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The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office March 4, 1957 at 10 A. M. it being first Monday.

Members of the Board present:

L. P. Ward, Chairman

Dan C. Bartley

W. B. Buffkin

Lacy R. Thompson

Charles R. Council

Josephine F. Ray, Clerk

The following business was transacted:

Ordered: That Dorothy McCumbee be allowed \$75.00 from the Contingence Fund to be sent to the State Hospital for a period of 30 days.

Ordered: That Dr. Floyd Johnson, County Health Officer be allowed to hire a veterinarian to administer dog vaccine.

Ordered: That Richard H. Shaw be hired as dog warden to replace N. B. Icard who resigned March 1, 1957.

Ordered: That the following trustees be appointed to serve the Columbus County Library:

Term 1956-62	Mr. Lloyd Collier	Whiteville, N. C.
	Mrs Titus Williamson	Whiteville, N. C.
Term 1956-60	Mr. Horace Carter	Tabor City, N. C.

Ordered: That taxes listed in the name of D. B. Buffkin, Whiteville Township, for the year 1948 be cancelled. This property was listed in error.

Ordered: That taxes listed in the name of D. B. Buffkin, Chadbourn Township, for the years 1951, 1952, 1953 and 1954 be cancelled. This property was listed in error.

Ordered: That taxes listed in the name of Sid P. Childress, South Williams Township, for the year 1949 through 1956 and Bug Hill Township for the year 1944 be cancelled. This property was listed through error.

Ordered: That \$20.95 be accepted as payment of taxes listed in the name of Sid P. Childress, South Williams Township for the year 1944. This is corrected amount due after allowances for that part listed through error.

Ordered: That taxes listed in the name of Sam Edwards, Chadbourn Township for the year 1955 be segregated so that taxes can be paid on a real estate valuation of \$100.00.

Ordered: That taxes listed in the name of Sam Carter for the year 1952. be accepted at par.

Ordered: That taxes listed in the name of J. C. Snidow in South Williams Township for the year 1943 and in Lees Township for the years 1943 through 1956 be cancelled. This property was listed through error.

Ordered: That the following resolution be added as section three to the resolution passed February 4, 1957 pertaining to the Social Security Referendum.

Section 3. That the Board of County Commissioners of Columbus County hereby agrees to join, for the purpose of this referendum and retirement system group, the following political subdivision: Brunswick County

Ordered: That the Chairman and Clerk be authorized to sign Bond Interest and Redemption Fund voucher in the amount of \$505.00 to pay the following debt service due:

10/1/42	Refunding School	2½	Interest	\$187.50
10/1/42	Refunding Road & Bridge	2½	Interest	312.50
	Exchange			5.00
				<u>\$505.00</u>

ROAD PETITIONS: Tatum Township - Road runs from Highway 410 to Ceder Grove School House and is known as the Ceder Grove School Road.

Chadbourn Township- Road runs from Peacock Road to Clarkton Road at Boss Hammonds and is known as the Woods Road.

Williams Township - Road runs from Mercer Road to A. C. L. Railroad and is known as a Community Road.

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

E. K. Proctor	February Salary	County Attorney(1353)	\$ 250.00
Venie H. Rouse	" "	Asst. Tax Supervisor	214.42
W. A. Weir	" "	Tax Collector	303.11
Lolly G. Johnson	" "	Assisting Tax Collector	208.55
Helen Weir	" "	" " "	137.04
Eva W. Coleman	" "	" " "	141.39
J. R. Pridgen	" "	Sheriff	412.88
C. L. Smith	" "	Assisting Sheriff	359.75
W. B. Roebuck	" "	" "	339.75
Mack Canady	" "	" "	351.70
Clinton Nye	" "	" "	349.75
Leslie B. Stubbs	" "	" "	359.75
Horace Shaw	" "	Fingerprint Expert	399.50
Town of Whiteville	" "	Radio Operator	95.00
Josephine F. Ray	" "	County Accountant	279.05
Rosier Williams	" "	Janitor	218.97
Leo L. Fisher	" "	Register of Deeds	292.06
Anna Belle Lane	" "	Assisting Register of Deeds	178.01
Gladys G. Wooten	" "	" " " "	166.27
Sarah Faye White	" "	" " " "	156.61
Mamie B. Galemberti	" "	" " " "	137.20
Alice S. Wright	" "	Welfare Supt.	290.60
Pearl H. Fowler	" "	Caseworkers Asst.	197.57
Minnette G. Lovette	" "	" "	197.57
Jane Ellis	" "	" "	200.70
Laura B. Rosser	" "	Child Welfare Worker	232.60
Maebelle Weaver	" "	Assisting Welfare Supt.	198.97
Margaret Lee MacDaniel	" "	" " "	171.57
Leota H. Hodges	" "	" " "	178.27
Archie F. Martin	" "	Asst. Farm Agent	139.10
V. H. Lytton	" "	" " "	47.90
Cameron M. Garris	" "	" " "	47.90
Mary Wade Robinson	" "	Assisting Farm Agent	95.05
Dorothy M. Reaves	" "	" " "	113.15
Olivia G. Brooks	" "	Assisting Negro Farm Agent	75.85
J. M. Spaulding	" "	Negro Farm Agent	135.20
C. D. Raper	" "	County Agent	188.70
Mary Earline Gibson	" "	Home Dem. Agent	126.60
Mary Anne Marshbourne	" "	Asst. Dem. Agent	105.05
Ann Partin Holland	" "	" " "	40.15
Betty Hall Cook	" "	Assisting Farm Agent	42.25
Dorothy V. Valentine	" "	Negro Home Dem. Agent	127.83
Mrs Allyn Smith	" "	Assisting A. S. C.	38.99
Edna Creech	" "	Library Appropriation	226.02
H. Hugh Nance	" "	Service Officer	296.02
Jewel W. Dunivant	" "	Asst. C. S. C.	201.77

Mary Lou White	February Salary	Asst. C. S. C.	\$ 146.11
Barbara W. Blackwell	"	Assisting C. S. C.	141.39
Flossie Naron	"	" " " "	135.80
Lee J. Greer	"	Clerk of Superior Court	370.62
Sankey W. Robinson	"	Judge of Recorders Court	233.99
Joe W. Brown	"	Solicitor of Rec. Court	235.99
N. B. Icard	"	Dog Warden	234.57
W. A. Weir	"	Purchasing Agent & Travel	60.00
Marvelann Norris	"	Assisting Register of Deeds	130.80
Myrtle Nance	"	" " " "	130.80
Etha Lee Greene	"	" " " "	110.46
Leola Pickerrell	"	Work on Tax Books	120.68
Beulah Singletary	"	" " " "	122.88
Edna Buffkin	"	" " " "	116.83
Clara Thompson	"	" " " "	126.33
Lois F. Lewis	"	" " " "	135.38
Leroy Watson	"	Assisting Sheriff	339.60
W. J. Phillips	Painting on Courthouse		119.50
First National Bank of Whiteville		Withholding Tax Feb.	1,157.00
Hospital Savings Association		Hospital Insurance withheld	210.45
Hospital Savings Association		Life Insurance withheld	157.34
Colonial Life & Accident Ins. Co.		Accident Insurance withheld	15.00
L. P. Ward	Board Meetings		23.00
Dan C. Bartley	"		11.50
Charles R. Council	"		22.20
W. B. Buffkin	"		10.80
Lacy R. Thompson	"		10.70
Mr. W. C. McNeil	Welfare Board Meeting		5.15
Charles R. Council	Welfare Board Meeting		6.20
Col. Co. Welfare Dept.	Reimbursements		8.00
Dictaphone Corporation	Welfare Dept. Account		81.00
Storr Sales Company	Welfare Dept. Account		17.83
J. A. Maultsby, Jr. Postmaster	Postage Welfare Dept.		150.00
Mrs Annie Lou Cowan	Boarding Home Care		209.00
Mrs Leon Ellis	" " "		42.48
Mrs D. J. Wallace	" " "		92.00
Alice S. Wright	Travel for Ja February		92.80
Laura B: Rosser	" " "		31.10
Minnette G. Lovette	" " "		57.35
Pearl Fowler	# " "		49.16
Duro-Test Corporation	Account for Welfare Dept.		58.74
State Commission for the Blind	February Appropriation		200.28
Wholesale Distributors	Invoice # 9310		6.40
Nathan H. Yelton	Social Security Expense		64.50
Mrs Beulah Singletary	Listing Taxes		105.55
Mrs Edna Buffkin	"		585.70
Mrs Margaret Weavel	"		64.65
Mrs Frances Hayes	"		170.90
Mrs J. C. Nye	"		116.05
A. W. Nance, Jr.	"		134.13
Clara Thompson	"		286.08
National Market Reports	Tax Supervisor Account		13.00
Carlo Carolina Telephone & Telegraph Company	(1451)		321.36
Mrs Estelle T. Wicker, Treasurer Assoc. of Assessing Officers			5.00
General Window Cleaning Company	Window Cleaning Services		61.00
Simmons Drug Store	Tax Collector Account		5.45
Storr Sales Company	To Account		9.50
The News Reporter Company	Accounts		353.33
W T A B Radio Station	Advertising Tax Collector		27.40
W. B. Roebuck	Capturing Still		10.00
C. L. Smith	"		10.00
W. C. Nye	"		5.00
Mack Canddy	"		10.00
L. B. Stubbs	Capturing Still & Man		30.00
George F. Cake Company	Sheriff's Department		29.91
Andrew Corporation	"		135.64
Radio Service Company	Account		72.50
Columbus Motor Company	Sheriff's Department		23.43
H. L. Shaw	To reimburse		15.33
Burkhead-DeVane Printing Company	Accounts		175.00
Service Oil Company	Accounts		282.86
Carolina Power & Light Co.	Accounts		306.08
Town of Whiteville	Water Bill		16.75
Vineland Ice Company	Water & Ice Bill		11.50
Whiteville Building Supplies	Courthouse Account		21.90
Roland Hinson	Work on Courthouse		125.00
Pridgen Cabinet Works	Cabinet for postage meter		50.00
Henry Smith	Stand for Register of Deeds		37.50
West Company	Courthouse Account		88.00
Todd Furniture Company	Rubber runner for Register of Deeds		64.25
F. B. Foster	Accounts		145.20

Pitney-Bowes, Inc.	Accounts	\$ 21.60
Duro-Test Corporation	Courthouse Account	131.70
Commercial Printing Company	Register of Deeds Acct.	51.79
Mitchell Printing Company	Accounts	218.93
Edwards & Broughton Company	Register of Deeds Account	38.81
Owen G. Dunn Company	Accounts	69.29
J. A. Maulsby, Jr. Postmaster	Postage for Register of Deeds	10.00
Worth D. Williamson	Coroners Services for February	158.66
Dr. R. Q. Elroy	Assisting Coroner	10.00
Dr. R. C. Harrelson	Assisting Coroner	10.00
Dr. Murray Carroll	Assisting Coroner	5.00
N. C. Department of Conservation & Development	Jan. Appropriation	577.99
Collier Gas Company	Jail Account	20.41
Carolina Exterminating Company	Accounts for February	12.00
Leder Brothers	Jail Account	15.88
Thomas Stanley	Lodging & Meals for February	615.90
Waccamaw Electric Company	Service Call Boarding Home	3.00
J. H. Ashley	Boarding Home Account	30.05
Frank T. Wooten Insurance Agency	Insurance on barn at Boarding Home	58.50
N. B. Icard	Travel for February	99.89
L. P. Ward	Signing Checks & Travel (1500)	20.60

Out Door Poor 10.00
 Insolvents 127.17

Upon motion the meeting was adjourned until March 18, 1957 at 10 A. M.

Approved:

Josephine L. Ray
 Clerk

L. P. Ward
 Chairman