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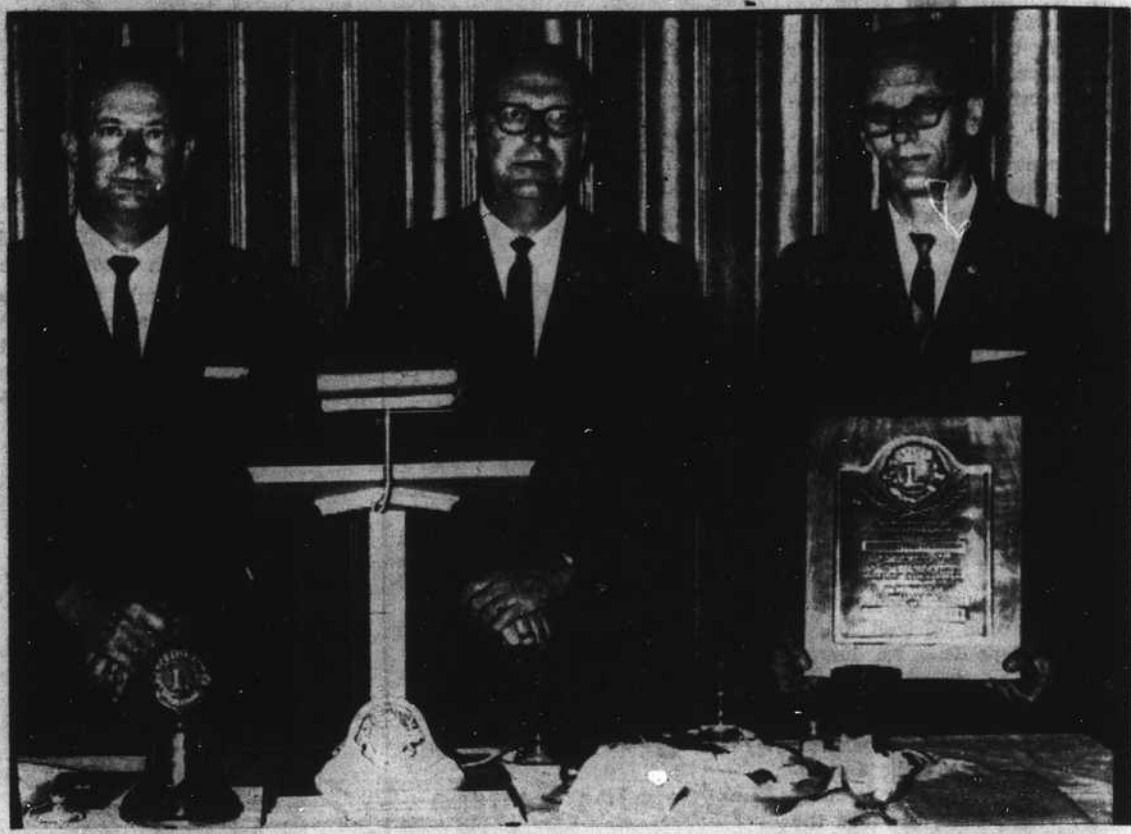
Partly cloudy, warm and humid through Saturday with scattered afternoon or evening thundershowers likely.

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MAC WON'T QUIT OVER SCANDAL



LIONS CLUB INDUCTS NEW OFFICERS — Henry Bridgers, left, last night was inducted as new president of the Dunn Lions Club by District Lions Governor Sankey W. Robinson of Whiteville, center. Mr. Bridgers, popular local civic leader, succeeds Paul Drew, right, who is retiring after a very successful year as president of the club. (Daily Record Photo by Russell Bassford.)

Powell Sees No Hope For Rights Bill

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Rep. Adam Clayton Powell, D-N. Y., said today that President Kennedy's proposed ban on discrimination in places of public accommodation "doesn't have a chance" of passing Congress without Republican leadership support. Powell, a Negro and leading exponent of integration, said it also is up to the Republicans whether Congress passes a limited version of the plan. Powell told a news conference that without support from such Republican leaders as Senate GOP Chief Everett M. Dirksen (Ill.) House Republican Leader Charles A. Halleck Ind. and Sen. Barry Goldwater, Ark., such a proposal "wouldn't pass the House, much less than the Senate."

Kennedy's proposed ban would affect all hotels, restaurants, theaters and other retail establishments considered part of interstate commerce. There has been talk of a possible compromise, however, which would exclude smaller establishments.

MOOSE LODGE DANCE Bill Joe Austin will play for a dance tonight at the Dunn Armory sponsored by the local Moose Lodge. Dancing will begin at 9:00 and continue 'til 1 a.m. A GE 21 inch color TV will be given as a door prize. Admission is \$1.

Dunn Native Now Veep Of Big Insurance Co.

Pilot Promotes Stephens

Louis C. Stephens, Jr., a native of Dunn, has been elected Second Vice President and Treasurer of Pilot Life Insurance Company Greensboro, N. C. He is the son of Mrs. Louis C. Stephens, longtime resident of Dunn, now of Greensboro and the late Louis Stephens. Stephens joined Pilot Life's Securities Division in 1949. He was named Assistant Manager of the Securities Department in 1952; Assistant Vice President and Manager of the Securities Department in 1958; Second Vice President and Manager of the Securities Department in January, 1960. He was born in Dunn, attended public schools here, and graduated from the University of North Carolina with a B. S. Degree. He received his M.B.A. Degree at Harvard Business School. He is a graduate of the Executive Program at the University of North Carolina. Stephens is a member of St. Plus X Catholic Church, a Director of Family Service — Travelers Aid, and has been active in the Greater Greensboro United Fund, especially in the 1963 Capitol Fund Drive. He is Director of the Guilford County Chronic Illness Rehabilitation Foundation.

seven children. Pilot Life Insurance Company now has over \$2,300,000,000 insurance in force; more than \$240,000,000 in assets; protects more than 3,300,000 persons with life, group and health insurance plans; and ranks in the top 5% of all life insurance companies in the United States and Canada.



LOUIS C. STEPHENS

United Nations To Probe Report Of Its Girls

LONDON (UPI) — Prime Minister Harold Macmillan indicated tonight that he intends to lead the Conservative party at the next general election despite demands for his resignation. Macmillan indicated this in an exclusive interview with the Independent Television News. The opposition Labor party has demanded that Macmillan resign and new elections be held. The Prime Minister must call a general election before October, 1964.

In a London pre-trial hearing today, playgirls Christine Keeler and Marilyn Rice-Davies — who admitted sold their favors for money — told spicy tales of intimacy with former War Minister Profumo, a Soviet diplomat and Lord Astor. It was the illicit love affair with Miss Keeler that caused the resignation of Profumo and a national sex scandal that has rocked the British commonwealth.

UNITED NATIONS (UPI) — Secretary General Thant said today he has asked U.N. officials to investigate charges that a call-girl ring is operating inside the headquarters of the world body. The charges have been made in New York newspapers over the past three weeks. A woman accredited here as a temporary press correspondent was charged in a city court Thursday with prostitution. Thant told a press conference today he had asked the relevant U.N. authorities to conduct an investigation into the situation and expects a report today. He declined further comment until this report has been delivered.

He said he did not think the FBI had been involved in investigations inside the U.N. itself — which is technically non-American territory.



CHRISTINE KEELER

State Planner Recommends

Thoroughfare For Dunn

John Donnelly of the Community Planning Division of the State Department of Conservation and Development, made some interesting observations on the needs of Dunn in a session with the Dunn Planning Board. Among other things, Mr. Donnelly said the central business district of the town should be strong-

er, more-competitive, more attractive to shoppers and more accessible. Advised that a sound Thoroughfare Plan is essential for the sound development of the town. Recommended that thought be given to moving the Atlantic Coast Line Depot northward or southward out of the central business district.

Suggested that thought be given to converting Hanna's Pond and nearby area into a regional or State park.

He reported on a survey which shows there are 2061 houses in the Town of Dunn of which 266 or 12.9 are dilapidated and that 433 houses need minor repair.

He said there are many excellent industrial sites in Dunn and that these should be pushed for that purpose.

Following is an extract from minutes of the meeting giving Mr. Donnelly's views and suggestions: The next item on the Agenda was a discussion by John Donnelly, with the aid of a large array of maps, of present land uses in Dunn and an analysis of these uses. A printed report of this analysis will be furnished Planning Board members soon.

In the meantime, Mr. Donnelly asked the Planning Board members to be giving considerable thought to what kind of a Town they wanted to plan for Dunn to be. Mr. Donnelly stated that the Central Business District should be stronger; it should be more competitive, more attractive to shoppers, more accessible.

While it is up to the Planning Board to decide whether to plan for two or three strong shopping areas, or concentrate mostly on the Central Business District, he believed, and the Planning Board agreed, that the strong Central Business District was preferable. A sound Thoroughfare Plan is essential for the sound development of Dunn.

Thought should be given, he advised, to the moving of the Railroad Station either Northward or Southward out of the Central (Continued on Page Six)

Another Romar Honor

Another honor has come to the Romar Mattress Co. of Dunn, manufacturer of the high-quality Bemco line of mattresses. The North Carolina Chiropractic Association announced today that it has awarded its Seal of Approval to Romar's Bemco Health-O-Matic Sleep Set and also to Romar's Quiltorama mattresses.

These mattresses were tested and approved by the N. C. Chiropractors' Association Committee on Posture, meeting the very rigid tests required for approval. Effective immediately, each of these mattresses will carry an imprint of the Seal of Approval.

C. A. Roberson and Bill Marshburn, owners of Romar, received notice of the honor today. Both of

them expressed delight and said they appreciated highly this recognition of their products.

OTHER HONORS Just recently Bemco was awarded top honors in the creative competition of the National Federation of Advertising Agencies at a meeting held in Scottsdale, Arizona. The local Romar plant was presented a plaque for the 1963 Gold Award of Excellence.

Mr. Marshburn and Mr. Roberson sent out notices to all their hundreds of dealers, advising of the recognition and honor accorded Bemco mattresses by the chiropractors association.

The mattresses will be on display at the Southern Furniture (Continued on Page Six)

Leonard Webb In Charge

Wellons Opens Music Department

Leonard M. Webb has been named as head of the newly opened music department at Wellons Mercantile, Inc.

The music department, which includes organs and pianos, is the only one in this area and includes instructions as well as the sale of organs and pianos.

Mr. Webb, a native of Alta Vista, Virginia, attended State Teachers College in Farmville, Va., and has been playing the piano since a child. He studied all types of musical instruments while at college, and also taught piano in the Virginia public schools. The Lowery organ, which is featured at Wellons, is the highest quality organ that can be bought for the home at a reasonable price, said Webb, and can be mastered by the novice in a reasonable length of time in order to afford entertainment for the family and pleasure in accomplishment

for the individual. Webb has lived in Dunn 14 (Continued on Page Six)



LEONARD M. WEBB

Car Plunges Into River

Eight Reported Killed

ATHENS, Ga. (UPI) — A car loaded with adults and children plunged into the flood-swollen Oconee River here today when its accelerator stuck. First reports said eight persons, including six children, were missing and feared drowned.

Witnesses said Mrs. Jewett Barnett of Nicholson, Ga., driver of the car and one of the survivors, apparently had been shopping at a shopping center and was leaving

when the accelerator jammed. The car shot forward, and down a bank of the river into the swollen waters.

Mrs. Barnett and a 10-year-old grandson, Jerry Green, managed to reach the shore.

A search was begun for the other eight persons in the automobile.

Seven inches of rain fell in Athens Wednesday and the Oconee River has swollen past flood stage.

All eight of the missing persons were understood to be relatives of Mrs. Barnett, whose husband, one of those feared drowned, wrote a column for a weekly newspaper in Nicholson.

The missing were Barnett, Mrs. Mack Watkins, Wanda, Kathy, Penny and Chuck Epps, and Dale and Deborah Green. The six children were all believed grandchildren of the Barnetts.



SO, WHAT ELSE IS NEW?—Idlewild (N.Y.) Airport users are heedless of the abbreviated costume of Susan Pratt, "Miss England." She will get her due share of '3' later, as a Miss Universe contestant.

Woman Must Pay \$100 For Possession

Luvaine Massey, 54-year-old Negro woman was given a 12 months sentence in the Dunn Recorders Court Thursday for possession of non-tax paid whiskey for sale.

Judge Woodrow Hill suspended the sentence upon payment of a \$100 fine and the costs.

Probable cause was found against Claudie Elliott, 19-year-old Negro youth of Benson, Route 1 Elliott was charged with larceny of an auto belonging to George Raynor from the local parking lot. The defendant was bound over to the Harnett Superior Court under a \$2500 bond.

Nick Melvin, 31, Negro, of 1111 E. Harnett Street, Dunn, received a 90-day suspended term for possession of moonshine whiskey. Melvin was ordered to pay a \$25 fine and costs.

Clarence Howard McLean, 29, Negro, 803 N. King Avenue, Dunn, was charged with assault on his wife, Genevieve. A 6-months term was suspended on condition that he not molest his wife in any manner or violate any laws for a per-

iod of 2 years. Ned McNeill, Bules Creek Negro, was charged with issuing a worthless check. Judgment was a 6-months suspended term upon payment of the check, \$66.99, and the costs.

Attorney D. K. Stewart entered a plea of guilty to careless and reckless driving for his client, James L. McGill, Negro, 306 N. Magnolia Avenue, Dunn, and the plea was accepted by the State. McGill was charged with driving while drunk. Sixty-days suspended upon payment of a \$50 fine and the costs was the judgment.

Prayer for judgment was continued upon payment of the costs in a case of speeding against John Rogers Small, 22-year-old Negro of 204 W. Greenwood Ave., Dunn. Defendants receiving a 30-day term suspended upon payment of the costs for public drunkenness were: Charles McKnight, Negro, Railroad Ave., Dunn; Alex Williams, Negro, 600 S. Wilson, Dunn; Lawrence J. Kolodzie, Texas; and David R. Guy, 301 S. Clinton, Dunn.

Unhappy Over Law Banning Speeches

College Heads Defend Reds

DAVIDSON (UPI) — Two private college presidents today joined in the attack on a law to prohibit certain speakers at state-supported colleges and universities.

The law was enacted the day before the 1963 General Assembly adjourned. Several legislators made formal protests against the bill which was passed under suspension of rules and ratified in less than one hour.

Consolidated university officials reacted immediately and called the law barring known Communists or anyone who has pleaded the Fifth Amendment in a Communist investigation from speaking at any state-supported col-

lege. Davidson College President Grier Martin today said Davidson had "never found it desirable or necessary to have absolute rules" on speakers.

Martin said "we have had speakers at Davidson who could not have appeared on our campus if this law had applied to Davidson. We feel it would exclude some speakers whose views would be educational even if we did not agree with them."

Meredith College President Carlisle Campbell said he was "definitely opposed" to the law "and regret the action taken...I see no necessity for it."

Meanwhile another state-supported college's president today echoed sentiments expressed already by consolidated university officials. Dr. Leo Jenkins of East Carolina College issued a formal statement: "The recently passed measure restricting visiting speakers from appearing on campus of state-supported institutions of higher learning, has one aspect that may well diminish the great advances made by our colleges in combatting hostile ideologies."

State Atty. Gen. Wade Bruton said Thursday he believes the law is constitutional.