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## 'Roaming Twenties'



ANNE WYLIE SAYS something amusing, to the shock of Leonard Tarnowski, but to the delight of Myron Cole and Betsy Jones. Miss Wylie plays the beautiful, middle-aged heiress in Players' production of Frederick Lonsdale's farce-comedy, "On Approval," which opened last night at Center Stage.

## 'On Approval' Shows Audience Gay 20's

By EDMUND REISS

Time was pushed back last night to the Roaring Twenties as Players presented their production of Frederick Lonsdale's comedy, "On Approval," at Center Stage.

Besides returning to this charming, amoral age, the audience was transported to the British Isles, and there witnessed the shennanigans of four amusingly attractive characters.

## Cabinet to Start 6-Week Course In Leadership

The annual leadership training program sponsored by All-University Cabinet will get underway Wednesday night, Charles McClintock, program chairman, has announced.

The six-week training program, open to the public, is especially designed for freshmen, sophomores, and juniors aspiring to campus offices. McClintock explained the program will cover political, fraternity, sorority, club, and other offices. This is the second year cabinet has sponsored the training sessions. Charge for participation is \$1.75.

McClintock has indicated faculty and administration members will be asked to address various sessions. The program will consist of six 90-minute instruction sessions.

Topics to be covered in the six-week program include the responsibility of leadership, parliamentary law, floor leadership, structure of Penn State student government, reports, records, correspondence, publicity and public relations, delegating responsibility, working with advisers, and program content.

### Has Unusual Philosophy

When Maria, a still-beautiful, middle-aged heiress, reveals her unusual philosophy of marriage, the audience becomes immediately interested in the action and the people. Maria, admirably portrayed by Anne Wylie, decides that since her last marriage ended in unhappiness, she will take away her next prospective husband for a month, on approval, before becoming his mate.

Miss Wylie, as the ingenious heiress, plays her role almost to perfection. Although at the beginning of the show, it seems improbable that she is to represent a woman of 41, this age discrepancy is soon forgotten due to her fine acting.

### Duke Laughable Character

Myron Cole, playing the duke, a laughably conceited and selfish nobleman, enralls the audience almost as soon as he appears in his bizarre costumes of the most hideous cuts and colors. Cole, seemingly realizing the inadequacy of the somewhat dated humor in the play, appears to do everything in his power to create and then sustain laugh-provoking situations.

When Maria and the duke are together on stage, the farce glides along, neither encumbered by excessive speeches nor by inadequate acting. The laughs appearing at these spots are not solely due to Lonsdale's words, but also result from expert direction of

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# Lion, State Parties To Meet Tomorrow

Lion and State Parties will meet at 7 p.m. tomorrow for the first formal clique meetings preceding the April 7 and 8 All-University elections.

Lion Party will meet in 121 Sparks and the State Party in 110 Electrical Engineering. Attendance at two of three clique meetings will be required for clique membership in either party. Students who attend one of the meetings Sunday or the following week may vote in All-University and class nominations of the party.

## Republicans Will Review Probe Rules

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26 (AP)—Senate Republicans, meeting amid a storm over Sen. Joseph McCarthy's methods, ordered a checkup today to see whether rules for Senate investigations should be changed.

McCarthy, declaring he would press on with his probes, said: "Witnesses in the future will have the same consideration as in the past."

He said he would go right on exposing "dishonesty, corruption and communism."

At another point in a news conference, he said: "I don't subscribe to the idea that if your own party is being embarrassed—lay off."

It was a charge by Secretary of the Army Robert T. Stevens that McCarthy had abused and brow-beaten a general which set off the newest controversy over McCarthy's methods.

Stevens at first had seemed headed for a televised showdown with McCarthy, who denied any abuse. This was called off after Stevens, McCarthy and other members of McCarthy's investigating subcommittee reached an accord, which was generally regarded as a surrender by Stevens. Aroused by this interpretation, Stevens yesterday issued a statement that he would "never accede" to humiliation of Army men. President Dwight D. Eisenhower backed Stevens "100 percent."

It was the Senate Republican Policy Committee, headed by Sen. Homer Ferguson (R-Mich), which ordered a survey of the rules with a view to a possible overhauling. McCarthy said he had read stories that "Republicans were trying to stop me," and dismissed the idea as "completely ridiculous" when asked what he would do if some Republicans did try to stop him.

The senator, talking on the subject of one-man hearings, said he had asked Democratic members of his investigating subcommittee to attend every hearing. "I hope they do attend," he said.

### Barnes to Lecture Monday

Frederick Barnes Jr. of the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, Baltimore, Md., will discuss the use of isotopes in medical research at 8:15 p.m. Monday in 119 Osmond. The lecture is open to the public.

### Elections of Clique Officers

Lion Party will elect a senior vice-clique chairman for women and a freshman clique treasurer tomorrow, Benjamin Sinclair, clique chairman, has announced. He said interested students may attend the meeting and volunteer for party work.

On hand to give short talks, Sinclair said, will be Edward Haag, All-University vice president; David Arnold, All-University secretary-treasurer; Joseph Barnett, junior class president; Jesse Arnelle, junior class vice president; James Musser, freshman class president; and Robert Bennett, freshman class vice president.

### Steering Committee

Sinclair also announced the party steering committee will meet at 2 p.m. tomorrow in 317 Willard.

The State Party will nominate junior and senior class clique officers, John Fink, clique chairman, has announced. Interested students may attend the meeting, Fink said. A discussion of the elections committee's decision to formalize the fraternity-independent rotation of candidates for All-University offices will be held, the clique chairman said.

### Officers to Speak

Short talks will be given by Kenneth White, chairman of the party's advisory board, and Walter Back, senior class vice president, Fink said.

Committee chairmen for the campaign will be announced, according to Fink.

In the fall semester election Nov. 13, the Lion and State Parties split six offices. Lion Party candidates won the vice presidency of the sophomore class, and the presidency and vice presidency of the freshman class. State party candidates won the presidency of the sophomore class, and the secretary-treasurer's office of both the freshman and sophomore class.

## Course Drops End March 6

Students who have the consent of the dean of their school may drop courses until March 6, Harry A. Sperber, assistant scheduling officer, has announced.

An unsatisfactory grade is not an excuse for dropping a course. However, the dean will grant authorization under special circumstances.

Students may drop courses by going to the Scheduling office, basement of Willard Hall.

## AA Ticket Distribution Hits 4000

More than 2000 exchange tickets for tonight's double event sports program in Recreation Hall were distributed yesterday by Athletic Association office officials.

Edward M. Czekaj, assistant business manager of athletics, said yesterday that this brings the number of tickets handed out to more than 4000.

Students may pick up tickets from 8 a.m. to noon today at the Athletic Association office in Old Main. Exchange tickets will be given to students who bring AA books to the ticket window at the office.

Tickets will go on sale to the public for \$1.80 from 8 a.m. to noon today at the office and at the ticket booth in Recreation Hall.

Students may get exchange tickets at the ticket booth in Recreation Hall before game time, but Czekaj has requested that students get tickets at the Athletic Association office during the hours listed.

A capacity crowd is expected for tonight's wrestling match with Pittsburgh and the basketball game with Rutgers which will follow.

The new Recreation Hall seating plan was passed by All-University Cabinet last spring.

## Mueller Denies Dorm Report

Director of Housing Otto E. Mueller Thursday discredited a report made recently by Thomas Kidd, Pollock Council member, that vacated Pollock dormitories will not be used again as dormitories.

Mueller said he thought the report, evidently a rumor, was "wishful thinking" on the part of residents of the area who wish to move.

Mueller said Pollock dormitories will continue to be used until other facilities or a lack of demand for housing make their use unnecessary.

Kidd said a merger of Pollock and Nittany Councils into an East Dorm Council was proposed because the Pollock area is shrinking in size as a living area.

# Matmen Rated Underdogs Against Pitt

By SAM PROCOPIO

Right on the heels of the Navy-Penn State dual wrestling meet encountered last week at Annapolis comes another tough one for Coach Charlie Speidel's Eastern and National defending mat champs. This time it will be in Rec Hall where the University of Pittsburgh will battle the Nittany Lions in the "match of the year."

The dual meet is at 7 tonight. The Panthers, who come here boasting a most envious record, will go into today's dual meet as favorites—the first time any team has been conceded better than an even chance against the Lions in four years of wrestling.

The fact that the Pitt grapplers earlier defeated

### Probable starters:

PENN STATE	WT.	PITT
Bob Homan	123	Hugh Peery
Hal Byers or Larry Fornicola	130	Bill Kozy or Ron Kurtz
Dick Lemyre	137	George Matthews
Jerry Maurey	147	Bob Cook
Doug Frey or Bill Krebs	157	Charley Uram
Joe Humphreys or Bill Shawley	167	Ed DeWitt
Joe Krufka	177	George Beresford or Joe Solomon
Bill Oberly	Hwt.	Harold Hunter

Navy which ended Penn State's 34-dual meet winning streak has led to speculation that the Panthers will take the Nittany Lions this year.

Tonight's match with the Lions will be the last dual meet of the season for Coach Rex Peery's Panthers. A victory will give them a record of nine wins against a single defeat. The Lions, on the other hand, will be in search of their sixth triumph.

Foremost of the Pitt grapplers is Hugh Peery, son of the coach and following in the footsteps of his dad. Hugh Peery, who has stored away many mat titles, is two-time National Collegiate champ. The talented 123-pounder will be seeking his 40th consecutive win in collegiate competition, including regular dual meets and post-season championship matches.

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