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RESCUE SCENE—Jimmy 'J. C.' McDaris, guest of the Clyde Jones' in Carrboro, grabbed his camera Sunday afternoon as he raced to edge of a pond in front of the Jones' to help rescue two lads who'd fallen through the icy crust on the pond. He snapped the above photo, show-

ing Bynie Riggsbee, 11, still in the water as Jones and Jimmy Andrews, their rescuers, pull in younger brother, Neal, seven. At the shore are Jackie Ellis, and her older sister, Betsy Fay. Jackie ran to her nearby home to obtain help from Andrews, a friend of her sister.

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PROUDEST FELLOW IN TOWN early yesterday morning was the motorist who'd forgotten to take off his tire chains from the previous Wednesday's weekly snow. After listening to 'em plunk and slap on the fenders for several days he scooted smoothly and easily by the tire-spinning cars of everybody else in town. Actual count of cars awaiting installation of chains in front of a mid-town service station at 8:10 a.m.: 27.

SAM MITCHELL, HILLSBORO colored man who perished in flames that leveled his dwelling on Highway 70 last Friday night, needn't have died. It's understood that the fire started around 10 p.m. after a portable oil heater in a bedroom was knocked over. Mitchell, it's understood, led other occupants to safety, then returned to fight the flames. His exit was blocked and he was unable to escape later.

CHAPEL HILL ATTORNEY Bob Cooper, who lives at Charles Mangum's home on E. Franklin St. is the artist who sculpted the striking snow statue of Venus de Milo in the front yard of the Mangum home last weekend. To the passerby in an auto it was quite a proportionate likeness. Cooper also started construction of a unique igloo, using symmetrically-cut crust from the top of the snow.

DESPITE DELAYS CAUSED by the snow, classes in the Chapel Hill unit public schools will end Tuesday, June 7, according to the present plans of school officials. —This will be the case, they say, IF there are enough Saturdays left between now and then to make up all the lost days. For the County unit it's likely the closing day will be Thursday, June 2, for pupils. The last three days will be make-ups. And it appears probable the other lost days will be made up on Saturdays.

THERE ARE YET SOME UNFATHOMED circumstances surrounding the death last Friday morning of Rossie Brewer, 68, of Route One, Chapel Hill. He was found dead in the yard of his Greensboro highway cabin a short while after having been seen by neighbors—alive and apparently all right except for two black eyes. The latter were sustained, according to police information, in a fight on Wednesday night. An au- (More PEALINGS on page 12)

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