

December Call Term 1899

The State of Texas } Be it remembered that a  
County of Titus } special term of the County  
County Commissioner Court  
of Titus County Texas was held in and  
for said County at the Court House thereof  
in the town of Mt Pleasant on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day  
of December 1899. Presiding the Honorable  
P. B. Rogers County Judge of said County, present  
W. J. D. Capild, Geo. A. Bunker and J. E. H. Bunker  
Commissioners, H. W. B. Baker Sheriff and  
A. G. Williams County Clerk when and where  
the following proceedings were had to wit:

In the Matter of Local Option } December 23<sup>rd</sup> 1899  
election of School District } On this day the  
No. 15 Titus County Texas } Commissioner Court  
of Titus County, and  
State of Texas met in special session at the  
Court House thereof in the town of Mt Pleasant  
for the purpose of opening the poll lists  
and counting the votes of an election held  
in and for the following described subdivision  
of Titus County, Texas to wit: Beginning on the  
North boundary line of the George Clapham sur-  
vey, at South East corner of Jonathan Kitch's home  
stead survey, run thence North to N. E. corner  
of said J. Kitch's survey - thence west to a  
point due north of N. W. corner of George  
Clapham's survey - thence north to the south  
boundary line of the Thomas Suttathite survey -  
thence East with S. T. B. line of said - Thomas  
Suttathite survey to S. E. corner of said Suttathite  
survey - thence East with S. T. B. line of Bishop  
Star School District No. 29. to Morris County  
line - thence south with Morris County N. T. B.  
line to a point due East of North East corner  
of George Clapham survey - thence west  
to said Clapham N. E. corner and west with  
N. T. B. line of said Clapham survey to the  
beginning - point - Being the bounds of

the Lookville School District, No. 15 of Titus County Texas - said election held on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of December 1899 - at Lookville by the qualified voters thereof to determine whether or not the sale of intoxicating liquors should be prohibited in said subdivision of Titus County. And it appearing to the Court that from the returns of said election that said election resulted in favor of the prohibition of the sale of intoxicating liquors in said subdivision of said County and that 52 votes were cast for prohibition in said election and 35 votes were cast against prohibition in said election. It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that the sale of intoxicating liquors be, and the same is hereby prohibited with in said subdivision of said Titus County, Texas, except for the purposes and under the regulations specified by the Local Option laws until such time as the qualified voters therein may at a legal election held for that purpose by a majority vote deem otherwise -

In the matter of the Titus County School Land situated in Montague County Texas, December 26<sup>th</sup> 1899. It is hereby ordered by the Commissioners Court of Titus County that whereas, on June 15<sup>th</sup> 1882 - Mr. M. L. Linn, agent and attorney in fact for Titus County, did sell to Edward Schiel Block No. 8 of Titus County school land in Montague County, Texas by deed recorded in Vol. C, page 10 of the Deed records of Montague County, Texas, in which deed a vendor's lien was retained to secure payment of the unpaid portion of the purchase money of said land, and whereas said land has been fully paid for - and whereas P. W. Rogers, County Judge of Titus County, did on October 27<sup>th</sup> 1899, execute a

release of said Vendor's lien said release is hereby in all things approved and confirmed. And it is further ordered by the Court that P. W. Rogers County Judge of DeWitt County, Texas and he is hereby appointed agent of DeWitt County, Texas to make release to any of said DeWitt County School lands situated in Montague County Texas, which has been fully paid for.

Dec 23<sup>rd</sup> 1899  
 In the matter of the account of O. M. Tabb for \$85.00  
 Dec 23<sup>rd</sup> 1899  
 It is ordered by the Court that O. M. Tabb District Clerk be allowed the sum of \$85.00 for attending Court House Clock 3 months to replace charge and moving desk to and from Court room and that draft issue to him for said sum on the General County fund

Dec 23<sup>rd</sup> 1899  
 In the matter of the account of J. B. Tammin and J. R. Brisson for \$2.00 each  
 Dec 23<sup>rd</sup> 1899  
 It is ordered by the Court that J. B. Tammin and J. R. Brisson be allowed the sum of \$2.00 each for services in harnessing grandstand horse of Mr. R. Edwards and that A. P. Smart be allowed \$2.00 for team and hack for the above parties and that drafts issue to each on the General County fund.

Dec 23<sup>rd</sup> 1899  
 In the matter of the account of G. B. Dickson Sheriff for \$10.00  
 Dec 23<sup>rd</sup> 1899  
 It is ordered by the Court that G. B. Dickson Sheriff be allowed the sum of \$10.00 for killing and burying a horse of Mr. R. Edwards and a horse of John Stein affected with humors and that draft issue to him on the General County fund for same.

In the matter of the account of Election Managers December 23<sup>rd</sup> 1899  
 It is ordered by the Court that the following named persons be allowed the amount set opposite their respective names for holding Local option election at Crookville and Milledgeville  
 W. B. Myers 4<sup>00</sup> G. W. Keith 2<sup>00</sup> D. T. Johnson 2<sup>00</sup>  
 W. B. Traylor 3<sup>00</sup> A. S. Johnson 2<sup>00</sup> drafts on Gen Fund

In the matter of the account of D. Leone for \$14<sup>82</sup> December 23<sup>rd</sup> 1899  
 It is ordered by the Court that D. Leone be allowed the sum of \$14<sup>82</sup> for lumber for bridges and that draft issue to him for said sum on the Road and Bridge fund -

In the matter of the account of V. E. McClinton for \$3<sup>00</sup> December 23<sup>rd</sup> 1899  
 It is ordered by the Court that V. E. McClinton Commissioner of Precinct No. 3 be allowed the sum of \$3<sup>00</sup> for receiving bridge at Harbo Crossing on Sulphur and that draft issue to him on the Road and Bridge fund for same -

In the matter of the per diem of Court and Sheriff December 23<sup>rd</sup> 1899  
 It is ordered by the Court that P. B. Rogers County Judge, W. J. Belafield John A. Bivins and V. E. McClinton Commissioners be allowed the sum of \$3<sup>00</sup> each for holding this Court and that G. B. Brexton Sheriff be allowed \$2<sup>00</sup> for waiting on the Court and that drafts issue to each on the General County fund -

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