

QUARTERLY COURT.

Obion County Quarterly Court convened in regular quarterly session last Monday, Judge Kenney presiding. Clerk Talley and officer Finch were in their places.

A. K. Wells instructed to have necessary work on road near Moriah Church in No. 14, also buy land for road.

License to peddle granted R. J. Long, Elwood Harris allowed \$60 per year, R. Polk, trustee.

W. H. Pyles and Ross Brown, county farm commissioners, made their report. Report shows seven inmates, the smallest number for some years. There were two deaths during the year. W. T. Holoman has been employed as superintendent for next year.

Court ordered D. J. Howard be paid the sum of \$1,409.85, amount due as Tax Assessor, State and county tax for 1913.

J. A. Howard, W. L. Bryan and J. F. Holloway appointed to have steel bridge repaired on lower Rives levee, 95 feet long, at least possible cost.

E. N. Moore appointed to have steel bridge in No. 14 refloored.

J. F. Dawson resigned as Constable in No. 2. Accepted and Charlie Harris elected to fill vacancy.

Court increased janitor's salary to \$24, instead of \$20.

Court ordered a new record typewriter bought for the Register's office.

Deer Creek bridge ordered built on Harris and Union City road. J. T. Owens and J. A. Fowikes named as commissioners.

Iko Martis released from poll tax and public road duty.

J. F. Kersey and J. C. Isbell appointed to buy repairs for iron bridge in No. 3.

S. T. Dinton allowed \$3.00 to repair bridge in No. 12, near Walter Hutchinson's farm.

The bridge on Pierce levee ordered repaired, W. T. Hill, commissioner.

Seventy-five dollars was allowed for repairs or to build new bridge 36 feet long near Spout Spring, J. D. McBride to have charge of work.

Bridge near Goodman farm in No. 10 ordered repaired.

J. B. Short, N. L. Williams and S. M. Fields appointed to have bridge built near Guelph, not to exceed \$325.

L. K. Barnes released from paying poll tax and road duty.

J. B. Hastings was released from paying poll tax and road service.

S. F. Holloway and Mike Buckingham to have bridge built over Davidson Creek, at Polk.

P. H. Carroll appointed to have bridge repaired, near J. F. Hallman's farm, not to exceed \$50.00.

Court allowed \$40.00 paid to John and Ada Dyer, as heretofore.

J. P. ATTENDANCE.

T. D. Corum, \$3.00; J. T. Owens, \$3.00; W. H. Sanders, \$4.40; J. C. Isbell, \$4.00; A. E. Caldwell, \$5.40; J. F. Kersey, \$5.00; J. F. Holloway, \$4.20; T. P. Palmer, \$4.20; W. E. Shropshire, \$4.20; N. L. Williams, \$7.50; S. M. Fields, \$7.50; G. R. McDade, \$5.40; J. M. Moore, \$7.40; J. T. Lasley, \$5.40; W. H. Pyle, \$5.40; H. H. Hunt, \$4.00; J. A. Howard, \$5.00; A. M. Midyett, \$6.80; C. M. Montgomery, \$6.60; W. H. Cutler, \$10.60; H. B. Flemming, \$7.60; J. P. Cloar, \$4.00; A. B. London, \$4.00; T. P. Finch, \$4.00; H. E. Williams, \$6.20; W. J. Hopper, \$7.40; J. D. McBride, \$7.00; S. R. Bratton, \$3.00; W. W. Mays, \$3.00; R. Polk, \$3.00; W. C. Morris, \$6.00; E. N. Moore, \$7.40; A. K. Wells, \$7.20; A. Wilson, \$6.60; H. C. Corley, \$6.60; J. W. Buchanan, \$3.60; H. N. Sellers, \$6.00; R. T. Miller, \$6.00; J. S. Crockett, \$6.00.

Revenue Commissioner Moffett filed his report, showing total funds in Trustee's possession as follows:

County revenue.....\$ 6,008.45
Road revenue..... 496.22
Road revenue due districts... 8,939.84
School revenue due districts... 27,997.06
School revenue unapportioned... 9,481.21

Total revenue.....\$52,897.78
Warrant account outstanding and unpaid.....\$334.41

J. E. FINCH, SHERIFF.

Board prisoners, August.....\$134.80
Board prisoners, September..... 149.00
Board prisoners, July..... 134.00
Conveying prisoner, Kentucky..... 2.85
Conveying prisoner, Kentucky..... 18.00

ROADS, BRIDGES, LEVEES.

H. M. Pendergrass.....\$ 22.50
Hall Bros., bridge..... 27.50
A. O. Osborne, bridge..... 48.00
C. W. Byrns, levee repairs..... 14.80
R. M. Powell, land..... 5.00
C. W. Byrns, lumber..... 200.00
Ben Barrett, filling holes..... 75.00
A. B. London, bridge work..... 17.90
J. L. Holt, repairs..... 1.00
A. P. McKinney, bridge..... 48.50
A. B. London, material..... 44.75
S. F. Rogers, moving fence..... 2.60
T. W. Jerrigan, land..... 25.00
V. Klutts, work on lake bridge..... 36.95
K. G. Long, bridge..... 40.00

W. H. Pyle, bridge contract..... 2.00
A. J. Burton, lumber, bridge..... 161.34
Jack Long, land..... 40.00
T. P. Finch, bridge work..... 28.50
D. L. Garrison, bridge work..... 31.60
Jack Long, bridge..... 40.00
W. H. Pyle, letting contract..... 2.00
C. W. Byrns, lumber..... 60.16
H. H. Hunt, paid on bridge..... 104.80
J. E. Bell, land..... 12.50
H. A. Tune, repairs..... 20.00
T. L. Finch, repairing levee..... 389.50
McAdee-Wisterman Co., curbing and walks..... 988.07
Floy Carter, moving fence..... 3.20
R. C. Moss, land..... 16.00
D. L. Garrison, painting bridge..... 9.00
J. M. Sinkle, repairs..... 8.50
J. A. Howard, ditching..... 200.00
W. E. Shropshire, levee work..... 75.00
V. M. Walden, levee..... 75.00
H. M. Pendergrass, drift..... 35.00
Elbert Tilghman, repairs..... 32.00
H. A. Tune, repairs on levee..... 42.50
H. T. Smith, work on creek..... 21.45
J. L. Holt, repairs, bridge..... 1.00
W. J. Hopper, bridge..... 20.00
N. D. Logan, repairs, bridge..... 2.50
H. C. Wright, repairs, bridge..... 15.00
O. H. Clemmons, work on creek..... 42.00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Poor House Commissioners—maintenance for past quarter.....\$275.00
Warrell Mfg. Co., mdse. for jail..... 66.50
W. H. Pyle, Commissioner on work..... 2.00
Home Furniture Co., mdse. for jail..... 11.25
G. W. Donnell, hauling..... 39.92
J. H. Callis, tax refund..... 2.00
A. J. Rainey, mdse. for jail..... 8.20
Fair Furniture Co., pauper coffin..... 4.00
J. M. McKinnon, tax refund..... 34.10
John W. Bennett, mdse. for county..... 13.10
Ralph Quinn, holding registration..... 9.00
J. C. Potter, holding registration..... 15.00
Corum & Jackson, mdse..... 8.50
W. E. Scates, holding registration..... 6.00
Red Cross Drug Store, mdse..... 6.85
D. P. Caldwell, mdse..... 4.50
Nailing-Keiser Hardware Co., mdse..... 62.10
Union City Ice & Coal Co., mdse..... 11.20
Fair Furniture Co., pauper coffin..... 6.00
F. C. Wehman, mdse..... 45.00
Dr. J. B. Bond, County Health Officer..... 48.00
H. Moffett, Revenue Commissioner..... 25.00
A. A. Rawdon, conveying prisoner..... 22.77
C. H. Roach, tax refund..... 2.00
G. W. Leathers, conveying prisoner..... 10.00
Western Hospital for the Insane..... 448.11
C. S. Talley, Clerk, making tax books and accounts for the quarter..... 884.80
Union City Ice & Coal Co., coal..... 18.85
J. L. Hughes, guarding prisoners at Troy..... 15.00
J. J. Johnson, same..... 3.50
Semones & Son, auto hire for officers..... 6.00
Expenses Circuit Court, September term..... 674.81
Juvenile Court cost..... 5.40

INQUESTS.

J. F. Holloway, inquest.....\$5.00
T. P. Callicott, inquest..... 5.00
J. L. Crockett, inquest..... 5.00
Dr. N. G. Morris, inquest..... 5.00
S. R. Bratton, inquest..... 5.00
Dr. F. W. Watson, inquest..... 5.00
Dr. J. F. Darnall, inquest..... 5.00
E. N. Moore, inquest..... 5.00
Dr. J. L. Wright, inquest..... 5.00
W. H. Cutler, inquest..... 5.00
J. L. Crockett, inquest..... 5.00
Dr. R. N. Whitehead, inquest..... 5.00

PRINTING, STATIONERY, ETC.

News-Banner, paper, Register.....\$ 4.25
Marshall & Bruce Co..... 2.67
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News-Banner, stationery..... 4.00
News-Banner, stationery..... 3.60
Brandon Printing Co..... 55.50
Brandon Printing Co..... 8.26
Foster & Parks Co..... 2.33
The Commercial..... 1.50
The Commercial..... 2.75
The Commercial..... 1.00
The Commercial..... 5.00
The Commercial..... 2.40
The Commercial..... 7.50
The Commercial..... 1.50
The Commercial..... 16.00
The Commercial..... 1.75

VENUE, JANUARY TERM, 1914.

1. H. P. Allen, Walter McClanahan.
2. Henry Corum, L. T. Holliday.
3. C. H. Bruer, Thedron Wheeler.
4. Elit Jones, J. F. Holloway.
5. H. T. Short, A. W. Reed.
6. Milen Curry, M. O. Garrison.
7. Walter Alexander, Myatt Stovall.
8. C. D. Barnes, A. D. Midyett.
9. W. M. Freed, J. H. Cravens.
10. L. Maupin, Luke Latimer.
11. E. A. Williams, J. C. Thompson.
12. J. C. Bea, Charlie Summers.
13. Ed McAllister, R. P. Whitesell.
14. T. A. Smith, A. J. Craven.
15. G. O. Watson, Walter Barnes.
16. W. J. Lowe, S. V. Holman.

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Old School Deeds.

To the Commercial: I have been requested to look up the present status of the ownership of the Union City public school lot, once owned by me and given to the people for school purposes.

You will please publish the copies of deeds in the Register's office of Obion County. First deed of conveyance by me to parties named to lot No. 4, C. N. Gibbs' addition to Union City. These parties were, prior to such deed of gift, regularly chartered by the State under its laws and registered both in Union City and Nashville. This deed empowered the trustees named with free ownership of the lot. Being fully empowered to make a deed to others for the purposes set forth in said charter, to build and conduct school house and school or to sell the property to others in the same line—conducting, owning and running a school—these trustees, by board action, sold and conveyed by the second deed herein set forth the property to the county school directors of the 59th school district, embracing Union City. No other action has ever been had in this matter or shown in the public records. If no such action is to be found (and I can find none) the county has the legal title to the lot, and unless she has by legal steps divested herself of the power of control, only the county can exercise any ownership over the property. So then, to say nothing of the ethical question involved in the way Mr. Carnegie's money was secured to build a library, the school lot is not the property of Union City to give away even if school property could be diverted to such use. As to what ought to be done about it I offer no opinion. An intelligent, conscientious public ought to formulate its own action.

C. N. Gibbs.

"C. N. Gibbs to T. J. Edwards et al., Trustees. Filed Aug. 17, 1 o'clock. Recorded Aug. 18, 1878."

"Know all men by these presents: That I, Charles N. Gibbs, of Obion County, Tennessee, do hereby give, grant and convey to T. J. Edwards, J. E. Beck, Henry Moffatt, D. P. Shoffner, Wm. H. Swiggart, S. T. Evans and R. B. Hughes, Trustees of the Union City Male and Female Academy and their successors in office, the following described lot in C. N. Gibbs' addition to Union City, in Obion County, Tennessee, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake, the intersection of Bell and Ury streets; thence east with Bell 313 and 2-10 feet to Monroe street; thence north 264 feet to Palmer street; thence west 313 and 3-10 feet to Ury street; thence north 364 feet to the beginning, known on the plan as lot No. 11, to have and to hold to the said trustees and their successors in office for the use of said academy in fee simple and forever, subject only to the following conditions, to-wit: that the sum of five thousand dollars shall be bona fide expended in erecting a house thereon for school purposes."

"In witness whereof, I have hereto set my hand and seal this 12th day of August, 1878. "C. N. Gibbs."

The above, properly certified, may be found on pages 334 and 335 of Book B, No. 2, in the Register's office of Obion County.

The following deed is to be found in Book F, No. 2, page 362 and following page, to-wit:

"Trustees Union City College. Filed June 5, 10 o'clock a. m. Recorded June 7, 1881."

"Whereas, The Trustees of the Union City Male and Female College, a corporation regularly chartered by the laws of Tennessee, is indebted to D. P. Shoffner, Beck & Bransford, H. Dietzel, W. H. Swiggart, W. G. Moss, T. J. Edwards and Wm. Hamilton, and perhaps a small sum to other persons, all of which is set out in full in a deed of trust heretofore made to G. W. Layne, trustee, etc., to secure said debts and to which reference is hereby made; and

"Whereas, The said Edwards and the said Swiggart have released their said debts and the other parties have agreed to release twenty-five per cent of their said debts and receive seventy-five per cent thereof in full satisfaction of the same, the whole amount of said debt after deducting such releases being \$3,326.57 (thirty-three hundred and twenty-six and 57-100 dollars); and

"Whereas, The trustees aforesaid have by resolution duly passed at a regular meeting of its board, entered into an agreement with G. W. Layne, S. W. Godwin and W. R. Neblett, as the school directors of the 59th school district of Obion County, embracing the town of Union City, to sell and convey the college buildings and grounds as hereinafter described to said school directors and their successors in office in trust for the use and benefit of the white people of said district for public schools upon the condition that the said

school directors should pay off and satisfy said debts, which they have agreed to do.

"Now, therefore, in pursuance of said resolution and agreement, the said trustees of Union City Male and Female College doth bargain, sell, transfer and convey unto G. W. Layne, S. W. Godwin and W. R. Neblett, as directors of public schools for said district No. 59 of said county, in trust and to their successors in office for the purposes, uses and trusts aforesaid the following parcel of ground and buildings, to-wit: the college lot and buildings in Union City, Obion County, Tennessee, the lot being the same heretofore sold by C. N. Gibbs to T. J. Edwards and others, the trustees of the conveyer herein, by deed dated the 12th day of August, 1878, and being a part of said Gibbs' addition to Union City and known as lot No. 11 and containing the said college buildings with all of its improvements belonging thereto.

"This conveyance is in consideration of the payment of said debts by said directors and a lien is hereby expressly retained on all said property to secure the payment of said debt.

"In witness whereof, signed by "T. J. EDWARDS, Pres. "S. T. EVANS, Sec."

The above document is to be found on pages 362 and 363 Book F, No. 2.

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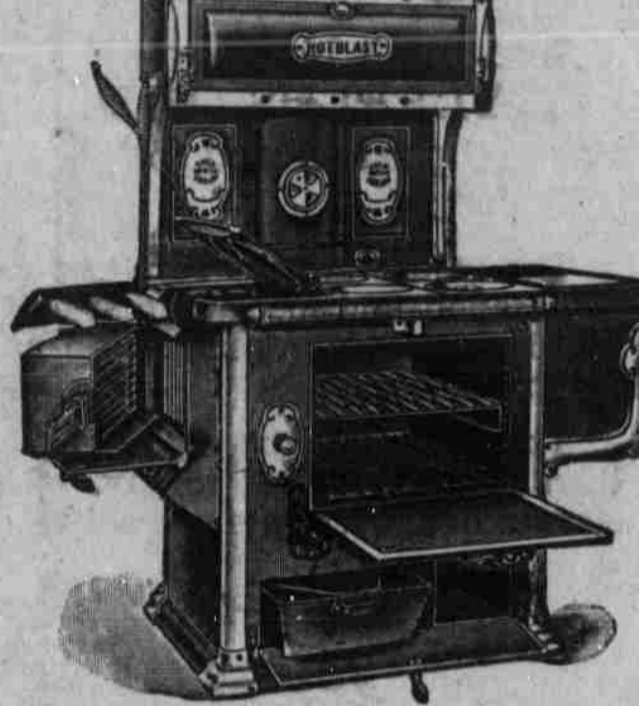
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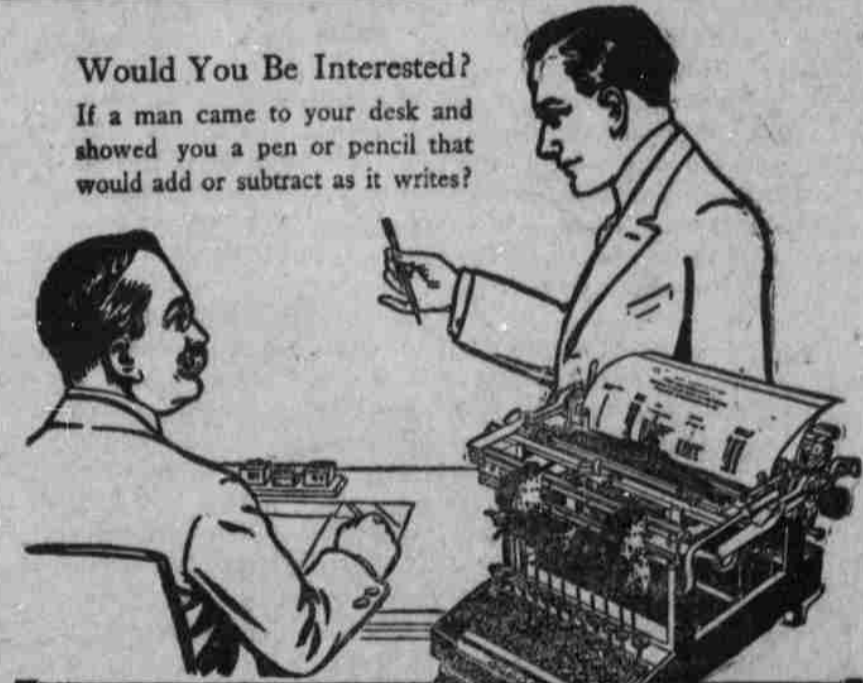
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