

Lawrence Kansas, January 2nd 1871

The board of county commissioners of the county of Douglas, met pursuant to law. There were present commissioners Brown, Jones and Steinhaw, and Paul R. Brooks county clerk. The following proceedings were had

In the matter of the petition of O. Darling
for licence to keep a ferry at the city of Lawrence

Said O. Darling having made application for licence to keep a ferry on the Kansas river at the town of Lawrence and the said O. Darling having filed his bond in the sum of One thousand dollars with approved security conditioned for the performance of all duties required by law It is ordered that a licence be granted to said Orlando Darling to keep a ferry at the city of Lawrence for one year from the fifth day of January A.D. 1871 and it is further ordered that the clerk issue a licence to said O. Darling as required by law It is further ordered that the rates of ferryage for said ferry be fixed as follows

For each Vehicle drawn by two (2) animals	15 cts
" " additional animal	5 "
" " Vehicle drawn by one animal	10 "
" " person on horse back	10 "
" " " " foot	5 "
" Cattle in droves 2 cents per head	
" Hogs " " 2 " " "	
" Sheep " " 2 " " "	

Claims and accounts against the county were examined and acted upon as follows

Names	Nature of claim	Amount Claimed	Amount Allowed
James Walton	Salary Superintendent County Asylum	431 25	447 25
D. B. and J. E. Brewster	Medical attendance at Co. Asylum under contract	27 00	15 00
Wm. Bergman	Clothing for prisoners in county jail	163 05	163 05
Charles Willsdorf	Illegal tax paid on Indian land	37 78	37 78
Samuel Kilgore	" " " " West Lawrence boats	16 20	16 20
Thos W. Spicer	" " " " " " " "	9 48	9 48
A. S. Norman	" " " " Indian or Govt land Grant etc.	63 75	Rejected
J. B. Bullock	J. B. Bullock constables fees in criminal cases before J. P.	49 75	29 65
Andrew Barnes	Undersheriff " " " " " "	13 05	13 05
W. A. Starnett	Salary as County Supt of Public instruction	300 00	300 00
R. E. Eggleston	Blankets for jail	18 00	15 00
W. B. Kennedy	Damages caused by Co. Asylum cattle	9 00	9 00
R. Egger	Supplies for County Asylum	16 20	16 20
W. E. Litchell & Co.	" " " " jail	15 00	15 00
State Insane Asylum	Board and care of insane persons	52 00	Rejected
" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	48 75	48 75
" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	149 50	115 00
John Spier	Printing and advertising	142 00	142 00
Henry Webber	Costs paid in case of State vs Adam Lind	6 00	6 00
Dora Kuddleston	Services on board of examiners for Douglas County	13 00	13 00
Pleasant Wiatt	" " " " " " " "	9 00	9 00
E. W. Bardwell	" " " " " " " "	2 00	2 00
W. M. Whirlow	Bounty on hedge fence	5 40	5 40
W. R. Boyman	Excessive tax paid		