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Presents

as the second production of its eighteenth season

The Curious Savage

A Comedy in Three Acts

By JOHN PATRICK

Directed by KATHRYN RANDOLPH

By Special Arrangement with Dramatists Play Service, Inc.

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PALACE THEATRE

FEBRUARY 23 and 24, 1955

8:15 P. M.

The Story of the Play . . .

*"And if I laugh at any mortal thing—
'Tis that I may not weep."*

—BYRON

To the gentle inmates of "The Cloisters," the world outside and the people who inhabit it are equally insane. Within the protecting walls of their "home," they live the whimsical projections of their former circumstances.

Into this environment comes Mrs. Ethel P. Savage, eccentric, but by no means unbalanced, widow of a multimillionaire. She has been committed by her avaricious stepchildren, eager to get their hands on a fortune which she has determined to spend in good works.

How Mrs. Savage affects the lives of those within "The Cloisters"—and how they profoundly influence her own outlook—is the story of "The Curious Savage." It is at once heartwarming, poignant and magnificently humorous.—R.B.W.

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The scene is the living room of "The Cloisters."

Time, the present.

ACT I

Scene 1: Night

Scene 2: The next morning

ACT II

Scene 1. That night after dinner

Scene 2. A few nights later

ACT III

A few minutes later

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The Curious Savage

The cast

The Guests:

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 Hannibal.....Frank Roose
 Fairy May.....Lucinda Butler
 Jeffrey.....Robert Cross
 Mrs. Paddy.....Mary Ellen Bean

The Family:

Titus.....Leonard Adler
 Samuel.....Jerry Savesky
 Lily Belle.....Charlotte Ellis
 Ethel.....Kathryn Gerrard

The Staff:

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