

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office, Feb. 6, 1950, it being first Monday.

The following business was transacted; with the following members present:

W. A. Weir, Chairman  
 W. F. Floyd  
 Bud Stephens  
 D. H. Jordan  
 J. T. Wooten, Jr.                      Alice S. Burns, Clerk

Ordered: that the Chairman of the Board contact the headquarters office of the Carolina Telephone and Telegraph Co. relative to the emergency situation of securing telephone service for the County Health Dept. and County Welfare Office.

Ordered: that Preston Melton, Cerro Gordo Township, be exempt poll tax because of physical disability.

Ordered: that \$5.00 monthly relief be allowed Polly Strickland for Barbee Strickland for a six months period.

Ordered: that Burris Evans, R-3, Whiteville, be allowed \$5.00 present relief.

Ordered: that resignation of Miss Nan Ratliff, County Home Demonstration Agent, be accepted, effective March 1st.

Ordered: that Miss Elaine Noble, Asst. Home Dem. Agt. of New Hanover County, be appointed to succeed Miss Nan Ratliff with duties to begin April 1st.

Ordered: that upon recommendation of the Welfare Dept. Willie A. White be admitted to the County Boarding Home at the expense of the County and that he be removed from the Outdoor Poor list.

Ordered: that a refund of \$2.00 be made to Mrs. Mattie Britt, Tatum Township, as this woman was charged poll tax through error.

Ordered: that a refund of \$2.00 be made to Claude A. Hooks, as he was charged poll tax in Chadbourn and Whiteville Township for 1949.

Ordered: that Curtis Fowler, Williams Township, be granted a refund on \$1,089 valuation on 1948 tax and on \$1,069 valuation 1949 tax as this was J. W. Peay land and was listed through error to Curtis Fowler.

Ordered: that Walter Shaw, Tatum Township, be granted a refund on \$80.00 valuation for the years 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, & 1949 in the amount of \$6.76 as this amount of valuation was listed to him through error.

Ordered: that C. L. Duncan, Whiteville Township, be granted refund on \$200.00 valuation for pick up which was double listed to Charles Duncan in 1949.

Ordered: that valuation on Charles V. Fipps, Chadbourn Township, for 1949 be reduced \$950 and that tax collector be granted release for \$17.57 as this was an error in listing.

ROAD PETITIONS

1. Township - Fair Bluff. Road runs from Ellis Devine Meares on Waller Road to E. W. Jenkins Farm and is known as Edmunds Road.
2. Township - Whiteville. Road runs from M. C. Wray's filling station on Old Whiteville - Lumberton Road to Prong Chapel Church on Clarkton - Chadbourn Road.
3. Township - Tatum. Road runs from Highway 74 to Macedonia Road.
4. Township - Williams. Road runs from Leon McPherson - Leave old Clarendon Road at Leon McPherson then runs north leading back toward Peacock road.
5. Township - Tatum. Road runs from Highway 74 by Evergreen Baptist Church to Highway (Cerro Gordo to Bladenboro) and is known as Benson Street.
6. Road leading from "The Mill's Settlement" to the State maintained road at Cheerful Hope Baptist Church, a distance of 5/10 of a mile.
7. Begins at a point a short distance west of John H. Jacobs' blacksmith shop on the Shiloh & Bolton Road, and running thence a northerly course and comes out to the Wide Awake School Building which is on the road leading from Highway 211 to East Arcadia.

NORTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF COLUMBUS

REQUEST FOR ADDITION  
TO  
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 the Chairman And Clerk be authorized to sign Bond Interest & Redemption Fund Voucher in the amount of \$592.73 to pay Debt Service due March 1, 1950, as follows:

\$18,000	3/1/39	County Hospital	3½%	Interest	\$315.00
				Exchange	.79
17,000	3/1/39	" "	3¼%	Interest	276.25
				Exchange	.69
					592.73

Ordered: that the following general county bills be allowed and paid:

E. K. Proctor	Jan.	Salary - County Attorney	\$ 110.00
Venie H. Rouse	"	Asst. Tax Supervisor	165.60
Mary W. Cook	"	Assisting Tax Collector	157.30
Elizabeth N. Worley	"	"	145.00
R. B. Mallard	"	Tax Attorney	165.00
H. D. Stanley	"	Sheriff	333.33
Mack Canady	"	Assisting Sheriff & Travel	275.00
L. R. Wayne	"	"	275.00
C. B. Martin	"	"	262.30
Horace Shaw	"	Fingerprint Expert & Travel	287.30
Carl Saaser	"	Radio Operator	35.00
Brooks Ward	"	"	35.00
W. D. Brooks	"	Tax Collector, Auditor, etc. & Travel	566.70
Alice S. Burns	"	Asst. Auditor	199.60
A. M. Auger	"	Janitor	142.70
Leo L. Fisher	"	Register of Deeds	303.63
Anna Belle Lane	"	Assisting Register of Deeds	176.30
Linda H. Dudley	"	"	114.50
Etha Lee Green	"	"	133.50
Gladys G. Wooten	"	"	144.20
Alice S. Wright	"	Acting Welfare Officer & Mileage	240.56
Hiawatha J. Lupo	"	Caseworker Asst. & mileage	246.98
Tommy Hardwick	"	"	222.82
Mary S. Best	"	"	191.42
Margaret Lee McDaniel	"	Assisting Welfare Officer	135.90
Mrs. Richard E. Weaver	"	"	169.90
J. P. Quinerly	"	Asst. Farm Agt.	124.05
Carrie Lou H. Stone	"	Assisting Farm Agt.	59.50
C. D. Raper	"	County Agt.	166.66
Nan E. Ratliff	"	Home Dem. Agt.	106.30
Ruby Gayle Wells	"	Asst. Home Dem. Agt.	93.10
Dorothy D. Spivey	"	Assisting A. A. A.	80.00
Mrs. Allyn Smith	"	"	45.00
Thurston Formy Duval, Jr.	"	Service Officer	216.60
Columbus County Library Fund	"	Monthly Appropriation	200.00
Jewel Dunivant	"	Asst. C. S. C.	195.10
Peggy Inman	"	Assisting C. S. C.	150.00
Betty Gray "all	"	"	123.30
Lee J. Greer	"	Clerk of Superior Court, etc.	341.93
W. E. Harrelson	"	Judge of Recorders Court	188.40
Richard E. Weaver	"	Prosecuting Attorney	148.50
Burkhead-DeVane Printing Co.	"	To tax scrolls	299.90
Robeson Office Supplies	"	To account for Tax Collector (931)	2.50
Monroe Calculating Machine Co., Inc.	"	To maintenance agreement	11.00
Joe C. Canady	"	To capturing 1 whiskey still	5.00
William Rogers	"	To capturing 3 whiskey stills	15.00
J. C. Canady	"	To capturing 2 whiskey stills	10.00
Owen G. Dunn Co.	"	To account	113.27
Cecil H. Jarrett Co., Inc.	"	To account for Courthouse	47.79
Town of Whiteville	"	To water account for Courthouse	10.25
Gore Sporting Goods Co.	"	To account for Courthouse	9.20
Keys Printing Co. 2	"	To account for Register of Deeds	18.32
Keys Printing Co.	"	"	26.48
State of N. C. Dept. of Conservation & Development	"		351.83
James H. Anderson Co.	"	To account for County Jail	65.50
W. B. Hobbs & Son	"	To account for County Home	34.00
Maryland Coal and Coke Co.	"	To account for County Home	383.27
H. G. Reeves, Agt.	"	To freight on coal for County Home	222.95
Best Transfer	"	To hauling coal for County Home	87.65
Whiteville Plumbing Co.	"	To account for County Home	122.00
W. H. Britt	"	To 1 wk. service as County Farmer	25.00

Universal Equipment Co., Inc.	To account	\$ 210.40
Mrs. Alice Wright	To reimbursement	1.66
Nan Ratliff	To reimbursement	2.87
Thurston Formy Duval, Jr.	To reimbursement	17.50
Worth Reporting Co.	To services as Court Reporter (955)	200.00
Lacy Long	To Court Officer for 2 wks	75.00
Ralph T. Beason	To account for Bond for Clerk of Court	150.00
MacDaniel-Boice Ins. Agency, Inc.	To account for Bond for Asst. G.S.C.	75.00
L. R. Watson	To conveying prisoners	5.60
R. A. Miller	To Special Attorney Fee (960)	100.00
News Reporter Co.,	To account	244.40
Lois F. Lewis	To 7 days work on tax books	31.50
Venie H. Rouse	To mileage	35.77
L. R. Wayne	To capturing 2 whiskey stills	10.00
Frank T. Wooten Insurance	To insurance for Courthouse	84.00
Tide Water Power Co.	To account	154.01
Raleigh Office Supply Co.	To account for Register of Deeds	4.89
Storr Sales Co.	To account	32.46
Mitchell Printing Co.	To account	43.78
Owen G. Dunn	To account	45.76
Edwards & Broughton	To account	65.79
H. Hugh Nance	Coroners investigations	136.70
Margaret Lee McDaniel	To typing for Coroner's Jury	7.50
Mrs. R. E. Weaver	To typing for Coroner's Jury	10.00
A. R. Carter	To Coroner's Jury	5.00
H. G. McQueen	"	5.00
James Wallace	"	5.00
Johnnie Green	"	5.00
Alva Cole	"	5.00
Bobby Hammond	"	5.00
Hubert Meares	"	5.00
Edwin Hammond	"	5.00
Paul Nance	"	5.00
Jack Babbit	"	5.00
L. C. Bonkemeyer, Jr.	"	5.00
T. H. Keller	"	5.00
Rosier Williams	To Jan. Support of Jail	904.80
Floyd-Barkley	To coal for County Home Bldg.	30.40
Tommy Hardwick	To reimbursement	2.35
Hiawatha J. Lupo	"	1.10
Mrs. Anne N. Talbott	To Welfare Board Meetings and Mileage	5.20
C. L. Tate	"	5.70
Mrs. M. L. Stancil	To care of baby in Boarding Home	40.00
Ed Ward	To Grand Jury Officer	19.50
Lacy Long	To Court Officer	37.50
Commercial Printing Co., Inc.	To account for Clerk of Court	7.23
Raleigh Office Supply Co.	To account for Clerk of Court	.62
Worth Printing Co.	"	4.00
Carolina Telephone & Telegraph Co.	" for Jan. (999)	5.15
Carolina Typewriter Service	To account for Clerk of Court	9.00
Annie Pearl Hardie	To 26 days clerical work in Register of Deeds	107.70
Mrs. Ambrose Bullard	To Jan. Salary - Assisting Welfare Officer	135.90
First National Bank of Whiteville	To Jan. Withholding Tax	464.00
News Reporter Co.	To account for Tax Supervisor	7.20
Columbus County News	To account	104.90
Orkin Exterminating Co.	To account	26.00
Mrs. Annie Lou Cowan	To Jan. Support of Inmates	382.50
State Commission for the Blind	To appropriation	200.00
L. R. Wayne	To conveying prisoners	18.00
Burns Bros. Building Contractors	To repair for County Home	80.16
The News Reporter Co.	To account for Welfare Dept.	6.65
A. E. Powell, Postmaster	To stamps for Sheriff Dept.	5.00
J. C. Lennon	To account	52.65
H. L. Shaw	To conveying prisoner	39.10
A. E. Powell, Postmaster	To stamps for Welfare Dept.	30.00
State Hospital at Goldsboro	To clothes for Indigent	2.50
W. A. Weir, Chairman	To Board Meetings and Mileage	12.40
D. H. Jordan	"	14.60
J. T. Wooten, Jr.	"	5.70
W. F. Floyd	"	10.00
Bud Stephens	"	13.40
Whiteville Plumbing Co.	To account	176.10
E.E. Nye	To capturing 1 whiskey still	5.00
Carolina Telephone & Telegraph Co.	To account	83.93
Carolina Telephone & Telegraph Co.	To account	4.70
Insolvents		37.95
Outdoor Poor		84.50

On motion the meeting was adjourned until Monday,

March 6, 1950.

Approved:

Oliver L. Burns  
Clerk

W. W. Stein  
Chair man