

## SECOND ANNIVERSARY SALEMITE CELEBRATED

### Staff and Advisors Attend Banquet.

On Thursday evening, November the sixteenth, a most enjoyable banquet was given by the Salemite staff in celebration of this newspaper's second anniversary. The Salem color scheme, yellow and white, was carried out both in the table decorations and the menu. The favors, which were also place cards, were small yellow ships with white sails on which was printed, in yellow, the Salemite motto, "Sail on Salem." The centerpiece was composed of a white cake adorned with two yellow candles, and surrounded by yellow autumn leaves and chrysanthemums.

The guests of the evening were the faculty advisors, Misses deBarritt, Albright, and Biddison, and Miss Lula May Stipe, dean of women. The occasion was enlivened by animated conversation, and a congenial atmosphere prevailed. The most interesting occurrence of the evening was the cutting of the birthday cake in which were hidden the usual omens of fate—the ring, thimble, spade, skates, ship, and dime. There were moments of breathless suspense as each guest cut a slice and registered disappointment, horror, or delight as the case happened to be.

Immediately preceding the last course a rising vote of appreciation to the advisors and friends for their invaluable aid and guidance was proposed by Rachel Jordan, editor-in-chief of The Salemite. Miss Mildred deBarritt spoke for the guests, and thanked the staff for a very pleasant evening.

## THE COUNTY FAIR

"Have you ever been to a county fair?"

Well, you've missed lots of fun, if you've never been there?"

On Saturday night the Senior class attempted to give Salem the benefit of a real true-to-life country fair. The guests were greeted by the gate keeper, a quite good looking gentleman in high silk hat, and full dress suit, who admitted them to the marvelous events in the ring, for the small sum of 10 cents.

Once inside there came calls from the "hot dog" stand, from which issued enticing odors, and many guests succumbed to the call of the "dogs." A most comical gentleman was likewise soliciting patrons for what he termed "the best show of the season", the Cruel Coquette. Thousands paid their nickel and witnessed the suitors unsnared, were quite in sympathy with the young lady in question and so enjoyed the show thoroughly.

The musical event of the evening was the serenade by the organ grinder. This enjoyable feature was free to all, and the melodious strains from the organ (the famous "Lard-Can" make) accompanied by the antics of the monkey provided much harmless gaiety. For the expenditure of only a few more pence, one was able to see the "marvel of the century, the eighteen-inch man." Fatigued by the execu-

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## HOME ECONOMICS FRESH- MEN GIVE HAT DISPLAY

### Accomplishments Very Commendable.

Hats of all shapes and hats of all sizes, Hats of all makes and hats of all prices Hats for church and hats for town, Hats of blue and hats of brown, Hats for milady where 'er she wish to go— They all were seen at the Millinery Show.

Those who missed the "Hat Recital", as Dr. Rondthaler so appropriately termed the exhibit of Friday afternoon, missed a great treat. It is marvelous what this class of girls, composed of freshmen, has accomplished since the opening of school. Every hat was indeed a masterpiece, and the variety and ingenuity displayed in every model was well worth the praises that were lavished upon each individual piece of work.

Main Hall resembled some large hat shop of Fifth Avenue, with its attractive and artistic displays in millinery for milady, and the large crowd which attended the exhibit paid high compliment to the leadership of Mrs. Meinung, and to the work of all her pupils.

## MRS. RONDTHALER AT HOME TO SENIORS.

Mrs. Howard E. Rondthaler was at home to the Senior class on Wednesday afternoon, November fifteenth, from five to six, at the President's House.

The guests were met at the door by Mrs. Henry Shaffner, and Miss Etta Shaffner, who guided them to Mrs. Rondthaler, who was receiving in the parlor, assisted by Mrs. Frank Shaffner, mother of the president of the senior class, and Mrs. Martin. From here they were ushered through the living room and sun room, in each of which there were found mothers of the senior day pupils, into the dining room. Here, members of the sophomore class served tempting refreshments, assisted by the Misses Elizabeth and Jane Rondthaler.

Throughout the home, there abounded lovely chrysanthemums carrying out the Salem colors—yellow and white.

At the conclusion of the hour, the Seniors voted Mrs. Rondthaler a most charming hostess, and they will not soon forget her hospitality.

## REPORTS OF THE CLASS- WORK.

Reports of the class-work of the college up to October 30th show some interesting statistics for class consideration. Out of a class membership of thirty-seven the Seniors have 87 per cent reported as entirely satisfactory; of thirty-six Juniors, 72 per cent are maintaining satisfactory rank in their work; the Sophomores, with a class-roll of forty-nine have 55 per cent of their membership included; while out of the 124 Freshmen the report comes that 37 per cent are up to Salem standing as students. We shall look with interest for the relative standing at mid-year; it will surely change.

## JUNIORS GUESTS OF FRESHMEN AT LUNCHEON

The entire school has watched with interest the developments of a class out of the hundred and twenty-four girls who arrived at Salem for the first time in September. Since then they have very successfully carried through several undertakings. Last Monday they scored another success in the luncheon given for the Juniors in the living room of the Alice Clewell Building. As the guests entered they were welcomed by Helen Phoebus, the Freshman class president, who wore a corsage of purple and white sweet peas. The Junior class colors were similarly carried out in the corsage of white tea roses tied with red ribbon, worn by Eleanor Shaffner, the Junior class president. Five or ten minutes were spent in conversation, then a delicious salad course was served, consisting of chicken salad, beaten biscuits, pickle, sandwiches, coffee, cake, and peanuts. Toward the end of the luncheon, the guests were presented with red rosebuds tied with narrow white ribbon as favors. Those present in addition to the Freshman and Juniors were Mrs. Rondthaler, Miss Stipe, and Miss Rodgers, the Freshman class teacher.

## PROGRAM OF CAROLINA GLEE CLUB.

### Part I.

1. Hail to the Happy Bridal Day—Mr. Siewers and the Glee Club.
2. Medley, arranged by Cox—Mandolin Club.
3. Valse Triste—Sibelins—The Orchestra.
4. Integer Vitae, Fleming; The Vesper Hymns, Beethoven—The Glee Club.
5. Andante Cantabile—Tchaikowsky—Messrs. Weihe, Whceler, Murphy, Carpenter.
6. Medley, arranged by Cox—The Mandolin Club.
7. Poet and Peasant Overture—Von Suppe—The Orchestra.
8. In Absence, Dudley Buck; Over the Sea, Dudley Buck—The Glee Club.
9. At Dawning, Cadman; Smilin' Thru, Penn—Mr. Cordon.
10. Romance, Svendsen—Mr. Weihe.
11. Saxophone Salad—Messrs. Kemp, Shaw, Monroe, Vaught, Cordon.

### Part II.

12. The Flapper's Opera—Ray Vaughn—A Buffoonery with music. Mary Jane .....Stauber  
Dorothy .....Reynolds  
Isabel .....Mendenhall  
Lou .....Carpenter
13. Hark! the Sound of Tar Heel Voices—Glee Club and Orchestra.

## FORMER SALEM STUDENT HONORED.

Miss Lily Carter Cutler, formerly a student of Salem College, but now of the University of North Carolina, has been awarded the Ledoux Fellowship in Chemistry. The Tar Heel, in commenting on this honor, says that it is a signal distinction for two reasons: Never before has it been awarded a woman, and never before has it been won by an undergraduate.

## RED CROSS FEATURES WEDNESDAY SERVICE

Due to Dr. Rondthaler's absence the Wednesday morning chapel service was conducted by Mr. Heath. As this week, the twelfth through the eighteenth, is a week of prayer for all students throughout the world, the devotional part of the service was lead by Miss Hairston, vice-president of the Y. W. C. A.

Following this Miss Biddison presented the question of a history club, the purpose of which will be to discuss matters of current interest. Outside speakers will be secured whenever possible but otherwise the girls themselves will plan and present the programs. All college students and members of the faculty interested were urged to join and be present at the first meeting at which the officers will be elected and a regular time for meetings, set.

The two speakers of the hour were Miss Helen Blanton, chief of the medical social service in the Veterans Hospital at Biltmore, who has been visiting various southern colleges for the past six weeks in the interest of the Red Cross; and the Reverend Douglas Rights, chairman of the Winston-Salem chapter. Miss Blanton explained that the Red Cross is an organization chartered by the government and that its purpose is threefold, first, relief of suffering of sick and wounded in time of war; second, relief of suffering in times of disaster, such as epidemic, fires, floods and the like; and, lastly, for educational value, especially in rural communities through their public health nurses, nutrition, and first aid classes. Over and above this she said the first obligation of the organization is to the disabled ex-service and, that, since it is impossible for the government to individualize its efforts along this line, the Red Cross bridges the gap by caring for them. Miss Blanton went on to tell a little of the world wide work of the organization and said that its

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## IMPRESSIVE VESPER SERVICE IN COMMEMORATION OF MISS LEHMAN.

Sunday evening at 6:15 in Memorial Hall a very impressive twilight vesper service was held as a fit commemoration of the beautiful life of our late Senior retired teacher, Miss Lehman. The well-filled hall gave testimony of the appreciation which both college and community feel for her long years of usefulness. As the service began all lights were turned off except the one at the organ, and, in the dimly lighted hall, the Seniors sang the processional "Holy, Holy, Holy." After Dean Shirley had played the beautiful organ selections, "Aria", from Bach, and the familiar Handel's "Largo", Dr. Rondthaler read two of Miss Lehman's poems entitled "Now" and "October." Then followed another organ number, "Marche Funebre et Chant Seraphique", by Guilment, and the recessional, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul." Not only did the service cause us to pause for a half-hour in memory of one who was so well loved, but it also set before us the inspiring example of a life of unselfish service.