Chez Condoret Cabaret fails to meet standards

By MARC ROUTH Staff Writer

well-trained voices, some inventive dialogue and a cohesive structure. But, "It Might as Well Be Spring" ... The Music of Richard Rodgers, the current offering of the Chez Condoret Cabaret, does not quite reach these standards in all three areas.

Compiled by Bob Arnel and Chris Kluttz, the revue seems oddly constructed, relying on a mostly chronological presentation which doesn't highlight the music most familiar to the audience. And the

dialogue is extremely sparse, adding little to the overall presentation. The opportunity to present some en-A successful musical revue requires tertaining anecdotes or stories is ignored and some very uninteresting fillers take

> The cast seemed to be lacking in energy throughout the evening. However, Cabaret regulars Maggie Roberts and Stephen Barefoot stood out as performers more comfortable with the cabaret style, and they were also somewhat more energetic. Steve Watkins and Bevin Murphy didn't seem relaxed enough with their material to allow the audience to enjoy the humor of the lyrics and the melodies.

The opening few numbers are not particularly noteworthy. Maggie Roberts has a chance to show some of her comic abilities in this portion. But Steve Watkins misses the heavier, more robust sound necessary for "Blue Moon," though Bevin Murphy does capture some of the intended solemnity in "My Heart Stood Still."

Still it is not until Stephen Barefoot's "The Lady is a Tramp," that any real energy takes over the stage. Even though Barefoot does not do the piece justice vocally, his enthusiasm excuses him.

"Everything I've Got Belongs to You," a duet between Murphy and Watkins, is most successful in taking

advantage of the cabaret style. The gentle opposition between the two provides both a humorous and an entertaining moment.

"Ten Cents a Dance" is an enjoyable moment as Roberts uses all her comic abilities to forge a polished rendition of the song. "My Funny Valentine" is performed with a warm, quiet, emotional quality by Barefoot that seems to mesh the lyrics and music in the way in which they were intended. "Poor Johnny One Note" was a zestful number, but unfortunately Murphy did not have the vocal power to ring out Johnny's one note loud and clear.

The Rodgers and Hammerstein set was among the most disappointing. The familiar songs seemed to be lost in an interesting but not particularly favorable arrangement. Some were introduced by the title of the musical, while others seemed to make their appearance unannounced.

For die-hard Richard Rodgers fans. the cabaret offers its audience the chance to hear over an hour of Rodgers' music. For those who are not that familiar with his music or are only familiar with his collaborations with Oscar Hammerstein, the evening may be a confusing one. The cabaret will be performed through April 11 with performances Wednesday through Saturday at 9 p.m. and special late shows on Friday and Saturday at 11 p.m. Reservations are required and can be made by calling 942-8714.



Campus Calendar

Public service enrouncements must be turned in at the box outside the DTH offices in the Carolina Union by 1 p.m. if they are to run the next day. Each item will be run at least twice.

TODAY'S ACTIVITIES

The Campus Governing Council will meet at 7:30 p.m. in The Order of the Old Well will meet at 7 p.m. on the first

Workshop at 3 p.m. in 210 Hanes Hall.

Peter Amost will lead a discussion on "Producing Classical Drama for a Modern Audience" at 10 a.m. in rooms 202-204

There will be a video lecture with Jean-Paul Simon at 8 p.m. in rooms 202-204 of the Union.

Derrick delicatebore will present a lecture on "Understanding Media Before and After Marshall McLuban" at 4 p.m. in

the Toy Lounge of Dey Hall.

Bance: "Center" with Marian Turner at 12:30 p.m. in Great The Senior Class Committee will meet at 4:15 p.m. in

Murphey 106.

Dr. Robert White will present a seminar on "Se Uncertainty in Policy-Making: The Climate Case," at 4 p.m. in 105 Berryhill Hall.

Applications for the reception for Michael Manley are due by 4:30 p.m. See the Union desk for details. The Association for Women Students will have its weekly

gathering at Linda's from 4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
Oscar Glah of the University of Michigan will speak on
"The Crisis of Health in the Third World: Critical Issues" at

Former U.N. Ambassador Donald Meffenry will speak at 8 p.m. in Memorial Hall.

The Anglican Student Fellowship will meet at 10 p.m. in the Chapel of the Cross. Alpha Chi Sigma will meet at 6:30 p.m. in 221 Venable.

Amnouncing: A New Progressive Jewish Organization A News Jewish Agenda will meet at 7:30 p.m. at Hillel. CHANGE is sponsoring a tour of the Shearon Harris Nuclear Power Plant. The carpool will leave the Looking

The Undergraduate Court has applications available in Suite C of the Union. Applications must be turned in by Wednesday, April 8.

The Global Issues Committee of the Campus Y will meet

in 206 of the Y at 3 p.m. Professor Howard Georgi of Harvard University will speak at 4 p.m. in 265 Phillips Hall.

Hege and the Heart Attackers will present a concert at 8

p.m. in the Union Snackbar

The weekly CROP lunch will be at noon in rooms 202-204 of the Union.
"Goodlife" similars will be appropried today by North
Carolina Memorial Hospital and the School of Medicine. COMING EVENTS

The Buptist Campus Ministry will present a program on campus ministry in Togo, West Africa, Thursday at 5:45 p.m. at the Battle House.

Anyone interested in going to the Southern Stu-Activist Network Convention in Atlanta should come to the S.A.M. meeting at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in room 207 of the

The Men's J.V. Tennin Team will play Ravenscroft Thursday at 2 p.m. on the Women's Varsity Courts.

discussion Thursday at 3:30 p.m. in the Toy Lounge of Dev

There will be a seminar on the effort in Iredell County to ban Brave New World Thursday at 7 p.m. in 105 Gurdner. The Miss-A-Meal Meditation Group will meet Thursday at 12:30 p.m. at the Baptist Campus Ministry.

Practice Interview Sessions will be held from 10 a.m. to noon and 2-4 p.m. Thursday in 211 Hanes.

North Campus Inter-Varsity will meet Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the University Church.

Anyone interested in being a chairperson of the Campus Y

Dinner Discussions should contact Jim Smalley at the Campus Y before Friday. "Mostling the Challenge of Being a Christian Lawyer" will be the bost of a conference this weekend at the Chapel of the Cross. The schedule is as follows: Friday, 7-9 p.m. and

aturday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Women in Law presents a workshop Saturday on techniques and strategies of women lawyers. The schedule is as follows: 10:00-12:00: Panel discussion in Law School

12:00- 1:00: Lunch in the Faculty Lounge

1:00- 3:45: Courtroom exercises in the school courtroom The Carolina Forum is now accepting applications for Michael Manley's reception which follows his speech at 8 p.m. April 6. See the Union desk for details.

The UNC Bultroom Dance Club will sponsor a dance from 8 p.m. until midnight Friday in the Women's Gym.

Applications for Student Health Advocate are available in Suite C. Apply by Friday, April 3.

Jazz Vocalist Besty Carter will appear in concert in Memoria Hall Sunday at 8 p.m.
The Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity presents its annual Black

and Gold Ball from 10 p.m. to 2 a.m. Saturday in Great Hall. Tickets may be purchased from any brother.

Michael Munley, ex-Prime Minister of Jamaica, will speak Monday at 8 p.m. in Memorial Hall.

Junior Marshal applications for the Senior Class of 1982 are available at the Union desk through Friday.

History of Manned Space Flight film series presents two NASA films on Apollo 14 and Apollo 15. All are welcome at 6:45 p.m. Thursday in 247 Phillips. Applications for Pre-Med (rising juniors or seniors) summer interaship July 20 to August 14 at Raleigh Compunity Hospital available in 311 South Bidg, and 101 Nash Hall.

Applications due Friday, April 3, in 311 South Building. Juried Art Exhibit to be judged Friday and exhibited throughout April. Information available at the Union desk. Anyone interested in tutoring for North Campus Star for the remainder of the semester and next year call 966-4084.

The Mid Campus Inter-Varsity will have a chapter meeting Thursday at 7 p.m. in the Morehead Cellar. CHEC will sponsor an informal small group discussion. Thursday at 3:30 p.m. in the Frank Porter Graham Lounge.

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Bach's Lunch will feature Nara Dewar Duncan and Douglas. Murray Thursday at 12:30 p.m. at the Chapel of the Cross.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Spring Prom sponsored by the Carolina Gay Association will be Saturday, April 4, at 9 p.m.

The University Counseling Center is open 6-9 p.m. Mondays for appointments with counselors. Need help with career or educational planning or personal and social problems? Call 933-2175 for appointments, or come browse in

the library, Nash Hall.

Dr. Robert White will speak on "Experimenting with the World's Cliente" Thursday at 8 p.m. in Rosenau Auditorium, French Presidential Elections will be the topic of PLITT REDUCED ADMISSION TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE UNION. THEATRES CAROLINA He leads a Nominated for Six rewarding life . . . nightly Academy Awards "THIEF" CRAWFORD Carolina Classics Series · Matinees at 2:30 & 4:45

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