

Special Term 1913 Dec 17/1913

Be it Remembered, that on this the 17th day
Dec. A.D. 1913, there was begun and holden a
special Term of the Hon. Commissioners Court for
the purpose of declaring the results of Prohibition election
held the 6th day of Dec. 1913. John Lane Porter Judge
presiding, A. C. Brown, O. P. Smart, J. T. Cochrane and
W. Thompson Commissioners Present when the
following proceedings were had to-wit:

On the matter of declaring } Dec. 17th 1913
The Results of Prohibition }
election held Dec 6th 1913 }

On this 17th day of Dec. 1913
came on to be considered by the Com-
missioners Court of Tular County Tex.
The matter of declaring the result and
announcing the returns of an election
held in and through said Tular County Tex.
on Dec. 6 1913, for the purpose of determining
whether the sale of intoxicating liquors
shall be prohibited in Tular County Tex.

The returns of said election, having been
fully canvassed by said court, and it ap-
pearing from said canvass that there were
1380 votes for Prohibition
and there were cast at said election 701 votes
" against Prohibition". It further appear-
ing from said canvass that the total number
of votes cast at said election was 2081. #

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and
decreed by the court that a majority of the
votes cast at said election were cast in
favor of " for Prohibition" and that the sale
of intoxicating liquors in said county shall
be absolutely prohibited, except for the pur-
poses, and under the regulations prescribed
by law until such time as the qualified
voters of said county may decide otherwise
at a legal election held for such purposes.

Commissioner A. C. Brown made a
motion that the above order be passed by

The State of Texas
County of Titus

Dec. 17, 1913

Be it remembered that on this the 17th day of December 1913, a Special session of the County Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas, held for the purpose of opening the Polls and counting the votes of an election held in and for the County of Titus State of Texas, on the 6th day of December 1913, to determine whether or not the sale of intoxicating liquors shall be prohibited in said County, and said Court proceeded to open the polls and count the votes cast at said election, and it appearing to the Court that at said election 1380 votes were cast for Prohibition and that Seven Hundred and One votes were cast "Against Prohibition" and that there were at said election 679 more votes more cast for Prohibition than were cast against prohibition, It is therefore hereby ordered and declared that said election resulted in favor of "Prohibition" and it is ordered by the County Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas, that the sale of intoxicating liquors be and the same is hereby absolutely prohibited within the limits of Titus County, Texas, except as for the purposes and under the regulations prescribed by law, until such time as the qualified voters of said County, may at a legal election held for that purpose by a majority vote declared otherwise.

The State of Texas
County of Titus

December 17th 1913. This day Sam Porter

County Judge of Titus County Texas having selected the Mc-Pleasant Weekly Journal a news paper published in Titus County, to publish the order passed by the County Commissioners Court of Titus County, declaring the result and prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors in Titus County, It is therefore ordered by the Court that the order declaring the result of the election held in Titus County, Texas, on the 6th day of Dec. 1913, and prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors in Titus County, Texas, be published in the Weekly Journal a news paper published in said County, for four successive weeks

..... Sam Porter
County Judge Titus County, Texas

Order

Handwritten notes in the right margin: "Porter", "vote", "not", "in", "by", "said", "order", "Judge", "Texas", "and", "proper", "order", "this", "Dec. 1913", "held", "of", "order", "Judge", "Texas".

I Sam Porter County Judge Titus County Texas Certify that the order Passed by the Commissioners Court of said County on Dec 17th 1913 declaring the Result of an Election held Dec 6-1913 and prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors in Titus County Texas was published in the Weekly Journal a news Paper published in Titus County Texas on the following dates Dec 17-1913 Jan 10-1914 Jan 23-1914 and 23-1914
Dec 17-1913 Sam Porter County Judge Titus County Texas