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Commissioners Appoint Library Commission and Approve Book Service

The Jones County Board of Commissioners took a long-delayed step forward by adopting a resolution offered by Commissioner Fred Foscue and unanimously adopted that may ultimately bring library service to every part of the county.

Although no appropriations were made to implement the resolution it was generally assumed that this step would be followed by the allocation of sufficient funds to implement the resolution.

The board did name a commission to further the project which includes Mrs. Marvin Thomas, Tommy Foscue, Mrs. Cary House, Carter Patterson, Mrs. Wesley Oakley and Commissioner Nelson Banks.

It is the hope of the commissioners that a cooperative library system can be worked out with one of the more densely populated counties joining Jones County so that Jones Countians may benefit from a larger number of books and from the advice and assistance of full-time, well-trained librarians.

Robert Britt Named Maysville Fire Dept. Chief for 1962-63

Visiting firmen from Jacksonville, Belgrade and Trenton at the Monday night meeting of the Maysville Fire Department brought the total number present to about 60.

The following officers were elected to serve during the coming year: Robert Britt, Chief; Robert Mattocks, president; Virgil Jenkins, vice-president; David Cumbo, secretary; and William Earl Mattocks, treasurer.

Other business included discussing the new building which the firemen are planning.

Nolan Jones, Joe Monette and Merle Jones served fish, cole slaw, French fries and Pepsi-Colas.

Jones Board Agrees To Join Craven in Civil Defense Plan

Monday the Jones County Board of Commissioners agreed to join in a plan suggested by the state office of civilian defense in which Jones and Craven Counties will have the services of a full-time director.

Jones County's part of the cost of this full-time set up was fixed at \$12,000. The remaining part of the cost will be extracted from the tax payers by the Craven County tax collector and the federal tax collector.

Kinstonian Among 11 Greenville Prison Camp Escapees

Paul Marvin Tew of Kinston, serving a term for breaking, entering and larceny, was one of 11 felons who escaped Monday morning from the prison camp at Greenville.

Bars were sawed and a fence climbed by the escaping group, seven of whom still remain at large.

Two guards at the camp, including one Jones Countian, Arthur Killingsworth, were fired as a result of the break which is one of the largest in recent years in East Carolina prison camps.

Extra Pay Day

Monday the Jones County Board of Commissioners approved payment of an extra day's pay to registrars and poll holders in the county's eight voting precincts. The county board of elections had made the recommendation.

Jones Commissioners Oppose Insurance Rate Increases

Jones County's board of commissioners Monday passed a resolution opposing the increase in insurance rates that was recently approved by the state insurance commissioner.

County Attorney Don Brock was instructed to forward a copy of the resolution to the commissioner.

The rate on extended coverage in specified coastal counties was doubled.

Amos Taylor Elected President of NCEA Jones County Unit

The Jones County unit of the North Carolina Education Association had a smorgasbord Saturday night in the Governor Tryon Hotel in New Bern.

President Leo Nance welcomed the members' and guests and after dinner, he introduced Miss Tiny Hammond, who told of her trip to the Jefferson-Jackson Dinner in Raleigh by way of a poem she had written.

Then Mrs. W. B. Moore was honored for her dedicated work as a leader of the Future Teachers Association in her school.

Following then was the installation of officers by Superintendent W. B. Moore and Fred Pippin, honorary sergeant at arms.

Officers for the new year are Amos Taylor, president — Mrs. Marvin Thomas, vice-president — Miss Julia Whitty, secretary, and Mrs. C. D. Hodges Jr., treasurer.

Divorce Being Asked By Wife of 26 Years

Mrs. Dora McKenzie Bender this week has filed suit in Jones County Superior Court asking a divorce from her husband of 26 years, Claude Bender.

The complaint says the couple was married October 20, 1936 and lived together until January 21, 1960.

Four children were borne to the marriage, two of whom are still minors.

County Attorney is Authorized to Clear Way for Bond Issue

Jones County Attorney Donald Brock Monday was authorized to make the necessary studies to prepare the way for a school bond issue in the amount of \$150,000.

The commissioners plan to call for the bond issue in the November general election if bonding attorneys' and local government commission approve the issue.

If the bond issue is approved by these groups then it will be tendered to the voters of the county and if they approve it the money will be used to build and renovate several units in the school system.

Mrs. Brock Resigns Assistant Home Agent Job Monday Morning

Mrs. Donald Brock Monday tendered her resignation as assistant Jones County Home Agent.

No successor has been named. Mrs. Brock's resignation was caused by reason of her health.

Drunk Charges in Five Cases During Past Week in Jones

Sheriff W. B. Yates reports four indictments in the past week and in each public drunkenness in one form or another constituted the charge.

James Stallings of Wallace Route 2 was charged with drunken driving, Aaron Hall of Trenton route 2 and Carl Bender of Trenton route 1 were accused of being drunk on the highway and Leslie Herring of New Bern route 3 was charged with simple public drunkenness.

Land Transfers

Jones County Register of Deeds Bill Parker reports the recording for just one land transfer in the past week and that was of 40 acres in Chinquapin Township from L. P. Gooding to Tobe Heath.

May 26th Set for Poppy Day by Local Junior Auxiliary

The American Legion Junior Auxiliary met Saturday afternoon with Janice Lowery, vice-president, presiding. Sandra Findeisen read the minutes of the last meeting and presented the program on "Poppies." She announced that May 26 will be Poppy Day and that members of the auxiliary will sell them.

G. N. Noble led the group in drilling and all members are urged to report for drill practice each Friday afternoon at 3:30 at the fair ground. All of this practice is preparing for the parade in Raleigh June 16, when the American Legion convention will be held.

Officers for the new year were elected at this meeting. They are: Janice Lowery, president — Donna Mallard, vice-president — Sandra Findeisen, secretary — Carol Nance, treasurer — Jane Turner, chaplain — Annette Lowery, historian — Cathy Findeisen, sergeant at arms, Helen Flowers and Teresa Pollock, color bearers — Beatrice Andrews and Ann Pollock, song leaders — Nancy Flowers, Brenda Hill, recreation leaders — and Rebecca Franck, Mona Johnson and Gail Hill, mascots.

Board Transfers Funds on Monday

Monday the Jones County Board of Commissioners transferred \$2500 from the general fund to other budget items that were nearing depletion as the end of the fiscal year on June 30th draws close.

The funds in need were the aid to dependent children item in the welfare department budget, which got \$1500 to take it through the fiscal year, and \$1,000 was added to the superior court appropriation to take care of the May court term expenses.

Wilson Lowery Winner of 4-H Development Fund Scholarship

Twelve 4-H'ers from North Carolina have been announced as recipients of the 4-H Development Fund Scholarships for the 1962-63 academic year.

In making the announcement, Mrs. Charles Graham of Davidson County, who is president of the state 4-H development fund, emphasized that the 4-H'ers could use the 3500 scholarship in entering any four-year accredited college in North Carolina.

The coveted scholarships went to Larry Sykes, Castalia, Rt. 1; Paula Johnson, Benson, Rt. 2; Smith Stokes, Linwood, Rt. 1; Margaret Anne Morgan, Leaksville; David Ward, Clarendon, Rt. 1; Jo Ann Sondey, Castle Hayne; Donald Newton, Vale, Rt. 1; Anne Edmiston, Statesville, Rt. 7; Wilson Lowery, Trenton, Rt. 1; Evans Rowe, New Bern, Rt. 5; Preston Timmerman, Black Mountain; and Annette Casada, Bryson City.

The limited number of scholarships were awarded to nominees with superior high school records with evidence of excellent college aptitude, a clear demonstration of achievement and citizenship, need, and an outstanding record of 4-H Club participation.

Wilson Lowery of Jones County has attended the National Youth Power Congress and electric congress. He has been county 4-H winner 33 times in projects and activities. Last year he conducted a teenage nutrition class during 4-H Club Week. He is an honor club member.

Jones Board Lends \$1250 to Drainage District for 4 Years

Monday the Jones County Board of Commissioners agreed to lend the Tracey Swamp-Moseley Creek Drainage District \$1250 for a period of four years.

Craven and Lenior counties have been asked to advance their pro-rata parts in the effort to get the work started on this particular drainage that lies in the three counties.

Carl Ipock Named Assistant Farm Agent

Carl Ipock is the new assistant farm agent, succeeding Beaman L. Nance, who has moved to Statesville. Ipock is a native of Craven Co., making his home in Cove City.

He attended Jasper High School and State College. He served in the army from 1956-58 and was with the Extension service in Bertie County for two years. For the past two years, he has been with the Farm Bureau in New Bern.

He is married to the former Betty Buffalo of Fuquay and they plan to move to Trenton in about two weeks. He says that he is looking forward to living in Trenton and meeting people.

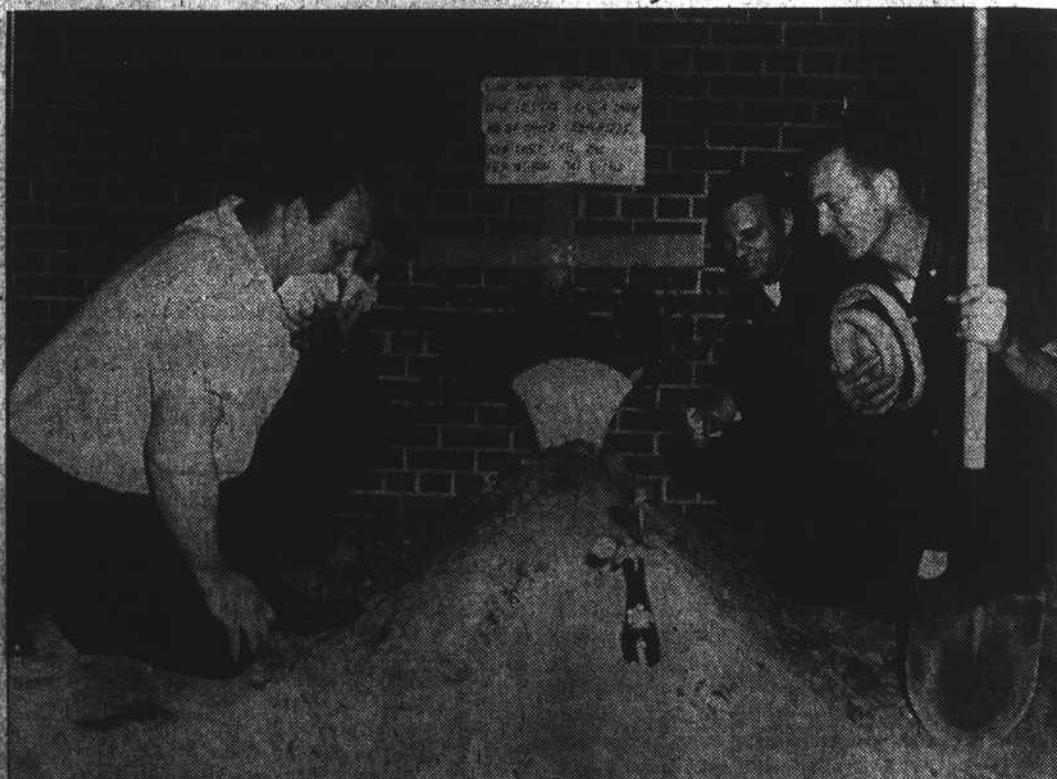
Next Week Baseball

Saturday — Rocky Mount
Sunday — Durham
Monday — Durham
Wednesday — Wilson
Thursday — Raleigh
Saturday — Burlington

WANTED DOWN SOUTH

James Grace of Kinston, route 5 was arrested last Thursday by Leon County officers on a Manning, S. C. warrant that charged Grace with larceny.

CWA Union Refused by Telephone Employees



This sad looking quartet was mourning the demise of unionization for plant workers of the Carolina Telephone Company, who voted 181 to 164 against affiliation with the Communication Workers of America in balloting supervised last Friday by the National Labor Relations board. The "tomstones" inscription reads, "Gone and we hope forgotten. Here lies the CWA Union and 164 misled employees. Born early fall 1951. Died in combat May 4, 1962." The mourners are Perry Thompson, left front; Richard Tugwell, right front; Charles Hinson, left rear, and Jack Dawson, right rear.