

PEMBROKE STATE UNIVERSITY

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APPROVAL OF COUNSELING PROGRAM, FUNDING OF NURSING PROGRAM HIGHLIGHT OF 1991

In reflecting back in 1991 as a New Year arrives and with it a whole new set of opportunities and challenges, Pembroke State can point to the establishment of a new Master of Arts in School Counseling program and the funding of a joint Bachelor of Science in Nursing program as two of its top '91 achievements.

The M.A. in School Counseling was approved by the UNC Board of Governors in November, and in December PSU and Fayetteville State University received a three-year grant of \$368,578 from the Kate B. Reynolds Health Care Trust to be a B.S. in Nursing program. The counseling program begins Jan. 6, and the nursing program will start next fall.

Other highlights of 1991 include the donation of \$125,000 from President C.D. Spangler Jr. to PSU to be used as it sees fit. Of that amount, \$115,000 came from the Spangler Foundation and \$10,000 from Spangler himself. Chancellor Joseph Oxendine of PSU responded: "We are delighted to receive this gift. President Spangler has made a great contribution to the UNC system, not only with his energy and abilities but also with his money."

In a year of tight budgetary constraints and in which no UNC system employee received a pay raise, PSU personnel worked industriously to obtain grants. The UNC Board of Governors also approved two important scholarship programs for PSU: (1) \$320,000 for incentive scholarships and (2) \$132,600 to help needy students.

In PSU's fundraising from private sources, it has raised \$1,020,120 in the past 16 months and has gone over the \$1 million mark for the first time in its endowment with \$1,219,080.

The Chancellor's Club, whose members donate \$1,000 a year to PSU for 10 years, increased its numbers dramatically to far over 100 members. The last figure for 1991 was 114, meaning 71 had joined in the 2 1/2 years of Chancellor Oxendine's administration.

Another big step for PSU in 1991 was joining the NCAA Division II Peach Belt Conference effective in July 1992. Teams from the Carolinas and Georgia are in this new athletic conference, meaning PSU will be receiving even greater exposure.

Month by month, there are some of the remembrances of 1991:

JANUARY--Berteen Prine, secretary or administrative assistant to every PSU president or chancellor since September 1943, announced that she would retire at the end of the month. An elaborate dinner was held in her honor January 29. The PSU Book Store was placed under a leasing arrangement with Barnes and Noble Book Co. of New York. WPSU-TV had its first live news show, a half-hour program which was sent all over the campus and in the Town of Pembroke by way of Alert Cablevision. Art work by prehistoric Native Americans from Central and South America was presented in the Native American Resource Center. All four PSU vice chancellors joined the Chancellor's Club to show their support of the institution.

FEBRUARY--At homecoming, Capt. Jerry Baker, Jr. of Lumberton received the "Outstanding Alumnus Award," and Marion Bass of Charlotte received the "Distinguished Service Award." Inducted into the PSU Athletic Hall of Fame were Julius Meekins and David Phillips, both former track All-Americans. Crowned homecoming queen as Elena Lowry of Rowland. PSU had its accreditation reaffirmed for another 10 years by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. Dr. Frank Schmallegger, chairman of the PSU Department of Sociology, Social Work, and Criminal Justice, authored a 726-page book entitled "The Justice Professional" and printed by Prentice Hall Co. of Englewood Cliffs, NJ. The executive committee for a major PSU fund raising campaign was announced. The members: Marion Bass, Dr. Carr Gibson, Jesse Oxendine, Rev. Jerry Lowry, Chancellor Joseph Oxendine, Dr. Richard Pisano, and Dr. Joseph Sandlin.

MARCH--An all-day conference concerning the establishment of a N.C. High School for Social Studies

was held at PSU. Coordinating the conference and others held in the state was Dr. John Rumberg, PSU professor of sociology. The UNC Board of Governors approved planning by PSU and Fayetteville State University to have a joint Bachelor of Science in Nursing program beginning in either the summer or fall of '92. Kevin Richardson of Parkton High won first place in the 10th annual PSU "Art Affair." aclyn Chancey of Lumberton Junior High won first place in the Algebra I Division of the 10th annual PSU Mathematics Contest. Other individual winners were Quiao Xu of Athens Drive High of Raleigh in Algebra II and Shannon Powell of Apex High in Geometry. Patty Manivanh of Richmond Senior High of Rockingham was the grand winner in the 10th annual Southeastern North Carolina Regional Science Fair at PSU.

APRIL--Ninety awards were presented at the 12th annual PSU "Awards Day." Brian Freeman of Red Springs was elected president of the Student Government Association for the 1991-92 academic year. The second annual Gospel Music Festival was held at PSU with the featured groups being the Kingsmen of Asheville, the D & L Singers of Maxton and the PSU Gospel Choir. A pre show was presented by the Saddletree Church of God Band. Issue No. 23 of "Pembroke Magazine" edited by Dr. Shelby Stephenson, was devoted to a number of writers, including Fred Chappell, who teaches at UNC-Greensboro. Mrs. Sandy Baker of Westerville, O., became the 100th member of the PSU Chancellor's Club at a special drawing for that honor.

MAY--Sen. Terry Sanford (D-NC) was the commencement speaker and received an honorary doctorate as did Rev. Welton Lowry of Pembroke. Al Dunavan, associate professor of communicative arts at PSU for 25 years who was retiring, was grand marshal at commencement. Brad Allen of Lumberton graduated No. 1 among 411 seniors. Dr. Frank Schmallegger was named the recipient of the PSU "Distinguished Professor Award," which included \$500 in cash. A total of 411 undergraduates and 55 graduate students received degrees, the largest graduating class in school history. \$17,150 in admissions scholarships were awarded. Anthony Locklear of PSU, president of the Carolinas Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admission Officers, received a free trip to Hawaii where he made a presentation and received an award from the American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers.

JUNE--A report of the Strategic Initiative for Economic Development of Robeson County was presented to 88 Robeson County citizens in Lumberton. Also presented was a 25-minute slide presentation, summarizing information contained in the report. PSU and Robeson County Schools received Eisenhower Mathematics grants to conduct a joint project in the summer. A Health Careers Opportunity Summer Youth Program was begun at PSU. The "Upward Bound" program at PSU began its 19th summer. A Retirement/ 25 Year Club was organized at PSU, meaning a person must have faculty status and either be retired or have at least 25 years of service to the institution to be in the club. Charing the new organization was James Ebert, retired professor of biology.

JULY--PSU hosted a meeting of the UNC system Alumni presidents at which Dr. Ruth Dial Woods, a member of the UNC Board of Governors, was the speaker. Installation ceremonies were held for the new officers of the PSU Alumni Association: president-Randall Jones, Pembroke; vice presidents--Delthine Watson, Asheboro; and secretary-treasurer-Cathy Culbreth, Fayetteville. 101 students from other institutions attended classes at PSU during the summer. Dr. Robert Britt, 61, who had taught at PSU for 31 years, died of a heart attack. New trustees were appointed or reappointed, their names being--Marion Bass of Charlotte, Ronald Hammonds of Lumberton, Herbert Robertson of Proctorville, and David Weinstein of Lumberton, by the UNC Board of Governors; and Fred George of Laurinburg and H. Dobbs Oxendine, Sr. of Lumberton, by the Governor.

AUGUST--William Mason, PSU vice chancellor for business affairs who had served PSU since 1963, announced his retirement effective October 31. PSU announced it had raised \$739,129 in private gifts during the 1990-91 fiscal year and had \$1,142,021 in its endowment, the first time it had gone over the \$1 million mark. The UNC Board of Governors awarded PSU \$320,000 over a four-year period in incentive scholarships plus \$132,600 to help needy students. President C.D. Spangler Jr. donated \$125,000 to PSU of which \$115,000 came from the Spangler Foundation and \$10,000 from Spangler himself.

SEPTEMBER--At a trustees' meeting, Chancellor Oxendine showed the trustees drawings of proposed campus expansion, including plans for a new administra-

tion building and a new Economic Development Forum Conference Center. All trustee officers of the previous year were re-elected, those being: chairman--Marion Bass, Charlotte; vice chairman--H. Dobbs Oxendine, Sr., Lumberton; and secretary--Rev. Jerry Lowry, Rowland. Speaker for the PSU Fall Convocation was Dr. Raymond Dawson, vice president for academic affairs and senior vice president of the UNC system since it was formed in '72. PSU joined the new NCAA Division II Peach Belt Conference effective in July 1992. Ursula Freeman, a PSU graduate, was listed among 60 of the most inspiring teachers in America by Newsweek magazine. Dr. and Mrs. Paul Givens paid a surprise visit to the PSU campus. The chancellor emeritus and his wife came to attend the performance by the Glenn Miller Orchestra.

OCTOBER--Despite a light rain, the second annual "Pembroke Day" was held on campus. Among the entertainers was the All-American Chorus from the 82nd Airborne Division at Fort Bragg. Thirty PSU students were named to "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges." A Congressional Forum on Health Care Issues was held at PSU by the officer of Congressman Charlie Rose.

NOVEMBER--The UNC Board of Governors approved a Master of Arts School Counseling program for PSU to begin in January. Dr. Charles Jenkins was elected president of the N.C. Association of Academic Officers. A special Sonnet Recital was sponsored by the Friends of the Library at PSU with 25 participating. W.K. Morgan, a '63 PSU graduate who is principal of Albemarle High School, was named the president of the N.C. High School Athletic Association for the 1991-92 academic year.

Hence Steele of Clarkton was crowned "Miss Pembroke State University" in a scholarship pageant. A junior majoring in political science, she plans to go to law school. The Baptist Student Union announces it will celebrate its golden anniversary Feb. 8. Forty-six students are inducted into Alpha Chi, a national honor society and the highest academic organization on campus.

DECEMBER--Samuel Poole, chairman of the UNC Board of Governors, talks about a possible bond referendum in the fall of '92 to fund new construction on UNC system campuses. PSU becomes the only university in the Carolinas and Virginia to offer the National Issues Forums' Summer Policy Institute, funded with the assistance of the Kettering Foundation of Dayton, O. A \$368,600 grant is received from the Kate B. Reynolds Health Trust of Winston-Salem to launch a joint B.S. in Nursing program at PSU and Fayetteville State University in the fall of '92. Dr. Adolph Dial, PSU resident consultant and professor emeritus of American Indian Studies, announces that, due to declining health, he will not seek re-election to the N.C. House of Representatives. A retirement dinner is held in honor of William S. Mason, Jr. PSU vice chancellor for business affairs who has been at PSU since February 1963. A new logo is adopted by PSU. It is announced that five TV networks will carry 30-second commercials about PSU during the Christmas holidays with some 100 commercials being carried in all. At the December general faculty meeting, it is announced that student applications for next year are up 20-33 percent.

And thus ending 1991 on a very positive note, PSU wishes you all a happy and prosperous New Year!

DIAL AND STANLEY MARRIED IN BAPTIST CEREMONY



Stanley of Dobson. He graduated from Surry Central High School in 1972 and from UNC-Charlotte in 1980. He is employed by Financial Computing Inc. of Winston Salem as the Regional Sales Manager. He is a former member of the United States Air Force.

The bride was given in marriage by George C. Lewis, her father. She wore a long gown of white satin. It had a scalloped neckline, Basque waist and Dolman Sleeves. The bodice, neckling, sleeves and skirt were trimmed with white lace. The skirt ended in a Cathedral length train.

Her veil was trimmed with white satin roses. She carried a bouquet of white, red, black silk roses.

The matron of honor was Penny S. Yarbrough of Winston Salem. The maid of honor was Pam Brewington of Fayetteville. They wore tea-length gowns of black velvet with scalloped neckline, Basque waist, three-quarter length sleeves and white illusion skirt. They wore baby's breath in their hair and carried white, black and red roses.

Bridesmaids were Tammy Waddell of High Point, Sheila Locklear of Prospect, Kimberly Bryant of High Point, and Teresa Locklear of Maxton. They were gowned like the honor attendants.

Nora Jean Dial of High Point, NC and Stephen Gray Stanley of Dobson, NC were united in marriage at Allen Jay Baptist Church, High Point, NC at 6 p.m. on Saturday, December 14, 1991. The Rev. Max Reece and Rev. Hubbard Lowery officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Lewis of High Point and C.B. Locklear Jr. of Maxton and the granddaughter of the late Boscoe and Henrietta Dial of Pembroke and the late C.B. and Millie Locklear of Maxton. She graduated from Southern Guilford High School in 1982 and from Forsyth Community College in 1985. She is currently attending High Point University to earn a B.S. in management information systems. She is employed by Carolina Coupon Cleaning of Winston Salem as a programmer/analyst. She is a former Miss Indian North Carolina and board member of the Guilford Native American Association.

The bridegroom is the son of Jim and Faye Stanley of Dobson and the grandson of the late Sherman and Sarah Venable of Mt. Airy and the late Eugene and Mary Lee

Serving as best man was Jim G. Stanley of Dobson. Ushers were John Stanley, Jr. of Durham; Mark Shore of Elkin; Stanford Locklear of Maxton; George Lewis Jr. of Greensboro and Randall Bryant of Charlotte.

The groom wore a black shawl collar tuxedo. The best man and ushers were dressed like the groom.

Other members of the wedding party were April Oxendine of Lumberton; Anna and Lucas Shote of Dobson.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony. It was hosted by the parents of the bride and groom.

The rehearsal dinner was held on Friday night, December 14. The event was hosted by the parents of the bride and groom.

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