

# Drama Club Does It



Bill Harper (John Graham Whitfield) answers the defense attorney, Dale Brown.

Once upon a time a group of Southeastern Community college students decided to put on a play: "The Night of January 16".

They practiced long and hard and even more so with directors Curtis Welborne and Linda Crawford driving them on.

The night arrived for the first performance and as usual only a scrappy crowd was in the audience. The stage curtain opened and the Bailiff stepped out. This reporter was quite amazed when the bailiff called her

name to serve on the jury. That's right. Twelve people sitting out in the audience, were asked to serve on the jury and really decide upon a verdict.

The action of the play was in the Superior Court of New York City. A Miss Karen Andre was on trial for murder of her boyfriend who just happened to be married.

Our jury found Miss Andre not guilty and we the jury were reprimanded by the judge and stricken off the jury list for five years because of our verdict.

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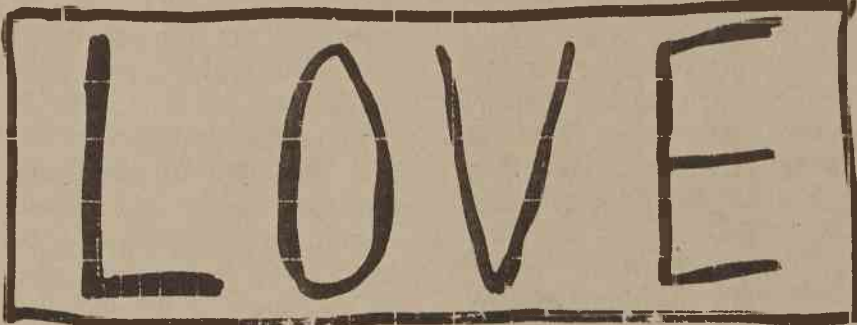
Laura Lee Schaefer, Miss America for 1971 visited Whiteville, during the week of the Farmer's Exposition and received the key of Whiteville from Mayor Whitley at Whiteville during a press conference sponsored by Wells Oldsmobile.

Miss Schaefer feels that having the chance to meet people and being an influence on them has been the most fulfilling part of her role as Miss America.

She feels that Americans could be more tolerant of each other and learn not to make such quick snap-judgments about people.

When asked about Women's Lib she said a woman "should have the right to fulfill herself. And there is nothing wrong with looking like a woman and being proud of the sex you are born with."

Her goals are to attend graduate school and to travel overseas. She plans to go into the theater arts.



Love is the strongest emotional bond on earth and everyone needs it. Love requires a great deal of self-discipline. It is based on mutual loyalty and unselfishness. Love is an attraction to the total person based on respect, admiration, esteem and dignity. Love is a mature emotion, it grows slowly, see virtues outweighing faults, is realistic, not hurt by separation, includes companionship, makes one feel secure, content, important and wanted. The test of genuine love is simple, has it grown with the passing of time and have you both grown with it?

Have you faced barriers and problems together and overcome them? Have you been YOURSELF or has it been a struggle to live up to some false image of what you hope to be? Is your love kind, tender, thoughtful, forgiving, and growing?

Why were you attracted to the one you say you love? Good looking? Dynamic? Best dresser? The most popular? Or were you attracted by some deep inner quality, such as honesty, meekness, a good sense of humor, kindness, gentleness, and spirituality?

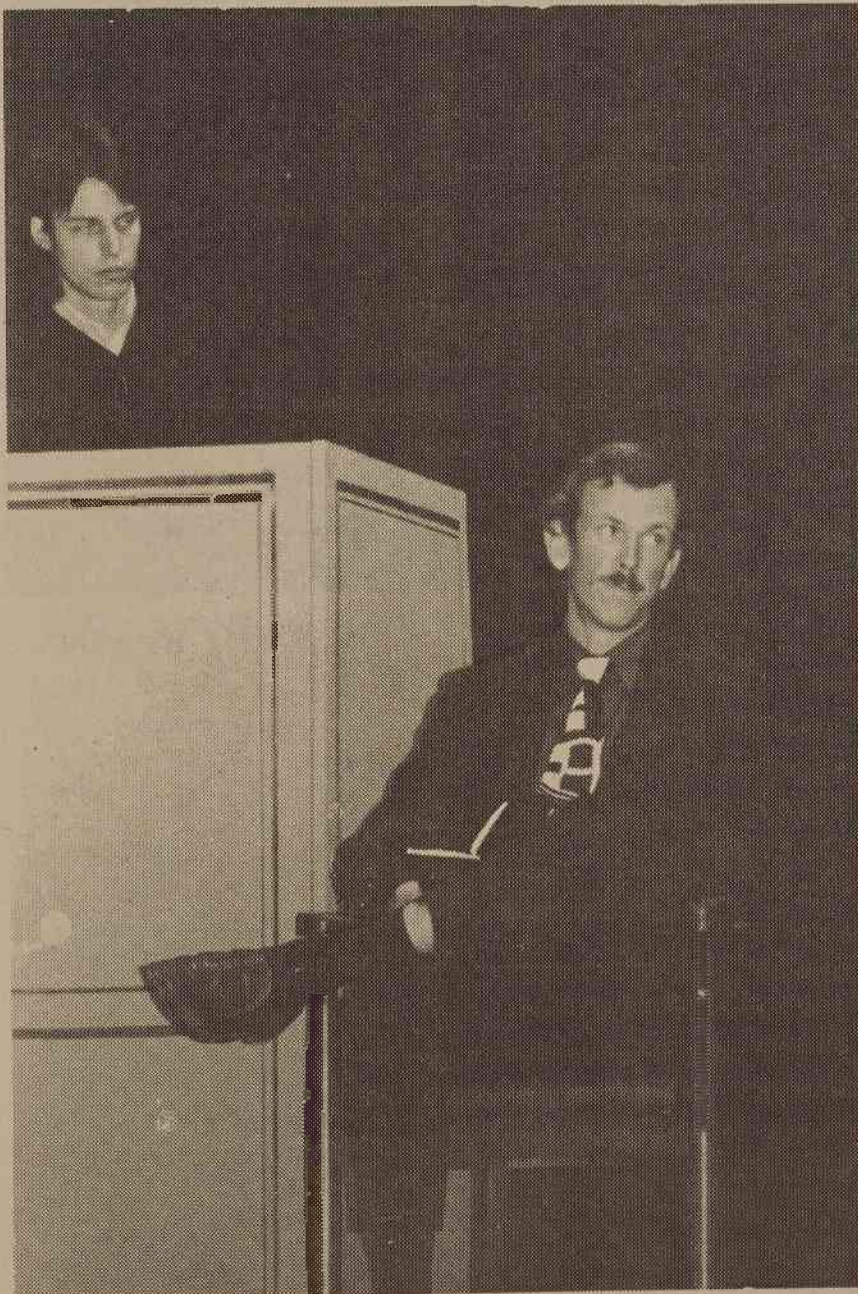
Love is a growing thing. It grows strong in the soil of mutual respect and a climate of responsiveness. Its fruit of understanding, thoughtfulness, selflessness, and joy are visible proof of intertwined roots of mutual devotion and loyalty.

True lovers are humble people who desire to give instead of receive.

A relationship based only on sex will turn sour, true love involves genuine friendship, the joy of first being together, of smiling together, sharing things, doing things, being concerned about each other, comforting and encouraging, talking things out.

Love will happen naturally!  
Dave Wilkerson

wanted: A few good reasons.



James Eades (Elmer Sweeney) tells his story.

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Miss America, Laura Lee Schaefer.

Things might be different