

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF SABINE

On this the 21st. day of January, 1925, the Commissioners Court of Sabine County, Texas, convened in regular session, at the regular meeting place thereof in the Courthouse at Hemphill, Texas, all members of the Court, to-wit:

W. H. Davidson, County Judge.

C. W. Fuller, County Commissioner Precinct No. 1.

W. J. McDaniel, County Commissioner Precinct No. 2.

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J. T. Foley, County Commissioner Precinct No. 3;

R.C. Travis, County Commissioner Precinct No. 4,

being present, came on to be considered the application of Dr. J. H. Mattox, of Hemphill, Texas, as County Health Officer for Sabine County, Texas,

The court, upon investigation, finding that Dr. Mattox is a competent physician, legally qualified to practice medicine within the state, and being of reputable professional standing does hereby appoint the said J. H. Mattox County Health officer until January 1st A.D. 1927, and until his successor shall be appointed and qualified, unless sooner removed for cause.

The appointment was by a unanimous consent of the court.

OATH OF OFFICE.

I, J. H. Mattox, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent upon me as County health officer of Sabine County, Texas, according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and Laws of the United States and of this State; and I do further solemnly swear (or affirm) that since the adoption of the Constitution of this State, I, being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons within this State nor out of it; nor have I sent or accepted a challenge to fight a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending.

And I further more solemnly swear (or affirm) that I have not, directly or indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed or promised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, as a reward for the giving or withholding a vote at the election at which I was elected. So help me God.

J. H. Mattox, M.D.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 22nd. day of January, A D. 1925.

W. H. Davidson, County Judge
Sabine County, Texas.