

COUNTY BOARD LEAVES BURDEN OFF TAXPAYERS

SECURING THE APPROVAL OF DILLON, THOMPSON & CLAY OF \$180,000 BOND ISSUE AVOIDS INCREASE OF TAXATION 6 MILLS.

At a meeting of the board of county commissioners last night, the county attorney, R. P. Reese, submitted a letter from Dillon, Thompson & Clay, of New York City, of date April 9th, 1912, approving the county bond issue, for the purpose of raising money to pay the legal indebtedness incurred in building and furnishing the new county jail building.

These attorneys have a worldwide reputation and devote their practice to passing upon the validity of municipal bond issues. The purchasers of bonds of this character invariably require the approval of this firm, or some other. These attorneys passed upon the validity of the city bond issue.

Attorneys Responsible for Delay. The long delay in passing upon this bond issue was occasioned by the necessity of these attorneys going over the whole record of the present and former board of county commissioners, prior and subsequent to the bond election, the clerk of the board being required to furnish from time to time certified copies of the minutes of the board, not only with reference to acts and resolutions relative to the holding of the bond election, but also with reference to their action in dealing with the contractors in the work upon the new county jail.

For the jail warrants issued and the indebtedness incurred and due April 1st, 1912, the board's action is approved and the county commissioners are authorized to issue 4-1/2 per cent 30-year bonds to pay the same.

The other legal indebtedness due April 1st, 1912, and April 1st, 1914, evidenced by jail warrants issued by the board, according to the attorney's opinion, will be authorized to issue bonds to pay at the dates mentioned and when the indebtedness is due.

This will occasion and require the issuance of bonds to meet the indebtedness as the indebtedness falls due, from time to time. That is, the original contract with the contractor of the county jail were issued warrants bearing 6 per cent interest, by the former board of county commissioners in payment of their work under the contracts as made.

Amount in Dispute Not Included. These bond issues, of course, do not include any indebtedness in dispute between the county and the contractors, for work on the jail building.

The \$43,588.14 claimed to be due by the Blount Construction Company warrants have not been issued for and the county commissioners have refused to pay. The Blount Construction Company has brought suit against the county for this amount. Geo. McGowan & Sons, the heating, plumbing and ventilating contractors, the board forfeited the contract and held back some \$400 because of the failure of the company to comply with their contracts. These differences are not included in the bond issue.

Burden Lifted From Taxpayers. The action of the present board of county commissioners converting this jail building indebtedness into 30-year bonds bearing 4-1/2 per cent interest, instead of jail warrants bearing 6 per cent interest, has lifted a great burden from the taxpayers of the county. If this action had not been taken, the taxpayers would have had to pay for the building in four years, according to the original contract and plans of the former board, and would have necessitated a heavy tax levy of not less than 8 mills per annum to meet this indebtedness.

Plan Concealed by New Board. Under this plan of issuing bonds, which was conceived and carried out by the present board, the taxpayers of the county will be greatly relieved, as a levy of 1-1/2 mills will provide both for the interest and the sinking fund, and will distribute the burden, instead of piling it on at one time.

The voters of the county approved the action of the board last year, in their proposition to issue the indebtedness by bond issue instead of levying the 8 mill tax.

The unavoidable delay in passing upon the bond issue will delay the board in getting the money to take up the warrants due April 1st, 1912. These warrants bear 6 per cent interest and the indebtedness to be taken up as evidenced by these warrants amounting to \$55,490, will be increased by the money is received with which to fund and pay the same, the interest at 6 per cent to May 1st, when the money will be in hand, will amount to \$277.50.

Advertisements for Bids. The matter of preparing the advertisement for bids for the completion of the heating system of the new jail building was left entirely to the county attorney and the architect to prepare and insert the proper advertisement.

Important to all Women Readers of this Paper

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney or bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, the result of kidney or bladder disease. If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased.

You may suffer great deal with pain in the back, bearing-down feelings, headache and loss of ambition. Poor health makes you nervous, irritable and may be dependent; it makes any one so.

But thousands of irritable, nervous, tired and broken-down women have restored their health and strength by the use of Swamp-Root, the great Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy.

Swamp-Root brings new life and activity to the kidneys, the cause of such troubles.

Many send for a sample bottle to see what Swamp-Root, the great Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy, will do for them. Every reader of this paper, who has not already tried it, may address Dr. Kilmer & Coy, Binghamton, N. Y., and receive sample bottle free by mail. You can purchase the regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles at all drug stores.

Spring Medicine

There is no other season when medicine is so much needed as in the spring. The blood is impure and the condition indicated by pimples, boils and other eruptions on the face and body, by deficient vitality, loss of appetite, lack of strength.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

It purifies and enriches the blood, cures eruptions, builds up the system. Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets known as Sarsatabs.

calling for bids to be opened at a special meeting to be held for that purpose on May 14.

Other Matters. Commissioner Geo. H. Davis reported that he had effected a compromise with Joe Matthews, who claimed damages from the county on account of injury to his land by clay being removed from it.

After hearing a communication from Frank Caro in reference to a public road which he stated had been closed by Ben Sealey, who had built a fence across the road, was referred to the clerk to look up the records and ascertain when the road was granted, etc.

The full board was present and the meeting was presided over by Chairman Joseph I. Johnson.

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and overflowed Broadway, stopping traffic at times, and keeping the police busy maintaining order.

Col. John Jacob Astor is believed to be among the missing. His wife and maid are on the Carpathia. Isador Straus, the millionaire merchant, Benj. Guggenheim, the copper magnate, Major Butt and Edgar J. Meyer, vice President of the Brade Copper Co. are still unaccounted for.

The Gunard liner, Carpathia, bringing the survivors from the sunken Titanic got into wireless communication with the Sable Island station tonight, according to announcement from the White Star line offices here. Details of the disaster are now hoped therefore to be soon forthcoming.

NO PASSENGERS ARE ABOARD EITHER THE PARISIAN OR VIRGINIAN

Montreal, April 16.—The definite statement that neither of the steamers Parisian nor Virginian had succeeded in rescuing any of the Titanic's survivors was made tonight by General Agent Geo. Hannah, of the Allan Line.

He said he believed the Titanic sank more rapidly than those aboard expected she would and that the work of loading boats and getting the passengers over the side had not been completed when the final plunge occurred.

Halifax, April 16.—In reply to a dispatch sent by the Halifax manager of the Allan line Captain Haines of the steamer Parisian sent the following reply by wireless: "I have no survivors of the Titanic on board. The ship is expected to reach Halifax early tomorrow morning."

Cape Race, April 16.—A wireless message tonight from Capt. Haddock of the steamer Olympic relayed by the Celtic, read as follows: "Please allay rumor that Virginian has any of Titanic's survivors. Neither has the Tunisian. I believe the only survivors are on the Carpathia. The second, third, fourth and fifth officers and the second Marconi operator, are the only officers reported saved."

condition was such that no time could be spared to return to state rooms for additional clothes.

Danger will confront even those who were so fortunate as to be put aboard the life boats.

Huge quantities of ice covered the ocean, a wireless dispatch says, and in the darkness the crews had to guide their boats with the greatest care to prevent being jammed and overturned.

The ice was so heavy that the life boats could not force their way through it and as a result the boats finally became separated.

The air was biting cold and the chill that rose from the ice floes caused the passengers to huddle close together to keep warm. All through the night the boats bobbed helplessly between the shifting cakes of ice, while the survivors prayed for dawn.

Soon after 2 o'clock the sinking Titanic made her final dive into the sea, carrying with her hundreds of persons to death.

Daylight came and with it arrived the Cunarder Carpathia, which found only the score of life boats filled with crew and passengers, floating helplessly near where the Titanic had passed under the waves.

OFFICES BESIEGED BY THE FRIENDS OF PASSENGERS

New York, April 16.—All through the day offices of the White Star line and the newspapers were besieged by scores of persons anxious to learn the fate of relatives or friends aboard the Titanic. A flood of telegrams, cablegrams and telephone messages were received, bringing inquiries from different parts of the country.

Officials of the White Star line had little news to impart. Wireless operators worked through the night and day seeking to send and pick up calls from the scene of the disaster. The wireless was handicapped in the early morning thunderstorms, which finally silenced wireless transmission for a time.

Gradually names of the rescued began to come through by wireless via Cape Race from the Carpathia and were posted in the company's offices. There were some who scanned the lists and turned away with faces showing hopes realized, but many who came were disappointed and grief-stricken. A squad of police and an extra force of clerks were called to take care of the inquirers.

Repeated calls were made for information relative to the fate of Major Archibald Butt, President Taft's military aid, who is returning from the visit abroad. President Taft telegraphed the company early in the day and was promised immediate word if anything of a definite nature regarding Major Butt was received.

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NO EVIDENCE SAID FOREMAN

Witness For Rev. J. Frank Norris Tells of Conversation He Had With Head of Grand Jury.

By Associated Press. Fort Worth, Tex., April 16.—J. W. Spencer, formerly president of a bank here and a deacon in the First Baptist church, was the first witness in the J. Frank Norris perjury case today. He testified to a conversation with the foreman of the grand jury which indicted the pastor.

The foreman, Clarence Ousley of Fort Worth, according to the banker, told him that there was no scintilla of evidence connecting Norris with the fire and assault, but that there were "suspicious circumstances" about the letter writing. This was prior to the indictment.

FALLS THROUGH ELEVATOR SHAFT

H. E. Brock, Founder of Town of Brookton, Ala., is Instantly Killed in Montgomery.

By Associated Press. Montgomery, Ala., April 16.—H. E. Brock, founder of the town of New Brookton, president of the town's only bank and prominent state politician, fell through an elevator shaft at a Montgomery hardware store at noon today and was killed instantly. Brock came here to attend the state convention as a delegate from Coffee county.

Antozone Exterminine

One of the greatest sources of annoyance to housekeepers, especially in summer, is bed bugs and roaches which tend to make life miserable.

To exterminate these pests, it is often necessary to spend much valuable time and money, and very often with indifferent results.

After many experiments and chemical analysis, we are enabled to place at the disposal of the careful housekeeper our non-poisonous ANTOZONE EXTERMININE, which will eradicate from your premises every vista of insect life. It works quickly and is a positive death to all vermin.

JUST SPRAY IT ON

ANTOZONE EXTERMININE can be applied with a brush or sprayed from a syringe. It will kill fleas on your dogs. It destroys lice on cattle, sheep, chickens and birds. It contains no poison, and we guarantee it will kill bugs of all kinds, roaches, fleas, lice, ants, and other insects. It does the work and is cheap. It kills lice, insects and vermin.

It Kills Lice, Insects and Vermin

ANTOZONE EXTERMININE when applied with a whitewash brush to chicken coops, outhouses, etc., will keep all insects away. One trial of this remarkable remedy will prove its merits.

EASY TO APPLY AND EFFECTIVE

DIRECTIONS: To apply, use a small paint brush, brushing over all parts infested, allowing it to run into cracks and crevices, or it may be used with a spray or atomizer, or with a cloth saturated with the solution. For Fleas, or Lice on Dogs, Cattle or other animals, dilute with 50 parts soap suds and bathe them freely.

It Gives Relief from Summer Pests

Exterminates bed bugs, roaches, carpet bugs, moths, lice, fleas and chicken mites.

ANTOZONE EXTERMININE will keep your beds free from bed bugs, and your house free from roaches, water bugs, ants and insects.

ANTOZONE EXTERMININE will keep your dog free from fleas and your sheep, cattle and chickens free from lice and fleas.

The Crystal Pharmacy

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For Those Arrow and Cluett Shirts SUMMER ATHLETIC UNDERWEAR and WALKER & WHITMAN SHOES go to The Hub D. SCHLOSS & COMPANY Cor. Palafox and Government. Watch Him Grow.

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those who took the ship at Cherbourg; THOSE NOT BOOKED. Bassina, Miss A.; Burns, Mrs. G. M.; Casabera, Miss D. D.; Chamdansen, Mrs. Victoria; Daniel, Miss Sarah; DeSotto, Miss Drucens; New late of Indiana; Phillips, Floholm; Miss Antoinette; Francatelli, Miss; Gough, James; Helversen, Mrs. A. O.; Homer, Henry R.; Mamy, Miss Ruberta; McIlwain, Madam; Lavory, Miss Bertha; Lesneur, Gustave J.; Panhart, Miss Nanette; Brown, Edith; Brown, T. W. S.; Charles, W. M. E.; Carmacion, Ricardo M.; Driscoll, Miss R.; Formery, Miss Elaine; Gerow, Mrs. Marcy; Healy, Miss North; Hanson, Mrs. Jennie; Hosonos, Massafano, McGowan, Miss Annie; McDermont, Miss Letitia; Marc, Mrs. Florence; Penaky, Miss Rosalie; Stollery, Mrs. W. N.; Trout, Mrs. Jessie; Bentham, Miss Lillian; Bessette, Miss; Bucknell, Mrs. William; Middle, Miss Olivia; Barrett, Karl; Sheddell, Robert Douglas; Hausinger, Mile.

SECOND CABIN PASSENGERS. The names of the rescued second cabin passengers, so far as they check up with Titanic's published list, are as follows:

- Angela, William; Albeson, Hanna; Balla, Ada R.; Biss, Miss Kate; Beane, Edward; Beane, Miss Ethel; Bryhl, Miss Dagmar; Bystron, Mrs. Karolina; Collyer, Mrs. Charlotte; Collyer, Mrs. Sylvia; Christy, Mrs. Alice; Christy, Miss Julia; Clarke, Mrs. Ada Maria; Cameron, Miss; Collett, Mrs. Stuart; Caldwell, Albert F.; Caldwell, Mrs. Mary; Doling, Mrs. Mary; Doling, Miss Elsie; Faunthorpe, Ethel; Hewlett, Miss Mary D.; Harris, George; Herman, Mrs. Jane; Herman, Miss Kate; Herman, Miss Alice; Hold, Miss Annie; Hart, Mrs. Esther; Hart, Miss Ewa; Harper, Miss Nina; Hamaliner, Anna and son; Hocking, Mrs. Elizabeth; Hocking, Miss Nellie; Jacobsohn, Mrs. Amy; Keane, Miss Nora; Kelly, Miss Fannie; Laroche, Miss Louise; Leitch, Miss Jessie W.; Lamore, Mrs.; Louch, Mrs. Alice; Lehman, Mrs. Bertha; Mellinger, Mrs. Alice; Mallett and child; Mallett, Mrs. A.; Mallett, Master Andrew; Nye, Mrs. Elizabeth; Phillips, Mrs. Alice.

If you miss your paper, phone (1500) before ten o'clock, and one will be delivered you by special carrier.

MANY ARRESTS MADE. San Juan del Sur, N.C., April 15.—Many arrests were made today after the discovery of a cache of a few worn out rifles and cartridges at Managa. A split has occurred in the governmental party, which has caused alarm among the supporters of the government.

"Mr. Interlocutor, can you tell me why burglars like houses occupied by bald-headed people?" "No, Mr. Tambo, I cannot. What is the reason?" "Because their locks are few."

Mr. Gaduet will render the pathetic ballad 'You Stuck Away, But I'll Find Out Where You Are At.'—Cincinnati Inquirer.

HITCHCOCK TO QUIT TAFT FOR BUSINESS. Postmaster General Frank Hitchcock. Washington, April 16.—Behind the resignation of Postmaster General Hitchcock, which is expected will be handed to the president any day to take effect before July 1, there is a story of politics and an aftermath of the last presidential fight. Hitchcock is to enter business at a reported salary of \$25,000 per year in New York. The nature of his future work is not known. In 1908 while Mr. Hitchcock was first assistant postmaster general, he became active in behalf of the presidential plans of his former political chief, George B. Corseyou. President Roosevelt called a halt, having decided upon Mr. Taft as his successor. Mr. Hitchcock went to work building up a great political machine. After the battle, after Mr. Taft had been inaugurated and Mr. Hitchcock had assumed the duties of postmaster general, the thousand human parts of the political machine began to make demands on Mr. Hitchcock to fulfill his promises. It took Mr. Hitchcock nearly eighteen months after assuming office to thoroughly realize that he could not carry out his pledges. Emily B., Miss Susan P.; Allison, Master and maid Schuter, Miss E. W.; Spedden, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick; Williams, N. M., Jr.; Cornell, Mrs. R. C.; Ranel, Miss Apple; Sererepa, Miss Augusta; Steffanson, H. B.; Segesser, Miss Emma; Smith, Mrs. P. P.; Slayton, Miss Hilda; Shadel, Robert Douglas; Smith, Mrs. Lucien P.; Ward, Miss Emma; Thor, Miss Ella; Tucker, Mrs. and maid; Earnshaw, Mrs. Boulton; Endres, Miss Carolina O'Becker, Mrs. A. O. and three children; Laroche, Mrs. Joseph; Laroche, Simon; Lahild, Mrs. William; Marshall, Mrs. George D. and maid; Tabyer, Mrs. Nellie; Melliers, William; Nasser, Mr. Nicholas; Oxenham, Thomas; Rogers, Selma; Silver, Lillie; Pallas, Emilio; Fadro, Julian; Parish, Mrs. L.; Forstupp, Mrs. Emilio; Quick, Mrs. Jane O.; Quick, Miss Phyllis O.; Quick, Miss Wennie O.; Rehouf, Mrs. Lillie; Ridsdale, Mrs. Lucy; Rugg, Miss Emily; Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Emilie and son; Sincok, Miss Maude; Smith, Mrs. Marion; Trout, Miss Edina S.; Weiss, Mrs. Matilda; Webber, Miss Susan; Wright, Miss Marion; Watt, Miss Bertha; Watt, Miss Bertha; West, Mrs. and two children; Wells, Mrs. Addie; Wells, Miss J.; Wells, Ralph; Williams, Charles; Stephenson, Mrs. P.; Carter, Mrs. W. E.; Ostby, Mrs. List of survivors whose names do not appear on the original sailing list, probably includes a large number of