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THE RED MASK PLAYERS INC.
in

KIND SIR



Nov. 12, 13, 14, and 18, 19, and 20, 1965

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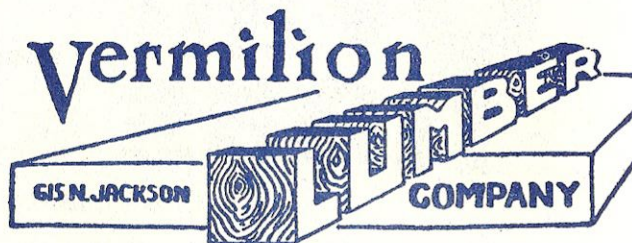
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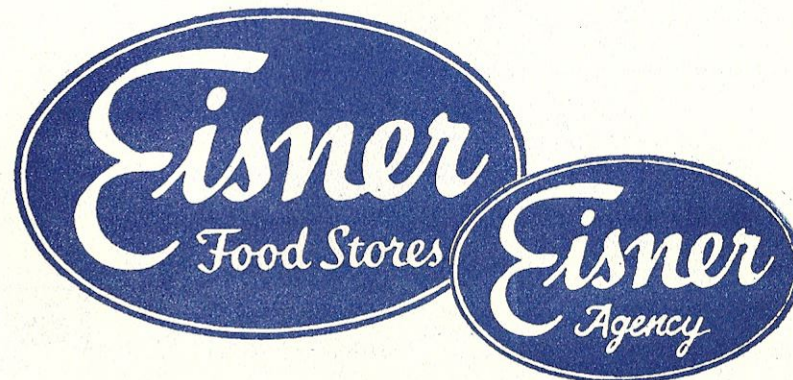
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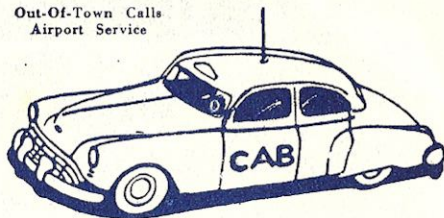
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LIZ SATTERLEE - appeared in INHERIT THE WIND. She also handled props for DARK AT THE TOP OF THE STAIRS, ANASTASIA, and is Co-Producer of this show, KIND SIR. She is also secretary of the Women's Guild.
WALLY HELMHOLZ - came to Danville last Feb., is employed at Ill. Bell as District Plant Manager, was active in the Springfield Theatre Guild productions of THE BOY FRIEND and GIGI. Attended Northwestern Unit School of Commerce.
JEAN HENSEN - has appeared in TWO BLIND MICE, FIRST LADY, BORN YESTERDAY, LIGHT UP THE SKY, BLACK CHIFFON, SABRINA FAIR, WITNESS FOR THE PROSECUTION and DETECTIVE STORY. She was active in the amateur group, Gazebo Island Players in Florida, also with the Pro Stock Co. Retoskey Players in WHO WAS THAT LADY I SAE YOU WITH. She is past president who has won a Katy Award.
NANCY LOWENSTEIN - has won a Katy Award for MARRIAGE GO ROUND. She also has appeared in BUS STOP, SOLID GOLD CADILLAC and other Red Mask Plays. She is going to direct the Danville Light Opera Company's Spring Show, "THE STUDENT PRINCE".
RUSS POLLITT - winner of a Katy Award - has appeared in THE RAINMAKER, TEA HOUSE OF THE AUGUST MOON, GAZEBO, PICNIC, INHERIT THE WIND. He is employed at General Electric. He attended the Univ. of Ill. School of Commerce. Russ is also a past president.

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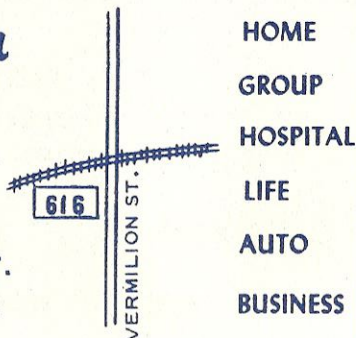


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