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Old Vampire Stirs From Its Den

"It is, in a way, subsidization of a particular group." State Rep. John W. Umstead of Orange County spoke those words last week of a motion he sponsored before the Legislature's Joint Appropriations Subcommittee. The motion, now approved by the subcommittee in connection with its bill to raise tuition rates for out-of-state students at statesupported colleges, called for exemption to scholarship holders from the fee raises.

"For scholarship holders": That is, or used to be, an unobjectionable phrase in the colleges and universities. No longer, however, does the word "scholar" in "scholarship" have its due meaning. The subcommittee motion means now, in effect, that a large number of out-of-state scholarship holders draw their "scholarships" for participating in intercollegiate athletics. The present exemption move can be reduced to one single objective: To keep scholarship fees for athletics down.

One Clear Motive

The graduate student who will be expected to plunk down \$140 more next year if he comes from outside the state will get no exemption. Nor will the out-of-state undergradwate without a scholarship find the \$140 boost erased from his tuition bill. The motive is plain to see. Mr. Umstead, in a statement explaining his stand in the matter, said:

The basketball team at State and the basketball team at the University of North Carolina are composed almost entirely of out-of-state students. These students are at these institution on scholarships set up on the basis of \$360 out-of-state tuition. The money for these scholarships is contributed by loyal alumni... and everybody knows that the Wolfpack Club at State and the Educational Foundation at Chapel Hill have, and are now having, their problems.

We do not call into question Mr. Umstead's long and rapt attention to the University's needs. He is, and has been, one of her staunchest advocates. But the reasoning behind the present scholarship exemptions, cogent enough on the surface, stirs from its sleep that old yampire of athletic subsidization unfairly given which has sucked at the University's substance (over many objections) for a long, long time.

Which Problems Come First?

"Everybody knows that the Wolfpack Club ... and the Educational Foundation ... have ... their problems." Are we to suppose from this that the University itself has no prob-

Carolina Front Chronicles Of Enterprise-1 Whizz, Whizz

J. A. C. Dunn

DUE TO THE fact that we drive a middle-aged and rather temperamental Ford, we frequently find ourself soliciting the services of a mechanic. The best mechanic we have been able to find in the area is one Willy Johnson, who hangs out in a square, two-place cement block garage on the Airport Road a mere tiddly-winks flip from his own back door. Mr. Johnson, who began learning his trade at an impressionable age when he took down the motor of what would now be a very old Buick, found he couldn't put it back together again, and called in a mechanic to teach him how, has come up with what we think is an inspired idea.

"The only real trouble with these new cars," say Mr. Johnson, 'is that most of them won't be on the road after about five years. They're built for looks, not for the quality of the machinery. What we need" (and here Mr. Johnson looks dreamily into the middle distance, yearning for the days when a man could get at a carburetor without having to be a contortionist) 'is a revival of the old Fords and Buicks and Chevrolets. If I could be assured of a return on the investment, I'd sink every nickel I make for the next five years into rebuilding old 33's, 34's and 35's. Rebuild 'em, sell 'em to people who want a car for use, not to impress other people."

THIS PROJECT IS just about as near to the eighth wonder of the world as we think we'll come for awhile. We know. We drive an old Ford, and we have driven late-model cars, all kinds. The late model cars are no good. True, they ride like cotton, they look like a Roman palace, and most of the time one can't really tell if the motor is running or not; but they can't be trusted. Take the hydromatics, the Fordomatics, Powerglides, Dynaflows, whatever you want. They're the most terrifying machines on the road. To begin with they go too fast without being asked to; one only needs to think very hard and all of a sudden the car is haring along at a brisk (and for this day and age, tame) 70 mph. Furthermore, we get the feeling, whenever we drive one of those Enigmatic gearshifts, that we Committee. are not in full control of the car. It sort of does what it wants to, most of the time, fortunately, in the right direction. And then there are the power whatnots. Power steering, power windows, power brakes, power, power, power. What are people coming to that they can't turn the steering wheel? Who's afraid of the Big, Bad Brake? or What Stiff Pedals You Have, Grandmama! Power steering, automatic transmission, mechanical signals, forsooth. All this luxury



CONGRESSIONAL PICTURE

Eisenhower's Spell Breaking

WASHINGTON - The spell which President Eisenhower has seemed to cast over many Democrats especially in the Senate has been broken. This was evident in the wake of the unexpectedly numerous and emotional tributes to the late President Roosevelt delivered by Demoniversary of his death.

burn. Former President Truman, Adlai Stevenson and Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt will be on hand. But the politicians understand very well-that while these dignitaries are important spokesmen and showcases, the record on which the campaign must be waged cratic Senators on the 10th an- will be made in Congress. And there has been a very wide-

direction of the drift in China policy and his feelings were not improved by "silly and irresponsible" blasts thrown at his tax proposals by the President a few days after he personally saved the Eisenhower reciprocal trade bill in the House.

> The break in Democratic defeatism is composed of several factors. In part, it represents

the erosion of time, the mistakes

made by Dulles, and by far in

greatest measure is the feeling

that in the China matter they

CPU Talks On Yalta

Nine days ago the results of an opinion survey released by Dr. George Gallup at Princeton, N. J., revealed that slightly more than half (approximately 56%) of the American public have taken an interest in the State Department release of the Yalta papers. Of this interested majority, the opinion that the State Department was correct in making the papers public prevailed by a five-to-four margin.

An interesting political sidelight to this question is the division among the so-called "informed" members of both parties. Among those Republicans expressing interest and opinion, the proportion was three-to-one approving release of the papers. Conversely, among Democrats the opinion that they should not have been made public was prevalent by a ratio of three-to two.

Aside from either party's political position with respect to this issue, what are the larger implications for the American public present and future? To begin to understand the tremendous import of the decisions reached at Yalta, the military situation at the time should be kept in mind.

We are privileged to review with hindsight the record as released, but we have no such informatoin on what preceded at Teheran, Cairo or Casablanca In the poll referred to earlier the prevalent opinion was to the effect that "they are a part of history and can be used to correct mistakes in years to come"

At half past eight this evening in the Grail Room of GM the regular roundtable discussion of the CPU will unravel the topic.

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A Poem By Ron Levin Pink snow flurries . . . early April

Straining winds toss hard in labor Teasing winds deliver litters Filling gutters in the sun.

stoic stovepipe hat men here or whirling infant arms in streets

But

stepped on sweetness lying there between the cracks. At night they shine The walk lights feast their eyes and dine.

Pink snow lounging on red walks melting slowly into spring's second pseudo thaw

Quote, Unquote

It would be madness to let the purposes or the methods of private enterprise set the habits of the age of atomic energy .- Harold Laski, Plan or Perish (1945)

The place where optimism most flourishes is the lunatic asylum. - Havelock Ellis, Little Essays of Love and Virtue

Business? It's quite simple. It's other speople's money .- Alexander Dumas, the Younger La Question d'Argent

Saturday's Answer

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Pigs Is Pigs .- Wilhelm Busch

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lems? Are we to suppose that no real financial urgencies call for out-of-state tuition raises? Are we to suppose that the laments about North Carolina poverty, the need for state tax-law revision, the slashed budget for the Consolidated University signify nothing? Are we now to assume, all for the greater glory of athletic scholarships, that professors teaching classes of nearly 100 students in English and History do not have their problems?

Send The Vampire Back

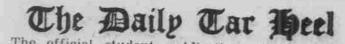
If we have any perspective left; if we retain any respect for educational integrity at the college level in North Carolina, we will not stand for exemptions giving privileges to special groups when other, infinitely more important groups need relief so badly.

And we would remind you of one final factor: The motion giving exemptions to scholarship holders (and we hope we have made clear who holds the lion's share of these scholarships) rode through the subcommittee over the clear and contrary advice of the President of the Consolidated University. Mr. Gray's letter, read before the group, was paraphrased this way:

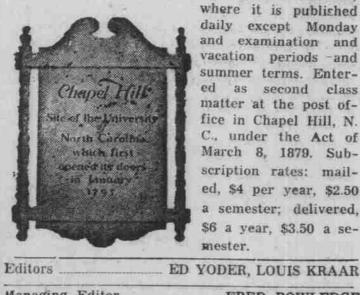
The president does not advocate exemption of non-resident scholarship holders, because it seems to him that such exemption would establish the policy of special treatment for a special group.

Whose advice, then, will the members of the State Legislature heed? Will they respect the express desires of President Gray or will they try to pacify the poor and problem-ridden Educational Foundation and Wolfpack Club?

Will we mend roof leaks when the foundations of the house are beset with tremors?



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mechanism takes the sport out of driving. There's an art to driving a car, but it's rapidly being lost in the morass of convenient accessories.

PERHAPS, ONE DAY, Mr. Johnson will realize his dream, and once more we will have cars that can be trusted. Of course at the same time we will have steering wheels that have to be worked at to be turned, and windows that take all of three seconds to wind up, an dbrakes one really has to push on just a bit to slow the car down with; but at the same time we will have gears that can be felt, motors that are accessible, a machine that will return reliance placed on it, instead of a collection of two-tone terrors that behave like prima ballerinas every time the temperature goes below 30 degrees, or every two weeks" anyway, regardless of fluctuations of the thermometer.

We suspect that probably teenagers and college students would be among the first to start buying rebuilt Fords and Chevrolets, along with country people, who want transportation and not a show of affluence. We also suspect that the prices would be considerably lower than most car prices now. We further imagine that were there an increase of gentler cars in the country, the nation's highway problems might well begin to return to a more manageable norm. Perhaps not, but then

spread feeling that the Senators All factions of the majority were represented in a display of in making it. spirit very different from the caution and even defeatism which has lately prevailed a-

mong them. For a long time Democratic Senators were noticeably nonbelligerent on political questions or matters relating thereto, and they frowned on belligerence in the National

Can it be that plant enriching product of the

nether end of our Houyhnhnm land friends that

wafts through our air? I think not. Even that

base portion of the horse smacks of more truth

and sincerity than this foul stench that stamps

and stumbles into our dorms and classrooms on

journalistic hobnails-size 13, if you will. This

smell becomes more localized when we lift the

reeking rag of DTH April 14, and reaches unbear-

able intensity as we read the first "editorial."

(The word "editorial" is used loosely, since it

implies an "editor" which, in turn, implies the

first part of an atom of intelligence, the last rem-

nant of which apparently packed up and left with

Let us arm ourselves with clothespin and (par-

don the expression) prophylactic gloves, and per-

use this "editorial."- What does it say? Who

knows? One line says that our student govern-

ment derives its power from the consent of the

governed, i.e.' the students. Shortly thereafter

we read that we must stay away from the presi-

dent's office lest we offend him (?) or possibly

others whose offices are at the south end of the

same floor. That's it! Keep the students away

from the president and vice versa. That way he'll

know how we feel and what we want. How will

he discover these things? How else but that he

be informed by those mighty minions of the DTH

-champions of those who are blind and stupid

Students! Wear not your brogans in the realm

of G.M. The editors of the DTH have sensitive nostrils and you might disturb their arrogant

bliss. And, if bliss be the only reward of ignor-

ance, let us not deny them this small favor. De-

stroy all incriminating footwear, lest you be purg-

Nevertheless, take heart fellow students. Heed

not the aimless smear of the editor. Don Fowler's hand is extended to all, regardless of style, size,

or void of shoe. Accept this gracious invitation

enough to be led by the nose.

Now the Senators, led by Majority Leader Lyndon Johnson, have kicked off a week end of party festivities with a show of confidence and unity. It could not be more welcome to the Democrats gathering here in thousands for celebrations culminating in a dinner tribute Sat- appointment in Eisenhower as policies and good politics coinurday night to Speaker Sam Ray- President. He is worried about cide.

Editors:

Mr. Kuralt.)

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were far too slow and cautious For this reason Senator Johnson's words and actions are being watched with special care.

from the Rayburn story.

have a real issue. The last named will, they feel, serve to di-He is aware of the situation and vide the Republican party and force the President at long last eager to reassure the party that to take an irrevocable stand, the Democratic Senators will do which will alienate one strong their share. He will be among faction or the other the speakers Saturday night but plans only a personal tribute to

The Democrats are convinced his fellow-Texan with whom he that the country wants peace. served in the House. Anything They are sure that Americans else, he fears, might detract are reluctant to hurl atomic bombs over Quemoy and Matsu. That the Speaker is prepared They believe that they are reto lead the charge against the luctant to hurl bombs on behalf White House is well known. He of Chiang Kai-shek. In this they has long expressed severe dis- believe that basic Democratic

Another	Reader's	Retort	On	Odors
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years at U.N.C. Don Fowler-Godspeed! (Aw, come on. We'll use clothespins.-Editors) L. H. LAWING, JR.

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