

IN THE WASH

with Jack Tarver

Last week, Jake Penland, who does a very good column, Pen-Points, for the P. C. Blue Stockings came through with the following poetry, which he claims netted him letters from all three of his readers.

Last night I met an urchin fair
And asked her to be mine;
I told her that I was a whiz
In P. C.'s mighty line.

And that I wasn't at all bad
In basketball and track—
A man who's got the business,
The skill and grace and knack

She said, "My word, my modest lad;
You must be something big;
But how ya doin' in your French
And chemistry and trig?"

"And when the glamour fades away
And other fields you roam,
How will you use that touchdown play
To bring the bacon home?"

I said, "You've got me, little one,
I ain't so hot I fear—
When school is out, I'm gonna work
In a filling station, dear."

"Goodbye, my love," the urchin said
"Goodbye, my shining star,
I'm looking for a guy they call
'Intelligentsia'."

To which we add, with murmured apologies, and a faint hope that we can build our readers up to the superior number Jake enjoys:

"Now, listen here, my pretty maid,
To my urchin fair I said,
"Let's grant that you are beauteous
From your toes up to your head.

"But when we have a pantry, dear
With groceries to fill it,
Can you keep love's flame aglow
With frying pan and skillit?"

"You can pet, and neck, and smooch my sweet,
To these talents there's no end.
But do you come in handy, love,
When there are socks to mend?"

"So on your way, my urchin fair,
And I will like go mine,
But let us realize ere we part,
We'd better change our line."

"And here I reach my point, my sweet,
To this end, I've been getting.
Out in the world, there is no pay
In clippings, dear, or petting."

Dr. Philosopholus K. Wu, sports prestidigitator extraordinaire in whose cerulean veins courses the poetic blood of the Orient, along with quite a few drops of good old Wilkens Family Mixture, 76% proof, hastens to add;

In a poetry course, my would be bard,
Both you and Mister Pen would flunk
In one way though, you are alike
Your poems sure are punk.

But I see your point my lazy friend,
Your motives are most base.
You use this putrid stuff because
It takes up so much space.

VIRGINIA STUDENT AID IS WITHOUT FAVORITISM

CHARLOTTESVILLE, V. A., — (ACP)—Scholarships, loans and jobs will continue to be awarded to the University of Virginia's students without favoritism to athletes, it was announced by President John L. Newcomb in issuing the new rules governing the university's intercollegiate sport activities.

The new regulations, which have been adopted to replace those of the Southern conference, from which Virginia withdrew recently, were accompanied by the following statement:

"The University of Virginia will continue to observe the one-year rule; the migratory rule and the

rule which limits athletic participation to four years in a five-year period.

"Any of its regular students who are sound physically, who are in good standing academically, and who have passed at least three-year course in the preceding session, will be eligible for its varsity teams under these rules.

"It will continue to award its scholarships, loans and remunerative jobs to athletes and non-athletes alike, without preference to either.

"The recipient of a scholarship must have ranked in the upper-half of his class if he is a new student, and he must have passed all his courses if he is an old student."

BEARS ENTER CONFERENCE TOURNEY

Bears Take Game From Statesboro

Mercer Wins Last Basketball Game Of Season, Ruining Teachers' Record

In the final climaxing game of the current basketball season, the Mercer Bears ruined the undefeated record of the South Ga. Teachers here Thursday night with a 34-29 triumph before 1500 spectators.

The Bears led all the way, although they were hard pressed on numerous occasions. At the half they were 5 points ahead but only a last minute drive enabled them to secure that margin of victory.

Kenyon Sellers, Doc Kirksey, and Harold Irwin were the stars (Continued on Page Four)

Tennis Enthusiasts Begin Team Tryouts

A meeting of 1st year's tennis players was held last week in Dr. C. L. Carver's office, with Dr. Carver and Major K. B. Ferguson present. Prospects for the coming tennis season were discussed, and Dr. Carver impressed on all students that if matches are to be played, players must cooperate by turning out to practice seriously on every possible opportunity, so as to form a representative team for Mercer university.

Tom Flournoy was appointed provisionally as Captain of tennis, to help organize a team. It is hoped by the coaches that everyone interested in tennis will come forward and show what he can do. Anyone interested can apply to Tom Flournoy at Sherwood hall.

Cubs Are Defeated In Finale By G.M.C.

Freshmen End Season with One Point Defeat

In the last game of the season the Freshmen basketball team was defeated by G. M. C. 33-32 Friday night. The Cubs close their season with five victories and four defeats.

After a slow start the Freshmen fought an uphill battle throughout the game, only to be defeated by a last minute field goal by Johnson. Seibert and Harrison were outstanding for the Cubs, Seibert being high scorer.

Don't measure your success against others, but against your own potentialities. Never fret because somebody else has done better.—Walter S. Gifford.

Dixie Cage Meet Held At Jackson

Eight Teams Playing In Three Day Tournament; Bears Are Among Favorites

The Mercer Bears left Wednesday at 1 o'clock enroute to Jackson, Mississippi to enter the Dixie Conference Tournament in basketball that is to be run off in that city yesterday, today and Saturday.

The teams that are members of the Dixie Conference and that have entered the tournament are Mississippi college, the hosts, Mercer, Birmingham-Southern, Chattanooga, Mississippi college, South Western Howard, and Loyola. Spring Hill is also a member of the Dixie Conference but did not enter a team in the tournament. The teams were paired (Continued on Page Four)

Cary Grant says:
"a light smoke rates aces high with my throat"



"Luckies have been my cigarette for five years now. I rate them a 4 star cigarette. They're always good to the throat, and taste so much better than other cigarettes that it seems to me this 'Toasting' process is a swell idea. Yes, a light smoke like Luckies rates aces high with both my throat and taste."

Cary Grant

APPEARING IN THE NEW COLUMBIA PICTURE, "WHEN YOU'RE IN LOVE"

An independent survey was made recently among professional men and women—lawyers, doctors, lecturers, scientists, etc. Of those who said they smoke cigarettes, more than 87% stated they personally prefer a light smoke.

Mr. Grant verifies the wisdom of this preference, and so do other leading artists of the radio, stage, screen and opera. Their voices are their fortunes. That's why so many of them smoke Luckies. You, too, can have the throat protection of Luckies—a light smoke, free of certain harsh irritants removed by the exclusive process "It's Toasted". Luckies are gentle on the throat.



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