

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office at 10 a.m., June 3, 1963, it being first Monday.

Members of the Board Present:

L. P. Ward, Chairman

W. B. Buffkin

A. O. Burns

Robert E. Sessions

Lacy R. Thompson

Mazzalee T. Sanderford, Clerk

The following business was transacted:

Ordered: that Felix Smith, Whiteville, N. C. be given a refund on a valuation of \$1800.00 for the year 1962, South Williams Township. This lot was listed through error to Felix Smith, and should have been listed to James H. McCumbee.

Ordered: that taxes listed in the name of L. R. Jackson Heirs, Whiteville Township, be cancelled for the years 1954, 1955, & 1956. This property was double listed.

Ordered: that taxes listed in the name of Mrs. G. G. Long, Bug Hill Township, be cancelled for the years 1942 through 1962. This property was double listed to J. A. Jones and to Mrs. G. G. Long.

Ordered: that taxes listed in the name of R. D. Tyree, Whiteville Township, be accepted at par for the years 1937 and 1938.

Ordered: that taxes listed in the name of Mrs. C. D. Wilson, Bogue Township, be accepted at par for the year 1937.

Ordered: that taxes listed in the name of B. F. Williamson, Whiteville Township, be accepted at par for the year 1954. This tax was erroneously listed in the name of Mrs. B. F. Williamson, and should have been listed to Mrs. F. B. Williamson.

The following resolution was introduced regarding research on nutgrass control and was unanimously adopted:

RESOLUTION FOR ACCELERATED RESEARCH TO BE DONE ON NUTGRASS CONTROL

It has been brought to our attention from farmers throughout Columbus County and verified by agricultural representatives in the county that nutgrass is spreading rapidly over Columbus County and becoming a serious pest, particularly to our tobacco and peanut growers, and

WHEREAS nutgrass has become a problem that local agricultural authorities have not been able to furnish the answer to, and

WHEREAS nutgrass is rapidly spreading in the fields of Columbus County to the point that it has become a serious pest, particularly in some fields, and

WHEREAS tobacco and row crop farmers are seriously affected by nutgrass in their fields, and it is costing Columbus County farmers a large sum of money to try to keep their fields clean and to no avail; Now, Therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we the Board of County Commissioners of Columbus County, respectfully request an accelerated research program to assist farmers throughout Columbus County and the state of North Carolina to eradicate nutgrass from their farms.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we are extremely appreciative and in full accord with the research program and have great faith in it, and we realize that our farmers largely depend on their livelihood from the research program. We believe that an accelerated program on nutgrass control would be extremely beneficial to Columbus County farmers as well as farmers throughout most of North Carolina.

This resolution unanimously passed Board of County Commissioners this 3rd day of June, 1963.

/s/ L. P. Ward  
L. P. Ward, Chairman Board of County Commissioners

- ROAD PETITIONS: 1. Whiteville Township: Road connecting Pine Log Road with S.Whiteville Highway. Nos. 1429 & 1434. Road is .7 mile in length; there are 11 occupied homes located on it.
2. Williams Township: Road #1322; is 1.5 miles in length and there are 15 occupied homes located on it. Request that road be paved.

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

Sankey W. Robinson	May Salary -	County Attorney	(2043)	\$	238.41
Venie H. Rouse	" "	Asst. Tax Supvr.			264.11
W. A. Weir	" "	Tax Collector			311.44
Lolly G. Johnson	" "	Asst'g Tax Collector			259.23
Helen Weir	" "	" " "			195.79
Eva W. Coleman	" "	" " "			195.70
Lawrence D. Boswell	" "	Deputy Tax Collector			348.33
Arthur L. Duke	" "	Sheriff	(2050)		468.67
Spurgeon D. Nobles	" "	Deputy Sheriff			390.20
John D. Fowler	" "	" "			411.70
Thurman C. Butler	" "	" "			401.70
John Coleman	" "	" "			426.46
Walter M. Farmer	" "	" "			400.94
Charlie C. Norton	" "	" "			424.08
Wilson C. Griffin	" "	" "			416.27
Joel R. Hunt	" "	" "			413.32
Horace L. Shaw	" "	Supt., Bureau of Identif.			479.57
Town of Whiteville	" "	Radio Operator	(2060)		140.00
Town of Chadbourn	" "	" "			105.00
Mazzalee T. Sanderford	" "	County Accountant			318.59
John L. Long	" "	Janitor			216.84
Grethel W. Hardee	" "	Janitress- Annex			74.30
Leo L. Fisher	" "	Reg. of Deeds	(2065)		333.50
Anna Belle Lane	" "	Asst'g- Reg. of Deeds			206.29
Gladys G. Wooten	" "	" " "			190.35
Marvelann W. Norris	" "	" " "			182.50
Myrtle N. McAlister	" "	" " "			192.50
Ila Vee Nealey	" "	" " "			182.50
Alice S. Wright	" "	Welfare Supt. II	(2071)		428.07
Pearl H. Rowler	" "	Welfare Worker II			291.10
Minette G. Lovette	" "	" " II			303.35
Jane S. Ellis	" "	" " II			188.02
Jo Anne P. Vereen	" "	" " II			290.06
Nancy S. Collier	" "	" " II			290.06
Sally G. Marks	" "	" " II			154.13
Peggy Dale Pierce	" "	" " I	(2078)		264.07

Maebelle W. Weaver	May Salary -	Stenographer III	(2079)	\$ 251.69
Margaret Lee MacDaniel	"	Typist II	"	224.86
Leota H. Hodges	"	Typist II	"	244.52
Linda P. Baldwin	"	Clerk I	"	167.37
Robert C. Schulken	"	Welfare Attorney	"	248.41
Archie F. Martin	"	Asst. Farm Agent	(2084)	189.38
Tommy D. Glover	"	" " "	"	56.41
Robert W. Swain	"	" " "	"	82.47
Eleanor P. Pridgen	"	Asst'g " "	"	137.91
Dorothy M. Reaves	"	" " "	"	143.19
Bonnie Rose Pinyatello	"	" " "	"	44.17
Daisy Ann Hill	"	" Negro Agent	"	104.45
J. M. Spaulding	"	Negro Farm Agent	"	173.35
Dorothy V. Valentine	"	" Home Agent	"	132.61
C. D. Raper	"	County Agent	"	225.63
Elaine N. Blake	"	Home Dem. Agent	"	143.27
Fredna Yvonne Bennett	"	Asst. Hem. Agent	"	62.66
Betty Capps	"	" " "	"	116.68
Edna Creech	"	Librarian	"	247.80
H. Hugh Nance	"	Service Officer	"	316.14
Jewel W. Dunivant	"	Asst. Clerk of Court	(2099)	259.78
Mary Lou White	"	" " "	"	188.51
Barbara W. Blackwell	"	Asst'g " "	"	175.34
Hilda S. Garrell	"	" " "	"	164.93
Ina J. Brown	"	" " "	"	161.00
Lee J. Greer	"	Clerk of Sup. Court, etc.	"	499.03
W. A. Williams	"	Judge of Rec. Court	(2105)	416.94
Joe W. Brown	"	Solicitor, Rec. Court	"	337.99
T. S. Hinson	"	Dog Warden	"	250.57
W. A. Weir	"	Purchasing Agent	"	72.50
L. V. Holt	"	Electrical Inspector	(2109)	233.65
Thomas Eldred Buffkin	"	Surplus Food Supvr.	"	346.67
Peggy H. Sellers	"	Asst'g " "	"	135.86
Lathal R. Wayne	"	Civil Defense Director	"	367.89
Elizabeth Ann E. White	"	Asst'g Civil Def. "	"	209.67
Lois F. Lewis	"	Tax Supvr - Office	(2114)	213.25
Edna Buffkin	"	" " "	"	179.05
Annie Belle Powell	"	" " "	"	179.30
Lucille Stephens	"	" " "	"	176.14
Essie P. Carter	"	" " "	"	199.39
Veneda S. Ray	"	Asst. County Acct.	(2119)	164.28
Betsy Totten	"	Asst. Librarian	"	56.09
Claire P. Duncan	"	Asst'g - Welfare Office	"	46.82
Betty Shaw	"	Janitress - " "	"	9.83
First Nat'l Bank	F.I.T. Withheld in May		(2123)	2,256.80
Hospital Care Assoc.	Hospital Ins. Withheld & Prepaid in May		"	349.80
Hospital Savings Assoc.	Life " " " "		"	199.26
Colonial Life & Accident Ins. Co.	Accident Ins. W/held " "		"	9.00
Whiteville City Schools	- Mimeographing-- Community College Comm.		"	17.78
The Graphic Press Co.	- Printing School Bond Adv. Folders		"	86.73
Institute of Govt.	- Membership Dues-- 1963-64		"	244.87
Mickey Thomas	- Capturing Still		"	5.00
J. R. Hunt	- " "		"	5.00
John Coleman	- " Stills		"	10.00
W. M. Farmer	- " Still		"	5.00
Motorola	- Maintenance Contract		(2134)	115.00
Storr Sales Co.	- Inv.- Acct's Office		"	6.80
F. B. Foster	- Plumbing Repairs - Boarding Home		"	52.05
Anne N. Talbott	- Welfare Board Meeting		"	10.20
W. B. Buffkin	- " " "		"	10.60
J. M. Council, Jr.	- " " "		"	11.20
Robeson Office Supplies	- " Dept.		"	25.24
John Harrelson, Postmaster	- " "		"	300.00
Collins Dept. Store	- " "		(2142)	5.84
The Johnson Clinic	- " "		"	30.00
Red Springs Funeral Home	- " "		"	20.00
Smith Funeral Home	- " "		"	40.00
W. H. King Drug Co.	- County Agent		(2146)	3.57
The News Reporter Co.	- " " & Serv. Offr.		"	17.28
Addressograph-Multigraph Corp.	- County Agent		"	49.17
Worthington Woodworks	- " "		"	240.50
Job P. Wyatt & Sons	- County Agent		"	5.58
W. M. Farmer	- Conveying Prisoners		(2151)	21.00
Lacy Long	- Court Officer - 5 days		"	55.00
J. D. Fowler	- Conveying Prisoners		"	21.00
Thompson Signs	- Dog Warden Acct.		"	9.00
Carolina Tel. & Teleg.	- All Accts.		(2155)	421.91
Carolina Power & Light Co.	- All Accts.		(2156)	332.11
Antex Exterminating Co.	- All Accts.		"	44.00
Sally G. Marks	- Mileage - Welfare Dept.		(2158)	46.18

Nancy Collier	- Mileage - Welfare Dept.	(2159)	\$ 86.09
Jo Anne Vereen	- " " "		38.76
Minette G. Lovett	" " "		72.17
Peggy Pierce	" " "		41.48
Pearl H. Fowler	" " "		45.52
Alice S. Wright	" " "		41.60
Mrs. Davis Williamson	- Boarding Home Care - Welfare Dept.		86.67
Mrs. Guila Dawsey	" " " "		146.76
Mrs. A. P. McClary	- " " " "		96.25
Mrs. Leon Ellis	- " " " "		50.00
John H. Shaw's & Sons	- Ambulance Service	" "	40.00
Lacy R. Thompson	- Board of Comm. - May	(2170)	65.60
W. B. Buffkin	" " "		48.60
A. O. Burns	" " "		87.20
Robert E. Sessions	" " "		64.80
L. P. Ward	" " "		130.20
Local Govt. Commission	- Postage - School Bond Sale	(2175)	19.00
Felix Smith	- Tax Refund - Per Order of the Board		34.75
Petty Cash - Auditor	- To replenish fund		57.07
Columbus County News	- Acct. - Tax Supvr.	(2178)	29.50
Monroe Calculating Machine Co.	- Maintenance Agreement		22.00
N. C. Assoc. of Assessing Officers	- Asst. Supvr. & Supvr.		7.00
Simmons Drug Co.	- Various Accounts	(2181)	21.20
Columbus County News	- Advertising - Tax Collector		60.00
The Tabor City Tribune	" " "		36.00
John Coleman	- Capturing Still		5.00
The News Reporter Co.	- Sheriff & Acct.	(2185)	123.12
H. L. Shaw	- Reimbursement		9.70
Williams Office Equipem	- Acct's Office		433.73
Mazzalee T. Sanderford	- Reimbursement - Desk Tray		.82
G. V. Singletary & Sons	- Various Accts.	(2189)	81.55
Wilmar, Inc.	- Courthouse Acct.		138.51
Town of Whiteville	- Various Accts. (water)	(2191)	22.75
Vineland Ice Co.	- Courthouse		21.00
Whiteville Bldg. Supplies	"		12.80
Townsend Builders, Inc.	" & Jail	(2194)	325.39
E. L. Hawks Roofing & Sheet Metal	- Courthouse		77.70
Maryland Locksmith Place	"		3.50
Todd Ftre. Co.	" and Jail	(2197)	68.99
J. L. Long	- Misc. Labor		9.00
Schulken's	- Courthouse		24.24
Hinnant's, Inc.	- Courthouse & Civil Defense		320.85
Whiteville Chain Saw Shop	"	(2201)	6.48
Fletcher's Esso	"		1.47
Owen G. Durin	- Reg. of Deeds		131.27
Mitchell Printing Co.	- " "		62.22
Wooten's Business Equipment	" "		14.50
J. B. Long, Jr.	- Coroner Services - May	(2206)	178.73
Mrs. Lloyd Batten	- Secy for Coroner		10.00
Earl Price	- Coroner's Juror	(2208)	5.00
Ralph Norris	" "		5.00
J. B. Davis	" "		5.00
Ed Townsend	" "		5.00
J. M. Price	" "		5.00
Anthony Stroschio	" "		5.00
L. Otis Collins	" "		5.00
Edwin Nance	" "		5.00
Tommy Hooks	" "		5.00
John Honeycutt, Jr.	" "		5.00
Carol Nance	" "		5.00
Martin Carter	" "		5.00
H. G. Walters, M.D.	" Acct.	(2220)	35.00
N. C. Dept. of Conservation & Development	- May Expenditures		959.91
Collier Gas Co.	- Jail Acct.		47.28
Leder Bros.	- " "	(2223)	39.98
Dennis Williams	- Jailer - Lodging & Meals for May		1,402.20
Waccamaw Electric Co.	- Jail & Surplus Foods	(2225)	19.00
A. O. Wilson	- Repairs at Jail		137.35
J. M. Spaulding	- 4-H Club Week Expenses - Per order of Bd.		25.00
General Services Adm.	- County Agent	(2228)	166.73
Underwood Corp.	- Veteran's Service Officer		175.10
J. D. Fowler	- Conveying Prisoners	(2230)	9.45
T. S. Hinson	- Mileage Dog Warden - May		159.25
Washam & Warlick	- Account " "		36.28
Elbert Edwards	- Asst'g Surplus Foods Supvr.	(2233)	8.19
Miriam F. Buffkin	- Asst'g " " "		40.96
Eldred Buffkin	- Reimbursement - Misc. Labor		5.00
T. E. Buffkin	- Mileage - May		28.00
FCX	- June Rent	(2237)	150.00
Scott Motor Co., Inc.	- Elec. Water Cooler - Surplus Foods		150.02
Townsend Plumbing Co.	- Installation - Cooler " "		6.00

Lathal R. Wayne	- Travel - May - Civil Defense	(2240)	\$	38.51
Jean Millican	- Typing for Community College Committee			3.50
Lorraine Leggett	- Preparing Jury Suponeas	(2242)		8.19
Tabor City Hdwe & Ftre. Co.	- Rent - Board of Elections			200.00
The Bond Buyer	- Advertising - \$1,000,000 Bonds	(2244)		138.60
Monroe Calculating Machine Co.	- Maintenance Agreements			44.00
Simmons Drug Co.	- Clerk of Court			2.01
The News Reporter Co.	" "			12.68
Commercial Printing Co.	" "	(2248)		360.27
Mitchell Printing Co.	" "			115.62
J. D. Fowler	- Conveying Prisoners	(2250)		12.45
State Commission for the Blind	- June Statement			353.66
T. W. Strickland	- Carpenter Work - Surplus Foods Bldg.			75.25
Harrison Typewriter Co.	- Repairs - County Agent	(2253)		14.00
Mary H. Ward	- Preparing Court Calendars	(2254)		60.00
U. S. Postmaster	- Postage - Surplus Foods	(2255)		5.00

Out Door Poor  
Insolvents

5.00  
62.49

Upon motion the meeting adjourned until 7:30 p.m., June 5, 1963.

Approved:

Mary H. Ward  
Clerk

L. P. Ward  
Chairman