

Commissioners' Court Minutes — Book 5 — February 12, 1902, through February 18, 1911

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	<i>The first three pages of Volume 5 were a continuation of the Commissioner's Court minutes from February 12-15, 1902. Their content is included with Volume 4.</i>				
F. W. Dorow, County Judge; William Hudspeth, JP, Pct. 1; J. A. Currie, County Clerk	Stock Law Election (March 27, 1902) certification: 18 votes for; 9 against. Hogs, sheep and goats are not permitted to run at large within the detailed territory. (page 4)	1902-03-28	-	5	4
F. W. Dorow, County Judge; A. L. Mansfield (Pct. 1), H. E. Rambie (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), Smith Coffey (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; J. A. Currie, Clerk	The Court paid P. O. Love \$75 "for fixing the Medina and Utopia Road from the Ten Mile post to the top of the Divide." (page 5) Local Option Election results: 333 votes for prohibition, 288 votes against prohibition. The sale of intoxicating liquors was "absolutely prohibited" in Bandera County. (pages 5-6) M. K. Fred offered to paint the courthouse roof with "cold Japan," and insure against leakage for 5 years for "\$1.00 per square." The Court entered into a contract with him. (page 6) The Court paid the election judges. (pages 6-8) J. W. Evans and 46 others petitioned for School District 12 to be divided. The new district, cut off from District 12, was to be known as Tarpley School District 15. The field notes are included in the minutes. (page 8)	1902-03-29	R	5	5-8
F. W. Dorow, County Judge; A. L. Mansfield (Pct. 1), H. E. Rambie (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; J. A. Currie, Clerk	The returns of the school trustee elections are listed. (pages 9-10) The final settlement of Tax Collector York's tax reports with the Court was set for May 1902. (page 10) E. J. Darden was appointed County Attorney and was paid \$60 ("in cash") for representing the county in District Court. (page 10) J. W. Holt and 20 others petitioned for a School District 16 election to determine school tax. (page 10) J. W. Douglas and others petitioned for a right-of-way for a telephone line to run down the Hondo and Tarpley road. Granted. (page 10) D. E. Shackelford and four others petitioned to abolish the County Line School District 26 "lying in Bandera & Edwards counties." The petition was granted and the part of that district in Bandera County was established as School District 26. (page 11) F. R. Caffall was appointed JP for Precinct 6. (page 11)	1902-04-21	S	5	9-11
F. W. Dorow, County Judge; <i>(the commissioners were not listed);</i> T. M. York, Sheriff; J. A. Currie, Clerk	S. T. Gooch and seven others petitioned for a third-class road "from Gooch & Reavises Goat shed on East Side of Little creek North to first crossing...below Jessee Gazaways House previous to the Second order of the Commissioners Court made Feb. 10 <sup>th</sup> 1902 and discontinue the old Road through Gooch & Reavis Pasture from there Goat shed to Bob Sneed Horse Lot and appoint a jury of viewers to view and mark (out) a Road from First crossing of Little creek below Jessee Gazaway's House up said creek to Mr. Martins Ranch also commencing at or near N. W. corner of Survey No. 5 from thence East view and mark out a Road to A J. Bennetts Ranch." The Court appointed a jury: Lum Vickers, Henry Taylor,	1902-05-12	R	5	12-13

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<p>F. W. Dorow, County Judge;  <i>(the commissioners were not listed);</i>                      T. M. York, Sheriff;                      J. A. Currie, Clerk</p>	<p><i>(continued)</i> R.H. Thompson, N. T. Green and Wilse O'Bryant. (pages 12-13)                      John Allen and seven others applied for a new third-class road from the house of T. M. Kuatoher to the Medina and West Prong road. The Court rejected the application because "Said parties now have a road." (page 13)                      Joseph Dempsey and fifteen others petitioned for a change in the Bandera, Medina and Utopia road. The Court, on its own motion, ordered a change in the road along the West Prong. (pages 13-14)                      J. D. Evans and eight other petitioned for a new third-class road. The Court rejected because there were not enough signers. (page 14)                      W. L. Mayfield's petition for a hog law election was rejected for lack of enough legal signers. (page 14)                      M. C. Click was appointed Election Manager of Precinct 8; the present Manager, J. G. Horton, didn't live in the precinct. (page 14)                      Douglas Bros. and other petitioned for a change in the Hondo and Tarpley road. The change was granted by the Court on its own motion. (pages 14-15)                      The Court paid various claims. (page 15)                      J. B. Stidham, Sr., and others applied for a stock law election. "It appearing to the Court that there is, at present, a contest of a Stock Law Election pending in the District Court Bandera County, Texas, to which this if ordered will bear some relation..." The Court tabled this petition until the District case is decided. (page 16)                      Robert Kincheloe and others petitioned for a third-class road involving land belonging to Kincheloe heirs, Robert A. Harper heirs, and Louis Tampke to the intersection of Little Creek road. This request was granted by the Court's own order, with the road to be supervised by Comm. Smith Coffey. (pages 16-17)                      J. B. O'Bryant was appointed JP for Justice Precinct 4. (page 17)                      Dr. J. O. Butler was allowed \$36 for post mortems on John Penland and Mrs. J. T. Reeves. (page 17)                      The Court paid \$64.25 to the Maverick-Clark Co. for "Books, Blanks, etc." (page 17)                      Comm. Mansfield moved to buy a road grader, seconded by Comm. Rambie. Comms. Coffey and Keyes and Judge Dorow voted no. (page 18)                      Charles de Montel and others applied for a new voting precinct. The Court approved and the new precinct is Camp Verde Box No. 13 and comprised "all the tributaries of Cam Verde Creek including the Settlements on said creek..., and that the voting place shall be Blackett School House." (page 18)                      Tax Collector York was ordered to collect courthouse rent and also from Deputy Hide and Animal Inspector Ross. (page 19)                      Voting Precinct 5's voting place was changed from the Tarpley schoolhouse to Douglas Bros. store. (page 19)</p>	1902-05-12	R	5	12-19

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F. W. Dorow, County Judge; (the commissioners were not listed); T. M. York, Sheriff; J. A. Currie, Clerk	(continued) Judge Dorow and Comm. Mansfield were authorized "to employ some one to stop the Bats out of the Courthouse if they can." (page 19) County Treasurer V. P. Sanders presented his quarterly report along with vouchers, coupons and paid up bonds. Approved. (pages 19-22) Tax Collector T. M. York presented his report of errors and assessments, lists of delinquent and insolvent taxpayers, and list of lands and lots delinquent. (pages 23-24) C. W. Bush and 16 other Precinct 3 "Freeholders" petitioned for a new third-class road beginning on Laxson's creek and terminating at the Medina and Center Point road. The Court appointed a jury: C. H. Thalmann, J. A. V. Pue, J. W. Wallar, R. J. McCurdy and E. Hicks. (page 24)	1902-05-12	R	5	19-25
	T. S. Colbath was allowed \$64.40 for building a bridge on the Medina and "Centrepont" road. (page 25) Charles Schmidtke and 12 others for a new third-class road "at or near Ed Clarke's, thence by the most practical route to the crossing of the Medina river near the residence of Frank Hay, thence to intersect the Bandera and Medina City road. The Court appointed a jury: Will Maass, E. Kindla, Ben Batto, Albert Adamitz and James Cox. (page 26) The Court sat as a Board of Equalization and examined the Assessor's invoice sheets and the 1901 tax rolls. (pages 26-28) The Court accepted the jury report on the new road C. W. Bush and others petitioned for. "And the Court finds that there is no necessity to establish said road as the parties now owning the land over which said road runs, have granted said Bush the right of way. (page 29) "The Petition of Hasten Dial et als to move West Prong school house is rejected, for the reason that a counter petition has been presented to the Court with the same number of signers asking that the house stand where it is." (page 29) The Court ordered Judge Dorow to "draw sufficient scrip out of G. S. F. to pay 'Frenchie' for stopping bats out of the dome of the court house." (page 29)	1902-06-13	S	5	25-29
F. W. Dorow, County Judge; A. L. Mansfield (Pct. 1), H. E. Rambie (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), Smith Coffey (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; J. A. Currie, Clerk	The Court heard protests about valuations. It let most stand and lowered some. (page 30)	1902-07-07	S	5	30-31
	County Judge's certification of the local option election results from March 29, 1902. (pages 31-32)	1902-07-18		5	31-32

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	The Court rejected the jury of view's report on the Gooch and Reavis road on Little Creek (May 12, 1902) and ordered them to correct it. (page 32)				
	The Delinquent and Insolvent Tax List for 1901 was entered into the minutes. (pages 31-35).				
	J. D. Evans and eight others from Precinct 1 petitioned for a new road beginning at the Privilege and Center Point road on J. D. Evans ranch. Thence following the "neighborhood road" to the Bandera and Center Point road south of Jack ranch. The Court appointed a jury: L. N. Coffey, H. G. Johnson, J. N. Mickle, John Dugosh and J. A. Miller. (page 36)				
	The Court, on its own motions, allowed J. W. Minear to change the Medina and Center Point road where it lies entirely on his land. (page 36)				
	The Court approved the jury report of the road requested by Charles Schmidtke. The road was described in detail; the only damages assessed were \$5 to Joe Postert. (pages 36-37)				
	County Surveyor J. L. Jernigan resigned his post; the Court appointed W. R. Fletcher to replace him. (page 37)				
	The Court allowed Charles L. Moravitz to build a culvert on the Bandera and Utopia road, "on condition that [he] keep such culvert in good repair." (page 37)				
	The Court allowed pauper Jesse Hinkley \$20 from the general fund "to help pay his expenses in returning home to Michigan." (page 37)				
	County Treasurer Sanders presented his quarterly report. (pages 38-40)				
	The Court paid various claims. (pages 40-42)				
	The Court rejected Wils O'Bryant's claim of \$100 for pecan timber cut by overseer. (page 40)				
	John V. Pyka was appointed Precinct 1 constable. (page 40)				
	The Court on its own allowed E. F. Kindla to change the Bandera and Hondo Cañon road, and rejected the petition of Kindla and others to change the road. (page 41)				
F. W. Dorow, County Judge; A. L. Mansfield (Pct. 1), H. E. Rambie (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), Smith Coffey (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; J. A. Currie, Clerk	The Court ordered "that Hondo Cañon creek with all its tributaries be detached from Comm. Precinct No. 4 and attached to Comm. Precinct No. 1, and that the main prong of Winan's Creek be the dividing line between Precinct No. 1 and No. 3." (page 43)	1902-08-11	R	5	32-43
	General Election (November 1902) results: County Judge - J. W. Currie District & County Clerk - Sam O'Bryant Sheriff & Tax Collector - T. M. York Tax Assessor - John J. Bandy Treasurer - V. P. Sanders County Surveyor - W. R. Fletcher Inspector of Hides and Animals - William S. Ross Commissioner Precinct 1 - Kasper Dugosh Commissioner Precinct 2 - J. A. Steinle Commissioner Precinct 3 - T. H. Keese Commissioner Precinct 4 - H. T. Kennedy	1902-11-10	R	5	44

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	JP Precinct 1 - William Hudspeth				
	JP Precinct 3 - Sam Mayfield				
	JP Precinct 4 - J. B. O'Bryant				
	JP Precinct 5 - Perry Click				
	JP Precinct 6 - T. R. Caffall				
	Constable Precinct 1 - John Pyka Jr.				
	Constable Precinct 3 - M. E. Carpenter				
	Constable Precinct 4 - J. A. Thompson				
	Constable Precinct 5 - J. H. Fulgam				
	Constable Precinct 5 - S. N. Padgett (page 44)				
	The Court paid various claims. (pages 44-46)				
	The Court referred the jury report on the road requested by J. D. Evans (August 1902), because not all landowners had received legal notice. (page 45)				
	S. H. Goodman and 25 others asked for a stock law election in the district including Medina City, which the Court granted. (pages 45, 47)				
	R. E. Buckner and others asked for a stock law election in Precinct 6, which the Court granted. (pages 45, 54) The Court then reconsidered and rejected the petition because "the precinct is not properly defined." (page 55)				
	William Smallwood and 11 others petitioned for a new third-class road beginning on the West Prong and Upper Sabinal road, extending up Jackson's creek, across the divide, down the Seco and ending at the Bandera and Utopia road. The Court appointed a jury: Joe Haby, F. X. Haby, John Boultinghouse, R. E. Love and Joe Dempsey. (page 46)				
	Gustav Kleinstein was allowed to build a culvert across the Bandera and Medina City road at the upper end of the old Maverick pasture. (page 47)				
F. W. Dorow, County Judge; A. L. Mansfield (Pct. 1), H. E. Rambie (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), Smith Coffey (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; J. A. Currie, Clerk	The Treasurer presented his quarterly reports. (pages 48-49)				
	The Court paid various claims. (pages 49-54)				
	The Court rejected the petition of C. B. Coulter and others for a new third-class road, because "they have a road." (page 53)	1902-11-10	R	5	44-55
	Bonds were accepted: Perry Click-JP Precinct 5; John J. Bandy-Tax Assessor; R. W. Fletcher-County Surveyor; J. A. Thompson-Constable Precinct 4; William Hudspeth-JP Precinct 1; J. H. Fulgham-Constable Precinct 5; V. P. Sanders-Treasurer; Tom M. York-Sheriff and Tax Collector for County and State;. (pages 56-57)				
	The Court paid various claims, including Alfred Duncan for \$9 for digging the grave of Aunt Polly Stringer. (page 57)				
	S. J. Thompson was appointed JP Precinct 3. (page 57)				
	J. B. O'Bryant's bond for JP Precinct 4 was rejected because "it is incorrect in form." The Court appointed him JP for Precinct 4. (pages 57-58)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	The County Judge was ordered to buy 15 cords of wood for the county and lumber for coffins for paupers. (page 58)				
	Comm. Kennedy was allowed one day for coming and going to Comm. Court. (page 58)	1902-12-02	S	5	56-58

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J. W. Currie, County Judge; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	Election results certified: 33 votes for the stock law and 17 votes against the law. Hogs, sheep and goats are not allowed to run at large in the described subdivision of the County. (pages 58-59)	1902-12-22		5	58-59
	Rancho Hartz was ordered released from jail. (page 60)				
	The Court rejected the jury's report on a road up Jackson Creek, because the report didn't say whether all landowners were notified. (page 60)				
	The County Treasurer submitted his quarterly reports. (pages 60-62)				
	Bankers certified that the County had deposits with them of \$9,096.36 and \$595.12 (page 63)				
	The Court accepted P. W. Thompson's proposal to settle for \$1,000 as payment in full of the judgment against him, provided that he pay by March 1, 1903. (pages 64, 71)				
	The Court levied taxes: \$.25/\$100 valuation for general purposes; \$.25 against bonds and indebtedness; \$.15 for roads and bridges; \$.02 ½ for courthouse expenses; \$.03 for the general sinking fund; \$.25 poll tax; occupation tax; varied school taxes. (pages 64-65)				
	Louis Tampke, S. T. Gooch and J. Henry Reavis offered land to the County in order to create Little Creek road, which the Court accepted. (pages 65-66)				
	J. A. Steinle, Precinct 2, road report: the Bandera and San Antonio road is good from Privilege Creek for about ½ mile, then "rocky and rough to near B. Cravey's, a mud hole at B. Cravey's field needs to be drained..." The Boerne and Bandera road in general fair condition; "...most especially commend the overseer and his few hands for skillful and efficient labor performed." Bandera and Privilege is "a natural good road." On the Privilege and San Antonio road both banks "are dilapidated pretty steep and need to be worked." where it crosses Privilege creek. "Jesus Obeido's said mountain side has not the proper drainage and is somewhat rocky." Privilege and Center Point road had not been worked. Bear Springs road "is a hard one from one end to the other. The road has been established for twelve years and it is doubtful whether a person could drive it with a wagon." Bandera and Red Bluff road is in good condition, but the public "leaves the reviewed road across the Glass survey on account of the impracticability of the route and a change...is absolutely necessary." "The Pipe Creek road is three miles long and in fair condition. Bottle Springs road, Elm & Bluff Creek road, Shafer road, and Bandera & Castroville road comprise... a distance of about 28 miles and have a working force of nine hands. The roads are situated in an isolated part of the county and are used only occasionally." (pages 66-67)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	T. H. Keese, Precinct 3, road report: Medina City and Kerrville road via Wallace Creek in very good condition. Clark's Creek road passable.	1903-02-09 1903-02-10 1903-02-11	R	5	60-68

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	<p><i>(continued)</i> Coal Kiln road not very good. Elm Creek is a short road and very good. The report most often refers to his roads by number rather than name. (page 68)</p> <p>H. T. Kennedy, Precinct 4, road report: Hondo and Sabinal very rough; Sabinal and Leakey bad; Utopia and Vanderpool "from foot of mountain to dry Ponds very rough balance fairly good" ; Vanderpool and Medina rough. (pages 68-69)</p> <p>Kasper Dugos, Precinct 1, road report: San Antonio road good, "somewhat washed out between the three &amp; four mile the Privilege hill and to be wider because there is just room for one wagon to pass on Privilege bank." No. 2 road needs a lot of work. "Quihi road is in a very fair condition only the overseer had neglected it some at the Julian Creek it's a gully washed out so it looks dangerous for night travel." Uvalde road dangerous in places. Center Point road and Bandera and Kerrville road are in fairly good condition. Bandera and Medina City is very good, "is known as Ridge road" and has some bad conditions. [Not clear is he is referring to two different roads.] Thomas Creek is not very good. Evans road leading to Medina County is in fairly good condition. Bottle Springs road is in pretty good shape. Medina City and Center Point road is in bad condition. "It runs to an awful bad piece of country. It just winds around hills and hollows." Camp Verde Creek road is smooth, because it is short with little travel. (pages 69-71)</p> <p>J. C. Lane and 19 others petitioned for an election to determine whether hogs, sheep and goats be permitted to run at. The Court determined that the election would be held on March 21, 1903, at the Tarpley store of Kaffall Bros. (pages 71-72)</p> <p>County salaries were determined: \$250 – County Judge and Sheriff; \$200 – District Clerk; \$100 – County Clerk; \$175 – County Judge as Ex Officio School Superintendent. (page 72)</p> <p>The Court appointed general election managers and school election managers. (pages 73-74)</p> <p>The Court ordered County Assessor John J. Bandy and County Surveyor Robert Fletcher "to occupy the room in the Court house now occupied by Chas. Montague." "The front room to the left known as the County Attorney's office to be rented to the highest bidder." (page 74)</p> <p>The Court rejected the previous jury report on the J. D. Evans road and reappointed the members (L. N. Coffey, H. G. Johnson, J. N. Mickle, John Dugosh and J. A. Miller) to lay out and describe the road to begin at the Privilege and Center Point road on J. D. Evans' ranch, following "the present neighborhood road" to the Bandera and Center Point road south of Jack ranch. (pages 74-75)</p> <p>The Court rescinded the order that the County Judge must work County convicts on public works and roads and passed that job to the Precinct 1 Commissioner . (page 75)</p>	<p>1903-02-11</p> <p>1903-02-12</p>		5	68-75
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk</p>					

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	<i>(continued)</i> The Court rejected the petition of J. J. Jackson and 12 others for a stock law election in Voting Precinct 13, because it didn't properly define the territory. (page 75) The Court rejected the petition of J. F. Hathaway and others to repeal the school tax order for School District 6, because "the Court has no authority to cancel said order." (page 75)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	The Court ordered "that all occupants of the Court House shall dump all ashes and other refuse matter in the North corner of Court yard." (page 76) The Court ordered \$6.25/month for paupers for three months: Mrs. Adair, Mrs. Jenks Ward and James Stringer. (page 76	1903-02-12	R	5	75-76
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	The Court accepted Tom M. York's bonds as Tax Collector for the County and State. The Court deferred action on York's bond as Sheriff because the acknowledgments were not properly attached. (page 77)	1903-03-14	S	5	77
J. W. Currie, County Judge	Tarpley stock law election results: 16 for the law and 24 against. (page 77)	1903-03-22	-	5	77
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	Results of school trustee elections. (pages 78-79) Sheriff York's bond was approved. (page 79) The Court order the County Judge to rent the "South room upstairs in the Court house now used as a library" for \$1 per month. (page 79) Charles Montague proposed that he rent that upstairs room. Comms. Dugos and Kenney voted for the proposal, Comms. Steinle and Keese and the County Judge voted no. (page 79)	1903-04-20	S	5	78-79
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	The Court allowed Ben Jureczki \$1 per day to clean out the cistern in the courtyard. (page 80) Treasurer Sanders presented his quarterly report. (pages 80-82) Tax Collector York submitted his delinquent taxes list. (pages 82-87) County officials submitted their various quarterly reports. (page 88) The Court deferred action on B. F. Langford's petition to change the Castroville road and the counter petition of R. A. Chipman. (page 88) The jury on the Jackson Creek road reported on the road they laid out. The Court accepted the report. (pages 88-89) The Court granted B. F. Langford's petition to work the Castroville road as reviewed and established across Langford's land. (page 90)	1903-05-11	R	5	80-90
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	The Court established payments for some paupers. (pages 91, 94) Tax Assessor's list of changed valuations was presented. (pages 91-93) The Court ordered Judge Currie to "have a chain bucket pump put in the cistern in the Court House yard and have the cistern so closed that trash cannot get into it." (page 94 The Court heard valuation protests. (page 94)	1903-06-08 1903-06-29	S	5	91-95



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	<p>Treasurer Sanders submitted his quarterly reports. (pages 96-98)</p>				
	<p>In compliance with an act passed by the 28<sup>th</sup> Legislature regulating elections (Sec. II), the Court ordered the County divided into 13 election precincts: <b>Precinct 1 – Bandera; Precinct 2 – Pipe Creek; Precinct 3 – Medina City; Precinct 4 – “Lima,”</b> beginning on the county line between Kerr and Bandera Counties, following the mountain divide between Rocky and Brewington Creeks to White Bluff to the center of the mountain chain between the West Prong and main Medina river. <b>Precinct 5 – Tarpley,</b> comprising “the Hondo Cañon and all the valleys, creeks etc tributary to the Rio Hondo.” <b>Precinct 6 – “Taylor Box,”</b> including territory on the dividing ridge of mountains between the Rio Hondo and Rio Seco, to Little Creek and the Sabinal. <b>Precinct 7 – Vanderpool,</b> comprising all of the Sabinal river “above” Precinct 6. <b>Precinct 8 – Leakey. Precinct 9 – “Cypress,”</b> from the county line between Kerr and Bandera counties to the divide between the Frio and Sabinal rivers to the county line between Bandera and Edwards counties. <b>Precinct 10 – Rio Frio. Precinct 11 – “Flat Rock,”</b> beginning on the county line between Bandera and Kerr counties. <b>Precinct 12 – West Prong. Precinct 13 – “Blacket,”</b> all the tributaries of Camp Verde creek. (pages 98-101)</p>				
	<p>The Court accepted the jury’s report on the J. D. Evans road and allowed damages. In the following paragraph the Court rescinded the order accepting, because “of the impracticability of the route and the expense it would entail to open said road. The foregoing facts were ascertained from one of the reviewers of said road.” (page 101)</p>				
	<p>J. W. Holt and 14 others petitioned for a third-class road (Holt and North road) “to begin at the Indian Creek school house” to intersection with Hondo road, about one mile. The Court appointed a jury: G. T. Coleman, H. Harris, J. A. Gibbens, J. B. Langford and George J. Fee. (pages 101-102)</p>				
<p>O. W. McBryde and 10 others petitioned for a third-class road, from the Medina and Utopia road near the Powers post office over the hills to Williams creek, terminating at the Tarpley and Hondo City road. The Court appointed a jury: O. Kelley, Frank Baurlein, W. J. Prickett, Street Hudspeth and E. A. Briggs. (page 102)</p>					
<p>Mrs. Lucy Oborski agreed to deed land to the County for a third-class road “across her land leading from the crossing on the Medina river near the residence of B. H. Mayfield out to the line of her land near the Bandera and Medina road. (page 102)</p>					
<p>J. C. Hillman and 23 others petitioned for a third-class road beginning at the mouth of Rocky Creek, to the intersection of the Medina and Wallace Creek road near the residence of James</p>					

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	<p>J. B. O'Bryant resigned as JP Precinct 4. The Court appointed W. J. O'Brien to fill the unexpired term. (page 105)</p> <p>The Court ordered County Surveyor Fletcher to survey the south boundary line of Bandera County between Medina and Bandera counties. (page 105)</p> <p>J. B. Langford proposed to contract with the County for coffins and furnish transportation to "either of the cemeteries at this place," "for the sum of ten cents each. Provided I have full control of the body, provided further that the surviving relatives shall give their consent. I do not wish the body for dissecting, but for the purpose of embalming. I make this proposition that I may better prepare myself in caring for the dead, and agree not to in any way make any public display, or mutilate the body in any way. I hold a State Certificate Granted by the State Board of Embalmers which ought to be evidence of my competency to handle the dead." (page 105)</p> <p>The Court approved Tax Collector York's quarterly report. (page 106)</p>	1903-08-25	S	5	105-106
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	<p>"It being made known to the Court that Yellow Fever now exists in San Antonio, Bexar County, and at Quihi in Medina County, It is ordered that quarantine be and the same is declared and established against said Bexar and Medina Counties and guards and detention camps are established on the Bandera and San Antonio road at the County line and on the Bandera and Quihi road at or near the County line, and John and Charlie Eckhart are hereby appointed quarantine guards, and shall be paid by the County \$2.00 per day for their services, one of whom shall be on guard in the day time and one at night." (page 106)</p>	1903-10-24	S	5	106
	<p>County Treasurer Sanders presented his quarterly reports. (pages 107-109)</p> <p>The Court ordered the Clerk to subpoena John J. Bandy to appear "and bring all evidence he has in possession in regard to the J. V. Hardwick assessment of Taxes for the years 1902 and 1903. (page 109)</p> <p>The Court rescinded its previous order accepting the resignation of William Hudspeth as Justice of the Peace. (page 109)</p>	1903-11-09	R	5	107-19

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	<p>The Court rejected B. F. Langford's petition for a change in the Castroville road. (page 111)</p> <p>The Court corrected duplication errors in tax collection and delinquency reporting. (page 111)</p> <p>The Court ordered the Clerk and the Sheriff to "cancel the delinquent tax lists in their offices," because of errors. (pages 111-112)</p> <p>The Court accepted the jury's report and established the Rocky and Wallace Creek road petitioned for by J. C. Hillman. (page 112)</p> <p>J. V. Hardwick petitioned the Court to correct the erroneous \$60,000 valuation of his property in Bandera County, which consisted of lands near Medina and a cotton gin he erected. The Court and Hardwick came to a settlement. (pages 113-114)</p>	1903-11-12	R	5	110-115
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), Commissioners: Hugh Pritchard, Dep. Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	<p>The Court ordered Surveyor Fletcher to survey the line of a 49-acre tract between B. F. Langford and John Pyka, Sr. (page 115)</p>	1903-12-07	S	5	115-117
	<p>The Court deferred action on the jury's report of the Holt and North road, which is entered in the minutes. (pages 115-117, 122-123)</p>	1903-12-07	S	5	115-117
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	<p><b>Comm. Steinle, Precinct 2, road report:</b>                      Bandera and San Antonio road from Privilege Creek in good condition for ½ mile, then rocky and rough to near B. Cravey's farm, then in good condition to Pipe Creek. Boerne and Bandera road in fair condition. Bandera and Privilege road is a good natural road. Privilege and San Antonio road in fair condition except both banks on Privilege Creek which are rough and hard to pull. Privilege and Center Point road in good condition "except the big hill near John Evan's farm where it needs to be cut wider near the top of said hill on account of the sharp curve."                      Bandera and Red Bluff road has been patch pretty well. Pipe Creek road is in bad condition. Bottle Springs, Shaefer and Elm Creek roads are in bad condition. (page s 118-119)</p>	1904-02-08			
	<p><b>Comm. Kasper Dugos, Precinct 1, road report:</b>                      Roads are identified only by numbers; most were in good condition. (pages 119-120)</p>	1904-02-10	R	5	117-123
	<p><b>Comm. Keese, Precinct 3, road report:</b> Roads identified only by numbers; most were in good condition. (pages 120-121)</p>	1904-02-10	R	5	117-123
	<p><b>Comm. Kennedy, Precinct 4, road report:</b>                      Roads identified only by numbers; most were in good condition. (pages 121-122)</p>	1904-02-10	R	5	117-123
<p>The Court ordered County Assessor Bandy to appraise livestock: Average stock cattle—\$7; 3-year-old steers—\$12; 4-year-old steers—\$15; goats—\$2 minimum; sheep—\$1.50; horses and mules according to age and pedigree. (page 122)</p>	1904-02-10	R	5	117-123	
<p>The Court increased Indian Creek road damages to Ernest Kindla from \$30 to \$33. (pages 122-123)</p>	1904-02-10	R	5	117-123	

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	<p>The Court allowed Jenks Ward, a pauper, \$35 in cash on the condition that he leave Bandera County and not return. (page 123)</p> <p>The Court appointed election judges. (page 123)</p> <p>C. F. Limberger petitioned the Court concerning the Camp Verde Creek road towards Center Point. Three different routes were used, all across his land, and he wanted to put the land into cultivation. The Court appointed a jury: Lan Stevens, Ben Faris, George Faris, Walter Rees and Andy Jones.</p> <p>C. L. Powers and others petition for a stock law election. The Court approved an election for the West Prong held at the Sheppard schoolhouse on March 26, 1904. (page 125)</p> <p>County Treasurer V. P. Sanders submitted his quarterly reports. (pages 126-128)</p> <p>The Court approved a Confederate pension for B. H. Norwood. (page 128)</p> <p>The Court appointed school trustee election managers. (pages 129-130)</p> <p>The Court rejected B. F. Langford's proposition to arbitrate the differences between himself and Commissioners' Court regard the Bandera and Castroville road. (page 130)</p> <p>County Surveyor's field notes of the county line between Bandera and Medina counties. (pages 131-133)</p> <p><i>Pages 134-137 are blank.</i></p> <p>The Court levied taxes: \$.25 – general fund; \$.25 – payment of courthouse bonds and County indebtedness; \$.15 – roads and bridges; \$02 ½ - courthouse expenses; \$.03 – general sinking fund; \$.25 – poll tax; occupation tax; district school taxes.</p>	<p>1904-02-10</p> <p>1904-02-12</p>	R	5	123-
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	<p>Stock law election returns: 14 votes for the stock law; 13 votes against. Hogs, sheep and goats not permitted to run at large in Medina subdivision. (page 140)</p> <p>Treasurer Sanders presented his quarterly reports. (pages 141-143)</p> <p>W. A. Mills was allowed \$5 for one wolf scalp. (page 143)</p> <p>School trustee election results. (pages 143-144)</p> <p>The jury's report on proposed road at Mrs. Hammond's through Croke Canyon, intersecting the Medina and Camp Verde road was approved, and the road was rejected because of excessive damages. (page 144)</p> <p>C. W. Hartley and others petitioned for a change in the Horse Valley road. The Court granted the petition. (page 145)</p> <p>Tax Collector York submitted his delinquent lists of lots and lands, and insolvent taxpayers. (pages 145-149)</p> <p>The Court allowed Tom M. York to put a gate in the courthouse fence to keep out livestock "and as a recompense for such services, he shall be allowed to use such grass as grows therein until otherwise ordered." (page 150)</p>	<p>1904-04-04</p>	–	5	140
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	<p>The Court allowed Charles Montague to dig a ditch "or culvert" on the Bandera and Medina road so that his livestock can get to the water. (page 150)</p>				
	<p>H. C. Wright and seven others from Precinct 1 petitioned for a new road "and the discontinuance of a part of the present Bandera and Castroville road." The new road would intersect B. F. Langford's land in a different place. The Court appointed a jury: F. D. Barnes, J. H. Newcomer, W. L. Clark, D. T. Lewis and W. W. Cheek. (pages 151-152)</p>				
<p>H. H. Carmichael &amp; Co. sold a strip of land to the County for the above road. (page 152)</p>	<p>The County contracted with H. C. Duffy to examine and compile from past County records details about all delinquent taxes. (pages 152-153)</p>	<p>R. P. Reeves and others petitioned for a new "County Line" school district. The Court granted the petition and the new district was named Camp Verde School District 8. (pages 153-154)</p>			
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	<p>Raised property appraisals were presented. (pages 156-157)</p>				
	<p>J. B. Baker petitioned for a change in the Medina City and West Prong road, which was granted by the Court "provided that said road...shall never be obstructed by a gate." (page 157)</p>				
<p>L. D. Bounds petitioned for a change in the Vanderpool and Utopia road, which the Court granted as long as he constructed and maintained a culvert. (page 157)</p>	<p>R. H. Ryan and others petitioned to establish a road from Vanderpool schoolhouse to the neighborhood road up Evans Creek to R. H. Ryan's ranch. The Court appointed a jury: J. M. Arnold, J. N. O'Bryant, G. W. Cartwright, J. N. Word and B. L. Briggs. (page 158)</p>				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	<p>The Court passed orders regarding land valuations. (pages 158-159)</p>	1904-07-05	S	5	158-159
	<p>G. W. Banta and others petitioned for a road beginning at the mouth of Chalk Creek heading east to the head of Verde Creek on the county line. The Court appointed a jury: K. K. Stokes, O. W. McBryde, L. O. Bauerline, W. D. Baker and George Freeman. (page 159)</p>				

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	<p>E. J. Humphreys was approved for a Confederate pension. (page 171)</p> <p>The Court rejected the jury's report on the road petitioned by I. N. Campbell, because of excess damages awarded. The Court appointed a new jury: Gill Thompson, I. N. Fletcher, J. McDonald, H. B. Harper and W. F. White. (page 171)</p> <p>The Court granted the petition of T. L. Miller and others for a stock law election. (pages 171-172)</p> <p>Treasurer Sanders submitted his quarterly statements. (pages 172-175)</p> <p>The Court granted John F. Davenport and others' petition for a change in the Bandera and Center Point road. (page 176)</p>	1904-11-14	R	5	171-179
	<p>T. L. Miller, J. C. Helm and 48 others petitioned the Court for a stock law election, which the Court granted, to be held at the Lima and the West Prong-Sheppard schoolhouses on December 22, 1904. (pages 176-178)</p>				
	<p>The Court let Charles Montague rent a room "formerly occupied by Marcus Thallman" for</p>				

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	<p>(continued) 12 months at \$1.50 per month. (page 179)</p> <p>The Court granted the petition of Jeff Cooksey to change the road known as road precinct 53. The counter-petition of Charles Schmidtke and others "to restrain Jeff Cooksey from changing said road...is hereby rejected." (page 179)</p> <p>The Court approved the jury's report on the Vanderpool and Evans Creek road. (page 179)</p> <p>The Court granted W. P. Casey and others' petition for a change in the Bear Springs road. (page 179)</p> <p>November General Election results: County Judge – J. W. Currie; District and County Clerk – Sam O'Bryant; Sheriff and Tax Collector – R. S. Smith; Tax Assessor – John J. Bandy; County Treasurer – V. P. Sanders; County Surveyor – W. R. Fletcher; Hide and Animal Inspector – T. A. Anderwald; Comm. Precinct 1 – Kasper Dugos; Comm. Precinct 2 – J. A. Steinle; Comm. Precinct 3 – W. J. Montgomery; Precinct 4 – H. T. Kennedy; JP Precinct 1 – William Hudspeth; Constable Precinct 1 – H. R. Raccow; JP Precinct 2 – J. W. Storms; Constable Precinct 2 – Wilson Clark; JP Precinct 3 – W. J. Montgomery; JP Precinct 4 – W. J. O'Brien. (pages 180-181)</p> <p>The Court fixed the bond amounts needed for new County officials. (page 181)</p>	1904-11-14	R	5	179-182
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), T. H. Keese (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: T. M. York, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	<p>The Court approved the bonds of new County officials. (pages 182-185)</p> <p>The bond of JP Precinct 5 Ed A. Kelley was "fatally defective in form" and the office was declared to be vacant; Ed Kelley was appointed to fill the vacancy. (page 185)</p> <p>J. I. Tom failed to give bond as Constable Precinct 5. The office was declared vacant and he was appointed Constable. (page 185)</p> <p>Mac Coopender failed to give bond as Constable Precinct 3 and was appointed to fill the vacancy created. (page 185)</p> <p>W. J. O'Bryant failed to give bond as JP Precinct 4 and was appointed to fill the vacancy. (page 185)</p>	1904-12-12	S	5	182-185
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	<p>R. S. Smith's bond as Tax Collector for the State was rejected by State Comptroller J. W. Stevens "on the ground that said bond was not equal in amount to full amount of State Taxes." The Court approved his new bond. (page 186)</p>	1904-12-19	S	5	186
J. W. Currie, County Judge	<p>D. M. Newcomer told Judge Currie that he was moving from Bandera County; Judge Currie then appointed Charles Ruede to fill the unexpired term of Road Overseer of Road Precinct 15. (page 187)</p>	1904-12-23		5	187
J. W. Currie, County Judge	<p>Stock law election results: 44 votes for the stock law and 9 votes against. (pages 187-189)</p>	1904-12-26		5	187-189
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	<p>The Court approve a \$100 advance to Tax Assessor John J. Bandy. (page 190)</p> <p>Court ordered \$2000 transferred from the courthouse fund to the 1<sup>st</sup> class fund. (page 190)</p> <p>The Court ordered Comm. Steinle to buy for the County: 1 dozen cots, 2 dozen blankets and seats (chairs or benches) "sufficient to seat not less than 100 persons." (pages 190-191)</p>	1905-02-13 1905-02-14	R	5	190-191

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	<p>(continued) Tax Collector York's November and December 1904 reports were not approved "on account of certain incorrections and the Clerk is ordered to notify Mr. York to adjust the same for the next regular meeting." (page 191)</p> <p>G. R. Minns and others petitioned for a school tax election; the Court granted (pages 191-192)</p> <p>Louis Haby, George Haby, J. L. Wernette, N. J. Hans, Henry Haby, August Haby, Adam Wilson and Julius Real, Kerr County Judge, petitioned for a school district serving children of Bandera and Kerr county living near the county line. "...there are children in our neighborhood who are within the scholastic age, that there is no Public free school within a reasonable distance to which we may send said children..." The Court approved the new district (County Line District 30). (pages 192-193)</p> <p>The jury of view found the proposed Utopia and Blanket Creek road "a non practical route" from Donley Hill, around Mitchell's fence on between Sam O'Bryant's land and Sam O'Bryant's land and W. J. O'Brian's. The Court, however, approved the road (Pages 193-195)</p> <p>G. R. Minns and others petitioned for a \$.20 school tax for their school district. (pages 195-196)</p> <p>Comm. Steinle, <b>Precinct 2, road report:</b> Bandera and San Antonio road in fair condition. Boerne and San Antonio road "has been well attended to. Bear Spring road in good condition to near the 3-mile post thence on to the intersection on Privilege road it is bad, hardly passable. Privilege and San Antonio, Bandera and Privilege, and Privilege and Center Point roads "are easy kept, as the country mostly adobe." Bandera and Bluff Creek road in fair condition. Pipe Creek road is in bad condition. Castroville and Bandera road, Shafer road, Elm and Bluff Creek road and Bottle Spring road are in bad condition, with only seven hands to work them. (pages 196-197)</p> <p>Comm. Montgomery, <b>Precinct 3, road report:</b> roads commented on only by their numbers; most are in fair to good condition. (page 198)</p> <p>Comm. Dugos, <b>Precinct 1, road report:</b> Bandera and San Antonio, Bandera and Castroville, and Bandera and Quihi roads are in good condition "and well worked." Uvalde road needs some repair. Winan's Creek, and Bandera and Hondo, good condition. Bandera and Hicks Creek, Elm Pass and Bandera, and Kerrville roads are good. Bottle Spring road well worked. (pages 199-200)</p> <p>Comm. Kennedy, <b>Precinct 4, road report:</b> Vanderpool and Utopia road in fine condition. Vanderpool and Medina City road beginning at Taylor's ranch to top of divide is long and rough. Little Creek road in very good condition. South end of Jackson Creek road (the valley) is good; the mountain portion greatly improved. Medina, Leakey and Haby Pond road nearly all mountain. (pages 200-201)</p>				
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk</p>		1905-02-14	R	5	191-201



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	<p><i>(continued)</i> County Treasurer Sanders reported that there was \$1,789.91 on deposit. He presented his quarterly report. (pages 202-204)</p> <p>JP Perry Click's report was rejected. He showed a \$15 attorney's fee paid to W. J. Hobbs, "who is in the opinion of the Court not a legal &amp; licensed attorney, therefore is not entitled to the commission of an attorney and said Perry Click is ordered to pay said \$15.00 to the County Treasurer, as the law directs." (page 204)</p> <p>The Court ordered "that John Click receive no money from the County after notice is received that he can be received in the Confederate Home." (page 205)</p> <p>The Court appointed managers of school trustee elections. (pages 205-206)</p> <p>G. R. Minns and other petitioned for a third-class road from a point on the Leakey and Bandera road on the Little Dry Frio to Ed Kelley's gin at Rio Frio. The Court appointed a jury: Hinchey Rollins, John Dulaney, Ed A. Kelley, T F. Chism, Sr., and W. B. Patterson. (page 206)</p> <p>County Surveyor Fletcher was ordered to make corrected field notes for the new school districts. (page 206)</p> <p>The Court approved the petition of C. M. Vanclive and others for a school district on the east side of the Sabinal. (pages 207-208)</p> <p>George Chamberlain was approved for a Confederate pension. (page 207)</p> <p>The Court allowed Charlie Smith \$25 per month for the care of Rosa Smith, "who has been adjudged insane, until she shall be admitted to an Asylum." (page 208)</p>	1905-02-14 1905-02-15		5	202-209
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	<p>Comm. Dugos was ordered to buy material and hire "necessary labor to cover the old Court house." (page 209)</p>	1905-02-20	S	5	209
	<p><i>Minutes omitted from the proceedings of February 14, 1905.</i></p> <p>Floyd Shocke and Floyd Shocke &amp; Co. sued the County for unpaid scrip and warrants; they wanted an audit and 6% interest. The Court responded that there had been a previous audit with no need for another and that the scrip and warrants would be paid as money became available, and that "said warrants and scrips are not demand claims and not entitled to interest." (page 210)</p>	1905-02-27		5	210
J. W. Currie, County Judge	<p>W. A. McDonald and 35 other residents of Medina City (population 210) petitioned for an election for incorporation "for free school purposes only." Metes and bounds listed. Plat map included (pages 214-215) The County Judge approved, and determined that seven school trustees also should be elected at the same time. Election to be held on April 15, 1905. Election results: 35 votes for incorporation, 2 votes against. The Medina ISD was created.</p>	1905-03-31		5	211-225

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J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	<p>The tallies of school trustee elections held on April 1, 1905, were listed. (pages 226-228)</p> <p>The Court determined that the County jail needed a new roof and the courthouse roof "is badly in need of repairs." The County Judge was ordered to obtain galvanized iron roofing for both jobs and linseed oil and paint. E. LaBranche was to be paid \$2.50 per day for "work as Tinner" and \$1.57 per day for painting the roofing. LaBranche was to be paid "every Saturday Night." (page 228)</p>	1905-04-12	S	5	226-228
	<p>The Court approved the application of G. W. White and the other trustees of the Myrtle Creek school district to sell the schoolhouse and grounds. Only sealed bids were to be considered. Charles Montague agreed to create a quitclaim deed to the property. (page 299)</p> <p>The Treasurer submitted his quarterly reports. (pages 230-233)</p> <p>The Court rejected J. H. Gibbons' petition for a road from Winan's Creek to Medina and Hicks Creek road; it lacked legal notice. (page 234)</p> <p>The Court levied taxes: \$.25 – County advalorem; \$.15 – road and bridge; \$.03 – general sinking fund; \$.03 – stationery; \$.16 – repairs to courthouse and jail; occupation tax. (page 234)</p> <p>The Court ordered JP Perry Click to reimburse the County the \$15 he paid to W. J. Hobbs as County Attorney or the Court would institute legal proceedings against him and his bondsman. (page 234)</p> <p>The Court determined that money from the General Sinking Fund could be used to cover annual interest upon County bonds. (page 235)</p> <p>Tax Collector Sam Smith submitted lists of delinquent accounts. (pages 236-239)</p> <p>Supplementary Roll of Property assessed for Taxes Collected. (page 240)</p> <p>Collector Smith's final reports. (pages 241-242)</p> <p>J. A. Eames was approved for County Attorney. (page 242)</p> <p>Wesley Davis was approved for a Confederate pension. (page 242)</p> <p>Charles Montague was paid \$100 for defending the County in Floyd Shock's suit. (page 242)</p> <p>The Court allowed a school district's metes and bounds to be changed to include J. m. Arnold. (page 43)</p> <p>The Court ordered the Clerk to charge the Collector \$86.14 collected in penalties since March 31, 1905. (page 243)</p>	1905-05-08 1905-05-09	R	5	229-244
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	<p>Special session called to adjust a settlement with ex-Tax Collector York. Neither York nor an attorney representing him appeared. The Court ordered York and his sureties to appear on June 12, 1905.</p>	1905-05-25	S	5	244-245

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J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	Jinks Word was allowed \$12 per month to support his family. (page 246)				
	The Court ordered Ex-Tax Collector York to "remit to the proper Authorities said amount due." (page 246)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	The Tax Assessor presented his changes to property valuations. (pages 247-249)				
	J. O. Smith bought the old jail roof for \$10.05 in sealed bidding. (page 249)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	T. A. Buckner and others petitioned "to work the hill and hollow between P.O. & Court House." The Court referred this to Comm. Dugos, Road Supervisor Pct. 1. (page 249)	1905-06-12	S	5	246-250
	There were several protests against increased property valuations and the Court changed some. (pages 250-251)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	The Court approved a contract with J. K. Burr to lease the Bandera school lands for \$.07 per acre annually. (page 251)				
	W. J. Montgomery resigned as JP Precinct 3 to take effect August 14, 1905. (page 251)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	"It is ordered that W. J. Montgomery be allowed one day extra on special terms of this Court that he may attend." (page 251)	1905-07-06	S	5	250-251
	The Court granted permission to A. M. Stigler and J. F. Bandy for right-of-way "along certain roads" to build a telephone line. (page 252)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	The Court granted J. A. Gibbons' petition to divide School District 16 and create Winan's Creek School District 32. The school property in District 16 was to be sold and the money split between Districts 16 and 32. Metes and bounds listed. (pages 252-253)				
	The Court approved Henry Taylor and others' petition to change the Utopia and Vanderpool road. (page 253)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	Clemance Kalka was paid \$1 per month house rent for Mrs. J. W. Adair. (page 253)				
	C. W. Harris was appointed JP Precinct 3. (page 253)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	The Court granted the petition of C. S. Jones and J. C. Mitchel to donate a right-of-way for the third-class Blanket road. (pages 253-254)				
	Bandera County monies on deposit are \$2,130.63. (page 254)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	[First name unclear] Tom resigned as Constable, Precinct 5. The Court appointed W. Z. Stapleton to fill the vacancy. (page 255)				
	T. H. Phillips and others petitioned to change the Lima voting place boundary lines. A. H. Sutton petitioned not to change the Lima boundary lines. The Court rejected a line change. (page 255)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	County Treasurer Sanders submitted his quarterly reports. (pages 256-257)				
	The Court rejected the petition of J. D. Oats and others to annul and set aside the establishment of the County Line School District. (page 257)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	The Court approved the jury report on the road requested by G. R. Minns, the Little Dry Frio neighborhood road. (page 257)	1905-08-14			
		1905-08-15	R	5	252-257

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	<p>The Court allowed A. L. Morovitz's petition to change the Hondo and Bandera road by building a culvert. (page 258)</p> <p>The Court rejected A. B. Harper's petition to change the Utopia and Leakey road, and approved the petition of G. Thompson and others protesting against Harper's petition. (page 258)</p>				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	<p>Court granted W. O. Elkins' petition to change the Hondo City and Tarpley road. (page 258)</p>	1905-08-17	R	5	258-260
	<p>The Court granted Sam H. Jones's petition to change the Bandera and Kerrville road. (page 259)</p> <p>The Court granted Mrs. Nancy E. Byerton [name unclear] a Confederate pension. (page 260)</p>				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	<p>The Court approved the petition of A. M. Stigler and J. F. Bandy to run a telephone line known as the Bandera Telephone Company from Tarpley along the Bandera and Leakey road to the intersection with the Utopia and Vanderpool road. (page 261)</p>	1905-11-13	R	5	260-265
	<p>County Attorney J. A. Eames was ordered to retain a 10% commission from money recovered from Perry Click, JP. (page 261)</p> <p>County Treasurer has on deposit \$1,368.39 and \$2,324.72) (page 261)</p> <p><i>Comm. Montgomery was not present on Nov. 15, as he was "called home."</i> (page 262)</p> <p>The Court paid \$50 damages to W. J. O'Brien while establishing the Jones road in Sabinal canyon on Spring Branch. (page 2362)</p> <p>The Court heard quarterly reports. (page 263)</p> <p>The Court granted the petition of W. B. Patterson and others to annul the creation of the County Line School District 29, passed in August 1904. (page 264)</p> <p>J. O. Butler, MD, and others petitioned for a 30-foot wide road from 12 miles southwest of Bandera on the Bandera and Utopia road, running north and intersecting with the Bandera and Medina road at a point near the mouth of Winan's Creek. The Court appointed a jury: F. R. Coffall, W. D. Valentine, Hal S. Hudspeth, J. O. Butler, MD, and R. E. Buckner. (page 264)</p> <p>The Court granted C. N. Westworth's petition for a Taylor Schoolhouse school tax election. (page 264)</p>				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	<p>The Court granted John J. Bandy a right-of-way to erect a telephone line along the Bandera and San Antonio road and "in the streets and alleys in the Town of Bandera," to be known as the Bandy Telephone Company. (page 264)</p>	1905-11-15	R	5	260-265
	<p>From 1888 through 1904, Charles Schreiner had paid land taxes to Edwards County rather than to Bandera County where the property in located. The Court removed Schreiner from the</p>				

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	<p>(continued) delinquent list and ordered the Clerk to notify the Comptroller and Edwards County of the money owed. (page 265)</p> <p>Mrs. M. J. Morris was approved for a Confederate pension. (page 265)</p> <p>The County Surveyor was told to order a blueprint map of Bandera County. (page 265)</p>	1905-11-15	R	5	265
	<p>The County Treasurer's annual account: school money on hand — \$3,024.89; County money on hand — \$7,179.44. (page 266)</p> <p>County Treasurer has on deposit \$6,232.29 and \$4,217.78) (page 267)</p> <p>County Surveyor Fletcher filed field notes for the Cypress, Vanderpool and Myrtle Creek school districts. (pages 268-269)</p> <p>Comm. Montgomery, <b>Precinct 3, road report:</b> Winan's Creek to Medina in good condition. Utopia road in mostly good condition. Jackson Creek road is in good shape considering "the rough country it runs over." Coal Kiln Creek is in good traveling condition. Elm Creek from the West Prong is in average condition. The road from Medina to Bush's gate is in bad shape. "This being the main Road from Medina to Center Point over which the daily mail has to pass it is necessary that two or three hundred dollars should be spent in grading said road." The road from Medina to the Kerr County line is in good condition. From Medina up the North Prong is in good condition "to the 22 mile post above Medina from the 22 mile Post to the Haby's pond the road is in very bad condition." "The Road running up Rocky creek from the Bandera and Ranger Springs road is Good Condition. The Road from mouth of Rocky Creek to Wallace Creek is in good condition." (pages 269-270)</p> <p>Comm. Steinle, <b>Precinct 2, road report:</b> "Bandera &amp; San Antonio, Pipe Creek, Bear Springs, Bandera &amp; Privilege, Privilege &amp; San Antonio, Boerne &amp; Bandera, Bandera &amp; Red Bluff Roads are all in about the same Condition very good." "Bottle Springs, Elm &amp; Red Bluff, Shaefer Castroville &amp; Bandera are in an isolated part of the Precinct. Very little travel done on said Roads. Also very few hands to work consequently are in a bad condition, but I hear of no Complaint from the traveling Public." (pages 270-271)</p> <p>Comm. Kennedy, <b>Precinct 4, road report:</b> Vanderpool and Utopia is in good condition. Seco Pass and Little Creek "not much good the hands that is apportioned to this Road is inadequate to keep up this road." Sabinal and Leakey road good traveling condition. Little Creek in good condition. Vanderpool and Medina road in bad condition. "The mountain near G. W. Cartwright's place is in very rough condition. The Vanderpool and Evans Creek road "has been opened up this last year and with the exception of the Crossing on Sabinal and about two hills in good travelling [sic] Condition." Seco and Jackson Creek rough. Rio Frio and Leakey good road. Sabinal and Leakey in good</p>	1906-02-12 1906-02-15	R	5	266-273
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk</p>					

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	<p>The Court levied taxes: \$.25/\$100 advalorem; \$.15 – road and bridge; \$.03 – stationery; \$.03 – general sinking fund; \$.16 – courthouse and jail repair; occupation tax. (pages 273-274)</p> <p>The Court ordered the Treasurer to transfer \$1700 from the courthouse and jail fund to the first class fund. (page 274)</p> <p>Comm. Dugos, <b>Precinct 1, road report:</b> "all my Roads are in pretty good shape. Some of them have some loose rocks...but there is much more needed especially the main trunk Roads that lead to the market." (pages 274-275)</p> <p>Comm. Steinle reported on the change to the Bandera and Boerne road completed by J. M. Crist and asked the Court to accept the change as final. The Court accepted. (page 275)</p> <p>A. Meadows and 51 others petitioned for the establishment of a Bandera and Medina county line school district. Metes and bounds listed. The Court approved. (pages 275-277)</p> <p>The Court accepted the jury's report on an 8-mile road from a point on the Bandera and Utopia road to intersect the Bandera and Medina City road. (pages 277-278)</p> <p>The Medina ISD petitioned the Court to authorize a transfer "by Deed...title to the old School House and grounds formerly known and used for School purposes in the town of Medina...as Common School District No. 5." The Court accepted the petition. (pages 278-279)</p> <p>The Court appointed election judges for County and School Board. (pages 279-281)</p> <p>W. J. O'Brien resigned as JP Precinct 4. (page 281)</p> <p>The Court granted permission to J. A. Dean "to construct a telephone line leading from Leakey to the County line in the direction of Kerrville Texas...provided said Grant does not interfere upon the franchise of the Bell Telephone Co." (page 281)</p> <p>Mrs. Kate Hudspeth, E. A. Mosley and John Newton Price were approved for Confederate pensions. (page 281)</p> <p>Funds were approved for repairing "the old Court House" and erecting "closets and other improvements at and about the premises of the Court House." (page 282)</p>				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: Sam Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	<p>The Court paid various claims, including \$3 to F. A. Masters "for conveying witnesses to and from the Grand Jury at the fall term of this Court 1905." (page 283)</p>	1906-05-14	R	5	283-284
	<p>School trustee election results were listed. (page 284)</p> <p>The First National Bank of Centerpoint was the only bank to bid for Bandera County's deposits. Its 3 ½ % interest on the daily balance was accepted. (page 284)</p>				

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	The Court appointed two new election managers to replace two who moved from the County. (page 286)					
	The Court accepted W. J. Davenport's donation of land for a third-class road across his land. Comm. Dugos voted no. (page 286)					
	The Court approved the delinquent and insolvent taxpayers report. (pages 287-290)					
	W. A. Miller was approved for a Confederate pension. (page 291)					
	The Court paid "Mr. Adams \$2.50 for pulling weeds in the Courtyard and filin [sic] up the hole where the old closset [sic] stood." Comm. Dugos voted no. (page 291)					
	Luke Gray, overseer of the Quihi road, moved from the precinct; Sid Joiner was appointed to fill the position. (page 291)					
	Frank Palmer was appointed overseer of the Seco and Little Creek road, after Dan Boultinghouse moved from the precinct. (page 291)					
	The Court tabled or rejected several petitions for road changes for lack of notice and/or signatures. (pages 291-292)					
	The Court authorized purchase of "Six Benches from the Methodist Church of Bandera at \$1.00 each provided said benches are delivered." (page 293)	1906-05-14 1906-05-17	R	5	284-293	
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	The Court approved the \$38,000 bond of the First National Bank of Centerpoint, Texas, to serve as the County depository. The Court paid Charles Montague, "an Attorney at Law, for his opinion." (page 294)	1906-05-22	S	5	294-295	
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	The Court raised six property assessments. (pages 295-296)	1906-06-11	S	5	295-296	
Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	The returns of a school tax election held at the Crockett schoolhouse were tallied: 14 for a \$.15 special tax and 0 against. (page 297)					
	Tarpley school tax election results: 28 for4 a \$.15 special tax and 13 against. (pages 297-298)					
	County Surveyor Fletcher was ordered to plat these two school districts and the Clerk was ordered to notify the Medina County authorities, because the Tarpley district comprises territory in both Bandera and Medina counties. (page 298)					
	The Court condemned for road purposes a strip of land owned by Kouston Dugos; he was awarded \$20 in damages. (page 298)	1906-07-02	S	5	297-298	

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	The Court approved the deposit report of the Centerpoint National Bank; the bank agreed to pay a \$.40 deficiency in interest shown. (page 299)				
	The Court rescinded its approval of the Centerpoint Bank's report as it did not correspond with the County Treasurer's records. The Court ordered G. P. McCorkle from the bank to appear at the next regular Court meeting. (page 299)				
	Tax Assessor Bandy presented his 1906 tax rolls: County tax – \$4,091.51; County special tax – \$6,055.45; district school tax – \$960.03; poll tax – \$248.75. (page 300)				
	The County Treasurer has \$3,780.37 on deposit with the Bandera County Bank. (page 300)				
	The Court paid Assessor Bandy \$410.17 (less \$75 advanced) for assessing taxes. (page 301)				
	The Court granted the petition of J. E. Young and others to discontinue the Flat Rock voting precinct. It was also ordered "that the metes and bounds of Justice Precincts No. 4 & 5 be and are so changed as to include the new territory added to Voting Precincts Nos. 7 & 9 respectively and that the boundary lines of Justice Precinct No. 3 be so changed to conform to the new boundary lines of Justice Precincts No. 4 & 5. (page 302)				
	The Court tabled j. A. Whittaker's petition not to change the voting place of Precinct No. 4, because no petition had been filed. (page 302)				
	Dr. J. O Butler and other petitioners for an election to bond Tarpley school district reconsidered their position "and did not deem such election advisable at the present time. (page 303)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3), H. T. Kennedy (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; Sam O'Bryant, Clerk	The Court granted E. A. Briggs' petition to consolidate School District 14 with SD 4 and to sell the schoolhouse; the proceeds were to be split between SD 4 and the Medina City ISD. (page 303)				
	Sheriff Smith was ordered to "supervise the repair of the Court house windows and Doors and have good heavy Screens placed in the Hallway." (page 303)	1906-08-13			
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		1906-08-16	R	5	299-304
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. A. Steinle (Pct. 2), W. J. Montgomery (Pct. 3) Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; L. N. Coffey, Deputy Clerk	The November election results were canvassed: <b>County Judge</b> – J. W. Currie; <b>Sheriff and Tax Collector</b> – R. S. Smith; <b>District &amp; County Clerk</b> – W. R. Fletcher; <b>Tax Assessor</b> – M. R. Thalmann; <b>County Attorney</b> – J. A. Eames; <b>County Surveyor</b> – Granville Wright; <b>County Treasurer</b> – V. P. Sanders; <b>Comm. Pct. 1</b> – Kasper Dugos; <b>Comm. Pct. 2</b> – Frank Hamilton; <b>Comm. Pct. 3</b> – J. L. Renshaw; <b>Comm. Pct. 4</b> – J. L. Johnson; <b>JP Pct. 1</b> – William Hudspeth; <b>JP Pct. 3</b> – J. L. Renshaw; <b>JP Pct. 5</b> – W. J. Hobbs; <b>JP Pct. 6</b> – J. T. Valentine; <b>Constable Pct. 1</b> – Hal. Hudspeth; <b>Constable Pct. 3</b> – W. W. Mayfield; <b>Constable Pct. 4</b> – B. B. Harper; <b>Constable Pct. 5</b> – P. Thompson; <b>Constable Pct. 6</b> – F. R. Caffall. (page 305)				
	The Centerpoint National Bank designated the Bandera County Bank to receive deposits from	1906-11-12	R	5	304-305



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	<p>The Court approved officials' bonds. (page 310)</p> <p>The Court appointed J. A. Eames County Attorney. (page 310)</p> <p>The Court ordered the Clerk "upon presentation of affidavits for wolf &amp; cat scalps approved by the County Judge shall issue warrant or warrants for same." (page 310)</p>	1906-12-10	S	5	310
	<p>The Court approved J. P. Rodriguez's petition for a new public road and ordered it open. (pages 311-312)</p> <p>County Treasurer Sanders submitted his quarterly reports. (pages 313-315)</p> <p>Comm. Renshaw, <b>Precinct 3, road report:</b> Winan's Creek to Medina in good condition. Medina up the West Prong is good for ten miles, then in bad condition to the top of the divide. Jackson Creek road is in bad condition. Coal Kiln Creek road in good condition. "The Elm Creek road from the West Prong is in very bad condition without any excuse. " The road from Medina to Bush's gate: the first two miles in good condition the remainder in bad. "Part of this road needs grading badly being the road to the market for all produce and building material and supplies for that part of our county and should be a second class Road." From Medina to the Kerr County line in good condition. The road from Medina up the North Prong is good for 34 miles, then to Haby Pond is very bad. Rocky Creek road in "fairly good condition." Road from Rocky Creek to Wallace Creek in bad condition. The Mayfield road is in good condition. "Three</p>	1907-02-11	R	5	311-316

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	<p>(condition) or four of the overseers have their roads posted. The remainder of the overseers have been very dilatory in the matter." (pages 315-316)</p> <p>Comm. Johnson, <b>Precinct 4, road report:</b> Vanderpool and Utopia road in good condition. Seco Pass and Little Creek in bad condition, without sufficient hands. Sabinal and Leakey road in good condition, "hands plentiful." Little Creek road in fine condition. Vanderpool and Medina road in bad condition, the mountain, however, is in better condition "than it has been for some time." Vanderpool and Evans Creek road in fair condition. Seco and Jackson Creek road in bad condition. Rio Frio and Leakey road in very good condition. Sabinal and Leakey road in good condition. Leakey and Dry Pond road in bad condition. Brushy Creek road in very bad condition "mountain being very rough." (pages 316-318)</p> <p>S. T. Cooper and others petition for a change in the Leakey and Kerrville road, and also in the Leakey and Dry Pond road. The Court rejected the proposition that this road become a second class road instead of third class. The Court appointed a jury: J. W. Dulaney, J. Watkins, W. H. Rawlings, Jeff Smith and J. S. Fulgham. (page 318)</p> <p>R. Grigsby and others protested against making the above road second class. (page 318)</p> <p>Comm. Hamilton, <b>Precinct 2, road report:</b> "San Antonio &amp; Bandera, Boerne and Bandera, Bandera and Privilege, Privilege and Center Point, Bluff Creek and Bandera, Pipe Creek, Privilege and San Antonio roads are in fairly good condition." Pipe Creek and Polley [sic] road in good condition, "except in the vicinity of the divide which is very rough." Elm Creek, Bottle Springs, Shaefer, Castroville and Bandera are in bad condition. "It will be necessary to purchase some road tools soon, as some roads are entirely without plows and Scrapers and others but imperfectly supplied." (page 319)</p> <p>T. S. Knowles and 63 others petitioned for a stock law election. The Court set the date of March 26, 1907, at the Rock Store House in Medina and at the post office at Lima. The Court granted the petition, because in November 1906 "P. M. Wilson was prosecuted for violating the stock law in a subdivision of said county almost identical with that proposed by said T. S. Knowles and others, and on the trial of said cause the District Attorney admitted that the boundaries of said subdivision did not close. And the court held that there was no stock law subdivision within said boundaries and acquitted said Wilson wherefore from and after said decision hogs sheep and goats have been turned loose and have been running at large therein. And this Court having taken legal advice thereon and being informed that such order and judgment of the Court is sufficient to and in effect does declare the prior election held in said subdivision to have been void. Therefore</p>	1907-02-11			
		1907-02-12			
		1907-02-14	R	5	316-325
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge;                      Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1),                      J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2),                      J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3),                      J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4),                      Commissioners:                      R. S. Smith, Sheriff,                      W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>					

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<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge;                      Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1),                      J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2),                      J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3),                      J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4),                      Commissioners:                      R. S. Smith, Sheriff;                      W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>	<p><i>(continued)</i> this Court believes that it is their duty under the law to grant said petition and order said election. (pages 320-325)                      W. Y. Russell and 10 others, plus 16 Kerr County residents, petitioned for a county line school district. The Court granted the petition; the district was to be known as the Wallace Creek County Line School. (pages 325-327)                      The Court approved I. B. Langford's petition to change the Bandera and San Antonio road from the second crossing of Doe Creek to the third crossing. (page 327)                      The Court approved J. W. Dean and others' petition for a new third-class road from W. F. Wright's residence to Tarpley, Texas. The Court appointed a jury: Frank Caffall, J. O. Butler, Joe Dial, W. D. Valentine and B. C. Shelton. (page 327)                      W. A. Sheppard was appointed for a Confederate pension. (page 327)                      Comm. Dugos, <b>Precinct 1, road report:</b> "All the roads of my Precinct has been worked good by the road overseers, except the Bandera and Center Pont road on account of the overseer moved away." All culverts and bridges in "very good shape." (page 328)                      The Court levied taxes: \$.25 – ad valorem; \$.15 – road and bridge; \$.25 – courthouse and fail repair; occupation. (page 329)                      County Treasurer V. P. Sanders reported the County has \$12,385.12 on deposit in the Bandera County Bank. (page 329)                      The Court rejected Konstantine Dugosh's application for \$300 damages. (page 329)                      The Court appointed school trustee election officers. (pages 329-332)                      The Court granted School Trustee R. D. Garrison permission to sell the West Prong school lot. (page 332)                      The Precinct 4 Commissioner was "allowed one day extra for each term." (page 332)                      Sheriff/Tax Collector Smith was allowed \$400 annual salary for 1907 and 1908. (page 333)                      County Judge and School Superintendent J. W. Currie was given a raise to \$300 apiece annually for both positions. (page 333)</p>	1907-02-14	R	5	325-334
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge;                      Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1),                      J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2),                      J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3),                      Commissioners:                      R. S. Smith, Sheriff;                      W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>	<p>The Bandera County Bank was the only bid for the County's depository business for 1907 and 1908. They offered 3 ½ % interest on the daily balance; the Court accepted the bid. (page 335)                      W. J. Hobbs resigned as JP Precinct 5. (page 335)                      The Court accepted the Bandera County Bank's bond. (pages 335-339)</p>	1907-03-23 1907-03-30	S	5	334-339
	<p>The Court recorded the results of school trustee elections. (pages 339-343)</p>	1907-04-17	S	5	339-343
	<p>The Court recorded the result of the stock law election: 54 votes for the stock law and 20 votes against the stock law. (pages 343-347)</p>	1907-05-07		5	343-347

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	<p>J. M. Adams and 21 others petitioned for a new third-class road in Comm. Precinct 3. The Court appointed a jury: T. S. Knowles, M. Hardwick, W. B. Elkins, B. H. Mayfield and E. W. Moseley. (page 348)</p> <p>B. H. Mayfield and others petitioned for a new third-class road from B. H. Mayfield's lower line, along Hardwick's and Baker's line, to and around W. S. Mayfield's lot, back to Hardwick and Baker, and on to Medina. The Court appointed a jury: L. O. Baurlein, G. W. Lewis, E. A. Smith, Dick Johnson and W. W. Barnes. M. Hardwick agreed to give at no cost to the County "four feet making 20 feet between his and Mrs. Baker's lines, the entire length of his said land." (page 348)</p> <p>C. M. Richard and others petitioned for making the Medina and Center Point road first class, "to extend from two miles below Medina to the Kerr County line." The Court appointed a jury: T. S. Knowles, Sam Stevens, I. L. Gilbert, R. L. Mayfield and K. K. Stokes. (page 349)</p> <p>The Court granted J. E. Browning an exchange of a 20-ft. strip of land on the Medina and Bandera road. (page 349)</p> <p>The Court granted J. M. O'Brien's petition for a private sale of the old school building known as the Nalyon School House. (page 349)</p> <p>The Court reset the terms of County Court, so that it wouldn't conflict with District Court causing "great inconvenience and worry to the County officers and citizens." Reset for the third Monday in January, April, July and October, going into effect in October 1907, in order to give full notice. (page 349)</p> <p>The trustees of the Tarpley school district received permission to sell/deed back to Mrs. Mattie Tyra a one-acre school lot. (page 350)</p> <p>The Court approved the jury's report on the road requested by J. W. Dean from Wright's residence to Tarpley. (pages 350-351)</p> <p>The County Treasurer submitted his quarterly report. (pages 351-354)</p> <p>The County money on deposit in the Bandera County Bank was \$6,379.70. (page 354)</p> <p>The Court rejected two petitions for stock law elections because of defects in the metes and bounds. (page 354)</p> <p>Ed. A. Kelley was appointed JP Precinct 5, succeeding W. J. Hobbs. (page 355)</p> <p>I. McDonald won the trustee election held at Taylor schoolhouse for "one white trustee." (page 355)</p> <p>A. L. Mansfield was appointed JP Precinct 1 and his bond was accepted. (page 355)</p> <p>The Count approved J. R. Adams and others' petition for a third-class road beginning on Bandera and Ranger Springs road at the mouth of Sheppard's Creek, up that creek and down Clark's Creek to the intersection with the public road. A jury was appointed: Joe Whitaker, John Hillman, R. E. Love, Dock Evans and Charley Walker. (pages 355-356)</p>				
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>		1907-05-13	R	5	348-356

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	The Court approved the Tax Collector's delinquent and insolvent taxpayers' report. (pages 357-359)				
	The Court approved the change in the Bandera and San Antonio road petitioned for by I. B. Langford in February. (page 360)				
	Eureka Telephone Company withdrew its previous application to erect a telephone line. (page 360)				
	J. A. Miller's protest against the Eureka Telephone Co.'s application was deemed not necessary. (page 360)				
	The Court granted permission to school trustee R. E. Buckner to sell the old school lot one mile north of Tarpley on William's Creek. (page 360)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	The Court ordered that County officers were only allowed "Telephone message[s]" for business pertaining to Commissioners' Court, County Court or grand jury. (page 362)				
	The Court set aside \$70 for attorney's fees for the County's defense of a lawsuit. (page 362)				
	All JPs and Constables were ordered to make quarterly reports to the Court "as required by law." (page 362)	1907-05-13	R	5	357-363
	The Court raised property valuations. Cattle were raised from \$7 to \$8 per head; horses were raised to \$20 per head. Jacks (male donkeys) were generally valued at \$250. (pages 364-375)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	William Hall, a pauper, was allowed \$15 per month for support. (page 375)				
	The Court ordered \$25 for the arrest and conviction of person(s) "mutilating...the Taylor school house." (page 366)				
	The County Clerk was ordered to transcribe Deed Record books B. 2 and A. 3, and Index 1. (page 375)	1907-06-10	S	5	364-375
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	The Court heard protests of raised property valuations. (page 376)				
	The Court returned a petition for a local school tax election for additional signatures. (paged 376-377)	1907-07-05	S	5	376-377
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	The Court accepted the petition of G. P. Freeman and 19 others for a local school tax election in County Line school district (Bandera and Kerr Counties). (page 378)	1907-07-13	S	5	378-379
	J. E. Click was determined to be a pauper and was allowed \$25 per month for support after August 1907. (page 380)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	The Court approved the jury's report on a proposed change to the Leakey and Kerrville road petitioned by S. T. Cooper. However, it ordered that the road be at least 20-ft. wide and no expense to Bandera County. (pages 380-382)				
	The County Line special school tax election passed 13 to 0. (pages 382-383)				
	The Court accepted the jury's opinion on the proposed Sheppard and Clark's Creek road and rejected the road. (page 383)	1907-08-12	R	5	380-383

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	<p><i>(continued)</i> County Treasurer Sanders submitted his quarterly reports. (pages 383-386)</p> <p>The County had \$5,090.61 on deposit with the Bandera County Bank. (page 386)</p> <p>The Court approved Confederate pensions for M. E. Hudspeth, Frank Asher, C. C. Word, L. Eugene Thompson, J. J. Groves. (pages 386-387)</p> <p>The Court granted the petition of G. W. Lewis and others for a stock law election for territory beginning on the line between Bandera and Kendall counties and running to line between Medina and Bandera counties, around to the "mountain pass" on the Utopia and Bandera road, to divide between Hondo and Winan's Creeks, to the Medina River, then to "top of the mountain divide between Camp Verde Creek and Hicks' Creek," then to county line to place of beginning. (page 387)</p> <p>The Court accepted the jury's report on the road requested by B. H. Mayfield in May 1907. M. Hardwick's claim of \$12.50 damages was rejected, because he "agreed in open court not to put in any claim for damages whatever." (pages 388-389)</p> <p>The Court reconsidered the jury's report on changing the road from Medina to the Kerr County line to first class; they approved the report and raised the grade to first class "only to the land of Mrs. D. C. Vanderlip" and paid total damages of \$85. (page 389)</p> <p>The Court approved a change to the Utopia and Vanderpool road requested by H. G. Thompson, (page 389)</p> <p>The Court rejected Walter Horton and others' protest against a change in the Leakey and Kerrville road. (page 389)</p>				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	<p>The Court prohibited "dancing, making and serving of ice cream and other refreshments in the Court house," because they were "injurious and detrimental to said Court house floor." (page 390)</p> <p>The Court approved the quarterly reports of the County Treasurer. (page 390)</p>	1907-08-12 1907-08-15	R	5	383-390
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	<p>Tax Assessor M. R. Thalmann's assessment rolls for 1907 were approved. (page 391)</p> <p>Mrs. J. W. Adair was given \$56.25, with the provision that she "shall leave Bandera County and not ever return thereto." (page 391)</p>	1907-09-02	S	5	391
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	<p>County Treasurer Sanders presented his quarterly reports. (pages 392-394)</p> <p>The total registered indebtedness of the County was \$10,405.67. (page 394)</p> <p>County money on deposit in the Bandera County Bank was \$4,805.51. (page 395)</p> <p>The Court granted S. L. Humphreys and others' petition for a third-class road from Humphreys' residence and ending opposite from S. J. Waller's gate. The Court appointed a jury: J. F. Haby, Lee Reavis, William Smallwood, J. L. Porter and J. R. George. (page 395)</p>	1907-11-11	R	5	392-395

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	<p>(continued) The Court raised J. M. Click's monthly allowance from \$25 to \$35. (page 395)</p> <p>The Court ordered \$34.33 refunded to Mrs. A. L. Mansfield for overpayment of taxes due to double assessment. (page 396)</p> <p>Both Frank Buck and Mrs. E. Hammond were credited for paying taxes and their delinquencies were cancelled; they had been assessed on the wrong surveys. (page 396)</p> <p>The Court accepted the resignation of Pat Thompson as Constable Precinct 5. (page 397)</p> <p>The Court granted Dec Coose's petition for a change in the Bandera and Ranger Springs road. (page 397)</p> <p>The Court approved J. B. Hand, J. A. Newman and W. J. Tomerlin for Confederate pensions. (page 397)</p> <p>P. S. Atkisson was allowed \$6.25 per month for his care and Mrs. Hester was to be paid \$1 per day to care for Mrs. Ward. (page 398)</p>	1907-11-11	R	5	395-398
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	<p>The Court met to approved R. S. Smith's bonds and Sheriff and State and County Tax Collector. His old bonds had been made defective by the death of C. Hicks, one of his sureties. (page 399)</p>	1907-12-23	S	5	399
	<p>Comm. Renshaw, <b>Precinct 3, road report:</b> Winan's Creek to Medina fairly good. Ten miles on the road from Medina to Utopia in good condition, then fairly good. Jackson Creek road in good condition. Coal Kiln road in good condition. Elm Creek road in fine condition. From Medina to Bush's gate in good condition in dry weather, but needs grading in wet. From Medina to Kerr County line in fair condition. From Medina up the North Prong good for 34 miles, then to Haby's Pond in bad condition. Rocky Creek road in good condition. Rocky Creek and Wallace Creek road "Hilly and Rough and in bad condition." Mayfield road in good condition. The B. H. Mayfield and Medina road bad condition. (pages 400-401)</p> <p>Comm. Johnson, <b>Precinct 4, road report:</b> the Vanderpool and Utopia road in very good condition. The Leakey and Sabinal road in very good condition. Brushy Creek road in fair condition. Rio Frio and Little Dry Frio road in good condition. Sabinal and Leakey in fine condition. Leakey and Dry Pond in fair to good condition. Sabinal and Blanket Creek road in good condition "except mountain." Sabinal and Leakey in fair condition. Bandera and Utopia in good condition. Little Creek road in good condition. Vanderpool and Medina in good condition. Seco and Jackson Creek in fair condition. Rio Frio and Leakey in good condition. (pages 401-402)</p> <p>Comm. Hamilton, <b>Precinct 2, road report:</b> "The first class Roads in Precinct No 2 viz. The Boerne &amp; Bandera, the San Antonio &amp; Bandera Roads are in fairly good condition with the exception of a number of mud holes along the S. A. Road which are very bad during rainy weather." The Castroville road is very rough.</p>	1908-02-10 1908-02-11	R	5	400-403
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk					

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	<p><i>(continued)</i> "The third class roads are in fair condition considering the character of the country through which they pass." (pages 402-403)</p> <p>Comm. Dugos, <b>Precinct 1, road report:</b> the San Antonio road is good, except for stumps which should be removed and low places graded. The Castroville road has been worked but it's still rough "and its 12 miles of road no hands live on the road." The Quihi road is good except it needs a dam to divert water from its natural grade. Uvalde road "not very good." Bottle Spring is bad, but being worked. The Center Point road is good "up to the 6 mile post and the rest of it is not very good on account of stumps." The Bandera and Kerrville road is good; the Medina and Kerrville road in fair condition. Camp Verde Creek road "will do to pass." Tarpley and Kerrville in very good shape. Bandera and Hicks' Creek is good; Bandera and Hondo is very good. Hondo and Seco is good part way, then very rough to the top of the mountain. Evans road is good. Williams Creek road not entirely open because of lack of hands. (pages 403-404)</p> <p>Country Treasurer Sanders presented his quarterly reports. \$13,167.02 was on hand in the Bandera County Bank. (pages 405-407)</p> <p>County Officials presented their quarterly reports. (pages 407-408)</p> <p>Gus Heisler, Joe Wernett and A. C. Faris were approved as overseers. (page 408)</p> <p>Henry Schimmelpfennig and others' petition for a school tax election in precinct 11 was granted. J. G. Horton's school tax election petition was rejected "for the reason that said School District is a County Line District and is controlled by Edwards County." (page 408)</p> <p>The Court ordered that the jury's report on the "Cooper change in the Kerrville and Leakey road" was approved and the change was made a County public road. The old road was discontinued. (page 408)</p> <p>The Court granted R. D. Garrison's petition to sell the land belonging to the old Sheppard School on the West Prong. (page 409)</p> <p>Frank Montague and others' petition to change the Bandera and Hicks' Creek road from second-class to third-class was rejected "for the reason that the Court has no power to reduce a road to a lower class." (page 409)</p> <p>The Court appointed election judges school trustee election managers. (pages 409-410)</p> <p>J. L. Johnson's petition for a new neighborhood road beginning at Mrs. G. Blevins' place to the line between Johnson's and Waller's land to the Vanderpool and Utopia road was approved and ordered "opened to the width of 20 feet." The Court appointed a jury: S. L. Humphreys, E. J. Rainey, J. M. Bridges, D. M. Cartright and J. M. O'Brien. (page 410)</p> <p>The Court approved G. Thompson's petition for a new neighborhood road touching the lands of J. P. Foster, C. W. Johnson, W. M. Ferguson</p>	<p>1908-02-11</p> <p>1908-02-12</p>			<p>403-411</p>
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge;                  Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1),                  J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2),                  J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3),                  J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4),                  Commissioners:                  R. S. Smith, Sheriff;                  W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>					<p>R page 5 of 46</p>



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	<p>(continued) Ferguson and intersecting the Utopia and Vanderpool road. The Court appointed a jury: S. L. Humphreys, E. J. Rainey, J. M. Bridges, D. M. Cartright and J. M. O'Brien. (page 411)</p> <p>The Court authorized \$10 for Mrs. Lizzie Ward "at Hospital in San Antonio Tex." (page 411)</p> <p>The Court ordered that the County Judge or the County Clerk "be allowed to O.K. Scalp affidavits." (page 411)</p> <p>The Court approved the jury's report of S. L. Humphreys' road and paid \$110 damages to W. H. Walton. (page 411)</p> <p>The Court granted J. M. O'Brien's petition to change the boundary lines of School Districts 22 and 31. (pages 412-413)</p> <p>The Jury of View's report on the S. L. Humphreys road. (pages 413-414)</p> <p>The Court transferred \$2,100 from the Courthouse and Jail Repair fund to other funds. (pages 414-415)</p> <p>The Court certified the Treasurer's assets: County funds - \$7,240.26; School funds - \$5,568.86. (page 415)</p> <p>The Court ordered the Sheriff to have the courthouse's and jail's roofs repaired "and all other necessary repairing done...to the best of his Skill and ability." (page 415)</p> <p>The Court also authorized Sheriff Smith to "straighten up the delinquent Tax records." (page 416)</p> <p>The Court ordered monthly payments of \$10 to Mrs. J. E. Click ("for three months only") and \$6.50 to J. B. Rainey. (page 416)</p>	1908-02-12 1908-02-13	R	5	411-416
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	<p>The Court canvassed the results of the school trustee elections held on April 4, 1908, in most of the 32 school districts. (pages 417-419)</p> <p>The School District 11 election to abrogate the local school tax: in favor of abrogating – 21; against – 0. (page 419)</p>	1908-04-15	S	5	417-419
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	<p>County Treasurer V. P. Sanders presented his quarterly report. The Court had \$6,605.67 in the Bandera County Bank. (pages 420-422)</p> <p>The jury laid out the third-class road from Mrs. Blevins' to the Utopia and Vanderpool road. The Court lowered the damages paid to S. J. Waller, and the County would "build...a good and sufficient fence consisting of five barb wires along the pasture land, and eight wire[s] across the field or cultivated land of the said S. J. Waller." They further agreed that S. J. Waller "shall have sixty days within which to remove his garden truck in the field abutting along said road." (pages 423-426)</p> <p>The Court appointed A. B. Jones and D. E. Shackelford as election officers in Precinct 9, in place of W. R. Reagan who has moved away, "and S. C. Tomerlin who refuse[s] to serve." (page 426)</p> <p>The Court approved road overseers' and election judges' commissions. (page 426)</p>	1908-05-11 1908-05-12	R	5	420-426

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	<p>(continued) The Court rejected JP Ed Kelley's Precinct 5 quarterly report because it showed three judgments enforced and only one collected. (page 426)</p> <p>The Court unanimously granted John Dugosh and others' petition for a change in the Bandera and Hicks Creek road. (page 427)</p> <p>George W. Lewis and the County exchanged parts of Town of Bandera, Range 14, lots 73-76, for part of Cypress Street. Recorded in Deed Records, Book X, page [258]. "This exchange is made...part of Geo. W. Lewis' residence is located in said Street." (page 427)</p> <p>The Court approved the jury's report on road petitioned by G. Thompson. Road was ordered opened "as a neighborhood road not kept up by the county." (pages 427-429)</p> <p>The Court instructed County Judge Currie to deed the Jones School lot, formerly situated in West Prong school district, to Mark McBride who bought it at a "fair price." The lot had been deeded to "Co. Judge T. A. Peacock and his successors in office by John R. Preston." (page 429)</p> <p>The Court ordered that Mrs. J. E. Click be removed from the paupers' list. (page 429)</p> <p>Re the road from S. L. Humphreys' residence ending at W. H. Walton's division line (known as the "Baumer &amp; Fisher division line") established during the February 1908 term: W. H. Walton was notified by the Court to adjust his fences "within the nine months required by law." The overseer was ordered "to open and free from all obstructions said road" at the expiration of the nine months. (pages 429-430)</p> <p>The Court testified that the County had cash in funds equal to \$3,703.92 and school monies of \$2,405.02. (page 430)</p> <p>The Tax Collector presented his delinquent or insolvent taxpayers list. (pages 431-434)</p> <p>The Court granted J. W. Fisher's petition for a stock law election in Sabinal canyon. The election was to be held at the Taylor school house on June 20, 1908. (pages 434-435)</p> <p>The Court granted A. L. Mansfield's application for a change in the field notes of School Districts 1 and 2. (page 435)</p>	1908-05-12			
	<p>The Court discontinued paying the Sheriff \$5 per month to sweep the courthouse. (page 435)</p>	1908-05-14	R	5	426-435
	<p>The Court sat as a Board of Equalization. Tax Assessor M. R. Thalmann took an oath to view and inspect taxable property and to make a true estimate of properties' values, and to attach "a memoranda of all facts" to each assessment. (pages 436-437)</p> <p>The County Judge and all four commissioners took oaths that they would not vote to allow any property they believed to be assessed for less than its market value. (pages 437-440)</p> <p>The Court raised property valuations. (pages 440-459)</p> <p>The Clerk was ordered to publish the delinquent and insolvent taxpayers list and the County Attorney to bring suit. (pages 459-460)</p>	1908-06-08	S	5	436-460
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>					
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>					

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	<i>(continued)</i> The Clerk recorded the delinquent and insolvent taxpayers list in the minutes. (pages 460-463)	1908-06-08	S	5	460-463
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	The Court lowered some property valuations. (pages 464-465) The Court levied taxes for 1908: \$.20 – general fund; \$.11 – road and bridge; \$.10 – courthouse and jail; \$.10 – jury fund; \$.25 poll tax. (page 466)	1908-06-10	S	5	464-466
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	County Treasurer Sanders presented his quarterly reports. The Bandera County Bank certified that there was \$7,231.83 in the county's account. (pages 467-469) The Court granted A. C. Perry's petition for a school tax election in School District 28, Honey Creek School. Robert Lee was appointed to hold the election on Sept. 5, 1908. (page 470) The Court ordered an occupation tax to "the maximum amount allowed by law." (page 470) E. Clayton petitioned for a change in the Vanderpool and Dry Pond road, which the Court approved. There was to be no cost to the County. (page 470) The Court was to convene on Sept. 9, 1908, to canvass the returns of the school district election. (page 470) The Court renewed the \$15,000 fire insurance policy on the courthouse. The \$337.50 premium was deferred until January 1, 1909. (page 471)	1908-08-1	R	5	467-471
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	M. R. Thalmann's tax rolls for 1908 were approved. (page 472) Thalmann was paid \$389.87. (page 472)	1908-09-14	S	5	472
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	The Bandera County Bank was to merge with the Union Trust Company; in this event, the Court ordered that the Union Trust Company was to execute a bond for the same amount as that given by Bandera County Bank. (page 473) County Treasurer Sanders submitted his quarterly reports. (pages 474-475) The County's registered indebtedness was \$8,693.68. (page 475) The amount on deposit in the Bandera County Bank was \$4,501.28. (pages 475-476) The Court granted the request of R. N. Padgett and others "to build an independent Telephone line." (page 476) The Court fixed officials' bond amounts, including new officers. (pages 476-477) The Court approved the bond of the Union Trust Company. (pages 478-481) The Court rejected J. G. Horton's petition for a new third-class road on Mill Creek, because "the route asked for is impracticable [sic] and would be of too great an expense." (page 481) The Court granted the petition of the Vanderpool school trustees to sell "the old house." (page 481)	1908-11-09	R	5	473-481

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<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; Kasper Dugos (Pct. 1), J. F. Hamilton (Pct. 2), J. L. Renshaw (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>	<p><i>(continued)</i> The Court accepted the resignation of R. L. Renshaw as JP Precinct 3. J. E. Browning was appointed to fill the vacancy.(page 481) The Court recorded the results of the November 1908 election: <b>County Judge</b> — J. W. Currie; <b>County Attorney</b> — W. S. Etheridge; <b>County and District Clerk</b> — W. R. Fletcher; <b>Sheriff and Tax Collector</b> — R. S. Smith; <b>Tax Assessor</b> — M. R. Thalmann; <b>County Treasurer</b> G. W. Lewis; <b>County Surveyor</b> — Granville Wright; <b>Comm. Pct. 1</b> — Ebb Buck; <b>Comm. Pct. 2</b> — J. F. Hamilton; <b>Comm. Pct. 3</b> — R. W. Bruce; <b>Comm. Pct. 4</b> — J. L. Johnson; <b>JP 1</b> — C. W. Taylor; <b>JP 3</b> — J. L. Renshaw; <b>JP 4</b> — H. T. Kennedy; <b>JP 5</b> — J. G. Horton; <b>JP 6</b> — J. T. Valentine; <b>Constable Pct. 4</b> — B. B. Harper; <b>Constable Pct. 5</b> — Arney Robertson; <b>Constable Pct. 6</b> — W. J. Schmidt. (pages 481-482)</p>	1908-11-09	R	5	481-482
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; Ebb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>	<p>Charles Montague and others petitioned to have a courthouse janitor appointed; motion continued. (page 483) Official bonds were presented and accepted. (page 483) J. A. Eames was appointed County Attorney. (page 483) The Court granted the petition of J. F. Carson, trustee of Rocky Creek School District 27, to sell the old school lot. (page 483) Mrs. C. Alsup was put on the indigent list and authorized \$8 per month. (page 484) The Court allowed T. W. Massey \$8 per month for the care of William Hall. (page 484) New County Treasurer affirmed that he had received \$4,062.28 from former Treasurer V. P. Sanders. (page 484)</p>	1908-12-07	S	5	483-485
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>	<p>J. G. Horton failed to qualify as JP Precinct 5. The Court appointed H. L. Burns to the post. (page 485)</p>	1909-01-04	S	5	485
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; Ebb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>	<p>Tax Collector M. R. Thalmann took an oath to “view and inspect all the real estate and improvements thereon, subject to taxation.” (page 486) Comm. Bruce, <b>Precinct 3, road report:</b> Medina and Ranger Spring road to the intersection with the Medina and Kerrville road at Wallace Creek in good condition. Road from Medina to Norris Gate in fair condition. Hick’s Hill is “sadly in need of work.” The gate in front of Stovall’s house needed repair. The Medina and Center Point road needs more work, but “hands have put in their full time.” Jackson Creek road in fair condition for the first three miles, but the remaining two miles in poor condition.” Clark’s Creek road in fair condition for the first half, then in bad condition; from the 12<sup>th</sup> to the 14<sup>th</sup> mile is almost impassable. At the time of inspection the road had not been worked “in a good while.” Rocky Creek road in fair condition for the first half, then in “very indifferent condition.” Medina and Kerrville</p>	1909-02-08	R	5	486-488

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	<p><i>(continued)</i> road in good condition. Hartley lane in good condition. One culvert may need to be condemned. The West Prong road from Coal Kiln road to the seven mile post in good condition. The Medina and Bandera road is in "fine condition." The Leakey and Dry Pond road in poor condition. Part of Bandera and anger Springs road in very good condition. Mayfield road in very bad condition. "It seem to me that a threat to discontinue this road will be necessary in order to make the hands work this road properly." North Prong in fair condition. "A side culvert will have to be built across a ditch in main road [in Medina] at same place as people can not cross there without great inconvenience." (pages 487-490)</p> <p>Comm. Buck, <b>Precinct 1, road report:</b> Bandera to Privilege Creek in good condition, one culvert needed. Culvert needed near Bandera Pass. Medina and Center Point road is very rough. Other roads named only by their road precinct numbers. (pages 490-491)</p> <p>Comm. Johnson, <b>Precinct 4, road report:</b> All roads identified only by their precinct numbers. (pages 491-493)</p> <p>Comm. Hamilton, <b>Precinct 2, road report:</b> "San Antonio and Bandera and the Boerne and Bandera roads are in very good shape." Castroville road is very rough; it hasn't been worked for years. Bluff Creek road in "tolerable good condition." Schaffer road is rough in places. San Antonio and Privilege and Bandera and Privilege are in fair condition. Center Point and Privilege road in "tolerable" good shape. Bottle Spring road is very rough. Pipe Creek road in very good shape. Elm Creek road is rough in places. Bear Spring road in fair condition to Villeman's gate; the remainder is very rough. (pages 493-494)</p> <p>The Court appointed managers of school trustee elections. (pages 494-495)</p> <p>County Treasurer G. W. Lewis presented his quarterly reports. County funds at the Union Trust Co. were \$12,230.84. (pages 496-498)</p> <p>The Court approved C. W. Harris's petition to change the Medina and West Prong road. (page 498)</p> <p>The Court approved Y. J. Delavan's petition to change the boundary lines of the Lone Star and the Elm Creek school districts. (page 498)</p> <p>Mrs. Teofilla Valles's allowance was increased from \$2.50 to \$6 per month. (page 499)</p> <p>The Court ordered two transfers of money from the Courthouse and Jail fund: \$100 to the general sinking fund and \$500 to the 4<sup>th</sup> class fund. (page 499)</p> <p>Mrs. Ward was allowed to move from the George Hay residence to the house of Alex Kalka, and \$3 per month for rent. (page 499)</p> <p>The Court appointed B. C. Shelton as JP Precinct 5. (page 499)</p> <p>The Court accepted the \$30,000 bond of the Union Trust Company. (pages 499-502)</p>				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Ebb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk		1909-02-08 1909-02-10 1909-02-13		5	488-502

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<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; Ebb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>	<p>C. B. Coulter was appointed Sheep Inspector. (page 503)                      The Supreme Court of Texas ruled that the state constitution "does not authorize the formation of school districts partly in one county and partly in another." Therefore, the County Court redistricted the following: Wallace Creek, Leakey, Blackett, Tarpley, Mason Creek. It ordered the County Judge and the Clerk to "make out the boundary lines." (page 503)                      Comm. Bruce was given permission to buy the "missing Texas Criminal Reports up to date" and to "O.K. the bill," which would be paid from the courthouse and jail fund. (page 503)                      The Court ordered the Clerk to order a full set of County Commissioners' Legal Guides, providing they contain the acts of the 30<sup>th</sup> legislature. Comm. Bruce voted no: "he doesn't wish to put the County to that expense and proposes to buy his own guide." (page 504)                      The Court ordered that JP C. A. Taylor's office be shared with W. S. Etheridge as a law office for \$1 per month. (page 504)  <b>County officers' salaries: Clerk</b> – \$200 as District Clerk, \$100 – as County Clerk for indexing, and \$100 for keeping the finance ledger. Comms. Johnson, Buck and Hamilton voted yes. Comm. Bruce voted no, because the County had purchased a typewriter "which is just as much for his convenience as the county."  <b>County Judge</b> – \$300 as judge and \$300 and school superintendant. Comm. Bruce voted no, because "he does not believe his ex officio services as county judge is worth the sum of \$300.00 It should be cut down to \$225.00 for the reason that he gets about \$100 extra presiding over Commissioners' Court." <b>Sheriff</b> – \$400. Comm. Bruce noted no; he felt the salary excessive by at least \$60. <b>County Treasurer</b> – salary to remain the same. Comm. Bruce voted no, because the money allowed "is entirely out of proportion to labor performed in conducting the affairs of said office." (pages 504-505)                      Tax Assessor Thalmann was ordered to "trace over all pencil marks in collectors rolls and make them in ink." (page 505)                      The County's cash funds equaled \$7,915.19 and the school money was \$4,315.65. (pages 505-506)</p>	1909-02-13	R	5	503-506
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; Ebb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>	<p>The Court reorganized "and rebounded" six school districts: Wallace Creek (6), Haby (30), Leakey (10), Tarpley (12), Blackett (8) and Mason Creek (27). (pages 506-509)</p>	1909-03-07	S	5	506-509
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; Ebb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>	<p>Results of school board trustee elections. (pages 510-513)</p>	1909-04-10	S	5	510-513

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	<p>County Treasurer G. W. Lewis presented his quarterly reports. The County had \$5,003.00 on deposit with the Union Trust Company. The total cash in County funds was \$2,903.63; the total in the school fund was \$1,837.13. (pages 514-516)</p> <p>The Court approved R. E. Buckner's petition for a school tax election in district 12, and J. W. Lane's petition for a school tax election in Leakey, district 10. (page 517)</p> <p>The Court approved Z. H. Burleson's petition for a third-class road and appointed a jury: R. J. Irving, E. Hicks, Charles McCurdy, W. B. Chaney and C. H. Thalmann. (page 517)</p> <p>The Court rejected H. S. Hudspeth's petition "to open and rebuild street in the town of Bandera." (page 517)</p> <p>The Court canvassed the school trustee election in district 25. (page 517)</p> <p>Tax Collector Smith presented his list of delinquent or insolvent taxpayers. (pages 517-520)</p> <p>The Court granted W. S. Causey's petition to widen the Bandera and Hondo road. Ebb Buck was authorized "to obtain the necessary land and close a deal with all interested parties." (page 520)</p> <p>The Court allotted road funds: Precinct 1 - \$575; Precinct 2 - \$450; Precinct 3 - \$575; Precinct 4 - \$575. R. W. Bruce voted against the amount for Precinct 2 "as he considered it too great by \$50.00." (page 520)</p>				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Ebb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	<p>Judge Currie was authorized to buy clothes for a prisoner. (page 521)</p> <p>Sheriff Smith was ordered to hire a janitor for the courthouse during the district court's May 1909 term. (page 521)</p>	1909-05-10	R	5	513-521
	<p>The entire Court took oaths prior to sitting as a board of equalization. (pages 522-525)</p> <p>E. J. Rainey was appointed JP Precinct 5. (page 525)</p> <p>The school tax election in Leakey district 10 passed, 13 to 3. (page 525)</p> <p>The Tarpley school tax election was reset for July 10, instead of June 5, which was a Sunday. (page 525)</p> <p>Property revaluations were recorded. (pages 526-533)</p>				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Eb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	<p>E. J. Rainey's bond as JP Precinct 4 was approved. (page 533)</p> <p>Dr. W. A Mewborn was appointed County Health Officer. (page 533)</p> <p>Tax Collector Smith was ordered to "revise and correct" the delinquent tax records from 1885 to date, and be paid \$150. (page 533)</p>	1909-06-14	S	5	521-534
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Eb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	<p>The Court adjusted various property valuations. (pages 534-535)</p> <p>The Court set tax rates: general ad valorem - \$.20; road and bridge - \$.13; courthouse and jail - \$.09; jury fund - \$.09; poll tax - \$.25; occupation tax. (pages 535-536)</p> <p>The Clerk is ordered to ask for sealed bids for stationery supplies. (page 536)</p>	1909-07-12	S	5	534-536

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J. W. Currie, County Judge; Eb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	County Treasurer Lewis presented his quarterly reports. The County had \$4,681.50 on deposit in the Union Trust Company(pages 538-540) Judge Currie was given permission "to absent himself from the county for a period of time not to exceed ninety days." (page 542)	1909-08-09	R	5	538-542
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Eb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	Tax Assessor Thalmann was paid \$397.03 for assessing taxes for 1909. (page 543) The Court approved the petition of S. R. Barfield and others to establish a county line school district in Bandera and Kerr counties. (pages 543-545) The Court gave Mrs. Ward a \$50 payment "with the understanding that she receive no further assistance from Bandera Co." (page 545) The Court approved the Union Trust Company's bond and contract for county monies. (pages 545-548)	1909-09-02	S	5	543-549
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Eb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	County Treasurer G. W. Lewis presented his quarterly reports. The County had \$1,698.59 on deposit in the Union Trust Company. (pages 549-552) H. C. Stapps and 33 others from Election Precinct 6 petitioned for a stock law election. The Court approved and ordered an election be held at the Taylor schoolhouse on Dec. 27, 1909. (pages 552-553) The Court rejected a petition by L. D. Bounds for a stock law election in the Lower Sabinal subdivision, because "it is contrary to the new Stock Law enacted by the 31 <sup>st</sup> Legislature." (page 553) The Court rejected H. H. Carmichael and George Hay's application for "refund of unused occupation tax to the amt. of \$75." (page 553) Charles de Montel's petition for a third-class road was rejected for lack of enough signatures. (page 553) The Court granted the petition of F. Langford, Jr., for a new third-class road; F. D. Barnes, G. D. Cox, J. N. Mickel, W. H. Fitzgerald and J. P. Heinan were appointed as a jury. The same people were also appointed as a jury for a new third-class road petitioned for by N. J. Maass. (page 554) Total cash in the County's various funds was \$1,698.59; cash in school fund was \$3,584.81. (pages 554-555) Because J. W. Hicks had returned land he bought from Henry Taylor, Taylor's vendors lien was ordered struck from the assessment rolls. (page 555) The Court rejected W. R. Thomason's petition to put an acetylene light in the courthouse. (page 555)	1909-11-08 1909-11-09 1909-11-10	R	5	549-556



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<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge;                      Eb Buck (Pct. 1),                      Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2),                      R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3),                      J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4),                      Commissioners:                      R. S. Smith, Sheriff;                      W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>	<p>The Court established the boundaries of School District 1, because they were “somewhat indefinite.” (pages 558-559)</p> <p>Comm. Hamilton, <b>Precinct 2, road report:</b> San Antonio road very good condition; Boerne road good; Bluff Creek road “in fair shape”; Scaiffer [Shaeffer] road “not very good”; Privilege and San Antonio road “in fairly good condition”; Privilege and Bandera road fair; Privilege and Center Point road very fair; Bottle Springs road rough; Pipe Creek road “in good shape”; Elm Creek road fairly good; Bear Spring road very good shape “for about half way from the S.A. road to Privilege, the Balance Rough”; Castroville road very rough. (pages 559-560)</p> <p>Comm. Bruce, <b>Precinct 3, road report:</b> most roads only referred to by their numbers. Road portion known as Hicks Hill needs work; Coal Kiln road is fairly good ; Jackson Creek road in good condition, except needs one dangerous place corrected; Rocky Creek road in fair condition; Wallace Creek road in good condition; Mayfield road in fair condition; Carson road in good shape; Clark’s Creek road in good condition. (pages 560-562)</p> <p>Comm. Johnson, <b>Precinct 4, road report:</b> Vanderpool and Utopia road in good condition; Bandera and Utopia road good condition “except the mountain”; Little Creek road fair; Sabinal and Leakey road both fair and good in different road precincts; Utopia, Vanderpool and Dry Pond road good; Medina road good “considering rough country”; Evans Creek and Vanderpool road in very bad condition; Seco and Jackson Creek road fair; Leakey and Dry Pond road good; Sabinal and Blanket Creek road good “except from L. Talbott’s to Blanket Creek which is nearly impossible”; Bush Creek road bad; Rio Frio and Leakey road fair. (pages 562-563)</p> <p>The Court discontinued part of the Spring Branch road at the petition of M. Talbott. (page 563)</p>	1910-02-14	1910-02-15	R	5	558-564

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	J. W. Currie, County Judge; Eb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	<p>The Court rescinded its order regarding the refund of the unused liquor license of H. H. Carmichael and George Hay, and rejected their request for a refund "for the reasons that it is barred by the Statute of Limitation." (pages 576-577)</p> <p>The Court considered bids for the Bandera County funds: Boerne State Bank – 1 ½ %; Charles Schreiner – 2 ½ %; Sabinal National Bank – 4-1/10%. The Court approved the bid of Sabinal National Bank and fixed the bonds at \$35,000 and \$12,000. (pages 577-578)</p> <p>The Court approved the sale of "the old Laxon Creek School land" to Mrs. Emma Hammonds, the highest bidder for the 3-3/10 acre property. (page 578)</p> <p>The Court approved Sabinal National Bank's bond for County funds, but rejected the school bond "having been changed to comply with the law without the knowledge or consent of the</p>	1910-03-14	S	5

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	<i>(continued)</i> sureties thereon after said Sureties had signed same." The bank was directed to submit a new bond. (page 578)	1910-03-14	S	5	578
	The Sabinal National Bank presented its school funds bond. (pages 579-581)	1910-03-22	S	5	579-581
	The Court accepted the Sabinal National Bank's school fund bond. (pages 581-584	1910-04-04	S	5	581-584
	County Treasurer G. W. Lewis presented his quarterly reports. (pages 585-587)				
	The Court accepted a settlement from the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company of Baltimore, Maryland, for \$2,87.75 for the public school funds. (pages 587-588)				
	The results of the stock law election for Election Precinct 4 were: for – 14, against – 16. (page 588)				
	The results of a school tax election in the Pipe Creek district were: for – 5, against – 38. (page 589)				
	Treasurer Lewis submitted his report of Bandera County's registered indebtedness. (page 589)				
	F. D. Barnes, John Pyka and 20 others petitioned for a stock law election in Election Precinct 1. The Court set an election for Saturday, June 25, 1910, to be held at the courthouse. (pages 589-590)				
	The court ordered that the Union Trust Company's February 1909 bid for County business and the County's acceptance of the bid be recorded in the minutes. (pages 590-591)				
	J. T. Harris and 18 others petitioned for a stock law election in Election Precinct 6. The Court ordered an election on June 25, 1910. (pages 591-592)				
	The Court rejected Ed Mansfield's petition for a change in the Bandera and Medina road, because it would be too expensive. (page 592)				
	The Court accepted the H. E. Rambie jury report on the road requested by B. F. Langford, Jr. (pages 592-593)				
	Total funds belonging to the County were \$5,762.88; school fund assets were \$4,423.46. (page 594)				
	The Court ordered the Clerk to advertise for bids to lease County school lands for five years; the lease was expiring on July 20, 1910. (pages 594-595)				
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Eb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	The court apportioned the road funds: Precinct 1 - \$682; Precinct 2 – \$480; Precinct 3 – \$541; Precinct 4 – \$667. (page 595)				
	The Court ordered the Sheriff to have shelves made for the County Library and the Assessor's office. (page 595)	1910-05-09	R	5	585-595
J. W. Currie, County Judge; Eb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	The Court raised property valuations. (pages 596-600)				
	The Court rejected Charles Montague petition to have a janitor appointed. (page 600)				
	The Court ordered the overseer of the third-class road from Mrs. G. Blevens' (Blevins) place to the Utopia and Vanderpool road to remove	1910-06-01	S	5	596-600

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<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; Eb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>	<p>(continued) the unlawful obstructions of S. J. Waller and to keep the road clear. (page 600) The Court lowered four valuations. (page 600) The Court levied taxes: ad valorem - \$.23; road and bridge - \$.14; courthouse and jail - \$.07; jury fund - \$.07; poll tax - \$.25; occupation tax. (pages 600-601) The Court rejected W. A. Bonnet's bid (the only bid received) for lease of the school lands in Maverick county; the clerk was instructed to advertise again. (page 601) Comm. Bruce voted no on the ad valorem tax rate; also, he believed that the jury fund "should be made as strong as possible" in case of emergency. (page 601) The Court rescinded the order to the clerk to advertise the school lands for bid. (page 601) The Court accepted J. K. Burr's proposition to lease the school lands for \$.14 per acre for five years. (page 601) The Court published the results of school trustee elections. (pages 602-603)</p>	1910-06-01	S	5	600-603
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; Eb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>	<p>The Court granted H. C. Hanson's petition for an extension of the hog law boundaries. (page 604) County Treasurer G. W. Lewis presented his quarterly reports. (pages 604-606) Full text and boundaries of the hog law extension of School District 12. (pages 607-608) County commissioners' oath re the quarterly report. (pages 608-609) The Court appointed Ed Miller presiding judge of Election Precinct 4 to fill post vacated by T. H. Phillips. (page 609)</p>	1910-08-08	R	5	604-609
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; Eb Buck (Pct. 1), Frank Hamilton (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. L. Johnson (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>	<p>The Court approved F. G. Letcher's petition for a stock law election in Election Precinct 2. (pages 610-611) The Court cancelled a tax delinquency which was due to error. (page 611) The Court granted School Trustee O. A. Stevens' petition to sell the schoolhouse and lot. (page 612) The Court fixed County officers' bond amounts. (pages 612-613) The Court extended the stock law boundary lines petitioned by Henry Taylor and others, this extension included land known as "the Soldier Camp pasture" owned by Henry Taylor. (pages 613-614) The November general election results were recorded: County Judge – J. W. Currie; County Attorney – J. A. Eames; County and District Clerk – W. R. Fletcher; Sheriff and Tax Collector – R. S. Smith; Tax Assessor – J. R. Hankinson; County Treasurer – G. W. Lewis; County Surveyor – Joseph Chisum; Comm. Pct. 1 – W. F. Surber; Comm. Pct. 2 – R. E. Buck; Comm. Pct. 3 – R. W. Bruce; Comm. Pct. 4 – J. J. Burditt; JP Pct. 1 – C. A. Taylor; JP Pct. 2 – C. W. Harris; JP Pct. 5 – W. R. Reagan; Constable Pct. 1 – John Pyka; Constable Pct. 3 – V. D. Powell; Constable Pct. 5 – A. G. Horton. (page 614) The Court allowed W. C. Upton \$8 per month</p>	1910-11-14	R	5	610-614

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	<p>(continued) because he was "sick &amp; in destitute circumstances." (pages 614-615)</p> <p>The Court rescinded its previous order prohibiting balls or dances in the courthouse; \$5 was to be paid to the Sheriff. If the Sheriff or a deputy was not available, the persons using the courthouse shall "appoint a committee to preserve order. It is further ordered that the making of ice cream or other refreshments, calculated to injure the floor is absolutely prohibited." (page 615)</p> <p>The Court delayed paying Charles Montague and Ben H. Kelley until "the proper judgment is rendered in the case of Bandera County vs. Union Trust Co." (page 615)</p> <p>The County Treasurer presented his quarterly reports. (pages 615-618)</p> <p>The Court allowed Walter Mansfield to build a culvert over the Bandera and Kerrville road "strong enough to hold up a traction engine." (page 618)</p> <p>The Court ordered the County Judge to advertise for a County depository for 1911 and 1912. (page 619)</p>	1910-11-14	R	5	614-619
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	<p>Comm. Bruce, <b>Precinct 3, road report:</b> most roads identified only by their numbers; they seem to be in good or fair condition. Clark's Creek road in bad condition as it goes up the mountain. (pages 621-623)</p> <p>County Treasurer G. W. Lewis submitted his quarterly report. (pages 623-625)</p> <p>Comm. Buck, <b>Precinct 2, road report:</b> San Antonio road and the Bluff Creek road are in good condition. The Schaffer road was in bad condition. The Privilege and San Antonio road "in fairly good condition." The Privilege and Bandera road in good condition. The Privilege and Center Point road very good condition, except for about one mile. Bottle Springs road "is in a very rough shape and is very near impassable." The Pipe Creek road was in good shape. Elm Creek road in very bad shape. Bear Springs road nearly impassable for half of its length. The Castroville road was in very good shape. (pages 625-626)</p> <p>The Court granted Dr. J. M. Rappold's petition for permission to "fence across that part of 4<sup>th</sup> Street in the town of Bandera lying between the Lots owned by said J. M. Rappold and Block No. 4, in Range No. #." That part of 4<sup>th</sup> St. has never been used as a street "on account of the hill leading from the top of the same to the valley beneath, being too steep for use." (page 626)</p> <p>Comm. Surber, <b>Precinct 1, road report:</b> roads referred to be road precinct number only; roads were in good condition, except about 3-4 miles</p>	1911-02-13 1911-02-14	R	5	621-627
<p>J. W. Currie, County Judge; W. F. Surber (Pct. 1), R. E. Buck (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. J. Burditt (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk</p>					

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	<p>(continued) miles "of their west ends which are very rough." (pages 626-627)</p> <p>The Court granted D. W. Buck's petition for a change in the San Antonio road at Bluff Creek or Red Bluff. (pages 627-628)</p> <p>Comm. Burditt, <b>Precinct 4, road report:</b> the condition of the roads was good, bad and fair. Culverts and bridges were in good condition. (page 628)</p> <p>Tax Assessor Hankinson took his oath of office. (pages 628-629)</p> <p>The Commissioners and County Judge swore to the validity of the County Treasurer's report. Cash in County funds was \$9,857.72; cash in the school funds was \$2,851.17. (pages 629-630)</p> <p>The Court rejected C. C. Burris's petition to have the town of Bandera surveyed. (page 630)</p> <p>The Court granted the petition of W. R. Whitehead for a change in the Utopia and Medina road. (page 630)</p> <p>The Court rejected J. L. Watkins' petition for a stock law in part of Precinct 4, because "the boundaries given in said petition was not gotten up according to Law." (page 630)</p> <p>The Court appointed Ed A. Kelley JP Precinct 5. (page 630)</p> <p>The Court appointed school trustee election managers. (pages 631-633)</p> <p>The Court ordered Sabinal National Bank to provide a sworn statement of the amount on account as of February 11, 1911. (page 633)</p> <p>The Court set County officials' salaries for the next two years: County Judge - \$300; County Supt. - \$300; County and District Clerk - \$500; Sheriff - \$400. Comm. Bruce voted no because he believed "the salary to be excessive." (page 633)</p> <p>The Court received the bids from the First State Bank of Bandera (3%) and the Sabinal National Bank (4 ½ %). The Court accepted the bid of the Sabinal National Bank. (pages 633-635)</p> <p>The Court reconsidered C. C. Burris's petition to have the corners of the courthouse square established and ordered the County Surveyor to locate the corners and to "cause to be placed at the South West Corner of said Square a Stone pillar twelve inches Square; Said pillar to be buried [sic] under the ground one and one half feet, and to extend above ground Six inches."</p>					
J. W. Currie, County Judge; W. F. Surber (Pct. 1), R. E. Buck (Pct. 2), R. W. Bruce (Pct. 3), J. J. Burditt (Pct. 4), Commissioners: R. S. Smith, Sheriff; W. R. Fletcher, Clerk	C. C. Burris was ordered to pay for the survey and the marker. (page 635)	1911-02-14 1911-02-18		R	5	627-636