

Ordered: that the following refunds be granted:

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| C.L. Garrell | 1943 Tax | To adjust taxes due to error as per order of Board | \$84.42 |
| Slade A. Smith | 1927 Tax | To cancel as per order of Board 3/6/44 | 20.19 |
| Slade A. Smith | 1929 Tax | " " " " " " " " | 17.04 |
| Slade A. Smith | 1930 Tax | " " " " " " " " | 22.80 |
| Slade A. Smith | 1931 Tax | " " " " " " " " | 11.62 |
| Slade A. Smith | 1932 Tax | " " " " " " " " | 14.76 |
| Slade A. Smith | 1933 Tax | " " " " " " " " | 11.45 |
| Slade A. Smith | 1934 Tax | " " " " " " " " | 11.44 |
| Slade A. Smith | 1930 Tax | " " " " " " " " | 7.07 |
| T.W. Webb Heirs | 1941 Tax | To adjust taxes as per order of Board | 3.00 |
| Clara Rockwell | 1943 Tax | Error double listed | 4.35 |
| Clara Rockwell | 1942 Tax | " " " " | 5.23 |
| Clara Rockwell | 1941 Tax | " " " " | 5.27 |
| Clara Rockwell | 1940 Tax | " " " " | 4.89 |
| Clara Rockwell | 1939 Tax | " " " " | 4.26 |
| G.M. Jolly | 1923 Tax | " " " " | 13.94 |
| G.M. Jolly | 1926 Tax | " " " " | 21.31 |
| G.M. Jolly | 1927 Tax | " " " " | 21.71 |
| G.M. Jolly | 1928 Tax | " " " " | 22.02 |
| G.M. Jolly | 1929 Tax | " " " " | 17.55 |
| Lychurus Roberts | 1942 Tax | To cancel Poll Tax due to being in armed Service | 2.00 |

On motion, Meeting was adjourned until June 5m 1944.

Approved:

M. J. Fuller
Clerk

Arthur W. Williamson
Chairman

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office Monday June 5, 1944, 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 one house and lot valued at \$1050.00 be segregated from the Porter Hufham Estate, Ransom Township, so that Mrs. Kate Marks can pay taxes due thereon.

Ordered: that bid of County on T.G. Sessions foreclosed property be transferred to A.H. Sessions,

Ordered: that Jacob Rowell, Ransom Township, be allowed to pay Taxes due for 1938 and prior at par plus 6% ^{Less Court Cost} provided taxes are paid in full to date and within 30 days from date.

Ordered: that Tax Collector be refunded on \$250.00 Valuation on property listed by G.E. Crenshaw, Welches Creek Township for year 1944.

Ordered: that resignation tendered by Paul J. Williamson as Judge of the Recorder's Court be accepted.

Ordered: that 53¢ of the tax rate be authorized for the school budget for 1944-1945.

Ordered: that McAdoo Williams, County Farmer be paid \$100.00 per month instead of \$75.00 effective as of May 1, 1944.

Ordered: that M.K. Fuller, County Auditor be paid \$275.00 per month instead of \$235.00 effective as of May 1, 1944.

Ordered: that the balance in the Revolving Fund at 6-30-44 be transferred to the General County Fund.

Ordered: that the report on County funds and records, and the settlement of B.L. Martin made by S.P. Douglas, C.P.A. be accepted and approved.

Ordered: that resignation of Mrs. Lila Mae Powell as assistant to the County Auditor, effective as of May 15, 1944 be accepted.

Ordered: that Miss Bertha Long be appointed as assistant to the County auditor to succeed Mrs. Lila Mae Powell at a salary of \$150.00 per month.

Ordered: that the Chairman and Clerk be authorized to sign Bond Interest and Redemption Fund check in the amount of \$21,218.45 to pay debt service due 7-1-44 at Central Hanover Bank & Trust Company, New York City.

Ordered: that the Chairman and Clerk be authorized to sign Bond Interest and Redemption Fund Check in the amount of \$1,707.77 to pay school debt service due 7-1-44 at Central Hanover Bank & Trust Co, New York City.

Ordered: that the Chairman and Clerk be authorized to sign Bond Interest and Redemption Fund check in the amount of \$751.88 to pay School debt service due 7-1-44 at National City Bank, New York City.

Ordered: that County's part for Health (Cooperative) Budget for 1944-45 be approved for \$8,500.00 and the unexpended balance at 6-30-44.

Ordered: that the Welfare Budget for 1944-45 for Administration be approved same as 1943-44 plus unexpended balance at 6-30-44.

Ordered: that the Sheriff summon the following good and lawful men to serve as jurors at the June term of Court 1944:

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| Bogue | Audry Young Vance R. Pope |
| Bolton | Brady H. Brown W.P. Smith |
| Bug Hill | M.D. Canady D.N. Gore |
| Chadbourn | Grady Hinson Geo W. Dove W.C. Horne |
| Cerro Gordo | D.C. Collins F.M. Hayes Sr. Harvey Coleman |
| Fair Bluff | R.F. King C.W. Shelley |
| Lees | Braxton Smith C.A. Reaves |
| Ransom | Walton A. Woodburn John Morris Sr. |
| Tatum | Emory Martin J.O. Williamson Sr. |
| Waccamaw | M.L. Hobbs |
| Welches Creek | J.O. Baldwin |
| Western Prong | Wilson Edwards |
| Williams | D. Lucian Gore Elbert Wright D.F. Ward |
| South Williams | L.J. Norris B. Worth Fowler J.S. Rogers |
| Whiteville | Elroy Hinson W.E. Hooks N.C. Braxton |

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

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| M.K. Fuller | To May salary - County Auditor & Pur. Agent | \$111.80 |
| Lila Mae Powell | " " " Assisting Auditor | 58.00 |
| Bertha Long | " " " " | 130.40 |
| H.D. Stanley | " " " Sheriff | 243.80 |
| W.H. Bullard | " " " Assisting Sheriff and travel | 195.20 |
| Horace Shaw | " " " Fingerprint expert | 88.90 |
| D.L. Gore | " " " Clerk Superior Court etc. | 259.40 |
| Mabel B. Townsend | " " " Ass't Clerk Sup. Court | 159.80 |
| Margaret Gore | " " " Assisting C.S. Court | 80.00 |
| Leo L. Fisher | " " " Register of Deeds | 212.20 |
| Anna Belle Lane | " " " Assisting Register of Deeds | 119.80 |
| Gladys G. Wooten | " " " " " " " | 88.40 |
| Kathleen Hayes | " " " " " " " | 77.40 |
| A.M. Auger | " " " Janitor | 98.30 |
| Mrs. Annie Lou Cowan | " " " County Home Keeper | 88.40 |
| Miss Lou Sibbett | " " " Work at County Home | 25.00 |
| Mrs. Jane Bass | " " " " " " " | 25.00 |
| McAdoo Williams | " " " County Farmer | 75.00 |
| Rosier Williams | " " " County Farm Supt. | 50.00 |
| E.K. Proctor | " " " County Atty & Pros. Attorney | 170.20 |
| Venie Harrelson | " " " Tax Supervisor | 119.80 |
| Mrs. Johnsie R. Nunn | " " " Welfare Officer | 170.40 |
| Sibyl Sholar | " " " Caseworker | 98.40 |
| Mrs. Elwood Weaver | " " " Assisting Welfare Officer | 108.30 |
| Margaret L. McDaniel | " " " " " " | 65.40 |
| C.D. Raper | " " " County Farm Agent | 122.70 |
| J.P. Quinerly | " " " Ass't " " | 88.06 |
| Dorothy Batten | " " " Assisting Farm Agent | 74.06 |
| Marie C. Collier | " " " " " " | 25.00 |

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| Dorothy Davis | To May Salary - Assisting Farm Agent | 27.00 |
| J.G. Warlick | " " " " " " | 33.33 |
| Kyard Brown | " " " " " " | 10.00 |
| Genevieve Eakes | " " " Home Dem. Agent | 84.06 |
| Mrs. Leona C. Quinterly | " " " Assisting Tax Collector | 109.40 |
| Joanne Baldwin | " " " " " " | 77.40 |
| A.E. Powell, Postmaster | To Postage - Welfare Department | 30.00 |
| State Commission For The Blind | - Monthly Appropriation | 94.45 |
| A.W. Williamson | To Reimbursement for Cerro Gordo Obs. Post | 1.50 |
| J.M. Prince | To 61 Miles investigating Schools Feb Term | 3.05 |
| J.W. Ward | To 3 days grand Jury Officer and mileage | 13.00 |
| L.R. Wayne | To Conveying Pearl Lavender to H. Hill | 3.00 |
| C.B. Best | To " Blanche Suggs to Jail | 3.90 |
| Local Gov't Commission | To: One \$15,000 renewal revenue anticipation Note | .35 |
| Dave Long | To Court Officer and Mileage | 17.80 |
| Worth Reporting Co | To Services as Court Reporter May Term | 75.00 |
| McKenzie Funeral Service | To Disenterring, removal for post mortem etc | 50.00 |
| Tide Water Power Co | To April Account | 102.48 |
| Columbus Motor Co | To Wrench | 3.50 |
| R.J. Behton Agt. | To Freight No. 3247 | .98 |
| Miller Motor Express | To Invoice No. A64966 | .73 |
| H.L. Shaw | To Conveying Prisoners & Mileage, Capturing Still | 24.40 |
| F.O. Carter | To Capturing W. Still | 10.00 |
| Folmer Graflex Corp. | To Repairs Fingerprint Camera, etc | 19.05 |
| Willie Hammond | To Repairs to Typewriter and adding machine | 20.00 |
| Mabel B. Townsend | To Reindexing Judgements | 40.00 |
| Veda Merle Avant | To 27 days work on Tax Books | 73.98 |
| Myrtle Nance | " " " " " " | 73.98 |
| Myrtle Willis | " " " " " " | 73.98 |
| Betty Elliott | " 13 " " " " | 35.62 |
| Mrs. Bessie Powell | " 25 " " " " | 74.02 |
| Mrs. Lois F. Lewis | " 27 " " " " | 79.95 |
| Mrs. C.D. Pickerell | " 6 " " " " | 17.77 |
| Clarence Thompson | To Member Board of Election | 13.60 |
| Margaret Byrd | To 16 days clerical assistance to Board of election | 48.00 |
| Dixon Malpass | To 3 " Assisting Chairman of " " " | 9.00 |
| James W. Peay | To Member of Board of election 4 days & mileage | 20.00 |
| Bertha Long | To Registrar of election | 31.80 |
| A.B. Ward | To Judge of Election | 4.00 |
| W.L. Bullard | " " " " | 4.00 |
| Mrs. W.B. Ross | To Registrar of election | 31.50 |
| Tom Sarvis | To Judge of election | 4.00 |
| Mathew Ward | " " " " | 4.00 |
| A.H. Lennon | To Registrar of election | 32.50 |
| Mrs. Esther Bullock | To Judge of election | 4.00 |
| Elizabeth Pridgen | " " " " | 4.00 |
| Mrs. Edna R. Prevatt | " " " " | 4.00 |
| Dan L. High | " " " " | 4.40 |
| J.E. Gilmore | To Registrar of election | 30.00 |
| L.R. Suggs | " Judge of election | 4.00 |
| V.A. Marlowe | " Registrar of election | 31.50 |
| Allie Simmons | " Judge of election | 4.00 |
| J.L. Pierce | " " " " | 4.00 |
| Mrs. Mildred Thompson | " " " " | 4.00 |
| J.W. Jackson | To Registrar of " | 32.60 |
| Mrs. A. B. Buffkin | " " " " | 30.70 |
| W.B. Buffkin | To Judge of election | 4.00 |
| Charlie Tedder | " " " " | 4.00 |
| Miss Lillie Dickson | " Registrar of " | 31.00 |
| L.W. Chauncey | " Judge of " | 4.00 |
| G.T. Sutton | " " " " | 4.00 |
| L.C. Stanley | " Registrar of election | 38.00 |
| Austin G. Long | " Judge of " | 4.00 |
| Kemzie Long | " " " " | 4.00 |
| D.L. McKeithan | " Registrar of " | 33.30 |
| M.M. Ray | " Judge of " | 4.00 |
| L.L. Smith | " " " " | 4.00 |
| Paul B. Avant | " Registrar of " | 33.43 |
| R.R. Koons | " Judge of " | 4.00 |
| W.C. Edmund | " " " " | 4.00 |
| M.G. Green | " " " " | 4.00 |
| J.H. Honeycutt | " " " " | 4.00 |
| P.E. Williams | " Registrar of " | 34.50 |
| W.A. Baldwin | " " " " | 30.90 |
| A.J. Callihan | " Judge of election | 4.00 |
| C.D. Brown | " " " " | 4.00 |
| L.A. Williams | " Registrar of " | 31.70 |
| Carl Stephens | " Judge of election | 4.00 |
| D.R. Hunt | " " " " | 4.00 |
| C.B. Best | " " " " | 4.00 |
| M.J. Suggs | " " " " | 4.00 |
| J.A. Gore | Registrar of " | 32.00 |
| H.C. Baldwin Jr. | " " " " | 30.70 |
| W.O. Baldwin | To Judge " " | 4.00 |
| M.W. Thompson | " " " " | 4.00 |

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| Zeb Green | To Judge of election | 4.00 |
| A.P. Worley | " " " " | 4.00 |
| Mrs. J.F. Baldwin | " " " " | 4.00 |
| F.L. Fipps Jr. | " " " " | 4.00 |
| A.J. Kissam | " " " " | 4.00 |
| J.O. Williamson Sr | " " " " | 4.00 |
| Walter T. Mottinger | " " " " | 4.00 |
| Tom Ballard | " " " " | 4.00 |
| Seymore Ray | " " " " | 4.00 |
| S.B. Ward | " " " " | 4.00 |
| Alton Soles | " " " " | 4.00 |
| J.K. Best | " " " " | 4.00 |
| M.V. Hinson | " " " " | 4.00 |
| Spruell Britt | " " " " | 4.00 |
| J.A. Turner | To Registrar of " | 37.00 |
| Herman C. Williams | " " " " | 30.50 |
| E.W. Stanley | " " " " | 34.50 |
| Ernest Dyson | " " " " | 30.00 |
| Page Benton | " " " " | 35.50 |
| Joseph Hayes | " " " " | 35.10 |
| L.L. Gore | " " " " | 36.80 |
| Lila Mae Powell | To Training New Bookkeeper | 150.00 |
| Mrs. Johnsie R. Nunn | To May Mileage | 58.35 |
| Sibyl Sholar | To May Mileage | 20.55 |
| Rosier Williams | To May support of Jail | 316.20 |
| Columbus County News | To May invoices | 95.00 |
| A.E. Powell P.M. | To Postage - Register of Deeds | 5.00 |
| Mrs. Geo C. Greene | To 27 days clerical work in R of Deeds | 79.95 |
| W.H. Bullard | To Conveying prisoners | 15.00 |
| H.L. Shaw | " " " | 15.00 |
| Mitchell Printing Co | To May account | 10.67 |
| Ellis Meares Hdwe Co | To Inv. 45104 | 3.00 |
| B.L. Martin | To Commission on Tax Collections | 360.97 |
| Tide Water Power Co | To May account | 77.52 |
| R.B. McRoy & Co | " April " - County Home | 69.56 |
| W.G. Spaulding | " May " | 16.50 |
| American Tent-Awning Co | To Inv. 1263 | 34.09 |
| Schulken's | To Account | 5.95 |
| Vineland Ice Company | To May Account | 15.00 |
| R.H. Burns, Sr. | To May Salary - Judge Recorders Court | 140.80 |
| F.C.X. Service | To May Account | 63.25 |
| Waccamaw Milling Co | To Account | 18.20 |
| W.H. Bullard | To capturing W. Still | 10.00 |
| C.C. Lizotte | To repairing roof as per contract | 135.00 |
| Thomas Stanley | To repairs to septic Tank- County Home | 42.30 |
| Columbus Tel. Co | To May Phone Service & Calls | 88.40 |
| Rosier Williams | To Harvesting Wheat & oats - Reimbursement | 32.50 |
| J.C. Stanley | To 1 day on Board and Mileage | 6.60 |
| Kee Lox Mfg Co | To invoice No. 45636 | 11.50 |
| S. Preston Douglas | To Balance on Audit as per contract | 537.50 |
| Mrs. Venie Best | To meals for Jurors | 9.28 |
| J.A. Hooks | To 1 day on Board and Mileage | 5.20 |
| A.W. Williamson | " " " " " " | 6.50 |
| J.L. Robinson | " " " " " " | 6.00 |
| W.L. Hobbs | " " " " " " | 8.00 |
| Waccamaw Bank & Trust Co | - Withholding Tax on County Employees | 364.95 |
| M.K. Fuller | To Salary increase for County Auditor | 40.00 |
| McAdoo Williams | " " " " " Farmer | 25.00 |
| F.C.X. Service | " April Account | 71.05 |
| J.C. Lennon | To May " | 28.65 |
| Town of Whiteville | To May water bill | 19.55 |
| N.C. Dept Conser & Develop. | To May appropriation | 277.32 |
| Henry Teachy | To Excavating Baby Bellamy for examination | 15.00 |
| A.E. Powell Jr. | To Chairman of Election | 155.50 |
| Athens Boiler & Machine Works | - To advance to school Fund as per order | 382.95 |

On Motion, Meeting was adjourned until July 3, 1944.

Approved:

M. J. Sumner
Clerk

Arthur W. Williams
Chairman