

FAC Guides New Students



During the day, students register . . .

Lines formed off and on during the day as students endeavored to be properly registered for the opening of classes on Monday, Sept. 11.

Seventeen Faculty Members Promoted to Dept. Chairman

The promotion of seventeen faculty members to department chairmen or acting chairmen was announced September 8. The department chairmen will serve three-year terms.

The organization of department chairmanships at here had been pending the selection and arrival of Dr. William Hugh McEniry, vice chancellor for academic affairs, who arrived July 1. Since that time he has had personnel and the organizational structure under consideration.

The following department chairmen were appointed:

—In Biology, Dr. Philip E. Hildreth, who joined our faculty this fall. He is a former geneticist at the Lawrence Radiation Laboratory of the University of California at Berkeley, holds the AB from Dartmouth, and the Ph.D. from the University of California at Berkeley. He also holds a distinguished professorship here.

—In Chemistry, Dr. Sherman L. Burson, Jr., who holds the BS and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Pittsburgh. He came to our campus in 1963. He had been named a Charles H. Stone Professor of Chemistry.

—In Engineering, Dr. Newton H. Barnette, who joined the faculty in 1964. He is a former Westinghouse Professor at Georgia Tech holds the BS from Louisiana Tech, the MS from Virginia Polytechnic Institute, and the Ph.D. from Cornell University.

—In Fine Arts, Dr. William S. Mathis, former Dean of Hope College. He holds the bachelor of music degree from Stinson University, the master of music degree from the University of Michigan, and the Ph.D. from Florida State University. He became a member of this faculty this fall.

—In Foreign Languages, Dr. Elbert Daymond Turner, Jr., who joined the faculty in 1966. He

holds the BA from Davidson, and the MA and Ph.D. degrees from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

—In History and Political Science, Dr. Robert W. Rieke who holds the BA from Carleton College and the MA and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Wisconsin. He joined the faculty here in 1961.

—In Mathematics, Dr. James H. Wahab, who holds the BS from the College of William and Mary, the MA and Ph.D. from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, and who was formerly the acting academic dean here. He joined the faculty in 1963.

—In Nursing, Mrs. Edith P. Brocker, former assistant dean and director of undergraduate studies of the Duke University School

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Registration Goes Smoothly, Orientation Is Enjoyed

BY CAROL HAYWOOD

Fall registration began Wednesday, September 6, and the white - and - green tagged Freshman Advisory Council, headed by Phil Wilson, was on hand Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, and Sunday to take care of freshmen and transfer students (not previously registered in the Early Enrollment Program, pre-registered returning students, transfers, and freshmen; and parents in need of a guided tour or our campus.

An assembly in the Parquet Room on Wednesday informed students about student services, such as financial aid, counseling, registration, health, etc. After lunch following the assembly, students were treated to a concert by our musician in residence Mr. Raul Spivak. Students who had not previously taken a foreign language test put their brains to work as they tried to attain a high ranking score in their respective foreign language fields. Wednesday closed out with a Tine test given by the University Health Service.

Thursday came on strong as FAC members were bombarded by pre-registered students wanting to see how well the computers liked the schedules that they fed it. Long lines wound around the cafeteria balcony before the 10 o'clock beginning time arrived. Equally concerned about their schedules were those students who had not pre-registered. Most of them knew what they wanted to take -- their only problem was that they usually had to resort to an alternate course because of a closed section. Thursday was the only day that these students had to register; whereas, the pre-registered students had to register; whereas, dents could also complete their registration on Friday.

Speeches by Dr. McEniry and Dr. Cone, John Lafferty, Phil Wilson, Candy Kimbrell, and John Gaither introduced the new students to academic and social life on this campus. Discussion groups, led by FAC members, gave the new students an opportunity to ask any questions that had been collecting

in the backs of their minds-- questions about advisors, campus organizations, student government, etc. An added attraction to this year's discussion groups was a test on the GOLD DIGGER handbook. Most of the knowledgeable freshmen, prodded by their FAC counselors, whizzed through the tests.

A picnic of fried chicken, slaw, potato salad, beans, cake, and pop-top Cokes provided the freshmen, FAC members, and some faculty and administration members with a delicious lunch. The Merry-Go-Round of activities gave students a sampling of clubs and organizations.

Freshmen orientation ended with the "Registration Rock" centered around "The Thing".

Now that FAC members had gotten and freshmen and transfer students acquainted with UNC-C, they had only to look forward to Sunday when they started all over again with the parents. From 3 till 5 on Sunday, the FAC guided the mothers and fathers around the campus, ending up in the Union, where they met the officials of the University.

Ernst Firm Gives Award

This summer the University was given a \$500 annual achievement award by Ernst & Ernst, a company which has hired students for part-time work while they completed their degrees and which has also hired two of our University's first four accounting graduates.

The grant was announced by Charles S. Myerly, partner in charge of the Charlotte office of this accounting firm. The firm indicated that the grant should go to a male student chosen "for his ability and potential as shown by scholarship, character, leadership and extracurricular activities; and he must also have a career preference for public accounting."

Harris-Teeter Becomes 100th Founding Patron

Harris-Teeter Super Markets, Inc. has the distinction of being the 100th Founding Patron of the University. Under the Patrons concept, an individual, firm, or foundation pledges a minimum of \$1,000 a year for 10 years.

A total of \$2,859,000 has now been raised for our campus, including a major gift in 1963 by the Celanese Corporation of a plant worth \$1,151,000. The Founding Patrons other than Celanese have paid or pledged \$1,758,000. Several paid or pledged more than a minimum \$10,000 gift.

Of the \$2,859,000 which includes the Celanese gift, \$2,209,000 is in the form of designated gifts and \$650,000 is in the form of undesignated gifts. Of the designated gifts \$1,203,000, including the Celanese gift, is for faculty salary supplements and faculty research. For scholarships, \$536,000 has been paid or pledged.

Three distinguished professor-

ships at \$100,000 each were established with gifts and pledges during the past year. Another professorship is being sustained with annual donations.

During the Founding Patrons enlistment program the Belk family, Belk Brothers Company and the Belk Foundation contributed \$100,000 for a carillon tower.

The library received designated gifts of \$40,000.

The undesignated gifts of \$650,000 will average out at \$65,000 a year for the ten-year period of the pledges.

The Patrons program was initiated by Chancellor Colvard and has been under the direction of Mr. Addison H. Reese, president of North Carolina National Bank and chairman of the UNC-C Foundation, and B. W. "Barney" Barnard, executive director of the foundation. Both Mr. Reese and Mr. Barnard are Founding Patrons.



At night they party . . .

Attendance at Registration Rock was good and everyone seem to have one great time!!!