

Bufords Have Yen For Oriental Designs

They're young faces to Salem's community, potential parents to some three hundred girls, and better known to most of us as Harry and Betsy Buford.

Actually they are old residents in Winston-Salem, having been here since 1951. Betsy was born here; Harry's from Washington, D. C.

Until last May, Harry was with Bennett-Lewallen Wholesalers, uptown, but after a siege of sickness he decided to change jobs. Quite by accident he learned that Tom was interested in selling out, and began to investigate.

He seemed to understand when I told him that it had been a little strange at first to call the familiar shop across the square "Harry's Hideaway". He didn't hesitate to confess that it had been a new experience for him at first, too, and that he had been frightened by it all.

Harry told me how he and Betsy met. She was visiting in Washington and he "knew some people she did". They were married in 1938.

Betsy works for Eastern Airlines—you've probably seen her in the lobby of the Hotel Robert E. Lee. It was an experience with one of her customers that led the Bufords to their interest in oriental design.

Betsy made all the arrangements, including interpreters, for a Chinese laundryman's wife to come from Hong Kong to the United States.

Since it was impossible to make final connections from Greensboro to Winston-Salem, Harry and Betsy

took the husband of the woman to the Greensboro-High Point Airport, at midnight, to meet her.

A day and a half later Betsy located the woman in California. She had gotten off the plane after becoming air sick, and was visiting relatives.

Some time later the man brought Harry and Betsy an oriental picture as a token of their appreciation—hand stitched on pure china silk. Around this, they have re-decorated their living and dining

rooms.

Harry's pastimes are many and varied, but music and reading (about the Civil War) rank top place.

Out of curiosity I asked what he liked best in the food line. He has an intense dislike for eating, and would prefer his proteins in capsules.

Harry told me about a suggestion box he'd left on the shelf in front by the register. What "we" want he wants. (I got my low calorie salads)—Just let him know!

—Mary Archer Blount

Author To Visit Campus

Davis Burke, N. C. author and newspaperman will be on campus tonight at 8:30 in the Reading Room of the Library to talk to the "Friends of the Library" and any interested Salem students. His topic will be: "Sidelights of a Historical Biographer".

Mr. Burke began his writing career, quite by accident, with the *Charlotte News* after being educated in the fields of botany, forestry, and advertising. His first recognized writing was an essay about snakes which took first prize in a N. C. Academy of Science essay contest.

Whisper My Name was the first novel by Davis Burke and since that was published he has written

other books including *The Ragged Ones* and *Yorktown*.

Now 44, Mr. Burke is feature writer for the *Greensboro Daily News*. He lives in a very historic house used by the British as headquarters and hospital after the battle at Guilford Courthouse.

Mrs. Burke is a reformed foreign correspondent, a tennis player and a mother to a son and daughter both of whose I. Q.'s are supposedly double their father's.

The sponsoring group, "Friends of Salem College Library" is an organization which provides a medium for bringing together all people interested in books and the development of book resources for Salem College and community.

Musicians Play Monday

The Collegium Musicum, the music of an unusual type will be heard. Included on the program will be "Choral Preludes for Organ with Trumpet" by Krebs, "Solo Cantata for Soprano, Violin, and Continuo" by Buxtehude, "Aria for Harp and Organ" by Grandjany, and "Three Organ Sonatas for Organ and String Orchestra" by Mozart.

John Mueller is directing the program and will be at the organ. Other instrumentalists will be trumpet, Harry Day and David Edwards; harp, Suzanne Delaney; violin, Eugene Jacobowsky, Suzanne Gordon, Patricia Hopkins, and Deanna Lewis; cello, Charles Medlin; bass, Ruby Woolf.

Lynne Hamrick, soprano, will also be featured on the program.

Next Monday, February 18, the Collegium Musicum and the Salem College School of Music will present a recital jointly in Memorial Hall at 8:30 p.m.

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News Briefs

The Winston-Salem branch of the Salem College Alumnae met in the Friendship Rooms of Strong on February 13.

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A committee from Davidson College was on campus Wednesday to inspect the college library.

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The Winston-Salem alumnae held a business meeting in Strong on February 13.

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Vespers will be held Sunday evening at 6:30 in the Little Chapel.

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Reminders from the Dean

1. If a student wishes to be reached when phone calls come or when unexpected guests arrive, her class schedule must show where she is during the day. Does yours?

Please see that your card in the Dean of Students' Office really indicates your whereabouts during class hours. Your dormitory sign-out sheet indicates your whereabouts at other times.

2. Any student having a guest (one who is not registered as a boarding student) is asked to give the name of her guest and time of arrival and departure in the Guest Book in the Dean of Students' Office. See page 41 of the Handbook for information concerning guests on campus.

Seminar Set

This year for the first time, students from colleges throughout the State will gather in Raleigh for a seminar sponsored by the American Friends Service Committee. Their purpose: first-hand observation of our state government, plus serious discussion of key issues before the legislature. They will analyze problems of political dynamics as related to education, welfare and other subjects.

The Raleigh seminar will begin on Thursday evening, February 28, and end Saturday noon, March 2.

The total cost, including room accommodations, will be \$15.00.

Students wishing to attend this seminar should contact Mr. Wendt or Mr. Africa for further information and application blanks.

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For reservations or further information contact

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cated problems.

The day after Hill House, a private elementary school serving the sons of British professional and business men, enrolled a certain new student it became the subject of discussion for every newspaper within the realm of the British Commonwealth. For the first time in the history of England, an heir apparent to the throne, His Royal Highness Prince Charles Philip Arthur George, Duke of Cornwall, Duke of Rothesay, Earl of Carrick, Baron of Renfrew, Lord of the Isles and Prince and Great Steward of Scotland has left the private tutorship of the Court and enrolled in a commoner's institution of learning. He is addressed as Prince Charles, but must obey all the rules, keep silent during the meal and clean his plate like every other boy in the school.

There is much disagreement as to whether this move has been in keeping with the Royal Tradition, but the Duke of Edinburgh has been quite firm in his stand that his son must "learn to mix with the other kids." This is evidence, cried the *Daily Mail*, of the "growing democratization (horrid, inescapable word) of the throne."

ENTERTAINMENT

Author Ernest Hemingway will be represented in two forthcoming movies emerging from Hollywood in the near future. Starring in *The Sun Also Rises* will be one of his favorite people, Ava Gardner, and portraying the ill-fated lovers of *A Farewell To Arms* will be Jennifer Jones and Rock Hudson.

According to the reviews, the Irish actor who has never faced an American audience before, but replaced Rex Harrison to play My Fair Lady's Henry Higgins has been judged as a success. Says the *New York Herald Tribune*, "Mr. Mulhare has proved himself capable of taking the baton from Mr. Harrison without fumbling."