President Leo W. Jenkins
East Carolina College.

Dear President Jenkins:

In a chance conversation with Mr. James Speight I learned a few days ago that I would probably be asked by the Student Government Association to suggest names for the cafeterias of the College. I told Mr. Speight that I would make some suggestions to you and that whatever suggestions may be offered to the Association would come from you, the President of the College.

I am recalling also that last fall you asked me to make a suggestion for a name for the new dormitory for men. So I decided to put into writing my suggestions for names of buildings and leave them with you for consideration at any time when they may perhaps be somewhat helpful to you. My suggestions accompany this letter.

In making my selection of names, I have tried to use the following criteria:
1. The persons named gave long and valuable service to education in general, to many individuals, and to this college in particular.
2. The persons suggested are no longer living or have severed their official connection with the College.
3. They were or are persons of highest type of character, with reputation beyond reproach.

Sincerely yours,

Emma L. Hooper
Names Suggested for the Cafeterias on the North Campus
of East Carolina College

For:
North Dining Hall (the oldest dining hall, built 1909)--

The Sallie Joyner Davis Cafeteria or Dining Hall

(Though the Arboretum was named in memory of Miss Davis, that beauty spot has necessarily already been almost filled with buildings. Consequently, Miss Davis is the only one of the original Faculty whose name will soon have no permanent place on the campus. Miss Davis, a North Carolinian by birth, niece of Dr. J. Y. Joyner, was an authority on North Carolina history; teacher of history in the East Carolina Teachers Training School and East Carolina Teachers College 1909-1945, as the director until 1925; was chairman of many important committees; active in State organizations;-- vice-president one or more terms of the North Carolina Historical Association; had very wide "good will" connections in North Carolina, as a member of a prominent family, alumna of Woman's College of North Carolina, and teacher in Greensboro College, and many professional activities.)

South Dining Hall (built in 192)--

The Beckwith-Morton Cafeteria or Dining Hall

(A name to honor the first two "Lady Principals," later entitled Dean of Women,-- Mrs. Kate R. Beckwith, Lady Principal, 1909-1925, and Miss Annie L. Morton, Lady Principal 1925-1928 and then Dean of Women 1928-195, both of whom were women of refinement and noble character, whose influence for good can never be estimated.)

New South Dining Hall (built in 195)--

The Pattie Simmons Dowell Cafeteria or Dining Hall

(No alumna of the College and no alumnus of the College has been given any permanent honor on the campus, as a symbol of honor also to the thousands of alumni of the Institution. This year-- 1961-- the fiftieth anniversary of the first graduating class-- seems an appropriate time to give special recognition to the former students who have shown their loyalty; and the other alumnae and alumni have expressed their approval of Miss Dowell as one worthy of their admiration. She is recognized as their "First": first to register, first president of the Y. W. C. A., first to receive the School's diploma, first to earn the Ph. D. degree; first recipient of the Alumni Association Award,-- partly in recognition of her many services in the Association; for example, as president in 1924-26. Professionally Dr. Dowell's record includes the following:
1. About twenty-five years as a teacher in North Carolina's public schools—1911 through about 1929—including rural schools, city schools of Raleigh and Charlotte, and special work in teacher training in the Farm Life School, in Catawba County, as a project of the State Department of Public Instruction.

2. Critic Teacher, substitute, in the "Model School" of East Carolina Teachers College, 1928-29.

3. Professor in the Education Department of Winthrop College, 17 years.

4. Head of Education Department, Mississippi Southern College, 12 years.


(Other services: teacher of Sunday School classes all her life; generous donor to the Student Loan Fund and other needs of E. C. T. S. and E. C. C.)

East Dining Hall (converted from the old Soda Shop in 19 —) or "Little" Dining Hall:

Suggestion 1: (recommended for use in the near future)—

The Lucile Turner Dining Hall

(Though the English Department has taught more students probably than has any other department of the College, no special recognition of this fact has been given. Dr. Turner served in the English Department from 1926 through 1958, first as a teacher until 1936, then as Acting Director until 1940, then as Director until her retirement in August, 1958. For several years she was critic teacher of English in the Greenville High School—one of superior quality; she directed Miss Debie Boone Haskett's work for the Master's degree, the first M. A. given by this college, when a thesis of high quality was required; she served as chairman of the Credits Committee and on other important committees for many years, and stood always for scholarly standards. She established the English Laboratory and provided many of its contents, especially of the files for practice teachers. During her years as Director of the Department she helped build a larger faculty of scholarly caliber and helped expand the offerings of the Department for the constantly growing needs; and perhaps best of all, she inspired many an English major to love the profession of teaching and to continue study that has resulted in many fine professional attainments. There cannot be overlooked Dr. Turner's services as a teacher of the Bible, president of the local chapter of the American Association of University Women, and one of the State founders of the Delta Kappa Gamma, honorary society for women teachers.)

(Suggestion 2: Leave this small cafeteria unnamed until it may seem well to name it in honor of Miss Ruth White, the present Dean of Women. Call it the "Little Cafeteria" or the East one.)
Suggestion of a Name for the New Dormitory for Men on the South Campus of East Carolina College

In Recognition of Many Persons: North Hall
The Eastern Carolina Dormitory for Men

(Throughout the Eastern counties of North Carolina men and women have greatly contributed to the advancement and welfare of this college; and had it not been for the county superintendents of this section and such leaders as Representative J. C. B. Ehringhaus (later Governor), of Elizabeth City, Senator Y. T. Ormond, of Kinston, Mr. Richard King, of Pitt County, and numberless others of Eastern North Carolina, the bill for establishing the "Training School" would never have passed in 1907. And in recent years the Scholarship Foundation and the very recent organization of the Eastern communities for promotion of culture in this section are further reasons for belief that now is an opportune time to give an Fiftieth Anniversary expression of thanks to our neighbors and friends of "Eastern North Carolina."

February 21, 1961
One More Suggestion of Names for Use in a Now Improbable Day

For a New Music Hall or for Wings of the Present Music Hall

The May R. E. Muffy Music Hall or Music Wing

(Miss Muffy, teacher of Public School Music, 1909-1923, in the East Carolina Teachers Training School, was more than a teacher or director of “Public School Music.” Highly trained in voice and piano, she was a successful music teacher and director of operatic musical performances in Baltimore, where President Wright first knew her and heard concerts and music dramas she directed, and he induced her to come to this campus. She did remarkable work with the girls here, and she went into many communities to teach better ways of teaching public school music. She also participated as a leader in the Woman’s Club and other activities in Greenville. Though I never met Miss Muffy, I feel as if I knew her so much did people of Greenville, alumnae, students, and charter members of the faculty talk about her in my first years here, all giving her highest praise.)

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The Lois V. Gorrell Music Hall or Music Wing

(Miss Gorrell, pianist and violinist, was a North Carolinian, member of a prominent family; her brother was Dr. Gorrell of the Wake Forest College faculty. Her training was of finest quality and was continuous; she often spent several weeks of the summer studying under best teachers in this country or once or more abroad; she traveled widely and made two or three tours of Europe, attending some of the great music festivals. She organized the first orchestra of East Carolina Teachers College—a small orchestra of excellent quality. She was a teacher of piano and violin (only a few students in violin) here for more than twenty years, retiring in 1945 and then opening her private piano studio in Greenville for several years. A woman of charm, culture, and devout Christian character, she has a memorial provided by Greenville friends and colleagues—an organ in a small mission church in one of the Far East countries.)

P. L. H.
Feb. 21, 1961
Dr. Leo W. Jenkins, President
East Carolina College
Greenville, North Carolina

Dear Dr. Jenkins:

I understand that there have been a number of names suggested for the boys' dormitory at East Carolina. Since there is no building on our campus named after our great educational Governor, Honorable Charles B. Aycock, it certainly seems to me that it would be appropriate to name this building after him. His record in the field of education was outstanding, and I do feel that it would be timely to name this building for him.

I understand that the naming of buildings is the responsibility of the Board of Trustees, and it is possible that you have received other suggestions; nevertheless, when the Board meets again, and if you or the Chairman deem it appropriate, I shall be prepared to submit the above information to the Board for its consideration.

With kind personal regards, I am

Sincerely,

Henry C. Oglesby

Note: New dormitory for men named Charles Bentley Brock
October 31, 1961
Mr. Henry Oglesby  
Administrative Asst.  
Congressman Herbert C. Bonner  
Washington D.C.

Dear Henry:

I understand you are still Chairman of the Board of Trustees of East Carolina College.

Recently, I have received a letter from Bruce Sugg of Greenville calling attention that the College had never shown any appreciation of the late F.C. Harding, who did great work in its establishment and its early struggles in the Legislature. Mr. Harding was an able, noble man and richly deserves a building in his honor. I hope you will look into it.

With all good wishes

Your Friend

Lindsay C. Warren
February 14, 1963

Mr. Henry Belk, Editor
The News-Argus
Goldsboro, N. C.

Dear Henry:

It was good to see you again, even briefly, last Monday. I am sorry it wasn't possible for me to be present at the meeting with H. I. President Laberry at Winston Salem on Monday evening. Several from our club were there.

With reference to Fordy (Fordyce C.) Harding's interest and contribution to the establishment and development of East Carolina College, I give you the following from my personal knowledge, comments by alumni and citizens besides many conversations with Fordy in his office and in his home.

1. The people of eastern North Carolina were extremely anxious to have a state teachers college established somewhere in this section of the state and the people of Pitt County invited its location in Greenville.

2. It seems that the prospect of establishing such a college in this area did not mature until near the end of the legislative session in 1907. Then it fell to the lot of Fordy and Governor Jarvis of Greenville to write the necessary bill, which they did and then drove to Raleigh at night to put the bill into the hands of Senator J. L. Fleming, for the reason, I understand, that the next day would be the last on which it could be presented to the legislature during that session.

3. The, in order to secure the location here, it was necessary for Pitt County to pass a bond issue of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000.), and Fordy, in his eagerness to secure the passage of the bond issue, drove his horse and buggy, I have been told many times, over the county to address citizens in most of the school houses, urging them to vote for the bond issue. It was passed and the location secured for Pitt County.

4. After the passage of the bill by the legislature establishing the college, Fordy was appointed as one of the trustees, in which position he served, faithfully and with distinction, as long or perhaps longer than any other person who has served on the board of the college.
I know, personally, that Fordy was calm, steadfast and sound in his judgments in his promoting the interests of the college for many years, its physical growth, its standards of scholarship and its many contributions to the educational welfare of the state as a whole, and especially to the eastern counties of the state.

It was my privilege to consult with him often, and he was one of my most treasured counsellors during the brief, troublesome period in which it was my duty and privilege to carry the major burden of directing the affairs of the college. For that counsel, I was and am most grateful.

I trust this gives you the information desired concerning Mr. Harding's work in behalf of East Carolina College. I am convinced that it would be quite appropriate and gratifying to many alumni and citizens who knew him if his name were associated with some structure or feature of the college.

With kindest regards and best wishes to you and your good wife, I am,

Sincerely,

Howard J. McGinnis
February 14, 1963

Hon. Lindsay C. Warren
West Main Street
Washington, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Warren:

I am on the Board of Trustees at East Carolina College, but I am not Chairman of the Board.

A few days ago Ivan Rissette talked to me over the phone about the possibility of naming a building for Mr. Harding, and I also had a letter from Bruce Sugg about it.

We do not have a Board meeting scheduled until May; nevertheless, I am putting some preliminary feelers out as to the possibility of naming a building for Mr. Harding. I am of the opinion that a building named for Mr. Harding would be much more appropriate that the names given to some of the buildings in the last three or four years.

Thank you for calling this to my attention.

Sincerely,

Henry C. Oglesby

HCO:1r
Dr. Leo Jenkins
President
East Carolina College
Greenville, North Carolina

Dear Leo,

What do you think of the enclosed? Are the facts correct? What does the committee on names think, or has this subject been before them?

Best regards,

Henry Belk

HB/rtd
July 23, 1963

Mr. Robert B. Morgan
Lillington
North Carolina

Dear Robert:

The enclosed copy of a letter from James Whitfield is self explanatory. You will recall that at our last Board meeting, a Committee charged with responsibility of suggesting to the Board appropriate names for new buildings was appointed. James Whitfield, Henry Oglesby, and Henry Belk comprise this Committee.

Although it is not my responsibility to suggest names of buildings, I should like to state that I think this is an excellent report. The late Governor Scott is very deserving and was well loved by the families of many of our students. I feel this recommendation will be received with strong approval by our alumni.

It is the wish of the Committee to have the men's dormitory named before the opening of school. In order to avoid the necessity of calling a special meeting for this one item of business, I am taking the liberty of canvassing all of the members of the Board for their reaction to this report. If you have no objection, I should appreciate your signifying your wishes in the space indicated below.

Sincerely yours,

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LWJ:ea

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Mr. Henry Belk  
Editor, Goldsboro News Argus  
Goldsboro, North Carolina

Dear Henry:

The enclosed is a copy of the letter I sent to all members of the Board of Trustees. I shall advise you as soon as I hear from them regarding this proposal. I feel sincerely that you are doing a fine thing in making this suggestion, and I know it will be well received.

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Enclosure
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Mr. Fred F. Bahnson, Jr.
President
Southern Steel Stamping Company
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

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Mrs. J. Russell Kirby
304 Mount Vernon Drive
Wilson, North Carolina

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Mr. Reginald F. McCoy
Executive Vice President
John F. McNair, Inc.
Laurinburg, North Carolina

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EAST CAROLINA COLLEGE  
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July 29, 1963

Dr. Leo W. Jenkins, President
East Carolina College
Greenville, North Carolina

Dear Dr. Jenkins:

This is in reply to your letter of July 23 with reference to the selection of a name for the new men's dormitory, in which you enclosed a copy of the report of the Committee headed by Mr. Whitfield, recommending that this building be named after the late Governor W. Kerr Scott.

While I realize that my position may constitute me a minority of one, I cannot, in good conscience, approve of the selection of this name, but will accept with good grace the action of the majority.

I believe that it was Cicero who said "de gustibus non est disputandum". In any event, Mr. Whitfield's committee and I do not concur in our appraisal of this gentleman's contributions.

With my very best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

W. W. Taylor, Jr.

WWTJr/nch

"There is no accounting for taste."
July 31, 1963

Mr. W. W. Taylor, Jr.
Maupin, Taylor & Ellis
Raleigh, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Taylor:

I appreciate your letter regarding a selection of a name for the new men's dormitory, and I know you are sincere when you say you will accept the action of the majority with good grace. I have always found you to be this way and have a high regard and respect for you.

I know you will be interested in knowing that all the other members of the Board have approved the report of the Committee chosen to recommend a name for this building.

This problem of finding appropriate names for buildings will be a difficult one in the future for, as you know, within the next two years there will be six new buildings to name. Frankly, I am glad that it is not my responsibility to select or approve such naming. Perhaps it may be wise for us, in the future, to turn to the national scene and select some great American from an earlier period to be so honored. This, however, must be handled by the Board.

Incidentally, I have invited all the members of the legislature to our guests at the dedication of the new stadium, at which time we play Wake Forest in football. This will be at eight o'clock in the evening, on September 21. I have reserved two complimentary tickets for each member and have set aside two tickets for each member of the Board. I believe it would be helpful, if you have the time, for you to write a personal invitation to some of your friends in the legislature urging them to attend as our guests. I bring this to your attention for I know that some of the other members of the Board are doing this; Robert Morgan and Henry Oglesby have advised me that they plan to do this, also.

Best wishes.

Sincerely,

Leo W. Jenkins

LWJ:3
NAMES OF BUILDINGS

Austin Building, constructed 1907-1909, named for Herbert E. Austin, charter member of the faculty, and science department.

Wilson Hall, constructed 1907-1909, named for C. W. Wilson, Superintendent of Pitt County Schools; secretary of original board of Trustees of East Carolina College; first business manager of the college department, first male alumnus of the college.

Jarvis Hall, constructed 1907-1909, named for ex-Governor Thomas J. Jarvis, resident of Greenville, who broke ground for the beginning of the college plant.

Jenkins Alumni House, constructed 1907-1909, named for Mamie E. Jenkins, charter faculty member, English department.

Music Building, (1923—first it was library; converted to music in 1955), named in 1955 for David J. Whishead II, Editor of the Greenville Daily Reflector.

Fleming Dormitory, (1923), named for James L. Fleming, Greenville lawyer, N.C. Senator when College was chartered.

Ragsdale Dormitory, (1923), named for Superintendent of Pitt County Schools, W. H. Ragsdale, who worked for the establishment of a college in eastern North Carolina; part-time teacher at the College.

Cotton Dormitory, (1925), named for Sally Southall Cotton, Pitt County writer and widely known as the Mother of Women's Club Work in North Carolina.

Wright Building, (1925), named for Robert H. Wright, first President of the College, 1909-1934.

Wahl-Geates Laboratory School (one wing, 1927) (new wing, 1930) (McGinnis Auditorium, 1951) named for Dora E. Geates, critic teacher and Education Department, 1922-1951; and Frances Wahl, teacher and principal, laboratory school, 1925-1961.


Graham Classroom Building, (1929-30, addition, 1961) named for Maria D. Graham, Charter member of the faculty, mathematics.


Memorial Gymnasium, (1952) named in honor of John B. Christenbury, coach, and men students who lost their lives in World War II.

Erwin Hall (Faculty Dormitory-1952) named for Superintendent of Public Instruction Clyde A. Erwin, who was Chairman ex-officio of the Board of Trustees, East Carolina College.

Bloxton Home Management, (1952) named for Adelaide E. Bloxton, teacher of home economics from 1928-1950; became head of Home Economics Department in 1937.

Joyner Library--original library building (which is now Whichard Music Hall) named for Dr. J.Y. Joyner, Superintendent of Public Instruction; Chairman ex-officio of East Carolina Board of Trustees; name retained for name of library when new library building erected in 1954.

Umstead Hall, (1955) named for Governor William B. Umstead, who was Governor at the time the money was appropriated for the building.

Amphitheater

lanagan-Sylvan Hall, (1956) named for E.G. Flanagan, member of Board of Trustees of College, owner, Flanagan Buggy Company; Chairman, Building Committee, Board of Trustees

Garrett Hall, (1956), named for Ralph M. Garrett, who was a member of the Board of Trustees and Chairman of the Budget-Building Committee at the time the dormitory was built.

Jones Hall (1959) named for North Carolina Senator, Dr. Paul B. Jones, of Farmville.


Rawl Building, (1959) named for E.E. Rawl, member of E.C.C.'s Board of Trustees, who promoted the first college stadium, etc. Rawl Building is a classroom building.

James S. Ficklen Memorial Stadium, (to be dedicated September 21, 1963) named for James S. Ficklen, prominent tobaccoist of Greenville.
Wright, M. L., Circle. The Circle faces the Robert M. Wright Building. M. L. Wright was Head of Sociology Department.

Kate W. Beckwith, main stone gate to College named after her; she was the first Dean of Women of the College.

Anne Redwine, west gate at Training School named for her; she was a training school teacher.

Kate Lewis, Lewis Gallery named for her; Charter member of faculty, art.

Ole Ross, west gate to campus named for her. She was Assistant Registrar at the College, 1910 to 1953.