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CODE OF COLLEGE LIVING

Ever so often one of the college newspapers with which the Maroon and Gold exchanges copies of each issue comes up with a real gem in the way of an editorial item, a gem which appears worth picking up and reprinting in these columns; and such was the case with a recent issue of "The Pioneer," campus newspaper at Catawba College.

The Catawba publication recently published in its editorial columns a "Code of College Living" from the pen or typewriter of Dr. A. R. Keppel, Catawba's president, and his comments appear equally as applicable to students of other colleges as to those of his own. His comments are reprinted below:

Out of my own experience, both as student and teacher, I recommend to you this "Code of College Living" as a reliable and a rewarding philosophy of life. Of course it will mean little or nothing to any of us until we accept it and make it our very own. Will you accept this as YOUR rule of living?

1. I consider my college experience a conditioning process for life, and therefore I shall attempt to derive from that experience those habits of thought and of conduct that are so essential to good citizenship and to worthy living.

2. I believe that consideration for the happiness and well-being of others is one of the primary characteristics of Christian stature and, therefore, I shall practice such consideration in all of my daily relationships.

3. I believe that integrity and forthrightness are the "corner-stones of character," and therefore I shall be honest in my classwork and in my relationship with self and others.

4. Since friendliness is "character in action," I shall develop the habit of greeting all whom I meet and of expanding, with discriminating judgment, my own circle of friends.

5. Because I know that the "little things of life"—little motives, little acts, little decisions—are often far more important than the loudly proclaimed great issues, I shall particularly heed these "little things" with tongue and head and heart, that I may become rich in soul as well as in mind.

6. Since I know that conscientiousness and industry are essential not only to personal happiness and contentment, but to all worthy and successful achievement, I shall cultivate these qualities in all that I do.

7. I believe that good sportsmanship is paramount to winning, and therefore I shall discipline myself to boost rather than boo, to cheer rather than jeer and to admit defeat, if necessary, rather than to alibi.

8. I believe that good manners are the mark of a gentleman and of a lady, whereas indignities and acts of poor taste—even in jest—leave character stains which can never be eradicated.

9. Because I am grateful for the material things here at college—buildings, equipment, and campus—which have been provided through the generous gifts of friends, I shall consistently endeavor to prove my gratitude by the manner in which I use them and care for them.

10. Even when cynicism and doubt tempt me, as occasionally they will, I shall exhibit the courage to believe in God and in my fellow men, for I know that only such faith is adequate for the development of a full and rich life and for the ultimate achievement of a just, moral and peaceful society.

These are my beliefs and my aspirations. To their fulfillment, I hereby commit myself.—A. R. Keppel, President, Catawba College.



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by
SQUARE EDMONDS

I'm just a committee of one. Aside from the arguments of comfort and satisfaction, with which I try to make a formidable showing, there are arguments of personal acceptance and just plain progressive acceptance.

'Tis true I'm aware that all I say or write flies over the heads of most of the Christian clan at the rate of 120 M.P.H., but it's never too late to try enlightenment. There are a lot of fallacies and inconveniences about this school about which I know, for you see I've already been here for four years. I'm not bragging. It's more like complaining.

Take for example the inconvenience of registering late. If you register late you're just out one lousy dollar. Oh, yeah! I know we have a full week for registration, but at always seems that by the time you fill out your schedule and find your advisor and get permission slips signed, it's one minute after five on that last day, and the registrar's office closes at five.

I could go on and on, but it might not make print, so we'll just let the other inconveniences remain firmly entrenched and follow the middle of the road. Course I'm probably not very tactful, but if I were I'd still be unnoticed.

TIPS — Everybody has something to recommend to fellow students, such as the American way, clean living and a regular change of socks. I, too, have a recommendation to make, one which I feel should be considered far more seriously than the above trivia, considering of course the element of time and place. I heartily recommend to my readers hard and conscientious preparation for your forthcoming exams.

ORCHIDS — To the Town of Elon College, whose only tradition is that of "Christianville," for the painting of the white lines via the Main Drag. That's what I call modern living. . . . Also to Woody Brown for being the guy who makes old age famous.

DIPLOMATIC NOTE — It was nice to hear the viewpoints of Art Pitts pertaining to the recent off-season election, of how proud he was (and yours truly) that "the rats are leaving the sinking ship" . . .

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN — How about a few more guest speakers on the campus like Bob Cox, or at least a reasonable facsimile. Maybe if we made this request as a sort of community sing we could get some results.

WHIMSY SIDE — Artie Johnson has the unique distinction of being ejected from an intramural contest, but that's just a phase of the stress and strain of spirited competition. . . . We all can't be the perfect paragons of virtue, but speaking of tag-football, it appears it's just too much. Haven't had so much fun since throwing rocks at the squirrels. . . . Vince Bujan had to cut a class the other day on the day of a quiz; it seems it was a true-false quiz, and poor Vince did not have a coin to flip. . . .

SUGGESTION — How about a real good "pep rally" here at old Elo' this week prior to the Elon-Lenoir Rhyne game? Complete with band, bonfire and all the trimmings. The cheerleaders could do the arranging, that is if we are all interested. Or we can just sit back and look at each other on another "dead" Friday night. Our campus is still suffering from a bad case of suitcase-itis. Wake up, Dan!!!

ADIEU — Got to leave now, but before I do, let me say one more thing. "Hey, Pitts, Halloween's over. Take off that silly mask!"

BORROWED BRIEFS

Middle-age is when your setting-up exercises upset you.

If your children become unmanageable—switch their attention.

Heaven help the honest — the crooks help themselves.

Anyone who thinks chemical warfare is new doesn't know much about perfume. . . . A rumba is a fox trot with the backfield in motion.

A good way to prevent nosebleed is to keep your nose out of other people's business.

America was in better condition when there were more whittlers and fewer chisellers.

Then there was the guy who stood in the doorway winging his hands because the doorbell was out of order.



ROSANNA GANT



PEGGY ROACH



IKEY TARLETON

(Story On Page One)

Stars of the forthcoming Elen Player production of "The Heiress," which is to be given in Mooney Chapel Theatre in a three-night stand the first weekend in December, are pictured here along with Prof. Clyde McCants, who is directing this third Player show of the current campus stage season.

In the top bar of the "E" and pictured left to right are Rosanna Gant, of Burlington, who plays the role of wealthy Catherine Sloper; Peggy Roach, of Burlington, who appears as Marion Almond; and Ikey Tarleton, of Durham, in the part of Mrs. Montgomery.

Shown left are Chuck Oakley, of Roxboro, appearing as Morris Townsend; Ben Rushin, of Burlington, in the role of Dr. Austin Sloper; and Prof. McCants, who relieves Prof. Melvin Wooton in the production of this new show.

In the bottom bar of the "E" and also left to right are Pattie Fayle, of Burlington, in the role of Elizabeth Almond; Etta Britt, of Burlington, enacting the part of Lavinia Penniman; and Pat White, also of Burlington, as Maria, the maid. Joe Medlock, of Tobaccoville, who appears as Arthur Townsend, was not present when the photographs were made.

The cast includes several student actors who have already won their spurs in a number of Elen Players shows, but it has been many years since as many new and promising campus stars have appeared in a single production.



CHUCK OAKLEY



BEN RUSHIN



PATTIE FAYLE



PROF. CLYDE McCANTS
The Director



ETTA BRITT



PAT WHITE

Stars Of New

Player Show

With Fine Guest Speakers . . .

Students Told Of New Denomination

Imbued with the belief that the ministerial students of Elon College should be acquainted in detail with the various ecumenical movements in the world today, the program committee of the Ministerial Association here on the Elon campus has instituted a program of study this fall that centers about the most significant event in the ecclesiastical history of modern times.

That event, which serves as the central theme of the Ministerial Association programs this fall, is the merger between the Congregational Christian churches and the Evangelical and Reformed churches of America, which was concluded in a nationwide convocation at Cleveland in 1957.

In keeping with this program theme and to help ministerial students of all denominations to un-

derstand the significance of this event, a number of outstanding speakers were scheduled to speak to the Elon College Ministerial Association and to inform the ministerial students about the various aspects of the newly-formed denomination, the United Church of Christ.

Dr. Donald C. Dearborn, dean of Catawba College, who is an outstanding authority on the subject of the new United Church of Christ, was the first guest speaker, and he gave the group the basic facts concerning the progress since the merger.

Rev. Robert Knowles, Secretary of Christian Education for the Southern Convention of Congregational Christian Churches, has also addressed the ministerial group and told of the work of the national secretaries for Chris-

tian education within the denomination.

Dr. William T. Scott, superintendent of the Southern Convention of Congregational Christian Churches, is another speaker who is to tell the group of the part the Southern Convention plays in the United Church.

Also scheduled to speak here is Rev. Percel Austin, assistant for the Convention of the South (Negro organization of Congregational Christian Churches, who will tell of the work his group is to have in the new denomination.

Plans also call for Dr. Harvey E. Fesperman, president of the Southern Synod of the Evangelical and Reformed Church, to speak to the ministerial organization concerning the work being done by his group in the denominational merger.

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By

DICK LASHLEY



Gossip is rather slim around the campus these days, so the "Here 'n There" spell for this edition will probably live up to its title, because I've really got to roam here 'n there about the campus to get enough "news" to fill this spot.

Before delving too far into the business of writing this column I would like to offer "Here 'n There's" most hearty congratulations to the cast of "Annie Get Your Gun" for a job well done. Between the singing of the stars and the dancing of beautiful gals, some real swell entertainment was passed out to all who attended. "The Heiress" will be the next production of our Elen Players, and I understand rehearsals are already underway.

Alamance Gets New Lights
Looks as if the students' "eyeballs" are to receive a welcome relief before too long in the classrooms of Alamance Building. The relief is to be in the form of fluorescent lighting. According to unofficial reports, the contract for the work has already been let, and installation of the new lights is expected to begin soon.

Student Body Finances
The student body treasurer, Kay Hughes, delivered a financial report to the student body during a recent chapel assembly. However, bearing in mind that it is rather hard for yours truly to follow such a lengthy report, this reporter believes the same is true for the rest of you "students." In view of this fact, I have secured the financial report from the Student Government Office and am about to give you a brief recap of said report.

To date our student government officials and committees have spent a total of \$470.49. So far, only two committees have been functioning in our student government organization. They are the Entertainment Committee and Dance Committee and they have spent \$146.61 and \$21.91 respectively. The remainder of the expenditures are charged to the student government organization proper. Of the \$5,448.28 on hand at the beginning of the year, we now have a balance of \$4,977.70. To date there is no record of the amount spent for the orchestra for Homecoming.

Exams Loom Ahead
There is little need to remind you "scholars" that that joyous time of the quarter we all look forward to so much is just ahead. Exams! Aha!

Speaking of exam time nearing, it brings to mind the thought as to why professors seem to wait until the end of the quarter to assign themes, reports, and outside work. These things are expected, but why do they have to wait and assign all of them at one time? Just one of those mysteries of scholastic endeavors I guess.

Yea Team!
Even though our football team's record is a little different this year from last year, "Here 'n There" would still like to say, "Good show, old sports!" We might not have won all the games, but our Fighting Christians have been in there battling all the way.

I only wish the students could have made as good a showing in attendance as the team has on the field. I can't speak from personal experience, but I've heard that it sure helps a team and makes them more eager to win when they have a stadium full of "yelling" fans to back them up.

Elon College Church
In one of the past columns of "Here 'n There," mention was made of the new Elon College Community Church. Those students on their way to The Grill have probably noticed the progress that has been made on the new edifice. The ground floor has already been completed, and the steel girders and supports are being raised for the framework of the remainder of the building. As work progresses, it is hoped that the building fund for the new church will also progress. Donations will still be appreciated.

Stop!
Gossip's all gone! Can't think of another thing to write, and furthermore, I'm not going to try very hard to do so. Such being the case the logical thing to do is stop. So I will. See you next issue.

SNIPPINGS
The man who is always in hot water isn't necessarily clean.
Ice is water scared stiff.
The honeymoon is over when the bride gets off a pedestal and puts her on a budget.
Some folks seem to think the world owes them a giving.