

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office December 2, 1940, it being first Monday. Members of the Board present:

W. L. Hobbs, Chairman

H. G. Avant

R. C. Benton

G. C. Hinson

C. A. Small

A. W. Baldwin, Clerk

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

Ordered: that J. S. Simmons' 1939 and 1940 taxes be separated so S. W. Simmons may pay taxes on 15 acres valued at \$150.00 which he has purchased.

On motion of R. C. Benton, seconded by C. A. Small, it is ordered that Jackson Greer Sr. be allowed to settle his note and mortgage for \$1,650.00 and T. G. Sessions be allowed to pay his note and mortgage for \$150.00. W. L. Hobbs, Chairman, is authorized to cancel or transfer said mortgage when amounts are paid.

Ordered: that W. Mack Lennon be allowed to pay his 1936-1937 and 1939 tax by paying 6% flat.

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

Duke Hospital	Account for Maggie Davis	\$4.85
State Bd. of Charities and Public Welfare	Amount due by County	9.32
N. C. Sanatorium	Account - Maybelle Ward	82.67
Dr. M. L. Johnson	Dental work for C. F. Squires	13.00
F. P. Gray	Rent of typewriter	5.00
Columbus Telephone Co.	To Nov. account	54.85
Stephen G. Worht	Reporting Court	37.50
A. M. Pullen Co.	Auditing	1,380.00
H. L. Shaw	Conveying insane	12.00
D. H. Bowen	Capturing still and men	15.00
G. T. Bullard	Capturing stills	10.00
Bud Stephens	Capturing stills, etc.	34.50
H. D. Stanley	Conveying prisoner	14.50
Mitchell Ptg. Co.	Supplies for C.S.C.	56.33
Joe D. Sikes	Inquests	25.00
F. L. Gross	"	3.00
J. B. Long	"	3.00
Richard Auger	"	3.00
William Dyson	"	3.00
John Anderson	"	3.00
Robert Potts	"	3.00
John Grooms	Funeral expense of Mrs. Martha Grooms	30.00
J. E. Thompson and Co.	To account	57.68
Sharpe and Dohme	"	7.40
Priscilla James	To cooking at County Home	22.00
Janie Gibbs	To nursing at County Home	18.00
City Fish Market	To account	4.20
W. G. Spaulding	To account	11.17
Wilton Lynch	To work at County Home	9.98
H. B. Johnson	To work at County Home	10.98
L. I. Hinson	To work at County Home	20.70
C. L. Lynch	To work at County Home	28.20
Ellis Meares Hdw. Co.	To account	233.00

Schulken Brothers	To bal. on account	15.08
The News Reporter Co.	To account	629.38
D. H. Bowen	Capturing still	5.00
Tide Water Power Co.	To account	91.69
R. B. McRoy and Co.	To bal. on account	16.20
F. C. X. Store	To account	88.75
Columbus Drug Store	To account	2.10
Joe D. Sikes	To investigation	5.00
H. C. Stanley	To grinding corn for County Farm	1.20
J. M. Kirschner	To printing circulars in re bonds	20.00
Masslich and Mitchell	To services in re \$79,000 bonds	231.30
Columbus County News	To account	34.00
Town of Whiteville	To account	25.10
Vineland Ice Co.	To account for Oct. and Nov.	16.00
Duke Hospital	To account	49.00
Leder Brothers	To account for coffins	16.39
Columbus County Hospital	To account for Nov.	426.00
E. D. Johnson	To making coffins	117.68
W. B. Hobbs	To coal for County Home	9.00
W. J. Tate	To work at County Home	18.50
J. L. Thurston Lbr. Co.	To account	26.70
Rozier Williams, Jailor	To Nov. support of jail	282.90
A. W. Baldwin, Petty Cash	To petty cash	64.10
W. L. Hobbs	To 4 days on Board, etc.	48.00
H. G. Avant	To 4 days on Board, etc.	20.40
R. C. Benton	To 4 days on Board, etc.	32.00
G. C. Hinson	To 4 days on Board, etc.	23.60
C. A. Small	To 4 days on Board, etc.	28.00
Brown-Rogers-Dixson Co.	To account	6.30
J. A. McNeill and Sons	To account	17.99
I. B. Tucker	To cotton for mattresses	2.50

On motion of C. A. Small, seconded by G. C. Hinson, it is ordered that Charles M. Johnson, State Treasurer, be authorized and instructed to transfer to the Waccamaw Bank and Trust Company, Whiteville, N. C., County Depository, \$69,000.00 which he is holding from proceeds of Columbus County bonds dated December 1st, 1940, said funds to be placed in special account to be used for purpose which said bonds were issued for. Securities in the amount of \$70,125.00 having been placed with the Wilmington Savings and Trust Company to protect said funds.

Ordered: that the following refunds be granted:

T. H. Allen	1934 to		
T. H. Allen	1937 tax	Board compromising tax	13.24
T. H. Allen	1938 tax	" "	1.59
Bettie Wade	1939 tax	" "	1.59
Bettie Wade	1935 tax	" "	24.77
Bettie Wade	1936 tax	" "	18.41
Bettie Wade	1937 tax	" "	19.73
Bettie Wade	1938 tax	" "	19.07
Bettie Wade	1939 tax	" "	18.80
Bettie Wade	1940 tax	" "	14.74
J. J. Bowen	1936 tax	Error in listing	18.53
J. J. Bowen	1937 tax	Error in listing	20.14
J. J. Bowen	1938 tax	Error in listing	20.33
J. J. Bowen	1939 tax	Error in listing	20.07
Mary Lou Powell	1933 tax	Board refunding	9.41
Mary Lou Powell	1935 tax	" "	9.51
Mary Lou Powell	1936 tax	" "	4.05
J. J. Bowen	1940 tax	Error in listing	18.37
S. F. Formy Duval	1938 tax	" "	7.00
H. C. Rockwell Est.	1937 tax	Board refunding	2.83
H. C. Rockwell Est.	1938 tax	" "	.75
Mrs. M. M. Rockwell	1935-1936		
	& 1937 tax	" "	5.39
Ben Shipman	1934 tax	Error in listing	2.64
R. C. Benton	1940 tax	Timber being burned	6.70

## (Refunds Cont'd)

Ruben Drake	1924 tax	Board reducing valuation	25.86
Ruben Drake	1927 tax	" " "	20.51
Ruben Drake	1928 tax	" " "	27.72
Ruben Drake	1929 tax	" " "	23.56
Ruben Drake	1930 tax	" " "	26.94
Ruben Drake	1931 tax	" " "	11.71
Ruben Drake	1932 tax	" " "	15.57
Ruben Drake	1933 tax	" " "	12.54
Ruben Drake	1934 tax	" " "	12.54
Ruben Drake	1935 tax	" " "	11.85
Ruben Drake	1936 tax	" " "	11.76
Ruben Drake	1937 tax	" " "	11.49
Ruben Drake	1938 tax	" " "	10.61
Ruben Drake	1939 tax	" " "	10.47
Ruben Drake	1940 tax	" " "	8.98

There being no further business, adjournment was voted in order until 12:00 o'clock Noon.

Approved:

A. W. Williamson  
Clerk

W. L. Hobbs  
Chairman

The Honorable Board of newly elected County Commissioners met in their said office/at 12:00 o'clock Noon, Dec. 2, 1940, and elected J. L. Robinson Chairman. Leo L. Fisher was requested and acted as Clerk to Board.

Members of the Board present:

J. L. Robinson, Chairman

W. L. Hobbs

Bruce Pierce

J. C. Stanley

A. W. Williamson

Leo L. Fisher, Clerk

The following business was transacted.

Ordered: that Junius K. Powell be appointed County Attorney.

Ordered: that all appointments of County Officers and employees to terminate at the discretion of the Board.

Ordered: that the salary of the Judge of Recorder's Court be fixed at \$1800.00 per year.

Ordered: that A. B. Brady be appointed Prosecuting Attorney for Recorder's Court.