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## Chapel Hill moving ahead on new building project

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**A FAIR-SIZED CONTINGENT** of Orange folk is going to Wilson this Saturday night for the state-wide Outstanding Young Farmer awards banquet. The award will be presented by Gov. Sanford, and the Orange nominee, Bobby Nichols of Cedar Grove, is known to be in the top 10 for the final judging. —It could be three-in-a-row for Orange. Bill Dorsett of Efland was first runner-up year before last and Bunn Pope of Cedar Grove was state winner in the Jaycee sponsored competition last year.

**STATE HIGHWAY PATROLMAN** Tom Winborne of Chapel Hill is understood to be recovering quite well from a serious operation he underwent recently, and is expected to be back behind the wheel on his southern Orange County rounds in the very near future.

**APPROPRIATE TO HIGHWAY** matters, The News notes in a tabulation from the State Department of Motor Vehicles this week that there were in Orange during 1961 503 traffic accidents of all types, 264 personal injuries, and 10 deaths.

**A MAN WHO CALLED THE** News office the other day cited the need for a clearly-drawn map showing the new precinct boundaries in Chapel Hill and Carrboro. He bespoke a crying need, indeed. It is hoped that some altruistic civic group — or candidate — will heed the appeal for the convenience of Chapel Hill voters, all of whom will have to re-register next month.

**A STREET CORNER PREACHER** — a comparative rarity nowadays — has been holding forth with complete aplomb on the main corner in downtown Hillsboro recently. The leather-lunged middle-aged man comes over from Durham and takes his stand by the Corner Drug Store for a 20-30 minute sermon almost weekly, waving a testament vigorously while he literally bellows the gospel.

**ANOTHER MAJOR APARTMENT** is imminently proposed for Chapel Hill. Architect J. Hyatt Hammond of Asheboro this week turned in to Town Manager Bob Peck detailed plans for a 96-unit garden apartment project to be built on a 10-acre site behind Taylor Greene's house along Bolin Creek a half-mile north of town (off Airport Rd.). The modernistic two and three-story buildings will be made of prestressed concrete — somewhat similar to the Carrboro School, which Hammond's firm also designed.

**MAJOR DOWNTOWN BUSINESS** construction is also in the offing. A second floor will soon be added to the Belk-Leggett-Horton Department store. The building, constructed in 1954, was designed with this in mind. Remodeling of the store front—about which manager Carlton Byrd conferred with the Chapel Hill aldermen this week—is also part of the project.

**THEY AREN'T COMPLAINING** about it, but Chapel Hill and county officials are fully aware that the \$150,000 property valuation reduction last week grant—  
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## Republican and Democrat seeking county offices

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## Can Spring be far behind...



**TWIRLERS**—Five-year-old Karen Lloyd has the idea, too, as she watches her fifth grade sister, Louinga, practicing the fine art of baton twirling in the newly-organized class being taught under auspices of the Chapel Hill Recreation Department by Jo Taylor, head majorette at Carolina and a student in recreation administration. The girls are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lloyd of Carrboro. More than two-dozen girls are enrolled in the weekly twirling course recently started in the recreation program.



## No school tax referendum seen before next autumn

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