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RUTHLESS PURGE BY REDS REPORTED

Lennon, Scott Open Drive For Senate Votes

RALEIGH (AP) - W. Kerr Scott, liberal-viewed former governor, set out on the campaign trail today as a formally announced candidate for the U. S. Senate nomination...

Scott ended his waiting in the wings as an "unannounced candidate" Saturday, exactly six years to the day from his announcement for governor in 1948.

On Wednesday the blunt-spoken 57-year-old thirty farmer will make his first speech as an announced senatorial candidate in Chapel Hill.

NO SURPRISE - The news generally accepted Scott's announcement at Haw River as a matter of fact. It had been expected for months he would choose to oppose Sen. Alton A. Lennon...

Lennon and his campaign manager, John R. Rodman, said they do not believe the voters will cast their ballots for Lennon.

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These Little Things

By HOOPER ADAMS

LITTLE NOTES ABOUT PEOPLE AND THINGS

Ed. T. R. Williams, Jr., who is stationed out in California, found out during his visit home that Dunn is a good place to trade automobiles.

Man Gets 4 Months For 6 Convictions

Wright, 22 year old son of Dunn, Route 4, who has a record of 300 days in jail for 60 days in jail for 150 days.



AT OPENING OF NEW FIRM - Tyndall's Chain Saw Co. held its formal opening here Saturday and a large crowd was on hand to see demonstrations of the McCulloch chain saws.

FBI Chief Warns Communists In U. S. Are Getting Bolder

WASHINGTON (AP) - FBI Chief J. Edgar Hoover warned in testimony made public today that the Communists are destroying party cards, staging loyalty tests, and even avoiding old vices to conceal their subversive activities.

Rayburn Makes Reply To GOP

WASHINGTON (AP) - House Democratic Leader Sam Rayburn called on President Eisenhower today to halt what he called "mean, untrue, and distasteful" charges against Democrats by administration officials.

Dr. Arena Addresses Catholics Sunday

"All parents should take greater caution in helping to prevent accidents of children" declared Doctor Jay Arena of Durham in a Holy Communion Breakfast address here yesterday.

Bricker Backers Preparing For Last-Ditch Stand

By UNITED PRESS - Bricker Amendment backers geared for a last-ditch drive today for public support of their controversial treaty-control proposal.



COFFEE IS HIGH - Ed Welborn, standing, hands Johnny Welborn a case of coffee. Ed said today coffee keeps climbing in price.

Scouts Are Boosted At Court Of Honor

Boy Scout Week opened here last night with 45 youth receiving advancement badges, 45 receiving merit badges, and two being given civic duty awards at a Court of Honor held at the Dunn Presbyterian Church.

ECC Alumni Meet Tonight

Alumni of East Carolina College will hear James Whitfield, State Alumni president, discuss alumni activities tonight at 8 o'clock at the Dunn High School Library.

Ten Arrested This Weekend

Ten persons were arrested in Dunn over the weekend according to records at the local Police Station.

MR. GODWIN DIES

Robert Godwin, 79, of Linden, died suddenly Monday morning at his home.

MARRIAGE LICENSE - A license to marry was issued Friday by Mrs. Inez Harrington, register of deeds.

Kremlin Fires Two Top Reds In Kazakhstan

LONDON (AP) - A new and ruthless purge appeared in progress in the vast Soviet "republic" of Kazakhstan today as the Kremlin announced the firing of two top Reds.

The Kremlin's announcement said that one of Russia's top political command and a high-ranking military man has been set to run the second largest state in the Soviet Union.

Radio Moscow said Panteleymon K. Ponomarenko, a member of the Presidium (Politburo), and Lt. Gen. Lenoid I. Brezhnev have been appointed first and second secretary respectively of Kazakhstan's Central Communist Committee.

The broadcast said each of their predecessors, Z. Shayakhmetov and I. I. Afonov, has been "relieved of his duties," but gave no further details.

Because of the importance of Kazakhstan to Russia's economic life, observers here say the shakeup may prove to be the Kremlin's most significant actions since the liquidation of Lavrenty Beria.

The vast province extends from the Volga River to the border of Red China. It embraces thousands of square miles of rich farm and pasture land, the vital Karaganda industrial basin, fast developing oil fields and one of Russia's biggest aircraft and rocket factories.

Pope's Condition Reported Better

VATICAN CITY (AP) - Pope Pius XII is recovering slowly and is able to move about his bedroom, the Vatican announced today.

The Pope also is getting with less difficulty, it was announced. It was the third straight day of improvement in the Pope's condition.

Morgan May Run For Senate Post

Superior Court Clerk Robert Morgan, who announced a few days ago that he will not seek re-election to that office, may be a candidate for State Senate, it was learned today.

Morgan told The Daily Record today that he is considering the race, but has not yet made a definite decision.

Dunn, Clinton Now On Phone Network

If you are a telephone subscriber in Dunn and you are making a long distance telephone call to Raleigh or any place that is connected by the inter-toll dial system to Raleigh, your long distance telephone operator simply dials the number without going through any other operators along the route.

Five Children Burn To Death

NEW ORLEANS (AP) - Five young Negro children, including two sets of twins, were burned to death today when a wind-fueled fire roared through their tarpaper-roofed frame house "within a matter of minutes."

BULLETINS

CLEMSON, S. C. (AP) - Two Clemson College cadets today said they were "reasonably sure" a man captured by police in Decatur, Ga., is the same robber who took \$18 from them in an early morning prow through dormitories here Friday.

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP) - The American Federation of Labor has called upon the United States to establish a unified program to promote higher worldwide social and economic standards.

CONVERTS SPEAK - During the proceedings of the breakfast which was held at the General Lee Room of Johnson's Restaurant, the new converts were called upon to express their sentiments and briefly described the great happiness and peace of mind which they now possessed in being members of the Universal Church.

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