

Sept. 9, 1952

Meeting today attended by all commissioners and their attorney.

Report of Trial Magistrate J.D.Hurry received for the month of August 1952, check for \$292.45 deposited in 1st Nat. Bank, Leonardtown.

The auditors have requested again that the Commissioners secure a safe in which to place the Tax Books, in order that they may be better preserved. They suggest visiting the Diebold and Mosler Safe Co in Wash.DC, where a used safe could be secured at a nominal price.

Dean Capps Road- Towne Creek Rd.

Deed for R of W of Towne Creek Road has been accepted after another visit there and inspection of the road by the Board. The FHA District Office in Wash.D.C. was sent a certified notification of the acceptance of this road.

Red Hill Farm Road.

Mrs. King again appeared with Mr. Driscoe urging the Board take over this road. Road was said to be a very bad condition with deep ruts etc. Mrs. King explained that there are 2 children living on the farm who desire to attend school and the bus cannot get in. Bushes need trimming. For years previously the County maintained this road. It is  $1\frac{1}{2}$  mi from an old Public Landing. The road now is built up to the barn. Will contact Mr. Thompson and see if road can be taken over. If so, Mrs. King must follow the procedure of survey etc and Deed to County. Miss Dent came in later and said she had asked Mr. Fred Greenwell to carry 2 children over this road to meet the bus but he was unwilling to do so, unless road is repaired.

Mrs. Miller of the 7th District came in again about her road. Her neighbor is behaving badly about the road and she has already broken 2 axels on her car and chassis, caused by the holes in the road where the turkeys and chicken wallow. No action on this.

Mr J.J. Johnson inspecting the rooms he hopes to occupy when the new Health Bldg is completed said the present foreman said he knew nothing about cutting in the two doors ordered. Mr. Alvey and the others talked to him and showed him the signed requisition which provides for this work. (Doors have been cut in)

River Springs School road- needs to be scraped. Mr. Thompson will see about this.

Penalties for not securing Slot Machine license

Mr. Tennison was informed when he presents a form for failure to secure license for slot machines, he must also add the fine of 10% per month, in this way the party knows just what he will have to pay when he secures his license.

Mrs. Jackson and husband reported Douglas Corner, 34 families on road from Dudley Herbert's corner to Jackson's gate desire to have road blacktopped. Mr. Guy knew about this, and Board will consider the matter.

B.E. Tennison of Ridge claimed that dog belonging to J. Frank Raley, Jr had killed 44 turkeys. Also another dog which stays at Chas. Raley's in Scotland killed some of them. Game Warden was contacted and requested to see owner- if he will pay for the damage he may keep the dogs. Mr. Tennison says dogs were full of blood, but Mr. Raley says his dog did not kill the turkeys.

Partitions in Court House.

Letter to Mr. B.B. Duke instructing him to order materials needed for the project and to proceed at once with the work, bid was \$457.00

Mr. Frank Bailey asked for extension of his route 1.8½ mi one way, 3.7 mi per day \$133.20 per annum \$1320 per mo- granted.

Board adjourned to inspect a road.

Approved

*Leonard S. Alvey*  
president.