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THIS ISSUE: NEWS, HUDSON; NIGHT, SMITH

## LET THERE BE LIGHT

The DAILY TAR HEEL should not be an unpopular publication. If we expect to get anywhere in our efforts to improve our University community, we should work constructively rather than destructively toward that end.

Our policies have been motivated with this in mind. Our files are filled with data which has been collected by students so that a constructive criticism backed by facts can be evolved and presented. Ours has not been the idea to fight any- and everything just because we have the best medium for doing so.

Nevertheless, we have received some adverse criticism. We have been accused of being biased and unfair. We have been scored for editorializing in news columns and picking out personalities.

We ask this question: if we give praise to individuals for their achievements, because we are proud of them as they work for our University, have we not the same right to condemn them when they are shirking their responsibilities, their loyalties and their obligations?

We believe there is no distinguishing between our policies of helping the good and scorching the bad when the common end of University improvement, University progress, is in mind. And our path should not deviate because some of the things we have to say are unpleasant and others pleasant.

We are not trying to be "bold" or "courageous." If you think it is fun to put in a good one-third of your college life at hard work just for the doubtful honor of being "fearless," as you may say, then you are greatly mistaken. If there were no motivating force, which in our case is love for the University and what it stands for, then there would be no progress in our college journalism. And we believe that with every fact we collect, with every improvement we have a part in effecting, we are making progress. And so we shall continue to progress.

If you want a non-policy, middle-of-the-road journal, you are going to be disappointed and perhaps upset. We are no more intelligent than you are, but any efforts which we make, whether right or wrong in our own youthful blundering, must have the effect of unloosing some intelligence on the campus that certain things for our own undergraduate betterment may come about.

It is your paper and you have the right to help shape its policies. But we ask that you give the same consideration to us that we do to you. If we disagree, your point shall be represented. That is, if you will let us know what your point is. Otherwise, we will try to get a cross-section representation just as we have thus far: by gathering together unofficial intelligentsia to help guide us in our stands for University goodness.

## GIVE IT TO THE BUSY MAN

The fraternity scholastic averages for the winter quarter showed quite a jump upwards, skipping up on Dr. Henry's scale over a full one-fifth of a point, which is a considerable rise.

Very few houses had a lower rating during the winter quarter than during the fall. What this may show regarding internal efforts we do not know; there are the commonplace reasons which have been applied in past years, considering less outside attractions to divert our minds from our books.

What is interesting is to note that the winter quarter is our shortest. And our grades consistently show an increase for most fraternities. This might put skids under the notions of some faculty members that we are cramming too much into too little space. It looks like Carolina students can "take it."

## Now YOU'RE Talking

Because of limited space, the DAILY TAR HEEL in the future will accept no letters for publication which are more than 200 words long.

### A WORD TO THE . . .

To the Editor,  
DAILY TAR HEEL:

I think you are due some scathing criticism for the way you have attacked certain personalities on this campus and in the town of Chapel Hill. Why you have libeled—yes, libeled—a Chapel Hill policeman and have attacked a prominent athlete for an affair about which you do not know the facts is beyond all comprehension. Understand I am holding no brief for either of the above-mentioned parties, but are you yourself sure that you aren't doing all this name-calling and personality "plucking" just to convince your readers (and possibly yourself) that you are "fearless," "independent," "courageous," or some other adjective used for a "relentless attacker and prober"?

May I have your attention a moment longer? Please stop editorializing in your news columns. Outside of this fault and the one mentioned in the above paragraph I think you have improved the DAILY TAR HEEL very much, except for a couple of columns—the silly twaddle of Wolslagel and the still more insane drivel of Page.

Now how about investigating (if you haven't already done so) the Y. M. C. A., the Student Advisory Board, the Inter-fraternity Council, and a few more organizations which may be fulfilling their duties to the best of their abilities but about which the students in general know very little.

Now may I submit a plan of my own (?)? Why not begin classes at 9 o'clock and have chapel period at 8:30? This seems to me to be much the more plausible than holding the first class at 8 or 8:30, especially more so than the former. Think of the extra hour (or half-hour) of sleep in the mornings. Everyone would be fresher and brighter. Some may argue that students would just stay up that much longer at night. For what?

DICK DASHIELL.

## TWO YEARS AGO TODAY

Compiled from the Files of the DAILY TAR HEEL

St. Anthony Lawn Fund continues growing . . . Francis Anderson elected permanent president of the class of 1933 . . . Legislature passes general sales tax of three per cent . . . E. E. Ericson, Carolina law student, receives commission as second-lieutenant in the Field Artillery reserve corps. . .

DAILY TAR HEEL business staff forms new advertising agency . . . Willis and Levitan advance to quarter-finals of Southern Conference tennis . . . Meno Spann to attack Hill from the air today with advertising circulars for the German war play, "Flieger."

## Library Service

"We lend to more southern libraries than any other library in the south," Librarian R. B. Downs recently stated. "The inter-library loan system is a great service to professors and students here as well as elsewhere."

The exchange of library catalogues with Duke has led to a large increase in the books that are exchanged.

A daily library service with Duke has been established. Books requested today may be brought over tomorrow.

## Mesdames MacDonald, Laval, and Mussolini: "My dear, It Looks Too Terrible."



—Reynolds ILLUSTRATED NEWS (London).

## SPEAKING FROM THE RIGHT

What with textile manufacturers protesting against the processing tax, Hoover "A modern Paul Revere, awakening and calling the country back to the constitution," a widespread dubiousness of what President Roosevelt intends to do with his "four billion dollar campaign fund," and industrial strikes apparently as unavoidable as ever, it is becoming more strongly obvious each day that the New Deal is not all that it was once thought to be. Such an opinion, should it become universal, can spell only doom for the already toppling NRA.

The President is finding that some of those around him are no longer willing to play the part of docile yes-men as they have in the past. The rejection of Richberg's two-year NRA continuance plea, and the passage of the Patman bonus bill in face of the promised presidential veto may without any great stretch of imagination, be taken as evidence of a changing attitude in the legislature.

And speaking of the Patman bill, even Republicans are complimenting President Roosevelt on the stand he has taken. In hard times there is a marked tendency to judge everything from a financial point of view. The rejected Vinson bonus bill was made on the grounds that it would further unbalance the budget to the extent of over two billion dollars. The Patman bill neatly refutes this argument by authorizing the treasury to issue two billion dollars in nice new printing press money. That, they say, is dangerous monetary experimentation and the greater of two evils.

The Senate has been accused of indulging in "American politics at its worst" for yielding to the Legion lobby and 100,000 letters reputedly inspired by Father Coughlin, and excusing itself with a rationalization. By passing the Patman bill, senators have satisfied the Legion, avoiding in that way the loss of a large veteran vote. Yet, since it was apparent at the time that President Roosevelt would veto the bill, no real harm could come from passing it despite considerable public objection and what many senators themselves really think of paying the bonus in full some 10 years before it is due.

Despite Virgil Lee, despite the Liberty League—despite everything and everybody, Carolina students show a decided tendency to bear toward the left—at least when walking around the board fences put up on the lower campus recently. They were conservative in one respect, though: they still insist upon maintaining the old custom of walking on the grass.

I received a letter, the other day, enclosing the caption:

## OUTSTANDING RADIO BROADCASTS

- 11:30: Radio City Music Hall, Sym. Orch., WJZ, WLW.
- 1:30: Mother's Day Program, WEAJ.
- 2:30: Symphonic Hour, Howard Barlow, conductor, WABC, WHAS, WBT.
- 4:00: America's First Rhythm Symphony, WEAJ, WPTF, WSB.
- 5:00: Wayne King Orch., WGN.
- 5:15: Blue Steele orch., WGN.
- 6:00: Jack Benney, Mary Livingstone, Frank Parker, Don Bestor orch., WPTF, KDKA.
- 6:30: Joe Penner, Ozzie Nelson orch., WPTF, WLW.
- 7:00: Major Bowes' Amateur Hour, WEAJ, WPTF, WLW; Bill Allsbrook orch., WBIG.
- 7:30: Will Rogers, Frank Tours orch., WABC, WHAS, WBT.
- 8:00: Charlie Previns orch., Countess Olga Albani, WJZ, WLW, KDKA; Kay Kyser orch., WGN.
- 8:30: Musical Revue, Frank Munn, tenor, Gus Haenschen orch., WEAJ, WPTF, WSB; Walter Winchell, gossip, WJZ, WLW, KDKA.
- 9:00: Wayne King orch., WABC, WHAS.
- 9:30: Fray and Braggiotti, piano duo, WABC, WBT.
- 9:45: Freddie Martin orch., WGN.
- 10:00: George Duffy orch., WEAJ, WSB.
- 10:30: News, Eddy Duchin orch., WEAJ, WPTF; Stan Myers orch., WJZ, WPTF, WLW; Art Jarrett orch., WABC, WHAS, WBT; Leonard Keller orch., WENR; Wayne King orch., WGN.
- 10:45: Jimmie Garrigan orch., WENR; Phil Harris orch., WLW.
- 11:00: Joe Haymes orch., WABC, WBT, WHAS; Paul Pendarvis orch., WJZ, KDKA; Enric Madriguera orch., WENR; Blue Steele orch., WGN.
- 11:15: Freddie Martin orch., WGN.
- 11:30: Jimmie Garrigan orch., WEAJ, WSB; Kay Kyser orch., WGN.
- 12:00: Enric Madriguera orch., WENR; Blue Steele orch., WGN; Phil Harris orch., WLW.
- 12:30: Stan Myers orch., WENR.
- 12:45: Kay Kyser orch., WGN.
- 1:00: Freddie Martin orch., WGN.

Well, the Philippine islands now have a constitution. It will probably be several years before they realize how lucky they were when they didn't have one. —Boston Transcript.

"HAMILTON FISH MIGHT RUN"—to which a facetious (and Democratic) brother-in-law had appended: "And that's all he can do."

'Nough said for the present. D. S.

## Pigs HAVE Wings

By Milton K. Kalb

POOR, MARTYRED FRIEND, Mr. C. A. P. Your state university for the state is being taken over by radicals and foreigners. Poor C. A. P., to have had "your education fostered here for six years" and yet to remain so unenlightened. Poor old C. A. P., with your nineteenth century ideas of insularity. Poor old C. A. P., compare your ideas with those of 60-year young Judge Winston, who says, "The old idea of isolation is strangling the south. It must awaken, embrace new ideas, new people."

THE BIG NAVY SO LONG and ardously fought for by Billie Hearst (he is not yet satisfied, and wants a still bigger one "to protect American shores from foreign invaders") is now maneuvering some thousands of miles away from our shores in the Pacific—perilously close to Japan—so close to Japan that if any foreign fleet similarly approached us our patriots would be hollering for the Marines, National Guard and the D. A. R. to chase the invaders away. Seriously, though, we are tempting fate in giving the gold braid men the chance to play around so far from home. What if one of our battleships, anchored in a Japanese port on a peaceable mission, or for repairs, were to blow up? It would be another "Remember the Maine" incident. We would be embroiled in a war with a people against whom we have absolutely no quarrel. After all, it is well known that the military boys are just itching to try out some of their newly acquired toys and tricks on targets slightly more alive than are found on the target field. It is impossible not to be pessimistic when one realizes that one man can start a war. One man, placing one bomb, in the boiler-room of one cruiser, anchored in one Japanese port, can precipitate a horrible conflict—what with the Hearst papers and the other jingoistic sheets ready to paint the Japs as devourers of women and children, or in some other equally stupid way, hoodwink the gullible public. Therefore, STUDENTS, keep your eyes open and REMEMBER "Remember the Maine."

"BONUS BACKERS ARM FOR Fight" is headline in Friday's paper. Truly, the bonus BACKERS arming is a darned sight more than many bonus SEEKERS did 20 years ago until they were forced to by the threat of the committee."

OH FOR THE LIFE OF A dance committeeman. Honest, uncorruptible boys that they are, how it must pain them to have so many students going around the campus saying, "You want a bid? Okay, \$3.50. I'll have it for you this afternoon, I'm getting some from \_\_\_\_\_ on the committee."

CONGRATULATIONS TO "Now You're Talking" McCain and McNeir for their splendid vindication of Dr. Ericson (to think that he ever needed vindication) and for their fight for free speech on this campus.

## ALUMNUS PROMOTED

The Alumni Review, in a special section entitled "Here and There With Our Alumni," features Henry G. Cooper, Jr., who was recently named national advertising manager for the Goodyear Tire and Rubber company, and has transferred from Charlotte to the company's general office in Akron, Ohio. Mr. Harper was manager of the Charlotte branch.