

July 6th, 1943.

Motion by Commissioner Gray, seconded by Commissioner Greer, that George O. Straughn be appointed County Engineer at a salary of \$350.00 per month. Upon roll call, all members voting in the affirmative, motion was by the Chairman declared carried.

Motion by Commissioner Gray, seconded by Commissioner Greer, that the following employees be approved. Upon roll call, all members voting in the affirmative, motion was by the Chairman declared carried. List submitted, but upon the advice of the County Attorney that each employee should be approved separately, list was withdrawn and each name submitted separately.

Motion by Commissioner Greer, seconded by Commissioner Gray, that the following employees be approved. Upon roll call, the following vote was taken: Gray, Aye; Greer, Aye; Kinkaid, No. Motion carried. List submitted, but upon the advice of the County Attorney that each employee should be approved separately, list was withdrawn and each name submitted separately.

Motion by Commissioner Kinkaid, that the following list of employees be approved. List submitted by Commissioner Kinkaid. Commissioner Gray: I second the motion except Mr. Bowers and Mr. Abbott. Commissioner Kinkaid: I want my list approved in toto or not at all. Upon roll call, the following vote was taken: Gray, Aye; Greer, Aye; Kinkaid, No. Motion carried. Commissioner Kinkaid declared he was withdrawing his list of employees. Upon advice of the County Attorney that since the Commission was attempting to follow the Robert's rules of order, the motion made by Commissioner Kinkaid wanting approval of his list of desired appointtees was actually lost for the want of a second. That Commissioner Gray's attempted second was in fact an amendment to Commissioner Kinkaid's motion. There was no second to Commissioner Gray's amendment thus when the Commission voted they thought they were voting upon the original motion when in fact there was no motion because of the want of a second. Thereupon Commissioner Gray and Commissioner Greer proceeded to have their desired employees hired by a separate motion.

Motion by Commissioner Greer, seconded by Commissioner Gray, that the employees in the Welfare Department, Health Department, Janitors and Telephone Operators be held over until other appointments are made. Upon roll call, the following vote was taken: Gray, A ye; Greer, Aye; Kinkaid, No. Motion carried.