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ST. CLOUD STATE COLLEGE

ST. CLOUD, MINNESOTA

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ST. CLOUD, Minn., June -- Construction will begin this fall on a 200-bed women's residence hall at St. Cloud State College.

No appropriated funds are required for the project, which will be financed entirely by self-liquidating revenue bonds. Mitchell Hall and Shoemaker Hall addition were similarly financed.

The new building, first in a dormitory complex which eventually will accommodate 1,200 students, will be located one block west of Mitchell Hall in the northwest corner of the expanded campus.

Residences in the block bordered by Fifth and Sixth streets south and Second and Third avenues south have been acquired by the state and will be removed before construction begins.

Preliminary plans for the building were approved Friday (June 16) by the State College Board. The architect, Frank Jackson and Associates of St. Cloud, was ordered to proceed with working drawings. Bids will be opened in August.

The college can house 1,156 students in its existing dormitories and apartments, less than 38 per cent of the 1960-61 enrollment, which totaled 3,105.