To K. M.

by pat d'anna

April 5, 1973

THANKS...

for CARING
for TAKING TIME
for SHARING
for TEACHING ME...TO FEEL,

TO ENJOY...

FEELINGS, NATURE, PEOPLE.

THANKS...for THE JOY YOU’VE GIVEN ME.

Dear Editor:

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The backwoods people of Horry County have once again stopped the progress of Coastal Carolina. I wish that we could grow without our foundation interfering into the personal lives of not only the instructor, but students as well. We need progressive instructors like Ken McLaurin — bring him back — think of not only him, but the students that are now suffering by changing over with 4 weeks of school left.

Hatchell

APATHY IN VOTING

In Columbia’s last Tuesday (April 3) general election, only 8,000 of 35,000 eligible voters voted — 22%. Why such a low percentage?

In Taiwan, last month’s general election saw 73% of its eligible voters voting. WHY? THINK ABOUT IT!!!

Chanticleers Seek Conference

by marion elliott

As spring engulfed our campus, baseball, also, arrived on the scene. The Coastal Chanticleers began their season in late March and have games scheduled through April. Coach Dan Selwa and Assistant Coach John Vrooman have molded a solid ballclub around a potent hitting attack. The Chanticleers play in the tough Palmetto Athletic Conference. Coach Selwa has set the conference championship as the team’s main goal and the Chants were successful in early season conference games.

Good hitting and sound defense at key positions form the nucleus of the club. Randy Alford, who after six games had a batting average of .587, heads a strong hitting attack. Alford receives plenty of support from the remainder of the lineup, notably Glen Arthur and Craig Hyman. Wendell Smith provides sound defense in the catching department and Arthur and Alford form an excellent keystone combination. Arthur shuffled somewhat, Craig Hyman, Wayne Calhoun, and Johnny Altman usually form the outfield. Hyman plays left while Calhoun and Altman play right and center, respectively.

The pitching staff consists of southpaw Mike Anderson and right-handers Bob Behrendt and Pat Taylor. Although the staff had its problems in the first few games, good potential is present and the pitching should progress during the campaign.
Get what you pay for

If you heard that someone paid $650.00 for an item and never utilized that item you’d say that individual was utterly foolish or crazy or both. Yet this is exactly what many students do when they “purchase” an education.

Coastal Carolina students pay $550.00 per year for academic fees and an average of $100.00 per year on books. They pay this money and never get what they pay for because they never utilize this item called education.

Most students begin the semester with good intentions of going to every class and studying each assignment. By mid-semester it becomes quite evident that these intentions have waned to the point that students are out of class more than they are in class. The purchased books are in a heap at home or in the back seat of the car and the rich knowledge contained within the covers of these books is wasted.

Why do so-called intelligent people acquire such an apathy toward education?

Some students may feel that since it is their parent’s money which went towards the purchasing of an education rather than their own money, they are free to frivolously waste their time rather than concentrate on learning. If this is the predominant attitude of Coastal students then these students have no place in college, for college is for adults not for children and this view is certainly childish.

But what of the students who pay their own way to college and are indifferent to learning? These students are foolish children also who are wasting their time and money and gaining nothing.

All of us have days when it is an effort to make ourselves receptive to our books and professors but surely this should be the exception rather than the rule.

It is time that we realize only responsible adults should enter college and as adults we should realize the value of the education we seek and become responsive to our studies. If we do this we will get not only what we pay for but much more as well. Utilization of a college education is the best bargain anywhere.

by j. w. s.
In Support of the Era

"Equality of rights under the law shall not be denied or abridged by the U. S. or by any State on account of sex." Sound familiar? It is Section 1 of the proposed Equal Rights Amendment.

There has recently been much talk of the ERA and generally, people are misconstruing the wrong ideas about it. For example, the most common idea is that women of draft age will be drafted. This is absolutely untrue. Congress has had the power to draft women since the 1940's; however, the draft is now a dead issue anyway.

Opponents argue that it will take away women's special privileges. Of what "privileges" are the opponents speaking? The right to not take a job? The right to lead a dull and uninteresting life at home, because that is where a woman's place is?

The ERA has been ratified in 28 states and is currently up for ratification in 14 states. Thirty-eight states are needed to make this amendment a reality; however, opposition continues to rise and that is why organizations such as NOW (The National Organization for Women) desperately need our support. Are you as an individual going to allow women to be continually discriminated against, or are you going to take some action to let your State Senator and Representative know that you support the ERA? The amendment is currently under consideration in South Carolina.

I hope that this amendment will not be allowed to die at the hands of a few who argue for "women's special privileges."

Nothing is Something
by "grits"

One can not say that nothing is something or zero. It is ridiculous to assume this absurd stance. In fact, nothing is Something because nothing is a word, and words are something. Words are the main prerequisite for man's existence. Nothing constitutes six letters of the alphabet, rather than seven for there are two "n's" in nothing.

Although nothing can be something something can't be nothing for something is something. If you have something, then you have something, not nothing.

Woman Eats Human Meat
by Mike Little

According to a German teacher, custom requires that the wife of a tribal chieftain be eaten if she dies during pregnancy. If not eaten, her soul will be destroyed forever. As guest of honor, she (the teacher) was obliged to partake in the feast. Gingerly, she put the flesh in her mouth and slowly chewed. When no one was looking, she spit the meat out. She reported that the flesh was tasteless and tough.

This was relayed to me by a student who wishes to remain anonymous.

For Those Who Care...

For those who care about others, for those helpers, for those leaders, for those who are doers and not talkers, contact ACTION:

National Student Volunteer Program ACTION
806 Connecticut Ave. N. W. Room 1112
Washington, D. C. 20525

Thank You
by Sarah Joe

Thank you excuse me
the pieces of the game of you mind
refusing to know it Knows how to play
you left me
Al Oliver or Hitler?
by joey hatchell

Oliver has everything in the Roost handed to him on a silver platter, except the food and drinks. Our tax money has paid for all the furnishings to include pots and pans, cookers and even his electrical bill. With us, the students, paying for his principal overhead, he has the nerve to charge the highest prices for low quality food in any college in the state.

It is time that the students of Coastal band together in a general cause to bring the prices down in the "Roost" or bring the "Roost" itself down on Oliver's head.

People for people — bring your own lunch!!

THE LIMITS TO GROWTH
by jolla sue carter

The Limits to Growth is a report for the Club of Ram's project on the predicament of mankind; it was compiled by a group of MIT scientists: Donella H. Meadows, Dennis L. Meadows, Jargen Randers and William W. Behrens III. This book deals with exponential growth; it states that "Every day of continued exponential growth brings the world system closer to the ultimate limits to that growth." One of the main concerns of this report is that the earth's resources are finite and we are rapidly coming to an end of those resources. The nature of exponential growth was exemplified by this statement by Han Fei-Tze in the year 500 B. C. "People at present think that five sons are not too many and each son has five sons also, and before the death of the grandfather there are already 25 descendants. Therefore people are more and wealth is less; they work hard and receive little." Various figures and tables illustrate exponential growth and use of resources.

This is definitely a dynamic book destined to wake many people out of their misinformed fog. Robert C. Townsend, author of Up the Organization, commented "If this book doesn't blow everybody's mind who can read without moving his lips, then the earth is Kaput."

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Al Oliver or Hitler? by joey hatchell

CINO Report
by mike little

Due to the rapid rise in the cost of meat, some students are concerned about a possible rise in prices in Cino's Roost. I asked Al Oliver if he intended to further increase his prices. He assured me in dogmatic words that before he increased food prices he would discontent that particular item that might demand an increase. He mentioned that his cost was very high and might increase. Wait and see.

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The fear of more specialization rules in the near future expressed by critics is premature. It has taken baseball overlords over one hundred years to make a major rule change. Another change within the next several years is highly improbable. However, it is the hope of this reporter that baseball owners will realize when to stop and not adopt other specialization rules. Baseball is a game suited to the good all-around athlete. The DPH merely relieves the batting of pitchers who usually achieve a composite batting average of around 200. These pitchers are paid to pitch, not to hit. The addition of a potent threat in the DPH position will add more punch and excitement to the game. But, specialization should end here. Designated pinch runners (who would be able to pinch run for anyone) and designated pinch fielders (who would not bat-just field) have no place in major league baseball. Let's hope the owners know when to quit.

The DPH has certainly aroused a lot of controversy in the baseball world. This This, in itself, is good for the sport. It has drawn the attention of the public. Will it work? Draw your own opinion, and wait, and see.
alone

by michael c. little

I have existed here
alone
watching the crows
speak
and
fly.
Their beating wings
feel the weightlessness
of a new life.
Impaled against a multi-dimensional sky,
they are unaware of fear
yet they still boast feathers
as man fears to do...

Audubon has never seen a Little bird,
or identified one;
he has only classed them.

Life

by brian howle

What is it you seek most?
If it be nature,
I'll catch you one rain-
drop crystal clear;
I'll label all the daisies
"I love you";
If it be earth,
I'll give you the land for
living, the sun for warmth,
the waters for nourishment,
and the night for peace;
If it be love,
I'll give you my hands for
holding, my mouth for
consoling, and my eyes for
loving glances.

brotherhood

by brian howle

Believe in Brotherhood,
And there is no need to fight
Believe in Brotherhood,
And let your comrades teach you
what is right,
Believe in Brotherhood,
And they know you mean peace
and goodwill,
But, Don't Believe in Brotherhood,
And they get pissed off
and kill.

plucked

by "patries"

rambling roses
ruby-red lips
suggestive petals
enticing me on
to other places
where I might have been.
wispy smoke
arising from
preexistent fires
in my eyes
obscuring yesterday's meal.
The bees are dead
too............!

a baby

by bonnie campbell

A baby is born,
A baby dies.
Who cares of its pain
Or the tears in its eyes?
Let it die, we don't care.
We've people enough.
Food is expensive,
Why give it away?
Who cares if an innocent baby must pay?

war

by "man"

Where stands the enemy....
land, sea...
the county fair?
take a gun,
have some fun.
win a bear
at the county fair.
three a quarter, one a dime....
win every time.
that's a miss,
here take this
What luck!
I've been ducked
at the county fare....!

poem

by sarah joe

oh babe
to lock your eyes
away and let them run
into the roots you need to keep
your dreams locked away and fed and
happy.
to lock away your dreams' bars.
ALBERT CAMUS:
Reflections on the Guillotine

In this, our last and final discussion upon the moral, judicial and exemplary texture of capital punishment we will strive to fathom the sanguine credenza of humanism which is so amplified and extolled by that sublime elect of humanity - the moralist.

One cannot deny that men fear death (and all must tremble in the wake of its celestial consequences). The privation of life and breath is conveyed as the ultimate penalty to wrong, and should arouse within one a dread. That phobic response to dissolution arises from the most obscure fathomless depths of the individual, torturing and rending the conscious existence of the death penalty has prevailed over death. For centuries the vast multitude and complex myriads of conscious activity cannot be quantified under all-inclusive judicial remissions.

While framed in their judicial backdrops our official jurists proclaim their intended desire to condemn without causing suffering. The vast majority of these assertive neo-victorians bear little stock in their own declarations and are totally devoid of any imagination. The devastation and mental corruption that is imposed upon the condemned for extended periods of months and years is a punishment that humbles death itself and was not one imposed upon the murdered victim. Even in the face of mortal fright or in a frenzy of terror, the victim is speedily hastened to his death without being duly conscious of his plight or realizing what has befallen him. To the condemned man though, his fleeting life is insanely contoured before his maddened gaze and creates unceasing agony which being projected into his dreams results in frenetic abandon. The lawyer, jailor and attendant minister are unanimous in assuring the damned that a conditional reprieve (an unconditioned one would be far too much to anticipate) will be forthcoming simply to insure his silence. The condemned continues to believe this (in all its absurdity) with his entire being and then realizes that hope is folly and with it life. He hopes and believes by day, despair by night. According to many documented accounts, the skin color begins to change in an incessant state of flux and dynamism. For the effects of intimidation created by capital punishment to become fully realized by human nature would need to remain static. It would need to remain as uniform as the law codes and judicial pomposities which attempt to define them. Thus, human nature would be dead.

But human nature is not like the corpse, it bears the life flow and seeks to become. This is why, though surprising it may appear to those who bridle by their monastic virtue and pharisaical rectitude, the murderer in most events feels that innocence of the act just committed is assured. He has acquitted himself in graphic defiance of all judicial ethics. He considers himself absolved and purged of all guilt by circumstances. He does not reflect upon or calculate the resultant actions and retribution that his acts will elicit. When it is thought that pardon and social reprieve will result. How can one fear what he believes highly improbable. The fear of death will occur after the verdict and hardly before. Thus, the law should bear the murderer no alternative and permit no extenuating circumstances, in perpetration of the crime. Yet we must avow this one query. Who amongst us would allow such a judicial code to exist?

rendered completely incapable of movement from one location to another and unable to resist defilement, arise those not the characteristics so attributed to a parcel or perhaps better yet a "hobbled animal"? Yet even an animal is permitted not to eat. A condemned man is not. He is allowed the benefit of a stylized diet, well suited to the "whims" of the damned. (At Fresnes France, this is noted as Diet No. 4 with extra milk, wine, sugar, jam, butter). The prison rectors insure that the condemned is well fed. If the situation requires, it will forcefully be nourished by the maternal prison officials. A prominent Sergeant at Fresnes once stated without the least note of irony: "They are very touchy" in referring to the dietary prejudices of the damned. Perhaps their only recourse had indeed been met.

Ennui

Ennui is George McGovern
Ennui is playing chess with Bruce
Ennui is Physics class
Ennui is waiting for your order in Cino's
Ennui is watching Clemson do anything
Ennui is an election speech
Ennui is your toothbrush
Ennui is Biology Lab on Monday
Ennui is watching a raindrop on your windshield
Ennui is watching your foot go to sleep
Ennui is what we don't want, but unfortunately have, at Coastal
Ennui is a blind date that's a real bummer.
A Modest Proposal
by mike little

I've pondered this problem for some time. I believe that I have a plausible solution.

As you and I know, at the present, there is five percent of the population unemployed. That means around 5 million people. Many of these people exist with no hope of solving their problems. They languish in the gutter of despair. A high percentage of criminals come from this group. Now, everyone knows that crime is bad.

This is just one of the many problems that plague society. Crime is minimal as compared to ghetto dwellers, the minorities, welfare dwellers, drug addicts and alcoholics.

The cost of living is so great today that one can barely afford to live. Farmers can hardly make ends meet. The equipment and feed are so expensive. The cost of food can be lowered. It's really very simple. Take the unemployed. They can be reprocessed into feed. Granted it may be coarse, but at least it's nutritious.

The drug addicts are very valuable material. Since there is a shortage of drugs, they could be reprocessed into the diverse and much needed drugs. After all, the addicts have practically depleted all of the supply of heroin, marijuana, etc., leaving very little for us decent folks.

Not only is narcotics on the endangered list, but alcohol is. What will become of us if we can't have an occasional drink or two, or three, or more. Alcoholics can be a messy business, what with all the puke, not to mention the auto wrecks. If we could rid ourselves of this menace insurance rates would decrease. All good citizens who see any alcoholics must report their location to the One State. If the citizen turns them in himself, he will have an added bonus in his Obedience Checks.

I'm sure that you all have noticed how long the lines are in front of the paint stores. The waiting lists are too long. I, in fact, have been on a waiting list for over 2 years. My house is practically devoid of all its paint. This could be remedied if the minorities were ground up into fine powder. This could be distributed in packets and all you would have to do is add water. This would constitute a big saving in paint costs.

How many times have you asked yourself, "What can I do for my country?" Well, ask no more. Do you know how much America spends each year in foreign aid? Thirty billion per year. Now, how many ghetto-dwellers and welfare dwellers are there? Eight million is a rather conservative estimate. These people should be ground into silage. India and China would swear eternal friendship if we were to ship massive amounts of this coarse grain to our friends.

Now, I don't claim to be an expert. After all, this is only a "Modest Proposal."

AS I SEE IT
by pat d'anna

On April 4th Ken McLaurin was dismissed from his teaching duties at Coastal Carolina for "immoral conduct detrimental to the students." After speaking to Dr. Singleton and Mr. McLaurin, I feel it is necessary for me to give my view, as I see it. The H.E.C. concluded (and the administration agreed) that his private life was immoral and an outrage (maybe it was because he did not conform to the standards of the community). The questions uppermost in most people's minds are, did the H.E.C. have the right to judge an instructor's private life, and what criteria did they use to determine his fitness as a teacher (the views of three or four students, out of 100 this semester alone)? Should the Commission or the administration have omnipotence over an individual's private life? My answer is NO! If your answer is yes, I'm afraid it won't be long before they begin investigating other faculty members and even students' private lives. Far fetched? Our different views or values may constitute a detriment to others on campus. Result? Exit without delay, as was the case with Ken McLaurin. How about the other faculty members, doesn't this threaten their security? What if they live below the standards of the community? More dissimilars?

I have been taught that this country was founded upon the principle of personal freedom (as long as it did not infringe upon the rights or freedom of another), and as I see it, Ken was not infringing, injuring or forcing his way of life on anyone else. I cannot say the same for the H.E.C., who "advised" that he be dismissed immediately. Oh yes!, they gave him a chance to resign, and in so doing gave him the opportunity to admit that he was immoral and unfit to teach. Did the commission see the effect, because you don't agree with our views, ideas and moral values, you are immoral and an outrage? What right do they have to judge and condemn those who do not adhere to their standards and mores? I say none! Ken McLaurin's private life should have remained just that, HIS PRIVATE LIFE, NOT the H.E.C.'s, NOT the administration's, NOT the students'!

I am not a pessimist, but, I believe that as long as these injustices are allowed to go unnoticed and unchallenged, we will be traveling the road to a totalitarian society, and the next time, it may be your freedom of privacy that will be threatened or denied. As I see it, no one is safe from that type of warfare, so students and faculty take note! Is this what we want? It's our choice!

R. S. announced that a group of us who are enrolled in Ken's English 286 poetry course, went to his home for our class. Maybe the "community" doesn't think he's "fit to teach", but many of us have learned by being in his classes and disagree! Ken McLaurin is a hell of a good teacher and we know this from observation, not from hearsay. We also feel that his dismissal was an immoral injustice.

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Youth Rights Bill
by staff

A bill that is intended to give full legal rights to eighteen-year-olds has been somewhat delayed. Finally, it is on its way, but with a restriction. Full legal rights will be given to eighteen-year-olds except for the right to purchase liquor. The bill has been passed by the House and is now in the Senate. The bill will be submitted to the people in November of next year. Sen. J. Ralph Gasque, D-Marion, is the author of the liquor restriction.
Freedom Foundation
A Rap Session Three Students
by rip-off Roger

QUESTION: How do you feel about the dismissal of Mr. McLaurin?

Student #1: "It was unfair—it was caused by a bunch of prejudiced off foggies. We are here to learn, and you can't cut lines in learning. Sex is a part of life and learning. Students must be educated in all areas of life, including sex. Even the Bible has sex in it, both good and bad.

Student #2: I don't think sex is dirty—why not discuss it in class? Some teachers are open enough to allow discussions in class.

Student #3: I think it's ignorance on the part of the parents who went to Singleton. They are probably afraid to give up their 'little girl'.

Student #1: Sex is to be taught on levels. You can't start at the end and work backwards.

Student #2: The people that railroaded Ken are afraid of his way of thinking, and this is the only way they could hire it.

Campagne
Clean Water
by mike little

Inadequate Sewage Treatment along the Grand Strand

1. According to a preliminary report by the Surveillance Branch of the Environmental Protection Agency, the fecal coliform (human sewage) levels in some parts of the Intracoastal Waterway at Myrtle Beach are up to twenty times the maximum permissible under state law.

2. Selected stretches of ocean along the Grand Strand registered fecal coliform levels as high as one hundred twenty times the maximum permissible under state law in the same EPA study.

3. Central sewage treatment facilities along the Grand Strand are limited and unable to accommodate the five fold seasonal increase in population. According to a May, 1972 study by the Waccamaw Regional Planning and Development Council, the Myrtle Beach treatment plant was continuously over-

Student #3: I think it's unfair to the students who have him this semester. We'll be lost having to pick a new teacher this close to the end of the semester. Why didn't the "gods" think about all the students?

Student #2: Ken cares about his students and that's why they gave him a screwing.

Student #3: I know Ken personally, and he's a gentle, kind person on and off campus.

Student #2: What McLaurin did was his own business. It did not affect his teaching or his effectiveness as a teacher.

Student #1: This kind of crap will affect other instructors, because they may be afraid to say anything controversial for fear of their jobs. But on the other hand, what better way to stifl freedom on and off campus?

Student #2: Too many people owe their jobs to the conservative little town of Conway, and are afraid to stand up and say what is right or wrong.

loaded or at capacity during the months of May to September.

4. The boom in construction and land development is placing an even greater load on the already limited facilities. The number of motel rooms, alone, has increased about ten percent over the past year.

Drinking Water Quality is Questionable

1. Most of the drinking water sources along the Grand Strand do not meet the minimum standards of the U. S. Public Health Service according to the preliminary report by the Surveillance Branch of EPA.

2. The Waccamaw Council report cited earlier indicates that water demand during the tourist season causes appreciable drops in the water table. This decline in the water level has led to some intrusion of salt water into the fresh water aquifer.

A Flood Control Project Threatens the Waccamaw River

1. The Army Corps of Engineers has proposed construction of a flood control project for the Waccamaw River. The Corps is now seeking Congressional funding for the project.

Student #1: I don’t smoke, drink, or fool around with other men, but I can’t condemn anyone except the hypocrites. He sat and ate with the sinners and publicans, and showed them His love and concern. You can’t change people by condemning them.

Student #2: It’s easy to judge and find fault with people you don’t agree with, and this is what they did to Ken.

Student #4: Ken is a good teacher, he taught many things, both intellectually and emotionally. He realized that education is more than just knowledge, it’s learning about life, in all areas—we lost a damn good teacher, and it’s the students’ loss.

Student #1: This country is supposed to be the land of the free, but what they did to Ken was not an example of freedom.

Reporter’s Note: The above remarks were those of some students at Coastal Carolina who were willing to give their time and views about a subject that is relevant to them. I also asked a couple of instructors about McLaurin’s dismissal and was told they didn’t care to discuss the subject. I wonder why?

2. The Waccamaw Regional Council has nominated the Waccamaw River for inclusion in the Wild and Scenic Rivers System. The river is a magnificent habitat for fish and wildlife as it flows from Lake Waccamaw in North Carolina to the Intracoastal Waterway in Horry County.

Possible Avenues for Citizen Action:

1. All citizens of Horry County should be made aware of these problems.

2. The South Carolina Board of Health should be asked to hold a hearing on the apparent violations of state health laws.

3. The South Carolina Pollution Control Authority should be asked to hold a hearing on violations of their water quality standards.

4. A Waccamaw River Protection Committee should be organized to assist in the efforts of the Waccamaw Regional Council to have the river included in the Wild and Scenic Rivers System.
The Grace That Blesseth Woman

My story is short as best should be
With none of the troubles, that one doth not see.
The sorrow is old and vain is the jest
Think of as little but one of the rest.

Tho' noble would I fain to be
In loving-life's sweet extasie
Or crown that love and kill my scorn
To blossom forth and be reborn?
Life is but woman, fickle and fray?????
To chance with that finger, and weary the day.
With not but the measure of love that I share
Tis better to bargain, or lust with no care.
Man is but willowed, broken and bent
Woman (vain monarch) tho' so dominant
Eve hath that labor whose fruits all do see.
And Adam doth sing such sweet melody:
Woman, oh woman know you no rest?
Tho' maybe thy wiles are not yet thy best?
Profession! You speak and swear testament.
Morning doth come and how they are spent!

Seek but thy hand, man just make care for
In thy moments respite he must soon swear
That woman doth know of one only grace
To teach man of hell and learn him that place!
If man but did know, oh when he did er'
Then scourge would he a woman on dare.
To think much of "freedom" and love "all" but one.
Is dear woman's jester and maker of fun
Call forth thy wonders and smite all thy can.
Man in his "wisdom" will lend thee a hand.
Friend! man doth have tho' long he has fought
Come when he will, one tarries him not.
Forward dear Reaper! but forbear me to see.
Twas not a woman the bringer of thee?
Now dearest reader come taste of thy fate
When woman doth call all else will be late
Sweat by the rod and for woman make haste
Dread us not miss one ounce of such grace!

by charles roberts
Eco-Nut

by tina murray

Determined to gobble up more natural resources at a faster rate than any nation in the world, the United States will soon be facing numerous shortages. Already fuel and lumber shortages are in the news. Also, not too far off in the future, one may ask, "Where did the water go?"

"A brick in the tank is worth 2 pints in the hand." No, this is not an edited script from Kung Fu, but it is an idea which is making less waves along the drainage systems of the U. S. A.!

An ordinary brick will displace one quart of water when it is placed in the tank section of a toilet. The water level remains high, thereby giving enough force to flush successfully. Gently set the brick upright along the inside of the tank so as not to disturb the float mechanisms within. It is easy to do, and with all the construction at the beach, there should be enough bricks for all at Coastal.

Now when the toilet is flushed, consider not only the quart of water conserved in refilling the tank, but also the quart of water which isn't going down the drain to be processed at the sewage plant.

Mrs. Spetygany got the brick rolling in her home town of Cherry Hill, New Jersey. The town of 17,000 homes conserves 34,000,000 gallons per year.

With a brick in the tank of every toilet that was installed in every motel unit along the beach, who knows how much water could be conserved?

The flood of tourists could make less waves this year.

CONTROVERSY IN THE MEDIA

by mike flanagan

The idea of a free press started in England with the sixteenth century, and rose, at first from the common law. Free expression was both an issue and a weapon in the English convulsions of the seventeenth century, and in their contests between the rulers and their opponents in eighteenth century England and America. Significant gain was made when the First Amendment was passed, but verbalization was general, necessarily, and the meaning of the guarantee remained to be decided. Very early in our nation's history, there was a clash about this guarantee as some men tried to set a restraint on this freedom. In 1790, only seven years after the First Amendment had been ratified, Congress passed the first nation sedition act. These were perilous times for the young Republic, for war with France seemed imminent. The Federalist, in control of both Congress and the Presidency (John Adams of Massachusetts was the President; in the Senate there were 19 Federalists and 13 Democrat-Republicans and in the House there were 64 Federalists and 42 Democrat-Republicans) were so stunned by the criticisms of the Jeffersonian Democrat-Republicans that they persuaded themselves that national safety required a little suppression of speech. The Sedition Act punished the writing, printing, or publication of any false, scandalous, or malicious writing against Congress or the President. Simply, the Act was passed by the Federalists to repress political opposition.

The popular reaction to the Sedition Act helped defeat the Federalists in the election of 1800. They had failed to grasp the core of the democratic idea that a man may criticize the government of the day, he may work for its downfall, he may oppose its policies, and still be loyal to the nation. If the Sedition Act had been left on the statute books and applied in its full measure, neither "a loyal opposition" nor a free government would have been possible. The Act expired after Jefferson was elected President.
Dear Editor:

"Ken McLaurin's personal life interfere with my education??"

Why I was not even aware he had one. He never mentioned it in class.

TINA MURRAY

Dear Editor:

I've been sitting here typing some articles for you to put in your paper. I can't believe all of the "Dear Editors" that you have received for this edition. All of those that I have typed have concerned the dismissal of Professor Ken McLaurin. It is a shame that such a thing as this had to happen. If nothing else, it has been the talk of, not only the students and faculty, but also the community. Now will they start suspecting every faculty member at Coastal — or, is it just the long-hairs? I don't know. Still it hasn't improved the image of Coastal in the eyes of the community. And, the community does count, doesn't it?

Only one more comment. It is great that so many people have responded to the situation, and attempted to express themselves through the student newspaper. If only they'd do it more often. I hope that a disastrous situation like this one doesn't have to occur before the students start using their newspaper.

GEORGIA VAUGHT

I can't understand why Mr. McLaurin was dismissed at once, whereas, Mr. Marjenhoff was given a year's notice for what seemed to be equal circumstances. The interruption certainly caused a great deal of confusion for the concerned students. I think they deserve an explanation for the sudden dismissal and the differences in the two cases.

Noma Cooler

I learned a lot more under Mr. McLaurin than under a lot of other teachers I have had. You could express your opinion in his class. Everyone had a chance to contribute to his class. You have a personal life and no one has the right to tell him how to live. It's like religion.

Amy Spivey

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** HATE **

The devil hates.
The devil rates each upon his hate.
And as of late
I've so much hate
I think I could relate
With him.

Why do I hate?
I wish I knew.
I'd much prefer to
Relate with you.

Why can't I be
Happy and free?
Free from hate —
Free to relate
And communicate
To all the world but him?

Why?
I cannot say.
But the answer may lie
In the question of time.
For time it takes to truly rid myself of hate
And it's just not worth the effort.

— Bonnie Campbell

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The editor of the Chanticleer just came up to me and asked if I could write something for the next edition of the newspaper. "O.K.," I said. Well, I might not be the world's greatest writer, but I can put down enough words to fill up some space. Still, it does seem rather useless to say something when you're not really saying anything. Some advocates of the Soft Revolution term doing this sort of thing Bull — Well, maybe that is what it is. It is something to think about. Why say something when you have nothing to say?

One reason is to let other people know that you exist, that you are somebody, a person, a human being. Another reason is to play the game. We don't want to let others beat us. Gotta stick with it, and win if you can. Sometimes, I believe that we talk just to hear ourselves talk; we like knowing that we can speak; maybe, we like the sound of our voices. Have you ever noticed yourself talking to yourself, even though there are other people with you. Well, I have. I won't say that I think highly of this type of action; it just happens. You just kinda slip off into another world, reliving past actions and events, or imagine the future. When you finally come to the realm of consciousness and realize how distant you are to the present, it kinda shocks you, makes you wonder if you're all there or not. I believe that I am sound in mind, but I wouldn't say that everyone who talks to himself is. You see I can only speak for me, not for everyone else. So, I talk, talk, talk, talk, talk, talk...

Sometimes I say something of value, sometimes I don't. But what the heck? I'm me. I can say what I want to. No one else can put words in my mouth, even though they may try. This is just one of the many wonders of being alive, of being able to express yourself with words. Just don't forget to take time to listen to others once in a while.
A Sort
of a Flood

The General Assembly of South Carolina is embarked on a course that could waste $1.25 million in the next fiscal year and many millions more in the years to come.

That is the amount of money budgeted by the House Ways and Means Committee to add a third year of instruction at the University of South Carolina's Coastal Carolina branch near Conway.

In recommending the appropriation, the Ways and Means Committee was merely going along with a self-triggering bill passed last year through the use of legislative muscle by Sen. James P. Stevens of Horry County and legislators from other counties with ambitious two-year university branches.

That bill permits these local campuses to expand to three-year status when an enrolment of 700 full-time equivalent students is reached and to four-year status when enrolment passes 1,000.

Coastal Carolina has qualified itself to add a third year by signing up 744 full-time equivalent students.

No one can blame the folks in Horry for wanting a bigger college, and, if Coastal Carolina were the only school with such ambitions, it wouldn't be such a potentially damaging thing. But the self-triggering law opens the flood-gates to all other branches. In a few years the state could find itself supporting a higher educational system with far greater capacity than it needs at a price it cannot afford.

The state is not fully utilizing its present resources in this area. Not all of the present state colleges are full. And the state's junior and senior private colleges and universities are said to have 7,000 vacancies. How much better and wiser it would be to expand the tuition grants program to assist students who wish to attend these private colleges than to build unneeded state colleges.

To pacify the local interests and desires of a few of its members, the General Assembly abdicated its responsibility to establish a unified higher educational system that could be tailored to the needs of the state. This year's legislature has many new members. They should examine the potential monster their predecessors created and take remedial action.

Driftwood

Electric chairs are shocking.
Either we stand for something, or we fall for anything — Mike Little
A yearbook forgets for it can never remember — Mike Little
Fear is like a magnet. It pulls me in the direction of his beliefs. — An old proverb

Think Me
by mike little

Think me
for I think you.
Love me
for I love you.
Desire me
for I desire you.
You must think me
It means the world to me — my all.
I desire nothing except you.
My need for you is more terrifying
than a racing avalanche.
Think me
for I think you.

the original
decision

by "reb"

As I sit here by myself listening to music,
I find ample time in which to think
and think and think
of problems plaguing mankind.
I wonder, as an individual, just how much I can do.
And I wonder
and I wonder
and I wonder!
I know that whatever I do, the end result
must be good.
There is such a huge mass of problems,
I do not know where to BEGIN?
Too many problems already without adding
adding my indecision to it.
There is so much suffering and hunger
in the world today.
Think, Mike. Think ....
Hey! I must get involved with what is
happening today,
NOW!!!
I must help the unfortunate, the sick
and the a pathetic.
Get involved? Yes, as a human being,
I've got to.
It is my duty!
The time is midnight. I must take a
shower and get some sleep.
Tomorrow morning.........

The High Price
of Liberty

In the countries in which the doctrine of the sovereignty of the people ostensibly prevails, the censorship of the press is not only dangerous, but it is absurd.

The sovereignty of the people and the liberty of the press may be looked upon as correlative institutions.

(Americans) hold that to act with efficacy upon the press it would be necessary to find a tribunal, not only devoted to the existing order of things, but capable of summounting the influence of public opinion; a tribunal which should conduct its proceedings without publicity which should pronounce its decrees without assigning its motives, and punish the intentions even more than the language of an author. Whosoever should have the power of creating and maintaining a tribunal of this kind would waste his time in prosecuting the liberty of the press; for he would be the supreme master of the whole community, and he would be as free to rid himself of the authors as of their writings.

In this question, therefore, there is no medium between servitude and extreme license; in order to enjoy the inestimable benefits which the liberty of the press ensures, it is necessary to submit to the inevitable evils which it engenders.

Alexis de Tocqueville
(Democracy in America)

poem

past a sign stop &
don't think too long
bou what u learned & where

NOTE FROM author (the above of course is fiction;
heavy with symbolism
as such absurdity could not occur in this GUReat society)