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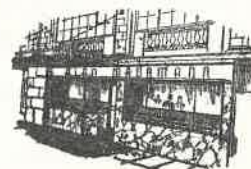
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BOB HEATH, veteran of Stadium Hi and CPS, previously turned in three outstanding TLT performances, appearing in "Dear Ruth", "My Sister Eileen" and "Laura". Although Bob is usually cast as a debonair type, he would like to have a 'heavy' role—Othello, for example. Whether heavy or light Bob can be depended on for fine characterization.

A man of many interests, WALLACE SCOTT has been a national intercollegiate tennis champ, a sporting goods salesman, and more recently an instructor in History and Civics. Instructor Scott's Lincoln Hi students will be surprised at his theater talents which he hasn't exhibited for many years. In 1931, however, Wallace was one of the local directors of the Tacoma Little Theater.

DONITA ERWIN finds being married to an army officer an exciting life. She has lived at military posts all over the United States, and in Mexico and Japan since leaving her native Kansas. She took parts in several plays in Wichita before starting out for far-off places. We hope blonde Donita has time to be in many Little Theater productions before Lt. Erwin must return to duty in the Orient.

This is the first stage appearance for GALVIN HOPPER, although he has been house manager of the Little Theater for the past ten years (?). Retired from his radio sales business, he now operates several apartment houses (sorry, no vacancy) and shoots an occasional round of golf. Mr. Hopper is brushing up for another important role—he will give his daughter away at her wedding next month.

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KELSO served a hitch in the Seattle Repertory theater before the war. Don is an amateur astrologer and his articles have been published in astrology magazines. If we know our stars, this blue jacket is in the ascension.

JAMES MEYER, a bookkeeper by profession, but a flier and an active member of the Junior Chamber of Commerce too, still finds time for the TLT. He has appeared in "Dear Ruth", "Papa is All" and "What a Life". Between performances Jim also goes to business college. He is a bachelor and wants the news spread around. Line forms to the left of the men's dressing room door, girls.

In the strange coincidences department, MORRY SUMMERS has the same role that he played in the world premiere of "Through the Night" at Hollywood's Las Palmas theater. Morry teaches Drama at Lincoln Hi and manages Paradise Lodge during the summer. This is his first stage appearance in Tacoma since he left the College of Puget Sound.

DOREEN HOPPER (Mrs. "C. G." in private life) needs no introduction to Tacoma audiences. She has appeared in many TLT shows, and was local director of "Village Green". Not only are Doreen's civic interests confined to TLT, but also Red Cross, "Gray Ladies", and all other community interests that require talent and ability—by the way, she doesn't shoot a bad game of golf.

WORCESTER THOMAS produced the first live talent television show at Don Lee in L.A., also has to his credit the production of at least 26 radio shows per week at KFB, KFAC, KFWB (Warner Bros.), likewise in L.A.; spent 4 years with Dr. Lee de Forest, father of radio. But, says "Tommy" . . . "I've done one thing of which I'm really proud—was counselor of the Hollywood Boys' Club for 4 years, where I was in charge of 700 boys."

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