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NORTH CAROLINA — Sunny and warmer tonight. Fair and cool tomorrow. Wednesday fair and continued warm.

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Son Of Wealthy Kansas City Couple Kidnaped

Top Sources Say Ike Will Name Warren

WASHINGTON (UP) — Responsible administration sources said today that President Eisenhower will announce selection of Gov. Earl Warren of California as chief justice of the United States at his news conference tomorrow.

These sources said there is a "slight" possibility the announcement will be delayed, but that there is no doubt in their minds the President has finally decided on Warren.

Eisenhower was represented as wanting to have a chief justice named, even by recess appointment, before the court convenes next Monday for the 1953-54 term.

Apparently final details of the Warren appointment were worked out Sunday in Sacramento, Calif., between the governor and Atty. Gen. Herbert Brownell Jr.

Brownell recommended to the President yesterday that Warren succeed Chief Justice Fred M. Vinson who died Sept. 8 of a heart attack.

Last Minute News Shorts

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. — Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, president of the United Nations General Assembly, today urged cooperation between the United States and the Soviet Union.

RALEIGH — Gov. William B. Umstead today appointed Paul Blumette of Wilson to complete the unexpired term of W. H. Harrell of Wilson as a member of the State Board of Correction and Training.

TOKYO, Wash. Post, Oct. 17 — Communist China seems well along a genuine economic and industrial production program with the state and private enterprises working together and showing substantial gains.

KANNAPOLIS — An 81-year-old widow reported to police today that her husband had been kidnapped by a man named Mrs. Ella (Continued on page 10)

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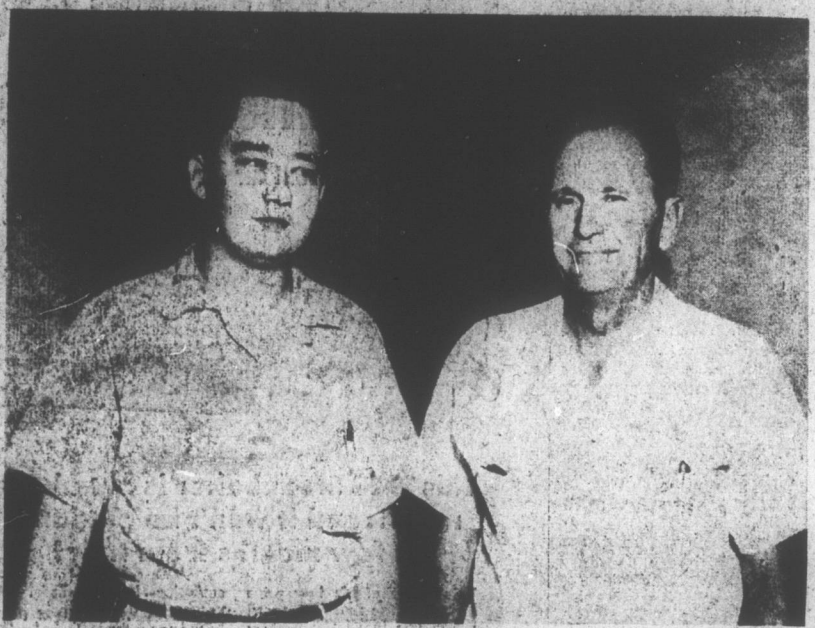
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GETTING READY — Members of the staff of the operations are Ed Black, left, assistant manager of Dunn, Inc., today were busy getting ready for the grand opening of the beautiful new president of the company. (Daily Record Photo.)

Quinn's Of Dunn To Open New Building On Thursday

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State To Vote On Bond Issue

RALEIGH — North Carolinians will vote Saturday on state-wide school and mental hospital bond issues totaling 22 million dollars.

Gov. William B. Umstead plans to cast his vote in Durham in favor of the two bond issues that will provide 50 million dollars for schools and 22 million for mental institutions.

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U. S. Standing Firm On Meeting Of Big-4 Chiefs

WASHINGTON (UP) — The United States stood fast today against mounting world pressure for a Big Four chiefs of state meeting until the Soviet Union demonstrates in lower-level conferences that it means to work for peace.

Officials insisted it would be useless to hold such a meeting now because, they said, there is no evidence the Soviet world intends to mend its ways and drop its goal of world domination.

Until such evidence is provided, they said, any Big Four meeting would be likely to produce mostly talk, which the Soviet would try to twist to their propaganda advantage, but little or no progress toward real peace.

TWO CALLS HEARD — The call for a Big Four meeting was sounded on two fronts yesterday. The proposal is known to have support from a member of U. S. allies.

British Prime Minister Winston Churchill, in a special statement said he has not changed his opinion that such a meeting would be profitable and should be scheduled.

Later Indian delegate to the United Nations V. K. Krishna Menon backed Churchill up. In an address before the U. N. General Assembly, he said:

"Humanity cries for it. It might be a solution to our present difficulties. It would clear the air, including the situation in Germany and Korea. Nothing would be more desirable than for the heads of the four great powers to meet and hammer out some sort of new approach to the world's problems."

State Briefs

RALEIGH — Nearly 100 radio stations in the state will broadcast a discussion of the public school and mental hospital bond issues tomorrow night to what may be the largest radio audience ever to hear a program simultaneously in the state.

BEAUFORT — Owners of a fishing factory on Beaufort Neck, near the Morhead City-Beaufort highway today surveyed damage wrought by a disastrous fire which raged through the plant. The blaze raged for almost three hours last night and flames against the sky were visible for several miles.

RALEIGH — A women's prison official has warned with a parting blast at the State of former director Louis Sheffield, Louis C. Smith, farming superintendent at the prison, said yesterday he will leave Raleigh Oct. 1 to take a position with the British-American Tobacco Co. in Honduras.



SENATOR INTRODUCES HIS BRIDE — Senator Joseph McCarthy is shown here introducing his bride-to-be, Miss Jean Kerr, left, to Mrs. John Barnes of the National Gold Star Mothers. Sen. McCarthy and Miss Kerr were married this morning in one of the gala events of the capital's social season. More than 2,000 attended the wedding. (International Soundphoto.)

Over 2,000 Attend McCarthy Wedding

WASHINGTON (UP) — Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy married Jean Kerr, his pretty former assistant, today in a glittering society wedding that formally ended his reign as one of the Senate's most confirmed bachelors.

Two thousand guests — high government officials, diplomats, and congressmen — witnessed the simple ceremony before the semi-circular high altar of St. Matthews, Roman Catholic Cathedral.

President Eisenhower did not attend. But Vice President and Mrs. Richard M. Nixon, Secretary of State John Foster Dulles and other representatives of the administration were on hand.

McCarthy, who is 45, and his bride, 30-year-old Jean, stood solemnly at the foot of the altar as the Rev. William J. Averbach began the Catholic nuptial rites — advising them of their marriage obligations, admonishing them to cherish each other for the "whole future," and praying that their love would "never fail."

The senator placed a narrow platinum band on his bride's finger. Low Organ music and the solo Schubert's "Ave Maria" rose in the background and the nuptial mass began. The entire ceremony lasted only 35 minutes.

McCarthy is a life-long Catholic. His bride recently joined the church.

The wedding left only four bachelors in the Senate: Sen. John F. Kennedy of Mass., who was another hold-out, was married two weeks ago.

McCarthy wore a cutaway, ascot tie and striped trousers for the formal nuptial ceremony. His blue-eyed bride was resplendent in a gown of candlelight satin and champagne lace, with a deep-shoulder neckline, empire bodice and cathedral train. She carried a cascade bouquet of yellow-throated white orchids and stephanotis.

WORKED IN HIS OFFICE — The Senator's courtship of the one-time college beauty queen began soon after she was to work in his office of a researcher in 1948. But announcement of their formal engagement, made only two weeks ago, came as a surprise to friends.

McCarthy once called her "the prettiest and brightest girl I've ever known" and said she stood "beside me when things were darkest."

Watching the ceremony from a front pew was the bride's mother, Miss William P. Kerr. Her father died several years ago and she was entrusted to the sister by a close friend, Wilbur A. Johnson of Fairwood, N. C.

One brother, William, a Chicago truck driver, served as McCarthy's best man and another brother, Howard, was one of 13 ushers.

A special police detail was assigned to deal with crowds outside the cathedral. Invitations to attend the ceremony inside were so strictly limited that only the senator's required a printed card, and the standard invitation was Mrs. W. J. Conroy, Jr., of Washington, D. C.

She passed in from well-wishers in all parts of the country.

Boy, 6, Taken From School By Abductors

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (UP) — The grief-stricken millionaire father of a kidnaped boy asked newsmen, photographers and television cameramen to leave his premises today "because we think they are trying to make contact."

Robert C. Greenlease appeared near collapse when he called off plans for a television and news interview on the lawn of his sumptuous house.

"All I want is my boy back," he said in a tearful voice.

The automobile dealer's son, Bobby, 6, was kidnaped yesterday.

Greenlease would not say anything to substantiate his belief the kidnaper might be trying to contact the family.

The press, radio and television contingent quickly complied with Greenlease's request.

MOTHER FROSTRATE — As far as public mention was concerned, Greenlease and his prostrate wife had heard nothing from the stocky, red-haired woman who took Bobby from a fashionable Catholic school before noon yesterday.

Police activity was being carried on strictly to the extent permitted by the 71-year-old father and his 45-year-old second wife.

Police declined to discuss "ransom" possibilities. They remained in the background entirely, although one closed door conference followed another at headquarters.

All available detectives were assigned to the case and then withdrew from the kidnap-victim's house after Police Chief Bernard Brannon expressed fears for the boy's safety.

NEWS WITHHELD — The chief postponed making public the kidnaping for several hours at the request of Bobby's shocked parents.

The Greenlease's great English-type house was quiet through the night. Police, if any, were not visible. Inside, behind drawn blinds, were the Greenleases, their 13-year-old daughter, Virginia Sue, and members of the household, including a governess and an 18-year-old Swedish girl servant.

Many friends called during the evening. Two physicians hurried to the mammoth house during the night. They departed without comment.

The tall, distinguished-looking father appeared briefly on the stoop at the front of the house. He fought back tears as he talked to clusters of friends.

Greenlease, a punctual man, took Bobby to school yesterday at the French Institute of Notre Dame de (Continued on page eight)

Negro Slayer Apprehended

Johnny Spencer, Lillington Negro, who fled from Harnett last January, was lodged in the county jail today charged with a murder which happened nine months ago.

Last March a Harnett grand jury indicted Spencer for the gun slaying of Thurman McNeill, a Shawtown Negro. McNeill died January 9 of wounds received several days earlier.

Spencer was apprehended by city police in Washington, D. C., during the week end and was returned to Lillington by Deputy Ken Matthews and Rural Policeman Walker O'Quinn.

Florida Governor Dies At Age Of 41

FALLAHASSEE (UP) — Charley Johns, president of the State Senate, takes control as acting governor of Florida today succeeding Democrat Gov. Dan McCarty who died last night.

Johns called for official mourning for the popular young governor, who was elected by the biggest vote ever given a candidate for chief executive of the state.

The new governor indicated he would carry out McCarty's program "clean up" policies which he had partly opposed.

Johns, a railroad conductor, insurance man and company owner, supported McCarty for governor but fought him in the Legislature on several issues.

McCarty, 41, a university teacher, died of a heart attack at a hospital at 2:35 p. m. (EST) of a heart disturbance complicated by pneumonia.

McCarty's body was to lie in state in the Capitol Rotunda from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. today.

FURNALS TODAY — Funeral services will be held from 9 a. m. to 11 a. m. today at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Fort Pierce.

Gov. The Rev. W. H. C. Williams will officiate. The body will be buried at Fort Pierce at 11 a. m.

McCarty had served seven terms in the Florida Legislature and was a member of the U. S. House of Representatives from 1937 to 1941.

BULLETINS

NEW YORK (UP) — One of Belgium's top commercial airline pilots and a New York jeweler were held in \$50,000 bail each today on charges of smuggling \$223,000 as a Fifth Avenue diamond merchant, was arrested yesterday when he walked into a trap set for him by government agents. They said Edmund Depe, 35, acting chief pilot for Sabena Belgian Airlines, received the diamonds from a Belgium army captain in Brussels, brought them to New York Sunday and passed through customs at Idlewild Airport with the diamonds concealed in a secret compartment in a suitcase.

CLEVELAND, O. (UP) — Proper use of the tooth brush is more effective than any particular substance in a toothpaste for preventing tooth decay, the 54th annual session (Continued on page 10)

+ Record Roundup +

FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY — A meeting of the Harnett County Committee of C.R.P. will be held tonight (Sept. 29) at 8 p. m. in the courthouse in Lillington. All ministers in the county are also invited to attend. Plans will be made for the collection of food commodities for shipment overseas to Korea, India, Pakistan, the Holy Land and Europe. The project is part of a nation-wide drive sponsored by the National Council of Churches.

E. D. COUNCIL — Home Demonstration club members from all sections of the county will gather in Lillington's Community Center, Monday, Oct. 6 at 2:30 p. m. for the County Council meeting. Members of the Executive Club will be present for the quarterly meeting. Plans will be made for the Fall Achievement Day and the Standard Federation meeting. Mrs. W. J. Conroy, Jr., of Washington, D. C. (Continued on page 10)

SHIRLEY TEMPLE EXPECTING THIRD — Shirley Temple, former child film star, expects her third baby next March. Mrs. Temple, wife of Charles Black, said today the child, due in April, will be delivered by cesarean section at the end of March.

She has a girl, Susan, 5, by her former husband, actor John Agar, and a boy, Charles Jr., 13 months, by Black.

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