

January Call Term 1897

The State of Texas } Be it remembered that  
County of Titus } a special term of the Com-  
 } munity Commissioners Court  
of Titus County was held in and for Titus  
County Texas at the Court House of said County  
on the 11th day of January 1897 - Presiding Hon  
P. H. Rogers Secretary Judge Present. H. J. Dea-  
field, J. W. Cooper and J. M. Ball Commissioners. S. W.  
Beck, son Sheriff and D. S. Williams County Clerk  
When and where the following proceedings were  
had to wit:

In the matter of the plans and specifications for  
New Town for Court House } January 11<sup>th</sup> 1897  
 } It is ordered by the  
 } Court that the plans  
and specifications for  
Town to Court House instead of the one town shown  
presented by W. E. Taylor be and the same are  
hereby adopted and that seal bids received for  
building the same up to 12 o'clock M. Jan 12<sup>th</sup> 1897  
and further ordered that said Walter E. Taylor  
be and he is hereby employed to look after the com-  
pletion of the Court House - Court room right to reject  
any and all bids -

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

Tuesday Jan. 12<sup>th</sup> 1897 - Court met pursuant to ad-  
journment presiding and present as on yesterday

Bids received and amounts	\$ 1625.00
Brenton Lowman	1648.00
Brown & Son	1965.00
W. B. Weaver	

It is ordered by the Court that the above bids  
be and they are hereby rejected -

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

Wednesday Jan 13<sup>th</sup> 1897

Court met pursuant to adjournment presiding  
and present as on yesterday

Issued In the matter of the account of January 13<sup>th</sup> 1897  
 of Walter E. Taylor for 1887 It is ordered by the  
 Court that Walter E.  
 Taylor be allowed the sum of \$56.<sup>00</sup> the same  
 being 3/4 of \$1600.00 Contract price of Tower  
 and that draft issue to him for said sum on the  
 Court House and Jail fund -

In the matter of building of January 13<sup>th</sup> 1897  
 tower to Court House J. A. Wilson & Co Contractors  
 having agreed to build  
 the tower according to the plans and specifications  
 of Walter E. Taylor for the sum of \$1600.00  
 It is therefore ordered by the Court that the  
 Contract for building tower of Court House be  
 let to J. A. Wilson & Co for the sum of \$1600.00  
 same to be built according to the plans and spec-  
 ifications and in the time therein stated -  
 to wit March 1<sup>st</sup> 1897

It is ordered by the Court that A. J. Moulton  
 Treasurer be authorized to charge the General County  
 funds with a charge on school funds.

In the matter of notifying of January 13<sup>th</sup> 1897  
 E. Y. Brown agent for It is ordered by the  
 Titus School lands in Court that E. Y. Brown  
 Montague County agent for Titus County  
 school lands in Montague  
 County to bring in notice showing condition of same

Issued In the matter of the petition of January 13<sup>th</sup> 1897  
 pay of Court and Sheriff It is ordered by the  
 Court that P. B. Rogers  
 County Judge, J. M. Blafield, J. S. Harper & M. Ball  
 Commissioners be allowed the sum of \$90 each and  
 G. W. Dickson Sheriff \$60 and that drafts issue  
 on General County fund

It is ordered that Court adjourn until next  
 regular term -

Attest

County Clerk

County Judge