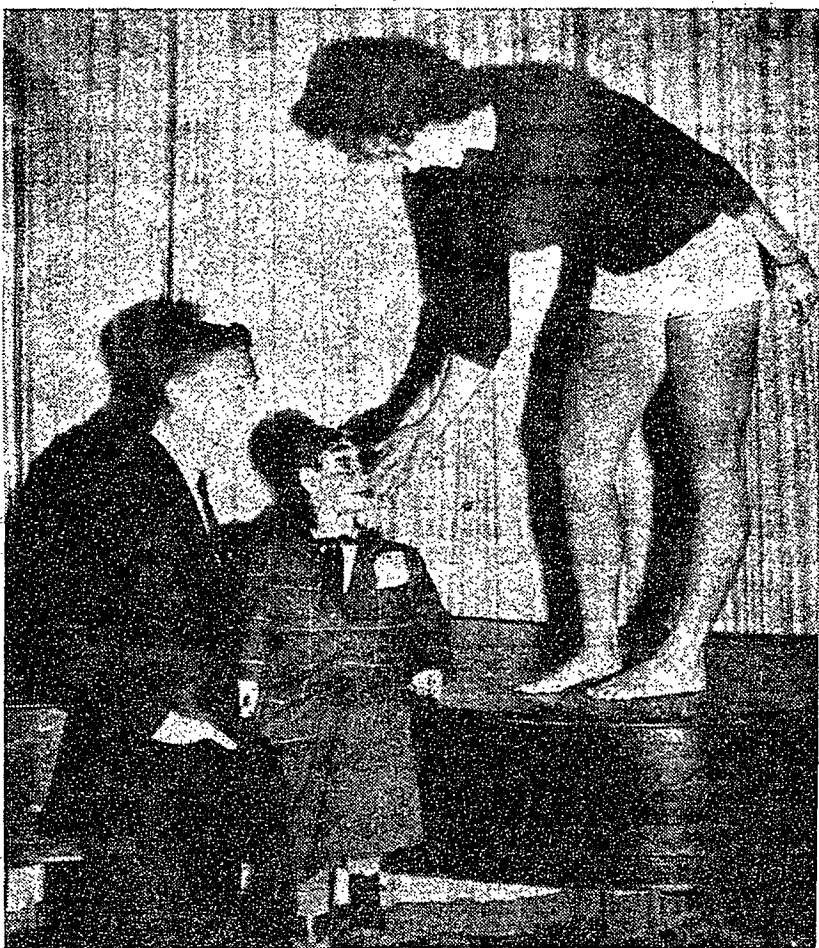


## Thespian Revue Preview



Shirley Mix and Philip Wein talk after rehearsal with "Elmer Elm". All are appearing in the "Osmond Lab Confidential" skit of the Thespian Revue.

## 'Funny Side Up' Will Open Oct. 14

By ALICE GRUBB

Thespian's fall revue, "Funny Side Up," to be presented October 14-16 in Schwab Auditorium, promises to be a fabulous combination of professional talent and original production numbers.

The skits were written by Michael Rosenfeld, fifth semester music major, Louis Fryman, fourth semester business administration major, and Philip Wein, fifth semester liberal arts major. The entire musical score was written by Rosenfeld.

### Three Weeks Rehearsal

Produced with only three weeks rehearsal under the supervision of co-ordinating director Ray Fortunato, supervisor of the employee division, it opens with the crowning of the Homecoming Queen, who will be announced that night. She will be serenaded in a specialty number by the 75-voice Penn State Glee Club with the numbers "Honey" and "Hail, Oh Hail."

It will be followed by "Looneydale," a musical skit and soft shoe routine by Alec Beliasov, seventh semester agricultural economics major, and Harriet Barlow, seventh semester education major. "So You Want to be a Housemother," a skit directed by Wein, is an amusing take-off on the fraternity housemother.

Michael McKay, seventh semester meteorology major, a former summer stock singer with the Municipal Opera in St. Louis, will sing "I Remember Carol," an original song by Rosenfeld.

### Heaven Only Knows

The end of act one is "Heaven Only Knows," a lengthy skit about an uncouth Irish immigrant mother who wants her eight sons to marry into society. The most humorous scene in the skit occurs when the mother blunders into a wealthy debutante's party with her son-in-law. This leads to a clever song and dance routine, "I'm Not Fallin' for You," with the Gleesingers.

"The Alpine Romance" will open the second act with a specialty folk dance by the New Bavarian Schupplattlers, a German folk dance group. This will be

their first appearance in a Thespian show.

"Osmond Lab Confidential," a comedy skit, will be performed by Wein and his well-known puppets, "Sylvester Pine" and "Elmer Elm."

### At the Circus

The most spectacular production in the show, "At the Circus," directed by Rosenfeld, will open with four bouncy clowns explaining to a little girl that "Show Biz Ain't Where the Dough Is." Accompanied by the gleesingers in the rollicking song, "We Love the Circus," it presents a lively and colorful panorama of circus life complete with freak shows and a very authentic looking ball dancer.

Following this, Robert Little, seventh semester journalism major as "The Wizard" will prove his ability as a professional magician with several novel tricks.

"Uruguay," starring Alec Beliasov, is a humorous musical number about a "fast operator" who is leaving Uruguay in a hurry to

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# University Placement Service Operates as Talent Scout

By AL GUENTHER

Many people believe that only baseball players and actors have talent scouts looking for them. This is an error on their part, for here at Penn State, large numbers of talent scouts arrive each semester to look over the prospective crop of men and women they can hire for their companies.

The search for help appears to be continuing at the same high level of the past few years, according to officials of the University Placement Service, 112 Old Main.

Right now, talent scouts representing most of America's major industries are beginning their

annual trek to the campuses of the country's leading colleges and universities in search of seniors and graduates who are interested in entering some phase of the employment market.

**Engineers, Scientists in Demand**  
As in other years, engineers and scientists are in the greatest demand. These people are needed to supplement the technological advances of business, industry, and government.

While the total number of jobs available for liberal arts and business administration majors is smaller, a smaller number of these students usually apply. This causes an almost equal demand in such areas as sales, marketing, retailing, accounting and finance. So, the non-technical student interested in employment will have equal opportunity with the scientist and engineer.

### 80 Employers

In all, a total of 80 employers have made arrangements to interview graduating seniors from now until Dec. 14. Most of these same organizations will return in the spring, along with more than 200 additional firms, to interview the much larger June graduating class.

The majority of interviews for advanced degree candidates will take place during the fall interview period. To be eligible for interviews during this period, a Bachelor's degree candidate must receive his degree in January, 1955. A Master's degree candidate must have been seeking that degree for at least one semester. A Ph.D. candidate must expect his degree sometime in 1955.

### Info in Old Main

Officials of the Placement Service point out that information concerning the various companies which will visit the campus, as well as those which will recruit by mail, is available at 112 Old Main.

The Placement Service is in contact with a large number of companies which are not able to visit the campus, but would like to have interested persons apply in writing. Students, whether graduate or undergraduate, are advised to investigate the policies and procedures of organizations with which they intend to schedule an interview. They are also advised to investigate suggested procedures for applying by mail.

### Block and Bridle Club

Block and Bridle Club will meet at 7:30 tonight in 206 Agriculture.

## 'Mr. State' Applications Available

Male undergraduate students interested in obtaining the title of "Mr. Penn State" may pick up application blanks now for the annual contest, to be held in connection with the Bellhop Ball on Oct. 23.

Blanks are available at the hotel administration office in the Home Economics building.

Entrants must be sponsored by a recognized campus organization. The organization sponsoring the winning candidate will receive a rotating cup. Prizes for the winning entrant will be announced at a later date.

Selection of a winner will be based on promotion of the University campus, service to the community, popularity, participation in campus activities, promotion of unity among the students, and general character.

Among the judges will be Frank J. Simes, dean of men; Pearl O. Weston, dean of women; Luther H. Harshbarger, University chaplain; George L. Donovan, manager of associated student activities; Wilmer E. Kenworthy, director of student affairs; C. O. Williams, dean of admissions and registrar; Glenn N. Thiel, professor of physical education; and Daniel Spangler, from the student union desk.

Judges will select five contestants as finalists. From these five the winner will be chosen by the audience, and will be crowned "Mr. Penn State" by Congressman James Van Zandt.

Entry deadline is Monday.

## Cast Named For 'Othello'

The cast for Experimental Theater's production of "the curse scene" from "Othello" has been named.

The actors and their parts are Ernest Swiggett, "Othello," Shirley Cohan, "Desdemona," Richard Land, "Cassio," Betsy Ives, "Emilia," Ronald Taylor, "Clown." The part of "Bianca" is being rehearsed by Grace Bonnet and Olivia Florig. The selection for this part will be made at a later date.

"Othello," directed by George Oliver, graduate student in dramatics, is the first in Experimental Theater's series of "Great Scenes from Plays."

The scenes will be presented at 5 p.m. every Tuesday in Little Theater, basement of Old Main.

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## Chem-Phys 'Newsletter' Reorganized

The Chemistry and Physics Student Council last night decided that the Chem-Phys "Newsletter" be edited by a student who is not a member of the council.

However, after the editor is selected, the "Newsletter" will be represented on council. Previously it was edited by a council member.

A committee, composed of George Fitting, chairman, William Childs, David Ericson, Glenn Fiscus, and Philip Matin, was appointed to study the publication and select an editor.

The council also decided to give more publicity to the council nominations and elections. The nominations will be held the week of Oct. 17 and elections the week of Oct. 24.

President, Barbara Foss, appointed five other committee chairmen. They are Ken Kresge, elections committee; Joseph Eberly, constitution committee; David Ericson, Chem-Phys mixer committee; Roger Uhler, coffee hours committee; and Philip Matin, public relations committee.

## Imhof Will Address Pre-Vet Club Tonight

The Pre-Vet Club will meet at 7 tonight in the Home Economics living center, instead of last night as announced in the Daily Collegian.

A. H. Imhof, professor of agricultural journalism, will speak on "Agricultural Problems of Ceylon."

## ICCB Meets Tonight

Intercollege Council Board will meet at 7 tonight in the Old Main lounge, according to George Williams, president of the Agriculture Student Council.

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