

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office March 4th 1940, It being first Monday, members of the Board present;

W. L. Hobbs, Chairman

H. G. Avant

R. C. Benton

G. C. Hinson

C. A. Small

A. W. Baldwin, Clerk

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

ROAD 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 and Public Works Commission; and,

Whereas, said road which it is desired by said citizens that the State Highway and Public Works Commission take over and maintain is described as follows: A public road leading from near Pearson Worley's residence to M. E. Worley's place, a distance of about five-eighths of a mile in its present condition at times it is unpassable, and if worked at regular times, as other roads leading to it, the school trucks could pass to the advantage of about 10 families as well as the general public.

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, together with the petition, be sent to the State Highway and Public Works Commission in Raleigh and a copy be recorded on the Minutes of this Board.

ROAD RESOLUTION

Whereas, certain citizens of Waccamaw 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 and Public Works Commission; and,

Whereas, said road which it is desired by said citizens that the State Highway and Public Works Commission take over and maintain is described as follows: a short section of road near the north shore of Waccamaw Lake, leading

from Highway #214 westwardly to the Boy Scout Camp.

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, together with the petition, be sent to the State Highway and Public Works Commission in Raleigh and a copy be recorded on the Minutes of this Board.

ROAD RESOLUTION

Whereas, certain citizens of Bug Hill 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 and Public Works Commission; and,

Whereas, said road which it is desired by said citizens that the State Highway and Public Works Commission take over and maintain is described as follows: the old community road from D. G. Long's via. Matha Ward, Homer L. McLamb, P. M. Long, Shellie Lee Long, and others to Henry E. Long's a distance of from two to three miles. The above mentioned road is a part of our Rural Mail Route #1, from Nakina, North Carolina, and should be a School Bus Route.

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, together with the petition, 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 John and Moses Lacewell in Bolton Township, be allowed to pay taxes due at par and \$3.00 court cost.

Ordered: that W. H. Robinson be allowed to pay 1937 and prior year taxes at \$300.00 valuation at par and \$3.00 court cost in Ransom Township.

Ordered: that Bertha Stephens be allowed to pay 1935-36-37-and 1938 taxes at 6% per annum and \$3.00 Court Cost.

Ordered: that \$5.00 be paid for each still captured and \$5.00 for each person convicted by the Courts.

On motion of C. A. Small, seconded by H. G. Avant, it is ordered that County Home Keeper be notified to file a daily report of each person fed at County Home and number of meals given each person.

Ordered: that the Tax Collector issue License to V. E. Pierce of Hallsboro to retail Beverages as provided under the Beverage Control Act.

Ordered: that C. L. Shipman be allowed to pay Mollie Faircloth's 1922-1923-1924 tax in Lees Township by paying $\frac{1}{2}$ of said amount charged and 3.00 court cost.

Ordered: that C. L. Shipman be allowed to pay E. P. Gathing' 1939 and prior year taxes due at par and $\frac{1}{2}$ Court Coust.

Ordered that A. M. Pullen & Company of Raleigh, North Carolina, be given contract to Audit the various offices of Columbus County for the price of \$1200.00 to include from July 1st 1939 to June 30th 1940.

Ordered that Security National Bank of Wilmington, North Carolina, be notified to release \$50,000.00 Certificates of Deposit placed with them on September 22nd 1939, by the Waccamaw Bank and Trust Company of Whiteville, North Carolina, to be held for the account of Columbus County and subject to the order of the Board of County Commissioners. Said Waccamaw Bank and Trust Company, to place with Security National Bank \$50,000.00 Certificates of Deposits of various Banks in Leiu of ones being released.

Ordered that the B. J. Simmons tract of land be sold to G. T. Ward he to pay \$50.00 cash and give note and mortgage for balance due as follows; \$100.00 Due September 15th 1940 and \$100.00 Due September 15th 1941.

Ordered: that A. W. Baldwin, Clerk, ask the W.F.A. for a grant to erect a \$25,000.00 School Building at Guideway.

Ordered that J. O. Formyduval in Lees Township be allowed to pay tax on 16 acres of land valued at \$180.00 for 1939 and prior year taxes Due at par and \$3.00 Court Cost.

Ordered: that Order given to Ezekeil and Wwilman Company, Inc. of Richmond, Va. for \$1222.30 Kitchen equipment and \$941.00 for Refrigeration for Columbus County Hospital be approved, and that these amounts be included in Winchester Surgical Supply Company's Contract.

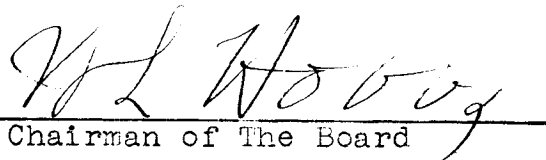
Ordered: that the following bills for General County Be allowed and paid;

A. W. Baldwin	February Salary- Auditor	\$190.00
Brack Stephens	February Salary-Assisting Auditor	75.00
Herman D. Stanley	February Salary-Sheriff	225.00
W. H. Bullard	Salary Assisting Sheriff	150.00
D. L. Gore	Salary C. S. C. Clerk Rec. Court and Judge Juvenile Court	240.00
B. D. Hickman	Salary-Assistant C. S. C.	100.00
Sylvia Kramer	Salary Assisting C. S. C.	50.00
Leo L. Fisher	Salary-Register of Deeds	\$190.00
Anna Belle Lane	Salary-Assisting Reg. of Deeds	100.00
Kathleen B. High	Salary- Twenty-four days work in Reg. of Deeds' Office	48.00
Mrs. Gladys G. Wooten	To 1 month's work in Reg. of Deeds Office	50.00
A. M. Auger	To Salary-Janitor	60.00
Mrs. D. T. Lawson	To Salary of County Home Keeper	75.00
Howard Godwin	To Salary-County Farmer	40.00
W. E. Harrelson	To Salary- Tax Collector	175.00
Lollie Mae Cobb	To Salary-Assisting Tax Collector	75.00
Joe W. Brown	To Salary-Judge Rec. Court	150.00
Lee Greer	To salary Prosecuting Atty.	75.00
J. K. Powell	To salary County Attorney and Tax Atty.	175.00
S. C. Oliver	To Salary County Agent	125.00
Charles D. Raper	To Salary Assistant County Agent	54.16
Marie Cashwell Collier	To Salary assisting County Agent	12.50
Mamie Brown	To Salary Tax Supervisor	75.00
Mrs. Johnsie R. Nunn	To Salary Welfare Officer	200.00
Mrs. Mary Ennis	To Salary assisting Welfare Officer	140.00
Mabel Pittman	To salary assisting Welfare Officer	75.00
Leota Hammond	To salary Assisting Welfare Officer	65.00
Columbus County Hospital	To February Allotment for Indigent Pat.	250.00
Mrs. J. B. Elliott	To Salary assisting Welfare Officer	120.00
Mrs. J. E. Nunn	To postage for Welfare Office	25.00
P. Lennon	To listing taxes in Chadbourn Township	90.00
Mrs. Grace Harrelson	To 24 days work in Tax office	48.00
Sylvia Kramer	To additional salary for Feb.	10.00
Gladys G. Wooten	To additional salary for Feb.	10.00
Mamie Brown	To additional salary for Feb.	15.00
Brack Stephens	To additional salary for Feb.	15.00
Lollie Mae Cobb	To additional salary for Feb.	15.00
Bertha Long	to 24 $\frac{1}{2}$ days work on Tax Books	49.00
Edith Nance	To 23 days work on Tax Books	46.00
Polly Geddie	To 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ days work on tax books	47.00
Opal Butler	To 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ days work on Tax books	43.00
C. A. Small	To 3 days on Board and Mileage	21.00
W. L. Hobbs	To 3 days on board and Mileage	32.00
H. G. Avant	To 3 days on Board and Mileage	25.50
R. C. Benton	To 3 days on Board and Mileage $\frac{1}{2}$	19.20
G. C. Hinson	To 3 days on Board and Mileage	23.60
H. D. Best	To Commissions for tax collected	179.70
Ed Johnson	To 5 days testing cows	5.00
Boyd Benton	To listing taxes in Tatum Township	114.40
J. A. Turner	To listing Taxes in Fair Bluff	78.85
Columbus Telephone Company	To Phone Rent	74.50
N. G. Butler	To guarding jurors 4 days	12.00
C. L. Lynch	To 4 hrs. work on Tax Collectors Office	1.60
Therodore Summersett	To work at county Home	22.00
Frank Davis	To ten days work Court House	5.00
W. J. Tate	To 2 days work County Home	15.00
Forney Nobles	To 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days work County Home	4.50
Willie Green	To 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days work County Home	4.50
S. E. Newell	To 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days work County Home	4.50
R. J. Benton, Agt.	To account	238.51
Frank Moody	To labor at County Home	1.50
Dave Long	To 13 days Court Officer & Mileage	44.40
Rhodes Furniture Co.	To 2 files for Welfare Officer	15.00
J. E. Thompson & Company	To account	10.83
The Western North Carolina Sanatorium Black Mountain	To account	160.50
Julian D. Lewis, Atty.	To $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1544 Tax Suits	965.00
Tide Water Power Company	To account	101.70
Whiteville Cabinet Works, Inc.	To various repairs	1.75
Joe Paterson	To 5 peices of steel for old jail	2.50
The Kee Lox Manufacturing Co.	To invoice No. 21341	1.00
National Biscuit Company	To account	3.20
Garrell Brothers	To account	20.10
Columbus County News	To account	30.00
W. G. Spaulding	To account	4.25
Rozier Williams	To various Conveyances	14.50
D. H. Hickman	To account	2.00
Town of Whiteville	To water acct. for February	28.40
Local Government Commission	To account	8.84

Leder Brothers	To account	7.29
Gurganus Cash Store	To account	67.08
Dr. R. B. Whitaker	To services rendered in Gaston Norris case	25.00
R. B. McRoy	To account	27.00
Rozier Williams	To February Up-keep of Jail	518.50
F. M. Canady	For Cutting Leamon Jacobs's Hair	.70
Woodie Hall	To various conveyances	3.40
W. H. McLamb	To canveyances of Grady Ward	3.00
John Hinson	To conveyance of Lina Parker	2.00
C. S. Sasser	To capturing still	5.00
H. G. Godwin	To capturing Still	5.00
George F. Brown	To various Conveyances	5.60
George Moore	To services rendered Sheriff	9.00
A. E. Powell	To rent of Box No. 588	1.00
F. O. Carter	To conveyances of Woodrow Godwin	1.70
Stephen G. Worth	To three weeks Court Reporter	187.50
Western Union Tel. Co.	To account	4.56
McDaniel Boice Ins. Co.	To Insurances on Hospital	76.20
Gulf Refining Co.	To 1 gal oil for Sewing Rooms	.34
Joe D. Siles	To various investigation	5.00
Rodent Control Fund	To account	1.71
M. Meares	To listing taxes	122.30
A. C. Coleman	To listing taxes	107.50
T. E. Burns	To listing taxes	120.00
A. B. Ward	To listing taxes	76.95
W. A. Baldwin	To listing Taxes	44.35
J. P. Brown	To listing taxes	108.85
Homer V. Hammond	To listing taxes	100.60
Lacy C. Stanley	To listing taxes	73.90
Chester A. Farley	To listing taxes	100.05
A. H. Sessions	To listing taxes	56.50
J. C. Nye, Sr.	To listing taxes	53.75
E. A. Maulsby	To listing taxes	256.50
J. L. Thurston & Co.	To account	72.54
W. H. Bullard	To various services	28.70
Elton Ward	To various services	8.50
New Columbus Hotel	To statement for jurors	83.57
C. S. Sasser	For capturing one still	5.00
D. D. Cox	To conveyances of Harry Brown	4.90
H. L. Shaw	To various services rendered	45.50
Bud Stephens	To various services rendered	18.60
F. A. Creech	To repair of Court House	127.75
A. M. Pullen & Co.	To itemized account	933.75
Guiton's Drug Store	To account	9.50
Mrs. Lois F. Lewis	To services rendered jurors	82.50
H. C. Stanley	To crushing corn at County Home	1.55
State Dept. of Con- servation & Develop.	To account	243.53
Out Door Poor	For month of February	

There being no further business to come before the Board at this time, adjournment was voted in order until Monday, March 18th 1940.

APPROVED:


Chairman of The Board


Clerk to Board

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their Said office March 18th 1940, according to adjournment. Members of the Board present;