

RED MUNROE DOES NOT ROLL UP HIS HAIR

"Don't touch that dial. It's time for the Night Owl Club." Yep, that familiar intro trumpets our late date with the popular disc jockey, Red Munroe, the likable, good-natured palad with the wit that won't quit and the deep voice that ushers us through the sweet and swing at our favorite program. If you want to know a brain, knock yourself down to the Munroe boy. He has more original ideas in that carrot top than any four people we know.

Red, tall and good looking, strokes his long grey beard and reveals that he has reached the tottering old age of 22. Hailing from the Empire State, he says jokingly that he used to live in a boxcar. (Note: Take 75% of what this joker says with two, not one, grains of salt.) Red brags that his mother and father are in the iron and steel business. His mother irons and his father steals. Truthfully, however, Momma is a nurse and Poppa works with the railroad. Although his youthful ambition was to be a priest, at one time he wanted to be a gangster because there was a heap of money in it.

Zooty Red dislikes telephones; but is a hog 'bout his job, good books, chicken, getting people like Woody Herman here, walking in the rain, eating ice cream in the winter, and the song, "The Man I Love." He spends his spare time thinking of ways to stay outa work and studying voice. He's usually tearing his hair fixing a broken microphone 30 seconds before broadcast time. He says his worst fault is being misunderstood.

Having just celebrated his first year with WRAL, he credits his start to his boss and friend, Ray Reeve, who has let him carry out his ideas. Before, he was publicity man with the King Cole Trio and Lionel Hampton. Several top bands have offered him jobs as agent, but he's happy.

The idea for the o. a. o. Night Owl Club came from Red's insomnia. The club, boasting 1,000 registered listeners, is planning a dance in October with a name band. Advocating "good listening for college students," Red thanks all colleges for their co-operation, especially State and Saint Mary's. To SMS he says, "Rich or poor, it always pays to have money." Then seriously he says that hard work is the means to success. He wants us to understand that he does *not* dye his hair or roll it up.

Red is a knocked out gait in anybody's lingo. He seems to delight in doing things for people, always offering a helping hand, be it music, interviews, or problems of the heart. He is, to use his favorite expression, "GLAMED." Thanks for a swell program and for just being Red.

We have been asked to dress a little more carefully when we go to the library. It seems that some people really can't understand why blue jeans, rolled up hair, and bare feet are conducive to brain work. No imagination.

CAMPUS NOTES

Miss Mary Ruth Haig took a trip through western North Carolina week before last.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. A. P. Moore and Miss Martha Dabney Jones attended a meeting of the College English Association in Richmond the week-end of April 19.

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Miss Elizabeth Tucker visited her home in Hertford, N. C., the week-end of April 19.

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The Swimming Club took in sixteen new members this year. They are Glen Harden, Jo Ann Cooper, Martha Wilson, Clara Justice, Mary Lou Pratt, Gingie Werlein, Martha Best Yorke, Harriot Barnwell, Jane McNaughton, Sally Dickey, Gene Hines, Jo Ann Darden, Logan Vaught, Lib Clinard, Christine Gray, and Lethia Nichols.

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Mr. E. F. Stoughton went to Atlanta on April 17 on a business trip.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Clark of Fayetteville, son-in-law and daughter of Mrs. Ernest Cruikshank, visited Mrs. Cruikshank the week-end of April 12.

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The Board of Trustees met on the Saint Mary's campus April 23.

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Miss Peggy Hopkins, Mr. Charles A. Tucker and Mrs. James H. Cordon, president of the Alumnae Association, attended an alumnae meeting in Goldsboro on April 23 and one in Henderson on April 25.

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Miss Janice Fitzgerald visited her home in Smithfield the week-end of April 19. Miss Frances Vann visited her home in Franklin, and Miss Betsy Blount went to Washington, N. C.

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The Sextette, under the direction of Miss Geraldine Cate, gave a religious program in commemoration of Good Friday at a Kiwanis meeting held in the Colonial Room at the Hotel Sir Walter.

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Miss Harriet Bowen, sister of Mrs. I. Harding Hughes and formerly a Saint Mary's student and faculty member, spent the Easter holidays with Mrs. Hughes.

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The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. I. Harding Hughes have received word that their son, Harding Junior, left Shanghai on April 10 and is expecting to arrive at Pearl Harbor on Easter morning. He hopes to be discharged by the middle of May.

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On Saturday, April 27, two weddings will take place in the Chapel. At ten a. m. Clarice Woolard ('45) and Robert Kennedy will be married, and at five p. m. Sheron Harris, former business student, and Eugene Mikel will be married.

The Rt. Reverend Thomas Barrett, who recently became executive secretary for college work, will visit Saint Mary's and will preach on the morning of May 19. Mr. Barrett is connected with the National Headquarters of the Episcopal Church at 281 4th Ave., New York.

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The Rt. Rev. Edward A. Penick, D.D., will visit the school for Confirmation on May 19 at 7:00 p. m.

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The 30th annual convention of the Diocese of North Carolina will convene at the Church of the Good Shepherd in Raleigh on May 7 and 8.

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The Rev. Mr. I. Harding Hughes will take part in the graduation of the nurses of Rex Hospital at our auditorium at 8:30 p. m., May 10.

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The Rev. Mr. I. Harding Hughes has been asked to be the luncheon speaker at the Western North Carolina diocesan convention at All Souls Church in Biltmore, North Carolina, on May 14.

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The recent ping-pong tournament ended with Sally Ann Elliott, Mu, taking top honors. In second place was Adelaide Linehan, Sigma, and tying for third place were Cynthia McCaw and Martha Dean, Sigma and Mu, respectively.

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Sigma and Mu competition in Softball will begin Thursday, April 25, and will continue each following Monday and Thursday.

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Members of Orchesis are furnishing three numbers for the Garden Club Flower Show to be held at the City Auditorium, Wednesday evening, May 7.

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Virginia Wilson (45) of Elizabeth City visited the campus on April 18.

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Lucy Seaman (45) of Warrenton visited Spot Baskervill the week-end of April 20.

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Orchesis is practicing dances which they will give on May 6 at a Spring Festival sponsored by the Woman's Garden Club.

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Joan Sanford of Greensboro visited Mary Jane Casstevens the week-end of April 4.

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Ruthie Wagenfeld of Waynesville (who attends W.C.U.N.C.) visited Pody Way the week-end of April 20.

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The Sigma's won the volleyball tournament with 2 out of 3 games on April 22. The All-Star Team was Mary Lou Pratt, Carolyn DesChamps, Katherine Royall, Kathryn Fulton, Sue Everett, Barbara McLaughlin, Nina Mae DeBerry, and Gingie Werlein.

Spectrum Splashes

Saint Mary's, Peace, and Meredith are in the spotlight at the State Art Gallery. This third annual exhibit presents the outstanding work of the art departments of these three women's colleges. We were very pleased when we visited the gallery this afternoon. The work all has personality, and we thought our Saint Mary's artists tops.

Eliot Noyes' "Everyday Art" in the *Magazine of Art* for April presents a brand new angle. Mr. Noyes feels that it is more important that "the housewife recognize the beauty and usefulness in a well designed pressure cooker than be able to recognize a Van Gogh." In this profusely illustrated article the author describes the Walker Art Center in Minneapolis where a division has been established to teach the public the practicability of consumer products.

If you like the graphic arts (Art History students please note), be sure to look at the group of French Renaissance etchings in this same issue of the *Magazine of Art*. The design, the craftsmanship, and the restrained emotion of these etchings still convey many of the French ideas of art.

Time (April 22) reports on the current exhibit at the Whitney Museum of Modern Art, branch of the conservative Metropolitan. This exhibit, "Pioneers of Modern Art," displays the work of Americans who went to Paris, 1908-22, to learn the rules of modern art and who brought it back to the United States. The general consensus is that this form of art is here to stay, although the controversy still goes on.

Calendar Of Events

- 27—Girl-Break Dance.
- 2—Assembly—Current Events—Mr. Moore.
- Voice Recital—Katherine Royall.
- 3—Chapel Organ Recital 5:15 p.m.
- 4—Junior-Senior Dance.
- 5—State College Glee Club.
- 7—Saint Mary's Glee Club Concert.
- 10—Chapel Organ Recital 5:15 p.m.

BIRTHDAYS

- May
- 5—Martha Best Yorke
 - 6—Jean Rose
 - 6—Kathleen Smither
 - 7—Ann Jones
 - 8—Myra Welsh
 - 10—Lib Clinard
 - 13—Jean Dickerson
 - 14—Estelle Boyce
 - 18—Mary Rose Crisp

It is a very interesting question why so many girls are going home this week-end. We can't decide whether they're planning to recuperate from Easter or build themselves up for the Junior-Senior.