3.53		5 563		19 637		19 637
No.17 C&NW Dakota Div.	2.24		5 189		11 623		11 623
No.24 C&NW Dakota Div.	2.98	.29	5 189	1 367	15 463	396	15 859
No.25 GN Huron Br.	2.69	.38	6 079	1 959	16 352	744	17 096
No. 29 C&NW Dakota Div.	2.50		5 189		12 973		12 973
No.36 GN Huron Branch	2.88		6 079		17 507		17 507
No.39 GN Huron Branch	3.63		6 079		22 067		22 067
No.41 M&STL NW Div.	1.17		2 014		2 356		2 356
No.43 M&STL Northwest Div	1.49		2 014		3 001		3 001
No.46 M&STL NW Div.	3.08		2 014		6 203		6 203
No.51 M&STL NW Div.	3.77		2 014		7 593		7 593
No.63 M&STL Pacific Div.	2.71		2 682		7 268		7 268
No.64 C&NW Minn.Line	1.04		5 563		5 786		5 786
No.66 C&NW Dak.Div.	3.65	.16	5 189	1 367	18 940	219	19 159
No.67 GN Huron Branch	1.19		6 079		7 234		7 234
No.73 M&STL NW Div.	3.08	.35	2 014	654	6 203	229	6 432
TOTALS	117.70	2.41			749 673	3 162	752 835

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 16th day of October, 1956.

ATTEST: Irma Welch Auditor
Codington County, S. Dak.

Thomas L Nelson Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
:SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON :

WHEREAS a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles and total valuation ofor the year 1956 of each of the Pipeline Companies running through or into said County, as fixed by said commission, to-wit:

NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Great Lakes Pipeline Company	11.09	233 429

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State that the number of miles of Pipeline, shown by the plats of each pipeline company on file in the office of the County Auditor, and value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township, and school district of Codington County, South Dakota, for the year 1956 be as follows:

BY TOWNSHIPS

TAXING DISTRICT	NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Kranzburg Twp.	Great Lake Pipeline Co.	6.69	22 630
Sheridan Twp.	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	4.40	210 799
	TOTALS	11.09	233 429

BY SCHOOL DISTRICTS

SCHOOL DISTRICT	NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
L	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	.51	197 638
11	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	2.05	6 942
12	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	3.91	13 224
17	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	3.34	11 293
52	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	1.28	4 332
	TOTALS	11.09	233 429

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 16th day of October, 1956.

James L. Kemnitz Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST: Anna Nilch Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota.

1956
ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
:SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON :

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission showing the number of miles and total valuation for the year 1945 of each of the electric light or power companies running through or into said County, as fixed by said commission, to-wit:

NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
Northwest Public Service Co.	72.10	164,335
Otter Tail Power Co.	3.25	7,464

NOW THEREFORE it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State, that the number of miles of electric light and power companies shown by the plats of each said electric light and power company on file in the office of the County Auditor and value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township, and school district of Codington County, South Dakota, for the year 1956 is as follows:

BY TOWNSHIPS

TAXING DISTRICT	NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
South Shore	Otter Tail Power Co.	1.7	6 306
Leola	Otter Tail Power Co.	1.55	1 158
Watertown	Northwest Public Service Co.	3.5	21 255
Florence Village	Northwest Public Service Co.	—	8 875
Henry Village	Northwest Public Service Co.	—	12 395
Wallace Village	Northwest Public Service Co.	—	6 520
Kranzburg	Northwest Public Service Co.	—	4 470
Grover	Northwest Public Service Co.	—	1 080
Sheridan Twp	Northwest Public Service Co.	0.5	1 860
Richland Twp	Northwest Public Service Co.	1.0	750
Lake Twp.	Northwest Public Service Co.	10.5	31 490
Kranzburg Twp	Northwest Public Service Co.	8.0	12 175
Kampeska Twp.	Northwest Public Service Co.	15.0	13 805
Henry Twp.	Northwest Public Service Co.	12.0	23 305
Graceland Twp.	Northwest Public Service Co.		530
Fuller Twp	Northwest Public Service Co.	0.5	1 100
Elmira Twp	Northwest Public Service Co.	11.1	14 750
Eden Twp.	Northwest Public Service Co.	6.0	5 395
Dexter Twp	Northwest Public Service Co.	4.0	3 655
Kampeska Vil	Northwest Public Service Co.		925
		75.35	171 799

BY SCHOOL DISTRICTS

SCHOOL DISTRICT	NAME OF COMPANY	MILES	TOTAL VALUATION
#1 Watertown Ind.	Northwest Public Service Co.	4.50	$22 266
#38 South Shore Ind.	Otter Tail Power Co.	3.25	7 564
#2	Northwest Public Service Co.	4.50	6 768
#3	Northwest Public Service Co.	2.00	6,554
#5	Northwest Public Service Co.	1.00	5 836
#6	Northwest Public Service Co.	1.00	573
#8	Northwest Public Service Co.	1.50	2 050
#9	Northwest Public Service Co.	4.00	6 013
#12	Northwest Public Service Co.	4.00	7 242
#14	Northwest Public Service Co.	1.00	1 544
#16	Northwest Public Service Co.	2.00	2 201
#17	Northwest Public Service Co.	8.00	12 005
#24	Northwest Public Service Co.	8.00	17 233
#25 Grover	Northwest Public Service Co.	4.50	2 850
#27 Henry Ind.	Northwest Public Service Co.	6.50	29 310
#28 Florence Ind.	Northwest Public Service Co.	3.50	12 849
#29	Northwest Public Service Co.	2.50	3 760
#37 Wallace Ind.	Northwest Public Service Co.	2.00	8 082
#43	Northwest Public Service Co.	1.50	1 348
#44	Northwest Public Service Co.	2.00	6 554
#51	Northwest Public Service Co.	3.50	3 266
#52 Kranzburg	Northwest Public Service Co.		355
#54	Northwest Public Service Co.	3.00	3 160
#64	Northwest Public Service Co.	1.00	1 011
#73	Northwest Public Service Co.	0.50	1 505
	TOTALS	75.35	171 799

Dated at Watertown South Dakota this 16th day of October A.D.1956.

Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST: Anna Belch Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until October 23, 1956 at 10 A.M.

October 23, 1956

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present at 10 A.M., Chairman Keenan presided.

The County Highway Superintendent came before the Board to advise relative to the Rauville Bridge and a bridge in the South Shore area. After some discussion the Board decided to inspect the areas in question. Board recessed for inspection.

The Ray Johnson abatement for $84.52 of interest on prior taxes was allowed on the recommendation of the tax collector. Motion was made by Skinner, seconded by Williams, and the motion carried.

The abatement of interest for Mike J. Fitzgerald for prior tax was allowed on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams.

Moved by Skinner and seconded by Belk that the Supervisor of Assessors, Glenn Mitchell, be allowed to attend a state training school to be held in Huron, November 14-15 with expenses paid as prescribed by law. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until October 30, 1956 at 10:00 A.M.

October 30, 1956

The County Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10:00 A.M. with all members present. Chairman Keenan presided.

Cliff Kittleson came before the Board to inform about road problems with the Board. No action was taken.

On a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams to refund Albert Talbot $1.00 for School Poll, motion carried. Talbott has been in the National Guard for seven years.

Officers bonds and oaths of office for Schools, Townships, and villages were approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Williams as follows:

Kranzburg -	Joseph W. Stricherz,	Constable
	Robert Raml	Justice of Peace
	Leo W. Mack	Assessor
	Helen E. Bauer	Treasurer
	Joseph Clausen	Clerk
Sheridan	C.B.Moorehouse	Clerk
	Bert Draves	Treasurer
	Clarence Moorehouse	Assessor
Pelican	Vernon Benthin	Clerk
	August Zamow	Treasurer
	Charles Elfring	Assessor
	Ray Hailing	Justice of the Peace

Kampeska Twp.	James DeVine	Clerk
	Herbert Klatt	Treasurer
	Edmund Klatt	Assessor
Henry Twp.	Edwain A. Valberg	Clerk
	Frank Coplan	Treasu er
	H.C.Rawlins	Assessor
Elmira Twp.	Chris Kirsch	Clerk
	Richard Hoffman	Treasurer
	Ernest Konrady	Assessor
	HarveyWheatley	Justice of Peace
Lake Twp.	Harold K.Benbow	Clerk
	H.J.Welch	Treasurer
	Rufus Spurrell	Assessor
Richland Twp.	Lewis Landuyt	Clerk
	Albert Schultz	Treasurer
	Leonard J.Murphy	Assessor
Graceland Twp.	Robert Boehnke	Clerk
	Elden Flury	Treasurer
	Harold L.Hanson	Assessor
Waverly Twp.	Maynard Stormo	Clerk
	Frank Schmitt	Treasurer
	Ervin Johnson	Assessor
Rauville Twp	Elmer Noeldner	Clerk
	Raymond Stein	Treasurer
	Robert Zick	Assessor
Fuller Twp	Morris Michaelson	Clerk
	Charles Robbins	Treasurer
	Chris Hvidhyld	Assessor
Phipps Twp.	Grover Peterson	Assessor
	Olive Floden	Treasurer
	Selmer Peterson	Clerk
Leola Twp.	Albert Erickson	Clerk
	John Neville	Treasurer
	Donald Meyer	Assessor
Germantown Twp	Elmer O.Bunde	Clerk
	Otto Korth	Treasurer
	Sig Gran A	Assessor
Dexter Twp.	Julius Stee	Clerk
	Elbert Rukstad	Treasurer
	Howard Popham	Assessor
Eden Twp.	O. A. Olson	Clerk
	Duane Hallstrom	Treasurer
	Leonard Chilson	Assessor
Henry Village	Florence Jakle	Clerk
	Alma Hammel	Treasurer
	Winfield Whitmore	Assessor
Florence Village	Bernard E.Sumner	Clerk
	C.H.Jones,	Treasurer
	Ed Nerland	Assessor
South Shore	Leonard H.Johnson	Clerk
	Erwin Koll	Treasurer
	Alvin C. Meyer	Assessor
Wallace S.D.	Lucille MPack	Clerk
	P.O.Brekke	Treasurer
	P.O.Brekke	Assessor

SCHOOL OFFICERS BONDS:

Ind. #1 Bert Morgan, Treas. Mabel P. Hanson, Clerk
Munger #4-Mrs. Hanna Cook, Clerk
Elmira #8-Robert J. Cordell, Clerk
Gill #10 -Clarence G. Kahnke, Clerk
#12 -Mrs. Charles Tesch, Clerk
#15 Rauville Harry R. Britzman, Clerk
#16 Lawrence Cordell, Clerk
#24 Kampeska - Aaron Van Sickle, Clerk, Herman Benthin, Treas.
#25- Ambrose Hallauer, Clerk
#26 Mrs.LaVern Meseberg,Clerk
#27 Henry Ind. Sadie Cummings, Clerk
#28 Florence Ind. M.G.Trautner, Treas.
#30 N.Graceland Allen Posner, Clerk
#32 Richland Leonard T. Murphy, Clerk
#37 Wallace Ind. Leora Palm, Clerk, P.O.Brekke Treas.
#38 South Shore Hilda E.Harrington, Clerk, Marvin M.Anderson, Treas.
#41 August Marotz, Clerk
#42 Belmond William Nichols,Clerk
#46 Roy Brown, Clerk
#48 Mrs. Inna Tschakert, Clerk
#49 John Dalton,Clerk
#52Kranzburg Francis Wagner, Clerk
#55 Grandview Sylvester Roe,Clerk
#57 Donald Meyer, Clerk
#60 Harold LaFramboise, Treas.
#61 Edgar Strege, Clerk
#62 Holterich Meyer, Clerk
#64 Thomas Lindner, Clerk,
#65 Germantown Harry O. Bonns, Clerk
#67 Leola John A. Erickson, Clerk
#68 Mrs. Cecil Bunde, Clerk
#70 Melvin Thompson, Clerk
#72 Eden Leslie Stark, Clerk
#73 Lake City Dorothy Grue, Clerk
#74 Waverly Con. Paul J. Stricherz, Clerk,
#74 Ben J. Thyen, Treasurer.
#6 John Spiering, Clerk

A refund of $14.79 was granted to Melvin Erickson on a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams. Motion Carried. An error had been made in extending figures on a combine.

RESOLUTION No. 291

WHEREAS there has been withheld the sum of $3,620.74 from the sale of Motor Vehicle License plates properly apportionable to Kranzburg Township in Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight percent (28%) required to be placed in the fund, to be known as the County Special Highway Fund, and denominated in the office of the County Auditor as Township Motor Vehicle Fund.

AND WHEREAS the sum withheld is greater than is required to complete the necessary work in the said County Highway System in the said township,

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved that the sum of $3,620.74 be apportioned to the said township as follows:

Kranzburg $3,620.74

The above and foregoing resolution was moved by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Skinner, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted yes, and none voted no, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 30th day of October, 1956.

Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County, South Dakota.

By James L Keenan
Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Al M Williams

Attest: Irma Welch Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota

Bounty Claims were approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Belk as follows: James Beskow $4.00, William Carter $7.50, Paul DeBerg $4.00, David Guderian $7.50, Michael Hastings $4.00, John Hobelsberger $7.50, Milford Jameson $4.00, Mrs.Phil Jenkins $4.00, C.L.Jenkins $7.50, L.A.Keszler $4.00, Elwin Kittelson $4.00, Mrs. Clinton Krause $4.00, Hilbert Lowitz $7.50, Dennis Lindner $7.50, Gerald Marotz $4.00, Keith Morgan $7.50, Willis Moyer $4.00, Harold Moyer $4.00, Oris Olson $15.00, Lynell Popham $4.00, Gene Rainey $7.50, Mrs. Earl Roe $4.00, Bibbie L. Sharp $4.00, Virgil Sikkink $7.50, Dennis Schmeling $4.00, Evelyn W. Soldier $4.00, Warren Sumner $4.00, Orlando Thompson $7.50, Wilbert Voelsch $7.50, W.C.Williams $7.50, Louis Washtoak $12.00, Dale Zemlicka $4.00

Report of persons at the County Farm was noted by the Board.

Verified claims were checked and approved by motion of Commissioner Williams and seconded by Commissioner Belk as follows: GENERAL: Court Expense-Vera Hodge $17.28, Arlene Asmussen $30.56, Mabel Tolwetzke $61.84, Rose Robinson $30.56, David Rawdon $20.56, Eugene Bohls $35.70, Aaron Van Sickle $38.40, John Reichling $35.70, Mabel Tulowetzke $13.64, Vera Hodge $22.28, David Rawdon $15.28, Marcella Haugen $50.85, Edward Dayton $60.98, Ray French $15.28, Carl Deal $56.00, Frank Welch $44.00, Ray Makepeace $44.00, Mrs. Ray Makepeace $8.00, Eugene Bohls $20.28, Mildred Dunlop $41.12, Roy Helgeson $55.98, Hazel Zeller $50.98, Arlene Asmussen $15.28, Rose Robinson $20.28, Tuck's Cafe $27.30, Hubert Klatt $91.80, Robert Slade $46.12, Hazel Meyer $15.14, Mabel C. Alworth $118.56, Hazel Hegarty $139.40, Joe Gerlach $26.00: Poor-Mrs. Georgia M. King $100.00 for Mrs. Frank Soulak, Old Age & Survivor Insurance -$973.08, SALARY: Auditor - Irme E.Welch $325.00, Alice V. Olson $210.00, Edna Derenthal $190.00, Fay N. Wohlheter $180.00, Hilary M. Jensen $150.00; Treasurer's Office-Paul Krakowski $325.00, Hazel Schliesmann $210.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad $185.00, C. Joyce Rowe $185.00; Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl $296.68, Leilah Auby $195.00; Register of Deeds - Margaret Brown $296.68, Beverly Mickelson $205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson $165.00; Mrs. Hazel G. Murphy $325.00,-Supt. of Schools Office- Ruth M. Johnson $200.00; States Attorney's Office - Dale E. Bradshaw $283.75, Ross E. Oviatt $150.00, Beverly DeVille $125.00; County Judge- Herbert Norbeck $400.00; Municipal Judge Donald W. Lobitz $200.00: GENERAL: Auditor's Office-election Exp.-Kaylyn Welch $189.00; Reg. Deeds Office Exp.-Mrs. Hazel O. Duncan $144.00; SheriffFees & Mileage $85.00 for Bert Smith; Jailors Salary-William J. Meyer $250.00; Veterans Service Officer-George Burke $200.00, Dorothy Pomeroy $81.90; Court House Maint. Carl Deal $220.00; County Extension Office - Audrey Kleveter $170.00; County Farm - Henry Klemsrud $115.00, Pearl Klemsrud $100.00: Supervisor of Assessors $300.00: Civil Defense - Ed Howson $25.00; C.H.M. Otto Enger $264.00;Court Expense $50.98 Ed Hinsch, John Mors $31.76: Commissioners Per Diem, Mileage & Salary - Vernon H. Belk $124.40, Al M. Williams $143.90, James L. Keenan $119.50, Adolph Hogstad $111.88, Herb Skinner $107.26: WEED BOARD Matt Brandriet $200.00: C.M.V. C.S.Rasmusson $575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt $210.00, Sever Tobiason $205.00, John Rennie $299.00, Joe Stricherz $316.25, Claude Van Sickle $302.45, Clarence B.Sumner $313.95, Harold Scriver $267.95, Ed Gould $131.25, Alfred Spring $312.50,James Hendren $390.00, Howard Williams $338.85, Carl Zweig,Jr. $341.55, Burton Jackson $351.00, Gerald Peterson $161.00, Clarence Helle $287.50,Fred C. Brownell $241.50, John Strait $220.00, Chas. Krogman $125.00, Leo Clausen $220.00, Curtis Underwood $220.00, Julius Lentz $103.00, Andrew T. Larson $240.00, Harold L. Nafus $75.00, Thos. Spiering $148.00, Wm. E.Hjellming $253.00, Joe Schmeling $90.00, Elmer Dahl $118.00, : CH & BR-Ed Gould $68.75, Alfred Spring $12.50, Clarence Helle $11.50, John Strait $10.00, Chas. Krogman $55.00, Leo Clausen $15.00, Curtis Underwood $10.00, Julius Lentz $55.00, Harold L. Nafus $55.00, Thomas Spiering $30.00: SP. BR. Ed Gould $125.00, Carl Zweig Jr. $9.45, Gerald Peterson $138.00, Fred C.

Brownell 10.50, Chas. Krogman $80.00, Julius Lentz $102.00, Harold L. Nafus $100.00,Thomas Spiering $44.00; CO.SP.HI...EDEN - Fred C. Brownell $10.50, John Strait $30.00, Leo Clausen $25.00, Curtis Underwood $30.00, Andrew T. Larson $20.00, Thomas Spiring $30.00.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until November 9 at 10:00 A.M.

Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota.

November 9, 1956.

The County Board of Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, at 10:00 A.M., Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Belk: GENERAL: Court Expense-Martha Sharp $45.98, Fred Beskow $63.72, Aaron Van Sickle $22.80, Arthur H. Hasche $25.00,Roy Stoltenburg $12.80, Winfield Whitmore $79.60, Mrs. John Tesch $23.92: Poor - Lillian G. Fike $16.00 for John Farley: TRUST FUND - Lucy R. Grant $15.00.

The County Superintendent of Schools, Mrs. Hazel G. Murphy, was given permission to attend the annual meeting of A.S.B. of South Dakota, held November 14-15 in Huron. Motion made by Skinner, seconded by Belk, and carried.

The report of fees collected by the Clerk of Courts, Walter Farl, $230.95, and the Register of Deeds, Margaret Brown $838.45 for the month of October, was approved on a motion by Skinner, and seconded by Hogstad.

The bills for Yankton $1860.83, Sanator $44.33, and Redfield $775.00 were approved on a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Williams.

George Burke, Veterans Service Officer reported for the month of October. The report was noted by the Board.

The abatement of $1.00 for School Poll for A. L. Spilde was approved on a motion by Williams and seconded by Skinner. A. L. Spilde has not lived in Codington County in 1955.

A Road Petition for 4 miles of road in Kranzburg Township, beginning at the NE corner of Section 1-116-51, thence south to the SE corner of Section 24-116-51; and a Road Petition for 3 miles of road in Rauville Township, connecting the NE corner of Section 10-118-52, known as the Forrestville road and running south along the East Section lines of Sections 10-15-22, to a road known as the Baskerville & Dahl Road. The above petitions were discussed at some length, no action taken. The entire Board agreed to act as a committee to inspect the site, and then set a date for hearing. The Petitions were placed on file and will be in the Auditor's office.

H. E.Harrington, Minneapolis & St. Louis Roadmaster, came to discuss the possibility of eliminating the overhead bridge at Wallace. No action was taken at this time.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until Tuesday, November 13 at 10:00 A. M.

November 13, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened, pursuant to adjournment, at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Hogstad, and seconded by Belk, as follows: GENERAL:-Court House Maint. Harold Frandsen $247.80, Otis Elevator Co. $56.75, Ruth Shenk $17.32, Owen Electric Service $183.89, Churchill Manufacturing Co. 150.50, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. $55.10, Herb Skinner Jr. $25.00, Wilson Truck System $1.80, Bard Sheet Metal Works $41.66, United Chemical Co. $10.20, Luxor Lighting Products, Inc. 36.16, Certified Electric Corp. $13.74, C & NW Railway Co. $2.44, Hillyard Sales Co. $125.65, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $273.10, Northwest Products Co.,Inc. $18.00, Pitney-Bowes $21.60, Railway Express Co. $3.05, Redlinger Bros. Co. $81.73, City Treas. $342.79, Park Grant Co. $13.97; Board of Insanity-Ruth Shenk $5.00: County Farm - Nelson Hardware Co. $4.53, City Treasurer $27.75, Park Grant Co. $16.98, A. Duffner Drug Store $29.41, J. C. Penney Co. $15.08, Olson Gas & Appliance Co.$5.80, Spies Super Valu $12.15, Schwanke Electric Service $4.50, Edward Aljoe $3.00, Botsford Lumber Co. $10.07, Lien Grocery $36.20, Marshall Wells Store $2.06, Sunshine State Hatchery $12.65; C.H.M. - Nelson Hardware $14.31: ELECTION EXPENSE - Nelson Hardware $3.75, Herb Skinner Jr. $67.50, Photo News $116.00, Ruhe Stationery $1.65, Watertown Public Opinion $90.24, South Shore Gazette $86.88, William Ruesink $12.50, Erwin Jacobson $9.00, Emmett Johnson $11.00, Andrew Anderson $11.50, Lyle G. Johnson $11.00, Art Bolhouse $12.00, James C. Mooney $11.00, Esther L. Johnson $20.02, Esterline Clark $14.02, Beth H. Crawford $14.02, Betty Ward $14.02, Iola Kampen $14.02, Westside Motors $5.00, Elizabeth M. Larson $15.28, Mrs. Ruth Goodell $9.28, Mrs. Marilyn Mack $9.28, Mrs. Regina Miller $9.28, Mrs. Mabel Lowry $9.28, William L. Reilly $20.30, Mrs. Rosella Morrison $14.30, Mrs. Mavis Karbo $14.30, Mrs. Mabel Drake $14.30, Mrs. Eldora Pickering $14.30, George Wemmering $21.30, Clara Wagner $15.30, Caroline Lebert $15.30, Frank Lebert $7.00, Hazel I. Kornman $15.30, Roma Coplan $15.30, F. R. Trzynka $20.22, Mrs. Virgil Sikkink $14.22, Fremont G. Forsberg $14.22, Lillian M. Ries $14.22, Abbie E. Gergen $14.22, Colonel Motors $5.00, George Haberman $19.02, Maisie Barrick $13.02, Carrie Blake $13.02, Juanita Biedinger $13.02, Stella Furness $13.02, Mrs. William J. Fox $19.40, Mrs. Harvey Curtice $13.40, Mary Terveen $13.40, Eleanor Buchola $13.40, Lucy Eastberg $13.40, W. E. Knight $19.62, Mazie H. Langwill $13.62, Mabel E. Speers $13.62, Tillie E. Gaughan $13.62, Ruth Graham $13.62, Katharine Hanson 16.08, Mabel Moen $10.08, Grace Shinnick $10.08, Anna Louise Martens $10.08, Mrs. Pauline Deal $10.08, David G. Paterson $18.62, Gertrude Haney $12.62, James Horning $12.62, Mrs. F. J. Kerssen $12.62, Mrs. Edith H. Potter $12.62, Bert Morgan $20.10, Lois Hallberg $14.10, Marge McNamara,$14.10, Fan Krochock $14.10, Vera Olsen $14.10, Selma Young $13.96, John Noonan $13.96,C.D.A ntritter $19.96, Nora B. Berg $13.96, Frances Wallenfelt $13.96, Harry P. Sigelman $17.76, Baskerville & Dahl $5.00, Jessie E. Scott $11.76,

Ilah May Mitchell $11.76, Bernice Kuester $11.76, Inez Hanson $11.76, Skinner Transfer & Storage Co. $5.00, Luelle Leonard $20.82, Erma Handeland $14.82, Harriett Horning $14.82, Phyllis Coombes $14.82, Luella Frankenhoff $14.82, Elizabeth Korcal $20.64, Mary E. Smedley $14.64, Viola Peterson $14.64, Connie Gray $14.64, Gladys Leahy $14.64, Pattrick Gribbin $15.86, Mrs. Albert Andraschko $15.86, Mrs. Quentin Thompson $15.86, Mrs. R.T.Matz $15.86, Bichler Garage $5.00, P. O. Brekke $18.90, Frank Hallauer $7.50, Louis Anenson $7.50, Leora Palm $7.50, Louise Hogstad $7.50, P.O.Brekke, Treas.Wallace Village $5.00, Marvin Anderson $19.68, Hilda Harrington $9.88, Louis Zielsky $9.88, Leonard H. Johnson $9.88, Roy Drake $9.88, Town of South Shore, Treas. $5.00, George Swisher $8.78, D.B.Kelton $12.78, Carl Brownell $8.78, Sadie Cummings $8.78, Ruby Keyes $8.78, Treas. Henry Village $5.00, Chester Jostad $17.18, Harry Thorsen $7.78, Bernard Sumner $7.78, Carl Mallgren $7.78, Harry Lentz $7.78, Treasurer - Florence Village $7.50, William Jesme $17.66, Lawrence Hagen $7.66, Arthur Haugen $7.66, Theo. Lovick $7.66, Donald Olson $7.66, Treas. Eden Twp $5.00, L.J. Dybevik $21.86, Alfred Hogstad $8.72, Glenn Stadheim $8.72, Albert Rossow $17.72, William Flisrand $8.72, Allen Putnam $8.72, Treas.Dexter Twp. $5.00, Otto Korth $26.78, Orrin Gunderson $8.78, Ernest Bunde $8.78, Carl Moyer 8.78, Leon Sievert 8.78, Effie Paulson 7.50, Mrs. Dorothy McGillivary 7.50, Jerome Orthaus 7.50, Mrs. Olive Floden 7.50, Robert Nichols 17.50, Treas. School #43 5.00, Chris Hvidhyld $15.62, W.R.Murphy 8.42, Morris Michaelson 8.42, Art Wensing 8.42, Oscar Mallgren 8.42, Treas. Fuller Twp. 5.00, Raymond Stein 13.92, Frank Boeder 7.92, Robert Zick 7.92, Lloyd Stark 7.92, Elmer Noeldner 7.92, Treas.Rauville Twp. 5.00, Martin J. DeVille 15.90, Stanley Schmitt 8.10, Paul J. Stricherz 8.10, Felix N. DeVille 8.10, Arthur Hegstrom 8.10, Treas. Waverly Twp. 5.00, Landon Flury 7.50, Mrs. Lloyd Nelson 7.50, Harry Vogt 17.00, Robert Boehnke 7.50, Clara M. Vogt 7.50, Treas. School Dist. No. 30 5.00, Fred Schwandt 14.50, Herman Schultz 7.50, Leonard Murphy 7.50, Louis Landuyt 7.50, Albert Schultz 7.50, Treas. Richland Twp Dist #6 5.00, G.E.Williams 18.78, Maynard Mahanke 12.58, Carl Benthin 12.58, Rufus Spurrell 12.58, Elmer Borns 12.58, Treas. Lake Twp 7.00, M.H. Suttor 13.90, Ernest Konrady 7.50, George O. Taecker 7.50, Richard Hoffman 7.50, Harold Neuendorf 7.50, Treas. Elmira Twp 5.00, Elwin Kittelson 7.50, Earl Van Sickle 7.50, George Curley 15.50, John Dalton $7.50, Edwin Valberg 7.50, Treas. Dist No. 49 5.00, Emil Mischke 7.78, Loren Wolf 7.78, Edgar Rausch 14.58, Mildred Born 7.78, Lyndren Kuhlman 7.78, Treas. Dist No. 24 5.00, J. E. Krull 13.70, Martin Fuerstenau 7.70, May Schuelke 7.70, Della Zamow 7.70, Helen Klatt 7.70, Treas. School Dist. #39 5.00, Edw.Dessonville 14.90, Mike Wagner 8.10, Hanna Cook 8.10, Walter Lantsberger 8.10, Neil Evans 8.10, Treas. School Dist #66 10.00, Mrs. William Mack 10.76, Rudolph Saathoff 10.76, Isador Clausen 17.76, Mrs. Mary Tesch 10.76, Robert Sherman 10.76, C.O.F.Kranzburg 10.00; Public Welfare - Herb Skinner Jr. 1.50: Board of Insanity - Donald N. Fedt 15.00, Gordon Schaefer 5.00, - Public Welfare - LaFrance Office Equipment Co. 65.00, Ruhe Stationery 4.00, Midwest Beach Co. 10.09; Delinquent Tax Expense - James Nelson 1051.37; County Extension - City of Watertown 30.00,Clara W. Johnson 71.81, Fred Morris 117.79, Clinton Stein 8.75, Ruhe 24.05: Supt. Schools Travel Exp. Mrs. Hazel Murphy $56.98; Supr. of Assessors - Glen M.Mitchell-Mileage 74.13: County Equipment - Robert J. Carlson 39.95, Friden Calculating Machine Agency 725.00; Supt Schools Office Exp. - F.A.Owen Publishing Co. 5.00, Photo News 2.04, Pioneer Flag Co. 10.00, Sioux Falls Book & Stationery Co.53.58: Auditor's Office Expense 8.30 - Robert J. Carlson, Park Grant Co. 6.70, A.Duffner Store 1.47, Ruhe 3.76: POOR - A. Duffner Drug Store $84.70 for Carl Berge 12.60, Mathilda Blek 4.21, Cal Eck 9.09, Mike Feyen 2.16, Ola Hanson 9.81, Frank Metzinger 3.38, Mrs.Chas. W. Montney 27.72, Walter Rickard 4.48, Inga Yarns 11.25: Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. 57.13 for Mrs. Chas. Bundy 33.63, Jud Turner 23.50;Kreiser Drug Store 231.18 for Chas.& Lizzie Alt 18.03, James Chambers 135.79, Mrs. Anna Christianson 23.22, Chris Engels 4.05, Nellie Jensen 5.53, Mrs. Cathryn McLaughlin 14.09, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg 11.03, Mrs. Dooks Tiejen 19.44: McBath Coal & Coke - $24.84 for Mrs. Edith Bunde:Memorial Hospital $556.22 for Vernon Anderson 72.39, Delbert Button 69.69, Donna Haase 35.45, Mr.&Mrs.Lester Haase 54.20, Martin Larson 185.91, Jerry O'Brien 138.58:Medical Arts Clinic $64.00 for Delbert Button 6.00, Martin Larson 54.00, Jerry O'Brien 4.00: Montgomery Ward Co. $3.00 for John Farley: J.C.Penney Co. $10.90 for Matt Kemp:Roger Dairy $5.84 for Phoebe Mowry: St. Ann Hospital 948.60 for Mae Mitchell 571.10, Albert L. Kritta 80.55, Mrs. Catherine McLaughlin 161.90, Mrs. Roy Messerschmidt 113.85, John O'Neill 21.20: O. P. Skaggs Store $71.49 for Nordeen Brekke 33.90, Mrs. Elsie Bundy 10.86, Sylvia Sharp 10.75, Jud Turner 15.98: Standard Oil Co. 5.00 for Phoebe Mowry; Thomes Drug Store $132.09 for Albert Hendricks 2.02, Ella Alexander 7.56, Chas. Bierscheid 5.00, Nordeen Brekke 5.71, Mrs. Anna Christianson 6.30, Richard DePeel 7.78, John Farley 9.98, Ludwig Grewing 27.90, Jerry O'Brien 25.36, Lena Trumer 3.38, Alfred Vick 31.10; Dr. M. C. Thompson 44.50 for Richard DePeel 2.00, Hilda Haack $3.00, Albert Hendricks 8.00, Clarence I. Morrison 27.50, Mrs. John Taylor 4.00: Watertown Community Oil Co. $7.60 for Mrs. Ed Bates:Walter Gusso $25.00 for Bert Crandall: St. Williams Home $47.00 for Mary Meyers: Bertha Johnson $34.00 for Ed McPeek:Kinstad Rest Home $221.00 for Ola Hanson 36.00, Karl Berge 25.00, James Chambers 30.00, Rupert Gatchell 30.00, Robert Main 80.00, John Farley 20.00;Mrs. Lyle Mogler $17.50 for Norma Remedies: Mrs. Elizabeth Marsh $25.00 for Matt Kemp: Irene Stockman $60.00 for Loretto Stockman: Mrs. Abner Sturdevant 67.00 for Harry Freeseman 27.00; Frank Metzinger $40.00: J. S. Svendsen Nursing Home 180.00 for Rosa Dixon 25.00, Hilda Ebens 95.00, Mary Kirkeby 30.00, Teressie Schumer 30.00: S.D.Children's Aid 40.00 for Soren Nelson: Mrs. Esther Kinsey $25.00 for Rosa Shape: Watertown Rest Home 110.00 for L. Mourere 25.00, Ben Bergerson 45.00, Naomi Adams $40.00: Mrs. Georgia M.King $100.00 for Mrs. Frank Soulak, Shaw-Messer Ambulance 11.50, for Clem Doms: Annette Burgdorf $260.00 for John Blum 40.00, Susan Mack 40.00, Alpha Mudge 40.00, Nels T. Nelson 50.00, Jerry O'Brien 85.00, Florence Williams 5.00: H.J.Bartron,M.D. $16.00 for Robert Corey: F.P.Creaser & Son $12.13 for Jud Turner:Busy Bee Cafe - $20.00 for Oscar Youngren: Mrs.Bethel Cunningham $79.80 for Lyle Gerjets: Haggar Drug Store $141.04 for Hilda Ebens 41.40, Frances Kreger 6.80, Rosa Dixon 2.43, Mary Kirkeby 1.80, Seymore Peterson 13.77, Josephine Welter 4.32, Ferne Washtoak 16.29, Hilda Haack 4.28, Martin Bale 18.99, Mrs. John Taylor 6.21, Frank Klucas 4.05, Mrs. Ellen Anderson 17.10, Nels Nielson 3.60: COmmissioners Per Diem, Mileage - James L. Keenan 115.90, Herb Skinner 67.85, Vernon H. Belk 66.10, Al M. Williams 95.20,Adolph Hagstad 66.38: Court Expense - Curtis LaFramboise 19.20,Clinton Voight 55.84, Cecilia M. Beirne 118.56, Ruhe 2.44: Memorial Park - Halverson Repair Shop 3.00: Clerk of Courts Office Exp. Ruhe .90, Brown & Saenger 11.93: Register of Deeds Office Expense-Ruhe .88, Remington Rand 154.85: Sheriff Office Expense - Ruhe 1110: Sheriff Mileage 432.65: Board of Prisoners 111.20, Fees 134.75 paid to Lloyd Shenk 675.91: Treas. Office Expense Ruhe 2.69, Civil Defense Exp. Ed Howson 5.10: County Board of Education - S. Robert Pearson 17.00: Board of Health - H. Russell Brown M.D. 38.90, Dr. M.C.Rousseau 5.20: Law Library 2.00 to State Bar of S.D.: Prting & Advertising - Watertown Public Opinion 114.00, South Shore Gazette 172.40

ROAD FUND: Botsford Lumber Co. 11.19, Redlinger Brothers Co. 7.72, City Treasurer 8.98, Algard Machine Shop 9.75, Bard & Wika Inc. 65.10, Gerald Burke 42.50, Bergan-Johnson Texaco Co. 37.00, Dakota Welding Supply 8.06, Paul David 120.93, J.D.Evans Equipment Co. 20.53, General Supply Co. 8.00, Gooch Sales Co. 17.45, International Harvester Co. 418.89, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. 19.95, K & Z Service 16.36, LaNoue's Radiator & Battery Shop 32.50, C.H.Lockhart $105.86, Frank B. Lebert 42.59, Louis Landuyt 52.50, C.E.McGowan Lumber Co. 10.68, Michael Todd & Co. 216.00, Motor Supply Co. 38.19, Mahowald Company 23.50, Watertown Northwestern Public Service Co. 3.20, Gerald Peterson 16.80, Reaney Service 293.71, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. 4.77, Albert Schultz 42.77, Socony Mobile Oil Co. 2,020.95, Fred Schwandt 25.29, Sheehan-Bartling Inc. 4.71, Mileage Market 318.82, Harold Sciver 4.69, Lyle Thorson 19.92, Watertown Machine Works 2.92, Watertown Implement Co. 80.84, Carl Wiese 1.00, Watertown Tire Co. 28.42, Northwest Road Supply Co. 20.56

C.H.&R.R. Myrtle Boeye $42.53, L. T. Brekke 125.65, August W. Marotz 28.49, Ralph Muller 8.30, Harold Muller & Marlys Muller 95.37, Earl Roe 6.32, S.Dak.Department of Highways 3,732.81, Epho H. Thomas 65.47, Lawrence Wishard 6.64, Elmer York 31.83

SPECIAL BRIDGE Miller Bros Lumber Co. 75.85, Northwest Road Supply Co. 509.50, S.D.Concrete Products Co. 612.72

WEED BOARD Matt Brandriet 42.35, Merrill A. Markegard 16.30

SCHOOL TUITION: Thomas Independent Consolidated School 530.00, P.O.Brekke Wallace Ind. School 3,480.00

TEXT BOOKS American Book Co. 10.85, News Printing Co.105.78, Scott Foresman & Co. 24.44, Warp Publishing Co. 23.58, Wilson Truck System 3.50. INSTITUTE FUND Douglas Chittick 35.00

This being the time and place for hearing on the vacating of a street or roadway in Crestview Addition, Ross Oviatt representing Earl Mills, after some discussion the hearing by agreement of all parties, was postponed until November 20 at 2:00 P.M. This was agreed to so the City Engineer, John Babcock could appear with the Commissioners before a decision was made.

Fire Chief, Ray DeVetter, came to the Board to discuss fire protection for all of Codington County. No action was taken.

O. E. Beardsley, attorney, came before the Board and requested a full release insofar as it pertains to the following described property-Lots 1,2,3, Block 18, Davis Addition to Watertown, this property owned by Charles W. Poor of Hamlin County is not the Charles Poor that received county poor aid. A motion was made by Hogstad and seconded by Williams to approve the request. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION NO. 292

WHEREAS actung under Chapter 43 of the Session Laws of the State of South Dakota of 1947, and upon notice duly published to adopp a Supplemental Budget for the year of 1956

AND WHEREAS it is deemed necessary and advisable to adopt a Supplemental Budget so that the County of Codington may conduct the indispensable functions of Government,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the following amounts as set out herein shall constitute and be adopted as the Supplemental Budget for 1956:

GENERAL FUND	
Welfare	$10,000.00
County Judge Office Exp.	300.00
Social Security	200.00
Assessors Supplies	1,000.00
Supr. Assessors	300.00
Election Expense	1,000.00
TOTAL	$12,800.00

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Hogstad, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the Resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 13th day of November, 1956, at Watertown, South Dakota.

James P. Keenan
Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Al. M. Williams

(SEAL)
Attest: Anna Welch County Auditor

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until November 20 at 10:00 A.M.

November 20, 1956

The Board of County Commissioners convened, pursuant to Adjournment, at 10:00 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Keenan presided.

Verified Claims were checked and approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Williams: GENERAL - Court Expense - Donald Osheim $25.00, Ralph Fischer 51.76.

Dean Sumner, the newly elected States Attorney, came in to visit with the Board about office space in the Court House. The Board agreed to inspect the offices now occupied by the State Highway Department and make whatever arrangements would be needed. A report will be forthcoming later.

John and Crescentia Curley paid the contract in full on Lots 4,5,6 in Block 12, Henry Village, and the County Auditor was instructed to draw a Quit Claim deed on a motion by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Hogstad. Motion carried.

John Babcock, City Engineer and Earl Mills came before the Board at 2;00 P.M. to discuss the vacating of the street or roadway in Crestview addition to Watertown. John Babcock recommended to the Board the street or roadway be vacated because another street is being opened 150 feet west of this location. A motion was made by Skinner, and seconded by Belk, to grant to the applicants the vacating of the roadway which extends between 12th Avenue North, and 14th Avenue north in the City of Watertown, South Dakota, along the western boundry of the Methodist Homes Outlots, and Bartron outlot, and Crestview Addition. Upon roll call all Commissioners voted "yea" none voted "nay" and the Chairman,Commissioner Keenan, declared the motion carried. Resolution 292A on file in Auditor's Office.

The date of hearing for applications for alcoholic beverages in the county, outside of municipalities, was set at 2:00 P.M. in the afternoon December 11, 1956 in the Commissioners Room on the second floor of the Court House, Watertown, South Dakota.

A motion was made by Hogstad and seconded by Belk to tear down the structure on Lot 10, Block 3, in Davis Addition to Watertown, this structure being infested with rats, a fire trap, and being of no value. This being for the best interests of the tax payers of this district on roll call all commissioners voted yea and none voted nay. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until Tuesday, November 27 at 10:00 A.M.

November 27, 1956.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Belk, and seconded by Williams, as follows: SALARY: Auditor's Office - Irma Welch $325.00, Alice V. Olson 210.00, Edna Derenthal 190.00, Fay Wohlheter 180.00, Hilary Jensen 150.00: Treasurer's Office Paul Krakowski 325.00, Hazel Schliesmann 210.00,DeLoris A. Goodroad 185.00, C.Joyce Rowe 185.00, Clerk of Courts - Walter A. Farl 296.68, Leilah Auby 195.00; Register of Deeds office - Margaret A. Brown 296.68, Beverly Mickelson 205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson 165.00: Superintendent of Schools Office - Mrs. Hazel G. Murphy 325.00, Ruth M. Johnson 200.00: States Attorney-Dale E. Bradshaw 283.75, Ross E. Oviatt 150.00, Beverly DeVille 125.00: County Judge 400.00, Herbert Norbeck: Municipal Judge - Donald W. Lobitz 200.00:

GENERAL: Reg of Deeds Office Expense - Mrs. Hazel O. Duncan 108.90: Sheriff Fee & Salary - Bert Smith 85.00: William J. Meyer Jailor 250.00: Court Expense - Hazel Hegarty, 135.00: Mabel C. Alworth 118.56, Joe Gerlach 25.00, Carl Howe 23.93: Veterans Service Officer 200.00, Dorothy O. Pomeroy 89.10: Court House Maint. Carl J. Deal 220.00, O.W. Enger 222.75: County Extension-Audrey Kleveter 170.00: County Farm - Henry Klemsrud 115.00, Pearl Klemsrud 100.00: Supervisor of Assessors - Glen M. Mitchell 300.00, KayLyn Welch 139.50: Civil Defense - Ed Howson 25.00, Poor - Mrs. Gordon J. Miller $40.00 for Sharon Gerjets. Court Expense - Ann Gullickson 27.56, Edgar Bunde $30.88.

WEED BOARD: Matt Brandriet 200.00. C.M.V. C.S.Rasmusson 575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt 210.00, Sever Tobiason 205.00, John Rennie 282.90, Joe W. Strichesz 312.80, Claude Van Sickle 271.40, C.B.Sumner 138.00, Harold Scriver 234.60, Ed. Gould 181.25, Alfred Spring 165.00, James Hendren 123.00, Howard Williams 209.25, Carl Zweig Jr. 188.25, Clarence Helle 253.00, Gerald Peterson 276.00, Fred C. Brownell 142.80, Thomas Spiering 155.00, Curtis Underwood 101.00, John Strait 180.00, Leo Clausen 130.00, Julius Lentz 127.00, Chas. H. Krogman 163.00, Andrew T. Larson 123.00, Harold L. Nafus 101.00, Harold Keyes 37.00, Wm E. Hjellming 136.00, Joe Schmeling 79.00, Burton Jackson 108.00.

COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL: John Rennie 18.75, Claude Van Sickle 20.00, Harold Scriver 32.50. CH & BR - Ed Gould 21.25, Alfred Spring 137.50, Carl Zweig, Jr. 18.90, Fred C. Brownell 115.50, Thomas Spiering 10.00, Curtis Underwood 110.00, John Strait 60.00, Leo Clausen 120.00, Julius Lentz 20.00, Chas. H. Krogman 10.00, Andrew T. Larson 110.00, Harold L. Nafus 7.00, Burton Jackson 27.00. SPECIAL BRIDGE: Ed Gould 122.50, James Hendren 177.00, Howard Williams 109.35, Carl Zweig Jr. 132.30, Clarence Helle 46.00, Gerald Peterson 11.50, Thomas Spiering 85.00, Curtis Underwood 2.00, Leo Clausen 10.00, Julius Lentz 107.00, Chas. H.Krogman 85.00, Andrew T. Larson 10.00, Harold L. Nafus 92.00, Burton Jackson 135.00: COUNTY SPECIAL HIGHWAY - FULLER - Alfred Spring 10.00, Curtis Underwood 10.00, John Strait 10.00. DEXTER - Alfred Spring 12.50, Fred C. Brownell $14.70, Curtis Underwood 17.00, John Strait 10.00, Andrew T. Larson 10.00. KRANZBURG - 73.50 to James Hendren, Curtis Underwood 5.00, Chas. H. Krogman 3.00, Andrew T. Larson 5.00. LEOLA - Howard Williams 25.65, Carl Zweig Jr. 10.80, Burton Jackson 81.00.

GENERAL: Commissioners Per Diem, Mileage, Salary - James L.Keenan 101.80, Vernon H. Belk 94.60, Adolph Hogstad 122.58, Herb Skinner 104.25, Al M. Williams 99.00.

Mrs. Lydia Tessier came before the Board to offer a payment of $150.00 as a compromise settlement for all county liens, and upon receipt of such payment the Board agreed on a motion by Skinner, seconded by Williams to grant this settlement. Motion carried.

Ed Gribbin, Attorney, and Ernest Goodroad appeared before the Board in regard to some lots that the County took tax deed for in 1928 - to-wit Lots 1 thru 33 in Martins Railway Addition, and in 1939 Emil Scharn bought Lots 28,29,30,and 31 and paid taxes on them in 1943, in April 28, 1944 he sold these lots to Ernest Goodroad, and gave him a quit claim deed. The deed from the County to Scharn was never recorded. After some discussion

the matter was referred to the States Attorney.

Mrs. Beryl Blake came before the Board to discuss welfare problems.

Jim Nelson, Tax Collector, met with the Board to discuss tax problems of Williams and Leola Krause. No action was taken.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until Tuesday, December 4, at 10:00 A.M.

Anna Welch
County Auditor, Codington County,
South Dakota.

December 4, 1956

County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present. Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams. GENERAL: Poor - Mrs. Gordon J. Miller for Sharon Gerjets $40.00: Court Expense - Francis C. Burns $25.00, Cecilia M. Beirne $118.56: TRUST FUNDS Lucy R. Grant $15.00.

This being the time for the adoption of the Supplementary Budget as follows:

RESOLUTION #293

WHEREAS: Acting under Chapter 43 of the Session Laws of the State of South Dakota of 1947, and upon notice duly published to adopt a Supplemental Budget for the year 1956,

AND WHEREAS: It is deemed necessary and advisable to adopt a Supplemental Budget so that the County of Codington, may conduct its indispensable functions of Government,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That the following amounts as set out herein shall constitute and shall be adopted as the Supplemental Budget for 1956:

GENERAL FUND:	
Election Expense	$ 700.00
SPECIAL FUND	
Redfield	2,100.00

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Skinner, seconded by Commissioner Belk, and upon roll call all voted "yea" and none voted "nay" whereupon the Chairman declared the Resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 4th day of December 1956 at Watertown, S. Dak.

James J. Keenan
Herb Skinner
Vernon H. Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Al. M. Williams

Attest: Anna Welch
County Auditor

The bills for Redfield $779.17, Sanator $25.74 and Yankton $1,846.83 were approved on a motion by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

A motion made by Williams, seconded by Hogstad, to accept the $400.00 offered by William and Lulu Krause and approved by the tax collector, James Nelson, as a compromise settlement on taxes. After some discussion the motion carried.

A motion was made by Williams, seconded by Belk to abate the interest of $16.43 to Sanders Chevrolet, this being an added assessment on cars after August 1st and the company claimed they did not receive notice of the same. Payment was made on the tax in full, and the interest was waived.

Motion made by Williams and seconded by Belk to refund school poll of Milton McPeek. Milton McPeek was assessed for a school poll when he is a veteran. Motion carried.

The Veterans Service officer's report for November was noted by the Board.

The School officer bonds of August Zamow, Pelican Township, and Leslie McClung of Eden Township were approved on a motion by Skinner, seconded by Hogstad.

A motion was duly made and seconded to adjourn until Friday, December 7 at 10 A.M.

December 7, 1956

County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Skinner, seconded by Hogstad: GENERAL: Bailiff Fees Carl Deal $28.00: GENERAL Postmaster $000.00 494.65: Court Expense

Margaret Ristow $15.28. ROAD FUND 5.35 for Postmaster.

Hearing dates for the adoption of a Supplemental Budget at 10 A.M. December 28 were approved on a motion by Skinner, seconded by Hogstad.

Hearing dates for bids on Gas, Oil, and Highway Supplies was fixed for January 4 at 10:00 A.M. on a motion by Belk, seconded by Skinner.

Hearing dates for letting bids for Concrete Pipe, 2-4D etc. was set for January 11, 1957 on a motionby Hogstad, seconded by Williams.

Commissioners adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded until December 11, 1956 at 10:00 A. M.

December 11, 1956

County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams:
GENERAL: Court Expense - Albert Boerner $30.28, John Maloney $10.20, Regina Miller $30.28, Ruhe Stationery $6.40, F.C.Grow Sons $36.00, Palace of Sweets $17.50, Brown Clinic 30.00; Bailiff Fees - Ray Makepeace $24.00
Poor - Postmaster $10.00, Sturdevant Rest Home $101.00 for Frank Metzinger $35.00, Jerry O'Brien $66.00; Annette Burgdorf $175.00 for John Blum 40.00, Susan Mack 40.00, Alpha Mudge 40.00, Nels T.Nelson $50.00, Florence Williams $5.00; Mrs. Bethel Cunningham $40.00 for Lyle Gerjets; Walter Gusso $25.00 for Bert Crandall; Bertha Johnson $34.00 for Ed McPeek; Kinstad Rest Home $216.00 for Ola Hanson 31.00, Karl Berge 25.00, Rupert Gatchell 30.00, Robert Main 80.00, John Farley 20.00, James Chambers 30.00; Mrs. Elizabeth Marsh $25.00 for Matt Kemp; Mrs. Gordon Miller $46.33 for Sharon Gerjets; Mrs. Lyle Mogler $17.50 for Norma Remedies; St. Williams Home $34.15 for Mary Meyers; Irene Stockman $60.00 for Loretto Stockman; Watertown Rest Home $110.00 for Louis Mourere $25.00, Ben Bergerson 40.00, Naomi Adams 45.00; J.S.Svendsen Nursing Home $180.00 for Rosa Dixon 25.00, Mrs. Alfred Ebens $95.00, Mary Kirkeby 30,00, Teresa Shumer 30.00; Bartron Clinic $922.85 for Lizzie Alt 2.00, Maxine Asby 16.00, Mrs.Henry Becker 5.80, Mathild Blek 11.90, Wm.Czech & wife 50.95, Art Eastberg 17.75, John Farley 21.15, Mike Feyen 2.00, Harry Freeseman 31.00, Henrietta Fritz 53.97, Alice Jungen 3.50, Mrs. Arlone Johnson 59.95, Albert Kritta 6.00, Robert Main 7.95, George Manley ~~xxxx~~ 4.10, Frank Metzinger 16.80, Mary Mills 12.00, Mrs. Chas. Montney 21.60, Louis Mourere 20.93, Nels Nielson 61.65, Jerry O'Brien 2.00, Anna Parsley 15.10, Mrs. Seymore Peterson 4.95, Hilda Schmeling 38.30, Mrs. Wm. Schreurs 18.00 Mrs. Eva Schulz 18.50, Rosa Shape 20.85, Sylvia Sharp 10.25, Mrs. Frank Soulak 1.20, Blair Tessier 146.60, Lena Trumer 28.35, Rollin A. Vance 34.10, Steve Wisneske 45.85, Ferne Washtoak 18.00, James Audus 4.00, Wm. Ball 5.00, Blanche Berry 2.00, Joyce Christianson 4.00, Hilda Ebens 3.00, Lester Haase 9.00, Emma Jenkins 3.85, Ruth Nelson 16.00, Peter Peterson 39.00, Josephine Roethler 5.45, Mrs.Ellsworth Spearbeck 2.00, Jud Turner .50; L. L. Blake $9.10 for Harry Fisher; Brown Clinic $385.50 for Ella Alexander 7.00, Chas. Bierscheid 6.00, Mrs. Nordeen Brekke 65.50, Wood Carter 10.00, Clem Doms 99.00, Hilda Haack 10.00, Mrs.Kathryn McLaughlin 60.00, Mae Mitchell 64.00, Alice Redetzke 25.00 Mrs. John Taylor & George 3.00, Cal Eck 3.00, Mrs. Roy Messerschmidt 22.00, John O'Neil 7.00, Seymore Peterson 4.00; David J. Buchana, M.D. $5.00 for Baby Sharon Gerjets; Butterbrodt Drugs $3.65 for Ivan McKee; Codington County Oil Co. $14.20 for Mary Tribbets; F.P.Creaser & Sons $23.50 for Mrs. Carl Hemiller; A. Duffner Store $108.07 for Carl Berg 9.90, Mathilda Blek 10.40, Rupert Gatchell .90, Ola Hanson 14.94, Emil Herter 13.28, Emma Jenkins 2.55, Frank Metzinger 6.75, Mrs. C.W.Montney 27.72, Jerry O'Brien 14.48, Mrs. Ellsworth Spearbeck 2.20, Inga Yarns 4.95; Donald Fedt, M.D. $63.00 for Jas. Chambers 7.00, Mrs.M.J.Flowers 44.00 Emma Klucas $12.00; Mrs. Ella Haefner $10.00 for Debbit Heathcote; Haggar Drug Store 225.94 for Ellen Anderson 22.86, Martin Bale 1.35, Rosa Dixon 2.43, Hilda Ebens 56.84, Hilda Haack 6.98, Mary Kirkeby 1.80, Frank & Emma Klucas 2.25, Frances E.Kreger 19.04, Mae Mitchell 11.66, Nels Nielson 1.80, Seymore Peterson 4.95, Alice Redetzke 11.03, Mrs. John Taylor 7.43, Jud Turner 4.73, Ferne Washtoak 54.86, Josephine Welter 15.93; Hayes-Lucas Lumber Company 47.50 for Mrs. Peter Brockhoft 24.00, Jud Turner 23.50; Mrs. Esther Kinsey 25.00 for Rosa Shape; Kjos Shoe Store 4.95 Norma Remedies; McBath Coal Co. 75.07 for Alice Redetzke 24.60, Cecil C. Roush 26.32, Oscar Wangen 24.15; Mathieson Gergen & Rhodes 15.00 for Donna Haase 5.00, Sarah Black 5.00, Naomi Adams 5.00; Medical Arts Clinic 84.00 for Mrs. Ellen Anderson 14.00, Vernon Anderson 12.00, Emil Herter 14.00, Francis E.Kreger 10.00, Martin Larson 4.00, Jerry O'Brien 26.00, Mrs. Theo. Treat 4.00; Memorial Hospital $839.02 for Warren LeVake 125.03, Phoebe Mowery 104.55, Peter Peterson 199.40, Mrs.Luella Schreurs 82.35, Rosa Shape 288.98, Alfred Vick 38.71; Nash Finch Company 28.62; J.C.Penney Co. 29.25 for Verlaine Bundy 23.56, Matt Kemp 5.69; Rich's Oil Co. 6.75 for Beverly Kinsey; Rogers Dairy 2.80 for Phoebe Mowery; O. P. Skaggs Store ~~$60.60~~ 60.60 as follows Nordeen Brekke 30.60, Homer Black 8.23, Mrs. Chas. Bundy 7.47, Chris Jensen 1.84, Jud Turner 12.46; Socony Vacuum Oil Co. 14.20 for John DeWall 14.20; S.Dak.Children's Aid 44.10 for Soren Nelson; Standard Oil Co. 45.10 for Marjorie Brekke 14.20, Phoebe Mowery 16.30, Carl J. Struss 14.60; Thomes Drug Store 88.74 for Ella Alexander 16.15, Chas. Bierscheid 5.40,Richard DePeel 11.97, John Farley 6.03, Albert Hendricks 2.70, H.H.Parliament 4.05, Mrs.Theo. Treat 9.68, Alfred B Vick 31.68, Lena Trumer 1.08; Dr. M.C.Thompson $69.00 for Hilda Haack 18.00, Albert Hendricks 14.00, Clarence I. Morrison 20.00, Emma Lehman Orell 13.00, Mrs. John E. Taylor 4.00; Watertown Community Oil Co. $37.00 for Edwin Bates 21.80,Homer Black 15.20;
Comm. Per Diem, Mileage - James L. Keenan $79.60; Herb Skinner 94.78; Adolph Hogstad 110.73, Vernon H. Belk 107.30; Al Williams 101.00.
Printing & Advertising - Henry Independent 172.36; Watertown Public Opinion 133.35; South Shore Gazette 8.01: Election Expense - Henry Independent 145.06, Watertown Public Opinion 53.36,South Shore Gazette 92.52, Ruhe's 4.75, Lloyd Shenk 11.76, Mollie Andree 90.00, Harriett Horning 72.00, Leonard Heckathorne 90.00; Supt. Schools Office Exp. Henry Independent $47.29; Ruhe 4.80, Gene Murphy 5.40, Mid-west Beach Co. 2.23; Clerk of Courts Office Exp. Watertown Public Opinion 79.15, Ruhe 72.50; Convention Expense - C.S.Rasmusson 24.00. Auditor's Office Exp. Watertown Typewriter Co. 6.95, Burroughs Corp. 1.45,Ruhe 10.79; Assessors Supplies News Printing Co. 967.41, Ruhe 16.10; Extension Agents - Ruhe 114.10, Carlsons 19.24, State 4-H Club Office 18.85, Clara M. Johnson 13.48; Sheriff Office Exp. Ruhe 4.60, F.C.Grow Sons 11.00, Butterbrodt Drug Store .10; Public Welfare Exp. Ruhe 9.50, Delinquent Tax Expense - Ole James Nelson 868.77. County Treas. Office Exp. Mitchell Pub. Co. 300.47; Reg. Deeds Office Exp. Mitchell Publishing Co. 5.30

Board of Prisoners 157.60, Sheriff Fees 92.50: Mileage 240.35 all for Lloyd Shenk 490.45; Radio - Burghardt Radio Supply .73; County Judge Office Exp. 5.94 for Brown & Saenger, Deanne Brown 233.50. Coroners Expense - Leslie E. Mathiesen 14.20, Court House Maint. City Treas. 444.59, Dunlop Paint & Paper Co. 26.88, Egge Electric 433.01, Otto Enger 25.30, Inman Plumbing & Heating Co. 1.25, Marshall-Wells Co. .15, Miller Bros. 21.20, Otis Elev. Co. 79.17, Owen Elec. Co. 16.40, Pitney-Bowes Inc. 1.85, Redlinger Bros.Co. 3.46,Nelson Hardware Co. 10.36; County Farm - City Treas. 35.25, A. Duffner Store 27.77,J.C.Penney Co. 6.19, O.P.Skaggs Store 6.56, Cota Produce 2.60, Dandar Elec. 7.25, Jake's Uptown Serv.1.10, Liens Grocery 34.01, Nelson Hardware Co. 10.87, Olson Gas & Appliance Co. 5.80, Park-Grant Co. 26.66, Spies Super Valu 11.89, Sunshine State Hatchery 4.65, Watertown Cooperative Elevator Co. 11.74, Park Grant Co. 9.00; County Equipment - Marshall Wells Co. 20.00; Insurance, Bond Premium & Workmen's Comps. 521.77 to Fire Underwriters Board; Memorial Park Miller Delivery 10.60; Supr. of Assessors - Glenn Mitchell 87.62; County Board of Education Mrs. Robert Bard - 20.28, Philip Bergh 34.00, DeLos DeBerg 11.12, Willard Grow 25.35, Earling Johnson 32.32, W.I.Nichols 33.44,Ben Thyen 27.28; Board of Health - Brown Clinic 10.20. Board of Insanity - Donald N. Fedt, M.D. 15.00; Burial Indigent Persons 375.00. Election Exp. Mileage Market 1.98.
ROAD - Martin J. DeVille 122.04, Hayes-Lucas Lumber Co. 25.51, Northwestern Public Service 6.20, Western Transportation Co. 4.61, Wm. Klein 27.43, Ragna M. Goodh 113.12, John Comes 57.68, City Treas. 18.50.

C.H.& B.R. Lorraine Whitney 47.23, Jacob Wintzel 41.89, Chas. Waege 35.31, Frank Waege 46.03, Thompson Yards 3.41, Ben TeBeest 144.50, S.D.Dept. Highways 27,140.11, Frank Schmitt 37.14, Ben F. Stricherz 110.77, Ben Stricherz Adm. 31.77, Edward Simon 20.67, Howard D. Noeldner 14.75, W.E.Mollberg 34.17, Gaylord W. Miller 36.48, Harold Muller 18.08, Clayton Lindgren 50.35, Katie Larson 20.15, George Koustrup 76.44, Wm. Klein 74.03, Ervin Johnson 88.96, A.E.Johnson 30.95, Arthur R. Hegstrom 82.46, Ralph Hardie 69.77, Ragna M.Goodh 42.12, G.A.Gilbert Pres. 114.93, Henry Forman 90.79, Frank A.Ecccles 58.70, Orville Darrington 42.66, John Comes 51.51, Ernie Comes 47.98.

SPECIAL BRIDGE - Mahowald Co. 13.80, Hayes-Lucas Lumber Co. 3.90, G.A.Olson Const.Co. 607.00, Watertown Cement Products Co. 169.95; S.D.Concrete Products Co. 9,323.92, Miller Bros.Lumber 73.50.

HIGHWAY & BRIDGE - Thompson Yards 13.12, Mahowald Co. 22.8.89, John Alt 3.50, Cave Supply Co 334.23, Dakota Welding Supply 13.34, Kenneth Hayes Elec.Co. 24.51, J.C.Penney Co. 9.26, Olson Gas & Appliance Co. 66.78, Ray Henricks 56.00, Henry Oil Co. 37.71, Int. Harvester 12.73, Philip Jesme 17.00, LaNoue Radiator Shop 24.50, Miller Bros. Lumber 3.84, Motor Supply Co. 123.19, Pecaut Equip.Co. 9.50, Redlin Lumber Co. 50.25, Rozum Bros. 5.44, Sheehan-Bartling Inc. 199.40, Stan Houston Equip. 2,587.00, Sherwin Williams 15.86,Wat'n Implement Co. 1.68, Watertown Machine Works 13.33, Wat'n Tire Co. 4.25, Wausau Iron Works 85.00, Williams Hardware Co. 22.88:

CO SP. HI. LAKE 256.32 - Socony Mobil Oil Co.,Fuller - Socony 277.99, Dexter - Socony $198.53, Leola 109.00 - Myron Resen Mileage Market as follows:Co.Sp.Hi.Fuller 97.17, Leola 97.53, Eden 33.85.

TEXTBOOK FUND Educator Supply 175.72, A. N. Palmer Co. 11.25, The John C. Winston Co.41.84, Wilson Truck System 3.50. INSTITUTE - Mrs. Ida Walseth 50.00, City Treasurer 30.00.

WEED BOARD Matt Brandriet 10.85, Paul David 5.82, Joseph J.Fox 15.36, Adolph Hogstad 7.78, Robert Redlin 14.44. TUITION Florence Ind. School Dist. 664.00, Castlewood Ind. School 664.00.

This being the time and place of hearing on application for Alcoholic Beverage Licenses outside municipalities, Joe Murray, Waverly, Frank Schmitt, Waverly, Carl Haan, Kranzburg, and Gerald Haan Kranzburg, a motion was made to approve the above being granted licenses by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Hogstad. Motion carried. No one appeared to oppose or object to any of the licenses being granted.

A refund of $2.00 was approved to the County Treasurer, on a motion by Skinner, Seconded by Belk. An error had been made in extending figures.

A motion was made by Belk and seconded by Skinner to reject the bill for $1.40 to Gilbert Yards, Inc. as this was long past due, the order having been placed in 1954, and the bill had not been presented for payment before. Motion carried.

The bonds of Mrs. Ed Redlin, clerk of School Dist. #31 and Francis Wagner, Dist. 52 were approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Skinner.

Fees collected by the Clerk of Courts $275.45 and the Register of Deeds $611.90 were approved on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

A motion was duly made and seconded to adjourn until the joint meeting to be held in Lura School house in regard to County Road on line between Grand and Codington Counties, Dec. 15 at 2 P .M.

December 15, 1956.

The County Commissioners of Grant and Codington Counties met in the Lura School Dist. schoolhouse at a hearing to consider a road petition. The road is 13 miles more or less beginning at a point on the Southwest Corner of Sec. 21-112-52,west, in the Sisseton Wahpeton Indian Reservation in Grant County; and the Northwest Corner of Sec. 28-119-52 West, in Sisseton Wahpeton Reservation in Codington County, then extending straight east on the dividing line of Grant and Codington Counties. Commissioners Keenan, Skinner, Belk, Williams and Hogstad of Codington County, and A.J.Nelson, Henry Seide and William Connor of Grant County were present. Henry Seide, chairman of Grant County Commissioners presided.

About 45 residents of Germantown, Leola, and Dexter townships in Codington County, and Lura and Mazeppa Townships in Grant County were present.

Mr. Seide explained that if the petition was granted it meant holding up township C.M.V. funds until the road is completed.

Leonard Bohn, Chairman of Leola Township, said his Board was in favor of building the road. Wm. Redlin, a resident of Germantown Township, explained his reasons for wanting the road- he is a large tax payer, never had a road, not satisfied with the township roads.

Gerhard Giese, Mazeppa Township, presented his reasons for supporting the movement to obtain the road. He has never had a farm to market road, his road in winter was impassable. He felt that he, as a large tax payer, was entitled to a road. Ed Matthes, also a Mazeppa Township resident, asked for the road, as he too is a large tax payer and needs such a road.

The same reasons were outlined by citizens of Dexter Township, but not by the Township Board.

Those in Grant County opposed - Otto Kriesel said if they would abandon the road known as Church Road, which is now a county road and only one mile north of the proposed road. Rudolph Smith opposed it because it was not a farm to market road, benefited too few people, there being only 13 farms in the whole 13 miles whereas the church road has 13 farms in 3 miles.

From Codington County Don Meyer opposed the road because it is not a school-bus route, nor a mail route. He thought when money was spent to build roads there should be some consideration for school buses and mail route. With reorganization of school districts in time to come they would deman a road for school buses.

Elmer Bunde opposed because it would hold up Township C.MLV. money, and that money would be needed for township roads as well.

Wallace Bunde opposed the road as he thought a good township road was sufficient for the purpose and he would propose to build a road there.

Clayton Heuer wanted to know how it would be maintained especially in winter. That would be a problem to be determined by the two county boards.

The matter was discussed for and against, and a vote was taken. Thirteen were opposed and 17 favored the road. No action was taken by either Board. On a motion by Herb Skinner, and seconded by A. J. Nelson of Grant County, the Boards arjourned.

Irma Belch
Codington County Auditor.

December 18, 1956.

County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad: GENERAL: - Court Expense James Horning $30.28; Tax Deed Expense-Hazel Schliesmann $115.00; Court House Maintenance - Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $253.32; Poor Harry J.Bartron,M.D. $91.00 for Robert Corey $16.00, Sarah Ann Black 75.00.

The County Auditor was instructed to issue a quit claim deed for Celia Ann Schmeling, South Shore, to the following described property, to-wit: O.L. 11 and 12 and SE¼ Sec. 22-119-51. The motion stated final payment of contract had been made, and the motion made by Hogstad, was seconded by Belk, and carried.

A quit Claim deed was made to the State of South Dakota for lots 3-4-5 in Sec. 11-117-54 Richland Township. This had been redeemed by the State after tax deed had been taken. Motion to issue deed was made by Belk, seconded by Hogstad and carried.

A quit claim deed to the Department of Game,Fish & Parks for lots 1 thru 41 - Sandy Shores, Lake Kampeska, was issued on a motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad. This was redeemed by the State after it had been taken by tax deed.

Dale Bradshaw, States Attorney, appeared at the request of the County Board in regard to property sold to Emil Scharn by the County, and later sold to Ernest Goodroad. The records show no deed was issued and after much discussion the matter was not acted upon.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until December 21, 1956 at 10 A.M.

December 21, 1956

County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chr. Keenan presiding.

Verified claims were approved on a motion by Williams, seconded by Belk, after being checked: SPECIAL BRIDGE Steve Winski 42.25, Ed Gould 190.00Alfred Spring 25.00, James Hendren 183.00, Howard M. Williams 251.10, Burton Jackson 175.50, Carl Zweig, Jr. 190.35, Clarence Helle 166.75, Fred C. Brownell 54.60, John Strait 140.00, Leo Clausen 150.00, Andrew T. Larson 148.00, Julius Lentz 158.00, Curtis Underwood 62.00, Chas. Krogman 152.00, Thomas Spiering 130.00, Harold Nafus 152.00; C.M.V. C.S.Rasmusson 575.00, Elizabeth M. Pinholt 210.00, Sever Tobiason 205.00, John Rennie 253.00, Joe W. Stricherz 250.00, Claude VanSickle 247.25, Clarence B. Sumner 193.20, Harold Scriver 187.45, Ed Gould 78.20, Alfred Sprin 199.80, James Hendren 139.82, Howard Williams 118.80, Burton Jackson 132.30,Carl Zweig,Jr. 133.65, Clarence Helle 95.45, Gerald Peterson 248.40, Fred C.Brownell 168.99, John Strait 76.00, Leo Clausen 70.00, Andrew T. Larson72.00, Julius Lentz 86.00, Curtis Underwood 156.00, Chas. Krogman 228.00, Thos. Spiering 92.00, Harold Nafus 76.00: C.H.& B.R. - Alfred Spring 12.50, Fred C. Brownell 10.50, John Strait 8.00, Leo Clausen 8.00, Andrew T. Larson 8.00, Curtis Underwood 10.00: CSR. - Alfred Sprin 2.50, Fred C. Brownell 2.10.

GENERAL: Sheriff Fees & Mileage Salary Bert Smith 85.00; Jailors Salary William J. Meyer 250.00; Court Expense - Hazel Hegarty 135.00, Mabel C. Alworth 118.56, Joe Gerlach

25.00; Board of Insanity Hazel Hegarty 21.83; Veterans Service Office-George Burke 200.00, Dorothy Pomeroy 44.10; Court House Maint. Carl J. Deal 220.00; Agr. & County Extension 170.00; County Farm - Henry Klemsrud 115.00; Pearl Klemsrud 100.00; Supervisor of Assessors 300.00 - Glenn Mitchell, Kay Lyn Welch 122.40; Civil Defense Ed Howson 25.00; Reg. of Deeds Office Exp. 143.10. WEED BOARD - Matt Brandriet 200.00: REDFIELD - Hazel Hegarty 17.00.

SALARY: Auditors Office - Irma E.Welch 325.00, Alice V. Olson 210.00, Edna Derenthal 190.00, Fay M. Wohlheter 180.00, Hilary M. Jensen 160.00, Marlys J. Haney 45.90; Treasurers Office Paul Krakowski 325.00, Hazel Schliesmann 210.00, DeLoris A.Goodroad 185.00, C.Joyce Rowe 185.00; Clerk of Courts Office - Walter A. Farl 296.68, Leilah C.Auby 195.00; Register of Deeds - Margaret Brown 296.68, Beverly Mickelson 205.00, Elizabeth M. Larson 165.00; Supt. Schools Office - Hazel G.Murphy 325.00, Ruth M. Johnson 200.00; States Attorney Office - Dale E. Bradshaw 283.75, Ross E. Oviatt 150.00, Beverly DeVille 125.00; County Judge - Herbert Norbeck 400.00; Municipal Judge - Donald W.Lobitz 200.00.

GENERAL County Auditor Office Exp. Monroe Calculating Machine Co. 25.00; County Farm 7.00.

Report of farm produce for the County Farm from Alois Fox$127.50 was noted by the Board.

Bond of Charles Cordell, Treasurer School District No. 52 was approved on motion by Williams, seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

Board adjourned until December 28, 1956 on motion by Williams, seconded by Hogstad to reconvene at 10 A.M. on that date.

December 28, 1956

Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present - Chairman Keenan presiding.

Verified bills were checked and approved on a motion by Skinner, seconded by Belk as follows: GENERAL: Commissioner Per Diem & Mileage James L. Keenan 78.90, Vernon H. Belk 101.60, Herb Skinner 34.20, Adolph Hogstad 111.70, Al M. Williams 74.00: Supervisor of Assessors - Glenn M. Mitchell 58.87. Court House Maint. Harold Fransen 130.00, and 254.00, Otto Enger 107.25: Court Expense - Ruth Johnson 30.42, Gordon Brusie 29.20, Albert Sturm 26.47, Donald Waege 29.24, Geraldine Redmond 40.42, Albert Boerner 5.14, John D. Johnson 13.50, Eagle Cafe 17.23, Gerald Haider 15.42, Cecilia M. Beirne 118.56, Pearl Bergan 25.42, Maurice Bergh 50.50. Bailiff Fees - May Makepeace 12.00, Carl Deal $12.00, Frank Welch 16.00; County Judge Office Exp. Dianne Brown 18.75. Memorial Park - Department of Highways $645.40.

This being the time and place for hearing on applications for dance hall licenses the following petitions were approved: Sunnyside Inn to Albert DeVille, W. C. Williams, Francis Hupf, V. M. Brandriet, and Casino Ball Room to Leslie E. Schultz. The Auditor was instructed to prepare and furnish the necessary licenses to these petitioners. Motion to approve was made by Skinner, seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

The first annual report of the County Civil Defense Director Ed Howson was filed and noted by the Board.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board adjourned until 10 A.M. January 2, 1957.

Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County.

The adoption of Resolution No. 292 in the minutes of December 4, 1956 appeared out of order in the printed minutes of November 13th, 1956. However these resolutions signed and published, and appearing in official minutes of the Commissioners Proceedings, so kindly refer to same under date of November 13th, 1956.

The adoption of Resolution No. 293 was mmitted from the published minutes of Dec. 28, 1956, and appeared in error in the minutes of December 4th. Since theminutes were adopted, their adoption having been properly noted for adoption and published, and the motion having been published, reference is again made to the published and official minutes on file in the office of the County Auditor.

January 2,1957.

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, with all members present, Chairman Keenan presiding.

County Farm's December report was noted and approved by the Board and the report was ordered filed.

E. A. Kuhl appeared before the Board asking the Commissioners to check the legal status of the Henry Independent as an official newspaper. The Commissioners referred the question to the States Attorney for his opinion.

A proposed amendment on Gas Tax and Historical Markers was read and noted, and filed for refenence on a motion by Skinner and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

On motion by Belk, seconded by Skinner the 1956 Board was adjourned sine die. Motion carried.

The new Board immediately reconvened and took up the business of reorganization for 1957.

The Auditor pro tem called for nominations for a chairman of theBoard for the year 1957; Belk nominated Skinner, seconded by Williams. All voted yes.

Skinner was declared Chairman, after which he assumed the chair, and called for nominations for Vice Chairman.

Belk nominated Hogstad, seconded by Williams, and all voted yes.

Chairman Skinner expressed appreciation to Chairman retired Keenan in behalf of the Board of County Commissioners and a vote of thanks was expressed by the commissioners.

On motion of Keenan, seconded by Hogstad, two commissioners Williams and Belk were seated to begin new terms.

The check of monies in the office of the County Treasurer was noted, and on motion to approve the report of the committee was approved and adopted. M tion was made by Keenan, seconded by Belk. All voted yes.

Chairman Skinner appointed the following committees for 1957:

Finance	Hogstad, Belk, Williams
Purchasing, Court House Supplies	Williams, and entire board
Court House - Grounds and Jail	Keenan, Belk, Williams
Insurance	Hogstad
County Farm	Keenan, Hogstad, Belk
Rural Property	Belk, Hogstad, Keenan
City Property	Williams, Keenan
Memorial Park	Belk, Hogstad, Keenan
Highway - Purchase	Hogstad and entire board
Welfare - Surplus	Belk, Williams, Hogstad

The first name appearing is to act as chairman of the committee.

Verified claims were checked and approved on motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk, as follows:

GENERAL: Comm. Per Diem, Mileage and Salary - James L. Keenan 59.00, Adolph Hogstad $70.81, Vernon H. Belk $151.20, Herb Skinner $67.74, Al M. Williams $42.00: Court Expense - Margaret Ristow $15.14.

On motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk, board adjourned until Friday January 4, 1957 at 10:00 A.M.

Deputy Auditor

January 4, 1957.

Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

This being the time and place for opening of bids for grease, oil and gas, the following bids were opened and read: Socony Vacuum oil Co., Sioux Valley Cooperative, Community Oil Co., Mileage Market, Standard Oil Co. Contractors were heard, and on motion of Comm. Keenan, , seconded by Hogstad, all commissioners voted to grant bulk contract to Socony Mobil Oil Company.

Station contract was awarded to the Mileage Market on motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad, motion carried when all voted yes.

On motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad, the Board adjourned until January 7, 1957 at 10 A.M.

Edna Derenthal
Deputy Auditor

January 7, 1957.

Commissioners convened as a Board pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

The States Attorney, Dean Sumner, is of the opinion that the Henry Independent complies with the law regarding legal publications.

Applications from newspapers for 1957 official publications were read from the following: Watertown Public Opinion, South Shore Gazette, Henry Independent, Photo News.

Chairman Skinner called for a vote on newspapers by Districts. The results showed Districts 1,2,3,4,5 voted for Watertown Public Opinion. Districts 1,2,3,4,5, voted for South Shore Gazette, Districts 2,3,4 voted for Henry Independent, and Districts 1 and 4 voted for Photo News, whereupon the chairman declared the official newspapers for 1957 by preponderance of the vote to be Watertown Public Opinion, South Shore Gazette, and Henry Independent.

On a motion by Keenan, Seconded by Williams, the Board adjourned until Tuesday, January 8 1957 at 10 A.M.

Edna Derenthal
Deputy County Auditor

January 8, 1957.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on motion by Williams, seconded by Hogstad, as follows: TEXTBOOK - Educator Supply Co. $91.80, Lyon & Carnahan $51.75, The MacMillan Co. 32.36, News Printing Co. 243.50, The John C. Winston Co. 62.60.
GENERAL: Court Expense - Ruhe Stationery 11.57, Palace of Sweets $60.50, Grand Hotel 24.15, A. Duffner Store 4.00, Mabel C. Alworth $5.00, Royal Meseberg $10.20, Regina Miller $5.14: Auditors Office Exp. Ruhe Stationery $.78, County Farm - Nelson Hardware $5.02, City $37.60 A. Duffner Store 13.37, Olson Appliance & Gas Co. 5.80, Council Oaks Store $8.30, Hanks Shoe Shop $2.50, Jake's Uptown Service $7.10, K-D Locker $25.79, Liens Grocery $21.31, Loken's Sales Pavilion $39.00, Park Grant Co. 30.20, J.C.Penney Co. 4.49, Spies Super Valu 12.29, Sunshine State Hatchery $9.25, Watertown Cooperative Elev.Co. 6.83, Court House Maintenance - Western Trans. Co. 2.16, Thompson Yards $154.57, Watertown Machine Works 8.00, Herb Skinner Jr. 57.00, Pink Supply Co. 20.50, Redlinger Plumbing Co. 13.90, Chets Bicycle Service 195.65, Nelson Hardware $14.67, Register of Deeds Office Exp. Remington Rand Co. $135.45,, A. Duffner Store 2.85, Brown & Saenger 880.00
Clerk of Courts Office Exp. Brown & Saenger $4.82, Mitchell Publishing Co. 162.57, Carlsons $.95.
Printing & Advertising: Brown & Saenger 4.78, Watertown Pub.Opinion 433.72, South Shore Gazette 359.03. Equipment: - Carlson's $59.95.
Court House Maint. City Treasurer $573.10, Otis Elevator Co. 58.55, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. 139.62, Egge Electric 73.63, Otto Enger $469.45, Harold Fransen $508.75, Inman Plumbing & Heating $69.85, Imperial Chemical Co. 145.50,
County Extension-City of Watertown $30.00, Carlsons 31.20, Clara W. Johnson $10.08, Beverly Moquist $18.75, Coroner's Expense - Leslie E. Mathiesen $3.92. Convention & Research S.D.Assoc. of County Commissioners $97.36. Board of Insanity - Donald N. Fedt, M.D. $35.00, Mabel C. Alworth $40.00, Election Expense - Ruhe Stationery $7.05. Treas. Office Exp. Ruhe Stationery $1.80, Watertown Public Opinion 88.90, Public Welfare-Ruhe Stationery $25.68, County Judge Off. Exp. Ruhe Stationery $2.00. States Attorney Office Exp. Dale E.Bradshaw $4.91.
COMM. Per Diem, Mileage - Vernon H. Belk $75.40, Adolph Hogstad $65.12, James L. Keenan $59.80, Herb Skinner $57.14, Al M. Williams $40.00. Delinquent Tax Expense - Ole James Nelson $230.69. Board of Prisoners - Lloyd Shenk $188.80, Mileage Sheriff - $369.75 and Sheriff Fees 171.75. Law Library - West Publishing Co. 140.00. Sheriff Office Expense Photo News - $8.00. County Board of Education - Photo News 2.00, Mrs. Phyllis Bard $10.14, Phillip Bergh 17.00, W. Grow $10.14, Earling Johnson $16.16, Guy N. Mack $5.42, W.I.Nichols $8.36, Ben Thyen $13.64.
Poor - Donald N. Fedt, M.D. $4.00 for Mrs. Lena Radtke $4.00, Celia Painter $10.00; Annette Burgdorf $175.00 for John G. Blum $40.00, Susan Mack $40.00, Alpha Mudge $40.00, Nels T. Nelson $50.00, Florence E.Williams $5.00; Hayes Lucas Lumber Co. $59.00 for Ed Switzenberg $11.00, Judy Turner $23.75, Sprigg Tubbs $24.25; Kreisers Drug Store $457.14 for Lizzie & Chas. Alt. 15.39, Ben Bergerson $4.05, Nordeen Brekke 144, James Chambers $338.60, Mrs. Anna Christianson 20.25, Chris Engels $7.11, Nellie Jensen 6.75, Mrs. J.B.McLaughlin $3.02, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg 25.35, Lena Radtke 19.62, Mrs. Doods Tiezen 15.56; McBath Coal & Coke Co. $54.90 for Edith Bunde 27.40, Alice Redetzke $27.50; Acme Feed & Coal Co. 12.10 for Don Mauer; Harry J. Barbron M.D. $16.00 for Robert Corey; Dr. F. Boyd $2.90 for Mary Vermillion; David J. Buchanan, M.D. $4.00 for Sharon Gerjets; F.P.Creaser & Sons $34.13 for D.A.Button 9.88, Carl Hemiller $24.25; Haggar Drug Store $182.55 for Ellen Anderson $17.10, Martin Bale 25.97, Hilda Ebens $37.67, Hilda Haack 4.28, Francis Kreger 13.32, Emma Klucas 6.98, Mary Kirkeby $1.80, Mrs. Will Norman 2.70, N. T. Nelson 1.80, Seymore Peterson 19.26, Mrs. John E. Taylor 5.09, Mrs. Leonard Vaughan 17.55, Ferne Washtoak 29.03; Codington County Oil Co. $14.20 for Mary Tribbitt; A. Duffner Drug Store $14.95 for Mary Bagan $3.24, Carl Berge $14.40, Mathilda Blek 10.80, Rupert Gatchell 2.38, Ola Hanson 14.85, Emil Herter 16.56, Emma Jenkins 11.54, Olger Markuson $5.40, Frank Metzinger 1.78, Mrs. Chas. W. Montney 21.33, Jerry O'Brien 25.36, Virgil Redwing 2.16, Edgar Wight .90, Inga Yarns 11.25 - [illegible]; Mrs. Bethel Cunningham $40.00 for Lyle Gerjets; Walter Gusso $25.00 for Bert Crandall; Mrs. Alex Haefner $20.00 for Debbie Heathcote; Bertha Johnson $34.00 for care Ed McPeek; Esther Kinsey $25.00 for care Rosa Shape; Kinstad Rest Home $196.00 for Ola Hanson $31.00, Karl Berge $25.00, James Chambers 30.00, Rupert Gatchell $30.00, Robert Main $80.00; Elizbeth Marsh $20,00 for care Matt Kemp; Mrs. Gordon Miller $42.91 for care Sharon Gerjets; Mrs. Lyle Mogler $17.50 for care Norma Remedies; S.D.Childrens Aid $40.00 for care Soren Nelson; St. Williams Home $90.00 for care Mr. & Mrs. Eugene T. Hanchett; Sturdevant Rest Home $150.00 for John Farley $25.00, Frank Metzinger $35.00, Jerry O'Brien $90.00; Mrs. Helen J. Sumner $28.00 for care Mrs. Frank Soulak; Irene Stockman $60.00 for care Loretta Stockman; Watertown Rest Home $110.00 for L. Mourere $25.00, Ben Bergurson $40.00, Naomi Adams $45.00; Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes $43.00 for M.J.Feyen $15.00, John O'Neill $5.00, J.G. Blum $7.50, Wood Carter $15.50; Medical Arts Clinic $66.00 for Ellen Anderson 15.00, Emil Herter 6.00, Francis Kreger 2.00, Elgar Markuson 2.00, Mrs. Will Norman 14.00, Jerry O'Brien 11.00, Anna Toensing 16.00; Memorial Hospital $1,083.90 for Lizzie Alt 64.95, Ella Alexander 85.78, Ellen Anderson 63.17, Maxine Asby 109.41, John Blum 16.47, Frank Klucas 7.98, Emily Latt 70.76, Otis Olson 224.68, Mrs. Evelyn Schultz 21.25, Mrs. Wm. Schreurs 169.59, Miss Anna Toensing 192.81, Kenneth Wickhurst 15.00, Alfred Vick 42.05; Montgomery Ward Co. $57.02 for Art Eastberg 21.91, Rupert Gatchell 5.55, James Chambers 9.00, Ola Hanson 20.56; Olson Gas & Appliance Co. $4.77 for Donald & Irene Lauseng; Reaneys Transit Cab $7.60 for Jerry O'Brien; Rogers Dairy $5.60 for Phoebe Mowery; St. Anns Hospital $1,062.72 for Nordeen Brekke 189.45, Wood Carter 81.05, Clem Doms 603.50, Mae Mitchell 188.72.

O.P.Skaggs Store $11.08 for Homer Black $7.60, Gus True $3.48; Skelly Oil Company $5.61 for James & Betty Miller. Socony Vacuum Oil Company $36.21 for John DeWall 28.40, Sylvia Sharp $7.81. Standard Oil Co. $35.50 for Marjorie Brekke 14.20, Chris Jensen 7.10, Phoebe Mowery 14.20. Thomes Drug Store 81.65 for Ella Alexander 14.72, Chas. Bierscheid 5.40, Richard DePeel 2.84, John Farley 6.62, Albert Henrichs 3.24, Mrs. H.M.Parliament 2.03, Mrs. Theo. Treat 10.75, Lena Trumer 3.24, Alfred Vick 32.81.Community Oil Co. Edwin Bates 7.60, Donald Lauseng 7.60, Mrs. James Miller 7.60. Wilson Transfer Co. $330.69. Burial Indigents $140.00 Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes.

REDFIELD: Donald N. Fedt, M.D. $15.00, Mabel C. Alworth $20.15. TUITION-Watertown Ind. School Dist. $49,430.00, Florence Independent School Dist.$1,328.00.

C.M.V. - Fire Underwriter's Board $1,063.38. ROAD - Photo News $11.00, Wat'n Machine Works $5.72, City Treas. $30.26, Carlson's $1.10, Ruhe Stationery $2.00, Herb Andree $135.94, Bard & Wika,Inc.$65.10, Bergan-Johnson$180.95, Cave Supply Co.$73.49, Chicago & Northwestern Railway $25.00, Coast to Coast Store 8.63, Dakota Welding Supply Co.$16.51, Florence Service $28.42, Foster-Bell Co. $58.12, Gooch Sales Co. 5.25, Kenneth Hayes Elec. Co. $10.29, Hayes-Lucas Lumber Co. $38.93, Hurkes Impl. Co. $31.15, International Harvester Co. $91.63, Johnson Farm Equip. Co. $2.43, Jostad Lumber Co. $31.68, K & Z Serv. $7.58, C.E.McGowan Lumber Co. $1.06, Mahowald Co. $4.37, Marquardt's Serv.& Supply $244.42, Marshall Wells Co. $6.15, Mileage Market $406.26, Frank Miller Co. $4.85, Motor Supply Co. $28.07, Northwest Public Serv. $7.90, Paper Calmenson & Co. $42.52, Pecaut Equip.Co.$8.70, Reaneys Service $292.76, Sanders Chev. Co. $1.65, Arthur Schwandt $11.14, Harold Scriver $3.39, Sheehan-Bartling Inc. $65.51, Sioux Roads, Inc. $98.83, Town & Country Store $10.83, Watertown Tire Co. $42.65, Western Trans. Co. $3.00, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $32.20, Socony Mobile Oil Co. $403.05.
SPECIAL BRIDGE: Miller Bros. Lumber Co. $66.55, Grant Co. Highway Dept. $60.28, Lyle Signs, Inc. $48.54,Thompson Yards $8.50. CO.SP.HI.EDEN - Socony Mobile Oil Co. $76.57. C.H.&.B.R. Mrs. L. W. Larson $3.00, W.E.Mollberg $6.00, Mrs. Cecilia Schmeling $6.00, Mrs. Amelia Schmeling $3.00, Maynard Scriver $3.00, S. Dak. Dept. of Highways $3,779.76, Town of South Shore $6.00.

Bill for $185.00 for Svendsen Nursing Home was ~~rejected~~ held pending further investigation.

Motion to draw up specifications for bids on equipment was made by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Keenan. Motion carried.

Request for change in programming of highways for Codington County was presented by Highway Supt. Rasmusson, and was approved on a motion by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan. All voted yes and motion carried.

Motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan to approve the purchase of a Dictaphone and its equipment for the Welfare Department. The State will assume half the cost. Motion carried.

The Bond of Delmer Dale approved on motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk. Carried.

Fees collected by the Clerk of Courts for December $240.45 were approved and filed on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Belk. Report of fees collected for December by Register of Deeds $688.65 was approved and filed on motion by Belk,seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

The commissioners approved the appointment of Elizabeth Larson as a deputy in the office of the County Treasurer on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Williams.

Approval of appointment of Dorothy Pomeroy as Clerk in Office of the Treasurer was moved by Belk, seconded Hogstad. Motion carried.

Approval of Mrs. Nigg as Clerk for Veterans Service Office was moved by Williams, seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

Approval of Hazel Duncan as deputy in the office of Register of Deeds was moved by Hogstad, seconded Williams, and carried.

On motion by Hogstad, seconded Keenan, Board adjourned until Friday, January 11 1957 at 10 A.M.

Edna Derenthal
Deputy County Auditor.

January 11, 1957.

Commissioners met as County Board pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

This being the time for opening bids for Concrete Pipe-One bid only - South Dakota Concrete Products Co. bid was opened and read, and bid was accepted on motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

This being the time for opening bids for Steel Pipe the following bids were opened and read: (1) C.T.Branson Co. (2) N.W.Road Supply Co. On motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad to accept the Branson Bid, three commissioners voted no, two voted yes, and the bid was rejected. The motion to adopt the bid of N.W. Road Supply Co. was made by Williams seconded by Hogstad, and all commissioners voted yes, and the bid was accepted.

Bids for Chemicals were next in order to be opened, and on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Belk, the only bid submitted - that of the General Supply Company was adopted by an affirmative vote of all commissioners.

A motion was made by Williams, seconded by Keenan, to return the certified checks to unsuccessful bidders. Motion prevailed and Auditor was instructed to comply.

Lloyd B. Peterson, attorney, appeared before the Board asking for a compromise of interest on taxes due on Lots 1 thru 30, and 33 through 40 inclusive, Block 8, Gesley's Second Addition, less N½ of Lots 17,18,19,20 in said Block for years 1951 thru 1955.

The Circuit Court having granted an abatement before of a 1950 added assessment on this property, which has made it impossible for present owners to pay subsequent taxes, Mr. Peterson now requests that interest for years 1951 thru 1955 be waived, providing tax is paid in full by April 1st, 1957.

The above matter was referred to the States Attorney on motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad and on roll call, call showed all Commissioners voted yes.

Acceptance of Committee report on Sheriff's fees collected in 1956 was made on motion by Belk, seconded by Williams. Motion to accept prevailed.

On motion by Keenan, seconded Hogstad, the Board adjourned until 10 A.M. Tuesday, Jan. 15, 1957.

Edna Derenthal
Deputy County Auditor.

January 15, 1957.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment all members present. Chairman Skinner presiding.

Motion made by Belk, seconded by Hogstad to insert the States Attorney's written opinion, and the affidavit of the Henry Independent in the Commissioners minutes. Motion carried.

(Letter from States Attorney)

Watertown, S.D.
January 14, 1957.

The Board of County Commissioners of
Codington County
Watertown, South Dakota.

Gentlemen:

I have on my desk an affidavit duly sworn and signed by Mrs. R.L. Van Sickle of Henry, South Dakota, stating that the Henry Independent, of which Mrs. Van Sickle is a publisher, is a legal newspaper of this county in which legal notices may be printed.

Section 65.0508 of the South Dakota Code has amended in the 1952 Supplement and sets forth these legal requirements. It is my opinion that this affidavit, above mentioned, is sufficient to constitute the Henry Independent as a legal newspaper in that it sets forth affirmatively all of the requirements as stated in the aforementioned section of the South Dakota Code and Supplement thereto.

Respectfully submitted,

Dean Sumner
States Attorney

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA: SS AFFIDAVIT
COUNTY OF CODINGTON :

Mrs. R.L.Van Sickle being first duly sworn, deposes and says that she is a resident of Codington County, South Dakota, has been for the last 32 years, or all her life; that said affiant is the publisher of HENRY INDEPENDENT, a Legal Newspaper, of Henry, Codington County, South Dakota; that HENRY INDEPENDENT now is, and at all times for more than ten years immediately last past has been a legal weekly newspaper having a bona fide paid circulation of more than 200 copies weekly, and now is, and during all of such time has been, published in the English Language in said Codington County, South Dakota, and has been admitted to the United States mail under the Second Class mailing privilege; and has been so admitted for more than one year immediately last past: that said Henry Independent now is, and at all times for more than ten years immediately last past has been printed in part in an office maintained at the place of publication, to-wit: Henry, Codington County, South Dakota.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 31st day of December, A.D. 1956.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of December, A.D. 1956.

(SEAL)

Dale E. Bradshaw
Notary Public, South Dakota.

Motion to adopt resolution to compromise taxes on Lots 1 thru 30, and 33 thru 40 Gesley's Second Addition, Block 8, moved by Williams, seconded by Keenan. The vote by districts was called. Dist.1 voted Yes, Dist 2 Yes, Dist. 3 Yes, Dist 4.Yes, Dist. 5.Yes. All voted yes, motion carried.

Moved by Keenan, seconded Belk to advertise for bids on fence for the County Yards. All commissioners voted yes. Motion carried.

Motion was made to advertise for bids for storage tanks, distributor, supply tanks, pumps, truck, and other equipment, by Hogstad, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Motion to purchase a desk and chair for States Attorney was made by Williams, seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

Motion by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan to adjourn until January 18, 1957 at 10 A.M. Motion carried.

Edna Derenthal
Deputy County Auditor.

January 18, 1957.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment with all commissioners present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Belk. GENERAL: C.H.M. Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. 273.22: ELECTION Supplies Midwest-Beach Co. 1,346.86, Poor - Post Master $5.00, Court Expense - Oscar Lee 40.42w Francis DeVries 30.42w,Mary Roethler 15.42, Elmer Noeldner 33.78, Clifford Moquist 20.42, Lorenzo Bierscheid 20.28, Minnie Vetter 25.28, Lillian Vanderzee 15.42, Eugene Bellatti 20.42, Dorothy Meddick 35.42, Helen Yocum 20.42. TRUST FUND Lucy R. Grant $15.00.

Fred Morris came before the Board in regard to use of tables for the crop show. The Board approved the use of the tables for this purpose.

A letter was received a noted in regard to the three acres given to the County by the American Legion, designating their location. The lots are in Ways Fourth Lake Side Addition.

The States Attorney requested permission to attend a meeting called by Phil Saunders, Attorney General, in Huron for January 26 and 27 with expenses to be paid as prescribed by law. A motion was made, to allow this trip, by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

Motion was made to adjourn to Tuesday, January 22, 1957 at 10 A.M. by Keenan, seconded Commissioner Hogstad. Motion carried.

Anna Belk
Auditor, Codington County.

January 22, 1957.

Board convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on motion by Williams, seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried. Svenson Home bill was held up for further examination.
GENERAL: Court Expense - Leo Bisping 32.56, Leonard Murphy 19.20; Glen Heaton $10.28. Commissioners Per Diem & Mileage - Vernon H. Belk$120.10, Adolph Hogstad 3$96.46, James L. Keenan 101.70, Hebb Skinner $110.86, Al M. Williams $117.50.

Bills for Sanator $25.74, Redfield $789.51, Yankton $1,747.67 were checked and approved on motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

Bond of Bruce Cotton approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION No. 295.

WHEREAS there has been withheld the sum of $9,986.47 from the sale of motor vehicle license plates properly apportionable to Kranzburg, Pelican, Kampeska, Elmira, Richland, Phipps and Dexter Townships in Codington County, South Dakota, being the twenty-eight percent required to be placed in the fund, to be known as the County Special Highway Fund, and denominated to and in the office of the County Auditor as Township Motor Vehicle Fund.

AND WHEREAS the sum withheld is greater than required to complete the necessary work in the said County Highway System, in the said townships

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved, that the sum of $9,986.49 be apportioned to the said townships as follows:

Kranzburg	$ 413.50
Pelican	2072.70
Kampeska	1857.96
Elmira	1691.71
Richland	257.38
Phipps	2392.58
Dexter	1300.66
Total 3	$9986.49

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Hogstad, and upon roll call all commissioners voted yes, and none voted no, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 29th day of January 1957.

Board of County Commissioners

By Hebb Skinner Chairman

Vernon H Belk

James L Keenan

ATTEST:
Irma Welch
County Auditor.

RESOLUTION # 296

WHEREAS THERE has been received the sum of $682.88 from the sale of Motor Vehicle License plates, properly apportionable to the various townships in Codington County, South Dakota, being the 28% required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS said apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October and this being the time to make the apportionment to the respective Townships for the fourth quarter of 1956

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows:

Kranzburg $58.82; Sheridan $34.14; Pelican $34.14;
Kampeska $34.14; Henry $34.14; Elmira $34.14; Lake $34,14;
Richland $34.14; Graceland $34.14; Waverly $43.64;
Rauville $48.37; Fuller $54.07; Phipps $34.14: Leola $34.14;
Germantown $45.53; Dexter $56.91; Eden $34.14

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Hogstad and upon roll call all Commissioners voted yes, and none voted no, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 22nd Day of January, 1957.

Herb Skunier Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST: Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County, S.D.

Treasurer's report with Auditor - Deposits $346,570.33 - Cash $58,188.98, Government Bonds $181,702.06, Jail Bonds $12,642.48 was approved on a motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

The abatement of $660.00 to Ida Waba was approved. Lot 1 thru 9, Block 7, Gesley's 1st Addition, and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 Gesleys 1st Addition - the house was assessed on both properties. Motion was made to abate by Hogstad, seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

Supply Contract Bond for South Dakota Concrete Products Co. furnished in lieu of certified check was noted by the Board.

Report of the County Farm was noted by the Board as follows:

COUNTY FARM REPORT FOR 1956
DISBURSEMENTS

Salary	$2,311.20
Food	890.19
Drugs	270.16
Equipment & Supplies	287.95
Fuel	215.70
Lights	382.87
Feeds & Seeds	781.31
Clothing	92.68
Repairs	761.69
Poultry	87.00
Livestock	217.48
Withholding Tax	220.80
Social Security Withheld	48.00
	$6,567.03

RECEIPTS

Produce (Eggs & Cream)	1,481.56
Cattle & Hogs	1,029.31
	$2,510.87
Cash Rent	127.50
Wheat 46 Bushels @ 2.02	92.92
	$2,731.29

Feed raised on County Farm
Oats 1553 Bushels Total Crop
1/3 Oats 517 Bu. delivered to County Farm

State of South Dakota)
: SS
County of Codington)

I, Irma Welch, County Auditor, for the County of Codington, South Dakota, hereby

certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the receipts and disbursements of the County Farm, maintained in the said County, from the accounts of my office.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 22nd day of January, 1957.

Anna Welch
County Auditor.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan, that the Commissioners be authorized to go to Pierre to participate in the discussion of Assessment measures and bills pending, and the expenses to be paid as prescribed by law. Motion carried, and January 23 and 24th the Commissioners will be in Pierre.

Board adjourned on motion duly made and seconded until Friday, JXanuary 25, 1957 at 10 A.M.

Anna Welch
County Auditor.

January 25, 1957.

Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Don Erickson, and Bill Langenfeld came before the Board in regard to use of the Recreation Program of space in the Court House. After some discussion and an inspection Commissioner Keenan moved, seconded by Williams, that the Commissioners grant space in the basement for a junior boxing program in the basement of the Court House from 7 to 10 P.M. on Monday nights of each week. Only those taking part in the program will be permitted to be in the building on that night. A member of the City Police Force is requested to be on duty at all times the building is being used. The participants are to enter the Court House through the rear door and leave the same way. Motion carried.

Belk moved, seconded by Keenan to note the change in figures from 386-286 valuation for abatement to Gilbert, and Chairman of Board is authorized to change the figures. Attorney representing Gilbert was Lloyd Peterson. This is the property referred to in the minutes of January 11, 1957 in Gesley's Second Addition.

Bonds for Paul Kingslein, Dist. 19, and Hazel York, Dist. 29, Graceland were approved on motion by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Keenan. Motion Carried.

RESOLUTION No. 294.
(1957 County Highway Department Monthly and Hourly Pay Scale)

WHEREAS, in the judgment of the Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota, it is deemed necessary for the prompt and accurate dispatch of business for the operation of the County Highway Department and employment of personnel on an hourly basis

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary that a pay schedule of rates be set up for the year 1957 with provision of time lost due to sickness,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, in regular session, that the following classifications are hereby adopted.

This pay schedule is effective as of January 1, 1957.

CLASSIFICATION	RATE OF PAY PER HOUR	
Light Equipment Operator and Common Labor.	Temporary or First 2 years	$1.00
	Regular or after two years	1.10
1½ to 4½ ton trucks All Power Mowers Other Miscellaneous Light Equipment.		
Medium Equipment Operators		$1.10 to $1.20
Patrol (Motor Graders) Front End Loaders Other Miscellaneous Medium Equipment, if any.		
Heavy Equipment Operators		$1.15 to $1.25
Trucks rated 5 ton capacity or over, Large Cat. Tread Tractors. Barber Greene Elevating Grader Other miscellaneous heavy equipment, if any.		
Special Operators		$1.25 to $1.50
Large Cat. Tread Tractors with Scrapers Rotary Snow Plow Large Tractor (D7 and D8) with Bulldozers Rubber tired Tractor with Scraper Shop Mechanic or Utility Operator.		

Note: Truck Drivers and Patrol Operators will be paid $0.10 per hour extra when plowing and or winging snow. (Excluding Rotary)

Foremen: Bridge, Grading, Gravel and Oil	$1.15 to $1.35
Shop Foreman	$205.00 per month.

Except for emergency operations such as snow removal, bridge repair or replacement, washouts, etc., the regular working time will be from 7 to 12 o*clock A.M., and 1 to 6 o*clock P.M., during the period from April 1st to November 30th inclusive, and 8 to 12 o*clock A.M. and 1 to 5 o*clock P.M. Monday through Friday inclusive only (40 hour week) during the period from December 1st to March 31st inclusive. No time limit on emergency work.

Changes in classification and rates will not be made for occasional operation of equipment of other classification, but will only be made when considered necessary by the Highway Superintendent.

Continually employed for one year in any calendar year, shall be entitled to two weeks sick leave upon the order of physiciaznonly. Sick leave cumulative up to a maximum of four weeks.

Vacations: One week after one year of continuous employment.(60 hours for men on hour rate)
Two weeks after two years of continuous employment (120 hrs for men on hr. rate.)

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioners Hogstad, and seconded by Commissioner Belk, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted "Yea" and none voted "Nay", whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 25th day of January, 1957.

Herb Skinner Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota.

Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hogstad
A.M. Williams
James L Keenan

ATTEST:
Irma Nilch
Auditor, Codington Conty.

RESOLUTION #294-A
Pay Scale 1957.

WHEREAS, in the judgment of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, it is deemed necessary for the prompt and accurate dispatch of business that deputies or clerks be employed in the office of the County Auditor, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Clerk of Courts, Sheriff, States Attorney, Superintendent of Schools, County Highway, also a County Veteran Service Officer, Court House Custodian, a Superintendent and Matron of the County Farm, and a Jailor

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that pursuant to Chapter 12.16 of the South Dakota Code of 1939 the number of deputies or clerks to be employed therein shall be as follows:

In the office of the Auditor, one deputy with a monthly salary of $215.00, one deputy with a monthly salary of $195.00, one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $185.00, one clerk with a starting monthly salary of $170.00.

In the office of the Treasurer, one deputy with a monthly salary of $215.00, one deputy with a monthly salary of $195.00, one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $185.00.

In the office of the Register of Deeds, one deputy with a monthly salary of $210.00, one deputy or clerk with a monthly salary of $170.00.

In the office of the Clerk of Courts, one deputy with a monthly salary of $195.00.

In the office of the States Attorney, one deputy with a monthly salary of $160.00, and one stenographer with a monthly salary of $150.00.

In the office of the Superintendent of Schools, one deputy with a monthly salary of $275.00.

In the County Highway Office, one superintendent with a monthly salary of $575.00, one Clerk and Radio Operator with a monthly salary of $215.00, one shop foreman with a salary of $295.00 per month.

One Veterans Service Officer with a monthly salary of $210.00.

One Custodian with a monthly salary of $250.00.

Superintendent of the County Farm with a monthly salary of $100.00, and a Matron of the County Farm with a monthly salary of $110.00, plus a monthly car allowance of $15.00.

Superintendent and Matron of Memorial Park with a monthly salary of $200.00 for the months of May, June, July, August and September.

One Stenographer in the office of County Extension at a monthly salary of $175.00.

One Radio Operator in Sheriff's Office $210.00 per month. Wages for extra help employed to be paid at the rate of $1.00 per hour.

VACATIONS: All employees shall be limited to one week with pay after 1 year of

l year of employment and two weeks with pay after two years of employment, vacation time to be non-cumulative and taken in the current year. Sick leave shall be limited to one week after six months of employment and two weeks after one year of employment on doctor's certificate. Sick leave cumulative up to a maximum of four weeks, retroactive to January 1, 1954. Heads of offices to allocate time for taking vacations.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Belk, and seconded by Hogstad, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted yea and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the same duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, Sduth Dakota, this 25th day of January A.D. 1957.

Herb Skinner Chairman
Board of County Commissioners, Codington County, South Dakota.

Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Al M. Williams
James L Keenan

Attest:
Irma Welch County Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota.

Jesse Morris came before the Board requesting medical aid.

Board adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded until January 29, 1957 at 10 A.M.

Irma Welch
Auditor

January 29, 1957

Commissioners convened with all members present including Chairman Skinner, Commissioners Belk, Hogstad, Keenan and Williams. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad, and motion carried.

GENERAL: - Court Expense - Eldon Flury $23.46, Ida McInroy $15.42, H.N.Mikkelson $10.28, Mabel Alworth 118.56, Cecilia M. Beirne 119.56, Hazel Hegarty 135.00, Hazel Hegarty $5.00, Joe Gerlach $25.00, Averil Moeller $15.42. Poor - Svendsen Nursing Home $185.00 for Rosa Dixon $25.00, Hilda Ebens $95.00, Mary Kirkeby $30.00, Teresa Schumer $35.00, Andrew T. Larson $9.90, Curtis O. Underwood $13.20, John Strait $13.20, Chas. Krogman $7.70, Julius Lentz 9.90, Leo Clausen $13.20. Sheriff Fees & Salary Bert Smith $110.00, Jailor - William J. Meyer $275.00; Veterans Service Officer George Burke $210.00; Court House Maint. Carl Deal $250.00; County Extension - Audrey Kleveter $175.00, County Farm - Henry Klemsrud $115.00, Pearl Klemsrud $110.00, Supervisor of Assessors $300.00, Kay Lyn Welch Dec.22 1956 thru January 29,1957 $244.00, Civil Defense Ed Howson $25.00; Poor - Ed Gould $11.25; Convention & Research $73.36 for Herb Skinner; Commissioners Per Diem, Mileage and Salary - Vernon H. Belk $92.50, Adolph Hogstad $78.79, James L. Keenan 63.40, Herb Skinner $71.30, Al M. Williams $55.00.
SALARY: - Irma Welch $325.00, Alice V.Olson $215.00, Edna Derenthal $195.00, Fay N. Wohlheter $185.00, Hilary M. Jensen $170.00, Marlys J.Haney Dec.15 thru Jan.28 $77.30 - Auditor's Office. Treasurer's Office Paul Krakowski 325.00, DeLoris A.Goodroad 215.00, C.Joyce Rowe 195.00, Elizabeth M. Larson 185.00, Dorothy Pomeroy 150.00; Register of Deeds Margaret Brown 296.68, Beverly Mickelson $210.00, Hazel O. Duncan 170.00; Clerk of Courts Walter A. Farl 296.68, Leidah Auby 195.00; Supt. of Schools - Mrs. Hazel G.Murphy 325.00, Ruth M. Johnson 138.60; States Attorney Dale E. Bradshaw 65.48, Ross Oviatt 34.61, Beverly DeVille $28.76, Dean Sumner 218.27, Edward P.Gribbin 123.87, Harriet Horning 78.90, Audrey McRoden 39.44; County Judge Herbert Norbeck 400.00, Municipal Judge Donald W.Lobitz 200.00;
WEED BOARD - Matt Brandriet 200.00. C.M.V.-C.S.Rasmusson 575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt 215.00, Sever Tobiason 205.00, John Rennie $184.00, Joe Stricherz 184.00, Claude Van Sickle 221.95, Andrew T. Larson 170.70, Curtis O. Underwood 158.00, John Strait 157.20,Clarence B.Sumner 221.95, Harold Scriver 124.20, Ed Gould 198.75, Alfred Spring 210.00, James Henderen 241.50, Carl Zweig, Jr. 226.80, Howard Williams 229.50, Burton Jackson 226.80, Gerald Peterson 203.60, Clarence Helle 193.20, Fred Brownell 173.20, Chas.Krogman 166.80, Julius Lentz 168.50, Leo Clausen 163.00, Thomas Spiering 178.40.
C.S.R. John Rennie 27.50, Curtis O. Underwood 8.80, Leo Clausen 2.20,
SPECIAL BRIDGE Curtis O. Underwood 8.00, John Strait 8.00, Fred Brownell 8.40, Chas. Krogman 7.70.
ROAD Secretary of State 4.50.

On motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk, Glen Mitchell was allowed $20.00 a month during winter months for use of car in valuing county real estate. Motion carried.

Report of County Farm patients was noted. Report was made by Home Superintendent Henry Klemsrud.

Abatement for Mabel Alworth's Lake Township personal property assessed in error of extending figures by township assessor, was moved by Belk, seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

Bounty claims were approved on a motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk. Motion carried, and the following claims were approved:

Badger claims - Nels Ekse 8.00, Arnold Flisrand 4.00, Leo Slominski 4.00, Grover Peterson 4.00, L.T.Brekke 4.00, Roger Lindahl 4.00, Jim O'neill 4.00, Louis Washtoak 4.00, Alvin Rossow 4.00, Vernon Thompson 4.00, Harry Matthes 4.00, Rollo Korth 4.00, Willis Moyer 8.00, Samuel Toering 4.00, John P. Stricherz 4.00,Lloyd Anderson 4.00, Bill Miller 4.00,Ronald Henricks 4.00, Merle Elshere 4.00,Robert Endres 4.00,Wayne Walters 4.00, Eugene Borns 4.00, Justus Muller 4.00, FOX BOUNTY - David Kittleson $7.50, Glen Elmore 7.50,Toivo Ollila 7.50, Geo. Laqua 7.50, John Jorgenson 7.50, LeRoy Anderson 7.50, Robt. D.Adams 15.00,Ralph Raml 7.50,Gerald Murphy 7.50, Ray Amdahl 7.50,Glenn Mitchell 7.50, Harry M. Brandt 7.50,O.A. Stevens 7.50. COYOTE BOUNTY - Leslie E. Simon 7550,

Moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan to appoint Al M. Williams to serve on the Weed Board for the year 1957. ; Motion carried.

It was moved by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad to appoint Vernon Belk to serve on the Extension Board for the year 1957. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until Tuesday, February 5, 1957 at 10 A.M.

Irma Welch Auditor
Codington County, S. Dak.

February 5, 1957.

The Board of County Commissioners of the County of Codington, South Dakota, met pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Belk as follows:

GENERAL: Court Expense W.A.Hackett $25.00, Grace Curley $23.40, Milbert E. Hottman, Kathlyn Mondlock $15.28, ROAD: Secretary of State $13.50. TRUST FUNDS Lucy R.Grant 15.00.

Lester Purcell appeared before the Board in regard to a County Lien No. 2884 dated 1938 for $3.50. This lien should have appeared in the name of Lester Pickerel. On a motion by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Hogstad, the lien was ordered released as to Lester Purcell, and charged to Lester Pickerel.

At 10:00 A.M. this being the time specified in published advertisements the Auditor proceeded to open and read bids for the following:

1. Trucks (a) International Harvester Co. (b) Chevrolet Company (c) Rozum Brothers Motor Company (d) Bichler Motor Company.

2. At 2 P.M. the bids on tanks were opened and read, and the following bids were proposed:(a) O'Day Equipment Co.Inc.,Fargo,N.D. (b) Sioux City Foundry & Boiler Co.,(c) N.W.Road Supply Co., Watertown(d) Gabel Tank Co., Sioux Falls, S.D.(e)Fargo Foundry,Fargo, N.D.

3. Bids on Distributors and other Oil Equipment were read as follows:(a) Pecaut Co. F.O.B.Marion Ohio, $7,861.00 (b) Foster Bell Co., F.O.B.Watertown $7,320.00 (c) N.W. Road Supply, F.O.B. Baraboo, Wis. $5,935.50, (d) J.D.Evans Equipment Co. F.O.B.Factory $7,900.00, (e) Stan Houston Co. F.O.B.Watertown $7,320.00, (f) Sheehan-Bartling Inc. F.O.B. Factory $6,813.00, (g) Sioux Road Quipment Co., F.O.B. Factory $8,887.00.

O'Day Equipment Co. was awarded the contract on tanks on a motion presented by Commissioner Hogstad, seconded by Keenan. All commissioners voted yes. Motion carried.

Sheehan-Bartling Inc. were awarded the bid on one dual type steam pressure tank car heater, complete as per specifications, mounted on county truck, on a motion made by Williams, seconded by Belk. All Commissioners voted yes, motion carried.

J.D.Evans Equipment Company was awarded the bid on 8 to 12 ton steel faced roller. Their bid was considered the low bid on account of having fully autometic drive. Motion was presented by Williams, seconded by Keenan. All commissioners voted yes, and motion carried.

Stan Houston Equipment Company was awarded the bid for 1,250 gallon distributor mounted on truck ($5,559.00) Model CLR C-M Littleford Spray Master. Motion was made to award this firm the contract by Belk, seconded by Hogstad. All commissioners voted yes, motion carried.

Stan Houston Equipment Company was awarded the contract on 4,000 gallon trailer type oil supply tank. Motion was made by Belk, seconded by Keenan. All voted yes, motion carried.

The Auditor was instructed to return checks to all unsuccessful bidders.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until Tuesday, February 6, 1957.

Irma Welch Auditor
Codington County, S.D.

February 6, 1957.

Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, all members were present, Chairman Skinner presided.

This being the time for appointments with dealers to present their truck bids the following bid was moved for acceptance by Williams, seconded by Keenan:

1. Bichler Motor Co. bid for 1 1957 Dodge, Model K 8-600 2½ ton cab & chassis -

171' Wheel Base, 102' cab to axle as per specifications as bid $3,280 F.O.B.Detroit.This bid was considered as most satisfactory for the purpose for which truck is intended. All commissioners voted yes, bid was accepted, and contract awarded.

2. Rozum Brothers Motor Company bid for 1-1957 Ford Series F600 2 Ton Truck as per specifications bid $2,599.00 F.O.B. Watertown. Motion by Hogstad, seconded by Williams to accept bid and award the contract. Motion carried. All Commissioners voted yes.

3. Sanders Chevrolet Company on motion by Belk, seconded Keenan, were awarded the contract for 1-2 ton 6400 series truck, as per specifications, as bid $2,619.00 F.O.B. Watertown. All commissioners voted yes, motion carried.

The Auditor was instructed to return the checks to unsuccessful bidders.

On motion duly made and seconded the Commissioners adjourned to reconvene February 13, 1957.

Auditor
Codington County, S.D.

Febbuary 13, 1957.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment with all members present except Belk. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad, as follows:

GENERAL: Poor - Postmaster $10.00, Burgdorf Nursing Home for Susan Mack $40.00, Alpha Mudge 40.00, Nels T. Nelson 50.00, Florence Williams $5.00, total $135.00: Mrs. Bethel Cunningham $29.67 for care Lyle Gerjets: Mrs. Alex Haefner $20.00 for care Debbie Heathcote, Bertha Johnson $34.00 for Ed McPeek, Esther Kinsey $25.00 for Rosa Shape, Kinstad Rest Home $166.00 for Ola Hanson $31.00, $25.00 Karl Berge, $30.00 Rupert Gatchell, $80.00 Robert Main, Elizabeth Marsh $20.00 for Matt Kemp, Mrs. Gordon Miller $40.00 for Sharon Gerjets, Mrs. Lyle Mogler $17.50 for Norma Remedies, Irene Stockman $60.00 for Loretta Stockman, Sturdevant Rest Home $150.00 for John Farley $25.00, Jerry O'Brien $90.00, Frank Metzinger $35.00; Mrs. Helen J. Sumner $14.00 for Mrs. Frank Soulak; Watertown Rest Home $110.00 for $25.00 L. Mourere, $40.00 Ben Bergerson, $45.00 Naomi Adams; Western Transportation Co. $37.39; Bartron Clinic $662.06 for $49.05 Maxine Asby, $1.20 Mathilda Blek, $2.00 Robert Corey, $21225 John Farley, $3.90 John Fjerstad, $34.50 Helen Hendricks, $2.00 Florence Jensen Kennedy, $75.00 Lyle LeVake, $2.40 Robert Main, $17.45 Mrs. Chas. Meseberg, $14.10 Frank Metzinger, $8.00 Mary E. Mills, $4.25 Mrs. Chas.Ward Montney, $7.30 Louis Mourere, $30.00 Phoebe Mowery, $14.60 Nels T. Nelson, $96.05 Otis Olson, $2.96 Anna Parsley, $3.60 Seymore Peterson, $23.45 Josephine Roethler, $46.00 Mrs. Wm. Schreurs, $89.30 Rosa Shape, $5.00 Frank Soulak, $6.00 Mrs. Ellsworth Spearbeck, $7.80 Carl J. Struss, $41.55 Blair Tessier, $10.75 Lena Trumer, $5.70 Rollin A. Vance, 1.20 Edgar Wight, $19.45 Steve Wisneski, [illegible], $11.00 Ferne Washtoak, $5.25 Clarence Tessier. Brown Clinic $92.00 for Ella Alexander $25.00, Mary Bagan $9.00, Nordeen Brekke $2.00, Chas. Bierscheid $19.00, Hilda Haack $2.00, Mae Mitchell 9.00, John O'Neill 13.00, Seymore Peterson 11.00, Alice Redetzke 2.00. Codington County Oil Co. $15.20 for Willard Goette, A. Duffner Store 117.49 for Karl Berge 13.05, Mathilda Blek 4.08, Rupert Gatchell 1.80, Ola Hanson 17.63, Emil Herter 10.80, Emma Jenkins 6.25, Frank Metzinger 6.74, Mrs. Chas. Ward Montney 27.72, Jerry O'Brien $29.42. Dr. Donald Fedt $67.00 for James Chambers $34.00, Mrs. M. J. Flowers $18.00, Elia Painter 8.00, Ola Hanson 7.00. Haggar Drug Store $222.06 for Martin Bale 4.82, Edith Bunde 5.40, Mrs. Rose Dixon 2.43, Hilda Ebens 39.83, Hilda Haack 6.08, Mary Kirkeby 1.80, Frances Kreger 15.53, N. T. Nelson 3.60, Seymore Peterson 11.88, Mildred Taylor 19.04, Mr. & Mrs. Irvin Rislov 26.01, Ferne Washtoak 70.61, Josephine Welter 15.03. Hayes Lucas Watertown $117.00 for Catherine Brockhoft 24.25, Edward Switzenberg $21.00, Sprigg Tubbs 24.25, Jud Turner 47.50. Huebner Oil Co. 42.60 for Frederick Boadwine $28.40, Florence Jensen Kennedy 14.20. Kreisers Drug Store 77.73 for Ben Bergeson $4.05, James Chambers 30.77, Anna Christianson 8.10, Christ Engels 2.06, Albert Hendricks 1.67, Lena Radtke $11.59, Dood Tiejen 13.23, Mary Troelson 6.26. Dr. E.T.Lietzke $28.00 for Richard Vermillion.Lutheran Welfare Society $3.00 for Jo Anne Vermillion. McBath Coal & Coke Co. 153.82 for Edith Bunde 26.95, Mrs.Albert Good 26.07, Albert Louis Kritta 25.70, Alice Redetzke 26.50, Mrs. Evelyn Schultz 24.53, Oscar Wangen 24.07: Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes $22.50 for James Chamber $10.00, Frank Metzinger $7.50, George Braa $5.00: Matt's Locker Service $83.52; Medical Arts Clinic $4.00 for Martin Bale, $77.00 for Ellen Anderson 30.00, Edith Bundy 4.50, Albert Hendricks 4.50, Emil Herter 17.00, Frances Kreger 2.00, Jerry O'Brien 19.00: Memorial Hospital $1,379.86 for Lizzie Alt 543.65, Ellen Anderson 321.02, James Chambers 199.80, John Hess 193.06, Albert Hendricks 50.98, Phoebe Mowery 21.50, Mrs. Jud Turner 49.85: Park Grant Co. $11.24: Dr. C.L.Patrick $25.00 for Soren Nelson:Red Owl Store $4.52 for Elmer Dahl, Rogers Dairy $4.80 for Phoebe Mowery, Saint Anns Hospital 2,012.50 for Chas. Bierscheid 204.40, Nellie Jensen 371.00, Mrs. Alice Jungen 303.75, Michael McAleer 411.05, Mae Mitchell 45.20, John O'Neill 36.15, Irvin Rislov 142.45, Carl Struss 232.55, Ferne Washtoak 265.95. St. Williams Home 68.50 for Mary Meyers:O. P. Skaggs Store $30.75 for Frederick Boadwine 5.23, Mrs. Albert Good 6.12, James & Betty Miller 19.40: Svendsen Nursing Home $180.00 for Hilda Ebens $95.00; Rosa Dixon $25.00, Mary Kirkeby 30.00, Teresa Schumer 30.00: Shaw-Messer Co. $5.00 for Ellen Anderson: Skelly Oil Co. $6.50 for Willard Goette: S.D.Children's Aid $55.11 for Lyle Gerjets 10.32, Soren Nelson 44.79:Sperling Shoe Co. 13.74 for Jerry O'Brien: Standard Oil Co. 43.60 for Phoebe Mowery: Thomes Drug Store $104.88 for Ella Alexander 37.40, Chas. Bierscheid 1.80, Robert Corey 6.30, Richard DePeel 2.84, John Farley 15.08, Albert Hendricks 1.62, Theo. Treat 4.28, Lena Trummer 2.75, Alfred Vick 32.81: Dr. M. C. Thompson 134.50 for Rose Marie Bryant $25.00, Hilda Haack 3.00, Albert Hendricks 28.00, Clarence I. Morrison 49.00, Emma Lehman Drelle 16.50, Mrs. John Taylor 14.00. Transit Cab Co. 2.80 for Jerry O'Brien: Dr. R. E. VanDemark $150.00 for Richard Vermillion, Watertown Community Oil Co. $110.40 for Edwin Bates $8.10, Homer Black 23.30, Elmer Dahl 15.70, Joe Gerjets 16.20, James & Betty Miller 23.80, Jesse Morris 8.10, Art Webb 15.20: Wilson Truck System $455.12:
GENERAL: County Farm - Olson Appliance & Gas Co. $5.80, City Treasurer 40.98, Nelson Hdwe 8.77, A Duffner Store 12.86, Thompson Yards $35.40, Court House Maintenance - City Treas. $736.28, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. 59.35,Dwight Deal 136.00, Egge Electric 94.20, Otto Enger 105.60, Imperial Chemical Co. 231.40, Inman Plumbing & Heating 32.97, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. 20.73, Nelson Hardware 13.42, Otis Elevator Co. 58.55, Pitney Bowes Inc.22.57

Dale Bradshaw 2.35.
Ruth Shenk 19.97, Herb Skinner Jr. 30.00, Thompson Yards 1.90/ Printing & Advertising South Shore Gazette 84.60, Henry Independent 344.27, Watertown Public Opinion 89.52. Treasurer Publishing Fees - South Shore Gazette 81.23. Commissioners Per Diem, Mileage, Salary - Adolph Hogstad $104.66, James L. Keenan 73.35, Herb Skinner 99.11, Al M. Williams 70.00; County Extension - State 4 H Club Office 13.20, Ruhe Stationery 2.60, County Ext. Fred Morris 21.44,Clara W. Johnson 41.20, Mid-West Beach Co. 15.59, Carlsons 9.40. Treasurer Office Expense - Carlsons 2.16, First Citizens National Bank 2.75, Ruhe 3.60, The Mitchell Publishing Co. 140.59. Board of Insanity - Gladys Freeseman $5.00, . County Board of Education - Mrs. Robert Bard $39.64, Philip Bergh 17.00, Willard S.Grow 10.14, Mark N. Mach 10.82, W.I.Nichols 16.72, Ben Thyen 12.64. States Atty Mileage - Dale E. Bradshaw 12.60, Ruhe 18.40, Board of Health - Dr. H. Russell Brown 5.50. Radio Lewis Gerrits 17.20. Supt. Schools Office Expense - C.A.Gregory Co. 26.50, Watertown Typewriter Co. 1.30. Contests & Exhibits - Hodges Badge Co. 32.72. Bd of Insanity Don May 5.00, Court Expense Harry L. Hoaas 5.00, Ruhe 20.15, Lloyd B. Peterson 47.75, Lawrence Cordell 8.00. Auditor's Office Expense - Brown & Saenger 5.56, Burroughs Corporation 25.69,Rubber Stamp Co. 1.00, Ruhe 2.70. Monroe Calculating Machine Co. 26.30. Register Deeds Office Expense - Ruhe 5.45, Carlsons 10.25, Remington Rand Co. 36.30. Clerk of Courts Office Exp. Ruhe - 4.70, Brown & Saenger 14.71. Sheriff's Office - Ruhe 12.18. Civil Defense - Ruhe 1.45, Public Welfare Office 29.33 for Ruhe, Carlsons 2.52. Equipment - Ruhe 182.60, American Railway Express 2.80. Tax Deed Expense - Hazel Schliesmann 10.00. Sheriff Fees 61.25; Mileage for Sheriff - 363.10. Board of Prisoners 180.40 for Lloyd Shenk $604.75 total. Memorial Park - Northwest Public Service 12.60. Veterans Service Office Exp. Evelyn Nigg 32.40. Convention & Research - Glenn M. Mitchell 8.66, Dean Sumner 19.06. Supervisor of Assessor Expense 74.39/ Insurance & Bonds 72.32/ Law Library 349.00 Shepard's Citations.

ROAD: Olson Appliance & Gas Co. 69.30, City Treasurer 37.22, Hayes-Lucas Lumber Co.38.20, NW Public Service Co. 7.07.

HIGHWAY & BRIDGE: Algard Machine Shope 8.00, Bard & Wika Inc. 8.49, Cave Supply Co.123.97, J.D.Evans Equipment Co. 3.35, Foster-Bell Co. 211.50, F.C.Grow Sons,Printers 47.50, Kenneth Hayes Electric Co. 12.50, Hjermstad Oil Co. 2.00, Bill Hinde 73.73, LaNoue's Radiator Shop $103.20, International Harvester Co. 156.20, Marquardt's Service 1.92, Mileage Market 173.25, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. 42.67, Motor Supply Co. 44.71, Pecaut Equipment Co. 192.26, Reiter's Standard Service Station .90, Frank Schmitt 25.50, Schweigers Inc. 52.80, Sheehan-Bartling Inc. 110.08, Sioux Road Inc. 221.26, Sioux Road, Inc. 58.85, Socony Mobile Oil Co. 354.15, Socony Mobile Oil Co. 1.66, Tanksley Johnson, Inc. 2,350.11, Watertown Machine Works 2.08, Watertown Tire Co. 73.36, Fire Underwriter's Board 425.70, Chuck Crown Radio TV 13.15, City of Watertown Street Department 480.74, Dandar Electric Motor Repair 4.50, Dicks Seat Cover Shop 9.80.

COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE - Hilda E. Harrington 86.00, Fire Underwriter's Board 995.00

SPECIAL BRIDGE Thompson Yards 8.50. WEED BOARD - Matt Brandriet 4.86. TEXTBOOK The John C.Winston Co. 21.00, Midwest-Beach Co. 48.37, Hammond & Stephens Co. 7.04.

Claude Dunlop appeared before the Board in regard to a plat map for Lake Kampeska. No action was taken.

Auditor's account with Treasurer shows deposit in bank $250,667.39, Cash $7,318.45, Government Bonds $181,702.06, Jail Bonds $12,642.48. Report was accepted on motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan. Motion carried,

A dance hall license application for the COF Hall at Kranzburg for 1 year for $25.00 was presented by Joseph Clausen and others. A motion to approve the application and grant the license was made by Commissioner Keenan, seconded by Williams, and all commissioners voted yes. Motion carried.

Veterans Service Officer report for the year of 1956 was noted by the Board. Veterans Service Officer monthy report for January 1957 was noted by the Board.

RESOLUTION No. 297

WHEREAS there has been received the sum of $243.88 from the sale of Motor Vehicle License Plates, properly apppportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April,July and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment for the fourth quarter of 1956

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that the said money be apportioned to the respective municipalities as follows:

FLORENCE	$13.66,
HENRY V.	13.66
SOUTH SHORE	13.66
WALLACE	13.66
WATERTOWN	192.66
Total	243.88

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Williams and seconded by Commissioner Keenan and upon roll call all Commissioners voted yes, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 29th day of January, 1957.

Herb Skinner Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington Co.

ATTEST:

Irma Welch Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota.

Register of Deeds Report for January showing $517.60 was filed, and the Clerk of Courts Report of $248.10 was received and filed. Reports were approved on motion by Hogstad and seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Bill for Yankton $1,965.83, Sanator $44.33, and Redfield 802.42 were approved on a motion presented by Commissioner Hogstad, seconded by Commissioner Williams. Motion carried.

Dale Koch appeared in regard to valuation of N220' of W108' of Lot 8-116-55 in Henry Village $2,043.00 valuation, tax $74.32. No action was taken.

Abatement of H. H. Froelich was presented. This was an error by the assessor in placing the entry on wrong line. The assessment of $3,222.00 should show $1,162.00, mill levy 19.64, so consolidated tax of $63.28 should be reduced to $22.82. On a Motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad the correct tax was assessed and an abatement of $40.46 allowed to H. H. Froelich. All voted yes. Motion carried.

Walter Rau abatement was presented and on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan, abatement was approved on grain tax of $19.98. Motion carried.

Robert Stein assessed $7.50 for Weed Tax was abated on motion by Keenan, seconded by Williams. Supervisor had reported this on wrong description of real estate. Motion carried.

Abatement of $1.40 for O. S. Sakariason for pred. animal tax, was granted on motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried. Error had been made in extending figures.

Money and credit tax abated for F.E.Mahr. This money was in First Federal Savings and Loan which is not taxable. Motion was made by Keenan, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Melvin Schmeling 240A 11-117-51 Kranzburg Twp. was overassessed. The value shown is $7,021. No action was taken.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until February 15, 1957.

Auditor,
Codington County, South Dakota.

February 15, 1957.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, all Commissioner present except Belk. Chairman Skinner presided.

John J. Reddy appeared before the Board in regard to an error in addition of the assessors figures of $1,000. No action was taken.

S.J.Owens, Chief Enginer of the Minneapolis and St. Louis Railroad, and H. E. Herington the roadmaster, and the Codington County Highway Engineer met with the Commissioners in regard to the overhead bridge at Wallace. The following program was discussed: Total cost of grading $9,910 will be divided 50% to the M & St. L. Ry and 50% to Codington County, the M & St. L. Ry to remove all the old bridge, raise the track 2 feet at point of railroad crossing. The County will purchase the right of way. The railroad will furnish crossing plank and crossing sign. Motion made to approve the above plan by Hogstad, seconded by Belk. All commissioners voted "yes" none Nay, motion carried.

Abatement of Money & Credit tax in the amount of $36.80 an error in assessment School Dist. Wat'n Ind. #1 - Robert Riley, was moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

A refund of $2.00 to Fred Klatt for school poll assessed both in Clark and Codington Counties was approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan. All voted yes. Motion carried.

On motion duly made and sedonded Board adjourned until February 19, 1957.

Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota.

February 19, 1957.

Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment with all members present. Chairman Skinner presided.

This being the time for opening bids for fencing, fittings for fence, posts, etc. the County Auditor was requessed to proceed to open bids and read them. The bids were as follows: (1) Hassenstein Steel Co., Sioux Falls. (2) Thompson Yards, Watertown (3) Botsford Lumber Co., Watertown (4) Hayes-Lucas Lumber Co., Watertown (5) Century Fence Co., St. Paul, Minn. (6) Soley Iron Works, Minneapolis (7) Egger Steel Co., Sioux Falls, S.D.

Century Fence Company was the only bidder with a personal representative present. After some discussion the Board left to inspect fence installations in the city. After some discussion the Board returned and Commissioner Williams offered the following motion seconded by Skinner - To accept the Thompson Yards bid for fence. On roll call Dist.#1 voted no. Dist No. 2 passed, No. 3 No, No. 4 Yes, No. 5 No. Motion lost.

Two kinds of fence had been bid on - one of heavy mesh and one of lesser value and of lighter mesh. Both fence would be installed by highway employees at the same cost. The fact the more expensive and heavier mesh of fende would be of better value and the best interest of the tax payers, Commissioner Belk moved to accept the bid of the Century Fence Company for $2,087.00. This was the lowest bid on the heavier mesh of fence. Motion was seconded by Keenan. This fence has end posts, gate posts of chain link mesh, and on roll call commissioners of Districts 1,2,3, and 5 voted Yes. District #4 voted no. Motion carried. Checks of unsuccessful bidders were to be returned to the bidders by the auditor.

Commissioner Belk moved that the County Highway Engineer and the Chairman of the Board be instructed to attend a meeting of the city council on March 4, 1957 and present to them the matter of location of oil tanks within the city. Motion was seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Jim Fox of Chicago appeared in regard to taxes on Fox DeLuxe Inc. This property had been overassessed as the valuation was on 100% of full and true value and no 35% was taken at the time of assessment. No action was taken.

The Board adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded to reconvene on February 26, 1957.

Irma Welch Auditor
Codington County, S. Dak.

February 26, 1957.

Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment with all Commissioners present, Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Commissioner Keenan, seconded by Commissioner Hogstad, as follows:

GENERAL: Court Order - Lucille Jostad $30.88, Paul Korbel 15.42, Mabel Alworth 118.56, Cecilia M. Beirne 118.56, Hazel Hegarty 135.00, Joe Gerlach 25.00, Edna Coyle 23.40, Frank Sherer 25.28. Court House Maint. Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. 251.85, Carl Deal 250.00, Dwight Deal 86.00. Sheriff Fees & Salary-Bert Smith $110.00, Jailor-William J. Meyer 275.00, Veterans Service Officer-George Burke 210.00, County Extension-Audrey Kleveter 175.00, County Farm-Henry Klemsrud 115.00, Pearl Klemsrud 110.00, Civil Defense-Ed Howson 25.00,Court Office Expense-Bee Ann Kass 72.00. Poor - Carl Zweig Jr. 5.40, Thomas Spiering 2.20, Julius Lentz 13.20, Chas. Krogman 13.20. Auditor's Office Expense-KayLyn Welch 40.10. Commissioners Per Diem, mileage, salary-Vernon H. Belk 224.50, Adolph Hogstad 125.24, James L. Keenan 93.55, Herb Skinner 104.81, Al M. Williams 123.00. Supr.Assessor Expense-Kay Lyn Welch 40.11.

SALARY: Auditor-Irma E. Welch 325.00, Alice V. Olson 215.00, Edna Derenthal 195.00, Fay M. Wohlheter 185.00, Hilary Jensen 170.00. Treasurer-Paul Krakowski 325.00, DeLoris A.Goodroad 215.00, Joyce Rowe 195.00, Elsie Larson 185.00, Dorothy Pomeroy 150.00. Clerk of Courts Walter Farl 296.68, Leilah Auby 195.00. Register of Deeds-Margaret Brown 296.68,Beverly Mickelson 210.00, Hazel O. Duncan 170.00. Superintendent of Schools-Mrs.Hazel O.Murphy 325.00, Ruth M. Johnson 275.00. States Attorney-Dean Sumner 283.75, Ed Gribbin 160.00, Harriet M. Horning 100.00, Audrey McRoden 50.00, County Judge-Herbert O. Norbeck 400.00. Municipal Judge 200.00. Supervisor of Assessors 300.00 for Glenn M. Mitchell.

C.M.V. Thomas Spiering 200.20, Carl Zweig Jr. 243.00, Julius Lentz 183.70, Chas. Krogman 183.70, Andrew T. Larson 200.20, Curtis Underwood 190.30, John Strait 190.30, Howard Williams 247.05, Burton Jackson 248.40, Ed Gould 221.25, Alfred Spring 230.00, Gerald Peterson 230.00, Clarence Helle 204.70, Fred Brownell 202.40, Leo Clausen 193.60, C.S.Rasmusson 575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt 215.00, Sever Tobiason 205.00, John Rennie 159.85, Joe W.Stricherz 171.35, Claude VanSickle 174.80, Clarence B. Sumner 190.90, Harold Scriver 165.60, James Hendren 276.00.
COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL-Harold Scriver 6.25, Clarence B. Sumner 35.00, Claude Van Sickle 41.25, Joe W. Stricherz 41.25, John Rennie 61.25, John Strait 3.30, Curtis Underwood 3.30, Chas. Krogman 2.20, Julius Lentz 2.20.
SPECIAL BRIDGE-Chas. Krogman 3.30, Andrew T. Larson 2.20, Curtis Underwood 8.80, John Strait 8.80, Leo Clausen 8.80, Clarence Helle 6.90, Ed Gould 8.75, Julius Lentz 3.30. WEED BOARD Matt Brandriet 200.00.

Les Schull appeared in regard to overassessment of Lots 19-24 in Hillcrest, Lake Township. No action was taken.

Bonds of Francis Jungers, and Frank M. Brooks were approved on motion of Belk, seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

John Ehrstrom charge of $54.12 for land leased in Phipps Township was considered. This is state owned land and should be assessed against the owner. Motion was presented by Belk, seconded by Keenan to correct this on tax books. Motion carried.

DeAlton Fox abatement of $40.00 for Money and Credit assessed in error was allowed on a motion presented by Hogstad, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board of County Commissioners adjourned until March 5, 1957,

Irma Welch Auditor
Codington County, S. Dak.

March 5, 1957

Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment with all members present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan, as follows:GENERAL Court Expense Edna Coyle $23.40, Frank Sherer 25.28. TRUST FUND Lucy R. Grant $15.00.

Bills for Yankton $1,923.83; Sanator $40.04, and Redfield $825.00 were noted and approved on a motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

Motion made by Keenan, seconded by Belk to advertise for bids to make the elevator in the Court House fully automatic. Motion carried.

Report of Weed Supervisor, Matt Brandriet, was noted by the Board.

Highway Superintendent's short course, scheduled for March 27, 28, 29 in Brookings was noted by the Board, and on motion by Belk, seconded by Williams, it was recommended the Codington Highway Superintendent be permitted to attend with expenses allowed, in accordance with state law, upon properly prepared vouchers. Motion carried.

Selmer Markrud presented a bond for double the amount of a lost warrant No. 07695 amounting to $28.31, with a request a new warrant be issued. Motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk, instructed the Auditor to stop payment on Warrant No. 07695 and issue a new warrant in the amount of $28.31. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Commissioner Hogstad, seconded by Commissioner Keenan, that the Supervisor of Assessors and County Auditor be permitted to attend the Assessors meeting at Huron, March 11, 12 and 13, 1957 with expenses allowed in accordance with law upon properly presented and prepared vouchers. Motion carried.

Moved by Williams, seconded by Hogstad that the County Superintendent of Schools, Hazel Murphy be allowed to attend a session of School Administrators and School Board Members to be held at South Dakota State College, Brookings, March 12, with expenses paid as prescribed by law, upon the presentation of proper vouchers. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Williams to approve the Clerk of Courts Fees $235.25 and Register of Deeds $404.60 fees for February, 1957.

On motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until March 12, 1957 at 10 A.M.

Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County

March 12, 1957

Board of County Commissioners met, pursuant to adjournment, with all but one member present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Motion was made by Williams, seconded by Keenan to approve all bills with two exceptions, i.e. Memorial Hospital Bill for Thomas Black was rejected because no authorization had been given, and bill of T.R.Marvin, M.D. for surgery on John Dummer was rejected as no emergency occurred, there was time to obtain consent, and the local doctors under contract for such services would have been employed. All other bills were checked and approved as follows:

GENERAL: Court Expense - Norma Mills $5.10, Ruhe Stationery 7.02, Bartron Clinic 5.00. Poor - Donald N. Fedt.M.D. $36.00 for James Chambers 3.00, Mrs. M.J.Flowers 3.00, Emma Klucas $30.00. Thomes Drug Store $80.83 for Ella Alexander24.75, Richard DePeel 5.67 Albert Hendrichs $15.35, Mrs. Theo.Treat 2.25, Alfred Vick 32.81. F.P.Creaser & Sons 24.25 for Carl Heemiller. Annette Burgdorf $135.00 for Susan Mack 40.00, Alpha Mudge $40.00, Nels T. Nelson 50.00, Florence Williams 5.00. Mrs. Alex Haeffner $20.00 for Debbit Heathcote. Mrs. Bertha Johnson $34.00 for Ed McPeek. Nora A. Kinstad $206.00 for Ola Hanson 31.00, Karl Berge 25.00, James Chambers 40.00, Rupert Gatchell 30.00, Robert Main 80.00. Mrs.Esther Kinsey $25.00 for Rosa Shape. Mrs. Gordon Miller $40.00 for Sharon Gerjets. Mrs. Lyle Mogler $17.50 for Norma Remedies. Elizabeth Marsh 20.00 for Matt Kemp. St.Williams Home $31.25 for Mary Meyers. Helen J. Sumner $14.00 for Mrs. Frank Soulak. Svendsen Nursing Home $180.00 for Mrs. Hilda Ebens 95.00, Mrs.Rosa Dixon 25.00, Mrs.Mary Kirkeby 30.00, Miss Teresa Schumer 30.00. Mrs. A. Sturdevant 66.80for John Farley 25.00, Jerry O'Brien 15.00, Abraham Schram 26.80. Irene Stockman 60.00 for Loretto Stockman. Watertown Rest Home 110.00 for Louie Mourere 25.00, Naomi Adams 45.00, Ben Bergerson 40.00. South Dakota Children's Aid $87.00 for Soren Nelson 40.00, Lyle Gerjets 40.00. Memorial Hospital $1,929.61 for Ellen Anderson 169.31, A.A.Franzen 75.41, Irene Kanne 120.53, Emma Klucas 212.10, Frances Kreger 71.60, Arthur Larson 284.73, Reinhard Luck 203.72, Jerry O'Brien 146.02, Mrs. Johanna(Ole) Olson 41.10, Frank Soulak 79.93, Rollin A. Vance 458.61,Kathryn Vaughn 5.00, Alfred Vick 46.50, Edgar Wight 15.05. Bartron Clinic $1292.31 for Charles Alt 87.80, Edwin Bates 1.15, Mrs. Henry Becker 4.80, Blanch Berry 2.00, Mathilda Blek 1.20, John Blum 6.00, Frederick Boadwine 4.25, O.A.Borns 75.00, Joyce Christensen 6.00, Bert Crandall 34.25, Mrs. Wm. Czech 49.25, Hilda Ebens 3.00, John Farley $56.80, Mike Feyen $8.00, Dorothy Flathers 35.80, Mrs. Carl Fritz 32.60, Phyllis Hanks 6.00, Mrs.Carl Hemiller 21.00, John Hess 30.00, Nellie Jensen 30.00, Mrs. Alice Jungen 123.10, Jas.F.Keyser 33.90 Albert Louis Kritta 20.20, Reinhart Luck 2.00, Michael McAleer 3.00, Robert E. Main 6.60, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg 10.00, Frank Metzinger 32.00, Mary Mills 12.00, M Chas. Ward Montney 4.25, Louie Mourere 14.10, Phoebe Mowery 4.00, Neils Nielson 38.65, H.H.Parliament 5.00, Anna Parsley 8.19, Seymore Peterson 2.10, Mrs.Josephine Roethler 55.08, Hilda Schmeling, 17.80, Eva Schultz 11.00, Rosa Shape 6.55, Hanna Smith 6.80, Frank Soulak 12.00, Kenora Spearbeck 18.00, Carl J. Struss 107.30, Blair Tessier 62.35, Clarence Tessier 4.00, Lena Trummer 22.10, Jud Turner 22.20, R.A.Vance 10.04, Ferne Washtoak 51.50, Ed Wight 8.90, Steve Wisneski 58.70, Kenneth Wickhurst 4.00. H.J.Bartron, M.D. 7.00 for Robert Corey. Brown Clinic 237.50 for Ella Alexander 50.50, Mary Bagan 9.00, Chas. Bierscheid 49.00, Geo. Braa 35.00, Mrs. Nordeen Brekke 4.00, Hilda Haack 6.00, Virgil Redwing 2.00, Ervin Rislov 48.00, Abraham Schram 30.00, Josephine Welter 4.00. Duffner Drug Store 129.79 for Carl Berg 14.85, Mathilda Blek 8.24, Rupert Gatchell 1.80, Ola Hanson 15.83, Emil Herter 20.20, Emma Jenkins 5.10, Jas & Betty Miller 2.05, Mrs. Chas. Montney 30.42, Jerry O'Brien 15.60, Inga Yarns 4.95. Haggar Drug Store 195.42 for Ellen Anderson 9.72, Martin Bale 19.04, Rose Dixon 2.43, Hilda Ebens 41.36, Hilda Haack 7.88, Mrs. Mary Kirkeby 1.80, Emma Klucas 2.03, Frances Kreger 8.87, H. Meyer 10.80, C.O.Monson 4.19, N. T.Nelson 1.80, Seymore Peterson 14.58, Ervin Rislov 28.62, Mrs. John E. Taylor 8.55, Ferne Washtoak 22.14, Josephine Welter 11.61. Hayes-Lucas Lumber Co. $23.75 for Jud Turner. Hunter Grocery 16.12 for Jas & Betty Miller 5.90, Jesse Morris 10.22. Kreisers Drug Store 175.04 for Charles Alt 16.29, Ellen Anderson 29.70, ~~Chas~~ James Chamber 86.22, Della Eisenbise 5.85, Mrs. Chas. ~~Montney~~ Meseberg 11.10, Lena Radtke 14.00, Mrs. Dooks Tiejen 11.88. McBath Coal & Coke Co. $74.07 for Mrs.Edith Bunde 26.79, Edward Switzenberg 21.00, Oscar Wangen 26.29. Medical Arts Clinic 231.50 for Ellen Anderson 28.00, Albert Hendrich 16.00, Emil Herter 17.50, Irene Kanne 20.00, Frances Kreger 13.50, Arthur Larson 78.00, C.O. Monson 10.50, Jerry O*Brien 38.00, Mrs. Katherine Vaughn 10.00. Shaw-Messer Co. Mrs.Phoebe Mowery 12.50 Jerry O'Brien 5.00, Arthur A. Larson 5.00, Standard Oil Co. 38.40 for Chris Jensen 7.60, Phoebe Mowery 15.20, Carl Struss 15.60.

Saint Ann Hospital $892.05 for Chas. Bierscheid 146.00, Geo.Braa 152.95, A.O.Borns 274.45. Mrs.Jas.F.Keyser 95.75, Frank Metzinger 76.70, Abraham Schram 146.20. Socony Mobile Oil Co. 30.40 for John DeWall. Dr. M.C.Thompson 57.00 for RoseMarie Bryant 27.50 Emma Drelle 10.00, Clarence I. Morrison 29.50. Thompson Yards 23.75 for Harold Nafus. Watertown Community Oil Co. $123.55 for Edwin Bates 16.20, Homer Black 14.58, Elmer Dahl 8.10, Wm. Matteson 23.30, Betty Miler 16.20, Jesse Morris 21.87, Wm. Sheppard 8.10, Art Webb 15.20.

County Board of Education - Ruth Johnson 3.36, Earling Johnson 39.91, Willard S.Grow 21.09, Philip Bergh 29.94, Ben Thyen 23.19, Watertown Public Opinion 24.00, Mrs. Robert Bard 27.00, W.I.Nichols 31.16, Mark N. Mack 22.56.

Comm. per diem, mileage, Adolph Hogstad 82.68, James L. Keenan 88.90, Herb Skinner 94.01, Al M. Williams 99.20. County Farm - Lien Grocery 24.60, Owens Electric Service 5.00, J.C. Penney Co. 19.37, Spies Super Value 11.78, Sunshine State Hatchery 9.50, Watertown Co-op Elevator Co. 88.40, Nelson Hardware 1.18, N W Bell Tel. Co. 5.00, Redlinger Bros. 9.50. Board of Health-H. Russell Brown,M.D. 74.00. Clerk of Courts Office Exp. Brown & Saenger 13.50, Walter A. Farl $2.01, Midwest-Beach Co. 183.67, Ruhe Stationery 9.90. Supervisor of Assessors Expense - Brown & Saenger 3.28, Glen M. Mitchell 57.10. Treas. Office Expense Brown & Saenger 4.09, The National Cash Register Co. 69.60, Ruhe Stationery 7.90.

Court House Maint. Certified Electric Corp. 15.03, City Treas. 798.66, Churchill Mfg.Co. 118.95, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. 102.04, Egge Electric 14.07, Otto Enger 125.40, Harris Janitor Supply Co. 12.00, Imperial Chemical Co. 125.00, Jo's Laundry 12.35,Miller Bros. Lumber Co. 120.28, Northwest Products Co. 22.75, Nelson Hardware 24.76, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. 313.72, Otis Elevator Co. 117.10,Park Grant Co. 173.68, Herb Skinner,Jr. 27.00, S&H Furniture 5.95, Wilson Truck System 3.55. Auditor's Office Expense - Educator Supply Co. 95.85m Ruhe Stationery 1.00. Insurance & Bonds - Fire Underwriter's Board - $1,024.10, Sheriff Office Expense - F.C.Grow Sons $21.00, Midwest-Beach Co. 54.43, Ruhe Stationery 3.83. Supt. Schools Office Exp. Interstate Printers & Publishers $2.82,Midwest Beach Co. 11.45. County Extension Office Clara W. Johnson $25.42, Ruhe Stationery 2.50. Public Welfare Office Exp. Midwest-Beach Co. 2.78, Ruhe Stationery 5.18. Coroner's Expense Leslie E. Mathiesen 3.92. Veterans Service Office Evelyn Nigg 46.80. States Attorney Office Exp. Ruhe Stationery 19.10.Register Deeds Office Exp. Ruhe Stationery 2.67,Remington Rand 118.55. Convention & Research Dean Sumner $73.51. Printing & Advertising-South Shore Gazette 95.27, Wat'n Public Opinion 184.00. Treas. Publication Fees $1,206.91 to Wat'n Public Opinion. Laws Library - West Publishing Co. 284.50. Co.Judge Office Exp. B.A.Kass 9.00.

Vital Statistics:-Walter Farl 351.55, Stanley W. Allen M.Dd 13.00, J.W.Argabrite,M.D.3.25 Roman Auskaps,M.D. 9.00, H.J.Bartron M.D. 2.00, G. Robert Bartron M.D. 2.25, Valdis Brakss, M.D. 9.50, H. Russell Brown M.D. 2.00, C.J.Clark M.D. 5.50, D.N.Fedt,M.D. 8.50, V. Janous,M.D 3.25, R.M.Kilgard, M.D. 80.25, M.W.Larsen 19.50, T.W.Reul M.D. 2.25, M.C.Rousseau M.D.34.75, C. Rodney Stoltz 28.25, J.J.Sransky,M.D. 17.75, S.J.Walter, M.D. 13.00, Abner Willen MD 7.00, Dr. M.C.Thompson 1.00, L.E.Mathiesen 1.50.

WEED BOARD Matt Brandriet 9.12, Paul David 5.82, Joseph J. Fox 5.68, Al M. Williams 4.00,

C.M.V. Redling Bros. 37¢, Midwest-Beach Co. 41.45, Thompson Yards $5.54, Miller Bros.Lumber Co. 5.10, Alts Repair Shop 2.00, Bard & Wika Inc. 74.85, Bergan-Johnson Texaco 180.95, Cave Supply Co.115.26, Dakota Welding Supply Co. 23.32, J.D.Evans Equipment Co. 7,511.03,Foster-Bell Co. 488.46, Fire Underwriters Board 392.44, Kenneth Hayes Electric Co. 49.42, Henry Oil Co. 11.85, International Harvester Co. 445.49, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. 2.23, LaNoue*s Radiator Shop 14.50, Lyle Signs Inc. 240.51, C.E.McGowan Lumber Co. 1.80, Mahowald Co.7.29, Marquardt's Service & Supply 10.99, Motor Supply Co. 73.63, Mileage Market 138.91, Arthur Schwandt 16.16, Schweigers Inc. 19.05, Sheehan-Bartling Inc. 4.59, Sioux Road, Inc. 30.74, Watertown Tire Co. 12.30.
ROAD: Harold Scriver 3.39, Northwestern Public Service 8.52, Hayes-Lucas Lumber Co.38.36.
HIGHWAY & BRIDGE-Socony Mobile Oil Co. 1,037.40. ROAD City Treasurer 42.38, Wilson Truck System 1.75.
TUITION: Florence Ind. School #28 664.00, Waverly Ind. School Dist #74 6,948.00, Wat'n Ind. School Dist No. 1 352.00.
TEXTBOOK: Scott Foresman & Co. 24.78. Hub City School Supply Co. 24.83.

Motion was made to call for bids for two truck bodies with hoists and various grades of road oil. Motion made by Hogstad, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

A delegation from Lake Township appeared before the Board asking for a lease on a depleted sand pit to be used as a dump ground. Motion made by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad to draw up a lease, and to also have the County Highway Superintendent check into this. Motion carried.

Auditor's account with Treasurer was approved on motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad:

Deposits in Banks	326.007.84
Cash	15,772.80
Government Bonds	181,702.06
Jail Building Bonds	12,642.48
Total	536,125.28

Motion carried.

Theodore Meyer appeared before the Board asking that liens in the name of Joseph J. Meyers be released in so far as they pertain to Lot 9, Block 68 of the subdivision entitled Block 35-74 Inc. of 2nd Railway Addition to Watertown. Joseph J. Meyers is not the Joseph Meyer related to Theodore Meyer. This release is necessary to clear the abstract title. Motion made to approve the request made by Commissioner Williams,seconded by Commissioner Hogstad. Motion carried.

Motion made to abate $1.00 school poll - Veteran Charles Welch, by Keenan, seconded by Williams. Motion carried and abatement granted.

Motion made by Commissioner Hogstad, seconded by Commissioner Keenan, to approve the bonds of Leif Eidness, Clerk School Dist. No. 54, and JXames Riley,School Dist. #45. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION #298

At a regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota held at the Court House, in the city of Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota, on the 12th day of March 1957, the following members being present:
Herb Skinner, Adolph Hogstadd, James L. Keenan, Vernon H. Belk, Al M. Williams
The following proceedings were had: Moved by Hogstad and motion seconded by Keenan that under the provisions of SDSC Supp. 12.1913, as amended by Chapter 25, Laws of 1953, we hereby authorize the expenses as a proper charge against this County, of the State's Attorney and Sheriff to attend an annual meeting of States attorneys and Sheriffs called by the Attorney General for April 10th and 11th 1957, to be held in the City of Pierre, South Dakota as follows:

1. An allowance for the actual cost of subsistence per day, including meals and lodging, as evidenced by appropriate receipts, not to exceed $..... per day.

2. An allowance for mileage not in excess of six cents per mile actually and necessarily traveled if made by automobile or actual costs for transportation if by railroad.

Members voting in favor of this resolution:

All "yeas", no "Nays".

Dated at Watertown, Soiuth Dakota, this 12 day of March, year of 1957.

(SEAL) Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST: Irma Welch
Auditor

By Herb Skinner
Chairman of County Commissioners

Motion duly ;made and seconded that the Board adjourn until Tuesday, March 19, 1957 at 10:00 A.M. Motion carried.

Irma Welch
Auditor

March 19, 1957.

Commissioners met at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment, with all members present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were checked and approvedn on a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams as follows:
GENERAL: Convention & Research Vernon H. Belk 10.36, Glen M. Mitchell 39.02, Irma Welch 26.00. Commissioner Per Diem, & Mileage - Vernon H. Belk 88.20. Sheriff Fees - Lloyd Shenk 92.00, Sheriff Mileage 325.00, Board of Prisoners 161.20. Poor - Mathiesen, Gergen & Rhodes $5.00 for Gust Dummer, Mrs. Lucille Gordon $30.00 for Emma Jenkins. Supr. of Assessors Expense Glen Mitchell 30.87.
The February 15 Commissioners Proceedings were corrected to read that Commissioner Belk appeared at 10 A.M. and took his place on the Board. Motion made to correct minutes by Belk, seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Williams, that any commissioners together with the Supervisor of Assessors be permitted to attend the meeting of the Executive Board and the Special Guide Committee at Pierre to be held on March 20 in the Office of Department of Revenue. Those who attend will have expenses paid according to law, upon properly prepared vouchers. Motion carried.

Abatement of Monies and Credits tax for Harry G. Williams was approved on a motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk, for $12.00 tax. This money was in the First Federal Savings and Loan Co. and these funds are exempt from tax. Letter of verification of deposit by the Company was presented to substantiate the claim. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Hogstad to accept the invitation to Milbank for April 4, 1957. Motion carried.

Motion made by Hogstad, seconded by Williams to advertise for bids for dump boxes and for oil, hearing to be set for 10 A.M. April 12 on Friday. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until 10 A.M. March 26, 1957 at 10:AM.

Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County.

March 26, 1957

The Board of County Commissioners convened at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all commissioners present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

GENERAL: - Court Expense Beverly Ellingson 28.00, Postmaster 33 cents, Mabel C. Alworth 118.56, Cecilia M. Beirne 118.56, Hazel Hegarty 135.00, Joe Gerlach 25.00. Poor - Postmaster 10.00, Postmaster 1.08, Auditor's Office Exp.-Postmaster 37.34. Clerk of Courts Office Exp. Postmaster 33.71. Printing & Advertising 2.40 Postmaster. County

Extension Postmaster 4.94, Audrey Kleveter 175.00. County Judge Office Exp. Postmaster 78¢, Reg. Deeds Office Exp. Postmaster 28.86. Sheriff Office Exp. Postmaster 4.29. Public Welfare Office 12.90. Supr. Assessor Exp. 12¢ Postmaster, Kay Lyn Welch 56.00. Supt. Schools Office Exp. Postmaster 36.23. Veterans Service Office Postmaster 7.44. Treas. Office Exp. 326.94 Postmaster.
Sheriff Fees & Salary 110.00 Bert Smith. Jailor - William J. Meyer 275.00. Veterans Serv. Office $210.00. George Burke. Court House Maint. Carl Deal 250.00. County Farm - Henry Klemsrud 115.00, Pearl Klemsrud 110.00. Ed Howson 25.00 Civil Defense. Veterans Service Office -Evelyn Nigg $68.40. Comm. Per Diem Vernon H. Belk $0.00. Adolph Hogstad 70.00, Jas.L.Keenan 60.00, Herb Skinner 80.00, Al M. Williams 30.00. Comm. Mileage Belk 12.60, Hogstad 26.60, Keenan 15.40, Skinner 32.69, Williams 21.00. Comm. Salary each $15.00 to Belk, Hogstad, Keenan, Skinner, Williams. Public Welfare Office - Dictaphone Corp. 340.00.

SALARY: Auditor Irma Welch 325.00, Alice Olson 215.00, Edna Derenthal 195.00, Fay Wohlheter 185.00, Hilary Jensen 170.00. Treasurer-Paul Krakowski 325.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad 215.00, Joyce Howe 195.00, Elizabeth Larson 185.00, Dorothy Pomeroy 150.00, Clerk of Courts Walter A. Farl 296.68, Leilah Auby 195.00. Register of Deeds - Margaret Brown 296.68, Beverly Mickelson 210.00, Hazel O. Duncan 170.00. States Attorney - Dean Sumner 283.75, Edward P. Gribbin 160.00, Harriet Horning 100.00, Audrey Mae McRoden 50.00. Supt. of Schools Glen Mitchell Mrs. Hazel O. Murphy 325.00, Ruth Johnson 275.00. Supervisor of Assessors 300.00. County Judge - Herbert Norbeck $00.00. Municipal Judge 200.00 Donald W. Lobitz.

WEED BOARD - Matt Brandriet 200.00. C.M.V. C.S.Rasmusson 575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt 215.00, Sever Tobiason 205.00, John Rennie 152.95, Joe W. Stricherz 134.55, Claude Van Sickle 150.65, C.B.Sumner 162.15, Harold Scriver 95.45, James Hendren 174.00, Ed Gould 150.00, Alfred Spring 172.50, Howar d Williams 178.20, Carl Zweig, Jr. 205.20, Burton Jackson 183.60, Gerald Peterson 160.00, Clarence Helle 174.80, Curtis Underwood 149.60, John Strait 158.40, Fred Brownell 96.80, Julius Lentz 162.80, Andrew T. Larson 123.20, Leo Clausen 149.60, Chas. Krogman 158.40, Thomas Spiering 165.00.
COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL - John Rennie 58.75, Joe W. Stricherz $122.00, Claude VanSickle 67.50, C.B.Sumner 43.75, Harold Scriver 105.15, James Hendren 54.00, Alfred Spring 38.75, Howard Williams 43.20, Carl Zweig,Jr. 10.80, Burton Jackson 35.10, Gerald Peterson 45.00, Clarence Helle 9.20, Curtis Underwood 26.40, John Strait 17.60, Fred Brownell 79.20, Julius Lentz 13.20, Andrew T. Larson 53.90, Leo Clausen 27.20, Chas. Krogman 17.60, Thomas Spiering 11.00,
ROAD - Postmaster 2.64.

J. H. Johnson presented a petition for a road in Fuller Township, approximately one and 3/4 miles from the corner - Northwest corner of Section 28, Township 118 North, Range 54 West of the Fifth P.M., thence east approximately One and three-quarters miles (1 3/4) intersecting State No. 20 in the Northeast Q uarter of Section 27, Township 118 North, Range 54 West of the 5th P.M. A motion was made by Keenan and seconded by Belk that the Chairman appoint a committee to inspect road and report at a later date on the condition of the present road. Chairman Skinner appointed the entire Board to inspect the road and to report on April 12, 1957 at 2 o*clock P.M.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Williams to abate $16.00 monies and credit tax on money of Joe Johnson. This money was assessed in error as it was deposited in the First Federal Savings and Loan Co. and is non-assessable. Letter of verification was submitted from the First Federal Savings and Loan. Motion carried.

Bonds approved on a motion by ;Keenan, seconded by Williams as follows: Treasurer August Zamow, Pelican Twp; Herbert Klatt, Kampeska Twp.; Otto Korth, Germantown Twp.; Olive Floden, Phipps, Twp.; Elbert Ruckstad, Dexter Twp.; Richard Hoffman, Elmira Twp.

Bond of assessors approved on motion by Keenan, seconded by Williams as follows: Mrs. August Zamow, Pelican; Edmund Klatt, Kampeska; and Sig Gram, Germantown.

Bonds of Clerks approved on motion by Keenan, seconded by Williams as follows: Vernon Benthin, Pelican; James DeVine, Kampeska; and Elmer Bunde, Germantown.

A delegation from Lake Township, i.e. Maynard Mahanke, Floyd LeVake, Chris Berg, Harold Benbow, Ethan Ostrander, Pete Cloos, Mrs. Clyde Blizzard, appeared. After discussion an agreement was drawn up and the township board agreed to build a road and the County agreed to put gravel on it.

RESOLUTION No. 299

WHEREAS, the Township Board of Lake Township, Codington County, has requested use of a portion of exhausted gravel pit area in NE¼ of Section 18, Township 117 North, Range 53 West of the Fifth P.M., for a Dump Ground, and

WHEREAS, said Township Board has agreed to fence in the area to be used for such purpose, and to maintain such area in a satisfactory condition so as not to create a public nuisance or endanger public health, and

WHEREAS, said Township Board hereby agrees to take complete charge of and responsibility for such Dump Ground and to pay for all necessary materials, labor and equipment expenses due to creation and maintenance of such Dump Ground Area,

NOW THEREFORE, and subject to above conditions the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, do hereby agree to grant Lake Township an easement on the following described portion of the NE¼ of Section 18-117-53.

"Beginning at a point 1042.0 feet south and 33 feet west of the N.E. Corner of Section 18-117-53, thence south and 73°27' west a distance of 308.0 feet, thence south and 19°21' east, a distance of 296.0 feet, thence south and 39°16' east a distance of 216.4 feet, thence due east a distance of 104.5 feet to a point 33 feet west of section line, thence north, parallel to the section line, a distance of 555.4 feet to point of beginning, containing 2.69 acre, more or less."

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Hogstad, and seconded by Commissioner Keenan, and upon roll call all voted "yea" and none "nay" whereupon the chairman declared the resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 26th day of March, 1957.

Chairman, Codington County Commissioners

Attest:

Auditor, Codington County

A motion was made by Keenan and seconded by Belk that the Chairman be authorized to sign an agreement for puchase of ten acres of land from John Dovenbarger. All members voted "yea" none "nay", and motion carried.

AGREEMENT TO PURCHASE LAND FOR COUNTY PURPOSES

Codington County as Party of the First Part does hereby agree to purchase, at two Hundred Dollars (200.00) per acre, a tract of land in the west ½ of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section 25, Township 117 North, Range 53 West of the Fifth P.M., and containing ten acres, more or less; such area to be described as follows:

> Beginning on the 1/16th line at junction with M & St. L. Railroad right of way, thence North approximately 900 feet, thence west to Junction with the M & St.L. Railroad Right of Way, thence southeast along railroad right of way to point of beginning. True dimensions of said ten (10) acre tract to be determined by Survey by Codington County.

John Dovenberger, as owner of above described land, does hereby agree to sell, at the price of two hundred dollars ($200.00)per acre, the tract of land as noted above and to furnish Codington County with clear deed to such tract at time purchase is completed.

From swithh to point of clearance the M & St. L. will place free all track beyond clearance point to be paid for by County at $8.00 per foot and take care of drainage

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 26th day of March, 1957.

Signed Herb Skinner
Chairman, Codington County Commissioner

Signed _____
John Dovenberger, Land Owner.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until Friday March 29, 1957 at 10 A.M.

Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County.

March 29, 1957

Commissioners convened at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment, with all members present except Herb Skinner. Vice Chairman Hogstad presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved ona motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan. Motion carried. GENERAL: Poor Lloyd Shenk $37.25 for transient.Court Expense Richard Bach 5.50, Vernon Coyle 30.60, Ed Nerland 29.20, Dale Keith Jorgenson 15.28, Noel Coun 25.28, Freda Siverts 15.28, Marion Karstens 25.28, Ruth McGurren 25.28, Priscilla Sweeney 22.28, Mathew Mack 15.28. Bailiff Fees - $20.00 H.J.Parkhill, 24.00 Frank Welch, 12.00 Carl Deal.

HAZEL Murphy, County Superintendent of Schools, requested permission to attend a Circuit Meeting April 4, 1957 at Aberdeen, S.D. Request was granted on a motion by Williams and seconded by Belk.

A delegation representing the Neighbor Ladies Club, Mrs. Walter Stegeman and Mrs. Alfred Weber appeared in regard to speed limit on road known as Tesch Road north of Lake Kampska. No action was taken.

The Board spent the rest of the day appraising property for sale.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until April 2, 1957 at 10 A.M.

Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County

Prior to adjournment the Auditor was instructed to take applications for County Depositories for funds for 1957-58.

Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County.

April 2, 1957.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment with all commissioners present at 10 A.M. except Commissioner Skinner. Vice Chairman Hogstad presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams as follows:

GENERAL: Court Expense - Fred Kreger 15.14.
ROAD: Secretary of State 3.00, Carl Zweig, Jr. 104.53.

This being the time and the place for opening of the bids to make the elevator in the Court House fully automatic, Otis Elevator Company being the only bidder, discussion was had and action was deferred until later.

Fred Scholtz came before the Board in regard to County Liens of LaVerne Dally in the amount of $43.55. Liens Nos. A2864, and A 3190 and A 3483 were paid in full and liens were released.

A motion was made by Belk and seconded by Keenan to abate monies and credits tax of Glen Davey in the amount of $30,000. $58,600 appeared on the Assessor Books whereas $28,600 should be listed. Motion carried to abate.

The States Attorney, Dean Sumner, came before the Board in regard to appointment of a Defense Director. No action was taken. Motion made by Keenan, seconded by Williams to postpone until a later date. Motion carried.

Abatement of $14.80 tax on monies and credits of John Newell, Fubler Township, moved by Belk, seconded by Williams. (Details on file) Motion carried.

At this time action was taken on the bid of Otis Elevator Co. Motion made by Williams, seconded by Keenan, to accept the bid of the Otis Elevator Company to make the elevator fully automatic. On roll call 4 voted "yea", none voted "nay" and motion carried.

On motion by Belk, seconded by Williams, $24.40 tax on monies and credits of Mr. & Mrs. Oliver Wolden assessed in error, was granted. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until 10 A. M. April 4, 1957.

Auditor, Codington County, S.D.

April 4, 1957.

Board of County Commissioners convened at 10 A. M. pursuant to adjournment with all commissioners present except Skinner. Vice Chairman Hogstad presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Keenan, seconded by Williams as follows:

GENERAL: Court Expense Alfred Clausen 19.62, Iola Kampen 15.14, Hazel Hegarty 22.50.

The abatement of tax on farm buildings of William Meyer in Kranzburg Township in the amount of $24.64 was moved by Keenan, seconded by Belk. These buildings had been assessed in Waverly and Kranzburg Townships. Motion carried to abate the Kranzburg Township assessment.

Tax Collector Jim Nelson was called before the Board to discuss tax problems and salary for the year 1957.

The balance of the day was spent appraising lots in Watertown, and South Shore.

RESOLUTION No. 300.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, deems it advisable to sell the real property hereinafter described, acquired by said county by tax deed, and said Board of County Commissioners has directed that such real property be offered for sale and that it first be appraised by said board as provided by law,

NOW THEREFORE, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, report that they have made a just and fair appraisement of the real property hereinafter described:

Lot 21, Block 1 less N 20 fee of Lot 22, Block 1 South Shore Village $75.00
Lots 7-8-9-10, Block 9, South Shore Village $1.00 each lot.

Dated this 26th day of March, 1957.

Chairman, County Commissioners

April 4, 1957.

RESOLUTION No. 301

DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, the County of Codington, in the State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the law of the State of South Dakota, and

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 26 day of March 1957,at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property, to-wit:

Lot 21, Block 1, less N 20' of Lot 22, Block 1, South Shore Village
Lots 7,8,9,10, Block 9 South Shore Village

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of said Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota.

Dated this 26th day of March, 1957.

Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Alvin Williams
James L Keenan

RESOLUTION No. 302

APPRAISAL OF LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX PROCEEDING TO BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, deems it advisable to sell the real property hereinafter described, acquired by said County by tax deed, and said Board of County Commissioners has directed that such real property be offered for sale and that it first be appraised by said board as provided by law,

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, rpport that they have made a just and fair appraisement of the real property described hereinafter:

Florence Village:	
Lot 12, Less W 8', Block 5	1.00
Lots 5-6, Block 12	5.00 each
S 52.8' of W½ of Lot 15, Block 14	1.00
W ½ of S½ of Lot 3 and S½ of Lots 4-5, Block 7	1.00
S 20' of W 42' of Lots 1-2, Block 8	1.00
Wallace Village	
Lots 8-9-10-11-12, Block 11	5.00
E 105.5 Ft of Outlot 6, Sec. 30-119-55	5.00
Lot 7, Block 21	5.00
Henry Village	
Lots 1-2, Block 17	10.00 each
Kampeska Township, Grover Village	
Lot 2, Block 2	5.00
WATERTOWN	
Third Railway Addition	
Lot 8, Block 75	50.00
Belmont Addition	
Lots 133-134-135	75.00 for all
Fairfax Addition	
Lot 179	40.00
Lots 185-186	100.00 for both
Lots 374-375	50.00 for both
Lots 378-379	50.00 for both
Davis Addition	
Lots 10, Block 3	50.00
Lots 25-26, Block 15	750.00
Lots 27-28, Block 15	75.00 both
Lots 15-16-, Block 11	100.00 both
Lots 17-18, Block 11	100.00 both
Lot 12, Block 9	10.00
Lot 14, Block 9	10.00
Davlins Addition	
Lot 16, Block 6	10.00
Lot 3, Block 6	10.00
Way-Davlin Addn, Hillcrest	
~~Lot 7, Block 6~~	~~10.00~~

Gesleys Second Addition
Lots 3-4, Block 3 — 80.00 both

Replat of West Watertown
Lot 49, Block 29 — 40.00
Lots 46-47, Block 30 — 100.00 both
Lots 47-48, Block 31 — 100.00 both
Lots 26-27, Block 50 — 80.00 both

Hanten & McKools Addition
Lots 7-8,Block 1 — 35.00 both

Rice Brothers Addition
Lots 6-7-8-9, Block 7 — 20.00 each.
Lots must be sold together or at least in pairs.

Syndicate Addition
West 50' of Lot 1 and N 23' of W 50' Lock 2, Block 3 60.00

Dated this 2nd day of April, 1957.

Vice Chairman, County Commissioners
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Jesse L Keesan

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until 10 A.M. on Tuesday,April 9, 1957.

Ina Belch
Auditor, Codington County.

April 9, 1957.

Board of County Commissioners convened at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all members present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Williams, seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

TRUST FUNDS - Lucy R. Grant $15.00.
GENERAL: Poor - Annette Burgdorf $192.06 for Alpha Mudge 40.00, Susan Mack 40.00, Edward McPeek 57.06, Nels T. Nelson 50.00, Florence Williams 5.00. Mrs. Alex Haeffner $20.00 for Debbie Heathcote. Esther Kinsey $25.00 for Rosa Shape. Nora A. Kinstad $206.00 for Karl Berge 25.00, James Chambers $40.00, Rupert Gatchell 30.00, Ola Hanson 31.00, Robert Main 80.00. Elizabeth Marsh 20.00 for Matt Kemp. Mrs. Gordon Miller $47.98 for Sharon Gerjets. Mrs. Lyle Mogler $17.50 for Norma Remedies. South Dakota Childrens Aid $82.49 for Soren Nelson 42.49, Lyle Gerjets 40.00. St. Williams Home 36.25 for Mary Meyers. Irene Stockman $60.00 for Loretto Stockman. Mrs. A. Sturdevant $55.00 for John Farley 25.00, Abraham Schram 30.00. Helen J. Sumner $14.00 for Mrs. Frank Soulak. Svendsen Nursing Home 160.00 for Hilda Ebens 75.00, Rosa Dixon 25.00, Mary Kirkeby 30.00, Teresa Schumer 30.00. Watertown Rest Home $110.00 for Naomi Adams 45.00, Ben Bergerson 40.00, Louis Mourere 25.00. Ruhe Stationery 5.52, Bartron Clinic $796.16 for Chas. Alt 24.30, Jim Audus 8.00, Joe W. Clark 6.00, Mrs. Robert Corey 2.00, Gus Dummer 68.25, John Farley 25.50, Mrs. John Fjerstad 9.80, Dorothy Flathers 49.30, Albin A. Franzen 12.00, Phyllis Hanks 41.70, Mrs. Carl Heemiller 15.90, Alice Jungen 37.20, J. F. Keyser 34.55, Mrs. Albert Kritta 13.90, Reinhard Luck 58.00, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg 2.00, Robert Main 2.40, Henry Meyer 6.00, Mary Mills 8.00, Louis Mourere 9.30, Nels C.Neilson 35.50,Mrs. H.H.Parliament 2.50, Anna Parsley 6.91, Mrs.Seymore Peterson 4.20, Norma Remedies 10.00, Josephine Roethler 23.85, Hilda Schmeling 5.20, Eva Schultz 15.00, Hanna Smith 6.80, Carl J. Struss 25.50, Mrs. Melvin Tesch 5.25, Chas. Thrun 30.00, Luthera Tigner 4.00, Lena Trumer 15.10, Jud Turner 22.50, Rollin A. Vance 98.70, Edgar Wight 2.40, Frern Washtoak 12.00, Steve Wisneski 30.65, Pat Gilligan 4.00, Virgil Kreger 2.00. Brown Clinic $98.75 for Ella Alexander 41.75, Mary Balgan 2.00, Chas. Bierscheid 7.00, Geo. Braa 17.00, Hilda Haack 6.00, John O'Neil 21.00, Mr. & Mrs. Irvan Rislov 4.00. Dr. D. J. Buchanan 7.00 for Sharon Gerjets. Codington Co. Oil $7.60 for Spriggs Tubbs. A. Duffner Store 110.96 for Carl Berge 15.06, Mathilda Blek 5.19, Rupert Gatchell 7.20, Ola Hanson 18.62, Emma Jenkins 5.09, Mrs. Charlie W.Montney 38.25, Jerry O'Brien 10,93, Jud Turner 1.62, Inga Yamns 9.00, V. Kreger 1.42. Dr. D.N.Fedt 22.00 for Emma Klucas. Haggar Drug Store 183.98 for Martin Bale 15.12, Edith Bunde 7.20, Mrs. Rosa Dixon 4.86, Hilda Ebens 50.58, Hilda Haack 6.08, Mary Kirkeby 3.60, Emma Klucas 1.13, Frances Kreger 6.84, James Morgan 4.14, N. T. Nelson 3.60, Seymore Peterson 5.90, Lloyd Rasmusson 3.24, Mrs. Virgil Redwing 2.25, Mr.& Mrs.Ivan Rislov 15.98, Ferne Washtoak 53.46. Hayes-Lucase Lumber Co. Jud Turner 23.75. Violet M. Headley $9.10 for Mabel Johnson, McBath Coal & Coke 78.35 for Alice Redetzke 29.20, Edith Bunde 24.74, Minnie Tessier 24.41. Mathiesen,Gergen & Rhodes $18.10 for Abraham Schram 10.60, Chas. Thrum 7.50. Medical Arts Clinic $197.00 Ellen Anderson 30.00, Albert Hendricks 2.00, Emil Herter 6.00, Frances Kreger 4.00, C.O.Monson 36.00, Webster Nordstrom 75.00, Jerry O'Brien 44.00. Memorial Hospital 2091.11 for Ellen Anderson 273.82, Phyllis Hanks 86.44, Mary Heemiller 135.76, Emma Klucas 128.45, Reinhard Luck 272.98, Carl O. Monson 482.95, Webster Nordstrom 160.64, Jerry O'Brien 275.60, Gary Parish 3.97, Chas. Thrum 205.84, Mrs. Lena Trumer 64.66. Joseph E. Messer $56.00 for Jerry O'Brien 5.00, Frances DeMuynck 51.00. Montgomery Ward Co. 7.98 for Betty Miller. Park Grant Co. 3.92. Propane Supply Co.2.42 for Jesse Morris. Rich's Conoco Station $15.20 for Beverly Kinsey. Saint Ann's Hospital 904.00 for Gus E. Dummer 501.25, Rita Eisenbise 72.70, Alice Jungen 84.40, John O'Neil 92.15, Mrs. Della Siegfried 96.25, Mrs. Jud Turner 57.25. O. P. Skaggs Store 122.62 for Lester Anderson 6.49, Thomas Boehm

18.29, Elmer Dahl 11.06, Joe Gerjets 10.28, Willard Goethe 12.98, Mrs. Carl Heemiller 3.92, Chris. Jensen 97 cents, Beverly Kinsey 9.24, Betty & James Miller 25.82, Mr. & Mrs. Herman T. Person 12.09, Lloyd Rasmussen 7.71, Victor Rosenkranz 3.77. Skelly Oil Co. 5.50 for Betty Miller. Standard Oil Co. 15.20 for Lillian Johnson. Thompson Yards $22.56 for Harold Nafus. Dr. M. C. Thompson $61.40 for Clarence I. Morrison. Thomes Drug Store $66.53 for Ella Alexander 23.17, Chas. Bierscheid 2.25, Richard DePeel 5.67, JohnFarley 1.30, J. F. Keyser 1.33, Alfred Vick 32.81. Wilson Truck System $89.03.

Court Expense - John Conway 5.14, Edward Strohfus 5.14, Francis Brown 15.14, Drake Hotel 9.10, Harry L. Hoaas 14.00, Sam A. Latsis 15.00, Ruhe Stationery 7.35, Dean Sumner 27.29, Bartron Hospital 15.00.
County Board of Education: Mrs. Robert C. Bard 38.20, Philip Bergh 42.26, Willard S.Grow 17.80, Earling Johnson 42.12, Mark N. Mack 18.92, W.I.Nichols 23.12, Ben Thyen 27.74.
County Board of Health: Dr. H. Russell Brown $43.00. Printing & Advertising: Credit Bur. of Wat'n 12.00, South Shore Gazette 61.13, Watertown Public Opinion 75.60.
Court House Maint. City of Watertown 672.71, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint 17.46, Egge Electric 47.83, Jo's Laundry 23.40, Mahowald Co. 31.00, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. 6.74, Nelson Hdwe 33.50, Otis Elevator Co. 58.55, Pitney-Bowes Inc. 6.45, Redlinger Bros. 32.77, S & H Furn. Repair 6.84, Lloyd Shenk 5.45, Herb Skinner Jr. 27.00, True Electric 12.00, Western Trans. Co. 2.52.
County Farm: Watertown Coop Elevator 88.62, Spies Super Valu 2.42, Sunshine St. Hatchery 5.60, Redlinger Bros. 9.95, Liens Grocery 33.83, A. Duffner Store 13.26, K.D.Locker 2.80, Park Grant Co. 25.54.
Comm. Per Diem, Mileage - Vernon H.Belk 78.20, Adolph Hogstad 96.88, James L. Keenan 86.10, Herb Skinner 20.00, Al M. Williams 95.20.
Assessor Supplies Watertown Public Opinion 484.50, Kay Lyn Welch 25.00, Ruhe Stat. 2.40, News Printing Co. 833.51.
Memorial Park - Northwest Products Co. 42.75. Treas. Office Exp. News Printing 157.72, Ruhe Stat. 3.39, National Cash Reg. 3.58. Supt. Schools Office Exp. Silver Burdette Co. 2.89, Ruhe Stat. 3.75, Robert J. Carlson 2.48. County Extension - State 4H Club Office 3.60 Ruhe Stat. 6.25, Clara W. Johnson 14.07, City of Watertown 30.00. Auditor Office Exp. Claude W. Dunlop 12.00, News Printing Co. 167.02, Rubber Stamp Co. 3.45, Ruhe Stat. 8.00, Park Grant Co. 2.13. Memorial Park - Wright Tarbell, Post Service Officer 75.00.
Board of Insanity: Dr. D.N.Fedt 40.00. Clerk of Courts Office Exp. Ruhe Stat. 2.94.
Sheriff Office Exp. Ruhe Stat. 30¢, Sheriff Radio - Lewis Gerriets 45.40, Sheriff Fees Lloyd Shenk 188.75, Mileage Sheriff - Shenk 434.10. Board of Prisoners - Shenk 266.40.
Convention & Research - Glen Mitchell 27.30. States Attorney Office Exp. 1.05 to Ruhe Stat. F.C.Grow & Sons 40.00. Coroners Exp. Les. Mathiesen 28.68. County Judge Office Exp. $50.00 to Bee Ann Kass. Civil Defense - Ed Howson 5.00. Veterans Service Office - Robt. J.Carlson 10.75. Reg.Deeds Office Exp. 12.00 to Claude W. Dunlop. Welfare Office 8.35. to Ruhe Stat.

C.M.V. Ruhe Stat. 15.00, Lewis Gerriets 4.85, Miller Bros. Lumb. Co. 35.82, Mahowald Co.6.09, Nelson Hardware 3.71. Co.Sp.HIGHWAY KAMPESKA - William Hascall 25.00, 1.00.
SALARY Glenn M. Mitchell 35.84.

Bills for Sanator for Month of March 44.33, Yankton 1,780.33, and Redfield 825.00 were approved on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

Contract for sale for SW¼ NW¼ Sec. 32-120-52 Sisseton Wahpeton Indian Reservation was paid in full by Theodore L. and Olga Thompson and the Board authorized the County Auditor to issue a quit claim deed, and authorized the chairman to sign same. Motion by Belk and seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

Clerk of Court's fees for month of March $270.50, and Register of Deeds for March $484.45 noted and approved on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

Abatement of tax for Harold Brower on moneys and credits total tax $11.40 abated as assessed in error and should have been assessment for 2850 bushels of grain. Motion to abate $11.40 by Keenan, seconded by Williams, carried.

Nora Berg's request for abatement of $9.86 tax on moneys and credits deposited in First Federal Savings and Loan was moved by Williams, seconded by Keenan, Motion carried.

William Rowe asked for abatement of $1.00 for school poll as he is a veteran and not required to pay school poll. Moved by Williams, seconded Hogstad, and motion carried.

Dorrance Erickson asked for refund of $1.00 School Poll, he being a veteran. Motion by Williams, seconded by Hogstad, carried.

A. J. Brandriet asked abatement of 7.60 tax on moneys and credits deposited with First Federal Savings and Loan. Motion by Keenan, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Matt Brandriet, County Weed Supervisor presented his report for March. Commissioners noted the report.

Bonds of the following officers were filed and approved on a motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

Elmer Noeldner, Clerk, Raymond Stein - Treas. and Robert Zick, Assessor, Rauville Twp.
Bert Draves, Treas. Clarence Moorehouse, Assessor, Clarence Moorehouse Clerk, 1956, Ralph Endres Clerk - Sheridan Township.
Edwin A. Valberg, Clerk, Leonard Strohfus Treas., Mrs. Melvin Fiferlick Assessor, Willis R. Walters, Constable and Charles Arnold, Just. of Peace - Henry Township.
Albert Erickson, Clerk, and John Neville Treasurer of Leola Township
Art Marsh, Assessor, Robert C. Carlson, Justice of Peace, Revere Monroe, Treasurer, Vera Blizzard Clerk, Lake Township.
Ernest Konrady Assessor, and Chris Kirsch, Clerk of Elmira Township.
P. O. Brekke, Assessor of Wallace Village.
Leonard J. Murphy, Assessor and Albert Schultz, Treasurer - Richland Township.

County Superintendent of Schools, Mrs. Hazel Murphy requested permission to attend the Y.C.L. Convention April 28, 29, and 30 and Circuit Meeting Aberdeen, April 18th. Request granted on motion by Keenan, seconded by Williams.

The following verified claims were audited and approved on motion by Williams, seconded by Belk:
GENERAL: Poor - Watertown Comm. Oil Co. 80.00 for Eugene Decker 8.10, Edwin Bates 8.10, Homer Black 8.10, Betty Miller 16.20, Jesse Morris, Jr. 8.10, Lloyd Rasmussen 15.20, Gertrude Shepard 16.20. Dr. C.B.Wiles - 6.00 for Betty Miller. County Farm - Olson Gas & Appliance 5.80, Fred Walsh 46.71. Memorial Park - Henry Post #227 American Legion 25.00.

C.M.V. Bichler Motor Co. 52.45, Botsford Lumber Co. 32.00, Cave Supply Co. 152.82, Dandar Electric Motor Repair 8.00, Dakota Welding Supply Co. 17.93, J.D.Evans Equipment Co. 6.38, Fire Underwriter's Board 18.62, Foster-Bell Co. 1,812.81, Kenneth Hayes-Elec. 9.08, International Harvester Co. 11.22, Johnson Texaco Service 102.00, Marquardt's Service & Sup.10.79, Mileage Market 248.57, Motor Supply Co. 290.50, Powells Station 1.20, Pecaut Equipment Co. 101.58, Paper Calmenson & Co. 317.82, Sanders Chev. 6.39, Schweigers Inc. 32.94, Sioux Road Inc. 140.30, Socony Mobile Oil Co. 579.66, S.D.Dept. of Highways 66.00, Loren B.Stein Co, 6.00, Thompson Yards 6.25, Tanksley & Johnson Inc. 1,406.72, Watertown Tire Co. 4.51, Watertown Machine Works 62.68, Watertown Iron & Metal Co. 7.00.
HIGHWAY & BRIDGE: Rozum Bros.Motor Co. 2,643.45, Stan Houston Equip.Co. 5,559.00, Sheehan-Bartling Inc. 5,138.00, Sanders Chev. Co. 2,650.90, Bichler Motor Co. 3,350.00.
ROAD: Olson Gas & Appliance 63.84, Western Trans.Co. 2.10, Northwest Public Service 5.62, LaNoue's Radiator Shop 4.50, Henry Oil Co. 6.87.
WEED BOARD: Matt M Brandriet 48.32. TUITION School Dist No. 28 352.00.
GENERAL: Court Expense Gladys Fo tin 10.28.

RESOLUTION No. 303

WHEREAS, there has been received the sum of $36,267.11 from the sale of Motor Vehicle License Plates, properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota being the 28% (twenty-eight percent) required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS, said apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the first quarter of 1957

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows;to-wit:

Sheridan $1,813.39 Henry Twp. 1,813.39, Elmira Twp 1,813.39,Graceland 1,813.39, Waverly Twp 2,317.08, Rauville 2568.26, Germantown Twp 2,417.83, Dexter 3,022.30
Total 17,579.03

AND WHEREAS the County Highway System has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following townships:

Kranzburg 3,123.17, Pelican 1,813.39, Kampeska 1,813.39, Lake 1,813.39, Richland 1,813.39, Fuller 2,871.18, Phipps 1,813.39, Leola 1,813.39, Eden 1,813.39

Total 18,688.08

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT SAID FUND APPORTIONMENT AS ABOVE SET OUT BE held by the County Auditor to pay for the completion of the County Highway System in the said townships, in the apportion as above provided and pursuant to law,and no part thereof shall be actually paid over to the said townships provided however that any amount of the respective allotments not paid out for the completing of the roads of the County Highway System shall revert to and be payable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan and seconded by Commissioner Hogstad and upon Roll Call all commissioners voted yes, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 10th day of April 1957.

Herb Skenner
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota.

Attest: Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County, S. Dak.

RESOLUTION #304

WHEREAS there has been received the sum of $12,952.54 from the sale of Motor Vehicle License Plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota, and

WHEREAS said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July and October and this being the time to make the apportionment for the first quarter of 1957

NOW, THEREFORE be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective municipalities as follows:

Florence	$ 725.34
Henry Vil.	725.34
S.Shore Vil.	725.34
Wallace	544.01
Watertown	10,232.51
Total	$12,952.54

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Hogstad and seconded by Commissioner Keenan and upon Roll Call all Commissioners voted yes, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.
Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 10th day of April, 1957

Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:_____
Auditor, Codington County, S.D.

Abatement of double assessment of Robert Pack, taxed $23.64 for Lockers, in Wallace, School Dist #37 for 1957 was moved by Hogstad, seconded by Belk. Motion granted.

Commissioner Belk was appointed to serve on Extension Board for the year 1957 on a motion by Commissioner Hogstad, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan to reject the application of H.M.Rogers for abatement in connection with his property. The Board was of the opinion this property had not been assessed at more than 100% of true and full value and therefore under H.B. #524 of the 1957 Session Laws the abatement was rejected. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Hogstad to establish a speed zone with limit of 40 miles per hour from Highway 20 north approximately 3/4 mile to SW 13-117-53. Highway Supt. was instructed to post notice of same.

The abatement of Eric Heuer of $620.00 valuation or tax of 21.77 was granted on motion of Keenan, seconded by Williams. The corn picker was assessed at more than 100% of true and full value. Motion carried.

Motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan to abate tax on $666.00 in the amount of $23.39 assessed against the American Maize Products Co. The property assessed at $1332 was over 100% of full and true value. Motion carried.

Auditor's account with the treasurer showing the following:

Deposit in banks	515,341.54
Cash	8,856.35
Government Bonds	181,702.06
Jail Building Bonds	29,166.31

Report was adopted on motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan, and motion carried.

RESOLUTION No. 305

DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, the County of Codington, in the state of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the law of the State of South Dakota, and

NOW, THEREFORE be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 2nd day of April, 1957, at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property, to-wit:

Florence Village:
Lot 12 Less W 8', Block 5
Lots 5-6 Block 12
S 52.8' of W½ of lot 15, Block 14
W½ of S½ of Lot 3 and S½ of Lots 4-5 Block 7
S 20' of W 42' of Lots 1-2 Block 8

Wallace Village
Lots 8-9-10-11-12 Block 11
E 105.5 ft of Outlot 6 Sec. 30-119-55
Lot 7 Block 21

Henry Village
Lots 1-2 Block 17

Kampeska Township, Grover Village
Lot 2 Block 2

WATERTOWN
Third Railway Addition to Watertown
Lot 8, Block 75

Belmont Addition
Lots 133-134-135

Fairfax Addition
Lot 179
Lots 185-186
Lots 374-375
Lots 378-379

Davis Addition
Lot 10 Block 3

Lots 25-26 Block 15
Lots 27-28 Block 15
Lots 15-16 Block 11
Lots 17-18 Block 11
Lot 12 Block 9
Lot 14 Block 9

Davlins Addition
Lot 16 Block 6
Lot 3 Block 6
Lot 7 Block 6

Gesleys Second Addition
Lots 3-4 Block 3

Hanten & McKools Addition
Lots 7-8 Block 1

Replat of West Watertown
Lot 49 Block 29
Lots 46-47 Block 30
Lots 47-48 Block 31
Lots 26-27 Block 50

Rice Bros. Addition
Lots 6-7-8-9 Block 7

Syndicate Addition
W 50' of Lot 1 and N 23' of W 50' of Lot 2, Block 3

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of said Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota.

Dated this 2 day of April 1957.

Vice Chairman, County Commissioners
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Al M Williams
James L Keenan

ATTEST: Inna Milch
Auditor, Codington County.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until 10 AM April 10, 1957.

Auditor, Codington County, S.D.

April 10, 1957

Commissioners convened as the County Board at 10 A.M. on April 10, 1957 with all members present. Chairman Skinner presided.

On motion by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan the application of August Bunde for reduction in the value of his house to $7455.00 and abatement of the difference in taxes was allowed. Motion carried.

On a motion by Williams and seconded by Keenan the full and true value of the Les Schull property at Hillcrest Lake Township was fixed at $8,000 a reduction of $2,070 from the assessed value of $10,070, and the difference in taxes was abated. Motion carried, and requested abatement granted.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Williams to abate $320.00 of the assessed value on Bessie Phillips property on Lots 10 thru 13, block 9, Gesleys Second Addition. This $320 assessed value covered a structure that was torn down before assessment date in 1956. Motion to abate carried.

Lloyd Bridge property Lot 4, Block 1, Hoppers Fairview Addition was moved back to $5,500 which is full and true value. Request was granted on motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad, motion carried.

Moved by Hogstad, seconded by Belk that the application be rejected of Julius Feyereisen because the Board was of the opinion, after inspection, the assessed value was not over 100% of the true and full value. Motion to reject application was carried.

Moved by Belk and seconded by ~~Belk~~ Keenan that the application be rejected of Champlin Oil Co. as the assessment covers property belonging to Champlin Oil Co. located in Watertown at the Whooley Oil Co. Motion to reject application carried.

Abatement of tax on $1409 in the amount of $49.48 was granted Waldemar Larson for this was value of a house moved to the lake, with a permit, but was not removed by the assessor from the tax rolls of the City of Watertown. This house has been assessed in Lake Township for the year 1956, and this would be double assessment. Moved to abate this $49.48 tax by Belk, seconded by Hogstad. Motion granted.

Commissioner Hogstad was excused from the meeting at noon. Four commissioners remained.

Moved by Williams, and seconded by Keenan to reduce the tax of John and Ruth Reedy - Cub Nut Hut to full and true value of $1730.00. Motion carried to abate $35.12 tax.

On motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until 10 AM on April 11, 1957.

Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County, S.Dak.

April 11, 1957

Board of County Commissioners convened at 10 A.M. with all commissioners present except Hogstad. Chairman Skinner presided.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Williams to grant request of James Jellis for abatement of tax on moneys and credits in the amount of $5.60 on deposit in theFirst Federal Savings and Loan Association. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan and seconded by Belk that the full and true value be placed at $9500 on Lot 1, Block 17,Original Plat of Watertown, owned by Georgia Berns, and to refund and abate the difference in tax as provided in HB 524 of the 1957 Legislature. Motion to abate ½ and to refund ½ of the difference in tax carried.

Moved by Belk and seconded by Keenan that the Harry Smith property at Lake Kampeska be assessed at full and true value of $8000 for the year 1956 and the difference in tax over the previously assessed value be abated. Motion carried. Taxes having been paid under protest the difference in tax is refunded.

Moved by Williams, seconded by Belk to reject the application of Melvin Schmeiding for reduction in valuation of N½ 11-117-51 320 acres for the reason this property, upon inspection, does not appear at over 100% of full and true value. Motion to reject carried.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan, the full and true value be fixed at $5,520 on SE¼ of N½ SW¼ 240 Acres of Melvin Schmeding Real Estate in Kranzburg Township, and difference in taxes be abated. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until 10 A.M. on April 12, 1957.

Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County, S. Dak.

April 12, 1957

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment at 10 AM April 12, 1957 with all commissioners in attendance. Chairman Skinner presided.

This being the time and place for opening bids for Dump Bodies, Asphaltic Road Materials three companies bid as follows:

Dump Bodies: Roy F. Drake Body Equipment Co., Sioux Falls, S.D., Lyle Thorson Implement Co. Florence,S.D. and Schweiger's Inc. Watertown, S.D.

Two companies bid on Asphaltic road materials as follows: Socony Mobil Oil Co. Inc. and Standard Oil Co. Discussion followed and representatives of each - Gallion Hoist and Garwood of St. Paul. Commissioners asked for time to consider and no action taken at this time.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Williams to accept the low bid of Schweiger's Inc. at $1,924.00 f.o.b. Watertown, Gallion Uni-Scopic Hoist and Truck Body. On roll call all Commissioners voted yes and none voted no, whereupon the chairman declared the bid of Schweigers accepted, and chairman was directed to sign an order for same.

Moved by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan to accept the bid of Standard Oil Company for it was the low bid for supplying bituminous materials for the year 1957. On roll call all commissioners voted yes, none no, and chairman declared the low bid of Standard Oil Company accepted.

Motion made by Hogstad, seconded by Belk to approve verified and audited claims as follows:

GENERAL: Court House Maint. Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. 249.58. Court Expense Paul Ruppelt 10.28, Grayce Pickert 10.28, Ben Ackerman 10.28, Edgar Vandrey 10.28. Bailiff Fees - Frank Welch 4.00, Carl Deal 4.00. Poor - Mrs. Beryl Ellyson $66.00 for Barbara, Joyce, Donnie and William Stavig.Mrs. Francis Riley $13.75 for Richard Wockenfuss.
TUITION: F.M.Brooks Treas School Dist #28 3,592.00.
C.M.V. O'Day Equipment Co. Inc. 2,598.96.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Belk to abate tax on moneys and credits totalling $4.00 to Howard A. Newell for deposit in First Federal Savings and Loan. Motion carried.

Moved by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan to place full and true value on Dale Koch property in Henry Village at 1,200.00, and difference in tax abated as provided for under HB 524 of the 1957 Legislature. Motion carried and application granted. This action followed inspection by appraising committee.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad to fix true and full value of items #22 as 1,740.00 on property of Walter Day in Henry Village. Motion carried and difference in tax will be abated.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan, to fix value of lots of Bessie Hestad on application of A.G.Hestad, Agent, Lot 6 at Sylvan Heights Lake Township at $800.00. Motion carried and abatement of difference in tax is authorized.

At this time Chairman Skinner called for a Committee report on road in Fuller Township, known as the Joe Johnson road.

COMMITTEE REPORT: Recommended that the road designated in the petition be put back on the County Road System, and that a hearing be set for May 14 at 10 A.M. Recommendation was approved and hearing set for May 14.

Moved by Belk, and seconded by Williams to set full and true value on Wesley Zirbel property in South Shore at $3,200. Motion carried, and application for review of assessed value is granted. Difference in tax is abated.

Moved by Williams, seconded by Keenan to set full and true value of Fox DeLuxe Co.Inc. equipment at $33,745 for item 22 and Item 21 be fixed at $600.00, and the difference in tax be abated. Motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded Board adjourned until 10 A.M. April 16, 1957.

Irma Welch
Auditor,Codington County, South Dakota.

April 16, 1957

Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10 A.M. with all members present. Chairman Skinner presided.

D.K.Loucks, attorney, appeared for LloydD. Jacobson in regard to review of value of Lots 45-57 Third Lake Drive and Outlot C, less the E152' thereof and less 360' thereof in Ways Third Lake Drive. No action taken and the Board will inspect the property later.

Sale of Lots 7-8-9-10 Block 9 of South Shore Village to School District #38 in South Shore for $1.00 each and Lot 21, Block 1, less N 20' of Lot 22, Block 1 for $75.00 to Marvin Anderson by the County Auditor was reported and approved and the County Auditor was instructed to prepare quit claim deeds for purchasers, and the Chairman authorized to deliver the said deeds to the purchasers, granting all of the right title and interest of Codington County,South Dakota to the purchaser. Motion to approve sale by Belk, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION No. 306

WHEREAS pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington Co., South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the herinafter described real property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that one Marvin Anderson of South Shore, S. Dak. has offered the sum of $75.00 in cash for Lot 21, Block 1 less N 20' of Lot 22 in Block 1, and Marvin Anderson, Treasurer of South Shore School Dist No. 38 has offered the sum of $4.00 in cash for the following described real property, to-wit: Lots 7-8-9-10 Block 9 all of South Shore Village which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited with the County Treasurer:

NOW, THEREFORE be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 16 day of April 1957 that sale of said premises to the said Marvin Anderson for $75.00 and Marvin Anderson, Treas. School District No. 38, of South Shore Village be and the same is hereby approved and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota is hereby authorized to and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deed to said purchaser conveying to said purchaser all of the right, title and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 16th day of April, 1957.

Herb Skinner Chr.
Vernon K Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Al M. Williams
Isaac L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST: Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington Co.S.D.

Arnold Hofteizer came before the Board in regard to his employment as caretaker at Memorial Park. Discussion followed, requirements were discussed, and on motion by Belk seconded by Williams, Arnold Hofteizer was given a 1957 contract for summer season at Memorial Park. Motion carried.

Louis Loken, Jr. came before the Board in regard to Lot 11, Block 8 Davis Addition to Watertown.

H.H. Frolich, Lake Township, requested a refund of $1.00 School Poll tax, School Dist #3 claiming exemption as a veteran. Motion granted as made by Keenan, seconded by Belk to grant the abatement of $1.00 School Poll Tax.

Refund of monies and credits tax in the amount of $24.00 to Sidney Smith for money in First Federal Savings and Loan applied for. Motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad to grant abatement. Motioncarried.

Refund of tax on monies and credits of Rudolph Smith for $16.00 money on deposit in First Federal Savings and Loan. Moved by Belk, seconded Keenan. Motioncarried and abatement granted.

Committee Report: The Board having inspected the Jacobson property fixed the true and full value at $1,200 on Lots 45-57 in Ways Third Lake Drive;and Outlot C less East 152 feet, less S 360' of Ways Third Lake Drive was given a true and full value of $300.00 on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan. Motion carried and abatement granted of difference in taxes. Motion granting abatement carried.

At this time a delegation from Codington and Grant Counties appeared before the Board relative to a road on the County line. The following came before the Board: William Redlin, Edwin Matthes, Rudolph Noeldner, Harold Johnston, Robert Newell, Carl Beskow, Andrew Redling Harold Matthes, Charles Zirbel, Gerhart Giese, Cliff Grinols, John Neville, Manford Stee, Orville Stormo, Oscar Hogstad, John Rislov, John Erickson, Albert Erickson, and Carl Gunderson. No action was taken. A meeting has been announced to meet jointly with Grant County Commissioners at a later date.

On a motion duly made and seconded the following Resolutions were considered.

RESOLUTION No. 307

WHEREAS the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota have deemed it advisable, according to SDC 12.2303 to set up an annual levy of .44 mills with the proceeds paid into a fund known as the "Jail Building Fund" and

WHEREAS the sum of $17,000 has accumulated from the imposition of tax levy of .44 mills for the purpose of the "Jail Building Fund" details listed below:

$17,000 U.S.Treasury 2 1/2% due November 15, 1961 @ 96 8/32	$16,362.50
and interest November 15 to May 29, 1957 @ 2 1/2%	157.32
	$16,519.82
Postage	4.01
	$16,523.83

Numbers 125240-126241 @ 1,000: 44083 @ 5,000 and 149215 @ 10,000.00

NOW THEREFORE be it Resolved that the County Treasurer be, and he hereby is instructed to invest said funds of the "Jail Building Fund" in the amount of $17,000.00 which sum has accumulated, and designated as "Jail Building Fund", in U. S. Government Bonds and all accumulative interest to be credited to said "Jail Building Fund".

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Hogstad, and seconded by Commissioner Keenan, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted Yes and none voted no, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 16th day of April, A.D. 1957.

Herb Skinner
Chairman
Vernon H. Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Al M. Williams
James L. Keenan

Attest: Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County, S.D.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Commissioners adjourned until 10:00 A.M. Tues. April 23, 1957.

Auditor, Codington County, So.Dak.

April 23, 1957

Board of County Commissioners met at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all commissioners present except Belk. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims checked and approved on a motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad: GENERAL: Court Expense - Ben Ackerman, $10.28. Bailiff:Frank Welch 4.00. Court House Maint. Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. $249.58. Comm. Per Diem-Adolph Hogstad 80.00, James L. Keenan 60.00, Herb Skinner 100.00, Al M. Williams 70.00. Comm. Mileage-Adolph Hogstad 16.66, James L. Keenan 9.10, Herb Skinner 25.41, Al M. Williams 37.10.

On a motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad the following bonds were approved:
KRANZBURG TWP.Robert Sherman-Assessor,Helen Bauer,Treas.,Joseph Stricherz,Constable,Joseph Clausen, Clerk.
LEOLA TWP. Donald Meyer, Assessor.
GRACELAND TWP. Arthur Vogt-Assessor, Robert Boehnke-Clerk,Eldon Flury-Treasurer.
ELMIRA TWP. Leonard DeWall-Constable.

On a motion by Commissioner Hogstad, seconded by Commissioner Keenan the Commissioners and Officers accepted an invitation to attend the District Meeting of the James River Valley Commissioners and Officers Association at Aberdeen on May 9, 1957. Motion carried.

Louis Loken, Jr. Attorney appeared before the Board in regard to lost deed to Lot 11, Block 8, Davis Addition. No action taken.

Dean Sumner, States Attorney, came before theBoard in regard to an offer from R.M. Conway on the property listed formerly as I.R.Ault and Anna Ault property. An offer of $1000 was made for full release of liens in the name of I.R.Ault and Anna Ault in so far as it per-

tained to SW¼, Sec. 2-115-55 Hamlin County. After discussion no action was taken.

Abatement of dog tax of $1.00 on assessment of Glenn Nisich was approved on a motion by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan. Assessor had erred in charging for dog as none was entered on listing blank. Motion carried.

Bertha Clark petitioned for an abatement of tax on $1,700 listed in error, same being deposited in First Federal Savings and Loan and not assessable. Motion to abate $6.80 tax on same made by Comm. Williams, seconded by Comm. Keenan. Motion to abate carried.

Mr. & Mrs. Ervin L. Reich requested an abatement for moneys and credits tax in the amount of $21.38, said tax being on money deposited in First Federal Savings & Loan. Motion by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan to abate. Motion carried.

An error in addition on the listing blank of Orvis Robish, Pelican Township, was called to the attention of the Commissioners, and a motion made by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan to correct the error, reducing the valuation $700.00. Motion to abate tax on this amount $19.14 was carried, and abatement approved.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad to place a full and true valuation on the combine of the DeBerg Bros. at $1560.00 and to abate tax on $666 different, the total of tax to be abated $14.18. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad to set a full and true value at $600 for tractor and plow of Iver Brevik in Henry Village, abating the tax on the difference in value. Abatement of tax in the amount of $17.21 carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until 10 A.M. Tuesday, April 30, 1957.

Irma Welch
Codington County Auditor

April 30, 1957.

Board met at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all Commissioners present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad:

SALARY: Auditor-Irma Welch 325.00, Alice V. Olson 215.00, Edna Derenthal 195.00, Fay M. Wohlheter 185.00, Hilary Jensen 170.00, Carol DeVetter (8 days) 40.00. Treasurer-Paul Krakowski 325.00, DeLoris A.Goodroad 215.00, C. Joyce Rowe 195.00, Elizabeth Mary Larson 185.00, Dorothy Pomeroy 150.00. Clerk of Courts-Walter A.Farl 296.68, Leilah Auby 195.00, Register of Deeds-Margaret A.Brown 296.68, Beverly Mickelson 210.00, Hazel O. Duncan 170.00, States Attorney-Dean Sumner 283.75, Ed Gribbin 160.00, Harriet Horning 100.00, Audrey McRoden 50.00. Supt. of Schools-Hazel Murphy 325.00, Ruth Johnson 275.00. Supervisor of Assessors-Glenn M. Mitchell 300.00. County Judge-Herbert Norbeck 400.00. Municipal Judge-Donald W.Lobitz-200.00.
GENERAL: Sheriff Fees & Salary-Bert Smith 110.00. Jailor-Wm.J.Meyer 275.00. Court Expense-Mabel Alworth 118.56, Cecilia M. Beirne 118.56, Hazel Hegarty 135.00, Joe Gerlach 25.00, Hanna Cook 21.96, Richard Thompson 15.28, Francis Tobin 15.28. Veterans Service Office-George Burke 210.00, Evelyn Nigg 64.80. Court House Maint. -Carl A.Deal 250.00. County Extension-Audrey Kleveter 175.00. County Farm-Henry Klemsrud 115.00, Pearl Klemsrud 110.00, Civil Defense-Ed Howson 25.00. CHM-Clarence Helle 3.45. Poor-Curtis Underwood 5.50, Julius Lentz 4.40, Leo Clausen 5.50, CHM Albin Johnson 92.00. Poor-Cletus H.Vogel 42.00, Mrs. Keith Ellyson $126.00, Mrs. Francis Riley 8.75. Supervisor of Assessors Expenss 60.00 for Glenn Mitchell. County Extension-Clara W.Johnson 29.22, Fred Morris 16.89, Vern Belk 6.80, Howard McFarland 9.68, Mrs. Albert Saeger 7.50, W.H.Schwanke 10.24, Raymond Stein 5.00. Comm.Per Diem, Mileage & Salary-Vernon H.Belk 124.60, Adolph Hogstad 39.48, James L.Keenan 40.60, Herb Skinner 60.54, Al M. Williams 25.00.
CMV: Leo Clausen 229.90, Julius Lentz 224.40, Curtis Underwood 262.90, Clarence Helle 263.35. John Rennie 264.00, Joe W. Stricherz 320.40, Claude Van Sickle 255.60, Clarence B. Sumner 258.00, Harold Scriver 254.40, James Hendren 301.50, Howard M. Williams 307.80, Burton Jackson 291.60, Carl Zweig,Jr. 379.35, Ed Gould 237.50, Alfred Spring 237.50, Gerald Peterson 295.00, Fred Brownell 198.00, John Strait 240.90, Thomas Spiering 237.60, Andrew T. Larson 188.10, Chas. Krogman 243.10, C.S.Rasmusson 575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt 215.00, Sever Tobiason 205.00, John Dovenbarger 2,000.00.
SP.BRIDGE:-Chas.Krogman 8.80, Andrew T.Larson 5.50, Thomas Spiering 23.10, JohnStrait 16.50, Fred Brownell 19.80, Alfred Spring 16.25, Ed Gould 37.50, Burton Jackson 27.00, Howard M. Williams 16.20, James Hendren 22.50, , Julius Lentz 22.00, Leo Clausen 4.40.
CO.SP.HI.KRANZBURG-Leo Clausen 28.60, Alfred Spring 31.25, Andrew T. Larson 27.50.
COUNTY SNOW REMOVAL:-Andrew T.Larson 42.90, Alfred Spring 20.00, Julius Lentz 8.80, John Rennie 23.40, Joe W. Stricherz 26.00, Claude Van Sickle 29.90, Clarence B.Sumner 24.70 Harold Scriver 27.30, James Hendren 15.00, Howard M.Williams 8.10, Fred Brownell 46.20.
CO.SP.HI.KAMPESKA-Chas. Krogman 8.80, Clarence Helle 7.90.
WEED BOARD: Paul David 5.82, Joseph J. Fox 5.68, Robert Redlin 6.52, Matt Brandriet 200.00.
TRUST FUNDS: Lucy R. Grant 15.00.

Francis Leverett appealed from a double assessment on a lot in Dexter Place, Lake Kampeska - Lots 23 and 23A, there being no 23A. On a motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan the Board abated $3.97 as a refund of 1955 taxes and $6.48 refund of 1956 tax on this property. Motion carried.

Abatement of tax on $500.00 and refund of tax on $500.00 for W.F.Wolters granted on motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan. This money on deposit in First Federal Savings and Loan is nonassessable. Motion carried, abatement and refund allowed.

LeRoy Mernaugh appealed for refund of $6.00 tax on money in First Federal Savings and Loan Company. Request granted on motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

Lorena M. Fox requested refund of $3.20 tax on $800.00 moneys and credits listed

in error, same being nonassessable as they are on deposit in First Federal Savings & Loan. On motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan the abatement was allowed, and $3.20 will be refunded to Lorenz M. Fox.

Dell C. Long, Watertown, requested refund of $1.00 for school poll. Mr. Long, a veteran, was granted his refund on a motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

Theodore Allison, doubly assessed in Dexter and Leola Townships for school poll for himself and his wife. Moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan to grant refund in Dexter Township 16-71. Motion carried.

Nettie Boyle, Watertown was assessed in error for dog tax, same not having been listed on listing blank. Motion to abate by Williams, seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

Herbert Norbeck appeared before the Board in behalf of owners of Herberger's Store building and Gamble Store building - described as Lots 4, Block 9 Original Plat for Gamble Store, and Lot 5 and N½ Lots 6, Block 9, Original Plat, and after discussion and explanation Judge Norbeck requested time to present a written brief. Time was granted and action deferred.

Refund of $1.00 school poll to Gladys Harvey, a Veteran, was allowed on a motion by Williams, seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

Bertha Peterson, Henry Village, assessed in error on moneys and credits, requested an abatement. Assessor erred in listing this on her assessment blank as none was declared. Abatement moved by Belk, seconded by Hogstad and motion carried.

Martin Lantgen asked for a release of County Liens insofar as it pertains to Lots 361-362,363,364,365 Fairfax Addition. Mr. Lantgen still has real estate upon which his liens can apply and will follow. Moved by Williams, seconded by Hogstad to grant the request. Motion carried.

Anton Lutzvick asked for abatement of $3.64 interest on 1952 tax. Appeal granted on motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

Art Hasche came before the board in reference to over assessment of William Dunlop real estate described as N4' of Lot 24 and all of Lot 25, Block 25, Original Plat. After discussion and inspection a motion was made by Keenan, seconded by Belk to fix the full and true value of this property at $13,000 and to abate or refund any difference in tax. Motion carried.

Arthur Hasche also appeared and represented Alma and Amanda Gerberding in regard to property at following description S½ of Lot 12, Block 10 Original plat. This property was sold for $16,000 and was assessed at $16,840. Moved by Keenan, seconded by Williams to fix the full and true value at $16,000, the sales price. Motion carried to abate the tax on $840.00.

R E S O L U T I O N #308

WHEREAS action under the Laws of the State of South Dakota pursuant to Chapter 57. 1125 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, have deemed it advisable and for the best interest of the residents of Codington County to reconvey to the record owner, the following described property:

Gesleys Second Addition- Lots 1 and 2, Block 3, Watertown, S.D.

AND WHEREAS payment in cash has been made of the total principal, interest and costs of all taxes represented in the tax deed to the above described property,

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved that the Board of County Commissioners of Codington Co. authorize the County Treasurer, attested by County Auditor to, after the time for appeal from this resolution has expired, execute to the owner of record of the above described property, a quit claim deed substantially in the form as provided by Chapter 51.1403 of SDC 1939.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk and seconded by Commissioner Keenan, and upon roll call all voted "Yea", none voted "nay", whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 30th day of April, 1957 at Watertown,S.D.

Herb Skinner Chairman
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Al M. Williams
James J Keenan

Attest:
Irma Welch
Codington County Auditor.

RESOLUTION #309

WHEREAS acting under the Laws of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to Chapter 57.1125 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, have deemed it advisable and for the best interests of the residents of Codington County to reconvey to the record owner, the following described property:

Lots 19-20-21-22-23-24 and 25 of South Shore Village, South Dakota.

AND WHEREAS payment in cash has been made of the total principal, interest and costs of all taxes represented in the tax deed to the above described property,

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved that the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, authorize the County Treasurer, attested by County Auditor, to after the time for appeal from this Resolution has expired, execute to the owner of record of the above described property, a quit claim deed substantially in the form as provided by Chapter 51.1402 of SDC 1939.

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, and seconded by Commissioner Hogstad, and upon roll call all voted "Yea," none voted "Nay" whereupon the chairman declared the Resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 30th day of April, 1957 at Watertown, S. Dak.

Herb Skinner Chairman
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Al M. Williams
James L Keenan

Attest:
Inma Nilch
Codington County Auditor.

On a motion duly made and seconded Board adjourned until 10 A.M. May 6, 1957.

Codington County Auditor.

May 7, 1957.

The Board of County Commissioners met in the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House, Watertown, South Dakota, at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all commissioners present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan: TRUST FUNDS - Lucy R. Grant $15.00.

Dance Hall License for Willis Walters at Tinkertown for year beginning May 7, 1957 to December 31, 1957 was approved on a motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

Clerk of Courts fees for April $316.85 and Register of Deeds $609.80 for April were noted and approved on a motion by Hogstad, seconded by Belk.

Bills for the month of April for Yankton $1,942.50; Redfield $641.67, and Sanator $82.94 were approved on a motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan.

Veterans Service Officer report for April was noted by the Board

Application for $2.00 refund of monies and credits tax to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Cunningham was approved on a motion by Keenan, seconded by Williams. This item was nonassessable and was listed in error. Motion carried.

A bond for lost check $206.00 issued to Mrs. Nora A. Kinstad furnished by the Farmers and Merchants Bank, the bond was noted by the Board and the Auditor ordered to file same.

Weed Board report for April was noted by the Board.

Application by Elwood Ewy for abatement and refund of taxes paid and owing for monies and credits listed in error, same being a mortgage on his property, and verified by First Federals Savings and Loan, a motion by Hogstad and seconded by Belk to refund $16.80 and abate $16.80 carried.

Partial release of liens of Mrs. Rose O'Toole Fleming is so far as it pertains to lots 3-4, Section 5-118-52W, Lots 1 and E½ SW¼ and NW¼, SW¼ 32-119-52 and N½ SE¼ and SW¼ NE¼ and SE¼ NW¼ Section 17-118-53. Moved by Hogstad and seconded by Keenan to approve the partial release. Motion carried.

A. A. Schwandt's application for abatement of half of a double assessment in Lake township was approved on a motion by Williams, and seconded by Keenan. This was listed as two lots whereas it should have appeared as Lot No. 2. Motion to abate $7.76 carried.

Moved by Williams and seconded by Keenan to approve the following bounty claims: John DeBerg 6 fox pups $12.00, 1 Adult fox $7.50; Melvin Kumm - 1 Adult fox $7.50; Emil Mischke, Jr. 1 adult badger $4.00; Earl Roe 1 adult and 5 fox pups $17.50, 2 adult badger and 6 badger pups $20.00; Orlando Thompson 1 adult badger $4.00; Clifford Lambert 1 adult badger 4.00; Clifford Selchert 1 adult badger $4.00; Joe Spartz 1 adult badger 4.00 Ronald Burchatz 1 adult badger 4.00; Mrs. Walter McClung 1 adult badger 4.00; Jerry Swart 1 fox pup $2.00; Harlan Bach 2 adult fox $15.00; Richard Bach 2 adult fox 15.00; Allen Roe 1 adult badger $4.00.

RESOLUTION NO. 310
Approving Sale

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described real property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said Report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that the persons listed on attached list all of Watertown, South Dakota, have offered the sums set opposite their names on said list in cash for the real estate described on the attached list, which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited with the County Treasurer: for the following described real property, to-wit:

WATERTOWN, South Dakota:
Third Railway Addition
Lot 8, Block 75 sold to G. A. Gilbert $50.00
Belmont Addition
Lots 133-134-135 sold to Clifford Mitchell for $210.00

Fairfax Addition
Lot 179 sold to G.A.Gilbert for $100.00
Lots 185-186 sold to Darrell E. Johnson for $355.00
Lots 374-375 sold to F.E. Mundell for $210.00
Lots 378-379 sold to F. E. Mundell for $255.00

Davis Addition
Lot 10, Block 3 sold to Lloyd Hanks for $55.00
Lots 25-26,Block 15 sold to Orville Anderson for $1080.00
Lots 27-28, Block 15 sold to Orville Anderson for $200.00
Lots 15-16, Block 11 sold to G.A.Gilbert for $100.00
Lots 17-18, Block 11 sold to G.A. Gilbert for $110.00
Lots 12, Block 9 sold to Oscar Brekke for $30.00
Lot 14, Block 9 sold to Oscar Brekke for $32.00

Davlins Addition
Lot 16, Block 8 sold to Oscar Brekke for $41.00
Lot 3, Block 6 sold to Oscar Brekke for $41.00

Gesleys Second Addition
Lots 3-4 Block 3 sold to Oscar Brekke for $180.00
Hanten & McKool Addition
Lots 7-8, Block 1 sold to G.A. Gilbert for $100.00
Replat of West Watertown
Lots 46-47, Block 30 sold to G.A. Gilbert for $125.00
Lots 47-48, Block 31 sold to Milford I. Montgomery for $230.00
Lots 26-27, Block 50 sold to O. C. Waite for $205.00
Rice Bros. Addition
Lots 6,7 8,9, Block 7 sold to D.R.McCuaig for $440.00
Syndicate Addition
W 50' of Lot 1 and N 23' of W 50' Lot 2, Block 3 sold to Mabel P.Hanson $205.00.
Way-Davlin Addition to Hillcrest
Lot 7, Block 6 sold to Ernest J.Arndt for $180.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 7th day of May, 1957, that the sale of said premises to the persons as listed be and the same is hereby approved and the chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor is to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deeds to said purchasers all of the right, title and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 7th day of May, 1957.

Herb Skinner
Vernon H. Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Alvin Williams
James L. Keenan

Attest: Irma Welch
Auditor

On a motion by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan, C.S.Rassmusson was authorized as County Highway Superintendent to make arrangements with the Minneapolis and St. Louise Railway for spur trackage. Motion carried.

On a motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk a true and full value of a tractor owned by Harold Whooley was reduced to $1500 and the tax abated and to be refunded in the amount of $11.62. Motion carried, and Auditor will refund $11.62.

The County Commissioners set hearing on Federal Aid Secondary Road projects for the 21st of May at 11 A.M. in the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House, Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota, and same will be advertised in legal papers on a motion by Keenan, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until 10 A.M. Tuesday, May 14, 1957.

Auditor

May 14, 1957

The Board of County Commissioners, met at 10 A. M. May 14, 1957, in the Commissioners Chambers of the Court House, Codington County, Watertown, South Dakota, pursuant to adjournment with all commissioners presaat. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan as follows:

GENERAL: Court Expense - Marion Karstens $15.14, Freda Siverts 15.14, Gladys Fortin 15.14, Priscilla Sweeney 18.64, Ruth McGurren 15.14, Ed Nerland 17.10, Noel Coan 15.14, Wm. C. Polze 31.96, Dale Keith Jorgenson 15.14, LeRoy Davis 20.28, Fred Kreger 15.14, Cliff Hagen 8.22, Ruhe Stationery 3.40, Sam Latsis 21.00, Glen Best 1.80, Bailiff Fees: Carl Deal 12.00, Frank Welch 12.00.

Poor: Annette Burgdorf - $135.00 Susan Mack 40.00, Alpha Mudge $40.00, N.T.Nelson 50.00, Florence Williams 5.00: Mrs. Lucille Gordon 30.00 for Emma Jenkins: Mrs. Esther Kinsey $25.00 for Rosa Shape: Kinstad Rest Home 246.00 for Ola Hanson 31.00, Karl Berge 25.00, James Chambers 40.00, Rupert Gatchell 30.00, Robert Main 80.00, Will Selchert 40.00: Elizabeth Marsh 20.00 for Matt Kemp: Mrs. Gordon Miller $40.00 for Sharon Gerjets: Mrs.Lyle Mogler $17.50 for Norma Remedies: Irene Stockman $60.00 for Loretto Stockman:Mrs.Abner Sturdevant $55.00 for John Farley 25.00, Abraham Schram 30.00: Helen J. Sumner $14.00 for Mrs. Frank Soulak: Svendsen Nursing Home $160.00 for Hilda Ebens 75.00, Rosa Dixon 25.00, Mary Kirkeby 30.00, Theresa Schummer 30.00: Watertown Rest Home $198.00 for L. Mourere 25.00, Naomi Adams 45.00, Ben Bergerson 40.00, Pauline Woodworth 88.00: Donald N. Fedt M.D. $114.00 for M.J.Flowers 24.00, Rupert Gatchell 3.00, Emma Klucas 33.00, Della Siegfried 54.00: Bartron Clinic $679.42 for Bert Crandall 18.20, Mrs.Wm. Czech 29.00, Hilda Ebens 9.00, Mrs. John Fjerstad 7.90, Dorothy Flathers 38.40, John Farley 20.93, Carl Hemiller 57.00, Alice Jungen 22.65, Emma Jenkins 1.00, Mr. & Mrs. J.F. Keyser 33.38, Mrs. Albert Kritta 34.30, Edwa McPeek 3.00, James & Betty Miller 41.00, Mary E. Mills 6.00, L. Mourere 5.30, Niels Neilson 25.20, Wilfred E. Painter 4.00, H.H. Parliament 2.50, Anna Parsley 14.16, Mrs. Ludwig Roethler 31.30, Hilda Schmeling 8.40, Evelyn Schultz 8.00, Hannah Smith 12.00, Mrs. Frank Soulak 29.00, Carl J.Struss 14.00, Mrs. Melvin Tesch 53.90, Lena Trumer 40.10, Mr. & Mrs. Jud Turner 31.10, Rollin & Edith Vance 23.70, Ferne Washtoak 14.00, Steve Wisneski 34.30, Pauline Woodworth 3.00, Henry J. Webb Sr. 3.70. H.J.Bartron,M.D. $30.00 for Mrs. C.O.Monson. A. Duffner Store $149.35 for Inga Yarns 15.30, Watter Richard 3.15, Mrs.Chas Ward Montney 34.38, Emil Herter 18.68, Mathilda Blek 13.75, Orana Mills 22.57, Emma Jenkins 5.09, Ola Hanson 13.23, Carl Berg 17.98, Jerry O'Brien 3.87, Mary Bagan 1.35: Haggar Drug Store 172.75 for Ellen Anderson 5.40, Martin Bale 1.35, Hilda Ebens 34.84, Hilda Haack 10.58, Alice Jungen 5.18, Emma Klucas 2.70, Edw.McPeek 28.80, Mrs. Roy Messerschmidt 2.12, N.T.Nelson 3.60, Seymore Peterson 15.44, Ivrin Rislov 2.93, Fern Washtoak 44.64, Mrs.Josephine Welter 8.64, Pauline Woodworth 6.53: Mrs. Alex Haeffner $20.00 for Debbie Heathcote: Hunter Grocery 55.18 for Jesse Morris. Kreiser Drug Store 259.89 for James Chambers 161.42, Chas. Alt 17.37, Ben Bergerson 4.05, Chris Engels 2.70, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg 33.09, Lena Radtke 11.58, Dooks Tiejen 22.50, Mary Troelson 1.33, Pauline Woodworth 5.85: McBath Coal & Coke Co. $12.95 for Oscar Wangen. Medical Arts Clinic $64.50 for Donald Kanne 2.00, Naomi Adams 10.00, C.O. Monson 20.00, Edith Bundy 4.50, Ellen Anderson 22.00, Emil Herter 6.00: Memorial Hospital $800.65 for Naomi Adams 91.62, Ellen Anderson 95.31, Mary Hemiller 88.75, Emma Klucas 198.97, Jerry O'Brien 81.36, Ivrin Rislov 32.72, Evelyn Schultz 67.74, Mrs. Melvin Tesch 91.10, Alfred Vick 53.08: Montgomery Ward Co. $14.69 for William Selchert: Shaw-Messer Ambulance Service $15.00 for Jerry O'Brien 5.00, Mrs. Reuie Luck 5.00, Hilda Ebens 5.00: South Dakota Children's Aid $82.00 for Soren Nelson 42.00, Lyle Gerjets 40.00. O.P.Skaggs Store $50.10 for Robert K Corey 4.53, Lucille Foyt 3.97, Mabel Johnson 6.04, Oranna Mills 2.06, James & Betty Miller 19.69, Wilfred E. Painter 6.77, Herman Person 7.04. Standard Oil Co. 22.80 for Willard Goette 7.60, Pius Soldier 15.20:St. Ann Hospital 431.20 for Luthera Tigner 160.80, Mrs. Jud Turner 80.85, Mrs. Steve Wisneski 74.45, Mrs. Wm. Luck Sr. 115.10: St. Mary's Cemetery $50.00 for Michael J. Feyen. St. Williams Home 45.30 for Mrs. Mary Myers, Thomes Drug Store $81.36 for Richard DePeel 12.60, Alfred Vick 32.80, Mabel Johnson 25.65, Ella Alexander 10.31: Dr. M.C. Thompson 85.60 for Rose Marie Bryant 40.10,Richard DePeel 8.00, Clarence Morrison 28.50, Emma Dralle 9.00: Watertown Community Oil $56.70 for Edwin bates 8.10, Eugene Decker 8.10, Gus Lentz 8.10, James & Betty Miller 16.20, Jesse Morris 8.10, Gertrude Shepherd 8.10.

COMMIssioners Per Diem & Mileage - Vernon H. Belk 61.20, Adolph Hogstad 74.28, James L. Keenan 50.50, Herb Skinner 79.60, Al M. Williams 102.40. Printing & Advertising: Henry Independent 119.26, South Shore Gazette 97.87, Watertown Public Opinion 203.51, F. C. Grow Sons 84.00, ~~Watertown Public Opinion 203.51~~

Auditors Office Expense: Watertown Public Opinion 5.30, F.C.Grow Printers 21.00, News Printing Co. 31.45, Brown & Saenger 1.50, Ruhe 11.58, Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. 60.16,Panama Carbon Co. 17.75, Tri-State Transportation Co. 5.57, Western Transportation Co. 1.85, Watertown Typewriter Co. 16.45, Treasurers Office Expense - Watertown Public Opinion 164.00, Ruhe Stationery 17.20. Convention & Research Lloyd Shenk $39.13, Dean Sumner 33.44, Mrs. Hazel Murphy 17.83. Supt. of Schools Mileage - Hazel Murphy 105.20.

Assessor Supplies-LaFrance Office Equipment Co. 8.75, News Printing 13.73, Brown & Saenger 119.25, Ruhe 13.94. Register of Deeds Office Exp. Brown & Saenger 3.62, Ruhe 68¢, Mitchell Publishing Co. 18.64, Midwest Beach Co. 11.14, Remington Rand 135.45. Court Office Exp. Brown & Saenger 17.39, Bee Ann Kass 35.00, Robert J. Carlson 3.41. Clerk of Courts Office Expense - Brown & Saenger 43.94, Ruhe 14.97. States Attorney Office Exp. Ruhe 15.23,Skinner Transfer & Storage Co. 7.50. Public Welfare OfficeExp. Ruhe 75¢. Sheriff Office Expense Ruhe 1.50. County Extension Ruhe 22.60, Extension Service S.D.State College 7.20. Civil Defense Expense 5.30 to Ruhe. Supt. of Schools Office Expense - National Board of Examiners $92.70, Field Enterprises, Inc. 116.32.

Court House Maintenance - City Treasurer 556.65, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. 23.81,General Supply Co. 11.55, Nelson Hardware 114.87, Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. 307.19, Otis Elevator Co. 58.55, Pitney-Bowes Inc. 24.36, Withrow Sales & Service 3.00, Hillyard Chemical Co. 28.81, Otto Enger 162.75, Inman Plumbing & Heating, Inc. 2.75, Owen Electric Service 467.50, Herb Skinner, Jr. 47.00.

County Farm: City Treasurer 29.85, General Supply Co. 18.15, Nelson Hardware 4.73, A.Duffner Store 27.27, Lien's Grocery 32.61, Olson Appliance & Gas Co. 5.80, Park Grant 41.38, J.C. Penney Co. 7.31, Sunshine State Hatchery 4.85, Watertown Co-operative Elevator Co. 50.95, Contest & Exhibits: Hammond & Stephens Co. 90.90, Hodges Badge Co. 2.74. Delinquent Tax Expense-Ole James Nelson 255.54. Board of Prisoners - Lloyd Shenk 114.80. Fees 136.61, Sheriff mileage 330.55. Board of Insanity-Ed Hinsch 5.00, Donald N. Fedt,M.D. 40.00, Bee Ann Kass 15.00. Board of Health-H. Russell Brown,M.D. 36.36, M.C.Rousseau,M.D. 10.40. Memorial Day & Park-American Legion Aux. 8.00, Veterans of Foreign Wars $8.00. County Board of Education-Mrs. Robert Bard 39.73, Philip Bergh 17.00, Willard S.Brow 13.15, Mrs. Inez Hanson 42.00

Earling Johnson 15.32, Mark N. Mack 13.64, W.I.Nichols 18.26, Ben Thyen 13.22.
Glenn Mitchell
SALARY - Supervisor of Assessors/55.09. Supt. of Schools-Mrs. Mabel Johnson 25.84

TEXTBOOK-Midwest-Beach Co. 87.26, Hammond & Stephens Co. 127.33.
INSANE: Lloyd Shenk 38.00.
ROAD: Alts Repair Shop 7.00, Emma Anenson 3.oo, Louis Anenson 70.72, Gilbert O. Bruflat 11.84, Cave Supply Co. 220.28, City of Wallace 2.00, Dakota Welding Supply Co. 71.11, J.D. Evans Equipment Co. 3.32, Foster-Bell Co. 181.85, Lewis Gerriets 13.32, Kenneth Hayes Electric Co. 11.84, International Harvester Co. 166.25, Johnson Farm Equipment Co. 9.03, Johnson Texaco Service 25.51, K & Z Service 9.21, LaNoue's Radiator Shop 12.50, Lyle Signs Inc. 106.10, Mahowald Co. 4.71, Mileage Market 315.25, Motor Supply Co. 53.56, Northwestern Public Service 8.00, Paper Calmenson Co. 676.20, Pecaut Equipment Co. 63.43, City Treas. 30.30, J. C. Penney Co. 11.70, Arthur Schwandt 5.40, Harold Scriver 3.50, Sheehan-Bartling Inc. 612.11, Sioux Road, Inc. 39.71, Socony Mobile Oil Co. 674.97, Tanksley-Johnson,Inc. 48.00, Watertown Implement Co. 5.12, Watertown Machine Works 21.13, Watertown Tire Co. 12.50, Williams Hardware Co. 16.83, Carl Zweig, Jr. 69.22,
SPECIAL BRIDGE: Northwestern Road Supply Co. 780.34. C.M.V. Stan Houston Equipment Co.Inc. 8,160.00, Schweigers Inc. 1,924.00.
CO.SP.HI.EDEN L.T.Brekke 69.30, Codington Clark Elec.Cooperative Inc. 99.55. CO.SP.HI. LEOLA Cod-Clark Elec.Coop Inc. - 230.40. CO.SP.HI.FULLER-Cod-Clark Elec.Coop Inc.65.51
WEED BOARD: Matt Brandriet 22.75. TUITION South Dakota State College 17.47. INSTITUTE Midwest Gift Co. 3.58, Mrs. Doris Nelson 15.00, Doris Fay Nelson 10.00.

This being the time and place for hearing on the road petttion, known as Joe Johnson road, the petition was read, and there was noone appearing in opposition to the petition on the proposed road, therefore a motion was made permitting the road the motion by Commissioner Hogstad, seconded by Keenan to grant said petition, and on roll call allvoted "Aye" none "nay" motion carried.

RESOLUTION NO. 313

WHEREAS a petition has been filed asking the Board of County Commissioners to recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that the following described highway in Codington County, South Dakota, be added to the County Highway System of Codington County, South Dakota - to-wit:

"Beginning at the Northwest corner of Section 28, Township 118, North, Range 54 West of the Fifth P.M. thence east approximately one and three quarters miles (1 3/4 miles) intersecting State Highway No. 20 in the Northeast Quarter of Section 27, Township 118 North, Range 54 West of the Fifth P.M."

AND WHEREAS it appears to the Board of County Commissioners that the same should be added to the County Highway System, and the Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable and for the best interests of the residents of Codington County to add said road considering the fact that this road gives access and a short cut to Medicine Lake, and would make a good road for year around driving and would be most beneficial to the public in general.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that Codington County does hereby recommend to the State Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota that they be added to the County Highway System of Codington County South Dakota the highway above described.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Auditor be and is hereby instructed to forward to the Secretary of the Highway Commission of the State of South Dakota, a copy of this Resolution with the request that action be taken by the State Highway Commission.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Hogstad and seconded by Keenan, and upon roll call all voted "yea" and none "nay" whereupon the Chairman declared said resolution to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 14th day of May, 1957.

Herb Skinner Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County,South Dakota.

Attest: Inma Welch Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota.

On a motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad to set date of hearing of Beer Licenses under jurisdiction of the Board, hearing was set for June 4, 1957 at 10 A.M. Motion carried.

The abatement of tax requested by St. Martin's Lutheran Church was rejected as this property is only an empty lot, and is not used for church purposes. Motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad to reject application this to concur with action of the City Council. Motion carried, and petition is rejected.

Moved by Williams, seconded by Belk that $25.00 be accepted for partial release of liens of DuWayne Stevens in so far as it pertains to this properby towit Lot 1 less W 44' Block 3, and Lots 14 and 15 Block 4 Thomas Martin and Eastwood Addition to Watertown. Motion carried.

Moved by Hogstad, seconded by Williams to grant the request of Mrs. Hazel Murphy, County Superintendent of Schools, to attend the State Convention at Deadwood the week of June 3rd. Motion carried.

Moved by Williams, seconded by Keenan to concur with the City Council and allow the refund of $159.67 taxes, and abate $159.67 of taxes on South Dakota Concrete Products difference on equipment classified incorrectly on list blanks in 1956. Motion carried.

An error having been reported by the City Council in their assessors addition of personal property value listed by P.J.Albrook, an abatement of $14.89 in tax was granted

on a motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan.

An error having occurred in assessing Selma Bale, on a motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan the valuation was decreased and a refund of $5.27 and an abatement of tax in the amount of $5.27 was allowed. Motion carried.

Donald Brownell having petitioned for refund and abatement of tax on money and credit listed in error, an abatement of $1.50 and refund of $1.50 was allowed on motion by Williams seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

Scott Crichton having presented a petition and other papers to substantiate his claim of double assessment, on a motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan, the assessment of $81.48 tax on the River Street Bulk station under personal property was allowed. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION NO. 311

WHEREAS the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota acting as a Board of Survey under South Dakota Code 48.0503 have inspected the following personal property in the custody of the County Officers of the said County of Codington, located at the county sheds 618 C Ave N.E. Watertown, South Dakota:

1 Model 15T Pettibone-Mulliken Model 15T Speedall, Rubber Tired - 4 Wheel Drive new in August 1953. Capacity 1 1/2 cubic yard bucket, 14:00 x 24 - 12 ply tires Hercules JXB 76 H.P.Gasoline Engine, Torque Convertor, Deluxe cab, adjustable seat, Hydraulic Booster Steering, Booster type Brake Control, Parking Brake, Down Pressure, Hand Throttle, Horn and Lights (12V)two head lights, two back up lights, and two stop tail lights.

1 Model 82A Standard - Barber Greene Bucket Loader with Hi-Reverse transmission, 10" x 6'5" Crawlers, D-226 Power Unit, Less Swivel Spout. Special elevator head shaft 82-151B1 Headshaft with 12" shaft extension. New in April 1953.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that said personal property has by reason of change no use to Codington County, and same is therefore condemned and appraised as being of a value as follows:

1 Model 1t% Pettibone-Mulliken Model 15T Speedall, Rubber tired - 4 Wheel Drive new in August 1953. Capacity 1 1/2 Cubic Yard Bucket, 14:00 x 24 - 12 Ply Tires Hercules JXB 76 H.P.Gasoline Engine, Torque Convertor, DeLuxe Cab, adjustable seat, Hydraulic Booster Steering, Booster Type Brake Control, Parking Brake, Down Pressure, Hand Throttle, Horn and Lights (12V) two head lights, two back up lights and two stop tail lights.

1 Model 82A Standard - Barber Greene Bucket Loader with Hi-Reverse transmission, 10" x 6'5" Crawlers, D-226 Power Unit, less swivel Spout, special elevator head shaft 82-151 B 1 Headshaft with 12" Shaft Extension new in April 1953.

It is further resolved that said personal property may be forthwith sold. Moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan and the Auditor be authorized to make a list of this equipment and mail to surrounding counties and advertise same in legal papers for which sealed bids will be received at 11 A.M. in the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House at Watertown, South Dakota on June 14, 1957.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 14th day of May, A.D. 1957.

Herb Skinner Chairman
Vernon D. Belk
Adolph R Hoyestad
Al M. Williams
James L. Keenan

Attest: Irma Madsen Auditor
Codington County,S.D.

RESOLUTION NO. 312
DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY TAX DEED

WHEREAS, the County of Codington, in the State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by tax deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provision of the law of the State of South Dakota, and

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 14th day of May, 1957 at the Court House in the City of Watertown, County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, that the following described real property to-wit:

Florence, South Dakota - Lots 13 and 14 in Block 12 Florence, S.D.
Lot 4, Block 23, Pettigrews Addition to Watertown, S.D.

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of said Codington County, South Dakota, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota.

Dated this 21st day of May, A. D. 1957.

Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk

James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners
of Codington County, S.Dak.

Attest: Inma Melch
County Auditor.

RESOLUTION # 312A

DIRECTING SALE OF CLASS ONE LAND ACQUIRED BY QUIT CLAIM DEED

WHEREAS the County of Codington, State of South Dakota is the owner of the hereinafter described real property, which real property was acquired by transfer to said County by quit claim deed and is classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS said real property has heretofore been appraised by the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and

WHEREAS said Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to direct that said real property be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota, and

NOW, THEREFORE be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on the 14th day of May, 1957 at the Court House in the City of Watertown, Codington County, and state of South Dakota, that the following described real property to-wit:

All of Lot 5 except the South 30 feet thereof in Block 2 of McMath's Addition to Watertown

be offered for sale by the County Auditor of said Codington County, South Dakota, in accordancw with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota at 10 A.M. June 5, 1957 at the front door of the Court House.

Dated this 14th day of May, 1957.

Herb Skinner Chairman
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Al M. Williams
James L Keenan
Board of County Commissioners
of Codington County, S. Dak.

Attest: Inma Melch Auditor
Codington County, S. Dak.

On a motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan, board adjourned until May 21st at 10 A.M. in the Commissioners Chambers Court House, Watertown, S.D.

Inma Melch Auditor

May 14, 1957

A special called meeting of the Commissioners from Grant and Codington Counties met at a joint meeting ih the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House at Watertown, South Dakota on the evening of May 14,1957, with chairman Wm.Connor of Grant County and Chairman Herb Skinner of Codington County presiding. H.A.Nelson, EdStamp from Grant County, and Adolph Hogstad, James Keenan, Al Williams and Vernon Belk of Codington County Board and the Codington County Highway Superintendent C.S.Rasmussen in attendance.

The special meeting was called to order by Herb Skinner, acting as chairman.

The following delegates from Grant County were in attendance: Edwin C. Matthea, Rudolph Noeldner, John Rislov, Manford Stee, Carl Beskow, Wallace Redlin, Gerhard Giese, Alfred Redlin, Walter Brennan, Edward Erickson, Melvin Flores, Orval Stormo and Ralph Peeper.

Delegates from Codington County were the following: Robert DeVille, Albert Erickson, Ed Redlin, August Grewing, Cliff Grinols, Harry Matthes, Wm. Redlin, Andrew Redlin, Rudolph Kannas, Otto Adolphson, Ralph Kannas, and Albin Redlin.

Wm. Redlin was chosen by vote to represent the delegation wanting 13 miles of road to be improved on County line between Grant and Codington Counties.

Gerhard Giese stated that he has been a large taxpayer and never has had a road to market and he feels he should have some consideration. Rudolph Noeldner stated that the road now there is always blocked in the winter. Edwin C. Matthes spoke in favor of the road because of its use as a bus route. Manford Stee, farmer, stated it was sometimes impossible to get to his land in Grant County.

Several others spoke in favor of the road and mentioned the poor condition of the road - then a 15 minute recess was called while Grant and Codington County Commissioners considered the arguments and has some discussion.

Because but three members of the Grant County Board of County Commissioners were present a motion was made by Commissioner Belk that Grant County and Codington County Commissioners meet separately in their respective counties at 11:00 A.M. on Tues. May 21st, 1957 to vote on this matter, and that Codington County Chairman call Grant County at 11:30 on May 21st in order that each will be informed as to the vote of the others, and at that time the results will be made public. Motionseconded by H.A.Nelson of GrantCounty and all voted Yea, none voted Nay.

A motion was made to adjourn by Commissioner Keenan, seconded by Commissioner Nelson. Motion carried.

May 21, 1957.

The Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presided, the meeting called to order at 10 A.M. in the Commissioners Chambers of the Court House.

Verified Claims were checked and approved on motion by Williams, seconded by Hogstad as follows:
GENERAL: Court Expense - Mrs. Hanna Cook 5.98, Edgar Vandrey 15.14. Poor - Mrs. Beryl Ellyson $126.00 for Donna, William, Barbara & Joyce Stavig.

On a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams the minutes of the April 12, 1957 meeting of the Board of County Commissioners was amended to read as follows: "Full and true value of the house of Wesley Zirbel in South Shore is $3200.00". In the original minutes it appeared as full and true value of the property. Motioncarried and minutes are corrected.

The resignation of James Nelson, Tax Collector, was tendered. A motion was made by Commissioner Keenan, seconded by Belk to accept the resignation effective June 1, 1957. On roll call all commissioners voted "Yea" and none voted "nay". Motion carried.

On a motion by Keenan seconded by Hogstad, County Special Highway Funds of Kranzburg Township would be released to Kranzburg Township. Motion carried and funds will be released to Kranzburg Township.

At 11:00 A.M., this being the time and place for a decision on the Boards action on the County Line Highway between Grant and Codington County, a motion was made by Williams, seconded by Belk to reject the road petition. On roll call the commissioners voted as follows by commissioner districts: Dist. 1 Yes. Dist 2 Yes, Dist 3 Yes. Dist.4 Yes, Dist 5 Yes. All commissioners voting "Yea" the motion carried to reject the road petition.

At 11:30 A.M. the Chairman called the Grant County Commissioners and he was informed the Grant County Commissioners vote on a motionto accept the road petition and adopt it had ended with a vote of four commissioners "Nay", one commissioner "yea". Mothon ~~xxxxxx~~ lost, and the petition will not be adopted.

A public hearing was held inthe Commissioners Chambers in the Court House, Codington County, Watertown, South Dakota at 11:00 A.M. May 21,1957, in accordance with advertised notice, to afford the opportunity for individuals to be heard on the economic effects of the location of highway improvements on FAS Routes Nos. 881, 880, 429, 286, 284, 825, 826, 497, 499 in Codington County, South Dakota. No one appeared to be heard on the projects. The Board of County Commissioners considered the economic effects of the locations of the projects and adjourned the hearing.

Moved by Belk, and seconded by Keenan that the County Auditor be instructed to return the rental of $4.00 for Lots 13-14, Block 12, Florence to Robert Lloyd as these lots have been requestedto be appraised and sold as provided by law. Motion carried.

Commissioner Belk moved, and Commissioner Hogstad seconded the motion to abate $28.00 tax on monies and credits listed in error by John Shafer. Money was in the First Federal Savings and Loan as evidenced by their letter, and is not assessable. Motion carried to refund $28.00.

A motion was made by Commissioner Williams, seconded by Commissioner Belk to authorize the chairman to execute an easement to the City of Watertown for gas main extension to cross Lots 3 and 4, Block 2, McMath's addition. This property is owned by Codington County. Motion carried.

Upon payment of $20.00 for Lots 1 and 2, Block 17, Henry Village by C. R. Whetsel, the Board authorized the Auditor to issue a quit claim deed and to record same. Motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad to instruct the chairman to execute the deed.Motion carried.

Herbert Norbeck, attorney, appearing before the Board in connection with a request for review of assessment by Ernest Cave, Eleanor Cave and Marie Bryant, and having been granted time to present a written brief, the brief having been considered and all available information having been given consideration, the Board ruled on a motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad, to reject the appeal as the valuation is not over full and true value according to all information available. All commissioners voted "yea", none

voted "nay" and motion to reject application carried.

The abatement of money and credit tax of Leland Austad for $12.00 was allowed on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Williams. This item was assessed in error to Austad and should have been carried by the City to Austin and Hinderaker. Motion carried.

On payment of the following amounts these were credited on County Liens against the several persons: Anna E. McPeek paid Jan. 8, 1957 $35.00, February 4, 1957 35.00, March 5 1957 $35.00, April 9, 1957 $35.00 to apply on Ed McPeek liens.

$35.00 paid January 17, 1957 and $50.00 on March 7,1957 by Elizabeth Marsh to apply on liens of Francis DeMuynck.

$75.00 in full payment for C.G.Holmes paid February 14, 1957. $24.00 paid by Bill Meyer to apply on lien of Mrs. Theodore Meyer Sr, paid March 13,1957. $43.55 LaVerne Dally paid April 2, 1957, $68.00 paid April 17, 1957 for Mr. & Mrs. Melvin Jordanger.

Motion duly made and seconded to adjourn until Tuesday May 28th, 1957 at 10 A.M. in the Commissioners Chambers, Court House, Watertown, South Dakota.

Irma Welch Auditor
Codington County, S. Dak.

May 28, 1957.

Beard of County Commissioners convened at 10 A.M. May 28,1957 in the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House, Watertown, South Dakota pursuant to adjournment with all members present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were chedked and approved on a motion by Keenan, seconded by Williams:

GENERAL: Court Expense - Ben Ackerman $5.14, Mabel Alworth $118.56, Cecilia M.Beirne 118.56, Hazel Hegarty 135.00, Joe Gerlach 25.00. Sheriff Fees & Salary - Bert Smith 110.00.Jailer William J. Meyer 275.00. Veterans Service Officer-George Burke 210.00, Evelyn Nigg $57.60. Court House Maint. 250.00.Carl Dealy-County-Extension - Audrey Kleveter $175.00. County Farm - Henry Klemsrud 115.00, Pearl Klemsrud 110.00. Civil Defense - Ed Howson 25.00, Register of Deeds Office Exp. Doris Harrington 119.00. County Farm - Mrs. Glen Jensen 10.00, Mrs. Francis Wait 10.00, Mrs. Ernest Sotka 10.00, Mrs. R. A. Hanson 10.00, LeRoy Stricherz 7.00. Board of Insantty - Bee Ann Kass 5.00, County Judge Office Exp. Bee Ann Kass 45.00; Commissioners Per Diem, Mileage, Salary - Vernon H. Belk 79.70, Adolph Hogstad $95.44, James L. Keenan 79.70, Herb Skinner 94.74, Al M. Williams 89.50. Memorial Day & Park - Arnold Hofteizer 100.00, Bessie Hofteizer 100.00.

SALARY: Auditor - Irma Welch 325.00, Alice V. Olson 215.00, Edna Derenthal 195.00, Fay Wohlheter 147.98, Hilary Jensen 170.00. Treasurer - Paul Krakowski 325.00, DeLoris A.Goodroad $215.00, C. Joyce Rowe 195.00, Elizabeth M. Larson 185.00, Dorothy Pomeroy 150.00. Register of Deeds - Margaret Brown 296.68, Beverly Mickelson 210.00, Hazel O. Duncan 170.00. Clerk of Courts - Walter A.Farl 296.68, Leilah Auby 195.00. States Attorney - Dean Sumner 283.75, Ed Gribbin 160.00, Harriet Horning 100.00, Audrey McRoden 50.00. Supt. of Schools - Mrs. Hazel Murphy 325.00, Ruth M.Johnson 275.00. Supervisor of Assessors - Glenn Mitchell 300.00, Carol DeVetter 150.00. County Judge - Herbert O. Norbeck 400.00, Municipal Judge Donald W. Lobitz 200.00.
WEED BOARD * Matt Brandriet 200.00.
CMV C.S.Rasmusson 575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt 215.00, Sever Tobiason 205.00, John Rennie 302.40, Joe Stricherz 319.20, Claude Van Sickle 301.20, Harold Scriver 273.60, C.B.Sumner 210.00, James Hendren 22.50, Ed Gould 117.50, Alfred Spring 208.75, Carl Zweig,Jr. 36.45, Burton Jackson 68.85, Howard Williams 40.50, Gerald Peterson 287.50, Clarence Helle 37.95, Fred C. Brownell 121.00, Andrew T. Larson 187.00, Leo Clausen 191.40, Chas. Krogman 45.10, Julius Lentz 121.00, Thomas Spiering 118.80, John Strait 182.60, Curtis O.Underwood 175.00, Harold L. Nafus 80.00.
CH. & BR C.B.Sumner 100.80, James Hendren 289.50, Ed Gould 33.75, Alfred Spring 12.50, Carl Zweig,Jr. 270.00, Burton Jackson 260.55, Howard Williams $268.65, Gerald Peterson 12.50, Clarence Helle 256.45, Fred C. Brownell 31.90, Andrew T. Larson 9.00, Leo Clausen 11.00, Chas. Krogman 217.80, Julius Lentz 29.70, Thomas Spiering 132.00, John Strait 11.00, Curtis O. Underwood 11.00, Harold L. Nafus 21.00.
SP. BR. James Hendren 15.00, Ed Gould 161.25, Alfred Spring 60.00, Gerald Peterson 12.50, Clarence Helle 3.45, Fred C. Brownell 123.20, Andrew T. Larson 53.90, Leo Clausen 52.80, Chas. Krogman 25.30, Julius Lentz 125.40, Thomas Spiering 11.00, John Strait 67.10, Curtis O. Underwood 77.00, Harold L. Nafus 104.00.
CO.SP.HI.KRANZBURG Alfred Spring 21.25, Andrew T. Larson 18.70, Leo Clausen 17.60, John Strait 11.00, Curtis O. Underwood 11.00.

Matt Sutter, Henry Zeller and Myrtle S. Weber came before the Board to protest annexing to Watertown that portion of NE½ of 25-117-53 owned by them.

Henry Will, Vern Franz, and Henry Parkhill came before the Board in regard to applying for the position of Tax Collector for the County.

Melvin Schmeiding came before the Board to ppint out an error made by Kranzburg Township Assessor and on a motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad the Board voted to reconsider the rejected application for revaluation on N½ 11-117-51 320 acres being assessed at $7021.00 and the request it be reduced to $5400.00. On a motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk, and after discussion and investigation the request to reduce to valuation of 5400.00 was granted. This land is in school District No. 74, and millage rate of 207.80. Motion carried - all voting yes on roll call.

Bond for the following township officers were approved on a motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad:
PELICAN TOWNSHIP: August Zamow, Treas.,Mrs.August Zamow-Assessor, Vernon Benthin-Clerk.
KAMPESKA TOWNSHIP:Herbert Klatt,Treas.,James DeVine-Clerk, Edmund Klatt, Assessor.

ELMIRA TOWNSHIP: Richard Hoffman, Treas.
PHIPPS TOWNSHIP: Olive Floden, Treasurer.
GERMAN TOWNSHIP: Otto Korth, Treas., Sig Gran-Assessor, Elmer O. Bunde, Clerk.
FULLER TOWNSHIP: Chris Hvidhyld, Assessor.
DEXTER TOWNSHIP: Elbert Rukstad, Treasurer.
TOWN OF SOUTH SHORE: Alvin C. Meyer, Assessor
WAVERLY TOWNSHIP: Maynard Stormo-Clerk, Frank Schmitt-Treas., Ervin Johnson-Assessor.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Belk to reject application of Bennett Memorial Hospital, Rapid City, for the care of Mrs. Anna Christianson as no authorization had been given by any Commissioner.

Refund of $7.20 taxes to Neal Schafer was approved on a motion by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan. This tax was on monies on deposit in First Federal Savings & Loan and was non-assessable.

Weed report for month was noted by the Board.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan that the First Citizens National Bank - Watertown, South Dakota, and the Farmers & Merchants Bank, Watertown, South Dakota, and Farmers State Bank of Kranzburg, South Dakota be designated as depositories for the County Funds. This motion had been omitted from the April 16th minutes.

RESOLUTION NO. 315.
RESOLUTION DESIGNATING DEPOSITARY BANKS
FOR COUNTY FUNDS

State of South Dakota:
:ss
County of Codington :

WHEREAS acting under Section 12.0818 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, and all other amendatory acts, the following named banks have made proper application to be designated as depositories for the funds of Codington County, South Dakota:

First Citizens National Bank	Watertown, South Dakota
Farmers and Merchants Bank	Watertown, South Dakota
Farmers State Bank	Kranzburg, South Dakota

AND WHEREAS it appears from the examination of said application that they are in proper form in compliance with the Statutes:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that the above named banks be and they are hereby designated as depositories for funds of Codington County, South Dakota, for the period of one year, beginning April 1, 1957, and the Treasurer is authorized to deposit funds therein when bonds or other legal security have been assigned to the County Treasurer.

AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the following banks:

First Citizens National Bank	Watertown, South Dakota
Farmers & Merchants Bank	Watertown, South Dakota

are each designated as ACTIVE depositories as provided by Section 12.0819 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, and all amendatory acts, for the deposit therein by the County Treasurer of daily receipts of cash, checks, drafts, and other cash items, and the County Treasurer is expressly authorized to deposit in each of said banks in excess of 100% of the capital and surplus of each of said banks, providing that at all times, the funds on deposit shall be fully secured by surety bond, pledge of legal collateral, insurance as provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Provided further that each such depository shall pay on demand all deposits therein subject to payment on demand, and shall pay, when demanded, all time deposits therein, with accrued interest, if any.

Dated this 16th day of April 1957, and to be spread on the minutes of the said Board of County Commissioners at their regular meeting duly attended by a majority of the Board.

Approved Herb Skinner
Chairman

ATTEST: Anna Welch
County Auditor.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
Codington County, South Dakota

RESOLUTION NO. 316

RESOLUTION APPROVING COLLATERAL PLEDGED BY DEPOSITORY BANKS
AND
DESIGNATIONAND APPROVAL OF CUSTODIAN BANKS

State of South Dakota:
:SS
County of Codington

WHEREAS, acting under Section 12.0818 of the South Dakota Code of 1939, and all other amendments as have been or may hereafter be enacted, the following named banks have been disgnated as depositories for the funds of Codington County, South Dakota, by the Board of County Commissioners and the County Treasurer, and in compliance with the aforesaid laws the said banks have assigned, transferred and set over to said Codington County, South Dakota, those certain securities described below; this collateral having been found by the said Board of County Commissioners to be good and sufficient for county funds, and in compliance with the Statutes relating thereto,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the same is hereby approved,
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the custodian banks named below for the safekeeping of said securities are hereby designated and approved.

NAME OF BANK Farmers & Merchants Bank, Watertown, South Dakota.

AMOUNT	TYPE		MATURITY
15,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds	2 3/4%	4-1-80/75
25,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds	2 3/8%	6-15-58
100,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds	2 1/4%	9-15-56/59
50,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds	3 1/2%	6-15-60
30,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds	2 3/4%	9-15-61
75, 000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds	2 1/2%	11-15-61
5,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds	2 1/2%	11-15-61
20,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds	2 1/2%	11-15-61
10,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds	2 1/2%	8-15-63
5,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds	2 1/2%	8-15-63
5,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds	2 1/2%	3-15-71/66

Dated this 16th day of April 1957

Custodian Banks for the Safekeeping of said securities:
BANK: The Chase Manhattan Bank, New York, N. Y.
The Marquette National Bank, Minneapolis, Minn.

NAME OF BANK: The First Citizens National Bank, Watertown,South Dakota

AMOUNT	Type		Maturity Date
75,000.00	U.S. Treasury Bonds	2 1/4% 1959-62	12-15-62
125,000.00	U.S.Treasury Bonds	2 1/2% 1961	11-15-61
150,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds	2 1/2% 1961	11-15-61

CUSTODIAN BANKS FOR THE SAFEKEEPING OF said securities:
BANK: Federal Reserve Bank, Minneapolis, Minnesota
The Chase Manhattan Bank, New York, New York.

NAME OF BANK: Farmers State Bank of Kranzburg, South Dakota.

AMOUNT	TYPE	MATURITY
10,000.00	Federal Deposit Inusrance Corporation	
15,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bonds 2 1/2% Coupon bonds of 1963, Nos.16009 @ 10,000.00 and No.5034 @ 5,000.00	8-15-1963
25,000.00	U.S.Certificates of Indebtedness, 3 3/8% Series A-1958, No. 2580 @ 5,000.00 & Nos.8875/76 @ 10,000.00 each	2-14-1958

CUSTODIAN BANKS FOR THE SAFEKEEPING OF said securities:
BANK: First National Bank of Saint Paul, St. Paul, Minn.
Northwestern National Bank of Minneapolis, Minneapolis,Minn.

Dated this 16th day of April, 1957, and to be spread on the minutes of the said April 16, 1957 meeting of the Board of County Commissioners, and attended by all members of the Board.

ATTEST: Irma Belch
County Auditor.

Approved Herb Kleinsasser
Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota.

On motion duly made and seconded Board adjourned until 10 A.M. June 4, 1957.

Irma Belch
County Auditor.

Correction of Minutes of May 28, 1957. June 4, 1957.

An error having occurred in the minutes of May 28, 1957 the following correction is made:

Melvin Schmieding came before the Board to point out an error made by Kranzburg Township Assessor, and on a motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad the Board voted to reconsider the rejected application for revaluation on N½ 11-117-51 - 320 Acres having been assessed at $7021.00, and the request to reduce valuation to $5000.00. On a motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk, and after discussion and investigation the request to reduce the valuation to $5000.00 was granted. This land is in school district No. 74. Motion carried.

Irma Belch

June 4, 1957.

The Board of County Commissioners met June 4, 1957 at 10:00 A.M. pursuant to adjournment in the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House, Watertown, S.D. with all members present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan, as follows:

GENERAL: Memorial Park - Arnold Hofteizer 100.00, Bessie Hofteizer 100.00.
TRUST FUNDS: Lucy R. Grant 15.00.

This being the time and place for hearing of beer license applications in Codington County, and as there was no opposition to any license being granted, it was moved by Belk, seconded by Hogstad to grant the following applications:

George Laqua, S 300' of North 1000' of W 300' of W½ SW¼ 17-117-52 Elmira Twp.
Mrs.Glenn Watkins, Lot 21 Highland Park, Lake Kampeska, Lake Twp.
Watertown County Club, Lloyd Evenskaas applicant, Outlot B-C Arends Park 28-117-53
Caroline A. Meyer, Smiths Outlot, Sec 15-117-53 Lake Township
Theodore Swenson, Outlot A, less S 270' SW¼ less W 17' Sec.32 118 52 Rauville Twp.
Larramac Golf Range, Howard A. Larrabee applicant. N 1023 of E 701½' of SE¼ Sec 28-117-53
Stanley J. Myers, Lots 4 and 5 Hillcrest Addition to Lake Kampeska, Lake Twp.
Roy Thompson, Lot 1, Block 1, Grover
Joseph Murray, Lots 1 and 2 of Block 3, Waverly
Wiblis R. Walters, SE 3 Acres of SE¼1-116-55 Henry Twp.
Jerry R. Haan, Jerry's Bar - Kranzburg, Lots 12-13-14, Block 2
W.C.Williams, Lot 3, Sec.29,Twp.117, Range 53, Lake Township
Frank Schmitt, Lot 5, Block 3, Waverly
Carl H. Haan, Lots 1 and 2 in Block 3, Kranzburg
Henry Ries (Hanks Place) Lots 10 and 11, Block 2, Kranzburg
Lenore Balthazor, Outlot A, Sec 5-116-52 Sheridan Twp. 212 East
Francis J. Hupf, NE 4 Acres of NE¼ 3-116-51 Kranzburg
Roy & Leona Klix NW 1 Acre of NW¼ 6-116-53 Pelican Twp.
Cliff Kittelson, Lot 5, Sec. 2-116-53 Pelican Twp. Lake Pelican
Albert DeVille & Howard Hegstrom, Lot 1, Block 2 City View, Lake Twp.
Albert DeVille & Howard Hegstrom, Outlot B of Gov't Lot 2, Sec. 22-117-53 known as Old baseball park, less 300 ft in extreme N E Corner.

On roll call all voted "yea" none voted "nay". Motion carried.

Bonds of the following township offiers were approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Williams:

DEXTER TWP. Allen Putnam, Assessor
PHIPPS TWP. Grover Peterson, Assessor.

The position of tax collector for Codington County having become vacant due to resignation of James Nelson, applications for the position were received from the following: Harold O. Chester, Henry Parkhill, Henry Will, Henry Forman, William Dunlop, Vern Frantz, and W. E. Knight. After some discussion ballots were cast as follows: First Ballot - Knight 2, Dunlop 1, Chester 1, Frantz 1. Second Ballot - Knight 5. It was moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan, to appoint W. E. Knight as tax collector, he having received the unanimous vote. W.E.Knight was appointed tax collector for the balance of 1957. Motion carried.

A motion made by Keenan, seconded by Belk to permit Eddie Howson to attend the Civil Defense Meeting in Pierre, June 12, as a representative fromCodington County, and his expenses to be paid as provided by law. Motion carried.

This being the time and place for hearing on petition of those wishing to incorporate Kranzburg Village, Francis Burns represented the petitioners, and Arthur Hasche appeared in representation of those who petitioned the Board to not incorporate the village of Kranzburg. The following persons appeared personally as delegates at the hearing: Charles Strang, Joseph J. Fox, Raphael F. Turbak, Jerome A. Turbak, Nick Stricherz, Alfred J. Turbak, Larry N. Turbak, Henry A. Haan, William F. Kranz, Matt N. Kranz, Francis J. Hupf, Matt Kranz, Jr. On motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan, the petitions were filed and hearing set for 2 P.M. June 14, 1957 to give time for study of the proposal, and permit interested persons to appear. On June 14, 1957 the legal status of voters and other questions of law will be determined and a decision made by the Board as to the incorporation. Motion carried.

A delegation appeared in regard to a road in Sheridan Township, as follows: Tom T. Nelson, John Luken, Ed Hanten, Herb Hanten, John Reichling, Ray Chandler, Orville Kingslien, and Leonard Brandriet. Orville Kingslien was appointed spokesman and after some discussion C. S. Rasmusson, the County Highway Superintendent, explained the road channel plan. No action was taken at this time.

Bounty claims were approved on motion by Belk,seconded by Hogstad, as follows: Predatory Animal Bounty: Carolos Abraham, Leonard Grewing, Alfred Lauen, Ervin McFarland, Mrs. Ervin McFarland, John Rowe, Mrs. Donald Tschakert each $2.00: Tom Bergan Jr., John M. Fischer,4 Tony Fischer, George Groves, Mrs. Ingvald Johnson, James Lindner, Albert Mohr, George Overland,1 John Rowe,2 John Rowe, Lloyd Stark, Earl Van Sickle $4.00 each. Gene Borns, Tony Fischer, Jerome Harriott, Earl Schmig, Vernon Thompson each $10.00, L. T. Brekke 25.00. Ole Dahl 22.50. Don De Berg, Jerry Swart, Harry Schmeling, Harry Schmeling, Warren F. Thacker each $7.50. George Groves, Clare Ward each $14.00. Vincent Leemhuis, Ralph Raml, Aaron Van Sickle, Glen Wensing each 8.00. Dick Schoepp 17.00. Art Spiering 12.00. Mrs. Donald Tschakert 13.50. Motion carried.

Veterans Service Officers report for May 1957 was noted by the Board

County Weed Supervisor - Matt Brandriet's - report for month of May was noted by the Board.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until 10 A.M. June 11,1957.

June 11, 1957.

Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment, in the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House, at 10 A.M. with all members present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams as follows:

GENERAL: - Poor Burgdorf Nursing Home 135.00 for Susan Mack $40.00, Alpha Mudge $40.00, N. T. Nelson $50.00, Florence Williams $5.00: Beryl Ellyson $60.00 for Donna, William, Barbara and Joyce Stavig. Lucile Gordon $30.00 for Emma Jenkins. Gladys Helseth $185.00 for L. Mourere 25.00, Naomi Adams $45.00, Ben Bergerson $40.00, Pauline Woodworth $75.00. Mrs. Alex Haffner $20.00 for Debbie Heathcote. Esther Kinsey $25.00 for Rosa Shape. Kinstad Rest Home $244.00 for Ole Hanson 31.00, Karl Berge 25.00, James Chambers 40.00, Rupert Gatchell 30.00, Robert Main 80.00, Will Selchert 38.00. Elizabeth Marsh $20.00 for Matt Kemp. Mrs. Lyle Mogler 10.73 for Norma Remedies. Mrs. Edgar A Rudy $6.78 for Norma Remedies. Irene Stockman $60.00 for Loretta Stockman. Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $55.00 for John Farley 25.00, Abraham Schramm 30.00. Helen J.Sumner $14.00 for Mrs. Soulak. Svendsen Nursing Home $130.50 for Hilda Ebens $40.50, Rosa Dixon 25.00, Mary Kirkeby 30.00, Teresa Schumer 35.00. A. Duffner Store $101.38 for Emma Jenkins 10.19, Oranna Mills 11.97. Jud Turner 1.62, Edgar Wight 1.80, Mathilda Blek 10.84, Chas. W. Montney 32.58, Rupert Gatchell .44, Ola Hanson 19.34, Carl Berge 12.60. D. N. Fedt, M.D. $36.00 for Emma Klucas 21.00, Mrs. M. J. Flowers 15.00. Bartron Clinic 438.40 for Mrs. Henry Becker 10.35, Joyce Christensen 17.00, Hilda Ebens 56.00, John Farley 45.00, Dorothy Flathers 12.00, Mrs. Wm. Glendenning 8.00, Alice Jungen 32.30, Mrs. James F. Keyser 24.25, Albert Kritta 26.35, Roman Lewno 6.00, Steven McKee 8.00, Mary E. Mills 14.00, Louis Mourere 5.30, Nels C. Neilson 17.10, H. H. Parliament 2.55, Anna Parsley 8.00, Josephine Roethler 28.10, Hilda Schmeling 5.20, Eva Schultz 13.00, Hannah Smith 10.00, Mrs. Frank Soulak 12.80, Lena Trumer 10.95, Mr. & Mrs. Jud Turner 13.60, Rollin & Edith Vance 8.90, Mrs. Steve Wisneski 37.65. Fern Washtoak 6.00. Brown Clinic $199.50 for Ella Alexander 20.50, Mary Bagan 4.00, Chas. Bierscheid 2.00, Mrs. Hugh Davis 8.00, Mildred Taylor 3.00, Hilda Haack 7.00, Mrs. Wm.Luck 18.00, Mrs. J.B. McLaughlin 2.00, Larry Messerschmidt 2.00, Ivrin Rislov 8.00, Oscar Wangen 17.00, Henry B. Anderson 108.00.
Brown Clinic $247.25 for Ivrin Rislov 115.00, Ella Alexander 19.75, Mrs. Wm. Luck 11.00, Albert Erickson 2.00, Chas. Bierscheid 4.00, Mary Bagan 4.00, Thos. Hoffman 24.50, Henry B. Anderson 14.00, Hilda Haack 53.00. Haggar Drug Store $120.21 for Hilda Haack 30.96, Ivrin Rislov 13.68, Fern Washtoak 25.34, Rosa Dixon 4.86, Emma Klucas 5.40, Mary Kirkeby 3.60, Jud Turner $6.75, Ellen Anderson 5.40, Edith Bunde 5.40, Martin Bale 12.65, Mrs.Frank Gillies 4.37, N. T. Nelson 1.80. Huebner Oil Co. $45.60 for Lester Anderson 7.60, Thomas Boehm 15.20, Frederick Boadwine 7.60,Mabel Johnson 7.60, Wilfred E. Painter 7.60. Kjos Shoe Co. $10.95 for John Farley. Kreiser Drug Store $123.27 for Chas. Alt 6.17, James Chambers 68.10, Louise Tiejen 17.01, Chas. Meseberg 12.66, Lena Radtke 18.00, Mary Troelson 1.33. Medical Arts Clinic 36.00 for Emil Herter 10.00, Ellen Anderson 8.00, Grant Peterson 18.00. Memorial Hospital $1368.38 for Bert Crandall 168.97, Hilda Ebens 341.35, Richard Kemp 378.93, James F. Keyser 13.50, Steven McKee 24.45, C.O.Monson 224.74, Grant Peterson 173.54, Alfred Vick 34.40, Ed Wight 8.50. Rich's Conoco Oil Co. $7.60 for Lucille Foyt. S.D.Children Aid 107.95 for Lyle Gerjets 41.48, Soren Nelson 66.47. Shaw-Messer Ambulance Service 5.00 for Hilda Ebens. O. P.Skaggs Store 24.25 for Lucille Foyt 5.69, Beverly Kinsey 12.77, Albert Erickson 3.97, Oranna Mills 1.82. St. Anns Hospital $1206.60 for Henry B.Anderson 635.55, Dorothy Flathers 93.40, Alice Jungen 87.35, Wm. Lewno 63.25, James & Marilyn Mack 86.45, Fern Washtoak 240.60. St. Williams Home $52.50 for Mary Myers. Thomes Drug Store 58.77 for Ella Alexander 4.05, Alfred Vick 32.81, Albert Erickson .67, Chas.Bierscheid 4.05, Richard DePeel 4.81, Mable Johnson 12.38. Dr.M. C. Thompson $16.80 for Clarence Morrison 8.00, Rose M. Bryant 8.80. Dr. Leo.O.Tietze 30.00 for Alice Jungen. Watertown Community Oil Co. $10.53 for Edwin Bates 4.05, Jesse Morris 6.48. Mrs. Beryl Ellyson $66.00 for Donna, Wm. Barbara & Joyce Stavig.
Commissioners Per Diem & Mileage - Vernon H. Belk 64.00, Adolph Hogstad 64.42, James L. Keenan 74.00, Herb Skinner 91.36, Al M. Williams 74.00.
Printing & Advertising - Henry Independent $244.23, South Shore Gazette 148.20, Watertown Public Opinion 183.13. Treasurer Office Expense $59.75 Watertown Public Opinion, Mitchell Publishing Co. 165.96, Ruhe Stationery 14.00, Burroughts Corp. 1.15. Auditor Office Exp. Mitchell Publishing Co. 158.99, Panama Carbon Co. 17.75, A. Duffner Store .59, Ruhe Stationery 8.60. Reg. of Deeds Office Exp. Mitchell Publishing Co. 11.23. Assessors Supplies Mitchell Publishing Co. 5.56.
County Farm - A. Duffner Store 19.64, City Treas. 26.95, Nelson Hdwe 1.65, Bartron Clinic 5.20, Council Oak Store 6.82,Edward Aljoe 3.00, Kenneth Hayes Electric Co. 8.65, K.D.Inc. 23.45, Olson Appliance & Gas Co. 5.80, Park Grant Co. 37.00, J.C.Penney Co. 6.17, Spies Super Value 16.92, Watertown Elevator Co. 66.53. Sheriff Office Exp. Ruhe $5.81, Joyce Rowe 40.00, Cave Supply Co. 14.72. Supt. of Schools Office Exp. Ruhe $3.70, Follett Publishing Co. 1.99, Hub City School Supply Co. 1.80, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. 5.95. Court Expense Ruhe .85, Grace Pickert 5.14, Bartron Clinic 15.20. County Extension - Ruhe 35¢ , Clara W. Johnson 23.27, Fred Morris 55.47. Welfare Office Expense 54.73 Ruhe, Mid-West Beach Co.1.85. Delinquent Tax Collector - James Nelson 163.15. Clerk of Courts Office Exp. F.C.Grow Sons 37.00. Lloyd Shenk - Sheriff $874.20 for Board of Prisoners 196.80, Tax Deed 22.00, Mileage 403.90, Fees 213.50, Insane $38.00. Radio Burghardt Radio Supply Co. Inc. 8.84, Fire Underwriter's Board 1.76.
Court House Maint. Miller Bros. Lumber Co. 18.18, Churchill Mfg. Co. 78.75, City Treas. 377.66, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. 23.57, Egge Electric Co. 26.71, Inman Plumbing & Heating Co. 9.87, Mahowald Co. 2.08, Marshall Wells Co. 2.00,Marquardts Service $3.60, Midland Lab. 62.62, Midland National Life Ins.Co. 1.50, Frank Miller Co. 11.90, Ole James Nelson 5.00, Nelson Hdwe Co. 16.49, NW Bell Tel.Co. 274.70, Otis Elevator Co. 58.55, Pitney-Bowes Inc. 72.40, Ruth Shenk 19.14, S&H Furn.Repair 4.68, Herb Skinner Jr. 33.50. States Attorney Office Exp. Brown & Saenger 21.24. Supt of Schools Mileage Mrs. Hazel Murphy 4.56. Convention & Research-Mrs.Hazel Murphy $90.57. Justice Fees - Robert C. Carlson 36.80. Memorial Park - Mahowald Co. 19.93, Marshal-Wells Co. 6.92, Iverson Elec.Service15.30, Mileage Market 3.29, NW Public Serv.Co. 24.70, Ed Shelsta 40.00, . Board of Insanity - D.N.Fedt M.D. 30.00. Board of Health. H.Russell Brown 17.00, County Board of Education-Mrs.Robt Bard 11.89, Philip Bergh25.50, Willard S.Grow 10.14, Earling Johnson 23.40, Eldor Larson 8.50, Mark N. Mack 19.06, Dwight D.Miller 5.07, W.I.Nichols 16.72, J.A.Roach 5.07, Arnold Terveen 7.10, Ben Thyen 13.64, William R. Tidmarsh 6.96, Francis J. Zupfer 7.66,
ROAD - Kenneth Hayes Elec.Co. 2.35, Bard & Wika 20.36, J.D.Evans Equip.Co. 7.49, Foster-Bell Co. 139.46, Lewis Gerriets 5.95, International Harv.Co. 102.13, Lyle Signs Inc.41.42, Motor Supply Co. 12.55, Miller Bros.Lumber 21.96, Mileage Market 458.35, Mahowald Co. 21.74, Marquardt Service 705.43, Marshall Wells Co. 1.59, City Treasurer 14.30, NW Pub.Serv. 7.88.

Paper Calmenson & Co. 676.20, Pecaut Equipment Co. 78.08, Joseph G. Pollard Co.Inc. 25.46, Railway Express Agency 4.30, Reaney's Service 150.74,Redlinger Bros. 1.54, Rozum Bros.Motor Co. 6.79, Schwanke's Seed & Service 80¢, Schweigers Inc. 3.80, Sheehan-Bartling Inc.520.35, Socony Mobile Oil Co. 1,000.00, Socony Mobile Oil Co. Inc. 66.50, Watertown Machine Works 65.74, Cave Supply Co. 168.89, Watertown Tire Co. 49.31, C.M.V. Fire Underwriters Board $548.99 & 47.88.
CH & BR Socony Mobile Oil Co. 756.50, Thompson Yards 13.12,
HIGHWAY & BRIDGE Century Fence Co. 2,065.08.
SPECIAL BRIDGE NW Road Supply Co. 488.94, S.D.Concrete Products Co. 64.00, Wat'n Cement Products 19.25.
TUITION Wallace Independent School Dist. 352.00. & 352.00.
TEXTBOOKS - Young Citizens League of America - $60.00, Laidlaw Bros. 232.87.
INSTITUTE - Nicol Greenhouse 12.00, George A. Moeller 15.00.
SALARY - Glen M. Mitchell 62.09.

Bills for the month of May - Yankton $1,855.01, Redfield $838.71 and Sanator $78.65 were approved on a motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

Fees collected for the month of May by Register of Deeds $667.45, and Clerk of Courts $408.00 were approved on a motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

States Attorney, Dean Sumner, requested permission to attend a meeting concerned with Juvenile Delinquency at Pierre. Moved by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad that the request be granted and expenses paid as provided by law. Motion carried.

Motion duly made and seconded to adjourn until Friday, June 14,1957 at 10 AM

Irma Belch
Auditor, Codington County.

June 15, 1957.

The Commissioners convened at the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House, Watertown, S.D. at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment, with all members present. Chr. Skinner presided.

An application for refund of moneys and credits tax by Marie and George Haider was considered, and on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Belk the amount of tax having been paid in error by these parties was refunded as follows: Marie $20.00, George Haider $10.40. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION NO. 317
CORRECTIVE RIGHT OF WAY DEED

This Instrument made on this 16th day of May, 1957 by and between the Union Central Life Insurance Company, of Cincinnati, Ohio, County of Hamilton, State of Ohio, party of the first part, and the County of Codington, State of South Dakota, party of the second part.

WITNESSETH: That the said party of the first part in consideration of the sum of Forty-seven and 94/100 ($47.94) Dollars to it in hand paid, party of the second part, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, does by these presents remise, release and forever quit-claim unto the said party of the second part, the following described land lying, being and situate in the County of Codington, and State of South Dakota, to-wit:

A strip of land parallel to and adjacent to the regular public road right of way along the west side of Sec. 17, Township 117, N.Range 52 West of the 5th P.M.; said strip of land being 17 feet wide and 2617.0 feet, more or less long extending from the E & W 1/4 line of said Section 17 to the South boundary line of the Public Road right of way along the North side of said Section 17.

The strip of land described contains 1.02 acres, more or less.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the premises aforesaid, for the purpose of a State Highway on the said land herein conveyed forever, subject, however, to all rent contracts, leases or agreements for sale, which may now be in force, and the rights of occupants thereto.

Title to the land herein conveyed is to revert to the party of the first part or to the successors and assigns if no longer used for Highway purposes.

This Corrective Right of Way Deed is given for the purpose of correcting ~~hhe~~ description in a previous Right of Way Deed to the party of the second part dated March 12, 1934 and recorded in Book 127 of Deeds, Page 37 of the records of Codington County, South Dakota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said THE UNION CENTRAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, has hereunto caused its name to be subscribed and its Corporate Seal to be affixed this 16th day of May, A.D. 1957.

THE UNION CENTRAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

by William J. Fritsch
Assistant Secretary.

State of Ohio)
) SS
County of Hamilton)

On this 16th day of May A.D. 1957, before me, Marguerite Bossert, a Notary Public, in and for said County, personally appeared William J.Fritsch known to me to be the Assistant Secretary and an officer of the Corporation described in the foregoing instrument, having authority to execute such instrument and acknowledged to me that such Corporation executed the same.

Witnesseth my hand and official seal:

Marguerite Bossert, Notary Public
in and for Hamilton County, Ohio.

My commission expires:
December 18,1957.

The foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan and seconded by Commissioner Belk, and all voted "Yes" and none "Nay", therefore the Chairman, Commissioner Skinner, declared the motion carried.

The above corrective Right of Way Deed is hereby accepted by the Party of the Second part and the recorder is hereby authorized to place the same of record.

Codington County, South Dakota.

Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hagstad
Al M. Williams
James L Keenan

RESOLUTION No. 318

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Pursuant to an Order, made by the Board of County Commissioners in and for Codington County, South Dakota, on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1957.

You are hereby notified that there will be a meeting of the qualified voters resident in the proposed incorporated town of Kranzburg for the purpose of voting on the question of whether or not the territory described as follows, to-wit:

Commending at the center of Section 35, in Township 117 North of Range 51 West of the 5th P.M., and running thence southerly along the quarter section line to the Southeast Corner of the Southwest Quarter of Section 35, which is also on the north section line of Section 2, in Township 116 North, of Range 51, West of the 5th P.M., thence easterly along the north line of said Section 2 projected to the Northwest Corner of the Northwest Quarter of Section 1, in Township 116 North, of Range 51, West of the 5th P.M., thence southerly along the quarter line to the center of said Section 1, thence westerly along the quarter section line of said Section 1 projected to the center of Section 2, in Township 116 North, of Range 51, West of the 5th P.M., thence northerly along the quarter line of said Section 2 to the south road right of way line along the road which is known as U.S. Highway 212, thence westerly along said road right of way line to the west section of said Section 2 and the east section line of said Section 3, in Township 116 North, of Range 51, West of the 5th P.M., thence southerly along said east Section line of Section 3 to a point 409 feet south of the north section line of said Section 3, thence westerly and parallel to the north line of said Section 3 a distance of 409 feet, thence northerly and parallel to the east Section line of said Section 3 until said line projected intersects the north road right of way line along the road which is known as U.S. Highway 212, thence easterly along said road right of way line to the West Section line of Section 35, in Township 117 North, of Range 51, West of the 5th P.M., thence northerly along said Section line to the Northwest Corner of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarte of said Section 35, thence easterly along the 1/16 line to the Northeast corner of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of said Section 35, thence northerly along the 1/16 to the Northwest corner of the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of said Section 35, thence easterly along the quarter line to the center of Section 35, in Township 117, North, of Range 51, West of the 5th P.M., which is the point of beginning, all in Codington County, South Dakota, containing 367.1 Acres more or less,

and the courses and distance are shown on the verified map on file and of record within and for said County and State, shall be incorporated as the town of Kranzburg.

You are further notified that such meeting and election will be held at said proposed town of Kranzburg, said County and State, on the 2nd day of July, A.D. 1957, at a hall at said town of Kranzburg, known as the Forester Hall, and that said polls shall be open from 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon until 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon of said day for the purpose of voting upon said question.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF
CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA

Herb Skinner
Chairman.

On the motion by Williams, seconded by Belk, that this Election be held, all Commissioners voted "Yea", none voted "Nay" and chairman declared the motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until Tuesday, June 18 at 10 A.M.

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Auditor

June 18, 1957.

Board of County Commissioners, met in Commissioners Chambers in Court House Watertown, S.D. June 18 at 10 o'clock A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all present except chairman Skinner. Vice Chairman Hogstad presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Belk, seconded Williams:

GENERAL: Restoring Fund-Wm. Schreurs & Sons 100.00, and 92.75.
Poor - Joyce Parnell $32.61.

A motion was made by Keenan, seconded by Belk to approve the action of the County Board of Education as per resolutions Nos. 319,320,321. Motion Carried.

RESOLUTION No. 319.

A RESOLUTION CHANGING THE BOUNDRIES OF THE WATERTOWN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT AND SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 17 ALL IN CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA.

WHEREAS a petition signed by over fifty percent of the electors residing in the Northeast Quarter of Section 29, the West Half of Section 28, and the East Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 33, all in Township 117, Range 52, West of the 5th P.M., Codington County,South Dakota has been presented to the County Board of Education requesting that said property be transferred from Watertown Independent School District to School District No. 17, all in Codington County, South Dakota, and such petition and proposed boundary change, being in compliance with the provisions of Section 20, of Chapter 8, of Chapter 41, of the Session Laws of the State of South Dakota for the year 1955,

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to Section 20 of Chapter 8, of Chapter 41, of the Session Laws of the State of South Dakota for the year 1955, and acts, if any, amendatory thereto:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CODINGTON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION, CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA, that the Northeast Quarter of Section 29, the West Half of Section 28, and the East Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 33, all in Township 117, Range 52, West of the 5th P.M., Codington County, South Dakota be transferred from Watertown Independent School District to School District No. 17, all in Codington County, South Dakota.

Passed and approved June 4, 1957.

RESOLUTION NO. 320

A RESOLUTION CHANGING THE BOUNDRIES OF THE WATERTOWN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT AND SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 8, ALL IN CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA.

WHEREAS a petition signed by over fifty per cent of the electors residing in the Southwest Quarter and the No th Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section 19, and the Southwest Quarter of Section 20, all in Township 117 North, of Range 52, West of the 5th P.M., Codington County, South Dakota, has been presented to the Codington County Board of Education requesting that the said property be transferred from the Watertown Independent School District to School District No. 8, all in Codington County, South Dakota, and such petition and proposed boundary change being in compliance with the provisions of Section 20, of Chapter 8, of Chapter 41, of the Session Laws of the State of South Dakota for the year 1955,

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to Section 20, of Chapter 8, of Chapter 41 of the Session Laws of the State of South Dakota for the year 1955, and acts, if any, amendatory thereto:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CODINGTON COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION, CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA THAT the Southwest Quarter and the North Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section 19, and the Southwest Quarter of Section 20, all in Township 117 North, of Range 52, West of the 5th P.M., Codington County, South Dakota, be transferred fromWatertown Independent School District to School District No. 8, all inCodington County, South Dakota.

Passed and approved June 4, 1957.

RESOLUTION NO. 321

A RESOLUTION CHANGING THE BOUNDARIES OF THE WATERTOWN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT AND SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 14, ALL IN CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA

WHEREAS a petition signed by over fifty percent of the electors residing in the Southeast Quarter of Section 20 and the Southwest Quarter of Section 21, all in Township 117, Range 52, West of the 5th P.M., Codington County, South Dakota, has been presented to the Codington County Board of Education requesting that the said property be transferred from Watertown Independent School District to School District No. 14, all in Codington County, South Dakota, and such petition and proposed boundary change being in compliance with the provisions of Section 20 of Chapter 8, of Chapter 41 of the Session laws of theState of South Dakota for the year 1955.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to Section 20 of Chapter 8, of Chapter 41, of the Session Laws of the State of South Dakota for the year 1955, and acts, if any, amendatory thereto:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CODINGTON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION, CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA, that the Southeast Quarter of Section 20 and the Southwest Quarter of Section 21, all in Township 117, Range 52, West of the 5th P.M., Codington County, South Dakota, be transferred from Watertown Independent School District to School District No. 14, all in Codington County, South Dakota.

Passed and approved June 4, 1957.

A motion was made by Keenan, Seconded by Belk to approve the Auditor's Account with the County Treasurer for the month of May, 1957, as follows:

Deposits in Banks	$656,097.00
Cash	3,343.20
Government Bonds	181,702.06
Jail Building Bonds	29,166.31

At noon the Commissioners recessed to inspect Memorial Park. Reconvened at 2:30 P.M.

2:30 P.M. Art Henrikson, Attorney, came before the Board in regard to settlement of county liens against the estate of Henry Jameson. No action was taken.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until June 25, 1957 at 10 A.M.

Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County.

June 25, 1957.

Board convened at 10 A.M. in Commissioners Chambers, County Court House, Watertown, South Dakota, pursuant to adjournment, with all commissioners present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad.

SALARY: Auditor's Office - Irma Welch 325.00, Alice V. Olson 215.00, Edna Derenthal 195.00, Fay Wohlheter 185.00, Hilary Jensen 170.00, Treasurers Office - Paul Krakowski 325.00, DeLoris A. Goodroad 215.00, C. Joyce Rowe 195.00, Elizabeth M. Larson 185.00, Dorothy Pomeroy 150.00. Register of Deeds Office - Margaret Brown 296.68, Beverly Mickelson 210.00, Hazel O. Duncan 170.00. Clerk of Courts - Walter A. Farl 296.68, Leilah Auby 195.00. States Attorney - Dean Sumner 283.75, Ed P. Gribbin 160.00, Audrey McRoden 150.00. Supt. of Schools - Mrs. Hazel O. Murphy 325.00, Ruth Johnson 275.00. Supervisor of Assessors Glenn Mitchell 300.00, Carol DeVetter 150.00. County Judge Herbert O. Norbeck 400.00. Municipal Judge 200.00 for Donald W. Lobitz.

GENERAL: Sheriff Fees & Salary - Bert Smith $110.00. Jailor William J. Meyer 275.00. Court Expense Mabel Alworth 118.56, Cecilia M. Beirne 118.56, Hazel Hegarty 135.00, Joe Gerlach 25.00. Veterans Service Office Expense - George Burke 210.00.Court House Maint. Carl Deal 250.00. County Extension - Audry Kleveter 175.00. County Farm - Henry Klemsrud 115.00. Pearl Klemsrud 110.00. County Court Office Exp. Mary Horning 42.00.Court Expense Dale E.Bradshaw 25.00, Civil Defense 25.00.for Ed Howson. Memorial Park - Arnold Hofteizer 100.00, Bessie Hofteizer 100.00. County Farm - Leo Clausen 22.00.

WEED BOARD-Matt Brandriet 200.00.

C.M.V. C.S.Rasmusson 575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt 215.00, Sever Tobiason 205.00, John Rennie 315.60, Joe Stricherz 346.80, Claude Van Sickle 314.40, C.B.Sumner 160.80, Harold Scriver 280.80, Ed Gould 142.50, Alfred Spring 287.50, Carl Zweig, Jr. 75.00, James Hendren 31.50 Burton Jackson 72.00, Henry C. Erickson 61.25, Gerald Peterson 35.00, Thomas Spiering 79.38, Clarence Helle 57.50, Howard Williams 210.00, John Strait 15.40, Andrew T. Larson 225.50 Julius Lentz 131.45, Curtis Underwood 231.00, Leo Clausen 209.00, Chas. Krogman 8.80, Fred Brownell 127.60, Harold L. Nafus 111.50, J. Thomas Rahilly 41.00, Joseph N. Haider 137.00, Franz Ferber 137.00, Howard Williams 6.00.

CH&BR C.B.Sumner 182.40, Harold Scriver 13.20, Ed Gould 5.00, Alfred Spring 12.50, Carl Zweig, Jr. 264.00, James Hendren 312.00, Burton Jackson 264.00, Henry C.Erickson 43.75, Gerald Peterson 8.75, Thomas Spiering 208.75, Clarence Helle 267.50, Howard Williams 136.50, John Strait 4.40, Andrew T. Larson 38.50, Julius Lentz 12.10, Curtis Underwood 44.00, Leo Clausen 44.00, Chas. Krogman 270.60, Fred Brownell 79.20, Harold L. Nafus 7.00 J. Thomas Rahilly 84.00, Howard Williams 51.00.

SPECIAL BRIDGE: Ed Gould 148.75, Alfred Spring 17.50, Carl Zweig, Jr. 6.00, James Hendren 7.50, Burton Jackson 7.50, Henry C. Erickson 26.25, Gerald Peterson 12.50, Thomas Spiering 6.25, Clarence Helle 6.25, John Strait 28.60, Sp.Bridge Andrew T. Larson 8.80, Julius Lentz 116.05, Curtis Underwood 11.00, Leo Clausen 11.00, Chas. Krogman 5.50, Fred Brownell 51.70, Harold L. Nafus 77.50.

CO.SP.HI...LEOLA - Ed Gould 28.75, Henry C. Erickson 28.75, Julius Lentz 25.30, Fred Brownell 24.20, Harold L. Naftus 23.00.

GENERAL: Comm. Per Diem, Mileage & Salary: Vernon H. Belk 81.10, Adolph Hogstaa 79.63, James L. Keenan 90.40, Herb Skinner 69.70, Al M. Williams 109.00.

Payments made on county liens for month of May are as follows: Anna McPeek $35.00, Albert & Edna Hilstad $67.50, DuWayne Stevens $25.00. Lien Payments June 1957 - Willard Goette 42.28, Lester Anderson 6.49, Lester Smith 100.00, Estate Henry Jameson 484.60.

Moved by Commissioner Belk, and seconded by Commissioner Keenan that Resolution No. Y-1191 of the Street and Alley Committee of the City of Watertown, in Codington County, South Dakota, be rejected - property owners having previously appeared and requested the County Commissioners not to approve such boundary changes. On Roll Call the vote was as follows to reject the Resolution Y-1191 - Dist. 1 "Yes", Dist. 2 "Yes", Dist. 3 "Yes", Dist. 4 "Yes", Dist. 5 "Yes". All having voted "Yes", and none "No", Chairman Skinner declared the motion to reject the Resolution carried.

County Superintendent of Schools, Mrs. Hazel Murphy, requested permission to attend a Circuit Meeting at Clark on July 10,1957. Moved by Keenan, seconded by Williams to deny the request of the County Superintendent. Motion carried.

The Board approved a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams, by affirmative vote of all Commissioners to approve the Quit Claim Deeds issued by Paul Krakowski, County Treasurer, for the following property, to-wit: Lots 1-2, Block 3 Gesleys Second Addition to Watertown, to Edna A. Kremer for $383.49 payment of all interest, penalty and tax due. Lots 19-25,Bl. 1, South Shore Village to Paul Guderian, South Shore Village and Lots 29-41, Block 1 to

Paul Guderian, South Shore Village, for $356.24 payment in full of interest, penalty and tax due. Motion carried.

Sale of Lots 13, 14, Block 12 Florence Village to Florence Independent School District #28 for $20.00 was reported and approved and the County Auditor was instructed to prepare Quit Claim Deeds for purchaser, and the Chairman was granted authority to execute and deliver said deed to the purchaser to grant all of the right, title and interest of Codington County, S. Dak. to the purchaser. Motion by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan to approve the sale. Motion carried.

Sale of Lot 4, Block 23 Pettigrews Addition to Watertown, sold to Ray Ramynke for $10.00 was reported and approved on a motion by Williams, seconded by Hogstad, and Auditor was instructed to prepare Quit Claim Deed, and Chairman to execute and deliver same granting all title, right, and interest of County to the purchaser. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION #322
RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE.

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction from the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, the County Auditor did heretofore offer for sale the hereinafter described real property belonging to said County, which was acquired by said County by tax deed and classified as class one land, and

WHEREAS, it now appears from the said County Auditor's report of sale on file herein, and from the proof of publication of Notice of Sale attached to said report and on file herein that all proceedings necessary to a legal sale have been complied with and that the purchasers have offered the price in cash for the following described real property, to-wit:

Florence, S.D. Lots 13-14 in Block 12, Florence, S.D. sold to Florence Independent School District No. 28 for $10.00 each

Lot 4, Block 23, Pettigrews Addition to Watertown, S.D. sold to Ray & Eleanor Ramynke for $10.00

which full amount of the purchase price has been deposited with the County Treasurer:

NOW, THEREFORE, be it and it hereby is resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, in regular session on this 25th day of June, 1957, that the sale of said premises be and the same is hereby approved and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of said Codington County, South Dakota, is hereby authorized and directed to execute and the County Auditor to attest a deed to said real property in the name of said County and deliver said deed to said purchasers conveying to said purchasers all of the right, title, and interest of said County therein.

Dated this 25th day of June, A.D. 1957.

Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk
Adolph Hogstad
Al M. Williams
James L Keenan
Board of County Commissionersof
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST: Irma Welch
County Auditor.

A compromise settlement of liens of Leo W. Smith for years 1938-1941 by payment of $100.00 for liens totaling $147.12 was agreed upon by the Board on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Belk. All voted yes, and motion carried.

A compromise settlement of $484.60 for a full release of liens of Henry Jameson was approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded Board adjourned until Tuesday July 2, 1957 at 10 A. M.

Irma Welch
County Auditor.

Board of County Commissioners convened at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Williams as follows:

TRUST FUNDS: Lucy R. Grant $15.00
GENERAL: Court Expense Hazel Hegarty $7.50, Cecilia M. Beirne$16.00.

The Board having set this day to appoint a Director of Equalization, and one application having been received, that of Glenn Mitchell, and with one member of the selection committee absent - Mayor Everett E. Creaser - it was moved by Hogstad, seconded by Williams that Glenn Mitchell be appointed Director of Equalization with the same salary as received by the County Auditor, Treasurer, and Superintendent of Schools, and on roll call all commissioners voted Yes, none voted No, and Chairman declared the motion carried, and Glenn Mitchell appointed as Director of Equalization.

The County Superintendent of Schools, Mrs. Hazel Murphy, came before the Board to renew a request for authorization to attend a meeting which authorization has been previously rejected. A motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan to reconsider the request was carried on roll call.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Belk to authorize the County Superintendent to attend the meeting at Clark on July 10, 1957. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad to refund $1.00 school poll for Jim Sheilds as he is a veteran, and should be exempt. Motion carried.

County treasurer requested abatement of taxes on the following county property:

Fairfax Lots 220-221 $5.02
Hanten & McKool Lots 7 & 8, Block 1 $6.27
Horswills Lot 3, Block 4 $4.07
Kemp Bros. Addn. Lot 29, Block 10 $1.25
McMath Lot 3-4 Block 2 $54.22
Replat of W Watertown Lot 37-44, Block 28 $11.92 Total Watertown $82.75
HENRY VILLAGE: Ulvens Addition Lot 8, Block 1 $2.21
WALLACE VILLAGE Lot 1-5 Block 1 $3.23
Lots 4-5, Block 28 $3.23

Moved by Hogstad, seconded by Belk to grant the Treasurer*s request. Motion carried.
County Farm report was noted and filed.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Belk to adjourn as a Board of County Commissioners to reconvene as the County Board of Equalization. Motion carried.

Moved by Williams, seconded by Hogstad to adjourn and meet again on July 9, 1957 at 10 A.M. Motion carried.

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Auditor, Codington County.

July 9, 1957.

Board of County Commissioners convened at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan with one exception - St. Johns Hospital, Huron, S.D. which bill was not approved.

GENERAL: Court Expense - Beverly Ellingson $64.00, Iola Kampeck $5.14, Duffner Drug Store 55¢, Alfred B. Main $21.55.
Poor: Burgdorf Nursing Home 3$135.00 Susan Mack 40.00, Alpha Mudge 40.00, Nels T.Nelson 50.00, Florence Williams 5.00: Mrs. Lucille Gordon $30.00 for Emma Jenkins: Mrs. Alex Haeffner $20.00 for Debbie Heathcote, Mrs. Beryl Ellyson 120.00 for Donna, Wm. Barbara Joyce Stavig: Esther Kinsey $25.00 for Rosa Shape:Kinstad Rest Home $231.00 for Ole Hanson 31.00, Karl Berge 25.00, James Chambers 40.00, Rupert Gatchell 30.00, Robert Main 80.00, Will Selchert 25.00: Elizabeth Marsh $20.00 for Matt Kemp: Mrs. Edgar A. Rudy $17.50 for Norma Remedies. Irene Stockman $60.00 for Loretta Stockman: Mrs. Abner Sturdevant $55.00 for John Farley 25.00, Abraham Schram 30.00: Svendsen Rest Home $165.00 for Hilda Ebens $75.00, Rosa Dixon 25.00, Mary Kirkeby 30.00, Theresa Schumer 35.00: Watertown Rest Home $185.00 for Louis Mourere 25.00, Naomi Adams 45.00, Ben G Bergerson 40.00, Pauline Woodworth 75.00: Duffner Drug Store $101.86 for Mathilda Blek 19.05, Inga Yarns 9.81, Emil Herter 10.80, Oranna Mills 8.82, Chas. Montney 26.19, Ola Hanson 15.50, Carl Berg 11.25 Rupert Gatchell 44¢. Dr. D. N. Fedt $49.00 for Emma Klucas 34.00, Mrs. M. J. Flowers 12.00, James Chambers 3.00: Bartron Clinic 138.40 for Phyllis Hands $4.00, Myron Kemp 75.00, Edward McPeek 10.00, Robt. Main 2.40, Evelyn Schultz 7.00, Luthera Tigner 40.00: Brown Clinic $140.00 for Hilda Haack 35.00, Ella Alexander 15.00, John Keihn 3.00, Mary Bagan 4.00, Mrs. Ivrin Rislov 47.00, Henry B. Anderson 2.00, Mrs. Frank Gillies 25.00, Albert Erickson 2.00, Chas. Bierscheid 7.00: Haggar Drug Store 168.32 for Ellen Anderson 10.80, Martin Bale 14.54, Hilda Ebens 34.65, Hilda Haack 5.99, Nels T. Nelson 3.60, Seymore Peterson 14.09, Mr. & Mrs. Ivrin Rislov 9.05, Josephine Welter 11.34, Pauline Woodworth 10.35, Fern Washtoak 53.91: R. E. Hunter 68.65 for Jessie Morris & Patricia. Lutheran Welfare Society $3.40 for Bill Vermillion: Matheisen, Gergen & Rhodes Funeral Chapel $12.50 for Gust Dummer 5.00, Mike McAleer 7.50: Medical ARts Clinic $161.00 for Ellen Anderson 8.00, Emil Herter 12.00, C.O.Monson 52.00, Mrs. Wm. Norman 14.00, Grant Peterson 75.00, Memorial Hospital $1,384.35 for Bert Crandall 324.26, Hilda Haack 87.08, Emma Klucas 162.35, Chas. W. Montney 99.50, Bessie Norman 85.21, Grant Peterson 415.52, Mrs. Melvin Tesch 70.75, Henry Toensing 88.65, Alfred Vick 29.31, Edgar Wight 21.72: S.D.Children's Aid $87.09 for Soren Nelson 47.09, Lyle Gerjets 40.00: O. P. Skaggs Store $14.55 for Albert Erickson 2.58, Mrs. Albert Redwing 4.27, Beverly Kinsey 7.70: St. Ann Hospital 489.95 for Mrs. Frank Gillies 78.20, Mrs. Ivrin Rislov 411.75.

GENERAL: Poor Cont'd - St.Williams Home $35.75 for Mary Myers: Thomes Drug Store $60.75 for Ella Alexander 2.03, Chas. Bierscheid 9.09, Richard DePeel 5.49, Albert Erickson 1.21 Mabel Johnson 12.38, Alfred Vick 30.55. Dr. M. C. Thompson $74.00 for Catherine Brockhoft 24.00, Emma Dralle 12.00, Clarence Morrison 38.00:
County Farm: Liens Grocery 63.47, Olson Appliance & Gas Co. 5.80, Spies Super Valu 1.45, Sunshine State Hatchery 3.20, Watertown Co-op Elevator Co. 54.79, Duffner Drug Store 14.28, City Treasurer 23.23, General Supply Co. 22.50, Nelson Hardware 5.99, Park Grant Co. 4.69. Register of Deeds Office Exp. Duffner Drug Store 1.85, News Printing Co. 317.20, Ruhe Stat. 13.46, Mitchell Pub. Co. 44.77, Remington Rand 36.30. Auditor Office Exp. Duffner Drug 49¢, Addressograph - Multigraph Corp. 249.25, Brown & Saenger 46.87, Monroe Cal. Mch Co. 44.80, News Printing Co. 25.67, Ruhe Stat. 8.60. Comm. Per Diem & Mileage - Vernon H.Belk 100.10, James L. Keenan 119.70, Adolph Hogstad 98.41, Herb Skinner 102.90, Al M.Williams 75.00. Court House Maint. Albin Johnson 120.00, City Treas. 352.44, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. 20.22, General Supply 10.20, Len*s Service 6.58, Nelson's Hdwe 28.85, NW Bell Tel.Cod. 279.20, Otis Elev.Co. 58.55, Owen Elec.Serv. 19.40, Park Grant Co. 19.85, Pitney-Bowes Inc. 25.63, Redlinger Bros. 83.72, Sani-Chem Corp 86.25, S & H Furn.Co.12.00,Town & Country Store 8.28, True Elec.Serv. 13.20, Watertown Machine Works 10.64, Printing & Advertising: South Shore Gazette 93.54, Watertown Pub.Opinion 179.92. Aud.Off.Exp.Wat'n Type.Co. 6.25. Assessors Supplies: Wat'n Pub. Op. 34.00, Ruhe Stat. 4.85. Election Exp.: Wat'n Pub.Op. 12.00. Supt. School Office Exp: Wat'n Pub. Op. 4.83, News Print. 10.41. Conv. & Research: Dean Sumner 27.73. Civil Defense: Ed Howson 43.00. Treas.Off.Exp.- Brown & Saenger 46.88, News Print.Co. 65.05, Ruhe Stat. 92¢, Clerk of Courts Office Exp. Brown & Saegger 42.28, xNews Prtg Co. 166.00, Ruhe Stat.Co. 19.75, Railway Express 2.01. Tax Collector Ruhe Stat. 50¢. States Attorney Office Exp. Ruhe Stat.Co. 17.77, County Extension: Ruhe Stat. 7.40. Court Expense Ruhe Stat. 1.40. Public Welfare Office Exp. Frankel Carbon & Ribbon Co. 5.50. Delinquent Tax Exp. W.E.Knight 49.85. Board of Prisoners:Lloyd Shenk 311.00, Tax Deed - Lloyd Shenk 10.75, Sheriff Fees $123.00 Lloyd Shenk. Sheriff Mileage - Lloyd Shenk 322.40. Sheriff Office Exp. F.C.Grow Sons 32.50. Radio Francis Alwin 10.00, Lewis Gerriets 10.00, Justice Fees: Robt. C. Carlson 4.60. County Extension - Extension Service 18.00, Clara W. Johnson 13.87, Bd. of Insanity: Donald N. Fedt, M.D. 15.00. Board of Health: H. Russell Brown, M.D. 71.90, M.C.Rousseau,MD 3.00. Memorial Park: Botsford Lumber Co. 547.80, Coast to Coast 4.43, Egge Electric 4.56, Hayford Plumbing & Htg Co. 59.95, Marquarts Serv. 8.11, Marshall-Wells Store 3.32, Mileage Market 9.94, Miller's Del. 10.10, Northwest Products Co. 37.25, Northwestern Pub.Serv.Co. 41.83, Restoring Fund: Botsford Lumber Co. 46.05. County Board of Education: Mrs. Robt. C.Bard 12.14, Philip Bergh 17.00, Willard S. Grow 10.14, Earling Johnson 16.16, Mark N. Mack 10.84, W.I.Nichols 16.72, Ben Thyen 13.64. Law Library: Shepard's Citations Inc. 388.00.
ROAD: Noyes W. Alger 12.09, John Alt 2.25, A. Anenson 13.50, Bard & Wika Inc. 10.10, Butterbrodt Drug Store 2.81, Carson Map Co. 10.00, Cave Supply Co. 98.49, Codington Co. Imp. Co. 13.22, Dakota Supply Co. 28.62, Eugene Dietzgen Co. 47.58, Fleet Wholesalers Supply Co. 71.00, Foster-Bell Co. 5.33, Kenneth Hayes Elec.Co. 6.75, Henry Oil Co. 6.44 Hubbard Farm Store 1.65, Hurkes Implement Co. 13.05, International Harvester Co. 155.69, Jakle Hardware Co. 4.99, Keuffel & Esser Co. 57.27, Mahowald Co. 15.94, Forrest Markve 158.25, Motor Supply Co. 7.14, NW Public Service 4.99, Paper Calmenson Co. 705.60, Pecaut Equip Co. 304.22, Rozum Bros. Motor Co. 24.68, Sheehan Bartling Inc. 254.15, Sioux Road,Inc. 7.53, Sonony-Mobile Oil Co. Inc. 65.21, Socony Mobile Oil Co. 800.00, Tanksley & Johnson, Inc. 100.40, Watertown Tire Co. 4.00, Wat'n Pub. Opinion 9.00, Mileage Market 285.03, Botsford Lumber Co. 32.00, Marquardt's Service 327.94, CityTreas. 9.40, General Supply Co. 1080.00, Watertown Machine Co. 3.09, Lewis Gerriets 13.22. Ruhe 1.55.
C.H.& B.R. S.D.Dept. of Highways 5047.73, Socony Mobile Oil Co. 531.90.
SPECIAL BRIDGE: Northwestern Road Supply Co. 336.04.
WEED BOARD: Matt Brandriet 43.26, Paul David 5.82, Joseph J. Fox 5.68, Robert Redlin 6.52, Al M. Williams 4.00.
TUITION: South Shore Ind. School Dist #38$6630.00, Wallace Independent School Dist #37-6388.00.
INSTITUTE: O. J. Fromke $60.00.
INSANE: Lloyd Shenk 114.00.
SALARY: Supervisor of Assessors Glenn Mitchell 28.63

Bills for month of June for Yankton $1,870.17, Redfield State Hospital 619.17, and Sanator $42.90 were approved on a motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad. Motion carried.

George Burke, Veteran's Service Officer's report for June 1957 was noted by the Board.

Register of Deeds fees for June $579.70 and Clerk of Courts Fees 373.70 were approved on a motion by Hogstad, seconded by Belk. Motioncarried.

Mr. Allen with theState Game & Fish Department came before the Board in regard to recreation facilities on the east end of Lake Kampeska.

Sheriff Lloyd Shenk came before the Board to discuss the problem of the boats on Lake Kampeska.

The Order of incorporation of Kranzburg, to be known as Kranzburg, S.D. in Codington County, S. Dak. as based on the election held on July 2, 1957 when in favor of incorporating received 43 votes and against received 30 votes. On motion by Williams, seconded by Belk it was acknowledged that such incorporation be recognized and placed on file in the office of the County Auditor. (Details on file in County Auditor's Office.)

ORDER INCORPORATING:

The Board of County Commissioners in and for said County having heretofore made its order incorporating the town of Kranzburg, Codington County, South Dakota with the assent of the voters within the prescribed limits of said Townd It also appearing by the Affidavit of the Inspectors of theElection held in said Town on the 2nd day of July, 1957, that as such Inspectors they acted, qualified and one acted as Clerk of said Election, and that as said Inspectors they studiously endeavored to prevent fraud, deceit and abuses in conduct of the same, that said election was held for the purpose of having the assent of the qualified voters within the prescribed limits of said Town to incorporate said territory as the Town of Kranzburg. That the Inspectors in accordance with the law, after the closing of said election, can-

vassed the vote therein and found that there were 73 votes cast in said election and that 43 of said votes were in favor of the Incorporation of said Town and 30 votes against Incorporation of said Town, and after careful consideration of all of the papers, files and proceedings in and about the incopporation of said Town of Kranzburg, and being satisfied that all things therein having been properly done and having duly advised in the premises and satisfied that more than a majority of the qualified voters within the territory comprised said Town of Kranzburg having assented to the Incorporation thereof:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Town of Kranzburg, situated in the County of Codington and State of South Dakota, be and hereby is incorporated as the Town of Kranzburg, Codington County, South Dakota.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 9th day of July, 1957.

Herb Skinner
Chairman of Codington County
Board of Commissioners.

ATTEST::

County Auditor.

On motion duly made and seconded the Board of County Commissioners recessed at 4 P.M. until July 16, at 10 A. M.

Board convened as Board of Equalization at this time.

July 16, 1957

Commissioners convened at 10:00 A. M. in the Commissioners Chambers of the Court House, Watertown, S. Dak. with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Verified claims where checked and approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan as follows:
GENERAL: Court Expense - Louis Loken Jr. 25.00, Arthur H. Hasche 50.00, M. J. Drange 20.28. Court House Maint. Lake Kampeska Nirsery 284.50. Equipment Fundd L.J.Essengurgh 170.16, Codington County and L.J.Essenburgh 114.84. Comm. Per Diem & Mileage: Vernon H. Belk $65.30, Adolph Hogstad 78.78, James L. Keenan, 77.10, Herb Skinner 75.00, Al M. Williams 35.00.
WEED BOARD: Matt Brandriet 86.65, Paul David 5.82, Joseph J. Fox $5.68, Robt. Redlin 6.52, Al. M. Williams 4.00.

Howard Hoff appeared before the Board and requested a full release of County Liens upon payment of $200.00 cash. On motion by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan, the request was granted. Motion carried.

Herbert Linderer appeared and asked for a correction of an error in releasing county liens. On motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad the request was granted. Motion carried.

The abatement of Vernon Hppf for $1.00 school poll was granted on a motion by Keenan and seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

Matt Brandriet's report for June was noted. Mr. Brandriet reported for Weed Board.

Auditor's account with the County Treasurer was approved as follows:

Deposited in Banks	$397,763.84
cash	4,674.38
U.S.Government Bonds	181,702.06
Jail Bonds	29,166.31
Total	$613,306.59

On motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk the report was approved. All voted Yea, none Nay and Chairman declared motion carried.

Moved by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan that the bonds of the following officers be approved:

Gene Kranz	School District No. 52	Treasurer
Selmer Peterson	School District No. 43	Treasurer
Harold Muller	School District No. 10	Treasurer
Carl O. Zamow	School District No. 39	Treasurer
William J. Mack	School District No. 5	Treasurer
Alice Resin	School District No. 57	Treasurer.
W. H. McKinney	School District No. 2	Treasurer.

LAKE TWP. William Mahanke Constable
HENRY VILLAGE Florence Jakle Clerk
Motion carried.

On motion by Hogstad, seconded by Williams the Board of Commissioners adjourned antil July 23, 1957 at 10 A.M. Motion carried.

July 23, 1957.

Board of County Commissioners convened at 10 A. M. in Commissioners Chambers in Codington County Court House, Watertown, S. Dak. with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

A representative of Lincoln National Life Insurance Co. came before the Board to propose a group insurance for county employees.

Bonds for the following officers were approved on a motion by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan:

Grant C. Kellogg	School District No. 3	Treasurer
James B. DeVine	School District No. 25	Treasurer
Frank Marion Brooks	School District No. 28	Clerk
P. O. Brekke	School District No. 37	Treasurer
Leora Palm	School District No. 37	Clerk
Leonard Chilson	Clerk	Eden Twp.
Bernard E. Sumner	Clerk	Town of Florence.

RESOLUTION # 324

WHEREAS there has been received the sum of $7,942.55 from the sale of Motor Vehicle License Plates, properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington County, South Dakota, being the 28% (twenty-eight percent) required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund and

WHEREAS said apportionment is required to be made qwarterly at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July, and October, and this being the time and place to make the apportionment for the second quarter of 1957.

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved bythe Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows, to-wit:

Kranzburg $683.97; Sheridan $397.13; Henry Twp. $397.13
Elmira $397.13: Graceland $397.13: Waverly $507.43:
Rauville $562.58: Germantown $529.50: Dexter $661.87

Total $4,533.87

AND WHEREAS, the County Highway System has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following townships:

Pelican $397.13: Kampeska $397.13: Lake $397.13
Richland $397.13: Fuller $628.77: Phipps $397.13
Leola $397.13: Eden $397.13

Total $3,408.68

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved that said apportionment as above set out, be held by the County Auditor to pay for the completion of the County Highway System in the said townships, in the apportion as above provided and pursuant to law, and no part thereof shall actually be paid to the said townships provided however that any amount of the respective allotments not paid but for the completing of the roads of the County Highway System shall revert to and be payable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Williams, and seconded by Commissioner Belk, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted Yea, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 23rd day of July, 1957.

Herb Skinner
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

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County Auditor,
Codington County, South Dakota.

RESOLUTION # 325

WHEREAS there has been received the sum of $2,836.63 from the Sale of Motor Vehicle License Plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities in Codington County, South Dakota, and

WHEREAS said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment for the second quarter of 1957

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, that the said money be apportioned to the respective Municipalities as follows:

Florence	$ 158.85
Henry Vil.	158.85
S.Shore Vil.	158.85
Wallace	119.14
Watertown	2,240.94
Total	$ 2,836.63

July 23, 1957.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, and seconded by Commissioner Williams and upon Roll Call all Commissioners voted yes and none voted nay, whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 23rd day of July 1957.

Herb Skinner
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota.

ATTEST:

County Auditor,
Codington County, South Dakota.

On a motion duly made and seconded thebalance of the day was spent working on the 1958 budget.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Williams that the Board of County Commissioner adjourn to reconvene July 30, 1957 at 10 A. M. Motion carried.

Auditor, Codington County, S.D.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS
COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION
CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTHDAKOTA:

The Board of County Commissioners convened as a Board of Equalization at 11 o*clock A.M. on July 2, 1957, in the Commissioners Room, Codington County Court House, Watertown, S. Dak. with all members present, to-wit: Herb Skinner, Vernon H. Belk, Adolph Hogstad, Al. M. Williams, and James Keenan. Herb Skinner served as presiding officer, Irma Welch County Auditor served as Clerk of the Board of Equalization, and Glenn Mitchell, Director of Equalization, who served as advisor.

2 The oath of office presented, signed and filed as follows:

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA: OATH OF OFFICE
:
COUNTY OF CODINGTON : COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

We, the undersigned, having been elected to the office of County Commissioner, and as County Auditor within and for said County, and Glenn Mitchell having been appointed Director of Equalization, and all being thereby qualified as members of the County Board of Equalization, do solemnly swear, that each for himself or herself, will support the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution of the State of South Dakota, and that we will each faithfully and impartially, to the best of our knowledge and ability, perform all the duties as a member of said Board as provided by the condition of our official bond.

Signed: Herb Skinner, Comm. 1st Dist.
Vernon H. Belk, Comm. 2nd Dist.
Adolph Hogstad, Comm. 3rd Dist.
Al M. Williams, Comm. 4th Dist.
James L. Keenan, Comm. 5th Dist.

Irma Welch, County Auditor,
Glenn Mitchell, Director of Equalization.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of July A.D. 1957.

Signed: Walter A. Farl, Clerk of Courts,
Codington County, S. D.

(SEAL)

Lester Schull, absentee landlord of Lake Township, protested the assessment of Lots 19 thru 25, Hillcrest Addn. His formal protest had been filed with the township review board, and requested valuation on the structure be reduced from $8700 to $4200. Action on protest is delayed, pending inspection.

Melvin Schmeiding, Kranzburg Township, appeared in regard to his real estate SE¼ and N½ SW¼ 11-117-51 and N½ 11-117-51, valuation fixed at $15.00 per acre, and requested reduction on SE¼ & N½ SW¼ 11-117-51 from $3780 to $3,300.00, and on the N½ 11-117-51 reduced from $4740 to $4,100.00. After some discussion it was moved by Belk, seconded by Hogstad to leave the N½ 11-117-51, Kranzburg Township, as assessed, but that the SE¼ & N½ of SW¼ 11-117-51 be reduced from $3780 to $3540.00. On roll call all voted yes, none nay, and chairman declared the motion carried.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Williams to correct the error in assessing Lot 2, North Sunset Beach, Lake Township, owned by A. A. Schwandt, by reducing the assessed value from $600.00 to $300.00, this having been assessed for two lots while only one lot is intended. Motion carried, all voted yes, and chairman delared the motion carried.

Wayne Torper, absentee landlord, from Willow Lake, appeared in regard to over assessment of a residence structure in Watertown - Lot Co.'s Addn. Block 40, Lots 4-5 and requested a reduction in assessed valuation on structure from $1630.00 to $1130.00. After some discussion a motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad that the request be granted. All voted yea, and motion carried.

July 2, 1957.

On a motion duly made and seconded by Board of Equalization adjourned until 10 A. M. July 3, 1957. Motion carried.

July 3, 1957.

The County Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment at 10 A.M. July 3, 1957 with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

The Turbak Brothers of Kranzburg Township appeared in regard to over assessment on mink which had been assessed at $17.00 each. The only comparable price on mink is in Pelican Township where the assessed value was $6.00 each as presdribed by the State Guide. After some discussion, on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Williams, the price of $6.00 each was fixed pending comparison and inspection and further study. Motion carried.

Jerome Turbak appeared as a representative for Cecilia Turbak and in her behalf requested that the structure on the SE¼ 4-116-51 assessed at $1500.00 be lowered to $1200.00. A motion was made by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad that the request to reduce the assessed valuation be granted. All members voted yea, and the motion carried.

Fay Wohlheter appeared for Vera Nicholson and Beulah Reineke absentee landlords, in regard to W½ SE¼ 3-118-55 and E½ SE¼ 3-118-55 Phipps Township, requesting the valuation be lowered to $1740 on each 80 acre tract as set by the Director of Equalization, instead of the figure of the Township Board of $2190.00. Action delayed pending inspection.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Hogstad that the Director of Equalization be instructed to send notices of changes made by the Board of Equalization of the different real estate parcels in Elmira Township, and those so notified were requested to appear in the Commissioners Chambers at 2 P.M. July 10, 1957. All voted Yea and motion carried.

Due to a gross inequality of assessment of Lots 13-14, Block 24, Second Railway Addn owned by Hazel O. Pettit, a motion made by Belk, seconded by Keenan that the assessed valuation of $2390.00 be reduced to $1350.00, which compares with other lots in the same block, and on roll call all voted yea, and the Chairman authorized the correction to be entered on the books of the 1957 assessment rolls. Motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded, the Board of Equalization adjourned until 10 A.M. July 5, 1957. Motion carried.

July 5, 1957.

County Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment at 10 A.M. with all members present. Chairman Skinner presided.

TheBoard of Equalization checked personal and real estate values.

At 5 o'clocl P.M. on a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until Saturday, July 6, 1957 at 10 A.M. Motion carried.

July 6, 1957.

County Board of Equalization convened at 10 o*clock A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Julius Feyereisen, Kranzburg Township appeared before theBoard of Equalization to discuss the valuation placed on S½ NW¼ & SW¼ of 15-116-51, and requested the assessed valuation be reduced from $8155 to$7755.00 as placed on the rolls by the assessor, and requested the structures on this same land be lowered from $1600.00 to $1400.00 as placed there by the assessor. Action delayed until an inspection is made.

Balance of the day was spent checking real estate valuations.

At 5 o'clock P.M. on a motion duly made by Williams, seconded by Hogstad, the Board of Equalization adjourned until Monday, July 8, 1957 at 10 A.M. Motion carried.

July 8, 1957.

The Board ofEqualization met pursuant to adjournment withall members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

TheBoard checked assessed valuations of assessors books, and inspected property called to their attention, searching for gross inequalities.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Belk that the Board adjourn until 10 A.M. July 9, 1957.

July 9, 1957.

County Board of Equalization met at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all members present, chairman Skinner presiding.

On motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan, theBoard of Equalization adjourned at 10:30 AM to take up the work of the Board of County Commissioners, Motion carried.

At 4 o'clock P.M. theBoard having adjourned at 10:30 to care for the duties of theBoard of County Commissioners, reconvened as a Board of Equalization with all members present, ChairmanSkinner presiding.

The Board of Equalization requested the Director of Equalization to do some spot checking on omitted personal property throughout the county.

July 9, 1957 Board ofEqualization, cont'd.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board of Equalization adjourned until July 10, 1957 at 10 A.M. Motion carried.

July 10, 1957.

The Board of Equalization met in theCommissioners Chambers in Codington County Court House at 10 o'clock A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

M. J. Fox came before the Board in regard to a parcel of land in Elmira Township described as NE¼ less strip 21-117-52 159.50 Acres and the SE¼ less theRy 21-117-52 152.48 Acres, which were raised by the County Board. After some discussion, and careful checking of the records, Mr. Fox was satisfied withthe assessed raise.

This being the time and the place for hearing the delegation from Elmira Township in regard to the proposed raises of valuations of different parcels of real estate, at this time a delegation from Elmira Township, namely Nick Fox, Pete Cordell, Jim Suttor, Joe Cordell, Marvin Aljoe, Edward Aljoe, Joseph Mack, Emil Stoltenberg, Edward G. Fox, Wm. Cordell, Fred Neuendorf, Richard Stoltenberg, Albert Strum, Ernest Konrady, M. H. Suttors, and Ellen Olson, all appeared in regard to raises by the Board of Equalization. Copies of notices to land owners in Elmira Township are on file in the office of the County Auditor.

The balance of the day was spent in discussion withthe Elmira Township Board. No action was taken until inspection is made.

On a motion duly made and seconded the County Board of Equalization adjourned until 10 A.M. July 11, 1957. Motion Carried.

July 11, 1957.

County Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment with all members present at 10 A.M., Chairman Skinner presiding.

Dale Johnson, Lake Township, Sylvan Heights, came before the Board in regard to assessment of lots. After comparison with neighboring lots and discussion, no action was taken.

Louis Loken, Jr., Attorney, appeared with his client Charles Arnold to discuss valuatinns in Kampeska Township, and requested that the following assessed values be lowered: The NW¼ 30-116-54 149 Acres, from $4800.00 to $3800.00, also the following Henry Township Property - NE¼ of 36-116-55 assessed at $5340.00 be reduced to $4770.00, the S½ NW¼ and N½ SW¼ 36-116-55 be reduced from $5280 to $4710.00, and the buildings there on from $1400.00 to $1000.00. The E½ NE¼ 34-116-55 assessed at $2190 be reduced to $2040.00 and the buildings thereon be reduced from$1200 to $900.00. The Board of Equalization discussed matters at this time, and delayed action until a comparison can be made with the value of adjoining property and a study of valuation set by the Director of Equalization.

The County Board of Equalization, with theDirector of Equalization spent the rest of the day inspecting Elmira Township property in regard to the proposed raises by the Board. After discussion a motion was made by Williams, seconded by Hogstad to deny the requests for reductions in assessed values as requested by the real estate owners in Elmira Township, and to return the assessed valuations to those of the township assessor and as fixed by the Director of Equalization. On roll call all members of the Board voted yea, none nay, and the Chairman declared the motion carried.

On motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk, the Board adjourned its meeting until July 12, 1957 at 10 A.M. Motion carried.

July 12, 1957.

The County Board of Equalization met in the Commissioners Chambers, Codington County, South Dakota, at 10 o'clock A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Ray DeVetter appeared for Gilbert Yards, Inc., of Graceland Township in regard to value of NE¼ 26-117-55 which was raised from $1500.00 to $2200.00 by the Township Board, and requested this be returned to the assessors valuation of $1500.00. After discussion and comparison with adjoining property in the same area, a motion was made by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad to reduce valuation to $1500.00, being the appraised value fixed by the Director of Equalization, and on roll call all voted yea, and the chairman declared the motion carried.

Board of Equalization spent thebalance of the day in Lake Township inspecting real estate and checking averages on personal property.

Motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan, to adjourn until 10 A.M. Saturday, July 13, 1957. Motion carried.

July 13, 1957

Board of Equalization met at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

July 13, 1957.

Motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan that the Myrtle S. Weber property in Lake Township, Outlot 2 and 3 in NE¼ NE¼ 25-117-53, 3.33 Acres be lowered to the original assessment of $90.00 instead of $890.00 as placed by the Township Board for the reason this is a gross inequality. On roll call all voted yea, none nay, and motion carried.

Balance of day was spent checking real estate values and on motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad, the Board of Equalization adjourned at 1P.M. until Monday, July 15, 1957.Motion carried.

July 15, 1957.

County Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment with all members present except Commissioner Belk. Chairman Skinner presided.

Motion by Keenan, seconded by Williams to lower assessed value of 15 acres in NW¼ and N½ of SW¼ of 13-117-53 Lake Township, bought from Art Tesch byOrville Withrow. This property was raised by the township board to $3250.00. The motion fixed thevalue at $1800.00 which is 60% of the full and true value - the purchase price being of record in the Register of Deeds Office. On roll call all voted yea, motion carried.

Louis Loken, Jr., attorney for Art Tesch of Lake Township, appeared in regard to NE¼ 13-117-53 less Rym assessed at $3705 and requested it be reduced to $3480.00, being 60% of true and full value, and structures on NW¼ 13-117-53 assessed at $2000.00 requested reduction to $1600.00. After some discussion the Board of Equalization took the matter under advisement.

Carl Benthin appeared in regard to real estate in 9-117-53, Lake Township assessed at $4380.00 and requested it be lowered to $3200.00. The matter was discussed and the Board agreed to inspect the property and take action later.

Arthur Scott Hasche appeared in regard to Lots 1 and 2, Hanten Bond Co.'s subdivision of Lots 6 and 7, Block 9, Original Plat, this plot being 40 x 50 feet, assessed at $3365.00 structure at $9,965.00, total of $13,330.00. Mr. Haschk figures this is too high, and requests it be lowered $1330.00 to $12,000.00 total valuation. No action taken at this time.

The Adelbert Haskell property - the W½ 23 and 24, Block 5 East Yahota, was raised by the Township Board from $300.00 to $2800.00 or a $2500.00 raise. Mr. Haskell requested the property be lowered $600.00. After inspection and discussion, and on a motion by Keenan, seconded by Williams, this property was left as it is. Motion carried when all voted yea.

The Lester Schull property in Lake Township was inspected by the Director of Equalization, and on the recommendation of the Director the structure was reduced from $8700.00 to $4200.00 and on motion by Williams, seconded by Hogstad, all voted yea, and none nay, and motion carried.

On motion by Keenan, seconded by Williams the value of the Vera Nicholson and Beudlah Reineke real estate in Phipps Township be left at $2190 for each 80 acres, these 80 acre tracts being the W½ SE¼ and E½ SE¼ 3-118-55. On roll call all voted yea, none nay, motion carried.

Moved by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan that the building and real estate of Julius Feyereisen, Kranzburg Township, S½ of NW¼ and SW¼ 15-116-51 be reduced from $8155 to $7755.00as requested, and the structures on the same be lowered $200.00 or from $1600 to $1400, as set bythe Director of Equalization. All voted yea, and motion carried.

Alan Austin, attorney for theWatertown Abbattoir Company, appeared in regard to the assessment of Pelican Township structure on Government Lot 9, E of Gt.N. Tracks, less platted of 11 and 2, sec. 1-116-53, structure assessed at $26,750 and requested this be reduced to $21,750.00 or a $5,000.00reduction. Action delayed pending inspection.

Alan Austin, attorney, appeared for Jack Cofman, regarding assessed valuation of E½ Lots 1,2, and 3, Block 11, Original Plat, (Buick Garage), structure assessed at $25,085 and lots $10,585.00, Requested that the structure be lowered to $20,000 which would be, in his estimation, a fair price for such a building. Motion was taken under advisement.

Alan Austin, attorney, appeared for Hurkes Implement Co. personal property valuation of building on leased site, structure assessed at $21,580 requested it be reduced to $12,000. Action on this request is delayed pending investigation.

Alan Austin, attorney for Watertown Building Co., Inc., appeared on behalf of his client and value of property Lot A of IHC Rearrangement of Lots 1,2,3, and 4, in Block 35 owned by the Watertown Building Co. Inc. and assessed at $71,980.00 and requested this structure be reduced to $62,000.00. Action delayed onthis request.

On motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad, board of Equalization adjourned until Tuesday July 16, 1957 at 10 A.M. Motion carried.

July 16, 1957.

Board of Equalization met at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presided.

Motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad that the Board of Equalization adjourn to reconvene following its meeting as a Board of County Commissioners. Motion carried.

At 2 P.M. the Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Motion by

Motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan to concur with the Township Board in the valuation of Charles Arnold property, and deny the requests as made by Louis Loken,Jr., attorney for Mr. Arnold. On roll call all members of this Board of Equalization voted yea, none voted nay, and the motion to deny the requests carried.

Wilfred Kranz, Kranzburg Township, appeared in regard to the E½ SW¼ 3-116-51 - 80 Acres and requested it be reduced from $3360 to $3160 due to error in acreage of low ground. Motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad to grant this request. Motion carried.

Motion by Williams, seconded by Hogstad that the request of Art Tesch, Lake Township, on real estate and structures be denied and the valuations be left as placed there bythe Director of Equalization. Motion carried, all voted yea.

Moved byBelk, seconded by Hogstad that the Carl Benthin property in Section 9-117-53 Lake Township, be reduced from $4380 to $3580 as recommended by Glenn Mitchell due to error in considering water acreage. All voted yea, and motion carried.

The County Board of Equalization requested that the Director of Equalization raise the value of Lot 4, Sec. 30-117-53 from $60.00 to $690.00 -.20 Acres as placed thereon by the Township Board, due to vacating of section line - this property assessed in the name of Ed T. Elkins. It was so moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan. On roll call all voted yea, and none voted nay. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan that the Director of Equalization be instructed to raise valuation of Lots 1 and 2 Pebble Beach, Lake Kampeska, from $800.00 to $ $1060 due to vacating section line. This property owned by Ed T. Elkins. All voted yea, none nay, motion carried.

Motion by Williams, seconded by Hogstad, to reduce theArthur Scott Hasche lots 1 and 2 Hanten Bond Company's addn. of Lots 6-7 Block 9 Original Plat from $3365 to $2365 due to there being nothing to compare this property to within the block, and taking into consideration the fact that it is only a 40 x 50 foot piece of real estate. On roll call all voted yea, none nay, and motion carried.

Moved byBelk, seconded by Hogstad, that the Board adjourn until 10 A.M. July 17, 1957. Motion carried.

July 17, 1957

Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment at 10 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

The County Board of Equalization has inspected lots located within the City of Watertown, in Original Plat, and due to inequality in assessments of lots in the same block, on motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk the following changes were made, to-wit:

Lot	8, Block 11	from $4460	to $3800
Lot	9, Block 11	from 5250	to 3800
Lot	10, Block 11	from 4200	to 3800.00
Lot	1, Block 15	from 4400	to $3800.00

on roll call all voted yea, none voted nay, and Chairman declared the motion carried.

Clarence Tschakert, Phipps Township, came before the Board in regard to E½ and W½ 12-118-55 but after discussion and comparison he withdrew his complaint. The Board of Equalization agreed to send the Director of Equalization, Glenn Mitchell, to check the acreage and make adjustment for the year 1958.

On a motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan the Board concurred with the decision of the City Council, and denied the request of Jack Cofman to lower the assessed value of the Buick Garage. On roll call all voted yea to deny the request to reduce value. Motion carried.

The Chairman of the Board of Equalization appointed Glenn Mitchell and James L. Keenan to inspect the building of the Watertown Abbatoir Plant, and to report back to the Board of Equalization. Mr. Mitchell and Mr. Keenan having inspected the plant recommended by Mitchell, theDirector of Equalization, and based on his recommendation the following motion was offered. Moved by Hogstad, seconded by Belk to reduce the assessed valuation of the structure from $26,750 to $22,750.00 due to its present condition. On roll call all voted yea. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Williams that the Hurkes Implement Co. request for reduction in assessed value of their building on leased site be denied and the value left as is, pending outcome of court action relative to 1955-1956 assessment. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Hogstad, that the Board of Equalization concur with the City Council and make no change in value of Lot A of IHC rearrangement of Lots 1,2,3,4, Block 35 of the Watertown Building Co. and deny the request for reduction of assessed valuation. On roll call all voted yea, and none nay, and motion to deny request and concur with the city council carried.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan to adjourn until Thursday at 1 P.M. on July 18, 1957. Motion carried.

July 18, 1957.

Board of Equalization met at 1 P.M. pursuant to adjournment at the Commissioners Chambers of the Codington County Court House, Watertown, S.D. with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Moved by Williams, seconded byKeenan to correct the inequality as recommended by the director ofEqualization, in Waverly Township as follows:

July 18, 1957

All of Sec. 1-118-51 be lowered from $13,400 to $12,900. Motion carried, all voting Yea.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad to correct error made in value of Real Estate N½ and SW¼ 8-116-52 479 acres Sheridan Township from $17,750 to $17,000 because of over estimating value of hilly and pasture land. This was recommended byDirector of Equalization Motion carried.

Joe Strohfus appeared in regard to value of Kampeska Township Lots 1 and 2, S½ NE¼ less road 2-116-54 148.85 acres and requested the value be reduced from $5505 to $5205. Due to this being a short quarter, it was moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan to grant the request. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan to raise Kampeska Township 2% on Agricultural Land Outside of Corporate Limits to correspond with the balance of the townships. This was the recommendation of Glen Mitchell, Director of Equalization. On roll call all voted yea, none voted nay, and motion carried.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Belk to raise Waverly Township agricultural land outside Corporate Limits 3% to correspond with the balance of townships, this was recommended by Mr. Mitchell, Director of Equalization. All voted yea, none nay, motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded, Board adjourned until 10 A.M. July 19, 1957.

July 19, 1957.

Board of Equalization met in Commissioners Chambers in Codington County Court House, Watertown, South Dakota at 10 o'clock A.M. July 19, 1957, pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Moved by Williams, seconded by Hogstad, that Mink in Codington County be raised 25% which is $1.50 over thescale set by theState, but this is deemed justified due to the excellent quality and grade of mink in this county, and on roll call all voted yea, none voted nay, and motion carried.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Belk, to raise personal property item No. 2 in Rauville Township 100% to correct an error in assessment by the Township Assessor. All voted yea, and motion carried.

A. F. Hilts, Graceland Township, appeared and requested that the real estate N½ NW¼ and SW¼ NW¼ and NW¼ SW¼ 26-117-55 be lowered from $2520 to $1500.00. After some discussion and consideration the Board agreed to lower said property to $2200 on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Williams. On roll call all voted yea, none nay, and motion carried.

The County Director of Equalization met in an advisory capacity in all sessions of the Board.

The value of the Assessors Roll of Personal Property and Real Property as delivered with corrections and additions is now complete, and it is now moved by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad, that such changes be made as recommended and upon roll call all members of the Board of Equalization voted yea, none nay, and motion carried.

At 5 o'clock P.M. July 19, 1957, the evaluation of the Assessors roll was delivered in all catagories to theDirector of Equalization and to the County Auditor who are hereby instructed to prepare an abstract and deliver it to the State Board of Taxation to be in said office on or before July 22, 1957 and upon a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams, the Board of Equalization having completed its labors, adjourned for the year 1957.

Anna Belk
Auditor
Codington County, S. Dak.

July 18, 1957. Board of Equalization supplementary information:

Andrew S. Anderson came before the Board of Equalization regarding Lots 11,12,13 Bl. 3 Gesleys Addition and requested the assessed valuation be lowered, and after inspection and on a motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan, the request was denied. All voted yea on roll call, and the request for reduction was denied.

Phillips 66 requested reduction in assessed valuation on station located at First Street West and First Avenue South, W 101' Lots 8, Block 8 (known as Lot 1, Hydes Subdivision of Lot 8, Block 8) of Original Plat of Watertown: Also the W 145' of Lot 9, except the S 3' or E 20' of W 145' and the E 20.47' of the N 9.79' of Lot 9, Block 8, of Original Plat of Watertown from $12,400 to $9,537. On motion by Keenan, seconded by Williams the request for reduction was denied. All voted yea, none voted nay, request to reduce was denied.

Phillips 66 requested reduction of lots 15,16,17 and 18, Rice Bros. Subdivision of Project J of Burchards Addn. City of Watertown from $3320 to $2000.00. Due to a gross inequality on real estate, and recommendation of the Director of Equalization, Glenn Mitchell, it was moved by Williams, seconded by Belk, to lower the valuation as requested. All voted yea, and motion to grant request was allowed.

Moved by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan, that the Clarence Neilson property - the structure on L 5-10, Block 3, Gesleys Second Addn. be lowered from $750.00 to $500.00 due to a gross inequality. All members of the Board voted yea, and motion to reduce valuation for assessment purposed carried.

This supplement to the previous minutes is hereby certified and submitted as part of Codington County Board of Equalization official Procedure.

Anna Belk
Auditor
Codington County, S.D.

Board of County Commissioners met at 10 A.M. July30, 1957 in Commissioners Chambers of Codington County Court House, Watertown, S. Dak. with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on a motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan:

SALARY: Auditors Office - Irma Welch $352.50, Alice V. Olson 215.00, Edna Derenthal 195.00, Fay M. Wohlheter 185.00, Hilary Jensen 170.00, Judith M. Peters 150.00. Treasurers Office-Paul Krakowski 352.50, DeLoris A. Goodroad 215.00, Joyce Rowe 195.00, Elizabeth M. Larson 185.00. Register ofDeeds-Margaret A. Brown 324.16, Beverly Mickelson 210.00, Hazel O. Duncan 170.00. Clerk ofCourt Office - Walter A. Farl 324.16, Leilah Auby 195.00. States Attorney-Dean Sumner 311.25, Ed Gribbin 160.00, Audrey McRoden 150.00. Superintendent of Schools Office - Hazel O. Murphy 352.50, Ruth Johnson 295.00. Director of Equalization - Glenn Mitchell 352.50, Carol DeVetter 150.00. County Judge - Herbert O. Norbeck 400.00. Municipal Judge Donald W. Lobitz $200.00.

GENERAL: Jailor - William J. Meyer 275.00. Court Expense - Mabel Alworth 126.46, Cecilia M. Beirne 126.46, Joe Gerlach 25.00, Camilla Grace39.38, F. W. Haas, M.D. 100.00. Veterans Service Office-George Burke 210.00, Evelyn Nigg $64.80. Court House Maint. Carl Deal $250.00. County Extension - Audrey Kleveter 175.00. County Farm - Henry Klemsrud115.00, Pearl Klemsrud 110.00, County Judge Office Exp. Mary Horning $56.50, Civil Defense - Eddie Howson 25.00. Memorial Park - Arnold Hofteizer 100.00, Bessie Hofteizer 100.00, Register of Deeds Office Expense-Doris Harrington 126.00.
WEED BOARD - Matt Brandriet 200.00.
C.M.V. C.S.Rasmusson 575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt 215.00, Sever Tobiason 205.00, John Rennie 156.00, Joe W. Stricherz 343.20, Claude Van Sickle 302.40, Clarence B. Sumner 51.60, Harold Scriver 240.00, Ed Gould 113.40, Alfred Spring 113.40, James Hendren 168.00, Burton Jackson 120.00, Henry C. Erickson 62.50, Thomas Spiering 12.50, Clarence Helle 161.25, Fred Brownell 144.10, Julius Lentz 174.90, Chas. Krogman 6.60, Leo Clausen 49.50, Andrew T. Larson 106.70, Curtis Underwood 154.00, Harold L. Nafus 78.00, Joseph Rachor 73.00, Glen H. Swanson 50.00, Jerry VandeBerg 137.00, Lee Raymond 142.00, Clarence R. Stavick 4.00, J. Thomas Rahilly 160.00, Philip L. Jenkins 153.00, Harold Sutherland 24.00, Joseph N. Haider 144.00, Franz Berber 144.00, Carl Zweig, Jr. 213.00,

C.H. & B.R.: Clarence B. Sumner 297.60, Harold Scriver 55.20, Ed Gould 27.00, Alfred Spring 149.85, Burton Jackson 162.00, Henry C. Erickson 200.00, Thomas Spiering 231.25, Clarence Helle 110.00, Chas. Krogman 209.00, Leo Clausen 188.10, Andrew T. Larson 173.80, Curtis Underwood 44.00, Glen H. Swanson 90.00, J. Thomas Rahilly 40.00, Harold Sutherland 56.00, Carl Zweig, Jr. 151.50.

SP. BR. Ed Gould 87.75, Henry C. Erickson 6.25, Fred Brownell 74.80, Julius Lentz 34.10, Chas. Krogman 5.50, Harold L. Nafus 86.00, Joseph Rachor 81.00, Jerry VandeBerg 26.00, Lee Raymond 31.00, Clarence R. Stavick 65.00,

CO.SP.HI. Leola - Ed Gould 109.35, James Hendren 67.50, Burton Jackson 78.00, Henry C. Erickson 38.75, Thos. Spiering 57.50, Clarence Helle 41.25, Fred Brownell 56.10, Julius Lentz 66.00, Chas. Krogman 59.40, Curtis Underwood 66.00, Harold L. Nafus 81.00, Joseph Rachor 30.00, Clarence R. Stavick 30.00.

CO.SP.HI. LAKE: Alfred Spring 52.65, Leo Clausen 33.00, Curtis Underwood 22.00, J. Thomas Rahilly 40.00. GENERAL: Memorial Park - Glen H. Swanson 10.00.
GENERAL: Comm. Per Diem Vernon H. Belk 100.00, Adolph Hogstad 75.00, James L.Keenan 87.50, Herb Skinner 100.00, Al M. Williams 112.50. COMM. Mileage Vernon Belk 15.40, Adolph Hogstad 9.10, James L. Keenan 12.60, Herb Skinner 24.99 Al M. Williams 29.75. Comm. Salary - Vernon Belk 15.00, Adolph Hogstad 15.00, James L. Keenan 15.00, Herb Skinner 15.00, Al M. Williams 15.00.

Ed Howson, Civil Defense Director, came before the Board in regard to the Civil Defense Program in Codington County.

George Burke, Veteran Service Officer appeared in regard to his requested 1958 budget.

RESOLUTION No. 323

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota acting as a Board of Survey under SDC 48.0503 having inspected the following personal property in the custody of the County Officers of said Codington County:

Link Transmitter Receiver Trans. #32279 Rec. #22624

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that said property has become unfit for use by reason of change, wear, tear, and is beyond repair, and same is therefore condemned and appraised as being of a value as follows:

Link Transmitter Receiver $25.00

It is further resolved that said property may be forthwith sold.

Dated this 30th day of July, 1957.

Herb Skinner

Al M. Williams

James L Keenan

July 30,1957. August 6, 1957.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan to condemn and dispose of the Link Transmitter Receiver for $25.00. On roll call all voted yea, none voted nay, and motion carried.

A compromise settlement of the CountyLiens of Henry A and Emma K. Springer in the amount of $190.00 was approved on a motion by Williams, seconded by Belk. This was approved so the estate can be settled, and a partial release was granted for liens of Myrtle Meyers insofar as it pertains to the property - Lots 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, Block 2 in Florence Village, CodingtonCounty, S. Dak. Motion carried.

On a motion by Williams, seconded by Skinner the County Superintendent of Schools request to attend a meeting at Clark was approved and on roll call two voted yea, two voted nay, and the Chairman voted to break the tie @Yea", and the motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded the meeting adjourned until 10 o'clock A.M. August 7, 1957.

Auditor
Codington County.

August 6, 1957.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, 10 A.M., all present except Belk, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Veterans Service Office, County Farm and Weed Board Report were all noted and filed.

Motion to approve predatory animal bounty claims and forward to State Department made by Hogstad, seconded Williams. Motion carried.

County Highway Supt. permission to attend highway department meeting Pierre August 22, 1957 expenses paid as provided by Code, on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

Fees for July - Register of Deeds $567.95, Clerk of Courts $338.65 noted and approved on motion of Williams,second by Hogstad. Motion carried.

a On motion by Keenan,second Hogstad, school treasurer bonds approved as follows: #44 Ethan Ostrander, #67 Maurice Borne, #16 Roland E.Pester, #64 Albert M. Lindner,#14 G.O.Taecker, #59 Alfred Darrington, #29, Alvin Hegge, #58 Johnnie O. Winge,#70 Ronald McGillivary, #73 R.Leone Popham, #32, Otto Clarksean, #62 Fred Bailly, #46 Robert Newell, #7 Wayne Langendorfer, #3 Grant C.Kellogg, #49 Harold Paulsen, #4 David M.Little, #34 Mrs.Duane Hallstrom. Motion carried.

Provisional Budget was studied, and ordered published on motion by Keenan, seconded Williams. Motion carried.

W.E.Knight, Tax Collector, submitted a working arrangement which was moved for approval by Keenan, seconded Williams, as follows: 10% to be paid on delinquent tax, 5% of all current tax - first year tax is considered current, after one year delinquent. Motion carried.

On motion by Williams, seconded by Hogstad, Board adjourned until Aug.13 at 10 A.M.

Deputy County Auditor.

August 13, 1957.

Commissioners met 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment, all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Williams with exception of Irene Stockman and Dr. M.C.Thompson, bills not authorized: TRUST FUND: Lucy R.Grant $15.00. GENERAL: Court Expense Jerry Drake $25.42, Ruhe Stationery (General) 27.15, Sheriff Lloyd Shenk $15.00, Hazel Hegarty$135.00, Nash-Finch 5.14,Bartron Clinic 11.80, Duffner's 3.06, Court House Maint. Ralph Berner 26.00, City Treas. 276.46, Dunlop Wallpaper Co. 51.76, F.C.Grow 8.00, Hayford Plb 22.70, Industrial Chem.Lab.Inc.25.04, Nelson Hdrw 54.44, NWBell Tel.Co. 324.22, Northwest Prod.Co. 101.57, Otis Elev. 58.55, Redlinger's 2.37, Ruth Shenk 19.48, Herb Skinner Jr. 25.00, True Elec.Co.9.00, Wat'n Mach.Works $7.13, Western Chem.Co.146.00, County Farm: City Treas. 22.60, ~~Miller~~ Nelson Hdwe $8.76, Redlinger's 4.50. Memorial Park:Miller Bros. $6.93, Churchill Co. Inc. 78.75, Lake Kampeska Nursery 132.50, Marshall-Wells 3.38, NW Public Service 38.98,Butterbrodt's 3.50. Co.Judge Office Exp. Bee Ann Kass 7.00. Board of Insanity - Bee Ann Kass 9.00. Equipment-Marshall-Wells Store $29.95. Poor: Alpha's 2.00 Roger Hanks. Burgdorf Nursing Home 75.00 Susan Mack 35.00,Alpha Mudge 35.00, Florence ~~Mack~~ Miller 5.00. Mrs.Lucile Gordon 25.00-Emma Jenkins, Mrs.Alex Haeffner 20.00-Debbie Heathcote. Mrs.Esther Kinsey 20.00-Rosa Shape. Kinstad Rest Home $226.00 Ola Hanson 26.00, Karl Berge 20.00, James Chambers 35.00, Rupert Gatchell 25.00,Robt. Main 80.00, Will Selchert 20.00, John Farley 20.00. Elizabeth Marsh 15.00 Matt Kemp. Mrs. Edgar Rudy 17.50 Norma Remedies. Mrs. Abner Sturdevant 25.00 Abraham Schram. Svendsen Nursing Home 150.00 Hilda Ebens 70.00, Rosa Dixon 25.00, Mary Kirkeby 25.00, Teresa Schumer 30.00. Mrs.Vernon Wagner 11.61 Roger Hanks. Watertown Rest Home 169.00 Louis Mourere 20.00, Naomi Adams 40.00, Ben Bergeson 35.00, Pauline Woodworth 74.00. Dr. D.N.Fedt 48.00 Mrs. M.J.Flowers 15.00, James Chambers 3.00, Emma Klucas 30.00. Bartron Clinic 713,72 Charles Alt 11.25, Mrs. Henry Becker 4.04, Earl Blowers 18.00, Hilda Ebens 6.00, Albert Erickson 5.00, John Farley 25.43, Adela Hemiller 43.00, Mrs. Chris

Jensen 42.00, James F. Keyser 32.00, Albert Kritta 32.05, Mike McAleer 28.00, Robert Main 3.60, Louis Mourere 19.00, Mary E. Mills 6.00, Nels C. Nielson 41.15, Mrs.H.H. Parliament 4.55, Anna Parsley 10.20, Josephine Roethler 46.00, Hilda Schmeling 6.40, Eva Schultz 7.50, Jud Turner 10.80, Lena Trumer 8.55, R.A.Vance 18.15, Steve Wisneski 69.00, Fern Washtoak 47.40, Ed Wight 8.40, Pauline Woodworth 3.00, Blanch Berry 2.00, Foyce Christensen 7.50, Wm. Zech 24.50, Mrs. John Fjerstad 5.90, Jeannette Jungen 7.80, Mr. & Mrs. Chas. W. Montney 18.20, Wm. Selchert 52.75, Mrs. Melvin Tesch 24.25, Virgil Kremer 4.35. County Farm - Bartron Hospital 12.80. Poor - Brown Clinic 167.25 Hilda Haack 6.00, Chas. Bierscheid 6.00, Ella Alexander 8.25, Mr. & Mrs. Ivrin Rislov 11.50, Clarence Eck 29.50, Mary Bagan 4.00, Henry B. Anderson 3.50, Mrs. Frank Gillies 28.00, Mrs. Henry Becker 8.50, Susan Mack 3.00, Oscar Wangen 2.00, Henry Ries 57.00. Duffner Drug Store-Oranna Mills 18.94, Mathilda Blek 7.08, Matt Kemp 2.09, Mr. & Mrs. Chas. W. Montney 19.08, Ola Hanson 20.54, Walter Richard 5.94, Karl Berg 11.25, Emma Jenkins 5.09. total $90.01. Haggar Drug Store 202.71-Ellen Anderson 5.40, Edith Bunde 4.86, Rosa Dixon 2.43, Hilda Ebens 47.79, Mrs. Frank Gillies 6.48, Hilda Haack 4.28, Mary Kirkeby 1.80, R.F.Luck & Wife 8.78, Martin Bale 5.40, N.T.Nelson 3.60, Seymore Peterson 15.44, Mr. & Mrs. Ivrin Rislov 17.33, Jud Turner 5.40, Fern Washtoak 41.45, Josephine Welter 8.64, Pauline Woodworth 23.63. Kreiser Drug Store 231.88-James Chambers 74.22, Chas. Alt 17.37, Ben Bergeson 4.05, Lena Radtke 45.36, C.O.Monson 12.56, Mrs. Wm.Norman 8.10, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg 34.00, Louise Tiejen 18.18, Chris Engels 4.05 Ben Scott 9.45, Mrs. Henry Becker 4.54. Medical Arts $74.00 - Henry A.Toensing 20.00, Grant Peterson 27.00, Martin Bale 4.00, Edith Bunde 9.00, Emil Herter 14.00. Memorial Hospital 1,420.39 - Naomi Adams 167.27, Louise Blowers 21.64, Dora Gartzke 136.83, Elbert Crandall 388.96, Otto N. Gloe 336.18, Emma Klucas 208.97, Grant Peterson 98.96, Evelyn Schultz 2.61, Henry Toensing 32.50, Alfred Vick 26.47. Rochester Methodist Hospital $42.20-Henry Klemsrud. O. P. Skaggs Store 16.83-Ivan McKee 3.20, Ellwood Opitz 8.04, Mrs. Albert Redwing 5.59. S.D.Children's Aid 106.87, Soren Nelson 66.87, Lyle Gerjets 40.00. St. Ann Hospital 297.85-Mike McAleer 177.35, Mrs. Frank Gillies 120.50. St. Williams Home - Mary Myers 65.25. Thomes Drug Store-$71.32-Chas.Bierscheid 4.05, Mabel Johnson 25.65, Richard DePeel 4.81, Ella Alexander 2.03, Alfred Vick 31.68, Albert Erickson 3.10. Dr. M.C.Thompson 20.00 - Clarence Morrison. B.A.Johnson $68.92 Robert Main. C.H.M. Miller Bros.Lbr Co.7.20. Co.Farm - Duffner's 10.98.Memorial Park Mileage Market 5.10. Comm. Per Diem & Mileage - Vernon H.Belk 62.60, Adolph Hogstad 76.08, James L. Keenan 59.80, Herb Skinner 81.54, Al M. Williams 110.25. Prtg & Adv. South Shore Gazette 61.06, Wat'n Pub.Opinion 260.20, Sheriff Office Exp.-South Shore Gazette 12.50, R.L.Polk & Co.25.00. Delinquent Tax Exp. South Shore Gazette 175.30, Wat'n Pub.Opinion 200.30., W.E.Knight 58.31. Auditor Office Exp. Duffner Dr.Store 98¢, Burroughs Corp. 223.60, R.L.Polk Co. 25.00,Watertown Typewriter Co. 3.50, Treas.Office Exp. Burroughs Corp. 73.20, R.L.Polk Co. 25.00, Carlsons 41.95, Mitchell Pub.Co.285.00. Reg.Deeds Office Exp. R.L.Polk 25.00,Photo News 47.50,Remington Rand 118.55. Clerk of Courts Office Exp. R.L.Polk $25.00,Brown & Saenger 20.35. Tax Collector $25.00 R.L.Polk. Public Welfare Office Exp. 25.00 R.L.Polk. C.H.M. Gilbert O. Decker 60.00. County Farm - $3.00 Hanks Shoe Shop, Dr. J.P.Harman 6.50, K.D.Inc. 2.10, Raymond Kinstad 35.00, Martha Krueger 22.50, Lien Grocery 39.19, Olson Appliance & Gas 5.80, Park Grant Co. 37.06, Socony Mobile Oil Co. 25.00, Uptown Service 4.00, Wat'n Co-op Elev.Co.50.51,Watn Impl.Co. 30.66, Supr. Assessor Supplies Brown & Saenger 25.40. Supt. Schools Office Exp. The Continental Press,Inc. 3.60, T.S.Denison & Co. 5.07, Hub City Schl Supl.Co.1.35, F.A.Owen Publish Co.5.00, Paris Industries 4.58. Board of Prisoners-Lloyd Shenk 188.40, Mileage Sheriff 341.85, Sheriff Fees 497.95, Tax Deed Exp. Sheriff 8.80. Ins.&Bonds Fire Underwriters Board - O.J.Fromke Sec-Treas. 241.98. Justide Fees - Robert C.Carlson 50.60. County Extension - Dwane Hammer 79.28, Hodges Badge Co. 25.72, Clara W.Johnson 28.36, Howard E. McFarland 4.84, Fred Morris 12.97, W.H.Schwanke 5.12, Raymond Stein 5.40, Board of Insanity-Cliff Englund 5.00, Gladys Freeseman 5.00, Harvey Sumner 5.00, Board of Health-H.Russell Brown,M.D. 28.85. Coroner Leslie E.Mathiesen 16.86.

SALARY: Director Equalization-Glenn M. Mitchell 9.52, L.D.Nichols 10.00.

ROAD City Treas. 6.76, Harold Scriver 8.20, NW Public Service 4.22. C.H.& B.R. Jacob Carlson-Gambles 9.03,McGowan Lumber Co. 17.55,S.D.Dept.Highways 2,326.96,Standard Oil Co.644.88. HIGHWAY & BRIDGE - Watertown Impl.Co.61.68,McGowan Lumber Co. 2.07, NW Road Supply Co. 401.52,Wat'n Cement Prod.Co. 121.20,Botsford Lumber Co. 8.00,Cave Supply Co. 42.86, City Wat'n Street Dept. 273.99, Dakota Welding Supply 112.96, Fleet Wholesaler Supply,Inc. 55.81, Foster-Bell Co. 357.24, Gooch Sales Co. 19.56, Kenneth Hayes Elec.Co. 9.50, Henry Oil Co. 21.02, Hjermstad Oil Co. 23.62, Hubbards Farm Store 11.35, International Harvester Co. 570.66, Philip Jesme 34.00, K&Z Service 16.01, Mahowald Co. 21.64, Marquart's Service 38.14, Frank Miller Co.6.65, J.C.Penney Co. 14.04, Elizabeth Pinholt 1.00, Reaney's Service 39.64, Socony Mobile Oil Co. 1,831.48, Rozum Bros.Motor Co. 26.91, Schweiger's Inc. 5.24, Sheehan,Bartling Inc. 97.67, Sioux Road,Inc. 174.53, Standard Oil Co. 5,156.14,Wat'n Mchine Works 9.21, Burroughs Corp. 21.95, Redlinger Bros. 7.42, Miller Bros.Lumber Co. 33.22, Mileage Market 398.43, Watertown Iron & Metal Co. 50.00, Watertown Tire Co. 24.21. C.M.V. Fire Underwriters Board 48.77. SPECIAL BRIDGE - N W Road Supply Co. 64.23, S. Dak.Concrete Products Co. 1,088.00, Wat'n Cement Prod.Co. 176.80, Miller Bros. Lumber Co. 23.35. CO.SP.HI.LAKE Standard Oil Co. 128.69, CO.SP.HI.RICHLAND 128.68. WEED BOARD Botsford Lumber Co. 2.64, Matt Braadriet 58.73, Paul David 5.82, Joseph J. Fox 5.68, Robert F. Redlin 6.52, Al M. Williams 4.00, TUITION-Clark Ind.School Dist 15 $426.00, Garden City #47 290.00, Hazel Ind. #2 904.00, Henry Ind.#27 8,654.00, Wallace Ind.#37 704.00, TEXTBOOK Educator Supply Co. 481.85, Ginn & Co. 20.80, E.M.Hale & Co.15.60, D. C. Heath & Co. 172.30, Laidlaw Bros. Inc. 130.80, McCormick-Mathers Publishing Co. 465.65, A.N.Palmer Co. 164.70, Scott Foresman & Co. 1,053.74, Silver Burdett Co. 86.00, Triangle School Service 240.85, Webster Pub.Co. 526.40, The John C. Winston Co. 467.20.

County liens paid as follows: Willard Goette 42.28, Wm. Schreurs 92.75, Mr. & Mrs. Howard Hoff $200.00, Mr. & Mrs. Lester Haase 103.65, Ruby Nicholson 136.00, Ronald Strain 30.40.

School officers bonds approved on motion of Williams, seconded Keenan - LOuis Stein, Jr. Treas. #26, William Cordell, Treas. #8. Motion carried.

Auditor's account with treasurer as follows: Deposits $398,303.35, Cash 3,318.91 Government Bonds 181,702.06, Jail Building Bonds 29,166.31. approved on motion by Hogstad, seconded Belk, motion carried.

Redfield bill for July $770.97, Sanator 24.31, and Yankton $1,855.02 approved on motion by Keenan, seconded Williams. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION No. 326

WHEREAS, acting under the laws of the State of South Dakota, the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, have deemed it advisable and for the best interests of the residents of said County to reinvest the Government Bonds that have matured into another series of Government Bonds and held by the County of Codington.

WHEREAS, the sum of $131,000.00 is the amount of matured bonds, and this amount to be reinvested in Series A of 1961 at 4% due August 1, 1961 as follows:
No. 11052 $1,000.00, No. 26109 $10,000.00, No. 26,110 $10,000.00, No. 26111 $10,000.00, and No. 12254 $100,000.00. redeemable at the Northwestern National Bank of Minneapolis, Minnesota, anytime after 1959 upon three months notice.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the County Treasurer be, and he is hereby instructed to reinvest such matured Government Bonds in the amount of $131,000.00, which is part of the bonds invested by the County Treasurer of Codington County, South Dakota.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Belk, seconded by Keenan, and on roll call all voted "Yea", none voted "Nay" whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 13th day of August, 1957 at Watertown, South Dakota.

Herb S Skinner

Al M Williams

Attest: Irma Welch
County Auditor

The Director of Equalization was authorized by the Board to hire a deputy Assessor at $215.00 on motion by Keenan, seconded Hogstad. Motion carried.

The Fire Underwriter Board has been authorized to cancel all existing fire policiesdand replace them with a master fire insurance policy written by Queen Insurance Company, on motion by Belk, seconded Williams, all voted yea and ;motion carried.

George Burke, Veteran Service Officer, came before the Board in regard to transportation to Hot Springs Veterans Hospital for Robert Main.

On motion by Keenan, seconded Belk, Board adjourned meeting until 10 A.M. August 19.

Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County.

August 19, 1957.

Commissioners met at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all members present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims checked and approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Hogstad: GENERAL: Poor B.A.Johnson for Robert Main $68.92. Court House Maint.$60.00 for Gilbert O. Decker.

School bonds approved for Harold R. Boyer,Treas.#73, Rollo Korth, Treas. #23, and Mrs. Fred Busskohl, Treas #6 on motion by Williams, seconded Keenan. Motion carried.

The following were granted permission to appear at State Board of Equalization hearing in Pierre, S.D. August 20, 1957 - States Attorney, Auditor, Director or Equalization, Chairman Skinner and Commissioner Williams with expenses paid as provided by law, moved by Belk, seconded Hogstad. Motion carried.

The County Treasurer requested the following abatements be approved: 1956 City of Watertown Belmont Lots 133 & 134 $7.62, Belmont Lot 135 5.23, Davis Lots 12 & 14 Blk 9 2.81, David L 15 thru 18, Blk 11 6.01, Davis L 25 & 26 Blk 15 56.75, L Davis L 27 & 28, Blk 15 8.01, Davlin's L 3,Blk 6 2.32, Davlin's L 16 Blk 6 1.19, Fairfax L 179 5.65, Fairfax L 185 & 186 9.20, Fairfax L 374-375 3.20, Fairfax L 378 & 389 3.20, Fairfax L 220 & 221 6.43, Gesley's Second Lot 3 & 4,Blk 3 5.23, Hanten & McKool Lot 7& 8 Blk 1 8.01, Horswills Lot 3, Blk 4 5.23, Kemp Lot 29,Blk 10 1.62, Replat of W.Watn.Lot 46 & 47 Blk 30 4.00, Replat of W Watn Lot 47 & 48 Blk 31 7.20, Replat of W Watn L 26 & 28, Blk 50 5.23, Rice Bros. L 6-9 Blk 7 12.43, Syndicate W 50' L 1 & N 23' W 50" L 2,Blk 3 23.28, Way-Davlin L 7,Blk 6 81¢ total Watertown 238.63

Florence Vil. Lot 9,Blk 7 Dist 28 8.70, Henry Vil. Lot 1 & 2 Blk 17 Dist 27 2.15, Henry Vil. Ulvens Addn Lot 1 & 2, Blk 1 Dist 27 68.54, South Shore Vil. Lot 21 & less N 20' L 22,Blk 1 Dist 38 5.90, Wallace Vil. L 8 thru 12, Blk 11, Dist 37 3.00, Wallace Vil. Lot 1, Blk 20 Dist 37 $41.78. Motion to grant abatements by Belk, seconded by Williams, all voted yes, motion carried.

On motion duly ;made and seconded Board adjourned until Tuesday, August 27, 1957 at 10 A.M.

Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County

Board of County Commissioners convened at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment, with all members present, Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims checked and approved on motion by Keenan, second Belk:
GENERAL: ~~Poor-B.A. Johnson $68.92 Robert Main~~, Irene Stockman $55.00 for Loretto Stockman, Kampeska Hotel $6.00 for Jerry O*Brien. Court House Maint. ~~Gilbert O. Decker $60.00~~, Carl Deal 250.00. Court Expense-W.A.Hackett $25.00, Mabel Alworth $126.46, Cecilia M. Beirne 126.46, Joe Gerlach 25.00, Hazel Hegarty 138.15.
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GENERAL: Jailor-Wm. J. Meyer 275.00, Veterans Service Officer George Burke 210.00, County Extension 175.00, County Farm-Pearl Klemsrud 110,00 - 115.00. Co.Judge Office Exp.Mary Jeanne Horning 48.00. Civil Defense 25.00-Eddie Howson. Memorial Park Arnold Hofteizer 100.00, Bessie Hofteizer 100.00. Reg.Deeds Office Exp. Doris Harrington 80.00.
Sheriff Fees & Salary-Bert Smith 110.00. Comm.Per Diem,Mileage, Salary-Vernon Belk 106.10, sAdolph Hogstad 108.90, James L. Keenan 92.90, Herb Skinner 113.45, Al M. Williams 143.00 Convention & Research-Irma Welch 12.00, Al M. Williams 8.75, Vernon Belk 37.00, Herb Skinner 4.50, Jas.L.Keenan 12.50,C.S.Rasmusson 11.00,Ed Gribbin 8.75.
C.M.V.-Glen H. Swanson 260.00, C.S.Rasmusson 575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt 215.00, Sever Tobiason 205.00, Joe Stricherz 364.80, Claude VanSickle 321.60 ,Clarence B. Sumner 338.40, Harold Scriver 310.80, Ed Gould 40.50, Alfred Spring 307.80, James Hendren 93.00, Carl Zweig,Jr. 343.50, Burton Jackson 81.00, Thos. Spiering 208.75, Henry C. Erickson 126.25, Clarence Helle 296.25, Fred C. Brownell 185.90, Andrew T. Larson 180.40, Leo Clausen 133.10, Curtis O. Underwood 171.60, Chas. Krogman 291.50, Julius Lentz 60.50, Clarence Stavick 36.00, Harold Nafus $41.00, Joseph Rachor 75.00, Joe Schmeling 151.00, Phillip Jenkins 232.00, Franz Ferber 22.00, Lee Raymond 137.00, Jerry VandeBerg 78.00, Donald J. Lang 62.50. SP.BR.-Joe W.Stricherz 4.80, Ed Gould 303.75,Carl Zweig,Jr 39.00, Clarence Helle 15.00, Fred C.Brownell 82.50, Julius Lentz 213.40, Clarence Stavick 211.00, Harold Nafus 159.00, Joseph V. Rachor 167.00. CO.SP.HI.LAKE-Clarence B. Sumner 4.80, Alfred Spring 7.42, Carl Zweig,Jr. 3.00, Andrew T. Larson 7.15. CO.SP.HI. Richland-Clarence B. Sumner 4.80, Alfred Spring 7.43, Carl Zweig,Jr. 3.00, Andrew T. Larson 7.15. CO.SP.HI. Leola-James Hendren 300.00, Carl Zweig,Jr. 12.00, Burton Jackson $300.00, Thos.Spiering 112.50, Henry C. Erickson 200.00, Clarence Helle 6.25, Fred C. Brownell 8.80. CH&BR-Ed Gould 8.10, Alfred Spring 35.10, Carl Zweig,Jr. 28.50, Clarence Helle 20.00, Fred C. Brownell 9.90, Andrew T. Larson 102.30, Leo Clausen 156.20, Julius Lentz 13.20, Clarence Stavkck 12.00, Harold Nafus 8.00, Joseph V. Rachor 6.00, J.Thos. Rahilly 60.00, Lee Raymond 70.00, Jerry VandeBerg 70.00. CO.SP.HI.LEOLA-Curtis O.Underwood 110.00.

Bounty claims checked and approved on motion by Belk, seconded Keenan.

On motion by Williams, seconded Belk, to release liens of William Wensing insofar as they apply to Lot 5,Block 11,Original Plat,Watertown. This William John Wensing is not the William Wensing in whose name liens appear. Motion carried.

School Officer bonds approved on motion by Keenan, seconded Belk as follows: Shirley Bert,Treas.38,Hilda Harrington Clerk #38, Clarence AldeneTreas. #45, Harold LaFramboise,Treas.#60, Elaine Flury Treas.#30, Ernest Klatt Clerk #6, Mabel P.Hanson Clerk Ind. #1, Bert Morgan, Treas. Ind. #1, Mrs. Earl Roe, Treas #55, Paul Stricherz Clerk #74.

Approval of a contract for deed with J Van Mills and Meta Mills for all of Lot 5 except S 30 feet thereof in Block 2, McMath's Addition Watertown, contract on file in Auditor's Office, moved by Williams, seconded Keenan. Motion carried.

County Auditor authorized to make a Resolution for the Extension of FAS 825 from its present southern terminal at the junction of FAS #503 NW of Grover, south 1 Mile of Codington County-Hamlin County Line road to meet the proposed addition of Hamlin Co. on motion by Hogstad, seconded Belk. Motion carried.

A motion by Belk, seconded Hogstad to request the programming of FAS Route 825 from NW Corner Sec. 35-116-54 to SW 35-116-54. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk, seconded Keenan for route inspection on FAS 825, all voted yea none nay, motion carried.

RESOLUTION No. 327
FEDERAL AID SECONDARY ROUTE

WHEREAS the Codington County, Board of Commissioners desire the addition of the following mileage to the Federal Aid Secondary Highway System:

"Beginning at tne NE corner of Section 34, Township 116 North, Range 54 West of the Fifth P.M., thence south one mile to the Codington-Hamlin County Line".

AND WHEREAS the extension of this route will connect several other Secondary Routes previously on the system and which Routes connect with or serve several trading centers.

NOW,THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the State Highway Commission be and hereby is requested to recommend to the Public Roads Administration and the selection of the road described above as part of the Federal Aid Secondary Highway System.

Vote of Commission. All Yes. No None.

Resolution is hereby declared adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 27th day of August, 1957.

ATTEST: Irma Welch
County Auditor

Herb Skinner
Chairman, Board of County
Commissioners, Codington County.

RESOLUTION No. 328
FEDERAL AID SECONDARY ROUTE INSPECTION

WHEREAS the Codington County, Board of Commissioners desire the improvement of Gravel Base Course of the following described roads:

"Beginning at the NE corner of Section 34, Township 116 North, Range 54 West of the Fifth P.M., thence south one mile to the Codington-Hamlin County Line".

AND WHEREAS the type of work is for Gravel Base Course.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the State Highway Commission be, and hereby is requested to make a route inspection to determine the type and amount of work necessary to meet requirements for Federal Aid Secondary construction.

Vote of Commission. Yes All. No None.

Resolution is hereby declared adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 27th day of August, 1957.

Herb Skinner
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County.

ATTEST: Irma Welch
County Auditor

RESOLUTION NO. 329
FEDERAL AID SECONDARY PROGRAM RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Codington County Board of Commissioners desire the improvement of Gravel Base Course of the Following described road, to wit:

"Beginning at the NE corner of Section 34, Township 116 North, Range 54 West of the 5th P.M., thence south one mile to the Codington-Hamlin County Line".

AND WHEREAS method of construction will be upon contract bids, at a monthly letting by the State Highway Commission with the concurrence of Codington County.

And WHEREAS Codington County is obligated to maintain a project after construction with Federal Aid Secondary Funds.

AND WHEREAS the Codington County Board of Commissioners is prepared to pay the County's share (approximately 44%) of the cost of this project.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED 1. That the State Highway Commission be and hereby is requested to program for gravel base course this project under the Federal Aid Secondary Program.

2. That the Chairman of the said Board of County Commissioners be and hereby is authorized to sign an Agreement with the State Highway Commission for the maintenance of this project after construction.

Vote of Commission. Yes All. No None.

Resolution is hereby declared adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 27th day of August, 1957.

Herb Skinner
Cchairman, Board of County
Commissioners, Codington County

ATTEST: Irma Welch
County Auditor

Irma Welch, County Auditor, requested authorization to att end a conference Sept. 5 and 6 at Pierre with the Executive Committee of the South Dakota Association of Assessing Officers and the Department of Revenue. On motion by Belk, seconded Keenan permission granted for Irma Welch to attend conference at Pierre Sept. 5 and 6 with expenses paid, as authorized by South Dakota Code. Motion carried.

On motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad to request programming of Bridge replacement for the following bridges due to insufficient roadway width and road being inaapable of properly serving present day needs and estimated future traffic

#1 Bridge across Stray Horse Creek and on North-South Section line between NE¼ Section 34-116-51 and NW¼ 35-116-51.

#2 Located on Section Line SE ¼ 34-116-51 and SW¼ 34-116-51

#3 Located N section line SW¼ 23-116-51 and NW¼ 26-116-51.

#4 NW¼ 25-116-51 Corners.

It is requested that all structures be widened or replaced whichever is determined to be most economical with 28 foot roadway, 815 load capacity. Surveys and other field data required by State Bridge Department will be furnished by Codington County without Federal Aid. These structures on F.A.S. Routes 499-498.

RESOLUTION No. 330
FEDERAL AID SECONDARY PROGRAM RESOLUTION

WHEREAS the Codington County, Board of Commissioners request for programming of Bridge Replacement of the following bridges due to insufficient roadway width and load bearing capacities to properly serve present and estimated future traffic requirements:

No. 1 F.A.S. Route No. 499- Bridge across Stray Horse Creek and on North-South Section line between NE¼-Section 34-116-51 and NW¼ Section 35-116-51.

No. 2-F.A.S. Route No. 499- Bridge across Stray Horse Creek and on North-South Section line between SE¼ Section 34-116-51 and SW¼ Section 35-116-51.

No. 3-F.A.S. Route No. 498- Bridge across Stray Horse Creek and on East-West Section line approximately 0.15 mile east of NW corner of Section 23-116-51.

No. 4- F.A.S. Route No. 498- Bridge across branch of Stray Horse Creek and on East-West section line Approximately at NW corner of Section 25-116-51

All structures to be widened or replaced as determined by the State Bridge Department to be the most economic for 28 foot roadway and H-15 loading capacities.

Surveys and other field data required by State Bridge Department will be furnished by Codington County without Federal Aid.

AND WHEREAS method of construction will be upon contract bids at a monthly letting by the State Highway Commission with the concurrence of Codington County.

AND WHEREAS Codington County is obligated to maintain a project after construction with Federal Aid Secondary Funds.

AND WHEREAS the Codington County Board of Commissioners is prepared to pay the County's share (approximately 44%) of the cost of these projects.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED 1. That the State Highway Commission be and hereby is requested to program these projects under the Federal Aid Secondary program.

2. That the Chairman of the said Board of County Commissioners be and hereby is authorized to sign an agreement with the State Highway Commission for the maintenance of these projects after construction.

Vote of Commission. Yes All. No None.

Resolution is hereby declared adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 27th day of August 1957.

Herb Skinner
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Codington County.

ATTEST: Irma Welch
County Auditor

On motion duly made and seconded Board adjourned until September 3 at 10 A.M. Motion carried.

Irma Welch
County Auditor.

Bounty Claims approved in August, 1957, and certified to State Department of Game, Fish & Parks: Lynell Popham 4.00, Marvin Sandell 12.00, Russell Wilson 4.00,Roy Hackbart 4.00, Harry Mathes 4.00, J.C.Harksen 8.00, Wayne Snyder 4.00, James Hegge 4.00,Martin Archer 4.00, Jeff Jenson 4.00, Clinton Krause 4.00, Richard Miller 4.00, Harry Matthes 4.00, Donald Ritz 4.00, Harry Tritz$2.00, Glen Buchholz8.00, Duane Hallstrom 8.00, Henry Tritz 7.50, Art Wensing 4.00, W.R.Murphy 7.50, Alfred Briggs 7.50, Art Wensing 2.00, Lawrence Kliegel 6.00, Delwyn Nogelmeier 2.00, John Johnson 4.00, Ole Dahl 15.00, L.T. Brekke 4.00, Ted Tesch 4.00, L.T.Brekke 4.00, James Stadheim 4.00, Robert Wagge 4.00, Henry Tritz 4.00, Murray Jacobson 2.00, Marvin Kremer 4.00, Alvin Johnson 8.00, Mrs.Alta Johnson 7.50, Pat Blizzard 4.00, Cecil Bunde, Paul Flemming 4.00, Katherine Harkin 4.00. Jerry Hjermstad 4.00, Kenneth Kellogg 4.00, Rollo Korth 4.00, Melvin Mack 4.00, William Meyer 4.00, Gene Muller 4.00, Marvin Sandell 4.00, Martin Schlotte 4.00, Warren F.Thacker 15.00, Arthur Voelsch 4.00, Louis Washtoak 4.00, Lee Fiferlick 4.00. Crow Bounty 3.60 for Carl Nelson.

Commissioners convened at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all present, Chairman Skinner presided.

Moved by Williams, seconded by Keenan, that the States Attorney be authorized to appeal the decision of the State Board of Equalization on Lots 8,9, 10 in Block 11, Original Plat, Watertown, S.D. On roll call all voted yea, none nay, and the chairman declared the motion prevailed.

County Weed supervisor's report for August was filed and noted.

The Board spent the afternoon investigating and inspecting roads in South Shore area.

Motion duly made and seconded to adjourn until September 10, at 10 A.M.

September 10, 1957.

Board met at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment, allpresent, chairman Skinner presiding.

This being the time and place to adopt the Annual Budget of Codington County for 1957, after some discussion a motion made by Belk, seconded by Keenan, to approve the budget, and on roll call all voted yes, and none nay whereupon the chairman declared the following to be the 1958 budget:

ANNUAL BUDGET FORM FOR CODINGTON COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA, FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR JANUARY 1, 1958 to DECEMBER 31, 1958, AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 12,2003 SDC 1939.

FUNDS: ITEMS	1 Estimated Other Revenue	2 Estimated Cash Balance	3 Estimated Real and Personal Property Tax	4 Total* Estimated Revenues & Balances From all Sources	5 Adopted Budget Appropriations Cannot Equal More than 95% Of Column 4
GENERAL FUND					
Commissioners Per Diem					11 900
Mileage					2 500
Expense,Advertising & Prtg					7 000
Convention Expense (Ch.25SL1953)					1 000
AUDITOR					
Office Expense					2 400
Election Expense					6 000
Deputy Assessor's Salaries, Supplies & Expenses					8 000
TREASURER					
Office Expense					2 400
Delinquent Tax Expense					4 000
Tax Deed Expense					300
Publication Fees (Ch.462 SL 1953)					1 500
CLERK OF COURTS					
Office Expense					1 300
Vital Statistics					1 100
REGISTER OF DEEDS					
Office Expense					2 000
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS					
Office Expense					1 200
Travel Expense					700
County Institute					500
SHERIFF					
Office Expense					400
Fees & Salary					5 000
Mileage					5 000
Board of Prisoners					2 000
Jailors Salary & Maintenance of Jail					3 600
Radio					200
STATES ATTORNEY					
Office and Stenographic Expense					400
Mileage					200
COURTS					
Jurors,Witness Fees and Court Reporter					10 000
Justice Fees					200
Office Expense					600
Bailiffs					300
CORONER					
Expense					400
COUNTY VETERANS' SERVICE OFFICE					
Expense and Salary					3 500
Court House, Maintenance					17 500
State Accountant					1 000
Insurance,Bond Premium & Workmen's Comp.					9 000
Agriculture & Home Extension					4 300
County Contest and Exhibits					200

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Public Welfare Office Exp.	300				750
County Insanity Board					500
Care of Poor and Poor Farm- Beverage Fund	12 500				75 000
Board of Health					1 200
Bounties, Tree					1 300
Crow & Magpie Bounty(25.1006 Supp.)					20
Social Security					4 000
Other Funds Needed(Law Library					1 000
School District Reorganization Co.Bd. of Education					3 000
Memorial Day & Park					3 000
Court House Equipment					2 500
Civil Defense					1 000
Mellette Memorial					950
Revenues from other Sources Column No. 1.					
County Moneys and Credit Tax	4 000				
Telephone Tax Outside	4 000				
Licenses	200				
Prior Tax Collections	10 000				
GENERAL FUND TOTALS	31 000	20 000	172 000	223 000	211 820
SALARY FUND					
AUDITOR					14 500
TREASURER					13 200
CLERK OF COURTS	3 500				6 500
REGISTER OF DEEDS	7 100				8 700
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS					7 900
STATES ATTORNEY					7 500
COUNTY JUDGE					4 800
MUNICIPAL JUDGE					2 400
DIRECTOR OF EQUALIZATION					7 500
SALARY FUND TOTALS	10 600	10 000	156 250	276 850	73 000
Mental Health Fund Redfield	500	3 200	6 300	10 000	9 500
Mentally Retarded Fund Insant	2 000	13 000	10 270	25 270	24 020
Custer Sanatorium Fund		3 158		3 158	3 000
County Road Fund			25 650	25 650	24 370
COUNTY ROAD FUND TOTALS			25 650	25 650	24 370
Bridge Fund Construction		342		342	325
Court House & Jail Building Fund		40 000	18 000	58 000	55 100
TOTAL OF FUNDS WITHIN LIMITED LEVY	44 100	89 700	288 470	422 270	401 140
County Highway and Bridge Reserve Fund (Ch.29,S.L.1953)		65 000	72 110	137 110	130 255
Special Bridge Fund(Ch.30,SL 1953)1Mill		5 000	36 000	41 000	38 950
County Snow Removal Fund (Ch 32 SL 31953)2 Mills		25 000	25 000	50 000	47 500
Weed Control Fund(62.0306 Supp.) Must be organized			3 900	3 900	3 705
County Fair (Ch.28 SL 1953).30 Mill		32 600	10 000	42 600	40 470
TOTAL OF FUNDS OUTSIDE LIMITED LEVY.		127 600	147 010	274 610	260 880
GRAND TOTAL OF ALL FUND LEVIES	44 100	217 300	435 480	696 880	662 040
County High School Tuition Fund		20 000	75 000	95 000	95 000
Common School Equalization Fund			102 822	102 822	102 822
COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE FUND(45% Coll.)					
Construction & Maintenance	84 000	14 000		98 000	93 100
County Highway Superintendent Office & Salary Expense	11 000			11 000	10 450
Workmen's Compensation	1 685			1 685	1 600
COUNTY MOTOR VEHICLE FUND TOTALS	96 685	14 000		110 685	105 150
County Special Highway (28% M.V.Coll) (Ch.226 SL'53)	20 000			20 000	19 000
County Highway & Bridge Fund (1/8 State Gax Tax)	100 000			100 000	95 000
Text Book Revolving Fund	10 000			10 000	9 500
School Library Fund		810		810	810
GRAND TOTAL FUNDS NOT SUBJECT TO LEVIES	226 685	34 810	177 822	439 317	417 350
GRAND TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS	270,785	252 110	613 302	1,136,197	1 079 390

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA :
:SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON :

RESOLUTION No. 332
ANNUAL BUDGET FOR YEAR 1958

WHEREAS, Section 12.2007 South Dakota Code of 1939 provides that the Board of County Commissioners shall prepare each year a Provisional Budget of all the contemplated expenditures and revenues of the County, and all its institutions and agencies for such fiscal year, and

WHEREAS, The Board of County Commissioners did prepare a Provisional Budget and caused same to be published as provided by law, and

WHEREAS, Due and legal notice has been given of the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners for the consideration of such Provisional Budget, and all changes, eliminations and additions have been made thereto,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That such Provisional Budget as amended, and each and all the purposes, objects, items, schedules, appropriations, amounts, estimates and all matters contained therein as herein set forth shall be approved and adopted as the Annual Budget of appropriations and expenditures for Codington County, South Dakota

and all its institutions and agencies for the calendar year beginning January 1st,1958, and ending December 31st, 1958, and the same is hereby approved and adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota, this 10th day of September, 1958.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
of Codington County, South Dakota.

Herb Skinner
Chairman

Vernon H Belk
Commissioner

Commissioners

Commissioner

Commissioner

Attest:
County Auditor.

Verified claims were checked and approved on motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan:
TRUST FUND: Fred E. Hanus (2) $1,000 each, Lucy R. Grant $15.00.
GENERAL: Poor:Burgdorf Nursing Home 175.00-Susan Mack 35.00,Alpha Mudge 35.00,Nels T. Nelson 100.00, Florence Williams 5.00. Kampeska Hotel 6.00-Jerry O'Brien. Irene Stockman $55.00-Loretta Stockman. Mrs. Lucile Gordon 25.00-Emma Jenkins. Mrs.Alex Haeffner 20.00-Debbie Heathcote. Kinstad Rest Home $146.00-Ole Hanson 26.00, Karl Berge 20.00,James Chambers 35.00, Rupert Gatchell 25.00,Will Selchert 20.00, John Farley 20.00. Elizabeth Marsh $15.00-Matt Kemp. Mrs.Edgar A.Rudy $17.50,Norma Remedies. Irene Stockman 55.00-Loretta Stockman. Mrs.Abner Sturdevant 50.66-Ed Hayes 12.83, Geo.Manley 12.83, Abraham Schram 25.00. Svendsen Nursing Home 150.00-Hilda Ebens 70.00, Rosa Dixon 25.00,Mary Kirkeby 25.00, Theresa Schummer 30.00. Watertown Rest Home 169.00-LOuis Mourere 20.00, Na Naomi Adams 40.00, Ben Bergeson 35.00, Pauline Woodworth 74.00. Mrs. Grace Wilson 28.65 Harry King (Jerry O'Brien) 16.65, William Boll 12.00. Duffner Drug Store 126.73-Mathilda Blek 9.47, Emil Herter 10.80, Orana Mills 12.82, Matt Kemp 3.41, Mrs. Henry Lippelt 9.00 Mrs.Charlie Ward Montney 27.72,Ola Hanson 17.57, Jud Turner 1.62, Inga Yarns 15.30, Rupert Gatchell 88¢, Carl Berg 13.05, Emma Jenkins 5.09. Brown Clinic $308.50-Charles Bierscheid 2.00, Harry King (Jerry O'Brien) 6.00, Cal Eck 4.00, Henry L. Ries 34.00, Ella Alexander 16.50, George Braa 199.00, Hilda Haack 4.00, Mary Bagan 16.00, Mrs. I.S. Ristov 2.00, Mrs. Josephine Wleter 25.00. Donald N. Fedt, M.D. 22.00Mrs.M.J.Flowers 12.00, Mrs. Frank Klucas 10.00.Haggar Drug Store 152.16-Mrs.Hilda Ebens 37.67, Ferne Washtoak 22.19, Martin Bale 20.29, Mr.& Mrs. Reinhardt Luck 22.55,Ellen Anderson 8.10, N.F.Nelson 1.80, Hilda Haack 4.28, Edith Bundy 4.86, Alice Jungen 14.40, Reinhardt Luck Mary Kirkeby 1.80, Pauline Woodworth 10.89, Irvin S. Rislov 3.38. R.E.Hunter 108.30-Jesse Morris 101.60, Almon Bale 6.70. Lutheran Welfare Society 41.00-Mrs. Joe Vermillion 23.00, Billy Vermillion 18.00. L.H.McKenna-$14.36 Mrs. Mary Trolsen. Mathiesen,Gergen & Rhodes $20.00 Naomi Adams 5.00, Fred Waba 10.00, Nelson Nielson 5.00. Mayo Clinic 146.30-Henry Kaemsrud. Medical Arts Clinis 148.50-Edith Bunde 10.00, Martin Bale 60.00, Grant Peterden 17.50, Matt Kemp 2.00, Naomi Adams 36.00, Henry Toensing 4.00, Ellen Anderson 3.00, Emil Herter 6.00, Reinhard Luck 10.00. Medical Center Pharmacy-58.96-Edwin Bates 3.38, Mrs.Henry Becker 5.40,Charles Beirschied 3.24, Clarence Eck 18.00, Mrs. Edward Haack 10.17, Jerry O'Brien 2.25, Mrs. J.S.Rislov 4.59, Henry Ries 11.93.Memorial Hospital $1,755.34-Naomi Adams 108.79, Martin Bale 284.43, Wm.Ball 85.62, Delbert Button 260.75, Elbert Crandall 625.77, Tollef Faehn 244.31, Jeanette Jungen 81.75, Evelyn Schultz 39.11, Alfred Vick 25.92. S.D.Children's Aid 83.01-Lyle Gerjets 43.01, Soren Nelson 40.00. Skelly Oil Co. 6.50-Jesse Morris. St. Ann's Hospital 889.35-Henry Ries 500.30,Mary Bagan 66.15, Alice Jungen 20.85, Douglas & Catherine Fisher 302.05. St. Williams Home Mrs. Mary Meyers 61.50. Thomes Drug Store-$56.11-Alfred Vick 34.24, Richard DePeel 6.57, Frank Lehman 1.13, Mabel Johnson 12.37, Chas. Bierscheid 1.80. Dr. M.C.Thompson 67.80-Clar Clarence Morrison 21.80, Mrs. Henry Lipelt 11.00, Frank Lehman 35.00. Transit Cab Co.3.00 William Ball. Comm. Per Diem & Mileage 93.20 Vernon H. Belk. Adolph Hogstad 78.18, James L. Keenan 75.80, Herb Skinner 93.62, Al M. Williams 117.60. Printing & Advertising - Henry Independent 166.60, South Shore Gazette 255.85, Watertown Public Opinion 223.52. Delinquent Tax List - Henry Independent 103.00. Delinquent Tax Expense -F.C. Grow Sons 27.50,W.E.Knight 293.40, Watertown Public Opinion 24.75. Treas. Office Exp. Watertown Public Opinion 23.90,Mitchell Publishing Co. 164.32, Railway Express Agency, Inc. 6.11, Auditor's Office expense-Hertz Rent A Car 7.50, Watertown Typewriter Co. 32.00, Irma Welch 20.00, Ruhe Stationery 1.10.Treas. Office Exp. Ruhe Typewriter Co. 3.95. Sheriff Office Exp. Watertown Typewriter Co.2.34, Duffner Drug Store 1.00, Clerk of Court Office Exp. Ruhe 2.83, News Printing Co. 13.31, Brown & Saenger 18.90. Supt. of Schools Office Exp. Ruhe Stationery 1.45. Court Expense Ruhe Stationery 7.25, O.J. Fromke,Clerk Municipal Court $15.00, Carlsons Letter Service 9.45. Supervisor of Assessors-Ruhe Stat. 7.84, Glenn M. Mitchell 12.00, Brown & Saenger 25.65,Nelson Hardware 4.69. Public Welfare Office Exp. Ruhe Stat. 22.40. County Extension 96.57,F.C. Grow Sons $16.00, Butterbrodt Drug Store 14.43, Clara W. Johnson 42.64, State 4 H Club Office 1.50. Register of Deeds Office Exp. Remington Rand 137.95. County Farm-Duffner Drug 12.73, City Treas. 27.18, Raymond Kinstad 15.00, Lien's Grocery 20.47, Park Grant 7.04, J.C.Penney Co. 2.98, Watertown Co-op Elevator Co. 2.70. SHERIFF, Board of Pris. 185.20: Mileage 343.75, Fees 182.00 Lloyd Shenk. States Attorney Office Exp. Brown & Saenger 38.21. Court House Maint. Nelson Hardware 20.53, City Treas. 430.87, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. 11.22, Lewis W. Larson 3.75, J.H.Larson Electrical Co. 14.86, Marquardt's Service 1.52, Midwest-Beach Co. 7.70, Miller's Delivery 1.75, NW Bell Tel. Co. 290.11, Reaney's Service 9.50, Redlinger Bros. 4.72, Herb Skinner Jr. 50.00, Supt. Schools Mileage-Mrs. Hazel Murphy 12.45. Coroner's Expense - Leslie Mathiesen 28.96. Memorial Park Marquardt's Service 3.28, Miller's Delivery 5.30, Coast to Coast 1.43, Iverson Electric Co. 7.50, Larson Bros. Ditching 275.52, Mahowald Co. 5.96, Marshall Wells Store 66¢, Mileage Market 2.95, NW Public Service 41.90. Crow Bounty Carl Nelson 3.60.
ROAD: NW Public Service Co. 7.25, Mileage Market 55¢.12, Marshall-Wells Store 1.69, Mahowald Co. 34.57, Ruhe 2.25, Marquardt's Service 143.54, Redlinger Bros3 257.60, Reaney's Service 32.95, City Treas. 6.62, Nelson Hardware 16.33, Alt's Repair Shop 4.25, Bard & Wika Inc. 390.60, Botsford Lumber Co. 34.00, Cave Supply Co. 96.39, Dakota Welding Supply 13.72, J.D.Evans Equipment Co. 37.09, Foster-Bell Co. 52.62, Fleet Wholesalers Supply ; Inc. 44.44, Gooch Sales Co. 33.82, Hayes-Lucas Lumber Co. 4.23, Kenneth Hayes Elec. 19.70, Hubbards Farm Store 4.55, Hurkes Implement 13.90, Int.Harvester

Co. 103.91, J & Z Service 33.65, LaNoue's Radiator Shop 9.50, Miller Bros.Lumber Co.71.77, Motor Supply Co. 17.34, NW Road Supply Co. 163,52, Paper Calmenson Co. 27.24, Pecaut Equipment Co. 4.22, Rodeum Bros.Motor Co. 84.05, Sanders Chev.Co. 10.96, Schweiger's Inc. 48.80, Harold Scriver 3.60, Sheehan-Bartling Inc. 140.14, Sioux Road,Inc. 673.11, Socony Mobile Oil Co. 1,497.82, Lyle Thorson 21.01, Town & Country Store 12.10, Watertown Implement Co. 52.06, Watertown Machine Works 20.38, Watertown Radiator Works 32.00, Watertown Tire Co. 41.65, Western Transportation 3.15, Williams Hardware Co. 60.42, Wilson Truck System 2.00,
C.M.V. Lee Raymond 45.00. C.H.& B.R. Lee Raymond 66.00, S.D.Dept. Highways 1,130.18, Selmer Peterson 44.41, Codington-Clark Co-op Elec.Inc. 117.00, Standard Oil Co. 644.88, HI & BR 976.63. CO.SP.HI. Lake & 691.18 & Richland 128.69 for Standard Oil Co.
SP. BR. Lee Raymond 23.00, NW Road Supply Co. 517.56, S.D.Concrete Prod.Co. 51.72,Thompson Yards 533.80, Watertown Cement Products 147.08. TUITION: Goodwin Ind.School #3 $350.00. INSTITUTE Mrs. Walter Lothian 10.00, Mrs. Doris Nelson 10.00, Doris Fay Nelson 5.00. INSANE: Lloyd Shenk 119.30, Matheisen Bergen Rhodes 63.00, SALARY: Supr. of Assessors 55.72.

Bonds for Treasurer Lawrence H. Zimmel, School Dist. 65, Clayton E.Lindgren Treas. #63 approved on motion by Keenan, seconded Williams.

Bills for Yankton $1,953.01, Sanator $87.23, Redfield $783.06 were approved on motion by Williams, seconded Keenan.

Register of Deeds fees for August $532.35 and Clerk of Courts FEES $334.75 were approved on motion by Keenan, seconded Williams.

Auditor's account with the County Treasurer for August - total amount in banks $284,833.57, Cash3$3,158.41, Government Bonds $181,702.06,and Jail Building Bonds $29,166.31 were approved on motion by Keenan, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded Board adjourned until Wednesday,Sept.11,1957 at 10 A.M.

Inna Welch

September 11, 1957.

The Board of County Commissioners met at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment with all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

This meeting was called to arrange a settlement of funds in Kranzburg Township because of the Incorporation of Kranzburg town.

D.K.Loucks, attorney, represented the township, and Francis Burns, attorney, represented the town.

By agreement between the township, the town, and commissioners July 1st, 1957 was set for the cut off date. All of the 1956 tax will be divided on the basis of valuation. Total valuation of the town is $153,466.00 times the 2.56 mill levy equals $392.88. One half of this would be $196.44, which is to be paid by the township board to the town of Kranzburg.

RESOLUTION No. 331

WHEREAS there has been received the sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-two and 18/100 Dollars($1,762.18) properly apportionable to Kranzburg Township, and by agreement by and between the attorneys for Kranzburg Township and Kranzburg Town, the town of Kranzburg is to receive 1/28th of the amount apportioned to Kranzburg Township as of July 1, 1957, and by agreement between the attorneys for Kranzburg town and Kranzburg Township at a hearing for said purpose held in the Chambers of the County Commissioners in and for Codington County, in the Court House, Watertown, S.D. on September 11, 1957,

AND WHEREAS said apportionment is required to be made as of July 1, 1957, this being the cut off date agreed upon for such settlement of funds from Kranzburg Township for the year of 1956,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that said apportionment as above set out be alloted as follows:

Kranzburg Township	$1565.74
Kranzburg Town	196.44

and that such funds be transferred to the respective bodies.

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Keenan, and on roll call all commissioners voted "yea" whereupon the chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 11th day of September, 1957.

Herb Skinner
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, S. Dak.

Attest: Inna Welch
County Auditor

On a motion by Williams, seconded by Hogstad, that the $650.00 liquor license be apportioned as follows: $200.00 to the town, $450.00 for Kranzburg Township.
On roll call all commissioners voted "yea", none "nay" and chairman declared motion carried.

The parties agreed that Kranzburg Township would pay to Kranzburg town the amount of

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$396.44 which constitutes the apportionment of the tax levy, and the agreed division of liquor license money. Kranzburg town will pay Kranzburg Township any amount which is received from the state government as a refund on the tax on liquor collected between the dates of April 1 and June 30, 1957.

Having concluded this meeting a motion was made by Williams, seconded by Keenan to adjourn until Tuesday, September 17, 1957 at 10 A.M.

Herb Skinner
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, South Dakota.

Attest: Irma Welch
Codington County Auditor.

September 17, 1957.

Board of County Commissioners convened at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment, all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Schedule of tax levies for county purposes for 1957 was adopted on a motion by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad, and on roll call all voted "yea" and chairman declared the motion carried.

FUND a	BUDGET	PLUS 5%	TOTAL	ESTIMATED REVENUES	TAXES	LEVY
GENERAL	211,820	10,590	222,410	51,000	171,410	3.46
SALARY	73,000	3,650	76,650	20,600	56,050	1.13
INSANE	24,020	1,200	25,220	15,000	10,220	.21
FEEBLE MINDED	9,500	475	9,975	3,700	6,275	.13
CUSTER	3,000	150	3,150	3,158	000	.00
COUNTY ROAD	24,370	1,220	25,590		25,590	.52
JAIL BUILDING	55,100	2,755	57,855	40,000	17,855	.36
MELLETTE MEMORIAL	950	48	998		998	.02
Total Limited Levy	401,760	20,088	421,848	133,458	288,398	5.83
WEED CONTROL	3,705	185	3,890		3,890	.08
SPECIAL BRIDGE	38,950	1,950	40,900	5,000	35,900	.73
C.H.& B.R.	130,255	6,510	136,765	65,000	71,765	1.45
CO.SNOW REMOVAL	47,500	2,375	49,875	25,000	24,875	.50
COUNTY FAIR	40,470	2,025	42,495	32,600	9,895	.20
Total Unlimited Levy	260,880	13,045	273,925	127,600	146,325	2.96
CONSOLIDATED	662,640	33,133	695,773	261,058	434,723	8.79

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Belk to reject the request to release personal property tax lien of Herman Gaul in so far as it pertains to SE 1/4 11-118-52. All voted yes, none nay, motion to reject request carried.

Bond approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Williams, as follows: Ralph Fischer, Treas.Kranzburg Twp. Carol Keller, Treas. Wallace C.H.Jones,Treas. and Ed Nerland, Assessor town of Florence. Town of Kranzburg bonds as follows: Helen E. Bauer,Treas., Robert Raml, Justice of Peace, Susan M. Korbel, Clerk, Henry A. Haan, Assessor. School Treasurers - Lloyd Stark,Treas. #15, Ina Hvidhyld, Treas.Dist #48, John W. Rowe,Treas #42.

On motion by Belk, seconded by Williams the following officers were authorized to attend State Officials Convention at Belle Fourche, S.D. September 19, 20, and 21 with expenses to be paid as prescribed by code: Auditor, Treasurer, Clerk of Courts, Register of Deeds, Highway Superintendent, Director of Equalization, and County Commissioners. On roll call all voted yes, none no, and chairman declared motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded Board adjourned until 10 A.M. Sept.24, 1957.

Irma Welch
Codington County Auditor.

September 24, 1957.

Commissioner convened as Board pursuant to adjournment at 10 A.M., all present except Williams. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims checked and approved on motion of Belk, seconded by Keenan:

GENERAL Sheriff Office Exp. Secretary of State 6.50. Court Expense-Palace of Sweets 15.50. James R. Feyder 30.10, Mabel Alworth 126.46, Cecilia M. Beirne 126,46, Joe Gerlach 25.00, Hazel Hegarty 135.00. Sheriff Fees & Salary-Bert Smith 110.00, Jailor Wm. J. Meyer 275.00. Veterans Service Office-George Burke 210.00, Evelyn Nigg 64.80. Court House Maint. Carl Deal 250.00, County Extension Audrey Kleveter 175.00.(County Judge Office Exp.)Bee Ann Kass 16.00 Board of Insanity. Civil Defense-Eddie Howson 25.00, Memorial Park-Arnold Hofteizer 100.00, Bessie Hofteizer 100.00. Register of Deeds Office Exp. Doris Harrington 113.50. Comm. Per Diem-Vernon H. Belk 62.50, Adolph Hogstad 62.50, James L. Keenan 50.00, Herb Skinner 87.50. Comm. Mileage Vernon H.Belk 14.00, Adolph Hogstad 16.10, James L. Keenan 66.50, Herb Skinner 19.39. Comm.Salary Vernon H. Belk 15.00, Adolph Hogstad 15.00, James L. Keenan 15.00, Herb Skinner 15.00. Convention & Research Edna Derenthal 37.00, Margaret Brown 37.00. WEED BOARD Matt Brandriet 200.00, C.M.V. C.S.Rasmusson 575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt215.00, Sever Tobiason 205.00, Joe W. Stricherz 369.60, Clarence B. Sumner 342.00, Harold Scriver 298.80, Claude VanSickle 328.80, Ed Gould 160.65, Alfred Spring 214.65, James Hendren 387.00, Burton Jackson 291.00, Carl Zweig,Jr. 282.00, Thomas Spiering 207.50, Clarence Helle 197.50, Henry C. Erickson 196.25, Curtis Underwood 212.30, Chas. Krogman 236.50, Andrew T. Larson 205.60, Julius Lentz 126.50, Fred C. Brownell 161.70, Leo Clausen 147.40, Harold Nafus 100.00, Clarence R. Stavick 48.00, Phillips Jenkins 135.00, Joe Rachor 120.00, Joe Schmeling 159.00. SP.BR. Ed Gould 172.80, Alfred Spring 15.53, Carl Zweig,Jr. 16.50, Clarence Helle 10.00, Henry C.Erickson 33.75, Julius Lentz

145.20, Fred C. Brownell 107.80, Harold Nafus 122.00, Clarence R.Stavick 39.00. Co.SP.HI. LAKE-Ed Gould 17.55, Alfred Spring 45.90, Carl Zweig,Jr. 21.00, Thomas Spiering 7.50, Clarence Helle 45.00, Henry C. Erickson 23.75, Curtis Underwood 5.50, Andrew T. Larson 46.20, Julius Lentz 14.30, Fred C. Brownell 7.70, Leo Clausen 27.50, Harold Nafus 12.00, Clarence R. Stavick 13.00, Joseph Rachor 24.00. CH&BR Alfred Spring 67.50, Carl Zweig, Jr. 67.50, Clarence Helle 50.00, Henry C.Erickson 73.75, Andrew T. Larson 125.40, Leo Clausen 112.20, Phillip Jenkins 86.00, Joseph Rachor 107.00. CO.SP.HI. RICHLAND: Alfred Spring 6.75, Carl Zweig,Jr. 6.00, Clarence Helle 8.75, Andrew T. Larson 9.90. CO.SP.HI.KAMPESKA-Burton Jackson 90.00, Carl Zweig,Jr. 3.00, Thomas Spiering 63.75, Clarence Helle 16.25, Curtis Underwood 61.60, Chas.Krogman 50.60, INSTITUTE: Keith Newcomb 50.00, Faye Nelson 5.00, Mrs. Doris Nelson 10.00, Dr. Evelyn Newman 50.00.
SALARY: Aauditors office-Irma Welch 352.50, Alice V.Olson 215.00, Edna Derenthal 195.00, Fay Wohlheter 185.00, Hilary Jensen 170.00. Treasurers office-Paul Krakowski 352.50, DeLoris A.Goodroad 215.00, Joyce Rowe 195.00, Elizabeth M. Larson 185.00. Register of Deeds Office-Margaret Brown 324.16, Beverly Mickelson 210.00, Hazel O. Duncan 170.00, Clerk of Courts office-Walter A. Farl 324.16, Leilah Auby 195.00. Superintendent of Schools Office-Hazel Murphy 352.50, Ruth Johnson 295.00. States Attorney Office-Dean Sumner 311.25, Ed P. Gribbin 160.00, Audrey McRoden 150.00. Director of Equalization Glenn Mitchell 352.50, W.F.Peterson 215.00, Carol DeVetter 150.00. County Judge - Herbert O. Norbeck 400.00. Municipal Judge-Donald W. Lobitz 200.00.

William McMahom came before the Board to offer compromise settlement of Rose Rischer liens. A current lien of $202 and property is involved. No action taken.

Moved by Hogstad, seconded Belk to permit County Superintendent of Schools to attend Circuit Meeting at Webster, S.D. October 4, with expenses paid as provided by Code. Motion carried.

Albin Hjermstad, Treas. #20 School Dist, and Vincent Leemhuis,Treas. #19 Dist. bonds approved on motion Keenan, seconded Hogstad. Motion carried.

Irma Welch as County Auditor requested abatement of 1951 tax on Lots 5 & 6, Block 12, Florence Village. This property was in the name of the county prior to its sale to Goodhue Lutheran Church. Belk moved request be granted, seconded by Keenan.Motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded Board adjourned until 10 A.M. October 1,1957.

Irma Welch
Auditor, Codington County

October 1, 1957.

Commissioners met as County Board, at 10 A.M., pursuant to adjournment, all were present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims checked and approved on motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan. GENERAL: Court Expense Dorothy Stonebarger 25.28. Convention & Research: C.S.Rasmusson 32.50, Adolph Hogstad 19.00, James L. Keenan 19.00, Al M. Williams 36.00.

George Burke, Veterans Service Officer's report for September 1957 noted.

Motion by Keenan, seconded Belk to accept $75.00 as compromise settlement of August Warneke estate insofar as it pertains to Lots 8, 9, 10, Block 4, Original Plat, South Shore. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk, seconded Hogstad, the States Attorney be empowered to proceed immediately to draw an order to be executed by the Circuit Court, to show cause why the County farm property should not be sold. County farm property's legal description is SW¼ 4-116-52.

RESOLUTION NO. 333

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA: SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON :

WHEREAS, The Board of County Commissioners in and for Codington County, South Dakota, duly assembled in a legal regular authorized meeting, deems it advisable and expedient to proceed with the sale of the real property described as SW¼ 4-116-52 and formerly used for the operation of a County Poor Farm,

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that the duly elected, qualified and acting States Attorney, Dean Sumner, be authorized to draw a petition, said petition to be executed by the Chairman of the Board, and to be directed to the Judge of the Circuit Court in and for the Third Judicial Circuit, and to petition said Judge to make an Order directing the electors of Codington County To Show Cause, if any there be, why the above mentioned property should not be sold at public auction.

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan, seconded by Commissioner Hogstad, and on roll call all voted "Yea", none "nay" whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota, this 1st day of October A.D. 1957.

Herb Skinner, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, S.D.

ATTEST: Irma Welch Auditor
Codington County, S. Dak.

RESOLUTION NO. 334

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STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA: SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON :

WHEREAS, The Board of County Commissioners in and for Codington County, South Dakota, duly assembled in a legal, regular, authorized meeting, deems it advisable to establish rates for snow removal for municipalities of second, third and fourth class within Codington County, under the supervision of the County Highway Superintendent,

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that a written request for such service by the town board of said municipalities to the County Highway Superintendent shall be made, and rates to be as follows:

Motor grader with snow plow wing, and operator	$10.00 per hour
Rotary Snow Plow, with operators	20.00 per hour
Motor Grader for grading streets only, and operator	9.00 per hour

Time charged will be portal to portal travel.

This resolution applies to streets only and is effective October 1, 1957 to January 1, 1958 at which time a new resolution will be drawn up by the County Commissioners.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan, seconded by Commissioner Williams, and on roll call all voted "Yea", none "Nay" whereupon the Chairman declared the resolution duly passed and adopted.

Dated this 1st day of October, A.D. 1957 at Watertown, Codington County, S. Dak.

Herb Skinner Chairman

Al M. Williams

Attest: Anna Belk Auditor
Codington County, S.D.

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until 10 A.M. October 8, 1957.

October 8, 1957

Board of County Commissioner met at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment, all members present, chairman Skinner presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Williams:

GENERAL: Court Expense-Clifford Larrabee 20.42. Ruhe Stat. 5.45, Loucks, Oviatt & Bradshaw 280.67, James G. McFarland 188.50, Nash Finch Co. 6.90, Schiager & Schiager 25.00, Veterans Service Office -Postmaster 3.45, Treas.Office Exp. Postmaster-154.31. Supt. Schools Office Exp. Postmaster 50.96, South Shore Gazette 52.26, Wat'n Pub.Opin. 111.76, The Cincinnati Pencil Co. 5.10, News Printing Co. 39.75, Rubber Stamp Co. 1.00, Triangle School Serv. 2.92, Tax Collector-31.61-Postmaster, Ruhe 2.08, W.E.Knight 385.14. Supr. Assessors Postmaster 38.50. States Attorney Office Exp. Postmaster 2.85, Ruhe 4.50, Public Welfare 25.34 to Postmaster. Sheriff Office Exp. Postmaster $15.22, Ruhe 2.65. Register of Deeds Office Exp. Postmaster 54.32, Ruhe .34, Duffner Drug Store 1.85, Mitchell Publishing Co. 10.54, Remington Rand 35.60. Co.Court Office Exp. Postmaster .84, F.C.Grow Sons 11.00. County Expension-Postmaster 16.52, Ruhe 3.55, F.C.Grow Sons 11.50. Clerk of Courts Office Exp. Postmaster 46.06, Brown & Saenger 11.70, LaFrance Office Equipment Co. 16.00. County Auditor Office Exp. Postmaster 48.29, Ruhe 1.88, Brown & Saenger 341.50, Midwest Beach Co. 3.62, Monroe Calculating Machine Co. 26.00, Panama Carbon Co. 15.90. Court Expense - Postmaster 2.50. Printing & Adv. Postmaster 5.10. Treas. Office Exp. Ruhe 6.00, Monroe Calculating Machine Co. 391.50. Prtg & Adv. South Shore Gazette $60.38, Watn Pub.Opin. 243.03. Election Expense Midwest Beach Co. 5.07 Assessor Supplies Panama Carbon Co. 114.00. Tax Deed Expense-Hazel Schliesmann 85.00. Supt. Schools Mileage 40.48. Tree Bounty - Edward Becking 21.50, Philip Bergh 7.00, Emil Beskow 10.00, Edgar O. Bunde 10.00, Wallace Bunde 13.50, Fred Busskohl 5.00, Raymond L. Christensen 11.00, William Comes 11.00, Ole Dahl 28.00, Delmar Dale 21.50, Paul David 6.50, Walter David 30.00, Dorus J. Ehlert 45.00, John A. Erickson 11.50, Julius Feyereisen 12.50, John M. Fischer 13.50, Joseph Fisher 25.00, M.J.Fox 13.50, Henry Grewing 13.00, Orrin Gunderson 5.00, J. E. Henning 6.50, Francis J. Hupf 50.00, Earling Johnson 29.50, Lawrence Kahnke 6.00, Karen Kjos 19.50, John Klein 17.50, Delia Kranz 8.00, Edward J. Lindner 11.00, Wilfred Kranz 21.50, Wilbert Kranz 25.00, Archie Little 17.50, Paul McElhaney 20.50, Peter Mack 4.50, LaVern Marquardt 9.00, Arthur Meland 14.50, W.E.Mollberg 7.50, Harvey Monahan 23.00, Joe Murphy 14.50, Howard Noeldner 12.00, Donald Nogelmeier 16.00, A.E.Oleson 8.00, Alice V. Olson 13.00, Ed J. O'Toole 19.50, John F. O'Toole 33.50, Leo E. Page 7.50, Clarence Passig 13.00, Tom Popham(Popham Bros.)14.00, Ralph Raml 7.50, Edward Redlin 10.00, Elmer Redlin, Jr. 50.00, Robert Redlin 25.00, Ed Redmond 5.00, Ed Ronke 15.50, L. C. Rueschenberg 11.50, Harold Sanwick 11.00, L.S. Spencer 22.50, Glenn Stadheim 32.50, Lloyd Stark 11.00, Maynard Stormo 8.75, Nick Stricherz 50.00, Leonard Strohfus 7.50, Albert Sturm 27.00, Matt Suttor 27.50, Roland Theide (Theide Bros.) 22.50, Vern L. Thorson 17.50, George Trygstad 12.50, Jerome J. Turbak 50.00, L.H.Loken - Wat'n Sales Pavilion 8.50, Harry Weagel 9.50, Harry G.Williams 22.50, Theodore J. Wrage 22.50, Dale Zemlicka 19.50, Reuben Zielsky 11.50, Joe Johnson 11.50, Comm. Per Diem - Vernon H. Belk 62.50, Adolph Hogstad 62.50, James L. Keenan 87.50, Herb Skinner 62.50, Al M. Williams 62.50. Comm. Mileage-Vernon Belk 14.00, Adolph Hogstad 15.47, James L. Keenan 17.50, Herb Skinner 13.30, Al M. Williams 53.20. Comm. Salary 15.00-Al M. Williams. Sheriff-Board of Prisoners LLoyd Shenk 84.40.

Sheriff Fees 148.50, Sheriff Mileage 146.85, Radio - Lewis Gerriets 10.05, Coroners Expense - Leslie E. Mathiesen 15.46. Court House Maint. City Treas. 259.69,Churchill Mfgg. Co. 135.45, Dunlop Wallpaper & Paint Co. 6.54, Fillmore & Bradberry,Inc. 34.80, Inman Plumbing & Htg Co. 21.65, Albin Johnson 4.00, Montgomery Ward 1.10, Nelson Hdwe 69.74, NW Bell Tel. Co. 262.50, NW Products Co. 101.00, Otis Elev.Co. 58.55, Pitney-Bowes, Inc. 5.90, Redlinger Bros. 9.56, Sani-chem Corp. 36.00, Herb Skinner Jr. 25.00, Zeller Concrete Prod.Co. 1.00. County Farm - City Treas. 14.43. County Extension - City Auditor 30.00, Dwane Hammer 111.50, Clara W. Johnson 32.97, Fred Morris 38.63. C.H.M. Watn Impl.Co. 15.91. Bd of Insanity: Donald N.Fedt,M.D. 45.00, Don May 5.00, Theo. Meyer Jr. 5.00. Bd of Health-H.Russell Brown M.D. 58.14. Memorial Park Hayford Plbg & Htg Co. 9.60, Mahowald Co. 10.65, NW Public Service Co. 40.47, Vern's Service 1.33. Co.Bd.of Education-Mrs. Robert C. Bard 16.14, Philip Bergh 25.50, Wilard S. Grow 15.21, Earling Johnson 16.16, Mark N. Mack 16.26, W. I. Nichols 25.08, Ben Thyen 20.46. Co Farm Art Schwanke 2.00. Co Poor; Lloyd Shenk $38.00 for Sylvia Sharp. Mrs. Lucille Gordon 25.00 Emma Jenkins, Mrs. Alex Haeffner $20.00 for Debbie Heathdote, Kinstad Rest Home 146.00-Ola Hanson 26.00, Baile Berg 20.00, James Chambers 35.00, Rupert Gatchell 25.00, Will Selchert 20.00, John Farley 20.00. Mrs. Elizabeth Marsh 15.00 for Mattt Kemp. Mrs. Edgar Rudy 17.50 for Norma Remedies. St.Bernards Prov.Hospital 64.00 Mrs. Mary Meyers, Irene Stockman 55.00 for Loretta Stockman, Watertown Rest Home 169.00 for Louie Mourere 20.00, Naomi Adams 40.00, Ben Bergerson 35.00, Pauline Woodworth 74.00. Mrs. Grace Wilson 105.00 for William Ball 90.00, Harry King 15.00. Svendsen Nursing Home 150.00 Hilda Ebens 90.00, Rosa Dixon 25.00, Mary Kirkeby 25.00,Teresa Schumer 30.00. Bartron Clinic 660.99 -Seve & Mrs. Wisneski 18.15, Chas.Alt 8.60, Almon Bale 10.50, Blanche Berry 6.50,Delbert A.Button 79.00, Wm. Ball 12.00, Wm Czech 18.95, Bert Crandall 116.00, John Fjerstad 11.80, John Farley 10.83, Mrs. Carl Hemiller 2.00, Mrs. Chris Jensen 14.00, Alice Jungen 13.15, James F. Keyser 50.60, Albert Kritta 17.50, Louis Mowere 7.10, Mr. & Mrs. Charles Ward Montney 13.50, Neils Neilson 14.60, Anna Parsley 43.08, Hector Parliament 8.95, Josephine Roethler 20.25, Mrs.Francis Schmeling & Daughter 43.78, Evelyn Schultz 43.25, Hanna Smith 10.00, Eva Schultz 13.00, Will Selchert 41.90, Lena Trummer 5.20, Ferne Washtoak 5.80, Pauline Woodworth 1.00. Drs.Gregory & Johnson 3.00 Mary Troelson. Haggar Drug Store 173.21 Pauline Woodworth 9.45, Martin Bale 15.17, Mrs.Frank Gillies 6.48,Mr.& Mrs. Iver Rislov 5.18, Harry King 18.03a Emma Klucas .77, Ferne Washtoak 54.81, Mary Kirkeby 1.80, N. T. Nelson .90, Reinhard Luck 22.95. Kreisers Drug Store 162.66-Lena Radtke 5.85, Mrs. Dooks Tiejen 25.02, C.O.Monson 20.07,Chas. Alt 17.37, Chris Engels 1.35,Jas. Chambers 65.70, Mrs.Henry Be ker 4.45, Wm. Ball $5.90, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg 16.95. Memorial Hospital 936.91 Martin Bale 17.50, Henry DeWall 239.72, Tollef Faehn 19.30, Henry Kraft 94.13, Wayne Krueger 341.48, Niels Neilson 138.27, Lena Trumer 55.11,Alfred Vick 31.40. Reaney's Lunch 10.90-Vince McGurk. S.D.Children's Aid 84.25-Soren Nelson 43.25,Lyl Lyle Gerjets 41.00. Mrs. N.E.Sotka 30.00-Rosa Shape, St. Ann Hospital 1491.10-Henry Ries 160.50, Elizabeth Kritta 255.70, Joe Hobelsberger 107.40, Geo.Braa 542.10,Della Sigfried 58.15,Josephine Welter 367.25. Mrs. Abner Sturdevant 200.00-Abraham Schramm 25.00, George Manley 87.00, Eddie Hayes 88.00. Thomes Drug Store 68.75 Ella Alexander 2.03,Chas. Bierscheid 4.05, Mabel Johnson 12.37, Mrs. Carol Briggs 2.92, Richard DePeel 5.49,Alfred Vick 41.89. Dr. M. C. Thompson 101.00-Emma Dralle 9.00, Clarence Morrison 44.00,Richard DePeel 2.00, Henry & Jessie Lippelt 33.00, Frank Lehman 13.00. Duffner Drug Store-118.27 Ed Wight 1.49, Mathilda Blek 10.10, Mr.& Mrs.Chas.Ward Montney 27.72, Oranna Mills 8.89, Matt Kemp 10.35, Ola Hanson 23.67, Carl Berge 12.60, Wm. Ball 15.66, R. Gatchell .85, Emma Jenkins 5.09. Medical Arts Clinic 63.00-Edith Bunde 10.00, Emil Herter 6.00, Matt Kemp 2.00, Reinhart Luck 2.00,Grant Peterson 4.00, Alfred Vick 9.00, Mrs. Wayne Krueger 30.00. O. P. Skaggs Store 44.46-Edwin Bates 2.46, Mrs. Carol Briggs 7.46, Ellwood Opitz 10.46, Bert Gerjets 15.52, Jud Turner 4.17, Sylvia Sharpe 4.39. R.E.Hunter-15.64 Almon Bale. Co. Farm-Bartron Clinic 10.20.
INSANE: Lloyd Shenk 114.00. SALARY Supr.Assessors Glenn Mitchell 30.59. TRUST FUND-Lucy R. Grant 15.00.
ROAD: NW Public Service 6.55, City Treas. 7.04, Postmaster 4.13,
C.H.&.B.R. L.T.Brekke 247.45, Cecil J. Campbell 38.32, Walter B. Gusso 78.40, C.E.McGowan Lumber Co. 8.39,
SPECIAL BRIDGE Ray L. Carr 32.30, NW Road Supply Co. 504.22, South Dakota Concrete Prod. Co.1726.26,
HIGHWAY & BRIDGE NW Road Sup.Co.83.00, Algard Machine Shop 11.25, Care Supply Co. 29.69, Cod.Cty Impl.Co. 7.00, Fleet Wholesalers Supply 10.32, James Hendren .75, Henry Oil Co. 65.38, Int.Harv.Co. 296.21, Mahowald Co. 3.84, Marquardt's Serv.& Sup. 8.66, Mont.Gomery Ward & Co..72, Motor Supply Co. 94.34, Reaneys Service 91.35, Sanders Chev.Co. 2.36, S.D.Dept. of Highways 114.20, Sheehan-Bartling Co. 794.07, Michael Todd & Co.215.23, Watn Machine Works 24.00, Watn Tire Co. 3.80, Wesco Steel Co. 47.84. TEXTBOOKS;American Book Co. 71.70, Educator Supply Co. 178.20, Follett Pub. Co. 240.64, Houghton Mifflin Co. 298.55, J.B.Lippincott & Co. 102.40, McCormick-Mathers Pub.Co. 59.79, Scott Foresman & Co 242.24, Chas. Scribner's Sons 134.40, Silver Burdett Co. 45.25, Midwest Beach Co. 154.80, Warp Pub. Co. 21.28, Triangle School Service 34.12, Wilson Truck System 1.75,
WEED BD Matt Brandriet 65.66. HI.&.BR. Watn Impl.Co. 8.27, Vern's Serv.462.39. Redlinger Bros. 3.07. TUITION Henry Ind. School Dist #27 116.00, Waverly Ind. School Dist #74 6,438.00.

Register of Deeds fees $70[illegible].90, and Clerk of Courts fees $301.15 for Sept. were approved on motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan.

Tree bounties for year of 1957 were approved on motion by Hogstad, seconded Keenan as far as funds provide.

The bills for Sanator 84.37, Yankton 1,904.00 were approved on a motion by Williams, seconded Hogstad. Motion carried.

Auditors account with County Treasurer showing Deposits in Bank $286,025.25, Cash $11,856.55, Govt. Bonds $180,702.06, Jail Bonds 29,166.31 for month of Sept. was approved on motion by Belk, seconded Hogstad.

County Auditor requested a motion by the Board on the apportionment of Rent and Sale funds - $4,880.69 as follows: Insane 289.91, Redfield 154.23, Co.General 1,851.25, Salary 894.63, Co. Road 302.11, CH&BR 1147.93, Weeds 67.84.Special Bridge 172.78. Motion made by Belk, seconded Keenan to grant request. Motion carried.

County Auditor requested Board to transfer $124.50 from Grazing fund to

County General, and a motion by Williams, seconded by Hogstad to grant request, carried. Then Auditor requested transfer of $1000.00 to Insane Fund and $1000 to Redfield from County General. Request granted on motion by Keenan, seconded Belk. Motion carried.

Moved by Hogstad, seconded by Williams that the Fire Underwriters be authorized to insure contents of Court House and County Machine Shops. All voted yea and none no, whereupon the Chairman declared motion carried.

Moved by Commissioner Belk, seconded Keenan that in accordance with decision of the S.D. Supreme Court and final judgment entered in appeal from Third Judicial Circuit Court, the application for abatement and refund of taxes as made and presented to Board on January 24, 1956 in Notices Nos. 03536 and 03537 for the year 1955 be abated on the following property in the amounts taxed as follows: On Lot 5, Block 7, Syndicate Addn to Watertown, Codington County, S. Dak. in the amount of $113.47 and that all and any further proceedings that may have been had in connection with said taxes including tax certificates Nos. 265 and 266, dated December 17, 1956 issued to and held by this county, be set aside and cancelled of record by the County Auditor and CountyTreasurer as void and of no effect. Further that the taxable costs adjudged against this county in Circuit Court in the amount of $23.00 and in the Supreme Court in the amount of $165.50 be allowed and ordered paid to James G. McFarland. On roll call all voted " yea", none "nay" therefore the chairman declared the motion carried.

R E S O L U T I O N No. 335

WHEREAS there has been received the sum of $5614.69 from the sale of Motor Vehicle License Plates, properly apportionable to the various townships of Codington Co. South Dakota, being the 28% (twenty-eight percent) required to be placed in the fund and denominated in the office of the County Auditor, as Township Motor Vehicle Fund, and

WHEREAS said apportionment is required to be made quarterly at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in January, April, July and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment among the respective townships for the third quarter of 1957

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective townships as follows, to-wit: Kranzburg $483.42: Sheridan $280.68: Henry Twp. $280.68: Elmira $280.68: Gaceland $280.68: Waverly $358.65: Rauville $397.63: Germantown $374.25: Dexter 467.81 and Eden $280.69. Total $3,485.17.

AND WHEREAS, the County Highway System has not been completed and work must be done on the County Highway System in the following townships: Pelican $280.68: Kampeska $280.68: Lake $280.68: Richland $280.68: Fuller $445.42: Phipps $280.69: Leola $280.69 Total $2,129.52.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that said fund apportionment as above set out be held by the County Auditor to pay for the completion of the County Highway System in the said townships, in the apportion as above provided and pursuant to law, and no part thereof shall be actually paid over to the said townships provided ;however that any amount of the respective allotments not paid out for the pompleting of the roads of the County HighwaySystem shall revert to and be payable to the said townships.

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption byCommissioner Keenan, and seconded by Commissioner Belk and upon Roll Call all Commissioners voted yes, and none voted No--Whereupon the Chairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 10th day of October, 1957.

Herb Skinner Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
Codington County, S.Dak.

ATTEST: Anna Welch Auditor
Codington County, S. Dak

RESOLUTION No. 336

WHEREAS there has been received the sum of $640.02 from the sale of Motor Vehicle License Plates, properly apportionable to the various municipalities of Codington County, South Dakota, and

WHEREAS said apportionment is required to be made at the meeting of the Boar d of County Commissioners in January, April, July and October, and this being the time to make the apportionment for the third quarter of 1957.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Codington County, South Dakota that the said money be apportioned to the respective municipalities as follows: Florence $34.56: Henry Vil. $34.56: S Shore Vil. $34.56: Wallace V 25.60: Kranzburg V. 23.04. Watertown $487.70. Total $640.02.

The above and foregoing resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Hogstad and seconded by Commissioner Williams, and upon Roll Call all Commissioners voted yea, and none voted no, whereupon theChairman declared the same to be duly passed and adopted.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 10th day of October, 1957.

Herb Skinner Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, S.D.

ATTEST: _____ Auditor
Codington County, S.D.

Mrs. Blake, Child Welfare Worker came before the Board in regard to doctor and hospital care for Billy Vermillion and Lyle Gerjets, and for bill of Mrs. Henry Meyer for care of children.

On motion duly made and seconded Board adjourned until 10 A.M. October 15,1957.

Auditor
Codington County, S. Dak.

October 15, 1957.

Commissioners convened at 10 A.M. as Board of County Commissioners pursuant to adjournment, all members present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Moved by Williams, seconded Belk to release County Liens A442-850, 3669 for C.M. & Mary Stanley, paid in full October 28, 1954, but not released in office of Register of Deeds. This was paid by Receipt #2771E. Motion carried.

Matt Brandriet, County Weed Supervisor's September report approved by Williams, seconded Keenan.

Moved by Keenan, seconded Williams to accept compromise settlement of Chris and Alica Engels liens, payment of $3,000 in full settlement of all county liens against the Engels. On roll call all voted yes, none voted no, and motion carried.

Bond of Orrin Korth, treas.Dist 61 approved on motion by Belk, seconded Keenan.

Deed for Lot 5, Block 1 - LaDou's First Addn to Watertown was accepted from Mrs. Blanche Mitchell, and ordered recorded and insured on motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan to abate 1951 tax on Lot 7, Block 21, Town of Wallace, as this is county property and should not be taxed. Motion carried.

Representative from State Department of Game, Fish and Parks came before the Board in regard to Sandy Shore area at Lake Kampeska in regard to establishing a recreation area.

The Board approved the statement received from the State Tax Division showing number of miles of main line and side track and value per mile for year 1957 of each of the railroads running through Codington County, aldo approved the statement showing the value and mileage of Northern Natural Gas Co., Great Lakes Pipe Line, Northwest Public Service miles and valuation, Ottertail Power Co. miles and valuation. Motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan to approve the list as submitted. Motion carried, and Auditor ordered to file the same.

The County Superintendent of Schools requested permission to attend an Associated School Boards Annual Meeting at Aberdeen, October 29. Motion by Williams, seconded by Hogstad, to permit her to do so with expenses paid as provided by State Code. Motion carried.

Board adjourned on motion duly made and seconded, until 10 A.M. Oct.22.

Auditor

October 22, 1957.

Board met pursuant to adjournment at 10 A. M. all present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on motion by Belk, seconded Hogstad:

GENERAL: Auditor Office Expense E.J.McDermott 6.00. Comm. Per Diem.Vernon H.Belk 50.00, Adolph Hogstad 62.50: Jas.L.Keenan 75.00, Herb Skinner 75.00: Al M. Williams 75.00: Comm. Mileage - Vernon Belk 11.90, Adolph Hogstad 18.48, Jas. Keenan 16.10, Herb Skinner 14.07, Al Williams 22.40.

Moved by Belk, seconded Hogstad to approve and cause to be printed the following:

NOTICE OF HEARING

To afford the opportunity for individuals to be heard on the economic effects of the location of highway improvements notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held in the Commissioners Chambers, Court House, Watertown, S.D. at 10 A.M. on November 5, 1957 at which time the following will be considered:

F.A.S. Route 825 from N.E. corner of Section 34, Township 116 North, Range 54 West of the Fifth P.M. to the S.E. corner of Section 34, Township 116 North, Range 54 West of the Fifth P.M.

F.A.S. Route No. 499-Bridge across Stray Horse Creek and on North-south Section line between NE¼-Section 34-116-51 and NW¼ Section 35-116-51.

F.A.S. Route No. 499 Bridge across Stray Horse Creek and on North-South Section line between SE¼ Section 34-116-51 and SW¼ Section 35-116-51.

F.A.S. Route No. 498-Bridge across Stray Horse Creek and on East-West Section line approximately 0.15 mile east of the N.W. corner of Section 23-116-51.

F.A.S. Route No. 498-Bridge across branch of Stray Horse Creek and on East-West Section line approximately at N.W. Corner of Section 25-116-51.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 22nd day of October, 1957.

ATTEST: Irma Welch Auditor
Codington County, S.D.

Herb Skinner Chairman
Board of County Commissioners

On roll call all voted yes, none voted no, and chairman ordered the Notice of Hearing to be published.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Keenan to correct an error on deed recorded July 13, 1956, Book 183, Page 57 in Register of Deeds Office, and on roll call all voted yes. The proper instrument, to correct the error, has been filed by Dep. States Atty.Ed Gribbin.

Moved by Williams, seconded Keenan to approve Dave Falvey bond for school Dist #24. Motion carried.

Predatory animal bounty claims were approved as follows: Harry Borns 4.00 Badger, Jim Harkin 4.00 badger, Daryl Hamann 4.00 badger, Lloyd Stark 7.50 fox, Darrell Harkin 4.00 Badger, Bobbie Sharp 4.00 badger, Vernon Arbogast 4.00 badger, Freda Peterson 4.00 badger, Ramona Popham 7.50 fox,John W. Rowe 4.00 badger, Carl Bevers 4.00 Badger, Floyd Thacker 15.00 2 foxes,A. H. Lindgren 4.00 badger, Floyd Drake 7.50 fox,James Haider 4.00 Badger, Orrin Korth 4.00 Badger, Kenard Kucker 7.50 foxd W.R.Walters 7.50 fox, Mrs. John Rowe 4.00 Badger, Dick Jurgenson 7.50 fox, Warren F. Thacker 7.50 fox, Corrine Yocom 4.00 badger, Eugene Moyer 4.00 badger, Roland W. Schwanke 7.50 fox. and on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Belk, motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded, Board adjourned until 10 A. M. October 29, 1957.

Irma Welch Auditor

October 29, 1957.

Board convened at 10 A. M. pursuant to adjournment, all members present, Chr. Skinner presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Williams: SALARY: Auditor Irma Welch 352.50, Alice V. Olson 215.00, Edna Derenthal 195.00, Fay Wohlheter 185.00, Hilary Jensen 170.00. Treasurer-Paul Krakowski 352.50, DeLoris A. Goodroad 215.00, Joyce Rowe 195.00, Elizabeth M. Larson 185.00, Register of Deeds Margaret R. Brown 324.16, Beverly Mickelson 210.00, Hazel O. Duncan 170.00. Clerk of Courts Walter A. Farl 324.16, Leilah Auby 195.00. Supt. Schools Mrs. Hazel Murphy 352.50, Ruth Johnson 295.00. States Attorney 311.25 Dean Sumner, Ed Gribbin 160.00, Audrey Roe 150.00. Director of Equalization Glenn Mitchell 352.50, W.F. Peterson 215.00, Carol DeVetter 150.00. County Judge-Herbert Norbeck 400.00, Municipal Judge Donald W. Lobitz 200.00.

GENERAL: Sheriff Fees & Salary-Bert Smith 110.00. Jailor Wm. J. Meyer 275.00, Court Expense Mabel Alworth 126.46, Cecilia M. Beirne 126.46, Joe Gerlach 25.00, Hazel Hegarty 135.00,Veterans Service Officer-George O. Burke 210.00, Evelyn Nigg 75.60. Court House Maint. Carl Deal 250.00. County Extension Audrey Kleveter 175.00. Civil Defense-Eddie Howson 25.00. Register Deeds Office Exp. Doris Harrington 67.00. Co. Judge Office Exp. Bee Ann Kass 40.00, Mary Horning 19.25. Court Expense Maybelle Halvorson 30.42, Elsie Cohoon 20.42. Comm. Per Diem, Salary, Mileage-Vernon H. Belk 76.90, Adolph Hogstad 62.86, James L. Keenan 79.70, Herb Skinner 81.38, Al M.Williams 52.50. WEED BOARD: Matt Brandriet 47.32, 200.00. C.M.V. C.S.Rasmusson 575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt 215.00, Sever Tobiason 205.00. SPECIAL BRIDGE Joe W. Stricherz 328.80, Claude VanSickle 220.20, Clarence B. Sumner 332.40, Harold Scriver 264.00, Ed Gould 168.75, Alfred Spiering 22.95, James Hendren 145.50, Burton Jackson 46.50, Carl Zweig Jr. 187.50, Thos.Spiering 3.75, Clarence Helle 166.25, Henry C. Erickson 145.00, Chas. Krogman 11.00, Fred Brownell 191.40, Curtis O. Underwood 5.50, Leo Clausen 5.50, Julius Lentz 138.60, Joseph Rachor 3.00, Phillip Jenkins 168.00, Joe Schmeling 88.00. CO.SP.HI.KAMPESKA Joe Stricherz 8.40, Claude VanSickle 81.00, Harold Scriver 4.80, Ed. Gould 122.85, Alfred Spring 5.40, James Hendren 64.50, Burton Jackson 120.00, Carl Zweig,Jr. 28.50, Thos.Spiering 100.00, Clarence Helle 25.00, Henry C. Erickson 87.50, Chas. Krogman 176.00, Fred Brownell 71.50, Curtis O. Underwood 88.00, Leo Clausen 4.40, Andrew T.Larson 5.50, Julius Lentz $110.00. CO.SP.HI. LAKE Joe Stricherz 12.00, Harold Scriver 26.40, Carl Zweig,Jr. 45.00, Clarence Helle 32.50. CODSP.HI.LEOLA-Ed Gould 32.40, Alfred Spring 25.65, Henry C. Erickson 30.00,Leo Clausen 20.90, Andrew T. Larson 20.90, Julius Lentz 26.40, Joseph Rachor 19.00.C.H.& B.R. Alfred Spring 274.05, Carl Zweig,Jr. 112.50, Clarence Helle 83.75, Fred Brownell 11.00, Curtis O. Underwood 22.00, Leo Clausen 238.70, Andrew T. Larson 237.60, Phillip Jenkins 44.00. CO.SP.HI. PELICAN James Hendren 165.00, Burton Jackson 168.00, Thos.Spiering 200.00, Henry C. Erickson 37.50, Chas. Krogman 89.10, Curtis O. Underwood 148.50.CO.SP.HI. FULLER Clarence Helle 6.25.

John W. Meyer appeared before the Board in regard to release of county liens of a Goldie Meyers. Goldie Meyers, against whom County liens are filed is not the Goldie Meyer, wife of John W. Meyer. The records in the office of the County Auditor show Goldie Meyers was from Roberts County in 1950, and is a different individual from the wife of John W. Meyer. On motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan, liens are released of Goldie Meyers insofar as they pertain to the J.W.Meyer property.

Bond of Mildred Zirbel, Clerk of Town of South Shore, was approved on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan, seconded Hogstad that the States Attorney be authorized to take legal action to collect payment of Clara Hineline and Henrietta Fritz, and any other cases from other counties which are now pending. Motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded Board adjourned until 10 A.M. Friday, Nov. 1, 1957.

Irma Welch Auditor

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ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
:SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON :

WHEREAS a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles of main line and side track and the value per mile for the year 1957 of each of the railroads running through or into said County, as fixed by said Commission, towit:

COMPANY, LINE OR DIVISION	MILEAGE Main Line	MILEAGE Side Track	VALUATION Per Mile Main	VALUATION Per Mile Side	VALUATION Main Line	VALUATION Side Track	TOTAL VALUATION
CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN							
Minnesota State Line	11.76	.26	5083	1356	191,365	353	191,718
Dakota Division	26.36	.52	4742	1367	134,292	711	135,003
GREAT NORTHERN							
Watertown to Huron	33.06	.76	6079	1959	241,873	1489	243,362
Wat'n to Sioux Falls	5.68	.12	4520	994	31,891	119	32,010
M & ST. L.							
Pacific Division	16.65	.39	3508	654	87,677	255	87,932
Northwestern Division	24.19	.36	2014	654	58,069	235	58,304
TOTALS	117.70	2.41			745,167	3162	748,329

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State that the number of miles of Main Line and Side Track, shown by the plats of each of said railroads on file in the office of the County Auditor, and the value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township and school district of Codington County, South Dakota for the year 1957 shall be as follows:

BY TOWNSHIPS

Name of Taxing District	Mileage Main Line	Mileage Side Track	Valuation Per Mile Main	Valuation Per Mile Side	Valuation Main Line	Valuation Side Track	Total Valuation
WATERTOWN, C&NW Minn.Ln	2.14				142,467		142,467
C&NW Dakota Div.	2.50				20,225		20,225
GN Huron Br.	2.85				55,146		55,146
GN Sioux Falls	00				6,217		6,217
M&STL Pacific	2.06				36,505		36,505
M&STL Northwest	1.45				6,068		6,068
HENRY, C&NW Dakota Div.	1.02				5,760		5,760
SOUTH SHORE, GN Huron Div.	1.26				10,740		10,740
FLORENCE, M&STL Northwestern	.51				4,704		4,704
WALLACE, M&STL Northwestern	.50				3,533		3,533
KRANZBURG, C&NW Minn.Line	6.09	.26	5083	1356	30,955	353	31,308
SHERIDAN C&NW Dakota	6.71	.23	4742	1367	31,819	315	32,134
PELICAN, C&NW Dakota	4.58		4742		21,718		21,718
PELICAN GN Huron	7.25		6079		44,073		44,073
PELICAN, GN Sioux Falls	5.68	.12	4520	994	25,674	119	25,793
KAMPESKA, C&NW Dakota	6,09	.29	4742	1367	28,878	396	29,274
KAMPESKA, GN Huron	2.69	.38	6079	1959	16,352	744	17,096
HENRY, C&NW Dakota	4.92		4742		23,331		23,331
ELMIRA, C&NW Minn.	3.53		5083		17,943		17,943
ELMIRA, M&ST.L.Pacific	6.15		3508		21,570		21,570
ELMIRA, GN Huron	2.25		6079		13,678		13,678
LAKE, C&NW Dakota	.54		4742		2,561		2,561
LAKE, GN Huron	1.77		6079		10,760		10,760
LAKE, M&ST.L. Northwest	6.52	.35	2014	654	13,131	229	13,360
WAVERLY, M&STL.Pacific	8.44	.39	3508	654	29,602	255	29,857
WAVERLY GN Huron	.90		6079		5,471		5,471
RAUVILLE, GN Huron	7.74	.38	6079	1959	47,051	745	47,796
FULLER, M&STL. Northwest	7.69		2014		15,488		15,488
LEOLA GN Huron	6.35		6079		38,602		38,602
DEXTER, M&STL Northwest	1.93		2014		3,887		3,887
EDEN, M&ST L. Northwest	5.59	.01	2014	654	11,258	6	11,264
Totals	117.70	2.41			745,167	3,162	748,329

BY SCHOOL DISTRICTS

SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER	MILEAGE MAIN LINE	MILEAGE SIDE TRACK	VALUE PER MILE MAIN	VALUE PER MILE SIDE	VALUATION MAIN LINE	VALUATION SIDE TRACK	TOTAL VALUATION
#1, Watertown	11.89	.07	5,109	1,367	280,716	96	280,812
#2 C&NW Dakota Div.	4.65		4,742		22,050		22,050
#3, M&STL Northwest	3.96		2,014		7,975		7,975
#5 C&NW Minn.State Line	3.04	.26	5,083	1,356	15,452	353	15,805
#7 GN Sioux Falls Branch	5.68	.12	4,520	994	25,674	119	25,793
#7 GN Huron Br.	3.62		6,079		22,006		22,006
#8 GN Huron Br.	4.02		6,079		24,437		24,437
#9 C&NW Dakota Div.	3.58		4,742		16,976		16,976
#10 M&STL Northwest Div.	.65		2,014		1,309		1,309
#13 GN Huron Br.	3.20	.38	6,079	1,959	19,453	745	20,198
#14 M&STL Pacifid Div.	5.26		3,508		18,452		18,452
#16 C&NW Minnesota Line	2.01		5,083		10,217		10,217
#17 C&NW Minn. Line	3.53		5,083		17,943		17,943
#17 C&NW Dakota Line	2.24		4,742		10,622		10,622
#24 C&NW Dakota Div.	2.98	.29	4,742	1,367	14,131	396	14,527
#25 GN Huron Div.	2.69	.38	6,079	1,959	16,353	744	17,097

BY SCHOOL DISTRICTS CONTINUED:							
#27 C&NW Dakota Div	3.44		4,742	1367	16,312	396	16,312
#27 M&ST L.NW Div.	3.51		2,014		7,069		7,069
#29 C&NW Dakota Div.	2.50		4,742		11,855		11,855
#36 GN Huron Branch	2.88		6,079		17,508		17,508
#37 M&STL Northwest Div.	2.03	.01	2,014	654	4,088	06	4,094
#38 GN Huron Branch	2.38		6,079		14,468		14,468
#39 GN Huron Braznch	3.63		6,079		22,067		22,067
#41 M&STL Northwest Div.	1.17		2,014		2356		2,356
#43 M&STL Northwest Div.	1.49		2,014		3,000		3,000
#46 M&STL Northwest Div.	3.08		2,014		6,203		6,203
#51 M&STL Northwest Div.	3.77		2,014		7,593		7,593
#63 M&ST L Pacific Div.	2.71		3,508		9,507		9,507
#64 C&NW Minn. Line	1.04		5,083		5,286		5,286
#66 C&NW Dakota Div.	3.65	.16	4,742	1367	17,308	219	17,527
#67 GN Huron Branch	1.19		6,079		7,234		7,234
#73 M&STL Northwest Div.	3.08	.35	2,014	654	6,203	229	6,432
#74 M&ST L.Pacific Div.	6.62	.39	3,508	654	23,223	255	23,478
#74 GN Huron Braanch	6.60		6,079		40,121		40,121
Totals	117.70	2.41			745,167	3,162	748,329

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 15th day of October, 1957.

Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, South Dakota.

Attest: Inma Welch Auditor,
Codington County, South Dakota.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
:SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON :

WHEREAS a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission, showing the number of miles and total valuation of the Pipeline Companies for 1957, running through or into said County as fixed by said Commission, to-wit:

Name of Company	Miles	Total Valuation
Great Lakes Pipe Line Co.	11.09	384,925

NOW THEREFORE it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said county and state, that the number of miles of Pipeline shown by the plats of each pipeline company on file in the office of the County Auditor, and value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township and school district of Codington County, South Dakota, for the year 1957 be as follows:

BY TOWNSHIPS

Taxing District	Name of Company	Miles	Total Valuations
Kranzburg Twp.	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	6.69	28,780
Sheridan Twp.	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	4.40	356,145
	Totals	11.09	384,925

BY SCHOOL DISTRICTS

School District	Name of Company	Miles	Total Valuation
1	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	.51	399,410
11	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	2.05	8,819
12	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	3.91	16,821
17	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	3.34	14,369
52	Great Lakes Pipeline Co.	1.28	5,506
	Totals	11.09	384,925

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 15th day of October, 1957.

Chairman,
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, S.D.

Attest Inma Welch Aauditor,
Codington County, S. Dak.

1957
ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
:SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON :

Whereas, astatement has been received from the State Tax Commission showing the number of miles and total valuation for the year 1957 of each of the electric light or power companies running through or into said County, as fixed by said commission, to-wit:

Name of Company	Miles	Total Valuation
Northwest Public Service Co.	72.10	156,308
Otter Tail Power Co.	3.25	10,898
Totals	75.35	167,206

NOW THEREFORE it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and state, that the number of miles of electric light and power companies shown by the plats of each said electric light and power company on file in the office of the County

the County Auditor and value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township, and school district of Codington County, South Dakota for the year 1957 is as follows:

BY TOWNSHIPS

Taxing District	Name of Company	Miles	Total Valuation
South Shore	Ottertail Power Co.	1.7	9,505
Leola	Ottertail Power Co.	1.55	1,395
Watertown	Northwest Public Service	3.5	19,532
Florence	Northwest Public Service	...	8,808
HenryaTown of	Northwest Public Service	....	12,131
Wallace	Northwest Public Service	....	6,266
Kranzburg	Northwest Public Service	....	4,520
Grover	Northwest Public Service	....	1,064
Sheridan	Northwest Public Service	0.5	1,735
Richland	Northwest Public Service	1.0	6.94
Lake Twp	Northwest Public Service	10.5	30,860
Kranzburg Twp.	Northwest Public Service	8.0	11,157 (-3) 6315
Kampeska Twp	Northwest Public Service	15.0	13,088
Henry Twp.	Northwest Public Service	12.0	22,033
Graceland Twp	Northwest Public Service	...	488
Fuller Twp	Northwest Public Service	0.5	1,008
Elmira Twp	Northwest Public Service	11.1	13,811
Eden Twp	Northwest Public Service	6.0	4,940
Dexter Twp	Northwest Public Service	4.0	3,347
Kampeska Village	Northwsest Public Service	...	826
		75.35	167,206

BY SCHOOL DISTRICTS

School Dist.	Company	Miles	Total Valuation
1	Northwest Public Service	4.50	20,459
2	Northwest Public Service	4.50	7,167
3	Northwest Public Service	2.00	6,345
5	Northwest Public Service	1.00	5,772 - 4520
6	Northwest Public Service	1.00	531 OK
8	Northwest Public Service	1.50	2,042
9	Northwest Public Service	4.00	5,755
12	Northwest Public Service	4.00	6,636
14	Northwest Public Service	1.00	1,415
16	Northwest Public Service	2.00	2,017
17	Northwest Public Service	8.10	11,162 - 1735
24	Northwest Public Service	8.00 6.5	15,377 - 9539
25	Northwest Public Service	4.50	3,548 -
27	Northwest Public Service	6.50	28,155 - 12,131
28	Northwest Public Service	3.50	12,448 - 8,208
29	Northwest Public Service	2.50	3.597
37	Northwest Public Service	2.00	7,696 - 6266
4 38	Northwest Public Service	1.50	1,235
38	Ottertail Power Co.	3.25	10,898
44	Northwest Public Service	2.00	6,345
51	Northwest Public Service	3.50	2,990
52	Northwest Public Service	....	325
54	Northwest Public Service	3.00	2,900
64	Northwest Public Service	1.00	927
73	Northwest Public Service	.50	1,464
	Totals	75.35	167,206

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 15th day of October, 1957.

Attest: Irma Welch Auditor
Codington County, S.D.

Herb Skinner Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, S.D.

ORDER OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS 1957

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA :
:SS
COUNTY OF CODINGTON :

WHEREAS, a statement has been received from the State Tax Commission showing the number of miles and total valuation for the year 1957 of each of the natural gas company lines running through or into said County, as fixed by said commission, to-wit:

Name of Company	Miles	Total Valuation
Northern Natural Gas Co.	8.683	~~52,361~~ 52,631

NOW THEREFORE it is ordered and decreed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and State, that the number of miles of Natural Gas Company shown by the plats of said natural gas company on file in the office of the County Auditor and value thereof in each city, incorporated town, township and school district of Codington County, South Dakota for the year 1957 is as follows:

BY TOWNSHIPS

Taxing District	Name of Company	Miles	Total Valuation
KampeskaTwp	Northern Natural Gas Co.	1.306	6,823
Watertown	Northern Natural Gas Co.	.....	7,271
Pelican Twp	Northern Natural Gas Co.	7.377	38,537
	Totals	8.683	52,631

BY SCHOOL DISTRICTS

School District	Name of Company	Miles	Total Valuation
#1	Northern Natural Gas Co.	TBS	7,271
#7	Northern Natural Gas Co.	3.871	20,170

#25	Northern Natural Gas Co.	1.306	6,823
#39	Northern Natural Gas Co.	3.516	18,367
	Totals	8.683	52,631

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 15th day of October, 1957.

Herb Skinner Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Codington County, S. Dak.

Attest: Irma Belch Auditor
Codington County, S. Dak.

Above report was filed, typed but not published.

November 1, 1957.

Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10 A.M., all present. Chairman Skinner presiding.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Hogstad, to release liens of Melvin Lake, insofar as they pertain to lots 27-28, block 17 Davis addition. Lake had a contract for deed and no equity in the property. Motion carried.

Moved by Hogstad, seconded by Belk, to approve compromise settlement of Marjorie Enger liens totalling $58.90 for $25.00 cash in full settlement. Motion carried.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Hogstad to refund $1.00 for dog tax to A.J.Kleinsasser. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Belk, to refund $2.00 school poll to Theo Allison as he was double assessed in Dist. 71 Dexter, and Dist 67 Leola. Refund Dexter Dist 71 $2.00 school poll Theo Allison approved on affirmative vote of all commissioners.

Moved by Belk, seconded by Hogstad to grant Eddie Howson permission to attend a Civil Defense meeting in Pierre, expenses to be paid as provided by law.

The Commissioners have decided to enter group Hospital-Medical Insurance contracts for the protection of the Officers and all regular county employees as provided by Chapter 17 1957 Session Laws. The maximum coverage of 50% effective December 1, 1957. This motion was made by Keenan, seconded by Hogstad, and upon roll call all voted yes, none no, whereupon the chairman declared the motion carried.

The commissioners having given careful consideration to many submitted insurance plans it was moved by Hogstad, seconded by Belk to accept the Blue Cross Insurance plan. On roll call all commissioners voted yes, and none no, therefore theChairman declared the motion carried.

On a motion duly made and seconded Board adjourned until 10 A.M. Nov. 5th, 1957.

Irma Belch Auditor

November 5, 1957.

Board of County Commissioners convened at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment, all Commissioners present. Chairman Skinner presiding.

Verified claims were checked and approved on motion by Williams, seconded by Belk as follows: GENERAL: Court Expense Glen H. Taken 5.14, Fred Fashant 30.42, Arthur Vogt 24.24, Carl Paulis 25.42. TRUST FUND - Lucy R. Grant $15.00.

Bills for Yankton 1,900.50, Sanator 88.66, Redfield for Sept.825.00 and Oct. 825.00 were approved on motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk. Motion carried.

Hazel Murphy, County Supt. of Schools was given permission to attend SDEA at Mitchell, Nov.6,7,and 8,1957, with expenses paid as prescribed by law. On a motion by Hogstad, seconded Keenan, permission granted. Motion carried.

A hearing was held in the Commissioners Chambers in the Court House, Codington County, Watertown, South Dakota at 10:00 A.M. Nov. 5, 1957 in accordance with advertised notice to afford the opportunity for individuals to be heard on the economic effects of the location of highway improvements on FAS Routes No.s, 825, 498 and 499 in Codington County, South Dakota. j;No one appeared to be heard on the projects. The Board of County Commissioners considered the economic effects of the locations of the projects and adjourned the hearing.

October fees for Clerk of Courts $317.85 and Register of Deeds 607.10 were approved on a motion by Hogstad, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

After some discussion, a motion was made by Keenan, seconded by Belk, that all cars that are left in the Court House lot under the Sheriff's supervision be parked in the stalls allotted to the Sheriff by the County Commissioners or removed to proper storage places. T The cars mentioned above are those left here by persons serving sentences in the State Penitentiary. Motion carried.

A quit claim deed to correct an error of deed in minutes of October 22 was prepared by Ed Gribbin, Deputy States Attorney, and the County Auditor, and Board Chairman were directed to sign said deed on a motion by Belk, seconded by Williams. Motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded Board adjourned until 10 A.M. Nov. 12, 1957.

Irma Belch Auditor
Codington County, S.D.

Board of County Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10 AM all members present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims checked and approved on motion by Williams, seconded by Keenan as follows: GENERAL: Poor-Postmaster 20.00, Burgdorf Nursing Home $250.00-Susan Mack 70.00,Alpha Mudge 70.00, Nels T. Nelson 100.00, Florence Williams 10.00. Sadya DeGraff $45.00 for Vincent McGurk. Anna Fischer 25.00-Clara Soulak, Mrs.Lucile Gordon $25.00-Emma Jenkins. Kinstad Rest Home $146.00-Ola Hanson 26.00, Karl Berge 20.00, James Chambers 35.00, Rupert Gatchall 25.00, William Selchert 20.00, John Farley 20.00. Elizabeth Marsh 15.00-Matt Kemp. Mrs. N.E.Sotka 30.00-Rosa Shape. St. Williams Home 61.75-Mrs.Mary Meyers. Irene Stockman 55.00-Loretta Stockman. Sturdevant Rest Home 75.00-Abraham Schram 25.00, Eddie Hayes 25.00, George Manley 25.00. Swendsen Nursing Home 150.00-Hilda Ebens 70.00, Rosa Dixon 25.00, Mary Kirkeby 25.00, Teresa Schumer 30.00. Watertown Rest Home 154.33-Louis Mourere 5.33, Naomi Adams 40.00, Ben Bergeson 35.00, Pauline Woodworth 74.00. Mrs. Grace Wilson 55.00-Wm Ball 40.00, Harry King 15.00. Mrs. Edgar A. Rudy 17.50-Norma Remedies. Duffner Drug Store 190.89-Matt Kemp 5.64, George Manley 7.31, Eddie Hayes 17.21, Bernard J. Murray 8.93, Emil Herter 10.80, Emma Jenkins 2.55, Mathilda Blek 7.50, Oranna Mills 11.16, Mr.& Mrs. Chas. Ward Montney 56.52, Carl Berg 13.50, Ola Hanson 16.92, Inga Yarns 15.30, Rupert Gatchall 2.79, Wm. Ball 14.76. Watn Public Opinion $9.00, Ruhe Stat. 10.98. Bartron Clinic-582.48-Chas.Alt 3.60, Earl Blowers 7.00, Almon Bale 30.15, A.O.Borns 15.00,Mrs.Dorothy Cowman 4.00, John Farley 30.65, Bert Gerjets 5.60,Mrs.Chris Jensen 8.00, Elizabeth Kritta 79.00, Jas.F.Keyser 23.20, Roman Lewno 139.00, Robert Main 1.20, Mary Mills 14.00, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg 32.20, Louis Mourere 12.93, Mr.&Mrs.Chas.Ward Montney 10.70, N.C.Nelson 39.20, Chester Olson 6.00, Anna Parsley 5.20, Josephine Roethler 27.30, Eva Schultz 5.50, Hilda Schmeling 6.40, Della Siegfried 7.75, Lena Trummer 21.40, Ferne Washtoak 11.80, Steve Wisneske 28.25, Pauline Woodworth 5.05, Ed Wight 2.40. Brown Clinic 761.25-Ella Alexander 24.75, Hilda Haack 11.00, Mrs.Virgil Redwing 25.00, Mrs. Frank Gillies 24.00, Chas. Bierscheid 10.00, Richard DePeel 4.00, George Bra 6.00, Jerry O'Brien 30.00, Henry Ries 98.00, Douglas & Catherine Fischer 77.00, John & Mary Lantgen 37.00, Cecilia Painter 39.00, Mrs. Henry Becker 11.00, Josephine Welter 89.00, Dennis Painter 142.00, Wilhelm Jackson 60.00, Mr.& Mrs.Iver Rislov 17.00, Seymore Peterson 36.50, Alice Jungers 4.00, Mary Halling 16.00. Donald N. Fedt,M.D. 6.00-Emma Klucas. Alex Haeffner 20.00-Debbie Heathcote. Haggar Drug Store 302.48-Hilda Ebens 24.71,E.Bunde 4.86, Jerry O'Brien 38.25, Reinhard Luck 23.99, Pauline Woodworth 18.23, N.T.Nelson 30.38, Mr.& Mrs.Iver Rislov 7.20, Mary Kirkeby 1.80, Rosa Dixon 2.43, Hilda Ebens 35.51, Martin Bale 48.29, Ferne Washtoak 66.83. Hayes-Lucas Lumber Co. 26.29 - Catherine Brockhoft. L.H.McKenna $11.40-Mary Troelson. Medical Arts Clinic 94.00--Mrs.Wayne Krueger 8.00, Emil Herter 8.00, Martin Bale 43.00, Edith Bunde 8.00, Reinhardt Luck 2.00, Grant Peterson 9.00, Naomi Adams 4.00, Mrs. Ellen Anderson 12.00. Medical Arts Pharmacy 86.71 Hilda Haack 14.98, Jerry O'Brien 1.62, Henry Ries 15.21, Mrs. Henry Becker 46.26, Richard DePeel 8.64. Memorial Hospital 1,408.62-Naomi Adams 27.70, Martin Bale 11.25, Otis Olson 105.42, Richard Kemp 84.29, Henry Kraft 338.09, Mrs. Iva Kruger 63.97, Louise Mourere 517.17, Iver Rislov 139.62, Evelyn Schultz 87.61, Alfred Vick33.50.Shaw-Messer Ambulance $5.00 Henry Kraft. Sioux Valley Coop Oil Co. 15.20-Anna Parsley. O.P.Skaggs Store29.26-Robert Hall 7.96, Mrs. Carol Briggs 7.92, Bert Gerjets 13.38. Socony Mobile Oil Co. 16.97 Almon Bale. S.D.Children's Aid-141.01-Lyle Gerjets 101.01, Soren Nelson 40.00. St. Anns Hospital 3,242.50-Josephine Welter 453.25, Dennis Painter 841.65, Cecilia Painter 805.80, Chester Olson 551.50, Roman Lewno 125.90, Wilhelm Jackson 393.80, Mary Halling 70.60. Standard Oil Co. 7.60 - Mrs. Carol Briggs. Thomes Drug Store 75.48-Grant Petersen 12.28, Roy Strait 8.64, Alfred Vick 33.93, Mable Johnson 13.27, Richard DePeel 5.90, Mrs.Carol Briggs 1.46. Dr. M.C.Thompson 64.00-Clarence Morrison 32.00, Geo.Manley5.00, Eddie Hayes 5.00, Mrs. Henry Lippelt 12.00, Roy Strait 6.00, Richard DePeel 4.00. Watertown Com.Oil 24.05-Jud Turner 15.70, Robert Hall 8.35.

Court Expense-Dwight Monteith 15.28, E.C.McNulty 5.14, Wm. Ruesink 20.56, Jim Suttor 25.84, Charlotte Zweig 15.28, Duffner Drug Store 2.29, Ruhe Stat. 38.41, Lyle Nelson 25.42, Richard Russell 25.42, Wm. Ruesink 5.14, Elmer C. Krull 25.42, Sam Sigelman 15.42, Eugene John Morris 20.42. Comm. Per Diem Vernon Belk 112.50, Adolph Hogstad 62.50, James L. Keenan 75.00, Herb Skinner 75.00, Al Williams 75.00. Comm. Mileage-Vernon Belk 26.25, Adolph Hogstad 18.48, James L. Keenan 21.00, Herb Skinner 17.99, Al Williams 14.00. Printing & Advertising - Credit Bureau 12.00, F.C.Grow Sons 25.00. Auditors Office Exp. Dakota Bus. Machines 50.00, Duffner Drug Store 1.18, Int.Bus.Mach.Corp. 8.59, Rubber Stamp Co. 1.20, Ruhe Stat. 5.25, Photo News 47.00. States Attorney Office Exp. Rubber Stamp Co. 4.05, Dean Sumner 1.00. Clerk of Courts Office Exp.Ruhe Stat. 1.65, Brown & Saenger 39.08, News Printing Co. 1.73. Sheriff Office Exp. Ruhe Stat. 1.90. Board of Prisoners-Lloyd Shenk 20.80. Sheriff Fees & Salary 158.72.Lloyd Shenk. Tax Deed Exp. Lloyd Shenk 13.00. Sheriff Mileage - Lloyd Shenk 464.10. Treas. Office Exp. Ruhe Stat. 1.75. County Extension-Ruhe Stat. 2.30, City Auditor 30.00, Clara W. Johnson 67.05, Fred Morris 77.49. Supervisor of Assessors-Glenn Mitchell 30.00. Tax Collector-W.E.Knight 374.84. Publication Fees-LaFrance Office Equip.Co. 694.62. Supt. Schools Office Exp. Brown & Saenger 7.83, The Geo.F.Cram Co.Inc. 9.25, C.A.Gregory Co. 40.25, Harolds Camera Shop 4.00, Midwest-Beach Co. 37.24. Justice Fees - Robert C. Carlson 32.20. Co.Judge Office Exp. Jan Joyce Spiering 18.00. Co.Board of Health-H.Russell Brown,M.D. 55.70. Memorial Park-NW Pub Serv. 13.80. County Farm - City Treas. 2.93, Redlinger Bros. 11.40, Spies Super Valu 7.66. Court House Maint. City Treas. 361.60, Dakota Welding Supply Co. 2.00, Dandar Elec.Motor Rep.2.75, Egge Elec. 11.87, Gray Const.Co. 46.37, Hillyard Sales 61.00, J.H.Larson Elec.Co. 39.76, Miller Bros.Lumber Co. 2.72, Motor Supply Co. 5.00, Nelson Hdwe 5.14, NW Bell Telephone Co. 316.05, Otis Elev.Co. 58.55, Park Grant Co.52.10, Pitney Bowes Inc. 21.60, Wilson Storage & Trans.Co.2.00. Ins. & CBonds-Albert N.Fox 52.25. Co.Board Education-Mrs.Robt. C.Bard 79.39, Willard S.Grow 10.14, Mrs.Inez Hanson 20.75, Melvin Hanson 25.00, Earling Johnson 16.91, Mark N. Mack 10.84, W.I.Nichols 16.72, Ben Thyen 6.82,

ROAD: NW Public Service-5.14, City Treas. 8.16, Harold Scriver 3.55.

C.H.& B.R.-S.D.Dept.Highways $11,130.66. SP.BR. Miller Bros.Lumber Co.29.46, S.D.Concrete Products Co. 311.32. CO.SP.HI.KAMPESKA-Miller Bros.Lumber Co. 40.70, S.D.Concrete Prod. 71.55. CO.SP.HI.PELICAN Miller Bros. Lumber Co. 40.70, S.D.Concrete Prod.Co.71.55.

HIGHWAY & BRIDGE Cave Supply Co.48.18, Dak.Weld.Supply 43.18, J.D.Evans Equip.Co.14.33, Fleet Wholesalers 3.23, Florence Service $214.86, Foster-Bell Co.30.31, Gooch Sales Co. 24.29, Kenneth Hayes Elec.2.94, Hurkes Impl.Co.97.84, IHC 190.70, Keller Hdwe 7.40, K & Z Serv.34.36, Keuffel & Esser Co. 18.55, C.E.McGowan Lumber Co. 29.62, Motor Supply Co. 42.11, Treas.M & St.L.RR Co.2,016.00, Pecaut Equip.Co.153.75,Red Owl & Gamble Agency 3.00, Schweigers Inc. 5.44, Sheehan-Bartling Co. 240.99, Sioux Road,Inc.72.24, Socony Mobile Oil Co.Inc. 1,667.75, Standard Oil Co. 3.71,Thompson Yds 21.40, Arthur Schwandt 49.00, Vern's Service 383.17, Watn Impl.Co. 9.55, Watn Tire Co. 14.75, John L.Zimprich 5.88.

TEXTBOOKS-J.B.Lippincott Co. 278.50, Chas. E. Merrill Books 256.04, A.N.Palmer Co. 28.50, L.W.Singer Co. 13.95, Midwest-Beach Co. 288.95. TUITION Castlewood Ind.School Dist #1 688.00, Thomas Ind.Cons.School Dist 704.00. WEED BOARD - Paul David 5.82, Joseph J. Fox 5.68, Robert Redlin 6.52. SALARY-Supervisor Assessors 31.36 Glen Mitchell.

Adolph Hogstad was excused at 2 P.M. on account of illness.

December 10 was set for hearing applications for sale of alcoholic beverages on motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk. Motion carried and public notice of hearing to be published.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Belk to supplement the Budget as set up in 1957 as follows: GENERAL FUND - Court House Maintenance $3,100.00, Social Security $900.00, Commissioners Per Diem $1,250.00, Tree Bounty $250.00....Total $5,500.00. On roll call all present voted yes, (four voting, one absent). Motion carried.

On motion duly ;made and seconded Commissioners adjourned until 10 A.M. Nov.19, 1957.

Irma Welch Auditor
Codington County, S.D.

November 19, 1957.

Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment at 10 A.M. all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on motion by Hogstad, seconded Belk, as follows: GENERAL: Court Expense - Elmer C. Krull 25.42, Sam Sigelman 15.42, Eugene John Morris 20.42. Memorial Park - $300 Codington County Highway Dept. Poor $19.00 to Cod.Cty Highway Dept., County Farm - $61.25 to Cod. Cty. Highway Dept. WEED BOARD-H.C.McCullough $20.00.

Bounty claims checked and approved on motion by Keenan, seconded Belk - motion carried. $4.00 each Badger-Robert Adams, George Keszler, E.W.Pries, Dave MacFarlane, John Harriott, Frankie Welch and Walter Mohr. $8.00 for 2 badgers - Mrs. Lloyd Hanks, Courtney Eck. $7.50 each Fox for Darman Koll, Richard Lantsberger, Delwyn Nogelmeier, Roland Fischbach, Warren Amy, Donald W. Elliott, Bob Bonfoey, Arvid Frankenhoff, Alvin Tulowetzke, Orlan Hogie, August Anderson, L.W.Everhard, Harvey Kumm, Henry McPeek, Eugene Moyer,Carl Nelson, Merrill Markegard. $7.50 for Coyote to Ward Stafford. $15.00 for 2 foxd Don DeBerg.

Auditors account with treasurer showing deposits in bank $621,511.89. Cash $34,622.02, U.S.Government Bonds $181,702.06 and Jail Bonds $29,166,31 was moved for approval by Belk, seconded by Keenan. Motion carried.

Bond of William Aaker, Treas. School Dist 53 was approved on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Williams.

Representatives of Watertown Public Opinion, South Shore Gazette and Henry Independent came before the Board to discuss legal publication rates.

On motion duly made and seconded Board adjourned until Tuesday November 26,1957 at 10 A.M.

Irma Welch Auditor
Codington County, S.D.

November 26, 1957.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, at 10 A.M. all members present, Chairman Skinner presiding.

Verified claims checked and approved on motion by Belk, seconded Williams:
GENERAL: Printing & Advertising-Henry Independent 451.07, South Shore Gazette 24.12.
SALARY: Auditor-Irma Welch 352.50, Alice Olson 215.00, Edna Derenthal 195.00, Fay Wohlheter 185.00, Hilary Jensen 170.00, Carol DeVetter 150.00. Treas. Paul Krakowski 352.50, DeLoris Goodroad 215.00, Joyce Rowe 195.00, Elizabeth Larson 185.00. Register of Deeds-Margaret Brown 324.16, Beverly Mickelson 210.00, Hazel O. Duncan 170.00. Clerk of Courts-Walter Farl 324.16, Leilah Auby 195.00. Supt. Schools-Mrs. Hazel Murphy 352.50, Ruth Johnson 295.00. States Attorney-Dean Sumner 311.25, Ed P. Gribbin 160.00, Audrey Roe 150.00, Director Equalization-Glenn Mitchell 352.50, Chris Hvidhyld 107.50. Municipal Judge - Donald W.Lobitz 200.00. County Judge 400.00 Herbert Norbeck.
GENERAL: Sheriff Fees & Salary-Bert Smith 110.00. Jailor-William J. Meyers 275.00. Court Expense-Mabel Alworth 126.46, Cecilia M. Beirne 126.46, Joe Gerlach 25.00, Hazel Hegarty 135.00. Vet.Serv.Officer George Burke 210.00. C.Hse.Maint.Carl Deal 250.00, County Ext. Audrey Kleveter 175.00. Civil Defense-Eddie Howson3 25.00. Reg.Deeds Office Exp. Doris Harrington 126.00, Co.Judge Office Exp. Jan Joyce Spiering 11.10, Bee Ann Kass 57.00, Board of Insanity-Bee Ann Kass 5.00. WEED BOAR D-Matt Brandriet 200.00.
C.M.V. C.S.Rasmusson 575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt 215.00, Sever Tobiason 205.00.
SPECIAL BRIDGE - Joe W.Stricherz 337.20, Claude Van Sickle 314.40, Clarence B.Sumner 322.80, Harold Scriver 295.20, Ed Gould 352.35, Alfred Spring 174.15, Burton Jackson 346.50, Carl Zweig,Jr. 270.00, James Hendren 345.00, Thos.Spiering 296.25, Henry Erickson 312.50, Clarence Helle 210.00, Curtis O. Underwood 271.70, Andrew T.Larson 169.40, Chas. Krogman 279.40, Julius Lentz 297.00, Fred C.Brownell 286.00, Leo Clausen 188.10, Joseph Rachor 136.00, Phillip Jenkins 116.00, Harold Nafus 10.00. CO.SP.HI.KAMPESKA-Claude Van Sickle 3.60, Clarence B.Sumner 7.20, Burton Jackson 7.50, Carl Zweig Jr. 4.50, Andrew T. Larson 2.20. CO SP.HI.PELICAN-Claude VanSickle 3.60, Clarence B. Sumner 10.80, James Hendren 27.00, Thos.Spiering 25.00,Chas. Krogman 22.00. CH&BR Ed Gould 12.15,Alfred Spring 106.65, Burton Jackson 7.50, Carl Zweig Jr. 40.50, Clarence Helle 25.00, Curtis O. Underwood 11.00, Andrew T. Larson 63.80, Leo Clausen 52.80, Joseph Rachor 67.00,Phillip Jenkins 10.00. CO.SP.HI.FULLER-Alfred Spring 67.50, Carl Zweig Jr. 10.50, Clarence Helle 38.75, Andrew T. Larson 33.00, Leo Clausen 44.00, Joseph Rachor 20.00. CO.SP.HI.LAKE-Burton Jackson 22.50, Carl Zweig Jr. 64.50, Clarence Helle 51.25, Curtis O. Underwood 13.20, Joseph Rachor 10.00, Phillip Jenkins 30.00.
GENERAL: Comm. Per Diem Vernon Belk 100.00, Adolph Hogstad 112.50, Jas Keenan 87.50, Herb Skinner 87.50, Al Williams. 112.50. Mileage-Vernon Belk 28.00, Adolph Hogstad 15.32,06,

Jas. Keenan 16.10, Herb Skinner 18.97, Al M. Williams 14.70. Salary-Commissioners-Vernon Belk 15.00, Adolph Hogstad 15.00, Jas Keenan $15.00, Herb Skinner 15.00, Al Williams 15.00. Insurance & Bonds-Blue Cross Ins. $251.04. Civil Defense-Ed Howson 32.00.

Moved by Williams, seconded Hogstad the Director of Equalization, County Auditor and County Commissioners given permission to attend assessors school at Mitchell, Dec.4,5,6, 1957 with expenses to be paid as provided by statute. Motion carried.

A letter was read by the County Auditor from Kenneth Way, representative of the Watertown Public Opinion, interpreting the printing laws passed by 1957 legislature, as they apply to Codington County. These session laws became effective July 1, 1957.

School Treas. bonds as follows approved on motion by Keenan, seconded Belk. Dist 68 - Mrs. Albert Schaack, #9 Marvin Strohfus. Motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded board adjourned until 10 A.M. December 3, 1957.

Anna Welch Auditor
Codington County, South Dakota.

December 3, 1957

Board convened pursuant to adjournment, at 10 A.M. all present except Hogstad. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims checked and approved on motion by Belk, seconded Williams:
TRUST FUND: Lucy R. Grant $15.00, C. Wayne True $16,000.00.

This being the time and place for adoption of Supplemental Budget, no one appeared to protest, the following Resolution was passed:

RESOLUTION #337.

WHEREAS Acting under Chapter 43 of the Session Laws of the State of South Dakota of 1947, and upon notice duly published to adopt a Supplemental Budget for the year 1957

AND WHEREAS, it is deemed necessary and advisable to adopt a Supplemental Budget so that the County of Codington may conduct the indispensable functions of Government,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the following amounts as set out herein shall constitute and be adopted as the Supplemental Budget for 1957:

GENERAL FUND:	
Court House Maintenance	$3,100.00
Social Security	900.00
Commissioners Per Diem	1,250.00
Tree Bounty	250.00
Total	$5,500.00

The above and foregoing Resolution was moved for adoption by Commissioner Keenan, and seconded by Commissioner Williams, and upon Roll Call all Commissioners voted "Yea" and none voted "Nay" whereupon the Chairman declared the Resolution duly passed and adopted. (Hogstad absent)

Dated this 3rd day of December, 1957 at Watertown, S.D.

Herb Skinner
Vernon Belk
Al M. Williams

ATTEST: Anna Welch Auditor

Veterans Service Officer report for month of November was noted by the Board

Moved by Williams, seconded by Keenan that Mrs. Hazel Murphy, County Superintendent of Schools, be permitted to attend the Circuit Meeting at Webster, December 13 with expenses paid as provided by Statute. Motion carried.

Bond of Paul Kingslien, Treas.Dist 17, moved for approval by Belk, seconded Keenan.Motion carried.

RESOLUTION #338

WHEREAS there has been withheld the sum of $6,712.93 from the sale of Motor Vehicle Kicense Plates properly apportionable to Richland, Phipps and Eden Townships in Codington County, S.D. being the twenty-eight percent required to be placed in the fund, to be known as the County Special Highway Fund, and denominated in the office of the County Auditor as Township Motor Vehicle Fund,

AND WHEREAS the sum withheld is greater than required to complete the necessary work in the said County Highway System, in the said townships,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the sum of $6,712.93 be apportioned to the said townships as follows: Richland $2180.05, Phipps 2491.21, Eden 2041.67,Total $6712.93.

The above and foregoing was moved for adoption by Commissioner Belk, seconded by Commissioner Keenan, and upon roll call all Commissioners voted yes and none voted no,

December 3, 1957.

whereupon the Chairman declared the motion to be duly passed and adopted,

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota this 3rd day of December 1957.

Board of County Commissioners:
Codington County, South Dakota:

Herb Skinner
Vernon H Belk

Al M. Williams

ATTEST: Irma Welch Auditor

On a motion duly made and seconded Board adjourned until 10 A.M. December 10, 1957.

December 10, 1957.

Commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment all present, at 10 A.M. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on motion by Williams, seconded Hogstad.Motion carried:

GENERAL: Poor-Mrs.Lucille Gordon $25.00-Emma Jenkins, Burgdorf Nursing Home $157.34-Susan Mack 35.00, Nels T.Nelson 50.00, Florence Williams 5.00, Alpha Mudge 67.34. Sadya DeGraff $22.50-Vincent McGurk. Mrs. Alex Haeffner $20.00-Debbie Heathcote. Kinstad Rest Home $171.00-Ola Hanson 26.00, Karl Berge 20.00, James Chambers 35.00, Rupert Gatchell 25.00, Will Selchert 20.00, John Farley 20.00, Henry Ries 25.00. Elizabeth Marsh 23.00-Matt Kemp 15.00, Harry Crandall 8.00. Mrs. Edgar A. Rudy 17.50-Norma Remedies. Mrs. Ernest Sotka $30.00-Rosa Shape. Irene Stockman 55.00-Loretto Stockman. Sturdevant Rest Home 75.00-Eddie Hayes 25.00, George Manley 25.00, Abraham Schram 25.00. Watertown Rest Home $149.00-Naomi Adams 40.00, Ben Bergeson 35.00, Pauline Woodworth 74.00. Mrs. Grace Wilson 30.00-Wm.Ball 20.00, Harry King 10.00. Svendsen Nursing Home 150.00-Hilda Ebens 70.00, Rosa Dixon 25.00, Mary Kirkeby 25.00, Teresa Schumer 30.00. Bartron Clinic 973.62-Charles Alt 3.60, Almon Bale 27.80, Wm. Ball 34.10, Blanche Berry 1.00, Earl Blowers 6.00, Mervin Christensen 5.00, Robert Corey 8.80, Wm. Czeck 8.75, John Farley 16.18,Mrs. John Fjerstad 32.00, Emma Jenkins 3.00, Nellie Jensen 7.50, Mrs. John Jungen 45.00, Richard Kemp 82.00, James Keyser 41.40, Albert Kritta 10.90, Mrs. Chas. Meseberg 51.35, Mary E. Mills 2.00, Louis Mourere 153.00, N.C.Nelson 16.05, Chester Olson 75.00, Otis Olson 12.00, Anna Parsley 10.40, Mrs. Josephine Roethler 45.10, William Selchert 41.90, Mrs. Frances Schmeling 19.84, Hannah Smith 10.00, Frank Soulak 10.90, Jud Turner 26.40, Fern Washtoak 12.80, Steve Wisneski 36.60, Pauline Woodworth 5.00, Eva Schultz 113.25. Brown Clinic $230.00--Ella Alexander 13.00, Mrs.Carl Becker 5.00,Chas.Bierscheid 2.00, Mrs. Frank Gillies 12.00, Hilda Haack 4.00, Mary Halling 2.00, Wilhelm A. Jackson 24.00, Mrs. John Lantgen 16.00, Mrs. William Luck 24.00, Dennis L. Painter 105.00, Henry L.Ries 17.00, Rose Leora Rose 3.00, Mrs. I.S.Rislov 3.00. Burke Brewster, M.D. 24.00 Mrs Henry Meyer. F.P.Creaser & Sons 24.25-Jud Turner. Duffner Drug Store 125.45-Eddie Hayes 20.70, Geo.Manley 11.25, Wm.Ball 22.32, Rupert Gatchell 2.16, Carl Berg 12.74, Ola Hanson 20.95, Jessie Lipelt 7.74, Emma Jenkins 5.09, Mathilda Blek 10.89, Inga Yarns 9.81, Matt Kemp 1.80. Haggar Drug Store 181.43-Martin Bale 13.50, Martin Bjugan 2.47, Rose Dixson 4.86, Hilda Ebens 39.83, Mary Kirkeby 3.60, Emma Klucas 6.98, Reinhard Luck 31.05, N.T.Nelson 30.38, Jerry O'Brien 20.85, Iver Rislov 1.58, Ed Schaff 6.30, Pauline Woodworth 20.03. Kreiser Drug Store 132.11-Charles Alt 11.70, James Chambers 66.43, Oscar Monson 13.58, Lena Radtke 17.90, Mrs. Dooks Tiejen 22.50. Mathiesen,Gergen & Rhodes-27.50-Nels Nielson 5.00, Josephine Welter 7.50, Wayne Krueger 15.00. McBath Coal & Coke Co. 77.51-Edith Bunde 27.73, Albert Kritta 24.26, Edward Switzenberg 25.52. Medical Arts Clinic 73.00-Martin Bale 49.00, Catherine Brockhoft 5.00, Edith Bunde 4.00, Emil Herter 8.00,Reinhard Luck 2.00, Grant Peterson 5.00. Medical Center Pharmacy $110.85-Ella Alexander 25.83,Mrs Henry Becker 19.08, Chas. Bierschied 2.70, Richard DePeel 4.32, Hilda Haack 8.06, Mary Halling 1.94, Mrs. John Lantgen 21.15, Seymore Peterson 7.61, Henry Ries 28.44, Leora Rose 1.35. Memorial Hospital 1,536.69-LeRoy Bachellor 33.62, Martin Bale 266.02, Mrs.Wm.& Cora Barto 78.82, Mrs. Fern Hall 102.49, Henry Kraft 222.36, Mrs. Wayne Krueger 343.83 Olaf Larson 103.40, Dena Mathiesen 34.72, Alfred Vick 23.43, Bernard West 328.00. Montgomery Ward Co. 7.25-Matt Kemp 4.38, John Farley 2.87. Rich's Conoco Oil 15.70-Sylvia Sharp. Rochester Methodist Hospital $96.55-Mrs. Emil Rasche.St. Ann Hospital 1,249.75-Mrs. Frank Gillies 152.90, Wilhelm A. Jackson 73.40, Mrs. John Lantgen 153.90, Chester Olson 309.70, Leora Rose 326.05, Henry Ries 233.80. St. Bernards Prov. Hospital-57.50-Mary Meyers. O.P.Skaggs Store 9.96-Robert Corey 3.80, Mrs. Roman Lewno 6.16. Socony Mobil Oil Co. 7.85-Almon Bale. Stone Oil Co. 31.40-Sprgg Tubbs 7.85,John DeWall 23.55. Thomes Drug Store 58.31-Richard DePeel 4.81, Mabel Johnson 12.38, Frank Lehman 1.12, Grant Petersen 4.95, Roy Strait 1.62, Alfred Vick 33.43. Dr. M.C.Thompson 72.00-George Manley 10.00, Eddie Hayes 10.00, Mrs. Henry Lippelt 2.00, Michael McAleer 3.00, Clarence Morrison 27.00, Emma Oralle 9.00, Frank Lehman 11.00. Watertown Comm. Oil Co. 40.75-Edwin Bates 8.35, Ed Schoff 8.35, Jud Turner 15.70, Everett Tubbs 8.35. Lloyd Shenk 6.11-LeRoy Modrynski. Herb Skinner Jr. 10.00.
Tree Bounty-W.R.Lange-Alex H.Brown Estate 50.00, Adolph Hogstad 17.50, R.E.Kahnke 45.00. Comm. Per Diem-Vernon Belk 75.00,Adolph Hogstad 75.00, Jas.L.Keenan 87.50, Herb Skinner 75.00, Al M. Williams 87.50. Comm.Mileage-Vernon Belk 24.50, Adolph Hogstad 15.96, Jas. L.Keenan 16.80, Herb Skinner 16.24, Al M.Williams 7.00. Tree Bounty-M.Spilum 44.50, LeRoy Hogstad 50.00, Edgar Strege 45.00. Auditor Office Exp. Addressograph-Multigraph Corp. 23.74, Clark Brelsford 5.49, Brown & Saenger 6.65, Monroe Cal.Mach.Inc. 2.60, Ruhe Stat. 3.90, Watertown Typewriter Co. 5.15, Superintendent of Schools Office Exp. Western Trans.Co. 2.00, News Printing Co. 158.20, Purdue University 2.50, Mileage-Mrs. Hazel Murphy 95.97. County Board of Education-Philip Bergh 34.00, Willard Grow 30.67, W.I.Nichols 43.76, Ben Thyen 39.56, Mrs.Robert C. Bard 68.85, Mark Mack 31.16, Earling Johnson 8.08. Board of Health-M.Russell Brown,M.D. 59.95. Election Expense-News Prtg. 11.61. Court Expense-Brown & Saenger 21.97. Ruhe Stat. 17.22, Trygve Slostad 30.42,

Leonard Strohfus 42.40, Raymond Kluck 20.28, Reuben Bohn 20.42. County Extension - Carlson's 148.60, City Auditor 30.00, Ext. Service 12.80, Fred Morris 25.90, Ruhe Stationery 5.35. County Farm - City Treas. 2.00. Court House Maint.-City Treas 520.67, Thos.Dulmage 4.00, Eco,Inc. 126.00 G&P Trans.Co. 3.15, Nelson Hdwe 43.31, NW Bell Telephone Co. 265.63, Otis Elevator Co. 58.55, Herb Skinner Jr. 50.00, Western Chemical Co. 87.87, County Insanity Board-Dr. Fedt 15.00. Radio-Lewis Gerriets 61.75, Coroners Expense-Leslie Mathiesen 23.92. Co Judge Office Exp. Ruhe 6.30, LaFrance Office Equip. 1.75. Assessor Expense-Carol DeVetter 3.00, Glenn M. Mitchell 28.84. Clerk Courts Office Exp.-Railway Express 2.01, Ruhe 1.95. Sheriff Office Exp.Ruhe 3.30, Herb Skinner Jr. 35.00. Public Welfare-Ruhe 2.89, Tax Collector-Ruhe 80.00. Reg.Deeds Office Exp 45¢. Sheriff Mileage- Lloyd Shenk 571.70, Sheriff Fees-Lloyd Shenk 110.00, Board Prisoners-Lloyd Shenk 101.24. States Atty Mileage-Dean Sumner 3.68. Prtg & Adv. South Shore Gazette 68.48, Watn Public Opinion 129.16. Treas. Office Expense-Watn Public Opinion 158.40.
WEED CONTROL: Matt Brandriet 23.84, W.H.Schwanke 5.12, Joseph J. Fox 15.36, Paul David 15.64. Robt Redlin 19.56. SPECIAL BRIDGE-Socony Mobile Oil Co. 1,451.52, Algard Mach. Shop 8.00, A. Anenson 3.00, Bard & Wika 31.43, Botsford Lumber Co.17.00, Cave Supply Co. 117.94, Codington Soil Conservation Dist. 20.00, Fleet Wholesalers 11.16, Foster-Bell Co. 92.08, Kenneth Hayes Electric Co. 24.00, Henry Oil Co. 35.20, Cecil Klucas 5.00, Int.Harvester Co. 887.05, H.V.Johnston Culvert Co. 102.00, LaNoue's Radiator Shop 24.00, Lyle Signs Inc. 500.52, Mahowald Co. 4.48, Marquart serv. 9.16, Motor Supply Co. 91.14, NW Road Supply Co. 39.34, Pecaut Equipment Co. 81.92, Redlinger Bros 7.04, Rozum Bros.Motor Co. 14.92, Arthur Schwandt 6.00, Sheehan-Bartling Inc. 104.28, S.D. Concrete Prod.Co. 962.02, Thompson Yards 11.96, Michael Todd & Co. 55.96, Vern's Service 413.55, Watn Implement Co. 12.96, Watn Machine Works 6.00, Watn Tire Co. 67.28, CH & BR H.V.Johnston Culvert Co. 20.93. CO.SP.HI.LEOLA-Codington Clark Elect.Cooperative Inc. 80.59. ROAD-City Treas. 17.20, Hayes-Lucas Lumber Co.36.94, Hubbard Farm Store 2.70, N.W.Public Serv. 4.73. HIGHWAY & BRIDGE Donald F.Johnson & Clive R. Whetsel 73.95, Howard & Doris Nelson 45.65, James D.Riley 45.51, Caroline Sasse Estate-Phyllis Kock Adm. 90.12, L.S.Spencer 183.32. TEXTBOOKS Educator Supply 148.65, Triange School Service 24.80. TUITION-Henry Ind. Dist 27 240.00.

County Lien payments were noted and credited on accounts of the following persons: Henry Springer Estate 190.00, Bernice Johnson (Mrs. Emmet) 33.15, Ray Hackbart 1.05, Helen Tritz Gronewald 333.98, Angela Tritz Brewster 190.74, Harry King (Jerry O'Brien) 454.82, Sidney Trenholm Full Release 3.00, August Warnke 75.00, Wilhelm Adolph Jackson 95.00, Chris & Alica Engels 3000.00, Rose Fisher 50.00, Alpha L. Mudge 65.00, Ivrin Rislov 43.00, Marjorie Enger 25.00, Wilhelm A. Jackson 95.00, Max Marsh 1.50, Larry Krause 11.00, Louis Mourere 44.00, Wm. Eck $75.30(Release in full), Leo Lantgen for Mrs. John Lantgen $38.00,

Bounty Claims approved on motion by Belk, seconded Hogstad as follows: Badger $4.00 each to Marvin DeWall, Lloyd Stark, Raymond Monteith, Lloyd Stark, Reuben Zielsky.$8.00 2 Badgers L.E.Simon. $7.50 each for 1 fox to-Earl R. Wheatley, Lee VanSickle, Jerome Harriott, Allan Roe, Kenneth Flemming, Reuben Hogstad, Jerome Kuhn, Jack Krause,L.T. Brekke, Stanley,Vik.

This being time and place for hearing on applications for licensing of place for sale of alcoholic beverages, no one appearing in protest, it was moved by Keenan, seconded by Williams to grant off sale license to Frank Schmitt, Waverly. All commissioners voted "yea" none nay, whereupon chairman declared motion carried.

Auditor's account with County Treasurer was approved on motion of Hogstad, seconded by Belk as follows: Deposits in Bank $539,034.03, Cash $6,900.22, U.S.Govt.Bonds $181,702.06 Jail Bonds $29,166.31. Motion carried.

Clerk of Court fees for November 283.10, and Register of Deeds 479.10 was approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan.

Warrants for state sanatorium $77.22, Redfield $825.00, and Yankton $1,820.00 was approved on motion by Keenan, seconded Belk. Motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded commissioners adjourned until December 17 at 10 A.M.

Irma Belk County Auditor,
Codington County, S.D.

December 17, 1957

Board met at 10 A.M. pursuant to adjournment, all present, Chairman Skinner presided.

Bond of Earl Johnson, Treas. Dist 47 approved on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Belk, motion carried.

The refund of Harry Williams, monies and credits for $1,200 was approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Williams. This money was tax free. At time of request it was determined first half of tax had been paid. This was reason for holding the refund until now. Motion carried.

On motion by Keenan, seconded Belk following bounty claims for predatory animals were approved: $4.00 each for Badgers-Ed Fleming, Myron W. Rowe, Floyd Thacker, Albin Johnson. $7.50 each for fox-Harry Borns, Jerome Kranz, Nels Overland, Dwayne David, Dick Hurlbut. $15.00 for two fox-Linus Reilly.

On motion by Belk, deconded by Williams a refund for 1952-1953-1954 tax on a structure on lots 23-24, Block 15, Davis Addition, this was doubly assessed also on lots 20-21-22 Block 15. Motion to abate carried.

A refund of last half of taxes of S.D.Concrete Products Co. paid in error was granted on motion by Keenan, seconded by Belk. The refund was paid on first half on May 23, 1957 #1831. Motion carried.

The work having been completed, a motion made and seconded to adjourn until 10 A.M. December 20, 1957 carried.

December 20 & 24, 1957.
~~December 31, 1957.~~

Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10 A.M. December 20, 1957, all members present, chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims were checked and approved on motion by Hogstad, seconded by Keenan - motion carried as follows:

SALARY- Auditor Irma Welch 352.50, Alice Olson 215.00, Edna Derenthal 195.00, Fay Wohlheter 185.00, Hilary Jensen 170.00, Carol DeVetter 150.00. Treasurer-Paul Krakowski 352.50, DeLoris A. Goodroad 215.00, C.Joyce Rowe 195.00, Elizabeth M. Larson 185.00. Clerk of Courts-Walter A. Farl 324.16, Leilah Auby 195.00. Register of Deeds-Margaret R. Brown 324.16, Beverly Mickelson 210.00, Hazel O. Duncan 170.00, County Supt. of Schools-Mrs. Hazel Murphy 352.50, Ruth Johnson 295.00. States Attorney-Dean Sumner 225.67, E.P.Gribbin 160.00, Audrey Roe 150.00. Director Equalization-Glenn M. Mitchell 352.50, Chris Hvidhyld 215.00, County Judge-Herbert Norbeck 400.00. Municipal Judge Donald W. Lobitz 200.00. GENERAL: Sheriff Fees & Salary - Bert Smith 110.00, Gloria Shenk 200.00. Jailor William J. Meyer 275.00. Court Expense-Mabel Alworth 126.46, Cecilia M. Beirne $126.46, Joe Gerlach 25.00, Hazel Hegarty 135.00. Veterans Service Officer-George Burke 193.16. Court House Maint-Carl Deal 250.00. County Extension Audrey Keleveter 175.00. Civil Defense Ed Howson 25.00. Reg.Deeds Office Exp.Doris Harrington 14.00. Bd of Insanity Bee Ann Kass 10.00, Carlson's 13.65. WEED BD-Matt Brandriet 200.00. C.M.V. C.S.Rasmusson 575.00, Elizabeth Pinholt 215.00, Sever Tobiason 205.00. SPECIAL BRIDGE Joe Stricherz 288.00, Claude VanSickle 255.60, Clarence B. Sumner 270.00, Harold Scriver 261.60, Ed Gould 253.80, Alfred Spring 270.00, James Hendren 339.00, Carl Zweig Jr. 301.50, Burton Jackson 288.00, Clarence Helle 247.50, Thomas Spiering 250.00, Henry C.Erickson 232.50, Chas. Krogman 239.80, Curtis O. Underwood 220.00, Andrew T.Larson 187.00, Leo Clausen 222.20, Fred C. Brownell 214.50, Julius Lentz 209.00, Joseph Rachor 170.00. CO.SP.HI.PELICAN-Ed Gould 27.00. Henry C. Erickson 22.50, Andrew T.Larson 33.00, Julkius Lentz 19.80, Joseph Rachor 30.00. CO.SNO REMOVAL Burton Jackson 12.00, Clarence Helle 5.00, Henry C. Erickson 2.50, Fred C. Brownell 5.50, Julius Lentz 2.20, CO.SP.HI. KAMPESKA Julius Lentz 2.20. GENERAL Comm Per Diem Vernon H. Belk 87.50, Adolph Hogstad 87.50, James L. Keenan 62.50, Herb Skinner 75.00, Al. M. Williams 87.50. Comm Mileage Vernon Belk 23.10, Adolph Hogstad 23.03, James L. Keenan 11.90, Herb Skiner 16.73, Al. M. Williams 7.00

Hazel Ind. School District Treasurer- Donald Murley's bond was approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Williams, motion carried.

On motion duly made and seconded Board adjourned until 10 A.M. December 24, 1957.

Irma Welch County Auditor
Codington County S.D.

December 24, 1957.

Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10 A.M. with all members present. Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified on motion by Williams, seconded by Belk was the annual report of the Weed Board of Codington County submitted by Matt Brandriet.

Chairman Skinner appointed the whole Board to inspect the site in question on the petition to vacate a road Outlot 3 in the plat recorded in Book A of Plats on pages 504-505 and 506 to the extent that same lies within the Plat of Hanten's North Shore addition - replat Codington County, S.D. now known as Lots 3-17 in Hantens North Shore Addition, and to report back January 7, 1958, hearing to be set for January 14, 1958. This appointment was approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan.

Compromise settlement for Nordstrom Sales Co. in the amount of $83.03, representing interest on tax of $1,863.14 was approved on motion by Williams, seconded by Belk. All voted Yea, and motion carried.

Dance Hall licenses were applied for by Albert DeVille, Sunny-side Inn; W.C.Williams Rainbow Room, Howard Hegstrom Treasurer, Casino Ball Room, and Leonard Brandriet Flamingo, approved on motion by Belk, seconded by Keenan, and on roll call all voted "Yea" none "Nay" and motion carried.

The work being completed a motion was duly made and seconded to adjourn until 10 A.M. December 31. Motion carried.

Irma Welch Auditor
Codington County, S. Dak.

December 31, 1957.

Board convened pursuant to adjournment at 10 A.M. with all members present, Chairman Skinner presided.

Verified claims checked and approved on motion by Belk, seconded Hogstad: GENERAL:- Comm Per Diem Vernone Belk 50.00, Adolph Hogstad $100.00, Jas. L.Keenan 87.50, Herb Skinner 25.00, A l M. Williams 25.00. Mileage-Vernon Belk 11.13, Adolph Hogstad 2.80, James L. Keenan 16.94, Comm.Salary-Vernon Belk 15.00, Adolph Hogstad 15.00, Jas L.Keenan 15.00, Herb Skinner 15.00, Al. L. Williams 8.38. Court Expense-George Engler 24.76.

Auditor requested a motion to correct an error in minutes of October 8, on the apportionment of $4,880.69 Rent and Sale fund to the following: Insane 101.52, Redfield 77.60, County General 2,060.63, Salary 654.99, County Road 260.63, CH&BR 886.82, Weeds 48.32, Special Bridge444,63, Fair 122.50, Mellette Memorial 12.20, Jail Building 210.85.Moved by Belk, seconded Hogstad to grant the request of Auditor, and upon roll call all voted "Yea", and no "Nays". Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Williams to authorize the County Commissioners and any other county officers who desire to attend the district meeting at Webster, January 9, with expenses paid as prescribed by law. Motion carried.

Moved by Keenan, seconded by Williams that the following report of the County Farm be approved: Motion carried.

COUNTY POOR FARM
RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Period: January 1, 1957 through December 31, 1957.

RECEIPTS:		
Produce (eggs & cream)	$ 1,125.70	
Cattle & Hogs	1,939.72	
Total Receipts		$3,065.42
Scrap Iron sold	75.70	
Oats sold	75.00	
Cash Rent & 1/3 share of 482 Bu. Oats	195.00	
		345.70
		$ 3,411.12
Disbursements:		
Salary	$1,806.44	
Food	598.96	
Fuel	112.10	
Lights	279.03	
Feed & Seeds	581.91	
Clothing	45.82	
Repairs	137.11	
Livestock & Poultry	46.00	
Drugs	174.90	
Withholding Tax	166.80	
Social Security	49.76	
Labor	182.75	
Total Disbursements		$ 4,181.58
Expenditures in excess of revenues		$ 770.46

State of South Dakota:
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County of Codington :

I, Irma Welch, County Auditor, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the receipts and disbursements of the County Farm, maintained in the said county from the accounts of my office.

Dated at Watertown, South Dakota, this 31st day of December, 1957.

Irma Welch County Auditor

On a motion duly made and seconded the Board adjourned until 10 A.M. January 7, 1958.

Irma Welch
County Auditor.