

Historical List of Justices of the Peace

Dallas County, Texas

1846–2000

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Preface

The Justice of the Peace function has often been a stepping stone for those wishing to serve the public. Many JP's have gone on to serve as County or District Judges, as members of the Commissioners Court, as State Representatives and in various City positions.

One interesting example of dedication is Justice John Henry Brown who reversed the usual order of service. He was Mayor of Galveston, a State Representative, a Dallas alderman and eventually the Mayor of the City of Dallas. When he retired as Mayor in 1888, he was appointed to be a Justice of the Peace in Dallas County. When he finally retired, his last act as a public servant was to write the following as the last entry in his Civil Docket Book:¹

*With a clear conscience at 12 o'clock M. on this the 18th day of November, 1890,
I deliver this and all other books pertaining to my office to Edw. S. Lauderdale as my
Successor, and pray God to guide and bless him in the path of duty.
John Henry Brown, JP*

A list of those serving as Justices of the Peace for Dallas County has never before been compiled, due probably to the fact that the task required referencing a multitude of sources — from published official election returns (“ER”)², Commissioners Court Minutes (“CCM”)³, County Auditor’s reports (“AUD”)⁴, newspaper election accounts (“DTH” and “DMN”)⁵, City of Dallas directories (“DIR”)⁶, the Memorial and Biographical History of Dallas County (M&BH)⁷ and, in some cases, actual JP records⁸.

Early election registers usually named the Justices but did not always specify the precinct or place. Commissioners Court Minutes sometimes name the precinct and place number and the date when a Justice’s bond was posted and actual commissioning took place. In addition, these Minutes provide details about resignations and replacement appointments that do not necessarily appear in election registers.

The time period during and after the Civil War caused many changes to the Justice of the Peace function — local and statewide elected officials were replaced by appointees named by the interim government, and precinct numbers and boundaries were changed. During the Reconstruction period,

¹ Dallas County, TX Civil Docket Book, Precinct 1, 1889–1890; originals stored in the Dallas County Record Depository.

² Election Registers, 1838–1972; microfilm produced by the Texas State Library State Record Center, Archives Division, 1987; copies available at the J. Erik Jonsson Central Dallas Public Library.

³ Commissioners Court Minutes, 1846–Current; originals maintained by Dallas County.

⁴ County Auditor’s Report on Justices of the Peace, Dallas County (Dallas, Office of County Auditor); copies of reports from the 1960s through 1980s are available at the J. Erik Jonsson Central Dallas Public Library.

⁵ *Dallas Times Herald* (DTH) and *Dallas Morning News* (DMN) (including election results); microfilm copies available at the J. Erik Jonsson Central Dallas Public Library.

⁶ City of Dallas Directories (Dallas, Evans and Worley); microfilm copies are available at the J. Erik Jonsson Central Dallas Public Library.

⁷ _____, *Memorial and Biographical History of Dallas County, Texas* (Chicago: The Lewis Publishing Company, 1892 [reproduced by Walsworth Publishing Co. Inc]), available at the J. Erik Jonsson Central Dallas Public Library.

⁸ JP records inventoried and archived at the Dallas County Record Depository.

Justices were appointed for four years instead of two, and acted to administer county business, replacing the disbanded Commissioners Court. The Constitution of 1876 (still in effect, with amendments, in 2000) reestablished the Commissioners Court and the original two-year terms for Justices.⁹

A partial list of historical events which influenced the position of Justice of the Peace is included as part of this document.

In this list, a question mark is utilized to indicate whenever the start or stop date for a term is uncertain, and each entry includes source data to support conclusions about the office-holder and the dates served. There are a few instances when there is simply no data available to determine who filled a JP office during a certain time period.

Beginning in the year 2000, this list will be maintained by the District Clerk's office; however, notice of any additional information discovered to augment or correct this list will be appreciated by its original author.

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⁹ The term for JPs was changed from two to four years in 1954.

HISTORICAL EVENTS AFFECTING THE JP POSITION

- 1845 Texas became a State in the Union Dec 29, 1845, adopting the Constitution of 1845.
- 1846 Dallas County created from Nacogdoches and Robertson Counties.
Act passed for election of Dallas County officers, May 1846.
- 1861 Texas votes to secede from Union Feb 23, 1861, remaining part of the Confederate States until 1865.
- 1864 County Commissioners named in 1864 and served until Provisional Government of 1865 established.
- 1865 Reconstruction period – Texas back as part of the Union after May 11, 1865.
- 1866 Constitutional Convention Jan 1866 produced the Constitution of 1866, which restored a civil government “provisional” until state conforms to national guidelines. Appointments to office under the Provisional Government from Aug 1865 to July 1866. The Insurrection was over.
- 1867 Dallas County under “radical rule” (a.k.a. “Military Despotism”) whereby all Democrats holding offices in the State/County were removed by military order as impediments to Reconstruction and replaced by military appointments.
- 1869 **Reconstruction Constitution of 1869** lasted until Constitution of 1876
Provided that each County shall have five Justices, one of whom shall reside after this election at the county seat, not more than one of said should be a resident of the same JP Precinct ... Office for four years...Justices of each County shall constitute a court, like the previous County Commissioners and Police Courts; the Justice who resides at the County seat shall be the presiding judge.
[There would be no separate Commissioners Court positions until the Constitution of 1876.]
...
Constitution made District and County Clerk one position
[restored to two separate positions again in 1876 under Constitution of 1876.]
- 1876 Election held Feb 15, 1876 to approve a new Constitution which took effect April 18, 1876. This Constitution, with amendments, remains in effect to date. New **Constitution of 1876** provided for elections for both Commissioners and JPs, and separated the positions of District and County Clerks. Under the Constitution of 1876¹⁰:
Article V, Section 18, Terms of Justices of the Peace...
a) *Each county in the State with a population of 18,000 or more, according to the most recent federal census, from time to time, for the convenience of the people, shall be divided into not less than four and not more than eight precincts. ...in each such precinct there shall be elected one Justice of the Peace and one Constable, each of whom shall hold his office for four years and*

¹⁰ Texas Constitution details from the 1998–1999 Texas Almanac, (Dallas: Dallas Morning News, 1997), pp. 353-4.

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*until his successor shall be elected and qualified
in a county with a population of 150,000 or more,
according to the most recent federal census, each precinct
may contain more than one Justice of the Peace Court.*

- b) . . .
- c) *When the boundaries of Justice of the Peace and Constable precincts are changed, each Justice and Constable in office on the effective date of the change, or elected to a term of office beginning on or after the effective date of the change, shall serve in the precinct in which the person resides for the term to which each was elected or appointed, even though the change in boundaries places the person's residence outside the precinct for which he was elected or appointed, abolishes the precinct for which he was elected or appointed, or temporarily results in extra Justices or Constables serving in a Precinct. When, as a result of a change of precinct boundaries, a vacancy occurs in the office of Justice of the Peace or Constable, the Commissioners Court shall fill the vacancy by appointment until the next general election.*

[Note: Sec 18 of Art V has been amended five times:]

To change the term of office for Justices of the Peace and Constables from two to four years.[Submitted by 53rd Legislature, 1953, and adopted in election Nov 2, 1954.]

...

To provide that certain justice precincts may contain more than one justice of the peace court.[Submitted by 70th Legislature, 1987, and adopted in election Nov 3, 1987.]

Article V, Section 19 ... Jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace:

"Justice of the peace courts shall have original jurisdiction in criminal matters of misdemeanor cases punishable by fine only, exclusive jurisdiction in civil matters where the amount in controversy is two hundred dollars or less [later increased to five thousand dollars] and such other jurisdiction as may be provided by law. Justices of the peace shall be ex officio notaries public."

Article V, Section 28, Vacancies in Offices...

"Vacancies in the office of County Judge and Justices of the Peace shall be filled by the Commissioners' Court until the next succeeding general election." [Note: not to the full elected term]

1887

Mesquite incorporated as a town.

1890

Oak Cliff incorporated as a city in 1890. Dissolved and reincorporated as a smaller entity in June 1891.

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- 1891 Garland incorporated (had been called Embree), near Duck Creek.
- 1892 Precinct 1 consisted of the City of Dallas and suburbs and Calhoun.
Precinct 3 consisted of Rose Hill, Pleasant Valley, Garland, New Hope and Reinhardt.
Precinct 4 consisted of Scyene, Mesquite, Haught's Store, Seagoville and Kleburg.
Precinct 5 consisted of DeSoto, Hutchins, Wilmer, Lancaster and Rylie.
Precinct 6 consisted of Duncanville and Cedar Hill.
Precinct 7 consisted of Lisbon, Eagle Ford, Grand Prairie and Oak Cliff.
Precinct 8 consisted of Sowers, Spring Chapel and Estill.
- 1894 Precinct 2 included Richardson.
- 1903 Oak Cliff annexed to Dallas.
- 1905 About 1905, Precinct 8 included Irving as well as Coppell and Sowers.
- 1920 By 1920, Precinct 7 contained two Places.
- 1944 Changed boundaries for Precincts 6,7,8.
- 1954 Term of JP office changed from two years to four years.
- 1967 By 1967, Precinct 8 included Richardson as well as Irving.
- 1976 Second place added to Precinct 8 on Jan 1, 1976.
Second place added to Precinct 2 on Jan 1, 1976.
- 1988 Second place added to Precinct 3 in 1994.
- 1989-94 Precinct 4 still contains Garland but Mesquite moved to Place 1 in the newly enlarged Precinct 5. Place 2 in Precinct 5 is Grand Prairie.
- 1994 Major redistricting of precincts. Farmers Branch and Carrollton moved from Precinct 3 to Precinct 2, place 2. A large portion of North Dallas added to Precinct 3. Most of East Dallas and all of downtown Dallas moved from Precinct 1, except for the Courthouse and one street linking it to the rest of the precinct.
- 1998 By 1998, Precinct 2, place 2 includes Irving, Carrollton, Coppell and Farmers Branch.

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PCT/ PLACE:	START DATE:	END DATE:	JUSTICE NAME:	SOURCES/ REMARKS:
?	1846	1848	Helmes, Jacob	ER Jul 1846; No precinct.
?	1846	1848	Strahan, David	ER Jul 1846; No precinct.
?	1846	1848	Wilson, Aaron B.	ER Jul 1846; No precinct.
?	1846	1848	Leonard, John R.	ER Jul 1846; No precinct.
?	1846	1848	Burnan, James	ER Nov 1846; No precinct.
?	1846	1848	Keen[e?], William H.	ER Nov 1846; No precinct.
?	1847	1848	Pegnes, George W.	ER Nov 1846; No precinct.
?	1848	1850	Leonard, William M.	ER Aug 1848; No precinct. ¹¹
1-1	1846	1848	Hord, William H.	ER Jul 1846; [Chief Justice 1848–1850]. Died 1850.
1-2	1846	1850	Burnet, Hiram	ER July 1846, ER Aug 1848
1-2	1850	1852	Scurlock, John	ER(1) Aug 1850; CCM(1-2) Aug 20, 1850; Commis. Mar 1851.
1-1	1850	1860	Beard, Allen	ER(1) Aug 1850; CCM(1-1) Aug 20, 1850; ER(1) Aug 1852; CCM(1-1) Feb 21, 1853; ER(1) Aug 1854; CCM(1-1) Aug 20, 1856; ER Aug 1856; ER Aug 1858; CCM(1) Aug 17, 1858; CCM(1) Aug 17, 1858. ¹²
1-2	1853	1854	Lanier, John	ER(1) Aug 1852; Commis. Mar 1853

¹¹ Tax Assessor/Collector 1850–1852.

¹² Sheriff 1860–1862.

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1-2	1853	1856	Hawpe, Trezevant Calhoun	CCM(1-2) Feb 21,1853; ER(1) Aug 1854. ¹³
1-2	1856	1862	Smith, James N.	ER Aug 1856; CCM(1-2) Aug 20,1856; ER Aug 1858; CCM(1) Aug 17,1858; ER(1) Aug 1860; CCM Aug 22,1860;
1-1	1860	1862	Smith, J. L.	ER(1) Aug 6,1860. ¹⁴
1-1	1862	1864	Eakins, John J.	ER Aug 1862; CCM(1-1) Oct 16 1862
1-2	1862	1864	Baird, George W.	ER Aug 1862; CCM(1-2)—“Bond Oct 16,1862”.
1	1863	1864	Lane, John W.	ER Aug 1862;
1	1864	1866	Rice, [Dr] A.D.	ER(1) Aug 1864. ¹⁵
1-2	1865	1866	Baird, George W..	ER Aug 1864; Appointed (1) by Provisional Government; ER Oct 1865[“Beard”]; CCM(1) Sep 22, 1865.
1	1866	1866	Laws, John M.	ER(1) Jun 25,1866; Resigned. ¹⁶
1-1	1866	1867	Lane, John W.	ER(1) June 1866 under Constitution of 1866; CCM(1-1) Aug 21,1866. ¹⁷
1-1	1867	1868	Long, Benjamin	Appointed (1) by Military Order #195 Nov 1867. ¹⁸

¹³ Sheriff 1850–1854.

¹⁴ Note: Two J.Smiths in Precinct 1 in 1860.

¹⁵ Treasurer 1852–1854; Mayor of Dallas Aug 1858.

¹⁶ County Clerk (–1873).

¹⁷ Removed by Military Order #195 Nov 1867. Representative of Dallas County under Reconstruction Constitution.

¹⁸ Appointed Mayor by Federal authorities Sep 1868–72; Appointed to replace E.B.Spillman as District Clerk but refused

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1-1	1867	1867	Baird, George W.	CCM(1-1) Jan 15, 1867 – “Removed Nov 1867 by Military Order #195”.
1-2	1866	1867	Bryan, John Neely	ER(1) Jun 1866 under Constitution of 1866; CCM(1-2) Aug 21, 1866; CCM Jan 15, 1867, CCM Jan 15, 1867—“Removed by Military Order #195”.
1-2	1867	1868	McKnight, J. P.	Appointed (1) by Military Order #195 Nov 1867. ¹⁹
1-2	1869	1869		[No County elections held 1868— 1869].
1-1	1870	1875	Kerfoot, John D.	ER(1) Dec 3, 1869 elected March 1870 as Chief Presiding Justice under 1869 Constitution; CCM(1) “Bond-May 2, 1870”; Commis. Jun 1870; ER(1) Jun 1870; ER(1) Dec 1873; CCM(1)—“Bond Dec 29, 1873”; Commis. Mar 1874; CCM—Resigned Apr 17, 1875 and replaced by Burford. ²⁰
1-1	1875	1876	Burford, Nathaniel M.	ER(1) appointed April 1875 as Chief Justice to replace Kerfoot; CCM(1) Apr 17, 1875. ²¹
1-2	1876	1880	Peak, William W.	ER(1) Feb 1876; CCM Apr 14, 1876— “Bond approved”; ER(1)

to qualify.

¹⁹ City of Dallas Alderman 1868–1872.

²⁰ Special Judge 14th District Court June 1874; Mayor of Dallas Apr 1876.

²¹ Judge of Civil Court 1856–1862 and 1876–1877.

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				Nov 1878, CCM(1)—“Bond approved Dec 2, 1878”; Commis. Mar 1879. ²²
1-1	1876	1878	McLure, E. C.	ER(1) Feb 1876; CCM(1)—“Bond approved Apr 17, 1876”. ²³
1-1	1879	1884	Edwards, William M.	ER(1) Nov 1878; CCM(1)—“Bond approved” Nov 18, 1878; Commis. Mar 1879; ER Nov 1880; ER Nov 1882; Commis. Nov 1882. ²⁴
1-2	1881	1882	Price, W. H.	ER Nov 1880; Dir 1881-82
1-2	1883	1888	Kendall, T.G.T.	ER Nov 1882, Commis. Nov 1882; Dir 1883-84; 1884-85; ER Nov 1886.
1-1	1885	1886	Schuhl, Henry	CCM Feb 9, 1886—“Allowed fees”); M&BH— JP-1 (1885-86).
1-1	1887	1892	Braswell, Samuel N.	JP(1) documents 1886-88; ER Nov 1888; ER Nov 1890.
1-2	1889	1890	Brown, John Henry	DIR 1889-1890; JP documents 1889, 1890.
1-2	1891	1898	Lauderdale, Ed S.	ER Nov 1890; ER Nov 1892; ER Nov 1894; ER Nov 1896 ²⁵
1-1	1893	1902	Skelton, J. M.	ER Nov 1892; DIR 1893-1894, 1884-1894, 1894-1895, 1896; ER Nov 1896; ER Nov 1898; ER Nov 1900.

²² County Clerk 1854-1856.

²³ City Alderman 1875.

²⁴ City Alderman Apr 1888.

²⁵ County Judge 1901-1904.

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1-2	1899	1908	Edwards, William M.	ER Nov 1898; ER Nov 1900; ER Nov 1902; ER Nov 1904; ER Nov 1906.
1-1	1903	1906	Cullen, M. C.	ER Nov 1902; ER Nov 1904.
1-1	1905	1906	Blewett, C. H.	ER Nov 1904.
1-1	1906	1906	Lee, R. H.	CCM—"Appointed Jun 18,1906".
1-1	1907	1908	Williams, J. F.	ER Nov 1906.
1-1	1909	1912	Corley, Quentin D.	ER Nov 1908; ER Nov 1910 ²⁶
1-2	1909	1914	Work, T. A.	ER Nov 1908; ER Nov 1910; ER Nov 1912. ²⁷
1-1	1913	1918	Stewart, S. Leslie	ER Nov 1912; ER Nov 1914; DIR 1917,1918.
1-2	1915	1922	Barnett, Sam J.	ER Nov 1914; ER(1) 1916; ER Nov 1918; Commis.(1-2)- Feb 27,1919; ER(1-2) Nov 2,1920.
1-1	1919	1924	Alexander, Fred H.	ER Nov 1918; Commis. Feb 27, 1919; ER(1-1) Nov 2,1920; ER(1-1) Nov 7,1922. ²⁸
1-2	1923	1936	Fly, Ben H.	ER(1-2) Nov 7,1922; ER Nov 1924; ER Nov 1926; DIR 1927, 1928,1929,30; ER Nov 1930; ER Nov 1932; ER Nov 1934. ²⁹
1-1	1925	1951	Baldwin, Elias John	ER Nov 1924; ER Nov 1926; DIR 1929,1930; ER Nov 1930;

²⁶ County Judge 1913–1918.

²⁷ County Court At Law #1 1914–1922; 68th District Court 1922–1934.

²⁸ County Judge 1925–1932.

²⁹ County Judge 1937–1940.

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				ER Nov 1932; ER Nov 1934; ER Nov 1936; ER Nov 1938; ER Nov 1940; ER Nov 1942; ER Nov 1944; ER Nov 1946; ER Nov 1948; Died 1951 and replaced by Byrd.
1-2	1937	1938?	Stovall, Walter J.	ER Nov 1936; Died and replaced by Sterrett.
1-2	1938	1948	Sterrett, W. L. "Lew"	ER(1-2) Nov 8, 1938, Commis. Feb 1939; ER Nov 1940; ER Nov 1942; ER Nov 1944; ER 1946. ³⁰
1-2	1949	1966	McBride, Pierce	ER Nov 1948; ER Nov 1950; ER Nov 1952; ER Nov 1954 (4-year term); ER Nov 1958; ER Nov 1962; ER Nov 1964.
1-1	1951	1962	Byrd, Glenn Winston	Appointed 10/18/1951 to replace Baldwin, ER 1950; ER Nov 1952; ER Nov 1954(2-year term); ER Nov 1956; AUD 1957, 1960, 1961, 1962; Resigned Nov 1, 1962, and replaced by Davis.
1-1	1962	1968	Davis, Charlie T.	Appointed Nov 18, 1962 to replace Byrd; ER Nov 1962; ER Nov 1964. ³¹
1-2	1967	1978	Naylor, Tom	ER Nov 1966; ER Nov 1970; DMN ER Nov 1974; AUD 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977; Retired.
1-1	1969	1992	Cole, Robert R.	ER Nov 1968; DMN ER Nov 1972; DMN ER Nov 1976; DTH ER Nov 1980;

³⁰ County Judge 1948–1974.

³¹ Criminal District Court #2 1968–1972.

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				DMN ER Nov 1984; DMN ER Nov 1988; Retired.
1-2	1979	1981	McDowell, Pat	DMN ER Nov 1978; AUD 1979,1980,1981; Resigned Aug 31,1981 and replaced by Freeman. ³²
1-2	1981	2002	Freeman, Fletcher	Appointed Sep 1981 to replace McDowell; DTH ER Nov 1982; DMN ER Nov 1986; DMN ER Nov 1990; DMN ER Nov 1994; ER Nov 1998.
1-1	1993	2000	Cercone, Albert	DMN ER Nov 1992; DMN ER Nov 1996.
2-2	1846	1852	Hord, William H..	ER July 1846; CCM(2-2) Aug 20,1850—"Wm Hord"; Commis. Mar 1851." ³³
2-1	1850	1856	Metcalf, John J.	ER(2) Aug 1850; CCM(2-1)—Aug 20,1850; Commis. Mar 1851; ER(2) Aug 1852; CCM(2-1) Feb 21, 1853; Commis. Mar 1853; ER(2) Aug 1854.
2-2	1853	1854	Durrett, Solomon	ER(2) Aug 1852; Commis. Mar 1853
2-2	1853	1855	McCracken, Anson	CCM(2-2) Feb 21,1853; ER(2) Aug 1954; CCM—"Resigned July 24,1855". ³⁴

³² Appointed to Criminal District Court #5 1981–1995.

³³ Appointed Chief Justice 1865–1866 (revoked).

³⁴ Coroner 1846–1852.

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2-1	1856	1860	Bentley, James	ER Aug 1856; CCM(2-1) Aug 20,1856; ER Aug 1858; CCM(2) Aug 17,1858.
2-2	1856	1860	McAdams, N. O.	ER Aug 1856; CCM(2-2) Aug 20,1856; ER Aug 1858; CCM(2) Aug 17,1858. ³⁵
2-1	1860	1864	Cameron, David Franklin	ER(2) Aug 1860; CCM Aug 22,1860; ER Aug 1862; CCM(2-1) Oct 16,1862
2-2	1860	1864	Marriott, William E.	ER(2) Aug 1860;CCM Aug 22,1860; ER Aug 1862; CCM(2-2) Oct 16,1862.
2 -2	1864	1868	Myers, Meredith	ER(2) Aug 1864; CCM(2) Sep 22,1865; Appointed (2) by Provisional Government – ER Oct 1865; ER(2) Jun 1866 (Provisional Constitution); CCM(2-2) Aug 21, 1866; CCM(2-2) Jan 15,1867.
2-1	1865	1868	Barker, Charles	ER(2) Aug 1864; ER(2) Jun 1866(1866 Provisional Constitution); CCM(2-1) Aug 21,1866; CCM(2-1) Jan 15,1867
2	1868	1870		[No elections held 1869-70.]
2	1870	1871	Ricketts, B. F.	Elected Justice under Reconstruction Constitution 1869; ER(2) Dec 1869; CCM—“Bond (2) May 2,1870”; Commis. Jun 1870; Resigned Aug 1871 and replaced by Guy.

³⁵ Sheriff Aug 1862–Jun 1866; M&BH, p.186.—“Appointed as Sheriff by Provisional Government Aug 1865–1866; County Commissioner 1876–1878.

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2	1871	1874	Guy, Robert S.	Appointed ER(2) Oct 1871 to replace Ricketts; Commis. Dec 1 ER(2) Oct 1871. ³⁶
2	1874	1876	Sprowls, William S.	Elected Justice Dec 1873; ER(2) Jun 1875; CCM(2) July 5 1875. ³⁷
2	1874	1875	George, William A.	ER(2) Dec 1873; CCM(2)—“Bond” Dec. 29, 873; Commis. Mar 1874; CCM—“Resigned effective Jun 22, 1875.
2	1876	1882	Blewett, J. R.	ER(2) Feb 1876; ER(2) Nov 1878; ER Nov 1880.
2	1883	1884	Greer, W. F.	ER Nov 1882; DIR 1883-1884, 1884-1885 [says “Grier”].
2	1885	1894	Malone, C. E.	ER Nov 1884 [says “Pct 1”—in error]; ER Nov 1886; ER Nov 1888; ER Nov 1890; ER Nov 1892.
2-1	1895	1902	Blewett, C. H.	ER Nov 1894 (Richardson); ER Nov 1896; ER Nov 1898; ER Nov 1900.
2	1903	1904	Warner, John	ER Nov 1902 (Richardson)
2	1905	1906		[No data available.]
2	1907	1908	Robertson, Addison	ER Nov 1906
2	1909	1909	Halsell, V. B.	ER Nov 1908; Resigned Mar 27, 1909 and replaced by Skelton.

³⁶ “Special Judge” in County Civil Court Feb 1874.

³⁷ County Commissioner 1858–1864.

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2	1909	1912	Skelton, Frank	Appointed Mar 27, 1909 to replace Halsell; DIR 1910, 1911, 1912.
2	1912	1913	Huffhines, W. E.	ER Nov 1912; Resigned Aug 23, 1913 and replaced by Longmire.
2	1913	1914	Longmire, W. A.	CCM—Appointed Aug 23, 1913 to replace Huffhines.
2-1	1915	1920	Floyd, George D.	ER Nov 1914; ER Nov 1916; ER Nov 5, 1918.
2	1920	1925	McKamy, Thomas/James F.	ER(2) Nov 2, 1920; CCM—Appointed Dec 6, 1920 as “James F McKamy”; ER(2) Nov 7, 1922; ER Nov 1924 (“Thomas McKamy”); CCM—“Resigned July 2, 1925 and replaced by M.E.Baker”.
2	1925	1926	Baker, M. E.	CCM—“Appointed Jul 2, 1925 to replace McKamy”; ER Nov 1924; CCM—“Resigned May 24, 1926 and replaced by Thompson”.
2-1	1926	1928	Thompson, R. W.	CCM—“Appointed May 24, 1926 to replace Baker”; ER Nov 1926.
2-1	1928	1936	Blewett, Virgil F.	ER(2) Nov 1928; ER Nov 1930; ER 1932; ER Nov 1934.
2-1	1937	1958	Ford, Perry	ER Nov 1936; ER Nov 1938; ER Nov 1940; ER Nov 1942; ER Nov 1944; ER Nov 1946; ER Nov 1948; ER Nov 1950; ER Nov 1952; ER Nov 1954; [4-year term]; ER Nov 1956.
2-1	1959	1966	Johnston, David L.	ER Nov 1958; ER Nov 1962; ER Nov 1964;

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2-1	1967	1988	Patzig, George A.	ER Nov 1966; ER Nov 1970; Aud 1974; DMN ER Nov 1974; AUD 1974,1975,1976,1977, 1979, 1980,1981,1982,1983,1984; DMN ER Nov 1984; AUD 1984,1985, 1986,1987,1988.
2-2	1976	1978	Russell, Lloyd G.	AUD 1976,1977.
2-2	1979	1982	Long, Bill	DMN ER Nov 1978. ³⁸
2-2	1983	1994	Ovard, Mark	DTH ER Nov 1982; DMN ER Nov 1986; DMN ER Nov 1990.
2-1	1989	1996	Bronson, Bill	DMN ER Nov 1988; DMN ER Nov 1992.
2-1	1997	2000	Terry, Jim	DMN ER Nov 1996.
2-2	1995	1998	Lowery, Bill	DMN ER Nov 1994; [Removed from office Dec 1997.]
2-2	1998	2002	Whitney, Bob	DMN ER Nov 1998.
3	1854			[No Precinct 3 in 1854 ER.]
3-2	1855	1858	Montgomery, S. P.	Appointed (3) Aug 1855; Commis. Sep 1855; ER Aug 1856; CCM(3-2) Aug 20,1856
3-1	1856	1858	Thornton, Ralph	ER Aug 1856; CCM(3-1) Aug 20,1856
3-1?	1858	1858	Chalmers, Thomas B.	CCM(3) Feb 15,1858 [may have replaced Thornton.]
3-2	1858	1860	Powell, Clark	ER Aug 1858; CCM(3) Aug 17,1858.

³⁸ District Clerk 1983–1998.

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3	1858	1862	Lucus, Hezekiah	ER Aug 1858; CCM(3) Aug 17,1858; ER(3) Aug 1860
3-1	1862	1864	Lane, James W.	ER Aug 1862; CCM(3-1) Aug 16,1862
3	1864	1866	Hale, William	ER(3) Aug 1864
3	1865	1866	Lasater, J. R.	ER(3)Aug 1864; CCM(3) Nov 20,1865.
3-1	1866	1867	Lucus, Hezekiah	ER(3) Jun 1866[Constitution]; CCM(3) Aug 21,1866; CCM(3-1) Jan 15,1867.
3	1868	1869		[No elections held 1869-70.]
3	1870	1871	Myers, Meredith	Elected Justice under Provisional Constitution of 1869 [4-year term] ER(3) Dec 1869; CCM(3) May 2, 1870; Commis. Jun 1870.
3	1873	1875	Barker, Charles	Elected Justice under Provisional Constitution of 1869 [4-year term] ER(3) Dec 1873; CCM(3)—“Bond Dec 23,1873; Commis. Mar 1874; CCM(3) Mar 30,1875—“Resigned and replaced by McAdams”.
3	1875	1875	McAdams, N. O.	ER(3) May 1875; Appointed to replace Barker; CCM May 1875. ³⁹
3	1876	1878	Myers, E. T.	ER(3) Feb 1876; CCM(3)—“Bond approved April 18,1876”.
3	1879	1880	Nash, Thomas F, Sr.	ER(3) Nov 1878; CCM(3)—“Bond approved Nov 22,1878”; Commis.

³⁹ County Commissioner 1876–1892.

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				Mar 1879. ⁴⁰
3	1881	1882	Owens, T. B.	ER Nov 1880; CCM—"Resigned Aug 14, 1882 and replaced by Berry".
3	1882	1883	Berry, Millard	CCM—"Appointed Aug 14, 1882 to replace Owens"; ER Nov 1882; CCM—"Resigned Oct 9, 1883 and replaced by Swim".
3	1883	1884	Swim, T. J.	CCM—"Appointed Oct 9, 1883 to replace Berry".
3	1885	1886	Harbison, A. M.	ER Nov 1884 ⁴¹ ; CCM—"Resigned Jan 16, 1886, and replaced by Moses Brown".
3	1886	1886	Brown, Moses	CCM—"Appointed Jan 16, 1886 to replace Harbison".
3	1887	1888	Alexander, J. D.	ER Nov 1886 (Pleasant Valley).
3	1889	1898	Swim, T. J.	ER 1888 (Pleasant Valley); ER Nov 1890 (Garland); ER Nov 1892; ER Nov 1894; ER Nov 1896.
3	1899	1900	Marshall, C. H.	ER Nov 1898.
3	1901	1902	Lewis, George W.	ER Nov 1900; CCM—"Resigned Mar 24, 1902 and replaced by Tisinger".
3	1902	1904	Tisinger, B. F.	ER Nov 1902; CCM—"Appointed 1902 to replace Lewis".

⁴⁰ Representative of Dallas County 1880; County Judge 1893–1896. Judge 14th Judicial District Court 1900–1908 when he died.

⁴¹ ER says "Duck Creek, Precinct 2", but should be Precinct 3.

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PCT/ PLACE:	START DATE:	END DATE:	JUSTICE NAME:	SOURCES/ REMARKS:
3	1905	1906	Saunders, T. A.	ER Nov 1904; CCM—"Resigned Aug 16, 1906 and replaced by Bane".
3	1906	1911	Bane, W. F.	CCM—"Appointed Aug 16, 1906 to replace Saunders"; ER 1906; ER Nov 1908; ER Nov 1910; Resigned Dec 30, 1911 and replaced by G. Alexander.
3	1911	1912	Alexander, George A.	CCM—"Appointed Dec 30, 1911 to replace Bane"; Bond approved Jan 1912; Resigned Jan 29, 1912 and replaced by McCallum.
3	1912	1916	McCallum, W. D.	CCM—"Appointed Jan 29, 1912 to replace G. Alexander"; ER Nov 1912; ER Nov 1914; ER(3) Nov 1916; Resigned Nov 20, 1916 and replaced by Caldwell/Colwell.
3	1916	1920	Caldwell/Colwell, P. C.	CCM—"Appointed Nov 20, 1916 to replace McCallum; ER Nov 5, 1918.
3	1921	1922	Morrison, Newton P.	ER(3) Nov 2, 1920; DIR 1921, 1922.
3	1923	1926	Swim, T. J.	ER(3) Nov 7, 1922; ER Nov 1924; CCM—"Resigned Dec 23, 1926 and replaced by Morrison".
3	1926	1928	Morrison, Newton P.	CCM—"Appointed Dec 23, 1926 to replace Swim"; ER Nov 1926;
3	1929	1932	Minick, G. D.	ER(3) Nov 1928; ER Nov 1930.
3	1933	1950	Morrison, Newton P.	ER Nov 1932; ER Nov 1934; ER Nov 1936; ER Nov 1938; ER Nov 1940; ER Nov 1942; ER Nov 1944; ER Nov 1946;

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				ER Nov 1948; Replaced by O'Banion Apr 27, 1950.
3	1950	1952	O'Banion, J. W.	Appointed Apr 27, 1950 to replace Morrison; ER Nov 1950.
3	1953	1962	Brown, Fred R.	ER Nov 1952; ER 1954 [4-year term]; ER 1956; ER Nov 1958; Resigned before Nov 1962, when replaced by Theran Ward.
3	1962	1982	Ward, Theran	ER 1962 — "Appointed Nov 1962 to replace Fred Brown; ER 1964; ER Nov 1966; ER Nov 1970; AUD 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977; DMN ER Nov 1978.
3	1983	1986	Luedtke, Charles	DTH ER Nov 1982; AUD 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986.
3-1	1989	1992	Patzig, George A.	DMN ER Nov 1988
3-2	1989	2002	Ritter, Martha E.	DMN ER Nov 1988 [elected to unexpired term]; DMN ER Nov 1990; DMN ER Nov 1994; ER Nov 1998.
3-1	1993	1999	Forman, Bob	DMN ER Nov 1992; DMN. ER Nov 1996; Died in office July 1999 and replace by Seider.
3-1	1999	2000	Seider, Steven	Appointed to replace Forman.
4-2?	1848	1850	Husted, Harrison	ER Aug 1848
4-1?	1848	1850	Garner, William	ER(4) Aug 1848; died before Feb 1850 when succeeded by Green.
4-1?	1850	1851	Green, Martin P.	Appointed (4) Feb 1850 to replace Garner.

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PCT/ PLACE:	START DATE:	END DATE:	JUSTICE NAME:	SOURCES/ REMARKS:
4-2	1850	1852	Witt, Wade Hamp	ER(4) Aug 1850; Commis. Mar 1851; CCM(4-2) Aug 20,1850.
4-1	1851	1853	Clark, Andrew J.	ER(4) Aug 1850; Commis. Mar 1851; CCM(4-1) Aug 20,1850; ER(4) Aug 1852; Commis. Mar 1853.
4-1	1853	1862	McCants, Joshua	CCM(4-1) Feb 21,1853; ER(4) Aug 1854; ER Aug 1856; CCM(4-1) Aug 20,1856; ER Aug 1858; CCM(4) Aug 17, 1858; ER(4) Aug 1860; CCM Aug 22,1860.
4-2	1853	1855	Witt, Andrew J.	ER(4) Aug 1852; Commis. Mar 1853; CCM(4-2) Feb 21,1853; ER(4) Aug 1854; Resigned and replaced by Wade H. Witt Apr 29, 1955.
4-2	1855	1856	Witt, Wade Hamp	ER 1854—"Appointed Apr 29, 1855 to replace A. Witt"; Commis. June 20, 1855. ⁴²
4-2	1856	1860	Cook, Robert M.	ER Aug 1856; CCM(4-2) Aug 20,1856; ER Aug 1858; CCM(4) Aug 17,1858.
4-2	1860	1869	Gilbert, Samuel H.	ER(4) Aug 1860; CCM Aug 22, 1860; ER Aug 1862; CCM(4) Aug 16,1862; ER(4) Aug 1866; [Appointed under Provisional Constitution of 1866]; CCM(4-2) Aug 21 1866; CCM(4-2) Jan 15, 1867; Replaced by Hatcher who appointed by Military Order #195 Apr 1869.

⁴² County Commissioner 1876–1878.

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4-1	1863	1864	Good, Noah	ER Aug 1862; CCM(4) Aug 16, 1862.
4-1	1864	1866	Bane, James J.	ER(4) Aug 1864
4-1	1866	1868	Jackson, John	ER(4) June 1866; CCM(4-1) Aug 21, 1866; CCM(4-1) Jan 15, 1867.
4-2	1869	1870	Hatcher, John M.	Appointed (4) by Military Order # 195 Apr 1869 to replace Gilbert; CCM(4) July 6, 1869.
4	1870	1874	Halsell, William J.	Elected Justice [4-year term] under 1869 Reconstruction Constitution; ER(4) Dec 1869; CCM(4) May 2, 1870; Commis. Jun 1870.
4-1	1872	1873	Coats, Thomas D.	[Scyene/Mesquite precinct number changed from 3 to 4.]
4	1873	1875	Frank[s?], Thomas L.	Elected Justice [4-year term] under 1869 Reconstruction Constitution; ER(4) Dec 1873; (4)—“Bond Dec 18, 1873”; Commis. Mar 1874 [Breckenridge].
4-1	1876	1884?	Lanier, Archibald B.	ER(4) Feb 1876; CCM(4)—“Bond approved Apr 17, 1876”; CCM(4)—“Bond approved Nov 18, 1878; ER(4) Nov 1878; Commis. Mar 1879; ER Nov 1880; ER Nov 1882.
4-1	1884	1886	Rugel, J. C.	ER Nov 1884 ⁴³ .
4-1	1887	1890	Lanier, Archibald B.	ER Nov 1886; ER Nov 1888.

⁴³ ER says “Mesquite, Precinct 3” but is actually Precinct 4. JP records say (4-1), same as Coats and Lanier.

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4-1	1891	1892	Fly, J. L.	ER Nov 1890.
4-1	1893	1898	Woodson, Charles	ER Nov 1892 (Seagoville); ER Nov 1894; ER Nov 1896.
4-1	1899	1900	Freeman, W. S.	ER Nov 1898.
4-1	1901	1904	Woodson, Charles	ER Nov 1900; DIR 1902,1903, 1904; [no entry in ER 1902.]
4-1	1905	1908	Scott, W. A.	ER Nov 1904; DIR 1905,1906, 1907,1908; [No entry in ER 1906] Resigned Aug 11,1908 and replaced by Williams.
4-1	1908	1912	Williams, F. M.	Appointed Aug 11,1908 to replace Scott; ER Nov 1908; ER Nov 1910.
4-1	1913	1914	Russell, J. E.	ER Nov 1912.
4-1	1915	1916	Fly, J. L.	ER Nov 1914.
4-1	1917	1920	McCullough, J. F.	ER(4) Nov 1916 (Mesquite); ER Nov 5 1918.
4-1	1920	1920	Lewis, George W.	CCM—"Resigned Dec 7,1920" [and replaced by previous officeholder McCullough].
4-1	1920	1922	McCullough, J. F.	CCM—"Appointed Dec 7,1920 to replace Lewis"; ER(4) Nov 2, 1920.
4-1	1923	1924	Scott, James R.	ER(4) Nov 7,1922.
4-1	1925	1928	Lawson, H. W.	ER Nov 1924; ER Nov 1926.
4-1	1929	1930	McCullough, J. F.	ER(4) Nov 1928.
4-1	1930	1932	Lawson, H. W.	ER Nov 1930.

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4-1	1933	1935	Scott, James R.	ER Nov 1932; ER Nov 1934; Died before July 8, 1935 when replaced by Berry.
4-1	1935	1946	Berry, H. Guy	CCM—"Appointed July 8, 1935 to replace Scott"; ER Nov 1936; ER Nov 1938; ER Nov 1940; ER Nov 1942; ER Nov 1944; CCM—"Resigned June 24, 1946 and replaced by Morran".
4-1	1946	1950	Morran, Finis E.	ER Nov 1946(Mesquite)— "Appointed Jun 24, 1946 to replace Berry"; ER Nov 1946 (Mesquite); ER Nov 1948.
4-1	1951	1951	Baird, Luther K.	ER 1950; Resigned before Jul 2, 1951 when replaced by Fox.
4-1	1951	1970	Fox, Felix T.	Appointed Jul 2, 1951 to replace Baird; ER Nov 1950; ER Nov 1954 [4-year term]; ER Nov 1956; ER Nov 1958; ER Nov 1962; ER Nov 1966.
4-1	1971	1988	Berry, Frank	ER Nov 1970; AUD 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982; DTH ER Nov 1982; DMN ER Nov 1986; [Note: Precinct 4 and 5 boundaries changed, and Mesquite precinct changed from #4 to #5, while Garland remained in #4. Berry continued to serve as JP (5-1).]
4	1987	1994	Cantrell, Mike	DMN ER Nov 1986; DMN ER Nov 1990. ⁴⁴

⁴⁴ County Commissioner beginning 1994.

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4	1995	2002	Sholden, John	DMN ER Nov 1994; ER Nov 1998.
5	1848	1850	Krin, Abner	ER Aug 1848.
5	1848	1850	Frost, R.	ER(5) Aug 1848.
5-1	1850	1852	Reager, Jacob	ER(5) Aug 1850; CCM(5-1) Aug 20,1850; Commis. Mar 1851.
5-2	1851	1852	Leake, A. W.	ER(5) Aug 1850, CCM(5-2) Aug 20,1850; Commis. Mar 1851; Resigned before Nov 1852.
5-1	1853	1856	Amos, Joseph S.	ER(5) Nov 1852 ["James"]; CCM(5-1) Feb 21,1853; ER(5) Aug 1854 ["Joseph"].
5-2	1853	1856	Leake, Samuel	CCM(5-2) Feb 21,1853; ER(5) Aug 1854.
5-2	1856	1862	Kirby, Benjamin C.	ER Aug 1856; CCM(5-2) Aug 20,1856; ER Aug 1858; CCM(5) Aug 17,1858; ER(5) Aug 1860; CCM Aug 22,1860.
5-1	1856	1858	Spillers, J. M.	ER Aug 1856; CCM(5-1) Aug 20,1856.
5-1	1858	1862	Thomas, James	ER Aug 1858; CCM(5) Aug 17,1858; ER(5) Aug 1860; CCM Aug 22, 1860.
5-2	1862	1864	Spillers, J. M.	ER Aug 1862; CCM(5-2) Aug 16,1862.
5-1	1862	1866	Caldwell, N. H.	ER Aug 1862; CCM(5-1) Aug 16,1862; ER(5) Aug 1864; CCM(5) Nov 20,1865; Appointed By Provisional Government ER(5) Oct 1865.

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PCT/ PLACE:	START DATE:	END DATE:	JUSTICE NAME:	SOURCES/ REMARKS:
5-2	1865	1866	Sims, O. F.	ER(5) Aug 1864.
5-1	1866	1868	Davis, Benjamin T.	ER(5) June 1866 [Provisional Constitution]; CCM(5-1) Aug 21, 1866; CCM(5-1) Jan 15, 1867.
5-2	1866	1868	Strother, Joseph S.	ER(5) Jun 1866 [Provisional Constitution]; CCM(5-2) Jan 15, 1867; CCM(5-2) Aug 21, 1868.
5	1869	1870	Robinson, W. T.	Appointed (5) by Military Order #195, Oct 1869.
5-1	1870	1871	Frank[s?], Thomas L.	ER(5) Dec 1869 [4-year term]; CCM(5) May 2, 1870; Commis. June 1870—"Left precinct" [and replaced by Husted in 1871].
5	1871	1873?	Husted, C. C.	Appointed (5) ER Oct 1871 to replace Franks; CCM Oct 24, 1871; Commis. Dec 1871; DIR 1873-1874, 1874.
5	1874	1876	Coats, Thomas D.	Elected Justice [4-year term under Provisional Constitution]; ER(5) Dec 1873; CCM—"Bond Dec 29 1873"; Commis. Mar 1874; ER May 1874.
5	1876	1877	Saunders, John H.	ER(5) Feb 1876; CCM(5) Apr 14, 1876—"Bond approved"; Died before Feb 13, 1877 when replaced by William George.
5	1877	1877	George, William A.	CCM(5)—"Appointed Feb 13, 1877 to replace Saunders"; CCM(5)—"Bond approved" Mar 1877; CCM(5) May 14, 1877; Resigned before May 1877 and succeeded by Robert George.

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5	1877	1880	George, Robert	CCM(5)—“Appointed May 16, 1877 to replace Wm. George; ER(5) Nov 1878; CCM(5)—“Bond approved Nov 22, 1878; Commis. Mar 1879.
5	1881	1884	Lindsey/Lindsay, J. A.	ER Nov 1880; ER Nov 1882.
5	1885	1886	Taylor, L. H.	ER Nov 1884. ⁴⁵
5	1887	1890	Lindsey/Lindsay, J. A.	ER Nov 1886; ER Nov 1888.
5	1891	1892	Taylor, A. S.	ER Nov 1890.
5	1893	1894	Lindsey/Lindsay, J. A.	ER Nov 1892.
5	1895	1898	England, H. H.	ER Nov 1894; ER Nov 1896.
5	1899	1900	Hill, R. J.	ER Nov 1898
5	1901	1906	Rawlins, J. S.	ER Nov 1900; ER Nov 1902 ; ER Nov 1904; DIR 1904, 1905, 1906; Resigned Feb 28, 1906 and replaced by Griffin.
5	1906	1908	Griffin, W. T.	CCM—“Appointed Feb 28, 1906 to replace Rawlins”; ER Nov 1906; DIR 1908.
5	1909	1912	Jordan, H. D.	ER Nov 1908 —[“W. B.” Jordan]; ER Nov 1910.
5	1913	1914	Griffin, W. T.	ER Nov 1912.
5	1915	1916	Buchanan, F. B.	ER Nov 1914.
5	1916	1918	Hawkes, J. C.	ER(5) Nov 1916.

⁴⁵ ER says Precinct 4 but is Precinct 5.

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5	1918	1921	Griffin, W. T.	ER(5) Nov 1918; Commis. June 19, 1919; ER Nov 2, 1920; Died and replaced by J.V. Griffin May 1921.
5	1921	1934?	Griffin, J. V.	CCM—"Appointed May 1921 to replace W.T.Griffin; ER(5) Nov 2 1920; ER(5) Nov 7, 1922; ER 1924; ER Nov 1926; DIR 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929; [No ER 1930 entry for Pct 5]; DIR 1930, 1931; ER Nov 1932.
5	1935	1936		[No data on 1934 ER.]
5	1937	1938	Hawkes, J. C.	ER Nov 1936.
5	1939	1943	Griffin, J. V.	ER Nov 1938; ER Nov 1940; ER Nov 1942; Died and replaced Oct 1943 by Hawkes.
5	1943	1944	Hawkes, J. C.	CCM—"Appointed Oct 1943 to replace J.V. Griffin.
5	1945	1950	Rawlins, Wiley H, Jr.	ER Nov 1944; ER Nov 1946; ER Nov 1948.
5	1951	1952	Hawkes, J. C.	ER 1950.
5	1953	1955	Ellis, Ben Frank	ER Nov 1952; ER Nov 1954; Commis. Mar 3, 1955; Replaced by Hash Feb 17, 1955. ⁴⁶
5	1955	1974	Hash, Will	ER Nov 1954 [4-year term]- Commis. Feb 17, 1955 to replace Ellis; ER Nov 1958; ER Nov 1962; ER 1964; ER Nov 1966; ER Nov 1970.

⁴⁶ County Criminal Court #1 1967-1994.

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5	1975	1986	Chowning, Vernon	AUD 1975,1976,1977,1980,1981; DTH ER Nov 1982.
5	1987	1988	Street, George	AUD 1987,1988 [is only evidence he was a Lancaster JP].
5	1989	1990	Berry, Frank	[Serving out 4-year term to which he was elected in Nov 1986)] ⁴⁷
5-1	1991	1994	Blackington, Ken	DMN ER Nov 1990 (Mesquite).
5-2	1995	1998	McDougal, Bruce	[Note: Precinct 5, Place 2 (Grand Prairie) created in 1994, and McDougal transferred to this position (5-2) from Precinct 6]; DMN ER Nov 1994; [Resigned in 1998 and replaced by Cawthon.]
5-1	1995	1998	Cawthon, Wilma	DMN ER Nov 1994.
5-1	1997	2000	Blackington, Ken	DMN ER Nov 1996.
5-2	1998	2002	Cawthon, Wilma	Appointed 1998 to replace McDougal in Precinct 5, Place 2; ER(5-2) Nov 1998.
6	1848	1850	Bagely, Job	ER(6) Aug 1848.
6-1	1848	1856	Coats, Thomas D.	ER Aug 1848; CCM(6-1) Aug 19 1850; ER(6) Aug 1850; Commis. Mar 1851; ER(6) Aug 1852; Commis. Mar 1853; ER(6) Aug 1854.
6-2	1851	1852	Lanier, John	ER(6) Aug 1850; Commis. Mar 1851; CCM(6-2) Aug 20,1850;

⁴⁷ Mesquite changed from Precinct 4 to Precinct 5.

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				[Apparently he had moved to Precinct 1 by 1853.]
6-2	1853	1856	Dawdy, Alanson C.	CCM(6-2) Feb 21,1853; ER(6) Aug 1854.
6-2	1853	1854	Fondren, Morris R.	ER(6) Aug 1852; Commis. Mar 1853.
6-2	1856	1858	Shannon, William	ER Aug 1856; CCM(6-2) Aug 20,1856.
6-1	1856	1862	Scurlock, John	ER Aug 1856; CCM(6-1) Aug 20,1856; ER Aug 1858; ER(6) Aug 1860; CCM Aug 22,1860.
6-2	1859	1862?	Halford, William J.	CCM(6) May 16,1859; ER Aug 1862. [conflict with Clements' dates for this position]
6-2	1860	1862	Bennett, J[ames?] M.	ER(6) Aug 1860; CCM Aug 22, 1860.
6-1	1862	1866	Frank[s?], Thomas L.	ER Aug 1862; CCM(6) Dec 9, 1862; ER(6) Aug 1864; Appointed by Provincial Govern-ment ER(6) Oct 1865; CCM May 1866.
6-2	1862?	1864	Clements, J. R.	ER Aug 1862; CCM(6) Oct 16, 1862 ⁴⁸ ; [Conflict with Halford's dates for this position.]
6-1	1866	1866	Beeman, James J.	ER(6) June 1866 (Provisional Constitution); CCM(6-1) Aug 21,1866; Resigned.
6-1	1867	1868	Sweet, Henry C.	ER(6) Nov 1866; Commis. Jan 1867; CCM(6-1) Jan 15,1867.

⁴⁸ County Commissioner 1864–1866.

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6-2	1866	1869	Bennett, William H.	ER(6) June 1866 [Constitution]; CCM(6-2) Jan 15, 1867—“Disqualified”; Replaced by Asberry by Military Order #195 Apr 1869.
6-2	1869	1870	Asberry, Jesse A.	Appointed (6) by Military Order #195 Apr 1869 to replace Bennett.
6-1?	1869	1870	Miller, John	Appointed (6) by Military Order #195 Oct 1869. [4-year term under the Reconstruction Constitution of 1869].
6	1876	1881	Stewart, Joseph H.	ER(6) Feb 1876; CCM (6)—“Bond approved Apr 18, 1876”; ER Nov 1878; CCM(6)—“Bond approved Nov 22, 1878”; Commis. Mar 1879; ER Nov 1880; CCM—“Resigned Aug 15, 1881 and replaced by N. A. Carroll (who failed to qualify in time), then by Felkner”.
6	1881	1882	Felkner, C. H.	CCM—“C. H. Felkner appointed Sept 26, 1881 to replace Stewart” CCM—“Resigned Mar 14, 1882”.
6	1883	1886	Carrell, N. A..	ER Nov 1882; ER Nov 1884. ⁴⁹
6	1887	1888	Potter, John P.	ER Nov 1886.
6	1889	1890	Carrell, N. A.	ER Nov 1888.
6	1891	1892	Ely, B. D.	ER Nov 1890.
6	1893	1901	Carrell, N. A.	ER Nov 1892; ER Nov 1894; ER Nov 1896; ER Nov 1900.

⁴⁹ ER says Precinct 5 but should be Precinct 6.

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6	1902	1902	Nance, G[ustavus] A.	CCM—"Appointed Sep 13,1902"
6	1903	1904	Duren, J. S.	No name on 1902 ER but CCM—"Bond approved Nov 22, 1902"; DIR 1903,1904.
6	1905	1908?	Stewart, Joseph H.	[No entry for Precinct 6 in ER 1904]; CCM—"Appointed Jan 1905"; DIR 1905,1906,1907,1908; [No entry for Precinct 6 on ER 1906.]
6	1909	1912	Cooper, Robert	ER Nov 1908; ER Nov 1910.
6	1913	1914	Looney, J. K.	ER Nov 1912.
6	1914	1914	Plummer, P. C.	CCM—"Appointed Sep 7,1914".
6	1914	1916	Nafus, C. F.	CCM—"Appointed Nov 30,1914" ER Nov 1914.
6	1917	1919?	Carrell, M. F, Sr.	ER(6) Nov 1916; ER Nov 5 1918.
6	1919	1920	Potter, J. D.	CCM—"Appointed May 29,1919"
6	1921	1922	Duren, J. S.	ER(6) Nov 2,1920.
6	1923	1924	Switzer, J.H.	ER(6) Nov 7,1922; CCM—"Resigned Feb 7,1924".
6	1925	1926	Nance, Charles P.	ER Nov 1924.
6	1926	1927	Brewer, J. W.	ER Nov 1926; Died in office and replaced by Nance Nov 1927.
6	1927	1932	Nance, Charles P.	CCM—"Appointed Nov 17,1927 to replace Brewer; DIR 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930; ER Nov 1930.

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6	1933	1936	Milton, Whitman S.	ER Nov 1932; ER Nov 1934; CCM—"Resigned May 5, 1936 and replaced by Nance".
6	1936	1942?	Nance, Charles P.	CCM—"Appointed May 25, 1936 to replace Milton"; "Appointed Feb 4, 1937; ER Nov 1938; ER Nov 1940.
6	1942	1943		[No name for Precinct 6 in ER 1942.]
6	1943	1944	Nance, Charles P.	"Appointed Feb 1, 1943"; "Resigned and replaced by Switzer Mar 16, 1944".
6	1944	1954	Switzer, J.H.	"Appointed Mar 16, 1944 to replace Nance; ER Nov 1944; ER Nov 1946; ER Nov 1948; ER Nov 1950; ER Nov 1952.
6	1955	1966	King, E. C.	ER Nov 1954 [4-year term], ER Nov 1956; ER Nov 1958; ER Nov 1962; [Died before Nov 1966 when replaced by wife Mrs Ann King.]
6	1967	1982	King, Ann [Mrs E.C.]	[Appointed Jan 5, 1967 to replace deceased husband E. C. King's unexpired term]; ER Nov 1968; ER Nov 1970; AUD 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982.
6	1983	1994	Gray, Cameron	DTH ER Nov 1982; DMN ER Nov 1986; DMN ER Nov 1990.
6	1993	1994	McDougal, Bruce	DMN ER Nov 1992 ⁵⁰ .

⁵⁰ Transferred to newly assigned position (5-2) for Grand Prairie.

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6-1	1995	2000	Orozco, Diana	DMN ER Nov 1994 [Appointed to unexpired term of McDougal]; DMN ER Nov 1996.
6-2	1995	2002	Jasso, Juan	DMN ER Nov 1994. ER 1998.
7	1848	1850	Weatherford, Jefferson	ER(7) Aug 1848. ⁵¹
7	1848	1850	Wise, Carlos	ER Aug 1848; CCM—"Resigned May 20, 1850".
7	1850	1851	Wilson, William L.	ER(7) Aug 1850, CCM(7-1) Aug 20, 1850; Commis. Mar 1851; Resigned.
7-2	1851	1852	Porter, John F.	ER(7) Aug 1850; CCM(7-2) Aug 20 1850; Commis. Mar 1851.
7-1	1853	1856	Guy, John C.	CCM(7-1) Feb 21, 1853; ER(7) Aug 1854; [Resigned before Feb 1856 and probably replaced by Borden.]
7-2	1853	1856	Lavender, A. M.	CCM(7-2) Feb 21, 1853; ER(7) Aug 1854; CCM(7) Aug 19, 1856.
7-1	1853	1854	Fondren, William B.	ER(7) Aug 1852; Commis. Mar 1853.
7-1?	1856	1856	Borden, Josiah	ER(7) Feb 1856 says "appointed" [probably to replace Guy].
7-1	1856	1858	Brundage, William H.	ER Aug 1856; CCM(7-1) Aug 20, 1856.

⁵¹ Representative of Dallas County 1849–1851; Senator 1853–1857 and 1861–1865.

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7-2	1856	1858	Rawlins, John M.	ER Aug 1856; CCM(7-2) Aug 20, 1856. ⁵²
7-2	1858	1858	Keightly, Henry	ER Aug 1858; CCM(7) Aug 17, 1858; CCM—"Resigned Nov 16, 1858".
7-1	1858	1862	Lavender, A. M.	ER 1858; CCM Aug 17, 1858; ER(7) Aug 1860; CCM Aug 22, 1860.
7-2	1860	1862	Taylor, John	ER(7) Aug 1860; CCM Aug 22, 1860.
7-2	1862	1864	Hatter, John C.	ER Aug 1862; CCM(7-2) Oct 16, 1862.
7-1	1862	1864	Brown, A. J.	ER Aug 1862; CCM(7-1) Oct 16, 1862.
7-?	1865	1866	Dawdy, Alanson C.	ER(7) Aug 1864.
7-?	1865	1866	Rankin, Patrick K.	ER(7) Aug 1864.
7-2	1866	1868	Durrett, George W.	ER(7) Jun 1866 [Provisional Constitution of 1866]; CCM(7-2) Aug 21, 1866; CCM(7-2) Jan 15, 1867.
7-1	1866	1869	Fondren, Morris R.	ER(7) Jun 1866 [Provisional Constitution of 1866]; CCM(7-1) Aug 21, 1866; CCM(7-1) Jan 15, 1867; Appointed (7) by Military Order #195 Feb 1869; Died before Feb 1869 when replaced by Rawlins.
7-1	1869	1870	Rawlins, John M.	Appointed (7) by Military Order

⁵² Appointed County Judge 1870.

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				#195 Feb 1869 to replace Fondren.
7	1870	1875		[No elections held 1867-1869 until Constitution of 1869.]
7	1876	1878	Neely, George W.	ER(7) Feb 1876; CCM(7)— “Bond approved Apr 17, 1876”.
7	1879	1880	Byers, O. W.	ER(7) Nov 1878; CCM(7)— “Bond approved” Nov 18, 1878; Commis. Mar 1879.
7	1881	1886	Myers, Meredith	ER Nov 1880; ER Nov 1882; ER Nov 1884. ⁵³
7	1887	1894	Whitaker, John T.	ER Nov 1886; ER Nov 1888; ER Nov 1890; ER Nov 1892.
7	1895	1896	Clanton, J. R.	ER Nov 1894; CCM—“Resigned Mar 13, 1896 and replaced by [previous officeholder] Whitaker”.
7	1896	1896	Whitaker, John T.	CCM—“Appointed Mar 13, 1896 to replace Clanton”.
7	1897	1902	Creel, J. A.	ER Nov 1896; ER Nov 1898; ER Nov 1900.
7	1903	1906	Long, George A.	ER Nov 1902; ER Nov 1904.
7	1907	1912	Greer, R. S.	ER Nov 1906; ER Nov 1908; ER Nov 1910.
7	1911	1912	Grigsby, L. M.	DIR 1911- CCM—“Resigned Jan 1912 and replaced by Cooper”.
7	1912	1914	Cooper, J. P.	CCM—“Appointed Jan 1912 to replace Grigsby”; ER Nov 1912.

⁵³ ER says Precinct 6 but should be Precinct 7.

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7	1914	1914	Sidell/Slidell, Perry A.	CCM—"Appointed Mar 28, 1914" [probably to replace Cooper].
7	1915	1918	Hayden, Samuel A.	ER Nov 1914; DIR 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918.
7-1	1918	1928	Flory, A.C.	CCM—"Appointed Oct 14, 1918" [to replace Hayden?]; ER Nov 5 1918; ER(7-1) Nov 2, 1920; ER(7-1) Nov 7, 1922; ER Nov 1924; ER Nov 1926.
7-2	1920	1922	Megrail, Lewis H.	CCM—"Appointed Jun 28, 1920"; ER(7-2) Nov 2, 1920.
7-2	1923	1926	Grantham, S. T.	ER(7-2) Nov 7, 1922; ER(7-2) Nov 1924; CCM—"Resigned Nov 16, 1926 and replaced by Allen".
7-2	1926	1928	Allen, G. H.	CCM—"Appointed Apt (7-2) Nov 16, 1926 to replace Grantham"; ER Nov 1924; ER Nov 1926.
7-2	1928	1930	Blankenship/Copeland	[JP Precinct 7 records, 1928– 1931, have names of Blankenship and Copeland. Was either or both of them a JP?]
7-1	1929	1934	Moore, James H.	DIR 1929, 1930; ER Nov 1930; ER Nov 1932.
7-2	1929?	1932	Ogden, Robert "Bob"	DIR 1929, 1930; ER Nov 1930. ⁵⁴
7-2	1933	1936	Melton, T. Allen	ER Nov 1932; ER Nov 1934.
7-1	1935	1944	Brown, Joe B, Sr.	ER Nov 1934; ER Nov 1936; ER Nov 1938; ER Nov 1940;

⁵⁴ County Judge 1933–1936.

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				ER Nov 1942; Resigned Aug 14, 1944 and replaced by W.E. Richburg. ⁵⁵
7-2	1937	1948	King, Tom	ER Nov 1936; ER Nov 1938; ER Nov 1940; ER Nov 1942; ER Nov 1944; ER Nov 1946. ⁵⁶
7-1	1944	1972	Richburg, W. E. "Bill"	Appointed Sept 2 1944 to replace Joe Brown Sr.; ER Nov 1944; ER Nov 1946; ER Nov 1948; ER Nov 1950; ER Nov 1952; ER Nov 1954 [2-year term]; ER Nov 1956 [4-year term]; ER Nov 1960; ER Nov 1964; ER Nov 1968.
7-2	1949	1958	Chander, Stephen T, Sr.	ER Nov 1948; ER Nov 1950; ER Nov 1952; ER 1954 [4-year term].
7-2	1959	1962	Brotherton, H. Lemuel	ER Nov 1958; Resigned Mar 1, 1962 and replaced by Starr.
7-2	1962	1962	Starr, John D.	Appointed Apr 1962 to replace H.L. Brotherton
7-2	1963	1978	Brown, Joe B, Jr.	ER Nov 1962; ER Nov 1966; ER Nov 1970; AUD 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977. ⁵⁷
7-1	1973	1992	Richburg, W. J. "Jack"	AUD 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983; DMN ER Nov 1984; DMN ER Nov 1988.
7-2	1979	1982	Eddy, Dan	DMN ER Nov 1978.

⁵⁵ Appointed to County Criminal Court #1 1944–1956. Criminal District Court #3 1956–1968.

⁵⁶ Appointed County Court at Law #2.

⁵⁷ Appointed to County Court at Law #2 1978–1980. 95th District Court 1988–1996.

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7-2	1983	1990	Shook, Gladys	DTH ER Nov 1982; DMN ER Nov 1986.
7-1	1991	2002	Jones, Thomas G.	DMN ER Nov 1990; DMN 1994 Voters Guide; DMN ER Nov 1998.
8-1	1853	1854	Horn, William	ER(8) Aug 1852; Commis. Mar 1853.
8-2	1853	1854	Lowe, Isaac W.	ER(8) Aug 1852; Commis. Mar 1853.
8-1	1854	1858	Wilson, John	ER Aug 1854; CCM(8-1) Nov 20,1854; ER Aug 1856; CCM(8-1) Aug 20,1856.
8-2	1854	1856	McKinsey, George W.	ER(8) Aug 1854; CCM(8-2) Nov 20,1854.
8-2	1856	1858	Lowe, Isaac W.	ER Aug 1856; CCM(8-2) Aug 20,1856.
8-?	1858	1860	Hart, William C.	CCM(8) Feb 15,1858; ER Aug 1858; CCM(8) Aug 17,1858.
8-?	1858	1862	Nance, Allen Q.	ER Aug 1858; CCM(8) Aug 17,1858; ER(8) Aug 1860; CCM(8) Aug 23,1860.
8-?	1859	1862	Ground, Robert	CCM(8) Nov 21,1859; ER Aug 1860; CCM(8) Oct 13,1860.
8-1	1861	1866	Huffman, Josephus	CCM(8-1) Aug 20,1861; ER Aug 1862; CCM(8-1) Oct 16,1862; ER Aug 1864.

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8-2	1862	1864	Kissam, Andrew	ER Aug 1862; CCM(8-2) Oct 16, 1862.
8-2	1864	1866	Attebury, Stephen C.	ER(8) Aug 1864.
8-1	1866	1868	Hart, William C.	ER(8) Aug 1866 [Provisional Constitution of 1866]; CCM(8-1) Aug 21, 1866.
8-2	1866	1868	Ground, Robert	ER(8) June 1866; CCM(8-2) Aug 21, 1866; CCM(8-2) Jan 15, 1867.
8	1869	1870	Cape, S. A.	Appointed (8) by Military Order #195 Apr 1869 [4-year term].
8	1871	1875		[No elections held 1867-1869].
8	1876	1877	Preston, John	ER(8) Feb 1876; CCM(8)—“Bond approved Apr 17, 1876”; CCM(8)—“Resigned Mar 28, 1877 and replaced by George Robertson”.
8	1877	1882	Robertson, George	CCM(8)—“Appointed May 15, 1877 to replace Preston”; DIR 1878–1879 [says “Robinson”]; ER Nov 1880.
8	1879	1880	Foster, T. J.	ER(8) Nov 1878; CCM(8)—“Bond approved Nov 22, 1878”; Commis. Mar 1879.
8	1883	1886	Bennett, J. B.	ER Nov 1882; ER Nov 1884. ⁵⁸
8	1885	1886	Miller, George H.	[No Precinct 8 shown in ER Nov 1884.]
8	1887	1892	Slocum, J. P.	ER Nov 1886; ER Nov 1890.

⁵⁸ ER says Precinct 7 but should be Precinct 8.

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8	1889	1890	Wakeham, M. J.	ER Nov 1888; Resigned Oct 13, 1890.
8	1893	1896	Womack, J[esse?] E.	ER Nov 1892; ER Nov 1894.
8	1897	1906	Lively, M. C.	ER Nov 1896; ER Nov 1898; ER Nov 1900; DIR 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904; ER Nov 1904.
8	1907	1908	Gregory, W. L.	ER Nov 1906.
8	1909	1912	Raupt, E. J.	ER Nov 1908; Commis. Jan 1909; ER Nov 1910.
8	1913	1922	Murphy, John	ER Nov 1912; ER Nov 1914; ER(8-Irving) Nov 1916; ER Nov 1918.
8	1923	1929	Wakeham, M. J.	ER(8) Nov 7, 1922; ER Nov 1924; ER Nov 1926; DIR 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930.
8	1929	1940	Miller, C. G.	CCM—"Appointed Aug 15, 1929"; ER Nov 1930 (Irving); ER Nov 1932; ER Nov 1934; ER Nov 1936; ER Nov 1938.
8	1941	1944	Davies, Glenn M.	ER Nov 1940 (Irving); ER Nov 1942
8	1945	1958	Cantrel, C. M.	ER Nov 1944; ER Nov 1946; ER Nov 1948; ER Nov 1950; ER Nov 1952; ER Nov 1954 [4-year term].
8	1959	1962	Davies, Glenn M.	ER Nov 1958 (Irving).
8	1963	1975	Russell, Lloyd G.	ER 1962; ER 1964; ER 1966;

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PCT/ PLACE:	START DATE:	END DATE:	JUSTICE NAME:	SOURCES/ REMARKS:
				ER Nov 1970; AUD 1974,1975, 1977. ⁵⁹
8-2	1975	2002	Steele, Cleophas R, Jr.	[Appointed 1975 to newly-created Place 2 in Precinct 8]; AUD 1976, 1977, 1979,1980,1981; DTH ER Nov 1982; DMN ER Nov 1986; DMN ER Nov 1990; DMN ER Nov 1994; DMN ER Nov 1998.
8-1	1976	1998	Allen, George	AUD 1976,1977,1979,1980, 1981,1982,1983,1984; DMN ER Nov 1984.
8-1	1989	2000	Rose, Charles R.	DMN ER Nov 1988; DMN ER Nov 1992; DMN ER Nov 1996.
9	1859	1859	Roberts, N. J.	CCM(9) Nov 21,1859.
9-1	1860	1867	Poindexter, J. F.	ER(9) Aug 1860; CCM(9) Oct 13,1860; ER Aug 1862; CCM(9-1) Oct 16 1862; ER(9) Aug 1864; CCM(9) Sep 22,1865; ER Oct 1865, Appointed by Provisional Government.
9	1864	1866	Ground, Robert	ER(9) Aug 1864.
9-1	1866	1868	Brannon, J. H. D.	ER(9) Jun 1866 [Provisional Constitution of 1866]; CCM(9) Aug 21,1866; CCM(9-1) Jan 15,1867.
9-1?	1869	1870	Poindexter, J. F.	Appointed (9) by Military Order #195 Oct 1869.

⁵⁹ A second place created for Precinct 8 in 1975.

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10-1	1856	1858?	Parish, Henry S.	ER Aug 1856; CCM(10-1) Aug 20,1856.
10	1864	1866?	Jordon, David	ER(10) Aug 1864.
10	1865	1866	Parish, Henry S.	ER(10) Oct 1865 – “Appointed (10) by Provisional Government”.
10-1	1866	1868	Wigginton, Francis M.	ER(10) Jun 1866 [Constitution]; CCM(10) Aug 21,1866; CCM(10-1) Jan 15,1867.
11-1	1862	1864	Halford, William J.	CCM(11-1) Oct 16,1862.
11-2	1862	1864	Potter, John P.	ER Aug 1862; CCM(11-2), Oct 16,1862.
11-2?	1864	1866	Coats, Thomas D.	ER(11) Aug 1864; CCM(11) Sep 22,1865; Appointed by Provisional Government ER(11) Oct 1865.
11-1	1864	1868	Potter, John P.	ER Aug 1864; ER(11) Jun 1866 [Constitution]; CCM(11-1) Aug 21,1866; CCM(11-1) Jan 10,1867.
11	1864	1865	Parish, Henry S.	ER(11) Aug 1864.
11-2	1866	1868	Bennett, J. S.	E.R(11) Jun 1866 [Constitution]; CCM(11-2) Aug 21,1866; CCM(11-2) Jan 15,1867.
11	1867		Paschall, William ⁶⁰	

⁶⁰ Appointed by Military Order #195 to Precinct 11, but failed to qualify.

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11	1867	1868	Lanier, Archibald B.	CCM(11)—“Appointed (11) Jan 1867”.

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