Dr. Marchwardt To Speak April 6th

Dr. Albert H. Marchwardt professor of ancient and modern literature at Princeton University and a leading authority on the history and structure of the English language, will speak at Chowan College Tuesday, April 6 at 4 p.m. in Marks Hall auditorium. He is sponsored by Chowan and the National Council of Teachers of English (NCTE) as part of their Distinguished Lecture Program.

Prior to his Princeton appointment in 1963 he had spent thirty-five years on the faculty of the University of Michigan, where he received his A.B., A.M., and Ph. D. degrees and was elected to Phi Beta Dappa.

He is the author of "Scribner Handbook of English" (first published in 1940 with subsequent editions in 1948 and 1960); "Introduction to the English Language"(1942); and American English" (1958); co-author (with Fred G. Walcott) of "Facts About Current English Usage" (1938) and (with Randolph Quirk) of "A Common Language' (1964). Editor of "Historical Outline of English Sounds and Inflections" "Laurence Nowell's Vocabularium Saxonicum' (1952) he has contributed approximately one hundred articles on linguistics and language to scholarly journals. His researches have extended to the entire range of English linguistics.

Since 1940 Dr. Marckwardt has been Director of the Linguistic Atlas of the North Central States. He has served as the director of the English Language Institute in Mexico and the University of Michigan English Language Institute. In 1953-54, he was a Fulbright lecturer at the Universities of Vienna and Graz, Austria. He has also held visiting professorships at Columbia



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The recipient in 1961 of Michigan's Distinguished Faculty Achievement Award, he is a member of the Advisory Committee on Cultural Information and Chairman of the Advisory Panel of the English Teaching Division of the U.S. Information Agency. He is also a member of the Research Advisory Committee of the Division of Research U.S. Office of Education and of the National Advisory Council on Teaching English as a Foreign Language.

At Ann Arbor, Dr. Marckwardt served his community as a member of the Board of Education. He was also on the Board of Education of Washtenaw County and a member of the Board of Directors of the Michigan State Association of School Boards.

He recently received the David H. Russell Award for Distinguished Research in the Teaching of English presented by the NCTE.



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