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May 5, 1930

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session for the month of May with Earl T. Black, Chairman, E. J. Hill and X. J. Kennedy, Commissioners and the County Clerk present.

The minutes of the regular meetings held on April 7 - 9 - 12 and 16, as well as the joint meeting with Franklin County on April 10, and the joint meeting with Jefferson County on April 22, were read and approved.

The Board spent the day in allowing claims presented as per Allowance Register.

May 7, 1930

The Board of County Commissioners met in adjourned regular session with Earl T. Black, Chairman, E. J. Hill and X. J. Kennedy, Commissioners, and the County Clerk present.

No business of record was transacted other than the allowing claims against the County as per Allowance Register.

May 10, 1930

The Board of County Commissioners met in adjourned regular session with Earl T. Black, Chairman, E. J. Hill and X. J. Kennedy, Commissioners, and the County Clerk present.

The allowing of claims against the county for this regular session was completed at this meeting.

A delegation of Rudora Township citizens interested in the Olathe-Siblyville Road met with the Board and discussed the improvement of that highway.

May 14, 1930

The Board of County Commissioners met in adjourned regular session with Earl T. Black, Chairman, E. J. Hill and X. J. Kennedy, Commissioners, and the County Clerk present.

The Board spent the forenoon at their office in the Court House discussing routine matters. In the afternoon they went to Marion Township and with the Township Board, viewed certain road improvements being made by the Township.

The minutes of the meetings of the Board held during the month of May, 1930, were read and approved this 7 day of June, 1930.

Attest: C. O. Bowman  
County Clerk

Earl T. Black  
Chairman

## COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

The Board of County Commissioners of Douglas County, Kansas, met of the 19th day of May, 1930, as a Board of Equalization for the purpose of equalizing the valuations place on real estate and personal property by the Deputy Assessors during the assessing period for 1930. This Board consisted of Earl T. Black, Chairman, E. J. Hill and X. J. Kennedy, Members, and C. O. Bowman, County Clerk as Clerk of the Board.

The Board was in session the full ten days as required by law, during which ten days the Board heard all persons who appeared to make complaint of their assessments. The Board's findings as to the values on real estate are recorded in the real estate assessments rolls in red ink. Their findings as to personal property in case any change in valuation was is recorded on the individual assessment card in red.

At the expiration of the ten day session, May 29, 1930, the Board adjourned untill June the 12, 1930, when they met for a three day session to hear complaints of those who may have had their assessment raised.

The County Board of Equalization reconvened this 12th day of June, 1930 for the purpose of hearing complaint of property owners whose valuations were raised by the Board during its ten day session. The Board remained in session June 12, 13, and 14, during which time they heard all complaints that might properly come before it. The decisions of the Board as to valuations are reflected on the assessment rolls.

The minutes as recorded above were read and approved, and the Board did the adjourn sine die, June 14, 1930.

Attest: C. O. Bowman  
County Clerk

Earl T. Black  
Chairman

May 31, 1930

The Board of County Commissioners of Douglas and Jefferson counties met in joint session at Lawrence, Kansas, for the purpose of opening the bids for the repairing and painting the Leocompton bridge as advertised in the official paper, May 1, 1930. Those present were, for Jefferson county; A. H. Leech, Jesse Lowe, Harvey Tait, Comm., Thomas Hatfield, County Clerk, and A. A. Marshall, Eng.; for Douglas County, Earl T. Black, E. J. Hill, X. J. Kennedy, Comm., C. O. Bowman, County Clerk, E. E. Trueblood, Eng.

The hour of 11 o'clock a.m. having arrived, Mr. Black, as chairman, called the meeting to order, and the bids were opened and tabulated. The bidders were:

Standard Bridge Co. Omaha, Neb.,	Woodwork \$4922.45	Paintin \$2760.
Orr Const. Co., Hillsboro, Kans.	4260.16	
John Jones, Lawrence	4836.10	
Wesley "Rune"	4841.92	
Monarch Eng. Co., Falls City Neb	4519.13	2490
J. T. Constant, Lawrence	5150.44	
Jo Day Jr. St. Joe		1448
Drexel Const Co. K. C. Mo.	6469.85	1975
F. R. Mitchell, Shawnee, Ks.	4868.06	4660
W. C. Wayland, Washington	3356.51	1850

On motion properly made and seconded the contract for painting was awarded to Jo Day Jr. at the Engineer's Estimate of \$1396.50, and the woodwork was awarded to W. C. Wayland at his bid of \$3356.51. Mr. Wayland refused to enter into contract and for feited his deposit of \$167.82. On motion properly made and seconded the contract for the woodwork was then awarded to Orr Construction Co. at their bid of \$4260.16. On motion it was agreed that the work should be done under the direction of the County Engineer of Douglas County. The meeting then adjourned.

Attest: C. O. Bowman  
County Clerk

Earl T. Black  
Chairman

*Board of Equalization*

*Leocompton Bridge*