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EDITORIAL

THE MOCK POLITICAL CAMPAIGN

From the beginning of college this year there has been an ever increasing and critical interest in the political and economic world outside our own small college world. Many of us who have come face to face with financial problems brought on by the world-wide depression, have by natural consequence begun to take more interest in the world at large, and in our government in particular. We who are about to step out into that world are beginning to realize what that step will mean next year. Economic interests alone have not held our attention this year, for we have become aware of that great ruling force in world affairs—politics. We are now political and economic-conscious. Strong evidence of the former is seen in the recent establishing of a political campaign on our campus.

This has been wisely termed a mock political campaign, to show that it was started entirely in the spirit of fun. What we do here doing the campaign will have no immediate bearing on the real campaign; it will, however, provide more than just amusement. Those of us who can, will of course vote in the Presidential election this year; those of us who can't, will at least be able to indicate our choice of the type of man undertaking the right spirit?

Who are you voting for? It's so difficult to decide when everyone tries to persuade you in a different way. One day I'm for Hoover and the next for Thomas. The only solution I can see is to wear three buttons at once. I'll see you in the torch light parade.

DIZZIE.

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FREE SPEECH

(The Editors of the News do not hold themselves responsible for the opinions expressed in this column. In order to insure the validity of this column, an opinion must be signed by the writer.)

Dear Editor:

Why is it that you think college students cannot think clearly through the issues at stake when they talk about their choice for the next president at election time? Surely at college one ought to be able to find the intelligent voting public. Intelligent thinking, a careful reflection of the issues at stake, and then a survey of what the different party platforms pledge on each question, as well as a critical analysis of the type of man undertaking to lead each party never enter into the choice.

I will admit that the economic depression and its accompanying consequences have been brought home to all of us, and as a result, many are more critical of the old parties than before. Any mention of Socialism, and a Norman Thomas leadership, however, fills some with fear, and they still choose to follow the old party. Yet, how many of us are critical of the old parties from an international point of view? Very few, I fear, or there would not be so many students afraid to be different and vote for Norman Thomas, and the Socialist party.

The Socialist platform is the only one which shows clear thought on the subject of international peace, and international cooperation. It is the only one which declares openly that the United States should join the League of Nations, recognize Russia, be the leader in complete disarmament, and that something really scientific should be done about tariffs. Is there anything save clear thinking, a facing of the facts of the situation, shown...

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LIZZIE AND DIZZIE

Dear Lizzie:

I just got back from the fishing trip and am I ever in a state of mental exhaustion! My trouble was that of indecision. I wanted so badly to catch a fish and yet I couldn't bear the thought of hurting the poor dear things. We didn't catch any, anyhow, so I worried all in vain. And what did we have to eat but soup? It hit the spot, but it also put us in mind to start a soup kitchen. One doesn't run into five gallon jugs of soup every day. We could organize a bread line, too, with all that removed from the dining hall and finally converted into cinnamon toast. When we grow old we can tell our offspring how we grew old we can tell our offspring what little cut-ups we were in college, sneaking food out of the dining hall.

What did you think about the Service League? With conference people and curious freshmen, Knowlton was sort of overrun.

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I'll see you in the torch light parade.

DIZZIE.
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The first Service League of the year turned out to be more or less of a free-for-all. It was quite a fashion show, too, on the side.

And then there was the transfer who was too sleepy to stay out until one-thirty after waiting all these years for the privilege.

Posture tests are here again but this year we are going to be kept in suspense for a while as to our grades. Bring your paper towels, girls, or you may be the next to be dubbed "Angie Athlete's Foot".

The deep sea fishing trip turned out to be a grand boat ride, but C.C. girls must be lacking in fish appeal. We might even say they weren't very ettishent.

And now "the dance" is taking place in the open. Perhaps one of these moonlight nights the Blackstone Seniors will give interpretative donees in the quadrange, and show the rest of us how to play crack-the-whip.

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