

the resolution was adopted,

Ordered that James Walton be employed as Superintendent of the County Asylum and farm for one year from the first day of March 1870 at a salary of seven hundred and fifty dollars per annum.

On motion Ordered that the County Clerk be and he hereby is authorized to purchase three hundred bushells of Coal for the use of the County.

On Motion Ordered that the County Clerk be and he hereby is authorized and instructed to purchase books and make duplicate tax rolls of the County.

Ordered that the Clerk be and he hereby is instructed to publish a notice in the official papers of the County that hereafter no bills will be considered by the board at any regular session unless filed prior to the first day of the session, and that all business in relation to roads will be considered on the second day of the session, and Miscellaneous business on the Third day of the session of all regular sessions, unless otherwise ordered by the board.

A petition was presented signed by Charles Pella and ninety seven others asking the board to submit the question of authorizing the County board to issue bonds for the purpose of building bridges over Captains creek the petition was read and on motion it was Ordered that a special election be held on Tuesday the 5<sup>th</sup> day of April 1870 at the usual place of holding elections in the several voting precincts of the County of Douglas for the purpose of voting upon the question of authorizing the Board of Commissioners of the County of Douglas to issue the bonds of said County to the amount of twenty thousand dollars and negotiate a loan thereon to the amount of twenty thousand Dollars for the purpose of building bridges at the following points, One across Captains Creek, on the Escudora and Olathe road One across the Wakarusa river at what is known as "Rock's Ford crossing" and one across Deer Creek in Shawnee town ship on the road located on section line between sections four (4) and nine (9) township thirteen (13) range eighteen (18). Said bonds payable fifteen years from the date of issue, with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum, payable annually at the office of the County Treasurer of the County of Douglas, provided: that said bonds shall not be sold or negotiated at less than ninety seven and one half cents on the dollar. Ballots to be printed or written "For the bonds" or "against the bonds". Ordered that the County Clerk be instructed to prepare and cause to be published a notice of the time and place of holding said election.

Ordered that the County Clerk be and he hereby is instructed to advertise for proposals for doing the County printing for one year from the first day of April next.

The following accounts against the County were examined and acted upon

S. O. Thacher	bounty on stone fence	\$15 <sup>00</sup>	allowed at \$14 <sup>00</sup>
W. J. Kennedy	illegal tax paid	14 <sup>00</sup>	"
E. Groves	" " "	42 <sup>38</sup>	"
B. W. Woodward	scatter duties for Dist. Clerk	4 <sup>00</sup>	rejected