



Noted Negro Editor And Author Speaks Tonight

W. E. B. DuBois, nationally known editor and author on Negro problems, will address an open meeting in 121 Sparks at 8 o'clock tonight.

In conjunction with Negro History Week currently being observed at the College, Dr. DuBois will talk on "The American Negro 1865-1950."

Dr. DuBois is perhaps best known for being one of the founders of the "Niagara Movement" which advocated complete political and social equality for Negroes. In this connection he was cited by last week's Community Forum Speaker, Dr. Ira DeA. Reid, as one of the foremost Negroes in American history.

He has been an outspoken critic of the philosophies of another famous Negro—Booker T. Washington. He opposed Washington, who said that Negroes would come to be accepted as equals in time and should concentrate on proficiency in manual labors.

Since 1944 Dr. DuBois has been director of the Department of Special Research for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. He has been the editor of "Crisis," "Encyclopedia of the Negro" and "Phylon" as well as director of publications for the NAACP.

Since receiving a bachelor of arts degree from Fisk University in 1888, he has been awarded a string of other degrees from Harvard, Howard, Atlanta, and Wilberforce. He was one of the earliest persons to receive a PhD from Harvard.

He taught Greek, Latin, economics and history and was head of the Sociology department at Atlanta. Among his honors are: Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, member of the National Institute of Arts and Letters and Knight Commander of the Liberian Order of African Redemption.

'Father' Cast Set, Rehearses

Casting for the Players' production of "Life with Father" has been completed and rehearsals now are in progress for the performances March 16-18 under the direction of Kelly Yeaton.

Ralph E. Johnson, who will make his first appearance in a Players' production with this show, has been cast as "Father," domineering head of the household depicted in the Howard Lindsay-Russel Crouse comedy.

Playing opposite him as "Vinnie," the illogical wife who is a foil for the head of the Day family, will be Jean Bickerton, who recently appeared in the production of "Liliom."

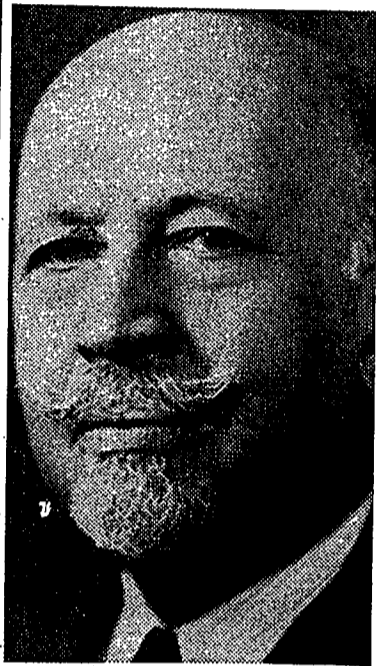
"Clarence," the eldest of four sons in the modern classic, will be portrayed by Sheldon Odland, a pupil at State College High school. Another high school pupil, Louis Bell, will play the youngest son, "Harlan."

The two other sons, "John" and "Whitney" will be played by Marvin Riesenbach and Donald Barton. Ruth Johnson is cast as "Cousin Cora," a professional visiting relative, and Barbara Clopp will play "Mary Skinner," 18-year-old fiancée of "Clarence."

Others in the cast are: "Rev. Dr. Lloyd," Nicholad Morkides; "Dr. Humphries," Richard R. Evans; "Dr. Sommers," Fred Leuschner; "Margaret," Joan Lee; "Annie," Lois Pulver; "Delia," Seena Herzog; "Nora," Helen Jaskol, and "Maggie," Barbara Tex.

Leuschner also is serving as stage manager and Carl Laichowitz is head advertising manager. Ann Curry will serve as understudy for women.

Tickets for the long-run record comedy, which will be presented in Schwab auditorium, will go on sale March 13 at the Student Union.



W. E. DuBois

A.I.M. To Sponsor Post-Sports Dance

After the sports program in Recreation Hall Saturday night, there will be a dance sponsored by the Association of Independent Men.

Tags will be sold for 25 cents apiece which will entitle patrons to remain for the dance. Freshman women will probably be enlisted to sell them.

The money will be used for AIM activities later in the semester and to pay for the orchestra.

Lapos To Edit IFC Magazine Published As Rushing Aid

Jack Lapos, editor of the IFC Newsletter, was appointed 1950 editor of Penn State Fraternities, annual IFC rushing magazine, by Pete Giesey, IFC president, at a meeting Wednesday night.

Other members appointed to the 1950 staff are Mal Pancost, Kappa Sigma, circulation manager; Jack Backnecht, Phi

Photo-Lit Magazine Meeting Draws 150

Nearly 150 students attended a preliminary staff meeting of a proposed new photographic-literary magazine this week. The turnout was termed "extremely encouraging" by Harry Schaffer, ex-editor of the Farmer and a member of the Board of Publications, which is investigating possibilities for such a publication.

Students who were unable to attend may show their interest in writing, photography, advertising, promotion, circulation or art work by submitting name, semester, staff interest and pertinent background to the Daily Collegian office.

A staff will be announced soon, Schaffer said, pending approval of the magazine by the Senate Committee on Student Welfare.

Today's Weather:
Cloudy and Continued Cold

Religion-in-Life Week Program Opens Sunday

Brotherhood Is Theme Of Week's Activities

"What Price Brotherhood" is the theme of Religion-In-Life Week which begins Sunday, March 5 and continues through Thursday, March 9.

There are several phases of Religion-In-Life Week this year, including seminars, fireside discussions, classroom appointments, personal conferences, daily noon worship services in 304 Old Main, and special evening events.

Religion-In-Life Week is sponsored by the Inter-Religious, which represents the Catholic, Protestant, and Jewish faiths.

Gallagher To Speak
The week's program will be launched Sunday at church services. Buell G. Gallagher, special consultant to the U.S. Commissioner of Education, will speak at Chapel Service.

Monday through Thursday, guest leaders will conduct seminars on such topics as "The Psychology of Brotherhood," "Men, Women, and God" and "How Can the College Fraternity Promote Brotherhood?"

Fireside discussions will be held at fraternities and dormitories, with individual groups selecting the guest leaders they wish.

Guest leaders are available for personal conferences during their unscheduled periods. All appointments must be made in 304 Old Main.

Film Special Event
One of the special evening events of Religion-In-Life Week is the film, "One God: the Ways We Worship Him," to be shown in Schwab Auditorium, Monday at 8 p.m. Bayard Rustin, director of College Work, Fellowship of Reconciliation, will speak on "The Religious Imperative of Brotherhood."

A Faculty Luncheon in observance of Religion-In-Life Week will be held at the Presbyterian Church on Wednesday, March 8 at noon. A panel will discuss "World Peace and You."

College Will Refuse To Charter Restrictive Campus Organizations

Race, Religion, Creed Restrictions In Constitutions Will Bar Acceptance

Petitioning organizations at the College are no longer eligible to receive a charter if their constitutions contain any clauses restricting membership because of race, religion, or creed.

The Senate Committee on Student Welfare yesterday announced they had passed a motion introduced by Dean of



Dr. H. K. Wilson

Men H. K. Wilson, which would deny a charter to operate at Penn State to any social or professional group with such a restrictive clause in its constitution. Bona fide religious groups not founded for the purpose of religious discrimination are exempt from the new order.

At the same time the committee unanimously approved a petition by members of the Penn State Commerce Club to affiliate themselves with Alpha Kappa Psi, national commerce fraternity, which has a clause in its constitution restricting membership to "white gentiles."

The charter was granted to the local Alpha Kappa Psi chapter at the same meeting, but before the motion which would outlaw similar groups, was passed.

Text

Text of the motion passed by the committee and approved by the Council Administration, composed of the deans of the several schools and the assistants to the president, states:

"The Committee on Student Welfare approves a policy that after February 24, 1950, no petitioning organization with restrictive membership clauses as to race, religion, or creed shall be granted a charter to operate at Penn State.

"It is understood that the committee will give consideration to the merits of bona fide religious groups not founded for the purpose of religious discrimination."

(The Senate Committee on Student Welfare must approve and
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IFC Shelves Import Code

Interfraternity Council took no action Wednesday night on a proposed import housing code which was passed earlier this week by the Senate Committee on Student Welfare.

Although the code has not been released by H. W. Perkins, assistant dean of men, who headed the committee which formulated it, it was brought out at IFC meeting that imported women would be subject to WSGA regulations.

Proposed Plans
Four different plans would be available to fraternities which would house imports in separate portions of fraternity houses, in vacant rooms in the women's dormitories, or in town houses.

IFC also approved a 25 cent per capita tax which would be added to fees next fall. The extra charge, intended to assist independent organizations, would go to either IFC, Panhellenic Council, Leonides, or the Association of Independent Men, depending on which organization the student belongs to.

Defers Requirement
The Council ruled that the requirement in the rushing code which requires a 1.0 average for initiation does not go into effect until next fall.

Otto Grupp was appointed chairman of the IFC sing, and Alan Uhl was named to make a survey to formulate a code for study rules.

Late (P) News, Courtesy WMAJ

Court Clears UMW In Contempt Case

WASHINGTON — The United Mine Workers Union has been cleared of contempt charges in Federal Court. The surprise verdict has prompted new demands by congressmen that the government do something, and do it quickly, to end the coal crisis.

Truman To Stay Home

President Truman says that he will never go to Moscow on a peace mission as long as he is president. He says he has no objection to any moves to end the cold war, however, and is still willing to hold peace talks—in Washington.

Collegian Move-Up

Betty Worth was promoted yesterday to the Junior Board business section of the advertising staff of the Daily Collegian, announced Marlin A. Weaver, Business Manager.

Today . . .



The Nittany Lion Roars

FOR the members of the Senate Committee on Student Welfare.

Last Friday the committee passed a motion forbidding future petitioning groups, with restrictive membership clauses in their constitutions, a charter to operate officially at the College.

Thus the group put into writing the unwritten policy it has tried to maintain.

The Lion hails the action as a great step forward in the gradual elimination of racial and religious intolerance at the College and roars for the committee which passed it.