

County women employees join in pay raise pleas

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TWO DEMOCRATIC BUSINESS- men in Chapel Hill have donated choice office space as a local campaign headquarters for the Democratic party. A double front room over the Ledbetter-Pickard store in mid-town has been given to the party for campaign use by Joe Page and Ted Danziger. County Democratic Chairman Jim Phipps said the office is expected to be occupied and opened within a few days.

CHAPEL HILL AUTO DEALER Doug Yates captured 10th place and \$700 prize money in the Darlington "500" race on Labor Day. It's expected this put him in the top 20 racers in NASCAR point standing. Driving his own 1959 Plymouth, Doug made four pit stops of about a minute each during the race. Because of wear and tear on the hot asphalt track he also had four tire changes. Only one minor motor casualty: He lost two taps when a coil wire broke.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of the N. C. Association of County Commissioners will meet at the Association's offices in Glen Lennox on Oct. 7. Orange County Commissioner Donald Stanford is a member of the board and his neighbor, Alex McMahan, is the group's general counsel and secretary-treasurer. Office manager is Mrs. Esther Minturn.

THE \$4,000 FUND CAMPAIGN for a bath-house and fence at the swimming pool now being built on the Chapel Hill Negro Community Center property has been postponed until next winter or spring so as not to conflict with the forthcoming Community Chest campaign. Although the pool organization was not included in the Chest budget for next year, it's expected to be a part of the joint fund appeal in the 1962 drive.

HILLSBORO'S 200,000 GALLON water storage tank is undergoing a good scraping and re-painting, inside and out. Six days will be required for the job. Meanwhile, water is being pumped from the filter plant direct to users, accounting for occasional variances in pressure.

THE PORTE-COCHERE EN-trance to the Carolina Inn—the one that fell victim to a circus truck and sports car hot-rodders last spring—is being rebuilt to more current auto standards. Constructed in the "T-Model era, the old entrance was a hazard for auto hubcaps and fenders. The re-built structure will retain the wooden archway, but is to have a wider curb-to-curb driving area. A new Carolina Inn sign post is also to be put up.

HIS FELLOW LAW ENFORCE-ment officers are staging a barbecue feast tonight in honor of Chapel Hill Police Capt. Coy Durham, who'll leave Saturday on a three-months tuition scholarship to attend the Southern Police Institute in Louisville, Ky. Capt. Durham was one of five who received scholarships out of 45 applicants.

NOTES ON THE PUBLIC school de-segregation front: (1) In addition to the three Negro See PEALINGS on Page 12

First day, first grade...



SCHOOL OPENS — AND HIS-TORY IS MADE — Mrs. Helen Harris with her six-year-old son, Ralph, walks out of Estes Hills Elementary School in Chapel Hill on Tuesday morning as three

Negro first graders became the first of their race to enroll in the local system on a de-segregated basis. The history-making event came off quietly.

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Enrollment of over 3,750 now expected in Chapel Hill

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