

Lawrence Kansas April 4-1901

The Hon. Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment with those present as follows B. F. Horstinson Ch., A. J. Parrell, J. C. Watts, and Geo. A. Flay Esq. Clerk.

County Printing } The Jeffersonian Gazette presented to the Board a written offer to publish all or any part of the legal printing of the County during the year of 1901 at the following rates. Tax lists & final tax notices at the legal rates as prescribed by law & collected by the County Treasurer from the delinquent tax payers, Road notices, Sheriff's proclamations & all other legal advertising at half legal rates, Commissioners proceedings & reports of bills at one cent per line

Moved by A. J. Parrell That the Lawrence Weekly World be made the official County paper for the ensuing year ending first Monday in January 1901 provided further the cost of publishing Commissioners proceedings & bills shall not exceed one cent per line

Moved by J. C. Watts to amend That the Jeffersonian Gazette be made the official County paper for reasons that we have a written proposition by which he agrees to do County printing for half legal rates on all work except concerning Treasurer's Office which is provided for by law & further agrees to publish the Monthly bills allowed by the Commissioners at each regular meeting for one cent per line.

Moved by B. F. Horstinson an amendment to amendment That the Lawrence Journal be made the official County paper, provided that cost of publishing Commissioners proceedings shall not exceed one cent per line.

The vote was as follows A. J. Parrell and J. C. Watts voted against the amendment to amendment, and B. F. Horstinson voting for the amendment to amendment. The first amendment as offered by J. C. Watts was taken up and voted on as follows J. C. Watts voting for and B. F. Horstinson and A. J. Parrell voting against

The original motion of A. J. Parrell was taken up & voted on as follows A. J. Parrell voting for J. C. Watts and B. F. Horstinson voting against

On Motion a Ballot was taken The Lawrence Journal receiving two votes and The Lawrence World receiving one vote There being a majority of the votes cast for the Lawrence Journal it was thereby declared the official County paper for the ensuing year

The Dutless road case came up for hearing before the Board & after giving all parties a hearing, the Hon. Board granted the road as petitioned for & damages awarded according to the report of the Viewers to Wm. L. Sinclair for the amt. of \$65.00