

Let's Stop These Thieves!

God created man just a little higher than animals.

It would do a small number of Gardner-Webb students well to remember this. We believe a person who steals from or cheats his fellow man is on the same level with the animals. Certainly he is the lowest form of human life.

Recently during an 8 p.m. physical education class someone took a fairly large sum of money from the clothing of members of the class. This money did not come easy to most of these students. The loss of this money meant the loss of a good weekend. It is hard to believe that any student would treat his fellow man in this manner.

A person who is a cheater does not belong at Gardner-Webb College. It does not matter whether this cheating is in the form of stealing from other students, cheating on a test, or bumping free games out of the pool tables in the Campus Center.

It is demoralizing for an honest student who studies into the early morning in order to pass a test to see another student who didn't study at all bring cheat-sheets into class, thus making a better grade than the honest student. Sometimes this is done with the teacher well aware of what is going on. Everyone should cooperate in stopping this. This includes the honest students.

We know it doesn't seem wrong to get free games out of the pool tables. We also understand that several prominent figures have also been guilty of this. Nevertheless, it is stealing just as any other form of theft. You are taking money from the company which is responsible for installing those tables. Could you convince them that this little harmless deed is not wrong?

Also there have been cases of text books getting up and walking off. If there are students on campus who can not afford the purchase of books, we are sure they could find a considerate staff member who would help them to get their materials.

Wake up students! We know these persons are certainly in the minority. But when a bad apple stays in the barrel for any length of time, it spreads it's decay to the rest of the container. The same is true here at Gardner-Webb. If these dishonest students continue unchecked, they could influence others to do dishonest acts. Let's stop this before it gets out of hand.

Letter To The Editor

Gardner-Webb College
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North Carolina
Dear Editor:

I am sure the total results of this letter will be absolutely nothing, but I feel compelled to voice an opinion.

Of primary importance to all boarding students is the food situation, and what a situation it is. We all expect the food to be a little worse than at home, but I won't attempt a comparison.

Proper sanitation procedures are not being observed. I have found hair in my hamburgers, paper in my banana cream pie, soap in my milk glass, mayonnaise between two "clean" trays, and food burned on my silverware. I don't see how the N. C. Department of Health lets this get by.

I am getting tired of the quality of the food, also. I, for one, am getting tired of pork and beans, greasy hamburgers, not to mention greasy eggs in the morning, which on occasion have a greent tint to them.

I am sure most returning boarding students will agree that we have had better times. We have no milk for dinner now. I remember when I at least got enough to eat. I have lost 12 pounds this year, so far and I know it is not from over-exertion. Last year I didn't lose any weight.

Since petitions to the administration yield small gains, (they probably end up in the circular file before being read), maybe a march would be in order. This seems to be a current trend to stir up action, or maybe a boycott of the cafeteria might cause a little concern.

I know I don't stand alone when I say we had it better with Mr. Holcombe running things.

James O. Davis

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"I TAKE IT THAT PASSING THIS COURSE IS VERY IMPORTANT TO YOU."



NEW RULES

If the girls of GW had a book to dedicate or a plaque to give, it's for certain Dean Holland would be a prime candidate! The new rules are the girls can go to the B&J and Snack Shop on Thursday nights until 10:30; dating Friday nights until 11:30 and Saturday nights until 12:00. We're stumped, but we love it! But note girls - on Thursday nights riding in cars is not allowed!

DORM DECORATIONS

Congratulations to HAPY and Mauney Dorms on receiving the trophy for the best decorations for homecoming. Decker Dorm received honorable mention for their originality.

HOMECOMING BRINGS VISITORS

Homecoming weekend brought many visitors to the Gardner-Webb campus. It was good to see so many of the former members of the football and basketball teams and also many former faculty members and administration.

MAJOR LEWIS

Dean Lewis is a major in the Army reserve and has been in some type of military duty for 16 years. During World War II Dean Lewis was in Italy and since then served as chaplain in the reserve.

TICKET PLEASE

I'll bet the students didn't know we have a former Trailways Bus driver on the faculty. Coach Ken Daves formerly worked at this position. Also, we are informed that Coach Daves was Chief Indian on Tweetsie Railroad at one time. We also hear that this brave is an eligible bachelor.