

May Ball Term 1896

The State of Texas Be it remembered that a special County of Titus Session of the Honorable County Commissioners Court was held in and for Titus County Texas at the Court House thereof in the town of Mt Pleasant on the 25th day of May 1896 Present Hon. G. L. Waller County Judge of said County Present Mr. J. D. Belafield, J. A. Brum, E. C. Brown and J. W. Myers Commissioners, H. B. Wickson Sheriff and S. J. Wilson County Clerk when and when the following proceeding were had to pass:

In the Matter of the account of the Texas Printing & Lithographing Co. for \$25.00 It is ordered by the Court that the Texas Printing and Lithographing Co. be allowed the sum of \$25.00 for Hants for District Clerk and that draft issue for said sum on the Court House or jail funds for same

In the Matter of the account of J. C. Kirby for \$25.00 It is ordered by the Court that J. C. Kirby be allowed the sum of \$25.00 the same being as witness fee in case of Elijah Wilson vs Titus County Texas and that draft issue to him for same on Gen. Co. funds -

In the Matter of the account of J. L. Lamb for \$7.00 It is ordered by the Court that J. L. Lamb be allowed the sum of \$2.00 on his account of \$7.00 for service in attending Josh Smith a lunatic and that draft issue on Gen. Co. funds for same -

In the Matter of the account of Dr. J. S. Taylor for \$4.00 It is ordered by the Court that Dr. J. S. Taylor be allowed the sum of \$4.00 for Medical services in attending J. W. Cooper a lunatic and that draft issue on the General County fund for same -

In the Matter of the account of H. C. Barlow for 75² May 25th 1896
It is ordered by the Court that H. C. Barlow be granted
for allowed the sum of \$75² same being amount due
him from the 16th day of April 1896 to May 6th 1896 and that
Draft issue to him on the Court House and jail fund for same.

It is ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning
at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday May 26th 1896
Court met pursuant to adjournment presiding and
present as on yesterday.

It is ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning
Wednesday May 27th 1896. Court met pursuant to
adjournment presiding and present as on yesterday except
J. A. Birns

In the Matter of the Matter of the complaint of J. A. Wilson & Court House contractor of his hearing and
against H. C. Barlow Superintendent of Complaint and see
of said Court House in violation of certain

terms. It is now resolved
by this Court that none of the charges in said complaint
have sustained by the evidence that the Superin-
tendent has faithfully and impartially discharged all
his duties as such Superintendent and that he was com-
mitted in condemning all material condemned by him and in
condemning the foundation of said house. We further
find the said J. A. Wilson has failed to procure the
material called for in the contract and that he has procured
to put in the present foundation over the protest of the
Superintendent in violation of his contract and has per-
mitted to be and has used in the said foundation Mat-
terial inferior to the quality called for by said contract
and after he had been notified by the Superintendent not
to use said material in said foundation and has promised
not to use. We therefore direct to discharge the said
Superintendent - It is further ordered by the sense of
this Court that said J. A. Wilson & Co is not erecting said
House in accordance with the contract and persistently

refuses to follow the directions of the Superior Land and Water
Court of Colorado if persisted in will justify this Court
under the stipulations of the Contract to terminate his
employment and is further ordered that the Clerk furnish
the Sheriff J. A. Willow a copy of these minutes -

Item In the Matter of the account ^{May 27th 1896}
of D. W. Ellis for \$5⁰⁰ It is ordered by the Court
that D. W. Ellis be allowed the
sum of \$5⁰⁰ for holding an inquest over the dead body
of Pete Boyson and that draft issue to him on the
General County fund for said sum -

Item In the Matter of the account ^{May 27th 1896}
of H. L. Leinenbach for \$8⁰⁰ It is ordered by the Court
that H. L. Leinenbach be al-
lowed the sum of \$8⁰⁰ the same being for Coffin or for
Pete Boyson killed by care - and that draft issue on the
General County fund for same

Item In the matter of payment ^{May 27th 1896}
to all ^{of Court} It is ordered by the Court
that G. L. Warren County Judge
W. J. Delapied, E. Q. Brown and J. W. Myers Comission-
ers be allowed the sum of \$10⁰⁰ each and that J. A.
Brown be allowed the sum of \$16⁰⁰ for holding Court
and that G. V. Dickson Sheriff be allowed the sum
of \$16⁰⁰ for waiting on the Court and that draft
issue to them on the General County funds -

The business before the Court having been disposed
of it is ordered that Court adjourn -