

Mr. Hoyle Sink Makes An Interesting Address

State Pardon Commissioner Tells
of Problems Involved
in Office.

At the expanded chapel service on Wednesday morning, March the seventeenth, Salem College and Academy were particularly fortunate in having as speaker Mr. Hoyle Sink. Mr. Sink has held several offices of responsibility and distinction, having been American consul to China during the Wilson administration, and is now Secretary of the Salary and Wage commission, and commissioner of Pardons for the State of North Carolina.

Mr. Sink's talk, which was of great interest and value, was on the subject of individual responsibility to society. On account of Mr. Sink's position he has had a peculiar opportunity to see the sad, pathetic side of life. He said that he holds this position is that he wished to come into contact with people and become acquainted with their ideas and opinions on the problems that confront society. Mr. Sink does not think that the war was the cause of the recent crime wave; it merely gave people an opportunity to show their weaker side. Neither do modern conveniences cause one to lose sight of the finer things of life. The average boys and girls of today hear and learn much more than those of a generation ago, and consequently have more opportunity to do good and bad. The present crime wave cannot be ascribed to any one particular thing. Society cannot be shifted from one pedestal to another, but must be viewed as a whole, as one great system whose strength does not lie in one place.

All people have capacities for
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Dr. and Mrs. Rondthaler Entertain The Seniors

Delightful Dinner Given in
Honor of Graduating
Class.

An event which is always looked forward to with much joy and anticipation took place Thursday evening, March 18, when Dr. and Mrs. Rondthaler entertained at their lovely home at a most beautifully-planned dinner honoring the seniors.

The guests were seated at small tables of four scattered throughout the front rooms of the spacious home. At each table, white candles cast their glow upon a centerpiece of lovely golden jonquils representing in their vivid coloring not only the advancement of spring but also carrying out the Salem College colors of yellow and white. The colors of the senior class, purple and white, were used in most effective detail, for surrounding the basket of jonquils were arranged charming little dolls dressed in caps and gowns, carrying bouquets of forget-me-nots tied with purple and white ribbon. Dainty diplomas guided
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State Association Of Deans Of Women Meets At Salem

North Carolina Deans And Advisers Of Women
And High School Girls Hold Fourth
Annual Session.

Thirty members of the North Carolina Association of Deans and Advisers of Colleges for Women and Girls, attended their fourth annual session, at Salem College, and elected Mrs. E. J. Durand, dean of students at North Carolina College, Greensboro, as president, heard several interesting talks, and then enjoyed luncheon at the Woman's Club, on West Fourth street. In the afternoon they held another session at 430, and went for an automobile drive over the city.

The convention of the deans and advisers opened on Monday evening, with addresses by Dr. Howard Rondthaler, president of Salem College, and Miss Mary Coleman, of the physical education department of North Carolina College for Women, as features. After this session, the members were tendered a reception at the home of Dr. Rondthaler and Mrs. Rondthaler, this proving a most delightful affair. The entire attendance upon the convention was present.

First on the program for this morning was registration of convention members. Of the 50 enrolled, about 30 attended this gathering. The business meeting started at 9:30 o'clock, and the principal subject was the election of a president for the coming year, Mrs. E. J. Durand receiving the honor. A decision was made to hold the next meeting sometime in November, the exact date and place to be determined by the executive committee, and announced later.

An address, "Organization and Problems of Student Government," was first on the program for the general session, which started at 10:30. This was presented by Miss Helen A. Greene, of North Carolina College for Women, and included a consideration of matters of timely interest to the deans and advisers. She was followed by Miss Eva Belle Covington, of Salem College, who spoke on "Personal Records," and by Miss Andrews, of the North Carolina College for Women, who made an exceptionally interesting report on the national meeting.

At 1 o'clock the ladies enjoyed a most delightful luncheon served at the Woman's Club. The tables were attractively arranged and decorated, and the luncheon proved one of the interesting features of the convention session.

In the afternoon the ladies held a social meeting, with special attention given to particular studies. One group, the four-year college and university section, considered: "Problems

Bishop Rondthaler To Conduct Lenten Service

Bishop Rondthaler will give the fourth and last of his series of Lenten addresses on Wednesday, at 11 a. m., in Memorial Hall.

of Student Government," "Personal Records" and "Other Problems of Interest to Sections." The section was led in the consideration of these subjects by Mrs. E. J. Durand, and the presentation of each phase was received with close interest and attention by the group members.

The same subjects were considered by the junior college and normal section, with Miss Mae McLeland, of Peace Institute, Raleigh, as chairman, while the high school section, led by Miss Laura Jones, of the Raleigh high school, had similar topics for study.

All of the gatherings adjourned at 4:30 and the members enjoyed an automobile ride over the city. Principal topics of interest were visited, and the convention attendants had an excellent opportunity to learn of the many attractions of the metropolis of North Carolina. A general session was held at
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Academy Faculty Wins The Basket Ball Game

Faculty Team Plays Against the
Midgets and Defeats
Opponents.

One of the most unusual athletic events of the season took place last Saturday evening at 7:15 o'clock, in the hut. At that time the academy faculty met a picked team of the academy girls in an exciting game of basket ball. The fact that the academy team, known as the "Midgets", was very amusing to the on-lookers and to the players as well.

Quite a sensation was caused when the faculty team appeared on the floor with a large jug containing a suspicious-looking liquid. When each member proceeded to take a drink, the game seemed likely to be broken up. However it began in the usual manner and during the five minute quarters there was good playing and creditable scoring on both sides. At the end of the first half another sensation was caused when Miss McCarty, of the faculty center, fainted and had to be fanned vigorously before she could again take her place. The remainder of the game proceeded in the usual way, when the whistle blew for the close of the game the score stood 15 to 7 in favor of the faculty.

The line-up was as follows:
Academy

Forward	Mundy
Forward	Weiss
Guard	Haynes
J. Center	Watson
S. Center	Board

Forward	Weaver
Forward	Pohl
Guard	Zachary
Guard	Murray
J. Center	McCarty
S. Center	Shaffner

Dr. J. P. Rousseau Talks To Scientific Society

Explains History and Use of the
X-ray and Demonstrates
Fluoroscope.

The Scientific Society had an unusually interesting meeting last Tuesday evening, when all the members went to the office of Dr. J. P. Rousseau in the Wachovia Bank Building. Dr. Rousseau is an authority on the subject of X-ray and gave a lucid and fascinating account of its history and present value.

He spoke of the discovery of X-ray as the most important single discovery in scientific diagnosis and treatment which has been made within recent years.

In 1895 William Conrad Rontgen, Professor of Physics at a German University and other members of the department, in the course of various experiments with electricity, almost accidentally came on the discovery. It was, however, the natural sequence of prolonged and searching investigations in the field of electricity and vacuum tubes.

Rontgen, who was ardently fond of kodaking, was about to go out one day, but laid a row of films on the table while he experimented a bit with the rays. He then went out and took the pictures, developed the films and found on one of them a perfect picture of his room key. He remembered that he had left the key lying on the films, and to make sure, repeated the experiment and got the same results—a perfect shadowgraph of the key. The same thing was tried with a human hand, and the bones showed clearly.

Later various peculiar properties of the X-ray were discovered; the rays cannot be refracted or turned aside—they go straight on; they are invisible and they can be constantly generated.

Soon the announcement of the invention was made through the research committee and it was immediately used in examining broken bones and foreign bodies. Since then, the science has made rapid progress, and many new uses have been made of it.

The principle on which it works is the use of electrons, driven by a high current of electricity against a platinum target, from which the rays are thrown out in all directions, making direct and secondary rays.

Its results are precise, accurate and rapid. It can be used to determine whether or not a bone is broken with much more safety and comfort than the old method of twisting the injured part.

The Fluoroscope is one of its interesting developments. This is a transparent screen on which the rays are turned. The object to be observed is put behind the screen and is clearly visible.
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Easter Vacation Begins Wednesday

The Easter Recess begins on Wednesday, March 31, at 11 a. m.

Dean H. A. Shirley Gives Lenten Organ Recital

Delightful Tradition is Carried
Out With Well-Chosen
Program.

On Thursday afternoon, March 18, Dean H. A. Shirley gave the first of his Lenten organ recitals in Memorial Hall at the regular Music Hour. Dean Shirley's Lenten recitals are among the most delightful traditions of this institution. Each year they are keenly anticipated by both students and faculty of Salem College and friends in the city as well.

The recital Thursday afternoon was beautiful in every respect. The program consisted of three numbers which Dean Shirley played with a perfect mastery and artistic effect. The opening number was the first movement of Bach's Trio Sonata in E flat, written in strict contrapuntal style. Its quiet peacefulness gave the effect of a meditation. This was followed by one of Bach's greatest preludes and fugues—the one in D—with its striking grandeur and its majestic climaxes. It was in delicate contrast with the preceding number and showed the range of ability of its composer.

The last number on the program was a Suite description of the poem, "Evangeline," composed by Charles O. Hanke and published within the last year. Dean Shirley has always been interested in giving his audience an opportunity to hear the works of contemporary composers. His interpretation of the "Evangeline" Suite was altogether charming and delightful. It consisted of four parts—a prologue, a March, Song of the Exiles, and Epilogue. It is a truly remarkable piece of program music. Its whole atmosphere is entirely in accord with the spirit of the poem.

French Club Holds Its Regular Meeting

Subject of Program is the Life
and Work of Great French
Composers.

The Cercle Francais held its regular meeting in the living room of the Alice Clewell Building Wednesday, March the seventeenth. The subject for discussion was the great French composers and their works. In response to the roll call each member answered with the name of a French composer and one of his productions.

After the business was transacted, Miss Southard presented to the club for consideration a card of French Club pins.

The program was very unique and most interesting. Miss Rubie Scott gave an interesting account of Rouget de Lisle and the circumstances under which he composed "La Marseillaise". Miss Isabelle Dunn spoke in an interesting manner of the composer Biget after which a selection from "Carmen" was played on the victrola. The life of Godard was well told by Miss
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