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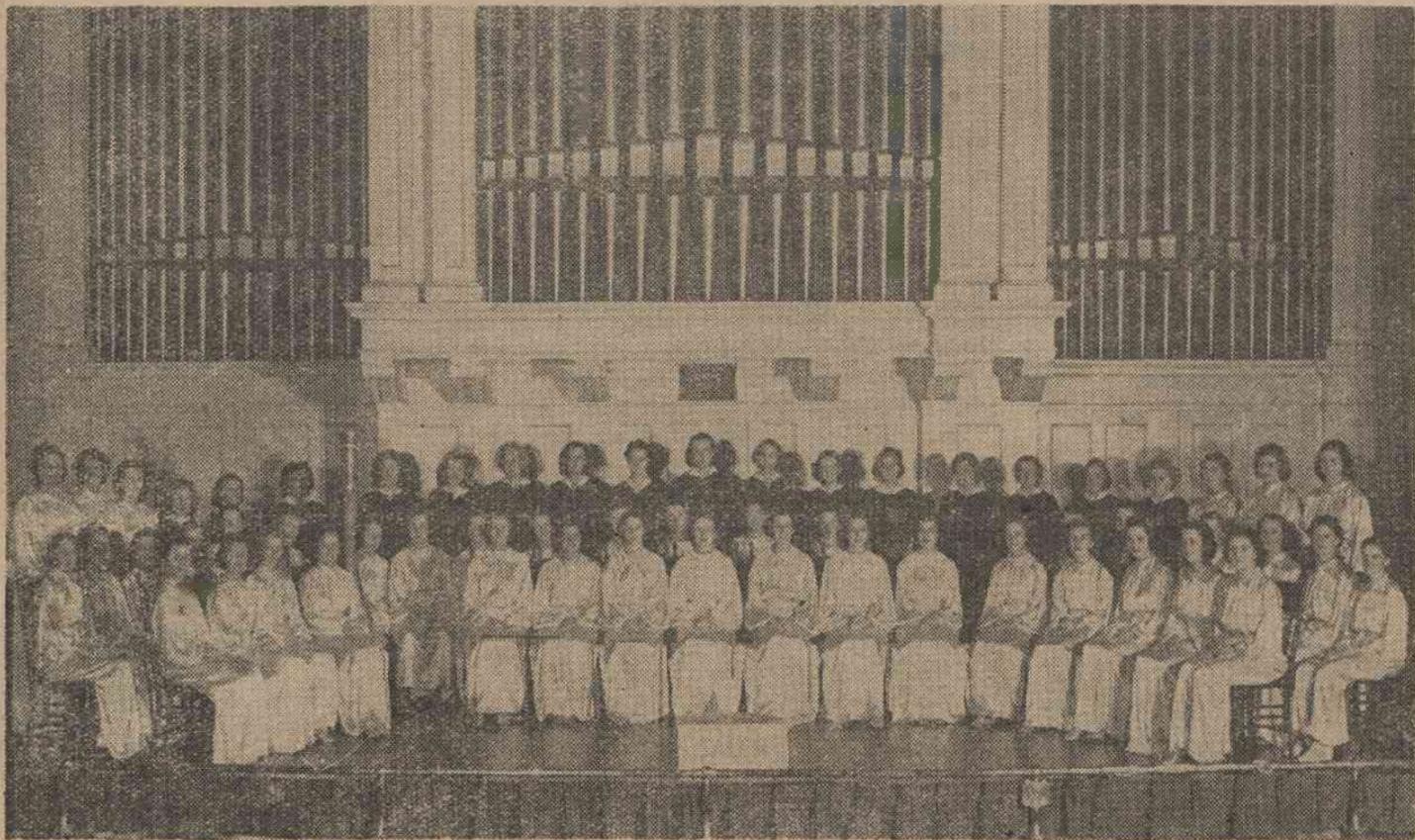


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The Voice Department under the direction of Mr. Clifford Bair, will present third Annual Christmas Festival Monday, December 5, 1938.

VOICE DEPARTMENT WILL GIVE ANNUAL CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

Choral Ensemble Assisted By Newly Organized Salem Singers

The Choral Ensemble of the School of Music, assisted by the newly-organized group of mixed voices, the Salem Singers, will present its third annual festival which marks the approaching Christmas season, Monday evening at 8:30 in Memorial Hall.

The program of the Choral Ensemble, well known throughout the state for its individual symphonic style, will consist of sacred and secular numbers indicative of the Christmas theme. Solos in the presentation will be given by Miss Kathryn Swain, soprano, and Mr. Brooks Bynum, baritone. Miss Marian Johnson will act as student conductor, Miss Elizabeth Cloninger will play the harp accompaniments, and Miss Elizabeth Tuten will be at the organ.

The proceeds from the performance will be utilized in building a library of valuable choral material.

SOLUTION OF SOCIAL PROBLEMS DISCUSSED

Dean of Women At W. C. U. N. C. Speaks To Salem

"The solution of industrial and social problems lies in the hands of thinking college women," Miss Harriet Elliott told Salem College and Academy students in expanded chapel Wednesday morning. Miss Elliot is dean of women and professor of political science at the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina.

In her talk, the subject of which was "Pioneers of the Present," Miss Elliot challenged the students with the problem of better houses, better health, and adequate education for all.

Closely tied up with these problems is the problem of wages and finances. The solution of these questions cannot be wrought overnight, Miss Elliot pointed out.

To provide homes for the millions who are now living in houses not worthy of the name of home, to meet the pressing need of medical care for those in poor financial circumstances, and to correct the inequality of educational advantages — these are the problems which merit the attention of the thinking student.

"But are we interested in the solution sufficiently to sacrifice by paying higher taxes or raising wages or suffering a reduction on our stocks and bonds?" asked Miss Elliot. Any government assistance would result in higher taxes. Better homes and a good health program would both necessitate this.

"If you are going to be a pioneer in the social and industrial frontier of today, you must have physical courage, intelligence, and imagination just as the pioneers of old," Miss Elliot concluded.

NOTICE!

The History Club will hold its Christmas meeting, Thursday, December 8, in the Recreation Room of Louisa Bitting Building. A Salem girl of 50 years ago is returning in costume to tell how she spent Christmas then.

FRESHMEN FRENCH CLUB ORGANIZED

Eugenia Baynes Elected President

At a meeting held before the Thanksgiving holidays, a freshman French Club was organized under the direction of Miss Lucile Vest. Eugenia Baynes was elected president; Mary Adams, vice-president; Mary Worth Walker, secretary; and Elizabeth Weldon, treasurer.

Plans have been made for the group to hold monthly meetings on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p. m. in the recreation room of Louisa Bitting Building.

This club will endeavor to learn French songs, customs, and other things which cannot be included in a grammar review course.

HOME EC. CLUB SENDS DELEGATES TO W.C.U.N.C.

Agnes Lee Carmichael and Elizabeth Norfleet to attend Home Ec. Convention

Agnes Lee Carmichael and Elizabeth Norfleet have been elected delegates from the Katherine Hanes Home Economics Club of Salem College to the meeting of the North Carolina Home Economics Club Association. The convention is to be held Friday and Saturday December 2 and 3, at the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina in Greensboro.

Friday afternoon will be given over to a general session with reports and committee appointments. A tea and tour of the campus will follow the meeting.

At the banquet to be given Friday evening, Dr. W. S. Jackson, dean of administration at W. C. U. N. C., will be the guest speaker. His subject will be "Leaders of Tomorrow."

Following a business meeting and discussion group on Saturday morning, the outstanding feature of the program will be an address by Miss Harriet Elliot, dean of women at the Woman's College.

Mrs. Elizabeth Meinung, head of
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CONDUCTOR

SENIORS SPONSOR SQUARE DANCE

Mr. Hugh Harris and Mr. John Fries Blair Will Call The Figures

Saturday evening, December 3, at 9:00, the senior class of Salem College will sponsor a square dance for faculty members and students. Mr. Hugh Harris and Mr. John Fries Blair will call the figures.

Informality will be the keynote of the evening and only a small admission is to be charged. Would be square dancers have been asked to come in pairs.

Annette McNeely is general chairman of the dance. Anne Johnson is chairman of the refreshment committee. Peggy Rogers and Jessie Skinner are handling the tickets which are on sale now by members of the senior class.



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PHILADELPHIA SYM- PHONY APPFARS IN IN MUSIC SERIES

Eugene Ormandy To Direct Brahm's First Symphony

The second Civic Music Concert will be given Saturday evening, December 10, by the Philadelphia Symphony under the direction of Eugene Ormandy. This orchestra is ranked among the best and Mr. Ormandy, who succeeded Leopold Stokowski as conductor, is known

for his interpretative ability.

The Brahms First Symphony is included on the interesting program. Many will be interested to know that the New York Philharmonic Orchestra will broadcast this same Brahms symphony Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock over the Columbia network.

Next Thursday afternoon, December 8, at 5 o'clock in Memorial Hall, Dean Vardell will give an illustrated lecture on the symphony program. Everyone is urged to take advantage of this opportunity to familiarize himself with the numbers and thus increase his enjoyment and appreciation of the concert Saturday evening.

PIERRETTES TO PRESENT THREE ONE-ACT PLAYS

One Play Is A Freshman Production

Next Wednesday evening the Pierrette Players will present a group of three one-act plays.

Two of the plays, "The Great Dark" by Dan Tothoroh and "Romanza" by Olive Price, will be enacted by upperclassmen Pierrettes; the third of the group "Yellow Squares" by M. R. Stong, is a fresh-

man production.

"The Great Dark" is a tragedy which takes place on the edge of a mine shaft after an explosion and cave-in. The cast for this play is: Mrs. Sunsky, Evelyn McCarty; Mrs. Petrovich, Galdys Blackwood; Mrs. Ryan, Mary Turner Willis; Mrs. O'Keefe, Alice Horsfield; Orna, Lee Rice; and Mrs. Garcia, Lizette Trotman.

"Romanza" is an idyll of the French powder-box. Its cast is: Marlyn, a debutante, Lib Tuten; Lucile, her maid, Alice Horsfield; Christine, her mother, Mary Worthy Spence; Ninette, a lady-in-waiting from long ago, Lee Rice; Francois, a
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PROFESSOR HIGGINS TALKS TO NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

"The Fastest Thing" Was Subject Used

Professor Charles H. Higgins spoke to the National Honor Society of R. J. Reynolds High School at their regular meeting Tuesday morning.

Professor Higgins used as his subject "The Fastest Thing." He showed how radiant energy was the fastest thing known and that a great amount of research was being done on the subject. In developing the subject he discussed the kinds of radiant energy and gave some of the practical applications of the various waves.

Among the most outstanding inventions mentioned was the new microscope which magnifies 30,000 times.

Professor Higgins stated in closing that this field held the greatest opportunities for investigation of any field of science.