

"Teen Topics"



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We'd like to start with a happy thought this week. **THERE WILL BE NO SCHOOL ON TUESDAY, OCT. 29.** Our teachers will be attending an NCEA meeting. Therefore they will be getting a rest from us, and we will be getting a rest from them.

The Kappa Gammas traveled Thursday night to Greenville to see the production "Anthony and Cleopatra" at East Carolina College. The play was presented by the college players and was viewed in order that new ideas and techniques might be obtained for the benefit of our group. Kappa Gammas who attended this performance were: Betty Jean Sumrell, Brenda Smith, Brenda Parker, Jackie Potter, Harry Mallard, Lib McDaniel, Danny Koonce, Glen Harrison, Billy Harrison, Joyce Dillahunt, and Teresa Creagh. Sponsors attending were Mr. John H. Pollock and Miss Amy Charlotte White.

OPEN LETTER TO A CERTAIN SOPHOMORE — Please don't do it!!!

Last Friday night Brenda Hill gave a slumber party for Mary Dixon's fifteenth birthday (finally). Those who stayed overnight were Donna Parker, Mary Dixon, Brenda Hill (of course), Betty Jean Sumrell, Kathy Roper, and Teresa Creagh. Those who dropped in during the evening were Rodney Col-

ins, Freddie Costello, David Cox, Barry Henderson, Charles Parker, Jack Parker, and Jimmy Pollock. Everyone had a good time including the football game on the front lawn.

NOTE TO A CERTAIN EIGHTH GRADER — Please don't be so upset!

Wonder

What Doug Mattocks was doing on the Activity Bus last Friday night?

Why Jane Buck is interested in Swansboro?

Whose ring Lib McDaniel is wearing?

Why Ann Mallard was supposed to be a "witness" for Dianne Jarman and Ben Greene?

Who visited Mary Dixon and Kathy Roper Sunday? Could it have been Greg Hood and Danny Terry?

If Polly McDaniel has been chased lately?

When Donna Parker and Kathy Roper will learn to say "woman"?

FISH FRY SUNDAY

The Fellowship Class of the Trenton Methodist Church will have a fish fry at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Johnson Sunday afternoon, October 27, at 6 p. m. All members and their families are invited. Everyone is asked to bring as much slaw and hush puppies as their family can eat.

SENATOR SAM ERVIN ★ SAYS ★



The Senate recently voted upon amendments which I offered to provisions in the Higher Education Bill which provide authority for the Federal Commissioner of Education to make grants and loans to colleges and universities owned or controlled or operated by religious denominations.

The bill authorizes the appropriation of \$900 million for grants and an additional \$600 million for loans to public, private, and church-owned or church-controlled or operated colleges or universities for academic facilities.

In separate votes the Senate voted to accept my amendment to provide for a court test of the constitutionality of Federal grants and loans to colleges and universities conducted by religious denominations, and it rejected my amendment to declare such colleges and universities ineligible for such loans and grants under the bill.

I am personally convinced that grants and loans of this nature violate the First Amendment. Four times in the past seventeen years, namely, in the Everson Case, the McCollum Case, the McGowan

Case, the Supreme Court of the United States has expressly declared that the First Amendment means at least these things:

1. That neither a State nor the Federal Government "can pass laws which aid one religion, aid all religions, or prefer one religion over another."

2. That "no tax in any amount, large or small, can be levied to sup-

port any religious activities or institutions, whatever they may be called, or whatever form they may adopt to teach or practice religion."

3. That neither a State nor the Federal Government "can openly or secretly participate in the affairs of any religious organizations or groups and vice versa."

It is obvious that the Federal Government would be aiding religious educational institutions and using tax money for their support and participating in their affairs if it makes grants or loans to them under the provisions of HR 6143.

The issue involved is of the utmost importance, because I think millions of Americans share my conviction that the making of such grants and loans of tax-raised

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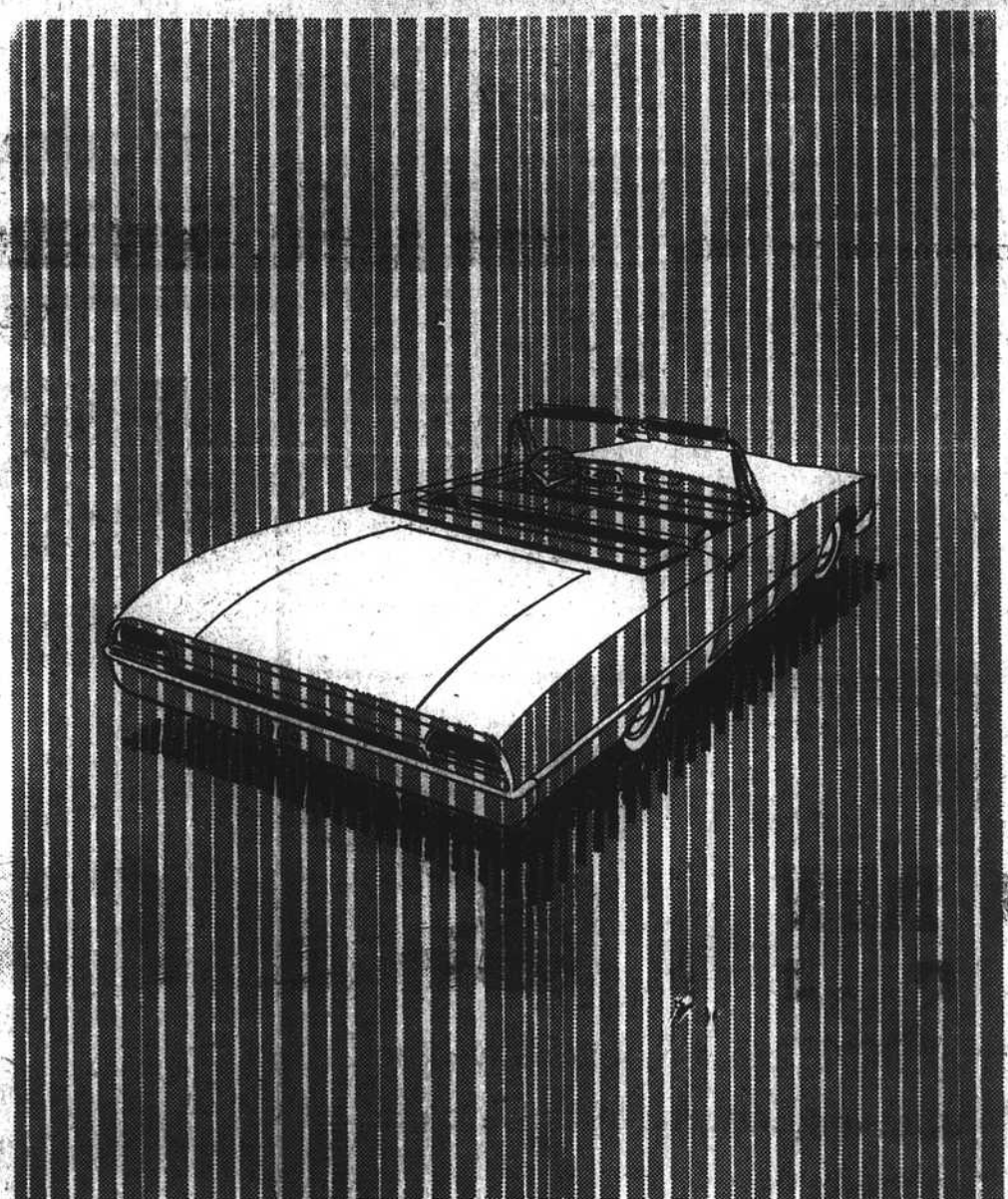
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