

### Big Government Assailed By Lake As Freedom's Foe

"Big government" was assailed as an enemy of freedom, by Dr. I. Beverly Lake, speaking to the Sandhills Kiwanis Club at its luncheon meeting in the Byron Nelson's Restaurant at Holiday Inn yesterday.

The 1960 Democratic gubernatorial nomination candidate who was formerly a Wake Forest law professor and now practices law in Raleigh—while the state waits to see if he will again be a candidate in 1964—told the club he is proud to be called a conservative and urged its members to conserve freedom by speaking out against big government.

"Our job is to defend America against a foreign invader who is already here," he said. "This is not a person, not a group. It is faith in big government as the provider for all human needs and as a counselor who can solve all human problems. It is a European, Asiatic concept of government. We can fight it not with weapons but with the human voice and the battleground is right here in North Carolina."

There is a never-ending conflict, Dr. Lake said, between faith in big government and faith in freedom.

Acknowledging that "there are things that private business and industry cannot do"—such as the armed forces, highways and schools—and that as society becomes more complicated and population increases, certain regulations are required, Dr. Lake warned that the power of government should not be expanded beyond maintaining conditions under which private initiative can best operate. He called "deadening" a government philosophy of "tax and tax, spend and spend, regulate and regulate, create more government jobs and put more people on welfare."

The speaker laid down as "three fundamental principles in the effort to keep America free from the foreign invader": preventing a government invasion of free speech and free press; separation of government powers as among what is best done by local, state and federal governments; and separation of the executive and legislative power.

He urged that faith in freedom, and fear of big government be taught in the schools. "Speak to the people," he told his listeners, "the freedom that you conserve will be your own." At the opening of his talk, Dr. Lake deplored the "growing timidity of business and professional men to express themselves on matters of controversial nature." The strength of democracy, he said, is "expressed public opinion."

Dr. Lake was introduced by Howard Broughton, one of the current month's Kiwanis program chairmen.

To quickly estimate how many feet per second you are traveling, take the speed in miles per hour and add half. Example: at 30 miles an hour, add one half or 15 mph, to learn you are moving 45 feet per second.

### The Rev. J. R. Funderburk, 69, Retired Minister, Local Civic Leader, Dies

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at Trinity AME Zion Church in West Southern Pines for the Rev. John Robert Funderburk, 69, retired minister and a civic leader here for more than 25 years. The Rev. E. S. Harge, pastor of the church, officiated. Burial was in Woodlawn Cemetery.

The Rev. Mr. Funderburk, who retired from the ministry of the AME Zion Church in 1959 after 42 years of service, died Friday at a Lumberton hospital where he had been a patient for more than a year.

He is survived by his wife, the former Elnita Byers of Charlotte; three sons, Robert of Providence, R. I., Harrell of New York City and Walter of Charlotte; a daughter, Mrs. Pauline Nixon of Pittsburgh, Pa.; two brothers, Andrew and Eugene, both of Charlotte; and four grandchildren.

A native of Charlotte, the Rev. Mr. Funderburk was a 1921 graduate of Middle University (now Johnson S. Smith University) there. He had already begun his career in the ministry while in college.

He came to Southern Pines in 1936, after serving various other churches, as pastor of Trinity AME Zion Church. After two years as pastor there, he became presiding elder in the AME Zion Church, first in the Fayetteville District until 1948 and then, until his retirement, in the Cherraw-Bennettesville (S. C.) District of the Pee Dee Conference.

As a presiding elder, he supervised and coordinated operations in more than 20 churches, in addition to preaching in one of the churches each Sunday.

During his 22 years of service in this position, he continued to make his home here though traveling a great deal, and became recognized and respected as a leader in the West Southern Pines community.

He was president of the West Southern Pines Civic Club in 1955 when the club's interest in town government was largely responsible for the election of the first Negro member of the town council and the appointment of a Negro member on nearly all the town's advisory committees or commissions.

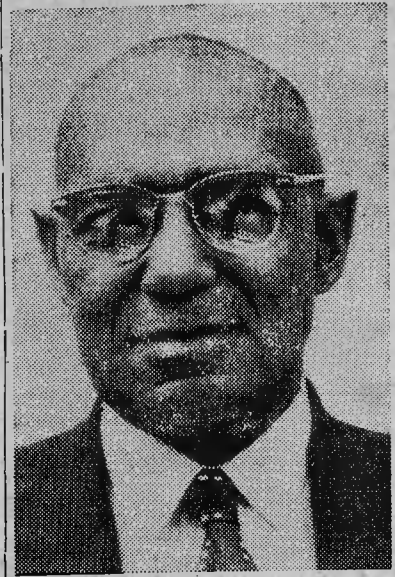
In December of that year, he was elected to a year's term as president of the bi-racial Moore County Ministerial Association. He served for many years as a member of the board of directors of the Moore County Tuberculosis Association and headed the Negro Division of its Christmas Seal sale for several years.

A number of years ago, he served for two years as State chairman of the Life Member Committee of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and maintained membership in that association. He had been a Mason since 1916 and was a member of Eureka Lodge No. 3 (Blue Lodge) at Fayetteville. He became a 33rd Degree Mason in 1937.

At the time of his retirement, he said that his guiding principle through life was "to help people." His advice and assistance was sought and generously given to persons in all walks of life on many varied occasions.

He had been a member of the Southern Pines Community Center since 1936, and was a member of the Southern Pines Kiwanis Club since 1948. He was a member of the Southern Pines Chamber of Commerce since 1948.

He was a member of the Southern Pines Rotary Club since 1948. He was a member of the Southern Pines Lions Club since 1948. He was a member of the Southern Pines Elks Club since 1948.



REV. MR. FUNDERBURK

### KIDS' DAY PLANNED FOR SEPTEMBER 28

Kid's Day, annually sponsored over the nation by the U. S. Air Force and Kiwanis International, will be held at Pope Air Force Base, Saturday, September 28, it was announced this week by Col. S. H. McCarter, base commander.

The Sandhills Kiwanis Club, whose membership is county-wide, cooperates annually in the project.

Open house will be held at the base that day from 10 a. m. to 1 p. m., with thousands of children from the area expected. Aircraft and equipment will be displayed and other events have been scheduled.

Further details will be announced.

### REVIVAL TO START

### Homecoming At Culdee Church Slated Sunday

Culdee Presbyterian Church near Pinehurst was founded 77 years ago this coming Sunday. In celebration of this event, and in keeping with its annual tradition, the church will observe Homecoming.

Groundbreaking ceremonies for a new sanctuary were held at homecoming two years ago. Last year the building was still under construction. Homecoming this year will be in the new sanctuary.

The activities of the day will start with Sunday School at 10 a. m. At the 11 o'clock worship service the sermon will be delivered by the pastor, the Rev. W. K. Fitch, Jr. Dinner will be served on the grounds following the service. All members, friends, and former members are cordially invited.

Sunday evening at 7:30 the church will begin its fall revival. The evangelist for the revival is the Rev. Mr. John P. Stephenson, Jr., pastor of the Glenwood Presbyterian Church, Greensboro.

The services will continue each evening at 7:30 through Friday of next week.

### COUNCIL APPROVES

(Continued from Page 1) read by Mrs. Mildred McDonald, town clerk, from Mrs. Voit Gilmore, chairman of the now inactive Parks and Beautification Committee, recalling that the committee had recommended no business construction along the parkway which several years ago the committee said should remain a landscaped strip of beauty through the town.

Mrs. Gilmore asked that the council consider the matter carefully and suggested that if there is to be business development along the parkway, all plans for buildings be submitted to her committee, as well as to the council, for approval.

All members of the council voiced the firm intention to control parkway development, but also agreed that suitable developments such as the Golf World building, should not necessarily be banned from the parkway in the future.

All members of the council were present: Mayor Morris Johnson, Mayor Pro Tem Norris L. Hodgkins, Jr., and Councilmen Felton Capel, C. A. McLaughlin and Fred Pollard.

The council had words of praise for the past summer's recreation program on which a detailed report was presented by Mrs. Joe Marley, chairman of the Recreation Commission.

### 'Nickels-Know-How' Meeting Scheduled

Community leaders from throughout Moore County will meet in the courtroom at Carthage at 8 p. m. Monday, to hear and take part in a discussion of the state-wide "Nickels for Know-How" program to support Agricultural research, education and extension.

Letters inviting many persons from over the county have been sent out by John A. Smith, chairman of the program in Moore, and F. D. Allen, county extension chairman. All interested persons are welcome.

The program, financed by five cents per ton added to the price of feed and fertilizer, began in 1951 when approved in a referendum by users of feed and fertilizer.

It was reapproved, as required by law, at three-year intervals and faces another referendum on November 19 of this year.



OLD TIMERS—Here's a general view of some of the old autos of the N. C. Horseless Carriage Club parked at the Holiday Inn headquarters. Local residents greeting Lindo Harvel of Laurinburg, club president, in group of figures, include J. T. Overton, club member;

W. H. Gentry, Jr., Southern National Bank vice president; and C. J. Thomas, innkeeper at Holiday Inn. Car owners wore costumes in keeping with the model dates of their vehicles.

(Humphrey photo)

### Public Admires 'Horseless Carriages' in Weekend Visit Of N. C. Club To Area

Ever see a Brush automobile? Probably not—only 450 of them were made, and that was well over half a century ago.

A Brush, a snappy job in bright green touched up with red, yellow and black, with chain drive, wooden coachwork and—yes—automatic transmission, was one of about 50 vehicles here with the North Carolina Horseless Carriage Club.

The club, convening over the weekend, paraded here Saturday, toured Aberdeen, Pinehurst and Whispering Pines (for Saturday luncheon) and exhibited their cars at the convention headquarters, Holiday Inn, giving every-

body a grand time. Hundreds swarmed around to look, admire and ask questions, fascinated by the old vehicles, dating from 1904 to 1928, deadline year for the "antiques."

The showing of Fords, the predominant vehicle, drew many men who lovingly admired the Tin Lizzies.

While the cars were somewhat fewer than on the club's last visit here in 1955, there were many far more rare specimens, as the members have grown more knowledgeable and selective through the years.

Drawing much attention were the bright red 1904 Reo owned by

E. H. McFarland of Louisburg; the 1907 Brush of R. B. Minges of Fayetteville, driven by his son; Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Coughenour of Laurinburg attired in tune with their 1905 Maxwell; a 1908 Buick, 1909 Cadillac, 1913 Chalmers and so on.

All the cars were splendidly restored. Many owners make their own parts, looking down on those who purchase modern parts or have them commercially made. Some cars are said to be in better shape than when they were new, and seem likely to run forever.

J. T. Overton of Southern Pines, whose hobbies include horseless carriages as well as horse, was the local member acting as host. The meeting ended with Sunday luncheon and awards at Byron Nelson's Restaurant, Holiday Inn.

### Moore Grave Marker Presented

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In this letter, Judge Armstrong relates facts about the life and career of Judge Alfred Moore that will be of wide interest to residents of the county named for him, as follows:

"I suspect that only a few people in North Carolina realize that only two North Carolinians have served on the Supreme Court of the United States and that they were Alfred Moore and James Iredell—and that both of these North Carolinians were great men during the War of the Revolution—Judge Moore distinguished himself in the military, and Judge Iredell in the civil affairs—and for which service to our country, along with their great learning in the law, they were appointed to the Supreme Court of the United States—and that both served with honor to themselves, to North Carolina, and to the infant Nation.

"Both Judge Moore and Judge Iredell were among the greatest judges this State and Nation have produced. In December, 1799, Judge Iredell, who was a member of the Supreme Court of the United States, died, and Judge Moore was called to serve upon the Court upon his death. From the best and most reliable information I can find, Judge Moore remained on the Court for about six years, but only served actively on the Court for four years. It seems that Judge Moore, while serving on the Supreme Court of the United States, wrote only one opinion, which may seem rather strange, but legal historians tell us that this is attributable to the fact that, after Chief Justice Marshall, probably America's greatest jurist, came to the Supreme Court bench, most if not all, the opinions of the Court, were written by Chief Justice Marshall.

However, we are further told by legal historians that in the conference chamber, Judge Moore's learning in the law, and his clear and concise legal analyses of the questions that came before the Court, were given great weight by the other justices. I believe that it should be noted that one of the great landmarks in Constitutional law was decided while Judge Moore was on the Court—and that is the famous case of Marbury vs. Madison, in which the Court held that the determination of the Constitutionality of a statute is within the especial province and duty of the courts. This opinion, written by Chief Justice Marshall, and concurred in by Judge Moore, is one of the most important decisions ever handed down by the Supreme Court of the United States—and has had an immeasurable influence and impact upon the destinies of the United States of America.

"I feel like, in presenting the marker to Judge Moore's grave, the people should also be reminded that, before Judge Moore was called to the Supreme Court of the United States, he served with great honor and distinction as a Superior Court judge in North Carolina. No judicial system can be stronger than its highest trial judges. I suggest that it requires as broad and strong a man, in

character, personality, and judgment, if not in sheer intellect, to preside well and efficiently in a trial court, as to sit in a court of last resort. Chief Justice Taylor of the Supreme Court of North Carolina, in 1819, paid high tribute to Judge Moore's character, ability and learning in the case of State vs. Jernigan, 7 N. C. 12, when he said:

"The very question, however, before us, has been decided by Judge Moore, whose opinions on every subject, but particularly on this, merit the highest respect. He was appointed Attorney General a short time after this act of Assembly was passed, and discharged for a series of years the arduous duties of that office in a manner that commanded the admiration and gratitude of his contemporaries. His profound knowledge of the criminal law was kept in continual exercise by a most varied and extensive practice, at a period when the passions of men had not yet subsided from the ferment of a civil war; and every grade of crime, incident to an unsettled society, made continual demand upon his acuteness. No one ever doubted his learning and penetration or that while he enforced the law with an enlightened vigilance and untiring zeal, his energy was seasoned with humanity, leaving the innocent nothing to fear, and the guilty but little to hope. The opinion of such a man, delivered on an occasion the most solemn in which a Judge could act, where a doubt in him would have been life to the prisoner, as-

### Moore Towns Get 'Powell Bill' Funds

Moore County towns shared this week in allocation of an \$8 million-plus distribution of "Powell Bill" state gasoline tax funds to 420 municipalities over North Carolina.

The funds are used for non-highway system street work. Checks will reach the towns and cities before October 1.

The allocation is made one-half on a basis of population and one-half on a basis of street mileage, from money representing one-half cent of the six cents per gallon state motor fuel tax.

Allocations in Moore, with amounts listed from largest to smallest, are: Southern Pines, \$30,295.79; Aberdeen, \$7,874.28; Robbins, \$6,008.20; Carthage, \$5,449.57; Vass, \$5,358.36; Pinebluff, \$4,851.67; and Cameron, \$1,722.73.

Pinehurst does not share in the distribution because it is not an incorporated town.

sumes the authority of a contemporary exposition of the statute."

"The presentation of the Alfred Moore Tomb Marker is an event of State as well as National, pride. All the people of America can point to the example of such a man as Judge Moore with great pride, and hold up his character, his usefulness and his greatness, but after all, we must remember: 'When our souls shall leave this dwelling, the glory of one fair and virtuous action is above all the scutcheons on our tomb.'"

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