

The sophomores are groaning
Over their test.
All they want now
Is a good long rest!

The Salemite

The parents have come
And gone away.
They won't be back
Till next Parents' Day.

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New Plan Is Carried Out By Educational Department

The education department under Dr. Elizabeth Welch is carrying out an experimental plan this year for teacher training on the elementary level. The new program, covering one semester, was planned by Dr. Welch and Dr. Ralph Brimley, Superintendent of the Forsyth County Schools.

The new educational system was devised to give beginning elementary teachers experience in observing, evaluating, and participating in actual classroom work in the county schools. Thus far all observations have been held in City View School. All of the elementary students observe together in the first two grades to learn the teaching of the basic skills such as reading, handwriting, spelling, language, arithmetic, social studies, science, art and music. After receiving a proper foundation, the students divide and observe in any of the grades from one to seven.

New Stee Gee Officers Will Be Installed

The installation of the campus organizations' new officers will take place April 3 in assembly.

Margaret Thomas, out-going Student Government president will review the activities of the past year and install Marion Lewis, the new in-coming president. Marion, after accepting the duties as president, will install the officers of the other campus organizations.

The purpose of installing new officers before the official school year ends is to familiarize them with their new duties.

Those to be installed at this time are:

- Marion Lewis student government president
- Jane Smith on-campus vice-president
- Florence Spaugh off-campus vice-president
- Jean Calhoun secretary
- Anna Katherine Dobson treasurer
- Senior president Faye Lee
- Junior president Eleanor Fry
- Sophomore president Bobbie Kuss
- I. R. S. Elsie Macon
- Sights and Insights Jean Davenport
- Salemite Eleanor McGregor
- Chief Marshal LuLong Ogburn
- Y. W. C. A. Marilyn Summey
- A. A. Emma Sue Larkins
- Pierrettes Faye Deaton
- May Day Jo Bell

Seniors Given Annual Dinner

The annual senior dinner was held Wednesday, March 26 at 6 p.m. in the club dining room. The hosts were Dr. and Mrs. Dale Gramley, and the guests included the seniors, Miss Ivy Hixson, Mrs. Amy Heidbreder and Mrs. Nell Starr, the senior class advisor.

During the meal, Dr. Gramley called on different girls to make impromptu speeches, for which he chose the subjects. Each senior received a Salem bracelet as a favor.

After dinner, the guests were invited to the Gramley's home where games were played and other impromptu amusements were provided by the seniors.

Lu Long, Monie Will Attend And Reign At Azalea Festival

Salem College will send two representatives to the Azalea Festival which will be held in Wilmington, N. C. March 28 and 29. Monie Rowland, Salem's May Queen, and Lu Long Ogburn, Miss North Carolina, will be members of the queen's court.

The Azalea Festival is held every Spring and the tourists come to admire the colorful plants in the height of their season. The program will include a parade, two dances, parties and luncheons.

Monie and Lu Long will spend Thursday night in Smithfield with

the Ogburns. On Friday they will be guests of the Sprunts, owners of the Orton plantation, at a barbecue luncheon. That night Tony Pastor and orchestra will play for the teen-age dance.

The parade will begin at 11:30 Saturday morning. Monie and Lu Long will appear together on the queen's float. The coronation ball will be Saturday night at the Lumina Hotel at Wrightsville Beach.

Lu Long's escort for the weekend will be Tommy Medlin and Monie's will be Bob Stockton.

Aiding School Work
Aiding in the county school work are Miss Kathleen Emerson and Miss Mildred Pate, Supervisors of Elementary Education in the county schools; Mr. Arthur Steere, Assistant Superintendent of the county schools; Mr. Ben Smith, Art Consultant for the county schools; Mrs. Elsie Cline, first grade teacher at Mineral Springs and Mrs. Ellis, of Sedge Garden School.

Others Aid In Work
The elementary student teachers, as a result of their observations, will compile a running account of their observations and thinking in the form of a diary. Also included in their work is extensive outside reading, planning a unit and teaching for one period during the last two weeks of the semester.

Besides spending two hours a week in the schools, the girls will spend one hour at Salem with Dr. Welch. Under her they will study testing and other evaluation, records, individual guidance, audio-visual education, professional ethics, the psychological factors involved in drill and assignments, utilizing county resources and integrating experiences for children.

Dr. Welch also stresses that the students be adequately able to handle oral work in the classroom. She and Miss Elizabeth Reigner are working jointly on this program at Salem.

Although the secondary education majors are unable to observe in the county schools, an arrangement has been made for their individual work. Their program includes dealing with the problems of reading, criteria for satisfactory oral work, interesting students in their work, directing students, making assignments, classroom management, use of audio-visual aids, art of asking good questions, evaluation and unit building.

Salem College To Be Host At Play Festival

In connection with the Carolina Dramatic Association Salem College is sponsoring a Drama Festival on Friday, April 4. About five drama festivals of this type are presented in North Carolina each year, but Salem College is sponsoring the first one ever to be held in this region. These festivals are preparatory for those who wish to carry a play to Chapel Hill later in the spring and are primarily for high schools.

The plays to be presented here are "Down in the Valley," Reynolds High School; "That Awful Letter," Reed High School, Lexington, N. C.; "Sanctuary," Old Town High School, Old Town, N. C.; "Bastien and Bastienne," the Youth Opera Group of Winston-Salem; "Finders Keepers," "Two Crooks and a Lady," and "Highness," Greensboro High School and the third act of "Ghosts," the Winston-Salem Teachers College. "Down in the Valley," a musical, was the theme of last year's May Day at Salem.

The purpose of this festival is to give the surrounding people a chance to discuss informally their ideas and problems concerning the theater, to watch others and learn from them, and to get outside constructive criticism. While the event will be educational for them, it will be entertaining to the Salem audience. The whole idea of the CDA is to encourage an interest in dramatic art in Carolina schools and communities and promote the production of plays.

The festival is divided into three sessions: one play Friday morning, four plays that afternoon, and four in the evening. The morning session is admission free; the other sessions are 25 cents apiece, or 35 cents for the whole. There will be one critic judge from the University of North Carolina, as yet unannounced, and awards will be given following the final production Friday evening. Salem College is invited to attend any or all performances and support the surrounding schools.

NewsBriefs

The rising senior class elected its officers for next year at a meeting this week. Those elected were: president, Faye Lee; vice-president, Drane Vaughn; secretary, Peggy Chears and treasurer, Norma Williams.

The Vesper program Sunday will be an Easter drama presented by the Home Church Drama Club at 7:30 in Fellowship Hall. This is the Drama Club's major production of the year.

The drama is arranged and directed by Mrs. Stella Price Perry, who used to be an instructor of Bible at the academy and college.

Students and parents who plan to come to Winston-Salem for the Easter Sunrise Service are invited to breakfast Easter morning in the Corrin refectory. Tickets may be purchased from Mrs. Tesch, the president's secretary, no later than Tuesday, April 8.

Dr. Elizabeth Welch attended the Southeastern Theater Conference in Augusta, Georgia, March 14 and 15. Her topic was "The High School Theater and its Educational Values."

The Salem Y. W. C. A. elected its new officers for the coming year last Monday night. They are Loma Faye Culbertson, vice-president; Alice McNeely, secretary and Sue Jones, treasurer. These girls will go into office within several weeks.

Cashmore Speaks Here For International Day

"Above all nations is humanity." Mr. Dick Cashmore, Rotary Fellowship student at U. N. C., used this quotation from a plaque at Cornell University as the theme of his International Day talk in chapel yesterday. His topic was "International Understanding."

Mr. Cashmore pointed out that the first step in international understanding is acquiring facts about other countries—facts concerning physical environment, traditions and the human being.

This last fact is the most important, he stated. "You understand someone because you understand him as an individual—Without the individual there is nothing valuable left."

But even more essential than the facts, the speaker explained, is the attitude that one takes toward the facts. The right attitude of mind toward individuals of other countries involves charity for these people, "because they may be wrong," and humility, "because you may be wrong."

As the main problem in achieving understanding among nations, Mr. Cashmore cited the fact that we "are trying to get understanding, and we don't understand each other."

"We're living in a mighty small world," he said. "You can either try to understand people, or you can create friction."

Mr. Cashmore was born in Calcutta, India. His home now is Wakefield, Yorkshire, England.

He was one of 90 outstanding students from 33 countries who were chosen for fellowships to study in foreign countries. At Chapel Hill he is preparing to do administrative and social work in Africa.

He served as a Second Lieutenant in the British Royal Engineers from 1946-48. He received his B. A. at Jesus College, Cambridge University in June 1950.

Mr. Cashmore also took part in a panel discussion which was held at Salem yesterday afternoon to observe International Day. Davidson, Catawba and Salem were also represented on the panel by foreign students from their schools. The topic for the discussion was "Opinions of Foreign Countries on the Coming United States Presidential Election."

International Day was concluded with a coffee for visitors, faculty and Salem students in the Friendship Rooms of Strong.

Students Give Music Program

College students presented the weekly Music Hour yesterday. The program was as follows:

- Les Cloches Le Begue
- Neil Philips
- Lungi dal caro bene Sarti
- Ernestine Kapp
- Intermezzo Op. 76, No. 4 Brahms
- Irma Gatewood
- Un Bel Di (From Madame Butterfly) Puccini
- Jean Patton
- Sonata in F major Mozart
- Allegro
- Jane Little
- Waltz in E flat major Chopin
- Nancy Florence
- Carnaval Fourdrain
- Peggyan Alderman
- Deck Thyself My Soul With Gladness Karg-Elert
- Phoebe Barnhardt
- Let All My Libe Be Music
- Spross
- Marian Lewis
- Waltz in B minor Chopin
- Loma Faye Culbertson
- Depuis le jour (From Louise) Charentier
- Kitty Faucette
- Etude in D flat major (un Sospiro) Liszt
- Julia Moore
- La Cathedrale englooutie Debussy
- Jardins sous la pluie Debussy
- Florence Cole

Students and faculty are invited to attend these programs on Thursdays at 5:00 p.m. in Memorial Hall.

Alumnae Have Workshop Day

The Alumnae Workshop met March 22, with 20 alumnae present, for dinner in Corrin Refectory and an after dinner coffee at the President's home. The workshop session was held in the Friendship Rooms of Strong for discussion on purposes and organizations of alumnae clubs. Thirteen clubs were represented: Concord, Durham, Charlotte, High Point, Leaksville, Salisbury, Wilson, Raleigh, Winston-Salem, Gastonia, Greensboro, Danville, Va. and Boston, Mass.

A A Elects Officers

The Athletic Council elected its officers and council members for next year last Wednesday night. Emma Sue Larkins, new president, conducted the election.

The new vice-president is Jean Harrison; secretary, Allison Long; treasurer, Ann Merritt.

Other council members are basketball manager, Ruthie Derrick; hockey manager, Sally Ann Knight; softball manager, Lucy Harris; swimming manager, Bobbie Kuss; golf manager, Jane Fearing; tennis manager, Emily Gunn; archery and ping pong manager, Betty McLaughon; badminton, Joan Shope and assistant hockey manager, Marlene Hedrick.