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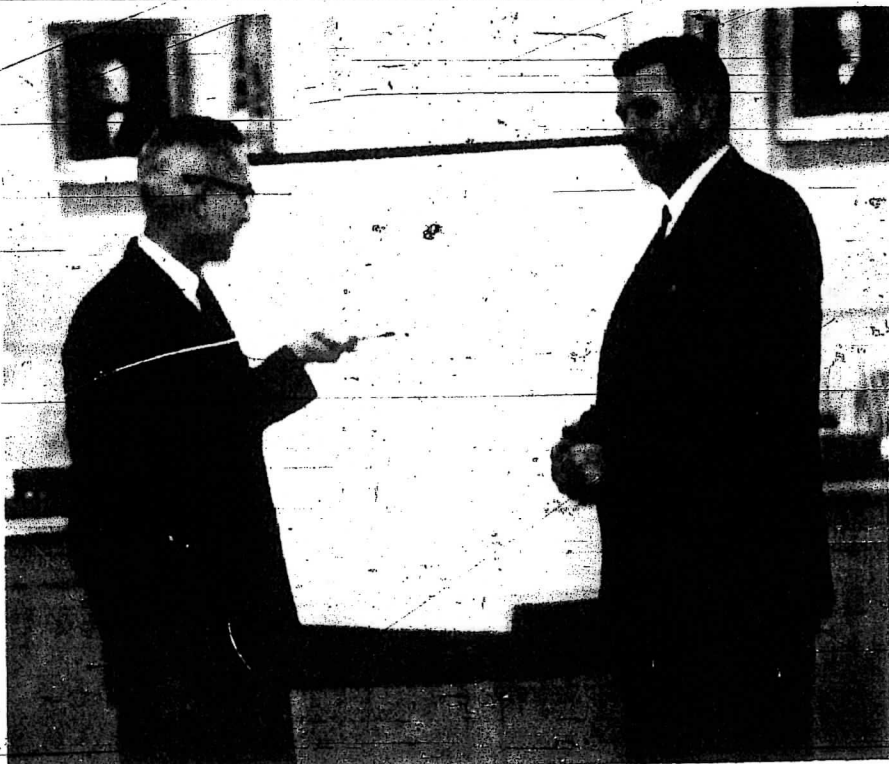
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posed area of protection for a rural fire department being organized. The area encompasses the Hillsborough area several miles in each direction. (See territorial map inside.)

Charges Pending After Wreck

Three charges are pending against an Orange County man as the result of a high-speed crash which ended in an accident shortly before 9 p.m. Sunday. Hospitalized in Durham as a result of the accident is James Bowman Jr., 25, of Hillsborough Rt. 1. He received arm and shoulder injuries. Highway Patrolman G. F. Gardner of Hillsborough says Bowman is being charged with driving 80 miles per hour in a 35 MPH zone, careless and reckless driving and failing to stop for a siren. Bowman was being chased by Deputies Arnold Hamlett and Howard Watson when the wreck occurred. The chase ended on Highway 86 south of

Hillsborough. It continued through Hillsborough to Highway 70. Gardner said that Bowman cut off 70 to St. Mary's Road east of Hillsborough with the deputies in chase.

The Bowman car negotiated a curve, then went out of control on a straight stretch leading to a bridge over a creek. Bowman then, apparently, lost control. The car left the left side of the highway, plunged down an embankment and through a ravine, then hurtled a 10-foot creek before coming to a stop on its side against a tree. Bowman was thrown free. The car was destroyed by fire with Hillsborough firemen answering the call.

A youth living nearby described the accident as sounding "like a clap of thunder."

Volunteer Fire Unit Plans Go Into Gear

An ambitious plan, which would cost an estimated \$25,000, was launched Monday night when approximately 70 leading citizens of the Hillsborough area were called to a meeting at the courthouse to further plans for a volunteer rural fire department, replacing the present 17-year-old system.

The project, first formulated a year ago, is being spearheaded by the Hillsborough Exchange Club.

Main speakers Monday night were Marshall Cates and Marion Clark of the Exchange

Club. The two men outlined a proposed coverage area extending for several miles from Hillsborough. Most of it is to the north, east and west. It was explained that, in other sections, the area would near those handled by the Eno and Chapel Hill-Carrboro departments. Clark explained the idea was to hit the most heavily populated areas.

"We were told," he said, "it would be unwise to go beyond three to four miles but we have done just that. We want to serve all people possible."

In regard to coverage beyond the planned area, Cates said desire was to use modern roads "so that we can insure protection when we have promised it."

Memberships, for a four-

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Negro Marchers Hold Chapel Hill 'Drab Walk'

By HUGH WILSON

The Black Student Movement, an organization of so-called militant Negro students at the University at Chapel Hill, led a drab walk along the sidewalks of Chapel Hill and burned a two and a half foot stuffed effigy of Gov. Robert McNair on the steps of the Post Office Friday night.

The second of two nights of

The group of about 60 or 70 Negro marchers, with about 30 white participants trailing at the rear of the line, carried three facsimile coffins and a number of placards and the small McNair doll in their silent march.

At the Post Office, a BSM member haltingly read a poem "If We Must Die" by Claude McKay, and then lit the

Fire Danger

Fire Unit Plans Progress

(Continued from Page 1) year period, would cost \$20 for single residences and service stations and \$30 for complexes such as farms. Negotiations, Clark said, would have to be worked out with manufacturing firms and motels.

Clark estimated yearly dues after the four-year period at up to \$7.50. However, he added, "we really can't tell at this point. We may have 500 more buildings in the area and would need more equipment."

The \$25,000 Clark and Cates said, would be used for a 500-gallon capacity fire truck, one-half of the chassis for a tank truck purchased by Hillsborough from the state now used as a street cleaner, a portable pump, a generator and furniture covers.

Cates emphasized the

volunteer department would have no paid members. He also said the present Hillsborough rural department would continue to handle outside fires.

As outlined, buildings on both sides of the road in the coverage area, would be protected.

Cates appealed for help from the volunteers present and said:

"We need help. You are the key people and we hope will delegate others to help you. We hope for full response from newspapers. We believe this thing will snowball and take care of itself once we really get it started. Now is the time to act."

The coverage area was divided into sub-sections with these people delegated as "chiefs" in each area:

E. Wilson Cole, Henry S. Walker, Bobby Crawford, Tommy Leonard, R. F. Ferrell, Phillip Johnson, Larry Coleman, Everett H. Kennedy, William C. Ray, Carter White;

Glenn Caruthers, William Dorsett, Mrs. Dalton Riley, Aubrey Graham, John Dunn, Archie Graham, Frank Perry, William T. Laws, Victor Sharpe Coy Andrews, John W. Mangum, Claude J. Walker, Mitchell Lloyd, Jimmy Rippy Robert Struyhorn, Mrs.

Paul T. McAllister, Billy Blackwelder, Earl J. Byrd, Bobby Mangum, C. B. Laws, Lonnie Torain, John T. Horner, Clayton Halthcock, P. Glenn Thompson, Richard Simpson, Charlie R. Riney, Helen Davis, Carlton Franklin, Elwood Hicks, James Brown, Cheshire Cole, James Harder, Lucius M. Cheshire, Walter Wrenn.

Trooper

(Continued from Page 1) spotted what was to him a suspicious looking vehicle on the highway.

With his bride of just a few minutes by his side, the trooper gave chase and finally stopped the vehicle with repeated blasts from his horn. Identifying himself as a state trooper to the driver, Stroud placed the driver under arrest for driving under the influence.

He took the driver into custody, and he, his bride and the accused drunken driver headed for the nearest telephone. Trooper Stroud stopped at a nearby service station and called the Robeson County sheriff's office, who came and took the suspect off his hands.

After turning the suspect over to the Robeson deputy, Stroud and his bride continued what must have been an eventful way to begin marriage.

ON DEAN'S LIST

Galen Elliott Jr., son of the Rev. and Mrs. Galen Elliott of Rt. 2, Mebane, made the Dean's List for the fall semester in the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.

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Prayer Rites Slated Friday

"World Day of Prayer" services are scheduled for Hillsborough at 4 p.m. Friday at the First Baptist Church.

Worshippers will follow a service first written by Mrs. Rathie Selyaratnam of Ceylon, chairman of the Asian Church Women's Conference.

A Thailand melody, put to words by D. T. Niles, executive of the East Asia Conference of Churches, forms a part of the service.

World Day of Prayer is 80 years old.

Offerings go to many projects including Christian broadcasts in Africa, colleges in India, Pakistan, Japan, Korea, Hong Kong, Taiwan, and Guatemala.

The International Student Service also is aided.

The services in the United States are supported by Church Women United.

Jaycettes Plan Dance

The Hillsborough Jaycettes held their regular monthly meeting at the Colonial Inn with 11 members and three guests present.

Bill Furbish and Lois Whittington entertained the Jaycettes with folk songs.

The "Deconars," first runnerup in the Battle of the Bands, will furnish music for the Leap Year Dance to be held at the Orange High School Cafeteria Feb. 24 at 8 p.m. The proceeds will go towards the Jaycette scholarship fund.

The scholarship, to be given to a deserving student in June, was discussed.

The bake sale will be held April 13. Also discussed was the upcoming mother and daughter banquet to be held in May.

The Jaycettes are taking orders for the stainless steel knives which they have been selling for the past year. Anyone wishing to purchase these knives, may do so through any Jaycette. Mrs. Linda Teer is in charge of this project. Guest besides the entertainers was Mrs. Joan Hopper.

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Exchange Posits Awards After Flight Here In Contest

Chairman Dalton Loftin this week announced winners of the annual Crime Prevention Week Exchange Club poster contest held in Hillsborough schools by the Exchange Club.

Winners include: Central — Frances Heister; first — Barbara Walton, second — Nathaniel Chavious, third — C. Keeter, first — Randy W. Meelin, second — Debbie M. Cameron, third — Mike Johnson, first — Craig Leonard, second — Bryan Carter, third — winners received awards of \$5, \$3 and \$2. Winning entries are in display in the windows of James Pharmacy on Churton street.

Schools Rule On HEW Pact Monday

The Orange County Board of Education is expected to make a decision on a federal order to completely integrate schools when members gather Monday night.

The board has come up with a three-point proposal which will span three years in the hopes of voiding a federal Health, Education and Welfare Department ruling on integration.

Plans start with total integration of the high school pupils in the fall. The final step, High next year. The final step, High next year. The final step, High next year.

Escapes Nabbed After Flight Here

Five prisoners, who made daring escapes from the Orange County Jail, were nabbed Sunday night, all were back in custody today.

Deputy Harold Watkins took the final two of the five inmates Sunday night, at nearby Interstate Highway 85.

Capt. C.H. Hurley, in charge of the camp, said the men sawed their way out of the prison infirmary shortly before 9 p.m. A check at 8:45 p.m., he said, showed all prisoners accounted.

The men were identified as: James Daniels, 28; Bonnie Freeman, 21; Frankie Peach, 23; James Ray Luncford, 24; and Billy Smith, 31. All but Smith were reported from Durham.

Capt. Hurley said all were serving time for midemeanors. All men had previous records, he said.

Luncford, reportedly, was captured only last week after a previous escape.

Highway patrolmen, Orange and Durham authorities joined in the search for the men.

Miss Simmons

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