

Outside it's frightful.
Inside it's so delightful.
Tomorrow:
Let it snow. Let it snow.

The Daily Tar Heel

Holiday calendar,
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Many, many
exam crosswords

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Holiday Gift Guide

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A holiday fantasy

'Twas the night after finals, and all on the Hill,

Not a student was studying, they were drinking their fill!

Their grades would soon be hung by the offices with care,

The students had hopes that only A's would be there.

The professors were nestled all snug in their beds,

While visions of their break danced in their heads.

The students were getting rowdy, all ready for fun,

Yet, they sensed that something had been left undone.

Why, they wanted their grades, to see them right then,

So to campus they went, then there came such a din!

For out in Polk Place there arose such a clatter,

Professors sprung form their beds to see what was the matter!

When what to their wondering eyes should appear,

But thousands of Tarheels, all filled with good cheer!

More rapid than lightning, the students they came,

They whistled, they shouted, they called them by name:

"Now, Armitage! now, King! now, Unks and Kauffman!

On, Daniels! on, Benavie! on, Reed and Lowman!

To your buildings you go, by your office wall,

Dash away, post our grades, go post them all!"

So all across campus, the teachers, they flew,

With notebooks full of grades and computer sheets, too.

They hurriedly graded and hung up the marks,

Then ran back to home and waited for sparks.

And the sparks they flew, the students were crunched!

There was not one A in the whole gosh-darned bunch!

And then who should appear, but the jolliest of elves,

The students laughed when they saw him, in spite of themselves.

With wink of his eye, and a twist of his head,

He let the Heels know they had nothing to dread!

He spoke not a word, but went straight to the grades,

He changed all the printouts — now it was A's they had made!

And laying his finger aside of his nose, And giving a nod, to the Carolina sky he rose,

Then they heard him exclaim as he drove out of sight,

"Better grades to you all, and to all a good night!"



I'm just going to EXPLODE!

Special holiday cheer for this Christmas tree shopper apparently does not extend to his car.

Christmas tree business is brisk as the big day approaches.

DTH ad staff kidnaps editor

No, no. We're kidding. That is not a real headline and this is not the usual Daily Tar Heel.

You might have reached this revelation if you noticed that there were a few more advertisements than normal. No, the DTH is not giving up on journalism. Rather, this is a

special issue, your guide to holiday shopping around the Hill.

Take a gander, find that Christmas special for that special someone on your list — even if that someone is you.

Inside, you will also find plenty of crossword

puzzles and a handy calendar to keep you abreast of the goings on around town right up through the New Year.

Have a safe and happy break, and good luck on exams, even if you do have three in 36 hours and can't get them changed.

When the going gets tough, the tough go shopping. — Anonymous