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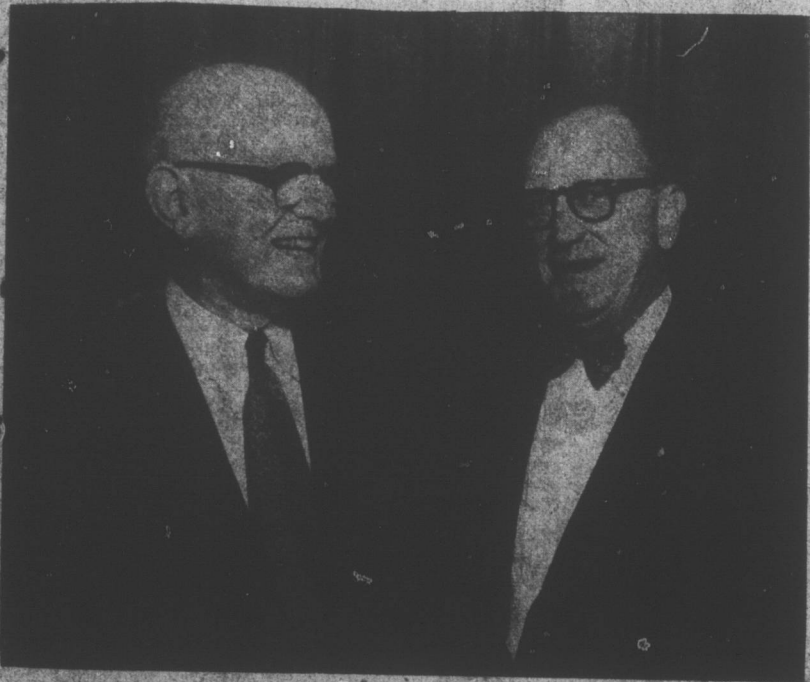
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# SEVERE STORM HITS WEST FLORIDA

## D. & S. Orders 3 Diesels; Shops To Be Moved To Apex



SCHOOL PALS MEET — School pals met at the Lions Club meeting last night. Mack Jernigan and Thad Eure, who attended the University of North Carolina at the same time, took a few minutes to recall old times. Both Jernigan and Eure were members of the Carolina class of 1921. While students at UNC, they took part in debates on the same teams. (Daily Record Photo.)

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### New Operations Slated To Begin Early Next Year

W. I. Rankin of Charlotte, president of the Durham and Southern Railroad, announced on a visit here today that the company has ordered three diesel engines and that they should be in operation early in 1954.

Mr. Rankin said he expected removal of the shops from Dunn to Apex and the rest of the dieselization program to be completed late in the first quarter of next year.

Mr. Rankin, who is also president of the P. and N. Railroad, came to Dunn with several other officials of the company to confer with his local staff.

He said the addition of the diesel engines is in keeping with the company's forward march of progress.

Concerning the removal of the shops from Dunn to Apex, the center of the line's operations, Mr. Rankin said the decision is pretty definite and plans are going ahead on that basis. New shops will have to be erected at Apex.

The Dunn Chamber of Commerce and other groups have been waging a vigorous campaign to keep the shops here. Location of the shops in Dunn is a big asset to the town and provides a steady payroll. Locke Campbell is head of the shops.

#### PREFERS DUNN

"I have a great many friends in Dunn," said Mr. Rankin, "and I naturally would prefer to keep the shops here. That is my personal desire, but sometimes a personal desire is outweighed by more important business reasons."

He said it would be difficult to justify maintenance of shops in Dunn from a practical business standpoint since Apex is located in the center of the line.

**SOME MAY COMMUTE**  
As for personnel, he said it was quite likely that many of the employees, especially those who own homes in Dunn, would commute.

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### Scout Tickets To Go On Sale

Ticket sales for the one day Boy Scout circus to be held in Raleigh November 21, will go on sale in Harnett County tomorrow. James Snipes, ticket sales chairman announced today.

The circus, a giant show giving a view of the various activities of scouting, will be held at the fair-ground arena on the evening of November 21. Scheduled for an hour and a half show, the mass demonstration will have more than 4,500 boy scouts from the Oconee county Council participating.

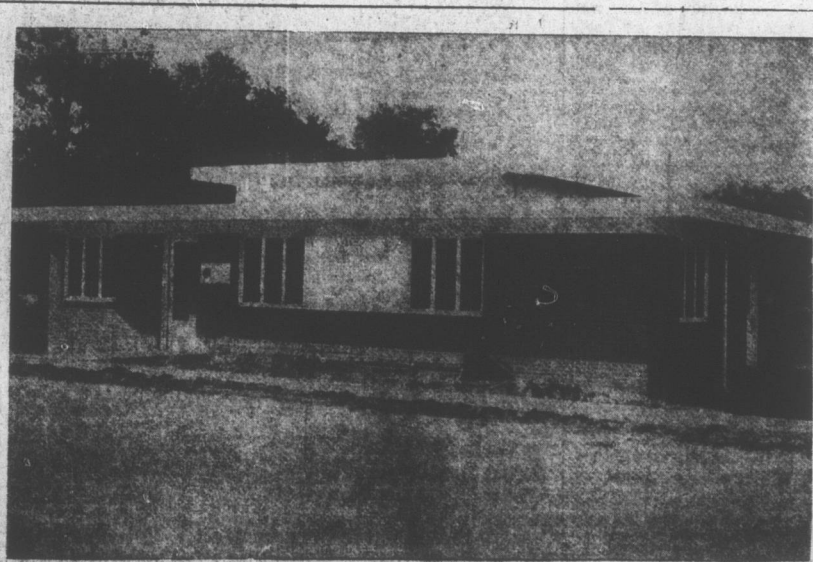
Several prizes will be given to scouts participating in the ticket sales. Merchants of Dunn are furnishing the prizes which will be given to the person making the greatest number of sales, and second.

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**CUM MARKET**—Dunn housewives who have not formed the pleasant Saturday morning habit of going by the Dunn Curb market at the Army were reminded today by Mrs. Lela Huntley, home agent, that they are overlooking a golden opportunity to add variety to their meals. A fine array of home grown produce, such as vegetables, eggs, butter, even beautiful fall flowers, awaits the buyers. Hours are 9 to 10 a. m. and there are, as usual, 15 regular sellers whose prices will conform to the prevailing market. And there's plenty of parking space, too.

**GIFTS IN THE MAKING**—Home demonstration clubs throughout the county will have the same general



NEW PCA BUILDING — The new Dunn Production Credit Association Building will open tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock for their formal opening. The modern new brick building is located on E. Cumberland. Offices were formerly maintained in the Turlington Building. (Daily Record Photo.)

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## Dunn PCA Unit To Open New Building Saturday

### Young Demos Have Hot Race

**RALEIGH (UP)** — A hot four-way race for the presidency of the North Carolina Young Democrats Club shaped up here today as several campaign-wise older Democrats arrived to take part in the YDC's 16th annual convention.

U. S. Sen. Alton A. Lennon arrived last night one jump ahead of his expected opponent in the Senate race next year, former Gov. Kerr Scott.

The Haw River man is said to have written letters and made contacts for Miss Edith Marsh of Raleigh, as a candidate for the YDC presidency, but Scott has neither confirmed nor denied the report. A Harnett politician says Scott called him to support Miss Marsh.

Other contenders for the post are Horace Kornegay of Greensboro, W. Lamont Brown of Southern Pines, and George Morrow of Forest City. Brown and Kornegay arrived early yesterday and hung banners across the Sir Walter Hotel lobby before unpacking their handshakes.

**DUNN GIRL OUT**  
Bob Spence of Smithfield announced that he is running for vice president. The contender for national YDC committeewoman division.

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The Dunn Production Credit Association will hold "Open House" at its beautiful new home on East Cumberland Street Saturday and a large crowd is expected to attend the grand opening event.

One of the outstanding Credit Associations in the State, the Dunn unit moved into its handsome new building just recently.

The new one-story structure was erected by H. W. Jernigan, local contractor, whose father was a pioneer in the organization.

Tomorrow's event will begin at 10 a. m. and continue until 4 p. m.

Occupied on August 28, the building opens tomorrow for official business. Previously, the concern was located in the Turlington Building at 171 N. Wilson Avenue.

#### OFFICIALS TO ATTEND

Herman P. Green, executive secretary of the organization, will be on hand tomorrow, along with members of the board of directors to welcome guests.

Equipped with the latest in office equipment, the modern building will house the central offices for the association.

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### A. & P. Has 94th Birthday

**NEW YORK, N. Y.** — Ralph W. Burger, president of The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company, today urged the nation's food industry to strive for greater efficiency in its operations in order to further narrow the spread between farm and retail prices.

In a statement launching a month-long celebration of the nation's oldest food chain's 94th anniversary, Mr. Burger cautioned the industry against wasteful practices that might tend to increase the cost of food to consumers or reduce returns to producers.

"The entire food industry from producer to distributor, has given the American people the highest standard of eating in the world today," Mr. Burger said. "The average family in this country has a better and more varied diet and spends a smaller percentage of its income on food."

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## Kidnapers Waive Hearing; Sure Conviction Is Seen

**ST. LOUIS, MO. UP** — The two confessed and fear-stricken kidnapers of Bobby Greenlease today waived the first legal steps on what the state of Missouri hoped would be a swift road to the gas chamber.

Carl Austin Hall, narcotic addict and master mind of the kidnaping-slaving, and his alcoholic accomplice, Mrs. Bonnie Brady, 40-year-old divorcee who abducted the boy, waived preliminary hearings before U. S. Commissioner Edwin J. Bean and were ordered turned over to Missouri authorities.

Bean continued their bond of \$100,000 each on which the pair is held on federal detention charges until they are turned over to state officers at Kansas City, Mo.

State charges of kidnaping have been filed against them in Kansas City, where the abduction occurred. (Continued On Page Six)

## Sad Funeral Rites Are Held For Bobby

**KANSAS CITY, Mo. UP** — The beautiful mass of angels was sung today for the grieving family of Bobby Greenlease as the slain child's body lay in a simple gray casket in the sanctuary where he soon would have taken his first communion.

With a choir of children's voices responding, Father Herman Koch, pastor of the White Stone Catholic Church of St. Agnes, intoned the high mass.

The church was filled to overflowing with some 300 sorrowing persons inside and possibly 100 outside. Many of the newsmen who covered the long and terrible period of the family's wait for Bobby's

return were there, along with television crews and radio newsmen.

**"CHRISTIAN"**  
Archbishop Ruler said that Bobby was Christian and that he suffered for his faith.

"If Christ suffered for his faith, the archbishop said, 'the boy was in the hands of God and should be in the hands of God.'"

## Thad Eure Hints That He May Take On Squire Scott

## Eure Cites Apathy Toward Government

"Far too few people in this State pay attention to their government," Thad Eure, Secretary of State told the Lions last night.

Speaking on State loyalty, Eure deplored the lack of interest in State affairs shown by the majority of the people in North Carolina. Pointing out that more than 1,800,000 persons are qualified to vote in North Carolina, Eure stated that less than 300,000 of these people availed themselves of the privilege of voting in the recent bond election.

Eure praised the work of Lions and especially their financial assistance of the blind. "The Lions are the only civic club to actively identify themselves with the State government," he stated.

Further pointing out the lack of State pride, Eure said that of the many domes of schools constructed in the past four or five years, practically none placed a pole on top of the buildings to fly a flag.

#### SAYS YOUTH KNOW LITTLE

And the youth know little if anything about the State of North Carolina, Eure emphasized. He

pointed out that requests come in daily for information on the State flag and for the words and music of the State song.

"If there was ever a time when we should know something about North Carolina and its history, it's today," Eure said.

Describing the function of various offices in the State government, he pointed out that the Secretary of State is the only official required by law to attend the sessions of the General Assembly.

In his closing remarks Eure called for an awakening of citizenship among our youth. Pointing out that the State population has doubled over 40 years, he said that unless something is done now to build citizenship, in 40 years the State will have more than eight million people who know almost nothing, and care less, about the operation of the State.

Eure was introduced by Glenn Hooper, Jr. President Jesse Capps presided over the program.

## Baptists At Erwin Begin New Building

The First Baptist Church of Erwin has begun work on a new educational building which is due to cost approximately \$50,000. Roy Cameron, building committee chairman, stated today.

Cameron said the addition will be used for the adult departments of the church and will include the kitchen, adult class rooms and ladies parlor.

**NEW CHURCH**  
The new Erwin church was com-

pleted just three years ago at a cost of \$103,000.

Plans are to have the educational building ready for use in five months, it was announced.

Besides Cameron, other members of the building committee include J. A. Holmes, S. C. Parker, Dr. D. C. Woodall, W. O. Godwin, and L. Jackson.

Nu Home Builders and Supply Co. of Dunn will be the contractors for the building. Cameron an-

## Dunn Hi Vs Rockingham In Dunn Park Tonight 8 P.M.