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U. Theatre Presents 'The Father'

"The Father," by August Strindberg, is grimly humorous and bitterly tragic. It is the drama of the playwright's own life.

PLU begins its 1969-70 theatre season with this masterpiece by Sweden's master playwright. It will be staged Thursday through Saturday, Oct. 30-Nov. 1, in Eastvold Auditorium at 8:15 p.m.

In selecting the play, director Richard Arnold uncovered the curious reality that at the university, itself a godchild of the Scandinavian intellect, no Norwegian, Swedish or Danish drama had been staged for nearly a decade. What better play, he asked, than "The Father,"--the supreme work of a man recognized by such other modern masters as Ibsen, Shaw, O'Neill as the master of them all--to illustrate the genius of the Scandinavian theater?

The cast includes Berndt Kuehn a many-talented senior music major, who was seen as Petey in last season's "The Birthday Party." In "The Father" he plays the title role. Rosie Rynearson, a senior drama major and three-season veteran of the University Theatre, plays Margret, the old family nurse.

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Gwen Larson (left), the daughter, pleads with her mother, played by Deborah Johnson, in the University Theatre production "The Father," which will be staged at PLU Oct. 30-Nov. 1.

MAURICE SKONES (music) conducted a music clinic for the Southwest Washington district at Centralia last Friday. . . the week before he was at Eugene, Ore. where he directed the district honor choir at the Oregon Music Educator's convention . . . ROBERT MENZEL (CHOICE) is conducting a series of lectures in Puyallup on "The Church's Mission in an Opened Society." . . .the lectures are sponsored by the Associated Ministries of Pierce County . . . MELVIN R. KNUDSON (regent) has been named vice chairman of the advisory board to the Washington State University College of Engineering. . . he is the division director of St. Regis Paper, Tacoma. . . FLORENCIO BARBIDALLIO (maint.) has returned to work after a five week absence due to an injury sustained Aug. 30 in a car accident which occurred when he was performing a special duty for the school on his day off. . . ERIK BYE, renowned television personality from Norway, was a campus visitor last week along with a team of four others from Norway. . . they filmed interviews with campus personalities of Norwegian background and the film will be used in a series of telecasts on Norwegians in America over the Norwegian network next winter. . . GARY COATS, ROBERT FISK, GARY PETERSON and WILLIAM JOHNSON (all math) attended the eighth annual Northwest Mathematics conference held in Eugene, Oregon Oct. 10 and 11. . . PHILIP NORDQUIST, ALVIN AKRE, PETER RISTUBEN, WALTER SCHNACKENBERG and ARTHUR MARTINSON (all history) attended the annual Pacific Northwest History Association convention in Yakima last Saturday . . . everyone in the Office of Student Affairs, with the exception of Dr. Leasure and the secretaries, was in Gearhart, Oregon this week for the annual meeting of the Northwest Association of Student and Guidance Personnel. . . DR. KENNETH JOHNSTON (education) is vice president of the Washington Association of Student Teachers which held its seventh annual conference on campus Tuesday. . . PRESIDENT WIEGMAN, DEAN MOE and DR. GUNDAR KING (B.A.) were in Seattle Thursday (Oct. 23) for the sessions of the Washington Association of Collegiate Schools of Business. . . All members of the School of Business Administration faculty will be in Seattle Friday and continued on page 6

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Four members of the cast, Deborah Johnson, Gwen Larson, Jim Anderson and Ken Hanson, are freshmen appearing on the PLU stage for the first time.

The cast is completed by Dennis Nugent, a transfer student who has played in several shows at Tacoma Community College, and Terry Westby, also in his first role at the university.

Assistant director for "The Father" is Lou Rhoe, a senior in drama education, and production secretary is Pam Weeks, who also appears on stage.

Tickets will be available at the Eastvold Auditorium box office noon to 5 p.m. weekdays.

OPERA WORKSHOP AUDITIONS UNDERWAY AT PLU THIS WEEK

The PLU music department's Opera Workshop is offering a course in the preparation and performance of two one act operas. The three and one-half weeks of the interim will be devoted to intensive rehearsals.

Performance of the operas will be delayed until February 26-28 due to the necessity of having more than three and one-half weeks of preparation.

One of the two short operas is "The Jumping Frog of Calaveras County," the Mark Twain short story set to music by the contemporary composer Lucas Foss.

Jerry Kracht will conduct the works and William Sare will be the stage director. Everyone in the course will be involved with the set and costume preparations.

Audition and consent of instructors will be the prerequisites for this course. These auditions are being held Tuesday night, Oct. 28, in Xavier 201 at 8 p.m. Bring a memorized aria or song. An accompanist will be provided.

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Morse Headlines Moratorium Day Activities At PLU

A Moratorium Day address by former Oregon Sen. Wayne Morse opened a day of discussion, reflection and prayer at Pacific Lutheran University Oct. 15.

The unique observance also featured an interdisciplinary debate, a panel discussion with local proponents and opponents of the war, a peace service and a processional.

Morse outlined the long history of escalating U.S. involvement in Southeast Asia. He asserted that the U.S. has been moving toward a "government of executive supremacy" since 1953 because Congress has "time and time again waived its Constitutional power."

He advocated a return to a "people's foreign policy" and called for the United Nations to take over the Vietnam conflict.

The former senator concluded by saying, "Many people ask how we can get out of Vietnam with honor. But the fact is we can no longer stay with honor."

Professors from the sociology, political science, history, religion and economics departments discussed the war as it pertained to their disciplines.



Faculty panel--Dwight Zulauf, Jens Knudson, David Knutson, W.C. Schnackenberg, Harold Bexton and Lowell Culver.



Former Senator Wayne Morse delivers morning address;



attracts student following;



and converses with President Wiegman.



Eric Bye, left, with PLU's Judd Doughty, broadcast services.

Eric Bye, Norway's Top TV Star, Visits PLU

Norway's "Johnny Carson" came to PLU last week to record part of the Norwegian legacy in America for television.

Eric Bye is not only Norway's foremost television personality, he is also a folk singer and author.

"There wouldn't be a person in Norway who wouldn't know him," Audun Toven, Norwegian teaching his native language at PLU, said.

Bye and a crew of four are spending three months in America to record for the first time for Norwegian television an in-depth story of Norwegian migration and culture. A series of 10 to 14 half-hour programs will be developed at the completion of the trip.

Bye said he would like to incorporate the information he gathered at PLU into a story on the colleges that originated through the Norwegian Lutheran Church.

At PLU the crew interviewed faculty members about the school's past and its students and they filmed the choir, which will tour Norway next summer.

Pulitzer Prize Winning Author To Speak At PLU Friday

An American Indian who won a Pullitzer Prize for fiction this year with his first novel is slated to speak at PLU next Friday, Oct. 31.

In his novel, "House Made of Dawn,"
N. Scott Momaday, professor of comparative literature at the University of
California at Berkeley, will lecture in
Eastvold Auditorium at 10:30 a.m.

In his novel, "House Made of Dawn," Momaday writes intimately about the life of the American Indian. It is a story of a young Indian who leaves the reservation but finds he cannot adjust to the world outside.

A Kiowa Indian born in 1934, Momaday grew up on a reservation inhabited by Navajo, the San Carlos Apache, and several other tribes. He attended Indian schools and taught at a reservation in northern New Mexico.

He received a bachelor's degree from the University of New Mexico in 1958, masters from the same school in 1960 and a doctorate from Stanford in 1963. He was Stanfords' Creative Writing Fellow in poetry in 1959-60 and a Guggenheim Fellow in 1966-67.

Since the summer of 1967 he has completed a collection of Kiowa folk tales and myths with illustrations by his father. The book, "The Way to Rainy Mountain," was published in April by the University of New Mexico press.

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GRAPE BOYCOTT EXPERT TO SPEAK AT PLU

Dale Van Pelt, head of the grape boycott campaign in Seattle will speak at PLU Sunday, Oct. 26.

His talk, sponsored by the Sunday Seminar, will be held in the Red Lyon at 7 p.m.

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UPS LECTURE SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED

The following faculty lectures are scheduled at the University of Puget Sound this year.

Nov. 12, "The Plight of Consciousness, or 'Marshall McLuhan, What Are You Doing? " Professor Richard H. Overman, associate professor of religion; Dec. 10, "The Wonderful World of Starch," Professor Darrell G. Medcalf, associate professor of chemistry; Jan. 14, "O'Neill and the Destruction of Apollonian Form," Professor Ronald M. Fields, assistant professor of art; Feb. 18, "Language and Moral Philosophy," Professor Earl S. Scott, assistant professor of philosophy; March 18, "Delinquency: Test of Differential Association Theory," Professor Earle W. McNeil, instructor in sociology; April 15, "The Use of Cost-Benefit Analysis in Quantitatively Appraising Government Investments," Professor Earnest F. Combs, associate professor of economics; May 13, "The Warren Court--Free Speech: The Search for a Standard," Professor Karen Ristvet, assistant professor of political science.

The lectures are held at 7:30 p.m. in McIntyre Hall. They are complimentary and open to the public.

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BIRTHDAYS

David Barnard, Leah Lock and
Theodore Karl

George Arbaugh and Ruth
Davey

Glen Blubaugh

Michael Adkinson

October 27

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November 1

REMEMBER, FINAL CHILDREN'S THEATRE

PERFORMANCE SATURDAY, OCT. 25, 2:30 p.m.

"BEAUTY AND THE BEAST"



Hans Lindstrom streaks for yardage during UPS clash Saturday.

Lutes Suffer First Loss; Play Pacific U. Saturday

One game does not make a season. In spite of a 20-0 loss to University of Puget Sound Saturday, Roy Carlson intends to have his Lutes up and ready for Pacific U. tomorrow.

The UPS clash, as has often happened in the long cross-town rivalry, was a game of "ifs." If the Lutes had scored from the one in the first quarter; if Logger Clint Scott had not hit on a couple of record-breaking field goals; if Don Monta, Dennis Hillesland and Dave Halstead had not been injured.

Breaks make the difference on the scoreboard when teams are evenly matched; in this case the underdog Lutes tried "too hard," as Carlson put it, and the Loggers took advantage of numerous mistakes.

The Lutes did show a superior ground attack and a tough defense, but the Loggers' speed to the outside was a deciding factor.

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There were some brilliant individual PLU performances. Halfback Hans Lindstrom accounted for 220 yards in Kickoff returns, pass receptions and rushes; halfback Dave Halstead ran for 63 yards from scrimmage in the first half before spraining an ankle; safety Tim Chandler made his fifth and sixth interceptions of the season and contributed nine tackles, and Dave Roller caught five passes for 57 yards.

PLU travels to Forest Grove, Ore., tomorrow to take on Pacific's Boxers in an 8 p.m. contest.

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LUTE HARRIES DEFEATED BY LEWIS AND CLARK SATURDAY

Lewis and Clark's cross country team overpowered PLU and Portland Community College Saturday by taking six of the first seven places in the three and three-quarter mile race. The Lutes finished second.

Gerry Gugel finished third for PLU. Also in the top 12 for the Lutes were Chris Buck, Don Milholland, Kirk Sandburg and Bob Matson.

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for the Northwest University Business Administration Conference. . . NANCY SWOSINSKI is the new secretary in maintenance. . . she is a native of Germany and her father is in Vietnam. . . her predecessor, FRANKIE VAN NOY left the campus Oct. 17. . . JON B. OLSON (alumni rel.) will be a busy man Saturday. . . in the morning he will meet with the California alumni chapter officers in San Francisco, in the afternoon he will meet in Portland with the Oregon group, and in the evening he expects to attend the PLU-Pacific U. game in Forest Grove. . . PRESIDENT WIEGMAN addressed the Educational Division of the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce at its luncheon meeting Wednesday. . . LO ELL CULVER (pol. sc.) has been named to Governor Evans' recently reorganized Urban ffairs Council.

LOOKING BACKWARD (courtesy of the Tacoma News Tribune)

Oct. 12, 1894, 75 years ago--Pacific Lutheran University at Parkland will be dedicated today. The Rt. Rev. V. Koren of Decorah, Ia., will deliver the dedicatory address and the state and county school superintendents have been invited to speak. One hundred pupils have applied for admission. The building is of brick, four stories high, and cost \$75,000. The college will open Oct. 25.