

The Commissioners' Court in and for Sabine County met in Special Session October 12th, 1934, 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, R. W. Chapman, Commr. Prec. No. 4, and Geo. W. Russell, sheriff, and Zeda Davidson Clerk, and transacted business as follows:

Accounts were allowed and approved as is shown by accounts allowed ledger.

On this day came on for the consideration of the court, a petition, that was presented to the court, signed by J. Russell Brown and five Hundred (538) thirty eight others, residing within Sabine County, 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. And it appearing to the court that the petition, 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 and seconded by R. W. Chapman, voted unanimous, granted said petition and ordered the same filed and hereby orders that an election be held in all the regular voting places within the said Sabine County, Texas, on Tuesday, November 6, 1934, 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 the 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 twelve (12) days prior to said November 6, 1934, 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 November 6, 1934.

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 alcohol by weight," and those who oppose it shall have written or printed on their Ballots and words "against the sale of beer containing not more than three and two (3.2%) percentum of alcohol by weight".

The officers holding said election shall conform to existing laws regulating General Elections as possible and after the polls are closed they shall proceed to count the votes and within three days thereafter make due reports of said election, to this court.

There being no further business, court is adjourned.

Attest: Zeda Davidson  
County Clerk.

Edw. Harper  
County Judge.

H. E. White  
Commr. Prec. No. 1.

E. C. Smith  
Commr. Prec. No. 2.

J. H. Mc Gowan  
Commr. Prec. No. 3.

R. W. Chapman  
Commr. Prec. No. 4.