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"ALL GOES WELL! THEY CAN NEVER HURT US, NO MATTER WHAT THEY DO. FOR WHAT THEY HAVE JAILED IS NOT MEN, BUT AN IDEA. THE DREAM OF FREEDOM IS IN PRISON NOW, BUT THERE ARE NO PRISONS IN THE LAND STRONG ENOUGH TO HOLD IT... FOR ITS TIME HAS COME. SEIZE THE TIME!"

STAND & BE COUNTED

At different times, controversial issues are confronted on our campus and it becomes obvious the majority of the members of our campus are oblivious to the facts behind these issues. It is the right and the duty of any person or persons to bring to light the underlying causes of these problems. For this and other reasons Veritas Liberated Press feels it has the responsibility to release information, pertinent to these issues, which otherwise would remain dormant in the crypt where it had been buried.

Any student, who feels that no one has the right to dig into these disputable matters and that "status quo" is the best policy to follow, should put his mind back in the gutter where it belongs.

Each student should determine within his own mind what his commitment will be. A policy of straddling the fence, only leads towards the stagnation of that student's own mind. Any person has the right to agree or disagree



WHOSE FINGERPRINTS ARE ON THE FILES

On the morning of March 6, 1970, a comrade was in the Registrar's Office looking through college catalogues when coach Jerry Tolley entered. This comrade then overheard Mr. Tolley ask to see Mark Shockley's official school records. A brief conversation followed and coach Tolley remained in the office while the comrade had to leave for class. This comrade revealed this information to the staff on Saturday March 7.

Then, on Tuesday March 10 in a 9:35 Hygiene class Mr. Tolley publicly announced facts obviously obtained from Mark Shockley's records. "I don't see how anyone can put much faith in what he (Mark Shockley) said, considering that he graduated in the lower half of his high school class, had more D's than A's, failed religion here at Elon, and has less than a C average," Tolley stated.

On Monday night, March 9, in Mr. Luther Byrd's night course, History of Europe, Byrd publicly stated that Mark Shockley had made only a low C grade in his History of the South class.

This was obviously an attempt by these "professors" to publicly intimidate the person by disclosing facts that are supposedly not available to the public.

Mr. Gwaltney, Registrar of Elon College, when asked if, faculty members could go through student files at random, responded with an emphatic "NO", and stated that only the student's advisor could go through his personal files. Coach Tolley is not Mark Shockley's advisor.

When Gwaltney was asked what the school policy was regarding faculty members publicly revealing information obtained from a student's file, he commented that it was considered "very unethical".

How then was Tolley able to obtain these facts from Mark Shockley's files? Is every student at Elon subject to this scrutinization? According to Mr. Gwaltney, not only did Tolley obtain these facts against the college policies; he also acted unethically by announcing these to the public. Basic student rights have been grossly violated here, but what action will the college take? STUDENTS UNITE!

with different points of any issue but he must form an opinion of his own and assume a stable posture in his thinking.

At no time will the staff or different writers

of this paper attempt to alienate different groups of persons, or seek to divide or polarize the campus. However, through hindsight we note that most controversial issues

have been opposed by group rather than individual resistance.

Be an individual, don't let your ideas remain hidden behind those of your associates. We welcome and

support all students who understand the problems facing our campus and wish to correct them. Your advice is always welcome.

STEVE CONNER

INCEST IS (NOT) BEST

A groovy time was had by all last Saturday when an old group called the Fascist Five was presented by Repression Associates to an audience of about thirty students. The concert was on short notice (23 hrs.) and by invitation (summons) only. Knowing that this would be a momentous occasion the gallery was filled to overflowing.

Unfortunately the group showed its utter lack of versatility by insisting to play the oldstandbys such as "don't rock the boat" and "keep your place". The poor performance of the five may be attributed to the fact the the band leader is in the USSR negotiating for a loan from the Soviet Union to Elon. The price of admission though some-

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