

CHARLES MIX COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA.

Auditors Office, Wheeler, S. D. Jan 2- 1900.

The Board of County Commissioners met with Patton, Boyden and County Auditor present. Menzie absent.

The minutes of October and November meetings were read and approved. F. S. Shokbehn having taking the required oath of office and presented his bond duly approved. took his seat as member from the second Dist. On motion O. L. Boyden was elected chairman for the year 1900.

Jan 3rd 1900.

On motion the bond of W. L. Lamb as abstractor was approved.

On motion the following bills were allowed:-

Lawrence Durham	wood	\$15 ⁰⁰
J. M. Taylor	Judge of election	2 ⁰⁰
Jonas Johnson	" " "	2 ⁰⁰
Eugene Brown	" " " + return	6 ⁰⁰
L. Freasine	Clerk " "	2 ⁰⁰
Theo Elfer	" " "	2 ⁰⁰
H. M. Shuck	Judge " " " "	7 ⁰⁰
J. L. Hood	" " "	2 ⁰⁰
H. F. Halley	" " "	2 ⁰⁰
H. F. Shuck	Clerk " "	2 ⁰⁰
John Jernberg	" " "	2 ⁰⁰
Frank Patton	Com fees + mileage	6 ⁵⁰
" "	Postage	6 ⁰⁰
" "	Committee work	15 ⁶⁰

On motion the bond of Parks and Beebe for selling liquor at retail in Edgerton was approved.

On motion O. L. Boyden was appointed to view road between sections 10 + 11 - 99 - 68 and report at the next meeting.

The Board commenced checking books of Auditor + Treasurer.

Jan 4th 1900.

The Board continued checking the books.

On motion Walter Mansbridge was appointed custodian of school books at Mansbridge, S. D.

On motion + Jan 5th 1900

On motion the following transfers were ordered.

From Penalty + Interest fund to County General fund \$1342.09

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From County Linking fund to County General fund \$1112.51

" Special Salary " " " " 350.00

On motion the justice report of R. M. Girtou in Ham case was approved and bills allowed as follows:

H. W. Franks	witness fees	2.50
Hart Parish	Constable "	37.50
R. M. Girtou	justice fees.	7.65

On motion the justice report of Even P. Evenson in Bechtold case was approved and bills allowed as follows.

Even P. Evenson	justice fees.	3.60
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Bills rejected

F. Semmler	witness fees.	2.30
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P. Bechtold	" "	2.50
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Mrs P. Bechtold	" "	2.50
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On motion the justice report of Even P. Evenson in Lippert case was approved and bills allowed as follows.

Even P. Evenson	justice fees.	4.15
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Jacob Guthmuller	witness "	5.30
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On motion the justice report of W. H. Van der Voort in Pederson case was approved and bills allowed as follows.

W. H. Van der Voort	justice fees.	6.50
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A. Van der Voort	taking testimony	2.50
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A. W. Campbell bill for \$9.60 constable fees was rejected.

On motion the justice report of Adam Grimer in Reed case was approved. costs paid.

On motion the justice report of H. H. Gjolme in Chamberlain case was approved and bills allowed as follows:

H. H. Gjolme	justice fees.	7.00
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H. N. Norman	Sheriff ..	5.85
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A. W. Campbell	constable ..	2.10
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Robert Cranes	witness "	2.40
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Phas Pament	" "	2.40
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Geo. Beebe	" "	2.40
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J. H. Arnold	" "	2.40
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R. D. Gray	" "	2.90
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On motion the justice report of Adam Grimer in Beebe case.

old 2.40
 old 1.40
 2.90 rejected.

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was approved and bills allowed as follows.

Alexander Grimes	justice fees.	5 ⁰⁰
H. H. Burt	witness "	1 ¹⁰

All other fees were rejected.

On motion the justice report of Geo. Mann. was approved. cont paid.

On motion the application of H. Hiemstra for abatement of 62 cents Del Road tax for the year 1899 was allowed.

On motion the following bills were allowed.

H. C. Tucker	Printing	10 ³⁰
Robert Dyer	" " act.	30 ⁵⁰
L. L. Kirk		21 ³⁵
Perkins Bros.	Books	5 ⁰⁰
W. Gray	Mass for Mrs Meyers.	7 ⁷⁵
W. M. Ramsdell	Road work	9 ⁹⁰

On motion the petition of Henry Harding for abatement of 1⁰⁰ dog tax for the year 1899 was allowed.

Jan 6th 1900.

On motion the following bills were allowed.

State Publishing Co.	Books	\$ 5.09
Vincent Naberna	salary fees.	219.42
E. C. Hilson	" Res of Deeds.	109.35
" "	postage	7.44
Charles Marshall	wood	60.00.
Geo Cool	Mass for Mrs Serber.	9.73
C. O. Dahl	care of Mrs Jenberg	39.00.
P. H. Bonnin	postage	5.70
Frank Patton	Checking Books with comm	9.00.

On motion the application of Benj Connor for abatement of personal taxes for the year 1899. was allowed.

On motion the application of Peter Knudson for refund of \$68 Del Road tax for the year 1895 was allowed + The Auditor instructed to make out a refunding order.

On motion the following bills were allowed.

Mrs C. Stull	care of Mrs Serber	33 ⁷⁵
Henry Cool	coffin for " "	25 ⁰⁰
A. H. Campbell	constable fees	19 ¹⁵

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Vincent Naberna	for money advanced to take pauper Reeves to Samaritan Hospital Sioux City.	\$ 50 ⁰⁰
Adam Brown	care of pauper Hanson	22 ²⁰
Amos Trusdell	Medic	9 ⁴⁵
H. Kelley & Co.	Books & Blanks	29 ⁴²
Vincent Naberna	postage & express	28 ⁸⁵
H. J. Pierce	hauling water	7 ⁰⁰
H. G. McDonald	care of Booths	1 ⁰⁰
E. B. Myers Co.	Law books	30 ⁰⁰
Peter Mciver	Salary Co Aud	290 ³¹
"	postage & express	27 ⁵⁰
J. L. Fredine	Medic for Mrs Myers	19 ¹⁷
Dr. Thos Nelson	Med ser. " "	8 ⁰⁰
American Book Co.	School books	105 ⁰⁰

On motion the application of Anna Kulek for rebate of taxes was returned for sworn statement.

On motion the bill of Albert Beltman for a lot in cemetery and digging grave for \$7⁰⁰ was allowed and the Auditor instructed not to turn over warrant until a deed is issued for the same to the County.

The Board continued checking books.

Jan 8th 1900.

On motion the application of C. Heiland for refund of taxes erroneously paid as shown by tax receipt No 872 for the year 1896 was allowed and the Auditor instructed to re-extend said taxes on tax list.

On motion the bill of Perkins Bros of \$48⁰⁰ for books for Gregory County was rejected.

On motion the bill of Dr. H. M. Marks for \$30⁰⁰ med services was allowed.

The Board finished checking Auditor's Treasurer Books.

Jan 9th 1900

The board settled with the County Treasurer and found all moneys fully accounted for.

On motion the following bills were allowed.

C. N. Alexander	judge of Election	\$2 ⁰⁰
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C. J. Dow	judge of election	\$ 2 ⁰⁰
H. Klein	" "	2 ⁰⁰
H. L. Harrison	clerk	2 ⁰⁰
J. Gutmuller	" .. + return	10 ⁰⁰
F. W. Nicholson	posts	1 ⁵⁰
O. L. Boyden	own fees + mileage	24 ⁰⁰
F. S. Strohecker	" ..	24 ⁵⁰

On motion the Board adjourned to Tuesday the 23rd of Jan 1900.

Peter Pfeiffer

County Auditor.

O. L. Boyden Chairman

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Auditor's Office, Wheeler, S. Dak. Jan 23rd 1900.

The Board of County Commissioners met as per adjournment with Boyden, Menzie and Auditor present. Strohbehn being absent the board adjourned till the 24th of Jan 1900.

January 24th 1900.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment with the same members present. On motion the application of John Varhanik for funeral expenses of his wife was rejected.

On motion the following bills were allowed.

Floete Lumber Co.	Lumber + coal	\$73.45
Adam Garms	Coroner fees Clark case	13.50
Mrs Mary Simons	witness " " "	1.00
P. Flanagan	" " " "	1.00
Chas. Simons	" " " "	1.00
Adam Weist	" " " "	1.00
Henry Simons	" " " "	1.00
H. W. Hanson	Juror " " "	2.00
L. J. Lanning	" " " "	2.00
Phillip Wiltgen	" " " "	2.00

On motion the application of J. F. Marshall for refund of taxes on 35 acres in Signal Township for the year 1898 was allowed and the Auditor instructed to make out a refunding order.

F. S. Strohbehn arrived and took his seat as member of the Board.

On motion the application of J. S. Smith for refund of taxes on the S.W. 1/4 of sec 13-96-67 for the years 1897 + 1898 was allowed to the amount of \$200.00 valuation and the Auditor instructed to make out refunding orders for same.

On motion the bill of Bon Homme County for \$8.00 being judgement for costs in John Fox case was allowed.

On motion the report of the Register of Deeds with receipts attached of \$346.55 paid to the County Treasurer over + above his salary for the year 1899 was approved. On motion the following bills were allowed.

H. C. Hamlin	Labor + chain old \$3.30 all'd	\$1.50
Geo. Henley	coffin for P. Jacobbechek	2.50
A. H. Campbell	constable fees	2.05

On motion the bill of Jackson Township for \$80.00 repairing bridge was rejected.

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Jan 25th 1900.

On motion the application of Anna Kubal for abatement of part taxes for the year 1898 was rejected.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

Vincent Haberna.	expenses collecting tax of Montgomery	\$3.50
W.H. Slaight	road supervisor	13.50
Robert Rye	printing ect.	37.70
H.C. Tucker	"	old 29.40 alt 28.25
Rhoda Twp.	assessor fees, 1899.	43.00
Owen Blans House	blanks	5.40
American Book Co.	school books	80.89
J.R. Skillings	bridge across peace creek	219.65
H.N. Norman	sheriff fees	31.30
H.F. McCall	expenses.	44.80

The following report was received:

Wheeler, Charles Mix County, South Dakota, Dec 20, 1899.

To the Hon. Board of County Commissioners,

Wheeler, Chas. Mix County, S.Dak.

Gentlemen: Pursuant to our agreement entered into on the 14th day of July A. D. 1899, and agreeable to your instructions therein; whereby I was directed to examine into and to make such corrections as might be necessary to affect a true balance between the several ledgers and the General Ledger of the Records of Charles Mix County, wherein there are differences now existing, ranging from (.01) one cent, to (\$93⁶⁰) ninety-three and 60/100 dollars, I have the honor, very respectfully to submit herewith a tabulated report for your information and approval.

General School Accounts.

Difference between School + Gen Ledger.		\$20.91
Dr. Gen Ledger, school acct to error. in transfer to Independent District Rhoda Twp. Feb 98.		\$21.00
Washington Twp. school. Dr. by error Pen Dist. " "		02
		\$21.02
Cr. School acct Gen Ledger to error Fees fees. Feb 98		11
		\$20.91

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"Jackson School Township":
 Difference between School & General Ledger .01
 Debit Jackson Twp Bd. Interest fund to error in Treas fees July 95 .01

"Chateau Creek School Township":
 Difference between School Ledger & Independent Districts \$49.53
 Cr. undivided tax fund Chateau Creek School Twp to error Jan 1899. 49.53
 This amount should be apportioned or divided among the various districts of said Township.

"Rhoda School Township"
 Difference between School & Independent Districts \$93.60
 Cr Bond Interest fund by error Dec 1898. 93.60
 This amount as in the above case should be divided among the various districts.

"Darlington Independent School Districts"
 Difference between Gen acct. and Ind School Dist. \$1.01
 Cr. Gen acct Feb 98 by error. Pen & Int .03.
 Dr. Dist No 2. " " to " Treas fees. 1.00
 Cr. Dist No 1. July 1895 by error Treas fees. \$1.02
0.01 \$1.01

"Delinquent Road"
 Difference between Gen. acct & Delinquent Road. \$4.44
 Cr. Gen acct by error Pen & Int Jan 95. 39
 " " " " " Tax coll. Feby 95. 41.22.
 Dr. Gen acct to error Treas fees Feby 95. 4.61 \$4.44
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"Civil Township"
 Difference between Gen acct & Civil Townships \$7.61
 Cr. Gen acct by error Pen & Int Jan 95. \$16.2
 " " " " " Refunds July 97 5.00
 " " " " " " Nov 97. 1.00
7.62
 Dr Gen acct to error Treas fees Jan 95. 0.01 \$7.61

"Special Salary fund"
 Difference between Gen acct & Special Salary fund .06
 Cr. Gen account by error Treas fees Feb 95. .06

I find after making the various balances as shown, that there is now a surplus of \$8.84 Eight & 84/100 Dollars in the Treasury and I would very respectfully recommend that the same be credited to "County General fund" to balance General account.

Very respectfully, C. H. Bonnin

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On motion the report of Ch. Bonnin was approved and The Auditor instructed to make the corrections as per report.

On motion the following bills were allowed.

Ch. Bonnin	Balancing books	old \$180 ⁰⁰	allid \$100 ⁰⁰
J. L. Wood	Road supervisor.	" 38 ⁰⁰	" 34 ⁰⁰
H. F. Mos.	"	"	57 ⁴⁰

~~On motion the following transfers were ordered.~~

From Co. King fund to Co. Gen fund	\$1112 ⁵⁷
" Sp. Salary	350 ⁰⁰
Gen Fund	1326 ⁹⁵

On motion the bill of J. H. Marshall for 2 days labor on bridge across Bens Creek was referred to Jackson Township.

On motion the Auditor was instructed to make out a refunding order in favor of D. C. Billick for \$15⁰⁰ paid for ferry license, the charter not being granted.

On motion the ferry charter relinquishment of W. G. Hicks was accepted.

On motion the bill of Dr. Ray Davis was tabled.

On motion A. J. Smith was granted a ferry charter to operate a ferry across the Missouri river for steam or gasoline power boat at the point where section line between sec 24 + 25 T. 96 R. 67 intersects the river for a term of 5 years from May 20 - 1900.

On motion the application of T. J. Steel for abatement of taxes for the year 1897 was tabled.

On motion the application of K. Pfeifer for opening of road on section line between sec. 10 + 11 in Platte Township was referred to the Township Board.

On motion the application of F. S. Strohbek for equalizing assessment between said F. S. Strohbek + J. W. Eggen was granted.

On motion The following bills were allowed:-

Frank Canfield	road supervisor	\$18 ⁰⁰
F. Chamberlain	boarding prisoners	337 ⁵⁰
J. Ellis	member Registration Board	2 ⁰⁰
H. F. Wynia	"	2 ⁰⁰
W. H. McCall	"	2 ⁰⁰
H. H. Wagner	"	old 500 allid 27 ⁵⁰

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A. Spraker	Member reg. Board.		\$ 2 ⁰⁰
J. F. Morgan	" "		2 ⁰⁰
J. J. Murray	" "		2 ⁷⁵
H. O. Hammer	" "		2 ⁰⁰
Eugene Brown	" "		2 ⁰⁰
P. Picotte	" "		2 ⁰⁰
J. Ancona	" "		2 ⁰⁰
J. F. Brunst	" "		2 ⁰⁰
Victor Beckman	" "	old \$3 ⁰⁰	2 ⁷⁵
W. G. Mc Donald	" "		2 ⁰⁰
Andrew McKenna	" "		2 ⁰⁰
B. Smeeman	" "	" 4 ⁰⁰	2 ⁷⁵
J. Hobbes	" "		2 ⁰⁰
D. C. Ballard	" "		2 ⁰⁰
J. L. Wood	" "		2 ⁰⁰
M. F. Halley	" "		2 ⁷⁵
W. F. Shuck	" "		2 ⁰⁰
S. Osborn	" "		2 ⁰⁰
C. Willman	" "		2 ⁰⁰
N. M. Jacobson	" "	" 4 ⁰⁰	2 ⁷⁵
M. H. Vandell	" "	9 ⁰⁰	4 ⁷⁵
B. P. Lambert	" "	2 ⁶⁰	2 ⁰⁰
Wm Gasman	" "	2 ⁶⁰	2 ⁰⁰
E. Hicketier	" "	2 ⁰⁰	2 ⁷⁵
E. A. Dagher	" "		2 ⁰⁰
J. S. Gorais	" "		2 ⁰⁰
W. O. Williams	" "	" 6 ⁰⁰	4 ⁰⁰
John Mc Bride	" "		2 ⁰⁰
M. S. Bonnin	" "		2 ⁰⁰
Q. M. Conger	" "		3 ⁷⁵
J. B. Bonnin	" "		2 ⁷⁵
Thos Evans	" "		2 ⁰⁰
H. Redlighting	" "		2 ⁰⁰
C. Lugenbeil	use of house		1 ⁰⁰
J. E. Jesmby	" "		1 ⁰⁰
J. B. Brubaker	" "		1 ⁰⁰

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On motion the bills for registration from Civil Townships were rejected according to opinion from the States Attorney.

On motion the following bills were allowed.

O. L. Boyden	committee work	85 ⁰⁰
W. H. Menzie	" "	44 ⁰⁰
O. L. Boyden	Com fees & mileage	12 ⁰⁰
W. H. Menzie	" "	97 ⁰⁰
F. S. Strobel	" "	9 ⁰⁰

On motion the board adjourned.

Peter Fierman

County Auditor.

O. L. Boyden Chairman.

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On motion the report of the Board of Insanity in the Nancy Jones case was approved and bills allowed as follows.

Dr. H. M. Marks	Physician fees	\$21 ⁴⁰
Adam Grimes	Attorney "	2 ⁰⁰
Aaron Jones	Witness fees.	4 ⁵⁰
A. M. Kindwell	" "	4 ⁵⁰
" " "	caring for Nancy Jones.	62 ⁵⁰

On motion the application of St. H. Slaight for abatement of taxes on \$150⁰⁰ valuation of his assessment for the year 1899 was allowed.

On motion the following application for refunds of Delinquent road tax were allowed and the Auditor instructed to make out refunding orders for same:

Leo Peters.	for 1899. Choteau Cr. Twp.	47 ⁰⁰
Peter Du Grand	" 1898 White Swan "	57 ⁰⁰
Jacob Kuthmuller	" 1899 Choteau Creek "	50 ⁰⁰
Jacob Permann	" " " " "	89 ⁰⁰
Konrad Klein	" " " " "	97 ⁰⁰

On motion the following bills were allowed:

C. A. Dagher	Mass for St. Reeves	\$28 ¹⁶
Samaritan Hospital	Treatment of "	99 ²⁵
Amos Truesdell	Mass	8 ²⁰
Robert Dyer	Printing & Blanks.	38 ³⁰
H. L. Kirk	" "	87 ²⁸
H. C. Tucker.	" "	16 ⁶⁵

On motion the Auditor was instructed to deliver to Albert Beltman Warrant No 328 for \$750 dated January 6th 1900 for Lot in cemetery & digging grave for Mrs Gerber and take his receipt for same.

On motion the Auditor was instructed to make corrections in the assessment of Lot 7 - sec 3: Lots 1-2-3+4 sec 10: the N¹/₄ of NW¹/₄ + NE¹/₄ of SW¹/₄ sec 11: Lot 2+3 sec 14: Lot 1 + NE¹/₄ of NW¹/₄ sec 23 all in Twp. 97 range 68 by reducing the number of acres from 502 to 448 acres to conform with the Patents and the Treasurer was instructed to accept taxes on same for the year 1899 without interest.

On motion the application of J. J. Steele for abatement of

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Signal Exp No 1. Frank Chamberlain
 " " " 2. Wm Flynn
 " " " 3. C. J. Koster.
 Castalia " " 4 Andrew Paulson
 " " " 5 J. C. Davison
 White Swan " H. F. Moss.
 Goose Lake " L. Archambeau
 Moore " J. L. Wood.
 Kennedy " Silas Osborne
 Ace " F. Brunot.
 Nabeche " Daniel Brunot.
 Lawrence " John Swatek.
 Rouse " Dist No. 1. Frank Canfield
 " " " 2. Frank Cihlak
 Choteau Creek " 1. Jacob Hirsch
 " " " 2. Wm Lecker.

On motion the bill of C. C. Ward for telephone service was rejected.
 On motion the petition of J. L. Minahan and others for bridge across Pease creek between sections 5+8 Exp 97 R. 66 was referred to Menzie for investigation to report at next meeting.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

Vincent Kaberna	Salary Treasurer	\$ 375 ⁰⁰
"	Postage	36 ²⁹
Austin Western Co.	Plow	23 ⁰⁰
Frank Chamberlain	Boarding prisoners.	26 ⁰⁰
H. J. Peice	Hauling water	3 ⁰⁰
H. F. Mc Call.	Expenses.	49 ⁰⁰
A. H. Campbell	Constable fees.	24 ⁵⁰
J. M. Mc Mullen	Deputy Sheriff "	13 ⁰⁰
A. H. Cranes	" " "	30 ⁹⁰

On motion the bill of J. H. Marshall for \$6⁰⁰ labor on bridge across Ben's Creek was rejected.

On motion the following transfers were ordered.

From Special Salary fund to County Gen fund	\$652 ⁰⁰
" Penalty & Interest " " " "	321 ⁰⁰

On motion the application of A. C. Colledge for refund.

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Taxes for the year 1899 was rejected:

On motion the bill of Levi J. Halverson for \$4⁵⁰ fees Med was rejected.

On motion the justice report of G. L. Kirk in Hilcox, Vincent & House case was accepted & Bills allowed as follows.

G. L. Kirk	Justice fees	\$13 ⁴⁰
D. N. Murphy	Witness "	1 ⁰⁰
H. S. Smith	" "	1 ¹⁰
J. J. Murray	" "	1 ¹⁰
Wart Parish	" "	1 ¹⁰
Ed Newens	" "	1 ⁷⁰
James Post.	" "	2 ²⁰
Charles Post.	" "	2 ²⁰
Orr Roberts	" "	1 ¹⁰
John Crow	" "	3 ⁴⁰
L. N. Murphy	" "	6 ²⁰
Carl Peterson	" "	3 ³⁰

On motion the justice report of Adam Grimes in Cournoyer case was approved & bill of Adam Grimes for \$1⁹⁰ justice fees allowed.

On motion the bill of A. W. Campbell for \$15⁰⁰ claimed for burying dead animals was allowed and the States Attorney instructed to collect the amount from the party responsible.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

E. C. Hilson	Reg of deeds	\$3 ⁵⁰ ²⁵
G. R. Owen	Blanks.	6 ⁵⁰
J. C. Lloyd	Member Bd of Health	4 ⁴⁰
Dr. H. M. Marks	" " " "	2 ⁰⁰
W. H. McCall	" " " "	2 ⁰⁰
A. W. Campbell.	Constable fees.	43 ⁵⁰

April 5th 1900.

On motion the Auditor was instructed to refund to the County Treasurer \$14⁰⁴ for tax receipt No. 826 year of 1899 issued by error and re-extend said taxes on tax list.

On motion the application of L. E. Montgomery for abatement of taxes for the year 1899 was tabled on request.

On motion the following Road Supervisors were appointed for 1900.
Howard Sup. Phillip Miltgen

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of \$939 tax on M^o 4 sec 32-99-67 was allowed.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

W. H. Meyers & Co.	Law Books.	\$30 ⁰⁰
Peter Nielsen	Salary Auditor	300 ⁰⁰
"	Postage	16 ¹⁹
H. N. Norman	Sheriff fees.	399 ³⁵
N. F. McCall.	States Attorney Salary.	150 ⁰⁰
Jas H. Egan	County Judge "	75 ⁰⁰
O. L. Boyden	Com fees.	12 ⁰⁰
H. H. Menzie	Committee work	9 ⁷⁰
"	Com fees.	9 ⁹⁰
F. S. Strohbehn	" "	12 ⁵⁰

On motion the Board adjourned to meet on Friday the 27th day of April 1900.

Peter Nielsen
County Auditor

O. L. Boyden
Chairman

CHARLES MIX COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA.

Commissioners proceedings.

Wheeler, April 27th 1900.

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment with all members and Auditor present.

On motion the application of H. K. Kjolme for refund of \$52.97 being double payment of Redemption from tax sale on the NE 1/4 sec. 17-99-69. was allowed and the Auditor instructed to make out a refunding order. On motion the application of L. E. Montgomery for rebatement of taxes for the year 1900. was rejected.

On motion the application of John Biggins for refund of \$1.00 dog tax for the year 1899 was allowed.

On motion the bill of Amos Truesdell for \$10.30 for Mars was allowed.

April 28th 1900.

On motion the application of McNaught + Co., for abatement of personal taxes of W. B. Crisman for the years 1886 and 1887 was granted to the extent that the County Auditor was instructed to note on the tax list duplicate in the Treasurer's office; that the said personal taxes are not a lien against the NE 1/4 of section 27 Twp 98 Range 67.

On motion the petition of J. L. Minahan and others for bridge across Pease Creek was tabled till next meeting.

On motion the following bills were allowed:-

J. R. Skilling	Bridge across Choteau Creek	\$ 220 ⁰⁰
" "	Moving bridge	25 ⁰⁰
H. N. Norman	Sheriff fees.	56 ⁰⁰
E. C. Ward	Telephone service	old \$10 ⁰⁰ 9 ⁰⁰
Robert Dyer	Printing ect.	32 ⁵⁰
G. B. Kirk	"	27 ⁶⁰
W. H. Menzie	Committee work	4 ⁰⁰
F. S. Strohbehn	" "	38 ⁰⁰
O. L. Boyden	Cow fees + mileage	9 ⁰⁰
W. H. Menzie	" " "	67 ⁰⁰
F. S. Strohbehn	" " "	9 ⁵⁰

The several Assessors met with the Board and fixed the following values as a guide in assessing property for the year 1900:

Land per Quarter section from \$300⁰⁰ to \$600⁰⁰

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Horses over six months and under three years old from \$6⁰⁰ to \$12⁰⁰
 " " three years old. " \$15⁰⁰ " \$30⁰⁰
 Cattle under two years and over six months " \$7⁰⁰ " \$12⁰⁰
 Cows. two years old and over. " \$15⁰⁰
 All other cattle two " " " " " \$20⁰⁰
 Mules and Asses the same as horses.
 Sheep per head \$2⁰⁰
 Hogs " cwt. \$1⁵⁰
 Wagons and carriages from \$5⁰⁰ to \$25⁰⁰
 Melodians and organs " " " \$20⁰⁰
 Pianofortes. " \$50⁰⁰ " \$100⁰⁰
 Agricultural tools at a reasonable value.
 Stallions and jacks 20 times the service fee.
 Merchandise at a reasonable value.
 Structures on Land, 20% of actual value
 Creamery property " " " "
 On motion the Board adjourned.
 Peter Nicorn County Auditor
 O. L. Boyden Chairman

CHARLES MIX COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA.

Auditor's Office. Wheeler, S. Dak. June 12th 1900.

The Board of County Commissioners of Charles Mix County, South Dakota met pursuant to the following order from Hon. E. G. Smith Judge of the First Judicial Circuit with Commissioners Boyden and Menzie and the County Auditor present.

"Copy of Order"

State of South Dakota, First Judicial Circuit, ss.

In Circuit Court Charles Mix County.

To the Hon Board of County Commissioners of Charles Mix County, South Dakota,

Gentlemen:- By reason of the sustaining of an objection to the introduction of any evidence in the trial of the case of the State of South Dakota vs. M. W. Wilcox, Cyrus House & William Vincent it has become necessary; good and sufficient cause appearing therefor, to summon another Grand Jury; now therefor you are hereby ordered to immediately select and furnish to the Clerk of Courts of your said county a list of Jurors sufficient to complete the Jury list of said county. Dated June 11th 1900.

By the Court.

 Attest. W. Bonnin, Clerk.

E. G. Smith, Judge.

On requisition from the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Forty-two (42) names to fill the Jury list of said Charles Mix County the County Commissioners selected the following names from that portion of said Charles Mix County, not organized in Civil Townships, to-wit:-

Signal Township: Christ Rasmussen, E. J. Noster, Morris Hoar, E. L. Hillis and L. De Haan.

Choteau Creek Township: Chris Weiland, A. N. Kremer, G. Yerkey, Andrew Sides, E. C. Wise and Joseph Petric.

Howard Township: E. H. Best.

Kennedy Township: Thomas Hawley, John Burke and Charles Chandler.

Goose Lake Township: M. C. Sweeney, and C. H. Stratton.

Rouse Township: J. A. Cole, Frank Magoures and B. F. Longenecker.

Wabehe: Louis Shunt, Ed Yellow Bird, Brockway Bearshield, and Charles Brughier.

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White Swan Township: R. J. Jeffers.
On motion the Auditor was instructed to make requisition for
Balance of names on the various Civil Townships as follows:-
Hamilton Township 2 names; Jackson Township 5 names;
Lase George Township 1 name; La Roche Township 3 names;
Plain Center Township 3 names; Platte Township 2 names
and Rhoda Township 1 name.

On motion the Board adjourned.

T. J. Fievern
County Auditor

O. Le Bayler
Chairman.

CHARLES MIX COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA.

Wheeler, S. Dak July 2 - 1900.

The Board of County Commissioners met with the County Auditor and having taken the required oath commenced equalizing the assessment for the year 1900.

July 3rd 1900.

The Board of Equalization continued equalizing the assessment.

July 5th 1900.

The board finished equalizing the assessment for the year 1900 by making the following changes.

Horses under three years old and over 6 months: Goose Lake Twp. Raised 10%
La Roche Twp. lowered 10%, Lawrence Twp. raised 10%, Rhoda Twp. raised 10%,
& Rouse Twp. raised 10%.

Horses 3 year old & over: Carroll Twp. raised 10%, Castalia Twp. lowered 10%,
Choteau Creek Twp. raised 20%, Forbes Twp. raised 15%, Hamilton Twp. raised 10%,
Howard Twp. raised 5% Lase George Twp. lowered 16 $\frac{2}{3}$ %. La Roche Twp. lowered
20%, Plain Center Twp. raised 35%, Platte Twp. raised 5%, Ree Twp. raised 50%
Rhoda Twp. raised 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ %, Rouse Twp. raised 40%, Signal Twp. lowered 16 $\frac{2}{3}$ %
Wabehe Twp. raised 40%, & White Swan Twp. raised 40%.

Cattle under 3 years old and over 6 months: Castalia Twp. lowered 5%,
Choteau Creek Twp. lowered 10%, Forbes Twp. raised 10%, Goose Lake Twp. raised
20%, Howard Twp. lowered 16 $\frac{2}{3}$ %. Kennedy Twp. lowered 5%, Lawrence Twp. raised
12 $\frac{1}{2}$ %, Moore Twp. lowered 5%, Ree Twp. raised 20%, Rhoda Twp. raised 20%,
Signal Twp. lowered 5%, Wabehe Twp. raised 20% & White Swan Twp. lowered 5%.

All other cattle. Carroll Twp. raised 5%, Howard Twp. raised 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ %.

Mules & Asses: Carroll Twp. lowered 20%, Castalia Twp. lowered 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ %,
Choteau Creek Twp. raised 80%, Darlington Twp. raised 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ %, Goose Lake Twp.
raised 5%, Howard Twp. raised 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ %. Jackson Twp. lowered 16 $\frac{2}{3}$ %,
Kennedy Twp. raised 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ %, La Roche Twp. lowered 25%, Lawrence Twp. raised
12 $\frac{1}{2}$ %. Plain Center Twp. raised 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ %, Ree Twp. raised 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ %, Rhoda Twp.
raised 50%. Rouse Twp. raised 20%, Wabehe Twp. raised 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ %, & White Swan
Twp. raised 40%.

Town Lots in Geddes: Business lots lowered 25%, Residence lots
lowered 50%.

Creamery stations: Platte Creamery raised to \$270⁰⁰, Ward Academy
Creamery lowered to \$300⁰⁰ & Kennedy skimming station lowered to
\$50⁰⁰. All other property as returned by the assessors.

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On motion the board of Equalization adjourned & met as Board of County Commissioners with all members & Auditor present.

The minutes of April and June meetings were read and approved.

On motion the bill of A. O. Bonnin for \$153⁰⁰ as Deputy Assessor fees was allowed at \$145⁰⁰.

July 6th 1900.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

Thomas Nelson	Med services, Mrs Myers	\$20 ⁰⁰
J. L. Frelina	Mdsr " "	24 ⁵⁸
Carlotta East.	Stenographer fees.	84 ⁸⁰
Floete Lumber Co.	lumber	47 ⁸⁰

On motion the bill of Floete Lumber Co. for \$77³³ was returned for correction.

On motion the application of C. O. Krapp for cancellation of assessment for the year 1900 was rejected.

On motion the application of J. J. Barkley for cancellation of assessment of live stock in Jackson Twp was rejected.

Applications from Frank Mazourek & others & E. S. Mayo and others for opening of a road in Rouse Twp were received & on motion Com's Strohecker was appointed committee to investigate and report at the next meeting.

On motion the following bills were allowed.

Floete Lumber Co	lumber	\$63 ¹⁶
Schuly & Litz	nails	1 ³⁶
O. A. Dagher	Mds for M. Reeves.	14 ⁷⁴
John Crow	Juror fees.	1 ⁸⁵
Pius Bruner	returning jury list	2 ⁸⁰
O. Robert	bailiff	20 ⁰⁰
T. O. Dahl	care of Mrs Jensenberg	39 ⁰⁰
Gas Alford	bailiff.	20 ⁰⁰
G. Chamberlain	board	111 ³⁵
R. E. Thomas	bailiff	20 ⁰⁰
Peter Nisveer	salary	300 ⁰⁰
"	postage	18 ⁵¹
H. M. Marks	Med services	5 ⁰⁰
A. H. Bonnin	Clerks fees Circuit court	186 ⁰⁵
"	postage	15 ²⁰

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C. J. H. L. Van der Boom	returning jury list	4 ⁰⁰
E. E. Wilson	postage	6 ²⁵
W. R. Young	hauling lumber	3 ²⁵
C. H. Bonnin	Clerk's fees County court	29 ⁷⁵
Amos Friesdell.	Mdcr	33 ⁸⁹

On motion the bill of Levi J. Halverson was tabled:

On motion the report of E. E. Wilson for quarter ending June 30 1908 was accepted and fees of \$387²⁵ allowed.

On motion the bill for \$17⁰⁰ of Dr H. M. Marks for quarantining was allowed at \$10⁵⁰.

On motion the report of Dr H. M. Marks inquest over the body of Markus Killewinger was approved & bills allowed as follows.

A. H. Campbell	Juror fees.	\$ 2 ⁵⁰
Eugene Rhian	" "	2 ⁵⁰
H. P. Harben	" "	2 ⁵⁰
Mrs Anna Pederson	witness "	1 ¹⁰
H. F. Mos.	" "	1 ³⁰
G. Coof	" "	1 ¹⁰
B. O. Pederson	" "	1 ¹⁰
O. L. Roberts	constable "	4 ⁸⁵
W. F. Vandervoort	taking testimony	3 ⁰⁰
Dr H. M. Marks.	Coroner fees.	8 ⁴⁰

On motion the following bills were allowed:

G. L. Kirsch	printing ect.	57⁴⁰ 57 ⁴⁰
H. I. Pierce	Juror fees.	15 ¹⁰
O. H. Mor	" "	5 ⁶⁰
Andrew McKenna	" "	6 ⁰⁰
J. H. Marshall	" "	4 ¹⁵
J. Hassinger	" "	20 ⁰⁰
J. Shumaker	" "	15 ⁰⁰
L. A. Slater	" "	4 ⁰⁰
H. P. Barker	" "	4 ⁰⁰
Bert Davis	" "	4 ⁰⁰
H. F. Mos.	" "	3 ³⁰
O. M. Dorsen	" "	3 ³⁰
O. P. Davis	" "	4 ⁰⁰

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J. Killewinger	Juror fees,	3 ⁶⁰
W. H. Niles.	" "	3 ⁴⁰
J. Bruner	" "	16 ⁸⁰
F. La baugh	" "	3 ²⁰
P. H. Peterson	" "	3 ⁰⁰
I. Lundstein	" "	3 ²⁰
W. H. Faylor	" "	3 ⁰⁰
J. A. Gulwiler	" "	4 ⁰⁰
Matt Biggins	" "	2 ²⁰
J. A. Mann	" "	2 ⁶⁰
E. M. Joslynn	" "	3 ⁰⁰
J. H. Doty	" "	18 ⁵⁰
H. O. Williams	" "	16 ⁰⁰
H. C. Roberts	" "	4 ⁰⁰
H. R. Young	" "	12 ²⁰
J. Githmuller	" "	18 ⁰⁰
H. F. Brewster	" "	12 ⁰⁰
P. Conner	" "	17 ³⁰
J. E. Larkin	" "	15 ⁸⁰
Wm Bornholdt	" "	18 ⁰⁰
Gro Kimball	" "	4 ⁵⁰
"	" "	16 ³⁰
Geo. H. Gunter	" "	2 ⁰⁰
J. A. Shugart	" "	12 ²⁰
G. H. Gunter	" "	12 ⁰⁰
J. A. McKay	" "	13 ⁴⁰
A. Backus	" "	7 ²⁵
O. A. Hilcox	" "	10 ²⁵
J. J. Anderson	" "	10 ⁵⁰
D. Simmons	" "	10 ⁰⁰
O. H. Hayward.	" "	11 ⁰⁰
E. S. Mayo	" "	11 ⁰⁰
H. H. Nilson	" "	10 ⁰⁰
P. St. Pierre	" "	10 ⁰⁰
P. LaPoint	" "	7 ⁰⁰
J. R. Berry.	" "	9 ⁵⁰

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F. Graves	Juror fees.	6 ⁰⁰
B.P. Ralven	" "	8 ⁰⁰
J. Crow	witness "	15 ⁰⁰
O.L. Roberts	" "	12 ⁰⁰
F. Patton	" "	6 ⁵⁰
W.H. Menzie	" "	5 ⁷⁰
A. Crawford	" "	12 ⁵⁰
Carl Peterson	" "	10 ⁵⁰
E. Marvin	" "	12 ⁰⁰
J.L. Reynolds.	" "	9 ³⁰
J.H. Boom	" "	12 ⁰⁰
Ed Newens	" "	10 ⁰⁰
Hart Parish	" "	10 ⁵⁰
H. S. Smith	" "	9 ⁰⁰
M. R. Hanson	" "	12 ⁰⁰
Mrs Dora Thudson	" "	11 ⁰⁰
M. O'Hara	" "	9 ⁰⁰
J. J. Murray	" "	9 ³⁵
O.L. Boyden.	" "	6 ⁰⁰

July 7th 1900.

On motion the application of W. C. Ray for abatement of taxes on \$2634⁰⁰ valuation of personal property for the year 1899 was allowed.

On motion the application of R.E. McFarland for abatement of taxes on 60 head of cattle for 1898 was allowed.

On motion the application of L. Oleson for refund of taxes paid on the SW^{1/4} sec 18-97-67 for the year 1897 was allowed, the same being a double payment.

On motion the following bills were allowed

Charles Mix News Era	printing	1 ²⁰
Perrins Bros	Books & stationery	127 ³⁰
State Pub. Co.	" "	3 ³⁵
J. F. Kelly & Co.	" "	69 ²⁵

Motion was made and seconded to reconsider road petition of Frank Mazourek & others. Motion carried.

On motion the petition of Frank Mazourek and others for opening a road in Rouse Twp was rejected, the same being a section line.

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Motion made and seconded that the road petition of E. S. Mayo and others be reconsidered. Motion carried.

On motion the petition of E. S. Mayo and others for opening a road in Nouse Twp. was rejected. The same being a section line.

On motion the application of J. H. Purvis for license to sell intoxicating liquors on Lot 9 Block 10 in Geddes from June 1 - 1900 to July 1st 1900. was granted and bond approved.

On motion the application of Ross and Engelland for license to sell intoxicating liquors on Lot 9 Block 6 in Geddes from July 1 1900 to July 1st 1901 was granted and bond approved.

On motion the application of J. H. Purvis for license to sell intoxicating liquor on Lot 9 Block 10 in Geddes from July 1st 1900 to July 1st 1901 was granted and bond approved.

On motion O. D. Ficketts was appointed as custodian of school books for Geddes and his bond approved.

On motion the following bills were allowed.

J. B. Verner	Juror fees	24 ²⁰
J. Newen	witness "	2 ⁸⁰
E. M. Nielaw	Juror "	2 ⁷⁰
Hart Parish	witness "	4 ⁵⁰
H. Smith	" "	3 ⁰⁰
L. Crane	Juror "	4 ³⁰
Amos Truesdell	" "	12 ²⁰
J. S. Reynolds	witness "	3 ⁶⁰
Dora Knudson	" "	5 ⁰⁰
H. N. Norman	" "	9 ³⁰
Wm. Barendse	" "	4 ⁰⁰
Martha Peterson	" "	4 ⁰⁰
Mrs Julia Shum	" "	4 ⁵⁰
H. A. Shum	" "	4 ⁵⁰
Mrs F. Patton	" "	4 ⁵⁰
J. M. Post	" "	10 ²⁰
J. H. Ellis Jr.	Juror "	3 ⁰⁰
H. Gauschoonhoven	" "	14 ⁷⁰
E. B. Bailey	" "	6 ⁰⁰
Ellen Post	witness "	10 ²⁰

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H. Hinzman	Juror fees	12 ⁰⁰
N. A. Duval	witness "	1 ⁸⁰
Gro. Chamberlain	team hire	6 ²⁵
Vincent Haberna	Salary	375 ⁰⁰
"	postage	17 ⁵⁰
J. R. Skillings	Dep Sheriff fees.	38 ⁹⁰
H. Beebe	constable "	4 ²⁵
A. O. Bonnin	Assessor "	1 ²⁵
E. G. Wanger	Attorney "	160 ⁷⁰
R. Dyer	printing etc.	40 ⁶⁵
H. C. Tucker	" "	37 ²¹
J. H. Exon	Salary	75 ⁰⁰
H. J. McCall	"	150 ⁰⁰
Gro. Thomas	returning jury list	8 ⁰⁰
Frank Patton	Dep. Sheriff fees.	5 ⁰⁰
Mrs Emma House	cleaning court house	17 ⁵⁰
H. J. Pierce	hauling water.	6 ²⁵

On motion the bridge petition of C. P. Smith and others for a bridge across Andes creek was referred to com. Strubbehn for investigation and report at the next meeting.

July 9th 1900.

The board commenced checking Auditor & Treasurer's books

On motion the following bills were allowed.

Emily Meade	salary	205 ²³
"	postage	7 ⁵⁷

The board examined into the condition of the jury list

July 10th 1900.

In the matter of petition for action on grasshoppers presented. After examination of the reports of Prof. Saunders of the South Dakota station and Prof. Lugges of the Minnesota station it was found to be too late to take any action of much avail in saving any crops this year. On motion the board decided to make such provisions as lay in their power for cleaning up the county before next crop, and as first step in such action it was ordered that a brief pamphlet be prepared by E. L. Senn giving the main points in above

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named reports concerning plowing, burning and other means of self help by the farmers. That 1000 copies be printed and distributed throughout the county and all farmers urged to co-operate with the board in this matter and that further action will be taken hereafter in due time.

On motion the application of R. A. Parks + W. D. Beebe for license to sell intoxicating liquors at retail on Lot 11 Block 18 in the town of Platte from July 1st 1900 to July 1st 1901 was granted and bond approved.

On motion the following bills were allowed.

L. B. French	Atty fees.	40 ⁰⁰
Gloete Lumber Co.	lumber + coal	65 ⁶⁷
Adam Grimes	Atty fees Peters case	10 ⁰⁰
H. M. Marks	summoning sp jury	13 ⁰⁵
J. Shumaker	juror fees.	5 ⁰⁰
R. E. Brown	returning jury list	7 ¹⁰

On motion the petition of W. H. McDonald and others for a bridge across Choteau creek was tabled till the next meeting.

The following petition having been presented to the Board:

"To the Hon Board of County Commissioners of Charles Mix County, South Dakota, We the undersigned, a majority of the legal voters of the county of Charles Mix, hereby petition your honorable body to change the location of the county seat of said county to Geddes and to submit the question of said change to the people of said county at the next general election to be held on the 6th day of November 1900 pursuant to the provisions of Section 3 Article 9 of the constitution of said state;" and it appearing that said petition is signed by a majority of the legal voters of the county; It is hereby resolved and ordered that the question of changing the location of the county seat of this county to Geddes be submitted to the voters at the next general election and due notice thereof be given as provided by law.

The Board continued checking books.

July 11th 1900.

The board finished checking Auditor + Treasurer's books and settled with the county treasurer finding all money's fully accounted for.

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On motion the following bills were allowed.

Austin & Western Co.	p lous & scrapers	\$126 ⁵⁰
H. F. McCall	member Bd of health	2 ⁰⁰
A. H. Campbell	constable fees.	2 ⁰⁰
H. F. McCall	expense account	44 ⁵⁰

On motion the ferry license granted to D. J. Smith on the 25th day of January 1900 was revoked as said D. J. Smith had not complied with the statement made in his application.

On motion the application of Dennis Moran for ferry license across the Missouri river at the place where sec. line between sections 23 & 24 T. 96. R. 67 intersects said river was granted for a term of 10 years from date.

On motion the following bills were allowed.

H. N. Norman	sheriff fees	\$505 ⁰⁸
Lara George Twp	Assessor fees 1900.	30 ⁰⁰
Jackson	" " " 1899	60 ⁰⁰
Platte	" " " 1900	40 ⁰⁰
Forbes	" " " "	27 ⁵⁰
R. M. Watson	dep. " "	90 ⁰⁰

On motion the application of W^m Bornholdt for refund of 35[¢] oil road tax for the year 1900 was allowed.

On motion the following bills were tabled.

R. H. Riuter	assessor fees.	153 ²²
A. L. Nicholls	dep " "	138 ⁰⁰
Jackson Twp	assessor " for 1900.	78 ⁰⁰

On motion the following bills were allowed.

H. H. Menzie	mileage notifying Twp Bils to draw jury	13 ⁶⁰
O. L. Boyden	" " " " " "	8 ⁰⁰
H. L. Menzie	com fees June 15-1900	3 ⁰⁰
"	" " & mileage	24 ⁷⁰
O. L. Boyden	" " June 15-1900	3 ⁵⁰
"	" " and mileage	27 ⁰⁰
F. S. Strohschein	" " " "	24 ⁵⁰

On motion the Board adjourned till Tuesday the 31st day of July 1900.

Peter J. Jevren
Auditor

Chairman

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Auditor's Office. Wheeler, W.V. July 31, 1900.

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment with all members and auditor present.

On motion the petition of C. F. Youngstrom and others for the organization of that part of Twp 98 Range 64 which lies within the boundaries of Charles Mix County into a civil township was granted, and said Township named Washington.

On motion the following persons were appointed Supervisors for said Washington township: C. F. Youngstrom, Chm, Barney Smeceman and G. N. Smith.

On motion the Auditor was instructed to call the first town meeting for Washington township on the 17th day of August 1900 at the house of G. N. Smith on sec 29-98-64 between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M and 5 o'clock P.M.

On motion the mortgage on N.W. 1/4 of sec-7-98-67 being given to secure a loan from the Permanent school fund was assigned to Isaac Johnson upon full payment of amount due thereon.

On motion the bill of R. H. Rutter for \$152.23 assessor fees was allowed
August 1st 1900.

On motion the petition of Charles Strahlow for reducing his assessment for the year 1900-23 head of "A" cattle, 35 head of "B" cattle, 23 head of "C" cattle and 9 head of hogs was allowed.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

J. B. Skillings.	witness fees.	\$ 5 70
Robert Dyer	Juror "	4 20
A. L. Nicholls.	Dep assessor..	138 00
Jackson Twp.	" 1900	78 00
Hamilton Twp.	" "	20 00
E. C. Ward	telephony	12 00
P. Heggestad	mdsa for Leahy	63 97
P. R. Pinard M.D.	med services in small pox case eld \$115 20 all. \$109 70	
R. Dyer	printing	46 00
F. J. Remington	"	38 83
Rhoda Twp	assessor fees 1900.	42 00
Charles Marvin	witness fees	6 00
Edgar Schroeder.	" "	5 70

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J. P. Sanders.	Jury fees	3.60
L. H. Skellings	" "	2.50
J. L. Minahan	" "	3.60
R. Odell	" "	17.30
Thomas Doud	" "	17.40
H. H. Heaton	" "	23.00
J. J. Murray	witness "	3.25
John Fritz	" "	10.00
M. O'Hara	" "	3.00
J. H. Boom	" "	6.00
Carl Peterson	" "	4.50
Ed Newens	" "	4.00
J. Hassinger.	Jury "	6.00
L. H. Archer.	returning jury list	2.50
O. H. Ficketts	medicine	16.00

On motion the application of Acaam Krines for rebate of \$1.20 school poll in Jackson Twp for the year 1899 was allowed.

On motion the petition of F. D. Morrison for cancellation of assessment for the year 1900 was rejected.

On motion the application of H. D. Cole for refund of \$7.28 for interest paid on redemption from tax sale of land erroneously sold by county for taxes of 1897 was granted.

On motion the Treasurer was instructed to redeem from tax sale Lot 1. sec 2 and Lots 3 & 4 sec. 1. Twp 98 R. 69 the same being Government lands.

On motion the application of Warren M. Melcher for abatement of \$1.20 school poll for 1898 was allowed.

On motion Menzie was appointed committee to provide for Mrs. Gould in Moore Twp.

The Clerk of Courts presents and files with the Board the following affidavit and requisition.

"Affidavit"

State of South Dakota, County of Charles Mix, ss: C. H. Bonnin being duly sworn says that he is the duly elected, qualified and acting Clerk of circuit court in and for Charles Mix county, South Dakota: that as such clerk of court on the 15th day of May

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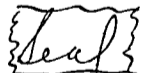
last, being just prior to the drawing of a jury for the June term 1900 of said court, he placed 39 names on the jury list of said county. Following the practice established by prior incumbents of said office and under the impression that it was a part of his duty to do so...

That a part of said names were drawn on the juries drawn and impaneled at said June term of court, that there remain on said jury list at this time 31 names so placed there by deponent, which names are as follows: Forbes Twp. (3) F. M. Hanna, J. E. Satham and J. N. McFarlin. Jackson Twp. (4) O. M. Van Orner, Henry Bridges, John Kubal and Louis Trasper. La Roche Twp. (1) R. E. Thomas. Lasee George (2) N. B. Smith and Daniel Lynch. Platte Twp. (6) R. F. Austin, G. Dyk, A. Holdens, J. L. Johnson, H. C. Roberts and D. Mellemas. Rhoda Twp. (3) R. M. Anderson, J. F. Evans and J. O. Huggins. Signal Twp. (1) E. M. Bushman. Kennedy Twp. (1) J. N. Eggers. Moore Twp. (1) M. Donovan. Goose Lake Twp. (1) P. Flanagan. Plain Center Twp. (1) N. Fredericks. Rouse Twp. (1) Alfred Cor. Wakeke Twp. (5) John Omaha, David Jephier, Max Lyman, Alfred Bonnin and David Stricker. White Swan Twp. (1) E. N. Vandell.

Deponent is informed and believes that said names are illegally on said jury list and therefor asks that the County Commissioners of said county purge said list of said names together with the names of any persons who may be disqualified from jury service.

C. H. Bonnin.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of July, A. D. 1900.



Jas. H. Esow, Notary Public.

"Requisition"

To the Hon. Board of County Commissioners of Charles Mix County, State of South Dakota: Gentlemen: It having been discovered that certain names have been illegally placed on the jury list which is made to more fully appear by my affidavit hereto annexed and hereby made a part of this requisition it is desired that you withdraw the same from said list and I hereby make demand and requisition on you for fifteen names to complete the jury list of said county as required by law.



Respectfully submitted. C. H. Bonnin
Clerk of circuit court in and for Charles Mix County, South Dakota.

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On motion the request of the clerk of court was granted and the jury list purged of the following names. F. M. Hanna, J. C. Satham, J. N. McFarlin, O. M. Van Ormer, Henry Bridges, John Kuleal, Louis Vraspiet, R. C. Thomas, N. B. Smith, Daniel Lynch, R. F. Austin, G. Dyk, A. Holden, J. S. Johnson, H. C. Roberts, D. Mellenas, R. M. Anderson, J. F. Evans, J. O. Huggins, E. M. Cushman, J. M. Eggers - M. Donovan, P. Flanagan, N. Frederick, Alfred Cox, John Omaha, David Jephess, Max Lyman, Alfred Bonnin, David Stricker, E. N. Vandell, & Adam Grimes, Hans Ringstad, Frank Nicholson, F. E. Church, S. Popham, E. Miller, Rasmus Peterson, W. E. Smith and John Rouse Sr.

The board then proceeded to apportion and furnish names for said jury list as follows: To the unorganized portion of the county 9 names divided as follows: Choteau Creek Twp. 3 names. H. A. Carpenter and S. C. Berry, Howard Twp. 1 name, Chris Anderson; Kennedy Twp. 3 names. Otis Davis, Jacob Eggers and C. D. Barkley; Moore Twp. 1 name C. S. Batson; Goose Lake Twp. 1 name Fred Barber; Lawrence Twp. 1 name Henry Bucholz.

To the organized portion of the county 15 names as follows. Forbes Twp. 2 names, Jackson Twp. 2 names, La Roche Twp. 1 name, Lake George Twp. 2 names, Platte Twp. 4 names, Rhoda Twp. 3 names, and Plain Center Twp. 1 name and the Auditor was instructed to make requisition on the several organized townships for said number of names.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

Q. H. Bonnin	revising jury list	\$ 15.00
Mrs F. S. Strohbehn	care of Mrs. Gould.	3.00
F. S. Strohbehn	care of Mrs Gould	5.30
H. H. Menzie	com fees and mileage	6.70
F. S. Strohbehn	com " " "	9.50
O. L. Boyden.	" " " "	9.00

On motion the board adjourned.

Peter Greven
Auditor

O. L. Boyden
Chairman.

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Auditor's Office, Wheeler, D.H. Sept. 4-1900.

The board of County Commissioners met at the office of the county auditor with commissioners Boyden, Menzie and auditor present and commissioner Strohschm absent.

The report of the State Board of equalization was received showing the following changes made in the assessment of Charles Mix county for the year 1900: Lands raised 25%, Town lots as equalized by county board, Merchandise raised 10%, Property invested in manufactures raised 10%, Horses raised 25%, Mules and asses raised 30%, Cattle raised 35%, Sheep as equalized by county board, Hogs raised 70%, Vehicles raised 35%, Moneys and credits as equalized by county Board, Household furniture as equalized by county board, Stocks & shares raised 20%, all other personal property not enumerated raised 10%.

On motion the following levies were made for the year 1900.
For county general fund \$11,797.00 or 6 mill.

" insane " 1572.00 " 0.8 "

" road & bridges " 1572.00 " 0.8 "

Rhoda Twp. school bond interest fund 3 mill.

Chateau crest Twp cash road levy 1 mill.

Goose Lake, Howard, Kennedy, Lawrence, Moore, Ree, Rouse, Signal, Nabeke & White Swan Twp. cash road levy 2 mills.

Unorganized townships labor road levy 3 "

" " road poll tax \$1.50.

Sept 5-1900.

An application for the incorporation of the town of Geddes was filed and the board requested to take action on same at this meeting.

Motion was made and seconded that the application for incorporation of the town of Geddes be tabled. Motion was declared lost. Menzie voting yes and Boyden voting No.

Menzie being called to the chair a motion was made and seconded that the application for incorporation of the town of Geddes be allowed. Motion was declared lost. Boyden voting yes and Menzie voting No.

On motion the board adjourned.

Peter J. Jern
Auditor

O. L. Boyden
Chairman

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Auditor's Office, Wheeler, D.D. Oct 2nd 1900.

The board of county commissioners met. with all members and auditor present.

The minutes of the last meetings were read and approved.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

Lo. Archaubeau.	Road overseer	\$106.50
W. Flynn.	" "	\$52.75

On motion the petition for incorporation of the town Geddes was granted, and the following order made:

State of South Dakota.

County of Charles Mix, ss. Before the board of county commissioners of said county.

In the matter of the application for the incorporation of the town of Geddes.

Order.

And now on the fifth day of September, A.D. 1900. G. W. Morrow, Frank H. Johnson, C. W. Pratt, and others, by their attorneys Frank Esline and L. L. Lamb appeared before this Board and presented their application for the incorporation of the town of Geddes, together with an accurate survey and map of the territory intended to be embraced within the limits of such town, and an accurate census of the resident population of such territory, and the same coming on regularly before the Board for hearing, the applicants were first required to produce and did produce in compliance with such requirement, proof by the affidavit of J. C. Stoughton, Postmaster of the village of Geddes, that said survey, maps and census, when completed and verified as required by law, were left at the post office at Geddes, a convenient place within the territory to be embraced within the limits of said proposed Town of Geddes, for examination by those having an interest in the said application, for a period of thirty days as required by law. And the Board having examined said survey, maps and census, and heard the petition and proofs, and being

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satisfied that the requirements of Art. 2, Chapter 11, of the Political Code. Compiled laws of 1889, have been fully complied with, it is therefore, on this 2nd day of October 1900, ordered by the Board of County Commissioners of the said County: That the following described territory to-wit: Beginning at the North East corner of the South East quarter of section Thirty One, in Township Ninety Eight, North, of Range Sixty Six West of the 5th P. M. and running thence due west 5593.5 feet, to the North West corner of the South West Quarter of said Section, running thence due South a distance of 5199.2 feet to the South West corner of the North West quarter of Section Six in Township Ninety Seven North, of Range Sixty Six West, of the 5th P. M. running thence East a distance of 5518 feet to the South East corner of the North East Quarter of Section Six, running thence North a distance of 5237.9 feet to the place of beginning, shall with the assent of the qualified voters thereof as herein after provided, be an Incorporated Town by the name of Geddes, the same being the name specified in the afore-said applications.

And it is further ordered that a notice be given for a meeting of the qualified voters resident in said proposed town at the hall in said town known as the Morrow Hall a convenient place therein, on the 25th day of October. A. D. 1900 to determine whether such territory shall be an incorporated town, which notice shall be as follows:

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the qualified voters resident in the proposed Town of Geddes, in Charles Mix County, South Dakota, comprising the following territory, to-wit:

Beginning at the North East corner of the South East quarter of Section Thirty One, in Township Ninety Eight, North, of Range Sixty Six, West of the 5th P. M. and running thence West a distance 5593.5 feet, to the North West corner of the South West quarter of said section, running thence South a distance of 5199.2 feet, to the South West corner

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of the North West quarter of Section Six, in Township Ninety Seven, North of Range Sixty Six, West, of the 5th P.M., running thence East to the South East corner of the North East quarter of said Section Six, a distance of 5518 feet, running thence North a distance of 5237.9 feet to the North East corner of the South East quarter of the aforesaid Section Thirty One, in Township Ninety Eight, North, of Range Sixty Six West of the 5th P.M. the place of beginning, will be held at the Hall in said Town known as Morrow Hall in said proposed Town, on the 25th day of October, A.D. 1900, to determine whether said territory shall be an incorporated Town; and at the said meeting the polls will be opened at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day and will be kept open untill four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, when they will be closed.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Charles Mix County, State of South Dakota.

(Seal)

Peter Nielsen,

County Auditor.

And it is further ordered that said notice of such meeting shall be published for ten days, by publication in the Charles Mix County News a legal newspaper published at Gettler, at said county, and by posting up copies of said notice, not less than ten in number at the most public places in said proposed incorporated town.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Charles Mix County, South Dakota.

(Seal)

Attest: Peter Nielsen,

O. L. Boyden,

County Auditor.

Chairman.

On motion the Auditor was instructed to correct assessment of land in Jackson township of J. F. Marshall by reducing the number of acres to 86 acres.

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October 3th 1900.

On motion the bond of J. E. Lloyd as school book depository was approved.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

E. L. Senn.	Expense on grasshopper circulars	\$10.00
T. J. Remington.	printing ect.	26.05
H. C. Tucker.	" "	32.14
" " "	" "	15.00
Wheeler Courier.	" "	16.00
W. C. Mecker.	Road overseer.	30.00
Silas Osborne.	" " cl'd \$48.00 all'd	36.00
A. Truesdell	mdse for Mrs House	37.04
" "	" " court house	7.25
P. Wilgen	Road overseer	34.00
Jacob Weirch.	" "	30.00
Fullerton Lumber Co.	lumber	10.55
Petkins Bros.	Books and Blanks.	43.25
G. W. Gunter.	Returning jury list	4.00
G. L. Kirk	Blanks.	5.00
C. A. Dagher.	Mdse for W. Reeves.	23.50

On motion the of D. J. Smith for refund of \$10.00 paid for ferry license was granted.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

Peter Kievers	Salary auditor	\$300.00
" "	postage	16.51
J. F. Kelley & Co.	Books and blanks.	74.02
E. E. Wilson,	postage	7.04
State Pub. Co.	blanks	54
W. T. Pierce	water	6.75
T. O. Dahl	care of Mrs. Jernberg	39.00
C. W. Bonnin.	postage	10.85
American Book Co.	schoolbooks	130.50

On motion the report of the Board of Guardians in Phillips case was approved and bills allowed as follows:

Adam Geimes.	Attorney fees	2.00
Dr. H. M. Marks.	Physician "	10.40

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On motion the following bills were allowed:

Educator School Supply Co. Blanks		\$ 16.05
W. F. McC. Call	Salary State Atty.	150.00
Gas The Exon.	" "	75.00

On motion the petition of W. A. Lathrop for abatement of taxes for 1900 on stock lost by disease was rejected.

On motion the application of J. W. Gray, for School book depository was granted and his bond approved.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

A. L. Roberts	constable fees	\$ 3.60
Frank Patton	Dep. Sheriff fees	51.90
J. " "	witness " "	4.50
W. J. Morrison	care of W. Phillips	10.50
Vincent Haberna	postage	19.50
" "	salary	375.00

On motion the Justice report of W. F. van der Voort in Michael & Saul case was accepted.

On motion the Justice report of W. F. van der Voort in Thieffer case was accepted and bills allowed as follows:

W. F. Van der Voort	Justice fees.	\$ 3.35
O. L. Roberts	constable fees.	5.65

On motion the Justice report of G. L. Kirk in Thieffer case was accepted and bills allowed as follows:

G. L. Kirk	Justice fees.	\$ 9.40
C. van den Boom	Witness fees.	3.90
W. F. Harvey	" "	2.50
H. de Vries	" "	2.40
Char. Schnickel	" "	2.30
W. C. Roberts	" "	2.20
G. L. Walker	" "	3.20
G. F. Brewster	" "	1.10
W. F. Van der Voort	" "	1.10
O. L. Roberts	constable fees	14.10

On motion the petition of W. W. McC. Donald and others for a bridge across Choteau creek was referred to Com. Stephens for investigation to report at the next

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meeting.

On motion the auditor was instructed to refund to the County Treasurer tax receipt # 1408 for 1899 erroneously issued and re-extend said taxes on tax list.

On motion the application of C. E. Flocke for refund of taxes for 1899 on Lots 1, 2 & 3 Sec. 8-98-66 was allowed the same being a double payment.

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On motion the application of J. P. Holders for abatement of taxes for the year 1897 on the S. W. quarter of Sec 12-100-70 was granted.

On motion the following bills were allowed.

C. L. Roberts	constable fees.	\$ 3.00
W. N. Norman	sheriff "	464.60
W. S. Watwood	constable "	7.90
J. J. Hawley	" "	4.60
W. F. McCall	expence account	38.50

On motion the report of E. E. Wilson Register of Deeds for Quarter ending Sept. 29, 1900. was accepted and fees of \$ 360.76 allowed.

On motion the following Judges of election were appointed for the general election to be held on November 6—1900

Carroll Precinct.	J. A. Fosley, Thos. Mankeim, and Rho Nash.
Castalia.	" " Andrew Murphy, M. E. Wallace, and John Waugh
Chocow Creek	" J. Guthmiller Jr., Andrew Mc. Kenna, and F. Patrick
Darlington	" John Campbell, John Wehde, and W. L. Watson.
Forbes	" A. Buchell, J. N. McFaelin, and T. E. Anderson.
Gooslake	" Chas. Kimball, J. Flanagan, and Howard Moellen.
Hamilton	" W. T. Oldham, L. Anderson, and G. W. Gunter.
Howard	" Phillip Wiltgen, Henry Vance, and John Weston.
Jackson	" T. R. Skillings, Wm. Babstone, and J. F. Marshall
Kennedy	" August Foreman, John Anderson, and Chas Leek.
Lake George	" Chad. Mc Cumber, R. A. Smith, and Geo. Duke.
La Roche	" Geo. Thomas, J. W. Gillings, and Wm. Burton.
Lawrence	" John Morgan, J. J. Mawhirney, and Frank. Steber.
Moore	" T. N. Menow, J. L. Wood, and M. Donovan.

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Plein Center Precinct. Thos. McCabe, M. Martin and Geo. Soosby.
 Platte " Thos. A. Thomson, W. C. Roberts and W. Kirkpatrick
 Ree " Peter Picotte, Joseph Bengier, and T. T. Brunot
 Rhoda " J. F. Evans, John Humphrey, and J. T. Campbell Jr
 Rouse " Jack Rouse, John Cole, and Frank Kotal
 Signal " G. E. Dyksterhuis, W. Flynn, and N. L. Reynolds.
 Wakeke " Wm Shunk, J. B. Bonvion and Elmer Lyman.
 Washington " G. W. Smith, G. F. Youngstrom, and Jas. Desmond
 White Swan " Louis Dabow, D. J. Jeffers, and M. A. Vandall.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

W. W. Moenzie	committee work taking Mrs. Gould	
to Sioux City.		\$ 34.00
W. W. Moenzie	committee work	4.00
O. L. Boyden.	com. feed. and mileage.	21.00
T. J. Shrockhorn	" " "	12.50
W. W. Moenzie.	" " "	16.40

On motion the Board adjourned till November 9 - 1900

Peter Nieman
Auditor.

W. W. Moenzie
Chairman.

COMMISSIONER'S RECORD,

Auditor's Office, Wheeler, S.D. Nov 9th 1900.

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment with Comrs. Boyden, Menzie and Auditor present. Comr. Stroblehn absent.

On motion the following order was made for the incorporation of the town of Geddes:

State of South Dakota } ss.

County of Charles Mix } Before the Board of County Commissioners of said County:

In the matter of the Incorporation of the town of Geddes: And now on this 9th day of November A.D. 1900 came A. F. Wilson, Peter Heggestad and N. G. Sh. Marie, inspectors duly elected by the voters at a meeting of the qualified voters resident in the proposed town of Geddes, in said county, and state, to determine whether said town should be an incorporated town, held at Morrow Hall in said town on the 25th day of October 1900 in pursuance of the order of this Board made on the 2nd day of October 1900.

And the said inspectors having made and returned to this Board their statement in writing, verified by the affidavit of said inspectors, showing the whole number of ballots given at said meeting, the number having the word "Yes" thereon and the number having the word "No" thereon, - and it appearing that all of the ballots given at said meeting were in favor of incorporating said town of Geddes and the Board of County Commissioners being satisfied of the legality of said meeting and election, it is therefore

By the Board of County Commissioners in regular session at Wheeler, in said County and State: Ordered and declared that the territory comprising the North half of section 6 Township 97 North, Range 66 West and the South half of section 31 Township 98 Range 66 West and more particularly set forth by metes and bounds, by the survey and map heretofore presented to this Board with application for incorporation of said town has been incorporated by the name adopted, viz: "Geddes".

(Seal) Attest: Peter N. Overn
County Auditor

O. L. Boyden
Chairman

On motion the application for incorporation of the town of Platte was granted and the following order made:

State of South Dakota } ss.

County of Charles Mix } Before the Board of County Commissioners of said county:

In the matter of the application for the incorporation of the town of Platte:

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And now on the 9th day of November 1900. G. P. Harben, W. F. McCall, Irving H. Welch, F. C. Smith, George Coal and others, by their attorneys G. P. Harben and W. F. McCall appeared before this Board, and presented their application for the incorporation of the town of Platte, together with an accurate survey and map of the territory intended to be embraced within the limits of said town, and an accurate census of the resident population of such territory and the same coming on regularly before the board for hearing. the applicants were first required to produce and did produce in compliance with such requirements proof by the affidavit of H. A. Kuipers postmaster of the town of Platte that said survey, map and census when completed and verified as required by law were left at the Postoffice at Platte, a convenient place within the limits of said proposed town of Platte for examination by those having an interest in said application for a period of thirty days as required by law: and the Board having examined said map, survey and census, and heard the petition and proofs and being satisfied that the requirements of Article 2, Chapter eleven, of the Political code compiled laws of 1887 have been fully complied with; It is therefore on this 9th day of November 1900, ordered by the Board of County Commissioners of the said county, that the following described territory to wit:— Beginning at the North East corner of the South east quarter of the North West quarter of section Thirteen in Township Ninety-nine of Range Sixty-eight West of the 5th Principal Meridian, thence West 5230.8 feet to the North West corner of the South West quarter of the North east quarter of section Fourteen, thence South 5239.7 feet to the South West corner, of the North west quarter of the Northeast quarter of section twenty four, thence East 5205.12 feet to the South East corner of the North East quarter of the North West quarter of section twenty-three, thence North 5252.1 feet to the North east corner of the South east quarter of the North West quarter of section Thirteen, Township Ninety-nine of Range Sixty-eight the place of beginning, and embracing 6267⁴⁵/₁₀₀ acres according to the survey herewith presented, shall with the assent of the qualified voters thereof as hereinafter provided, be an incorporated town by the name of Platte, the same being the name specified in the aforesaid application, and it is further ordered that a notice be given for a meeting of the qualified voters resident in said

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proposed town at the office of N. F. McCall, States attorney, a convenient place therein on the 26th day of November 1900, to determine whether said territory shall be an incorporated town, which notice shall be as follows:

Notice:

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the qualified voters resident in the proposed town of Alatte, in Charles Mix County, South Dakota, comprising the following territory to wit:—Beginning at the North east corner of the Southeast quarter of the North West quarter of section Thirteen in Township Ninety-nine, of Range Sixty eight, West of the 5th P.M. thence west 5230-8 feet to the North West corner of the South West quarter of the North east quarter of section Fourteen, thence south 5239-7 feet to the South West corner of the North west quarter of the North east quarter of section Twenty four, thence east 5208-12 feet to the South east corner of the North east quarter of the North West quarter of section Twenty three, thence North 5252-1 feet to the North east corner of the South east quarter of the North west quarter of section Thirteen in Township Ninety nine Range Sixty eight—the place of beginning embracing six hundred and twenty six + ⁴⁵/₁₀₀ acres will be held at the office of N. F. McCall States Attorney, in said proposed town on the 26th day of November 1900 to determine whether said territory shall be an incorporated town, and that at the said meeting the polls will be opened at the hour of 9 o'clock in the fore noon of said day and will be kept open until 4 o'clock in the afternoon of said day when they will be closed.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Charles Mix County, South Dakota.

(Seal)

Peter J. Zievern
County Auditor

And it is further ordered that said notice of said meeting shall be published for ten days by publication in the Wheeler Courier, a newspaper published at Wheeler in said county and by posting up copies of said Notice not less than ten in number at the most public places in said proposed incorporated town.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Charles Mix County, South Dakota.

O. L. Boyden.

Peter J. Zievern, County Auditor, Chairman

On motion the Board adjourned.

Peter J. Zievern
County Auditor

Chairman

CHARLES MIX COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA.

Auditor's Office Wheeler, South Dakota November 10th 1900.
 The County Auditor having called to his assistance Will. H. Menzie, F. S. Strobbelw County Commissioners and they having called Adam Grimes Justice of the Peace for the purpose of canvassing the votes cast at the General election held on Tuesday Nov 6th 1900 met at the Auditor's office and canvassed the votes with the following results.

For
 Presidential
 Elector.

For Member of Congress.

For Governor

	Canby	Castro	Chadron	Chase	Sioux Falls	Forbes	Lyons	Hamilton	Howard	Sacred	Hennepin	East	George	Teche	Lumina	Morr	Plain	Platte	Ree	Washington	Rhodes	Russ	Signal	Wahkiakum	White Swan	Total
Thomas Fitch	18	31	73	41	19	48	12	15	132	31	15	51	51	92	52	71	35	14	53	65	41	94	54	1108		
A. R. Brown	18	31	71	41	19	47	12	15	131	31	15	57	50	92	52	71	35	14	53	65	41	95	54	1104		
Charles Thomson	18	31	72	41	19	48	12	15	131	31	15	57	57	91	57	71	35	14	53	65	41	94	54	1104		
A. N. Marble	18	31	71	41	19	47	12	15	131	31	15	57	57	92	57	71	35	14	53	65	41	94	54	1103		
John P. McElroy	19	27	75	4	11	110	12	29	111	30	24	42	38	85	58	92	38	12	31	35	49	53	73	1058		
John N. Martin	19	27	76	4	11	110	12	29	110	30	24	42	39	84	58	92	37	12	30	35	49	53	72	1054		
John M. King	19	27	76	4	11	111	12	29	109	30	24	42	38	86	58	92	37	12	30	36	49	53	72	1057		
Fred H. Bacon	19	27	77	4	11	111	12	29	110	30	24	42	38	84	58	92	37	12	30	36	49	53	73	1058		
Thomas Thompson Jr.					1			1				1	1											1	5	
Erwin J. Tracy					1			1				1	1												1	5
Kettle Salverson					1			1				1	1												1	5
J. Sykes Wilson		1	2	3				1				3	1			1	1				1		3		17	
E. K. Ostroot		1	3	3				1				3	1			1	1				1		2		17	
M. G. Rude		1	2	3				1				3	1			1	1				1		2		16	
A. N. Reed		1	2	3				1				3	1			1	1				1		2		16	
Ulrich Bosley		3					4									1						1			9	
Robert N. Haire		3					4									1						1			9	
William Wallace Swan		3					4									1						1			9	
E. Francis Atwood		3					4					1				1						1			10	
Charles H. Burke	18	31	75	45	19	46	12	14	132	31	15	49	52	89	50	73	35	13	52	65	42	94	55	1103		
Eben H. Martin	18	31	74	41	19	46	12	14	132	31	15	51	52	87	51	71	35	13	51	64	43	94	53	1097		
Joseph B. Moore	19	29	72	5	11	112	14	30	109	31	24	43	38	87	59	93	37	12	29	36	48	52	71	1061		
Andrew C. Lee	19	28	72	5	11	112	15	30	109	31	25	46	38	89	59	94	37	12	34	37	47	52	74	1076		
Edmund F. English					1			1																	1	3
John M. Pease					1			1							1										1	4
A. O. Harpel		1	3	2				1				2	1			1	1		1	1	1		2		15	
M. Rogers		1	2	2				1				2				1			1		1		2		12	
Chas. N. Herried	18	30	75	41	19	47	12	14	132	31	15	52	51	90	57	70	35	13	54	65	41	94	54	1104		
Burre H. Lien	19	30	73	5	11	111	14	30	109	31	24	43	36	86	58	94	37	12	29	36	49	52	73	1062		

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	Carroll	Catalina	Cherokee	Chickasaw	Washington	Franklin	Greene	Madison	Marshall	Meigs	Monroe	Morgan	Newton	Polk	Putnam	Rockwell	Sevier	Shelby	Union	Van Buren	White	Yazoo	Total			
Gov. Governor.	L. C. Stair																									
	F. J. Carlisle.	1	2	2																						
For Lieutenant Governor.	G. W. Snow.	18	30	75	41	19	47	12	14	131	31	15	52	51	90	52	71	35	13	54	67	42	94	54	1108	
	A. L. Van Osdel.	19	30	70	5	11	111	14	30	109	31	24	42	38	86	57	94	37	12	29	35	49	52	72	1057	
	W. Lewis.	1	3	2																						
For Sec. of State.	O. C. Berg.	18	30	76	41	19	47	12	14	132	31	15	52	52	90	51	71	35	13	54	65	43	94	54	1109	
	Fred B. Smith	19	30	72	5	11	111	14	30	109	31	24	43	37	86	58	94	37	12	29	36	48	52	73	1061	
	Fred Nyström																									
	W. J. Davis.	1	2	2																						
For State Auditor.	J. W. Reeves.	18	30	76	41	18	47	12	14	130	31	15	51	52	90	51	72	35	13	54	65	42	94	54	1105	
	Frank J. Tracy	19	30	72	5	12	111	14	30	109	31	24	44	37	86	58	93	37	12	29	36	49	52	73	1063	
	Frank Stout																									
	J. E. Gamble.	1	2	2																						
For State Treasurer.	John Schamber.	17	30	76	41	19	47	12	14	131	31	15	52	53	90	51	73	35	13	54	65	43	94	54	1110	
	Charles D. Sidrick	20	30	70	5	11	111	14	30	109	31	24	43	36	86	58	92	37	12	29	36	48	52	72	1056	
	W. H. Curtis	1	3	2																						
For Attorney General.	John L. Pyle.	18	30	78	41	19	47	12	14	131	31	15	52	50	90	51	71	35	13	54	65	42	94	54	1107	
	Abner C. Hitchcock.	19	30	70	5	11	111	14	30	109	31	24	43	39	86	58	93	37	12	29	36	50	52	72	1061	
For Sup of Pub. Instr.	E. C. Rollins	18	30	78	40	19	47	12	14	131	31	15	53	52	90	52	71	35	13	54	65	41	94	45	1109	
	M. H. Caswell.	19	30	70	5	11	111	14	30	109	31	24	42	37	86	57	93	37	12	29	36	50	52	72	1057	
	O. J. Husabor																									
	Geo. H. Grace.	1	1	2																						
For Comr of Schol. & Land.	David Eastman	18	29	78	40	19	47	12	14	132	31	15	52	52	90	51	71	35	13	54	65	41	94	54	1107	
	Edmund Coors	19	31	71	5	11	111	14	30	108	31	24	43	37	86	58	94	37	12	29	36	49	52	72	1060	
	J. J. Stearns.																									
	P. S. Rhodes.	1	1	2																						
For R.R. Commission.	Grant Le Cocq Jr.	17	29	79	38	18	46	12	13	131	31	15	50	49	88	50	72	35	12	53	65	39	93	54	1084	
	W. J. Lafollette	20	31	70	9	12	112	14	31	109	32	24	46	40	88	59	92	37	13	30	36	50	53	72	1080	
	A. D. Blundin																									
For State Senator.	John P. Williamson	18	29	78	42	20	42	11	11	112	28	15	52	52	81	50	72	35	9	47	65	39	93	54	1055	
	W. H. Johnson	19	32	72	8	10	116	15	33	129	35	25	43	37	95	59	93	37	17	37	36	51	54	71	1124	
For Representative.	Samuel M. Lindley	17	32	78	44	18	41	12	15	126	30	14	53	52	84	47	71	35	12	51	64	40	93	55	1084	
	J. H. Jones.	20	29	72	6	12	117	16	29	115	33	26	43	36	92	62	95	37	13	32	37	52	53	72	1099	
For County Treasurer.	Knute O. Hammer	21	35	79	44	21	47	14	15	126	33	15	56	41	92	49	84	34	12	49	58	40	94	56	1113	
	Vincent Kaberna	16	27	72	6	8	111	14	31	115	30	25	39	49	84	61	80	38	13	32	42	52	52	71	1068	

CHARLES MIX COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA.

		Carroll	Catalpa	Cherokee	Crest	Darling	Fowler	Hamlin	Harvard	Hamlin	Sturgis	Freeman	Honora	Carroll	George	Lawrence	More	Plain	Center	Platte	Re	Washington	Shirley	Rouse	Liquid	Wahkiakum	White	Winn	Total
3	For County Auditor	A. Vandervoort	23	30	79	41	20	43	12	13	12	4	32	11	48	50	88	50	92	35	11	49	63	32	94	55	109	5	
7		Peter J. Jern	14	31	71	7	9	11	14	31	11	7	31	29	48	39	88	61	71	37	14	31	37	61	52	72	10	80	
8	For Registrar of Deeds	Joseph Estes	19	29	80	39	18	43	12	13	12	3	32	7	42	57	85	50	72	35	12	48	64	32	93	54	10	52	
7		E. E. Wilson	18	33	71	9	11	11	15	31	11	8	31	33	54	38	92	60	93	37	13	33	36	60	53	73	11	27	
5	For Sheriff	Wm. L. Palmatis	20	28	75	38	16	41	9	13	11	8	30	11	50	55	82	46	68	35	11	30	52	33	93	53	10	07	
9		H. N. Norman	17	33	76	11	14	11	18	31	12	3	33	29	47	36	95	64	97	37	14	52	47	59	53	74	11	77	
61	For Clerk of Courts	Addison H. Pease	18	31	80	40	20	44	12	14	12	3	33	14	52	52	81	66	74	35	12	45	54	34	86	53	10	79	
3		C. H. Bonnin	18	30	70	8	9	11	14	30	11	9	30	26	44	38	89	45	91	37	13	36	46	55	59	74	10	95	
3	For State Attorney	J. W. Lindsay	20	30	78	40	19	42	13	15	12	3	29	15	51	50	80	56	77	35	10	53	63	40	94	13	10	86	
5		F. J. Remington	17	30	72	8	11	11	14	29	11	9	34	25	46	42	97	54	89	37	16	30	37	52	52	73	11	00	
63	For County Judge	D. L. P. Lamb	16	32	79	41	16	47	12	14	13	3	32	11	52	52	90	50	77	35	12	53	63	34	94	54	10	99	
3		J. H. Erson	19	28	72	9	13	11	16	29	10	9	31	29	44	39	87	60	88	37	13	30	37	58	52	73	10	84	
4	For Superintendent	E. L. Sinn	20	28	72	40	16	50	15	12	12	6	31	15	44	45	82	51	70	35	12	44	63	49	90	53	10	69	
10		Emily Meade	16	34	73	10	14	10	13	32	11	5	32	25	54	46	93	59	95	37	13	37	36	43	56	74	11	16	
6	For Surveyor	Edward Le Cleve	18	31	72	6	10	11	16	30	10	8	31	25	45	38	89	59	89	37	13	30	36	57	52	72	10	69	
4	For Coroner	R. E. Davis	20	31	81	38	19	47	12	14	13	4	32	15	54	52	90	51	73	35	12	52	63	43	94	54	11	16	
7	For Assessor	Aaron Jones	20	31	74	42	19	46	12	15	13	1	39	15	52	51	90	51	72	35	12	51	62	41	94	55	11	10	
61		W. C. Decker	17	30	78	7	10	11	15	29	10	9	24	25	44	38	86	59	93	37	13	30	38	49	12	71	10	65	
9	For Justice of the Peace	George Salymple	19	30	80	39	18	47	12	14	13	3	31	15	53	55	88	55	72	35	12	51	63	38	94	53	11	04	
57		Loyal Adams	19	26	79	39	17	45	12	13	13	3	32	15	52	51	88	51	82	35	12	49	63	43	94	54	11	04	
3		H. E. Hamlin	19	30	78	39	17	45	12	13	13	3	32	15	52	52	88	51	72	35	12	51	63	37	94	54	11	04	
21		D. C. Ballard	18	30	79	39	18	42	12	19	13	1	32	15	53	51	88	51	72	35	14	52	63	42	94	54	11	05	
7		Geo. Reynolds	18	36	72	6	11	10	15	31	10	8	31	25	44	37	88	59	79	37	13	32	36	48	52	72	10	60	
60		Walter Mansbridge	18	31	73	6	11	10	14	31	10	3	31	25	44	36	88	59	89	37	13	30	36	55	52	72	10	71	
1		E. J. Lundt	18	31	71	6	10	11	14	25	10	8	31	25	43	34	88	59	89	37	11	29	36	50	52	73	10	56	
3		H. V. Stahl	18	31	70	6	10	11	14	30	10	8	32	25	43	34	88	56	88	37	13	30	36	51	52	73	10	56	
9	For Constable	F. G. Hall	19	18	79	39	18	47	10	14	13	1	32	15	57	55	88	52	72	35	12	51	63	44	94	54	10	93	
0		Gale Jones	19	29	80	40	13	48	12	15	13	1	32	14	51	51	88	51	70	35	12	51	63	44	94	54	10	97	
3		E. M. Loxton	19	29	79	39	17	46	12	15	13	2	32	15	51	51	89	54	72	35	12	49	63	42	94	55	11	02	
5		Frank Labaugh	19	29	79	39	17	47	12	14	13	1	32	15	52	51	88	53	80	35	12	50	63	48	94	54	11	24	
4		E. Rockwell	18	45	70	6	10	11	18	30	10	8	31	25	46	34	88	58	91	37	13	30	36	49	52	73	10	79	
4		Patrick Noxon	18	31	72	6	11	11	14	30	10	8	31	25	42	38	88	57	81	37	13	30	37	44	52	72	10	48	
99		Adam Priest	18	29	70	6	15	10	14	29	10	8	31	26	43	37	88	59	90	37	13	30	36	48	52	72	10	61	
3		W. S. Watwood	18	37	70	6	11	11	14	29	10	3	31	25	43	39	87	56	89	37	13	32	36	50	52	71	10	62	

COMMISSIONER'S RECORD,

		Carroll	Cass	Cherokee	Franklin	Fulton	Greene	Hardee	Haywood	Johnston	Lincoln	Macon	Madison	Meriwether	Morgan	Newton	Oconee	Wilkes	Worth	Yamhill	Total				
For C. Commission 3 rd Dist.	O. L. Boyden.	37	61	45	28	26	...	40	95													493			
Art. 27 Amendment	Yes.	16	29	90	22	16	57	12	10	111	27	9	34	54	50	50	79	6	12	24	66	25	33	13	845
	No.	14	27	40	22	11	21	14	30	84	25	31	56	27	83	32	54	18	2	59	28	62	60	16	821
Art. 28 Amendment	Yes.	14	26	104	28	7	59	18	19	115	32	33	72	41	63	59	84	4	11	67	60	62	23	5	1015
	No.	8	10	22	9	22	12	8	22	66	15	5	12	21	47	19	28	21	1	13	29	22	68	11	491
Change of County Seat	Yes.	7	14	85	34	10	60	4	2	156	20	17	49		122	43	33	8	10	69	13	24	19	10	821
	No.	16	19	18	6	12	52	20	22	36	20	10	31		8	25	50	29	4	1	65	36	42	46	618

On motion the Board of canvassers adjourned.

County Commissioner

Attest.

Peter Neivern, Auditor

Justice of the Peace

Auditors Office, Wheeler, S. DAK. Nov 15.

John W. McKee, County Auditor of Douglas County, U. A. Fowne, Deputy Auditor of Gregory County and Peter Neivern, County Auditor of Charles Mix County, S. DAK. met to canvass the returns for the 8th Senatorial District and the 9th Representative District with the following result.

For Senator 8th Dist. John P. Williamson
 W. N. Johnson.
 For Representative Samuel M. Lindley
 9th Dist. J. G. Jones.

Douglas	Gregory	Charles Mix
585	389	1055
633	273	124
	325	1084
		1409
	261	1099
		1360

On motion the Board of canvassers adjourned.

Peter Neivern County Auditor.

CHARLES MIX COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA.

Certified Statement of Persons elected to fill Offices in the Town of Geddes.

State of South Dakota, }
 County of Charles Mix } ss. The undersigned Inspectors to-wit: A. F. Wilson,
 Peter Heggstad and N. G. St. Marie, do hereby certify: That at the election
 held in the town of Geddes, Charles Mix County, State of South Dakota, on Monday
 the 26th day of November A.D. 1900, for the purpose of electing Officers of said
 Town, the following named persons were elected to fill the offices desig-
 nated after their respective name, to-wit:

Charles G. Seeman, Trustee from the First District
 John A. Foerste, Trustee from the Second District
 George W. Morrow, Trustee from the Third District
 Orville A. Griffin, Trustee from the Fourth District
 Frank H. Johnson, Trustee from the Fifth District
 Geo. W. Shuck, clerk
 Nathan G. St. Marie, Assessor
 William W. Stoney, Treasurer
 John W. Carrigan, Marshall.
 Frank Erling, Justice of the Peace
 John W. Carrigan, Overseer of highways.

In witness whereof we have hereunto signed our names, at
 Geddes in said county and state, this 26th day of November A.D. 1900.

A. F. Wilson

Peter Heggstad

Nathan G. St. Marie.

Inspectors.

Filed for record this 27th day of November 1900 at 2 o'clock P. M. and recorded
 in Book 2 Page 199.

Peter Nieverw, County Auditor.