

THE COLLEGE "STUDENT" continued

intelligence. It is completely acceptable for a college student to be intelligent, as long as he does not let this abominable characteristic be discovered. Those who claim intelligence as their foremost characteristic are ostracized from college society. The leaders in college society are not the leaders in the classroom, on the contrary, they are those who are usually absent from the classroom. A person does not gain distinction in this society by maintaining a high average, in fact a high average is more of a detriment than an advantage. The real heroes in this society are those who are in danger of failing out of school. What an achievement it is to be able to boast of a .5 average, especially when you can also claim to be among the leaders in class-cutting. And, just think, next semester you might not be attending any classes at all.

The foundation of this society seems to have been laid by a person who was not too sure he could appear intelligent, but was quite positive he could appear stupid. The rules have been changed; intelligence is now a vice and laziness a virtue. Contemporary college students are forsaking intelligence for the privilege of belonging to a group that is making steady progress toward nowhere.

MAN ON THE STREET POLL

Stan Zdep

INTERVIEW NO. 1

In this interview I spoke to an interesting fellow named Joe Mope. Here is that interview, word for word.

Well, Mr Mope, have you been reading the HIGHACRES COLLEGIAN lately?

Um-hh!

Have you any comments to make on the content of the paper?

What do you mean by content?

Look here, I'm asking the questions. Furthermore, Mr. Mope, what do you think of our art work?

Oh, I like the pictures. They're very good. But they're a little sloppy, Sloppy?

Sloppy? You mean to say that you like them even though they're sloppy?

Like what?

The pictures, of course.

What pictures?

Oh never mind. Do you think that we carry a sufficient amount of feature work?

What time is it?

Time? My watch seems to have stopped.

Just a minute. I'll be right back.

Where are you going?

To steal a watch. It'll only take a moment.

Come back here. You just can't go out to steal a watch. There are laws against things like that. You'll go to jail.

Listen buddy; Look at the paper you publish, and you don't go to jail. So why should I go to jail for a little thing like stealing a watch?

INTERVIEW NO. 2

Sir, Im conducting a poll for the HIGHACRES COLLEGIAN. What do you think of our publication?

Beep...Beep...Beep...Beep...Beep.....

Hehe, Heh, I appreciate your imitations but I really don't have the time at the