

Ordered: that the Tax Collector be authorized to issue free license to A. H. Faulk to sell fireworks at Bolton N. C. during Christmas holidays on account of his being blind.

Ordered: that the Tax Collector be instructed to collect for fire works license issued as provided in the Revenue Act.

Ordered: that the Security National Bank of Wilmington, North Carolina, be notified to release \$50,000.00 Certificates of Deposits placed with them on March 14, 1940 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 the Security National Bank \$50,000.00 Certificate of Deposit of various banks in lieu of ones being released.

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

J. L. Robinson	To 1 day on Board and mileage	6.00
A. W. Williamson	To 1 day on Board and mileage	6.50
Bruce Pierce	To 1 day on Board and mileage	5.10
J. C. Stanley	To 1 day on Board and mileage	6.60
Baldwin Co.	To bond of Leo L. Fisher	60.00
Mrs. W. R. Davis Sr.	To Christmas boxes for Confederate widows	10.00
F. T. Wooten	To renewal of bond - Sheriff	75.00
Western Union	To account	4.13
Columbus Telephone Co.	To account - Farm Agent	3.05
J. N. Coburn, Agent	To renewal of bond - C.S.C.	173.50

On motion, meeting adjourned to meet Tuesday, December 3rd, 1940 at 9:00 o'clock A. M.

Approved:

Leo L. Fisher  
Clerk

J. L. Robinson  
Chairman

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office December 3rd, 1940 at 9:00 A. M. according to adjournment. Members of the Board present:

J. L. Robinson, Chairman  
W. L. Hobbs  
Bruce Pierce  
J. C. Stanley  
A. W. Williamson

, Clerk

The following business was transacted.

Ordered: that S. C. Oliver, County Farm Agent, be instructed to act as Superintendent of the County Home Farm.

Ordered: that the County sponsor the mattress project as presented by S. C. Oliver, County Farm Agent, providing the cost of said project does not exceed \$100.00.

By unanimous vote of the Board, it is ordered that no bill shall be approved for any services for labor or any other item of expense to be paid by Columbus County until and without such services, purchase or other item of expense shall have been ordered by the Board of Commissioners, the County Purchasing Agent, by Law or order of the Court.

Ordered: that the Tax Supervisor immediately check the Poll books and Selective Draft records in order to ascertain if any taxpayer in the County is not listing his taxes, and that list, if such, be turned over to the Board of Commissioners.

On motion of W. L. Hobbs, seconded by Bruce Pierce, it is ordered that the Tax Listers for 1941 be paid 10¢ for each county tax list and 5¢ for each farm report.

On motion of W. L. Hobbs, seconded by J. C. Stanley, it is ordered that W. H. Applewhite, Bruce Pierce and W. D. Brooks be appointed as a Board of Appraisers and Review for the 1941 tax assessment.

Ordered: that F. M. Stanley be appointed as one of the assistants to the Board of Appraisers and Review for 1941 tax assessment.

Ordered: that the appraisers appointed be notified to meet with the Board of County Commissioners December 7th, 1940 at 2:00 o'clock P. M.

Ernsie Gaskins, Constable of South Williams Township, tendered his bond in the sum of \$1,000.00 with J. C. Gaskins and B. Powell as sureties, Approved, accepted and ordered recorded, all Commissioners being present and voting therefor.

Ordered: that Mrs. Grace Baldwin be employed at \$4.00 per day for two months to assist J. K. Powell with Tax Foreclosures.

Ordered: that Leo L. Fisher be authorized and instructed to have a billboard erected in down stairs hall of Court House.

Ordered: that William Burns be allowed to pay \$26.78 from his next school voucher and then pay \$25.00 for next months to pay Walter Burns taxes due Columbus County.

Ordered: that Susie Webb be allowed to pay \$10.00 December 7th on her taxes and \$5.00 per month until taxes due are paid.

Ordered: that the following persons be recommended as Registrars of Vital Statistics for the various townships:

Bogue	Tecumseh Pierce
Bolton	Miss Bertha Long
Bug Hill	W. C. Stone
Gerro Gordo	I. L. Green
Chadbourn	M. F. Lowe
Fair Bluff	A. M. Anderson
Lees	Mrs. V. A. Marlowe
Ransom	J. L. Lennon
South Williams	R. T. Bruton
Tatum	Mrs. Vara Nance
Waccamaw	W. E. Stone
Welches Creek	H. S. High
Western Prong	Mrs. W. A. Baldwin
Whiteville	J. W. Worthington
Williams	Mrs. Clyde F. Stanley

On motion, meeting was adjourned until December 7th, 1940 at 2:00 o'clock P. M.

Approved:

A. W. Williamson  
Clerk

J. L. Robinson  
Chairman

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office December 7th, 1940 at 2:00 o'clock P. M. Members of the Board present:

- J. L. Robinson, Chairman
- W. L. Hobbs
- Bruce Pierce
- J. C. Stanley
- A. W. Williamson

Clerk

The following business was transacted.

On motion of A. W. Williamson, seconded by J. C. Stanley, it is ordered that S. C. Oliver and Bruce Pierce be appointed as a committee to value timber on 12 acres land at County Home which is to be cleared, and report their findings to the Board.