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THE CHAPEL PROBLEM

The Student Legislature has been most active of late and it is a healthy sign. Recently two outstanding bills were drawn up and presented to the faculty.

One of the bills dealt with the inclusion of a two day study period before examinations and the other called for split chapel assemblies among the four classes.

A solution to the chapel situation is needed. This bill dealing with chapel assemblies is a good start in that direction.

Behavior of the students in chapel has not been good. College students should possess the maturity to give their attention to a speaker some twenty minutes every Wednesday and Friday.

The least one can do is to keep as quiet as he or she can and possess a little religious tolerance. Would you like for some one to come into your church and act in the manner some people have at religious assemblies?

Like all things, there are two definite sides to the current situation. It is true that the speakers have not been the most moving orators of our day, but to always get silver-tongued orators is almost an impossibility.

Another point of student criticism of chapel is the straight back seats of another era to the right and left of the balcony of Whitley.

The problem is for those who investigate and judge to decide. But the final goal of any action taken should be positive. And that final goal is the prevention of future disturbances.—LEB.

IT'S LATER THAN YOU THINK!

When we consider time, a flash of lightning could equal a century, for time can quickly come and quickly go.

As the endless ribbon of time unwinds, more and more unexplainable events will happen in our universe.



Sounding Off

By LARRY BARNES

And I thought that he was buried under the oaks! But as I glance to my left, I still see the same face.

I thought I caught a glimpse of his shadow snooping around the dormitory halls the other night. My suspicions were confirmed when I saw him table—I mean Hedda—hopping in the dining hall last evening.

It's a fact! Oakley, nee Walt Whitman, has returned from the grave to haunt us with both guns blazing. Reincarnated in the form of poet, he is among the living again.

Scattered Bits

Heard recently via the grape-vine, of course, that Jean Cannady polished an apple off! Jerry Jeffries slated to take that fatal step come March 2nd.

Elbert F. Rhodes returned as band director in the fall of 1941, succeeding Howard Brown, who had guided the Elon band as a student director.

Dress Right — Dress!

What will the American college student wear this spring? This is the question put forth by Max Schulman in his syndicated column, "On Campus".

And for the college Jones on campus—an opera cape with sweat pants. Or a letter sweater with Scottish kilts.

say there will be an upheaval in the world of money, while geologists say there will be an upheaval of the earth.

It is predicted that great armies of insects will invade our earth, and earthquakes will change the face of the world.

Food specialists say that our food will be grown chemically in huge reservoirs, protected by transparent domes.

Rain, sleet and snow will become more violent until we are driven to the safety of huge indestructible bubbles.

ELON BAND OF 1955-56 IN HALF-TIME ACTION



The more recent model of Elon College's marching band is pictured in the above action shot of the 1955-56 organization, which was the first one to train under the direction of Prof. Dewey M. Stowers.

With Rapid Recent Growth...

Elon Band Plans Continued Progress

By JAMES WAGGONER

The coming of World War II signaled the beginning of a new era in all Elon activities, with no one group being more affected than the Elon College band.

In 1942-43 the Elon band was struggling to remain an organization as more boys were called into the services and the enrollment had dropped considerably.

The band made several improvements during the 1944-45 term and added several new members to its roster.

The Elon band made a steady progress during the 1943-44 school term, although still working under difficulties due to the war.



"On the Campus" presents the Day Student Organization for review this week. The Day Student Organization was established a few years ago—composed of all students who travel from their respective homes to attend only the morning classes on campus.

Although the majority of the day students are not on campus, it is still their desire and aim to support the college in any way possible.

The Organization elects officers and representatives to the legislature as do other campus organizations.

Last year the Day Students accepted the written constitution as composed by students showing a sincere desire to give the Organization a solid foundation upon which to lay its principles.

Besides this, they enter a float each year in the homecoming parade, for which they received third prize for best decorated this year.

THIRD CHAPTER

This is the third and final chapter in the story of band music on the Elon College campus, bringing the story of that phase of Elon's musical development down to the present.

band played on several occasions before the movies in Whitley Auditorium, and they also performed in various chapel programs.

Although the band was unable to produce a marching unit, it did continue its standard as a concert organization. Members of that band included Eva Carpenter, president; Willard Moore, vice-president; Ann Frank, secretary.

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history, the day students were issued membership cards upon paying their annual dues.

Valentine approaches soon and can't you see those two peas in a pod: Larry and Evelyn as Larry says to Evelyn: "To my Valentine, Peas be my Podner."

Then there is Betty Earp lighting a firecracker — "I get a bang out of you, Valentine," Anyone want to be a firecracker?

Over in Biology class, the professor is describing the possibilities of man being related to the monkey.

There's the distinguished professor from the philosophy department—to his charming wife in those days of spooning:

OWL do anything for you Why not WISE up and say you'll be my Valentine.

So gents come and spoon with you beaux on February 15 at the College Gym — Bid Valentine's Dance — Music by the Southerners of Wake Forest College.

adding much to the spirit of the games. Members of that band included Theo Strum, Marguerite Hudson, George Jenkins, Archie Braxton, Lucille Morgan, Sarah Brewer, Jane Lewis, Patsy Wrenn, Ermine Davis and Ann Rader.

Evidently during the years '46 and '47 Elon College did not have a band group. However, the following year (1948) Elon managed to produce 32 members, including majorettes Mary Alice Browne, Virginia Rebick, Edna Burke, and Neal McDonald.

According to the PhiPsiChi of 1950, the Elon band was reorganized under the direction of Prof. Eugene Jacobowsky, band director and instrumental instructor.

The band included thirty-eight members. Jacobowsky had done his undergraduate and graduate work in music at the Julliard School of Music and from Teachers' College of Columbia University. He also

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campus humor

Down the hall we hear the clicking of a typewriter — Yes, Becky is pecking out the following phrase — "You're just my TYPE, be my Valentine."

There's the distinguished professor from the philosophy department—to his charming wife in those days of spooning:

Why not WISE up and say you'll be my Valentine.

What type of philosophizing is this? So gents come and spoon with you beaux on February 15 at the College Gym — Bid Valentine's Dance — Music by the Southerners of Wake Forest College.

CAMPUS THOUGHT FOR VALENTINES: MORE PRECIOUS THAN GOLD IS A TRUE HEART.

under the oaks

With CHUCK OAKLEY



Hi Everyone! I'm back despite the fact you were told by Arthur Pitts that there would be a pinch hitter.

More attention should be given to annual feats however. Therefore, I would like to make a dedication to a young gentleman who will be participating in the May Day event for 1957.

TO OUR MAY KING

Spring is coming soon; Flowers will then bloom; The birds will sing a tune; And for whom, for whom?

Our May King! Tall, dark and dashing, he will stand Like a Cyrano in blue

The best king in all the land Elon's number one paramour, Our May King

Like a bullfighter just from Spain, We'll cheer him all the way; Songs will change their gay refrain When he steps forth in May.

Our May King! The band will strike a happy tune, All feminine creatures will sigh; Flower buds will burst into bloom

As the tidewater king marches by, Our May King! So here's to the cupid of Sigma Phi, To the Romeo of ole Elon,

Walk proudly with your head held high, As you cross the lawn of Elon Our May King!

CAMPUS RUMORS

Who's Turner Winston trying to impress! You can take the boy out of the country but you can't take the country out of the boy.

The understatement of the quarter, "No one can date my girl." How about it Ralph? Just make sure that you're around if she ever drops her handkerchief.

Donnie Holmes and Don Liechok are playing for keeps... Cleve Gayle has recuperated from the black eye she received in the middle of the night.

Excuse me, middle of the street... Mike Erlich gets put down one day and goes running back the next.

At least he's within running distance... Pitts and Brown got put down in Chapel Hill... I rather have Janit Burch's mouth for advertising than a newspaper.

I recently found out the biggest four nuts on campus... Pat Chrismon, Janet Crabtree, Marie Stone and Gay Branton.

They got hungry enough to walk to Huesy in the still of the night. Next time I'm lending them my tent so they can camp out overnight.

I believe Stauffenberg will go back sooner or later and pick up a stone he dropped and when he does he'll find it just like he left it.

Mary Ann Brett and Louan Cheek got chased from the third floor of West by a dog. The minute they saw him they let out a yell, "Help Taylor! Taylor help!"

The poor innocent dog probably thought they were calling him... Becky Murdoch really utilizes her privileges as a woman to CHANGE HER MIND.

Need any help, Becky?... The Gator-Martha affair seems to be a hit... Jean Cannady better watch her step—she may get hit by an Apple.

Little Gems

In case the annual is late this year, the credit goes to Norman "Bo" Riddle, our DEPENDABLE PHOTOGRAPHER, who walked out on us with thirty-one pictures to be made.

Even though Bill "Dum Dum" Walker has been out of Carolina Hall for over a quarter, No one has missed him.

"Breezy" looked very charming at the dance when she delivered a special song to Clayton Cashwell... "I only have eyes for you."

Eddie Robbins replaces Sal Scordo as Julius Caesar. Scordo returned to New York recently after a brief illness.

Don Johnson should be seen more often instead of being heard. Jim Taylor and Peggy Zimmerman are getting serious...

June Driver Thompson is leaving... and her husband is leaving her pretty soon to aid his Country... Good Luck to both of you.

By the way, Louan L., have you sowed the plant-bed yet? It's getting nigh on about plant-bed sowing time again. Watch that sparkler, Cal... tobacco gum sometimes takes the sparkle away! I'll have to change the name of my column. If they keep cutting the oaks down, Ah, well — C'est la vie!