

Dance Theater To Perform Dec. 14

The Dance Theater of Fayetteville, in association with the Raleigh Civic Ballet Company, will present its first performance of the season Dec. 14 at 3 p.m. in Reeves Auditorium at Methodist College.

The performance will be in three parts. The junior company of the Dance Theater will present "Christmas 200 Years Ago", combining the Christmas season and the Bicentennial celebration with costumes and music of the period. The senior company of the Dance Theater will perform "Winter Ballet", a neo-classical work depicting the moods of winter.

Choreographers for the Dance Theater of Fayetteville are Ann Clark and Josi Von Strasnica. Mrs. Clark set "Winter Ballet" and Mrs. Von Strasnica set "Christmas 200 Years Ago".

The third part of the program will be three works by the Raleigh Civic Ballet Company. This is the second joint performance by the two companies who have been working closely in the last year. "New Dance" is a suite of abstract dances entitled Elegg, Gavotte, Adagio, Spring Waltz and Dance in C. The music is by Dmitri Shostakovich and the choreography is by Walter Stroud, artistic director of the Raleigh Civic. "Icarus", with music by Paul Winter Consort and choreography by Patricia Anne Greiner and Bonita Allen, is the second number of the Raleigh Company. It consists of four selected classical works with modern musical innovations, including Fantasy, Fugue, Ghost Beads, and Icarus.

The third segment of Raleigh's program will be excerpts from "To My Father's House", choreographed by John Walker, assistant director of the Raleigh Civic Ballet Company. "To My Father's House" was inspired by a collection of poems about oppressed people that a friend gave Walker about five years ago. Some of the dances are set to spirituals and popular folk music. The complete work will be presented



DANCE THEATER BALLET - Shown are Linda Kinlaw and Don Cannon, who will be featured in the Dec. 14 performance of the Dance Theater of Fayetteville at Methodist College's Reeves Auditorium.

next spring in the Theater in the Park in Raleigh.

Tickets for the performance are available from the Ann Clark School of Dance in Eutaw Village in Fayetteville, The Dancer's Creative Workshop on Ft. Bragg Road in Fayetteville, from members of the Dance Theater, or at the door.

Library News

Book Brings Memories

We are very happy to announce the arrival of another Art Gore book, "Images of Yesterday." He very graciously sent another one when we told him how well it was received in his hometown. Now you won't have to wait as long to enjoy this lovely book of artistic photographs of yesterday. In approaching the Christmas season we all have nostalgic reminiscences and this lovely book really brings back memories. We're proud to own two copies.

It's nice to know some of you are reading our news. Someone did come in and inform us of the progress on the new building and we appreciate this. If you haven't noticed the work going on there, take time to ride by and see.

Come in and enjoy our Christmas decorations while you look for new books. Don't forget we have some "golden oldies" also.

For the season we have Christmas books, magazines, records and lots of good Christmas cheer for young and old alike.

NEW BOOKS
 KIDNAPPED - by Karl and Debbie Dartzback -

The compelling real life story behind the headlines of the kidnapping of a pregnant 24-year-old American missionary nurse by a liberation front in northern Ethiopia. Nuse Seized in Ethiopia - One Nurse Slain. Another Kidnapped in Ethiopia Raid - no Word from Kidnapers or Missing Nurse (All headlines of the newspaper stories) Bible Aided Nurse in Surviving Ordeal - Released Missionary Gives Birth to Son.

FROM A LISTENING HEART - by Jack L. Moore.

From a Listening Heart is a pilgrimage toward a deeper understanding of our relationship to God and how it affects our attitude toward people who touch our lives. It explores our capacity to love, to draw strength from God's presence in what Mr. Moore calls "the drama of everyday life."

1776 YEARS OF ILLUSIONS - by Thomas Fleming.

What is the myth of 1776? To state it in its baldest terms: This was the one time in American life when idealism was truly in flower. Actuated by the purest patriotism, led by a soldier whom everyone adored, George Washington -- who in turn was guided by a caucus of political geniuses in Philadelphia -- the Continental Congress -- sturdy farmers raced from their plows to hurl themselves into conflict with British mercenaries. Never have so many great men, magnetic leaders, sprung from nowhere to guide a people infused with a beautiful enthusiasm for liberty. In this book, Thomas Fleming explores this myth by examining all dimensions of that year -- particularly the least known aspects of the common, fallible humanity of the men and women of the Revolution.

BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

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The "war on drugs" campaign resulted from Emerson's interest in Edmisten's remarks after nearly 30 heroin pushers were arrested by SBI agents in Wayne County.

In a November 20 meeting, Emerson and Edmisten pledged cooperation between military and SBI investigators. Edmisten said that North Carolina is a hub of drug activity in the Southeast and suggested that much of the drug traffic centers around military bases. Emerson said positive programs have reduced drug use among soldiers.

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