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Senator Frank P. Graham and Bishop Howard E. Rondthaler will be the principal speakers at the inaugural luncheon and laying of the cornerstone of the new science building tomorrow afternoon, April 22.

The luncheon will be held at 1:00 p.m. in Corrin Refectory. R. Arthur Spaugh, a member of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees, will preside. The invocation will be given by the pastor of the Fries Memorial church and member of the Salem College faculty, Reverend Edwin A. Sawyer.

The Honorable Frank P. Graham, United States Senator from North Carolina, will then deliver the main address of the occasion.

Bishop Howard E. Rondthaler, past president of Salem Academy and College, will be the principal speaker at the laying of the cornerstone of the new science building at 3:00 p.m. The Right Reverend J. Kenneth Pfohl, chairman of the Board of Trustees, will preside over the ceremony.

The Right Reverend Howard E. Rondthaler will deliver the main address. The laying of the cornerstone will be done by the Right Reverend J. Kenneth Pfohl. He will be assisted by members of the Board of Trustees—The Right Reverend Howard E. Rondthaler; Dr. Agnew H. Bahnson, Sr.; Clark S. Starbuck and Louis F. Owen, chairman and member of the Committee on Buildings and Grounds of the Board; and Gordon Gray, President of the University of North Carolina. The prayer will be led by the Reverend J. Howard Chadwick, pastor of the Fairview Moravian Church.

The cornerstone is a gift of Mr. C. Binder, manager of the J. D. Sargent Granite Co. of Mt. Airy. Mr. Binder has had three daughters to attend Salem. The copper box which will be placed in the cornerstone is a gift of Mr. Agnew H. Bahnson, Jr. of the Bahnson Engineering Co. of Winston-Salem. Among the articles to be contained in the box are: copies of the current College and Academy catalogues, **The Twin City Sentinel** for April 21, **The Winston-Salem Journal** for April 22, the Salem College **Viewbook** for 1949, the **Salemite** for April 21, 1950, a formal invitation to the inaugural ceremony, a letter of invitation to the ceremony that was sent to the out of town alumnae of the College and Academy, a program for the day of inauguration, a list of donors to the science building, a floor plan of the building. (Continued on page four)

New Officers To Be Installed

Installation of the new officers will be held next Tuesday, April 25 in chapel. Those who are to be installed are the new Stee Gee officers, presidents of the major organizations, presidents of the classes and chief marshal.

Winkie Harris, Jane Krauss, Margaret Thomas, and Alice Blake Dobson are the members of the Student Government to be installed. Lucy Harper, president of I. R. S., Clinky Clinkscales, A. A. president, Sis Pooser, **Sights and Insights** editor, Clara Belle LeGrand, **Salemite** editor, and Mary Faith Carson, president of the "Y", are those to be installed of the major organizations. The Pierrettes' president will also be installed. Cammy Lovelace, president of Senior Class, Ann Sprinkle, president of Junior Class, and Marilyn Samuel, Sophomore Class president, are to be installed as class officers. Martha Bowman will be installed as chief marshal.

Many Special Guests Attend Ceremonies

Dr. Frank Graham will be among the special guests at the Inaugural Ceremonies this week-end. Dr. Graham will speak at a luncheon tomorrow in the Salem College Refectory.

Other guests will be Reverend Howard E. Rondthaler, former president of Salem College and Academy; Reverend Mark Depp, Rector of Saint Paul's Episcopal Church; Clyde A. Erwin, Superintendent of Winston-Salem City Schools; Reverend Robert A. Potter, President of the Winston-Salem Ministers' Association; P. Huber Hanes, Jr., President of the Chamber of Commerce; Reid Sta- (Continued on page six)

Inauguration Program

- 11:00 a.m.—Installation of Dr. Gramley as president of Salem Academy and College. Home Church.
- 1:00 p.m.—Luncheon for delegates and special guests. Corrin Refectory.
- 3:00 p.m.—Cornerstone laying ceremony. Site of the new science building.
- 3:30-5:30 p.m.—Open House. Salem Academy.
- 8:00-10:00 p.m.—Inaugural reception. Corrin Refectory.



Dr. Dale Gramley will be inaugurated tomorrow, April 22, as the thirteenth President of Salem College. The inauguration will take place at 11:00 a.m. in the Home Moravian Church.

Thirteenth President To Take Oath

Dr. Dale H. Gramley will be inaugurated as the thirteenth President of Salem Academy and College tomorrow, April 22, at 11 o'clock in the Home Moravian Church.

The academic procession will form a half hour before the services. Mr. Roy Campbell, associate professor of science and college marshal, will lead the procession. Approximately 220 persons, representing universities, colleges, honorary societies and organizations will march in the procession. These guests will go to the Home Church. Other guests will be seated in Memorial Hall, where they will hear the inauguration by a public address system.

Mr. Francis Fries Willingham, chairman of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees will preside over the installation services. **Grand March** from "Aida" by Verdi will be used as the processional with Miss Margaret Vardell at the organ. After the processional the congregation will join in singing the hymn "O Lord Of All Being". They will also join in the responsive reading of **The Deum Laudamus**, lead by the Reverend R. Gordon Spaugh, pastor of the Home Moravian Church. The Choral Ensemble, under the direction of Mr. Paul W. Peterson, will sing "The Lord, Most Holy" by Sateren.

Greetings will be given to the new President from the community, Moravian educational institutes, Council of Church Related Colleges, and the State Department of Instruction. The Reverend Mark Depp, pastor of the Centenary Methodist Church, will bring the greetings from the community. The Moravian Educational Institutions will have their best wishes brought by Dr. Raymond P. Hupert, who is president of Moravian College and Theological Seminary. Dr. Luther L. Gobbel, president of (Continued on page three)

Geddy Speaks On Old Salem

The proposed restoration of Old Salem was discussed at a Town Meeting at 8:30 p.m. on Thursday, April 20 in Memorial Hall. Vernon Geddy, executive vice-president of the Colonial Williamsburg project, was the speaker.

Mr. Geddy's subject was "What Can the Restoration of Old Salem Mean to You?" After his address a question and answer period was held.

Old Salem, Inc.'s sponsored his appearance here. This is a recently organized corporation which plans to bring about the restoration of the local Moravian community.

Vet Organization Sponsors "Carmen"

On Friday, April 28, the American Veterans of World War II will sponsor the opera **Carmen**. Under the auspices of the Boston Grand Opera company, music lovers are guaranteed a thrilling, exciting and romantic performance which will be backed by a brilliant cast and a symphony orchestra chorus.

Peter Taylor Two Hundred Delegates To Attend

Peter Taylor, short story writer and Professor of Creative Writing at Woman's College, will conduct a forum in writing on Thursday, May 11 for Miss Byrd's Advanced Composition Class.

Mr. Taylor, who was former head of the Department of Creative Writing at Indiana University, has published a volume of short stories, **A Long Fourth and Other Stories**. Many of his recent stories have appeared in magazines, such as the **New Yorker**.

Mr. Taylor is living in Hillsboro while working on a novel, and commutes to Greensboro several times a week for his classes in writing at Woman's College. In the forum, he will analyze compositions by Salem students, and will discuss principles of creative writing.

Contest Held By Atlantic

Miss Byrd's advanced composition class has submitted papers to the 1950 **Atlantic Monthly** contest. The purpose of the competition is to stimulate and encourage college writing.

Each student sent in either an essay or a short story. The class is composed of Dale Smith, Winifred Harris, Lee Rosenbloom, Norman Jarrard, Wylma Pooser, Betty Beal, Betty Leppert, and Polly Hartle.

The three winners of the nationwide contest will receive \$100, and the prize selections will be announced in the June issue of the **Atlantic**. The works submitted are to have been written during the year 1949-1950.

In the past, Salem has had girls place prominently in the contest. There have been several among the best twenty entries and some who have received honorable mention.

City Group Holds Dinner

Mr. P. Huber Hanes, Jr., president of the Winston-Salem Chamber of Commerce, has announced that the annual meeting will be held this year in the Club Dining Room of Salem College Refectory on April 28 at 7 p. m. In addition to the regular Winston-Salem members, a number of out-of-town Chamber of Commerce executives throughout North Carolina have been invited to attend this dinner meeting. Senator Clyde R. Hoey will be the guest speaker.