

ALL PERSONNEL MEETING

SEPTEMBER 11

WELCOME REMARKS

GREETINGS -- IT'S ALWAYS A THRILL TO BEGIN ANOTHER YEAR! UTC IS COMMENCING IT'S 28TH YEAR. THE COLLEGE OPENED ITS DOORS IN 1948.

AS A FATHER I CAN TRUTHFULLY SAY THAT IT'S ALWAYS NICE TO HAVE THE KIDS COME HOME. AND I CAN TRUTHFULLY SAY THAT IT'S NICE TO HAVE THE FACULTY RETURN!

AFTER 28 YEARS AT THE COLLEGE I CAN ALSO SAY THAT I'M GROWING OLDER-- I HOPE THAT MEANS THAT I'M MATURING. BUT IT'S AWFUL TO GROW OLDER ALL BY YOURSELF--MRS. NELSON HASN'T HAD A BIRTHDAY FOR THE PAST SEVEN YEARS.

CAN YOU IMAGINE THAT WE'VE BEEN ON THIS CAMPUS FOR 9 YEARS. WE HAVE. OPERATION BIG MOVE FROM THE DT CAMPUS OCCURRED IN MARCH 1967. THE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING WAS DEDICATED IN MAY 1967

CALVIN L RAMPTON

WE'RE STARTING OUR FOURTH YEAR IN THIS BUILDING. THE TECHNOLOGY BUILDING WAS DEDICATED IN DECEMBER, 1972 ~~BY ROBERT L. SIMPSON.~~

SPEAKING OF THE CALVIN L. RAMPTON TECHNOLOGY BUILDING REMINDS ME OF THE GOVERNOR'S COMMENT AT THE ANNIVERSARY DINNER THIS PAST MAY. HE SAID, I JUST WANT YOU TO KNOW THAT IT WAS AT LEAST A YEAR AFTER I LEARNED THAT THEY WERE GOING TO NAME A BUILDING AFTER ME BEFORE IT HAPPENED. BUT WHEN THEY DECIDED TO NAME A BUILDING AFTER THE PRESIDENT IT ONLY TOOK A COUPLE OF MONTHS. THEN HE CONTINUED--I 'SPOSE THEY WANTED TO WAIT AND SEE WHETHER OR NOT I'D BE REELECTED.

AS YOU TOUR THE CAMPUS YOU'LL OBSERVE MANY CHANGES WHICH HAVE OCCURRED DURING THE SUMMER--NOT THE LEAST OF WHICH WAS THE LARGEST SUMMER ENROLLMENT WE'VE EVER HAD--1258 HEADCOUNT PLUS 300 IN SKILL CENTER PROGRAMS GRADUATED 64 PRACTICAL NURSES OF COURSE, ALL OF YOU KNOW WHAT A PRACTICAL NURSE IS--THE LAST GRADUATES TOLD ME THAT A PRACTICAL NURSE IS ONE WHO MARRIES A RICH, ELDERLY PATIENT. SUMMER GRADUATION EXERCISES -- 93 GRADUATES

OUR ENROLLMENT FOR FALL IS GOING UP AGAIN, I THINK. MAYBE THIS IS THE ANSWER TO WHY THE POPULATION EXPLOSION IS ON ITS WAY BACK. ALL THOSE GUYS IN THEIR 50'S ARE BECOMING FATHERS AGAIN. MAYBE THE ARMY COFFEE IS FINALLY WEARING OFF.

SPEAKING OF STUDENTS. AN OUTSTANDING STUDENT ENROLLED IN A TYPING CLASS LAST WEEK WITH MEASUREMENTS OF 58, 34, 48. EARL BARTHOLOMEW TOLD HER THAT SHE WOULD HAVE TO LEARN THE TOUCH SYSTEM OF TYPING. THAT'S BECAUSE SHE COULDN'T SEE THE KEYS ON THE TYPEWRITER.

THE CREATIVENESS OF OUR STAFF AND FACULTY IS UNBELIEVABLE. I'VE HEARD OF A NUMBER OF NEW INVENTIONS BEING CONJURED UP ON CAMPUS. FOR EXAMPLE: BOB BEEBE INVENTED PLASTIC SONG SHEETS FOR PEOPLE WHO SING IN THE SHOWER. DEAN SARGEANT HAS COME UP WITH SANDPAPER SUSPENDERS FOR PEOPLE WITH ITCHY BACKS

HERE'S ONE THAT CLAIR THOMSON HAS BEEN TRYING TO FINANCE. FLORIDATED SOCKS THAT NEVER GET HOLES IN THEM. LAST BUT NOT LEAST REED REISNER PICKED UP WHILE GUNNING HIS BIKE THROUGH EUROPE. IS ONE HE THINKS CROSSING MOTH BALLS WITH MARIJUANA WILL KEEP THE MOTHS JUST STANDING AROUND SNAPPING THEIR FINGERS.

WE'LL HEAR A LOT MORE WHEN THE GOSSIP STARTS TO GET AROUND.

SERIOUSLY, THOUGH, WE'RE THRILLED YOU'RE BACK AND WE'RE LOOKING FORWARD TO SHARING YOUR ENTHUSIASM AGAIN. WE ANTICIPATE THIS WILL BE OUR GREATEST YEAR! WE'RE EXPECTING EACH ~~XXX~~ OF YOU TO HELP MAKE IT THAT WAY!