

Pembroke State University

BY GENE WARREN



SHELBY STEPHENSON WRITES AUTOBIOGRAPHY ON PAUL GREEN; ALSO ON SPEAKING CIRCUIT

As a speaker and writer, Dr. Shelby Stephenson, who joined the PSU faculty in 1978, continues to make an impact on the state as a representative of PSU.

As a writer, he has just written an in-depth study of Paul Green, the famed author of "The Lost Colony" and many other works. Stephenson's account of Green is published in the latest issue of "Dictionary of Literary Biography: 20th Century Dramatists," published by Gale Research, Detroit, Mich.

Stephenson closes the biography by saying: "Paul Green's career is notable for his early and astute recognition of the dramatic and imaginative richness of his native South, for his refusal to resort to expedient racial stereotypes, for his devotion to democratic ideals, and for his championing of the rights of all men to the fulfillment of their potential."

Quoting Green, Stephenson writes: "The greatest sin society can commit is to cause a man to miss his own life."

Stephenson has also been invited to read his poetry Saturday, Feb. 14, at the University of North Carolina's "Poetry Under the Stars" readings at UNC's Morehead Planetarium. The readings begin at 6 p.m. Stephenson's first book of poems, "Middle Creek Poems," was co-winner of the Zoe Kincaid Brockman Memorial Award, presented by the N.C. Poetry Society in 1980.

On Jan. 23, Stephenson, who resides in Southern Pines, opened a year-round lecture series at Weymouth Center in that town by lecturing on "A Case for O Henry."

Associate professor of Communicative Arts at PSU, Stephenson is first vice-president and president-elect of the N.C. Literary and Historical Assn. He has proven a great goodwill ambassador for Pembroke State University.

SHINING ALUMNI BANQUET STATEMENTS

Many nice words were said at the Jan. 17 homecoming banquet at PSU, but none were nicer than those by Alphonzo McRae, who not only was elected alumni president but also was inducted into the PSU Athletic Hall of Fame. Said McRae, a native of Orrum, "My becoming a student-athlete at Pembroke State University was one of the best decisions I ever made in my life."

Hughes Oxendine of Raeford, who made the presentation of the Hall of Fame in honor of Forace Oxendine, great PSU athlete of the 1950's said: "Forace was the most natural athlete I've ever known. I'm sorry there were no timing devices in baseball in those days because his fast ball was thrown in excess of 90 miles per hour. One time he struck out five in one innings. The third strike got by the catcher on two batters. I can vouch for that because I was the catcher. He also was the first person I can remember dunking the basketball."

DR. MARY BUXTON ON TELEVISION

Dr. Mary Buxton, PSU assistant professor of Education, recently appeared on the "Women of Today" segment of the "Carolina at Noon" program over WECT-TV in Wilmington. Dr. Buxton spoke about the trip to India last summer which she and five other PSU faculty members took. More specifically, she discussed early childhood education in that nation. Angela Sparrow of WECT-TV plans to invite Dr. Buxton back for a more lengthy appearance to share artifacts and slides of the trip.

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1/2 pound ground beef
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1 tablespoon Worcestershire
1/2 tsp. oregano leaves, crushed
1/4 tsp. hot pepper sauce
1 slice process cheese

In skillet, brown beef and cook celery until tender. Pour off fat. Add remaining ingredients except cheese. Heat; stir occasionally. Garnish with cheese. Makes about 3 cups, 4 servings. Cost about \$1.82.

WTSB NEWS DIRECTOR HAS PSU TIES

Cassandra [Candy] Stone, who has new duties as news director of WTSB radio in Lumberton, is a graduate of Pembroke State University with B.A. degree in English and Journalism. She was a Dean's List student, a member of the National English Honor Society, and a staff member of the "Pine Needle," student newspaper. She has had experience working with WSOB radio in Charlotte and WSGF radio in Savannah, Ga. Along with her duties as WTSB, she will be a correspondent for the Raleigh News and Observer. Following her appointment, one of Candy's first visits was to PSU to reestablish news contacts at her alma mater.

BILLY DEES ON CHANCELLOR'S PROGRAM

Last Saturday, Eva Sampson, University nurse, was the guest on Dr. Paul Givens' weekly radio program, "From the Chancellor's Office," which airs at 9:50 a.m. each Saturday on WAGR in Lumberton. This Saturday the guest will be Billy Dees, University engineer who oversees construction on campus, including the current extensive renovation of the Moore Hall building. He is constantly seeking to improve the physical plant of the University.

2,137 STUDENTS ATTENDING PSU NOW

The spring enrollment at Pembroke State is 2,137, which is five more than the head county last spring. This includes 1,957 undergraduate students and 180 graduate students. The full time equivalency numbers is 1,858.

GODSPELL IS COMING TO PSU FEB. 19-21

The musical, "Godspell," with a cast of 13, will be presented by the PSU Players Feb. 19-21. Directing the production, which was a hit on Broadway, is Dr. Chet Jordan. He is planning a special matinee performance on Friday, Feb. 20, at 1 p.m. Cost for tickets for the production is \$3 for everyone. PSU students with I.D. cards and faculty and staff members and their spouses are admitted free.

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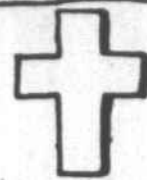
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Lunch - Around Noon

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Rev. Mike Cummins

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- South Broadway Spirituals
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INDIAN ART CONTEST

WHEN: March 6, 1981

WHERE: Sixth Annual North Carolina Indian Unity Conference
Quality Inn
201 South McDowell Street
Charlotte, North Carolina

PURPOSE: To recognize the talent of American Indian artists in North Carolina.

SPONSOR: North Carolina Commission of Indian Affairs

WHO MAY ENTER: Any Native American six years old and older
Entries will be judged according to the following age groups:

6 - 12 years	Over 22, non-professional
13 - 17 years	Over 22, professional
18 - 21 years	

CATEGORIES: Original drawings, paintings, etchings

PRIZES: Cash and certificates for the winning entries

HOW TO ENTER: Submit entries NO LATER THAN February 16, 1981 to the Commission of Indian Affairs at its Raleigh office or one of its local offices.

Entries will be judged March 6, 1981, at the Indian Unity Conference in Charlotte at the Quality Inn.

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