

Construction, renovation projects continue

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A facelift is still in the works for the UNA campus as two construction projects continue and one more is forecast for the semester. Over the summer, three other renovations were completed on schedule.

The major undertaking currently causing the most inconvenience for students and faculty is the work on Collier Library. According to Roy Stevens, executive vice president, construction will end in July 1984.

He said the final result will give the library more office space, larger study areas, and a centralized computer center.

Stevens added the biggest hassle for students and staff will occur around December.

"Many books will be moved from the old end of the library into some of the newly constructed area to vacate the portion for the computers," he said.

Work is also under way on the new one and a half million dollar Flowers Hall Annex. The annex will house dressing rooms, equipment facilities, and more office space for the coaching staff. Ground breaking began in May 1983 and will be wrapped up by March 1984.

The only future plan in the works for UNA is a new roof on the Education and Nursing Building. Stevens said there has been no

date set for starting the roofing, but the total time for the project would only be around 45 days.

A completely reventilated Floyd Science Building was finished in mid-August after construction began in January. In the spring of 1983, classes switched from the science building to other rooms on campus but Stevens said students will be back into the science labs for the fall.

Another recently completed project is the Towers Cafeteria renovation. Construction began back in May to totally change the atmosphere. Newly carpeted floors, canopies and new dining facilities give what Stevens calls "a touch of class" to Towers.