Stevens County Commissioners Journal Book C

Book C covers from 1894 to 1899.

In 1894, Stevens County consisted of the current counties of Ferry, Pend Oreille, and Stevens County.

In February 1899, Ferry County was created. Stevens County then consisted of the current counties of Pend Oreille and Stevens County.

The files names for May 14, 1894 to May 23, 1894 are listed for April 14 to April 23. When I separated all the files out by date of the meeting, I made an error and the system isn't set up to correct them.

Extractor's note June 27, 2021

This extraction is not an exact extraction. My intent is a searchable document to find individuals, places, and events. It is best to check the actual image.

• Abbreviated words are spelled out.

• I used the correct spellings of words and many names of known Stevens County officials. An example: Francois Hubert is written Ubear, Yubear and other spellings, but I used Hubert.

• Names and place: I used the current spellings of names and places. Examples: Pend Oreille is spelled many different ways and I try to use the current spelling

• [?] means I couldn't not determine what was written.

• [word or words] means I don't believe what I typed is really what the writer intended but it was the best I could come up with.

• Items with {} markings are my notes based on my research.

The bound Stevens County Surveyors Road Books are photographed to 1923 at this time and JPG versions are available from Stevens County Public Works or the Stevens County Historical Society. Road surveys start in 1884 but they appear to have been copied from earlier records at some point in 1905 or after and do not include Okanogan or Ferry County Roads.

School District notes are for Stevens County. They are based on research in Stevens County Deeds and *The Last Bell* by Alpha Naff. For other counties, contact that county's historical society.

Post Office information is from the U.S., Appointments of U. S. Postmasters, 1832-1971 viewed on Ancestry, and from the National Archives and Records Administration Post Office Locations RG 28.

Do check back for an updated version of this document as I find errors along the way.

I hope you find these images and this extraction helpful in your research.

Susan B. Richart

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 1, 1/2/1894 Colville, Washington January 2nd, 1894 Tuesday, January 2nd, 1894 9 o'clock a.m.

Board of County Commissioners met in regular session. Present:

R. D. McEwers	Chairman
Robert Hilts	Commissioner
L. W. Meyers	Commissioner

Petition of MacFarland Anderson asking for transfer of Liquor License to Almstrom Bros give a good and sufficient bond.

Deed of David P. Jenkins to Stevens County for a strip 30 feet wide for public road at Chewelah accepted.

Ordered that Jno. M. Moyle be and his is hereby appointed registration officer for Colville Precinct and N. B. Wheeler for Kettle Falls.

Adjourned to 9 a.m. January 3, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 1-3, 1/3/1894

Wednesday, January 3, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Tax receipts numbers 246 and 407 for \$7.28 and \$.81 respectively ordered cancelled and amounts credited to Treasurer.

Bills read and allowed

M. Fitzgerald	Bridge Plank	\$10.75
C. R. McMillan	Expense bill	\$97.65
R. D. McEwers	Deputy Sheriff 2 days	\$5.00
Jas. Durkin	Deputy Sheriff 3 days	\$7.50
Phil Steinberg	Deputy Sheriff 1 day	\$2.50
C. D. Coleman	Deputy Clerk	\$35.00
F. B. Goetter	Drugs	\$12.90
F. B. Goetter	Paints and Oil	\$9.25
F. B. Goetter	Expense Bill	\$15.85
F. B. Goetter	Expense Bill	\$8.55
F. G. Goetter	Postage	\$6.95
John S. Kirkham	Care of John Allen	\$75.00
A. M. Daily	Examining Board 3 days	\$15.00
R. E. Lee	Merchandise	\$15.08
W. E. Parmelie	Painting	\$8.35
L. B. Reeder	Expenses	\$4.00
Western Blank Book Co.	Books	\$61.75
William Hilts	Constable fees	\$12.40
T. G. Price	Chainman Kirk Road	\$2.50
Elie Dupuis	Building Bridge	\$5.00
S. D. Allen	Repairing Auditor's Office	\$12.00
Pioneer Bindery	Books	\$39.00
Wm. Pearson	Lumber for coffin	\$1.88
S. P.Dormer	Taking dying statement of McDonald	\$10.0
John A. Barry	Teacher Examination Board	\$15.60
	Costs State versus Padburg	
C. S. Boss	Justice	\$7.15
Geo. L. Lucus	Juror	\$2.20
Wm. Robbins	Juror	\$2.20
David Bryant	Juror	\$2.20
John Buckland	Witness	\$3.00
James Pickrell	Witness	\$3.00
Chas. Wilbur	Witness	\$3.00
A. G. Queener	Witness	\$3.00
Louis Orick	Witness	\$3.00
Clara Couts	Witness	\$3.00
Eddie Padburg	Witness	\$3.00
E. B Townsend	Board of Mrs. Johnson & family.	\$14.85
	Coroner's Inquest Frank A. Brooker	
James O. Gifford	Coroner	\$14.50
A. H. Smith	Juror	\$2.40
Dougald McKeller	Juror	\$2.40

L. E. Butler	Juror	\$2.40
Geo. McGaughey	Juror	\$2.40
F. W. Butler	Juror	\$2.40
N. B. Wheeler	Juror	\$2.40
Alex Clumas	Witness	\$2.20
Hugh Monroe	Witness	\$2.20
G. T. Hendrick	Witness	\$2.20
Dr. J. McMillan	Witness	\$4.20
Dan Richards	Watching body	\$2.50
Geo. Curry	Watching body	\$2.50
Dougald McKeller	Draying	\$1.50
Wm. Johnson	Building Bridge	\$15.00
Sacred Heart Hospital	Care and burial for L. Beggler	\$151.00
A. A. Barnett	Merchandise for Loyd	\$3.38
C. A. Wright	Special Deputy Sheriff	\$5.00
Spokane County	McDonald inquest	\$126.60

Ordered that contract be awarded to J. B. Thomas to record townsite plats in County Plat book.

Bill allowed

Chas Lingard	Digging Grave Loyd	\$3.50
Henry Lafferty	Digging Grave Loyd & Team[?]	\$5.00
Harry Miller	Hauling lumber	\$2.00

Report of viewers on change in Cheweka Creek Road. Read first time.

Adjourned to 9 a. m. January 4, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 3-5, 1/4/1894

Thursday, January 4, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Report of viewers on change in Cheweka Creek Road, read second time.

Survey of change in Drum Road accepted and County Surveyor ordered to plat the same on County Plat book.

School District established as follows

District No. 64.

Beginning at the northwest corner of Section 30 Township 32 North Range 39 East Willamette Meridian running thence east 7 miles to the northeast corner of Section 30 Township 32 North Range 40 East Willamette Meridian thence south 3 miles to the southeast corner Section 6 Township 31 North Range 40 East Willamette Meridian thence west 2 miles to southwest corner of Section 1 Township 31 North Range 39 East Willamette Meridian thence south one mile thence west 5 miles thence north four miles to the place of beginning. {Mountain View School, 1908-1940, land came from Phoenix Lumber Co.}

District No. 65

Beginning at the southwest corner of Section 34 Township 30 North Range 42 East Willamette Meridian, thence east on county line to southeast corner of Section 22 Township 30 North Range 43 East Willamette Meridian, thence north to northeast corner of Section 17 Township 30 North Range 43, thence west to northwest corner of Section 15 Township 30 North Range 42 East Willamette Meridian, thence south to the place of beginning. {Elsworth School, 1894-1917, North and east from Gardenspot near Blue Grouse Mt; in 1953 to Deer Park Joint Consolidated School District 414.}

District No. 55

Beginning at northeast corner of Section 26 Township 28 North Range 41 East Willamette Meridian running thence two miles, thence one mile north thence five miles west, thence one mile south, thence one mile west, thence south to the Spokane River, thence up said river to the section line between Section 8 & 9. Section 8 & 9 Township 27 North Range 41 East Willamette Meridian, thence north on said section line to southeast corner of Section 32 Township 38 North Range 41 East Willamette Meridian, thence east three miles thence north to the place of beginning. {Scotts Valley School}

The following alterations in school districts established.

District No. 13 & 23

The boundaries of District No. 23 so as to include the following described territory. Beginning at northwest corner Section 23 Township 37 North Range 38 East Willamette Meridian, running thence south one and one fourth miles thence east one and one fourth miles thence north one fourth mile, thence west one fourth mile, thence north one fourth mile, thence west three fourths miles thence north three fourths miles, thence west one fourth to the place of beginning. {Bruce Creek School, 1890 to 1962, first at Dry Lake, then at Williams Lake Road}

District No. 6 & 20

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Beginning at southwest corner of Section 19 Township 38 North Range 40 East Willamette Meridian, thence running west on section line to the crest of Huckleberry Mountain, thence south five miles, thence east to the southeast corner of Section 13, Township 29 North, Range 40 East Willamette Meridian. The above-described territory transferred from District No. 6 to District No. 20. {Springdale or Squire City School, 1889 to ?, merged with Walker's Prairie.}

District No. 61 & 39

So as to transfer the farm and residence of Mrs. J. W. Lundersteen from School District No. 61 and place of them in District No. 39. {Southwestern tip of Pend Oreille County.} {Nellie Lundersten was postmistress of the Rock Post Office from 28 December 1892 to April 1898.}

District No. 6 & 10

So as to transfer the northeast 1/4 of the southeast ¼ and the northwest ¼ of the southeast ¼ of Section 10 Township 31 North Range 40 East Willamette Meridian from School District No. 6 into School District No. 10. {Cottonwood School, 1884? To 1938, 4 or 5 miles south of Chewelah where Cottonwood Creek reaches the valley.}

Bills allowed

J. B. Thomas	Surveying roads	\$42.20
R. Feldman	Board of Nelson, Insane	\$2.50
L. W. Meyers	Merchandise and lumber	\$26.70
James Smith	Care of Loyde	\$12.50
E. G. Thomason	Bridge plank	\$15.12

Jacob Scott appointed Supervisor of Road District No. 36.

Board proceeded to canvas Election Returns of Road District Supervisor with the following results.

District No. 14	C. T. Carter	
District No. 23	F. G. Rogers	
District No. 7	M. Fitzgerald	
District No. 3	Peter Rush	
District No. 11	Chas Haines	
District No. 10	F. J. Phelps	
District No. 33	A. G. Walter	
District No. 20	G. E. Cornwall	
District No. 31	A. Bishop	
District No. 26	Matt Nett	
District No. 28	H. A. Bennett	
District No. 6	John Salvage	
District No. 12	E. M. Kratzer	
District No. 19	B. Gleason	
District No. 9	T. D. McDonald	
District No. 1	Adam Boyd	
District No. 24	Jas. Porter	

District No. 27	Emil Scholz
District No. 32	John Jones
District No. 5	R. J. Townsend
District No. 8	Frank Weatherwax
District No. 13	Nels Pearson
District No. 21	Byron Belknap
District No. 30	Robert Fountain
District No. 34	W. F. Bryant
District No. 2	Theo McClure
District No. 22	J. B. Cameron
District No. 4	John Hardenbrook
District No. 17	A. Wilkes
District No. 16	E. F. Bottorff
District No. 18	S. L. Magee
District No. 29	H. Keller

E. W. Scott appointed Justice of the Peace for Williams Valley Precinct.

Bond of M. Fitzgerald, Road Supervisors District No. 7 approved.

Bills allowed.

Adjourned to January 5th, 1893.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 6 & 7, 1/5/1894

Friday, January 5, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

The report of viewers on change in Cheweka Creek Road having been read three times at this meeting and there being no remonstrance or claim for damages filed and the report of the viewers favorable to the establishment of such change. It is ordered that said report be accepted and such change be and the same is declared a public highway as follows: Commencing at the South end Cheweka Creek Road near the ½ corner between Sections 13 & 14 Township 34 Range 37 East Willamette Meridian, thence south east about 2 miles intersecting the Colville and Daisy Mine Road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 303, Extension of Cheweka Creek Road, #521}

The following named persons were selected to serve as Petit Juror for the Year 1894.

J. M. Sampson	James Allen	Theodore McClure
John Herron	Adam Boyd	Wm. B. Hewes
Adolph Rivers	Wm. Beckler	W. H. Wright
J. U. Hofstetter	Wm. Graham	David Meikle
John Hanley	Thos Graham	Robt McMillan
Guy Walters	Charles Weed	Peter Rush
H. Y. Dorman	Archie McColeman	Wm. Chase
R. Townsend	James Crawford	James Ringer
Peter Martin	Ruben Jones	John Mahoney
C. C. Stowe	Andrew Hughson	Hugh Weir
James Corrigal	Thos. McClain	C. F. Conrady
L. D. Wilbur	C. F. Rigg	M. Fitzgerald
E. G. Thomason	Henry Penn	Thomas Taitt
Frank Weatherwax	T. D. McDonald	Oliver Purcell
Dent Hasting	J. G. Gillingham	Edward Wells
F. J. Phelps	Edward Hodgson	Arthur Jones
Thos Quigley	John Keen	Emil Materne
J. W. Storm	Nels Peterson	J. D. Marshall
Warren Scott	A. E. Ellsworth	T. L. Jones
R. D. Anderson	Ed O'Hara	Ed Davis
Joe Cusick	Geo. H. Jones	W. H. Parker
David Locke	Connet Newbill	C. M. Scoby
Henry Hughes	Charles Hall	C. H. Cummings
S. L. Brechbill	L. W. Jones	Wm. Yohnka
Laban Garner	Loren T. Shaffer	H. T. Reynolds
John Gourley	S. F. Starr	W. H. Spenser
G. B. Young	Mansel Brooks	John Magee
W. H. Davis	John Bachmann	Uriah Eslick
Chas. H. Chamberlain	James Hughes	George Bryant
E. P. Botts	S. S. Byrd	W. B. Rice
A. Wilkes	Louis Troger	James N. Allison
A. Heidigger	Frank Eliot	George Duncan
J. S. Blair		

Bills allowed

F. Barman	Merchandise	\$10.39
Fred S. Phillips	Stamps	\$6.40

Ordered - That \$100.00 be transferred from the county to the Poll Fund.

In the matter of court room for Superior Court. After careful consideration by the board and they being perfectly satisfied that the room in the upper part of the courthouse is suitable in every respect for such purposes, it is hereby ordered that at the expiration of the lease now in force the Sheriff remove county effects to the courthouse.

Adjourned to 9 a.m. January 6th, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 7, 8, & 9, 1/6/1894 Saturday, January 6th, 1894 Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday. In the matter of redistricting the county in Commissioners Districts, ordered that districts be and are hereby established as follows: District No. 1 shall embrace the following precincts. Spring Valley Harvey Creek Lake Creek Daisy Columbia Kettle Falls District No. 2 shall embrace the following precincts. Metaline Colville Clugston White Lake Old Dominion Young America Marcus Stensgar Deep Creek Little Dalles Boundary Meyers Falls District No. 3 shall embrace the following precincts Loon Lake Springdale Forest Center Williams Valley Thetis Diamond Lake Newport Walkers Prairie Fertile Valley Chewelah Calispel McLaughlin Bills allowed S. D. Allen Repairing chairs \$4.00 S. D. Allen \$8.00

Colville Republican	Printing	\$87.25
F. H. Fish	Justice Fees State versus Morrow et all	\$1.60

Ordered – That the Auditor draw warrants for \$50.00 on County fund in favor of Jas Watson, Director of State School for Defective Youth for the clothing of Stevens County inmates.

Ordered – that the North 1/3 of Township 34 North Range 40 and North ½ of Township 34 North Range 41 and Sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 13, 14 of Township 34 North Range 39 be taken from Road District No. 5 and attached to Road District No. 4.

(On side: vacated January 24, '95, see page 79) Ordered that Mrs. Gendrow be allowed \$1.00 per day for care of Leander Blain and wife till further orders.

Bond of Peter Rush, Supervisor of District No. 3 approved.

Adjourned to Monday, January 8, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 9 & 10, 1/8/1894

Monday, January 8, 1894

Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday. The following List of Grant Jurors drawn for the year 1894.

Overton PriceJohn DyneE. S. SullivanBenj. NewbillLee RichardsonJohn S. McLeanJohns EkinsJohn AlyeaJ. W. HunterJ. B. CameronMartin ScottenLeonard ReisterWillard SpencerH. HowellJ. C. WardWm. LawsonJohn HolfordJames A. FrenchS. L. MaGeeJ. J. MorganPaul NelsonB. F. ShannonH. L. ChildsD. F. PankeyE. O. SnodgrassS. F. LederwoodW. F. BryantCharles CotterR. S. UnderhillJoseph G. WatersWm. BoydLouis DrozFred KeilingGeo. E. WrightOrin BelknapJas RichmondP. BettridgeW. C. GrayJerry YoungD. C. HullHomer LintonSidney ImpeyW. F. BoylesW. R. HoldermanJos LaprayF. K. PerkinsJacob ScottA. E. BidgoodLayton MathewsonH. C. ParkerChas ArnoldFred CusickW. WisemanWm. CampbellSam'l StrongJno MetcalfeJ. C. C. ParkerA. J. BeckDavid LattinGeo. MorrowJohn MartinGeo. JarvisFrank MaxwellGeo. TitusH. L. LilienthalJ. W. ReynoldsGeo. W. ReynoldsAlvan M. LeonardWm. LeonardM. OppenheimerJohn BerghLouis AdamsWm. DayC. W. CampellA. EarnsdorffJohn NelsonGeo. WeltyJohn ToddW. F. CaseJohn KeoghA. A. BarnettGeo. ThomasW. F. CaseJohn Keogh	P. J. Long	John A. Miller	Charles Tefry
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{Martin Scotten was postmaster of the Cedonia Post Office 17 November 1898 to September 1899.}

Bills Allowed

F. H. Dupuis Hauling rock for bridge		\$30.00
B. M. Ford & Co	Board of Mrs. Saunders & daughter	\$2.75
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Adjourned to Tuesday, January 9th, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 10, 1/9/1894

Tuesday, January 9th, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

A. H. Smith appointed Justice of the Peace for Kettle Falls Precinct.

A. N. Pettingill	Board of Prisoners	\$5.52
Robt Hilts	County Commissioner & mileage	\$46.00
L. W. Meyers	County Commissioner, Mileage, & bridge	\$46.40
R. D. McEvers	County Commissioner, Mileage, & bridge	\$93.90

Adjourned Sine Die.

Signed: R. D. McEvers. Chairman Attest E. D. Miner, Clerk

Colville, Washington, January 9, 1894 To E. D. Miner, County Auditor, You are hereby authorized as Deputy Treasurer at the rate of (\$75.00 Seventy-five dollars per month, until further order of the board. Robt. Hilts and R. D. McEvers) Commissioners Filed January 13, 1894 E. D. Miner, County Auditor by

{Robert L. Hilts lived near the current Springdale-Hunters Road and the old Greenwood School in Section 2 Township 30N Range 37East.} {Reuben D. McEvers lived near Hidden Road off of Highway 231 Section 12 Township 29N Range 40E.} {Luther W. Meyers owned the grist mill at Meyers Falls.} Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 11, 4/2/1894

Monday, April 2nd, 1894

Board of County Commissioners met in regular session.

R. D. McEwers	Chairman
L. W. Meyers	Commissioner
Robert Hilts	Commissioner
E. D. Miner	Clerk

Ordered - That the order of February 15, 1893 offering bounty on Squirrel Scalps is hereby rescinded.

Resignation of F. Wolff as Constable of Colville Precinct accepted.

Appearing that a vacancy exists in the office of Constable for Colville Precinct. Ordered that James Servison be and he is hereby appointed Constable for said precinct.

Ordered that the Treasurer refund \$1.73 to V. D. Glass on Taxes of 1892 on account of error in payments.

Adjourned to April 3, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 11 & 12, 4/3/1894

Tuesday, April 3rd, 1894, 9 o'clock a.m. Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

[Note on side: Chg Rd Dist 33] Road District No. 33 changed to include Section 6-5, 4 & 3 Township 35 North Range 38 East.

Ordered- That Deputy Assessor's be allowed \$3.00 per day for each and every day necessarily employed in assessing.

P. J. Sullivan appointed Supervisor of Road District No. 30.

In the matter of appointment of Supervisor for Road District No. 28, it appearing that 2 petitions asking for the appointment of J. W. Joy containing only 25 names and the petition of George Young contains 35 names. It is hereby ordered that George Young be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor of said Road District No. 28.

Appointment of H. Keller as Supervisor of District No. 29 heretofore made by mistake hereby rescinded it appearing that H. A. Bennett was regularly elected to said office Election Returns reading District No. 28 instead of 29.

Petition of Peter Tetro and others for new Road District allowed and District established as follows: Commencing at the North East corner of Section 3 Township 32 North Range 40 East, thence running West to the southeast corner of Section 32 Township 33 North Range 40 East, thence to the northeast corner of Section 29 Township 33 North Range 40 East, thence West to northwest corner of Section 25 Township 33 Range 39 East, running South to the southeast corner of Section 25 Township 32 North Range 39, thence running East five miles to the southeast corner of Section 22 Township 32 North Range 40, thence running north to the northeast corner of Section 3 Township 32 Range 40, to be known as District No. 37.

Ordered that George Wright pay over to Peter Tetro all balance of money appropriated for the approaches to the bridge at Blue Creek.

Petition of J. M. Snodgrass and others for voting precinct. Granted and precinct established as follows: Beginning at northwest corner of Section 26 Township 35 Range 37, running thence South to southwest corner of southwest corner of Section 35 Township 34 Range 37, thence East to southeast corner of Section 33 Township 34 Range 38, thence North to northeast corner of Section 28 Township 35 Range 38 thence West to place of beginning. To be known as Mount Corbin Precinct. {Mount Corbin renamed to Monumental Mountain}

Petition of B. F. Budd & others for Road District granted and district established as follows: to be known as District No. 38 and to include all the portion of Stevens County east of the Columbia River and North of a point six miles south of the International Boundary Line. Ordered that George Hall be and his is hereby appointed Supervisor of District No. 38.

Petition of G. M. Welty and others for new Road District granted and district established as follows: Beginning at northwest corner of Township 39 Range 41, running South 14 miles, thence East to the Pend d'Oreille River, thence North 14 miles, thence West to place of beginning to be known as District No. 39. Ordered – That Pat Grace be and he is hereby appointed as Supervisor of District No. 39. Adjourned to 9 a.m., April 4.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 13 & 14, 4/4/1894

Wednesday, April 4, 1894, 9 o'clock a.m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Change in School District 34 & 35 approved as follows: Sections one, two, ten, eleven, twelve from School District No. 34 {Ward (Lake School) created in 6 May 1891, County Commissioners' Minutes Book B} to School District No. 35. {Cedonia/Bissel area north of Hunters created in 6 May 1891, County Commissioners' Minutes Book B}

Deeds of D. P. Jenkins and Jas. Monaghan to Stevens County for Right of Way for Road accepted and ordered recorded.

Bonds of Road Supervisors approved as	follows
Jas Porter	Road District No. 24
Byron Belknap	Road District No. 21
W. H. Bennett	Road District No. 29
John Hardenbrook	Road District No. 4
J. b. Cameron	Road District No. 22
W. F. Bryant	Road District No. 34
T. D. McDonald	Road District No. 9
B. Gleason	Road District No. 19
G. E. Cornwall	Road District No. 20
John Jones	Road District No. 32
A. Bishop	Road District No. 31
Adam Boyd	Road District No. 1
John Salvage	Road District No. 6
Frank Weatherwax	Road District No. 8
R. J. Townsend	Road District No. 5
E. F. Bottorff	Road District No. 16
C. G. Carter	Road District No. 14
F. J. Phelps	Road District No. 10
Emil Scholz	Road District No. 27
S. L. Magee	Road District No.18
Theo McClure	Road District No. 2
A. G. Walters	Road District No. 33
Mathias Nett	Road District No. 26
Nels Pearson	Road District No.13
F. G. Rogers	Road District No. 23
Chas. Haines	Road District No. 11

Bond of A. H. Smith as Justice of the Peace Kettle Falls Precinct approved.

Ordered-That attorneys fee in Weitman Tax Judgment be remitted upon payment of balances. The following exemption allowed on Roll of 1893.

Harry Richmond	
E. T. Ellis	
Peter Michel	
E. W. Jenks	
J. W. Cass	

Jos Leuer	Allowed rebate on \$250.00 personal roll '93
Wm. Campbell	Rebated on \$50 personal roll '93
Elie Dupuis	Rebate of \$467 Special School Tax error
W. J. Graham	Rebate on \$307 error in valuation personal property '93
Henry Gerhart	Exemption on Roll 1892.

Bills allowed		
John W. Rauch	Deputy Sheriff	\$14.20
C. R. McMillan	Expense Sheriff	\$274.35

Ordered that Warrant No. 715 on County Fund, dated August 27, 1891, issued as an appropriation to Road District No. 5 be and the same is hereby cancelled and declared void.

Adjourned to 9 a.m. April 5, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 14 & 15, 4/5/1894

Tuesday, April 5, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Ordered that \$294.98 be appropriated from General Road fund for relief of following named supervisors.

Henry Wilson	District No. 6	\$4.48
M. Fitzgerald	District No. 7	\$65.00
F. J. Phelps	District No. 10	\$12.78
E. C. Casberg	District No. 12	\$.42
J. S. Blair	District No. 16	\$13.38
Paul Nelson	District No. 18	\$2.54
John Gourley	District No. 19	\$15.20
N. Young	District No. 20	\$8.64
Wm. Sparling	District No. 22	\$30.50
Fred Rogers	District No. 23	\$14.39
Jas Porter	District No. 24	\$46.26
Geo. Bobier	District No. 28	\$25.00
W. M. Blake	District No. 31	\$37.45
C. H. Chamberlain	District No. 34	\$18.75
C. Schneidner (Heirs)	District No. 5	\$1.09

G. Kulzer & Son allowed rebate on \$1150.00 personal property on Roll 1893 by error of assessment.

Bond of Jacob Scott, Supervisor District 36, approved.

Ordered that \$25.00 be appropriated from General Road Fund to District No. 36.

Adjourned to 9 a.m., April 6th.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 17, 18, & 19, 4/7/1894

Saturday, April 7, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Ordered that \$100.00 be appropriated from General Road Fund to District No. 38 for the express purpose of building the road from Boundary City to Coleman's Ranch. {A Joseph Coleman completed a homestead in 1922 at Township 40N Range 37E Section 6 SE ½ NE ½, E ½ SE ½, & NE ½ NE ½ NE ½

Bond of Jas Servison, as Constable of Colville precinct, approved.

Bills allowed

C. H. Meyers	Justice	\$2.50
M. B. Charles	Constable	\$4.60
Andrew Hessner	Witness	\$2.00
C. M. Baker	Witness	\$2.00
Chas. Adams	Witness	\$2.00
Bert Charles	Witness	\$2.00
Frank Baker	Witness	\$2.00
C. A. Denton	Witness	\$2.00
H. W. Beatly	Witness	\$2.00
Western Blank Book Co	Books	\$65.00
F. W. Sherman	Publication Notice	\$4.80
S. J. Dyer	Lime	\$3.00
Spokane County	Books	\$32.00
J. J. Travis	Medical Attendance	\$28.00
John Kirkham	Board of Jno. Allen	\$9.75
Monroe C. Sharp	Constable guarding prisoner	\$61.00

{J. J. Travis is listed under Department of Licensing, Business and Professions Division, Physician Applications and Registers, 1872-1946 - Ar240-6-Register - J. J. Travis, https://www.digitalarchives.wa.gov/}

Ordered that H. W. Mason be allowed rebate of \$8.77 taxes overpaid on Roll 1893.

Ordered that an appropriation of \$50.00 be made from the General Road Fund to District No. 30 to pay the following bills.

W. Fountain	Road Work	\$8.00
R. Fountain	Road Work	\$8.00
M. Gardner	Road Work	\$8.00
J. Gardner	Road Work	\$8.00
F. Sadler	Road Work	\$8.00
P. J. Sullivan	Road Work	\$8.00

Bills allowed

State Versus Smith		
F. H. Fish	Justice	\$3.85
Jas Carmody	Witness	\$5.00
State Versus Dupuis		
F. H. Fish	Justice	\$4.90
Pascal Paradis	Witness	\$2.20
Antoine Paradis	Witness	\$2.20

Frank Ham	Witness	\$2.20
Albert Ham	Witness	\$2.20
Eli Dupuis	Witness	\$2.20
Thomas Dupuis	Witness	\$2.20
Eli Dupuis Jr	Witness	\$2.20
J. H. Moyle	Juror	\$2.20
C. D. Coleman	Juror	\$2.20
H. Miller	Juror	\$2.20
0. G. Moorhead	Juror	\$2.20
C. H. Thompson	Juror	\$2.20
James Fee	Juror	\$2.20
	State versus Williams	
A. V. Shepler	Justice	\$2.80
C. A. Duffy	Constable	\$11.44
August Krug	Witness	\$2.20
	Coroner's Inquest C. A. Thompson	·
Jay H. Felt	Acting Coroner	\$14.40
R. D. Anderson	Juror	\$2.20
0. L. Streeter	Juror	\$2.40
O. A. Minard	Juror	\$2.40
G. W. Casteel	Juror	\$2.20
K. O. Felland	Juror	\$2.20
M. C. Kent	Juror	\$2.40
H. W. Shelbern	Witness	\$2.20
Horace Felt	Witness	\$2.20
S. S. Beggs	Witness	\$2.20
	Coroner's Inquest L. P. Bryan	
J. H. Felt	Acting Coroner	\$13.40
H. Felt	Juror	\$4.00
H. H. Shebern	Juror	\$2.20
P. E. Marin	Juror	\$2.00
John O. Jore	Juror	\$2.40
Martin Felland	Juror	\$2.60
J. H. Harshaw	Juror	\$2.60
S. S. Beggs	Witness	\$2.20
K. O. Felland	Notifying Coroner	\$3.90
Horace Felt	Coffin, grave, and livery	\$21.00
J. B. Callahan	Coffin, grave, and livery Thompson	\$16.00
S. S. Beggs	Board of Mrs. Bryan	\$6.00
G. Kulzer and son	Merchandise	\$20.00
Jacob Keller	Merchandise	\$27.15
Wm. Campbell & Co.	Merchandise	\$7.91

Adjourned to 9 a.m. April 9, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 19, & 20, 4/9/1894

Monday, April 9, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

In the matter of taxes on Roll 1893, Resolved that the County Treasurer be and he is hereby requested to remit the penalty and interest on all taxes on roll of 1893 which shall be paid before the 15th day of May 1894.

Adjourned to 9 a.m., April 10, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 19 & 20, 4/10/1894

Tuesday, April 10, 1894.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the Auditor advertise for bids for building bridge across the Calispel River at its mouth. Bids to be opened May 14, 1894.

Bills allowed as follows:

J. J. Hughes	Justice Fees, State versus Earnest	\$2.00	
M. E. Jesseph	Deputy Treasurer	\$29.20	
F. Barman	Merchandise	\$\$83.10	
Bancroft-Whitney Co.	Codes	\$9.50	
Ordered that \$50.50 be appropriated from General Road Fund to pay the			
following bills.			
Sam Crowley		\$8.00	
H. Bennett		\$10.00	
J. W. Cusick		\$10.00	
R. F. Dudley		\$6.00	
W. C. Jared		\$4.00	
W. C. Cusick		\$12.50	

R. D. McEvers, January 19^{th} to April 1^{st} , 1894

3 days looking after County poor & 64 miles	\$15.00
1 day ordering physician & 12 miles	\$5.00
3 days trip to Spokane regarding Bonds 106 miles	\$15.00
2 trips to Colville 176 miles	\$10.00
10 days trip to Olympia selling bonds	\$50.00
Spokane to Olympia 868 miles	\$86.80
1 day trip to Lapray Bridge 46 miles	\$5.00
Total	\$186.80

Robert Hilts	County Commissioner & mileage	\$51.00
L. W. Meyers	County Commissioner & mileage	\$41.40
R. D. McEvers	County Commissioner & mileage	\$48.80

The Commissioners by advice of the County Attorney signed a quit claim deed on the part of the County to L. W. Meyers for east half of Block 6 Meyer's Addition to Town of Colville.

Adjourned to May 14^{th} , 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 20 & 21, 5/14/1894 (file name 18940514)

Monday, May 14th, 1894

Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present:

R. D. McEwers	Chairman
Robert Hilts	Commissioner
L. W. Meyers	Commissioner
E. D. Miner	Clerk

In the matter of bids for County printing, the follows bids were presented and read.

of Colville Index
of Northport News
Stevens County Standard
Kettle Falls Pioneer

And action deferred for future consideration.

In the matter of bids for bridge across the Calispel River at its mouth the following bids were presented and read.

Rowley, Harmon & Co.	"Trestle Bents"	\$1280.00
	"Bents on piles"	\$1460.00
Alex F. McDonald	"Bents"	\$1250.00
	"Piles"	\$1150.00
C. McDonald	"Bents"	\$1125.00
	"Piles"	\$1200.00
Anton Ernsdorf	"Bents"	\$1175.00
	"Piles"	\$1175.00
Geo. H. Wisner	Piling	\$1225.00
J. L. Bayley	Piling	\$980.00
The Andrews Bridge Co.	Piling across water & bents on land	\$1297.00
	Piling over water with truss in center	\$1385.00

Action on bids deferred for future consideration.

Ordered that Basil Brown be allowed the sum of \$18.00 per month (crossed out: of \$18.00 per) for the keep of Gideon Peone. (Note on side: Rescinded on page 123)

Ordered that the contract with Mrs. Roberts for keep of Mrs. Martin be rescinded and that she be allowed \$18.00 per month until further orders. (Note on side: Rescinded July 12, '95 on page 123.)

Ordered that all warrants be hereafter issued on the Current Expense Bond Fund unless otherwise specified.

Ordered that F. H. Fish be and he is hereby appointed Registration Officer for Colville Precinct for 1894. Board adjourned to 9 a.m. May 15, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 21 & 22, 5/15/1894 (file name 18940515)

Tuesday, May 15, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Registration of Geo. W. Seal as Justice of the Peace of the Stensgar Precinct accepted.

Ordered that Geo. S. Keels be and he is hereby appointed Justice of the Peace in and for Stensgar Precinct.

Bills allowed as follows:

A. N. Pettingill	Meals to prisoners	\$25.92
A. N. Pettingill	Meals to J. Nelson & Lewis	\$4.25
W. F. Bryant	Lumber for bridge	\$20.16
C. M. Brown	Lumber for bridge	\$10.00
State versus Duncan		
F. H. Fish	Justice	\$4.70
John Swan	Witness	\$5.60
Eric Lunder	Witness	\$5.60
Mrs. Mollie Duncan	Witness	\$4.80
Elmer Day	Witness	\$4.80
Dick Day	Witness	\$4.80
Mrs. Wm Day	Witness	\$4.80
Richard Queener	Witness	\$5.20
G. C. Havener	Witness	\$5.20
J. B. Halford	Plow and scraper	\$15.00

Ordered that \$40.00 be appropriated to Road District No. 31 for building bridge across Onion Creek.

Ordered that Jas. McKeen be allowed \$8.00 per month until further notice.

Petition of Brook and Spear & others for a new voting precinct. Read and precinct established as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of Section 36, Township 29 North Range 41 East, thence running North 6 miles, thence east to the county line, thence running South along county line to township line between Township 28 and 29, thence West to place of beginning to be known as Clayton Precinct.

Ordered that W. J. Stambaugh be allowed a rebate on Tax Roll of 1893 of \$4.00 error on assessment.

Adjourned to Wednesday, May 16, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 22, 23, & 24, 5/16/1894 (file name 18940516)

Wednesday, May 16, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Ordered, that Mrs. J. Mohney be allowed a rebate of \$5.33 on personal property mot having been allowed exemption.

Petition of E. J. Roberts and 178 others for appropriation for building a road from Northport to the Trail Creek mines read and it is hereby ordered that the sum of \$500.00 be and is hereby appropriated toward the building of said road upon the following conditions. That said road shall be completed from Northport to the Trail Creek mines before said appropriation shall be paid and that the right of way covered by said road or so much thereof as lies in Stevens County be turned over to said county.

Ordered, that F. A. Edgerton be allowed to pay the taxes on roll of 1893 for lots 29 & 30 Block 5 Original Town of Kettle Falls without penalty or interest owing to mistake in original receipt.

Tax Receipt for Lot 20 Block 46 Central 2nd Addition to Kettle Falls (Roll 1893) be cancelled and money refunded to F. A. Edgerton.

Bills allowed

Ordered, that J. W. Johnson be allowed \$15.00 per month until further orders.

Alterations in lines of School Districts 43 & 44, 19 & 47 as certified by School Superintendent approved.

Transferred from District 43 to District 19 the Southwest ½ of Section 10 and the South half of the Northwest ½ of Section 10 Township 33 North Range 37 East Willamette Meridian, also from District No. 47 to District No. 18, the West half of the Southwest ½ of Section 14 and the West half of the Northwest ½ of Section 33 North Range 37 East Willamette Meridian.

The present boundaries of District No. 47 are as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of Section 15 Township 35 North Range 37 East Willamette Meridian, running thence South three-fourths of a mile, thence South one-fourth of a mile, thence East one-fourth of a mile, thence South one and one-fourth mile, thence East one-half mile, thence South two and one-fourth miles, thence West one and one half miles, thence north one-fourth mile, thence West one half mile, thence West one fourth mile, thence West one fourth three-fourths miles, thence East one-fourth mile, thence West one half mile, thence North one and one-fourth mile, thence North three-fourths miles, thence East one-fourth mile thence North to the place of beginning.

District No. 33 petitioned to be set over into District No. 43. Petition was granted and the boundaries of District No. 43 established as follows: Beginning at the Northeast corner of the Northwest % of Section 3 Township 33 North Range 37 East Willamette Meridian, thence running South one and one-fourth miles, thence West one half mile, thence South two and one half miles, thence West one-fourth mile, thence South threefourths miles, thence East one-fourth mile, thence South one and one-fourth miles, thence East one-half mile, thence South one-fourth mile, thence East to Northeast corner of Section 2, Township 32 North Range 37 East Willamette Meridian, thence South to the Southeast Corner of Section 2 same Township, thence West to the Columbia River, thence up said river to the North line of Township 32 North Range 37 East Willamette Meridian, thence East to the place of beginning.

Official Bonds approved as follows:

Peter Tetro	Road Supervisor District No. 37
Geo. Hall	Road Supervisor District No. 38
E. M. Kratzer	Road Supervisor District No. 12
Geo. Young	Road Supervisor District No. 28

Adjourned to 9 a.m., May 17, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 24 & 25, 5/17/1894 (file name 18940517)

Thursday, May 17, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

The following bills were allowed.

C. R. McMillan	Expenses Sheriff	\$74.70
W. H. Harris	Expenses Deputy Sheriff	\$22.50
W. J. St. Clair	Board of Poor	\$7.50
R. P. Jared	Road work	\$16.00
W C. Jared	Road work	\$2.00
Wm. Miller	Road work	\$6.00
E. Winchester	Lumber	\$15.40
W. C. Cusick	Road work	\$8.75
S. D. Allen	Carpenter work	\$10.75
Shaffer & Trumbel	Merchandise	\$10.00
	State versus Castner & Perry	·
C. A. Duffy	Constable	\$32.35
Stephen Glasco	Witness	\$6.40
Aaron Parker	Witness	\$5.70
Samuel Parker	Witness	\$5.70
Mary Parker	Witness	\$5.70
Geo. Perry	Witness	\$5.70
Henry Vest	Witness	\$5.80
Ralph Damp	Juror	\$2.20
E. W. Keyes	Juror	\$2.20
James Platts	Juror	\$2.20
Jack Platt	Juror	\$2.20
James Sutton	Juror	\$2.20
J. C. Wright	Juror	\$2.20
M. B. Armdsley	Talesman	\$2.20
H. Pomeroy	Talesman	\$2.20
A. V. Shepler	Justice	\$3.55
John H. Moyle	Stationary	\$21.60
J. M. Stevens	Draying	\$1.00
G. Kulzer & Son	Merchandise	\$9.85
A. M. Dailey	Examination Teacher	\$9.00
John A. Barry	Examination Teacher	\$9.90
W. J. St. Clair	Board of Downey	\$5.00
Lowman & Hanford	Lith. Bonds	\$105.00
James H. Moyle	Fees Registration Officer	\$5.75
J. B. Thomas	Work in Plat Book	\$66.00
E. L. Swain	Meals for Jury	\$6.50
F. B. Goetter	Expenses account	\$20.05
	State versus Stevens	
Pat King	Witness	\$2.80
F. Dupee	Witness	\$2.60
H. Hart	Witness	\$3.00
C. K. Brigman	Witness	\$3.00
S. Cecil	Witness	\$3.00
E. Moor	Witness	\$3.00

A. Carter	Witness	\$2.40
C. A. Duffy	Constable	\$11.40
A. V. Shepler	Justice	\$3.20
Colville Index	Publications	\$40.37
Colville Index	Delinquent Tax Sale	\$151.00
Colville Index	Job Printing & Material	\$136.50
Eber C. Smith	Desk for School Superintendent	\$9.00
J. M. Bewley	Copy of Fields Notes of Roads	\$70.00
F. Barman	Merchandise	\$53.65
M. B. Grieve	Visiting Schools & Mileage	\$196.60
Louis Scheifele	4 chairs	\$3.40
L. B. Reeder	Telegram and Delivering	\$2.05
M. B. Grieve	Stamps etc.	\$3.50
John A. Barry	Examination Teachers	\$14.40
Mabel Boss	Examination Teachers	\$16.00
H. W. Shelburn	Watching with corpse	\$3.85
P. E. Marion	Watching with corpse	\$2.40
M. R. Peck	Medical Service County Poor	\$42.00
David Meikle	Lot in Cemetery	\$10.00

Ordered that taxes for 1892 & 1893 on Lot 1 Block B, Chewelah be remitted G.A.R. property, Total amount \$23.58.

Adjourned to 9 a.m. May 18. 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 26 & 27, 5/18/1894 (file name 18940418)

Friday, May 18, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

John Rickey	Rent of Jury Room	\$5.00
Edgar Charles	Stamps	\$2.55
Fred S. Phillips	Stamps	\$1.90
	Costs State versus Hoffman	
P. W. Kettrell	Justice	\$4.20
W. Eslick	Constable	\$33.55
Mary Clinton	Witness	\$2.50
M. Buell	Witness	\$4.60
S. Jacobs	Witness	\$3.20
Dr. Weston	Witness	\$2.10
B. Willinbrink	Witness	\$4.50
Wm. Overman	Witness	\$4.50
Wes Lawson	Witness	\$4.50
Ed Stevens	Witness	\$4.80
S. L. MaGee	Witness	\$5.20
Jos Ledgerwood	Witness	\$4.30
P. Miles	Witness	\$4.40
J. M. Clinton	Witness	\$6.50
H. L. Childs	Witness	\$4.15
W. B. Rice	Witness	\$4.15
Chris Brown	Witness	\$4.15
R. S. Underhill	Witness	\$5.60
Floyd Lawson	Witness	\$2.00
Alex Lawson	Witness	\$2.00
Chas Weston	Witness	\$2.00
Clayton Root	Juror	\$4.00
A. H. Nettleton	Juror	\$4.60
Tom Hammer	Juror	\$4.60
John Hammer	Juror	\$4.00
J. T. Walters	Juror	\$4.50
R. Higginbotham	Juror	\$4.00
Chris Brown	Board of Jury	\$1.50
W. H. Kearney	Rent of Assessor's office 4 months	\$20.00
J. W. Reynolds	Balance due for lumber for bridge	\$112.75

Ordered that the tax against the North ½ Southeast ¼ Northeast of Southwest ¼ & Southwest ¼ Southeast ¼ Section 8 Township 29 North Range 37 East be and the same is hereby cancelled for the year 1893.

On the motion of L. W. Meyers, ordered that the tax on \$700 personal property assessment to Winslow Hall Roll 1893 be and the same is hereby cancelled, the same appearing to have been an error in assessment.

Adjourned to 9 a.m. May 19, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 27, 5/19/1894 (file name 18940419)

Saturday, May 19, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Bill of

W. J. Galbraith Fees overpaid \$4.0

Ordered that the following amounts be transferred from the General Road and Bridge Fund to the credit of each of the following road districts.

Road District No. 12	\$40.00
Road District No. 8	\$40.00
Road District No. 29	\$50.00
Road District No. 30	\$50.00
Road District No. 37	\$50.00
Road District No. 26	\$30.00
Road District No. 32	\$25.00
Road District No. 10	\$40.00

Adjourned to Monday, May 21, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 27, 5/21/1894 (file name 18940421)
Monday, May 21st, 1894
Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.
The day spent on examining a poor farm and examining bridge plans.
Adjourned to 9 a.m. May 22, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 27, 28 & 29, 5/22/1894 (file name 18940422)

Tuesday, May 22, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered, that Court Warrant No. 53 drawn October 28, 1893 in favor of M. R. Peck be cancelled and a new warrant issued on affidavit of M. R. Peck that said warrant was destroyed by fire.

Additional bond of F. B. Goetter as County Treasurer approved.

Bills allowed as follows:

W. J. St. Clair	Board of J. Nelson	\$5.25
Geo. H. Bobier	Road Work District No. 28	\$37.50
Geo. Young	Road Work District No. 28	\$22.00
M. Martin	Road Work District No. 28	\$82.00

Petition of Louis Perras & other for the establishment of a Drainage District in the Colville Valley, laid over.

In the matter of bids for county printing, it appearing to the satisfaction of this board that the bid of the Colville Index is the most advantageous to Stevens County, it is hereby ordered that the bid of the Index be accepted and contract be and is hereby awarded for the doing of the county printing for the ensuring year to the said Colville Index and bond fixed at \$1,000.00. Bid as follows:

Bid for County Printing

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners Stevens County, Washington,

Gentlemen:

In compliance with the notice for bids to do the printing of said Stevens County, a printed copy of which notice is hereto attached, I, J. N Young, publisher of the Colville Index, a weekly newspaper published in the town of Colville, said county and state, do hereby bid to do the county printing of said county at the following prices and rated, to wit:

Newspaper printing by the inch in length of single column.

County Commissioner proceedings	Free
Proceedings Board of Equalization	Free
Road Notices	25 cents per inch, first insertion, 10 cents for each additional insertion
Calls for bids	Free
Election Notices	25 cents first insertion per inch, 10 cents per inch each additional insertion
Calls for Warrants	25 cents per inch first insertion, 10 cents per inch each additional insertion
Notices, given by county officers	25 cents per inch first insertion and

not already mentioned and not	15 cents per inch each additional	
hereinafter mentioned	insertion	
Delinquent Tax Lists from	25 cents per inch first insertion and	
Treasurer's Office	15 cents per inch for each additional	
	insertion.	
All other printing in newspaper	20 cents first insertion per inch and	
not already mentioned	20 cents per inch each additional	
not all cady mentioned	insertion.	
Legal Blanks and Job Work		
% sheet	1 st insertion \$5.50 per thousand	
% sheet each additional insertion	\$300 per thousand	
% sheet 1 st impression	\$3.25 per thousand	
% sheet each additional insertion	\$1.50 per thousand	
Full sheets	\$10.00 for first impression	
Full sheets	\$5.00 for second impression	
½ 1st impression	\$3.50 for 500	
½ sheet 2 nd impression	\$2.00 for 500	
% sheet 1 st impression	\$2.50 for 500	
¼ sheet 2 nd impression	\$1.25 for 500	
Envelopes		
6 ½ envelopes xxx Full Government	\$3.50	
per 1,000		
6 ½ envelopes xxx Full Government	\$2.00	
per 500		
9 & 10 envelopes xxx Full	\$4.50	
Government per 1000		
Linen letter heads 12 lbs. Full	\$4.00	
Government per 1000		

Sample of job paper accompany this bid.

Dated May 14, 1894 J. H. Young, Publisher, Colville Index

In the matter of assistance on survey of the Metaline Road. Ordered that thru extra axe men be allowed be allowed, but not further expenses except as allowed by the Court.

Ordered that personal property tax of \$4.62 assessed against Chas. Hall be cancelled it appearing that he is living on the reservation.

Adjourned to 9 a.m. May 23.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 29 & 30 5/23/1894 (file name 18940423)

Wednesday, May 23rd, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Ordered, that all bids for construction of bridge across Calispel River at its mouth be and the same are hereby rejected.

Ordered, that the Auditor advertise for bids for the construction of bridge across the Calispel River at its mouth and also for bridge across the Calispel River or near Stowell's Ranch.

Bills allowed.

F. B. Goetter Money advanced county charge	\$67.45
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Moved by L. W. Meyers that no deputies employed in any of the county offices receive to exceed \$75.00 per month from the 1st day of June 1894. Motion failed of a second.

Moved by L. W. Meyers that from and after the first day of June, the County Commissioners receive only four dollars per day for their services. Motion failed of a second.

R. E. McEvers authorized to let contract for bridge across Chewelah Creek at Chewelah.

Bills allowed as allowed.

	Delivering 0 miles as 0 days 0 110 miles	<i>t</i> c 00
Robt Hilts	Delivering & mileage 9 days & 110 miles	\$56.00
John Martin	Delivering Telegram Johnson Case	\$1.50
L. W. Meyers	2 days before Grand Jury	\$10.00
L. W. Meyers	1 day Bridge at Bossburg	\$5.00
L. W. Meyers	9 days County Commissioner & Mileage	\$46.40
		\$61.40
R. D. McEvers	Trip to Spokane & 110 miles 3 days	\$15.00
R. D. McEvers	1 day on bridge	\$5.00
R. D. McEvers	1 day Chewelah & 36 miles	\$5.00
R. D. McEvers	1 day county charges	\$5.00
R. D. McEvers	9 days County Commissioner	\$45.00
R. D. McEvers	88 miles	\$8.00
		\$83.80

Adjourned Sine Die.

Attest. E. D. Miner, Clerk

R. D. McEvers

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 31, 7/2/1894

Monday, July 2nd, 1894

Board of County Commissioners met in regular session at one o'clock p.m.

R. D. McEwers	Chairman
Robert Hilts	Commissioner
L. W. Meyers	Commissioner
E. D. Miner	Clerk

Ordered that \$50.00 be appropriated to Superintendent of School for Defective Youth for expense of Ebbert boys.

Ordered that the boundary of Clayton Precinct be altered as follows, to wit: Commencing at the southwest corner of Section 34 Township 29 North Range 41 East, thence north 4 miles to the northwest corner of Section 15, thence East one mile, thence north on-half mile, thence East one mile, thence north ½ miles to north line of township, thence East 2 ¼ miles to north line of Township, thence East 2 ¼ miles to county line, thence south 6 miles to south line of township thence West 4 ¼ miles to place of beginning.

Petition of S. F. O'Hara & others for new road district rejected.

Adjourned to 9 a.m. July 3, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 31 & 32, 7/3/1894

Tuesday, July 3, 1894.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present R. D. McEvers and Robert Hilts, absent L. W. Meyers

Ordered, that Section 9 Township 29 Range 40 be transferred from Road District No. 10 to Road District 11.

School District No. 66, established as follows. Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 2 Township 30 Range 44, thence running South to the southeast corner of same section, thence East to the northeast corner of northwest ¼ of Section 8 Township 8 Township 30 North Range 45 East, thence, running South to the southeast of the southwest 1/4 corner of Section 17 Township 30 North Range 45 East, thence West to the southwest corner of Section 18 Township 30 Range 44, thence West to the southwest corner of Section 18 Township 30 Range 44, thence North to the northwest corner of Section 6 Township 30 Range 44, thence East to place of beginning. {Near Diamond Lake}

Ordered, that \$10.00 be appropriated to Road District No. 20.

Ordered, that \$25.00 be appropriated to Road District No. 29 for purposed of opening 3 miles of road on Calispel and Newport Road, commencing at the 3 miles stake.

Ordered, that \$25.00 be appropriated to Road District No. 34.

Ordered, that \$25.00 be appropriated to Road District No. 17.

Ordered, that the salaries of all deputies be fixed at \$75.00 per month to take effect from August 1st, 1894.

Ordered, that the \$125.45 additional be appropriated toward the Summit Road on West side for work as follows.

Wm. Hilts	\$34.25
S. L. Bruchbill	\$37.00
B. T. Norman	\$30.00
H. Bramer	\$30.00
D. Campbell	\$37.00
Wm. Sparling & team	\$6.00
J. J. Alyea & team	\$16.00
Chas. Alyea	\$8.00
George Reed	\$16.00
Lee Richardson	\$4.00
Robert Hilts	\$20.20

Ordered, that \$300.00 be appropriated to Road District No. 30 for the purpose of bridging across the north of South fork of Tacoma Creek also Smalls Creek and opening highwater road.

Ordered, that \$300.00 be appropriated to Road District No. 29 for the purpose of opening the Harvey Road, building bridge across the Calispel River & bridge across canyon.

Ordered, that personal tax of Jane Fowler be cancelled she not having been allowed exemption.

July 4, 2021

Adjourned to Thursday, July 5, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 32 & 33, 7/5/1894

Thursday, July 5, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

R. D. McEwers	Chairman
Robert Hilts	Commissioner
L. W. Meyers	Commissioner

Ordered, that the following amount of the Personal Roll of 1893 on affidavit of County Treasurer that the same is uncollectable

Consolidated Tax	\$753.80
Special School	\$193.32
Kettle Falls	\$9.25
Town of Colville	\$.93
Total	\$957.30

Adjourned to Friday, July 6, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 33, 34, & 35, 7/6/1894

Friday, July 6, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Bonds approved

J. H. Young	County Printing
Geo. Skeels	Justice of the Peace

Bills Allowed

J. J. Travis	Medical attention County charge	\$7.00
Frank B. Goetter	Medicine County charge	\$9.75
Western Blank Book	Pens	\$3.00
Co.		
C. D. Wooten	Constable fees	\$27.00
E. M. Kratzer	Bridge Plank	\$10.92
C. R. McMillan	Sheriff expense	\$85.50
Frank Habein	Team for Treasurer	\$2.50
Pioneer Bindery	Tax receipts	\$22.50
Shaffer & Trumbull	Coffin for Paskill	\$20.00
Geo. D. Barnard	2 Warrant books	\$44.00
J. B. Thomas	Tracing of bridge plans	\$10.00
J. B. Thomas	Surveying change in Locke Road	\$23.40
J. B. Thomas	Surveying change in Bryant Road	\$12.00
W. J. St. Clair	Board of Nelson	\$6.00
A. N. Pettingill	Board of prisoner	\$5.52
Jno. W. Graham	Ink	\$6.88
Geo. H. Wisner	Bridge plans	\$20.00
Nobard Dupuis	Medicine county charge	\$3.20
C. T. Carter	Repair on plow	\$2.75
Wm. Day	Road scraper	\$5.00
J. Salvage	Bridge plank	\$12.76
M. E. Jesseph	Expenses collecting taxes	\$6.00
M. E. Jesseph	7 days Deputy Treasurer	\$17.50
M. E. Jesseph	Horse hire collecting taxes	\$7.00
A. McDonald	Horse hire collecting taxes	\$13.50
A. McDonald	13 days Deputy Treasurer collecting taxes	\$33.75
A. McDonald	Expenses Deputy Treasurer collecting taxes	\$15.15
Frank B. Goetter	Expenses Deputy Treasurer collecting taxes	\$3.75
Frank B. Goetter	Expenses Deputy Treasurer collecting taxes	\$16.05
M. B. Grieve	Postage	\$3.00
M. B. Grieve	Visiting schools and mileage	174.50
B. M. Ford & Co.	Board of prisoner	\$1.00
Northport Trading	Materials for District 31	\$6.15
Co.		
F. H. Fish	Registering 129 names of voters	\$16.12
L. B. Reeder	Expenses & postage	\$9.25
M. R. Peck	Medical attention of J. Nelson	\$12.00
	Coroner inquest Wm. Wallace	

C. S. Boss	Acting Coroner	\$15.90
Wm. Leonard	Juror	\$13.90
Wm. E. Bell	Juror	\$3.40
Otto Schwan		
	Juror	\$3.50
A. M. Leonard	Juror	\$3.40
Jno. H. Shephard	Juror	\$4.50
John Swan	Juror	\$3.00
	State versus James Owens	
P. W. Kittrell	Justice	\$3.10
U. Eslick	Constable	\$6.10
Mrs. S. K. Owens	Witness	\$2.20
Luther Williams	Witness	\$2.20
Jenny Rice	Witness	\$2.20
Tammy Rice	Witness	\$2.20
W. B. Rice	Witness	\$2.20
Floyd Lawson	Witness	\$2.30
J. Megragry	Witness	\$2.40
	State versus Smith	
Chas Alban	Witness	\$2.20
	State versus Hendrickson	
Dennis Lucus	Witness	\$2.60
E. J. Davenport		\$2.80
Mrs. E. J.	Witness	\$2.80
Davenport		
Alice Henrickson	Witness	\$3.00
W. D. Lewis	Witness	\$3.20
Wm. O'Connor	Witness	\$3.00
C. A. Duffy	Constable	\$10.65
A. V. Shepler	Justice	\$3.15
· · · ·	State versus Burbank	i
C. A. Duffy	Constable	\$11.40
A. V. Shepler	Justice	\$1.70

The following Justice bills laid over.

State versus Ronald Smith
State versus Mengart
State versus Grabst
State versus VanAlstine
State versus Haptonstoll
State versus Caswell
State versus VanAlstine et al
Susie Felt Board of Prisoner laid over

Town Plat of Town of Clayton approved.

Dedication of Washington Brick & Lime Co. for road in town of Clayton approved and that portion of the old road replaced by the new is hereby abandoned.

F. J. Halford appointed Constable for Newport Precinct

Board adjourned to Saturday July 7.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 35 & 36, 7/7/1894

Saturday, July 7th, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

The following amounts are hereby appropriated to the respective road districts.

Road District No. 2	\$7.79
Road District No. 3	\$30.77
Road District No. 5	\$38.35
Road District No. 7	\$87.23
Road District No. 9	\$33.17
Road District No. 13	\$48.06
Road District No. 14	\$5.75
Road District No. 17	\$41.19
Road District No. 18	\$28.01
Road District No. 19	\$11.30
Road District No. 20	\$42.53
Road District No. 22	\$53.07
Road District No. 27	\$25.12
Road District No. 31	\$72.56
Road District No. 32	\$27.02
Road District No. 34	\$27.50
Road District No. 36	\$73.28
Road District No. 39	\$7.50
Total	\$660.14

Bills Allowed

John Salvage	Bridge plank	\$7.80
J. F. Lavigne	Road supplies	\$6.50
R. E. Lee	Road supplies	\$8.97
Wm. Prindle	Work on scraper	\$2.50
John Salvage	Bridge plank	\$24.00
Martin Scotten	Constable fees State versus Conwall	\$14.45
A. N. Pettingill	Board of prisoners	\$6.96
John Fisk	Bridge plank	\$8.62

Adjourned to Monday July 9th, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 36, 37, & 38, 7/9/1894

Monday, July 9th, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

In settlement with County Treasurer, he showed credits in the Bank of Colville and other credits for \$22,977.19 distributed in the following funds.

County Fund	\$1169.82
General School Fund	\$2403.83
Poll Fund	\$4.00
State Fund	\$1108.70
Military Fund	\$77.59
State Int Fund	\$21.67
Special School Fund	\$2458.17
Road Property Fund	\$1212.80
General Road Fund	\$6.55
Road & Bridge Fund	\$224.84
Soldiers Relief Fund	\$58.16
Special Road Fund	\$7.55
Town of Colville Fund	\$13.70
Current Expense Fund	\$14209.82

Bills allowed

Colville Index	Call for warrants	\$1.50
Colville Index	Job printing	\$27.75
Colville Index	Registration notice	\$2.00
Colville Index	Notice of appointment	\$7.13
J. M. Stevens	Draying	\$.50
F. S. Phillips	Postage	\$3.85
F. Barman	Merchandise	\$2.35
F. Barman	Merchandise County Poor	\$15.00
J. Mosley	Road work	\$12.00
J. Ryan	Road work	\$4.00
D. Crown	Road work	\$5.00

Ordered that \$800.00 be transferred from the Current Expense Fund to Road and Bridge Fund.

The following bids for making change in Deep Creek Road.

Paul LaPlant	First mile	\$140.00
	Remainder of road	\$100.00
	Bridge	\$20.00
M. Jackson	First mile	\$236.80
	Bridge	\$10.00
G. H. Staves	First mile	\$125.00
	Remainder of road	\$100.00
B. C. Brewington	First mile	\$200.00
	Remainder of road	\$175.00

	Bridge	\$45.00
E. J. Catlett	First mile	\$222.00
	Remainder of road	\$150.00
	Bridge	\$18.00

Contact for road awarded to G. H. Staves with bond of \$400.00

Contract for bridge awarded to M. Jackson.

Ordered that \$50.00 be appropriated toward opening part of the Daisy Mine Road.

The Central Committee man of each political party are requested to furnish the name of one man for each precinct to act as election officer at the General Election November 6, 1894, names to be furnished by August 15, 1894.

Bills allowed.

L. W. Meyers	6 days County Commissioner & 14 miles	\$31.40
Robert Hilts	6 days County Commissioner & 110 miles	\$41.00
R. D. McEvers	May 28 & 29 looking after County charges & posting notice for building bridge 32 Miles	\$10.00
R. D. McEvers	June 3 & 4 inspecting roads Williams Valley 30 miles	\$10.00
	June 8 Reviewing bids Chewelah Bridges 32 miles	\$5.00
	June 11 to 16 inclusive, inspecting roads in Calispel 100 miles	\$30.00
	June 11 to 16, 2 days trip to Colville	\$
	July 9 6 days County Commissioner & 88 miles	\$28.80
	Total	\$93.80

Ordered that Mrs. Hatch be allowed \$15.00 per month for care of Mrs. Saunders & daughter from July 5, 1894.

Adjourned to Monday, August 27, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 38, 8/27/1894

Monday, August 27, 1894

Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

R. D. McEwers	Commissioner
Robert Hilts	Commissioner
E. D. Miner	Clerk

Absent L. W. Meyers

Bills allowed

R. D. McEvers	18 days Board of Equalization + 88 miles	\$98.80
Robert Hilts	18 days Board of Equalization + 110 miles	\$101.00
E. Charles	Rent of Office	\$15.00

Adjourned to Wednesday, August 29, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 38 & 39, 8/29/1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

R. D. McEwers	Commissioner
Robert Hilts	Commissioner
E. D. Miner	Clerk

Absent L. W. Meyers.

The following bids for wood opened and read.

Dan Thomas	\$1.90 per cord
J. N. Lewis	\$1.90 per cord
Adam Arnold	\$1.74 per cord
Jas Crawford	\$1.39 per cord
S. J. Dyer	\$1.85 per cord
W. R. White	\$1.94 per cord

Jas Crawford being the lowest bidder it is ordered that contract be awarded him at \$1.39 per cord.

Bid of Chas. Johnson for building ferry across the Calispel River, read and laid over.

Petition of S. T. Tatro & others for road near N. J. Halls Ranch. Laid over pending permission to cross the Indian Reservation.

Ordered, that the sum of \$50.00 be appropriated to Road District No. 32 and 16 each.

Ordered, that \$20 be allowed John Slocum destitute.

Bills allowed as follows

Littleton Hall	Work on Summit Road	\$15.00
D. Hastings	Work on Summit Road	\$32.00
Lee Owens	Work on Summit Road	\$20.00
J. M. Stevens	Draying	\$.50
J. P. Fogh	Nails	\$2.25
Pioneer Book Bindery	Books	\$19.50
Ben C. Irwin & Co.	Books	\$32.50
M. B. Grieve	Visiting schools	\$59.20
John H. Moyle	Stationery	\$6.00
W. F. Rutherford	Livery hire	\$16.00
S. L. Breechbill	Work on Summit Road	\$12.00
D. Campbell	Work on Summit Road	\$12.00
W. Sparling	Work on Summit Road & team	\$24.00
Robert Hilts	Work on Summit Road	\$10.00
Wm. Marshall	Work on Summit Road	\$10.00
Shaw & Borden	Registration books	\$5.00
L. G. Curry	Special Deputy Sheriff	\$20.00
Mitchell Lewis &	Plow	\$22.50
Staver		
E. G. Thomason	Lumber	\$43.18
M. Fitzgerald	Work on bridge	\$27.00
W. H. Harris	Special Deputy Sheriff	\$15.00

F. B. Goetter	Money advanced for scrapers	\$.05
F. B. Goetter	Stamps, livery & telegram	\$6.65
Bird and Hedges	Lumber	\$531.02
E. G. Thomason	Bridge contract	\$250.00
P. F. Gates	Plans for ferry	\$15.00
C. R. McMillan	Refunded fees collected under protest	\$31.85
C. R. McMillan	Expense bill	\$92.85
L. B. Reeder	Expense bill	\$14.90

Adjourned to 9 a.m. August 30, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 40 & 41, 8/30/1894

Thursday, August 30, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Full board present.

Ordered that 78 cents be remitted S. W. Stiles error in tax receipt.

Bills allowed as followed.

M. B. Grieve	Visiting schools	\$61.90
F. S. Phillips	Stamps & box rent	\$2.30
Jas Pickeral	{Teachers} Institute expense	\$3.00
Mrs. D. W. Church	{Teachers} Institute expense	\$6.00
E. P. Greenwalt	{Teachers} Institute expense	\$3.00
Rena Martin	{Teachers} Institute expense	\$3.00
J. J. Covell	{Teachers} Institute expense	\$3.00
Eva M. Jones	{Teachers} Institute expense	\$6.00
Peter J. Niven	{Teachers} Institute expense	\$6.00
Lawrence Hammil	{Teachers} Institute expense	\$2.00
M. B. Grieve	{Teachers} Institute expense	\$2.25
W. J. Sutton	{Teachers} Institute expense	\$10.80
Mrs. P. B. Dingle	{Teachers} Institute expense	\$6.00
Thos. C. Green	{Teachers} Institute expense	\$6.00
John A. Barry	{Teachers} Institute expense	\$6.00
Jas. Pickeral	Teachers Examination & mileage	\$14.50
Mabel Boss	Teachers Examination & mileage	\$14.50
M. B. Grieve	Stamps etc.	\$3.50
F. B. Goetter	Medicine County Charge	\$6.50
Tax on improvements of	n Lot 27, Block 6, Town of Kettle Falls for	1893 and
on Lots 17, 18, 19, &	20 Block 17 O. K. Addition cancelled on acc	ount of
error in assessment		
W. M. Blake	Justice fees State versus Bainum	\$2.50
F. H. Fisk	Justice fees State versus Moliere	\$4.10
Robert Bruce	Witness fees State versus Moliere	\$5.20
C. F. Smith	Witness fees State versus Moliere	\$5.40
G. C. Havener	Witness fees State versus Moliere	\$5.20
F. H. Fish	Justice fees State versus Bergh	\$3.05
Louis Payment	Witness fees State versus Bergh	\$2.20
R. Queener	Witness fees State versus Bergh	\$5.20
Wm. Robbins	Witness fees State versus Bergh	\$5.20
Hans Anderson	Witness fees State versus Bergh	\$5.60
Mrs. John Bergh	Witness fees State versus Bergh	\$2.20
F. Wolff	Bailiff fees State versus White	\$4.00

In the matter of State Fair Commissioner for the County of Stevens. Ordered, that John B. Slater, Wm. P. Hughes, F. W. Sherman, Thomas C. Green, and Eber C. Smith be and they are hereby designated as such Commission to serve without pay and there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$150.00 for the necessary expenses of selecting and placing Stevens County exhibits at said fair and said warrants drawn by the Auditor on the order of the Chairman and secretary of commission.

Ordered, that \$5.69 be remitted to O. G. Ellis, error on tax roll.

Adjourned to 9 a.m. August 31, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 41 & 42, 8/31/1894

Friday, August 31st, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

School Districts Established as follows:

District No. 67

Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 1 Township 29 North Range 37 East Willamette Meridian, thence running south to the Spokane Reservation line, thence west on said line to township line between Range 36 and 37, thence north to the north township line of Township 29 North Range 37 East Willamette Meridian, thence east to the place of beginning.

Boundaries of School District No. 11 and 27 changed as follows: transferred from District No. 11 to District No. 27 the south half of the northeast ¼ and the northeast ¼ of the southeast ¼ of Section 25 Township 33 North Range 37 East. {Near the area of the community of Maud.}

Petition of E. D. Morrison and others for help in the Kettle River Road, read and it is hereby ordered, that the sum of \$150.00 be and is hereby appropriated towards the putting said road in passable condition under the supervision of E. D. Morrison.

Ordered that Supervisor of District No. 29 be authorized to open the Newport Road at an outlay of not to exceed \$250.00.

Colville Index	Job Printing & materials	\$7.25
Colville Index	Job Printing & materials	\$4.00
Colville Index	Job School Superintendent report	\$7.00
Colville Index	Job printing & materials	\$37.50
Colville Index	Call for Examination & Institute	\$.58
Colville Index	School apportionment	\$5.71
	Total	\$52.04
Colville Index	Call for warrants	\$5.04
Colville Index	Annual Statement	\$17.00
R. E. Lee	Merchandise	\$3.00
Chas Haines	Special Deputy Sheriff	\$5.00

Bills allowed as follows:

Ordered that all bills of County Surveyor or his Deputy or Deputies shall be audited by the Board of County Commissioners.

Bills allowed.

Indian Bruzy	Interpreter State versus Wall	\$3.80
Fenton & Co.	Action of Fetterly	\$10.00
A. N. Pettengill	Board of Prisoner	\$4.08
Bayley & Cunningham	Bridge plans	\$25.00

In the matter of new voting precincts.

The petition of E. W. Scott and others being read it is hereby ordered, that the petition be granted and precinct established as follows: Beginning at the county line on the line between Section 20 and 29 Township 28 North Range 42, thence West to the northeast corner of Section 26 Township 28 Range 41, thence North one mile, thence West to the northwest corner of Section 23 thence South to the Spokane River, thence up the river to the county line, thence north on county line to place of beginning to be called Riverside Precinct.

Adjourned to 9 a.m. September 1, 1894

Saturday, September 1st, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Bills allowed as follows.

M. Jackson	Work on bridge	\$10.00
L. W. Meyers	18 days, Board of Equalization & 14 miles	\$91.40

Adjourned to Tuesday, September 4, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 43 & 44, 9/2/1894

Tuesday, September 4, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present

Robert Hilts	Commissioner
L. W. Meyers	Commissioner
Absent R. D. McEvers	

Ordered, that \$1000.00 be transferred from Current Expense Fund to the Bridge Fund.

In the matter of building bridge across the Spokane River known as the LaPray Bridge.

It appearing to the satisfaction of this board that the bids for building of said bridge as shown by the transcript of the proceeding of the Board of Commissioners of Spokane County now on file in the Auditor's office are exorbitant and further it being the opinion of this board that Stevens County is not in justice entitled to pay one half of the cost of said bridge, it is hereby ordered that said bids be and they are hereby rejected.

The following bills laid over.

R. B. Thomas	Survey Easterbrook Road	\$31.10
R. B. Thomas	Survey Herron Road	\$23.10
R. B. Thomas	Survey Boundary Road	\$249.20
Wm. Miller	Tea on Metaline Road	\$121.50
Wm. B. Vair	Axeman Boundary Road	\$95.00
Edward Nelson	Axeman Boundary Road	\$72.50
J. B. Morrison	Axeman Boundary Road	\$55.00
J. D. McKinnon	Axeman Boundary Road	\$35.00
W. W. Jones	Axeman Metaline Road	\$77.50
W. C. Zeigler	Axeman Metaline Road	\$77.50
H. C. Carr	Axeman Metaline Road	\$75.00
D. J. Yeargain	Axeman Metaline Road	\$110.00
Oliver Hull	Axeman Metaline Road	\$57.50
George Hull	Axeman Metaline Road	\$117.50
John Rickey	Team Metaline Road	\$67.50
H. Prouty	Team Metaline Road	\$45.00
Wm. Prindle	Repairing plow Metaline Road	\$4.25

The following bills allowed.

R. D. McEvers	3 days conference with Spokane County Commissioners and purchasing scrapers at Dragoon	\$15.00
R. D. McEvers	Mileage 100 miles	\$10.00
R. D. McEvers	1 day receiving bridge at Chewelah	\$5.00
R. D. McEvers	1 day at LaPray Bridge	\$5.00
R. D. McEvers	6 days as County Commissioner	\$30.00
	Total	\$65.00

Robert Hilts	Inspecting bridge at Fort Spokane	\$5.00
Robert Hilts	7 days County Commissioner	\$35.00
Robert Hilts	Mileage 50 miles	\$5.00
	Total	\$45.00
L. W. Meyers	7 days inspecting roads & bridges	\$35.00
L. W. Meyers	122 miles	\$12.20
L. W. Myers	4 days County Commissioner	\$20.00
	Total	\$67.20

Ordered, that the order made August 31st authorizing Road District No. 29 to expend \$250.00 on the Newport Road is hereby rescinded.

Adjourned to Wednesday, September 5, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 44, 9/5/1894 Wednesday, September 5, 1894 Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday. Bills allowed.

Adjourned to September 6, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 44, 9/6/1894

Thursday, September 6, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Ordered, that Geo F. Whitmore be and he is hereby authorized to represent this county before the State Board of Equalization at Olympia, Washington September, 1894.

Adjourned to September 7, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 44, 9/7/1894 Friday, September 7, 1894 Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday. Adjourned to Monday, September 10, 1894 Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 45, 9/10/1894

Monday, September 19, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present the full board.

Resignation of Clark Whitbeck as Justice of the Peace for Springdale Precinct, read and accepted.

In the matter of appointment of Justice of the Peace. The petition of H. E. young and others for appointment of appointment of Clark Whitbeck as Justice for Forest Center Precinct read and petition granted and it is hereby ordered that Clark Whitbeck be and he is hereby appointed Justice of the Peace in and for Forest Center Precinct.

Bill of Slater and Mantz for attorney fees in case J. M. Cataldo versus George E. Meyers, rejected.

Cost bill of State versus Hudson, laid over.

Bills allowed as follows

J. B. Thomas	Work on plat book	\$10.00
F. H. Fish	Justice fees State versus Moliere	\$7.85
W. Mader	Witness fees State versus Moliere	\$6.00
Wm. Day	Witness fees State versus Moliere	\$5.20
Robert Bruce	Witness fees State versus Moliere	\$5.20
Joe Day	Witness fees State versus Moliere	\$5.40
M. R. Peck	Witness fees State versus Moliere	\$2.20
J. L. Serverson	Constable fees State versus Moliere	\$5.70
W. J. St. Clair	Juror fees State versus Moliere	\$2.20
James Moore	Juror fees State versus Moliere	\$2.20
J. U. Hofstetter	Juror fees State versus Moliere	\$2.20
C. W. Winter	Juror fees State versus Moliere	\$2.20
A. J. Durgan	Juror fees State versus Moliere	\$2.20
C. M. Rush	Juror fees State versus Moliere	\$2.20
	Total	\$60.75

Adjourned to Tuesday, September 11, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 45, 9/11/1894

Tuesday, September 11, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present

R. D. McEwers	Commissioner
Robert Hilts	Commissioner
Absent L. W. Meyers	

Ordered that R. D. McEvers be authorized to build or have built a ferry boat at or near the mouth of the Calispel River at a cost of not to exceed \$250.00.

Adjourned to Wednesday, September 12, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 46, 9/12/1894

Wednesday, September 12th, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Full board being present.

Bills allowed as follows

A. F. George	Special Deputy Sheriff	\$29.50
Colville Index	Job printing	\$9.50

Ordered that \$100.00 be appropriated to Road District No. 31.

Adjourned to September 13, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 46 & 47, 9/13/1894

Thursday, September 13, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment present as of yesterday.

In the matter of alteration of School Districts.

The certificates of Alteration of Districts submitted by School Superintendent approved as follows.

School District No. 51 and No. 3 altered as follows: transferred from District No. 51 to District No. 3, the West ½ and Southeast ¼ of Section 4 Township 34 North Range 39 East Willamette Meridian. {School District No. 51 was Arden School District. School District No. 3 called the Aubin school, 1889-1894}

School District No. 25 and 48 altered as follows. Transferred from District 48, the northwest % of Section 30 Township 28 North Range 41 East and set it over to District No. 25. {School District No. 25 is the Williams Valley School, 1890-1942, and School District No. 48 is possibly the Tum Tum School, 1898?-1912}

School District No. 60 established as follows. Beginning at the northwest corner of Section 2 Township 29 North Range 40, thence South to the Spokane Reservation line, thence west on said line to the west line of Section 14 Township 29 North Range 39 East, thence North to the place of beginning. {School District No. 60 was the Greenwood School, 1893-1923}

Ordered that \$250.00 be and hereby appropriated toward the opening of the Newport and Calispel Road, to be divided equally between Road Districts No. 28 and 29.

J. B. Thomas	Work on plat book	\$3.00
Jay H. Felt	Justice fees State versus Haptonstoll	\$3.65
J. E. Tupper	Clerk fees State versus Haptonstoll	\$1.60
J. F. Helford	Constable fees State versus Haptonstoll	\$3.80
J. W. Rauch	Special Constable fees State versus Haptonstoll	\$6.00
Rosa Van Alstine	Witness fees State versus Haptonstoll	\$2.40
Belle Graves	Witness fees State versus Haptonstoll	\$2.40
Dell Van Alstine	Witness fees State versus Haptonstoll	\$2.40
Lew Woodward	Witness fees State versus Haptonstoll	\$2.40
Joseph Tophen	Witness fees State versus Haptonstoll	\$2.40
D. R. Thomas	Juror fees State versus Hudson	\$2.40
Robert Fountain	Juror fees State versus Hudson	\$2.00
John Renshaw	Juror fees State versus Hudson	\$2.90
John Gardner	Juror fees State versus Hudson	\$2.50
Henry Bauer	Juror fees State versus Hudson	\$2.60
W. C. Jared	Constable fees State versus Hudson	\$39.85
George Gibson	Special Constable fees State versus Hudson	\$2.90
Christ Lenderson	Witness fees State versus Hudson	\$7.20
George Gibson	Witness fees State versus Hudson	\$2.00
Peter Legacy	Witness fees State versus Hudson	\$2.00
Antoine Bluff	Interpreter fees Sate versus Hudson	\$4.40

The following bills allowed

Leon Ross	Witness fees State versus Hudson	\$5.60
Wm. Long	Witness fees State versus Hudson	\$6.00
Jos Hartsan	Witness fees State versus Hudson	\$5.60
S. H. Cusick	Justice fees State versus Hudson	\$6.75

Adjourned to September 14, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 47, 9/14/1894

Friday, September 14, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present

Robert Hilts	Commissioner
L. W. Meyers	Commissioner
Absent R. D. McEwers	

Ordered that County Surveyor R. B. Thomas survey the route of proposed road across the Reservation starting near Bob McCoy's Ranch and furnish plat of same to this board.

Bills allowed as follows:

Robert Hilts	8 days as County Commissioner	\$40.00
L. W. Meyers	7 days as County Commissioner	\$35.00
L. W. Meyers	1 day inspecting roads	\$5.00

Adjourned Sine Die.

Minutes approved. Signed by L. W. Meyers and Robert Hilts, Commissioners

Attest. E. D. Miner, Clerk

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 48 & 49, 10/1/1894

Monday, October 1, 1894

Board of County Commissioners met in regular session. Present:

R. D. McEwers	Chairman/Commissioner
Robert Hilts	Commissioner
L. W. Meyers	Commissioner
E. D. Miner	Clerk

Ordered that \$500.00 be transferred from the Current Expense to Poll Fund.

Bills allowed as follows

Geo. Whitmore	Mileage to Olympia & net (attendance State Board of Equalization,) 1055 miles	\$105.80
Ben C. Irwin &Co.	Records and supplies	\$184.30
Ben C. Irwin &Co.	Election supplies	\$112.47
Spokane Stamp Works	Ballot stamps	\$19.14

In the matter of appointment of election officers & fixing voting places ordered as follows

Thetis Precinct	Polls at School House
S. M. Dunlap	Inspector
David Lattin	Judge
Ed Wayland	Judge

Loon Lake Precinct	Polls at School House
Edgar Charles	Inspector
Andrew Hessner	Judge
August Pearson	Judge

Meyers Falls Precinct	Polls at Meyer's House
	at Station
Geo. Meyer	Inspector
E. Blackmore	Judge
Frank Gordon	Judge

Boundary Precinct	Polls at usual place
L. Irwin Baldwin	Inspector
A. J. Jackson	Judge
F. S. Bradbury	Judge

Harvey Creek Precinct	Polls at School House
Martin Scottin	Inspector
S. F. Shaffer	Judge

Thos. R. Majors	Judge
	Junge

Young America Precinct	Polls at usual place
E. E. McCarty	Inspector
A. A. Anderson	Judge
W. G. Queener	Judge

Springdale Precinct	Polls at School House
Thos. C. Green	Inspector
D. C. Hull	Judge
J. L. Metcalfe	Judge

Lake Creek Precinct	Polls at School House
S. F. Starr	Inspector
J. P. Fletcher	Judge
W. H. Spencer	Judge

Clayton Precinct	Polls at usual place
R. J. Stevenson	Inspector
B. D. Smith	Judge
Levi Cross	Judge

Columbia Precinct	Polls at School House
Geo. Coulter	Inspector
Herbert Childs	Judge
A. C. Thorp	Judge

Diamond Lake Precinct	Polls at School House
W. L. Sax	Inspector
Gus Meyers	Judge
Elmer Graham	Judge

{Elmer Graham was postmaster of Scotia Post Office from 5 September 1893 to July 1896 and again from 18 May 1899 to January 1900.}

Daisy Precinct	Polls at School House
Frank Mitchell	Inspector
M. D. Ettenger	Judge
Wm. Lewis	Judge

{Frank Mitchell was postmaster of the Waterloo Post Office from 22 May 1896 to March 1898.}

Adjourned to October 2, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 49, 50 & 51, 10/2/1894

Tuesday, October 2, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Board proceeded with appointment of Election Officers

White Lake Precinct	Polls at School House
C. H. Prouty	Inspector
Bert Emery	Judge
J. R. Riggin	Judge

Fertile Valley Precinct	Polls at School House
Emil Schulz	Inspector
Albert H. Pease	Judge
Dennis Driscoll	Judge

Kettle Falls Precinct	Polls at School House
N. B. Wheeler	Inspector
J. M. Fish	Judge
R. C. Crawford	Judge

Clugston Precinct	Polls at School House
James Allen	Inspector
Peter Rush	Judge
Wm. Day	Judge

Spring Valley Precinct	Polls at School House (lined out School House)
Michael Walsh	Inspector
W. H. Latta	Judge
L. J. Poteet	Judge

Chewelah Precinct	Polls at School House
Fred Keiling	Inspector
C. T. Rigg	Judge
J. D. Barnes	Judge

Calispel Precinct	Polls at School House
Henry Keller	Inspector
R. P. Jared	Judge
E. M. Cook	Judge

Walkers Prairie Precinct	Polls at School House
Geo. W. Byers	Inspector
Leslie L. Jones	Judge

P. C. Colvin	Judge

Newport Precinct	Polls at usual place
R. D. Anderson	Inspector
John W. Rauch	Judge
S. S. Biggs	Judge

Little Dalles Precinct	Polls at School House
D. F. Crown	Inspector
J. J. Walters	Judge
Cy Townsend	Judge

Marcus Precinct	Polls at School House
J. B. Reynolds	Inspector
J. Lesher	Judge
C. E. Brooks	Judge

McLaughlin Precinct	Polls at usual place
David Locke	Inspector
Geo. Cassell	Judge
Henry Bauer	Judge

Metaline Precinct	Polls at usual place
Chas Carlin	Inspector
D. J. Yeargain	Judge
Harry Thoen	Judge

Old Dominion Precinct	Polls at usual place
A. Summers	Inspector
J. H. Morrison	Judge
Geo. Theis	Judge

Deep Creek Precinct	Polls at Hopes House
John Voss	Inspector
John Todd	Judge
Geo. M. Welty	Judge

Mount Corbin Precinct	Polls at School House
A. W. Wiles	Inspector
E. J. Kelley	Judge
B. F. Shannon	Judge

Stensgar Precinct	Polls at School House
Geo. W. Seal	Inspector
Magnus Flett	Judge

Jas. T. Salvage	Judge

Williams Valley Precinct	Polls at School House
J. D. Marshall	Inspector
F. W. Lee	Judge
S. S. Markland	Judge

Riverside Precinct	Polls at usual place
E. W. Scott	Inspector
L. Stone	Judge
Jacob Scott	Judge

Forest Center Precinct	Polls at School House
E. H. Hodgson	Inspector
Geo. W. Craig	Judge
Albert Young	Judge

Colville Precinct	Polls at courthouse
R. E. Lee	Inspector
W. D. Dingle	Judge
W. H. Kearny	Judge

Ordered that \$75.50 be transferred from R & B (Roads and Bridges) to Road District No. 39.

Adjourned to October 3, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 51 & 52, 10/3/1894

Tuesday, October 3, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Wednesday, October 3, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Bills allowed as follows:

C. R. McMillan	Expense account	\$31.75
M. B. Grieve	Stamps	\$3.00
John W. Graham	Pens	\$5.40
Chas. Haines	Deputy Sheriff	\$41.35
M. B. Grieve	Visiting schools	\$87.90
J. M. Stevens	Hauling wood	\$.50
F. Barman	Merchandise	\$3.85
J. P. Hessell	Ice	\$9.60
Northport Trading Co.	Merchandise	\$1.75
F. B. Goetter	Stamps	\$3.15
A. N. Pettingill	Board of Prisoners	\$29.52
Perras & Bewley	Horse hire	\$2.50
F. J. Reynolds	Lumber	\$5.76
F. H. Fish	Justice fees State versus Reeves	\$5.55
Arthur George	Witness fees State versus Reeves	\$3.40
A. H. Jaechon	Witness fees State versus Reeves	\$16.40
J. L. Servison	Constable fees State versus Reeves	\$6.75
J. B. Thomas	Juror fees State versus Reeves	\$2.20
Wm. Miller	Juror fees State versus Reeves	\$2.20
D. F. C. Bird	Juror fees State versus Reeves	\$2.80
P. B. Dingle	Juror fees State versus Reeves	\$2.20
C. St. Clair	Juror fees State versus Reeves	\$2.20
Milton Jesseph	Juror fees State versus Reeves	\$2.20
R. B. Thomas	Survey of road across Reservation	\$47.50
J. B. Thomas	Survey of Galbraith change	\$5.00
Willie Galbraith	Chainman Galbraith change	\$2.50
John Carr	Chainman Galbraith change {Stevens	\$2.50
	County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 307,	
	Galbraiths Change in Colville & Marcus	
	Rod, #696}	

Adjourned to October 4, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 52, 10/4/1894

Thursday, October 4, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

In the matter of election returns, ordered that all poll books and ballots of the election of November 6, 1894, be returned by Register Mail to the County Auditor from all precincts in which there is a post office or from the nearest Post Office, as no mileage will be allowed to anyone bringing in election returns except from precincts having no Post Office and the Auditor is directed to furnish to each precinct sufficient postage stamps for the return of said books and ballots.

Bills allowed

A. G. Walters Lumber \$8.72

School case on division of 60' set for October 6.

Adjourned to Saturday, October 6, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 53, 10/6/1894

Saturday, October 6, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Bills allowed

Colville Index	\$31.00

In settlement with Treasurer, he showed credits as follows.

School Fund	\$2304.66
State Fund	\$186.13
Military Fund	\$13.95
Special School Fund	S1151.28
Road Property Fund	\$1236.21
Bridge Fund	\$83.65
County Fund	\$1623.03
Soldiers Relief Fund	\$59.51
Salary Fund	\$2919.94
Special Road	\$7.55
Penalty Fund	\$209.31
Colville Fund	\$8.92
Kettle Falls	\$10.60
Current Expense	\$1692.38

Bills Allowed

A. N. Pettingill	Board of Prisoner	\$12.24
Eber J. Kelly	Deputy Superintendent Visiting Schools	\$25.00

The board then proceeded to hear the appeal in the matter of formation of School District No. 68 after hearing arguments of J. B. Slater and H. G. Kirkpatrick the board took the matter under advisement until Monday, October 8, 1894.

Adjourned to October 8, 1894.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 53, 54, 55 & 56, 10/8/1894

Monday, October 8, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Bond of Clark Whitbeck as Justice of the Peace of Forest Center, approved.

Ordered, the R. B. Thomas, County Surveyor is authorized to survey road as dedicated by J. P. Betteridge & others. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 317, J. P. Bettridge Road, #522}

In the matter of appeal in case of School Districts 60 and 68. Ordered, that the appeal herein be dismissed and the order of the School Superintendent in regard to the formation of District No. 68 be sustained and District be established as follows:

School District No. 68

Beginning at northeast corner of Section 1 Township 36 North Range 38 East Willamette Meridian, running thence south to southeast corner of Section 24 Township 36 North Range 38, thence West to the southwest corner of same section, thence South one-fourth mile, thence West one half mile thence, South one-fourth, thence West three-fourths miles, thence North one-fourth miles, thence West three-fourths miles, thence North threefourths miles, thence West one mile, thence north three-fourths miles, thence West onehalf mile, thence North to northwest corner of Section 17 Township 36 North Range 38 East Willamette Meridian, thence East to northeast corner of same section, thence North to northwest corner of Section 4, same township, East to the place of beginning. Commissioner Meyers objects. {School called Highline School, 1895-1958}

In the matter of Tax Levy for the year 1894, ordered that the levy be and is hereby fixed as follows:

For County purpose	6 mills
For School purpose	5 mills
For Road Property purpose	1 ½ mills
For Road and Bridge purpose	2 ½ mills
For Soldiers Relief purpose	15 mill

Bills allowed

State versus Grabst		
A. V. Shepler	Justice fees	\$4.25
C. A. Duffy	Constable fees	\$22.85
M. C. Stolp	Juror fees	\$4.20
J. H. McDonald	Juror fees	\$4.20
J. Platt	Juror fees	\$4.20
S. Denn	Juror fees	\$4.20
T. McCarthy	Juror fees	\$4.20
T. Turk	Juror fees	\$4.20
C. Perry	Witness fees	\$6.00
F. Castner	Witness fees	\$7.40
E. S. Dudrey	Witness fees	\$6.00
H. Pomeroy	Witness fees	\$6.00
Hugh Naff	Witness fees	\$2.20

A. Moore	Witness fees	\$6.00
J. Stevens	Witness fees	\$5.60
Mrs. S. A. Griffiths	Witness fees	\$6.00
Frank Naff	Witness fees	\$5.80
Sarah Fisher	Witness fees	\$7.00
Henry Vest	Witness fees	\$7.20
	State versus Van Alstine	¢, 120
Jay H. Flet	Justice Fees	\$2.85
F. Halford	Constable fees	\$4.40
J. W. Rauch	Guard fees	\$3.00
Mrs. Susie Felt	Board Prisoner	\$9.75
	State versus Brackett	
J. J. Covell	Justice Fees	\$9.85
E. P. Greenwalt	Constable fees	\$5.75
C. T. Penny	Witness fees	\$2.10
Mrs. C. T. Penny	Witness fees	\$2.10
Nettie Penny	Witness fees	\$2.10
John Penny	Witness fees	\$2.10
	State versus Mengart	<i> </i>
A. V. Shepler	Justice fees	\$5.00
C. A. Duffy	Constable fees	\$14.00
John Neff	Witness fees	\$2.60
Albert Brown	Witness fees	\$2.20
Bazil Brown	Witness fees	\$2.40
A. Lannsbury	Witness fees	\$2.20
John Delva	Witness fees	\$2.20
Jesse Wright	Witness fees	\$2.20
Augusta	Witness fees	\$4.20
D. L. Toner	Witness fees	\$2.20
John Ehorn	Juror fees	\$2.20
Wm. Boyd	Juror fees	\$2.80
C. T. Rigg	Juror fees	\$2.40
H. Pomeroy	Juror fees	\$2.20
Dennis Lucus	Juror fees	\$2.60
J. Platt	Juror fees	\$2.20
E. A. Keyes	Juror fees	\$2.20
	State versus Smith	
George Skeels	Justice fees	\$2.50
J. A. Gardner	Constable fees	\$2.50
S. L. Dearinger	Juror fees	\$2.45
Magnus Flett	Juror fees	\$2.00
Wm. Chamberlain	Juror fees	\$2.00
Chas Naff	Juror fees	\$2.60
G. Fatzer	Juror fees	\$2.00
Thomas Stensgar Sr	Juror fees	\$2.00
Lewis Anderson	Juror fees	\$2.00
Augusta Zoelner	Witness fees	\$2.00
John Salvage	Witness fees	\$2.30
[Amy?] Smith	Witness fees	\$2.00
Chas. Buelon	Witness fees	\$2.60

Annie Skeels	Witness fees	\$12.50	
	and the star of the Changleh Dest Office for		1007

{Ephraim A. Keyes was postmaster of the Chewelah Post Office from 22 October 1897 to February 1907.}

Plat and survey of Galbraith's & Albano change in Colville & Marcus Road approved. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 307, Galbraiths Change in Colville & Marcus Rod, #696}

Bills allowed

Robert Hilts	Commissioner & mileage	\$41.00
L. W. Meyers	4 days Spokane Conference	\$20.00
L. W. Meyers	Mileage	\$19.40
L. W. Meyers	4 days visiting roads	\$20.00
L. W. Meyers	6 days County Commissioner & mileage	\$31.40
	Total	\$90.80
R. D. McEvers	County Commissioners September 10, 11,	\$20.00
	12, & 13	
R. D. McEvers	6 days County Commissioner	\$30.00
R. D. McEvers	Spokane conference	\$20.00
	Total	\$80.00

Adjourned to November 10, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 56, 11/10/1894

Saturday, November 10th, 1894

Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

R. D. McEwers	Chairman/Commissioner
Robert Hilts	Commissioner
L. W. Meyers	Commissioner
E. D. Miner	Clerk

Adjourned to examine the Sheep Creek Road to meet Monday, November 12.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 56, 11/12/1894

Monday, November 12, 1894

Board met at 2 o'clock p.m. Present as of Saturday.

Bills allowed

E. D. Miner	Postage, Telegrams, etc.	\$17.75
Jno. W. Rauch	Posting Election Notices	\$18.50

Adjourned to November 13, 1894

Board met and adjourned Hilts being a member of canvassing board.

Adjourned to November 14, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 56, 57, & 58, 11/14/1894

Wednesday, November 14, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Application of Almstrom Bros. for Liquor License granted and board approved provided said Almstrom Bros shall pay into the County Treasury \$300.00 and file duplicate receipt for same with Auditor.

Dedication of Right of Way for change in Locke Road approved and accepted and that part of the old road covered by the new abandoned. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 314, Change in Locke Road, #673}

Bills allowed as follows

C. A. Bailor	Delivering election supplies	\$6.00
J. M. Bewley	Delivering election supplies	\$75.85
W. E. Parmelee	Delivering election supplies	\$22.50
W. H. Kearny	Delivering election supplies	\$28.75
John H. Moyle	Stationary	\$1.65
A. N. Pettingill	Board of prisoner	\$12.72
Kettle Falls Pioneer	Publication official nominations	\$21.00
Mabel Boss	Teachers Examination	\$14.50
James Pickrell	Teachers Examination	\$10.50
Bayley & Cunningham	Bridge plans	\$25.00
E. J. Kelly	Visiting schools	\$81.00
Wm. Prindle	Repairing jail	\$1.50
John Holm	Repairing jail	\$2.00
J. D. Marshall	Booths & elections returns	\$2.50
N. B. Wheeler	Registration	\$15.15
Geo. H. Bevan	Booths & rent for election	\$5.00
D. M. Richard	Wood & lights	\$1.00
G. W. Byers	Carrying returns	\$1.50
W. C. Brasfield	Wood & lights	\$1.00
Thomas Dawson	Booths for election	\$1.50
A. Wilkes	Booths for election	\$2.50
R. J. Stevenson	Booths for election & supplies	\$3.00
J. W. Rauch	Booths for election	\$4.00
E. W. Budd	Booths for election	\$3.00
F. Mitchell	Booths for election	\$2.50
Joe Oppenheimer	Booths for election	\$1.05
E. G. Thomason	Lumber for booths	\$2.18
Thomas Brown	Booths & nails	\$3.25
Jno. Gedder	Booths & nails	\$2.00
James Allen	Elections returns & booths	\$3.80
Ј. Н. Норе	Use of house for election	\$2.50
George Coulter	Booths	\$3.00
Wm. Latta	Booths	\$2.00
John Bergh	Booths	\$2.00
S. D. Allen	Booths & materials	\$5.00
J. H. Morrison	Carrying election returns	\$1.40
C. H. Prouty	Carrying election returns	\$1.20

J. F. Voss	Carrying election returns	\$6.00
C. P. Carlin	Carrying election returns	\$9.00
L. W. Meyers	Booths & material	\$5.00
George Seal	Booths & material	\$5.00
Colville Index	Publishing reg notice	\$1.65
Colville Index	Publishing reg notice	\$.60
Colville Index	Publishing Delinquent Tax List	\$83.30
Colville Index	Call for warrants	\$5.50
Colville Index	Job work & ballots	\$226.00
	Total	\$317.05

Adjourned to November 15, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 58 & 59, 11/15/1894

Thursday, November 15, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Bills allowed as follows

F. H. Fish	Registration	\$16.53
Sam Allen	Special Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
J. B. Nelson	Special Deputy Sheriff	\$7.50
Claud Bewley	Driving team	\$7.50
Chas Haines	Deputy Sheriff	\$12.50
Chas Haines	Expense bill	\$14.10
C. R. McMillan	Expense bill	\$81.55
A. N. Pettingill	Board of prisoner	\$4.32
Ordered that Contract rescinded.	of A. N. Pettingill for Board of Prisoners	be
L. B. Reeder	Stamps	\$2.00
Jacob Keller	Spikes	\$1.35
J. F. Lavigne	Drift pins	\$2.65
R. Wilson	Road work	\$6.00
Bird, Hedges & Co.	Lumber	\$42.70
M. R. Peck	Professional services to Jacobs	\$17.50
Colville Index	Printing nominations	\$21.00

Ordered, that all officer of election be allowed for one days time only.

Ordered, that the assessment of W. H. Graham for the year 1893, be reduced \$75.00 on northeast ½ of northeast ½ Section 5 Township 32 Range 40 and \$48.00 on southeast ½ of northeast ½ Section 5 Township 32 Range 40 on account of mistake in acreage.

Ordered, that the following transfer be made from County fund to Road Districts.

Road District No. 9	\$35.85
Road District No. 12	\$15.30
Road District No. 5	\$6.60
Road District No. 27	\$17.45
Road District No. 6	\$3.75
Road District No. 3	\$8.35
Road District No. 34	\$30.40
Road District No. 32	\$58.15
Road District No. 26	\$48.75
Road District No. 36	\$15.80
Road District No. 18	\$6.25
Road District No. 7	\$97.00
Road District No. 31	\$26.75
Road District No. 22	\$3.25
Total	\$373.65
Ordered, that the bonds of the incoming county officers be fixed	as follows:

County Attorney	\$2000.00
Sheriff	\$3500.00

Auditor	\$3500.00
Clerk	\$35.00
School Superintendent	\$1000.00
Surveyor	\$2500.00
Coroner	\$1000.00
Treasurer	\$3500.00
Assessor	\$200.00

Bills allowed

F. B. Goetter	Stamps	\$4.15

Bond of Wm Miller as Road Supervisor of District No. 40 approved.

Adjourned to November 17, 1894

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 59 & 60, 11/17/1894

Saturday, November 17, 1894

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Bills allowed

Bird, Hedges & Co.	Lumber	\$3.97
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Ordered, that Mary Graham be allowed \$85 exemption on Roll of 1893, being entitled to same.

Bills allowed

R. D. McEvers	October 16 to 20 opening bids for ferry	\$20.00
	Calispel, 100 miles	
R. D. McEvers	100 miles	\$10
R. D. McEvers	November 16, 3 days County Commissioner	\$15.00
R. D. McEvers	166 miles examining Sheep Creek Road	\$11.60
R. D. McEvers	88 miles County Commissioner	\$8.80
R. D. McEvers	Mileage October session 88 miles	\$8.80
	Subtotal	\$74.20
R. D. McEvers	By error in October warrant	10.00
	Total	\$64.20
L. W. Meyers	7 days County Commissioner	\$35.00
L. W. Meyers	14 miles County Commissioner	\$1.40
L. W. Meyers	116 miles on county business	\$11.60
	Total	\$48.00
Robert Hilts	4 days times interview with Lincoln County Commissioners and inspecting bridge site	\$20.00
Robert Hilts	Mileage 74 miles	\$7.40
Robert Hilts	7 days County Commissioner November 10 to 17	\$35.00
Robert Hilts	Mileage 110 miles	\$11.00
Robert Hilts	Mileage inspecting Sheep Creek Road 116	\$11.60
	Total	\$85.00

Adjourned Sine Die

Signed by L. W. Meyers, Commissioner

Robert Hilts, County Commissioner

Attest:

E. D. Miner, Clerk

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 61, 62, & 63, 1/7/1895

Monday, January 7th, 1895

Board of County Commissioners met in regular session. Present:

R. D. McEwers	Chairman
L. W. Meyers	Commissioner
Robert Hilts	Commissioner
E. D. Miner	Clerk

The following office bond approved

C. A. Mantz	County Attorney
Otis J. Smith	Superintendent of Schools
C. R. McMillan	Sheriff
D. F. Pankey	Assessor
J. S. McLean	Auditor
L. S. Ledgerwood	County Clerk
Henry Penn	Justice of the Peace
H. Renshaw	Justice of the Peace
R. T. Kuehn	Justice of the Peace
K. S. Waterman	Justice of the Peace
E. P. Botts	Justice of the Peace
R. F. Higginbotham	Justice of the Peace
Clark Whitbeck	Justice of the Peace
D. M. Richards	Justice of the Peace
Carroll Morgan	Justice of the Peace
D. Van Slyke	Justice of the Peace
Jay H. Felt	Justice of the Peace
Jas Ferguson	Justice of the Peace
H. D. Clark	Justice of the Peace
M. F. Hull	Justice of the Peace
David A Emman	Justice of the Peace
Henry Clark	Justice of the Peace
Basil Brown	Constable
Robert A. Law	Constable
Oliver T. Smith	Constable
J. L. Long	Constable
C. A. Duffy	Constable
Uriah Eslick	Constable
J. A. Denton	Constable
John Hammer	Constable
A. F. Sadler	Constable

Petition of J. H. Lamb and others for appointment of Justice and Constable read and granted and Michael Walsh is hereby appointed Justice of the Peace and S. L. Brechbill Constable for said precinct. Written on the side: Spring Valley Hunters.

The board proceeded to canvass the returns of the election of Road Supervisor and declares the following named persons elected as Supervisor for the ensuring year.

District No. 1	Adam Boyd
District No. 2	P. W. McCabe
District No. 3	Peter Rush
District No. 4	No election
District No. 5	{Blank}
District No. 6	Gotlieb Fatzer
District No. 7	Thos J. Turk
District No. 8	Geo. Kulzer
District No. 9	T. D. McDonald
District No. 10	W. D. Allen
District No. 11	No election
District No. 12	Jos James
District No. 13	F. K. Shelhamer
District No. 14	{Blank}
District No. 16	G. F. Bottorff
District No. 17	C. M. Brown
District No. 18	James French
District No. 19	Henry Clark
District No. 20	E. Cornwall
District No. 21	Bryon Belknap
District No. 22	Jas B. Cameron
District No. 23	Fred Rogers
District No. 24	{Blank}
District No. 26	Joseph Leuer
District No. 27	Emil Scholz
District No. 28	{Blank}
District No. 29	Geo. Zigler
District No. 30	Geo. Gibson
District No. 31	A. Bishop
District No. 32	{Blank}
District No. 33	A. G. Walter
District No. 34	{Blank}
District No. 36	W. A. Babb
District No. 37	Wm. Bean
District No. 38	John R. Hall

It appearing to this board that J. Jones and E. S. McCloud tied in District 32, the auditor will notify them to appear at this office and draw lots.

Bonds Approved

James O. Gifford	Coroner
F. H. Fish	Justice of the Peace

Adjourned to January 8, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 63, 64, & 65, 1/8/1895

Tuesday, January 8, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the following County Warrants be and are hereby cancelled they having remained uncalled for 6 years.

No. 335 issued	August 9, 1887
No. 599 issued	August 10, 1887
No. 621 issued	August 10, 1887
No. 228 issued	August 16, 1888
No. 212 issued	November 22, 1888
No. 308 issued	November 22, 1888
No. 309 issued	November 22, 1888
No. 312 issued	November 22, 1888
No. 330 issued	November 22, 1888
No. 340 issued	November 22, 1888

District 70 – Formation of School District approved as follows: Beginning at a point on the Chewelah Creek where the section line between Section 19 & 30 Township 28 North Range 40 East Willamette Meridian, intersects said creek running thence East to the northeast corner of Section 28 Township 28 North Range 40, running thence South to the Spokane River, thence down said river to the mouth of Chamokane Creek, thence up said creek to place of beginning.

Alternation of boundaries of School District No. 22 & 42 approved as follows: transferred from School District No. 42 to District No. 22, the following the northwest ¼ of the southeast ¼ and the northeast ¼ of the southwest ¼ and Lot No. 2 and Lot No. 3 of Section One Township 35 North Range 37 East. {School District No. 42, Marble Glen (Rickey Canyon) 1891-1908} {School District 22, Old Kettle Falls, 1893-1908}

Petition of Wm. D. Thexton as Supervisor of District No. 4, rejected on ground of citizenship.

Petition of appointment of George Cord as Supervisor of District No. 4, laid over.

Petition of T. C. Green and others for appointment of F. A. Whitney as Supervisor of District No. 11, granted and F. A. Whitney is hereby appointed Supervisor of Road District No. 11.

On Petition of Jay H. Felt and others, George N. Bobier is hereby appointed as Supervisor of Road District No. 28.

Bills allowed as follows.

C. R. McMillan	Expense bill	\$107.45
Chas Haines	Deputy Sheriff expense	\$84.75
Vic Campbell	Guard	\$2.50
John Nelson	Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
Colville Livery	Team	\$2.00
Stable		
F. Wolff	Board of Prisoner	\$49.92

Pioneer Bindery	Sheriffs vouchers	\$4.00
Pioneer Binder	Books	\$28.50
L. B. Reeder	Stamps	\$1.00
F. B. Goetter	Expense bill	\$10.00
J. Salvage	Bridge lumber	\$12.58
F. B. Goetter	Drugs for County charges	\$29.80
M. Fitzgerald	Work on bridge	\$18.00
C. A. Duffy	Guarding prisoners	\$27.00
C. A. Duffy	Meals for prisoners	\$2.00
J. M. Mohney	Bridge plank	\$3.84
	State versus Kimmey	
Michael Walsh	Justice	\$2.95
Wm. Hilts	Constable	\$7.10
	State versus Sullivan	
Clark Whitbeck	Justice	\$3.85
N. C. Parker	Constable	\$1.20
M. G. Grieve	Postage	\$3.00
	Coroners Inquest J. M. Roberts	
J. H. Cusick	Witness	\$3.00
A. H. Davis	Witness	\$2.80
E. H. Dunham	Witness	\$2.80
S. F. Feeler	Witness	\$2.40
Jas. O. Gifford	Coroner	\$16.50
A. D. Fobes	Notifying coroner	\$4.00
Patsey Barnett	Juror	\$2.20
Barney Donel	Juror	\$2.20
Henry Troger	Juror	\$2.20
Wm. Bennett	Juror	\$2.20
Al Hughes	Juror	\$2.20
Frank Ferguson	Juror	\$2.20
A. F. Allison	Constable	\$7.50
	State versus Van Alstine	
Mrs. Emma Griswold	Witness	\$5.60

Adjourned to Wednesday, January 9th, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 65, 1/9/1895 Wednesday, January 9th, 1895 Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday. Bills allowed. Geo. F. Whitmore, extra work on tax rolls to be included in January salary 223 hours at \$2.50 per day \$69.68. Ordered that the tax on \$226 valuation on South 10 feet of Lot 2 Block 1 Chandler's Addition to Town of Colville be remitted on account of error on 1892 tax rolls.

Bills allowed.

John Rickey Rent of Jury Room	\$5.00
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In the matter of settlement with County Treasurer, he showed credits for amounts in the following funds.

General School Fund	\$1853.52
Poll Fund	\$7.60
General State Fund	\$670.48
State Military Fund	\$40.71
Special School Fund	\$1499.47
Road Property Fund	\$787.58
Road & Bridge Fund	\$78.25
General County Fund	\$1002.74
Soldiers Relief Fund	\$7.16
Salary Fund	\$573.21
Town of Colville Fund	\$10.47
Town of Kettle Falls	\$10.85
Current Expense Fund	\$51.00
State Cost Bill Fund	\$1005.80
Total	\$7578.84

Adjourned to January 10, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 66, 1/10/1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Bills allowed

Fred S.	Stamps & etc.	\$7.60
Phillips		

Bonds approved

Geo. Skeels	Justice of the Peace
N. B. Wheeler	Justice of the Peace
Fritz Bohren	Constable
S. L. Dearinger	Constable

In the matter of election of Road Supervisor Road District No. 5. R. H. Townsend declared elected on the face of the returns.

John B. Slater appeared as attorney for D. T. C. Bird and objected to declaring the results on the returns for Road District No. 5.

Ordered, that Sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 13 & 14 Township North Range 39 East be transferred from Road District No. 4 to Road District No. 5.

Adjourned to January 11th, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 66 and 67, 1/11/1895

Friday, January 11th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

R. D. McEwers	Chairman
Robert Hilts	Commissioner
E. D. Miner	Clerk
L. W. Meyers absent gone to inspect the LaPray Bridg	e

Ordered, that the following receipts be cancelled Roll 1893

Rec. No. 890	\$119.75
Rec. No. 1344	\$1.18
Rec. No. 1343	\$28.28
Rec. No. 1341	\$45.51
Rec. No. 1318	\$8.34

Roll 1892

Rec. No. 3013				\$14.93	
And that F. B.	Goetter be given credit	for the above	amounts in th	ne various f	Funds.

Bills allowed

Irwin Hodson Co.	Jail register	\$9.00
John H. Moyle	Stationery	\$1.80
J. M. Staley	Work on bridge	\$8.25
W. W. Staley	Work on bridge	\$4.50
S. M. Kratzer	Work on bridge	\$4.50
F. Weatherwax	Work on bridge	\$8.00
Spokane Co.	Care of Devine	\$19.55
B. R. Freeman	Medical Attendance Devine	\$37.50
E. J. & J. B. Reynolds	Election supplies	\$4.15
	State versus Sullivan et all	
Jay H. Felt	Justice	\$4.60
F. J. Halford	Constable	\$5.80
	State versus Smith	
C. A. Duffy	Constable	\$7.80
A. V. Shepler	Justice	\$2.05
R. B. Thomas	Surveying Bettridge Road	\$30.70
W. G. O'Conner	Chainman	\$10.00

Ordered that the tax on \$2000.00 assessed as improvements on Southeast % Section 26 Township 30 North Range 40 East, be remitted on account of error on assessment on roll of 1893. {Washington State Archives Cheney holds the 1893 Real Property Tax and Assessment Rolls EA333-4-0-2.} Bills allowed

M. B. Grieve	Visiting schools & mileage	\$151.90
Jacob Keller	Election supplies	\$3.35

Adjourned to Saturday, January 12, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 67, 68, 69, 70, & 71, 1/12/1895

Saturday, January 12, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present full board.

Ordered, that Frank B. Goetter be given credit in various consolidated funds for \$1.00 on receipts No. 351 and \$4.52 on receipt No. 595 on account of error in registering in collection register.

Ordered, that the LaPray Bridge as built by Bayley & Cunningham across the Spokane River be accepted and that warrants be issued to them for ½ of contract price less \$17.50 to be retrained for filling approaches & piers.

(Written in pencil under the above:

Note Warrant #778	= \$125.00	January 22, 1895
Note Warrant #779	= \$100.00	January 22, 1895
Note Warrant #780	= \$500.00	January 22, 1895
Note Warrant #781	= \$500.00	January 22, 1895
Note Warrant #782	= \$244.50	January 22, 1895
	\$1469.50	

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington, in and for the County of Stevens. Writ of Prohibition

W. B. Vaux

Versus

Robert Hilts, R. D. McEvers and L. W. Meyers, County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington

The State of Washington to Robert Hilts, R. D. McEvers and L. W. Meyers, County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington and to each of you, defendants:

Whereas it manifestly appears to this court by the affidavit and petition of W. B. Vaux the plaintiff and the party having a beneficial interest herein, that Robert Hilts, R. D. McEvers, and L. W. Meyers, Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, as such commissioners, are wrongfully and unlawfully in session as a board of County Commissioners, and are thereby wrongfully and unlawfully sessioning to incur large and diverse sums and amounts of indebtedness against said Stevens County, and are sessioning unlawfully to construct, accept, and pay for a certain bridge over the Spokane River between Spokane and Stevens Counties, known as the Lapray Bridge, which said act of acceptance and payment for said bridge will incur large , useless and unauthorized expense and indebtedness against said county of Stevens, and it appearing that there is plain, speedy, and adequate remedy in the ordinary course of law.

Therefore, we do command you, that you, immediately after the service of this writ upon you and each of you, as County Commissioner, shall not construct, accept or pay for a certain bridge over the Spokane River, on a line between Spokane and Stevens Counties, in said State, and that you shall refrain further, as County Commissioners from transacting any business whatsoever in and for said county; and that you may show cause if any you have before this court, on the 17th day of January 1895 at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day why this order shall remain in full force and effect thereafter. Witness, the Honorable, Jesse Arthur, Judge of the Superior Court of the State of Washington, in and for the county of Stevens at the courthouse in the town of Colville, in said County of Stevens and the seal of said Superior Court this 12th day of January 1895.

Signed Fred S. Phillips, County Clerk and ex-officio clerk of the Superior Court of Stevens County, Washington.

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Stevens County holding terms at Colville, January session 1895, Saturday the 12th day of January 1895.

W. Vaux, Plaintiff, versus Robert Hilts, L. W. Meyers, R. D. McEvers, County Commissioners of Stevens County, Defendants.

This cause coming on to be heard upon petition of defendants to modify the order of prohibition made in this cause. It is hereby ordered that said writ of prohibition be and the same is modified to the extent only of allowing the defendants the power and authority to legally sit as a board of County Commissioners for the purpose of passing upon the official bond of the said Lavigne and all other official bonds that may come before it as a Board of County Commissioners, otherwise said order is continued in full force and effect.

Done in open court this 12th day of January 1895. Jesse Arthur, Judge

State of Washington, County of Stevens

J, L. F. Ledgerwood, County Clerk of Stevens County and the clerk of the Superior Court thereof do hereby certify the foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of the Original Order of the court in the above-entitled cause, that I have compared the same with the original, and it is a correct transcript thereof and of the whole thereof, on file and of record in my office.

Witness my hand and the Seal of said Court this $14^{\rm th}$ day of January 1895. L. F. Ledgerwood, Clerk

By Fred S. Phillips, Deputy Clerk

Bond approved

Joseph F. Lavigne, County Treasurer

E. D. Miner, Clerk

R. D. McEvers, Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

Superior Court of Washington for Stevens County.

Wm. B. Vaux, Plaintiff versus

Robert Hilts, R. D. McEvers, and L. W. Meyers, County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, Defendants

This cause coming on to be heard on motion of defendants to vacate order of Prohibition, and the court being advised. It is hereby ordered that said motion be and is sustained and leave given the plaintiff until ten o'clock Tuesday, January 15th 1895 to file Supersedeas Bond to stay the proceedings and if not so filed on or before said time the said proceedings be and are dismissed with judgement for costs for defendant, but in the

meantime, it is hereby ordered that the County Commissioners of Stevens County may meet and organize and perform all business that may hereafter come before them as a Board of County Commissioners excepting in all business with reference to the LaPray Bridge mentioned in the affidavit in this cause and to that extent the order heretofore issued is hereby modified. Done in open court this 14th day of January 1895. Jesse Arthur, Judge

State of Washington

County of Stevens

I. L. F. Ledgerwood, County Clerk of Stevens County, and Clerk of the Superior Court thereof, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of the original order of the court in the above-entitled cause. That I have compared the same with the original and it is a correct transcript thereof and of the whole thereof, on file and of record in my office.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 14^{th} day of January 1895. L. F. Ledgerwood, Clerk

By Fred S. Phillips, Deputy Clerk

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 71 and 72, 1/14/1895

Monday, January 14th, 1895

Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County met at the office of the County Auditor at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

Present

Robert Hilts	Commissioner 1 st District
L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District
Robert Fountain	Commissioner 3 rd District
J. S. McLean	Clerk

On motion of L. J. Wolfard and seconded by Robert Fountain, Robert Hilts was nominated for Chairman of the Board. Vote on the above being as follows.

Robert Fountain voting for Robert Hilts L. J. Wolfard voting for Robert Hilts Robert Hilts voting for L. J. Wolfard

{Robert Fountain homestead T34R44S30 both sides of the Pend Oreille River near where Tacoma Creek comes in} {Louis J. Wolfard was born in Ohio, lived in Whitman County in the 1880s, and dies in Walla Walla in 1914.}

Robert Hilts have received the highest number of votes is hereby declared elected as Chairman of this board.

The following bill allowed

R. D. McEvers	6 days as County Commissioner	\$30.00
	88 miles	\$8.80
	1 day looking after county charge	\$5.00
	Total	\$43.80

Ordered that J. S. McLean, County Auditor be and hereby is appointed as Purchasing Agent for the county at a salary of Fifty (5)) dollars per annum.

Adjourned to January 15th, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 72, 1/15/1895

Tuesday, January 15th 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present

Robert Hilts	Chairman
Robert Fountain	Commissioner
L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner
J. S. McLean	Clerk

Ordered that the County Auditor draw a warrant at the end of each month for \$14.00 to the order of S. Dilsheimer for rent of rooms for County Officers, rent to date from February 1st, 1895.

Adjourned to January 16th, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 72 & 73, 1/16/1895

Wednesday, January 16th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the County Auditor be and hereby is authorized to draw a warrant for \$200.00 in favor of the "Stevens County Immigration Bureau" to assist in the publication of a book descriptive of Stevens County, said warrant to be drawn when satisfactory evidence is shown that \$25.000 of said books have been published and on the approval of said book by the Board of County Commissioners.

The following bills allowed:

B. M. Ford & Co.	Board, Lodging & care of Riley	\$41.00
J. H. Moyle	Stationery	\$2.60
Irwin Hodson & Co	Blank Books	\$37.00
L. B. Reeder	Chairs & book case, Superintendent of Schools	\$6.25

Adjourned to January 17, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 73, 1/17/1895

Thursday, January 17th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Bill examined and allowed

L. W. Meyers	2 days inspecting bridge at Chewelah	\$10.00
	60 miles	\$6.00
	4 days as County Commissioner	\$20.00
	2 days inspecting bridge	\$10.00
	120 miles	\$12.00
	14 days commissioner meeting	\$1.40
	Total	\$59.40
J. L. Severson	Care & maintenance "Alex Miller"	\$63.00
Dr. M. R. Peck	Professional services Olson	\$10.00
	Professional service Riley	\$29.50
	Professional service Miller	\$12.00
	Total	\$51.00
Wm. Jared	2 days as Deputy Sheriff State versus Mascelah	\$5.00
John Nelson	1 days as Deputy Sheriff State versus Shea	\$2.50

Official Bond of Wm. E. Bush, Constable of Spring Valley precinct examined and approved. Adjourned to January 18, 1895 Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 73, 74, 75 & 76, 1/18/1895

Friday, January 18, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

In the matter of Petit Jury list for the ensuing year:

Ordered that the names of the following persons be certified to the Clerk of the Superior Court as qualified to sit as petit juror, to serve as petit jurors for the ensuing year.

R. S. Ledgerwood	John Hollandsworth	J. L. Pool
H. W. Sparks	Geo. Morris	C. H. Alban
E. R. Gray	Henry Weatherwax	C. F. Conrady
Bernard Lafleur	Gottlieb Fatzer	E. S. Dudrey
P. M. Hacking	Thos Smith	Ј. Н. Норе
G. W. Bryant	Louis Weatherwax	C. H. Prouty
A. Wilson	J. A. Kountz	E. Blackmore
A. G. Gokey	Wm. K. White	C. F. Murphy
E. F. Shannon	Jas. Ferguson	Henry Carr
F. M. Brown	Walter Hill	W. W. Stearns
W. B. Rice	Webster Gillingham	Alex A. Anderson
John Bachman	S. S. Markland	Perry Hovey
J. J. Budd	W. F. Scott	W. H. Wright
J. B. Hammer	A. V. Shepler	V. Lemery
D. W. Church	Wm. Boyd	Frank Habein
W. R. Pierce	Joe Roberson	J. B. Thomas
John Holford	F. M. Jarvis	C. W. Winter
W. W. Davis	G. Strobe	H. H. Hughson
H. H. Carl	M. Lawyer	D. T. C. Bird
J. C. Ward	Joseph Davis	A. A. Barnett
Jacob Singer	O. McLaughlin	J. J. Walters
H. T. Reyonds	R. W. Delamater	W. W. Sullivan
Wesley Gourley	W. C. Cusick	W. A. Ragsdale
Charles H. Kitchen	A. F. J. Spence	W. S. Cagle
Nathan Young	Geo. M. Broron	Frank Penfield
Peter Heber	H. S. Holcombe	G. B. Aubin
Loren T. Shaffer	Е. Карр	B. C. Brewington
R. E. Young	Frank Chipman	S. J. Dyer
S. Feiler Senior	Frank Wagner	W. S. Prindle
Louis Troger	J. H. Harshaw	N. C. Parker
Frank Eliot	Fred Rogers	C. C. [Storol?]
Con. Newbill	Ed Wayland	Theo McClure
Donald Campbell	Peter Rush	G. F. Whitmore
John Burdon		

In the matter of Grand Jury list for the ensuring year: Ordered that the names of the following named persons be certified to the Clerk of the Superior Court as qualified to set as Grand Jurors to serve as Grand Juror for the ensuring year.

J. P. Fogh	S. H. Cusick	Wm. Moorhead, Senior
Irs W. Beverly	John Brown	John Rickey
C. A. Ledgerwood	E. Davis	Wm. Day

Geo. F. Bottorff	R. P. Jared	A. N. Pettengill
J. W. Reynolds	H. W. Shelbourne	G. B. Ide
R. F. Higginbotham	John Delva	John Jones
C. H. Chamberlain	John Cottrell	R. G. McMillan
B. F. Shannon	Joseph Lapray	John Lesher
Uriah Eslick	D. C. Hull	Louis Scherfile
Geo. McCann	Thomas McDougal	Thomas Mullen
P. W. Kittrell	Geo. Brackett	Geo. Theis
A. H. Nettleton	John Ehorn	J. M. Mohney
Chas. J. Johnson	Walter E. Williams	E. D. Miner
J. S. Blair	J. N. Robers	C. H. Thomson
S. L. Magee	Geo. Kulzer	R. E. Lee
C. E. Potter	M. Barton	Edward Williams
J. L. Holford	Edgar Charles	L. D. Wilber
W. C. Starkey	C. K. Shellhamer	C. S. Boss
E. E. Smith	W. E. Reinoehl	A. J. Jackson
W. H. Jeffrey	C. A. Duffy	Adel Bishop
S. F. Starr	C. Lockhart	C. N. Collins
W. H. Spencer	J. W. Prewett	D. F. Croson
B. Gleason	J. N. Joy	A. T. Kendrick
T. R. Majors	E. O'hara	L. W. Meyers
Labe Garner	J. S. Long	W. B. Aris
H. C. Hughes	A. S. May	Wm. Graham
Grant Martin	R. J. Stephinson	George Wisner
James N. Allison	Geo. Rambo	John P. Todd
L. J. Poteet	J. D. Wooden	P. H. Grace
E. C. Thomas	Guy Haines	John Salvage
B. H. Newbill	E. D. Wooten	T. J. Patton
Henry Troger	Byron J. Scott	F. M. Davis
Lee Richarson	A. W. Miles	
E. C. Rider	J. B. Reynols	

In the matter of the application of Ogilvie & Smith for license for a ferry across the Columbia River at Northport, Washington.

Ordered that said license be and the same is hereby granted for the term of one year at an annual license tax of fifty (50) dollars provided that the rates of ferriage which may be lawfully demanded for the transportation of person and property, shall not exceed the following rates as follows to wit:

4 horse vehicle, loaded and driver	\$1.25
4 horse vehicle, unloaded and driver	\$1.00
2 horse vehicle, loaded and driver	\$1.00
2 horse vehicle, unloaded and driver	\$.75
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack horses loaded, each	\$.25
Pack horses, unloaded, some as loose horse and cattle	\$.25
Loose horses and cattle, in bands of more than 5 hear, each	\$.10
Loose horses and cattle in band of less than 4 head, per trip	\$.50
Sheep and hogs, in bands of ten or more, each	\$.05
Sheep and hogs, in bands of ten or less per trip	\$.50

Footmen, each	\$.25
Four horse stage, making regular trips & driver	\$1.00
Two horse stage, making regular trips & driver	\$.75
Provided that no single trip shall be required to be make for	\$.50
less than	
and provided further that before the County Auditor shall issue	
said license, the said Ogilvie & Smith shall first pay to the	
County Treasurer the sum of \$50.00 annual tax and file with the	
County Auditor, subject to his approval a good and sufficient	
bond in the sum of \$500.00 according to law	

Ordered, that the order made by the Board of County Commissioners February 14, 1893 in regard to drawing warrants for rent for offices for M. B. Grieve, L. B. Reeder and R. B. Thomas, as shown on page 434 of Book B of Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners, be and the same hereby is vacated and rescinded.

Resignation of F. H. Fish as Justice of the Peace in and for Colville Precinct, accepted.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the of office of the Justice of the Peace.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Justice of the Peace in and for Colville Precinct, and a petition having been presented to the board, signed by C. A. Mantz and 22 others recommending the appointment of M. W. Sullivan to fill such vacancy. Ordered that M. W. Sullivan be and hereby is appointed as Justice of the Peace in and for Colville Precinct.

Board adjourned to January 19, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 77, 1/19/1895
Saturday, January 19th, 1895
Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.
Board took up the matter of settlements of Road Supervisors account for the year 1894.
Adjourned to Tuesday, January 22nd, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 77 & 78, 1/22/1895

Tuesday, January 22nd, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present:

Robert Hilts	Chairman
Robert Fountain	Commissioner
L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner
J. S. McLean	Clerk

Official bonds examined and approved.

J. B. Thomas	County Surveyor	
John Jones	Supervisor Road District No. 32	
M. W. Sullivan	Justice of the Peace	

Bills examined and approved

S. D. Allen	Work on book case	\$4.00
L. B. Reeder	Office rent January 1 st to 14, 1895	\$1.50
J. W. Graham & Co.	Stationery	\$1.46
M. B. Grieve	Visiting schools District No. 43	\$3.00
M. B. Grieve	Office rent January 1 st to 14 th , 1895	\$1.75

Ordered that the County Treasurer transfer from the County Fund to the Poll Fund, the sum of \$300.00.

We the Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, do hereby sell and agree to deliver to Roberts Bros. either in New York, Chicago, or Spokane, \$45,000 legal gold bonds of the County of Stevens in the State of Washington, for which we are to receive cash \$45,000 which is par value thereof. Bond to be issued pursuant to an election held on or about the 6th day of July 1893, at which election there was voted \$65,000 in bonds, \$20,000 of which bonds have been sold to the State of Washington.

This is meant to cover the balance of said issue. In case the present lithograph bonds now in the hands of the County Commissioners shall be found in any way not to be satisfactory to Roberts Bros. in the issuance of this block of bonds, then said Roberts Bros, are to furnish sufficient bonds at their proper cost and expense.

Said bonds are to be dated April first, 1894, and shall bear 6% interest from the date thereof. Both principal and interest are to be payable in gold coin of the U. S. either in New York or Chicago.

Said County Commissioners, or the Auditor, of said county at their direction, shall furnish said Roberts Bros. at the earliest possible moment with full and detailed transcripts of all proceedings had in and about this issue of bonds. Upon the receipt of which said Roberts Bros. shall submit the same to their attorney, and after the same has been approved as being legal, said Robert Bros, shall then within a reasonable time, take up and pay for said block of bonds.

Dated at Spokane, Washington, on this 21st day of January, A. D. 1895

Robert Hilts, Chairman L. J. Wolfard, Robert Fountain Attest: J. S. McLean, County Auditor Roberts Bros.

Ordered: that the foregoing contract made by and between the Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County and Roberts Bros of Spokane on the 21st day of January 1895, be and the same hereby is ratified and approved by the Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County now in session in Colville, Stevens County, Washington this 22nd day of January 1895.

Board adjourned to January 23rd, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 79, 1/23/1895

Wednesday, January 23rd, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the Auditor draw warrant on Soldiers Relief Fund to the order of D. Wooley for \$9.46 as per order from Union Post #70 G. A. R.

Ordered that the order of the Board of County Commissioners made January 15, 1895 authorizing the County Auditor to draw warrant in favor of Stevens County Immigration Bureau to assist in publishing book description of Stevens Cunty, be and the same hereby is vacated, rescinded, and annulled for the reason the that board is advised by the County Attorney, that said order is contrary to the Constitution of the State of Washington.

Adjourned to January 24th, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 79, 80, & 81, 1/24/1895

Thursday, January 24th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the order made January 6, 1894 allowing Mrs. Gendrow \$1.00 per day for the care of Leander Blain and wife be and the same hereby is vacated and rescinded.

Ordered that the Auditor draw a warrant to the order of Mrs. Gendrow for \$10.00 for care of Leander Blain and wife from January 1st to January 10th inclusive. {Written on side in pencil "Rescinded on page 123}

Ordered that N. B. Parker, be allowed \$1.00 per day from and after January 11th, 1895 for the case and maintenance of Leander Blain & wife until further orders of the board, warrants for same to be drawn by the County Auditor on the first of each month.

The following resolution passed by full vote of the board.

A resolution authorizing William B. Aris, his associates, successors and assigns to erect, maintain and use poles and wires for telephone, telegraph, and such other electric appliances for the transmission of messages, as is not inconsistent with the laws of the State of Washington, governing the erection and maintenance of telegraph and telephone lines in this state.

Be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, State of Washington:

Section 1. - That William B. Aris, his associates and assigns, be and hereby granted the right to erect, maintain and use poles and wires for the conveying telegraph and telephone dispatches and for the transmission of messages, as is not inconsistent with the laws of the State of Washington governing the erection and maintenance of telegraph and telephone lines in this state, along, upon, over and across the public highways of said county, and to use the public highways of said county for such purposes for the full period of 25 years.

Section 2. – That the said William B. Aris, his associates, successors and assigns, in the exercise of the privilege and right hereinbefore granted shall erect the poles and stretch the wires in such manner as not to interfere with the free and unobstructed use of said public highways for travel.

Section 3. - it is especially proved that the wires shall not be stretched within the guard rail of any bridge, and no buildings or structures, excepting the stretching of wires and the erection of poles for their necessary support thereof, shall be erected or constructed upon any of the public highways of said county for the use of such telephones and telegraph lines.

Done in regular session this 24th day of January 1895.

The following bill examined.

S. D. Allen	Labor & material \$10.00 and allowed to	\$5.00
	the amount of	

Ordered, that the County Surveyor is hereby ordered to make tracings of the newly surveyed townships in this county and such blue prints as are required by the Assessor, Road Supervisors and School Superintendent, for the ensuring year and to bring the Road District and School District maps up to date, and that he be allowed therefor 25 cents each for blue prints and \$3.00 per diem for drafting work.

Bill of

F. Wolff	Meals for prisoners	\$30.48
Examined and allowed.		

Bills allowed

L. J. Wolfard	9 days as County Commissioner	\$45.00
Robert Hilts	15 days as County Commissioner	\$75.00
	110 miles	\$11.00
	Total	\$86.00
Robert Fountain	9 days as County Commissioner	\$45.00
	70 miles	\$7.00
	Total	\$52.00

Board adjourned to February 28th, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 81 & 82, 2/28/1895

Thursday, February 28th, 1895

Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present

Robert Hilts	Chairman 1 st District
L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District
Robert Fountain	Commissioner 3 rd District
J. S. McLean	Clerk

Ordered that hereafter any person desiring a Grocers License to sell lager beer only, shall first file a bond in the sum of two hundred (200) dollars conditioned that they keep an orderly house and not sell to minors, and pay into the County Treasurer the sum of \$35.00 taking the County Treasurer's receipts therefor, and upon presentation of such receipt the County Auditor shall issue such license, for the term of one year said license to designate the place at which said lager beer is to be sold, and shall not confer the right to sell at any other place in the county. (Pencil note on side: Vacated & rescinded January 13, 1896 - see Journal C page 152)

On petition of John Butler and 29 others the following Road District established with boundaries as follows to wit: Commencing at the Northeast Corner of Section 28 Township 33 Range 39. Thence south to the southeast corner of Section 16 Township 32 Range 39, thence west to the southwest corner of Section 16 Township 32 Range 38 thence north to the northwest corner of Section 28 Township 33 Range 38, thence east to the point of beginning, said Road District to be numbered 41. {Summit Valley area}

Ordered that S. F. Moomau be and hereby is appointed Road Supervisor of Road District No. 41.

Board adjourned to March 1st, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 81 & 82, 2/28/1895

Thursday, February 28th, 1895

Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present

Robert Hilts	Chairman 1 st District
L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District
Robert Fountain	Commissioner 3 rd District
J. S. McLean	Clerk

Ordered that hereafter any person desiring a Grocers License to sell lager bee only, shall first file a bond in the sum of two hundred (200) dollars, conditioned that they keep an orderly house and not sell to minors, and pay into the County Treasurer the sum of \$35.00, taking the County Treasurer's receipt therefor, and upon presentation of such receipt the County Auditor shall issue such license, for the term of one year said license to designate the place at which said lager beer is to be sold, and shall not confer the right to sell at any other place in the County. (Written in pencil on side: Vacated & rescinded January 13, 1896 - see Journal C page 152)

On petition of John Butler and 29 others the following Road District established with boundaries as follows, to wit: Commencing at the northeast corner of Section 28 Township 33 Range 39, thence South to the southeast corner of Section 16 Township 32 Range 39, thence west to the southwest corner of Section 16, Township 32 Range 38, thence north to the northwest corner of Section 28, Township 33 Range 38, thence east to the point of beginning. Said Road District to be numbered 41.

Ordered that S. F. Moomau be and hereby is appointed Road Supervisor of Road District No. 41.

Board Adjourned to March 1, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 82, 83, 84, 85 & 86, 3/1/1895

Friday, March 1st, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as yesterday.

It is hereby ordered that in the event of a suit being brought against D. F. Pankey, Assessor, to determine the question regarding the assessment of notes secured by mortgages, the county will pay all costs of said suit and will allow Mr. Pankey an attorneys fee of not more than twenty-five dollars, provided the said Pankey employs an attorney.

Official bonds examined and approved.

M. Walsh	Justice of the Peace	Spring Valley Precinct
R. J. Ogden	Justice of the Peace	White Lake Precinct
E. C. Sharp	Justice of the Peace	Fertile Valley Precinct
S. L. Brechbill	Constable	Spring Valley Precinct
James L. Severson	Constable	Colville Precinct
Frank Weatherwax	Constable	Thetis

Boundaries of the following Road District's defined as follows, to wit:

Road District No. 15, beginning at intersection of north line of Township 39 North with Idaho Line thence West to Pend Oreille River, thence South along East bank of said river to 9th Standard parallel, North thence East to Idaho line, thence North along Idaho line to point of beginning.

Road District No. 23

Beginning on Idaho line at intersection of 9th standard parallel, north thence East to Pend Oreille River thence South along East bank of said river to North line of Township 34 North, thence East to Idaho line, thence North along said line to point to beginning.

Road District No. 40

Beginning at intersection of Idaho line and the North line of Township 34 North, thence East to Pend Oreille River thence South along East bank Pend Oreille River to intersection with the Idaho line, thence North along said line to point of beginning.

Road District No. 28

Beginning on Idaho line where the south banks of Pend Oreille River intersects said line thence northwesterly along said river to intersection with the line between Ranges 44 & 45 East Willamette Meridian, thence South along said range line to Spokane County line, thence East along said county line to Idaho line, thence North, along the Idaho line to point of beginning.

Road District No. 27

Beginning where the line between Ranges 44 & 45 intersects the Spokane County line, thence North to South line of Township 32 North, thence West along said line to the line between Townships 41 & 42, thence South along said line to North line of Section 30 Township 31 Range 42 East Willamette Meridian, thence East along said lines 3 miles, thence South to point of intersection of line between Sections 33 & 34 with the Spokane County line thence East, along said line to point of beginning.

Road District No. 29

Beginning on west bank Pend Oreille River on the North line of Section 31 Township 33 North Range 44, thence West along said line to center line of Section 36 Township 33 North Range 43, thence South 1 ¼ miles, East ¼ mile, South ¼ miles, East ¼ miles, South ¼ mile, East ¼ mile, South ½ mile, East ½ mile, South to north bank Kalispell Lake, South along lake bank to West line, Section 13, South, along said line to southwest corner Section 24 East ½ mile, South to south line of Township 32 Range 32 at center line of Section 35, thence East along said township line to southeast corner Township 32 North Range 44 East thence North, along township line to Pend Oreille River, thence northerly along west bank of said Pend Oreille River to point of beginning.

Road District No. 30

Beginning on west bank of Pend Oreille River on the line between Section 30 and 31, West along said line to line between Townships 41 & 42 East Willamette Meridian, North along said line to line between Townships 35 & 36, North thence East along said line to west bank Pend Oreille River, thence South along said west bank to point of beginning.

Road District No. 42

Beginning at % section corner on north line of Section 36 Township 33 North Range 43 East Willamette Meridian, thence East to line between Ranges 41 & 42 East Willamette Meridian, thence South along said line to southwest corner Township 32 North Range 41 East, thence East along line between Townships 31 & 32 to % section corner on South line of Section 35 Township 32 Range 43 East, thence North along said line to % section corner on north line Section 26 same township & range, East % mile to corner Sections 23, 24, 25 & 26, thence North along section line to Lake Kalispell, thence North along lake bank to line between northwest % southwest % & northeast % southwest % Section 12 same township and range, thence North to center of northwest % Section 12 thence East to center northeast % same section, thence North % mile, West % mile, North % mile, West % mile, North % mile, East % mile, to center line of Section 1, thence North to % section corner, thence to north line Section 36, point of beginning.

It appearing to the board that vacancies exist in the office of Road Supervisor in the following Road District for the year of 1895, it is ordered that the following named person be and hereby are appointed to fill such vacancies, to wit:

James Prewitt	Road District No. 42	(In pencil) Calispell
S. S. Beggs	Road District No. 23	(in pencil) Newport
W. H. Williams	Road District No. 34	(in pencil) Harvey
R. J. Ogden	Road District No. 4	(in pencil) Colville
John P. Todd	Road District No. 39	(in pencil) Northport
[A?] G. McDonald	Road District No. 14	(in pencil) Bossburg
Geo. [?]white	Road District No. 40	(in pencil) Usk
B. H. Newbill	Road District No. 24	(in pencil) Fruitland

Road District No. 43, established with lines as follows: Starting on Tshimakain Creek in Township 28 Range 40 running due East on the section line between Sections 18 & 9 in said township to the northwest corner of Section 24, thence South to the northwest corner of Section 12 Township 27 Range 40, thence East to the Spokane River thence down said river to the mouth of the Tshimakain Creek, thence up said creek to the place of beginning.

Ordered that Daniel Hollandsworth be and hereby is appointed as Road Supervisor of Road District No. 43.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of one of the Justice of the Peace of Springdale Precinct. On petition of Charles Haines and others for the appointment of B. H. Taylor to fill said vacancy, it is ordered that B. H. Taylor be and hereby is appointed as Justice of the Peace in and for Springdale Precinct.

Formation of School District No. (blank) approved as follows, to wit: By changing lines of School District No. 15 as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 24 of Township 33 North Range 43 East Willamette Meridian, thence South to said township line to the southeast corner of Section 36 of Township 33 North of Range 43 East, thence West one half mile and thence north to the boundary line of old district, thence east to the place of beginning.

The following bills examined and allowed:

J. S. McLeanStamps etc.D. F. PankeyStamps etc.D. F. PankeyList of final entries	\$13.20 \$1.10
D. F. Pankey List of final entries	
	\$3.50
L. F. Ledgerwood Stamps etc.	\$3.15
C. A. Mantz Expenses as County Attorney	\$5.50
0. J. Smith Expenses as School Superintendent	\$6.45
J. B. Thomas Work as County Surveyor	\$82.25
F. S. Phillips Salary as Deputy County Clerk	\$75.00
Coroner's Cost bill, inquest on body of Geo. W. Meyers	
J. M. Mohney Juror and mileage	\$3.80
R. J. Townsend Juror and mileage	\$2.60
H. S. Brown Juror and mileage	\$2.60
Chas Pederson Juror and mileage	\$2.30
Wm. Brooks Juror and mileage	\$2.60
Thos Haller Juror and mileage	\$2.30
Jacob Gillett Watching body etc.	\$3.80
Jas. O. Gifford Coroner & mileage	\$17.00
Cost bill State versus Solomon	
B. H. Taylor Justice fees	\$3.20
S. Dilsheimer Rent of offices January 1895	\$5.00
F. Wolff Board of prisoners \$22	
Cost bill State versus Lizzie Hart from Justice of the Peace of Calispel	
Precinct rejected on the grounds of illegality	
Bills examined and allowed	
H. J. Brown Duplicate township plats	\$16.00
Bryant Brothers Bridge plank	\$19.22

Adjourned to March 2, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 86 & 87, 3/2/1895

Saturday, March 2, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Bills examined and allowed.

E. W. Scott	Posting election notices etc.	\$3.00
Jacob Scott	Carrying election returns	\$6.80
Colville Index	Job work County Attorney	\$10.75
Colville Index	Job work Superintendent of Schools	\$11.75
Colville Index	Job work Treasurer	\$15.75
Colville Index	Job work County Clerk	\$8.75
Colville Index	Job work County Clerk	\$32.50
Colville Index	Job work Auditor	\$8.00
Colville Index	Job work County Surveyor	\$4.50
Colville Index	Job work Sheriff	\$10.75
Colville Index	Job work Treasurer	\$2.75
Colville Index	Total for job work	\$105.50
Colville Index	Publication, Notice, Seals of weights &	\$.80
	measures	
Colville Index	Publication, call for warrants	\$3.37
Colville Index	Publication, School apportionment	\$4.75
Colville Index	Publication, call for warrants	\$4.50
Colville Index	Total	\$13.42
F. B. Goetter	Medicine for County Poor	\$10.95
G. W. Swift	Scrubbing courthouse	\$3.00
F. Wolff	Meals for county prisoners	\$15.36
L. Perras	Team and cutter, arrest of Shea	\$2.50
J. F. Lavigne	Stamps etc. Treasurer's Office	\$14.73
Chas Haines	Salary as Deputy Sheriff	\$25.00
Chas Haines	Expenses as Deputy Sheriff	\$28.00
A. V. Downs	Salary as Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
A. V. Downs	Expenses as Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
O. T. Smith	Salary as Deputy Sheriff	\$7.50
O. T. Smith	Expenses as Deputy Sheriff	\$6.50
F. E. Munson	Use of team	\$12.00
S. D. Allen	Salary as Deputy Sheriff	\$7.50
C. R. McMillan	Expenses as Sheriff	\$93.25
Irwin-Hodson Co.	Stationery Sheriff	\$5.20
Irwin-Hodson Co.	Stationery Auditor	\$22.50
Irwin-Hodson Co.	Stationery County Clerk	\$7.40
Irwin-Hodson Co.	Stationery Superintendent of Schools	\$2.55
Pioneer Bindery &	Mortgage Deed Record Book	\$17.50
Printing Co.		
Pioneer Bindery &	Township Plat Books	\$50.00
Printing Co.		
John Holm	Fixing tables Auditors office	\$2.50

Adjourned to March 4, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 87 & 88, 3/4/1895

Monday, March 4, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of March 2, 1895.

Bills examined and allowed

Frank Miller	Medical attendance & dress wounds	\$10.00
	Richard Myers (\$20) allowed	

Ordered, that the Auditor draw a warrant to the order of T. Evanson for \$14.00 for care of a. D. Boyer.

Ordered, that the compensation of Deputy Assessor for the year 1895, be place at three (3) dollars per day for each and every day so employed and that the County Auditor be and hereby is authorized to draw warrants for the payment of such deputies on the first Monday of each month, for the preceding month, on presentation of bills for such services duly certified by the County Assessor.

Ordered, that the County Treasurer remit the taxes, against F. L. Reinoehl, on \$175.00 as assessed against him on the Personal Roll of 1894, it appearing to the board that he should be allowed exemption and that same was not allowed by the Assessor. {Washington State Archives Cheney holds the 1894 Real Property Tax and Assessment Rolls EA333-4-0-2.}

Ordered, that Sections 35 & 36 Township 35 North of Range 37 East Willamette Meridian, be and hereby are transferred from Road District No. 34 to Road District No. 16.

Ordered, that the County Treasurer remit the taxes on \$1000.00 improvements assessed on the Real Estate roll of 1894, on the North 13 of Block 13, Town of Loon Lake, being an error in said assessment, the same improvements being assessed on Block 12, Loon Lake, on the Treasurer's Supplemental Roll of 1894.

Bills examined and allowed

J. J. Travis	Medical Attendance Pettier & Peone	\$4.50
	County Charges	
Pioneer Bindery & Printing Co.	Road Poll receipts books	\$20.00

Adjourned to March 5, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 88 & 89, 3/5/1895

Tuesday, March 5, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that a retail liquor license for one saloon at the Cleveland Mine be issued to Haines and Gillingham on the following conditions, to wit: That the said Haines and Gillingham shall pay into the County Treasurer the sum of \$300.00 and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$1,000.00 conditioned according to law, to be approved by the County Auditor.

Bills examined and allowed.

B. M. Ford & Co.	Board and Lodging (French & wife) 18	\$18.00
	days	
T. C. Green	Medicine and nursing A. D. Boyer	\$25.00
M. R. Peck, M. D.	Professional services rendered, county charges	\$62.00

Ordered, that the Treasurer transfer \$200.00 from the General County Fund to the Poll Fund.

Board adjourned to March 6, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 89 & 90, 3/6/1895

Wednesday, March 6, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered, that the Treasurer refund to Joseph Lapray the sum of \$1.00 from taxes paid by him on Tax Roll of 1894, on account of error in footing on roll.

Bills examined and allowed

C. R. McMillan	Team Hire	\$60.25
C. R. McMillan	Sheriff's expense bill	\$8.75
Albert Dingle	Deputy Sheriff 3 days	\$7.50
Albert Dingle	Expense Deputy Sheriff	\$4.15
James L. Severson	Care and maintenance A. Miller, January 19 to February 16, 1895, 28 days	\$28.00

Ordered that from and after March 1, 1895 the County Auditor be and hereby is authorized to draw a warrant on the first of each month to the order of Mrs. J. L. Hatch for \$25.00 for care of Mrs. Saunders and daughter, instead of \$15.00 as heretofore ordered.

Ordered that the County Surveyor be allowed the sum of \$4.00 per month for office rent commencing January 1st, 1895 and that the County Auditor be and hereby is authorized to draw warrant for same on the first of each month for the month preceding.

Bills examined and allowed

Shaffer & Trumbull	Bedding for Farnsworth	\$10.00
Thomas Graham	Salary as Deputy Sheriff	\$10.00
Thomas Graham	Expense as Deputy Sheriff	\$2.75

Ordered that the County Auditor advertise for the care and maintenance of the county poor, said bids to be opened April 2, 1895 at 1 o'clock p.m.

Bills allowed

Robert Hilts	6 days services as County Commissioner	\$30.00
	Mileage 5 miles	\$5.00
	Total	\$35.00
Robert Fountain	6 days as County Commissioner	\$30.00
	80 miles	\$8.00
	1 day as County Commissioner	\$5.00
	investigating County Commissioner	
	Total	\$43.00
L. J. Wolfard	6 days as County Commissioner	\$30.00

Board adjourned sine die.

Approved Robert Hilts, Chairman

Attest J. S. McLean, Clerk

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 91, 4/1/1895

Colville, Washington

Monday, April 1st, 1895

Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County Washington met in regular quarterly session.

Present:

Robert Hilts	Chairman 1 st District
L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District
Robert Fountain	Commissioner 3 rd District
J. S. McLean	Clerk

Official bonds examined and approved

B. H. Taylor	Justice of the Peace Springdale Precinct
Carroll Morgan	Justice of the Peace Springdale Precinct

In the matter of the appeal from the decision of the School Superintendent changing the lines of School District Nos. 60 and 68. The time for hearing said appeal set for Friday, April 6, 1895 at 10 o'clock a.m.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Constable for Little Dalles Precinct and a petition having been presented to the board signed by Joe Klass and 13 others praying for the appointment of A. V. Downs to fill said vacancy:

Ordered that A. V. Downs be and hereby is appointed as Constable in and for Little Dalles Precinct.

The following bill examined and allowed

Board adjourned to Tuesday, April 2, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 91 & 92, 4/2/1895

Tuesday, April 2nd, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the Auditor draw a warrant on the Road & Bridge Fund in form of V. A. Gates, for \$17.50, on order from Bayley, Cunningham & Mathews, contractors, in payment of the balance due on construction of Lapray Bridge.

Ordered that the Auditor draw a warrant on the Road & Bridge Fund for \$20.00 in favor of V. A. Gates in payment of bill for watching Lapray Bridge.

Board proceeded to open the bids for care of the County Poor, pursuant to advertisement and the following bid, presented and opened. Viz:

W. J. St. Clair	\$20.00 per month
J. C. Wright	\$4.00 per week
N. C. Parker	\$13.00 per month
W. H. Graham	\$15.00 per month

and matter taken under advisement

Ordered that the County Auditor be and hereby is authorized to issue a Retail Liquor License in the name of Bert Ring to conduct business in the Town of Northport for the unexpired term of the license issued November 24, 1894 to Ring and Keldie of Boundary. License to be issued when said Bert Ring has filed with the auditor subject to his approval, a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$1,000.00 conditioned according to law.

Board adjourned to April 3rd, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 92 & 93, 4/3/1895

Wednesday, April 3rd, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the County Treasurer refund to Thomas Haller the sum of \$23.86 over charge in his taxes for the year 1894 on account of error in special school tax.

In the matter of petition of S. L. Brechbill and 33 others for a county road; it appearing to the board that the right of way for said proposed road is dedicated by the petitioners to the county and that the said petitioners will furnish viewers and chainmen without cost to the county; the County Surveyor is hereby ordered to survey the same.

In the matter of petition of E. J. Laurence and 21 others for a county road beginning at 13 mile post on Summit Road and intersecting the Locke Road at 8 miles stake, it appearing to the board that the right of way for said proposed road is dedicated to the county and that said petitioners will furnish viewers, chainmen, axe men, etc. necessary for the view and survey of said road as required by the County Surveyor, ordered that the County Surveyor be and hereby is instructed to survey said road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 321, Lawrence Road, #745}

Ordered that the County Auditor draw warrants on the Soldier's Relief Fund as follows.

D. Wooley	Union Post No. 70 G. A. R.	\$.54
Petter Immel	Union Post No. 70 G. A. R.	\$10.00
Shaffer & Trumbull	For relief of R. D. McEvers, Wallace Post No.	\$30.00
	64 G. A. R.	

as per orders of the relief committees of said posts.

Board adjourned to April 4, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 93, 94, & 95, 4/4/1895

Thursday, April 4th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the Treasurer refund to Mrs. Hannah Crook the sum of \$11.85 said amount having been paid on the wrong property on the Roll of 1894, as shown by tax receipt NO. 1761 and that said receipt be cancelled and the Treasurer be given credit for same in the various funds.

Ordered that the Treasurer refund to w. C. Gray, the sum of \$5.68 taxes on the Roll of 1894, paid by mistake on southwest ½ Section 1 Township 30 North Range 40 E. W. M. and that said payment be canceled on the rolls and that the Treasurer be given credit for said amount in the various funds.

Ordered that the Treasurer remit the sum of 29 cents taxed against Jem. Owens on the Personal Property roll of 1894 as Special Schools Tax, the same having been charged through error.

In the matter of the division of School District No. 15. It appearing to the board that an error was made in the division as ratified by the board on March 1, 1895. It is hereby ordered that the order making such division be and the same is hereby rescinded and set aside and the division made as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 24 Township 33 Range 43, running thence South on said Township line to the southeast corner of the Section 36 Township line to the southeast corner of the Section 36 Township Range 43, thence West ½ mile and thence south on the ¼ section line to the south boundary of said district.

It appearing to the board that errors were made in defining the lines of Road Districts Nos 23, 27 and 28 in the order made March 1, 1895, so much of said order as applies to said Road Districts is hereby vacated and set aside and the boundaries of said districts are defined as follows, to wit:

Road District No. 23

Beginning at the southeast corner of Stevens County on the Idaho line and running west on County line to the southeast corner of Section 36 Township 30 Range 48, thence North six miles to the southeast corner of Section 36 Township 31 Range 43, thence East six miles to the southeast corner of Section 36 Township 31 Range 44, thence North three miles to the southeast corner of Section 13 Township 31 Range 44, thence East to the Idaho line, thence South 9 miles to place of beginning.

Road District No. 27

Beginning on the line between Spokane and Stevens Counties at the southeast corner of Section 36 Township 30 Range 43 and running West 9 miles to the southeast corner of Section 33 Township 30 Range 42, thence North 8 miles, thence west 3 miles, thence North 4 miles, thence East 15 miles to the southeast corner of Section 33 Township 32 Range 44, thence South 6 miles to the southeast corner of Section 33, Township 31 Range 44, thence West 3 miles to the southeast corner of Section 36 Range 44, thence West 3 miles to the southeast corner of Section 36 Range 43, thence South 6 miles to place of beginning.

Road District No. 28

July 4, 2021

Beginning at a point on the line between Stevens County and State of Idaho, 9 miles North of the southeast corner of Stevens County and running West to the southeast corner of Section 13 Township 31 Range 44, thence South 3 miles to the southeast corner of Section 36 Township 31 Range 44, thence West 3 miles to the southeast corner of Section 33 Township 31 Range 44, thence North 6 miles to the southeast corner of Section 33 Township 32 Range 44, thence East 3 miles to the southeast corner of Section 36 Township 32 Range 44, thence East 3 miles to the southeast corner of Section 36 Township 32 Range 44, thence East 3 miles to the southeast corner of Section 36 Township 32 Range 44, thence East 3 miles to the southeast corner of Section 36 Township 32 Range 44, thence North to the Pend Oreille River, thence up the south bank of the Pend Oreille River to the Idaho line, thence South to place of beginning

In the matter of settlement with the County Treasurer.

Ordered that the County Treasurer be given credit in the various funds for the following amounts, as per redeemed warrants and vouchers presented to the board to wit:

State General Fund		\$670.48
State Military Fund		\$40.71
State Interest Fund		0.00
County General Fund		\$60.00
County Road & Bridge Fund	Principal \$65.57	
	Interest on " .08	\$65.65
County Poll Fund		\$372.98
County Soldier's Relief Fund		\$9.46
County Current Expenses Fund		\$4.00
County Salary Fund	Principal \$2166.88	
	Interest \$2.40	\$2169.28
Town of Kettle Falls		\$129.40
Town of Colville		\$143.43
County Special School Fund	Principal \$5494.00	
	Interest \$225.94	\$5719.94
County General School Fund	Principal \$1757.30	
	Interest \$185.24	\$1942.54
County Road Property Fund		\$127.73
	Total	\$11,457.60

Board adjourned to April 5, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 96, 4/5/1895

Friday, April 5th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the appeal of Orin Coates from the decision of the Superintendent of Schools, in changing the line of School District Nos. 60 and 68: it appearing to the bound that said appellant has not perfected his appeal within the time prescribed by statute, it is ordered that said appeal be and the same hereby is dismissed.

In the matter of the settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed the following amounts due in the various funds.

County School Fund	\$2960.07
County Poll Fund	\$132.97
State General Fund	\$1453.60
State Military Fund	\$90.27
State Interest Fund	\$22.61
County Special School Fund	\$4342.45
County Penalty & Interest Fund	\$66.21
County Road Property Fund	\$1225.47
County Road & Bridge Fund	\$1095.35
County General Fund	\$65.65
County Soldier's Relief Fund	\$87.40
County State Cost Fund	\$1005.80
County Current Expenses Fund	\$\$43.00
Town of Colville	\$44.66
Town of Kettle Falls	\$64.43
Total	\$13288.88

and the Treasurer showed credits in the Bond of Colville and other credits covering above amount.

Board adjourned to Saturday, April 6th, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 96, 97, 98, & 99, 4/6/1895

Saturday, April 6th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

It appearing to the board that Road District No. 35 is composed of the property included in the corporate limits of the Town of Kettle Falls and there remains to the credit of said Road District and upon time to time accrue to the credit of said district on the books of the County Treasurer, certain monies, derived from collections from the tax rolls previous to 1893. Ordered that the County Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to pay over said monies now on hand and from time to time as they accrue to the proper authorities of said Town of Kettle Falls on the presentation of the proper orders.

The legislature having passed an emergency law with the reference to the grand and petit jury lists and the drawing thereof: Now, therefore the grand and petit jury lists drawn by the board on January 18, 1895, are hereby vacated and set aside and the following list of three hundred names of persons qualified to act as jurors who are householders in Stevens County, Washington, is hereby drawn by the Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County to serve as grand and petit jurors for the ensuring year.

Wm. Graham	E. S. McCloud	R. J. Ogden	
George Wisner	James Durkin	John Acorn	
John P. Todd	Court Losie	J. A. Crosby	
P. H. Grace	W. A. Jones	John H. Bugh	
John Salvage	James Crawford	Charles R. Hays	
T. J. Patton	Osner Hall	George Salvage	
F. M. Davis	James E. Pickrell	James Allen	
Thos. Smith	Henry Earnest	C. E. Brooks	
Wm. K. White	Thomas Heller	Chas. H. Alban	
A. W. Miles	John Holm	J. B. Reynolds	
N. B. Fry	Edward Gibson	G. F. Whitmore	
Louis Perras	Fred Phillips	Theo. McClure	
Adam Arnold	F. M. Corbett	C. C. Stowe	
F. B. Goetter	Orin Coates	J. L. Pool	
John E. Morrow	D. L. McIver	C. F. Conrady	
George Stenger	P. W. McCabe	E. S. Dudrey	
Isaac Steadman	W. H. Oakes	C. S. Prouty	
Wm. Miller	A. McColeman	E. Blackmore	
W. R. Skelton	John Keough	Henry Carr	
J. A. Hearn	J. W. Struple	Alex A. Anderson	
W. H. Wright	R. T. Higginbotham	Wesley Gourley	
W. Lemery	C. H. Chamberlain	Chas. H. Kitchen	
Frank Habein	B. F. Shannon	Nathan Young	
J. B. Thomas	Uriah Eslick	Peter Heber	
C. W. Winter	Geo. McCann	Lorn T. Shaffer	
A. H. Hughson	P. W. Kittrell	R. E. Young	
D. T. C. Bird	A. H. Nettleton	S. Feeler, Senior	
J. J. Walters	Chas. J. Johnson	Con Newbill	
M. W. Sullivan	J. S. Blair	Antoine Price	
W. S. Sagle	S. L. Magee	W. H. Bennett	
G. B. Aubin	C. E. Potter	P. J. Lang	
S. J. Dyer	J. L. Holford	Werner Neumann	

W. S. Prindle	W. C. Stankey	Libe Alison
N. C. Parker	E. E. Smith	George Young
Wm. Moorhead Senior	S. F. Starr	G. E. Cornwall
John Rickey	W. H. Jeffrey	David Moore
Wm. Day	W. H. Spencer	Steven Burgess
A. N, Pettengill	B. Gleason	Henry Clark
G. B. Ide	F. A. Majors	Frank Mitchel
John Jones	Labe Graner	M. D. Ettinger
R. G. McMillan	H. C. Hughes	John Mage
John Lesher	Grant Martin	Paul Nelson
Louis Schiefele	James N. Allison	W. H. Lewis
Thomas Mullen	L. J. Poteet	W. H. Maxwell
Geo. Theis	E. C. Thomas	C. H. Miller
J. M. Mohney	B. H. Newbill	E. O. Snodgrass
E. D. Miner	Henry Troger	E. J. Kelley
C. H. Thomson	Lee Richardson	Geo. Harvey
R. E. Lee	R. S. Ledgerwood	E. P. Botts
Edward Williams	H. W. Sparks	A. C. Thorpe
L. D. Wilber	E. R. Gray	C. H. Summers
C. S. Boss	Bernard Lafleur	H. L. Childs
A. J. Jackson	G. W. Bryant	S. K. Owens
	A. Wilkes	
Adel Bishop C. N. Collins		W. J. Stambaugh
	E. F. Shannon	John A. Barry J. M. Buchner
D. T. Crown	F. M. Brown	
A. T. Kendrick	W. B. Rice	W. R. Noteware
L. W. Meyers	John Bachman	Alonzo Moe
W. B. Aris	J. J. Budd	G. D. Hendrick
Geo. W. Seal	D. W. Church	John J. Alyea
J. P. Fogh	W. R. Pierce	William Duncan
Ira W. Beverly	John Holford	Wilbur Hunter
C. A. Ledgerwood	H. H. Carl	W. H. Latta
Geo. F. Bottorff	Jacob Singer	John Dynes
J. W. Reynolds	H. T. Reynolds	A. G. Spaulding
P. V. Brooks	Samuel Denn	Fred Kelting
S. N. Bodge	A. L. Root	C. F. Rigg
Frank Donley	D. C. Elley	J. D. Barnes
Chris Englhard	J. Nett	R. D. McEvers
Arthur Kin	T. Jones	Ralph Damp
T. F. Hertzell	N. Powers	S. M. Dunlap
A. Brown	F. W. Dickey	David Lattin
N. M. Lounsbury	C. Lockhart Jr.	Orin Belknap
A. Van Slyke	Wm. Richmond	E. B. Townsend
J. M. Smith	T. McCarty	Thos. Dawson
Elisha Tarble	W. G. Williams	G. W. Bynes
E. A. Kyes	Ed McCray	Paul E. Atkins
J. A. Sutton	F. Hoffmeister	L. L. Jones
John Dedrick	T. Tait	L. H. Stone
C. T. Rigg	M. Nett	J. D. Walter
N. Blawer	P. Tetro	Bryon J. Scott
A. Keiling	N. Dupris	Walter E. Strong
T. M. Smith	Wm. Smith	R. S. Irish

G. A. Mowatt	T. Reardon	E. M. Hodgson
D. L. Ludwig	W. H. Lewis	G. W. Craig
T. P. Barber	J. E. Tupper	Ed Wayland
W. B. Smith	H. Carter	Frank Wagner
M. Fitzgerald	S. H. Champ	F. M. Jarvis
Chas. Regenary	T. Jenkins	Jos. Robinson
J. Rafters	D. F. Taylor	Wm. Boyd
J. R. Jewell	E. Davis	A. V. Shepler
C. E. Ross	Henry Renshaw	W. F. Scott
H. J. Hooker	Henry Bauer	Walter Hill
D. E. Bands	Harvey Renshaw	Lou Weatherwax
E. G. Thomason	Jas. Penney	R. J. Stephenson
T. J. Turd	Leroy Dudley	E. C. Casberg
H. Burbank	Andrew Hesner	Levi Cross
A. Potter	Emile Materne	Edgar Charles
W. R. Ward	H. Knutsen	Alfred Young
V. N. Lucas	J. C. Danton	Mark P. Shaffer

Adjourned to Monday, April 8, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 99, & 100, 4/8/1895

Monday, April 8th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of Saturday, April 6, 1895

Bills examined and allowed

D. F. Pankey	Stamps and expenses	\$10.35
R. M. Thomas	R. R. Fare, Mrs. Saunders & daughter, county	\$89.95
	charge	
Otis J. Smith	Cash paid out for stamps	\$4.75
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and warrants ordered drawn on Poll Fund in payment for same.

Ordered that the agreement made and entered into at Spokane on the 6th day of April 1895 by and between the Board of County Commissioners of Stevens and Lincoln Counties in regard to building a wagon bridge on the reservation road in Stevens County and near Detillion's place in Lincoln County, be and the same hereby is ratified and approved by the County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington now in session in Colville, Stevens County, Washington this 8th day of April 1895.

Board adjourned to April 9, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 100, 4/9/1895

Tuesday, April 9, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Board adjourned to April 10, 1895 and spent the day in viewing and investigating the matter of road and bridge in Road District No. 33.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 100, 101, & 102, 4/10/1895 (pages included in file StvCoCommMin18950409)

Wednesday, April 10, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Road Supervisor of Road District No. 10, on account of W. D. Allen, Supervisor-elect having failed to qualify and petition having been presented to the board praying for the appointment of W. J. Johnson to fill said vacancy. Ordered that W. J. Johnson be and hereby is appointed Road Supervisor in and for said Road District No. 10 to fill said unexpired term.

Official Bond of A. V. Downs as Constable of Little Dalles Precinct, approved.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of one of the Justice of the Peace in and for Colville Precinct, and a petition having been presented to the board signed by J. H. Young and 23 others praying for the appointment of Frank W. Bewley to fill said vacancy. Ordered that Frank W. Bewley be and hereby is appointed Justice of the Peace in and for Colville Precinct to fill said unexpired term.

In the matter of the following road petitions, to wit: "Change in Rickey Road" "Cleveland Mine Road" "Jacob Thoni Road" It is hereby ordered that when the County Surveyor shall receive notice that the

necessary help for the survey of said roads will be furnished by those interested in the roads and that the rights of way will be dedicated without charge to the county, he shall proceed to survey and lay out said roads and make returns of said surveys to this board. Official Bond of Frank W. Bewley as Justice of the Peace in and for Colville Precinct approved.

Ordered that the order of the Board of County Commissioners made May 14, 1894, as shown on Commissioners Journal "C" page 21, as follows to wit:

"Ordered that all warrants be hereafter issued on the Current Expense bond Fund unless Otherwise specified" be and the same hereby is rescinded, vacated, and set aside.

C. M. Durlan	3 days Teachers Examination and mileage	\$13.20
Irwin Hodson Co.	Stationery, Clerk's office	\$36.50
Irwin Hodson Co.	Stationery Treasurers and Auditor	\$101.50
F. Wolff	Meals for County Prisoners	\$11.52
S. J. Dyer	<pre>2 bbls of lime {Barrels of lime}</pre>	\$2.00
	State versus Flugel Justice Court Cost bill	
M. M. Sullivan	Justice fees	\$4.50
Wm. Pohle	Witness fees & mileage	\$4.40
H. J. Earnest	Witness fees & mileage	\$2.20
J. B. Slater	Witness fees & mileage	\$2.20
M. R. Peck	Witness fees & mileage	\$2.20
A. Houston	Witness fees & mileage	\$2.40
M. Oppenheimer	Witness fees & mileage	\$2.20
J. Money	Witness fees & mileage	\$3.40

Bills examined and allowed

Mrs. J. Money	Witness fees & mileage	\$3.40
C. Ricard	Witness fees & mileage	\$3.40
J. Stevens	Witness fees & mileage	\$2.20
F. Carter	Witness fees & mileage	\$2.40
John Pohle	Witness fees & mileage	\$9.60
J. L. Severson	Constable fees & mileage	\$9.05
F. Habein	Team and hack (3 ½ days (Sheriff)	\$12.25
Pioneer Bindery &	Stationery	\$3.60
Printing Co.		
F. Wolff	Meals for County Prisoners	\$7.68
Gill & Truax	Livery rig (Sheriff)	\$3.00
B. M. Ford & Co.	Board & lodging French & wife	\$31.00
James E. Pickrell	Teachers examiner 3 days	\$12.00
C. F. Mathers	Merchandise for A. D. Boyer	\$11.25
H. Chapel	Care of A. D. Boyer 42 days	\$52.50
	Total	\$351.53

Adjourned to April 11, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 102, 103, & 104, 4/11/1895

Thursday, April 11, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Bills examined and allowed

O. J. Smith	Visiting schools and mileage	\$140.30
J. M. Stevens	Hauling	\$1.25
Colville Index	Job work Surveyor	\$2.75
Colville Index	Job work Assessor	\$5.75
Colville Index	Job work Auditor	\$9.00
Colville Index	Job work Treasurer	\$2.00
Colville Index	Job work County Clerk	\$2.50
Colville Index	Job work County Clerk	\$43.00
Colville Index	Publications Treasurer	\$3.70
Colville Index	Publications School Superintendent	\$1.20
Dr. M. R. Peck	Medical Attendance French & Cummings	\$110.00
Dr. B. L. Brigham	Medical Attendance Cummings	\$25.00
J. B. Thomas	Maps and blue prints	\$19.25
C. R. McMillan	Horse & cart hire (Sheriff)	\$23.50
W. Jared	Saddle horse (Deputy Sheriff)	\$2.50
W. H. Harris	Saddle horse (Deputy Sheriff)	\$2.50
Chas Haines	Saddle horse (Deputy Sheriff)	\$3.00
J. H. Lamb	Saddle horse (Deputy Sheriff)	\$13.50
J. B. Thomas	Road District Maps & blue prints	\$2.00

	Salary Bills examined and allowed	
W. Jared	3 days as Deputy Sheriff	\$7.50
W. H. Harris	2 days as Deputy Sheriff	\$5.00
Merton Jesseph	7 days as Deputy Sheriff	\$17.50
John Nelson	1 day as Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
Chas Haines	9 days as Deputy Sheriff	\$22.50
J. H. Lamb	9 days as Deputy Sheriff	\$22.50

Bills examined and allowed and warrants ordered drawn on Poll Fund in payment of same.

C. R. McMillan	Sheriff's expense bill	\$8.53
C. R. McMillan	Sheriff's expense bill	\$20.55
J. H. Lamb	Deputy Sheriff expense bill	\$8.00
Chas Haines	Deputy Sheriff expense bill	\$8.85
J. S. McLean	Copies of laws	\$8.00
L. F. Ledgerwood	Postage & P. O. Box rent	\$1.85
C. A. Mantz	Copy of Jury Law & Telegram	\$4.10
D. F. Pankey	Postage	\$3.00
J. S. McLean	Postage, expense charges etc.	\$5.35

Ordered that the Treasurer transfer from the Penalty Interest & Cost Fund to the Poll Fund the sum of \$66.21.

Ordered that Eber C. Smith be granted a license to operate a steam ferry on the Columbia River at Northport for one year on the following conditions to wit: That he shall pay into the County Treasury the sum of \$100.00 and file a good and sufficient bond to be approved by the County Auditor, and show to the satisfaction of said Auditor that he has secured the necessary rights for his landing.

Bills allowed

Robert Hilts	Services as County Commissioner 10 days	\$50.00
	Mileage 100	\$10.00
	Mileage inspecting Rickey Road 20 miles	\$2.00
	Total	\$62.00
L. J. Wolfard	Services as County Commissioner 10 days	\$50.00
	Mileage inspecting Rickey Road 20 miles	\$2.00
	Total	\$52.00
R. Fountain	10 days as County Commissioner	\$50.00
	20 miles inspecting roads	\$2.00
	80 miles to and from county seat	\$8.00
	Total	\$60.00

Board adjourned to May 6th, 1895.

{Washington State Digital Archives lists Department of Licensing, Business and Professions Division, Physician Applications and Registers, 1872-1946 - Ar240-6-Register - M. R. Peck, and B. L. Brigham.} Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 105, 5/6/1895

Monday, May 6th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present:

Robert Hilts	Chairman 1 st District	
L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District	
Robert Fountain	Commissioner 3 rd District	
J. S. McLean	Clerk	

Pursuant to advertisement, at 3 o'clock P. M. the board proceeded to open bids for County Printing and the following bids opened and read. Viz:

J. R. Hall & Co.	Kettle Falls Pioneer
Jno. Jas. Graves	Colville Index
Eber C. Smith Stevens County Standard	
W. P. Hughes	Northport Weekly News

and the matter of awarding contract taken under consideration.

It appearing to the board that there is a vacancy in the office of Justice of the Peace for Diamond Lake Precinct and a petition having been presented to the board signed to John F. Rogers and 13 others, residents of said district for the appointment of Geo. D. Coulthard to fill said vacancy. Ordered that Geo. D. Coulthard be and hereby is appointed Justice of the Peace in and for Diamond Lake Precinct.

Board adjourned to May 7, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 105, 106, & 107 5/7/1895

Tuesday, May 7, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

It appearing to the board that errors were made in the Tax Rolls of 1894 in placing property in Road District No. 37 in other districts. Ordered that the Treasurer correct said errors and place the Road Property Tax now collected or to be collected on said property to the credit of road District No. 37 and where any such tax has been credited to any other district, that the same be transferred to the credit of said Road District No. 37.

It appearing to the board the Road District No. 43 was cut off from Road District No. 11 since the Tax Roll of 1894 was made up: Ordered that the Treasurer transfer from Road District No. 11 to Road District No. 43 any and all Road District Property Tax collected from the Rolls of 1894 on any property now included in the boundaries of Road District No. 43 and in future place to the credit of Road District No. 43 any Road Property Tax collected from the Roll of 1894 on any property included in the boundaries of Road District No. 43 any Road Property Tax collected from the Roll of 1894 on any property included in the boundaries of Road District No. 43.

In the matter of the petition of R. J. Townsend and 11 others for a County Road commencing at the 12-mile bridge in Section 35 Township 34 Range 39 and terminating at Colville and Addy Road in Section 26 and petition of F. A. Kent and others for a county road commencing at or near the eleven mile post on the Newport and Diamond Lake Road and terminating at the 8 mile post on the Calispel Road near Rocky Ford. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 322, Townsend Road, #322} & {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 326, Townsend Road, #322} & {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 330, Kent Road, #656}

Ordered that when the County Surveyor shall receive notice that the necessary help for the survey of said roads will be furnished by those interest in said roads, and that the rights of way will be dedicated without charge or expense to the county, he shall proceed to survey and lay out said roads and make returns of said surveys to this board.

In the matter of the petition of Frank Corte and 21 others for a county road beginning at a point about one half mile south of the cable ferry landing opposite Kettle Falls on the Colville Indian Reservation and terminating at the junction with the state wagon road. Ordered that when the County Surveyor shall receive notice that the necessary help for the survey of said will be furnished by those interested in said road without charge or expense to the county, he shall proceed to survey and lay out said road and make a map of definite location of said road as viewed, surveyed and laid out to be transmitted to the Office of Indian Affairs. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 324, Corte Road, #536}

Plat of First Addition to Clayton approved.

Resignation of C. M. Brown as Road Supervisor of Road District No. 17 accepted.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exits in the office of Road Supervisor of Road District No. 17 owing to the resignation of C. M. Brown. Ordered S. K. Owen be and hereby is appointed Supervisor of Road District No. 17 to fill said vacancy.

Board adjourned to May 8, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 107 & 108 5/8/1895

Wednesday, May 8th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the County Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to pay to the proper authorities of the Town of Colville on presentation of the proper orders any and all moneys now to the credit of Road District No. 25 and from time to time as they accrue; said Road District No. 25, being composed of the property included in the corporate limits of the Town of Colville.

It is hereby ordered that the County Attorney be and hereby is instructed to investigate the matter of the shortage of John Rickey as Treasurer and if necessary, bring suit against Mr. Rickey and his bondsmen to collect the same. And, it is further ordered that the said attorney investigate the title to the courthouse and other county property and he is hereby authorized to bring suit to clear the title to same if he deems it necessary so to do.

Board adjourned to May 9, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 108, 109, 110, & 111, 5/9/1895

Thursday, May 9th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the following amounts be paid to the following Ex-Road Supervisors out of the Road Property funds now to the credit of the respective road Districts.

Theo McClure	Road District No. 2	\$7.95
Peter Rush	Road District No. 3	\$6.00
R. J. Townsend	Road District No. 5	\$25.00
John Salvage	Road District No. 6	\$26.00
M. Fitzgerald	Road District No. 7	\$35.00
Frank Weatherwax	Road District No. 8	\$26.00
T. D. McDonald	Road District No. 9	\$24.00
F. I. Phelps	Road District No. 10	\$9.00
Chas Haines	Road District No. 11	\$29.00
E. M. Kratzer	Road District No. 12	\$26.00
Nels Pearson	Road District No. 13	\$20.00
C. M. Bacon	Road District No. 17	\$9.25
S. L. Magee	Road District No. 18	\$22.00
F. G. Rogers	Road District No. 23	\$19.60
James Porter	Road District No. 24	\$17.00
Matt Nett	Road District No. 26	\$4.00
George Young	Road District No. 28	\$3.60
P. J. Sullivan	Road District No. 30	\$2.52
Jacob Scott	Road District No. 36	\$6.00
Peter Tetro	Road District No. 37	\$8.00

Ordered that the rates of ferriage which maybe lawfully demanded by Ogilvie & Smith for the transportation of persons and property over the Columbia River at Northport as established by ordered of this board January 18. 1895, be and the same hereby are changed and established to take effect on and after May 13, 1895 and to be in force until further order of this board, as follows to wit:

6 horse team with wagon & trail wagon and driver Loaded	\$1.50
6 horse team with wagon & trail wagon and driver Empty	\$1.00
4 horse team with wagon & trail wagon and driver Loaded	\$1.00
4 horse team with wagon & trail wagon and driver Empty	\$.50
2 horse team with wagon & trail wagon and driver Loaded	\$.50
2 horse team with wagon & trail wagon and driver Empty	\$.25
4 horse stage making regular trips and driver Loaded	\$.75
4 horse stage making regular trips and driver Empty	\$.50
2 horse stage making regular trips and driver Loaded	\$.50
2 horse stage making regular trips and driver Empty	\$.25
Saddle horse and rider each	\$.25
Pack animals Loaded each	\$.20
Pack animals unloaded each same as loose stock	
Loose stock (Horses, cattle, & mules) each	\$.10
Sheep & hogs each	\$.05
Footmen each	\$.25
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It appearing to the board that the Treasurer's "Register of School Districts Warrants" has become so badly mutilated as to make the handling of the same dangerous to the safety of said record. Ordered that the Auditor be and hereby is authorized to have the same transcribed.

It appearing to the board from advices received from the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County, that the bid of Bayley and Cunningham for \$2,185.00 is the lowest bid submitted for the construction of the bridge across the Spokane River to be built jointly by Lincoln and Stevens County, as per agreement entered into by and between the Boards of County Commissioners of Lincoln and Stevens Counties on the 6th day of April 1895. Ordered that the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County be and hereby is authorized to award the contract for the construction of said bridge to said Bayley and Cunningham or reject said bid and all other bids, as they may deem to the best interest of said Lincoln and Stevens Counties.

In the matter of bids for the county printing. It appearing to the satisfaction of this board that the bid of "Jno Jas Graves" "Publisher of the Colville Index" is the most advantageous to Stevens County; it is hereby ordered that the bid of the Colville Index be awarded for doing the county printing for the ensuing year to the said Colville Index and bond fixed at \$1.000.00. Bed being as follows:

Advertising Certified copy of the proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners as furnished by the clerk of said board. Free Delinquent Tax List For each description of property, Five cents All other advertising of any kind required by law or otherwise to be done in a newspaper at the rate of one cent per line, nonpareil measurement, single column, computation, per insertion.

Job Printing Legal forms, etc. ½ sheet per 1000 1st impression \$5.00, 2nd impression \$2.50 ¼ sheet per 1000 1st impression \$3.00, 2nd impression \$2.50 ½ sheet per 500 1st impression \$3.25, 2nd impression \$2.00 ¼ sheet per 500 1st impression \$2.75, 2nd impression \$1.25 For full sheet and 25 percent

Envelopes 6 ½ in xxx Full Government White per 1000 \$3.25 per 500, \$2.00 9x10 xxx Full Government White per 1000 \$4.50 per 500, \$2.50

Letter heads Linen Letter Heads, per 1000, \$4.00

On application of Bert Ring and E. A. Ahlman to authorize the transfer of license for retailing of liquor, heretofore issued to the said Bert Ring for the Town of Northport in Stevens County. The board having considered said application is hereby ordered that the license now existing in the name of Bert Ring be cancelled and reissued to E. A. Ahlman

upon filing by said Ahlman of a good and sufficient bond in the sum of one thousand dollars; the County Auditor to approve said bond.

The following bills allowed and Auditor is directed to draw warrants on Salary Fund in payment of same.

Robert Hilts	4 days as Commissioner	\$20.00
	92 miles	\$9.20
	Total	\$29.20
L. J. Wolfard	4 days as Commissioner	\$20.00
Robert Fountain	4 days as Commissioner	\$20.00
	100 miles	\$10.00
	Total	\$30.00

Board adjourned sine die. Robert Hilts, Chairman

Attest. J. S. McLean, Clerk

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 112, 7/1/1895

Colville, Washington, Monday July 1st, 1895

Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington met in regular quarterly session; present

Robert Hilts Chairman 1 st District	
L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District
Robert Fountain Commissioner 3 rd Distric	
J. S. McLean	Clerk

Petition for the incorporation of the Town of Northport, rejected for the reason that the boundaries are not sufficiently and clearly defined and that the consent of the parties owning unplatted land are not filed with the board.

Application of Madden and Riley for retail liquor license at the Town of Northport, granted, said license to be dated June 8, 1895.

Application of J. H. Moyle for retail cigarette license at Town of Northport, granted.

Application of Charles Marx for retail cigarette license at Town of Northport, granted.

It is hereby ordered by this board that if the Sheriff, Auditor, and Clerk, turn into the Treasurer vouchers approved by this board, the Treasurer may take same as so much cash for the preceding month and the said Treasurer will receive credit for same in his settlements with this board.

Adjourned to July 2, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 112 & 113, 7/2/1895
Tuesday, July 2, 1895
Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.
Bond of Geo. S. Coulthard, Justice of the Peace in Diamond Lake Precinct, approved.
Bond of Jno. James, Graves for county printing approved.
Resignation of M. W. Sullivan, Justice of the Peace, Colville Precinct, accepted.
Resignation of J. F. Nelson, Justice of the Peace, Boundary Precinct, accepted.
Ordered that Mrs. Mary M. Fish be given exemption of {blank} on personal property roll of 1894.
Ordered that James Keeler be given exemption of {blank} on personal roll of 1894.
Ordered that a warrant be drawn on Road Property Fund of Road District No. 14 in favor of C. F. Carter, ex-Road Supervisor for \$21.25 for road work performed in 1894.
Board adjourned to July 3rd, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 113, 114, & 114, 7/3/1895

Wednesday, July 3rd, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of the Justice of the Peace for Colville Precinct and a petition having been presented to the board for the appointment of Thomas Nagle to fill said vacancy. Ordered that Thomas Nagle be and hereby is appointed as Justice of the Peace in and for Colville Precinct. {Thomas Nagle was postmaster of the Colville Post Office from 16 October 1893 to May 1897.}

Ordered that the Treasurer refund to D. C. Corbin, the sum of \$42.30 Real Estate Tax on Lot 3 & 4, southwest ¼ northwest ¼ and WW {northwest} ¼ southwest ¼ Section 4 Township 39 Range 40. Double payment on roll of 1893 as shown by receipts Nos. 950 and 964 and that receipt No. 950 be canceled.

Ordered that the plat and survey of the filed notes of the "Corte" Road on the Colville Indian Reservation as presented by the County Surveyor be and the same hereby are approved and that said plat and field notes be transmitted to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs for his approval. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 324, Corte Road, #536}

It appearing to the board that the right of way for the proposed "Lawrence" Road has been laid out and surveyed and that right of way for said road has been dedicated to the county for road purposes by those owning the land over which said road passes. Ordered that the plat and field notes of the survey of said road as filed by the County Surveyor be and hereby is approved and said road declared to be a public highway and the supervisor or supervisors through whose road district said road runs are hereby authorized to treat said road as a public highway, said road to be forty feet wide. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 321, Lawrence Road, #745}

It appearing to the board that the right of way for the proposed Herron Change in the Rickey Road has been laid out and surveyed and that the right of way for said road has been dedicated to the county for road purposes by those owning the land over which said road passes: Ordered that the plat and field notes of the survey of said road as filed by the County Surveyor be and hereby is approved and said road declared to be a public highway and the supervisor of supervisors through whose Road District said road runs are hereby authorized to treat said road as a public highway, said road to be 40 feet wide. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 323, Herron's Change in Rickey Road, #732}

It appearing to the board that the right of way for the proposed Thoni Road has been laid out and surveyed and that the right of way for said road has been dedicated to the county bey those owning the lands over which said road passes; Ordered that the plat and field notes of the survey of said road as filed by the County Surveyor be and hereby is approved and said road declared to be a public highway and the supervisor or supervisors through whose Road District said road passes are hereby authorized to treat said road as a public highway, said road to be 40 feet wide. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 316, Thoni Road, #555}

Board adjourned to July 5, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 115 & 116, 7/5/1895

Friday, July 5th 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of July 3, 1895.

Ordered that from and after the quarter ending June 30th, 1895, the maximum wages which will be allowed for all road work performed in the several Road Districts, for all work performed, outside of work performed in payment of Road Poll or Road Property taxes or Road Supervisor per diem, shall be as follows:

Man per day	\$1.50
Man and team per day	\$3.00

Reports of the following Road Supervisors for the period commencing January 14, 1895 and ending June 30, 1895, examined and approved.

Adam Boyd	District No. 1
P. W. McCabe	District No. 2
P. Rush	District No. 3
R. J. Ogden	District No. 4
R. J. Townsend	District No. 5
G. Fatzer	District No. 6
T. J. Turk	District No. 7
Geo. Kulzer	District No. 8
T. D. McDonald	District No. 9
W. J. Johnson	District No. 10
F. A. Whitney	District No. 11
Joseph James	District No. 12
F. K. Shelhamer	District No. 13
G. F. Bottorff	District No. 16
S. K. Owen	District No. 17
Henry Clark	District No. 19
G. E. Cornwall	District No. 20
James B. Cameron	District No. 22
S. S. Beggs	District No. 23
Joseph Leuer	District No. 26
Geo. H. Bobier	District No. 28
Geo. Zeigler	District No. 29
John Jones	District No. 32
A. G. Walter	District No. 33
W. H. Williams	District No. 34
W. A. Babb	District No. 36
W. Bean	District No. 37
S. T. Moomaw	District No. 41
James Prewitt	District No. 42
Daniel Hollandsworth	District No. 43

Board adjourned to July 6, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 116 & 117, 7/6/1895

Saturday, July 6, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Bond of Thomas Nagle as Justice of the Peace of Colville Precinct, approved.

It appearing to the board that right of way for the proposed Fobes Road has been laid out and surveyed and that the right of way for said road has been dedicated to the county for road purposes by those owning the lands over which said road passes. Ordered that the plat and field notes of the survey of said road as filed by the County Surveyor be and hereby are approved and said road declared to be a public highway and the supervisor or supervisors through whose road district said road passes are hereby authorized to treat said road as a public highway said road to be 40 feet wide. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 326, Fobes Road, #558}

It appearing to the board that the right of way for the proposed "Reservation Road" has been granted by the Secretary of the Interior, across the Spokane Indian Reservation, according to the plat and field notes of the survey as filed by the County Surveyor. Ordered that said road be and hereby is established and declared to be a public county highway. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 319, Spokane Reservation Road, #600}

Resignation of Adel Bishop as Road Supervisor of Road District No. 31, accepted.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Road Supervisor of Road District No. 31 caused by the resignation of A. Bishop and a petition having been presented to the board signed by McFarlane Anderson and 34 others for the appointment of J. J. Walter to fill said vacancy. Ordered that J. J. Walter be and hereby is appointed as Road Supervisor of Road District No. 31 for the unexpired term of Adel Bishop.

Board adjourned to July 8, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 117, 7/8/1895

Monday, July 8th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of the Justice of the Peace for Boundary Precinct and a petition having been presented to the board signed by Chas. D. Robinson and 9 others for the appointment of Wm. M. Pinkston {Pingston?} to fill said vacancy. Ordered that Wm. M. Pinkston be and hereby is appointed as Justice of the Peace in and for Boundary Precinct in and for Boundary Precinct to fill said unexpired term. {William J. Pinkston was postmaster of the Boundary Post Office from 14 January 189t to June 1898.}

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Constable of Boundary Precinct and a petition having been presented to the board signed by Chas. A. Robinson and 9 others for the appointment of A. J. Jackson to fill said vacancy. Ordered that A. J. Jackson be and hereby is appointed as Constable in and for Boundary Precinct to fill said unexpired term.

Board adjourned to July 9, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 117, 118, 119, & 120, 7/9/1895

Tuesday, July 9, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of settlement with the County Treasurer.

Ordered that the Treasurer be given credit in the various funds for the following amounts as per redeemed warrants and vouchers presented to the board, to wit:

Salary Fund			
	Warrants redeemed	\$28.58.17	
	Interest on ditto	\$5.97	\$2864.14
Soldiers Relief Fund			
	Warrants redeemed		\$40.54
Road & Bridge Fund			
	Warrants redeemed	\$1244.22	
	Interest on ditto	\$23.89	\$1268.11
Town of Colville			
	Treasurer receipts		\$162.46
Town of Kettle Falls	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
	Treasurer receipts		\$98.72
Poll Fund			
	Warrants redeemed		\$132.97
Road Property Fund			
	Warrants redeemed	\$283.80	
	Supervisor's receipts	\$9.47	
	Treasurer receipts Kettle Falls	\$468.47	\$761.74
County General Fund			•
	Interest Coupons C. E. Bonds		\$1200.00
State General Fund	·		
	Receipts from State Treasurer		\$1453.60
State Interest Fund			
	Receipt from State Treasurer		\$20.90
State Military Fund			-
	Receipt from State Treasurer		\$90.27
Various Funds			-
	Tax refunded W. C. Gray	\$5.68	
	Tax refunded Mrs. Hannah Crook	\$11.85	\$17.53
General School Fund			-
	Warrants redeemed	\$2676.28	
	Interest on ditto	\$158.24	\$2834.52
Special School Fund		· · ·	-
· ·	Warrants redeemed	\$1108.53	
	Interest on ditto	\$55.12	
	Refund Thos Haller	\$23.86	
	Interest Coupons, Bonds School District	120.00	\$1397.51
	No. 2		, _
	Total		\$12253.01

Ordered that the following amounts be paid to the following ex-Road Supervisors for 1894 out of the Road Property funds, now to the credit of the respective districts:

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Peter Rush	Road District No. 3	\$4.00
N. Hardenbrook	Road District No. 4	\$7.85
R. J. Townsend	Road District No. 5	\$24.51
John Salvage	Road District No. 6	\$6.95
M. Fitzgerald	Road District No. 7	\$33.50
Frank Weatherwax	Road District No. 8	\$11.80
T. D. McDonald	Road District No. 9	\$7.54
F. J. Phelps	Road District No. 10	\$1.94
Chas Haines	Road District No. 11	\$4.25
E. M. Katzer	Road District No. 12	\$28.22
Nels Pearson	Road District No. 13	\$23.25
S. L. Magee	Road District No. 18	\$1.79
B. Gleason	Road District No. 19	\$7.86
James Porter	Road District No. 24	\$14.22
Adel Bishop	Road District No. 31	\$13.71
A. G. Walter	Road District No. 33	\$14.39
W. F. Bryant	Road District No. 34	\$9.84
P. Tetro	Road District No. 37	\$11.93
P. H. Grace	Road District No. 39	\$1.39
H. A. Bennett	Road District No. 29	\$1.61

Ordered that the following amounts be paid to the following Road Supervisors, out of the Road Property Funds, now to the credit of the respective Road Districts, on account of road work performed during the year 1895, to wit.

Adam Boyd	Supervisor Road No. 1	\$52.75
P. W. McCabe	Supervisor Road No. 2	\$17.00
P. Rush	Supervisor Road No. 3	\$7.79
R. J. Ogden	Supervisor Road No. 4	\$12.87
R. J. Townsend	Supervisor Road No. 5	\$0
G. Fatzer	Supervisor Road No. 6	\$0
F. J. Funk	Supervisor Road No. 7	\$0
Geo. Kulzer	Supervisor Road No. 8	\$32.58
T. D. McDonald	Supervisor Road No. 9	\$0
W. J. Johnson	Supervisor Road No. 10	\$8.49
F. A. Whitney	Supervisor Road No. 11	\$0
Joseph James	Supervisor Road No. 12	\$0
F. K. Shelhamer	Supervisor Road No. 13	\$7.88
F. G. Bottorff	Supervisor Road No. 16	\$17.29
S. K. Owen	Supervisor Road No. 17	\$21.14
G. E. Cornwall	Supervisor Road No. 20	\$12.60
J. B. Cameron	Supervisor Road No. 22	\$21.66
S. S. Beggs	Supervisor Road No. 23	\$5.00
Geo. H. Bobier	Supervisor Road No. 28	\$7.50
A. G. Walter	Supervisor Road No. 33	\$19.67
Daniel Hollandsworth	Supervisor Road No. 43	\$4.94

Plat of Murphy's Addition to the Town of Northport, approved.

Board adjourned to July 10, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 120, 7/10/1895

Wednesday, July 10, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed deposits in the Bank of Colville, cash in safe and other credits for \$9223.75 – distributed in the various funds as follows.

School Fund	\$2225.27
State General Fund	\$1012.90
State Military Fund	\$67.39
State Interest Fund	\$19.12
Special School Fund	\$3524.09
Road Property Fund	\$851.43
Road & Bridge Fund	\$410.98
County General Fund	\$839.56
Soldiers Relief Fund	\$115.09
Special Road Fund	\$9.15
Penalty Interest & Cost Fund	\$36.49
Town of Colville Fund	\$50.18
Town of Kettle Falls Fund	\$127.87
Current Expense	\$43.00
Total	\$9432.52
Less Salary Fund (overdrawn)	\$208.77
Total	\$9223.75

Board adjourned to July 11, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 121 & 122, 7/11/1895

Thursday, July 11, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that tax receipt #2081, Roll of 1894 to Emma g. Sparks covering West ½ Southwest ½ Southwest ½ Section 2 Township 35 Range 37 be canceled by the County Treasurer and that the sum of \$4.47 paid on said receipt be refunded to Emma G. Sparks on account of error in description of property on assessment roll.

The following bills examined and approved.

Mrs. Clara Hatch	Care of Mrs. Saunders & daughter	\$30.00
Colville Index	Job printing	\$6.50
W. H. Graham	Care of Gideon Peone & Mrs. Martin	\$34.75
S. P. Cecil	Burial Gideon Peone	\$3.00
Henry Seabrant	Burial Gideon Peone	\$3.00
B. M. Ford & Co.	Care of French and wife	\$30.00
F. B. Goetter	Medicine, county charges	\$33.25
N. C. Tasker	Burial Leander Blair	\$15.00
C. A. McMillan	Board prisoners	\$37.34
Louis Perras	Horse and buggy Sheriff	\$2.00
J. M. Stevens	Hauling wood	\$.50
Pioneer Bindery	Envelopes	\$12.13
C. R. McMillan	Horse hire Sheriff	\$82.50
O. T. Smith	Board & care A. D. Boyer	\$1240.00
Pioneer Bindery	Mortgages Record Book	\$17.50
Jas Pickrell	3 days Teachers Examiner	\$12.00
C. M. Durland	3 days Teachers Examiner	\$12.00
Colville Index	Job work	\$7.00
Colville Index	Publishing	\$16.85
O. J. Smith	visiting schools & mileage (In pencil Year	\$117.10
	ending July 1, 1895)	
O. J. Smith	visiting schools & mileage (In pencil Year	\$165.30
	ending July 1, 1895)	
Spokane County	Hospital fees & transportation, John	\$38.60
	Anderson	
T. H. Holland	Board John Anderson	\$61.50
Ju	ustice Court Cost Bill State versus Story	
M. F. Hull	Justice fees	\$2.40
A. V. Downs	Constable fees	\$1.70
Geo. Hand	Witness fees	\$2.20
L. J. Snider	Witness fees	\$2.20
Justice	Court Cost bill State versus Deviney, rejected	
Justice	Court cost bills State versus Hanson (Allowed)	
C. Morgan	Justice fees	\$3.10
Nels Johnson	Witness fees	\$4.20
Christ Marug	Witness fees	\$4.20
Hans Nickelson	Witness fees	\$4.20
Eva Hanson	Witness fees	\$4.20
Chas Lingreen	Witness fees	\$4.20
Johanna Lingreen	Witness fees	\$4.20

W. T. Boyles	Juror	\$4.10
W. Holderman	Juror	\$4.10
David Oleek	Juror	\$4.10
Jerry Cooney	Juror	\$4.10
Harmon Ellis	Juror	\$4.10
A. D. Kitchman	Juror	\$4.10
Justic	e Court Cost Bill State versus White	
R. J. Ogden	Justice fees	\$1.50
H. D. Clark	Justice fees	\$.60
Hardenbrook	Constable	\$6.75
Justic	e Court cost bill State versus Smith	
M. F. Hull	Justice fees	\$3.00
A. V. Downs	Constable fees	\$4.80
Frank Miller	Witness	\$2.20
Ed Dahl	Witness	\$2.40
0. Gunderson	Witness	\$2.00
J. H. Lamb	Horse hire Deputy Sheriff	\$7.50
F. Barman	Merchandise	\$66.30
F. Wolff	Board prisoners	\$24.00

Board adjourned to July 12, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 122 & 123, 7/12/1895

Friday, July 12, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Bills examined and approved.

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Roper & hardware, Calispel Ferry	\$28.65
Bridge plank	\$13.88
Bridge plank	\$5.00
Work on Small Creek Bridge	\$70.00
Burial John Lee	\$10.00
Relief of Laura E. Pascal, widow. Order	\$10.00
Wallace Post #64	
County Surveyor	
Survey plat & field notes Fobes Road	\$50.00
Survey plat & filed notes Corte Road	\$35.00
Survey plat & filed notes Herron Change	\$25.00
Rickey Road	
Survey plat & filed notes Thoni Road	\$20.00
Survey plat & filed notes Lawrence Road	\$25.00
Survey plat & filed notes Townsend Road	\$20.00
72 miles	\$7.20
3 dedications	\$1.50
Recording plat & dedication First addition	\$45.0
to Clayton	
Recording plat & dedication Murphy's	\$3.00
addition to Northport	
5 days as Deputy Sheriff	\$12.50
1 day as Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
5 days as Deputy Sheriff	\$15.00
5 days as Deputy Sheriff	\$12.50
6 months as Purchasing Agent	\$25.00
17 days as Deputy Sheriff	\$42.50
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Board adjourned to July 13, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 123 & 124, 7/13/1895 (pages under 7/12/1895 file)

Saturday, July 13, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the order made May 14, 1894 and entered on Commissioners Journal "C" page 21 allowing Norbard Dupuis the same of \$18.00 per month of care of Gideon Peone, be and the same is rescinded.

Ordered the order made May 14, 1894 and entered on Commissioners Journal "C" page 21 allowing Mrs. Roberts the sum of \$18.00 per month for care of Mrs. Martin be and the same hereby is rescinded.

Ordered that the order made January 2, 1895 entered on Commissioners Journal "C" page 79 allowing N. C. Parker \$1.00 per day for care and maintenance of Leander Blaine and wife, be and the same hereby is rescinded.

Ordered that N. C. Parker be allowed the sum of 50 cents per day for care and maintenance of Mrs. Blaine from and after the death of Leander Blaine.

Ordered that the order made March 6, 1895 and entered in Commissioners Journal "C" page 89 allowing Mrs. J. L. Heath the sum of \$25.00 per month for care of Mrs. Saunders and daughter be and the same hereby is rescinded.

Bills approved.

Robert Hilts	11 days as County Commissioner	\$55.00	
	90 miles	\$9.00	\$64.00
L. J. Wolfard	11 days as County Commissioner	\$55.00	\$55.00
Robert Fountain	11 days as County Commissioner	\$55.00	
	100 miles	\$10.00	\$65.00

Board adjourned to August 10th, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 124, 8/10/1895

Saturday, August 10th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present

Robert Hilts	Commissioner 1 st District (Chairman)
L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District
Robert Fountain	Commissioner 3 rd District
J. S. McLean	Clerk

At 8:40 a.m., board adjourned to August 26, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 124 & 125, 8/26/1895

Monday, August 26, 1895.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of August 10.

Petition of by Cy Townsend and others for county road as follows: Commencing on Northside of Columbia Avenue in the Town of Northport, thence north to low water mark of Columbia River. Rejected for the reason that the petitioners have failed to file bond and guarantee of right of way.

Petition of F. E. Munson and others for the acceptance and repair of First Street Bridge in the Town of Springdale. Rejected for want of fund available by the board for such purposes.

Resignation of E. C. Sharp, Justice of the Peace of Fertile Valley Precinct accepted. Bond of Wm. M. Pinkston as Justice of the peace in and for Boundary Precinct, approved. Board adjourned to August 27, 1895 Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 125 & 126, 8/27/1895

Tuesday, August 27, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Petition of J. W. Johnson and others for a county road, commencing at the bridge across the south fork of Harvey Creek on northeast ¼ of Section 23 Township 31 North Range 37 and ending at a point 3 miles south of Smith's Ranch on the Locke Road. Laid over to October Session.

Thomas Kirk	Team & driver Sheriff (date on side	\$5.00
	2/11/1896)	
R. St. Clair	Meals for County Prisoners	\$69.60
John Nelson	Repair Jail fence	\$10.50
Coroners	Cost Bill Inquest on John Lee	
Jerry Cooney	Juror (date on side 2/11/1896)	\$2.00
J. P. Munkers	Juror	\$2.00
C. R. Butler	Juror	\$2.00
H. H. Gill	Juror	\$2.00
Jacob Keller	Juror	\$2.00
W. T. Boyles	Juror	\$2.00
J. D. Crook	Witness	\$3.60
B. H. Taylor	Acting Coroner	\$10.00
Gill & Truax	Team hire	\$4.00
C. R. Butler	Team hire	\$4.00
Mileage of jurors and acting	coroner on above bill not allowed as the boa	ard has
allowed the bills for team hi	re for transportation.	
Bird Hedges & Co.	Lumber for Springdale Bridge	\$45.08
Jacob Keller	Nails for Springdale Bridge	\$8.45
Fred Keiling	Repairing culvert	\$2.94
John Naff	Bridge lumber	\$6.10
D. Wooley	Relief Indigent Soldier	\$5.00
w. L. Roote	Relief Indigent Soldier	\$6.00
Jas Hope	1 day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
Andrew Hesner	1 day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
J. B. Thomas	Survey etc. Kent Road	\$87.40
J. B. Thomas	Platting roads 47 miles	\$14.10
	Justice Court Cost Bills "State" versus	
	"Joy" and "State" versus "Ernald" reject	
	as being frivolous and the prosecution not	
	justified.	

Bills examined and approved

It appearing to the board that the right of way for the proposed "Kent Road" has been laid out and surveyed and that the right of way for said road has been dedicated to the county for road purposes by those owning or occupying the lands over which said road passes. Ordered that the plat and field notes of the survey of said road as filed by the County Surveyor be and the same hereby are approved and said road hereby declared to be a public highway and the supervisor or supervisors through whose Road District or Districts said road runs are hereby authorized to treat said road as a public highway, said road to be forty (40) feet in width. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 330, Kent Road, #656}

Board adjourned to August 30, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 126, 8/30/1895

Friday, August 30th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of August 27, 1895.

In the matter of the petition for the formation of Drainage District No. 1, Stevens County, Washington.

Petition and bond having been filed and a remonstrance to the petition also having been filed; the board was addressed by Major E. A. Routhe in behalf of the remonstrance and H. L. Moody in behalf of the petition and matter taken under advisement by the board until Saturday, August 31, 1895.

Board adjourned to August 31, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, & 134, 8/31/1895

Saturday, August 31st, 1895.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

It appearing to the board that the right-of-way for the proposed "Townsend Road" has been laid out and surveyed and that the right-of-way for said road has been dedicated to the county for road purposes by those owning or occupying the lands over which said road passes. Ordered, that the plat and field notes of the survey of said road as filed by the County Surveyor be and the same hereby are approved and said road hereby declared to be a public highway and the supervisor or supervisors through whose road district or districts said road runs are hereby authorized to treat said road as a public highway: said road to be 30 feet wide. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 322, Townsend Road, #322}

In the matter of the formation of a municipal corporation to be knowns as Drainage District No. 1 of the County of Stevens of the State of Washington, and the petition for an order for and election for the incorporation of such district.

This matter coming on to be heard continued from yesterday's session during an adjourned meeting of this board upon a petition of M. Kulzer, Geo. Kulzer, The Commercial State Savings Bank, by H. L. Moody, President, The American Tree Hold Land Mortgage Company of London Ltd, by D. K. McDonald, Agent; T. W. Wayland, G. W. Waitt, H. J. Obermiller, Jeremiah Sullivan, E. A. Dunlap, H. Weatherwax, F. Weatherwax, Ed Tarble, O. D. Moody and L. W. Moody, for the formation of a drainage district, under Chapter CXX and page 271 of Sessions Laws of the State of Washington for the year 1895. And, it appearing to this board that said petition is duly filed together with a bond in the penal sum of five hundred dollars, which has been approved by this board and the petition and motion of hearing having been published for two successive weeks prior to August 30, 1895 in the "Colville Index" a weekly paper published and of general circulation in Stevens County, Washington and being fully advised in the premises the board finds that the name of said drainage district shall be "Drainage District No. One of the County of Stevens of the State of Washington." That the boundaries of said district are and shall be as petitioned for as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 34, Township 31 North of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian, Stevens County, Washington. Thence North to the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of said Section 34. Thence East to the northeast corner of the said southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of Section 34 aforesaid. Thence north along the center line of said Section 34 and Section 27 to the northwest corner of southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 27, Township 31 north of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian. Thence West to the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of said Section 27 township and range aforesaid. Thence North to the northwest corner of the northeast guarter of the southwest quarter of Section 22 Township 31 north of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian. Thence East along the half section line to the center of said Section 22. Thence North along the center line of said Section 22 and Section 15 to the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of said Section 15, Township 31 North of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian. Thence West to the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of said Section 15. Thence North through Sections 15, 10, and 3 to the

northwest corner of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of said Section 3 Township 31 North of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian. Thence East along the half section line of said Section 3 Township 31 North of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian. Thence East along the half section line of said Section 3 and Section 2, Township and Range aforesaid to the East line of the right of way of the Spokane Falls and Northern Railway in said Section 2. Thence southerly along the East line of the Right of way of the said railway to where the same intersects with the north line of Section 23, Township 31 North of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian. Thence East to the northwest corner of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of the said Section 23. Thence South to the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of said section 23. Thence East to the northeast corner of said southwest guarter of said northeast guarter of said Section 23. Thence South to the southeast corner of the northwest guarter of the southeast quarter of said section 23. Thence West to the half section line of said Section 23. Thence South along the said half section line of said Section 23 to the north line of Section 26, Township 31 North of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian Thence West along the north line of said Section 26 to the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of said Section 26. Thence South through said Section 26 and Section 35 Township 31 North of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian to the south line of said Section 35 at the southeast corner of the southwest guarter of said Section 35. Thence West along the south line of said Section 35 and Section 34 to the place of beginning to wit: The southwest corner of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 34 Township 31 North of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian, Stevens County, Washington. That about 2000 acres of land will be benefited by said proposed drainage system. That the number of free-holders residing within said boundaries is five. That the said proposed Drainage System will be conducive to the public health, welfare and convenience, increase the public revenue and be of special benefit to a majority of the lands included within said boundaries of the said proposed district as herein established. That a good and sufficient outlet for the drainage of said district is within the boundaries thereof; and the board further finds: That the general system of Drainage will be practically, the same as described in the petition and of great benefit to the public roads.

Now, therefore, we the County Commissioners having found that the said property drainage system will be conducive to the public health, welfare and convenience, and will increase the public revenue and be of special benefit to a majority of the lands included within the boundaries; hereby order that the prayer of the petitioners be and hereby granted and for the purpose of determining whether said district shall be organized under the provisions of an act entitled "An Act to Provide for the Establishment and Creation of Drainage Districts and the Construction and Maintenance of a system of Drainage and to provide for the means of payment thereof and declaring an emergency: as per Chapter CXV Session Laws 1895, page 271 to 296, inclusive and for the further purpose of choosing three commissioners who shall be known and designated as "Drainage Commissioners"; therefore a notice of such election is hereby ordered and given as follows to wit: "Notice of Election for the Establishment of Drainage District and election of Drainage Commissioners." Notice is hereby given that an election will be held within that portion of Stevens County, State of Washington, herein after bounded and described for the purpose of determining whether the same shall be organized under the provisions of the Act of the Legislature of the State of Washington entitled "An Act to Provide for the Establishment and Creation of Drainage Districts and the Construction and Maintenance of a system of Drainage and to provide for the means of payment thereof and declaring an

emergency" (see Chapter CXV page 271, of Sessions Laws of 1895), passed on the 13th day of March 1895, and approved on the 20th day of March 1895: as a drainage district of the State of Washington; and for the further purposed of choosing at such election three commissioners who shall be known and designated as Drainage Commissioners for said district proposed to be organized. Such election shall be held on the 20th day of September A. D. 1895 at the store of G. Kulzer & Son at Valley, Stevens County, State of Washington, at which time and place the persons entitled to vote shall cast ballots which shall contain the words "Drainage District yes" "Drainage District No" and also the names of three persons voted for commissioners of said district. The poll shall be open between the hours of nine o'clock a.m. and seven o'clock p.m. The boundaries of said proposed district are as follows to wit:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 34, Township 31 North of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian, Stevens County, Washington. Thence North to the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of said Section 34. Thence East to the northeast corner of the said southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of Section 34 aforesaid. Thence north along the center line of said Section 34 and Section 27 to the northwest corner of southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 27, Township 31 north of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian. Thence West to the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of said Section 27 township and range aforesaid. Thence North to the northwest corner of the northeast guarter of the southwest quarter of Section 22 Township 31 north of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian. Thence East along the half section line to the center of said Section 22. Thence North along the center line of said Section 22 and Section 15 to the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of said Section 15, Township 31 North of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian. Thence West to the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of said Section 15. Thence North through Sections 15, 10, and 3 to the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of said Section 3 Township 31 North of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian. Thence East along the half section line of said Section 3 Township 31 North of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian. Thence East along the half section line of said Section 3 and Section 2, Township and Range aforesaid to the East line of the right of way of the Spokane Falls and Northern Railway in said Section 2. Thence southerly along the East line of the Right of way of the said railway to where the same intersects with the north line of Section 23, Township 31 North of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian. Thence East to the northwest corner of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of the said Section 23. Thence South to the northwest corner of the southwest guarter of the northeast guarter of said section 23. Thence East to the northeast corner of said southwest quarter of said northeast quarter of said Section 23. Thence South to the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of said section 23. Thence West to the half section line of said Section 23. Thence South along the said half section line of said Section 23 to the north line of Section 26, Township 31 North of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian Thence West along the north line of said Section 26 to the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of said Section 26. Thence South through said Section 26 and Section 35 Township 31 North of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian to the south line of said Section 35 at the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of said Section 35. Thence West along the south line of said Section 35 and Section 34 to the place of beginning to wit: The southwest corner of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter

of Section 34 Township 31 North of Range 40 East Willamette Meridian, Stevens County, Washington.

Such district shall be known as "Drainage District No. One of the County of Stevens of the State of Washington." That the number of acres to be benefitted by such drainage district is two thousand acres approximately. The officers of such election shall be Geo. Kulzer and Jeremiah Sullivan, Judges O. D. Moody, Inspector. Mr. Kulzer and S. E. Wayland, clerks.

Robert Hilts L. J. Wolfard Robert Fountain County Commissioners of Stevens County, State of Washington Said notice is hereby ordered to be published for two weeks in the Colville Index, a weekly newspaper and published and of general circulation in Stevens County immediately prior to the date of said Election as set forth in said notice of election and said Notice of Election shall also be posted for two weeks immediately prior to said election: and it is further ordered that, Jeremiah Sullivan and Geo. Kulzer are hereby appointed as judges of said election and O. D. Moody is hereby appointed Inspector and S. E. Wayland and M. Kulzer are hereby appointed clerks of said election.

Bills allowed.

Robert Fountain		
	18 days services as Board of Equalization	\$90.00
	4 days as County Commissioner	\$20.00
	100 miles	\$10.00
	Total	\$120.00
Robert Hilts		
	18 days services as Board of Equalization	\$90.00
	68 miles	\$6.80
	1 day inspecting bridge (Detillion)	\$5.00
	120 miles from Colville and return	\$12.00
	4 days as County Commissioner	\$20.00
	Total	\$133.80
L. J. Wolfard		
	18 days services as Board of Equalization	\$90.00
	4 days as County Commissioner	\$20.00
	Examining Townsend Road	\$5.00
	Visiting county charge	\$2.50
	Total	\$117.50

Adjourned to September 23, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 134 & 135, 9/23/1895

Monday, September 23rd, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present:

Robert Hilts	Chairman
L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner
J. S. McLean	Clerk

In the matter of Drainage District No. 1, Stevens County, Washington: The board proceeded to canvass the votes cast at the election held for the formation of said district at the election held for the formation of said district, September 20th, 1895. The board finds from the returns and from the votes cast at said election, that there were three votes cast against the formation of said district and one vote cast for the formation of said district; hence the board finds that said district is not established and that the costs incurred by Stevens County in this matter as follows to-wit:

Per diem of Robert Hilts as County Commissioner, August 30, 1895, hearing, petition, ordering election, etc. \$5.00

L. J. Wolfard, per diem as County Commissioner, August 30, 1895, hearing, petition, ordering election, etc. \$5.00

Robert Fountain, per diem as County Commissioner, August 30, 1895, hearing, petition, ordering election, etc. \$5.00

Per diem of Robert Hilts, as County Commissioner September 23, 1895, canvassing vote & mileage 100 miles \$15.00

Per diem of L. J. Wolfard as County Commissioner September 23, 1895, canvassing vote \$5.00

Are chargeable against the bond filed in this matter August 30, 1895 by the Commercial State Savings Bank as principal and H. L. Moody, O. D. Moody, C. Emma Moody, as sureties and said bond is hereby declared to be forfeited to Stevens County in said amount and the County Attorney is hereby instructed to collect the same.

Bills approved

L. J. Wolfard	Services as County Commissioner	
	September 23 rd – 1 day	\$5.00
	Trip to Northport, Investigating matter of	\$10.00
	indigent sick 2 days	
	Total	\$15.00
Robert Hilts	Services as County Commissioner	
	September 23, 1895	\$5.00
	Mileage 100 miles	\$10.00
	Total	\$15.00

Board adjourned Sine Die.

Robert Hilts, Chairman

J. S. McLean, Clerk

By F. H. Fish, Deputy Clerk

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 136 & 137, 10/7/1895

Colville, Washington, Monday, October 7, 1895

Board of Commissioners of Stevens County met in regular session.

Present:

Robert Hilts	Commissioner 1 st District (Chairman)
L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District
Robert Fountain	Commissioner 3 rd District
J. S. McLean	Auditor, Clerk

The board proceeded to canvass the returns of the Road District Election held September 7, 1895 with the following results and the following tax levies for Road Property purposes are hereby certified to the Auditor of Stevens County as having been voted by the following districts.

Road District No. 10Road District No. 31Road District No. 41Road District No. 51Road District No. 61Road District No. 71Road District No. 80	Supervisor elected Chas Alban P. Rush R. J. Ogden R. J. Townsend P. Amacher Joseph Koontz Geo. W. Waitt Layton Mathewseon W. J. Johnson W. T. Boyles	3 mills 1.35 mills no mills 1 ½ mills 3 mills 2 5/7 mills no mills 2 2/7 mills 8 2/9 mills 5 mills
Road District No. 4IRoad District No. 5IRoad District No. 6IRoad District No. 7IRoad District No. 8I	R. J. Ogden R. J. Townsend P. Amacher Joseph Koontz Geo. W. Waitt Layton Mathewseon W. J. Johnson W. T. Boyles	no mills 1 % mills 3 mills 2 5/7 mills no mills 2 2/7 mills 8 2/9 mills
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Road District No. 7IRoad District No. 80	Joseph Koontz Geo. W. Waitt Layton Mathewseon W. J. Johnson W. T. Boyles	2 5/7 mills no mills 2 2/7 mills 8 2/9 mills
Road District No. 8	Geo. W. Waitt Layton Mathewseon W. J. Johnson W. T. Boyles	no mills 2 2/7 mills 8 2/9 mills
	Layton Mathewseon W. J. Johnson W. T. Boyles	2 2/7 mills 8 2/9 mills
Road District No. 9	W. J. Johnson W. T. Boyles	8 2/9 mills
	W. T. Boyles	
Road District No. 10	,	5 mills
Road District No. 11		5 112225
Road District No. 12	Gottlieb Relstab	2 mills
Road District No. 13	Andrew Hesner	6 3/5 mills
Road District No. 16	Geo. Bottorff	1 mill
Road District No. 17	S. K. Owens	no mills
Road District No. 19	J. P. Fletcher	2 2/5 mills
Road District No. 20	H. C. Hughes	4 2/10 mills
Road District No. 22	J. B. Cameron	no mills
Road District No. 24	Ben Newbill	3 1/7 mills
Road District No. 26	Joseph Leuer	no mills
Road District No. 27	Emil Scholz	no mills
Road District No. 28	G. H. Babier	no mills
Road District No. 29	H. A. Bennett	no mills
Road District No. 30	Geo. Gibson	2 7/15 mills
Road District No. 31	Thomas Parrott	6 1/5 mills
Road District No. 36	J. D. Walter	6 mills
Road District No. 38	Mike Coleman	2 ¼ mills
	J. W. Everett	no mills
Road District No. 41	S. T. Moomau	2 mills
	J. W. Prewett	10 mills
Road District No. 43	B. F. Miller	10 mills

{James W. Prewett was postmaster of Calipell Post Office from 9 December 189? To March 1899)

Board adjourned to October 8, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 137, 10/8/1895

Tuesday, October 8th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It appearing to the board that the bridge across the Spokane River near Detillion's place on the Spokane Indian Reservation has been completed according to contract; Ordered, that the same be and hereby is approved and accepted and that warrants be drawn on the Road and Bridge Fund in favor of Bayley and Cunningham, the contractors for \$1092.50, Stevens County's one half of the contract price of said bridge as per agreement between Stevens and Lincoln Counties. (Written on side: Warrants drawn on October 18, 1895 R&B Fund)

Ordered that the Treasurer remit to Mrs. R. C. Crawford the taxes on \$500.00 as assessed on the Personal Roll of 1894 on account of error in entering on assessment roll.

Bond of A. J. Jackson, Constable of Boundary Precinct approved.

Ordered that Thomas Parrott be and hereby is appointed as Supervisor of Road District No. 31 to fill the unexpired term of the year 1895.

Resignation of J. J. Walters as Supervisor of Road District No. 31 accepted.

Bill of J. B. Thomas, work on assessment roll \$17.50. approved. (Written on side: Warrant drawn on Salary fund October 8, 1895)

In the matter of the petition of J. W. Johnson and others for a county road up North Folk of Harvey Creek. Ordered that H. C. Hughes and J. W. Hunter be and hereby are appointed as viewers to meet with the County Surveyor at the bridge on the south fork of Harvey Creek at 10 o'clock a.m. Monday, October 14th, 1895 to view and survey said road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 334, J. W. Johnson Road, #616}

Board adjourned to October 9, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 138, 10/9/1895

Wednesday, October 9, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Ordered that warrants be drawn on the Road Property funds of the several road districts as follows, in payment of deficiency bills for 1894.

Road District No. 5	R. J. Townsend	\$3.00
Road District No. 6	J. Salvage	\$2.00
Road District No. 9	T. D. McDonald	\$2.50
Road District No. 11	Chas Haines	\$3.00

Board adjourned to October 10th, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 138 & 139, 10/10/1895

Tuesday, October 10th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

The following Road Supervisor reports examined and approved.

Road District No. 38J. F. HallJuly 1, 1895Road District No. 34W. F. BryantReport 1894Road District No. 3Peter RushReport October 1, 1895Road District No. 5R. J. TownsendReport October 1, 1895Road District No. 6G. FatzerReport October 1, 1895Road District No. 10W. J. JohnsonReport October 1, 1895Road District No. 11F. A. WhitneyReport October 1, 1895Road District No. 12Joseph JamesReport October 1, 1895Road District No. 13F. K. ShelhamerReport October 1, 1895Road District No. 14A. G. McDonaldReport October 1, 1895Road District No. 17S. K. OwensReport October 1, 1895	25.00 10.00 15.50 17.50 11.50 16.00 \$5.00 35.00 645.00
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Road District No. 17 S. K. Owens Report October 1, 1895	50.00
	512.50
	\$7.50
Road District No. 19 Henry Clark Report October 1, 1895	\$0.00
Road District No. 22 J. B. Cameron Report October 1, 1895	510.00
Road District No. 23S. S. BeggsReport October 1, 1895	525.00
Road District No. 27Emil ScholzReport October 1, 1895	515.00
Road District No. 28 Geo. H. Bobier Report October 1, 1895	645.00
Road District No. 30 Geo. Gibson Report October 1, 1895	525.00
Road District No. 32John JonesReport October 1, 1895	\$8.75
Road District No. 34 W. H. Williams Report October 1, 1895	\$5.00
Road District No. 36 W. A. Babb Report October 1, 1895 9	510.00
Road District No. 37 Wm. Bean Report October 1, 1895	\$7.50
Road District No. 40 Geo. W. White Report October 1, 1895	\$7.50
Road District No. 42 James Prewett Report October 1, 1895	\$0.00
Road District No. 43 Daniel Hollandsworth Report October 1, 1895	+

Ordered that warrants be drawn on the Road Property funds of the respective Road Districts for road work performed in 1895 in favor of Road Supervisors as follows:

Road District No. 3	Peter Rush	\$4.00
Road District No. 10	W. J. Johnson	\$4.00
Road District No. 14	A. G. McDonald	\$16.00
Road District No. 23	S. S. Beggs	\$25.00
Road District No. 30	Geo. Gibson	\$13.00
Road District No. 28	Geo. H. Bobier	\$45.00

It appearing to the board that the following Road Districts have failed to levy any Road Property Tax for the year 1896 as required by law; the following levies are hereby made and certified to the County Auditor.

Road District No. 2	2 mills
Road District No. 4	2 mills
Road District No. 8	3 mills
Road District No. 14	2 mills

Road District No. 17	3 mills
Road District No. 18	3 mills (Daisy)
Road District No. 21	3 mills
Road District No. 22	5 mills
Road District No. 23	4 mills
Road District No. 26	5 mills
Road District No. 27	2 mills
Road District No. 28	4 mills
Road District No. 29	5 mills
Road District No. 32	2 mills
Road District No. 33	3 mills
Road District No. 34	5 mills
Road District No. 37	2 mills
Road District No. 39	2 mills
Road District No. 40	2 mills

Board adjourned to October 11^{th} , 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 139 & 140, 10/11/1895

Friday, October 11th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Notice ordered served on A. G. Walter, Supervisor of Road District No. 33 to appear before the board on October 14th, 1895 at 10 o'clock a.m., then and there to show cause why his office as such Road Supervisor should not be declared vacant.

Board adjourned to October 12, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 140, 10/12/1895

Saturday, October 12, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Plat of Cully Cemetery approved.

In the matter of Tax Levy for the year 1895: Ordered that there be and hereby is levied taxes as follows to wit:

For county purposes, the sum of \$14,400 the same being 8 mills on the dollar and said county fund is divided into the following funds to wit:

The Poor Fund to the amount of \$1860, which is equal to 1 mill on the dollar.

The Superior Court fund to the amount of \$1800, which is equal to 1 mill on the dollar for the purposes of paying witness and juror fees in criminal cases.

The Continent Fund to the amount of \$1800 which is equal to 1 mill on the dollar.

For General County Fund \$9400 which is equal to 5 mills on the dollar.

For General Road & Bridge Fund \$5400 which is equal to 3 mills on the dollar.

For County School Fund \$7200 which is equal to 4 mills on the dollar.

For Soldiers Relief Fund \$180.00 which is equal to 1/10 of one mill on the dollar.

Board adjourned to Monday, October 14, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 140 & 141, 10/14/1895

Monday, October 14th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

(In pencil: Walters appeared before board and no change made in Road Supervisor.)

In the matter of settlement with the County Treasurer. Ordered that he be given credit in the various funds for the following amounts as per redeemed warrants and vouchers presented to the board as follows, to wit:

Salary Fund		
	Warrants redeemed	\$1854.97
	Interest on	\$13.80
	Office's vouchers	\$167.14
	Total	\$2035.91
Road Property Fund		
	Warrants redeemed	\$489.16
	Colville order	\$55.50
	Road labor receipts	\$3.86
	Total	\$548.52
School Fund		
	Warrants redeemed	\$2750.45
	Interest on	\$332.70
	Interest coupons	\$130.00
	Total	\$3213.15
Special School Fund		
	Warrants redeemed	\$1067.80
	Interest on ditto	\$45.65
	Publication Notice Bonds sale	\$8.00
	Interest coupons	\$190.00
	Total	\$1311.45
Kettle Falls	Treasurer's receipts	\$146.33
Colville	Treasurer's receipts	\$69.23
State General Fund	Treasurer's receipts	\$1012.90
State Military Fund	Treasurer's receipts	\$67.39
State Interest Fund	Treasurer's receipts	\$10.50
Road & Bridge Fund		
	Warrants redeemed	\$455.25
	Interest on	\$10.27
	Total	\$465.52
Soldiers Relief Fund		\$31.00
Refunds by order County		
Commissioners		
	W. H. Graham	\$2.08
	Emma G. Sparks	\$4.47
	D. C. Corbin	\$42.30
	Total	\$48.85
	Total	\$8960.75

Board adjourned to October 15, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 141 & 142, 10/15/1895

Tuesday, October 15th, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the following named persons be and hereby are appointed Road Supervisors for the year 1896 on account of failure of districts to elect, as follows to wit:

Road District No. 2	P. W. McCabe
Road District No. 14	A. G. McDonald
Road District No. 18	Chas. E. Potter
Road District No. 21	Geo. E. Wright
Road District No. 23	S. S. Beggs
Road District No. 32	John Jones
Road District No. 33	Orin Coates
Road District No. 34	W. H. Williams
Road District No. 37	William Bean
Road District No. 39	P. H. Grace

Bills examined and allowed.

Columbia Livery Stable	Livery hire Sheriff 2/11/1896	\$16.25
August Grier	Lumber for jail fence	\$21.27
N. C. Parker	Care of L. Blain & wife from March 1 st to June 28 ^{th,} 1895 inclusive	\$120.00
	Care of Mrs. Blaine June 29 to July 15, inclusive	\$128.50
B. M. Ford & Co.	Board French and wife	\$64.00
R. St. Clair	Board prisoners	\$23.10
Norbert Dupries	Care of Gideon Peone	\$100.00
C. M. Durland	4 days Teachers Examination and mileage	\$17.60
Jas Pickrell	4 days Teachers Examination and mileage	\$16.00
August Grier	Bridge Plank	\$12.96
R. E. Lee	Nails for bridge	\$3.30
Jno. Neff	Bridge Plank	\$17.85
	(Last three in pencil on side: Drawn October 25, 1895 R&B fund. J. S. M.	

Board adjourned to October 16, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 142 & 143, 10/16/1895

Wednesday, October 16, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

In the matter of settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed deposits in the Bank of Colville and cash in safe for \$5592.39 distributed in the various funds as follows:

School Fund	\$1587.14
State General Fund	\$217.80
State Military Fund	\$10.80
State Interest Fund	\$2.82
Special School Fund	\$3029.89
Forward	\$4848.45
Road Property Fund	\$375.18
Road & Bridge Fund	\$158.87
County Fund	\$401.09
Soldiers Relief Fund	\$94.73
Special Road Fund	\$9.15
Penalty & Interest	\$74.16
Colville Fund	\$6.05
Kettle Falls Fund	\$.24
Current Expense	\$43.00
Less Salary Fund overdrawn	-\$418.53
To balance on hand	\$5592.39

Ordered, that during the recess of this board Commissioner Wolfard be and hereby is empowered to pass upon and if found correct approved expense bills of the Sheriff, Auditor, and Clerk on the first of each month for the expenditures for the month preceding and that the Treasurer and that the Treasurer will be allowed credit in his quarterly settlements with this board for such expense bills so approved taken by him in settlement for fees, with said offices.

Board adjourned to October 17, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 143 & 144, 10/17/1895

Thursday, October 17, 1895

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

In the matter of petition of J. W. Johnson and others for a county road up north fork of Harvey Creek. It appearing from the report of the viewers of that said road as viewed, laid out, and surveyed is practicable and that the right of way has been dedicated, ordered that the report of the viewers and plat and field notes as filed by the County Surveyor be and the same hereby are approved and accepted and said road declared to be a public highway and the supervisor through whose road district said road runs is hereby authorized to treat the same as a public highway, said road to be 40 feet wide. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 334, J. W. Johnson Road, #616}

J. B. Thomas	4 days surveying Johnson Road	\$20.00
	Field notes and plat	\$10.00
	64 miles	\$6.40
	Total	\$36.40
John Rickey	Rent Jury Room	\$5.00
	Rent Court Room	\$15.00
	Total	\$20.00
Columbia Livery Stable	Team & buggy (County Commissioners)	\$6.00
Robert Hilts	10 days service as County Commissioner	
	Commissioner	\$50.00
	70 miles	\$7.00
	Total	\$57.00
L. J. Wolfard	10 days service as County Commissioner	\$50.00
Robert Fountain	10 days service as County Commissioner	\$50.00
	100 miles	\$10.00
	3 days superintending Ferry across the	\$10.00
	Calispel River	
	Total	\$70.00

Bills examined and allowed.

Board adjourned Sine Die.

Robert Hilts, Chairman

Attest: J. S. McLean, Auditor and Clerk of the Board.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 145, 1/6/1896

Colville, Washington, Monday, January 6, 1896

Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County met in regular quarterly session.

Robert Hilts	Commissioner 1 st District (Chairman)
L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District
Robert Fountain	Commissioner 3 rd District
J. S. McLean	Auditor, Clerk of the Board

In the matter of appeal by s. Timmons et al from the decision of O. J. Smith, County Superintendent of Schools, changing the boundaries of School Districts No. 20 – 26 and 69. Ordered that Monday, January 13th 1896 at 1 o'clock p.m. be and hereby is set as the time of hearing said appeal by the board.

Resignation of r. T. Kuehn, Justice of the Peace, Daisy Precinct, accepted.

Resignation of M. T. Hull, Justice of the Peace, Little Dalles Precinct, accepted.

In appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Justice of the Peace in and for Little Dalles Precinct and a petition having been presented to the board signed by G. M. Welty and 17 others for the appointment of Thomas A. Perrott to fill said vacancy. Ordered that Thomas A. Perrott be and hereby is appointed as Justice of the Peace in and for Little Dalles Precinct.

Application of w. J. St. Clair for Beer License at Meyers Falls granted and bond approved and Auditor authorized to issue license.

Board adjourned to January 7, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 145, 146, & 147, 1/7/1896 (start of minutes under 1/6/1896, end under 1/8/1896)

Tuesday, January 7th, 1896.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that a warrant be drawn on the Penalty and Interest Fund in favor of L. J. Wolfard for the sum of \$26.00 to pay the transportation of Mr. Orrick, an indigent person, to St. Louis, Missouri.

Bills examined and allowed.

A. N. Pettengill	22 ½ days extending Tax Rolls, Auditor Office	\$56.25
J. B. Thomas	22 days extending Tax Rolls, Auditor Office	\$55.00
J. M. Bewley	9 days as Deputy Treasurer, collecting	\$22.50
	delinquent taxes, personal roll 1894	
R. S. Ledgerwood	14 days as Deputy Treasurer, collecting	\$35.00
	delinquent taxes Personal Roll 1894	

Exemption allowed J. A. Hamill and V. Williams on Personal Property Roll of 1894.

Reports of the followin	g Road Supervisors	examined and	approved as follows.
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District No. 1	Adam Boyd	\$25.15
District No. 2	P. W. McCabe	\$15.50
District No. 3	P. Rush	\$7.50
District No. 4	R. J. Ogden	\$16.25
District No. 5	R. J. Townsend	\$20.85
District No. 6		
District No. 7	Thos. J. Turk	\$11.50
District No. 8	Geo. Kulzer	\$0
District No. 9	T. D. McDonald	\$37.50
District No. 10	W. J. Johnson	\$5.00
District No. 11	F. A. Whitney	\$12.90
District No. 12	Joseph James	\$15.00
District No. 13	F. K. Shelhamer	\$35.00
District No. 14	A. G. McDonald	\$0
District No. 15	No supervisor	
District No. 16	G. F. Bottorff 8.75 + 6.50	\$15.25
District No. 17	S. K. Owen	\$12.50
District No. 18	J. A. French[?]	\$27.50
District No. 19	Henry Clark	\$0
District No. 20	Geo. E. Cornwall	\$27.50
District No. 21		
District No. 22	J. B. Cameron	\$6.20
District No. 23	S. S. Beggs	\$35.00
District No. 24	B. H. Newbill 50.00 + 15.00	\$65.00
District No. 25	Colville {in pencil}	
District No. 26	Joseph Leuer 10.00 + 10.00	\$20.00
District No. 27		
District No. 28	G. H. Bobier	\$44.00
District No. 29	Geo. Zeigler	\$12.50
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District No. 30		\$
District No. 31	no supervisor to report	
District No. 32	John Jones	\$17.50
District No. 33	A. G. Walter	\$37.50
District No. 34	W. H. Williams	\$39.50
District No. 35	Kettle Falls	
District No. 36	W. A. Babb	\$12.50
District No. 37	Wm. Bean	\$10.00
District No. 38	J. F. Hall	\$24.50
District No. 39	J. P. Todd	\$15.00
District No. 40	J. W. White	\$5.00
District No. 41	S. T. Moomau	\$20.00
District No. 42	James Prewett	\$4.00
District No. 43	Daniel Hollandsworth	\$7.50

Board adjourned to January 8, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 147 & 148, 1/8/1896

Wednesday, January 8, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the Treasury transfer from the Penalty Interest and Cost Fund to the County Poor fund the sum of \$200.00.

Bill of W. H. Graham for care and maintenance of county poor to January 7, 1896. \$220.00. Approved and the Auditor directed to draw warrant on "County Poor Fund" for \$100.00 in part payment of same.

In compliance with the request of his Excellency Governor J. H. McGraw, the board recommended the following name person to wit.

G. W. Harvey	Harvey Post Office
W. B. Aris	Meyers Falls Post Office
H. L. Lilienthal	Meyers Falls Post Office
J. W. Rauch	Newport, Idaho Post Office
C. H. Montgomery	Chewelah Post Office
Jonathan James Graves	Colville Post Office

as delegates to represent Stevens County at an Immigration Convention to meet at Seattle, January 13, 1896.

Board adjourned to January 9, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 148 & 149, 1/9/1896

Thursday, January 9, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that warrants be drawn to ex-Road Supervisors on the Road Property Funds of the various districts for deficiency bills for 1894 as follows:

District No. 5	R. J. Townsend	\$10.16
District No. 6	John Salvage	\$9.85
District No. 7	M. Fitzgerald	\$13.43
District No. 9	T. D. McDonald	\$5.43
District No. 11	Chas Haines	\$9.87
District No. 12	E. M. Kratzer	\$9.09
District No. 32	John Jones (Lined through)	\$4.54
District No. 36	Jacob Scott	\$2.16
District No. 27	P. Tetro	\$4.63

Ordered that warrants be drawn on the Road Property Funds of the various districts for road work for the year 1895 as follows.

District No. 1	Adam Boyd	\$22.21
District No. 2	P. W. McCabe	\$15.50
District No. 3	P. Rush	\$7.84
District No. 4	R. J. Ogden	\$16.25
District No. 5	R. J. Townsend	\$13.61
District No. 6	G. Fatzer	\$10.38
District No. 8	G. Kulzer	\$10.38
District No. 10	W. J. Johnson	\$7.30
District No. 13	F. K. Shelhamer	\$18.91
District No. 14	A. G. McDonald	\$8.64
District No. 16	G. F. Bottorff	\$9.83
District No. 17	S. K. Owen	\$10.38
District No. 18	J. A. French	\$16.75
District No. 23	S. S. Beggs	\$20.97
District No. 24	B. H. Newbill	\$16.30
District No. 28	G. H. Bobier	\$16.51
District No. 30	Geo. Gibson	\$2.88
District No. 33	A. G. Walter	\$3.20
District No. 38	J. F. Hall	\$8.99

Ordered that liquor license of Haines & Gillingham Cleveland Mining Camp be transferred to Haines & Gillingham Springdale for balance of unexpired term ending March 6, 1896.

Liquor License bond of Oscar Hall approved and liquor license granted.

Ordered that the County Surveyor be and hereby is instructed to survey the proposed change in Colville-Marcus Road as petitioned for by T. C. Fedder, Timothy Deasy, and others.

In the matter of petition for county road by John Holst, C. R. McMillan, O. G. Moorhead and others, commencing at a point on the Miner Street Road near the center of Section 22,

Township 35 Range 38, to intersection with Colville and Chewelah Road and ending at such intersection and John Holst and Fred Deitsch be and hereby are appointed as viewers to meet with J. B. Thomas County Surveyor on {blank} 1896 to view and survey said road.

Board adjourned to January 10th, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 149 & 150, 1/10/1896

Friday, January 10th, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that Thos Burk be allowed exemption on personal roll for years 1894 and taxes refunded on same.

The compensation of James E. Fenton coming before the board for his services assisting in the prosecution of the case of the State versus Hattie Neise and Adolf Neise. It is hereby ordered that the said Fenton receive for his services the sum of \$100.00 and the Auditor is ordered to draw a warrant for same on the Penalty and Interest Cost Fund and the Treasurer pay the same.

In the matter of settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed credits as follows and ordered that he be given credit for same.

Salary Fund			
2	Warrants received	\$569.15	
	Interest on received	\$16.73	
	Officers Vouchers	\$214.11	\$799.99
Road Property Fund			
	Warrants received	\$134.75	
	Vouchers	\$8.42	\$143.17
General School Fund			
	Warrants received	\$1397.76	
	Interest on received	\$134.54	\$1532.30
Special School Fund			
	Warrants received	\$877.36	
	Interest on received	\$44.42	\$921.78
Road and Bridge Fund			
	Warrants received		\$182.94
State General Fund			
	Receipts State Treasurer		\$217.80
State Military Fund			
	Receipts State Treasurer		\$10.80
State Interest Fund			
	Receipts State Treasurer		\$1.88
Town of Colville			
	Treasurer Receipts		\$172.18
Town of Kettle Falls			
	Treasurer Receipts		\$25.18
General County Fund			
	Cancelled coupons		\$1020.00
	Total		\$5028.02

Board adjourned to January 11th, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 150, 151, & 152, 1/11/1896

Saturday, January 11th, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed deposits in the Bank of Colville and cash in safe for \$8642.10 distributed in the various funds as follows:

Salary Fund	\$183.27
General School Fund	\$2923.94
General State Fund	\$728.32
General Military Fund	\$44.49
General State Interest Fund	\$12.18
Forward	\$3892.20
Amount Forward	\$3892.20
Special School Fund	\$2597.41
Penalty and Interest and Cost Fund	\$454.07
Road Property Fud	\$492.43
Road and Bridge Fund	\$470.16
General County Fund	\$505.07
Soldiers Relief Fund	\$138.71
Special Road Fund	\$9.15
Current Expense Fund	\$43.00
Town of Colville Fund	\$24.07
Town of Kettle Falls Fund	\$15.83
To balance on hand	\$8642.10

Ordered that the sum of \$6.21 be refunded to Spokane and Eastern Trust Company on account of double payment of taxes on the Roll of '94 as shown per receipt no. 2807 dated June 29th, 1895.

Ordered that Tax Receipt no. 4392 dated November 30, 1895 be cancelled and the amount of \$10.62 be refunded to Hugh Munro on account of error in description.

Resignation of H. C. Clark as Justice of the Peace, Meyers Falls Precent, accepted.

Ordered that the assessment of Dan Thomas on Personal Roll for the year 1895 be cancelled on account of error in assessment.

Ordered that the taxes on \$546.00 be refunded to J. B. Tuttle the same being an excessive payment on account of error in transcribing assessment rolls as shown by Tax Receipt No. 3738.

In the matter concerning the boundary of Road District 23 and 28 it is hereby ordered the southeast % of Township 31 North, Range 45 East Willamette Meridian be transferred from District 23 to District 28.

In the matter of the application of E. J. Catlet for a right to construct an irrigating ditch across the Mill Creek and Echo Valley Wagon Road. It is hereby ordered that the said E. J. Catlet be granted such right provided that he shall build construct and maintain good culverts at each crossing the full width of said road. The culverts not be raised above the road bed and cover the culverts with good bridge plank and provided

further that the said E. J. Catlet shall at no time or place allow the crossings on the construction thereof in interfere with travel on or be detrimental to said road.

Board adjourned to January 13th, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 152, & 153, 1/13/1896

Monday, January 13th, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of Saturday.

Ordered that Mrs. S. C. P. Haskins be allowed the exemption on the Personal Roll of 1894.

In the matter of change in the Colville and Marcus Road as petitioned for the F. C. Fedder, Timothy Deasy and others. It appearing to the board that the right of way has been secured by dedication. The County Surveyor is hereby ordered to survey the same as soon as practical and F. C. Fedder and Timothy Deasy are hereby appointed as viewers on the same.

It appearing the board the settlers along the Deep Creek Road have changed the line of travel from the original survey and constructed at their own cost a good and practicable road upon better ground and desire that the road as now changed may be surveyed and established as a public highway. It is hereby ordered that B. C. Brewington and John Jones are hereby appointed viewers without compensation to meet with the County Surveyor at an early date and proceed to survey this road and make report to this board of their proceeding in the matter.

Ordered that an order made April 11, 1895 and entered on commissioners' journal C page 103 authorizing the County Auditor to issue a license to Eber C. Smith on certain conditions to operate a steam ferry on the Columbia River at Northport be and the same is hereby rescinded vacated and set aside.

Ordered that an order made February 28, 1895, and entered on Commissioners' Journal C page 81 in relation to Grocers License to sell lager beer, be and the same is hereby rescinded vacated and set aside.

Ordered that A. M. McKeen be allowed exemption on Personal Roll of 1894.

Board adjourned to January 14, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 153 & 154, 1/14/1896

Tuesday, January 14, 1896.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It appearing to the board that certain errors have been made in listing property situated in School District 21 and 57. The County Treasurer is hereby instructed to correct said errors as follows. The northeast % of the southwest % and the northwest % of the southeast % of Section 21 Township 34 Range 39 listed as in School District No. 51 should have been listed in School District No. 21 and the northwest % of the northwest % of Section 23 Township 34 Range 39 listed in School District No. 21 should have been listed in School District No. 51.

In the matter of appeal of S. Timmons et al from the decision of O. J. Smith, County School Superintendent challenging the boundaries of School District Nos 20, 26, and 69. It appearing to the board that the appellants in said action have failed to appear and prosecute said appeal. It is ordered that said appeal be and is hereby dismissed and the action of the said superintendent be sustained.

Ordered that P. M Hacking be allowed remittance of all penalty and interest after November 31, 1895 on Lots 17-18 and 20 of Block 17 O.K. Addition to the Town of Kettle Falls and rebate of taxes on improvement on said lots for 1892 on account of error made in Tax Register of 1892.

In the matter of settlement with R. J. Townsend and H. Y. Dorman for the construction of bridge across Colville River on the Townsend Road as per contract. Ordered that the bridge be accepted and warrant on the Road and Bridge Fund for \$100.00 be drawn in payment for the same.

In the matter of settlement with R. J. Townsend and H. Y. Dorman for the construction of fills on the Townsend Road near the Colville River as per contract. Ordered that said fills be accepted and a warrant on the Road and Bridge Road for \$100.00 be drawn in payment for the same.

Board adjourned to January 15, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 154, 155, & 156, 1/15/1896

Wednesday, January 15, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of application of Joseph Freshman for a license to operate a ferry on the Columbia River at Bossburg. It is hereby ordered that when the said Joseph Freshman shall file with the Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$200.00 and the County Treasurer's receipt for \$30.00 license fee then the said license shall be issued and the rates of ferriage which may be changed by the said Joseph Freshman are fixed as follows.

Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, loaded	\$1.50
Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, loaded	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse stage and driver making regular trips	\$.50
Two horse stage and driver making regular trips	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack animals, loaded each.	\$.25
Pack animals, not loaded, each	\$.10
Loose stock, horses, cattle, mules etc.	\$.10
Sheep hogs, etc. in bands of 10 or more each	\$.05
Footman, each.	\$.25

In the matter of application of Louis Adams for a retail liquor license for the Town of Bossburg. It is hereby, ordered that when the said Louis Adams shall file with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the per al sum of \$1000.00 to be approved by the County Auditor and the Treasurer's receipt for \$300.00 license fee, then the said license shall be issued for a term of one year.

In the matter of reissuing liquor license and cigarettes license. It is hereby ordered that during vacation of the board and person already licensed to sell liquors or cigarettes may obtain a renewal of such license by filing the proper bonds and receipts with the County Auditor.

It appearing to the board that the ferry license of Ogilvie and Smith at Northport will expire during vacation of this board. It is hereby ordered that the Auditor shall issue ferry license to the said Ogilvie and Smith on the order of S. J. Wolfard, Commissioner of the district in which said ferry is situated and placed at \$75.00 for ensuing year [Lined through: is hereby authorized] and the said Commissioner Wolfard is hereby authorized to order ferry license issued to parties operating ferries in his district viz. Commissioner District No. 2 and County Auditor is hereby ordered to issue such ferry license on the order of said Commissioner L. J. Wolfard.

In the matter of petition of John Cornwall and others for a change in Harvey Creek Road and it appearing that the right of way has been guaranteed to the county. It is ordered that John Cornwall and Laban Garner be and are hereby appointed as viewers to serve without compensation from the county to meet with the County Surveyor at a time to be designated by said County Surveyor and view and survey the said change and report the proceedings to this board at the April meeting. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 340, Cornwall's change in Harvey Creek Road, #702}

In the matter of petition of Jesse Morgan and others for a change in the Storms Road and it appearing to the board that the right of way has been guaranteed to the county. It is ordered that W. W. Davis and W. R. Wright be and are hereby appointed as viewers to serve without compensation from the county to meet with the County Surveyor at such time as the said County Surveyor may designate and view and survey said change and report their proceedings to this board at their April meeting. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 339, Morgan's change in Storms Road, #809}

In the matter of petition of E. Henry Schultze and others for the establishment of a county road as follows beginning at the southeast corner of the northeast % of Section 24 Township 33 North Range 43 East Willamette Meridian and ending at the county road near Tacoma Creek. It appearing to the board that the right of way has been guaranteed to the county. It is hereby ordered that George Gibson and A. F. Saddler be and are hereby appointed as viewers without compensation to meet with the County Surveyor at a time and place to be designated by the County Surveyor and view and survey said road and report their proceedings to this board. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 343, Schultze Road, #619}

Ordered that a warrant for \$10.00 be drawn on the Poor Fund for the relief of Jay H. Felt and family and that a like amount be drawn on the 15th of February and March respectively.

Board adjourned to January 16, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 156 & 157, 1/16/1896

Thursday, January 16, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

	Bills examined a	and allowed	
S	J. B. Thomas	Recording plat J. W. Johnson Road	\$2.10
S	A. V. Downs	One day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
S	Geo Bevan	One day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
S	Walter Angle	Two days Deputy Sheriff	\$5.00
S	Albert Dingle	Eleven days Deputy Sheriff	\$27.50
S	Sam Magee	One day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
S	S. S. Markland	One day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
S	A. J. Thorp	One day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
S	Geo. Bevan	One day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
S	W. Castle	One day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
S	Jas. Sutton	One day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
SR	W. S. Roote	Indigent Soldier (Union Post No. 70)	\$10.00
SR	J. E. Tupper	Relief Indigent Soldier (Union Post. No. 70)	\$7.00
R&B	T. J. Reynolds	Lumber Mingo Creek Bridge	\$35.52
R&B	Jacob Keller	Spikes for bridge	\$5.50
R&B	T. D. McDonald	Iron for Sheep Creek Bridge	\$1.35
R&B	Bird & Hedges	Lumber Sheep Creek Bridge	\$52.70
R&B	John Ehorn	Material and repairing bridge (Colville River Chewelah)	\$7.40
R&B	Emel Johnson	Bridge material and hauling	\$10.50
R&B	Spokane County	Repairs Lapray Bridge (Stevens County Half)	\$14.50
[P?]&C	J. F. Lavigne	Expenses Treasurer's Office Coll personal tax - Roll 1894	\$26.20
	J. E. Pickrell	Examiner of teachers - 3 days November 1895	\$12.00
	C. M. Durland	Examiner of teachers - 3 days November 1895	\$12.00
	Frank Truax	Team hire, 2 days with team (Blanchard case)	\$8.00
	Frank Truax	Team hire, 2 teams funeral A. D. Boyer	\$5.00
	Frank Truax	Team hire, 2 days with team (Abrams case)	\$8.00
	Basil Brown	Care of Sal Peltier from March 1 st 1895 to July 16, 1895 at \$18.00 per month	\$80.00
	C. R. McMillan	Team hire (July 12, 1895 to August 27, 1895)	\$32.50
	E. Blackmore	Horse feed and meals (Sheriff's expense)	\$3.00
	Hugh Munro	Meals & [?] (Sheriff's expense)	\$10.50

Board adjourned to January 17, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 157 & 158, 1/17/1896

Friday, January 17, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Bill examined and allowed.

C. St. Clair	Board of prisoners	\$42.60
	Justice Court Cost Bill State versus Morgan	
	(allowed as modified)	
R. S. Waterman	Justice Fees	\$4.60
Geo. F. Brill	Witness fees	\$6.00
Joseph Bertonneau	Witness fees	\$6.00
George Bertonneau	Witness fees	\$6.00
J. F. Spiger	Witness fees	\$6.00
Wm. Rudic	Witness fees	\$2.20
F. K. Shelhamer	Witness fees	\$2.20
W. R. Riggs	Witness fees	\$6.00
George Hurd	Witness fees	\$2.20
C. Carlson	Witness fees	\$2.20
G. W. Jarvis	Witness fees	\$2.20
G. W. Jarvis	Board of Prisoners	\$140.10

Bills examined and rejected

J. B. Thomas	Work on Surveyor's Record	\$25.00
	Justice and Constable Cost Bills State versus	\$150.01
	Elswood	
J. W. Reynolds	Watching attached personal property taxes	\$80.00
	Justice Cost Bill State versus Anna Hamilton	\$8.25

Ordered that Paul Olson be allowed exemption on personal Roll of 1894.

In the matter of appointing Registration Officers for Colville Precinct and Kettle Falls Precinct for the year 1896. It is hereby ordered that Thomas Nagle be and is hereby appointed Clerk of Registration for Colville Precinct, and N. B. Wheeler be and is hereby appointed Clerk of Registration for Kettle Falls Precinct.

Bills examined and allowed.

Robert Hilts	Services as Commissioner (11 days)	\$55.00	
	Mileage 110 miles	\$11.00	\$66.00
S. J. Wolfard	Services as Commissioner (11 days)	\$55.00	
	2 days County Affairs	\$10.00	\$65.00
Robert Fountain	Services as Commissioner (11 days)	\$55.00	
	Mileage 160 miles	\$16.00	\$71.00

Board adjourned Sine die.

Attest: J. S. McLean, Clerk

Chairman: Robert Hilts

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 159, 4/6/1896

Colville, Washington, Monday, April 6, 1896

Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County met in regular quarterly session.

Present

Robert Hilts	Commissioner 1 st District	Chairman
L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District	
Robert Fountain	Commissioner 3 rd District	
J. S. McLean	Auditor and Clerk of the Board	

Examination of correspondence and communications to the board.

Board adjourned to April 7th, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 159 & 160, 4/7/1896

Tuesday, April 7th, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the following bills audited and allowed. April 11th, 1895, be paid in warrants drawn on the contingent fund.

C. R. McMillan	Sheriff expense bill	\$8.53
C. R. McMillan	Sheriff expense bill	\$20.55
J. H. Lamb	Deputy Sheriff expense bill	\$8.00
Charles Haines	Deputy Sheriff expense bill	\$8.00
D. F. Pankey	Postage expense bill	\$3.00

Application and bond of Mattie Cherette for liquor license for East Marcus approved license to be dated March 17th, 1896.

Application and bond of Miller and Tabor for retail liquor license at Northport approved license to be dated March 19th, 1896.

Application and bond of W. F. Rutherford for retail liquor license at Bossburg approved license to be dated April 6th, 1896.

On petition of Elmer E. Hall and [seven?] others, James Morrison appointed Justice of the Peace for Metaline Precinct. {James Morrison was postmaster of the Ione Post Office from 23 October 1897 to 1905.)

On petition of Jas Morrison and seven others, Elmer E. Hall appointed Constable for the Metaline Precinct.

Bond of Thomas A. Parrot, Justice of the Peace Little Dalles Precinct approved.

C. O. Wilson appointed overseer Road District No. 21 on petition of Julius M. Fisk and ten others.

Antoine Price appointed overseer Road District No. 24 on petition of Alonzo Spaulding and thirty-three others.

F. A. Whitney appointed overseer Road District No. 11 on petition of T. C. Greene and eleven others.

Willard Spencer appointed Road Supervisor District No. 19 on petition of B. Gleason and seven others.

Resignation of George W. Byers Justice of the Peace Walkers Prairie Precinct accepted.

Board adjourned to April 8, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 160, 161 & 162, 4/8/1896

Wednesday, April 8th, 1896

Board met present as of yesterday.

Ordered that a warrant be drawn on the poor fund for W. H. Graham balance due on the bill approved January 8, 1896, for the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars for care of county poor.

In the matter of the application of William Hughes for a license to operate a ferry on the Columbia River at East Marcus, it is hereby ordered that when the said William Hughes shall file with the Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$200.00 and the County Treasurer receipts for thirty dollars license fee then the said license shall be issued and the rates of ferriage which may be charged by the said William Hughes are fixed as follows:

6 horse team and 2 wagons with driver loaded	\$1.50
6 horse team and 2 wagons with driver empty	\$1.00
4 horse team and 1 wagon with driver loaded	\$1.00
4 horse team and 1 wagon with driver empty	\$.75
2 horse team and 1 wagon with driver loaded	\$.75
2 horse team and 1 wagon with driver empty	\$.50
4 horse stage and driver making regular trips	\$.75
2 horse stage and driver making regular trips	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.25
Pack animals loaded each	\$.25
Pack animals not leaded each	\$.10
Loose stock horses, cattle, mules and etc, each	\$.10
Sheep, hogs, and etc. in band of ten or more	\$.05
Footman each	\$.25

Ordered that H. G. Kirkpatrick be allowed a reduction of \$1,000.00 on personal assessment roll for year 1894 on account of error.

Ordered that John Edgren be exempt from paying a personal tax for the year 1894 on account of error in assessment.

Ordered that the compensation of Deputy Assessor for the year of 1896 be placed at \$3.00 per day for each and every day so employed and that the County Auditor be and hereby is authorized to draw warrants for the payment of such deputies on the first Monday of each month for the preceding month on presentation of bills for such services duly certified by the County Assessor.

In the matter of the application of Basil Brown for a grocers' license to sell lager beer at the Town of Chewelah, it is hereby ordered that when the said Basil Brown shall file with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$200.00 to be approved by the County Auditor, and the Treasurer receipt for fifty dollars license fee the Auditor shall issue a license for the term of one year license to date May 1st, 1896.

In the matter of application of Charles Hall for a license to operate a steel cable ferry on the Columbia River at Marcus it is hereby ordered that when the said Charles Hall shall file with the Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$200.00 in the County Treasurer receipt for the sum of thirty dollars license fee then the said license shall be issued and the rates of ferriage which may be charged by the said Charles Hall are fixed as follows.

6 horse team and 2 wagons with driver loaded	\$1.50
6 horse team and 2 wagons with driver empty	\$1.00
4 horse team and 1 wagon with driver loaded	\$1.00
4 horse team and 1 wagon with driver empty	\$.75
2 horse team and 1 wagon with driver loaded	\$.75
2 horse team and 1 wagon with driver empty	\$.50
4 horse stage and driver making regular trips	\$.75
2 horse stage and driver making regular trips	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.25
Pack animals loaded each	\$.25
Pack animals not leaded each	\$.10
Loose stock horses, cattle, mules and etc., each	\$.10
Sheep, hogs, and etc. in band of ten or more	\$.05
Footman each	\$.25

The resignation of Thomas Nagle as registration officer for Colville Precinct is accepted and L. E. Jesseph is hereby appointed as registration clerk of Colville Precinct for year 1896 to fill vacancy.

It appearing to the board that there was a double assessment on the personal property of E. Winchester it is ordered that he be allowed a remit of four hundred and fifty-seven dollars on personal assessment roll of year 1895.

Board adjourned to April 9th, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 162 & 163, 4/9/1896

Thursday, April 8th, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of petition of George E. Wright and fourteen others for a county road beginning at a point one hundred rods south of the seven-mile stake on county road in Section 9 Township 31 Range 40 and terminating at a point near C. O. Wilson's residence. It appearing to the board that the right of way for the same has been wholly donated and the bond being approved by the [board?], and that the petitioners agreed to furnish the necessary help to layout the survey free of cost to the county, ordered that Bryon Belknap and W. F. Swikes be appointed viewers and to meet the county surveyor at such place and time as he may desire to proceed to survey and layout the same. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 350, Geo. E. Wright Road, #652}

In the matter of the application of Mrs. J. R. Gallagher for a license to sell lager beer in the Spokane Falls & Northern Railway Hotel at Marcus, ordered that when the said Mrs. J. R. Gallagher shall file with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of two hundred dollars to be approved by the Auditor and the County Treasurer's receipt for fifty dollars license fee, the Auditor shall issue a license for the term of one year.

In the matter of the petition of Dan McKenzie and twelve others for a county road, commencing about eighty rods south of Henry Davies' store, in road district No. 42 and terminating on the line between Bracketts, Covelle, and O. McLaughlin in District No. 28 it appearing to the board, that the land through which the road is to run, has been donated and the petitioners agreeing to furnish the necessary help for surveying and laying out the same free of charge, to the county, it is ordered, that Ed Davis and J. W. Prewitt be appointed as viewers and to meet the County Surveyor at such time and place as he may designate to survey and layout the same. {Road in Pend Oreille County possibly begins near Davis Lake and ends near the town of Lenora in Township 32R44S06.}

In the matter of the petition of H. A. Bennett and thirteen others for a county road, commencing near the Usk post office and terminating at a point on the Law Road, near the ranch of J. H. Penney. It appearing to the board that the lands through which the road is to run has been dedicated and the necessary help for surveying and laying out the same shall be furnished free of charge to the county, it is ordered that [Faxible?] Wall and J. H. Covelle, be appointed viewers and to meet the County Surveyor at such time and place as he may designate to survey and lay out the same. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 341, Bennett Road, #587. Note viewers of the road were R. P. Jared and J. H. Covelle.}

In the matter of the petition of A. V. Dawns and twelve others for the extending of the county road from its present terminus on 8th Street in the Town of Northport along the street known as South Avenue at distance of two blocks to its intersection with Six Street, thence towards the river along Six Street to Columbia Avenue, ordered that said petition be granted and such street be declared a county road. Adjourned to April 10, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 164 & 165, 4/10/1896

Friday, April 10, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment present as of yesterday.

A petition from the citizens of Colville Precinct presented to the board from the appointment of L. [Edwin?] Jesseph as a Justice of the Peace for said precinct petition is hereby granted

In the matter of Fedderer's change in the Chewelah and Marcus Road is appearing to the board that the right of way for the proposed change has been laid out and surveyed and that the right of way for said road has been dedicated to the county for road purposes by those owning the lands over which said road passes, ordered that the path and field notes of the survey of said road as filed by the County Surveyor be and hereby is approved and said road, declared to be a public highway and the surveyor or surveyors through whose road district said road passes are hereby authorized to treat said road as a public highway said road to be fifty feet wide. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 337, Fedderers change in Colville & Marcus Road, #537}

In the matter of Cornwall's Change in the Harvey Creek Road, it appearing to the board, that the right of way for the proposed change has been laid out and surveyed and that the right of way for said road has been dedicated to the county for road purposes by those owning the lands over which said road passes, ordered, the plat and field notes of the survey of said road, be and hereby are approved and said road declared to be a public highway and the supervisor or supervisors through whose road district said road passes are hereby authorized to treat the same as a public highway and to vacate and abandoned such a portion of the old road as is effected by this change. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 340, Cornwall's change in Harvey Creek Road, #702}

In the matter of the Morgan change in the Storm's Road it appearing to the board that the right of way for the purpose change has been laid out and surveyed and that the right of way for said road has been dedicated to the county for road purposes be those owning the lands over which said road passes, ordered that the plat and field notes of the survey or said road be and hereby are approved, and said road, declared to be a public highway and the supervisor or supervisors through whose road district said road passes are hereby authorized to treat said road as a public highway and that portion of the old road, that is effected by the change is hereby declared vacated. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 339, Morgans change in Storms Road, #809}

In the matter of the petition of John Holst and twelve others for a county road, beginning at a point on the Miner's Street road, near the center of Section 22, Township 35 Range 39, to terminate at its intersection with the Colville and Chewelah on the southwest % of northwest % of Section 3 Township 34 Range 39 East Willamette Meridian, it appearing to the laid that the right of way for the proposed road, has been laid out and surveyed and has been dedicated to the county for road purposes by those owning the lands over which said road passes. Ordered that the plat and field notes of the survey of said road be and hereby are approved and such road declared to be a public highway and the supervisor or supervisors through whose road district said road passes are authorized to treat the same as a public highway said road to be thirty feet in width. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 336, John Holst Road, #648} In the matter of the change in the Mill Creek Road, it appearing to the board that the right of way for the proposed change has been laid out and surveyed and that the right of way for said road has been dedicated to the county for road purposes by those owning the lands over which said road passes. Ordered that the plat and field notes of the survey of said road be and are hereby approved and said road passes are hereby authorized to treat the same as a public highway and such parts of the old road as are affected by this change are hereby declared vacated.

Ordered that a warrant for twenty dollars be drawn on the county general fund for the relief of Anderson Roseberry and family and that a like warrant be drawn on May 20th and June 20th, for the same purpose, said adjourned to April 11th, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 165 & 166, 4/11/1896

Saturday, April 11th, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that a warrant for twenty dollars be drawn on the general county fund for the relief of J. H. Felt and family and one for like amount be drawn on May 20th, and June 20th, respectively for same purpose.

It appearing to the board that an error was made, by the assessor on, the Roll of 1895, in listing the individual personal property of C. W. Winter in the personal property of T. Winter and Son, ordered, that C. W. Winter, be refunded, this sum of nine dollars and sixty-three cents Tax on \$300.00 exemption which should have been allowed him on said roll. {Thaddeus A. Winter was postmaster of the Colville Post Office from 24 May 1897 to January 1900.}

It appearing to the board that a holding of a Teacher Institute for the year 1896 is not an actual, necessity the board hereby refuse, to allow any bills for expenses of any institute for said year.

It appearing to the board, that there are no funds available for paying the expense of taking statistics in this county for year 1896, the assessor is hereby instructed not to incur such expenses.

In appearing to the board, that an error exists in the personal assessment of John H. Hill, ordered that he be allowed a remit of \$50.00 on double assessment.

Ordered that the following bills approved by the board of Commissioners July 12th, 1895, be paid in warrants drawn on the contingency fund.

0.	J.	Smith expense	account	\$8.60
0.	J.	Smith expense	account	\$9.00

Board adjourned to Monday, April 13, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 166, 167, 168, & 169, 4/13/1896

Monday, April 13th, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of Saturday.

Ordered, that the following bills approved by the board, July 12th, 1895, be paid in warrants drawn on the contingency fund.

D. F. Pankey	Stamp account two bills	\$5.55
John H. Moyle	Stationery	\$1.25
William Overman	Stamps	\$.50
L. F. Ledgerwood	Stamps	\$1.25
M. A. Peck	[?Opr Bouigee?]	\$4.00
Jas. Crawford	50 cords of wood	\$69.50
John M. Semple	R. R. fare & feals to Lewis (insane)	\$7.50

Ordered that warrants be drawn to ex road supervisors on road property fund of the various districts for deficiency bills for year 1895 as follows.

District No. 7	M. Fitzgerald	\$7.52
District No. 9	T. McDonald	\$4.87
District No. 11	Chas. Haines	\$16.68
District No. 12	E. M. Kratzer	\$4.50
District No. 19	B. Gleason	\$2.70
District No. 26	Matthew Webb	\$4.21
District No. 31	A. Del Bishop	\$19.06
District No. 34	W. F. Bryant	\$5.90
District No. 36	Jacob Scott	\$2.04

Ordered that warrants be drawn on the road property funds of the various districts for road work for the year 1895.

District No. 1	Adam Boyd	\$2.94
District No. 3	P. Rush	\$5.11
District No. 5	R. F. Townsend	\$6.35
District No. 8	Geo. Kutzer	\$5.61
District No. 11	F. A. Whitney	\$4.50
District No. 14	A. G. MacDonald	\$9.92
District No. 16	G. F. Bottorff	\$3.83
District No. 17	S. K. Owen	\$18.35
District No. 18	J. A. French	\$9.83
District No. 22	Jas B. Cameron	\$6.70
District No. 23	S. S. Beggs	\$2.44
District No. 24	B. H. Newbill	\$9.50
District No. 33	A. G. Walker	\$21.37
District No. 36	W. A. Babb	\$5.77
District No. 43	Daniel Hollan Isworth	\$8.61

On application of Otto Mengart for license to sell beer at Chewelah, ordered that when the said Otto Mengart shall file a good and sufficient bond, the sum of \$200.00 to be

approved by the Auditor and the Treasurer receipt for \$50.00 license fee, the Auditor shall issue a license for one year.

In the matter of the petition of B. C. Allen and 18 others for a county road commencing at the corner stake between Sections 33 and 34 on county line in Township 30 North, Range 44 and terminating at Calispel Road on Section 26, Township 30 North Range 43.

It appearing to the board that the lands through which the proposed road is to pass has been donated and the petitioners agreeing to furnish all necessary help for surveying and laying out the same, free of charge to the county, ordered that C. F. Anderson and C. B. Johnson, be appointed as viewers and to meet the County Surveyor at such time and place as he may designate to survey and layout the same. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 349, B. C. Allen Road, #349}

It appearing to the board on the representation of F. C. Fedder and Timothy Deasy that Fedderer's Change in the Chewelah and Marcus Road is now in good condition for track such part of the old road as is affected by the said change is hereby declared vacated and abandoned. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 337, Fedderers change in Colville & Marcus Road, #537}

In the matter of settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed credits as follows and it is ordered that he be given credit for same.

Salary Fund			
Warrants redeemed	\$1088.95		
Interest on same	\$46.68		
County Officer's Vouchers	\$319.60	\$1,455.23	
Road Property Fund			
Warrants redeemed		\$283.32	
Road and Bridge Fund			
Warrants redeemed	\$429.65		
Interest on same	\$8.88	\$438.53	
Poor Fund			
Warrants redeemed		\$130.00	
Penalty Interest & Cash Fund			
Warrants redeemed		\$227.20	
Soldier's Relief Fund			
Warrants redeemed		\$17.00	
State General Fund			
Receipts State Treasurer		\$728.32	
State Military Fund			
Receipts State Treasurer		\$44.49	
State Interest Fund			
Receipts State Treasurer		\$6.57	

Town of Colville	
Receipts from Treasurer	\$24.07
General County Fund	
Cancelled Interest Coupons	\$1,088.00
Miscellaneous Receipts	
Monies refunded & etc.	\$33.34

Adjourned to April 14th, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 169 & 170, 4/14/1896 (images under 4/13/1896 file)

Tuesday, April 14, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday. Settlement with Treasurer continued.

Special School Fund			
Warrants redeemed	\$533.55		
Interest on same	\$36.47	\$570.03	
General School Fund			
Warrants redeemed	\$1,571.09		
Interest on same	\$138.97	\$1,710.06	

Bills examined and allowed

Joseph Lavigne	Expenses account self and Deputy's collecting	\$50.45
	delinquent taxes	
Charles Haines	Deputy Sheriff Salary	\$16.10
Charles Haines	Deputy Sheriff Team Hire	\$9.00
J. B. Thomas		
	Survey and plat Holst Road 3 days	\$15.00
	Survey and plat Fedderer's Change 2 days	\$10.00
	School District Map and changes in assessor, road,	\$15.00
	and school map, 3 days	
	Survey of change in Mill Creekwood 3 days	\$15.00
	18 miles travel	\$1.80
	To survey of change in Locke, Harvey Creek, and	\$30.00
	Storm's Road, 6 days	
	100 miles travel	\$10.00
	Total	\$96.80
J. S. Wright	Special Deputy Treasurer 8 days	\$20.00
E. M. Cook	Special Deputy Treasurer 16 days	\$40.00
Joseph Story	Special Deputy Treasurer 11 days	\$27.50
Martin Scotten	Special Deputy Treasurer 30 days	\$75.00
Jas Pickerell	Teachers examination 3 days	\$12.00
C. M. Durland	Teachers examination 3 days	\$12.00
Guy Haines	Care of Geo Whitney	\$10.00
G. W. Jarvis	Board of prisoners	\$73.80
Lucy A. Underhill	Board of prisoners	\$39.30
0. J. Smith	Expense account	\$8.50
Mrs. S. J. Dyer	3 sacks lime	\$1.50

Adjourned to April 15th, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 170, 4/15/1896

Wednesday, April 15th, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills examined and allowed.

H. J. Brown	List of final entries for assessor	\$11.60
F. B. Goetter	Prescriptions and drugs for prisoners & county poor	\$54.35
J. W. Johnson	Maintenance of self, January, February, March, 3 months at \$15.00	\$45.00

Bill of Turner and Graves, Attorney fees \$250.00, rejected.

M. R. Peck	Professional services for Cummings French	
Mrs. Neice	Eldwood, and county poor for year ending April 1896	\$865.00
S. Delscheimer	Rent of offices for Prosecuting Attorney, School	\$154.00
	Superintendent, and Assessor from March 1 st , 1895 to April 1 st , 1896	
D. F. Pankey	Stamp account	\$3.25
Bill of W. H. Groban	For care of county poor from January 1 st , 1896 for the sum of \$178.40 [?] day approved and allowed	
J. A. Lung	Professional service and drugs for county poor from January 28, 1896, to April 4 th , 1896, allowed (poor fund)	\$9.50
E. A. Keys	Relief to indigent Soldier Union Post No. 70	\$4.00
Daniel Hollandsworth	Repairs of Lapray Bridge	\$8.00
Joseph Oppenheimer	Nails and spikes	\$2.15
Colville Index	Job work	\$59.00
Colville Index	Publications	\$26.64

Board adjourned to April 16, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 171 and 172, 4/16/1896

Thursday, April 16, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills examined and allowed.

W. D. Allen	Coffin for Bayer	\$5.20
J. J. Travis	Professional services medicine and burial expense	\$34.75
	of Wm Boykin	
Sacred Heart	Professional services, board, and burial L.	\$149.00
Hospital	Williams	
	Board and burial John Voss	\$63.50
A. V. Downs	Assisting in burial of Wm. Boykin	\$3.00
M. F. Hull	Making coffin Wm. Boykin	\$11.00
James Sherry	Making coffin A. Neice Jr.	\$6.00
Steve Wofford	trip for Coroner in a. Neice Jr. case	\$5.00
T. C. Green	2 visits and medicine to [Rosell?] Lutzen	\$20.00
Roberts & Quinn	Meals for prisoners	\$3.00
Thos. A. Parrott	Bill for guarding private property at Northport	
	fire, rejected	
Thos. A. Parrott	Justice fee State versus King & McCall	\$3.29
John Beeker	Guarding prisoners 1 day	\$2.50
Bert Wooden	Guarding prisoners 1 day	\$2.50
John Anderson	Guarding O. E. Cox	\$2.50
John Nelson	Guarding O. E. Cox	\$2.50
J. F. Lavigne	To expenses publishing notices of application for	\$317.00
	judgment on delinquent Real Estate Taxes, Warrants	
	drawn on Penalty, Interest, & Cost Fund	

In the matter of the settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed deposits in the bank and cash in safe for \$15,119.67 deposited in the various funds as follows.

School Fund	\$3722.80
State Fund	\$869.42
Military Fund	\$45.87
State Interest Fund	\$34.69
Special School Fund	\$2479.97
Road Property Fund	\$650.65
Road & Bridge Fund	\$641.73
Special Road Fund	\$9.55
Salary Fund	\$3626.07
Penalty, Interest, and Cost Fund	\$358.09
Soldiers Relief Fund	\$151.88
Current Expense Fund	\$43.00
County General Fund	\$1224.80
Town of Colville Fund	\$144.82
Town of Kettle Falls Fund	\$66.87
Poor Fund	\$223.04
Superior Court Fund	\$153.04
Contingent Fund	\$153.04
State School Fund	\$520.34

Ordered that P. V. Crittenden be refunded \$1.85 taxes on northeast ½ northwest ½ Section 23 Township 36 Range 37 on account double assessment.

Ordered that J. J. Hughes be allowed exemption on Roll 1894 as governed by law.

In appearing that the Road Supervisor elected for District No. 8 refused to qualify. Ordered that J. E. Lattin be and is hereby appointed to fill such vacancy.

It appearing to the board that the office of Road Supervisor for District No. 43 is vacant. Ordered that Daniel Hollendsworth is hereby appointed to fill such vacancy.

It appearing to the board that an error exists in the personal assessment of Adolf Rivers on Roll 1894. Ordered that he be allowed a rebate of \$67.00 on said Roll.

In the matter of the application of J. E. Johnson for a license to conduct a retail liquor business at Boundary City ordered that when he shall file with the Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$1,000.00 to be approved by the Auditor and the Treasurer's receipt for \$300.00 license fee then the Auditor is authorized to issue a license for one year.

Board adjourned to Friday, April 17, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 173 and 174, 4/17/1896

Friday, April 17th, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that Frank Truax be allowed an exemption on the Roll of 1895 as provided by law. The following bills examined and allowed.

Frank Truax	Man and team after Doctor for Whitney	\$3.00
M. Walsh	Justice fees State versus Mankern	\$4.25
S. L. Burch	Bill Constable State versus Mankern	\$29.90
Jno. Stevens	Witness State versus Mankern	\$2.20
Chas. Newman	Witness State versus Mankern	\$2.20
Ed Latta	Witness State versus Mankern	\$2.20

It appearing to the board that the increased amount of recording coming into the Auditor's Office owing to the opening of the Colville Indian Reservation to mineral entry necessitates the employment of extra clerical assistance to [?] recording.

Ordered that the board hereby sanction the employment by the Auditor of such clerical assistance as is actually necessary from time to time, at a salary not to exceed two and 50/100 dollars per day each and that the Auditor is hereby authorized to draw warrants on the salary fund in payment of such assistance on the first Monday of each month the same as other salary warrants are drawn.

The bill of O. T. Smith, Constable fees State versus Abrams for \$16.00. Rejected for want of jurisdiction.

Application and bond of Osner Oaks for license to conduct retail liquor business at Marcus approved and Auditor instruction to issue such license.

Application of Osner Oaks for license to sell cigarettes at Marcus, approved and license hereby granted.

Ordered that the payment of taxes made on Lot 36 Block 26 Central Addition to Kettle Falls Roll 1893, be cancelled and same applied to payment of tax on Lot 38 Block 26 Central Addition to Kettle Falls Roll 1893.

Thomas Sinech	1 day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
Conrad Richard	1 day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
Jacob Kellar	Ordered Wallace Post No. 64 relief to Carroll	\$10.00
	Morgan	
J. H. Lamb	Deputy Sheriff Salary	\$17.50
J. H. Lamb	Deputy Sheriff Livery Bill	\$13.00
J. H. Lamb	Deputy Sheriff	\$5.00
I. Serverson	Care Mrs. Neice 2 days Deputy Sheriff	\$5.00
Mrs. J. G. Aubin	Care Mrs. Neice 21 days Deputy Sheriff	\$52.50
Albert Dingle	30 days Deputy Sheriff	\$75.00
G. B. Aubin	Board Mrs. Neice 21 days	\$42.00
Mrs. A. J. Dyer	Nurse Mrs. Neice 18 days	\$54.00
Chas. Thompson	Coffin for A. Neice Sr.	\$8.00

The following bills examined and allowed.

Tom Moran	Helping dig grave for A. Neice Sr.	\$4.00
Thos. Whitehead	Helping dig grave for A. Neice Sr.	\$4.00
C. R. McMillan	Livery bill for September 5, 1895 to April 3, 1896	\$124.00
A. V. Downs	Deputy Sheriff	\$7.50
L. E. Jessup	Justice fees State versus Letterman	\$4.40
Frank Truax	Witness fees State versus Letterman	\$2.20
H. E. Downey	Witness fees State versus Letterman	\$2.20
Chas. Luft	Witness fees State versus Letterman	\$2.20
R. M. Thomas	Witness fees State versus Letterman	\$2.20
Guy Haines	Witness fees State versus Letterman	\$10.40
Chas Haines	Witness fees State versus Letterman	\$10.40

Adjourned to April 18, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 174 and 175, 4/18/1896

Saturday, April 18th, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It appearing to the board that certain errors have been made in listing some of the property of Road District No. 32 in Road District No. 3, ordered that the County Treasurer make the following change transfer from Road District No. 3 to Road District No. 32:

Southeast ¼ southeast ¼ and northeast ¼ and southeast ¼ of Section 21 Township 36 Range 39

Southeast ¼ and northeast ¼ and northeast ¼ southeast ¼ and northwest ¼ southeast ¼ and southeast ¼ southeast Section 25 Township 36 Range 39

Northeast ¼ northwest ¼ and northeast ¼ northwest ¼ and southeast ¼ and northwest ¼ and northwest ¼ and northeast ¼ Section 27 Township 36 Range 39

Northeast ¼ northeast ¼ Section 28 Township 36 Range 39

Northeast ½ northwest ½ and southeast ¼ northwest ¼ and southwest ½ northeast ½ and southeast ¼ northeast ¼ and northeast ¼ and northwest ¼ and northwest ¼ northeast ¼ and northeast ¼ southeast ¼ and southeast ¼ southwest ¼ Section 34 Township 36 Range 39 and refund to Road District No. 32 the taxes paid to Road District No. 3 on the abovedescribed property.

The following bills examined and allowed.

In the matter of application of Geo. Thomas for a license to conduct a retail liquor business at Northport ordered that when he shall file with the Auditor a good and sufficient bond as required by law and the Treasurer's receipt for \$300.00 license fee, then the Auditor shall issue such license.

The following bills examined and allowed.

Robert Hilts	12 days County Commissioner	\$60.00
	Mileage 110 miles	\$11.00
		\$71.00
L. J. Wolfard	12 days County Commissioner	\$60.00
	2 days looking after county charges	\$10.00
		\$70.00
Robert Fountain	12 days County Commissioner	\$60.00
	Mileage 150 miles	\$15.00
	Cash advanced to pauper	\$1.00
		\$76.00

Board adjourned Sine Die

Attest S. McLean, Clerk

Robert Hilts, Chairman

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 175, 7/6/1896

Colville, Washington, Monday, July 6, 1896

Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County met in regular quarterly session.

Present

Robert Hilts	Commissioner 1 st District (Chairman)
L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District
Robert Fountain	Commissioner 3 rd District
J. S. McLean	Auditor and Clerk of the Board

Examination of correspondence and communications to the board.

Board adjourned to July 7th, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 176 & 177, 7/7/1896

Tuesday, July 7, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Official bond of Jas. Morrison, Justice of the Peace of Metaline Precinct, approved.

Reports of the following Road Supervisors examined and approved as follows:

Road District No. 1	Chas. Alban	\$36.00
Road District No. 2	P. W. McCabe	\$21.00
Road District No. 3	Peter Rush	\$25.00
Road District No. 4	R. J. Ogden	\$20.00
Road District No. 5	R. J. Townsend	\$31.25
Road District No. 6	Peter Amacher	\$27.50
Road District No. 7	J. A. Koontz	\$44.50
Road District No. 8		
Road District No. 9	Layton Matthewson	\$37.50
Road District No. 10	W. J. Johnson	\$12.50
Road District No. 11	F. A. Whitney	\$10.00
Road District No. 12	G. Rellstab	\$37.50
Road District No. 13		
Road District No. 14	A. G. McDonald	\$22.50
Road District No. 15	No supervisor	
Road District No. 16	Geo. F. Bottorff	\$13.75
Road District No. 17	S. K. Owen	\$62.25
Road District No. 18		
Road District No. 19	Willard Spencer	\$12.00
Road District No. 20	H. C. Hughes	\$35.00
Road District No. 21	Bryon A. Belknap	
Road District No. 22	J. B. Cameron	\$35.00
Road District No. 23	S. S. Beggs	\$20.00
Road District No. 24	Antoine Price	\$69.50
Road District No. 25	Colville	
Road District No. 26	Joseph Leuer	\$30.00
Road District No. 27		
Road District No. 28	Geo. H. Bobier	\$12.50
Road District No. 29	H. A. Bennett	\$21.25
Road District No. 30	Geo. Gibson	\$5.00
Road District No. 31	Thos Perrott	\$5.00
Road District No. 32	John Jones	\$12.50
Road District No. 33	W. H. Williams	
Road District No. 34	Kettle Falls	
Road District No. 35		
Road District No. 36	William Bean	\$27.50
Road District No. 37		
Road District No. 38		
Road District No. 39		
Road District No. 40		
Road District No. 41	S. F. Moomau	\$50.00
Road District No. 42	J. W. Prewett	\$10.00
Road District No. 43	Daniel Hollandsworth	\$15.00

It appearing to the board that the office of Road Supervisor for District No. 42 is vacant, ordered that J. D. Wooden is hereby appointed to fill such vacancy. Board adjourned to July 8, 1896. Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 177 & 178, 7/8/1896

Wednesday, July 8, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of A. F. Sadler's resignation as Constable of McLaughlin Precinct, examined and accepted.

In the matter of Clark Whitbeck's resignation as Justice of the Peace of Forrest Center examined and accepted.

Ordered that the Treasurer refund to Geo. H. Norton the sum of \$1.30 for over payment of taxes from error in transcription roll of 1894.

It appearing to the board from affidavits from the County Treasurer, that the amount of \$368.99 on Personal Tax roll of 1894 is uncollectable. It is hereby ordered that the same be cancelled and the Treasurer be given credit for the same.

Board adjourned to July 9, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 178 & 179, 7/9/1896

Thursday, July 9, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment of July 8, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of settlement with Road Supervisor of 1894.

Ordered that amounts following be transferred from Road & Bridge Fund to Road Property Fund of 1894, the same to settle 1894 accounts.

Road District No. 9	T. D. McDonald	\$5.29
Road District No. 26	Matt Nett	\$16.38
Road District No. 27	Emil Schultz	\$22.11
Road District No. 32	John Jones	\$165.60
Road District No. 34	W. F. Bryant	\$7.17
Road District No. 37	Peter Tetro	\$4.53
Road District No. 39	Pat Grace	\$8.36
Road District No. 29	H. A. Bennett	\$105.93
Road District No. 40	William Miller	\$37.65

Matter of settlement with Road Supervisors of 1894, ordered that warrants be drawn for following amounts on Road Property Fund.

Road District No. 9	T. D. McDonald	\$22.11
Road District No. 10	F. J. Phelps	\$12.32
Road District No. 12	E. M. Kratzer	\$1.26
Road District No. 19	B. Gleason	\$2.24
Road District No. 26	Matt Nett	\$21.52
Road District No. 27	Emil Schulz	\$25.45
Road District No. 32	John Jones	\$168.94
Road District No. 34	W. F. Bryant	\$30.16
Road District No. 37	Peter Tetro	\$14.44
Road District No. 29	H. A. Bennett	\$113.95
Road District No. 39	Pat Grace	\$11.11
Road District No. 40	William Miller	\$40.00

Board adjourned to Friday, July 10, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 179 & 180, 7/10/1896

Friday, July 10, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Matter of settlement with Road Supervisors of 1895 and 1896. Ordered that warrants be drawn for following amounts on Road Property Fund.

District No. 1	Chas Alban	\$36.00
District No. 2	P. W. McCabe	\$21.00
District No. 3	Peter Rush	\$11.00
District No. 4	R. J. Ogden	\$20.00
District No. 5	R. J. Townsend	\$29.75
District No. 6	Gotlieb Fatzer	\$44.48
District No. 6	Peter Amacher	\$9.00
District No. 7	Thos Turk	\$83.00
District No. 8	Geo. Kulzer	\$7.40
District No. 9	T. D. McDonald	\$0
District No. 10	W. J. Johnson	\$28.21
District No. 11	F. A. Whitney	\$84.40
District No. 12	Joseph James	\$14.65
District No. 13	F. K. Shelhamer	\$50.00
District No. 14	A. G. McDonald	\$25.44
District No. 16	G. F. Bottorff	\$6.00
District No. 17	S. K. Durn	\$52.00
District No. 18	J. A. French	\$.92
District No. 19	Henry Clark	\$3.00
District No. 20	G. E. Cornwall	\$11.00
District No. 21	Byron Belknap	\$0
District No. 22	Jas. B Cameron	\$31.00
District No. 23	S. S. Beggs	\$8.00
District No. 24	B. H. Newbill	\$39.20
District No. 26	Joseph Leaur	\$0
District No. 30	Geo. Gibson	\$14.12
District No. 31	Thos Perrott	\$5.00
District No. 33	A. G. Walter	\$27.01
District No. 36	W. A. Babb	\$12.00
District No. 38	J. F. Hall	\$4.00
District No. 41	S. F. Moomaw	\$4.00
District No. 43	Daniel Hollandsworth	\$27.00

It appearing to the board that an error was made in the payment of taxes on Lot 17 Block 32 Central Addition to Kettle Falls as the property should have been described as Lot 17 Block 52 Central Addition to Kettle Falls on the Roll of 1891. It is ordered that the County Treasurer refund to Alex Clunas the sum of \$4.74 and that he cancel tax receipt No. 1258 dated December 24, 1891 and remit all penalty interest and costs on the said Lot 17 Block 52 Central Addition Town of Kettle Falls for the year 1891.

Board adjourned to July 11, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 180, 181, & 182, 7/11/1896 (On file of Minutes for 7/10/1896)

Saturday, July 11, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of settlement with the County Treasurer. Ordered that the Treasurer be given in the various funds for the following amounts as per redeemed warrants and vouchers presented to the board, to wit:

Salary Warrants	\$8,256.20	
Interest on Same	\$241.69	
Officers Vouchers	\$333.30	\$8831.19
Road Property Fund		
Warrants redeemed	\$298.70	
Interest on same	\$.55	\$299.25
Road and Bridge Fund		
Warrants redeemed	\$577.37	
Interest on same	\$17.03	\$594.40
Contingent Fund Warrants Redeemed		\$221.83
Penalty Interest on Cost Fund Warrants Redeemed		\$317.00
Soldiers Relief Fund		
Warrants redeemed		\$129.50
Special School Fund		
Warrants redeemed	\$1176.78	
Interest on same	\$23.54	
Interest on coupons	\$84.00	\$1284.32
General School Fund		
Warrants redeemed	\$2,102.29	
Interest on same	\$205.82	
Interest Coupons	\$266.00	\$2,574.11
State General Fund Treasurer's Receipts		\$869.42
State Interest Fund		
Treasurer's Receipts		\$32.64
State Military Fund		
Treasurer's Receipts		\$45.87
State School Fund		
Treasurer's Receipts		\$520.34

Town Colville		
Treasurer's Receipts		\$162.22
County General Fund		
Interest Coupons		\$1,200.00
Refunds by order of County		
Commissioners		
N. Dupuis	\$14.65	
G. Friedman	\$2.92	
Jos Robert	13.14	
C. W. Winter	\$9.63	\$40.34

Board adjourned to Monday, July 13, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 182, 183, 184 & 185, 7/13/1896

Monday, July 13, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of Saturday, July 11, 1896

In the matter of the petition of E. E. Hall and eleven others for a division of Metaline Precinct and to create a new precinct known as the Precinct of Ione, said precinct to embrace all that part of Metaline Precinct lying between the Blue Slide and the Box Canyo on both sides of Pend Oreille River. Petition granted.

In the matter of the petition of O. A. Minard and fourteen others for a county road to commence at the terminus of the lower end of the west side Calispel Valley Road and running by the most practicable router on the west bank of the Pend Oreille River to Ione thence up the Little Muddy to the 12 Mile Post on the Metaline cut-out. They to furnish all necessary work except surveyor, it is ordered that Jas. Morrison and John B. Renshaw be appointed viewers who shall meet the County Surveyor, at such time and place as he may designate to survey & layout the same. Petition granted.

In the matter of the petition of J. W. Strupel and fifty-four others for a county road to extend from the point where the Hofstetter Road intersects between Sections 25 & 30, Township 35 North Range 39 Eat Willamette Meridian to Archie McDonalds to intersect the McDonald Road; also, a branch road to extend from the northwest corner of Section 4 Township 34 North Range 40 East to intersect the county road near Homan's Bridge. They to furnish all necessary help except surveyor. Petition is granted and it is ordered that John Mastling and Thos. Crandal be appointed viewers, who shall meet the County Surveyor at such time and place as he may designate to survey and layout the same. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 355, J. W. Strupel Road, #582}

In the matter of the petition of J. F. Nelson and thirteen others for the appointment of Geo. Heatherton as Road Surveyor of Road District No. 38, rejected.

In the matter of the petition of Geo. W. Johnston and six others that South ½ Township 30 Range 45 and South ½ Township 30 Range 46 be set apart as a Road District. Rejected.

In the matter of the petition from J. H. Judy et al. It appearing to the board that the routed petitioned for was surveyed under an order of the Superior Court by County Surveyor, R. B. Thomas on August 16th, 1894; that no protest was entered; and that the owner of southwest ¼ of southwest ¼ Section 4 Township 28 North Range 40 East Willamette Meridian, dedicated the right of way and is apparently the only holder of land along the route and further that the said road has been maintained and used as a county road over five years, it is therefore ordered that the same be and is hereby declared a public highway and that that part of the old Walkers and Camas Prairie Road, between the termini hereof and heretofore unopened and unused is hereby abandoned. The field notes of aforesaid survey governing the location being the Estabrook Road and the Lime Kiln Road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 319, Lime Kiln Road, #560a}

In the matter of the petition of J. T. Grove and twelve others for a county road to commence as southwest corner of Section 19 Township Range 43, and extending to county line on half section line Section 6 Township 29 Range 43 in manner described in petition. They to furnish all necessary work except surveyor, and it is ordered that J. T. Grove

and A. E. Ellsworth be appointed viewers who shall meet the County Surveyor at such time and place, as he may designate to survey and lay out the same. Petition granted.

E. O. Morrison's resignation as Justice of the Peace in and for Marcus Precinct examined and approved as accepted.

In the matter of the petition of W. C. Morris et all that J. F. Morgan be appointed Justice of the Peace in and for Marcus Precinct examined and it ordered that said J. F. Morgan be appointed as petitioned.

In the matter of the petition of M. Oppenheimer et al that H. M. Seigle be appointed Constable in and for Marcus Precinct examined and it is ordered that said H. M. Seigle be appointed as petitioned.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, July 14.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 185 & 186, 7/14/1896

Tuesday, July 14, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It appearing to the board that the boundary lines of Newport and Diamond Lake voting precincts are very vague and liable to create confusion, it is hereby ordered that the lines be defined as follows. For Newport commencing at the state line in the southeast corner of Stevens County, thence running West to the range line between Ranges 44 and 45, thence north 15 miles thence East to the state line, thence South on said line to the place of beginning. The voting Precinct of Diamond Lake to include all the territory in Township 30 and 31, Range 44.

Ordered that the statutory exemption which was omitted in the personal assessment of Roll of 1895, be allowed the following persons:

Caroline Ackerman Paul Laplant Mrs. A. J. Burr Geo. Vath Mrs. M. Egan A. W. Baker Alex Weaver Mrs. L. C. P. Haskins W. A. Atkinson

Henry Morgan allowed rebate of taxes on \$100 on account of error, being assessed twice.

H. Winchester allowed rebate of taxes on \$100.00 on account of error, being assessed twice.

Ordered that Mrs. J. W. Askins asses in Colville be error, be place in Road District 18, School District 19.

Ordered that A. Denison be allowed a rebate of special school tax on account of error. Board adjourned to Wednesday, July 15, 1896. Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, and 191 7/15/1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the application of August Jackson for a retail liquor license for the Town of Northport, he having paid \$300.00 license fee and filed sufficient bond, it is ordered that license be granted for one year from July 1, 1896.

In the matter of the application of O'Conner & Devine for a retail liquor license for the Town of Northport, he having paid \$300.00 license fee and filed sufficient bond, it is ordered that license be granted for one year from May 20th, 1896.

In the matter of Neeland and Meldrum for a retail liquor license for the Town of Northport, he having paid \$300.00 license fee and filled sufficient bond. It is ordered that license be granted for one year from June 5yh, 1896.

In the matter of the application of John Woodward for a retail liquor license for the Cedar Canyon, he having paid \$300.00 license fee and filed sufficient bond. It is ordered that license be granted for one year from May 25th, 1896.

In the matter of the application of Otto Arnol for a retail liquor license for Northport, he having paid \$300.00 license fee and filed sufficient bond. It is ordered that license be granted for one year from June 11th, 1896.

In the matter of the application of J. W. Townsend for a retail liquor license for Northport, he having paid \$300.00 license fee and filed sufficient bond. It is ordered that license be granted for one year from May 19, 1896.

In the matter of the application of Thos Burke for a beer license for Clayton, Washington, he having filed sufficient bond and paid \$50.00 license fee and filed sufficient bond. It is ordered that license be granted for one year from July 11, 1896.

Ordered that the Treasurer transfer the sum of \$50.00 from the Road and Bridge Fund to Road Property Fund of Road District No. 5 for the purpose of paying for opening the Colville and Daisy Mine Road in the northeast ½ of Section 32 Township 39 East Willamette Meridian.

In the matter of settlement with the County Treasurer, he should deposit in the bank and cash in safe for \$14,016.10 distributed, in the various funds as follows:

School Fund	¢4522 20
School Fund	\$4522.30
General State Fund	\$1424.01
State Interest Fund	\$58.42
State Military Fund	\$67.04
Special School Fund	\$1979.08
Road Property Fund	\$1139.44
Road and Bridge Fund	\$946.43
Penalty, Cost & Interest Fund	\$447.82
Salary Fund	\$1615.28
Soldiers Relief Fund	\$177.06
Current Expense Fund	\$43.00
County Fund (Withdrawn \$688.80)	
Colville Fund	\$264.70
Kettle Falls Fund	\$136.83

Poor Fund	\$351.94
Superior Court Fund	\$417.44
Contingent Expense Fund	\$195.61
State School Fund	\$898.99
Special Road Fund	\$13.51

Ordered that the following list of three hundred names of persons be and is hereby designated by the Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, to serve as grand and petit jurors for the present year, to wit:

Wm. Graham	Wm. Miller	Fred Phillips	
Geo. Wisner	W. R. Skelton	Orin Coats	
P. H. Grace	J. A. Ham	P. W. McCabe	
John Salvage	E. S. McCloud	A. McColeman	
Thos Smith	Court Losie	John Keough	
A. W. Miles	W. A. Jones	R. J. Ogden	
Louis Perras	James Crawford	John Acorn	
Adam Arnold	Osner Hall	J. A. Crosby	
John E. Morrow	James E. Pickrell	John H. Berg	
George Stengar	Henry Earnest	Charles R. Hays	
Isaac Stedman	Thomas Heller	James Allen	
C. E. Brooks	Jack Hanley	H. W. Sparks	
Charles H. Alban	David Steele	G. W. Bryant	
Theo. McClure	Fred Ragsdale	A. Wilkes	
J. L. Pool	J. W. Thompson	E. F. Shannon	
C. F. Conrady	Frank Earnest	F. M. Brown	
E. S. Dudrey	T. A. Winter	John Bachman	
C. S. Prouty	Peter Martin	J. J. Budd	
E. Blackmore	Geo. W. Reynolds	D. W. Church	
Henry Carr	T. L. Savage	W. R. Pierce	
E. A. Anderson	John Nelson	John Holford	
V. Lemery	Lee Ogden	H. H. Carl	
Frank Habein	Oreille Butts	Jacob Singer	
C. W. Winter	Wm. Parmalee	H. T. Reynolds	
D. T. C Bird	Thos. Aspend	Wesley Gourley	
J. J. Walters	Chas. St. Clair	Charles H. Kitchen	
W. S. Cagle	Fred Hoss	Nathan Young	
G. B. Aubin	James Burris	Peter Heber	
N. C. Parker	John Leipp	Lorn F. Shaffer	
John Rickey	H. S. Brown	Con Newbill	
Wm. Day	H. Y. Dorman	Antoine Price	
G. B. Ide	Davide Meikle	W. H. Bennett	
Geo. Theis	Henry Laundry	P. J. Lang	
J. M. Mohney	C. A. Ledgerwood	George Young	
C. H. Thompson	J. W. Reynolds	G. E. Cornwall	
R. E. Lee	R. F. Higginbotham	Davide Moore	
Edward Williams	C. H. Chamberlain	Steven Burgess	
L. D. Wilber	B. F. Shannon Henry Clark		
C. S. Boss	Uriah Eslick	Frank Mitchell	
A. J. Jackson	P. W. Kittrell	John Magee	
Adel Bishop	J. S. Blair	Paul Nelson	

C. N. Collins	J. L. Holford	E. O. Snodgrass
D. F. Crown	W. C. Starkey	E. J. Kelley
W. B. Aris	E. E. Smith	George Harvey
A. T. Kendrick	S. F. Starr	E. P. Botts
G. W. Seal	W. H. Jeffrey	H. L. Childs
Con M. Durland	W. H. Spencer	S. K. Owens
0. J. Smith	B. Gleason	W. J. Stambaugh
Jacob Stitzel	Labe Garner	J. A. Barry
John U. Hofstetter	H. C. Hughes	G. D. Hendrick
R. J. Townsend	Grant Martin	John J. Alyea
Louis Adams	L. J. Poteet	Wm. Duncan
D. Barman	B. H. Newbill	W. H. Latta
John Hardenbrook	Henry Troger	John Dynes
Nathan Hardenbrook	Lee Richardson	A. G. Spaulding
George Knapp	R. S. Ledgerwood	R. V. Brooks
S. N. Bodge	M. Fitzgerald	L. L. Jones
Frank Donley	Chas Reginary	J. D. Walter
Arthur King	J. Raftus	Bryon J. Scott
Fred Hamilton	J. R. Jewell	Walter E. Strong
Wm. Knisely	C. E. Ross	R. S. Irish
S. L. Brechbill	H. J. Hooker	Ed. Wayland
J. A. Miller	E. G. Thomason	
	T. J. Turk	Frank Wagner F. M. Jarvis
Michael Kautz Jr.		
A. H. Davis	H. Burbank	Jas. Robinson
A. G. Goakey	A. Potter	Wm. Boyd
P. H. Bartley	W. R. Ward	A. V. Shepler
W. H. Williams	V. N. Lucas	W. F. Scott
T. Rail	Daniel Benn	Walter Hill
Henry Peninger	J. Nett	Low Weatherwax
J. Hosier	T. Jones	R. J. Stephenson
J. P. Fletcher	F. W. Dickey	Alfred Young
S. C. Morgan	C. Lockhart Jr.	M. A. Shafer
J. M. Compton	Wm. Richmond	Wm. Campbell
E. W. Winslow	Ed. McCray	E. O'Hara
Robert Ward	F. Hoffmeister	S. S. Beggs
L. H. Brown	T. Tait	F. J. Phelps
George Stockwell	M. Nett	James Rogers
J. B. Hergesheimer	P. Tetro	Wm. Jared
J. M. Allensworth	Wm. Smith	W. D. Allen
Martin Scottin	T. Reardon	Frank Chimpman
Floyd Lawson	W. H. Lewis	E. M. Cook
Abe Heidigger	J. E. Tupper	John Lee
J. B. Hammer	S. H. Champ	W. C. Gray
G. W. Sykes	T. Jenkins	M. Kulzer
Wilford Peltier	D. F. Taylor	Basil Browns
James Sewell	E. Davis	O. D. Moody
George Wakefield	Jas. Penney	Jos. Ehorn
J. M. Smith	L. Dudley	Joshua Story
Elisha Tarble	Emile Materne	T. D. McDonald
E. A. Kyes	H. Knutson	Thos. Burke
J. A. Sutton	J. L. Denton	W. L. Sax

John Dedrick	F. Keiling	James Ferguson
G. T. Rigg	C. F. Rigg	Thos Green
N. Blowser	R. D. McEvers	Thomas Dawson
A. Keiling	David Lattin	W. R. Holderman
T. M. Smith	Orin Belknap	Frank Truax
C. A. Mowatt	E. B. Townsend	J. H. Judy
D. L. Ludwig	Thos Dawson	
T. P. Barber	G. W. Bynes	
W. B. Smith	Paul E. Atkins	

{Lewis H. Brown was postmaster of Waterloo Post Office from 4 March 1898 to January 1900.}

Board adjourned to Thursday, July 16, 1896 {Note this is on page 191 on minutes for July 16, 1896.}

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 191, 7/16/1896

Thursday, July 16, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the application of Chas Narboe & Co., for a cigarette license for the Town of Marcus, he having paid license fee for \$5.00, it is ordered that license be granted for six months from May 21, 1896.

Ordered that County Warrant No. 340 for \$66.30 drawn in favor of F. Barman be cancelled.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue and have published a call for sealed bids for the construction of a wagon bridge across the Calispel River near its mouth, also for the construction of a fill at the same place according to specifications now on file in the Auditor's Office. The board reserving the right to reject any or all bids. Bids to be opened August 24, 1896.

Board adjourned to Friday, July 17, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 191, 192, & 193, 7/17/1896

Friday, July 17, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that an order passed March 5th, 1895, and recorded on Page 89, Book C Commissioners' Journal, allowing County Surveyor \$4.00 per month for office rent be cancelled and set aside.

The following bills were examined and approved.

Simon Swenson	9 days with team on Kratzer Bridge	\$27.00
S. M. Kratzer	7 days on Kratzer Bridge	\$10.50
E. P. Stanley	4 days on Kratzer Bridge	\$6.00
P. S. Hattery	3 days on Kratzer Bridge	\$4.50
Ness Simonson	3 days on Kratzer Bridge	\$4.50
F. Barman	Reversible plow	\$17.00
E. G. Thomason	Bridge lumber for District 7	\$14.88
J. Oppenheimer	Bridge nails for District 7	\$2.50
O. J. Smith	Stamps, etc.	\$4.20
O. J. Smith	Contingent expense bill	\$14.80
Mrs. Dyer	Lime for courthouse	\$2.00
F. Barman	Window curtains	\$1.40
Jos. F. Lavigne	25 briefs S. Ex Trust Co versus Co. Treasurer	\$17.75
C. W. Winter	Assignee Rent of Rickey Hall for Court Room	\$10.00
D. F. Pankey	Stamps, etc.	\$6.00
James Palmer	Expense Deputy Sheriff	\$8.55
F. Barman	Merchandise	\$49.30
Wm. Gifford	5 days, \$2.50 @ as Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
Samuel Wigton	4 days, \$2.50 @ as Deputy Sheriff	\$10.00
Jack Palmer	2 days, \$2.50 @ as Deputy Sheriff	\$5.00
J. B. Thomas	Surveying and plating ten county roads	\$170.00
W. H. Graham	Care of Poor	\$81.95
C. R. McMillan	Advanced to county Poor	\$2.10
J. A. Lung, M.D.	Professional Services	\$31.00
Jacob Keller	Relief of W. T. Boyles	\$15.00
E. A. Kyes	Relief of P. Immel	\$10.00
E. A. Kyes	Relief of W. L. Roote	\$10.00
Jas. O. Gifford	Burial expenses of Peter Hedlund	\$7.50
B. L. Brigham, M. D.	Professional services on body of A. Heise, Jr.	\$25.00
C. M. Durland	School examiner in May	\$12.00
Jas. E. Pickrell	School examiner in May	\$12.00
C. R. McMillan	Livery bill	\$46.25
G. W. Jarvis	Boarding prisoners	\$39.00
C. W. Winter	Assignee Rent of office for County Surveyor	\$64.00
Chas. St. Clair	Board of prisoner	\$41.40

Board adjourned to July 18, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 193, 7/18/1896

July 18, 1896, Saturday

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the County Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to return to G. B. Dennis the sum of \$3.00 charged for six certificates, said certificates having since been replaced by others.

Ordered that Cost Bill State versus Ma-Sa-Labe laid over.

Ordered that Cost Bill of Coroner's inquest on body of Andrew Hesner be laid over.

Ordered that Cost Bill of State versus M. Cartwright be laid over.

The following bill examined and rejected, it to be put in Supervisor's report of Road District No. 3. Frank Rotter, (Repairs on a power) \$2.50

The following bills examined and approved.

C. R. McMillan expense of Sheriff in July Court \$21.00

Ordered that Cost Bill, State versus C. W. Ruddick be laid over.

Board adjourned to Monday, July 20, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 193 & 194, 7/20/1896 (on file for 7/18/2021)

Monday, July 20, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Following bills examined and approved.

John U. Hofstetter	Deputy Sheriff 14 days/\$2.50 @	\$35.00
E. E. Kirkman	Deputy Sheriff 1 day/\$2.50 @	\$2.50
Frank Truax	Cash expended for County Poor	\$1.50
Frank Truax	Work on account of County Poor	\$13.50
E. E. Kirkman	Saddle horse 2 days	\$4.00

It appearing to the board that the rights of way for the proposed roads, viz. "Diamond Lake and Scotia Road" thirty (30) feet in width; "Spring Valley Road" Sixty (60) feet in width; "Extension of the Kent Road" Sixty (60) feet in width; "Change in the Diamond Lake Road" sixty (60) feet in width; "Bennett Road" forty (40) feet in width; "McKenzie Road" thirty (30) feet in width; "Henry Shultze Road" thirty (30) feet in width; "Geo. E. Wright Road" sixty (60) feet in width; "B. C. Allen Road" thirty (30) feet in width, have each been laid out and surveyed and that the rights of way for said roads have been dedicated to the county for road purposes by those occupying or owning the lands over which said roads pass. Ordered that the plats and field notes of the County Surveyor be and the same are hereby approved, and said roads hereby declared to be public highways, and the supervisor through whose Road Districts said roads run are hereby authorized to treat said roads as Public Highways.

{Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 347, Diamond Lake and Scotia Road, #512}
{Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 345, Spring Valley Road, #502} {Stevens County
Surveyor Road Book A, Page 347, Extension of Kent Road, #689} {Stevens County Surveyor
Road Book A, Page 344, Change in Diamond Lake Road, #539} {Stevens County Surveyor Road
Book A, Page 341, Bennett Road, #587} {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 342,
McKenzie Road, #544} {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 343, Schultze Road, #619}
{Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 350, Geo. E. Wright Road, #652} {Stevens
County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 349, B. C. Allen Road, #349}

Ordered that T. D. McDonald be allowed a reduction of %150.00 on the Personal Tax Roll of 1895 on account of error on assessment.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, July 21, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 194 & 195, 7/21/1896

Tuesday, July 21, 1896.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Liquor license bond of Neeland and Meldrum of Northport, Washington, examined and approved.

Justice of the Peace bond of J. F. Morgan of Marcus, Washington, examined and approved.

{John F. Morgan was postmaster of Marcus Post Office from 25 February 1899 to February 1915.}

Bill examined and approved.

J. W. Johns	Care of self 3 months, April, May & June	\$45.00
F. B. Goetter	Drugs for county prisoners	\$6.25

Following bills examined and approved

Robert Hilts	14 days as County Commissioner Mileage 55 miles	\$75.50
	.10, \$5.00@	
Robert Fountain	14 days as County Commissioner & 150 miles	\$85.00
L. J. Wolfard	14 days as County Commissioner \$5.00@	\$70.00

Board adjourned to August 24, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 195, 196, & 197, 7/24/1896

Monday, August 24th, 1896

Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment of July 21st, 1896. Present as follows:

Robert Hilts	Commissioner 1 st District (Chairman)
L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District
Robert Fountain	Commissioner 3 rd District

It appearing to the board that the office of Justice of Peace of Meyers Falls Precinct is vacant, it is hereby ordered, that on petition of E. Blackmore and fourteen others, Jno. Jas Graves be appointed to fill such vacancy.

Contract of Chas Alban for building bridge over Marcus Slough between Marcus and Kettle Falls consideration \$100.00 in warrant on Road and Bridge Fund signed and approved by Commissioners

Bids for Calispel Bridge opened pursuant to advertisement. Five bids were made of which the following is an abstract. Two bidders, C. A. Stowell and H. S. Holcomb did not submit bids upon specifications as made by commissioners.

J. L. Bayley	
By Commissioners' specifications	\$700.00
By his plans frame on piles	\$775.00
By his plans, piles full height	\$800.00
Grading (extra)	\$100.00
Geo. Wisner	
By bridge on piles full height	\$1139.50
By Commissioners' specifications	\$1075.00
D. P. Fisher and Co.	
By bridge on piles full height	\$1075.00
By commissioners' specifications	\$1000.00
C. A. Stowell	
By his specifications plank floor	\$810.00
By his specifications Corduroy floor	\$750.00
H. S. Holcomb	
By his specifications bridge without approaches	\$675.00
By his specifications bridge with approaches, 400 feet	\$850.00

Examination of correspondence and communications to the board.

Bids for county printing opened pursuant to advertising. Two bids were made of which the following is an abstract.

John L. Metcalf "Colville Index"

Certified copy of proceedings of County Commissioners, free. All advertising of any kind required by law or otherwise; except delinquent tax roll, free.

Legal blanks, forms, etc.			
½ sheet	Per 1000	1 st impression \$4.25	2 nd Impression \$3.00
¼ sheet	Per 1000	1 st impression \$2.75	2 nd Impression \$2.50
½ sheet	Per 500	1 st impression \$3.00	2 nd Impression \$2.00
¼ sheet	Per 500	1 st impression \$2.00	2 nd Impression \$1.50
Full sheet	Per 1000	1 st impression \$5.00	2 nd Impression \$4.00

Envelopes.

6 ½ in. xxx Full Government White per \$1000, \$4.00 per 500, \$2.00

9" x 10 inch xxx Full Government White per 1000, \$5.00 per 500 \$2.50

Letter Heard per 1000 \$4.50

W. D. Allen, "Springdale Statesman"

For the advertising of all matter that may be required to be published in a newspaper (except (delinquent tax list) at the rate of ten cents per inch for first insertion, and five cents per inch for each subsequent insertion. If delinquent tax list is to be published during the year, will publish at the rate of (15) fifteen cents per description.

Job Printing

½ sheets	Per 1000	1 st impression \$4.50
½ sheets	Per 1000	2 nd impression \$3.50
¼ sheets	Per 1000	1 st impression \$3.50
¼ sheets	Per 1000	2 nd impression \$2.75
½ sheets	Per 500	1 st impression \$3.50
½ sheets	Per 500	2 nd impression \$2.75
¼ sheets	Per 500	1 st impression \$2.75
¼ sheets	Per 500	2 nd impression \$2.00
For full sheets add 3	0 per cent	
Envelopes		
6 ½ inch	Full Government White per 1000	\$3.50
6 ½ inch	Full Government White per 500	\$2.00
9 in. x 10 in.	Full Government White per 1000	\$4.75
9 in. x 10 in.	Full Government White per 500	\$2.75
Linen	Letter heads per 1000	\$4.00
Linen	Letter heads per 500	\$2.50

The above tender is made on basis of cash payable quarterly.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, August 25th, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 197, 198, 199, & 200, 8/25/1896 {File listed as 18969823)

Tuesday, August 2, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that warrant be drawn on Poor Fund for \$25.00 in favor of Wm. Hughes, account of money advanced to M. J. Brislawn for assistance to go to hospital at Spokane.

Contract for printing awarded to J. L. Metcalf "Colville Index", his bid appearing most feasible and cheapest, of which the following are rates.

Certified copy of proceedings of County Commissioners, free. All advertising of any kind required by law or otherwise; except delinquent tax roll, free.

Legal blanks, forms,			
etc			
½ sheet	Per 1000	1 st impression \$4.25	2 nd Impression \$3.00
¼ sheet	Per 1000	1 st impression \$2.75	2 nd Impression \$2.50
½ sheet	Per 500	1 st impression \$3.00	2 nd Impression \$2.00
¼ sheet	Per 500	1 st impression \$2.00	2 nd Impression \$1.50
Full sheet	Per 1000	1 st impression \$5.00	2 nd Impression \$4.00

Envelopes.

6 ½ in. xxx Full Government White per \$1000, \$4.00 per 500, \$2.00

9" x 10 inch xxx Full Government White per 1000, \$5.00 per 500 \$2.50

Letter Heard per 1000 \$4.50

In the matter of the application of Frank P. Carr for a retail liquor license for Town of Northport, he having paid \$300.00 license fee and filed sufficient bond, it is ordered that license be granted for one year form the 3rd day of August 1896.

In the matter of the application of W. T. Goode for a retail liquor license for Town of Boundary he having filed sufficient bond and paid \$300.00 license fee, it is hereby ordered that license be granted for one year from August 6th, 1896.

In the matter of the application of John f. Nee for a retail liquor license for Cedar Canyon; he having paid \$300.00 license fee and filed sufficient bond, it is ordered that license be granted for one year from the 30th day of July, 1896.

Official bond of Jno. Jas. Graves for Justice of the Peace in and for Meyers Falls Precinct examined and approved.

In the matter of the petition of Arthur King, C. F. Potter, and thirty-five others for a county road to commence at a point to intersect the present county road at the centers of Sections 29 and 32 Township 30 Range 37 East Willamette Meridian. Thence east along the section lines between Sections 29 & 32, 28 & 33, 37 & 34, 26 & 35, thence south and east across Sections 35 and 37 to the mining camp of Cedarville, thence south and east through Cedar Camp to the Deer Trail mines. They are to furnish all necessary work except surveyor. Petition granted. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 358, Cedar Canyon Road, #505}

It appearing to the board that the rights of way for the proposed roads viz: "Horse Shoe Lake" Road sixty, (60) fee om width; "J. W. Strumpel" Road forty, (40) feet in width, have each been laid out and surveyed, and that the right of way for said roads have been dedicated to the county for road purposes by those occupying or owning the lands over which said roads pass.

Ordered that the plats and field notes of the County Surveyor be and the same are hereby approved and said roads hereby declared to be public highways and the supervisors through whose Road Districts said roads run are hereby authorized to treat said roads as public highways. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 353, Horse Shoe Lake Road, #647} {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 355, J. W. Strupel Road, #582}

Road report examined and approved. District No. 33 Orin Coates \$22.50 In the matter of settlement with Road Supervisor District No. 33. Ordered that warrant be drawn on Road Property Fund for following Road District No. 33, Orin Coates, \$22.50

It appearing to the board, that J. A. McJunkin & Co are the holders of a retail liquor license in Stevens County for the Town of East Marcus; and who petition the board for a transfer of license privilege from East Marcus to the Town of Meyers Falls, said change is hereby granted as petitioned.

Ordered that Treasurer cancel tax of \$2.43 to F. Allaire Special School Tax, assessed by error in District #63, should have been in District 14.

Ordered that Treasurer cancel tax on improvements on northeast ½ of southwest ½ of Section 20 Township 35 Range 39 East Willamette Meridian for years 1892, 1893, 1894 & 1895, same having been assessed in error. {Washington State Archives Cheney holds the Real Property Tax and Assessment Rolls EA333-4-0-2 for these years.}

Board adjourned to Wednesday, August 26, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 200 & 201, 8/26/1896

Wednesday, August 26, 1896, Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It appearing to the board that large amounts of taxes are delinquent and unpaid as shown by the tax rolls for the years 1893-1894 and 1895, and that such delinquency has been brought about by financial depression and inability to pay rather than willful neglect on the part of the taxpayers; and that the penalty and exorbitant rate of interest which attaches to delinquent taxes are unjust and oppressive under such conditions, and tends to delay instead of expedite the payment of taxes; therefor, for the benefit of delinquent taxpayers, and in the belief that this action will be the cause of payment of considerable amount of taxes and better the financial condition of the county and promote the interests of all concerned, it is hereby ordered that from the date hereof viz: 12:00 o'clock M on the 26th day of August 1896 until 12:00 o'clock M on the 20th day of December 1896, all delinquent taxes as shown by the tax rolls for the years 1893, 1894, and 1895 may be cancelled by the payment of the principal and the legal rate of interest, viz. 8 per cent and that that penalty and excess of 8 percent interest be remitted and that the County Treasurer is authorized and hereby ordered to give tax receipts in full as herein expressed for the taxes for the years 1893, 1894, and 1895.

The following bills examined and approved:

J. B. Thomas	Survey, plat and field notes of Horseshoe Lake Road 5	\$25.00
	days \$5@	
	Mileage one way, 70 miles 10 cents @	\$7.00
	Survey or J. W. Strupel Road 4 ½ days \$5 @	\$22.50
	Plat and field notes on Strupel Road 2 ½ days \$5 @	\$12.50
	Platting in Highway Plat Book of roads allowed in July	\$13.80
	session 46 miles road 30 cents @	
M. J. Brislawn	3 days Deputy Sheriff, guarding corpse of drowned man	\$7.50
F. Barman	Two overshirts for prisoners	\$1.50
C. A. Mantz	Expenses in State and County cases	\$13.70
L. W. Meyers	Lumber furnished Road District	\$23.04
J. W. Prewitt	Work on bridge on West Side Road Calispel	\$19.90
C. M. Durland	Teacher's examiner 3 days 4 @	\$12.00
Jas. E. Pickrell	Teacher's examiner 3 days 4 @	\$12.00
Frank Truax	Mileage 84 miles case State versus Letteaumeau 10 cents @	\$8.40
Pioneer Bindery	For road election supplies	\$33.75
& Printing Co		
Robert Hilts	17 Days board equalization \$5. @	\$85.00
	Mileage 50 miles 10 cents @	\$5.00
	1 day inspecting road and bridge	\$5.00
	Mileage for same 28 miles 10 cents @	\$2.80
	3 days County Commissioner \$5. @	\$15.00
Robert Fountain	17 Days board equalization \$5. @	\$85.00
	1 day inspecting road and bridge	\$5.00
	Mileage for same 28 miles 10 cents @	\$2.80
	3 days County Commissioner \$5. @	\$15.00
	Mileage 100 miles 10 cents @	\$10.00
L. J. Wolfard	17 Days board equalization \$5. @	\$85.00
	3 days County Commissioner \$5. @	\$15.00
	1 day inspecting road	\$5.00

Contract for building bridge across Calispel Road awarded to J. L. Bagley, his bid being cheapest and most feasible according to specifications of commissioners. Contract has been signed by all parties in which Bayley agrees to complete bridge and approaches ready for travel for \$900.00.

Board adjourned Sine Die.

Attest: J. S. McLean, Clerk

Robert Hilts, Chairman per [?]

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 202, 10/5/1896

Colville, Washington, October 5th, 1896

Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County met in regular quarterly session. Present

Robert Hilts	Commissioner 1 st District (Chairman)
L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District
Robert Fountain	Commissioner 3 rd District

Examination of communications to the board.

It appearing that the office of Road Supervisor of District No. 13 is vacant, it is hereby ordered that Peter Soot be appointed to fill such vacancy.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, October 6, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 202, 203, & 204, 10/6/1896

Tuesday, October 6, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the application of J. E. Almstrom and Medad W. Marten for a license to operate a steel cable ferry on the Columbia River at China Bend, sufficient bond having been filed, it is hereby ordered that when said J.E. Almstrom and Medad W. Martin shall file County Treasurer's receipt for the sum of twenty-five dollars license fee, then the said license shall be issued, and the rates of ferriage which may be charged by the said J. E. Almstrom and Medad W. Martin are fixed as follows:

6 horse team and 2 wagons with driver, loaded	\$1.50
6 horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.00
4 horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00
4 horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$1.00
2 horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$.75
2 horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse stage making regular trips with driver	\$.75
Two horse stage making regular trips with driver	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack animals loaded each	\$.50
Pack animals not loaded each	\$.10
Loose horses, cattle, mules etc.	\$.10
Loose horses and cattle in band of less than 4 head, per trip	\$.50
Sheep, hogs, etc. in bands of ten or more, each	\$.05
Footmen, each	\$.25

In the matter of the application of J. H. Saville to operate a steel cable ferry on the Columbia River at or near China Bend it is hereby ordered that when J. H. Saville shall file sufficient bond and Treasurer's receipt for sum of twenty-five dollars license fee, then said license shall be issued, and the rates of the ferriage which may be charged by the said J. H. Saville are fixed as follows: bond filed and approved.

6 horse team and 2 wagons with driver, loaded	\$1.50
6 horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.00
4 horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00
4 horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$1.00
2 horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$.75
2 horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse stage making regular trips with driver	\$.75
Two horse stage making regular trips with driver	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack animals loaded each	\$.50
Pack animals not loaded each	\$.10
Loose horses, cattle, mules etc.	\$.10
Loose horses and cattle in band of less than 4 head, per trip	\$.50
Sheep, hogs, etc. in bands of ten or more, each	\$.05
Footmen, each	\$.25

It is hereby ordered that a road district be formed including the following described territory; commencing at the northwest corner of Section 7, Township 31 Range 40 thence East to the northeast corner of Section 8, thence south one and one-half miles to the center of the west line of Section 9, thence East to the east line of Section 9, thence South to the center of the east line of Section 21, thence West to the center of the west line of Section 11, thence South to the southwest corner of Section 33, thence West on Township line eleven miles, thence North 5 miles, thence East 9 miles to the place of beginning. This district shall be District 44, and Wm. A. Atkinson is hereby appointed as Supervisor for the same for the remainder of the present year and for the year 1897.

Ordered that three hundred dollars be transferred from Superior Court Fund to Poor Fund, and two hundred dollars from Superior Court Fund to Contingent Fund.

Ordered that warrant be drawn on Contingent Fund for transportation expenses, for \$75.00 in favor of F. H. Fish.

Ordered that warrant be drawn on County Poor Fund for transportation expenses for \$35.00 in favor of L. W. Marshall.

In the matter of the petition of M. Kulzer and fifteen others for a county road to commence at north and south center line of Section 23 Township 31 North Range 40 East Willamette Road which runs through Section 6 in manner described in petition. They are to furnish all necessary help except Surveyor, and it is ordered that M. Kulzer and O. D. Moody act as viewers to survey and layout said road. Petition is granted. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 360, Kulzer Road, #330}

Board adjourned to Wednesday, October 7, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 204, 205, 206, & 207, 10/7/1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

In the canvass of the Election of Road Supervisors held September 5, 1896, the following are declared elected, with the amount of tax in mills voted in each district where election was held.

District	Names	Mills
District No. 1	Adam Boyd	2 18/23
District No. 2		
District No. 3	Wm. Straney	3 6/7
District No. 4	Thos. Crandall	2 1/18
District No. 5	R. J. Townsend	2
District No. 6	Henry Wilson	2 13/14
District No. 7	C. A. Duffy	2 12/13
District No. 8		
District No. 9	Layton Mathewson	4
District No. 10	W. J. Johnson	6 1/3
District No. 11	F. A. Whitney	2 25/44
District No. 12		
District No. 13	Peter Soot	2 2/5
District No. 14	Chris Houtchens	3 2/9
District No. 15		
District No. 16		
District No. 17	Thos Hammers	2 ½
District No. 18	S. H. Richey	1
District No. 19	Willard Spencer	1
District No. 20	N. Young	3
District No. 21	¥	
District No. 22		
District No. 23	John Rogers	9 1/3
District No. 24	Antoine Price	7
District No. 25		
District No. 26	Matt Nett	1 5/8
District No. 27		
District No. 28	J. L. Long	10
District No. 29	Jas H. Penney	8 1/13
District No. 30	Edward Kapp	5
District No. 31	J. O. Johnson	1
District No. 32	John Jones	10
District No. 33		
District No. 34	C. W. Johnson	3 6/7
District No. 35		
District No. 37	W. A. Babb	5 2/11
District No. 38	W. H. Merrill	3
District No. 39	John P. Todd	5 (in pencil)
District No. 40		
District No. 41	Bernard Schmid	3 ½
District No. 42		
District No. 43		
District No. 44		

In the matter of the settlement with the County Treasurer, ordered that the Treasurer be given credit in the various funds for following amounts as per redeemed warrants, and vouchers presented to the board.

Salary Warrants or fund		
Warrants redeemed	\$1,562.29	
Interest on same	\$50.05	
Officers Vouchers	\$394. 20	\$2,006.54
Road Property Fund		
Warrants redeemed		\$1260.26
Road and Bridge Fund		
Warrants redeemed	\$394.63	
Interest on same	\$11.81	\$406.44
Contingent Fund		
Warrants redeemed		\$139.20
Soldiers Relief Fund		
Warrants redeemed		\$35.00
County Poor Fund		
Warrants redeemed		\$319.95
Special School Fund		
Warrants redeemed	\$1,301. 81	
Interest on same	\$143.89	\$1,445.70
General School Fund		
Warrants redeemed	\$5809.22	
Interest on same	\$514.21	\$6323.43
Collecting State School Warrant		\$6.85
State School Fund		
Treasurer's Receipt		\$898.99
State Liquor License Fund		
Treasurer's Receipt		\$405.00
State Military Fund		
Treasurer's receipt		\$67.04
State General Fund		
Treasurer's receipt		\$1,019.01
Town of Colville		
Treasurer's Receipt		\$267.45
Towns Kettle Falls		

Treasurer's Receipt	\$141.58

Ordered that the Plat of Town of Stevens, Stevens County, Washington, filed by Eber C. Smith be approved, and same is hereby approved. {From Tacoma Public Library Washington Place Name Database: Stevens at Section 12, Township 36N Range 37E - Stevens was a shortlived place on the Columbia River, between the old town of Kettle Falls and the falls in the Columbia River in northwest Stevens County. It was platted in the 1890s for the sole purpose of taking the county seat away from Colville. The place had only one building and was soon deserted when the plan failed. The name was borrowed from that of the county. USGS Domestic Names lists Stevens (historical) at 48.3734N, -118.0608W. The Steven County Auditor checked and the plat is not listed in the plat book.}

Ordered that J. B. Thomas' bill on Cedar Canyon Road be allowed: Survey Plat and field notes 9 days \$5.00 @ \$45.00

Board adjourned to October 8, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, & 212, 10/7/1896

Thursday, October 8, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of October 7.

In the matter of the appointment of Election officers and fixing voting places ordered as follows:

Boundary Precinct		
C. D. Robinson	Inspector	International Mining office
Wm. M Pinkston	Judge	
J. H. Nobles	Judge	

White Lake Precinct		
Geo. Theis	Inspector	School House
J. M. Mastling	Judge	
James Riggins	Judge	

Old Dominion Precinct		
Perry Hovey	Inspector	Superintendent's office
J. L. Wheeler	Judge	
D. Fisher	Judge	

Springdale Precinct			
J. S. Wright	Inspector	School House	
Wm. Campbell	Judge		
Jerry Cooney	Judge		

Williams Valley Precinct		
E. P. Staley	Inspector	School House
E. C. Casberg	Judge	
S. S. Markland	Judge	

Newport Precinct		
Jay H. Felt	Inspector	School House
R. D. Anderson	Judge	
J. W. Rauch	Judge	

Diamond Lake Precinct		
B. C. Allen	Inspector	School House
John Rogers	Judge	
J. B. Ellis	Judge	

Fertile Valley Precinct		
P. N. Linder	Inspector	School House
C. D. Wooten	Judge	

Dennis Driscoll	Judge	

Riverside Precinct		
G. D. King	Inspector	School House on Spokane River
Warren Scott	Judge	
Chas Sailor	Judge	

Clayton Precinct		
T. H. Holland	Inspector	School House
R. J. Stevenson	Judge	
J. F. Fahey	Judge	

Metaline Precinct		
J. E. Porter	Inspector	Yeargain's cabin
D. J. Yeargain	Judge	
John Bettencourt	Judge	

Ione Precinct		
John Renshaw	Inspector	Hall's House
Elmer Hall	Judge	
J. W. Morrison	Judge	
{Elmer E. Hall was postmaster	of the Ione Post Off	ice from 1 April 1896 to October 1897.)

McLaughlin Precinct		
H. Renshaw	Inspector	School House (crossed out O. McLaughlin's house)
John Brown	Judge	
George Caswell	Judge	

Meyers Falls Precinct		
J. A. Meyers	Inspector	J. J. Graves' Real Estate Office
Wm. Chase	Judge	
E. Blackmore	Judge	

{Mrs. Lodema E. Blackmore was postmistress of the Meyers Falls Post Office from 25 March 1892 to November 1897.}

Kettle Falls Precinct		
D. M. Richards	Inspector	City Council Chamber
E. J. Shackleton	Judge	
George Bevan	Judge	

Spring Valley Precinct		
Michael Walsh	Inspector	School House
J. A. Miller	Judge	
John Dynes	Judge	

Harvey Creek Precinct		-
	Harvev Creek Precinct	

G. B. Young	Inspector	School House
Geo. C. Stockwell	Judge	
Thos R. Majors	Judge	

Calispel Precinct		
E. M. Cook	Inspector	O. McLaughlin's House
Henry Keller	Judge	
R. P. Jared	Judge	

Columbia Precinct		
George Coulter	Inspector	School House
Wm. B. Rice	Judge	
A. Thorpe	Judge	

{William B. Rice was postmaster of the Arzina Post Office on 21 June 1898.}

Lake Creek Precinct		
A. D. Fobes	Inspector	School House
W. H. Jeffreys	Judge	
J. P. Fletcher	Judge	

{Wm. Jeffries declined to be postmaster of Spencer Post Office on 23 October 1897.}

Daisy Precinct		
Joe Holford	Inspector	School House
M. D. Shinn	Judge	
J. A. French	Judge	

Chewelah Precinct		
Geo. A. Mowatt	Inspector	School House
D. VanSlyke	Judge	
Fred Keiling	Judge	

Stensgar Precinct		
E. S. Dudrey	Inspector	School House
Geo. W. Seal	Judge	
T. M. Smith	Judge	

Thetis Precinct		
Peter Sellig	Inspector	School House
W. A. Atkinson	Judge	
Geo. Kulzer	Judge	

Forest Center Precinct		
E. M. Hodson	Inspector	School House
R. D. McEvers	Judge	
Jas Ferguson	Judge	

Clugston Precinct		
Otto Schwan	Inspector	School House
James Allen	Judge	
Peter Rusch	Judge	

Colville Precinct			
Jas Crawford	Inspector	Courthouse	
E. D. Miner	Judge		
John U. Hofstetter	Judge		

Young America Precinct		
John Ranahan	Inspector	Bossburg School House
Geo. Reynolds	Judge	
P. H. McCarthy	Judge	

{Geo. W. Reynolds was the postmaster of the Bossburg Post Office from 20 November 1896 to February 1899.}

Little Dalles Precinct		
D. F. Crown	Inspector	School House
A. T. Kendrick	Judge	
D. Crandall	Judge	

Marcus Precinct		
F. J. Boehl	Inspector	School House
W. B. Hews	Judge	
Chas Alban	Judge	

Deep Creek Precinct		
John Todd	Inspector	Hopes Houses
T. Sherlock	Judge	
Pat Grace	Judge	

Walker's Prairie Precinct		
Geo. Byers	Inspector	School House
Joseph LePray	Judge	
Dan'l Hollandsworth	Judge	

Loon Lake Precinct		
F. Williams	Inspector	School House
Edgar Charles	Judge	
J. A. Denton	Judge	

Ordered that warrants be drawn for the following bills:

W. H. Graham	Care County Poor	\$125.41
Geo. W. Seal	Merchandise furnished W. H. Hiscott,	\$25.75
	Indigent	
J. A. Lung	Medicine and Medical Attendance to	\$49.75
	County Poor	

(Washington State Digital Archives Department of Licensing, Business and Professions Division, Physician Applications and Registers, 1872-1946 - Ar240-6-Register - J. A. Lung}

Ordered that warrant on Poor Fund for \$17.00 be drawn to Onesime Lacasse for immediate relief.

Board adjourned to October 9, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 212 & 213, 10/9/1896

Friday, October 9, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Reports of the following Road Supervisors examined and approved as follows:

Road District No. 1	Chas Alban	\$56.00
Road District No. 2	P. W. McCabe	\$46.00
Road District No. 3	Peter Rusch	\$17.50
Road District No. 4		
Road District No. 5		
Road District No. 6	Peter Amacher	\$30.00
Road District No. 7	J. A. Koontz	\$12.00
Road District No. 8	J. E. Lattin	\$15.00
Road District No. 9		
Road District No. 10	W. J. Johnson	\$15.00
Road District No. 11	F. A. Whitney	\$48.00
Road District No. 12	G. Rellstab	\$42.50
Road District No. 13	Andrew Hesner	\$40.00
Road District No. 14	A. G. McDonald	\$20.00
Road District No. 15		
Road District No. 16		
Road District No. 17		
Road District No. 18		
Road District No. 19	Willard Spencer	\$2.50
Road District No. 20		
Road District No. 21		
Road District No. 22	J. B. Cameron	\$7.50
Road District No. 23	S. S. Beggs	\$50.00
Road District No. 24		
Road District No. 25		
Road District No. 26	Joseph Leur	\$6.25
Road District No. 27		
Road District No. 28		
Road District No. 29	H. A. Bennett	\$3.44
Road District No. 30		
Road District No. 31	Thos Perrot	\$92.25
Road District No. 32		
Road District No. 33		
Road District No. 34		
Road District No. 35		
Road District No. 36		
Road District No. 37	Wm. Bean	\$10.00
Road District No. 38		
Road District No. 39		
Road District No. 40		
Road District No. 41		
Road District No. 42		
Road District No. 43	Dan'l Hollandsworth	\$10.00

In the matter of the petition of Mark. P. Shaffer and [7?]15 others asking the board to submit to the voters of Stevens County at the next General Election to be held on the 3rd November next, the question of removing the county seat from Colville to the new Town of Stevens, it appears to the board that said petition was not filled in time for the Auditor to give the statutory notice to the electors of said Stevens County, thereon it is hereby ordered that said petition is dismissed.

Board adjourned to Saturday, October 10, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 213, 10/10/1896

Saturday, October 10, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the Marcus Slough Bridge built by Chas Alban, inspection showing said bridge to have been built according to plans and specifications, said bridge is hereby accepted and it is ordered that warrant for \$100.00 on Road and Bridge Fund be drawn in his favor.

Ordered that warrant of \$101.44 be drawn on Road and Bridge Fund in favor of S. K. Owen and W. H. Williams account of contract work, on roads and bridge of Road Districts No. 17 & No. 34.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, October 13, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 213, 214, & 215, 10/13/1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday October 10, 1896

In the matter of settlement with Road Supervisors of 1895, it is ordered that warrants be drawn as follows:

Road District No. 7	T. J. Turk	\$32.09
Road District No. 19	Henry Clark	\$4.50
Road District No. 13	F. K. Shelhamer	\$8.00

In the matter of settlement with Road Supervisors of 1896, it is ordered that warrants be drawn for amounts as follows:

Road District No. 1	Chas Alban	\$14.00
Road District No. 2	P. W. McCabe	\$46.00
Road District No. 3	Peter Rusch	\$4.00
Road District No. 5	R. J. Townsend	\$51.89
Road District No. 6	Peter Amacher	\$6.00
Road District No. 7	J. A. Koontz	\$56.50
Road District No. 8	J. E. Lattin	\$15.00
Road District No. 11	F. A. Whitney	\$30.00
Road District No. 14	A. G. McDonald	\$3.00
Road District No. 17	S. K. Owen	\$2.00
Road District No. 22	J. B. Cameron	\$6.00
Road District No. 24	Antoine Price	\$9.00
Road District No. 31	Thos A. Perrott	\$50.00
Road District No. 34	W. H. Williams	\$7.00
Road District No. 36	W. A. Babb	\$4.00

Ordered that Treasurer transfer money of Road District No. 25 to Town of Colville.

Ordered that \$60.41 be transferred from Road and Bridge Fund to Road Property Fund of Road District No. 31 to settle 1894 road account of Adel Bishop.

Ordered that warrant of \$60.41 be drawn on Road Property Fund of Road District No. 31 in favor of Adel Bishop. To settle Road Supervisor account of 1894.

Adjourned to Wednesday, October 14, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 215, 10/14/1896

Wednesday, October 14, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Ordered that Wm. Daldstedt be and is hereby appointed to fill office of Road Supervisor in District No. 38 Until Supervisor-elect for 1897 shall qualify.

Geo. W. Waitt is hereby appointed to fill office of Road Supervisor of Road District No. 8 for year 1897.

Board adjourned to Thursday, October 15, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 215 & 216, 10/15/1896

Thursday, October 15, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the petition of C. H. Arnold and nine others for a change in county road across northwest % of Section 34 Township 30 Range 41, and known as the Around Loon Lake Road, to a point 3101 feet north on the section line between Sections 34 and 27. They to furnish all necessary help except Surveyor. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 367, C. H. Arnold change in Loon Lake Road, #589}

Peter P. Soot and C. H. Arnold are appointed viewers who shall meet County Surveyor at such time and place as he may designate to survey same. The petition is granted.

Ordered that Section 7 Township 29 Range 41 be and is hereby transferred from Road District 13 to District 11.

In the matter of settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed deposits in bank and cash in safe for \$10,275.61 distributed in the various funds as follows:

Salary Fund	\$1908.89
School Fund	\$3359.69
State General Fund	\$428.07
State Military Fund	\$21.68
State Interest Fund	\$76.75
Special School Fund	\$1083.06
Penalty Interest and Cost Fund	\$658.04
Road Property Fund	\$208.31
Road and Bridge Fund	\$828.29
County Fund	\$406.05
Soldiers Relief Fund	\$154.71
Special Road Fund	\$13.51
Current Expense Fund	\$43.00
Town of Colville	\$4.84
Town of Kettle Falls	\$32.92
Poor Fund	\$121.73
Superior Court Fund	\$501.18
Contingent Fund	\$140.15
State School Fund	\$284.74

Ordered that the following rates be made in road districts in which no election was held and where no rate was voted.

Road District No. 2	2 mills
Road District No. 8	2 mills
Road District No 12	4 mills
Road District No. 16	3 mills
Road District No. 21	2 mills
Road District No. 22	5 mills
Road District No. 27	5 mills
Road District No. 33	2 mills
Road District No. 39	5 mills

Road District No. 40	5 mills
Road District No. 42	5 mills
Road District No. 43	5 mills
Road District No. 44	5 mills

Board adjourned to Friday, October, 16, 1896

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Friday, October 16, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Henry Sparks is hereby appointed as Road Supervisor of District 16 by virtue of petition of G. E. Wilkes and six others.

In the matter of the tax levy to be extended on the Rolls of 1896, ordered that there be and hereby is levied taxes as follows, to wit

For county purposes, the sum of \$15,089.23, the same being 8 mills on the dollar, and said County Fund is divided into the following funds.

The Poor Fund to the amount of \$2,829.23, which is equal to 1 ½ mills on the dollar.

The Contingent Fund to the amount of \$2,829.23, which is equal to 5 mills on the dollar.

For general Road and Bridge Fund \$5,658.46 which is 3 mills on the dollar.

For County School Fund \$5,658.46, which is 3 mills on the dollar.

For Soldiers Relief Fund \$94.30, which is ½ mill on the dollar.

The following bills examined and approved.

J. B. Thomas	Platting Highway Plat Book 20 mi. road 35cents	\$7.00
Frank Goodman	1 day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
Jas. O. Gifford	Coroner's fees	\$21.50
Wm. Jared	Deputy Sheriff Posting election notices	\$18.75
Paul La Plant	Deputy Sheriff State versus Murray	\$2.50
O. J. Smith	Stamps and postal cards	\$11.30
F. H. Fish	Four chairs \$1.50 @	\$6.00
Colville Index	Letter Heads, envelopes etc.	\$27.25
Jos Lavigne	County Treasurer, Stamps, cards & box rent since May	\$38.92
Basil Brown	Expenses incurred attempting to capture Obid Williams	\$4.00
Louis Perras	Livery hire on account Sheriff	\$5.00
Holland, Horr & Co	1000 ft of lumber to District No. 12	\$7.00
S. S. Beggs	Material to Road District No. 23	\$14.75
Salvage and	Lumber to District No. 37	\$8.16
Derringer		
Salvage and Derringer	Lumber to District No. 6	\$42.10
Bird and Hedges	Lumber to District No. 11	\$57.50
J. Oppenheimer	Nails to District No. 7	\$3.05
Geo. W. Seal	Nails to District No. 37	\$2.00
Albert Tillow	Coffin and work at instance of Coroner	\$5.00
Elmer Gifford	Work for Coroner	\$5.00
Frank Mathers	Work for Coroner	\$3.00
Wm. Pierce	Work for Coroner	\$2.50
Chas. Anglin	Work for Coroner	\$2.50
K. S. Waterman	Acting as Coroner in Hesner case	\$12.85
J. A. Denton	Constable in Hesner case	\$6.00

Geo. Hurd	Deputy Constable in Hesner case	\$4.55
Oliver Willman	Witness in Hesner case	\$4.55
Ole Nelson	Witness in Hesner case	\$3.00
Nels Pearson	Witness in Hesner case	\$2.60
C. H. Arnold	Witness in Hesner case	\$2.20
T. B. Wolverton	Witness in Hesner case	\$2.20
C. F. Mathers	Witness in Hesner case	\$2.20
J. N. Storm	Juror in Hesner case	\$2.40
E. R. Grant	Juror in Hesner case	\$2.40
Ira Adams	Juror in Hesner case	\$2.40
Theodore Decker	Juror in Hesner case	\$2.20
C. M. Baker	Juror in Hesner case	\$2.20
A. B. Hurd	Juror in Hesner case	\$2.20
B. M. Ford & Co.	Care Poor	\$3.50
P. B. Dingle	Board poor	\$4.50

Board adjourned to Saturday, October 17, 1896

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Saturday, October 17, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Following bills examined and approved:

Basil Brown	Constable cost bill State versus McKinzie	\$18.00
D. VanSlyke	Justice cost bill State versus McKinzie	1.00
J. Pl. Hessle	Ice bill of Sheriff 1895 & 1896	\$21.00
Chas. St Clair	Board of prisoners July, August and September	\$21.00
J. W. Johnson	Care self 3 months	\$45.00
F. B. Goetter	Drugs etc. to prisoners	\$7.25
A. F. Strobe	Witness State versus Norboe	\$2.20
L. E. Jesseph	Justice State versus Norboe	\$2.00
M. R. Peck	Services to County Poor & Prisoners	\$51.00
Colville Index	Contract printing	\$27.72
L. E. Jesseph	Registration Clerk	\$5.00

Board adjourned to Monday, October 19, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 219, 10/19/1896

Monday, October 19, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of Saturday.

Board adjourned to Friday, October 23, 1896, to investigate proposed roads in Commissioner District No. 2.

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Shaw, Borden & Co.	Election ballots	\$157.00
C. A. Mantz	Expense bill to Spokane concerning ballots	\$6.00
Charles Carlin	2 days Deputy Sheriff \$2.50 @	\$5.00
Geo. Derring	1 day Deputy Sheriff \$2.50@	\$2.50
J. B. Thomas	Survey, Plat & Field notes of Kulzer Road 4	\$20.00
	days	
Pioneer Bindery and	Election supplies	\$76.00
Printing Co.		

Following bills examined and approved:

In the matter of the application of Thomas Kirk for a retail liquor license for Town of Marcus, it is hereby ordered that when he shall file County Treasurer's receipt for \$300.00 license fee and sufficient bond to be approved by Auditor, license shall be issued for one year from date of issuance thereof. (In pencil: License issued 11/23/96)

It appearing that the office of Road Supervisor of Road District No. 38 is vacant by death of Wm. Dalstedt, it is hereby ordered that Jules Sickland be appointed to fill such vacancy, for remainder of year 1896 and year 1897, by virtue of petition of A. J. Jackson and sixteen others.

Following road report examined and approved:

(Road) District No.	Orin Coates	\$57.60
33		

Ordered that warrant be drawn as follows on Road Property Fund

Road District No.	Orin Coates	\$23.00
33		

In the matter of the petition of J. H. Bergh et al for county road to commence at a point near the north line of Section 16 Township 37 Range 38 and near center of said north line and to continue as set forth as petition, to intersect Colville and Northport Road, it is ordered that Surveyor proceed to make survey of same, and J. H. Bergh and A. A. Anderson are appointed viewers who shall meet County Surveyor at such time and place as he may designate to survey same. {John H. Bergh was the postmaster of the Bossburg Post Office from 16 February 1899 to July 1903.}

In the matter of the petition of J. J. Travis et al for a county road extend north from Northport to Boundary City, it is hereby ordered that County Surveyor, proceed to make survey of same, and E. G. Thomason and J. J. Walters are appointed viewers who are to meet surveyor at such time and place as he may designate to survey same. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 361, Northport and Boundary Road, #727}

In the matter of the Onion Creek change in Colville and Northport Road, it is hereby ordered that County Surveyor proceed to make survey of same and Thos Perrot and J. E. Almstrom are appointed as viewers who shall meet Surveyor at such time and place as he may designate to survey and lay out said road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 364, Onion Creek change in Northport Road, #579} It appearing to the board, that the rights of way for the proposed roads viz: Kulzer Road sixty feet in width, and Cedar Canyon Road thirty feet in width, have each been laid out and surveyed, and that the rights of way for said roads have been dedicated to the county for road purposes by those occupying or owning the lands over which said roads pass.

Ordered that the plat and field notes of the County Surveyor be and the same are hereby approved and said roads are hereby declared to be public highways and the supervisors through whose Road Districts said roads extend, are hereby authorized to treat said roads as public highways.

Ordered warrants drawn for following bills on salary fund:

Robert Hilts		
	13 days as County Commissioner \$5 @	\$65.00
	Mileage 50 miles 10 cents	\$5.00
	2 days investigating proposed roads	\$10.00
	Mileage 50 miles 10 cents @	\$5.00
	Expenses, indigent poor	\$1.00
	Total	\$86.00
Robert Fountain		
	13 days as Count Commissioner \$5 @	\$65.00
	2 days viewing roads	\$10.00
	Cash for transportation County Poor	\$2.00
	50 miles 10 cents @	\$5.00
	Total	\$82.00
L. J. Wolfard		
	12 days County Commissioner \$5 @	\$60.00
	2 days investigating roads	\$10.00
	Mileage 50 miles 10 cents @	\$5.00
	1 day inspecting bridge	\$5.00
	Mileage 28 miles 10 cents @	\$2.80
	Total	\$82.80

Board adjourned to December 21st, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 221 & 222, 12/21/1896 Colville, Washington, December 21, 1896 Board met pursuant to adjournment of October 23, 1896. Present: Robt. Hilts, Rob't Fountain, L. J. Wolfard Correspondence examined.

Refund to J. A. Barry \$2.77 taxes paid by error on lots 11 & 12 and same cancelled on said lots in Block 17 Original Town of Kettle Falls for the year 1892 and 1893, and receipt on the payment of original tax without penalty or interest for the years above named on lots 11 & 12 Block 17 O. K. addition to Kettle Falls.

Ordered that bonds of the incoming officers be fixed as follows:

Treasurer	\$250.00
Sheriff	\$35.00
Assessor	\$20.00
Auditor	\$35.00
Surveyor	\$10.00
School Superintendent	\$10.00
Coroner	\$10.00

Board adjourned to Tuesday, December 22, 1896

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Tuesday, December 22, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Application of Matte Cherette for transfer of Liquor License from East Marcus to Marcus is hereby granted.

By Authority of Section 2447 of Hills Statutes of Washington, it is hereby ordered that the following warrants be cancelled:

Order No. 319	August 16, 1890	\$2.50
Order No. 332	August 16, 1890	\$3.00
Order No. 338	August 16, 1890	\$2.20
Order No. 340	August 16, 1890	\$2.20
Order No. 442	October 15, 1890	\$2.20
Order No. 451	October 15, 1890	\$4.40
Order No. 455	October 15, 1890	\$4.40
Order No. 458	October 15, 1890	\$4.40
Order No. 459	October 15, 1890	\$4.40
Order No. 463	October 15, 1890	\$4.40
Order No. 470	October 15, 1890	\$4.40
Order No. 508	October 16, 1890	\$2.20
Order No. 509	October 16, 1890	\$2.20
Order No. 597	November 15, 1890	\$6.00

Following Bills examined and approved:

J. B. Thomas	Surveyor November & December	\$106.90
D. C. Hull	Deputy Sheriff delivering Election Supplies	\$12.50
Chas Haines	Deputy Sheriff delivering Election Supplies	\$11.50
John U. Hofstetter Jr.	Deputy Sheriff delivering Election Supplies	\$5.00
George Deering	3 days Deputy Sheriff	\$7.50
Thos Nagle	Deputy Sheriff delivering Election Supplies	\$5.00
R. G. McMillan	Deputy Sheriff delivering Election Supplies	\$10.00
Walter Angle	Deputy Sheriff Crawford case	\$5.00
Wm. Ashpaugh	Deputy Sheriff Crawford case	\$25.00
J. S. McLean	Purchasing agent from July 1, 1895, to January 1,	\$75.00
S. S. Heleun	1897	<i>\$75</i> .00
O. J. Smith	Stamps, box rent etc.	\$11.50
D. C. Hull	Deputy Sheriff expenses delivering election	\$7.00
	supplies	
Thos Nagle	Deputy Sheriff expenses delivering election	\$6.65
	supplies	
H. J. Hoffman	Lumber China Creek Bridge	\$53.64
Bird & Hedges	Lumber for Road District No. 11	\$10.80
James Pickrell	3 days examiner and mileage November examination	\$22.00
C. M. Durland	3 days examiner November teachers examination	\$12.00
Chas. Haines	Horse hire delivering election supplies	\$6.00
R. G. McMillan	Horse hire delivering election supplies	\$6.00

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Wednesday, December 23, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills examined and approved.

Colville Index		
	Letter head, engraving, & memorandums to County Clerk	\$6.75
	Letter head, engraving, & memorandums to County Sheriff	\$6.25
	Letter head, engraving, & memorandums to County Auditor	\$18.65
	Printing 500 postals	\$2.50
Thomas Kirk	Team to Colville order Sheriff	\$4.00
L. E. Jesseph	Cost bill State versus Ellingworth	\$2.10
T. Madden	Team and saddle horse by Sheriff	\$3.75
J. P. Hamill	Two days work on China Creek Bridge	\$4.00
Aurel Mann	Two days work on China Creek Bridge	\$4.00
William Coutts	One day work on China Creek Bridge	\$2.00
Bird & Hedges	Lumber, order of Weatherwax	\$4.00
Geo. H. Jones	Merchandise to District No. 30	\$3.76
J. A. Miller	4 days work Detillion Bridge	\$10.00
Salvage &	Lumber to Road District No. 5	\$10.90
Dearringer		
J. A. Lung	Medical Services to Poor at Graham's	\$27.35
Jacob Keller	Merchandise to an Old Soldier	\$34.70
W. H. Spencer	Old Soldier	\$25.00

Board adjourned to December 24, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 224, 12/24/1896

December 24, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Following bills examined and approved:

R. S. Underhill	Expenses in Crawford case	\$20.30
Chas. St. Clair	Board of prisoners	\$35.70
J. P. Munkers	Team delivering election supplies	\$16.50
Louis Perras	Livery	\$6.00
Louis Perras	Team to Nelson's	\$2.00
J. C. Wilson	Team in case of State versus Beaker	\$10.00
John Acorn	1 day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
James Fee	1 day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Attorney fees in J. B. Thomas Road Case	\$50.00

Board adjourned to December 26, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 224, 12/26/1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Following bills examined and approved:

B. H. Taylor	As Coroner in Willard G. Jones inquest case	\$13.10
Charles E. Ray	2 days Deputy Sheriff	\$5.00
Charles E. Ray	Expenses State versus Thomas Ryan	\$7.95
L. H. Brewer	Juryman & mileage inquest case	\$5.20
Geo. W. Byers	Juryman & mileage inquest case	\$5.20
J. P. Munkers	Juryman & mileage & Team inquest case	\$13.20
David Cleck	Juryman & mileage & Team inquest case	\$13.20
Fred Alaire	Juryman & mileage & Pack Horse inquest case	\$10.20
L. E. Beach	Juryman & mileage inquest case	\$5.20
John W. Cottrell	For keeping Coroner & Jury man	\$5.00
William Ashton	Witness and mileage inquest case	\$7.20
James Ladow	Witness and watcher	\$6.00
Donald G. Russell	Medical Services to Thompson	\$100.00
Hospital of Sacred		\$51.00
Heart		
Donald G. Russell	Medical services to Harrington and McDonald gunshot	\$75.00
	wounds	
C. R. McMillan	Livery bill from July to December 1896	\$124.50
Robt' Hilts	Time on canvassing board	\$20.00

Board adjourned to Monday, December 28, 1896

{Washington State Digital Archives lists Department of Licensing, Business and Professions Division, Physician Applications and Registers, 1872-1946 - Ar240-6-Register - D. G. Russell.} Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 224 & 225, 12/28/1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Following bills examined and approved:

Will Dingle	One day as Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
J. H. Lamb	Two days as Deputy Sheriff	\$5.00
Frank M. Roberts	Publishing official ballot	\$21.00
J. H. Lamb	Two days saddle horse	\$1.50
S. Dilsheimer	Rent for offices 8 months	\$12.59

In the matter of the settlement with the Inspectors, Judges, and Clerks on the various precincts for services rendered at the election on the 3rd day of November 1896, it is ordered that accounts be allowed as follows:

For Inspector and Judges in precincts that polled twenty votes or less, one day \$3.00.

To Inspector and Judges in precincts that polled more than twenty and less than two hundred votes, two days \$6.00.

To Inspector and Judges in precincts that pooled more than 200 votes, 3 days \$9.00.

To Clerks in all precincts that have more than 100 voters the same rates as the Inspector and Judges for same precinct.

It appearing to the board that considerable amount of bridge material is now lying idle in the Colville Valley west of and near to the town of Colville.

It is hereby ordered that J. J. Wolfard, County Commissioner, for the district in which said material is situated be authorized to remove said material and have the same used in construction of bridges where in his judgment it will be most beneficial.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, December 29, 1896.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 225 & 226, 12/29/1896

Tuesday, December 29, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as of yesterday.

Following bills examined and approved:

C. W. Johnson	Carrying returns	\$2.80
Jno. Jas. Graves	Rent for room on election day	\$5.00
T. M. Smith	Building booth and guard rail at polls	\$2.50
E. M. Hodson	Carrying returns	\$.60
F. P. Williams	Carrying returns	\$10.00
Geo. W. Byers	Carrying returns	\$1.00
Emil Joneson	Furnishing rooms for election	\$2.00
Geo. Coulter	Carrying returns, building booth and guard rail	\$7.50
J. P. Todd	Carrying returns	\$5.40
Otto Schwan	Carrying returns	\$2.50
C. D. Wooten	Carrying returns	\$2.20
P. H. McCarthy	Building booths and preparing place for election	\$5.00
W. J. St. Clair	Carrying returns	\$1.80
J. W. Rauch	Building booths, furnishing fuel and light for election	\$5.00
Geo. Mowatt	Carrying returns	\$4.80
A. Krug	Rent of building	\$5.50
Crandall Bro's	Preparing and furnishing polling place	\$13.25
Chas Alban	Carrying returns	\$3.00
C. E. Newbill	Carrying returns	\$10.00
A. D. Fobes	Carrying returns	\$8.00
G. H. Beran	Carrying returns	\$2.60
D. M. Richards	Rent and furnishing rooms on election day	\$5.00
E. F. Larios	Rent and furnishing rooms on election day	\$3.00
Geo. C. Stockwell	Carrying returns	\$10.00
Jno. Bettencourt	Carrying returns	\$9.00
W. W. Chapman	Rent and furnishing rooms on election day	\$5.00
B. F. Shannon	Building booth	\$4.00
T. J. Kelly	Relief for J. H. Felt and family	\$20.00

Board adjourned to December 30, 1896

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Wednesday, December 20, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Reports of Road Supervisors examined and approved as follows:

Road District No. 1	Chas Alban	\$5.00
Road District No. 2	P. W. McCabe	\$4.00
Road District No. 3	Peter Rusch	\$15.00
Road District No. 4	R. J. Odgen	\$20.00
Road District No. 5	R. J. Townsend	\$81.61
Road District No. 6	Peter Amacher	\$8.50
Road District No. 8	J. E. Lattin	\$17.50
Road District No. 9	Layton Matthewson	\$45.55
Road District No. 11	F. A. Whitney	\$60.00
Road District No. 12	G. Rellstab	\$45.00
Road District No. 13	Peter Soot	\$35.00
Road District No. 14	A. G. McDonald	\$20.50
Road District No. 16	Geo. F. Bottorff	\$18.75
Road District No. 17	S. K. Owen	\$46.50
Road District No. 18	C. E. Potter	\$30.00
Road District No. 20	H. C. Hughes	\$15.00
Road District No. 22	J. B. Cameron	\$3.75
Road District No. 23	S. S. Beggs	\$50.00
Road District No. 24	Antoine Price	\$17.50
Road District No. 28	Geo. H. Bobier	\$15.00
Road District No. 30	Geo. Gibson	\$5.00
Road District No. 31	Thos A. Perrott	\$137.50
Road District No. 34	W. H. Williams	\$69.00
Road District No. 32	John Jones	\$15.35
Road District No. 36	J. D. Walters	\$40.00
Road District No. 37	Wm. Bean	\$6.25
Road District No. 39	P. H. Grace	\$12.50
Road District No. 42	J. W. Prewett	0
Road District No. 43	Dan'l Hollandsworth	\$15.00

Bills examined and approved as follows:

H. A. Bennett	Road District No. 29	\$23.25
Geo. H. Bobier	Road District No. 28	\$22.50
Geo. Gibson	Lumber Road District No. 30	\$5.00

Board adjourned to December 31, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 227 & 228, 12/31/1896
Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.
Ordered that exemption be allowed the following named persons:
James Powell
D. C. Hull
Peter Abrahamson
Sarah Wade
James Riggins
W. W. Wiseman
Henry Hanson
J. H. Doehring

Ed. McCrea

Ordered that the Special School Tax on Lots 3 and 4 and East ½ Southwest ½ Section 7 Township 29 North Range 41 East Willamette Meridian, same having been assessed by error in School District No. 63 and should be in School District No. 14 Roll of 1895. {Washington State Archives Cheney holds the 1895 Real Property Tax and Assessment Rolls EA333-4-0-2.}

Ordered that municipal tax of Town of Colville and Special School Tax in School District No. 2 on personal property of Jno. Rickey be cancelled, same having been assessed by error in Town of Colville, Roll of 1895.

Ordered that all the taxation in excess of an assessment of \$105 on Personal Property of Frank Eslick be cancelled, he having been assessed for property he did not own as shown by affidavit, Roll of 1895.

Ordered that taxation be cancelled and money be refunded on the personal assessment roll of 1894 of \$135 to E. J. Shackleton, same done by error in transcription.

P. W. McCabe is hereby appointed Road Supervisor of Road District No. 2 by virtue of petition of W. M. Chase et al.

E. R. Gray is hereby appointed Road Supervisor of Road District No. 33 by virtue of petition of R. G. Christiansen et al.

Edward Davis is hereby appointed Road Supervisor of Road District No. 42 by virtue of petition of James Prewett and others.

Board adjourned to Saturday, January 2, 1897.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 228 & 229, 1/2/1897

Saturday, January 2, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bill was examined and approved:

J. F. Lavigne Bill of cont. expense \$27.6
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Official bonds of incoming county officers approved as follows:

E. M. Denny	Sheriff
Otis J. Smith	School Superintendent
J. A. Lung	Coroner
J. B. Thomas	Surveyor
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Attorney
Jno. L. Metcalf	Auditor
S. S. Beggs	Treasurer

Road reports examined and approved as follows:

Road District No. 26	Jos. Leurer	\$7.50
Road District No. 19	Willard Spencer	\$2.50
Road District No. 7	J. A. Koontz	\$22.00
Road District No. 6	Peter Amacher	\$21.25
Road District No. 21	Chas. O. Wilson	\$0

Board adjourned Sine Die.

Robt. Hilts, Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

Attest: J. S. McLean, Clerk

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 230, 1/4/1897

Colville, Washington, January 5, 1897

Board met in regular quarterly session.

Robert Hilts	Chairman
Robert Fountain	
L. J. Wolfard	
J. S. McLean	Clerk of the Board

It appearing to the board that the rights of way for the proposed roads viz:

Onion Creek change in Northport Road, thirty feet in width; change in Loon Lake Road, sixty feet in width; Bossburg and Northport Road, forty feet in width; Northport and Boundary Road, forty feet in width, have each been laid out and surveyed, and that the right of way for said roads have been dedicated to the county for road purposes by those occupying or owning the lands over which said roads pass. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 364, Onion Creek change in Northport Road, #579} {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 367, C. H. Arnold change in Loon Lake Road, #589} {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 365, Bossburg and Northport Road, #790} {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 361, Northport and Boundary Road, #727}

Ordered that the plat and field notes of the County Surveyor be and the same are hereby approved and said roads hereby declared to be public highways, and the supervisors though whose road districts said roads pass are hereby authorized to treat said roads as public highways.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, January 5, 1896

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 230 & 231, 1/5/1897

Tuesday, January 5, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Bills examined and approved as follows:

W. Dingle	2 days as Deputy Sheriff	\$5.00
Geo. Deering	Deputy Sheriff	\$10.50
Wm. H. Graham	Care of County Poor	\$93.05
Emil Sholz	Repairing bridge at Rocky Ford	\$10.00
S. L. Magee	Lumber to District 18	\$7.60
C. R. McMillan	Livery	\$9.00
Chas St. Clair	Boarding prisoners December	\$33.90
C. R. McMillan	Livery State versus Padburg	\$11.65
George Prouty	Building booths	\$1.50
	Cost Bill State Versus Taylor	
Wm. M. Pinkston	Justice fees	\$3.50
A. J. Jackson	Constable fees	\$5.20
Frank Embree	Witness fees	\$2.10
Edward McArthur	Witness fees	\$2.10
Henry Schenk	Jury fees	\$2.10
Rob't Florman	Jury fees	\$2.10
W. T. Goode	Jury fees	\$2.10
A. J. Chindgren	Jury fees	\$2.10
Harry Williams	Jury fees	\$2.10
Edward E. Bush	Jury fees	\$2.10
J. F. Hall	Jury fees	\$2.10
S. W. Bunse	Jury fees	\$2.10
J. W. Phillips	Jury fees	\$2.10
Purdy O'Hare	Jury fees	\$2.10
F. B. Goetter	Drugs to prisoners	\$7.50
J. W. Johnson	Care of self 3 months	\$45.00
F. Barman	Blankets for jail	\$4.00
Geo. Salvage	Two days horse and cart Coroner's	\$5.00
	inquest, Skeels case	
J. J. Travis	Professional services to Cox	\$25.00
	Cost bill in Inquest of Stafford Skeels	
S. S. Dearinger	Constable	\$1.20
John A. Seal	Juryman	\$1.50
J. M. Richie	Juryman	\$1.50
Fred Berger	Juryman	\$1.50
E. Wilson	Juryman	\$1.50
James Salvage	Juryman	\$1.50
Magnus Flett	Juryman	\$1.50
F. Barman	17# rope at .15@	\$2.55
W. J. Chamberlain	Building Election booths	\$4.20
W. J. Chamberlain	Enclosing courthouse wood shed	\$4.00

Report of Road Supervisor C. E. Potter for work done after other report was made, examined and allowed

Road District No. 18	C. E. Potter	\$10.00
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Board adjourned to Wednesday, January 6, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 231, 232, 233, 234, & 235, 1/6/1897

Wednesday, January 6, 1896

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Following bills examined and approved:

O. J. Smith	Mileage visiting schools	\$47.60
R. E. Lee	One keg spikes	\$5.25
Thomas Madden	Filling bed tick for jail	\$.50

The following resolution passed by full vote of the board:

A resolution authorizing Julius Pohle, his associates, successors and assigns to erect, maintain and use poles and wires for telegraph and telephone and such other electric appliances for the transmission of messages, as is not inconsistent with the laws of the State of Washington governing the erection and maintenance of telegraph and telephone lines in this state.

Be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington.

Section one: That Julius Pohle, is associates and assigns be and hereby are granted the right to erect, maintain and use poles and wires for conveying telegraph and telephone dispatches and for the transmission of messages, as is not inconsistent with the laws of the State of Washington governing the erection and maintenance of telegraph and telephone lines in this state, along upon, over and across the public highways of said county for such purposes, for the full period of fifty years.

Section Two: That the said Julius Pohle, his associates and assigns in the exercise of the privileges and right hereinbefore granted, shall erect the poles, and stretch the wires in such manner as not to interfere with the free and unobstructed use of said public highway for travel.

Section Three: It is especially provided that the wires shall not be stretched within the guard rail of any bridge and no building or structures, excepting the stretching of wires and the erection of poles for their necessary support thereof, shall be erected or constructed upon any of the public highways of said county for the use of such telegraph and telephone lines.

Done in regular session this 6th January AD, 1897.

Ordered that the following list of three hundred names of persons be and same is hereby designated by the Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, to serve as Grand and Petit Jurors for the present year, to wit:

Henry Troger	Hugh Munro	R. J. Higginbotham
Lee Richardson	G. D. Hendrick	C. H. Chamberlain
R. S. Ledgerwood	John J. Alyea	James Ross
H. W. Sparks	Wm. Duncan	Urial Eslick
G. W. Bryant	W. H. Latta	P. W. Kittrell
A. Wilks	John Dynes	J. L. Holford
E. F. Shannon	A. G. Spaulding	W. C. Starkey
F. M. Brown	P. V. Brooks	E. E. Smith

J. J. Budd	S. N. Bodge	S. F. Starr
D. W. Church	F. J. Donley	W. H. Jeffrey
W. R. Pierce	Arthur King	W. H. Spencer
John Holford	Fred Hamilton	B. Gleason
H. H. Carl	Wm. Knisley	Laban Garner
Jacob Singer	S. L. Brechbill	H. C. Hughes
Willard Spencer	J. A. Miller	L. J. Poteet
Wesley Gourley	Michael Kautz Jr.	Grant Martin
G. H. Kitchen	A. G. Goakey	Fletcher Barton
Nathan Young	P. H. Bartley	Wm. Graham
Peter Heber	W. H. Williams	Geo. Wisner
L. T. Shaffer	T. Rail	P. H. Grace
C. E. Newbill	H. Peninger	John Salvage
Antoine Price	J. Hosier	Thos Smith
W. H. Bennett	J. P. Fletcher	A. W. Miles
P. J. Lang	S. C. Morgan	Louis Perras
George Young	J. M. Compton	John E. Morrow
G. E. Cornwall	E. W. Winslow	George Stenger
James More	Robert Ward	Isaac Stedman
Steven Burgess	L. H. Brown	Wm. Miller
Henry Clark	J. B. Hergesheimer	W. R. Skelton
Frank Mitchell	J. M. Allensworth	J. A. Ham
John Magee	Martin Scotten	E. S. McCloud
Paul Nelson	Floyd Lawson	Court Losie
E. O. Snodgrass	Abe Heidigger	W. A. Jones
E. J. Kelly	J. B. Hammer	James Crawford
Dell Harvey	G. W. Syles	Osner Hall
E. P. Botts	Wilfred Peltier	James E. Pickrell
H. L. Childs	James Sewell	Henry Earnest
S. K. Owen	George Wakefield	Thos Haller
Donald Campbell	C. A. Ledgerwood	Orin Coates
N. B. Wheeler	J. W. Reynolds	P. W. McCabe
A. McColeman	Louis Adams	F. M. Jarvis
John Keough	D. Barman	Joseph Robinson
R. J. Ogden	John Hardenbrook	Wm. Boyd
John Acorn	Nathan Hardenbrook	A. V. Shepler
John H. Berge	George Knapp	W. F. Scott
Chas H. Alban	David Steele	Walter Hill
Chas. R. Hays	Fred Ragsdale	Lew Weatherwax
James Allen	J. W. Thompson	R. J. Stephenson
C. E. Brooks	Frank Earnest	Alfred young
Thos McClure	T. A. Winter	M. P. Schaper
J. L. Pool	Peter Martin	Wm. Campbell
C. F. Conrady	George W. Reynolds	E. O'Hara
E. S. Dudrey	T. L. Savage	C. H. Smith
C. S. Prouty	John Nelson	F. J. Phelps
E. Blackmore	Oreille Butts	James N. Rogers
Henry Carr	Wm. Parmalee	Wm. Jared
E. A. Anderson	Charles St. Clair	W. D. Allen
V. Lemiery	Fred Hoss	Frank Chipman
Frank Habein	John Leipp	John Lee
	John Ecipp	

C. W. Winters	H. S. Brown	W. C. Gray
D. T. C. Bird	H. Y. Dorman	M. Kulzer
J. J. Walters	David Meikel	Basil Brown
W. S. Cagle	Henry Laundry	O. D. Moody
G. B. Aubin	C. R. McMillan	Jos. Ehorn
N. C. Parker	Robert McMillan	Joshua Story
John Rickey	James Fee	T. D. McDonald
Wm. Day	A. A. Barnett	W. L. Sax
G. B. ide	Robert Barnett	James Ferguson
Geo. Theis	Frank B. Goetter	Thos. C. Green
J. M. Mohney	A. N. Pettengill	Thos Dawson
C. H. Thompson	Thos Aspen	W. R. Holderman
R. E. Lee	Smith Miller	Frank Truax
Edward Williams	David Lattin	J. H. Judy
L. D. Wilber	Orin Belknap	John Burnham
C. S. Boss	E. B. Townsend	Geo. Wakefield
A. J. Jackson	Thos Dawson	J. M. Smith
Adel Bishop	G. W. Byes	Elisha Tarble
C. N. Collins	Paul E. Atkins	E. A. Kyes
D. F. Crown	F. K. Shelhamer	J. A. Sutton
A. T. Kendrick	J. D. Walter	John Dedrick
G. W. Seal	Byron J. Scott	C. T. Rigg
Con M. Durland	Walter E. Strong	N. Blowser
Jacob Stitzel	R. S. Irish	T. M. Smith
John U. Hofstetter	Ed. Wayland	G. A. Mowatt
R. J. Townsend	Frank Wagner	D. L. Ludwig
T. P. Barber	F. W. Dickey	L. Dudley
W. B. Smith	C. Lockhart Jr.	Emil Materne
Chas. Regnary	Wm. Richmond	H. Knutson
J. R. Jewell	Ed. McCray	J. A. Denton
H. J. Hooker	T. Tait	F. Keiling
E. G. Thomason	M. Nett	K. S. Waterman
T. J. Turk	P. Tetro	Frank P. Williams
H. Burbank	Wm. Smith	C. H. Arnold
A. Potter	T. Reardon	Peter P. Soor
W. R. Ward	W. H. Lewis	J. W. Dunlap
V. N. Lucas	J. E. Tupper	E. M. Hodson
Samuel Denn	S. H. Champ	H. C. Parker
J. Nett	D. F. Taylor	Geo. M. Cunningham
T. Jones	E. Davis	Denis Driscoll

Board adjourned to Thursday, January 7, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 235 & 236, 1/7/1897

Thursday, January 7, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the settlement with the County Treasurer, ordered that the Treasurer be given credits in the various funds for following amounts as per redeemed warrants, and vouchers presented to the board:

Road Property Fund		
Warrants redeemed	\$960.45	
Interest on same	\$.79	\$961.24
Salary Fund		
Warrants redeemed	\$4031.95	
Interest on same	\$162.11	
Officers Vouchers	\$327.90	\$4521.96
Contingent Fund		
Warrants redeemed		\$350.22
Poor Fund		
Warrants redeemed		\$260.91
Road and Bridge Fund		
Warrants redeemed		\$351.40
Special School Fund		
Warrants redeemed	\$572.75	
Interest on same	\$5.37	\$578.12
	\$5.57	<i>\$</i> 570.12
General School Fund		
Warrants redeemed	\$1544.50	
Interest on same	\$38.42	\$1582.92
Town of Colville		
Treasurer's receipts		\$137.22
Town of Kettle Falls		
Treasurer's receipts		\$34.88
State General Fund		
Treasurer's receipts		\$333.07
State Military Fund		
Treasurer's receipts		\$21.68
State Liquor License Fund		
Treasurer's receipts		\$95.00
State School Fund		
Treasurer's receipts		\$284.74

County General Fund		
Interest Coupons		\$2,100.00
Refunds by order of County Commissioners		
Geo. H. Norton	\$1.30	
John. A. Barry	\$2.77	\$4.07

Board adjourned to Friday, January 8, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 236 & 237, 1/8/1897

Friday, January 8, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that warrant on Road and Bridge Fund be drawn for following:

E. G. Thomason, Northport and Boundary Road, \$200.00

In the matter of the petition of Chas. J. Murphy for the vacation of Pine Street from east line of Silver Crown Ave., to intersection of Fourth Street and Alleyway, and Pine Street from west line of Fifth Street to intersection of Pine and Fir Streets and Fir Street from Pine Street to north line of Sixth Street in Murphy's Addition to the Town of Northport, Stevens County, Washington.

It appearing to the board that now damages will accrue by such vacation. It is hereby ordered that said petition be granted and the above-described portions of streets and alleys are hereby vacated and abandoned.

Board adjourned to Saturday, January 9, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 237, 238, 239, 240, & 241, 1/9/1897

Saturday, January 9, 1897, board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of settlement with Road Supervisors for year 1895 ordered that amounts be transferred from Road and Bridge Fund to Road Property Fund as follows:

Road District No. 12	\$64.67
Road District No. 20	\$34.77
Road District No. 22	\$35.25
Road District No. 23	\$.17
Road District No. 26	\$84.51
Road District No. 27	\$14.05
Road District No. 28	\$25.29
Road District No. 29	\$32.50
Road District No. 32	\$36.25
Road District No. 34	\$92.96
Road District No. 36	\$22.74
Road District No. 39	\$5.18
Road District No. 40	\$9.30
Road District No. 41	\$48.07
Road District No. 42	\$11.95

Ordered that warrants be drawn on Road Property Fund for settlement with Road Supervisor of 1895, as follows:

Road District No. 9	Y. D. McDonald	\$42.50
Road District No. 12	Jas. James	\$89.35
Road District No. 13	F. K. Shelhamer	\$52.21
Road District No. 20	G. E. Cornwall	\$47.15
Road District No. 22	J. B. Cameron	\$35.84
Road District No. 23	S. S. Beggs	\$3.59
Road District No. 26	Jos. Leuer	\$86.25
Road District No. 27	Emil Sholz	\$15.00
Road District No. 28	Geo. H. Bobier	\$27.49
Road District No. 29	Geo. Zeigler	\$32.50
Road District No. 32	John Jones	\$36.25
Road District No. 34	W. H. Williams	\$104.50
Road District No. 36	W. A. Babb	\$29.48
Road District No. 37	W. A. Bean	\$37.50
Road District No. 38	J. F. Hall	\$21.51
Road District No. 39	J. P. Todd	\$15.00
Road District No. 40	Geo. W. White	\$12.50
Road District No. 41	S. F. Moomaw	\$48.50
Road District No. 42	James Prewett	\$12.75
Road District No. 43	Daniel Hollandsworth	\$25.45

In the matter of the settlement of Road Supervisors of 1896, ordered that warrants be drawn as follows on Road Property Fund:

Road District No. 1	Chas. Alban	\$20.00
Road District No. 2	P. W. McCabe	\$4.00

Road District No. 3	Peter Rush	\$42.00
Road District No. 4	R. J. Ogden	\$20.00
Road District No. 5	R. J. Townsend	\$81.61
Road District No. 6	Peter Amacher	\$41.00
Road District No. 7	J. A. Koontz	\$22.00
Road District No. 8	J. E. Lattin	\$17.50
Road District No. 9	Layton Matthewson	\$54.00
Road District No. 11	F. A. Whitney	\$42.00
Road District No. 13	Andrew Hesner	\$40.00
Road District No. 13	Peter P. Soot	\$5.00
Road District No. 14	A. G. McDonald	\$37.50
Road District No. 16	G. F. Bottorff	\$4.00
Road District No. 17	S. K. Owen	\$22.00
Road District No. 18	C. E. Potter	\$40.00
Road District No. 19	Willard Spencer	\$3.00
Road District No. 24	Antoine Price	\$25.00
Road District No. 30	Geo. Gibson	\$5.00
Road District No. 31	Thos. A. Perrott	\$131.00
Road District No. 33	Orin Coats	\$51.00
Road District No. 37	Wm. Bean	\$15.00
Road District No. 43	Daniel Hollandsworth	\$12.00

In the matter of the settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed deposits in bank and cash in safe for \$23041.19 distributed in the various funds as follows:

Salary Fund	\$4718.11
School Fund	\$6276.03
State Fund	\$2390.75
State Military Fund	\$152.34
State Interest Fund	\$46.95
Special School Fund	\$4315.35
Road Property Fund	\$1162.18
Road and Bridge Fund	\$1582.37
County Fund	\$215.33
Soldiers Relief Fund	\$281.84
Special Road Fund	\$13.51
Current Expense Fund	\$43.00
Town of Colville Fund	\$28.52
Town of Kettle Falls Fund	\$54.53
Poor Fund	\$409.37
Superior Court Fund	\$256.23
Contingent Fund	\$256.23
State School Fund	\$845.05

Following bills examined and approved:

S. L. Magee	Lumber and Spikes (Bridge Material)	\$2.17
Stolp & Story	Lumber etc.	\$26.06
S. K. Owen	Bridge planks	\$22.73
C. A. Mantz	Contingent expense (see bill)	\$1.50
J. E. Pickrell	Deputy Treasurer	\$5.00

David Ogden	Deputy Treasurer	\$27.00
Dr. L. DeRudder	Professional Services	\$45.00
G. V. Gendrow	Relief Mrs. Dyer	\$8.00
S. & J. W. Douglass	Professional Services	\$10.00

Official bond of David Pankey approved.

Following bills examined and rejected.

Cost Bill	State versus M. H. Allen (see bill	
Cost Bill	Of D. Van Slyke, J. [Pire?] inquest	\$2.79
	case (balance due)	
J. H. Berg	Viewer Bossburg and Northport Road	\$4.00
A. A. Anderson	Viewer Bossburg and Northport Road	\$4.00
T. Curtis	Chainman Bossburg and Northport Road	\$4.00
Oliver Pea	Chainman Bossburg and Northport Road	\$4.00
E. G. Thomason		
	Viewing 4 days \$10.00	
	Chainman 4 days \$20.00	\$30.00
Geo. Dearing	Constable at polls at Marcus	\$9.00
D. M. Richard	Erecting booths etc.	\$2.80
P. B. Dingle	Board of election officers	\$7.50
T. M. Gilchrist	Marshall at polls	\$3.00
Northport Lumber Co.		\$2.10
Cost bill	State versus Courtwright (see bill for amount)	
Cost bill	State versus MasSaLa (see bill for amount)	
Dr. J. J. Jarvis	Professional services to Vance & Bennett	\$125.00
Lee Percival et all	Metaline Road (see bill for amount)	
J. H. Hope et all	Deep Creek Road (see bill for amount)	
R. B. Shomas	Surveyor Deep Creek Road (see bill for amount)	
J. B. Thomas	Surveyor Metaline Road (see bill for amount)	

Resignation of R. J. Ogden of White Lake Precinct as Justice of the Peace, accepted. Resignation of A. V. Shelper as Justice of the Peace of Chewelah Precinct, accepted. Resignation of Antoine Price as Road Supervisor of Road District No. 24, accepted. The following persons are appointed Road Supervisor: to wit –

Louis Weatherwax	Road District No. 8
J. B. Cameron	Road District No. 22
J. A. Miller	Road District No. 24
Emil Sholz	Road District No. 27
Daniel Hollandsworth	Road District No. 43
W. A. Atkinson	Road District No. 44

Ordered warrants drawn for following bills on Salary Fund:

L. J. Wolfard		
	16 days County Commissioner \$80.00	
	Expense transportation. \$.50	\$80.50
Robert Fountain		
	16 days County Commissioner \$80.00	
	160 miles 10 cents @ \$16.00	
	Expense paid for County Poor \$2.20	\$98.20
Robert Hilts		
	16 days County Commissioner \$80.00	
	110 miles 10 cents @ \$11.00	\$91.00

Board adjourned to Monday, January 11, 1897.

Attest J. S. Mclean, Clerk

Robert Hilts, Chairman

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 241, 1/11/1897

Monday, January 11, 1897

Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County met at the office of the County Auditor at 2:20 o'clock p.m.

Present:

H. T. Reynolds	1 st District
L. J. Wolfard	2 nd District
T. E. Irish	3 rd District
John L. Metcalf	Clerk of the Board

On motion of H. T. Reynolds and second by T. E. Irish, J. J. Wolfard was nominated for chairman of the board.

Vote on the above being as follows:

H. T. Reynolds voting for L. J. Wolfard

T. E. Irish voting for J. J. Wolfard

L. J. Wolfard having received highest number of votes is hereby declared elected as chairman of this board.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, January 12, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 241 & 242, 1/12/1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the petition of G. Relstab et all asking for a division in Road District no. 12. It is hereby ordered that the following division be made to be known as District no. 45: Commencing about 80 rods east of southeast corner of Section 31 Township 29 Range 42 and running West on Township line to southwest corner of Section 32 Township 29 Range 41 and north to northwest corner of Section 17, Township 29 Range 41 and thence East to county line, thence South, thence South along county line to place of beginning.

In the matter of the petition of E. H. Hoer, et al, asking appointment of Road Supervisor for District No. 45 is hereby ordered that Jacob Gibson be appointed supervisor of said district. The Surveyor is hereby order to obtain for the county a full set of blue prints of townships as per "sample cloth."

The following person is appointed Road Supervisor, to wit E. P. Staley, District No. 12.

In the matter of petition of H. L. Moody et al seeking relief from the liability on bond for cost in the drainage district, the petition is hereby rejected and the bond held to be in full force and effect.

In it hereby ordered that that County Attorney is instructed to investigate the title to the courthouse and other county property, and is hereby authorized to bring suit to clear the title to same, if he deems it necessary so to do.

It is the order of the board that the bonds of Road Supervisors of Districts No. 12 and 45 be placed at \$300 each.

It is hereby ordered that the County Surveyor bring Road and School District maps up to date, and furnish the Assessor, Treasurer, and Superintendent of Schools, a print of each, also furnish a print of each Road District which has been changed.

Board adjourned to Wednesday, January 13, 1897.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 242 & 243, 1/13/1897 (On files for 18970113 and 18970124)

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the County Auditor draw a warrant on the County General Fund at each regular session of the Board of the County Commissioners for \$33 to the order of the C. W. Winter for rent of rooms for County Attorney and County Surveyor rent to date from January 11. It is hereby ordered that Road District No. 28 is changed to include the territory bounded as follows: to wit: Beginning at the southeast corner of Stevens County and running thence West on line between Stevens and Spokane Counties to the corner between Sections 31 & 32 in Township 30 North Range 45 East Willamette Meridian, thence North to the township line between township line between Township 31 and 32 to the corner to Sections 33 and 34 Township 31 North Range 44 East and Sections 3 and 4 Township 30 North Range 44 East; thence North to the corner to Sections 3 and 4 Township 31 North Range 44 East; thence East on the line between Townships 31 and 32 to the W. C. Corner of Township 31; thence North to the Pend Oreille River; thence up said river to the line between Washington and Idaho; thence South on Stateline to point of beginning.

Board adjourned to Thursday, January 14, 1897.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 243 & 244, 1/14/1897

Thursday, January 14, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It is hereby ordered that the compensation of the following deputies be as follows:

Auditor \$70 per month; Sheriff \$70 per month; Treasurer \$70 per month; Assessor \$3.00 per day; Copyist \$2.25 per day.

Ordered that the County Auditor be allowed two regular deputies.

It is hereby ordered that the County Surveyor's office be furnished with a suitable book in which to record surveys made by him or his deputies. Said Book to conform to the requirements of Section 5 Chapter LXXVII Session Laws of 1893; also that said surveyor's office be furnished with a suitable book in which to record all field notes and plats of survey and construction notes heretofore executed for Stevens County and now in possession of said county not heretofore recorded.

Ordered warrants drawn for following bills on Salary Fund:

L. J. Wolfard	4 days County Commissioners	\$20.00
T. E. Irish	4 days County Commissioners	\$16.00
	132 miles 10 cents @	\$13.20
	Total	\$29.20
H. T. Reynolds	4 days County Commissioners	\$16.00
	80 miles 10 cents @	\$8.00
	Total	\$24.00

Board adjourned to Tuesday, February 23, 1897.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 244, 2/23/1897 Colville, Washington, February 23, 1897 Board met pursuant to adjournment of January 4, 1897 Present:

L. J. Wolfard	H. T. Reynolds	T. E. Irish
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Ordered that a warrant be drawn for \$153.93 in favor of W. H. Graham for maintenance of County Poor from December 23, 1896, to February 22, 1897.

Board adjourned to Wednesday, February 24.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 244 & 245, 2/24/1897

Wednesday, February 24, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It appearing to the board that an error was made in extending the records of the Board of Equalization on the Roll of 1896 in the matter of the personal property of Wm. Campbell. It is hereby ordered that the Treasurer be governed in the matter of the record and not by the extended roll.

Correspondence examined.

The following bill allowed:

In the matter of the application of Sigmund Dilsheimer for a cigarette license for the Town of Marcus, he having paid license fee of \$5.00. It is ordered that license be granted for six months from January 23, 1897.

It is hereby ordered that the resignation of C. S. Boss, as Justice of the Peace, in the Young America Precinct be accepted.

In the matter of the petition of C. A. Wright, et al, asking the appointment of C. E. Ivy as Justice of the Peace in and for the Young America Precinct. It is hereby ordered that C. E. Ivy be appointed Justice of the Peace in and for said precinct.

It is hereby ordered that the resignation of Wm. L. Straney as Road Supervisor of Road District No. 3 be accepted.

Board adjourned to Thursday, February 25.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 245 & 246, 2/25/1897

Thursday, February 25, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It is hereby ordered that a warrant be drawn on the Road Property Fund of District No. 1 to the amount of \$27.00 in favor of Chas. Alban as Supervisor of Road District No. 1.

In the matter of protect from O. B. Nelson against Special Road Tax in District No. 1 amounting to \$4.50 and School Tax in District No. 28 amounting \$7.50 levied for the year 1895 and 1896. It appearing to the Board that the property against which aid tax was levied is no in the district in which it was listed and that now special tax should be levied, it is ordered that the said special tax is hereby remitted.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Justice of the Peace in and for Chewelah Precinct and a petition having been presented signed by D. Van Slyke and 26 others for the appointment of C. K. Marsh to fill said vacancy. Ordered that C. K. Marsh be and is hereby appointed as Justice of the Peace in and for the Chewelah Precinct.

In the matter of the petition of C. O. Wilson et al asking the appointment of a. R. Morgan as Road Supervisor from District No. 21. It is hereby ordered that A. R. Morgan be appointed as Road Supervisors of said district.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of the Justice of the Peace in and for the precinct of Harvey. A petition having been presented signed by W. W. Young, et all for the appointment of Albert Jennings to fill said vacancy. Ordered that Albert Jennings to fille said vacancy. Ordered that Albert Jennings be and is hereby appointed as Justice of the Peace in and for Harvey Precinct.

In the matter of the petition of T. W. Cooper et all asking the appointment of J. N. Horton as Justice of the Peace in and for the Precinct of Daisy. It is hereby ordered that J. N. Horton be and is hereby appointed as Justice of the Peace in and for said precinct.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Constable in and for the precinct of Marcus and petition having been presented signed by W. C. Morris et al for the appointment of S. P. Poster to fill said vacancy. Ordered that O. P. Foster be and is hereby appointed as Constable in and for the precinct of Marcus.

Board adjourned to Friday, February 26, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 246, 2/26/1897

Friday, February 26, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The bill of E. Peters et al of Waneta, British Columbia, rejected and matter referred to Spokane County.

It is hereby ordered that a warrant be drawn on the Road and Bridge Fund for \$500 in favor of J. S. Bayley as part payment on Calispel Bridge, as per contract of August 25, 1896.

Ordered that the Auditor be instructed to draw a warrant on the Road and Bridge Fund in favor of J. L. Bayley for the sum of Four Hundred Dollars as a balance due him under contract of August 25, 1896 for the construction of a bridge across the Calispel River whenever the same shall be reported as a completed according to said contract and all liens cancelled. County Commissioner T. E. Irish is hereby appointed by this board to act as inspector of said bridge.

Board adjourned to Saturday, February 27, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 246 & 247, 2/27/1897

Saturday, February 27, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It is hereby ordered that the Statement-Index, a newspaper of general circulation, published in Stevens County by W. D. Allen be and is hereby designated as the newspapers in which the delinquent tax list of Real Estate property for the years of 1891, 1892, & 1893, of said county shall be published, and that the said tax lists be furnished to the said Allen for publication; his compensation for such publication to be 3 ½ cents per description and on the completion of said publication, it is further ordered that the Auditor draw a warrant on the Contingent Fund in favor of W. D. Allen for the amount incurred by said publication.

Board adjourned to Monday, March 1st, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 247, 3/1/1897

Monday, March 1, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the petition of George Deibel et al asking the appointment of Peter Rush as Road Supervisor for Road District No. 3. It is hereby ordered that Peter Rush be appointed as Road Supervisor for said district.

It appearing to the board there are no funds available for payment the expenses of taking statistics in the county for the year 1897, the Assessor is hereby instructed not to incur said expense.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, March 2, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 247, 248, 249, & 250 3/2/1897

Tuesday, March 2nd, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that John L. Metcalfe be and is hereby appointed Purchasing Agent for the County of Stevens at a salary of Fifty (\$50.00) dollars per annum.

In the matter of the license, granted October 5, 1896, to J. H. Saville for running a ferry at China Bend in Stevens County, Washington. It appearing to the board that E. S. Miller and Wm. Hibbits having purchased the ferry and filed sufficient bond, it is hereby ordered that E. S. Miller and Wm. Hibbits are authorized to conduct said ferry under said license granted to J. H. Saville.

In the matter of the application of Wm. P. Hall for a retail liquor license for the town of Marcus, he having paid \$300 license fee and filed sufficient bond. It is ordered that license be granted for one year from January 16th, 1897.

{On left side of page} Board adjourned to Wednesday, March 3, 1897.

Wednesday, March 3rd

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.}

The following bills examined and approved:

David C. Hull	For relief to W. T. Boyles	\$5.50
Jacob Keller	Relief to Ellis & family	\$15.60
E. A. Kyes	Relief to W. L. Root	\$18.00
E. A. Kyes	Relief to P. Immel	\$13.50
Spokane County	Care of W. L. Boyles	\$38.00
O. F. Smith	Stamps	\$11.75
C. M. Durland	1 day Teacher's Examination and mileage	\$6.30
James E. Picknell	1 day Teacher's Examination and mileage	\$4.00
Martin Scotten	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$15.25
James Crawford	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$28.50
Roy Moorhead	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$61.15
G. W. Johnson	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$18.50
D. F. Pankey	Stamps	\$1.50
W. D. Allen	Stationery	\$6.25
W. D. Allen	Stationery Sheriff's Office	\$2.50
W. D. Allen	Stationery Treasurer's Office	\$11.25
W. D. Allen	Stationery Auditor's Office	\$10.75
W. D. Allen	Stationery Attorney's Office	\$5.50
W. D. Allen	Stationery Clerk's Office	\$2.00
W. D. Allen	Stationery Surveyor's Office	\$4.25
W. D. Allen	Stationery Superintendent of Schools Office	\$29.00
T. J. Kelly	Relief to J. H. Felt & family	\$20.00
E. E. Hall	Carrying elections returns	\$7.20
Chas. St. Clair	Board of prisoners	\$33.60
Chas. St. Clair	Board of prisoners	\$32.80
Samuel Wigton	Deputy Sheriff	\$13.60
E. M. Deny	Team hire	\$68.00

Larken Shaffer	Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
A. Keiling	1 day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
Perry Vanslace	Conveying patient from Springdale to Poor Farm	\$2.50
Dr. L. De Rudder	Professional Services	\$60.00
F. B. Goetter	Medicine	\$16.50
Dr. J. A. Lung	Professional Services at Poor Farm	\$42.50
Dr. L. De Rudder	Professional Services	\$15.00
Mrs. A. Bryant	Board of Insane man and Constable	\$2.75
J. W. Griswold	As Constable	\$10.00
Cost Bill	State versus Inglehart	
L. S. Brechbill	Constable	\$3.90
Michael Walsh	Justice	\$4.00
	Cost bill State versus Wm. M. Kinney	
Michael Walsh	Justice	\$3.15
James Ross	Constable	\$4.60
J. B. Thomas	22 days, \$3 each official work	\$66.00
J. B. Thomas	16 days, \$5 each official work	\$80.00

{James A. Ross was postmaster of Welford Post Office from 3 March 1893 until discontinued 21 May 1895.}

It appearing to the board that a considerable amount of bridge material is now lying idle in the Town of Kettle Falls crossing the Colville River. It is hereby ordered that H. T. Reynolds is situated be authorized be authorized to remove said material and have the same used in the construction of bridges wherein his judgment it will be most beneficial.

The bill from Tom Gilchrist for guarding polls at Loon Lake on election day November 3, 1896, rejected.

W. L. Russell having made to the board on the 1st day of March 1897, his application for a license to keep and maintain a bridge over, upon and across that certain stream known as Kettle River at a point in Stevens County within one mile south of the International Boundary Line where the said river crosses said Boundary Line, and it appearing to the board that said application has been made under the law providing for license for ferries for the reason that the law in express words fails to authorize the licensing of bridges and the said W. L. Russell, having posted notices of his intention to make such application at least twenty days before this time as by law required, and the owners or occupants of the land abutting said stream on either side thereof where at the point where at the point where such license shall be exercised, having given their consent in writing to the construction and maintenance of said bridge and at the said bridge or a ferry at the said place is a public necessity and it further appearing that portion of the Colville Indian Reservation heretofore ceded to the United States by the Indians and that the Congress of the United States has opened such ceded lands to entry under the mineral laws of the United States and disclaims civil jurisdiction over the territory embraced therein , and it being the desire of the said W. L. Russell that this board assume jurisdiction for the purpose of said application, and it being the desire of the said W. L. Russell that this board assume jurisdiction for the purpose of his application herein. It is hereby ordered that the said W. L. Russell be granted a ferry license operative at a point in said county within one mile south of the International Boundary Line, where the said river crosses said line the last time that said license shall extend over a period of one year from and after this date that the license fee is fixed at

twenty-five (25.00) dollars per year. That this bond is fixed in the sum of five hundred (\$500) dollars, and that this license is limited to the authority and jurisdiction of this board to ordered the same issued and are revocable upon proper application of the owners of the lands where said license is or shall be exercised and under the laws granting ferry license, and it is further ordered that the rates of ferriage or toll shall be as follows:

Six horse team and wagon with driver loaded	\$1.00
Six horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.75
Four horse team and wagon with driver, loaded	\$.75
Four horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Two horse team and wagon with driver, loaded	\$.50
Two horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.25
Four horse stage, loaded	\$.75
Two horse stage	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.25
Pack horse	\$.10
Loose stock, per head	\$.05

Ordered warrants drawn on salary fund for the following bills:

L. J. Wolfard	5 days County Commissioner	\$40.00
T. E. Irish	8 days County Commissioner	\$32.00
	132 miles 10 cents @	\$13.20
	Total	\$45.20
H. T. Reynolds	8 days County Commissioner	\$32.00
	80 miles 10 cents @	\$8.00
	Total	\$40.00

Board adjourned Sine Die.

Attest. Jno. L. Metcalf, Clerk

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 251, 4/5/1897

Colville, Washington, April 5th, 1897

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County met in regular quarterly session. Present:

L. J. Wolfard	Chairman, Commissioner 2 nd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1 st District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District

Correspondence examined.

The resignation of Samuel F. Starr as Justice of the Peace for Lake Creek Precinct accepted.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Justice of Peace in the Lake Creek Precinct, ordered that James O. Gifford be appointed to fill said vacancy in and for the Precinct of Lake Creek. {James O. Gifford was postmaster of the Spencer Post Office for a month from 2 March 1898. Post office moved to Bissell 2 April 1898.}

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Road Supervisor for District No. 41 and a petition having been presented signed by G. W. Hutchison and 16 others for the appointment of J. P. Parrish to fill said vacancy, it is hereby ordered that J. P. Parrish be and his hereby appointed as Road Supervisor for District No. 41.

Ordered that the bond of the Road Supervisor for District No. 42 be and is hereby placed at \$150.

Ordered that the Road Supervisor's bond of District No. 12 be placed at \$150.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of the Road Supervisor for District No. 16 and a petition signed by George Campbell and 15 others having been presented for the appointment of C. F. Battorff to fill said vacancy. Ordered that B. F. Bottorff be and is hereby appointed Road Supervisor for said district.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, April 6, 1897.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 251 & 252, 4/6/1897

Tuesday, April 6, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Road Supervisor for road District No. 27, ordered that C. H. Smith be appointed to fill said vacancy and bond placed at \$25.

Ordered that a warrant be drawn on Road and Bridge fund for \$12,00 in favor of High Haggortt as compensation for work done on Northport and Boundary Road.

Ordered that a warrant be drawn on Road Property Fund of Road District No. 19 in favor of Willard Spencer for \$5.00 as Road Supervisor.

Ordered that a warrant be drawn on Road and Property Fund in favor of Peter Rush for \$15.39 as compensation for Road Supervisor of District No. 3.

In the matter of the inspection and report of Calispel Bridge, Commissioner T. E. Irish, who having been duly authorized by the board to inspect and report on said bridge, found that it was essential for contractor J. L. Bayley to do work in excess of contract to secure as substantial structure, and that the said J. L. Bayley be allowed \$100 in addition to amount specified by contract.

In the matter of the application of Wm. Miller for a license to operate a steel cable ferry on the Columbia River at Marcus, is hereby ordered that when the said Wm. Miller shall file with the Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$500 and the County Treasurer's receipt for the sum of fifty (\$50) dollars license fee then the said license shall be issued and the rates of ferriage which may be charged by the said Wm. Miller fixed as follows:

Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver loaded	\$1.50
Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$.75
Two horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$.75
Two horse team and 1 wagon with driver	\$.50
Four horse stage, loaded	\$.75
Two horse stage	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack animal loaded each	\$.25
Pack animal not loaded each	\$.10
Loose stock, horses, cattle miles & each	\$.10
Sheep, hogs & etc. in bands ten or more, each	\$.05
Footman, each	\$.25

Board adjourned to Wednesday, April 7, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 252 & 253, 4/7/1897

Wednesday, April 7, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The resignation of J. B. Morgan as Justice of the Peace for Marcus Precinct accepted. It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Justice of the Peace in and for the precinct of Marcus and a petition having been presented, signed by W. C. Morris and 19 others for the appointment of H. C. Rice to fills said vacancy, ordered that H. C. Rice, be and is hereby appointed Justice of the Peace in and the for the Precinct of Marcus.

In the matter of the petition of Rellstab et al for a County Road to commence at the northwest corner of Section 26 Township 29 Range 41, running two miles east to Swenson Road, to be 60 feet in width, all of said road being wholly on section line, and no objection being entered, the petition is hereby granted, and the road declared to be a county road. {Current Bellstar Road}

In the matter of the settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed deposits in the bank and cash in safe for \$15,823.36 distributed in the various funds as follows:

Salary Fund	\$2,284.05
School Fund	\$6,563.93
State General Fund	\$669.54
State Military Fund	\$31.05
State Interest Fund	\$28.03
County Fund	\$789.93
Road and Bridge Fund	\$599.34
Road Property Fund	\$619.49
Soldier's Relief Fund	\$200.21
Special School Fund	\$2,593.81
School Road Fund	\$13.51
Current Expense	\$43.00
Town of Colville	\$17.04
Town of Kettle Falls	\$45.31
Penalty Interest and Cost Fund	\$258.34
Superior Court	\$285.44
Contingent Fund	\$97.30
Poor Fund	\$229.57
State School Fund	\$459.47
Total	\$15,823.36

Board adjourned to Thursday, April 8. 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 253 & 254, 4/8/1897

Thursday, April 8, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It appearing to the board that Maddie Cherette is a holder of a retail liquor license in Stevens County for the Town of Old Marcus, and who petitioned for the board for a transfer of license privilege from Old Marcus to the Town of East Marcus, said change is hereby granted as petitioned.

Ordered that General Ad. Warrant #675 issued to J. W. Griswald March, 12, 1897, be cancelled and contingent fund warrant issued in lieu thereof.

In the matter of the petitions of C. S. Boss et al for a county road ordered that County Surveyor survey proposed road from a point commencing at the land of Freshman's Ferry on the west side of Columbia River opposite the Town of Bossburg to the top of the hill, a distance of about three-fourths of a mile. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 367, Bossburg to Kettle River Road, #583}

Board adjourned to Friday, April 9.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 254, 4/9/1897

Friday, April 9, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the complaint entered by John Salvage that the county road in vicinity of Sections 31 and 36 Township 33 North Range 39 has been narrowed and trespassed upon, is hereby ordered that Road Supervisor for District No. 37 investigate and maintain the road at width of 60 feet.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Road Supervisor in District No. 8 ordered that George Kulzer be and is hereby appointed to fill said vacancy and his bond placed at \$100.

In the matter of the contract with W. D. Allen, Editor and proprietor of the Statesman-Index to publish the delinquent to Rolls of 1891-1892 & 1893. The legislature having repealed the lawmaking the advertising of such delinquent tax rolls necessary and it appearing to the board that the said W. D. Allen has commenced to carry out said contract by performing labor thereon and purchasing supplies in connection therewith to the amount of \$150.; It is hereby ordered that a warrant be drawn on the Contingent Fund for the sum of \$150, in favor of the said W. D. Allen, wherever the said Allen shall file a receipt with the County Auditor acknowledging the receipt of all money due him from Stevens County by virtue of the aforesaid contract.

Board adjourned to Saturday, April 10.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 255, 4/10/1897

Saturday, April 10, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of a communication from A. P. Kendrick &Co asking for the privilege of removing their store building into the street at the foot of 4th Street on Columbia Avenue in the Town of Northport while erecting a brick building where store building now stands, there being no objections, the request is hereby granted.

In the matter of an appropriation for the Rockey Gorge Road to Calispel. It appearing to the board to the board to be necessary to make an appropriation for the purpose of building turning out places in said road for the purpose of letting teams pass when traveling the above-named road. It is hereby ordered that a warrant be drawn on the Road and Bridge Fund for \$75.00 in favor of Supervisor, J. H. Penney to be applied for above said purpose, warrant to be issued when the receipts are presented to the board showing that the above amount of money has been properly expended on said road.

Board adjourned to Monday April 12, 1897.

Monday, April 12, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of an appropriation for the construction of a high-water road, commencing at East Marcus Cable Ferry landing on the north side of the Columbia River opposite the Town of East Marcus, and connecting with the Kettle River Road about two miles distant from place of beginning, ordered that the amount of \$100 be and is hereby appropriated for the construction of said road, warrant to drawn in favor of J. B. Reynolds on Road and Bridge Fund upon the presentation of receipts to this board showing the proper use and expenditure of the above amount on the said road.

The resignation of Thomas Crandall as Road Supervisor for District No. 4 accepted.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Road Supervisor for District No. 4, ordered that George Theis be and is hereby appointed to fill said vacancy.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, April 13, 1897.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 256, 4/13/1897

Tuesday, April 13, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the Treasurer transfer the sum of one hundred (\$100) dollars from the Penalty Interest and Cost Fund to the Poor Fund; also the sum of \$158.34 from the Penalty, Interest, and Cost Fund to the Contingent Fund.

Ordered that the Treasurer transfer the sum of Five Hundred (\$500) dollars from the County Fund to the Salary Fund.

Ordered that the Treasurer transfer the sum of \$285.44 from the Superior Court Fund to the Contingent Fund.

It is hereby ordered that the bond of Road Supervisor of Road District No. 24 be placed at \$150.

The County Attorney is hereby ordered to enforce collection of bond filed August 30, 1895, by the Commercial State Savings Bank as principal, and H. L. Moody, O. D. Moody, and C. Emma Moody, as sureties.

County Commissioner L. J. Wolfard is hereby empowered to approve stamp bills of Deputy Assessor's and other incidental expense in connection with their office.

Ordered that the payment of taxes made on Lot 25 Block 16 Central Addition to the Town of Kettle Falls be cancelled and same be applied to payment of taxes on Lot 25, Block 21 Central Addition to the Town of Kettle Falls Roll 1895.

Board adjourned to Wednesday, April 14, 1897.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 256, 257, & 258 4/14/1897

Wednesday, April 14th, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

0. P. Foster	Deputy Sheriff	\$23.50
0. P. Foster	Money expended as expense while Deputy Sheriff	\$10.00
E. M. Denny	Traveling expenses for month of March	\$54.65
A. M. Pettingill	Justice of the Peace State versus H. Walters	\$1.20
A. M. Pettingill	Justice of the Peace State versus Townsend	\$7.00
H. Weatherwax	Witness fee state versus Townsend	\$8.40
Wm. St Kinson	Witness fee state versus Townsend	\$9.00
H. Overmiller	Witness fee state versus Townsend	\$8.80
M. Kulzer	Witness fee state versus Townsend	\$8.20
Geo. Waitt	Witness fee state versus Townsend	\$8.30
Mrs. Waitt	Witness fee state versus Townsend	\$8.30
H. Penn	Witness fee state versus Townsend	\$8.50
E. Wayland	Witness fee state versus Townsend	\$5.20
C. A. Mantz	Witness fee state versus Townsend	\$2.20
Carroll Morgan	Witness fee state versus Townsend	\$10.20
W. W. Dickson	Services as Deputy Sheriff	\$3.50
W. W. Dickson	Expenses traveling when acting as Deputy Sheriff	\$2.65
A. M. Pettingill	Justice of the Peace fees State versus John Doe	\$1.75
D. F. Pankey	Transportation from Colville to Spokane and return official business	\$8.90
W. D. Allen	Stationery Clerk's Office	\$2.00
W. D. Allen	Supplies for County Attorney's Office	\$5.00
W. D. Allen	Stationery to Treasurer's Office	\$4.25
Dr. T. C. Green	Professional service	\$5.00
J. W. Johnson	Care of self	\$45.00
Wm. Overman	Soldiers Relief	\$25.00
F. Bryant	Soldiers Relief	\$25.00
E. A. Kyes	Relief to P. Immel	\$8.00
E. A. Kyes	Relief to D. Wooley	\$10.00
John James Graves	Justice of the Peace State versus D. Kirk	\$1.00
John James Graves	Justice of the Peace State versus Jno. Doe	\$1.00
John James Graves	Justice of the Peace State versus Jno. Thompson	\$3.00
Dr. L. DeRudder	Professional services	\$15.00
0. J. Smith	Stamps	\$14.85
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Traveling expenses etc.	\$33.60
Martin Scottin	Deputy Treasurer	\$15.75
Martin Scottin	Horse hire when Deputy Treasurer	\$5.50
W. H. Graham	Maintenance County Poor	\$130.00
Dr. J. A. Lung	Professional service at Poor House	\$22.75
V. G. Gendraw	House rent, Mrs. Dyer	\$8.00

H. J. Young	Deputy Treasurer	\$54.00
H. J. Young	Horse hire and traveling expenses	\$11.00
J. L. Bayley	Bolts and bolting for Calispel Bridge	\$20.00
J. B. Thomas	Official work 27 days \$3 @	\$81.00
Chas St. Clair	Board of prisoners	\$51.60
D. Hollandsworth	25 lbs. of spikes	\$1.25
John James Graves	Justice fees State versus Ireland	\$3.10
S. Wigton	Deputy Sheriff State versus Ireland	\$10.50
S. Wigton	Fare of prisoner from Northport to Meyers Falls	\$2.65
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Telegrams and answers	\$1.50

The bill of Drs. Kimball and Grove rejected.

County Commissioner L. J. Wolfard is hereby empowered to approve expense bills of Prosecuting Attorney.

The petition of Otto Mungert for a retail beer license for the Town of Chewelah rejected. Ordered warrants drawn on salary fund for the following bills.

L. J. Wolfard	County Commissioner 9 days	\$45.00
H. T. Reynolds	9 days County Commissioner	\$36.00
	80 miles 10 cents @	\$8.00
	Total	\$44.00
T. E. Irish	County Commissioner	\$3.00
	9 days	\$36.00
	132 miles 10 cents @	\$13.20
	3 days Inspecting Calispel Bridge	\$12.00
	Total	\$61.20

Board adjourned Sine Die.

L. G. Wolfard, Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

Attest: Jno. L. Metcalf

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 259, 7/5/1897

Colville, Washington, July 5, 1897

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County met in regular quarterly session. Present:

L. J. Wolfard	Chairman, Commissioner 2 nd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1 st District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District

Correspondence examined.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, July 6, 1897.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 259 and 260, 7/6/1897

Tuesday, July 6, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The application of Bazil Brown, of Chewelah, for a retail liquor license for a period of six months rejected.

In the matter of the application of C. A. Boyd for a license to construct and maintain {blank} of cable ferry on the Kettle River, on the Colville Indian Reservation, County of Stevens, and State of Washington, on said river about four miles from its mouth and where the state road crosses said river, he having filed a five-hundred-dollar bond and paid a \$25.00 license fee. It is hereby ordered that a license be granted and the rates of ferriage be as follows:

Six horse team and two wagons with driver, loaded	\$.75
Six horse team and two wagons with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse team and one wagon with driver, loaded	
Four horse team and one wagon with driver, empty	\$.35
Two horse team and one wagon with driver, loaded	\$.35
Two horse team and one wagon with driver, empty	\$.25
Four horse stage making regular trips, with driver	
Two horse stage making regular trips, with driver	
Saddle horse & rider	
Pack animals loaded, each	
Pack animals not loaded, each	
Loose stock (Horses, cattle & mules) each	
Sheep, hogs in bands of 10 or more	\$.05
Footman	\$.10

Ordered that a warrant be drawn on the Road and Bridge Fund in favor of Milo Jacobs as compensation for "Right of Way" and building fence on county road.

In the matter of the petition of B. Wellenbrink for the establishment of a new road district, to wit: Commencing at the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of Section 32 Township 35 Range 37, thence east ¼ mile, thence south ¼ mile; thence east ¼ mile; thence south ¼ mile; thence west ¼ mile; thence south ¼ mile to southeast corner of Section 32, thence ½ mile west to quarter stake Section 5 thence south ¼ miles, thence ¼ mile east thence south 1 mile, thence west ¼ mile; thence south 1 mile; thence west ¼ mile; thence west 1 mile to the Columbia River, thence up said river to the place of beginning. Ordered that the petition be granted and the district be numbered 46.

It is hereby ordered that Sylvester Lawson be appointed supervisor of Road District No. 46 and his bond placed at \$300.00.

In the matter of the petition of Sylvester Lawson for the establishment of a county road to wit: Commencing at the point near corner stake of Section 29 northwest corner, running about three northwest to the Columbia River; thence northeast to intersect county road at a point on the northeast quarter of Section 18 Township 34 Range 37. Ordered that the above-described territory be surveyed and the road established thereby.

It is hereby ordered that a warrant be drawn on the Road Property Fund of Road District No. 12 for \$120.00 in favor of G. Relstab as compensation for Road Supervisor.

Board adjourned to Wednesday, July 7, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 260, 261 and 262, 7/7/1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the application of Bazil Brown for a retail liquor license for the Town of Chewelah, he having paid \$300 license fee and filed sufficient bond. It is hereby ordered that a license be granted for a period of one year, from July 1st, 1897.

In the matter of the application of Otto Arnold for a retail liquor license for the Town of Northport, he having paid \$300 license fee and filed sufficient bond. It is hereby ordered that a license be granted for a period of one year, from July 11, 1897.

In the matter of the application of Carl Srunggren for a retail liquor license for the Town of Northport, he having paid \$300 license fee and filed sufficient bond. It is hereby ordered that a license be granted for a period of one year, from July 1st, 1897.

In the matter of the application of Hugo Moser for a retail liquor license for the Town of Northport, he having paid \$300 license fee and filed sufficient bond. It is hereby ordered that a license be granted for a period of one year, from July 12, 1897.

The Treasurer is hereby ordered to refund money paid by tax receipt #5251, which was paid in error, and cancel receipt, and on issuing receipt remit interest on the 2/5 of southeast % Block 16, Town of Colville, which should have been receipted for in receipt of No. 5251.

Ordered that the County Treasurer remit the taxes against Amos Alby on \$300 assessed against him on the Personal Roll of 1896. It appearing to the board, that he should be allowed exemption and that same was not allowed by the Assessor.

Ordered that a warrant be drawn for \$40 on Road Property Fund in favor of J. D. Walters as compensation for Road Supervisor for Road District No. 36.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Road Supervisor for District No. 4, a petition signed by Jacob Stitzel and 19 others for the appointment of B. W. Emery, ordered that B. W. Emery be appointed to fill said vacancy.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Constable in and for the Precinct of Newport. It is hereby ordered that Charles Muvller be and is hereby appointed Constable in and for the Precinct of Newport.

In the matter of the application of O'Connor and Cunningham for a retail liquor license for the Town of Northport, he having paid \$300 license fee and filed sufficient bond. It is hereby ordered that a license be granted for a period of one year, from May 24, 1897.

It is hereby ordered that a special school tax in tax receipt No. 5072 against (School) District No. 27 be remitted with penalty interest and costs.

Board adjourned to Thursday, July 8, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 262, 7/8/1897
Thursday, July 8, 1897
Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.
Communications examined and answered.
Board adjourned to Saturday, July 9, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 262, 7/9/1897

Friday, July 9, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the application of Williams & Jackson for a retail liquor license for the Town of Northport, he having paid \$300 license fee and filed sufficient bond. It is hereby ordered that a license be granted for a period of one year, from July 1st, 1897.

The application of Thomas Burk for a retail liquor license for the Town of Clayton rejected.

Ordered that the County Treasurer remit the taxes against C. Carlson on \$300.00 assessed against him on the Personal Roll 1896. It appearing to the board that he should be allowed exemption and that same was not allowed by Assessor.

Board adjourned to Saturday, July 10, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 262, 263, & 264, 7/10/1897

Saturday, July 10, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It appears to the board that the Great Northern Railway County has neglected to make safe crossing for vehicles on all points in Stevens County where said railway line crossed county roads. It is hereby ordered that the Division Superintendent at Spokane, Washington of the Great Northern Railway Co. construct and maintain safe crossings at all points in Stevens County, Washington where railway line crosses county roads.

In the matter of the protest from O. B. Nelson against special tax in District No. 1 amounting to \$4.13 and school tax in District No. 28 amounting to \$7.50 levied for the year 1896. It appearing to the board that the property against which said tax was levied is not in the district in which it was listed and that no special tax should be levied. Ordered that said special tax is hereby remitted.

In the amount of the petition of C. F. Conrady and others for the establishment of a county road to wit: commencing at the southeast corner of Section 6 Township 32 Range 40, thence north in section line one mile to township line, road to be forty-feet in width, ordered that petition be granted and road declared. {Current Tetro Road.}

In the matter of the petition of Robert Hilts and 17 others for the establishment of a county road forty-feet in width, to wit; Beginning at the northeast corner of the southeast ¼ of the southeast ¼ of Section 3 Township 30 Range 37 on the main road, and north to the northwest corner of Section 26 Township Range 37, being a distance of about 1 and ¼ miles. Ordered that survey be made of the proposed and a county road established thereby. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 369, Bob Hilts' Road, #604}

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to refund to Thomas Heller \$15.29 paid in error by tax receipt #7586.

In the matter of the petition of W. O. Smith and 15 others for the establishment of a county road, fifty feet in width, to wit: Commencing at a point 25 rods west of where the half section line of Section 34 Township 32 Range 40 intersects township line on the south running thence in a northwest course 50 rods from township line, thence North 35 rods to a point 56 rods West of said half section line and ending at the ½ section line of the southwest ½ of Section 34 Township 32 Range 40. The whole distance being about one fourth mile. Ordered that the above petition be granted and road established. {Part of current Farm-to-Market Road.}

Ordered that the County Treasurer remit the taxes against J. S. Long on \$300.00 assessed against him on the Personal Roll 1896. It appearing to the board that he should be allowed the exemption and that same was not allowed by the assessor.

Ordered that the County Treasurer remit taxes against Hannah Crook on \$300 assessed against her on the Personal Roll 1896. It appearing to the board that she should be allowed exemption and that the same was not allowed by the Assessor.

Board adjourned to Monday, July 12, 1897.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 264, 265, 266, & 267, 7/12/1897

Monday, July 12, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the application of J. A. McJenkins for a retail liquor license for the Town of Meyers Falls, he having paid \$300 license fee and filed sufficient bond. It is hereby ordered that a license be granted for a period of one year, from July 10th, 1897.

In the matter of the application of P. Foster for a retail liquor license for the Town of Boundary, he having paid \$300 license fee and filed sufficient bond. It is hereby ordered that a license be granted for a period of one year, from August 6th, 1897.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Road Supervisor in District No. 3 and a petition signed by George Copp and 21 others having been presented for the appointment of Alexander Weaver to fill said vacancy. Ordered that the said Alexander Weaver be appointed Road Supervisor for District No. 3.

In the matter of the application of Young & Hessin for a license to construct and maintain a cable ferry on the Kettle River, at or near the mouther of Curlew Creek on the Colville Indian Reservation, Stevens County, Washington. It is hereby ordered that when the said Young & Hessin shall file with the Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of a five-hundred-dollars and the County Treasurer receipt for the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00). Then the said shall be issued and the rates of ferriage fixed as follows

Six horse team and two wagons with driver, loaded	\$.75
Six horse team and two wagons with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse team and one wagon with driver, loaded	\$.50
Four horse team and one wagon with driver, empty	\$.35
Two horse team and one wagon with driver, loaded	\$.35
Two horse team and one wagon with driver, empty	\$.25
Four horse stage making regular trips, with driver	\$.35
Two horse stage making regular trips, with driver	\$.25
Saddle horse & rider	\$.25
Pack animals loaded, each	\$.15
Pack animals not loaded, each	\$.05
Loose stock each	\$.05
Sheep, hogs in bands per head	\$.05
Footman	\$.10

In the matter of the application of H. E. Young for the construction and maintenance of a cable ferry on Kettle River at a point about 30 miles from its mouth, which is about three miles from the International Boundary Line, on the Colville Indian Reservation, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that when the said Young shall file a good and sufficient bond with the County Auditor in the sum of five-hundred (\$500.00) and the County Treasurer's receipt for the sum of twenty-five (\$25.00) as license fee, then the said license shall be granted and the rates of ferriage fixed as follows:

Six horse team and two wagons with driver, loaded	\$.75	
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Six horse team and two wagons with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse team and one wagon with driver, loaded	\$.50
Four horse team and one wagon with driver, empty	\$.35
Two horse team and one wagon with driver, loaded	\$.35
Two horse team and one wagon with driver, empty	\$.25
Four horse stage making regular trips, with driver	\$.35
Two horse stage making regular trips, with driver	\$.25
Saddle horse & rider	\$.25
Pack animals loaded, each	\$.15
Pack animals not loaded, each	\$.05
Loose stock each	\$.05
Sheep, hogs in bands per head	\$.05
Footman	\$.10

In the matter of the application of George F. Kennedy for a Retail Liquor License for the Town of Marcus, he having filed sufficient bond and paid \$300 license fee, ordered that a license be granted for one year from April 17th, 1897.

In the matter of the petition of C. A. Mantz et al for the location, survey and establishment of a county road, to wit: Beginning at a point on the Northport Road at the cable ferry at Ryan Post Office on the east bank of the Columbia River on the Colville Indian Reservation; thence along the Lee and Miller Road to a point where Lee & Miller's Store is situated; thence in a northwesterly direction to connect with the Kettle River Road at a point beyond Pierre Lake, ordered that the above described road be surveyed and established to Lee & Miller's Store.

The following Road Supervisor's Reports examined and approved:

Dead District No. 21	¢18.00
Road District No. 21	\$48.00
Road District No. 18	\$57.60
Road District No. 11	\$45.00
Road District No. 19	\$17.50
Road District No. 42	\$40.75
Road District No. 24	\$85.00
Road District No. 36	\$22.50
Road District No. 30	\$22.50
Road District No. 38	\$26.00
Road District No. 31	\$45.00
Road District No. 23	\$30.00
Road District No. 26	\$27.50
Road District No. 10	\$65.25
Road District No. 14	\$62.50
Road District No. 13	\$41.00
Road District No. 7	\$63.00
Road District No. 27	\$25.00
Road District No. 29	\$31.25
Road District No. 17	\$49.00
Road District No. 37	\$30.00
Road District No. 32	\$10.00
Road District No. 9	\$45.00

Road District No. 16	\$53.00
Road District No. 22	\$42.50
Road District No. 3	\$20.00
Road District No. 1	\$22.00
Road District No. 33	\$30.00
Road District No. 6	\$12.50
Road District No. 5	\$27.50

In the matter of application of J. R. Vinton for a retail liquor license for the Town of Northport, he having paid \$300 license and field sufficient fond, ordered that license be granted for me year from July 12, 1897.

It appearing to the board that there is but one Justice of the Peace in and for the Precinct of Little Dalles, Stevens County, Washington, and there being a petition signed J. J. Travis and 20 others for the appointment of J. C. Harkness as a Justice of the Peace in and for the Precinct of Little Dalles. Ordered that J. C. Harness be and is hereby appointed as a Justice of the Peace in and for said precinct.

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to refund D. C. Corbin \$4.24 tax paid in error on the northeast ¼ of northwest ¼ of Section 23 Township 31 Range 40, tax receipts No. 7702 and \$1.75 paid on the southeast ¼ northwest ¼ of Section 30 Township 30 Range 40.

In the matter of the petition of J. W. Walbridge and others for a county road, to wit: Commencing at the southwest corner Section 17 Township 28 Range 42, thence in a northeasterly direction 1750 feet to a point on the county line. Ordered that the same be and is hereby declared a county road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 400, Wallbridge Road, #789}

Ordered that the County Auditor draw a warrant on Road Property Fund of District No. 7 for the sum of \$63 in favor of Road Supervisor Duffy.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, July 12, 1897.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 267 & 268, 7/13/1897

Tuesday, July 13, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills examined and approved:

J. F. Nelson	Deputy Assessor	\$33.00
D. F. Pankey	Assessor	\$71.00
W. D. Allen	Printing	\$62.00
James Thompson	Board of county charges	\$47.00
S. S. Beggs	Stamps & incidentals	\$35.23
Metropolitan Printing Co.	1 Vol 1896 code of laws	\$10.00
C. H. Thompson	Bailiff Superior Court April term	\$15.75
G. B. Aubin	Bailiff Superior Court June term	\$36.00
C. H. Thompson	Bailiff Superior Court June term	\$33.75
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expenses	\$33.80
John Neff	Bridge Plank	\$23.40
J. B. Thomas	Surveyor	\$120.50
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expenses	\$7.15
E. M. Denny	Expense	\$20.25
E. M. Denny	Expense	\$15.70

The following bills examined and approved:

J. W. Johnson	Care of self	\$22.50
J. W. Johnson	Care of self	\$22.50
Fry & Kuhn	Repair of Clerk's Office	\$7.50
C. M. Durland	Copyist in Clerk's Office	\$4.50
George W. Seal	Nails	\$2.00
D. F. Pankey	Expenses stamps	\$2.50
G. E. Cornwall	Stamps, Deputy Assessor	\$1.10
G. W. Beyers	Deputy Assessor, postage	\$.80
R. H. Renshaw	Deputy Assessor, stamps	\$1.45
G. W. Johnson	Deputy Assessor, stamps	\$1.75
Peter Selleg	Deputy Assessor, stamps	\$1.25
D. F. Pankey	Stamps	\$1.10
F. J. Boehl	Deputy Assessor	\$39.00
C. A. Ledgerwood	Deputy Assessor	\$60.00

Board adjourned to Wednesday, July 14, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 268 & 269, 7/14/1897

Wednesday, July 14

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of a change in the Horseshoe Lake Road. One the petition of J. T. Grove and Mrs. Ellsworth, the route through Section 31 Township 30 North Range 43 is hereby changed to run north from the center of said section to the 1/45 corner and thence West along the north line of said section to the northwest corner to intersect the original survey. The old route running west from the center of Section 31 to the 1/45 on the township line and thence north to the northwest corner is hereby vacated. The County Surveyor is hereby ordered to plat said road in conformity herewith.

In the matter of the appropriation of \$75.00 for improvements on Rocky Gorge Road. It appearing to the board, that the money has been properly expended. It is hereby ordered that a warrant be drawn on the Road and Bridge Fund for \$75.00 in favor of James H. Penny.

The following bills examined and approved.

Salvage & Dearinger	Lumber	\$40.56
Salvage & Dearinger	Lumber	\$15.84
Salvage & Dearinger	Lumber	\$18.96

It appearing to the board from the petition of M. Walsh and others that the Duncan change in the Locke Road, in Section 6 Township 30 North Range 38 East Willamette Meridian, does not connect with the original survey of the Locke Road. It is hereby ordered that the route of said change be continued a distance of 30 rods and 12 feet South from the 1/45 post along center line of Section 6 to intersect the line of the Locke Road and the County Surveyor is hereby instructed to plat said change in conformity herewith. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 340, Duncan's change in Locke Road, #556}

In the matter of the appropriation for the Horseshoe Lake Road District 27, it is hereby ordered that an appropriation of \$30.00 be made to construct a grade in Little Spokane Hill. The funds to be expended to best advantage by the Supervisor of said district under supervision of Commissioner T. E. Irish.

In the matter of an appropriation for Road District No. 13. It is hereby ordered that the sum of \$30.00 be and is hereby appropriated, money to be expended by supervisor under supervision of T. E. Irish.

Ordered that a warrant be drawn on Road Property Fund of Road District No. 31 for the sum of \$48.70 in favor of Thomas Perrott.

Ordered that Andrew Abraham be given fifteen dollars per month on Poor Farm warrants to be drawn by the County Auditor at the first of each moth commencing September 1st, 1897.

Ordered that the County Auditor draw a warrant in favor of Andrew Abraham for the sum of \$22.00 on Poor Fund.

In the matter of the application of Henry Henserling for a retail cigarette license for the Town of Northport, he having paid \$10 license fee, ordered that a license be granted for one year from July 1st 1897.

In the matter of an appropriation for the new survey on Clark's Hill in District No. 46. Ordered that the sum of \$75.00 be and is hereby appropriated to grade said hill, money to be expended under supervision of Commissioner H. F. Reynolds.

Board adjourned to Thursday, July 15.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 269, 270, & 271, 7/15/1897 {Under file for 7/14/1897}

Thursday, July 15, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills examined and warrants ordered drawn for same:

Ike Emerson	Bridge planks & spikes	\$39.14
McGowan Brothers	Road plow	\$16.50
J. B. Reynolds	For building road from west side Columbia	\$100.00
-	River to Kettle Falls	
T. C. Green	Professional services	\$15.00
Daniel Hollandswoth	Plow fixtures	\$5.00
Chas St. Clair	Boarding prisoners from My to July 1897	\$244.20
F. Barman	Merchandise for county poor	\$17.00
E. M. Denny	Boarding jury June term	\$100.00
St. Clair	For board of jury	\$3.50
James Thompson	For board of jury	\$3.50
Wm. Dickson	Deputy Sheriff	\$27.00
Wm. Dickson	Deputy Sheriff	\$11.00
M. R. Peck	Amputating Farnworth's arm	\$75.00
M. R. Peck	Professional services	\$25.00
J. W. Grinswold	Constable	\$13.90
J. W. Grinswold	Constable	\$11.35
F. B. Goetter	Drugs	\$24.25
Bazil Brown	Deputy Sheriff	\$2.25
A. G. Qweener	Deputy Sheriff	\$4.50
E. M. Denny	Expenses	\$17.60
A. Barman	Merchandise	\$4.50
	Cost Bill State versus Bailey	
A. H. Dawson	Justice of the Peace	\$3.60
A. V. Downs	Constable	\$3.00
Wm. Page	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
A. B. Hennesy	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
Wm. Rice	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
Robert Rembel	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
Mrs. Rembel	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
	Cost Bill State versus Rembel	
A. H. Dawson	Justice of the Peace	\$4.40
A. V. Downs	Constable	\$2.15
Wm. Page	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
A. B. Hennesey	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
Wm. Rice	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
(Clark Whitbeck)	Justice of the Peace Cost bill State versus M.	
	M. Fague rejected	
	Cost bill State versus Charles Morrison,	
	approved	
A. H. Dawson	Justice of the Peace	\$4.60
A. V. Downs	Constable	\$3.05
W. R. Taylor	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
S. W. Curtis	Witness & mileage	\$2.20

Erastus Kees	Witness & mileage, State versus Charles	\$2.20	
	Morrison, Justice Court		
W. W. Smith		\$2.20	
Pat Devine		\$2.20	
H. V. Jarvis	Guard in Lattin case	\$11.25	
H. V. Jarvis	Expense Deputy Sheriff	\$3.00	
Frank Jarvis	Deputy Sheriff	\$9.00	
Frank Jarvis	Team hire & expense	\$18.75	
E. M. Denney	Expenses	\$26.45	
G. B. Aubin	Deputy Sheriff	\$18.00	
T. M. Smith	Deputy Sheriff April term of Superior Court	\$29.25	
T. M. Smith	Deputy Sheriff June term of Superior Court	\$36.10	
L. H. Prather	Judge Superior Court	\$10.50	
The Cost Bill State versus Stephen Weed, John J. Graves Justice of the Peace, rejected			
	The Cost Bill State versus Jessey Wright rejected		

The following bills approved

J. A. Lung, M. D.	Professional services at Poor Farm	\$53.00
W. H. Graham	Maintenance County Charges	\$155.00
J. G. Crane	Deputy Assessor	\$15.00

Ordered that County Commissioner L. J. Wolfard be and is hereby authorized to approved Bailiff bills.

Board adjourned to July 16

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 271, 272, 272, & 273, 7/16/1897

Friday, July 16, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the County Auditor take up and cancel all outstanding Current Expense warrants and issue in lieu thereof warrants on the General County Fund in denominations not to exceed five hundred dollars; and issue non-interest-bearing warrants for the accrued interest on all such Current Expense warrants presented for cancellation.

In the matter of the application of John b. Slater for the issuance of a county warrant for \$24.25 in lieu of warrant No. 551, dated January 15, 1897, and registered with the County Treasurer February 6, 1897, which said warrant was issued to N. B. Wheeler for services as registration clerk Kettle Falls, and that it is now lost, and one proof having been submitted, showing that said warrant has been lost, and was and is the property of the said Slater, and has never been paid. It is ordered that the Auditor draw a warrant in words and figures, the same as said original warrant, and deliver same to said John B. Slater upon the filing by him with said Auditor a good and sufficient bond of indemnity, against said lost warrant, which said bond shall run to and be approved by the County Auditor for the use and benefit of Stevens County, Washington, said bond shall be in double the amount of the face of said warrant.

It appearing to the board that error was made by the Treasurer in receipting for Lots 6-7-8-9-10 Block 9, Corbin's Addition to the Town of Colville, which should have been Lots 11, 12, 13-14-15 Block 9, Corbin's Addition to Colville. It is hereby ordered that the County Treasurer correct the error.

It is hereby ordered that the taxes in excess of 1.40 in the 8 ½ lot 3, Block 4, 1895 roll, be cancelled.

It is hereby ordered that school tax levies against W. P. Sands in School District No. 14 be cancelled, there being no tax voted in said district for the year 1896.

It appearing to the board that an error was made in tax receipt No. 4951 in receipting for northeast northwest 4, (Section 33) (Township) 36 (Range 38) should be southwest northwest southeast ¼ (Section 33) (Township) 36 (Range 38). Ordered that Treasurer make correction.

The following bills examined and approved.

E. M. Denny	Livery bill	\$104.00
T. E. Irish	One day to Springdale & mileage, official work	\$8.00
L. J. Wolfard	Inspecting county bridges, one day	\$5.00
Grace Beggs	Copyist in Treasurer's Office	\$13.50
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expenses	\$3.90

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to remit the taxes against J. L. Lung on \$300 assessed against him on the Personal Roll of 1896. It appearing to the board that he should be allowed exemption and that the same was not allowed by the Assessor.

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to remit the taxes against A. Denison on \$300 assessed against him on the Personal Roll 1896. It appearing to the board that he should be allowed exemption and that the same was not allowed by the Assessor.

In the matter of the application of Wm. Buckler for a retain liquor license for the Town of Northport, he having filed sufficient bonds and paid \$300 license fee. Ordered that license be granted for one year from March 18, 1897.

Board adjourned to Saturday, July 17, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 273 & 274, 7/17/1897

Saturday, July 17, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The County Treasurer is ordered to remit the taxes against J. A. Taylor on \$300.00 assessed against him on the Roll 1896. It appearing to the board that he should be allowed exemption and that the same was not allowed by the Assessor.

It is hereby ordered that the plat of Hughes' Addition to the Town of Northport be accepted.

It appearing to the board that the Road Property tax of L. T. Shaffer for the year 1896 was paid in labor and also in cash. It is hereby ordered that the County Treasurer refund to L. T. Shaffer the sum of \$2.95 from the fund of Road District No. 22.

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel the taxes against S. Foeney on \$300.00 assessed against him on roll of 1896. It appearing to the board that he should be allowed exemption and that the same was not allowed by the assessor.

It appearing to the board that George Petus was taxed in error 1895 to the amount of \$2.44. It is hereby ordered that the County Treasurer cancel said tax.

It appearing to the board that W. G. Estep has been assessed for the years 1891 – 1892 & 1893 on the northeast % Section 8 Township 31 Range 41 the same being not assessable prior to 1894. The Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel tax for said years.

The following bills examined and approved.

M. R. Peck, M. D.	Professional Service	\$5.00
O. J. Smith	Express postage & expenses, etc.	\$60.25
O. J. Smith	Mileage	\$8.80
T. J. Kelley	Relief to J. H. Felt & family	\$20.00

The County Treasurer is ordered to remit the tax against J. R. Jewell on \$300 assessed against him on Roll 46. It appearing to the board that he should be allowed exemption and the same was not allowed by the Assessor.

In the matter of the settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed deposits in the bank and cash in safe for \$30,264.04 distributed in the various funds as follows:

State General Fund	\$2,764.25
State Military Fund	\$154.99
County General Fund	\$3,935.16
County School Fund	\$6817.80
Road & Bridge Fund	\$2,366.67
Road Property Fund	\$2,357.37
Soldiers Relief Fund	\$157.12
Special School Fund	\$3,784.39
Current Expense Fund	\$43.00
Town of Colville Fund	\$158.52
Town of Kettle Falls Fund	\$11.52
Superior Court Fund	\$25.32

Penalty Interest & Costs Fund	\$135.74
Contingent Fund	\$1,291.48
Poor Fund	\$1,288.08
Salary Fund	\$3,598.01
State School Fund	\$2,365.86
Institute Fund	\$25.00
Cost Fund	\$141.00
Special Road Fund	\$13,51
State Interest Fund	\$52.06

Board adjourned to Monday, July 19 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 274 & 275, 7/19/1897

Monday, July 19, 1897

Board met pursuant an adjournment, present L. J. Wolfard and H. T. Reynolds.

The County Auditor is hereby ordered to draw warrants on the Road Property Fund in favor of the various supervisors for bills that have been allowed by the Board of County Commissioners providing there are funds to pay same.

Ordered that a warrant be drawn on Road & Bridge Fund in favor of R. J. Townsend for bridge work in Road District No. 5.

Ordered that a warrant be drawn in favor of R. J. Townsend on Road & Bridge Fund for \$103.75.

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel tax against W. J. Ashpaugh on \$300.00 assessed against him on Roll 96. It appearing to the board that he should be allowed exemption and that the same was not allowed by the Assessor.

It is hereby ordered that the order authorizing County Auditor to draw warrants on General Fund in favor of C. W. Winter for rent of office of County Attorney and County Surveyor for rooms for County Attorney and County Surveyor be and is hereby rescinded.

It is hereby ordered that the County Auditor draw a warrant on the General Fund for \$35.33 payable to the order of C. W. Winter for rent of office of County Attorney and County Surveyor, the same in full for said rent from January 11, 1897 to April 19, 1897.

It is hereby ordered that the County Auditor draw a warrant on the General Fund for \$33.00 payable to the order of H. G. Kirkpatrick for rent of offices occupied by County Attorney and County Surveyor, from April 19, 1897 to July 19, 1897.

It is hereby ordered that the sum of \$80.72 be transferred from the Road and Bridge Fund to Road Property Fund of District No. 10: and the sum of \$76.00 be transferred from Road and Bridge Fund to Road Property Fund of Road District No. 23.

{On side of page} In the matter of the application of Bradberry & Wilson for a retail liquor license for the Town of Bossburg. They having paid \$300 license fee and filed sufficient bond, ordered that the license be granted for one year from May 6, 1897.

The following bills examined and warrants ordered drawn from same:

T. E. Irish	12 days County Commissioner \$4 @	\$48.00
	132 miles 10 @	\$13.20
H. T. Reynolds	13 days County Commissioner \$4 @	\$52.00
	80 miles 10 @	\$8.00
L. J. Wolfard	13 days County Commissioner \$5 @	\$65.00

Board adjourned to August 23, 1897

Chairman of Board, L. J. Wolfard. Attest. Jno. Metcalf, Clerk

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 276 & 277, 8/23/1897

Colville, Washington, August 23, 1897

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County met pursuant to adjournment of July 14, 1897.

Present:

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman	Commissioner of 2 nd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner of 1 st District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner of 3 rd District

In the matter of the petition of L. S. Childers and 15 others for the establishment of county road 30 feet in width to wit: commencing at a point on the township line between Townships 34 & 35 North, Range 37 East Willamette Meridian at or near the southwest corner of the southeast % of southwest % of Section 35: running thence in a northeasterly direction about 2 % miles and ending at the Pankey Road in the southeast % of Section 23, said township and range, the whole distance being about 2 % miles. It is hereby ordered that the above-described route be surveyed and a county road established thereby. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 370, L. S. Childers Road, #545}

It is hereby ordered that a warrant be drawn on the Road & Bridge Fund for \$15.00 in favor of E. O. Snodgrass as compensation for right of way of Childer's Road.

It is hereby ordered that a warrant be drawn on the Road and Bridge Fund for \$15 in favor of Henry Diedrick as compensation for right of way for Childer's Road.

The following bills examined and approved.

H. T. Reynolds	Member of Board of Equalization 18 days & mileage	\$80.00
T. E. Irish	Member of Board of Equalization 18 days & mileage	\$85.20
L. J. Wolfard	Member of Board of Equalization 18 days & mileage	\$90.00
J. B. Thomas	County Surveyor	\$49.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expenses	\$9.30
Dr. J. A. Lung	Coroner	\$21.35
J. B. Aubin	Deputy Sheriff	\$6.75
O. P. Foster	Deputy Sheriff	\$6.75
Metropolitan Printing	12 copies {18}96 code	\$90.00
Co.		
Metropolitan Printing	Road Election Supplies	\$42.85
Co.		

It is hereby ordered that General Fund warrant No. 217 bearing date August 11, 1897 drawn in favor of C. E. Suerig be cancelled and a Salary Fund warrant issued in lieu thereof.

Mrs. John Davis	Soldiers Relief	\$25.00
G. W. Sykes	Soldiers Relief	\$25.00
A. J. Goakey	Soldiers Relief	\$25.00
E. A. Keys	Relief to W. L. Roote	\$9.50
E. A. Keys	Relief to P. Immel	\$16.00
Gloss & Prudhamme	Records etc.	\$72.55
C. A. Ledgerwood	Deputy Assessor	\$76.50

The following Cost Bill approved

E. M. Walters	Constable Coroner inquest Alex Ross	\$9.25
E. K. Davis	Coroner juror	\$4.00
H. H. bill	Coroner juror	\$4.00
W. H. Wright	Coroner juror	\$4.00
G. W. Reynolds	Coroner juror	\$4.00
H. J. Kitchum	Coroner juror	\$4.00
W. H. Weisgarter	Coroner juror	\$4.00
Dr. M. B. Grieve	Coroner witness	\$4.00
Mrs. A. Ross	Coroner witness	\$2.00
Miss Genett Ross	Coroner witness	\$2.20
C. S. Boss	Coroner witness	\$2.00
P. H. McCarthy	Coroner witness	\$2.00
Mrs. Smith	Coroner witness	\$2.00
J. H. Burgh	Coroner witness	\$2.00

The following bills approved.

S. S. Beggs	Trip to Spokane County Business	\$15.00
W. D. Allen	Printing	\$29.00
J. B. Thomas	Surveyor	\$30.00

Board adjourned to Tuesday, August 24.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 277, 8/24/1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following Cost Bill approved.

C. E. Ivy	Justice of the Peace State versus Ed. Walker	\$4.50
John Griswold	Constable State versus Ed. Walker	\$5.50

The following bill rejected, being in complete Cost Bill State versus Pendleton & O'Brian.

Board adjourned to Friday to inspect the proposed road between Northport & Boundary: also road between Northport and Boundary.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 277, 8/27/1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of Tuesday.

In the matter of the Winchester Bridge. It is hereby ordered that the bridge be accepted and warrant drawn on the Road and Bridge Fund for \$45.35 in favor of Ed. Davis as compensation for construction of same.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 278 & 279, 8/28/1897

Saturday, August 28, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of an appropriation for the Summit Road running from Springdale to Hunter Creek. It is hereby ordered that the sum of \$5001 be and are appropriated for the repair of said road, money to be expended under the supervisor of F. O. Phelps.

In the matter of the petition of J. Keller and 17 others for the transfer of Section 34, Township 30 Range 40 East Willamette Meridian from Road District No. 11, to District No. 10. It is hereby ordered that the above transfer be and is hereby made.

O. J. Smith	Stamp & expenses	\$24.75
W. D. Allen	Printing	\$3.50
C. W. Winter	Rent of Surveyor's Room from July 1896 to January	\$31.65
	1897	
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expenses	\$17.60
D. F. Pankey	Assessor	\$104.00
David Ogden	Working in Treasurer's Office	\$22.50
C. H. Thompson	Deputy Sheriff	\$6.75
G. B. Aubin	Deputy Sheriff	\$18.00
T. M. Smith	Deputy Sheriff	\$13.50
Sigmund Delsheimer	Rent of rooms of Assessor and Superintendent of	\$116.66
_	Schools	
Geo. H. Dearing	Deputy Sheriff	\$4.30
W. W. Dickson	Deputy Sheriff	\$6.75
I. W. Bennett	Stenographer, working transcript of testimony	\$281.60
	State versus Lattins	
Sam Wigton	Deputy Sheriff	\$6.75
Al. Fobes	Deputy Sheriff	\$15.75
Al. Fobes	Expenses while acting as Deputy Sheriff	\$10.50

The following bills examined and approved.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of the Justice of the Peace in and for the Precinct of Colville, and a petition signed by E. E. Nordyke and eight others having been presented for the appointment of H. J. Earnest to fill said vacancy. It is hereby ordered that H. J. Earnest be and is hereby appointed to fills said vacancy.

In the matter of an appropriation for the construction of a wagon road between the Towns of Northport and Boundary. It is hereby ordered that the sum of \$250 be and is hereby appropriated for the construction of said road between the Towns of Northport and Boundary, money to be expended under the supervision of L. J. Wolfard.

In the matter of the petition of R. S. Underhill and 12 others for the establishment of a county road forty-feet in width to wit: Commencing at or near the ranch of William Lewis on Section 21, Township 33 North Range 37 East Willamette Meridian, running thence East and South across the southwest quarter of Section 22 Township 33 North Range 37, leaving the Chewelah Road as not traveled at the Parker Ranch on section, above mentioned and ending at the foot of [grade?] on the Chewelah Road on the ranch of R. S. Underhill, the whole distance being about one mile. It is hereby ordered that the above-described route

be surveyed and a county road established thereby. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 646, Underhill's change in the Summit Road, #646}

In the matter of the petition of John Rickey and others for the establishment of a county road 60 feet in width, to wit: Commencing at the intersection of the east and west center line of the northwest % of Section 21, with the Colville and Chewelah Road, running thence West on the said center line to the first slough; thence West to northside of road, to be not more than seventy feet north of said center line, to the Colville River; thence West on said center line to Section 20; thence west on center line of the northeast % of Section 20; thence South to the center of Section Twenty; thence West on the east and west center line of Section Twenty to intersect the Paradise road; then to end, the whole distance being 1 % miles. It is hereby ordered that the above-described route be surveyed and a road established thereby. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 375, Mantz and Rickey Road, #819}

Board adjourned to Monday, August 30, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 279, 280, 281, & 282, 8/30/1897

Monday, August 30

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills examined and approved.

Louis Parras	Livery Town two days	\$6.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Rent of courthouse	\$6.00
	Cost bill State versus James Crosien	
Clark Whitbeck	Justice of the Peace	\$1.55
Geo. W. Beyers	Justice of the Peace	\$2.30
Chas Haines	Constable	\$22.45
J. C. Gillingham	Witness	\$5.80
C. W. Dugan	Witness	\$2.20
J. B. Thomas	Surveyor	\$12.20

In the matter of the application of Beard and More for a retail liquor license for the Town of Northport, they having filed sufficient bond and paid 300 license fee, ordered that a license be granted for one year from August 2nd, 1897.

The following bill approved:

Charles Lisceriary Bed clothes \$20.	90
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The field notes and plat of the following roads accepted: Bob Hilt's Road and Change in Clinton Road.

The following Road Supervisor's Reports examined and approved.

Adam Boyd	Road District No. 1	\$30.75
J. P. Parrish	Road District No. 41	\$35.00
Charles W. Johnson	Road District No. 34	\$46.00

Bids for County Printing opened pursuant to advertising one bid made of which the following is an abstract.

Bid of Statesman-Index for County Printing for the ensuring year.

II

All advertising or newspaper work for the sum of one dollar per inch for first insertion and fifty cents per inch for each subsequent insertion.

II

Job Printing

½ sheets	Per 1000	1 st impression \$4.25
½ sheets	Per 1000	2 nd impression \$3.00
¼ sheets	Per 1000	1 st impression \$2.75
¼ sheets	Per 1000	2 nd impression \$2.50
½ sheets	Per 500	1 st impression \$3.00

½ sheets	Per 500	2 nd impression \$2.00
¼ sheets	Per 500	1 st impression \$2.00
¼ sheets	Per 500	2 nd impression \$1.50
Full sheet	Per 1000	1 st impression \$3.00
Full sheet	Per 1000	2 nd impression \$4.00
Envelopes		
6 ½ inch	xxx Full Government White per 1000	\$4.00
6 % inch	xxx Full Government White per 500	\$3.00
9 in. x 10 in.	xxx Full Government White per 1000	\$5.00
9 in. x 10 in.	xxx Full Government White per 500	\$2.50
Linen	Letter heads per 1000	\$4.50

Payment for Job Printing to warrants on Contingent Fund.

Payment for newspaper work to be on Current Expense Fund.

Dated Colville, Washington, August 28, 1897.

The contract for County Printing is hereby awarded to W. D. Allen, Publisher of the Statesman-Index as per bid.

It is hereby ordered that taxes of 1893 in the northeast ¼ of northeast ¼ Section 35 Township 35 Range 37 be transferred to southeast ¼ northeast ¼ same section, township, and range; also taxes of 1893 on the southeast ¼ of northeast ¼ be transferred to the southeast ¼ of southeast ¼ Section 35 Township 35 Range 37.

Ordered that on and after the first of September 1897, the County Auditor is hereby instructed to pa the copyist employed in the Auditor's Office the sum of 6 ½ cents per folio. (100) words.

In the matter of the application of J. W. Reynolds for a license to establish, construct and operate a ferry over, across, and upon the Columbia River, Stevens County, State of Washington, between that certain tract of land known as Holly's Addition to the Town of Kettle Falls, on the east or south shore of said river, and the "Future" Placer Claim on the Colville Reservation on the opposite side of said river from said Holly's Addition. Ordered that when the said J. W. Reynolds files a good and sufficient bond with the County Auditor in the sum of Five Hundred (\$500) dollars and the County Treasurer's receipt for the sum of thirty dollars as license fee, then the said license shall be granted for the period of one year at the rates of ferriage fixed as follows:

Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, loaded	\$1.50
Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, loaded	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse stage and driver making regular trips	\$.75
Two horse stage and driver making regular trips	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50

Pack animals, loaded each.	\$.25
Pack animals, not loaded, each	\$.10
Loose stock, horses, cattle, mules etc.	\$.10
Sheep hogs, etc. in bands of 10 or more each	\$.05
Footman, each.	\$.25

The following bills examined and approved

T. E. Irish		
	County Commissioner 3 days \$4 @	\$12.00
	Four days inspecting bridges in Calispel Valley	\$16.00
	4 days and mileage as commissioner inspecting proposed road between Northport & Boundary	\$26.60
H. T. Reynolds		
	4 days and mileage inspecting proposed road between Northport & Boundary	\$26.60
	3 days County Commissioner \$4 @	\$12.00
L. J. Wolfard		
	1 day mileage county road at Marcus Flat	\$8.00
	3 days County Commissioner \$5 @	\$15.00
	4 days & mileage inspecting proposed road between Northport & Boundary	\$30.60

Board adjourned to October 4, 1897

Chairman Board, L. J. Wolfard

Attest:

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 283, 10/4/1897

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, met in regular quarterly session. Present:

L. J. Wolfard	Chairman, Commissioner 2 nd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1 st District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District

In the matter of the application of Divine & Davey for a retail liquor license for the Town of Northport, they having filed a sufficient bond and paid \$300 license fee. It is hereby ordered that a license be granted for one year from September 15, 1897.

The following bills examined and approved:

L. J. Wolfard	Expenses etc.	\$24.20
L. J. Wolfard	County Commissioner	\$59.30
T. E. Irish	County Commissioner	\$33.20

In the settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed deposits in the Bank of Colville and cash in safe for \$16,329.85 distributed in the various finds as follows:

State General Fund	\$662.55
State Military Fund	\$27.54
County General Fund	\$1,112.88
County School Fund	\$5,091.52
Road & Bridge Fund	\$2,053.36
Road Property Fund	\$1,470.23
Soldiers Relief Fund	\$125.86
Special School Fund	\$2,929.43
Current Expense Fund	\$43.00
Town of Colville Fund	\$31.56
Town of Kettle Falls Fund	\$21.69
Superior Court Fund	\$39.45
Penalty Interest & Costs Fund	\$297.18
Contingent Fund	\$539.10
Poor Fund	\$1,014.56
Salary Fund	\$226.74
State School Fund	\$430.79
Institute Fund	\$32.00
Cost Fund	\$141.00

Board adjourned to October 18, 1897.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 284, 10/18/1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment of October 4th, 1897.

Present

H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1 st District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District

Correspondence examined.

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to refund to Daniel Hollandsworth the taxes on \$300 for the year 1896. It appearing to the board that he is entitled an exemption, and that same was not allowed by the Assessor.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, October 19, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 284, 285, & 286, 10/19/1897

Tuesday, October 19. 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bill allowed.

W. H. Merrill	Repairing Tetro Bridge	\$29.15
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It appearing to the board that the approaches to the Tetro Bridge are in need of repair and that there are no available funds to repair said approaches. It is hereby ordered that the Road Supervisor of Road District No. 37 repair said approaches by anticipation of Poll Tax for the 1898.

The following bills examined and approved.

D. F. Pankey	Assessor	\$82.00
E. M. Denny	Expenses	\$9.00
J. F. Nelson	Relief to Nelson	\$10.00
G. B. Aubin	Deputy Sheriff	\$4.50
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Trip to Walla Walla and return	\$30.00
L. J. Wolfard	Cash paid out	\$26.85
L. J. Wolfard	County Commissioner	\$59.30
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expenses	\$12.25
T. E. Irish	County Commissioner	\$33.20
L. J. Wolfard	Expenses	\$24.20
Jno. L. Metcalf	Purchasing agent	\$41.00
W. H. Merrill	Repair on Tetro Bridge	\$29.15
W. R. Lee & Co	Coffin & attendance, bill, suicide	\$14.00
Gilman & Walborn	To Burial of Judge Nelson	\$25.00
Dr. J. A. Lung	Coroner's Inquest, John Simpson, deceased	\$24.65
W. R. Lee	Juror, Coroner's Inquest, John Simpson, deceased	\$3.00
J. Armstrong	Juror, Coroner's Inquest, John Simpson, deceased	\$3.00
J. H. Holday	Juror, Coroner's Inquest, John Simpson, deceased	\$3.00
J. W. Brooks	Juror, Coroner's Inquest, John Simpson, deceased	\$3.00
A. W. Sanderline	Juror, Coroner's Inquest, John Simpson, deceased	\$3.00

The following bills examined and approved.

W. H. Graham	Maintenance of County Poor	\$134.75
Dr. J. A. Lung	Professional service at Poor Farm	\$25.15
O. J. Smith	Expenses, express	\$25.40
A. A. Whitney	Putting in mud sill in Springdale Bridge	\$14.50
W. D. Allen	Job Printing	\$20.60
W. R. Lee and Co.	Burial of John Simpson	\$16.00
C. E. Ivy	Justice of the Peace State versus Matte Peterson	\$2.10
A. T. Kendrick	Relief to Roseberry family	\$20.00
The following Cost Bills allowed		
	State versus O. D. Moody	
D. Van Slyke Justice of Peace		\$5.80
James Sutton	Constable	\$6.35

	State versus O'Connell	
D. Van Slyke	Justice of the Peace	\$2.15
H. Pomeroy	Constable	\$2.40
	State versus Lattin	
D. Van Slyke	Justice of the Peace	\$2.15
	State versus Pendleton	
D. Van Slyke	Justice of Peace	\$3.25
Basil Brown	Constable	\$8.85
	State versus Gail Lattin	
D. Van Slyke	Justice of the Peace	\$1.40
	State versus Frank Ritter	
J. A. Taylor	Justice of the Peace	\$6.00
T. Carlyle	Constable	\$13.50
Wm. Dean	Witness	\$2.00
T. F. Hallam	Witness	\$2.00
Howard Hazeltine	Witness	\$2.00
George Harrison	Witness	\$2.00

The following bills approved:

S. S. Beggs	Stamps	\$24.48
Holland Horr & Co.	Lumber Road District No. 13	\$3.80
E. P. Staley	Work on McDougal Bridge	\$6.00
W. D. Allen	Job Printing	\$7.00
James Petty	Repair on county buildings	\$15.00
J. F. Harris	Professional service	\$7.50
J. F. Harris Dr.	Professional service	\$40.00
J. F. Harris M. D.	Professional service	\$55.00
Sacred Heart Hospital	Board & medical attendance of Stevens County Poor	\$91.50
J. W. Johnson	Board of self	\$45.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Rent of County Attorney's and County Surveyor's office	\$27.00
Dr. Sutherland	Professional Services Judge Nelson	\$40.30
George Harrison	Nursing Judge Nelson	\$20.00
J. B. Thomas	County Surveyor	\$110.00
E. M. Denny	Expense	\$44.00

Board adjourned to Wednesday.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 286, 10/20/1897 {Find on file 10/19/1897}

Wednesday, October 20, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present: L. J. Wolfard, H. T. Reynolds, and T. E. Irish

Ordered that a warrant be drawn in favor of F. J. Phelps on the Road and Bridge for \$250.00 as part compensation for the construction of the Springdale and Summit Road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 646, Underhill's change in the Summit Road, #646}

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel tax receipt #4498 for the personal tax of Thomas Tait for the year 1895 and refund money the taxes having been paid in error.

Board adjourned to Thursday, October 21.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 286, 10/21/1897

Thursday, October 21, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved.

E. P. Staley	Bridge work	\$19.50
Holland Horr	Lumber	\$32.65
G. B. Aubin	Deputy Sheriff	\$9.00
T. B. Goetter	Drugs for County Poor	\$9.00

Board adjourned to Friday, October 22, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 286 & 287, 10/22/1897

Friday, October 22, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It is hereby ordered that a warrant be drawn on Road and Bridge Fund in favor of C. H. Smith for \$36.00 for repair on Rockey Ford Bridge.

In the matter of the application of Cross and Augivine for a retail liquor license for the Town of Northport. They have filed sufficient bond, and paid \$300 license fee, ordered that a license be granted for one year from August 1st, 1897.

In the matter of the application of M. A. Vance for a retail cigarette license for the Town of Northport, he having filed oath and petition required by statutes and paid five (\$5.00) dollars license fee, ordered that a license be granted for a period of six months from September 18, 1897.

In the matter of the application of the Northport News Company for a cigarette license for the Town of Northport. It having filed the oath and petition required by the statutes and paid #10 license fee. It is hereby ordered that a license be granted for one year from September 20, 1897.

It is hereby ordered that a warrant be drawn in favor of L. J. Wolfard for \$261.85 on the Road and Bridge Fund constructing Northport and Boundary Road.

Board adjourned to Saturday, October 23, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 287, 10/23/1897

Saturday, October 23rd, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

In the matter of the petition of the Spokane Falls and Northern Railroad for the vacation of certain streets, alleys and blocks, in the Town of Northport. It is hereby ordered that said fifteen be denied. It appearing to the board that the no notices as by law required, have been given.

It is hereby ordered that the taxes for the year 1892-1892-1893-1894-1895 and 1896 on lots 15 and 16 in Block 16 Spokane Addition to the Town of Colville, be reduced from \$52.69 to \$50.00.

In the matter of the ordered authorizing the County Auditor to draw warrant monthly on the Poor Fund in favor of Andrew Abrahams is hereby rescinded.

The County Auditor is hereby authorized to draw a Contingent Fund warrant monthly for a period one year, from September 1st, 1897, for \$25, in favor of Sigmund Dilsheimer, for rent of Dilsheimer Block.

In the matter of the petition of B. Emery and others for the transfer of Sections 3, 10,15 and 22, of Township 35 Range 39 to Road District NO. 4. Ordered that the abovenamed section be and are hereby transferred to Road District No. 4.

Board adjourned to Monday, October 25, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 287, 10/25/1897 (On file for 10/25/1897)

Monday, October 25, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of Saturday.

Board adjourned to Tuesday to inspect Parady Road.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 288, 10/26/1897

Tuesday, October 26, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of Monday.

It is hereby ordered that the road tax on tax receipts #4976, 5956, & 5852, amounting to \$12.53 for the year 1895, be refunded, the tax having been paid twice.

It is hereby ordered that the town plat of Newport, Stevens County, Washington, be and is hereby approved and the Surveyor is hereby ordered to record same.

Board adjourned to Wednesday, October 27, 1897.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 288, 289, & 290, 10/27/1897

Wednesday, October 27.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

W. D. Allen	Job Printing	\$19.25
Jay H. Felt	Justice of the Peace State versus John W. Bauch	\$2.85
E. L. Hall	Transcript of testimony	\$2.50
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Purchasing agent	\$13.90

In the matter of the settlement with the various Road Supervisors for the quarter ending September 30, 1897, to wit:

John Jones	Road District No. 32	\$12.50
Ed. Davis	Road District No. 42	\$39.50
Fred Whitney	Road District No. 45	\$90.00
John T. Rogers	Road District No. 28	\$7.50
J. O. Johnson	Road District No. 31	\$30.00
Julius Sickland	Road District No. 38	\$40.00
Daniel Hollandsworth	Road District No. 43	\$25.00
E. H. Houtchens	Road District No. 14	\$25.00
P. W. McCabe	Road District No. 2	\$52.75
W. A. Babb	Road District No. 36	\$25.25
Adam Boyd	Road District No. 1	\$6.00
B. W. Emery	Road District No. 4	\$22.50
R. J. Townsend	Road District No. 5	\$17.50
S. H. Richie	Road District No. 18	\$2.50

In the matter of the application of Albert Wetterer for a retail liquor license for the Town of Marcus. Ordered that license be granted for one year from November 22, 1897, when the said Wetterer files with County Auditor a sufficient bond and the Treasurer's Receipt for \$300 as license fee.

It appearing to the board that a vacancy exists in the office of Road Supervisor for Road District No. 18, and a petition having been presented for the appointment of J. H. Richie to fill said vacancy, ordered that said S. H. Richie be appointed to fill said vacancy.

In the canvass of the election of Road Supervisors held September 1897, the following are declared elected with the amount of tax in mills voted in each district where election was held.

No. District	Name	Mills
3 District	Alexander Weaver	2
3 District	S. H. Champ	3
12 District	D. A. Emman	4
36 District	W. A. Babb	2
46 District	Sylvester Lawson	3
45 District	Wm. Hutchins	2
6 District	Henry Wilson	4
13 District	Peter Soot	3

28 District	George H. Bobier	5
31 District	J. O. Johnson	2
2 District	V. G. Gendrow	5
4 District	B. Emery	5
23 District	John Rogers	5
32 District	John Jones	1
5 District	R. J. Townsend	1
10 District	W. J. Johnson	5
30 District	E. Knapp	2
29 District	James H. Penny	2
90 District	Layton Matthewson	3
37 District	W. J. Wilson	2
42 District	Ed. Davis	5
38 District	Thomas Bush	5

Ordered that the following rate be made in Road Districts in which no election was held and where no rate was voted:

No District	Rate
18	3
17	3
16	3
20	3
39	3
11	3
1	3
7	3
14	3
15	3
19	3
40	3
21	3
22	3
23	3
24	5
25	3
26	3
27	3
33	3
34	3
35	3
41	3
43	3
44	3

Board adjourned to Thursday, October 28, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 290 & 291, 10/28/1897

Thursday, October 28, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved.

E. S. Dudrey	Deputy Sheriff	\$4.50
J. B. Thomas	Deputy Sheriff	\$4.50
E. M. Denny	From hire	\$38.00
E. M. Denny	Expenses	\$31.00
H. C. Rice	Justice of Peace State versus Charles Murry	\$2.35
E. W. Denny	Constable State versus Charles Murry	\$3.10
Davis Alenberger	Witness State versus Charles Murry	\$2.00
Jacob Alenberger	Witness State versus Charles Murry	\$2.00
H. C. Rice	Justice of Peace State versus John Lamb	\$6.20
E. W. Denny	Constable State versus John Lamb	\$4.80
Dr. Morris	Witness State versus John Lamb	\$2.20
Dr. D. A. Grove	Witness State versus John Lamb	\$2.20
Philips	Witness State versus John Lamb	\$2.20
John Kennedy	Witness State versus John Lamb	\$2.20
J. W. Dunlap	Relief to Mrs. Gilcrest	\$15.00
S. L. McGee	Lumber	\$5.50
O. J. Smith	Expenses stamps	\$12.50

It appearing to the board that an error was made in the assessment of the personal property of P. T. McGlaughlin for the year 1896, property having been assessed to him which he did not possess. Ordered that the Personal Tax of the Said McGlaughlin for the Year 1896, be rescinded \$4.46.

Board adjourned to Friday, October 29.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 291, 292, 293, & 294, 10/29/1897

Friday, October 29.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

A. H. Dawson	Money advanced to T. Ferguson, County Charge	\$6.50
A. H. Dawson	Nursing – Henry Dixon	\$6.60
Chas St. Clair	Boarding prisoners	\$115.90
J. B. Thomas	Surveying	\$25.00
Frank Ritter	Guarding Susan [man?], Boundary	\$4.50
Sam Wigton	Deputy Sheriff, expenses	\$4.40
Sam Wigton	Expenses, when Deputy Sheriff	\$1.50

In the matter of the field notes and plat of the following roads as submitted by the Surveyor, to wit: Flat Creek Road; Mantz & Rickey Road; Underhill change in Summit Road, Childers Road, and resurvey of road at Marcus. Ordered that the field notes and plats of the above-named roads be and hereby are approved as submitted by Surveyor.

In the matter of the application of Lee and Miller for a license to operate a steel cable ferry on the Columbia River at or near China Bend, Stevens County, Washington. It is hereby ordered that when the said Lee and Miller file with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five hundred (\$500) dollars and Treasurer's receipt for the sum of twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars as a license fee, then the said license shall be issued and the rates of ferriage which shall be charged are as follows:

Six honce team and 2 wagene with driven leaded	\$1.50
Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, loaded	
Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, loaded	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.75
Two horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack animals, loaded each.	
Pack animals, not loaded, each	\$.10
Loose stock, horses, cattle, mules etc.	\$.10
Sheep hogs, etc. in bands of 10 or more each	\$.05
Footman, each.	

In the application of Mrs. Alex Ross, filed October 28, 1897, and this day presented to the board, praying for a grant of the right, privilege and franchise to construct, and maintain a system of water mains in and upon the streets and alleys of Bossburg, in Stevens County, Washington; and to extend the same from time to time, as the necessity of the case may demand to supply the inhabitants of said town and vicinity with water for domestic and other purposes, and for that purpose to enter in and upon the public streets, alleys and highways of said Town of Bossburg formerly plated and named as the Town of Millington, and the board having read said application and duly considered the same and it appearing that said proposed systems of water mains at said place is a public necessity. It is hereby ordered by the board that the said Mrs. Alex Ross, her successors and assigns be and she hereby is granted the privilege, right and franchise to construct and maintain a system of water mains in and upon the streets, alleys and public highways of the said Town of Bossburg, and vicinity for the period of 25 years, conditioned that the main through the business portion, of said town shall be not less than four inches in diameter, and shall maintain a uniform system of rates, chargeable for the distribution of water to the public and to all who may want to use the same, provided always that the public highway over or through which said water mains or connections therewith shall be laid, shall always be left in good condition for the public use and travel. This franchise shall not extend beyond the authority of this board to grant the same.

On petition of the citizens of the Town of Colville for the privilege to erect a courthouse on property owned by county. It is hereby ordered by the Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, that the Town of Colville is hereby granted the privilege of erecting a two-story brick building 40 x 80 on Block 14 Original Town of Colville, which building when erected by said town to be used by Stevens County free of charge as a County Courthouse, and if at any time said county should lease to use said building for the purpose above mentioned, said Town of Colville is hereby granted permission to move said building from said block or do with same as it may see fit. Said building to be completed and ready for occupancy free from all encumbrance of any matter whatsoever within twelve months from date of this order otherwise this order is null and void.

In the matter of the tax levy to be extended on the Rolls of 1897. Ordered that there be and hereby is levied taxes as follow to wit:

Teachers Examination	\$100
Board of Prisoners	\$200
Rent	\$300
Stationery & Printing records	\$900
Visits School Superintendent	\$200
Travel Expenses, Sheriff & Deputies	\$650
Repairs	\$25
Expenses of Justice Court	\$400
Interest on bonds and warrants	\$3800
Expenses collecting delinquent tax	\$190
Sundries: fuel, oil, postage etc.	\$450
Coroner's inquests	\$225
Election Expenses	\$1200
Traveling expenses Prosecuting Attorney	\$100
Salaries	\$15,000
Superior Court	\$3,000
Soldiers Relief Fund	\$150
Indebtedness Fund	\$8,000
Road & Bridge Fund	\$1,500
Poor Fund	\$1,300
General School Fund	\$6,546
Total	\$44,236

Current Expense Fund the sum \$26,740 based on the following estimate:

The following bills approved and warrants ordered drawn.

H. T. Reynolds		
	County Commissioner 15 days \$4@	\$60
	143 miles 10 cents @	\$14.60
		\$74.30
L. J. Wolfard		
	13 days County Commissioner \$5@	\$65.00
	128 days 10 cents @	\$12.80
		\$77.80
T. E. Irish		
	County Commissioner 16 days \$4@	\$64.00
	74 mils 10 cents @	\$7.40
		\$71.40

In the matter of the petition of Wm. H. Pelker and others for the formation of a drainage district in the Colville Valley, Stevens County, Washington. It is hereby ordered that the time for hearing said petition is set for Monday, the 29th day of November, at one o'clock p.m. at the courthouse in Colville, county and state aforesaid, at which time the board will pass upon the matter of forming a drainage district as prayed for in the petition, and at said time all persons will be heard that object to the formation of said district. And, it is further ordered that this order to gather with the petition be advertised in the Statesman-Index for the period of two weeks next proceeding the time set for the hearing of the same. Dated this 30th day of October, 1897.

In the matter of the petition for county roads, from Wm. Clark and others of Nelson, Washington, and N. B. Wheeler and others of Kettle Falls, Washington. It is hereby ordered that when the lines of the respective roads are located and sufficiently cleared for a survey, the County Surveyor may proceed to make surveys and plats of the roads. The petitioners to furnish all help on the survey and dedications for all lands over which the road passes, which may be held by individuals.

In the matter of the petition of Wm. P. Hughes for the vacation of certain streets, alleys, blocks & lots in Hughes' Addition to the Town of Northport, ordered that said petition be granted and said vacation made.

Board adjourned to November 29, 1897.

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman, Board

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The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County met in the office of County Auditor pursuant to adjournment of October 29, 1897.

Present:

L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1 st District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District

The following bills approved:

J. W. Griswold	Expenses Deputy Sheriff	\$37.75
J. W. Griswold	Constable	\$19.60
Chris Hutchens	Road work	\$124.26
James McKeen	Relief to McKeen	\$10.00
Sam Wigton	Expenses Deputy Sheriff	\$10.00
Sim Wigton	Deputy Sheriff	\$6.75
G. B. Aubin	Deputy Sheriff	\$4.50

Ordered that F. S. Maxwell be and hereby is appointed Road Supervisor for Road District No. 40.

Ordered that Arthur Beard be and hereby is appointed Road Supervisor for District No. 27.

State of Washington

County of Stevens

This matter coming on regularly for hearing upon the petition of C. W. Buelow and ten others for the formation of a drainage district at the time set for the hearing of said petition, the board finds the following facts. That the said petition together with a notice as prescribed by law for the hearing of said petition, was duly published in the Statesman-Index, the official county paper published in Colville, Washington, and said notice and petition were published in said newspaper for the period of two weeks next preceding the 29th day of November, A. D. 1897, the day set for the hearing of said petition. That no person or person or corporation, made objections to the establishment of said drainage district, that no petition or petitions have been filed by other for a change of boundaries of the said district. That the said district shall be known and designated as Drainage District No. One of the County of Stevens, state of Washington. That the boundaries of the said district are as follows, beginning at the southeast corner of Section Twenty-five Township Thirty-three North Range, Thirty-nine East Willamette Meridian, thence North one mile along the said section line; thence West one quarter of a mile, thence North one mile and a quarter, thence West one quarter of a mile, thence North one mile and a quarter; thence West one Quarter of a mile; thence North one mile and a quarter; thence West one quarter of a mile; thence North one quarter of a mile; thence West one quarter of a mile; thence North one and a half miles; thence West one quarter mile; thence North one half mile to the middle section stake between Sections 26 and 23 Township Thirty-four North Range 39 East Willamette Meridian; thence West one half mile to northwest corner stake Section 26; thence South one half mile; thence East one quarter mile; thence South one and one half miles; thence East one

quarter of a mile; thence South two miles; thence East one quarter of a mile; thence South one and a quarter miles; thence East one quarter of a mile; thence South three quarters of a mile; thence East one quarter of a mile; thence South one quarter of a mile; thence East one quarter of a mile; thence South three quarters of a mile; thence East one half mile to place beginning. It being intended that the boundaries follow the lines and divisions and subdivisions of the U. S. Survey and the distance to be controlled and governed by the W. S stakes and survey. That about two thousand acres will be benefited by the aforesaid proposed draining district, and system and the number of free holders residing in the said proposed district as bounded are then. That, the proposed drainage system will be conducive to public health welfare and commerce, increase the public revenue, and be of special benefit to the majority of the lands within the boundaries of the district aforesaid. That there is a good and sufficient outlet for the drainage of the land included within this district and the said outlet is within the boundaries of the district, and the board further find that it is advisable and to the best interest of all concerned that the prayer of the petitioners be granted and the same is granted.

Dated this 29th day of November A. D. 1897

Signed: L. J. Wolfard, T. E. Irish, H. T. Reynolds, County Commissioners

Notice of Election for the formation of Drainage District No. One, Stevens County, Washington. Notice is hereby given, that the Board of County Commissioners in and for Stevens County, Washington, having granted the prayer of the petitioners of C. W. Buelow and ten others for the establishment of a drainage district, and having found that the proposed drainage system will be conducive to the Public Health, welfare and convenience and will increase the value of revenue and be of special benefit to the majority of the land included within the boundaries of the said proposed district, have and do hereby order and election to be held in such proposed drainage district for the purpose of determining whether the same shall be organized as a drainage district of Stevens County, Washington, under the provisions of Chapter CXV Laws of 1895, the same being an act to provide for the establishment and creation of a drainage district and the construction and maintenance of a system of drainage, and to provide for a means of payment thereof and declaring an emergency and for the further purpose of choosing at such election three commissioners who shall be known and designated as Drainage Commissioners of Drainage District No. One, Stevens County, Washington, which three commissioners shall upon their election, be the district authorities of said district, that the boundaries of said district are as follows, to wit: beginning at the southeast corner of Section Twenty-five Township Thirty-three North Range, Thirty-nine East Willamette Meridian, thence North one mile along the said section line; thence West one quarter of a mile, thence North one mile and a quarter, thence West one quarter of a mile, thence North one mile and a quarter; thence West one Quarter of a mile; thence North one mile and a quarter; thence West one quarter of a mile; thence North one quarter of a mile; thence West one quarter of a mile; thence North one and a half miles; thence West one quarter mile; thence North one half mile to the middle section stake between Sections 26 and 23 Township Thirty-four North Range 39 East Willamette Meridian; thence West one half mile to northwest corner stake Section 26; thence South one half mile; thence East one quarter mile; thence South one and one half miles; thence East one quarter of a mile; thence South two miles; thence East one quarter of a mile; thence South one and a quarter miles; thence East one quarter of a mile; thence South three quarters of a mile; thence East one quarter of a mile; thence South one quarter of a mile; thence East one quarter of a mile; thence South three quarters of a mile; thence East one half mile to place beginning. It being intended that the boundaries follow the lines and divisions and subdivisions of the U. S. Survey and the distance to be controlled and governed by the W. S stakes and survey. Said election will be held at the store of George Seal at Addy, Stevens County, Washington, between the hours of nine a.m. and six p.m. on the 4th day of January 1898, and all persons voting at such election are required to cast ballots which shall contain the words "Drainage District Yes or No" Drainage District No" and also the names of the persons voted for commissioners of said drainage district and said election will be conducted under the state election laws as nearly as possible. Signed L. J. Wolfard, T. E. Irish, H. T. Reynolds, County Commissioners. State of Washington/ County of Stevens.

We hereby appoint J. E. Seal as inspection and Wm. H. Pelker and C. W. Burlow as Judges and Richard Rickers as Clerk at the election to be held at Addy in Geo. Seal's store for the formation of Drainage District No. One in the County of Stevens, State of Washington said election to be held upon the 4th day of January 1898. Dated this 3rd day of December 1897. Signed L. J. Wolfard, T. E. Irish, H. T. Reynolds

On this 29 day of November 1897, this matter coming on to be heard upon the petition of the Spokane Falls and Northern Railway Company to vacate from the town and plat of Northport, Stevens County, Washington, the following described lots, blocks, lands and premises, to wit: All of Columbia Avenue East of Third Street, and those portions of First and Second Streets lying North of the north line of alley running East and West through Blocks Nos. 2 and 3 and all of the north half of Blocks Nos 1, 2 & 3 of the Original Town of Northport. And, it appearing to the board that due legal and proper notice thereof had been given as by law required and that nor remonstrance has been filed in opposition to said petition to vacate except the remonstrance of August Jackson personally, and the board having heard and fully considered the said petition and the remonstrance thereto and being fully advised in the premises. Wherefor it is ordered and this day so order that the following lots, blocks, lands, and premises, lying and being within the Town of Northport, Stevens County, Washington to wit: All of Columbia Avenue East of Third Street, and those portions of First and Second Streets lying North of the north line of alley running East and West through Blocks Nos. 2 and 3 and all of the north half of Blocks Nos 1, 2 & 3 of the Original Town of Northport, be and the same hereby are vacated, withdrawn and set aside from the said Town of Northport and from the townsite and plat thereof.

It is further ordered that the said petitioner herein executes and delivers prior to the taking effect of this order, to said Stevens County or its duly authorized officers a bond in the sum of \$3000 payable to said county to indemnify said county from any loss or damage that may results by reason of said vacation.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, November 30, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 299, 11/30/1897

Tuesday, November 30, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that E. D. Morrison be and hereby is appointed Road Supervisor of Road District No. 1.

Ordered that Nathan Young be and hereby is appointed Road Supervisor of Road District No. 20.

The following bill approved:

J. A. Dinsmore Boarding Prisoner	\$7.50
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Board adjourned to Wednesday, December 1, 1897.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 299, 12/1/1897

Wednesday, December 1, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

E. M. Denny	Expenses	\$27.25
C. H. Thompson	Deputy Sheriff	\$4.50

Ordered that D. L. Towner be and hereby is appointed Justice of the Peace for Chewelah Precinct.

Board adjourned to Thursday, December 2, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 299 & 300, 12/2/1897

Thursday, December 2, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that William McKellar be and hereby is appointed Constable for Marcus Precinct.

The following cost bills approved.

A. N. Pettingill	Justice of the Peace State versus McDonald	\$1.05
	Justice of the Peace State versus Sand	\$1.05
A. N. Pettingill	Justice of the Peace State versus Ring	\$1.50
A. N. Pettingill	Justice of the Peace State versus John Hennessey	\$2.60
	State versus J. A. Lung	
A. N. Pettingill		\$7.95
J. P. Salvage	Justice of the Peace State versus Lung	\$2.45
Mrs. Lizzie Lung	Witness & mileage	\$9.00
Mrs. Minnie Runhole	Witness & mileage	\$9.00
A. Binker	Witness & mileage	\$9.00
C. A. Montgomery	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
Geo. Mowatt	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
J. P. Salvage	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
Geo. Benny	Witness & mileage	\$9.00
Wm. Graham	Witness & mileage	\$7.80
Frank Dickey	Witness & mileage	\$9.60
D. Van Slyke	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
James Sutton	Constable State versus Lung	\$10.50
D. Van Slyke	Constable State versus Lung	\$7.00
W. H. Wright	Juror State versus Lung	\$2.20
Jas Thompson	Juror State versus Lung	\$2.20
J. W. Hofstetter	Juror State versus Lung	\$2.20
Wm. Ashpaugh	Juror State versus Lung	\$2.20
Wm. Miller	Juror State versus Lung	\$2.20
W. L. Sax	Juror State versus Lung	\$2.20

Board that \$25.00 be and hereby are transferred from Road and Bridge Fund to Road District No. 29.

In the matter of the application of Thomas Kirk for a retail liquor license for the Town of Marcus, he having paid \$300 license fee and filed sufficient bond, ordered that a license be granted for one year from November 22, 1897.

The following bills approved.

Dr. M. B. Grieve Professional Service S	\$11.50
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Board adjourned to Friday, December 3, 1897.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 300 & 301, 12/3/1897 (On file 12/2/1897)

Friday, December 3, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

T. E. Irish	County Commissioner & mileage	\$78.40
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expenses	\$19.80
J. B. Thomas	Surveyor	\$63.00
Geo. H. Jones	Spikes	\$10.27
Ed Davis	Bridge work	\$127.25
Irwin Hodson Co.	Records for Auditor's office	\$28.25
J. W. Dunlap	Relief for Mrs. Gilcrist	\$20.00
Dr. Ballard	Professional service	\$6.50
Stalp & Stoney	Lumber	\$10.50
John Naff	Lumber	\$1.60
Salvage & Derringer	Lumber	\$36.12

The following cost bill approved:

Michael Walsh	Justice of Peace Coroner's Inquest in the case of	\$12.50
	James Fox	
J. F. Ramsey	Constable Coroner's Inquest in the case of James	\$3.60
_	Fox	
Phod Sharp	Witness	\$2.00
D. W. Lawson	Witness	\$2.00
Sam Fieler	Witness	\$2.00
C. W. Burdsal	Witness	\$2.00
J. S. McCormick	Juryman	\$2.00
J. F. Conklin		\$2.00
B. F. Metcalf		\$2.00
Wm. Calley		\$2.00
George Davis		\$2.00
Ed Loiselle	Boarding County Charge 1 day	\$1.50
J. H. Penny	Bridge Work	\$29.00
E. P. Staley	Bridge work	\$21.00
T. A. Beard	Work on road	\$30.00

Ordered that \$2.68 on the Rolls of 1896 be refunded to J. B. Hammer. The tax having been paid twice.

Ordered that %72.50 be transferred from Road and Bridge Fund to Road District No. 16 and \$44.32 from Road and Bridge Fund to Road District No. 32.

Board adjourned to Saturday.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 301 & 302, 12/4/1897

Saturday, December 4th, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present: H. T. Reynolds and L. J. Wolfard.

The following Road Supervisors reports approved.

R. J. Townsend	Road Supervisor District No. 5	\$45.00
Daniel Hollandsworth	Road Supervisor District No. 43	\$18.00
J. S. Long	Road Supervisor District No. 28	
E. F. Bottorff	Road Supervisor District No. 16	\$8.00
J. B. Cameron	Road Supervisor District No. 22	\$7.25
Henry Wilson	Road Supervisor District No. 6	\$21.50
Peter P. Scot	Road Supervisor District No. 13	\$.45

Ordered that County Auditor draw monthly a Poor Fund warrant to the amount of \$5.00 in favor of James Petty as compensation for keeping George Davis.

The following bills approved:

W. D. Allen	Job Printing	\$8.50
W. D. Allen	Job Printing	\$2.00
A. N. Pettingill	Justice of Peace State versus John J. Bowles	\$9.25
O. J. Smith	Mileage	\$4.20
E. M. Denny	Livery bill	\$42.00
E. M. Denny	Expenses	\$8.20
0. P. Foster	Deputy Sheriff	\$4.50
O. J. Smith	Expenses	\$12.45

Board adjourned to Monday, December 6, 1897

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 301, 302, & 304, 12/6/1897

Monday, December 6, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of Saturday.

The following bill approved.

James Petty	Keeping Charles Davis 3 months \$5@	\$15.00
L. A. Ledgerwood	Expenses	\$2.55
Wm. Maxwell	Work on Daisy Road 1 day	\$1.50

The formation of School District No. 75 approved as follows: Commencing at northeast corner Section 16 Township 30 Range 38 East Willamette Meridian, running thence West five and one half (5 ½) miles to northeast corner of northeast ½ of Section 15 Township 30 Range 37; running thence South one (1) mile; thence East one half (1/2) mile; thence South one half (1/2) mile; thence East one half (1/2) mile; thence East one half (1/2) mile; thence East one half (1/2) mile; thence West on half (1/2) mile; thence South one and three fourths (1 ¼) miles; thence West three fourths (3/4) miles; thence South one fourth mile (1/4); thence West one fourth mile; thence South one mile; thence East two (2) miles; thence South two (2) miles to southeast corner Section 13 Township 29 Range 37; thence four miles to place of beginning.

In the matter of the petition of W. C. Graham and others for the establishment of a county road 40 feet to wit: Commencing at the five-mile post on the Stanger Road Section 8 Town 32 Range 40 East Willamette Meridian; running thence in a northwesterly course about ¼ mile; thence West on line between S. P. Cecil & N. Powers and S. P. Cecil and P. Petro about 190 rods to section line; thence North on section line between sections five & six, 170 rods more or less to road crossing Colville River at Tetro's Bridge running in a northeasterly course to intersect Colville Road at Graham's Schoolhouse about 18 ½ miles South of Colville and ending at Graham's Schoolhouse on Colville Road about 18 ½ South of Colville, the whole distance being about two miles, ordered that the above road be surveyed and a county road established thereby. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 376, Graham Road, #559}

A. H. Dawson	Justice of the Peace	\$10.00
J. C. Harkness	Juryman & mileage	\$2.20
J. F. Harris	Juryman & mileage	\$2.20
0. C. Gunderson	Juryman & mileage	\$2.20
G. O. Perry	Juryman & mileage	\$2.20
Chas. D. Heath	Juryman & mileage	\$2.20
Wm. Smith	Juryman & mileage	\$2.20
C. W. Paulsen	Witness	\$2.20
F. M. McGuire		\$2.20

The following cost bill approved; Coroner's Inquest bill [disclosed?]

Ordered that J. B. Litton be and hereby is appointed Constable for the Precinct of Springdale.

The following bills approved.

Salvage & Dearinger	Lumber	\$4.16
Dr. McCrea	Professional service care of M. J. Conklin	\$28.00
Dr. P. O. Dillard	Professional service care of M. J. Conklin	\$20.00
Dr. M. R. Peck	Amputating Chas. Duncal's foot	\$100.00

The County Auditor is hereby authorized to draw from July 1st, 1897 a warrant on Poor Fund for \$5.00 in favor of Thomas Brown for keeping William Irvin.

(Crossed out) It appearing to the board that the capacity of the County Courthouse vault is overcrowded and the records would be equally as safe in Dilsheimer Block as in said vault. Ordered that the Clerk of Superior Court remove records of Clerk's Office from said vault to said Dilsheimer Block. (End crossed out portion)

The following bills approved:

H. T. Reynolds	County Commissioner 7 days \$4@	\$28.00
	2 days inspecting bridge at Spokane River	\$8.00
	Mileage 48 miles 10 cents mile	\$4.80
	Inspecting Harvey Creek and Summit Road	\$4.50
	Mileage	\$2.40
	68 miles 10 cents @ mile	\$6.80
	Total	\$54.00
L. J. Wolfard	County Commissioner 7 days \$5@	\$35.00
	Two days at Boundary in county business & mileage	\$18.00
	Attending to county road at Bossburg and mileage	\$9.00
	Total	\$62.00

Board adjourned Sine Die.

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman Board

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Tuesday, January 4, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It is hereby ordered that the County Treasurer transfer \$1150 from the Interest & Cost Fund to the county fund.

The following bills approved:

Shaw Bordon Co.	Printing Brief State versus Lattin	\$59.40
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expenses	\$21.25
J. L. Lavigne	Deputy Treasurer	\$37.66

The Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel tax receipt No. 5394 of Rolls of 1895 and refund money.

In the matter of the application of James Morrill for a license to operate a steel cable ferry across the Columbia River at the town of Northport, Stevens County, Washington. It is hereby ordered that when the said James Morrill files with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five hundred (\$500) dollars and the Treasurer's receipt for the sum of thirty (\$30) dollars as license fee for the year 1895 then the said license shall be granted for one year and the rates of ferriage fixed as follows:

Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, loaded	\$1.50
Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Two horse team and wagon with driver, loaded	\$.50
Two horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.75
Two horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack animals, loaded each.	\$.25
Pack animals, not loaded, each same as loose stock	\$.20
Loose stock, horses, cattle, mules etc.	\$.10
Sheep hogs, etc. in bands of 10 or more each	\$.05
Footman, each.	\$.20

The following bill approved:

Chris Houtchens Work on Northport & Bossburg Road District 1	\$111.25
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The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel the tax on the Personal Property of Albert Kieling for the year 1896.

Board adjourned to Wednesday, January 5, 1898.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 306, 1/5/1898

The board met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday.

The following bills approved:

J. W. Griswold	Constable	\$22.10
A. A. Barnett & Co	Stove for Surveyor's Office	\$13.50
J. B. Thomas	Surveying	\$118.00
J. W. Griswold	Deputy Sheriff	\$9.00
J. W. Griswold	Expenses	\$2.50
J. W. Griswold	Expenses	\$23.65
Jas. H. Penny	Road work	\$9.00
M. Kulzer	Road & Bridge work	\$185.02
F. I. Phelps	Work on Springdale & Summit Road	\$274.12

Board adjourned to Thursday, January 6, 1895

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 306 & 307, 1/6/1898

Thursday, January 6, 1898

The board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills allowed:

J. C. Harkness	Justice fees	\$20.50
C. R. McMillan	98 lbs. beef to Mrs. Bird	\$5.88
Caleb Dunlap	Work on road in Road District No. 8	\$16.20
George E. Wright	Work on road in Road District No. 8	\$16.50
Stolp & Story	Bridge lumber\$32.50	\$32.50
A. T. Kendrick & Co.	Relief to Roseberry	\$20.00
S. L. Magee	Bridge planks & spikes Road District No. 18	\$2.05
F. R. Ballard, M. D.	Professional Services	\$7.50
W. H. Graham	Keeping County Poor	\$150.30

The following Cost Bill approved:

	State versus Bowles	
Antoine Warran	Witness	\$2.20
A. Broillet	Witness	\$2.20
Wm. Ashpough	Juror	\$2.20
Thos. Apsend	Juror	\$2.20
Chas. St. Clair	Juror	\$2.20
Jas. Thompson	Juror	\$2.20
J. A. Wilburn	Juror	\$2.20
J. M. Mahoney	Juror	\$2.20

Ordered that a warrant be drawn in favor of H. G. Kirkpatrick for \$75.00 on Contingent Fund as expenses to Olympia in case of State versus Gail Lattin and also \$25 on Contingent Fund in favor of J. W. Feighan as Assistant Counsel. {Murder of C. D. Moody of Valley by Gail Lattin March 1897.

https://chroniclingamerica.loc.gov/lccn/sn87093220/1897-03-18/ed-1/seq-2/}

Board adjourned to Friday, January 7, 1898.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 307, 1/7/1898

Friday, January 7, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

Frank Weatherwax	Deputy Sheriff	\$9.50
Frank Weatherwax	Constable	\$7.40
Salvage & Dearinger	Lumber	\$8.45
W. J. Wilson	Supervisor Road District No. 6	\$3.00
L. J. Wolfard	Cash relief for county charge	\$7.00
George Schenk	Constable	\$2.00
G. B. Aubin	Deputy Sheriff	\$4.50
Salvage & Dearinger	Lumber	\$1.68
J. W. Johnson	Support of self	\$45.00
E. A. Kyes	I. M. Union Post No. 70	\$20.00
W. O. Storkey	Bridge lumber	\$7.04
S. S. Beggs	Expense bill	\$22.68
Northport Cemetery Co.	Two lots burial of paupers	\$24.00

Ordered that the County Auditor draw monthly a warrant on Poor fund for \$8.00 in favor of James McKeen, date from January 1, 1898.

Board adjourned to Saturday, January 8, 1898.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 307 & 308, 1/8/1898

Saturday, January 8, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that Chris Hutchens be and hereby is appointed Supervisor for Road District No. 14.

In the matter of the petition of J. W. Price for the establishment of a county road, to wit: Commencing at the southeast corner of Section 26 Township 29 Range 41 and running West to southeast corner of Section 28 Township 29 Range 41. Ordered that the above-described route be the established as a county road.

The following bills approved:

D. A. Setzer	Road Supplies	\$2.10
Bryant Bridge	Lumber	\$5.60
Rank P. Goetter	Medicine to County Poor	\$11.35
Dr. M. B. Grieve	Professional Service	\$150.00
O. J. Smith	Expenses	\$15.60
O. J. Smith	Mileage	\$15.60

Ordered that K. S. Waterman be and hereby is appointed Justice of the Peace for the Loon Lake Precinct.

Ordered that T. F. Hallen be and hereby is appointed Constable in and for the Precinct of Boundary.

Ordered that Peter Rasmussen be and hereby is appointed Road Supervisor for Road District No. 21 and bond placed at \$100.

Ordered that J. A. Miller be and hereby is appointed Supervisor for Road District No. 24.

Ordered that N. A. Gray be and hereby is appointed Supervisor for Road District No. 33.

On petition of J. T. Grove and seven others all residents of the district therein described a road district with the following boundaries is hereby created and established: Beginning at the 1/45 corner on the south line of Section 32 in Township 30 North Range 43 East Willamette Meridian, running thence North 4 miles to the 1/45 corner between Section 8 & 17 same township and range; thence West 4 ½ miles to the corner to Sections 9, 10, 15 & 16 in Township 30 North Range 42 East Willamette Meridian, thence South 4 miles to the corner of Sections 33 & 34 Township 30 Range 42 and 3 & 4 Township 29 Range 42; thence East on the township line 4 ½ miles to the point of beginning and to be numbered 46.

In the matter of the application of Louis Adams for a retail liquor license for the Town of Bossburg. Ordered that when the said Adams files with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond and the Treasurer's receipt for \$300 then the said license shall be granted for a period of one year.

The Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel tax receipts Nos 5887, Rolls 95, and 5665, Rolls 1896.

The following Bill approved:

F. Barman County Poor, merchandise	\$60.90
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Board adjourned to Monday, January 10, 1895.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 308, 309, 310, 311, 312 & 313, 1/10/1898 (First page on file 1/8/1898)

Monday, January 10, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of Saturday.

State of Washington, County of Stevens/SS

We the undersigned Board of County Commissioners in and for the county aforesaid being in regular session on this 10th day of January 1898, the same being the Monday following the 4^{th} day of January, at which last mentioned time an election was held for the purpose of forming a drainage district, and elect officers therefore, and proceeding to canvass the returns and the votes cast at said election, due returns thereof having been made, and it appearing that were 8 votes cost as said election and that a majority to wit 8 votes cast were for Drainage District, yes: and it further appearing at said election W. Benelow, William Pelker, and R. Rickers, received respectively the highest number of votes 8 each for drainage commissioners, and it further appearing that said election was held according to law, and that legal notice of the time and place thereof was given: Whereof it is hereby ordered and adjourned and declared, that the territory hereinafter described and is duly organized as a drainage district under the name and style of "Drainage District No. One, of Stevens County of the State of Washington on, and that C. W. Benelow, William Pelker, and R. Rickers are the duly elected board of commissioners of said District. The territory embracing in said district is described as follows to wit: beginning at the southeast corner of Section Twenty-five Township Thirty-three North Range, Thirty-nine East Willamette Meridian, thence North one mile along the said section line; thence West one quarter of a mile, thence North one mile and a quarter, thence West one quarter of a mile, thence North one mile and a quarter; thence West one Quarter of a mile; thence North one mile and a quarter; thence West one quarter of a mile; thence North one quarter of a mile; thence West one quarter of a mile; thence North one and a half miles; thence West one quarter mile; thence North one half mile to the middle section stake between Sections 26 and 23 Township Thirty-four North Range 39 East Willamette Meridian; thence West one half mile to northwest corner stake Section 26; thence South one half mile; thence East one guarter mile; thence South one and one half miles; thence East one quarter of a mile; thence South two miles; thence East one quarter of a mile; thence South one and a quarter miles; thence East one quarter of a mile; thence South three quarters of a mile; thence East one quarter of a mile; thence South one quarter of a mile; thence East one quarter of a mile; thence South three quarters of a mile; thence East one half mile to place beginning: All in Stevens County, Washington, said boundaries to be governed and controlled by the W. S. survey.

Dated this 10th day of January A. D. 1898, H. T. Reynolds, L. J. Wolfard, T. E. Irish. County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington.

Ordered that the following list of three hundred names of persons be and same is hereby designated by the Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, to serve as Grand and Petit Jurors for the present year, to wit:

C. H. Alban	G. A. Mowatt	James Stitzel
Charles R. Hayes	George Weisner	Bert Emery
James Allen	P. H. Grace	Chris Houtchins
Thomas McClure	Thomas Smith	Lou Weston

J. L. Pool	A. W. Miles	Frank Reeder
C. F. Conrady	Louis Perras	C. W. Winter
E. S. Dudrey	John L. Morrow	R. M. Thomas
E. Blackmore	Isaac Stedman	J. W. Todd
E. A. Anderson	W. R. Skelton	James Noble
V. Lemery	J. A. Ham	Robert Felronrarm
J. J. Walters	E. S. McCloud	C. R. Robinson
W. S. Cagle	W. A. Jones	Cyrus Townsend
John Rickey	Osner Hall	J. F. Vinton
G. B. Ide	Henry Earnest	Charles Wright
George Theis	Thos Haller	Edward Gibson
J. M. Mahoney	Orin Coates	Freemantle
C. H. Thompson	A. McColeman	J. B. Reynolds
L. D. Wilber	John Keough	H. C. Rice
A. J. Jackson	R. J. Ogdon	Julius Sickland
Adel Bishop	John Acorn	Fred Kieling
C. N. Collins	F. W. Dickey	S. Waterman
D. F. Crown	F. M. Brown	P. Williams
A. T. Kendrick		C. H. Arnold
	D. J. Yeargin J. E. Porter	
Con. M. Durland		Peter P. Soot
John W. Hofstetter	John Evert	E. M. Hodgson
Louis Adams	James Fee	F. K. Shelhamer
Dave Barman	John Naff	W. E. Strong
George Knapp	Henry Sacher	Ed Wayland
David Steel	Jos. Lavigne	Frank Wagner
Fred Ragsdale	C. H. McMillan	F. N. Jarvis
Frank Earnest	Louis Koker	Wm. Boyd
Peter Martin	J. M. Stevens	A. V. Shepler
George W. Reynolds	Winslow Hall	W. F. Scott
Orreille Butts	John James Graves	Lewis Weatherwax
Wm. Paramlee	George Meyers	R. J. Stepheson
H. S. Brown	J. A. McJunkins	Alfred Young
H. Y. Dorman	L. W. Meyers	J. W. Rogers
R. McMillan	J. A. Taylor	William Jarad
F. B. Goetter	John Hendershot	W. D. Allen
Smith Miller	Wm. Day	John Lee
Paul E. Atkins	G. C. Hovner	M. Kulzyer
James Ferguson	Otto Mungort	J. J. Budd
T. C. Green	John Nett	H. H. Carl
Elisha Tarble	F. E. Anderson	E. O. Snodgrass
T. M. Smith	C. H. Montgomery	S. K. Owen
Gotlieb Relstab	M. P. Hort	M. B. Wheeler
William Hutchins	S. P. Cecil	G. D. Hendrick
William Prcie	Frank Jarvis	S. N. Bodge
George W. McKey	C. A. Duffy	E. R. Gray
Peter Hanson	C. E. Ross	James Clinton
J. W. Cowen	David Wooley	M. D. Ettinger
Jerry Cooney	E. A. Kyes	Ed. Smith
W. J. Johnson	D. C. Ely	B. F. Shannon
S. M. Long	M. F. Dickey	Edward Shannon
R. P. Scott	0. McGloughlin	Charles Cason
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F. M. Long	E. M. Cook	Frank Cason
M. C. Kent	R. P. Jarard	A. J. Williams
P. E. Marion	E. P. Greenwault	Jacob Nullet
T. J. Halford	C. O. Bracket	John McGregor
J. B. Tarbut	H. A. Bennett	Lewis Meyers
Chris Nevller	Chas. Haines	Ellis Childres
E. A. Chaffee	A. M. Johnson	C. W. Johnson
J. W. Ranch	J. W. Walbrige	C. J. Johnson
E. S. Scott	George Werney	Robert Goakey
W. W. Clark	S. James	Jacob Horten
A. J. Smith	John Kirk	W. M. Aldridge
Robert Fountain	C. C. Linstrom	F. H. Rickie
W. J. Spencer	G. D. Cholthread	William Lawson
George S. Cassell	Sam Moon	Sylvester Lawson
R. H. Renshaw	C. B. Johnson	George Campbell
Randel Perkins	H. Pearson	John Ackins
Edward Knapp	Nathan Newel	William Ackins
E. C. Rider	C. H. McNoughton	William Davis
David R. Thomas	W. M. Fetterly	David Moore
Mich Crandall	A. Potter	H. C. Hughes
Joseph Lepray	W. H. Leis	W. R. Pierce
Dan Hollandsworth	Joe Holford	J. W. Maxwell
P. Tetro	R. F. Higganbotham	Albert Washburn
T. Reardon	A. G. Gokey	Liba Allison
T. Tait	W. H. Williams	Dick Allison
Ed. Davis	G. W. Sykes	Durly Hamilton
G. W. Byers	Nathan Young	Louis Troger
Joseph Robinson	R. S. Ledgerwood	Horry Hall
A. D. Cook	H. W. Sparks	Isaac Emerson
Albert Keiling	G. W. Byant	James Feiler
George A. Demorest	A. Wilks	Overton Price
Benjamin Newbill		
John Guildersleeve		
Burt Davis		
J. A. Miller		
J. F. Rumsey		
George Duncan		
Donald Campbell		
Frank Elliot		
Robert Hilts		
John Alyae		
James Sewall		
Henry Troger		
Antoine Price		
Arthur King		
William Sparling		
Henry Lamb		
John McLeon		
James Clark		
James Moore		
Luke Glove		
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Edward Houghton	
Fred Hamilton	
John Fisk	
George Sizemore	
J. B. Cameron	
John Cornwall	
Labon Garner	
Thomas Major	
Arthur Lattie	
J. B. Hergeshormer	
Martin Scotten	
Peter Heber	
B. Gleison	
W. H. Kefrey	
Wesley Gourley	
C. H. Kitchen	
Burt Jennings	
James O. Gifford	
Alva Fobes	
Willard Spencer	
Fred Englehardt	
Frank Ferguson	

The following Road Supervisor's Reports approved:

W. A. Babb	Supervisor Road District No. 36	\$16.25
Mat Nett	Supervisor Road District No. 26	\$7.50
Jacob Gibson	Supervisor Road District No. 45	\$15.00
S. H. Rickie	Supervisor Road District No. 18	\$24.25
Е. Карр	Supervisor Road District No. 30	\$152.00
Layton Matthewson	Supervisor Road District No. 9	\$75.20
Charles W. Johnson	Supervisor Road District No. 34	\$30.00
Nathan Young	Supervisor Road District No. 20	\$37.50
E. R. Gray	Supervisor Road District No. 33	\$57.50
S. K. Owen	Supervisor Road District No. 17	\$26.50
Ed Davis	Supervisor Road District No. 42	\$17.00
B. W. Emery	Supervisor Road District No. 4	\$7.50
John Jones	Supervisor Road District No. 32	\$12.50
Julius Sickland	Supervisor Road District No. 38	\$64.50
W. J. Johnson	Supervisor Road District No. 10	\$8.00
J. O. Johnson	Supervisor Road District No. 31	\$12.50
P. W. McCabe	Supervisor Road District No. 2	\$33.75
C. F. Houtchins	Supervisor Road District No. 14	\$35.00
T. P. Parrish	Supervisor Road District No. 41	\$17.50
John A. Miller	Supervisor Road District No. 24	\$32.50
E. P. Staley	Supervisor Road District No. 12	\$80.00
F. A. Whitney	Supervisor Road District No. 11	\$35.00
C. A. Duffy	Supervisor Road District No. 7	\$35.00
W. H. Merrill	Supervisor Road District No. 37	\$20.00
George Kulzer	Supervisor Road District No. 8	\$185.00
Peter P. Soot	Supervisor Road District No. 13	\$64.45

John P. Rogers	Supervisor Road District No. 23	\$20.00

Board adjourned to Tuesday, January 11, 1898

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Tuesday, January 11, 1898

The board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bill approved.

George H. Jones	Material	\$13.00
W. W. Casey	Juror Coroner's Inquest Ross deceased	\$4.00
Ordered that C. A. Duff	be and hereby is appointed Road Supervisor for Road	District No.

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Ordered that the plat and field notes of the Graham Road be and are hereby approved and the route described in the field notes is hereby declared a county road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 376, Graham Road, #559}

Ordered that L. S. Childers be and hereby is appointed Road Supervisor for Road District No. 16.

The following bills examined and approved:

Glass and Prudhomme	Warrant register for Auditor's Office	\$26.00
Glass and Prudhomme	Supplies	\$66.00
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Purchasing agent	\$23.00
Glass and Prudhomme	Collection register	\$14.00
R. E. Lee	Stove & pipe for Auditor's Office	\$11.30
Pioneer Binding &	Supplies Auditor's Office	\$26.45
Printing Co.		
John W. Graham	Pens	\$3.00
John W. Graham	Record	\$1.05
Dr. J. A. Lung	Professional Service Poor Farm	\$23.20
Pioneer Store	Nails	\$3.40
Chas. St. Clair	Board Prisoners	\$57.00
W. A. Stewart	Deputy Sheriff	\$7.50
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Purchasing agent	\$5.00
N. B. Wheeler	Justice fees	\$9.60

In the matter of the application for the establishment of a county road 40 feet in width, Albert Jennings et al, to wit; Commencing at Section 10 Township 31 Range 37, the northeast corner of Section 10 Township 31 Range 37, thence in a southerly direction through Section 15, and thence from near the quarter corner of Section 22, thence South through the middle of said section, township, and range, and intersect the Harvey Creek Road near [Mrs.?] Fackler's House and ending at or near the middle of Section 27 Township 31 Range 37. Ordered that the proposed route be surveyed and a county road established thereby. Petitioners are to furnish chainman and pay viewers. James Clark, Fred Hamilton, and Fred Worling are appointed viewers. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 396, Albert Jenning Road, #501}

Ordered that the plat of the Riverside Addition to the Town of Northport, Stevens County, Washington, be and hereby is accepted and the Surveyor is ordered to record same.

Board adjourned to Wednesday, 12, 1898.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 314, 1/12/1898

Wednesday, January 12, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

W. D. Allen	Printing	\$20.00
Jno. L. Metcalf	Purchasing agent	\$49.08
John Rickey	Bridge work	\$198.75

In the matter of the application of George Broderius for a retail liquor license for the Town of Northport, he having filed sufficient bond and pad \$300 license fee ordered that a license be granted for a period of one year from December 17, 1897.

Board adjourned at noon to inspect bridges on Monse Road.

Board adjourned to Thursday, January 14, 1898.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 314, 315, & 316, 1/13/1898 (on file for 1/12/1898)

Thursday, January 13, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that George Duncan be and hereby is appointed Supervisor of Road District No. 22.

The following bills approved:

J. B. Thomas	Recording Riverside addition to the Town of	\$7.00
	Northport	
J. W. Dunlap	Relief to Mrs. Gilchrest	\$20.00

The following bills approved:

Dr. J. A. Lung	Coroner Inquest in case of Fuller	\$18.65
J. W. Fish	Juror in case of Fuller	\$2.00
J. W. Swan	Juror in case of Fuller	\$2.00
L. E. Butler	Juror in case of Fuller	\$2.00
A. Luntherberg	Juror in case of Fuller	\$2.00
A. W. Holly	Juror in case of Fuller	\$2.00
B. L. Brigham	Juror in case of Fuller	\$2.00
W. D. Allen	Job Printing	\$33.35
The following cost bil	1 State versus William O'Conner, approved	·
D. L. Torner	Justice of the Peace	\$3.15
Henry Pomeroy	Constable	\$3.60
William Montgomery	Witness	\$4.40
Carl Montgomery	Witness	\$4.40
John Abrams	Witness	\$2.20
C. A. Duffy	Witness	\$4.80
Lorenze Randolph	Witness	\$2.20
William Duffy	Witness	\$4.80
Lincoln County	Work on bridge, Detillion	\$101.50
E. M. Denny	Expenses Livery hire	\$52.50
E. M. Denny	Expense	\$25.60
Bird & Hodges	Lumber for Road District No. 8	\$24.00
Dr. Peck	Professional service \$5	
John Thiel	Lumber	\$12.80

In the matter of the petition of L. W. Meyers and others for the appointment of a Game Warden. Ordered that George M. Welty be and hereby is appoint Game Warden in and for the County of Stevens, State of Washington, for a period of six months from the date, at a salary of \$25 per month, upon his subscribing to the Constitutional oath as required by law.

The County Surveyor is hereby instructed to obtain a blue print copy on cloth of each plat of the townships in Stevens County of which no plate on file in his office, and furnish a copy of each to the Assessor.

The following bills approved:

Louis Adams	Keeping insane man	\$2.00
George A. Baer	Provisions and guarding prisoner	\$22.70

It appearing to the board that Mrs. Jean Harris should have been allowed an exemption on the Personal Rolls of 1896, and that the same was not allowed by the Assessor. Ordered that the exemption be allowed and taxes refunded.

The following bills approved:

John T. Rogers	Lumber for Road District No. 23	\$15.00
T. E. Irish		
	County Commissioner 11 days \$4@	\$44.00
	132 miles at 10@	\$13.20
	Total	\$57.20
H. T. Reynolds		
	10 days \$4@ County Commissioner	\$40.00
	80 miles 10@	\$8.00
	Total	\$48.00
T. J. Wolfard		
	11 days County Commissioner \$5@	\$55.00
	4 miles 10@	\$4.00
	Total	\$59.00

In the matter of the settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed deposits in the bank and cash in safe for \$53,923.86 distributed in the various funds as follows:

State Military Fund\$346.40State Interest Fund\$261.03County General Fund\$2200.85General School Fund\$11,323.51Road & Bridge Fund\$5726.49Road Property Fund\$4,978.98Soldier's Relief Fund\$251.75Special School Fund\$5,598.88Current Expense Fund\$38.19Colville Fund\$18.65Kettle Falls Fund\$38.54Superior Court Fund\$3,683.54Superior Court Fund\$11,129.05Poor Fund\$11,825.17Salary Fund\$7,126.06Institute Fund\$42.00Special Road Fund\$13.51		
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Cost Fund \$141.00	Special Road Fund	\$13.51
	Cost Fund	\$141.00

Board adjourned to March 1st, 1898. Signed L. J. Wolfard, Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 317, 1/24/1898

Colville, Washington, January 24, 1898

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, met pursuant to call from chairman, January 24, 1898 for the purpose of considering the advisability of assuming civil and criminal jurisdiction over the north half of the Colville Indian Reservation.

Present:

L. J. Wolfard	Chairman, Commissioner 2 nd District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1 st District

Ordered that the County Treasurer cancel tax receipt No. 6927 and refund money.

In the matter of the petition of John McDonald and others for the establishment of a county road 50 feet in width, to wit: Commencing at the Paradise and Tom Brown Road near Gendraw's house in Section 31 Township 36 North Range 38 East Willamette Meridian, running thence in a northeast direction to intersect the Colville and Marcus Road and ending at the Colville and Marcus Road in Section 81 Township 36 North Range 38 the whole distance being about three-quarter miles. Ordered that the above-described rate be surveyed and a county road established thereby.

The following bills approved:

James Oppenheimer	Merchandise to Brown	\$11.25
J. B. Thomas	Deputy Treasurer	\$22.50
E. A. Kyes	Relief to P. Immel	\$18.00
E. A. Kyes	Relief to W. L. Roote	\$12.00
E. P. Staley	Supervisor Road District No. 12	\$35.00

Ordered that the \$45.35 be transferred from Road & Bridge Fund to Road Property of Road District No. 18.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, January 25, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 317 & 318, 1/25/1898

Tuesday, January 25, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the application of J. T. Robert for a retail liquor license for the Town of Eureka, Stevens County, Washington, ordered that when the said Robert files with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond. The Treasurer's receipt for \$300 as a license fee and the consent of the owner of the building in which the saloon is to be conducted. The said license shall then be granted for a period of one year.

In the matter of the application of P. Mirims for a retail liquor license for the Town of Eureka, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that when the said Mirims files with the County Auditor, a good and sufficient bond. The Treasurer's receipt for \$300 and the consent of the owner of the building in which the saloon is to the conducted. The said license shall then be granted for a period of one year.

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to refund \$1.20 on Tax Receipt No. 6610 of the Rolls of 1895. There being a double assessment.

The following bills approved.

J. B. Thomas	37 yards "Amil" drawing paper @30 cents per yard	\$11.10
J. Watson	J. Watson Purchasing clothing for Ebhert boys	

Board adjourned.

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman, Board County Commissioner

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 319, 3/1/1898

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington met pursuant to adjournment of January 13th, 1898.

Present:

L. J. Wolfard	Chairman, Commissioner 2 nd District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1 st District

The bond for Drainage District No. 1, Wm. H. Pelker, R. Rickers, and Joseph Roberts as principal, and H. T. Skeels, and G. W. Seal, as sureties approved.

Board adjourned to Wednesday, March 2nd, 1898.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 319 & 320, 3/2/1898

Wednesday, March 2nd, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

J. W. Griswold	Deputy Sheriff	\$27.00
J. W. Griswold	Deputy Sheriff	\$11.25
J. W. Griswold	Deputy Sheriff	\$59.25

Ordered that a current expense warrant be drawn for the above bills.

In the matter of the application of Argall & McKay for a license to operate a steel cable ferry over, across, and upon the Columbia River at the Town of Bossburg. They having filed with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five hundred (500) dollars and the Treasurer's receipt for the sum of the thirty (\$30) dollars. Ordered that, the license be and hereby is granted for a period of one year and the rates of ferriage be as follows:

Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, loaded	\$1.50
Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, loaded	\$.50
Two horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.75
Two horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack animals, loaded each.	\$.25
Pack animals, not loaded, each same as loose stock	\$.10
Loose stock, horses, cattle, mules etc.	\$.10
Sheep hogs, etc. in bands of 10 or more each	\$.05
Footman, each.	\$.25

Ordered that the Special School Tax of Jacob Meyers in School District No. 22 be reduced \$4.35. There being an error in assessment.

In the matter of the application of J. M. Fish, T. W. Butler, and E. R. Gray, coming regularly before this board, this 2nd day of March A. D. 1898, for the franchise and right of way, to construct, build, and operate a telegraph, telephone, and electric railway line near the roadway known as the Eureka Road, on the north half of the Colville Indian Reservation between Meyers Falls via Kettle Falls to Eureka or Republic, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that the petition be granted and that the said franchise and right of way as petitioned be and hereby are granted. Provided, however that the said railway line shall not obstruct the public travel on said Eureka wagon road. Said parties are to commence active construction of said road on or before August first 1899 and prosecute to completion with all due diligence. Signed: L. J. Wolfard, T. E. Irish, H. T. Reynolds, County Commissioners, Attest: Jno. L. Metcalfe.

Board adjourned to Thursday, March 3rd, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 320 & 321, 3/3/1898

Thursday, March 3rd, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the petition of Adel Bishop and wife for the vacation of certain blocks, lots, streets, avenues, and alleys in the Town of Columbia, Stevens County, Washington, to wit: All the lots, blocks, alleys, streets, and avenues in the townsite of Columbia, Stevens County, Washington, lying to the east of and including Spokane Avenue; And, also all of the lots, blocks, alleys, streets, and avenues in said townsite of Columbia, lying to the north of and including Ninth Street. Ordered that the said petition be granted and the said vacation as petitioned for be and hereby are vacated and the lands included in said vacation revert to the dedicators of said Townsite of Columbia.

The petition of C. S. Stevens and others for the vacation of a county road rejected.

Ordered that John L. Metcalfe be and hereby is appointed purchasing agent for Stevens County for the year 1898 at a salary of \$1 per annum.

Ordered that \$400 of the assessed valuation of the personal property of John Holts for the year 1897 be and hereby are cancelled, there being a double assessment.

The following bills approved:

E. M. Denny	Team hire	\$94.00
E. M. Denny	Expenses	\$63.95

Ordered that a current expense warrant be drawn in favor of E. M. Denny for the above bills.

Owing to the unsafe condition of the county jail of Stevens County, E. M. Denny, Sheriff of said county, is hereby given permission to transfer the prisoners who were at the February term of the Superior Court sentenced to the State Penitentiary, to the county jail of Spokane County, pending any appear that may be taken to the Superior Court.

The County Auditor is hereby authorized to draw monthly a warrant for \$10.00 in favor of Thomas Brown for maintaining Irwin, County Charge. Order to date from December 1897.

Ordered that William Terry be and hereby is appointed Constable in and for the Precinct of Bossburg.

In the matter of the application of Joseph Day for a retail liquor license for the Town of Bossburg, he having filed with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond and the Treasurer's receipt for \$300. Ordered that a license be granted for one year from March 3, 1898.

Board adjourned to Friday, March 4th, 1898.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 321, 322, & 323, 3/4/1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that W. A. Atkins be and hereby is appointed Road Supervisor for Road District No. 44.

In the matter of the petition of C. S. Boss for the abandonment of a tract in the Town of Millington, now Bossburg, by lying West of Block one and North of Block four according to the official plat thereof. The prayer of the petitioners is hereby granted and the said tract hereby vacated and set aside and released from the effects of said plat of Millington. Provided, however, that the southeast boundary of said tract shall be a curve with a radius of eighty feet struck from the northeast corner of said Block 2 as a center and extending from northeast corner of Block 4 to the southwest corner of Block 1 aforesaid.

The following Road Supervisors appointed:

Perry Parrish	Road District No. 41
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Ordered that Charles Homes be and hereby is appointed Constable in and for the Precinct of Springdale.

The following Road Supervisor report approved:

Henry Wilson	Road District No. 6	\$21.25

In the matter of the petition of E. R. Gray and others for an appropriation for \$250.00 on the J. W. Heron Road. Ordered that one-hundred (\$100.00) be and hereby are appropriated.

In the matter of the franchise of Mrs. Alex Ross, as it appears on page 292 of Journal C of the proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, a petition representing the voice of the business men of the Town of Bossburg, Washington, respecting this franchise, having this day been presented, praying that certain mains upon the street of said Town of Bossburg may be permitted in size less than four inches in diameter. It is hereby ordered that said franchise be and the same hereby is modified to read as follows, to wit: The application of Mrs. Alex Ross, filed October 28th, 1897, and, presented to the board November 29, 1897 praying for a grant of the right, privilege and franchise to construct and maintain a system of water mains in and upon the streets and alleys of Bossburg, in Stevens County, Washington, and to extend the same from time to time as the necessity of the case may demand to supply the inhabitants of said Town of Bossburg and vicinity with water for domestic use and other purposes and for the that purpose to enter in and upon the public streets, alleys, and highways of said Town of Bossburg, formerly platted and named as the Town of Millington, and the board having read said application and duly considered the same: and it appearing that said proposed system of water mains at said place is a public necessity. It is hereby ordered by the board that the said Mrs. Alex Ross, her successors and assigns be and they hereby are granted the privilege, right, and franchise to construct and maintain a system of water mains in and upon the streets, alleys, and highways of the said Town of Bossburg, and vicinity for a period of twenty-five years from and after November 29th, 1897, provided always that said Mrs. Alex Ross, her successors, and assigns shall maintain a uniform system of rates

chargeable for the distribution and use of said water to the public and to all who may want the use of said water. Provided, always that the public highways, streets, and alleys over or through which said water mains or extensions or connections therewith shall be made shall always be left and kept in good condition for the public use and travel. This franchise shall not extend beyond the authority of the board to grant the same.

It appearing to the board that an error was made in the assessing of the east ½ southeast ½ Section 19 Township 35 Range 40 and southwest ½ southwest ½ Section 20, same township and range. The above-described property, having been assessed in School District No. 59 which should have been assessed in District No. 4. The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to transfer the aforesaid land form School District No. 58 to School District No. 4.

Pursuant to authority, conferred upon the Board of County Commissioners by Section 3842 of Chapter 253 of the Code of Washington regulating the sale or disposal of spirituous fermented, malt, or other intoxicating liquors outside of the corporate limits of each incorporated city, incorporated town, or incorporated villages in their respective counties. Ordered that the annual fee for liquor license for the sale or disposal of spirituous fermented, malt or other intoxicating liquors outside the corporate limits of each incorporated city, town or village in Stevens County, Washington, be and hereby is raised from the sum of \$300 to the sum of six hundred (\$600) dollars.

In the matter of the petition of A. Goakey and others for the transfer of the certain described property. Petition is granted and the following is hereby transferred from Road District No. 34 to Road District No. 16 to wit: east ½ and east ½ of west ½ of Section 2: the northeast ¼ of northwest 1/4, the west ½ of northeast ¼ and northeast ¼ of northeast ¼ of section 11; the west ½ of Section 1 and the northwest ¼ northwest ¼ of Section 12. All in Township 34 North Range 37 East Willamette Meridian.

Board adjourned to Saturday, March 5, 1898.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 323, 324, & 325, 3/5/1898

Saturday, March 5, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It appearing to the board that an error was made by the Assessor in assessing the east 20 feet of Lot 10 Block 11 Town of Colville, he having assessed \$25 worth of improvements which were not on said lot at the time of assessment. Ordered that the County Treasurer be and hereby is ordered to cancel the tax on said improvements.

It appearing to the board that a clerical error was made, by the Assessor, in assessment of the personal property of Daniel Harbaugh on the Roll of 1897 \$2.50 having been transcribed \$250.00. Ordered that the assessment on \$247.50 be remitted.

The following bills approved:

C. A. Mantz	Assisting Prosecuting Attorney, (Prosecuting Attorney being at Olympia State versus Lattin)	\$15.00
T. J. Kelley	Merchandise to Mrs. E. A. Miles	\$20.00
T. J. Kelley	Merchandise to J. H. Felt	\$30.00
J. W. Dunlap	Merchandise to Mrs. Gilcrist	\$20.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick		\$9.50
F. Wolf	Boarding prisoners	\$116.20
George W. Johnston	Deputy Treasurer	\$16.10

It the matter of the application of C. E. Brooks for a license to construct and maintain a steel cable ferry, over, across and upon the Columbia River at a place with is known as Old Marcus, Stevens County, Washington, between the said Town of Marcus and the Colville Indian Reservation to connect with the Kettle River Road. Said ferry to start on Lot One (1) Township 36 North Range 37 East Willamette Meridian, and cross the Columbia River and land on a placer claim known as the "Ruth." Ordered that when the said C. E. Brooks files with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) and the Treasurer's receipt for \$30, then the said license shall be granted for a period of one year and the rates of ferriage fixed as follows:

Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, loaded	\$1.50
Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, loaded	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.75
Two horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack animals, loaded each.	\$.25
Pack animals, not loaded, each same as loose stock	\$.10
Loose stock, horses, cattle, mules etc.	\$.10
Sheep hogs, etc. in bands of 10 or more each	\$.05
Footman, each.	\$.25

In the matter of the petition of Adel Bishop for the privilege of conducting water by means of pipes, flumes, and ditches, from a point on Five Mile Creek, where said Five Mile Creek crosses the county road and along said county road to the Town of Northport. Said pipes, flumes and ditches are not to obstruct public highway. Ordered that the petition be and hereby is granted.

Ordered that N. B. Wheeler be and hereby is appointed registration clerk in and for the Precinct of Kettle Falls for the year 1898.

It appearing to the board that an error was made by the Assessor in the assessment of the personal property of J. H. Felt for the year 1897, he having been assessed \$175.00 for property he did not own. Ordered that the Treasurer cancel tax on \$175.00 and assess the same to F. M. Knowlton, he being the owner of the property.

Board adjourned to Monday, March 7th, 1898.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 325, 3/7/1898

Monday, March 7th, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present H. T. Reynolds and L. J. Wolfard.

In the matter of the application of Woodard & Co for a retail liquor for the Town of Nelson, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that when the said company files with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond and the Treasurer's receipt for the sum of six hundred (\$600) dollars, then the said license shall be granted for a point of one year.

The following bills approved:

W. D. Allen	County Printing from September 1897	\$226.00
T. E. Irish	County Commissioner	\$45.20
G. M. Welty	Expenses as Game Warden	\$7.55
A. J. Young	Deputy Treasurer	\$78.00
Cost bill State versus Percell approved		
A. N. Pettingill	Justice of Peace	\$2.70
J. W. Hofstetter	Witness	\$18.00
David Herron	Witness	\$18.00
Wm. Costellow	Witness	\$18.00
O. J. Smith	Expenses of office	\$36.75

Board adjourned to Tuesday.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 325 & 326, 3/8/1898

Tuesday, March 8, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the order dated January 8, 1898, of the proceedings of the Commissioners Book "C" page 308 granting Louis Adams a retail liquor license for the Town of Bossburg. Ordered the same be and hereby is rescinded.

Ordered that the \$102 of the assessed valuation of the personal property of Sydney Smith be cancelled. There being a double assessment.

The following bills approved:

H. G. Kirkpatrick	Cash paid Samuel Douglas for trip to	\$5.00
	Marcus	
R. E. Lee	Supplies for Assessor's office	\$5.60
W. D. Allen	Job printing	\$55.25
Geo. Geandraw	Relief to Geandraw	\$4.60
Mrs. Bird	Relief to Mrs. Bird	\$10.66
A. R. Hemenway	Board of Lowell Gorden	\$7.00
L. Allen	Board of Lowell Gorden	\$4.00
A. Barnett & Co.	Supplies Sheriff's office	\$7.50
Eke Emerson	Lumber for Road District No. 24	\$36.00
Joseph Oppenheimer	Bridge spikes	\$3.00
F. Barman	Merchandise to county	\$46.05
J. M. Mohoney	Guarding county jail	\$2.25
Henry [Carr?]	Deputy Sheriff	\$15.75
T. F. Hallem	Deputy Sheriff	\$7.50
J. M. Stevens	Hauling wood Sheriff's office	\$.75
J. B. Jones	Deputy Sheriff	\$2.25
Maud Wright	Guarding Mrs. [Balszore?]	\$14.00
J. M. Mohoney	Guarding jail	\$11.25
C. H. Thompson	Deputy Sheriff	\$38.25
C. H. Thompson	Deputy Sheriff	\$10.30
C. W. Stanley	Deputy Sheriff	\$2.25
J. A. McDonald	Constable	\$6.80
James Crawford	Deputy Sheriff	\$13.50
James Crawford	Deputy Sheriff	\$13.25

Board adjourned to Wednesday.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 326, 327, & 328, 3/9/1898

Wednesday, March 9, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

P. B. Dingle	Boarding jury 125 meals @25	\$31.25
0. P. Anderson	Maps and Blue Print Co.	\$5.00
L. B. Ledgerwood	Stamps	\$2.00
J. B. Thomas	Stamps	\$2.50
Judge William Richardson	Printing "Superior Court Rules"	\$5.00
Dr. J. A. Lung	Professional service at Poor Farm	\$18.50
Chas. St. Clair	Boarding prisoners	\$47.10
Dr. J. A. Lung	Coroner's Inquest Loon Lake	\$16.95
A. P. Allen	Juror & mileage	\$2.30
A. B. Hurd	Juror & mileage	\$2.30
K. S. Waterman	Juror & mileage	\$2.30
L. O. Hammund	Juror & mileage	\$2.30
J. A. Denton	Juror & mileage	\$2.30
Frank Baker	Juror & mileage	\$2.20
F. L. Kirklin	Witness	\$2.20
Jake Beck	Witness	\$2.20
Geo. A. Hurd	Constable	\$5.65
Franklin Kirklin	Watching body	\$2.00
L. Allen	Boarding prisoners	\$6.00
J. B. Thomas	County Surveyor	\$168.00
B. L. Brigham, M. D.	Post Morten examination J. J. Fuller	\$10.00
Jos. Sherry	Constable	\$6.05
C. E. Ivy	Justice of Peace	\$2.10
D. F. Pankey	Trip to Spokane & return on official business	\$9.40
The following	Cost Bill approved State versus Fred Heppe	
J. H. Felt	Justice of Peace	\$2.70
Charles Mueller	Constable	\$3.40
F. J. Halford	Team for conveying prisoner	\$3.00
Albert Poirier	Witness State versus Rauch	\$2.40
T. D. Easterbrook	Relief for Easterbrook	\$5.23
Thomas Smith	Deputy Sheriff	\$9.00
W. F. Bryant	Relief to Bryant	\$25.00
E. A. Kyes	Relief to P. Immel	\$15.00
E. A. Kyes	Relief to S. C. Brudwrand	\$12.00
O. J. Smith	Mileage	\$5.70

It appearing to the board that an error was made in the assessment of the personal property of J. E. Eckley, he having been assessed \$145 for property he did not own when assessed. Ordered that \$145.00 of the assessment of the said J. E. Eckley for the year 1897 be and the same hereby are cancelled.

In the matter of the assessment of the real property for the year 1898. The Assessor of Stevens County, Washington, is hereby ordered to assess all real property in said county in the smallest legal subdivisions.

The following bills approved:

Pioneer Bindery and	Record books	\$57.50
Printing Company		
James Crawford	Deputy Treasurer	\$15.75
C. H. Thompson	Deputy Sheriff	\$10.87
Jos. A. Lavigne	Deputy Treasurer	\$67.53
W. A. Stewart	Deputy Treasurer	\$49.50
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expenses	\$33.60
A. J. Young	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$28.00
Richard Storer	Relief to Storer	\$30.00
L. Allen	Boarding county charge	\$82.00
James Crawford	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$46.75
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Expenses Auditor's Office January 1898	\$68.64
L. J. Wolfard	Expense of Mrs. Boss in taking four	\$20.00
	Balyore children to Spokane	
L. J. Wolfard	For ticket to Spokane for county charge	\$8.00
	and cash paid out	
James Crawford	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$22.25
James Crawford	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$13.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expense bill	\$31.50
John Hendershot	Merchandise to county poor	\$7.50
W. A. Stewart	Money advanced to county poor	\$5.00

The following bills approved and warrants ordered drawn for same.

L. J. Wolfard	County Commissioner and mileage	\$92.85
H. T. Reynolds	County Commissioner and mileage	\$40.00

Board adjourned. Sine Die.

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman

Attest: Jno. L. Metcalfe, ex officio clerk

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 329, 4/4/1898

Colville, Washington, April 4, 1898

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, met in regular quarterly session.

L. J. Wolfard	Chairman, Commissioner 2 nd District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1 st District

The afternoon session consumed in consideration of a rebate on the Northern Pacific Railroad land.

The following bills approved:

H. G. Kirkpatrick Expenses \$35.90

Board adjourned to Tuesday, April 5, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 329, 4/5/1898

Tuesday, April 5, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bill approved:

Mrs. Gilcrist Relief to Mrs. Gilcrist and family \$100
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The day consumed in the hearing of an appeal from the decision of the Superintendent of Schools in regard to School District No. 35.

Board adjourned to Wednesday, April 6th, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 329, 330, & 331, 4/6/1898

Wednesday, April 6, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

Eugene Chamberlain	Clerk of elections 1896	\$6.00
J. H. McGregor	Clerk of elections 1896	\$6.00

In the matter of the petition of A. W. Baker and others for the establishment of a county road 40 feet in width, to wit: Beginning at the township line at three-mile post on the Daisy Road; thence West and North of and close to the township line for a distance of 40 rods to the township line running South and thence along the township line running East and West to the west line of William Hartmann's Ranch. Said road to run the whole distance over state land and as nearly as practicable on said township line. Ordered that the above-described route be survey and a county road established thereby. Said petitioners are to furnish chainman and pay viewers, R. J. Townsend, William Hartman, and John Lindsey, are appointed viewers.

In the matter of the petition of P. Mirims and others for the foundation and establishment of a voting precinct on the north half of the Colville Indian Reservation, Stevens County, Washington, to be known and designed as the Republic Voting Precinct. Ordered that the petition be granted and the following be the boundaries of said precinct, to wit: Beginning at the point of intersection of the dividing line between the north and south halves of the Colville Indian Reservation with the line between Stevens and Okanogan Counties; running thence north along said county line twenty-four (24) miles to the township line between Townships 38 & 39 North; thence East along said township line to the range line between Township thirty-four (34) and thirty-five (35) East Willamette Meridian; thence South on said range line Twenty-four (24) miles to the line between the north and south halves of the said Colville Indian Reservation; thence West along said line to place of beginning.

Ordered that J. M. Bewley be and hereby is appointed Justice of Peace in and for the Precinct of Republic.

Ordered that Fred Dempsey be and hereby is appointed Constable in and for the Precinct of Republic.

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel school tax on tax receipt No. 6291 for the year 1895, the same being assessed in error.

In the matter of the application of Albert Hall for a license to run and operate a ferry or bridge over and upon Kettle River on the north half of the Colville Indian Reservation, Stevens County, Washington, at a point on said river about twenty-four miles up said river where it flows into the Columbia River. Ordered that when the said Albert Hall files with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five hundred (\$500) dollars and the County Treasurer's duplicate receipt in the sum of thirty (\$30) dollars, then the said license shall be granted for a period of one year and the rates of ferriage fixed as follows:

Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, loaded	\$1.50
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Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.50
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$1.00
Two horse team and wagon with driver, loaded	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.75
Two horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack animals, loaded each.	\$.25
Pack animals, not loaded, each same as loose stock	\$.10
Loose stock, horses, cattle, mules etc.	\$.10
Sheep in bands of 10 or more each	\$.05
Footman, each.	\$.10

Board adjourned to Thursday, April 7, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 331 & 332, 4/7/1898

Wednesday, April 7, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following Road Supervisors appointed:

Willard Spencer	Road District No. 19
S. K. Owen	Road District No. 17
C. W. Johnson	Road District No. 34
George Byers	Road District No. 11
Purty O'Hare	Road District No. 38
Hank Hanson	Road District No. 2
Thomas Quigley	Road District No. 43
Matt Nett	Road District No. 26
Thomas Turk	Road District NO. 7
Thomas Sherlock	Road District No. 39

In the matter of the license granted to James Morrill, January 3rd, 1898, to operate a steel cable ferry over and across the Columbia River at the Town of Northport, Stevens County, Washington. It appearing to the board that Robert Morrill purchased ferry and filed a good and sufficient bond, January 21st, 1898. It is hereby ordered that the said Robert Morrill is authorized to conduct said ferry under said license granted to the said James Morrill. This order to date from transfer.

It is hereby ordered that the order on page "325" Journal "C" of the Proceedings of the County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, in reference to a franchise granted to Adel Bishop to lay pipes, flumes, and ditches from a point on Five Mile Creek to the Town of Northport be amended to read as follows:

In the matter of the petition of Adel Bishop for a franchise to conduct water by means of pipes, flumes, and ditches from a point on Five Mile Creek where said Five Mile Creek crosses the county road and along said county road to Columbia Avenue in the Town of Northport, said pipes, flumes, and ditches are not to obstruct public highway. Ordered that the petition be and hereby is granted.

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel \$25 worth of improvements assessed on Lot 8 Block 5, Town of Colville, for the year 1896, there being an error in the assessment.

The Treasurer is hereby ordered to receipt Robert Flick for \$180.00 worth of improvements on land assessed to E. [?Naigally?].

Ordered that tax receipt No. 1649 for year 1891 be cancelled and money refunded; and it further ordered that all penalties, interest, and costs for the year 1891 on Lot 20 Block 18, Spokane Addition to the Town of Colville, the same being sold in error.

The application of Cross and Augevine for a transfer of liquor license rejected.

Board adjourned at 12 p.m. Thursday til 1 p.m., Friday to inspect county road at Addy.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 332, 4/8/1898

Friday, April 8, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that Jacob Griswold be and hereby is appointed Constable in and for the Precinct of Republic.

It appearing to the board that an error was made in the assessment of the Personal Property of Isaac Crory for the year 1897, \$12.50 having been transcribed \$1250.00, ordered that said assessment be reduced \$1237.50.

In the matter of the petition of O. B. Nelson and others for the formation and establishment of a voting Precinct on the north half of the Colville Indian Reservation to be known and designated as the Nelson Voting Precinct. Ordered that the petition be granted and the following be the boundaries of said precinct, to wit: Beginning at a point where the Kettle River flows North across the Boundary line at the Town of Nelson; thence East six (6) miles; thence South to the south line of the second township from the boundary line; thence West to the northeast corner of Republic Voting Precinct; thence North to the boundary line; thence East to place of beginning. {Nelson is now called Danville.}

Board adjourned to Saturday, April 9, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 332 & 333, 4/9/1898 (on file for 4/8/1989)

Saturday, April 9, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the formation and establishment of a voting precinct on the north half of the Colville Indian Reservation to be known and designated as the Curley Voting Precinct. Ordered that said precinct be established with the following boundaries, to wit: Commencing at a point on the boundary line where the country line between Stevens and Okanogan Counties intersect said boundary line; thence South to the south line of the second Township; thence East along said line to the southwest corner of Nelson Voting Precinct; thence North along said line to the International Boundary line; thence West along said boundary line to place of beginning.

In the matter of the appeal of Thos. A. Major and others from the decision of the Superintendent of Schools in dividing School District No. 35. Said appeal withdrawn and the matter dismissed.

Board adjourned to Monday, April 11, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 333 & 334, 4/11/1898

Monday, April 11, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of Saturday.

Ordered that the Order on page 302 Journal "C" Proceedings of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, authorizing County Auditor to draw monthly a warrant for \$5 in favor of James Petty for keeping George Davis be and the same hereby is rescinded.

In the matter of the petition of Andrew Woolfshleger and others for the establishment of a county road rejected.

In the matter of the petition of S. H. Whitney and others for the formation and establishment of a voting precinct on the north half of the Colville Indian Reservation to be known and designated as the Flat Creek Voting Precinct. Ordered that the petition be granted and the precinct established with the following boundaries, to wit: Beginning at the south line of Section 5 Township 38 Range 38 where the same intersects the Columbia River; thence West to line between Range 37 and 38; thence North to International Line; thence East 8 miles; thence South to the Columbia River; thence down said river to place of beginning.

In the matter of the formation and establishment of a voting precinct on the Colville Indian Reservation to be known and designated as the Rock Cut Precinct. Ordered that the said precinct be established with the following boundaries; Commencing at a point where the Kettle River last crosses the International Boundary Line; thence East along said boundary line eight miles; thence South to the north line of the Flat Creek Voting Precinct; thence West to the northwest corner of said Flat Creek Precinct; thence South along the west line of the said Flat Creek Precinct to the southwest corner of same; thence West to Kettle River; thence North along river to the International Boundary Line or place of beginning.

Ordered that John Leonard be and hereby is appointed Constable in and for the precinct of Little Dalles.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, April 12.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 334, 335 & 336, 4/12/1898 {Last line on file for 18980413}

Tuesday, April 12, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the petition of P. S. Roland and others for county road 60 feet in width. Beginning at the northwest corner of Section 24 Township 29 Range 41; thence East to line between Spokane and Stevens Counties, ordered that petition be granted. {Current Boundary Road.}

In the matter of the petition of A. J. Young et al for a change in a county road running through Camas Prairie, sand new road to leave the old road at a point near the north line of the South ½ of northwest ¼ of Section 10 Township 29 Range 39; thence running in a southwesterly direction about 90 rods, intersecting the said county road near the south line of the south ½ of the northwest ¼ Section 10 Township 29 Range 39. Ordered that the said petition be and hereby is granted.

In the matter of the petition of Geo. W. Seal and others for a county road described as follows: Beginning at a point on the Chewelah Creek Road on the southwest % of the northeast % of Section 27 Township 33 Range 40 running in a southwesterly direction to the Colville county road at the northwest % of the northwest % Section 4 Township 32 Range 40 said road being about two miles in length. Ordered that the above-described route be surveyed and a county road established thereby.

In the matter of the petition of A. L. Knapp et al for the establishment of a county road 40 feet in width commencing at the southwest corner of the Old United States Garrison reserve and running thence East and Northeast to Section line between Section One and Section Two Township 35 North Range 39 East, running South on Section line between Section One and Section Two; thence South and Southwest to White Lake Road. Ordered that the above-described route be surveyed and a county road established thereby. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 394, A. L. Knapp Road, #730}

In the matter of the petition of A. L. Knapp and others for the establishment of a county road, to wit: Commencing at the southeast corner Section 2 Township 25 (meant 35) Range 39; thence East on Section line between Sections One and Twelve to school house in District No. 40; thence East and South East on the most practicable route to intersect the Old Dominion Ordered that the above-described route be surveyed and a county road established thereby. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 394, A. L. Knapp Road, #730}

In the matter of the application of Mrs. M. A. Vance for a cigarette license for the Town of Northport. She having filed oath and petition required by law and paid five (\$5) dollar license fee. Ordered that a license be granted for six months from March 22, 1898.

Ordered that the \$86.00 worth of personal property assessed to Mrs. George Jarvis for the Year 1897 be transferred from Road and School District No. 2-2[?] to Road and School District Nos. 18 - 19 respectively.

Ordered that a warrant be drawn on Road District No. 41 in favor of S. T. Moomaw.

It appearing to the board that certain roads which have been surveyed, traveled and worked as county roads for more than seven years, and no plat nor notes whereof appear of

record. It is hereby ordered that the same are hereby declared to be county roads, and the survey is ordered to record the same, viz: Bittrich Road beginning at the southwest corner of Section 4 Township 38 North Range 41 East, and running thence East on the section line to the Spokane County Line; the McDougal Road beginning at the southeast corner of Section 10 Township 28 Range 41; running thence North on the section line to the line between Townships 28 and 29; the Casberg Road, beginning at the southwest corner of Section 10 Township 28 North Range 41 East Willamette Meridian, and running thence East on the section line to the line between Stevens and Spokane Counties; the Sevenson Road, beginning at the ½ section corner on the East line of Section 24 Township 29 North Range 41 East and running thence South 7 ½ miles to the southeast corner of Section 25 Township 28 North Range 41 East; the Wallbridge Road beginning at the southeast corner of Section 18 Township 28 North Range 41 East Willamette Meridian, and running thence North 3 miles to the township line. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 400, Bittrich Road, #822} {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 400, Casberg Road, #654 }

Board adjourned to Wednesday, April 13, 1898.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 336, 337, & 338, 4/13/1898

Wednesday, April 14, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The petition of Don Crown and others for the establishment of a voting precinct at Marble, Stevens County, Washington, rejected.

In the matter of the application of Ira Black for a retail liquor license for the Town of Republic, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that when the said Black files with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond and the Treasurer's receipt for \$600.00 then the said license shall be granted for one year.

In the matter of the petition of R. J. Townsend and others for a change in the Paradis Road to run on section line between Section 17 and 18 beginning at the corner of the southwest ½ of the northwest ½ of Section 17, running North one hundred and fifty yards along said line; thence in a northwesterly direction about 40 road to a tree blazed on the old survey; thence in a northwesterly direction to the two-mile post. Ordered that the above-described route be surveyed and a road established thereby.

Road District No. 48 is hereby established with boundaries as follows: Beginning at a point where the line between Sections 10 & 11 Township 38 North Range 38 intersects the Columbia River and running thence South to the line between Townships 37 & 38, thence East one mile, thence South two miles to the corner to Sections 11, 12, 13, & 14; thence West to Kettle River Guide Meridian; thence North on the meridian to a point West of the point of beginning; thence East to the point of beginning.

Road District No. 1 is hereby extended from the intersection of its north line with the Columbia River due West to Kettle River Guide Meridian, thence South on said meridian to the line between Townships 36 & 37 North; thence West to the Columbia River, thence South along said river to the south boundary of District No. 1.

Road District No. 49 is hereby established with boundaries as follows, to wit: Beginning on the line between Ranges 37 & 38 at the corner to Sections 1, 6, 7, & 12 in Township 38, thence North to the International Boundary; thence East along said boundary 8 miles, thence South to the Columbia River; thence down the Columbia River to the intersection with the south line of Section 5 Township 38 North Range 38, thence West to the point of beginning.

Road District No. 50. Hereby established with the following boundaries; Beginning on the line between Ranges 37 & 38 East at the corner to Sections 1, 6, 7, & 12 Township 35 and running thence West to the line between Ranges 35 & 36 East, thence North to the International Boundary; thence East on said Boundary line to the line between Ranges 37 & 38 East, thence south on the range line to point of beginning.

Road District No. 51. Herby established with the following boundaries: Beginning at the intersection of the line between Ranges 35 & 36 East with the line between Townships 38 & 398; thence North to the International Boundary Line; thence West to the Stevens and Okanogan Counties, thence South to the line between Townships 38 7 39; thence East to point of beginning.

Road District No. 52 here established with the following boundaries: Beginning on the line between Stevens and Okanogan Counties at the intersection of the line between

Townships 38 7 39 North; thence South to the line between Townships 34 & 35; thence East to the Columbia River; thence up said river to the 9th Standard Parallel North, thence West to Kettle River Guide Meridian; thence North on the meridian 11 miles; thence West to the line between Township 6; thence North 1 mile to the point of beginning.

In the matter of the petition of J. B. Reynolds et al for the establishment of a county road 60 feet in width, to wit: Commencing at the ferry landing on the west bank of the Columbia River opposite the town of East Marcus; thence running as nearly as practicable along the road, now in common use, to intersect Kettle River Road. Also, from same point of beginning up the west bank of Columbia River to intersect Bossburg Road. Ordered that the above-described route be surveyed and a county road established thereby. J. B. Reynolds and E. D. Morrison are appointed viewers.

In the matter of the petition of W.A. Wilcox et al for the establishment of a county road 60 feet in width, to wit: Commencing at the International Boundary line North of the Town of Nelson {now called Danville} on the now travelled road; thence in a southerly direction along said road as nearly as practicable through the town of Nelson, thence up the Kettle River, thence up the Curlew Creek to Eureka, thence south to the south line of the north half of reservation. Ordered that the above-described route be surveyed and a county road established thereby. P. S. Ewing and J. S. Trombley are appointed as viewers.

Ordered that William Coutts be and hereby is appointed Road Supervisor for Road District No. 48.

On petition of W. A. Gray et al the following described lands hereby transferred from Road District No. 16 to Road District No. 38. The north half of Section 5 & 6 Township 35 North Range 38; all of Section One and the north half of Section Two Township 35 North Range 37 East Willamette Meridian.

The petition of Robert Flick and others for a county road 30 feet in width commencing at the northeast corner of the northwest ½ of Section 15 Township 33 Range 39, running thence South on the half section line ½ miles to a point where it intersects the Jacob Thorn Road. Petition granted. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 9, Flick Road, #610}

In the matter of the petition of Timothy Deasy et al for a county road 50 feet in width, beginning 50 feet North of center of Spokane Falls and Northern Railway on north & south center line of Section 22 Township 36 North Range 38, running thence in a westerly direction along North side of Spokane Falls and Northern Railway and 50 feet distant therefrom, to intersect the Colville and Marcus Road. Petition is granted and the County Surveyor is instructed to survey the route.

Board adjourned to April 14.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 338, 339, & 340, 4/14/1898

Thursday, April 14, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the petition of C. S. Boss and others for a road 60 feet in width, commencing at the ferry landing on the west bank of the Columbia River opposite the town of Bossburg, thence along the travelled road on the Colville Reservation to the Kettle River Road, petition granted and Surveyor instructed to survey the route.

Ordered that a liquor license be granted Clovis Plourd for the Town of Republic, he having filed sufficient bond and paid \$600 license fee.

The following bills approved:

P. J. Kelly	Merchandise County Poor	\$15.00
R. J. Townsend	Road Poerlow	\$8.00
F. Wolff	Boarding Prisoners	\$35.15
F. Barman	Merchandise County Poor	\$13.05
F. Barman	Merchandise for Sheriff's Office	\$15.95

The following bills approved:

D. M. Richard	Witness fees Coroner's Inquest	\$2.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expense bill	\$4.00
Frank B. Goetter	Medicine County Poor	\$7.75
F. B. Goetter	Relief of J. M. Johnson	\$42.00

In the matter of the formation and establishment of a school district to be known and designated School District No. 76, to wit: Commencing at section post marked 13-423-23 Township 31 North Range 37 East Willamette Meridian; thence three miles north of post marked 1-2-35-37; thence East four (4) miles to post marked 3-4 33-34 Township 31 Range 38; thence South five (5) miles to post marked 2-28-33-34; thence west three miles to post marked 25-36-30-31; thence North two miles to post marked 13-24 18 19; thence one mile West to post marked 13-14-24 or place of beginning. {Cedonia-Addy Road area}

In the matter of the petition of the Northern Pacific Railway Company for a reduction of taxes rejected.

The application of Albert Hall for a retail liquor license for Hall's Ferry, Stevens County, Washington, granted, he having filed sufficient and paid \$600.00 license fee.

In the matter of the application of William Miller for a license to conduct and operate a steel cable ferry over, across, and upon the Columbia River at the Town of Old Marcus, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that when the said Miller files with the County Auditor a sufficient bond in the sum of (\$500) and the Treasurer's receipt for \$30, then the said license shall be granted for one year and the rates of ferriage fixed as follows:

Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, loaded	\$1.50
Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00

Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, loaded	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.75
Two horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack animals, loaded each.	\$.25
Pack animals, not loaded, each same as loose stock	\$.10
Loose stock, horses, cattle, mules etc.	\$.10
Sheep hogs, etc. in bands of 10 or more each	\$.05
Footman, each.	\$.25

The Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel school tax on southwest ½ Southeast ½ Section 19 Township 35 Range 40 for the year 1897. The same having been assessed in error.

The following bills approved:

William Moorehead	Team Hire	\$2.00
Gerry Cooney	Relief to Mrs. Paschal	\$10.00
Ed Davis	Bridge work (RD #42)	\$51.75
S. S. Beggs	Expense bill	\$74.16
W. H. Graham	Care of County Poor	\$180.00
James Shelton	Repair of road plow District 17	\$1.25
C. C. Dempsy	Board of prisoners	\$28.70
J. K. Smith	Cost bill	\$11.10

In the matter of the application of Bartley and Ryan for a retail liquor license for the Town of Republic, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that when the said Bartley and Ryan file with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond and the Treasurer's receipt for \$600, then the said license shall be granted for one year.

Board adjourned to Friday, April 15, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 340 & 341, 4/15/1898

Friday, April 15.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It appearing to the board that an error was made in the assessment of south ½ southwest ¼ Lots 1-2 & 3, southeast ¼ northwest ¼ Section 18 Township 34 Range 40; south ½ northeast ¼ northwest ¼ southeast ¼ Section 19 Township 34 Range 40 and southwest ¼ northwest ¼ Section 20 Township 34 Range 40. The Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel the school tax on the above-described property. The same having been assessed in error.

In the matter of the application of Parker and Brown for a cigarette license for the Town of Northport. They having filed petition and oath, required by law, and paid \$10 license fee ordered that a license be granted for one year from date.

In the matter of the town plat of Republic, Stevens County, Washington, ordered that the same be and hereby is approved, and the Surveyor is instructed to record same.

Ordered the E. M. Hodgson be and hereby is appointed Road Supervisor for Road District No. 52, Republic, Washington.

John L. Metcalfe	Expense bill	\$56.29
Mildred Dix	Stenographer for Prosecuting Attorney's	\$5.00
	office	
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expense bill	\$8.95
O. J. Smith	Expense bill	\$15.50
Mrs. F. W. Cannon	Care of Beltyore children	\$38.00
George A. Herd	Constable bill	\$4.70
W. D. Allen	Job printing	\$46.75
George Welty	Game Warden	\$14.00
W. A. Stewart	Deputy Treasurer	\$33.75
Joseph Lavigne	Deputy Treasurer	\$15.40
Joseph Lavigne	Deputy Treasurer	\$64.55
Joseph Lavigne	Deputy Treasurer	\$13.45
W. A. Stewart	Deputy Treasurer	\$52.17
C. H. Thompson	Deputy Sheriff	\$6.75
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Expense bill	\$40.45
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Expense bill	\$20.25
M. B. Grieve	Professional service	\$75.00
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Purchasing agent	\$15.50
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Purchasing agent	\$29.75
A. H. Dawson	Care county charge	\$2.00
J. W. Dunlap	Relief to Mrs. Gilcrist	\$20.00
John Nralier[?]	Witness & mileage	\$5.20
B. M. Ford &Co.	Jury room	\$15.50
Mrs. A. Bryant	Care of county poor	\$133.00
Mrs. A. Bryant	Care of county poor	\$45.74
Mrs. A. Bryant		
Jeffery Hammon	Nursing county poor	\$72.00
	Inquest Cost Bill Clair Dugan deceased	
J. C. Harkness	Justice	\$16.55
J. E. Almstrom	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
Clord Follard	Witness & mileage	\$2.20

George A. Armstrong	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
Mary Taylor	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
David Ross	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
J. C. Colunan	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
Susie Harkness	Witness & mileage	\$2.20
W. H. Jackson	Juror & mileage	\$2.20
C. E. Knutson	Juror & mileage	\$2.20
A. W. Calder	Juror & mileage	\$2.20
A. Allen	Juror & mileage	\$2.20
A. L. Wilson	Juror & mileage	\$2.20
J. W. Renfro	Juror & mileage	\$2.20

Board adjourned to Saturday.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 341, 342, & 343, 4/16/1898

Saturday, April 16, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The resignation of William Hutchins as Supervisor of Road District No. 45 accepted and Ole Nelson appointed.

{Ole Nelson was postmaster of the Nelson Post Office, later called Danville, from 24 March 1896 to April 1898.}

The following bills approved:

John James Graves	Justice of the Peace	\$2.10
W. J. St. Clair	Constable	\$1.35
J. W. Reynolds	Work on Bridge Marcus Flat	\$30.00
Feighan Ludden	Assisting Prosecuting Attorney in case	\$25.00
	State versus Webb	
	Cost bill State versus Steven Weed	
John James Grove	Justice of the Peace	\$3.15
W. J. St. Clair	Constable	\$6.00
Charles Shearer	Witness	\$2.80
Mrs. Nellie Shearer	Witness	\$2.80
Henry Oakes	Witness	\$2.80
Mrs. Henry Oakes	Witness	\$2.80
Melvin Oakes	Witness	\$2.80
Harvey Weed	Witness	\$2.80
L. Beeach	Witness	\$2.80
L. Ehalt	Witness	\$2.80
J. L. Williams	Witness	\$2.80
	Cost bill State versus Chase	
John James Grove	Justice of the Peace	\$4.90
W. J. St. Clair	Constable	\$7.15
L. Eholt	Witness	\$2.80
L. Williams	Witness	\$2.80
Willard	Witness	\$2.80
John King	Witness	\$2.80
Chas Shearer	Witness	\$2.80
Nellie Shearer	Witness	\$2.80
Annie Oakes	Witness	\$2.80
Lucy East	Witness	\$2.80
D. F. Pankey	Expense bill	\$7.90
Jerry Cooney	Merchandise Mrs. Pascall	\$5.50
O. J. Smith	Mileage Superintendent of Schools	\$8.40
J. B. Thomas	County Surveyor	\$45.00
James Petty	Janitor work in Courthouse	\$19.25
E. M. Denny	Expense bill	\$12.75

Retail liquor license granted to the following parties for the term of one year for the Town of Republic, when they file with the County Auditor sufficient bonds and the Treasurer's receipt for \$600, to wit: D. J. McNally, B. F. Keck & Co. and the firm of J. A. Finn, Thomas Price and I. H. Olson. The application of O. P. Foster for a retail liquor license for the Town of Marcus, granted he having filed sufficient bond and the Treasurer's receipt for \$600.00. Bond adjourned to Monday, April 18. Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 343 & 344, 4/16/1898 (Page 343 on file 4/16/1898)

Monday, April 18, 1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present L. J. Wolfard and H. T. Reynolds.

The following bills approved:

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The following Supervisors' Reports approved:

Peter Rasmussen	Road District No. 21	\$12.50
Peter P. Soot	Road District No. 13	\$9.00
S. H. Richey	Road District No. 18	\$17.00
Ed. Davis	Road District No. 42	\$5.25
Fred Whitney	Road District No. 11	\$24.00
R. J. Townsend	Road District No. 5	\$13.00
B. W. Emery	Road District No. 4 (Withdrawn)	\$33.00

The following bills approved:

A. V. Downs	Deputy Sheriff	\$9.50
Prindle & Broulette	Work on Jail	\$18.90
David Cleck	Constable	\$15.40
T. F. Hallam	Deputy Sheriff	\$7.50
James Crawford	Deputy Sheriff	\$11.40
E. M. Denny	Expenses	\$43.75
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Board adjourned to Tuesday, April 19.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 344 & 345, 4/19/1898

Tuesday, April 19, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

When the Board of County Commissioners is not in session. County Commissioner L. Wolfard is hereby authorized to examine and approve, if found correct, the expense bills of E. M. Denny.

In the matter of the petition of W. B. Aris and 34 others for the establishment of a county road, 60 feet in width, to wit: Commencing at a point at the south end of Ninth Avenue in the Town of Meyers Falls, Stevens County, Washington, and terminating at the southeast corner of the northwest ½ of the southwest ½ Section 32 Township 36 Range 38 East Willamette Meridian. Ordered that the petition be and hereby is granted and the Surveyor is instructed to survey same. B. Wellinbrink, R. J. Townsend, and J. B. Thomas are appointed viewers. {Possible Mingo Mountain Road}

The following bills approved:

M. R. Peck	County Physician from January 12, 1898 to April 12, 1898	\$45.00
M. H. Shiner	Deputy Sheriff	\$14.75

In the matter of the application of S. Cline for a retail liquor license for the Town of Northport. Ordered that when the said Cline deposits with the County Treasurer the amount required by the Auditor and files with said Auditor a good and sufficient bond, then the said license shall be granted for one year.

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to assign certificates of delinquency issued to the county to all applicants upon payment of all taxes due on said certificates.

In view of the fact that a liquor license cannot be legally transferred. Ordered that the Auditor write on each license issued on and after this date the phrase "non-transferable":

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to receive no money on and after this date from any applicant or applicants for a retail liquor license in Stevens County, Washington, until said applicant or applicants shall have been granted a license by the Board of County Commissioners. Provided that this order does not apply to renewal of license.

Board adjourned to Wednesday, April 20.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 345, 4/20/1898

Wednesday, April 20

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

	State versus M. Hallem	
M. Walsh	Justice of Peace	\$3.70
S. L. Brechbill	Constable	\$17.50
	State versus L. W. Jones	
M. Walsh	Justice of Peace	\$3.85
S. L. Brechbill	Constable	\$10.45

Board adjourned to Thursday, April 21, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 345, 346, & 347, 4/21/1898

Thursday, April 21, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the application of Edward Sherwood and William Reynolds for a license to operate and conduct a steel cable ferry over, across, and upon the Columbia River at East Marcus, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that when the said Sherwood and Reynolds file with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars and the Treasurer's receipt for thirty (\$30.00) dollars, then the said license shall be granted for a period of one year and the rates of ferriage fixed as follows:

Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, loaded	\$1.50
Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, loaded	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.75
Two horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack animals, loaded each.	\$.25
Pack animals, not loaded, each same as loose stock	\$.10
Loose stock, horses, cattle, mules etc.	\$.10
Sheep hogs, etc. in bands of 10 or more each	\$.05
Footman, each.	\$.25

In the matter of the quarterly settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed deposits in the bank and cash in safe for \$41,044.27 distributed in the various funds:

State General Fund	\$1,931.04
State Military Fund	\$123.82
State Interest Fund	\$121.89
County General Fund	\$1,488.17
Road Property Fund	\$5,438.91
General School Fund	\$9,692.78
Road and Bridge Fund	\$5,242.93
Soldiers Relief Fund	\$190.89
Special School Fund	\$5,338.02
Special Road Fund	\$13.57
Town of Colville Fund	\$233.67
Kettle Falls Fund	\$18.07
Interest and Costs Fund	\$1,363.86
Superior Court Fund	\$590.41
Contingent Fund	\$370.48
Poor	\$1,451.94
Salary	\$541.21
State School	\$1,836.26
Institute	\$61.00
Cost	\$141.00
Current Expense	\$2,589.12

Indebtedness	\$2,227.10
Current Expense	\$38.19

Ordered that the Treasurer be allowed two regular deputies whose salaries shall be Seventy (\$70.00) per month.

The following bills approved:

J. B. Thomas Surveyor	\$10.00
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The following cost bill approved:

	State versus Wright	
D. Van Slyke	Justice of the Peace	\$7.75
C. A. Duffy	Constable	\$12.15
H. T. Spedden	Juror & mileage	\$2.20
E. A. Kyes	Juror & mileage	\$3.20
Tom Turk	Juror & mileage	\$2.40
H. Pomeroy	Juror & mileage	\$2.00
John Smith	Juror & mileage	\$2.20
J. Koontz	Juror & mileage	\$3.00
J. H. Champ	Juror & mileage	\$5.60
Thomas McCarthy	Juror & mileage	\$4.20
Boyd William	Juror & mileage	\$4.80
C. K. Marsh	Juror & mileage	\$4.20
William Graham	Juror & mileage	\$4.80
James Bailey	Juror & mileage	\$4.80

The following bills approved:

Dr. J. J. Travis	Professional services	\$200.00
H. T. Reynolds		
	County Commissioner 16 days \$4 @	\$64.00
	110 miles 10@	\$11.00
	Total	\$75.00
L. J. Wolfard		
	County Commissioner 18 days \$5 @	\$90.00
	Mileage & telephone message	\$4.15
	Total	\$94.15

Board adjourned to May 16, 1898

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman

Attest: Jno. L. Metcalf, Ex Officio Clerk

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 348, 5/16/1898

Colville, Washington, Mary 16, 1898

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington met pursuant to adjournment of April 19, 1898.

L. J. Wolfard	Chairman, Commissioner 2 nd District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 1st District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 3rd District

The application for an order setting the time and place for the hearing of the petition of residents of the Town of Northport praying for incorporation of a certain portion of the County of Stevens including the Town of Northport, coming on regularly to be heard. It was moved and carried by a unanimous vote of the board that said petition for incorporation be heard and presented to the board of the 3rd day of June 1898 at Colville at 16 o'clock p.m. and that the Clerk of the Board give legal notice of such time and place.

In the matter of the application of Maschke & McMillan for a retail liquor license for the Town of Republic, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that when the said Maschke & McMillan file with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond and the Treasurer's receipt for \$600.00, then the said license shall be granted for one year.

In the matter of the application of J. C. Spellman for a retail liquor license for the Town of Republic, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that when the said J. C. Spellman files with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond and the Treasurer's receipt for \$600.00, then the said license shall be granted for one year.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, May 17, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 348 & 349, 5/17/1898

Tuesday, May 17, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the order on page 345 Book "C" proceedings of the County Commissioners granting Neil McGinnis a retail liquor license for the town of Northport be and hereby is rescinded. The said McGinnis having failed to file bonds.

In the matter of the application of Simon and Whipps for a retail liquor license for the Town of Republic, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that when the said Simon and Whipps file with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond and the Treasurer's receipt for \$600.00, then the said license shall be granted for one year.

The following bills approved:

Dunson & Humeke	Cost bill State versus S. S. Beggs as	\$11.10
	County Treasurer	
P. W. McCabe	Road property	\$35.35

This matter coming on this 17th day of May 1898, upon the petition of George M. Welty, James E. Picknell, and John B. Slater for a franchise to erect and maintain a system of water works in the Town of Republic, and the board being fully advised in the premise: It is hereby ordered that the said George M. Welty, James E. Picknell, and John B. Slater be, and they hereby are granted the right, privilege, and franchise to build erect, maintain, and carry a system of drains, ditches, flumes, mains, pipes, and all necessary connection in the Town of Republic for the purpose of conveying and distributing to and furnishing the said Town of Republic, said county and state, and the inhabitants thereof, with water for public and domestic uses and for manufacturing purposes, and in the constructions and maintenance of the said system of water mains, works, etc., to use the public street, alleys, and highway of the said Town of Republic being careful at all times to maintain the part or parts of the said public streets, alley, and highway of said town and county necessary to be used for said purposes, in good and proper condition so as not to interfere with the public travel and traffic over the same and at all times to charge only uniform rates for all water distributed through such systems of water works. This franchise shall extend to the heirs, executors, assigns, and legal representatives of the said grantees, and shall extend over a period of 30 years from and after this date. Provided that the franchise extends no further than the authority of the Commissioners.

Board adjourned to Wednesday, May 18, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 349, 350, & 351, 5/18/1898

Wednesday, May 18, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

Road viewer	\$2.50
	\$4.50
	\$62.85
	\$33.70
	\$34.00
	\$124.35
	\$7.15
	\$56.78
	\$62.00
	\$49.86
	\$37.00
	\$20.00
	\$25.92
	\$20.00
	\$2.05
0	\$7.50
	\$8.50
	\$20.70
	\$4.80
Houling limbon	\$15.00
	\$15.00
	\$9.65
	\$15.40
	\$21.00
	\$104.00
	\$57.00
	\$51.00
	\$69.00
	\$57.00
	\$72.80
	\$76.05
	\$100.00
	\$18.00
	\$87.00
	\$20.05
	\$32.77
	\$75.00
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	\$4.70
	\$16.95
	\$5.60
	\$3.80
	\$4.80
Witness	\$4.80
	Road viewerRoad viewerRepair on county bridge at SpringdalePlows and scrapersPlows and scrapersRelief to county chargeLumber Road District No. 7Surveyor6000 detail[lus?]Purchasing agentMerchandise to county poorLumber Road District No. 5Relief to J. H. Felty familyBridge spikesExpense Game WardenRelief to D. WooleyExpensesBridge spikesHauling limberBurying pauperCollecting delinquent taxesBoarding prisonersDeputy AssessorDeputy AssessorDep

Allen Chaffie	Witness	\$5.60
C. F. Gray	Witness	\$2.20
C. D. Wooten	Juror	\$3.20
Emil Schaltsy	Juror	\$2.40
T. L. Jones	Juror	\$3.00
T. Nicholson	Juror	\$3.00
	Cost bill State versus Thomas Dawson,	
	approved	
Clark Whitbeck	Justice of the Peace	\$5.95
J. B. Litton	Constable	\$16.47
Charles Beck	Witness	\$2.80
Anna Beck	Witness	\$2.80
Blake Beck	Witness	\$2.80
John Beck	Witness	\$3.00
Magdalane Shimer	Witness	\$2.80
S. K. Owen	Work on Chalk Grade	\$12.00
A. A. Lewis	Work on Chalk Grade	\$21.00
Sylvester Lawson	Work on Chalk Grade	\$11.25
E. L. Smith	Work on Chalk Grade	\$13.50
Sylvester Lawson	Work on Chalk Grade	\$17.25
B. A. Gleason	Work on Chalk Grade	\$48.00

Board adjourned to Thursday, May 19, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 351 & 352, 5/19/1898

Thursday, May 19, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following Supervisor Report approved:

Henry Wilson	Road District No. 6	\$20.00
Henry Wilson	Work on Road	\$40.00

In the matter of the application of Alex Howie for a cigarette license for Republic, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that when the said Howie files with the County Auditor oath required by law and the Treasurer's receipt for \$10.00 then said license shall be granted for one year date from May 9, 1898.

Ordered that a cigarette license be granted A. W. Strong and Co. for one year for the Town of Republic. They having filed oath and petition required by law and Treasurer's receipt for \$10.00.

In the matter of the petition Jno. R. Stevens and others for a county road, to wit: Commencing at the western terminus of the Addy & Columbia River Road at or near the center of Section 7 and running West on the present travelled road across Section 34 Township 33 Range 37 to county road running up the Columbia River. Ordered that petition be granted and Surveyor is instructed to survey same.

Ordered that the road running around the eastside of J. B. Holford's place be changed as follows: Beginning at the residence of said J. B. Holford & running South through the lane now open to the Columbia River & Addy Road about ½ mile.

In the matter of the application of John Smith and other for a county road to wit: Beginning at the corner of Sections 27-28 33 & 34 Township 30 North Range 41, and running thence in a northeasterly direction around Deer Lake to the northwest corner of southwest ¼ of Section 32 Township 31 North Range 42 East Willamette. Ordered that when the petitioners file a good and sufficient bond, the above-described route be surveyed and a county road established thereby. {This may be the John W. Smith that was postmaster of the Calispell Post Office from 6 March 1899 to April 1900.}

In the matter of the petition of M. Kulzer et al for a county road, to wit: Commencing at a point where the Bettridge Road intersects the line between Sections 27 & 34 Township 31 Range 40; thence East about one mile to intersect the Lattin Road. Petition granted and supervisor is hereby ordered to open said road.

In the matter of the petition of N. B. Wheeler and others for the view, location, and establishment of a county road in Stevens County, Washington, from a point on the west bank of the Columbia River opposite the Town of Kettle Falls thence in a westerly direction to the Town of Republic. The board finding the petition contains substantially the matters and things required by law, that at least 10 of the petitioners are householders of the county, residing in the vicinity of the proposed road, and that the board accompanying the same is sufficient. It is therefore ordered that J. B. Thomas, A. F. Gerlich, and William W. Davis be appointed viewers in the matter of said proposed road and that said viewers proceed as soon as practicable to examine the route of the proposed road and to view, lay out, survey, and do all other things required by law. Board adjourned to Friday, May 20, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 352, 353, & 354, 5/20/1898

Friday, May 20, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

J. J. Felt	Justice of the Peace acting as Coroner,	\$17.75
	deceased unknown	
Geo. D. Coulthert	Juror	\$3.20
Elmer Graham	Juror	\$2.20
B. C. Allen	Juror	\$2.20
John T. Rogers	Juror	\$3.10
E. M. Lewis	Juror	\$2.20
G. H. Winkler	Juror	\$3.80
Joseph Hill	Witness	\$2.20
F. Leven	Witness	\$2.20
F. A. Ellis	Witness	\$2.20
E. F. Ellis	Witness	\$2.20
Joseph Hill	Watching corpse	\$3.00
B. Castogna	Watching corpse	\$3.00
James Delvin	Notifying coroner	\$3.00
G. H. Winkler	Taking evidence	\$1.95
Charles Rice	Conveying corpse from place of inquest	\$5.00
	to place of burial	
F. J. Holford	Making coffin and digging graves	\$16.00
G. H. Winkler	Witness	\$2.00
	Inquest Chas V. Ackerman, deceased	
J. H. Felt	Justice of Peace, acting as coroner	\$26.50
C. C. Harvey	Juror & mileage	\$2.60
J. W. Porter	Juror & mileage	\$2.60
Geo. H. Linton	Juror & mileage	\$2.60
Joseph Parker	Juror & mileage	\$5.40
W. T. Byens	Juror & mileage	\$4.60
John W. Rauch	Juror & mileage	\$15.00
Oliver Hall	Witness & mileage	\$4.60
Paul Gustlinger	Witness & mileage	\$15.00
Ernest Thompson	Witness & mileage	\$2.60
D. J. Yeorgin	Witness & mileage	\$2.60
Dr. H. Doane	Witness & mileage	\$2.60
Elmer E. Hall	Constable	\$7.85
	State versus H & W. Moore	
J. H. Felt	Justice of Peace	\$3.65
W. L. Van Dane	Witness & mileage	\$3.20
E. A. Chaffie	Witness & mileage	\$3.20
John Jour	Witness & mileage	\$3.40
G. H. Winkler	Writing evidence	\$11.20
O. J. Smith	Mileage	\$5.45

In the matter of the petition of John W. Lindsey and others for a county road forty feet in width, to wit: Commencing at the southeast corner of the southwest 1/3 of southwest ¼ of Section 36 Township 35 North of Range 38 East Willamette Meridian, running thence North one mile, between the east ½ and west ½ of the southwest ¼ and northwest ¼ of Section 36; thence East one and half miles between Section 36 and Section 25 Township 35 North of Range 38 East Willamette Meridian and Section 31 & 30 Township 35 North of Range 39 East Willamette Meridian to follow section line where practicable; thence across the northeast and southeast ¼ of Section 31 and southwest ¼ of southwest ¼ of Section 32 Township 35 North of Range 39 East Willamette; thence to intersect with the Daisy Road. Ordered that the above route be surveyed and a county road established thereby. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 12, J. W. Lindsay Road, #588}

The following bills approved:

P. J. Kelley	Bridge spikes	\$2.00
Spokane Implement Co.	Plows and scrapers	\$50.55
S. Dilsheimer	Road supplies	\$21.75
Holland Horr	Lumber Road District No. 12	\$15.55
D. F. Pankey	Expense	\$3.00
R. E. Lee	Nails Road District No. 5	\$2.25
Jerry Cooney	Bridge nails	\$3.00
O. J. Smith	Expenses, stamps, express etc.	\$28.95
Harry Diamond	Deputy Sheriff	\$9.70

The bills of N. B. Wheeler and Dr. M. B. Grieve, rejected.

Ordered that Daniel Hollandsworth be and hereby is appointed Road Supervisor for Road District No. 43.

Board adjourned to Saturday, May 21.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 355, 356, 357, 358, & 359, 6/3/1898

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, met pursuant to adjournment of May 21, 1898.

L. J. Wolfard	Chairman, Commissioner 2 nd District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 1st District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 3rd District

A petition signed by more than sixty qualified electors and residents of the following described portion of Stevens County, State of Washington, included within the following described boundary lines, to wit: Commencing at a point where the meander line of the Columbia River intersects the east line or extension thereof of Section Five (5) Township Thirty-nine (39) North Range Forty (4) East Willamette Meridian; thence running in a southerly direction along the east line of said Section Five (5) to the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section Five (5) thence running in a westerly direction to the southwest corner of said northeast guarter of the southeast quarter of Section Five (5); thence running in a southerly direction of the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section Eight (8) of said township and range: thence running in a westerly direction to the southwest corner of said northwest guarter of the northeast guarter of said Section Eight (8); thence running in a northerly direction to the southeast corner of the southwest guarter of said Section Five (5); thence running in a westerly direction along the south line of said Section Five (5), to the southwest corner of said Section Five (5); thence running in a northerly along the west line of said Section Five to the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of said Section Five (5); thence running in an easterly direction to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Section Five (5); thence running in a northerly direction to the meander line of the Columbia River at the northwest corner of Lot Two (2) of said Section Five (5); thence running in a northeasterly direction along the meander line of said Columbia River to the point of beginning; praying that the same be incorporated under the laws of the State of Washington as a city of the third class, and in the name of the City of Northport, and being presented to the Board of County Commissioners of said county on the third day of June 1898 at the hour of one o'clock P.M. and regular adjourned meeting of said board held in the office of the County Auditor of said county, and said petition coming on regularly to be heard before said board and it appearing to said board upon said hearing, that said petition has been signed by more than sixty qualified electors and residents with the aforesaid described boundaries and did particularly describe said boundaries and did state, the number of inhabitant residing within said limits to be in number over fifteen hundred, and did pray, that the same be incorporated under the laws of the State of Washington, and it further appearing to said board that said petition was presented to said board at a regular meeting thereof first having been published for at least two weeks before this third day of June 1898 in a newspaper printed and published in said county, together with a notice stating the time and place of this meeting at which the same is presented; and said board having heard and considered said petition and it appearing to said board that the said proposed boundaries set forth in said petition should be changed so that the said proposed boundary lines shall conform to the following described boundary lines and include therein no more or less than the following described portion of said county bounded as follows, to wit: Commencing at a point where the

meander line of the Columbia River intersects the east line or extension thereof of Section Five (5) Township Thirty-nine (39) North Range Forty (4) East Willamette Meridian; thence running in a southerly direction along the east line of said Section Five (5) to the southeast corner of the northeast guarter of the southeast guarter of Section Five (5) thence running in a westerly direction to the southwest corner of said northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section Five (5); thence running in a southerly direction of the southeast corner of the northwest guarter of the northeast quarter of Section Eight (8) of said township and range: thence running in a westerly direction to the southwest corner of said northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of said Section Eight (8); thence running in a northerly direction to the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of said Section Five (5); thence running in a westerly direction along the south line of said Section Five (5), to the southwest corner of said Section Five (5); thence running in a northerly along the west line of said Section Five to the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of said Section Five (5); thence running in an easterly direction to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Section Five (5); thence running in a northerly direction to the meander line of the Columbia River at the northwest corner of Lot Two (2) of said Section Five (5); thence running in a northeasterly direction along the meander line of said Columbia River to the point of beginning. All of the same being included in the territory and in side of the boundaries described in said petition. And it further appearing to the said board that are now fifteen hundred or more inhabitants residing within the limit of said last described portion of said county and said board having ascertained and determined that there are fifteen hundred inhabitants residing within the limits of said last described portion of said county. It is therefore ordered that the proposed boundaries of said portion of county described in said petition be changed to conform to the boundaries of that portion of said county last above described, and said board hereby orders said boundaries so changed and hereby established and defines the boundary lines of said portion of said county proposed to be incorporated to be the boundary lines of said portion of said county last above described, and it is further ordered that an election be held in said portion of said county last above described for the purpose of determining whether the same be incorporated and that legal notice of such election be given particularly describing the boundaries herein established and stating therein the name of said proposed corporation to be the City of Northport, and the number of inhabitants to be fifteen hundred or more that are hereby ascertained to reside therein. Said notice shall be published for at least two weeks prior to such election in a newspaper printed and published within said last described boundaries and which said notice shall require the voters to cast ballots which shall contain the words "for incorporation" or "against incorporations," or words equivalent thereto and also the names of persons voted for to fill the various elective municipal offices prescribed by law for municipal corporations of the third class. That said election shall be held on the 23 day of June A.D., 1898 in the schoolhouse located on Block 25 in the Town of Northport, Stevens County of said, according to the recorded plat thereof of file in the office of the County Auditor of said county, between the hours of nine o'clock in the morning of said day and seven o'clock in the afternoon of the same day. And, the board hereby appoints F. M. Turner inspector, J. C. Harkness, and J. W. Townsend, as judges of said election, all of whom are qualified electors of said county, and said portion of said county proposed to be incorporated.

And, it is further ordered that notice of said election be published in the Northport News, a weekly newspaper published within the limits of said proposed corporation, for a least two weeks prior to the date of said election, said notice shall be posted for the period of two weeks prior to the day of election upon the schoolhouse heretofore described. That said election shall be held in accordance with the general laws of the State of Washington, so far as the same may be applicable, and returns thereof be made according to law and be canvassed by the Board of County Commissioners of said county on the first Monday next succeeding said election.

Dated this 3th day of June, A. D. 1898

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners

State of Washington, County of Stevens. Notice of Election

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, State of Washington, hereby gives notice, that on the 23 day of June A. D. 1898 in the schoolhouse located in Block 25 in the Town of Northport, Stevens County, aforesaid, according to the recorded plat thereof on file in the office of the County Auditor of said county, an election of the qualified voters of said county, who shall resided for at least thirty days, next preceding said election within the following boundary lines, to wit: Commencing at a point where the meander line of the Columbia River intersects the east line or extension thereof of Section Five (5) Township Thirty-nine (39) North Range Forty (4) East Willamette Meridian; thence running in a southerly direction along the east line of said Section Five (5) to the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section Five (5) thence running in a westerly direction to the southwest corner of said northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section Five (5); thence running in a southerly direction of the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section Eight (8) of said township and range: thence running in a westerly direction to the southwest corner of said northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of said Section Eight (8); thence running in a northerly direction to the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of said Section Five (5); thence running in a westerly direction along the south line of said Section Five (5), to the southwest corner of said Section Five (5); thence running in a northerly along the west line of said Section Five to the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of said Section Five (5); thence running in an easterly direction to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Section Five (5); thence running in a northerly direction to the meander line of the Columbia River at the northwest corner of Lot Two (2) of said Section Five (5); thence running in a northeasterly direction along the meander line of said Columbia River to the point of beginning; shall be held in accordance with the general election laws of the State of Washington, so far as the same may be applicable for the following purposes, to wit:

1. To determine whether the same described portion of said county shall become incorporated under the laws of the State of Washington as a municipal corporation and city of the third class in the name of the City of Northport, which portion has over fifteen hundred inhabitants residing within its limits as ascertained and determined by said board, and

2. To elect a Mayor, Treasurer, Health Officer, Marshal, Clerk, Police, Justice, City Attorney, and City Council consisting of seven members, all of whom shall hold office respectively, only until the next general municipal election to be held in said city, and until their successors are elected and qualified. The Voters at said election shall cost ballots which shall contain the words "For Incorporation" or "Against Incorporation" or words equivalent thereto; and also, names of persons voted for to fill the various elective municipal offices prescribed by law for municipal corporations of the Third Class, which election will open at nine o'clock in the morning and will continue until seven o'clock in the afternoon of the same day.

Dated this 4th day of June A. D. 1898

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners

Attest: Jno. L. Metcalfe

County Auditor and ex offices

Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners

By J. W. Picknell, Deputy

Board adjourned to Saturday, June 4, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 359, 6/4/1898

Saturday, June 4, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The Treasurer is hereby ordered to refund \$2.45 on tax receipt #445 for the year 1897, the same having been paid in error.

The following bill approved:

. D. Metcalf Wiring courthouse chairs 46 chairs	\$6.90
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Board adjourned to Monday, June 6

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 359 & 360, 6/6/1898

Monday, June 6, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel the tax for 1897 on the personal property of J. R. Wheeler, said property having been assessed and taxes paid in Garfield County, Washington.

The Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars personal property assessed to the Crown Lumber Company, 1897, the same being a double assessment.

The Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel \$300 on real estate assessed to George Wisner for the year 1897. It appearing to the board that said Wisner did not own said property at the time of assessment.

Ordered that Section 31 Township 36 Range 39 in Road District No. 3 be and the same hereby is transferred to Road District No. 2.

The Treasurer is hereby ordered to refund Special School Tax on Receipt No. 1462, 1897. The same having been assessed in error.

In the matter of the application of W. E. Bell for a license to sell from vehicle, goods, wares, merchandise, including farm produce within the limits of Stevens County. Ordered that a license be granted for one year, when the said Bell pays a license fee of Ten (\$10) dollars.

In the matter of the petition of Abe Heidigger & others for the establishment of a county road, to wit: Beginning at the north end of Thorp Road near the southwest corner of the southeast % of Section 27 Township 35 Range 37 East Willamette Meridian; running thence in an easterly direction about % mile; thence in a northerly direction about 1 % miles and ending at the junction of the Columbia River and Rickey Canyon Road. Ordered that the above-described route be surveyed and a county road established thereby.

Ordered that tax receipt No. 1271 be and hereby is cancelled, the same having been paid in error.

Ordered that the plat of North Republic, Stevens County, Washington, be and the same hereby is accepted and the Surveyor is instructed to record same.

Ordered that the tax for 1895 & 1896 on the northwest ¼ southeast ¼ northeast ¼ paid by receipts Nos. 4726, 5439 & 8194 be refunded William Boyd the same having been paid in error of description.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, June 7, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 360, 361, & 362, 6/7/1898

Tuesday, June 7, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

F. Barman	Merchandise to County Poor	\$36.45
P. T. Clark	Deputy Sheriff	\$38.90
0. P. Foster	Deputy Sheriff	\$4.35
A. Fobes	Deputy Sheriff	\$23.30
E. M. Denny	Expenses	\$21.15
E. M. Denny	Team hire	\$45.50
S. L. Brechbill	Deputy Sheriff	\$11.25
P. T. Clark	Deputy Sheriff	\$4.00
Frank Furgison	Lumber	\$5.11
P. J. Kelley	Merchandise to County Poor	\$10.00
D. F. Pankey	Trip to Spokane & return to meet Ebbert boys	\$11.40
M. P. Stephens	Deputy Sheriff	\$8.90
R. E. Lee	Merchandise to county	\$17.95
G. W. Johnson	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$36.80
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Purchasing agent	\$22.50
A. A. Barnett & Co.	Merchandise to county	\$16.50
D. A. Setzer	Tools to Road District No. 17	\$1.55
L. J. Wolfard	Tickets for Ebbert boys from Portland to	\$45.00
	Colville	<i>•</i> • • • • • •
Pioneer Bindery and		\$31.00
Printing Company		,
A. A. Barnett & Co.	Merchandise to county	\$2.00
A. A. Barnett & Co.	Nails to Road District No. 17	\$1.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Trip to Walla Walla in case State versus Webb	\$40.00
F. J. Kelley	Merchandise to County Poor	\$20.00
Chas Shunk	Deputy Sheriff Northport during recent fire	\$2.25
Ed Darling	Deputy Sheriff Northport during recent fire	\$2.25
T. M. Davis	Deputy Sheriff Northport during recent fire	\$2.25
F. Wolff	Boarding prisoners	\$53.00
Mrs. E. L. Swain	Boarding prisoners	\$28.75
W. W. Dickson	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$63.75
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expenses	\$33.30
J. A. Lung	Coroner Mark Sealand deceased	\$28.00
Mark Hamilton	Juror & mileage	\$2.50
Jessie Timmons	Juror & mileage	\$3.00
Charles Haines	Juror & mileage	\$3.50
Geo. W. Byers	Juror & mileage	\$3.50
J. Young	Juror & mileage	\$4.50
J. B. Litton	Juror & mileage	\$4.50
S. S. Beggs	Expenses collecting delinquent taxes	\$2.00
	Cost bill State versus Gordon Williams	
	approved	
C. E. Ivy	Justice of the Peace	\$4.25
Wm. Terry	Constable	\$16.05
Mrs. Bryant	Witness	\$2.20

Miss Minnie Bryant		\$2.20
W. F. O'Brien		\$2.20
Peter Heber	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$7.00
C. N. Park	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$52.75
Peter Heber	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$15.75
D. F. Pankey	Expenses	\$1.65
B. C. Allen	Deputy Assessor	\$23.00
R. M. Renshaw	Deputy Assessor	\$63.00
D. M. Richards	Deputy Assessor	\$75.00
C. A. Ledgerwood	Deputy Assessor	\$81.00

The following Supervisor's Reports approved:

Chris Houtchens	Supervisor Road District No. 14	\$24.00
H. K. Hansen	Supervisor Road District No. 2	\$72.46
Willard Spencer	Supervisor Road District No. 19	\$18.86
S. K. Owen	Supervisor Road District No. 17	\$20.50
S. Childers	Supervisor Road District No. 16	\$37.00
Ed. Morrison	Supervisor Road District No.	\$30
E. D. Morrison	Work on Kettle River Road	\$238.00
E. D. Morrison	Work on Marcus Road	\$60.00
George Mowatt	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$16.00
J. A. Miller	Work on LaPray Bridge	\$85.00
L. J. Wolfard	Money advanced to county poor John McCullough	\$10.00
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Purchasing agent	\$52.00
D. F. Pankey	Assessor	\$104.00

Board adjourned to Monday, June 13, to inspect route between Kettle Falls and Republic.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 362 & 363, 6/13/1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of June 7, 1898

The following bills approved:

Louis Perras	Team hire	\$10.00
J. S. Wright	Deputy Sheriff	\$5.80
Mrs. Bryant	Boarding Crowley for months of April & May	\$28.00
Dr. Sutherland	Attending Mrs. Carlyle	\$20.00
Mrs. McArthur	Nursing Mrs. Carlyle	\$27.50
James Petty	Janitor work in courthouse	\$5.00
Prindle & Broulette	Making bridge bolts	\$6.00
M. P. Stephens	Deputy Sheriff	\$8.75
Thomas Smith	Deputy Sheriff	\$4.50
Tom Smith	Deputy Sheriff	\$7.00
John O'Tool	Deputy Sheriff	\$4.50
M. B. Grieve	For [furn?] Bosslung to Colville for Thom	\$1.15
	Shean	
W. D. Allen	Job printing	\$58.75
F. B. Goetter	Merchandise to county poor	\$6.00
W. D. Allen	County printing from March 1 st 1898 to June 1 st 1898	\$153.00

In the matter of the application of A Reusch for a cigarette license for the Town of Republic, he having paid \$5.00 license fee and file oath and petition required by law. Ordered that a license be granted for six months.

The following bills approved:

H. T. Reynolds		
	9 days County Commissioner \$4@	\$36.00
	80 miles from Bissel to Colville & return 10@	\$8.00
	100 miles to Republic & return	\$10.00
	Total	\$54.00
T. E. Irish		
	County Commissioner 10 days \$4@	\$40.00
	132 miles 10@ from Deer Creek to Colville &	\$13.20
	return	
	100 miles from Colville to Republic examining	\$60.00
	proposed road from Kettle Falls to Republic	
	1 day County Commissioner #4@ inspecting	\$4.00
	Lapray Bridge	
	Total	\$67.20
L. J. Wolfard		
	County Commissioner	
	7 days \$5@	\$35.00
	To expense	\$.25
	1 day examining roads	\$5.00
	Total	\$40.25

Board adjourned to Tuesday June 14, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 363 & 364, 6/14/1898

Tuesday, June 14, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that \$75 be transferred from Road and Bridge Fund to Road Property Fund of Road District No. 41.

Ordered that the County Treasurer receive roll credit for \$3,399.99 for non-collectable delinquent taxes as follows: Rolls 1895 \$645.17; Rolls 1896 \$543.81 and 1897 \$2211.01.

Ordered that the town plat of 1st addition to the Town of Republic, Stevens County, Washington, be and hereby is approved and the Surveyor is instructed to record same.

The following cost bills approved:

	State versus Thos. Whitehead	
H. J. Earnest	Justice of Peace	\$2.65
H. Carr	Witness	\$2.20
	State versus Cline	
H. J. Earnest	Justice of Peace	\$3.80
Chas Landersholm	Witness	\$12.70
Henry Carr	Witness [Pointing to earlier Carr entry]	\$2.20
C. A. Mantz	Legal Service to county	\$10.00
Edward Davis	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$10.35
D. L. Toner	Bridge spikes Road Supervisor District No. 36	\$1.25
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Expense Auditor's Office	\$37.12
Wm. L. Terry	Constable	\$10.10
Emil Schalz	Juror State versus Van Dorn	\$2.40
C. E. Ivy	Justice of the Peace	\$4.70

The following Supervisor's Reports approved:

W. J. Wilson	Supervisor Road District No. 37	\$61.20
S. F. Maxwell	Supervisor Road District No. 40	\$15.00
Fred Whitney	Supervisor Road District No. 11	\$17.50

Ordered that dollars be transferred from Road & Bridge fund to Road Property fund of Road District No. (blank).

Ordered that a Poor Fund warrant for %61.63 be drawn in favor of Mrs. (blank).

The following bills examined and approved:

Ladies Benevolent Society	Board & care of Bellingdor children	\$34.65
C. H. Thompson	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$40.75
Anna J. Smith	Boarding Insane mom & Deputy Sheriff	\$8.00
E. B. Newland	Guard at Northport during fire	\$4.50
R. E. Lee	Merchandise to county	\$8.00
O. J. Smith	Expenses & mileage	\$17.40

In the matter of the application of J. W. Snead for a reduction of the assessed valuation of the southwest % of Section 34 Township 30 North Range 40 East Willamette Meridian for the year 1897, assessed at \$815.00. It appearing to the board that said assessment is greatly in excess of the true value of said property. It is hereby recommended that the Honorable Superior Court grant a reduction of \$415 on said assessment.

Ordered that \$87 be transferred from Road & Bridge Fund to Road Property Fund of Road District No. 34.

Board adjourned to June 27, 1848.

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman

Attest: Jno. L. Metcalfe, ex-officio Clerk

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 365, 366, & 367, 6/27/1898

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington met pursuant to adjournment of June 14, 1898.

L. J. Wolfard	Chairman, Commissioner 2 nd District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 1st District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 3rd District

On this 27 day of June, A. D., 1898, the Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, having met pursuant to adjournment of June 14, 1898 for the purpose of canvassing the vote cast and returns of an election held on the 23rd day of June A. D. 1898 within the limits of the proposed incorporation of the City of Northport herein after particularly bounded and described, pursuant to an order of said board made and entered by said board on the 3rd day of June 1898. And, and notice of said election duly made and published as by law provided. And the County Auditor having taken an oath that the election returns and votes cast at said election have been in nowise altered by the additions or erasures and that they were the same as they were when he received them; And, said oath having been reduced to writing and signed by the said County Auditor and certified to by the Court Commissioner of the Superior Court of said county. And, the said board having thereupon proceeded to canvass the vote cast at said election and the said returns of said election; and after having canvassed said vote and returns. It appeared to the said board that there were 228 votes cast at said election for Incorporation of said proposed City of Northport and 5 votes cast against Incorporation of said City of Northport; and, it further appearing to the said board that William P. Hughes received 239 votes cast at said election for Mayor of said City of Northport, the same being the highest number of votes cast for such office. And that A. T. Kendrick, A, K. Ogilvie, J. W. Townsend, J. F. Harris, J.J. Travis, A. Almstrom, and T. L. Salvage received respectively 181, 182, 133, 115, 110, 193, and 180 votes cast at said election for City Councilmen of said City of Northport at said election, the same being the highest number of votes cast for such officers at said election; and, that J. A. Kellogg received one hundred twelve votes cast at said election for City Attorney of said City of Northport, the same being the highest number of votes cast at said election for such officer; and, that O. S. Hammond received 133 votes cast at said election for City Clerk of said City of Northport, the same being the highest number of votes cast at said election for said office; and that F. G. Slocum received 209 votes cast at said election for Treasurer of said City of Northport, the same being the highest number of votes cast at said election for said officer; and that J. J. Travis received 120 votes cast at said election for Health Officer of said City of Northport, the same being the highest number of votes cast for such officer. And it further appearing to said board that a majority of all votes cast at said election were for Incorporation of said City of Northport. It is therefore ordered and declared that that portion of Stevens County, State of Washington particularly described and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point where the meander line of the Columbia River intersects the east line or extension thereof of Section Five (5) Township Thirty-nine (39) North Range Forty (4) East Willamette Meridian; thence running in a southerly direction along the east line of said Section Five (5) to the southeast corner of the northeast guarter of the southeast guarter of Section Five (5) thence running in a westerly direction to the southwest corner of said northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section Five (5); thence running in a southerly direction of

the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section Eight (8) of said township and range: thence running in a westerly direction to the southwest corner of said northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of said Section Eight (8); thence running in a northerly direction to the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of said Section Five (5); thence running in a westerly direction along the south line of said Section Five (5), to the southwest corner of said Section Five (5); thence running in a northerly along the west line of said Section Five to the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of said Section Five (5); thence running in an easterly direction to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Section Five (5); thence running in a northerly direction to the meander line of the Columbia River at the northwest corner of Lot Two (2) of said Section Five (5); thence running in a northeasterly direction along the meander line of said Columbia River to the point of beginning; is duly incorporated as a municipal corporation of said county and state of the third class and under the name and style of the City of Northport. And that the said William P. Hughes is duly elected Mayor of said city, and A. T. Kendrick, J. W. Townsend, J. F. Harris, J. J. Travis, A. Almstrom, A. K. Oglivie, and T. L. Salvage are duly elected Councilmen of said City of Northport. And, that K. A. Kellogg is duly elected City Attorney of said City of Northport. And, that D. S. Hammond is duly elected City Clerk of said City of Northport. And, that F. G. Slocum is duly elected City Treasurer of said City of Northport. And the J. J. Travis is duly elected Health Officer of said City of Northport. It is further ordered that the County Auditor of said county shall cause a copy of this order duly certified to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State of said State of Washington.

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.

Attest: Jno. L. Metcalfe

The following bills approved:

W. J. Wilson	Bridge work in Road District No. (blank)	\$80.30
D. A. Emman	Work on Hatley & McDougal Roads	\$103.??
H. S. Denison	Hauling lumber	\$7.00

The following Supervisor's Reports approved:

Matt Nett	Supervisor Road District No. 26	\$46.50
Alex Weaver	Supervisor Road District No. 3	\$37.00
Thos Turk	Supervisor Road District No. 7	\$159.40
S. H. Champ	Supervisor Road District No. 8	\$135.45

Board adjourned to Tuesday, June 28, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 367, 368, & 369, 6/28/1898

Tuesday, June 28, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the formation and establishment of a School District No. 77 including the Town of Republic in the north half of Colville Indian Reservation, to wit: Beginning at the point of intersection of the dividing line between the north and south halves of the Colville Indian Reservation, with the line between Stevens and Okanogan Counties; running thence north along said county line twenty-four (24) miles to the township line between Township 34 and Township 35 East Willamette Meridian, thence South on said range line twenty-four (24) miles to the line between said north and south halves of said Colville Indian Reservation; thence West along said line to point of beginning. Ordered that School District No. 77 be and the same hereby is established with above-described boundaries.

Ordered that the transfer, made by Superintendent of Schools, of northeast ¼ northwest ¼ and southeast ¼ of Section 33 Township 33 Range 43 from School District to School District No. 14 be and the same hereby is approved.

The bill of Dr. C. A. Webb rejected.

The following bills approved:

Walt Angle	Deputy Sheriff	\$23.00
Gardner & Baker	Merchandise to Co.	\$12.00
Jno L. Metcalfe	Purchasing Agent	\$36.00
Bird & Hedges	Lumber	\$10.90
Julius M. Fish	Work on Road District No. 8	\$7.00
Peter Rasmussen	Work on Road District No. 8	\$7.50
Herbert Frizzell	Work on Road District No. 8	\$6.00
Caleb Dunlap	Work on Road District No. 8	\$4.50
Geo. Carter	Work on Road District No. 8	\$1.50
Geo. S. Wright	Work on Road District No. 8	\$15.25
Prindle & Broulette	For bridge bolts	\$10.50
John Naff	Lumber	\$26.18
O. J. Smith	Expenses & mileage	\$22.00
T. E. Irish		
	County Commissioner 3 days \$4 @	\$12.00
	3 days inspecting Kent Road \$ 4@	\$12.00
	132 miles 10 cent @	\$13.20
	Total	\$37.20
Chas St. Clair	Team hire	\$2.00
J. A. Taylor	Merchandise to Mrs. Carlyle	\$5.50
H. T. Reynolds		
	County Commissioner 2 days \$4 @	\$8.00
	One day inspecting north, Fork of Harvey	\$4.00
	Creek Road	
	80 miles 10 @	\$8.00
	Total	\$20.00

In the matter of the application of McKay & Casey for a license to construct and operate a steel cable ferry over, across and upon Kettle River about 1 ½ miles above Hall's Ferry, on the north half of the Colville Indian Reservation, Stevens County, Washington. They having filed good and sufficient bond and paid \$25 license fire. Ordered that said license be granted for one year and the rates of ferriage fixed as follows:

\$.75
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\$.05
\$.05
\$.10

Ordered that \$494.60 be transferred from Interest & Cost Fund to Current Expense Fund and \$590.41 from Superior Court Fund to Current Expense Fund.

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to receipt Thomas Wilson in full for his personal tax for the year 1897 upon payment of twenty-five (25.00) dollars be the said Wilson. It appearing to the board that the said Wilson has removed his property beyond the jurisdictions of Stevens County.

In the matter of the petition of A. M. Leonard and others for a county road 60 feet in width, to wit: Commencing at or near the lake in Section 36 Township 38, running thence in a northerly direction to intersect county road near Rail Road, crossing above one fourth mile above Ryan. Ordered that the above-described route be surveyed and a county road established thereby. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 397, A. M. Leonard Road, #577}

In the matter of the application of Bartlett & Beord for a cigarette license for the Town of Northport. They having filed oath and petition required by law and paid tex (10) license fee. Ordered that a license be granted for one year.

Ordered that a Road and Bridge Warrant for \$75.00 be drawn in favor of L. J. Wolfard for the construction of Mill Creek bridge.

The following bills approved.

L. J. Wolfard		
	County Commissioner 2 days \$5 @	\$20.00

Board adjourned Sine Die.

Attest Jno. L. Metcalf, Clerk. L. J. Wolfard, Chairman Board

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 367 & 370, 7/6/1898

Colville, Washington, July 6th, 1898

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington met in regular quarterly session.

H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 3rd District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 1st District

The following Road Supervisor's Report approved:

George Duncan	Supervisor's Road District No. 22	\$80.00
E. N. Gray	Supervisor's Road District No. 33	\$57.50
James H. Penny	Supervisor's Road District No. 29	\$107.45
D. A. Emman	Supervisor's Road District No. 12	\$77.50
D. A. Emman	Supervisor's Road District No. 12	\$11.23
Layton Matthewson	Supervisor's Road District No. 9	\$449.50
J. P. Parrish	Supervisor's Road District No. 41	\$40.00
W. A. Babb	Supervisor's Road District No. 36	\$31.25
George H. Bobeir	Supervisor's Road District No. 28	\$176.35
Peter P. Soot	Supervisor's Road District No. 13	\$276.40
Ole Nelson	Supervisor's Road District No. 45	\$52.50
George W. Byers	Supervisor's Road District No. 11	\$43.75
W. J. Johnson	Supervisor's Road District No. 10	\$82.95
J. O. Johnson	Supervisor's Road District No. 31	\$70.00
Edward Davis	Supervisor's Road District No. 42	\$88.45
Purty O'Hare	Supervisor's Road District No. 38	\$5.00
R. J. Townsend	Supervisor's Road District No. 5	\$156.25
H. K. Hanson	Supervisor's Road District No. 2	\$51.00

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel \$220 on tax receipt #737 for the year 1897. The same having been assessed as improvements on Lot #5 Block #51 1st Central Addition to Kettle Falls, when the same should have been assessed to Lot 6 Block #53.

Board adjourned to Thursday, July 7, 1898.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 370 & 371, 7/7/1898

Thursday, July 7th, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present L. Wolfard, T. E. Irish, and H. T. Reynolds.

The following petitions rejected:

C. Weston et al for the appointment of a Constable at Republic.

E. D. Carpenter et al for the appointment of a Justice of the Peace at Republic.

Ordered that \$72.45 be transferred from Road & Bridge Fund to Road Property Fund of Road District #29.

The following Supervisors' Reports approved.

John Jones	Supervisor's Road District No. 32	\$20.00
J. P. Todd	Supervisor's Road District No. 39	\$16.00

The petition of John M. Burke et al rejected.

Board adjourned to Friday, July 8, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 371, 7/8/1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the Viewer's Report of the Road petitioned for by N. B. Wheeler and others, to wit: Commencing at Republic, Stevens County, Washington and running thence in a northeasterly direction to the summit of the range; thence in a general southerly direction down to and along Sherman Creek to the Columbia River and ending on the west bank of the Columbia River opposite the Town of Kettle Falls. Ordered that said report be and hereby is accepted. {Current Hwy 20.}

Ordered that a voting precinct to be known and designated as "The Northport Precinct" be established with the following boundaries: Beginning at the mouth of Onion Creek and running thence East along Onion Creek to Deep Creek Precinct; thence North to Boundary Precinct; thence west along south line of Boundary Precinct to Columbia River; thence down said River to place of beginning.

The following Supervisor's Report approved:

S. H. Richey	Supervisor's Road District No. 18	\$53.75
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Board adjourned to July 9, 1898.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 371, 372, & 373, 7/9/1898

July 9, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of an appropriation for the road petitioned for N. B. Wheeler and others, to wit: Commencing at Republic, Stevens County, Washington and running thence in a northeasterly direction to the summit of the range; thence in a general southerly direction down to and along Sherman Creek to the Columbia River and ending on the west bank of the Columbia River opposite the Town of Kettle Falls. It is hereby ordered, when the said road is completed and accepted by the Board of County Commissioners. That, the sum of two thousand (2,000.00) dollars shall be appropriated for said road. Provided always however that said "road shall be a good substantial freight and stage road. And that the grade of said road shall not exceed ten percent at any point and that the width of the bed of said road shall not be less than ten feet of solid road bed.

In the matter of the viewers' report of road petitioned for by Wm. B. Aris et al near Meyers Falls, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that said report be and herby is accepted. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 377, William B. Aris Road, #621}

T. A. Beard	Bridge work	\$27.00
J. W. Griswold	Deputy Sheriff	\$34.00
J. W. Johnson	Relief to Johnson	
Mrs. E. L. Swain	Boarding prisoners	\$42.00 \$95.50
F. Barman	Merchandise to county	\$24.50
C. H. Thompson	Deputy Sheriff	\$11.25
C. H. Thompson	Collecting delinquent taxes	\$14.50
Palmer & Co	Bridge planks	\$8.40
Spencer & Ferguson	Bridge planks	\$3.64
Langley Pankey	Copyist in Assessor's Office	\$29.25
A. A. Barnett & Co	Merchandise for Sheriff's Office	\$4.15
C. H. Thompson	Team hire	\$8.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expenses	\$25.25
James T. Salvage	Bridge plank	\$4.80
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expenses	\$22.75
S. L. McGee	Nails & lumber	\$16.00
S. S. Beggs		\$31.25
Louis Perras	Team hire for H. G. Kirkpatrick 6 days \$4 @	\$24.00
United States Savings	Rent of Surveyor's & Prosecuting Attorney office for	\$24.00
& Loan Co.	quarter ending June 19	
Smith Bros	Bridge Lumber	\$46.28
J. L. Metcalfe	Purchasing Agent	\$18.00
J. C. Harkness	Judge of city election at Northport	\$3.00
J. W. Townsend	Judge of city election at Northport	\$3.00
E. A. Roberts	Judge of city election at Northport	\$3.00
W. R. Lee	Clerk of city election at Northport	\$3.00
Charles Trullinger	Clerk of city election at Northport	\$3.00
E. A. Roberts	Inspector of election and carrying returns to Colville	\$11.40
John T. Rogers	Road Supervisor Road District No. 23	\$22.50
P. J. Kelly	Merchandise to County Poor	\$10.00

The following bills approved:

D. J. McNally	Guarding insane man Campbell	\$6.00
J. R. Woods	Taking care of insane man Campbell	\$70.75
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expense bill	\$4.10
Northport News	Printing notice of incorporation	\$14.00
Northport Republic	Printing tickets	\$4.00
W. L. Vandorne	Witness fees State versus Moon	\$4.00
E. A. Chaffee	Witness fees State versus Moon	\$4.00
John Jour	Witness fees State versus Moon	\$4.00
K. U. Felland	Witness fees State versus Moon	\$7.40
R. D. Anderson	Witness fees State versus Moon	\$3.20
Louis Perras	Team hire for H. G. Kirkpatrick	\$4.00

Ordered that Guy S. Helphrey be and hereby is appointed Justice of the Peace in and for Curlew Precinct, Stevens County, Washington. {Guy L. Helphrey was postmaster of the Curlew Post Office from 6 May 1899 to 30 September 1913.)

It is hereby ordered that W. A. Wilcox be and hereby is appointed Justice of the Peace for Nelson Precinct, Stevens County, Washington.

The following bills approved:

J. M. Weaver	Team hire and guarding prisoner	\$30.00
N. C. Parker	Maintenance of County Poor	\$253.00
J. W. Griswold	Deputy Sheriff	\$20.00

Board adjourned to Monday, July 11, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 373, 7/11/1898

Monday, July 11, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

Bridge planks	\$1.68
Bridge planks	\$4.70
Bridge planks Road District No. 7	\$3.36
Bridge planks Road District No. 26	\$5.20
County Physician for quarter ending July 12, 1898	\$45.00
Road Supervisor Road District No. 48	\$47.00
Road Supervisor Road District No. 30	\$166.40
Repair on Marcus Bridge	\$30.00
Work on Kettle Falls & Republic Road	\$72.00
Work on Kettle Falls & Republic Road	\$72.00
Work on Kettle Falls & Republic Road	\$28.00
Work on Kettle Falls & Republic Road	\$18.00
Work on Kettle Falls & Republic Road	\$28.00
Work on Kettle Falls & Republic Road	\$72.00
Viewing work on Kettle Falls & Republic Road	\$72.00
Viewing work on Kettle Falls & Republic Road	\$72.00
Viewing & Surveying work on Kettle Falls & Republic Road	\$180.00
Deputy Sheriff	\$7.00
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Board adjourned to Tuesday, July 12, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 373, 374, & 375 7/12/1898

Tuesday, July 12, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that Smith Miller be and hereby is appointed Road Supervisor of Road District No. 48.

In the matter of a petition of J. A. Wendle and others for a change in the Camas Valley Road. Beginning at a point where the said road crosses the northeast % of the southeast % of Section 3 Township 29 Range 39, thence in an easterly direction along said line to the west line of Section 2 Township 29 Range 39; thence northerly along said line of Section 2 Township 29 Range 39 to intersect old road. Ordered that said change be and hereby is allowed.

In the matter of the application of M. Swartz for a cigarette license for the Town of Republic, Stevens County, Washington, said Swartz having filed petition and oath as required by law and paid ten (10) dollars license fee. Ordered that said license be granted for one year.

In the matter of the petition of Overton Price et all for the resurvey and appraisement of that portion of Cedar Canyon Road lying along the north line of the northwest ½ of Section 34 Township 30 North Range East Willamette Meridian. It appearing to this board that the title to a portion of the right of way may be defective for the purpose of guiding said title, the petition is hereby granted and a resurvey and appraisement of the land herein mentioned are hereby ordered and James Clark and James Hunter appointed viewers to review and appraise the damage thereon.

B. W. Emery	Supervisor Road District No. 4	
C. M. Durland	Copyist in Treasurer's Office	\$45.00
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Expense account Auditor's Office	\$38.26
	State of Washington versus Albert Hormus	
J. M. Bewley	Justice of the Peace State of Washington versus Albert	\$2.95
	Hormus	
A. Babcock	Witness State of Washington versus Albert Hormus	\$2.20
John Haly	Witness State of Washington versus Albert Hormus	\$2.20
Edward Woodworth	Witness State of Washington versus Albert Hormus	\$2.20
Lew S. Woodworth	Witness State of Washington versus Albert Hormus	\$2.20
Thomas Melville	Witness State of Washington versus Albert Hormus	\$2.20
Arthur Peas	Witness State of Washington versus Albert Hormus	\$2.20

The following bills approved:

In the matter of the petition of Peter Immel and others for a county road, to wit: Commencing at a point on the Chewelah Creek Road near the center of the northeast ¼ of Section 27 Township 33 Range 40 East Willamette Meridian; running thence in a westerly direction to the west line of Section 28 Township 33 Range 40; thence Southwest to center of Section 29 Township 33 Range 40; thence West to quarter post between Section 29 and 30 Township 33 Range 40, thence southwest to a point on the Colville County Road at or near the northeast of the northwest ¼ of Section 31 Township 33 Range 40. Ordered that the petition be and is hereby granted and the County Surveyor is ordered to survey said route. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 7-9, Immel Road, #505} The following bills approved:

D. Hollandsworth	Supervisor Road District No. 43	\$37.50
Charles Wilson	Relief to Wilson	\$5.00

In the matter of the application of County Auditor, Sheriff, County Clerk, Prosecuting Attorney, and Superintendent of Schools for a telephone service in their respective offices, and upon the representation of C. W. Winter that he will furnish such service for one year at the monthly rental of one dollar per phone. It is hereby ordered that service be accepted.

Board adjourned to Wednesday, July 13, 1898.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 375 7/13/1898

Wednesday, July 13, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the quarterly settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed deposits in the bank and cash in the safe for \$47,258.84 distributed in the various funds as follows:

State General Fund	\$3082.15
State Military Fund	\$152.22
State Interest Fund	\$161.06
State School Fund	\$2419.86
Interest and Cost Fund	\$1080.58
County General Fund	\$942.74
County School Fund	\$12469.71
Contingent Fund	\$21.97
County Poor Fund	\$1305.01
Salary Fund	\$400.84
Institute Fund	\$78.00
Cost Fund	\$499.89
Road and Bridge Fund	\$4692.70
Road Property Fund	\$5888.01
Soldier's Relief Fund	\$211.77
Special School Fund	\$5812.46
Special Road Fund	\$13.51
Current Expense Fund	\$38.19
Town of Colville	\$266.23
Kettle Falls	\$72.21
Current Expense Fund	\$3470.40
County Indebtedness	\$3670.40
Superior Court	\$10.00

Board adjourned to Thursday, July 14, 1898

Thursday, July 14, 1897

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present L. J. Wolfard and H. T. Reynolds

Ordered that George M. Welty be and hereby is reappointed Game Warden in and for the County of Stevens, State of Washington for a period of six months at a salary of twenty-five (\$25) per month.

The following bills approved:

Sam L. Magee	Relief to J. W. Weaver	\$15.00
Ed D. Morrison	Supervisor Road District No. 1	\$77.65
J. W. Gillingham	Supplies to Road District No. 11	\$1.25
O. G. Smith	Expenses	\$11.20
T. E. Irish		
	8 days County Commissioner \$4 @	\$32.00
	132 miles 11 @	\$13.20
	Total	\$46.20
H. T. Reynolds		
	8 days County Commissioner \$4 @	\$32.00
	80 miles 10 @	\$8.00
	Total	\$40.00
L. J. Wolfard		
	7 days County Commissioner \$5 @	\$32.00

Board adjourned to July 29. 1898

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman

Attest: Jno. L. Metcalfe, Clerk

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 377, 7/29/1898

Colville, Washington, July 29, 1898

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, met pursuant to adjournment of July 13, 1898.

L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1 st District

Ordered that the order on page 368 Book "C" of Commissioners' Journal in relation to the tax of Thomas Wilson be and the same hereby is rescinded.

Ordered that J. C. Harkness be and hereby is appointed registration clerk for Precinct of Northport.

The following cost bills approved:

	State versus Bracco	
J. C. Harkness	Justice of the Peace	\$10.45
A. V. Downs	Constable	\$5.30
F. W. Heslewood	Witness	\$4.20
John Detmeyer	Witness	\$4.20
Louis Cook	Witness	\$4.20
T. Thomison	Witness	\$4.20
N. D. Wilbur	Witness	\$4.20
	State versus Doe Jones	
J. C. Harkness	Justice of the Peace	\$1.10
	State versus Cline	
J. C. Harkness	Justice of the Peace	\$8.75
E. M. Denny	Witness	\$2.20
Pete Clark	Witness	\$2.20
Charles Cottrell	Witness	\$2.20
Thomas Smith	Witness	\$2.20
F. M. Davis	Witness	\$2.20
John D. Todd	Witness	\$2.20
W. P. Todd	Witness	\$2.20
Carrie Hoyden	Witness	\$2.20
	State versus Davis	
J. C. Harkness	Justice of the Peace	\$4.35
E. H. Todd	Witness	\$2.20
Carrie Hoyden	Witness	\$2.20
Lillie Baldwin	Witness	\$2.20

{William D. Todd was postmaster of the Northport Post Office from 30 September 1897 to March 1901.}

The following bills approved:

A. H. Dawson	Relief to county charge	\$3.15
Jacob Griswold	Deputy Sheriff	\$27.90
O. J. Smith	Mileage and expense	\$29.30
Reard adjourned to July 20, 1808		

Board adjourned to July 30, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 377, 378, 379, & 380 7/30/1898 {files under 7/29/1898}

July 30, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The Treasurer is hereby ordered to transfer \$2,010 from Cost Fund to Current Expense Fund.

The Treasurer is hereby ordered to refund 65 cents on tax receipt No. 543 Personal Roll 1897. The same having been paid in error.

The following bills approved:

Mrs. Etta Reed	Stenographer State versus Maxwell	\$60.00
Matt Nett	Supervisor Road District No. 26	\$23.00
0. L. Toner	Bridge Spikes Road District No. 26	\$1.25
E. E. Ross	Lumber Road District No. 26	\$30.00

The following Cost bills approved:

D. L. Toner	Justice of the Peace State versus Morris	\$2.40
James Sutton	Constable	\$1.20
	State versus Duffy	
D. L. Toner	Justice of the Peace	\$1.20
A. Brown	Constable	(blank)
	State versus Brown	
D. L. Toner	Justice of the Peace	\$2.40
R. Pomeroy	Constable	\$1.20
William B. Smith	Witness	\$2.40
	State versus John Doe	
D. L. Toner	Justice of the Peace	\$.85
	State versus Montgomery	
D. L. Toner	Justice of the Peace	\$3.75
H. Pomeroy	Constable	\$11.80
Magnus Brown	Witness & mileage	\$11.00
Pat King	Witness & mileage	\$2.40
	State versus an Indian	
C. E. Ivy	Justice of the Peace	\$3.90
W. L. Terry	Constable	\$7.35
J. B. Thomas	Work on plat & field notes Republic Kettle Falls Road	\$25.00
0. P. Anderson	Maps and blue print	\$2.50
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Purchasing Agent	\$94.10

It is hereby ordered that A. M. Pettingill be and hereby is appointed Clerk of Registration in and for the Colville Precinct.

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to refund \$1.81 on tax receipt No. 1061.

In the matter of the application of Dan P. Bagnell for a retail liquor license for the Town of Keller, South half of Colville Indian Reservation, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that when the said Bagnell files with the County Auditor, a good and sufficient bond, the Treasurer's duplicate receipt for \$600.00 and complies with all other requirements of the law governing same, then the said license shall be granted for a period of one year.

In the matter of the application of Bryant Bros for a license to operate a cable ferry, over across, and upon the Columbia River, near the Town of Harvey, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that when the said Bryant Bros file with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five hundred (\$500) dollars and the Treasurer's receipt for the sum of twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars, then the said license shall be granted for one year with rates as follows:

Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, loaded	\$1.50
Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, loaded	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.75
Two horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack animals, loaded each.	\$.25
Pack animals, not loaded, each same as loose stock	\$.10
Loose stock, horses, cattle, mules etc.	\$.10
Sheep hogs, etc. in bands of 10 or more each	\$.05
Footman, each.	\$.25

The following bills approved:

W. D. Allen Job printing \$27.25

The following cost bills approved:

	State versus Harry Lyons	
A. H. Dawson	Justice of the Peace	\$8.25
A. H. Dawson	Justice of the Peace	\$3.40
	State versus Chas Kinney	
A. H. Dawson	Justice of the Peace	\$2.65
	State versus Swan Johnson	
A. H. Dawson	Justice of the Peace	\$3.00
	State versus Floyd	
A. H. Dawson	Justice of the Peace	\$5.00
	State versus Harris & DeHaven	
A. H. Dawson	Justice of the Peace	\$4.00
	State versus Homas & Perdue	
A. H. Dawson	Justice of the Peace	\$4.00
	State versus Miller	
A. H. Dawson	Justice of the Peace	\$7.75
	State versus Crown	
A. H. Dawson	Justice of the Peace	\$4.00
	State versus McCormick	
A. H. Dawson	Witness	\$3.40

A. H. Dawson	Justice of the Peace	\$8.80
A. V. Downs	Constable	\$28.35

Board adjourned to August 15, 1898

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman

Attest: Jno. L. Metcalfe, Ex Officio Clerk

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington met pursuant to adjournment of July 30, 1898.

Present:

L. J. Wolfard	Chairman, Commissioner 2 nd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1st District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3rd District

The following bills approved:

H. S. Denison	Hauling lumber to Mill Creek Bridge	\$10.00
J. A. Lung	Coroner's Inquest Deceased unknown	\$20.25
O. M. Reynolds	Juror, Coroner's Inquest Deceased unknown	\$3.60
R. H. Evans	Juror, Coroner's Inquest Deceased unknown	\$3.60
A. A. Batterson	Juror, Coroner's Inquest Deceased unknown	\$3.60
Chas. Hanley	Juror, Coroner's Inquest Deceased unknown	\$3.60
Alfred Dunning	Juror, Coroner's Inquest Deceased unknown	\$3.60
Bernard LaFleur	Juror, Coroner's Inquest Deceased unknown	\$3.60
Mrs. Dyer	County Charge	\$16.00
George	An Indian witness Coroner's Inquest	\$10.00
J. J. Argall	Deputy Sheriff	\$18.00
James Petty	Janitor work in courthouse	\$2.00
0. P. Foster	Deputy Sheriff	\$18.00
E. M. Denny	Expenses	\$43.25

The bill of J. B. Thomas amounting to \$50 for balance claimed on Kettle Falls & Republic Road, rejected.

In the matter of the application of J. A. McJunkins for a retail liquor license for the town of Meyers Falls, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that when the said McJunkins files with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond, the Treasurer's receipt for \$600.00 and the consent of the owner of the building in which the business is to be conducted, then the said license shall be granted for a period of one year.

Board adjourned to August 22, 1898.

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman

Attest: Jno. L. Metcalfe

Ex Officio, Clerk

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 382, 8/22/1898

Colville, Washington, August 22, 1898

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, met pursuant to adjournment of August 15, 1898.

Present:

L. J. Wolfard	Chairman, Commissioner 2 nd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1st District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3rd District

The following bills approved:

Ladies Benevolent	Keeping Bellyore children	\$36.70
Society		
P. J. Kelley	Merchandise to County Poor	\$10.00
James Still	Care of Hugh McKay	\$43.05
C. H. Thompson	Deputy Sheriff	\$21.00
W. H. Dunlap	Work on Road in District No. 8	\$5.25
Caleb Dunlap	Work on Road in District No. 8	\$5.25
James Dunlap	Work on Road in District No. 8	\$1.60
W. F. Bryant	Relief to Bryant	\$25.00

In the matter of the application of Wolverton and Shelton for a retail liquor license for the Town of Republic, Stevens County, Washington, the County Auditor is hereby ordered to issue said license when the said Wolverton and Shelton file with him a good and sufficient bond the written permission of the owners of the building in which the saloon is to be conducted and the Treasurer's duplicate receipt for \$600.00.

In the matter of the petition of J. W. Johnson and others for the view, location, and establishment of a county road in Stevens County, Washington, to wit: Commencing at Northport, Stevens County, running thence to the forks of Deep Creek to intersect the Colville Road, thence to Deep Creek Lake, thence around Deep Creek Lake to Cedar Creek Lake; thence to Mike Coleman's Ranch connecting with the Boundary or Cedar Creek Wagon Road; thence to Boundary, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that the above-described route be surveyed and a county road established thereby. Adel Bishop and C. A. Lucy are appointed viewers.

Board adjourned to August 24, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 382 & 383, 8/24/1898 {Page 282 on file 8/22/1898}

August 24, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of August 22.

The following cost bill approved:

	State versus Larson	
J. M. Bewley	Justice of the Peace	\$3.75
John U. Hofstetter Jr	Constable	\$10.96
L. H. Mason	Witness	\$2.20
John Lamb	Witness	\$2.20
Е. Карр	Work on road	\$34.75
A. N. Pettingill	Acting Coroner in Case of Grivitte	\$12.80
W. J. Chamberlin	Juror & mileage	\$3.80
R. B. Fry	Juror & mileage	\$3.80
James Petty	Juror & mileage	\$3.80
F. R. Ballard	Juror & mileage	\$3.80
O. R. Butts	Juror & mileage	\$3.80
J. E. Seal	Juror & mileage	\$3.80
J. A. Miller	Supervisor Road District No. 24	\$62.50

It is hereby ordered that the order on Page 292 Book C Commissioners' Journal in relation to courthouse be and the same hereby is rescinded.

Board adjourned to Thursday, August 25, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 383, 384, 385, & 386, 8/25/1898

Thursday, August 25, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

Jno. L. Metcalfe	Trip to Spokane and return on county business	\$11.65
B. Kacker	Relief to Koeker	\$18.49
J. Haynes		\$10.99
Mrs. J. S. Wright	Boarding prisoners	\$80.75
Thomas Kelly	Relief to Kelly (T. E. Irish)	\$5.00

Colville, Washington, August 18, 1898

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington,

Gentlemen:

The undersigned citizens of Colville and Committee on Courthouse building would respectively submit the following: That the Citizens of Colville and vicinity have contributed in cash, subscriptions and material and labor sufficient to erect a courthouse for Stevens County on Block 14 Original Town of Colville, the title of said block being vested in said county. We would further represent that we have a sufficient amount of means to enclose said building and that the roof will be complete. That we are not in a position to finish it at the present time; that we estimate the cost of finishing the building according to plans and specifications including plastering painting and windows and work necessary at about sixteen hundred dollars; that knowing the great need of a building for courthouse purposed, we are now ready to turn over the same to your honorable body for Stevens County aiming to place on the roof as stated by a proper effort. The building can be completed within the next sixty days or sooner. We have lath sufficient for the building and one hundred dollars paid towards the flooring. That all bills contracted by said committee for material and labor will be paid in full except the bill for the windows and doors that have not yet been delivered and that all subscriptions remaining unpaid after all payments of indebtedness contracted by said committee will be turned over to the county.

Signed: C. W. Winter, Fred Hoss, Jacob Stitzel, Committee

In the matter of the Courthouse Proposition.

It appearing to the Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington "That the City Council of Colville and Courthouse Committee desire to relinquish all right and title to said courthouse situated in Block 14, Original Town of Colville, and turn the same over to the County of Stevens, State of Washington, on condition that the said county assume all responsibility and cost of furnishing the same. Ordered that the above said proposition be and hereby is accepted by this board and the following committee be and hereby is appointed to take charge of the construction of said courthouse, to wit: John U. Hofstetter, C. W. Winter, Fred Hoss, H. G. Kirkpatrick, and Jacob Stitzel.

In the matter of the application of O. M. Reynolds for a license to conduct a steel cable ferry, over, across and upon the Columbia River starting at the washout on the east bank of the Columbia River, Budd's Addition to the Town of Kettle Falls and landing on

government land on the west bank of Columbia River west of [Sophia?] Ranch. Ordered that when the said Reynolds files with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of (500) dollars and the Treasurers duplicate receipt of \$30.00, then the said license shall be granted for a period of one year with rates as follows:

Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, loaded	\$1.50
Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, loaded	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.75
Two horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack animals, loaded each.	\$.25
Pack animals, not loaded, each same as loose stock	\$.10
Loose stock, horses, cattle, mules etc.	\$.10
Sheep hogs, etc. in bands of 10 or more each	\$.05
Footman, each.	\$.25

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel tax on improvements on Lot 16 Town of Marcus for year 1897. The same having been assessed in error.

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to refund \$8.74 on tax receipt No. 506.

Ordered that Alfred Young be and hereby is appointed Justice of the Peace in and for the Precinct of Springdale.

In the matter of the petition of A. M. Leondard et al for a county road. The plat and field notes are hereby accepted and the route as surveyed declared to be a county road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book A, Page 397, A. M. Leonard Road, #577}

The following bills approved:

J. B. Thomas	Survey, plat & field notes of A. M. Leonard Road	\$30.00
Ben Palmer	Chainman, 3 days \$2 @	\$6.00
Chas Buckley	Chainman, 4 days \$2 @	\$8.00
Henry Ryan	Chainman, 4 days \$2 @	\$8.00
Chris Houtchens	Chainman, 4 days \$2 @	\$8.00

The Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel improvement to the amount of \$1,000 assessed on the northeast ¼ northeast ¼ southwest ¼ of Section 19 Township 29 Range 42 on tax roll 1896. The same having been paid on personal property tax for said year.

The Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel school tax and refund money on the southeast ¼ of southeast ¼ of Section 11 Township 34 Range 40; also, on the north ½ of the northeast ¼ of Section 14 Township 34 Range 40, the same having been assessed in School District #58 when it should have been District \$4.

In the matter of the petition of M. Peltier et al for a county road. The plat and field notes of said road are hereby accepted, and the road as surveyed from the sawmill to

intersect the reservation road is hereby declared to be a county road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 6-7, M. Pettier Road, #534}

In the matter of the petition of Overton Price et al for a county road. The plat and field notes of the resurvey are hereby accepted and the same declared to be a county road.

In the matter of the petition of Albert Jennings for a county road. The plat and field notes of the said road are hereby accepted and the route of surveyed declared to be a county road.

J. B. Thomas	Survey of Jennings, Price & Pelier Roads	\$65.00
J. B. Thomas	Recording 1 st and 2 nd Addition to Republic	\$40.00
James Hunter	Chainman, 1 day \$2 @	\$2.00
James Clark	Chainman, 1 day \$2 @	\$2.00
James Clark	Chainman, 1 day \$2 @	\$2.00
Jno. Cornwall	Chainman, 1 day \$2 @	\$2.00
Bert Jennings	Chainman, 1 day \$2 @	\$2.00
Frank Jennings	Chainman, 1 day \$2 @	\$2.00
James Clark	Viewer	\$3.20
Fred Hamilton	Viewer	\$3.20

The following bills approved:

Board adjourned to August 26, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 386, 387, & 388, 8/26/1898

August 26, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

On petition of George Harvey and others the sum of four hundred (\$400) dollars is hereby appropriated for the purpose of defraying the expenses of collecting and making an exhibit of the fruits and others product of Stevens County at the Spokane Fruit Fair and the County Auditor is hereby ordered to draw a warrant for said four hundred dollars payable to George Harvey who is hereby appointed to make said collection and exhibit.

M. P. Dingle	Boarding Thomas Kelley county charge	\$1.00
	State versus Clark, Hill & Harrington	
John James Graves	Justice of the Peace	\$2.85
W. J. St Clair	Constable	\$.70
	State versus John Doe an Indian	
John James Graves	Justice of the Peace	\$3.70
W. J. St. Clair	Constable	\$3.70
J. S. White	Witness	\$2.20
N. H. Gammage	Witness	\$2.20
St. Clair & Kennedy	Team hire	\$1.50
P. B. Dingle	Boarding jury	\$46.25
Smith Bros	Lumber Road District No. 42	\$2.77
William L. Terry	Constable in case of Mrs. Alex Ross	\$23.00
Edward Davis	Work in Road District No. 8	\$6.80
William Terry	Constable in case State versus Hanley	\$3.65
E. A. Kyes	Relief to Peter Immel	\$30.00
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Purchasing Agent	\$6.10
Chas M. Walker	Deputy Sheriff	\$12.00
Edward Davis	Work on Calispel Road	\$127.85
Geo. H. Jones	Fuse Rockey Ford Road	\$.85
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Expense Accounting Auditor's Office	\$46.03
James Petty	Clamming jail	\$1.00
St. Clair & Kennedy	Team hire	\$4.00
Langley Pankey	Work in Assessor's Office	\$49.50
C. M. Durland	Work in Treasurer's Office	\$40.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expenses	\$20.70
D. F. Pankey	Assessor	\$100.00
John James Graves	Justice of the Peace State versus Walker et al	\$1.15
Mrs. W. L. Swain	Lodging jurors State versus Maxwell	\$14.00
P. B. Dingle	Boarding witnesses in case State versus Ross	\$6.75
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expenses	\$20.00
Julius Sacher	Preparing Thomas Whitehead for burial	\$10.00
Court Lacy	Team hire and assistance in removing Thomas Whitehead	\$6.00
	from Carr's old ranch to Colville	
Samuel Allen	Making coffin for Whitehead	\$8.00
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Purchasing Agent	\$83.50
J. C. Harkness	Acting Coroner, digging grave, deceased unknown	\$43.20
W. C. Caham	Juror & mileage	\$2.60
G. W. Dean	Juror & mileage	\$2.60
John W. Heisner	Juror & mileage	\$2.60
C. C. Anderson	Juror & mileage	\$2.60

F. M. Davis	Juror & mileage	\$2.60
W. E. Carlyle	Juror & mileage	\$2.60
	State versus Dan Hanley	
D. M. Richards	Justice of the Peace	\$3.00
W. J. St. Clair	Constable	\$33.30
Mrs. McGaughey	Juror & mileage	\$2.70
Thomas Arris	Juror & mileage	\$2.70
W. B. Wheeler	Juror & mileage	\$2.20
Mary Brown	Juror & mileage	\$2.30
Louis Perras	Team hire 1 ½ days \$4 @	\$6.00
M. P. Stephens	Constable	\$47.75
Louis Perras	Team hire	\$15.00
James O'Neil	Filing fee in U. S. Court in case of Maximum DeSortelle	\$10.00
	versus Stevens County	

The Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel \$3.00 School Tax on the southeast ½ southeast ½ Section 11 Township 34 Range 40 and north ½ northeast ½ Section 14 Township 34 Range 40. Board adjourned to Saturday, August 27, 1898 Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 388, 8/27/1898

Saturday, August 27, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills approved:

0. P. Foster	Deputy Sheriff	\$3.75
W. D. Allen	Job Printing	\$31.00
J. B. Thomas	Recording Plat of North Republic	\$5.00
W. J. St. Clair	Constable	
S. S. Beggs	Trip to Boundary collecting delinquent taxes	\$2.40
O. J. Smith	Expenses	\$5.00

In the matter of an appropriation for the road petition for by N. B. Wheeler and others, to wit: Commencing at Republic, Stevens County, Washington, and running thence in a northeasterly direction to the summit of the range; thence in a general southerly direction down to an along Sherman Creek to the Columbia River and ending on the west bank of the said Columbia River opposite the Town of Kettle Falls. It is hereby ordered that the sum of two thousand (\$2000) dollars be appropriated as follows: 25% of the said appropriation to be paid when the road is half completed and the balance when the said road is completed and accepted by the Board of County Commissioners. Provided, always, however that said road shall be a practical road for four horse team with necessary turn outs, bridges and culverts.

Board adjourned to Monday, August 29, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 388, 389, & 390, 8/28/1898

Monday, August 29, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present: L. J. Wolfard and H. T. Reynolds.

It is hereby ordered that the boundary lines of Commissioner District No. 2, Stevens County, Washington, be and the same hereby are extended to include the north half of the Colville Indian Reservation.

The following bills approved:

O. J. Smith	Expenses, stamps etc.	\$21.30
		\$Z1.50

In the matter of the application of James Moore for a license to operate a row ferry from the mouth of Hunter Creek over, across, and upon the Columbia River, Stevens County, Washington. Ordered that when the said Moore files with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five hundred (\$500) dollars and the Treasurer's duplicate receipt for \$15.00, then the said license shall be granted for one year with the rates as follows:

Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, loaded	\$1.50
Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, loaded	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.75
Two horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack animals, loaded each.	\$.25
Pack animals, not loaded, each same as loose stock	\$.10
Loose stock, horses, cattle, mules etc.	\$.10
Sheep hogs, etc. in bands of 10 or more each	\$.05
Footman, each.	\$.25

(Crossed out) The contract for county printing awards to W. D. Alle, "Statesman-Index" his bid appearing the cheapest of which the following are a copy. The above ordered rescinded. (End cross out)

The following bills approved:

L. J. Wolfard	Member of Board of Equalization 17 days 5 @	\$85.00
	8 days County Commissioner 5 @	\$40.00
	Telephone message	\$1.50
	Total	\$126.50
H. T. Reynolds	Two days County Commissioner \$4 @	\$8.00
-	80 miles 10 @	\$8.00
	1 day County Commissioner	\$4.00
	Seven days County Commissioner	\$28.00
	17 days number Board of Equalization	\$68.00

	Total	\$116.00
T. E. Irish	17 days Board of Equalization	\$68.00
	Seven days County Commissioner 4 @	\$28.00
	132 miles 10 @	\$13.20
	Total	\$109.20

Board adjourned to September 19, 1898

L. J. Wolard, Chairman

Attest: Jno. L. Metcalfe, Clerk

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 390, 9/19/1898

Colville, Washington, September 19, 1898

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, State of Washington, met pursuant to adjournment of August 29, 1898.

Present:

L. J. Wolfard	Chairman, Commissioner 2 nd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1st District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3rd District

Correspondence examined.

Board adjourned to Tuesday, September 20, 1898

Tuesday, September 20, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the petition of Fleck et al for a county road. The plat and field notes are hereby accepted and the route as surveyed declared to be a county road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 9, Flick Road, #610}

In the matter of the petition of Jno. Smith et al for a county road. The plat and field notes are hereby accepted and the route as surveyed declared to be a county road.

In the matter of the petition of Immel et al for a county road. The plat and field notes are hereby accepted and the route as surveyed declared to be a county road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 7-9, Immel Road, #505}

In the matter of the petition of A. J. Young et al for a change in the Drum Road on Camas Prairie. The plat and field notes of change ins aid road are hereby accepted and the route as surveyed declared to be a county road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 6, Change in Drum Road, #755}

In the matter of the application of Wolverton and Shelton for a cigarette license for the Town of Republic. They having filed oath and petition required by law. Ordered that when the said Wolverton and Shelton shall file with the County Auditor, the Treasurer's receipt for the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) that a license shall be granted for one year.

A. H. Dawson	Justice of the Peace State versus Foy	\$7.80
A. V. Downs	Constable State versus Foy	\$3.50
George Gillen	Work on Deer Lake Road	\$2.00
Tom Bolen	Work on Deer Lake Road	\$2.00
Van Hessnere	Work on Deer Lake Road	\$4.00
George Hurd	Work on Deer Lake Road	\$4.00
J. B. Thomas	14 days as County Surveyor	\$70.00
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Expense account	\$53.95
Geo. H. Jones	Nails for bridge Road District No. 42	\$3.50
J. C. Harkness	Cash paid for fare of sick man	\$2.15
Mrs. N. Wright	Board of prisoners	\$108.00
D. F. Pankey	County Assessor August	\$92.00
Langley Pankey	Copyist Assessor's Office	\$18.00
H. C. Parliament	Expense as Deputy Sheriff	\$62.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expense account	\$38.10
Geo. H. Jones	Merchandise for Rocky Ford Road District No. 42	\$11.30
J. W. Griswold	Expense Deputy Sheriff	\$5.70
V. S. Reed	Repair of road tools Road District No. 24	\$2.35
The following Road Su	pervisors reports approved:	-

The following bills approved:

The tollowing Road Supervisors reports approved:

L. S. Childress	Road Supervisor Road District No. 16	\$10.00
Alex Weaver	Road Supervisor Road District No. 3	\$24.50

Board adjourned to Wednesday, September 21, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 391, 9/21/1898

Wednesday, September 21, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1st District

The following bills allowed

Chris Houtchins	Labor and expenditure on county road District No. 14	\$100.05
John Jones	Work on county road (Road & Bridge Fund)	\$5.50
H. Monroe	Team hire	\$4.00

Board adjourned to Thursday, September 22, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 391, 392, & 393, 9/22/1898

Thursday, September 22, 1898. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday. The following bills allowed:

W. J. Chamberlain	Work on courthouse	\$40.40
R. E. Lee	Material furnished for courthouse	\$122.36
J. M. Stevens	Freight and hauling for courthouse	\$30.80
J. M. Stevens	Trip to Poor Farm (Poor Fund)	\$1.00
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Purchasing agent	\$15.00
Mrs. A. Bryant	Board of County Poor (Poor Fund)	\$33.00

The following Road Supervisor's Report approved:

W. J. Wilson	Road Supervisor Road District No. 37	\$62.75
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In the matter of the application of E. B. Surmy et al for a license to construct and operate a cable ferry across the Columbia River at Bossburg, Stevens County, Washington. It is hereby ordered that when the said Surmy shall file with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of (\$500.00) and the Treasurer's receipt for the sum of thirty-five dollars (\$30.00) that the said license shall be granted for the term of one year and the rate of ferriage fixed as follows:

Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, loaded	\$1.50
Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, loaded	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.75
Two horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack animals, loaded each.	\$.25
Pack animals, not loaded, each same as loose stock	\$.10
Loose stock, horses, cattle, mules etc.	\$.10
Sheep hogs, etc. in bands of 10 or more each	\$.05
Footman, each.	\$.25

Ordered that the Resignation of E. M. Hoelsyon as Road Supervisor of Road District No. 52 be and the same hereby is accepted.

Ordered that the assessed valuation of the south ½ southwest ¼ of Section 26, and the north ½ northwest ¼ of Section 35 Township 36 Range 38, for the year 1897, be and the same hereby is reduced %400.00 for the same being assessed in error.

The following bills allowed

C. H. Thompson Deputy Sheriff \$	511.25	
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The following Road Supervisor's Report approved:

S. K. Owens	Road Supervisor Road District No. 17	\$48.70
Frank S. Maxwell	Road Supervisor Road District No. 40	\$22.50

Ordered that L. J. Wolfard, Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners be and is hereby authorized to allow any bill or bills for work or material furnished for the courthouse, when the same shall be approved by a majority of the Building Commission.

In the matter of the petition of M. T. Belknap et al for the establishment of a county road in Stevens County, State of Washington, to wit: Commencing about one mile west of White Lake and about 20 rods southeast of rocky point in Road District No. 4 in said county, thence running Northwest till it comes to the foot of the Lim Kiln Mountain thence following around the north side of said mountain as near as can get a good road bed till it intersect with the line between Henry Prouty & James Farnsworth, thence Northwest to the line between Farnsworth and R. A. Prouty about 20 roads eat of R. A. Prouty's southwest corner thence on the brow of the hill till it intersects the line between R. A. Prouty and Bert Emery, thence North to within about 20 rods of the Dominion Road, thence Northwest till it intersects the Dominion Road. Ordered that the abovedescribed route be surveyed and a county road be established thereby. R. J. Ogdon and R. A. Prouty are hereby appointed as viewers. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 13-14, M. T. Belknap Change in White Mud Lake Road, #692}

Board adjourned to Friday, September 23, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 393 & 394, 9/23/1898

Friday, September 23, 1898. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the request of Sherwood and Reynolds for permission to remove their ferry from East Marcus to Old Marcus and operate the same under their present license. Ordered that when the said Sherwood and Reynolds shall file with the County Auditor the written consent of the parties owning the proposed ferry landings to use the same. That permission shall be granted as requested.

In the matter of the bids for county printing, each and every of said bids are hereby rejected and the County Auditor is hereby ordered to re-advertise for bids for county printing and specify in detail in such notice the class of work to be done.

Ordered that the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) be and the same hereby is appropriate for the construction of the Deep Creek Lake Road and the County Auditor is hereby authorized to draw warrants in payment for work and material furnished on said road on presentation of bills properly attested by Adel Bishop who is hereby appointed as overseer of construction of road, and approved by L. W. Wolfard, Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners.

In the matter of the petition of E. E. Hall and others for a county road 50 feet in width in Stevens County, Washington, to wit: Commencing at end of surveyed road at lower end of Calispel Valley on left bank of Pend Oreille River running thence along left bank of Pend Oreille River twenty miles more or less to Ione Post Office on Little Muddy Creek, thence up said Little Muddy three miles more or less to 12 mile post on Metaline Cut Out, thence my most practical route to Deep Creek and ending at or near the 18 mile post on Old Colville and Northport Road vis Deep Creek and to be known as the Calispel and Deep Creek Road. Ordered that the above route be surveyed and a county road established thereby. John Renshaw and E. E. Hall are hereby appointed as viewers on above-described road.

Board adjourned to Saturday, September 24, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 394 & 395, 9/24/1898

Saturday, September 24, 1898. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday. The following Road Supervisor Report approved.

Charles W. Johnson	Road Supervisor Road District No. 34	\$67.00
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The following bills approved:

J. C. Harkness	Acting Coroner deceased unknown	\$14.30
J. P. Todd	Juror Coroner's Inquest	\$2.80
A. H. Dawson	Juror Coroner's Inquest	\$2.80
E. A. Roberts	Juror Coroner's Inquest	\$2.80
L. L. Tower	Juror Coroner's Inquest	\$2.80
Alvin Hyde	Juror Coroner's Inquest	\$2.80
F. Y. Wilson	Juror Coroner's Inquest	\$2.80
James Nobles	Witness Coroner's Inquest	\$2.80
A. E. Johnson	Witness Coroner's Inquest	\$2.80
Pat Maloney	Witness Coroner's Inquest	\$2.80
O. J. Smith	Expense account	\$13.70
H. J. Reynolds	6 days as County Commissioner and 80 miles @10 cents per mile	\$32.00
L. J. Wolfard	Six days as County Commissioner, telephone and meal to county charge	\$30.75
T. E. Irish	Two days as County Commissioner, telephoning	\$23.95

Board adjourned to October 3, 1898

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman

Attest: Jno. L. Metcalfe, Ex Officio Clerk

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 395 & 396, 10/3/1898 (Page 396 on file 18981017

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, State of Washington, met pursuant to adjournment of September 24, 1898.

Present:

L. J. Wolfard	Chairman, Commissioner 2 nd District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1 st District

Ordered that the plat of the Third (3rd) Addition to the Town of Republic be, and the same hereby is approved and the Surveyor is instructed to record the same.

The following bills allowed:

Mrs. E. A. Whites	Relief of self and family	\$20.00
L. J. Wolfard	Relief to E. Balzore	\$12.00
C. W. Winter	(Agent for Phoenix Insurance Co) Insurance policy for	\$168.00
	Stevens County Courthouse	
T. E. Irish	Trip to Spokane on official business	\$12.00
	Mileage to Spokane on official business	\$6.60
	One days work as County Commissioner	\$4.00
	Mileage 132 miles as County Commissioner	\$13.20
	Telephone	\$1.00
	Total	\$36.80

In the matter of the tax levy for the ensuring fiscal year, the following estimate of expenses was made, to wit:

Expense Superior Court	\$4000
Expense Justice Court	\$1500
Board of Prisoners	\$1000
Stationary Printing and Records	\$1500
Sundries fuel, lights, freight, etc.	\$300
Interest on bonds	\$3910
Coroner's Inquest	\$300
Expense of county officers	\$1500
Salaries	\$19000
Relief of Indigent Soldiers	\$150
Furnishing Courthouse	\$400
Completing courthouse	\$1800
Constructing and repair of county bridges	\$2500
Care, Maintenance etc. County Poor	\$3500
Election expenses	\$1200
County Indebtedness	\$10000
County Schools	\$4000
Total	\$55310

Board adjourned to Monday, October 17, 1898

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 396, 10/17/1898

Colville, Washington, October 17, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment of October 3, 1898

L. J. Wolfard	Commissioner 2 nd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1st District

The following Road Supervisor's Reports allowed:

Purty O'Hare	Road District No. 38	\$250.10
G. T. Duncan	Road District No. 22	\$7.85
E. D. Morrison	Road District No. 1	\$61.75
N. A. Gray	Road District No. 33	\$100.00

Board adjourned to October 18, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 396 & 397, 10/18/1898 (File under 18981017)

Tuesday, October 18, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present

- L. J. Wolfard
- T. E. Irish
- H. T. Reynolds

The following bills allowed:

W. G. Davis	Work on road	\$63.75
F. M. Jennings	Work on road	\$37.50
Lee Jennings	Work on road	\$15.00
L. B. Davis	Work on road	\$111.25
J. W. Johnson	Work on road	\$50.00

The following Road Supervisor Report allowed:

T. J. Turk	Road District No. 7	\$73.50
T. J. Turk	Road District No. 7	\$76.60

The following bills allowed:

Chris Houtchins Work on road \$267.05

Board adjourned to October 19 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 397 & 398, 10/19/1898

Wednesday, October 19, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following	Road	Supervisors	Report	allowed:
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W. A. Babb	Road District No. 36	\$20.00
Layton Matthewson	Road District No. 9	\$91.00
R. J. Townsend	Road District No. 5	\$15.00
J. H. Penney	Road District No. 29	\$172.25
Geo. W. Byers	Road District No. 11	\$84.75
W. J. Wilson	Road District No. 37	\$18.00
B. W. Emery	Road District No. 4	\$37.00
John T. Rogers	Road District No. 23	\$25.00

The plat and field notes of the Deep Creek Lake Road and viewers report of same are hereby accepted and the same declared a county road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 14-29, Deep Creek and Calispel Road, #523}

In the matter of the petition of George W. Johnson et al for a county road as follows: Commencing at a point about nine rods northwest from the terminal post of the Kent Road Extension on Section 34 Township 31 Range 45 running easterly parallel with the Great Northern Railroad to the rail road crossing as now established on said railroad and thence in a southerly direction terminating at a point about 130 rods east from the three-mile post on said road on Section 23 Township 30 Range 45. The width of said road to be 40 feet. Ordered that said petition be granted and County Surveyor ordered to survey the same. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 30-31, Geo. Johnson Road, #686}

In the matter of the petition of George W. Johnson et al for a county road described as follows: Commencing at a point on the Spring Valley Road about 32 rods east of the western terminus of said road on Section 28 Township 30 Range 45 and thence running in northwesterly direction about one mile and thence in a southwesterly direction about 4 miles and terminating at a point on the Spokane and Stevens County line on Section 36 Township 30 Range 44 connecting with a road in Spokane County leading to Spokane which is already cut out and traveled width of said road to be 40 feet. Ordered that the said petition be granted and the County Surveyor is hereby ordered to survey the same. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 32-34, Extension of Spring Valley Road (Johnson's), #697}

The following Road Supervisors Report allowed:

J. O. Johnson	Road District No. 31	\$197.00
Chas W. Johnson	Road District No. 34	\$98.00

In the matter of the petition of J. H. Felt et al for a change in the Diamond Lake Road described as follows: Commencing at a point about 40 rods southeast of the 14 miles stake on said road and running in a southeasterly direction intersecting the section line between Section 23 and 24 Township 31 Range 45 East Willamette Meridian. Thence South to the % section corner thence East along the % section line as far as practical thence in a

northeasterly direction intersecting the Great Northern right of way, following said right of way to state line between Idaho and Washington. Ordered that said petition be granted and the road change as described and surveyed be, and the same hereby is declared a county road.

The resignation of A. H. Dawson as Justice of the Peace of Northport Precinct, Washington, is hereby accepted.

In the matter of the petition of F. G. Slocum et al for the appointment of F. Y. Wilson as Justice of the Peace for Northport Precinct is hereby granted and his official bond having been approved said appointment is hereby made.

Board adjourned to October 20, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 398, 399, 400, & 401, 10/20/1898

Thursday, October 20, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the United States of America et al Plaintiffs versus The County of Stevens et al, Defendants;

F. C. Robertson is hereby employed to represent Stevens County in said action, and the County Auditor is hereby ordered to draw a warrant in favor of said F. C. Robertson in the sum of \$250.00 as attorney's fee upon the final determination of said action.

Ordered that the sum of forty dollars (\$40.00) be and the same hereby is appropriated for building a jail at Bossburg, Washington, and the County Auditor is hereby instructed to draw a warrant in favor of C. E. Ivy for the above amount.

In the matter of the petition of Ira Black et al for the appointment of J. F. Daniels as Road Supervisor for District No. 47. Ordered, that said petition be granted and said appointment in hereby made.

Ordered that the County Treasurer transfer the sum of \$72.45) from the Road and Bridge Fund to Road District No. 29.

The following bill allowed:

C. N. Park Collecting delinquent tax	\$44.00
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Road District No. 1	1 mill	Road District No. 20	3 mills
Road District No. 2	5 mills	Road District No. 21	2 mills
Road District No. 3	1 mill	Road District No. 22	3 mills
Road District No. 4	3 mills	Road District No. 23	1 mill
Road District No. 5	1 mill	Road District No. 24	4 mills
Road District No. 6	3 mills	Road District No. 25	0 mills
Road District No. 7	1 mill	Road District No. 26	1 mill
Road District No. 8	5 mills	Road District No. 27	3 mills
Road District No. 9	4 mills	Road District No. 28	1 mill
Road District No. 10	2 mills	Road District No. 29	5 mills
Road District No. 11	3 mills	Road District No. 30	5 mills
Road District No. 12	4 mills	Road District No. 31	1 mill
Road District No. 13	1 mill	Road District No. 32	5 mills
Road District No. 14	3 mills	Road District No. 33	2 mills
Road District No. 15		Road District No. 34	1 mill
Road District No. 16	3 mills	Road District No. 35	0 mills
Road District No. 17	1 mill	Road District No. 36	1 mill
Road District No. 18	3 mills	Road District No. 37	1 mill
Road District No. 19	1 mill	Road District No. 38	5 mill
Road District No. 39	5 mills		
Road District No. 40	5 mills		
Road District No. 41	3 mills		
Road District No. 42	5 mills		
Road District No. 43	1 mill		

The following tax levy was made for Road Districts, to wit:

Road District No. 44	3 mills
Road District No. 45	2 mills
Road District No. 46	5 mills
Road District No. 47	5 mills
Road District No. 48	5 mills
Road District No. 49	5 mills
Road District No. 50	5 mills
Road District No. 51	5 mills
Road District No. 52	5 mills

The Road Supervisor Election Returns examined and the following Road Supervisors declared elected:

Robert Flick	Road Supervisor District No. 6
John Throop	Road Supervisor District No. 12
Jerry Parrish	Road Supervisor District No. 41
Gottlieb Rellstab	Road Supervisor District No. 45
Frank S. Maxwell	Road Supervisor District No. 40
C. C. Landertsen	Road Supervisor District No. 27
Daniel Hollandsworth	Road Supervisor District No. 43
B. F. Shannon	Road Supervisor District No. 34
Frank Winchester	Road Supervisor District No. 30
W. A. Atkinson	Road Supervisor District No. 44
J. W. Johnson	Road Supervisor District No. 39
Jacob Scott	Road Supervisor District No. 36
Ed Davis	Road Supervisor District No. 42
Alfred Menkie	Road Supervisor District No. 20
Chas. Peterson	Road Supervisor District No. 5
Layton Matthewson	Road Supervisor District No. 9
W. J. Wilson	Road Supervisor District No. 37
Peter E. Immel	Road Supervisor District No. 26
E. A. Chaffee	Road Supervisor District No. 28
J. B. Ellis	Road Supervisor District No. 23
A. H. Davis	Road Supervisor District No. 24
Frank J. Donnelly	Road Supervisor District No. 17
Henry Dudeck	Road Supervisor District No. 16
John Jones	Road Supervisor District No. 32
B. W. Emery	Road Supervisor District No. 4
N. H. Gammage	Road Supervisor District No. 33
Alexander Weaver	Road Supervisor District No. 3
R. L. O'Hare	Road Supervisor District No. 38
H. E. Canning	Road Supervisor District No. 48
James Lyon	Road Supervisor District No. 13
Thomas Turk	Road Supervisor District No. 7
W. J. Johnson	Road Supervisor District No. 10
E. D. Morrison	Road Supervisor District No. 1
J. O. Johnson	Road Supervisor District No. 31

Board adjourned to October 21, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 402, 403, 404, & 405, 10/21/1898 (Image for page 405 on file 18981022)

October 21, 1898. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the Bettrick Road: It appearing to the board that the line of said road between Section 11 & 2 Township 28 North Range 41 East Willamette Meridian is in question. The County Surveyor is hereby instructed to retrace the section line and locate the road thereon.

The following bills allowed:

W. E. Parmalee	Work on courthouse	\$52.00	
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Precinct Name Boundary C. D. Robinson Inspector Howard Haseltine Judge A. J. Jackson Judge Chewelah E. H. Tarble Inspector George Mowatt Judge Fred Keiling Judge Ed Cook Inspector Calispel J. D. Wooden Judge George Reynolds Judge Curlew N. G. Diltz Inspector W. Pemberton Judge Edgar B. O'Connor Judge Columbia Geo. Coulter Inspector Chas. Johnson Judge W. B. Rice Judge Deep Creek Thos Sherlock Inspector Pat Grace Judge W. J. Doyle Judge G. W. Johnson Newport Inspector J. H. Felt Judge M. C. Kelley Judge Northport Perry Burlingame Inspector J. Durrant Judge F. E. Payne Judge Old Dominion Wm. Murray Inspector F. M. Dow Judge E. F. Larios Judge Meyers Falls J. J. Hughes Inspector J. A. Meyers Judge F. C. Fedder Judge G. B. Storking Republic Inspector S. H. Manly Judge J. M. Bewley Judge L. C. Richardson Inspector Rock Cut Johnson Taylor Judge

The following appointments for Judges of Election were made:

	Lon Weston	Judge
Springdale	J. P. Munkers	Inspector
	Joseph Wendall	Judge
	Jerry Covney	Judge
Stensgar	John Salvage	Inspector
	C. F. Conrady	Judge
	George S. Keels	Judge
Thetis	George Jarvis	Inspector
	Orin Belknap	Judge
	Mike Kulzer	Judge
White Lake	R. J. Ogden	Inspector
	George Theis	Judge
	Ed Gibson	Judge
Williams Valley	J. W. Walbridge	Inspector
	E. P. Staley	Judge
	E. M. Kratzer	Judge
Young America	Wm. Terry	Inspector
	C. A. Wright	Judge
	M. Anderson	Judge
Nelson	Robert McNeilly	Inspector
	Wm. Clark	Judge
	Thos Donar	Judge
Riverside	Jacob Scott	Inspector
	A. J. Smith	Judge
	Warren Scott	Judge
Diamond Lake	B. C. Allen	Inspector
	F. A. Kent	Judge
	W. E. Talmage	Judge
Daisy	Henry Carl	Inspector
	Joseph Halford	Judge
	Sam Magee	Judge
Fertile Valley	C. Lendertsen	Inspector
	Al McKern	Judge
	D. Driscall	Judge
Flat Creek	Smith Miller	Inspector
	James Mulray	Judge
	Joe Ledgerwood	Judge
Harvey	Martin Scottin	Inspector
	R. L. Dashiel	Judge
	Thos Majore	Judge
Ione	John E. Renshaw	Inspector
	J. W. Morrison	Judge
	A. St Clair	Judge
Kettle Falls	D. M. Richards	Inspector
	George Sparks	Judge
	E. J. Shackleton	Judge
Loon Lake	C. K. Shelhammer	Inspector
	J. W. Dunlap	Judge
	J. A. Denton	Judge
Lake Creek	Wesley Gourley	Inspector
	Jacob Singer	Judge
	JUCOD JINECI	Junge

	J. P. Spencer	Judge
Little Dalles	D. F. Crown	Inspector
	A. Almstrom	Judge
	W. W. Martin	Judge
Marcus	Frank Wilson	Inspector
	E. D. Morrison	Judge
	J. B. Reynolds	Judge
Metaline	J. B. Patter	Inspector
	John Bettencourt	Judge
	J. D. Yeargin	Judge
McLaughlin	R. H. Renshaw	Inspector
	Henry Bauer	Judge
	G. E. Wilson	Judge
Walkers Prairie	Geo. W. Byers	Inspector
	W. R. Halderman	Judge
	D. Hollandsworth	Judge
Colville	James Crawford	Inspector
	J. B. Thomas	Judge
	C. R. McMillan	Judge
Clayton	E. H. Horr	Inspector
	Martin Iverson	Judge
	J. O. Hawkins	Judge
Forest Center	R. Hesseltine	Inspector
	Fletcher Jarvis	Judge
	R. D. McEvers	Judge
Spring Valley	M. Walsh	Inspector
	Pete Lang	Judge
	Frank Ringnet	Judge

{August Almstrom was postmaster of Marble from 28 February 189? To December 1902. {Michael Kulzer was postmaster of Valley from 6 November 1893 to February 1898.} Board adjourned to October 22, 1898 Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 405 & 406, 10/22/1898

Saturday, October 22, 1898, board met pursuant to adjournment present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the petition of M. Oppenheimer et al for an appropriation to complete the state road from Marcus to Republic. Said petition is hereby rejected.

The following appointments for Road Supervisors were made.

Tim Mahar Road District No. 8

In the matter of the petition of L. J. McAtee et al for a voting precinct in the south half of the Colville Indian Reservation. Said petition is hereby rejected.

In the matter of the petition of Jno. L. Metcalfe et al for the appointment of George Bottorf as Road Supervisor for Road District No. 47. Said petition is hereby rejected.

In the matter of the application of Ira W. Blach for a transfer of Liquor Business from the Town of Republic to Duluth, Washington. He having filed the written consent of bondsmen and the owners of land for such transfer. Ordered that said permission be and the same hereby is granted.

In the matter of the petition of Jno. Smith et al for a county road. The plat and field notes are hereby accepted and the route as surveyed declared a county road.

In the matter of the petition of Heidigger et al for an extension of the Thorp Road. The plat and field notes are hereby accepted and the route as surveyed declared a county road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 10-11, Extension of the Thorpe Road, #804}

In the matter of the petition of M. T. Belknap et al for a county road. The plat and field notes are hereby accepted and the route as surveyed declared a county road. {Possible Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 13-14, M. T. Belknap Change in White Mud Lake Road, #692}

In the matter of the petition of Jared et al for the appointment of James H. Penny as Road Supervisor for Road District No. 29. Said petition is granted and appointment made.

In the matter of the petition of W. C. Morris et al for the appointment of W. L. Russell as Constable for Republic Precinct. Said petition is hereby rejected.

In the matter of the petition of E. S. Hart and J. M. Reynolds for an appropriation of \$1000.00 to cut out right of way on Kettle Falls and Republic Road. Said petition is rejected.

In the matter of the petition of F. G. Slocum et al for an appropriation to improve the road leading to ferry land at Northport. Said petition is hereby rejected.

In the matter of the petition of J. W. Lindsay et al for a county road. The plat and field notes are hereby accepted and the route as surveyed declared a county road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 12, J. W. Lindsay Road, #588}

Board adjourned to October 24, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 406 & 407, 10/24/1898

Monday, October 24, 1898. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the Mandamus proceedings brought against the County Auditor by H. G. Kirkpatrick to compel him to place the "Citizens Ticket" at the head of the official ballot. It is hereby ordered that Frank H. Graves be employed at a fee of \$250.00 to represent the Auditor in said suit.

The following bills allowed:

D. A. Euman	Work on road No. 12	\$17.00
D. A. Euman	Work on road (R&B)	\$24.50

In the matter of the petition of Paul Laplant for permission to use the public highway for the purpose of conducting water in pipe from Paul Laplant Ranch to the town of Colville and also to erect poles for the purpose of conducting electricity to said town. Ordered that said permission be granted. Provided that in laying said pipe or erecting said poles shall not in any way interfere with public travel on said highway.

In the matter of the R. Feldman et al for a county road from Marcus to Republic. It appearing to the board that the proposed road is over the same route as the state road. Ordered that said petition be and the same is hereby rejected.

Board adjourned to October 25, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 407 & 408, 10/25/1898

Tuesday, October 25, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills allowed.

Jack Lyons	Care County Poor	\$2.50
M. B. Grieve	Team and expense county charge	\$10.00
A. J. Denison	Work on county bridge	\$3.00
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Purchasing Agent	\$27.56
Adel Bishop	Road viewer	\$12.00
Lars Berger	Road viewer	\$12.00
Harry Diamond	Chainman	\$12.00
Roy Cummings	Chainman	\$12.00
Ed Davis	Marker	\$2.00
W. W. Atherton	Axman	\$2.00
John Jones	Reburying Grevik	\$25.00
Jerry Cooney	Relief to Crosier (S. R.)	\$20.00
W. S. Rose	Expense burying body unknown	\$27.50
Geo. W. Byers	Ax & handle Road District No. 11	\$1.25
Jno. W. Johnson	County charge	\$42.00
J. M. Stevens	Trip to Poor Farm	\$1.00
F. F. Hallam	Deputy Sheriff	\$2.25
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Purchasing Agent	\$1.31
E. A. Kyes	Relief to Van Slyke S. R.	\$15.00
E. M. Denny	Expense account	\$21.50
E. M. Denny	Horse hire	\$61.50
C. H. Thompson	Deputy Sheriff	\$23.75
P. T. Clark	Deputy Sheriff	\$.50
C. H. Thompson	Deputy Sheriff	\$11.25
M. F. Shims	Deputy Sheriff	\$2.50
H. C. Parliment	Deputy Sheriff	\$32.60
W. P. Murray	Deputy Sheriff	\$5.75
N. C. Parker	Care of county poor	\$196.93
W. L. Terry	Care of Gillmore	\$6.75
W. L. Terry	Con Fee State versus Indiana	\$5.90
C. E. Ivy	Justice of the Peace State versus Indian	\$1.95
J. B. Thomas	Recording Towns plat	\$12.50
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Office rent	\$27.00
J. B. Thomas	County Surveyor	\$80.00
J. B. Thomas	County Surveyor	\$35.00
O. J. Smith	Expense account	\$13.40
J. B. Thomas	County Surveyor	\$16.10
S. K. Owens	Bridge work	\$37.50
H. C. Parliment	Deputy Sheriff	\$18.50
Wm. L. Terry	Con Fee State versus Lester	\$12.75
The hill of A H Da	wson acting Coroner in inquest held on the body of R.	M McDermott

The bill of A. H. Dawson acting Coroner in inquest held on the body of R. M. McDermott rejected.

In the matter of the petition for a county road by J. W. Johnson et al. The viewers' report is accepted and the 28 day of November 1898 is hereby set for hearing of said report.

Board adjourned to October 26, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 408, 409, & 410, 10/26/1898

Wednesday, October 26, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills allowed:

H. G. Kirkpatrick	Traveling expenses	\$75.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Traveling expenses	\$12.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Traveling expenses	\$20.00
E. D. Morrison	Work on Road Road District No. 1	\$119.00
Jack Swan	Road & bridge work District No. 9	\$4.50
Lewis Hoxworth	Hauling lumber for bridge	\$15.00
H. J. Obermiller	Road & bridge work District No. 9	\$10.50
T. D. McDonald	Road & bridge work District No. 9	\$6.00
Bird & Hedges	Lumber Road and Bridge	\$39.05
H. C. Parliment	Deputy Sheriff	\$9.00
F. Barman	Merchandise to County Poor	\$50.35
C. E. Ivy	Justice of Peace fees	\$3.75
Mrs. B. F. Taylor	Care & expense county charge	\$6.05
Heimbach & Co.	Merchandise prisoners	\$5.50
Mrs. N. M. Wright	Board of prisoners	\$85.75
Frank B. Goetter	Merchandise glass etc.	\$1.50
Lindsay & Wade	Road scraper District No. 3	\$8.00
J. W. Griswold	Care of McKay	\$9.00
W. P. Murray	Drugs	\$3.10
James G. Young	Care of McKay	\$54.00
F. H. Guilliom	Wood for McKay	\$8.00
Whiteford &	Board of McKay	\$71.00
Weitreicht		
Smith & Keyes	Rent etc. McKay	\$46.30
Thos. Holford	Care of McKay	\$60.75
J. B. Thomas	Tracing cloth	\$7.95
James Shelton	Repair of road tools	\$4.70
Louis Weatherwax	Deputy Sheriff	\$22.75
E. A. Kyes	Relief of Immel S. R.	\$17.00
P. P. Causey	Care of McKay	\$127.75
F. H. Gullion	Wood for McKay	\$4.00
S. S. Beggs	Expense account	\$25.19
H. G. Kirpatrick	Expense account	\$32.60

In the matter of the petition of G. Herzner et al for a county road described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of Section 2 Township 29 Range 39. Runs in northwest direction across Section 34 and Township 30 Range 39 and termination at center Section 27 Township 30 Range 39. Ordered that said petition be granted and the County Surveyor ordered to survey the same.

In the matter of the petition of L. F. Ledgerwood et al for the appointment of James Petty as Janitor for the courthouse. Said petition is hereby granted and appointment made for the term of six month from the first of November 1890. Salary \$25.00 per month. The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to cancel \$300.00 improvements on Lot 1 Block 6 Squires City, the same having been assessed in error for year 1897.

In the matter of the application of Ira Emerson and Charles A. Bennett for a license to construct and run a cable ferry across the Columbia River at a point about 5 miles southwest from Fruitland. It appearing to the board that said Emerson and Bennett have completed with the requirements of law in regard to securing ferry landing and have filed with the Auditor the Treasurer's receipt for the sum of \$20.00 ordered that when the said Emerson and Bennett shall file with the Auditor a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$500.00 that said license shall be granted for the term of one year and the rate of ferriage is hereby fixed as follows:

Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, loaded	\$1.50
Six horse team and 2 wagons with driver, empty	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, loaded	\$1.00
Four horse team and 1 wagon with driver, empty	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, loaded	\$.75
Two horse team and wagon with driver, empty	\$.50
Four horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.75
Two horse stage and driver making regular trips with driver	\$.50
Saddle horse and rider	\$.50
Pack animals, loaded each.	\$.25
Pack animals, not loaded, each same as loose stock	\$.10
Loose stock, horses, cattle, mules etc.	\$.10
Sheep hogs, etc. in bands of 10 or more each	\$.05
Footman, each.	\$.25

Board adjourned to October 27, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 410, 10/26/1898

Thursday, October 27, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the application of Eureka News Company for a license to sell cigarettes, said Eureka News Company having filed oath and petition required by law and having deposited with County Treasurer the sum of five dollars. Ordered that said license be granted for the term of six months.

Board adjourned to October 28, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 411, 10/28/1898

Friday, October 28, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the settlement with the County Treasurer for quarter ending September 30, 1898. He showed deposits in bank and cash in safe for the sum of \$30,083.35 distributed in the various funds as follows:

State General Fund	\$460.18
State Military Fund	\$22.80
State Interest Fund	\$20.17
State School Fund	\$302.89
General School Fund	\$11716.81
Contingent Fund	\$14.10
Poor Fund	\$784.65
Salary Fund	\$361.24
Road & Bridge Fund	\$4364.90
Road Property Fund	\$3949.83
Soldiers Relief	\$194.79
Special School Fund	\$4250.91
Special Road Fund	\$13.51
Current Expense Fund	\$38.19
Colville Fund	\$58.59
Kettle Falls Fund	\$8.54
Interest and Cost Fund	\$1366.58
Superior Court Fund	\$16.99
Institute Fund	\$88.00
State Cost Fund	\$.89
Current Expense Fund	\$107.30
County Indebtedness Fund	\$1941.49

Board adjourned to October 29, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 411 & 412, 10/29/1898

Saturday, October 29 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present of yesterday.

In the matter of the application of John Stack for a cigarette license, he having filed oath and petition required by law and the Treasurer's receipt for the sum of \$10.00. Ordered that said application be granted and a license issued for one year from April 1898. {John Stack was postmaster of the Republic Post Office from 13 December 1898 to the area becoming Ferry County.}

Louis Perras	Team hire	\$6.00
W. D. Allen	County printing	\$120.25
J. M. Johnson	County charge	\$13.00
F. B. Goetter	Ticket to J. W. Johnson County Charge	\$32.20
H. T. Reynolds		
	12 days as County Commissioner @ 4 per day	\$48.00
	Mileage 80 miles @ 10 cents per mile	\$8.00
	Examining roads 3 days	\$12.00
	Mileage 80 miles @ 10 cents per mile	\$8.00
	Total	\$76.00
T. E. Irish		
	7 days at Newport @ \$4.00	\$28.00
	140 miles at 10 cents per mile	\$14.00
	Nine days service as County Commissioner	\$36.00
	Total	\$78.50
L. J. Wolfard		
	12 days as County Commissioner at \$5.00	\$60.00
	3 days examining road	\$15.00
	Mileage 80 miles	\$8.00
	Telephone	\$.50
	Total	\$83.50

The following bills allowed:

Board adjourned to November 28, 1898

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman Board County Commissioners

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 412 & 413, 11/28/1898

Colville, Washington, November 28, 1898

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, met pursuant to adjournment of October 27th, 1898.

Present

L. J. Wolfard	Chairman, Commissioner 2 nd District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1 st District

The following bills allowed:

E. R. Gray	Road Work Road District No. 33	\$130.90
C. D. Buckley	Road Work	\$170.25
Mrs. F. W. Cannon	Care of three Betzedore children	\$19.00
(Matron)		
F. A. Kent	Road work	\$80.00
P. J. Kelly	Merchandise	\$10.00
Ed Davis	Bridge work (Road District) No. 42	\$4.00

Board adjourned to Tuesday, November 29th, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 413 & 414, 11/29/1898

Tuesday, November 29th, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the petition of E. Kapp to others for a county road, described as follows: Commencing at a point in the Calispel Road about thirty rods Northwest from the southwest corner of the southwest ¼ of the northwest ¼ of Section 27 Township 33 North Range 43 East Willamette Meridian, running thence East on the line between the northwest ¼ and the southwest ¼ of Section 24 of the township above mentioned continuing thence until it intersect with the Shultz Road, running North and South. This road petition for, is intended to take the place of a piece of road running diagonally through the south ¼ of the northwest ¼ of the Section 24 Township 33 North of Range 43 East Willamette Meridian. Ordered that the above-described route be established thereby and the County Surveyor ordered to survey the same. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 35, Kapp's Cut off, #711}

In the matter of a petition of James Moore et al, residents of Stevens County, State of Washington, for an appropriation of one hundred dollars to improve the road between the Indian Schoolhouse & the Spokane Bridge on the Spokane Reservation. Ordered that the said petition be granted.

In the matter of the petition of O. M. Reynolds et al for viewing, locating, and establishing a county road 60 feet in width in Stevens County, State of Washington, commencing at a point on the Columbia River near O. M. Reynolds's Ferry, running thence about 3 miles in a southwesterly direction to connect with the Republic Road and ending at the junction of the Kettle Falls and Republic Road, the whole distance being about three miles said road to be known as the Republic Wagon Road, the whole distance being about three miles said road to be known as the Republic Wagon Road. Bond having been filed and W. Stofferd and J. W. Swan appointed as viewers. It is ordered that abovedescribed route be established thereby and the County Surveyor ordered to survey the same.

In the matter of the application of J. L. Kasminsky for a retail liquor license in the Town of Bossburg, Stevens County, Washington, and having filed with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond and the Treasurer's receipt for \$600.00. The license is granted for one year.

Heimbach & Co.	Merchandise county charge	\$4.50
H. G. Kirkpatrick	For fees paid Deputy Prosecuting Attorney in case,	\$35.00
	State versus Rumsley	
Grant C. Ashbrock	Delivering election supplies	\$25.00
C. H. Thomas	Deputy Sheriff	\$28.05
C. S. Bass	Merchandise for Galispy Family	\$20.00
C. W. Winter	For cash advanced for expenses & telegraph charges	\$31.78
A. Bishop	Road and Bridge work	\$75.00

The following bills allowed:

Board adjourned to Wednesday, November 30, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 414 & 415, 11/30/1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the petition for the appointment of S. O. Fulgham as Road Supervisor of Road District No. 18, Stevens County, State of Washington. The same as hereby approved and appointment made.

It is hereby ordered that the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) be and the same is appropriated for the construction of a bridge across the Moorhead Lake, and the County Auditor is hereby authorized to draw warrant in payment for material furnished for said bridge on presentation of bills properly attested by Wm. Moorhead who is construction of said bridge.

It is hereby ordered that A. Bishop is authorized to open the Deep Creek Road extending from Northport to two miles past.

In the matter of the application for a retail liquor license by C. A. Wright and Johnson for the sale of liquor in the Town of Bossburg, Stevens County, State of Washington. The same is hereby granted to date from the 13 day of November 1898. When the said C. A. Wright and Johnson file with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond with the written permission of the owners of the building in which the saloon is conducted and the Treasurer's duplicate receipt for \$600.00.

Official bond of H. G. Kirkpatrick, Prosecuting Attorney for Stevens County, State of Washington, for the sum of five thousand dollars is hereby approved.

Guy Brouilett	17 days guarding jail	\$38.25
Wm. P. Hughes	For publication of election 2 weeks	\$10.85
C. L. Lindsay	Staining and varnishing desk, Sheriff's Office	\$2.00
Ed Davis	Supervisor's Report, Road Work District No. 42	\$9.50
Lee and Miller	Money expended on Flat Creek Road	\$150.00
E. S. Miller	Road Supervisor District No. 48 Money expended	\$130.00
J. A. Rochford	For office furniture	\$30.00
L. J. Wolfard	Time in canvassing board	\$5.00

The following bills approved:

The following Supervisor's Report of Road District No. 38 approved

Purty O'Hare

\$21.59

Board adjourned to Thursday, December 1, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 415 & 416, 12/1/1898

Thursday, December 1, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following Supervisor's Report of Road District No. 12 Stevens County, Washington is hereby approved.

D. A. Emmans	Road & Bridge	\$69.65
D. A. Emmans	District Road Fund	\$6.25

Map of Mono Addition to Republic, Washington, allowed.

The report of Peter Rasmussen, Supervisor of Road District No. 21 is hereby approved.

Peter Rasmussen		\$6.00
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In the matter of the application of W. F. Simpson & Co. for a license to sell cigarettes, said W. F. Simpson & Co. having filed oath and petition required by law and having deposited with the County Treasurer the sum of five dollars. It is ordered that said license be granted for the term of six months.

It is hereby ordered money amounting to \$15.20 on valuation of \$400.00 of J. E. Johnson of Bossburg, Washington be refunded. The same having been paid under protest by receipt 2206, Taxes of 1897.

The following Supervisors Report of Road District No. 31 is approved.

J. O. Johnson	\$180.00
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Mrs. N. M. Wright	Boarding prisoners from 10/25/1898 to 12/1/1898	\$116.50
Prindle & Brouilette	Work on jail	\$3.50
L. J. Wolfard	Assistance rendered J. F. Hanley, county charge	\$5.00
L. J. Wolfard	Expense of county change Philip Levy	\$5.00
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Record books purchased	\$31.00
A. N. Pettingill	Registry of votes	\$68.75
N. H. Fry	Taking care of sick 6 ½ days	\$8.12
W. R. Lee	Expense charge of Mrs. McLean	\$2.15
C. Passons	Care of sick McKay and Jordon	\$171.75
J. M. Bewley	Judge of election	\$6.00
Benjamin Bell	Judge of election	\$6.00
G. B. Storking	Inspector of election	\$6.00
E. B. O'Connor	Clerk of election	\$6.00
L. S. Reed	Clerk of election	\$6.00
T. B. Walsh	Making booths	\$5.00
Geo. B. Storking	Registration clerk	\$1.75
E. M. Denny	Sheriff expense, board & lodging	\$14.30
E. M. Denny	Lodging jurors	\$7.00
E. M. Denny	Livery hire 9/1/1898 to 12/1/1898	\$94.50
Lemery & Co.	Merchandise jail necessities	\$2.70

Jas. B. Owens	Gas supplies	\$164.20
D. J. Zent	Nine spittoons	\$.90
Homer Johnson	Special Deputy Sheriff	\$2.25
Michael Walsh	Special Deputy Sheriff	\$2.25
Thos. M. Smith	Guarding jail	\$6.75
J. B. Litton	Deputy Sheriff	\$34.00
0. P. Foster	Deputy Sheriff	\$18.95

Board adjourned to Friday, December 2, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 417 & 418, 12/2/1898

Friday, December 2, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the viewers report of the Deep Creek Lake Road. J. J. Walters and Mrs. A. V. Downs are hereby notified that on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1899 at the room of the Board of County Commissioners in the courthouse in Colville, said county, said board of commissioners will hear the report of the viewers heretofore appointed to view the Deep Creek Lake Road.

In the matter of the petition of John MacDonald et al for the appointment of Archibald McColman as Road Supervisors of Road District No. 2, Stevens County, Washington. Petition is hereby granted and appointment made for the period of one year.

The following Supervisors' Report of Road District No. 47 approved.

J. J. Daniels	Road District No. 47	\$655.00
L. S. Childers	Road District No. 47	\$10.00

The following bills allowed:

T. B. Walsh	Material & labor on jail and courthouse	\$75.00
		\$10.00
P. J. Kelly	Merchandise, relief to Mrs. C. E. Worm	
Ferguson Frank	Bridge plank	\$5.76
Whiteford &	Board of McKay October 10, 1898 to October 31, 1898	\$20.00
Weittrecht		
The Irwin Hadson Co.	Merchandise, books & etc. for office	\$49.00
J. B. Thomas	Preparing booths	\$3.00
Geo. Coulter	Service on election board 1 ½ days	\$4.50
John McGreyer	Service on election board 1 ½ days	\$4.50
W. B Rice	1 ½ service on election board & building booths	\$10.00
N. B. Wheeler	To service as registration clerk	\$13.50
W. H. Pryor	Service delivering election supplies	\$12.75
J. F. Rumsey & Jarvis	Service delivering election supplies 4 ½ days	\$25.05
George Duncan	Road work Road District No. 22	\$75.00
John Naff	Lumber for bridge	\$7.15
Frank Ferguson	Bridge plant 1384 feet.	\$11.72
M. C. Peltier	Goods and provisions for Perry Goodman	\$30.00
M. C. Peltier	Merchandise, relief of county charge	\$1.85
M. P. Stephens	To serving [vermire?] for jurors	\$4.50
J. M. Stephens	Drayage, moving wood and furniture	\$2.50
J. M. Stephens	Trip to Poor Farm	\$1.00
Pioneer Bindery &	General election supplies	\$152.00
Printing Co.		
J. M. Stevens	Drayage and trip to Poor Farm	\$2.25
F. Y. Wilson	Justice of the Peace State versus Indian Philip	\$47.85
H. C. Rice	State versus Indian Philip	\$2.40
Geo. Doolittle	State versus Indian Philip	\$2.20
W. J. St. Clair	Constable, State versus Indian Philip	\$11.20
F. J. Leverly	Witness State versus Jno. Doe Mitchell	\$2.20
Wm. Ashpaugh	Witness State versus Jno. Doe Mitchell	\$2.20

Sam Cuger	Witness State versus Jno. Doe Mitchell	\$2.20
C. A. Chamberlain	Witness State versus Jno. Doe Mitchell	\$2.20
N. H. Yammage	Special constable State versus Jno. Doe Mitchell	\$6.00
Jno. Jas Graves	Justice of the Peace State versus Jno. Doe Mitchell	\$9.90

Board adjourned to Saturday, December 3, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 418, 419, 420, 421 & 422, 12/3/1898 (Page 418 on file for 18981202)

Saturday, December 3, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It is hereby ordered that one hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated for the completion of the Mingo Creek Road, commencing at the Hogbach on said road and ending at the Columbia River Road, said road to be a ten-foot solid road bed said amount to be paid E. R. Gray when the road is completed and is accepted by the county commissioners. Said road to be completed by January 1st, 1898.

In the matter of the bids for county printing it appears to the board that the bid of Wm. P. Hughes, editor and proprietor of the Northport News is the lowest, the contract for the County Printing for the ensuring year is hereby award to the said William P. Hughes at the following rates to wit:

Publishing proceeding of Board of County Commissioners and Board of Equalization per square inch sold nonpareil \$1,00 for first insertion and 50 cents for each subsequent insertion. All of other advertising as same rates.

	Job Printing	
½ sheet per 1000	1 st impression	\$1.15
½ sheet per 1000	2 nd impression	\$1.00
¼ sheet per 1000	1 st impression	\$.60
¼ sheet per 1000	2 nd impression	\$.55
½ sheet per 500	1 st impression	\$.65
½ sheet per 500	2 nd impression	\$.40
¼sheet per 500	1 st impression	\$.35
¼ sheet per 500	2 nd impression	\$.25
Full sheet per 1000	1 st impression	\$1.50
Full sheet per 1000	2 nd impression	\$1.40
Envelopes 6 ½ in. XXX	Full Gov. White per 1000	\$1.15
Envelopes 6 ½ in. XXX	Full Gov. White per 500	\$.60
Envelopes 9 x 10 in. XXX	Full Gov. White per 1000	\$2.00
Envelopes 9 x 10 in. XXX	Full Gov. White per 500	\$1.10
Letterheads per 1000		\$1.60

In the matter of the survey correcting the Bettrich Road line, the report recommendation of J. B. Thomas is hereby accepted, and the same declared a county road.

E. F. Larios	Repairing booths	\$2.50
W. J. St.Clair	Service on elections	\$3.00
Fred Keiling	Service repairing booths	\$1.50
E. H. Tarble	Inspector of election 2 days postage	\$6.45
Fred Keiling	Judge of election 2 days, postage	\$6.45
Geo. A. Mowatt	Judge of election 2 days	\$6.00
D. Vanslyke	Clerk of election 2 days	\$6.00
A. C. Keiling	Clerk of election 2 days	\$6.00
J. O. Oppenheimer	Rope	\$1.55

The following bills allowed.

E. L. Shackleton	Judge of election 1 ½ days	\$4.50
G. L. Sparks	Judge of election 1 ½ days, postage	\$5.16
D. M. Richard	Lumber & repairing booths and Inspecting election	\$7.00
Martin iverson	Judge of election 3 days	\$6.00
Geo. W. Byers	Inspector of election 1 ½ days, postage & trip to	\$5.62
Geo. W. Byers	Springdale	<i>\$</i> 9.0 2
W. R. Holderman	Judge of election 1 ½ days	\$4.50
Daniel Hollandsworth	Judge of election 1 ½ days	\$4.50
W. C. Brasfield	Fire light and house cleaning	\$2.00
Robert E. McNeely	Inspector of election, postage and registration	\$5.15
F. M. Murray	Carrying election returns 7 miles	\$1.40
F. M. Murray	Judge of election 1 day	\$3.00
W. W. Dickson	Inspector of election 2 days arrange booths	\$9.25
Jerry Cooney	Judge & clerk of election 2 days	\$6.00
Jno. O. Harkins	Judge & clerk of election 2 days	\$6.00
E. F. Larios	Judge & clerk of election 1 day	\$3.00
Henry Spencer	Inspector of election 1 ½ days	\$4.50
Jacob Singer	Inspector of election preparing booths	\$6.00
James J. Spencer	Inspector of election, postage, preparing booths	\$6.50
M. Peltier	Building booths & rent of house	\$15.00
Geo. Jarvis	Inspector of election	\$6.00
Michael Kulzer	Judge of election	\$6.00
Orin Belknap	Judge of election	\$6.00
John Salvage	Judge of election and postage	\$3.56
Charles D. Robinson	Election supplies	\$10.00
J. C. Gillingham	Judge & Clerk of election 2 days	\$6.00
Shannon, B. F.	Inspector, building booths, delivery of election	\$9.50
	supplies	
Martten Scotten	Service on election board & postage	\$5.14
R. L. Dashiel	Service on election board	\$4.50
Thomas Major	Service on election board	\$4.50
C. W. Miller	Judge of election	\$3.00
C. Lendertsen	Inspector of election	\$5.50
Dennis Driscoll	Judge of election	\$4.50
Emil Scholz	Judge of election	\$4.50
F. L. Chaplin	Inspector of election	\$3.00
J.W. Pemberton	Judge of election	\$3.00
G. W. Washburn	Judge of election	\$3.00
Wm. Day	Inspector of election & delivering of returns of	\$35.90
	election, election supplies	
James Allen	Judge of election	\$6.00
B. F. Thomas	Judge of election	\$6.00
J. B. Reynolds	Judge of election 2 days, [?oil & rap?]	\$7.00
E. D. Morrison	Judge of election 2 days	\$6.00
Donald McDonald	Inspector of election	\$6.00
J. S. Morgan	Clerk of election 2 days	\$6.00
J. J. Holbrook	Clerk of election 2 days	\$6.00
J. W. Dunlap	Judge of election 2 days	\$6.00
J. A. Denton	Judge of election 2 days	\$6.00
C. K. Shelhamer	Inspector of election 2 days & postage	\$6.60
W. E. Murray	Inspector of election 1 day	\$3.00

Sam. L. Magee	Judge of election 2 days	\$6.00
H. H. Carls	Service on election board 2 days, mileage	\$9.50
Joe Harte	Service on election board 2 days	\$6.00
Michael Walsh	Inspector of election 2 days & mileage	\$10.50
Frank Rinquest	Judge of election 2 days	\$6.00
P. J. Lang	Judge of election 2 days	\$6.00
M. B. Jaques	Clerk of election 2 days	\$6.00
Arthur King	Clerk of election 2 days	\$6.00
Jas. Crawford	Inspector of election 2 days	\$6.00
C. R. McMillan	Judge of election 2 days	\$6.00
J. B. Thomas	Judge of election 2 days	\$6.00
C. H. Thorton	Clerk of election 2 days	\$6.00
W. R. Baker	Clerk of election 2 days	\$6.00
J. D. Wooden	Service on election board & postage	\$3.30
H. A. Bennett	Service on election board	\$3.00
Ed Cook	Service on election board	\$3.00
John B. Renshaw	Inspector of election, mileage, & 1 day work	\$10.50
E. A. Kyrs	Use of building for polling place	\$5.00
R. J. Ogden	Election service, 1 day work, mileage	\$6.80
E. S. Miller	Mileage	\$4.00
Thos. M. Smith	Preparing booths	\$2.50
R. D. McEvers	Election service & preparing booths	\$9.50
Geo. Skeels	Preparing booths	\$2.00
R. Hesseltine	Election service & mileage	\$5.40
J. W. Rauch	Preparing booths	\$4.00
Thomas Donan	Judge of election 1 ½ days	\$4.50
J. P. Henry	Clerk of election 1 ½ days	\$4.50
W. M. Clark	Judge of election 1 ½ days	\$7.00
Jacob Scott	Inspector of election preparing booths	\$7.50
Perry Burlingame	Inspector of election 2 days & prerequisites	\$24.71
J. J. Durant	Judge of election 2 days	\$6.00
F. E. Payne	Judge of election 2 days	\$6.00
Perry J. Lyons	Clerk of election 2 days	\$6.00
A. V. Downs	Clerk of election 2 days	\$6.00
Louis Perras	Livery hire	\$15.00
A. J. Smith	Judge of election	\$3.00
F. C. Fedder	Judge of election mileage	\$6.90
J. P. Munker	Delivering election supplies	\$30.00
Bert Dulin	Preparing booths	\$3.00
M. Anderson	Judge of election 2 days	\$6.00
E. P. Staley	Judge & Clerk of election	\$3.00
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E. W. Scott F. R. Ballard M. D.	Judge of election, mileage & stamps Medical service & medicine	\$13.13
		\$5.50
W. E. Talmadge	Judge of election 2 days	\$6.00
Jay H. Feld	Judge of election 2 days	\$6.00
G. W. Johnson	Inspector of election	\$6.00
0. J. Smith	Mileage, stamps & expressage	\$19.00
David Meikel	House rent 11/13/1898 to 3/13/1899	\$16.00
Mrs. Ella Williams	Boarding jury & bailiffs 56 meals	\$14.00
Fletcher Jarvis	Judge of election	\$4.50
Alva Fobes	Work done on Robert Hilts Road	\$125.00

Road work on Road District No. 48	\$119.00
Inspector of election 2 days, building booths	\$16.10
Judge of election 2 days & mileage	\$10.00
Clerk of election 2 days	\$6.00
Clerk of election 2 days	\$6.00
Office expense account	\$64.13
Rend, furniture bidding etc.	\$8.00
Work on Walker's Prairie Road	\$33.50
Justice of the Peace State of Washington versus John	\$1.30
Doe	
Work performed on Road District No. 8	\$192.51
Soldiers Relief Fund	\$25.00
Books, drayage	\$10.00
4 copies code 96 with citation	\$20.00
Gas contract	\$100.00
Livery	\$6.50
Care of McKay October 11 to 31 1898 @ 2.25 per day	\$42.75
Work of registry office	\$38.50
Livery, travelling expense postage	\$24.25
Soldiers Relief	\$15.00
Cash paid for work on road	\$210.00
	Inspector of election 2 days, building booths Judge of election 2 days & mileage Clerk of election 2 days Clerk of election 2 days Office expense account Rend, furniture bidding etc. Work on Walker's Prairie Road Justice of the Peace State of Washington versus John Doe Work performed on Road District No. 8 Soldiers Relief Fund Books, drayage 4 copies code 96 with citation Gas contract Livery Care of McKay October 11 to 31 1898 @ 2.25 per day Work of registry office Livery, travelling expense postage Soldiers Relief

The following Supervisor Report accepted.

F. S. Maxwell	Road District No. 40	\$10.00
J. P. Parrish	Road District No. 41	\$17.50
Henry Wilson	Road District No. 6	\$136.25
John Jones	Road District No. 32	\$37.00

The following bill rejected:

G. E. Wilkes	Service Judge of election	\$3.00
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Board adjourned to Monday, December 5, 1898

{The Yakima Herald, November 17, 1898, Page 2, Referred to the Independent Senator as Gray, Silver Republican of Stevens County, elected on a citizen's ticket. The Independent Representative is G. M. Welty, Democrat, of Stevens County, who was also elected on the citizens' ticket. <u>https://www.historylink.org/File/5564</u> Fusionists sweep statewide offices in Washington general election on November 3, 1898.}

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 422 & 423, 12/5/1898

Monday, December 5, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the order passed October 20th, 1898, directing the County Auditor to draw a warrant in favor of F. C. Robertson for \$250.00 as attorney's fees upon the final determination of the action, the United State of America et al Plaintiffs versus Stevens County et al defendants be and is hereby rescinded and the County Auditor is hereby ordered to draw a warrant in favor of the said F. C. Robertson for \$250.00 as attorney's fees in said action

Ordered that a warrant be drawn on the Road and Bridge Fund in favor of S. S. Beggs for the sum of \$65.00.

In the matter of the application of H. E. Canning for a license to sell cigarettes. Said H. C. Canning having filed oath and application required by law and having deposited with the County Treasurer the sum of five dollars. It is ordered that said license be granted for the term of six months.

The following Supervisors' Reports approved:

H. R. Hanson	Road District No. 2	\$125.50
Peter P. Soot	Road District No. 13	\$142.95

The following bills allowed:

Jno. L. Metcalfe	Expense account	\$52.75
The Statesman-Index	Printing (W. D. Allen)	\$183.75
The Statesman-Index	County Printing (W. D. Allen)	\$153.00
J. P. Munkers	Expense livery hire	\$3.50
S. Dilsheimer & Co.	Merchandise for Mrs. Twitchell	\$69.45
F. A. King	Judge of elections 2 days	\$6.00
N. B. Wheeler	Justice of the Peace State versus N. R. Stone	\$5.15
D. McKeller	Constable State versus N. R. Stone	\$3.15
J. R. Mitchell	Witness State versus N. R. Stone	\$2.60
J. M. Mitchell	Witness State versus N. R. Stone	\$2.60
Chas. Chamberlain	Witness State versus N. R. Stone	\$2.60
Jno. Lively	Witness State versus N. R. Stone	\$2.60
W. B. Aris	Witness State versus N. R. Stone	\$2.60
Wm. Ashpaugh	Witness State versus N. R. Stone	\$2.60
N. B. Wheeler	Justice of the Peace State versus W. B. Aris et al	\$.70
W. J. St. Clair	Justice of the Peace State versus Henry L. Lillinthal	\$1.35
D. McKellar	Constable State versus Henry L. Lillinthal	\$1.20

Board adjourned to Tuesday, December 6, 1898

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 423 & 424, 12/6/1898

Tuesday, December 6th, 1898

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills allowed.

H. T. Reynolds	8 days work as County Commissioner	\$32.00
	Mileage 80 miles @ 10 cents per mile	\$8.00
	Examining road 1 days @ \$4.00	\$4.00
	Mileage 18 miles	\$1.80
	Total	\$45.80
L. J. Wolfard	8 days work as County Commissioner	\$40.00
	Telephone message	\$.50
	1 day on county road	\$5.00
	Mileage	\$2.30
	Total	\$47.80
T. E. Irish		
	1 day inspecting road @ \$4.00 per day	\$4.00
	1 day work on care of county charge	\$4.00
	1 day Inspecting Gray Road	\$4.00
	Relief to county charge house & rent	\$2.00
	Telephone message	\$3.05
	8 days work as County Commissioner @ \$4.00 per day	\$32.00
	Mileage 132 mile @ 10 cents per mile	\$13.20
	Total	\$62.25

The following bills rejected

O. T. Smith	Notary Fees	\$4.50 lined out
W. A. Wilcos	Clerk of Election 1 ½ days	\$4.50 lined out

Ordered that the Office Bond of the County Officers for term commencing January 9, 1898 be fixed as follows.

County Auditor	\$3,500.00
County Treasurer	\$35,000.00
County Assessor	\$3,000.00
County Surveyor	\$2,000.00
County Sheriff	\$2,500.00
County Superintendent of Schools	\$1,000.00

Board adjourned to Monday, January 2nd, 1899.

Signed L. J. Wolfard, Chairman of Board of County Commissioner

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 424 & 425, 1/2/1899

Colville, Washington, January 2nd, 1899

The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, met pursuant to adjournment of December 6th, 1898.

Present

L. J. Wolfard	Chairman, Commissioner 2 nd District
T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District
H. T. Reynolds	Commissioner 1 st District

In the matter of the petition of Jeremiah Seaman et al for a viewing locating changing and establishing a county road in Stevens County, Washington, to be known as Columbia River Road. Said road to be 60 feet wide, commencing at or near John Bachman's, about three miles north of Harvey near the river, running thence along the quarter section line of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter Section 33. The distance of about 50 rods thence across the corners, said corner to intersect the road now leading up the grade and ending at the intersection of said grade work. The whole distance, being about 80 or 100 rods. Ordered the petition be granted and the same to be established as a county road.

The following Road Supervisor appointed:

Geo. W. Byers	Road district No. 11
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The following bills allowed:

H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expense	\$24.10
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Board adjourned to Tuesday, January 3rd, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 425 & 426, 1/3/1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills allowed:

Acting coroner – D. Moriarty	\$46.00
Lumber building plank Road & Bridge Fund	\$53.19
Inspector of election	\$6.00
Inspector of election	\$6.00
Judge of election 2 days & stamps	\$6.75
Judge of election 2 days	\$6.00
Judge of election 1 day	\$3.00
Nurse 1 week	\$6.00
Nurse 3 ½ days	\$5.00
Expense trip to Republic	\$36.36
Painting	\$66.00
Quarterly expense Poor Farm	\$368.54
Judge of election	\$3.00
	Lumber building plank Road & Bridge Fund Inspector of election Inspector of election Judge of election 2 days & stamps Judge of election 2 days Judge of election 1 day Nurse 1 week Nurse 3 ½ days Expense trip to Republic Painting Quarterly expense Poor Farm

{Robert S. Spencer was postmaster of Crandall Post Office (near Usk) until service was discontinued 19 September 1900.}

The following Supervisors' Reports accepted

Geo. Duncan	Road District No. 22	\$87.50
Willard Spencer	Road District No. 19	\$7.50
S. H. Richey	Road District No. 18	\$44.50
S. H. Champ	Road District No. 8	\$54.66

Ordered taxes of C. M. Butler for the year 1896 on southeast ½ Section 30 Township 28 Range 40 East Willamette Meridian cancelled. Levy having been made before final proof.

It is hereby ordered that the following described territory be and the same hereby is included in Road District No. 39, Stevens County, Washington. Commencing at a point where the Columbia River intersects the line between Sections 24 and 25 Township 40 Range 40, thence South along east bank of said Columbia River to the line between Ranges 39 & 40, thence South along the range line to south line of Township 39 Range 40, thence East on township line to Section 36 Township 39 Range 40, thence South one mile, thence East three miles, thence North one mile to Townships 38 and 39 Range 41, thence East to southeast corner Township 39 Range 41, thence North eight miles, thence West to point of beginning.

In the matter of the petition of W. P. Hughes et al for the view, locating, and establishment of the Deep Creek Lake Road, it is hereby ordered that a change be made and that the County Surveyor survey the same, beginning at or near the 3-mile pass on the Deep Creek Lake Road and running in a westerly course along the south side of Silver Crown Mountain and ending or connecting on the Deep Creek Lake Road in Murphy's Addition to Northport. The length of the road is about 2 % miles.

Board adjourned to Wednesday, January 4th, 1899.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 426 & 427, 1/4/1899

Wednesday, January 4th, 1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following Road Supervisors appointed:

A. Bishop	Road District No. 39
Geo. Jacobs	Road District No. 19
Geo. Duncan	Road District No. 22

It is hereby ordered that a current expense fund warrant be drawn in favor of Dr. J. J. Travis for one hundred twenty-five (\$125.00) dollars, as payment in full for professional services rendered to Stevens County Poor, during the year 1896 to 1897.

The following bills allowed:

B. Nelson	One door	\$3.00
A. H. Dawson	Coroner's fee	\$11.00
E. A. Roberts	Juror & mileage	\$3.00
Alvin Hyde	Juror & mileage	\$3.00
R. W. Damp	Juror & mileage	\$3.00
P. T. Clark	Juror & mileage	\$3.00
F. B. Robinson	Juror & mileage	\$3.00
F. Y. Wilson	Juror & mileage	\$3.00
J. E. Gentenbein	Witness & mileage	\$3.00
Crown Lumber Co.	Lumber and drayage	\$23.00
W. G. Terry	Constable fee State versus W. D. Barris	\$15.30
W. G. Terry	Constable fee State versus Jno. Chinaman	\$7.15
W. G. Terry	Constable fee State versus W. D. Darris	\$6.45
W. G. Terry	Supplies for jail	\$14.40
J. M. Stevens	Drayage	\$1.00

The following Supervisor's Reports accepted:

C. F. Houtchins	Road District No. 14	\$60.00
W. A. Atkinson	Road District No. 44	\$58.00
Sylvester Lawson	Road District No. 46	\$7.50
T. J. Turk	Road District No. 7	\$76.60
N. Young	Road District No. 20	\$39.50
Alex Weaver	Road District No. 3	\$27.90
W. A. Babb	Road District No. 36	\$16.25
E. Morrison	Road District No. 1	\$57.26
Geo. H. Bobier	Road District No. 28	\$123.36
W. J. Johnson	Road District No. 10	\$26.50
S. K. Owens	Road District No. 17	\$27.00
Daniel Hollandsworth	Road District No. 43	\$29.00
Layton Mathewson	Road District No. 9	\$70.50

Board adjourned to Thursday, January 5th, 1899

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Thursday, January 5th, 1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills allowed:

	Turting of the Deces State	AF 4-
C. E. Ivy	Justice of the Peace State versus Wm. DeBarris	\$5.15
C. E. Ivy	Justice of the Peace State versus Jim Lung	\$4.65
J. S. Wright	Witness State versus Jim Lung	\$2.20
Wm. Terry	Witness State versus Jim Lung	\$2.20
Wm. Moorhead	Witness State versus Jim Lung	\$140.00
Arthur W. Miles	Hall Road Survey	\$10.00
B. B. Thomas	Work on field notes	\$24.00
Joseph S. Fea	Guard State versus Moon Bros	\$10.00
Henry Tweedie	Chainman	\$4.00
Henry Elenen	Chainman	\$6.00
Geo. W. Johnson	Flagman	\$6.00
C. Anderson	Axeman	\$4.00
Allen Litten	Chainman	\$2.00
Alvah Young	Chainman	\$2.00
P. S. Empey	Chainman	\$2.00
J. B. Thomas	Survey & platting	\$17.50
R. B. Thomas	Chainman	\$2.00
F. S. Thomas	Chainman	\$2.00
Fred S. Thomas	Chainman	\$46.00
Adolph Peone	Chainman	\$46.00
A. W. Miles	Chainman	\$46.00
Otto Burchler	Axeman	\$42.00
J. E. Walker	Viewer	\$50.00
Joseph Parker	Viewer	\$26.00
John B. Renshaw	Viewer	\$22.00
J. B. Thomas	Road Survey	\$79.30
J. B. Thomas	Road Survey	\$140.00
J. B. Thomas	Recording plats	\$40.00
Geo. Skeels	Service on election	\$4.50
A. A. Batterson	Publishing registration	\$2.00
Geo. W. Byers	Road Supervisor District No. 11 Dis Fund	\$14.50
Jas. T. Salvage	Bridge plank Dis Fund No. 6	\$9.00
J. W. Walbridge	Inspector of election & putting up booth	\$6.00
Thomas E. Sherlock	Road Supervisor Road District No. 39 Road District fund	\$15.00
C. Passons	Care of McK and Jorden & supplies	\$28.15
F. Chas Lucy	For work on Deep Creek Lake Road Road District No.	\$24.00
	39	\$24.00
The Irwin Hodson	Office Supplies	\$59.60
Company		
O. J. Smith	Stationery, drayage expenses, rent	\$17.65
Robert E. Lee	Jail supplies	\$32.15
E. A. Berry	Office supplies	\$40.10
S. S. Beggs	Office supplies	\$30.52
B. C. Allen	Inspector of election 2 days & postage	\$6.26

F. Barman	Jail Supplies	\$8.70
F. Barman	Merchandise for Poor	\$23.00
C. A. Ledgerwood	Delivery of election, supplies	\$9.55
Glassand Prudhomme	Stationery	\$72.74
Emerson Blackmare	Supplies for Poor	\$6.00
C. R. McMillan	Supply for Poor	\$5.50
C. P. Thomas M. D.	Surgical operation	\$75.00
J. M. Stevens	Drayage	\$2.00

Ordered taxes amounting to \$1600, \$800, each for year 1895 and 1896 of Holland Horr & Co. on northeast ¼ northeast ¼ of southwest ¼ Section 19 Township 29 Range 42 East Willamette Meridian cancelled. Error having been made in assessment.

In the matter of the official bond of Sydney S. Beggs, County Treasurer of Stevens County, Washington. Sydney S. Beggs having heretofore to each on the 8th day of November 1898 bring duly elected to the office of County Treasurer of Stevens County, State of Washington and having heretofore on the 5th day of January 1899 duly qualified by filing his oath of office as said County Treasurer and having on this 5th day of January 1894 duly filed his official bond as such County Treasurer in the sum of (\$35,000.00) Thirtyfive thousand dollars executed by the United State Fidelity and Guaranty Company, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the Law of the State of Maryland and licensed to do business in the State of Washington and signed by Sydney S. Beggs on December 27, 1898. The said bond is hereby approved subject however to the following conditions to wit: That the said Sydney S. Beggs shall at all times during his term of office required of all depositories holding the funds of said Stevens County to peace in escrow in responsible hands good and sufficient valuable commercial paper to cover the value of funds held by such depositories or a good and sufficient bond to cover the value of such deposits of county funds, all commercial paper or bonds as aforesaid shall be subject at all times to the inspection of the Board of County Commissioners and shall be subject to manual delivery to the Board of County Commissioners for the use and benefits of said Stevens County. In case of failure or default on part of the holders of finances of said county to safely keep and deliver such funds either or whole, or in part as ordered by the said County Treasurer.

In the matter of the petition of Robt Fountain and others for the view location and establishing of a county road in Stevens County, Washington, to be known as the Schultz Road to be 60 feet in width commencing at the terminus of the high water road and running thence in a southerly direction as near as practicable on the line between the east and west halves of the northwest % of Section 1 Township 34 Range 43 East Willamette, across Tacoma Creek and the bottom land of said creek and ending at the intersection of said line with said Schultz Road. Ordered the petition be granted.

B. W. Emery	Road District No. 4	\$6.10
John T. Rogers	Road District No. 23	\$30.00
Ole Nelson	Road District No. 45	\$47.50
Charles W. Johnson	Road District No. 34	\$36.00

The following Supervisors reports accepted.

The following bill rejected:

R. A. Slocum For clerk election not allowed	

Board adjourned to Friday, January 6th, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 430, 431, & 432, 1/6/1899

Friday, January 6th, 1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills allowed:

H. G. Kirkpatrick	Office Rent	\$27.00
H. J. Earnest	Expense, removing Morrissy	\$19.55
David Meikle	Reburying	\$6.00
James Litton	Deputy Sheriff expense State versus Willcox	\$26.15
Heimbach & Co.	Shoes for prisoner	\$5.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expense	\$5.20
J. B. Reynolds	Merchandise for Mrs. Hansen	\$20.00
Frank Johnson	Service on election	\$3.00
E. S. Miller	Service on election	\$3.00
James Mulloy	Service on election	\$3.00
Geo. Theiss	Service on election	\$3.00
Albert Jennings	Chainman	\$2.00
E. T. Driscoll	Chainman	\$2.00
J. W. Gillingham	Blacksmith work Road District No. 11	\$1.50
G. E. Wilkes	Service on election	\$2.00
J. A. Meyers	Election service & rent	\$11.00
Pioneer Bindery &		\$94.50
Printing Co.		
Henry Hughes	Chainman	\$2.00
Wm. Aldridge	Chainman	\$2.00
A. Heidegger	Flagman	\$2.00
Wm. Prouty	Viewer (Note in pencil should be R. A. Prouty)	\$2.00
R. J. Ogden	Viewer	\$2.00
Jas Prouty	Chainman	\$2.00
Henry Prouty	Chainman	\$2.00
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Office expense account	\$70.56

The following Supervisor appointed:

Julius M. Fisk	Road District No. 21, Stevens County, Washington	\$2.00
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In the matter of the leases between the County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, their successors & assigns and Gilbert B. Ide of Colville, Washington, of Lot #10 and a portion of Lot #9 Block 11, Original Town of Colville or so much thereof as belong to said County of Stevens, being 32 feet on Main Street and running East 90 feet, with the appurtenance for the term of one year from the 1st day of January 1899. The same is hereby approved.

It appearing to the board that assessed valuation of the southwest ¼ of Section 5 Township 30 Range 37 East Willamette Meridian is in excess. It is therefore recommended by the board. The Superior Court reduced the assessed valuation on said described property to the sum of \$320.00. Ordered a warrant for the sum of \$52.00 be drawn on the District Fund in favor of F. S. Maxwell, Supervisor of Road District No. 40. The above amount having been omitted from Supervisor's Report filed December 3rd, 1898.

The board hereby recommends the Superior Court to reduce the assessed valuation of property owned by Samuel L. Magee, described to wit, north ½ northeast ¼ of Section 21 Township 34 Range 37, the west ½ southeast ¼ Section 4 Section 16 Township 34 Range 37 and northeast ¼ northeast ¼ Section 32 Township 34 Range 37 East Willamette Meridian to the amount of \$550.00.

In the matter of the application of Eureka News Company of Republic, Washington, for a cigarette license said Eureka News Company having filed oath and application required by law and having deposited with the County Treasurer the sum of five dollars. It is hereby ordered that said license be granted for the period of six months.

The office of Game Warden for Stevens County is hereby declared to be vacant from the absence of incumbent.

Board adjourned to Saturday, January 7th, 1899.

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Saturday, January 7th, 1899.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present of yesterday.

The following bills allowed:

S. Morrissey	Relief to Poor	\$8.00
J. M. Stevens	Drayage	\$.50
L. L. Towen	Deputy County Surveyor	\$10.00
Frank R. Sviohan	Chainman	\$4.00
A. C. Reeves	Chainman	\$4.00
Ole Simonson	Axeman	\$4.00
Percy Burlingame	Viewer	\$4.00
Adel Bishop	Viewer	\$4.00
Jno. L. Metcalfe	Office expense	\$91.55
Louis Perras	Team hire to Republic	\$24.00
Mrs. N. M. Wright	Boarding prisoners 268 meals	\$67.00
J. D. Slocum	Deputy Sheriff	\$2.25
J. S. Wright	Deputy Sheriff expenses	\$4.60
Ed Gibson	Judge of election 1 day	\$3.00
J. B. Thomas	Use of Tape chain	\$11.00
	Bill of Wallace Post No. 64 G. A. R. for relief rendered	
R. D. McEvers	Soldier Relief Fund	\$10.00
Statesman-Index	Supplies for Auditor's Office	\$6.00
Statesman-Index	Supplies for Treasurer's Office	\$5.25
Statesman-Index	Supplies for Sheriff	\$2.50
Statesman-Index	Supplies for Prosecuting Attorney	\$4.50

{John D. Slocum was postmaster of Valley Post Office from 11 February 1898 to July 1901.}

In the matter of the viewers report of the road petitioned by Wm. P. Hughes et al, to wit: Commencing midway between the three- and four-mile posts on the Deep Creek Lake Road and running in a westerly course around the south side of Silver Crown Mountain and through Hughes Addition to Northport and ending in Murphy's Addition to Northport and commencing on the Deep Creek Lake Road ¼ mile from the point of beginning of said Deep Creek Road. Ordered that said report be and hereby is accepted. {Possible Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 185-187, Northport & Deep Creek Road, #793}

In the matter of the Crandall Crossing Road, The Empey Road, The Cut Off Road from west side Calispell Road to Shultze Road, The Deep Creek and Calispel Road, The Extension of Spring Valley Road. The plats and field notes are hereby accepted and the routes declared to be county routes. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 29, Crandall Crossing Cut-off, #693} {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 34-35, Empey Road, #698} {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 35, Kapp's Cut off, #711} {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 14-29, Deep Creek and Calispel Road, #523} {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 32-34, Extension of Spring Valley Road (Johnson's), #697}

In the matter of the petition of Jno. McDonald for county road. The surveyor's report is hereby laid over.

Upon reading the application of C. W. Winter and John B. Slater for a franchise to build, erect and construct telephone and telegraph lines, and to erect poles, and string and

place wires for that purpose upon the public highway in Stevens County. It is hereby ordered that the said C. W. Winter and John B. Slater, their successors and assigns do have and they hereby are granted the right and franchise to construct, erect and maintain lines of telephone and telegraph wires upon and along any and all the public roads and highways in Stevens County, Washington, for the period of fifty (50) years. Provided however that the said lines of telephone and telegraph wires shall be so constructed as not to interfere with the free use of said road and highways for public convenience.

The bill of Dr. J. D. Morris for service laid over.

Board adjourned to Monday, January 9, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 433, 434, 435, & 436, 1/9/1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the petition of Jno. L. Metcalfe et al for the appointment of Jno. Salvage as Game Warden for Stevens County, Washington. Petition is hereby granted and appointment made for one year from date.

The following bills allowed:

Ashbrook & Hodgson	Work on tax rolls	\$80.00
Geo. J. Heimbach	Special Deputy Auditor	\$19.50

In the matter of the settlement with S. S. Beggs, the County Treasurer, he showed deposits in bank and cash in safe for \$32,901.35 distributed in the various funds as follows:

State General Fund	\$1850.27
State School	\$1610.70
State Military	\$110.49
State Interest	\$107.33
County Indebtedness	\$3244.51
County School	\$13061.22
Road & Bridge	\$2329.29
Road Property	\$2980.16
Soldier Relief	\$141.35
Specia361.241 School	\$4589.40
Special Road	\$13.51
Current Expenses (Old Fund)	\$38.14
Colville	\$16.42
Kettle Falls	\$12.25
Interest & Cost	\$1816.75
Superior Court	\$30.18
Poor	\$116.39
Salary	\$361.24
Current Expense	\$312.65
Institute	\$105.00
State Cost	\$.89
Contingent	\$53.16

Ordered that the following amounts be transferred from the Road and Bridge Fund to Road Dis Fund, of the following Road Districts.

Road District No. 10	\$61.00
Road District No. 12	\$12.00
Road District No. 17	\$15.00
Road District No. 20	\$35.00
Road District No. 22	\$120.00
Road District No. 23	\$13.00
Road District No. 26	\$96.00
Road District No. 28	\$181.00
Road District No. 29	\$173.00

Road District No. 30	\$96.00
Road District No. 32	\$52.00
Road District No. 34	\$4.00
Road District No. 39	\$10.00
Road District No. 41	\$53.00
Road District No. 42	\$55.00
Road District No. 43	\$7.00
Road District No. 44	\$37.00
Road District No. 45	\$81.00
Road District No. 46	\$7.50
Road District No. 48	\$47.00

Ordered that \$800.00 be transferred by the County Treasurer from the Interest Cost Fund to Road & Bridge Fund.

Ordered that \$800.00 be transferred by the County Treasurer from the Interest & Cost Fund to Poor Fund.

The following Road Supervisors Report accepted.

J. I. Daniels	Road District No. 52	\$65.35	
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The following bills allowed:

L. J. Wolfard		
	To County Commissioner 7 days work @\$5.00	\$35.00
	2 days inspecting roads	\$10.00
	Mileage	\$2.50
	Telephone	\$.30
	Total	\$47.80
T. E. Irish		
	4 days work inspection of road	\$16.00
	Mileage	\$10.00
	7 days work as County Commissioner @\$4.00	\$28.00
	Telephone	\$1.05
	Mileage	\$13.20
	Total	\$68.25
H. T. Reynolds		
	7 days work County Commissioner @ \$4.00	\$28.00
	Mileage	\$8.00
	Total	\$36.00
L. L. Tower	Survey on Kettle River Road	\$295.00
L. L. Tower	Lined through Survey on Deep Creek Road	\$10.00

Board adjourned to Monday, 7 p.m. January 9th, 1899

L. J. Wolfard, Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, Stevens County, Washington. Monday, January 9th, 1899. Board met pursuant to adjournment.

T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District
G. W. Reynolds	Commissioner 2 nd District
Wm. H. Jeffrey	Commissioner 1 st District

Moved by Reynolds, seconded by Jeffrey, that T. E. Irish act as Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners. On vote of said motion, Mr. Irish was duly elected.

Board adjourned to meet January 10th, 1899.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 436, 1/10/1899
Tuesday, January 10th. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.
T. E. Irish inspected Mingo Creek Road.
G. W. Reynolds and Wm. H. Jeffrey commenced preparation of jury list.
Board adjourned to meet January 11th.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 436, 437, & 438, 1/11/1899

January 11th. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills allowed:

E. R. Gray	Work on Mingo Creek Road (Road & Bridge Fund)	\$243.45
Lemery & Co.	Jail supplies	\$1.50

The following is the jury list for 1899.

Chas. Potter	Wm. Davis	Geo. Brown
W. H. Lewis	R. S. Underhill	Geo. Bottorff
Joe Holford	S. L. Magee	Ed. Bottorff
A. G. Goakey	J. H. Magee	Frank Bottorff
G. W. Sykes	H. C. Hughes	Wesley Gourley
E. O. Snodgrass	David Moore	W. R. Rice
S. K. Brown	James Sinn	S. N. Hammer
N. B. Wheeler	W. T. Hopkins	Thos. Hammer
E. R. Gray	J. P. Fletcher	Geo. Harvey
Jas. Clinton	Frank Eslick	W. Bryant
M. D. Ettinger	Geo. Stockwell	Jesse Morgan
B. F. Shannon	J. A. Martin	Frank Mitchell
Frank Cason	W. H. Spencer	J. A. French
A. J. Williams	J. J. Spencer	J. C. Yenter
Lewis Meyers	W. Spencer	John Fisk
Ellis Childers	J. C. Ward	Geo. Sizemore
C. W. Johnston	Alva Fobes	Peter Haber
C. J. Johnston	Albert Jennings	Henry Englehardt
Robb Goakey	L. W. Compton	Fred Englehardt
Wm. Aldridge	J. P. Fogh	Thos. A. Major
Wm. Lawson	W. J. Starmbaubh	Grant Martin
John Cornwall	C. H. Thompson	Frank Reeder
Richard Young	L. D. Wilbur	J. W. Yard
Christian Englehard	A. J. Jackson	Robert Floorman
Overton Price	Adel Bishop	Cyrus Townsend
Fred Hamilton	C. N. Collins	Edward Gibson
Robt Hilts	D. F. Crown	H. C. Rice
J. S. McLean	Con M. Durlund	Julius Sickland
Wm. Hilts	John U. Hofstetter	Thos. L. Savage
Henry Troger	Geo. Knapp	F. S. Phillips
M. C. Peltier	David Stecle	Geo. Thomas
James Keeler	Frank Earnest	Pat Devine
B. P. Goodman	Orville Butts	Wm. P. Hughes
D. Campbell	William Parmelee	Thos. Dixon
James Cameron	H. L. Brown	A. M. Leonard
Frank Ferguson	H. Y. Dorman	Richard Day
W. H. Lattie	Robert McMillan	Charles Cox
L. Lorne	F. B. Goetter	Edward Williams
W. M. Sparling	G. A. Mowatt	John Kleidasky
E. H. Houghton	Geo. Weisner	A. G. McDonald
W. Rice	Thos. Smith	William Leonard

J. Hergeheimer	John L. Marrow	B. F. Thomas
Clinton Richard	Isaac C. Steadman	A. Weaver
C. W. Ledgerwood	W. R. Skelton	Walter Woodard
Robt Ledgerwood	J. W. Horn	Frank Watson
D. M. Richard	E. S. McCloud	C. W. Campbell
P. M. Hacking	Osner Hall	William Day
W. R. Noteware	Henry Earnest	Henry Denison
Alonzo Moe	Thos. Haller	Charles Lester
Geo. Curry	Orin Coates	C. F. Murphy
Hugh Munroe	A. McColeman	Perry J. Lyons
T. M. Butler	John Acorn	J. N. Hatfield
G. H. Norton	G. Brown	C. H. Trullenger
W. H. Morrison	James Fee	Tim Healy
D. McKellar	John Naff	Reid Crowell
Wm. Stafford	Henry Sacher	Richard Rutherford
N. A. Gray	James Lavigne	Albert House
James Allan	Winslow Hall	Charles Pea
Norman McClure	John James Graves	William Coutts
J. L. pool	Geo Myers	Peter Munson
C. F. Conrady	J. W. M. Junkin	John Ranahan
E. S. Dudrey	J. A. Taylor	P. H. McCarthy
V. Lemery	John Hendershott	Gus Berger
J. Rickey	James Stitzell	C. S. Boss
G. B. Ide	Bert Emery	H. N. Bell
J. M. Mahoney	Christ Houtchins	Taylor Johnson
Peter Soot	Kannt O. Fellard	J. Ehorn
C. K. Shelheimer	F. S. Morewell	N. B. Wheeler
N. E. Strong	R. D. McEvers	W. A. Babb
Ed Wayland	E. Bird	Barney Koker
Frank Wagner	J. W. Dunlap	John Haines
F. V. Jarvis	C. H. Meyers	Elisha Tarble
William Boyd	Nels P. pearson	George V. Beard
W. F. Scott	Thomas Quigby	W. H. Graham
Lew Weatherbee	L. M. Stowe	W. H. Merrill
J. W. Rogers	F. Heppe	A. M. Keen
William Jared	W. C. Cusick	A. A. Anderson
Mike Kulzer	Peter S. Rolland	M. A. Anderson
Gotlieb Relstab	Frank Hutchens	
Peter Hanson	G. W. Seal	
G. W. Cowen	Henry Wilson	
W. J. Johnson	John Salvage	
F. M. Long	Geo. Salvage	
F. J. Wolfard	Frank Weatherwax	
W. W. Clark	C. A. Duffy	
A. J. Smith	C. E. Ross	
William Fountain	E. A. Keyes	
W. J. Spencer	N. P. Jared	
Geo. S. Cassell	C. C. Brachett	
R. H. Renshaw	H. A. Bennett	
Rodell perkins	Chas Haines	
Ed Kapp	A. M. Johnson	
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E. C. Rider	Joseph James
Ed Davis	C. C. Lundstrom
Joseph LaPray	Nathan Newell
T. Reardon	James Denny
Joseph Robinson	Joseph Crook
Fred Keiling	Joseph Wendle
M. P. Hart	A. P. Miller
Thomas M. Dougald	Charles Degan
D. A. Emmon	J. P. Munkers
Geo. Blair	John Olson
Dennis Driscol	Sherman Williams
J. D. Wooden	Wallace Holderman
Geo. W. Johnston	James Flett
I. B. Ellis	Alper Young
C. T. Anderson	John Beck
J. B. Tarbot	John Richmond
Geo. H. Bobier	Henry Penn
C. S. May	Pat Gunnup
Emile Scholz	A. T. Ketcham

Board adjourned to meet January 12, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 439 & 440, 1/12/1899

Thursdays, January 12th. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present of yesterday.

Bill of C. A. Wallace	for money advanced and labor performed on road from	\$363.32
	Kettle Falls to Republic, allowed. (Road and Bridge	
	Fund)	

Ordered that the court room floor be painted two coats at the rate of 18 cents per yard, as per estimate made by C. L. Lindsay.

The following Road Supervisor's reports accepted.

J. H. Penney	Road District No. 29 (District Fund)	\$15.50
N. A. Gray	Road District No. 33	\$15.50
J. A. Miller	Road District No. 24	\$31.50
Wm. Coutts	Road District No. 38	\$125.75

In the matter of the return of election from the Addy Drainage District, it appearing that Wm. Pelker, R. Ricker, & C. W. Buelow received each mine (() votes at an election held in said district on the 6th day of December 1898, they are hereby declared elected commissioners for said district for the ensuing year.

In the matter of the petition of R. Rickers and others for the appointment of T. W. Gilson as Road Supervisor of Road District No. 37. Petition granted.

Following bills allowed:

Bill of

G. M. Welty	Expenses as Game Warden	\$8.30
Statesman-Index	Printing	\$51.00
J. B. Thomas	For platting	\$20.30
D. M. Ogden	Special Deputy Sheriff	\$7.00
H. G. Johnson	Special Deputy Sheriff	\$11.25
E. M. Denny	Liveries	\$42.00
J. W. Hankins	1 day Judge of election	\$3.00
Northport News	Stationery	\$8.75
P. B. Dingle	Care of Morrison	\$12.00
E. A. Berry	Deputy Sheriff	\$9.00
August Krug	Deputy Sheriff	\$1.75
E. M. Denny	Expenses	\$10.30
J. W. Weatherhead	Special Deputy Sheriff	\$4.50
Michael Kulzer	Merchandise (Road & Bridge Fund)	\$15.55
John L. Metcalfe	Office expense	\$34.50
F. Y. Wilson	Justice of Peace State versus Jas. Broughton	\$3.20
Geo. Becher	Witness, State versus Jas. Broughton	\$2.20
Edward McArthur	Witness, State versus Jas. Broughton	\$2.20
A. V. Downs	Constable, State versus Jas. Broughton	\$1.70
F. Y. Wilson	Justice of the peace State versus William Sluthour	\$6.70
J. A. Haskins	Witness, State versus William Sluthour	\$2.20

Thomas O'Brien	Witness, State versus William Sluthour	\$2.20
A. V. Downs	Constable, State versus William Sluthour	\$8.50
Leo Sanders	Burial of August Powell	\$5.00

Board adjourned to meet January 13, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 440, 1/13/1899

Friday, January 13th. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills allowed:

Bill of:

R. B. Thomas	Work in Surveyor's Office	\$21.00
E. A. Keyes	Relief to Pete Immel (Soldiers Relief Fund)	\$15.00
Guv. W. Byers	Road Supervisor Report District No. 11 (Road	\$10.00
-	District Fund)	
Frank R. Ballard	Coroner's inquest, Adney T. Dobbins	\$15.80
A. V. Sheplar	Juror, Coroner's inquest, Adney T. Dobbins	\$2.20
H. Pomeroy	Juror, Coroner's inquest, Adney T. Dobbins	\$2.20
J. H. Brawley	Juror, Coroner's inquest, Adney T. Dobbins	\$2.20
C. Spedden	Juror, Coroner's inquest, Adney T. Dobbins	\$2.20
H. S. Spedden	Juror, Coroner's inquest, Adney T. Dobbins	\$2.20
Geo. Ruddle	Juror, Coroner's inquest, Adney T. Dobbins	\$2.20
Joe Ehorn	Witness, Coroner's Inquest Adney T. Dobbins	\$2.20
Murray McCrea	Witness, Coroner's Inquest Adney T. Dobbins	\$2.20
D. Vanslyke	Witness, Coroner's Inquest Adney T. Dobbins	\$2.20
Pat Raftis	Witness, Coroner's Inquest Adney T. Dobbins	\$2.20
C. A. Duffy	Witness, Coroner's Inquest Adney T. Dobbins	\$2.20

In the matter of the bids for the care of county poor by physicians, that of F. R. Ballard being lowest, he is hereby employed as County Physician as per contract hereafter set forth.

Board adjourned to meet January 14th, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 440 & 441, 1/14/1899

Saturday, January 14. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Bill:

Wm. Terry	Constable Fees, State versus Freile allowed	\$10.25
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Ordered that Prosecuting Attorney, H. G. Kirkpatrick draw contract between Stevens County and Dr. F. R. Ballard as physician for County Poor, and when said contract is fully signed said Ballard shall execute to the county, a good and sufficient board in amount of \$1000.00.

The following bills allowed:

Bill of

T. E. Irish	5 days' work, mileage, telephone	\$22.90
G. W. Reynolds	5 days' work, mileage	\$21.80
W. H. Jeffey	5 days' work, mileage	\$28.00
C. P. Thomas	Professional services	\$25.00
C. F. Conrady	Justice of election, 1 day	\$3.00
W. W. Campbell & Co.	Livery for Morrissey	\$6.50

The County Treasurer is hereby ordered to transfer from time to time any taxes credited to the Superior Court Fund to the Indebtedness Fund; and the Treasurer is also ordered to transfer the amount of \$38.19 remaining in the Current Expense (Old Series) to the Indebtedness Fund.

Bill of

C. E. Ivy Justice of peace State versus Pat Freile \$3.85

The board is adjourned to the 20th of February 1899.

T. E. Irish, Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 442, 2/20/1899

Colville, Washington, February 20, 1899

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment of January 14, 1899.

Present:

T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District, Chairman
Geo. W. Reynolds	Commissioner 2 nd District
W. H. Jeffrey	Commissioner 1 st District

Ordered that no bill against Stevens County shall hereafter be allowed by the Board of County Commissioners unless the same is fully itemized.

The following bonds approved:

Bond of

W. D. Calhoun	Justice of the Peace, Diamond Lake Precinct
Harrison Mount	Constable, Boundary Precinct
Fred S. Phillips	Justice of the Peace, Northport
Alfred Young	Justice of the Peace, Springdale
John A. Barry	Deputy Auditor, Stevens County
Henry Obermiller	Justice of the Peace, Thetis Precinct
Daniel O'Connell	Constable, Republic Precinct
Albert Brown	Constable, Chewelah Precinct
Charles Lester	Constable, Clugston Precinct
H. W. Bennett	Constable, Calispell Precinct

Board adjourned to February 21st.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 442 & 443, 2/21/1899

Tuesday, February 21st. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the amount of \$217.50 be transferred from the Road and Bridge Fund to the Road Property Fund as follows: \$165.00 to credit of Road District No. 34 and \$52.50 to the credit of Road District No. 45.

Ordered that Road Supervisors do not hereafter spend money in their respective districts without first securing permission from the Board of Commissioners to make such expenditures unless there be money to the credit of the district, provided that in case of emergency requiring immediate work upon the road then this order shall not be in force.

Ordered that the assessment of \$1000.00 on hay, oats, and grain belonging to E. O'Shea be cancelled as there was a mistake in making double assessment same.

Ordered that the assessment of \$600.00 on machinery, implements, etc. belonging to Mrs. Schennert be cancelled.

Ordered that the assessment of \$1000.00 on the north ½ northwest ¼ Section 35 Township 36 Range 38, and the south ½ southwest ¼ Section 25 Township 36 Range 38 be and the same is hereby reduced to \$500.00

Board adjourned to February 23rd.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 443 & 444, 2/23/1899 (On file 18990221)

Thursday, February 23rd. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills allowed:

Bill of

Grant Ashbrook Copyist in Treasurer's Office \$87.50	Grant Ashbrook	Copyist in Treasurer's Office	\$87.50
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Ordered that the County Auditor shall draw warrant each month beginning February 29th, 1899, in payment for vault fixtures as per contract until same is fully paid.

Bond of Frank Winchester as Constable for McLaughlin Precinct approved.

Ordered that warrant No. 604 on current expense fund in favor of Emil Scholz be cancelled as same was duplicated.

Ordered that the County Treasurer enter in current expense fund all moneys derived from State Cost bills on account of conviction for felony.

In the matter of the application of Lee and Miller for a renewal of ferry license, it is ordered that when said Lee & Miller file with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond and upon payment of the County Treasurer of a license fee of \$25.00, then said license shall be renewed for a period of one year from October 29, 1898.

In the matter of the application of McKay and Argall for a renewal of ferry license, it is ordered that when said McKay and Argall file with the Auditor a good and sufficient bond, and pay to the County Treasurer the license fee of \$30.00, then a license shall be issued for a period of one year from the expiration of former license.

Ordered that the County Auditor draw a warrant of \$20.00 in favor of Ed. Tarble for care of J. Kemp a county charge.

In the matter of the application of William P. Hall for a retail liquor license, he having filed his bond and same having been approved, and he having paid to the County Treasurer the license fee of \$600.00, a license is hereby granted to the said William P. Hall for a period of one year from the 23rd day of February 1899.

Ordered that the report of J. O. Johnson, Road Supervisor Road District No. 31 be laid over.

The following Road Supervisors' Report accepted:

E. Kapp	Road District No. 30	Blank
D. Hollandsworth	Road District No. 42 allowed	\$10.00

Ordered that taxes levied on Lots one (1) and two (2) Block Two (2) Town of Millington be and the same are hereby cancelled, same having been levied on school property.

Ordered that warrant No. 3 series of 1899 on Road Property Fund for \$87.50 drawn in favor of Geo. T. Duncan, Road Supervisor District No. 22, be and the same is hereby cancelled, and a warrant for \$33.50 drawn in place thereof.

Ordered that the plat of the courthouse addition of the Town of Republic be accepted and the County Surveyor is hereby instructed to record the same.

It is hereby recommended to the Superior court that the taxes on Lot 6 Block 6 Squire City, Stevens County, be reduced from \$32.07 to \$20.00.

Moved the salary of Game Warden be fixed at fifty cents per month, said salary to begin from date of appointment, January 9th, 1899. Upon vote on said motion, Reynolds and Jeffrey voted in the affirmation, Irish opposed. Motion declared carried.

Board adjourned to meet February 25, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 444 & 445, 2/24/1899 (On file 18990221) Friday, February 24th. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Present as of yesterday.

Bill of

Dr. T. C. Green	For care of Mrs. Paschal, and amputation of toe of	\$45.00
	unknown man, allowed	
J. B. Litton	Deputy Sheriff allowed	\$5.50

Ordered that no bill for the care of any person shall be allowed by County Commissioners unless such case has first been assumed by the county.

Ordered that no bill for the care of any person shall be allowed by County Commissioners unless such case has first been assumed by the county.

In the matter of the petition of t. H. Greenway et al for viewing, locating, and establishing a county road. Ordered that same be laid over.

In the matter of the petition of August Hunt et al for a county road. The same is hereby rejected.

In the matter of the application of Hust and Lynch for a cigarette license for the Town of Bossburg, ordered that when said Hust and Lynch furnish a good and sufficient bond and pay the required license fee, then said license shall be issued.

In the matter of the petition of Wm. Pelker et al for the appointment of Peter Tetro as Road Supervisor of Road District No. 37, the same is hereby rejected.

Board went to Meyers Falls to inspect bridge belonging to L. W. Meyers.

Adjourned to February 25th.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 445 & 446, 2/25/1899

Saturday, February 25th. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that the salary of the Chief Deputy in the Auditor's Office and the Chief Deputy in the Treasurer's Office be increased \$10.00 per month, beginning February 1st, 1899.

In the matter of the petition of H. C. Gibbon and others for the appointment of J. C. Roberts as Road Supervisor for Road District No. 14, the petition is hereby granted.

The petition of R. Fountain et al for the construction of a bridge across the slough near Kapp's place is hereby laid over.

The petition of J. E. Almstrom et al for an appropriation for Road District No. 39, the same is hereby laid over.

Ordered that the personal property tax of John Lareva for the year 1897 amounting to \$3.00 be cancelled.

In the matter of the petition of Christ Hartbauer et al to unite Road Districts Nos. 38 & 39, the same is hereby laid over.

In the matter of the petition of Jacob Scott et al for the view, location, and establishment of a county road to be 30 feet in width, commencing at southwest corner of Section 10 Township 28 North of Range 41 East Willamette Meridian, and running thence in a southwest course as near as practicable across Section 16 and 20 to and part of 19 and 30, eighty rods west of northeast corner of Section 30, thence West ½ mile, thence south nearly 140 rods, thence angling West and following the road as now built through the canyon, thence angling southwest to the northwest of schoolhouse plat, and South to connect with road known as River Road to Walkers Prairie all in Township 28 North of Range 41 East Willamette Meridian.

It appearing that the owners of the land mentioned in the above description of property have given their consent thereto and waived all claim to damage arising from the establishment of said road. And, it further appearing that the bond of said road petitioners has been filed and approved. It is ordered that said petition be and the same is hereby granted. And, it is further ordered that Clinton Scott and A. J. Smith be appointed viewers in the matter of said proposed road, and that said viewers proceed as soon as practicable to examine the route of the proposed road, and to view layout, survey, and do all other things required by law. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 50-52, Scott Road, #528}

In the matter of the petition of R. F. Hesseltine et al for the location of a county road. Ordered that the same be laid over until bond of petitioners and consent of owners have been filed.

Ordered that the assessed valuation of the personal property tax of L. A. Olson for the year 1898 be reduced to \$235.00.

Bill of

W. J. Chamberlain Carpenter work in courthouse, allowed	\$110.00	
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In the matter of the employment of a physician to care for county poor an agreement having been made between Dr. F. R. Ballard, and Stevens County, and said Ballard having filed a good and sufficient bond, and same having been approved. He is hereby declared the County Physician.

The following bills allowed:

Bill of

L. L. Tower	General office work, collecting data for plats	\$50.00
Sacred Heart Hospital	Care of E. Morrissey, laid over	
J. B. Manley, Physician	Care of E. Morrissey, laid over	
W. L. Sax	Expenses to Superintendent's convention, Olympia,	\$48.20
	allowed	
Sacred Heart Hospital	Care of John T. Handley, allowed	\$78.00
Ray Brouillet	Clerk in Auditor's Office from January 9 &	\$90.00
	February 25 th , 1899, allowed	
Wm. L. Terry	Fare for county charge, allowed	\$1.15
R. E. Lee	Merchandise furnished courthouse	\$46.25

In the matter of the application of W. F. Rutherford & R. A. Rutherford for a retail liquor license for the Town of Bossburg, the said Rutherford having filed a good and sufficient bond & having paid to the County Treasurer a license fee of \$600.00. A license is hereby granted for a period of one year.

Board adjourned to February 27th, 1899

Monday, February 27th. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills allowed:

Bill of

Ben Silzer	Judges of election 1 day	\$3.00
Johnson Taylor	Judges of election 1 day	\$3.00
Crown Lumber Co	Burial expenses of one, Blacklaw, laid over	\$ 5. 00
Jacob Keller	Relief of L. E. Beach	\$14.00
A. P. Lang	Relief of L. E. Beach	\$6.00
James Moore	Putting in doors in courthouse vault	\$10.00
A. Almstrom	Judge of election, putting up booth Work on road	\$8.00
John Richey		\$14.25
Geo. Johnson	Work on road	\$1.50
James A. Ross	Work on road	\$2.25
F. Keiling	Supplies furnished James Kemp	\$5.70
Jacob Keller	Supplies furnished Dr. Esterbrook	\$5.00
C. Passons	Care of Robert Carr, laid over	
C. L. Lindsey	Painting, varnishing & kalsominning	\$107.20
L. J. Wolfard	Fare to Spokane, for county poor charge	\$5.00
J. M. Bewley	Justice of the Peace Republic laid over	
Tull & Gibbs	Carpet, prosecuting attorney's office	\$12.60
L. F. Hallam	Deputy Sheriff	\$2.25
John T. Rogers	Judges of election 2 days	\$6.00
Dr. M. G Grieve	Professional attendance, J. Bradley	\$20.00
State Auditor	Blanks	\$30.28
P. B. Dingle	Board of E. Morrissey	\$4.00
Grote & Cheney	Chairs for courthouse	\$173.25
Furniture Co.		
P. J. Kelly	Merchandise furnished Mrs. Worm	\$10.00
Louis Perras	Team hire	\$16.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expense to Republic & to Spokane, & postage	\$24.30
P. P. Causey	Care of Hugh McKay	\$94.50
W. L. Terry	Constable	\$10.50
Geo. Coulter	Funeral expense, H. Signor	\$24.55
Prindle & Brouillet	Cutting vault door	\$7.00
J. M. Stevens	Drayage	\$1.80
M. W. Martin	Judge of election	\$3.00
Mrs. A. Bryant	Care of Geo. Gilbert	\$2.50
Katherine Spence	Relief of Soldier's widow	\$30.00
A. W. Turner	Bridge, material, Spokane & Stevens County Bridge,	\$18.07
	Spokane County share \$9.05	<i>\$20107</i>
B. H. Taylor	Work in Auditor's Office	\$71.35
Jerry Cooney	Merchandise, relief of Thos. Dawson	\$10.00
Glass & Prudhomme	Blank books	\$44.20
Irwin-Hogdson Co.	Office supplies laid over	ΨTT•20
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Telephone messages	\$13.92
G. W. Zent	Taking poor person to County Farm	\$1.50
J. E. Pickrell	Supplies Road District No. 39	\$1.50
P. H. Grace	Judge of election & delivering supplies	\$6.00

John Jas. Graves	Justice of Peace State versus Madden	\$2.45
Heimbach & Co	Clothing for prisoner	\$1.00
E. M. Hodgson	Work on tax rolls	\$31.25
J. Oppenheimer	Merchandise to Wm. Irwin, Poor Farm	\$12.00
J. F. Harris	Professional attendance, County Poor	\$180.00

Board adjourned to February 28^{th} .

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 447, 448, & 449, 2/28/1899 (On file 18990227)

Tuesday, February 28th. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills allowed:

Bill of

D. C. Ely	County Auditor, Wood for courthouse, office	\$176.17
	supplies, postage & stamps, expense on supplies	
Fred Keiling	Care of Jas. Kemp, county charge	\$5.00
C. P. Thomas	Fare of Jack Handley, Spokane & Colville	\$4.45
W. J. Jackson	Judge of election 1 day	\$3.00
Howard Hesseltine	Judge of election 1 day	\$3.00
L. C. Richardson	Judge of election 1 day	\$3.00
D. L. Tower	Justice of Peace fees	\$2.65
C. E. Ivy	Care of County Poor	\$27.40
P. B. Dingle	Board for poor person	\$1.00
Northport News	Letterheads for county clerk	\$4.00
Northport News	Stationery furnished county offices	\$33.20

Ordered that \$50.00 improvements assessed on Lot 10, Block 10 Original Town of Colville be cancelled for the year 1897, same having been assessed against the wrong lot.

Bill of

Northport News	Printing commissioners' proceedings	\$101.50
Irwin-Hodgson Co	Freight on vault fixtures, rejected	

Ordered that the municipal tax of S. S. Beggs on personal property for the year 1898, amounting to \$1.75 to be cancelled, as same was in error. And, it is further ordered that road tax be extended against the said property.

Following bills allowed:

Pioneer Bindery Co.	Blank books of record	\$140.75
John W. Graham	Surveyor supplies	\$12.13
Irwin-Hodgson Co.	Blank miscellaneous record	\$13.50
Irwin-Hodgson Co.	Sheriff vouchers laid over	
C. E. Ivy	Justice of Peace fees, State versus Sian Ling	\$6.60
Jacob Keller	Supplies furnished Dr. Esterbrook month of	\$5.00
	February	
G. W. Jarvis	Horse 2 ½ days	\$3.50
James Petty	Guarding vault, courthouse supplies	\$7.60
F. Barman	Courthouse supplies & prisoners' supplies	\$265.10
F. Barman	Supplies furnished Poor person, January & February 1899	\$46.00
F. W. Smith	Hanging blinds courthouse	\$5.00

In the matter of the application of J. C. Gillingham for a retail liquor license for the Town of Springdale. Ordered that when said Gillingham shall file with the County Auditor

a good and sufficient bond & deposited, the license fee of \$600.00 with the County Treasurer, then said license shall be issued.

Bond of W. J. St. Clair as Constable for Meyers Falls Precinct, approved.

In the matter of the assessment of personal property belonging to Fred Arendt for the year 1897, it is hereby recommended to the Superior Court that the valuation of said property be reduced from \$107.00 to \$52.00.

The following bills allowed:

J. S. Wright	Expenses as Deputy Sheriff	\$13.50
S. D. Allen	Building & furnishing two vaults, outbuildings	\$45.00
E. M. Denny	Expenses as Sheriff telephone messages	\$28.10
Ј. Н. Норе	Erection of booths & use of premises for election	\$3.50
Mrs. N. M. Wright	Board of prisoners	\$95.00
E. M. Denny	Livery hire	\$54.00
August Krug	Deputy Sheriff	\$4.50
O. P. Foster	1 day Deputy Sheriff	\$2.25
B. H. Taylor	Deputy Sheriff	\$19.00
Grant Ashbrook	Copyist Treasurer's Office	\$15.00
F. Barman	Oil	\$1.50
J. B. Thomas	Preparing plats & recording surveys	\$60.00

Board adjourned to March 1st, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 449, 3/1/1899

Wednesday, March 1st, 1899. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills allowed:

John N. Herron	Services as Deputy Sheriff	\$25.75
J. A. Kellogg	Prosecuting case of State versus Mattie Powers	\$10.00
	(lined through)	Lined
		through
J. M. Stevens	Trip to Poor Farm, & expenses	\$1.65
E. M. Denny	Sheriff's expenses	

Ordered that the salary of James Petty as janitor be increased \$5.00 per month beginning March 1st, 1899.

Bill of

O. T. Smith	County Assessor 23 days work, allowed	\$92.00
Jno. Jas. Graves	Deputy Assessor 21 days work, allowed	\$63.00

Ordered by the Board of County Commissioners that a warrant be drawn in favor of L. W. Meyers for the sum of \$400.00 as purchase price for the bridge across the Colville River on what is known as the Herron Road near Meyers Falls on said river.

Ordered that \$37.50 be transferred from the Road & Bridge Fund to the Road Property Fund and placed to the credit of Road District No. 43.

Per written agreement of this date, L. W. Meyers is to furnish Stevens County 200 feet of lumber.

Board adjourned to March 2nd, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 450, 3/2/1899

Thursday, March 2nd. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Ordered that Hugh McKay, a poor person, be allowed the sum of \$10.00 per month for support, dating from this date.

In the matter of the petition of Wm. B. Aris and others for the view, location, and establishment of a county road in Stevens County, Washington. Said road to be sixty-feet in width, commencing at a point at the south end of Ninth Avenue in the Town of Meyers Falls, Stevens County, Washington, running thence on a variation of West 22 Degrees 30 East South 4 degrees 30 minutes East 15 chains; thence South 3 degrees West 3.50 chains; thence South 35 degrees 15 minutes East 4.20 chains, thence South 2 degrees 30 minutes East 3.80 chains, thence North 66 degrees East 5.55 chains thence South 36 degrees East 7.30 chains; thence South 69 degrees East 3.10 chains; thence South 82 degrees 30 minutes East 2.40 chains, thence South 70 degrees 30 minutes East 5 chains; thence East (Variation 22 degrees 30 minutes) 9.05 chains; thence South (variation 24 degrees 15 minutes) 27.32 chains; thence South (24 degrees 15 variation) 10.56 chains; thence South (24 degrees 15 minutes variation) 19.57 chains to ¼ corner between Section 29 and 30 Township 36 North of Range 38 East Willamette Meridian; thence South (variation 24 degrees 15 minutes) 15 chains; thence South 48 degrees 30 minutes West 7.05 chains; thence South (variation 24 degrees 15 minutes) 20.25 chains to the ½ section line East and West through Section 32 Township 36 North Range 39 East Willamette Meridian; thence West along said ½ section line (variation 23 degrees) for 14.92 chains to the northeast corner of the northwest ¼ of southwest ¼ of said Section 32 a distance of 20.00 chains and there terminating. The whole distance being 2 miles 40.02 chains or thereabouts. Ordered that said petition be granted, and said road is hereby established as a county road.

Bill of

Washington Mill Company	Doors for courthouse, allowed	\$6.95
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Board adjourned to March 3rd, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 450 & 451, 3/3/1899 Friday, March 3rd, 1899. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday. The following bills allowed:

C. E. Ivy	Justice of the Peace versus P. Freile	\$4.20
Burton Dinsmore	Witness, State Versus De Barnes	\$2.00
J. C. Williams	Witness, State Versus De Barnes	\$2.20
Morris McCarty	Witness, State Versus De Barnes	\$2.20
Wm. Terry	Witness, State Versus De Barnes	\$2.20
Chas. Pollard	Witness & mileage, State Versus De Barnes	\$6.60
Joseph Devore	Witness & mileage, State Versus De Barnes	\$6.60
Tom Clark	Witness & mileage, State Versus De Barnes	\$6.60
James McDonald	Witness & mileage, State Versus De Barnes	\$6.60
Mr. Wagner	Witness, State Versus De Barnes	\$2.20
Mrs. Wagner	Witness, State Versus De Barnes	\$2.20
W. H. Jeffrey	11 days Commissioner & 80 miles travelled to	\$54.00
	Colville & Return	
F. R. Ballard	Telephone message Co. matter	\$2.80
E. M. Denny	Telephone message Co. matter	\$2.80
D. C. Ely	County Auditor, money to commissioner for Poor and	\$41.40
	freight	
T. F. Ledgerwood	Court Commissioner examining insane person	\$5.00
Shaw Borden Co.	Blank Mining District Records	\$29.00
Jno. W. Graham	Drawing board for Surveyor	\$10.00
F. Barman	Supplies, Beggs, Denny & Smith	\$18.20

Bond of James T. Salvage, Justice of Peace for Stensgar Precinct, approved.

It is hereby recommended to the Superior Court that the assessed valuation on north ½ northeast ¼ Section 21 Township 34 Range 37 be reduced from \$400.00 to \$200.00. Also, that the assessed valuation on west ½ southeast ¼ Section 16 Township 34 Range 37 be reduced from \$400.00 to \$200.00.

Bill of

G. W. Reynolds	County Commissioner 11 days	\$44.00
	Mileage, inspecting Meyers Bridge 20 miles	\$2.00
	Mileage from home & return 18 miles	\$1.80
	Total	\$47.80
T. E. Irish	County Commissioner 11 days	\$44.00
	Trip to Spokane 2 days	\$8.00
	Trip on Spokane Road, inspecting	\$4.00
	Mileage 20 miles	\$2.00
	Mileage 40 miles trips to Spokane	\$5.00
	Mileage 132 miles Colville & return	\$13.20
	Total	\$76.00

Board adjourned Sine Die. T. E. Irish, Chairman, Board County Commissioners

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 452, 4/3/1899

Colville, Washington, April 3rd, 1899

Board of County Commissioners met in regular quarterly session.

Present:

T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District, Chairman
Geo. W. Reynolds	Commissioner 2 nd District
W. H. Jeffrey	Commissioner 1 st District

Bills of:

M. C. Parker	Care of county poor at Poor Farm, allowed	\$350.34
J. W. Bennett	Stenographer, case of State versus McCormick and copying decision, allowed	\$36.50
J. W. Kellogg	Assisting as attorney in case of State versus Mattie Powers, allowed	\$10.00

Board adjourned to April 4th, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 452, 4/4/1899

April 4th, 1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Resignation of P. J. Hessel as Justice of the Peace for Colville Precinct, accepted. Resignation of Martin Iverson as Justice of the Peace for Clayton Precinct, accepted.

In the matter of the petition of Martin Iverson et al for the appointment of L. L. Wheeler as Justice of the Peace for Clayton Precinct, petition is granted and L. L. Wheeler is hereby appointed as Justice of the Peace in and for said precinct.

In the matter of the petition of J. S. Ketchum et al for a county road to be known as Pierres Lake Road and bond of petitioners in connection therewith, the same is hereby laid over until the proposed route has been examined by County Commissioners.

In the matter of the segregation of the road property tax for Road District No. 31 for the year 1898. It appearing that said City of Northport was duly incorporated June 23rd, 1898, and a demand hearing been made by the said City of Northport through J. W. Kellogg, City Attorney for said city, for payment to the City of Northport by Stevens Count of one-half of the road property tax collected or to be collected within the corporate limits of said City of Northport in said Road District No. 31 for the year 1898. It is hereby ordered that one-half of said road property tax collected or to be collected for Road District NO. 31 within the corporate limits of said City of Northport for the year 1898 be paid to the City of Northport.

Bond of C. M. Durland as Justice of the Peace for Colville Precinct, approved.

Bill of

E. Kapp	For building bridge in Calispell Valley, allowed	\$87.00
J. M. Bewley	Justice of Peace, State versus Dyke, rejected	

Board adjourned to April 5th, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 453 & 454, 4/5/1899

April 5th, 1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the petition of C. D. Robinson et al remonstrating against asking for the consolidation of Road District No. 38 and any other district, said remonstrance is hereby rejected.

Bill of

In the matter of the petition of J. E. Almstrom et al for an appropriation of \$500.00 for Road District No. 39, the same is hereby rejected.

It is hereby recommended to the Superior Court that the assessed valuation for the southeast % of the southwest % Section 18 Township 37 Range 39 for the year 1898, be reduced from \$165.00 to \$40.00. It is also recommended that the assessed valuation on the northeast % of the northwest % Section 19 Township 37 Range 39 for the year 1899 be reduced from \$120.00 to \$40.00.

Bill of

Sacred Heart Hospital	Care of Ed Morrissey, allowed	\$144.00
Dr. J. B. Mundy	Care of Ed Morrissey, allowed	\$150.00

Ordered that a warrant for \$60.00 be drawn in favor of L. H. Faivre, a poor person.

It is hereby ordered that the recommendation to the recommendation to the Superior Court made January 6, 1899 affecting southwest ¼ of Section 5 Township 30 Range 37 East Willamette Meridian be and the same is hereby rescinded.

In the matter of the application of Thos Moe for a pack peddler's license, he having deposited with the County Treasurer \$5.00. It is hereby ordered that said license be issued to Thos. Moe for a period of one year from this date.

Ordered that the plat of the Town of Danville, Stevens County, Washington, be accepted and the Surveyor is hereby directed to record the same.

Notice of appeal from a decision of the County School Superintendent having been duly given the Board of County Commissioners by Albert Jennings et al. It is hereby ordered that the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners duly notify the parties to said matter that said appeal will be heard in the Commissioners' Room at the courthouse in Colville, Tuesday, April 11th, 1899.

Resignation of Harrison Mount as Constable for Boundary Precinct, accepted.

Petition of P. H. McCarthy et al for the appointment of Wm. L. Terry as Road Supervisor of Road District No. 48, rejected.

Petition of O. P. Foster et al for the appointment of C. E. Brooks as Justice of the Peace in and for Marcus Precinct. Petition granted.

Report of Adel	Bishop a	as Road	Supervisor	of	Road	District	No.	39,	accepted	\$155.75
and allowed										

Report of T. S. Maxwell, Road Supervisor of Road District No. 40 accepted and allowed \$115.00. [Written above it: This report should be for \$10.00 (?) at October session.]

Report of N. H. Gammage as Road Supervisor of Road District No. 33,	\$21.00
accepted and allowed	

Board adjourned to April 6th, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 454, 4/6/1899

April 6, 1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the Treasurer's quarterly settlement for the quarter ending March 31st, 1899, the Treasurer's report was checked with vouchers for money paid out by Treasurer and found to be correct, and approved.

Board adjourned to April 7th, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 454, 455, & 456, 4/7/1899

April 7th, 1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Bill of

H. G. Kirkpatrick	Prosecuting Attorney, expense to Walla Walla,	\$45.00
	looking up title to courthouse property, allowed	
W. H. Spencer	Deputy Assessor 17 days \$3.00 per day, allowed	\$51.00

Bond of H. E. Canning as Road Supervisor of Road District No. 48, approved.

Bond of J. H. Horton as Justice of the Peace for Daisy Precinct, approved.

Bond of R. P. Jared as Justice of the Peace for Calispell Precinct, approved.

In the matter of the application of P. H. McCarthy for a retail liquor license for the Town of Bossburg, said McCarthy having filed a good and sufficient bond and having deposited \$600.00 with the County Treasurer, a license is hereby granted for a period of one year from this date.

It is hereby recommended to the Superior Court the valuation one the following described property for the years 1895-1896-1897-1898 be reduced as followed: Lot 6 Block 6 in Squire City for the year 1895 from \$350.00 to \$150.00. For the year 1896 from \$350.00 to \$150.00. For the year 1897 from \$310.00 to \$150.00. For the year 1898 from \$310.00 to \$150.00.

In the matter of the petition of J. B. Reynolds et al for a county road known as the Kettle River Road, the plat and field notes are hereby accepted and the route as surveyed declared to be a county road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 39-50, Kettle River Road, #650}

It is hereby ordered that the County Treasurer transfer from the Road & Bridge Fund the sum of \$72.23 to the Road Property Fund & credit to Road District No. 48. Also, transfer the sum of \$31.66 from the Road and Bridge Fund to the Road Property Fund and credit the same to Road District No. 36.

Application having been made by R. E. Lee for the privilege to build and mountain a telephone line over the county road from Ryan over to the Flat Creek Store on the reservation and from there to Kettle River. The same right and privilege is hereby granted, provided the poles and wires in no manner obstruct ordinary travel on said road.

Bill of

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The following bills allowed:

O. T. Smith	Expenses as Assessor to Spokane to attend meeting of County Assessors of Eastern Washington	\$8.70
O. T. Smith	Office expense Assessor	\$4.15
Shaw Borden	Surveyor's supplies	\$4.25

O. P. Anderson	Map & Blue Print Co Surveyor's Supplies	\$3.00
C. M. Durland	Justice of the Peace State versus Thos. Young	\$3.95
Julius Phole	Witness, State versus Thos. Young	\$2.00
John Rickey	Witness, State versus Thos. Young	\$2.00
C. M. Durland	Justice of the Peace, State versus Thos Connors	\$4.55
M. E. Ryan	Witness, State versus Thos Connors	\$2.00
Fred L. Reinoehl	Witness, State versus Thos Connors	\$2.00
D. J. Zent	Witness, State versus Thos Connors	\$2.00
James Adams	Witness, State versus Thos Connors	\$2.00
Gilman & Co.	Burial expense of N. E. Shepard	\$25.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expenses	\$30.10
Wm. Terry	Constable, State versus Jno. Brown	
	Constable, State versus Jno. Brown	
	Constable, State versus W. H. Turner	\$11.85
W. D. Sax	Expenses account quarter ending March 31, 1899	\$21.55
John Salvage	Expense as Game Warden	\$11.00
W. H. Jackson	Office expense	\$6.60
F. R. Ballard	Coroner, viewing body of Bartell	\$12.80
Northport Cemetery Co.	For lot & digging grave	\$6.50
F. R. Ballard	Telephone expense	\$2.75
S. S. Beggs	Office expense quarter ending March 31, 1899	\$70.34
Statesman-Index	Tables for Assessor	\$1.75
E. Kratzer	Judge of election	\$3.00
David Meikle	House rent from March 13 th to July 13 th 1899	\$16.00
Lemery & Co.	Plow	\$12.00
Lemery & Co.	Janitor's supplies	\$3.25
D. M. Richard	Justice of the Peace State versus Madden	\$1.40
Mrs. Ella Williams	Boarding jurors	\$17.50
Mrs. C. E. Rumsey	Lodging jurors	\$10.50
Spokane Implement Co.	Plow and freight to Road District No. 38	\$31.05
Spokane Implement Co.	Plow and freight	\$29.15

In the matter of bids for furnishing county wood, that of E. J. Catlett being lowest, i.e., \$2.20 per cord, it is ordered that the Prosecuting Attorney prepare contract between Stevens County & E. J. Catlett as per terms of proposal for bids, and that said Catlett give bond to the amount of \$300.00 for the fulfillment of said contract.

In the matter of the petition of C. H. Bennett et al for the construction of a bridge across the Spokane River, the same is hereby laid over.

In the matter of the petition of R. F. Hesseltine et al for viewing and locating a county road, the same is hereby laid over.

In the matter of Mrs. J. W. Lendersten, loss of county warrants, the same is hereby laid over.

Board adjourned to April 8th, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 456 & 457, 4/8/1899

April 8th, 1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the purchase of a farm for the Poor of Stevens County. The Board of County Commissioners have purchased for and in behalf of Stevens County from Katherine S. Ide a certain tract of parcel of land, which is more fully described in a deed given by said Katherine S. Ide to Stevens County and filed for record in the Auditor's Office of said county on the 8th day of April 1899.

In the matter of the application of L. F. Ledgerwood, Joe. W. Reynolds & W. T. Ferguson for a renewal of a ferry license at Kettle Falls; Ordered that when the said parties file with the County Auditor a good and sufficient bond; and deposit with the County Treasurer the license fee of \$30.00, then a ferry license shall be issued to said Ledgerwood et al for a period of one year from the date of expiration of former license.

The following fills allowed:

Pioneer Bindery Co.	Record book - Justice's supplies	\$38.62
L. L. Tower	Salary & mileage	\$127.20
Ray Brouillet	Clerk, Auditor's Office	\$29.25
Don F. Crown	Judge of election	\$3.00
W. H. Pryor	Juror, Inquest P. A. Nelson	\$2.00
Albert Madsen	Juror, Inquest P. A. Nelson	\$2.00
W. Wade	Juror, Inquest P. A. Nelson	\$2.00
G. Ide	Juror, Inquest P. A. Nelson	\$2.00
A. F. Perkins	Juror, Inquest P. A. Nelson	\$2.00
Theodore Rusch	Juror, Inquest P. A. Nelson	\$2.00
Antone Carlsen	Witness, Inquest P. A. Nelson	\$2.00
G. Jacobs	Witness, Inquest P. A. Nelson	\$2.00
C. H. Weston	Witness, Inquest P. A. Nelson	\$2.00
D. J. Zent	Witness, Inquest P. A. Nelson	\$2.00
M. R. Peck	Witness, Inquest P. A. Nelson	\$2.00
F. R. Ballard	Coroner, Inquest P. A. Nelson	\$11.00
G. M. Jacobs	Guarding body of P. A. Nelson	\$2.50
J. M. Stevens	Drayage	\$1.00
B. W. Emery	Road Supervisor Report District No. 4	\$22.75
D. Hollandsworth	Road Supervisor Report District No. 43	\$21.25
D. Hollandsworth	Road Supervisor Report District No. 43	\$10.00
T. H. Williams	Carpenter, office fixtures	\$14.50
Columbia & N. T. & T. Co	Rent for telephoning county offices from November 1 st 1898, to April 1 ^{st,} 1899	\$26.50
Shaw Borden Co.	Mortgage Record Book	\$14.50
F. J. Kelly	Supplies to J. Felt, a poor person	\$10.00
Jas. Sherry	Constable, State versus Madden	\$3.80
S. L. Bruchbill	Bringing prisoner from Hunter to Colville, State	\$15.00
S. L. Bruchbill	versus Rumsey	\$1 3. 00
Glass & Prudhomme	Duplicate tax receipts	\$12.75
Northport News	Stationery for School Superintendent	\$4.00
Heimbach & Co.	3 shirts for prisoners	\$1.50
Glass & Prudhomme	Form book Quartz Record	\$21.50

Prindle & Brouillet	Braces for Treasurer's counter	\$1.50
Jno. Jas. Graves	Deputy Assessor, March 1899	\$81.00
W. J. Chamberlain	Furnishing material & fastening chairs	\$8.00
C. E. Ivy	Justice of Peace State versus Turner	\$3.95
C. E. Ivy	Justice of Peace State versus Jus. Brown March 11th, 1899	\$2.90
C. E. Ivy	Justice of Peace State versus Jus. Brown March 13, 1899	\$2.85
Durland & Lindsey	Painting and varnishing office fixtures	\$3.60
Shaw & Borden	Blank Road Supervisor Reports	\$8.35
Mrs. N. M. Wright	Boarding prisoners, months of February & March, \$104 1899	
Northport News	Envelopes for Treasurer	\$2.30
Henry Baker	Work in Road District No. 26	\$2.00
Joseph Nett	Work in Road District No. 26	\$2.00
Spokane County	Supplies & medicine furnished Wm. Fetterly	\$12.75
Linton Harbison	Burying dead horses	\$32.00
Shaw Borden Co.	Blotters for Auditor	\$.95
T. W. Smith	Work on fixture in county office	\$7.10
Northport News	Stationery County Commissioners	\$1.00
Northport News	Printing Commissioners' proceedings	\$72.00
H. L. Kallock	Witness fee & mileage State versus Hepenstine	\$6.00
Northport News	Issuing call for warrants	\$2.00
Northport News	Issuing call for school warrants	\$6.50
A. P. Trunnells	Care of Mrs. Shepard	\$7.50
Northport News	Stationery County Auditor	\$3.15
O. T. Smith	Assessor, salary month of March 1899	\$108.00
J. H. Felt	Justice of the Peace State versus Hepenstine et al	\$4.20
Chas. Mueller	Constable, State versus Hepenstine et al	\$21.95
L.F. Ledgerwood	Deputy Sheriff	\$25.40

In the matter of the petition of Geo. Williams et all for an appropriation of \$200.00 for the Kettle River Road, the same is hereby rejected.

Board adjourned to April 10th, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 458, 4/10/1899

Monday, April 10th, 1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the formation of a school district, designated as "School District No. 33," bounded as follows: Beginning where the west line of Section 22 Township 27 Range 40 intersects the Spokane River, thence running North to Northwest corner of Section 3, thence East to the Spokane River, thence down said river to place of beginning, said petition having been granted by the School Superintendent, the same is hereby approved. {School District No. 33 called Tum Tum was in Township 27 North Range 41 East Section 8. It existed from 1899 to 1913.}

It appearing that the County School Superintendent has transferred the south ½ of southeast ¼ of Section 13 Township 33 Range 37 from School District No. 19 to School District No. 59. The same is hereby approved. {School District No. 19 was called Waterloo.}

Bill of

W. L. Sax	Mileage, Clayton & Harvey Creek & return, allowed	\$10.10
State Auditor	Detail list of Assessor	\$37.85
James Burris	Burial of P. A. Nelson	\$20.00

In the matter of the quarterly settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed deposits in bank cash and on hand to the amount of \$35,313.08 distributed in the various funds as follows:

Interest & Cost Fund	\$482.69
State General Fund	\$2279.03
Poor Fund	\$805.30
Town of Kettle Falls	\$159.17
Colville	\$417.10
Road Property Fund	\$4379.87
State Interest	\$158.87
School	\$11306.15
Special School Fund	\$5426.23
Road & Bridge Fud	\$1106.24
State Military	\$160.48
Soldiers Relief	\$58.39
Current Relief	\$58.39
Current Expense	\$3769.89
County Indebtedness	\$1934.60
State School	\$2293.08
Institute Fund	\$130.00
Contingent Fund	\$70.35
Salary Fund	\$361.24
Special Road Fund	\$13.51
State Cost	\$.89
Total	\$35313.08

Report of

Chas Peterson	Road Supervisor District No. 5, allowed	\$6.50
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Bill of

W. A. Herbison	Deputy Assessor 12 days	\$36.00
J. B. Thomas	Work on plats	\$194.00
P. J. Kelly	Supplies furnished Mrs. Worm	\$10.00
J. F. Harris	Care of James Endicott	\$10.00
F. Goetter	Stationery	\$3.25

Board adjourned to April 11, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 459 & 460, 4/11/1899

April 11th, 1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present of yesterday.

The following bills allowed:

Jacob Keller	Supplies is furnished Dr. Esterbrook, allowed	\$5.00
J. S. Wright	Deputy Sheriff, expenses month of March, 1899	\$54.40
E. M. Denny	Sheriff, livery expense to April 1 st , 1899	\$65.50
E. M. Denny	Sheriff, Expense bill	\$6.50
E. M. Denny	Sheriff, Expense telephoning, telegraphing, stamps	\$19.91
Tommy Ryan	Constable, State versus Baker	\$3.60
M. Lawyer	Witness fees & mileage State versus Baker	\$3.60
Nancy Lawyer	Witness fees & mileage State versus Baker	\$3.60
Bert Lawyer	Witness fees & mileage State versus Baker	\$3.60
Wm. McClure	Constable, State versus Baker	\$6.00
R. H. Renshaw	Justice of Peace State versus Baker	\$3.80

Petition of J. B. Reynolds et al asking an appropriation of \$200.00 on Kettle River Road, the same as hereby laid over.

In the matter of the petition of D. A. Morrison et al for the appointment of Chas. L. Koning as Road Supervisor of Road District No. 38. It appearing that a vacancy exists in said office in said district, we do hereby appoint Chas. L. Koning as Road Supervisor for Road District No. 38.

Bill of

B. H. Taylor	Deputy Sheriff, allowed	\$42.00
C. D. Robinson	Deputy Assessor	\$63.00
F. R. Ballard	County Physician for quarter ending April 12 th , 1898	\$125.00
A. S. Dingle	Deputy Assessor 20 days allowed	\$60.00
J. P. Munkers	Team & saddle horse, Dawson care, allowed	\$4.50
T. F. Hallam	Deputy Sheriff	\$11.25
A. A. Barnett	Window shades	\$2.40
Mrs. Susie Harkness	Caring for James Endicott	\$11.50
E. M. Denny	Expenses, Anderson matter	\$14.90

In the matter of the petition of Eli Dupuis for a change in the Paradise Road, the same is hereby laid over.

Bill of H. G. Kirkpatrick for money paid F. C. Robertson & Chris Voorhees on account of services rendered in defense of H. G. Kirkpatrick in case of United State versus H. G. Kirkpatrick. Said action having been brought on account of advice given by Kirkpatrick to Stevens County Commissioners in Dan P. Bagnell liquor license matter, affecting the sale of liquors on the south half of the Colville Indian Reservation, a vote having been ordered on said bill. Reynolds and Jeffrey voted in the affirmation. Irish is the negative, declared carried and bill allowed for \$225.00.

It is hereby ordered that the County Treasurer transfer \$13.57 from the Special Road Fund to the Road & Bridge Fund, also transfer the sum of \$361.24 from the Salary Fund to the current expense fund; also the sum of 89 cents from the State Cost Fund to the Current Expense Fund.

Board adjourned to April 12, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 460, 4/12/1899

April 12th, 1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of purchasing county record books. It is ordered that all record books of Stevens County for the ensuring year, beginning at this date, shall be purchased by Glass & Prudhomme, Ore, as per prices on schedule list furnished by said firm to Stevens County.

Bill of

Chas. Brooks	Repairing jail, allowed	\$10.00
Richard Nagle	Deputy Assessor	\$78.00
W. L. Sax	Purchase of Mimeograph	\$17.50

In the matter of the employment of a person to conduct the Poor Farm for the ensuring year, the application of W. A. Harbison having been duly considered and found to be satisfying. It is ordered that Prosecuting Attorney, H. G. Kirkpatrick prepare contract between Stevens County and said Harbison, and also bond in amount of \$300.00 to begin by said Harbison for the faithful performance of such service in compliance with the terms of said contract.

Board viewed proposed site for bridge on Gendron Road; also, viewed site for proposed bridge on Mantz-Rickey Road.

Board adjourned to April 13th, 1899.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 460, 461 & 462, 4/13/1899

April 13, 1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Bill of

C. M. Durland	Abstract of part of Lots 9 & 10 Block 11 Colville,	\$8.50
	for county, allowed	
F. Barman	Supplies for Mrs. Mitchell (\$8.00) Mrs. Bird (\$15.00)	\$23.00
F. Barman	Courthouse supplies	\$52.80
Geo. Foster	Burying 30 head of horses	\$60.00
D. C. Ely	County Auditor cash paid for wood, expense charges, stamps, [Money?] to Commissioners, allowed	\$83.98

Ordered that the Clerk of the Board notify the Division Superintendent of the Spokane Falls & Northern Railroad that a crossing is needed on the county road known as the Mantz-Richey Road.

In the matter of the petition of R. M. Stoddard asking for a reduction of taxes the same is hereby laid over.

Bill of

Sam D. Allen	Inspecting bridge between Lincoln & Stevens	\$45.00
	County, allowed	

Ordered that the salary of the Chief Deputy in the Sheriff's Office be increased \$10.00 for month beginning April 1st, 1899.

Bill of

D. J. Zent	Money paid for lot for Soldier's Graves in	\$10.00
	Evergreen Cemetery, allowed	

Ordered that deed for said lot be given to Stevens County and remainder of said lot shall be used for the burial of old soldiers.

In the matter of an appeal by Albert Jennings et al from a decision made by School Superintendent W. L. Sax relation to the formation of a school district, the same having been duly heard by the Board of County Commissioners, the decision of the School Superintendent is hereby reversed and the petition for the formation of said district is hereby granted.

Ordered that a warrant be drawn in favor of G. W. Reynolds for \$47.00 to purchase a ticket for one Catherine Spiller, a poor person, from Northport to Lamar, Iowa.

The following bills allowed

F. Y. Wilson	Justice of the Peace State versus Ericksson	\$8.45
C. Lindgren	Witness State versus Ericksson	\$2.20

Mrs. Hudson	Witness State versus Ericksson	\$2.20
Frank Hudson	Witness State versus Ericksson	\$2.20
Chas Hudson	Witness State versus Ericksson	\$2.20
Chas. Murphy	Witness State versus Ericksson	\$2.20
Adolph Fred	Witness State versus Ericksson	\$2.20
Geo. Wilson	Witness State versus Ericksson	\$2.20
W. W. Gray	Witness State versus Ericksson	\$2.20
W. H. Pool	Witness State versus Ericksson	\$2.20
A. W. Tripp	Constable State versus Ericksson	\$10.85
R. E. Lee	Merchandise furnished courthouse	\$15.31

In the matter of the petition of Jacob Scott et al for a county road, the plat and field notes are hereby accepted and the route as surveyed declared a county road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 50-52, Scott Road, #528}

Bill of

Clinton Scott	Viewer, Scott Road, allowed	\$11.00
A. J. Smith	Viewer, Scott Road, allowed	\$2.00
Wilbur Scott	Viewer, Scott Road, allowed	\$5.00
Jacob Scott	Axman, Scott Road, allowed	\$1.00

Board adjourned to April 14th, 1899.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 462, 4/14/1899

April 14th, 1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Bill of

Northport NewsPublishing call for County Fund warrantAlfred YoungJustice of the Peace State versus WilcoxNils AndersonWitness, mileage 12 milesO. T. SmithWitness, State versus WilcoxJacob KellerWitness, State versus WilcoxAmbrose MosierWitness, State versus WilcoxJames FlettWitness, State versus WilcoxZill YoungWitness, State versus Wilcox	\$3.00 \$4.75
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Ambrose MosierWitness, State versus WilcoxJames FlettWitness, State versus Wilcox	\$2.10
James Flett Witness, State versus Wilcox	\$2.10
	\$3.00
Zill Young Witness, State versus Wilcox	\$5.00
	\$2.10
L. L. Tower Survey Scott Road & making plat of same	\$60.20
Isaac Dye Work on Kettle River Road	\$5.00
W. H. Jeffrey County Commissioner 11 days, 80 miles	\$52.00
G. W. Reynolds County Commissioner 11 days, trip to Marcus to	\$70.95
look after dead horse, trip to Bossburg to look	
after dead horses, trip to Northport, inspecting	
road, total	
T. E. Irish County Commissioner 6 days in Newport & Calispell	\$132.00
Valley, inspecting bridges, 1 day in Spokane,	
Morrissey matter, 4 days to Fort Spokane bridge	
matter, 11 days as County Commissioners mileage	
J. B. Thomas Work in Surveyor's Office	\$32.50

In the matter of the petition of Henry Hughes et al for an appropriation for Heidigger & Childress Roads, the same is hereby laid over.

Ordered that the County Auditor advertise for bids for the construction of a house on the County Poor Farm; that such advertisements be placed in the paper doing the county printing, also the Statesman-Index for a period of two weeks. Said bids to be in accordance with plane and specifications for said house now on file in the County Auditor's Office. Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Said bids shall be opened and considered by said Commissioners at the courthouse in Colville on the 3rd day of May 1899.

Board adjourned to May 18th, 1899

T. E. Irish, Chairman

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 463, 5/3/1899

Colville, Washington. May 3, 1899

Pursuant to order made by County Commissioners on the 14th day of April 1899, relation to opening bids for constructions of a county poor house.

The Board of County Commissioners met this 3rd of May 1899.

Present:

T. E. Irish	Chairman
G. W. Reynolds	
W. H. Jeffrey	

Bids for the construction of a County Poor House having been opened and duly considered, action on same was deferred until Thursday, May 4th, 1899.

Board adjourned to May 4th, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 463, 5/4/1899

Thursday, May 4th 1899. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The bids of S. D. Allen to build the County Poor House for the sum of \$1175.00 according to the plans and specifications, excepting that instead of number "two" material, he shall use number "one" material in all parts that said bid be accepted when said Allen furnishes a satisfactory bond in the sum of \$2500.00

The bond of S. D. Allen for the construction of the County Poor House having been presented to this board and found to be satisfactory, the construct for the construction of said building is hereby let to said S. D. Allen end work on same shall be completed within sixty-days from this date.

T. E. Irish, Chairman

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 464, 5/18/1899

Colville, Washington, May 18, 1899

Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County, Washington, met pursuant to adjournment of April 14, 1899.

Present:

T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District, Chairman
G. W. Reynolds	Commissioner 2 nd District
W. H. Jeffrey	Commissioner 1 st District

Articles of Agreement having been made and entered into between Stevens County, party of the first part, and W. A. Harbison and his wife Nettie C. Harbison, parties of the second part, whereby the said parties of the second part are to manage and superintend the County Poor Farm for a period of one year from April 17, 1899, and they having filed a good and sufficient bond. It is ordered that said bond and agreement be filed in the County Auditor's Office, and that a duplicate of said memorandum of agreement be given to said parties of the second part.

Board adjourned to May 19th, 1899.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 464 & 465, 5/19/1899

Friday, May 19th. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the petition of Robt Fountain et al for the construction of a pile bridge near E. Kapp's place, the same is hereby granted.

In the matter of the petition of R. F. Hesseltine et al for the viewing, locating, and establishing a county road, known as the Upper Deer Creek Road, the petition is granted; and Fred Brown and E. Bird are appointed viewers of said road. The County Surveyor is hereby instructed to survey said road. It is further understood that the county shall not be charged with the cost of viewing and locating said road. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 86-91, Hesseltine Road or Upper Deer Creek Road, #609}

It appearing by affidavit of Mrs. J. W. Lendersen that she had lost a Stevens County warrant and having made application for a reissuance of said warrant or warrants, the same is hereby denied.

Bill of

C. Passons	For care of Robert Carr, rejected	
Irwin Hodson Co.	Office supplies, allowed	\$114.80
Irwin Hodson Co.	Sheriff's vouchers, allowed	\$5.00
J. B. Thomas	Map of Colville for County Treasurer, allowed	\$2.00
N. H. Gammage	Report of Road Supervisor Road District No. 33	\$115.10

In the matter of A. W. Kemp who asks for a refund of taxes paid on certain mining stock, the same is hereby laid over.

The following bills allowed:

W. H. Spencer	Hauling potatoes to Poor Farm	\$10.00
Calispell Creamery Co.	Spikes washers[?], etc.	\$13.75
Northport News	Letter heads for Surveyor	\$3.70
Geo. F. Bottorff	Deputy Assessor 23 days	\$69.00
Shaw Borden Co.	Tracing cloth for Surveyor	\$4.00
Northport News	Tax statement for Treasurer	\$1.50
E. W. Kyes	Relief of A. VanSlyke, veteran	\$8.00
C. E. Brooks	Deputy Assessor, 20 days	\$60.00

Board adjourned to May 20th, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 465 & 466, 5/20/1899 (On file 18990519) Saturday, May 20th. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following bills allowed:

		410.00
Mrs. A. Bryant	Care of Mr. Cook, room and board	\$10.00
Inland Ensign	Printing notices for Sheriff	\$2.25
J. Oppenheimer	Scraper, shovels, nails, to Road District No. 7	\$12.37
C. W. Hall	Arm rest, [?eraser?], pens to O. T. Smith	\$3.30
Northport News	Letterheads for Treasurer	\$2.30
Northport News	Printing notices of Teacher's examination	\$1.50
Northport News	Printing calls for warrants for Treasurer	\$13.00
Northport News	Printing Commissioners' proceedings	\$37.50
Northport News	Printing Commissioners' proceedings, Special Session	\$5.00
Northport News	Printing proposed for bids	\$3.00
0. P. Anderson	Map & blue print, County supplies to Surveyor	\$2.00
Shawn Borden	Supplies to County Surveyor	\$1.50
Wisner & Acorn	Making coffin, painting same, for John Carr, laid over	\$1.00
0. P. Anderson	Deputy Assessor 30 days	\$90.00
S. T. Tatro	Deputy Assessor 27 days	\$81.00
Geo. Barclay	Deputy Assessor 44 days	\$132.00
J. D. Marshall	Deputy Assessor 31 days	\$93.00
Northport News	Printing Commissioners Proceedings	\$49.00
Northport News	Location notices for County Auditor	\$2.90
Arthur Woodward	Work on Poor Farm	\$5.50
Hospital of the Sacred Heart	Care of Morrisey	\$80.00
Linton Harbison	Work, self & team Poor Farm	\$37.50
W. A. Harbison	Cows, wagon, harness, plow & other supplies for County Poor Farm	\$250.72
W. J. Chamberlain	Draughtsman, plan for County Poor House	\$17.50
H. E. Canning	Work on road around Ren Robeirre Canyon	\$250.00
Northport Trading Co.	Road supplies furnished to Road District No. 39	\$37.65
J. B. Thomas	Tracing & prints for school districts & township prints	\$38.00
Mrs. A. Bryant	Care of Wagner girls & boy	\$7.50
Northport News	Printing call for defunct School District warrants	\$1.50
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It appearing that a vacancy exists in the office of Road Supervisor for Road District No. 38. Michael Coleman in hereby appointed as Road Supervisor for said district.

Report of Frank Winchester, Road Supervisor, Road District No. 30, allowed.

Report of Jacob Scott, Road Supervisor, Road District No. 36, allowed, \$10.5.00[?]

It appearing that Geo. Sisler & C. C. Ringel have duly made application for a retail liquor license and having filed a good and sufficient bond and paid to the County Treasurer the sum of six hundred dollars, a license is hereby granted to Sisler & Ringel to conduct a retain liquor business in the Town of Bossburg for a period of one year from May 7th, 1899.

In the matter of the application of O. P. Foster of Marcus for a renewal of liquor license, said Foster having filed a good and sufficient bond and paid to the County Treasurer the sum of six hundred dollars, the license of said Foster is hereby renewed for a period of one year from April 18th, 1899.

Bill of

Mrs. E. C. Rumsey	Care of Nettie Fogg, care nurse for 7 days	\$14.00
J. P. Fogh	Supplies furnished Road District No. 18, allowed	\$4.50

Board adjourned to May 22, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 466 & 467, 5/22/1899

Monday, May 22nd, 1899. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of Saturday.

The following bills allowed:

F. Barman	Supplies for Poor Farm	\$180.43
R. E. Lee	Supplies for Poor Farm	\$14.45

Resignation of Geo. W. Beyers as Justice of the Peace for Walker's Prairie Precinct, accepted.

Bill of costs case of State versus Buckley & Hepenstine, rejected.

In the matter of the application of John Williams et al for the location of a county road beginning at about the center of Section 26 Township 30 Range 44, and running in a southwesterly direction. The same is laid over.

Application of J. H. Lamb for a license to conduct a row ferry, the same is hereby laid over.

The following bills allowed.

Lindsay & Wade	Implement for Road District No. 17	\$6.60
Louis Perras	Team for Commissioners to J. Nelson's, also to Mantz Bridge	\$3.00
Louis Perras	Team, one day for H. G. Kirkpatrick	\$4.00
Spokane Implement Co.	1 piece steel & freight	\$3.35
Jno. Jas. Graves	25 days, Deputy Assessor, April 1899	\$75.00
A. J. Lee	Saddle horse for S. S. Beggs	\$5.00
Northport News	Stationery, County Clerk	\$4.00
Harvey J. Brown	Preparing list of lands for which final certificates were issued for year commencing March 1 st , 1898, and ending March 1 st , 1899	\$19.30
Pioneer Bindery & Printing co.	Blanks & blank records for county	\$41.35
Northport News	Stationery for Sheriff	\$2.25
O. T. Smith	25 days services County Assessor, April	\$100.00
Pioneer Binder & Printing Co.	Office supplies	\$8.05
Spokane Implement Co.	1 plow to road implement W. A. Atkinson #44	\$18.45
C. N. Park	Deputy Treasurer, 25 days work collecting delinquent taxes	\$62.50
C. N. Park	Deputy Treasurer, expenses collecting delinquent personal tax list	\$35.15
J. B. Nelson	Lumber for Gendron Bridge	\$40.60
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Money paid stenographer, stamps, expense to Spokane. Rossland and Bossburg in legal matters	\$48.55
E. D. Morrison	Lumber for Road District No. 1	\$52.98
Jacob Stitzel	Seed wheat for Poor Farm	\$15.50
G. W. Jarvis	Horse hire, 11 ½ days for County Treasurer	\$11.50
Glass & Prudhomme	County Superintendent stationery	\$2.55
C. W. St. Clair	Men & team, hauling dirt on ground in front of courthouse	\$50.35

J. Petty	Janitor supplies for courthouse	\$4.65
S. S. Beggs	Tax is paid on account of W. O. Smith, a Poor	\$6.44
	person	
T. Williams	Work & material for courthouse	\$8.35
W. L. Terry	Fees & expenses as Constable	\$17.85
W. L. Terry	Fees & expenses State versus Gerard	\$2.05
A. St. Clair	Judge of election 1 day	\$3.00
S. S. Beggs	Expense of D. M. Ogden, Deputy Treasurer,	\$9.23
	collecting delinquent tax	
M. E. Shimaus	Judge of election	\$3.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Telephoning expense to May 1 st , 1899	\$14.99
Northport News	Stationery County Auditor	\$2.90
T. J. Kelly	Supplies furnished J. Felt, poor person	\$10.00
Lamery & Co.	Supplies for courthouse by Janitor	\$9.55

In the matter of the petition of N. Newell et al for a change in county road in Road District #36. The same is hereby laid over until bond is filed.

In the matter of the petition of A. E. Gallupe et al for the view location and establishment of a county road on the east fork of Cedar Creek. The same in hereby rejected.

The quarterly report of F. Y. Wilson, Justice of the Peace, Northport Precinct is hereby accepted.

Bond of Chas. Brooks as Justice of Peace for Marcus Precinct approved.

Report of John Jones, Road Supervisor Road District No. 32, allowed \$22.10

The following territory has been transferred from School District No. 7 to School District No. 25, i.e., Section 4 – 9 -16 – 16 & 21 Township 28 Range 41 as duly certified by the County School Superintendent, and same is hereby approved. {School District No. 7 was Walker's Prairie 1884 to 1907. School District No. 25 was Williams Valley from 1890 to 1942.}

In the matter of the petition of Henry Hughes et al for an appropriation of \$150.00 from road known as Heidigger Road and also an appropriation of \$150.00 for the road known as the Childress & Pankey Road, all in Road District No. 16. The same is hereby granted.

In the matter of the petition of J. E. Gall et al for viewing, locating, and establishing a county road to be known as the Cut Off Road, the same is hereby laid over.

Board adjourned to Mary 23, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 468, 5/23/1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Bill of: Bills allowed

F. Barman	Supplies furnished Mrs. Bird & Mrs. Twitchell,	\$46.00
	poor persons to May 15, 1899.	
F. R. Ballard	Stamps & telephone messages	\$3.25
C. M. Durland	Justice of the Peace State versus Stimpson	\$.95
J. S. Wright	Deputy Sheriff, expenses	\$3.75
Colville Paint co.	Supplies for courthouse	\$2.40
Mrs. N. M. Wright	Board of prisoners, month of April 1899	\$93.00
E. M. Denny	Expense bill	\$17.65
G. B. Carter	Services Deputy Sheriff	\$20.25
L. F. Hallam	Deputy Sheriff 1 day	\$2.25
C. O'Brien	Reddin Spokane, telephone messages sent by Sheriff	\$6.37
E. M. Denny	Livery hire	\$45.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Cash paid J. M. Taylor, [typewritey?]	\$1.00
H. C. Parliament	Constable fees & expenses	\$27.10
W. L. Terry	Deputy Sheriff, expense to Republic, Walters case	\$28.10
E. M. Denny	Expense bill	\$22.10
J. E. Cannutt	Sheriff Whitman Co, bringing Haroz Stimpson from	\$13.35
	Colfax to Spokane	
W. P. Lee	Deputy Sheriff services	\$13.50

It appearing that an error was made in the assessment of the property of John Mally for the 1897. Ordered that said assessed valuation be reduced from \$652.00 to \$395.00.

Board adjourned to May 24th, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 468 & 469, 5/24/1899 Wednesday, May 24th. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present of yesterday. The following bills allowed:

Statesman-Index	Publishing proposal for bids	\$2.00
S. L. Magee	2026 lbs. potatoes for Poor Farm	\$30.39
J. P. Fogh	Road supplies furnished Henry [?Dudeck?] Road Supervisor Road District No. 16	\$21.30
T. A. Winter	Stamps & stationery, county offices	\$139.60
S. D. Allen	Material furnished & labor performed on County Poor Farm	\$250.00
Louis Perras	Three trips of team to Poor Farm	\$6.00
T. H. Williams	is hereby employed to build a fence around the courthouse according to estimate submitted for the sum of	\$165.45
R. P. Jared	Deputy Assessor, 50 days	\$150.00
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Expense of team & self to Kettle Falls, Stimson case	\$1.25
J. M. Stevens	Two trips to Poor Farm	\$2.25

Ordered that amount be drawn in favor of S. D. Allen for the amount of \$250.00 on account of labor and entered furnished at Poor Farm. Warrant to be drawn June 15th, 1899.

In the matter of the petition of Arnold Michel for the view, location, & establishment of a county road commencing about the center of Section 8 Township 33 Range 39 running in a northwesterly direction for about ¾ of a mile, the same of hereby laid over until bond and waivers have been filed.

Bill of

F. Barman	Jail supplies allowed	\$15.75
T. W. Smith	Work at courthouse	\$7.75
R. A. Prouty	Care of John Carr, laid over	
Bank of Colville	Money advanced to stenographer, I. W. Bennet	\$1.50

Board examined J. B. Nelson bridge & accepted same.

Board adjourned to May 25th, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 469, 5/25/1899 (On file 18990525)

May 25, 1899. Thursday. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Day devoted to conferring with Ferry County Commissioners relative to settlement between the counties.

Board adjourned to May 26th, 1899.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 469 & 470, 5/25/1899 (On file 18990525)

May 26th, 1899. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Bill of

In the matter of the petition of J. S. Ketcham et al for the viewing, locating, and establishing of a county road to be known as Pierre's Lake Road. Said petition is granted, and the County Surveyor is hereby directed to survey said road. We hereby appoint as viewers of said road, Frank Utterhardt & Henry Gibbins.

Bills allowed:

D. C. Ely	County Auditor, money paid for wood, telephone, rent & stamps	\$53.83
J. B. Nelson	Building bridge across Colville River	\$124.72
Glass & Prudhomme	Office supplies, records	\$12.87
Glass & Prudhomme	Office supplies, records	\$57.50
J. D. Morris	Professional services for D. Jorden	\$50.00
Thos. Madden	Lumber for courthouse	\$6.43
H. G. Kirkpatrick	Telephone bill, Spokane & B. C. Line	\$14.62
L. L. Tower	Service County Surveyor, May 12 to 25 th , inclusive	\$42.00
L. L. Tower	Services County Surveyor, Work on plat books and	\$137.20
	Road District maps	
R. E. Young	Deputy Treasurer, collecting delinquent taxes	\$66.25

In the matter of transcribing the records for Ferry County. Ordered that the sum of seven (7) cents per folio shall be paid for said work.

In the matter of the petition of Geo. Neumann et al for the appointment of S. Davis is Road Supervisor for Road District No. 24, said petition is granted.

In the matter of the petition of James Crawford et al asking for an appropriation of \$1000.00 for the purpose of opening up the road from Ryan to Kettle River. The same is hereby rejected.

In the matter of the petition of E. D. Morrison et al entering protest against collection of toll in Public Road at Hall's Bridge.

The matter is hereby laid over.

Bill of

G. W. Reynolds	Cash to poor person, fare to Butte, allowed	\$23.85
T. E. Irish	Services County Commissioner, per itemized bill,	\$49.00
	allowed	
G. W. Reynolds	Services County Commissioner per itemized bill	\$96.40
W. H. Jeffrey	Services County Commissioner per itemized bill	\$81.40

As per agreement with Commissioners of Ferry County ordered that all money derived from Ferry licenses where said lines are operating on the boundary line between Stevens &

Ferry Counites shall be divided equally between said counties. And, further that a license granted by either county shall be valid in both.

Board adjourned Sine Die.

T. E. Irish, Chairman

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 471, 7/6/1899

Colville, Washington, July 6th, 1899.

Board of County Commissioners met in regular session.

Present:

T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District, Chairman
Geo. W. Reynolds	Commissioner 2 nd District
W. H. Jeffrey	Commissioner 1 st District

The following Road Supervisor's Reports accepted and amounts allowed:

T. J. Turk	Road District No. 7	\$276.66
T. W. Gilson	Road District No. 37	\$269.05

Board adjourned to July 7^{th} , 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 471, 7/7/1899

Friday, July 7th, 1899. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

The following Road Supervisor's reports accepted and amounts allowed:

James Lyons	Road District No. 13	\$170.95
Adel Bishop	Road District No. 39	\$374.45
N. H. Gammage	Road District No. 33	\$90.00

Board visited County Poor House to inspect carpenter work on same.

Board adjourned to July 8, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 471, 7/8/1899

Saturday, July 8th, 1899. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

In the matter of the petition of Thomas Weed et al for viewing, locating, and establishing a county road to be known as the Meyers Falls – Bossburg Road. The same is hereby laid over.

The following bills allowed:

Linton Harbison	Work on Poor Farm	\$18.00
N. C. Parker	Care of county poor, quarter ending June 3 rd , 1899	\$309.50

The following Road Supervisor's Reports allowed:

I. B. Ellis	Supervisor, Road District No. 23	\$25.25
Alex Weaver	Supervisor, Road District No. 3	\$63.65
Geo. Duncan	Supervisor, Road District No. 22	\$59.92
W. J. Johnson	Supervisor, Road District No. 10	\$48.56
Michael Coleman	Supervisor, Road District No. 38	\$302.50
J. H. Penney	Supervisor, Road District No. 29	\$91.39
J. O. Johnson	Supervisor, Road District No. 31	\$295.00
John E 9. Thorp	Supervisor, Road District No. 12	\$35.60
Layton Matthewson	Supervisor, Road District No. 9	\$105.50
Ed Davis	Supervisor, Road District No. 42	\$45.35
G. Rellstab	Supervisor, Road District No. 45	\$47.75

Board adjourned to July 10th, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 472 & 473, 7/10/1899

Monday, July 10th, 1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

T. E. Irish	Commissioner 3 rd District, Chairman
Geo. W. Reynolds	Commissioner 2 nd District
W. H. Jeffrey	Commissioner 1 st District

It is hereby ordered that school tax for the year 1899 on tax receipt NO. 2285 be cancelled and money refunded, the same having been assessed in School District No. 55, when the property should have been assessed in School District No. 48.

Road Supervisor's Report allowed:

E. A. Chaffee	Road District No. 28	\$16.25
A. B. Minkee	Road District No. 20	\$24.70
A. McColeman	Road District No. 2	\$113.25
Geo. W. Byers	Road District No. 11	\$64.50
J. E. Lapray	Bridge lumber Road District No. 11, Byers Report	\$4.70
Julies M. Fisk	Road District No. 21	\$6.65
S. O. Fulgham	Road District No. 18	\$51.82
B. W. Emery	Road District No. 4	\$106.75
Frank S. Maxwell	Road District No. 40	\$134.00
S. K. Owens	Road District No. 17	\$35.00
Henry Dudeck	Road District No. 16	\$57.80
Charles Peterson	Road District No. 5	\$84.07
B. F. Shannon	Road District No. 34	\$56.30

In the matter of the petition of M. D. Ettinger et al for a change in the location of a county road, said principal petitioner having filed a bond, also waiver of claims of parties owning land a proposed right of way. The petition is hereby granted and the County Surveyor is instructed to survey the proposed route.

The proposal of C. A. Stowell with reference to making change in the county route in Calispell Valley is hereby laid over.

In the matter of the petition of O. V. Ritchie et al for the location and establishment of a county road the same is hereby laid over.

Following warrants ordered cancelled.

Warrants numbered as follows: 259, 1040, 1048, 1159, & 1039 of the series of 1892. Nos. 1712, 349, 300, 1563, 315, 303, 342, 299, & 297 of the series of 1893. No. 664 Current expense of series 1898, & No. 140 Poor Fund series of 1899.

Bills allowed:

Heimbach & Co.	Printing	\$2.25
J. Petty	Courthouse supplies	\$4.00
Northport Republican	Publishing summers, Stevens County versus Boyer	\$6.00

Road Supervisor's Right allowed:

John Jones	Road District No. 32	\$30.00
John Jones	Road District No. 32	\$11.00
J. P. Parrish	Road District No. 41	\$39.50
J. P. Parrish	Road District No. 41	\$5.60

In the matter of the petition of Richard Butte et al for the view, location, and establishment of a county road to be known as the Gillette Road, said petition having filed his bond, & waiver of claims having been obtained from parties located along said proposed road, & same having been filed. The petition is hereby granted & the County Surveyor is instructed to survey the same.

In the matter of the petition of J. J. Walters et al for the view, location, and establishment of a county road from Northport to Flat Creek. The same is hereby laid over.

In the matter of the petition of J. J. Shriner et al for the appointment of Charles Haines as Constable for Springdale Precinct. Said petition is granted and appointment is hereby made.

In the matter of the petition of H. G. Kirkpatrick et al for the appointment of A. N. Pettingill as Constable for Colville Precinct. Petition is granted and appointment is hereby made.

Bonds approved

D. Vanslyke	Justice of the Peace Chewelah Precinct
M. Walsh	Justice of the Peace Spring Valley Precinct

Board adjourned to July 11th, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 473, 474, & 475, 7/11/1899

Tuesday, July 11th 1899

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Following bills allowed:

Dianka fon County Auditon	<i>t</i>
	\$5.62
	\$26.25
	\$41.66
Co.	\$27.50
Care of Jas. Kemp 4 months to July 10 th	\$40.00
Envelopes for Auditor	\$1.10
	\$18.00
	\$24.00
	\$52.11
	\$1.00
	\$6.00
	\$3.50
	\$84.00
	\$8.00
	\$27.20
	\$1.00
	\$169.65
<u> </u>	\$1.80
	\$57.00
	\$19.00
courthouse	<i>ϕ</i> 19.00
Water pipes & fixtures at courthouse	\$66.03
Constable, State versus Jones & McClaine	\$1.60
Justice of the Peace State versus Daython	\$.95
Constable, State versus Turner	\$8.00
Justice of the Peace State versus John Doe	\$3.45
Justice of the Peace State versus Schaffer	\$4.35
Witness, State versus Schaffer	\$2.20
Witness, State versus Schaffer	\$2.20
Justice of the Peace State versus Walters	\$2.45
Justice of the Peace State versus Gerard	\$5.25
Constable, State versus John Doe	\$7.25
	\$3.15
	\$23.30
	\$3.20
	\$3.20
	\$3.00
	\$3.00
	\$3.00
	\$1.05
	\$4.80
	\$4.80
Witness, State versus Campbell	\$4.80
	Care of Jas. Kemp 4 months to July 10 th Envelopes for Auditor Walling up spring it Poor Farm Rent of telephones to July 1 st Painting courthouse, fence & material Blue print, frame glass 2 pigs for Poor Farm 1 pig for Poor Farm Deputy Assessor 28 days Office expenses Postage stamps, stationery, office expense Trip to Poor Farm Fencing courthouse grounds One ream typewriting paper Printing commissioners' proceedings (For Fred Miller) work on water pipes at courthouse Water pipes & fixtures at courthouse Constable, State versus Jones & McClaine Justice of the Peace State versus Daython Constable, State versus Schaffer Witness, State versus Schaffer Justice of the Peace State versus Walters Justice of the Peace State versus Walters Justice of the Peace State versus Walters Justice of the Peace State versus Patberg Constable, State versus John Doe Justice of the Peace State versus Patberg Constable, State versus Patberg Witness, State versus Patberg

W. Hall	Witness, State versus Campbell	\$4.80
D. W. McCann	Witness, State versus Campbell	\$4.80
S. Tanner	Witness, State versus Campbell	\$4.80
C. H. Lewis	Witness, State versus Campbell	\$4.80
Louis Perras	Livery hire, State versus Campbell	\$7.00
Bancroft-Whitney	Livery hire, State versus Campbell, codes one set	\$15.00
Frank Ferguson	Lumber to Road District No. 22 rejected as bill is	7 - 2 - 2 - 2 - 2
	included in supervisor's report	
Frank Ferguson	Lumber to Road District No. 20	\$8.44
O. T. Smith	County Assessor, June 1899	\$104.00
Jno. Jas. Graves	Deputy Assessor, June 1899	\$78.00
D. C. Hull	Deputy Assessor, 28 days	\$84.00
Pioneer Printing Co.	Blanks for clerk	\$7.00
E. T. Driscoll	Lumber to Road District No. 44	\$26.88
Glass & Prudhomme	Pens & blotters	\$4.96
Thomas Brown	Care of Wm. Irwin, May & June	\$20.00
Jas. B. Owens	Gas fixtures	\$7.80
S. S. Beggs	Office expense, quarter ending June 30 th	\$33.68
P. B. Dingle	Room rent on account of goods stored	\$2.00
G. H. Bevan	Deputy Assessor 8 days	\$24.00
W. L. Sax	Mileage, visiting schools	\$17.80
R. E. Lee	Locks & nails	\$11.60
W. H. Sacher	Work & material on Poor Farm	\$58.20
J. M. Stevens	Conveying county patients	\$1.25
B. H. Taylor	Office stool	\$3.85
Lewis Perras	Livery hire	\$13.00
Jacob Scott	Labor on Scott Road	\$106.25
Lemery & Co.	Courthouse supplies by janitor	\$5.25
Irwin Hodson Co.	Pencils & erasers	\$2.45
J. Lavigne	Deputy Treasurer, collecting delinquent taxes	\$27.50
Glass & Prudhomme	Record books	\$54.24
W. A. Bowser	Axman, Pierre Lake Road	\$10.00
Frank Utterhardt	Viewer Pierre Lake Road	\$10.00
Henry Gibbons	Viewer Pierre Lake Road	\$10.00
J. B. Reynolds	Viewer Marcus Bossburg Road	\$4.00
E. D. Morrison	Viewer Marcus Bossburg Road	\$8.00
Jas. Stevens	Chainman, Marcus Bossburg Road	\$64.00
0. J. McConnell	Rodman, Marcus Bossburg Road	\$64.00
A. C. Riever	Chainman, Marcus Bossburg Road	\$66.00
Frank Kendrick	Work on Marcus Bossburg Road	\$68.00
J. Astleford	Axman on Marcus Bossburg Road	\$5.00
L. L. Tower	Horses used in road survey	\$54.00
L. L. Tower	May 25 th of July 1 st , inclusive on East Marcus &	\$203.35
	Bossburg Reservation, Bossburg & Kettle River,	<i>+203.33</i>
	Flat Creek – Pierre Lake Road	
R. E. Lee	Merchandise	\$2.37

In the matter of the petition of J. W. Johnson et al for a transfer of territory from Road District No. 19 to Road District No. 20. The petition is hereby granted as prayed.

Board adjourned to July 12, 1897.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 475, 476, & 477, 7/12/1899

Wednesday, July 12th, 1899. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

It is hereby ordered that the Treasurer refund to Sigmund Dilsheimer, the sum of \$5.00 on account of a money paid for cigarette license, said license not having been issued.

Bills allowed:

W. W. Dickson	Deputy Treasurer, collecting delinquent tax	\$114.80
J. B. Thomas	Blue prints for Assessor	\$6.00
Shaw & Borden Co.	Binding detail lists	\$18.00
J. Lavigne	Expense collecting delinquent taxes	\$14.90
J. M. Noble	Special Deputy Sheriff	\$10.00
G. W. Johnston	Deputy Treasurer, collecting delinquent taxes	\$39.79
O. T. Smith	Office expense	\$4.65
Robt. Flick	Road Supervisor's Report District No. 6 allowed	\$46.60
Butts & Madden	Lumber for Poor Farm, courthouse & jail	\$27.05
Wm. Terry	Constable, State versus Ragsdale	\$.80
Holland Horr & Co.	Lumber to Road District No. 45	\$16.95
Holland Horr & Co.	Lumber to Road District No. 45	\$9.00
Layton Metthewson	Work on bridge, Road District No. 9	\$14.00
Jno. Jas. Graves	Deputy Assessor, May 1899	\$78.00
O. T. Smith	Assessor, May 1899	\$104.00
Wm. Angevine	Care of O. La. Cors to July 1st	\$25.0
Glass & Prudhomme	Supplies to Treasurer	\$3.04
Springdale Mill &	J. E Lapray Road District No. 9	\$14.10
Lumber Co.		
W. R. Remsdell	Care of Wm. Soaluys	\$16.50
C. E. Ivy	Justice of the Peace State versus Turner	\$6.55
Jas. Wilson	Witness, State versus Turner	\$2.20
A. J. Campbell	Witness, State versus Turner	\$2.20
J. M. Cealey	Witness, State versus Turner	\$2.20
C. B. Campbell	Witness, State versus Turner	\$2.20
Al. Keck	Witness, State versus Turner	\$2.20
Dan Mick	Witness, State versus Turner	\$2.20
J. E. Powers	Witness, State versus Turner	\$2.20
C. E. Ivy	Justice of the Peace, charges paid for county poor	\$5.50
Mrs. E. L. Swain	Case of Mr. Monaw, Boundary	\$15.00
Samil L. Magee	Merchandise furnished Weaver	\$20.00
E. Richardson	Special Constable, 45h, 5 th , & 6 th of July Bossburg	\$6.75
C. E. Ivy	Justice of the Peace, State versus McKneely	\$4.40
A. G. Queener	Witness, State versus McKneely	\$2.20
A. B. Cammpbell	Witness, State versus McKneely	\$2.20
Lloyd Terry	Witness, State versus McKneely	\$2.20
A. A. Betterson	Justice of the Peace, State versus Adams	\$3.40
Walt Webb	Constable, State versus Adams	\$6.10
W. H. Lewis	Witness, State versus Adams	\$2.20
Laramie Wheeler	Witness, State versus Adams	\$2.20
Thos. Lewis	Witness, State versus Adams	\$2.20
C. E. Ivy	Justice of the Peace, State versus Ragsdale	\$4.85
T. S. Anglin	Expense in care of Alex Simpson	\$3.90

In the matter of the petition of A. E. Buck et al for the appointment of J. H. Young for Marcus Precinct. Petition is granted and appointment is hereby made.

Bills allowed:

H. G. Kirkpatrick	Telephone expense	\$15.70
Frank R. Ballard	Expense and salary for quarter ending July 15 ^{th,} 1899	\$151.30
Wm. L. Terry	Constable, State versus Lives	\$7.15

Ordered that all the portion of the Little Dalles-Colville Road which was unsurveyed, but which has been used as a public road, in accordance with the provision of Section 3846, Ballinger's Code, is hereby declared to be a county road, and the surveyor is instructed to survey the same. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 73-83, Colville & Little Dalles Road, #810}

Board adjourned to July 13th

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 477, 7/13/1899

Thursday, July 13th, 1899. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Bills allowed:

August King	Services as Deputy Sheriff	\$18.00
Shaw Borden Co.	1 dozen ink & pencil erasers	\$.57
J. M. Mohney	Guard, State versus Mecher	\$6.75
B. H. Taylor	Lodging jurors \$35.00, guarding jail \$2.25	\$37.25
Butts & Madden	Lumber of county	\$13.66

In the matter of the petition of N. Newell et al for a change in county road on Lots 8 & 9 in Section 1 Township 27 Range 40 East Willamette Meridian, the said petition is hereby rejected.

In the matter of the claim for damages by August Bettrick against Stevens County, the said claim is hereby rejected.

In the matter of the petition of R. M. Stoddard relative to a so-called erroneous listing of property by the County Assessor, said petition is hereby laid over indefinitely.

Report of J. O. Johnson, Road Supervisor Road District No. 31 for quarter ending December 31st, 1898. Accepted.

Pierre Lake Road

The field notes & plat of Pierre Lake Road having been duly submitted by the County Surveyor. The same are hereby approved. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 67-72, Pierre Lake Road, #708}

It is hereby ordered that the personal tax receipt No. 891 issued to A. W. Kemp for the year 1898, be cancelled & money refunded as same was erroneously assessed.

Board adjourned to July 14th, 1899.

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 478, 7/14/1899

Friday, July 14^{th,} 1899. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Commissioners Irish & Jeffrey, accompanied by the County Surveyor, went to Addy to inspect and survey a portion of the county road on Zollner's Place.

Geo. W. Reynolds went to Bossburg to investigate a matter relative to buildings obstructing a public highway.

Board adjourned to July 15th, 1899

Stevens County Commissioners' Minutes Book C Page 478, 479, & 480, 7/15/1899

Saturday, July 15th, 1899. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as of yesterday.

Report of G. A. Jacobs	Road Supervisor Report Road District No. 19,	\$13.00
	allowed	

Bill of

W. H. Jeffrey	Services as County Commissioner	\$79.75
T. E. Irish	Services as County Commissioner	\$97.80

Ordered that a warrant for \$300.00 be drawn on the Road & Bridge Fund in favor of W. H. Lewis on account of work performed on county road per contract.

Bill of

D. C. Ely	County Auditor, expense of office stamps, telephone, rent & fare for poor person, allowed	\$58.39
Report of E. D. Morrison	Road Supervisor Report, Road District No. 2	\$157.75

In the matter of the petition of J. E. Gull et al for the viewing, locating, and establishing a county road to be known as the Cut Off Road, said petition is hereby granted and the County Surveyor is hereby directed to survey said road as [asked?] in said petition. {Stevens County Surveyor Road Book B, Page 91-92, Cut-Off Road or Gull Road, #713}

Bill of

Charles Crouther Constable, State versus Wamph, allowed	\$9.10
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Bond of A. N. Pettingill as Constable Colville Precinct, approved.

Ordered that the County Poor House, constructed by Sam Allen be accepted and that a warrant for \$425.00, the balance due said Allen for constructing of said building be drawn.

Bill of

G. W. Reynolds	County Commissioners, allowed	\$79.60
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In the matter of a. V. Down, relative to taxes on Lot 1 Block 16, no action was taken by commissioners.

Bill of

F. Barman	Supplies for Poor Farm, allowed	\$108.23
E. Richardson	Special Deputy Sheriff, allowed	\$2.25
L. S. Tower	Services as County Surveyor	\$55.00
C. E. Ivy	Justice of the Peace State versus McLennan	\$3.70
C. M. Durland	Justice of the Peace, State versus Jennings	\$2.65

T. B. McNearney	Witness, State versus Jennings	\$6.00
Wm. McNeary	Witness, State versus Jennings	\$6.00
John McNeary	Witness, State versus Jennings	\$6.00
B. Lynch	Witness, State versus Jennings	\$4.20
J. M. Noble	Witness, State versus Jennings	\$4.00
Joe Kennedy	Witness, State versus Jennings	\$3.40
E. M. Denny	Livery bill to July 7 th	\$67.50
Colville Print Co.	22 packages paint	\$11.00
S. L. Breechbill	Deputy Sheriff	\$7.40
C. E. Ivy	Justice of Peace, State versus Lives	\$3.10
C. E. Ivy	Justice of Peace, State versus James Jones	
Northport news	Letterhead for Sheriff	\$1.10
Chas. Muller	Deputy Sheriff (lacked itemized bill) laid over	
John Smith	Bringing insane man from Fruitland	\$11.25
W. W. Campbell & co	Bringing prisoner to Colville, laid over	

Ordered that a warrant be drawn in favor of S. S. Beggs for the amount of \$2.36 to pay tax for year 1898 of Geo. Gendrean, a poor person

Bill of

T. W. Smith Table for poor house, allowed \$4.50
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In the matter of the petition of H. Weir as janitor for courthouse, the same is hereby laid over.

Bill of

E. M. Denny	Boarding jury, June term, allowed	\$31.50
Mrs. N. M. Wright	Board of prisoners, May & June 1899	\$206.50
E. M. Denny	Telephone expense & traveling expense	\$23.65
H. W. Sacher	Plumbing at Poor Farm	\$50.20
A. P. Fulkenson	Typewriting work for Prosecuting Attorney	\$3.00
G. H. Staves	Kelsomming Poor House	\$21.00
L. Perras	Livery hire, Deputy Treasurer	\$7.45
A. C. Reives	Office work for Surveyor	\$40.00

In the matter of the petition of A. J. Jackson et al asking for an appropriation on road between Boundary. The same is hereby laid over.

Bill of

F. Barman	Supplies to Mrs. Mitchell & Mrs. Bird	\$40.95
J. S. Wright	Deputy Sheriff expenses May & June	\$33.80
Wm. Terry	Deputy Sheriff, expenses Jennings case	\$36.10
Wm. Terry	Deputy Sheriff, expenses State versus Jones,	\$9.75
	Carroll, & McLennan	
Wm. Terry	Deputy Sheriff, 4 days service & serving warrant	\$9.80
	Jennings	
Wm. Terry	Deputy Sheriff, 3 days service State versus	\$6.75
	Walters	

Donald Furrey	Four nights as guard at jail	\$12.00
E. H. Warren	Deputy Sheriff, Lincoln County State versus	\$20.30
	Stimpson	
S. L. Breechbill	Deputy Sheriff, bringing Peter Kominsky to	\$11.25
	Colville	
A. J. Smith	Viewer Scott Road	\$2.00

Matter of paying rent for use of typewriter not acted on by commissioners.

It is hereby ordered that the Sheriff shall, as proscribed by law, place at work such of the prisoners in the county jail as he shall deem advisable end in such manner as he shall deem for the best interest of the county.

It is ordered that Sylvester Dawson be and he is hereby appointed Road Supervisor of Road District NO. 46.

Board adjourned to August 11th, 1899.

T. E. Irish, Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

Saturday, July 15, 1899

In the matter of the quarterly settlement with the County Treasurer, he showed deposits in bank and cash on hand to the amount of \$54484.09. Distributed in the various funds as follows:

State General Fund	\$2800.69
State School Fund	\$2920.27
State Military	\$213.01
State Interest	\$212.20
County Indebtedness	\$2226.58
Current Expense	\$14941.86
Road Property	\$6811.46
Road & Bridge	\$1408.74
County General School	\$12517.73
Special School	\$7640.97
Poor Fund	\$1429.46
Soldiers Relief	\$108.34
Colville	\$547.32
Kettle Falls	\$92.93
Penalty Interest & Cost	\$482.69
Institute	\$141.00
Contingent	\$89.02
Total	\$54484.09

{End of ledger}