

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
C. E. & E. W. Williamson	16.48	1934	
"	16.48	1933	
"	20.51	1932	
"	18.78	1931	
"	33.18	1930	
"	28.23	1929	
"	32.68	1928	
Lonnie E. Hammond	19.00	1928	Payment on tax note
Mrs. Addie P. Smith	35.00	1929	
G. W. Booth Est.	2.87	1931	
"	5.81	1930	
Mrs. Bessie Stanley	2.63	1934	
"	2.93	1933	

There being no further business to come before the Board at this time, adjournment was voted in order until Monday February 6th, 1939.

Approved:

A. W. Baldwin
Clerk

C. A. Small
Chairman

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office February 6th, 1939, it being first Monday. Members of the Board present:

C. A. Small, Chairman
R. C. Benton
H. G. Avant
W. L. Hobbs
W. M. Stephens

A. W. Baldwin, Clerk

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

Ordered: that J. Edwards and Thomas Bryant land in Fair Bluff be separated so J. Edwards may pay his part of tax.

Ordered: that B. B. Sellers, Williams Township, be exempted from paying Poll tax for 1938 and future years on account of his disability.

Ordered: that Horace Strickland, Cerro Gordo Township, be exempted from paying Poll tax for 1938 and future years on account of disability.

Ordered: that Clifford Moore be allowed to pay 1/4 of Calvin Moore Est. tax due which is his share of tax.

Ordered: that C. H. Garrell be appointed Janitor of the Courthouse until December 1st, 1939 at same salary.

Ordered: that Lee Greer be appointed Prosecuting Attorney for Recorder's Court until December 1st, 1939 at same salary.

Ordered: that no more bills for Elmo Lewis be paid for hospital expense and that he be allowed to come to County Home.

Ordered: that J. R. Blake and Roy A. Nunnery taxes due be separated so Federal Land Bank may pay taxes on land they hold mortgage on.

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

K. Clyde Council	To 5 days on Welfare Board and mileage	31.00
Mrs. W. A. Thomas	To 1 day on Board and mileage	5.70
Lila Mae Powell	To Jan. salary - Assisting Auditor	100.00
H. D. Stanley	To Jan. salary - Sheriff and travel	225.00
W. H. Bullard	To Jan. salary - Assisting Sheriff and travel	125.00
D. L. Gore, C.S.C.	To Jan. salary - C.S.C., etc.	240.00
B. D. Hickman	To Jan. salary - Assisting C.S.C.	100.00
Leo L. Fisher	To Jan. salary - Reg. of Deeds	190.00
Anna Belle Lane	To Jan. salary - Assisting Reg. of Deeds	100.00
C. H. Garrell	To Jan. salary - Janitor	60.00
D. T. Lawson	To Jan. salary - County Home Keeper	115.00
W. E. Harrelson	To Jan. salary - Tax Collector and travel	175.00
Lollie Mae Gore	To Jan. salary - Assisting Tax Collector	100.00
Joe W. Brown	To Jan. salary - Judge Ref. Court	150.00
Lee Greer	To Jan. salary - Prosecuting Atty.	75.00
J. K. Powell	To Jan. salary - County Attorney	75.00
C. D. Raper	To Jan. salary - Assisting Farm Agent	54.16
Marie Cashwell Collier	To Jan. salary - Assisting Farm Agent	12.50
Mamie Brown	To Jan. salary - Tax Supervisor	100.00
Mrs. Johnsie R. Nunn	To Jan. salary - Welfare Officer and travel	200.00
Mrs. Nell Huggins	To Jan. salary - Caseworker and travel	140.00
Mrs. Mary Ennis	To Jan. salary - Caseworker and travel	140.00
Mabel Pittman	To Jan. salary - Assisting Welfare Officer	75.00
Leota Hammond	To Jan. salary - Assisting Welfare Officer	60.00
Dr. W. E. Miller	To Jan. appropriation	250.00
Mrs/ Mary A. Schulken	To Jan. rent of building	50.00
Tecumseh Pierce	To reporting vital statistics	21.00
James W. Worthington	" "	41.00
W. C. Stone	" "	19.00
I. L. Green	" "	20.50
Bertha Long	" "	10.00
Mrs. V. A. Marlowe	" "	27.00
Mildred Rogers	" "	13.00
M. F. Lowe	" "	30.50
Mrs. Vara Nance	" "	22.50
R. T. Bruton	" "	17.00
J. L. Lennon	" "	27.00
Mrs. W. D. Wooten Sr.	" "	20.50
H. S. High	" "	20.00
W. E. Stone	" "	6.50
Mrs. W. M. Stephens	" "	39.50
State of N. C. Dept. of Conservation and Development	Amount due by County as of Dec. 31st.	51.05
A. W. Kellogg Sales Co.	To account - Auditor	2.94
Chemical Banknote Co.	To 50 Municipal Notes	21.89
J. D. Peterson and W. J. Anderson	To repair on Courthouse boiler	17.93
A. G. Best	To hauling sand to Jail	3.25
Columbus Motor Co.	To account	0.83
Edwards-Councilor Lab.	To account - Courthouse	3.60
J. C. Lennon	To account	13.31
Asheboro Broom Co.	To 1 doz brooms	8.00
Town of Whiteville	To Jan. water account	51.75
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Robert E. Miller	To 2 days Juror - McRackan inquest	6.00
W. F. Floyd	To 2 days Juror - " "	6.00
Sam P. Ward	To 2 days Juror - " "	6.00

Thomas E. Hickman	To 2 days Juror - McRackan inquest	6.00
A. A. Rushing	To 2 days Juror - McRackan inquest	6.00
J. S. Huffham	To 2 days Juror - McRackan inquest	6.00
Elmo Powell, Jr.	To inquest - Horn Child	3.00
Walter Cook	To " " "	3.00
Eugene Bears	" " "	3.00
B. D. Hickman	" " "	3.00
John Hyatt	" " "	3.00
Paul J. Williamson	" " "	3.00
H. D. Browning	Per Diem - Board of Health	12.00
Dr. T. V. Moore	" " "	4.00
H. G. Avant	" " "	4.00
Jackson Greer Jr.	" " "	8.00
C. A. Small	" " "	8.00
Dr. G. S. Cox	" " "	4.00
Joe D. Sykes	To inquests and investigations	30.00
W.E. Harrelson	To cash spent for repair in Tax Office	20.49
Frank Davis	To work at Courthouse	6.90
Pay Roll for Jail Cells	Total	148.05
Mrs. Alice Stanley	To work in Sewing Room	38.40
Susie Hammond	To work in Sewing Room	36.80
C. L. Lynch	To work in Courthouse	38.30
Sam F. Baldwin	To 4 days Court Officer	12.00
Joe Williams	To work at Courthouse	.97
Ernest Thompson	To signs for Farm Agent's Office	5.00
W. J. Tate	To 4 days work on Jail Cells	30.00
W. G. Glash	To repairing stove	7.50
H. D. Best	To commission on taxes collected	158.47
A. D. Redwine	To work at Courthouse	3.90
Taylor Adams	To work at Courthouse	5.60
John Mooney	To trimming mule at County Home	1.50
Ben Best	To work at Courthouse	.60
D. J. Prease	To repairing stove at Jail	7.65
D. W. Baldwin	To food orders for Out Door Poor	4.55
Dr. W. E. Miller	To Expert Witness fees	20.00
R. H. Burns	To services - State vs Nathaniel Wilson	50.00
J.F. Barkley, Agent	To freight on coal, etc.	234.76
J. L. Thurston Lbr. Co.	To account	27.46
Leder Brothers	To account - County Home	73.50
Sinclair Refining Co.	To account	4.95
Pierce and Co.	To account - Jail	21.57
McGougan Electric Co.	To Board and treatment for County patients	11.40
The N. C. Sanatorium	To account - Elmo Lewis	51.94
The Western N.C. Sanatorium	To services at County Home	32.05
Dr. D. W. Pittman	To conveying prisoners	3.00
Bud Stephens	" "	5.20
J. M. Hinson	" "	1.70
Rozier Williams	" "	4.40
H. G. Godwin	" "	6.00
F. O. Carter	" "	3.40
A. T. Massey Coal Co.	To 68.20 tons coal	136.40
Plummer Smith	To Janitor services	9.00
S. C. Oliver	To bal. on Farm Agent salary	62.50
Howard Gore	To electrical repairs at Courthouse	12.89
Mitchell Ptg. Co.	To account	54.79
P. & F. Motor Express, In.	To account	3.02
Rozier Williams, Jailor	To Jan. support of Jail	670.40
Rozier Williams	To Court Officer	21.00
Wilson Implement Co.	To account - Jail	138.10
W. L. Turbeville	To bus fare for Poor	4.70
Mrs. Kathleen B. High	To 25 days assisting Reg. of Deeds	62.50
Gladys G. Wooten	To 25 days assisting Reg. of Deeds	62.50
Columbus Motor Co.	To repair at County Home	13.15
Horace Lawson	To barber work at County Home	5.75
Gladys Rush	To work at County Home	12.00
Sara James	To work at County Home	11.00
Gurganas Cash Store	To account	70.80
D. H. Hickman Co.	To account	6.00
Ellis Meares Hdw. Co.	To account	6.65
R. B. McRoy and Co.	To account	49.63
Tide Water Power Co.	To account	146.90
Columbus Telephone Co.	To account for Dec.	76.15
H. L. Shaw	To serving instantas	22.20
Stephen G. Worth	To reporting Court - Han. term	75.00
N. G. Butler	To guarding J. B. Stanley, prisoner	12.00
Polly Geddie	To 7 days assisting Tax Col, etc.	17.50
Sylvia R. Kramer	To 26 days assisting C.S.C.	65.00
Elton Ward	To serving instantas	9.10
Columbus Telephone Co.	To account for Jan.	53.25
McNeill's Drug Store	To account	26.65
Vineland Ice Co.	To ice account	9.10
Columbus Drug Store	To account - Jail	3.40
Typewriter Inspection Co.	To repair on typewriter for Reg. of Deeds	12.50

Owen G. Dunn	To account - Reg. of Deeds	98.46
Burkhead-DeVane Ptg. Co.	To account - Reg. of Deeds	44.68
Storr Engraving Co.	To account	27.48
Leo L. Fisher	To postage for Reg. of Deeds	67.68
Wilmington Stamp and Ptg. Co.	To account	13.12
Dave Long	To 4 days Court Officer and mileage	13.80
J. C. Lennon	To paper bags for Welfare Dept.	1.00
Local Gov't Comm.	To postage and insurance on notes	13.54
Western Union	To account	2.53
Columbus County News	To account	39.00
The News Reporter Co.	To account	313.60
C. A. Small	To 5 days on Board and mileage	35.00
R. C. Benton	To 5 days on Board and mileage	32.00
W. L. Hobbs	To 5 days on Board and mileage	40.00
W. M. Stephens	To 3 days on Board and mileage	19.80
Elton Ward	To serving instantas	1.50
H. G. Avant	To 5 days on Board and mileage	25.50
Dr. W. Ross Davis	To sand for Jail cells	5.25
Jackson Greer Sr.	To Jan. salary - Tax Attorney	75.00
Columbus Telephone Co.	To bal. on account - WPA	35.15
T. R. Benton	To mileage investigating schools	1.00
A. P. McClary	" " "	2.90
L. E. Gore	" " "	4.40
R. Kennedy	" " "	5.50
W. L. Rawles	" " "	2.75
David Sinclair	To account - Reg. of Deeds	15.00
Dr. Carnes	To Expert Witness fees	10.00
Jackson Training School	To clothing, etc. for Blanchard Moore	11.77
Lewis and Baldwin	To repair on radio	3.15
Duke Hospital	To bus fare for Harry Brown	2.50
G. W. Dove	To account	5.65
D. D. Cox	To conveying prisoners	4.30
L. H. Williams	" "	6.00
F. T. Wooten	To ins. on old jail	59.00
Frank Davis	To assisting Janitor	6.00
Bud Stephens	To conveying prisoners	20.50
W. E. Harrelson	To travel	37.50
Out Door Poor	Total	61.50

RESOLUTION

Whereas, certain citizens and taxpayers of Columbus County have petitioned the Honorable Board of County Commissioners to recommend the construction of a bridge over Beaver Dam Creek by the State Highway and Public Works Commission; and,

Whereas, said bridge over Beaver Dam Creek would be on road leading from a point on State Highway #28 West of Wayman Creek to Lloyd's Landing on the Cape Fear River; and,

Whereas, said Beaver Dam Creek is badly in need of a bridge to accomodate the several families living along said road and the many children that have to cross said Creek going to and from school; and,

Whereas, said Creek is impassible at times:

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Columbus County that the State Highway and Public Works Commission be and it is hereby requested to construct a bridge across Beaver Dam Creek on said road; and,

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

RESOLUTION

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

Whereas, said road is described as follows: Beginning at the Fish Pond Road at a point where the old church was located, near Dexter Register's and running through what is known as "Long's Corner" and intersecting the Highway leading to Brunswick County via Crusoe Island, at a point West of Thomas Simmons's home, being a distance of about 1 1/2 miles:

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Columbus County that the State Highway and Public Works 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 and Public Works Commission in Raleigh and a copy be recorded on the Minutes of this Board.

Ordered: that G. M. Shaw be allowed to pay his 1934 and prior years taxes due at par and \$3.00 court cost.

Ordered: that J. F. Boswell be allowed to pay A. C. Fowler's 1931 tax and Mrs. Grace G. Fowler's 1932 tax at par and \$3.00 court cost.

J. C. Bullard,

Ordered: that L. Byrd/H. C. Causey, D. D. and D. M. Cox and J. R. Blake be allowed to pay 1931 and prior years taxes due at par and \$3.00 court cost, and they be allowed credit for payments on tax note in settlement of said taxes.

Upon petition from citizens of Crusoe Island section, and by request of Mrs. E. K. Proctor, it is ordered that no dancing be allowed in the Community House in Crusoe Island.

Ordered: that one \$55,000.00 Columbus County Note dated July 10th, 1938, maturing January 10th, 1939, now in Security National Bank, made payable to BEARER at the Waccamaw Bank and Trust Company and held by Security National Bank and placed there by Waccamaw Bank and Trust Company as security for deposits in said Waccamaw Bank and Trust Company be released, and in lieu thereof, renewal note in the sum of \$52,000.00 be placed with Security National Bank in place of the said sum of \$55,000.00 notes, said note dated January 10, 1939, maturing July 10th, 1939.

Ordered: that the following refunds be granted:

W. D. Rhodes	1938 tax Double listed	\$3.96
Bruce McMillan	1936 tax Error listing auto	3.42
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There being no further business to come before the Board at this time, adjournment was voted in order until February 9th, 1939.

Approved:

A. W. Baldwin
Clerk

C. A. Small
Chairman

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office February 9th, 1939, according to adjournment. Members of the Board present:

C. A. Small, Chairman

H. G. Avant

R. C. Benton

W. L. Hobbs

W. M. Stephens

A. W. Baldwin, Clerk

The following business was transacted.

The Board of Commissioners for the County of Columbus, North Carolina, met in adjourned regular session in the County Court House in Whiteville, North Carolina, at 11 o'clock, A. M., February 9th, 1939.

Present: C. A. Small, Chairman and H. G. Avant, R. C. Benton, W. L. Hobbs and W. M. Stephens, Commissioners.

Absent: None

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After calling the meetings to order and after the Clerk had called the roll, the Members of the Board of Commissioners for the County of Columbus who were present sat at the table at which the County Board of Elections was holding its meeting, and thereupon said County Board of Elections and said Board of Commissioners, as two separate bodies, separately received from the Registrars and Judges of Election in the various precincts of the County of Columbus the returns of the special bond election held February 7th, 1939.

After said returns had been canvassed by said Board of Commissioners, being simultaneously with the canvassing thereof by the County Board of Elections in the same place, Commissioner W. L. Hobbs introduced the following Resolution, which was read:

RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE CANVASSING
OF THE RETURNS OF THE SPECIAL BOND ELECTION
HELD FEBRUARY 7, 1939, AND DECLARING THE
RESULT THEREOF.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners for the County of Columbus:

Section 1. That the returns of the special bond election held February 7, 1939, having been received from the proper election officers, and the Board having canvassed the same, the following facts are hereby found and determined: