

## COMMISSIONER'S RECORD M

June 14, 1939.

In regular adjourned session this day, all members of the Board of County Commissioners and the County Clerk met in the regular meeting rooms of said Board.

Again, the request of Clifford Harding to continue the services of his assistant, Mr. Stuckey, was considered. After some discussion, it was moved by Chris Schaake that the Board authorize Mr. Harding to employ additional help for his office for the purpose of writing loans and grants for the clients of Douglas County, said help to be paid the salary of \$30.00 per month plus necessary mileage not to exceed \$20.00 per month, beginning as of June 14 and terminating the 1st of September, 1939. A second was made by Jas. F. Brass. On vote, all Commissioners voted in the affirmative.

More bills against the county were by proper motion passed this day as recorded on the Allowance Record in the office of the county clerk.

The following resolution was presented to the Board:

## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Douglas, State of Kansas, did authorize and did incur indebtedness in the making of certain improvements in the paving, curbing, grading and drainage of Strong Avenue and of Crescent Road, being roads outside the limits of any incorporated city and being adjacent to the City of Lawrence, in Douglas County, Kansas, which county had a population in excess of 20,000 inhabitants, the cost of such improvements, other than that paid by the United States of America, to be assessed against the property abutting thereon, and

WHEREAS, the cost of the above improvement is shown on the Engineer's Final Report as \$34,128.22 of which \$14,463.00 was paid by the United States of America and \$1,409.60 was assumed by Wakarusa Township. The balance of the cost, being \$18,255.62, was apportioned and assessed against the property abutting thereon, according to the front feet abutting on each of the respective roads, and the owners of the abutting property were notified by letter dated January 4, 1938 of the amount of such assessments and such owners were given the option of paying the full amount of the assessment within thirty days. One payment was made within the thirty days allowed in the amount of \$263.70, and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of said County of Douglas, State of Kansas, in a special session called by the Chairman of the Board on April 20, 1938, did adopt a Resolution to issue and sell bonds in the amount of \$18,000.00, said bonds to be dated April 1, 1938, to be numbered 1 to 36 inclusively, in denominations of \$500.00 each, and to mature serially according to the schedule set up in the Resolution, the proceeds from said sale of bonds to be used to cover the liability of the said Douglas County on account of the above described improvement of Strong Avenue and Crescent Road, and

WHEREAS, before the sale of the above authorized bonds, there was paid to the County Treasurer of the said Douglas County, amounts as follows: on February 9, 1938, by Chi Omega Fraternity an amount of \$426.00 and on May 7, 1938 by the University of Kansas an amount of \$1,067.00, and

WHEREAS, after the payment of the above named amounts the obligation of the said Douglas County remained \$16,498.92 and the said Douglas County did sell \$16,500.00 of the bonds above authorized, and there now remains unsold bonds #34, 35 and 36 in the principal amounts of \$500.00 each with coupons numbered 1 to 20 attached to each bond in the amounts of \$5.62 on all coupons numbered 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17 and 19 and in the amounts of \$5.63 on all coupons numbered 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the County Clerk be directed and ordered to write in red ink on the face of the above named bonds numbered 34, 35 and 36 and on all coupons attached to said bonds the word "Cancelled, June 14, 1939" and that the said cancelled bonds and coupons be filed in the office of the County Clerk in a safe place, and that the County Clerk shall have the above bonds and coupons cancelled on the records of the State Auditor.

Adopted this 14th day of June, 1939.

ATTEST:

T. R. Gerhart  
County Clerk.

Earl T. Black  
Chairman

Jas. F. Brass

Commissioner

C. Schaake

Commissioner

It was moved by Chris Schaake and seconded by Jas. F. Brass that the above resolution be adopted. On vote, all commissioners voted "Aye". The Budget Director called to the attention of the Board the balance of the General Fund as of May 1. Adjournment was taken to meet Wednesday 21, 1939.

ATTEST:

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

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

June 16, 1939.

A special meeting was held this 16th day of June with only one member of the Board present, for the purpose of discussing the bindweed program. Present also were: T. F. Yost, State Weed Supervisor, Asa R. Colman, County Weed Supervisor, E. E. Trueblood, County Engineer, Mrs. Mildred LeSuer, Budget Director and County Clerk T. R. Gerhart.

General discussion. No business of record.

Adjourned.

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

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