

Orange Peelings

IN THE HEART-WARMING words of a positive thinker, 97-year-old Mrs. Jenny Jordan McDade said she wanted a copy of the photo of her on this page so she'd "have something to look at for years to come."

FOUR-YEAR-OLD PHIL ASHLEY, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ashley Jr., of Highway 86 north of Hillsboro, came back home yesterday morning shortly after five deputies and some neighbors started looking for him. Old dog Kate was with him and both were wet up to their knees. Phil said Kate walked through the branch, so he did, too!

AND A TEARLESS PINK-cheeked, flaxen-haired three-year-old moppet was picked up by her father at the Chapel Hill Police Station Tuesday night. Wiley Baker of rural Wake County had gone to notify authorities that his daughter was missing when they told him to come get her in Chapel Hill. UNC students saw the girl shortly before 7 p.m. with Baker's brother-in-law, James Haley, who'd passed out in front of Battle Dormitory. Haley was too far gone to make any sense. Tender words from the police and a couple of Pepsis kept the jeans-clad girl silently content until she fell asleep waiting for her daddy. Haley, who lives with the Baker family, was turned back to them, too.

IT'S OVERSHADOWED BY NATIONAL and state interest, but there's a contest on for Chapel Hill Township Constable. Incumbent Vernon Burch and Marshall Duncan are both seeking the office via write-in. Voters in the eight precincts of Chapel Hill Township will get a blank ballot on which they can write in their choice. And in Bingham Township the word is out that Democratic wheelhorse Hugh Wilson, that granddaddy of all candidates, has bowed to the will of the people and will accept the job of Township constable, also via write-in vote, if elected.

ONE OF 'EM WAS BOUND TO turn up sooner or later: Saw a wee car yesterday with a hand-drawn sign affixed to the back panel, "N. C. Republicans for Kennedy."

UNC DEBATING TEAM COACH Dr. Donald K. Springer declares that a fifth Kennedy-Nixon TV debate would be "repetitive" and is not in order because the issues have been covered. Speaking professionally as a debate critic and not as a Democrat (which he happens to be), Mr. Springer said he felt Kennedy gained an edge in the debates through his "more forceful, enthusiastic delivery" and because of his "better TV personality and appearance."

AND TRUE TO THE SPIRIT of bridge buffs the world over was a quartet seated on the stadium floor long before Adlai's speech. They didn't lose a trick in their second rubber as the speaker paraded into the auditorium at the head of a shouting column of supporters. —Never paused a single play for the preliminaries. But the game did break up when the band played the Star Spangled Banner.

Students say will appeal denials of registration; books close on Saturday

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Party patriarch, matriarch...



NONAGENARIANS HONORED BY DEMOCRATS—Mrs. Jenny Jordan McDade of Tolar's Precinct in Cedar Grove, at the age of 97, was cited as the oldest active Democrat in the Sixth District at the party's rally in Burlington last week. She's seen above with U. S. House of Representatives Speaker Sam Rayburn,

Congressman Carl Durham, and Thomas Lloyd, 92, of Orange Grove, the County's oldest male Democrat. Though confined to a wheel chair, 'Aunt Jenny' promised she'd be at the polls Nov. 8 to maintain her perfect record of Democratic party support. News Photo

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