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nounced the retirement of Directors G. Keith Funston, Ben Hill Griffin, Jr., Joe Adams and M. Austin Davis, all of whom served many years as members of the board. All other directors of the company were the and Charles P. Stephens was elected to fill the vacancy created by the retirement

shareholders' meeting, the directors declared dividends of 20 cents per share payable on common stock and Class B common stock on October 29, November 30 and December 28 to shareholders of record 15. and December 10, respectively. In July the directors increased the regular monthly dividend rate 11 per cent from 18 to 20

Stephens, 44, a native of Atlanta, attended the University of the South and is a graduate of College, Greenville, Tn. The new director is vice president principal shareholder of Norman W. Paschall Co., Inc., an Atlanta based firm that deals in textile fibers

Winn-Dixie has opened 13 stores and closed 7 since June 30, 1982, having 1,228 stores in operation on September 22, as compared with 1,225 in operation at the end of the first quarter last year. Nine new stores were under construction

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