

The 'Swinging Scientists' are, l. to r., Dr. A. Mansuri, Mr. Scarlette, Dr. I. Miller, Mr. L. Harris, Mrs W. Young, Dr. J.H. Sayles, Dr. M. Shute (Dr. L. Hankins is not pictured).

Fun Caps Faculty-Staff Talent Show

By MARY HEDRICK

The "full house" who came out to see the faculty-staff talent show, "You Won't Believe It," may have been due to the number of people willing to pay thirtyfive or fifty cents for a few kicks, but once the show began, more than amusement was provided.

Many of the participating members were a little shy of revealing themselves through actual performance, but did consent to model some very attractive outfits. These included Miss Peanella Hughes, Mrs. Carrie Shute, Dr. Lela Hankins, Mrs. Queen Bell, Miss Brenda Florence, Mr. Willie Young, and Mr. Lloyd Harris.

Those displaying reading talents were Mr. Fred Eady, who read a poem in Black dialect, and Mr. Cullen Hodge who read an original short story. Mr. Roger Ingram delivered an "after dinner speech for all occasions," which was very comical.

The "classic" section of the show was filled by Mrs. Lily Keleti who performed a piano selection by Weber. LaRose Saxon, a sophomore, gave a ballet presentation.

No talent show is complete



without some singing performers, and ours was not lacking here. Miss Mireille de L'Hermuziere and Miss Isabelle Mounier sang two refreshing French numbers. I think everyone, or practically everyone, was surprised at somewhat reserved Dr. Miller singing romantic "More." Our "Swing-

ing Scientists," Hankins, Harris, Mansuri, Miller, Sayles, Scarlette, Shute, and Young sang an original composition by Dr. Hankins, "We Believe." Another student participant, Doris Scott, sang "Four Women."

Most of the faculty members 'laughed out' of the 'Laugh In', but Mr. Theodore Carter proved himself a good sport.

Miss Kathy Salmon, president of the Science Seminar, was a very active Go-Go girl.

She and the other members of the seminar, and the participants of the show, are to be congratulated on their success.

Recruiting Schedule

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 1969

Scheduled visits of Representatives in March are:

- March 6 Lansing, Michigan. Interested in teachers. Interview hours: 9:00 a.m.--12:00 Noon. (Student Lounge)
- March 7 Sanford, N.C. Interested in teachers. Interview hours: 9:30 a.m. --4:00 p.m. (Student Lounge)
- March 10 American Tele-phone & Telegraph Company. Interested in all majors particularly English and Business. Interview hours: 9:00 a.m. -- 3:30 p.m. (Student Lounge)
- March 11 State Personnel Service, Raleigh, N.C. Interested in majors in Psychology, and Sociology. Interviews will be at A&T, 10:00 a.m. - - 2:00 p.m. (Student Lounge)
- March 12 West Palm Beach, Fla. Interested in teachers. Interview hours: 9:00 a.m. --12:00 p. m. (Student Lounge)

March 12 - Berkeley, Cal. Interested in teachers. Interview hours: 9:00 a.m.--12:00 Noon. (Faculty Lounge)

A&T's Student Leader Explains **Campus Unrest**

By MARY F. SHANKS

Feb. 2, Calvin C. Matthews, student government president at A&T State University, held a city-wide press conference. His purpose was to give "a real explanation of why at A&T there has been student unrest."

The unrest centered around student demands. Matthews stated that student grievances had been sent through proper channels but "legitimate grievances are suppressed in established channels."

The primary grievance Matthews addressed was the lack of a black oriented curriculum at a black university. As it stands now A&T has only two black courses and an Afro-American Arts Center. In view of the relevance of black studies he stated: "It is a sin and a shame that black students in a black university have

Childrens' House On Campus Serves As Observation Lab

By MARY HEDRICK

Most of the students and faculty undoubtedly have seen the children who attend the Childrens' House playing within the fenced area, or attending an occasional assembly program. It is true that they spend the hours their parents are working here, but the Childrens' House is not merely a day care center as many might think.

The building located to the right of the new science building is equipped with the facilities necessary for the proper education for preschool children. It serves as a laboratory school wherein students may observe the growth and development of young children.

Mrs. Earline Curry, who serves as director and the kindergarten teacher, and Mrs. Cora Macomson, the nursery teacher provide enriching opportunities for the children. Included in the staff are Mrs. Graves and Miss Burton. Mrs. Graves has won the reputation as "best cook on campus."

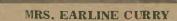
The Childrens' House provides employment opportunities for Bennett students, some who in-



CHARLES E. GARTH Garth To Speak At Spring Honors

March 6 at 10 p.m., Charles E. Garth, Professor of Sociology and Chairman of the Department of Sociology at Morehouse College, will be guest speaker at the annual Spring Honors Convocation. Professor Garth, during the early '60s, was the first teacher from Bennett to participate in the India Women's College Exchange Program. He is also credited with having founded the Saturday School, which was a tutorial program held at Bennett for high school students in the community.

tend to work with young children, and some who do not; however, when they leave, they all know something about the characteristics of the preschool child.



'Barefoot' Roaring Success

The most recent production by the Theater Guild, "Barefoot in the Park," went over as a "roaring" success judging from the shrieks of laughter that filled the Little Theater on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights of last week. In a number of cases, one person laughed on Thursday night Friday night, and again on Saturday, and attendance "in triplicate" is quite rare on this campus.

The play, a smashing comedy

by Neil Simon was deserving of all the enthusiastic response it received from the Bennett audience, which by the way, was not only Bennett people.

Mr. Eady's choices are usually of a more somber mood, although the lively guild can provide laughter from the most serious of plots as they have well revealed.

The cast for this play proved themselves quite adequate in portraying characterization so different from that of previous plays. There seemed to be no doubt in anyone's mind that Hilda Freeman was a perfect Corie Bratter. She and Gregory Talley won the hearts of more than a few Bennett Belles as the young newlyweds. The other cast members were equally appealing.

From opinions that have been voiced throughout the campus, it appears that there is an appetite for more contemporary plays.

to disruptive factors to get a black studies department.

When asked about further action on the part of the student body if student demands were not acted upon, Matthews' reply was that "demands have been decided upon and are somewhat favorable."

As for the libel suit being brought against him and the vice president of the student body, Matthews declined to make any comment.

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