

Regular Meeting

June 12, 1951

All members of the Board and their attorney were present at the meeting held June 12, 1951.

Roads.

Accepted for County Maintenance

Half Pone Road- 6th District

Lawrence-Gibson Road 7th District

Plats for above roads were presented by Mr. J.H.T. Birscoe, atty.

Mr. Guy and Mr. Thompson will view the following roads and report at the next meeting

Capt. Arthur Marshall, Garner Gibson and W.H. Mattingly, Jr.,  
7th District 1/8 mi in bad condition; serves fish house,  
railway and store; needs oiling

Adding Machine

Clerk was authorized to purchase an adding machine for use in this office.

Welfare Salaries

Mrs. John Alvey and Mrs. Geo. Barnes, representing St. Mary's County Welfare Bd called to ask the support of the Board in requesting that salaries for employees of that office be made on the Standard Salary rate. Clerk was instructed to write to Mr. Geo. W. Reed, chrmn of the Standard Salary Bd., Balto., Md., approving the increases suggested by a letter from Welfare, and requesting that the Stenog-auditor be reclassified to bring her in a different salary group. This was done, and copy sent to Welfare Bd.

Sheriff advised that his Deputies are

Mr. Ninian Barber,	Charlotte Hall	salary	\$1800.00	exp	\$600	per	y
Mr. Harry Lancaster	Lexington Park	"	\$1800.00	"	\$600	"	"
Mr. Edward Long	Leonard own	"	\$900.00	no	exp		

These appointments became effective-by law- June 1, 1951

Mrs. Helen Uhler

Mr. Dick Uhler called about the mentality of his wife, Mrs. Helen Uhler. Certificates were signed by Dr. Guyther and Dr. Sothoron for her commitment to Spring Grove. Appointment was made to send her to Spring Grove Tues. June 19. Mr. Uhler will take her.

Budget for 1951-52

Board looked over the tentative budget and decided to come early Tues. June 19 to consider it further. In the afternoon of that day bids will be opened and contracts awarded for the new Pub. Health Center and County Office Bldg. Budget will be ready for public inspection Wed. June 20

June 1, 1951

Taxable Basis for St. Mary's County, Md. 1951 \$19,031,156.00

Land	Improvements	Personal	
\$664,422.00	1,103,012.00	186,525.00	\$1,953,959.00
495,836.00	1,272,024.00	212,004.00	1,979,864.00
910,087.00	1,934,516.00	616,071.00	3,460,674.00
791,478.00	150,923.00	134,086.00	1,076,487.00
425,843.00	826,550.00	280,113.00	1,532,506.00
364,785.00	1,194,213.00	122,750.00	1,681,748.00
409,896.00	975,747.00	178,731.00	1,564,374.00
502,379.00	2,742,353.00	554,745.00	3,789,477.00
<u>30,212.00</u>	<u>182,369.00</u>	<u>6,612.00</u>	<u>229,193.00</u>
4,594,938.00	10,381,707.00	2,291,637.00	17,268,282.00

Assessments made by the State

Public Utilities tentative base 1950

	955,920.00	
Tangible Personal-Domestic Bus. Corporations	213,540.00	
" " Foreign	158,040.00	
Shares of Banks, Trusts etc	435,374.00	
		<u>1,762,874.00</u>
		\$19,031,156.00

County rate for 1951 \$1.20  
State rate for 1951 .06

Welfare Bd. sent check for \$688.28 refund from 1950 expenses.  
" " " " 50.00 rent for May 1951  
Mrs. Henrietta Sewell 10.50  
& sister- for Walter Butler, mental

Ms. Geo. Boyd of Chaptico was appointed clerk-stenog to Sheriff- Stats Atty and State Troopers at a salary of \$1200.00 per year commencing when she takes office.

Mr. Alvey and Mr. Sterling had appointment at Dept. of Labor in Washington, concerning the reduction of the wage scale on the new building. Scale being too high local contractors refused to bid on same. Unless the scale is reduced to bring the cost within the amount allocated in the Budget the building cannot be erected. Federal Aid for about 1/3 the cost of the project will be granted, if contract is awarded and work begun prior to June 30, 1951.

Meeting adjourned at noon.

approved

president.