

Board met June 30th. 1937.

Present F. Harvey Bailey
Clarence D. Bradburn
Wm. P. Wise.

Minutes last meeting read and adopted.

Board met in special session and appointed the following Special Officers who were duly sworn for the purpose of enforcing the provisions of the Dog Law.

- 1st. Dist. Sherman Fenhagen, Scotland, Md.
- 2nd. " Leonard Combs Great Mills, Md.
- 3rd. " Jno. W. Wathen Leonardtown, Md.
- 4th. " Theo. B. Carpenter Chaptico, Md.
- 5th. " Harry C. Davis Mechanicsville, Md.
- 6th " Roger Hayden Hollywood, Md.
- 7th " Jas. A. Latham Hurry, Md.
- 8th " Darwin Moore Hermanville, Md.
- 9th " Norman Ryce St Geo. Island.

It was agreed to allow 25 cts compensation for each dog licensed in the respective districts, and Special Officers to receive credit for tags sold by the Treasurer. July 31st. was set as the last day to sell tags, and anyone not procuring license for a dog or dogs by that time to be prosecuted by the Special Officer, in his district. Special officers are to make a thorough canvass of their respective districts, and to be responsible for the licensing of every dog 6 months old in his district.

Judge Jas. A. Latham, in addition to selling in the 7th. district was given that part of the 4th District from Maddox to Chaptico, and from Chaptico to Morganza all on the right side of the road, and from Morganza to Clements, all on the right side of the road.

Incident to the closing of All W P A projects in St. Mary's County on June 29th, by order of W. P. Administration, a large crowd of W.P.A employees, with Mr. Dorsey as their Spokesman, interviewed the Board and requested that these projects be reinstated. Several in the crowd explained that this work was the only means of support, as other work was not obtainable. Mr. Dorsey and Dr Campbell stated that the products of the Sewing Room, one of the projects closed, were very helpful to the poor of the county as well as to the Health Department.

The Board directed the Clerk to Write Mr. Dryden, W.P.A. Administrator, asking that the Sewing Room Project be resumed as soon as possible. See letter on file.

Mrs. Mayme G. Moran, Charlotte Hall, requested Board to give Aid due to fact that husband had been laid off of a W P A project. Board granted \$8.00 month.

Miss Dent interviewed the Board further with respect to funds for her school improvement programme. Miss Dent emphasized the fact that the funds used by the School Board to complete the Great Mills Elementary School had completely depleted her funds upon which she depended to carry on her general improvement activities.

The Board granted Miss Dent \$1,500.00 from the Dog Fund.

Clerk directed to write Mr. Lindsay of the State Tax Commission, to set a date to instruct the new assessors. See Letter on file.

Received of Jno. F. Bean fines ----- 20.00

Passed and paid following bills.

1937 Levy.

High School Transportation 377 Board Education 2,709.52

Board signed the 1937 Levy, fixing the rate at 1.05 on the Hundred Dollars.

Board adjourned to meet July 13th.

Geo E Hamilton

Clerk.