

Supervisors' Minute Book, No. 7, Shelby County, Iowa.

Session, 191

Harlan, Iowa, January 14, 1919

The Board of Supervisors met today as per adjournment with members Hans Brodersen, Geo. E. Miller and N. H. Johnson and County Auditor Glen P. Howard present.

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Board approved the reports of the Trustees of the following Townships: Jefferson, Greeley, Union, Grove, Washington, Westphalia, Douglas, Polk, Jackson, Center, Lincoln, Cass, Shelby, Fairview, Monroe, Clay.

The following bonds of County Officials were approved:

- Glen P. Howard, County Auditor
- J. T. Newby, County Treasurer
- W. B. Woods, County Recorder
- L. M. Taylor, Clerk District Court
- C. W. McNaughton, Sheriff
- F. W. Sarvis, County Engineer
- E. M. Miller, County Attorney
- W. R. Koolbeck, Deputy Auditor
- Arthur Rixen, Deputy Treasurer
- Tom Wokersein, Deputy Clerk
- Thos. G. Brewer, Deputy Recorder
- Chas. Brodersen, Deputy Sheriff

Justices of the Peace

- H. B. Sooy, Union Township
- J. D. Dunlavy, Harlan
- Fred T. Miller, Shelby

- Peter Steenhusen, Jefferson
- J. J. Wilwerding, Westphalia

Constables

- H. Wells, Union
- H. D. Copeland, Harlan
- O. E. Allen, Harlan

Assessors

- Arch Muldoon, Fairview
- L. W. Shannon, Irwin
- Jos. L. Olson, Jefferson
- J. E. Blakely, Lincoln
- P. M. Leinen, Cass
- B. B. Nissen, Monroe
- Math Schleier, Union
- Jos. Leutticke, Westphalia
- Fred Koenig, Douglas

- Math Olig, Panama
- Jes P. Bengtsen, Clay
- P. J. Willmes, Washington
- C. A. West, Greeley
- Geo. Hansen, Jackson
- W. L. Jackson, Grove
- Mads Madsen, Elk Horn
- Leonard Dent, Polk
- Henry Ehrig, Shelby

Clerks

- M. M. Campbell, Greeley
- E. C. Feser, Grove
- Geo. Rewerts, Union
- Jos. B. Leuschen, Washington
- L. W. Shannon, Jefferson
- Fred W. Peters, Shelby

- James Bristol, Polk
- J. P. Cranney, Douglas
- J. J. Wilwerding, Westphalia
- Hans A. Hansen, Jackson
- P. F. Manuel, Fairview
- D. J. Carmichael, Monroe

The Board approved the following Bank Bonds in the sum set opposite each:

Shelby County State Bank	\$ 50,000.00
Farmers & Merchants Sav. Bank	50,000.00
Harlan National Bank	50,000.00
Defiance Savings Bank	10,000.00
Panama Savings Bank	10,000.00
Farmers Savings Bank (Irwin)	10,000.00
Shelby County Savings Bank (Shelby)	10,000.00
Farmers Trust & Savings Bank (Earling)	10,000.00
Corley Farmers Sav. Bank	10,000.00
Farmers Savings Bank (Shelby)	7,500.00
Farmers & Stock-growers Sav. Bank	5,000.00
The Elk Horn Bank	10,000.00
Farmers Bank (Elk Horn)	10,000.00
Kirkman Savings Bank	5,000.00
State Bank of Portsmouth	10,000.00

E. H. Lee was appointed Janitor of the Court House at a salary of \$100.00 per month.

The salary of the Deputy Sheriff was fixed at \$75.00 per month. The deputy sheriff is to use his own car when out on criminal cases with no expense to the county.

The following committees were appointed for the ensuing year:

County Home & Farm: Supervisors N. H. Johnson

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Wooden Bridge: Each member in his own district.
 Steel and Concrete bridges: All members jointly.
 Court House & Jail: Supervisor Hans Brodersen.

L. J. Smith was appointed Overseer of the Poor in Harlan and his salary was fixed at \$36.00 per year.

The following official papers were selected: The Harlan Tribune and the Shelby County Republican at a compensation of 33 1/3 cents for each ten lines of brevier or its equivalent and the Shelby News and the Defiance Independent at a compensation of 16 2/3 cents for each ten lines of brevier or its equivalent.

The contract and bond of Hal J. Guill as Steward of the County Home and Farm being on file same were approved.

The County Auditor was directed to transfer from the Domestic Animal Fund to the County Fund the sum of \$ 2782.32 .

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The taxes for the year 1914 were declared unavailable.

The Board made the following paupers allowances for the year 1919:

Newt Nelson, \$10.00 per month; John Zimmer 20.00 per month; A. E. Potter 20.00 per month; Marie Larsen 10.00 per month; Vina Knudsen 8.00 per month; S. M. Lamm 12.50 per month.

The Board then proceeded to fix the compensation of the Assessors for the year 1919, by the following resolution which was unanimously adopted:

"Be it resolved by the Board of Supervisors of Shelby County, Iowa, that the compensation of the Town and Township Assessors for the year 1919 be fixed at \$3.00 per day of eight hours each, provided that all books are returned completely balanced and recapitulation sheets made; otherwise the compensation shall be \$2.50 per day for the number of days allotted to the district.

The following number of days was allotted to each district: Jefferson 54 days; Greeley 54 days; Union 54 days; Grove 58 days; Washington 54 days; Westphalia 58 days; Douglas 54 days; Polk 54 days; Jackson 56 days; Center 50 days; Lincoln 54 days; Cass 54 days; Shelby 52 days; Fairview 54 days; Monroe 54 days; Clay 54 days; Shelby Town 30 days; Harlan City 125 days; Irwin 18 days; Defiance 18 days; Panama 18 days; Earling 18 days; Kirkman 16 days; Portsmouth 20 days; Elk Horn 25 days; Tennant 12 days.

The Board approved the 4th quarterly report of the County Auditor showing fees collected and paid in to the County Treasurer in the sum of \$18.25.

The Board approved the 4th quarterly report of the Clerk of the District Court showing fees collected and paid in to the County Treasurer in the sum of \$320.80.

The Board approved the annual reports of the following Justices of the Peace: Peter Steenhusen, Jefferson; J. H. Muenchrath, Westphalia; H. B. Sooy, Union.

The Board on motion adjourned to 9:00 o'clock A. M. January 15, 1919.

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The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Board took up the settlement with J. T. Newby, County Treasurer, and in due time completed same and found that he had in his possession on January 1, 1919 the sum of \$77,823.55 which was produced in sworn bank statements and thus was accounted for.

The Board on motion adjourned to Feb. 4, 1919, at which time they will receive bids on bridge lumber for the year.

Attest

Glen P. Howard
 County Auditor

Hans Brodersen
 Chairman Board of Supervisors.