

The Honorable Commissioners' Court met at the Regular Meeting place on Monday, Nov. 14, 1949 with the following members present to-wit: O.A. Beauchamp, County Judge, G.B. Conn, Comm. Prec. #1, E.C. Smith, Comm. Prec. #2, J.R. Thomas, Comm. Prec. #3, H.J. Vickers, Comm. Prec. #4 and Floyd Smith, County Clerk.

On motion of G.B. Conn and seconded by H.J. Vickers it was unanimously ordered that B. Walters be hired as Deputy Sheriff at a salary of \$150.00 per month for the rest of the year beginning 11-14-49.

It was unanimously ordered that all the bills pertaining to the refunding and State assumption of the road district bonds be paid.

The returns of the election of Constitutional Amendments and the State Board of Education were canvassed and the following results were found:

1. The Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for Civil Service on counties upon a vote of the people therein. 105 for---279 against.
2. The Constitutional Amendment relating to the Legislature and to compensation of its members. 72 for---295 against.
3. The Amendment of the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts. 129 for ---243 against.
4. The amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provisions in said Constitution making the payment of pool tax a requirement for voting and providing for a general registration law. 115 for---267 against.
5. The Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to pass laws for the creation and operation of city-county health units and to authorize cities and counties to vote a tax in support thereof. 111 for---260 against.
6. The Constitutional Amendment authorizing a statewide system for retirement and disability pensions for appointive county officials and employees. 81 for---288 against.
7. The Constitutional Amendment providing that the District Court shall conduct its proceedings at the county seat of the county in which the case is pending, except as otherwise provided by law. 142 for---225 against.
8. The Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for the creation and establishment of rural fire prevention districts. 127 for--- 256 against.
9. The Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that the Legislature may provide for trials without a jury in lincacy cases. 104 for---266 against.
10. The amendment to the State Constitution qualifying women as grand and petit jurors. 70 for---300 against.

FOR STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION FROM 2nd CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

W.W. Bennett 121

A.D. Moore 159

W.B. Hargis 1

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF SABINE # I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a correct return of the vote of this County cast for and against the ten proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of Texas, and for and against the candidates for the State Board of Education at an election held on the eighth day of November A.D, 1949.

Witness my hand at Hemphill, Texas this the 14 day of November A.D. 1949.

O.A. Beauchamp, County Judge
Sabine County, Texas.

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Accounts were allowed as are shown by the "minutes of the Accounts", there being no other business, Court adjourned.

G.A. Beauchamp, County Judge _____

G.B. Conn. Comm. Prect. #1, _____

E.C. Smith, Comm. Prect. #2 E.C. Smith

J.R. Thomas. Comm. Prect #3 _____

H.J. Vickers, Comm. Prect. #4 _____

Attest: Floyd Smith - - -
Floyd Smith, County Clerk,