## Dave Adams Wrecking Cars, Picking Fights

Kings Mountain native Dave Adams is in Clayton, Ga. these days.

Doing what? Wrecking cars and motorcycles and picking fights with movie stars like

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Christopher George. Is he supposed to be doing these things?

"That's what they're paying me to do," said the young Belmont-based businessman.

Actually, Dave 1. working as a stuntman on the set of a new movie entitled "Whiskey Mountain" which is being filmed in Clayton. This is his second visit to this quiet community in the past year and his second time working with movie actor Christopher George.

The day Dave was scheduled to negotiate some hairy turns in a car a large crowd turned out in Clayton to watch. The stunt required Dave to roar onto main street in a 1955 Chevy pickup, lose control and flip it end over end.

The pickup truck is supposed to head off the stars. George and Preston Pierce, who are riding motorcycles. Dave hit the

GIFT FTEMS & ENGRAVING

ALL TYPE

DIAMONDS



BREAK IN FILMING - Film actor Christ George and Dave Adams pose for the photographer during the filming of "Whiskey Mountain" in Clayton, Ga. In this film Dave Adams, formerly of Kings Mountain, doubles for seven different actors.

feet. He was shaken up and local hospital. But a day later he was back to handle

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ramp at 45 mph, flipped the motorcycle spills and Mountain," is due for the truck and skidded it fight scenes called for in release in May of 1977.

end over end for almost 100 required a day's rest after being certified okay at the Open House Is Held

"In this picture," Dave said, "I double seven different people. One of them is the female lead berta Collins. It's better than playing the upper torso of a grizzly bear, I

Dave got his start in picures with EO Productions in Shelby with a role in "Challenge." He worked as a stuntman on EO's second feature, "The Brass Ring," and has since worked on "D. J. Miller."

About a year ago Dave

worked with Christopher

George in a shocker named

"Grizzly." In that one Dave played "the upper

half of the bear in the

the script.

closeup work."

A few months ago, using stuntmen from Hollywood, Dave produced a half-hour film on stunt work, which is being peddled to TV.

## Man Arrested

After Chase

Cecil Howard Campbell, 45, of 882 Eirst St., was arrested Saturday following a high-speed chase by police. Campbell was charged

with carrying a concealed weapon, driving 70 miles per hour in a 35 mph zone, failure to stop for a blue light and siren, resisting arrest and public drunkemess.

Kings Mountain police reported the incident about 9:55 p. m. Saturday. Alerted to watch for the Campbell vehicle, the officer reported the vehicle failed to stop for the blue light and an eight-minute chase in the north side of own ensued

When Campbell was stopped and removed from the vehicle officers said he had cuts on the neck, chin and forehead. Campbell told officers he was cut in a fight. He was treated and released from Kings Mountain Hospital.

Police said a friend of Campbell's said Campbell had fallen on some broken glass in the woods. Campbell was placed in

The new film, "Whiskey Cleveland County Jail to await a hearing on multiple charges.



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By CINDIE FALLS (Future Teachers of America) acted as guides. Open House was held at Guides included Theron Kings Mountain Senior Feemster. Cindie Falls. High School on Tues., Nov. Mercedes Smith, Sara DeBruler, Lynn Tate, Parents who came had a Randy Gibbons, Dana choice to either tour the school or to follow their Clemmer, Kathy Roberts, Jeff Goudelock, Althea child's schedule by going to each of their classes for McClain, Cindy Wells, Barbara Patrick, Kenny seven minutes each. Vance, Tommy Johnson and Belinda Owens. There were various displays by classes. D. E. (Distributive Education) Mr. Gene Alexander's drama class presented two one-act comedies for the featured fashion displays. The cosmotology class student body Friday.

presented a display which

Feemster, Delores Conner, Brenda Young, Greg Byers, Doug Sincox, Mark Mercier, Darryl Edwards, William Thompson, Kevin Tinsley, Kenny Edwards, Larry Gill and Ruth Gordon.

Mrs. McClure's senior choir sang Monday night at the Woman's Club in Kings Mountain.

Holiday Those students par-ticipating were Jeff

Weekend

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Edward L. Powell, Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, reminds motorists the Thanksgiving holiday veekend is one of the most dangerous of the year on North Carolina's streets and highways. Powell said that during



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day (10 nours holiday weekend last year (1975), there were 1,546 collisions, traffic 978 injured, and 16 persons persons killed on North Carolina streets and highways.

"As we approach this dangerous holiday weekend with 1802 fatalities this year, we can improve this record, but we need the cooperation of the public. I am asking all motorist to drive defen-sively and cautiously," Powell said.

Colonel E. W. Jones Commander of the State Highway Patrol said the patrol will be out in full force patrolling the streets and highways. "While particular attention will be paid to speeders and suspected drunken drivers, the troopers will also be on the lookout for all clear cut violators." He also reminds motorist that half of the traffic accidents involving fatalities last Thanksgiving weekend were caused by speeding and driving under the influence of alcohol. Powell said, "law

forcement officers of the License and Theft Section of DMV will join the State Highway Patrol and other law enforcement officers in patrolling the streets and highways looking for traffic violators."

"Please help us keep the traffic fatalities and inturies down this year so we will have a SAFE and HAPPY Thanksgiving holiday'' Powell con-Thanksgiving chuded.



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