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Homecoming Plans Made For November 4



Above is a view of the Columns built in 1848 and the adjoining East building.

Midterm Tests, Closed Weekend Dates Set

At its regular meeting, October 24, the faculty discussed homecoming day plans, set the dates for mid-term tests, and President B. D. Bunn appointed two faculty committees.

Eugene Williams, chairman of the Homecoming Day activities, announced the plans for the day. Mrs. Estelle Thigpen is serving with Chairman Williams on the committee.

November 6-10 are the dates for mid term tests, and grades will be turned into the office November 13. The weekend of November 18 (prior to Thanksgiving holidays beginning at the college will have Thanksgiving holidays beginning at the end of the last class recitation, Wednesday, November 22, and ending Sunday, November 26, at 10:30 p.m.

Miss Hazel Griffin, C. V. Williams, Jr., and Ben Martindale were appointed to prepare the 1951-52 college catalog for publication by the beginning of the second semester.

Another committee appointed was one to report at the next meeting the scholastic requirements for students to represent the college. Miss Hazel Griffin was named chairman, with assistants C. V. Williams, Jr., and Ernest Connelly.

Nineteen BSU Members To Attend Convention

Nineteen Chowan students will attend the State B. S. U. fall convention to be held at Pullen Memorial Church, Raleigh, November 2-5.

Three Chowan students, Marvin Gibson, Mabel Johnson, and Anne Onley, will serve on the nominating committee to select officers for the 1950-51 year.

Attending the convention from here will be, in addition to the nominating committee, Shirley Davis, Lon Neil Worrell, Marjorie Perry, Jack Peele, Gene Proctor, Rex Gardener, Sherald Ward, Eric Eure, Betty Harris, Mary Elizabeth Spivey, Betty Violet Keene, Colon Jackson, John Long, Raymond Meiggs, and Joyce Snowden.

Austin Staples, adviser to the B. S. U., will accompany the group. Some of the delegates will return to the campus Saturday for the homecoming celebration.

Mrs. Evans To Speak On Nursing Tonight

Ms. Ned Evans, a graduate of DePaul hospital, will speak tonight at 7 o'clock in the next series of vocational talks. All girls interested in nursing and those who wish to know more about the profession should attend. The talks are provided to help students undecided about their voca-

Halloween Special

Tonight an indoor Halloween picnic supper will be served instead of the accustomed cafeteria meal. Mrs. Branscome is planning decorations in the traditional Halloween style. To top the meal, entertainment will be furnished by the two societies. The program will not be announced until the hour, but the Lucalians will present Rex Gardner, John Long, Elizabeth Slate, Ellen Downs, Margaret Futrell, and Fannie M. Leary. The Alathenians will feature Kyria Bunn and James Gilikin. The idea is to come dressed informally, have a good time, and wait to see what the stars will do and whether the goblins will be out.

Carnival Tonight

Chowan students have been invited to a Halloween carnival to be held tonight at the high school gymnasium from 7 to 10:30 o'clock. Some of the Chowan students have engaged to provide entertainment for the guests. It is promised that witches and goblins and black cats will be on the march, and fun in fortune telling, bobbing for apples, and games is planned.

Miss Jean Lois McGhee of the Hertford County Welfare department spoke Tuesday night on the advantages and disadvantages of engaging in welfare work. She stated that if a person couldn't get along with people or couldn't stand filth to forget the idea of becoming a welfare worker. The advantages which she enumerated were the salary ranging from \$1500 to \$6,000, protection by the merit system, and short working hours.

The fourth speaker in the series was R. E. Lee superintendent of the Riverside Manufacturing Company. Mr. Lee spoke on the industrial opportunities of the South today. He stated that the South is swiftly becoming an industrial section because of its nearness to raw materials, favorable freight rates, and the abundance of native. He also pointed out that the educated man advances more rapidly in his work than the illiterate one and that the attitude, initiative, dependability, and knowing how to get along with the rest of his fellow men are the most desirable qualities of a worker.

Lawyer J. William Copeland in speaking to a group on law stated that the requirements for obtaining a law license are becoming more strict every year and that only students with a great deal of perseverance and willingness to study will be able to succeed in the already crowded field but there is always room at the top.

Tonight Is the Night

by MARY JENNINGS

Yes, it's true, that tonight is the night that Death will walk the halls of Chowan College once more.

The famous "Brown Lady" will on this very night creep from her grave to return to the scene of her fate to get revenge. She will arrive with a band of witches and bats to visit the poor, unfortunate freshmen girls.

Her first sign will be her blood-curdling cry of agony for her bewildered lover who has long ago passed away. She will tap mysteriously upon your door and plead with you to share the remorse and pain she once knew. Her hair-tearing wail to help her be at rest will make your heart cease its beating.

The rustle of her aged brown taffetta dress is a symbol that evil lurks in her antagonized heart. She is out for blood—and she will give some in return.

She will shake your dainty hand with her cold, clammy, boney, wrinkled, old hand until you feel as though you are shaking hands with death itself.

After she has persuaded you to follow her (and it will take very little persuasion), you will journey to her grave. There in the ink black of midnight she will give one match and one match only with which to read the inscription on her grave. As she asks you to bend and kiss her grave, your ill, frightened body will give a pleading cry to heaven above to have pity. But, hesitating makes the Brown Lady very angry and she will say, "Kiss it quickly so I may return for the rest of my victims." After this performance, your blood circulation is at a standstill.

She now commands you to rise and she leads you back to your room. After tonight, you will never see her again but you will long remember her haunting cry and these memories will linger in your mind for many, many years.

P. S. Or was it last night?

Saturday, November 4—Homecoming! Yes, Homecoming Weekend will be a happy time for the new and old students of Chowan College. Old friends and students of the College will come back to live once again their happy memories of the Chowan College campus. Mrs. Thigpen and Mr. Eugene Williams have outlined a homecoming weekend program that should prove very successful.

From 4 to 5 o'clock on Saturday afternoon the alumni and visitors will register. A special section of the cafeteria will be set aside for the alumni at the supper hour and some special entertainment will be held for them immediately after supper. The entire student body and guests are expected to attend the pep rally which is to be held in front of the main building following the supper hour.

The ball game begins promptly at eight o'clock on the gridiron of the local high school, and Chowan College wishes for its Braves the best of luck in winning over the Presbyterian Junior College. At present plans are indefinite concerning any kind of entertainment following the game.

Thursday, November 2, has been designated as "cleanup day." The different organizations on the campus will be called upon to clean certain areas about the school. It will also be "cleanup day" for the girls' dormitory and the boys' cottages. A prize will be given to the girl or girls having the neatest, best cleaned room in the dormitory and to the boys having the neatest, best-cleaned cottage. The use of the school colors may be used in decorating the dormitory and cottages. Each student is expected to cooperate to the fullest in his clean-up and may the best room or cottage win!

Homecoming weekend is a closed weekend for the student, therefore, each student will be expected to help make this one of the greatest homecomings of Chowan College.

Y. W. A. News

The Y. W. A.'s presented a play, "Holding the Light High", at the Murfreesboro Baptist Church Sunday night. The evening service was sponsored by the young people's organizations of the church.

On Thursday night, November 2, at 7:30 Mrs. Ruby Daniel Udvarnoki of Gatesville will teach a mission study book on Africa. Mrs. Udvarnoki is a Chowan alumna and a former missionary to Bucharest.

Chapel Speakers

Chowan College's chapel speakers for the week of November 1-6, will be as follows:

Nov. 1—Mr. B. D. Bunn, President Chowan College, Murfreesboro, N. C.

Nov. 3—Rev. W. P. Milne, Au-lander, N. C.

Nov. 6—Mabel Johnson, President of the Ann Hasseltine Y. W. A. of Chowan College.

Radio Program

Appearing on the radio program heard weekly over WRCS at 9:15 each Sunday were Mae Winslow, Kyria Anne Bunn, and Ann Campbell on the Sunday, October 29 broadcast. Mae was master of ceremonies. Kyria Anne gave the campus news and Ann Campbell played several piano selections.

On the program the Sunday prior were Ellen Downs as master of ceremonies, Rex Gardner, pianist, Elizabeth Slate and John Long, vocalists, Elizabeth also gave the school news and Ellen talked on the forthcoming football game.



Mrs. E. P. Brown of Murfreesboro, President of the Chowan Alumni Association.

Former faculty member Elbert O'Connell visited the campus recently. Mr. O'Connell is now teaching biology at N. C. State.