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PARAGRAPHS

Co-ed Cora says if the woman pays, why is it the men are always broke?

Freshman Fritz says a hypocrite is a student that goes to classes with a smile on his face.

Girls who wear cotton stockings are either over-confident or don't give a damn.

Doubtless the alumni who are here attending the conference are jubilant over the rapid progress being made by Alma Mater.

The man who sent us a letter addressed "To the Auditor" evidently thinks that we do our work on adding machines instead of typewriters.

Nota Bene, Carolina co-eds. One hundred and seventy-five co-eds at the University of Kansas are out competing for the rifle team. The Carolina Rifle Club would be glad to have you out.

Headline reads "Five Virginia Stars on the Injured List." "Greasy" Neale has pulled this one before. But just wait until the Turkey day game and see how many of the Virginia stars are out of the game.

We don't expect to see the freshmen put up such an exhibition today as they did last Saturday. They know what is expected of them as Carolina representatives and we feel sure that they are going to wipe out the blot of last week.

Students who would like to see the proposed change made in the time for the Easter holidays

should express themselves at once or there won't be a chance of getting the change made this year. The committee on the equalization of quarters meets soon to decide the question definitely. Express yourself *toute de suite*.

"KIKE" KYSER AND THE CHEERIOS

Too much cannot be said by way of commendation of the organization which has brought about the finest spirit ever seen here among the Carolina students in cheering and supporting the teams. Within a period of less than two months this organization has made itself famous throughout North Carolina and many of the nearby states and its organizer and leader has indelibly written his name in University annals as making an excellent contribution to university life. When this organization appears on Lambeth Field in Charlottesville Thanksgiving Day wearing the blue and white two hundred and fifty strong, the student body, the University, and the State will be proud of its product.

The history of the Cheerios is short but important. With only three of last year's regulars reporting for the football squad this fall, a new group of coaches and a new system to be installed the student body faced a dismal outlook for the season. Then the first two games were lost and the famous Carolina spirit became depressed in the students. Pessimists were saying the spirit was dormant, if not dead. It was then that Kike Kyser conceived the idea of forming a group of students to bring about a revival in spirit which would give the football team better support. One week later this cheering unit appeared on Emerson Field and received the wholehearted support of the entire student body. The result was that the Tar Heels, who were doped to lose to the Gamecocks by at least two touchdowns, received such moral support that they put up the prettiest fight seen here in a long while and turned back the invading team defeated. And such has been the result of every other game played here this fall. Visiting teams, coaches and spectators have extolled the smooth working cheering unit and spirit of the entire student body.

Organized cheering has long been in existence in northern and western institutions. The imported coaches from the west have said that they have never seen a cheering unit better organized and directed than Kike Kyser's organization here. The student body recently heard President Chase at a pep meeting say that during his sixteen years here he hadn't seen a football team better supported from the sidelines than this year's.

Carolina's cheering unit makes a pretty spectacle when it marches out on the field before and during the halves of the games. The visiting spectators seem to enjoy this feature as much as any part of the fracas. Then the spirit-makers return to the stands and the entire student body joins in, and lends wonderful moral support.

Monday night Kike Kyser and his Cheerios are presenting a Cheeri-O-Show in Memorial Hall to raise funds to help defray the expense in sending the group to Charlottesville to lead Tar Heel students and supporters. It is our hope that every student will show his appreciation of the work done by this group this fall and contribute liberally at the door where the optional admission fee will be used.

Alpha Lambda Tau announces the initiation of T. R. Keith, of Currie, N. C. and E. C. Chrisco of Badin, N. C.

Open Forum

Editor of TAR HEEL:
I wish to address this letter to the TAR HEEL freshman reporter, Mr. Glenn Holder.

Your article concerning our coaches and their system in Thursday's TAR HEEL was interesting. It was well written—and so far as I see it—one of a much higher type than the usual story. So much for that.

There is one phase of it, one sentence, which was unfortunate. You stated an untruth! You stated it without the usual newspaper man's alibi of "alleged," "it is reported," or what not.

I speak directly of your allusion to R. L. Sides. You state the system as being too severe for his southern temperament. You imply that his loyalty to Carolina was not strong enough to call him back to face the punishment, and that before leaving the squad he said several harsh things to the coaches and the squad. Really that view of this man makes most upper-classmen smile, because obviously only a Freshman would have written them.

Sides is a very close friend of mine, and I happen to know that before the season opened, he had his tonsils removed. There were complications from this operation, and during practically the whole practice he participated in, his weight was marked up 10 pounds or more, less than he tipped the scales. This certainly wouldn't indicate a lack of the famous Notre Dame system of fighting spirit. At the time he resigned from the squad he talked over the situation with two of the coaches, and it was not a case of showing anything like the wrong spirit. No "hard" talk was given the coaches or the squad.

An upper classman would hesitate to make such statements of a letter man, and one who has taken such an active part in student life here, and I take exception to the statement merely to correct an impression which your article might give to the men who do not know from observation that the remarks are "all wet."

R. S. W.

Editor of TAR HEEL:

After talking with a large number of students I am satisfied that the proposed change of moving the Easter holidays up four weeks and having the holiday period a week between the ending of the winter quarter and the beginning of the spring quarter will meet with the approval of the majority of the students. I need not elaborate here because the editorial in the Thursday issue of the TAR HEEL explained the reasons pro and con and the pro reasons clearly outbalanced those con. In all my four years here I have wondered why this proposed plan hasn't been in effect before.

M. T. J

Phi Delta Phi Holds It's Fall Initiations

The fall initiations of Phi Delta Phi, law fraternity, were held last week. A feature of the occasion was the banquet held in honor of the initiates and pledges at the Carolina Inn immediately following the ceremonies.

Two sophomore law students received the rites of the order, and one member of the fraternity, Professor Chas. T. McCormick, a transfer from the chapter at Texas University, affiliated with the local chapter. The men initiated were Fred Parker, of Goldsboro, and John Wigg, of St. Petersburg, Fla.

SPECIAL EDITION OF TAR HEEL TUESDAY

The TAR HEEL will publish but one issue next week. Elaborate plans are being laid to make that issue the best of the year.

The work of preparing the material for the Tuesday's edition will be shared by the three managing editors. A number of special features will be carried along with a large number of pictures of the Carolina team. The keynote of the paper will be the "On to Virginia" slogan, and a boost for a Tar Heel victory on Lambeth Field at the annual Turkey Day contest.

PITT COUNTY CLUB HAS REGULAR MEETING

At the regular bi-monthly meeting of the Pitt County Club held Thursday night, committees were appointed to secure an orchestra and to secure the names of the county alumni who wish to attend the banquet and dance to be given by the organization on Wednesday night, December 29. Each member of the Club will take a lady to the banquet and will be allowed to invite one boy to the dance, which will probably be held at the Greenville Country Club.

Following the regular business session, the members enjoyed a social hour at which time light refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held Thursday night, December 2. The committees will make their report at that meeting.

Sigma Phi Epsilon announces the pledging of Harold Burke of Taylorsville, N. C. and B. Moore Parker of Raleigh.

SEABURY TALKS

George T. Seabury, Secretary of the American Society of Civil Engineers, was here on a short trip Wednesday, and addressed the William Cain Student Chapter of the society at the regular chapel period, in Room 206 of Phillips Hall.

Mr. Seabury talked about what the national society is. The society has eighteen directors elected from the various sections of the country, who in turn elect the officers. He told about the Executive Committee, Research Committee, Aims and Activities Committee, and the Student Chapter Committee, of which Dean Braune is chairman. The society meets four times each year in different sections of the country. The meetings are in this way carried to the people, who are close enough to attend at least one of these.

Next April, the society will meet in Asheville, North Carolina. Mr. Seabury is here to make arrangements for that meeting with Gilbert C. White, President of the North Carolina section of the society, and Consulting Engineer of Durham, and H. F. Janda, Secretary of this section, and Associate Professor of Highway Engineering at the University of North Carolina.

Miss Dewey Mitchell entertained delightfully at a small dance last night in honor of her guests. A number of college students were invited to the dance, which was held at the Country Club.

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WHAT'S HAPPENING

TODAY
2:30 p. m.—Freshman Football, Carolina vs. Virginia, Emerson Field.
9:00 p. m.—Grail Dance, Bynum Gymnasium.
MONDAY, NOV. 22
7:30 p. m.—North Carolina Club, Saunders Hall.
"The case for the short ballot," a paper by Alvin S. Kartus.
8:00 p. m.—Cheeri-O-Show, Memorial Hall.
8:30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. Cabinets, Y. M. C. A.
TUESDAY, NOV. 23
8:00 p. m.—Phillips Hall Auditorium. W. S. Hosford of the Western Electric Company will lecture under the auspices of the School of Commerce and the School of Engineering.

Nearly all the plays being presented in Paris theaters this season were written by dramatists under thirty years of age.

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