

R. B. Stephens	To Juror - Sam McBride inquest	3.00
A. E. Sweum	" " "	3.00
J. E. Williams, Jr.	" " "	3.00
N. G. Galloway	" " "	3.00
A. B. Powell	" " "	3.00
S. J. Panther	" " "	3.00
L. M. Stephens	" B. Canady "	3.00
J. H. V. Gore	" " "	3.00
R. L. H. Gore	" " "	3.00
W. J. Duncan	" " "	3.00
W. B. Best	" " "	3.00
N. C. Galloway	" " "	3.00
J. A. Hooks	" Hargrove "	13.50
Casey Baldwin	" " "	13.50
Ernest Dyson	" " "	13.50
Robert E. Miller	" " "	13.50
T. E. Hickman	" " "	13.50
Rachel Cooke	To taking evidence "	10.00
Joe D. Sikes	Various inquests	30.00
E. A. Maultsby	To 1 day tax assessing	3.00
Mrs. Gladys G. Wooten	To 25 days assisting Reg. of Deeds	62.50
Kathleen B. High	To 9 days assisting Reg. of Deeds	22.50
Mary Brown	To work at County Home	3.00
J. F. Boswell	To conveying Mary Skipper to County Home	2.80
H. L. Shaw	To conveying prisoners	12.20
W. H. Bullard	" "	49.00
Dave Long	To 4 days Grand Jury Officer	13.80
Elton Ward	To conveying prisoners, etc.	20.20
A. E. Powell, P. M.	To postage for Welfare Officer	30.00
Wilson Implement Co.	To account thru May	276.45
Paul Kendall	To refund on tax deed to I. L. Kirksey land	65.00
Julian D. Lewis, Atty.	To commission on land sales certificates	188.44
Joe D. Sikes	To bal. due on inquests	18.00
Mrs. Grace Harrelson	To 26 days assisting Tax Collector	65.00
Out Door Poor Vouchers	Total	<u>51.50</u>

There being no further business to come before the Board at this time, adjournment was voted in order until August 1st, 1939:

Approved:

A. W. Baldwin  
Clerk

C. Small  
Chairman

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office August 1st, 1939, according to adjournment, members of the Board present:

C. A. Small, Chairman,  
H. G. Avant  
R. C. Benton  
W. L. Hobbs  
G. C. Hinson

A. W. Baldwin, Clerk

The following business was transacted.

Ordered: that Miss Mamie Brown, Tax Supervisor, be instructed to prepare 1939 tax receipts for the Tax Collector.

Ordered: that check for \$2,766.50 received from State of N. C. for intangible tax refunds be deposited to General County Fund.

Ordered: that the Sheriff summon the following good and lawful men to serve as Jurors at the August term of Court 1939:

First Week

Bogue	John R. Jackson Coy Pierce J. E. Simmons
Bolton	Hacket Applewhite Harry A. Paxton
Bug Hill	R. J. Stocks H. C. Faulk
Chadbourn	Wayne Bailey H. D. Byrd A. M. Nobles
Cerro Gordo	R. B. Hilburn Hosea Coleman H. T. Benton
Fair Bluff	E. C. Grainger J. J. Hammond
Lees	E. C. Formy Duval W. H. Needham D. L. McKeithan
Ransom	H. J. Woolard Judson J. Moore R. S. Lennon
Tatum	W. J. Rabon Roy Leggett Marcus Britt
Waccamaw	Jesse T. Pate C. W. Burney Sr.
Welches Creek	O. H. Baldwin O. F. Batten W. A. Byrd
Western Prong	V. D. Brown O. E. Brown
Williams	Z. L. Ward W. D. Edge Wilbur Wright Sam Burroughs
South Williams	Bronnie Worley Robert C. Soles I. P. Shelly
Whiteville	M. J. Sellers Jr. W. H. Collier G. F. Peterson G. M. Russ

Second Week

Bogue	Vance R. Pope S. W. Pierce
Bolton	C. W. Stephens
Bug Hill	T. J. Williamson
Chadbourn	Joe Thompson J. C. Nobles
Cerro Gordo	Wesley Harrelson A. A. Dudley
Fair Bluff	R. J. Meares H. E. Smith

Lees	H. M. Long
Ransom	Clyde Congleton J. R. Peterson
Tatum	Keyo Brown Will Ivey
Waccamaw	John N. Burney
Welches Creek	Henry C. Baldwin
Western Prong	K. C. Brown
Williams	Zeno Ray J. L. Mills
South Williams	Carver G. Cox W. S. Porter
Whiteville	Clifford Newsome A. E. Powell Jr.

Ordered: that Willie Strickland's application for license to retail beverages at Clarendon, N. C. be declined. It is further ordered that Sheriff H. D. Stanley be authorized and instructed to return the \$25.00 in cash to said Willie Strickland and get receipt given by A. W. Baldwin, County Auditor on July 18th, 1939.

Ordered: that B. S. Thompson's check for \$500.00 be deposited to Court House Bond Fund and Mrs. Gladys Council's mortgage and two notes be accepted in place of ~~J. K. Council and wife mortgage~~. Said new notes are for \$1,500.00 due November 1st, 1939 and \$928.50 due November 1st, 1940.

Ordered: that Blake D. Applewhite be allowed to pay his three notes due Columbus County in the sum of \$800.00 by paying \$108.00 interest and A. W. Baldwin, County Auditor, be authorized to cancel said mortgage of record when the sum of \$908.00 is paid.

Ordered: that the County Auditor advise the County Tax Collector that his settlement will not be accepted on taxes on the date of settlement fixed by law unless he can show from his records that he has exhausted all legal means to make collections of all taxes due the County of Columbus, that is to say, levy must be made on personal property according to law before real estate sales are held.

Ordered: that the Waccamaw Bank and Trust Company be requested to issue Certificate of Deposit for \$30,000.00, for Courthouse Bond Fund cash deposited in / <sup>said bank.</sup>

Ordered: that the taxes due Columbus County in South Williams Township by <sup>F.</sup> James and Mary Emma Pierce be pro rated according to taxes due Town of Tabor City, and Columbus County, said land having been foreclosed by Town of Tabor City.

Ordered: that Pridgen and Pridgen taxes due Columbus County be separated so taxes on lot sold Board of Education may be paid.

RESOLUTION

Ordered: that the following resolution be recorded relative to borrowing Twenty Five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars for General County purposes, same being renewal note.

Be it ordered by the Board of County Commissioners of Columbus County that one note of the County of Columbus for General County purposes be executed in the sum of Twenty Five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars, dated July 31st, 1939, maturing November 30, 1939.

The above note bearing interest at the rate of one and one half ( $1\frac{1}{2}\%$ ) percent per annum, interest payable at maturity; both principal and interest of said note payable to BEARER at the Wachovia Bank and Trust Company of the City of Winston Salem, N. C. in anticipation of 1938 taxes, and that said note be sold or hypothecated and the proceeds thereof turned into the General Fund of said County of Columbus.

Be it further resolved that the full faith and credit of the County of Columbus be pledged to the punctual payment of the principal and interest of said note at maturity.

NOTE

\$25,000.00

July 31, 1939

On November 30th, 1939, the County of Columbus for value received, promises to pay to the BEARER hereof at the Wachovia Bank and Trust Company in the City of Winston Salem, N. C., the sum of Twenty Five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars with interest at one and one-half percent per annum from date.

This note is issued in pursuance of a resolution duly adopted by the Board of Commissioners of County of Columbus on the 27th day of July, 1939, and duly signed by Chairman and Clerk of said Board as required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that each and every act, condition and thing required to be done, to have happened and to be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this note, has been done, has happened and has been performed in full and strict compliance with the Constitution and laws of the State of North Carolina, and that this note is within every debt and other limit prescribed by law, and the faith and credit of County of Columbus are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this note, according to its terms.

In witness whereof, the County of Columbus has caused its Corporate name to be signed hereto by Chairman, Board of Commissioners and the Corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and attested by Clerk to Board of Commissioners, this the 27th day of July, 1939.

THE APPROPRIATION RESOLUTION

1. Be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Columbus County, North Carolina, this the 1st day of August, 1939, that for expenses of County Government, its activities and institutions for the year ending June 30th, 1940, the amounts in the following schedules, or so much of each as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated.

2. That for the said fiscal year there are hereby appropriated out of the "County General Fund" the following:

Board of County Commissioners	\$ 1,310.00
Financial, Management and General	4,908.00
Listing and Assessing Property	5,035.00
Collection of Taxes and Tax Sales Certificates	13,210.00
Sheriff	5,515.00
Elections - General	1,425.00
Elections - Special	- 0 -
County Accountant	4,707.50
Courthouse and Grounds	5,735.00
Register of Deeds	6,350.00
County Coroner	1,420.00
County Fire Warden	1,500.00
County Jail	6,525.00
County Home and Farm	6,586.00
Outside Poor	1,675.00
Agricultural and Economic Development	2,510.00
County Health - Vital Statistics	760.00
County Aid	1,180.00
Superior Court	9,665.00
Clerk Superior Court	5,655.00
County Court	150.00
Recorders Court	5,425.00
Juvenile Court	310.00
County Surveyor	10.00
State Commission for the Blind	725.00
Refunds	200.00

Total \$92,491.50

3. That for the said fiscal year there are hereby appropriated out of the "Co operative Health Fund" the following:

<u>Salaries</u>	
Health Officer	\$ 3,000.00
County Nurses	2,520.00
Sanitary Inspector	1,452.00
Clerical Assistance	1,020.00
<u>Travel Expense</u>	2,400.00
<u>Dental Clinic</u>	900.00
<u>V. D. Clinic</u>	1,860.67
<u>Supplies</u>	
Medical and Drugs	100.00
Office Supplies	100.00
Stationery	25.00
Postage	75.00
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Laboratory Supplies	75.00
<u>Hospitalization</u>	3,500.00
<u>Other Expenses</u>	
Telephone and Telegraph	50.00
Laundry	24.00
Repairs to Equipment	25.00
Electric Lights and Gas	16.62
<u>Equipment</u>	
Office Furniture and Fixtures	50.00
Laboratory Fixtures	75.00
Books and Periodicals	10.00

Total \$17,278.29

4. That for the said fiscal year there are hereby appropriated out of the "Bond Interest Redemption and Sinking Fund" the following:

Bond Commissions	\$59,607.50
Bank Commissions	200.00
Bonds Retired	46,000.00
Transfer to Courthouse Bond Fund	<u>1,000.00</u>
Total	\$106,807.50

5. That for the said fiscal year there are hereby appropriated out of the "Court House Bond Fund" the following:

Bond Coupons	\$ 2,500.00
Bank Commissions	6.26
Sinking Fund	<u>1,000.00</u>
Total	\$ 3,506.26

6. That for the said fiscal year there are hereby appropriated out of the "Social Security Fund" the following:

Old Age Assistance	\$32,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children Administration	15,000.00
Per Diem of Board	150.00
Salary of Welfare Officer	1,800.00
Salaries of Case Workers	2,400.00
Salaries of Clerks	1,680.00
Office Supplies	25.00
Stationery and Printing	75.00
Postage and Envelopes	400.00
Telephone and Telegraph	100.00
Travel	1,560.00
Office Equipment, Furniture and Fixtures	<u>25.00</u>
Total	\$55,215.00

7. That for the said fiscal year there are hereby appropriated out of the "General School Fund" the following:

Current Expense	\$81,089.67
Capital Outlay	19,550.00
Debt Service	<u>54,654.16</u>
Total	\$155,293.83

Signed:

Chairman

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

W. J. Tate	Work at County Home, etc.	\$ 20.00
State Comm. for the Blind	To County's part for July	57.00
A. W. Baldwin	To advance July salary - County Auditor	200.00
Wachovia Bk. and Trust Co.	To interest on \$25,000.00 note	<u>106.25</u>

Ordered: that the following refunds be granted:

S. B. Newell	1935 tax	Board reducing valuation	\$12.36
W. E. Bailey	1937 tax	Listed by Margaret Nance	2.75
W. E. Bailey	1938 tax	" " " "	1.75
Dr. L. Baggett	1935 tax	Listed by H. G. Avant	21.51
Dr. L. Baggett	1936 tax	" " " "	<u>15.95</u>

1939 TAX RATE

General County		.15
County Home and Out Door Poor		.05
Bond Interest and Redemption		.57
Court House Bond		.01
Co operative Health		.05

## Social Security:

Old Age Assistance	.04	
Aid to Dependent Child.	.02	
Administration	.03	.09
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## General Schools:

Current Expense	.06	
Capital Outlay	.03	
Debt Service	.29	.38
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County Wide Rate 1.30

The levy for Polls and dog tax is the same as provided by law. The County also levies under the head of B and C, the same as the State, except where otherwise provided.

There being no further business to come before the Board at this time, adjournment was voted in order until Monday, August 7th, 1939.

Approved:

A. W. Baldwin  
Clerk

C. A. Small  
Chairman

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office August 7th, 1939, it being first Monday, Members of the Board present:

C. A. Small, Chairman  
H. G. Avant  
R. C. Benton  
W. L. Hobbs  
G. C. Hinson

A. W. Baldwin, Clerk

Minutes of the last meeting being read approved, the following business was transacted.