

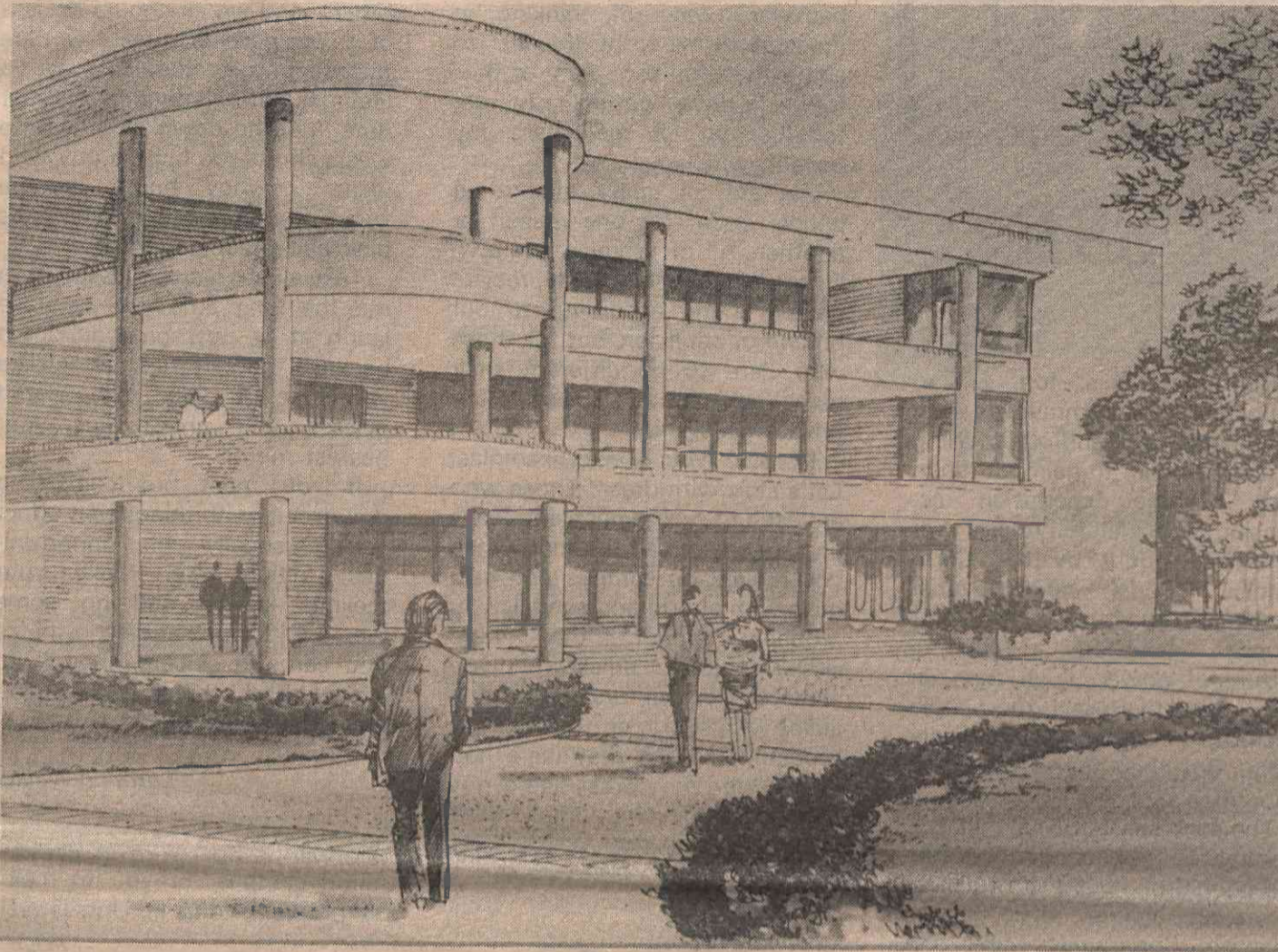
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SGA Officers Sworn In

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School Gets New Swing

By Ben Hitchens

Last spring, the SGA took a vote on what to do with \$350 that they had. They decided to donate a yard swing. This swing had been seen by Skip Smith, current president of the SGA, and Robert Mathews, former president, at Anderson College in South Carolina. What money is left over after the purchase of the swing will go for picnic tables to be placed between Kenan and Hillman dorms.

The swing will provide a nice place to sit and study or talk, not to mention adding beauty to the campus. The swing is supposed to be completed by the end of the semester.

You Can Make A Difference

By Skip Smith
SGA President

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Campaign Gears Up For Fund Raising

By Nancy Middleton

The Third Century Campaign, a program for raising money for the college, is gearing up for another year. It is involved in fund raising that will significantly enhance the appearance of Louisburg College and affect every student that attends the college in years to come.

The Third Century Campaign is seeking to construct three new buildings, very major buildings. The first to be constructed, beside the Fine Arts Building will be a new classroom building. This construction is tentatively scheduled to begin early next year, and should be finished by early Spring of the next year. Next in line for construction will be a new Chapel and then an auditorium.

On October 22, the Board of Trustees will meet on campus. At that time, the architectural firm of Dove-Knight & Associates will present their plans to the Board. If they are approved, the architects will prepare the plans for bidding. This will take approximately two to three months. Then, when the plans are ready, different construction companies will make bids to actually make the buildings a reality.

The money needed for the

campaign is being raised in various ways. The Third Century Fund Raising Campaign, which is now under way, has already raised \$2,750,000 in gifts and pledges. The Franklin County Annual Fund Drive phase will begin November 2 and continue until November 20. The total goal for the campaign is 4.2 million dollars.

The Raleigh District United Methodist Men have been challenged to raise \$250,000 over a five-year period to construct the chapel. The challenge was unanimously accepted and more than half of the men present, immedi-

ately offered to participate.

Students are asked to contribute to the campaign as much as possible. Letters have already been sent to some students' parents and alumni asking for donations. Also, students are asked to contribute by volunteering to participate in the Alumni Fund Raising Telefund.

The Third Century Campaign is a landmark in the history of Louisburg College; a turning point in its attempt to reinvigorate itself. The future looks bright if this campaign is successful.

Chapel Eyed For Future

By Chris Scott

In addition to the other building planned through the Third Century Campaign, a new Chapel will be built on the campus as soon as sufficient funds are gathered.

Benefactors of the new Chapel are the Raleigh District of the United Methodist Men. Plans are to get each man to give one dollar a week and this will result in a steady flow of cash needed to get the construction off to a good start.

The Chapel will be large enough

to house a fairly large congregation and will also have the office of the college chaplain, Reverend Sidney Stafford. There will also be a room to be used by the Christian Life Council for its meetings every Thursday night.

Louisburg College needs a full-time chapel that is much larger than the one we have now. The new chapel is a part of the general updating and renovation of the campus and a needed addition.



Skip Smith