

## Scholarships And Awards

By JEAN GRIER STRATHDEE

It was May 18, 1960, and time for the second annual Awards and Installation Service at Charlotte College to begin.

Members of the audience fanned themselves, while others wiped their perspiring brows. At 7:15 p. m. Miss Bonnie Cone, Director of Charlotte College, opened the ceremonies by introducing Rev. M. Conrad Holmes who gave the invocation.

"The Greatest of These Is Love", a solo by Miss Martha Elizabeth Price, came after the invocation.

Before the presentation of awards and scholarships for 1960-61, Miss Cone introduced Miss Mary Fore, Chairman of the Scholarship Nominating Committee, and her co-workers, Miss Mary R. Denny, Mr. Jerome O. Darholt, Miss Ruth L. Raney and Mr. W. L. Yarbrough. She expressed thanks to them and to the friends and student organizations of Charlotte College who provided funds and made the scholarships possible.

With a smile on her face, Miss Cone talked of the progress C. C. has made since the first scholarship was awarded at the college ten years ago. She told of the tangible profit the College has received from awarding these scholarships.

Miss Cone announced another first in Charlotte College progress—the first four-year scholarship, given to the school by the Optimist Club. She feels that this is a wonderful start for the future students, and continued to tell of other new scholarships being awarded.

Twenty-one students and future students of Charlotte College were presented scholarships. Representatives of each scholarship committee were recognized.

The following is a list of scholarships presented and the students who received them:

Alumni, Howard Wayne Therrill; Altrusa, James Fraser Cornell; Quota Club, Elizabeth Ann Settlemyre; Pilot Club, Laura Eugenis tarris; Panhellenic Congress Helen Kay Combs, L. G. Mumaw, Engineering, Charles Steven Deal; L. G. Mumaw, Jerry Owens; Professional Engineers, Robert Thomas Bradborn; Association of Insurance Women, Vivian Nadine White; American Business Women's Association, Helen Louise Rea; Bonnie E. Cone, Robert Boyd Barbee; Thad L. Harrison, Dorce Howard Payne; Jefferson Standard Foundation, William E. Morrison; Sigma Lambda Chi, Fitzhugh Lee Austin III; Mecklenburg Chapter DAR, Frank Ervin Harkey, Jr.; National Association of Accountants, Joe Lee Starnes; Optimist Club, John Hunter McCoy; Phi Theta Kappa, Christian Curtis Collins; Ladies Auxiliary of Professional Engineers, Harry Iverson Huber III; Winningham, Lillian Seaman; Morehead Scholarship, Eddie Silber.

Mr. Julian Clark, member of the Fifth District Morehead Scholarship Committee, presented the Morehead Scholarship. Mr. Clark



William Edwin Phillips, outgoing president of the student government association, administers the oath of office to the newly elected officers of the association. L to r: Mr. Phillips, Howard Payne, Bob Sadler, Ann Settlemyre, and Bill Hicks.

### Rare Books Presented To C C Library

Two rare volumes—one published in 1851 and the other in 1884—have been acquired by the Charlotte College Library.

"Historical Sketches of N. C. from 1584-1851", and "Reminiscences and Memoirs of N. C. and Eminent North Carolinians", both by John H. Pheeler, were received with other books and increased the library's total by 131 volumes.

Other works received include encyclopedias, biographies, histories, fiction, and a pamphlet on "Road Building in a Southern State" published in 1897.

"We are proud of all these books," said Mrs. M. Scherger, librarian, "but we are especially glad to get the N. C. Materials."

"The Fishes of N. C." will be especially useful. Dr. Heckenbleikner, instructor in zoology, has been wanting it for a long time.

said that two students of junior colleges were being awarded the scholarship this year. The student receiving this scholarship, Ed Silber, was picked not only because of merit but for a combination of character, honesty, ambition, and promise of achievement.

In advising Ed, Mr. Clark gave four points to remember—get along with people, be yourself, learn to express self and convictions, and cultivate executive ability.

In acknowledgement of the high honor of being chosen a Commencement Marshall, Miss Cone introduced the C. C. Marshalls.

For leadership and service to the College, two outstanding honor students, James LaRoach and Deanna Merrill, graduates of '60, were presented Bill Mitchell Awards.

Scholastic award winners were James W. Grant, Jr., Mathematics; Clinton Wilson Hoover, physics; and Robert Frederick Ferguson, freshman chemistry achievement.

Mrs. Edyth F. Winningham, a Professor of Political Science at C. C., introduced the principal speaker of the evening, Mr. Henderson Belk, Vice President and Director of Belk Mercantile Corporation. Mr. Belk has long been

### The Collegian Congratulates

Howard Payne, Bobby Sadler, Ann Settlemyre and Bill Hicks for being elected to next year's Student Council . . .

Jere Thomas, Jimmy Latane and Vivian White for having won Sophomore Class offices . . .

The representatives of the Sophomore Class to the Student Council . . .

Bobby Barbee and Linda Leete Harris for their academic excellence which caused a "tie" for the honor of chief marshal . . .

Jim Cornell, Fred Ferguson, Ann Settlemyre and Wayne Therrill for being named marshals . . .

All those who were awarded scholarships and honors . . .

All those with built-in air-conditioning who plan to attend summer school . . .

known for his interest in education.

Mr. Belk opened his address by telling the students and visitors of Charlotte College that this also was a first for him. He said that this was the first time he'd ever worn a graduating gown and then explained how unusual experiences had prevented this in high school and College.

Mr. Belk said our country had known three crisis before the worse—the one we are facing today. He said this was a serious time and urged students to serve their communities.

Mr. Belk's answer to the crisis of today was simple. He said that our nation was founded on the Bible and people today should go back to this foundation. In telling of our great need for better government and good citizenship, he said that we need strong leadership and that the leaders should be the greatest among us.

He spoke of the new ventures into the world of space, but added that the most important space to any of us is that which we occupy.

After Mr. Belk's speech, Miss Cone recognized William Phillips, President of Student Government Association. He thanked the Charlotte College students for their part in making the past year a successful one and said that he hoped they would continue doing things worthwhile for the growth of C. C.

New student government officers were instructed in their duties and gowns were exchanged. The new officers were sworn into office.

After shaking hands with Phillips, Howard Payne assumed the duties of President of the Student Government Association. He

### Assembly Schedule Taking Shape

Dr. Pierre Macy announced today that progress is being made in the scheduling of assembly programs for next year.

Charles Rosen, a French pianist, will give a recital Dec. 7.

Dr. Macy said, "We are planning to have as a lecturer, Dr. Rhyne of Duke University." Dr. Rhyne, who was a consultant in the case of Bridey Murphy, has made extensive studies in extra-sensory perception. No date has been set for his lecture.

The Davidson Glee Club will give a concert of sacred and folk songs April 24. This group goes on tour throughout the South.

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graduation she plans to teach high school or college mathematics.

Mr. Bill Mitchell, donor of the Bill Mitchell Award to Charlotte College, is a resident of Lombardy Circle in Charlotte. He is active in the advertising brokerage business and is exclusive sales representative for Chompe Advertising Production Company of this city.

Mr. Mitchell is a past president of Dilworth Rotary Club, past commander of Post 64 of the American Legion, and Chef d Gare Passe Voiture of Forty and Eight.

He was sales manager of the Dowd Press during the early days of Charlotte College and became a friend of the college when the company published the first issue of the Collegian and the Si Si.

Mr. Mitchell received early training as a commercial artist and layout man and is well known for his accomplishments in the field of illuminated engravings.

thanked the students for the compliment they bestowed on him by putting him into office, and said that he would do his best to carry out his responsibilities to them, and to the students of tomorrow. He requested ideas for the advancement of C. C. He said that it is too easy to talk of things one plans to do, and that he hoped that at this time next May he could look back on a year of service and success.

Mr. Reid and Mr. Woodruff led the "Alma Mater" and Reverend Holmes ended another page of Charlotte College history with Benediction.

## On Campus With Silber

It looks as if the power of the press at Charlotte College is stronger than I thought. All four of the candidates mentioned editorially in the April Collegian were elected. Congratulations, Howard, Bob, Ann, and Bill. (And I wonder if it was just a coincidence that the treasurer threw the victory coffee hour at the Hoot Mon?)

Wonder why it is that Ed Singleton can't find a clear day to have a picnic? Actually it was surprising to see so many people at the picnic . . . including Bruce Anderson, who drove all the way from Salisbury. I'm sure that at least one person was glad to see a tractor there . . . Mud, mud go away, bother Buicks another day. (Boy, I'm glad this is my last column, because if it wasn't, it would be.)

Still can't understand how Jere Thomas polled enough votes by a "write-in" to be in a run off for Sophomore Class president. Think that's the first time it has happened here . . . Wonder if Howard Payne is his campaign manager?

This school's seeing so much of columnist Julian Scheer that it looks as if he teaches here. So far he has taught two journalism classes and was guest speaker at the last Writer's Club meeting.

Meetings, meetings, meetings. It seems that all this school does at the end of the year is have meetings, dinners, and car washes. One day some bright student is going to quit school and join all the clubs.

Bet you didn't know this interesting fact: During the last four years, C. C.'s enrollment has more than doubled, but the number of graduates has jumped six times. Look out Carolina, here we come.

No, it's not true. Student Government treasurer Jerry Williams was not convicted of embezzlement. The 10 cents missing from the coke machine has been found under the water fountain.

By the way, it was worth bringing Jack Parr back just to see his show from England . . . the program included three of the dryest comedians ever on TV.

This column will close with that famous story from the Einstein of the math department. It's about the counterfeiter who goofed and printed a \$25 bill. Driving through the back woods of Georgia, he stopped at an old country store, hoping to get change for one of his phony bills. "Tell me, sir," the counterfeiter said to the old man behind the counter, "do you have change for a \$25 bill?" The old man looked him square in the eye and answered, "Certainly do, Sonny. How'd you like it, two NINES and a SEVEN?"

That's kinda like the guy who made big money—about 1-4 inch too big.

Bye.

### JOHN PAUL LUCAS, JR. WINS THIRD TERM

John Paul Lucas, Jr., vice president of Duke Power Co., and vice chairman of the Charlotte College Board of Trustees, was re-elected Tuesday to his third term as a director of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Lucas represents the chamber's third geographical district.

He will be installed at the annual meeting in Washington, D. C. next week. The term will run for two years.



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