

Lawrence, Kansas, January, 10th 1881.

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

There were present Commissioners John Eskimes, Chairman, John Walton ^{and} J. C. Walton ^{and} County Clerk M. J. Stevens.

The Board had under consideration Petitions in individual Tax matters.

Afternoon Session.

The time having arrived for the installation of the Commissioner elect from the 3rd Commissioner District the County Clerk administered the oath of office to P. A. Kolbe, Commissioner elect who entered immediately upon the duties of his office.

The Board proceeded to organize by electing a Chairman for the new term. The vote for Chairman was as follows:

First Ballot. Blank 2, J. C. Walton 1.

Second " " J. C. Walton 2, Blank 1.

J. C. Walton having received a majority of the votes cast was declared duly elected Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners.

In the matter of supplying {
Case for Dist Clerk's Office. { The Board of County Commissioners having under consideration the matter of supplying the office of the Clerk of the District Court with a Pigeon Hole Case the contract for making such Case was awarded to Messrs. Stick ^{and} Preisack of Lawrence, the case to cost the County not to exceed \$135⁰⁰.

Board adjourned to meet Jan'y 11th 1881 at 9 o'clock A.M.

Attest M. J. Stevens
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In the matter of Treas {
Examiners for 1st Quarter 1881. { The Board of County Commissioners appointed C. E. Hoyt ^{and} G. Groomer to assist the Probate Judge in the examination of the affairs of the County Treasury for the Quarter ending March 31st 1881.

The Board had under consideration accounts against the County.