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#### **Out, Black Spot**

They say that deep in everybody's soul, there is a black spot of human selfishness that causes most of the troubles in this old world.

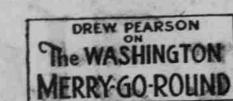
Here at Carolina, under a warm Southern sun and surrounded by an atmosphere of enlightened friendliness, the human trait of self interest generally difuses itself into a mutual respect and regard for the student community.

At times, as during the past political holicust on campus, the black spot blows itself up to the point of near hatred for others. If you will, you can watch every step that most of your elected officers take; and you can blast the fear of an indignant constituency into Sander, Mitchell, Talley, and company thru your letters to the editor column and thru your daily contact with them in Y court. These fellows will be out the world. Furthermore, injust as good as you make them.

Unfortunately your honor courts operate in secrecy and you don't even know which of your judges skip council sessions.

The lower courts are elected on a bi-partisan basis and show promise of non-partisan, non-partial rulings. The highest court of the campus-the Student Council-was "won" by the University Party. The SP will have four and the UP five seats on the new Council. During the last session, Don-VanNoppen, Chairman Dan Bell and their fellow judges made the U. N. Security Council. their decisions on the basis of the Honor System rather than playing politics with student justice.

Friends of Dick Jenrette, who received over 1500 votes from the student body in his race for the post of Councilman-At-Large, are supporting the retiring editor for chairman of the Council.



WASHINGTON .- The American Embassy in Moscow has cabled that a giant Soviet Bureau has been set'up to find oil

for the Russian war machine. Oil fields in the Russian caucausus have started to run dry, and the Russian general staff is frantically trying to develop new sources. This is one of the most important developments in the cold war because, without oil, the Russian war machine would be paralyzed.

As a result, Molotov has rushed hundreds of Russian geologists to Sinkiang province in Communist China to look for oil, and has ordered urgent priorities for drilling in Kirghizian in central Asia and on Sakhalin Island.

British Diplomacy Boomerangs. U. S. Ambassador Douglas in London has cabled the sensational though confidential news that the British may cancel their recognition of the Chinese Communists

Foreign Minister Bevin, he says, is burned up because three months have passed and the Chinese Communists haven't even bothered to acknowledge Britain's announcement of recognition.

That announcement is now considered one of Britain's worst diplomatic boners, causing her to lose prestige throughstead of making it easier to protect Britain's \$2,000,000,000 investment in Hong Kong, it has boomeranged. The . Chinese Communists have let it be known that, before even acceptting British recognition, they want to reopen the Sino-British treaty which gave Hong Kong to Britain. They also demand British support for a seat on

CONGRESSMEN PLAY.....

HOOKEY ..... a'-, DGt ... is the number of times he sticks around to vote. The public doesn't realize it,

We see by the stream of an- "Graft, Inc.", takes note of most his store-bought scalp and maynouncement pouring into the of the rumors that have been repeated up here in Graham practically all the functional in- Memorial and formulates a poldividuals and organizations on icy either for or against the subthe campus are cognizant of the ject of such rumors. Our policy One measure of a Congress- fact that Spring has arrived. toward the plight of one Miss man's worth to his constituents (Frank Allston told us so too.) Culler is that of taking her side of the argument. We still be-

> lieve in her and will contribute all our support. This column being sort of a catch-all for announcements, complaints, gripes, graft, and lost & found articles, it is hereby announced that the wind just blew in someone's toupee, i. e., a wig. We thought that it might just possibly belong to one named by his friends "Chrome-dome" is honor of as brilliant a head as can be found on any glass of beer. If Mr. Valentine, er, that is, if. Mr. Chrome-dome will call by the Daily Tar Heel (Graft, Inc.) business office he can pick-up member it or not.

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" It usually is,' the old lady

"I could see she was going

I told her about how I went to

guy, how one word led to an-

other, and how I finally went to

the old dame said when I

was through. 'Tonight you

tell your sweetheart you were

wrong to get angry and ask

her to forgive' you, and to-

morrow at 1 o'clock I want

you to pick me up on the

same corner and tell me

everything that happened.

"'Okay, lady,' I said. 'I prom-

'Now you listen to me.'

a bar and got loaded,

said. 'Why don't you tell me

about her?

ise."

### **Pitching Horseshoes** -By Billy Rose-

There's a 250-pounder called 'Yeah, what else? It's a girl.' Tiny who generally parks his cab in front of my theatre, and come rain, snow or blowout, the hackie is as amiable a gent as you're likely to meet in this to feel hurt if I don't talk. so ungentlemanly town.

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The other night, however, a dance the night before, how while driving me down to Lu- my girl danced with another chow's for a platter of sauerbraten, Tiny didn't even comment on the weather, and when I asked him what was wrong, he said, "Eeverything, liable to lose one of my best customers." "How's that again?" I asked. "What's a sad story got to do

with losing a customer?" "'Young man,' the old lady said as we were waiting for the light to change at 125th, 'something is obviously bothering you. Would it help to tell me about it?"

".'It would help me to drop dead,' I told her.

"It's kind of complicated," said the hackie, "but perhaps I can explain it before we hit 14th Sireet. To begin at the beginning, a couple of months ago I was cruising around Washington Heights when an old lady hardly bigger than an umbrella asked me to drive her down to the East 60s. I was nursing a hangover that day and didn t feel much like talking."

"'You mustn't talk that way.' she said. 'I know what it means to be unhappy and how it helps to confide in someone. Is it about a girl?'

"Well, to keep her from breathing down my neck I said,

**To The Editor** 

#### WASN'T CLAMPITT

Although I am interested in seeing the school for orientation get as much publicity as possible I must hasten to question the value of having a don't have to tell you that five movie review appear under the varns a week ain't easy. Right heading of a day old story I now, I've run out of plots, and wrote on student orientation. if you can spare a nice, sad It was very embarrasing for story it would sure come in me to have to explain to old handy. Otherwise, the old lady friends that I really didn't will feel I don't need her any write the review after they more and go back to thinking came up to me and congratulatabout her own troubles." ed me for finally writing a good "What's bothering her?" I article. Besides it ill-behooves asked. me to see credit mis-directed to me when it really should go "I'm not sure," said Tiny, to my good friend Anies Daye. 'but the place I take her to every afternon is the cancer clinic Bob Clampitt at Memorial Hospital."

"Sure enough, the next afternoon she was waiting. "'How did you make out?' she asked as she got into the "'I did exactly like you told me," I said, ' and it worked so good that tonight my girl is going out with the other guy."

'Oh, I'm so sorry," said the old lady, and I could see she really was, but I could also see that my troubles were taking her mind off her own.

"'Don't give up, son,' she said when I let her out. 'I'll see you tomorrow afternoon, same time

"Well, that's how it's been going for the past couple of months. Every afternoon I pick her up and tell her a hard luck story, and every afternoon she lectures me on how to get along with girlsand it's driving me nuts."

"'What's your trouble?" asked.

"The trouble is," said Tiny, "I ain't got no troubles. I'm a happy married guy and make a satisfactory buck, but I know how much of a bang the old dame gets out of my problems, and so lately the missus and me have been staying up nights, lighting out new ones-and I



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TO LOOK REAL NICE ...

the one week-end

of May 6, there are more. plans planned than there have been all this year so far, That week end must considered astrologically a good weekend for many thing. Fraternity functions will be obvious with the K. A.'s Old South Secession Ball in session and in whiskers, which you have probably seen around the campus, and with the Chi Psi's Spring House Party coming off with the usualsuccess expected. The Interdormitory Council under the cochairmanship of Buck Blankenship and Dick Taylor will throw a big dance with the music of Sam Donahue's orchestra in competition for attention with the University Club's Carnival U and Blue White Football Game d on the same day. The Alpha Tau Omega's also have sched-

By Tom Wharton

be a few more.

In a serious note, this socalled columnist wishes to congratulate the new editor of the Daily "Tar Heel and wish him Editor: a lot of luck. Graham Jones

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will be a good man for this job and that is just exactly the kind of man the job requires. He will no doubt be called upon to defend his paper against all sorts of ridiculous charges and accusations, that would be libel anywhere but on a college newspaper, by other people in high places around the campus, but this columnist urges the editor to say and do just exactly what he darn well pleases with the paper as long as it isn't a violation of any laws. The campus has elected the editor of the paper to do just that whether they will long re-

Last criting the SP won the Council by a one vote majority and elected their top vote-getter, Dan Bell, to the chairmanship. Dick has never apologized for his strong belief in his Party, but if he is elected Chairman of the Council he gives every indication of leaving his political affiliations at the door, when he walks into the Council room.

The other student jurists, and each of them, has a record of fair and honest action, will in all likelihood do the same. Candidates should "play politics." Council members can maintain the integrity of the Carolina system only if they serve without prejudice, be it political or otherwise.

Graham Jones

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but absenteesim has now become a Congressional racket in Congress. Too many Congressmen, especially from Eastern states, spend their time weekending instead of earning their \$15,000-a-year salaries in Washington.

The practice has become so flagrant that certain big lobbies have arranged to have crucial votes taken on week ends to take advantage of the absence of these "homing pigeons." Recently, for instance, Speaker, Sam Rayburn and his friends in the gas lobby carefully scheduled the Kerr Gas Bill vote on a Friday night because its big-city foes were weekending in New York and Chicago,

As a result, the natural gas lobby squeezed its bill through the House by a close vote of, 176 to 174, thereby sure to raise gas rates to housewives in the same big cities where the Congressmen were week-ending. The practice has become so

bad that the Merry-Go-Round plans to expose the worst offenders. First, let's call the roll of those who-don't answer roll calls among the House Republicans:

THE "I. T. AND T" CLUB Most noted members of the "I. T. and T." Club (In Tuesday and out Thursday) are staunch-Republican representatives Kingsland Macy of Long Island and Frederic Coudert of New York City. Out of a total of 342 quorum and rolls calls in this Congress, Macy has missed-203 and Coudert 202. In other words, these two Congressmen were absent almost 60 per cent. of the time.

Representative Dean Taylor of Troy, another New York Republican, has the dubious distinction of being third on the list of GOP "hookey players." He missed a total of 190 out of 342 quorum and roll calls. Congresman Charles Plumley of Vermont is close behind, with 171 misses, while Richard Hoffman of Berwyn, Illinois, was absent 168 times out of 342. The remainder of the 25 House Republicans with the worst attendance records in Congress are:

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William L. Pfiffer of Kenmore, N. Y., 159 absences (out of 342); Harry Towe of Rutherford, N. Y., 154 absences; Paul Shafer of Battle Creek, Mich., 149; Cliff Clevenger of Bryan,



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## SOUND AND FURY FLOOR SHOW, 9:00 p.m. - Rendezvous Room - Tonight



school seniors over the state will be guests of UNC in what we hope will be a "Prospective-Carolina-Freshman-Next-Fall --Day.' The Daily Tar Heel staff, or Bangor, Maine, 131; Thruston Morton of Kentucky, 127; John Jennings of Knoxville, Tenn., 124; Hugh Scott of Philadelphia, 122; Leonard W. Hall of Oyster

their annual "Alumni Day" on

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Bay, Long Island, 120. Also, Gardner Withrow of La Grosse, Wis., 119; Ralph Gwinn of Bronxville, N. Y., 118; Char- A les Elston of Cincinnati, Ohio, 113: Dewey Short of Galena,

could be made assistant Secretary of State, with a commitment that he would become undersecretary of state if able and popular James Webb should Ohio, 132; Frank Fellows of resign.

Mo., 112: Edwin A. Hall of Binghamton, N. Y., 109; Sterling Cole of Bath, N. Y., 97; Chauncey Reed of West Chicago, Ill., 94; Carl Hinshaw of Pasadena, Calif., 93; and Charles Halleck of Rensselaer, Ind., 92.

> An "absentee" roll call on House Democrats will follow shortly.

CAPITAL NEWS CAPSULES

Dulles maneuvering - Inside fact about the John Foster o Dulles appointment as special adviser to Secretary fo State 9 Acheson is that Dulles flatly re- 0 fused the post when first tendered by Acheson. He wanted m something more important, so Acheson got Truman reluctantly to agree that Dulles later

