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ARE EXPECTED At Discussions Long To Preside

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GIVENS DIXON ...

What's Wrong With Them

### The What-The-Hell Generation

For over a year now, one fact in particular has been apparent to close observers of the American scene: something is arong with the present generation of young people. Somewhere the wires have been pulled loose, the holts have been unscrewed, the current has been shut off, the dynamo is spluttering.

Especially in the universities there has developed an attitude which is viewed with no little concern by those interested in the yould of the nation, and yet, it is such an indefinite attitude that year could say exactly what it is.

And so, as an attempt to help interpret the college generation of Nowelber, 1941, we would like to present what we believe to be the nature of this state of mind, some conclusion made after a month of talking to students and faculty members. In the following two issues of Taix.

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They are confused and disillusioned, cynical, self-centered, superficial, and materialistic, And shars more, they know it and don't care if they

schais more, they know it and don't care if they are. They have no respect, poor manners, and no ambition. And if you say anything to them about it, they laugh and say Oh, what the hell. The students themselves are the first ones to admit it, because it is an attitude no one can fail to notice: there is a listlessness in classes; the cheering at the football games is half-hearred, there is more drinking and horse-play in the stands; the crosed in the grill is more rancous and ill-mannered: index are drinking and and and ill-mannered; jokes are dirtier and laughter louder; boys and girls are freer in their relations.

Dances lack the sparkle they once had; interest lags in almost every student activity; organizaiags in aimost every student activity; organiza-tions which pay no money find it difficult to get people to work; students resign SGA positions as fast as the president can fill them; in many audeur meetings there is an undertone of let's-hurry-up-and-get-through, but when they are through no one does anything else; students are frank, often over-critical and intolerant.

unconcern sith which American youth is facing the present crisis in sordel history. They make the easiest answers shich come to their minds, but, when questioned, admit that they really area't very sure. You find but a few who can take an intelligent stand on either side. Most just don't seem to care. Senator Whaten and the property of the control of the con-

nator Wheeler tells them that they are being Senator Wheeler tells them that they are being led into another imperialist war, and they say Oh, that's bad, and go on drinking their cokes. Senator Pepper yells that the dread menace of of Hitlerism is creeping up on them and may carch them unless they wake up, and they say Oh, someone ought to do something about that, and go on with their bridge game.

This is something that is happening, not only in the University of Kentucky, but in most colleges and universities throughout the nation, according to most observers. Perhaps it is the

making of another "Jost generation."

When you scratch beneath the surface of this apathy and cynicism, however, you find the one thing which is at the foundation of it all—a feel

fusion. It is the confusion of a generation suc-kled on pacifism, fed with peace talks, educated to the belief that war is fatile and wascful, faced with the possibility of going through 1914-18 again.

It is an understandable confusion as to what the present war came from, where it is going to end, and what it is all about.

It is the natural confusion of young people, added to the world-wide confusion of their par-ents.

No one could blame today's college students for being mixed up in their thinking or for not having any solution to the world's problems, but there is one thing that they certainly can be blamed for, and that is their failure to stand up and face those problems and at least try to think their way out.

Listen to the patter in the grill some day; no-ice what students talk about when they cat unch; see what they bring up in bull-sessions, see how they all try to step around the ra-troblems; see how they are afraid to grab the sould by the neck and wrestle with it. They seem tized of fighting their own con-usion; weary of trying to make out where they tand.

That is the danger in the attitude of today's young people. It is not that they don't know what the world is all about or that they they can't think their way through. It is, rather, that they have even quit trying.

It makes you wonder the contract of t

It makes you wonder if the present generation hasn't lost its guts.

On the whole, this picture has had to be, by accossity, a dark one. Of course, it doesn't mean that all attudents follow this postern, because there are some who are seriously doing their best to keep their feet on the ground and to think things through. The great mass of students, however, is included in the ground dents, however, is included in the ground better. Next Tready's section will explain how much of this attitude is based on misconceptions which can be changed; Pridady's will offer some practical suggestions of ways to do it.

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# The Kernel Editorial Page

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Opinion

The Crisis: Student's-Eve View



#### Band Work Is Not All Play, Protesting Member Declares

Indicise what they bring up in bullessess.

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That is why you find many students making their arcademise shells, convincing themselves the arrand music and literature and philosophy are above all earthy matters.

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# The Perils Of A Colonizer

We have noted with interest the struggle for eginning of UK's new sorority, Alpha Delta

beginning of UK's new sorority, Alpha Delta Pi. We were curious to know something about what the girls who are sent in here from other schools as organizers find themselves up against. So yesterday we made arrangements for a con-ference with one of these transfers—the sororities call them colonizers. Her name on the Boyd Hall registrar is Patricia Horkan. Friends call her Pat. §

Miss Horkan is red-headed, a sophomore maj-oring in art, and an ex-student of Brenau Col-lege in Gainesville, Georgia.

Without saying a word she could make you

Without saying a word she could make you think the organization of a new sorority is a healthy thing for a campus. For if all "colonizers" were like Miss Horkan, there would be in new sororities an insurance against dropping beauty standards.

But Miss Horkan talks, and talks well ... and easily. You get the impression listening to her slow Georgia drawl there is nothing difficult at all about the ground-breaking she and her four comrades at arms are doing.
"I suppose," she smilled vesterday, "the hardest

thing we found coming here was having to be constantly watched. To sell AD Pi we had to sell constantly watched. To sell AD Pt we had to self ourselves. Everywhere we went, to receptions and teas and all those things, we knew every thing we did had to be "just right."

Another thing that made her job a job, she admitted, however, was learning to work with

admitted, however, was learning to work with the other colonizers.

"There are five of us," she said, "and until we arrived here in Lexington we'd never met. At least most of us had never met. My room mate, Linda Mills, I knew at Brenau."

The other three girls are Helen Plyer, Uni-versity of Texas, Hallie Chandler and Ann Car-ter, University of North and South Carolina, respectively.

VICE OF THE PFOPLE By Firm Hill.

Impartially speaking, this is a study of the lack of a house was a serious problem during a new sorority on a college campus.

Lack of a house was a serious problem during much week. She said that the Student Union building and the down-town hortest and homes.

hard as choosing the girls we wanted to enter tain. All our pledges had to have recommenda-tions from our alumni. In a state where we have no other chapter those are a little hard to ge

sometimes.

"But, "she added, "we were strong in Kentucky as far as alummi go. That's why we're forming this chapter."

Despite all the hard work Pat says she likes her job, feels that with eight pledges in the openers the and her associates have done well. She and her toom-mate plan to return to the University next year. The other three will not, but will be replaced by another group. Their national office will continue to supply "colonizes" until it feels the chapter here is capable of caring for itself.

This colonizing business is, after all, nor a

This colonizing business is, after all, not a bad job. The sorority pays the expenses. All you have to do is go to school and work about 12 hours a day.

Pat says she and her room-mate would like to go into it professionally. She says, still in that drawl, she has picked the University of New Mexico as their next spot. "First, though, we have to finish the job here." "Among other things," we suggested, "you'll have to arrange for a house."

That,"she beamed confidently, "we'll have next year. There's one good thing about start-ing a new chapter; you don't have to worry too ch about the costs. The national does that "Is the national pretty strict on you all?" we

asked.

Pat didn't feel that it was, although she admitted they kept a close check on their progress.

"The only thing we ever were lectured on," she confessed, "was dating. They're hepped on the subject of us dating the right men."

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#### The Party Line

BY MARGARET CANTRILL

... What's news with you? Lots of people here with news today. Wilyah Graves just the party the Belta Zetas are having today group of rushees. Kate Wahl is rush chairman of the sorority and she is in charge all arrangements. Monday night the Delta

all arrangements. Monday night the Delta Zetas will have a standards program at the house. The members of Alpha Belta Pi will be guests and Miss Verna Latzke will dis-cuss personal appearance at the meeting. There are several open houses planned for this afternoon. What?...Oh, the Chi Os. are having the members of Kappa Sigma for an open house! I'm glad you told me because

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