

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office November 13th, 1934, according to adjournment. Members of the Board present:

C. D. Garrell, Chairman

R. C. Benton

L. E. Formy Duval

W. L. Hobbs

C. A. Small

A. W. Baldwin, Clerk

The following business was transacted:

Ordered: that Board of Education be authorized and instructed to issue voucher to J. C. Martin for \$23.42 to pay witness fees which were paid into the General School Fund by the Clerk Superior Court.

Ordered: that the County provide Countys' part of required salary and travel to pay a George Reed Home Economic teacher for the Tabor High School.

Ordered: that J. H. Baldwin Est. in Bogue Township be separated so Luther Shipman may pay taxes on 17 acres which he has mortgage on.

Ordered: that Mrs. Emma K. Santa be refunded tax for 1934 on \$285.00 and her valuation be reduced from \$935. to \$650. on account of valuation being increased on house.

Ordered: that no vouchers be delivered to A. S. and Francis B. Richardson until their house rent is paid.

Ordered: that C. E. Williamson 75 acres tract of land in Chadbourn Township be separated so taxes now due may be paid on said tract of land.

Ordered: that Margaret B. Moyers be allowed to pay her note and mortgage to Columbus County for \$1,450.00 cash and the Chairman is authorized and instructed to cancel said mortgage of record when said amount is paid.

Ordered: that order passed allowing Mrs. Barnhardt to take down fence at old Jail be rescinded and that the fence be allowed to remain for garden for Jailor.

Ordered: that whereas, the term of office of D. L. Gore, Tax Collector of Columbus County expires December 1st, 1934, it is therefore ordered that R. J. Lamb be and he is hereby appointed Tax Collector of Columbus County to collect taxes of said County for the year 1934-1935 as required by Law at a salary of \$1,500.00.

Ordered: that J. L. Ripple Estate be allowed to pay 1930 taxes in Whiteville Township by paying 6% interest flat and Court Cost, instead of regular penalty.

Ordered: that L. N. Smith 1927-1928, and 1929 taxes in Whiteville Township be cancelled and charge on \$425.00 valuation for 1930-1931, and 1932, this correction on account of Town of Whiteville taking most of lot for a street.

Ordered: that J. F. Wilson be allowed to pay H. W. Andrews 1930 tax without penalty and any other cost due to be paid to the County.

Ordered: that the following refund be granted:

Smith and McKenzie	1933 tax	Account of being penalized	\$ 0.52
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Whereas, certain citizens of Columbus County have petitioned the Board of Commissioners to request the State Highway Commission to re open the Old Princess Anne Road in Tatum Township; and,

Whereas, this is a much needed road for the outlet of the people of the surrounding community getting to and from their markets and trading centers:

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Columbus County that the State Highway Commission be and it is hereby requested to re open the above described road; and,

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be sent to the State Highway Commission in Raleigh and a copy be recorded on the Minutes of this Board.

Whereas, certain citizens of Whiteville Township have petitioned the County Commissioners of Columbus County to request the State Highway Commission to take over and maintain a certain road in said Township; and,

Whereas, said road which it is desired by said citizens that the State Highway Commission take over and maintain is a road beginning at the Brick Yard about one mile north of the Court House on Route #23 and runs East through the Richardson, Spivey, and Baldwin farms, and intersects Route #20 about one mile East of the Court House, a distance of about one and two-tenths miles; and,

Whereas, this road is now being used as a Rural Mail Route and serves several families getting to and from Route #20 and #23, and is almost impassible:

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Columbus County that the State Highway Commission be and it is hereby requested to take over and maintain said road; and,

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be sent to the State Highway Commission in Raleigh and a copy be recorded on the Minutes of this Board.

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Ordered: that the following General County bills be allowed and

paid:

Jackson Greer Jr.	Preparing for Election, etc,	\$20.80
Dr. W. F. Smith	Meeting Board of Election and mileage	4.40
J. A. Maultsby	Meeting Board of Election	3.00
Rhodes Wayne	Registrar of Election	14.00
M. B. Smith	" "	14.80
S. F. Stanley	" "	11.00
Dupree Cox	" "	16.15
Mrs. T. S. Lewis	" "	21.30
F. M. Bullock	" "	17.60
J. M. Townsend	" "	17.50
Matthew Ward	" "	14.45
J. H. Pigott	" "	14.63
J. P. Rhodes	" "	16.21
Mrs. Grace Harrelson	" "	11.00
T. W. Pridgen	" "	18.10
A. J. Kissam	" "	15.09
W. C. Burney Jr.	" "	14.51
J. D. Smith	" "	13.63
M. W. Pridgen	" "	13.90
F. M. Stanley	" "	14.65
Orton Williams	" "	14.65
F. L. Fipps	" "	16.30
Kelly Thompson	" "	13.62
Walter McRackan	" "	16.37
Sam Baldwin	" "	16.51
W. J. Gore	Judge of Election	3.00
W. Henry Thompson	" "	3.00
D. W. Merritt	" "	3.00
J. J. Vereen	" "	3.00
M. J. Register	" etc.	9.00
Kelly Benton	" "	3.00
I. C. Gore	" "	3.00
J. M. Long	" "	3.00
H. M. Blake	" "	3.00
S. C. Bryan	" "	3.00
O. Y. Williamson	" "	3.00
M. G. Green	" "	3.00
H. M. Powell	" "	3.00
S. H. Gowan	" "	3.00
M. L. Ross	" "	3.00
G. B. Osborne	" "	3.00
E. B. Watts	" "	3.00
M. T. Long	" "	3.00
L.M. Marlowe	" "	3.00
G. W. Register	" "	3.00
J. K. Best	" "	6.50
Norman Register	" "	3.00
Woodruff Pridgen	" "	3.00
Jos. S. Huffham	" "	3.00
R. M. Ballard	" "	3.00
W. M. Bullard	" "	3.00
L. D. Pittman	" "	3.00
J. L. Flynn	" "	3.00
William Baldwin	" "	3.00
H. b. Creech	" "	3.00
Paul Page	" "	3.00
D. L. Jordan	" "	3.00
J. W. Long	" "	3.00
Seymore Ray	" "	3.00
W. H. Prince	" "	3.00
Isaac J. Spivey	" "	3.00
Mrs. Tula Fipps	" "	3.00
I. F. Spivey	" "	3.00
Mrs. J. P. Brown	" "	3.00
Foy D. Fowler	" "	3.00
L.M. McLamb	" "	3.00
Clarence Thompson	" "	3.00
W. R. McRackan	" etc.	6.00
Milton Thompson	" "	6.00
L. Byrd	" etc.	6.00
Francis Thompson	" "	6.00
S. L. Braxton	House rent for Lewis family	24.00
Marks Brothers Lumber Co.	Shingles for County Home	65.00
C. T. Hargrove	Capturing stills	20.00

Ordered: that Elroy Bailey be allowed to pay taxes due by the following parties to Columbus County by paying 6% interest flat and by reducing valuation as follows:

Jeff Campbell	Chadbourn	2 lots from	\$500.	to	\$300
Eliza Lewis	Chadbourn	37 acres "	2250.	to	1000
Bettie Campbell Wheeler	"	8 acres "	600.	to	300
Jasper McKoy	Chadbourn	13 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres "	1350.	to	300
McKinley Smith	Chadbourn	3 lots "	775.	to	500
Catherine Jackson Est.	"	21 acres "	1675.	to	1200
Elroy Bailey	Chadbourn	67 acres "	2570	to	1500
Cessie Weatherford	"	77 acres "	3000	to	2000
J. T. Nobles	Tatum	90 acres "	1950.	to	1200.
Alex Parker	Whiteville	55 acres "	3000.	to	2500.
C. R. Bailey	"	101 acres "	4200.	to	2500.
L. D. Powell	"	70 acres "	2100.	to	1500
Nelson Nance	"	27 acres "	1100.	to	600
C. R. Bailey	Tatum	90 acres "	1950.	to	1200.

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Ordered: that J. D. Lewis Attorney, make deed to C. R. Bailey for the Bettie Campbell Wheeler tract of land at price as per reduction in valuation.

Ordered: that Elroy Bailey be allowed to pay the following taxes at 6% flat for the following Land Sale Taxes:

Elroy Bailey	Tatum	1931 and 1932
Elroy Bailey	Whiteville	1931 and 1932
C. R. Bailey	Tatum	1932
A. H. Harrelson	Williams	1929 and 1930
W. H. Britt	Chadbourn	1930-1931 and 1932

There being no further business to come before the Board at this time, adjournment was voted in order until November 26th, 1934.

Approved:

Arvo Baldwin
Clerk

W. H. Britt
Chairman