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THE KORNERMAN

We, of the staff of the Charlotte Collegian, thought it would be of interest to our student body if we ran an article this week on one of our C. C. graduates.

We picked a boy that is better known around Charlotte and this area as "The Kornerman." His nickname is a result of his nightly D. J. show on one of Charlotte's local radio stations.

I'm sure that all of you know by now our ex-owl is Jimmy Kilgo, popular radioman at WIST in Charlotte.

Jimmy is a graduate of Central High School here in Charlotte. After his graduation from high school, a financial problem faced Jim and he was afraid he wouldn't be able to attend college. His problems were solved when he came down to investigate his chances at C. C.

Jimmy went two years at C. C., graduating in the 1950 class. After his two inexpensive years at C. C., Jim went to the University of North Carolina for two years.

He graduated from U. N. C. with a degree in Liberal Arts in June, 1952. On graduation morning his wife, "Willie," gave birth to a little baby girl who goes by the name of Lindo Jo.

Immediately after his graduation from U. N. C., Jimmy was hired by WIST here in Charlotte. It was not too long before Jimmy got his chance to try a nightly D. J. show. He called his show "Kilgo's Korner." Ever since that October night in the year 1952, when "Kilgo's Korner" made its debut in Charlotte, Jimmy's curb has been a well-populated one.

Jimmy tells us all that his two years at C. C. were two of the happiest and most profitable of his lifetime. If it had not been for C. C., Jimmy would have been another who would have been denied a college education.

We, the staff of the Collegian, say hats off to Jimmy Kilgo, a shining sample of why C. C. is a must in Charlotte.

KANELA MAYDANIS

STUDENT COUNCIL MEETS

The student council of Charlotte College met at Miss Cone's house Wednesday, September 8th, for a terrific supper and a meeting to discuss the plans for the coming year.

The student council decided that if the coming year is to be a success we should all back the student council all the way.

They planned the first assembly and named the speakers, with Mrs. Edith Winningham as the principal speaker. Other speakers were acting President Don Payne, editor of the annual, Jim Fitzgerald, editor of the paper, John Kilgo.

Also at the meeting the council named the social chairman to be Robie Howard. Publicity chairman was placed in the hands of Jan Shetler.

The first party of the year was set for a tentative date coming in the latter part of October. Final plans will be decided upon at the first council meeting in late September. With this the meeting was adjourned.

-Jan Shetler.

SCHOOL SPIRIT

The 1954-55 school year has just gotten underway. With it comes coffee hours, assemblies, basketball games and many other school activities. All of these events are part of our school, and they should be made a part of us.

There are not many students enrolled down here at C. C. that aren't immensely proud of our school. At least we tell people we are proud of C. C., but we all must realize that in the past years only a small group of students have participated in school activities. The one big way to get C. C. on the map is by making our institution a part of us.

About eighty percent of our students work at full or part time jobs and go to school at the same time. This pushes each and every one of us for time, but if we take it upon ourselves to make room for a few of the school's activities, I'm sure we will all enjoy our College life more.

If someone walks up to you and asks for your participation in school events, think twice before you turn him down. Remember, all of us working as a unit can make a bigger and better Charlotte College.

My thoughts are silly, funny things.
They're precious but to me.
They dwell on reckless, crazy dreams
Of elephants and Kings.

WELCOME

We want to welcome the new students to Charlotte College this fall quarter. This being the first time at Charlotte College for a large percentage of the student body I would like to hand out a few pointers of information.

The Owl's Roost is located in the hall next to the office. The purpose of the Owl's Roost is to furnish snacks at break time—candy, sandwiches, and coffee—school supplies—pencils, notebook paper, composition books, etc.—and second-hand books. The textbooks that the Owl's Roost carries are books that have been used but are in usable shape. If you want to buy second-hand books, go by the Owl's Roost and see Rea Hinson. He will be glad to help you in any way that he can.

Be sure to vote in all elections. This is a vital part of the school activity. Maybe you do not know the persons running for election, for this reason we have campaign speeches. All the major elections always have these campaign speeches just before the election. It is your duty as a member of the student body to attend the speeches and acquaint yourselves with the candidates. We want the officers of the school to be the people you want in office. Don't fail your school and classmates; vote in all elections.

The library is a place to study. Don't be thoughtless and hinder your friends who are trying to study in the library. This has been a problem in the past, so let's do better this year along this line.

The coffee hours are held after the assemblies. The purposes of the coffee hours are so that the faculty and student body can become better acquainted. Also so many of the students work during the day they do not have time to know all their classmates. We serve refreshments and chat with our friends. These coffee hours are usually held in the basement in the Central High cooking lab. Notices of assemblies and coffee hours are posted in the bulletin board to the right outside of the library.

There is a boys' fraternity and a girls' sorority. They have open house at the first of every quarter. These organizations sponsor coffee hours and add a great deal to the social life of the college.

Let's enter into the spirit of the school year immediately. The more you put into your college days the more you gain from them.

Someday I'll don my gypsy shoes,
And travel far and wide.
I'll see and hear and smell and touch.
The ocean and the sky.