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 W. W. Lester
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 Beulah Stanley
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 L. R. Stanley
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COUNTY JUDGE'S ORDER

THE STATE OF TEXAS
 COUNTY OF UPSHUR

WHEREAS, On the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1928, a petition was presented to me for an election in James Common School District No. 51 of this county on the question of authorizing the said district to consolidate with the Graceton Common School District No 19 and Ashland County Line Common School District N. 46, thereby forming the New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19, of this County and of Harrison County, said petition bearing the requisite number of signitures of resident, qualified voters of said district and being in every respect in conformity with law;

Now, therefore, K. S. J. Moughon, in my official capacity as County Judge of Upshur County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 27th day of October, A.D. 1928, at James School House in said James Common School District No. 51 of this County to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the Graceton Common School District No. 19 and with Ashland County Line Common School District No. 46, thereby forming the New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19 of this County and of Harrison County.

J. H. Roach is hereby appointed Presiding Officer for said election and he shall select two Judges and two Clerks to assist him in holding the same and he shall, within five days after said election has been held, make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident qualified voters of said district shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For the Consolidation."

And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Consolidation."

Dated this the 22nd day of September, A.D. 1928.

S. J. Moughon, County Judge.

Upshur County, Texas/

COUNTY JUDGE'S ORDER

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPSHUR

WHEREAS, On the 22nd day of September A. D. 1928, a petition was presented to me for an election in Ashland County Line Common School District No. 46 of this County and Harrison County on the question of authorizing the said district to consolidate with Graceton Common School District No. 19 and James Common School District No. 51, thereby forming the New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19 of this County and Harrison County, said petition bearing the requisite number of signatures of resident, qualified voters of said district and being in every respect in conformity with law;

Now, therefore, I, S. J. Moughon, in my official capacity as County Judge of Upshur County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 27th day of October, A. D. 1928, at Ashland School House in said Ashland Common County Line School District No. ⁴⁶~~49~~ of this County and Harrison County to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the Graceton Common School No. 19 and with James Common School District No. ~~51~~⁵¹, thereby forming the New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19 of this county and of Harrison County.

R. H. Strong is hereby appointed presiding officer of said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the commissioners court of this County as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident qualified voters of said district shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For the Consolidation."

And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Consolidation."

Dated this the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1928.

S. J. Moughon, County Judge.
Upshur County, Texas.

JUDGE'S NOTICE OF ELECTION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPSHUR

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That an election will be held on the 27th day of October, A. D. 1928, at Ashland School House in Ashland Common School District No. 46 of this County and of Harrison County, to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the Graceton Common School District No. 19 and James Common School District No. 46, thereby forming the New Diana Consolidated Common School District No. 19 of this County and of Harrison County.

R. H. Strong has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall

select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the commissioners court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident property taxpaying voters in said District shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters who favor the proposition to consolidate the said districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For Consolidation."

And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Consolidation."

Dated the 3rd day of October A. D. 1928.

S. J. Moughon, County Judge.
Upshur County, Texas

AFFIDAVIT OF POSTING OF ELECTION NOTICES.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPSHUR

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared R. H. Strong well known to me, and who, after being by me first duly sworn, upon his oath, said:

That he posted a true copy of the within Election Notice in three public places in said District, to-wit:

One at School Building; one at M. M. Lester's Store; and one at Ed West Gin; on the 6th day of October, A. D. 1928, which was not less than twenty days before the date of said election.

R. H. Strong

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME, by R. H. Strong, on this, the 29th day of October, A. D. 1928.

S. J. Moughon,
County Judge, Upshur County, Texas

ELECTION RETURNS

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPSHUR

To the Honorable Commissioners Court of said County:

We, the undersigned officers, holding an election on the 27th day of October, A. D. 1928, in Ashland County Line Common School District No. 46, of said County and Harrison County upon the question of consolidating the said district with Graceton Common School District No. 19 and with James Common School District No. 51, thereby forming the New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19, hereby certify that at said election there were cast 34 votes, of which number there were cast:

For the Consolidation.....34 votes.
Against the Consolidation..... 0 votes.
Majority for the Consolidation.....34 votes.

That the polls for said election opened at 8 o'clock A. M., and closed at 6 o'clock P. M.

We herewith enclose poll list and tally sheet of said election.

Signed this the 27th day of October, A. D. 1928.

R. H. Strong, Presiding Officer.
R. A. Moughon, Judge/
L. H. Moughon, Clerk.

PETITION FOR CONSOLIDATION ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPSHUR

To the Honorable County Judge of Upshur County:

We, the undersigned residents, legally qualified voters of Graceton Common School District No. 19 in Upshur County, Texas, desire to consolidate the said Graceton Common School District No. 19 with the Ashland County Line Common School District No. 46 of Upshur and Harrison Counties, Texas and James Common School District No. 51 of Upshur County, forming thereby the New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19 in Upshur and Harrison Counties, Texas; and we hereby make application to the County Judge of Upshur County, Texas, for an order for an election to be held in said Graceton Common School District No. 19 in Upshur County to determine whether or not the above named school districts may be consolidated.

Dated this 22nd day of September, A. D. 1928.

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| 1. Walter Aaron | 15. Willie Greer |
| 2. Will Oliver | 16. F. W. Renshaw |
| 3. Hugh Oliver | 17. O. B. Johnson |
| 4. Emmett Greer | 18. W. C. Spencer |
| 5. Aubrey Williams | 19. M. Stanley |
| 6. M. H. Williams | 20. G. B. Stanley |
| 7. J. M. Butler | 21. W. A. Jones |
| 8. T. A. Oliver | 22. Lena Jones |
| 9. Nannie Oliver | 23. M. C. Lindsey |
| 10. Bill Lawson | 24. Harve L. Helms |
| 11. G. H. McKnight | 25. G. R. Ambrose |
| 12. Mrs. Birtie East | 26. M. A. Hill |
| 13. J. M. East | 27. Roy Govin |
| 14. A. A. Greer | 28. L. D. Govin |

COUNTY JUDGE'S ORDER

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPSHUR

WHEREAS, on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1928 a petition was presented to me for an election in Graceton Common School District No 19 of this county on the question of authorizing the said District to consolidate with the James Common School District No. 51 of Upshur County and Ashland Common County Line School District No. 46

of Upshur and Harrison Counties, said petition bearing the requisite number of signatures of resident, qualified voters of said district and being in every respect in conformity with law;

Now, therefore, I, S. J. Moughon, in my official capacity as County Judge of Upshur County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 27th day of October, A. D. 1928, at School House in said Graceton Common School District No. 19 of said County, to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the James Common School District No. 51 and Ashland County Line Common School District No. 46, thereby forming the New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19 of this county and of Harrison County, Texas.

T. A. Oliver is hereby appointed presiding officer of said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the commissioners court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident qualified voters of said district shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For the Consolidation."

And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the Consolidation."

Dated this the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1928.

S. J. Moughon,
County Judge of Upshur Co. Texas.

JUDGE'S NOTICE OF ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF UPSHUR

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 27th day of October, A. D. 1928 at Graceton School House in Graceton Common School District No. 19 of this County to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the James Common School District No. 51 and Ashland Common County Line School District No. 46, thereby forming the New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19 of this county and of Harrison County, Texas.

T. A. Oliver has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the commissioners court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County and who are resident qualified voters in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have

written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For Consolidation."

And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"Against Consolidation."

Dated the 3rd day of October, A. D. 1928.

S. J. Moughon, County Judge
Upshur County, Texas

AFFIDAVIT OF POSTING OR ELECTION NOTICES.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPSHUR

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared T. A. Oliver, well known to me, and who, after being by me first duly sworn, upon his oath, said.

That he posted a true copy of the within Election Notice in three public places in said District, to-wit:

One at L. D. Covin's store, one at School House; and one on a pine tree at Fork's Road at Geo. Thornton's place on the 6th day of October, A. D. 1928, which was not less than twenty days before the date of said election.

T. A. Oliver

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE Me, by T. A. Oliver, on this, the 6th day of Oct. A. D. 1928.

S. J. Moughon,
County Judge, Upshur County Texas

ELECTION RETURNS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPSHUR

To the Honorable Commissioners Court of Said County:

We, the undersigned officers, holding an election on the 27th day of October, A. D. 1928 in Graceton Common School District No. 19 of said County upon the question of consolidating the said district with the James Common School District No. 51 and Ashland County Line Common School District No. 46, thereby forming the New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19, hereby certify that at said election there were cast twenty six votes, of which number there were cast:

For the Consolidation-----26 votes.
Against the Consolidation----- 0 votes.
Majority for the Consolidation.....26 votes.

That the polls for said election opened at 8 o'clock a. m., and closed at 6 o'clock p. m.

We herewith enclose poll list and tally sheet of said election.

Signed this the 27th day of October, A. D. 1928.

T. A. Oliver, Presiding Officer.
Roy Covin, Judge.
Harve L. Helms, Judge.
J. V. Greer, Clerk

ORDER DECLARING RESULT OF ELECTION

On this day came on to be considered the returns of elections held on the 27th day of October, 1926, in each of the following school districts of this County and of Harrison County: Graceton Common School District No. 19, James Common School District No. 51 and Ashland Common County Line School District No. 46 the question of consolidating the said aforementioned contiguous school districts, thereby forming the New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19; and it appearing that said elections were in all respects legally held, that said returns were duly and legally made, and that the said returns show that a majority of the votes cast in each of said returns show that a majority of the votes cast in each of said elections favored the consolidation; the Court does hereby declare the proposition for the consolidation of the said districts adopted and the New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19 duly and legally created as of this date, said consolidated district being described by meter and bounds as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the East boundary line of Upshur County and West boundary line of Harrison County at a point where said boundary line intersects little Cypress Creek, on the North bank of said creek;

Thence North with said County line 15970 vrs more or less to the South East corner of Ore City Independent School District on the Wm. Murray League Survey;

Thence West with the South boundary line of said Ore City Independent School District 2300 vrs to a point where said district line intersects the West boundary line of said Wm. Murray League survey;

Thence South 30 E with said West boundary line of said League survey 1750 vrs to South West corner of same;

Thence South with the West line of J. Crosby H. R. Survey 314 vrs. to the S. W. corner of said survey and the S. E. corner of survey in the name of J. McDaniel and in the North line of a survey in the name of Wm. Howe;

Thence west with the North boundary line of said Howe survey 550 vrs. to the N. W. Corner of said Wm. Howe survey, same being the North East corner of R. Wyatt survey;

Thence South with the West line of Wm. Howe & East line of R. Wyatt survey 700 vrs more or less to a point where the North Gilmer & Jefferson road crosses said line;

Thence Westward with said road 850 vrs more or less to a point where the East line of the J. H. Morris survey crosses said road;

Thence South with the East line of said survey and the East line of a survey in the name of I. W. Hathcox to the S. E. corner of said Hathcox survey & N. W. corner of survey in the name of E. Wyatt;

Thence West with the north line of survey in the name of Robert Thornton 406 vrs. to the N. W. corner of said survey and the N. E. corner of survey in the name of W. P. Landrum;

Thence South with the East line of said Landrum survey 956 vrs. more or less to a point where the lower Gilmer & Jefferson road crosses said line;

Thence Westward with said road passing through the Landrum survey and partly through the G. C. Patillo survey 1625 vrs. to a point where said road intersects the Coffeeville and Longview road near the West line of said Patillo survey;

Thence with the Coffeeville and Longview public road the general course of which is N. 21 E 35 vrs; N. 11 W 144 vrs; N 2 W. 129 vrs; N. 70 W 144 vrs; N 35 W 324 vrs; N 54 W 120 vrs; N. 14 W. 252 vrs; add N 10 E 56 vrs to the 6 mile post from Coffeeville on said road;

Thence N 65 W with the North line of old District No. 51 at 270 vrs the N W corner of same and the N. E. corner of old Graceton No. 19, and continuing N. 56 W. with North line of Graceton school district 3450 vrs to the N. E. corner of a tract of land known as the W. J. Oliver tract on the Jno. T. Smith H. R. survey;

Thence South with the East line of said tract and the East line of a tract once owned by R. L. (Hess) Oliver and East line of a tract owned by J. B. Oliver 2456 vrs to the S. E. corner of said Mrs. J. B. Oliver tract in Gilmer & Jefferson Road;

Thence West with said road along the North line of the Sophia Sanders H. R. Survey 1210 vrs to N. W. corner of said Sophia Sanders H. R. Survey;

Thence South with the West line of said survey and the West line of a survey in name of Sarah Powell 1050 vrs to the S. E. corner of said Sarah Powell League Survey; Thence West with the South line of same 787 vrs. to S. W. corner of a tract on said Survey owned by J. P. Bland;

Thence North with the West line of said tract 650 vrs. to the S. E. Corner of a tract on said survey once owned by Mr. Thompson;

Thence West with the South line of said tract and the North line of a tract owned by Henry Williams 700 vrs. to the S. W. corner of said Thompson tract;

Thence North with the West line of said Thompson tract and East line of a tract owned by A.P. Duffey 1150 vrs to a point where the East line of said Duffey tract intersects the Gilmer and Jefferson road;

Thence westward with said road with its meanders about 950 vrs. to a point where said road crosses Gum Creek;

Thence down said Gum Creek with its meanders the general course of which is Southward, the same being the East line of School District No. 5 to a point where said creek empties into little Cypress; same being the S. E. corner of School District No. 50.

Thence down Little Cypress Creek with its meanders general course of which is southeastward to the place of beginning, containing surveys and parts of surveys as follows, to-wit:

Abstract No.	Original Grantee	Acres
121	James M. Dunn	4445
275	Jno. Lout	1427
440	James Scott	5194
418	Wm. Ridgeway	375
508	L. S. Von Roeder	990
388	Sarah Powell	58
452	Sophia Sanders	320
442	John T. Smith	100
444	Thos. Starr	50
111	J. Crosby	158
217	Wm. Howe	248
542	R. Wyatt	110
167	W. N. Floyd	125
367	J. Mathis	37
655	Jas. Starr	37
190	F. L. Gill	160
500	Jesse Woodward	120
523	E. Wyatt	115
283	W. P. Landrum	57
505	R. Thornton	158
544	W. D. Wyatt	160
472	Samuel Stinson	300
304	Wm. McFadden	380
173	R. T. Gipson	1280
210	Joel Holbert	1010
323	E. Martin	320
329	W. A. G. McKee	320
123 a	Jno. Lout	140
316	Thos. J. McKee	400
455	Daniel Smith	320
561	Jesse Woodward	25
403	G. C. Patillo	200
2297	Wm. Murray	300
618	J. T. Carrington	77
105	W. B. Collins	72
362	D. Bullock	28
613	MS. R. McQueen	94
521	Thos. S. Wiggins	640
603	Eli Casey	160
118	B. Anderson	25
548	Frances West	192
132 g	Wm. Marsh	36
549	A. West	160
394	E. T. Powell	186
376	W. G. Norton	211

Total Acreage

21282

or 33 2/10 square miles, in Upshur County, Texas/

FIELD NOTES OF HARRISON COUNTY PART.

Sid District, in so far as same is situated and located in Harrison County is described as follows:

Beginning on the North bank of Little Cypress Creek near the N. E. corner of Gregg County on the line between Harrison and Upshur Counties, at a point where the same crosses Little Cypress Creek;

Thence North with said county line 2225 vrs. to a stake on the J. T. Carrington Headright survey from which a R. 0 brs S. 16 E. 32 feet, a pine brs N. 38 W 15 1/2 feet (This point being 51 feet North of Joe Carrington's wire fence).

Thence East 3800 vrs to the N. E. Corner of Ashland School District, a stake on Jeff Stringer Headright, located on little knoll: from which a B. J. brs. N 70 W 8 1/2 feet and B. J. brs. S. 13 W. 10 feet;

Thence South at 423 vrs. cross the South boundary line of the Jeff Stringer and at 1270 vrs. come to the North boundary line of the Jno. V. Morton Survey at a point 262 vrs. East of where the same corner on the J. R. Davidson Headright Survey; Continuing South to a stake at 4750 vrs. on the said Morton Survey, a pine brs. S. 38 W 22 feet, another brs N 14 feet;

Thence South 45 W at 1512 intersecting the East boundary line of the Eubanks survey, at a point 367.4 vrs S from the N. E. corner of same and at 2140 vrs tract of old M & E. T. R. R. Co., and at 2824 vrs the East line of the Sarah Yates Survey and the W. line of the Linman Whitford Sy. at a point 216 vrs S of the N. W. corner of the said Whitford survey and at 5112 vrs. a S. G. for corner on the Bank of Little Cyperess, marked E. M.

Thence up said stream in aNorthwesternly direction with the meanders of the same 200 v vrs to the place of beginnign, containing surveys and parts of surveys as follows, to wit:

Abstract No.	Original Grantee	Acres
771	John F. Whitford	65
18 U	Baley Anderson	84
814	Sarah Yates	200
242	E. N. Eubanks	290
166	Eli Casey	160
760	Thos. S. Wiggins	640
500	M. McDonald	225
439	John V. Morton	385
450	Wm. R. Marsh	335
640	Rich Starr	320
644	Jesse Starr	160
226	J. R. Davidson	110
378	A. Johnson	160
76	J. W. Britton	123
683	Jeif Stringer	37
688	Jas. Satterwhite	160
689	Jas. Satterwhite	60
682	W. W. Satterwhite	120
854	J. T. Carrington	30
180	W. B. Collins	40
127	D. Bullock	160
769	L. Whitford	6
616	M. C. Redding	19
286	E. J. Glover	640
	Total Acreage	4529

or 7 square miles.

Dated this the 12th day of November, A. D. 1928.

Approved: S. J. Moughon,
County Judge, Upshur County, T E X a s.

PETITION FOR ELECTION FOR ASSUMPTION OF BONDS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF UPSHUR

To the Honorable County Judge of Upshur County: -

We, the undersigned qualified property taxpaying voters of New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19 in Upshur and Harrison Counties, Texas, pray that an election be ordered to be held in said district to determine whether amajority of the legally qualified property taxpaying voters of said district desire to assume and pay off the outstanding bonded indebtedness of the James Common School District, No. 51, Graceton Common School District, No. 19, and Ashland County Line Common School District, No. 46, as follows:

James Common School District No. 51 bonds, dated Aug. 15th, 1918, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00 and being numbered 6 & 7, inclusive, aggregating \$200.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition to the wooden public school building of said district.

James Common School District No. 51 bonds, dated 8-10-27, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows; 20 yrs. from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00 and being numbered 1 to 8, inclusive, aggregating \$800.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition of wooden material to the wooden public school building of said district.

Graceton Common School District No. 19 bonds, dated April 15, 1916, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00 and being numbered 14 to 20, inclusive, aggregating \$700.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building and purchasing a site therefor within said district.

Ashland County Line Common School District No. 46, bonds, dated Jan. 10th, 1917, bearing interest at the rate of 5 percent, per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 years from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$200.00 and being numbered 10 to 18, inclusive, aggregating \$1800.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public school building of wooden material and purchasing a site therefor within said district.

Ashland County Line School District No. 46 bonds, dated Oct. 10th 1925, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00 and being numbered 1 to 6, inclusive, aggregating \$600.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition of wooden material to the wooden public school building in said district.

and to determine whether the commissioners courts of said counties of Upshur and Harrison shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually while said bonds, or any of them, are outstanding, a tax upon all taxable property within said district sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity:

Dated this 8th day of March, 1929.

R. H. Strong,
J. D. Buie
M. D. Buie
J. D. Beaty
J. H. Roach
S. R. McQueen

D. C. Miller
C. I. Castle
J. B. Evans
D. L. Mattox
H. T. Griffin
Grover Thurman

J. E. Buie
O. B. Buie
D. A. Arnold
F. W. Renshaw
M. A. Hill

W. H. Aaron
Walter L. Barker
F. M. Lester
J. E. Cox
W. S. Jones

COUNTY JUDGE'S ORDER

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF UPSHUR

WHEREAS, on the 9th day of March, 1929, a petition was presented to me for an election in New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19 of this county and Harrison county on the question of assuming and paying off outstanding bonded indebtedness of the school districts of this county as follows:

James Common School District No. 51 bonds, dated August 15th, 1918, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition of wooden material to the wooden public school building of said district.

James Common School District No. 51 bonds, dated 8-10-27, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping and addition of wooden material to the wooden public school building of said district.

Graceton Common School District No. 19 bonds, dated April 15, 1916, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00 and being issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building and purchasing a site therefor within said district.

Ashland County Line Common School District No. 46, bonds, dated Jan. 10th, 1917, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent, per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$200.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building of wooden material and purchasing a site therefor within said district.

Ashland County Line School District No. 46 bonds, dated Dec. 10th 1925, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition of wooden material to the wooden public school building in said district, and authorizing a tax upon all taxable property within said district sufficient

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sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity; and

It appearing that said petition bears the requisite number of signatures of qualified property taxpaying voters of said district and is in every respect in conformity with the law; and

It further appearing that the said New Diana Consolidated Common School District No. has been heretofore, on the 13th day of November, 1928 established by order of the Commissioners' Court of Upshur County, Texas, which order is of record in Volume 6, Page 513 of the Commissioners' Court Minutes of Upshur County, Texas;

By order of the County School Board of Trustees of Upshur County, Texas on the 24th day of November, 1928, as shown by Minutes of School Districts, Vol. 2, Pages 59-60, and by field notes set out on pages 64-65 of said record.

By order of County School Board of Trustees of Harrison County, Texas, on the 24th day of January, 1929, which order is of record in Record of School Districts, Vol. 1 Page 9 in the County Clerk's office of said county.

Now, therefore, I, Gus Morris, in my capacity as county Judge of Upshur County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 6th day of April, 1929, at Ashland School House in said New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District, as established by orders shown above, to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified property taxpaying voters of that district desire to assume and pay off the outstanding bonded indebtedness of the James Common School District, No. 51. Graceton Common School District, No. 19 and Ashland County Line Common School District, No. 46, as fully set out above, and determine whether the Commissioners' Courts of this county and of Harrison County shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually while said bonds or any of them are outstanding a tax upon all taxable property within said district sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity.

R. H. Strong is hereby appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this county and who are resident property taxpayers in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to assume the bonded indebtedness of said district shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BONDS AND THE TAX."

And those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:
"AGAINST THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BONDS AND THE TAX."

The Sheriff of this county shall give notice of said election by posting three notices in three public places in said district for three weeks before the election.

Dated this the 9th day of March, A. D. 1929.

County Judge, Upshur County, Texas.

JUDGE'S NOTICE OF ELECTION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPSHUR

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That an election will be held on the 27th day of October, 1928 at James School House in James Common School District No. 51 of this County to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the Graceton Common School District No. 19 and with Ashland County Line Common School District No. 46, thereby forming the New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19 of this County and of Harrison County.

J. H. Roach has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the commissioners court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County and who are resident qualified voters in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For Consolidation."

And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"Against Consolidation."

Dated the 3rd day of October, A.D. 1928.

S. J. Moughon, County Judge
Upshur County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF POSTING OF ELECTION NOTICES

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPSHUR

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared J. H. Roach well known to me, and who, after being by me first duly sworn, upon his oath, said: That he posted a true copy of the within Election Notice in three public places in said District, to-wit:

One at James school house; one at Post Office at James, Texas; and one at Lester's Store; on the 6th day of October, A. D. 1928, which was not less than twenty days before the date of said election.

J. H. Roach.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE Me, by J. H. Roach, on this the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1928.

S. J. Moughon, Co. Judge,
Upshur Co. Tex.

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ELECTION RETURNS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPSHUR

To the Honorable Commissioners Court of said County:

We, the undersigned officers, holding an election on the 27th day of October, A. D. 1926, in James Common School District No. 51, of said County upon the question of consolidating the said district with the Graceton Common School District No. 19 and with Ashland Common County Line School District No. 46, thereby forming the New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19, hereby certify that at said election there were cast 63 votes, of which number there were cast:

"FOR CONSOLIDATION"-----49 votes.

"AGAINST CONSOLIDATION."-----14 votes.

MAJORITY for Consolidation.....35 votes.

That the polls for said election opened at 8 o'clock A. M. and closed at 6 o'clock P. M.

We herewith enclose poll list and tally sheet of said election.

SIGNED THIS, the 27th day of October, A. D. 1926.

J. H. Roach, Presiding Officer.

M. C. Bell, Judge.

M. H. Stokley, Clerk

Chas. M. Foster, Clerk.

PETITION FOR ELECTION
TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPSHUR

To the Honorable County Judge of Upshur County:

We, the undersigned residents, legally qualified voters of Ashland County Line Common School District No. 46 in the Counties of Upshur and Harrison, Texas, desire to consolidate the said Ashland County Line Common School District No. 46 with the Graceton Common School District No. 19 and with James Common School District No. 51, forming thereby the New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District in Upshur and Harrison Counties, Texas; and we hereby make application to the County Judge of Upshur County, Texas, for an order for an election to be held in said Ashland County Line Common School District in Upshur and Harrison Counties to determine whether or not the above named school districts may be consolidated.

Dated this the 22nd day of Sept., A. D. 1926.

R. H. Strong	Henry Cole	Lillie Powell
M. M. Lester	G. V. Caudle	J. W. Breazeale
E. B. West	Mrs. Caudle	Mrs. Breazeale
J. D. Buie	Grover Thurman	Mrs. S. R. Peteet
Mrs. E. B. West	C. H. Morten	Mrs. S. T. Buie
Mrs. Leona Moughon	Mrs. Willie Thurman	Mrs. M. M. Lester
L. H. Moughon	J. C. Buie	S. T. Buie
Mrs. Y. W. Moughon	Sallie Buie	Mrs. C. B. Buie.
Tom Moughon	G. P. Powell	

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
 COUNTY OF UPSHUR

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 6th day of April, 1929, in New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19, as established by order of the Commissioners' Court of this county on the 13th day of November, 1928, which order is of record in Volume 6, Page 513 of the Commissioners' Court Minutes of Upshur County, Texas; by order of the County School Board of Trustees of Upshur County, Texas on the 24th day of November, 1928, as shown by Minutes of School Districts, Vol. 2, Pages 59-60, and by field notes set out on pages 64-65 of said record. By order of the County School Board of Trustees of Harrison County, Texas, on the 24th day of January, 1929, which order is of record in Record of School Districts, Vol. 1, Page 9 in the County Clerk's office of said County, at Ashland Schoolhouse to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified property taxpaying voters of that district desire to assume and pay off the outstanding bonded indebtedness of the James District, No. 51, Graceton District, No. 19 and Ashland County Line Common School, No. 46, Districts of this County as follows:

James Common School No. 51, bonds, dated August 15th, 1918, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00 and being numbered 6 to 7, inclusive, aggregating \$200.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition of wooden public school building of said district.

James Common School District, No. 51 bonds, dated 8-10-27, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00, and being numbered 1 to 8, inclusive, aggregating \$800.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition of wooden material to the wooden public school building of said district.

Graceton Common School District No. 19, bonds, dated, April 15th, 1916 bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00 and being numbered 14 to 20 inclusive, aggregating \$700.00 issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building and purchasing a site therefor within said district.

Ashland County Line Common School District No. 46 bonds, dated Jan. 10th, 1917, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$200.00, and being numbered 10 to 18, inclusive, aggregating \$1800.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public school building of wooden material and purchasing a site therefor within said District, Ashland County Line Common School District Bonds, dated Oct. 10th, 1925, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00 and being numbered 1 to 6, inclusive, aggregating \$600.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition of wooden material to the wooden public school building in said District, and to determine whether the Commissioners Court of this county shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually while said bonds or any of them are outstanding a tax upon all taxable property within said district sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity.

R. H. Strong has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of the county and who are resident property taxpayers in said School District shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to assume the bonded indebtedness of said district shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BONDS AND THE TAX."

And those opposed to such assumption of the bonded indebtedness and the tax shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BONDS AND THE TAX."

Said election was ordered by the County Judge of this county by order made on the 9th day of March, 1929, and this notice is given in pursuance of said order.

Dated the 9th day of March, 1929.

Sheriff of Upshur County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S AFFIDAVIT

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared J. A. Latch, known to me to be the sheriff of Upshur County, Texas, and who after being by me first duly sworn, upon his oath, states:

That the above and foregoing notice of election is a true, full and exact copy of the three notices of election therein referred to which he, as such sheriff, made and posted in New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19 of said County,

That said notices were posted in three public places in said district, to-wit, one at L. D. Covin's store; and one at F. M. Lester's store, and one at Ashland Schoolhouse, on the 9th day of March, 1929, which was twenty-one full days before the date of said election.

Sheriff.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the _____ day of _____, A. D. 19__

Notary Public, Upshur Co., Texas.

ELECTION RETURNS

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF UPSHUR

TO THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY:

We, the undersigned officers, holding an election on the 6th day of April, 1929 in New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19 of said county upon the question as to whether the said district shall assume and pay pff the outstanding bonds heretofore issued by the James Common School District No 51; Gracton Common School-District No. 19 and Ashland County Line Common School District No. 46, the said bonds being described as follows:

James Common School District No. 51 bonds, dated August 15, 1918, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00 and being numbered 6 to 7 inclusive, aggregating \$200.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition to the wooden public school building in said district.

James Common School District No. 51 bonds, dated 8-10-27, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date said bonds being in the denomination of \$500.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and an addition of wooden material to the wooden public school building of said district.

Gracton Common School District No. 19 bonds, dated April 15, 1916, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00 and being numbered 14 to 20 inclusive, aggregating \$700.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building and purchasing a site therefor within said district.

Ashland Common County Line School District No. 46 bonds, dated Jan. 10th 1917, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date said bonds being in the denomination of \$200.00 and being numbered 10 to 18, inclusive, aggregating \$1800.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public school building of wooden material and purchasing a site therefor within said district.

Ashland Common School District No. 46 bonds, dated Oct. 16th, 1925, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00 and being numbered 1 to 6, inclusive, aggregating \$600.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition of wooden material to the wooden public school building in said district. And levy a tax on all taxable property in said district sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity, hereby certify that at said election there were cast 107 votes, of which number there were cast 107 votes, of which number there were cast:

FOR ASSUMING THE BONDS AND THE TAX 99 votes.

AGAINST ASSUMING THE BONDS AND THE TAX 8 votes.

MAJORITY FOR ASSUMING THE BONDS AND THE TAX 91 votes.

That the polls for said election were opened at 8 o'clock a. m. and closed at 6 o'clock p.m.

We herewith enclose poll list and tally sheet of said election.

Signed this the 6th day of April, 1929.

R. H. Strong, Presiding Officer.

J. V. Greer, Judge

Mrs. S. T. Buie, Judge.

ORDER DECLARING RESULT OF ELECTION FOR ASSUMPTION
OF BONDS.

On this day came on to be considered the returns of an election held on the 6th day of April, 1929, in New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19 of this county upon the question as to whether the said district shall assume and pay off the outstanding bonds heretofore issued by the Ashland County Line, James and Graceton Common School Districts, the said bonds being described as follows:

James Common School District No. 51 bonds, dated Aug. 15th, 1918, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00 and being numbered 6 & 7, inclusive, aggregating \$200.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition to the wooden public school building of said district.

James Common School District No. 51 bonds, dated 8-10-27, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00 and being numbered 1 to 8 inclusive, aggregating \$800.00 issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition of wooden material to the wooden public school building of said district.

Graceton Common School District No. 19 bonds, dated April 15, 1916, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs. from a date said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00 and being numbered 14 to 20, inclusive, aggregating \$700.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free

school building and purchasing a site therefor within said district.

Ashland County Line Common School District No. 46 bonds, dated Jan. 10th, 1917, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20 yrs from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$200.00 and being numbered 10 to 18, inclusive, aggregating \$1800.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public school building of wooden material and purchasing a site therefor within said district.

Ashland County Line School District No 46 bonds, dated Oct. 10th, 1925, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, due and payable as follows: 20yrs. from date, said bonds being in the denomination of \$100.00 and being numbered 1 to 6 , inclusive, aggregating \$600.00, issued for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition of wooden material to the wooden public school building in said district and levy a tax on all taxable property of said district sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity, and it appearing that said election was in all respects legally held and that said returns were duly and legally made and that said returns were duly and legally made and that there were cast:

For assuming the Bonds and the Tax 99 votes

Against assuming the Bonds and the tax 8 votes.

and it appearing to the court from said returns that a majority of the qualified property taxpaying voters of said district, voting at said election voted in favor of assuming the said bonds to have been adopted, and that this court is authorized to levy and have assessed and collected said tax.

(I) PETITION FOR ELECTION FOR ISSUANCE OF BONDS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPSHUR.

To the Honorable County Judge of Upshur County:

We, the undersigned qualified property taxpaying voters of New Diana Consolidated Common County line District No. 19 in Upshur County and Harrison County. (1) pray that an election be held in said district to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified property taxpaying voters of said district desire the issuance of bonds, numbered consecutively from one to twenty, both inclusive, of the denomination of (a) Four Hundred Dollars (\$400.00) each, aggregating (b) Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8000.00), to bear interest at the rate of (c) five per cent per annum, said bonds to be payable (d) twenty years from their date, (e) with option of redemption after five years, on the faith and credit of said Consolidated Common County Line School District, for the purpose of (f) constructing and equipping a public free school building of wooden material and purchasing a site therefor within said district and to determine whether the Commissioners' Courts of said counties shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually while said bonds, or any of them, are outstanding, a tax upon all taxable property within said district sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal of maturity.

Dated this 9th day of August 1929.

J. H. Roach
E. T. Griffin
P. H. Aaron
M. A. Hill
W. S. Jones

J. M. Farmer
C. B. Buie
J. D. Beaty
J. E. Cox
D. Miller
Dallas Cobb
Tom Moughon
H. E. Hall

G. C. Castle
J. B. Evans
D. L. Mattox
H. C. Daniels
F. W. Renshaw
W. H. Aaron
Walter L. Barker
F. M. Lester

ORDER OF BOND ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPSHUR

WHEREAS, on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1929, a petition was presented to me for an election to be held in New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19 of Upshur and Harrison Counties, Texas, on the question of issuing Schoolhouse Bonds for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building of wooden material and purchasing a site therefor within said District sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal as the same becomes due; and

IT APPEARING that said petition bears the requisite number of signatures of qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District, and is in every respect in conformity with the law; and

IT FURTHER APPEARING that said New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19, has been heretofore properly established in accordance with Section 50a, Chapter 100, Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirty-second Legislature, as amended by the Thirty-fifth Legislature, as follows:

(b). 1. By order of the (c) Commissioners' Court of Upshur County, Texas, as passed on the 13th day of November, 1928, which order is of record in Volume 6, Page 513 of the Commissioners' Court Minutes of Upshur County, Texas;

(b). 1. By order of the (c) Ratification of the County School Board of Upshur County, Texas, as passed on the 24th day of November, A. D. 1928, as shown by Minutes of School District, Vol. 2, Pages 59-60, and by field notes set out on pages 64-65 of said record.

(b). 3. By order of (c) Ratification County Board of Trustees, Harrison County, Texas, as passed on the 24th day of January, 1928, which order is of record in Vol. No. 1 pages 9 to 12 inclusive of the School District Record of Harrison County Texas.

IT FURTHER APPEARING THAT each of said orders establishing the said District designates and names the County of Upshur to manage and have control of the Public Schools in said District; and

IT FURTHER APPEARING that said New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19, as so established, contains an area of forty square miles and that no other District has been reduced in area below nine square miles by reason of the creation of this District; and

IT FURTHER APPEARING that said District does not embrace any territory that was taken from any other School District (either Common or Independent) that had an outstanding issue of bonds at the date of such inclusion in this District:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Gus Morris, in my official capacity as County Judge of Upshur County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 7th day of September, A. D. 1929, at (f) the school building in said New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19, of said Counties as established

(b). 1. By order of the Commissioners' Court of Upshur County, Texas, as passed on the 13th day of November, 1928, which order is of record in Volume 6, Page 513 of the Commissioners' Court Minutes of Upshur County, Texas;

(b). 1. By order of the (c) Ratification of the County School Board of Upshur County, Texas, as passed on the 24th day of November, A. D. 1928, as shown by Minutes of School District, Vol. 2, Pages 59-60, and by field notes set out on pages 64-65 of said record.

(b) 3. By order of (c) Ratification County Board of Trustees, Harrison County, Texas, as passed on the 24th day of January, 1929, which order is of record in Vol. No. 1 pages 9 to 12, inclusive of the School District Record of Harrison County Texas, to determine whether or not a majority of the legally qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District desire the issuance of Bonds to the amount of Eight Thousand (\$8000.00) Dollars, to become due and payable (g) twenty years from their date with option of redemption after five years, and bearing interest at the rate of (h) 5 per centum per annum, interest payable (l) annually, on the faith and credit of said Common County Line School District, (a) For the purpose of : Constructing and equipping a public free school building of wooden material and purchasing a site therefor, within said District, and to determine whether the Commissioners' Courts of the Counties of Upshur and Harrison, Texas, shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually while said bonds, or any of them, are outstanding, a tax upon all taxable property within said District situated in their respective Counties sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal as the same becomes due.

S. T. Buie is hereby appointed Presiding officer for said election and he shall select two Judges and two Clerks to assist him in holding the same and he shall, within five days after said election has been held, make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County as is required by law for holding a General Election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of the Counties of Upshur and Harrison, Texas, and who are resident property taxpayers in said New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19, of the Counties of Upshur and Harrison, Texas, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the said bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

And those opposed to the proposition to issue the said bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

The Sheriff of this County shall give notice of said election by posting three notices thereof in three public places within the boundaries of said District for three weeks prior to the date fixed for said election.

DATED the 10th day of August, A. D. 1929.

Gus Morris
County Judge.

Upshur County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF

Bond Election

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPSHUR

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ELECTION WILL BE HELD ON THE 7th day of September, A. D. 1929, at (a) the school building in New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19, of Upshur and Harrison Counties, Texas, as established

(b) 1. By order of the (c) Commissioners' Court of Upshur County, Texas, as passed on the 13th day of November, 1928 which order is of record in (d) Volume 6, Page 513 of the Commissioners' Court Minutes of Upshur County, Texas;

(b) 2..By order of the (c) Ratification County Board of Trustees of Upshur County, Texas, as passed on the 24th day of November, 1928, which order is of record in (d) Minutes of School District, Vol. 2, Pages 59-60, and by field notes set out on pages 64-65 of said record.

(b) 3. By order of the (c) Ratification County Board of Trustees, Harrison County, Texas, as passed on the 24th day of January, 1930, which order is of record in Vol. No. 1 pages 9 to 11, inclusive of the School District Record of Harrison County, Texas, to determine whether or not a majority of the legally qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District desire the issuance of Bonds to the amount of Eight Thousand (\$8000.00) Dollars, to become due and payable (f) twenty years from their date with option of redemption after five years, and bearing interest at the rate of (g) 5 per centum per annum, interest payable annually, on the faith and credit of said Common County Line School District, (i) For the purpose of Constructing and Equipping a public free school building of wooden material and purchasing a site therefor, within said District, and to determine whether the Commissioners' Courts of the Counties of Upshur and Harrison, Texas, shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually while said bonds, or any of them, are outstanding, a tax upon all taxable property within said District situated in their respective Counties sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal as the same becomes due.

S. T. Bule has been appointed Presiding Officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two Clerks to assist him in holding the same and he shall, within five days after said election has been held, make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County as is required by law for holding a General Election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of the Counties of Upshur and Harrison, Texas, and who are resident property taxpayers in said Common County Line School District No. 19, of the Counties of Upshur and Harrison, Texas, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the said bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

And those opposed to the proposition to issue the said bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

Said election was ordered by the County Judge of this County by order made on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1929, and this notice is given in pursuance of said order.

Sheriff.
Upshur County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S AFFIDAVIT OF POSTING OF ELECTION NOTICES.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPSHUR

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared J. A. Latch known to me to be the Sheriff of Upshur County, Texas, and who, after being by me first duly sworn, upon his oath says:

That he posted a true copy of the within Election Notice in three public places

in said District, to-wit: -

One at L. D. Govin's store, Graceton, one at F. M. Lester's store, James; and one at Ashland Schoolhouse on the 12th day of August, A. D. 1929, which was not less than twenty-one full days before the date of said election.

 Sheriff.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME, by J. A. Latch, on this the 13th day of August, A. D. 1929.

ELECTION RETURNS

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

COUNTY OF UPSHUR

To the Honorable Commissioners' Court of said county:

We, the undersigned officers, holding an election on the 7th day of September, 1929, in New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District, No. 19 of Upshur and Harrison Counties upon the question of issuing Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8000.00) of bonds for said district, running twenty years and bearing five per cent interest, and levying a tax on all taxable property in said district sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity, hereby certify that at said election there were cast forty votes, of which number there were cast:

For the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof
 Thirty Four Votes.

Against the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof
 Six votes.

That the polls for said election opened at Eight O'clock A.M. and closed at Six O'clock P. M.

We herewith enclose poll list and tally sheet of said election.

Signed this the 7th day of September, A. D. 1929

B. T. Bule, Presiding Officer.

W. H. Aaron, Judge.

J. E. Cox, Judge.

 Clerk

 Clerk.

ORDER DECLARING RESULT OF ELECTION.

On this the 9th day of September, 1929, came on to be considered the returns of an election held on the 7th day of September, 1929, on New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District, No. 19 of Upshur and Harrison Counties upon the question of issuing \$8000.00 of bonds for said district, running twenty years, and bearing five per cent interest, and levying a tax on all taxable property of said district sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the

principal at maturity, and it appearing that said election was in all respects legally held and that said returns were duly and legally made and that there were cast at said election forty votes, of which number there were cast:

For the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof.....Thirty-four votes.

Against the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof.....Six votes

And it appearing to the court from said returns that a majority of the qualified property taxpaying voters of said district, voting at said election, voted in favor of issuing said bonds, the court does hereby declare the proposition for the issuance of said bonds to have been adopted, and that this court and the Commissioners' Court of Harrison County is authorized to issue said bonds and to levy and have assessed and collected said tax.

ORDER AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF UPSHUR.

On this the 10th day of March, 1930, the commissioners' court of Upshur County convened in ^{call} regular session, all the members thereof

- Gus Morris, County Judge.
- Carrol Robertson,
- Commissioner Precinct No. 1
- J. M. Moon,
- Commissioner Precinct No. 2
- T. B. Thompson,
- Commissioner Precinct No. 3
- G. C. Hart,
- Commissioner Precinct No. 4

being present, and, among other proceedings, passed the following order:

Whereas, at an election held for the purpose on the 7th day of September, 1929, a majority of the qualified property taxpaying voters of New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19 of the counties of Upshur and Harrison, Texas, having at said election voted in favor of the issuance of the bonds hereinafter described and in favor of the tax hereinafter levied;

Therefore, be it ordered by the commissioners' Court of Upshur County:

I.

That the bonds of said district to be called "New Diana Consolidate Common County Line Scholl District No. 19 Schoolhouse Bonds" be issued on the faith and credit of said New Diana Consolidated Common County Line School District No. 19 of said counties, for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building of wooden material and purchasing a site therefor within said district, and authorizing a tax upon all taxable property within said District sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal as the same becomes due.

II.

Said bonds shall be numbered consecutively from 1 to 20 inclusive, shall be of the denomination of \$400.00 each, aggregating \$8000.00.