

Danville's Little Theatre Group, the Red Mask Players, was organized in the year of 1937—the first play, "To the Ladies," being presented in November. It is comprised of both active and non-active members. Active members may try out for the plays, or they may assist in other ways such as with the properties, costuming, scenery, make-up and direction. Non-active members belong merely for the privilege of holding season tickets to all plays. "Claudia" is the final play of the current season.

Three well-known plays will be presented at the Palace Theatre during the 1944-1945 season. Membership dues for adults are \$3.00 and for students \$1.50. Every member is entitled to one main floor reserved seat for each play, at no additional cost. All persons wishing to join please complete the form below and mail to C. N. Henson, Business Manager, Red Mask Players, 137 N. Vermilion, Danville, Illinois.



C. N. Henson, Business Manager,
Red Mask Players,
137 N. Vermilion St., Danville, Ill.

Enclosed please find my remittance amounting to \$..... for
..... adult memberships at \$3.00 and student memberships
at \$1.50, tax included, in the Red Mask Players for the 1944-1945 season. I desire to be an active member..... I am interested in
acting.....; properties.....; scenery.....; make-up.....;
irection.....


Name.....

Address.....

Phone Number.....

*Best wishes
"Claudia"*

*Red Mask has
produced much as
a result of your
work Charles Bank
not Guiller*



RED MASK PLAYERS

Present the Comedy Drama

"CLAUDIA"

By ROSE FRANKEN

Produced with Special Permission of Samuel French

PALACE THEATRE

JUNE 14, 1944

*you are fool
wrong dec- love- drama*

*I see you were
better business manager
has done*

*Red Mask has managed the best
you could have pulled them in*

Direction by Kathryn Randolph - Staging by Clarence Gage

*The Play would not have been
such a success had it not been
for your efficient management*

This Performance Is Dedicated to the Following Members
Serving Our Country

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|---------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| Ward Ankrum | Isabelle Fournier | Helen Ramsey |
| Juanita Beck | Bud Gillis | Glen Robertson |
| Bud Behmer | Jack Haggerty | Clint Sandusky |
| Alden Bracewell | Paul Hays | Geneva Smith |
| Jack Canright | Bob Hill | Dave Stroup |
| Dorothy Chamberlain | Kenneth Holton | Leland Thrasher |
| BEN DAVIS | C. B. Hooton, Jr. | John Vance |
| John Diffeenderfer | Bill Kruzan | Dick Van Dyke |
| Wesley Bone | Norman Mayer | Ward White |
| Eli Ellis | Dick Newman | Bob Wright |
| | J. D. Nichols | |

William Almy

*Just as I always
said to Bill Almy
I don't know what
we did before
you joined
Red Mask
Ruthie
Jug*

*I took it for a day
before you became
a member and
you surprised me
that much*

THE CAST

(In the order of appearance)

Mrs. Brown.....	Honore Ronan
David Naughton.....	Leonard Waller
Claudia Naughton.....	Lois Woodbeck
Bertha.....	Kathryn Kerr
Fritz.....	William Almy
Jerry Seymoure.....	Finley Hogbin
Madame Daruschka.....	Elma Theurer
Julia Naughton.....	Ruth Tuggle

SCENES

The action takes place in the living-room of the Naughtons' house in the country seventy miles out of New York.

ACT I

A Friday Evening in early Fall.

ACT II

The following afternoon.

ACT III

Evening of the same day.

(There will be ten minute intermissions between acts)

WEBSTER-HESKETT INSURANCE

137 N. Vermilion Street

THE AGENCY OF DEPENDABLE SERVICE

Officers of the Red Mask Players

President.....	E. K. Wolgamot
Business Manager.....	C. N. Henson
Program Director.....	Katherine Robison
Membership.....	Lethamae Farmer
Publicity.....	Honore Ronan
Stage Manager.....	William Almy
Assistant Stage Manager.....	Finley Hogbin
Assistant Director.....	Katherine Gossett

Committees

CASTING
Mary Miller, Chairman
Margaret Ewing Carney
Sarah Selby

MAKE-UP
Peg Adams, Chairman
Jean Randolph
Joan Randolph

PROGRAMS
Peggy Kramer
Joanne North

PROPERTIES AND COSTUMES
Florence Cushman,
Chairman
Clara McEvoy
Martha Ann McEvoy

STAGE DIRECTORS
Estella Ashba
Frances Beck

TICKET BOOTH
Alice Wolff, Chairman
Assisted by Red Mask
Players

The Red Mask Players are grateful to the following for their part in making this show a success:

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Edwin Depke
Thurman Frock

John Frattick
Clarence Gage
George Hamer
Guy Hutton

Bud Prebble
Clarence Ricketts
Earl Roberts

Eat, Drink and Be Merry!

• OLE KING COLE •

PALACE THEATRE BLDG.
