

## COMMISSIONER'S RECORD M

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Douglas County, Kansas, of Douglas County this 6th day of October, 1937, that T. R. Gerhart, the County Clerk be and is hereby authorized to increase the budget for the poor fund in the sum of \$2000 and the budget for the public assistance fund be increased in the sum of \$10,000 and is hereby authorized to set up a new budget to be known as the County Welfare Fund in the sum of \$16,000.

ATTEST:

*C. Schaeke*  
Chairman of Board of County Commissioners

*T. R. Gerhart*  
County Clerk

Decision on coal bids as formerly opened by the Board was made today. After considerable discussion, James F. Brass moved that the following be awarded the contract for supplying coal to the relief clients this coming winter.

Kaw Valley Coal Company, Hope Coal Company, Johns Coal Company, Orley Smith Coal Company, Burgner-Bowman-Matthews Lumber Company, Logan Moore Coal Company and the Turner Coal Company at the price of \$5.50 per ton.

A Mr. J. D. Wynn was in for a short session with the Board and the County Attorney.

The Board of County Commissioners adjourned and reconvened as the Douglas County Social Welfare Board.

Burk Edwards, who is now receiving an old age grant from the county, requested the Board to allow him more money, as the amount he is now receiving is not sufficient to meet all his needs.

The Board desired to consider the case with the Social Welfare Department.

Mrs. Bessie Lease again came before the Board stating that the \$20.00 allowed by the county for aid to the five dependent Langton children is not sufficient to supply all necessities for their care. The Board wished to discuss the matter with the County Director.

William Cummings talked with the Social Welfare Board on receiving assistance, and the Board informed him that his case would be referred to the Welfare Department.

The Board adjourned to meet as a Board of County Commissioners, October 9, 1937.

ATTEST:

*C. Schaeke*  
Chris Schaeke, Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners.

*T. R. Gerhart*  
T. R. Gerhart,  
County Clerk.

October 9, 1937.

In regular adjourned session, the Board met with all the Commissioners and the County Clerk present.

Further bills against the County and claims for the relief of the Poor were scrutinized by the Commissioners and ordered paid as recorded on the Allowance Register in the County Clerk's office.

Attorney for the K.E.P. Company, Mr. Raymond Rice, was again before the Board regarding several matters of business.

Charles Holmes agent for the Continental Casualty Company, conferred with the Board and the County Treasurer in regard to the Treasurer's bond which is now due for renewal because of the new term starting October 12.

Mr. Holmes stated that it was the request of said bonding company that the County Treasurer sign an agreement for which no deposits of public funds will be made in any bank unless the amounts are sufficiently covered by security in that bank. After considerable discussion on the matter, the Board recommended that Mr. Gardner sign an agreement to be sent to the bonding company stating that he will not deposit money in any bank exceeding the security furnished by the bank.

Lease for rental equipment furnished to the County by the State Board of Social Welfare, was presented to the Chairman for his signatures. Copy of lease is on file in the files of the County Clerk.

The Township Board of Lecompton Township, J. L. Banks, Treasurer, Raymond T. Cree, Clerk, and Barr Correll, Trustee, met with the Board for the purpose of the Trustee tendering his resignation as Trustee of Lecompton Township. The resignation follows::

To the Board of County Commissioners,  
Douglas County,  
Lawrence, Kansas.

Gentlemen:

I, Barr Correll, hereby present my resignation from the position of Township Trustee of Lecompton Township, Douglas County, for the specific reason of leaving

*Awarding Bids  
Relief Coal*

*Barr Correll  
Resignation  
Trustee Lecompton  
Twp*

*Hezima S  
Commissioner*

*Dr.*