

A Bright Spot

The Student Court tried a student last Friday and conficted him of a violation of the Honor Code.

We regret that this had to happen, but we're quite happy about one aspect of this event.

We're happy about the fact that the lawyers for both the prosecution and the defense handled their cases with a great deal of poise and polish. They gave the impression that they had studied their cases carefully and were ready for any turn of events which might occur in the course of the trial.

The judges also seemed to radiate a certain confidence that they knew exactly what they were doing, a quality lacking in many instances on this campus. The witnesses, as well, never lost their composure, even under some pretty rough question barrages. As a matter of fact, the accused handled himself quite well on the stand though he was obviously under great strain.

Finally, the gallery was large in size and well mannered to boot. Its members were highly interested in the proceedings and at times offered their own strategy to the person seated near them.

All this is almost enough to cause a certain cynical editor to eat his words. Everything about this court session was strictly first rate. It was certainly not rinky dink in nature.

In Our Defense

In the trial Friday involving an alleged Honor Code violation, the defense seemed to feel it had a slight quarrel with the Journal. It claimed that pre-trial publicity had tainted the impartiality of the Student Court judges.

There was just one story and one editorial written in regard to the proposed trial before it took place and both were in the March 8 edition of the Journal. This edition of the Journal appeared on the stands after Dwayne Spitzer had notified the accused student and filed a report with Dean MacKay. Thus the Journal was well within its rights by publishing the story and editorial based on a legitimate campus news item. Indeed the Journal would have been lax if it had not included an account of the events.

The news story and the editorial contained no accusations toward the accused. They simply employed the quotes of a campus official who said he had seen a student violate the Honor Code.

There was one headline which could be considered to have been not in good taste. It was used over the news story and read, "Mascot Vote Is Postponed By Fraud."

The Journal does regret the use of this headline and has apologized to the defendant.

However, we feel that no fault can be found with the newspaper for merely reporting impartially a campus news event or for editorializing on that event.

Eve Was A Chic Dresser, She Originated The 'Nude Look'

BY DARLENE HELMS

Fashions have always been a "moot point" from as far back as when Eve donned the famous fig leaf. But she did not realize how in the vogue she was, to be sporting a bit of foliage and a natural outlook on life ... for today, the "nude" look is pushing its way scandalously up in popularity. All the magazine ads encourage Mother Nature to guide the female population in make-up, clothes, everything! Skirts have been naughtily raised to mid-thigh short (the opposite of length) and the "Little Girl Look" is terribly self-contradictory, eh boys?

Probably the brightest aspect of this new style switch is that the finger wagging, scolding, self-appointed critics are shifting their frowning gaze from boys' "Bobby Kennedy" shorn heads to girls' (and womens') outrageously exposed legs! The males breathe a sigh of relief and appreciation "in one" towards the liberally minded European trend-setters such as "Nudi" Gerneich and Courrives. They are happy, I suppose, that the hairy criticism has turned to barely criticism, and that they may flaunt their "no permanent permanents" in unnoticed profusion as long as the ladies' limbs hold center-stage attraction.

The sad-side-story to this sensational re-discovery of women

is that most legs, including dimples and varicose veins, should hide their knobby knees in shame and cover themselves accordingly. Too many limbs would better stand a good pruning job rather than stark exhibition!

But let's move on to another face in the mirror of fad fashions -- and this, of course, is the new "Nude Look" in make-up. I have few complaints for this, except -- isn't it terribly ironical that to look nakedly natural, one must purchase a fortune in cleverly subtle cosmetics?

Op Art has rushed into the boudoir of femininity and captured not only the clothes closet, but, alas! fingernails! New nail polishes are on the market which boast of red polka dots on blue fingernails with stars and stripes lurking

proudly on the background. A fashion magazine advertises new "no bathing suit bathing suits" -- their "cover-alls" being the "no make-up make-up" which tones the raw epidermis to a blushing pink (with natural ventilations).

Happily, all these modern innovations haven't yet crept into the southern college communities of America, and with luck, some of them possibly won't because the old fashioned patterns in clothes and make-up have settled into a comfortable, conservative tradition and are fortified by a strong army of supporters ("flesh colored," no doubt) who are liable to run Op Art, etc. out of town on a rail, if the natural freaks design to show their naked noses around here.

Or is that a girlishly Optimistic outlook?

Exciting Things At Unique U.

By DARLENE HELMS

See the Unique University
We are called UNC-C
Many exciting things happen here
Like ballot box stuffing and car wrecks

1500 students attend Unique U.
All are apathetic pacifists -- all but a few

We would protest our rights
If we knew what they were
But we forgot to ask.
Sh--don't wake the masters
We've had a hard day
At Unique U.
Blood--Sweat--and tears
Flow like the River Jordan
Down UNC-C's drain
So don't wake the students
Ignorance is bliss
Happy student traffic
Stopping for gas
At Unique U.
On the College Freeway
Commuters are at a loss
For time and interest
We are employed elsewhere
Than merely the Ivory Tower
We have no time for trivialities
Like lectures, meetings, or ball-games

Unique U. has a lot of potential
But 'tis hid 'neath rinky-dinkitis
UNC-C is a big Unique U.
And growing every day
Like grass on a grave
That is vacant
Hiss boom bah
Rah rah rah
Yea, Unique U.



"I don't care if I did drop MY pencil, its YOUR turn to bend over."

Rotoract Tries To Help Students Once More

Mr. Editor:

Tried to help anybody lately? You might get a surprise -- some people just don't want help. Hacks you off, doesn't it?

Remember when Rotoract gave out student theatre cards in the Union lobby? Well, it didn't work. As a matter of fact, we got a rather cold

response from the students.

So what do you do with 1300 reduced price cards?

Being dauntless and adventurous, we shall once again attempt to help the students. And really, why shouldn't they respond? After all, it's free.

Rotoract will have a table in the

Student Lounge during the week of March 20 for the purpose of distributing these cards. Come and get one, because Dick Helms is getting tired of having 1300 cards scattered all over his bedroom.

Rodney Smith
Rotoract

Pills Given

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then only for medical reasons. A third institution said pills would be provided on an interim basis pending receipt of a supply from home. Only 11 pharmacies had written policies.

Of the 174 institutions which said they did not prescribe contraceptives, a few said they would do so for medical reasons (11), would refer students to private physicians (16), or would prescribe through health service physicians when they were independently engaged in private practice (3).