

Stop, Look, Listen:

Our Constitution: For Your Consideration!

"Will the students think we are assuming too much power?" This question arises frequently as a committee of the student council works to draft the new constitution.

Is the student council assuming too much power? Will the students think that it is? Certainly not! Why did the students elect these members to the council if they did not expect representation? If they did not expect the members to work for more power for the student body.

Let's be sensible! We realize that every college must be governed. If it is not governed democratically, it will be governed authoritatively. The student council has realized this and has begun to draft a new constitution whereby the student, through his student council, may have more and greater authoritative power.

Our founding fathers saw the need of a code of laws in order to live together as a democratic mass. Out of the realization of this need came the United States Constitution—an instrument for government of the people and by the people themselves. Every group needs a set of laws. These laws should be made by those who are to be governed, or else they will cry out against control without representation: "Tyranny!" Our student council is responding to this need. It is drawing up a new constitution intending to assure the students of Brevard College every privilege that is rightfully theirs.

The drafting committee can proceed with their work in full confidence that the student body will approve it, at least in principle. For they are laying the constitution on the same foundation that supports the Constitution of our land: that under God individuals are equal, and that as they have responsibilities they have rights. The Council hopes that from this constitution so framed may spring a more democratic college.

We feel that the true discovery of a better life together is before us. And we feel that we speak for every member of the student council when we say that our democratic College is **HERE**—is **NOW**. What the constitution committee is doing is organizing a democracy that already exists. They can be sure that when they present a constitution drafted on this foundation our democratic student body will ratify it.

**ROLL CALL OF CLUBS;
GIVE US YOUR ATTENTION
FOR THIS MOST SERIOUS MATTER:**

All high and mighty purposeful club members take note!!! Would you like to have your club ranked as a service club as well as a social club of this college? If you would, and should you need stimulus to exert a means for said effect, dear reader, read on:

Christmas cometh soon, and do you know off hand Joan Friend's and Bill Pal's home addresses? More than likely you don't!

Say, in what dorm does Ray Buddy reside, and what room is his? In case you were in a rush to see him, would you know? 'Tis doubtful!

Perhaps you wonder the correlation of two previous paragraphs with their predecessor?

We need a directory for this college. We need it badly. Be it printed or be it mimeographed, the need is great! To you, who would like to do a service to the school—is the task worthwhile?

If you find your treasury unable to bear the strain of publishing a directory, vanquish not the thought from your head. We suggest that you contact President Ehlhardt to see if he would donate a few stencils and a gross or two of mimeograph paper for such a Cause, or that you charge a few cents for copy.

We invite your serious consideration on this matter—and pledge any help we might offer,

Its All In The Cards

By TOM NEAL, Jr.

CLUBS

Flash almighty: The Clarion and Pertelote staffs have planned as a means of making much-needed cash a hayride to which all members of the student body are invited. Plans as this issue goes to press are to have the first hayride of the season on a Saturday afternoon to be announced. Check with a Clarioneer or Pertelotean for details.

Brother and Sister literary societies, Delphian and Mnemosynean, have joined hands in presenting two separate carnivals in the rec hall in the last three weeks. Saturday before last Pat Brown and her herd of literaries overran the rec hall to sponsor a free for all (but not free) carnival. Many festivities prevailed, and it is reported, money was cleared on the project. Long before the gay hour, folk from around the campus were busy making ready the hall for the event, Fish pond had to be erected; and the hall of horrors (HOWARD GRAHAM, HELEN HAYES, ALICE LEGGETT, ghost, corpse, and fortune-teller, respectively), rigged; cake walk, sectioned; and decorations of corn stalks, etc.; made ready. Early in the post meridian RACHEL FRANKLIN, REID GILBERT, PAT CARTER, JOE DAVIS, BILL LASLEY, HELEN HAYES, PEGGY WALLER and others were laboring away. BILL BALDWIN and JAMES DILLARD, JR., were peacefully watching the gang from the sidelines. Ye Columneer was not on hand last Tuesday to see preparations being made for the Delphian

Hallowe'en Carnival. MACK LASSITER was viewed dragging in corn stalks to be strung to the posts. At the function, gaily of all sort was beholden! Faculty members LIVENGOOD, AULT, KENNEDYS, BRAMLETT, FRAZIER, WHELESS, PYLANT were all garbed and with DR. HADACOL EHLHARDT presented a fine skit testifying the efficacy of Hadacol. Many of the elite college crowd appeared in full masquerade. DOTTIE GAY ROCKWOOD, JOAN GAMBLE and others were mentioned with HARRY WOOSLEY, who won the first prize at the ball. Harry was dressed as Groucho Marx. MAX McCRACKEN was all spiced up in a gay young maiden's outfit. REID GILBERT was one of the best looking gals at the affair, and "VOICI" RAY CAIN matched DOTTIE GAY'S outfit
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Poet's Corner

MIST-CLAD TREES

Vague outline through the misty air
Little do you know of me—little do you care
And yet—such comforts you employ
Making happy girl and boy
Spreading leaves of heavenly tint
Offering earth your Autumn scent.
O tree, you sturdy pioneer
As you grow from year to year
Do you ever wonder why
You were put on earth, as I?
—Staff writer

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