

February Term 1919

Be it remembered that there was begun and holden a regular term of the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, with the following members present to wit; J. H. C. County Judge, A. P. Smart, Wm. King, T. B. Brown, and several Commissioners, C. M. Nugent, Clerk, H. C. Smith, Sheriff, when the following proceedings were had to wit;

W. O. Eubanks appointed } Feb. 10, 1919  
County Road Supt. }

On this day came on to be considered by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, the application of W. O. Eubanks asking to be appointed County Road Supt. of Titus. The Court after considering said application is of the opinion that he should be appointed.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, that W. O. Eubanks be appointed County Road Superintendent of Titus County, Texas for a term of one year or until his successor is appointed and qualifies, and he shall receive for his services the sum of \$85.00 per month to be paid out of the Road & Bridge fund of Titus County, Texas.

S. R. Crabtree appointed } Feb. 10th 1919,  
County Health officer }

On this day came on to be considered by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas the application of Dr. S. R. Crabtree asking to be appointed County Health Officer of Titus County, Texas.

It is ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas that Dr. S. R. Crabtree be appointed County Health Officer in and for Titus County, Texas for a term of one year.

Major Fulton } Feb. 10th 1919  
 Allowed support }

On this day the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas allowed Major Fulton the sum of Seven Dollars per month for his support to be paid monthly out of the General County fund of Titus Co. Texas

Janitor employed }

On this the 10th day of February 1919 came on to be considered by the Commissioners Court of Titus Co. Texas the application of Ben Conkren to be appointed Janitor for the Court House. It is ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners Court of Titus Co., Texas, that Ben Conkren be appointed Janitor at the Court House for one year and to be paid the sum of \$25<sup>00</sup> per month out of the Court House & Jail fund of Titus Co. Texas

Quarterly Reports of }  
 County Precinct Officers } Feb. 11th 1919  
 Approved }

On this day came on to be considered by the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas the quarterly reports of various County and Precinct officers to wit; W. W. Smith Sheriff Allen Reed County Atty. G. Mergent County Clerk, H. L. Man, Justice Clerk of the Dist. Court, Ed Cabanis, Jr., W. M. King, Jr., L. B. Roach, J. P., W. C. Gier, Jr., P. B. Brown, Jr., Louis Eber, Jr., D. C. Ladd Constable, O. M. Hopson Constable, R. T. Peague, Constable, Ben Chapman Const., and J. B. Bain Constable, H. H. Harrison County Treasurer.

The Commissioners Court of Titus Co. Texas after examining the reports of the above named officers find them to be correct. It is therefore ordered, adjudged, and decreed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas that the quarterly reports of the

above named officers be in all things approved.

On the Matter of Levying }  
a tax rate for the year }  
of 1919. }

On this the 11th day of Feb 1919 came on to be considered by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, the matter of levying a tax upon the real and personal property of Titus County, Texas, for the year 1919, and the Court after due consideration set the tax rate for the year 1919 as follows: General County fund 25¢ on the \$100.00 valuation of real and personal property; Court House and Jail fund 15¢ on the \$100.00 valuation of real and personal property; Road and Bridge fund 15¢ on the \$100.00 valuation of real and personal property, and Jury fund 15¢ on the \$100.00 valuation of real and personal property.

Election Managers }  
and Clerks appointed } Feb. 11th 1919  
for 1919. }

On this day the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, appointed the following persons to serve as election Managers and Clerks to hold all General and Special Elections in the various Voting Precincts of Titus County, Texas for the year 1919, to wit:

Precinct # 1. J. A. Davis, Manager, J. C. Wilkerson, Uenau Brown and Char. Coker, Clerks.

Precinct # 2. W. Branch Manager, Rush Gilpin, John Barnett & Ch. Cargile Clerks.

Precinct # 3. G. W. Mebane Manager, W. A. Weston, Chit Blackburn, and Robert McCallum Clerks.

Precinct # 4. M. A. Linn, Manager, W. B. Meadows, G. B. Lawrence and J. J. Bradford Clerks.

Precinct # 5. George McLiters Manager, Rob Brown and Char. Groff Clerks.

Precinct # 6. J. W. Conroy, Manager, Fred Witt, M. E. Haygood and Claude Smith Clerks.

Precinct # 7. L. H. Old, Manager, J. F. Coley, W. H. Glinn and Ernest Traylor Clerks.

Precinct # 8. W. M. Henderson, Manager, A. Clements, Joe Hays

Precinct # 9. A. V. McLeray, Manager, J. W. Kelley and A. J. Hays Clerks.

Precinct # 10. A. A. Cameron, Manager, J. E. Johnson, and O. P. Roney Clerks.

Precinct # 11. Walter Holmes, Manager, Joe Beck and Ed Bryant Clerks.

Precinct # 12. J. I. Kasley, Manager, Stewart Cole and Oscar Wright Clerks.

W. A. Eubank's } Feb. 11, 1919.  
Bond Approved. }

On this day the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, examined the Bond of W. A. Eubank as County Road Superintendent, and found said bond to be a good and sufficient bond and in all things approved.

Depository Selected }  
for 1919 }

On this the 10th day of Feb. 1919 came on to be considered by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, the matter of selecting a County Depository for the County funds. The Court after due consideration, and after examining all bids presented, finds that the First National Bank of Mt Pleasant, makes the highest bid for the County funds, same being 4 1/2% interest per annum on the average daily balances.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, that the First National Bank of Mt Pleasant, Texas, be selected for the Depository for the funds of Titus Co. Texas, for a

period of two years) and that said Bank is to pay said County 4 1/2% interest on the average daily balances.

McGable appointed } Feb 11th 1919  
 purchasing agent }

On this day it is ordered by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas that McGable <sup>and he is hereby</sup> be appointed purchasing agent for Titus Co. Texas, and that he shall receive for his services the sum of \$32.00 per year to be paid out of the ~~County~~ <sup>County</sup> ~~fund~~ and jail fund of Titus Co. Texas quarterly.

It is further ordered by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas that the said J. W. Fable have full authority and is hereby authorized to order the County Clerk of said County to issue warrants against the various funds of Titus Co. when said Commissioners Court is not in session or in vacation. Said warrants to be issued to pay pauper's accounts against said County, when in the opinion of the said County Judge it is not to the best interest of the County to hold said accounts and claims over until the regular terms of the Commissioners Court of Titus Co. Texas for payment.

In the Matter of }  
 Ex Officio Salary } 2

On this the 13th day of February 1919 came on to be considered by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, the matter of allowing County Officers Ex Officio. It is ordered by the Commissioners Court of Titus Co. that the following named officers be paid out of the General County Fund of Titus County the amounts hereinafter specified, said amounts to be paid quarterly except J. W. Fable, which is to be paid monthly, to wit: J. W. Fable, County Judge the sum of \$1050.00 per year.

W. W. Smith Sheriff the sum of \$550.<sup>00</sup>  
Uman Brown Clerk of the District Court  
the sum of \$550.<sup>00</sup> R. M. Merquist County  
Clerk the sum of \$400.<sup>00</sup> per year for  
his office services and the sum of \$200.<sup>00</sup>  
per year for keeping finance ledgers  
etc.

In the matter of }  
appointing }  
Road Overseers }

On this the 17th day of Feb. 1919 came  
on to be considered by the Commission-  
ers Court of Titus County, Texas the matter of  
appointing Road Overseers. It is ordered  
by the Commissioners Court of Titus  
County, Texas that W. W. Furber County Road  
Superintendent be authorized and shall have  
authority to <sup>appoint and</sup> issue commissions to Road  
overseers on all Public Road <sup>in and</sup> for Titus  
Texas

The above and foregoing minutes  
beginning on page 536 and ending  
on page 541 approved this the 18th day  
of February A. D. 1919

Wm. C. Merquist, Clerk

J. T. Cobb  
County Judge Titus Co. Texas

