

Scholarships Offered For Oslo, Norway

Two all-expense scholarships for summer school study at the University of Oslo, Norway, are being made available to Salem College students by the Honorable L. Corrin Strong, Salem trustee and U. S. Ambassador to Norway, it was announced Thursday by President Dale H. Gramley.

On a competitive basis, the scholarships, worth \$800 each, will go to one junior and one sophomore, Dr. Gramley said. Application blanks were made available to students following chapel.

Announcement of the scholarship winners is expected to be made when Salem observes International Day on March 18.

Under the terms of the scholarships being offered by Ambassador Strong, the students will sail for Norway on June 23 for six weeks' summer session, July 3 to August 14. They would return on the same boat, the SS Stavangerfjord, on either August 21 or September 3.

The students would take six hours of credit study. All course work will be given in English. Field trips and week-end excursions are planned.

The two Salem students would join a group of approximately 200 American and Canadian student who are expected to enroll for the summer session at the University of Oslo.

Ambassador Strong is the son of the late Mrs. Hattie M. Strong, who gave two buildings to Salem and for whom Salem's foreign student scholarship program is named. Under this program, inaugurated in 1950, three foreign students study at Salem each year. The endowment for these Hattie M. Strong Scholarships now totals \$65,000.

Ambassador Strong, who became a trustee of Salem Academy and College in 1952, undertook his post as Ambassador to Norway last August. Following his mother's death, he established the Friendship Rooms in Strong dormitory at college and placed chandeliers in Corrin Refectory.

Grimsley Talks On Personality

Mrs. Corinne Grimsley of the North Carolina State College Extension Service spoke in assembly Thursday on "Looking at Yourself".

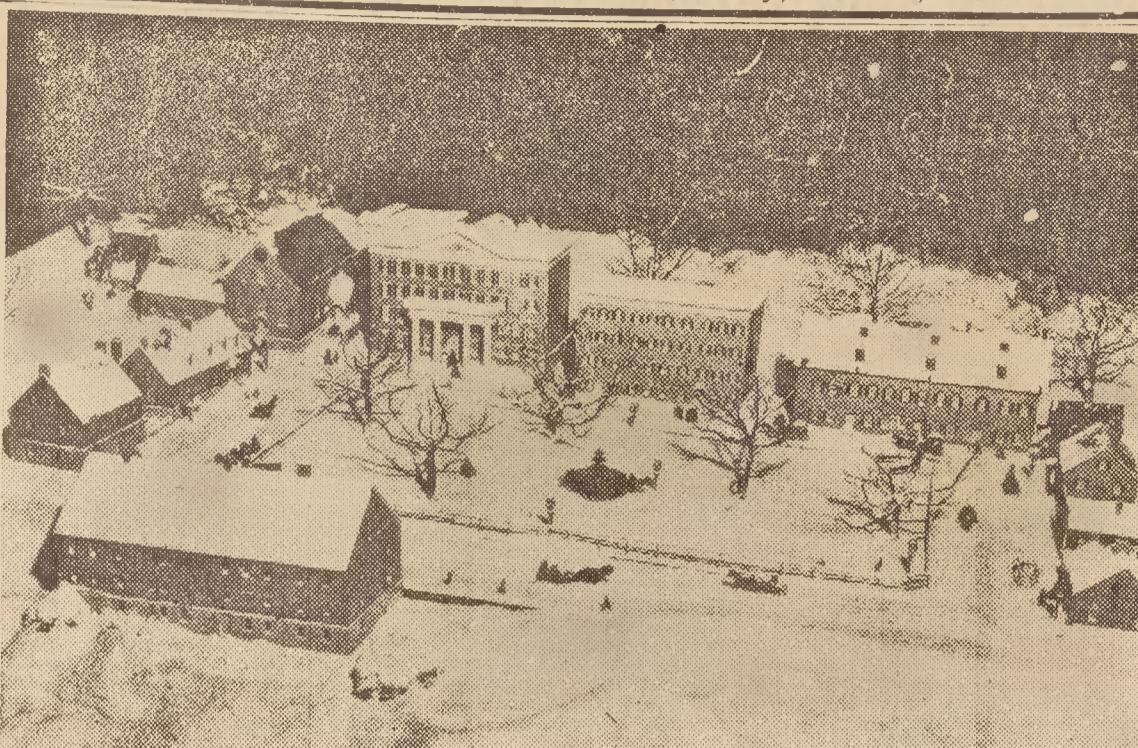
Mrs. Grimsley was introduced by Mrs. Elizabeth Tuttle, home demonstration agent for Forsyth County. Mrs. Tuttle said that the speaker works with home demonstration agents all over North Carolina and has served as vocational guidance counsellor for the women students at Duke University. Mrs. Grimsley now holds the position of Family Relation Specialist of the N. C. State Extension Service.

In her talk Mrs. Grimsley asked her audience to look at themselves because "the kind of person you are is more important than what you do or say".

She then discussed various ways of solving problems: the direct and the indirect methods. Sometimes we can solve our problems as such; sometimes we must take a detour around them for solution.

In the latter method, Mrs. Grimsley listed such possibilities as rationalization, identification, and day-dreaming, some of which can be bad methods of problem solution.

She concluded her talk with a discussion of "what is love" saying that love is a growing thing beginning with self-love in the baby and ending with the mature sacrificing and giving love of the adult.



The aerial view of Old Salem shown above, depicts Salem Square in winter as it was in the 19th century. Under the present plans, Salem Square will be restored with the same type of fence, a firehouse, and a sun-dial.

Daughter Of R. J. Reynolds Donates \$25,000 To Old Salem For Reconstruction Of The Square

A gift of \$25,000 for the restoration of Salem Square has been given to Old Salem, Inc., by Mrs. Nancy Reynolds Bagley, of Quarry Farms, Greenwich, Conn.

In making the donation to Old Salem, Mrs. Bagley stated in her letter enclosed with her check: "I am enclosing my check for \$25,000 to Old Salem, Inc. and would like for it to go to the Main Square to reconstruct the Market-Fire House, the fence, relay the sidewalks in brick and for any new lighting that would be required. I realize the amount of this check is more than is needed for this specific project, but the balance can go into the general fund."

According to announcement made by R. Arthur Spaugh, Jr., President of Old Salem, Inc., the Square will be returned as nearly as is practical to its appearance of the period of 1820 to 1830.

Mrs. Bagley is the daughter of the late R. J. Reynolds, founder of

the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company.

In restoring the Square, plans call for it to be enclosed with a fence similar to one described in Moravian records between the 1820 and 1830 period. The fence will be of clapboard and will be painted white. Construction will follow the details as described in the records of the Aufseher Collegium (town governing body) which read as follows:

"Concerning the Square fence, the Collegium advises to take good timber from white oaks for the posts and three boards of the same timber shall be nailed across each other at suitable intervals. Over the whole, a top piece is to be nailed to a narrow board. The height of the fence is to be about 4 feet. The length of the boards is to amount to 16 feet and 3 posts shall be set up within the space of 16 feet".

It was pointed out by restoration authorities that in replacing the fence, sufficient openings would be provided in the way of gates and removable panels to take care of pedestrians using the Square, and for the assembling of large crowds. The panels, authorities went on to say, have been planned at strategic places with suitable space openings

Parents' Day Will Be Held

Parent's Week-End, March 20, will have as its theme, "Orientation Day for Parents".

This will include registration, chapel, visits with the faculty, open houses in the various dormitories, and dinner in the refectory, concluding with student entertainment in Old Chapel that evening.

All parents are urged by the committee to stay over until Sunday to attend church with their daughters and for the dedication of the Little Chapel at 2:00 o'clock that afternoon.

The committee planning that week-end is composed of: freshmen, Nancy Cockfield, Judy Graham, Joan Reich; sophomores, Mary McNeely Rogers, Eleanor Walton, Eleanor Smith; juniors, Bonnie Jane Hall, Barbara White, Jean Currin; seniors, Sue Harrison, Alison Britt, Boots Hudson.

The week-end is planned by the students especially to acquaint the parents with all aspects of life at Salem.

to accommodate especially the large crowds which gather to attend the early Moravian Easter Service at Home Moravian Church.

The Firehouse and Market to be reconstructed will be a one-story structure of brick with a simulated wood shingle roof and will measure approximately 20x30 feet. It will be placed on the west side of the Square facing Main Street in about the middle of the block.

Two walks will be placed. They will be made of brick, laid in an early pattern and will cross in the center. The walk from the Southwest corner to the Northeast corner toward the Home Church will be restored to its original off-center position. Officials state that in the Square have been traced to a number of the trees now standing their date of planting of 1810, and today one can see an outline of the original walk by an alley of trees.

The sun-dial to be placed will duplicate the one built on the Square in 1772, which was still standing during the 1820-1830 period.

Proper lighting is being planned for the use of pedestrians and for special occasions, such as summer band concerts. The lights will be hidden.

Salem Square has been the center of activity in the life of the Moravians ever since the quaint little village was established in 1766. With the growth of the Moravian congregation and visitors attending the early Easter Service, the Square has become the gathering place of a multitude of worshippers.

News Briefs

Dr. Dale Gramley conducted Junior Town Meeting of the Air Thursday night on WAIR. The topic for discussion was "Should the Voting Age be Lowered?" Six high school students from the county composed the panel.

Thirty Moravian ministers from Minnesota, Wisconsin, Pennsylvania and New York who were speaking in Moravian Churches in the Winston-Salem area visited the campus Monday afternoon. Dr. Dale Gramley and the Rev. Edwin Sawyer led the group on a tour of Salem.

Mrs. Margaret Merriman and Mrs. Bowen both resumed their teaching duties March 1.

Mr. William L. Polk will give a talk on his recent book *Southern Accent* at 4:00 o'clock at the Arts Center on March 7. Mr. Polk is assistant editor of the *Greensboro Daily News*. Refreshments will be served after the lecture.

Faculty Play To Be Given 8:00 Tonight

Tonight is the world premiere of "The Investigation of Salem," a musical comedy written and directed by the faculty. It stars the faculty, featuring such actresses as Jess Byrd in the part of "Earth" Byrd and Evabelle Covington as "Little Eva." It was costumed by the faculty. The choreography and set were done by the faculty. Lighting and music were done by the faculty. In fact, this is the Faculty Play for 1954.

The play is divided into two acts, depicting Salem at work and Salem at play. Act I takes place in 1772 or 1791 and features campus activities set in classrooms, professor's offices, smokehouses and the gymnasium. Act II is set at a Gingham Tavern dance, and is representative of the present time.

Dr. Elizabeth Welch, as the narrator, is "Miss Student Teacher of 1926." The chorus is composed of "Antigone" Horne, "Pantigone" Reigner and "Edwin" Shewmake. Miss Elizabeth Colette fills the part of "Passim."

The play includes a number of original songs sung by such vocalists as George Washington Sawyer and Student Catherine Nicholson. One of the outstanding dances of the musical extravaganza is an apache number featuring Frances Horne and Charles Medlin.

Plans for the production, a project undertaken by the faculty once every four years, were made by a committee headed by Catherine Nicholson and composed of Miss Evabelle Covington, Margaret Barrier, Virginia Hodges, Elizabeth Reigner, Warren Spencer, Edwin Shewmake, Dr. Elizabeth Welch, Paul Peterson and Dr. William B. Todd.

Proceeds from the play will go to the World Student Service Fund.

Meeting Plans Are Scheduled

March

- 3—5:00 p.m. (Wednesday)
- 9—5:00 p.m. (Tuesday)
- 11—1:30 p.m. (Thursday) Nominations for Group I
- 15—9:30 p.m. (Monday) In case of petition
- 16—Assembly (Tuesday) Election of Group I by student body (President and Secretary of Student Gov't)
- 16—5:00 p.m. (Tuesday) Nominations for Group II
- 17—9:30 p.m. (Wednesday) In case of petition
- 18—Assembly (Thursday) Election of Group II by student body (Vice-President and Treasurer of Student Gov't)
- 18—1:30 p.m. (Thursday) Nominations for Groups V and VI
- 19—1:30 p.m. (Friday) Nominations for Group III
- 19—9:30 p.m. (Friday) In case of petition
- 22—1:30 p.m. (Monday) Election of Group V by staff (Editor of Sights and Insights)
- 22—9:30 p.m. (Monday) In case of petition
- 23—Assembly (Tuesday) Election of Group VI by student body (Chairman of May Day; President of A. A.)
- 23—5:00 p.m. (Tuesday) Nominations for Group IV
- 23—9:30 p.m. (Tuesday) In case of petition
- 24—1:30 p.m. (Wednesday) Election of Group III by staff (Editor of Salemite)

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