

STUDY OF STAGE MADE BY SELDEN

"A Player's Handbook," Containing Instructions for Acting, Released by Crofts, New York; Director's Second Book.

"A Player's Handbook," the result of eleven years of exhaustive study of the professional and non-professional stage written by Samuel Selden, associate director of the Carolina Playmakers, has just been released by the publishers, F. S. Crofts and Co., New York.

This book is composed of two parts, the text containing instructions in the art of acting, communication and response, training for expression of the body and voice, playing the part, and the actor and the director. The second half of the book contains exercises for the body, voice and face, and selections for expression. Also there is an exercise devoted to explaining how to analyze and re-create a part.

In the last of the book there is a play by Loretto Carroll Bailey, "Cloey," which will be used for execution of the instruction.

Selden Well Known

As co-author of "Stage Scenery and Lighting," Mr. Selden received wide recognition in both professional and non-professional circles because of his intimate knowledge and lucid treatment of the technique of the stage.

"A Player's Handbook," say Crofts, "is a book for the beginner who needs guidance in interpretation and direction in the application of the principles of acting. It is specific, practical, and alive with constant illustration, application, and exercise material."



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INSTITUTE ADDS THREE MEMBERS

Brandis, Gardner, and Brice to Do Full-Time Work.

Town, county, and state officials of this county who are members of the Institute of Government have been informed by the organization committee that three full-time members have been added to the staff of the institute and that definite progress is being made in the studies being undertaken by the institute in tax, criminal law and judicial administration, and the accounting methods and practices of governmental units.

The organization committee, which is composed of Judge W. A. Devin, Judge M. V. Barnhill, and Assistant Attorney-General A. A. F. Seawell, announced at the same time the completion of arrangements for the opening in Raleigh of a central clearing house of information for officers and citizens on governmental problems, methods, and practices in the cities, counties and the state.

The three men added to the staff are already at work under the direction and supervision of city, county, and state officials. This brings the staff membership to four coming from widely different sections of the state. Albert Coates is director of the institute and the three men added, with the rank of associate directors, are Henry Brandis, Jr., Dillard S. Gardner, and T. N. Grice.

FOUR-RING SHOW HERE TOMORROW

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Georgetown finished well up in the Southern Conference indoor meet and is expected to furnish stiff competition. The Washington team is especially strong in the sprints and middle distances, where it will offer such stars as Bradley, Parcels, McNeill, Treacy, Keane, and Doherty.

Boy Scouts' Exhibit

The Boy Scouts of America in North Carolina, through the scout executives of the 14 councils in the state, are assembling for exhibition at the Dogwood Festival to take place in Chapel Hill, materials for handicrafts of various kinds, especially bird houses. The exhibitions are to be shown in cooperation with the State Garden club, which is meeting during the time of the festival.

Dance Marshals

Applications for marshals at the summer school dances are now in order. All applications must be turned in to Harry F. Comer at the Y. M. C. A. office on or before May 1. The only qualifications for the positions are that the applicant be a registered member of the summer school.

To Receive This Evening

Don Shoemaker and Mayne Albright will receive friends of Robert W. Barnett, University Rhodes scholar, at the Klutz cottage on East Franklin street this evening between the hours of 10:00 and 2:00 o'clock. Barnett is leaving Sunday for England via China. This will be the only invitation extended.

Dr. Meyer Talks

Dr. Harold D. Meyer of the department of sociology will address the school teachers of Pamlico county at a banquet meeting of the group tonight. The banquet will be given in the Arahoe high school building.

MUMMERS OFFER PLAY TOMORROW

Newly-Organized Dramatic Organization of Professors and Students to Stage "Dracula" as First Presentation.

"Dracula," a three-act play dramatized by John Balderston from the novel by Bram Stoker, will be presented in Memorial hall tomorrow evening at 8:30 o'clock by the Carolina Mummies.

Dr. Meno Spann is cast in the leading role of Count Dracula, a Transylvanian nobleman, who has preyed on the living for 500 years in the form of a vampire. The play centers around his designs on his latest victim, Lucy, the daughter of an English psychiatrist.

Dr. Spann has played similar parts before, including the Mephistopheles in Goethe's "Faust," and has acted on the legitimate stage in Germany. He is of a family of German actors, and had a hard time to decide whether to follow the career of an actor or educator.

Dr. Urban T. Holmes, singer, actor, and romance philologist, who like the character he portrays is able to speak 12 languages fluently, is cast in the role of Professor Van Heltsing, a Dutch scientist who finally overcomes the vampire Dracula. Dr. Seward, an orthodox physician, who can not follow the ingenious methods of his colleague, Dr. Van Heltsing, is played by Joseph Brown. Brown has acted in musical comedies and in the legitimate drama in New York and with travelling professional stock companies throughout the United States.

Other characters and their portrayals are: Lucy, Virginia Burch; John Harker, Lucy's lover, Forney Rankin; Renfield, Everett Jess; the maid, Jane Forgrave; and attendant, John Butler.

FREAK FACTS... ABOUT FILM FAVORITES



Ruth Chatterton, Claire Dodd, and Adolphe Menjou appear in "Journal of a Crime," which plays at the Carolina theatre today.

Dr. Graham to Be Absent From Annual Festival Here

President Frank Porter Graham will be unable to attend the second annual Dogwood Festival which opens here today. He was

called unexpectedly to Washington where he will attend a special meeting of the National Consumers' Advisory board, of which he is a member.

Graham was appointed last summer by President Roosevelt.

High Teams Battle In Track Meet Today

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drawing a bye in the first round. Bill Rawlings and Andrew Sutton of Winston Salem were responsible for the lone upset, surprising Collins and Smith, Durham's second-seeded team, 7-5, 6-8, 6-3, to enter the doubles semi-finals with Gene Harrington and Ed Stewart of Washington.

Tommie Campbell and Johnny Spratt of Charlotte and Alvin Ljung and Howard King of Greensboro meet in the other doubles semi-final. The Charlotteans, who were seeded first, coasted to 6-4, 6-3 and 6-0, 6-2 victories over Goldsboro and Henderson teams. Greensboro drew a bye in the first round and won its second match from Hamlin and Cooper of High Point, 6-2, 7-5.

All semi-final matches, singles and doubles, are scheduled for 9:00 o'clock this morning. The finals have been set for 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

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