

Taxes as levied by the Board upon the tax rolls of the County, as provided by law and also all State and City taxes and all other taxes that comes certified to him by due process of law.

Board adjourned

John H. Skines
 Albert H. Brooks Chairman
 Deputy County Clerk

Lawrence Kansas Thursday, August 14th 1879

Board of County Commissioners met in special session on the call of the Chairman at the office of the County Clerk.

Those present Commissioners John H. Skines
 Chairman John Walton and J. C. Walton and Deputy County
 Clerk Albert H. Brooks

In the matter of compromising
 the R.R. bonded Indebtedness

That Chas Robinson agent for
 the County, to visit the holders of Douglas County Rail Road
 bonds, with a view of effecting a compromise of the same
 made the following report which was read and consider-
 ed and ordered recorded in the Commissioners Journal
 of Proceedings.

Lawrence August 13 - 1879

To the Hon Board of County Commissioners
 Gentlemen

In accordance with your
 request I visited Kansas City, Boston, New York,
 Cincinnati and St Louis for the purpose of effecting a
 compromise of the County bonds

I have received propositions for the compromise of
 of some \$265,000. of the County bonds at fifty per
 cent of the bonds Coupons overdue and interest on
 the same. The details of the compromise, such as the
 class of bond, the attorneys fees in the Moses Taylor
 Judgement &c to be arranged with Gen Geo. H. Kettlen
 of Kansas City Mo.

Mr. Shoemaker of Cincinnati who is said to
 hold \$75,000. of the bonds was out of the City, as
 also were the parties holding bonds in St Louis, I wrote