

Ordered: that the following refunds be granted:

T. S. Hinson	1939 tax	On account of disability	2.00
T. S. Hinson	1940 tax	" "	2.00
Butler Clewis	1939 tax	" "	2.00
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Ernest Benton	1940 tax	" "	2.04
Nick George	1934 tax	To adjust taxes as per order	4.16
T. S. Memory	1940 tax	" " "	2.79

There being no further business, adjournment was voted in order until March 8th, 1941.

Approved:

M. K. Fuller
Clerk

J. L. Robinson
Chairman

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in its said office March 8th, 1941, according to adjournment. Members of the Board present:

J. L. Robinson, Chairman

W. L. Hobbs

A. W. Williamson

Bruce Pierce

J. C. Stanley

M. K. Fuller, Clerk

The following business was transacted.

On motion of A. W. Williamson, seconded by J. C. Stanley, it is ordered that action be deferred until March 17th, 1941 on the acceptance of bond tendered by J. D. Long and that the Clerk write the Attorney General, stating to him the existing facts as they have arisen regarding applicants for and status of the office of County Surveyor, requesting that he render an opinion as to the proper solution of the situation.

Ordered: that consideration of resignation of Glenn F. Holmes, Tax collector, be postponed until March 17th, 1941.

On motion of A. W. Williamson, seconded by Bruce Pierce, it is ordered that the following resolution be adopted and that it shall be retroactive as of December 16, 1940:

Be it resolved that Glenn F. Holmes, Tax Collector of Columbus County, be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to deliver to Junius K. Powell, Tax Attorney, any and all tax sales certificates and tax receipts required by him in bringing suits and foreclosures of tax lands and that the receipt of Junius K. Powell, Tax Attorney, shall be accepted as full acquittance and discharge of all liability of Glenn F. Holmes, Tax Collector, and such receipts shall be accepted in full for face amounts, in all settlements for tax made by the said Glenn F. Holmes.

There being no further business, adjournment was voted in order until March 10, 1941.

Approved:

M. K. Fuller
Clerk

J. L. Robinson
Chairman

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office March 10, 1941, according to adjournment. Members of the Board present:

J. L. Robinson, Chairman

W. L. Hobbs

A. W. Williamson

Bruce Pierce

J. C. Stanley

M. K. Fuller, Clerk

The following business was transacted.

On motion of Bruce Pierce, seconded by J. C. Stanley, it is ordered that the resignation tendered by Glenn F. Holmes, Tax Collector, be accepted.

Ordered: that the Clerk write the Director of Local Government Commission that the Board proposes to employ a certified public accountant for making an audit of the Tax Collector's office for the purpose of checking out the present tax collector who has resigned, and preparing a statement of tax receipts for a new tax collector.

Ordered: that the Clerk correspond with S. Preston Douglas, of George E. Dombhart and Co., and A. M. Pullen and Co., certified public accountants, and ask for their bids for the proposed audit of the tax office.

On motion of A. W. Williamson, seconded by J. C. Stanley, it is ordered that J. Percy Brown, Tabor City, N. C., be appointed tax collector for Columbus County. All Commissioners being present and voting unanimously therefor.

On motion of A. W. Williamson, seconded by W. L. Hobbs, it is ordered that the new tax collector be paid a salary of \$175.00 per month and 5¢ per mile, where and when incurred in the collection of taxes.

On motion, meeting was adjourned until March 13, 1941.

Approved:

M. K. Fuller
Clerk

J. L. Robinson
Chairman