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Initial Work Begun On Girl's Dormitory

Jones Brothers Construction Co. Promises Completion By Sept. '49

After a frustrated attempt to erect a dormitory for women on a site bought on the Raleigh Highway by Atlantic Christian College in 1929, work is under way for the construction of a dormitory for that purpose on the present college site. The construction bid has gone to the Jones Bros. Construction Company of Wilson. Plumbing and heating bids went to the New Bern Plumbing and Heating Company, and the electrical wiring bid went to the Whitney Electrical Company of Wilson. Estimated completion date for the new dormitory has been set as September 1949, and the estimated cost is set at four hundred thousand dollars. Upon construction of this new building it will be possible for women to vacate Caldwell Hall to be used as a dormitory for men. The great influx of co-eds and the college's need for expansion makes immediate construction imperative.

Architect drawings show the building to be an impressive one of brick construction trimmed with limestone. The building will be constructed after an L design, one wing and the main entrance facing Lee Street, the other wing facing Rountree Street. Natural sloping terrain of the site will allow for the construction of a ground floor. One of the main features of this floor will be the recreation hall measuring twenty-six by fifty-nine feet with a huge stone fireplace. This room will be used for informal social gatherings and an adjoining kitchenette will add to the convenience of preparing food for such gatherings. Toilet facilities for both men and women students will adjoin the recreation hall as there will be occasions when both will use the hall. Ample space will be provided on this floor for laundry, ironing and drying facilities. A room for storing student trunks is also included in the blueprints. Space will be provided on this ground floor for the housing of six students.

Located on the first floor will be a spacious social hall and parlor with polished hardwood floors, plush carpeting and formal furnishings. This room will be used for the stately functions of the college. Adjoining the hall will be two parlors to be used for individual entertaining. These parlors will be separated by sliding doors so that the entire space may be thrown en suite for large entertainments. An equipped kitchenette will also adjoin the social hall. A door will lead from this hall into a garden furnished with lawn furniture for entertaining. The Dean of Women will occupy a modern apartment on this floor. Blueprints show that the student capacity of this first floor is thirty-six.

On the second floor the Assistant Dean will be furnished an office and an apartment. Fifty-five women will live on this floor and fifty-five will live on the third floor.

Central baths on each floor will be equipped with sufficient baths, showers, etc. Trash chutes from the third floor to the basement will provide all floors with convenient trash disposal. Cool water fountains will be located on each floor. An additional feature will be that of an arcade extending from the wing facing Rountree Street.

Stage And Script Plans Season

The first meeting of "Stage and Script" was called by Jesse Jones on September 21 with fifty or more students present. Many of the new members are freshmen who have shown an interest for active membership in the organization. Two years of active participation in at least two major productions per year, whether it be lights, costumes, scenery, properties, makeup, publicity or acting leads to ownership of a letter.

The first major production, *The Barretts of Wimpole Street*, will be given on November 9 and 10 at 8:00 p. m. The leading character, Elizabeth Barrett, will be played by Jean Suessmith; Gene Barnes will be Robert Browning; Harry Vause is Elizabeth's tyrannical father, and a strong supporting cast has been selected as the Barrett family and friends.

Mrs. Holworth, director of dramatics and president of the Carolina Dramatic Association, and the play reading committee have selected as their program for the year: one major production during the Fall; a Christmas play; one major production in the Spring; a chapel program and Vesper service each semester; and there is the possibility that some original plays written by students of A. C. C. will be sent to the Carolina Playmakers in Chapel Hill. These original plays will also be presented in Howard Chapel in the Spring.

507 Enrolled With Rise Predicted

The enrollment already at 507 is larger than last year's 499. By the end of the year, one of the largest enrollments in the history of the college is expected.

This year the college has three South and Central American students: Floradella Bernier and Dalila Perez from Puerto Rico, and Sidney Shaw from Guatemala.

Chelsea, Mass. is well represented by Thomas Callahan, Arthur Garrett, Paul Glazer, Joe Gullella, Mike Kravetz, Joe Leonard, Charles Levey, and Nick Sigonas.

The state of Virginia brings to us George Burcher, Dennis Hines, Virgil Parker, Bob Fisher, Bill Kendrick, Gayle Sutton, Perry Pair, Stuart Poole; along with West Virginia's Gerald Postlethwaite and Forest Deshields.

New York is represented by Carroll Brown from Kings Park, and William Walker from Long Island City.

Students from other states are Tommy Walsh from Cannansbury, Pennsylvania; Bob Clark and Pat Hale from Atlanta, Georgia; Gene Maffel from Bloomfield, New Jersey; James Ritter from Saint Joseph, Missouri; and Charles Ehlman from Washington, D. C.

Students Elect Class Officers

The individual classes of Atlantic Christian College met on October 1, 1948 in the rooms designated by the President of the Cooperative Association, Buck Jones, for the purpose of electing Class Officers and sponsors for the year '48 and '49.

The freshman class met in Howard Chapel with President Buck Jones presiding until they had elected their president. The sophomore class met in the White House, located behind Bert Hardy dining hall with Kerry Kiehl, last year's freshman president, presiding. The junior class met in room No. 3, Kinsey Hall, with last year's sophomore president, Marlon Zollieffer, of the Senior class, presiding.

No. 8 of Kinsey Hall, with the former junior president, Bill Brinson, taking charge.

The results of the elections are as follows: Senior class president, Raymond Smith of Kinsey; Vice President, Bill Brinson from Arapahoe; Recording Secretary, Jean Strother of Staunton; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Ruth Costabile of Wilson; Treasurer, Bill Thigpen of Wilson. Officers for the Junior class are: President, Sparky McCaskill of Dunn; Vice President, Walston Coley, of Selma; Secretary, Miriam Driver of Wilson; Treasurer, Gene Driver of Dunn. Sophomore class: President, Aubrey Shingleton of Wilson; Vice President, Jimmy Fox of Virginia; Secretary, Betty Yarborough of Winston-Salem; Treasurer, Peggy Fuggett of Elm City. Freshman class: President, Malcolm Yates of Fayetteville; Vice President, Chuck Ehlman of Washington, D. C.; Secretary, Phoebe Buck of New Bern; Treasurer, Billy Beaman of Wilson.

Class sponsors are: Senior Class, Dr. Hartsock; Junior Class, Miss Mary Nackos, Sophomore class, Coaches Blythe and Spangler; Freshman Class, Dr. Hamlin and Dean Murray.

Homecoming Festivities To Get Underway October 23

Enlistment Day Big Success

Under the sponsorship of the Christian Service Club and the Student Christian Association Cabinet, annual Enlistment Day was held on the campus Saturday, October 9. Students from high schools and colleges of North Carolina began registering at ten o'clock and continued to do so until eleven. These students came to Atlantic Christian College because of their interest in full-time Christian vocations. It is the aim of Enlistment Day to give aid to those of our young people who have expressed their interest in these fields of service.

The program included a talk by Rev. C. Manley Morton, missionary to Puerto Rico. Using the words of Harold Stassen, politician, Reverend Morton said, "Maybe the answer to our world confusion is in the hands of our missionaries."

The Reverend Morton placed his emphasis on the need for missionaries and the qualifications needed for work in the mission fields. Dr. F. E. Smith, of Indianapolis, Indiana, in his talk on the tabernity, stated that more education is required of a minister than of any other church-related field.

The afternoon session was held with Professor John Waters as chairman, Miss Jenny Martin, Director of Religious Education at the First Methodist Church of Wilson, Mrs. Frances Query, a teacher of Bible in the North Carolina Public Schools; and Mrs. G. A. Hamlin, minister of music, gave three brief talks relating to their separate fields of work.

Short seminars were conducted. Discussion of a particular phase of service was held in each seminar with students attending the group of their choice.

Mozart Trio Will Present Music Concert

On October 20 at 8 p. m. in Howard Memorial Chapel, the Mozart Trio will present a varied musical concert sponsored by the Concert Committee of Atlantic Christian College.

This trio consists of Vierlyn Clough Duerr, pianist, Hendrick de Soer, tenor, and Claire Wellman, violinist. Miss Duerr has been winning acclaim as an outstanding pianist since the age of 16. First awards have been hers in any contests she has entered. Joseph Lhevinne gave her high rating in his rostrum of artist pupils. At various times, Chicago papers have mentioned her brilliant style, pleasing tone, imagination and brilliant technique. The second member of the famous trio, Miss Wellman, was formerly first violinist of the internationally known Hour Of Charm all-girl chorus and orchestra. Critics have compared the technique of Claire Wellman to that of Jascha Heifetz. When she was only six years old, she gave her first concert. Hendrick de Soer, the third

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Domitories To Hold Open House Room Prizes To Be Awarded

The twenty-third of October marks Homecoming for the alumni of Atlantic Christian College. Alumni president, Mr. Russell T. Roebuck, announces that Registration will begin at 1:30 p. m. in the parlor of Kinsey Hall. For every homecoming there is open house at all dormitories, fraternity houses, and barracks.

Wilder Elected Annual Editor

In an election held September 23, 1948, James Wilder was elected by the student body to replace Elmer Loftin who resigned as editor of the Pine Knot.

Plans for sponsoring the Annual are well underway. Under the direction of the editor and Morgan Sumner, business manager, it is expected that between 1,000 and 1,500 dollars worth of ads will be sold.

This will be supplemented by approximately 2,500 dollars allotted for the Pine Knot by the Executive Board. This money is a percentage of the students' matriculation fee, which is paid upon entrance into college.

Junior and Senior class pictures are being taken at the present time. Group pictures will be taken as soon as the individual pictures have been completed. All pictures must be made by November 20, 1948, since the annual must be turned over to the printers for publication by the first of the following month. The continued cooperation of all students will be appreciated.

Each year, the Pine Knot Staff makes plans for the selection of a queen for the Annual. These plans are now underway and will be announced to the student body as soon as they have been completed.

Cafeteria Makes Official Debut

After much waiting and anticipation, the cafeteria was officially opened Wednesday evening, October 8th. The students seem to welcome the advantage of a choice of vegetables, meats and beverages.

So far the cafeteria is working on an experimental basis, but many of the difficulties have already been ironed out. As time goes on and this unusual schedule grows into a regular routine it is felt certain that the cafeteria will be of great benefit to the students and faculty and to the college as a whole.

Shriners Support A.C.C.; Hales Crowns Queen

King Football Crowns His Queen As Bulldogs Lose To Naval Apprentice

The first home game of the year was played Saturday when Atlantic Christian College met Newport News Apprentice in a hard-fought battle. A day-long celebration was held as the Wilson Shrine Club sponsored "Shriner's Atlantic Christian College Day."

A contest was held by the student body and Miss Phoebe Buck of near New Bern was named queen of the celebration.

She received the highest number of votes. Miss Buck rode in the giant parade which got underway 4:30 Saturday afternoon. The route of the parade started at the intersection of Jackson and Nash Streets and traveled East on Nash to the Hotel Cherry.

Music for the occasion was furnished by the Charles L. Coon and Darden High School Bands. Because of the requests of the Shriner's Club here in Wilson, the college was also able to secure the Rocky Mount High School Band, who rejected an invitation to play at the Duke-Tennessee game, in order to help make the day the biggest in the history of A. C. football.

At 8:00, the first kick-off was in favor of A. C. C. Before the first half the Bulldogs had scored six points. During the intermission the bands marched up toward the entrance and took their position. Mr. Hales, mayor of Wilson and a member of the Shriner's Club, rode onto the field. Following him came the queen and her attendants. Buck Jones, on behalf of the student body of Atlantic Christian College welcomed the spectators and expressed appreciation to the Shriner's for their splendid spirit of cooperation and generous help. Mayor Hales, introduced by Buck Jones, crowned Phoebe queen of the festivity.

The ending of the second half gave Newport News Apprentice a lead of 12-8. For making this a memorial

PATIENTS RECEIVE VISITORS

GREENSBORO—(AP)—The Central Carolina convalescent hospital for polio patients received visitors for the first time yesterday.

The hospital opened early last week. Among the first visitors was a group from Salisbury who brought 15 table radios and 20 boxes of dolls, puzzles, books and toys. The health and safety committee of the Salisbury business and professional women's club gave A. Preston Nusbet, hospital administrator, a check for \$3,042.15. The money was collected in a one-day street campaign.

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Seen in the above picture is Miss Phoebe Buck being crowned Queen of Football. Mayor Hales of Wilson is placing the crown on Miss Buck. Attendants seen sitting around the throne are Joyce Peterson, Mary Lou Lassiter, and Beulah Tew. Not shown in the photo are Sybil Barrett, Doris Harper, Mary Ellen Talton, Doris Barker, Gwen Toulson, and Peggy Fugate all of whom were close runner-ups in the election.