

COMMISSIONER'S RECORD N

Douglas County Republican, Lawrence

Order No. 351. To cancel the personal property tax assessed against Mrs. Geo. Harper (Rosa C. Harper) located in School District #61, in Grant Township, as follows:
Tangible value \$605.00; Tangible Tax \$7.04 covered by tax statement #5382.
This cancellation is made as the property covered by the above assessment does not belong to Mrs. Harper, but belongs to Kent Oil Company, which said Company has also been assessed for the same property.

Order No. 352. To cancel the personal property tax assessed against Daniel E. Dahlene, 947 $\frac{1}{2}$ Illinois Lawrence, Kansas, as follows:
Tangible Value \$150.00, Tangible Tax \$3.81
which tax has been paid as shown by Receipt No. 794, in the amount of \$3.81 less four cents discount, showing total amount of tax paid \$3.77.
A refunding check in the sum of \$3.77 shall be mailed to Mr. Dahlene at the above address.
This cancellation is made as Mr. Dahlene was not allowed his exemption on the assessment sheet, but the exemption is shown on the notice of assessment left by the deputy assessor.

Order No. 353. To cancel the personal property tax assessed against C.D. Bunker, 1330 W. 9th Street, Lawrence, covered by Tax Statement #483, as follows:
Tangible Value \$395.00 Tangible Tax \$10.04
This cancellation is made as the property covered by the above statement was assessed against Mr. Bunker twice, once by the city deputy assessor, and once by the Wakarusa Township deputy assessor, and as the property is located in Wakarusa Township, the city assessment is cancelled hereby.

Chas. F. Hobbs and Wm. Hobbs, appeared in regard to the taxes and assessed valuation of the East 10 inches of Lot 94 on High Street, and an undivided 1/2 interest in the wall thereon. Mr. Hobbs asked that the valuation of the interest in the wall be reduced to \$130.00, stating that the assessment was made on the East 10 feet instead of the East 10 inches, in 1942.

Mr. Riling, the county attorney, reported that he had talked with Ed Rooney, attorney of Topeka, Kansas, in connection with the action contemplated protesting the exemption of the property held in the name of the K. U. Endowment Association, from the tax rolls. The Board authorized Mr. Riling to engage Mr. Rooney to appear as attorney in behalf of Douglas County in connection with said matter.

The Board adjourned to meet Friday, November 24th.

ATTEST:

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

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

November 24, 1944

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular adjourned session, all members of the board being present.

The matter of reducing the assessment against Florence Hobbs on the East 10 inches of the wall on the East 10 inches of Lot 94 High Street, in Baldwin, was again brought up for discussion. County Attorney John J. Riling was present. The present valuation of the wall is \$720.00, the tax thereon plus the tax on the ground being \$23.08. The 1942 and 1943 taxes are still due and unpaid as are the 1944 taxes.

After considerable discussion, it was agreed that nothing could be done about the taxes for 1942 and 1943, but the assessment and tax could be lowered for 1944. Thereupon, E. M. Penny made the motion that the assessment on the wall be reduced to the sum of \$250.00 making the total assessment on the wall and ground \$270.00. Ed Johnson seconded the motion. Upon vote called, the motion carried, and the board instructed the County Clerk to issue the order accordingly.

Order No. 354. To cancel 1944 tax as follows:
Baldwin City, Plate B-1097, E 10 in of Lot 94 High Street, assessed in the name of Florence Hobbs--- Value \$740.00; Tax \$23.08

To add 1944 tax, in lieu of above cancelled tax, the following:
Baldwin City, Plate B-1097, E 10 in of Lot 94 High Street, assessed in the name of Florence Hobbs-- Value \$270.00; Tax \$8.42

Painting bids for the offices on the first floor and two offices in the basement were received. No action being taken thereon this day.

No further business the meeting adjourned until Tuesday, November 28th, at 9 o'clock.

ATTEST:

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

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