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The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in regular session May 3, 1954, at 10:00 A. M., it being first Monday.

The following members were present:

L. P. Ward, Chairman

Charles R. Council

Lacy R. Thompson

L. P. Stephens

W. B. Buffkin

Alice S. Burns, Clerk

The following business was transacted:

Ordered: that public assistance budgets be tentatively approved as submitted by Mrs. Alice S. Wright, Supt. of Public Welfare

Ordered: that Board of Commissioners will apply to W. E. Easterling Secretary of Local Government Commission, after July 1, 1954, for authorization to refinance bonds for the necessary funds required of the county for the erection of a County Health Center not to exceed \$19,000.00

Ordered: that tentative budget of Columbus County Health Dept. be approved to include full time salaries of Dr. Johnson and Miss Mary Floyd, with one salary increase to allow \$120.00 increase for Cecil C. Edwards, Sanitarian, as this increase is required by the N. C. Merit System.

Ordered: that the tax of Kate D. Reaves in South Williams Township for each of years 1951, 1952, and 1953 be permitted to be settled by paying the tax on \$275.00 valuation for each of these years, and the tax collector given a release for the remainder of said tax, as there was error in the valuation of same for each of said years.

Ordered: that Mrs. Kate Williamson, Cerro Gordo Township, be given a refund of 75¢ for dog vaccination certificate.

Ordered: that L. G. Graham tax, South Williams Township, for years 1931, 1932, 1933, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940 and Lees Township for years 1937, 1938, and 1939, be cancelled and tax collector given a release as this was listed in error.

Ordered: that Emily Vefnon Hill, Chadbourn Township, Chadbourn N. C., be given a refund in the amount of \$5.24 due to a 1952 Desota Club Coupe being listed at \$1766.00 rather than \$1490.00.

Ordered: that the tax of Willie George in Waccamaw Township for the years 1935 and 1936 be segregated so that Reigel Corporation may pay the tax on 114 acres owned by them and that the valuation on this 114 acres be fixed at one half of the real property valuation for each of said years and that no costs or penalty be added thereto.

ROAD PETITIONS

1. Road is need for land owners and settlers straight from the A. C. L. Railroad known as the Asque Crossing located approximately 2 miles south-west of Delco proper, and leading to the W. J. Webb plantaion, a distance of about $\frac{1}{2}$ mile.

Ordered: that the Sheriff summon the following lawful men and women to serve as jurors at the June Term of Court, 1954:

Ben T. Pierce	Hallsboro
Azier Cartrette	Chadbourn
W. D. Brooks	Evergreen
T. M. McKenzie	Whiteville
Carl Wooten	Clarkton
Eugene M. Smith	Bladenboro
F. J. Corbett	237 W. Columbus St., Whiteville
Paul B. Wyche	Hallsboro
J. R. Blake, Jr.	Chadbourn
H. Archie Harrelson	R-3, Whiteville
E. C. Fisher	Tabor City
Edmund Clewis	R-4, Whiteville
Joe L. Champion	R-1, Delco
Royal Pierce	Hallsboro
Grover McKee	Whiteville
Milton Carroll	R-4, Whiteville
A. Brady Bass	Whiteville
Willard H. Capps	Whiteville
H. H. Crozier	Whiteville
M. D. Watts	R-4, Whiteville
W. C. Horne	R-2, Chadbourn
M. T. Johnson	R-1, Delco
Paul Baldwin	R-2, Whiteville
Doctor Weaver Nance	R-, Boardman
E. T. High	R-2, Whiteville
J. B. Estelle	Delco
Dennis Lovette	R-2, Tabor City
Macon Worth Shaw	Evergreen
E. S. Hayes	Cerro Gordo
C. D. Brown	R-2, Clarkton
E. K. Fuller	Whiteville
Archie Belton Bartley	R-1, Boardman
Andrew Kramick	Delco
Charlie J. Hooks	Whiteville
O. C. Beck	Clarendon
Joseph C. Gore	R-1, Nakina
Earl Edge	Clarendon
Harvey Jones	Nakina
A. G. Long	R-1, Nakina
Joseph H. Faircloth	Whiteville

Ordered: that the following county bills be allowed and paid:

R. B. Mallard	To April Salary -	County Attorney (1400)	220.50
Venie H. Rouse	"	Asst. Tax Supervisor	197.60
W. A. Weir	"	Tax Collector, etc.	351.10
Lolly G. Johnson	"	Assisting Tax Collector	200.40
Helen Weir	"	"	131.80
H. Hugh Nance	"	Sheriff & Travel	412.93
Horace Logg	"	Assisting Sheriff & Travel	369.60
L. R. Wayne	"	"	369.60
A. L. Duke	"	"	364.20
Thurman C. Butler	"	"	359.60
W. T. Stover	"	"	364.20
Horace Shaw	"	Fingerprint Expert & Travel	368.20
Town of Whiteville	"	Radio Operator	95.00
Alice S. Burns	"	County Accountant	284.90
Rosier Williams	"	Janitor	160.20
A. M. Auger	"	Janitor	73.50
Leo L. Fisher	"	Register of Deeds	300.58
Anna Belle Lane	"	Assisting Register of Deeds	184.00
Gladys G. Wooten	"	"	155.80
Etha Lee Green	"	"	150.60
Sarah Fay White	"	"	131.40
Carolyn Burchette	"	"	116.20
Ellen Sherill	"	Nurses Aid at Boarding Home	73.50
Alice S. Wright	"	Welfare Supt.	268.20
Nell Wilson	"	Caseworkers Asst.	185.60
Minette Graham	"	"	185.60
Pearl H. Fowler	"	"	159.60
Marigene P. Lytton	"	"	175.60
Maebelle Weaver	"	"	184.00
Margaret Lee MacDaniel	"	Assisting Welfare Supt.	158.00
Leota H. Hodges	"	"	159.30
Archie F. Martin	"	Asst. Farm Agent	137.70
Mary Wade Robinson	"	Assisting Farm Agent	81.60
Dorothy L. Miller	"	"	85.90
Olivia George	"	" (Negro)	50.00
J. M. Spaulding	"	Negro Farm Agent	138.70
C. D. Raper	"	County Agent	183.60
Elaine N. Blake	"	Home Dem. Agent	120.90
Doris C. Garrell	"	Asst. "	98.00
Dorothy D. Spivey	"	Assisting P. M. A.	78.40
Mrs. Allyn Smith	"	"	39.10
Columbus County Library Fund		To County Appropriation	250.00
Thurston Formy Duval, Jr.	"	Service Officer	246.40
Jewel W. Dunivant	"	Asst. C. S. C.	201.30
Elneta Collins	"	Assisting C. S. C.	143.25
Mary Lou White	"	"	134.20
Lee J. Greer	"	Clerk of Superior Court, etc.	346.58
W. E. Harrelson	"	Judge of Recorders Court	229.60
Sankey W. Robinson	"	Prosecuting Attorney	177.80
N. B. Icard	"	Dog Warden	240.10
State Association of Co. Commissioners			25.00
N. C. Dept. of Motor Vehicles		To microfilm prints	80.94
Schulkens	To account		7.95
Storr Sales Co.	To account		78.00
Thomas Stanley	To account		18.00
Ellis Meares Hardware Co.	To account for Negro Agent		13.37
Worth D. Williamson	To Coroner's Investigations		193.71
Hilda Cartrette	To typing for Coroner's Jury		20.00
Carl Wooten	To Coroner Jury		5.00
Cecil Fitz	"		5.00
Wade Green	"		5.00
Jesse Godwin	"		5.00
Zeb Green	"		5.00
William Nobles	"		5.00
C. M. Fowler	"		5.00
H. E. Soles	"		5.00
S. C. Sarvis	"		5.00
Eldred Wadell	" (1467)		5.00
Keifer Grainger	"		5.00
William Wilkins	"		5.00
Dr. Ross Williamson	To professional servies for Coroner		10.00
Smith Funeral Home	"		15.00
Pres-to-line	To account for County Accountant		41.12
Al Harrison	To professional service s for Coroner		25.00
H. G. Reeves, ACLRR Agent	To freight on car of coal		259.48
Carolina Power & Light Co.	To account for County Home Bldg.		129.18
Maryland Coal and Coke Co.	To account for coal		280.88
Army Times	To account for Service Officer		8.67

Dr. W. E. Miller	To expert witness fees (1478)	\$ 25.00
Owen G. Dunn Co.	To account for Clerk of Court	91.33
Carolina Veterinary Supply Co.	To account for Dog Warden	315.00
Carolina Telephone & Telegraph	To account	203.03
Carolina Power & Light Co.	To account	94.43
Collier Gas Co., Inc.	To account	68.60
J. T. McKenzie & Co.	To account	21.00
Owen G. Dunn Co.	To account for Clerk of Court	22.66
Town of Whiteville	To account	12.00
Thurston Formy Duval, Jr.	To reimbursment	20.75
Mrs. Ann N. Talbott	To Welfare Board Meeting and Mileage	5.20
Mr. C. R. Council	"	6.20
Mr. J. L. Robinson	"	6.00
Lottie Howard	To April Salary - Maid	29.40
D. E. Daggett, Acting Postmaster	To May postage	40.00
Mrs. Lula Long	To Boarding Care of children	42.00
Mrs. J. W. Roberts	"	35.00
Mrs. A. B. Dawsey	"	70.00
Mrs. Leon Ellis	" (1497)	42.00
Mrs. Evelyn Pinkney	"	42.00
Alice S. Wright	To Mileage- April	55.24
Minette Graham	"	42.05
Pearl H. Fowler	"	45.72
Marigene P. Lytton	"	1.15
Fowler-Simmons Dept. Store	To account for child	1.94
Elaine N. Blake	To reimbursment	8.48
Commercial Printing Co.	To account for Clerk of Court	90.92
L. P. Ward, Chairman	To Board Meeting and Mileage	11.50
L. P. Stephens	"	11.50
C. R. Council	"	11.10
W. B. Buffkin	"	10.80
Lacy R. Thompson	"	10.70
Wooten's Business Equipment	To account (1512)	75.96
Clara P. Thompson	To work on tax books	144.48
Leola Pickerall	To work on tax books	152.98
Beulah Singletary	To work on tax books	134.48
Edna Buffkin	To work on tax books	122.62
Lois F. Lewis	To work on tax books	150.62
Mamie B. Galemberti	To assisting Register of Deeds	134.48
Mithcell Printing Co.	To "	24.79
Edwards & Broughton	To account for Register of Deeds	19.02
Owen G. Dunn Co.	To account for Register of Deeds	216.19
Storr Sales Co.	To account for Clerk of Court	2.63
Mazelle S. Icard	To 5 days assisting Dog Warden	24.50
N. B. Icard	To mileage	140.21
Powers & Anderson Surgical Instrument Co.	To account for Rabies Inspector	15.88
E. A. Fipps	To stills captured	10.00
Carolina Telephone & Telegraph Co.	To account	20.25
First National Bank of Whiteville	To April Withholding Tax	881.10
Hospital Saving Association	To April Hospital Insurance	104.45
A. E. Powell, Jr.	To Chairman Board of Elections (1530)	386.25
Patsy Sessions	To Clerk to Board of Elections	182.00
Robert E. Sessions	To 3 days Board of Elections	35.20
John W. Dwyer	To 2 days Board of Elections	20.00
Noel Dunivant	To 4 days Board of Elections	28.00
Whiteville Merchants Association	To account for Board of Elections	2.25
Leo Best	To moving voting machines	20.00
Donald R. Hunt	To April support of jail	903.00
Nell Wilson	To April mileage	43.54
Radio Service Co.	To account	72.50
Columbus County News	To account	16.80
A. M. Auger	To reimbursment	25.00
Dorothy L. Miller	To April Salary replaced as stop	85.90
Burns Bros., Contractors	payment order has been placed for No. 1433	85.90
Tecamseh Pierce	To 4th payment on courthouse repairs	1,906.20
Beulah Singletary	To listing crop reports	61.05
Roland Milligan	"	40.20
Paul Nance	"	59.55
Mrs. Clara Thompson	"	51.75
Mrs. D. E. Parrish	"	64.05
Mrs. W. O. Hayes	"	33.30
Lee V. Connor	"	81.75
Mrs. D. C. Spivey	"	84.90
Page Benton	"	54.30
Mrs. J. C. Nye	"	75.60
M. W. Thompson	" (1555)	27.00
W. A. Baldwin	"	59.85
Mrs. Edna Buffkin	"	22.35
S. B. Ward	"	98.55
		100.20

Out door Poor
Insolvents

\$ 10.00
59.84

Ordered: that the following tax adjustments be allowed on 1954 listing:

Chadbourn Township	Ona F. McNeil	1 house & lot	2500	to 2000
		1 house & lot	1485	to 1000
Ransom	Wilton R. Parker	70 acres Wells	3040	to 2040
		75 " Horne	2690	to 2090
So. Williams	Kate D. Reeves	s acre Hathway	2275	to 275

Upon motion the meeting was adjourned until May 11, 1954, at 10:00, at which time the Board will meet with the Welfare Board.

Approved:

Oliver L. Burns
Clerk

L. P. Ward
Chairman