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Thanksgiving Holidays To Begin Wednesday

The annual Thanksgiving Holidays for the Elon College students and faculty will get underway after the close of classes next Wednesday, November 27th, and will continue through the following Sunday, December 1st, according to an announcement from the office of Prof. Fletcher Moore, dean of the college.

With the brief holiday period ending on Sunday, the regular class schedules will be resumed for day classes at 8 o'clock on Monday morning, December 2nd. Since there are no night classes scheduled on Wednes-

day nights, the Evening School will begin vacation after the Tuesday night classes, with regular Evening School classes to be resumed on Monday night, December 2nd.

'MESSIAH'

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for the past two years, but the orchestra will not be included in the program this year. For the first time the Yule program will be presented under the direction of Prof. Richard Apperson, and once again, as has been the case for many years, Prof. Fletcher Moore will be the organ accompanist.

The story in this Handel oratorio is that of the prophecies and anticipations of the coming of Christ, his sufferings and at last his resurrection. This work by Handel was written in just twenty-three days between August 22nd and September 14th in 1741, but the Handel masterpiece has come to be among the most widely recognized in the world of music appreciation.

Priestly Speaks On World Affairs At Alumni Seminar

LECTURER



DR. GERARD PRIESTLEY

Dr. S. E. Gerard Priestley, British historian, lecturer and world traveller, who is currently serving as a visiting professor of political science on the Elon College faculty, will conduct an alumni seminar on the Elon College campus at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning, speaking on the topic of "Current World Affairs."

Widely known as an authority on the less developed areas of the world as a leader in the field of international relations, Dr. Priestley has achieved

distinction worldwide as one of the most dynamic speakers who appears on the international lecture platforms today.

He came to Elon College some years ago to conduct a short seminar series on international relations during one of Elon's summer terms, and he won such a warm reception that he was invited to return for another of the summer lecture series.

Since the early 1930's the Elon College Choir has presented "The Messiah" as a pre-Christmas

program on the campus, and each year capacity crowds have crowded Whitley Auditorium to hear the presentation.

This year, as has been the case in other years, the choir will have guest soloists to assist in the

presentation, which features sweeping recitatives, arias and stirring choruses.

and he has also acted as moderator for the radio program entitled "United Nations Forum of the Air," which originated in New York.

Born in Windsor, England, Dr. Priestley spent his first 25 years in the United Kingdom. After attending a traditional English boarding school, he served as a junior clerk in a London accountant's office, but he found his primary interest to lie in social and economic problems and entered the University of London for undergraduate studies.

A scholarship brought him to the United States, where he received the Bachelor of Divinity degree from Hartford Seminary, and after a year of research and travel in South America, he received the Master of Theology from Hartford.

He later earned the Master of Arts and Doctor of Philosophy degrees from New York University in the fields of his-

tory and international economics and spent a year of research at the Universidad Nacional de Mexico. He also holds the Master of Social Science from the Graduate Faculty of Political Social Science, New School for Social Research, New York.

Dr. Priestley has taught at several institutions in the United States prior to coming to Elon, and he has lectured at more than 700 colleges and universities

in the United States and abroad. He and Mrs. Priestley maintain their home in Crowborough, Sussex, England, and return there when they are not teaching or lecturing in other parts of the world.

Practice Teachers

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Those assigned to Eastern Alamance High School are Janet Seymour, of China Grove, in French; Eleanore Pagura, of Burlington, in Spanish; and Richard Lee, of Elon College, in physical education.

Teaching at Western Alamance High School are Muriel Cole, of Centerville, Mass., in French;

Eugene Perry, of Burlington, in social studies; and Charles Spears, of Burlington, in physical education.

Two who are doing their practice work in other cities are Eleanor Zizzo, of Hartford, Conn., in Spanish, at Andrews High

in High Point; and Paul Bleiberg, of Wilmington, Del., in Spanish, at Morehead High School at Eden.

Among the elementary education majors, with home towns shown, are Gayle Wood, of Eden, Margaret Weaver, of Danville, Va., Frederick Hoy, of Swansea, Mass., and Becki Burchette, of Raleigh, all working at Eastlawn School in Burlington.

Others in the elementary field are Ann Muse, of Mebane, and Jackie Webster, of Burlington, both at E.M. Holt School; and Janice Whitlatch, of Burlington, at South Graham School.

SEEN AT ONE OF THE ELON ORCHESTRA REHEARSALS



Pictured above is a busy group from the Elon College-Community Orchestra, the scene being snapped during one of the Monday night rehearsals for the musical group that includes musicians from both the college and the community. Dr. Malvin N. Artley is pictured front as he directs the rehearsal, and in the central background is Dean W. Jennings Berry with his violin.