

Ordered: that the following land sales certificates and tax receipts delivered to the Board of County Commissioners by B. L. Martin, Tax Collector, be recorded and his account be credited therefor:

Alice Long	Bolton Twp.	1921 tax	\$ 6.91
Alice Long Heirs	" "	1922 tax	7.01
Alice Long Heirs	" "	1923 tax	8.28
Alice Long Heirs	" "	1924 tax	12.19
Alice Long Heirs	" "	1925 tax	12.70
Alice Long Est.	" "	1926 tax	10.12
Alice Long Est.	" "	1927 tax	10.33
Alice Long Est.	" "	1928 tax	9.99
Alice Long Est.	" "	1929 tax	8.43
Alice Long Est.	" "	1930 tax	11.12
Alice Long Est.	" "	1935 tax	6.80
Alice Long Est.	" "	1936 tax	6.70
Alice Long Est.	" "	1937 tax	3.75
Alice Long Est.	" "	1938 tax	3.77
Alice Long Est.	" "	1939 tax	3.72
Alice Long Heirs	" "	1940 tax	3.73
Alice Long Heirs	" "	1941 tax	4.32
Alice Long Heirs	" "	1942 tax	4.20
A. M. Auger	" "	1939 tax	5.79
A. M. Auger	" "	1940 tax	5.81
A. M. Auger	" "	1941 tax	7.81
A. M. Auger	" "	1942 tax	6.74
Total			<u>\$160.22</u>

Ordered: that Mrs, L. E. Anderson tax foreclosed property be sold to Canal Wood Corporation, Little River, S. C. for \$650.00 and deed be executed therefor.

On motion, meeting was adjourned until Monday, October 4th, 1943.

Approved:

M. K. Fuller Clerk
A. W. Williamson Chairman

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office Monday, October 4th, 1943, it being first Monday. Members of the Board present:

- J. L. Robinson
- J. A. Hooks
- W. L. Hobbs
- J. C. Stanley

M. K. Fuller, Clerk

A bsent: A. W. Williamson

Ordered: that J. L. Robinson act as Chairman Pro Tem in the absence of the Chairman, Mr. A. W. Williamson.

The following business was transacted.

Ordered: that D. E. Blackwell, Chadbourn Township, be refunded \$6.00 for double payment of court cost, and that the Robert J. Jackson Est. and Roseanna Jackson tax suits be non-suited and no cost allowed.

Ordered: that Mrs. Hazel B. Edwards, Evergreen, N. C., Tatum Township, 1936 tax, be cancelled and the tax collector be refunded therefor.

Ordered: that no mileage be allowed the Coroner on investigations and inquests.

Ordered: that Mr. C. B. Ray, Bladen County man, be admitted to County Home at \$25.00 per month.

Ordered: that until further notice, the office hours for court house employees shall be from 9:00 A. M. until 5:00 P. M.

Ordered: that D. M. Jolly be allowed to settle his tax note at 10% flat.

Ordered: that Whiteville National Farm Loan Association, Whiteville Twp., 1943 tax of \$3.69 be cancelled due to error in listing, and that the tax collector be refunded therefor.

Ordered: that Mr. A. D. Peacock, Chadbourn, N. C., be named as Registrar of Vital Statistics in Chadbourn Township.

Ordered: that Bertha Mitchell, Ransom Township, be refunded by General County voucher, the amount of \$1.81, due to double payment on 1940 tax.

Ordered: that 3 9/10 acre tract listed by Vance Watkins in Whiteville Township for 1943 and valued at \$466.00 be reduced to 2 acres and valued at \$350.00, and that the tax collector be refunded on \$116.00 valuation.

Ordered: that the tax collector be refunded \$42.75 on the 1943 tax of James Graham, Waccamaw Township, due to error in computation.

Ordered: that the Chairman and Clerk be authorized and instructed to sign Debt Service Fund vouchers totalling \$5,973.64 to pay interest and exchange due November 1, 1943.

Ordered: that Foster L. Smith, _____ Township, be refunded by General County voucher, \$3.56 due to double listing of \$265 valuation for year 1942.

Ordered: that one \$1,000 Town of Tabor City Water and Sewer Bond #4 due 10-1-43 placed with Wachovia Bank and Trust Company, Raleigh, N. C. by Waccamaw Bank and Trust Company, Whiteville, N. C. for security of deposits of Columbus County be released, and in lieu thereof, three \$1,000 State of North Carolina 4½% Bonds be placed with said Wachovia Bank and Trust Company.

Ordered: that order passed _____ enabling Mr. J. W. Brinkley, Bolton Township, to settle under compromise be extended 30 days.

Ordered: that \$570.00 valuation listed in 1943 to Douglas Smith, Bogue Township, be cancelled as same is listed to his wife, Louise Smith.

Ordered: that Charlotte Gardner's tax foreclosed property be sold to Charlotte Pet McCoy for \$62.83 and deed be executed therefor.

Ordered: that the taxes listed to Luke Moore Heirs in Welches Creek Township for the years 1942 and 1943 be cancelled and a refund be issued to the tax collector as this property is double-listed to J. C. Dease Jr.

Ordered: that the 1943 tax of Guaranty Mortgage and Investment Company in Bolton Township be cancelled and a refund be issued to the tax collector as this property is double-listed to Hugh McRae and Co., Inc.

Ordered: that the 1939 tax in Williams Township of Katie Bell Phipps be segregated so that James W. Peay can pay taxes on the 20 acres of Roseland land that he purchased from Willie Small and wife, said land being listed to Katie Bell Phipps in 1939, and the valuation for James W. Peay to pay on be placed at \$850.00; and upon payment of the taxes on such valuation, the said 20 acres of Roseland land shall be released from the tax lien for 1939.

Ordered: that tax for 1940 in Bug Hill Township listed to J. H. Stanley be cancelled and the tax collector be given a refund as this tax was listed to J. H. Stanley in Lees Township and said taxes paid.

RESOLUTION

Simmons Bay Road, Southward side of Swamp,
in front of O. L. Smith's place.

North Carolina
County of Columbus

REQUEST FOR ADDITION
TO
STATE MAINTAINED COUNTY ROAD SYSTEM

Whereas, the attached petition has been filed with the Board of County Comm-

Commissioners of the county of Columbus requesting that the above described road be added to the system of county roads now maintained by the State Highway and Public Works Commission; and,

Whereas, the Board of County Commissioners, after careful investigation, deems the proposed addition of said road to the County Road System and its maintenance by the State Highway and Public Works Commission necessary to adequately serve the citizens of said county.

Now, therefore, the State Highway and Public Works Commission is requested to take said road over for maintenance and the addition of said road and revisions in location deemed necessary by the State Highway and Public Works Commission are hereby approved.

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RESOLUTION

No. 1

ORDERED: that the following resolution be recorded relative to borrowing Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.00) Dollars for General School 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 School purposes be executed in the sum of Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.00) Dollars dated October 14, 1943, maturing January 14, 1944.

The above note bearing interest at the rate of one and three-fourths (1 3/4%) percent per annum, interest payable to BEARER at First Citizens Bank and Trust Company, Raleigh, N. C. in anticipation of the receipt of taxes and other revenue of the current fiscal year, 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 at maturity.

NOTE

No. 1

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF

\$15,000.00

COLUMBUS

REVENUE ANTICIPATION
NOTE

The County of Columbus, in the State of North Carolina, hereby acknowledges itself indebted and for value received promises to pay to the bearer in lawful money of the United States of America the sum of Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.00) Dollars on the 14th day of January, 1944, with interest thereon from date at the rate of

1 3/4 % per annum. Both principal and interest on this note are payable at FIRST CITIZENS BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA.

This note is issued pursuant to the County Finance Act, as amended, and a resolution duly adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of said County for necessary expenses and for the purpose of paying the principal or interest of bonds or notes due or to become due within four months and not otherwise adequately provided for, and in anticipation of the receipt of taxes and other revenue of the current fiscal year.

It is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things required by the Statutes and Constitution of the State of North Carolina to be performed, happen and exist precedent to and in the issuance of this note have been performed, have happened and exist, and that this note is within every debt and other limitation prescribed by said statutes and Constitution. For the prompt payment hereof, both principal and interest as the same fall due, the full faith and credit of said County are hereby irrevocably pledged.

In witness whereof, the said County of Columbus has caused this note to be signed by the Chairman of its Board of County Commissioners and by the Clerk of said Board and its corporate seal to be impressed hereon, all as of the 14th day of October, 1943.

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

M. K. Fuller	Sept. salary	- County Auditor & Pur. Agent	211.80
Lila Mae Powell	" "	Assisting Auditor	115.00
H. D. Stanley	" "	Sheriff	243.80
W. H. Bullard	" "	Assisting Sheriff and travel	195.20
Horace L. Shaw	" "	Fingerprint Expert	88.90
D. L. Gore	" "	C.S.C., etc.	259.40
Mabel Butler	" "	Assistant C.S.C.	149.40
Margaret H. Gore	" "	Assisting C.S.C.	80.00
Leo L. Fisher	" "	Register of Deeds	212.20
Anna Belle Lane	" "	Assisting Reg. of Deeds	119.80
Gladys G. Wooten	" "	" " "	88.40
A. M. Auger	" "	Janitor	98.30
E. K. Proctor	" "	Pros. Atty. & County Atty.	170.20
Mamie B. Galimberti	2	Tax Supervisor	119.80
Paul J. Williamson	" "	Judge Rec. Court	147.10
Mrs. Johnsie R. Nunn	" "	Welfare Officer	170.40
Mrs. Frances H. Elliott	" "	Gasworker	108.30
Mrs. Elwood Weaver	" "	Assisting Welfare Officer	108.30
Margaret Lee McDaniel	" "	" " "	62.40
C. D. Raper	" "	County Agent	122.70
J. P. Quinerly	" "	Assisting County Agent	88.06
Dorothy Batten	" "	" " "	74.06
Marie Collier	" "	" " "	13.00
Genevieve Eakes	" "	Home Dem. Agent	84.06
Raymond B. Mallard	" "	Tax Attorney	146.00
Annie Lou Cowan	" "	County Home Keeper	88.40
Rosier Williams	" "	County Farm Supt.	50.00
Kelly Johnson	" "	County Farmer	60.00
J. W. Warlick	" "	Assisting County Agent	33.33
Miss Lou Sibbett	" "	Work at County Home	25.00
Mrs. Jane Bass	" "	" " "	25.00
A. E. Powell, P.M.	To postage for Welfare Office		30.00
Dr. R. B. Whitaker	To Expert Witness fees		15.00
Dr. Rossie Williamson	" " " "		15.00
J. W. Ward	To 4 days Grand Jury Officer and mileage		17.00
Dave Long	To 5 days Court Officer and mileage		21.80
Dr. G. B. Walton	To Expert Witness fees		15.00
Elmer Wright	To conveying prisoner		1.70
J. B. Fore	To mileage - inspecting schools		7.00
J. H. Whitehead	" " "		5.00

W. A. Wier	To mileage - inspecting schools	5.00
Fred Spivey	" " "	8.00
F. O. Carter	To conveying prisoner	7.00
Mrs. M. A. Waddell	To meeting Welfare Board and mileage	7.00
K. Clyde Council	" " " "	6.20
Dr. R. C. Sadler	" " " "	5.10
Foster L. Smith	To refund on valuation due to error in listing	3.56
State Dept. of Cons. & Dev.	To amount due as of 9-1-43	87.28
Monroe Calculating Mch. Co.	To maintenance as per contract	6.00
The Worrell Mfg. Co.	To account - partpayment	316.23
Storr Engraving Co.	To account - Reg. of Deeds	12.78
Joe D. Sikes	To inquest - Gordon Buck	15.50
Burkhead-DeVane Ptg. Co.	To account - C.S.C.	61.25
A. E. Powell, P.M.	To postage for Reg. of Deeds	67.68
Kathleen Hayes	To 26 days assisting Reg. of Deeds	71.20
Marie Cook	To 17 days assisting Tax Supervisor	46.58
Rosier Williams	To Sept. support of jail	499.00
W. A. Williams ✓	To fertilizer for County Farm	570.00
D. E. Blackwell	To refund on court cost due to double-payment	6.00
Gov. J. M. Broughton	To notary commission for Mrs. Maybelle Weaver	5.00
Worth Reporting Co.	To reporting court - Sept. term	75.00
H. L. Shaw	To conveying prisoners	44.30
Charles D. Raper	To box rent for County Agent's office	1.00
Schulken Bros.	To account	14.39
Mrs. David Butler	To corn for County Home	2.50
J. C. Lennon	To account - County Home	57.60
Sinclair Ref. Co.	To account - County Home	5.60
Town of Whiteville	To Sept. water bill	21.65
Vineland Ice Co.	To ine account for Sept.	18.60
The Selig Co.	To account - County Home	5.81
Western Union	To Aug. accounts	3.26
Worth Printing Co.	To account - Register of Deeds	16.11
W. G. Spaulding	To Sept. account	21.35
F. B. Foster	To repairs at Court House and County Home	15.25
F. T. Wooten	To premium on Policy - County Home	1,235.00
H. Hugh Nance	To investigations and inquests	29.50
Harold Turner	To inquest - Floyd Meares	3.00
Mrs. J. P. Quinerly	To taking evidence - inquest Floyd Meares	3.00
R. C. Grainger	To inquest - Floyd Meares	3.00
Haygood Owens	" " "	3.00
Paul Edwards	" " "	3.00
Warren Nobles	" " "	3.00
Shep Cooper	" " "	3.00
Columbus Telephone Co.	To account	89.45
Kee Lox Mfg. Co.	To account - Register of Deeds	11.50
Burkhead-DeVane Ptg. Co.	To account - Register of Deeds	234.05
Mrs. Leone C. Quinerly	To assisting Tax Collector during Sept.	109.40
Joanne Baldwin	" " " "	88.40
Marie Cooke	To 10 days assisting Tax Collector	27.40
J. L. Robinson	To 1 day on Board and mileage	6.00
J. A. Hooks	1 " " " "	5.20
J. C. Stanley	1 " " " "	6.60
Bertha Mitchell	To refund on 1941 tax due to being double paid	1.81
Mrs. Frances H. Elliott	To Sept. mileage	30.70
Mrs. Johnsie R. Nunn	" " "	62.50
B. L. Martin	To commissions on tax collections	1,765.74
Waccamaw Bk. & Tr. Co.	To withholding tax for month of Sept.	690.42
Tide Water Power Co.	To account	84.14
The News Reporter Co., Inc.	To account - Tax Supervisor	312.75
W. H. Powell & J. K. Powell, Attys.	To Special Atty. fees	100.00
M. K. Fuller	To advance on Oct. salary	100.00
A. W. Williamson	To refund - Cerro Gordo Obs. Post	3.00
A. W. Williamson	To 1 day Committee work and mileage	6.50
W. L. Hobbs	1 " on Board and mileage	8.00
Out Door Poor Vouchers	Total	47.00
Insolvent Vouchers	Total	157.87

Ordered: that the following refunds be granted:

Vance Watkins	1943 tax	To adjust taxes as per order of Board	\$ 1.55
Mrs. W. J. Cashwell	1940 tax	" " " " " "	5.63

Ordered: that Kelly Johnson be paid \$15.00 additional salary, said amount as pay for firing boiler at County Home.

Ordered: that Mrs. Lucy White, _____ Township, be refunded \$10.00 due to being overcharged on 1942 taxes.

Ordered: that Isaac Gatling Smith foreclosed property, Bug Hill Township, be sold to Isaac Gatling Smith for \$30.19 and deed be executed therefor.

On motion, meeting was adjourned until Monday, November 1, 1943.

Approved:

M. K. Fuller
Clerk

A. W. Williamson
Chairman

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office Monday, November 1, 1943, it being first Monday. Members of the Board present:

- A. W. Williamson, Chairman
- J. L. Robinson
- J. A. Hooks
- W. L. Hobbs
- J. C. Stanley

M. K. Fuller, Clerk

The following business was transacted:

Ordered: that M. E. Reaves, Bolton Township, be refunded \$2.00 Poll tax for 1943 due to being past 50 years of age.

Ordered: that James Thomas Williams, col., Ransom Township, be admitted to County Home.

Ordered: that mileage be allowed coroner when no inquest is held.

Ordered: that the 38 acre tract W. A. Brown property, Ransom Township, valued \$1415 be segregated so that John William Brown can pay 1942 and 1943 tax on 10 acres at a valuation of \$715.

Ordered: that Court House employees be given November 11th as a holiday in observance of Armistice Day.