

COMMISSIONERS JOURNAL, TULSA COUNTY, OKLA.

Warden Co., Oklahoma City

Monday, April 7th, 1913.

At 10:30 A. M. bids were opened for constructing approaches to Bridges Nos. 93, 94 and 95. The following bids were received:

Bridge Approach		Bridge No. 93.	Bridge No. 94	Bridge No. 95.
93,	Ketchum	0.19½	0.19½	0.19½
94,	McGowen	0.15	0.16	0.17
95.	Lonsdale	0.25	0.25	0.25
Awarded to McGowen.	Wright	0.17)	0.17	0.16
		0.19)		

Moved by Mr. Woolley that contract for bridge fills be awarded to Mr. McGowen. Seconded by Mr. Baker. Motion prevailed.

C.C.Wood, et al, Complaint Brown, Constable. C. C. Wood, City Marshall of Jenks, Oklahoma, and others, appeared before the Board of County Commissioners with complaint against T. A. Brown, Constable of Jenks Township, and were heard upon the proposition.

McDowell charge. Members of the Board of Education of the City of Tulsa, Oklahoma, represented by John R. Clark, Attorney, requested a hearing before the Board of County Commissioners in the matter of O. H. P. McDowell, a member of the Board of Education of the City of Tulsa, Oklahoma, charging O.H.P.McDowell with nepotism, i.e., that a niece of O.H.P. McDowell, Hattie McDowell, is employed in the city schools of Tulsa, Oklahoma, and that said O. H. P. McDowell is a member of said Board of Education and Secretary of same, in violation of Sections 300 to 305 inclusive of Article XVIII, and asked the Board of County Commissioners to bring action in the District Court on said charge. The hearing was set for 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, April 8th, 1913.

The Board adjourned to meet at 9:00 A.M., Tuesday, April 8th, 1913.

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The Board of County Commissioners met in their room at 9:00 A.M. Tuesday, April 8th, 1913. All members present. Board proceeded to audit claims against the County. (See claims)

Remonstrance against C.C. wood A committee of citizens from Jenks, Oklahoma, appeared before the Board of County Commissioners in remonstrance against the attitude of C. C. Wood, City Marshall of Jenks, Oklahoma, and others, and were heard.

Hearing upon O.H.P.McDowell Matter Hearing upon the O.H.P. McDowell Matter. The matter of the charge of nepotism against O. H. P. McDowell came on for hearing and the following witnesses were sworn:

Paul Sanger, Mike Stieger, H. P. Knepper, W. V. Biddison, H. O. McClure, M. J. Delaney and O.H.P. McDowell.

Complainants were represented by John R. Clark, Attorney, and O.H.P. McDowell was represented by J. E. Lydecker. It was shown by testimony and admitted that Hattie McDowell, a niece of O. H. P. McDowell, is now, and has been, a regular employed teacher in the city schools of Tulsa, Oklahoma, and as such teacher has been drawing a salary at the rate of sixty (\$60.00) Dollars per month.

The Board of County Commissioners declined to take any action.

Upon motion, the following monthly reports of County officers were approved:

Report of officers	Frank Ingraham,	Clerk of Superior Court.
	Frank Ingraham,	Supplemental report.
	R. E. Curran,	County Clerk.
	John T. Kramer,	County Treasurer.
	E. B. Irvan,	Clerk of County Court.
	Lewis Cline,	Register of Deeds.
	Wm. Sattgast,	County Superintendent.
	W. W. Stuckey,	Clerk of District Court.
	W. M. McCullough,	Sheriff, and Deputies.