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Sit-Ins Can Get 2-Year Sentences

By JEFFREY DICK

Persons arrested in civil rights demonstrations here may find themselves on the long end of two-year prison sentences when the Orange County Superior Court begins its first regular session in Hillsboro next week.

According to statute, such charges as resisting arrest and disorderly conduct are misdem-

IVEY TO STAR

"This is Carolina," WUNC Radio's interview series, will feature Pete Ivey, Director of the UNC News Bureau, this week.

Ivey and interviewer James Wadsworth will discuss the News Bureau's efforts to give the state and the nation a picture of things which happen at Carolina.

The program may be heard each Wednesday night at 7:30. This is the second interview

in the series. Next week, "This is Carolina" will feature Anthony Jenzano, Director of the Morehead Planetarium.

Jason Named **Council Head** Last Night

Peter Jason, a senior from New

eanors punishable by a maximum of two years imprisonment and up to \$500 in fines.

The Chapel Hill police department estimates that as many as 150 to 200 people are still awaiting jury trial in Orange County Superior Court on such charges. Some individuals have as many as 10 to 15 counts against them. The court normally holds four terms per year. It is expected, however, that a special term will be held in April to clear the books of the large number of arrests and charges which have accumulated in connection with anti-segregation protests in Chapel Hill. Persons arrested for violations of town ordinances such as obstructing traffic and blocking sidewalks may receive a maxi-

mum of thirty days imprisonment. In one such case, Pat Cusick, national field secretary for the Student Peace Union was sentenced to thirty days in December for trespass and resisting arrest. Cusick served twenty-six days and received four days off for good behavior.

In the past, courts of this state have been lenient towards first offenders. Precedent reveals, however, that habitual offenders have met with severe penalties. It is not unusual for a person with several counts of a particular misdemeanor to receive sentences to be served consecutively.

Gripes Uncovered

The Confederates



The Confederates Quartet, a singing group that includes everything from barbershop to folk music, will perform at the Rendezvous Room of GM at 8:30 p.m. on Valentine's Day. The show is

AAUP To Seek Its Role In Local Racial Situation

To Meet Within Month

By GARY BLANCHARD

The UNC chapter of the American Association of University Professors (AAUP) moved Monday night to investigate its role in the current racial crisis here. The group of about 140 pro-

fessors agreed to have its executive committee: 1. Form a committee to look

into claims of racial discrimination on campus, including employment, graduate student admittance and hiring of Negro professors

2. Consider if the faculty group has a role to play in the civil rights situation in the community.

3. Develop a position for transmittal to appropriate faculty members and university officials if students involved in sit-in demonstrations are found guilty of student Honor Code violations, when the first such cases are heard by the Men's Council Thursday night.

Four matters were up for discussion, but the group never got past the first two-the role of

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the University community in the present situation, and whether the academic freedom of students involved in demonstrations is impaired if they are penalized by the student councils or University officials.

Reporters present were asked not to quote speakers directly in the interest of "free and full discussion."

A motion to commend students involved in demonstrations drew critical comments from several faculty members.

"I'm puzzled that faculty members can incite students to violation of the law," one professor said.

Another commented: "Civil rights is not an umbrella under which you justify anything . . . it seems to me that some methods of protest are right, morally and legally, and some are not. One of our duties as professors is to make such a distinction."

The reply drew applause. The motion was ordered committed to the Executive Com- been active in calling on seg-

"The general mood of the town

is one of growing resentment to-

ward the racial demonstrations,"

said Police Chief W. D. Blake, who

can safely admit to extensive

knowledge in the field of demon-

strations, "We are, of course,

concerned with this hardening of

feelings, but at the moment our

mittee for further study. Another faculty member drew applause when he asked "Why should the student council even consider these (sit-in) cases?" The professor reasoned that, "If the AAUP differentiates between law violations involving civil liberties and regular crimi-

nal violations and the student courts do not, shouldn't the AAUP protest the delegation of said. this authority to the students?" One professor, who said he had just returned from the Board of Aldermen meeting, criticized Alderman Roland Giduz for asking in a statement that citizens "cease and desist in their confrontations with hold-

out merchants, as it is holding that the faculty take authority up progress. "It seems to me," the professor said, "that he's asking citizens to renounce their constitutional rights in a situation in which there's not one shred of evidence that any progress has been made since last summer."

The professor said he has

regated businesses in an integrated group, then filing complaints with the Mayor's Mediation Committee. As a result, he said, he and other professors "have begun receiving nuisance calls.

"This is a type of harassment which goes on when one attempts to follow the channels set-up by the Aldermen," he

Another motion was made that the AAUP chapter state that it feels the action of student demonstrators is not a violation of the Campus Code. This brought several professors to their feet.

"I've heard several proposals away from the student government," one professor said "This should not be done," he said, noting the long tradition of student self-government at UNC. The group voted unanimously to meet again within a month to

discuss the civil rights situation further, rather than waiting until the next scheduled meeting in the spring. Chief Blake On The Sit-Ins –

York City, was elected chairman of the Men's Honor Council in a special meeting of the Council last night.

Jason, the former vice-chairman of the Council, replaces Whitney Durand who resigned to become Attorney General.

In other elections, Bryan Simpson, a junior from Jacksonville, Fla. and former scribe of the Council was elected vice-chairman. Pete Wales, a junior from he

Virgin Islands and Loudonville, N. Y., was elected scribe.

Jason was first elected to the Council in the spring of 1962. He was elected vice-chairman last spring.

He is president of Zeta Beta Tau fraternity and was a member of the Orientation Committee this fall.

Jason receives his first test with the Council tomorrow when the tirst of the sit-in cases is tried. The defendants are charged with ungentlemanly conduct for trespassing and resisting arrest by going limp in a policeman's arms. Durand's appointment as Attorney General went before Student Legislature last night for approv-



By UP Committee

Noisy quiet hours, undersized mirrors and lazy maids are some of the complaints of men and women dormitory residents uncovered in a two-month investigation by the University Party Campus Action Board.

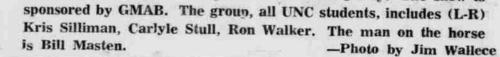
The Board, chaired by Faryl Sims, disclosed a list of 67 different complaints in various areas of campus life.

The Board's reports are being submitted to several different student government and administration committees and agencies for solutions to the problems. The complaints were broken

down into four areas under four subcommittees: academic (8) dormitory facilities (34), campus (14) and social and miscellaneous (11).

The dormitory facility complaints included things such as inadequate telephone and mail facilities, lack of repairs when things are broken, lack of cleanliness and shortage of facilities in general.

Campus complaints included the lack of paved walks and poor



al communication."

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Probation

Indefinitely

Press Club Hears UPI Photographer

By FRED HARWELL ell Hall, saying "what we need is more picture oriented news A United Press - International people, not more news oriented photo-journalist told the UNC picture people. Press Club Monday night that

"Photographers consider them-"we are living in the age of visuselves newsmen," he said, "but too often reporters don't recog-Jim Holloway spoke at the nize this fact.' group's monthly meeting in How-Holloway showed slides and

told the club something about his past five years with UPI.

"News photography is really enjoyable work if you don't mind missing an occasional meal, leaving the house at any hour, or flying all over the world.

"Let me add," he smiled, "that I don't."

Holloway stressed the point The Women's Council placed a that working in journalism student on indefinite probation whether with photos or with Thursday night after she was words-is working with people. found guilty c violating both the Some of the people he has worked with and photographed

The student was charged with are President Johnson, the late lying to members of the Women's President Kennedy, Goldwater, Nixon and John Glenn, Residence Council, drinking to

He was on hand for Glenn's the extent that her judgment was impaired and gaining entrance to flight into orbit and for President Kennedy's funeral as chief UPI her residence after closing hours without being admitted by a memphotographer.

Some of his "regular" assignber of the residence administraments include the Masters Golf Tournament in Augusta, Ga. each The defendant entered pleas of year and at least one national nolo contendre to the first and political convention every four last charges and a plea of guilty years.

He also covers most of the ath-The Council found the girl guilty letic events in this area and on all counts and placed her on readily concedes that they take indefinite probation. This was the up "a great deal" of his time. second offense for which the de-About 35 students and faculty fendant had been found guilty by members attended this meeting.

Merit Scholars Are Here Friday

By CHARLES STOVER

the Council.

National Merit Scholarship semifinalists will be on campus this weekend learning about the academic side of Carolina life.

the Freshman Scholastic Honorary The group of 86 high school seniors, whose primary interests Fraternity, will direct the group are math and physics, will have on tours of the campus Friday interviews with Charles Bernard, afternoon, showing them the lib-Director of Admissions; Julian rary, the computer and other Mason, Director of Student Aid; major points of interest. Later Dr. Peter Walker, advisor for that afternoon there will be an the Freshman-Sophomore honors informal reception with members program; and with Chancellor of the student legislature, frat-William B. Aycock. ernity presidents, and other student body leaders. They will attend lectures Fri-Dean James L. Godfrey will day and Saturday by prominent be the speaker at the banquet professors to simulate Carolina Friday night at the Carolina Inn. classroom experiences. Six pro-After the banquet the group will fessors will speak to the prospecattend the Carolina Playmakers tive majors in their fields. Dr. David G. Brown will lecproduction, "Busy Martyr." Housing for the group will be ture on Business Administration in the Institute of Government and Economics; Dr. Claiborne and they will eat in Lenoir Hall. Jones, pre-med. and the biologiism."

cal sciences; Dr. D. C. Jicha, Chemistry; Dr. E. A. Cameron, Math; Dr. Raymond Dawson, political science and history; and Dr. Albrecht Strauss, English.

Members of Phi Eta Sigma,

To Hillsboro By JOHN MONTAGUE

Eighty-two civil rights demonstrators were bound over Tuesday to Orange County Superior Chapel Hill and Chapel Hillians Court in Hillsboro. aren't enjoying the top billing. Three demonstrators appear-

ed late in Recorder's Court. They were obligated to put up \$400 bond for each set of two charges against them— compar-ed with \$175 per set for the others.

The three-Rosemary Ezra, 32, white; Walter Mitchell, 18, Negro: and Arthur Crisp, 19, Negro-also had to post \$300 per charge to be heard in Re-

corder's Court March 17. Mitchell had to post a total of \$1,500 bond, and Miss Ezra a total of \$1,400 bond. Two Negroes did not appear for the hearing-Charliese Pearl Cotton of Carrboro and Thomas L. Riggsbee of Chapel Hill.

All were charged with combinations of resisting arrest, obstructing traffic, obstructing the sidewalk and trespassing.

CORRECTION

The All-Campus Talent Show was to have auditions at 7 p.m. last night, rather than 1 p.m. as reported in the DTH. Additional auditions will be held tonight at 7 p.m. in Gerrard Hall for those who may have been mislead.

Graham School Looted, Burned **Monday Night**

Vandals broke into Frank Porter Graham elementary school outside Carrboro Monday night, set two fires and littered floors of classrooms and the library with books, records, and ink. Sheriff C. D. Knight said that a report was turned into the Chapel Hill Fire Department at

8:10 a.m. indicating there were two fires in the school. When firemen arrived they found the fires, one smouldering in a classroom and one burned out in the library. Evidence pointed to vandalism and the Orange County Sheriff's Department was called.

Knight said that the vandals, probably juveniles, broke into the school and poured ink over books and records they had strewn on the floor. They then attempted to set fire to a group of books and desks in a classroom,

Firemen estimated the damage in the neighborhood of \$1500.

'We Must Keep The Peace' concern doesn't border on fear." force. The situation disturbs them, Blake, a tall, heavy-set man, but they have adjusted to it well." The integration spotlight is on The Chapel Hill force consists

took time out from his hectic 15hour day one afternoon this week, of Blake and 22 others. A 24and spoke quite frankly on the hour day is divided into three current wave of sit-ins and sitshifts for these officers-shifts which have become almost meandowns. ingless in the last two months.

'We've got to keep the peacethat's the only way to look at it." said the chief, whose face showed the strain that keeping paid for some of it.' peace can bring. "These demonstrations are awfully hard on our

The chief also commented on the demonstrators' contention that by "going limp" they were not resisting arrest, but merely refusing to assist in their arrest.

"Our men are putting in an

awful lot of overtime," said

Blake, "and they may never get

"The charge of resisting arrest has always been interpreted by our department as including actions which either obstruct or delay the arrest of an individual." explained Blake. "By going limp, the demonstrator is failing to heed the officer's demand. Therefore, he is delaying his arrest."

Another point which CORE leaders have expressed dissatisfaction over is that the townspeople (and onlookers) have blocked the sidewalk, thereby interrupting the march. Blake threw some light on this situation.

"In Chapel Hill we do not have an ordinance for parades, marches and the like, Therefore CORE does not have to have a permit to march through town. Also, however, this means that the townspeople have just as much right to the sidewalk as the marchers do, as long as the people do not intentionally block the march."

This means that the marchers have no right to force their way through a crowdde sidewalk. It also means that people on the sidewalk have no right to force blockage of the march.

The overall impression you get from Chief Blake is simply a mirror of the overall impression he gets from the town. Chapel Hillians, by most standards, are a patient, understanding group of people. Their patience is being tested and it shows signs of weakening. That this growing resentment will not turn into violence is everyone's hope. Unfortunately, it is not an impossibility. Chief Blake and his staff are aware of this-thus they are puthing themselves twice as hard -just to keep the peace.

Boycott Ala. School

-Photo by Jim Wallace

Chief W. D. Blake SP Vacancies Are Filled Monday

Six legislative vacancies in the stituencies well." Student Party were filled at a Paul Dickson, party chairman,

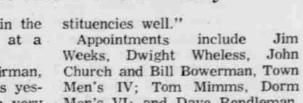
pleased with the quality of our new legislators and am confident that they will serve their con- laws at the meeting.

Men's VI; and Dave Rendleman, Dorm Men's VII. The party also adopted new by



meeting Monday.

announced the appointments yesterday, commenting, "I am very



REDRESS-Dr. Joseph Straley of the UNC Physics Department and the Rev. Clarence Parker lead a march down Franklin Street last night in protest of the Board of Aldermen's 4-3 vote Monday limiting picketing to the hours from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. The march followed a meeting by "concerned citizens" to discuss efforts to nullify the amended ordinance. The group, formed last night, is not connected with any of the civil rights organizations presently operating in Chapel Hill. (Photo by Jim Wallace).

The school is insured against fire losses. The Sheriff's Department has not completed its investigation, and several youths have been questioned. No charges or arrests have been made. "In the event the vandals are Alabama. minors." Sheriff Knight said, "they will be remanded to juvenile authorities, and action will then be taken accordingly. If the vandals are adults, they will be Tuesday. charged with arson and vandal-

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NOTASULGA, Ala. (UPI) - Six the Notasulga school did not show up for classes - but neither did Negroes found themselves sitting any of the whites. alone Tuesday in another boycotted "desegregated" school - a The 12 Negroes were transferred situation which has spurred specu- to the Shorter and Notasulga lation that the federal governschools from nearby Tuskegee, ment might issue a blanket school where another white boycott left the 12 the only pursis in the enintegration order for the state of tire high school. State officials The six Negroes attended school closed the school on grounds it was financially unsound to opin nearby Shorter-the only puberate it for so few students. lic white high school in Macon The six Negroes assigned to the County that conducted classes

hearing Thursday before making another integration attempt. The hearing is on a government request for an order barring Notasulga Mayor James Rea from interfering with the desegregation. The real showdown in the Macon County school desegregation battle, however, may come Feb. 21 at Opelika where a three-judge federal panel has been asked to enjoin the State Board of Education from operating segregated Notasulga school apparently are Six other Negroes assigned to waiting until after a federal court schools.