

IN THE MATTER OF PURCHASING RIGHT-OF-WAY.

Be it remembered that the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, met in a called session at the Court House of said county in the City of Mt. Pleasant, Texas, on October 3rd, 1936, with the following members present to wit:

G. T. Neugent, County Judge and County Commissioners, G. C. Lunsford, T. J. Stringfellow, O. H. Wilson and R. L. Thomas, when County Commissioner, T. J. Stringfellow 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, G. C. Lunsford, The order is as follows to wit:

It is ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, that minute No. 12826 as passed by the Highway Commission of Texas, dated September 22nd, 1936, wherein the Highway Commission of Texas agreed to advance to Titus County the sum of \$3,000. to be applied on the purchase of right-of-way on Highway No. 1 as stated in the above mentioned minute, and we agree and bind Titus County to reimburse the State Highway Commission in three equal annual payments on or before April 1st, 1937, 1938 and 1939.

The County Judge put the motion for a vote of the members of said court with the request that as many as favored the motion to vote "Aye" and all those opposed to vote "No". County Commissioners, G. C. Lunsford, T. J. Stringfellow, R. L. Thomas and O. H. Wilson all voted "Aye" None voted "No". The County Judge declared the motion carried and the order passed.

THE STATE OF TEXAS )  
COUNTY OF TITUS )

WHEREAS, on the 15th day of April, 1936, the application of O. B. Hopwood and 51 other electors of the proposed City of Talco, County of Titus, State of Texas, residing within the boundary thereof, was duly signed and presented and filed with me, G. T. Neugent, County Judge of Titus County, Texas, praying that an election be ordered held in said proposed City of Talco within the boundaries described in said application by metes and bounds, for the purpose of determining whether said City of Talco, Texas, shall form an incorporation for municipal purposes to include the territory described in said application, and said City to be incorporated by the name of Talco, Texas, for municipal purposes under and by virtue of the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, as an City and Town, and under Title 28, Vernon Sayles' Civil Statutes of 1925; and

WHEREAS, on the 15th day of April, 1936, after hearing evidence and proof submitted, I, G. T. Neugent, called an election to be held on the 25th day of May, 1936, in the proposed City of Talco; and

WHEREAS, Article 1158 of Title 28, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, provides that at such election there shall be elected a Mayor and two Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, said election was so held on the 25th day of May, 1936, in accordance with said order and in accordance with the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, after due notice had been given as required by law; and

WHEREAS, on this the 28th day of May, 1936, returns of said election were duly made and filed with me and being duly opened and canvassed by me and said returns being so

canvassed, it was found and determined that there were cast at said elections:

FOR MAYOR

A. V. McElroy	42 votes:
Felix Jones	20 votes:
Dr. A. A. Smith	12 votes:
J. R. Lee	1 votes:

FOR COMMISSIONERS

Nolan Neugent	22 votes:
Otis Franklin	16 votes:
John Barton	41 votes:
M. Hazlewood	31 votes:
J. L. Leake	30 votes:
J. H. White	7 votes:

and the said returns of said election being shall respects in conformity with law it was adjudged, that a majority of the qualified voters of the said City of Talco voting at said election voted in favor of:

A. V. McElroy	For Mayor
John Barton	For Commissioner and
M. Hazlewood	For Commissioner

Now Therefore, I, C. T. Neugent, County Judge of Titus County, Texas, by virtue of the authority vested in me by law and in pursuance of Titus 28, Revised Statutes of Texas, hereby declare and make known to all persons that A. V. McElroy was elected Mayor of the City of Talco, by a majority of the qualified electors:

THAT John Barton and M. Hazlewood were elected Commissioners of said City of Talco by a majority vote of the electors;

THAT A. V. McElroy, Mayor, and John Barton and M. Hazlewood, Commissioners, after they have qualified, as required by law, shall be the duly qualified and acting Mayor and Commissioners of said City of Talco, Texas.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this the 28th day of May A. D. 1936.

SIGNED: C. T. Neugent  
County Judge, Titus  
County, Texas.

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Mt. Pleasant, Texas, November 3rd, 1936.

TO THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF TITUS COUNTY TEXAS,

I hereby tend to you my resignation as sheriff of Titus Co., effective Monday November the 9th, 1936. in tending my resignation I do so to take over a possession with the St. Louis & Southwestern Rail Road, which I held for fifteen years, I have tried to make you a good sheriff, altho handicapped to a great extent on account of the finance of the county, I realize that your body has done and shown me every favor possible, my work with you has been very pleasant, and I want thank each and every one of this court for the courtesy you have shown me,

I am not going to dictate to you who to appoint to fill out my term of office, but Mr. Ard. was elected by the people to serve you the next two years as sheriff, therefore I heartily recommend to you to appoint him to fill out my unexpired time,

Yours very truly,  
Q. C. Gaddie, Sheriff Titus County Texas.

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## IN THE MATTER OF APPOINTING GROVER ARD, SHERIFF, AND HIS DEPUTIES:

To The Honorable Commissioners Court of Titus County:

Now comes Grover Ard, and makes application to you for the position of sheriff of Titus County to fill out the unexpired term of Q. C. Geddie, who has resigned this place.

SIGNED: Grover Ard.

Mt. Pleasant, Texas,

November 9th, 1936.

To The Honorable Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas:

Now comes Grover Ard, sheriff of Titus County, Texas, and makes application to have Billy McElroy of Falco confirmed in his appointment as a deputy sheriff.

Mr. McElroy, is to receive \$100.00 per month provided and in the event that he earns this amount, if he earns in fees less than one hundred dollars per month then in that event he receives only so much as he makes; In the event that McElroy makes more than the \$100.00 per month or one hundred dollars per month he is to receive only one hundred dollars.

Probable receipts of office	\$4500.00
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G. C. Ard, Sheriff,  
Titus Co., Tex.

By W. D. Tittle, Deputy.

The State of Texas )

County of Titus )

To The Honorable Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas,

Now comes Grover Ard, sheriff of Titus County, and makes application to you for the confirmation of one V. D. Tittle as office deputy for the sheriff's office at a salary of \$75.00 per month; That the probable receipts of said office will be \$4500.00; That the expenses and disbursements will be about \$2600.00 annually.

G. R. Ard, Sheriff.

The State of Texas )

County of Titus )

To The Honorable Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas:

Now comes G. R. Ard, sheriff of Titus County and makes application for confirmation of one, Sam E Smith as let deputy Sheriff at a salary of one hundred and twenty five dollars per month. That the probable receipts of the sheriff's office will be \$4,500.00 annually; That the disbursements of said office will be about \$2600.00.

G. R. Ard, Sheriff.