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Dr. Austin Enjoys Tour Through Many Countries

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Summer, 1964, did not bring distant journeys for Salem Students only. Dr. Lucy Austin, professor of classical languages at Salem, took a ten weeks' tour around the world including Hawaii, Japan, Nationalist China, Hong Kong, Macao, Cambodia, Thailand, Singapore, Ceylon, India, Egypt, Jordan, Lebanon, Syria, Turkey, Greece, and Rome, Italy.

The group of eleven met in Los Angeles, California, and from there flew to Hawaii for a visit to Honolulu. A flight from Honolulu took the tour west to the beautiful and prosperous country of Japan and its capital, Tokyo. Tokyo reminds Dr. Austin of most large cities with its industry and modern buildings. In particular, she noted extreme preparations under way for the Olympics. Near Mount Fuji, the tour stayed in a lovely resort hotel. Temples and Japanese inns were seen. The last stop in Japan was Kyoto.

From Japan the tour continued to Formosa. Here Dr. Austin particularly noticed the poverty of Na-

tionalist China in comparison to the prosperity in Japan.

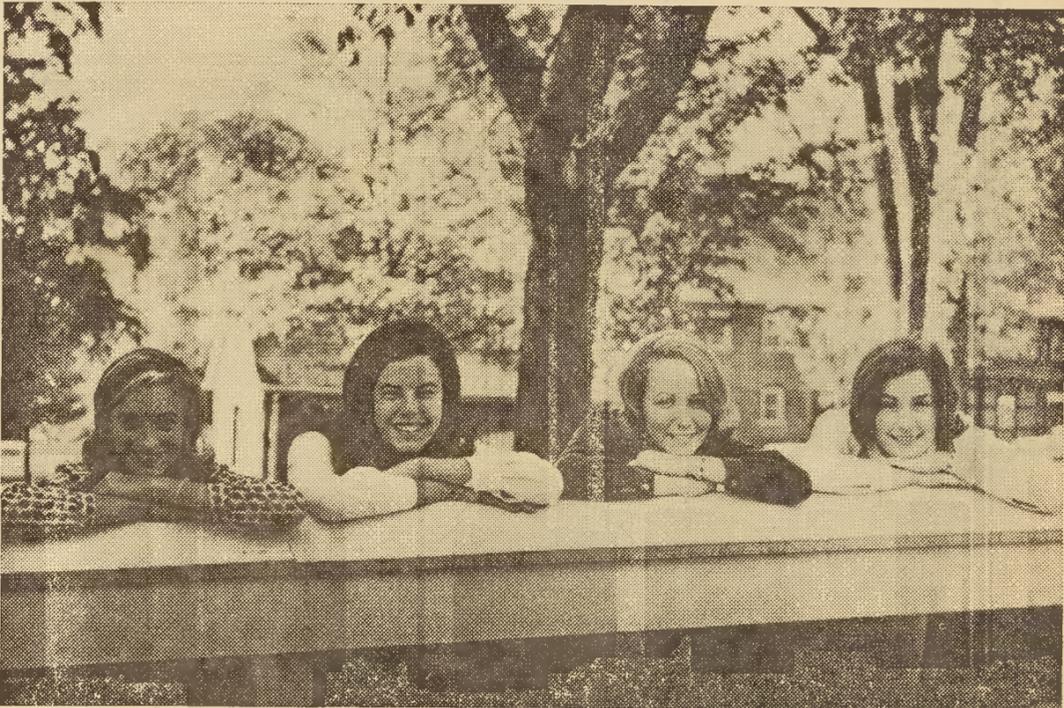
The group toured the Philippines and the capital, Manila, shortly after typhoon Winny had hit. From here they traveled north to Hong Kong — one of Dr. Austin's favorite places. The city is noticeably progressive. With the exception of parts where poverty-stricken refugees from Red China have immigrated, the city has one of the loveliest harbors in the world. Near Hong Kong they visited the Portuguese colony of Macao.

From Macao, the tour flew to Cambodia, where they visited Angkor Wat. Next they traveled west to Bangkok, Thailand, which has colorful temples and interesting klongs (canals of a major river). Life in this city is lived completely on water. Boats are even used for selling goods. Dr. Austin adds that this life is not depressing but quite new and exciting. Singapore, the southern-most point of the trip at the southern tip of Malaya, was visited next.

The tour flew west to the island of Ceylon and the two cities of Kandy and the capital, Colombo. Dr. Austin noted the lush vegetation in this area. The next few days were spent in India. Poverty was most prevalent here. In Calcutta she experienced her first (and she hopes last) monsoon, where waters were two and three feet deep at certain points. Along the Ganges River, where the water is considered holy, thousands of sick and afflicted Hindus swarm to Banaras to wash, with hopes that they may be healed. As a result, many die because of filth.

In contrast, she describes the beauty and majesty of the Taj Mahal at Agra and several other tombs equally as beautiful. The modern capital of New Delhi was visited. Dr. Austin's favorite spot

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Freshmen officers, Martha Eubanks, Peachy Byars, Marilyn Lowry, and Nancy Sale take a good look at Salem.

Freshmen Class Choose Officers Elect Martha Eubanks As President

October 15, the Class of 1968 held a meeting to elect their class officers for this school year. They chose as their president Martha Eubanks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Eubanks of Monroe. Martha attended Monroe High School where she was versatile in scholastic as well as athletic pursuits. She served as president of the Junior Civitan in Monroe as well as state secretary of that organization. She was vice-president of the French Club, a member of the Glee Club and annual staff, and captain of the basketball team. She was also an Honor Society member. This year at Salem, Martha is interested in tennis and other sports and in "people in general."

Peachy Byars was elected to fill the office of class vice-president. From Dunedin, Florida, Peachy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walton M. Byars, Jr., and an alumna of Stuart Hall in Staunton, Virginia. While there she was the corresponding secretary of the Cotillion Club, a member of the Dance Club and the Junior-Senior Council. Here at Salem, Peachy is interested in Pierrettes and Humanities.

Serving as secretary is Marilyn Lowry, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lowry of Charlotte. At East Mecklenburg High School, Marilyn was a member of the

Honor Society, the Beta Club, and the Student Council. Not only was she head cheerleader, but also Homecoming Queen in her senior year.

In control of the treasury is Nancy Sale. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sale, Nancy's home is in Waynesville where she graduated from Waynesville High School. The vice-president of her senior class, she was also the business manager of the annual, a member of the Student Council, and the Tally-Ho Club. For her leadership and citizenship, Nancy was selected as DAR Good Citizen.

Other officers of the Freshman class elected to Salem's organizations are as follows:

Legislative Board

Linda Moore
Beth Taylor

NSA

Helen Best

IRS

Mary Ellis
Brett Miller
Cheri Rose (Day-Student)
Holly Wooten

WRA

Nancy Harrington
Donna Van Dyke

Jacobowsky Gives Recital

Monday, October 26, at 8:30 p.m. Eugene Jacobowsky presented a violin recital. This was the opening recital of the 1964-65 Salem College of Music Faculty Series.

Mr. Jacobowsky played *Sonatina in A minor, Opus 137, No. 2* (Schubert), and *Sonatina in A major, Opus 109* and *Sonatina in G major, Opus 78* (Brahms).

Miss Nancy Wurtele accompanied Mr. Jacobowsky.

Mr. Jacobowsky is the head of the string department at Salem College, and he is concert master of the Winston-Salem Symphony Orchestra.

YWCA

Betsy Barnes
Chris Conner

WUS

Lynn Frazer

Class Advisor

Donald McLeod

Salemities Form Republican Club

The Young Republican Club at Salem College had its first meeting October 15 in Main Hall. Jim Bancroft, president of Wake Forest's Young Republican Club; John Patton, chairman of Young People for Goldwater; and Carlton Prickett, liaison, were there to introduce the students to the Young Republican Club and its goals.

Jim pointed out that the main objective now is to help get Goldwater elected. The ways in which the Salem girls could help are by putting stickers on cars and any other activities for which the county office needs them. John Patton told them about the rally that was to be held October 29 for Goldwater supporters. Many of the Republican students attended.

Temporary officers were elected. They were Marti Ross, chairman; Wendy McGlenn, vice-chairman; Beth Taylor, secretary; and Beverly Butler, treasurer.

The club plans to meet once a month. These meetings will be on Tuesday. The club intends to have speakers at these meetings. A speaker whom they hope to have soon is Ed Armfield of Winston-Salem. They also hope to have panel discussions, possibly between the Democrats and the Republicans. The club also plans to work with the Wake Forest YRC.

It is the hope of the Salem YRC to familiarize the students with what is going on in our government today and to instill in them an interest in the government and the Republican Party.

Sanford Meets With Democrats

The first meeting of Salem's chapter of the Young Democrats Club took place Thursday, October 15, in Main Hall. Approximately twenty-five girls were present at the meeting which was conducted by Carson McKnight, acting president of the chapter until officers are elected. Three prominent figures of the Democratic Party in this area explained the purpose and function of YDC groups. The speakers were Charles Winberry, president of the College Federation of Young Democrats; Larry James, head of the campaign headquarters in Winston-Salem; and John Gallagher, chairman of the Democratic Party of Forsyth County.

After discussion, the group decided to concentrate on campaign work until the November 3 election. Their activities range from helping at Democratic headquarters to distributing bumper stickers.

Thursday, November 29, Governor Terry Sanford will meet at 6 p.m. in the Day Student Center with any Democrat interested in attending the Winston-Salem rally that night; he then will accompany the girls to the meeting. Those who attend will eat dinner at the rally.

After the presidential election, Salem's chapter intends to have speakers at least once a month and hopes to combine its efforts with the Wake Forest YDC. On Tuesday, November 10, Joel Flashman, member of the Governor's executive committee, will comment on the outcome of the election — its results and its effect on the nation. Mrs. L. Richardson Preyer will speak later in the month on the woman's roll in politics.

Four state rallies take place every year in which Salem's YDC will be invited to participate. There the state YDC officers will be chosen and addresses will be made by outstanding speakers to give insight into state and national issues.

The purpose of the YDC is to help students understand functions and issues concerning our government, including party organization and leaders within the party. The topics to be considered will be those that directly concern state and national politics.

Anyone interested in joining Salem's YDC should contact Carson McKnight, 303 Strong.

Phi Alpha Theta Holds Induction

Phi Alpha Theta, the national honorary history society, will induct three new members tonight at 5:30 in Strong. The inductees are Jan Norman, a history and English major, Daphne DuKate, a biology major, and Miss Jane C. Bush.

This honorary society is organized to encourage and recognize achievement in history. The requirements are twelve hours of history, a B plus average in the history courses taken, and an overall B average in 2/3 of all other subjects.

The Salem chapter, Delta Lambda, is only a part of this nationally

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Salemities practice for the 1964 hockey season. Come to the first game Thursday at 4—Wake Forest vs. Salem.