

ed for in the petition, and at such hearing any person interested may appear before the Commissioners' Court in person, or by attorney, and contend for or protest the calling of such proposed bond election; and all persons interested shall have the right to offer testimony to show that said petition should or should not be granted and that the election prayed for should or should not be ordered.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT of said County, affixed, this the 19 day of May 1945.

ROBERT TAYLOR COUNTY CLERK,  
AND EX-OFFICIO CLERK OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT IN AND  
FOR UPSHUR COUNTY, T E X A S.

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( Com. Court Seal ).

FILED FOR RECORD MAY 19, 1945,

Robert Taylor County Clerk, Upshur County, Texas.

By: Alva Cook, Deputy.

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MAY 30th, 1945.

Commissioners Court met as a board of equalization in Tax matters, after considering all matters coming before them the board recessed to reconvene as such on June 8th, 1945.

W. A. Lunsford,  
E. A. Cobb,  
L. G. McKinley,  
M. O. Holmes.

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June 1st, 1945.

Commissioners Court met in special session with County Judge and all members present. Motion made, seconded and carried that resignation of Joyce Barry, Secretary to H.D. Agent be accepted, and at the same time application by Mrs. Eula J. Newman, H.D. Agent, for Jean Barry, as Secretary, is approved at Salary of \$85.00 per month effective June 1st, 1945. County Clerk authorized to issue warrant on General Fund accordingly.

Motion made, seconded and carried that Charles Wayne Varner be declared a Pauper as per paupers affidavit on file. And County Judge authorized to issue grocery order for \$6.00 per month.

W. A. Lunsford,  
E. A. Cobb,  
L. G. McKinley,  
M. O. Holmes.

June 4th, 1945.

Commissioners Court met in special session:

ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT ORDERING BOND ELECTION TO BE HELD IN ROAD DISTRICT  
NUMBER 1-A, OF UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS,

THE STATE OF TEXAS |

COUNTY OF UPSHUR |

On this the 4th day of June, 1945, the County Commissioners' Court of Upshur County, Texas, convened in special session, at the regular meeting place of said Court in the Court-house at Gilmer, Texas, all members of the Court, to-wit:

W. A. Lunsford,	County Judge, Presiding; and
E. A. Cobb,	Commissioner, Precinct No. 1;
L. G. McKinley,	Commissioner, Precinct No. 3;
M. O. Holmes,	Commissioner, Precinct No. 4;

being present; and, among other proceedings, had by said Court, were the following:

There came on to be heard and considered the petition of W. J. Smith and more than fifty other persons, as resident property tax paying voters of ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, praying this Court for an order for an election to determine the following proposition:

"Whether or not the bonds of Road District Number 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, shall be issued in the total principal sum of Ninety THOUSAND DOLLARS ( \$90,000.00 ) for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating a macadamized, graveled or paved road and turnpike, or in aid thereof, in said District, and which bonds are to bear interest at the rate of not exceeding THREE PER CENTUM ( 3% ) per annum, and are to be payable at such times as may be deemed most expedient by the Commissioners' Court, not to exceed One ( 1 ) year from the date thereof, and whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be levied on all taxable property within said Road District for the purpose of paying the interest on the said bonds and providing a sinking fund for the redemption or payment thereof at maturity."

AND IT APPEARING to the Court that said petition was presented to this Court on the 29th day of May, 1945, and that it is duly signed by more than fifty ( 50 ) resident qualified property taxpaying voters of said ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS; and,

IT IS FURTHER APPEARING to the Court that on said date, to-wit: May 19, 1945, by order duly passed and entered of record, this Court set said petition down for hearing before the Commissioners' court at a session thereof to be held in the Commissioners' Court Room in the Courthouse in the City of Gilmer, Texas, on the 4th day of June, 1945, at ten o'clock A.M., which was not less than fifteen ( 15 ) days nor more than thirty ( 30 ) days from the date of the aforesaid order setting such petition down for hearing; and,

IT FURTHER APPEARING to this Court, from the evidence submitted, that notice of this hearing was thereupon given by the County Clerk in the time and manner required by law, and which notice informed all persons concerned of the time and place of such hearing, and of their right to appear at such hearing and contend for or protest the ordering of such bond election; and further, that the aforesaid notice also stated the amount of the bonds proposed to be issued, and described the boundaries of said Road District, as such boundaries are described and defined in the order of this Court creating and establishing said Road District; and further, that the aforesaid notice also designated the road to be constructed and improved; and,

IT FURTHER APPEARING to the Court, and the Court so finds from the evidence submitted, that the Clerk of this Court, pursuant to the order setting said petition down for hearing, posted and published the notices of such hearing in the time and manner required by law; that is to say:

( a ) The County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Upshur County, Texas, executed said notice by posting true copies thereof in the following three public places within ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, to-wit:

ONE COPY at R.N. Smith Store;

ONE COPY at C. H. Pitman Store; and

ONE COPY at J.A. Laster Store;

( b ) That the said County Clerk also posted a true copy of such notice at the door of the County Courthouse of Upshur County, in the City of Gilmer, Texas;

( c ) That each and all of the three copies of the notice of this hearing were posted by the County Clerk at three public places in said Road District, above described, on the 21st day of May, 1945; that each of said places was a public place in said Road District; that each of the notices posted at said places was posted in a conspicuous position; that each of said places was accessible to the public; and that each of said notices so

posted at each of said places was posted so as to be easily visible to the public;

( d ) That the copy of the notice of this hearing, posted by the County Clerk at the Court House door, as aforesaid, was posted on the 21st day of May, 1945, and that such notice was posted at said place so as to be easily visible to the public;

( e ) That the said County Clerk also caused said notice of this hearing to be published in THE GILMER MIRROR, which is a newspaper of general circulation in the said County, and which said notice was published in said newspaper on the 24th day of May, 1945, which date was at least five days prior to the hearing set for the consideration of such petition.

AND WHEREAS, on this, the 4th day of June, 1945, and being the date fixed for hearing said petition, the same came on to be heard in due and regular order; and,

WHEREAS, it appearing to the Court at this hearing, that, if said bonds are voted and issued, the money received from the sale thereof will be applied to constructing, maintaining and operating that certain road within the said District known as "GILMER-GLENWOOD ROAD", which road runs in a southeasterly direction from the old Colored Orphanage to intersect Justice Precinct No. 1, and Justice Precinct No. 5, line on the old Bruner Farm, and which road will be a part of the Road District's system of lateral roads, and no part of the State highway system;

AND, NOW, THEREFORE, on this the 4th day of June, 1945, the Commissioner's Court of Upshur County, Texas, by reason of investigations carefully made, and from all facts found and evidence submitted at this hearing, finds, AND IT IS THE ORDER AND JUDGMENT OF THIS COURT:

( 1 ) That the petition for said bond election is signed by more than fifty ( 50 ) of the resident qualified property taxpaying voters of ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of Upshur County, Texas, and who had duly rendered their property for taxation.

( 2 ) That due notice of the hearing had on such petition has been issued, made and given in the time and form and manner required by law.

( 3 ) That the proposed improvements will be for the benefit of all taxable property situated within the boundaries of said ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS.

IT IS, THEREFORE, FURTHER CONSIDERED AND POUND AND ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS:

I.

That an election shall be, and is hereby ordered to be held within ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, on the 5th day of July, 1945, and which date is not less than thirty ( 30 ) days from the date of this order, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

WHETHER OR NOT, the bonds of ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, shall be issued in the total principal sum of NINETY THOUSAND DOLLARS ( \$90,000.00 ) for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating a macadamized, graveled or paved-road and turnpike, or in aid thereof in said District, and which bonds are to bear interest at the rate of not exceeding THREE PER CENTUM ( 3% ) per annum, and are to be payable at such times as may be deemed most expedient by the Commissioners' court, but not to exceed One ( 1 ) year from the date thereof, and whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be levied on all taxable property within said Road District for the purpose of paying the interest on the said bonds and providing a sinking fund for the redemption or payment thereof at maturity."

The road to be constructed and maintained with the proceeds of the sale of said bonds is hereinabove described.

II.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT SAID ELECTION SHALL BE HELD UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE

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laws of the State of Texas, particularly Chapter 16, of the General Laws of the State of Texas, passed by the Thirty-ninth Legislature, at its First Called Session in 1926.

III.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all persons who are legally qualified voters of this State, and of this County, and who are resident property taxpaying voters in ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, and who have duly rendered their property for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVY OF AD VALOREM TAXES IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

And, those opposed, shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVY OF AD VALOREM TAXES IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

IV.

The polling places and the presiding officers of said election shall be, respectively, as follows:

Glenwood, VOTING PRECINCT NUMBER 5, at Schoolhouse, E.D. Robertson, Presiding Judge;

West Mountain, VOTING PRECINCT NUMBER 9, at Schoolhouse Mrs. A.R. Alred Presiding Judge;

East Mountain, Voting Precinct Number 21, at Schoolhouse Jim Salter, Presiding Judge, and

Union Grove, VOTING PRECINCT NUMBER 27, at School House, Fred Watkins, Presiding Judge.

V.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the manner of holding such election and canvassing and making returns thereof, shall be governed by the General Laws of This State, when not in conflict with the provisions of Chapter 16, of the General Laws, passed by the Thirty-ninth Legislature, at its Called Session, in 1926.

VI.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in THE GILMER MIRROR, a newspaper published in Upshur County, Texas for three successive weeks before the date of the said election, and, in addition thereto, there shall be posted other copies of this order at three public places in said ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, and also at the door of the County Courthouse in the City of Gilmer, Texas, and all of which notices shall be posted for three successive weeks prior to said election.

The County Clerk is hereby authorized, ordered and directed to post and publish notices of said election as hereinabove directed, and further orders are reserved until the returns of said election are made by the duly authorized election officers and received by this Court. The duties herein imposed upon the Clerk may be performed by said Clerk or by Deputy, as provided by law for other similar duties.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this the 4th day of June, 1945.

W. A. Lunsford,  
County Judge, Upshur County, Texas.

E. A. Cobb,  
Commissioner of Precinct No. 1,  
Commissioner No. 2.

L. G. McKinley,  
Commissioner of Precinct No. 3.

M. O. Holmes,  
Commissioner of Precinct No. 4.

The above order having been read, it was moved by Commissioner E. A. Cobb, and seconded

by Commissioner L. G. McKinley, that it be passed. Whereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Court voted "AYE": Commissioners Cobb, McKinley and Holmes; and the following voted "NO": None.

MINUTES APPROVED, this the 4th day of June, 1945,

W. A. Lunsford,  
County Judge, Upshur County, Texas.

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NOTICE OF ROAD BOND ELECTION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS |  
COUNTY OF UPSHUR |

TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF  
ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID DISTRICT  
AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 5th day of July, 1945, within ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, to determine if said Road District shall issue bonds, and if an annual ad valorem tax shall be levied annually on all taxable property within said District sufficient to pay the annual interest and provide a sinking fund to pay the bonds at maturity, in pursuance of an ELECTION ORDER made and entered by the Commissioner's Court of Upshur County, Texas, on the 4th day of June, 1945, and which order is in words and figures as follows:

ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT ORDERING BOND ELECTION TO BE HELD IN ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS |  
COUNTY OF UPSHUR |

ON THIS the 4th day of June, 1945, the County Commissioners' Court of Upshur County, Texas, convened in special session, at the regular meeting place of said Court in the Court-house at Gilmer, Texas, all members of the Court, to-wit:

W. A. LUNSFORD,	COUNTY JUDGE, Presiding; and
E. A. COBB,	COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 1;
L. G. MCKINLEY,	COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 3;
M. O. HOLMES,	COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 4;

being present; and, among other proceedings had by said Court, were the following:

There came on to be heard and considered the petition of W. L. Smith and more than fifty other persons, as resident property tax paying voters of ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, praying this Court for an order for an election to determine the following proposition:

" WHETHER OR NOT the bonds of ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, shall be issued in the total principal sum of NINETY THOUSAND DOLLARS ( \$90,000.00 ) for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating a macadamized, graveled or paved road and turnpike, or in aid thereof, in said District, and which bonds are to bear interest at the rate of not exceeding THREE PER CENTUM ( 3% ) per annum, and are to be payable at such times as may be deemed most expedient by the Commissioners' Court, not not to exceed One ( 1 ) year from the date thereof, and whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be levied on all taxable property within said Road District for the purpose of paying the interest on the said bonds and providing a sinking fund for the redemption or payment thereof at maturity."

AND IT APPEARING to the Court that said petition was presented to this Court on the 29th day of May, 1945, and that it is duly signed by more than fifty ( 50 ) resident qualified

property taxpaying voters of said ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS; and,

IT FURTHER APPEARING to the Court that on said date, to-wit: MAY 19, 1945, by order duly passed and entered of record, this Court set said petition down for hearing before the Commissioners' Court at a session thereof to be held in the Commissioners' Court Room in the Courthouse in the City of Gilmer, Texas, on the 4th day of June, 1945, at ten o'clock A.M., which was not less than fifteen ( 15 ) days nor more than thirty ( 30 ) days from the date of the aforesaid order setting such petition down for hearing; and,

IT FURTHER APPEARING to this Court, from the evidence submitted, that notice of this hearing was thereupon given by the County Clerk in the time and manner required by law, and which notice informed all persons concerned of the time and place of such hearing, and of their right to appear at such hearing and contend for or protest the ordering of such bond election; and further, that the aforesaid notice also stated the amount of the bonds proposed to be issued, and described the boundaries of said Road District, as such boundaries are described and defined in the order of this Court creating and establishing said Road District; and further that the aforesaid notice also designated the road to be constructed and improved; and,

IT FURTHER APPEARING to the Court, and the Court so finds from the evidence submitted, that the Clerk of this Court, pursuant to the order setting said petition down for hearing, posted and published the notices of such hearing in the time and manner required by law; that is to say--

( a ) The County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Upshur County, Texas, executed said notice by posting true copies thereof in the following three public places within ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, to-wit:

- ONE COPY at R. N. Smith Store;
- ONE COPY at G. H. Pitman Store; and
- ONE COPY at J.A. Laster Store;

( b ) That the said County Clerk also posted a true copy of such notice at the door of the County Courthouse of Upshur County, in the City of Gilmer, Texas;

( c ) That each and all of the three copies of the notice of this hearing were posted by the County Clerk at the three public places in said Road District, above described, on the 21st day of May, 1945; that each of said places was a public place in said Road District; that each of the notices posted at said places was posted in a conspicuous position; that each of said places was accessible to the public; and that each of said notices so posted at each of said places was posted so as to be easily visible to the public;

( d ) That the copy of the notice of this hearing, posted by the County Clerk at the Courthouse door, as aforesaid, was posted on the 21st day of May, 1945, and that such notice was posted at said place so as to be easily visible to the public;

( e ) That the said County Clerk also caused said notice of this hearing to be published in THE GILMER MIRROR, which is a newspaper of general circulation in the said County, and which said notice was published in said newspaper on the 24th day of May, 1945, which date was at least five days prior to the hearing set for the consideration of such petition.

AND WHEREAS, on this the 4th day of June, 1945, and being the date fixed for hearing said petition, the same came on to be heard in due and regular order; and,

WHEREAS, it appearing to the Court at this hearing that, if said bonds are voted and issued, the money received from the sale thereof will be applied to constructing, maintaining and operating that certain road within the said district known as " GILMER-GLENWOOD ROAD" which road runs in a southeasterly direction from the old Colored Orphanage to In-

intersect Justice Precinct No. 1, and Justice Precinct No. 5. line on the old Bruner Farm, and which road will be a part of the Road District's system of lateral roads, and no part of the State Highway system;

AND, NOW, THEREFORE, on this the 4th day of June, 1945, the Commissioners' Court of Upshur County, Texas, by reason of investigations carefully made, and from all facts found and evidence submitted at this hearing, finds, AND IT IS THE ORDER AND JUDGMENT OF THIS COURT:

( 1 ) That the petition for said bond election is signed by more than fifty ( 50 ) of the resident qualified property taxpaying voters of ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, and who had duly rendered their property for taxation.

( 2 ) That due notice of the hearing had on such petition has been issued, made and given in the time and form and manner required by law.

( 3 ) That the proposed improvements will be for the benefit of all taxable property situated within the boundaries of said ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS.

IT IS THEREFORE, FURTHER CONSIDERED AND FOUND AND ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS:

I.

That an election shall be, and is hereby ordered to be held within ROAD DISTRICT Number 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, on the 5TH day of July, 1945, and which date is not less than thirty ( 30 ) days from the date of this order, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

" WHETHER OR NOT the bonds of ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, shall be issued in the total principal sum of NINETY THOUSAND DOLLARS ( \$90,000.00 ) for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating a macadamized, graveled or paved road and turnpike, or in add thereof in said District, and which bonds are to bear interest at the rate of not exceeding THREE PER CENTUM ( 3% ) per annum, and are to be payable at such times, as may be deemed most expedient by the Commissioners' Court, but not to exceed One ( 1 ) year from the date thereof, and whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be levied on all taxable property within said Road District for the purpose of paying the interest on the said bonds and providing a sinking fund for the redemption or payment thereof at maturity."

The road to be constructed and maintained with the proceeds of the sale of said bonds is hereinabove described.

II.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that said election shall be held under the provisions of the laws of the State of Texas, particularly Chapter 16, of the General Laws of the State of Texas, passed by the Thirty-ninth Legislature, at its First Called Session in 1926.

III.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all persons who are legally qualified voters of this State, and of this County, and who are resident property taxpaying voters in ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, and who have duly rendered their property for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

" FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVY OF ADVALOREM TAXES IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

And, those opposed, shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVY OF AD VALOREM TAKES IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

IV.

The polling places and the Freiding Officers of said election shall be, respectively, as follows:

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Glenwood, VOTING PRECINCT NUMBER 8, at Schoolhouse, E.D. Robertson, Presiding Judge;  
 West MOUNTAIN, VOTING PRECINCT NUMBER 9, at Schoolhouse, Mrs. A. R. Alred Presiding  
 Judge;  
 East Mountain, VOTING PRECINCT NUMBER 21, at Schoolhouse, Jim Salter, Presiding  
 Judge; and  
 Union Grove, VOTING PRECINCT NUMBER 27, at School house, Fred Watkins, Presiding  
 Judge.

V.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the manner of holding such election and canvassing and making returns thereof, shall be governed by the GENERAL LAWS of this State, when not in conflict with the provisions of Chapter 16, of the General Laws passed by the Thirty-Ninth Legislature, at its Called Session in 1926.

VI.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in THE GILMER MIRROR, a newspaper published in Upshur County, Texas, for three successive weeks before the date of the said election, and, in addition thereto, there shall be posted other copies of this order at three public places in said ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, and also at the door of the County Courthouse in the City of Gilmer, Texas, and all of which notices shall be posted for three successive weeks prior to said election.

The County Clerk is hereby authorized, ordered and directed to post and publish notices of said election as hereinabove directed, and further orders are reserved until the returns of said election are made by the duly authorized election officers and received by this Court. The duties herein imposed upon the Clerk may be performed by said Clerk or by Deputy, as provided by law for other similar duties.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this the 4th day of June, 1945.

W. A. Lunsford, County Judge, Upshur County,  
 T E X A S.  
 E. A. Cobb,  
 Commissioner of Precinct No. 1.  
 Commissioner of Precinct No. 2.  
 L. G. McKinley,  
 Commissioner of Precinct No. 3.  
 M. O. Holmes,  
 Commissioner of Precinct No. 4.

The above order having been read, it was moved by Commissioner E.A. Cobb, and seconded by Commissioner L. G. McKinley, that it be passed. Whereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Court voted "AYE"; Commissioners Cobb, McKinley and Holmes; and the following voted "NO"; None.

MINUTES APPROVED, this the 4th day of June, 1945.

W. A. Lunsford, County Judge,  
 UPSHUR COUNTY, T E X A S.

The above and foregoing NOTICE is issued and given by me pursuant to authority conferred by the above and foregoing order of the Commissioners' Court of said County, and I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the order of said Court, ordering said bond election, and also the Minutes showing the passage thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND WITH THE SEAL OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT AFFIXED, this the 4th day of June, 1945.

Robert Taylor, County Clerk, and Ex-Officio Clerk of the

Commissioners' Court of Upshur  
County, T e x a s.

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AFFIDAVIT OF COUNTY CLERK ON POSTING NOTICES IN ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, I-A, UPSHUR  
COUNTY, TEXAS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS |  
COUNTY OF UPSHUR |

BEFORE ME, THE UNDERSIGNED AUTHORITY, a Notary Public, in and for Upshur County,  
Texas, on this day personally appeared Robert Taylor, well known to me to be the duly elect-  
ed, qualified, and acting County Clerk of Upshur County, Texas, and who, after being by me  
duly sworn, on oath deposes as follows:

( 1 ) That he is the legally qualified County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Com-  
missioners' Court of Upshur County, Texas, and has occupied such official position continu-  
ously since the first day of January 1943.

( 2 ) That as Clerk of said Commissioners' Court of said County, he did on the 21st  
day of May, 1945, post a "NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF ROAD BONDS BY  
ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS", a true copy of which notice is hereto  
attached and marked "EXHIBIT", "A", for identification, and made a part of this affidavit,  
at the following public places in said Upshur County, Texas, and in Road District Number  
1-A, of said County, to-wit:

- ONE COPY at the Courthouse door of said County, in Gilmer, Texas;
- ONE COPY AT R. N. Smith Store;
- ONE COPY at C. H. Pitman Store; and
- ONE COPY at J.A. Laster Store.

( 3 ) That on the 21st day of May, 1945, he delivered a copy of said notice to the  
Gilmer Mirror, a newspaper published in the City of Gilmer, Texas, with instructions to the  
Publisher of said paper to publish same in said newspaper not later than five days prior to  
June 4, 1945.

Robert Taylor, County Clerk and Ex-Officio  
Clerk of the Commissioners' Court, in and for  
Upshur County, Texas.

(Com. Court  
Seal)

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, this the 4th day of June, 1945.

Edrie King Edrie King  
Notary Public, in and for  
Upshur County, Texas.

(Seal)

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS |  
COUNTY OF UPSHUR |

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared R.H. Laschinger,  
who, after being by me duly sworn, deposes and says;

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(a) That he is the Editor and Publisher of THE GILMER WEEKLY MIRROR, a newspaper of general circulation, published in Gilmer, Texas.

( b ) That he published a true copy of the "NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF ROAD BONDS BY ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1-A, of UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, "hereto attached, in said paper one time in its issue of May 24, 1945.

R. H. Laschinger,

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, this the 4 day of June, 1945.

Ella Ruth Highsmith,  
Notary Public, in and for Upshur  
County, T e x a s.

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June 8, 1945.

Commissioners Court met in special session as a board of Equalization, and recessed to reconvene June 11th, 1945.

W. A. Lunsford,  
E. A. Cobb,  
L. G. McKinley,  
H. S. Taff,  
M. O. Holmes.

June 11th, 1945.

Commissioners Court met in regular session with all members present.

Motion made, seconded and carried that the County Clerk be authorized to issue warrants on General Fund to the County School Trustees in amounts of \$5000 each, \$80.00 is issued to each Trustee in 12 months.

This order effective May 24th, 1945; according to H. B. No. 238.

Motion made, seconded and carried that Commissioners Court setting as a board of equalization recess to reconvene June 16, 1945.

W. A. Lunsford,  
E. A. Cobb,  
H. S. Taff,  
L. G. McKinley,  
M. O. Holmes.

June 16th, 1945.

Motion, made, seconded and carried that Commissioners COURT setting as a board of equalization recess to reconvene June 18th, 1945.

W. A. Lunsford,  
E. A. Cobb,  
H. S. Taff,  
L. G. McKinley,  
M. O. Holmes.

June 18th, 1945.

Motion made, seconded and carried that Commissioners Court setting as a board of equalization recess to reconvene June 22nd, 1945.

June 21st, 1945, Commissioners Court met in special session and ordered the following instruments recorded.

COUNTY JUDGE'S ORDER.