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**The Graduating
Class of
1967**



CALENDAR

ATLANTA UNIVERSITY CENTER CONVOCATION:
February 5 — Mr. James H. Sheldon, Vice President of the Overseas Press Club of America.

ATLANTA UNIVERSITY CENTER TOWN MEETING:
February 9 — Reverend Samuel W. Williams, Department of Philosophy, Morehouse College, and Mr. Stokely Carmichael of SNCC.

LECTURE: February 24 — Mrs. Alice C. Rusk, Library Specialist, Baltimore City Public Schools, Baltimore, Maryland, "Changing the Traditional School Library into an Instructional Materials Center."

RELIGIOUS EMPHASIS WEEK: March 5-8 — Dr. Robert McAfee Brown, Professor of Religion, Special Programs in the Humanities, Stanford University, Palo Alto, California.

ATLANTA UNIVERSITY CENTER NON-WESTERN STUDIES PROGRAM: March 7 — Miss Pearl Buck, Author, "An Evening with Pearl Buck."

ATLANTA-MOREHOUSE-SPELMAN PLAYERS: March 13-18 — "Macbeth" by William Shakespeare, with Miss Diana Sands and Mr. Harold Scott.

ATLANTA UNIVERSITY CENTER TOWN MEETING: March 16 — Panel Discussion, Dr. Ronald Bailey, Atlanta University, Dr. Robert Fishman, Clark College, Senator Leroy Johnson, 37th District, and Representative Julian Bond, 136th District.

BOOK REVIEW: March 22 — *Dirty Politics* by Bruce Falknor — review by Dr. Prince Wilson, Executive Secretary of the Atlanta University Center Corporation.

ART EXHIBITION: April 2-30 — The Twenty-Sixth Annual Exhibition of Paintings, Sculpture and Prints by Negro Artists.

ATLANTA UNIVERSITY CENTER NON-WESTERN STUDIES PROGRAM: April 12 — Dr. George O. Roberts, Coordinator of African Studies, State University College, New Paltz, New York, "The Meaning of Afro-Americanism."

ATLANTA UNIVERSITY CENTER CORPORATION CONCERT: April 15 — The Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra, Mr. Lukas Foss, Director; Mr. Charles Rosen, Piano Soloist.

BOOK REVIEW: April 26 — Dr. Irene D. Jackson, Head, Department of Modern Foreign Languages, North Carolina College, Durham, North Carolina, "Pierre Teilhard de Chardin, the Man and his Works."

LECTURE: May 3 — Mr. Joseph Monserrat, "Socio-Cultural Factors Affecting the Adjustment of Puerto Ricans in the United States."

ATLANTA UNIVERSITY CENTER CORPORATION CONCERT: May 3 — The Eastman Brass Quintet.

LECTURE: May 10 — Mr. Max C. Gettinger, "Socio-Cultural Adjustment — A Challenge to Negro Youth."

ATLANTA-MOREHOUSE-SPELMAN PLAYERS: May 11-13 — "Volpone" by Ben Johnson.

CONCERT: May 14 — Atlanta-Morehouse-Spelman Chorus Spring Concert.

LECTURE: May 17 — Charles Barreras, Senior Social Worker, Gracewood State Hospital, State of Georgia, "Socio-Cultural Factors Affecting the Adjustment of Mexicans in the United States."

JOINT BACCALAUREATE SERVICE: May 28 — The Reverend Martin L. Harvey, Dean of Students, Southern University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

SPELMAN COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES: May 29 — The Honorable John Brademas, U.S. House of Representatives, 3rd District, Indiana.

ATLANTA UNIVERSITY COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES: May 29 — Dr. Frederick Douglass Patterson, President of the Phelps-Stokes Fund.

MOREHOUSE COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES: May 30 — Dr. Benjamin E. Mays, President, Morehouse College.

Twenty-Sixth Annual Art Exhibition



Alexander McMath, Morehouse College student, showing his prize-winning oil, "Prelude to a Kiss," to Sister Joyce Rowland and friends.

The Twenty-Sixth Annual Art Exhibition of Paintings, Sculpture and Prints by Negro American Artists opened in the Catherine Hughes Waddell Gallery of the Trevor Arnett Library on Sunday, April 2, and closed on Sunday, April 30. The Jury of Selection chose for exhibit thirty-eight oils, fifteen water colors, seven pieces of sculpture and twenty-five graphics. The judges were Joseph Perrin, Chairman, Art Department, Georgia State College, and John C. Hardy, lecturer in

architecture, Georgia Institute of Technology.

Gilbert Hatcher of Bronx, New York, received the John Hope Award for the Best Landscape for "Spring Frolic" — he won the first award in Oils — any subject — in 1965. Alexander McMath, a Morehouse College student studying art under Floyd Coleman, acting Chairman, Department of Art, Clark College, received the award for the Best Portrait or Figure in oils for "Prelude to a Kiss." A. D. Macklin of Ettrick,

Virginia, was awarded the purchase award for Any Subject in Oils for "Flowers and Paper Magnified." Mr. Macklin has exhibited regularly in the competition since 1963, but this was his first award.

Lucille D. Roberts, an art instructor at the District of Columbia Teachers College, Washington, D. C., received the prize awarded on the votes of those attending the exhibition for her oil, "Street in Senegal." Miss Roberts' works have been exhibited in previous years also, but this was the

first time she has won a prize. Freddie Styles of Atlanta and Annie L. T. Greene of LaGrange, Georgia, placed second and third in the balloting for "Spring Landscape" and "Innocence" respectively.

The first prize in Water Colors went to Alvin Smith of New York for "Reclining Nude." Mr. Smith, who won a first prize in Water Colors in 1961 and a first award in Oils in 1966, also captured the first award in Graphics for "Man Fleeing from Himself." Second prize in Water Colors went to an Atlanta art teacher, Eva Booker, for "The Girls." Miss Booker studied art at Clark College.

Irabell J. Cotton of West Virginia State College, Institute, won the first prize in Sculpture for "Despair." Second prize in Sculpture was awarded to Jack Jordan of Southern University in New Orleans, Louisiana, for "Old Slave." This is Mr. Jordan's seventh prize in the annual competitions, the last being in 1965.

In Graphics, the first prize went to Alvin Smith and the second award to Calvin Burnett of Brookline, Massachusetts, for "Recurring Dream."

Two Special Honorable Mentions were awarded: to Herman Bailey, who is artist-in-residence at Spelman College, for his pastel, "Efua," and to Charles McGee of Detroit for his drawing, "Harvest Time." Other Honorable Mentions awarded were: in Oils, to Calvin Burnett for "Jester's Costume"; Dorothy Lee of Atlanta, for "Untitled"; Jack Jordan for "Man Branding Steers"; Jewel W. Simon of Atlanta for "Foolish Fellow"; Annie L. T. Greene for "Innocence"; and E. L. Pryce of Tuskegee, Alabama, for "Juju's Remorse." In Water Colors, an Honorable Mention was awarded to Shirley Bolton of Athens, Georgia, for "The Bell Told."

Honorable Mentions in Graphics were awarded to Eugene Vango of Atlanta for "The Thinker," Lillie



Miss Eva Booker showing her prize-winning water color, "The Girls."



Herman Bailey, left, artist-in-residence at Spelman College, with his drawing, "Efua," which was awarded a Special Honorable Mention.

Kate Walker of Atlanta for "The Nude Ball" and Tommie Price of Tulsa, Oklahoma, for "Masquerade."

The prize-winning works now become part of the Atlanta University Contemporary Negro American Collection which is housed in the Art Gallery and on permanent view throughout the year.

Posters announcing the exhibition, designed and executed by Floyd

Coleman of Clark College, were displayed at libraries, universities and colleges, and art galleries in the city. Over one thousand people viewed the Exhibit through the month of April, and this number included groups of high school and art students. Mrs. Aruna Das, wife of Dr. Das of the School of Business Administration, served as attendant for the Annual Exhibition.

The June Convocation



The Processional.

The Ninety-Eighth Commencement Exercises were held in the Library Quadrangle on May 29.

President Rufus E. Clement conferred masters' degrees on one hundred and forty-eight students from twenty-three states and seven foreign countries — Ethiopia, Ghana, India, Pakistan, Sierra Leone, Taiwan and Tanzania.

The president's charge to the graduating class read as follows:

On this day on which the late dedicated President of the United States, John F. Kennedy, would have celebrated his fiftieth birthday, Atlanta University humbly takes pride in the fact that you, members of the Class

of 1967, are being welcomed into the ranks of human beings whose achievements are already beyond the level of the average man. The ceremony which we in the academic world call "commencement" has a twofold significance and meaning: (1) You have now stepped ahead of most of your brothers and sisters on this globe and (2) you are just beginning your new, fuller and — hopefully — richer and more meaningful life on this planet.

For the last months we have been preparing you for this new life. Today our period of preparation ends, now you take over!

You will go into many places

— some old, some new; some will be pleasant fields of activity, some may be harsh, and demanding upon your skills, your judgment, your wisdom and your energy. All of them, I trust, will be fields of great opportunity.

We look hopefully to you to carry forward the great traditions of this University, believing that you will find a way to do your work or that you will make one. We expect you not to forget to be successful in the more noble attempt to be of service to your fellow man — in the United States of America, in Europe, in Asia, in Africa,

in the islands of the seas — and wherever else you may dwell.

As we congratulate you and bid you Godspeed, may we express the hope that you will never forget your Alma Mater and, more important still, that you will never fail to use your every talent in the best interests of your fellow man — to the honor and glory of yourselves and of your God.

The School of Arts and Sciences graduated twenty-eight students, fifteen with the Master of Arts degree and thirteen with the Master of Science degree. Twenty-nine students received the Master of Social Work, twenty-nine the Master of Science in Library Service, forty-three the Mas-

ter of Arts in Education, and nineteen the Master of Business Administration.

Receiving the Master of Arts from the School of Arts and Sciences were: Mrs. Johnnie Mitchell Champen (Sharp), Darien, Ga., Ida Mae Hayes, Norfolk, Va., Mrs. Bertha Humphrey Hutchins, Waycross, Ga., Esther H. Owens, Montgomery, Ala., and Emma Lee York, Morton, Miss., in English; Vivian S. Brown, Alapaha, Ga., Alberta Mackey Jones, Vidalia, Ga., and Eula Mae Weary, Bogalusa, La., in French; Salmon McElroy Hollis, Jr., Dixie, Ga., in Political Science; Brenda E. Berryhill, New Orleans, La., Obbie A. Charles, St. Louis, Mo., Louise Jackson, Hot Springs, Ark., Oscar James

Moore, Hueytown, Ala., and Elizabeth C. Ross, Tuskegee Institute, Ala., in Sociology; James Sumana Funna, Magburaka, Sierra Leone, in Social Science.

Those receiving the Master of Science were: Mrs. Maryette Richardson Carter, Montgomery, Ala., Willie M. Clark, Jr., Meridian, Miss., Mrs. Mary Roberts Flemister, Atlanta, Arthur James Lacey, Jr., Atlanta, Theophilus Ealey Neal, Jr., Greensboro, N. C., Mrs. Rosie Allen Noble, Columbus, Ga., Gustav Atta Ofosu, Akwopim, Ghana, Julian Edward Thomas, Dublin, Ga., James Leodies Tucker, Planterville, Miss., Joseph Councill White, Mobile, Ala., and Richard Ernie Williams, Norfolk, Va., in Biology; Dorothy Anne

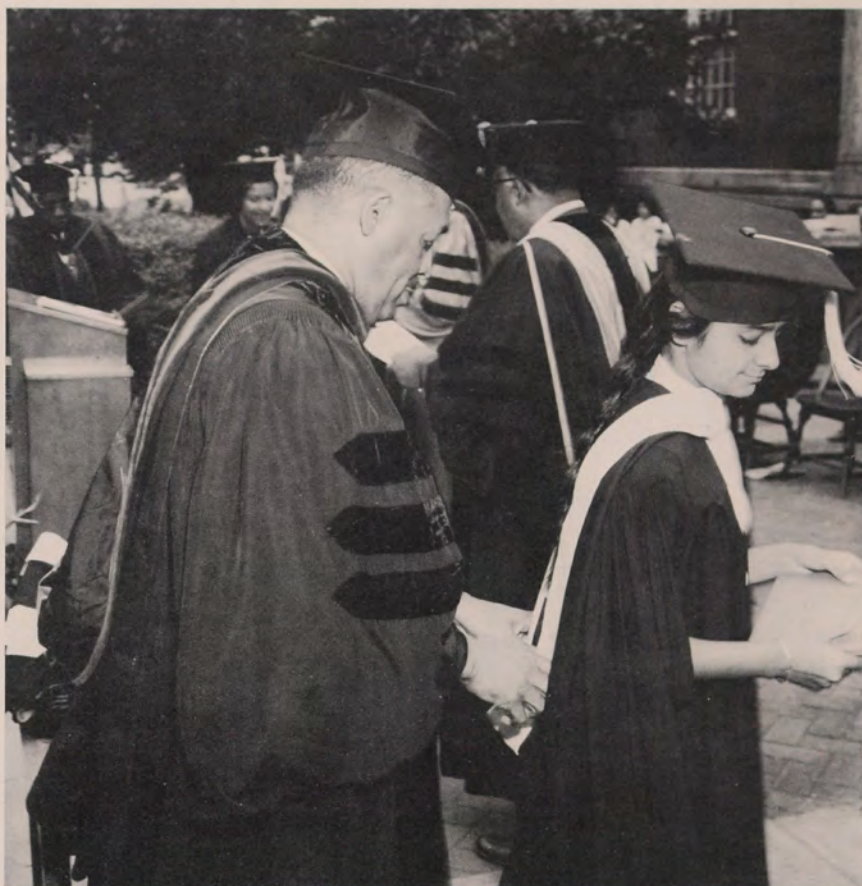


The Platform Party at the Commencement Exercises.

Beard, Gastonia, N. C., in Chemistry; and Roosevelt Moses Harvey, Memphis, Tenn., in Mathematics.

Receiving the Master of Social Work were: Mrs. Eleanor Lee Bartlett, Atlanta, Mrs. Phyllis A. Benton, Atlanta, Mrs. Nora Kalb Brandenburg, Atlanta, Zettler C. Clay, Jr., Rome, Ga., Birdex Copeland, Jr., Mansfield, La., Earl Franklin Dabney, Atlanta, Mrs. Magnolia Wilson Donahue, Augusta, Ga., Garwood Stephen Eberling, San Francisco, Calif., Barbara Jean Foster, Salisbury, N. C., Carl Travis Holtzclaw, Smyrna, Ga., Dorothy Aline Jamerson, Savannah, Ga., Mae Francis Johnson, Albany, Ga., Aurelia Juanita Jones, Franklinton, N. C., Sandra Faye Joyner, Fort Valley, Ga., James Roch Lemon, New York City, Harold A. McCormick, Cleveland, O., Elva Artamisha Miller, Colquitt, Ga., Barbara Lee Moore, Columbus, O., Benjamin Joseph Moss, Atlanta, William A. Perry, Jr., Greenwood, Miss., Bonnie Faye Pryor, Dallas, Tex., Erma Jean Rudolph, Birmingham, Ala., Arlene Phyllis Slotsky, Pittsburgh, Pa., Junelle Sparks, Atlanta, Nancy C. Stewart, Whitsett, N. C., Mrs. Lozona Doyle Tate, Birmingham, Ala., Mrs. Bobbie Sinkfield Ware, Atlanta, Patricia E. Weathers, Indianapolis, Ind., and Margaret Jewel Woodard, Houston, Tex.

The Master of Science in Library Service were awarded to: Mrs. Bernice M. Armstead, Gary, Ind., Mrs. Lola Mae Bell, Jacksonville, Fla., Mrs. Elfrida Cardwell Benson, Washington, D. C., Mrs. Cecilia W. Chao, Taipei, Taiwan, Yvonne Shun-Yin Chen, Tainan, Taiwan, Mrs. Brenda Sue Cole, Chicago, Ill., Jean Cornn, Pineville, Ky., Mrs. Rebecca Dixon Cotton, Tallahassee, Fla., Mrs. Ruby Dean H. Crews, Sycamore, Ga., Mrs. Deborah Smith Fouch, Atlanta, Robert J. Heath, Gadsden, Ala., Eleanor Joyce Hinton, Durham, N. C., Sallie Uvelia Jones, Fairmount, N. C., Caroline Chiawen Li,



Dr. Bacote arranging the hood on Miss Tehmina Bano Jafri of Karachi, Pakistan.

Tainan, Taiwan, Sharon Elaine Lundy, Waycross, Ga., Elizabeth Leona Mosby, Karns City, Pa., Mrs. Miller M. Parker, Augusta, Ga., Mrs. Shirley Cross Rush, Columbia, La., Chung-tai Shen, Taipei, Taiwan, Jacquelyn Yvonne Shuler, Ocala, Fla., Mrs. Rebecca M. Stepney, Charleston, S. C., Juliette Summerville, St. Paul, Minn., Catherine Lodora Tarter, Comer, Ala., Andrew Hsing-jen Wang, Tainan, Taiwan, Mrs. Barbara Sailes Warren, Birmingham, Ala., Miss Joyce Ellen Whitsitt, Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Ada Mae T. Williams, Millen, Ga., Gertrude Elizabeth Winston, Savannah, Ga., and Emily Yuan-chi Yeh, Taipei, Taiwan.

Those receiving the Master of Arts in Education were: Mrs. Barbara Taylor Banks, Dallas, Tex., Mrs. Willette Poston Bowling, Chattanooga, Tenn., Mrs. Kathryn M. J. Broughton, Atlanta, John Lee Byrd, New-

nan, Ga., Deanna Davis, Atlanta, Luther William Dennis, Atlanta, James Russell Doanes, Atlanta, Mrs. Vera Atkinson Durden, Cairo, Ga., Ernest Ray Eerkes, Oak Harbor, Wash., Alfred Evans, Fairfield, Ala., Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell Few, Atlanta, Mrs. Inez Lucille Ford, New Albany, Miss., Irvin J. Franklin, New Orleans, La., Mrs. Annie Williams Frye, Atlanta, Willie James Fussell, Fitzgerald, Ga., Henry Thomas Goodwin, Mobile, Ala., Raymond Joseph Harris, Atlanta, Mrs. Clara Yates Hayley, Atlanta, Mrs. Grace Ramsey Hilliard, Atlanta, Bettye Jeanelle Holloway, Barnesville, Ga., Elise Greene Hooks, Savannah, Ga., Mrs. Annie L. Ford Jackson, Atlanta, Tehmina Bano Jafri, Karachi, Pakistan, Mrs. Jacques Lightsey Jefferson, Atlanta, Ramona Johnson, Perote, Ala., James Edward Jones, Alapaha, Ga., Mrs. Jennie Johnson

Jones, Atlanta, Robert Lee Jones, Thomson, Ga., Mrs. Thelma Thomasina Lee, Savannah, Ga., Mrs. Eleanor Charltine Montgomery, Rome, Ga., Mrs. Hattie Bazelle Patman, Athens, Ga., Robert Lee Sellers, Atlanta, Houston Leslie Stansbury, Atlanta, Mrs. E. Yvonne Moon Stevens, Miami, Fla., Mrs. Mary Ruth Tolar, Forest Park, Ga., Mrs. June F. C. Turner, Minden, La., Tommy Lee Walton, Nashville, Tenn., Joan Marie Wilkerson, Atlanta, Mrs. Juanita Terry Williams, Savannah, Ga., Mrs. Narvie Hill Williams, Atlanta, Mrs. Evangeline Allison Winkfield, Atlanta, Mrs. Elise Palmer Wolfe, Atlanta, and Mrs. Dorothy Thomas Wood, Atlanta.

The Master of Business Administration was given to: George Lacy Bradford, Forest, Miss., Pravat Kumar Choudhury, Purulia, India, Leeronney Calvin Frederick, Williston, S. C., Natwarlal Mohanlal Gandhi, Bombay, India, Rose Mary Graham, Miami, Fla., Clementine Olivia Holliman, Philadelphia, Pa., Arun Lal, Agra, India, George Oscar Lawrence, Columbia, Ala., Ples Earl McIntyre, Jr., Albany, Ga., Man Chand Maloo, Jaipur, India, Felix Meta, Moshi, Tanzania, Herman Mixon, Birmingham, Ala., Manzoor Hussain Qureshi, Mianwali, West Pakistan, Kodurn V. Seshagiri Rao, Andhara Pradesh, India, Allareddy Chandramohan Reddy, Andhara Pradesh, India, Willie Earl Richardson, Jr., Pittsview, Ala., James Scriven, Baltimore, Md., Belay Wegayehu, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, and Wendell Frank White, Atlanta.

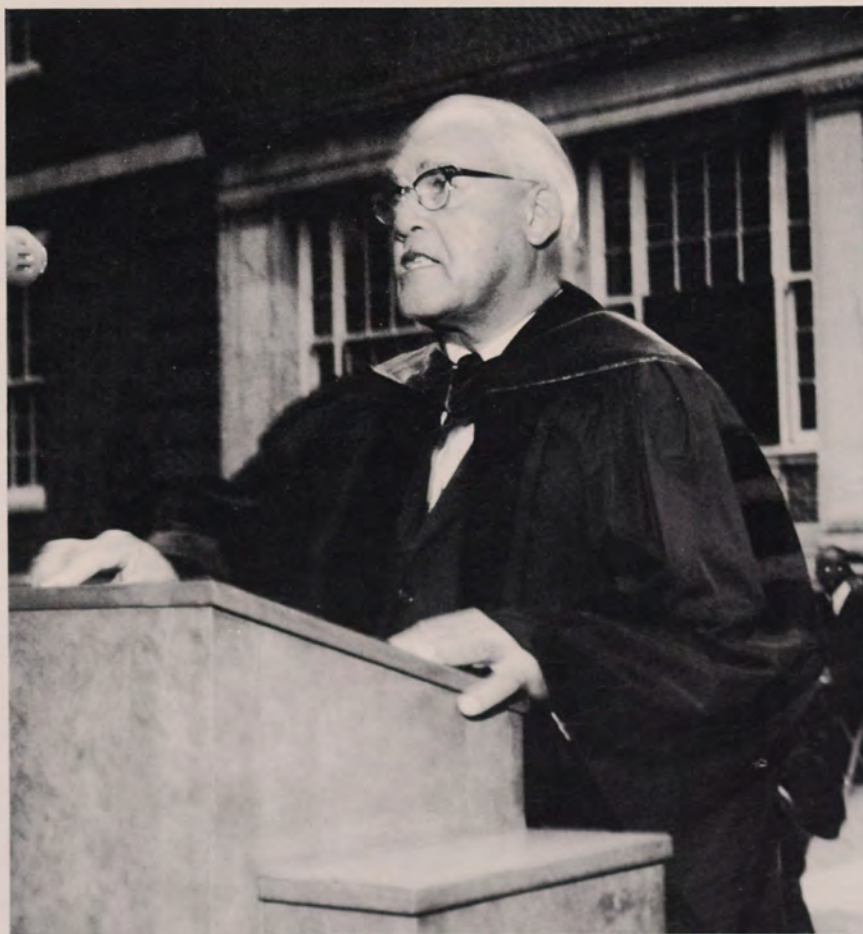
Dr. Frederick Douglass Patterson, president of the Phelps-Stokes Fund, New York City, was the commencement speaker. A native of Washington, D. C., Dr. Patterson founded the United Negro College Fund in 1943. He received the doctorate degree from Cornell University and commenced his academic career in 1923 as an instructor of veterinary science

at Virginia State College. In 1928 he moved to Tuskegee Institute where he became head of the Veterinary Division, and later, in 1933, director of the School of Agriculture. In 1935, he became the president of Tuskegee Institute, serving in that capacity for 18 years. Since 1951 he has been chairman of the Commission on Higher and Technical Education for the Republic of Liberia. He became president of the Phelps-Stokes Fund in 1957.

Warning his audience that in the area of civil rights, "what lies ahead is a more subtle and organized resistance," Dr. Patterson predicted that Negroes will face "new and subtle diversions and evasions." He urged the members of the graduating class to "attempt to qualify for new opportunities and to become involved at the ballot box."

Support for Atlanta University represents a superior investment for the nation as a whole, Dr. Patterson said, due to the fact that "the men and women who graduate from Atlanta University have, in addition to thorough preparation, an understanding concern for the problems of adjustment now plaguing our nation. They will, wherever they go, not try to escape from the problems of race; but will guide the total society through their knowledge and concern to those techniques and programs, which, while being corrective of racial ills, will add to the total well-being of our nation."

Continuing, Dr. Patterson said he was sure they would "add to the significant list of graduates of the predominantly Negro colleges who are serving throughout the nation and the world in a variety of important



Dr. Frederick D. Patterson, Commencement Speaker.

capacities. You will be wise and strong and sure enough to stand firm against the evaluation of race and racial institutions delivered with superficial erudition but wholly lacking in fundamental understanding. I hope some of you will return to Atlanta University for careers in teaching and research. We particularly need competent research by Negro scholars that will adequately reveal and document the history of worth of predominantly Negro institutions, including our colleges and universities. With these and in a diversity of careers, I am sure you will answer the call of service."

During the Exercises, Dr. Clement conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws on Dr. Patterson. Dr. Thomas D. Jarrett, dean, School of Arts and Sciences, read the following citation:

Distinguished educator; able administrator; outstanding contributor to scientific and educational advancement; trustee of numerous schools in the United States and abroad; or-

ganizer and former president of the United Negro College Fund; special assistant to the United States Secretary of Agriculture from 1944 until 1953; author of a plan to improve the housing of low-income farmers; member of President Truman's Commission on Higher Education in 1957, the International Bank Mission to Nigeria in 1953, and the Southern Regional Council; following an illustrious line of presidents at Tuskegee Institute, he performed yeoman's service in reshaping the program of the institution to meet the needs of a new economic order; long-time leader and spokesman for racial advancement in the South; firm believer in Negro institutions as continuing assets in the march for freedom; relentless advocate of the need for clarity of and adherence to organizational objectives by all institutions serving Negro life, whether they relate to business, education, or the general welfare; resourceful, energetic, and dedicated benefactor of mankind; one of the finest exam-

ples in modern times of a truly educated man; the president of the Phelps-Stokes Fund.

Dr. Clement also conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws on William Albert Robinson, Class of '13, who was presented by Dr. Edward K. Weaver, dean, School of Education, with the following citation:

Throughout his life, William Albert Robinson has dedicated himself to the growth and development of groups and individuals in their professional educational lives and in their human relations behavior. He pioneered in the upgrading of education throughout the nation, especially in the Southeastern and Southwestern United States, as a State Supervisor of High Schools in North Carolina and as a faculty member and principal of the Atlanta University Laboratory High School, a secondary school whose influence continues to affect the lives of the many Atlanta University faculty members and others who attended

Dr. Rufus E. Clement, President, Atlanta University, with recipients of the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws, l. to r.: Dr. William A. Robinson; Dr. Clement; and Dr. Frederick D. Patterson.





The Platform Party at the Baccalaureate Service.

this nationally famous secondary school. Under his direction, the Secondary School Study for the Southern states, financed by the General Education Board, came to national prominence as the counterpart of the Progressive Education Association's Eight-Year Study. He has been honored by the Governor of the State of Arizona and by his fellow educators as a great force in the human relations and civic struggles of the peoples of that state. A member of the Class of 1913, he has brought honor to his Alma Mater and to himself.

The Invocation was given by The Very Reverend Edward A. Driscoll, Executive Secretary of the Georgia Council of Churches, and Bishop Randolph P. Shy, Presiding Bishop

of the Sixth Episcopal District of the Christian Methodist Episcopal Church, gave the Prayer and Benediction. The Atlanta-Morehouse-Spelman Chorus, under the direction of Dr. Wendell P. Whalum, sang "Now Thank We All Our God" and "Soonah Will Be done."

On the preceding day, the joint Atlanta University, Morehouse College and Spelman College Baccalaureate Service was held in Sisters Chapel. Dr. Albert E. Manley, president, Spelman College, introduced the speaker, the Reverend Martin L. Harvey, dean of students, Southern University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Reverend Martin told the over four hundred graduates from the University and the two Colleges to "find a way to speak to people in terms

of ethics, truth and spiritual awareness. . . . The battle of liberty is over and today's generation faces a battle of equality of opportunity, economics, education, cultural and spiritual gains. Youth today are confronted with a full opportunity for success and failure, insensitivity and sensitivity, for good and bad. We face a sense of identity without being carbon copies"; he said, "we should think as men of action and act as men of thought."

Dr. Benjamin E. Mays, president, Morehouse College, presided over the service and the music was provided by the Atlanta-Morehouse-Spelman Chorus under the direction of Dr. Wendell P. Whalum, Morehouse College.

News from the Center

ATLANTA UNIVERSITY CENTER CONVOCATION

The Twenty-Fifth Annual Atlanta University Center Convocation was held in Sisters Chapel on Sunday, February 5. James H. Sheldon, vice president of the Overseas Press Club of America, the world's largest organization of foreign correspondents, was the guest speaker.

As an international newspaper figure, Mr. Sheldon said that as a leading country today, the United States must pay the price of world leadership by being "more responsible and more dedicated" towards democratic principles both at home and abroad, and that it had strong obligations to feed the underfed, to keep world peace and to proclaim democracy. He said that there is no reasonable excuse today for two thirds of the world's population to be underfed and one third actually near starvation. "It is morally wrong and technologically unnecessary," he said.

In the preservation of peace, the journalist said that this country must establish law and order worldwide, and rededicate itself to the idea of world organization. Defending U.S. policy in Viet Nam, Mr. Sheldon said that the United States can't remedy the situation by giving up, "because it has a military obligation to develop and restore independence to less developed areas, particularly areas of Southeast Asia."

Mr. Sheldon praised the efforts of Atlanta University Center for its work in civil rights and said that a country cannot practice injustice and expect other countries not to practice it.

Mr. Sheldon, who began his pub-



Mr. James H. Sheldon, Vice President, Overseas Press Club.

lic life as a political science professor at Boston University, is a columnist, a widely traveled foreign correspondent, civic leader and an outspoken critic of all enemies of freedom. As a foreign correspondent, he has covered most of the Middle East, Latin America, Africa, Eastern Europe and Southeast Asia, interviewing heads of state and the ordinary people. Prominently identified with the United Nations Association of the USA, and as a member of its National Research Commission and former Chairman of its New York Chapter, Mr. Sheldon is also active in many national affairs of the United Church of Christ, having

served as a member of its Advisory Board of Refugee Affairs and Chairman of the Christian Social Action Department. Establishment of the Office of Church and Race was a project initiated and carried through by Professor Sheldon.

The service was presided over by Dr. Rufus E. Clement, president, Atlanta University, and the music was provided by Dorothy Turnipseed and Loretta Caldwell of Clark College, and Sarah Perkins, Ronald Williams and William Hargrove of Morris Brown College, and the Atlanta-Morehouse-Spelman Chorus, under the direction of Dr. Wendell Whalum of Morehouse College.

Atlanta University Center Cultural Series

The Atlanta University Center Corporation Cultural Program Committee presented the Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra on April 22 in Sisters Chapel. Directed by Lukas Foss, the orchestra consists of eighty-one musicians and is considered one of the nation's foremost symphony orchestras.

The program included works by Bach, Webern and Ravel, the second half of the program being devoted to the latter composer. Soloist in the "Piano Concerto in G Major" by Ravel was Charles Rosen, who holds a doctorate in French literature from Princeton University and records for Epic and Columbia Records.

Lukas Foss, the musical director, became a professor of composition at the University of California in Los Angeles in 1953, succeeding Arnold Schoenberg. He was official pianist with the Boston Symphony Orchestra from 1944 to 1958 and has many compositions to his credit — "The Prairie," an oratorio based on Carl Sandburg's poem, "Song of Songs"; "String Quartet"; "The Jumping Frog of Calaveras County," a one-act opera buffa; and "Piano Concerto No. 2."

It was an excellent concert which drew an enthusiastic response from the audience.

On May 3, the second concert in the series was given. The Eastman Brass Quintet, a new sound in chamber music, performed brilliantly for the final program of the season. The Quintet was born when five soloists, Daniel Patrylak, trumpet; John Thyhsen, trumpet; Verne Reynolds, French horn; Donald Knaub, trombone; and Cherry Beauregard, tuba, began their unique musical association at the Eastman School in Rochester in 1961.



The Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra.



The Eastman Brass Quintet.

Religious Emphasis Week



A discussion group with Dr. Robert McAfee Brown (extreme right) during Religious Emphasis Week Observance.

The Atlanta University Center Religious Emphasis Observance services opened on Sunday, March 5, at Sisters Chapel with a sermon delivered by Dr. Robert McAfee Brown, professor of religion, Stanford University. His subject was "The Sacred and the Secular." In the evening, Dr. Brown headed a discussion which took place in Sadie Mays Lounge, Benjamin E. Mays Hall.

Dr. Brown, who received his Ph.D. from Columbia University and has studied at Mansfield College, Oxford, England, and St. Mary's College, St. Andrews University, Scotland, is involved in the Special Programs in Humanities now taking place at Stanford University, California. His special field is contemporary religious thought. He is the author of many books (*The Spirit of Protestantism*, *Portrait of Karl*

Barth, *Challenge to Reunion*, *Observer at Rome* and *The Collected Writings of St. Hereticus*) and is on the general editorial board of *Christianity and Crisis*, *Theology Today* and the *Journal of Ecumenical Studies*. In 1963, he attended the Second Vatican Council as a Protestant observer. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, the American Theological Society and the Society for Theological Discussion.

Dr. Brown is a Presbyterian minister who delights in dialogue with Protestants, Roman Catholics, theologians, and laymen of every degree of religious conviction.

Participating in the observance of Religious Emphasis Week were Atlanta University, Clark College, Interdenominational Theological Center, Morehouse College, Morris Brown College and Spelman College.

Speakers at the various institutions were: Dr. Ira Zepp, Dean of the Chapel, Western Maryland College, Westminster, Maryland, at Clark College; Dr. Frederick Jordan, Presiding Bishop of the 13th District of the AME Church, Hollywood, California, at Morris Brown College; Reverend Ben H. Richardson, Director, Religious Social Service Institute, Chicago, Illinois, at Morehouse College; and Mrs. Eliza Paschall, Executive Director of the newly-formed Community Relations Commission of the City of Atlanta, at Spelman College. At the opening service on Sunday afternoon, music was provided by the Atlanta-Morehouse-Spelman Chorus under the direction of Dr. Wendell P. Whalum, Morehouse College, and by Dr. Grace Boggs Smith, Spelman College, organist.

Atlanta-Morehouse-Spelman Players

This year, instead of the usual Spring Musical, the Atlanta-Morehouse-Spelman Players presented Shakespeare's "MacBeth." The role of Lady MacBeth was played by

Broadway stage and television star, Diana Sands, well-known for her Broadway roles in "The Owl and the Pussy Cat" and "Blues for Mr. Charlie" and for the motion picture, "A

Raisin in the Sun." Starring with Miss Sands as MacBeth was Harold Scott, a former member of the Lincoln Repertory Company.

The remainder of the cast was selected from local talent in the community and the AU Center. The play was directed by Dr. Baldwin W. Burroughs, Chairman, Department of Drama, Spelman College, and the set was designed by Edward Stafford, also of the Department of Drama. Wesley Bee designed the costumes.

The new dimension of student exposure to professionalism was in keeping with the latest trends in theater education, the intention being that professional players, by teaching and acting, will lift the production above the level of the usual amateur performance. Dr. Burroughs said that the A-M-S Players and the Drama Department benefitted extensively from the appearance of Miss Sands and Mr. Scott in this production, which played from March 14 through 18. Matinees for high school students were given on two afternoons.

The final play of the season was "Volpone" by Ben Johnson — a characteristic "dark comedy" of the Elizabethan period in English drama. It deals with greed as an evil which makes some rich, some fools, and everyone miserable at the conclusion. "Volpone" was directed by Edward Stafford, costumes designed and executed by Wesley Bee and sets and lighting by Robert Swinehart. The cast included Samuel Andrews, Patricia Reeves, Robert Garcia, Carmen Fennoy, Young Hughley, and Ann Lanier. The director handled the play as a farce with the characters lending much visual comedy to their roles; the play was edited by the director to appeal to a modern audience.



Miss Diana Sands as Lady MacBeth.



Scenes from "MacBeth" (top) and "Volpone" (bottom).



FEDERAL GOVERNMENT RECRUITERS ON CENTER CAMPUSES

On April 6, the Civil Service Commission and a number of government agencies who are members of the Southeastern Federal Recruiting Council sent a team of representatives to present an Employment Outlook Program to students of the colleges and university comprising the Atlanta University Center. Each year the Federal Government employs a large number of well-qualified college and university graduates for rewarding careers in a wide range of professions and occupations in the Federal Service.

The Federal Employment Outlook Program included presentations at the chapel services of Clark, Morehouse, Morris Brown and Spelman Colleges. Some of the agency representatives were at the chapel programs. During the afternoon, the agency representatives were in the Gymnasium, Morehouse College, where they had literature, information, applications forms, etc. Most of the agencies had a small exhibit depicting the activities and work situations of that agency.

Agencies participating in the program included Civil Service Commission, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Army Missile Command, Atlanta Army Depot, Atomic Energy Commission, Bureau of Census, Bureau of Public Roads, Communicable Disease Center, Defense Contract Administration Service, Department of Housing and Urban Development, Department of Labor, Federal Home Loan Bank Board, Forest Service, Internal Revenue Service, Kennedy Space Center, Marshall Space Flight Center, Small Business Administration, National Park Service, Navy Mine Defense Laboratory, Social Security Administration, Warner Robins Air Materiel Center, Weather

Bureau, Veterans Administration and Veterans Administration Regional Office.

CENTER ESTABLISHES BIOLOGY HONOR SOCIETY

The Atlanta University Center Biology Honor Society was formally established at a banquet held in February at the American Motor Hotel. Mrs. Jeanne Beatty, Research Professor, Emory University, was the principal speaker. The Biology Honor Society is made up of advanced undergraduate students, who have scholastic averages of B or better in their major field, graduate stu-

dents, and faculty members from the biology departments of the institutions within the Center.

During the banquet, charter members were inducted into the Honor Society, and the following officers were installed: Renty Franklin, Atlanta University, president; Maxine Hayes, Spelman College, vice president; Jeanne Lenhardt, Spelman College, recording secretary; Michael Lois Purify, Atlanta University, corresponding secretary; Jimmy E. Williams, Morehouse College, treasurer; and Sandra Cheevers, Atlanta University, editor. Dr. Norman Kowal, Clark College, and Dr. Lafayette Frederick, Atlanta University, are the faculty sponsors.



Officers of the Atlanta University Center Biology Honor Society, l. to r.: Jeanne Lenhardt, Recording Secretary; Renty Franklin, President; Maxine Hayes, Vice President; Sandra Cheevers, Editor; Jimmy E. Williams, Treasurer; and Michael Lois Purify, Corresponding Secretary.

DR. MAYS OF MOREHOUSE RETIRES



Dr. Benjamin E. Mays.

Benjamin Elijah Mays retired on June 30, after serving as president of Morehouse College for twenty-seven years.

Born in South Carolina, graduating as valedictorian of his high school class, and with honors from Bates College, Lewiston, Maine, in 1920, Dr. Mays received the Master of Arts degree in 1925 and the Ph.D. degree in 1935 from the University of Chicago. Recipient of many honorary degrees and honors and author of numerous books and articles, Dr. Mays has spent his life in promoting racial friendship and understanding and in educating and developing fellow members of the human race.

Members of the faculty, administration and staff, and alumni of Atlanta University extend to Dr. Mays and his wife, Sadie, best wishes for good health and a long and happy retirement.



AU CENTER TOWN MEETING SERIES

The Atlanta University Center Forum Series arranged three Town Meetings during the second semester under the chairmanship of Dr. Robert H. Brisbane, Department of Political Science, Morehouse College.

The first Town Meeting was held on February 9 and consisted of a dialogue between Stokely Carmichael of SNCC and the Reverend Samuel W. Williams, professor of philosophy and Chairman of the Department, Morehouse College.

On March 16, Leroy Johnson, '52, Senator, 37th District, State of Georgia; Julian Bond, Representative, 136th District, House of Representatives; Dr. Robert Fishman, professor of political science, Clark College; and Dr. Ronald B. Bailey, professor of political science, Atlanta University, discussed "Lester Maddox and the Future of Georgia Politics."

The third and final meeting was held on May 4 when students from the undergraduate colleges participated in a panel discussion.



HUGH M. GLOSTER, CLASS '33, PRESIDENT OF MOREHOUSE COLLEGE

Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, *Class '33*, has been named as the incoming president of Morehouse College. This distinguished alumnus began his higher educational training at Le-Moyne College and received his B.A. degree in 1931 from Morehouse, receiving the A.M. in English from Atlanta University in 1933. He received the Ph.D. degree from New York University in 1943. Prior to his appointment to Morehouse College, he was Dean at Hampton Institute, Hampton, Virginia.

Dr. Gloster has also served on the faculties of Le Moyne and Morehouse Colleges as well as New York University, and has been a visiting professor on the faculties of Hiroshima University in Japan and the University of Warsaw in Poland.

Dr. Gloster will assume his duties at Morehouse College on July 1. Members of the faculty, administration and staff and alumni of Atlanta University extend to Dr. Gloster a happy return to the Atlanta University Center and best wishes for a continuing successful career.

Dr. Hugh M. Gloster.



Center Reading Conference

The Ninth Annual Reading Conference was held at Atlanta University Center on April 7 and 8. Five institutions in the Center — Atlanta University and Morris Brown, Clark, Spelman and Morehouse Colleges — sponsored the Conference, which had as its theme "Recent Innovations in Reading: Their Meaning and Application."

The opening address was given by Dr. H. Alan Robinson, University of Chicago, on April 7. During the two days of sessions, group discussions were held on "Linguistics and Reading" and "Programmed Instruction." Consultants for the group discussions were: Dr. Hazel D. Simpson, University of Georgia; Mrs. Rosemary G. Wilson, Philadelphia Public School System; Dr. Helen K.

Smith, University of Chicago; and Dr. George Spache, University of Florida. The featured speaker at the dinner meeting on April 7 was Dr. Nila Banton Smith from Glassboro State College, New Jersey.

During the closing session on April 8, the consultants made brief summary statements; the closing remarks were made by Dr. Lynette S. Gaines, director, Reading Center.



Participants (top) at the Ninth Annual Reading Conference and a Workshop Session (bottom).



CAMPUS BRIEFS



Miss Sandra Faye Joyner of Fort Valley, Georgia, and Lee Andrew Naves of Birmingham, Alabama.

1967-68 MERRILL FELLOWS

Miss Sandra Faye Joyner of Fort Valley, Georgia, and Lee Andrew Naves of Birmingham, Alabama, are the recipients of the Merrill Foreign Study Travel Awards for the year 1967-68. These students received a grant of \$3,000 each given by Mr. Charles Merrill, a member of the University Board of Trustees, for a

year's study abroad.

Miss Joyner, who is majoring in social work, will spend a year in Italy and Sweden, pursuing this discipline. Mr. Naves, who is a candidate for the master's degree in business administration, will study and travel in England, studying business administration and specifically human relations.

CHEMISTRY-PHYSICS SYMPOSIUM

The Academic Year Institute for High School Teachers of Science and Mathematics sponsored a Chemistry-Physics Symposium on April 13 and 14. Participants represented various Academic Year Institutes and Departments of Chemistry and Physics of colleges and universities throughout the country.

At the opening session on April 13, Dr. Donald Henderson, Program Director, Research Training and Academic Year Study Programs, National Science Foundation, gave the opening address on "Trends in Teaching Training Programs"; Dr. Thomas D. Jarrett, Dean, School of Arts and Sciences, made the welcoming remarks; and Dr. K. A. Huggins, Director, Academic Year Institute, Atlanta University, presided. The afternoon sessions were presided over by Dr. James W. Cole, Jr. of the University of Virginia and Dr. T. H. Whitehead of the University of Georgia. Dr. Michael M. Frodyma of the University of Hawaii presided over the morning session on April 14.

The various sessions covered such topics as: A Physics Course at Grade 10; New Developments in College Chemistry — The AC₃ Program; Choice of Laboratory Work in Refresher Courses; The Use of Lecture Experiments; Participation in Research; Working Chem Study Material into Refresher Courses; Laboratory Work for High School Teachers; Chemical Bonding—the Principal of the Chemical Bond by Electron Sharing; What Makes You Think that Force is a Vector Quality?; and Reflections on the Teaching of Science at the Secondary level.

Conference on Library Education in The South



At the Conference on Education in the South Banquet, l. to r.: David Remington, Bro-Dart, Inc.; Mrs. Venable Lawson; Dr. Edward A. Jones, Morehouse College; Dr. Virginia Jones, Dean, Atlanta University School of Library Service; Dr. Lester Asheim, Director, Office of Library Education, American Library Association; Mr. Venable Lawson, Dean, Division of Librarianship, Emory University; Dr. Jack Dalton, Dean, Columbia University School of Library Service; Mrs. Hallie B. Brooks, Associate Professor, Atlanta University School of Library Service; and Mr. John Clemons, Associate Professor, Division of Librarianship, Emory University.

The School of Library Service, Atlanta University, with the cooperation of the Division of Librarianship, Emory University, sponsored a Conference on Library Education in the South which was held on April 20-22. The purposes of the Conference, which was made possible by a grant from the Rockefeller Foundation, were to identify the needs for library education and training in the South, to assess the problems involved in providing instruction and to explore the possibilities of improving conditions.

At the opening session, at which Mrs. Hallie B. Brooks, associate professor of library service, presided, the participants were greeted by Dr. Virginia Jones, dean, School of Library Service, and Dr. A. Venable Lawson, director, Division of Librarianship, Emory University. The opening address was given by Dr. John M. Cory, deputy director, the New York Public Library, on the subject, "Regional Problems Related

to Library Education in the South."

In the following sessions of the three-day Conference, problem areas in library education were discussed. Group workshops were held on Personnel, Education, Specialization and Cooperation and at the closing session, reports on these workshops were given. Mrs. Rebecca Reed, Library Education Specialist, United States Office of Education, gave the Conference Summary.

At the Conference Banquet on April 20, held in the Matador Room of Paschal's Motor Hotel, and at which Dr. Jones presided, the Director of the American Library Association Office of Library Education, Lester Asheim, spoke on "The Role of the ALA Office of Library Education."

Approximately one hundred and twenty-five people from ten Southern states participated, including representatives of graduate library schools, undergraduate and junior college library technician programs, state li-

brary agencies and a selected group of librarians in the region.

Dean Jones said that it was hoped the Conference would contribute to the establishment of a plan for future development and continuous evaluation and improvement of library education in the region.



Dr. Lester Asheim.

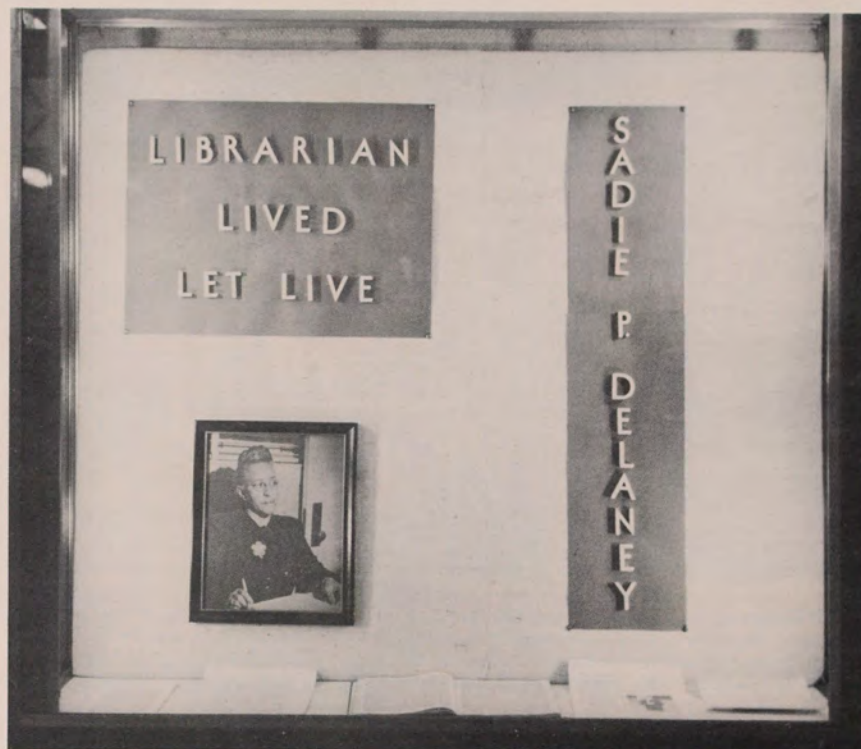
MENTAL RETARDATION SEMINAR

The special education area of the School of Education held a two-day seminar on April 27-28 on Mental Retardation. During the seminar, participants sought to examine the links between cultural deprivation and poor school and test performances and discussed some of the problems that emerge when cultural deprivation is deemed a likely cause of mental retardation.

The seminar opened with a dinner meeting in the Georgia Room of the American Motor Hotel on April 27, at which the speaker was Dr. Dan Dodson, Director of the Center for Human Relations Studies at New York University. Dr. Dodson, who is widely known as an authority on school desegregation and intergroup relations, has served as a special consultant with many urban school systems in helping to solve problems of racial imbalance and desegregation and as editor of the *Journal of Educational Sociology* from 1943 to 1963.

The general meeting of the seminar was held on April 28, at which time Dr. Dodson gave his second lecture. Discussion groups for seminar participants and a final evaluation session followed during the remainder of Friday.

Dr. Mildred W. Barksdale and Mrs. Vera C. Penn of the special education faculty of the University were co-chairmen of the seminar and other members of the special education and School of Education faculty and staff assisted. Members of the community, especially school principals and special education personnel, were invited to attend the sessions of the seminar.



**SADIE PETERSON DELANEY
EXHIBIT IN FOYER OF LIBRARY**

Sadie Peterson Delaney, the "librarian who lived and let live," was given recognition in an exhibit in the foyer of the Trevor Arnett Library during the month of January. The idea to honor Dr. Delaney originated with the receipt of gifts to Atlanta University by her daughter, Mrs. Peterson Hooks, in 1966 and 1967.

Dr. Delaney served as Chief Librarian of the United States Veterans Administration at Tuskegee, Alabama, and was a pioneer in the development of the science of bibliotherapy. She served on numerous committees and on the council representing the Hospital Library Association, and received the honorary degree of Doctor of Humanities from Atlanta University in 1950.

Dr. Delaney was vitally interested in the training of qualified people for the library profession and in keeping with her desires, a scholarship fund was established in her memory at Atlanta University for students in the School of Library Service. Approximately \$3,082 has been loaned to students through the revolving Sadie Peterson Delaney Memorial Scholarship Fund. Donations to it are still being received.

Books and pictures pertaining to Negro Americans that were in Dr. Delaney's personal collection were given to the Trevor Arnett Library by Mrs. Hooks in 1966. Mrs. Hooks gave some of the stamps from Dr. Delaney's valuable collection to the School of Library Service, which will be sold and the proceeds added to the Scholarship Fund.

NDEA Institute For Advanced Study in Counseling And Guidance in 1967-68

Atlanta University will hold a Training Institute for Advanced Study in Counseling and Guidance for Elementary and Secondary School Personnel during the 1967-68 academic year. The Institute, which is under a grant with the United States Office of Education as authorized by the National Defense Education Act of 1958, will cover a thirty-seven week period from September 18 through May, 1968.

The staff will include in addition to Dr. Clifford, the director of the Institute, Dr. Huey E. Charlton, associate director, Dr. William J. Donaldson, Dr. Thesba N. Johnston, Dr. Linwood D. Graves, Dr. Frances W. Logan and Dr. Robert L. Smothers of Atlanta University; Dr. Pearl C. Dove, Clark College; and Dr. Oran W. Eagleson, Spelman College. Special lecturers from Atlanta University will be Dr. Tilman C. Cothran, Ware Professor of Sociology, and Dr. Hubert B. Ross, associate professor of anthropology.

Visiting lecturers include Dr. Warren Findley, University of Georgia, Dr. Robert Morrow, University of Tennessee, and Dr. William S. Jackson, dean, School of Social Work, Atlanta University.



Participants in the Atlanta University Institute for Advanced Study in Counseling and Guidance for Elementary and Secondary School Personnel, 1966-67.



University Chapter of American Marketing Association Formed



Members of the newly-formed Atlanta University Chapter of the American Marketing Association, with faculty and guests.



Officers of the Chapter, l. to r.: Leeroney C. Frederick, President; Frank Robinson, Parliamentarian; Sat Paz Sharma, Vice President; Hubert C. Evans, Business Manager; and Ramesh Bhuta, Secretary.

The University has formed a chapter of the American Marketing Association on its campus. On May 18, the chapter held the Charter Presentation Ceremony when Leeroney C. Frederick, president of the newly-formed chapter, presented the Certificate of Charter to Dr. Harding B. Young, dean, School of Business Administration. Other officers of the chapter — Sat Paz Sharma, vice president; Hubert C. Evans, business manager; Frank Robinson, parliamentarian; and Ramesh Bhuta, secretary — and other charter members were also present.

Clayton Cossé, prominent Atlanta advertising executive, a member of the National Association and former president of the Atlanta Chapter, spoke to the charter members concerning the whole spectrum of marketing, emphasizing advertising and selling. Mrs. Cossé accompanied her husband, and in addition to Dr. Young, Dr. K. K. Das, professor of business administration, was present to represent the faculty of the School

of Business Administration. Dr. John V. Petrof, associate professor of business administration, who is advisor of the Atlanta University Chapter, was unable to attend the ceremony due to pressing business out of the city.

The objectives of the University Chapter are to encourage students to choose a career within the field of marketing; to stimulate and encourage the scholarship of students presently in the marketing curriculum; to serve as an effective medium for the exchange and distribution of information on the problems, policies and business methods, with special emphasis on marketing; to strengthen the ties between executives in business and students preparing to enter business; and to provide students with the opportunity to participate in the organizing, planning, directing and controlling of the activities of an organization dedicated to the promotion and advancement of the art and science of marketing.

SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK FORUM SERIES

The School of Social Work arranged a Forum Series on "The Adjustment of Minority Groups in the United States" during the month of May. The series of lectures, which was financed by a grant from the National Institute of Mental Health, opened on May 3 with two lectures by Joseph Monserrat, National Director, Department of Labor and Migration, Commonwealth of Puerto Rico. His topics were "The Economic, Political and Socio-Cultural Climate in Puerto Rico" and "Socio-Cultural Factors Affecting the Adjustment of Puerto Ricans in the United States."

Max C. Gettinger, Executive Director of the Jewish Family and Children's Bureau of the Jewish Social Service Federation of Atlanta, was the speaker at the evening lecture and at one held earlier in the day on May 10. His topic at the morning lecture was "Cultural Patterns of Jewish Immigrant Groups to the United States" and at the evening lecture, "Socio-Cultural Adjustment — A Challenge to Negro Youth."

Charles Barreras, Senior Social Worker, Gracewood State Hospital, State of Georgia, was the speaker at the morning and evening lectures held on May 17. His topics were "Economic, Political and Socio-Cultural Climate in Mexico Affecting Migration to the United States" and "Socio-Cultural Factors Affecting the Adjustment of Mexicans in the United States," respectively.



Dr. Harding B. Young (left), Dean, School of Business Administration, receiving the Charter of the University Chapter of the American Marketing Association from the President of the Chapter, Leeroney C. Frederick.

WELFARE PROBLEMS CONFERENCE

Atlanta University, Clark College and North Carolina State University jointly sponsored a three-day conference on welfare problems and public policy on April 19-21. About one hundred persons from across the nation participated in the meetings which were held at the Atlanta Biltmore Hotel. Topics of speeches and interest groups included a critique of current welfare problems: The Poor, Politics and Welfare Policy; Legal Rights of the Poor; Family Allowances and Income Maintenance; and Training and Retraining of Welfare Recipients.

Among the speakers were Leon Keyserling, former chairman of the President's Council of Economic Advisors; Lisle Carter, Assistant Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare; John Feild, director of the Community Relations Service; George Wiley of the Poverty-Rights Action Center in Washington, and former Congressman Charles L. Weltner of Atlanta.

Other conference speakers were Mrs. Camille Jeffers of the Atlanta University School of Social Work; Leonard J. Hausman, University of Wisconsin; Edward V. Sparer, Columbia University School of Social Work; Christopher Green, North Carolina State University; and President Vivian W. Henderson of Clark College.

DOW CHEMICAL COMPANY FELLOWSHIP

The School of Business Administration has received from the Corporate Contributions Committee of the Dow Chemical Company a \$1,000 Fellowship, which will be awarded annually for three years and is sub-

ject to extension at the end of the second year. It is restricted to holders of a bachelor's degree in science or engineering.

The Dow Chemical Company Fellowship in Business Administration was made to the University as a personal tribute to Dr. Harding B. Young, the Dean of the School.

SUMMER INSTITUTE FOR COLLEGE RESIDENCE HALL COUNSELORS

The University has received a grant under Title V (B) of the National Defense Education Act administered by the United States Office of Education, to hold a six-weeks Institute for Advanced Study in Counseling and Guidance for College Residence Hall Counselors from June 5 to July 14. The Institute will be directed by Dr. Huey E. Charlton, professor of guidance and counseling.

The objectives of the Institute will be to improve the professional competence of residence hall counselors by developing an understanding of college-age youth and their needs and by developing skills in working with teachers, administrators and other personnel workers for the purpose of promoting the development of college youth and their needs.



SCHOOL OF LIBRARY SERVICE LECTURER

On February 24, the School of Library Service presented Mrs. Alice C. Rusk, Library Specialist with the Baltimore, Maryland, City Public Schools, in a lecture entitled "Changing the Traditional School Library into an Instructional Materials Center."

Mrs. Rusk has had a rich background of experience as a public school teacher, as a school librarian and as a Library Specialist with the Baltimore City Public Schools. She has been involved with the Knapp School Libraries Project in which the Mount Royal Elementary School of Baltimore was chosen as one of three demonstration centers. Mrs. Rusk is a graduate of Morgan State College and the Department of Library Service of The Catholic University of America. She has done advanced study at John Hopkins University, University of Pennsylvania and New York University. She is the author of *Easy Ways to Displays: A Library Publicity Handbook*.

PORTRAIT OF FRANKIE V. ADAMS UNVEILED

The portrait of Miss Frankie V. Adams, retired professor of social work, was unveiled on March 1 at a tea sponsored by the faculty and staff of the School of Social Work. The portrait now hangs on the second floor of the School of Social Work Building.

The portrait, which was painted by Jewel Simon, outstanding Atlanta artist, was donated to Atlanta University by the National Alumni Association of the School of Social Work. About one hundred persons representing faculty, staff, students, alumni and friends were present.

Miss Adams retired from the faculty of Atlanta University in 1964, after thirty-three years on the faculty of the School of Social Work. During this period she taught nearly three thousand five hundred students, many of whom are now prominent in the field of social work.

The committee members who planned this event were Mrs. Mamie Darlington, chairman; Sister Joyce Rowland; Mrs. Joan McTeer; and Miss Victoria Scott.

BOOK REVIEW SERIES

The School of Library Service opened its second semester Book Review Series with a review of Bruce Falknor's *Dirty Politics* by Dr. Prince Wilson, Executive Secretary of the Atlanta University Center Corporation. As Executive Director of the Committee for Fair Campaign Practices for more than ten years, Bruce Falknor has had a unique opportunity to study full time the conduct of American election campaigns in terms of political ethics. The book is the story of dirty campaigning and political chicanery in America, from the time of Washington, when politics was the concern of an elite few and news traveled slowly, to the present day, when every citizen may vote and news travels at the speed of light.

The second in the series was a discussion of the life and some of the works of Pierre Teilhard de Chardin by Dr. Irene Dobbs Jackson, Head, Department of Modern Foreign Languages, North Carolina College at Durham. Pierre Chardin, a Jesuit priest and the author of *The Divine Milieu* and *The Phenomenon of Man*, is well-known for his efforts to create a link between religious faith and scientific reasoning.

Regional Conference on Business



Speakers at the Regional Conference on Business with Dr. Harding B. Young (center); Dr. John H. Nixon (left) and Mr. John Patterson (right).

The Graduate School of Business Administration in cooperation with the Regional Economic Development and Business Service Center, a project of the Economic Development Administration, United States Department of Commerce, sponsored a Regional Conference on Business on March 30 and 31.

Over forty participants from the Southeast region attended the Conference, the theme of which was "Improving Managerial Skills for Fuller Participation in American Business." The Conference was partly financed by a grant from the Stern Family Fund, New York City.

The keynote speakers at the opening session on March 30 were Dr. John H. Nixon, Director, Office of Technical Assistance, Economic Development Administration, Washington, D. C., who spoke on "New Di-

rections for the City's Economy" and Mr. John Patterson, Executive Director, Interracial Council for Small Business, New York, who discussed "Negro Businessmen in the American Economy." Dr. Harding B. Young, Dean of the School of Business Administration, presided at the opening session.

Other sessions included: "Improving Managerial Skills" at which the speakers were Dr. Michael Mescon, Head, Department of Management, Georgia State College, Atlanta, and Dr. Wilford White, Director, Small Business Guidance and Development Center, Howard University; "Overcoming the Financial Barrier" at which the speakers were Marvin Z. Botnick, Assistant Vice President, First National Bank, Atlanta, Robert B. Leisy, Vice President, Center for Independent Action,

New York, and Wayne Shields, Field Coordinator, Economic Development Administration, Athens, Georgia; and "Planning for the Future" at which William J. Kennedy, III, Financial Vice President, North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, Durham, North Carolina, and Robert Hawes, Vice President, and Mr. Alexander Exum, Public Relations Supervisor, J. Walter Thompson Company, New York, were the speakers. The Conference summary and evaluation, which constituted the final session, was under the direction of Edward L. Simon, Chief Auditor, Atlanta Life Insurance Company, Atlanta.

A Conference Banquet was held at Mays Hall, Morehouse College, on the evening of March 30, at which Dr. John V. Petrof, associate professor of business administration, presided. Dr. Joseph Schwartz, professor of marketing, Georgia State College, Atlanta, was the speaker and his topic was "There is Magic in Thinking Big."

The Conference Planning Committee included: R. O. Sutton, Vice President, Citizens Trust Company; E. L. Simon; Thomas Cordy, President, Atlanta University Chapter of the Society for the Advancement of Management; Harold N. Arnold, Executive Secretary, Atlanta Urban League; Richard Lyle, Director of Vocational Services, Atlanta Urban League; Charles E. Prothro, Jr., Assistant Director, Regional Economic Development and Business Service Center; Mrs. Sophia Lovelace, Secretary, Atlanta Business League; Robert A. Thompson, Special Assistant to the Southeastern Regional Administrator, Housing and Urban Development; Jacob R. Henderson, Field Coordinator, Economic Development Administration; and Dr. Carl Franklin, professor of business administration, and Dr. Harding B. Young, dean, School of Business Administration, Atlanta University.



Session leaders and speakers at the Regional Conference on Business.



Participants in the Regional Conference on Business with members of the faculty of the School of Business Administration.

FACULTY ITEMS

Mrs. Kathryn A. Brisbane, assistant professor of social work, served as a consultant in a training program for Head Start volunteers which was held in Auburn, Alabama, and in a Vista Volunteer training program held at the E. J. Jones Training Center in Atlanta, during March and April.

Mrs. Camille Jeffers, associate professor of social work, was one of the speakers at the Welfare Problems and Public Policy: Changing Issues and New Directions Conference held April 19-21 at the Atlanta Biltmore Hotel. The conference was sponsored by Clark College, Center for Studies in Public Policy; Atlanta University School of Social Work; and the Agricultural Policy Institute, North Carolina State University.

Dr. Robert L. Smothers, associate professor of educational psychology, School of Education, attended the 74th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association which was held in New York on September 2-6, 1966. He also attended the Southeastern Psychological Association meeting on April 13-15 and the Georgia Branch of the American Personnel and Guidance Association meeting on March 2-3. Both meetings were held in Atlanta. He also participated in the Integrative Seminar on Mental Retardation which was held at the University on April 27-28.

Dr. Smothers spoke to Morehouse College freshmen on March 9 on the subject, "Effective Study Techniques."

Dr. Huey E. Charlton, professor of guidance and counseling, School of Education, was the speaker for the R. L. Cousins High School Teacher of the Year Banquet and the Lena J. Campbell Elementary School Teacher of the Year Banquet. He served as a consultant for the Atlanta Public Schools at an in-service training program at the S. H. Archer High and the W. A. Carter Elementary Schools in Atlanta. He also spoke at the Student National Education Association Forum program which was held at Spelman College.

Dr. Charlton attended the National Convention of the American Personnel and Guidance Association in Dallas, Texas, on March 19-23, and the Atlanta Area Workshop on Preparing Teachers to Work with Disadvantaged Youth which was held at Callaway Gardens, Georgia, on March 5-8. He attended two conventions in Atlanta — the Annual Convention of the Southeastern Psychological Association on April 13-15 and the State Convention of the Georgia Personnel and Guidance Association, and was in Washington for the National Meeting of Directors of NDEA Institutes.

Dr. Charlton will direct, under a grant from the U.S. Office of Education to Atlanta University, an Institute for Residence Hall Counselors at the University this summer.

Miss Estelle C. Clemmons, assistant professor of social work, attended a meeting of Pupil Personnel Educators in Perry, Georgia, on May 3-4. The meeting, which was held at the Holiday Inn in Perry, was sponsored by the State of Georgia Department of Education.

Dr. Rufus E. Clement, president, attended a conference held at Converse College, Spartanburg, South Carolina, on April 21 to discuss "Financing Independent Liberal Arts Colleges — How?" The president has been appointed to the Policy Board of the Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation Planning Project.

Samuel A. Wallace, assistant professor of social work, represented the School of Social Work at a Conference on Mental Retardation: A New Dimension in Social Work Education held at Louisville, Kentucky, on March 12-15. He attended the Annual Program Meeting of the Council of Social Work Education held in Salt Lake City, Utah, on January 24-26.

Dr. K. A. Huggins, professor of chemistry and Chairman of the Department, spoke at the Georgia Academy of Science on April 28 on "Addition of Bromine to X-1-(p-Nitrophenyl)-4-Phenylbutadiene-1,3," and "Semimicrodetermination of Carbon and Hydrogen in Nitrogen-Containing Organic Compounds: Methods for Removing Oxides of Nitrogen." While at the Academy, Dr. Huggins presented a paper, "Studies in Conjugated Systems: The Bromination of 1-(p-Nitrophenyl)-2,3-Dimethylbutadiene-1,3," by Miss Dorothy Beard, one of his graduate students.

Two articles by Dr. William S. Jackson, dean, School of Social Work, have been published recently: "The Civil Rights Act of 1964: Implications for Social Work Education in the South," was published in *Social Work Education Reporter*, Vol. XIV, No. 3, September, 1966, by the Council on Social Work Education; and "Improving Child Welfare Service through Strengthened Relations between Schools of Social Work and Child Welfare Agencies: Problems and Positives" was published in November, 1966, in *Report of the Conference on Organization of Services That Will Best Meet Needs of Children*. The conference, which had taken place in Harriman, New York, in October-November, 1965, was sponsored by the Columbia University School of Social Work.

Dr. Jackson served as a consultant and lecturer at the Southern Regional Office of the National Urban League's Vista Volunteer Training Institute, Phases I and II, which were held in September and October, 1966, respectively; he also lectured at the Regional OEO-CAP Orientation Program sponsored by the University of Georgia Social Science Research Institute which was held at Chattanooga, Tennessee, in October, 1966. He was a panel member and reactor at the General Session: "Welfare Administration and the Guaranteed Income or Inverse Income Tax," and acted as chairman of the Child Welfare Section: "The Protection of Children Against Administrative and Legal Labels" at the Regional Conference of the American Public Welfare Association, held in Charleston, South Carolina, in September, 1966.

In November, 1966, Dr. Jackson participated in a panel discussion, "Blueprint for Responsible Growth," held during the Second Annual Presidents' Meeting of the Butler Street YMCA, Atlanta, and was the Lay-

man's Sunday speaker at the West-hills Presbyterian Church, Atlanta, in October, 1966, where he discussed "Christian Responsibility and Social Change." He attended the Executive Committee and Board of Directors meetings of the Council on Social Work Education held in New York, New York, in September, 1966, and the Conference on the Use of Personnel in Child Welfare Agencies, which was sponsored by Columbia University School of Social Work and held at Arden House, Harriman, New York, in November, 1966. Also in November, he attended the Suicide Prevention Conference sponsored by the Metropolitan Atlanta Mental Health Association, Inc. and the Governor's Conference on Mental Retardation, both held in Atlanta.

Dean Jackson has been elected to the Advisory Council to the Board of Directors of the Butler Street YMCA in Atlanta and as a member of the Advisory Committee to the Southern Regional Council's Project on Penal Reforms and Criminal Rehabilitation.

In March, Dr. Jackson was in Washington to attend a meeting of the Advisory Group to the Children's Bureau of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare for the Child Welfare Training Grant Program. Dr. Jackson was appointed to the Advisory Group by Mrs. Katherine B. Oettinger, Chief of the Children's Bureau, in January, 1967, for a two-year period.

The function of the Advisory Group is to advise the Children's Bureau on policy and program matters and criteria for recommendations regarding the merits of applications submitted. The Bureau's program of training grants and short term projects is established under Title V, Part 3, Social Security Act, as amended by the 87th Congress in 1962, and provides for grants to public or other nonprofit institu-

tions of higher learning for special projects for training personnel for work in the field of child welfare.

Dr. Thomas D. Jarrett, Dean of the Graduate School, attended a regional meeting of the National Science Foundation held at Georgia Institute of Technology on January 21 to discuss how Atlanta University, together with other selected universities, might carry out high-quality research on problems relating to the national defense under project THEMIS, a program designed to strengthen the nation's academic institutions. From January 25-27, the Dean was in Washington, D. C., serving on the evaluation team for the reading of proposals under Title III of the Higher Education Act of 1965, "Strengthening Developing Institutions."

As a member of the Advisory Board of the National Defense Foreign Language Graduate Fellowship Program, administered by the U.S. Office of Education, Dr. Jarrett was in Washington on February 19-20 to discuss guidelines to assist universities that wish to propose language and area programs for the NDEA, Title VI, Graduate Fellows for 1968-69. On March 2, the Dean represented the University at the Centennial Convocation of Howard University in Washington, D. C. He also served as a special representative of the National Council of Teachers of English at the Centennial Convocation of Morehouse College on February 13. Dr. Jarrett is a member of the Board of Directors of the NCTE for the year 1967-68.

On March 30-31, the Dean, together with the Comptroller, the Registrar and a Trustee of the University, attended the Long-Range Planning Seminar for the United Negro College Fund which was held at the Atlanta Biltmore Hotel.

Dr. Paul I. Clifford, professor of educational psychology, School of Education, and director of the Summer School, attended three Phi Delta Kappa-Commission on Education and Human Rights meetings — one in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, on January 6, one in San Francisco, California, on January 16-18 and the third in Nashville, Tennessee, on April 17-19. He was at Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee, on February 17 attending a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Southern Fellowships Fund; a second meeting of the Board was held in Atlanta at the Hilton Inn on May 7-8, which Dr. Clifford also attended.

Dr. Clifford represented the American Personnel and Guidance Association at Morehouse College Centennial Convocation on February 18, and represented Atlanta University at the inauguration of Dr. Frank Wilbur Hale, Jr., as president of Oakwood College, Huntsville, Alabama, on April 10, and at the inauguration of Dr. James A. Colston as president of Bronx Community College, New York, on April 23. He also represented the University at the National Conference on the Cluster College Concept, which was held at The Claremont Colleges, Claremont, California, from March 30-April 1. During the meeting, Sir John Maud, Master of University College, Oxford, England, and Dr. John A. Hannah, president of Michigan State University and chairman of the American Council on Education, delivered the major addresses. "The Problem of Size in Higher Education" was the theme of the discussion by 43 college and university administrators invited by The Claremont Colleges — the pioneers of the cluster plan in the United States. The Claremont Colleges now number six — Claremont Graduate School and University Center, Claremont Men's, Harvey Mudd, Pitzer,

Pomona and Scripps. Most of the two-day sessions were closed and were attended by representatives of the American Council on Education, the Center for Research and Development in Higher Education, the University of California in Berkeley, the Associated Colleges of the Midwest, the Center for the Study of Higher Education, University of Michigan, and the Carnegie Corporation of New York. The Carnegie Corporation supported the conference.

On March 4, Dr. Clifford conducted a one-day seminar for District of Columbia teachers in Washington, D. C., and was in Washington again on May 3-5 to attend a meeting of the Committee on Studies, American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education. He served as Senate Delegate from the Association for Counselor Education and Supervision while at the American Personnel and Guidance Association's National Convention which was held in Dallas, Texas, on March 20-23.

An article by Dr. Richard K. Barksdale, professor of English, "Alienation and the Anti-Hero in Recent American Fiction," was published in the *College Language Association Journal*, X (September, 1966), 1-10. Dr. Barksdale presented a paper on "One Straw in a Stack of Needles" at a Conference on Higher Education sponsored by the Ministerial Research Council of Greater Atlanta. On March 17-19, Dr. Barksdale attended a Conference on The Computer and Research in the Humanities, which was held at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. He has been appointed for a second term to the Program Committee of the South Atlantic Modern Language Association.

Dr. Harding B. Young, dean, School of Business Administration, was the keynote speaker at Albany State College during its celebration of Business Week, and spoke to recruiters for the United States Department of Labor in Washington, D. C., and an industrial relations group of Dow Chemical Company, Midland, Michigan. He attended the Third Annual Conference on Higher Education for Business held in Houston, Texas, and the Annual Meeting of the American Association of Collegiate Schools of Business, St. Louis, Missouri, and presided at the Regional Conference on Business — Improving Managerial Skills for Fuller Participation in American Business — held at the University on March 30-31.

Dean Young has been elected to the Archdiocesan Board of Education of Atlanta and appointed to the Small Business Advisory Council for the State of Georgia.

Mrs. Hallie Beachem Brooks, associate professor, School of Library Service, attended the Conference on The Computer and Research in the Humanities, which was held at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, on March 17-19. She presided at the opening session of the Conference on Library Education in the South, which was held in Atlanta on April 20-22, and which was jointly sponsored by the School of Library Service, Atlanta University, and the Division of Librarianship, Emory University.

Dr. John V. Petrof, associate professor of business administration, attended the Third Annual Conference on Economic Affairs which was held in Atlanta early in the year.

Dr. Roy Hunter, Jr., associate professor of biology, presented a paper which was prepared with Douglas Willis, '65, at the Annual Meeting of the National Institute of Science, which was held at Knoxville College, Knoxville, Tennessee, on March 29-April 1. The paper was entitled: "Studies on Epidermal Protuberances Produced in Bullfrog Larvae by the Injection of Semicarbazide-HCl." At the Annual Meeting of the Association of Southern Biologists, held at the University of South Carolina, Columbia, South Carolina, on April 20-22, Dr. Hunter presented a paper (prepared with Josephine Delaney, '66) on "Effects of Specific and Non-Specific Proteolytic Enzymes on the Bilaminar Notochordal Sheath of Bullfrog Larvae." An abstract of this paper was published in the *ASB Bulletin*, Vol. XIV, April, 1967, 26.

Dr. Hunter attended the Annual Meeting of the Southeast Regional Conference on Developmental Biology at the Fontainebleau Motel in New Orleans, Louisiana, on March 18-20, sponsored in connection with Tulane University.

Dr. Clarence A. Bacote, professor of history and Chairman of the Department, was in Chicago at the Illinois Teachers College on February 10 to participate in a panel discussion in which his topic was "Negroes and Atlanta Politics Since 1946." Other participants were Dr. St. Claire Drake, Roosevelt University, and Dr. Gilbert Osofsky, University of Illinois at Chicago Circle. Arna Bonetemps, well-known author and poet, who is presently visiting professor of history and English at the University of Illinois at Chicago Circle, moderated.

Dr. Bacote was at Notre Dame University in Indiana on February 8 to speak to graduate students in his-

tory and faculty on "Negroes and Southern Politics," giving special emphasis to politics in the City of Atlanta.

During the Albany State College Negro History Week Celebration, Dr. Bacote was the featured speaker at the February 14 session. The theme of the celebrations at Albany State College was "Negro History in the Home, School and Community."

Dr. Annette L. Phinazee, librarian, Head of Special Services, Trevor Arnett Library, edited the *Proceedings of the Institute on Materials By and About American Negroes*, which was published by Atlanta University in January, 1967. She has been appointed to the Nominating Committee of the Association of American Library Schools and to the Ad Hoc Committee on the Cataloging of Juvenile Literature of the American Library Association. In March, Dr. Phinazee was a speaker during Career Month at the W. L. Parks School, Atlanta, and spoke to a class and did some recruiting work at Fisk University, Nashville, Tennessee, during April. She also served as a leader of the section on education during the Conference on Library Education in the South sponsored jointly by Atlanta University School of Library Service and the Emory University Division of Librarianship held in Atlanta on April 20-22.

An article by Maurice Cagnon, assistant professor of French, "Le Panetarium: quelques aspects stylistiques," was published in *French Review*, XL (1967), 620-26. Mr. Cagnon will receive his doctorate from Harvard University in August.

Mrs. Lucy C. Grigsby, associate professor of English, attended the Conference on English Education which was held at the University of Georgia, Athens, on March 30-April 1, and the College Language Association's annual conference held at Petersburg, Virginia, on April 20-22. At the latter meeting, she was re-elected secretary of the CLA. Mrs. Grigsby has also been appointed a member of the Board of Directors of the Atlanta Chapter of the United Nations Association of the United States of America.

Dr. N. A. Warsi, professor of mathematics, had two papers published in the *Savannah State College Research Bulletin*, December, 1966: "On Variation of Velocity and Pressure Behind and Along Shock Surface in Lagrangian Coordinate System," and "On Vorticity of Velocity and Pressure Behind and Along Shock Surface in Lagrangian Coordinate System."

Dr. Horace M. Bond, Director, Bureau of Educational and Social Research, has produced a monograph, "A Study of Factors Involved in the Identification and Encouragement of Unusual Academic Talent among Underprivileged Populations," which has been published by the University. Dr. Bond spoke at Paine College, Augusta, Georgia, during Negro History Week Observance on February 13; at Boston University, Massachusetts, on February 15 on the subject of "Background of Negro Scholars"; and at the Mississippi Teachers Association Meeting at Jackson, Mississippi, on March 22 on "Unification for Professional Excellence."

Dr. Bond was in New York on February 16-18 to attend a meeting of the American Educational Research Association.

ALUMNI NEWS

1910

Miss Nellie Watts, College, was honored at a testimonial banquet on March 18 at the Fountain Room, Masonic Temple, Detroit, Michigan, for her untiring service to the community. Mrs. Watts was one of the founders of the Detroit Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; through the organization of the Nellie Watts Concert Series, she introduced to the community and Detroit some forty artists when they were young rising stars.

1920

Clayton R. Yates, College, was re-appointed to serve as a member of the Fulton-DeKalb Hospital Authority for another term of four years, from January 1, 1967, through December 31, 1970. In December, 1966, Mr. Yates was elected to serve as a director on the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce for a three-year term, becoming the first Negro in Atlanta ever to serve in this capacity.

1925

Mrs. Altona T. Johns, College, spent last summer in Palo Alto, California, at Stanford University where she participated in an Institute entitled "The Kodaly Institute," in which the eminent Hungarian composer, Zoltan Kodaly, demonstrated his revolutionary method of how to teach children to sing. Mrs. Johns teaches music at Virginia State College, Petersburg.

1937

Dr. Leonard H. Robinson, sociology, will join the faculty of North Carolina College at Durham as professor of sociology and administrative assistant to the president beginning July 1, coincident with the assumption of the presidency by Dr.

Albert N. Whiting on that date. Dr. Robinson is presently director of research at North Carolina A. and T. College and serves as a consultant on a continuing basis for special programs for the United States Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

Dr. Cornelius V. Troup, education, was honored by Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. for his "inestimable contributions to humanity" at a Testimonial Banquet held at Paschal's Motor Hotel on April 21. On May 7, Dr. Troup was the principal speaker at Alabama State College for the annual Founder's Day Convocation. Dr. Troup is presently working on a special project at Coppin State College, Baltimore, Maryland.

1938

Mrs. Carrie L. George, mathematics, was elected president of the Alumni Association of Gammon Theological Seminary at its annual meeting in January. Mrs. George, who was the second woman to graduate from Gammon with a Bachelor of Divinity degree, is the first woman to head the Alumni Association. She is a member of the faculty at the Interdenominational Theological Center, Atlanta.

Charles J. Wartman, history, was married to Mrs. Evelyn B. Winder of Baltimore in ceremonies at Douglass Memorial Church, Baltimore, Maryland, in May. A reception for them was held in the Me-De-So Club following the ceremonies. Mr. Wartman is a branch chief of the Civil Defense in Washington, D. C., and is a former editor of the *Detroit Chronicle*.

1939

Miss Ruth A. Graham, sociology, was appointed as an Employment Policy Specialist with the Veterans Administration, Washington, D. C., in January. Miss Graham was formerly an Appeals Examiner with the Civil Service Commission. In her

new position, Miss Graham administers a uniform program of equal employment opportunity throughout the Veterans Administration.

1940

Mrs. Elvie Crenshaw Watts, MSW, is living in Sacramento, California, where she is coordinator of Parent and Preschool Education with the Sacramento City Unified School System. Mrs. Watts has done advanced study at the University of California at Davis.

Dr. Juanita Williamson, English, served as a linguist for an English Institute at the University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, last summer. Dr. Williamson is a member of the faculty at LeMoyne College, Memphis, Tennessee.

1941

Mrs. Annie E. Koontz, education, addressed the sixth annual Saturday School Conference at Bennett College in March. Mrs. Koontz is immediate past president of the National Classroom Teachers Association and is a member of the Price High School faculty, Salisbury, North Carolina.

William M. Nix, English, was the principal speaker at the Third Annual Career Day Conference at Eva L. Thomas High School, Fulton County, Georgia, on March 9. In April, Mr. Nix served as a resource leader for a Workshop Session on "College Academic Success for Today's Opportunities and Horizons for the College Graduate Through Educational and Vocational Guidance and Personal Counseling" during the 13th Annual National Association of Personnel Workers which met at Paschal's Motor Hotel in Atlanta. On May 10, Mr. Nix participated in an In-Service Guidance Meeting at Archer High School where the topic for discussion was "Educational Horizons Unlimited." Mr. Nix is Director of Placement at Morehouse College.

1942

Mrs. Mary Bullock Kidd, BSLS, was appointed cataloger for the Olive Kettering Library at Antioch College in February. Mrs. Kidd had formerly served as assistant to the librarian, and librarian for the Greene County, Ohio, District Library.

1943

Dr. Grace E. Hewell, MSW, consultant for the Adult Basic Education Program, United States Office of Education, Washington, D. C., was named officer in charge of these programs for Region II, New York City, in January.

1945

Miss Sarah Jane Bell, BSLS, is assistant director of the Library Resources Division, State Department of Education, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Jeanne Watson Brown, BSLS, is living in Washington, D. C., where she is a housewife.

1946

Mrs. Madrid T. Hamilton, MSW, was appointed Director of the Western Region of Planned Parenthood-World Population in March. Mrs. Hamilton, who is a member of the Governor's Commission to Study Population in California, had been serving as assistant director for the Region for more than a year, operating out of Planned Parenthood offices in San Francisco. In her new position, Mrs. Hamilton will have the responsibility for organization and program development in nine states — Alaska, Arizona, California, Hawaii, Idaho, Nevada, Oregon, Utah and Washington — with nineteen affiliates.

Before her West Coast assignment, Mrs. Hamilton served as Coordinator of a New York City Planned Parenthood Mobile Demonstration Project.

Mrs. Ersu H. Poston, MSW, was

named President of the Civil Service Commission by Governor Nelson Rockefeller in January, thus becoming the first Negro to hold a cabinet office in New York State Government. Mrs. Poston formerly served as Director of the New York State Office of Economic Opportunity.

1947

Mrs. Clara B. Gay, education, president of the Clarke County, Georgia, Teachers Association, attended the 49th Annual Convention of the Georgia Teachers and Education Association which met in Atlanta March 29-31. Mrs. Gay is a member of the faculty at Burney-Harris High School, Athens.

Dr. Cleveland W. Pettigrew, education, professor of education and acting Dean of the Graduate Division, Fort Valley State College, was named Dean of the Graduate Division by President Blanchett in April. Prior to his joining the faculty at Fort Valley State, Dr. Pettigrew taught at Albany State College, Elizabeth City Teachers College and South Carolina State College.

1948

Mrs. Margaret Creagh Evans, BSLS, is living in Woodbridge, Virginia, where she is a housewife.

Mrs. Lyda H. Hannan, education, was elected treasurer for The Georgia Congress of Colored Parents and Teachers during its 47th annual convention in Augusta, Georgia, March 16. The meeting was held at T. W. Josey High School.

Mrs. Ernette Fulcher Reid, MSW, is employed as social work supervisor at the Philadelphia State Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Gussie D. Moore, education, was named Teacher of the Year by the faculty of Hamilton High School, DeKalb County, Georgia, in February. Mrs. Moore, who is corresponding secretary of the Atlanta University Alumni Association, is president of the Association of Classroom



Mrs. Ersu Poston, Class '46, with Governor Nelson Rockefeller of the State of New York.

Teachers of Region III. During the month of June, Mrs. Moore attended the Connectional Women's Missionary Convention of the AME Church in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, where she served as chairman of the Nominating Committee.

1949

Mrs. Gloria Napier Conway, MSW, who received the Master of Public Health degree from the University of California, Berkeley, is living in Pleasant Hill, California, where she is a public health social worker.

Dr. John W. Martin, sociology, was the principal speaker at the annual Installation Dinner of the Knoxville College Alumni Club of Chicago, Illinois, on January 29. Dr. Martin, who is an alumnus of Knoxville College, is assistant professor of sociology at the University of Illinois.

Mrs. Annie J. Simmons, English, is assistant professor of English at Grambling College.

Dr. Charles V. Willie, sociology, was elected to the Executive Council of the Episcopal Church in the United States in December, 1966. The Council is the policymaking body of the three million-member denomination between triennial general conventions. Dr. Willie is presently serving as visiting lecturer in sociology, Department of Psychiatry, Harvard Medical School.

1950

Miss Charlene Wharton, MSW, resigned her position as Dean of Women at Atlanta University in November, 1966, in order to accept the position of supervisor of social service at Edgewood Neighborhood Service Center in Atlanta.

1951

John O. Boone, MSW, is living in Atlanta where he is project director with the Southern Regional Council, Incorporated.

Dr. Horace E. Tate, education, was principal speaker for the Teaching

Career Month Program sponsored by the Student National Education Association at Fort Valley State College. Dr. Tate is Executive Secretary of the Georgia Teachers and Education Association and a member of the Atlanta Board of Education.

Mrs. Marymal Morgan Williams, MSW, is director of Neighborhood Social Services, Maternity and Infant Care Project, at Metropolitan General Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio.

1952

Mrs. Ruth Roseman Dease, education, is the author of a book of poems, *Scan-Spans*, which was published by Vantage Press, New York City, in February. In May, 1966, Mrs. Dease was presented in a program of original verse at the Fine Arts Festival at Alcorn A. and M. College. She has had poetry published in the *Mississippi Educational Journal*, *The Christian Recorder* of the AME Church, and in two anthologies — *Poetry Broadcast* and *National Poetry Anthology*.

Miss Jessie M. Glanton, MSW, is living in San Mateo, California, where she is employed as a social worker.

Eugene T. Holmes, education, was named Teacher of the Year by the Clarke County, Georgia, Teachers and Education Association on February 12. Mr. Holmes is a member of the faculty and coach at Burney-Harris High School, Athens, Georgia.

Georgia State Senator Leroy R. Johnson, political science, was key note speaker at the Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. and Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity joint observance of Founders' Day at Bethune-Cookman College in February. During the meeting, Senator Johnson was presented the "Outstanding Political Achievement Award" by Carl Weaver, local president of the Fraternity. On February 10 and 11, Senator Johnson was invited by Mr. Louis Martin, deputy chairman of the Dem-

ocratic National Committee, to meet with several other leading Negro Democrats throughout the country at an off-the-record private strategy meeting in Washington, D. C. The group met at the Mayflower Hotel on February 10 and had dinner with Vice President Hubert Humphrey at the White House on February 11. A resolution commending Senator Johnson for "bringing great credit to the State of Georgia and ably representing the Senate" was presented to and adopted by the Georgia State Senate during its session this year.

Freddie Kimble, chemistry, is chief clinical biochemist at Oak Forest Hospital, Oak Forest, Illinois. He also serves as consulting clinical chemist for Roseland Hospital, Chicago Medical School and the Illinois State Department of Public Health.

Ellis John May Jr., MSW, is director of the CAP Program at Blackhawk County Courthouse, Waterloo, Iowa.

1953

Charles D. Churchwell, MSLS, became the first Atlanta University graduate and the first Negro man to earn the Ph.D. degree in Library Service when he graduated from the University of Illinois last year. Dr. Churchwell is assistant librarian at the University of Illinois.

Miss Ethel V. Franklin, English, has joined the faculty at Hampton Institute, Hampton, Virginia.

Reverend J. N. Shopshire, sociology, is Executive Secretary of Christian Education for the Georgia Conference of the Methodist Church.

1954

Edward Blake Miller, MSLS, is employed as a school librarian and television teacher with Channel 8, KUHT-TV, University of Houston, Texas, Gulf Region Educational Television Affiliates.

Dr. Addie S. Mitchell, English, was the principal speaker at the an-

nual celebration of Guild Day at Warren Methodist Church, Atlanta, on January 5. Dr. Mitchell is associate professor of English at Morehouse College.

1956

Daniel P. Harley, MSW, is Deputy Registrar-Director of the Bureau of Work Programs, United States Department of Labor, Chicago Regional Office, Chicago, Illinois. Mr. Harley has done post-graduate study in administration at the University of Chicago.

Ezekiel L. Kennedy, English, has earned his sixth-year certificate in English from Atlanta University. Mr. Kennedy, who is a member of the faculty at Price High School in Atlanta, has taught on the Atlanta University Summer School faculty for the past two years.

Mrs. Pinkie Gordon Lane, English, who is a member of the faculty at Southern University in New Orleans, was on leave last semester in order to work toward the Ph.D. degree at Louisiana State University. Mrs. Lane has completed all of the necessary course work and has passed all examinations so she will spend this period writing her dissertation which she hopes to complete this year.

Dr. Maudecca L. Wilson, education, attended a four-day clinic on "The Anatomy of Student Teaching" at Stetson University, DeLand, Florida, in April. In May, Dr. Wilson was named to serve on a planning committee to formulate plans for a conference of personnel responsible for the administration and supervision of student teaching in the State of Georgia. Dr. Wilson is director of student teaching at Albany State College.

1957

Mrs. Edna Lester Boykin, MSLS, is Director of the Curriculum Laboratory with the School of Educa-

tion, Florida A. and M. University.

Mrs. Lillian L. Harley, MSW, is clinical social worker with the Veterans Administration Hospital, Hines, Illinois.

Dr. Winfred Harris, biology, is a United States Public Health Service Residence Fellow in the Department of Biochemistry, School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Miley M. Hemphill, education, was selected as Woman of the Year in Education for 1966 by the Iota Phi Lambda Sorority, Atlanta, in January. Mrs. Hemphill is Reading and English Consultant for the Georgia State Department of Education. She formerly served as curriculum director of Gwinnett and Jackson Counties and Winder, Georgia, City School System.

Mrs. Clara D. Hewitt, MSLS, head librarian at Lane College, is on leave this year while she serves as director of the Upward Bound Project at Lane. The project, which is sponsored jointly by the Office of Economic Opportunity and Lane College, will comprise Negro and white students from high schools in Madison, Haywood, Fayette and Gibson counties of West Tennessee, all within a radius of 50 miles of Lane College.

James A. Pulliam, biology, who is a member of the faculty at Tougaloo College, Mississippi, has recently completed his work for the Ph.D. degree at the University of Rochester.

Mrs. Gloria M. Simmons, MSLS, is head librarian at Kendall College, Evanston, Illinois.

Mrs. Gwendolyn Lawson Walker, MSLS, teaches library science at Southern University in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

1958

Dr. Robert Lewis Ricks, biology, has returned to Atlanta and begun practice in the field of obstetrics and gynecology. Before coming to At-

lanta, Dr. Ricks served on the staff of Long Beach General Hospital, Long Beach, California, and on the staffs of Broadway, Morningside and Dominguez Hospitals in Los Angeles.

Lyndon A. Wade, MSW, a member of the faculty at Emory University Medical School, was recently promoted to the position of assistant professor of psychiatry. Mr. Wade joined the staff at Emory University in 1964.

Mrs. Barbara J. Whittaker, MSW, was the principal speaker at the Charter Program of the Chapter of Future Business Leaders of America Club at Archer High School, Atlanta, on April 30. Mrs. Whittaker is assistant director of Health and Welfare, Southern Regional Office, National Urban League.

1959

Mrs. Rachel Wilcox Brown, MSW, is living in New York City where she is supervising consultant with the Human Resources Administration of New York.

1960

Mrs. Sondra Jean Crusor, MSW, is living in Los Angeles, California, where she is a housewife.

Mrs. Reida Dykes Gardiner, MSLS, who is librarian at South Chicago Community Hospital, School of Nursing, did post-graduate work at the University of Illinois last summer.

Mrs. Evelyn H. Hood, education, was elected to the Board of the Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Southeastern Region, during the annual regional conference held at Daytona Beach, Florida, in April. Mrs. Hood is a member of the faculty at C. W. Hill Elementary School in Atlanta.

Miss Betty J. Jones, MSLS, is living in Jamaica, New York, where she is employed as a public librarian.

Mrs. Lithangia S. Robinson, education, was selected as Teacher of the

Year for DeKalb County, Georgia, in February. Mrs. Robinson, who teaches at Victoria Simmons Elementary School, Stone Mountain, was recently appointed by the National Department of Classroom Teachers to serve on the Advisory Board of the Education Policies Commission of the NEA and as co-chairman of the GTEA-GEA for the Department of Classroom Teachers, NEA Southeastern Conference, which will meet in Atlanta in November, 1967.

Mrs. Bessie H. Wilborn, education, who teaches second grade at C. L. Gideons School, Atlanta, was selected Teacher of the Year by her co-workers in March. Mrs. Wilborn has been active with the Cub Scouts, Bluebirds and the school newspaper and is presently serving as sponsor of the Y-Teens.

Mrs. Almita Robinson Woods, MSW, executive director of the Woodlawn Community Services Agency for many years, has resigned her post in order to join her husband M/Sgt. W. Michael Woods of the United States Marines following his return from Hawaii on duty. They will reside for the next two years in Camp LeJeune, North Carolina.

1961

Mrs. Gloria Long Anderson, chemistry, is a graduate student at the University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.

Satish C. Bhasin, MBA, is presently working as a sales officer with Messrs Globe Steels, a division of Globe Motors Ltd., in New Delhi, India, the largest producers of alloy and special steels in Northern India.

1962

Miss Janice Louise Albury, MSW, is living in Los Angeles, California, where she is a supervising child welfare worker with the Department of Public Social Services.

James H. Arrington, biology, assistant professor of biology at Albany State College, Albany, Georgia, had an abstract of his work on the radio-protective action of various liquids presented at the Spring meeting of the Radiation Research Society. Mr. Arrington was a member of an Oak Ridge Research Project Team involved in the testing of glycerol ethers and related liquids as effective treatment for radiation leucopenia after total body irradiation. The Team worked with the Medical Division, an operating unit of Oak Ridge Associated Universities, Inc., under contract with the United States Atomic Energy Commission and the University of Minnesota, and Mr. Arrington's specific research was done on radio-protective and metabolic studies of alkenyl and alkyl ethers of glycerol and glycol.

Mrs. Mildred C. Bradham, MSW, formerly director of psychiatric social work at Central State Hospital, Petersburg, Virginia, was appointed by the State Welfare Department of Florida to serve as state consultant for the Medical Section, Department of Public Welfare. In this capacity she serves various department workers all over the State of Florida with regard to the improved care of medical and psychiatric treatment of patients in State Hospitals. Mrs. Bradham was one of six prominent educators and businessmen selected by Sargeant Shriver, Director of the Office of Economic Opportunity, to visit and tour the Albuquerque Job Corps Center for Women on May 1 and 2.

Mrs. Barbara Nash Coleman, MSLS, is presently serving as Base Librarian at Hamilton Air Force Base, California.

Mrs. Janice G. Kennedy, French, teaches French at Mobile State Junior College, Mobile, Alabama.

Mrs. Maude Moore Pinkett, MSLS, is librarian at Wyoming High School,

Cincinnati, Ohio. Last summer, Mrs. Pinkett attended an Institute for School Library Supervisors at Western Reserve University.

Mrs. Katheryn R. Williams, MSW, formerly Social Service Supervisor at Price Neighborhood Center, EOA Atlanta, Inc., has accepted the position of Quality Control Reviewer with the Georgia State Department of Education. She began her duties there in October, 1966.

1963

Mrs. Wylma L. Blanding, education, and her husband are the proud parents of another daughter, Rolanda Marie, born on December 26 at St. Joseph's Infirmary in Atlanta.

Arthur W. Danner, MBA, has been added to the 1967 edition of *Outstanding Young Men in America*. Mr. Danner is business officer at Alabama State College in Montgomery.

Mrs. Fannette J. Jerkins, MSW, is employed as caseworker with the Children's Center of Metropolitan Atlanta.

Mrs. Vivian U. Robinson, English, who has done post-graduate study at Harvard University and the University of Southern California, is teaching English at Paine College, Augusta, Georgia.

Robert W. Thrash, MSW, formerly with the United States Army Medical Service Corps, is employed as a clinical social worker with the Bay Area Child Guidance Clinic, Bay City, Michigan.

1964

Joseph A. Boyce, MSLS, is assistant librarian at Maryland State College, Princess Anne.

Miss Carolyn C. Butler, MSLS, is residing in Baltimore, Maryland, where she is employed as Children's Librarian II.

Laron J. Clark, Jr., MSLS, is head librarian at G. L. Harrison Library,

Langston University, Langston, Oklahoma.

August Curley, chemistry, attended the Pittsburgh Conference on Analytical Chemistry and Applied Spectroscopy, Inc. which was held at the Penn-Sheraton Hotel, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, March 6-10, and the Gas Chromatography-Mass Spectrometry Seminar in Bethesda and Rockville, Maryland, March 27 and 28.

Miss Dora Maria DiMascio, MSLS, is children's librarian at the Boston, Massachusetts, Public Library.

Miss Virginia L. Harris, MSW, has joined the staff of Los Angeles County General Hospital as Medical Social Worker II.

Miss Clara L. Prioleau, MSLS, is employed by Abbott Laboratories, Chicago, Illinois, as a catalog-order librarian.

Timothy D. Wilson, MBA, who joined Westinghouse Electric Corporation's Graduate Student Training Program in Industrial Relations following his graduation from Atlanta University, was named a senior industrial relations assistant in the Industrial Relations Department last fall. On December 13 and 14, Mr. Wilson attended the third annual College Relations Conference sponsored by the Federal Plans for Progress Program in Washington, D. C.

1965

Announcement was made recently of the engagement of Miss Ernestine Clemmons to *MacArthur Stewart*, education, director of financial aid at Morehouse College. A June wedding is planned.

Douglas Willis, biology, is working toward the Ph.D. degree in biology at the University of Michigan.

1966

Charles A. Anyiwo, economics, has accepted the position of economist with the Economic Planning Com-

mission of the Eastern Nigerian Government. His work involves preplanning research for gathering basic facts about human and other resources of the Eastern Group of Provinces and the changing pattern of life for the people; action research in order to monitor the introduction and diffusion of innovations and new concepts; and evaluation research for the purpose of ascertaining the efficacy and effectiveness of government activities—training and economic and social welfare programs.

Carl M. Boyd, MSW, is living in Cleveland, Ohio, where he is employed as a social worker.

Mrs. Vivian Martin Buchanan, MSW, has accepted the position of case worker with the Children's Center of Metropolitan Atlanta.

Miss Lillie M. Cobbs, biology, is teaching in the Atlanta Public School System.

Mrs. Josephine Roberts Delaney, biology, teaches at Sandy Springs High School, Sandy Springs, Georgia.

Robert L. Dixon, Sr., education, is principal of John Hope Elementary School in Atlanta.

Mrs. Gladys Draper, education, teaches fourth grade at Bethune Elementary School in Atlanta.

Crawford W. Johnson, French, was one of five men nominated for inclusion in *Outstanding Young Men in America*, an annual biographical compilation which honors young men throughout the nation between the ages of 21 and 35. United Nations Representative Arthur Goldberg and New York Philharmonic Symphony Director Leonard Bernstein will write the introductory message for the 1967 book on these five men. Mr. Johnson, who is assistant professor of French at Fort Valley State College, was nominated for his contributions to his community, profession and civic organizations and for his outstanding accomplishments.

He attended a banquet for "Outstanding Young Men of America" at the Statler-Hilton Hotel, New York City, early in the year.

Miss Helen Gordon Knight, MSW, is living in New York City where she is employed as a social caseworker.

John W. Kuria, sociology, was appointed by the Ministry of Education in Kenya as a lecturer in the Department of Education of Kenyatta College, Nairobi, Kenya, with the title of Education Officer.

Mrs. Pamela Miller Lundberg, MSW, is employed as a school social worker with the Troup County Schools, LaGrange, Georgia.

Mrs. Merdis Jean McCarter, mathematics, has joined the faculty at North Carolina College in Durham as an instructor of mathematics.

Vern Allen McDermott, mathematics, is living in Billings, Montana, where he is a high school teacher.

William Henry Pillow, political science, is a member of the United States Armed Forces.

Herman E. Pride, MBA, of Savannah, Georgia, is living in Montgomery, Alabama, where he is a teacher.

Mrs. Fannie L. K. Ray, MBA, is employed as an educational counselor in Montgomery, Alabama.

Mrs. Brenda Harrison Scott, MSLS, is librarian at the Hunter Street Branch, Atlanta Public Library System.

Mrs. Vivien S. Stocks, mathematics, is teaching at Central Junior High School in Atlanta.

Mrs. Anita Turner, mathematics, teaches at West Fulton High School, Atlanta.

Carl W. Vines, MSW, is employed as casework supervisor, Guilford County Welfare Department, Greensboro, North Carolina.

Mrs. Marva Floyd Walton, biology, has accepted employment at Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

IN MEMORIAM

BOWEN, Mrs. Amanda M., Normal, 1898, died in Atlanta in December, 1966.

BRONNER, Mrs. Theodora McKinney, BSLS, 1949, died in Atlanta on April 24. A native of Atlanta, and a graduate from the Atlanta University Laboratory High School, Spelman College and Atlanta University, and the University of Michigan, Mrs. Bronner was employed by the Atlanta Board of Education for many years as a librarian at Booker Washington High and Oglethorpe Elementary Schools.

BROOKS, Dr. Joseph T., AM in Latin, 1934, passed suddenly in Atlanta on April 27. Dr. Brooks was serving as Professional Assistant, Field Operations and Urban Services, Southeastern Regional Office, National Education Association. He was born in Atlanta and educated in the city's public schools. He graduated from Morehouse College in 1923 and from Atlanta University in 1934. For thirty years, Dr. Brooks served in various capacities at Alabama State College, Montgomery, Alabama, and taught for ten years at Booker T. Washington High School, Atlanta, where he also served

as chairman of the Department of Foreign Languages.

BURTON, William Jackson, MA in Education, 1951, died in Athens, Georgia, in February. A member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity and a 33rd degree Mason, Mr. Burton was a public servant in the area of education for many years. He taught in the Toccoa City System, and the Hart, Habersham and Johnson County Systems.

FOSTER, Leland Felton, MA in Sociology, 1943, died in Kansas City, Missouri, in April.

TOWNS, Dr. Myron Bumstead, A.B., 1930, died in Nashville, Tennessee, on May 5. At the time of his death, Dr. Towns was a professor in the Department of Chemistry at Fisk University, Nashville.

He was one of four children of George A. and Nellie McNair Towns and was born in Atlanta, where his father was a member of the Atlanta University faculty. His professional career was that of a dedicated teacher and learned scientist, who continually encouraged his students to become knowledgeable individuals. He was a member of the American Chemical Society, the Ameri-

can Association for the Advancement of Science, and the American Association of University Professors. He was active in Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, serving as treasurer of the local graduate chapter, Tau Lambda.

Dr. Towns was the brother of Mrs. Grace (Henry Cooke) Hamilton, *Class '27*, Representative in the General Assembly of Georgia and a member of the Board of Trustees of Atlanta University.

TOWNS, Mrs. Nellie McNair, Normal, 1897, died in Atlanta on May 11 after an extended illness.

A native Atlantan, Mrs. Towns was the widow of George A. Towns, long-time professor at Atlanta University, and mother of the late Dr. Myron Bumstead Towns of Fisk University, Nashville, Tennessee, and Mrs. Grace (Henry Cooke) Hamilton, *Class '27*, Representative in the General Assembly of Georgia and a member of the Board of Trustees of Atlanta University. Mrs. Towns was a life member of the Phyllis Wheatley Branch of the YWCA and was a former member of the Gate City Day Nursery Association.

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