

Be it remembered that on this the 27th day of August 1911
the County Commissioners Court met in regular session
Present and presiding Hon. J.R. Smith County Judge

L.A. Jordan Commissioner Precinct No. 1,

W.J. McDaniel " " " 2,

J.H. Holl " " " 3

M.B. Carter " " " 4.

H.G. Sally Sheriff and W.R. Hyden Clerk

Court being duly opened by proclamation of the
Sheriff the following proceedings among others
were had to wit:- way

Returns of an Election

Held at Ridge School House, community school district
No. 39, in Sabine County, Texas, on August 5th, 1911 for
the purpose of determining whether or not a special tax
of 25 cents on the \$100. valuation of all taxable property
in said district shall be levied and collected for
school purposes. Total number of votes polled 6.

There were cast "For School Tax" 6

" " " Against School Tax 0

On this day came on to be considered, the returns of an
election, held on the 5th day of August 1911, in Sabine
County, Texas. Upon the question for the purpose of voting
for and against a Maintenance Tax of 15 cents on the
\$100. valuation for Roads and Bridges. And it ap-
pearing that said election was in all respect legally
held and that returns were duly and legally made

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And there were cast at the various voting precincts of said County 658 votes of which number there were cast for the tax 240 votes and against the tax 418 votes.

On this day H.G. Sally sheriff of said County presented to the Court for allowance his account for the keeping and feeding of prisoners since the rendition of his last account, having been carefully examined by the Court is allowed for the sum of \$98.00 dollars the same being reasonable and in accordance with law. And the Clerk of this Court is ordered to issue to the said Sheriff H.G. Sally a draft from the treasurer of this County for the said amount of \$98.00 so allowed.

On this day W.Smith County Judge presented to the Court for allowance his account for trying and disposing of 14 criminal actions at the May Term of County Court, and said account, having been carefully examined by the Court, is allowed for the sum of \$42.00; the same being in accordance with law; and the Clerk of this Court is ordered to issue to said W.Smith, a draft from the treasurer of this County for the said amount of \$42.00 so allowed.

It appearing that Sabine County is the lawful owner of several and various lots and parcels of land within said County, and it further appearing that there exist a necessity that said lots and parcels of land should be located distinctly and certainly and surveyed, and plotted, and that correct field notes and descriptions of said lands be made it is hereby ordered by the Court that J.G. Barker be, and he is, hereby appointed and employed to locate and survey all of said lands so belonging to Sabine County and to make correct plots and field notes and descriptions of each lot or tract of same, and to report and file with this Court all of said plots, filed notes and descriptions in writing of said lands.

It is hereby further ordered that said J.G. Barker shall be allowed the sum of \$5.00 for each separate town lot, parcel or tract of land so surveyed, plotted and

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described by him under and by virtue of this order, said sum or sums to be payable upon the filing in this court of the said report of said work,

It is ordered by the Court that the charge in Milam and Carter's Ferry road, as asked for by M. H. Williams and others be granted.

It is ordered that Artie Easley be exempt from Road duty for one year from date of this order. This 14th day of Aug. A.D. 1911.

In the Matter of the Petition of J. H. Oliphint et al.
Petition for 1st Class Road.

On this 14th day of Aug. A.D. 1911, came on to be heard the Petition of J. H. Oliphint and 25 others freeholders of Precinct No. — for a new road beginning at Hemp hill and Godwin Ferry road where the same leaves the Sabinetown road. Hence down the Godwin Ferry road about 250 yds. Hence in a northeasterly direction on a ridge route as nearly straight as practicable to the S.W. corner of the J. H. Oliphint 80 acre tract on the J. S. Lacy lease of land and the S.E. corner of the N.A. Hogan 100 acre tract on said Lacy lease. Hence north with the boundary line between the two above mentioned tracts of land where said line crosses the Hemp hill and Sabinetown road as it now runs, or to the top of the hill north of the N.A. Hogan place and terminating at — and it appearing to the Court that notice of said petition has been given, as required by law.

It is therefore Ordered by the court, that A. B. Nation, A. D. Causey, Allen Nilon, W. R. Davidson, John Ragan fine freeholders of said County, be and are hereby appointed a jury of view, a majority of whom may, after taking the prescribed oath before a properly authorized person, proceed to assess damages, if any are claimed, and without the County Surveyor, to lay out, survey and describe such road to the greatest advantage to the public, so that the same can be traced with certainty, and the fixed notes of such survey and description of the road, together with a statement of the damages assessed, if any,

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shall be included in the report of the Jury, and if adopted shall be recorded in the Minutes of the Commissioners Court. And it is further ordered, that the said jury make a report in this cause at the next regular meeting of this court.

It is ordered by the Court that the change in Lenoard and Bronson road as asked for by petition signed by Mr. S. Parish, et al., be granted, which said change reads as follows. Beginning at N.W. corner of M. S. Parish field just East of Sneed old mill, on Palogach creek and run across said creek bottom to west bridge.

It is ordered by the Court that the Quarterly Reports of the following Justice of the Peace for Quarter ending August ad. 1911, be and is hereby appointed to wait:

James Barker Precinct No	1.
J. Beeslyman	3.
J. J. Loggins	2.
J. N. Draughon	4.
J. J. Simmons	6
J. C. Beeslyman	7.
J. S. Minton	8.

It is ordered by the Court that the Quarterly Report of T. R. Smith, County Judge, for Quarter ending August 1st ad. 1911 be approved.

It is ordered by the Court that the quarterly report of C. B. Haller Dist. Clerk for quarter ending Aug. 1st ad. 1911 be approved.

It is ordered by the Court that the application for pensions of R. H. Berry, Wm Browning, and W. F. Slover were duly presented to the Court by T. R. Smith County Judge, and after careful consideration of the same, it is hereby approved.

It is ordered by the Court that the Quarterly Report of H. Q. Sally, Sheriff for fines and judgments collected for quarter ending Aug. 1st ad.

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As, 1911 be approved

It is ordered by the court that the quarterly report
of T. G. Kelly 2nd collector, be approved.