

FEB 13th 1933.

IN THE MATTER OF AUDITING THE COUNTY'S BOOKS

By Order of the Commissioner's Court of Titus County, Texas. Being in regular session this the 13th day of Feb 1933, after considering all bids submitted to us for an audit of Two years a motion was made seconded and voted unanimously to award the contract to Moore Conner of the W.G.Hill Audit, Co., and have spread on the minutes of the Court, and upon completion of the work and acceptance we agree to pay them the sum of \$475.00 for their services. all members being present and voting in the affirmative the county judge declared the motion carried and the order passed.

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IN THE MATTER OF REFUNDING TAXES HERETOFORE PAID TO TITUS COUNTY BY L.H.OLD.

THE STATE OF TEXAS } IN THE MATTER OF REFUNDING TAXES HERETOFORE paid to Titus County by
 COUNTY OF TITUS.... } L.H.Old, which he was not due said County.

whereas, heretofore the said L.H.Old filed his petition with this Court, alleging that he paid to Titus County, the sum more than \$700.00 as taxes on land which he did not own, same alleged to be a part of the Cahagan Sur in Titus County, South East from Mt.Pleasant, and being 217 acres the said L.H.Old, having paid taxes as aforesaid for more than forty years, when he did not own this land he having rendered 992 acres in said Sur when he only

owned 775 in said Survey said taxes being paid and received by mutual mistake of fact, all parties believing that the said L.H.Old owned all the land he so rendered.

and it appearing on a hearing from the testimony that the allegations are true as to the ownership of said land and the payment of taxes as above set out; and that it should be refunded at least to the amount of taxes now due said county by the said L.H.Old which is the sum of \$556.20

It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, in regular session at the Court house in the town of Mt. Pleasant, that the said L.H.Old be credited with the sum of \$556.20 on taxes now due Titus County by him and the tax collector of Titus County, J.T. Leftwich is hereby authorized and directed to credit said L.H.Old with said amount on taxes due Titus County, by the said L.H.Old and that receipt be issued for said taxes as though same was paid now in money. It is the further order of this Court that the said L.H.Old has paid Titus County more than \$700.00 as taxes on said 217 acres of land which he did not own, and that Titus County is due the said L.H.Old the said sum of \$556.20 which is here now refunded as above set out.

Witness our hands in open Court in regular session at Mt. Pleasant in the Court house this the 18th day of Feb 1933.

County Judge presiding.

Commissioner Pro No 1 Titus Co.,

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THE STATE OF TEXAS }
COUNTY OF TITUS }

To the Honorable Commissioners Court of Titus County:

Now comes L.H.Old and shows to the Court that he is a resident of Titus County, Texas and has been for more than forty years, and during all this time he has been a tax payer in said County on real estate, as well as personal property, and that he has paid both state and County taxes on 992 acres of land supposed be in the Cahagan Survey, situated in Titus County, Texas, whereas, he has only owned 775 acres in said Sur thereby paying taxes on 217 acres of land more than he has actually owned in said Sur and that the taxes paid on said 217 Acres., during this time amounts to more than seven Hundred Dollars, in County taxes so paid to said County which taxes was not due said Titus County, and same was paid said county through mistake of said mistake being mutual all parties believing that your petitioner owned said 217 acres of land and was due to pay taxes on same whereas in fact and in truth he was not due to pay said taxes A statement of the amount of county taxes paid on said land is hereto attached and made a part hereof, for the inspection said Court.

wherefore, your petitioner prays that the Court hear proof as to the matters herein set forth, and that on said hearing this petitioner be allowed said amount of taxes so over paid as a refund and that he be credited on the taxes now due the County of Titus and amount sufficient to pay same which is five hundred Fifty Six 20/100 Dollars; and for such relief as to this Court may seem right and proper in the premises.

L.H.Old

Mt. Pleasant, Texas
Feb 18th 1933.

I, L.H.Old hereby acknowledge receipt of Five Hundred Fifty Six 20/100 Dollars paid me by allowing credit on County tax due Titus County by me in said amount; said payment being in full settlement of any and all amounts due me by Titus County on account of excess payment of taxes on land I did not own, the amount of land being paid on by me being 217 acres in the

James Gahagan Survey, in Titus County.

L.H.Old