

Lawrence Kansas April 16 1873
 The board of commissioners of the county of Douglas met pursuant to adjournment then were present commissioners O. Darling and Joel Grover and Paul R. Brooks county clerk.

The following proceedings were had.

The reports of the Trustees of Palmyra, Clinton and Hancock townships were presented examined with vouchers and approved.

In the matter of sundry persons confined in the county jail unable to pay fines assessed against them

It having been proved to the satisfaction of the board that George Simmons, George Hogan, Clifton P. French, Thomas Clarke, Lee Smith, Hannah Davis and Susan Lipscomb alias "broken backed Mary", now confined in the county jail of Douglas county, for failure to pay certain fines and costs are, and each of them is unable to pay such fines and costs or any part thereof It is therefore Ordered that said persons be discharged from said imprisonment and that the sheriff of Douglas county release said persons from custody on receiving from the county clerk a certified copy of this order. It is further Ordered that the county clerk make a certified copy of this order and deliver the same to the Sheriff forthwith.

Theodore Pochler County Treasurer presented his resignation as such Treasurer to take effect July 12 1873

Ordered that the resignation of Theodore Pochler be and the same is hereby accepted.

Ordered that James E. Watson be and he is hereby appointed County Treasurer to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Theodore Pochler.

Robert Long Trustee of Leecompton Township presented report of appropriation of One hundred Dollars placed in his hands to open Lawrence and Leecompton road which was examined with vouchers and approved also a report of an unexpended balance left in his hands as to former report of appropriation to open Leecompton and Clinton road which was also