

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office December 1, 1947, it being first Monday.

Members of the Board present:

A.W. Williamson, Chairman

L. P. Ward

W.A. Weir

W.F. Floyd

Bud Stephens

Bertha L. Long, Clerk

The following business was transacted:

\$1,000,000.00 School Building Bonds

The Board of Commissioners for the County of Columbus, North Carolina, met in regular session at the County Court House in Whiteville, North Carolina, the regular place of meeting, at 10 o'clock A.M., December 1, 1947.

Presents: Chairman Arthur W. Williamson, and Commissioners L.P. Ward, W.A. Weir, W.F. Floyd and Bud Stephens.

Absent: None

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Commissioner L. P. Ward introduced the following resolution which was read:

RESOLUTION FIXING THE DETAILS AND FORM AND MANNER OF EXECUTION OF \$1,000,000 SCHOOL BUILDING BONDS

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

Section 1. That the Board of Commissioners has determined and does hereby find and declare:

(a) That an order authorizing \$1,000,000 school building bonds of Columbus County was finally passed on February 17, 1947, which order was approved by the vote of a majority of the qualified voters of said County who voted at an election duly called and held on March 25, 1947.

(b) That the period of the life of the school buildings to be erected, remodeled and enlarged, pursuant to said order, is estimated as a period of thirty years from February 17, 1948, being a date not later than one year after the final passage of said order, and that said period expires February 17, 1978.

Section 2. That for the purpose of providing the school improvements pursuant to said order, such school improvements being necessary in order to maintain the constitutional six months' school term, the negotiable coupon bonds of Columbus County shall be issued in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,000,000 consisting of 1,000 bonds of the denomination of \$1,000 each, dated December 1, 1947, maturing annually, June 1, \$18,000 1950 to 1954, \$20,000 1955 to 1959 and \$45,000 1960 to 1977, all inclusive, without option of prior payment, and bearing interest

at a rate or rates not exceeding 6% per annum to be determined by the Local Government Commission at the time the bonds are sold, which interest shall be payable semi-annually on the first days of June and December of each year, both the principal of and the interest on said bonds to be payable at The Chase National Bank of the City of New York in New York City, in any coin or currency of the United States of America which, at the respective dates of payment thereof, is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts.

Section 3. That said \$1,000,000 school building bonds may be issued from time to time in amounts as may be determined by resolution of the Board of Commissioners for the County of Columbus, and said bonds shall be designated "School Building Bonds, Series \_\_\_\_", the bonds to be issued at any one time to be designated by a different series letter.

Section 4. That said \$1,000,000 school building bonds shall be signed by the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners and the Clerk of said Board, under the corporate seal of the said Board, and the annexed interest Coupons shall be executed with the facsimile signature of said Clerk. Said bonds and coupons and the endorsements to be printed upon the reverse of said bonds shall be in substantially the following forms:

No. _____		\$1,000
	United States of America State of North Carolina	
	COUNTY OF COLUMBUS	
	<u>School Building Bond, Series .....</u>	

The County of Columbus, in the State of North Carolina, is justly indebted and for value received hereby promises to pay to the bearer or, if this bond be registered as to principal, to the registered owner hereof, on the first day of June, 19\*\*\_, the principal sum of

ONE THOUSAND DOLLARD

together with interest thereon at the rate of \_\_\_\_ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of June and December in each year, upon the presentation and surrender of the annexed interest coupons as they severally become due. Both the principal of and the interest on this bond are payable at The Chase National Bank of the City of New York in New York City in any coin or currency of the United States of America which, at the respective dates of payment thereof, is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts. ~~For the prompt payment~~ <sup>here of</sup> of public and private debts. For the prompt payment hereof, both principal and interest as the same shall become due, the full faith and credit of said County are hereby irrevocably pledged.

This bond is one of a series issued by said County, acting as an administrative agent of the State of North Carolina in providing a State system of public schools, for the purpose of erecting, remodeling and enlarging school buildings in order to maintain the constitutional six months' school term in said County, and this bond is issued under and pursuant to The County Finance Act, as amended,

Chapter 625 of the Session Laws of 1947, and the Local Government Act, as amended, and an order which was submitted to and approved by the vote of a majority of the qualified voters of said County voting at an election duly called and held, and resolutions duly passed by the Board of Commissioners of said County.

It is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things required to happen, exist and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this bond by the Constitution and laws of North Carolina, have happened, exist and have been performed in regular and due form and time as so required; that provision has been made for the levy and collection of a direct annual tax upon all taxable property within said County sufficient to pay the principal of and the interest on this bond as the same shall fall due; and that the total indebtedness of said County, including this bond, does not exceed any constitutional or statutory limitation thereon.

This bond may be registered as to principal alone in accordance with the provisions endorsed hereon.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said County of Columbus, by order of its Board of Commissioners, has caused this bond to be signed by the Chairman of said Board and by the Clerk of said Board, under the corporate seal of said Board, and has caused the annexed interest coupons to be executed with the facsimile signature of said Clerk, all as of the first day of December, 1947.

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Chairman, Board of Commissioners

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Clerk of Board of Commissioners

(ENDORSEMENTS ON BONDS)

This bond may be registered as to principal alone in the Bond Register of the County of Columbus, by the County Accountant as Bond Registrar, or by such other Bond Registrar as may be legally appointed by the governing body of said County, upon presentation hereof to the Bond Registrar who shall make notation of such registration in the registration blank below, and this bond may thereafter be transferred only upon a duly executed assignment of the registered owner or his attorney, such transfer to be made on such Bond Register and endorsed hereon by the Bond Registrar. Such transfer may be to bearer and thereby transferability by delivery shall be restored, but this bond shall again be subject to successive registrations and transfers as before. The principal of this bond, if registered, unless registered to bearer, shall be payable only to or upon the order of the registered owner or his legal representative. Notwithstanding the registration of this bond as to principal alone, the coupons shall remain payable to bearer and shall continue to be transferable by delivery.

<u>Date of Registration</u>	<u>Name of Registered Owner</u>	<u>Signature of Bond Registrar</u>
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The issuance of the within bond has been approved under the provisions of the Local Government Act of North Carolina.

W. E. EASTERLING  
Secretary, Local Government Commission

By.....  
Designated assistant

(Coupon)

No. \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

On \_\_\_\_\_ 1, 19 \_\_\_\_\_

the County of Columbus, North Carolina, will pay to bearer at The Chase National Bank of the City of New York in New York City the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars in any coin or currency of the United States of America which at the time of payment is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts, as provided in and for the semiannual interest then due on its School Building Bond, Series \_\_\_\_\_, dated December 1, 1947, numbered \_\_\_\_\_.

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Clerk of Board of Commissioners.

Section 5. That said bonds shall be registerable as to principal alone in accordance with the provisions for registration hereinabove in this resolution provided to be endorsed upon said bonds, and the County Accountant is hereby designated Bond Registrar for the purpose of such registration, subject to the right of this body hereafter to designate another registrar. No charge shall be made to any bondholder for the privilege of registration herein granted.

Upon motion of Commissioner L.P. Ward, seconded by Commissioner W.F. Floyd, the foregoing resolution entitled " Resolution fixing the details and form and manner of execution of \$1,000,000 school building bonds", was passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Commissioner L.P. Ward, W.A. Weir, W.F. Floyd, Bud Stephens and Arthur W. Williamson.

Noes: None

And thereupon Commissioner L. P. Ward introduced the following resolution which was read:

RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE  
OF \$315,000 SCHOOL BUILDING BONDS,  
SERIES A

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

Section 1. That the Board of Commissioners has determined and does hereby find and declare:

(a) That on December 1, 1947 the Board of Commissioners of the County of Columbus passed a resolution fixing the details and form and manner of execution of \$1,000,000 school building bonds authorized by an order finally passed on February 17, 1947.

(b) That no bonds have been issued pursuant to said resolution or order, and that it is necessary that Columbus County, acting as an administrative agent of the State in providing a State system of public schools, issue at this time \$315,000 of said \$1,000,000 School building bonds.

Section 2. That there shall be issued \$315,000 of said \$1,000,000 school building bonds, which \$315,000 bonds shall be designated "School Building Bonds, Series A", shall consist of 315 bonds of the denomination of \$1,000 each, numbered 1 to 315, inclusive, and said bonds shall mature annually, June 1, in numerical order, lowest numbers first, \$6,000 1950 to 1954, \$7,000 1955 to 1959, all inclusive \$10,000 1960, \$12,000 1961 to 1965 and \$15,00 1966 to 1977, all inclusive, without option of prior payment.

Section 3. That the application of the County Auditor to request the Local Government Commission to advertise and sell said \$315,000 School Building Bonds, Series A, be and the same is hereby ratified.

Upon motion of Commissioner L. P. Ward, Seconded by Commissioner W.F. Floyd, the foregoing resolution entitled "Resolution providing for the issuance of \$315,000 School Building Bonds, Series A," was passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Commissioners L. P. Ward, W.F. Floyd, Arthur W. Williamson, W.A. Weir and Bud Stephens.

Noes: None.

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Ordered: that W.D. Brooks County Auditor, be authorized to release excess securities held for the protection of County funds on deposit in the Waccamaw Bank and Trust Company, Whiteville, N.C., and by the First National Bank of Whiteville, Whiteville, N.C.

Ordered: that license to retail beer under the Beverage Control Act of 1935, as amended, be granted to:

Ida Scipio	Chadbourn, N.C.
Jim Todd	Chadbourn, N.C.
James Cotroukis	Whiteville, N.C.
Jim Best	Whiteville, N.C.
Carrie Mae Jones	Whiteville, N.C.

Ordered: that Lewis Moise, Waccamaw Township, be allowed to settle 1935 and 1936 Tax of S.A. Lewis, at par plus 10% flat and one-half Court Cost.

It is ordered that all tax listing be separated into three divisions, that is, white, colored and Indian in accordance with the statement of race given at time of listing, <sup>and</sup> that in preparing the tax scroll and receipts therefrom, that each division be alphabetically and separately arranged. This to be done without in any way attempting to determine the correctness of said listing or in any way determining the race of any individual, but solely on the statement of each taxpayer, and solely for the purpose of more conveniently locating said records.

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Road leading from Norwood White's  
or White's Crossing to Poley Bridge Church.  
A distance of approximately 6 miles.

North Carolina  
County of Columbus

Request For Addition

of

State Maintained County Road System

WHEREAS, the attached petition has been filed with the Board of County Commissioners of the county of Columbus requesting that the above described road, the location of which has been indicated in red on the attached map, be added to the system of county roads now maintained by the State Highway and Public Works Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners, after careful investigation, deems the proposed addition of said road to the County Road System and its maintenance by the State Highway and Public Works Commission necessary to adequately serve the citizens of said county.

NOW, THEREFORE, the State Highway and Public Works Commission is requested to take said road over for maintenance and the addition of said road and revisions in location deemed necessary by the State Highway and Public Works Commission are hereby approved.

Ordered: that County Employees be given the 25, 26 and 27th of December for Christmas Holidays and also New Years Day.

Ordered: that W. H. Britt of Evergreen, N.C. be appointed County Farmer at a salary of \$100.00 per Month.

Ordered: that Cato Caesar, Cerro Gordo Township, 1935 and 1936 Taxes be allowed settled at par plus 10% flat and one half the court cost and non-suit be taken.

Ordered: that an extra typist be allowed in the Clerk of Courts office with salary not to exceed \$130.00 per month.

Ordered: that Robert D. Kelly, Ransom Township, 1947 Tax valuation of \$1500.00 be reduced to \$1000.00 and that he granted a General County Fund Voucher reimbursing him on \$500.00 Valuation.

Ordered: that the Whiteville Gas Company, Whiteville Township, 1947 Tax valuation be reduced \$560.00 and that the Tax Collector be given a refund for this amount.

Ordered: that P.W. Davis, Whiteville Township, 1937 tax be allowed paid at par plus 10% flat.

Ordered: that the County Hospital reimburse the County for insurance paid by the County and the Hospitalization checks Nos. 137 for \$522.00 and Check no. 144 for \$202.00 be released to the County Hospital.

Ordered: that the Financial Statement of the Columbus County Hospital, as of the January Audit, be printed in the News Reporter and Columbus County News.

Ordered: that a check for \$59.19 be accepted in full payment of account of B. L. Martin former Tax Collector.

Ordered: that J.T. Wooten, Chadbourn Township 1947 tax valuation of \$9097 be reduced to \$6097 and that the tax collector be granted a refund on \$3000.00 valuation.

On Motion of Commissioner W.F. Floyd and seconded by Commissioner Bud Stephens, it is ordered, that Arthur W. Williamson be elected Chairman of the Board for the ensuing twelve months. Arthur W. Williamson was elected by unanimous vote and sworn in as Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners.

Ordered: that Carl Meares be allowed to settle Dan Durden taxes in Cerro Gordo Twp, for the years 1933,1935,1936 and 1937, by paying the amount of the tax plus 10% flat penalty and one-half of the court cost; and to pay the 1941 tax plus all penalties; and the 1930 tax of Dan Durden in Cerro Gordo Township, is hereby segregated so that Carl Meares may pay all of said tax, less the tax on \$1200 valuation which is on land sold to J.W. Green, and upon the Payment of all of the tax, less this amount, the 40 acres owned by Carl Meares is hereby released.

Ordered: that the following persons be appointed Tax Listers in the following Townships:

Bogue	Tecumseh Pierce	Hallsboro, N.C.
Bolton	Edison Herren	Bolton, N.C.
Bug Hill	Clifford W. Clubb	Tabor City, N.C.
Cerro Gordo	Mrs. Hugh Nance	Cerro Gordo, N.C.
Chadbourn	R.A. Meares	Chadbourn, N.C.
Fair Bluff	Mrs. D.E. Parrish	Fair Bluff, N.C.
Lees	Austin C. Coleman	Makna, N.C.
Ransom	L.V. Connor	Delco, N.C.
Tatum	Raymond Kissam	Evergreen, N.C.
Waccamaw	Mrs. J.C. Nye	Bolton, N.C.
Welches Creek	Mrs. A. H. Sessions	Whiteville, N.C.
Western Prong	W. Alex Baldwin	Clarkton, N.C.
Williams	S.B. Ward	Whiteville, N.C.
South Williams	J. P. Brown	Tabor City, N.C.
Whiteville	D. O. Hinson	Whiteville, N.C.

Ordered: that the Chairman and Clerk be authorized to sign Bond Interest and Redemption Fund Voucher in the amount of \$12,238.63 to pay the follow Debt Service Due January 1, 1948:

\$59,000	7-1-25	School Fdg	- 4 3/4%	Interest	\$ 1,401.25
				Exchange	3.50
24,500	7-1-25	Road & Br	- 4.3/4%	Interest	581.87
				Exchange	1.45
400,000	1-1-27	Road	- 5%	Interest	10,000.00
				Exchange	25.00
12,000	7-1-37	County Home	- 3 3/4%	Interest	225.00
				Exchange	.56
					\$12,238.63

Ordered: that Lula Gomez and J.V. Smith, Whiteville Township, be allowed to pay the full amount of their taxes plus penalties and non-suit be taken and no cost charged.

Ordered: that the tax listed in the name of R.F. Faulk, Bug Hill Township, for the year 1931 be segregated so that L.L. Faulk may pay the tax on 8 acres of this land and that said 8 acres be valued at \$100.00 and be released from the tax lien upon payment of the tax on this valuation plus one-half court cost and one-half of the poll tax.

Ordered: that the tax listed in the name of J.E. Holcomb, Whiteville Township for the year 1936 be cancelled and the tax collector granted a refund as this tax was listed through error.

Ordered that the tax listed in the name of James Williams, Tatum Township, for the years 1937, 1938, 1940, and 1947 be segregated so that upon the payment of one-half of the total amount of same including penalties and costs, that the lien of the county for said years on the 23 acres of Mincey land will be released provided, however, that all of the remaining balance of the 1939 tax is paid.

Ordered: that Jesse Arp, Whiteville Township., be allowed to pay his 1947 tax without late listing penalty, and that the tax collector be granted a refund in the amount of \$6.01 as this was an error in the tax Supervisor's Office.

Ordered: that the following General County bills be allowed and paid.( 478 thru 639)

E. K. Proctor	To November Salary	- County Attorney	110.00
Venie H. Rouse	"	- Asst Tax Supervisor	152.40
Joanne Baldwin	"	- Assisting Tax Collector	144.50
Mary W. Cook	"	-	111.40
R.B. Mallard	"	- Tax Attorney	160.40
H, D. Stanley	"	- Sheriff	302.50
W. H. Bullard	"	- Assisting Sheriff & Travel	262.40
Mack Canady	"	-	245.00
L.R. Wayne	"	-	245.00
Herace Shaw	"	- Fingerprint Expert & Travel	238.70
Richard D. Auger	"	- Asst Auditor	189.20
W.D. Brooks	"	- County Auditor & Travel	369.12
Bertha Long	"	- Assisting Auditor	166.20
A. M. Auger	"	- Janitor	138.70
Lee L. Fisher	"	- Register of Deeds	281.50
Anna Belle Lane	"	- Assisting Register of Deeds	157.30
Linda H. Dudley	"	-	99.10
Mrs. Gee C. Greene Jr.	"	-	112.90
Gladys G. Wooten	"	-	121.80
Annie Lou Cewan	"	- County Home Keeper	\$121.80
Jane Bass	"	- Worker At County Home	55.00
Iris Little	"	-	38.50
Johnsie R. Nunn	"	- Welfare Offices and Travel	305.40
Lecta H. Hodges	"	- Caseworker's Aid and Travel	163.04
Alice S. Wright	"	- Caseworker & Travel	192.48
Margaret Lee McDaniel	"	- Assisting Welfare Officer	107.10
Mrs. Richard E. Weaver	"	-	148.80
A.E. Powell, Postmaster	"	- Postage - Welfare Office	30.00
J.P. Quinerly	"	- Asst Farm Agent	120.55
Carrie Lou H. Stone	"	- Assisting Farm Agent	65.90
C.D. Raper	"	- County Farm Agent	162.06
Nan E. Ratliff	"	- Home Dem Agent	94.80
Ocia B. Britt	"	- Assisting A.A.A.	45.00
Kyard Brown	"	-	15.00
Dorothy D. Spivey	"	-	45.00
Mrs. Allyn Smith	"	-	30.00
Thurston Fermy Duval Jr.	"	- Service Officer	197.90
Columbus County Library Fd.	"	- Monthly Appropriation	200.00
Mabel B. Townsend	"	- Asst C.S.C.	181.00
Iris Werrell	"	- Assisting C.S.C.	126.60
Lee J. Greer	"	- Clerk of Superior Court etc	311.10
W.E. Harrelson	"	- Judge of Recorders Court	183.10
Joe W. Brown	"	- Prosecuting Attorney (520)	160.40



First Nat'l Bk of Whiteville	- To Withholding Tax - Nov 1947	473.80
Tupelo Dimension Mfg Co	- To Overpaid Taxes - Bug Hill Twp.	22.32
L. P. Ward, Chm	- To Board meeting & Mileage	6.60
A.W. Williamson	- "	6.50
W.F. Floyd	- "	5.00
W.A. Weir	- "	6.20
Bud Stephens	- "	6.70
Lois F. Lewis	- To 4 days assisting Tax Supervisor	16.00
The News Reporter Co., Inc	- To Oct Accounts	293.25
W.C. Gore	- To Capturing 1 Whiskey Still	5.00
W.S. Darley & Co	- To Strait Jacket & Postage	14.34
Storr Engraving Co	- To Accounts	49.10
Cascade Paper Co	- To 3 cs Toilet Tissue	28.14
Jos C. Shepard	- To November Account	23.30
C.S. Herring	- "	21.45
Mrs. Vernon Hardie	- To 24 days assisting Register of Deeds	96.00
Mitchell Printing Co	- To November Account - Register of Deeds	4.79
Burkhead-DeVane Ptg Co	- " " (538)	60.39
A.E. Powell, Postmaster	- To 2,000 Stamped Envelopes & Stamps	74.76
H. Hugh Nance	- To Inquests & Investigations - Renald Leach	37.75
Paul B. Avant	- To Inquest - Worth Cribb	19.50
Effie Mae Britten	- To clerical Assistance - Worth Cribb	10.00
Ray Williamson	- To Enquest - Renald Leach	5.00
Wyatt Rouse	- "	5.00
Walter Hooks	- "	5.00
George D. Warren Jr	- "	5.00
W.H. Stephens	- "	5.00
John Andersen	- "	5.00
Monroe Enzer	- To Inquest - Worth Cribb	5.00
Joe Minton	- "	5.00
Majer Dudney	- "	5.00
W.A. Bracey	- "	5.00
Steve A. Edmund	- "	5.00
Byron Meares	- "	5.00
N.C. Dept of Conser & Dvlp	- To Monthly Appropriation	284.74
Schulken's	- To October Account	18.90
Pierce & Co	- To Nails	1.35
J.E. Thompson & Co	- To Lumber	129.92
Richard D. Auger	- Mileage to Fayetteville - Repair C. Home	10.00
Columbus Cold Storage Co	- To Locker Service	44.89
Yarborough Exterminating Co	- To Services rendered - October	7.00
State Commission For the Blind	- To Monthly Appropriation	133.95
Caswell Training School	- To Christmas Donation	10.00
Thurston Formy Duval Jr.	- Reimbursements	16.89
Worth Reporting Co	- Court Reporter	150.00
Lacy Long	- Court Officer 3 Weeks	72.50
E.D. Ward	- To Grand Jury Officer	21.50
W. H. Bullard	- To conveying prisoners to Raleigh - Carl Prince etal	18.00
John M. Strong	- Subscription to Advance sheets - Reports	7.50
Thad Eure	- To 75 Volumes of N.C. Reports	168.88
D.M. Fipps	- To Conveying D. Lewis from T.C. to Jail	2.80
Columbus Telephone Co	- To Telephone Account	99.28
Andrew J. Britt	- To Commissions on Tax Collections	68.05
Dure Test Corporation	- To Light Bulbs - Tax Office	11.48
Vineland Ice Co	- To November Account	8.25
Tide Water Power Co	- To Light Account	89.36
J.C. Lennon	- To November Account	290.55
Rosier Williams	- To November Support of Jail	505.80
R.J. Shackelford	- To Labor - Repairs at Jail & C. Home	130.00
Rosier Williams	- To Advance on " "	30.00
Whiteville Building Supplies	- To Material - Jail	2.25
W.G. Spaulding	- To October Account	5.25
Leder Bros	- To Account	86.58
Whiteville Plumbing Co	- To Repairs to plumbing (584)	143.18
Whiteville Cabinet Works	- To Door - County Home	20.00
Electric Mtr & Repair Co	- To rewind Motor at County Home	12.20
Columbus Cold Storage Co	- To Nov Account	9.51
Worth Reporting Co	- To Services as Court Reporter	75.00
J.D. Harrison, Agent	- To Underwood Typewriter ribbons	5.80
Storr Engraving Co	- To Nov Account - C.S.C.	43.56
Columbus County News	- " "	104.50
Thomas Stanley	- To Repairs - Jail	6.90
E.K. Procter	- To December Salary - County Attorney	110.00
Venie H. Rouse	- " - Asst Tax Supervisor	152.40
James Baldwin	- " - Assisting T.C.	144.50
Mary W. Cook	- " - " "	111.40
R.B. Mallard	- " - Tax Attorney	160.40
H.D. Stanley	- " - Sheriff	302.50
W. H. Bullard	- " - Assisting Sheriff-travel	262.40
Mack Canady	- " - " "	245.00
L.R. Wayne	- " - " "	245.00
Herace Shaw	- " - Fingerprint Expert "	238.70
Richard D. Auger	- " - Asst County Auditor	189.20

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Anna Belle Lane	"	- Assisting Register of Deeds	157.30
Linda H. Dudley	"	"	99.10
Mrs. Geo C. Greene Jr	"	"	112.90
Gladys G. Wooten	"	"	121.80
Annie Lou Cowan	"	- County Home Keeper	121.80
Jane Bass	"	- Worker at County Home	55.00
Iris Little	"	"	38.50
W. H. Britt	"	- County Farmer	120.00
Johnsie R. Nunn	"	- Welfare Officer	240.00
Leota H. Hedges	"	- Caseworker's Aid	140.00
Margaret Lee McDaniel	"	- Assisting Welfare Officer	107.10
Mrs. Richard E. Weaver	"	"	148.80
A.E. Powell, Postmaster	"	- To Postage - Welfare Office	30.00
J.P. Quinerly	"	- Asst Farm Agent	120.55
Carrie Lou H. Stone	"	- Assisting Farm Agent	65.90
C.D. Raper	"	- County Farm Agent	162.06
Nan E. Ratliff	"	- Home Dem Agent	94.80
Ocia B. Britt	"	- Assisting A.A.A.	45.00
Kyard Brown	"	"	15.00
Dorothy D. Spivey	"	"	45.00
Mrs. Allyn Smith	"	"	30.00
Thursten Ferny Duval Jr.	"	- Service Officer	197.90
Columbus County Library Fund	"	- Monthly Appropriation	200.00
Mabel B. Townsend	"	- Asst C.S.C.	181.00
Iris Worrell	"	- Assisting C.S.C.	126.60
Lee J. Greer	"	- Clerk of S. Court etc	311.10
W.E. Harrelson	"	- Judge of Recorders Court	183.10
Joe W. Brown	"	- Prosecuting Atty	160.40
First Nat'l Bk of Whiteville		To Withholding Tax Dec 1947	458.50
<del>W.A. Williams</del>		To Fertilizer Account	53.50
R.J. Shackelford		To Labor at County Home	170.00
Peggy Inman		To December Salary - Assisting C.S.C	92.40

Ordered: that the following refunds be granted. (Nos. 448 thru 475)

L.E. Inman	To Adjust as per order of Board 11-31-47	1947 Tax	39.00
Charlie Lennen	"	1947 Tax	29.25
Harry Lee Hardee	"	1947 Tax	9.75
Harry F. Lennen	To Cancel as per order of Board 11-3-47	1939 Tax	2.45
"	"	1940 Tax	2.45
"	"	1941 Tax	3.00
Andrew O. Shipman	"	1947 Tax	3.00
J.D. Raben Heirs	To adjust as per order of Board 11-3-47	1946 Tax	1.22
"	"	1947 Tax	1.72
Jesse Arp	To Cancel as per order of Board 12-1-47	1947 Tax	6.01
J.E. Helcomb	"	1936 Tax	32.88
J.T. Wooten	To adjust as per order of Board 12-1-47	1947 Tax	58.50
Whiteville Gas Co	"	1947 Tax	10.92
Leonard Carter	"	"	34.15
Joe Hufford	To Cancel as per order of Board 1-5-48	1941 "	13.18
Mrs. Isham Hinson	"	1942 "	6.61
"	"	1943 "	6.61
"	"	1944 "	6.61
Lula B. Hamer	"	1928 "	8.68
"	"	1929 "	8.13
"	"	1930 "	9.03
"	"	1931 "	3.83
"	"	1932 "	4.64
"	"	1933 "	3.15
"	"	1934 "	3.95
"	"	1935 "	4.59
"	"	1936 "	3.87
"	"	1937 "	6.32

Ordered: that the County Jail be insured.

Ordered: that a Sweet Potato Expert be employed for Columbus County and that the county be charged with one-fourth of his salary, that amount being \$900.00 and to be included and paid from the 1948-49 Budget Appropriation.

In Belton on Highway 74 to clear highway ditches leading from Belton school and vicinity to prevent water backing up on School grounds and into place of business operated by G.C. Britt.

North Carolina  
County of Columbus

Request For Improvement  
of  
State Maintained Road.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Columbus has investigated the condition of the above described road which is now a part of the system of roads maintained by the State Highway and Public Works Commission, and which is indicated in red on the attached map; and

WHEREAS, after careful consideration of the services rendered by said road and the traffic demands of said county, it is deemed necessary that said road be improved in order to better serve the interests of the people of this county.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved, and the Board of County Commissioners hereby approve and request that the State Highway and Public Works Commission make the following improvements in the above described road:

Ordered: that the sheriff summons the following good and lawful men and ~~women~~ to serve as jurors at the January Term of Recorders Court, 1948,

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|---------------------|-------------------|
| Jeel G. White       | Whiteville, N.C.  |
| Ireland McQueen     | Whiteville, N.C.  |
| J. Lewis Burchette  | Hallsboro, N.C.   |
| Sam C. Gore         | Whiteville, N.C.  |
| Charlie E. Waddell  | Fair Bluff, N.C.  |
| Sidney Scott        | Tabor City, N.C.  |
| W.B. Ethridge       | Whiteville, N.C.  |
| Vanuel Strickland   | Cerre Gorde, N.C. |
| Charlie Simmons Jr  | Clarendon, N.C.   |
| Dennis T. McKee     | Whiteville, N.C.  |
| Reanoke Strickland  | Tabor City, N.C.  |
| Delmar Hooks        | Whiteville, N.C.  |
| Copeland Jernigan   | Tabor City, N.C.  |
| Douglas Miller      | Cerre Gorde, N.C. |
| T.A. Tyner          | Whiteville, N.C.  |
| Irvin Williamson    | Chadbourn, N.C.   |
| C.M. Larrimore      | Nakina, N.C.      |
| R. I. Norris        | Tabor City, N.C.  |
| W.B. Tuten          | Chadbourn, N.C.   |
| Otto Edwards        | Chadbourn, N.C.   |
| Bronnie Bullard     | Cerre Gorde, N.C. |
| Archie Kinly McLean | Cerre Gorde, N.C. |
| Wilton Faulk        | Chadbourn, N.C.   |
| Isham Nobles        | Cerre Gorde, N.C. |
| Bennett White       | Chadbourn, N.C.   |

Upon motion meeting was adjourned until Monday January 5, 1948

Approved:

Bertha L. Long  
Clerk

Arthur W. Williamson  
Chairman