

# Les Brown Crew Brings Star Vocalists, Musicians

Bandleader Les Brown brings to Penn State tonight a grand crew of musicians and vocalists. The Band of Renown was named The Top Recording Band of the Year in 1945.

Les Brown recorded such favorite tunes as "Out of Nowhere," "Sleigh Ride in July," "Robin Hood," "My Dreams Are Getting Better All the Time," and "Sentimental Journey," (written by Les, himself). Blonde and lovely Doris Day heads the entourage of ace performers with honey-sweet renditions of the latest tunes. This gorgeous vocalist is the highest-paid singer in the land and often appears in three different costume changes during a dance evening.

### "Butch" Stone, Comedian

Supplying the novelty-comedy style of music is "Butch" Stone. A rabid baseball fan, "Butch" was a high-school team-mate of Babe Young, formerly with the New York Giants. Before joining Brown's orchestra, Stone had a band of his own, and was with Larry Clinton for a number of years.

"Butch" Stone's voicings of "Captain Kidd" and "Robin Hood" are an inimitable pair of tunes. Handling the ballad-type of song is Jack Haskell, a newcomer to the Band of Renown and just out of the service. This young fellow is up-and-coming in the "dreaming while dancing" class of vocal interpretation.

Featured on instruments are three outstanding dance-band men, Ted Nash, Jimmy Zito, and Dick Shanahan. Ted Nash is the reed section headliner, playing a sweet tenor sax. Nash is noted for his extremely high range, going up to two octaves above the normal tenor range. **Trumpeter, Drummer**

Jimmy Zito, ace trumpeter, is one of the spark-plugs of Les Brown's band. Prior to being drafted, "Zete" was featured by Tommy Dorsey. On the drums is Dick Shanahan, truly a show-stopper. An earnest performer, Shanahan spends his spare moments practicing toward as near-perfection as possible.

Les Brown formed his present band in 1938, after leading the "Blue Devils" at Duke University. Since that time, the Band of Renown has been on a steady upgrade. Now at the top, Brown brings to Penn State an outstanding group of bandmen for the "Moonlight Magic" dance tonight.



LES BROWN

## Moonlight-

(Continued from page one) bert Green, programs; Richard Lose, checking; Charles Pfeleeger and Robert Waltenbaugh, decorations; Michael Rosenberger, refreshments; June First, bills; Jeanne Hirt, Richard McAdams, and Richard Sarge, publicity; and Vaughn Stapleton, ex-officio member.

Tonight's Les Brown dance will be followed Saturday and Sunday by fraternity, athletic, Cwen, and Pan-Hellenic Council activities to further accent the "big weekend" theme.

Tomorrow night, "Mystery Music" will be supplied by the Dick Berge band as the theme for the Chi Phi-Phi Kappa Psi dance; while the Delta Sigma Phi's waltz in a "Rose Bowl" setting.

The Delta Tau Deltas have planned a Tea Dance tomorrow afternoon, to be followed by a buffet supper and a house party; while guests of the Phi Delta Theta's will be coming "as is" to the house's "Bowery Ball."

**Les Brown at SAE**  
The SAE House will be playing host to Les Brown, and Tau Kappa Epsilon, Delta Upsilon, and Alpha Chi Rho will hold informal dances.

Flowers will be in abundance at the annual "Rose Dance" at Pi Kappa Theta; contrasting with the nocturnal apparel that will be in evidence at Triangle's "Pajama Party."

Collegiate baseball will also step into the "big weekend" spotlight with the Bendenkmen meeting Colgate in two games, one this afternoon and one tomorrow.

Also on the sports roster for today and Saturday are the high school playoffs of the PIAA in track, tennis, and golf.

**Lacrosse Team Away**  
And for those who follow State teams far afield, there's a two-

## Center Club Elects Melvin

John Melvin, Hazelton Center alumnus, was elected president of the Campus Center for Undergraduate Center alumni students at a meeting Wednesday.

Other officers elected were Leland Whitefield, Hazelton, vice president; Dorothy Radziak, Pottsville, recording secretary; Mary Ann Stevenson, Altoona, corresponding secretary; Fritz Troutman, Pottsville, treasurer; Michael Fedak, Altoona, Jean Steiner, Hazelton, and Mary Ellen Gardiner, Pottsville, representatives.

The new officers will meet in 121 Sparks at 7 p.m. Monday to discuss the revision of the constitution. Wednesday has been established as the regular meeting night. All Center alumni are urged to attend.

## Dr. Champlin Returns From European Survey

Dr. Carroll D. Champlin, professor of education, returned from Europe Friday where he visited schools in England, France, Wales and Ireland.

While visiting various schools, Dr. Champlin spoke with many prominent educators. He had the opportunity to see the maps for the 100-year rebuilding program of London. The professor was also invited to attend the annual conference of the National Union of Teachers in London.

In London, he saw the British royal family as they were entering the Haymarket Theatre where the princesses attended the matinee. Dr. Champlin made the entire trip by air. His last flight was from Paris to Philadelphia.

## Dr. Lester P. Guest

... of the department of psychology, attended a recent conference on Measurement of Consumer Interest in Philadelphia. The conference was sponsored by the departments of philosophy, psychology, statistics, marketing, and foreign commerce of the University of Pennsylvania.

game lacrosse sweep across New York State against Syracuse and Cornell, coupled with several track entrants in the ICA's at Annapolis.

On Sunday afternoon, all 18 of the sororities at the College will take part in the annual Pan-Hellenic Council Sing to be held on the lawn in front of Old Main at 2 p.m. In case of rain on Sunday, the event will be held in Rec Hall.

For those by-passing the fraternity festivities tomorrow night, the Cwens will sponsor the last Fun Night at White Hall for this semester from 9 to 12 p.m. Scheduled entertainment includes dancing, ping pong, and bridge. Refreshments will also be served.

## Calendar

### TODAY

Golf and tennis championship matches, Varsity courts and golf course, 2 p.m.

Baseball game with Colgate, New Beaver Field, 4 p.m.

Collegian Staff meeting, 9 Carnegie Hall, 4:30 p.m.

Les Brown Dance, Rec Hall, 9 to 1 a.m.

Archery Club, in front of White Hall, 6:30 p.m.

### TOMORROW

Baseball game with Colgate, New Beaver Field, 2:30 p.m.

Golf and tennis championship matches, Varsity courts and golf course, 2 p.m.

4-H Club Outing, Ski Lodge, leave rear of Old Main, 2 p.m.

Cosmopolitan Club garden party, Dean Kern's Home, 5 p.m.

Saturday Night Club, White Hall, 9 to 12 p.m.

### SUNDAY

Chapel, Dr. Lynn Harold Hough - "Land of Hearts' Desire," Schwab, 11 a.m.

Pan-Hellenic Sing, steps of Old Main, 2 p.m.

Nittany-Independent meeting, 405 Old Main, 7 p.m.

### MONDAY

Philotes Weiner Roast, Hort Woods, 6:30 p.m.

Chess Club plays faculty, N. E. Lounge Atherton Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Common Sense Club, Atherton Hall, 8:30 p.m.

There are 250,000 volumes housed in the main library and in the four branch libraries.

## Forests Need Summer Workers

Students interested in summer employment as laborers on white pine blister rust control work in the national forests of Northern Idaho and Western Montana may obtain applications for such employment in 101 Forestry Building.

The work involves eradication of wild currant and gooseberry bushes, either by hand pulling, grubbing, or by use of non-poisonous chemicals.

Crews are quartered in tent camps, 30 to 60 men per camp. Regular Forest Service cooks are furnished and employees are charged 50 cents per meal.

Employees work 40 hours per week, 5 days per week. The rate of pay is \$1,902 per annum, or 91 cents per hour. Since pay is on an annual basis, there is no loss of pay because of rainy weather when men are unable to work.

## Letters-

up nearly as much time. Based on the number of points obtained for time spent in the activity, it would be very unfair to keep out a varsity athlete because he's taken part in only one activity.

A Disappointed Varsity Man

The College contains more than 60 buildings, and the entire College plant has been evacuated at \$22,171,141.

## Oxford House Ex-GI's To Hold Farewell Party

Oxford House ex-GI's, past and present members, will give a party from 9 to 12 tomorrow night, announced Peter Nastase, president. This will be their last party since the College lease on the house expires this semester.

Gregory Mazza and George Schaffner are the social chairmen in charge of the party. Decorations on a carnival theme will be provided by Herndon Page.

The central library was opened in 1904.

The  
**FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
of  
**STATE COLLEGE**  
Member of  
**Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation**

Tomorrow's  
Special  
at the  
Allencrest  
w. Beaver just off Allen  
Swiss  
Steak  
Served from  
5 to 8 p.m.

WARNER BROTHERS  
**CATHAUM**  
NOW SHOWING!  
MGM's  
**ZIEGFELD FOLLIES of 1946**  
in Technicolor  
Fred ASTAIRE • Lucille BALL  
Lucille BREMER • Fanny BRICE  
Judy GARLAND • Kathryn GRAYSON  
Lena HORNE • Gene KELLY  
James MELTON • Victor MOORE  
Red SKELTON • Esther WILLIAMS  
and • William POWELL

FEATURES:  
1:30, 3:46, 5:41  
7:36, 9:31

with EDWARD ARNOLD  
MARION BELL  
BUNIN'S PUPPETS  
CYD CHARISSE  
HUME CRONYN  
WILLIAM FRAWLEY  
ROBERT LEWIS  
VIRGINIA O'BRIEN  
KEENAN WYNN

WARNER BROTHERS  
**STATE**  
Begins TOMORROW Features: 1:51, 3:46, 5:41, 7:36, 9:31  
• ENDS TODAY • "Murder in Music Hall"—Vera H. Ralston

**EXCITING LOVE...**  
brought to you by an exciting love team!  
Joan FONTAINE  
Mark STEVENS  
IN  
**From This Day Forward**  
Henry MORGAN • Arline JUDGE  
Rosemary DeCAMP  
PLUS—SERIAL "KING OF ROYAL MOUNTED" & CARTOON

Weekdays Open 6:45 P.M.  
Saturdays Open 1:15 P.M.  
WARNER BROTHERS  
**NITTANY**

• Tonight Only • "Phantom Thief" - Chester Morris  
• Saturday • "Cherokee Flash" - Sunset Carson  
• Monday • "She Wolf of London" - June Lockhart  
• Tuesday • "Cheaters" - Joseph Schildkraut