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Reactivated Publications

After a lapse ranging from two to three years, three of the former magazines on the campus have been reactivated and published. During the last two weeks, issues of the Southern Engineer, the Textile Forum, and the Agriculturist have been issued to students in the schools which the different magazines represent.

The resumption of publication of the Southern Engineer, the Textile Forum, and the Agriculturist represents much work on the part of the students who serve on the various staffs. Just as on the Agromech and THE TECHNICIAN, very few of the staff members get paid for their efforts.

In spite of the usual operational difficulties which are often responsible for mistakes such as misspelled names and words, pictures being printed upside down, and others, and in spite of the fact that all three of the publications could have been improved both in technical form and human interest content, the magazines are a credit to the school and to the editors.

Begin From Within

(Editor's note: This guest editorial was written as an assignment in Dr. Hartley's English class by S. N. Richardson, a freshman in Civil Engineering. Dr. Hartley passed it on to us, and we agree with it so wholeheartedly that we would like to present it to the entire student body.)

There is almost no one at State College who has not noticed and commented upon the glaring lack of courtesy, friendliness, and school spirit; yet, only a few individuals are making an attempt at honest reform.

We are the school. If our college lacks a friendly attitude, a courteous air, or a dynamic school spirit, it is only because we have failed to promote such spirit.

Thus far we have used the wrong method, to correct all the blemishes we find in our school's character. We must stop blaming others and accept the stultifying fact that we are the culpable ones responsible for the conditions we find.

S. N. RICHARDSON.

State College Campus Centrifuge

By BILL GATLIN

All over the United States, colleges are being deluged with students as they have never been before. At a time when these institutions of high learning would like to "put a best foot forward" and display to their greatest public the grander side of their organization, physical facilities and teaching personnel are the remains of total war.

Beyond the classroom and physical discomforts, another phase of college life has deteriorated. Those activities called extracurricular have suffered during the war years. Social, professional, and honor organizations have floundered and failed.

Technical curricula are unable to offer sufficient training along this line. How to win friends, influence people, and to gain a humane understanding of people must in the end be learned from direct contact.

contact. Organizations designed for this purpose are extracurricular. A student's personal time and interest is required for their functioning. The contribution these organizations make to the individual member has already been described.

Hazing and some of the custom and tradition still retained by campus organizations are foolish and childish. However, most of their activities is not child's play.

White Horse Truth
Just exactly what student veterans do have on their mind has been a popular game of guessing.

"The educational system of America is failing the youth of America. . . . It is fashioning sparrows and pushing them out to compete with hawks. . . . Why on earth should we be taught . . . this foolishness about honesty, truth and fair play?"

"If a student is majoring in law, he should be taught not only the laws but the most approved methods . . . of finding the loopholes. . . . If he is to be a doctor, he should not only learn medicine but how to milk the largest fees. . . . If an engineer, how to construct with the cheapest of materials. . . . If a journalist, how to slant, alter, lie. . . . In the securities field . . . the different methods of watering stocks and duping the suckers. . . . If we set up petitions to remove these namby-pamby professors stumbling on their White Horse Truth, and get some good headed businessmen in our colleges to teach us what we have to know to become a success."

Doings Of Your Campus Government

(Prepared by the Promotion Committee of the Campus Government Council and dedicated to the creation of a better informed and civic consciousness on the State College campus.)

New Constitution In Demand
Copies of the Constitution and By-laws of the Campus Government and Honor System of the North Carolina State College are much in demand, with requests from colleges in Virginia, Tennessee, South Carolina, Kentucky, Ohio, Illinois, and Kansas, as well as from institutions within the state.

Campus Council Action
Two sets of recommendations presented by the Promotion Committee were considered and approved by the Campus Government Council at the March 8, 1946, meeting.

Stealing
Though at times it seems hard to do so, one must inevitably come to the realization that when 2700 people are gathered at one place a certain amount of dishonesty will exist.

Several wallets have been reported stolen with as much as \$30.00 in addition to valuable papers being lost. Two wheels were stolen from an automobile parked in front of Alexander Dormitory, and an automobile parked in front of the Y.M.C.A. was broken into.

We hope that State students have not been responsible for all of these crimes, but it is a certainty that the students have committed some of them. To defeat this wave of petty theft, we ask each of you to be sure that your room is locked when you leave even if you are going to be absent for just a few minutes.

"Courtney and Fellowship Term" at State College. The traditional "Hale Week" will constitute the send-off and this will be followed by an appropriate series of special programs, social events, and publicity.

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B. Increasing respect shall be shown for the letter and spirit of acceptable parliamentary procedure in Campus Council meetings, with more of orderliness, courtesy, impartiality of the chair, and genuine consensus resulting from full debate and impartial evaluation of evidence.

C. Except in special emergency situations, all recommendations shall come to the Council through established Committee channels and shall be supported by essential facts before being acted upon by the Council.

The Cafeteria
Chairman John Pollock of the Investigation Committee reported to the Campus Council that he had held a very pleasant and profitable conference with Manager H. E. Stewart of the cafeteria regarding certain criticisms previously made by members of the student body.

Technician For The Faculty
Chancellor Harrelson announced at the last weekly meeting with the Faculty Advisory Committee that arrangements have been made through the cooperation of R. E. Wooten, editor, to have THE TECHNICIAN distributed to the faculty free of charge during the spring term.

From The Administration

By J. W. HARRELSON, Chancellor

The 1946 Summer Term
During the last four summers, the State College has offered a twelve weeks term of instruction as a part of its war program.

Prior to World War II, the College had made its facilities available to the rural people of North Carolina for two meetings of one week each.

The summer term will open on June 10 and close on August 10.
J. W. HARRELSON, Chancellor.

Junior-Senior Dance

It has been announced that the Junior-Senior dance will be held on Saturday night, April 27. The dance will be formal. Further details will be given in future issues of The Technician.

AICHe Meeting

There will be a meeting of the AICHe on Tuesday, April 2, at 7:30 in Withers Hall.

possible, to have the physician in attendance at the infirmary for a period during the morning of each day as early as the morning of March 15 since this seems to be highly desirable in the light of the greatly increased student enrollment.

II. The following recommendations were among those approved with reference to the internal organization of the Campus Government Council itself:

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GLEANINGS

He bit his fingernails till he got down to raw meat, he worked and he slaved, and finally after four years (plus summer schools, correspondence courses, etc.) Whitey Byrum is about to graduate.

Bill Lynn has eliminated that under-the-nose peach-fuzz. He used to smear tooth paste on it so that every time he wooed his baby, he brushed her teeth.

Here's some hot news for men with nylon hungry wives. Irv "Lepke" Feldman, Turlington D. A. has a stock of nylons on hand at one buck per pair--while they last.

Joe Saunders had a narrow escape Saturday night. He met a little trick who was ready, willing and able only she had a father who must have been very narrow minded.

Have you heard about the 500 Club? Its charter members are Glenn Fletcher, Harry Jones, Harold Saunders and his kid brother Joe Joe. The Club is open for membership; however, to be eligible for membership, one must have proof of 500 points worth of those dainty little unmentionables.

Phil Strole had a front seat at the leg show sponsored by Meredith College at the Little Theatre last Saturday night. Poor Phil was all excited and he could not do a thing about it, but from the expression on his face, we all knew what he would like to have been doing.

Tom Garrison and his girl friend went to Winston-Salem last weekend. As yet, it hasn't been determined whether or not Tom and his girl eloped or possibly they just went along for the bus ride. Dave Clifton has been kissing all the babies and passing out cigars--he hopes to run for mayor of Trailer Town here on the campus.

Red Whitfield is also having his share of housing trouble. He bought a house in Raleigh a few months ago and the party who sold it to him refuses to vacate.

To finish things up, we have a marriage to report. Bill Hobbs made the fatal mistake last Saturday. Congratulations, Bill!

OPEN FORUM

"Gleanings" Condemned

The Editor:
The man who writes your column "Gleanings" is, without a doubt, the most assinine college student ever placed on the staff of a college paper to disseminate current social news to the student body.

dirty jokes and stories of drunken brawls? Some of us might like to take the paper home to show our families. How many students would like for their mothers or kid sisters to read a joke like the one about the midget in THE TECHNICIAN of March 8?

So far as the majority of students are concerned (the majority are veterans), the column will have no effect upon their morals--but how about the new high school graduates who register here each fall? Should they be led to believe that they must be drunkards in

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AWARD FOR SERVICE

A sleeping village in the path of a raging flood . . . at her switchboard an operator makes call after call to alert the community and summon aid. She leaves only when rising waters reach the board and the building itself becomes flooded.

For this and similar acts of public service, more than 1,200 telephone men and women have received the Bell System's most coveted award--the Theodore N. Vail Medal. Service to the public has long been a tradition in the Bell System.

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Dillon's Dallyings

One of the predominating questions that State students and alumni are asking is why State and Carolina don't meet on the gridiron. For the information of those who don't know the facts about the problem, we shall attempt to present the story behind the entire situation.

Back in 1943, when Doc Newton was coaching his last year at State, the draft had taken all of State's football stars, and the coaching staff was confronted with the task of molding a team around a few 4-F's and a host of 17 year olds.

Organization Of Golf Teams Gets Underway

Announcement has come from the athletic department that a golf team will be formed this spring from the student body of State College. The team will be composed of the best ten golfers that can be found on the campus, but before this ten can be ascertained there will be ample opportunity for all enthusiasts to become one of them.

State To Play In Big Four League

THE INTRAMURAL FRONT

Recently the Intramural All-Campus teams in football, basketball, volleyball, boxing, and swimming were picked. These young men who were outstanding in campus sports during the past two terms of this year will receive the All-Campus Medal for their diligence and their interest in adding to the success of the All-Campus League.

State Plays Deacons April 10 At Wake Forest

Phantoms In National Tournament Finals

Last Saturday night, the White Phantoms of the University of North Carolina defeated a strong Ohio State quintet in the final round of the Eastern NCAA Tournament that was held in New York. The Chapel Hillers had previously beaten the New York University squad, which was rated by many as the top team in the nation.

A new name, a new member and two new coaches will feature the former Ration League when the 1946 season opens on April 17 under the name of the Big Four. College baseball at its best is forecast when this circuit swings into action.

Michigan State First Test For State Squad

Coach Victor Sorrell's 1946 version of the State College baseball team met Michigan State's Spartans here on Doak Field last Thursday afternoon at 3:45 in the first contest of a tough, 17-game schedule for the Red Terrorists.

is Eugene (Bucky) Walsh, a returned serviceman. Leading pitchers for Michigan State are Joe Shrochi, a returned Navy man who hurled for the Spartans in 1941 and 1942; Keith Steffe, who returned with a haul of medals from the AAF to lead Michigan State pitchers last year with six victories and no defeats; Darrell Couey, Detroit senior hold-over from last year; Dill Page, 19-year-old bespectacled sophomore who won three of six games last year; George Killmaster, Navy airman who was an infielder on the 1943 team; and John Stallings, AAF pilot making his first bid on the Spartan nine.

Games postponed by rain or other causes must be played off the following day, provided both teams have open dates. This is to prevent piling up of numerous double-headers at the end of the race.

THE MOST HONORED WATCH ON THE CAMPUS Longines WINNER of 10 World's Fair Grand Prizes, 28 Gold Medals and more honors for accuracy than any other timepiece.

National Meeting Of Language Frat Here

The national congress of Sigma Pi Alpha Fraternity, national honorary languages society, will be held at the Raleigh Woman's Club on April 18, and the State College chapter of the fraternity will be the host. It was announced recently by Mario Cohen, newly-elected president of the college chapter.

Have You Changed Addresses?

If you have changed your address since last term, it is important that you come by the YMCA and give them your new address. Only in this way can the "Y" notify you of telegrams and phone calls which may come in.

U. Of Va. Professor Is Recent Lecturer

Micro-motion pictures of the growth and activities of cells in the bodies of living animals were shown here last Tuesday night before a meeting of the State College Chapter of the Society of the Sigma Xi by Dr. Carl C. Speidel, professor of anatomy at the Medical School of the University of Virginia.

STATE

Friday—Held Over "SENTIMENTAL JOURNEY" John Payne Laureen O'Hara William Bendix Saturday On Stage WPTT'S CAROLINA BARN DANCE On Screen "GAY BLADES" Sunday—Tuesday "THREE STRANGERS" Sidney Greenstreet Peter Lorre Geraldine Fitzgerald Wednesday—Friday "LIVE WIRES"

Plan For Industrial Research Explained

A nationwide plan to foster the use of American technical schools and colleges for industrial research has been introduced by Research For Industry, Inc., of Ohio, according to Dr. Waldemar Dietz, Executive Director of the Cleveland organization.

Basketball Players Awarded Monograms

Nine basketball players of N. C. State College have been awarded letters for their performances on the court during the past season, the N. C. State Athletic Office recently announced.

GE CAMPUS NEWS RESEARCH AND ENGINEERING KEEP GENERAL ELECTRIC YEARS AHEAD AIR CONDITIONING AT GENERAL ELECTRIC NOW perhaps more than ever before home owners and builders are anxious to install some form of air conditioning or automatic heating— or both. Industrial plants are now finding new uses for air conditioning and refrigerating equipment daily— activity in this field was tremendously stimulated during the war. Air conditioning offers ample opportunity for career seekers in this field to learn a business and establish themselves.

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Notice! Any freshman who is interested in managing the tennis team be at the courts at 4:30 this afternoon.

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