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## Philosophy Of Life

(ROBERT E. SPEER)

One can change the plans and policies of an organization on paper ever so much and it will amount to nothing. The only way to make any real change is to change the men.

### A Difficulty

A WEEK from today examinations begin. Already students are cramming for them. These quarterly tests bring the student to go back over the quarter's work, pick up the "loose ends," and coordinate the subject into a related whole. On exam day his mastery of the subject is tested. The final is intended to check-up on what the student has learned and what he has failed to get. As a means of determining the student's gaps in his field of knowledge, the examination plays an irreplaceable part in education.

But under the University's present system of examinations, the students, after handing in their quiz books, never get their papers back—often they do not ever see their professor again. Where they fell down on the course they never learn. The important emphasis in education is to get learning as complete as possible; yet after the examination there is no follow-through—either to show the poor student his mistakes and weaknesses or to help fill in the gaps in his knowledge, revealed by his examination paper.

Some collegians say the best thing about finals is their finality. But, expressing student opinion, we say the worst thing about them is their finality.

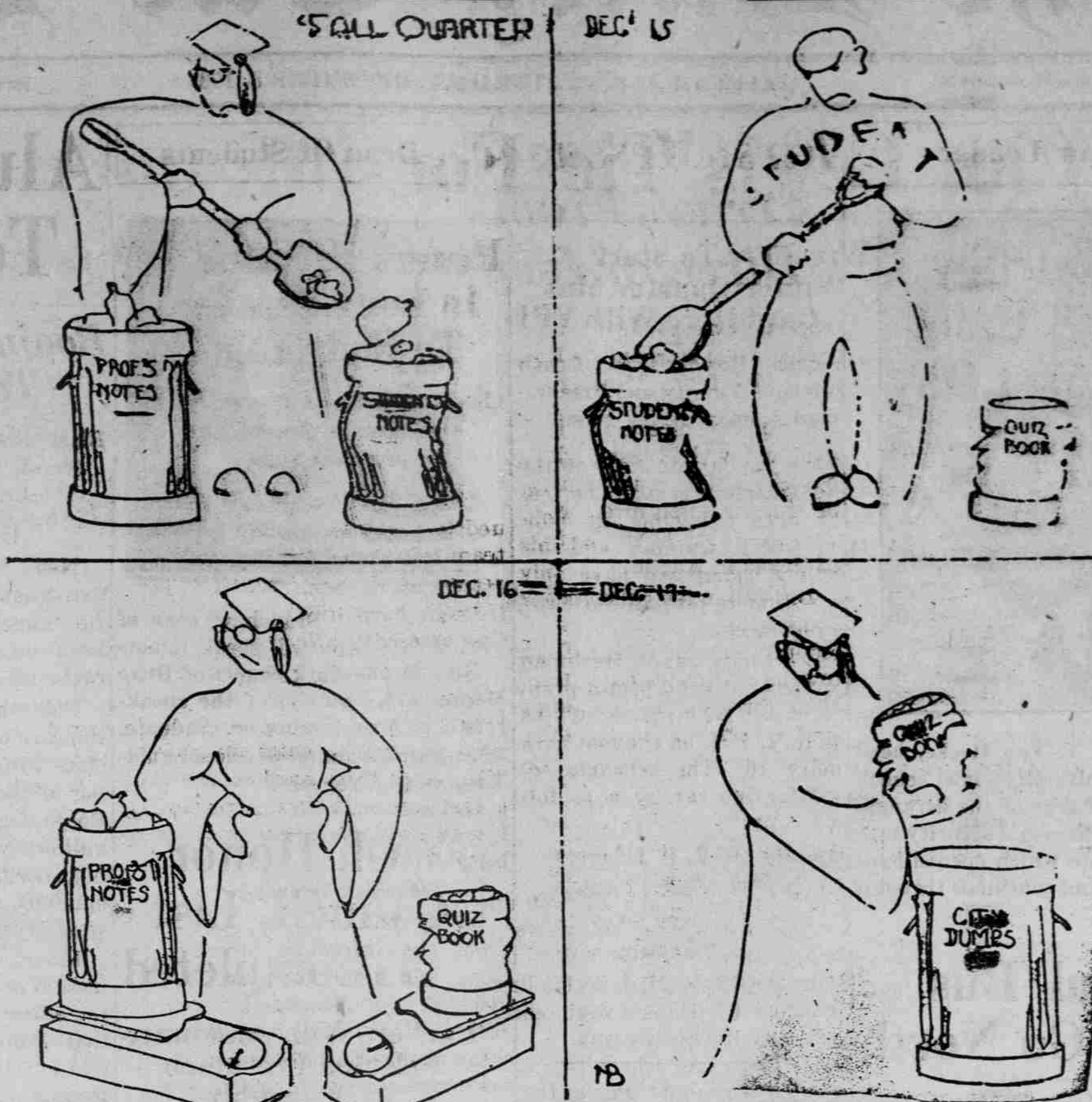
Examinations could play a worthwhile place in helping a student master a field; but as they are administered here now their only purpose is to assist the professor in giving the student a grade.

### Many Are Tea-Hounds

WHEN APPROACHED recently concerning the student-faculty teas proposed to be held at regular intervals in Graham Memorial, John Parker, president of the student body, came out as definitely in favor of them. Not only would these help student faculty relations, he pointed out, but also would be a valuable aid to students by giving them an opportunity to learn how to mingle with others and how to get along in a non-student gathering. There are very few opportunities of this kind here at present.

Another supporter of this plan for student-faculty teas is Pete Ivey, director of Graham Memorial. Practically every student approached so far about this scheme has been in favor of it. If the board of directors of Graham Memorial approve this plan and the campus cooperates, a fine opportunity for all-year-round student-faculty relations will be established.—E. L. K.

## Our Educational Process



The funny thing is that the student never gets his exam paper back to find out where he made his mistakes. See the lead editorial.

# Collegiate Editors Object To Exams

**★ EXPERIMENTS**  
(Ohio State Lantern)  
"An investigation into the working of the examination system, whose results have lately been published, gives point to doubts that have long been felt and often expressed about the validity of examinations. A whole series of experiments were conducted. For instance, a number of authentic examination papers were marked by several different examiners, then, after a longish interval, again by the original ones. The results ly as between a good and a bad mark, but as between a pass and failure, between mediocrity and the highest distinction. Nor was this in one subject only, but in

several. A similar investigation conducted in France pointed to a similar conclusion. The two taken together confirm the opinion that there is too large an element of chance in examinations as at present conducted for them to be even approximate test of ability.  
"When it is considered how large a part they play in present-day careers, the seriousness of this conclusion is apparent. Obviously there must be some means of assessing people's capacities. Trial and error alone is too wasteful a process. At the same time basing a final judgment on marks arrived at by various and fallible examiners is as grotesque as basing it on a try-your-strength machine."

**★ FANTASTIC**  
(The Daily Princetonian)  
"Doesn't it seem slightly fantastic that even as much as half the emphasis upon a student's college career should depend upon what he can do in a three-hour examination? The question immediately arises as to what the real purpose of a Princeton education is. Is it to force with as much power as possible a conglomeration of soon-forgotten facts and theories into an undergraduate's head in order that he might fire them back at his professor? . . .  
Artificial  
"The whole exam system is artificial and unworthy of any university that is really trying  
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**SAND AND SALVE**  
By Stuart Rabb

The Old Ward Heeler came in this morning and said he read in the newspapers where all six-graders in North Carolina schools will soon begin using a text book on liquor:  
My children, read well these words about rum  
And leave the Demon be  
Oh, the knees that collapse, the heads that hum  
Will surely bear witness to me.  
Read how alcohol seeps into the brain  
Dissolving nervous tissue,  
Causing the D. T.'s and terrible pain  
Which brings us to this issue:  
Oh choose, Oh choose, my children  
Whether you'll drink or no.  
Will you refrain from wine and beer  
Or sink to depths below?  
Heed the cry of a doctor true,  
Whose textbook you must buy,  
And he will make money telling you  
To be forever dry.

**The Information Desk**  
Edited by Bing Stewart

The Carolina Walking Club entertained at a promenade and weiner roast last evening by the shores of beautiful Lake University. Among those present were: Mrs. W. J. McKee; Evelyn Shinder, graduate student; Jean McLean; Libb Wall, Phi assembly member; Miss Wilder; Janie Sinclair of Raleigh; Lil Dowell of Raleigh; Bob Whitehurst, Kappa Sigma; Dave Beatty, Lewis; LaVerne Dunham, Ruffin; Shim Upchurch, Lewis; Jim Baden, Manly, and Graduate Student Griffen and his dog MacDuff.  
The hikers played on the swings and slides, and Miss Dowell went wading, trying to catch some fish. Threatening weather cut the festivities short and 11 members rode back in an open car which happened to be passing.  
Eileen Smith has given out the valuable information that the reason for her red slipped foot of last week was a "great big blistah."

## Radio Highlights

By BUD KORNB�ITE

- WDNC—1500 KC.  
9:30—Camel Caravan with Benny Goodman's Orch., Frank Forest, Norman Sper, Geo. Stoll's Orch., and Rupert Hughes, m.c.  
10:30—News; Mark Warnow's Blue Velvet Orch.  
11:00—Jan Garber's Orch.  
11:15—Hal Kemp's Orch.  
11:30—Geo. Olsen's Orch.  
12:00—Ted Fio-Rito's Orch.
- WPTF—680 KC.  
8:00—Leo Reisman's Orch., Eton Boys, Guests.  
8:30—South Sea Islanders.  
9:00—Ben Bernie and All the Lads.  
9:30—Fred Astaire, Chas. Butterworth, J. Green's Orch.  
10:30—Portraits in Harmony; Ted Fio-Rito's Orch., guest.
- WBT—1080 KC.  
7:30—Rubinoff.  
7:45—Boake Carter.  
8:15—Ann Leaf at the Organ.  
8:30—Laugh with Ken Murray.  
9:00-12:30—Same as WDNC.
- MISC. PROGRAMS.  
8:00—WABC—Hammerstein Music Hall.  
11:15—WGN—Kay Kyser's Orch.

**OL' JUDGE ROBBINS**  
SLATE PIPE  
SLATE PIPES, EH? TOUGH TO GET A CAKE IN, I'LL BET!  
IT PROBABLY TOOK YEARS  
MY BRIAR'S NO DIFFERENT. HANST CAKED THE WAY I LIKE IT, AND IT STILL BITES LIKE BLAZES  
THAT SHOULDN'T BE—NO TROUBLE LIKE THAT WITH PRINCE ALBERT  
YOU MEAN THE TOBACCO IS SO IMPORTANT?  
EVERY TIME! P.A. IS 'CRIMP CUT'—EACH BIT BURNS EVENLY...SLOWLY. THAT'S WHY IT CAKES NICELY—SMOKES SO COOL  
AND BEST OF ALL, IT DOESN'T BITE. THERE'S NO OTHER TOBACCO LIKE PRINCE ALBERT. IT GIVES A MIGHTY SWEET TASTE TO ANY MAN'S PIPE  
JUST WHAT MY PIPE NEEDS, JUDGE! IT'S GREAT

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Smoke 20 fragrant pipefuls of Prince Albert. If you don't find it the mellowest, tastiest pipe tobacco you ever smoked, return the packet tin with the rest of the tobacco in it to us at any time within a month from this date, and we will refund full purchase price, plus postage.  
(Signed) R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO COMPANY  
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

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