

Be it remembered that Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas convened in special session thereof at the Court House in the City of Mt. Pleasant Tex on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of March 1916 with Sam Porter County Judge, County Commissioners J. M. King, Supervisor Thomas County Clerk W. L. Kelley and Sheriff W. A. Cooper present.

When came on to be considered the matter of providing for the issuance of the coupon bonds of Justice Precinct No 1 of Titus County Tex for Supervisor County Commissioner J. M. King made a motion that the following order be passed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County Tex which motion was seconded by Commissioner A. P. Smart. The order is as follows, To wit:

It appearing to the Commissioners Court of Titus County Tex that at an election held for the purpose in Justice Precinct No 1 of Titus County Tex on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 1916 two-thirds of the Tax Paying Voters of said Precinct voting at the said election voted in favor of the issuance of the said Bonds herein after described and that Levy of an annual Tax against all taxable property of said Precinct of a sum sufficient to pay the interest on the said Bonds as if accrued and to create a sinking fund from which to pay the principal thereof at maturity.

And it appearing to the Commissioners Court of Titus County Tex that \$200,000.00 Bonds be authorized to be issued and all of the details of the issuance of said Bonds provided for with the exception of a form of Bond and a form for the coupons evidencing interest to accrue on said Bonds and to be attached to each said Bond.

And It appearing to the Commissioners Court of Titus County Tex that it is advisable to provide for the Levy to fix the form of Bond of said \$200,000.00 Bond issue authorized on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 1916 and a form of coupon to be attached to said Bonds indicating the interest thereon.

And it appearing to the Commissioners Court of  
Titus County Texas that it is advisable to provide for the  
Levy of an Annual Tax against all taxable Property of  
Said Justice Precinct No 1 of a Road District  
to pay the interest on the Said Bonds as it accrues  
and to create a sinking fund from which to pay  
the Principal thereof at Maturity.

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed  
by the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas  
that each of the \$200.00.00 Bonds of Road District  
No 1 of Titus County Texas hereinafter ordered to be  
Issued, shall be of substantially the following form to wit:

United States of America No — 1000-00

The State of Texas County of Titus

Road Bond of Road District No 1 of Titus County Texas  
Road District No 1 of Titus County Texas for Value Received  
Acknowledges itself to be indebted to and Promises  
to pay to bearer 20 years after date, at the office  
of the County Depository of Titus County Texas or the office  
of the Treasurer of the State of Texas or at Hanover  
National Bank New York N.Y. at the option of the  
Holder, the sum of One Thousand Dollars, in  
Lawful Money of the United States of America  
Together with interest thereon at the Rate of Five  
Per cent Per annum from date until Paid Payable  
Semi-annually on the 1st day of April and 1st day  
of October. Each year ~~or on the first day of January and July~~  
~~presenting and surrendering~~  
by Proper Cognizance, all at the Option of the Holder.

This Bond is one of a series of two hundred Bonds  
Numbered from 1 to 200 both inclusive of the denomination  
of One Thousand Dollars each issued for the purpose of Constructing,  
Maintaining and Operating Macadamized, Gravelled  
and paved Roads and Turnpikes and in aid thereof in  
Said District under and by virtue of the Authority of the Constitution  
and Laws of the State of Texas as it was Passed by the  
Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas which  
order is of Record in the minutes of said Court

The Said Bonds are Payable One Hundred Thousand Dollars Twenty Years after date with the Option Reserved to Said District to Redem Five Thousand Dollars thereof Each year after date to and including the Twentieth Year, the balance of said Bonds are Payable Five Thousand dollars on the Twenty first year after date and a like amount each year thereafter to and including the Fortieth year. Should the said District desire to exercise its said option it shall cause written notice of its intention to do so to be given to the Places above named as Places of Payment designating the number of the Bonds to be redeemed for thirty days prior to the day upon which it will make payment all pay the amount of principal and interest that shall be due on the said Bonds it shall have the right to redeem should the holder of bonds so called in for redemption fail to designate at which of the said Places he desires payment to be made in time for the District to place the money at such place by the time fixed in said notice the Bonds that may be redeemed shall cease to bear interest from and after the date fixed for their Redemption.

The date of this Bond in Conformity with the Ordinances above mentioned is the 15<sup>th</sup> day of March 1916 and it is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions, and things required to be done present to and in issuance of this Bond having been properly done, performed and performed in regular and due form and time, as required by law, and that the total indebtedness of said District including this Bond does not exceed any Constitutional or Statutory Limitation.

The Testimony whereof, the County Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas has caused the seal of said Court to be impressed hereon and this Bond is to be signed by the County Judge and countersigned by the County Clerk and registered by the County Treasurer of Titus County, Texas as the law requires of the date last above named.

Dated San Patric County Judge Titus County Texas  
 Counter Signed N. L. Kelley County Clerk Titus County Texas  
 Registered John A. Cook Treasurer Titus County Texas  
 Interest Coupon No

Road District no 1 of Titus County Texas Promises  
 to Pay to bearer ~~to~~ at the sum twenty five  
 dollars on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of October 19<sup>th</sup> at the office of the  
 County depository <sup>or</sup> Day Off Office of Titus County  
~~or~~ the office of the Finance Officer of the State of Texas  
 or at Hanover National Bank New York N.Y.  
 At the option of the holder, Said Amount being  
 Six months interest on Road Bond no. Said of  
 Road District no 1 of Titus County, Texas, dated  
 March 15<sup>th</sup> 1916. San Patric County Judge  
 N. L. Kelley County Clerk Titus County Texas

It is further ordered Adjudged and Decreed  
 that during Each of the Years 1916 to 1930-  
 Both inclusive, there shall be and there is hereby  
 levied Against all Taxable Property Within  
 Road District No 1 of Titus County Texas <sup>a sum sufficient</sup>  
 to Annually Produce the sum of \$15,000.00 or somuch  
 thereof as ~~there~~ the need may being \$10,000.00 for interest  
 and \$5,000.00 to constitute a sinking fund with which  
 to Retire Bonds Numbered 1 to 100 both in inclusive at their  
 Maturity March 15-1936 and in Each of the following  
 Years a Tax sufficient to Produce the following amounts  
 to wit:

For the year 1936 \$10,000.00 being \$5,000.00 to ~~Pay~~ Bonds  
 Numbered 101 to 105, both in inclusive due March 15-1937 and  
 \$5,000.00 for interest

For the year 1937 \$9,750.00 being \$5,000.00 to Pay Bonds  
 Numbered 106 to 110 both in inclusive due March 15<sup>th</sup> 1938 and  
 \$4,750.00 for interest

For the year 1938 \$9,500.00 to Pay bonds Numbered 111 to 115-  
 both in inclusive due March 15<sup>th</sup> 1939 and \$4,500.00 for interest

For the year 1939 \$9,250.00 being \$5,000.00 to Pay Bonds  
 Numbered 116 to 120 both in inclusive, due March 15<sup>th</sup> 1941  
 and \$4,250.00 for interest

For the year 1940 \$9,000.00 being \$5,000.00 to Pay bonds  
 Numbered 121 to 125 both in inclusive due March 15<sup>th</sup> 1942  
 and \$4,000.00 for interest

For the year 1941 \$8,700.00 being \$0.000.00 to Pay Bonds  
Numbered 126 to 130 both inclusion due March 10<sup>th</sup> 1942  
and \$3,750.00 for interest

For the year 1942 \$8,000.00 being \$0.000.00 to Pay Bonds  
Numbered 131 to 135 both inclusion due March 10<sup>th</sup> 1943  
and \$3,500.00 for interest

For the year 1943 \$8,250.00 being \$0.000.00 to  
Pay Bonds Numbered 136 to 140 both inclusion due March  
10<sup>th</sup> 1944 and \$3,250.00 for interest

For the year 1944 \$8,000.00 being \$0.000.00 to Pay Bonds  
Numbered 141 to 145 both inclusion due March 10<sup>th</sup>  
1945 and \$3,000.00 for interest

" For the year 1945 \$7,750.00 being \$0.000.00 to Pay  
Bonds Numbered 146 to 150 both inclusion due March  
10<sup>th</sup> 1946 and \$2,750.00 for interest

For the year 1946 \$7,500.00 being \$0.000.00 to Pay  
Bonds Numbered 151 to 155 both inclusion due March  
10<sup>th</sup> 1947 and \$2,500.00 for interest

For the year 1947 \$7,200.00 being \$0.000.00 to Pay  
Bonds Numbered 156 to 160 both inclusion due  
March 10<sup>th</sup> 1948 and \$2,250.00 for interest

For the year 1948 \$7,000.00 being \$0.000.00 to Pay Bonds  
Numbered 161 to 165 both inclusion due March 10<sup>th</sup>  
1949 and \$2,000.00 for interest

For the year 1949 \$6,750.00 being \$0.000.00 to Pay  
Bonds Numbered 166 to 170 both inclusion due  
March 10<sup>th</sup> 1950 and \$1,750.00 for interest

For the year 1950 \$6,500.00 being \$0.000.00  
to Pay Bonds Numbered 171 to 175 both inclusion  
due March 10<sup>th</sup> 1951 and \$1,500.00 for interest

For the year 1951 \$6,250.00 being \$0.000.00 to Pay  
Bonds Numbered 176 to 180 both inclusion due March  
10<sup>th</sup> 1952 and \$1,250.00 for interest

For the year 1952 \$6,000.00 being \$0.000.00 to Pay  
Bonds Numbered 181 to 185 both inclusion due  
March 10<sup>th</sup> 1953 and \$1,000.00 for interest

For the year 1953 \$5,750.00 being \$0.000.00 to Pay  
Bonds Numbered 186 to 190 both inclusion due  
March 10<sup>th</sup> 1954 and \$750.00 for interest

For the year 1954 \$5,500.00 being \$0.000.00 to Pay Bonds  
Numbered 191 to 195 both inclusion due March 10<sup>th</sup> 1955  
and \$500.00 for interest

For the Year 1915 \$5,250.00 - \$5,000.00 to Pay Bonds  
Numbered 1916 to 200 both inclusive due March 10<sup>th</sup> 1916  
and \$9,500.00 to Pay interest

It is further ordered adjourned and decreed that  
the Proceeds of the Tax herein levied and ordered  
Collected in Equal installments shall when collected  
be applied solely to the purpose herein recited

The County Judge Cut the motion to a vote of  
the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas  
With the report that as many of its members as  
formed the motion to Vote ~~had~~ aye whereupon  
County Commissioners Smart King Thomas and since  
voted aye none voted nay the County Judge declared  
the Motion Carried and the order Passed

The foregoing Minutes of the Commissioners Court  
of Titus County Texas Read and approved  
this the 21<sup>st</sup> day of March 1916

Sam Peter County Judge

Attest

Litus County Texas

J L Kelley County Clerk  
Titus County Texas

Be it Remembered that the Commissioners Court  
of Titus County Texas Convened in official session  
thereof at the Court House at Mt Pleasant Texas on the  
21<sup>st</sup> day of March 1916 with Sam Carter County Judge  
County Commissioner Smart King Thomas and Liles  
W. S. Kelley County Clerk and John A. Cooper Sheriff present  
when came on to be Considered the matter of the issuance  
of the Coupon Bonds of Justice Precinct No 3 of Titus County  
Texas whereupon County Commissioners Wm. King made a  
motion that the following order be passed by the Commissioners  
Court of Titus County, Texas which motion was seconded  
by County Commissioner A. P. Smart.

The order is as follows to wit:

It appearing to the Court Commissioners Court of  
Titus County, Texas that an order was passed by us  
providing for the issuance of the Coupon Bonds of  
Justice Precinct No 3 of Titus County, Texas on the 12<sup>th</sup> day  
of March 1916 and it now appears to the said Court  
that it is desirable to amend the said order so that  
hereafter it shall Read as follows, to wit:

It appearing to the Commissioners Court of Titus County  
Texas, that at an election held for the purpose  
in Justice Precinct No 3 Titus County Texas on the 15<sup>th</sup>  
day of February 1916 two thirds of the Tax-Paying Voters  
of Said Precinct Voting at <sup>the</sup> said Election voted  
in favor of the issuance of the bonds hereinafter  
described and the levy of an annual tax against  
all taxable property of Said Precinct of a rate  
sufficient to pay the interest on the said bonds as  
it accrues and to create a sinking fund with which  
to pay the principal thereof at maturity.

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners  
Court of Titus County, Texas that Justice Precinct No 3 of Titus County  
be named Road District No 3 Titus County Texas and that the Bond  
of Road District No 3 of Titus County Texas be issued to the amount  
of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars for the purpose of Constructing  
Maintaining and Operating Macadamized gravel and paved Roads

and Turnpikes and in aid thereof in said District  
the Bonds shall be numbered from 1 to 50 both  
inclusively and shall be in denominations of Four  
Hundred Dollars each, they shall be dated March  
15<sup>th</sup> 1916 and shall mature as follows to wit.

Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Dollars shall become  
due and payable 20 years after date with the option to  
Redeem One Thousand Dollars thereof ~~any~~ Each year  
for 5 years after date and Four Hundred dollars Each  
year thereafter to and including the 20<sup>th</sup> year after  
date Twelve Thousand Five Hundred shall become  
due and payable as follows to wit

One Thousand Dollars 21 years after date  
Four Hundred Dollars Twenty two years after date  
Four Hundred Dollars 23 years after date  
Four Hundred Dollars 24 years after date  
One Thousand Dollars 25 years after date  
Four Hundred Dollars 26 years after date  
Five Hundred 27 years after date  
Four Hundred Dollars 28 years after date  
One Thousand Dollars 29 years after date  
Four Hundred Dollars 30 years after date  
Four Hundred Dollars 31 years after date  
Four Hundred Dollars 32 years after date  
One Thousand Dollars 33 years after date  
Four Hundred Dollars 34 years after date  
Four Hundred Dollars 35 years after date  
Four Hundred Dollars 36 years after date  
One Thousand Dollars 37 years after date  
Four Hundred Dollars 38 years after date  
Four Hundred Dollars 39 years after date  
Four Hundred Dollars 40 years after date

They shall bear interest at the rate of five per  
cent per annum from date until paid  
payable semi annually on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of April and  
October each year, the said interest shall be covered  
by coupons attached to each of said bonds  
which shall be signed by the writer printed or

telegraphed signatures of the county judge and  
county Clerk of Titus County T\$400.

Both principal and interest of said shall be  
payable at the Office of the County Repository of  
Titus County, T\$400, or at the office of the Treasurer of  
the State of Texas, or of Hanover National Bank Peter  
York, N.Y. of the option of the holder.

The bonds shall be named Road Bonds of  
Road District No 3 of Titus County T\$400.

They shall be executed and registered  
as required by law.

The form of the bond and interest coupon  
for the bond of as herein before provided for shall  
be substantially as follows. To wit:

"United States of America"

Number — Dollars —

The State of Texas County of Titus  
Road Bond of Road District No. 3. of Titus-  
County, Texas

Road District No 3 of Titus County T\$400 for  
value received, acknowledges, itself to be indebted  
to and promises to pay to bearer — years  
after date hereof at the Office of the County  
Repository of Titus County T\$400 the office of  
the Treasurer of the State of Texas, or of Hanover  
National Bank N.Y. of the option of the holder  
the sum of Four Hundred Dollars in lawful  
money of the United States of America together  
with interest thereon from the date hereof of the  
rate of four per cent per annum payable semi-annually  
monthly on the 1st day of April and 1st day of October  
each year upon presentation and surrender of proper  
coupon of any of the places above named for the  
payment of the principal of the option of the holder

This bond is one of a series of fifty bonds numbered from No 50 both inclusive of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each, aggregating the sum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars issued by said District for the purpose of constructing maintaining and operating roads, canals, and turnpikes laid in and thereof under and by virtue of the authority of the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas and in pursuance of an order passed by the Commissioners Court of Tarrant County, Tex., which order is of record, with minutes of said court.

The said District reserves the right to redeem Two thousand Five Hundred Dollars of said bonds which are payable Fifty years after date by paying One Thousand Dollars each year after date for the first five years and Five Hundred Dollars each year thereafter to and including the twentieth year after date. The balance of said bonds are payable in annual installments beginning Twenty five years after date and extending to and including the fiftieth year after date.

Should said District desire to exercise its right to redeem said bonds it shall cause written notice of its intention to do so to be given to the places herein named at places of payment for the principal and interest, per cent, beginning the members of the bonds to be redeemed for thirty days prior to the date it desires to pay said bonds and shall pay the principal and interest due at the time so fixed for payment. Should the holder of the

Bonds or called in for redemption for  
a indecote of which of the places the money  
is desired to be placed in time for the dis-  
trict to place the money for the purposes of  
said bond by the time designated in the  
said notice, the bond <sup>named</sup> in the said notice  
shall cease to bear interest from and after  
the date so fixed for their redemption.

The date of this bond conformity with the  
order of said mentioned is March 15<sup>th</sup>, 1916, and  
it is hereby certified and recited that all  
acts, conditions and things required to be done  
preceding to and in the execution of this  
bond have been properly done, happened  
and performed in regular and due time  
as required by law and that the total amount  
of said district, including this bond,  
does not exceed any constitutional or  
statutory limitation.

In testimony whereof the County  
Commissioners of County of Titus County  
Tenn has caused the seal of said County  
to be impressed hereon and this bond  
to be signed by the County Judge and countersigned  
by the County Clerk and registered  
by the County Treasurer of said County of the  
date of our return.

Countersigned W. J. Peeler Signed Sam Carter  
County Clerk County Judge & Titus  
County Tenn County Tenn  
Registered John A. Cook  
County Treasurer  
Titus County Tenn

Interest Coupon No -  
Road District No 3. of Titus  
County, Tenn, promises to pay to  
10<sup>th</sup> day of April 19 - - 13 dollars on the 10<sup>th</sup>

day of October 19 - the sum of Seven Thousand  
and fifty cents, of the Office of the County  
repository of Tioga County \$7500.00 the office of  
the treasurer of the State of \$7500.00 or of Standard  
National Bank New York N.Y. at the option  
of the holder said amount being his  
monthly interest on Road Bond No. 1  
Road District No. 3 of Tioga County 1910 dated  
March 15<sup>th</sup> 1916.

W.L. Kelley  
County Clerk

Sam Porter  
County Judge

It is further ordered adjudged and  
decreed that my book of the years 1916 to 1935  
inclusive thereof shall stand there is  
hereby levied and ordered collected a tax  
sufficient to annually produce at least  
the sum of \$1,875<sup>00</sup> or so much less  
as may be necessary, being \$1250<sup>00</sup> furnished  
and \$625<sup>00</sup> of constitutional sinking fund  
with which to retire bonds Nos 16, 17, 25 both  
inclusive of their interest March 15, 1936  
and in each of the following years a tax  
sufficient to produce the following  
sums or so much thereof as may be neces-  
sary to which will

For the year 1936 the sum of \$1625<sup>00</sup> bring \$1000<sup>00</sup> to  
pay bond Nos 26 and 27 due March 15<sup>th</sup> 1937 and \$625<sup>00</sup>  
for interest.

For the year 1937 the sum of \$1,075<sup>00</sup> bring \$500<sup>00</sup> to pay  
bond No 28 due March 15<sup>th</sup> 1938 and \$575<sup>00</sup> for interest.

For the year 1938 the sum of \$1,050<sup>00</sup> bring \$500<sup>00</sup> to pay  
bond No. 29 due March 15, 1939 and \$550<sup>00</sup> for interest.

For the year 1939 the sum of \$1,025<sup>00</sup> bring \$500<sup>00</sup> to pay  
bond No 30 due March 15, 1940 and \$525<sup>00</sup> for interest.

For the year 1940 the sum of \$1,500<sup>00</sup> bring \$1000<sup>00</sup> to pay  
bonds Nos 31 and 32 due March 15, 1941 and \$500<sup>00</sup> for interest.

For the year 1941 the sum of \$950<sup>00</sup> bring \$500<sup>00</sup> to pay bond  
No. 33 due March 15, 1942 and \$450<sup>00</sup> for interest.

For the year 1942 the sum of \$915<sup>00</sup> bring \$500<sup>00</sup> to pay bond  
No. 34 due March 15, 1943 and \$425<sup>00</sup> for interest.

For the year 1943 the sum of \$900<sup>00</sup> being \$500<sup>00</sup> to pay bond  
no 35 due March 15, 1944 and \$400<sup>00</sup> for interest.  
 For the year 1944 the sum of \$1,375<sup>00</sup> being \$1000<sup>00</sup> to pay bonds  
nos. 36 & 37 due March 15, 1945 and \$375<sup>00</sup> for interest  
 For the year 1945 the sum of \$825<sup>00</sup> being \$500<sup>00</sup> to pay bond  
nos. 38 due March 15, 1946 and \$325<sup>00</sup> for interest  
 For the year 1946 the sum of \$800<sup>00</sup> being \$500<sup>00</sup> to pay bond  
nos. 39 due March 15, 1947 and \$300<sup>00</sup> for interest  
 For the year 1947 the sum of \$775<sup>00</sup> being \$500<sup>00</sup> to pay bond  
no 40 due March 15, 1948 and \$275<sup>00</sup> for interest  
 For the year 1948 the sum of \$1,250<sup>00</sup> being \$1,000<sup>00</sup> to  
bonds nos. 41 & 42 due March 15, 1949 and \$250<sup>00</sup> for interest  
 For the year 1949 the sum of \$700<sup>00</sup> being \$500<sup>00</sup> to pay bond  
no. 43 due March 15, 1950 and \$200<sup>00</sup> for interest  
 For the year 1950 the sum of \$675<sup>00</sup> being \$500 to pay bond  
no 44 due March 15, 1951 and \$175<sup>00</sup> for interest  
 For the year 1951 the sum of \$650<sup>00</sup> being \$500<sup>00</sup> to pay  
bond no 45 due March 15, 1952 and \$150<sup>00</sup> for interest  
 For the 1952 the sum of \$1,125<sup>00</sup> being \$1,000<sup>00</sup> to pay bond  
nos. 46 & 47 due March 15, 1953 and \$125<sup>00</sup> for interest  
 For the year 1953 the sum of \$1,575<sup>00</sup> being \$500<sup>00</sup> to pay bond  
no 48 due March 15, 1954 and \$75<sup>00</sup> for interest  
 For the year 1954 the sum of \$350<sup>00</sup> being \$500<sup>00</sup> to pay bond  
no 49 due March 15, 1955 and \$25<sup>00</sup> for interest  
 For the year 1955 the sum of \$525<sup>00</sup> being \$500<sup>00</sup> to pay bond  
no 50 due March 15, 1956 and \$25<sup>00</sup> for interest

And it is further ordered, ordered and decided by  
 the Court that the proceeds of the bonds herein brought  
 in and collected in annual installments shall  
 when collected be applied solely to the purpose herein  
 needed. The County Judge is put the motion to a vote of the  
 Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas with the request that or money  
 of its members or friends the motion to vote "Aye". Whereupon the  
 County Commissioners Court being joined Thomas told by "yea" voted No.  
 The County Judge declared the motion carried and the order passed.

The foregoing minutes of the Commissioners Court of Titus Co-  
 unty, 1940, read and approved this the 21<sup>st</sup> day of March, 1916

A. H. -

Signed:

W. L. Reilly

County Clerk

Titus County, T. C. 1916

Sam Porter

County Judge

Titus County, T. C. 1916

Be it remembered that the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas - convened in a regular session thereof, at the Court House of said County in the City of Mt. Pleasant Texas, on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of March 1916, with Sam Parters, County Judge, County Commissioners Swartz, King, Simms and Thomas, County Clerk W. E. Kelley and Sheriff D. W. Cooper, present -

Whereupon due to the consideration of the matter of the returns of an election held in Common School District No. 20, of Titus County Texas, on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of February 1916.

Whereupon County Commissioners Sims made a motion that the following order be passed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas which motion was seconded by County Commissioner Swartz. The order is as follows, to-wit: -

It appearing to the Commissioners Court that an election was held in Common School District No. 20, of Titus County Texas, on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of February 1916, that the returns of said election have been made by the election officers, as the law requires, that said election was legally held, and that there were cast at the said election 41 votes.

That there were cast for the issuance of the Coupon Bonds of Common School District No. 20, of Titus County Texas, to the amount of Twenty-five Hundred Dollars, to become due and payable 20 years after date with the option of redemption, at any time after one year from date, to draw interest at the rate of 5% per annum from date until paid, payable annually for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building, within said district, and the purchase of 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 accrues-  
and to create a sinking fund with which  
to pay the principal thereof at maturity.  
31 Votes.

That there were cast against the issuance of the Common School Bonds of Common School District No. 20, of Titus County Texas-  
to the amount of Twenty five Thousand Dollars,  
to become due and payable 20 years after date  
with the option of redemption at any time  
after one year from date, to draw interest  
at the rate of 5% per annum, from date until  
paid, payable annually, for the purpose  
of constructing and equipping a public free  
school building within said district, and  
to purchase a site therefor, and the levy  
assessments 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 accrues, and  
to create a sinking fund with which to pay  
the principal thereof at maturity 9 Votes.

That there were cast at said election  
for the increase of the special Tax of Common  
School District No. 20, of Titus County Texas- to an  
annual rate of not to exceed 50¢ on each  
One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable  
property within said district for the purpose  
of supplementing the State School Fund  
appropriated to said district 32 Votes.

That there were cast against the in-  
crease of the special tax of Common School  
District No. 20, of Titus County Texas- to an  
annual tax of a rate not to exceed 50¢  
on each One Hundred Dollars valuation  
of all taxable property within said district  
for the purpose of supplementing the State  
School Fund appropriated to said district  
9 Votes

It appearing from the returns of the  
said election that both propositions as above



It is therefore Ordered adjucged and  
 Decreed by the Commissioners Court of Titus  
 County Texas - that the Purpose Bonds of Common  
 School district No. 20 of Titus County Texas -  
 to be called "School House Bonds of Common School  
 District No. 20 of Titus County Texas" be issued  
 to the amount of Twenty Five Hundred Dollars  
 to become due and payable 20 years after date with  
 the option reserved to said district to redeem them  
 at any time after one year from date  
 for the purpose of Constructing and equipping  
 a public free school building within said  
 district and purchasing a site therefor.  
 Said Bonds shall be dated April 10<sup>th</sup> 1916.  
 and shall bear interest at the rate of 5% per  
 annum from date until paid, payable annually  
 on April 10<sup>th</sup> 1916 and shall bear interest  
 at the rate of 5% per annum from date until  
 paid each year. They shall be numbered from  
 1 to 25, both inclusive and shall be in  
 denominations of One Hundred Dollars  
 each. The interest on said Bonds shall be  
 evidenced by interest coupons attached  
 to each of said Bonds which shall be signed  
 by the written printed or lithographed  
 signatures of the County Judge and County  
 Clerk of Titus County Texas. Both principal  
 and interest of said Bonds shall be pay-  
 able at the office of the County Depository of  
 Titus County Texas - the office of the Treasurer  
 of the State of Texas - or at Hanover National  
 Bank New York if at the option of the Collector  
 the seal of the Commissioners Court of Titus Co  
 Texas shall be impressed upon each of  
 said Bonds.

It is further ordered that for the purpose  
 of paying the interest on said Bonds as it  
 matures there is now levied for the year 1916  
 a tax of twenty five cents upon each One  
 Hundred Dollars taxable valuation of property  
 within Common School District No. 20.

of Titus County Texas. from said tax there shall be created a sinking fund with which to pay the principal of said bonds at maturity as well as a fund for the payment of the instrument. There is now levied for each of the years, while said bonds or any part thereof are outstanding and unpaid, the said tax or a sufficient amount thereof to provide for the interest on said bonds as it accrues and to create a sinking fund with which to pay the principal thereof at maturity.

It is further ordered that Deb. F. Caldwell attorney for said district have charge of the matter of presenting the said bonds to the Attorney General of the State of Texas for certification as the law requires and to present said bonds to the State Comptroller for registration as the law requires and to receive said bonds from the Comptroller when registered for said district."

The County Judge put the motion for the vote of the members of the Commissioners of Titus County, Texas, with the request that as many of them as favored, the motion to vote Aye. Whereupon County Commissioners Stewart King Sims and Thomas voted Aye - None voted No. The County Judge declared the motion carried and the Order passed.

The foregoing minutes of the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas, read and approved this the 13<sup>th</sup> day of March 1916.

Sam Porter County Judge  
Titus County Texas.

Attest:

W. L. Kelley County Clerk  
Titus County Texas -

It is Ordered Adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas, that a special tax of Twenty-five Cents upon each One Hundred Dollars taxable valuation of property in Common School District No 20. of Titus County Texas to be levied

assessed and collected for the years 1916 and subsequent years for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund appropriated to said district.

Sheriff's Notice of election School District No 10,

In obedience to an order made by the County Judge of Titus County T.L.R., on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March 1916, ordering an election to be held in Common School District No 10 on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of April 1916, 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 5 cents on the One Hundred Dollars taxable valuation of property of said district per annum for the purpose of supplementing the State School fund apportioned to said district.

Given under my hand this March 22<sup>nd</sup>  
1916

J. A. Cooper

Sheriff Titus Co. T.L.R.

JR Moses, L. Williams, and Edward Morris are appointed to hold said election.

The order notice's were made and posted on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March 1916, In Titus County T.L.R. One posted on the school house of Common School District No 10 One on the store house of Jim Williams and one at cross roads near J.P. Moses residence.

J. A. Cooper  
Sheriff Titus County T.L.R.

State of Texas  
County of Titus

On this day Came on to be  
Considered the Petition of J. T. Anderson  
and 20 Other Property Tax Paying Voters  
Residing in Cameron School District No  
16 - of Titus County Texas Praying that an Election  
be held or ordered to be held in said District  
for the Purpose of Submitting to the Resident  
Property Tax Paying Voters of the said District  
the question of increasing the Special Tax of  
Said District to a Rate not to exceed 50¢  
on Each \$100<sup>00</sup> Valuation Taxable valuation  
of all Taxable Property in Said District  
for the Purpose of supplementing the State  
School Fund apportioned to said District.  
I find that the said Petition is signed by 21 -  
Resident Property Tax Paying Voters of the said  
district and that the Petition is in Proper  
form and should be granted.

It is therefore ordered that an  
Election be held at the School house  
in Said District on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of April  
1916 for the Purpose of Submitting to the Property  
Tax Paying Voters of the said District the question  
of the increase of the Special Tax of the said District  
to an Annual Rate not to exceed 50¢ on the  
or Each One hundred Dollars valuation of Taxable  
Property in Said District for the Purpose  
of supplementing the State School fund apportioned  
to said District.

It is further ordered that J. T. Anderson  
H. H. Harvey and John Jenkins are appointed  
to hold said Election and make Returns therefrom  
as Required by Law.

The Sheriff of Titus County Texas  
will give notice of said Election by posting an  
written notice on each of three Public Places  
in said District for 21 days Prior to the date  
of the Election Sam Porter County Judge  
Titus County Texas

# Election Notice School Dist No 16

All Persons will take notice that an election will be held on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of April 1916 at the School house in common School District No 16 of Titus County T. C. 100 for the purpose of substituting nothing to the property tax paying voters of common School dist No No 16 of Titus County T. C. 100 the question of the success or failure of the special Tax Common School district No 16 of Titus County T. C. 100 to an annual rate of not to exceed Fifty cents on each One hundred dollars taxable valuation of all taxable property in said district for the purpose of applying anything the State School fund appropriated to said district.

A. A. Cooper  
Sheriff Titus Co., T. C. 100

J. T. Anderson, H. W. Flory and J. R. Jenkins are appointed to hold said election and make returns as the law directs.

The above notice were made and posted by me on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of April AD 1916 in said common School district No 16 and affixed, posted on the school house door April 10, 1916. One on Cooper's Chapel Church House and one on Moody's Store.

A. A. Cooper  
Sheriff Titus Co., T. C. 100

March Term 1916. March 13<sup>th</sup>

Be it Remembered that on Monday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of March there was begun and helden a regular term of the Town commissioners Court of this County Till 100 Town San Porter Presidency. Presiding Commissioner being James J. A. Cooper Sheriff W. L. Kelly Clerk when the following proceedings took place To Wit:

In the matter of election & March 13<sup>th</sup> 1916  
Returns Com v. East No 100

<sup>Return examined</sup>  
Action Returns Com v. East No 100  
Returns cost of said election, ~~30~~ <sup>for the election</sup> 30 cts  
school and Tax and 40 votes against Board  
cost no tax, 30 votes cost for increase of spine  
tax to a vote of 100 less 50 cts and 40 votes  
against the increase of the Tax not to  
exceed 30 cts. Election resulted in  
favor of the increase of the Tax of  
Common School District No 1 Giles Co,  
Till 100 to a vote of 100 less 30 cts  
on the one hundred dollars Taxable  
property for the purpose of supplementing  
the state school fund appropriated by  
said District. There is now levied  
a special tax of 50¢ on each \$100.  
Vestition of Taxable property in  
Common School District No 1 Giles County  
Till 100 for the year 1916 and each year  
thereafter until January 25<sup>th</sup> of which  
is appropriated for interest and  
surplus fund for board of said  
District.

In the matter of compensation & March 13<sup>th</sup>  
to Charlotte Woodell, Commodity  
considered  
compensation for Mrs. Charlotte Woodell and  
after being considered by the court it is  
order that she be paid \$50 per mes from Feb 13<sup>th</sup> to

In the matter of foreclosing December 1  
 order on School Fund of Teller County \$7400 m<sup>r</sup>  
 School School bonds issued and being issued } March 14<sup>th</sup>  
 bonds by various School Districts of } 1916  
 Teller County \$7400 }

On this day  
 it is ordered by the Commissioners Court  
 of Teller County \$7400 unpaid demand  
 School districts of Teller County \$7400  
 owing the permanent School Fund of Teller  
 County \$7400 on account of bonds assumed  
 by said permanent fund are requested  
 to pay into said fund the amount of their  
 share, funds now due from and take  
 credit on their bonds for such amounts  
 It is further ordered that said permanent  
 fund be invested in the bonds of  
 various school districts of Teller County  
 \$7400 that are already issued and approved  
 by the attorney general and registered by  
 State Comptroller and those being issued  
 and not will be issued and approved  
 and registered. That the County Clerk of  
 Teller County \$7400 issue warrants against  
 said fund for said bonds and proportionate  
 portions to bonds being bought

In the matter of Report of { March 14 - 1916  
 Tax Collector Mrs Tom Price }  
 10<sup>th</sup>

On this day come  
 on to be considered monthly Report of Mrs  
 Tom Price, and after examination of  
 same it was found correct and approved