

## A CAP AND DAGGER PRESENTATION

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NORMAN T. SIMPSON DIRECTOR

PRODUCED BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH SAMUEL FRENCH OF NEW YORK BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY, JUNE 10, 1939

### TRY OUR ESSO GASOLINE

## STAHLEY'S ESSO STATION

### (Route 404)

Lewisburg, Pa.

**Opposite High School** 

## CAST

Mr. Frederick Ritter
Mr. Huxley Hossefrosse John Bower
Mr. Spindler
Mr. Spindler Paul Rochford Mr. Ralph Twiller Roscoe Brownell
Teddy Spearing Richard Biow
Mr. Stage Manager Frederick Michel, Jr.
Mrs. Paula Ritter (Ritter's wife)
Mrs. J. Duro Pampinelli Alice Zindel
Mrs. Nelly Fell Janet Cristadoro
Miss Florence McCrickett Ilaria Sterniuk
Mrs. Clara Sheppard Le Anne Boyle
Jenny (a housemaid at Ritter's)

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## SYNOPSIS

### ACT I.

A kind of drawing-room in the home of Frederick Ritter, on an evening in October, about eight o'clock.

### ACT II.

Behind the scenes at Horticultural Hall, the following evening at eight-thirty.

#### ACT III.

The drawing-room at Ritter's, two hours later.

### TRY TEXACO FIRE-CHIEF

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## **PRODUCTION STAFF**

PRODUCTION MANAGER—MYRON EISENBERG ASS'T. PRODUCTION MANAGER—RAYMOND MANKER BUSINESS MANAGER—FREDERICK GREEN ASSISTANT DIRECTOR—MARGARET BORTZ ASSISTANT TO THE DIRECTOR—DOROTHY ROSER

#### SET DESIGN-Raymond Manker.

#### SCENERY-Stephen Kraft.

Raymond Manker, Sarah Louise Slaughenhaup, Jeanne Brozman, Anne Lowther, George Egan, Alice Ruigh.

EFFECT PAINTING—Richard Brown. Stephen Kraft.





#### **PRODUCTION STAFF**—Continued

#### LIGHTING—Joseph Donnelly.

C. Willard Smith, George Both, Eugene Nicolait, Stephen Kraft, Glen Jones, Richard Brown.

### STAGE CREW-Daniel Mazzarella.

Raymond Manker, Stephen Kraft, Myron Eisenberg, Richard Brown, Alfred Dobrof, Gilbert Unruh.

#### COSTUMES-Doris Loos.

Helen Mulford, Esteline Armstrong, Vera Savich, Alice Ruigh, Donald Sholl, Edmund Fetter.

### MAKE-UP-Katherine Webb.

Lois Knerr, Eleanor Frith, Ruth Borneman, Dwight Milleman, Peggy Besore, Catherine Bastian, Barbara Tompkins.

#### PROPERTIES—Dorothy Lyster.

Alice Ruigh, Gladys Chudomelka, Marion McConnell, Marjorie Clayton, Dorothy Thomas.

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PUBLICITY—Frances Gilson. , Nelle Dean, Raymond Manker.

HOUSE MANAGER—Laurence de la Vega. Richard Lank, John Espenshade.

SOUND EFFECTS-John Johannesen.

#### HEAD USHER-Jane Nash.

Emily Burrows, Doris Green, Lois Johnson, Ruth Rider, Maurine Hobbs, Mildred Mellor, Laurel Herrmann, Marcia Hart, Margaret Osborne.

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For further information, write

FRANK G. DAVIS Director of the Summer School

## To the Seniors of Cap and Dagger

At this, your final dramatic presentation at Bucknell, we say: Thank you for the good entertainment you have given us and for the traditions of excellence in dramatic performance which you have maintained and strengthened at Bucknell.

Keep dreaming about that Little Theatre which you and we are hoping to have at Bucknell. Some day we will have it and then we will expect you all back to help dedicate it.

Meanwhile, — happiness and success to each of you in the 7 Act drama of life.

Cordially,

Arnaud C. Marts.

ACM:f

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# Hitching Our Social Stars to a Wagon

With the exception of a few pertinent remarks by a disillusioned husband, the text of the Torchbearers offered no landing place, where, as it were, a dove from Noah's Ark could find footing. For one accustomed to reading substantial literature we had the impression of flying through the stratosphere. There was no philosophy and no plot to the play, but a lot of personal piffle from vacuum-filled society brains. However, a lot of humorous action and sarcasm, concerned with the foibles of the Pampinelli Mutial Admiration Society, confirmed our own conception of fashionable folks with all their delusions of grandeur.

Who are these uncircumcised Philistines who dare to defy the tenants of Democracy by a Caste System? First of all, they are entirely different from other folks, in that their own lives have no constructive usefulness, but is merely the reflected glory of some one else's labor and success. They alone have a family tree, with the most illustrious of the line hanging in a huge frame over the fireplace. Any lesser members missing in the family paintings can be readily located in the Rogues Gallery. This honored forbear probably established the family fortune as a fish peddler, or pirate, or slave trader, or cheating the aborigines. If the family tree is of more recent origin, he may have been water boy for some inflated stocks, or reached new lows in the wages of sweat shop labor. Whatever it was it is now forgotten and covered up and anyone else in the same business today rates nothing less than an outcast. In truth if this distinguished ancestor stepped out of the picture today for a visit with his grand-children he would hardly rate more than a night's lodging and breakfast in the servants' quarters. He's all right and something to boast about in that gilded frame, but he'd better stav put or else.

The present generation of social climbers is the most conclusive proof of the evolutionary theory. Their skill and facility must surely have sprang from the dexterity of ancient ancestors. To maintain their social status and dignity is their one function in life. It's not for them to work and vend, their's is but to loaf and spend. To hold a cigarette in an obstrusive manner, to rate as an authority on cocktails and bridge, to feed that loquacious opening in their physiognomy with just the right piece of silverware—all of these things are of supreme importance in their lives. To dabble in just enough charity to ease their consciences and to satisfy their head line hunger, to talk a lot without saying anything, a bloat with a lot of blarney and bluff, and finally pride leading the way to deflated conceit, and a haughty spirit preceding an assinine performance. For them the ornament of a meek and quiet spirit is entirely supplanted by the ornament of facial paint and powder, and jewelry, the skill of the hairdresser, and by everything artificial that makes for superficial charm. But none of it ever wears like the outward calm of an inner grace.

To all this haughty and exclusive society, including its effeminate membership, Mr. Horsesosse and Spindler, et cetera, we feel most apologetic and inferior in your presence. But perhaps it's best after all that we do not suffer from the contamination and deterioration of the idle rich. In a sense you are just a recipient of relief, one by an ancestor too tight to give it away and unable to take it with him, and the other by an indulgent Uncle Sam when you vote right. And while it is embarrassing to be excluded from your highly esteemed society we always have recourse to the highways and byways for our friends and guests and, believe it or not, they please us a lot even if they are not ashamed of honest toil. The poor are better any day than a parasite.

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