

October 13, 1943

The State Budget Commission met in the Governor's office at twelve o'clock noon, October 13, 1943. All members of the Commission were present.

The Commission approved an allotment of \$750.00 from the Defense Contingent Fund to the State Chairman of the War Finance Committee for South Carolina to cover expenses incurred by that committee.

The Commission approved an allotment of \$150.00 from the 1943-44 Civil Contingent Fund to Palmetto Camp No. 22, Sons of Confederate Veterans, for the purpose of providing a banquet for Confederate Veterans and widows at the 1943 State Fair. The Secretary was instructed to advise the Commander of Camp 22 that, in the opinion of the Budget Commission, no further allotments should be made by the State for this purpose because of the small and rapidly diminishing number of veterans and widows.

The Commission declined to provide from the Civil Contingent Fund additional monies for the use of the State Planning Board on the grounds that no unusual conditions existed which would justify increasing these appropriations beyond those provided by the General Assembly.

The Secretary was directed to invite Mr. W. L. Glover of Orangeburg to appear before the Commission at its next meeting in connection with a proposal that he be employed through the State Council of Defense for certain defense work in the Charleston area.

The Commission reconsidered a request by the State Board of Health that the salary of Mrs. Eloise A. Gaines, Secretary, Division of Dental Health, be fixed at \$160.00 per month, \$25.00 per month of this

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amount to be paid from the Special Dental Fund. The request was approved by the Commission.

The Commission agreed to recommend that Col. J. D. Fulp be retained in Washington, at his present salary and expense allowance, until November 15, 1943, and the Secretary was directed to so advise the Chairman and Director of the State Council of Defense.

The Commission then adjourned.

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