

NOTICE OF CREATION OF HERD DISTRICT


NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 26th day of March, 1921, the Board of County Commissioners of Pondera County, Montana, after hearing petition in the premises, on order duly entered in the minutes of said Board, established the following described territory as Herd District No. Three, of Pondera County, to-wit:

Commencing at the Northeast corner of Section 4, Township 28 North, Range 3 West; running thence West on Township line 9 miles to the Northwest corner of Section 6, Township 28 North, Range 4 West; running thence South 9 miles to the Southwest corner of Section 18, Township 27 North, Range 4 West; running thence East 6 miles to the Southeast corner of Section 13, Township 27 North, Range 4 West; running thence North 4 miles to the Northeast corner of Section 36, Township 28 North, Range 4 West; running thence East 3 miles to the Southeast corner of Section 28, Township 28 North, Range 3 West; running thence North 5 miles to the Northeast corner of Section 4, Township 28 North, Range 3 West, the place of beginning.

Notice is further given that the closed season for said herd district is from the 1st day of January to the 31st day of December of each and every year, and that said herd district shall become effective 30 days from and after date hereof, and remain in effect until lawfully abolished.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Pondera County, Montana.

Dated at Conrad, Montana, this 26th day of March, 1921.



County Clerk and Recorder of
Pondera County, Montana.

Affidavit of Publication.

State of Montana, }
County of Teton } ss.

John R. Farris, being duly sworn, upon his oath says: That he is the publisher of "THE CONRAD OBSERVER," a newspaper of general circulation, published weekly at Conrad, in the County of Teton, State of Montana.

HERD DISTRICT HEARING

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Pondera County, Montana, praying that the within following described boundaries be established as a herd district under the provisions of the law of the State of Montana, to-wit:

Commencing at the northeast corner of Section 4, Township 28 North, Range 3 West; running thence West on Township line 9 miles to the Northwest corner of Section 6, Township 28 North Range 4 West; running thence south 9 miles to the Southwest corner of Section 18, Township 27, North, Range 4 West; running thence East 6 miles to the Southeast corner of Section 13, Township 27 North, Range 4 West; running thence North 4 miles to the Northeast corner of Section 36, Township 28 North Range 4 West; running thence East 3 miles to the southeast corner of Section 28, Township 28 North, Range 3 West; running thence North 5 miles to the Northeast corner of Section 4, Township 28 North, Range 3 West, the place of beginning.

Notice is further given that the petitioners pray that the closed season for the said herd district be from January 1st, to December 31st of each and every year.

Notice is further given that on Saturday March 26, 1921, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. in the Commissioners' Room in the Court House in Conrad, Montana, the said Board of County Commissioners will be in session, when and wheret the protests against the creation of said herd district and testimony verifying the signatures to said petition, and the statements therein set forth, will be heard.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners, Pondera County, Montana.

Dated March 7, 1921.

JAMES T. GREEN,
County Clerk, Pondera County, Montana.

First Publication March 10, 1921.

That the notice hereunto attached was published in the said "THE CONRAD OBSERVER," once each week Three (3) successive weeks.

That the first publication of said notice was on the Tenth day of March 1921.

That the last publication of said notice was on the Twenty-fourth day of March 1921.

published in the regular and period and time of said publication proper, and not in a sup-

[Signature]
and subscribed before me this 10th day of March

[Signature]
Notary Public for the State of Montana,
Residing at Conrad, Montana.
My commission expires 2022-03-23

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~~We do hereby certify that the above offer was accepted this 14th day of March, 1921, by proper resolution of the Board of County Commissioners.~~

Attest: SEAL OF PONDERA COUNTY.

Earl R. Aiken Chairman

H. F. Bailey Member

James T. Green
County Clerk

H. Y. Gard MEMBER

Gard makes a motion that John O. Distad be appointed County Agent without pay to enable Pondera County to take advantage of the Federal Seed Loan. Seconded by Bailey. Carried.

The following bid on carload of lumber was received from the Thomas M. Searles Company of Great Falls.

4000 ft. 8 x 8 x 16 - 6000 ft. 3 x 12 x 18 - at \$20.00 per M. Gard makes motion that the bid be rejected. Seconded by Bailey. Carried.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned until March 26th at which meeting they were to consider protests against Herd District No. 3.

Earl R. Aiken
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.

March 26th, 1921.

The Board of County Commissioners met in Special Session at the Commissioners Room in the Court House to discuss Herd Petition No. 3.

Present, Earl R. Aiken., Chairman. M. Y. Gard, H. F. Bailey and J. T. Green, Clerk.

Protest was entered against Herd District No. 3 commencing at NE corner of Sec. 4, Twp. 28 N. Range 3 West on Township line nine miles to NW corner of Sec. 6 Twp. 28 North Range 4 west, thence 9 miles to section corner of Sec. 18, Twp. 27 Rge 4 West, thence east 6 miles to SE corner of Sec. 13 Twp. 27 Rge 4 West., thence 4 miles to NE corner of Sec. 36, Twp. 28 Rge 4 west, thence 3 miles to SE corner of Sec. 4 E. Twp. 28 Rge 3 West.

ORDER CREATING HERD DISTRICT.

WHEREAS on March 7, 1921 a petition for the creation of a Herd District under the provisions of Chapter 167, of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of Montana, praying that the hereinafter described territory be established as a Herd District was filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Pondera County, Montana; and

WHEREAS notice was duly given by publication in the Conrad Observer, a weekly newspaper published at Conrad, Pondera County, Montana, as required by law; and

WHEREAS said petition was duly heard and considered by the said Board of Commissioners in accordance with said notice of publication, on the 26th day of March, 1921, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A.M., at the Court House in Conrad, Montana; and

WHEREAS it is found;

- (1) That the said territory contains at least 54 square miles, lying not less than three miles in width, outside of incorporated cities;
- (2) That the said petition contains the true signatures and post office addresses of the owners or possessors of at least 55 per cent of the land in such territory described;
- (3) That at least 25 per cent of the land in such territory described is in actual cultivation;

PONDERA COUNTY, MONTANA

(4) That said petition prays that the closed season for said herd district shall be from January 1st to December 31st of each and every year;

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED

(1.) That the land within the following described bounds in Pondera County, Montana, be and is hereby declared to be a herd district under the provisions of Chapter 167 of the Laws of the State of Montana, passed by the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of said State;

Commencing at the Northeast corner of Section 4, Township 28 North, Range 3 West; running thence West on township line 9 miles to the Northwest corner of Section 6, Township 28 North, Range 4 West; running thence South 9 miles to the Southwest corner of Section 18, Township 27 North, Range 4 West; running thence East 6 miles to the Southeast corner of Section 13, Township 27 North, Range 4 West; running thence North 4 miles to the Northeast corner of Section 36, Township 28 North, Range 4 West; running thence East 3 miles to the Southeast corner of Section 28, Township 28 North, Range 3 West; running thence North 5 miles to the Northeast corner of Section 4, Township 28 North, Range 3 West, the place of beginning.

2. That the closed season of said herd district be from the 1st day of January to the 31st day of December of each and every year, until said herd district shall be discontinued or altered according to law, and that the said herd district become effective in the year 1921, upon the notice required by law having been given;

3. That the County Clerk and Recorder of Pondera County, Montana, be and he is hereby directed to enter this order in the minutes of the Board of County Commissioners of Pondera County, Montana, in full and to properly file in his office the said petition and a copy of all papers in the creation of said herd district.

4. That said County Clerk and Recorder is hereby further directed to give notice by publication of the creation of said district and to file a copy thereof with the other papers relative thereto, in his office.

5. That said herd district shall be known as Herd District No. Three of Pondera County, Montana, and shall become effective from and after 30 days from date hereof.

Dated at Conrad, Montana, this 26th day of March, 1921.

Attest:

James T. Green
County Clerk and Recorder.

(SEAL OF PONDERA COUNTY.)

EARL R. AIKEN
Chairman

H. Y. Gard

H. F. Bailey
Board of County Commissioners, Pondera County,
State of Montana.

Gard makes motion that above Herd District be allowed. Seconded by Bailey, Carried.

~~The Indemnity Bond of First National Bank of Valier for \$80,000.00 read and approved.~~

Gard makes motion that the bid of Joseph Maurer for repairing roof of Court House for \$145.40 be accepted. Seconded by Bailey. Carried.

~~The Bond of Dr. W. L. DuBois as County Physician received and approved.~~

It was moved by Commissioner H. Y. Gard and seconded by Commissioner H. F. Bailey that the following resolution be adopted.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Pondera County, Montana, on March 26th 1921 agreed upon the terms of leasing the City Hall located in Conrad Montana

Book 2 original tax title of Valier be cancelled by the county treasurer, due to the fact that a quit claim deed to this property has been received and recorded in the name of Pondera co.

It being proven to the satisfaction of the board that the budget of the office of the sheriff of Pondera county is exhausted in certain items (i. e. mileage, special deputy and board of prisoners) and same being an unforeseen emergency calling for immediate action, it was ordered on motion of Commissioner Brophy, seconded by Berland and duly carried that according to the provisions of Section 6, Chapter 148 of the Revised Codes of Montana, 21st Session, that these aforementioned budget items be increased in the various amounts given below:

- Mileage — \$200.00.
- Care of prisoners — \$200.00.
- Special Deputy — \$150.00

The clerk of the board was instructed to public notice of this contemplated action as required by law.

It was ordered on motion of Commissioner Berland, seconded by Commissioner Brophy and motion duly carried that a transfer be made in the budget of the county agent as follows: transfer of \$35 from the item mileage to the item Telephone and telegrams.

It was ordered on motion of Commissioner Berland, seconded by Commissioner Brophy and motion duly carried, that the property owned by Pondera county in Fergus county and known as the Mills Ranch be leased to James H. Johnston of Moore, Montana for a period of one year from May 1st 1933 to May 1st 1934 for a cash consideration of \$375.00.

(Continued Next Week.)

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ENLARGEMENT OF HERD DISTRICT NUMBER 3

NOTICE is hereby given that the following petition signed by the owners was presented to the board of Commissioners on May 1st 1933. The board of Commissioners on May 1st 1933, with favoring winds her orders almost to the letter. The young man set out and rode mare.

of Montana, ~~Conrad, Montana~~ Gentlemen:

We, the undersigned, owners or possessors of 55 per cent or more of the land in the proposed district hereinafter described, do hereby personally petition your Honorable Board of County Commissioners to grant a Herd District embracing the land hereinafter described, and that this said District be attached to and made a part of Herd District No. 3, and in support of said petition outline the following facts, to-wit:

1. That the undersigned are the owners or possessors of 55 per cent or more of the land embraced in said Herd District;
2. That 55 per cent or more of the land in such district is under actual cultivation;
3. That said Herd District be effective the year around.
4. That the outside boundaries of said proposed district are as follows, to-wit:

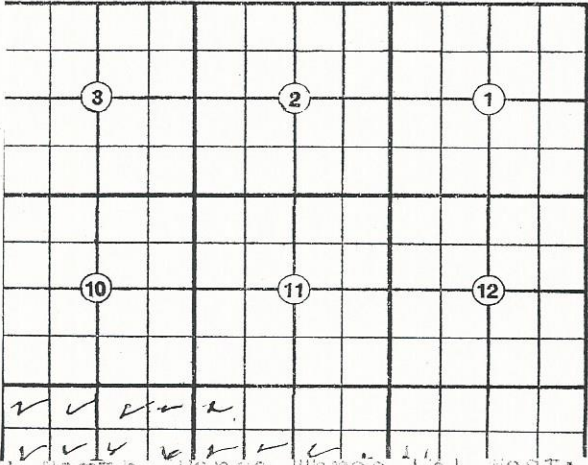
Southeast corner of Section Fifteen (15) thence west one (1) mile to Southeast corner of Section Sixteen (16), thence south two miles to Southeast corner of Section Twenty-eight (28); thence east approximately three-fifths of a mile to the Great Northern right of way; thence Northeast following the west boundary line of the Great Northern right of way to the City limits of the City of Conrad; thence bordering the City limits of the City of Conrad around to the starting point at the southeast corner of section fifteen (15) Township Twenty-eight (28) North, Range Three (3) West; all above area being in Township Twenty-eight (28) North, Range Three (3) West.

Now, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that the date of Wednesday, May 3rd, A. D. 1933 at 2:00 o'clock P. M. is duly set by the Board of County Commissioners of Pondera county for the purpose of hearing the petition of the undersigned to enlarge the Herd District.

The undersigned, owners or possessors of 55 per cent or more of the land in the proposed district hereinafter described, do hereby personally petition your Honorable Board of County Commissioners to grant a Herd District embracing the land hereinafter described, and that this said District be attached to and made a part of Herd District No. 3, and in support of said petition outline the following facts, to-wit:



RANGE NO. _____



North, Range Three (3) West;

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ENLARGEMENT OF HERD DISTRICT
NUMBER 3

NOTICE is hereby given that the following petition signed by various signers was filed for consideration of the Board of County Commissioners of Pondera County, Montana at the April meeting of the Board.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners
Pondera County, State of Montana
Conrad, Montana

Gentlemen:

We, the undersigned, owners or possessors of 55 per cent or more of the land in the proposed district hereinafter described, do hereby personally ~~petition~~ petition your Honorable Board of County Commissioners to grant a Herd District embracing the land hereinafter described, and that this said District be attached to and made a part of Herd District No. 3, and in support of said petition outline the following facts, to-wit:

1. That the undersigned are the owners or possessors of 55 per cent or more of the land embraced in said Herd District;
2. That 55 per cent or more of the land in such district is under actual cultivation;
3. That said Herd District be effective the year around.
4. That the outside boundaries of said ~~proposed~~ district are as follows, to-wit:

+ Southeast corner of Section Fifteen (15) thence west one (1) mile to Southeast corner of Section Sixteen (16), thence south two miles to Southeast corner of Section Twenty-eight (28); thence east approximately three-fifths of a mile to the Great Northern right of way; thence northeast following the west boundary line of the Great Northern right of way to the City limits of the City of Conrad; thence bordering the City limits of the City of Conrad around to the starting point at the southeast corner of Section Fifteen (15) Township Twenty-eight (28) North, Range Three (3) West; all above area being in Township Twenty-eight (28) North, Range Three (3) West.

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that the date of Wednesday, May 3rd, A. D. 1933 at 2:00 o'clock P. M. is duly set by the Board of County Commissioners of Pondera County for the purpose of hearing protests, if any, and verifying signatures affixed to said petition.

Dated this 7th day of April A. D. 1933.

(Signed) Board of County Commissioners
Pondera County, Montana

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of the Clerk of the District Court be increased in the various items as follows:

Court reporter	\$75.00
Telephone & Telegrams	25.00
Miscellaneous	500.00

PHYSICIANS BONDS APPROVED.

The bonds of Dr. C. D. Powell covering contract as County Health Officer and of Dr. W. L. DuBois covering contract of County Physician for a period of one year, were submitted to the Board. Upon motion of Commissioner Brophy, seconded by Commissioner Berland and motion duly carried, same were ordered approved and filed.

SALE OF LOTS IN DUPUYER.

On motion of Commissioner Berland, seconded by Commissioner Brophy and motion duly carried, it was ordered that certain lots in Dupuyer be sold to Alma Wall Sabins of Dupuyer for a cash consideration of \$42.50. Said lots being described as follows:

Lots one (1) to Eight (8) inclusive, of Block Nine (9);
 Lots Thirty-one (31) and Thirty-two (32) of Block Three (3);
 Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8) of Block Ten (10), of the
 Original Townsite of Dupuyer, Pondera County, Montana, according to the plat thereof on file in the Pondera County
 Clerk & Recorder's office.

PURCHASES: GRASSHOPPER POISON.

On motion of Commissioner Brophy, seconded by Commissioner Berland and motion duly carried, it was ordered that the County Agent be authorized to make purchases of materials for grasshopper poison ~~the~~ said purchases are deemed necessary.

REMOVAL OF GATES & FENCES FROM COUNTY ROAD.

On motion of Commissioner Brophy, seconded by Commissioner Berland and motion duly carried, it was ordered that the County Attorney be instructed to advise all land owners involved, to remove at once all gates and fences from the County road on the south and north line between Sections 19 and 20, Township 30 North, Range 3 West.

ENLARGEMENT OF HERD DISTRICT NO. 3.

Petition having been filed with the Board of County Commissioners at the April meeting of the Board requesting an enlargement of Herd District No. 3 and the date of Wednesday May 3, 1933 having been set by the Board at the April meeting for hearing protests if any and verifying signature on said petition; it was ordered that since said petition was in due form and no protests having been entered against the granting of same that said petition be granted. It was ordered that said enlarged Herd District be officially declared in effect on Monday, June 12, 1933.

ORDER RE: CANCELLATION OF OUTSTANDING WARRANTS.

In conformity with Section 4613, Revised Codes of Montana, the County Clerk presented for cancellation, warrants on various funds. Said warrants showing on the record as being outstanding for a period of one year or more. It was ordered on motion of Commissioner Berland, seconded by Commissioner Brophy and motion duly carried, that said warrants be cancelled. These warrants being identified as follows:

<u>GENERAL FUND</u>	<u>ROAD FUND</u>	<u>POOR FUND</u>	<u>HIGHWAY FUND</u>
No. 749	No. 4260	No. 313	No. 1067
No. 1031		No. 481	No. 2193
No. 1183		No. 556	
No. 3827		No. 564	
No. 3925		No. 574	
No. 4817		No. 695	
No. 7098		No. 1306	
No. 7354		No. 2605	
No. 8748		No. 2624	
No. 9354			