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DO WE NEED MORE STUDENT OFFICERS?

Last year, some investigation was made as to the advisability of having additional officers of the Student Body. In addition to the president, it was suggested that there be elected a vice-president, and a secretary-treasurer.

Recently, some consideration has been given to this proposition. The duties of a vice-president of the Student Body would be to assume responsibility in the absence of the president, to represent the college in some cases, and to assist as host to visitors on the campus. The secretary-treasurer would be in charge of all money raised by the student body, for instance that which is collected for sending flowers, etc.

Davidson College has found this plan quite successful. Here, the president is elected from the Senior Class, as at Elon.; the vice-president is a members of the Junior class, and the secretary-treasurer, or the Sophomore class. In this way, each class but the Freshman class is represented, and is made to feel an added kinship and relationship to the activities of the student body as a whole.

It would seem that these additional officers would help Elon, and at the same time bring a closer feeling between members of the student body. The MAROON AND GOLD will welcome any comments from students in this respect. If the attitude toward a proposition of this sort is favorable, steps will be taken toward bringing about its execution. Please address all communications about this plan to the MAROON AND GOLD and place them in its mailbox in Alamance Building, outside the business office.

CHEER LEADERS DOING GOOD WORK

A word of appreciation is due the cheer leaders for their fine work at the Appalachian game. More spirit was shown at that game than has been in evidence in some time, and it is to a large measure due to the cheer leaders' efforts. They were on the job every minute, and succeeded in arousing a lot of noise and pep, to spur our team on to victory. To Galloway Walker, head cheer leader, and his able assistants, Lib Armfield, Mary Bivins, and "Shorty" Corey, go our sincere thanks. Keep up the good work, and we'll be right there behind you!

As A Knave Sees It

To get it off the chest, we'll say this first, waving the red flag vigorously as we proclaim our grievances to the world at large. With the new parlors there's no use to continue using the Library as your dating center. There's nothing quite so maddening as to get all set for a long evening of good hard study and have two little whispering love birds come park beside you. Between simpering snickers and a bit of coy conversation, one can't, no matter how hard he tries, get anything out of a Psychology lesson that is far above his head in the first place. Mrs. Johnson has done her best to keep the Library sacred to STUDENTS, but it would take two professional bouncers to keep that place quiet without a bit of cooperation from the rest of us. Please, if you can't live through the evening without your beloved, arrange to meet her, or, if it he 'he', him somewhere else.

This 'Open House' idea is really something else. Nothing will prove a greater incentive to good house-keeping than a chance to show off to all and sundry persons. West Dormitory looked wonderful, girls. The boys have taken the hint, and we hear that the Club House and The Carlton Arms are setting for a big Open House of their own. Just can't wait to see the frills on Parky's dressing table!

So the boys don't have "Umph". Well, well, well! Maybe they have umph, but you couldn't see it if they did because of their shabby dress. Wish somebody would start a new fangled something-or-other: Neatly dressed Elonites. How about you, Causey? If you'd start, every one would follow, we hope.

A big hand to our No. 1 Press Agent: Mop o' Hair Crutchfield. He has definitely put this school on the map, or should we be technical and say paper? Seldom will you find an edition of the Greensboro Daily that hasn't something from Crutchfield's pen in it. The other state papers are kept supplied with Moses' propaganda, too. And, Hurrah, he always spells names just as we'd like them to be spelled.

Where There's Smoke There's Fire

Have you heard the story of the traveling salesman? It seems that during a discussion between a successful salesman and an important buyer of a large department store, the salesman said that whenever he approached the city of the aforementioned department store, he looked for smoke. This sounded quite strange and the buyer asked the salesman to explain himself. The salesman smiled and said, "If I see smoke pouring out of factories and mills I know that men are working. Where men are working there is money circulating, and where money circulates I am right there to get some of it."

On the same wise observation of that salesman, couldn't we apply that principle at Elon? Prospective employers look for "smoke" too. High scholastic standing, leaders in campus activities, and individual accomplishment in various endeavors through out our college years pour out "smoke" for people to look at and take notice. The golden opportunity at our disposal should be heeded; the fire and smoke is bound to follow. Let's start to burn Elon!

— Martin Leifer

Dormitory Sweepings

This Week We Glance At the Inmates of Carlton House. Next Issue We Will Peep Into West Dormitory for News.

Well, well, well, according to the last issue of the MAROON AND GOLD, I see that we are going to have an annex to the social hall, as soon as the new dining hall is constructed. . . . I know this will be appreciated very much by Monty Milbury and Jack Bunch, who are doing okay with these freshman girls. In my opinion they are runners up to "Ace" Romeo Pakulniewicz (Parker to us) . . . His roommate, Al Progar, would make a good bat boy for our baseball team with his junior league experience. . . . Coach Power, our house-major, is taking his turn presiding over bull-sessions. . . . Paul Poerschke is one of the few boys in school who owns a car. He polished it nicely Saturday and plans to drive it home Christmas. . . . Edward Sauer's name (pronounced sour) is no misnomer. . . . Lee Fones, Coach Power's alternate, is keeping in shape by presiding over bull-sessions and doing laundry. . . . Handsome Rupert Deal, the 20-point man, wrote to my girl friend back home and when she wrote him — well, I think I'm slipping. . . . Girls, beware of Mr. Hugh Cramer, because he is a married man with a daughter 8 months old. . . . "Curly" Sprinkle bailed out of the bus on the way to La Salle to see his girl friend and was caught in the act by Coach. He has our sympathy. . . . Joe Hopkins is in love back home, so please leave him alone and he'll come home. . . . Bob Meacham, the only sophomore (suffermore) in the house is under Parker's control. He is his official mail carrier. . . . Talmadge Abernathy is one of our future baseball flingers and he is a port-side chanker. He has a no-hit victory to his credit. He's got what it takes, I hope, I hope, I hope. . . . Homesick Charlie "Chisel" Donato seems to be doing okay now. He is back after going home and is as healthy as ever. We think he is a good prospect for the football hall of fame.

Hang around and we'll open a keg of nails — and look out for next time.



Dining Hall Schedule

We would like to express our opinion on the schedule of the dining rooms.

Generally speaking, the food is all right, that is, provided we can get into the dining room. I think, however, if we're to have lunch at 12:30 one day, we should have it at the same time the next day and not vary the time fifteen or thirty minutes either way without first making or posting an announcement to that effect.

After all, our meals compose only a small part of our daily activity, and we can't park near the dining rooms at any and all times of the day. This variation in time has caused many of us to be devoid of our lunch and sometimes even dinner. We are expected to be on classes on time, and we try our best to do so. Is it too much to expect that we have our meals on time also? We don't believe it is, and if this maladjustment can be corrected, I am sure it will be greatly appreciated by the entire student body.

Musical and Dramatic Programs Now Being Aired By Networks

Most Diversified Programs Presented on Sundays.

They tell us that there's a need for information regarding outstanding dramas, and musical programs which are presented weekly over the radio. Never lit it be said that the MAROON AND GOLD isn't obliging.

Sunday seems to have some of the leading programs. If one is interested in a variety program, the Magic Key hour, which comes over the National hook-up, has just the thing we're looking for. If we want swing, R. C. A. presents it; if we want to hear symphonies, they are to be found on the same wave of ether. Another varied program is the Chase and Sanborn hour at 8 o'clock Sunday nights. This program stars such artists as Nelson Eddy, Don Ameche, Edgar Bergen and his termite-infested sidekick. Those of us are who interested in heavier music may listen to the Metropolitan auditions which are held every Sunday night over N. B. C. at 5 p. m. The Ford Symphony orchestra may be heard from 9 to 10 p. m. on Sundays.

No mention has yet been made concerning the dramas which are presented over the radio. On Sunday, Orsen Welles presents an interesting program from 8 to 9 on C. B. S. This is but one of several weekly dramatic endeavors of the network.

Well, Folks, this is all we have time — and space — for now. However, in our next edition, we'll give you more "dope" on what's to be aired.

West Dormitory Girls Hold Open House

Affair Was First Of "A More Attractive Elon Series."

West Dormitory held open house on Wednesday, October 19, from four-thirty until six. The girls of Ladies Hall and the faculty members were invited to attend what turned out to be a tour of inspection of the dormitory. Tea was served in the faculty parlor with Miss Julia Mae Oxford and Miss Linda Muse officiating.

All the West Dormitory girls worked toward making the affair a success. Committees were chosen to take charge of receiving the guests, of escorting them through second floor and third floor, and of serving tea. Roberta Martin was in charge of invitations, Melvin James headed the refreshment committee, Catherine James supervised third floor preparation, and Christine Eaves was chairman of the second floor committee. The whole dormitory was appropriately decorated with flowers and varicolored leaves.

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The Red Cross In American Colleges

How does the Red Cross affect the colleges and universities of America? That question is pertinent in view of the forthcoming Annual Roll Call which, as in the past, will be held from Armistice Day to Thanksgiving. Stated succinctly, in colleges and universities throughout the country the Red Cross is making it possible for students to enjoy life more thoroughly and is also equipping them for their future tasks.

Students of forestry, engineering and other industrial subjects have recognized that a knowledge of first aid is almost indispensable to the efficient performance of their tasks in later life.

In the field of human economics colleges and Red Cross chapters are cooperating in various ways. Student dietitians are afforded excellent opportunities of doing actual field work by making studies of food budgets and nutrition needs of individual families that are being assisted by the local Red Cross chapters. Courses in sanitation and home care of the sick are provided by Red Cross instructors. The knowledge acquired by the students of these courses and in this field work is proving to be of material benefit in their later careers as teachers or housewives.

The Red Cross offers further opportunities to serve. In times of great national disasters such as the Ohio-Mississippi Valley flood of 1937, the ranks of the volunteer workers are swelled by representatives of American colleges and universities. Through the Red Cross reserve lists of nutritionists and nurses, qualified college graduates are afforded an opportunity to serve with the country's forces of defense in times of national emergency.

The activities and services which the Red Cross provides are made possible by its continued existence as a forceful entity, interested in promoting human welfare. It accomplishes its aims by direct action such as disaster relief, or by indirect action such as instruction in the various subjects designed to promote safer every day existence. The generosity of the American college student in both physical and financial support of the Red Cross in the past has been of great assistance. During the forthcoming Roll Call the Red Cross again appeals to the college and university students to express their faith and confidence in the organization which since 1881 has been a friend to the friendless, has brought a home to the homeless, that has fed the starving and has brought aid and comfort to countless millions of our people.

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