

COMMISSIONER'S RECORD N

Douglas County Republican, Lawrence

The Constant Construction Company presented a bid to paint and repair the roof at the Convalescent home at 1004 W. 4th. After some discussion the work was ordered done as per the bid and estimate on file in the County Clerk's office.

No further business / board adjourned.

ATTEST:

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

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

July 31, 1945

The Board of County Commissioners met in special session. The meeting was called in regard to welfare matters.

The County Engineer, Mr. Griffith and Mr. Penny, viewed the old Eudora Road in consideration of the petition filed by the residents along the road, asking the County to take over, repair and maintain the road. The road being in such a bad condition, the members of the boards of Wakarusa and Eudora Townships were invited to meet with the board of County Commissioners, on Monday, August 6th, at 10 o'clock.

The remainder of the day was spent with the welfare department.

No further business, the board adjourned.

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August 1, 1945

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

The regular monthly claims for payroll and supplies were approved and allowed as per the allowance record.

Mrs. Julia Martin appeared before the board, asking for a compromise on the real estate taxes for the year 1942 on Lot 184 on Connecticut Street. The original tax was in the amount of \$42.86. Mrs. Martin asked the board to waive the interest and penalties and tendered her check in the amount of \$42.86 in anticipation of such cancellation. The County attorney informed the board they did not have the authority to compromise on real estate taxes and the check was returned to Mrs. Martin.

The residents interested in the paving of Louisiana Street, both on the City side and the County side of the street, appeared before the board. Walter Wagner, Mrs. Jacqmain, H.D. Thomas and J. S. Tobler appeared in support of their protest already on file in the County Clerk's office. City Engineer, J.C. Harper, Councilman F.A. Russell, and property owners W.C. Boardman, W. H. Andrews, Lloyd Gaines, Franz Wiedemann and various others, appeared. Mr. Thomas stated he was not against the paving, but objected to the small size of the benefit area and asked the distance east and west be increased from 660 feet to 1200 feet, thereby distributing the amount of the cost against the property owners on the county side over a larger area and an increased number of property owners. City Engineer Harper, stated the estimate and emphasized it was just an estimate, of the total cost of the paving from 19th to 23rd Streets, would be \$32,000. and figured on that amount, the cost per lineal foot would be \$2.40. However the method of assessment for the paving is not definite as to whether it will be by footage or valuation and improvements.

After considerable discussion, it was moved by Mr. Penny that the petition for the Louisiana Street paving from 19th to 23rd be allowed and the County Attorney instructed to prepare the necessary papers and resolutions to proceed with the paving of Louisiana Street. Mr. Griffith seconded the motion, and on vote called by acting chairman Ed Johnson, the motion carried.

Mr. H. Brecheisen and Mr. Chanay appeared before the board, again asking that something be done about the township road in Palmyra Township, running along the North and West sides of 19-14-21.

No further business the board adjourned to meet Monday, Aug. 6th.

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