

November 11th 1876

The Bd of Com^{rs} met this 11th day of November 1876 present R. D. Jones, C. B. Cole, A. Wyche, A. Williams & Braxton Hunt.

The Board proceeded to count the votes cast in Granville County on the 7th November 1876 at the different voting precincts in said county for members of General Assembly, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, County Surveyor, County Commissioners, Coroner, Sheriff, member of the House of Representatives of the United States Congress, Governor & Gov^r, Secy of State, Auditor, Treasurer, Supt. Public Instruction, Atty General, Electors of President and Vice President of the U.S. and upon the question of ratifying or rejecting the proposed amendments to the Constitution of N. C. at the election held therein on the Tuesday next after the 1st Monday in November 1876, and a protest of various electors or voters being read by S. C. Edwards ^{as counsel} against counting the vote cast at the Henderson precinct, and the matter being discussed by S. C. Edwards and T. B. Yonable & W. P. Lanier for counting said vote cast as aforesaid, and after a private consultation among themselves (Braxton Hunt protesting against a private consultation) it was moved by B. Hunt as follows:

I move that the election returns from the Township of Henderson be received & now counted.

On taking a vote on the above motion Braxton Hunt voted - aye! A. Wyche voted - aye! A. Williams voted - No! C. B. Cole voted - No!

& the Chairman giving the casting vote, voted - No!

The Board took a recess until Tuesday the 14th Inst at 10 o'clock a.m.

The B.^d of County Commrs met this 14th day of Nov. 1876 according to recess taken on the 11th of October 1876 Present, R. Jones, C. B. Cole, B. Hunt, A. Wyche & A. Williams

On motion of C. B. Cole the following motion was ordered to be spread on the minutes, it having been omitted to be recorded in the proceedings of the Board

"I move that this court be governed in its proceedings by the same rules and regulations that govern other Courts of this State

It was moved by C. B. Cole that the Pittrells Township Elections returns be now taken up and proceed to count it. The motion was carried.

It was moved by C. B. Cole that the election returns of Pittrells Township be received & recorded.

It was moved that where the name of Lyon appears as voted for in Pittrells Township, the vote be given for Wm. J. Lyon as Register of Deeds. carried.

It was moved by C. B. Cole to take up the election returns of Fishing Creek township & count the same. carried.

It was moved that the heading of the returns of the elections from Fishing Creek Township be received.

and counted, the same having been returned blank
carried.

It was moved by C. B. Cole that the three tallies
in the election returns from Fishing Creek Township
for Washington Bridges be added to the vote of
Washington Bridges.

It was moved by C. B. Cole that the
votes cast for Jamieson F. Bullock Surveyor at
Fishing Creek Township be added to the vote
of Benjamin F. Bullock Sr. - R. D. Jones enters
his protest.

It was moved by C. B. Cole, that the nine
tallies cast for David Spencer for County
Com. in Fishing Creek Township be
added to the vote of David Spencer, for County
Com. - R. D. Jones enters his protest.

It was moved by C. B. Cole, that the tallies
cast for Mrs. R. Suit, as County Commissioner in
Fishing Creek Township be added to the vote of
James R. Suit - for county Com. - R. D. Jones
enters his protest.

It was moved by C. B. Cole to take up the election
returns of elections from Brassfields Township and count
the votes cast.

A protest of several citizens of Oxford and Tully Ho. Townships was presented against the counting the vote cast at Braxfields Township Precinct in Braxfields township

It was moved by C. B. Cole to proceed to count the vote of Braxfields Township which was carried

After canvassing the vote cast in the county of Granville for the different officers heretofore mentioned in these minutes and after a full count of all the votes admitted as proper to be counted; ~~the~~ the Chairman of the Board announced the votes received by each person at the said election held on the 7th day of November 1876 as aforesaid.

The Board took a recess until to-morrow at 9 o'clock A.M.

A. H. Cook

CLK to Board

Proceedings of
Genelle Co Comfr
in country votes
of 1876

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