

The matter of appointing a County Bindweed Supervisor for the current year was brought up for discussion. It was the unanimous approval of the Board that Asa R. Colman who had acted in this capacity the previous year, would be re-appointed for that position.

Chris Schanke moved that the Board appoint Asa R. Colman as County Bindweed Supervisor for the current year, March 1, 1939 to November 1, 1939 at the wage of \$4.00 per day. Jas. F. Brass seconded the motion. On vote, called by the Chairman Earl T. Black, the motion carried by affirmative vote.

Nomination papers for Bindweed Supervisor were duly signed by all Commissioners and the County Clerk.

Representatives from the various newspapers in the county, namely: Edwin F. Abels, Dolph Simons, F. C. Leitnaker and Walter Lomon, were present at this time for the opening of the bids on county printing.

Bids:	Legal Publications	Tax List	
		Description	Lot
The Baldwin Ledger:	Not bidding	.25	.10
The Lawrence Daily Journal World	\$1.00 per sq. (250 ems) for first insertion. \$.50 per sq for succeeding insertions. (This does not include the delinquent tax list.)		
The Lawrence Democrat	\$.20 per sq (250 ems.)	.10	.06

The bids were placed on file for action at a later date.

The annual reports of township trustees and treasurers were presented to the Commissioners by County Clerk T. R. Gerhart and approved by the Board this day.

A Petition for vacation and exclusion of certain real estate from the boundaries of the city of Lawrence, was presented to the Board by Attorney Riling through Mr. Gerhart County Clerk, to be placed on file in the office of the county clerk.

The bids for a new floor in the office of the Register of Deeds, which were opened on the 11th day of February were placed on the table for action. After carefully scrutiny of same, it was moved by Jas. F. Brass that the Board award the contract for the new oak floors in the office of the Register of Deeds to J. Withers at his bid price of \$61.25, he being the lowest bidder. The motion was seconded by Chris Schanke, and on vote, called by Chairman Black, all Commissioners voted "Aye". (Bids are on file in the office of the county clerk.)

No further business appearing, the Board adjourned to meet Thursday, February 23, 1939, at the hour of 9 A.M.

ATTEST:

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

Earl T. Black
Earl T. Black, Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners.

February 23, 1939.

In regular adjourned session, all members of the Board of County Commissioners and the County Clerk met in the regular meeting rooms of said Board to transact regular county business.

Again, appearing before the Board came W. G. Dickie and C. A. Karlan from Topeka, Kansas, in regard to the Engineer's report on the construction of a ditch from Baldwin Creek to Lake View, in order that the lake may be supplied with much needed water. The Lake View Club had made a request of the Douglas County Board of Commissioners to sponsor construction of said ditch. The Board stated that, as yet, no report had been received from the County Engineer.

An offer to buy a motorcycle belonging to the county, and under the supervision of the Sheriff's Department, was made by S. O. Meeks, 1133 Tenn. Street. Said offer was in the amount of \$40.00. The Board informed Mr. Meeks that his offer would be taken under consideration but it could give no answer this day.

Applications for the position of Janitor in the Court House, were presented to the Board by the County Clerk, then placed on file to be ^{elven}consideration if a vacancy occurs.

Refunding Warrant No. 740 in the amount of \$1.99, was authorized to be issued to J. D. Martin on account of erroneous assessment of personal property as in S. D. #12 (Tax \$46.16), when same should have been in S. D. #16 (Tax \$44.17). Net refund--\$1.99.

The Road Petition of Hans Lassen et al, praying for the location of a road described as:

Beginning at a point 40 feet south of the NW cor of Sec. 33, T 13, R 18 E. Thence north on sec. line between Sections 23 and 29, approximately 1574 feet, and terminating in the present Twin Mound County Road,

was presented to the Board for its action on same.

Chris Schanke moved that the Board accept the petition as presented and that same be advertised according to law, date of viewing being set for Wednesday, March 22, 1939, at the hour of 2:00 P.M. Jas. F. Brass seconded the motion. On vote, called by Chairman Earl T. Black, all Commissioners voted in the affirmative.

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of ditch*

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