

GAINING NURSING EXPERIENCE AT DUKE HOSPITAL — The 13 members of Chowan's second class of nursing students, now at Duke Hospital completing their final year of intensive nursing experience in the college's 33-month program of education for nursing, are seen at Duke. Kneeling, from left, ar Susan Littlepage Fidler of Sharps, Va.; Lynne Tucker of Rocky Mount; Deborah Louise Moran of Elkin; Nancy Carol Adams, af Peterburgs, Va.; Kathy Kelly of Alexandria, Va.; Emma Lee Kiser of Wadesboro and Gwendolyn Jean Tharrongton of Rocky Mount. Shanding, from left, are Mrs. Helen Spivey Brown of Ahoskie; Rena Diane Taylor of Smithfield, Va.; Frances Ann Brown of Smithfield, Va.; Ingrid Jo Ann (Inky) Stoles of Woodford, Va.; Frances Lynn Smith. of Murfreesboro and Mrs. Frances Theresa Parker of Ahoskie.

## Dr. Udvarnoki Keeps Faith in Humanity

"Ruthless Communists have been replaced by smiling Communists," says a recent report to distinguished Hungarian Baptist scholar Bela Udvarnoki, who adds, "and they are more dangerous."

Dr. Udvarnoki, former president of both the Hungarian Baptist Convention and the Baptist Seminary in Budapest who saw his first wife, infant daughter and father killed during World War II as a result of Americans bombing and Russians shelling that city, maintains a busy lecturing and preaching schedule which keeps him in contact with Hungarians and others from behind the Iron Curtain living in Canada and Europe, as well as the United States.

"Beware of smiling Communists!" he warns. "Communism has not come to terms with Christianity or any other religion; it is still locked in a life-or-death struggle, Marists are not ready to admit defeat and only their method and plan for destroying C rist!anity is shrouded in the veil of affability. Since Communism could not demolish religion, as it had expected, it took over churches to re-

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duce their strength and seal their doom."

The former featured speaker during sessions of the Baptist World Alliance at Berlin in 1934 who also addressed the World Baptist Youth Congress at Zurich in 1937 explains that churchmen from behind the Iron Curtain at such meetings are to intimidated to give a true picture of Communism in their countries. "Elections in religious organizations are prearranged," he explains, "and only those preferred and approved by the government can be elected to leadership position in the churches. Church administration is executed through governmentselected, favored leaders, with commanding, antheistic government functionaries remaining in the background while smiling, willing church officials act.'

In 1947 Dr. Udvarnoki returned to the United States, where he earlier received master of theology and doctor of philisophy degrees at Southern Baptist Theological Seminary after graduating from universities in Budapest and Germany, to preach revivals throughout 17 states. A tourist from Hungary relayed a warning from a member of the Hungarian secret police who was a personal friend of Dr. Udvarnoki, when he was preparing to return with his second wife, Ruby, and two sons, Bela, Jr., and Eugene, that he would be arrested as a political prisoner if he did return. He and his family remained in America and Dr. Udvarnoki became Chairman of the Department of Social Science at Chowan College in 1952.

In 1956 when Hungarian citizens overthrew the Communists, Dr. Udvarnoki packed his bags for a trip to Hungary, but gave up his plans three days later when Russian troops and tanks crushed the revolution. He keeps close contact with friends and family members there, including a sister and a brother who is a Baptist minister.

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Selfishness is the suicide of all lasting greatness.

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Personalities shrivel when the mind is unfed.

## Pep Squads Add Spirit To Games

Pep squads chosen for Chowan College's 1967-68 year are adding 32 colorful performers to scenes of athletic events, parades and pageants.

Karen Riddle of Richmond, Commander of the Bravettes, Chowan's precision marching and drill team, is joined by returning Bravettes Fran Chapman of Swansboro, Kaye Eley of Norfolk, and Faye Hansley of Yorktown, Va. and new Bravettes Regina Adams of Fayetteville, Diane Averitte of Fayetteville, Aileen Beck of Hertford, Joan Cox of Norfolk, Va., Vicki Cunningham of Virginia Beach, Va., Pam Edwards of Richmond, Va. Pam Edenton of Virginia Beach, Melba Fowler of Chapel Hill, Vicki King of Vienna, Va. Judy Moore of Farmville, Mary Rose of Goldsboro and Suzy Smith of Lawrenceville.

Carol Butor of Hopewell, Va., Chief of Chowan's Marching Majorettes, is joined by returning squad members Betty Beamon of Suffolk, Barbara Lambert of Richmond and Mamie Wooten of Norfolk, and new majorettes Jeanne Monroe of Arlington, Va., Bonita Treadway of Newark, Del., and Donna White of Poquson, Va.

Chief cheerleader Pam Rosser of Hampton, Va., is joined by returning cheerleaders Elizabeth Livingston of Petersburg, Va., Juanita Newton of Columbia, Va., Cornelia Whitaker of Fayetteville and Emily Williams of Colonial Heights, Va., as well as Becky Grant of Winston-Salem, Robin Stallard of Newport News, Va., Susan Sturdevant of Virginia Beach and Sandra Tillery of Murfreesboro.

## Dr. Whitaker New President Of Association

Dr. Bruce E. Whitaker has been elected President of the Association of Southern Baptist Colleges.

His election occurred during the annual meeting at Nashville of this Association, composed of 72 member institutions from the east coast to California.

He has been president of Chowan College since 1957. Previously he served the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina as State Secretary of its Student Department and he has been a Baptist pastor and professor at three colleges, as well as having been an administrator at another college.

Numerous religious and civic organizations, as well as learned societies, throughout American use Dr. Whitaker's leadership ability in positions of responsibility.

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