

Now, therefore,

Be it Resolved by the County Social Welfare Board of Douglas County, Kansas, in regular session assembled;

That Ruth E. Norwood be, and she is hereby, removed from the office of the County Social Welfare Board of Douglas County, Kansas, such removal to be effective on the 1st day of November, 1938.

Adopted this 1st day of November, 1938.

SEAL

*Chris Schaa*  
Chairman, County Social Welfare Board.

Attest: *A. R. Clark*  
County Clerk

The following persons made applications to the position left vacant by Miss Norwood:

Mae M Norwood	Lecompton, Kansas.
Doris Grace McNay	Louisville, Kansas.
Mary Louise Spray	Route #3, Lawrence, Kansas.

(Formal applications for same are on file in the office of the County Clerk)

A Miss Van Fleet made application by personal interview but no written application was filed.)

*May Louise Spray*  
The merits of each applicant were thoroughly considered, and after such consideration, James F. Brass moved that Mary Louise Spray be employed for the stenographic position left vacant by Ruth Norwood, in the Welfare Department, on thirty day trial at the compensation of \$50.00 per month, to become effective this 1st day of November, 1938. Chris Schaa seconded the motion. On vote, all Commissioners voted "Aye".

Joe Candraia, Deputy from the Sheriff's, appeared before the Commissioners, seeking a salary increase. His present salary is \$90.00 per month and he is asking that it be increased to \$115.00 per month. No action was taken on this matter until the third member of the Board could be present.

Bids for the County Audit for the fiscal year 1938, were opened, at this time, there being present Mrs. Mildred IsSuer, County Auditor and Allen French, Representative of the J. E. Caton Company.

Brelsford and Gifford Company,	Rate: \$15.00 per day for an eight-hour day for each man engaged on the audit, with a limitation of \$1,500.00.
Konrad C. Beck and Co. Hutchinson, Kansas.	Rate: \$15.00 per diem and expenses for each accountant employed. Guaranteed figure of \$900.00.
J. E. Caton Company, Topeka, Kansas.	Rate: Lump sum \$800.00.
W. C. Hail and Company, Lawrence, Kansas.	Rate: Not to exceed \$900.00.
John C. Shepard and Co., Topeka, Kansas.	Rate: \$12.50 per diem per man, they to pay all expenses.

Acceptance of bid was not made this day. (For detailed bids, see the files of the County Clerk)

The petition for cancellation of taxes erroneously assessed against the property of Will C. Hoad, which had been presented to the Board by C. C. Stewart, Attorney, was, again, brought up for discussion. The petition follows:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY  
OF DOUGLAS, STATE OF KANSAS

PETITION FOR ORDER CANCELLING TAXES ERRONEOUSLY  
ASSESSED

COMES NOW Will C. Hoad and respectfully shows to the Board that he is the owner of:

Beginning at the intersection of the East line of the Northwest Quarter of Section 34, Township 11, Range 18, Douglas County, Kansas, with the right bank of the Kansas River; thence South 44.17 chains; thence east 9.2 chains; thence North 28.4 chains to the bank of the Kansas River, then up said river to the place of beginning, less about one-half acre in the railroad right-of-way.

That, commencing with the year 1890 to and including the year 1934, the above described real estate was taxed as being in the City of Lecompton in Douglas County, Kansas.