

Be it remembered that the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, met in a Special Session at the Court House of said County, in the City of Mt. Pleasant, Texas, on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of May, A. D. 1918, with the following members present to wit: J. W. Tabb, County Judge, Smart, Bryant, King and Cameron, County Commissioners of Commissioners Precinct numbers one, two, three and four of Titus County, Texas, respectively, and C. F. Mergent County Clerk.

Court was opened by proclamation of the Sheriff of Titus County Texas,

When came to be considered the petition of S. C. Broadstreet and 683 other property taxpaying voters of Titus County, Texas, praying that the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, provide for the establishment of a County Hospital for Titus County, Texas, and that an election be ordered held within and throughout Titus County, Texas, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified property tax paying voters thereof the question of the issuance of the Coupon Bonds of said County to the amount of \$60,000.00, bearing 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ % interest from date until paid, payable semi annually for the purpose of establishing such County Hospital, County Commissioner, Smart, offered the following order to the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas and made a motion that the same be passed by said Court, which motion was seconded by County Commissioner, Cameron. The order is as follows, to wit:

It appears to the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, that the petition of S. C. Broadstreet and 683 other resident property taxpaying voters of Titus County, Texas, praying that this Court establish a County Hospital for Titus County, Texas, and order an election to be held within said County for the purpose of submitting to the property taxpaying voters thereof the question of the

issuance of the Coupon Bonds of said County to the amount of \$60,000.00 bearing 5% interest from date until paid, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of establishing a County Hospital, has been filed with this Court.

It also appears to said Court that said petition is signed by more than ten per cent of the resident property tax-paying voters of Titus County, Texas, in proper form and that the same should be granted.

It is therefore, ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, that an election be held within and throughout Titus County, Texas, on the 6th day of July A.D. 1912, at the office of the District Courts office in the Court House in election precinct number one of Titus County, Texas, at Green Hill School House in Election Precinct number two of Titus County, Texas, at Marshall Springs School House in Election Precinct number three of Titus County, Texas, at Monticello School House in election precinct number four of said County, at Maple Springs School House in Election Precinct number five of said County, at Cookville School House, in the town of Cookville, in Election Precinct number six of said County, at Hickory Hill School House in Election Precinct number seven of said County, at County Treasurers office in Court House in election Precinct number eight of said County, at School House in Taloa in election Precinct number nine of said County, at Argo School House in election Precinct number ten of said County, at Lumber yard office in the town of Winfield in Election Precinct number eleven of said County, and at Lone Star School House in Election Precinct number twelve of Titus County, Texas, and at said election there shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of said County, the question of the issuance of the Coupon Bonds of Titus County, Texas, to the amount

of Sixty Thousand Dollars, to bear interest from date until paid at the rate of 5% per cent per annum payable semi-annually for the purpose of establishing a County Hospital for said County. Said Bonds to become due and payable in follows, to wit:

- \$10,000.00 due and payable 5 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 6 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 7 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 8 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 9 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 10 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 11 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 12 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 13 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 14 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 15 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 16 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 17 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 18 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 19 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 20 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 21 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 22 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 23 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 24 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 25 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 26 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 27 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 28 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 29 years after date.
- \$2,000.00 due and payable 30 years after date.

The regular election officers heretofore appointed for the general election precincts of said County will hold said election and make returns thereof as required by law.

The County Judge put the motion for a vote of the members of the Commissioners Court of Tarrant County, Texas, with the request that as many as favored the motion to vote "aye" and all those to vote "no" County Commissioners

Smart, Bryant and Cameron 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 27<sup>th</sup> day of May A. D. 1918.

attest: W. Mergent. J. W. Fable.  
Co. Clerk County Judge Titus County, Texas

Notice of Special Election to be held within and throughout Titus County, Texas, on the sixth day of July A. D. 1918.

Whereas, on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of May A. D. 1918, in obedience to the prayer of the petition of S. C. Brantley and 682 other qualified property tax paying voters of Titus County Texas the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas, as provided by law, by its order passed and entered in its minutes, ordered a special election to be held within and throughout Titus County Texas on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of July A. D. 1918, at the Clerk of the District Courts office in the Court House in election Precinct Number one of Titus County, Texas, at Green Hill School House in election Precinct No. two of Titus County Texas, at Marshall Springs School House in election Precinct no. three of Titus Co., Texas, at Monticello School House in election precinct number five of Titus County, Texas, at Cookville School House in precinct number six of Titus County Texas, at Hickory Hill School House in election Precinct number seven of Titus County Texas, at County Treasurer's office in the Court House in election Precinct number eight of Titus County, Texas, at Talco School House in election Precinct number nine of Titus County, Texas, at Argo School House in election precinct number ten of Titus County Texas, at Lumber yard office in Winfield Texas, in election Precinct number eleven of Titus County Texas, and at Lone Star School House

in Election Precinct number twelve of Titus County Texas, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified property tax-paying voters of Titus County, Texas, the question of the issuance of the Coupon Bonds of Titus County, Texas, to the amount of Sixty Thousand Dollars, to bear interest from date at the rate of five and one half per cent per annum until paid, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of establishing a County Hospital for Titus County Texas, and appointed the regular election officers of Titus County, Texas, to hold said election and make returns thereof as the law directs,

Now therefore, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by law and in obedience thereto, J. W. Galt, County Judge of Titus County Texas, order and give notice that said election, as ordered by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, and as above stated, be held at the time and places and upon the subject matter above stated and set forth.

Witness my hand this the 25th day of May A. D. 1918.

J. W. Galt  
County Judge, Titus Co. Tex.

In the matter of }  
 allowing Election }  
 Managers fees. } May 25<sup>th</sup> 1918

On this day it is ordered, by the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas that the Managers and Clerks who held the Road Bond Elections in Road District number five and six be allowed fees as required by law, to be paid out of the Gen. Co. Fund of Titus County.

In the matter of  
refund of Taxes

May 25, 1918

On this day it is ordered by the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas that ~~Dr. M. Keith~~ <sup>J. D. Taylor</sup> received the sum of \$15.00 as a refund of Taxes collected and paid into the County Treasury since same being County taxes collected from ~~Dr. M. Keith~~ <sup>W. H. Smith</sup> Clark. Said amount to be paid out of the Gen. Co. Fund of Titus County.

Hiram G. Brown  
Resigned as County  
Attorney

May 25th 1918

On this day came on to be considered by the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas the resignation of Hiram G. Brown as County Attorney of Titus County, and the Court after considering same is of the opinion that same should be accepted. It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas that the said resignation of Hiram G. Brown as County Attorney of Titus County be in all things accepted and that the said <sup>Hiram G. Brown</sup> County Attorney be relieved of any further liability as said Co. Atty.

Geo. M. Ralston  
appointed County Atty.

May 25th 1918

On this day came on to be considered by the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas the application of Geo. M. Ralston asking to be appointed County Attorney of Titus County, and the Court after considering same is of the opinion that the said Geo. M. Ralston should be appointed. It is therefore ordered, adjudged, and decreed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas that Geo. M. Ralston be in all things appointed County Attorney of Titus County to serve until his successor is qualified.

Geo. M. Ralston's

Bond approved

May 22<sup>nd</sup> 1918.

On this day came on to be considered by the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas the official Bond of Geo. M. Ralston, and the Court after examining same is of the opinion that said bond is a good and sufficient bond and should be in all things approved.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas, that the official bond of Geo. M. Ralston be in all things approved.

In the matter of  
accusing Bettie Brown  
money.

May 21, 1918.

On this day the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas allowed Bettie Brown the sum of \$3.00 per month in addition to the amount heretofore allowed her by said Court, making a total of \$15.00 per month to be allowed out of the General County fund of Titus Co. Texas.