

Monday, January 5, 1920.

The board met in regular session for the first day of the January meeting. All Commissioners were present, the Commissioner and Chairman A. C. Andrews presided.

The clerk read a communication from Mr. F. D. Brooks, appointed County Treasurer by the board, ~~and~~ Vice Frank W. Hooper, resigning, declining the appointment.

Upon motion made, seconded and passed the board accepted the declination of Mr. Brooks of the proposed position, and designated Tuesday, January 6, 1920, as the date upon which the board would ballot upon a successor to Mr. Hooper.

The board ordered a refund in favor of Mr. David J. S. Batty, Guardian, on an assessed valuation of \$500.00, in amount \$12.15, it being shown to the satisfaction of the board that the money had been invested in Liberty Bonds prior to March 1, 1919.

The board also ordered a cancellation of interest against the real property represented as lot 51 Vermont street, Lawrence, in amount \$4.53, from September 3, 1919, against the said property having passed from privately owned to municipally owned property. The clerk was instructed to notify the County Treasurer of this order of the board.

The clerk read the minutes of the board meeting held during the month of December, 1919. Upon motion made, seconded and passed the board approved the minutes as read.

Claims against the county were presented, audited and allowed, for which an January Allowance Record.