



'Tis a Time of Thanks
—and More Thanks

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Dogpatch Style Game, Race Won By Girls; Men Give Up

"I Do's", Supper, And Square Dance Ends The Sadie Hawkins Day Fun

As part of the Sadie Hawkins Day program at Louisburg College, the students of the college presented a Sadie Hawkins Day play Friday morning, November 8, in chapel. The scene was in Dogpatch, U. S. A. The students showed how and why Sadie Hawkins Day was originated. The actors were dressed in Dogpatch style and spoke the Dogpatch dialect.

Those taking part in the program were Phil Johnson as Paw Hawkins, Wilda Faye Johnson as Sadie Hawkins, Earl Pierce as Li'l Abner, Vivian Miller as Daisy Mae, June Tew as Mammy Yokum, Sam Elliott at Pappy Yokum, Jackie Hall Hall as the Wolf Girl, Delores Gaskins as Moonbeam McSwine, Audrey Todd as the Cave Girl, Jimmy Willis and Don Jackel as the Indians, Jean Nunnamaker as the Rich Girl, and Emerson Spivey as Cousin Weak Eyes. Other Dogpatchers were Nell Rose Bryant, Nancy Streetman, and Marvin Jordan.

The program was enjoyed by the entire student body and faculty; but as soon as the program was over, all the men made a mad dash for the door and ran all day in fear of being caught by a Dogpatch girl.

Dr. S. D. Stallings Is Chapel Speaker

"Personal Responsibility in Group Life" was the topic of the talk given by Dr. S. D. Stallings, Franklin County Health Officer, in the chapel program of Louisburg College, Tuesday, October 24. Dr. Stallings said that to be prepared for responsibility we must attain emotional maturity, or be able to stand on our own two feet.

He stated that four goals in attaining emotional maturity are: achieving mature relationships with the opposite sex, being independent from parents, preparing for a vocation, and preparing for marriage.

"The most important goal is achieving mature relationships with the opposite sex," stated Dr. Stallings. He said that the practice of petting lessens a boy's respect for a girl and also causes difficulties and infidelity after marriage.

He made the appalling statement that one out of every ten children born in Franklin County today is illegitimate.

Dr. Stallings concluded his discussion by pointing out that adult opposition has retarded sex education.

Sadie Hawkins Day Program Is Given

In line with Sadie Hawkins Day here on Louisburg campus, the gals of Dogpatch upset the men in a 48 to 10 victory in a surprising game played on Dogpatch City Square. There were many exciting moments in the game on November 9 that will never be forgotten by the Dogpatch spectators.

Sportsmanship was shown by both teams. The only questionable incidents being the roughness of the girls in some of their plays. (Editor's note: This reporter is a male!).

It should be mentioned that one of the Dogpatch women, Nell Bean Buster Bryant, played a commendable game. It is rumored that some of the greater teams of the country have their eyes on her.

Some of the success of the game was due to the fine refereeing done by Eagle-Eye Moon.

Immediately after the game, the queens of Dogpatch lined up and waited eagerly for the go signal and the opportunity to pursue a man in the Sadie Hawkins Day Race.

Some got tripped; some got wrapped around the oaks, but most every sensible woman got a man. The condition he was in did not matter. It was a pathetic sight to see those men standing before Marrying Sam with their arms twisted to their backs and the cries of "I do" drowning out the reverent words of the preacher. The ceremony was completed; they were man and wife.

It was quite a load on those Dogpatch women to have to carry their husbands' supper to their tables, but they did the catching and so they had to do the granting of their worse half's desires for the evening.

You swing my partner and I'll swing yours—A square dance ended this most unusual day of the year. Each of the Dogpatcher women escorted her husband to his dorm when the dance was over and took one last look at her husband. The day and the partying ended, Sadie Hawkins had had her day.

Faculty, Students Enjoy Hallowe'en Party At Gym

The faculty and students of Louisburg College frolicked in a juvenile atmosphere on October 31, when the Y.M.C.A. and the Y.W.C.A. surprised the entire body with a Hallowe'en party.

The Men's and Women's student government assembled their (See Hallowe'en—Page Four)

Holt Was Speaker For Alumni Program

In observance of the Homecoming Week-end, a special chapel program was held at Louisburg College on October 27 with Seamore Holt of Chapel Hill, as speaker. Mr. Holt used as his topic, "A College Opportunity".

Mrs. Harvey Bartholomew, an alumna of Louisburg College and a resident of Louisburg, presided at the chapel exercises. She presented Mrs. John B. York, also of Louisburg, who read "Ode To Louisburg", written by a former Louisburg student, Dan McFarland. As Mrs. York read the poem, Miss Sarah Foster played appropriate musical selections.

The speaker was presented by Dr. Amick.

Mr. Holt urged the college students to prepare for the tasks that lie ahead. He stated that college is a place to store up knowledge that will be needed later. The speaker continued by saying that everyone who has the opportunity to attend college should not abuse this privilege; they should give thanks to God and their parents for this opportunity. Mr. Holt closed the program with the poem, "An Old Man Going Along The Highway".

Some of the alumni attended the chapel program which inaugurated the third annual homecoming event. Joe Newsome of Littleton, is president of the Alumni Association.

LC Students Attend B. S. U. Convention

"Christian Frontiers" was the theme of the Annual Baptist Student Union Convention held in Charlotte November 7-9. The Louisburg delegates to the convention were June Tew, Bill Pierce, Barbara Forbes, Jimmy Willis, Don Jackel, Eleanor Stewart, Joyce Guthrie, and Robert Beck.

It was reported that over a thousand students from the various campuses of North Carolina were assembled to discuss "Christian Frontiers" through Sonship, Friendship, and Stewardship.

The Convention ended Sunday, November 9.

Holidays

Thanksgiving Holidays for the students of Louisburg College will begin on Wednesday, November 21, at 3:30 o'clock and will end on Monday, November 26, at 8 o'clock.

Many students will go to their homes for the traditional American Dinner of turkey and trimmings. Others will take this vacation from classes as a time for special visits and activities.

Homecoming, Harvest Dance Climax Return Of LC Alumni

College Octet Sings At Methodist Meet

The Methodist Youth Fellowship Session of the North Carolina Methodist Conference was held on November 3, 1951, in the New Hanover High School at Wilmington. The Louisburg College Octet provided special music for the occasion.

Fellowship singing at eleven o'clock opened the session. Business sessions were held and greetings were given by Bishop Paul Neff Garber.

Lunch was served picnic style at one of the neighboring churches. At one o'clock everyone gathered back in the New Hanover Auditorium for the afternoon program.

"An M. Y. Fund-eye view: Glimpses of the World Through the Windows of the Church" was given by Raymond Taylor, student at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. He presented a number of people who were on the Methodist Youth Caravan this summer.

The Louisburg College Chorus sang "Come Holy Ghost", by Palestrina; "The Green Cathedral", by Carl Hahn; "The Lord Is My Shepherd", by Nobel Cain; and "The Lord Bless You and Keep You", by Lutkin.

Members who sang in the chorus were: soprano, Ann Medlin, Virginia Bradsher; alto, Lota Leigh Harrison, Charlotte Brockwell; tenor, Willis Goodrum, Bob Kennedy; bass, Sidney Epperson, and Eugene Turner. Others who attended were Miss Sarah Foster, director of the chorus, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Leeper, President Samuel Holton, and Mr. Brooks Waggoner.

Dr. Roy L. Smith preached the sermon using as his topic, "Does It Make A Difference?"

"The Challenge of the Cross", a religious drama, was given by the Wesley Players from Duke University, Durham.

Open House To Be Held On Monday

It will be open house time in the men's dormitory on Monday, November 19, from three to five o'clock. Faculty members and girls, with particular emphasis on the girls, will be invited to inspect the habitat of the men and to participate in light refreshments following the inspection.

Under the sponsorship of the Men's Student Government with Sam Elliott as president, this event is eagerly anticipated by the entire student body.

Miss Tew Is Queen; Intermission Acts Warmly Applauded

Climaxing the events of Louisburg College Homecoming Week end was the third annual Harvest Dance held in the college gymnasium Saturday, November 27. Approximately 350 alumni and students attended the formal dance.

The dance began at nine o'clock, the music being provided by Sid Davis and his orchestra, of Raleigh.

Later in the evening it was announced that June Ruth Tew and Eddie Lee Elks were the Homecoming King and Queen. Miss Tew was chosen by student vote, and she chose Mr. Elks as her King. They were crowned by the college president, Samuel Holton. Immediately following the crowning, a floor show was presented. On the program for the evening were Rudolfo Mier y Teran, singing "There's No Tomorrow" in Spanish; Pearl Grant and Basillio Hernandez presenting a South American dancing skit; Julian Gonzales and Conchato Gonzalez presenting a fire-eating skit.

Following the floor show, dancing continued until midnight.

The Commercial Club was in charge of the decorations for the evening. The gymnasium entrance was transformed into an arch of ivy. Pines were placed around the gymnasium. In each corner were shocks of corn, peanuts, and leaves, carrying out the gala fall theme.

Focal point of interest was the stage which was ornamented with yellow and black streamers. On the streamer was written "Welcome Alumni".

Colorful balloons suspended from the ceiling and gay garlands of yellow and black crepe paper completed the decorations.

Mrs. S. M. Holton and Mrs. Carrington Gretter served punch during the evening.

President of the Commercial Club, the sponsoring club, is Paul Stone. Miss Mary Lytle and Charles Creekmore had charge of the decorations, and Miss Pearl Grant was head of the refreshment committee.

FLASH!

In a practice game Tuesday night at the Louisburg College gymnasium, the college team outscored a team of Henderson All-Stars. No scores are available, but the college posted a definite win.

The first white man to ever see Great Salt Lake was the famous western scout, Jim Bridger, who made his way to the shore of the lake in 1824 while on a trapping expedition.