
The Commissioners' Court met in regular session Monday and Tuesday, June 10th, and 11th, 1929, with all members being present, to-wit: R. H. Dent, County Judge, E. J. McTOWN, Comm. Precinct No. 1, J. A. Hyden, Comm. Precinct No. 2, J. D. Edgar, Comm. Precinct No. 3, and J. E. Minton, Comm. Precinct No. 4, Mrs. Berta Harper, Clerk County Court, and transacted the following business, to-wit:

Ordered by the Court that the following named persons be appointed road-overseers for the roads as follows:

J. A. Conn.
Jesse Alford.
A. G. Pratt.
Harvey Meshell.
George King.
Perkins Bennett.
Marion Isem

PRECINCT NO. 1.

J. O. Smith.
Adrian Alford.
W. E. Felts.
Dewey Tatom.
Will Tatom.
Earl Buckley.
Tommie Cammack. Print Bell.

R. A. Damerall.
Andrew Tucker.
Gardner Boyett.
William Willis.
Sam Davidson.
S. H. Hall.
Mack Crooker. Corbit Berryman

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PRECINCT NO. 2.

D. McElroy.
 Jim Stewart.
 Matthew Clerk.
 Francis Smith.
 Starling Conner.
 Henry Stewart
 David Chance.
 Sid Carter.
 J. C. Cowart.

Ross Youngblood.
 R. D. Easley.
 Eddie Smith.
 W. R. Smith.
 N. E. McDaniel.
 Lonnie Busby
 B. Miller.
 Hardy Croweal.

B. H. Smith.
 Bailey McFarland.
 Mabry Mitchell.
 Henry McNaughten.
 Tom Her.
 T. A. Ray.
 Ed McNaughten.
 Jim Low.

PRECINCT NO. 3.

C. H. Young.
 Mack Wright.
 Drayton Tatom.
 E. R. Fuller.
 Ernest King.
 Bud Smith.

Perry McGown.
 Imboden Boyd,
 Robert Horne.
 George Roberts.
 Curtis Craig.
 J. L. Monts

Henry Burkhalter.
 Ross McNaughten.
 Herman Fuller.
 Elvie Drawhorne.
 Gollie Gary.
 Lee Robins.

PRECINCT No. 4.

E. S. Anders.
 Harris Chambers.
 Crit Russell.
 D. B. Polley.
 Will Shue

W. L. Fussell.
 Don Gellately
 D. B. Smith.
 J. S. Cordray.
 Rush Payne

Arvid Webb.
 Willie Lewis.
 J. O. Minton.
 T. J. Bickley.
 Grady Stewart.

Ordered by the Court that the Accounts allowed, be approved, as per account ledger.

Be it ordered by the court that the road as it now exists between and from Elbert Iles' place to the east place of Maggie McGown's at a point of intersection, of the Lemphill, street extending north and south between John Ragains' place, being originally the Robt. Crowell place, and the said Maggie McGown, place. The same being the last house at this time on said street. This road aforesaid be and the same is hereby declared a public road of the 2nd class.

Be it ordered by the court that Nute Cunningham, on account of Physical disability; viz: One leg 4 inches shorter than the other, according to certificate of W. C. Arthur, M. D. as tatally exempted from road duty and from payment of poll tax.

Be it ordered by the Court that the First National Bank, County Depository, for Sabine County, Texas, be authorized to carry script against the Road & Bridge Fund to the amount of \$8200, and against the General County, Fund to the amount of \$7500. and that for the time said script is carried, there shall be allowed to said Bank, 5% interest, provided that the script above referred to shall be taken at par, the total amount aggregating \$15700.

Be it ordered by the court there is hereby levied for the year 1929, the following taxes:

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| Road & Bridge Fund | ----- | \$.15 |
| Jury | ----- | .10 |
| Gen. County. | ----- | .25 |
| Perminant Improvement | ----- | .25 |
| Co. Bond, | ----- | .35 |
| Total, | ----- | \$ 1.50 |
| Road District # 1, | ----- | \$ 1.00 |
| " " 2, | ----- | .75 |
| " " 3, | ----- | .50 |
| " " 4, | ----- | 1.25 |
| " " 5, | ----- | 2.25 |
| " " 6, | ----- | 1.75 |
| " " 7, | ----- | 2.00 |
| " " 8, | ----- | 1.00 |
| " " 9, | ----- | 1.00 |
| " " 10, | ----- | .75 |
| " " 12, | ----- | .75 |
| " " 13, | ----- | 1.00 |

That .06 $\frac{1}{2}$ % respectively of the .15% Road and Bridge Levy of 1929 be set aside by the County Treasurer to the credit of the Road and Bridge Funding Warrant funds, or as much thereof, as may be necessary to care for maturing warrants and accrued interest for the current year.

This means to the credit of Road and Bridge Funding Warrant Funds Class, No. 3, and 3 $\frac{1}{2}$.

That .06% and .05%, respectively, of the 25% General County Levy of 1929, be set aside to the credit of the General County Funding Warrant Fund, Class 4, by the County Treasurer, or as much thereof as may be necessary to care for maturing warrants and interest for the current year.

That there is hereby levied a County Occupation Tax for the year 1928, at one half (1/2) of the amount of Occupation Tax levied by the State of Texas, upon all of the occupations as named in Article No. 7047, Civil Statute 1925, and provided further and provisions of this law shall not be deemed to affect the provisions of any law specially authorizing the Commissioners' Court to levy a different rate of tax.

That .02 $\frac{1}{2}$ % of the .15% Road and Bridge Levy of 1928, be set aside to the credit of the Bridge repair bond fund by the County Treasurer, or as much thereof as is necessary to care for maturing warrants and accrued interest for the current year.

That .06 $\frac{1}{2}$ % of the 25% permanent Improvement Levy of 1929, be set aside to the credit of the Jail Improvement Warrant Fund by the County Treasurer, or as much thereof, as is necessary to care for maturing warrants, and accrued interest for the current year.

There is hereby levied for the year 1928, on all taxable property in Common School District Nos. 12, 19, 23, 24, 28 of this County on the first day of January of the current year the following taxes: An Advalorem Tax of and at the rate of .50% on the \$100.00 valuation in said Districts to supplement the State School Funds apportioned to said District for the support and maintenance of Public Schools.

That there is hereby levied for the year 1929, on all taxable property in Common School Districts Nos. 2, 5, 8, 9, 11, 14, 15, 16, 20, 25, 26, 27, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, & 27, of this County on the First day of the current year, the following taxes: An Advalorem tax of and at the rate of .75% on the \$100.00 valuation in said Districts to supplement the State School Funds apportioned to said Districts for the support and maintenance of Public Schools.

That there is hereby levied for the year 1928, on all taxable property in Common School Districts Nos. 3, 6, 29, 30 & 38, of this County, on the first day of January, of the current year, the following taxes: An advalorem tax of and at the rate of \$1.00, on the \$100.00 valuation in said districts to supplement the state School Funds apportioned to said Districts for the support and maintenance of Public Schools.

That there is hereby levied for the year 1929, on all taxable property in Common School Districts Nos. 14, 16, 17, 20 & 31, of this County on the first day of January, of the current year the following taxes:

(a) An advalorem tax of and at the rate of 40, 43, 45, 52 & 65 cents, respectively, on the \$100.00 valuation in said Districts for the support and maintenance of Public Schools.

(b) An advalorem tax of and at the rate of .30, .32 -----, & 10 cents, respectively, on the \$100.00 valuation in said Districts, to pay current interest on and providing for one years sinking fund for the bonds of said Districts.

It is further ordered by the Court that 133 acres of land belonging to C. A. Nethery, Jr. be included in Milam Hog Law territory, Also the eastern Portion of a tract belongin to Mrs. Nora Steiwig. In view of the fact that one part of said place is separated from the other only by a road leading through the tract. It is ordered by the Court that upon petition of Mrs. Steiwig to the court, the whole tract be likewise included in the stock law.

There being no further business, Court adjourned.

PETITION FOR CONSOLIDATION ELECTION: YELLOWPINE.

The State of Texas)
County of Sabine) TO THE HONORABLE COUNTY JUDGE OF SABINE COUNTY:

We, the undersigned residents, legally qualified voters, of Yellowpine, Common School District No. 11, in Sabine County, Texas, desire to consolidate the said Yellowpine the said Yellowpine Common School District No. 11, with the Pleasant Hill Dist. #8, the Yellowpine and Pleasant Hill School Districts, forming thereby the Yellowpine consolidated Common School District No. 1, in Sabine County, Texas; and we hereby make application to the County Judge of Sabine County, Texas, for an order for an election to be held in said Yellowpine Common School District No. 11 in Sabine County, to determine whether or not the above named school districts may be consolidated,

Dated this thir 13 day of April, 1929.

- W. C. Easley.
S. B. Jones.
B. McDonald.
C. P. Easley.
Dan. Easley.
E. H. Ener.
C. A. McDonald.
A. S. Berryman.
Mrs. A. A. Berryman.
A. W. Berryman.

PETITION FOR CONSOLIDATION ELECTION: PLEASANT HILL.

The State of Texas)
County of Sabine) TO THE HONORABLE COUNTY JUDGE OF SABINE COUNTY:

We, the undersigned residents, legally qualified voters of Pleasant Hill, Common School District No. 8, in Sabine County, Texas, desire to consolidate the said Pleasant Hill Common School District No. 8 with the Yellowpine # 11, the Pleasant Hill & Yellowpine School districts, forming thereby the Yellowpine Consolidated Common School District No. 1, in Sabine County, Texas, and we hereby make application to the County Judge of Sabine County, Texas, for an order for an election to be held in said Pleasant Hill Common School District No. 8, in Sabine County, to determine whether or not the above named School District may be consolidated.

Dated this the 13 day of May, 1929.

- E. E. Solly.
Mrs. E. E. Solly.
W. R. Smith.
Mrs. W. R. Smith.
Mrs. Smith.
G. C. Smith.
H. Lowe.
Mrs. H. Lowe.
R. H. Solly.
Mrs. R. H. Solly.
J. A. Huden.
Mrs. J. A. Huden.

COUNTY JUDGE'S ORDERS.

The State of Texas)
County of Sabine) Whereas, on the 13 day of April 1929, a petition was presented to me for an election in Common School District No. 11, of this County on the question of authorizing the said district to consolidate with the Pleasant Hill #8, and Yellowpine # 11, School Districts, thereby forming the Yellowpine Consolidated Common School District No. 1, of this County said petition, bearing the requisite number of signatures

of resident, qualified voters of said District and being in every respect in conformity with law;

Now, therefore, I, R. H. Dent, in my official capacity as County Judge of Sabine County Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 4 day of May, 1929, at School house in said Common School District No. 11, of this County to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the Pleasant Hill same and Yellowpine School Districts, ther by forming the Yellowpine Consolidated Common School District No. 1 of this County.

S. B. Jones, is hereby appointed presiding officer of said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the commissioners court of this County as is requested by law for holding a general election.

"For the Consolidation."

And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"against Consolidation".

Dated this the 13 day of April, 1929.

R. H. Dent, County Judge, of Sabine County, Texas.

COUNTY JUDGE'S ORDER.

The State of Texas }
County of Sabine } Whereas, on the 13 day of April, 1929, a petition was presented to me, for an election in Common School District No. 8, of this County, on the question of authorizing the said District to consolidate with the Yellowpine same and Pleasant Hill, School Districts, thereby forming the Yellowpine Consolidated common School district No. 1, of this County, said petition bearing the requisite number of signatures of resident, qualified voters of said district and being in every respect in conformity with law.

Now, therefore, I R. H. Dent, in my official capacity as County Judge, of Sabine County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 4 day of May, 1929, at School house in said Common School District No. 8, of this County, to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the Yellowpine same and Pleasant, Hill School Districts, thereby forming the Yellowpine Consolidated Common School District No. 1, of this County.

R. H. Solley, is hereby appointed presiding officer of said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners court of this County as is requested by law for holding a general election.

"For the Consolidation."

And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words.

"Against the Consolidation."

Dated this the 13 day of April, 1929.

R. H. Dent, County Judge,
Sabine County, Texas..

JUDGE'S AFFIDAVIT OF POSTING ELECTION NOTICE:

The State of Texas }
County of Sabine }

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared R. H. Dent, known to me to be the County Judge of Sabine County, Texas, and who, after being by me first duly sworn, upon his oath, says::

That the above and foregoing notice of election is a true, full and exact copy of the notice of election therein referred to which he as such County Judge, caused to be posted, a true copy of said notice in one public place in said district, to-wit: one at School house Yellowpine, on the 14 day of April, 1929, which was not less than twenty full days before the date of said election.

R. H. Dent, County Judge.

Sworn to and subscribed before me by R. H. Dent, on this the 15 day of April, 1929.

(L.S.)

Mrs. Berta Harper, County Clerk,
Sabine County, Texas.

JUDGE'S AFFIDAVIT OF POSTING ELECTION NOTICE:

The State of Texas }
County of Sabine }

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared R. H. Dent, known to me to be the County Judge, of Sabine County, Texas, and who, after being by me first duly sworn, upon his oath, said:

That the above and foregoing notice of election referred to which he as such County Judge caused to be posted, a true copy of said notice in one public place in said district, to-wit: One at School house Pleasant Hill, on the 14 day of April, 1929, which was not less than twenty full days before the date of said election.

R. H. Dent, Co. Judge.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, by R. H. Dent, on this the 15th day of April, 1929.

(L.S.)

Mrs. Berta Harper, Co. Clerk,
Sabine County, Texas.

ELECTION RETURNS:

The State of Texas }
County of Sabine }

TO THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY:

We, the undersigned officers, holding an election on the 14 day of May, 1929, in Common School District No. 11 of said County upon the question of consolidating the said district with the Pleasant Hill # 8, same and Yellowpine School District thereby forming the Yellowpine Consolidated Common School District No. 1, hereby certify that at said election there were cast 18 votes, of which number there were cast.

For the Consolidation 11 votes.

Against the Consolidation 1 votes.

Majority for the consolidation votes. 10.

That the polls for said election opened at 8 O'clock A.M. and closed at 6 O'clock P.M.

We herewith enclose poll list and tally sheet of said election signed this the 4 day of May, 1929.

S. B. Jones, Presiding officer.
E. H. Ener, Judge.
B. McDonald, Judge.
A. W. Berryman, Clerk.
Dan Basley.

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ELECTION RETURNS.

The Stat of Texas }
County of Sabine }

TO THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY:

We, the undersigned officers, holding an election on the 4 day of May, 1929, in Common School District No. 8, of said County upon the question of consolidating the said district with the following # 11, Same # 8, and following School Districts thereby forming the following consolidated Common School District No. 1, hereby certify that at said election there were cast 14 votes, of which number there were cast:

For the Consolidation 8 votes.

Against the Consolidation 6 votes.

Majority for the consolidation 2 votes.

That the polls for said election opened at 8 O'clock A.M. and closed at 6 O'clock P.M.

We herewith enclose Poll list and tally sheet of said election;

Signed this the 4 day of May, 1929.

R. H. Solly, Presiding officer.
G. C. Smith, Judge.
J. N. Haden, Judge.
E. E. Solly, Clerk.
B. H. Smith, Clerk.

ORDER DECLARING RESULT OF ELECTION:

On this day came on to be considered the returns of elections held on the 4 day of May 1929, in each of the following school districts of this County; following # 11, & Pleasant Hill # 8, upon the question of consolidating the said aforementioned contiguous school districts, thereby forming the following consolidated Common School District No. 1, and it appearing that said election were in all respects legally held, that said returns were duly and legally made, and that the said returns show that a majority of the votes cast in each of said elections favored the consolidation; that Court does hereby declare the proposition for the consolidation of the said districts adopted and the following Consolidated Common school District No. 1, duly and legally created as of this date, said consolidated district being described by metes and bounds as follows, to-wit: (See Record of School Districts Pages, 10 and 13).

Dated this the 11 day of May, 1929.

Approved: J. D. Edgar, County Judge Pro-Tem.