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Bill Fulton Crowned Queen Tomorrow

On Saturday afternoon at the stroke of five will begin the long-awaited event at Salem College — the annual May Day Celebration. The pageant this year has the southern plantation theme, the dresses of the queen and the court reflecting this idea. The pageant was written by the chairman of the May Day committee, Miss Mary Turner Willis, of New Bern, in honor of the queen and her attendants.

The May Queen is Miss Bill Fulton of Gate City, Virginia. A Home Economics major and President of the Katherine J. Haues Home Economics Club, Bill has been in the May Court for three years. She makes nearly all of her stylish-looking clothes, and it is rumored that she is an excellent cook. Since she is a brunette with a graceful walk and sparkling eyes, the queen will look unusually lovely in her dress of white tulle.

Mary Thomas from Knoxville, the Maid of Honor, is also a Home Economics major. She is Vice-President of the Y. W. C. A., News Editor of the Salemite, and is listed in this year's edition of the collegiate "Who's Who." Mary is a lovely blonde, with a beautiful complexion, and is bubbling over with personality. Her dress is of peach net.

The court will consist of the twelve prettiest girls at Salem, according to the opinion of the student body. These girls are Miss Dorothy Wyatt from Winston-Salem, who this year celebrates her fourth year on the May court and who is Vice-president of the I. R. S. Council; Miss Ann Whaling, another senior from Winston-Salem, who is editor of the college annual, "Sights and Insights"; Miss Louisa Sloan from Wadesboro, a Junior with an exceptionally beautiful carriage; Miss Peggy Jones from Charlotte, whose blonde hair (naturally platinum!) will make a beautiful contrast with the equally lovely dark wavy hair of Ann Pepper, a Freshman from Winston-Salem. There are two girls from Fayetteville in the May Court: one is Miss Mildred Kelly, a sophomore with blonde hair and beautiful blue eyes, and the other is Miss Dorothy Dixon, the smallest member of the court, who has black hair and dark eyes. Miss Marjorie Powell from Edenton is another striking-looking senior, known by everyone on the campus by her nickname of "Tootie." Mary Ann Paschal, a jovial sophomore day student; Miss Katharine King from Leaksville, tall, blonde, with a gorgeous complexion; and Miss Lilly Sutton Ferrell from Winston-Salem, a vivacious Freshman leader; and Miss Martha Rawlings, a Junior day student whose picture as a high school senior appeared on the cover of "The State Magazine," as "Miss North Carolina." — these complete the number of the beautiful girls who will accompany the queen as she is crowned on Saturday.

The dresses to be worn by the May Court were designed by Miss Mary Turner Willis and were made by Sosnick's. These dresses are typical of the ante-bellum period; they are made in off-the-shoulder style, of silk net with a double skirt, taffeta petticoat with a hoop and pleated valance around the bottom. The gowns are in pastel shades and are trimmed in contrasting velvet ribbon. The slippers match the ribbon. The queens' dress was designed and made by Miss Virginia Tutt of this city. Each member of the court will carry nosegays of garden flowers, while the Queen's bouquet will be of lilly-of-the-valley. The Maid of Honor will carry a nosegay of Talisman roses.

Salem College Will Honor May Queen and Attendants



"Fourteen pretty girls" will be seen in the Salem College May Court in Winston-Salem, at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon, May 6. An original pageant by Miss Mary Turner Willis, of New Bern, will be presented in honor of the queen and her attendants. The queen, Miss Bill Fulton, of Gate City Virginia, is in the center at the left, and Miss Mary Thomas, of Knoxville, maid of honor, is at the center right. The attendants are: top row, left to right, Miss Mil-

dred Kelly, Fayetteville; Miss Lilly Sutton Ferrell, Winston-Salem; Miss Mary Ann Paschal, Winston-Salem; Miss Marjorie Powell, Edenton; second row, Miss Ann Pepper, Winston-Salem; Katharine King, of Leaksville; third row, Miss Ann Whaling, Winston-Salem; Miss Dorothy Wyatt, Winston-Salem; fourth row, Miss Martha Rawlings, of Winston-Salem; Miss Dorothy Dixon, Fayetteville; Miss Peggy Jones, Charlotte; Miss Louisa Sloan, Wadesboro.

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Salem Group Gives Program

Salem College Choral ensemble, conducted by Clifford Bair, presented a musical vesper Sunday evening at Home Mraviao Church.

Anna Withers Bair, organist, played as a prelude "Credo" (Bach); postlude, triumphal march on chorale "Now Thank We All Our God" (S. Karg-Elert) and for an offertory Bach's "He Who Will Suffer God to Guide Him."

The program by the ensemble included "Thanksgiving," "In Memory of Martyrs," "Trinity Sunday," "Whitssunday," "Christmas Day," "Advent," "Ephany," "The Season of Lent," "Easter," "Ascension."

Personnel of the ensemble: Gertrude Bagwell, Pat Barrow, Eugenia Baynes, Catherine Brandon, Muriel Brietz, Jo Ann Brill, Eleanor Carr, Carolyn Creson, Jean Davis, Rosalind Duncan, Marie Fitzgerald, Glenn Griffin, Billie Hanes, Estelle Hatfield, Ruth Hege, June Hire, Louise Jackson, Agnes Johnson, Marian Johnson, Leila Johnston, Katherine (Continued on Page Four)

Two Initial Commencement Programs Complete

May Chapel Exercises Open Salem Graduation

Last Tuesday morning in Chapel the commencement program at Salem was officially begun. The seniors, in their caps and gowns of course, sang the first verse of "The Son of God Goes Forth to War," and the audience joined them on the other verses. This chapel exercise is the traditional and annual program for the first chapel in the month of May.

On Friday, the second part of commencement at Salem took place behind Main Hall, by the memorial steps. Every year on the day before May Day there is an outdoor chapel program in that place. The seniors came down the steps from the president's home singing "Fairest Lord Jesus;" the entire audience joined on the second and third verses. Dr. Rondthaler spoke briefly of the new experiment with trees in downtown (Continued On Page Four)

I. R. S. and Annual Staff to Give May Day Dance

A May Day dance to cap the climax of the May Day Festival, on Saturday, May 6, will take place in the gymnasium under the sponsorship of the Sights and Insights and the I. R. S., in honor of May Queen Bill Fulton, and her attendants.

Claude Little's orchestra, from Mooresville, will furnish the music. There will be no figure during intermission, but there probably will be a no-break dance for girls in the May Court, the annual staff, and I. R. S. Council.

Decorations to be used are the Junior-Senior decorations, silver and Blue. The time will be from nine o'clock to twelve o'clock. And the dance will be informal for men.

Hold yourself responsible for a higher standard than anybody else expects of you. Never excuse yourself. Never pity yourself. Be a hard master to yourself — and be lenient to everybody else.

Capt. Hardee Says War Inevitable

"The only thing that can keep you from being sweethearts and wives of the next generation of soldiers, is that history fail to repeat itself and it's never failed yet." With these words Capt. David L. Hardee, professor of political science at Oak Ridge, concluded his talk to Salem students in expanded chapel Wednesday. Captain Hardee stated that America has had six major wars, approximately twenty-five years apart, and that it is time for another in the very near future. His advice was that we be prepared to stand up for things we know are right when the war comes.

Captain Hardee spoke of the many things dearer to a soldier than life itself, things for which he will not hesitate to fight. Among them are religious freedom, taxation by representation, trial by jury, principle of equality of man, freedom of seas, Monroe doctrine and its expansion, the flag, one unified nation, government of, for, by the people, democracy, and the high standards of living among American people.