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Red Mask Players, Inc.

PROUDLY PRESENT

"Light Up The Sky"

COMEDY IN THREE ACTS

BY MOSS HART

Directed by
KATHRYN RANDOLPH

PALACE THEATRE
Danville, Illinois

FEBRUARY 18 AND 19, 1953

8:15 P. M.



Once again Red Mask Players performs the function for which it was created, that of bringing the Theatre to Danville. There is no question but that the people of Danville want Theatre and enjoy Theatre, as witnessed by the growth of our membership. From a nucleus of about 50 members 16 years ago we have grown to our present adult membership of 1200.

Every year new members plunge into the magic world of make-believe and put aside the daily cares of routine living. Every year we find new faces on the stage and in the audience.

Red Mask is a vital and working organization worthy of our community. The success of Red Mask Players is possible only thru your continued support. Our thanks to the players themselves, to the backstage crew, to the many hard-working committees, and to you our audience.



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ASSISTANT DIRECTORS—Barbara Maxwell, Christine VanDevanter, Barbara Judy.

CASTING—Lucinda Butler, Lew Selby, Bob Wright, Alice Mae Hendrickson, Matt Jurczak.

COSTUMES—Jean Henson, Mary Minear, Bob Acton.

ENTERTAINMENT—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Caughron.

FURNISHINGS—Honore Ronan.

HAND PROPERTIES—Mary Lou Chappelle, Marcella Reilly, Dr. Harold Brownstein.

MAKE-UP—Bonnie True, Beatrice Holt, Alan and Phyllis Oster, Wanda Stephens, Barbara Maxwell, Alice Mae Hendrickson.

MEMBERSHIP—Cynthia Ballard, Margaret Fitzgerald, Charlotte Ellis, Frank South, Louise Dettman, Mary Lou Chappelle, Jean Forster, Martha Ann (McEvoy) Cochran, Wanda Stephens, Marcella Reilly, Barbara Judy, Dorothea Long, Caroline Altman, Helen Cottingham, Betty Hartshorn, Barbara Maxwell, Genevieve Finkh, Mary Ellen Bean, Kathryn Randolph, Curt Wire, Honore Ronan, Arthur Kolbrener, Bonnie True, Dale Willard, Charles Henson, Earl Hart, Lew Selby, Gene Barrick, Jr., Lucinda Butler, Jean Henson, Mary Minear, and many others whose names we do not have but to whom we are sincerely grateful.

PLAY SELECTION—Lucinda Butler, Jean Henson, Lew Selby, Alan Oster, Erma White, Jack Caughron.

PROGRAMS—Matt Jurczak, Jane Ann Joyce, Jo Buchar.

PUBLICITY—Mary Hazel, Alden Bracewell, Bob Wright.

SOUND AND SPECIAL EFFECTS—Dr. Harold Brownstein.

STAGE MANAGING—Joe Massing.

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LIGHTING AND STAGE—John Depke, Guy Hutton, George Holycross.

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The Cast

In order of appearance

Miss Lowell.....Bonnie True
 Carleton Fitzgerald.....Horace Jenkins
 Frances Black.....Charlotte Ellis
 Owen Turner.....Charles McAdoo
 Stella Livingston.....Elma Theurer
 Peter Sloan.....Bill Buchar
 Sidney Black.....Jack Caughron
 Sven.....Curt Wire
 Irene Livingston.....Jean Henson
 Tyler Rayburn.....Bob Cross
 A Shriner.....Dr. Harold Brownstein
 William A. Gallegher.....Ray Wahlton
 A Plain-Clothes Man.....Fred Wall

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The Play

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This play is a comedy but it is also a study of basic human motivations, idealism, pride, greed and jealousy.

SCENE

ACT I

The living-room of Irene Livingston's Ritz-Carlton Hotel suite at Boston, Mass. Time 5:30 P.M.

ACT II

The same. Time about 11:45 that evening.

ACT III

The same. Time 3:30 A.M.

(This may not be the gospel truth, but it has been whispered about that when Moss Hart wrote this story he based the character of Irene Livingston on that of Tallulah Bankhead, Sidney Black on Billy Rose, Frances Black on Eleanor Holm, and Carleton Fitzgerald on Guthrie McClintock.)

Music by the Joe Berns Orchestra

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