

Chilton County Commissioners Minutes

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Header	State of Alabama; Chilton County. Commissioners Court - Regular Term, February 11th 1879. Present and presiding: H. J. Callen, Judge of Probate. Commissioners present: D. A. White, Moses Robinson, Kenyon Wells and J. C. Gardner.
\$25.00 - Benjamin & Monroe Dubose	It is ordered by the Court that Benjamin and Monroe Dubose be, and they are hereby, allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of twenty-five dollars for their support, 1st quarter.
\$6.00 each - C. M. Mills and Mrs. Haygood	It is ordered by the Court that C. M. Mills and Mrs. Haygood be, and they are hereby, allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of six dollars each for their support, 1st quarter.
\$5.00 - Matilda Carlisle	It is ordered by the Court that Matilda Carlisle be, and she is hereby, allowed her warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of five dollars for her support, 1st quarter.
\$5.00 - Dock Armstrong	It is ordered by the Court that Dock Armstrong be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of five dollars for his support, 1st quarter.
\$5.00 - James Andrews & wife	It is ordered by the Court that James Andrews and his wife be, and they are hereby, allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of five dollars for their support, 1st quarter.
\$6.00 each - Ruthy Lee; Rosa Overton; Eliza Hall	It is ordered by the Court that Ruthy Lee, Rosa Overton and Eliza Hall be, and they are hereby, allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of six dollars each for their support, 1st quarter.
\$12.50 - E. & N. Norris Book Page 7	It is ordered by the Court that E. & N. Norris be allowed [entry continues on next page].

Continuation - E. & N. Norris	[Continuation:] warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of twelve dollars for their support, 1st quarter.
\$6.00 each - Caroline Gibson; W. B. J. Norris; Nancy Ramey	It is ordered by the Court that Caroline Gibson, W. B. J. Norris & Nancy Ramey be, and they are hereby, allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of six dollars each for their support, 1st quarter.
\$9.00 - John Henley	It is ordered by the Court that John Henley be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of nine dollars for his support, 1st quarter.
\$5.00 each - Thomas Cunningham; Jake Walker	It is ordered by the Court that Thomas Cunningham and Jake Walker be, and they are hereby, allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of five dollars each for their support, 1st quarter.
\$10.00 - Hicks	It is ordered by the Court that Hicks be, and she is hereby, allowed her warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of ten dollars for her support for the 4th quarter 1878 & 1st quarter 1879.
Application to change Smith Ferry Road	Application in writing having been made to the Court to change the Smith Ferry Road in the following manner: to pass down Callaways Creek to Smiths Ferry through the improved lands of Mrs. M. D. Logan from the mill to lower ford on said Creek, to be altered so as to continue down said Creek on the margin of the same to the lower ford as it formerly ran; and it appearing to the Court that notice as is required by law has been given for the period of thirty days of said proposed change.
Jury of review Book Page 8	It is therefore ordered by the Court that the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed a jury of review to mark out said proposed change, to-wit: John Callaway, Gilbert Logan, Steeley Jones [entry continues on next page].

Continuation - Smith Ferry Road	[Continuation:] and report their action in the premises to the next term of this Court.
Fire-proof safe	It is ordered by the Court that H. J. Callen as Judge of Probate and Kenyon Wells as County Commissioner be, and they are hereby, appointed and empowered to purchase for the use of the County a fire-proof safe for the use of the various county officers for the better protection of the money and books & papers belonging to the County, to be made on the plan to be suggested by said H. J. Callen & Kenyon Wells. It is further ordered that said H. J. Callen as Judge of Probate, so soon as said safe shall be received, that he is hereby authorized to draw a warrant on the County Treasurer in favor of the person or firm from whom the same shall be purchased.

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\$42.50 - W. R. Bowline	It is ordered by the Court that W. R. Bowline be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of forty-two & 50/100 dollars, it being amount of repairs on the bridge across Mulberry Creek.
\$22.00 - James E. Mullins	It is ordered by the Court that James E. Mullins be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of twenty-two dollars, it being the amount of repairs of bridge over Oak Mulkey Creek.
Kelly & Mullins Road	It is ordered by the Court that there be a public road established in said County to be called the Kelly and Mullins Road, leading from a point on the Adams Ferry Road near John Kelly and intersecting the Montgomery and Clanton Road at a point near A. W. Mullins according to the survey made by the jury of review made in the premises on the 8th day of February 1879.
Overseer	It is further ordered by the Court that James Vines be hereby appointed overseer on said road to open and keep said road in repair two years from the date of this order.

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Bridge at Coopers Station	It is ordered by the Court that there be a bridge erected across Chestnut Creek at or near Coopers Station.
Bridge commissioners	It is further ordered by the Court that Kenyon Wells, P. C. Dennis and J. F. Wise be, and they are hereby, authorized and empowered to draft a plan for said bridge and to let the same to the lowest bidder after giving notice of the same for the period of twenty days, and after said bridge has been completed to receive it and report their action in the premises to this Court.
\$6.00 - Nancy Comer	It is ordered by the Court that Nancy Comer be, and she is hereby, allowed her warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of six dollars for her support, 1st quarter.
45 cts - W. H. Foshee	It is ordered by the Court that W. H. Foshee be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of forty-five cents for registering voters at November Election 1878.
20 cts - A. Palmer	It is ordered by the Court that A. Palmer be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of twenty cents for registering votes at November Election 1878.
20 cts - J. W. H. Kicker	It is ordered by the Court that J. W. H. Kicker be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of twenty cents for registering votes at November Election 1878.
\$130.19 - J. W. Parish	It is ordered by the Court that J. W. Parish, County Treasurer, be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of one hundred and thirty & 19/100 dollars for money paid out by him as County Treasurer to A. C. Ward as Commissioner, and J. B. Boykin & [entry continues].

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\$34.85 - W. H. Foshee, fines & forfeitures	It is ordered by the Court that W. H. Foshee, Clerk Circuit Court, be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer against the fine and forfeiture fund for the sum of thirty-four & 85/100 dollars.
Apportioners appointed	It is ordered by the Court that the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed apportioners of public roads of said County: Beat No. 1 - W. H. Marcus, Samuel Pate, Frank Goodgame; Beat No. 2 - Joseph Green, W. M. Byers, J. J. Motes; Beat No. 3 - Crubmly Parmer, Thomas Rasberry, Jasper Giles; Beat No. 4 - F. S. Marsh, J. R. Kemp, W. Degarnett; Beat No. 5 - J. M. Corchine, A. J. Brooks, John Kicker; Beat No. 7 - J. W. Broadhead, W. R. Bowline, N. W. Foshee; Beat N. D. - John Parnell, William Mitchell, William Parnell.
\$48.85 - Marshall & Bruce	It is ordered by the Court that Marshall & Bruce be, and they are hereby, allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of forty-eight & 85/100 dollars for stationery furnished county officers.
\$2.25 - Stewart & Co.	It is ordered by the Court that Stewart & Co. be, and they are hereby, allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of two & 25/100 dollars for grates furnished the Sheriff for the use of the jail.
\$5.00 - Dr. I. D. Lanier	It is ordered by the Court that Dr. I. D. Lanier be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of five dollars for examining Albert Headley, a lunatic.
\$15.00 - Barrett & Brown	It is ordered by the Court that Barrett & Brown be, and they are hereby, allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of fifteen dollars for tax lists furnished tax assessor.

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\$45.38 - A. W. Kennedy	It is ordered by the Court that A. W. Kennedy be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of forty-five & 38/100 dollars for materials furnished the County for the public well.
\$30.00 - Dr. J. S. Johnson Jr.	It is ordered by the Court that Dr. J. S. Johnson Jr. be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of thirty dollars for medical treatment of prisoner in jail.

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\$15.00 - Dr. J. S. Johnson Jr.	It is ordered by the Court that Dr. J. S. Johnson Jr. be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of fifteen dollars for examination of three insane persons.
Ratification of agreement - W. C. Gunter / Adam Scheuessler / Moses Simmons	It is ordered by the Court that the agreement made and entered into by and between W. C. Gunter as attorney for Chilton County and Adam Scheuessler, Moses Simmons, on the 2d day of January A.D. 1879, in regard to the adjustment of a certain judgment in favor of Chilton County against James A. Ducker et al., be and the same is hereby in all things ratified and confirmed according to the terms thereof. And the said W. C. Gunter, as the attorney for this County, be and he is hereby authorized to execute said agreement by making the necessary transfer to the said Adam Scheuessler & Moses Simmons according to the terms of said agreement.
\$73.00 - Secretary for Judge of Probate	It is ordered by the Court that H. J. Callen, Judge of Probate, be and he is hereby authorized, so soon as Bates & Grant shall complete a secretary for the office of said Judge of Probate according to the plan and specifications, the same shall be received by said Judge of Probate, to draw a warrant on the County Treasurer for the amount of seventy-three dollars included for other work agreed to be done.

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\$4.00 - E. H. Lowe Jr.	It is ordered by the Court that E. H. Lowe Jr. be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of four dollars for making mile post and finger boards.
Jury to assess damages	Whereas it has been made known to the Court by application in writing by W. M. Wadsworth that he claims damages for the reason of a public road heretofore established by this Court passing over the lands of the said W. M. Wadsworth, known as the Verbenia & Hoffham Ferry Road. It is therefore ordered by the Court that the following named persons be, and they are hereby appointed a jury to assess the damages if any accruing to said land by reason of the establishment of said road, viz: Lunsford Moore, Robert Connell, Samuel Yates, A. L. Cooper, John Moore, Jefferson Eiland, Thomas Coame, John Gardner, Benjamin Gardner, J. A. Kicker, Jackson Dennis, John Parton, and report their action in the premises to the next term of this Court.
\$71.00 - J. L. Garthman	It is ordered by the Court that H. J. Callen, Judge of Probate, be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the County Treasurer in favor of J. L. Garthman, it being the amount due said J. L. Garthman for work done on the Court House and jail & well, so soon as all of said work shall be completed.
\$1.50 - John Callen	It is ordered by the Court that John Callen be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of one & 50/100 dollars for work done about the Court House.
\$20.00 - Wilson & Edwards	It is ordered by the Court that the claim of Wilson & Edwards presented to this Court for attorney fees for the sum of twenty [entry continues on next page].

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Continuation - Wilson & Edwards	[Continuation:] be allowed thereon. It is therefore ordered by the Court that the said J. S. Edwards & Henry Wilson be, and they are hereby, allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for said sum of twenty dollars subject to their ratification.
\$12.00 - H. J. Callen	It is ordered by the Court that H. J. Callen be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of twelve dollars for presiding over the Commissioners Court at September Term 1878 & February Term 1879.
\$9.00 - D. A. White	It is ordered by the Court that D. A. White be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of nine dollars as service as County Commissioner for September & February Terms 1878-9.
\$7.60 - Moses Robinson	It is ordered by the Court that Moses Robinson be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of seven & 60/100 dollars as service as County Commissioner for September & February Terms 1878-9.
\$11.00 - J. C. Gardner	It is ordered by the Court that J. C. Gardner be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of eleven dollars as service as County Commissioner for Sept. & Feb. Terms 1878-9.
\$9.00 - Kenyon Wells	It is ordered by the Court that Kenyon Wells be, and he is hereby, allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of nine dollars as service as County Commissioner for Sept. & Feb. Terms 1878-9.
Signatures	H. J. Callen, Judge of Probate. Moses Robinson, Commissioner; D. A. White, Commissioner; Kenyon Wells, Commissioner; J. C. Gardner, Commissioner.