

Dickey Only Awaits LBJ Signature



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Hospital Session
President Johnson gets a laugh from group attending signing of the air pollution bill at his Bethesda Naval Hospital room Wednesday. Among those attending are, from left, Sen. Hiram Fong, R-Hawaii; Sen. J. Caleb Boggs, R-Del.; Rep. Oren Harris, D-Ark.; Sen. Edmund S. Muskie; Rep. Hale Boggs, D-La.; Sen. Pat McNamara, D-Mich.; Vice

President Humphrey; Sen. Mike Mansfield, D-Mont., and House Speaker John McCormack, D-Mass. President Johnson told Sen. Muskie he was delighted the Dickey-Lincoln School power project had been retained in the water projects authorization bill.

Project Heralds New Era For Maine

By MAY CRAIG
WASHINGTON — The controversial Dickey-Lincoln School federal hydroelectric power project on Maine's St. John River won final congressional approval in the House Wednesday.

Reed Hails House Action From Japan

TOKYO (UPI)—Gov. John H. Reed of Maine said Thursday he was "delighted and thrilled" at congressional passage of a \$2 billion rivers and harbors bill including the St. John River power project in Maine.

Reed, contacted by transatlantic telephone from Augusta, Maine, said approval of the \$27 million St. John River project "should herald the beginning of a new era for industrial and recreational expansion in our State."

Leaders Predict Dickey To Spark Maine Economy

AUGUSTA (AP) — Republican Gov. Reed's office expressed "great enthusiasm" Wednesday at the news of the passage of the bill including the Dickey power project, and Democratic leaders hailed it as the greatest economic boost in Maine's history.

Reed said the project "will take them to South Viet Nam."

Johnson Gets Green Light To Leave Hospital Today

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Johnson, his recovery from surgery pronounced excellent by his doctors, hopes to leave the hospital and return to the White House sometime Thursday.

TIME RAN OUT before either Rep. William D. Hathaway, in whose Second Maine District the two big dams comprising the project would be located, or Rep. Stanley R. Tupper of Maine's First District, get a chance to take to the floor in behalf of the project.

Juror Ruling Speeds Liuzzo Slaying Trial

HAYNEVILLE, Ala. (AP) — A 20-year-old Negro civil rights worker said Wednesday during the second murder trial of a young Ku Klux Klansman that he never heard the shots which killed a white woman last March 25 in Lowndes County.

Balky Klan Witnesses Warned They Face Contempt, Tax Action

WASHINGTON (AP) — Ku Klux Klan witnesses who refused to answer questions about finances were warned Wednesday of two kinds of possible trouble: Congressional contempt citations and federal tax

raids, donations collected at rallies and profits from the sale of \$15 satin robes.

Dickey's Passage Spurs Rejoicing In Fort Kent

FORT KENT (AP) — Fire whistles and church bells rang throughout Fort Kent and there was jubilation the length and breadth of the St. John Valley as word of the Dickey-Lincoln School power project being passed reached here Wednesday afternoon.

Klan records might make them liable for contempt citations.

So. Windham Boy Killed By Car In Front Of Home

SOUTH WINDHAM—Eight-year-old Stephen W. Weeks was killed instantly by a neighbor's automobile here late Wednesday afternoon as he was returning from a Bible class with his older sister.

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1965	1964
174	154

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After Test Run
Gemini 6 astronaut Walter M. Schirra, left, and Thomas P. Stafford ride elevator at Cape Kennedy Wednesday after test run of their Oct. 25 flight.

Link-Up Shot Preparations Keep GT6 Astronauts Busy

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) — The Gemini 6 astronaut and teams in the control center and on the launch pads were busy Wednesday as preparations entered the home stretch for man's first attempt to link up with another spacecraft.

Prayer For Today

Dear Lord, we may live for the worst, but we were born for the better. Never let us forget it. Conformity may make us men. They may not choose to change the world for us, but they can change us for the world. May we believe this and cast our vote for this belief by what we daily become; in Jesus' name, Amen.

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