

COMMISSIONER'S RECORD M

March 3, 1937.

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular adjourned session with Chairman Chris Schaake and Commissioners James F. Brass and Earl T. Black and the County Clerk, U. S. G. Plank present.

Further County bills and further bills from the Relief Office were presented to the Board for its consideration and passage. Said bills were carefully scrutinized and ordered paid as per Allowance Record of even date herewith.

The Township Board of Willow Springs Township appeared before the County Board asking for authorization in the sum of \$7,260.50 for work project under the County's Blanket allowance.

By proper motion and second and an affirmative vote, the grant was allowed. George Shuler was named as the Sponsor's Agent, and Harry Hobson as the Fiscal Officer.

Representatives from the Township Board of Lecompton Township appeared before the Board asking for authorization in the sum of \$3,591.40 for a work project under the County's Blanket Allowance.

By proper motion and second and affirmative vote, the grant was allowed. Barr Gorrill, Township Trustee was designated as Sponsor's Agent and John L. Banks, Township Treasurer, was designated as the Fiscal Officer.

Touching on the drouth of 1936 and the equipment of wells for the period of the drouth, the following resolution was presented:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, during the summer of 1936, a severe drouth developed, and a large number of residents of Douglas County were suffering from the effect of same, and

WHEREAS, on July 6, 1936, the Commissioners of Douglas County, Kansas, declared a drouth emergency, as recommended by the Kansas Emergency Relief Administration, to be in effect during the existence of such drouth, and

WHEREAS, on March 1, 1937, ample moisture has been received to eliminate all drouth conditions.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the Douglas County Board of Commissioners in regular session assembled this 3rd day of March, 1937, do, hereby rescind our order of July 6, 1936; and order all pumping equipment now installed in public wells to be removed and stored in county warehouse, except the suction pipe in deep wells and storage tanks which may be left in place. Also the hand pump in the Clinton, Cole and Harrison wells shall remain in place.

(Signed) Chris Schaake Chairman

ATTEST:

U. S. G. Plank
County Clerk
by T. R. Gerhart, Dep.

Earl T. Black
Commissioner

Jas. F. Brass
Commissioner

By proper motion, second and vote, the above resolution was unanimously adopted.

A Mr. Ernest Vanek, Administrator of the National Youth Administration for Douglas County, appeared before the Board, asking that the County sponsor jointly with the City, a youth movement program for the season of 1937. The program as presented by Mr. Vanek, carries with it a total item, \$4,701.52 of which part, the City carries an item \$200.00 for which it furnishes recreation facilities and the County carries an item of \$200.00 to be expended in ground rental, furnishing of equipment, seeds, etc. for gardening purposes. The program as set out by Mr. Vanek carries with it twenty-five laborers, twenty-five Recreational Workers, Junior, and four Recreational Workers, Senior, giving a total labor hours for use of 9072 hours. The products from the garden enterprise are to be turned over to the county to be disposed of under the directions of the County Commissioners.

The above being made clear to the Commissioners, it was, by proper motion, second and vote, adopted unanimously. Thus, the county is bound for \$200.00 in the above youth enterprise.

No further business appearing, the Board adjourned to meet at 9:30 A. M., March 6.

ATTEST:

U. S. G. Plank,
County Clerk.

Chris Schaake
Chris Schaake, Chairman of the
Board of Douglas County Commissioners.

Order recorded
Pumping Equipment

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