

# Fall Examination Schedule Is Released

## Day of Women's Program Success

By BECKIE WORKMAN  
Chowan College held its annual Professional Woman's Day on Wednesday and Thursday November the seventh and eighth. The program was sponsored by the Student Personnel of Chowan College. The main purpose of the program was to provide information, create interest, and motivate young women toward professional careers.

The Wednesday program schedule began at 10:15 a.m. with a panel session in Marks Hall Auditorium with Vicki Tolston, Associate Dean of Students, presiding. A welcome was given by Dr. Bruce Whitaker, President of Chowan College. Panelists for the morning session were: Mrs. Billy Pearsall,

Director of Planning North Carolina Department of Mental Health; Miss Lois Hawes, Georgia State Police Investigator; and Mrs. Gwen G. Vick, Director of Social Services, Southampton County Virginia. A reception was held at 11:30 a.m. in the faculty lounge of McDowell Columns for panelists, guests, and students. Luncheon was served in the President's Dining Room at 12:30.

The Wednesday afternoon panel session started at 2:00 in Marks Hall Auditorium with Dean Tolston presiding. The welcome was given by Clayton Lewis, Dean of Students. The afternoon panelists were: Nannette S. Henderson, Ph. D.; Former Researcher, John's Hopkins University Research Center; Mrs. Austine Evans, Former Director of Admissions, Peace College; and Miss Hawes, from the morning session. A reception was held in the Belk Hall Lounge at 3:30. Dinner was served in the President's Dining Room at 5:30. Entertainment for the evening was "Ciro and His Ballet Espanol".

## Receive Awards

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — The Columbia (S.C.) State and Record, and the Greensboro (N.C.) Daily News, were cited today by the Associated Press Managing Editors Association for outstanding cooperation with the news cooperative.

The State and Record and the Daily News were presented APME Citations for news. The two newspapers were among 27 daily newspapers in the United States to receive the citations.

The citations were announced at the APME national convention in Orlando. The APME is made up of managing editors and editors from AP newspapers across the nation.

## Dunbar Is Nixon RA

Michael Ray Dunbar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton E. Dunbar Sr. of Pantego, N. C., is the head resident of Nixon Hall. Mike is married to the former Wanda Marlene Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack H. Williams of Plymouth, N. C. They have no children.

Mike, a sophomore at Chowan, and former graduate of Pantego High School, is majoring in Business Administration. He plans to further his education at either Mars Hill College or Appalachian State University.

Mike is in the National Guard, 167 Military Police, Washington, North Carolina.

When asked to comment on the rumor of the fuel shortage, and Mike being the first to be rationed, Mike said: "Chowan as a whole is being rationed, so all dorms have a shortage of heating fuel. Mike is what I call the baby dorm, and I feel that she will be looked after."

When asked to comment on Chowan College Mike stated, "I feel that the rules at Chowan are strict, but the rules of life are strict also. A student leaves Chowan better prepared for life."

## KAPPA'S COLLECTING FOR NEEDY FAMILIES

By JOHN YERGER

Members of Phi Theta Kappa sponsored a fund raising drive for a Thanksgiving dinner for needy families in Murfreesboro.

The club was also accepting canned goods to give to these families and members went from room to room in the dorms and stands were set up for the givers. The club wishes to express their thanks to all those who gave and wishes to all a Happy Thanksgiving.

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# SMOKE SIGNALS

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## Ciro, Ballet Espanol In Thrilling Performance



PERFORMS HERE—Ciro, called "one of the most exciting performers before the public today," by a Columbia Artist spokesman, appeared in McDowell Columns recently.



GUEST STAR—The proud name of Amaya is synonymous with flamenco. Perhaps more than any other, this outstanding gypsy dynasty has consistently produced artists of the highest calibre in all fields of this ancient art. Chunya Amaya was born in Brussels, Belgium, during a triumphant concert tour of her aunt. Chunya has been performing in public since she was four years old, and recently appeared on the stage at McDowell Columns.

By JAMES MOORE

McDowell-Columns was transformed into the land of Spain for a thrilling two-hour performance of Ciro and his Ballet Espanol which took place at eight p.m. on November 7. The program was sponsored by the Community Concert Association which annually brings cultural events to the campus. This performance of the Ballet Espanol was the second such activity of this year and succeeded the concert by the Belgrade Chamber Orchestra, which was presented on October 16. The next Community Concert attraction comes to Chowan in January.

Cio and his Ballet Espanol proved to be immensely popular with both students and faculty as they danced to a packed house. It was an unforgettable experience filled with the vibrant Spanish music, dances and costumes. The troupe did ten numbers—manacer Andaluz, El Jinete, Dos Escuelas de Baile, Tientos, Viejo Madrid, En la Playa, Gitanerias, Bailando a Cadi, La Cana, Triptico Flamenco. All of these were flamenco pieces ranging from the popular dances and folk songs to the music of the royal Spanish court. In addition, there was an interlude of guitar music done by Benito Palacios and Bunyan Webb. The company had

only six dancers, but they did a magnificent job. They were Cior, Chunya amaya, Luisa Escobar, Priscilla Montes, Manuel Arenas and Daniel de Cordoba. In addition, flamenco singer Carlos Gomez accompanied them.

The Ballet Espanol was founded by its star dncer Cior, who has performed around the world including appearances in

Paris, Johannesburg, Seattle World's Fair, London, Dublin, Miami, San Francisco, Atlanta, New York and St. Croix. He was born in Spain where he received numerous awards for his dancing before coming to this country. Fascinated by the old quarter of New Orleans, he has adopted it as his U.S. home and operates a Spanish theater there, "Ciro's

Chateau Flamenco." Reviews have described it as an "... intense concentration of artistry unmatched in any club in this country today." In addition, Cior and his Ballet Espanol have made several concert tours of the United States and Canada. This was the company's second tour with the Community Concert Association.

## College Choir Makes TV Program of Yule Music

By Beckie Workman

The Chowan College Choir, consisting of twenty-eight students, traveled to Raleigh on Sunday November 4, to telecast a Christmas program on WRAL-TV, Channel 5. The presentation "Songs of the Yuletide Season" is a ministry of the Baptist State Convention. Each year two choirs from North Carolina Baptist colleges are chosen to tape a Christmas program. Chowan College along with Gardner Webb were chosen this year. Duplications of the telecast are made and offered to television stations across the state for telecast.

Dr. James Chamblee, Chairman of the Department of Fine Arts, directed the Chowan College Choir. The accompanist was Susie Lassister. Mr. Jimmy Morris, Director of Department of Communications for the N. C. Baptist State Convention, narrated the program. A Christmas without music

would be a poor Christmas, for the Christian faith has always characterized the joy of God's people through song. The Chowan College Choir expressed the Christmas story through various selections of Christmas music. The choir began their story with Bach's Christmas Oratorio titled "Beside Thy Cradle Here I Stand". The second and third selections date back before the 17th century and were used first in pageants, "Tomorrow Shall Be My Dancing Day" and "Coventry Carol". The fourth and fifth selections are sacred songs, "Christ Was Born On Christmas Day" and "Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming". At this time Dr. Bruce Whitaker, President of Chowan College, brought a Christmas greeting.

The presentation continued with two American folk-melody numbers, "Rise Up Shepherd and Follow", and "Hush, My Babe, Lie Still In Slumber", which was accompanied with a

flute solo performed by Mr. Bob Brown, of the Chowan music department. The eighth selection was the Welsh tune "Deck the Halls". The ninth selection was the familiar "O, Come All Ye Faithful". In the next selection Chowan College Choir brought their musical wish for the holiday season with the traditional English carol "I Wish You a Merry Christmas". The choir concluded their presentation with "The First Noel".

The Chowan College Choir will be singing with the local community choir in the Christmas cantata "The Messiah", on Friday December 14, in Murfreesboro. The choir may schedule another taping in early December at Washington, N. C.

## Fuel Supply Causes Change At Pfeiffer

MISENHEIMER, N.C.(AP)—Pfeiffer College announced changes in its academic schedule Thursday in wake of a 15 per cent reduction in heating fuel.

A spokesman for the college said the opening of the spring semester will be shifted from Jan. 14 to Jan. 28 and that commencement will be held May 19 rather than May 12.

The college hopes to save up to 70,000 gallons through the changes, the spokesman said.

## VIRGINIA BEACH STUDENTS TO VISIT

Approximately ninety-five students from Virginia Beach Vocational Technical High School will be visiting Chowan on November 27th. The students will be concentrating their visit with Chowan College professors of Graphic Arts, Commercial Art and Photography.

## Three Places I Recall

by  
Ann L. Rainey

I believe that seeing things makes more of an impression on one than learning facts from a book. This is one of the reasons that I believe travel is so important. Going to a place and seeing where important events have taken place, to me, is much more worthwhile. In the following paragraphs, I shall describe three such places which have impressed me only until I actually saw them.

Reading about ancient Rome with all its many great buildings and fountains was merely something that I was required to learn in history class. In my sophomore year of high school, I was given an opportunity to go to Europe on a World Academy tour. After almost nine hours of flying, our plane landed in Rome. During our stay there we were taken on various guided tours through the city. The famous Coliseum greatly interested me because of its enormity. I had to be three or more street blocks away from the Coliseum in order to take a picture. The fairly good condition of the Coliseum did not suggest its age at all. We saw

many other fountains and buildings along with the Coliseum such as the Sistine Chapel and the Forum. If I had not received the opportunity to go to Rome, the buildings and their histories would still be merely facts in a book to me.

Our second country on the tour in Europe was Switzerland. This country is a perfect example of the philosophy that things make more of an impression by seeing them. Mountains are majestic, but reading about them is rather dull. When we reached the Alps, I thought that I would never see mountains any more beautiful. The villages on the mountain sides give the mountains character and something interesting. The tops of the mountains, with pure, white snow covering them, are what give the mountains beauty. At sunset, the snow reflects the orange in the sun and the mountain tops look as though they are covered with icing.

In 1967 my family and I traveled to Canada to see Expo '67. While in Canada we visited other providences, one of which

was Quebec. The British influence in the architecture gives this city a charming personality. The Artist's Mall was the most interesting to me. Each young artist had a sad tale of sick children and sick wives. Many that are very good, proclaim that they have never had an art lesson in their lives. They say it comes merely from inspiration. The old hotels with their histories add to the atmosphere of Quebec. Their roofs are painted turquoise and the hotels themselves are usually built of stone. Begging in the street by little children is all a part of the tourist attractions which make Quebec a beautiful and interesting providence.

I like to travel and see the world because it broadens my education and helps me to understand more about the places I have studied. I hope to travel to more places before I die. Meeting people from a different place is an education in itself because they are what reflect the culture. Traveling has helped me to be more interested in people, which I feel is important in life.

## Eight Brave Gridders All - Stars

Eight Chowan College football players have been named to play for the South team in the first annual Coastal Conference All-Star Football Game Saturday, Nov. 24 at 8 p.m. in Keyser, W. Va.

The South team is comprised of players from Ferrum, Lees-McRae and Chowan. The North squad will be formed of players from Wesley, Potomac State, Baltimore and Nassau. All are sophomores who have completed their eligibility with their respective junior college teams.

Chowan's delegation will leave Thursday, Nov. 22 with Head Coach Jim Garrison for the Potomac State campus, site of the game. They will participate in three workouts Friday with the other South players. Each team will have a squad of 24.

Friday evening the players will be guests at a conference-sponsored banquet featuring an address by Sam Huff, known as "Mr. Football of West Virginia," a former all-pro player.

Scouts representing many senior colleges are expected to view the game, Garrison said.

Five offensive players and three from the defense will represent Chowan. The offensive players are quarterback Martin Page of Richlands, fullback Ron Raysor of Aiken, S. C., tackle Chip Barnes of Lumberton, and guards Nathan Morrow of Fayetteville and Tim Kelly of Charlotte. Defensive players are tackle Ricky Locklear of Fairmont, middle linebacker Mike Yuhas of Minersville, Pa., and defensive back Robert Tripp of Farmville.

Page threw eight touchdown passes and Raysor ran for four scores. Barnes, Kelly and Morrow were strong blockers who often contributed a key block to spring a back loose. Locklear led the front four in tackling with 68 tackles and 36 assists. Yuhas was the team-leader in tackling with 70 and 52 assists. Tripp made five interceptions and played well in all categories.

## Chowan Stage Band To Present Concert

On December 5 at 8:00 P. M., the Chowan College Stage Band will present a concert in McDowell Columns Building.

The band will be playing a varied program, featuring old and new music from jazz to rock.

The admission price is \$1.00 and also includes a chance for a new Zenith color television set offered in cooperation with Salvin and Hill of Ahsokie. The drawing will be at the end of the concert.

The Bravettes, Chowan's drill team, will also appear with the band. The guest singer is Ellen Mathias from Atlantic Christian College.

Mr. Brown is very proud of the band and feels that Chowan, being a junior college, is fortunate to have musicians of such caliber.



CHOWAN'S STAGE BAND—From left to right, front row: Paul Thomas, baritone sax; Gary Swing, tenor sax; Susan Arnold, alto sax; Andy Yakim, alto sax; Lorenzo Parker, tenor sax. Second row, Jeff Reed, trombone; Jim Largen, trombone; Earl Tyndall, trombone; Paul Murphy, trombone; Al Yelverton, trombone; Fred Utley, trumpet; Joe McNeil, trumpet; Phil Boone, trumpet; Bob Brown, trumpet. Third row Mike Boulia, guitar; Susan Bean, piano; Mike Taylor, guitar and vocalist; Stuart Grimes, percussion. Not included in the picture, Kim Barban, sousaphone.