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## Powell Bill Funds Up; Local Checks Listed

Last week the State Highway Commission released figures on the 1962 distribution of funds authorized by the Powell Bill which allots one-half cent of the gasoline tax collected each year to the municipalities of the state for their use in maintaining and building off-system streets.

The state maintains all highway system streets within cities and towns.

The largest allocation under this bill went to the state's largest city, Charlotte, which got \$689,938.79 out of the total of \$7,629,882.79 that was collected this year.

The smallest check went to the tiny hamlet of Falkland in Pitt County which received \$302.47.

Allocations to other communities in this area included the following: Cove City \$2,105.29, Dover \$2,221.84, Grifton \$6,830.30, Hookerton \$1,724.71, Kinston \$83,069.19, LaGrange \$8,948.31, Maysville \$4,976.96, New Bern \$53,403.58, Pink Hill \$3,093.95, Pollocksville \$2,154.15, Trenton \$1,687.36.

## Sewage Treatment

Monday night the Kinston City Council set October 2nd and 3rd as the date for visits to tours of lagoon-type sewage treatment plants in Mississippi.

C. W. Mengel, who did the preliminary studies for the city for a sewage treatment plant, agreed to go along on the trip and also had some good news for the city.

Mengel said that bids let last month for New Bern's sewage treatment plant were the best bids in more than five years.

## Speed Happy Youths in Trouble Fast Tuesday

Tuesday night eight Kinston area youths got into considerable trouble because of their fondness for speed.

At 8:15 Colbert Smith, 17, of 1203 Ferndale Lane wrecked a 1956 model car belonging to Tony Laur of 1608 Carey Road, while trying to elude Policeman Arthur Whaley in a chase that began in northwest Kinston and ended when the car was wrecked on a dirt road near the airport.

Edward Eugene Hood of Capitola Avenue, a passenger in the car, was hospitalized from severe head cuts and Harry Jarman also of Kinston was examined and released at a local hospital.

Smith was charged with speeding over 100 miles per hour, reckless driving and failing to stop for a siren. Laur was charged with aiding and abetting him.

Smith's excuse was "I've already got one speeding ticket and I can't afford another one."

## Racing Charges

At 10:15 Highway Patrolman Wesley Parrish arrested four Southwood High School students when they were caught racing on a rural paved road connecting the Rivermont community with the Trenton highway.

Michael Waller and Dewey Johnson were charged with engaging in the pre-arranged racing, Marvin Lee Rouse, who Parrish said was doing the "count down" for the boys to start racing by and Dempsey Parrott were charged with aiding and abetting in pre-arranged racing.

## Luther Barrow Hurt Thursday in Wreck

Luther Barrow of Pollocksville route 1 suffered painful but not serious facial injuries at 11:15 a.m. Thursday when he was involved in a wreck at the corner of Blount and Independent streets in downtown Kinston.

Barrow suffered a cut on the upper lip that required eight stitches and other less serious cut when his car was hit by a Pyrofax gas truck driven by John Rhinehart of Kinston route 2.

Policeman Aaron Brooks charged Barrow with failure to stop for a stop sign. His 1952 Chevrolet was judged a total loss and \$300 damage was estimated to the truck driven by Rhinehart.

## Three Held, One Freed In Richlands Robbery

Three of four Kinstonians waived preliminary hearings Tuesday on charges of stealing the safe from the Richlands office of the Kinston Production Credit Association on the night of August 14th and the fourth defendant was turned loose.

Norman Carlyle, Preston D. Everett and Luke Brown were each bound over to the next term of Onslow County Superior Court under \$5,000 bond after they waived hearing.

Bobby C. Grady was freed when the hearings officer ruled that there was no sufficient evidence against Grady to support the charge.

## Kinston Leads League By Wide Margin With 141,277 Attendance

Figures released Tuesday by Carolina League President Bill Jessup revealed that the Kinston Eagles nearly drew twice as many fans as the next nearest team in the league in 1962.

Kinston's Eagles played before 141,277 fans during the regular season in their home park, before another 2799 in the June 28th All-Star Game and before 9000 in the playoff games.

Winston-Salem was in 2nd place with 74,503, Durham in 3rd place with 71,050, Rocky Mount had 53,651, Wilson 40,669, Greensboro 38,109, Burlington 30,226 and Raleigh 29,552.

The total attendance in the eight-team league this year in regular season play was 478,987. The league, with six teams in 1961 drew only 261,266 fans.

With All-Star and playoff attendance the 1962 figure totalled 498,734.

## MORALS CHARGE

Frances Darden signed a warrant Saturday night, accusing James Dawson of beating her. When police served the warrant they found that the two were living together at 411 North Orion Street, and they in turn charged them with fornication and adultery.

## Jones Central PTA Has First Meeting; Faculty Introduced

Jones Central High School held its first PTA meeting of the year in the Cafeteria of the school Monday night.

Mrs. Linwood Cox president over the meeting.

Leo Nance the Principal spoke on "Getting Acquainted with Jones Central" and introduced the new faculty members.

Refreshments were served by the hospitality committee.

## Senate Grants President Authority Call Reserves In View of Cuban Crisis

By Senator Sam Ervin

The Senate has approved the President's request for authority to call up 150,000 military reservists if he deems it necessary. The Senate acted with war-time speed to strengthen the President in dealing with the serious international situation confronting the nation.

Russia has had the effrontery to tell the United States that the Monroe Doctrine is dead. The Communist military buildup in Cuba constitutes the most direct security threat to this Hemisphere in the 20th century.

Several years ago when Cuba started receiving arms from Russia, the United States ought to have told Russia that this was a clear violation of the Monroe Doctrine. Our nation should have demanded at that time that Russia stop shipping arms to Cuba.

Mankind has spent a large part of its time and energy and given of its blood and treasure in fighting wars. The United States has taken part in three major wars in the span of half a century. Our nation has appropriated more than \$932 billion for national defense for World War II, the Korean War, and the cold war, 1947-1961.

America must be prepared to continue her national security arsenals for the foreseeable future. Twice in this century following world wars, we let our army practically disband in the expectation that the world was going to be at peace.

History records tragically that the Kaiser and Hitler began wars when they were convinced that the Western Powers had become soft and would not stand firm against aggression.

There are no easy or speedy solutions to the international crises which we face. In my judgment, however, it is essential for us to manifest our resoluteness to defend ourselves. I do not think that you strengthen your position or make peace more secure by appearing to appease aggressors. I think that we must endeavor always to convince Russia that the United States fully intends to protect the security of this Hemisphere and that no aggressor nation shall be permitted to violate that security.

## Congressional Calendar

As of September 14, of sixteen major appropriation bills to be acted on at this session, six had been cleared for Presidential action, four others had passed the Senate and House but await conference action to iron out differences, and six remained to be acted on by the Senate.

On that date the Senate had yet to act on appropriations for For-

## Bookmobile Library Service Beginning in Jones County Friday

The first county-wide public library service in the history of Jones County will begin on Friday of this week.

Under the supervision and sponsorship of the Neuse Regional Library a bookmobile will be in the following locations on Friday, and on each succeeding Friday.

10 a.m. in Trenton in front of Wade Mallard's warehouse, where the future Trenton library was to be built.

11:30 a.m. at Ray McDaniel's store at Oliver's Crossroads.

1:30 p.m. at the Long Branch Community Building.

3 p.m. at Davenport's store.

The bookmobile carries books for all ages, and everyone is urged to take advantage of this service.

If the bookmobile does not have a particular book desired by one of its patrons it may be ordered and delivered at the next trip.

There is no charge to the people of Jones County for use of this service, but there is a penalty if books are kept beyond their due dates.

## Ed Pollock Named Gilbert Clan Head At Sunday Reunion

The Gilbert family held its thirtieth reunion Sunday. A picnic lunch was served on the lawn of Shady Grove Methodist Church.

The officers appointed for the coming year were W. E. Pollock from Kinston, president; vice-president, W. W. Lowery; secretary-treasurer, J. W. Gilbert from Grifton.

## T-5 Ernest Phillips Gets Conduct Medal

Specialist Five Ernest M. Phillips, 24, son of Mrs. and Mrs. Zeke N. Phillips of route 1, Maysville, recently received the second award of the Good Conduct Medal while serving with the 504th Signal Battalion in Germany.

Specialist Phillips, a radio repairman in the battalion's Company A, was awarded the medal in recognition of his exemplary conduct, efficiency and fidelity as a soldier in the active Federal military service.

Phillips entered the Army in October 1957, and arrived overseas on this tour of duty in July 1961. His wife, Wilma, is with him in Germany.

## Memorial Baptists Having Revival from 23rd Through 30th

A revival will be held at the Memorial Baptist Church of Maysville, beginning September 23 and continuing through September 30.

Reverend Avery Lumsden, Pastor of the church, will be speaking at each of the services. The services will begin at 7:30 p. m. each evening.

Simultaneous Cottage Prayer services are to be held throughout the church community Thursday night, September 20 under the sponsorship of the Deacons and the Church Brotherhood.

Foreign Aid, Public Works, the Peace Corps, the Atomic Energy Commission, the District of Columbia, and the Departments of State, Justice, Commerce, and the Judiciary.

This week the House is scheduled to take up the Foreign Aid appropriations bill, and the Senate Finance Committee at the time this column is written. Both bills may cause lengthy debate in the Senate.

This year, Congress has been requested to appropriate \$4.7 billion for new Foreign Aid commitments. I have advocated for many sessions that Congress adopt a more sensible and prudent approach on Foreign Aid appropriations.

Economic troubles, diminishing U. S. gold reserves, and the ineffectiveness of many foreign aid programs justify again this year a hard look at this appropriation bill.

Even long time supporters of these programs are conceding that a substantial cut will be made in these funds this time.

Whether that will happen or not is uncertain, but Congressional speeches are voicing more and more dissatisfaction with the accomplishments of current foreign aid programs. All the evidence indicates SHOPLIFTING?

James Allen Powell of 14-E Carver Courts was booked over the weekend on a charge of shoplifting.

## County Commissioners Erase Lot Purchase Amendment to Minutes

Last Friday afternoon the Lenoir County Board of Commissioners passed a resolution erasing an amendment made to the minutes of the September 4th meeting of the board.

Chairman Ike Whitfield assumed full responsibility for the addition to the minutes on Friday after the Tuesday meeting. The amendment approved the sale of a 33-foot strip of land back of the court house to County Attorney Tom White.

Whitfield said it was his understanding that the members of the board had agreed to the transaction.

Commissioner Johnny Davenport said that it might have been possible for Whitfield to have gained that impression, but he certainly never intended to infer that he approved the altering of the board's minutes.

Commissioner Ralph Daugherty admitted that he had told Whit-

field that he would "go along" if the other members of the board did.

Commissioner Harry Sutton said the matter was discussed after the September 4th meeting and that there was unanimous but unofficial feeling that White could buy the lot.

Attorney White, who wrote the resolution included in the resolution a request that a lengthy letter from him to the board be "spread upon the minutes." The letter labelled the story in the Kinston Free Press as false, and the editorial comments of News Editor Jack Rider as false, because they both stated that a land deal had been consummated.

Rider objected twice to the inclusion of this phrase in the official minutes of the board. Rider told the commissioners that if the Free Press headline and his statement were false there was absolutely no need for the minutes to be corrected.