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Carl Brown Beats Joe Turner In Commissioner 2nd Primary

Positions were reversed from May 26th to June 23rd between Joe Turner and Carl Brown, candidates for the Jones County Board of Commissioners.

In the first primary Turner ran 5th in an 11-way race with 1066 votes to 1057 for Brown.

But Saturday in the 2nd primary to decide which of the two would get the 5th seat on the county board Brown got 903 votes to edge out Turner who had 867 votes.

The vote was evenly divided precinct-wise with each candidate leading in four of the county's eight voting places. Brown's plurality in the two largest precincts pushed him past Turner.

The precinct tabulation were as follows:

Precinct	Brown	Turner
Beaver Creek	48	76
Chinquapin	96	112
Cypress Creek	62	162
Piney Grove	65	20
Pollocksville	206	115
Trenton	255	135
White Oak	105	51
Tuckahoe	66	176
Totals	903	867

Jones Countains Among Throgs at Farm and Home Week

Mrs. E. V. Scott and Mrs. Dewey Jenkins attend the Farm and Home Week in Raleigh last week along with Home Agent Mrs. Fattie Gray.

Others who went for a day or two days were Mrs. Rom Mallard, Mrs. Nelson Banks, Miss Elmer Banks and Miss Margaret Carol Banks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Odgen also went and spent the week.

Young Negro Draws Probationary Term In Cousin Shooting

Jesse Lee Parks of LaGrange route 2 was given three years in prison last week when he was found guilty of shooting his cousin, Clarence Parks, in the stomach with a .22 caliber pistol earlier this year.

Judge W. J. Bundy suspended the prison term, however, upon condition that Parks remain on probation for five years.

County Break-Ins Plaguing Lenoir Sheriff Department

A series of break-ins in rural Lenoir County is plaguing the Lenoir County Sheriff Department, although the total take in the series of crimes has not been too high.

One of the crimes, however, does involve first degree burglary since the sleeping quarters of Chester Gardner on Kinston route 2 were entered by a thief who took Gardner's pocketbook, containing about \$300 in cash and a number of checks.

J. C. Langston's store at Sharon Forks, Ralph Wooten's store at Wooten Crossroads, Johnson-Sherman Company and Wooten Gas Company on the Goldsboro highway and Sheppard Warehouse No. 2 are the other establishments entered in the past week.

Coins were taken from the cash box of Langston, Wooten and the gas company, a \$300 chain saw from Johnson-Sherman, and four drums of M-1-30 were taken from the warehouse each valued at \$87.

4 Jones Arrests

During the past week Jones County Sheriff Brown Yates reports four arrests: Esley Koonce of Pollocksville route 1 is accused of public drunkenness and violation of the liquor laws, Ardee Bizzell of New York City is charged with speeding 80 miles per hour, Bobbie James Hagood of Jacksonville is charged with driving a car with improper equipment and Tilghman Lewis of Trenton route 1 is charged with possession of one quart of stumphole whisky.

Barrus Bids Low on Six Road Projects

In the monthly letting of bids by the State Highway Commission in Raleigh Barrus Construction Company of Kinston was low bidder on six projects, involving 56.57 miles of resurfacing existing paved roads.

In all 48 projects were let Tuesday at a total cost of \$3,811,731.48. The total bids of Barrus amounted to \$310,592.

One Lenoir County project, resurfacing NC 11 - NC 55 from the US 70 bypass to Jackson Forks went to the Shackelford Paving Company of Wilson.

Barrus' bids included 4.1 miles in Bertie County for \$64,091; another 12.7 miles in Bertie County for \$68,343; 10.82 miles in Beaufort and Pitt counties for \$38,218; 12.35 miles in Gates County for \$65,120; 8.1 miles in Johnston and Wayne counties for \$36,761 and 8.5 miles in Onslow County for \$38,059.

Woman Club Holding Open House July 8th For Doctor and Family

Members of the Womens Club and the County Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday morning to plan a reception to be given July 8, at the Trenton Woman's Club in honor of Dr. and Mrs. John Hargett Thompson, who moved here last week.

The reception will be held in the form of a floating tea from 3 until 6 in the afternoon. Everyone is invited to attend.

Negro Given 15-Year Morals Charge Term

James O. Taylor of Golden Progress alley was given a 15-year prison term in Lenoir County Superior Court after a jury had found him guilty of assault with intent to commit rape upon an 8-year old child.

Taylor had originally been bound over to superior court on the capital charge of rape, but after Solicitor Walter Britt reviewed the evidence he decided to put Taylor on trial for the lesser offense.

APPEALS FILED

Leamon Daughety of Kinston route 6 was fined \$200 for driving after his license was revoked and James Arthur Sutton of Kinston route 1 was fined \$300 for hauling stumphole whisky in Recorder's Court last week. Each gave notice of appeal to Superior Court.

Bids Being Sought For New Pollocksville Post Office Building

The Post Office Department is seeking competitive bids for an improved building to house its postal operations at Pollocksville.

Under the Department's construction program, a contract will be awarded to the bidder who designates a building suitable to the Department's needs and agrees to improve it (or provide a new building) according to departmental specifications and then rent it to the Department for a fixed term of five years with two-year renewal options.

Bidding documents may be obtained from Wm. H. Allen, Acting Assistant Chief, Real Estate Branch, 202-M Federal Annex, Atlanta 4, Georgia. The Acting Assistant Chief will supply bidding forms, specifications, rent provisions and other information. Bids must be submitted to the Acting Assistant Chief, Real Estate Branch by July 20, 1962.

Land Transfers

Jones County Register of Deeds Bill Parker reports the following real estate transfers that have been recorded in his office during the past week: From Christian Aid Society No. 1 to Saint Matthews Congregational Church two lots in Pollocksville.

Man Gets Suspended Sentence for 4th-5th Drunken Driving

Judge W. J. Bundy of Greenville Monday suspended a 2-year prison term given to Finnie O'Berry Davis of Kinston route four, who had pled guilty to his 4th and 5th charges of drunken driving.

Davis was caught over the past weekend on the 5th charge, while waiting trial on Monday for the 4th charge. He was fined \$500, had his driving license permanently revoked and was ordered not to drink or have on his premises any alcoholic beverages for a three-year period.

Five Couples are Divorced Monday in Lenoir County Court

Monday five couples were given divorces in Lenoir County Superior Court, each on grounds of two-year separation.

The couples legally sparated included Naomi Jan Barber from Carl Austin Barber Jr., Ruby G. Burgess Morris from Coy Morris, Fred Carson Johnson from Martha Ann Alphin Johnson, Elisha Daughety from Miley Winfield Daughety and Shirley, H. Phillips from Seth L. Phillips Jr.

Bad Aim Gets Wife 10 Years in Prison

Bessie Jenkins, 47, pled guilty Monday to manslaughter in the June 14th shotgun slaying of her husband, Julius, 50, a tenant on the Tull Hill farm in Upper Lenoir County.

Mrs. Jenkins said she did not intend to kill her husband, but was intending to scare him because he was cursing her. The full blast from a 12 gauge shotgun hit Jenkins in the chest, killing him instantly.

Judge W. J. Bundy of Greenville gave her a 10-year term in the woman's prison after hearing the evidence.

Walter Henderson Wins Clerk Race in Jones County Over Nick Noble

Ten More Children Treated for Poison By Kinston Doctor

Kinston Child Specialist Jesse Arnold this week reports that 10 more children have been treated for accidental poisoning in the past week. Dr. Arnold again urged greater alertness on the part of parents with the use of poisons as well as medicines that can be deadly in overdoses.

The list of poisons that have had to be pumped out of small stomachs includes: Tobacco poison, rat poison, grandmother's "nerve pills," Exlax, aspirin, fly poison granules, Toxaphene, rubbing alcohol, cloxox and poison leaves from a plant kept in the house.

So far this year no child treated at Lenoir Memorial Hospital for accidental poisoning has died, but each year for many years an average of about three small lives have been claimed because of the carelessness of parents.

An amazingly large turnout of Jones County voters Saturday in a second primary nominated Walter Percy Henderson to be Clerk of Superior Court over George Nick Noble by a vote of 1185 to 705.

Henderson also led the ticket in the first primary, when five candidates were seeking the job vacated by the retirement of Clerk Murray Whitaker.

Henderson led in seven of the eight precincts in the county. Noble led only in his native Tuckahoe Township.

The tabulation by precincts follows:

Precinct	Henderson	Noble
Beaver Creek	67	62
Chinquapin	154	73
Cypress Creek	157	83
Piney Grove	62	24
Pollocksville	260	85
Trenton	231	191
Tuckahoe	89	159
White Oak	164	28
Totals	1185	705

Neuse Development Association Holds Meet in New Bern

The Eight-County Neuse Development Association held a full Board of Directors meeting in New Bern Wednesday, June 27, and formulated a program of progress for the Neuse River basin.

Lon Edwards, of Hookerton, who is president of the expanded Association, said today four major areas of development have been determined and a program is to be worked out. The four major fields of development will be (1) Recreation and Travel, Chairman Bill Clark of Morehead; (2) Industry, Chairman, Wait Howard, of Kinston; (3) Agriculture, Chairman Charles Hooks, Fremont; and Community Development, Chairman, Mrs. Alta Koonce, Trenton.

Counties which constitute the Neuse Development Association in its expanded structure are: Wayne, Lenoir, Greene, Jones, Craven, Onslow, Carteret, and Pamlico.

There are six representatives from each County, in addition to the officers. Serving with Edwards as officers for the current fiscal year are: J. V. Brittle, of Kinston; and Donald Brock of Trenton, vice-presidents; and Calvin Hodgkin, secretary-treasurer, of Goldsboro.

"Everybody on the Board of Directors will have a committee assignment," Edwards said. "It is each committee's responsibility to formulate a program and then present the program of development to each County for action."

"If we are to accomplish anything, and I believe we can accomplish a great deal," Edwards said, "it will take a concerted effort on part of every member of the Board of Directors of the Neuse Development Association and then in turn the various organizations in each County within the Association."

Eagle Home Games

- June 28 — All-Star Game
- July 1 — Greensboro
- July 2 — Greensboro
- July 4 — Raleigh (double header)
- July 5 — Rocky Mount
- July 6 — Wilson
- July 9 — Wilson
- July 11 — Wilson
- July 12 — Raleigh
- July 14 — Burlington
- July 15 — Burlington

Judge Urges Jurors to Remember Their Part In Court Last Week

Last Thursday at the completion of cases scheduled for trial, Judge W. J. Bundy levelled a 10-minute blast at three panels of jurors who had turned three men loose charged with drunken driving, during the week of court.

The full text of Judge Bundy's comments is on page five of this week's issue. The three men freed were James Frederick Pully and Edward Everett Peele of Kinston and George Albert Jones of LaGrange route 3.

Duplin Countian is Murdered in Alaska

Kenneth Owen Stroud, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stroud of the Albertson section of Duplin County, was murdered Monday in Anchorage, Alaska.

Young Stroud, a cab driver, died from a .22 caliber bullet wound in the back of the head. His murderer had not been apprehended on Wednesday when Kinston authorities were in contact with Anchorage police.

Stroud's body is being flown to Washington, D. C., where it is scheduled to arrive on Friday. It will then be transferred to Howard and Carter Funeral Home in Kinston for funeral arrangements.

Goldsboro Woman is Given Three Years In Forgery Indictment

Mrs. Betsy Dunnivan of Goldsboro was sentenced to three years in prison this week by Judge W. J. Bundy in Lenoir County Superior Court.

Mrs. Dunnivan was charged with forging a \$1500 check on her mother.

Judge Bundy ordered in the commitment of Mrs. Dunnivan that she be given psychiatric examination.

HEAVY FINE

James Taylor of Kinston route 5 was found guilty last week of making stumphole whisky and drew a two-year prison term suspended on payment of a \$1000 fine and the court costs.