

New "Big Five" Begin Work For Coming Year

Student Government And Y. W. C. A. Installations Are Held

Last week, the first week in May, the new "Big Five" took up their duties for the coming year. At the regular chapel service on Friday morning, April 29, the new Student Council was installed. The incoming officers of the Student Body are:

- President
Mary Katherine Thorpe
- Vice President
Mary Catherine Siewers
- Secretary
Alice Stough
- Treasurer
Susan Calder

The installation of the new Y. W. C. A. cabinet took place Sunday evening, May 1, at Vespers. An impressive candlelight service was held. Officers of the Y for the coming year are:

- President
Mary B. Williams
- Vice President
Margaret Johnson
- Secretary
Phyllis Noe
- Treasurer
Zina Vologodsky

The new *Salemite* staff with Josephine Courtney as Editor-in-Chief and Sarah Horton as Business Manager is putting out its first paper this week. The new *Sights and Insights* staff with Louise Brinkley as Editor-in-Chief and Ghilan Hall as Business Manager will begin work this month. Also the new Athletic Council will begin work this month. The officers of the Athletic Association for the coming year are:

- President
Nina Way Credle
- Vice-President
Josephine Walker
- Secretary
Elizabeth Leake
- Treasurer
Margaret McClean

Seniors Are Honored By Junior Class

Music Furnished by Noted Orchestra for Tea Dance

One of the most thoroughly enjoyable social occasions of the year took place on last Monday afternoon when the Junior class entertained the Seniors at a tea dance. The Forsyth Country Club, at which this event was held, was beautifully decorated with a variety of lovely spring garden flowers. In the entrance hall were baskets of yellow tulips and white syringia, in accordance with the college colors. Receiving the guests were Miss Mary B. Williams, president of the Junior class, Miss Mary Mitchell Norman, Senior president, Miss Helen Fuller and Mr. Roy J. Campbell, class advisers, Miss Grace Lawrence and Miss Katherine Riggan.

As they arrived, the girls (and Dr. Rondthaler who was an honor guest) were invited into the club dining room, which was decorated in the Senior colors, red and white, with woodwork and table centerpieces of Indian pinks. Here two courses of refreshments were served which included salad, sandwiches, tea, ice, and cake.

The whole affair was made most especially delightful by the music furnished by Paul Graham and his crackers, a noted dance orchestra well known through the eastern United States. Having finished their tea, the guests proceeded to the living room where dancing was enjoyed. Many request numbers were rendered and also an original composition by a member of the orchestra

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Student Leaders For Coming Year Take Charge



The "Big Five" leaders of the five major campus organizations for 1932-33, who have just served their first week in office. They are, left to right: Mary Katherine Thorpe, President Student Self Government; Mary B. Williams, President Y. W. C. A.; Nina Way Credle, President Athletic Association; Louise Brinkley, Editor-in-Chief *Sights and Insights*; Josephine Courtney, Editor-in-Chief the *Salemite*.

Misses Cooke and Fulp Give Joint Piano Recital

Present Varied Program of Solo and Duo Numbers

On last Monday, May 2, Miss Nell Cooke and Miss Edith Fulp, seniors in Public School Music, gave joint piano recital in Memorial Hall. Both of them have studied under Miss Laura Jones for the past four years.

The program was opened by Mozart's "Sonata in C Major," a composition arranged for two pianos. In the first movement, "Allegro," both Miss Cooke and Miss Fulp showed good technical training, while in the second movement, "Andante Cantabile," they brought out the beautiful singing quality of this movement. The sonata ended with an "Allegretto Donizetti," in which the difficult passages were played with ease by the two performers.

Miss Fulp, as the opening number of her first solo group, played Schubert-Liszt's "Du bist die Ruh," a selection in which a beautiful melody was expressed with rich harmonies. Quite in contrast to the general, Schubert-Liszt composition

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Rondthalers Entertain Federation At Tea

Informal Tea Given State Federation of Women's Clubs On Thursday Afternoon

Dr. and Mrs. Howard Rondthaler entertained the State Federation of Women's Clubs at a delightful informal tea on Thursday afternoon.

The guests were greeted in Main Hall by groups of girls and a receiving line composed of Misses Katherine Riggan, Viola Tucker,

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Publication Heads Name Staffs For Coming Year

Sarah Horton and Ghilan Hall Are New Business Heads Of Publications

Josephine Courtney, the new Editor-in-Chief of the *Salemite*, Sarah Horton, the new business manager of the *Salemite*, and Louise Brinkley, the new Editor-in-Chief of *Sights and Insights*, and Ghilan Hall, the new business manager of *Sights and Insights*, have chosen their respective staffs for the coming year.

The editorial staff of the *Salemite* is as follows:

- Editor-in-Chief Josephine Courtney
- Associate Editor Margaret Johnson
- Associate Editor Dorothy Heidemreder
- Librarian Editor Susan Calder
- Music Editor Elmer Phillips
- Music Editor Mildred Wolfe
- Society Editor Miriam Stevenson
- Intelligencer Editor Phyllis Noe
- Editor Kathleen Atkins
- Feature Editor Mary Drew Dalton
- Feature Editor Sarah Lindsay
- Reporter Elizabeth Gray
- Reporter Martha Binde
- Reporter Margaret Long
- Reporter Dorothy Dabson
- Reporter Courtland Preston

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SUGGESTION BOXES

To prove that a Student Self Government Association at Salem means what its name implies, suggestion boxes have been placed in all the buildings.

This is our big chance to take advantage of our part in the governing. Salem is what we make it, and by giving our suggestions we are doing something definitely constructive for Salem and its governing association. Any suggestions, constructive or destructive, are welcome. Let's show ourselves worthy of the responsibility vested in us. Suggestion boxes close tonight.

Y. W. C. A. Holds Very Impressive Service

Miss Mary B. Williams and Her New Cabinet Are Installed

Sunday evening, May 1, in the library the new officers and cabinet of the Y. W. C. A. were installed. After a violin solo by George Dickerson the old and new cabinets marched in singing "Father of Lights." The old members were carrying lighted candles. At this time there was a prayer of intercession by Phyllis Noe, the Scripture reading by Martha Harrison Davis, and a solo, "Grant Us Thy Peace," by Mr. Frank Cranford.

Miss Eleanor Idol, after a farewell speech, lighted the candle of Miss Mary B. Williams, who gave a lovely acceptance, speaking of the building of character. Each member of the old cabinet then lighted the candle of the girl who was to take her office. The old cabinet was as follows:

- President—Eleanor Idol.
- Vice-President—Martha Harrison Davis.
- Secretary—Grace Pollock.
- Treasurer—Mary Price.

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Bishop Pfuhl Regrets His Absence At Commencement

Will Attend Missions Convention in St. Thomas

Bishop Pfuhl, who is chairman of the Board of Trustees and pastor of the Home Moravian Church, was present at the Tuesday morning chapel service. He came to express his regret that he cannot be present at commencement this year, and explained the reason that he must be absent.

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May Day Festival Attracts Large Crowds

Entertaining Features For I. R. S. Houseparty

The outdoor chapel held on the campus in front of the president's home began the May Day celebration on last Saturday. With the student body were their guests of the houseparty, which lasted the entire weekend. Every member of the audience, wearing a pansy, stood in line and heard Dr. Rondthaler deliver an impressive talk on "Trees."

While the students were forced to go to classes, I. R. S. took the houseparty guests for a ride through the city, returning in time for lunch.

The May Day Festival was the outstanding event of the day. Large crowds of people watched the event from the hill on the lower campus. Even though the weather was not the most favorable for a May Day, there was no rain, and the scene was beautiful. To the accompaniment of an orchestra the May court walked down the path and took their places on the steps leading to the throne. Dressed in lace of pastel shades and carrying dainty tulle parasols and wrist corsages, they well represented the beauty of Salem. The attendants were Grace Brown, Cokey Preston, Billy Philpot, Margaret Smith, Ruth McLeod, Virginia Bailey, Rachel Bray, Bet Miller, Nina Hoffman, and Bebe Hyde. Carrye Braxton was maid-of-honor. Last came Anna Preston, Queen of the May, who wore a white satin dress with a long train. When the maid of honor placed the crown of flowers on her head, she charmingly ruled over the court. With the May Court as a background the pageant was presented. It was a colonial play with George Washington as the hero and a dainty little girl as the heroine. The plot was interspersed with dances and drills in costume.

Following the festival, a picnic supper, which had to be carried from the campus to the dining hall, was

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Lecture On Psychology At This Week's Y. P. M.

Dr. Gordon Urges Students Not to Fear Examinations

This week Dr. Faith Gordon, psychiatrist for Salem College, spent several days here conducting group lectures and discussions, personal conferences, and a talk to the student body. Because her several visits each year are helpful and fill a real need in the college, she is always welcome.

Anticipating examination time, which is not far away, she chose for the subject of her Y. P. M. talk the psychology of fear. In an interesting manner and with the clearness with which she is capable of presenting a subject with many scientific terms, she told how fears begin, the effects of fear, and how to get rid of it. She spoke of anxiety, which has many women until they are unbearably irritable—worrying about shiny noses, wondering if they turned out the lights, and perplexing their minds with a dozen useless anxieties. These worries, which are merely habits, can make one very unhappy and should be overcome. The situation fears are harder to overcome, because their causes are more difficult to trace. Among them are the fears of talking in public, of writing, of driving a car, or swimming.

"Why do you have these fears?" she asked, and analyzed the causes in an understandable way. They may be the concrete substitution for some primitive fears, desires to fulfill a natural instinct. They may

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