

### Measles, Measles, Measles

The Ivy League look this season has switched from stripes to red spots. Instead of belts and buckles, a few measly dots will put you in the height of fashion—at least for three to five days!

This new fad can be acquired in a number of ways, if you are among the hopeful unfortunates who have not yet attained its ranks.

1. Get that big date you were hoping for—9 times out of 10 your date turns out to have the measles or else you'll feel same spot coming on!
2. Borrow a few left-over germs from your classmates who have passed out of the mode. Students are generous when it comes to things like that.
3. Pretend you really don't want them and that you'd die if you had to leave school for any length of time. You can usually come down with a federal case of these red threats when they think you don't want them.
4. Study hard for that big test. It's always a challenge to make up a test after three days of rest during which you forget everything except scratch. (Measles have strategy).
5. And, as a last resort, a few dabs of lipstick well-placed during this spring season will produce startling effects.

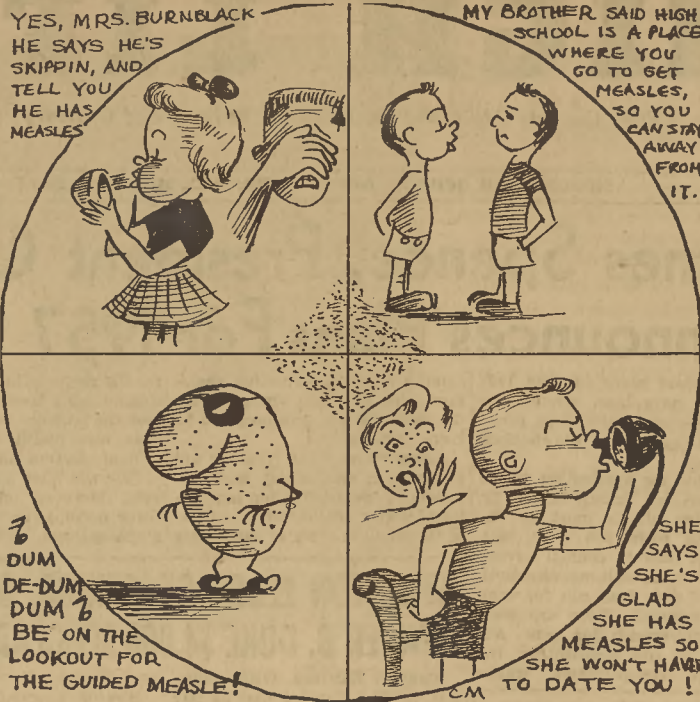
When the clinic calls up to see what's ailing you, how about creating a new name for the splotching disease? Hundreds of the same disease get rather monotonous.

Our conclusion is that the best solution would be to get all your "measly" friends together, have a blast and paint the town red!

### Para' Phrasin'

A P. S. on teenage litterbugs. In spite of Council cleanups and removal of trash by conscientious persons from the cafeteria lately, it seems that Mr. and Miss Average GHS'er feel no need for their eating place to even border on sanitation. Trash baskets have been converted into targets for rising hoopsters and there seems to be a prize for the group making the biggest mess. In view of the messy situation perhaps the school nickname should be changed from Whirlbirds to something more apropos, say Piggy Wiggies.

Just a note of thanks to our male faculty members plus the queen herself, Miss Tuttle, for their delightful performance in the talent show. GHS can be proud of many things, but high in the list should be the faculty. It's nice to have such good sports for teachers.



# Hall Tales

Spring is popping out all over with measles. Ah, but remember that when spring comes, can summer be far behind??

Squad member Phil Causey (pointing to cigarette-end on hall floor) Woody, is this yours?  
Woody Fordham (pleasantly) Not at all sir; you saw it first.

Betsy Stevens—Who is the man in the blue coat?  
Tommy Glascock—That's the umpire.  
Betsy—Why does he wear that funny wire over his face?  
Tommy—To keep him from biting the ball players.

He was walking in the Easter Parade with Marilyn Monroe on one arm and Jane Mansfield on the other—what a beautiful job of tattooing.

Roy Michaux—I'm tired. I was out late last night with a nurse.  
Harry Smith—Cheer up. Maybe your mother will let you go out without one sometime.

Miss Freight Train of 1957 was prom-enading along Fifth Avenue in the Easter Parade. She looked like a million—and not much younger. She was wearing a strapless potato sack with open-toed army shoes. Her Easter hat was loaded with lemons, watermelons, cherries, and all kinds of fruit. She paid the grocer five bucks just to follow her around and water them. She was a lovely girl. She had her mother's eyes and her father's hair, but it was her father's turn to wear it. She had a face that grows on you. If it grew on me, I'd have it chopped off. She had an hourglass figure. It took an hour to figure out what it was. She was so ugly her family gave her up for Lent.

Smart girl: one who can hold a man at arm's length without losing her grip on him.

Women are like newspapers because they have forms;  
Are made up;  
Have bold type;  
They always have the last word;  
Back numbers are not in demand;  
They have a great deal of influence;  
They are well-worth looking over;  
They carry the news wherever they go.  
They are never afraid to speak.

See if you can punctuate this.  
That that is is that that is not is not is that not so.

Mayonnaise to the idebox—Shut the door; I'm dressing.

In closing—  
Confucious says, "Man who sits on tack is better off."

Romantic equation  
X equals boy  
Y equals girl  
Z equals chaperone  
X+2Y=jealousy  
X-Y-Z=misery  
X-Y-Z=happiness

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

The following letter recently came to A. P. Routh's office. Knowing that the student body would be interested in the content as the two boys mentioned were well-known last year, he passed it on to HIGH LIFE for publication.

The University of North Carolina Chapel Hill, North Carolina  
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Mr. A. P. Routh, Principal  
Greensboro Senior High School  
Greensboro, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Routh:

I just wanted to drop a note of congratulations to you and to your faculty on the fact that two of the boys in the

class of superior students made all A's during the semester. Only five students out of the 25 made all A's, and two came from the Senior High School in Greensboro.

They are Dick Robinson, a Morehead Scholar, and John Gardiner, who was a Morehead alternate and subsequently won a General Motors scholarship.

I know that you and your faculty take pride in the good work your students do at Chapel Hill. I hope the members of your student body are aware of the fact that you send us more Phi Beta Kappa students than any other school in the state.

Faithfully yours,  
Roy Armstrong,  
Director of Admissions

# Sophomore Sharpe Wins Free Trip To New York

Sandra Sharpe, sophomore, won an all expense-paid 14-day trip to New York as first prize for a speech, "My Community in World Affairs," given Tuesday, March 12, in the Odd Fellow's Hall.

Nations Building, take guided tours, see shows, shop, and in general "live it up".

This will be Sandra first visit to the world's largest city. "Just going is a thrill," she commented, "and meeting all the other people will be an even bigger one."

Sandra, a member of Miss Mozelle Causey's speech classes has also won \$50 as second prize for her speech, "What the Republican Party Can Do for Me."



SANDRA SHARPE

The contest was sponsored by the United Nations Pilgrimage for Youth. Sandra, along with 125 other high school students from all over the United States, will journey to New York for the June 19 through July 3 trip.

Ellen Hackney and Harriet Livingston, second and third place winners both from Guilford High School, will be included for the trip. Frances Demetriou, sophomore at GHS, was named by the judges as Sandra's alternate.

The girls will leave from Winston-Salem June 19 and travel by bus to New York with a one night stop in Washington. In New York they plan to visit the United

## O'BRIEN REVIEWS COUNCIL ACTIVITIES; URGES PARTICIPATION IN '57 ELECTIONS

By Bill O'Brien

It is gratifying to see that the lunch recreation program seems to be going nicely and that many more of you drop over for a portion of the period.

Our last Council report made a request of the student body for two-fold cooperation in the cafeteria; first, taking your normal place in the lunch line and, second, carrying your tray back to the window and any trash residue to the waste cans. As we said in our report, when each individual assumes his own responsibility in this connection, there is no problem. The condition has improved greatly since our report to you; however, some are still among those who "fail to think." We believe in Senior High—is it too much to hope for 100 per cent cooperation here?

### GHS has 'Real Stuff'

Our congratulations go to the Torchlight Society for presenting an interesting talent show in assembly last week; our congratulations also go to a student body that revealed it knew how to respond to the various types of acts included on this program. We feel a real pride every time Greensboro High proves she has the real "stuff" within her!

Congratulations seem to be the order

of the day when we are rejoicing over many good things—so to the singing groups who brought away Superior ratings, to the Playmasters who staged four good one-act plays last week, and to the many individuals of our student body who are now reaping outstanding college scholarships, may we add our congratulations!

### Election Time Important

In closing the Council Corner this week, I should like to leave with you a message which is perhaps my most important one of the year. Spring elections now loom on our horizon. What are we doing about them? Are we asking the best-qualified persons in our student body to run for office? We can expect no better school from the standpoint of student leadership than those we elect to represent us. I shall not be here next year, but I shall always be interested in Senior High. Here's hoping that she will always have class officers and a Student Council that are individuals who may be respected for their integrity, their dependability, and their willingness to serve unselfishly their school—for the "common welfare of all." Yes, election time is an important time for every one of us, for only our individual votes decide the outcome!

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