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Harrison Salisbury

To Speak Today

By JUDY EARLE

Harrison Evans Salisbury, Assistant Managing Editor of The New York Times, will address the commencement congregation at 2:30 this afternoon. Mr. Salisbury, Managing Editor since 1946, promptly editor of the Op-Ed page of The Times; he has been a staff member since 1948. A native of Minneapolis, Minnesota, and a graduate of the University of Minnesota in 1930, Mr. Salisbury worked for United Press International in Chicago, New York, London and Moscow and served as foreign news editor of UPI. He made extensive tours of the USSR, Siberia, and Central Asia in this capacity.

In addition to a Bachelor's degree, Mr. Salisbury holds an L.L.D. at Manchester College in 1967, a B.E.D. the same year at Maryland Institute in Chicago, and a B.S. in Journalism at Assumption College.

His reports from Russia won the Pulitzer Prize in 1945, the Polk Memorial Award in 1957, and the Sigma Delta Chi Award in 1968. His stories from Vietnam and the perimeter of China in 1969 and 1970 won the Polk Memorial Award from Long Island University and the Sigma Delta Chi Award from Long Island University.

Mr. Salisbury is the author of several books on the Soviet Union and one about juvenile delinquency, The Shock-Up Generation. He wrote the novel, The North Palmaya Affair. His most recent publications are The 900 Days (1969), The Siege of Leningrad (1969), The War Between Russia and China (1969), and The Many America Shall Be One (1971).

Mr. Salisbury is a member of Theta Delta Chi and Sigma Delta Chi; the latter having recognized him for achievement in foreign news correspondence. He is a graduate of the University of Minnesota in 1930. His home is in Roxbury, Connecticut.

HARRISON E. SALISBURY

Gold, Crane Receive Alumni Senior Award

The faculty and administration of Ursinus College have selected Alan C. Gold and Edith M. Crane as the 1971 recipients of the Alumni Senior Award.

This award is presented annually to the male and female student who by character, scholarship, leadership, and service represent the ideals of a whole life that Ursinus College desires of all its students.

Alan C. Gold, a senior biology (pre-medical) major from Philadelphia, has been involved in a host of extra-curricular activities during his four years at Ursinus College. Also a member of the Editorial Board of The Ursinus Weekly, Crane has been a member of the College's editorial staff for the past four years.

Why Ursinus

In choosing an appropriate name for Ursinus College's founder and namesake, the Board of Trustees and faculty members deliberated long and hard before arriving at the name of Ursinus. The name of Ursinus bears a direct relationship to the College's campus date, which goes back to 1720.

The College was founded in 1848. Three years later the first building on the campus was completed. It was razed in 1853. It was replaced by a new building in 1855. It was razed in 1870. It was replaced by a new building in 1871.

During the decade of their co-existence Ursinus and Pennsylvania College for Women were built, founded, one of the earliest colleges in the United States. The College was founded in 1848. Three years later the first building on the campus was completed. It was razed in 1853. It was replaced by a new building in 1855. It was razed in 1870. It was replaced by a new building in 1871.

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276 Seniors Graduate
In Ceremonies Today

Two hundred and seventy-six Ursinus College seniors receive their diplomas in Commencement ceremonies today. The Commencement speaker will be Harrison E. Salisbury, Assistant Managing Editor of The New York Times, who has received the honorary degree of Doctor of Letters from Ursinus College.

Honoraries Degrees

Two honorary degrees are being conferred in the proceedings. Commencement speaker Harrison E. Salisbury, Assistant Managing Editor of The New York Times, receives the honorary degree of Doctor of Letters. Dr. Samuel L. Gandy, Dean of Howard University's School of Religion, received the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity.

First Time

For the first time in recent years, the Baccalaureate and Commencement ceremonies are being held on the same day. During past years, it has been the practice of Ursinus College to hold the Baccalaureate ceremony on the day before the Commencement day.

Memorable Occasion

All concerned in this year's Baccalaureate and Commencement ceremonies are looking forward to making the event a memorable one. The ceremonies promise to be among the best ever. We wish all the graduates the best possible luck in all that they do in the future.
Four Years Later

By DR. WILLIAM S. PETITT

The academic year 1970-1971 was for me a memorable landmark year in that it was for many Ursinus students. Probably the analogy most closely parallels the lot of the freshman. Before his arrival he is in a new realm of responsibility with its period of adjustment. Near us in our early stages were some who took it upon themselves to give a little gratuitous advice and to make a little disturbing racket in the hope that it would bring us into line, and now as the year draws to an end, we have changed a trifle, but not nearly enough to satisfy all.

If we extend the analogy, hopefulness becomes apparent, for there is another year for each of us, and who knows how many more? Being committed to the concept of the improbability of man we can press vigorously on, safe in the knowledge that next year holds a solution for every problem and that we are sure to find it for everything.

So many have helped me this year and I am sure that they have helped many of you. I thank all of you, to whom I owe a lot. Commander Nunnally, John Gray and scores of other seniors who will be leaving at the end of this year, but seeing good classes come and go causes one to accept the facts of college existence with equanimity.

Every year in college is a miraculous year in that it is better than the previous one. The heat of all for the student is the senior and the Junior, for his time has managed his life with perspicacity and perspicacity. But the spectacle of uncertainty ever haunts each of us as he wonders whether he has prepared himself adequately for that which awaits him, and he real never knows how well he is equipped until that day ahead arises. But he can make the most of each situation, polish his crowning and then look forward to the challenge with hope and with keen anticipations.

A negative path is illustrated by a tale concerning a mother who was shopping for a birthday present for her Junior. She picked up a lady's gift book and asked the clerk, 'Isn't this perhaps too complicated for a boy of ten?' The clerk answered, 'No, you'd better study the puzzle. It is designed to help the child make an adjustment to the world. No matter how he tries to put it together, it's wrong.'

By getting everything in order, learned that the wrong ways to perform any task far outnumber the right ways, although often there is more than one right way. Doing things wrong ways can become a habit just as can doing things right ways. The probable outcome of both is failure, but one can learn from wrong ways, but knowing how to be right ways, one would not soon be deceived, although it takes effort, thought, and consideration, the reference to the past successes and failures of a lot of people.

One of the nationally circulated magazines ran an editorial last year asking, 'Who is visiting our past?' And it was, as it read, directed to college students, not to Ursinus students in any great numbers because they know that to ignore the lessons of history, and philosophy, and politics is perilous. I am sure that they know that their learning has stopped with today, for each commencement can always remind us of the new beginnings, the new challenges, and of the new demands that lie there waiting for us, but the lessons of experience both recent and early that have girded for these days. Our confidence and self-assurance have much to sustain them.

A Letter from the President

THE WHITE HOUSE
To the 1971 Graduating Class
Ursinus College

The continued success of the American Experiment depends primarily on the qualities of heart, mind and spirit of our young people. As college graduates you have not only been trained and idealism, but the opportunities you have the ability to build upon the more of years and your chosen careers the kind of society which will make future generations proud to identify with your accomplishments.

I know that you will not fail to be part of a positive regard in the good of our nation and the stability of the United States. And I wish you well.

Good Luck

Your ideas and candor approach can be a strong deterrent and a valuable asset in the national life. The corporation is a demonstrable power that we so urgently need if we are to advance the cause we share. As I congratulate you on this graduation day, I do so in full confidence that you will answer this need both in your careers and in your daily lives.

RICHARD NIXON

GOOD LUCK to the Senior Class from the Staff of the Ursinus Weekly
Looking to the Future

HONORS

HONORARY DEGREES
Samuel Lucius Gandy .................................... Doctor of Divinity
Harrison Evans Salisbury ................................ Doctor of Letters

COMMENCEMENT HONORS
VALEDICTORIAN:
Patricia Anne Mellon — summa cum laude

SALUTATORIAN:
Larry Gene Schultz — magna cum laude

MAGNA CUM LAUDE:
Alan Paul Novak

CUM LAUDE:
Karen Ann Richardson
Edna Frances Raul
Jane Louise Herold
Ginger Lou Songetti
Richard Don Gayler
Richard Bruce Thatcher
Kathryn Eleanor Mohler
Ruth Elizabeth Crompton
Laura MacMullen Herdegen
David Arthur Fell
Alan Gary Gold
Mary Ellen Tomasso
Mark Stephen Hallinger

DEPARTMENTAL HONORS

PHYSICS

POLITICAL SCIENCE

PSYCHOLOGY

ROMANCE LANGUAGE (French)

HISTORY

MATHEMATICS

ECONOMICS

FINE ARTS

GERMAN

HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION

MATHEMATICS

Littie Man on Campus

Catherine A. Novak and Mr. Larry G. Schultz will be Valedictorians for the graduating class of Ursinus College at Commencement ceremonies at 2:00 P.M. in Wimber Hall.

Miss Mellon, Valedictorian, is a Chemistry major from Philadelphia, Pa. While attending Ursinus, she was active in the Marching and Concert Band, the Messiah Chorus, the Pi Nu Epsilon Music Fraternity (Historian, 1970-71), and the Newsmen's Club. Miss Mellon graduated from Germantown High School; she was a member of the Band, Orchestra, and National Honor Society.

Mr. Schultz, Salutatorian, is a mathematics major from Barto, Pa. At Ursinus, he was President of the Mathematics Club (1970-71). He graduated from Boyertown High School and was a member of the National Honor Society.

Both students are affiliated with the Phi Beta Kappa Honor Society as Chapter Scholars at Ursinus.

GOLD, CRANE RECEIVE ALUMNI SENIOR AWARD

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Alan has been a Dean's List student throughout his four years at Ursinus and has participated in the College Scholar's Independent Study Program. In 1970, Alan was honored with two press awards in the Saint Bonaventure University National Inter-Collegiate Journalism Competition for the 1969-70 Ursinus Weekly, representing the first time in nearly 40 years that the Ursinus College newspaper and its Editor-in-Chief have been honored in a national press contest.

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Alan will be entering the Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia this fall. He plans to pursue a career in the field of surgery.

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Cris E. Crane, a senior History major from Kingston, Pennsylvania, has also been involved in a host of extra-curricular activities. Cris was recently elected as the permanent President of the Class of 1971. Her other activities at Ursinus include Secretary of the Class of 1971 (2 years), Phi Alpha Phi, Corresponding Secretary and Vice-President of Phi Alpha Phi sorority, Secretary-Treasurer of the Brownback-Anders Pre-Medical Society, secretary of the Brownback-Anders Pre-Medical Society (4 years), Sportswriter of The Ursinus Weekly (4 years), Editor of The Ruby, Hettertingers (2 years), Messiah Chorus (3 years), Softball Manager (4 years), Girls JV Basketball Captain, Girls JV Basketball (4 years), member of the Central Coordinating Committee, Freshman Advisor (1 year), Lantern Staff (3 years), Men's Basketball Statistician (2 years), Jordan Board Alternate, Inter-Sorority Council (1 year), Big and Little Sister Programs (2 years), Student Faculty Show, Travellers' IV, Career Day Conference Committee (1 year), Campus Chest, and Campus Gold.

Cris was honored by Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities. She plans to pursue a career in medical technology or related hospital work.