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County Court Proceedings

Court met in regular session Monday, November 9. Present: Jacob A. Taylor, presiding judge; F. G. Lambert and W. D. Limbaugh, associate judges; S. P. Presnell, sheriff and William Apernathy, clerk.

Assessed valuation of S. L. Yount's personal property reduced from $200 to $100, and the collector ordered to adjust his book accordingly.

L. S. Proffer exempted from road poll tax for three years.

Valuation of W. R. Seabaugh's 25-100 acres, part w½ of se¼, 26-33-10; part lot 10, block 3, range B, Sedgewickville, reduced from $325 to $175, and collector ordered to adjust his books accordingly.

Road petitioned for by Alice Marshall et al ordered opened and established.

August Strahlman exempted from road work for life.

George H. Mayfield exempted from road tax for life.

The following justices of the peace were commissioned by the court:

Whitewater twp—George F. Crites and Peter J. Shrum.

Union—R. E. Webb and J. J. Dollar.

Crooked Creek—W. J. Myers and O. A. Dalton.

German—Moses Jones.

Lorance—J. L. Robinson and Thomas Huskey.

Fillmore—Henry B. Hawn and D. F. Bollinger.

Liberty—John G. Fisher and Charles A. Lommer.

Wayne—John W. Long and George Glassner.

Bond of Wm. Skelton, constable for Liberty township, approved.

Road petitioned for by E. H. Bess et al ordered surveyed and report made on same.

Ordered that constables be allowed $1.50 each for services at polling places in general election.

Ordered that $3 room rent be allowed in general election.

Annual settlement of Eli J. Seabaugh, clerk of special road district No. 1, approved.

J. H. Henson's valuation for 1914 reduced from $800 to $520.

M. F. Moore exempted from road tax for three years.

W. N. Henson ordered relieved of personal taxation for 1914.

Constable bond of John W. Vangilder, Lorance township, approved.

Ordered by the court that the judges and clerks of general election, 1914, be allowed the sum of $3 each.

Ordered that $300 be stricken from the personal assessment of J. C. Cobble and the collector have credit for same.

Requisition on state auditor for salary of superintendent of schools ordered.

Requisition on state auditor ordered for farm insurance tax.

Quarterly abstract of fees of William Abernathy, county clerk, approved.

Quarterly abstract of fees of Jesse A. McGlothlin, circuit clerk, approved.

W. L. Dunn's account of merchants' license sold approved.

Notice ordered served on railroad company to change and repair wagon crossing near William Slagle's.

Fred Ledbetter loaned $164 out of school fund.

Road petitioned for by George F. Ende ordered established and old road vacated.

In case of state vs. Doc Clayton fee bill of Thomas Huskey, J. P., for $2.55; George E. Morgan, constable, $5.94, and Homer P. Williams, prosecuting attorney $5, ordered certified to treasurer for payment.

B. H. Ramsey, Wm. Slinkard and Herman Rastl appointed commissioners to view road petitioned for by Frank Ledbetter, assess all damages and report to next term of court.

H. L. Berry ordered to pay the interest on his school fund bond and give a new bond in place of the old one at the regular February term of this court.

Ordered by the court on the petition of S. A. Martin, Marion P. Day et al that a special election be held on Monday, November 30, 1914, at the precincts of Lutesville, Marble Hill and Huxie for the purpose of voting on the proposition to extend the boundary lines of No. 2, special road district and the following judges of said election named: Marble Hill, A. Mitchell, M. F. Kinder and J. M. Zimmerman; Lutesville, Eli Lutes, S. M. McLean and J. P. Dunn; Huxie, Charles A. Lommer, Jonas Eaker and E. Liley. It is further ordered by the court that notice of said election be given as required by law.

On the petition of J. A. Berry, R. C. Alexander et al a special election is ordered held at Glen Allen November 30, 1914, for the purpose of adopting the provisions of article 6, chapter 102, Revised Statutes, and that T. D. McGregor, J. Q. Stevens and J. M. Deck are appointed judges of said election, due notice, as required by law, to be given.

Personal assessment of Nettie I. Barks, curator of estate of Wm. R. Sample, ordered reduced from $1102 to $775 and the collector credit the difference.

V. S. Fox, William Hinkle and Tom Perkins appointed commissioners to assess damages on road petitioned for by Ed Rhodes et al and report to next regular term.

Ordered that $400 of the county depository fund be applied on bridge over county line at Laflin.

Ordered that $350 be applied on the Marble Hill and Perryville road out of special road and bridge fund.

Ordered that $200 be applied to grading of road from James Shrum's to Joshua Starkey's, on Patton road.

ALLOWANCES:

James Upchurch $24 for care of self. Sol Shaaks $20 for care of self. Sherman Eaker $15 for care of self and family. F. M. Wells $12, money advanced Thomas Harrison. C. A. Walker, $67.60 for cement furnished road district 1. J. T. Henderson $91.50, salary and repairs. W. M. Welker $250, salary and incidentals for office. Homer F. Williams $158 salary and office expenses. Nathan Kinder, $7.50 for care of Judy Malong. Charles Bazzell, $15 for care of self and family. Sarah E. Provens, $10 for care of self. Irvin Russell, $7 for care of self. Sim Cato, $10 care of self. Harriet Wilson, $10 for care of self. Calvin Bell, $10 for care of self. F. M. Wells, $10 for care of Mrs. Thompson. Elvira C. Watkins, $10 for care of self. Emma Huffman, $10 for care of self. William Moore, $7.50 for care of daughter. Bess Delebar, $10 for care of self. Mrs. Chas. Nietier, $12.50 for care and burial of husband. Levi Bridwell, $10 for care of self. Tom Robins, $40 for care of Sarah Hughes. James McCormick, $7.50 for immediate relief. A. P. McKelvey, $32.30 salary etc. M. M. McCullough, $1.75 for labor on county hitchrack. Jacob B. Welker, $54.05 for salary, labor and repairs. Peoples Telephone company, $6 for quarterly rent. S. P. Presnell, $108.25 for salary and expenses of office. George E. Morgan, $3.60 putting up booths and services at election. T. A. Caldwell, $171 money advanced Industrial Home for girls. T. A. Caldwell, $178.80 salary and office incidentals. Standard Printing company, $257.79 for stationery for county officers. Wm. Abernathy, $377.15 salary etc. George Ellinghouse, probate judge fee bill in Myrtle Allen case, $4.10. Jonas Eaker, overseer of road district 10, $40 for services. William Moore $5 for care of daughter. J. W. Chandler $1.50 for canvassing vote. C. A. Lommer $1.50 for canvassing vote. F. W. Pohlman, Lixville, delivering poll book $2.50. P. S. Statler, Sedgewickville, same $250. J. I. Mungle, Mungle, $2.50. N. M. Tallent, Kitchen, $1.50. E. H. Bess, Bessville, $1.25. John R. Rea, Haynes, $1.50. Robert Rea, Dunn, $1.50. N. B. Sample, Huxie, $1. M. R. Shell, Bess, $1.50. G. S. Sample, Dongola, $1.50. J. W. Huffman, Drum, $1.50. J. M. Limbaugh, Limbaugh, $1.75. Scopus precinct, $1.25. Mr. Penturf, Laflin, $1. S. M. Dulaney, Lutesville, 50c. T. D. McGregor, Glen Allen, $1. S. G. Bedwell, Sturdivant, $2.50. L. Graves, Greenbrier, $2. J. L. Webb, Zalma, $2. A. J. Jackson, Gipsy, $2. Estes Bros. $25.66 for supplies for courthouse and county farm. Advance Telephone company, $24 for quarter service. Jacob N. Cook $91.75, salary and repairs in road district 6. Estes Brothers $20.20 for material for road district 6. E. O. Sander $2 for repairing courthouse pump. J. A. McGlothlin $63.35, fees from September court. George Ellinghouse $8.14, incidentals for office. Slinkard & Mouser, $1.60 supplies for road district 14. T. A. Caldwell $25, school money overpaid. Marvin Yount, supt. county farm, $60.95. T. J. Clubb, overseer road district 14, $65. C. J. Mayfield, overseer district 5, $35.96, salary etc. John Slinkard $8, salary in district 17. Adam Sitze, overseer district 9, $125.45. Henry Ossig, district 8, $69.65. R. L. Vance, district 16, $70.98. Estes Brothers, supplies for district 16, $5.05. Mrs. Sealand, $5 damages on Phelps road. J. L. Husted, overseer district 2, $45.96, salary. F. G. Lambert $17.50 for lumber for road district 12, and $16.23 for same for district 13. Farmington Undertaking and Embalming company $59 for casket and burial of Samuel Gohn. George J. Elfrank $70.30 for labor and material in road district 11. J. W. Vangilder $68.75 for labor on roads in district 11. John Baker $38 for labor in district 11. Geo. J. Elfrink for material etc for district 12, $62.35. Estes Brothers $5.90 for material for district 8. W. M. Welch Mfg Co., $20 for stationery for county superintendent. Geo. F. Eude $59.15, salary etc in district 1. H. Alva Jamison $250, salary as assessor. F. A. Wiggs $766.25 for printing amendments and ballot for general election. J. A. Taylor, county judge, $30 salary. F. G. Lambert, county judge, $31 salary. W. D. Limbaugh, county judge, $31.50 salary. S. P. Presnell, delivering poll books etc., $161.60. Fee bill, state vs George Fowler $7.85. Fee bill, state vs Dave Cheatham et al $25. Fee bill, state vs Tom Simpkins $44.10. J. A. Taylor $80.29 for merchandise furnished county. Hill & Chandler $879.50 for printing ballots, publishing certificates of nomination and stationery. S. R. Smith $97.30 for 35 cords of 2-foot wood. J. A. Taylor $23.70 for hauling and putting tiling on Glen Allen road. Nicholas Slinkard $15 for care of Harriet Slinkard, insane. James Teeters, $43 salary, district 7. James Teeters, $74.85 for labor and material on road district 7. E. H. Dellinger $70 salary as overseer district 13. John I. Wiggins, $68 for lumber for road distsict 13. Bennett Horrell $97.40 salary and repairs district 12. J. W. Reilly $51 salary. C. A. Walker $31.80 for supplies for district 13. C. A. Walker $58.85 for supplies for district 8. C. A. Walker $41.05 for supplies for district 11. C. A. Walker $10 for material for district 11. C. A. Walker $3.60 for supplies for district 10. C. A. Walker $16.80 for supplies for state road furnished J. N. Cook. C. A. Walker $85.55 for supplies furnished James Teeters. C. A. Walker $1.50 for oil for courthouse. C. A. Walker $53.16 for road material. W. E. Dickey $47.80 for labor on culverts on Zalma road. Township Supply company $73.06 for material. Wm. Slinkard $202.06 for culverts on Glen Allen state road. C. A. Walker $96.15 for material on Glen Allen road. Henry Elfrank $134 for Lakeville road. W. E. Dickey $350 for completing wagon bridge across Hurricane. C. M. Witmer, coroner fee bill, $11.55, case of Corel Bollinger. C. M. Witmer, coroner fee bill $11.58 inquest of Jacob Fadler.

Adjourn to December 2.

Certified Copy of Order

STATE OF MISSOURI, County of Bollinger, } s. s.

November term, 1914.

In the County court of said county, on the 14th day of November, 1914, the following, among other proceedings, were had, viz:

In the matter of the petition of S. A. Martin, Marion P. Day et al, for submission of article 6, chapter 102, of the Revised Statutes of Missouri for the year 1909, to a vote of the people for their adoption.

Order for a Special Election

Now comes the said S. A. Martin, Marion P. Day et al., and respectfully represent that they are at least fifty qualified voters who are resident taxpayers of the proposed Special Road District hereinafter described, at least twenty-five of whom reside in the Lutesville and Marble Hill Special Road District of Bollinger county, and also at least fifteen of whom reside in the territory proposed to be taken into said Lutesville and Marble Hill Special Road District of Bollinger county; they desire and propose to extend the boundaries of the Lutesville and Marble Hill Special Road District of Bollinger county to take in territory not included in said named Special Road Dietrict; that said proposed Special Road District when so formed, and the boundary lines of said above named Special Road District so extended shall comprise territory, not to exceed twelve miles square, in Bollinger county, Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of section twelve, township thirty, north, of range nine, east; thence west to the northwest corner of section nine, township and range last aforesaid; thence south to the soutwest corner of section thirty-three, township and range last aforesaid; thence east on the the township line to the southeast corner of section thirty-six, township thirty, north, of range nine, east; thence south to the southwest corner of section seven, township twenty-nine, range ten: thence east to the southeast corner of section eight, township twenty-nine, north, of range ten, east; thence north seven miles to the northeast corner of section eight, township thirty, range ten, east; thence east to the southeast corner of section six, township thirty, north, of range eleven, east, being on the county line between Bollinger and Cape Girardeau counties; thence north on said county line to the northeast corner of section thirty, township thirty-one, north, of range eleven, east; thence west to the northwest corner of section thirty, township and range last aforesaid; thence south on the range line to the southeast corner of section twenty-five, township thirty-one, north, of range ten, east; thence west to the northwest corner of section thirty-one, township and range last aforesaid; thence south on the range line between ranges nine and ten to the place of beginning.

And said petitioners further represent that the incorporated villages of Marble Hill and Lutesville, each containing less than one hundred thousand inhabitants, are located in said proposed district; that the county of Bollinger is not under township organization and contains less than fifty thousand inhabitants, and pray the court to submit article 6, chapter 102, Revised Statutes of Missouri for 1909, entitled Special Road Districts, to a vote of the people of said proposed road district for their adoption, at a special election to be held on Monday, November 30, 1914, at the voting precincts of Marble Hill, Lutesville and Huxie in Bollinger county, Missouri.

And the court, after having heard the public reading of said petition, the evidence in relation thereto and being sufficiently advised of and concerning the premises, finds that said petitioners are at least fifty qualified voters who are resident taxpayers of said proposed Special Road District, at least twenty-five of whom reside in the Lutesville and Marble Hill Special Road District of Bollinger county and at least fifteen of whom reside in the territory proposed to be taken into said Lutesville and Marble Hill Special Road District of Bollinger county; that there is located in the said proposed Special Road District the villages of Marble Hill and Lutesville, each containing less than one hundred thousand inhabitants; that the county of Bollinger is not under township organization and contains less than fifty thousand inhabitants.

It is therefore ordered by the court that article 6, chapter 102, Revised Statutes of Missouri for 1909, entitled "SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICTS" with amendmendments thereto, be submitted to a vote of the people of said Lutesville and Marble Hill Special Road District of Bollinger county and to a vote of the people of the territory proposed to be taken into said Lutesville and Marble Hill Special Road District of Bollinger county for their adoption, at a special election to be held on Monday, November 30, 1914, at the voting precincts of Marble Hill, Lutesville and Huxie in Bollinger county, Missouri.

And it is further ordered by the court that notice of said special election be given by publication in THE MARBLE HILL PRESS and Lutesville Banner, two weekly newspapers published in Bollinger county, for two consecutive weeks, the last insertion to be within five days next before the 30th day of November, A. D., 1914.

CLERK'S CERTIFICATE

STATE OF MISSOURI, County of Bollinger, } s. s.

I, William Abernathy, clerk of the county court, in and for the county and state aforesaid, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the proceedings of our said court, on the day and year above written, as the same appears of record in my office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed (SEAL) the seal of said court, at office in Marble Hill, Missouri, this the 17th day of November, 1914.

WM. ABERNATHY,
Clerk of the County Court.

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STATE OF MISSOURI, County of Bollinger } s. s.

November term, 1914.

In the County court of said county, on the 14th day of November, 1914, the following, among other proceedings, were had, viz:

In the matter of the petition of Elery Zimmerman, J. A. Berry, et al, for submission of article 6, chapter 102, of the Revised Satutes of Missouri for the year 1909, to a vote of the people for their adoption.

Order for a Special Election.

Now comes the said Elery Zimmerman, J. A. Berry, et al, and respectfully represent that they are more than fifty qualified voters who are resident taxpayers of the proposed special road district hereinafter described; that they desire and propose to form a special road district comprising the following described territory, not exceeding eight miles square, in Bollinger county, Missouri, as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the southeast corner of section one, township thirty, north, of range nine, east; thence west to the southwest corner of section four, township and range last aforesaid; thence south to the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of section seventeen, township and range last aforesaid; thence west to the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of section seventeen, township and range last aforesaid; thence south to the southeast corner of section eighteen, township and range last aforesaid; thence west to the southwest corner of section eighteen, township and range last aforesaid; thence south to southeast corner of section twenty-four, township thirty, north, of range eight, east; thence west to the southwest corner of section twenty three, township and range last aforesaid; thence north to the northwest corner of section fourteen, township thirty-one, north, of range eight, east; thence east to the northeast corner of section fourteen, township thirty-one, north, of range nine east, thence south to the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section thirty-six, township thirty-one, north, of range nine, east; thence east to the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section thirty-six, township and range last aforesaid; thence south to the place of beginning.

And said petitioners further represent that there is located within said proposed special road district a village containing less than one hundred thousand inhabitants; that said county of Bollinger is not under township organization and does not contain fifty thousand inhabitants, and pray the court to submit article 6, chapter 102, Revised Statutes of Missouri for 1909, entitled "SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICTS", to a vote of the people of said proposed special road district for their adoption.

And the court, after having heard the public reading of said petition, the evidence in relation thereto and being sufficiently advised of and concerning the premises, finds that said petitioners are more than fifty qualified voters who are resident taxpayers of the said proposed special road district; that there is located within said special road district the incorporated village of Glen Allen containing less than one hundred thousand inhabitants; that said county of Bollinger is not under township organization, and does not contain fifty thousand inhabitants.

It is therefore ordered by the court that article 6, chapter 102, Revised Statutes of Missouri for 1909, with amendments thereto, entitled "SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICTS", be submitted to a vote of the people of said proposed special road district for their adoption, at a special election for that purpose, to be held at all the voting precincts within said proposed special road district, to wit, at the precinct of Glen Allen, on Monday, November 30th, 1914.

And it is further ordered by the court that notice of said Special Election be given by publication in the MARBLE HILL PRESS and Lutesville Banner, two weekly newspapers published in Bollinger county for two consecutive weeks, the last insertion to be within five days next before the 30th day of November, A. D. 1914.

CLERK'S CERTIFICATE

STATE OF MISSOURI, County of Bollinger, } s. s.

I, William Abernathy, clerk of the County court, in and for the county and state aforesaid, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the proceedings of our said court, on the day and year above written, as the same appears of record in my office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed (SEAL) the seal of said court, at office in Marble Hill, Missouri, this the 17th day of November, 1914.

WM. ABERNATHY,
Clerk of the County Court.

Form of Ballot

STATE OF MISSOURI, County of Bollinger, } s. s.

I, William Abernathy, clerk of the County court of the County aforesaid, do hereby certify that the form of ballot hereinafter appearing is the one to be used at the Special Election to be held on Monday, November 30, 1914, at the precinct of Glen Allen, in said county, for the purpose of adopting the provisions of article 6, chapter 102, Revised Statutes of Missouri for 1909, with amendments thereto, entitled "SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICTS", as follows, to wit:

For the Adoption of the Road Law

Against the Adoption of the Road Law

[Erase the clause you do not favor.]

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed (Seal) the seal of said court, at office in Marble Hill, Missouri, this the 17th day of November, 1914.

WM. ABERNATHY,
Clerk of the County Court.

Form of Ballot

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I, William Abernathy, clerk of the County court of the county aforesaid, do hereby certify that the form of ballot hereinafter appearing is the one to be used at the Special Election to be held on Monday, November 30, 1914, at the precincts of Marble Hill, Lutesville and Huxie, in said county, for the purpose of extending the boundaries of Lutesville and Marble Hill Special Road District of Bollinger county, as follows, to wit:

For the Extension of the Special Road District

Against the Extension of the Special Road District

[Erase the clause you do not favor.]

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed (SEAL) the seal of said court, at office in Marble Hill, Missouri, this the 17th day of November, 1914.

WM. ABERNATHY,
Clerk of the County Court.

Executor's Notice

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of Cynthia J. Dewhitt, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate court of Bollinger county, Missouri, bearing date the 5th day of November, 1914.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to the undersigned for allowance, within six months from the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if said claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of the last publication of this notice, they shall be forever barred.

S. E. DEWHITT, Executor.

Executrix' Notice

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of Joseph Radin, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, by the Probate court of Bollinger county, Missouri, bearing date the 11th day of November, 1914.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to the undersigned for allowance, within six months from the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if said claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of the last publication of this notice, they shall be forever barred.

MARY RADIN,
Executrix.

Preparation of Corn for Fattening Steers

Does it pay to grind corn for fattening two-year-old steers? The Missouri Experiment station has been investigating this question for the last two years. While this investigation is not yet completed, results obtained up to the present time indicate that more rapid gains in live weight and a quicker finish may be expected by the use of ground grain. Cattle also feed more uniformly on ground than on whole corn. There is no doubt but that two-year-old steers will much more completely digest ground grain and the finer it is the more completely it will be digested.

The work at the Missouri College of Agriculture shows clearly that when ground corn is fed fewer hogs are needed to follow the steers. The figures obtained indicate that from 17 to 22 per cent of the value of the ear corn fed to steers should be charged to the hogs, while with finely ground corn chop it will not be more than 3 to 4 per cent. The evidence concerning the total gain in live weight on cattle and hogs per bushel of corn fed is not yet conclusive. It is not likely that there will be much difference between feeding ground or whole grain if the hogs are properly cared for and if the feeding is done in lots which are reasonably free from mud.