

Ordered: that Jackson Greer, Attorney, be authorized and instructed to collect or foreclose the note and mortgage for W. C. Richardson and wife to Columbus County.

Ordered: that Francis Fields be allowed to pay 1932 and prior years taxes at par and \$3.00 court cost.

Ordered: that S. G. Sarvis be allowed to pay 1932 and prior years taxes at par and \$3.00 court cost.

Ordered: that Eureka Farms be allowed to pay 1932 and prior years taxes at par and \$3.00 court cost.

Ordered: that Mrs. Hattie V. Black be allowed to pay 1932 and prior years taxes at par.

There being no further business to come before the Board at this time, adjournment was voted in order until Monday November 1st, 1937.

Approved:

A. W. Baldwin  
Clerk

H. G. Avant  
Chairman

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office November 1st, 1937, it being first Monday. 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

Minutes of the last meeting being read and approved, the following business was transacted.

Ordered: that C. M. Walker's 1937 taxes be separated so C. H. Bowen may pay taxes on  $24\frac{1}{2}$  acres which he has purchased.

Ordered: that W. H. Applewhite be allowed to settle in full, 1937 and prior years taxes in Ransom Township for \$700.00.

Ordered: that Mrs. Wade Strickland, Tabor City N. C., be allowed \$3.00 present relief and \$3.00 per month.

Ordered: that Columbus County Hospital be issued voucher for \$10.00 as donation on hospital bill of Jim Dudley.

Ordered: that Deputy Tax Collectors for Personal taxes be paid 10 per-cent for 1936 taxes and 15 per-cent for 1935 and prior years taxes, beginning October 1st, 1937.

Ordered: that Millard Blackwell be allowed to peddle in Columbus County without paying license on account of his being a World War Veteran living in Columbus County.

Ordered: that W. R. Strickland be allowed to pay 1932 and prior years taxes at par and \$3.00 court cost.

Ordered: that Eureka Farms and John W. Dorwood be allowed to pay 1937 and prior years taxes due Columbus County at par and court cost, at a valuation for each year due, same as placed on each tract for 1937 taxes, provided said taxes be paid within next 30 days.

Ordered: that H. L. Watson be allowed to pay <sup>his</sup> 1934 actual tax at par and court cost.

Ordered: that Arch Hammond be admitted to County Home.

Ordered: that Pink Strickland, Cerro Gordo, N. C., be allowed free license to sell fire works in Cerro Gordo on account of his disability.

Ordered: that Mrs. Elizabeth Clark be relieved of paying penalty and court cost on 1934 taxes.

Ordered: that J. T. Stanley be relieved of paying court cost in Lees Township.

Ordered: that the Sheriff or his deputies be paid \$10.00 for capturing complete whiskey stills and \$5.00 for each operator.

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Ordered: that the Sheriff summon the following good and lawful men  
to serve as Jurors at the November term of Court:

FIRST WEEK

Bogue	Sam Smith
Bolton	Rockwell Smith
Bug Hill	G. O. Suggs
Chadbourn	Chesterfield Robbins Herman N. Blake
Cerro Gordo	Coy Elliott
Fair Bluff	Irvin Nobles
Lees	C. O. Hines
Ransom	Robinson Dunham
Tatum	Gurley Fields R. C. Griffon
Waccamaw	George Odom
Welches Creek	Charlie D. Priest
Western Prong	Arthur Bullard
Williams	A. Marshall Hinson
South Williams	Alex Small
Whiteville	Reddin Gaskins Paul Rockwell

SECOND WEEK

Bogue	T. B. Nelson
Bolton	E. M. Buffkin
Bug Hill	H. L. Gore
Chadbourn	Otto Edwards Roy Bullard
Cerro Gordo	C. P. Fipps
Fair Bluff	George D. Strickland
Lees	J. E. Williams Sr.
Ransom	J. A. Robinson Sr.
Tatum	H. R. Sellers Garrell Green
Waccamaw	W. L. Pate
Welches Creek	L. R. Creech
Western Prong	J. J. Ransom
Williams	Elbert Wright
South Williams	E. B. Millican
Whiteville	Harry L. Smith J. T. Stanley

RESOLUTION

Whereas, certain citizens of Cerro Gordo Township have petitioned the Honorable Board of County Commissioners to recommend the taking over and maintaining of a certain road in said Township by the State Highway Commission; and,

Whereas, said road is described as follows: Leading from the Tabor-City-Fair Bluff Road South to the South Carolina State line, being a distance of about one and one-half miles; and,

Whereas, said road is impassible almost all of the time; and,

Whereas, said road, if improved, will be a great benefit to the community:

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.

RESOLUTION

Whereas, certain citizens of Lees Township have petitioned the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Columbus County to recommend the construction and maintenance of a certain road in said Township by the State Highway Commission; and,

Whereas, said road which it is desired by said citizens that the State Highway Commission construct and maintain is described as follows: Leading from the Dock Evan's place near Harrelson's Cross Roads to a point at or near the Bill Hayes place, a distance of about two miles; and,

Whereas, said road, if established, will greatly benefit the public in getting to Church, School and market:

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 construct 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.

Ordered: that the following refunds be granted:

<del>Mr. C. H. ...</del>	<del>1936 tax</del>	<del>Board reducing valuation</del>	<del>\$78.32</del>
Mrs. S. E. Jolly	1937 tax	Board reducing valuation	7.92
L. S. Simmons	1935 tax	Error in listing Polls	2.00
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W. F. Cox	1937 tax	Error listing Personal property	46.20
J. L. Lewis	1937 tax	Error listing Personal property	26.40
C. C. Soles	1937 tax	Error listing Personal property	21.78
F. T. Bubney	1936 tax	Error in charging penalty	1.60
Mrs. Elizabeth Clark	1934 tax	Board refunding penalty	2.52
George McLelland	1935 tax	Board reducing valuation	15.32
W. G. Prevatte	1937 tax	Error listing solvent credits	18.48
H. L. Watson	1934 tax	Board relieving penalty and cost	4.74

Eric Norden	1935 tax	Error in listing	\$6.07
J. F. Long Estate	1934 tax	Error in listing	1.00
J. F. Long Estate	1935 tax	Error in listing 16 acres	1.48
E. H. McKeithan	1937 tax	Error in listing lots	9.24
J. A. Brown	1937 tax	Error in listing lots	15.84
W. H. Applewhite	1935 tax	Board compromising tax	4.11
W. H. Applewhite	1936 tax	Board compromising tax	3.68
W. H. Applewhite	1935 tax	Board compromising tax	109.95
W. H. Applewhite	1936 tax	Board compromising tax	96.22
J. M., Joe & C. L. Lennon	1937 tax	Error in listing	2.83
George McLelland	1936 tax	Board reducing valuation	13.73
Mrs. W. B. Roberts	1937 tax	Error in charging valuation auto	8.91
New Columbus Theatre	1936 tax	Relieving penalty	1.77
Dixie Realty Co.	1935 tax	Board reducing valuation	153.17
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Ordered: that the following General County bills be allowed

and paid:

A. W. Baldwin	Salary - Auditor	\$183.33
Lila Mae Powell	Salary - Assisting Auditor	100.00
Herman D. Stanley	Salary - Sheriff	225.00
W. H. Bullard	Salary - Assisting Sheriff and travel	125.00
D. L. Gore	Salary - C.S.C., etc.	240.00
B. D. Hickman	Salary - Assisting C.S.C.	100.00
Leo L. Fisher	Salary - Reg. of Deeds	190.00
Rachel C. Davis	Salary - Assisting Reg. of Deeds	100.00
Ed Schwartz	Salary - Janitor, less advance	55.00
D. T. Lawson	Salary - County Home Keeper	100.00
W. E. Harrelson	Salary - Tax Collector	175.00
Raymond B. Mallard	Salary - Prosecuting Attorney	75.00
Jackson Greer Sr.	Salary - County Attorney	75.00
J. P. Quinerly	Salary - Farm Agent	125.00
W. H. Shearin	Salary - Assisting Farm Agent	54.16
Marie Cashwell	Salary - Assisting Farm Agent	12.50
Miss Mamie Brown	Salary - Tax Supervisor	100.00
Mrs. Johnsie R. Nunn	Salary - Welfare Officer and travel	200.00
Mrs. Nell Huggins	Salary - Assisting Welfare Officer & travel	150.00
Mrs. Mary Ennis	Salary - Assisting Welfare Officer & travel	140.00
Mabel Pittman	Salary - Assisting Welfare Officer	75.00
Leota Hammond	Salary - Assisting Welfare Officer	60.00
Mrs. Mary A. Schulken	To October rent of building	32.50
Lollie Mae Gore	Salary - Assisting Tax Collector	100.00
Sylvia R. Kramer	To 26 days assisting C.S.C.	65.00
Mrs. Gladys G. Wooten	To 26 days assisting Reg. of Deeds	65.00
Columbus Motor Co.	To drilling and bolting filing cabinet	1.00
O. H. Shoemaker	To cabinet for Register of Deeds office	102.00
Mitchell Printing Co.	To account - Register of Deeds, etc.	17.47
Mrs. Nora Nance	To 20 days work on tax books	50.00
Venie Harrelson	To 18 days work on tax books	45.00
Mrs. Ella Mae Ramey	To 24 days work on tax books	60.00
Coco Cola Bottling Wks.	To drinks for County Home	13.25
D. W. Baldwin	To food order	1.00
Oscar High	To account	106.49
Garrell Brothers	To account	57.40
Gurganus Cash Store	To account	73.57
Hickman's Market	To fish for County Home	3.00
Ellis Meares Hdw. Co.	To account	36.35
W. G. Spaulding	To account	2.00
W. E. Powell's Seed Store	To account	1.05
T. S. Potter	To apples for County Home	1.00
Horace Lawson	To barber work at County Home	3.70
Janie Monroe	To work at County Home	16.00
R. B. McRoy and Co.	To account	39.45
Burkhead-DeVane Ptg. Co.	To account - Register of Deeds	40.88
Edwards & Broughton Co.	To account - Register of Deeds	103.88
Commercial Ptg. Co.	To account - Register of Deeds	52.00
W. H. Bullard	To conveying prisoners	8.80
J. B. Stephens	To conveying prisoners	4.80
N. G. Butler	To conveying prisoners	10.60
T. F. Hayslip	To conveying prisoners	2.80
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Bud Stephens	To conveying prisoners	2.50
Dr. W. E. Miller	To Expert Witness fees	5.00
Dr. W. N. Williams	To Expert Witness fees	15.00
Dr. Carnes	To Expert Witness fees	10.00

Dave Long	To 4 days Court Officer and mileage	\$13.80
Dwight McEwen	To Reporting Court	75.00
W. P. Cox	To conveying prisoners	2.80
Southern Sanitary Co.	To supplies for Court House	22.00
Frank Davis	To 4 days assisting Janitor	2.00
Whiteville Cabinet Works	To repairing	11.00
N. C. Sanatorium	To accounts - County patients	50.81
State Hospital	To account - Charlie Howard	3.85
State of N. C.	Amount due by County for Forest Fire Protection	94.10
E. E. Harrelson	To burial expense of Patience Harrelson, Pensioner	30.00
James M. Johnson	To conveying prisoners	3.00
W. S. Ward	To conveying insane	2.50
Dr. S. A. Smith	To treatment for Out Door Poor	33.00
Chas. E. Boger	To bus fare for Alton Morgan	2.75
Pierce and Co.	To account	1.00
B. R. Prince	To conveying Cornegay family	7.00
J. M. Suggs	To account - Lewis Cartrett	1.47
The News Reporter Co.	To account	597.75
P. & F. Motor Express Co.	To express for Court House	.70
Mrs. Essie Ward	To 64 hrs work in Sewing Room	10.56
Madie Robinson	To 56 hrs work in Sewing Room	9.24
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A. E. Powell, P.M.	To postage for Welfare Office	10.00
J. F. Barkley, Agent	To C.O.D. pkg - County Home chair repair	12.63
W. E. Harrelson	To Railroad fare for Mrs. Cora Stephens	6.00
Sam F. Baldwin	To 3 days Court Officer	9.00
C. L. Lynch	To 3 hrs work in Tax Room	1.20
J. L. Thurston Lbr. Co.	To lumber for Jail	14.92
Leder Brothers	To accounts	189.17
Leo L. Fisher	To postage for Register of Deeds	75.06
F. B. Richardson	To investigating deaths	30.00
C. L. Lynch	To repairing at Court House	7.40
A. E. Powell, P. M.	To postage for Welfare Office	10.00
D. L. Gore	To postage for Sept and Oct	4.20
Mack Cutler	To moving trash <del>at</del> from Court House	1.00
Pine-No-Ca Chemical Co.	To supplies for Court House	8.25
Rozier Williams	To Court Officer	24.00
Ernest Hinson	To Commission on Personal taxes collected	11.46
H. D. Best	To Commission on Personal taxes collected	69.16
Bud Stephens	To Commission on Personal taxes collected	22.25
Frank Strole	To Commission on Personal taxes collected	59.53
Mrs. Ellen Turlington	To 20 days assisting Tax Collector	50.00
Bertha Long	To 17 days assisting Tax Collector	42.50
Mattie Smith	To 15½ days assisting Tax Collector	38.75
Betsey McDaniel	To 11 days work on land sales certificates	27.50
W. N. Stokes and Co.	To supplies for Auditor	3.00
Columbus County News	To account	28.00
James Walker Memorial Hospital	To donation on bill of Randall Spivey	10.00
Columbus County Hospital	To donation on bill of Jim Dudley	10.00
Horton's Service Sta.	To account	4.62
The Boyer Chemical Lab. Co.	To supplies for Jail	14.38
Horace Shaw	To capturing still and operator	10.00
Tide Water Power Co.	To accounts	65.95
Vineland Ice Co.	To ice account	12.45
Town of Whiteville	To water account	57.75
R. E. Reynolds	To bills approved for Armory Project	236.37
Baker Sanatorium	To donation on bill of A. C. McCumbee	5.00
McDaniel-Boice Ins. Co.	To premiums on various bonds	72.35
Frank Strole	To Commission on taxes collected	41.59
Bud Stephens	To commission on taxes collected	18.47
Ernest Hinson	To commission on taxes collected	8.76
H. D. Best	To commission on taxes collected	42.28
Memory Co.	To account	22.60
Columbus County Hospital	To account rendered	145.00
Rozier Williams	To October support of Jail	452.55
Thompson Memorial Hospital	To account - Rosa Morgan	32.00
McNeill Drug Store	To account	28.10
Bud Stephens	To capturing still	10.00
Ed Schwartz	To advance on salary	20.00
Mrs. Mattie Smith	To 4½ days work on land sales certificates	11.25
Mrs. W. E. Harrelson	To 26 days assisting Tax Collector	78.00
Julian D. Lewis, Attorney	To commission on land sales certificates	233.64
Rozier Williams	To supplies for Jail	9.10
Zelma Maultsby	To assisting County Auditor, etc.	15.00
W. E. Harrelson, Tax Collector	To refund on H. M. Bullard note	25.00
Casey J. Baldwin	To 20 days assisting Tax Collector, etc.	60.00
W. J. Tate	To repair work at Jail, etc.	15.00
Western Union	To telegrams - Auditor	.67
R. C. Benton	To 2 days on Board, etc.	18.50
W. L. Hobbs	To 1 day on Board and mileage	8.00
Z. V. Williamson	To 2 days on Board, etc.	12.40
W. M. Stephens	To 2 days on Board and mileage	13.20
H. G. Avant	To 2 days on Board, etc.	20.40
F. O. Carter	To conveying prisoners	8.50
Seth Currie	To conveying prisoners to Raleigh	14.00

Grover McPherson	To conveying prisoners, etc.	\$ 4.60
N. G. Butler	To conveying prisoners	2.80
J. M. Hinson	To conveying prisoners	1.70
Elton Ward	To serving instantas	6.00
T. F. Hayslip	To conveying prisoners, etc.-	5.90
W. H. Bullard	To conveying prisoners	13.60
H. L. Shaw	To conveying prisoners, etc.	14.95
Elmore Wright	To conveying prisoners	10.90
Panther Oil & Grease Co.	To account	646.76
Sheriff, Durham County	To serving tax summons	1.00
Sheriff, New Hanover County	To serving tax summons	1.00
Sheriff, Robeson County	To serving tax summons	1.00
Sheriff, Edgecomb County	To serving tax summons	1.00
Sheriff, Bladen County	To serving tax summons	3.00
F. B. Foster	To labor on boiler, etc.	119.60
Columbus Telephone Co.	To phone rent	46.95
Out Door Poor	Total	179.50
Insolvent Vouchers	Total	<u>504.66</u>

Ordered: that the following land sales certificates now in the hands of the County Attorney for investigation and foreclosure, be cancelled as follows:

Name	Amount	Year	Reason for Cancelling
Mrs. M. L. Hardee	6.00	19--	Board reducing valuation
A. C. Hayes	7.22	1934	" " "
A. C. Hayes	3.95	1933	" " "
A. C. Hayes	4.15	1932	" " "
A. C. Hayes	5.27	1931	" " "
A. C. Hayes	4.94	1930	" " "
A. C. Hayes	4.52	1929	" " "
Mellon Blanks	23.00		Partial Payment
Winnie Robinson	7.00		Partial Payment
Teddy W. Norris	4.57	1933	Board sold to Roy Bullard
Teddy W. Norris	4.38	1932	" " "
Teddy W. Norris	3.91	1931	" " "
Teddy W. Norris	4.76	1930	" " "
Mrs. C. B. Aycock	39.49	1934	Board reducing valuation
Mrs. C. B. Aycock	40.86	1933	" " "
Mrs. Vera Aycock	49.53	1932	" " "
Mrs. Vera Aycock	37.41	1931	" " "
Mrs. Vera Aycock	66.72	1930	" " "
C. B. Aycock	50.99	1929	" " "
<del>Winnie Robinson</del>	<del>7.00</del>	<del></del>	<del>Partial Payment</del>
Cape Nobles	.75	1932	Board all owing cost
Leonard Grainger	16.40		Partial Payment
Leonard Grainger	15.30	1930	" " "
B. J. Stephens	11.00		" " "
Mrs. Myrtle Pierce	10.14	1934	Board reducing valuation
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J. C. Heyer Est.	65.70	1934	" " "