

Dr. Seerley Speaks To Two Large Audiences On Rational Sex Life

Dean of Springfield Y College Says "Petting Is a Natural Step toward Securing a Mate."

(By K. C. Ramsay)

"By 'rational sex life' I mean the scientific, the true, and the balanced sex life," said Dr. F. M. Seerley, well-known authority of sex education, in his address in Memorial hall last night. Dr. Seerley spoke twice yesterday, at the chapel exercises and at 7:30 o'clock last night.

In his address at chapel exercises Dr. Seerley said to the freshmen, "I am glad to meet you so early in your college career, for you have not yet decided what is to be your conception of God, of life, and of your future. It makes a great deal of difference what you think. That's the reason I'm here lecturing on sex. That's the reason for a University. It's to help you answer for yourself the hundreds of thousands of questions that come to you daily concerning your sex life."

Dr. Seerley outlined the three steps in forming a personality and pointed out the relation of these steps to the thinking process. He stated that the building material must be gathered first, then the organization must be brought about, and finally one must live the things he has gathered together and organized.

At the evening lecture Dr. Seerley used blackboard illustrations in tracing the development of sex anatomy from childhood upward. He showed how the relations between boys and girls developed from childhood through various steps.

The first social contacts between girls and boys occur in early childhood when they play together in the birthday parties and other similar forms of entertainment. From this stage they progress to dances. Dr. Seerley was asked his opinion concerning dancing and he said "It is a most natural way for boys and girls to mix in a rather intimate way and cannot possibly be subjected to criticism."

From dancing the girls and boys of today evolve to petting and the speaker was on the opinion that this is a most natural step for one to take in searching for a mate. He said that the large amount of petting being done today as compared with that of past generations should be attributed to the automobile and other means of being alone together.

The courting stage follows petting and approaches a more intimate relationship between sexes, and the final stage before marriage is of course engagement. Engagement brings about the most individual relationships before marriage and is the final step to take in being definitely sure that a certain boy and girl will be suitably mated.

Dr. Seerley pointed out that the largest percentage of unhappy marriages is caused by a misunderstanding of sexual relationships and that these misunderstandings can be attributed to not following the natural evolution of social relationships as outlined above.

During his stay here Dr. Seerley was asked his opinion concerning the present generation. He replied, "The modern generation is more frank than any

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No Holiday Friday

In a brief interview Tuesday afternoon the University registrar, Dr. T. J. Wilson, declared that the campus rumor of a holiday on Friday is entirely unfounded. Dr. Wilson says that no such information has reached him through the administrative offices.

As the students have it, a holiday was to be given on that date for the apparent purpose of allowing Carolina supporters to attend the Georgia Tech game in Atlanta on that day. In anticipation of the suspension of classes many students had planned to accompany the Tar Heel team on the southern trip and to participate in the festivities surrounding the contest, which is possibly the most interesting and important of the season's schedule. Consequently the entire student body was elated over the prospect of the holiday.

Other grounds for support of the rumored announcement were found in the fact that Saturday is to be Founder's day at the University. In view of these facts, Dr. Wilson's statement will doubtless be a surprise to those who were depending on the holiday to relieve them of class work in order to attend the Georgia game.

DR. H. S. DYER GIVES COURSES IN VOICE

Proving his theory that anyone can sing who wants to, Dr. H. S. Dyer, director of the department of music, is giving voice classes which are open to any student in the University, even though he has no more talent than the suppressed desire to express himself in song. Every day, except Wednesday, students, who range all the way from freshmen to post graduates, meet in Person hall and learn what Dr. Dyer calls the simple and natural process of singing. There are four classes a day, which have an enrollment of from thirty to sixty men each.

Every college in the University is represented in the classes. Some of the members have studied at Harvard, Yale, Amherst, or New York University, while others have never sung at all; not even to the extent of having taken part in their college song.

All that is necessary to join one of these classes is a good ear for music, the desire to sing, and a good physique. Dr. Dyer says that not only can the student "learn to sing in a few easy lessons"; but also the group training provides a tremendous training in self-confidence and stage presence.

DR. KEOGH TO SPEAK AT LIBRARY OPENING

Dr. Andrew Keogh, librarian of Yale university and president of the American library association, will make the dedicatory address at the University of North Carolina Southern Conference to be held at Chapel Hill October 19-22, when the University's new \$625,000 library building will be formally opened.

Miss Sarah C. N. Bogle will also be present at the conference.

A WORD OF WARNING

Friday the Carolina football squad tackles the hardest team scheduled this year. A victory over Tech means a lot toward gaining the Heels a place near the top in Conference ratings.

A lot has been written, especially by Atlanta sport authorities, about the Carolina team. They say we have the best team in the south up here this year. One writer says that Carolina will beat Tech.

All reports coming from out of Atlanta sound somewhat like the same ones written two years ago before the Georgia-Tech contest. Georgia had a team making a bid for national honors. Tech was only mediocre. Enough hot air was written about Georgia to float the Athens team over the Atlanta stadium. The game ended with Tech on top by two touchdowns. There may be a lesson in that.

It is also well to remember that in recent years teams have found it hard to beat Tech in Atlanta. The Yellow Jackets just play better football when at home.

The TAR HEEL believes that Carolina should win. But any team carrying the power Tech does is going to be hard to beat. Nothing short of great playing will turn the trick. Carolina is capable of winning. But the game will not be won until the final whistle sounds.

We do not believe in sentiment in football. But every Carolina man is expecting a victory Friday. If Carolina plays the football of which it is capable, Carolina will win.

CABINETS SELECT NEW COMMITTEES

Freshman Council, Sophomore, Junior-Senior Cabinets Hold Important Meetings.

The three Y cabinets met Monday night at the Y. M. C. A. at 7:15. In the freshman council, Alex Webb, president, started the program off with the reading of the devotional; this was followed by a few sentence prayers. The roll was then called and the minutes were read and approved.

Aubrey Perkins, freshman secretary of the Y, made a few announcements and then gave some of the plans for the coming year. At the suggestion of Mr. Perkins, President Webb appointed three temporary committees. After taking up a little business the meeting closed with a word of prayer.

The joint meeting of the junior-senior cabinet and the sophomore cabinet was opened with a short devotional service. Mr. Comer, general secretary of the Y, then announced that Eugene Barnett, former student of the University, would be the guest of the Y next Sunday and Monday, and would deliver two sermons at the Methodist church. Mr. Comer also said that Mr. Barnett would speak to the students on Monday.

University Women Offer Scholarship

Mrs. U. T. Holmes presided over the meeting of the local chapter of American association of University women yesterday afternoon at Spencer hall. The session was devoted to organization of plans for the year's work.

It was decided to hold the meetings at 7:30 every other Tuesday evening this year. A survey of Latin America will constitute the program for the year. Dr. Pearson will deliver the first address of the series at the next regular meeting.

A scholarship equivalent to \$100 will be awarded by the chapter in accordance with a custom established by the local chapter several years ago. Mrs. Holmes is president of the chapter, Mrs. G. T. Schwenning is treasurer and Mrs. P. C. Farrar treasurer.

Mrs. Inez Stacy, dean of women, has resumed her duties after a short vacation.

CAROLINA CO-EDS TOUR CONTINENT

3 Prospective French Teachers Spend Summer in Europe.

Three North Carolina co-eds were among the 17 students who toured Europe last summer with the foreign study tour conducted by the University extension division, according to the report made to the faculty committee on foreign study last Monday night.

The three girls, Katherine McCallie, Emily M. McClelland and Catherine Groves, spent July and August studying and sight-seeing in France, Switzerland, Germany, Holland, Belgium and England under the direction of Professor J. C. Lyons.

Besides seeing many famous European museums, monuments and castles, the girls visited Waterloo and the Jungfrau mountain in the Swiss Alps. The rocks where the Lorelei were said to lure voyagers on the Rhine to their death, and the ruined towers from which robber barons sallied forth to murder travelers who had managed to escape the Lorelei were also in the itinerary.

While at Grenoble the students, who are all prospective French teachers, took language courses at the University there. Credit was given for these courses by the University and by Adelphi college, Brooklyn, from which several of the students on the tour came.

EXTENSION DIVISION GIVES LECTURE COURSE

North-Carolina dentists in five cities will hear a course of lectures to be given next week by Dr. L. D. Sayres of the Northwestern University dental school, Chicago.

"Bridgework" will be the subject of the lectures and of a series of clinics which Dr. Sayres will also conduct. The entire program is under the supervision of the University extension in cooperation with the North Carolina dental society.

Dr. Sayres' lectures are the eighth in a series of ten courses being offered this year by the extension division and the dental society. About 145 North Carolina dentists are taking the courses which are being held in Kinston, Raleigh, Greensboro, Winston-Salem and Charlotte.

Final Period Of Rushing Gets Underway With Fraternities Using High Pressure Methods

Pep Meeting Tonight

The final voting in the election of cheerleader resulted in the victory of Jack Barrett, sophomore, over his opponent, Howard Henry. The election was close, Barrett securing 391 votes, while Henry took 361.

Barrett announces that there will be a pep meeting at 6:40 o'clock tonight as the team leaves at 7:00.

COMMUNITY CHOIR HOLDS REHEARSAL

Plans for Fall Quarter Discussed At Meeting; 105 Singers Report for Chorus.

With an attendance of 105 singers, the Chapel Hill community chorus held its first rehearsal at Gerrard hall Monday evening. The chorus is made up of faculty members, students and townspeople. It was organized by a committee of which George H. Lawrence of the University faculty is chairman, and is jointly sponsored by the community club and the University school of music. Harold S. Dyer, head of the school, is director of the choral group and Mrs. A. S. Wheeler is accompanist.

As yet the chorus has no definite organization. It is the intention of the leaders to perfect an organization later when it shall be determined what form its administrative system shall take.

In view of the large attendance at the premier rehearsal, the success of the chorus is practically assured. However, the chairman of the organization committee urges that every one who is interested in the organization attend the next practice on Monday at 7:30 in the same hall. The University glee club will also lend its support to the venture. Over thirty of the number were on hand Monday evening to assure the bass and tenor sections adequate material.

The tentative program of the chorus includes two recitals during the scholastic year and the possible presentation of several programs at various University functions. In accordance with this program it is probable that the chorus will appear at the joint meeting of the Chapel Hill churches which will be held on October 20 during home-coming week. Several numbers were rehearsed Monday night in preparation for this event which will doubtless mark the first public presentation of the chorus.

It was the original plan of the chorus to offer Handel's "Messiah" as the first production. Since copies of this oratorio have not arrived it will be necessary to delay the preparation of the number. However, the famous composition will be given on or about December 20, the date set by the committee. An afternoon program is being planned to cooperate with the customary reading of the carols by Professor Koch of the Playmakers. This will be another of the features of the pre-holiday season. In addition to the chorus and a number of soloists an orchestra of about thirty pieces will be employed in the performance.

Tension on Campus Heightens As Period of Silence Nears; Rushing Ends Tuesday.

After about two weeks of intensive rushing the Greeks are gradually stepping into their stride and competition is picking up.

In spite of the new rushing rules' tendency to lessen the strain on both upper and lower classmen, tension on the campus is being heightened by the keen competition which has arisen between the fraternities. In place of the easy flowing rushing season of past years there is now a more organized "man hunt" going on. Previous to this year "rushing" became intensive only in the last day or so before the "period of silence" but the "period of silence" of 1929 will probably bring to a close the most intensive and strenuous rushing season seen so far at U. N. C.

For twelve days now the freshmen have been praised, pampered, and pumped in order to get them in a receptive frame of mind for the "wool gatherers."

The fact that rushing is limited to seven hours a day and that freshmen are forced to leave the houses at 9 o'clock is the only consolation for the seven hours of strain.

Nearly all of the frosh have been filled with so much fraternity lore that Baird himself would be put to shame. The Who's Who of the campus has been raised by about four or five hundred names. The best fraternity always begins with "Us." And Baird's Manual is always wrong unless it puts "Us" at the head of the list.

Although the freshmen were given a chance to get themselves adjusted to the University campus and the upper classmen became readjusted before the "fire works" started, the new method of rushing does not seem to relieve the general strain upon the campus.

Freshmen are by now settling down to a choice between one or two fraternities. Their likes and dislikes have eliminated many and at last the choice has narrowed down to a chosen few. The last two days of rushing will probably decide most of these freshmen and as usual this will cause the last two days to be filled with extra rushing for the freshmen.

There will be a few freshmen that will be under the embarrassing strain of making up their minds in the two days of silence as the larger part of these "prospective neophytes" will have come to a definite conclusion by the last night of rushing. Some have already made up their minds.

All through this rushing season the inter-fraternity council has urged that the freshmen keep "open minds" until the "period of silence" when they can look at the facts without being stirred up by the flattery.

Wigue and Masque To Meet Thursday

The Wigue and Masque will hold its first meeting of the year Thursday evening at 7 o'clock in Person hall. Jack Kirkpatrick, secretary of the organization, requests that every member be present, for at this meeting the constitution of the group will be discussed.