

my duty to hold said office until I can safely turn the same over to a duly elected and qualified or duly appointed and qualified successor.

Having been advised by Counsel that there exists grave doubts about the validity of the recent election of a County Treasurer to fill a vacancy which occurred by operation of law on the 29th day of October last and that it (is) questionable if my responsibility and that of my bondsmen would cease upon a surrender of the office by me to a person declared to have been chosen Treasurer at that Election and that it is undoubtedly your right and duty to make a declaration of a vacancy and appoint some suitable person to fill said vacancy, I would respectfully suggest and ask that you relieve me from any and all embarrassments in the premises by declaring the vacancy and appointing some suitable person to whom I can surrender the office and whose receipt to me for funds turned over will be a legal voucher

Yours

Lawrence Nov. 16th 1878

Truly

Robert Morrow

Without further action the Board adjourned until next Tuesday at 10 O'clock A.M.

B. F. Diggs

John H. Hines

County Clerk Chairman

Lawrence Kansas Tuesday November 19th 1878

Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment at the office of the County Clerk

Those were present John Deskmies Chairman John C. Walton and John Walton and County Clerk B. F. Diggs

In the Matter of Bridges

The Board had a Consultation with Charles Pilla in regard to the Eudora and other Bridges but no action was taken

In the Matter of Treasurers
of Douglas County

Commissioner John Walton introduced the following resolution, and moved that it be adopted -
Whereas - there is a question as to the legal election of Treasurer growing out of the fact that the vacancy did