

Repairs Improve Safety on Campus

Jim Jefferson, Salem's new superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, has supervised several improvements on campus during the summer. He has made obvious innovations in three dormitories; by installing hall carpet in Babcock, all new bathroom fixtures in Clewell, and complete rewiring in Bitting Dormitory.

According to Mr. Place, the Bitting wiring had become so faulty as to be a fire hazard. While rewiring, workers also installed lights in stairwells to increase the safety features of the dorm.

In addition to these changes, the college has spent over two thousand dollars on reupholstering worn furniture, and it has done extensive work on the underground heating system, in order to increase its efficiency at a lower cost.

Mr. Place has listed several other improvements:

- Closets are being installed in the newly-converted dormitory rooms in Gramley.

- The exterior woodwork of South and Gramley Dormitories, and of the President's office, has been repainted.

- The rooms of Babcock and Clewell Dormitories have been repainted.

- The exhibit area (that is the foyer) of the FAC has been repainted.

- The Strong Dormitory basement and recreation room has new flooring.

- The Language Laboratory has been moved to second floor of Main Hall, nearer to the foreign language department.

- A permanent counter has been installed in the Office of the Registrar.

Changes to be made within the next year or two include renovations in Sister's Dormitory (with as little change to original appearance as possible!); and the tearing down of the Mock House, to allow for the reconstruction of the original "Pleasure Grounds of Salem Female Academy."

Library Renovation Nears Completion

By Stewart Taylor

When Mr. Werner, Salem's new librarian, first came for his interview last year his impression was "Salem College needs me!" The present state of the library reflects a lot of work, though things are moving more slowly now. The major part of the construction is finished and in about two weeks the shelves will be erected. The electrical fixtures need to be installed; then the carpet can be laid. The final touches will be painting and adding the vinyl base around the wall. Most of the "dirty work" has been done; and by mid-October the library should be visibly completed.

New rooms have been added, old ones destroyed; therefore, some books are in entirely new areas. These shelving areas are also able to be used for study. In fact, even though there are no designated study rooms, as in the old building, there is actually more room to study. Scattered around the stacks are study cubi-



Stepping up to a new look in studying, as the library nears completion.

cles; and the third floor contains semi-lounge chairs to insure "comfort while learning." The typing room will have two places for typewriters, while the Browsing Room, Main Reading Room, and Periodical Reading Room will all be available for studying. In most of the rooms the decor remains old Moravian, although the Night Study Room will sport modern furniture. Herman Miller, the designer of the new interior, centers the color scheme around red, white, and green.

The 24-hour study period plan is in a nebulous stage at this time. Two technical reasons for no direct plans are 1) all the furniture for this room has not yet arrived and 2) no glass has arrived for the interior walls. Mr. Werner plans to meet with the SGA to work out details for the Night Study Room, one main concern being the security measures needed to make study all night possible there.

Students at Salem have a lot to be proud of in their new library. Everyone should use it and offer suggestions by speaking to Mr. Werner or Mrs. Taylor, or by using the suggestion box. If there are collections of books or types of books you would like to see — speak out!

To Impeach the President: Which Way Is the Right Way

By Vickie Moir

For over a hundred and eighty years the Constitution has designated the power to impeach the President to the Senate alone. While the current impeachment process has its positive points, a system by which a simple majority vote of the Senate requires the President to run against an opposing party candidate as in a scheduled election would be more workable.

The present system has its good points as previously conceded. The process provides for turnovers in the executive position without disruption or chaos. The proposed alternative could serve, however, as just as smooth a vehicle by which to institute a change in office.

The second and possibly the strongest argument for the status quo is that the complexity involved in impeaching a President gives authority and credibility to the office of the presidency in the eyes of the world. This factor, however, can be turned into one of the strongest arguments against the current process. An administration can take too much power and come to feel too independent of the American people. The proposed alternative makes the President more directly answerable to the American people. James Naughton's article in the *Winston Journal* on September 17, 1973 reported Senator Mondale's suggestion that a committee be formed to find ways to insure that the President is "open and accountable to the American people and the Con-

gress." The proposed process protects the presidency through a rather insularly impeachment process, but it protects the office to a more reasonable limit.

Under the status quo there are several inhibiting factors to reckon with when seeking an impeachment. One of these factors is that party loyalty could make a two-thirds majority difficult to get, even with sufficient grounds for impeachment. A second very inhibiting factor is that a President has never been impeached. There has been only one serious attempt at impeachment. These inhibiting factors contribute to the reasons for the Senate's failing to serve as a sufficient check on the powers of the presidency. Deciding to return the choice of who is to be President to the voters is, however, much less of a responsibility than deciding to impeach a President.

The proposed system is therefore more likely to be utilized if necessary. The revised method is also fair to the President, for he would have to be voted out two times instead of one to be removed from office.

After considering the two discussed methods of impeachment, the process under which a simple majority vote of the Senate returns the problem of choosing a President to the voters seems preferable to the present approach. Though the currently used method has several positive features, the proposed alternative has these features plus several others that make it a much more workable check on the presidency.

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Art Show at Davidson

A unique presentation, for one day only, of old master, modern master, and contemporary prints will take place, Wednesday, October 3, 1973 from 10-4 p.m. in The Cunningham Fine Arts Building of Davidson College.

The public is invited to view this fine collection of graphics from the Lakeside Studio of Lakeside, Michigan and to meet their director, Mr. John Wilson. All works displayed are available for purchase and range in price from \$10.00 to \$4,500.00.

The work to be exhibited here (valued at over \$100,000) contains prints by such artists as Durer, Callot, Rouault, Picasso, Baskin, Antreasian, Tobey, Peterdi, Hayter, and many others including Laura Grosch and Herb Jackson of North Carolina.

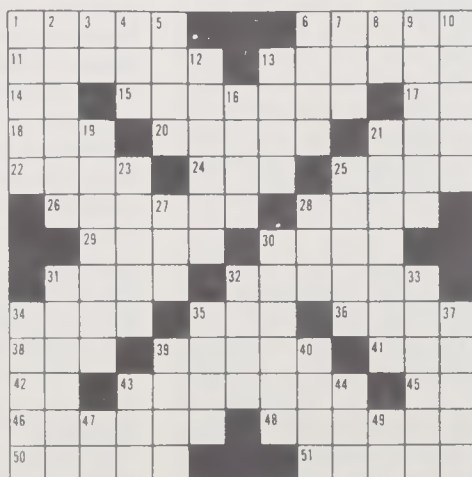
The Lakeside Studio, housed in a beautiful old rambling hotel with 600 feet of beach on Lake Michigan and surrounded by five acres of trees of many varieties, is becoming one of the centers for printmaking in the United States and was mentioned in an article about print workshops in this fall's issue of *Art In America*. The Lakeside Studio workshop received a grant from the National Endowment for the Arts this past year. Twenty-five major museums both in the United States and Europe receive special editions which are printed only for these collections.

The workshop staff consists of three master printers who print nearly fifty editions each year using their own facilities, those of Landfall Press in Chicago and Fox Graphics in Boston.

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| 1 Sign of the Zodiac | 1 Robust |
| 6 Icy coating | 2 Turkish inn |
| 11 Colors reddish-brown | 3 Pellet |
| 13 Treeless plain | 4 Research (ab.) |
| 14 Continent (ab.) | 5 Curves |
| 15 Sign of the Zodiac | 6 Jail (coll.) |
| 17 Bovine | 7 Sign of the Zodiac |
| 18 "La-la"'s companion | 8 Epistle (ab.) |
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| 21 Saratoga Springs | 10 Native of Houston |
| 22 Cheer | 12 God of sleep |
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| 25 Candid | 16 Old Portuguese coins |
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| 34 Helps | 30 High perched strongholds |
| 35 Contemptible person | 31 Deep black alloy |
| 36 Verne's Captain --- | 32 Outburst |
| 38 Befuddled (Scot.) | 33 Transfix |
| 39 Elementary | 34 Sign of the Zodiac |
| 41 Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (ab.) | 35 Examine carefully (coll.) |
| 42 Prefix: not | 37 Lubricator |
| 43 Rigorous | 39 A certain body |
| 45 Man's nickname | 40 Baby bed |
| 46 Pass | 43 Quick to learn |
| 48 Anemia of a certain cell | 44 Old French coin |
| 50 Pampered one | 47 Air Force (ab.) |
| 51 Purchaser | 49 State (ab.) |



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Mr. Young Improves Food

By Effie Little

Mr. Ted Young the head of our new food service is ready to do anything to make Salem girls happy. He is one of the three owners of the Epicure Management Service which is currently servicing seven schools.

Before coming to Salem, Mr. Young was setting up the food service for Epicure Management at Limestone College. He was with the Saga Food Service prior to becoming an owner of Epicure Management Service. While working with Saga, he hired management for the company, running food service units across the country. He travelled from Maine to Arizona, and so did his wife. They have lived in nine different places in their eight years of marriage. The Youngs have two children, Steven, age seven; and Scott, age twenty-one months.

Mr. Young feels Salem is a unique place — having both tradition and new freedoms. He has found a concerned student body, aware of rising food prices and the problem of wasted surplus food. Such student concern makes Mr. Young strive even harder. But with his fine staff and the invaluable aid of Mrs. Duncan, he feels he can do a good job. Most Salem students will vouch for the noticeable improvements in refectory food since the arrival of Mr. Young.



Eva Sereghy ready to help and willing to listen — our new assistant Dean.

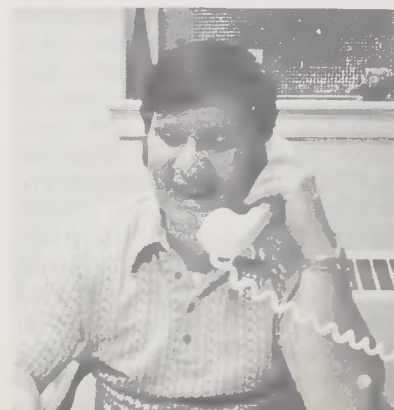
Dean's Assistant Likes Her Job

By Cindy Greever
Assistant Feature Editor

There's a new face in Dean Somerville's office this fall. Although she looks like a student, she's not here for help but to give help. Her intelligence, poise and charm make evident her willingness to do so, as Ms. Eva Sereghy takes up her work as Assistant to the Academic Dean.

A Danforth Fellow working toward a Ph.D. at Duke University in religion and culture and an M.A. candidate at University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill in North Carolina literature, Ms. Sereghy has taken a year's leave of absence from her graduate studies. Before joining the staff of Salem, she worked as a consultant on drug abuse prevention and a high school teacher in her native Tarrytown, N. Y. Her new administrative responsibilities relate to January programming, study programs abroad, advising freshmen and academic counseling in general.

Ms. Sereghy has a very positive feeling about Salem although she says it's too early to give specific impressions. Glad that the students are back on campus, Ms. Sereghy is "eager to meet as many students and members of the community as possible."



Ted Young takes time out for a phone call to order more food for the refectory.