



SELLING CHOWAN COLLEGE—Seated is Rev. John C. Gill, head of Chowan's college relations department. He is shown with students of the Yorktown (Va.) High School. The picture was taken at the "College Day" program at the school, where 25 colleges sent representatives seeking students. Mr. Gill attended in place of Rev. Ross Cadle, vice-president in charge of student solicitation, who was visiting high schools in North Carolina. (Picture courtesy Hampton Times-Herald)



CHOWAN COLLEGE CHOIR—Members of the Chowan College Choir, pictured during the Christmas program, are front to back, left to right, Ann Brown, Pat High, Joanne White, Lillian Carter, Audrey Adams, Shelby Crocker. Second row: Janet Harlowe, Barbara Overton, Treena Rountree, Linda Watson, Jean Long, Kaye Powell. Third row: Bob Wainwright, Bert Johnson, Robert Williamston, Robert Davis, Bill Norvell, John Askew, Sherwood Johnson, Wayne Davis.



POPULAR WITH STUDENTS—Mr. J. D. Aman, of Greenville, member of the Board of Trustees of Chowan College, is often on the campus passing out candy bars to students. Every now and then Mr. Aman will slip some "folding money" into the wrapper of candy bars. You should see the expression on the faces of the students who are lucky enough to get one of the bars containing a folded bill. Pictured with Mr. Aman in the cafeteria are, left to right, Betty Oliver, Harrellsville; Betty Everett, Harrellsville; Joe Callicut, Asheboro; and Vivian Pugh of Hickory, Va. (Graphic Arts photo.)

34 New Applications Accepted

Approximately 300 students will begin their studies for the spring term on January 28, according to The Reverend Ross A. Cadle, vice-president of the college in charge of student solicitation.

As of this date there have been 34 applications accepted from new students for admission to the second semester, bringing the total enrollment to an all time high, providing there are not too many "drop-outs" from the present roster.

In his duties of solicitation, Rev. Cadle travels throughout the central and eastern parts of North Carolina and southeastern Virginia. He visits high schools and talks with the senior classes, telling them the advantages of a college education and why they should be-

gin their education at Chowan. He outlines courses offered and the curriculum to follow for transferring to other colleges.

Many students come to Chowan because former grades tell them about the college and recommend it.

An interesting survey of 40 present Graphic Arts students, in which they were asked "what influenced you to come to Chowan?" was made when they registered.

The results show 13 influenced by former students, three by Vets Administration, 11 by newspaper stories they read, one by State Rehabilitation, four by college's representative, one by Baptist church, four by high school printing instructors, two by high school coach, one by former dean.

Choir Presents Christmas Music

Attired in festive white robes with red bows, and performing in front of a beautiful set which resembled a tier of organ pipes, the Chowan College a cappella choir presented, on Tuesday night December 17, in the college auditorium, its annual Christmas Concert.

The program, entitled, "A Ceremony of Carols," was a presentation in song and narrative, of the story of the first Christmas. Professor James Brisson, chairman of the Chowan College Music Department, directed the choir, and his wife, Mrs. Claire Brisson, was the narrator.

During the concert, the choir sang lovely arrangements of the more familiar Christmas carols, as well as some which are heard more infrequently, such as, "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" and "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen." Soprano Lillian Carter was the featured soloist of the evening. Ac-

companied at the piano by her mother, Mrs. Judson Carter of Woodland, she sang "I Wonder as I Wander" and "O Holy Night."

Members of the Chowan College a cappella choir are as follows: Sopranos: Anne Brown, Gatesville; Pat High, Red Oak; Joanne White, Winston-Salem; Lillian Carter, Woodland; Audrey Adams, Durham; and Shelby Jean Crocker, Nashville.

Altos: Barbara Overton, Ahsokie; Treena Rountree, Corapeake; Jean Long, Hertford; Kay Powell, Roanoke Rapids; Janet Harlowe, Littleton, and Linda Watson, Conway.

Tenors: Bob Wainwright, Hampton, Va.; Bert Johnson, Emporia, Va.; Robert Earl Williamston, Cerro Gordo; and Bob Davis, Rocky Mount.

Basses: Bill Norvell, Seaboard; John Askew, Winton; Sherwood Johnson, Delco; and Wayne Davis, Branchville, Va.

Drive Pledges Total \$447,000

On Monday night, January 6, a number of workers in the Chowan College Enlargement-Development Program gathered in the college dining room for a dinner-report meeting.

Dr. Raleigh Parker of Woodland, chairman of Chowan's Board of Trustees, presided over the meeting and President Bruce E. Whitaker was the speaker.

When all reports were in and tabulated, it was learned that more than \$447,000 has been pledged or paid toward the enlargement of the college.

The campaign, which has as its goal, \$750,000, began in September, after the Chowan College Board of Trustees had outlined and approved a long-range development program. This effort is designed to provide six new buildings for the campus plus an addition to the present Graphic Arts building.

In commenting on the total monies and pledges reported at the meeting, Dr. Whitaker said: "The College administration and trustees are very pleased with the fine and generous response to the campaign made by the people of eastern North Carolina and southeastern Virginia."

He went on to comment that the support given by the people of the Roanoke-Chowan area was especially gratifying in light of agricultural adversities throughout the entire area which had left their mark on Roanoke-Chowan business in general.

"The response to the Chowan Enlargement-Development Campaign, by individuals, banks and other institutions, strengthens our purpose to reach our goal," Dr. Whitaker said, "and gives us confidence that the people of the area served by Chowan College are determined to continue their financial support and co-operation."

Chowan's aggressive young leader concluded by saying: "In light of the campaign response thus far, and the approximately 40 per cent increase in support of the college by the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina in the year 1958, Chowan's place of leadership and service in the realm of Christian Higher Education for the youth of this area has never been brighter."

Girls BB Team Very Successful

The Chowan College girls and boys can well be proud of their girl's basketball team. So far this year the girls have had a very successful season. They haven't lost a game.

Although the girls were inactive during the Christmas holidays they began their cage drills as soon as they returned.

Joanne White, a former star on the R. J. Reynolds High School and Wake Forest College teams, has lead the team in scoring. Her average has been in the twenties for the previous games.

Others in the scoring bracket are Reba Hale, Conway; Ruby Webb, Stantonsburg; Pat Moore, Durham, and Vivian Pugh, Great Bridge, Va.

Outstanding on defense are Margaret Strickland, Jessica Vann and Sandra Liverman. These all-stars have really been showing their colors.

They have not allowed any team to get as many as 40 points. What better defense could one ask for? Sometimes we fail to give the guards such credit as they deserve, but next time you see the Chowan girls play, notice the defense. Watch those girls get the ball across the center line.

Braves Upset PJC By Score Of 72-51

The Chowan College Basketball Braves went on the warpath on January 11, to massacre the Scotties of Presbyterian Junior College by a 20 point margin. After half of this conference game had been played, Chowan led 36-24. At the finish of an unusually exciting second half, it was Chowan 72, P.J.C. 51.

The Braves' practice over the Christmas holidays obviously improved them to no end. This was the second win since Christmas over a team to whom they had lost before Christmas. In this game they hit 18 out of 20 free-throws.

The Braves' high-scorers for this game were Phil Collins with 21 points and Dan Griffin with 11. The Scotties were led by Thomas with 19 and Boles with 13.