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"O! Hail, White And Blue" . . . ?

My fellow State College contemporaries, we have demonstrated in a lackadaisical manner our attitudes toward school spirit. We sing our Alma Mater as if it were a hymn after an eulogy. President Rudolph Jones has tried to improve Fayetteville State College Students' morale on numerous occasions. Since entering State, I have noticed that the student body, in general is composed of introverts. F.S.C. students have allowed other college students to monopolize active exhibitions on our campus.

The why of this show of disloyalty is an issue in itself. It may stem from continued high school rivalry in this college, coercion between social orders or cliques, class disunity, and unconcern about participation in campus programs.

We deem that the only solution is to instill the idea of ethnocentric behavior in each student. This feeling, related to school spirit, that one's group is superior to any other group is necessary in order to establish an undying dedication for dear "old" F.S.C.

When a student enters college, he should try to dedicate his whole self to all facets of its environment. He should realize that he is at a great and glorious institution of higher learning. Some students refuse to accept this fact. This continued unacceptance dims the student's school spirit.

We should be ashamed of the amount of school spirit we exhibit as supposedly mature college students. However, there are several students exemplified leadership qualities in various extracurricular pursuits. Regardless to say, these are the types of students we need to display our who have attempted to combat this negative attitude. These students have banner against our collegiate peers.

Please harken to my plea, and show outsiders a "real" example of Bronco Spirit. Sing "Oh Hail, White and Blue" like a "true" Fayettevillian, let Smith Athletic Field resound with our loyalty, and make it your individual responsibility to uphold all the traditions of a "do or die" Bronco.

If we carry out these ideals, I guarantee each and every Fayetteville State College student will understand the words "Our colors so true, oh hail, white and blue! To thee our voices ring. . ."

The Editor

Dr. Seabrook Speaks

Dr. J. W. Seabrook, president emeritus of this college, was the speaker for assembly on October 9. Dr. Seabrook was introduced by our president, Dr. Rudolph Jones.

Dr. Seabrook's inspiring topic was "How to Be Successful in Life." He developed this topic by using six key words. These words were Concentration, Gradualness, Today, Vocabulary, Personality, And Then Some, and Continuous Growth.

As he elaborated on each word, he showed how each was building stone in our lives. He also used amusing anecdotes to express his points of view and to show us the significance of these key words.

Reporter, Carolyn D. Council

Art Students Participate

Mrs. H. T. Chick of the Fine Arts Department reports that a total of \$7,625 in cash and savings bond awards plus 60 medals and ten all-expense trips to Chicago will be awarded student winners of Saint Regis Paper Company's Fifth Annual Collegiate Packaging Design Competition which opened recently.

This year's competition has been broadened to include every college and university in the United States. Students are eligible to submit entries in four categories; (1) graphic



ROBERT MELVIN

Student Teachers

The following seniors are doing their student teaching the First Nine Weeks of the First Semester: Edward Evans — Mrs. S. Melvin, Principal; Shirley Sidberry and Louise White.

Newbold — Miss Helen Hucles, Principal; Mable Williams, Blanche Sills, Frances Rankin, Frederick Lockhart, Glenda Cheek, Mattie Johnson, and Lynette Sawyer.

North Street — Mrs. T. C. Berrien, Principal; Etta Budd, Margaret Dorsey, Hazel Clark, Katie Jones, and Willie Jeanne Greene.

Number 10 — Mr. J. E. Purcell, Principal; Addie McGuire, Adonia Johnson, Velma Chandler, Ernestine Mock, Willie Woodard, Ozelle Sharpless, and Evelyn Torain.

Number 12 — Mr. W. T. Brown, Principal; Lurette Hicks, Doris Wilson and Janie Woodard.

hic design for bags containing either sugar, flour or pet's foods; (2) graphic design for bread packages; (3) graphic design and construction of a folding carton for food products; (4) graphic design for a 9" paper plate. Several Art students are entering the contest.

Entries are due in Chicago no later than March 31, 1964. Winners will be announced in May and top winners in each division will be flown to Chicago for presentation ceremonies.



DR. JONES

From The President's Desk:

What is destined to be one of the great years in the history of Fayetteville State College is rapidly passing. It is my sincere hope that we do not have students who are waiting and "day dreaming" and have not yet settled down to serious study. It is really later than you think. You must realize that there cannot be any success without effort. No faculty member can give a student an education. It is something you must acquire for yourself.

We can never have a great college until we have students who can discipline themselves and put first things first. This means that you buy textbooks before you buy unnecessary luxuries. This means you go to the library on Friday night if you need to rather than to the movies or a dance. This means that you put lessons before card playing. It means that you go to Chapel and Vespers to acquire knowledge and ideas not because attendance is required. The same is true with regard to Lyceum programs.

Students are challenged now as never before to take advantage of every opportunity for self improvement so as to be able to make a creditable showing in the ever more competitive world they will face in the years after graduation from college.

The Sidewalk

I know that the sidewalks at Fayetteville State College are exhausted when night falls. They must be because they work so hard during the day. Their seemingly never-ending blocks of grey cement take punishment unlimited.

Tiny heels with heavy legs, football spikes worn by a football player who weighs two-hundred fifty pounds, medium feet in narrow shoes, crush it, grind dirt into its cracks, slide on it, and make scars on its surface. Slow, sauntering strides and fast tipping footsteps are only two of the kinds of discipline that it is subjected to in the course of a day.

When the rains come, the sidewalk has no umbrella to keep it dry, as do the students who pace back and forth from building to building. But I am almost certain that it appreciates the cooling water on a scorching day after the sun has shone so hotly. As the water trickles into the cracks and crevices of the cement, if one bent down to listen, there would be sighs of relief.

The sidewalk leads a hard life but it has reconciled itself to that. It knows that this is its calling.

The very next time that you see a sidewalk, tip lightly. Be compassionate. Remember that the sidewalk is exhausted!!

Beverly Vinson

The Role Of The Student Government



WILLIS McLEOD, President

As an educational organ within our educational community, the student government at Fayetteville State College has a commitment to help provide an environment which will be most conducive to the intellectual growth of the student body. This includes academic, cultural and spiritual, athletic and social affairs, for each contributes to the forming of the student.

The student government is in the unique position of being the only elected, representative body on our campus with general responsibility for each student's welfare; but this doesn't mean that the student government has to operate each program in the area of student welfare. It does mean that the student government should conduct some of the activities itself and see that the

others are assumed by competent student organizations.

One of the major reasons for organizing and supporting a student government is to provide a structure within which student needs can be accurately analyzed and through which proposed solutions can be presented effectively to the appropriate groups. The most significant roles of the student government are those which key on the contributions which it can make to the college through its program and activities.

It has always been my contention that a leader is no stronger than his followers. We hope that this year has brought us an alert and conscientious student body who wants to see its student government function and will support its planned activities, for it is a known fact that unless we have complete and total cooperation from our student body we shall only be a pseudo-functioning body or simply a figurehead.

As its top program of the year, the student government has organized a tutorial program. It is our belief and sincere hope that through the services of concerned students in their respective fields, much success can result with the cooperation of the administration and faculty. Though the main objective of the program is to assist our new students in their adjustment problems, all students are at liberty to take advantage of all services rendered by our tutors.

It is also my sincere hope that more of our many campus organizations will undertake more projects beneficial to the entire college family and that our students will take full advantage of them. You are to understand that as your elected representative body on campus, we are at your every disposal and invite any problem that you may have and pledge our full support to do everything in our power to solve it. We wish much success for this academic year and the years to come at Fayetteville State College.

Faculty And Staff Additions

The VOICE welcomes the twenty new faculty and staff members of Fayetteville State College. Fifteen have been added to the faculty and five to the staff; some are replacements and some additions.

The Art Department added Mr. Harvey C. Jenkins, A.B., Claflin College, and M.A., Teachers College, Columbia University. Education and Psychology — Dr. Reid E. Jackson, B.S., Wilberforce University, M. A. and Ph.D., Ohio State University; and Mrs. Lula S. Williams, B.S., Hampton Institute, and M.A., Teachers College, Columbia University. English — Mrs. Grace Curry Black, B.S. and M.B.A., University of Kansas; Miss Constance Frazier, B.S., The Ohio State University and M.A., Miami University; Mr. Richard Goodwin, B.A. University of Washington; Miss Winfred Johnson, B.A. and M.A. Howard University; and Mrs. Annie C. King, A.B., Shaw University and M.A., North Carolina College at Durham. Mrs. Laura Hicks Lewis, B.S., University of Georgia.

Foreign Language — Miss Helen S. Goff (French), B.A., Talladega College and M.A., University of Illinois. Physical Education — Mrs. Dorothy S. Redmond, B.S., Morris Brown College and M. Ed., Tennessee State University. Science and Mathematics — Mr. Perry R. Leazer, B.S.C. and M.S., North Carolina College at Durham. Social Sciences — Dr. Shia-ling Liu, B.A., Cheng Chi University, M.A., University of Cincinnati, and Ed.D., North Texas State University; Mr. Robert Perdue, B.A., Morehouse College, and M.A., Atlanta University; and Mr. Edward J. Weaver, M.S.W., Kent School of Social Work, University of Louisville.

Returning to the Education Department after a year in Florida is Dr. Walter Pace.

Staff members were added in two departments. Business Office—Mr. George Sanders, B.A., Saint Augustine's College. Dormitory Counselors — Miss Sue A. Burton, B.S. A&T College; Mrs. Mary H. Nicholson, A.B., Johnson C. Smith University; and Miss Aurelia Young, B.S., Barber-Scotia College.

Personnel Office — Mrs. Winifred Leff, B.S., South Carolina State.

Bi-Racial Committee Reports

JUANITA McRAE

On Wednesday, October 2, the Mayor's Bi-Racial Committee of Fayetteville presented its findings and progress report to the student body at our weekly assembly program. This committee, as we all know, was appointed some months ago for the purpose of working toward peaceful desegregation in the vicinity of Fayetteville.

The chairman of this committee, Mr. J. W. Pate, Jr., opened the program discussion with the reasons behind the formation of the committee as well as the steps it has taken since coming into existence.

After his introductory information, the speaker presented the various areas in which more Negroes had been employed since the formation of the committee. Rev. C. A. Chick listed those in government as compared with the number employed previous to the formation of the committee. Reverend J. V. C. Summerell gave a report of the governmental situation in Cumberland County prior to July 19, when the committee formally began its work.

Following this report, Dr. C. M. Cherry presented the findings concerning department stores and variety stores that have begun hiring on the basis of merit rather than race. These included The Capital, Belk - Hensdale, Fleishman's Big Store, J. C. Penny, Sears-Roebuck, McCrory's, Woolworth, and others.

In regard to other places of business, it was found that prior to July 19 there were no integrated motels, hotels, or theatres in Fayetteville. Restaurants were also segregated. However, some places of this type have become integrated since July 19. Some of the eating places are A&W Root Beer, Dunkin' Donuts, Green Lantern Restaurant, Hardee's, Horne's, Holiday Inn, the Prince Charles Hotel. There are also nine motels and hotels now open to Negroes and other races. These include The Ambassador, Bel Air, Driftwood, Lafayette, and Horne's Motor Lodge. Drive-in movies, bowling lanes, and putt-putt golf have also integrated.

In addition to these progressive steps, there have been added twenty-two Negro sales clerks in downtown stores as well as plans made for adding more in the future. Jobs held by Negroes in the past in most areas are to be upgraded and the number of Negroes hired is to be increased, according to the report of the Bi-Racial Committee.

Among others participating in this presentation were Dr. G. L. Butler, Reverend C. R. Edwards, and Newspaperman Gibson Prather, all members of the committee.