

Lawrence - Kans Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 1888

The Board of County Commissioners of Douglas County  
met in special session at the office of the County Clerk

There were present John Walton Chairman,  
Olin Butler. Mr Draper and County Clerk M.D. Greener

### Bank Petitions.

Petitions of the Watkins National Bank and also  
of the Douglas County National Bank of Lawrence,  
Praying to be assigned as a depositories of a part of the  
County funds as required by law. and agree to file bond  
and pay the same rate rate of interest as now being paid  
by the other banks.

The board set the hour of 2 o'clock P.M.  
for hearing said petitions.

The hour of two P.M. having arrived the board  
gave parties interested a hearing.  
motion by Mr Draper that the Watkins National Bank and  
the Douglas County National Bank of Lawrence Kans be and  
the same are hereby designated as depositories of a part of  
the County funds as provided by law. motion carried  
all members voting aye.

motion by Mr Butler that the said  
banks pay (2) two per cent per annum on the average daily  
balances, under the same conditions as the other banks now  
pay. and that the County Clerk notify the County Treas.  
of said order. carried.

### Bonds approved!

The bonds of the Watkins National Bank and of  
the Douglas County National Bank, for the sum  
of fifty thousand dollars each were received. Examined  
and approved. and ordered placed on file.

### Tax Petition of J B Brown }

Praying the Board to sale of 1885 and endorsement  
of 1886. on Lot No 51. Cr. J. St City of Lawrence. Canceled as  
an illegal sale.

The Board having the aforesaid petition under  
consideration, find that said tax was legal and that  
the prayer of the petitioner could not be granted.