

of this board are due and are herewith cheerfully tendered to Paul R. Brooks Esq. for the efficient, accommodative and conscientious manner in which he has performed the duties of the office of County Clerk for the term now just closing. On motion the resolution was adopted and ordered to be placed on the minutes of the board.

The following bills were audited and allowed as follows.

Paul R. Brooks	Services as County Clerk	\$144.40
A. J. Reid	Expenses on books of Dist. Clerk	1.25
F. Carnicklow	Services as Co. Commissioner	21.00
Chas. Dickson	" " "	21.00
F. Gleason	" " "	27.00
Thomas McKinney	Refunded on account of illegal tax paid	\$5.05

On motion the board adjourned.

Paul R. Brooks
County Clerk.

Lawrence Kansas January 8 1866

This being the day fixed by law as the commencement of the Term of County Officers. The County Commissioners elect of the County of Douglas met at the office of the County Clerk. Present Messrs F. Gleason William McRae and John C. Campbell.

The oath of Office was administered to the above named gentlemen by the County Clerk.

On motion of Mr Campbell Mr Gleason was chosen Chairman of the Board.

On motion the Chairman and Clerk of the board were appointed a committee to procure and lease suitable rooms for a Court room and for County offices.

Several bids were received for excavating the bank at the South approach to the Stewart crossing bridge and the bid of H. C. Jones being the lowest and best bid it was ordered that the contract for said excavation be let to him.

The following bills were audited and allowed.

Kenny Webber	Digging road	\$1.50.
A. H. Maunter	Wood furnished	370.00.

On motion the board adjourned until January 31 at ten o'clock a.m.

Paul R. Brooks
County Clerk.