

of said valuation and assessment, as increased by the State Board of Equalization, and also the further amount of the five per cent penalty charged to said Company December 2nd 1874 on taxes charged against said rail way Company's real estate under the head of right of way, and that the Co Treasurer be notified of this order, by the County Clerk.

The Matter of the increase of Assessment of E.P. Trains, being the special order for this hour (2 A.M), the subject is postponed until some future time -

In response to the Call issued to the Trustees of the several townships to be present, in order to confer with the Board in reference to what action shall be taken to aid the destitute in the County, the following Trustees appeared, viz. J.C. Darling, Eudora Tp. W. Menius, Wakarusa Tp. G.W. Umbarger, Clinton Tp. J.B. Gilmore, Grant Tp. and C.B. Butts, asst. Trustee of Palmyra Tp. Each of the trustees present, except Mr Gilmore, represented that $\frac{1}{3}$ of all the farmers in their respective township need assistance, for themselves and families, or for feed for teams and seed for spring planting - Mr Gilmore represented that $\frac{1}{3}$ of the farmers in his township would need assistance for said purposes - When upon due consideration of the matter, it was Ordered by the Board, that the Trustees of the several township proceed at once to visit each school district in their respective townships and obtain information direct from all persons needing aid, of the amount and kind needed by each, and report to the County Clerk, the several amounts so found, on the 27th day of January 1875 -

The Board adjourned until tomorrow morning at nine O'clock A.M.

Attest

J. B. Smith

County Clerk

Lawrence Kansas January 15th 1875 -

The Board of Commissioners of Douglas County met at the County Clerk's office pursuant to adjournment - when there were present Commissioners Deskins, Clark and Jim - merriman, and the County Clerk, J. B. Smith -

The following

Proceedings were had - A proposition made by C.W.