

# Orange Peelings

**COUNTY SHERIFF BUCK** Knight was hospitalized last Thursday, following several days of sickness, with a serious intestinal ailment. Yesterday he was reported to be convalescing satisfactorily. It is expected that he'll remain a patient at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Durham for a while during his recovery.

**THE MOST EXTRAORDINARY** request to come before the Chapel Hill aldermen in the memory of local historians was presented in a written petition this week from Miss Mary Gilson. The University community's living monument to rugged individualism wanted the Town to cut down several staunch, mature, perfectly healthy oak trees bordering her yard, but on town property.

**CALLING THE OFFENDING** trees "nuisances," she declared their shade killed off red bud, dogwood, ivy and grass, and that acorns littered the yard and clogged roof drains. "Have a heart for my heart, back and discip-sion," pleaded Miss Gilson. The matter was referred to the Street Committee for investigation.

**THE STATE GASOLINE TEST-** ing Lab truck was in Chapel Hill and Hillsboro Tuesday making the rounds of service stations to take samples of petrol. Dealers report

they're checked in this manner every couple of months as a protection to the customer and to uphold the quality of their product. Ordinarily the inspector will buy about a nickel's worth of gas out of each pump. They run the stuff through analysis in their Raleigh lab. If the dealer doesn't hear anything from 'em his gas is all right.

**EASTWOOD—OR "GRANDMA'S** Lake," if you will, has been formally re-named "Lake Forest," a legal map of the Lake Forest Estates development near Chapel Hill shows. The 26-acre lake was built in the mid-30's. Be hard to change the name habit of a quarter century.

**RECOMMENDATION OF AL-** derman Gene Strowd to designers of fraternity houses on the proposed Mason Farm Road site is that they specify reinforced glass for the rear sides of all of 'em. The eight houses will be strung along the fairway between the 10th and 11th holes of Finley Golf Course, although a 100-foot screen of woods is proposed along the rear property lines.

**ORANGE IS NOT ONE OF THE** 73 counties in the state that has a problem of air pollution, an investigation reveals. Authorities on the subject recalled, however, that such has not always been the case

# Junior dairy show set Aug. 15; tobacco field day next Thursday

## TOBACCO FIELD DAY

The annual Tobacco Field Day for Orange County farmers will be held at the Oxford Tobacco Research Station July 21 at 2 p.m. The Station is located one mile Southwest of Oxford.

This will be a good chance to see the experimental work that is being conducted on tobacco, plus some demonstrations showing some of the best and most up-to-date production practices. Some of the things that will be seen and discussed at the Station are: Old and new varieties, development of new varieties, irrigation, brown spot and mosaic control, and recovery of hail damaged tobacco.

The program will last about three hours.

## EXTENSION ADVISORY BOARD TO MEET

The quarterly meeting of the Extension Agricultural Advisory Board is scheduled to meet at the Commissioners' Room in the

—particularly back in the days when the smoke stack from the old mid-campus power plant used to blow out a grimy carbon smog. And the experts in the air pollution field warn also that one of these days carbon monoxide from the increasing number of autos in the country is going to constitute a problem for many areas.

Courthouse, Monday night, July 25, at 7:30 according to Z. C. Burkan, president.

## DURHAM COUNTY TOUR

Orange County people wishing to attend the tour of Durham County sponsored by the North Central Area Development Association to be held Wednesday afternoon, July 27, should notify the County Agents' office on or before 9 o'clock Monday, July 25, so their reservations for bus transportation and the evening meal can be made. The tour will leave the Agricultural Building on Foster Street in Durham at 2 p.m. Cars will be left there and travel will be in air-conditioned buses.

The Durham County Committee has lined up a very attractive program which will include a visit to tobacco factory, small fruit and vegetable enterprise, rose-culture project (100 different varieties), beef cattle management, modern housing development, Research Triangle, Nelson Community, and South Patterson Rural Youth Program and supper.

## JUNIOR DAIRY SHOW

Hugh Wilson, Orange County dairy farmer and newly-elected Chairman of the Committee to promote the 1960 Junior Dairy Show, announced that this show will be held the night of August

15, at the Hillsboro High School Athletic Park. This is the second annual Junior Dairy Show.

Last year there were about 30 Four-H and FFA boys and girls who exhibited their dairy animals. Agricultural workers reported an increased interest among young people in the county in this activity.

## GARDEN CONTEST

A garden contest is being held by the Schley Community in connection with their food production program. Judging will be done this Friday, July 15, by local agricultural workers. Marvin Phelps, Hillsboro, Rt. 1, is chairman of the committee in charge of the garden contest.

Among the families entering projects in the garden contest are: Bobbie Joe Miller, Van Kenyon, Robert E. Nichols, Jr., C. B. Nicky's, Lane Mincey, Marvin Phelps, J. M. Kenyon, Harry P. Woods, Milton Latta, and Charlie Mincey.

Suitable prizes will be awarded the winners.

## POMONA GRANGE MEETING

According to Harry P. Woods, Master of Pomona Grange, the quarterly meeting will be held at New Hope, at 8 p.m. next Monday. Officers will be elected for the ensuing year.

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