

COMMISSIONER'S RECORD N

Douglas County Republican, Lawrence

J. M. Sanderson
CommissionerAttest: T. R. Gerhart
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Ray Ogden, salesman of fire extinguishers, met with the Board in an effort to interest the Commissioners in the purchase of such extinguishers for the courthouse, jail or county home.

There met with the Board, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel H. Spencer, C. B. Hosford and J. T. Constant for the purpose of discussing the contract for the construction of a sewer for Sewer District No. 2, and other expenses connected therewith. The Spencer's agreed to pay all the expenses that were incurred for advertising and the preparing of plans for the construction of the sewer. There is on file in the office of the County Clerk a written request from Ina Spencer, Daniel H. Spencer, Estelle Cameron, Edward Cameron and Charline Fitzpatrick, asking that the Commissioners do not execute the contract with J. T. Constant for the construction of this sewer, although he had been awarded same as per his bid opened under date of July 15, 1941. The interested parties say that the construction of the sewer as per the plans and specifications is entirely too expensive. Upon the request of the county board, Mr. Constant agreed to the cancellation of the contract. Whereupon, the Board passed a formal resolution, as attached hereto.

No further business appearing, the Board adjourned to meet Wednesday, September 24, 1941.

ATTEST:

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

L. H. Griffith
L. H. Griffith, Chairman of the Board
of County Commissioners.

September 16, 1941.

Upon call of the Chairman, all members of the Board of County Commissioners and the County Clerk met in special session this 16th day of September, 1941.

Harry S. Gregg, Care Taker of the Lone Star Lake, personally appeared before the Board and presented his written resignation from said position, effective September 24, 1941. After some discussion, the Board unanimously accepted the resignation of Mr. Gregg as Care Taker of the Lone Star Lake.

The Board authorized the county clerk to rent a typewriter for the use of the local Selective Service Board.

An interview was held with M. A. (Mike) Hay, who made a verbal application for the position of Care Taker at the Lone Star Lake. His name was placed on file, along with other applications received, and the Board assured him that he would be given consideration at the proper time.

A contract for commercial lighting and power service for the courthouse and jail between Douglas County and the Kansas Electric Power Company, was signed this day by L. H. Griffith, Chairman of the County Board. This agreement is for the period of one year, beginning September 16, 1941. Another contract for power service to the bridge over the Kaw River at Lawrence was signed. This contract is in force for a period of one year, beginning August 26, 1941. Both original contracts are on file in the office of the County Clerk.

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L. H. Griffith, Chairman of the Board
of County Commissioners.

September 24, 1941.

All members of the Board of County Commissioners and the County Clerk met in regular adjourned session this 24th day of September, 1941.

All applications for the position of Care Taker at the Lone Star Lake were considered at this time. Those who have applied are: Robert Gentry, S. M. Gentry, Albert F. Lawson, A. R. Weybright, Perry O. Buck, Jr. Ernest Price, O. J. Hodson, Thomas H. Hout and M. A. Hay.

By ballot, Ernest Price received the majority votes for the position, and was thereupon employed as Care Taker of the Lone Star Lake.

It was moved by Ed Johnson that the Board employ Ernest Price at \$60.00 per month, beginning October 1, 1941. In addition thereto, he is to receive 25 gallons of gasoline for the purpose of patrolling the lake and will be allowed to secure wood from the park area for his own use. The Care Taker is to pay to the county each month the sum of \$2.50 for electric lights used for his own use. J. M. Sanderson seconded the motion. On motion, called by Chairman Griffith, same carried by unanimous vote.

Bids for tax receipts for the County Treasurer's office were received and opened at this time, Roy Flory, Treasurer, being present at the opening.

The Bids are as follows: (135 books)

The World Company: \$298.50
The Baldwin Ledger: 249.50

The Outlook: \$234.75

J. M. Sanderson moved that the Board award the contract for the printing of the tax receipts

*Contract signed
with Kansas Electric Power
Co. for service to
both courthouse &
jail*