

University Library Named for Dr. Wilson

The building housing the main library of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill has been officially named The Louis R. Wilson Library.

By unanimous vote the University Board of Trustees chose this fitting manner of recognizing Dr. Wilson's many services to the University. He is, as Louis Graves of the *Chapel Hill Weekly* calls him, the "University's Elder Statesman." Last fall Mr. Graves paid Dr. Wilson the following tribute which we should like to echo:

"When I call him the University's Elder Statesman I do not have in mind the positions he has held and the functions he has performed. What I have in mind is his sound judgment and the broad sweep of his vision; and, of course, underlying these qualities his deep love of the University.

"He is interested in immediate necessities—this or that building, additions to equipment, more books for the Library, a new professorship; but he is always looking

a long way ahead, thinking about the new demands that will be made on the University in the future and about ways and means of meeting those demands and of lifting the University to an even higher level of achievement and prestige. It is this far reach of outlook, combined with a keen sense for the practical, that explains his having been chosen to be the former-in-chief of the plans of the University Development Council."

The picture shows Chancellor House congratulating Dr. Wilson upon the action of the Trustees.

