

The Honorable Board of Commissioners met August 1, 1955 at 10 A. M. according to adjournment.

Members of the Board Present:

L. P. Ward, Chariman

L. P. Stephens

Lacy R. Thompson

Charles R. Council

Josephine F. Ray, Clerk

Business Transacted:

Ordered: That Miss Dorothy Mae Fields be hired as Asst. County Home Dem. Agent effective August 16, 1955 at a salary of \$50.00 per month as set up in 1955-56 Budget.

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Ordered: That the Board approve the appointment of Mrs Hoyt L. Reel, P. O. Box 5271, State College Station, Raleigh, N. C., as court reporter. Expenses as provided by the Amendment amending Article II, chapter 7 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, being Senate Bill 542, 1955 Session Laws of N. C.

Ordered: That Alice S. Burns be paid one months salary for vacation and additional help in office.

Ordered: That County carry the expense of the T. B. Mobile Unit not to exceed \$1,700.00.

Ordered: That the Bond of Josephine F. Ray be approved as stands.

Ordered: That the Bond of Clinton Nye be approved as stands.

Ordered: That the voting machines purchased on trial January 4, 1954 for the primary election be returned to the company.

Ordered: That lands listed in the name of Curtis Long in Lees Township as 29 acres Herman Lee be reduced to \$290.00 and that the Tax Collector be given a release on \$500.00 valuation for the years 1953, 1954 and 1955, with penalties.

Ordered: That W. A. Weir be appointed to serve as Purchasing agent for the county.

Ordered: The the following be declared as legal holidays for county workers:

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|---------------|---|
| New Years     | Armistice                               |
| Easter Monday | Thanksgiving                            |
| Memorial Day  | Christmas Holidays to be fixed annually |
| July 4th      |   |
| Labor Day     |   |

ROAD PETITIONS

1. Ramson Township - Road runs from Old Union Church to Highway in front of Robert Kelly and is known as Lope Road.
2. Whiteville Township - Road runs from Highway 701 and connects new bypass alt. 701.

Ordered: That the Sheriff summon the following lawful men and women to serve as jurors at the September Term of Court 1955:

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|----------------|---------------------|------------------|
| <u>Sept. 6</u> | C. A. Farley, Jr.   | Hallsboro        |
|                | Benjamin Neal Wyche | Hallsboro        |
|                | Ernest D. Pridgen   | Rt. 2 Whiteville |
|                | S. A. Hinyard       | Acme             |
|                | Thurman C. Butler   | Rt. 3 Tabor City |
|                | Lacy Hayes          | Rt. 2 Chadbourn  |
|                | G. W. Todd          | Whiteville       |
|                | D. F. Simmons       | Bolton           |

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Sept. 6 George A. Smith  
James S. Dale  
Arthur Tompkins  
D. D. Barfield  
Hosea Brown  
James Keel  
Wilbert Baldwin  
Leo Hinson  
Alva P. Smith  
R. Gibson Stocks  
Elbert Wright  
Robert Watson  
Auty Harrelson  
Leon K. Fuller  
Shelby Bullard  
W. W. Brown  
Wiley Memory  
B. M. Norris  
Leamon Soles  
John A. Bass  
D. J. Walton  
N. A. Fipps  
M. E. Blackman  
W. Jim Long  
M. D. Canady  
Clarence Butler  
Y. O. Soles  
Eugene Gaskins  
Lawrence Coleman  
Herbert Mack Baldwin  
Pete Xanthos  
W. L. Norris  
James Edward Wayne  
M. W. Gore  
Paul J. Sellers  
J. D. Williamson  
A. G. Carter, Jr.

Whiteville,  
Delco  
Rt. 2 Whiteville  
Rt. 1 Clarendon  
Rt. 2 Chadbourn  
Bolton  
Rt. 2 Whiteville  
Clarendon  
Whiteville  
Rt. 3 Tabor City  
Tabor City  
Chadbourn  
Rt. 3 Tabor City  
Whiteville  
Rt. 2 Chadbourn  
Clarkton  
Whiteville  
Tabor City  
Rt. 1 Chadbourn  
Evergreen  
Rt. 3 Whiteville  
Rt. 3 Tabor City  
Rt. 4 Whiteville  
Rt. 3 Tabor City  
Rt. 3 Tabor City  
Whiteville  
Rt. 1 Chadbourn  
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Rt. 3 Tabor City  
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Sept. 12 Dock Ward  
James Pope  
W. T. Fields  
A. L. Bright  
J. A. Jones  
Wernon Hinson  
Wilton D. Harrelson  
Grady Jordon  
T. C. Coleman  
Kenzie Lonzie Rhodes  
Eddie Sellers  
O. B. Chestnut  
Kenneth E. Inman  
Clyde D. Dutton  
Charlie Britt  
Mrs Juanita Buffkin  
John W. Bennett  
James Wesley Butts  
Herbert Canady  
Edwin Hammond  
Roy White  
Roosevelt Wright  
J. L. Bowers  
G. M. Holly  
Clyde W. Wells  
McNeil Nobles  
Robert T. McRoy  
Frank Merritt  
Gene L. Hickman  
Willie Benton  
Yancey Nobles  
Richard F. Walker  
H. B. Andrews  
Allie Simmons  
Johnson W. Butler  
Titus C. Williamson

Rt. 3 Whiteville  
Rt. 4 Whiteville  
Boardman  
Tabor City  
Nakina  
Rt. 1 Chadbourn  
Rt. 4 Whiteville  
Rt. 2 Clarkton  
Rt. 2 Chadbourn  
Wananish  
Whiteville  
Nakina  
Boardman  
Whiteville  
Rt. 1 Cerro Gordo  
Clarendon  
Whiteville  
Tabor City  
Rt. 4 Whiteville  
Rt. 2 Chadbourn  
Rt. 4 Whiteville  
Hallsboro  
Whiteville  
Tabor City  
Delco  
Rt. 1 Chadbourn  
Whiteville  
Rt. 3 Whiteville  
Rt. 1 Bladenboro  
Rt. 1 Tabor City  
Rt. 2 Tabor City  
Rt. 4 Whiteville  
Rt. 1 Nakina  
Rt. 4 Whiteville  
Acme  
Whiteville

Ordered: That the Sheriff summon the following good and lawful men and women to serve as jurors at the September Term of Recorders Court, 1955:

Joseph F. Huffam	Delco
J. W. Williamson	Rt. 1 Nakina
R. N. Jordon	Rt. 2 Clarkton
John G. Ransom	Rt. 2 Clarkton
Emory M. Perritt	Whiteville
Glenn Carter	Rt. 4 Whiteville
E. Gaskins	Clarendon
James F. Jones	Bolton
Hubert Mears	Cerro Gordo
Charlie Simmons, Jr.	Clarendon
A. C. Hewett	Rt. 3 Tabor City
Irvin Ray Hammond	Rt. 2 Chadbourn
Clarence Fowler	Rt. 1 Whiteville
W. F. Roberts	Delco
Willie B. Inman	Evergreen
Waldo S. Nye	Rt. 2 Chadbourn
Hoyt Piver	Rt. 1 Tabor City
J. Clarence Cribb	Rt. 3 Whiteville
Acie Williams	Whiteville
E. L. Little	Wananish
Dozier Hayes	Rt. 4 Whiteville
Inman Williamson	Cerro Gordon
Audery Dew	Rt. 4 Whiteville
J. W. Formy Duval	Rt. 4 Whiteville
J. W. Harrelson	Delco
Bruce Sellers	Rt. 3 Whiteville
D. E. Suggs	Rt. 3 Tabor City
Everett Hardin	Cerro Gordo
R. V. Elliott	Cerro Gordo
Carl E. Ward	Whiteville
William C. Barnes	Delco
Mary E. Blanks	Bolton
Rossie Rowler	Delco
Dewey J. Allen	Whiteville
W. B. Baldwin	Rt. 2 Whiteville
John Paul Lennon	Rt. 2 Whiteville

Ordered: That the Chairman and Clerk be authorized to sign Bond Interest and Redemption Fund voucher in the amount of \$ 2,419.29 and \$ 200.50 to pay the following debt:

County Hospital 3 1/2%	Principal	\$2,000.00
	Interest	140.00
County Hospital 3 1/4%	Interest	276.25
	Exchange	3.04
	Total	<u>\$2,419.29</u>

County Public Health Center 2%	Interest	\$ 200.00
	Exchange	.50
	Total	<u>\$ 200.50</u>

Ordered: That the following General County Bills be allowed and paid:

E. K. Proctor	July Salary Co. Attorney (1)	\$ 250.00
Venie H. Rouse	July Salary Asst. Tax Sup	208.85
W. A. Weir	" " Tax Collector	325.60
Lolly G. Johnson	" " Assisting Tax Collector	215.20
Helen Weir	" " " "	131.80
J. R. Pridgen	" " Sheriff	399.13
H. D. Stanley	" " Assisting Sheriff	344.15
W. B. Roebuck	" " " "	346.60
Mack Canady	" " " "	350.80
Clinton Nye	" " " "	359.60
Leslie B. Stubbs	" " " "	366.60
Horace Shaw	" " Fingerprint Expert	380.30
Town of Whiteville	" " Radio Operator	96.00
Alice S. Burns	" " County Accountant	286.70
Josephine F. Ray	" " " "	265.30
Rosier Williams	" " Janitor	219.60
Leo L. Fisher	" " Register of Deeds	296.38
Annie Bell Lane	" " Assisting Register of D.	175.75
Gladys G. Wooten	" " " " " "	162.55
Sarah Faye White	" " " " " "	152.85
Alice S. Wright	" " Welfare Supt.	279.70
Minette Graham	" " Caseworkers Asst.	191.75

Pearl H. Flower	July Salary	Caseworkers Asst. (23)	\$ 191.00
Marigene P. Lytton	" "	" "	184.00
Maebelle Weaver	" "	Assisting Welfare Supt.	191.30
Margaret Lee MacDaniel	" "	" " "	165.10
Leota H. Hodges	" "	" " "	171.80
Archie F. Martin	" "	Asst. Farm Agent	131.90
Mary Wade Robinson	" "	Assisting Farm Agent	90.20
Dorothy L. Miller	" "	" " "	92.25
Olivia George	" "	" Negro Agent	85.00
J. M. Spaulding	" "	Negro Farm Agent	138.70
C. D. Raper	" "	County Agent	180.60
Elaine N. Blake	" "	Home Dem. Agent	120.90
Rebecca Williams	" "	Asst. Home Dem. Agent	98.00
Dorothy D. Spivey	" "	Assisting P. M. A.	78.40
Mrs Allyn Smith	" "	" "	39.10
Columbus County Library Fund		July Appropriation	250.00
H. Hugh Nance	" "	Service Officer	288.80
Jewel W. Dunivant	" "	Asst. C. S. C.	195.50
Elneta Collins	" "	Assisting C. S. C.	142.95
Mary Lou White	" "	" "	139.55
Lee J. Greer	" "	Clerk of Superior Court	346.58
Sanky W. Robinson	" "	Judge Recorders Court	249.80
Joe W. Brown	" "	Solicitor of Recorders Court	230.30
N. B. Icard	" "	Dog Warden	236.60
Alice S. Burns		Travel	25.00
W. A. Weir		Travel	25.00
Laura B. Rosser	" "	Child Welfare Worker	223.40
Colonial Life & Accident Insurance Co.		Accident Insurance	36.00
J. E. Singletary		Capturing Stills	20.00
W. B. Roebuck		" "	15.00
Lonza Ward		" "	5.00
Clinton Nye		" "	5.00
Ernest Tyree		" " (55)	5.00
J. D. Fowler		" "	5.00
H. D. Stanley		Conveying Prisoners	4.62
L. B. Stubbs		" "	9.72
The News Reporter		To Account	62.75
W. A. Weir, Tax Collector		Petty Cash for 4 Months	200.00
Carolyn Burchette		Assisting Register of Deeds	52.61
Ralph T. Beason		Bond - Sarah F. White	15.00
Braxton - Warren Company		Account County Agents Office	58.00
Monroe Calculating Company		To Account	31.00
Gray & Creech, Inc.		Account Farm Agent	43.88
J. R. Pridgen		Conveying Prisoner from Florida	162.43
Burroughs Corporation		Service on Bookkeeping Machine	56.80
State Association of Co. Accountants		Dues 1954-55	5.00
Owen F. Dunn Company		To Account	74.66
Carolina Power & Light Co.		To Account	76.95
Fingerprint Equipment Laboratory		To Account	22.05
L. P. Ward		Board Meetings	46.00
L. P. Stephens		" "	46.00
Charles R. Council		" "	33.30
W. B. Buffkin		" "	43.20
Lacy R. Thompson		" "	42.80
Ann Lewis		Typing Jury List	45.00
Nancy Lyon		" " "	45.00
Worth D. Williamson		Corner	121.40
Amon Branch		Jury on Britt Death	5.00
Oscar Edwards		" " " "	5.00
Bardin Collins		" " " "	5.00
Howard Sikes		" " " "	5.00
Lacy Thompson		" " " "	5.00
G. R. Mayes		" " " "	5.00
Oscar Formy Duval		Jury on Bryant Death	5.00
Stuart Sasser		" " " "	5.00
Claude Pierce		" " " "	5.00
Carl Sasser		" " " "	5.00
J. C. Gooch		" " " "	5.00
E. B. Gaskins		" " " "	5.00
Dr. Futch		Services in Ralph Singleton Case	10.00
The News Reporter		To Account	.90
Carolina Telephone & Telegraph Co.		To Account	256.47
Elaine N. Blake		To Account	10.41
Nasco., Inc.		Account for Elaine Blake	25.97
Singer Sewing Machine		" " " "	1.90
Mitchell Printing Company		To Account	11.60
Edwards & Broughton Company		To Account	62.90
Owen G. Dunn Company		To Account	48.32
Commerical Printing Company		To Account (102)	230.75

Oscar High & Sons	To Account	\$	12.40
Floyd-Barkley Agency	Bond - Eva Coleman		10.00
The News Reporter	Account for Bd. Of Commissioners		9.15
D. B. Stubbs	Capturing Stills		5.00
J. R. Pridgen	To Reimburse for purchase of 3 sirens		37.50
Carolina Power Light Company	To Account		103.04
Minette Graham	Mileage (109)		59.59
Marigene P. Lytton	"		59.11
D. E. Baggett, Acting Postmaster	1750 Tax Cards		340.00
State Commission for the Blind	Contribution		197.95
Alice Wright	Mileage		49.37
Deke Baggett	Postage		100.00
Lester Lowe	Welfare Board Meeting		5.75
C. R. Council	" " "		6.20
W. C. McNeil	" " "		5.15
Marigene P. Lytton	Conveying Belle Keel Duke Hospital		15.00
Mr. B. R. Flowers	Boarding Home Care		37.88
Mr. & Mrs Leon Ellis	" " "		130.49
Lottie Howard	Maid		29.40
Eva W. Coleman	Assisting Tax Collector		134.48
Leola Pickerrell	Assisting Work on Tax Books		134.48
Clara Thompson	" " " " "		144.48
Beulah Singletary	" " " " "		144.48
Edna Buffkin	" " " " "		132.03
Lois F. Lewis	" " " " "		150.12
Mamie B. Galemberti	" Register of Deeds		134.48
Betty Merritt	" " " "		101.22
Singer Sewing Machine	1 Vacuum Cleaner		33.71
N. B. Icard	Shipping Stray Dog Head to Raleigh		9.60
N. B. Icard	Mileage		130.34
Commerical Printing Co.	To Account		6.77
The News Reporter	" "		.85
F. B. Foster	To Account		1.75
First National Bank of Wh.	Withholding Tax		1,096.50
Peacock Funeral Home	Burial Services		22.50
J. E. Tyree	Capturing Still		5.00
Mrs Reba Williamson	Boarding Home Care		114.80
Leder Brothers	Clothes for McLamb Children		9.94
Thomas Stanley	July Support for Jail		872.30
Alice S. Burns	Vacation & Extra Help		225.90
Pearl Fowler	Mileage		58.42
Doris Caulder	Assisting Register of Deeds		124.48
Mrs. A. P. McClary	Boarding Home Care (146)		59.67
Mrs J. W. Roberts	" " "		35.00
Laura B. Rosser	Mileage		50.70
The News Reporter	To Account		7.40
Carolina Exterminating Company	To Account		12.00
J. H. Ashley	Repairing Lights in Jail		8.50
Collier Gas Company	Account for County Jail		30.60
Whiteville Building Supplies	Account for Jail & Farm		57.66
Columbus County News	To Account		60.00
Simmons Drug Company	To Account		2.25
Radio Service Company	To Account		128.76
T. P. Hoffman	Reimburse for keys		3.35
Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph	Account		3.96
Governmental Guide	To Account		3.00
Robinson Office Supplies	To Account		8.83
Duro-Test Corporation	To Account		260.57
Rebecca J. Williams	To reimburse		2.90
State of N. C.	Forest Fire Control		138.97
Owen G. Dunn	To Account		33.50
Town of Whiteville	To Account		14.25
Hospital Savings Assoc.	Hospital Insurance		152.40
S. Preston Douglas	Audit 1954-55 (167)		2,600.00

Insolvents 19.42  
 Out Door Poor 10.00

Upon Motion the meeting was adjourned until August 17, 1955 at 7:30 P. M.

Approved:

Sophine F. Ray  
 Clerk

H. P. Ward  
 Chairman