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English Rap Weekend

This weekend, December 4th-6th, English Hall will be sponsoring a massive RAP Weekend. The suggested topic is QUAKERISM.

The program will begin tonight at 8 p.m. with informal get-togethers in the individual rooms of the dorm. These get-togethers will continue through Sunday evening at 8 p.m. when a general discussion of Quakerism will take place.

The invited participants for the Sunday evening session are Dr. and Mrs. Grimsley T. Hobbs, Dr. and Mrs. Carroll Feagins, Dr. and Mrs. Cyril Harvey and Dr. Ann Deagon.

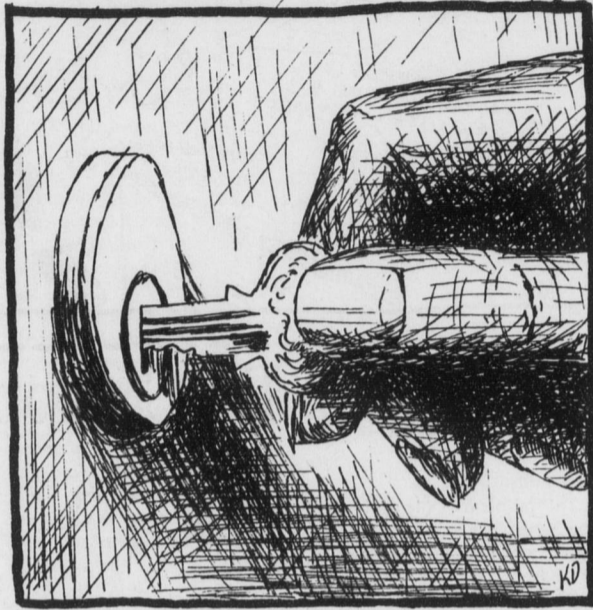
The invited participants for the entire weekend are all faculty members, administrative personnel and students who want to get together for a general "bull" session.

To make the entire weekend a success it will be necessary that it be as informal as possible and that an atmosphere of "just drop by and see what's happening" prevails.

Legislature

Monday night's meeting of the Student Legislature never was. Because a quorum of the representatives failed to show up, no votes could be taken. Therefore, after spending a fruitless half-hour waiting in the hope that enough members might straggle in, the meeting was adjourned. Actually, it may still be going on, for there were not even sufficient members present to vote on adjournment.

DORM SEARCH CONDUCTED



by Kelly Dempster

Most of 1968 Dorm and half of Milner Dorm were searched on Friday, Nov. 20, in an attempt to locate stolen goods. Members of the student body backed by administration conducted the search.

This action was prompted by a series of thefts on campus culminated by a break-in at the cafeteria and thefts from an RC truck on Thursday, Nov. 19. A large quantity of meat, estimated at over \$100 worth, other food and a clock were stolen from the cafeteria. Vandalism occurred in the process of the robbery—a window was smashed and a screen was slit. Seven cases of soft drinks were taken from a Royal Crown Cola truck parked outside of Milner Dorm.

This is not the first record of such occurrences. The cafeteria management claims the cafeteria has been entered and had food stolen on numerous occasions since the commencement of the school year. None has been reported with the exception of this last incident. The Royal Crown Cola truck, noting shortages of drinks at the ends of certain runs, instituted a policy of counting cases after each delivery. Shortages were found to be a result of the Guilford College stops.

Knowledge of such thefts was widespread among the student body. Prompted by the fact that certain individuals were stealing from the students as a whole, Carl Southerland, senior, went to Dean Vicki Morgan's office to see what could be done to stop future thefts. Later, Joel New, president of the student body, entered the discussion. Eventually, Morgan, Southerland, New, Jim Newlin Assistant Business Manager and Don Woodside, Director of Student Financial Aid made a joint decision to go to Milner and '68 to search for the six large boxes of meat and the seven cases of drinks. These two dorms were designated to be searched first because of a student's report that he saw others

carrying boxes fitting the description in that general direction. The RC truck had been parked outside Milner at the time of the robbery.

At this time, the group tried to contact Cliff Lowery, Director of Student Personnel and head residents of each of the dorms in question. None could be reached. Dean Lanier was out of town.

This reporter was summoned to accompany the search as an observer. With that, the group, consisting of Southerland, New, Morgan, and Woodside proceeded to Milner. Head Resident Ken Schwab was not present but two Resident Assistants, Mike McMillan and Dave Brewer were located to aid in the search. The two RA's, Southerland, and this reporter proceeded to the third floor and began a systematic room-by-room search. New, Woodside, and Tom Queisser, head resident of English Hall, went to '68 dorm to begin the search there. Those involved there were Denny Robie, Gray Kimmel, Bucky Ward and Baily Evans in addition to those mentioned above.

In Milner, the door to each room was knocked on. If a student answered, the situation was explained, and permission was asked to search the room. No student refused.

However, if no one answered, the room was entered via a master key provided by Jim Newlin. The room was entered by at least two people, or in a later case, by one while this reporter observed. The searchers acted in accordance with Vicki Morgan's recommendation that only the stolen items were sought—anything else was to be overlooked and immediately forgotten. This was followed to the letter.

A typical room check lasted at most one minute. The general routine was to take a cursory glance under each desk, open the closet to the section holding clothes, and finally to open the top cabinets. Nothing was searched closely, as the boxes and drink cases were large and would have been obvious. The same general procedure was followed in '68 dorm.

The search covered most of '68 dorm—only a few rooms were not entered. Almost all of third-floor Milner, and the North end of second-floor Milner were searched. The search of Milner was halted upon the arrival of Ken Schwab, who expressed his opinion against entering locked rooms. The RA's, who

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Red Cross Requests

A nationwide appeal for funds to provide life-giving help for some three million Pakistan victims of what may be the worst disaster in world history has been launched by the American National Red Cross, according to Joseph L. Berry, Chairman of the Greensboro Chapter.

In announcing the urgent need for funds, American Red Cross president George M. Eley advised Red Cross Chapters that reports of the devastation and suffering out of the Ganges River Delta section of East Pakistan exceed anything his organization or the League of Red Cross Societies in Geneva have ever before encountered

in a nature-caused catastrophe.

"The ultimate death toll is beyond calculation," Mr. Eley said, "and I was advised by League Secretary General Henrik Beer from Geneva that up to three million survivors in the disaster area are in desperate need of food, shelter and emergency medical aid. All resources of the world Red Cross organization and other relief sources will be required to prevent this from becoming an even greater catastrophe through starvation and the spread of disease."

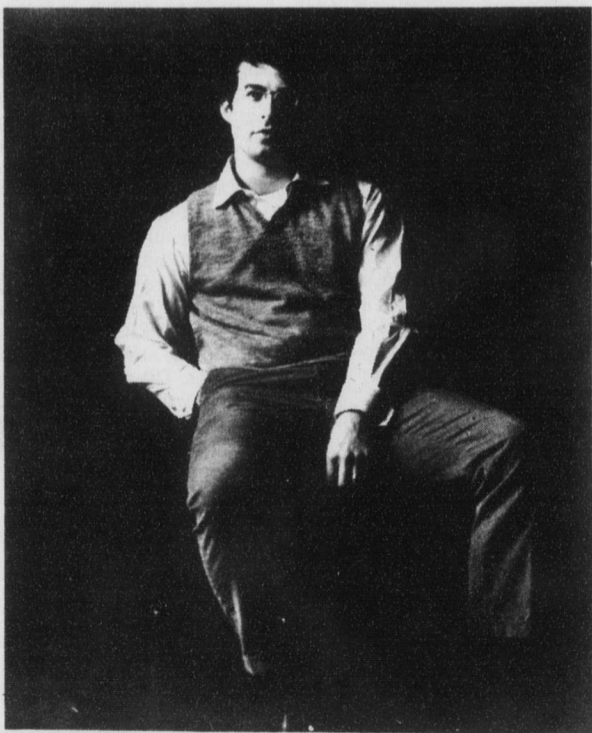
"Several contributions for Pakistan Relief have been received. We hope that many individuals and organizations in our community will contribute to help meet this urgent need."

Preregister Next Week

Preregistration at Guilford's main campus will occur between December 7 and 15. The two step process involves an advisor-student conference and the usual filling out of forms.

Students should see their advisors before or during the days scheduled for their particular class. Seniors preregister on Monday, Dec. 7; juniors, Tuesday and Wednesday; sophomores, Thursday and Friday; freshmen, Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 14-15; and all students not preregistered will have a chance to do so on Wednesday, Dec. 16.

Final registration must take place on February 1, 1971. After this date, a \$10 registration fee applies.



Daniel Epstein will read poetry in the Union Lounge Friday, November 11 at 4 p.m.

Photo by Galapagos

Applications for Editor

Applications are now being accepted for the position of editor of the GUILFORDIAN for second semester. Interested persons should leave their names with Carter Delafield, Fred Parkhurst, David Morrah, Janet Speas or Jeanette Ebel.