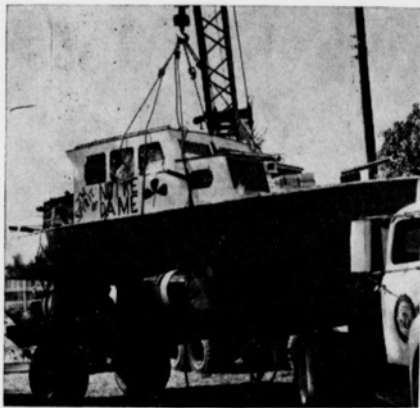


The Saga Of The Sinking Ship



RESTING SNUGLY ON TRUCK, BOAT IS HIGH AND DRY
Theta Chi Provided 'Spirit Of Notre Dame'



Photos by William Teale

OOPS! SOMETHING WENT WRONG: 'WE'VE SPRUNG A LEAK ON THE STARBOARD BOW'
'Bail, You Gobs, Bail! We've Got To Save This Tub!'

By SUSAN NEUMAN
Hurricane Boating Editor

"Look out! The starboard side is listing."
"Keep bailing her out. The water is still coming in."
"OK, now toss the inner tube to me."

Mid-morning last Thursday found Theta Chi members up to their necks in the muddy, dirty, sewage-filled water of the Student Lake channel.

Heat was generated by hot tempers, sweat and red faces.

Theta Chi decorates a boat every Homecoming to represent the spirit of the opposing team. The boat is placed in the middle of the Student Lake and set on fire to burn until it sinks of its own free will. This year "The Spirit of Notre Dame" gave UM quite a bit of trouble.

The boat, donated by Art Merrill, a Theta Chi alumnus, was dropped by the crane that

was attempting to lower it into the Student Lake. It sank in the channel.

THE COMBINED efforts of Theta Chi members, other UM students, and the U. S. Coast Guard finally refloated a very wet "Spirit of Notre Dame" five hours later. It took many buckets, a water pump that wouldn't work, large inner tubes, and much man and brain power.

The "brain" or engineer of the "Spirit of Notre Dame" was Bob Krupski.

Mark Emden, last year's president of Theta Chi, was present to "sidewalk superintend." "Our boat last year was just a raft compared to this one," said Emden, "but it did float."

According to Jere Hough, this year's president of Theta Chi, this marks the sixth anniversary of traditional Theta Chi boat burnings.

At 11 p.m. Thursday a slightly damp "Spirit of Notre Dame," entirely redecorated and filled with fireworks, was fired upon by "Col. Beauregard" of Kappa Alpha, with the aid of his connon and Johnny Rebs atop the roof of Student Union.

"The Spirit of Notre Dame" burned with a golden glow far into the night. And did it finally sink into the lake?

NO!!!



CRANE LOWERS BOAT INTO THE STUDENT LAKE
Now To Get It Into The Center Of The Lake . . .



Photo by Ed Saari

AT LAST—BLAZE LIGHTS UP STUDENT LAKE WATERS
Thousands Watched 'Notre Dame Spirit' Burn

Turkey In The Raw

By FREDDIE WIGGINS

Thursday is Thanksgiving. There are those who may not be familiar with the origin of this holiday.

It was during the War of Jenkins' Ear. The troops of General Custard were being demolished by enemy tanks.

Finally, the wearied troops, in desperation, dropped their K-rations of limburger cheese in the tank slots.

"Are da tanks givin' up yet?" General Custard asked an aide de camp.

By the time the word reached the lowest aide — a band aide—the question had become, "Is it tanksgiving? Yep."

The word of tanksgiving spread throughout the army, everybody went home to Turkey for dinner and that is the story of Custard's last stand.

Debaters Win Big One

The UM debate team scored spectacular sweeps in two divisions of the annual Carolina Forensics last weekend.

In the varsity division, in which the UM won top honors with a 10-2 record, Steve Kozan, Bruce Feld, Barry Richard and Neal Sonnett were responsible for the victory. Richard and Sonnett were undefeated.

The University of Kentucky was second.

In the novice division, UMers Arthur Rothenberg, Ronald Shapo, Harry Spicer and Karsten Struhl earned an 11-1 record. Spicer and Struhl were undefeated in the contest which saw Notre Dame place second.

From the tournament, held in Columbia, South Carolina, last Friday and Saturday, the UM debaters brought home five trophies and a new record.

First place in the impromptu speaking section was won by Barry Richard, a UM freshman.

DURING THE past 10 years the University debate team has ranked in U.S.'s top eight.

Other schools represented in the tournament: South Carolina, Duke, Wake Forest, Georgia, Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee.

Ibis Queen? You'd Better Hurry

Today is the deadline for coeds to apply for queen and court of the Ibis, UM's year-book.

Any University coed with a 1.0 academic average is eligible. Forms can be picked up at the Ibis office in the Student Services Building, the information booth in the Student Union lower lounge and in the Hur-

ricane office in the upper lounge.

Staff members also are handing out applications to pretty girls who are too shy to apply themselves.

All applications must be turned in to the Hurricane or Ibis office.

All fraternity and sorority members who have missed

their picture appointments for the Ibis must go to shack 822 before Wednesday to have their pictures taken. None will be taken after that date.

The Ibis also has staff positions open for people interested in writing, typing or taking pictures. Anyone wishing more information should contact the Ibis office.

Sen. Morse, Dr. Kelley To Speak

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ment of Labor. He has never been accused of arbitrating for Mrs. Claire Booth Luce, former U.S. ambassador to Italy and wife of Time magazine publisher Henry Luce.

The Luces — among others — have been in a running feud with Morse for years, especially after his bitter refusal to vote for her appointment as ambassador to Brazil in 1959.

In view of the present crises now facing the United Nations — the Congo, Cuba, Hungary, etc.—said Miss Friedenn, "his topic is quite pertinent."

There will be an informal reception following the lecture.

Swastika-Decked Jeep In 'Bad Taste'

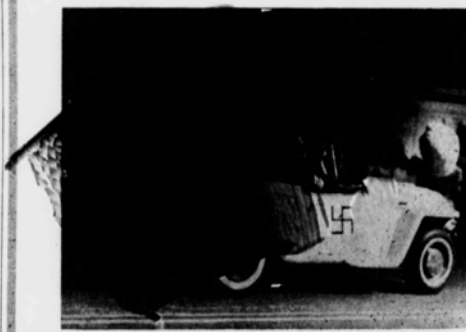


Photo by Toss Moore

'SEIG HEIL!' KAPPA ALPHA OFFICERS SALUTE
Their Theme Was Not Approved By Authorities

By LEONARD TEEL
Hurricane News Editor

A swastika-decked jeep driven by a fraternity in the Homecoming Parade raised regrets and comments of "poor taste" this week from UM students, faculty and administration.

The Kappa Alpha jeep, which the fraternity said was intended to be "humorous," carried the fraternity's officers dressed in Nazi uniforms and clutching fake rifles and machine-guns.

The swastika on the door and a sign reading "Chapter Officers" were the only decorations.

Parade Chairman Bob Wortman said that Kappa Alpha was entered in the parade, but its theme had

not been approved.

All themes were supposed to have been registered with his committee long before the event.

Wortman said the fraternity called him before the parade, saying they would arrive late. He said he waited at the starting point until 7:15, but then left for the judging stand at the Coral Gables City Hall.

KA's jeep arrived after the parade had begun at 7:30, instead of getting approval of its theme, they caught up to their previously allotted spot and slipped in, Wortman said.

"Everything was happening so fast that no one had a chance to stop them," he explained.

Dr. Thurston Adams, director of student activities, lodged a formal complaint Tuesday to the Inter-fraternity Council, saying that the jeep was "in bad taste."

However, he explained that the fraternity was "acting in good faith." Dr. Adams said that Kappa Alpha had no intention of hurting anyone's feelings or of casting a shadow on the parade. "At the time, they probably thought it was humorous," he said.

Kappa Alpha, which has fewer than 15 members, could not be reached for comment.

The Interfraternity Council is handling all complaints through the dean of men's office.