

Orange Pealings

NO FORMAL ACTION HAS yet been taken, but the County Commissioners are letting the two school boards know that they have in mind appropriating about \$38 per pupil for the school budgets next year—or roughly the same rate as the \$37.73 this year. The idea is to aid the school boards in the teacher hiring and other plans for 1961-62.

THE NEAREST THING TO AN Automat this side of Times Square has lately been installed to replace the snack bar at Memorial Hospital. There are about a dozen different slot machines to serve hot soup, sandwiches, light luncheon fare, all manner of crackers and candy, and coffee ("push this button for double serving of cream"). One of the most impressive mechanical gadgets is a "dollar bill changer."

YOU GOT TO MOVE FAST TO keep up with the legal procedures of the Town of Hillsboro. At their meeting last month the town commissioners passed a formal ordinance calling for the May 2 biennial town elections. The ordinance was published in a legal ad in this paper last Thursday. It noted that the candidates' filing deadline was noon, last Tuesday, April 4 And two of the intervening four days were holidays, yet

THE SURPLUS FOOD ALLOTments Orange County will soon be distributing to the needy are intended to provide about one-fourth the monthly food needs of a small family. Figure conservatively that each parcel is worth about \$20 and this will mean that Orange County will be passing out over \$6,700 worth of food a month to the 344 presently-approved applicants. —A right sizeable bargain for the estimated \$500 (or less) monthly cost of administering the program (This is our own calculation—not an official one!)

DOUG YATES OF CHAPEL Hill has had tough luck in all three late-model races he's been in at Orange Speedway. He was running fourth two laps from the finish of the 100-miler last Sunday when the transmission on his '59 Plymouth gave out. — Still, it was as near to finishing as he's gotten at Hillsboro. He was one of a number of drivers who broke the track record for a lap. His time: 36.25 seconds for the .9 mile.

THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS are considering asking the Legislature to pass a local bill prohibiting the practice of faith healing in Orange County. Hold-up on the measure now is to get a legal definition of the undesirable type of faith healing with which the County is concerned.

CHAPEL HILL TOWN MANAGER Thomas D. Rose is reported to be recovering quite satisfactorily at Memorial Hospital where he's been a patient since Monday of last week with a heart ailment.

THE CHAPEL HILL-CARRBORO Merchants Association is going to give out \$20,000 in "spring green money," redeemable at member stores for 10 per

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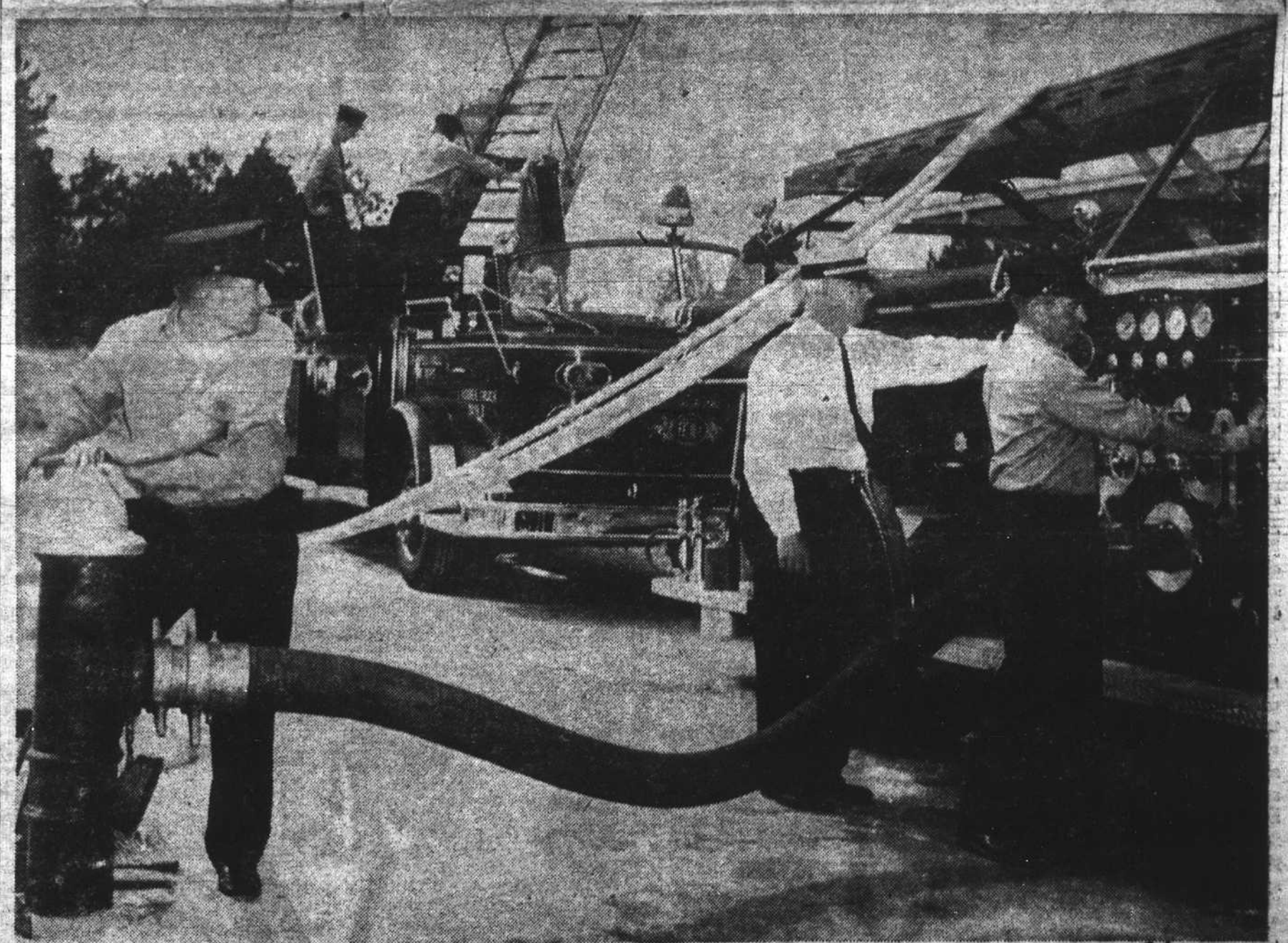
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FIREMEN TEST EQUIPMENT — Warm weather brought the Chapel Hill firemen outdoors at the Glen Lennox fire station for a check-out on equipment, utilizing the newly-set-up testing grounds at the station. Fire Chief L. S. Boone looks on while Archie Creef (right) sets the controls on a pumper truck before Everett Lloyd opens up a hydrant. In the background firemen Marvin Morris and Robert Williams work on the 100-foot aerial ladder truck.

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