

Chilton County Commissioners Minutes

Regular Term, August 8 1881

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[blank]	The State of Alabama } Commissioners Court Regular Chilton County } Term, August 8th 1881 Present and presiding H. J. Callen Judge of Probate. Kenyon Wells, B. Harris, J. J. Honeycutt and R. C. Lenoir Commissioners. The Court then proceeded to transact such business as was brought before it when the following orders were made and entered in the premises.
Barnett & Brown \$25.35	It is ordered by the Court that Barnett & Brown be and they are hereby allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Twenty five & 35/100 Dollars for Books and Stationary furnished County officers.
W. H. Roberts \$8.22	It is ordered by the Court that W. H. Roberts be and they are hereby allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Eight & 22/100 Dollars for Blanks and binding Assessors Enumerators.
Marshall & Bruce \$116.50	It is ordered by the Court that Marshall and Bruce be and they are hereby allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of One hundred and Sixteen & 50/100 Dollars for Books and Stationary furnished County officers as per bill of June 26, 1881.
R. M. Honeycutt \$1.75	It is ordered by the Court that R. M. Honeycutt be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of One & 75/100 Dollars for monies expended by him for Stationary for use of his office.
H. J. Callen \$72.50	It is ordered by the Court that H. J. Callen Judge of Probate be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Seventy two & 50/100 Dollars for Ex-officio and Road service 3 quarter 1881.
W. H. Foshee \$50.00 Book Page 92	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 Fifty Dollars for Ex-officio service 3 quarter 1881.

James E. Lowe \$88.75	It is ordered by the Court that James E. Lowe, Sheriff, be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Eighty Eight & 75/100 Dollars for Ex-officio and road service & six days service in the Circuit Court Spring Term 1881, and two days service in the County Court.
J. S. Johnson Jr. \$17.00	It is ordered by the Court that J. S. Johnson Jr. be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Seventeen Dollars for medical services rendered prisoners in Jail and examination Roxanna Price, a lunatic.
R. Ehrmann \$6.60	It is ordered by the Court that R. Ehrmann be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Six & 60/100 Dollars for supplies furnished the Sheriff for use of the Court House & Jail.
J. L. Gartman \$1.50	It is ordered by the Court that J. L. Gartman be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of One & 50/100 Dollars for putting in locks at the Court House.
J. M. Askins \$3.50	It is ordered by the Court that J. M. Askins be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Three & 50/100 Dollars for measuring and putting up mile post and sign boards in Dixie Road.
W. E. Ray \$2.00	It is ordered by the Court that W. E. Ray be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Two Dollars for balance due for making a coffin for Jennie Peter, a pauper.
E. H. Lowe Jr. \$9.85	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 Nine & 85/100 Dollars for work done on the roof of the Jail & supplies furnished for the use of the Jail.
H. J. Callen \$59.23 Book Page 93	It is ordered by the Court that H. J. Callen, Judge of Probate, be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Fifty nine & 23/100 Dollars for 3 days service as presiding Judge over Court of County Commissioners, for 13 cases in County Court, \$11.50 for commissions for Auditor of Collector, [assessments], for stamps and one Abstract. [bottom line partly obscured]

R. C. Lenoir \$3.60	It is ordered by the Court that R. C. Lenoir be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Three & 60/100 Dollars for one days service and mileage as County Commissioner August Term 1881.
Buckner Harris \$9.60	It is ordered by the Court that Buckner Harris be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Nine & 60/100 Dollars for service and mileage as County Commissioner for July & August Term 1881.
J. J. Honeycutt \$7.20	It is ordered by the Court that J. J. Honeycutt be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Seven & 20/100 Dollars for service and mileage as County Commissioner for July & August Term 1881.

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K. Wells \$7.20	It is ordered by the Court that K. Wells be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Seven & 20/100 Dollars for service and mileage as County Commissioner for July & August Term 1881.
I. D. Lanier \$6.00	It is ordered by the Court that I. D. Lanier be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Six Dollars for Post Mortem Examination of Henry Hall & Mileage.
William Lambert \$12.00	It is ordered by the Court that William Lambert be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Twelve Dollars for the support of his insane son for the 3d quarter 1881.
Nancy Comer Jake Walker Dock Armstrong C. M. Mills Matilda Carlisle Thomas Lennyham Rutha Lee Willie Oniel J. G. Lepard Elizabeth Cobb Disy Smitherman \$5.00 Each Book Page 94	It is ordered by the Court that Nancy Comer, Jake Walker, Dock Armstrong, C. M. Mills, Matilda Carlisle, Thomas Lennyham, Rutha Lee, Willie Oniel, J. G. Lepard, Elizabeth Cobb and Disy Smitherman be and they are hereby allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Five Dollars each for their support for the third quarter 1881.

M. S. Murphy Jesse Wilson Mattie Jones Eliza Hall W. B. J. Norris Nancy Ramsey \$6.00 each	It is ordered by the Court that Jesse Wilson, M. S. Murphy, Mattie Jones, Eliza Hall, W. B. J. Norris and Nancy Ramsey be and they are hereby allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Six Dollars each for their support 3d quarter 1881.
Teresa Yeargan \$12.00	It is ordered by the Court that Teresa Yeargan be and she is hereby allowed her warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Twelve Dollars for her support 3d quarter 1881.
James Andrews & Wife \$9.00	It is ordered by the Court that James Andrews & Wife be and they are hereby allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Nine Dollars for their support 3d quarter 1881.
John Henley \$9.00	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 3d quarter 1881.
E. & N. Norris \$10.00	It is ordered by the Court that E. & N. Norris be and they are hereby allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Ten Dollars for their support 3d quarter 1881.
B. & M. Dubose \$25.00	It is ordered by the Court that B. & M. Dubose be and they are hereby allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Twenty five Dollars for their support 3d quarter 1881.
J. M. Parrish \$28.60	It is ordered by the Court that J. M. Parrish, County Treasurer, be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Twenty Eight & 60/100 Dollars for monies expended by him for the County.
Henry Fisher Road Overseer	Henry Fisher having presented to the Court a certificate of exemption from Road service from Dr. W. E. Stewart and Dr. I. D. Lanier, his resignation as overseer of a public road in Beat No. 4 of said County is hereby accepted.
Road from Clanton to Strassburg Book Page 95	Whereas a petition being presented to the Court praying for the establishment of a public road leading from Clanton [entry continues on next page]

[blank]	to Strassburg and beyond said place one mile by the way of J. F. Bussey. And it appearing to the Court that notice of such intended application has been given in all respects as required by law and that said proposed road lies within the limits of the County, it is therefore ordered that W. B. Allen, Alonzo Marlar, Posey Glenn, Robert Hill, James Burnett, Wash Attaway and Thomas Simmons be and they are hereby appointed a Jury of review to view and mark out said proposed road from Clanton to Strassburg the most accessible route and report their action in the premises to the next term of this Court.
Choctaw Road Discontinued	Whereas a petition has been presented to the Court by the citizens residing along the Choctaw Road in Beat No. 7 praying for an order to discontinue said road as a public road, and it appearing to the Court that said road is of no benefit or utility to the

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	travelling public, it is therefore ordered by the Court that Choctaw Road leading south from Old Maplesville be and the same is hereby discontinued.
Thomas Roberts resignation of apportioner Beat No. 8	It is ordered by the Court that the resignation of Thomas Roberts as apportioner of Public Roads of Beat No. 8 be and the same is hereby accepted.
Appointment of C. B. McDonald apportioner Beat No. 8	It is further ordered that C. B. McDonald be and he is hereby appointed apportioner of Public Roads of Beat No. 8 of said County, vice Thomas resigned.
H. J. Callen \$2.25	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 Two & 25/100 Dollars for 2 locks and express on stationery for use of the County.
Bridge Specification	It is ordered by the Court that from and after the passage of this order that the following specification of lumber [entry continues on next page]

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Bridge Specification — continued	in all bridges to be erected at the expense of the County shall be as follows: All posts & braces to be good heart timber, 10 x 10 in. Caps good heart timber, 10 x 12 in. Bridge way 12 feet wide, all mud sills to be twice the height of bridge. No sill to be less than 24 feet long. Flooring 6 in. wide, half of same 1¼ in., others 1½ inches thick.
Bridge across Yellow Leaf Creek	It is ordered by the Court that J. J. Honeycutt be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to let out a Bridge to be built across Yellow Leaf Creek at what is known as the Alex Robinson ford, said Bridge to be built according to the plan and specification prescribed by an order of this Court at the present term. It is further ordered that he report his action in the premises to the next term of this Court.
Bridge at Benson	It is ordered by the Court that R. C. Lenoir be and he is hereby empowered to have the Bridge across the Creek at Benson in said County repaired and report his action in the premises to the next term of this Court.
Bridge at Cordries Mill	It is ordered by the Court that K. Wells be and he is hereby authorized to repair the Bridge across Johnson Creek at or near J. M. Cordries Mill in said County and report his action in the premises to the next term of this Court.
Bridge across Curry Road over Mulberry Creek	It is ordered by the Court that Buckner Harris be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to let out a Bridge to be built across Mulberry Creek on the Curry Road, to be built according to the plan and specifications prescribed by an order of this Court at the present term. It is further ordered that he report his action in the premises to the next term of this Court.

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H. J. Callen to issue order to pay for Bridge \$63.50	It is ordered by the Court that H. J. Callen be and he is hereby authorized to give an order on the County Treasurer in favor of J. C. Sewell for building a Bridge, whenever it shall be reported by R. C. Lenoir as being completed according to the plan and specification of the same.
Jasper Trawic Road Overseer	It is ordered by the Court that Jasper Trawic be and he is hereby appointed overseer to finish opening up the road leading from Mrs. M. D. Logan's gate to again intersecting the Zimmerman Ferry Road near Mrs. Evers.
Rate of County Tax 1881	It is ordered by the Court that there be assessed and collected for County purposes for the Tax year 1881, one half of one percent on each one hundred Dollars or fractional part thereof of real and personal property assessed for State Tax during and for the year 1881 in the County of Chilton in said State. It is further ordered by the Court that the Judge of Probate be and he is hereby required to collect on all license issued under the revenue laws of the State of Alabama from now until the August Term of this Court 1882, the sum of fifty percent or one half of one percent on all State Taxes so collected.
J. D. Parnell 35 cts	It is ordered by the Court that J. D. Parnell be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Thirty five cents for registering Seven electors at Special Election held on the 26 day of April 1881.
W. T. Callen \$1.45	It is ordered by the Court that W. T. Callen be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of One Dollar & 45 cents for registering twenty nine Electors at the Special Election held on the 26 day of April 1881.

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J. J. Kicker \$2.65	It is ordered by the Court that J. J. Kicker be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Two & 65/100 Dollars for registering fifty three Electors at the Special Election held on the 26 day of April 1881.
F. M. Vines 20 cts	It is ordered by the Court that F. M. Vines be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Twenty cents for registering four Electors at the Special Election held on the 26 day of April 1881.
Barnett & Brown \$64.50	It is ordered by the Court that Barnett & Brown be and they are hereby allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Sixty four & 50/100 Dollars for Books and Stationery furnished County officers.
W. E. Stewart County Physician	It is ordered by the Court that Dr. W. E. Stewart be and he is hereby employed as a Physician for the County at and for the sum of Twenty Dollars per annum.
[blank]	H. J. Callen, Judge of Probate Buckner Harris, Commissioner J. J. Honeycutt K. Wells