

June 17, 1908. The Board of County Commissioners met in adjourned session with Gus H. Brune, J. C. Halton, A. C. Hatter and the County Clerk present.

Jail The Board of County Commissioners were in consultation with Architects concerning the New Jail.

The Board ordered the following notice concerning the Cutting of Thistles to be printed in the Official paper:—

Cut Thistles Whereas Chapter 359, Laws of 1895, provides for the destruction of Russian & Canadian thistles at such time as the Board of County Commissioners may direct upon notice published in one or more county papers for a time not less than three weeks before the time fixed upon for the destruction of said obnoxious weeds. It is therefore ordered by said Board of County Commissioners of Douglas County, Kan., that all Russian & Canadian thistles be destroyed by every person and every corporation on all lands which he or it may own or occupy in Douglas County, Kansas, on or before the 20th day of July, 1908, and that every overseer of highways of every township in said county shall also at or after said date above mentioned in like manner destroy all noxious weeds, either upon the highway of his road district, railway, right-of-way or any unoccupied land therein, upon which the owner or lessee thereof shall neglect or refuse so to do.

Dated at Lawrence, Kan., June 17, 1908

Attest: A. Frank Kerns, County Clerk.

Gus H. Brune, Chairman.

The following resolution was adopted by the Board:—

The Flood Whereas a portion of Douglas County, Kansas, has been inundated by the flood and the valuation of Real Estate in said flooded district diminished, and some of the personal property therein entirely destroyed, and

Whereas the Board of County Commissioners of Douglas County, Kan., met as a Board of Equalization on the townships & wards affected by said flood, & passed on the assessment of the personal property and real estate therein prior to "The Flood",

Therefore be it resolved that the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners be, and he is, hereby directed to present said situation to the Tax Commission of the State of Kansas and request them to readjust the valuations in said flooded district; the same to be done in any manner in which it sees fit.

Board adjourned to meet June 20, 1908.

Attest:—

A. Frank Kerns,

County Clerk.