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In regard to the shovel for the Engineering Department, which Douglas County is contemplating on purchasing, came salesmen, Don W. Smith and a Mr. Luder. Considerable time was spent in discussing the machine, down to the minute detail. The Board asked that this company submit a bid on a shovel to be opened at 11 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, December 28.

Clarence Bliesner of the Lawrence Typewriter Exchange discussed with the Board and the County Auditor, the matter of purchasing new typewriters for certain offices in the Courthouse. Considerable time was spent on this, Bliesner submitting the following bids:

Probate Judge's Office:	\$92.40	(14" carriage, with 6 key decimal tabulator.)
Register of Deed's Office:	85.68	(12 " carriage.)
County Clerk's Office:	108.68	(14" carriage.)
	<u>\$284.76</u>	
2% discount	5.70	
Net	<u>\$279.06</u>	

The above to be paid from the General Fund.

Farm Security Office	\$ 17.50	(Second hand machines, taken as
Second hand machine	10.00	(trade-ins on new machines
	<u>\$ 27.50</u>	(purchased, and then purchased
2% discount	.55	(back by the county.
Net	<u>\$ 26.95</u>	

The above is to be paid from the Welfare Fund.

General Fund	\$279.06
Welfare Fund	26.95
Total, Net	<u>\$306.01</u>

Earl T. Black moved that the Board accept the above bids of the Lawrence Typewriter Exchange at the prices offered therein. James F. Brass seconded the motion. On motion, put by the Chairman Chris Schaake, all Commissioners voted "Aye".

Other salesmen in the interest of selling a steam shovel to the county came before the Board, and were asked to submit their bids along with others at the hour of 11 o'clock, Wednesday, December 28.

The time for opening bids on the Sheriff's car was set for 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, December 28.

The Board adjourn to meet again on Wednesday, December 28.

ATTEST:

T. R. Gerhart,
County Clerk.

Chris Schaake
Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners.

December 28, 1938.

The Board of County Commissioners met this day with a majority of the members present, namely: Chris Schaake, Chairman and James F. Brass, Commissioner, in regular adjourned session; there also being present, T. R. Gerhart, County Clerk. The absence of Earl T. Black, other member of the Board, was due to an automobile accident that occurred in Independence, Mo., in which he and his wife were seriously injured. The news of the accident proved to be a great shock to the other Commissioners and to all the friends of the Blacks.

Although, Frank Gray, Probate-Judge Elect, came before the Board with some bids on the furniture and equipment for the office of said Judge, no action was taken on same this day, but deferred to a time when further bids could be secured.

At the hour of 10 A. M., bids for the Sheriff's car were opened by the Board.

The bids are as follows:

Motor-In, Lawrence:

Plymouth DeLuxe 4 Dr. Sedan	\$ 863.00
Allowance, Chev. Sedan, old	
Sheriff's car	<u>363.00</u>
Balance	<u>\$ 500.00</u>
Plymouth 4 Dr. Road King	798.00
Trade-in Allowance	<u>348.00</u>
Balance	<u>\$ 450.00</u>

Hurd Motor Company, Lawrence:

1939 Four Door Touring Sedan	\$ 924.00
Allowance on 1938 Chevrolet	525.00
Balance	<u>399.00</u>

The above car includes the following equipment: Bumpers, Bumper Guards, Spare Tire and Tube, Dual Windshield Wipers, Spring Covers, Oil Bath, Air Cleaner, Oil Filter and Safety Gear Shift.

Bids on furniture