

# Scenes From The Brice Trio Concert And Reception

## Brice Trio In Concert



On Wednesday night at 8:15 our college was entertained by the Brice Trio. This trio is a family of distinguished artists in concerts.

Miriam Burton, who substituted for Carol Brice, began at a very early age to win vocal awards and critics' plaudits.

In September, 1956, Miss Burton gave a highly successful concert in Wugmore Hall, London, England. The London Times stated: "This singer has a powerful yet mellow soprano voice, well varied in color, real subtlety in her phrasing, and a generous warmth of voice to fill the grand climaxes of Strauss."

The London Daily Telegraph spoke of her as "a cultivated artist, with a voice of warmth and sympathetic timbre, commanding delicate shades of expression."

During the summer of 1957, Miss Burton was on a three-weeks' concert tour as guest artist in Japan.

She has just returned from an extensive tour of South America.

Eugene Brice has increased the musical eminence of the family name with outstanding appearances as bass soloist with such organizations as the DePaur Infantry Chorus, The New York Concert Choir, and the Robert Shaw Chorale. Fulfilling the musical triumvirate is another brother, Jonathan Brice, considered one of the most distinguished piano accompanists in the field.

These artists gave us a wonderful concert and were more than accepted at our reception which followed the concert.



## Masquerade Party Given

Halloween Night, October 31, with its fun and excitement, was celebrated by the Thalia Sororsis Club in the gymnasium from 8:00-11:00 p.m.

There was a variety of costumes, which added laughter and enjoyment to the occasion. Riddick Parker, a sophomore, who was dressed as a farmer, won first prize for the most original costume. Other costumes of interest were those of Lois Parker, as a "Cat"; Louise Hoffer, a "rabbit"; Pauline Carney, a "witch"; Ernestine Lyons, a "Japanese woman"; Thomas Hodges, "Sylvester, the ghost"; Rosemary Wilkins, "Cinderella"; Rose Cherry, "Zorro"; and Stephanie Thompson, a "clown".

Prizes were also given for the lucky ticket and best dancers. Catherine Smith won the prize for the lucky ticket. The Jitterbug contest was tied by Norman Cherry and Yvonne Jenkins, as partners, and Carlinda Biggs and Jesse Majette, as partners. The Cha-Cha contest was won by Rose Cherry and Calvin Williams.

Refreshment were served to all.

## Ques Give Smoker

The Omega Psi Phi Fraternity gave a smoker in honor of the freshman men on October 21, in the Recreation Room of Moore Hall. Henry Pickett and James Swimpson explained fraternity life on campus and discussed the many activities that are sponsored by the Omegas each year. After their informal discussions, a question-and-answer period was held.

Following this period, the guests listened to music and were served refreshments by Lamps Adron Jones and Aubrey Hackley.

## Forward March

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shape of a rocking chair, and played "Carolina"; from there the band tied themselves into a spiral, then untied themselves and made an A and played St. Augustine's Alma Mater. Suddenly the band was in formation and played the S. T. C. Alma Mater; from this formation the Band made the umbrella and played "Stormy Weather". In marching formation the band stepped and moved off the field like a streak of lightning.

## Alpha Kappa Mu News National Achievement Week Observed

The Alpha Kappa Chapter of Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society is happy to announce the initiation of Wilson Bunch, a junior student of Windsor, North Carolina, October 22, 1959 in the Dean's office.

Wilson Bunch is a graduate of W. S. Etheridge High School in Windsor, North Carolina. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge, secretary of his church and teacher in the Sunday School. On campus, he has shown his leadership ability, as last year he was president of his class and is currently serving as treasurer.

This increases the membership of the chapter to two members. It is hoped that more students will qualify to join the organization at the next initiation which will take place in February.

The members of the chapter recently attended its regional meeting which was held at Fayetteville State Teachers College, Fayetteville, North Carolina.

The Delta Iota and Lambda Gamma Chapters of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. on observance of their annual National Achievement Week in Moore Auditorium had as their guest speaker, Dr. H. Albion Ferrell, who rendered a very inspiring speech, "The Achievement of Excellence: Today's Challenge, Tomorrow's Necessity."

Brother H. A. Ferrell was introduced by Brother Arthur M. Bagley, who stated that Dr. Ferrell received his Ph.D. degree from State Teachers College, Baltimore, and at present is the Chaplain, Canterbury House, Howard University, and Grand Chaplain, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.

Where do we stand today in relation to Dr. Woodson's statement, that if anyone is to achieve there must be a certain degree of excellency? was Dr. Ferrell's question to the audience. We must not think as St. Augustine said, "Lord make me good, Lord make me chaste, but not yet." Not yet is far too late, but at this particular moment. We must not allow anything but the best to come to us. We cannot and must not accept anything but the very best. In conclusion, Dr. Ferrell stated that as we progress, the world progresses; and as we think the world thinks.

In closing a Greek Medley was played.

This is the season for thinking of others and giving thanks. Please do your share!

no one else enjoys his friendship. He can become so wrapped up in himself that he becomes very small."

—Sunshine Magazine

## The Student NEA At Work

The members of the P. W. Moore Chapter of S. N. E. A. are happy to inform the college family, that our school was selected by the State Executive Committee of the Student N.E.A. as the place of meeting for the planning session held November 15, at 1:00 p.m.

The purpose of the meeting is to make plans for the state conference to be held this winter. Approximately thirty persons will attend this conference. The president of each local chapter and the state officers will be present.

The officers of our P. W. Moore Chapter of S. N. E. A. for the year 1959-60 are: president, Odgen Fiddemon; first vice-president, Yvonne Hare; second vice-president, Don C. Morgan; secretary, Ellen Simms; treasurer, Shirley Winfield; reporters, Evelyn Leathers, and Trumillia Johnson; historian, Laree Swain.

S.N.E.A. membership is now thirty-eight. The installation of officers and the induction of new members will be held soon. The participation of more students in this organization is encouraged and welcomed.

Serving as recreational assistants at the Cale Street Youth Center is the project of the organization again this year. We hope that it will be a successful project, for there are many experiences from which all members can profit.

## Freshman Class News

The first meeting of the Freshman class was held in Moore Hall with a large number of freshmen present.

The officers elected to serve the Freshman Class for the school year, 1959-1960, are as follows: Leonard Slade, president; Randolph Beverly, vice-president; Carolyn Clemons, secretary; James Manly, treasurer; Edward L. Smith, sergeant-at-arms; and Roscoe F. Hager, student council representative.

The class would like to thank the instructors and fellow students for the warm welcome received during orientation week. The only hope is that they can go beyond that which is expected of them as a class.

Members of the class who have missed both class meetings are cordially invited to attend the third.

—Roscoe F. Hager

Mail all Christmas gifts for relatives and friends in the military service who are overseas no later than Dec. 10th via Air Mail.

## As We Think . . .

A wise man pasted this in his hat to serve as a reminder along the way of life.

"Any man can spoil himself for himself. He can allow himself to grow so sensitive that he lives in constant pain. He can nurse his grudges until they are an intolerable burden. He can think himself insulted until he is apt to be. He can believe the world's against him until it is. He can imagine troubles until they are. He can hold so many under suspicion that no one believes in him. He can insult his friends until they are no longer friends.

"He can think himself so important that no one else does. He can have such a good opinion of himself that



Largest Freshman Class In The History Of S. T. C.