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### Five U. S. Presidents Have Visited Chapel Hill

**President John F. Kennedy Speaks at UNC University Day Chapel Hill Oct. 12 Kenan Stadium, 11 a.m.**

**President Kennedy 1961**

**J. K. Polk 1847**

**J. Buchanan 1853**

**Johnson 1867**

**D. Roosevelt 1938**

**W. Friday**

**W. Aycock**

**W. Babcock**

## Situation Unchanged

# Estes Hills Students Will Not Be Moved

## Schools Closing Lines May Be Changed Next Year

Chapel Hill public school students will be dismissed at 9:30 a.m. Thursday to attend President Kennedy's address in Kenan Stadium.

Parents will be responsible for taking their children to hear the President. School buses cannot be used. However, the buses will make their regular runs at 9:30 a.m. to take those students home who normally ride buses and do not plan to hear the President. Parents who pick up their children at school are asked to make arrangements to pick them up at 9:30.

In the event of bad weather, there will be a normal school schedule.

University President William Friday has extended a welcome to the public, especially to school children.

Gates of the stadium will open at 9 a.m. and the University has asked that everyone try to be seated by 10:30. The entire stadium will be open, with a platform in front of the field house facing the length of the field. All of the ceremonies, including the President's entrance and departure, will last only 47 minutes.

Chapel Hill residents are requested to walk to the stadium and leave their cars at home.

Pupils will not be transferred from Estes Hills School this year to relieve crowded conditions.

School Superintendent Joseph Johnston announced Friday that the proposed solution of the space problem at Estes Hills, to transfer between 30 and 40 excess third and fifth grade pupils to Glenwood and Carboro Elementary Schools, would not go into effect.

The pupils will continue to attend Estes Hills for the remainder of the school year. They are currently in two third and two fifth grade classes.

In a statement, Dr. Johnston said, "After much consideration, discussion and deliberation on the problem of the large number of students assigned to particular grades at Estes Hills Elementary School, it has been decided that transfers will not be made at this time."

Dr. Johnston said he expected some of the overcrowding at Estes Hills to be relieved in the future by "normal attrition," people moving out of the area.

This attrition and adjustment of the Estes Hills district lines are expected to prevent the same situation from developing next year.

For this year Estes Hills teachers felt the "padding" might be made worse by transferring pupils.

"The teachers involved expressed a desire to have the situation remain as it is," said Dr. Johnston. "They felt that the children had made adjustments to the situation and would have to, in fact, begin their school year again if transfers were to be made now."

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## Court Test Coming

# On Sign Ordinance

Chapel Hill's district zoning ordinance governing highway billboards will be tested in a court.

The test is being made by General Outdoor Advertising Company, owner of nine billboards in the Chapel Hill area which apparently violate the ordinance.

"It will take a court order to determine the matter," said Chapel Hill Town Attorney John C. LeGrand. John T. Manning, attorney for General Outdoor, agreed.

"If the zoning law has been adopted only for aesthetic purposes," said Mr. Manning, "there is some question that it is a valid application of the town's police powers."

He said that General Outdoor regards the signs as structures, coming under provisions for non-conforming use. "We contend that it is a non-conforming use and we can continue to use as long as we continue it uninterrupted," Mr. Manning said.

Four of the General Outdoor signs in question are on the Chapel Hill/Durham Boulevard and five are on the Pittsboro Highway.

Legal action should be instituted in any court in the district. It

is brought in Orange Superior Court, it would probably come during the next civil term in January.

The zoning ordinance affecting the signs was adopted in 1955, with five years allowed for compliance. The General Outdoor signs and others have been in violation for about a year and a half.

## C. T. Woolen

# Passes At 50

Charles T. Woolen Jr., 50, Charlotte manufacturer and state treasurer of the Association for Retarded Children, died in a Charlotte hospital Sunday morning. His wife, rector. Burial will be at 4 p.m. Tuesday in the family plot in the Chapel Hill cemetery.

Mr. Woolen was a graduate of Woodberry Forest School and the University here. His late father was controller of the University for 60 years and Woolen Gymnasium was named in his honor.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Charlotte's Christ Episcopal Church, of which he was a member. Rev. Thom Blair, rector. Burial will be at 4 p.m. Tuesday in the family plot in the Chapel Hill cemetery.

Surviving besides his widow are a daughter, Miss Mary Lewis Woolen and two sons, Charles T. Woolen Jr. and Kenneth Lewis Woolen, all of the home; his mother, Mrs. Bessie Robertson Woolen; a sister, Mrs. Archer Roberts of Washington, D. C.; and two brothers, William Bessie Woolen of the U. S. Navy and Wessell Robertson Woolen of Tusculoo, Ga.

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## Hearing Tuesday

# On Fluoride Suit

The question of whether the University may fluoridate the Chapel Hill water supply will be settled tomorrow when the case of Mountain States vs. the University is brought to a court hearing.

The hearing will be before Judge Thomas L. Williams in Charlotte Superior Court in Pittsboro at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon.

The date for the hearing was set in Orange Superior Court last week by Judge Williams' order.

The order for the hearing followed an agreement as to the date and time reached by Harold Edwards, counsel for Mr. Simmons, and H. Byron Bennett, assistant

## President To Get

# University Degree

By PETE IVEY

President John F. Kennedy will receive an honorary D.D. degree at the University here Thursday in ceremonies beginning in Kenan Stadium at 11 a.m.

It will be the first honorary degree to be received by President Kennedy since he became an occupant of the White House.

The President will deliver an address on the occasion of the University's 125th birthday. The oldest state university in the nation, the University at Chapel Hill first opened in 1795.

John F. Kennedy is the fifth President of the United States to visit the University. The other four are James E. Polk, 1847; James Buchanan, 1853; Andrew Johnson, 1867; Franklin D. Roosevelt, 1938.

Two honorary degrees will be awarded on Thursday, the first to Governor Terry Sanford. He will be presented by Dean of the Faculty Levanis L. Godfrey, and Chancellor William B. Aycock will award the degree President William F. Friday will present President Kennedy, and the degree program will be awarded by Chancellor Aycock.

The public is invited to attend the ceremonies in Kenan Stadium. People are advised to come early and be in the seats by 10 a.m. School children in cities and counties in the central part of North Carolina have been especially invited through their superintendents and principals.

The program Thursday follows:

## Services Held

# For Caldwell

Funeral services were conducted here yesterday for Dr. William Caldwell.

The services were held at the community church conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Charles M. Jones. A private burial service will be held at Greenwood Cemetery in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dr. Caldwell, a professor in the University of Illinois' Department of his home here early Friday.

He had been a member of the 125th family since 1921 and was made a full professor in 1928. He served as chairman of the History Department from 1942 to 1952.

He is buried in Caldwell County near Lenoir.

## Grover Bush

# Service Held

Funeral services for Grover Cleveland Bush, 74, were held at 2 p.m. yesterday afternoon from Walker's Funeral Chapel. The Rev. Robert Johnson and the Rev. Leon C. Chick officiated. Graveside services were held at 11 a.m. this morning in the cemetery at the Oak Hill Methodist Church in Caldwell County near Lenoir.

Mr. Bush died Friday night at his home at 123 East Broadway Street. He had been in declining health for several years. Death was attributed to thrombocytopenia.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Sophie Horton Bush, and two sisters, Miss Genevieve Bush and Mrs. W. C. Hartley, both of Lenoir. He was a cousin of A. H. Bush of Chapel Hill.

Bush was a school principal.

## Weather Report

Continued sunny and warm expected tomorrow.

Thursday	70	35
Friday	76	28
Saturday	79	44
Sunday	82	46

## Talk With Wilhelm Gierasimowicz

Wilhelm Gierasimowicz (pronounced JEE-ah-soo-ah-lee-ah, present on the first syllable) left his home in Warsaw, Poland, in 1939 to work one in a long line of twenty-two years ago and hasn't been back since. Last week he told what happened to him between then and now.

By J. A. C. DUNN

Wilhelm Gierasimowicz is strictly Irish and English. He speaks fluently but with a touch of Irishness. He has lived in Chapel Hill since 1950.

"I'm not sure how I should start this story," he said. "I think in 1939, in 1939 I was an aircraft engineer working in a Polish airplane factory in Warsaw. I was in the Polish Air Corps. Just the week before this time Poland had a mutual friendship with Germany."

"On the fifth of September I walked out to go to work, and at work I got orders to move, and I have never been back to that house in Warsaw. I have never seen my family again, nothing. It was nice warm weather. I didn't even have a coat. I went just as I stood in work one day, and never came back. We went to Lvov, and I was thinking I will just go down in my car and come back that day, but I never did."

"In Lvov we stayed. On the fifth of September the Germans attacked, and on the seventeenth of September the Russians attacked in the back. Poland could have held against the Germans alone for a while, but with the Russians on the other side, Poland could do nothing. At this time Poland had a mutual friendship with Germany."

men on the middle and we went to Romania.

"In Romania they interned us. The enlisted men were sent to a camp and the officers were sent to a little village near Bucharest Convention.

"Well, now, how to escape? This was very hard. I spoke no Romanian, and every day we had to report three times to the square in the village for a check. They had a terrific check all the time. There were only about two roads out of this little village, and guards were standing on both of them. Well, in the house where I was billeted there were two children about ten, eleven years old. I played with those children all day, picking up all the Romanian I could, because that's the best way to learn a language, you know, from children. Four of us

FELIX HICKERSON (carrying a box of his home-grown figs to a friend at the Carolina Inn . . . DAVID ROBERTSON of Aesthetic Beauty Salon expertly cutting hair of beautiful baby girl while another operator keeps her amused with a stuffed animal . . . Handsome marching band gaily blooming in a flower bed at front door of Hospital Saving Association headquarters on West Franklin Street . . . Enthusiastic student MARY HIGGINS, now taking an art course at UNC's Ackland Art Center . . . In apert, business-like conversation over coffee: TOM HANNEFORD and ANDY GUTIERREZ . . . People stopping to look at interesting boxes being built back of Whitehall on Durham Road by GIBBY ALD TEMPEST, using material from old Wylie mansion in Durham . . . "BILL STAPERS" explaining how his recently completed gift shop by advertising girls to eliminate poverty . . .

## Scenes