

Be it remembered that on this the 9th day of September A.D. 1918 there was begun and holden a regular term of the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, with the following members present to wit: J.W. Tabb, County Judge, A.P. Smart, W.M. King, J.P. Cameron and C.P. Bryant, County Commissioners, C. Neugent County Clerk and W.D. Smith Sheriff. When the following proceedings were had to wit:

On the matter of transferring funds from Road Dist #4 to Road and Bridge fund of Titus Co. }
 } Sept. 9, 1918
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On this day it is ordered by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, that the sum of \$221⁴⁶ be transferred to the Road and Bridge fund of Titus County from the funds of Road District No. 4 of Titus County. It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas that Vouchers issue out of the funds of Road Dist. #4 to W.D. Smith County Road Dept.

Be it remembered that the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas, met in a regular session on the 9th day of September A.D. 1918, at the Court house of said County in the city of Mt. Pleasant Texas with the following members present to wit: -

J.W. Tabb, County Judge, Smart, Bryant King and Cameron, County Commissioners of Titus County Texas. Of Commissioners Precincts Numbers One, Two, Three and Four respectively, and C.P. Neugent County Clerk.

The Court took up for consideration, the matter of the returns of the elections held within Common School District Number Twenty six of Titus County Texas, on the 31st day of August A.D. 1918. Whereupon County Commissioner Cameron, offered the following order, to the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas and made a motion that the same be passed by the court, which motion was seconded by County Commissioner Smart. The order is as

followed to wit: -

"It appears to the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, that, as heretofore ordered by this Court, an election was held in Common School District Number Twenty Six of Titus County, Texas on the 31st day of August A.D. 1918, that returns of said election have been made to this Court, as directed by law, and that there were cast at said election 28 votes that were cast at said election "For the Bonds" 18 votes that there were cast at said election, "Against the Bonds" 10 votes, that there were cast at said election "For the Tax" 21 votes and that there were cast at said election "Against the Tax" 6 votes.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, that said election resulted in a majority of the votes cast thereat, being in favor of the issuance of the Coupon Bonds of said district and the levy of a tax against all taxable property within said district as submitted to the resident property taxpaying voters of said district at said election and that said election resulted in favor of a majority of the votes cast thereat, being cast in favor of the levy of the special tax, as submitted in said election to the resident property taxpaying voters of said district, for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said district, that said Court has power to issue said bonds and to levy said tax.

It is further ordered that said special tax to supplement the State School Fund, apportioned to said district of and at the rate of twenty-five cents upon each and every one hundred dollars valuation of taxable property within said district be levied for the year 1918 and each year thereafter until changed as required by law, which tax is ordered assessed and collected and appropriated to the purpose named."

The County Judge put said motion for a vote of the members of the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, with the request that as many as favored the motion would vote "Aye", and those opposed would vote "No". County Commissioners Smart Bryant King &

Cameron voted "Aye" Now voted "No" County Judge did not
 The motion carried and the order passed

The foregoing minutes of the Commissioners Court
 of Titus County Texas, read and approved this the 9th day
 of September A. D. 1918

J. W. Tubb, County Judge
 Titus County, Texas.

Attest: C. F. Neugent County Clerk
 Titus County Texas.

Be it remembered that the Commissioners Court
 of Titus County, Texas, met in a regular session, at the
 Court House of said County, in the city of Mt. Pleasant, Texas
 on the 9th day of September, A. D. 1918, with the following
 members present to-wit:

J. W. Tubb, County Judge, Smart Bryant King and
 Cameron, County Commissioners of Titus County, Texas
 of Commissioners Precincts Numbers One, Two, Three and
 Four respectively, & C. F. Neugent, County Clerk.

The Court took up for consideration, the matter of the
 issuance of the coupon bonds of Common School
 District Number Twenty Six of Titus County Texas.

County Commissioners Cameron offered the following
 order to the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas
 and made a motion that the same be passed by the
 Court, which motion, seconded by County Commissioner
 Smart. The order is as follows, to-wit: -

"It appears to the Commissioners Court of Titus County
 Texas, that an election, held within Common School
 District Number Twenty Six of Titus County Texas, on
 the thirty first day of August, A. D. 1918, a majority of the
 resident property taxpaying voters of said district, voting
 at said election, voted in favor of the issuance of
 the coupon bonds said district to the amount of
 \$3,000,000.00 bearing interest from date at the rate
 of 6% per annum until paid payable semiannually
 to become due and payable 20 years after date with
 the option reserved to the district to redeem and pay off
 said bonds at any time at one year from date, 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 principal and interest of such bonds as they shall mature, that the returns of such elections, have been canvassed and declared by this Court and that such bonds ought to be issued.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas, that the coupon bonds of Common School District Number 26 of Titus County Texas to be called "School House Bonds of Common School District Number 26 of Titus County Texas", be issued to the amount of Three Thousand Dollars for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building within said district and the purchase of a site therefor. Such bonds to be numbered from 1 to 30 both inclusive, in denomination of \$100⁰⁰ each, bearing interest from date at the rate of 5% per annum until paid, payable semi-annually, on April and October 10th each year. Which interest will be evidenced by interest coupons attached to such bonds, signed by the printed or lithographed signatures of the County Judge and County Clerk of Titus County Texas. Both principal and interest of such bonds shall be payable, at the office of the County Treasurer of Titus County Texas, or at the office of the State Treasurer of the State of Texas, at the option of the holder, and such bonds will be dated Oct. 10th 1919. The bonds will be substantially in the following form to wit:-

The United States of America
The State of Texas
County of Titus

No.

\$100⁰⁰

School House Bonds of Common School District
No 26 of Titus County Texas

Twenty years after date, for value received, Common School District No. 26 of Titus County Texas, promises to pay to bearer at the office of the County Treasurer of Titus County Texas, at Mt Pleasant, Texas, or at the office of the Treasurer of the State of Texas, at Austin Texas, the sum of One Hundred Dollars in lawful

money of the United States of America, together with interest thereon from date at the rate of 5% per annum until paid, payable semi-annually on April 10th and October 10th each year, which interest is evidenced by Interest Coupons hereto attached.

This is one of a series of bonds, numbered from 1 to 30, both inclusive, in denominations of \$100.00 each issued by Common School District Number 26 of Tarrant County, Texas, by virtue of the authority of the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, an election held within said district on the 31st day of August A. D. 1916, for the purpose whereat a majority of the resident property tax-paying voters thereof, voting at said election, voted in favor of the issuance of such bonds and the levy of a tax of a rate sufficient to pay the principal and interest thereof, as they shall mature, and an order of the Commissioners Court of Tarrant County, Texas passed and entered in its minutes, for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building within said district, and the purchase of a site therefor. The option to redeem and pay this bond, at any time after one year from date, is reserved to said district, and should it elect to exercise such option it will cause notice thereof to be given to the above named places of payment for 30 days prior to that date it will pay such bonds and interest thereon and pay the same and if the holder thereof does not advise the district in time, to place the funds necessary to pay said bond and interest thereon at which of said places payment is desired to be made then the bond will cease to bear interest from and after such date.

This is to certify that each and every condition precedent required by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, to happen and be performed prior to the issuance of such bond has happened and been performed in the time and manner required, and that no limitations of either will, has or has been exceeded in the issuance of this bond or any other of its series.

It is further certified that proper provision for the payment of this and such other bonds and the interest

thereon have been made by the levy of a tax against all of taxable property within said district of a rate sufficient to do so.

Witness our hands this the 10th day of October A.D. 1918, the date of this bond as fixed by the order of the Commissioners Court of Tarrant County Texas, providing for its issuance.

County Judge, Tarrant County, Texas.

County Clerk, Tarrant County, Texas.

Such bonds will be signed by the County Judge and County Clerk of Tarrant County Texas.

The forms of the interest coupons which will be attached to said bonds will be substantially as follows to-wit:-

No. _____

\$ 2.50

On the 10th day of April A.D. 19__

10th day of October A.D. 19__ for value received, Common School District Number Twenty-six of Tarrant County Texas, promise to pay to bearer, at the office of the County Treasurer of Tarrant County Texas in the City of Ft. Worth, Texas, or at the office of the Treasurer of the State of Texas at Austin, Texas, the sum of Two and 50/100 the said amount being six months interest on Common School District Number 26 of Tarrant County Texas School Bonds Bond, dated October 10th 1918 and numbered _____.

County Judge, Tarrant County Texas.

County Clerk, Tarrant County Texas.

For the purpose of paying the interest on such bonds as it accrues and to create a sinking fund with which to pay the principal thereof at maturity there is now levied for the year 1918 and each and every year thereafter, while said bonds or any part thereof are outstanding and unpaid, a tax of and at the rate of 25¢ upon each and every One Hundred

Dollars valuation of Taxable property within said district, which tax is ordered assessed and collected and appropriated to such purpose

Sh. F. Caldwell is authorized to present such bonds and certified records of the proceedings had concerning them to the Attorney General of Texas for certification as the law requires and to the Comptroller of public accounts of the State of Texas for registration as the law requires and to return such bonds when such purposes have been accomplished to this court.

The County Judge put the motion for a vote of the members of the Commissioners Court of Tilden County Texas, with the request that as many as favored the motion would vote "Aye" and all those opposed to the motion to vote "No" County Commissioners Smart Bryant, King 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 Tilden County, Texas read and approved this the 9th day of September A.D. 1918

J. W. Tabb, County Judge.
Tilden County, Texas.

Attest: C. F. Neeger, County Clerk
Tilden County, Texas.