

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office February 6th, 1937, according to adjournment. Members of the Board present:

H. G. Avant, Chairman

R. C. Benton

W. L. Hobbs

W. M. Stephens

Z. V. Williamson

A. W. Baldwin, Clerk

The following business was transacted.

On motion of W. L. Hobbs, seconded by Z. V. Williamson, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLUTION

Pursuant to an act passed by the General Assembly of North Carolina 1937 authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Columbus County to issue bonds for the purpose of building and equipping a County Home subject to an election to be held for such purpose, a special election is hereby called to be held under the General Election Laws of North Carolina as provided in said act upon question as to whether or not said Board of Commissioners of Columbus County shall issue \$30,000.00 bonds of Columbus County for the purpose of building and equipping a County Home, and A. W. Baldwin, Clerk to Board, is hereby authorized to post and advertise in newspaper published in Columbus County as required by said act, the following notice of special election:

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

Notice is hereby given to the voters of Columbus County that, pursuant to an act passed by the General Assembly of 1937 authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Columbus County to issue bonds not to exceed Thirty Thousand (\$30,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of building and equipping a County Home, a special election will be held under the General Election Laws of North Carolina governing the election of county officers on Tuesday, March 9, 1937, upon the question of whether or not the Board of Commissioners of Columbus County shall issue Thirty Thousand (\$30,000.00) Dollars of bonds of the County of Columbus for the purpose of building and equipping a County Home.

The United States Government, through the PWA, has agreed to furnish forty five per-cent of the cost of building and equipping a County Home in the event the county furnishes fifty-five per-cent.

Dated and posted this the 6th day of February, 1937.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF COLUMBUS COUNTY

By: H. G. Avant, Chairman

Attest:

A. W. Baldwin, Clerk to Board

Ordered: that the following General County bills be allowed and paid:

L. Page Benton	Advance on Jail contract	\$897.78
Judge Baldwin	To Janitor work at Book Room	<u>5.00</u>

There being no further business to come before the Board at this time, adjournment was voted in order until February 17, 1937.

Approved:

A. W. Baldwin  
Clerk

H. G. Avant  
Chairman

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office February 17th, 1937, according to adjournment. Members of the Board present:

H. G. Avant, Chairman

R. C. Benton

W. L. Hobbs

W. M. Stephens

Z. V. Williamson

A. W. Baldwin, Clerk

The following business was transacted.

RESOLUTION

At an adjourned meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Columbus County held at the Courthouse in Whiteville, North Carolina, on February 17th, 1937, the Board unanimously adopted the following resolution:

WHEREAS, there has been such a large accumulation of civil cases on the docket of the Superior Court of Columbus County for trial; and,

WHEREAS, on account of the illness of Judge Small, the regular February term of Superior Court could not be held;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED: that the Clerk of the Board of <sup>County</sup> Commissioners requests His Excellency Clyde R. Hoey, Governor of the State of North Carolina, to order a special term of the Superior Court for the trial of civil cases only in Columbus County, to convene March 1st, 1937; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that the Clerk of the Board of Commissioners be, and he is hereby directed to send a copy of this resolution to the Governor of the State of North Carolina, at the earliest possible moment.

Unanimously adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of Columbus County at an adjourned meeting February 17th, 1937.