

Chilton County Commissioners Minutes

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Regular Term February 11th 1884	The State of Alabama, Chilton County. Commissioners Court Regular Term February 11th 1884. Present and presiding Hon. H. J. Callen, Judge of Probate; K. Wells, Buckner Harris, J. J. Honeycutt Commissioners. MARGIN/DOCKET: County tax order reconsidered MAIN TEXT: Whereas at the August Term of this Court A.D. 1882 the following order was entered in the premises, viz: It is ordered by the Court that there be assessed and collected for County purposes for the tax year 1882 four tenths of one percent on each one hundred Dollars worth or fractional part thereof of real and personal property assessed for State tax during the year 1882 in the County of Chilton; and said order further required the Judge of Probate to collect on licenses issued under the revenue laws of the State of Alabama from now until the August Term of this Court 1883 the sum of one half of one percent on all State taxes so collected. And whereas it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the latter part of the foregoing order, to wit that portion fixing the amount to be collected on all licenses for County purposes under the revenue laws of this State, is in error as the same stands stated and recorded in the minutes and proceedings of this Court during August 1882. It is therefore ordered by the Court that said order as before set forth be altered and read as follows: It is ordered by the Court that there be assessed and collected for County purposes for the tax year 1882 four tenths of one percent on each one hundred Dollars worth or fractional part thereof of the valuation of real and personal property assessed for State tax during the year 1882 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 licenses issued under the revenue laws of the State of Alabama from now until the August Term of this Court 1883 the sum of fifty percent of the amount of State license [continued on Page 172].
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County tax order reconsidered — continued	Whereas at the August Term of this Court A.D. 1883 the following order was made and entered in the premises, viz: It is ordered by the Court that there shall be assessed and collected a tax of four tenths of one percent for County purposes on all property, real and personal, assessed for the State for the tax year 1883 and no more. It is further ordered by the Court that the Judge of Probate be and he is hereby required to collect on all licenses issued under the revenue laws of this State the sum of one half of one percent on the amount charged by the State for said license for County purposes. And whereas it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the latter part of the foregoing order, to wit that portion fixing the amount to be collected on all licenses for County purposes under the revenue laws of this State is in error as the same stands stated and recorded in the minutes and proceedings of this Court during August 1883. It is therefore ordered by the Court that said order as above set forth be and the same is hereby amended and made to read as follows: It is ordered by the Court that there be assessed and collected a tax of [3/10 or 4/10] of one percent for County purposes on all property, real and personal, assessed for the State for the tax year 1883 and no more. 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 1884 the sum of fifty percent of the amount of State license. MARGIN/DOCKET: H. J. Callen MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that the sum of Five Dollars be allowed to H. J. Callen to keep Joseph Marcus because he and the same is heretofore ratified by the Court. [uncertain]
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New Road	Whereas application in writing has been made to the Court for an order to open a new road leading from Clanton Alabama, running in a nearly easterly direction for three miles and to intersect the Smiths Ferry Road at W. A. Wells. And it appears to the Court that due and legal notice has been given as required by law of said intended application, and it appearing to the Court that said proposed new road lies within the limits of this County. It is therefore ordered by the Court that E. H. Parish, J. L. Maddox, S. A. Blasingame, Elijh Easterling, Bennett Easterling, John Baker Sr. and Henry Dupree be and they are hereby appointed a Jury of View to view and mark out said proposed new road and that they have notice of their appointment and that they be and are hereby required to view and mark out said proposed road and report their action in the premises to the next term of this Court. MARGIN/DOCKET: Jacob Lavinsky — \$8.61 3/4 MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that Jacob Lavinsky be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Eight & 61 3/4 Dollars for lumber and work done on bridge across Chesnut Creek near Cooper's Station. MARGIN/DOCKET: W. B. Strock — \$32.67 MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that W. B. Strock be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Thirty two & 67/100 Dollars for lumber and work done on bridge across Chesnut Creek near the Nelson old place. MARGIN/DOCKET: To establish a change in the Calera Road MAIN TEXT: Whereas at the last term of this Court an order was made and entered in the premises appointing John Campbell, E. W. Honeycutt, Thomas Dorminy, H. Conway, Marion Glasscock and George Collum a Jury of View to view and mark out a change in the Calera Road. And whereas at the present term of this Court said Jury of View have in accordance
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Calera Road change — continued	and W. H. Conways and intersecting near John Campbell's. It is further ordered that said Calera Road be changed in accordance with the report of said Jury of View. It is further ordered that said overseer on said Road be and he is hereby required to open said road in accordance with the change reported by said Jury of View. MARGIN/DOCKET: Dake and Grant — \$20.00 MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that Dake and Grant be and they are hereby allowed their warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Twenty Dollars for balance due them on account for desks and tables furnished for use of Sheriff & Register's offices. MARGIN/DOCKET: J. W. Parish, County Treasurer — \$77.30 MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that J. W. Parish be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Seventy Seven & 30/100 Dollars for monies paid out by him to J. H. Aldridge for carrying Taylor Mims to the Asylum (\$34.50), W. A. Smith Tax Assessor express (50), W. H. Burton for feeding Taylor Mims & Benson in Jail (\$11.10), for Sheriff & Register's desk (\$30.00), W. H. Foshee Clerk for wood. MARGIN/DOCKET: Bridge across Little Mulberry Creek at Mills Ford MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that K. Wells be and he is hereby authorized to let a bridge to be built across Little Mulberry Creek on the Dixie & Cooper Road at what is known as the Mills Ford on said creek. MARGIN/DOCKET: Alonzo Marler — \$2.30 MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that Alonzo Marler be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasurer for the sum of Two 30/100 Dollars for moving pauper to Poor House. MARGIN/DOCKET: J. W. Gullahorn & Bro — \$8.65 MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that J. W. Gullahorn & Bro be and they are hereby allowed their warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Eight & 65/100 Dollars for brooms, candles, & nails furnished for use by the County Sheriff.
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Dr. W. E. Stewart — \$25.00	It is ordered by the Court that Dr. W. E. Stewart be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Twenty-five Dollars for services as physician for the County per contract from Nov. 1883 to Feb. 1884. MARGIN/DOCKET: W. D. Brown & Co. — \$19.00 MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that W. D. Brown & Co. be and they are hereby allowed their warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Nineteen Dollars for Blank assessment and stationery furnished for use of W. A. Smith Tax Assessor. MARGIN/DOCKET: L. B. Wells & Son — \$1.66 MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that L. B. Wells & Son be and they are hereby allowed their warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of One & 66/100 Dollars for lumber furnished for use at Jail. MARGIN/DOCKET: J. E. Callier — \$2.00 MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that J. E. Callier be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Two Dollars for making and painting 4 sign boards for public roads. MARGIN/DOCKET: George H. Rogers — \$134.50 MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that George H. Rogers be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of One Hundred and Thirty Four & 50/100 Dollars for books and stationery furnished for the County officers. MARGIN/DOCKET: John Garner, Sheriff — \$92.95 MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that John Garner, Sheriff, be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Ninety two & 95/100 Dollars for Ex-officio & Road service 4th quarter, and for five days attendance on the County Court, for wood, stamps and securing 2 rooms at the Jail. MARGIN/DOCKET: R. Ehrmann — \$19.65 MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that R. Ehrmann be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Nineteen & 65/100 Dollars for balance due for supplies furnished for use of County.
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**J. B. Boykin —
\$2.05**

It is ordered by the Court that John B. Boykin be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Two & 05/100 Dollars for lumber, auger, lock, nails and work on woodrack for use of Clerk of Circuit Court.

MARGIN/DOCKET: A. Rachells — \$1.50

MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that A. Rachells be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of One 50/100 Dollars for making sign boards and 4 mile posts for public roads.

MARGIN/DOCKET: H. J. Callen — \$4.20

MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that H. J. Callen be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Four 20/100 Dollars for monies paid out by him for wood and hauling the same. [amount uncertain]

MARGIN/DOCKET: Change ordered in the Verbena & Knights Ferry Road

MAIN TEXT: Whereas at the August Term of this Court A.D. 1883 an order was made and entered in the premises appointing W. D. Goss, A. L. Patillo, W. S. Howard, John J. Mims, W. Y. Mims and W. J. Estes a Jury of View to view and mark out a change on the Verbena & Knights Ferry Road. And whereas at the present term of this Court said Jury of View have in accordance with said order made their report in writing setting forth among other things that they have viewed and marked out said proposed change as follows: commencing at or near Charles Williams and running in a S.W. direction about a half mile and thence intersecting said Verbena and Knights Ferry road near Mary Williams fence. It is therefore ordered by the Court that said Knights Ferry and Verbena Road be changed in accordance with the report of said Jury of View.

MARGIN/DOCKET: Jesse Thomas — \$3.58

MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that Jesse Thomas be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Three & 58/100 Dollars for moving Sealey Mills to the Poor House.

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James M. Corderie — \$44.40; Cordie — \$8.40; John Henley — \$18.00; Walter Jones — \$18.00

It is ordered by the Court that James M. Corderie, keeper of the poor, be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Forty-four & 40/100 Dollars for feeding paupers, it being \$2.80 for Mrs. Hall, \$2.80 for Mrs. Cook, \$16 for Sealey Mills, \$18 for the support of John Henley, \$18 for the support of Walter Jones.

MARGIN/DOCKET: J. L. Williams, County Surveyor

MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that J. L. Williams be and he is hereby appointed County Surveyor. It is further ordered that the said J. L. Williams be and he is hereby required to give bond in the amount prescribed by law within the time prescribed by law.

MARGIN/DOCKET: W. H. Foshee — \$50.00

MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that W. H. Foshee be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Fifty Dollars for Ex-officio service 1st quarter.

MARGIN/DOCKET: H. J. Callen — \$72.50

MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that H. J. Callen be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Seventy two & 50/100 Dollars for Ex-officio and road service 1st quarter.

MARGIN/DOCKET: K. Wells — \$3.60

MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that K. Wells be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Three 60/100 Dollars for 1 day's service and mileage as member of Court of County Commissioners, February Term 1884.

MARGIN/DOCKET: J. J. Honeycutt — \$3.60

MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that J. J. Honeycutt be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Three 60/100 Dollars for one day's service and mileage as member of Court of County Commissioners, February Term 1884.

MARGIN/DOCKET: B. Harris — \$4.80

MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that B. Harris be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Four & 80/100 Dollars for one day's service and mileage as member of Court of County Commissioners, February Term 1884.

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**H. J. Callen —
\$23.00**

It is ordered by the Court that H. J. Callen, Judge of Probate, be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Twenty three Dollars for six cases in the County Court.

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	MARGIN/DOCKET: County convicts MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that H. J. Callen and K. Wells be and they are hereby authorized to hire the convicts sentenced to imprisonment for the County for the next ensuing year. It is further ordered that the said H. J. Callen and K. Wells be and are hereby empowered to adopt what manner and in what particular works or labor said convicts shall perform. They are further empowered to adopt so far as applicable the rules and regulations established by the inspectors of the penitentiary for the management and safe keeping of said convicts. MARGIN/DOCKET: W. M. Wilson — \$11.50 MAIN TEXT: It is ordered by the Court that W. M. Wilson be and he is hereby allowed his warrant on the County Treasury for the sum of Eleven & 50/100 Dollars for provisions furnished Mrs. Halie a pauper. MARGIN/DOCKET: H. J. Callen — \$6.00 MAIN TEXT: 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 Six Dollars for presiding over Commissioners Court and keeping minutes of February Term A.D. 1884. H. J. Callen, Judge of Probate; Buckner Harris; K. Wells; J. J. Honeycutt.
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