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Imagine SALEM COLLEGE CHORAL ENSEMBLE in the center of the column and you'll see the cover of a new record album. On it will be the faces of Joan Brooks, Rosemary Laney, Gerrie McIlroy, Evelyn Vincent, and Meribeth Bunch.

Choral Ensemble Begins of a middle-aged actor trying to make a comeback. A young director trying to make a comeback. A young director trying to make a comeback. A young director trying to make a comeback. Season, Awaits Record

By Ann Cunningham

spite of publicity received by "nightly intruders", Salem College also has other various and sundry ways of obtaining publicity, this being through organizations such as the Choral Ensemble. For the benefit of new students, the Choral Ensemble is composed of many music students and other students who have an interest in singing and having a good time.

The Choral Ensemble will make its first major public appearance Nov. 22, at the Friedland Moravian Church. In December they plan to perform for Wake Forest College at lone of their chapel programs, and also for the Civitan Club.

Wednesday, Dec. 16, the Choral Ensemble will give its Christmas program in chapel. This year they will sing a variety of songs including everything from a Bach Cantata to a French Christmas Carol. The first is a Bach Oratorio, "Break Forth, O Beautous Heav'nly Light", and the second number a cantata by Bach, "For us a Child is Born". The French Christmas carol, "Noel Nouvelet," is arranged by E. Harold Geer and "A Joyous Christmas Song" is taken from the "Collection de Choeurs" by L. A. Gevaert. The Little Chapel sextet will also

Sign Out For Thanksgiving

Students can sign out for Thanksgiving holidays Monday and Tuesday during office hours. All sign outs should be completed by 4 o'clock Tuesday. If you plan to leave on Tuesday, sign out by Monday so that the dining room can know how many students to plan

Dorms will be open for returning students at noon on Sunday. The Student Center will be open for any students who return before that

The regular schedule of class times will be run Monday morning and there will be assembly.

All students are requested to close and lock the windows and turn off electric lights before leav-

each day late in signing out.

perform and there will be a Luebech cantata done as a duet.

The chorus made a recording last year of numerous songs to be put in a record album. This tape was such as a director sent to New York and everyone making up the cast. hopes that the albums will be ready before Christmas, so we can all purchase them for Christmas presents. They are extremely good and everybody is urged to hear

As you have seen, the Choral Ensemble will be pretty busy throughout the rest of the year.

Chamber Music Group Presents Deller Trio

The Wake Forest Chamber Music Society will present the Alfred Deller Trio in the Magnolia Room of Reynolds Hall at 8:30 on Decem-

Mr. Deller is one of two living counter tenors. The counter tenor choirs were all male, and the contralto part had to be sung by castrati until Mendelssohn began composing for the contralto voice. Re puted to be a true voice, but more probably a highly developed falsetto, the counter tenor is being revived for use in authentic recordings and performances of early music.

In 1949, Mr. Deller formed a group of singers and instrumentalists into the Deller Consort and began touring and recording that

For his United States tour, Mr. Deller has to cut the Consort to da gamba, and Robert Conant, harpsichordist.

His Wake Forest program is:

Lute Song Settings of Poems by John Donne Selections from "Musicks and maid" by Purcell

Sonata in C major for viol da gamba and harpsichord by

Cantata "Jubilate Domino" by Buxtehude

Songs by Purcell

Three Lute Solos by Dowland Season tickets for students at \$3.50 are still available from Dr. Byers and Mr. Sanders, or they One call-down will be given for may be bought at the door on acres of land and villages which December 2.

"Country Girl"

Winston-Salem's Little Theater will present the second play of their series, "The Country Girl," by Clifford Odets, beginning Nov. 24 and running five nights in succession, through Nov. 28.

Curtain time at the Little Theater on Coliseum Drive is 8:15 p.m.

Ed and Jackie Oenter, two participants in previous "Little Theater" productions, who have just returned from abroad, will be principal characters in the play. Charles Mark, executive secretary of The Arts Council, holds another major role.

"The Country Girl" is the story of a middle-aged actor trying to tor tries to give this "had-been" actor his second chance while the actor's wife hovers in the background with normal wifely anxie-

This play, being a production about the theater, has characters such as a director and producer

Little Theatre Civic Music Will Feature Will Produce Isaac Stern, Violinist

Isaac Stern, violinist, will be presented in Reynolds Auditorium on November 24th at 8:00 by the Civic Music Association.

His concert in Winston-Salem is one stop in his eighteenth tour. His program is:

Sonata in D major, opus 12, number 1-Beethoven

Concerto in E flat by Mozart Duo for Violin and Piano by

Fantasia in C by Shubert Voccalise, Opus 34 by Rachmaninoff

Song of Home by Smetana

Kichner

Mr. Stern is assisted at the piano by Alexander Zkain.

Mr. Stern was born in Russia.

The Stern family immigated to California when he was one year at six years, and became interested in the violin when he heard a neighbor scraping on one. He gave his first violin recital when he was

YWCA Receives "Thank-You" Letter From Marvin In Japan The YWCA with the cooperation The 1959 Typhoon season is over,

of the Salem students and faculty but the ravages of "the big one" collected 180 pounds of clothing and will long affect the economy of \$150. to send to Nagoya, Japan following a request from Salem alum- ties. an, Mrs. Oscar M. Marvin, Jr.

Reprinted herein are excerpts from a letter from Mr. Marvin, hospital administrator of the Yodogawa Christian Hospital, written to Salem through Miss Marsh, alumnae secretary.

In viewing reconstruction crews after the typhoon, Mr. Marvin continues to say:

"Speaking for Japanese Christians in general and the Yodogawa that of a contralto. Sixteenth, Christian Hospital in particular, seventeenth, and eighteenth century Jane and I certainly do want to express our deep gratitude to you faculty members for their generous by the editor-in-chief. contributions of warm clothing and money in support of the Christian relief services for the victims of Japan's most disastrous typhoon.

"Through your interest and similar kindness of many others, our Christian Medical Team began providing medical aid Oct. 6, 1959. Since then they have been able to expand their services to include the establishment of a milk station for three people, himself, Desmond hundreds of Japanese boys and Dupre who plays the lute and viol girls, the distribution of new shoes and warm undershirts to over 100 primary school children and the further distribution of a bountiful supply of relief clothing from contributions received from Japan as well as many other countries.

"One of the most enlightening comments came from the lips of a man of 60 who said, "Seeing all these youngsters working so hard and so willingly has certainly changed my impression about our younger generation, and they are the ones who are doing most of the work!" The work continues and will continue for months more to come for there are yet many still are filled with sterile sea water. Freshman Y.

Nagoya and neighboring communi-

ness to participate in the greatest by hand. Mr. Shewmake surmises opportunity for Christian service in that these are modern reproduc-

Oscar M. Marvin, Jr., Hosp. Administ.

Magazine Staff Conducts Poll

The literary magazine staff elected Nancy Jane Carroll editor-in-chief and Susan Hughes business manager at a meeting on Monday. and the Salem College students and All other staff members are selected

tionnaire was passed out to gauge student interest in having a literary magazine. Of the 196 students returning the questionnaire, only 3 were against the idea of having a magazine. There were 168 students who favored financing a literary magazine through the budget in the future as opposed to 12 who were against, with 5 students undecided on this question. Fifty-six students are interested in writing for a literary magazine.

Freshmen Will Present Dr. Depp

Dr. Mark Depp, who is the Minister of Centenary Methodist Church and the author of several books, will speak in Assembly on Nov. 23.

Dr. Depp's subject is entitled Thanksgiving." This will be the last Assembly program before the holidays and is sponsored by the

Girls who have Civic Music tickets and are not planning to use them, and girls who would like to go but do not have tickets, please see Nancy Jane Carroll.

Art Department Sells Japanese Woodcut Prints

The art department, under direction of department head, Edwin Shewmake, now has a collection of Japanese woodcut prints on exhibit in the north wing stairwell of Main Hall and on the third floof of Memorial Hall.

Any student or faculty member old. He began playing the piano interested in obtaining one of these low priced prints may sign a sheet provided on a clipboard in the window of Main Hall's north stairwell. In cases where someone has already signed up for a specific picture, duplicate copies can be ordered. Mr. Shewmake plans to place this second order just before Christmas vacation in order for the prints to arrive here the first week in Janu-

These Japanese woodcuts are reprints of 17th century cuts. The designs were cut into the wood, "Thanks again for your willing- printed on paper and then colored tions of the original blocks.

In the corners of the paintings are letters of the painter's signature and the red seal of the owner. Whistler took this form of signature and created the distinctive butterfly which can be seen on his painting in Main Hall.

Whistler and the French Impressionist school were highly influenced by these Japanese woodcuts. They studied with particular care the works of Hiroshige (1797-1858), In chapel on Wednesday a ques- some of which are hanging here. On the backs of the prints the painters' names appear, printed in English with their dates.

Japanese woodcuts "had as much as anything to do with the break in the Renaissance art tradition," Mr. Shewmake comments. "One reason for showing them is that the modern art movement is influenced so strongly by such prints."

Announcement

If a student is out of town and changes her residence from that indicated on the sign out card, she must notify the office of the Dean of Students.

If the residence is on the automatic approval list in the Dean's office, the student may leave her new address at the place of residence on her sign out card.

Students may not stay in a public place, such as a motel or hotel, without written permission from