Ferguson Named New Assistant Coach



LINWOODFERGUSON

Chowan College's new assistant football coach is a Chowan alumnus who played on the 1969 Braves' team.

Linwood Ferguson has been named to replace Dan Surface, now a head high school football coach in Floyd County, Virginia. At Greenville's Rose High School, Ferguson captained the team and was named the squad's defensive player of the year in 1068

He played linebacker on

Chowan's 1969 team. A knee injury prevented him from playing in 1970. After graduating from Chowan, he was a running back two years on East Carolin University's team.

Ferguson received his masters in physical education in March from ECU. He served as a graduate assistant coach on East Carolina's team last year under head coach Pat Dye.

For nine years, Dye was Coach Bear Bryant's defensive coordinator. Ferguson feels he was fortunate to be associated with Dye and believes he learned much from his coaching experience at ECU.

Although new on the job, Ferguson has ideas to recognize Chowan's outstanding defensive players after each game. He feels this will be an incentive for the

players to give their best performance.

Ferguson said his new coaching job"is a dream come true." He explains, "I always wanted to return to Chowan to help with the football and athletic programs." He said he had always wanted to coach on the college level. "On the college level, players give their full interest to the game. With that kind of attitude, you can achieve a lot," he noted.

Braves' head coach, Jim Garrison said, "We're real happy to have Linwood with us on the staff. He'll bring some good experience with him after being a graduate assistant under Pat Dye. The knowledge and experience he picked up at East Carolina will be a great asset to Chowan."

Continued Garrison, "Linwood had a great positive attitude as a player and as a coach, I'm sure he'll lend the same positive attitude to the football program." As a fooball coach, Ferguson will have chief responsibility for the defense. He will also coach track and teach hygiene.

He is married to the former Paula Greger of Raleigh.

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1974 Football Standings

At least seven freshmen started the lineup on offense and defense when Chowan College opened its season with a 1:30 p.m. game at Baltimore Saturday, Sept. 13.

Chowan tried to maintain dominance in the series, which began in 1968. The Braves have not been defeated by Baltimore, although two games, both played in Baltimore, ended in 14-14 ties. Chowan defeated Baltimore in 1974, 49-0. The Red Devils finished 1-8 and last in almost all offensive and defensive categories in the Coastal Conference.

ference.
Chowan returns 12 letterman and seven starters from the squad that finished 8-2 last year. The Braves' ground games is paced by quarterback Jeff Dean of Elon and tailback Ed Outland of Gatesville, both who won starting positions at mid-season last year; and sophomore fullback Malcolm Brock of Ashland, Virginia. Dean is also a passing threat, completing almost half of his throws for five touchdowns in 1974. A freshman, Tom Rzucidlo of Parsippany Hills, New Jersey, will start at flanker.

The veteran line is anchored by returning starters, center Stan

Dixon of Murfreesboro and tackle Roy Etheridge of Powells Point. Other probable starters are tight end Mike Moran of Newark, Delaware, tackle Edward Fleming of Dothan, Alabama, guards Tony Harris of Richmond, Virginia and Chip Herring of Wilmington, all sophomores, and first-year-man Steve James of Jamesville at split end.

Three starters, all backs, return from the defense that led the conference in total defence and was second nationally against the rush. They are Jerre Southern, an all-conference second team pick from Winston-Salem; Damon Mealy, Richmond, Virginia; and Larry Holbert, Virginia Beach. Thomas Nixon of Rocky Point rounds out the backfield.

The other defensive positions are manned for the most part by untested freshmen and sophomores. Scheduled to start at linebacker are freshmen Craig Vosler of Virginia Beach and Richard Fowler of Talor City, and Norfolk sophomore, Tyrone Knox.

Probable defensive line starters are freshmen Steve Craven of Pine Biluff and John Buffaloe of Jackson at ends, and letterman Tim Abel of Morehead City and freshman Charles Parker of Williamsburg, Virginia at tackles.

The Braves will be seeking the 86th victory for Jim Garrison, who begins his 18th year as the Braves' head coach. He is assisted by Jerry Hawkins, offensive line coach who also came to Chowan in 1958, and defensive coach Linwood Ferguson, in his first year at Chowan.

1975 Cheerleaders Chosen on Sept. 4

By TERESA MARTIN AND DERONA GAY

On September 4, 1975 at 6:30 in the evening on the Braves football field exciting things were happening. There was a serious feeling in the air but yet there was a great deal of shouting going on. Maybe the reason for this was because the 1975-1976 cheerleading squad for Chowan was being chosen. There were five girls to be selected from the eight that were trying out. This was a tough decision for 14 judges. This year's squad will have three returning members. This will make the squad consist of eight members. The girls competing had to do three cheers; "Yell," "Spirit," and "You Ain't Going Nowhere." These girls are going somewhere. They are really progessing. This year the girls on the squad will receive one P.E. credit. This was quite an accomplishment. The girls also had to do two jumps and a cartwheel split.

The 1975-1976 cheerleading squad reads as follows: Donna Newsome-captain, Lyn Gruber-co-captain, and Benita Greene.

Those three girls are the three returning cheerleaders from last year's squad. The folloing girls will be the new members of the squad: Rene' Stanfield, a Pre-Eduaction major; Lucy Myatt, a Graphic Arts major; Sherry Phelps, who is studying Medical Secretary courses; Kathy Collins, who is studying Legal Secretary and JoAnne Whittington a Nursing major,

tington, a Nursing major.
The other girls that competed were Dianne Rockhill, studying Secretarial courses; Cindy Lindsay, Medical Technology and Glendolyn Whitaker, a Pre-

Med major.
Keep up the good cheering and support given to the teams. Best of luck in the 1975-76 year.

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Navy Band At Chowans'

Bicentennial The famed U.S. Navy Band of

Washington, D.C. will help Chowan celebrate the Bicentennial with a February appearance in renovated McDowell Columns auditorium.

The band, which gives concerts throughout the country and abroad, will perform twice Monday, Februrary 9. The band's appearance is part of a Bicentennial celebration series which includes three films and a performance by a folk musician, George Britton, April 27. Virginia Congressman, William Whitehurst will also present a lecture in the spring.

Tickets for the series will cost \$10.00. Tickets may also be purchased separately for each

Chowan's dean of students, Clayton Lewis, said the films make up the "America '76" series. They are: "The Spirit of '76," Friday, September 19, 1975; "Star-Spangled America," Saturday, November 1, 1975; and "The Pony Express Trail," Monday, March 8, 1976.

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

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Section 2. Penalty. Violation of the ordinance shall be a misdemeanor punishable on conviction by a fine not exceeding fifty dollars (\$50.) or by imprisonment not exceeding thirty (30) days.

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