

Lawrence Sunday July 8th 1862

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. All the Commissioners present.

The 1st Business. Petition for Road in Mauckanusa Township, prayed for by J. W. Taylor and others, considered and approved and Robert McFarland Thomas Seton and Geo. W. Hill appointed Viewers, and David Hubbard Surveyor. To meet at the house of J. W. Taylor on the 28 day of July 1862 at 10 O'clock.

The 2nd. The Board resolved themselves into a committee to inspect the Bridge across the Mauckanusa where the Lawrence and Emporia Road crosses with a view to making an application for repairing said Bridge. Examination is to be made on the 9th inst.

The 3rd. The Report of the Viewers of the Road in Mauckanusa Township prayed for by R. H. Huling, S. C. Thatcher and others approved. The Report is in the following words, to wit:

To the County Board of Commissioners of Douglas County in P. S. Hutchinson, J. A. Sutton, and Joel Brown, jurors appointed to view a road petitioned for by E. P. Huling, S. C. Thatcher and others, that we met on the 28th day of April A.D. 1862 the day appointed by your Hon. Body, and after having been duly qualified proceeded to view the ground designated in the petition, to wit: Commencing at the NE corner of the NW 1/4 of Sec 19, Township 13 South Range 19 East of the Sixth principal Meridian. Thence due South one half mile (1/2) thence West one and 1/2 mile, to the South West corner of NW 1/4 of Sec 9, in the above named Township, and at which place the Western Boundary of Mauckanusa Township is located. We would report that we found the ground very good, with the exception of about 40 Rows which can be made good by plowing and throwing up. We found no opposition to locating said road, and would therefore recommend that the said petition be granted, and the Road opened or located.

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Joel Brown Viewers
J. A. Sutton
P. S. Hutchinson

The 4th. The Report of Viewers of the Road in Mauckanusa Township prayed for by Thomas Pugh and others approved. The Report is in the following words:

To the Board of Commissioners acting in and for the County of Douglas in the State of Kansas. We the undersigned Viewers appointed by your Body to view a Road in Mauckanusa Township in said County prayed for by Thomas Pugh and others, met according to notice, on the 5th day of May A.D. 1862 at the house of W. C. Cupless, and after being duly sworn proceeded to view the road proposed and regarding the said proposed road as necessary and practicable report favorably and recommend the same to be located as set forth by the