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Commissioners' Court.

Proceedings of February term, A. D. 1907, of County Commissioners' Court of Colorado county Texas, furnished by Chas. J. G. Leeseemann, county clerk.

Court convened February 11, 1907, and adjourned February 16, 1907, during which time the following orders were made and entered, to-wit:

J. P. Anderson, Henry Burttschell, Frank Causey, Z. M. Han and Frank Stephens were appointed a jury of view on the petition of W. E. Welford, et al., for a new second class road from road precinct No. 142 to No. 14.

Joe Miles, Alois Poklipda, Frank Foityn, John Matthews and Joe Beyer were appointed a jury of view on the petition of Joe B. Miles, et al., for a new second class road from Weimar, Orange and Columbus road to Columbus and Oakland road.

The court selected the Eagle Lake Bank as county depository for the next two years.

Report of jury of view appointed upon the petition of Hermann Brune, et al., for a change of public road, adopted. The jury recommending that said road be not changed.

The county commissioners as ex-officio road supervisors filed their annual reports which were approved by the court.

The court appointed officers for school trustee election to be held through out the county.

The court appointed road overseers for 1907, for the various precincts in the county.

The court approved the annual report of J. E. Brigham, superintendent of county farm.

Two of the sureties on the bond of F. L. Sevier, constable precinct No. 2, having filed their application to be relieved from said bond, and said officer failing to file a new bond within the time required by law, the office was by the court declared vacant.

The court considered the applications of F. L. Sevier and W. S. Griffiths for appointment as constable of precinct No. 2, and after due consideration W. S. Griffiths was appointed.

W. S. Griffiths, the duly appointed constable of precinct No. 2, presented his bond as such with H. J. Strunk and Thos. F. Boulden as sureties and same was approved by the court.

The court examined and approved the quarterly reports of the following officers: C. A. Williamson, county physician; Jos. Burttschell, county treasurer; W. H. Fehrenkamp, tax collector; W. S. Miller, district clerk; A. A. Gregory, J. P., precinct No. 1; D. Georg, J. P., precinct No. 2; W. A. Van Alstyne, J. P., precinct No. 4; John Hastedt, J. P., precinct No. 5; F. G. Kollman, constable precinct No. 5; E. L. Theuman, J. P., precinct No. 6; J. Everett, J. P., precinct No. 7 and J. K. Davidson, J. P., precinct No. 8.

The court examined and approved the following butcher reports: F. Auerbach, Jr., A. G. Miller, Columbus; Dorthold & Richter, Glidden; L. P. Bunge, Altair; W. H. Able, R. A. Able, Garwood; W. T. Foote, Rock Island; E. B. Mayes, Oakland; Henry Heller, Jr., Jos. Moser, Joe

Babel, H. W. Warnken, Weimar; Fred Kollman, Frelsburg; Wenzel Glueck, Willow School House; L. T. Everett, Alleyton; Eagle Lake Butcher Co., and D. A. & S. H. Paschall, Eagle Lake.

The court ordered the appointment of two road gang superintendents at a salary of \$40 per month.

The Eagle Lake State Bank as county depository filed its bond in the sum of \$80,000, with J. R. Westmoreland, Wm. Green, Philip Welhausen, G. C. Duncan and Geo. Northington as sureties and same was approved by the court.

The court examined and granted the applications for pension of J. M. Wadsworth and J. A. Murdock.

The court examined and approved the report of Chas. J. G. Leeseemann, county clerk, of the condition of the finance ledger.

The court visited the county farm and jail and found both institutions well kept and in good sanitary condition.

The State of Texas, Colorado County. In Commissioners' Court, February term, 1907.

Before me, Chas. J. G. Leeseemann, clerk of the county court in and for said county, personally appeared the members of the commissioners' court, whose names are below subscribed, who upon their oaths do say: That the requirements of Art. 867, Chapter 1, Title XXV, of the revised statutes of the state of Texas, as amended by the regular session of the 25th legislature, have in all things been fully complied with, and that the cash and other assets, mentioned in the quarterly report made to and filed in this court by Jos. Burttschell, county treasurer of said county, for the quarter ending the 11th day of February, 1907, and held by him for said county, have been fully inspected and counted by them at this term of said court, and that the amount of money and other assets in the hands of said treasurer, are as follows, to-wit: Total amount of cash in various funds belonging to the county, twenty-two thousand six hundred eighty-six and 46-100 dollars (\$22,686.46); total amount of assets other than actual cash to the credit of the county in county depository, fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000).

J. J. MANSFIELD, County Judge Colorado Co. THOS. F. BOULDEN, Commissioner Colorado Co. W. W. WILLIAMS, Commissioner Colorado Co. JOHN HASTEDT, Commissioner Colorado Co. T. J. ROBERTS, Commissioner Colorado Co.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of February 1907.

CHAS. J. G. LEESEEMANN, County Clerk Colorado Co. (L. S.)

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

Louis Grabow, Jr., bridge repairs \$ 2.00
J. J. Everett and constable, holding inquest 7.50
C. F. Laas nails & bolts 1.90
E. C. Sronce mdse 4.00
W. A. Van Alstyne and constable holding inquest 15.00
John Hencke, repairing culvert 1.00
S. J. Nussbaum, mdse 10.70
F. S. Jalowy bl'cksmith'g 13.90

I. G. Wirtz, blocks, brick ment, repairs, ac. 72.50
J. Lamburger & son mdse 147.90
G. A. Franz 1 qt. whiskey 1.00
J. F. Leyendecker shrab 33.50
C. A. Dittman lumber & nails 23.05
John C. Hubbard lumber & nails 39.70
Walker, Shortt & Eck lumber & nails 120.85
Byars & Green mdse & feed 241.60
Geo. Gegenworth mdse & feed 797.78
J. O. Tanner water rent 60.00
Labe Ramsey repairs at court house 5.30
Geo. D. Barnard & Co bl'ck books & stationery 61.10
Maverick-Clark-Litho Co bl'ck books ac. 76.51
Clarke & Courts blank books & stationery 27.64
Dorsay Print'g Co blank books & stationery 24.00
Officers of court & jurors fees, lunacy trial 20.70
Chas. J. G. Leeseemann recording death & birth reports, keeping finance ledger and executing collector's report 67.68
J. J. Armstrong, sr., blacksmithing 8.90
Colorado Citizen, stationery & printing 26.00
J. O. Tanner repairing telephone line 2.00
Otto Voskamp building bridge 41.50
D. Schroeder repairing bridge 2.50
J. F. Shimek 1 scraper 5.50
Wm. A. Liermann blacksmithing 5.35
A. G. Miller beef bill 1.80
W. H. Fehrenkamp issuing poll tax receipts 50.00
McClanahan Lumber Co lumber & nails 50.90
Sam K. Seymour lumber & nails 105.26
C. A. Williamson salary county physician 56.25
R. A. Hastings bl'cksm'g 1.80
Steiner Bros. mdse 26.85
W. H. Schultz saddlery 14.50
Chas. Ramsey mdse 13.16
E. R. Willenberg med &c 80
Chas. Frazier work on bridge 2.50
J. E. Brigham 3 mos sal'y supt. Co farm 90.00
Emil Bock 2 mos salary ferryman 60.00
R. C. Coleman 22 days sal'y court house gardener 18.33
H. Klaus balance salary cook Co farm 3.00
H. Klaus 3 mos salary cook Co farm 45.00
Jim Williams 3 mos salary porter 75.00
Oscar Sanders salary guard Co farm 49.15
Mrs. Boehme fence posts 7.50
Jeff Tanner work Co farm 10.00
Byars & Green corn 389.80
H. J. Laas advance on 1907 assessment of taxes 500.00
S. Kinkler lumber 24.55
C. Arndt plow 4.00
C. A. Dittman lum & nails 3.65
Wm. Kotzebue repairing bridge 10.00
John Schultz et al building bridge 13.00
John A. Carter repair on north bridge 4.50
A. A. Gregory holding inquests 10.00
J. E. Hester services at inquests 5.00
J. Shaw pipe work at court house 2.50
Columbus Light Colights & globes 15.70
O. A. Zumwalt mdse 6.15
S. J. Nussbaum pr. boots 2.75
O. W. Prewitt repairing bridges & culverts 6.75
Chas. Houchins 1 mo salary as ferryman 30.00
L. D. Prewitt lum & nails 38.02
C. W. Meyer lum & nails 6.13
John Iselt et al building bridge 15.00
F. X. Wendell repairing bridge 1.50
M. E. Delany stationery 14.40
Mrs. J. E. Brigham sewing

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PUBLIC SALE!

of personal property of the

DUNOVANT ESTATE

Notice is hereby given that the administrators of the Dunovant Estate will sell all of the Personal Property of said estate at Public Auction at the Southwest corner of the public square in Eagle Lake, Texas, on Saturday, 9th day of March, 1907. Said sale will begin at 10 o'clock A. M. and will continue until the property is all sold. The property offered for sale consists of:

One Traction Engine, One Rice Thresher, Cane Cultivators, Cane Shavers, Cane Stubble Diggers, Rice Harvesters, Plows, Trace Chains, Collars, Hames, Three Safes, Letter Press, Two Wagons, Two Horses, Farming implements, harness and tools of every description.

for paupers &c 6.30
J. G. & L. M. Wirtz repairs at court house 55.75
John Montgomery 4 days work at O. H. yard 17.60
Jos. Burttschell advance labor at Co farm 16.85
Jos. Burttschell ex. acct. 223.90
W. E. Bridge tobacco furnished lunatics 2.60
W. E. Bridge waiting on courts 38.00
A. Waldvogel mdse 10.90
W. E. Bridge feeding prisoners 272.10
J. B. Thatcher hauling 7.00
E. B. Mayes services at inquests 2.50
Glenn A. Harbert lumber 283.02
J. J. Mansfield disposing of criminal cases 18.00
J. J. Mansfield message to Attorney General 2.40
Stein & Haller mdse 12.34
Thos. F. Boulden, W. W. Williams, John Hastedt and T. J. Roberts were allowed \$62.50 each for services as road supervisors.
J. J. Mansfield, Thos. F. Boul-

What He Would Tell.
At a dinner party the little son of the host and hostess was allowed to come down to dessert. Having had what his mother considered a sufficiency of fruit, he was told he must not have any more when, to the surprise of every one of the guests, he exclaimed:
"If you don't give me some more I'll tell!"
A fresh supply was given him, and as soon as it was finished he repeated his threat. Whereupon he was suddenly and swiftly removed from the room, but he had just time to convulse the company by exclaiming:
"My new trousers are made out of ma's old bedroom curtains."