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thence East to his East line, thence South to "I" Street, making it necessary to build two bridges and filling in several low places where flood waters stand. It was suggested by Edwin Ott and Berthold Durr that the Old Eudora Road be opened, moving the road back so many feet from the Kaw River. The main objection to this suggestion was offered by E. E. Larson, County Engineer, his reason being the cables supporting the jetties on the banks of the Kaw River extend back into the fields fifty feet, over the ground, and are anchored into the ground, and a road over these cables would not be satisfactory. The suggestion was made by Mr. Griffith to the Eudora Township Board to get an estimate of the cost of ground along this route and present to the Commissioners at their meeting to be held October 12, 1946. Mr. Griffith also made a suggestion to Mr. Ott to get an estimate of the cost of the ground along the river to reopen the Old Eudora Road. No action was taken.

The Board also acted as Road viewers on the Petition of Paul Gabriel for a Private Road. Mr. Gabriel now has the use of an abandoned right of way to his twenty seven acres through the property of an uncle. His main objection to this road is that at the time of heavy rains it is impossible for him to move his farming equipment back and forth to his field over a large draw. Roger Stanley, owner of the ground on which the proposed private road would be constructed, objects to this action. He maintains he would have to put up a new fence and dig a new ditch for drainage purposes. The law requires Mr. Gabriel to reimburse Mr. Stanley for the fence and also for the ground. Mr. Larson, County Engineer, suggested a culvert be installed under the present road used by Mr. Gabriel. No action was taken pending further consideration.

The Board adjourned to meet Saturday, October 12, 1946.

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.

October 12, 1946.

The Board of County Commissioners of Douglas County met in regular adjourned session, Commissioners L. H. Griffith and Ed Johnson being present.

Additional bills for services and supplies were allowed as per the Allowance Record.

Mrs. E. J. Forrest appeared before the Board asking for permission to connect with the City sewer. She did not want to file a petition and to follow the regular procedure, so no action could be taken.

The petition of Edwin Ott, and others, for the reopening of the Old Lawrence-Eudora Road was again brought up for discussion and it was unanimously agreed by the Board that there should be a road opened in that vicinity, and the County Engineer was directed to make a survey and plat of a proposed road to be opened in the North West Quarter of Section 5, Township 13, Range 21.

The petition of Paul Gabriel for a private road in Section 34, Township 13, Range 21, was brought up again for further discussion. No decision could be reached, therefore no action could be taken. It was agreed by the Board to discuss the petition at a later date, after additional information could be secured.

John Kazmaier, Mayor of Eudora City, Kansas, appeared before the Board at the request of the Board, to discuss the advisability of vacating the property as asked for in the petition signed by Carl C. Perkins, P. J. Neis, and John Schopper. Mr. Kazmaier was asked to present the problem before the City Council of Eudora, Kansas, and to let the Commissioners know their opinion. No action was taken.

No further business, the Board adjourned to meet October 16, 1946.

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.

October 16, 1946.

The Board of County Commissioners of Douglas County met in regular adjourned session, Commissioners L. H. Griffith and Ed Johnson being present.

On the request of County Treasurer Roy Flory the Board granted him permission to hire two additional clerks in his office during the tax paying period, starting whenever advisable, at fifty cents an hour.

The Board, accompanied by a Deputy Sheriff from the Sheriff's Office, drove to the country to view a cow condemned for Tuberculosis, owned by William Stoddard, on West 19th in Wakarusa Township valued at \$175.00, and allowed him \$25.00 from the county.

The petition of Paul Gabriel for a private road across the Roger Stanley farm on proper motion of Ed Johnson, and seconded by Mr. Griffith, was rejected.

The County Attorney has approved the contract for the construction of Sewer District Four and Sewer District Five that was presented to the Board for their signature. J. L. Constant, contractor, was also present and signed the contract which is now on file in the office of the County Clerk. The contract is in the amount of \$9,263.75, covering both sewers.

No further business, the Board adjourned to meet Saturday, October 19, 1946.

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.

*Perkins, Neis, Schopper petition
discussed*

*Contract approved
for construction
of Sewer District
Four & Five*