

The Commissioners' court in and for Sabine County, met in Special Session, August 7th, 1933, with the following members present to-wit: Edw. Harper, County Judge, H. E. White, Commr. Prec. No. 1, E. C. Smith, Commr. Prec. No. 2, P. H. McGown, Commr. Prec. No. 3, R. W. Chapman, Commr. Prec. No. 4, Geo. W. Russell, Sheriff, and Zeda Davidson, Clerk, and transacted the following business, after court was opened by the sheriff.

On this day there came on for the consideration of the court, a petition, that was presented to the court, signed by J. H. Lner and Two Hundred, (231) Thirty-one others residing within said County of Sabine, and State of Texas, and all of whom are qualified voters within said Sabine County, Texas, praying that the court order an election to be held in Sabine County, Texas to determine whether or not the sale of beer containing not more than three and two-tenths 3.2% percentum of alcohol by weight shall be permitted or prohibited in said Sabine County. It appearing to the court that the petition was presented, was in all things regular and that

qualified voters of said County and State, numbering more than five hundred (500), (or at least 10% of the qualified voters of said County), had signed said petition, the court, therefore, on motion of H. E. White, second by R. W. Chapman, vote unanimous, grants said petition and orders the same filed and hereby orders that an election be held in all the regular voting places within the said Sabine County, Texas, on Saturday, August 26th, A.D. 1933, to determine whether or not the sale of beer containing not more than three and two-tenths (3.2) percentum of Alcohol by weight shall be permitted or prohibited within the limits of said county and State.

It is further ordered by the court that the clerk of this court post or cause to be posted at least one (1) copy of this order in each election precinct within said County for at least six (6) days prior to said August 26, 1933, and it is further ordered that this election shall be held by the Election officers selected and to be selected by the proper authorities as provided by law to hold the general election in State of Texas, and the respective counties and voting precincts therein on said August 26th, 1933.

At said election those favoring the sale of beer within the limits of Sabine County, Texas, shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "For the sale of beer containing not more than three and two-tenths (3.2%) percentum of alcohol by weight, and those who oppose it shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "against the sale of beer containing not more than three and two-tenths (3.2%) percentum of alcohol by weight."

The officers holding said election shall conform to existing laws regulating general election as near as possible and after the polls are closed they shall proceed to count the votes and within three (3) days thereafter make due report of said election to this court.

On motion duly had and carried, it is ordered by the court that Script # 196, in the amount of \$1.00, issued to T.B. McNaughten, for holding Schhol election, be cancelled, and scrip in lieu thereof be issued in the same amount and on the same fund, for the same purpose. Said scrip reported to have been lost.

On motion duly had and carried, it is ordered by the court that the Monthly and quarterly reports of Geo. W. Russell, and W.M. Moneycutt, be and the same are hereby in all things approved.

On motion by H. E. White, second by R. W. Chapman, vote unanimous, it is ordered by the court that the County Judge advertise for bids for the construction of a Flat Boat at Pendleton Ferry. Said bids to be heard and considered on the 28th day of August, 1933.

On motion by H. E. White, second by F.H. McGown, vote unanimous, it is ordered by the court that the Tax Collector, Ross Jenner, be, and he is hereby authorized to reduce the value on 21½ acres of land on the Wm. Isaacs league which was unrendered for the year 1932, and belonging to C. A. Fuller, from the present amount to \$5.00 per acre.

Accounts were allowed as shown by Minutes of Accounts allowed.

There being no further business, court is adjourned.

Attest: Jules Davidson
County Clerk.

W. C. Hargis
County Judge.

H. E. White
Commr. Elect. No. 1.

E. C. Smith
Commr. Elect. No. 2.

F. H. McGown
Commr. Elect. No. 3.

R. W. Chapman
Commr. Elect. No. 4.