

# It's chest kick-off time!

## Orange Peelings

**DESPITE THE INCREASING-**ly closer relations and cooperation between Duke and Carolina, there is some old-fashioned comfort in the realization that the sprawling empire of Duke has not yet extended into the sanctuary of Chapel Hill. Somehow through the computer machinery that posted the tax billing for the Town of Chapel Hill, a Duke Forest tract in the McDuffie Church community was billed for Chapel Hill taxes. This and a number of other accounts similarly billed in error were formally released by the Chapel Hill Town Board this week.

**MR. AND MRS. ALEX McMAHON** of Chapel Hill returned from an 18-day vacation in Europe at midnight Monday. Mr. McMahon, general counsel for the N. C. Assn. of County Commissioners, acted as delegation host for the recent Tar Heel public officials tour behind the Iron Curtain. After it ended Oct. 9 Mrs. McMahon met him in Berlin and they went to Vienna, Innsbruck, Venice (just before the landslide-flood tragedy in Longaone, Italy), Florence, Naples and Rome. On the Iron Curtain trip, Mr. McMahon said, he had the most graphic impressions in Moscow where he found the most marked contrast to life as it exists in the western world.

**THE OLD JUNE HARRIS** home place now being torn down across from the Chapel Hill schools downtown pre-dates the memory of a number of local citizens asked about it yesterday. But the original structure—which stood on the adjoining lot where Obie Davis' service station is now located — may have been constructed in a time when nails were mighty scarce. The largest old timbers in the house were joined with wooden pegs.

**A LOCAL SPOKESMAN FOR** Interstate Investors said this week that construction of a six-story hotel will proceed immediately on the site of the old Harris home place (see above paragraph) and that completion is expected some time late next year. The \$1¼ million project (total including land cost) may have a large banquet hall as an additional floor on top. Removal of the houses on the Rosemary St. side of the tract, where a parking lot will be located, is scheduled later.

**WHILE STILL IN CRITICAL** condition, Jim Peck, 21-year-old son of Chapel Hill Town Manager and Mrs. Bob Peck, was reported to be showing some improvement late yesterday at Memorial Hospital. He is being treated for injuries received shortly after midnight Saturday when his car ran off the highway near Cary while he was returning to Chapel Hill with a friend.

**AKERS NOAH MANNING,** Chatham County man murdered by his step-son last Sunday night, as he allegedly prepared to kill his wife, was charged several years ago in Orange County with manslaughter. The charges stem-

med from a post-midnight high-speed accident on the new Greensboro Highway at the Collins Creek bridge 13 miles west of Chapel Hill. One passenger was permanently crippled and another person involved was killed. The case against Manning was continued in Orange County Superior Court nearly three years and then dropped.

**ORANGE COUNTY'S GUBERNATORIAL** hopeful, West Hillsboro storekeeper Raymond Stansbury, was recently given a warning from the State Board of Alcoholic Control, it was learned last weekend. State ABC Chairman Victor Aldridge said that two ABC agents picked up a man near Stansbury's store on a recent Sunday and that the man said he had just purchased beer at Stansbury's place. Rather than bring a formal charge, Mr. Aldridge reported a warning letter was sent.



**HEAD ANNUAL APPEAL**—Leaders in the \$43,000 fund drive for the 1964 Chapel Hill Community Chest, solicitation for which will begin tomorrow, are (seated, left to right): Mrs. Sterling Stoudermire residential division co-chairman; Chest Executive Secretary Mrs. J. D. Webb, Campaign Chairman Sandy McClamroch; (standing) Health Affairs Division Chairman Dr. Robert Zeppa; Treasurer Tommy Gravitte; Campus Co-Chairman Sim Wilde; and Negro Division Co-Chairman Hubert S. Robinson. Not shown are Residential Co-Chairman Mrs. W. D. Carmichael III, Business Co-Chairman Bob Simpson and Bob Boyce, Campus Co-Chairman Earle Wallace, Carrboro Chairman the Rev. Calvin Rains; and Negro Division Co-Chairmen C. A. McDougle and R. D. Smith.

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**HONOR FOR CARUTHERS** — Runners-up for the title of County dairyman and his wife are seen above at their farm home 'Young Couple of the Year' as chosen by the North Carolina State Grange and cited at the group's annual convention in Statesville and Carol. Last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Caruthers. The Orange

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