

Mrs. Almira Ockerman Joins Faculty As Director of Nursing Program

Chowan College's Nursing Program, now completing its first year, will have a professional director and teacher beginning May 1.

Dr. Bruce E. Whitaker, President of the College, has announced that Mrs. Almira H. Ockerman of Louisville, Kentucky will join the faculty at Chowan College immediately as Director of the College's Nursing Education program. Approximately one dozen young women are currently enrolled in the first year of the program and are taking basic courses which lead to an Associate in Arts degree in Nursing. The second year of the program will begin in September.

Minnesota Native

Mrs. Ockerman was born in Minnesota. She is a graduate of the School of Nursing at Hillcrest Hospital in Minneapolis, Minnesota and holds the Bachelor of Science in Nursing Education and the Master of Nursing Administration degrees from the University of Minnesota. The experienced nurse has done additional course work at Washington University and New York University. The Chowan newcomer has had wide experience in administration and organization of schools of nursing and nursing services, serving as Director of Nursing in several hospitals and as Assistant Professor at the School of Nursing at the University of Michigan.



MRS. A. H. OCKERMAN

as a Nursing Supervisor at the University of Michigan Hospital, as an Associate Professor of Nursing at the University of Cincinnati and Director of Nursing at the Cincinnati General Hospital.

While a student, Mrs. Ockerman served as president of her Student Government Association and was a member of Alpha Tau Delta sorority at the University of Minnesota. She has been active in the National League of Nursing and a number of civic organizations.

Dr. Whitaker Comments

Dr. Whitaker commented on the Nursing Program at Chowan which is expected to have approximately forty students in 1965-66, saying "it is especially good at this time in the history of our Nursing Program to have a person of the experience and background of Mrs. Ockerman to direct the program. I am certain that the young women participating in this special 33-month program of nursing will gain the very best in instruction and guidance as they pursue this important career. We are glad to have this as a part of the academic program at Chowan College and especially welcome Mrs. Ockerman to our campus."

A.A. in Nursing

A graduate from Chowan in

this program will receive an A.A. degree in Nursing. Clinical facilities of the Roanoke-Chowan Hospital and Duke University Medical Center will be used. The last year of the program will be at Duke. In addition to a Chowan diploma it is anticipated that each graduate will receive a certificate reflecting work done at the three affiliated institutions.

College officials add that it is anticipated that after another academic year the Chowan nursing program will be eligible for accreditation by the North Carolina Board of Nurse Registration and Nursing Education.

Even Chickens Take Aspirins At Texas A&M

(ACP) -- Chickens are taking aspirins to relieve their distress and nervousness at Texas A&M, thanks to the head of the Department of Poultry Science.

"The laying hen has normal everyday problems just like humans do, and she needs something to relieve them, too," says Dr. J. H. Quisenberry.

"We are using the aspirin to see if it will relieve heat stress and nervousness in the chickens and as a result increase their egg production and feed conversion efficiency."

Quisenberry has completed eight 28-day periods of feeding acetylsalicylic acid, the principal component of aspirin, to two groups of chickens, one at a half-pound per ton of feed and the other at a rate of one pound per ton. Results are then compared with data gathered from a group of layers on an ordinary diet.

Results? The aspirin-fed groups have laid slightly more eggs and have shown greater feed efficiency. Mortality rates have been a little lower for the aspirin groups, he said.

"This experiment is not finished yet," Quisenberry said, "but so far our results show that aspirin is really for the birds."

Piano Recital Features Chowan Choir Director

Mr. Trelles G. Case of the Chowan College Department of Music gave a piano recital on Monday evening, May 10, in the college auditorium. There was a reception immediately following.

Mr. Case, who is acting chairman of the Department of Music, played the following works for piano: "Sonata in C Major, opus 53," Beethoven; "Impromptu in G flat X Major, opus 90, no. 3" Schubert; "Etude in F Major, opus 10, no. 8," Chopin; "Ballade in F Minor, opus, 52," Chopin; and "Prelude and Dance, opus 29, no. 2," Creston.

Mr. Case is also director of the Chowan College choir, which recently completed a spring tour in eastern North Carolina.

Mr. Case is a member of Phi Kappa Lambda (national honorary music society) and the National Federation of Music Clubs. He holds the Bachelor of Music degree from the University of Southern Mississippi and the Master of Music degree from Florida State University. He has studied beyond the Master's degree at Florida State



TRELLES CASE

University and also in Salzburg, Austria, at the Mozarteum.

A native of Magnolia, Mississippi, Mr. Case served two years with the United States Army in Europe.

Candidates for Graduation

Associate in Accounting
Glenn Franklin Askew
Grace Elizabeth Austin
Lee Vander Thompson, Jr.

Associate in Secretarial Administration
Mary Linda Askew
Annie Mae Baker
Lula Dianne Freeman
Jacqueline Paige Futrell
Anna Elizabeth Hayes
Nancy Jane Smith
Sue Randolph Stephenson
Brenda Kay Stillely

Associate in Business Administration
Charles Ernest Barnes
Robert Benjamin Brenegan
William Edwin Cox
Lloyd Russell Daniel, Jr.
Ronnie Stephen Elliott
William Chesley Evans, Jr.
Albert Harvey Glasgow

Associate in Business Administration
Arthur Broadus Gravatt, III
John Nelson Harris
Winston Jackson Hellems
William Parks Hickman
Carroll Britt Hill, Jr.
John Thomas Kellam, III
Robert Wayne Moore
Roger Lee Oakes
William Winn Osborne
Floyd Lee Overstreet
Phillip Boyd Person
Plybon Carr Perry, Jr.
George Norman Pittard, IV
Vernon Calvin Poterfield
Robert Leon Pridgen
William Lee Ramsey, Jr.
Richard Todd Ray
William Nelson Sasher
William Charles Sawyer, III
Jewel Fay Slaughter
Richard Lynn Van Ausdall
Gary Williams
Janet Dale Williams

Associate in Arts (Pre-Nursing)
Dorothy Ruth Smith

One Year Teletypesetter
Nancy Lisette Garner
Lydia Marlene Weeks
Linda Carroll Taylor

Two Year General Culture
Mary Louise Bazemore
Donald Alan Engle
John Thompson Gormley
Georgie Carol Hughes
James Thomas Humphrey
Richard Edward Lee
Clarence Kirven Mills
Furman Ronald Mulford
Donald W. Redford
Carolyn Kay Roberts

One Year General Clerical
Linda Diane Parker

Two Year Graphic Arts

Elbert H. Arledge, Jr.
William Carlyle Ayers
Gloria Dean Barnes
James Edward Boughan
Julian Theodore Carlton
John Spencer Carter, Jr.
Arthur Kelly Edwards
George Clinton Edwards, Jr.
Ronald Edward Hall
Lloyd Fenton Maddrey, Jr.
Joe Crayton Maret, Jr.
Kenneth H. Myrick, Jr.
Allen Glenn Seager
Charles Phillip Stevens
Kenneth E. Stringfellow
Kinchen Carl Taylor, Jr.
Viroj Thacharoen
Donald Ray Whitehurst

Associate in Arts (Pre-Engineering)

Kenneth Lee Barnes
Terry Lee Flahive
Walter Dennis Houge

Associate in Science

Ronald Glynn Bashford
Fred Earl Brink, Jr.
William Donald Godwin
Paul Jeffrey Harding
Arthur Mason Lauterbach, Jr.
Ronnie A. Wallace

Associate in Arts (Music)
Patricia Watson Benson
Betty Carolyn Melton

Associate in Arts (Pre-Education)

Barbara Lynn Best
Kathy Elaine Bulla
Charlotte Gibbs Carmines

Nancy May Carroll
Wellington Earl Cleghorn, Jr.
Dinah Lou Cloude
Steven Michael Daniels

Joan Annette Dixon
James Albert Farley, Jr.
William Henry Foote
Sandra Sue Fordham
Susan Doyle Gregory
Alice Sherard Hagaman
Linda Ann Harrell
David Beldon Hill, Jr.
Jon Michael Hynson
Robert Delos Lyon
Roland Jackson Magee, Jr.
Sherry Raye Marsh
Charles Morgan Moltz, Jr.
Eric Kaye Moorefield
Cecil Ellis Myers
Carolyn Stallings Overman
Roxanna Sewell Palmer
Marsha Mason Porter
Ronald Grady Ross
Larry Wilson Smith
Kay Hartman Sterling
Linda Lee Thacker
Thomas Michael Vanney
Paula Marie Van Slyke
Robert Gary Vernon, Jr.
Lois Faine Winberry

Associate in Medical Secretarial Admin.

Brenda Faye Brodie
Jane Kaye Drewry
Jean Faye Drewry
Carole Anne Hite
Joy Irene Miller
Mary Evelyn Pearce

Liberal Arts

Andra Gaye Cone
Carol Adelaide Corbitt
Donna Diane Dickson
Ted Dewin Englebrecht
Ronald Edward Hall
Myrtle Louise Hoffer
Joseph Bruce Lohr
Robert Kenian Pollard
Delores Ethelene Nowland
Glenn William Rollins, Jr.

Associate in Arts (Pre-Ministerial)

Edward Lowrance Correll, Jr.
Ross Lindsey Harris, Jr.

Associate in Arts (Pre-Medical)

Linda Ivy Metcalf
Thomas Randolph Williams

Associate in Legal Secretarial Administration

Betty Nell Blaylock
Joy Ann Durham

Associate in Business Education

Phyllis Marie Boyd
Mary Ann Crabb
Mary Linda Duke
Hazel Marie Hunnings
Marilyn Gayle Stanaland

Associate in Arts

Richard DuVal Bradshaw
Phillip Samuel Jones, Jr.
Cliford Leroy Oakes
Michael Salvador Pintz
Joan McNamara Sammons
John Kenneth Sterling
Gaye Nell Styron
Carolyn Ann Vause
Roger Freeman Williams
Nancy Scott Wills
Wayne Franklin Wrenn

One Year Secretarial Science

Linda Dean Barnes
Martha Page Britton
Eleanor Mae Buchanan
Victoria Aleriene Burr
Ellen Lane Carroll
Sandra Elaine Conwell
Jacqueline Frazier
Charlotte Vale Harrell
Judy Clarke Holland
Eleanor Joan Hollingsworth
Margaret June Hollingsworth
Carolyn Anne Jenkins
Sarah Jean Laws
Judith Eileen Lowry
Rebecca Linda Parker
Patricia Ann Rivers
Margaret Elaine Simmons
Harriett Crummey Smith
Sue Anne Strew
Joan Harvey Tankard
Brenda Ann Tarkenton
Susan Ethel Vermilya
Lydia Marlene Weeks
Hilda Kay Whelan
Sandra Joyce Williams
Dennis Carroll

Students Tour Medical College Of Virginia

Students who will graduate in the Medical Secretarial Administration program at the end of this semester were recently afforded a tour of the Medical College of Virginia complex, in Richmond. Graduates this year will complete a third year of work in an internship program at two locations: Louise Obici Memorial Hospital, Suffolk, and the Medical College of Virginia Hospital, Richmond.

The Medical Secretarial Internship involves on-the-job experience in all types of activities associated with records in hospitals and doctors' offices. A professional certificate will be awarded jointly by the hospital involved and Chowan College to those who complete total requirements for the internship.

Candidates for the Associate Degree in Medical Secretarial Administration are: Brenda Faye Brodie, Virginia Beach, Va.; Jane K. Drewery, Franklin, Va.; Jane Faye Drewery Franklin, Va.; Carole Anne Hite, Clarksville, Va.; Joy Irene Miller, Wellsburg, W. Va.; and Mary Evelyn Pearce, Coe field.

Two Popular Plays Given

The Chowan College Dramatics Workshop, under the direction of Jim G. Lewis, presented as its Spring production, two plays written by Tennessee Williams. The plays—"Lord Byron's Love Letter", a short grotesque comedy in one act, and "Suddenly Last Summer", a chilling, full-length drama—were both set in New Orleans and presented under the collective title *Vieux Carre*.