

# Playing the Part

Acting and taking a part in a particular play was exactly what the Drama Club was all about. Shyness and embarrassment were some of the emotions left behind.

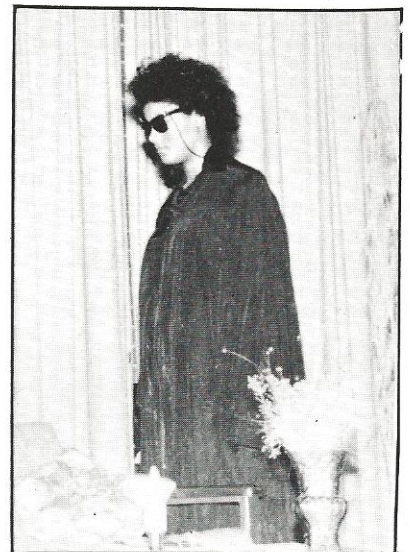
The Drama Club hit off their year with two one act plays. Mr. Carter and Mrs. V. Bodison acted as advisors and critics. The two one-act plays were chosen by a planning committee selected by members. Parts of the plays were read during club period to give members a first hand opportunity to approve the plays selected.

The first play was "Take a Letter." It was about young women being interviewed for a stenographer position. To meet the requirements for the job, one had to be unattractive yet a fast typist. The cast consisted of Ricky Roundtree, Shawna Davis, Yolanda Pinckney, Tammy Beach, Kim Haygood, Garnette Mosley and Veronica Simmons.

"The Marriage" was the second play. This play was about a young couple having problems in their marriage. Their emotions, bitterness, unforgiveness and fear, tried to keep them apart.

The cast consisted of Yolanda Pinckney, Todd Mosley, Kim Haygood, Garnette Mosley and Veronica Simmons.

After school practices were for members who wished to try out for parts. Rehearsals after school gave participants time to get a feel of the stage and coordinate themselves. Lunch periods were just not enough time to get much accomplished. Kim Haygood, president of the Drama Club, stated, "Without the sacrifice of the club members, we surely wouldn't have been able to pull it off."



VERONICA SIMMONS, WHO played the part as "Fear," watches the events happening on stage.

YOLANDA PINCKNEY, "Sarah" in "The Marriage," takes her shoes off in disgust after an argument with her husband.