

Girl of the Month

# Miss March



Miss Lib Moore

## Director speaks at Church

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The City School Board—for whose co-operation Miss Cone had the highest praise—has signified its willingness to relinquish control of the college to the new board of trustees as soon as the county-wide tax is voted.

When that is done, and when the college qualifies for its full quota of state funds, it can proceed with plans to acquire its own campus and erect its own buildings. It will then, Miss Cone said, be a college in its own right.

She emphasized the community nature of the college by pointing out that 94 per cent of the students come from Charlotte and Mecklenburg county. Such a large proportion of these from outside the city limits that Charlotte College can be considered as much a project of the county as of the city and therefore deserving of a county-wide tax.

In leading up to this thesis, Miss Cone traced the history of the Col-

lege from its beginning as an extension service of the University of North Carolina just after World War II. When the University decided to discontinue this service, she said, three cities determined to continue their community colleges. Charlotte College became a part of the city school system and was operated by the city school board.

In May, 1954, Charlotte voted a two-cent tax for support of the college. In 1955, after a strenuous campaign, the General Assembly was persuaded to provide state aid to the college. As a result the state is now giving \$135 for each student.

In 1955 the new building was erected, and the College moved into it in 1956. The college offices, three laboratories, three class rooms, and a bookstore. In addition, the College was able to obtain a library of 6,000 volumes to supplement the Central high school library, which is also available to students.

She closed with an appeal that Charlotte and Mecklenburg county do not deny nearly 500 of their most promising young people an educational chance that would otherwise be beyond them.

## No More Indoor Smoking Asked

In the spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to diversified emotions which have been adequately covered by all the poets from Chaucer to Hal Kellams. Therefore, we shall not dwell upon that topic; we shall make our point in a scientific manner, to wit:

Following the vernal equinox in the northern hemisphere, the celestial phenomena are accompanied by a pronounced moderation in the temperature of the terrestrial atmosphere; since the blood temperature of the species homo sapiens is maintained at 98.6° Fahrenheit, an extremely low environmental temperature obliges the body processes to labor in inverse proportion to the body's activity in order to hold blood temperature in equilibrium. Therefore, the aforesaid mammal seeks an environment whose temperature has been artificially raised in which to pursue its normal activities, such as inhaling the sub-microscopic particles of a gaseous discharge given off by an ignited and smouldering aromatic herb encased in tissue paper.

In other words, when the weather is cold, students seek the shelter indoors to smoke. Little has been said about the matter, but now that spring has brought warmer weather,

## Spanish Club Plays Host To Students From Chile

The Spanish Club of Charlotte College recently played host to thirteen students and one professor from the University of Chile, in Santiago. The visitors, who were guests of the Charlotte Rotary Club, were boarded in private homes. They were in the city for two days.

The Chileans were met Friday night by Mr. David Littlejohn, professor of Spanish at Charlotte College. On Saturday, our students met the visitors and conveyed them to the Latta Park Center. There, games were played by a few, and conversation was played by many. The conversation consisted of a curious mixture of Spanish, English, and sign language.

When a form of communication had finally been decided upon, students and visitors left to go shopping, tour Charlotte, and prepare for the dinner that night.

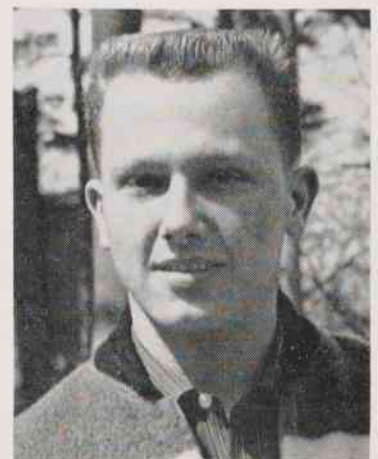
The dinner consisted of American steak, which the Chileans ate with American hunger. During the meal, and afterwards, the visitors were entertained again by conversation.

It is interesting to note that one American dollar is equal to 800 Chilean pesos, the monetary unit of

the South American country. The Chileans said that they had to save for many months to be able to make the trip. They added, however, that an American could make a tour of Chile for about 200 dollars and live comfortably during the trip.

Chile is the most democratic of the South American countries, they said. The climate is much like that in the southern U. S., and the people are similar in attitudes and personalities.

After the meal, the visitors gave their Charlotte College hosts gifts of pesos and banners of the University of Chile. They left Charlotte the next day. They planned to be in this country for about two months.



Joe Pickard

## Inverview Joe Pickard, V.P. Of Sophomore Class

Joseph Lee Pickard, the Vice-President of the Sophomore class, is in his third year at Charlotte College. He is taking a liberal arts curriculum.

Pickard, a tall blonde, is a graduate of Central High School, and works for the Union National Bank. In addition to his work for the sophomore class, he is parliamentary of the Student Council and Vice-President of the college fraternity, Sigma Lambda Chi.

After graduation from C.C., Pickard hopes to continue his education at a Presbyterian college, where he wants to study for the ministry. He is at present a deacon at Seigle Avenue Presbyterian Church and chairman of the Finance Committee. Year before last,

he was secretary of the Board of Deacons of the church.

Pickard's hobbies are varied: he likes collecting coins, counseling, and making friends. He is very fond of children and teaches a Sunday School class, which he finds both interesting and rewarding.

He is also interested in singing and is one of the outstanding members of the Charlotte College Chorus. Last year he was also Assistant Business Manager of the Si Si, the college annual.

Football, baseball, and basketball are Pickard's favorite sports. Although his work and school schedule do not allow him enough extra time to devote to participating in the sports, he is an avid spectator.

Pickard was 21 on St. Patrick's Day. R.G.

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