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McNeely Elected President Student Government



MARY WORTHY SPENCE ELECTED PRESIDENT OF I. R. S.

On Friday, March the eleventh, Mary Worthy Spence, of Carthage, was elected president of next year's I. R. S. Council. She will succeed Frances Cole, of Charlotte, in May.

The president-elect has been on the Salemite Staff since she has been at Salem. This year she is secretary and treasurer of the I. R. S. Council, chief marshal, and a member of the Athletic Council.

LOUIS UNTERMAYER TO VISIT SALEM

Will Read To College Gathering

Mr. Louis Untermeyer and his wife will be guests of the college on Sunday, March 20. At 2:30 Sunday afternoon he will read from his poetry to an informal gathering of students and faculty in the Assembly Room on the first floor of the library.

Mr. Untermeyer is famous for his poetry, his parodies, his translations and his critical prose. In each of these fields he has written widely. His book "Selected Poems and Parodies," contains many of his poems which first became famous in other volumes. He has also written poetry for children, "The Singing World," "The Donkey of God," and "Rainbow in the Sky."

His ability as a translator is exhibited in "Heinrich Heine, Paradox and Poet," "The Poems." This has a sister volume which is "Heinrich Heine," (Continued on Page Five)

BACH CANTATA TO BE GIVEN

As part of the observance of Lent, the Home Moravian Church Choir under the direction of Mr. Clifford Bair, will present the cantata, "Ah, How Fleeting," by Bach, on Sunday, March 20, at 5 o'clock. Guest soloists will include Miss Harriette Taylor and Mr. Brooks Bynum, and soloists from the personnel of the choir are Mrs. Philip Butner, Miss Rosalind Duncan, Miss Ann Nisbet and Mr. Kenneth Bryant. Miss Anna Withers will preside at the organ.

This particular cantata was not written especially for the Lenten season but has been found very appropriate. In addition to the cantata Miss Withers will play some newly-discovered and appropriate organ pieces, and the congregation will sing some characteristic Lenten Chorales.

STUDENT COUNCIL AND I. R. S. TO ENTERTAIN

Academy Seniors To Be Honor Guests

Saturday night, March 19, the Student Government and I. R. S. Councils of Salem College will entertain the Salem Academy seniors and College week-end guests at a formal dinner and dance.

The dinner will be held in the College dining room at 6:15 o'clock, the dance in the recreation room of the Louisa Wilson Bitting Building at 8:30 o'clock.

Each Academy senior and week-end guests will have as her hostess a member of the Student Government council and I. R. S. council. Between the dinner and the dance the guests and their hostesses will be served coffee in the Louisa Wilson Bitting Building.

PIERRETTES TO GIVE PLAYS

To Enter Winston-Salem Play Contest

The Pierrette Players, Salem's group of upper-classmen dramatics, will soon come forward again with two interesting plays. On March 28 the Winston-Salem Play Contest opens for this season, and the Pierrettes will enter with "Will o' the Wisp," an enchanting play on the serious side, by Doris Halman. Other groups who will give our girls competition are Winston's Little Theatre, the Academy Dramatic Club, our Freshmen's Dramatic Club, Winston's Y. W. C. A., and several public (Continued on Page Six)



ANNETTE McNEELY ELECTED PRESIDENT OF STUDENT BODY

In a campus-wide election held Friday, March the fourth, Annette McNeely, of Mooresville, was chosen president of the Student Self-Government Association for 1938-39. She will be installed in May, succeeding Dorothy Hutaff, of Fayetteville.

Annette has always taken an active part in campus affairs. During her first year she was treasurer of the Freshman Dramatic Club. When she was a sophomore, she was a member of the May Day committee, the Y. W. C. A. Cabinet, and the Sights and Insights staff. That same year she was taken into the Order of the Scorpions. This year, as president of the junior class, she has met with the president's forum, the Student Council, and the I. R. S. Council. Even though she is just a junior she has served this year as a senior advisor. She is also a member of the French and the Mathematics Clubs.

Annette is one of the few Salem students whose names and biographies will appear in the "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges."

DR. JAMES GILLETTE DELIGHTS SALEM STUDENTS

Interesting Musical Program Given Friday

A delightful program, complimentary to a lady who is always doing nice things for Salem, was presented by Dr. James Robert Gillette and his chamber orchestra for Salem students and faculty Friday, March 11 at 1:30 P. M., in Louisa Bitting Building. The ten members of the orchestra, representing outstanding music schools throughout the country, are all artists in their particular fields.

Dr. Gillette directed from the console of the Hammond organ and achieved an exquisite blending of color and perfect ensemble work. Outstanding among the numbers was the violin Andante from "Symphonie Espagnole" (Lalo) rendered by Miss Lorraine Martineau with deep feeling and beautiful effects. Other selection were the Mozart Overture in B Flat, Mozart's Flute Concerto in D Major, a gigue, a waltz, and Dr. Gillette's arrangement of Dvorak's "Songs My Mother Taught Me." Thus, Salem students had a rare musical treat.

STUDENTS HEARD IN MUSIC HOUR

On Thursday, March 17 at 4 o'clock in Memorial Hall students in the School of Music presented an excellent and interesting program:

- "Sundown" Hopekirk
Catherine Walker
 - "Take Me of Thee" Bach
Harriette Taylor
 - "Intermezzo in A Major" Brahms
Frank Campbell
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MAUD BATTLE ELECTED PRESIDENT OF Y. W. C. A.

Maud Battle, of Rocky Mount, was elected president of the Y. W. C. A. on Tuesday, March the fifteenth. She will succeed Sarah Stevens, of Fayetteville, at a special installation service in April.

The president-elect has been a prominent member of the "Y." Cabinet for the past two and a half years. Last year she served as treasurer.

Aside from her "Y." work, Maud has been active in the Mathematics, History, and Psychology Clubs. She is the feature editor of the Salemite this year and secretary of the Student Self-Government Association. She is also a member of the Order of the Scorpions.

MR. BAIR LECTURES IN RALEIGH

Speaks At the State Music Teachers Convention

Mr. Clifford Bair gave an illustrated lecture for the vocal group of the state music teachers' convention held in Raleigh, Friday, March 18.

His discussion considered the technique of interpretation that will achieve a definite projection of the expression elements contained in the composition which will occasion a definite response from the hearers true to the composer's intention and as the interpreter or interpreting group feels them.

There are three phases in the study of a vocal composition: first, the inducement phase, the background of the number; second, the embodiment phase, a study of the form of those expression elements that emerge from the background; and third, the projection of that form which includes both visual and oral mediums. The oral mediums include consonant sounds which Mr. Bair defined as unrealized tone and vowel sounds which are the free expressed tone fundamentals. The object is to project the various word phrases with a definite and appropriate tone color.

A practical application of vowel sounds and modification to development of a technique for choral symphonic work was demonstrated in the rendition of "Adoremus te," "In These Delightful Pleasant Groves," and "Subsidence," by a selected group from the Choral Ensemble.

CLASS PRESIDENTS ELECTED



EVELYN McCARTY
President Senior Class



AGNES LEE CARMICHAEL
President Junior Class



MADLINE HAYES
President Sophomore Class

Officers For 1938-39 Chosen Last Week

Last week Evelyn McCarty, Agnes Lee Carmichael, and Madeline Hayes were elected as presidents of the the classes of '39, '40, and '41 respectively. All three girls are outstanding not only in their class but in the student body as a whole. They will take over their offices in April.

Evelyn McCarty, whose home town is Fort Pierce, Florida, is one of our most outstanding athletes. She is a

member of the Monogram Club and a varsity hockey, and basketball player. Last year she won second place in the horse show and has served on the Athletic Council this year as swimming manager. Her other interests are Home Economics, which is her major; the Pierrettes; Sights and Insights, of which she is this year associate editor; and the Salemite, for which she writes as a member of the feature staff.

Agnes Lee Carmichael of Bennettsville, South Carolina, is majoring in

Home Economics and science. Last year she was a member of the freshmen dramatic and the Home Economics Clubs. This year she has joined the Psychology Club and has done outstanding work as sophomore cheer leader.

Madeline Hayes of Winston-Salem graduated from Reynold's High last year where she was a member of the Honor Society and president of Les Coquettes. This year she has been on the feature staff of the Salemite and is a member of the Freshman Dramatic Club.