

Aug. Term 1915. Aug 9<sup>th</sup>

Be it Remembered that on Aug 9<sup>th</sup> 1915 there was begun and held, a regular term of the Commissioners Court Tiler County Texas Hon. Sam Porter Judge Presiding W.M. King, J.P. Fleming, E.C. Sikes and A.P. Smith Commissioners present when the following proceedings were had to-wit:

In the matter of composing }  
 election Returns of Common } Aug 9, 1915  
 School District No 4, Liberty }

On this day come on to be considered and considered the Returns of election held on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of July 1915 to decide whether or not a special tax of 25¢ on the one hundred dollars of taxable property should be levied on Common School District No 4. and after a thorough canvass the court found from said returns that there were cast "For the special tax" 9 votes; against special tax 1 vote.

It is therefore ordered by the court that "For the special tax" be read and that a special tax of 25¢ on the one hundred dollars valuation of taxable property be and the court is hereby levied on Common School District No 4 of Tiler County, Tex

In the matter of Official  
Reports

On this day come on  
to be considered The Official Reports of  
various officers of Tennes. Co. and after  
examining and checking some the monthly  
report of Mrs. T. O. Rice Tax collector  
was approved and Quarterly Report of  
W. M. King, W. L. Eason, W. H. Shropshire, W. W.  
Tobbs, W. Edwards, T. C. Meigs, J. A. Cooper

In the matter of Masonry  
Election Returns of Consti-  
tutional Amendments

Aug 9, 1915

On this day come  
on to be considered and considered  
the returns of constitutional amend-  
ments to the State of Tennes. and after  
comparing some it was found that  
all the amendments were lost that  
is there were greater number of votes  
cast against the amendments and  
the greater number of votes cast for any  
one of the amendments were 178,555 votes  
against amendments, the same being  
Recorded in Election Returns of County  
County Judge's Record showing the  
exact no of votes cast for each amend-  
ment and the exact no of votes cast for  
against each amendment.

It is therefore decreed that all the amend-  
ments were defeated.

In the matter of Tax assessors  
Rolls for 1915-16, Ed. L. McClroy

Aug 9, 1915

On this day come on  
to be considered and examined the Rolls of Tax assessor  
Ed. L. McClroy for 1915-16 and found the same in good  
form properly stored with all property, to be filed up accord-  
ing to law. It is therefore ordered that the same  
is hereby approved.

Notice of Election

State of Texas  
 County of Titus  
 And ~~24~~ other persons <sup>having been</sup> presented to me on this the ~~24~~ day of August 1915  
 I am an Election to be held in Common School District no 7 of Titus County Texas submitting the Question of the Levy Assessment and Collection of a Special Tax of 20¢ on the One hundred Dollars Taxable Valuation of Property in said District Per Annum for the Purpose of Supplementing the State School fund appropriated to said District upon an investigation of the facts I find to be that said Petition is signed by a majority of the qualified ~~voter~~ Property Tax paying voters of said District I therefore order an Election to be held in said District at the School House of said District being School District no 7 on the 11<sup>th</sup> September 1915 for the Purpose of submitting to the qualified Property Tax paying voters of said ~~District~~ Common School District no 7 of Titus County Texas the Question of the Levy of a Tax of 20<sup>cents</sup> on each 100 dollars Taxable valuation of Property in said District Per Annum for the Purpose of Supplementing the State School fund appropriated to said District

order of election

I Appoint A. A. White Presiding officer of said Election W. P. Jones Judge and C. W. Justice Clerk I order the Sheriff of Titus County to give notice of this Election as Required by Law Done at my Office in the City of Mt Pleasant Tex on this August 19<sup>th</sup> 1915

## Notice of Election & Returns

Mt Pleasant Tex

Aug 19<sup>th</sup> 1915

In obedience to an order of the County Judge of Telfer County Texas on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 1915 ordering an election to be held in Common School District No 7 of Telfer County Texas at the School House in said District No 7 on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of Sept. 1915 I now give notice to all persons that said election will be held at the time and place stated for the purpose of submitting to the qualified property tax paying voters of said district the question of a levy of a special tax in said District of 25 cents on each one hundred dollars taxable property valuation in said district per annum for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund of property tax to said District.

Given under my hand this the 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 1915

J. A. Cooper  
Sheriff Telfer County Tex.

The above notice was given by posting a true copy of it at the School House in said District and one at Jones Bros Store and one at Taylor Fin each a public place in said District on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1915.

J. A. Cooper  
Sheriff Telfer Co. Tex.

Indeent  
to Rice

Notice School Dist No 25-

All persons will take notice that an election will be held in common School Dist No 25 of Titus County, Texas on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1915 at the School House in said district of which there will be submitted to the property tax paying voters residing in said district the question of the issuance of the coupon bonds of the said district to the amount of fifteen hundred dollars to become due and payable twenty years after date, with the option of redemption at any time after one year from date to draw interest from date of the rate of five per cent per annum until said bonds are redeemed for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building within said district and purchasing a site therefor and the levy assessment and collection of an amount to pay the interest on the said bonds at the rate of five per cent and to create a sinking fund with which to reduce the principal thereof at maturity.

This notice is given in obedience to an order made by the County Judge of Titus County Texas on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1915 in which the said election is ordered to be held etc

J. A. Cooper Sheriff

Titus County, Tex

Came to hand on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1915 and executed on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1915 by posting a true <sup>and correct</sup> copy of the above and foregoing notice of probog Road and 2<sup>nd</sup> cross Road, and of the School House each of which is a public place in said district.

J. A. Cooper  
Sheriff Titus County, Tex.

## Order of Election S. Dist. No 2.

On this the 14th day of April, 1915 the Petition of O.M. Buchanan and 21 others praying for an election to be ordered in Common School District No 2, of Titus County, Texas for the purpose of the submission of the question of the issuance of the Coupon Bonds of the said District to the amount of One Thousand Dollars and the levy, assessment and collection of an annual tax against all taxable property of said District of a rate sufficient to pay principal and interest upon said bonds to the tax paying voters of said District.

It appearing to me that the said petition is in proper form that it is signed by twenty resident property tax paying voters of said District and that said bonds are needed by the said District, the petition is therefore granted.

It is ordered and judged and decreed by the court that an election to hold of the School house in Common School District Number Two of Titus County, Texas on the 6th day of May, 1915 of which there shall be submitted the property tax paying voters of said District the question of the issuance of the Coupon Bonds of the said District to the amount of One Thousand Dollars to become due and payable twenty years after date with the option of Redemption of any time after one year from date to draw five per cent interest per annum from date unless paid payable annually for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building within said District and purchasing a site therefor and the levy, assessment and collection of an annual tax against all taxable property within said District of a rate sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as if matured and to create a sinking fund with which to pay the principal of the said bonds of maturity.

It is further ordered that W.C. O'Leary, O.M. Buchanan, Berto Blotak and C.W. Geoff hold,

the said election and make returns thereof as Required by law.

It is further ordered that the Sheriff of Titus County, Texas, give notice of that said election by posting written notices thereof in three of the most public places in said district for twenty one days prior to the date of the same.

Given under my hand this the 14<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D. 1915.

Sam Porter  
County Judge Titus Co. Tex.

Be it Remembred that on this the 10<sup>th</sup> day of May 1915 a regular term of the County Officers Court of Titus County, Texas, was convened and holden at the court house in said County with Sam Porter County Judge, County Commissioners, Smith King, Clerk and James, and W. Kelly, Clerk of said Court and J. J. Booker, Sheriff of Titus County, well present.

There came on to be considered the returns of an election held in a common school district number two of Titus County Texas, on the eighth day of May 1915 upon the question of the issuance of the coupon bonds of the said district to the amount of one thousand dollars to be come due and payable 20 years after date, with the option of redemption at any time after one year from date to bear interest from date of the vote of five per cent per annum unless paid, payable annually for the purpose of acquiring and equipping a site therefor and the levy assessment and collection of an annual tax against all taxable property within said district of a rate sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as it matures and to create a sinking fund with which to pay the

principal thereof at maturity. It appearing from the said returns that the said election was regularly held and that there were cast of the said election 18 votes of which there were cast for the issuance of Coupon Bonds of which common school district Number 2 of Tarrant County Texas, to the amount of One thousand dollars to become due and payable 20 years after date, with the option of redemption of any time after one year from date, to draw interest from date at the rate of five percent per annum until paid, payable annually, for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building within said district and purchasing a site therefor and the levy, assessment and collection of an annual tax against all taxable property within said district at a rate sufficient to pay the interest on the said bonds as is set forth and to create a sinking fund with which to pay the principal thereof at maturity "10 votes"

And of which number there were cast against the issuance of the coupon bonds of common school district Number two of Tarrant County, Texas to the amount of One thousand dollars, to become due and payable twenty years after date, with the option of redemption of any time after one year from date, to draw five percent interest from date until paid, payable annually, for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public school building within said district and purchasing a site therefor and the levy, assessment and collection of an annual tax against all taxable property within said district at a rate sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as is set forth and to create a sinking fund with which to pay the principal thereof at maturity "8 votes."

It appearing from the said returns that a majority of the votes cast at the said election were cast in favor of the issuance of the said

bonds and the levy assessments and collection of the said tax.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the court that the said election resulted in favor of the issuance of the said bonds and the levy assessments and collection of the said tax.

When also come on the matter of providing for the redemption of the coupon bonds of Common School District Number Two of Titus County Texas and it appearing to the Commissioners of Public Safety of Titus County Texas that at an election held for the purpose in said district on the 8th day of May 1915 a majority of the legal voters voting of said election voted in favor of the issuance of the bonds and the levy assessments and collection of a tax to pay interest and principal thereof.

It is therefore ordered by the Commissioners of Titus County Texas that the coupon bonds of Common School District Number Two of Titus County Texas herein after described be issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building within said district purchasing a site therefor that said bonds be called "Common School District No. 2, of Titus County Texas School House Bonds".

That they be dated Sept 15<sup>th</sup> 1915 be numbered from one to two million and be in denominations of \$500<sup>00</sup> each that they be payable at the Office of the Treasurer of the State of Texas Office of the County Depository of Titus Co. Tex. or at the Manufacturers National Bank New York N.Y. at the option of the holder that they be payable 20 years after date with the option of redemption at any time after one year from date that they shall bear interest from date of the

rate of five per cent per annum until  
 paid payable annually which shall be  
 represented by interest coupons attached  
 to said bonds said interest coupons shall  
 be payable at the same places as the principal  
 of said bonds said coupons shall be signed  
 by the written printed or lithographed signatures  
 of the County Judge and County Clerk of Titus  
 County Texas and the said bonds shall be sign-  
 ed by the County Judge and County Clerk of  
 Titus County Texas and shall bear the seal of  
 the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas  
 impressed on them.

It is further ordered that a tax of twenty five  
 cents upon each one hundred dollars vol-  
 untion of taxable property within said  
 district be levied for the year 1915 for the  
 purpose of paying the interest on the  
 said bonds and creating a sinking fund  
 with which to pay the principal thereof at  
 maturity and for each year thereafter a  
 rate sufficient to pay the interest on said  
 bonds and create a sinking fund suffi-  
 cient to pay said bonds at maturity.