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The lights were dimmed in the administration building as violins were softly played in the background. A long (mighty long) line solemnly formed for the traditional "rubber check" procession by the Business Office.

## To Meet College Trials Orientation Program Acquaints Freshman

By BETH BEST

Orientation of the 1967 freshman class began on Tuesday, Sept. 5, when resident freshmen descended on ACC's campus full force.

They were met by a team of enthusiastic upperclassmen, who were full of energy and anticipation as the first freshmen arrived, but as the hours wore on they became more and more weary, and less enthusiastic. That evening marked the first group activity of the Orientation Week, when John Day and "The Other Side" — a newly formed campus folk group — entertained in a folk concert.

On Wednesday morning all freshmen reported to Howard Chapel to be briefed on registration procedures and to be officially introduced and welcomed to the ACC campus. Following the assembly they broke up into small groups and met with their advisors to begin the ordeal of registration and to be informed about academic regulations.

The task was completed in the afternoon, and the freshmen received a welcome rest in the evening when the movie "Cha-

rade" was presented in Howard Chapel.

**Bright And Early**

Bright and early Thursday morning freshmen began to file into the gymnasium to complete registration by picking up their class cards, filling out the endless number of cards and forms, and standing in the long line to have I. D. pictures made. For those who were fortunate enough to finish before night, the remainder of the day was

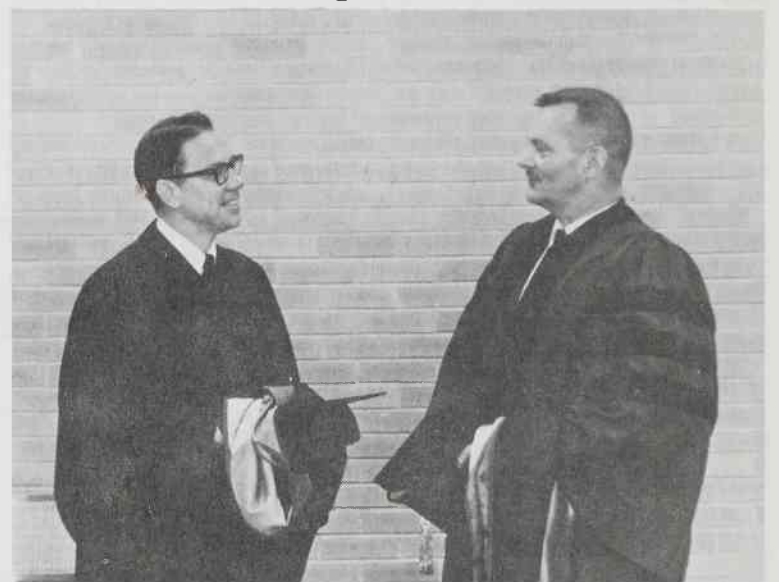
free until the denominational meetings that evening sponsored by the individual churches.

The only scheduled activity for Friday was a film strip for the purpose of getting the freshmen acquainted with the idea of college life.

One entitled "Your First Week at College" was intended to inform the freshman of what to expect from college life, and the

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### Awaiting Convocation



Dr. Arthur D. Wenger, president of ACC, declared the 1967-1968 school year officially opened at the Fall Convocation held Sept. 14 in Wilson Gymnasium. The 66th annual session was presided over by Chaplain Dan Hensley (left). The Convocation Address was given by Dr. Roger N. Cartensen (right), dean of the Christian College of Georgia. His address, entitled "Empty Vessels: The Way To Knowledge," emphasized the necessity of an open mind, as well as the willingness and capacity to learn.

## Varied Musical Events Planned

Students at Atlantic Christian College will have an opportunity to enlarge their horizons this year through many events that will be taking place on or near the campus.

For example, on October 16, James Dick, a young pianist who was a top winner this past year

in the Tchaikovsky Competition in Moscow (won not too long ago by Van Cliburn) will play in Howard Chapel. On November 1, The New York Woodwind Quintet will be on our campus, and on November 13, the first concert in an exchange program with Conciertos de Mexico, Guitarist Luis Felipe Chavarria, will play here.

On February 15, Senator Birch Bayh, author of the presidential succession bill, who was chosen as one of the Ten Outstanding Young Men in America in 1963, will lecture in Wilson Gym. On the lighter side, we have such attractions as Anthony and the Imperials on November 11, The Paul Winter Jazz Group on April 19, and the Lee Evans Trio on May 1. One event which is both town and campus related is the visit of the North Carolina Symphony. This year the Symphony is under the sponsorship of the United Fund, and admission to

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## Arnold Has Art Showing

The art gallery in the Case Art Building has opened this year with a one-man exhibition by Prof. Russell W. Arnold. It will be the first in a series of art shows which will appear during the academic year.

Arnold is possibly one of the best nationally known artists from this area. His reputation as a painter has been established for many years. A well-known teacher, many of his former students have won recognition as artists, art directors and college professors.

With the exception of two years, Arnold has been in all of the North Carolina Artist Annuals at the North Carolina Museum of Art since 1951. During this period he won five top awards.

Other shows he has been in in-

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## Dr. Long Dies At 65

Dr. Esther L. Long, 65, professor and chairman of the Department of Modern Languages, died Aug. 17 at Wilson Memorial Hospital.

A native of Franklin County, Iowa, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Long of Iowa Falls. She received the A. B. degree from Ellsworth College in Iowa and was awarded the M. A. and Ph. D. degrees from the University of Iowa.

Prior to coming to Atlantic Christian College in 1944, she was chairman of the Department of Languages at Athens College, Athens, Ala. Earlier she taught in Iowa, Arkansas, Indiana and Missouri.

During World War II, she was a government translator in Miami, Fla.

An active member of the First Methodist Church of Wilson, she was teacher of the Annie Bishop Sunday School class.

At the time of her death she was president of the Music Department of the Wilson Woman's Club. She was past president of the club's Literary Department and past regent of the Thomas Hadley Chapter, D. A. R. She served as director of the Department of Social Services of the N. C. Woman's Christian Temperance Union, and was a past president of the Wilson Business and Professional Women's Club. She was also a member of the Altrusa Club and the Great Books Discussion Club.

Dr. Long is survived by a sister, Miss Grace Long, Cohasset, Minn., and two cousins, Mrs. Charles Weberg, also of Cohasset, and Mrs. Verna Gaulke, Dows, Iowa.

### New Sigma Pi House



Sigma Pi Fraternity, Beta Rho Chapter, will hold a formal open house 6-8 p.m., Sunday, at their new home at 810 W. Gold St. The entire campus is invited; refreshments will be served.

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## "Negotiation Now!" Raleigh Minister Calls For Vietnam Treaty

By JIM BUSSELL

"In the Vietnam war we must choose not to believe Christ or to believe Him and try His Way," the Rev. Jack Crum of Raleigh told ACC students and area citizens in a Hines Hall "Negotiation Now" meeting Thursday, Sept. 14.

"Negotiation Now" is a self-proclaimed "national citizens campaign for responsible initiatives to end the war in Vietnam" which is seeking a million signatures from citizens across the nation to be presented to President Lyndon Johnson. Crum told the 47 attending people at the meeting that the signatures on the "Negotiation Now" petition would "enable, or prompt the President to hasten negotiation over the Vietnam war."

Rev. Crum, who is director of Christian Social Action of the N. C. Council of Churches, seemingly took several positions on how Christians and Americans should react to the Southeast Asian conflict.

At one point he declared, "Peace comes when men love each other. . . loving the Communists is the best way to bring them closer to us. . . we must choose not to believe Christ or to believe Him and try His way."

Somewhat later, however, Crum told the audience "most of us feel violence sometimes is a necessary prelude to an abundant life. . . often it is through violence that we learn."

He told the group that "Negotiation Now" rejects the "Bomb them now and get it over with theory. That would bring us into a war with China." The organization also "rejects the unilateral withdrawal theory and escalation."

He stated that certain actions should be taken by the United States to end the war:

1—The U.S. should announce a unilateral cease fire and should not fire unless fired upon.

2—The U.S. should request and solicit aid from United Nations Secretary General U. Thant in seeking negotiation with North Vietnam; and the U.S. should announce readiness to negotiate with the North Vietnamese and the Liberation front.

3—The United States should be willing to abide by the results of a free and internationally controlled election.

4—We should announce a guar-

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## Photo Date Is Changed

Seniors will have their pictures taken Friday, Sept. 22, instead of Thursday, as originally planned. Makeups will be taken after 3 p.m. tomorrow.

Ben Casey, editor of the yearbook reports that response to inquiries sent to faculty members has been very encouraging and he wishes to express his appreciation to them.