

# The Charlotte Collegian

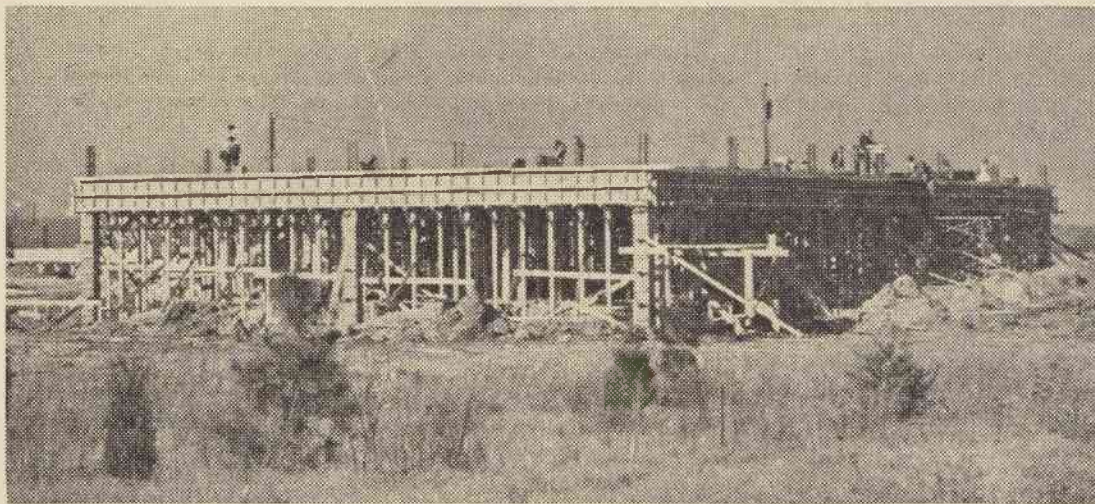
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## Campus Takes Shape



CC's "first phase" buildings take shape on the new campus. The academic building on the right and the science-engineer-

ing building barely visible on the left, indicate the progress of construction. (Photo By Jane Bennett)

## 2 Buildings Rise On Highway 49

By Jane Bennett

Charlotte College's new campus on Highway 49 is progressing in spite of unforeseen construction problems.

Discovery of a solid bed of rock beneath the proposed Engineering Building threatened for a while to delay construction. However, by removing part of the rock and raising the building, work was resumed after less delay than had been feared and, said Miss Bonnie Cone, director of Charlotte College, "we hope with not too much added expense."

The other problem was a few days of freezing weather before Christmas that halted the pouring of cement.

"Our spirits are not daunted," said Miss Cone. "The contractors expect no further delay in construction and are confident the buildings will be completed on schedule. Workers are really out there in force."

"In fact" said Miss Cone, "we expect the academic building will be ready for occupancy before August 26, the scheduled completion date. She said that will be good because "the administrative area is in that building and the extra time will permit us to move in and complete reorganization of offices before registration of students for the fall semester begins."

The outline of CC's academic building is already apparent. The form, the framework, and columns are already taking definite shape.

Footings have been poured for the science-engineering building and framework is being added. It, too, is beginning to show above the ground.

Completion of these two buildings will end the "first phase" of the college building program. Plans are already under way for the "second phase buildings of the new campus."

When the first two buildings are opened in the fall of 1961, they will care for a total of 800 students.

The college board will apply for a low-interest-rate federal loan for the purpose of building its college union. The loan could be repaid with earnings from the building and release bond money for other uses.

### CC Police Force Is Expanded

A second policeman has been added to the CC parking lot patrol force.

Patrolman Robert L. McGowan has been engaged to work with D. R. Stone.

The two patrolmen, members of the Charlotte uniformed police force, will alternate patrol duties on the lot during their off-duty hours.

## Committee Draws College Union Building Plans

Student and faculty committees have been appointed to help plan a college union for our new campus.

Each committee has met separately and recommendations for preliminary plans and a program of requirements have been discussed.

Miss English and Miss Cone went over these plans with overall consultant, Dr. Stanton Liggett, and Special consultant, Mr. Gerald Erdahl, Director of N. C. State College.

Because of a need for money, the union will have to be built in sections. It is hoped that the first section will open early in 1962. This section will consist of a cafeteria, a snack bar, a lounge or two, a game room, a book store, meeting room, office space and a receptionist's room.

The student committee is composed of Howard Payne, Jere Thomas, Rose Ervin, Kay Combs, Johnny Seegars, Bill Ferguson, Francis Cline, Wendall Greene, Gary Idol and Nancy Miller.

## New Journalism Class Begins February 8

The spring semester of journalism will begin on Wednesday February 8. Journalism 2, a five-quarter-hour course which meets for two and one-half hours on Wednesday night of each week, is taught by DeWitt H. Scott, city editor of the Charlotte News.

The course outline includes theory and practice in news gathering, reporting and writing.

The college newspaper is the regular project of the journalism class. Work on this publication is required; and the gathering, writing, make up and publication of the Collegian is the major homework of the class.

Registration for Journalism 2 will begin on February 2.

## Queen Is Crowned At Christmas Dance

By Jean Strathdee

Barbara Ann Cloud was chosen queen of the Charlotte College Christmas dance at the Hotel Charlotte on December 23.

The queen and her maid of honor, Helen Kay Combs, wore red evening gowns. Barbara received the crown and a dozen roses, and Kay was presented a nosegay.

The dance was judged a great

success by the 250 in attendance. One guest who had attended other CC dances said more couples than usual were dancing.

Norwood Lane and his orchestra furnished music for the event.

The entrance to the ballroom was arranged as a lighted archway of snow and glittering greenery. To complete the "winter paradise setting", the main ballroom was decorated with blue and

silver ceiling lights and with hanging icicles. Other arrangements were in red, silver, green and gold.

The social committee responsible for plans, arrangements and decorations was given high praise for the success of the dance. One group worked until 12 P.M. the night before the dance and came back on Friday to work from 9 A.M. to 3 P.M.

### SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS INCREASED

## New Scholarships Endowed

Charlotte Chapter, National Association of Accountants, has made an additional contribution to the Charlotte College Scholarship Award Fund established by them two years ago.

On December 2, Harold D. Haney, President, presented 145 shares of preferred stock to Miss Bonnie Cone, Director of C. C. The stock, valued at \$1,450.00, will be added to a prior gift of \$2,900.00 in preferred stock which was presented in September of 1958.

Total par value of these securities now amount to \$4,350.00.

This is a perpetual fund. In come is to be awarded to a deserving student, preferably a business student, as selected each year by C. C.

In his presentation statement Mr. Haney said, "Charlotte College is now meeting a vital need of the people of Charlotte and the surrounding area. The presently planned expansion of Charlotte College is essential to the overall growth which we anticipate for Charlotte in the future. By this we are investing in the Charlotte Community. Guaranteed dividends will be the development of more capable business leadership for the Charlotte of tomorrow."

Mrs. Brycie Baber, a retired illustrator for the U. S. Department of Agriculture, has mailed checks amounting to \$860 to the Charlotte Community College Foundation to be used as scholarships.

One of the checks is for \$500 and is to be used as the first installment on a perpetual scholarship fund, to be known as the "Mrs. Brycie Baber Scholarship Fund."

The other check, for \$360, will be awarded as scholarships for two deserving students next year.

Mrs. Baber said she hopes to continue to award at least one \$180 scholarship a year until the annual income from the perpetual scholarship fund is sufficient to provide a full scholarship each year.

An engineering scholarship will be presented Charlotte College by employees of Easterby and Mumaw,

### PARAPSYCHOLOGIST SPEAKS

## Dr. Rhine Discusses The Unexplainable

An Ohio State student's premonition of death in the recent crash of two airlines over New York. . .

President Lincoln's dream of his death. . .

These and other unexplained communications were discussed by Dr. J. B. Rhine of Duke University before a capacity crowd at CC on Monday evening, January 16.

Dr. Rhine is a parapsychologist interested in trying to explain the incredible mental experiences which occur beyond the scope of physical explanation.

Dr. Rhine acknowledged that the field of parapsychology is having a hard time making its way. After 32 years at Duke, he believes there has been "certain substantial progress" and that parapsychology is becoming a science.

In his closing remarks, Dr. Rhine digressed from his basic subject and spoke of our alarming trend toward excessive conformity. He indicated that these tendencies are appearing in the fields of education, business and government, and he admonished students of higher learning to beware of a movement which could be fatal to democracy.

Dr. Rhine advised his audience to have inquiring minds and to question each doubtful premise. He stated that we should question only after studied and careful consideration but that failure to act can lead to the loss of freedom and the trampling of human dignity.

Carolina steel supply firm.

Employees presented the scholarship to company head, Lloyd G. Mumaw, at the firm's Christmas party at Myers Park Club. The scholarship will be given in his name.

### Dean's List Announced

The director's office has named the following students to the dean's list for the fall quarter:

"A" average: Robert Boyd Barbee, Gladys Allgood Porter, James Harvey Sexton.

"B" average: Keith N. Arrowood, Fitzhugh Lee Austin, Robert Burwell, Richard Wilson Carriker, Christian Curtis Collins, Helen Kay Combs, James F. Cornell, Jr., James L. Crenshaw, Dwight Rodney Frye, Frank Ervin Harkey, Jr., Linda Leette Harris, William Wanley Hicks, Jr.

Mildred Ann Hunter, Don Wilson Livingston, John Hunter McCoy, Charles Edwin Marcotte, William Edward Morrison, Marshall Hoffman Rhyne, Jr., Elizabeth Ann Settlemyre, Paul Alexander Shinn, Howard Wayne Therrell, Robert L. Thompson, Lloyd Clifford Torrence, Jr., Frederick Richard Young, II.