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WHO'S WHO

By ANNE RADEMAKER

John Bryant, Comte de Rochfort, claims Grand Rapids, Michigan, as his home town, but has been a Westerner for 8 years. This is his first appearance for TLT. During the workday, you'll find him selling furniture for the Bon Marche. As his family, he lists his wife, Madeline, and says his hobby is entertainment. He picked up his foreign accents during three years overseas, while in the service.

Lawrence Campbell, Prince, is a native Washingtonian who hails from Seattle, where he appeared one summer with the Seattle Summer Opera Company. He is consultant for the Bel-Tone Hearing Aid Company. His wife and their little daughter, Claudia (age 71/2 months as we write this) are the other members of his family. Mr. Campbell is soloist in the First Church of Christ, Scientist at Steilacoom Lake. Music is his hobby, and his ambition is to do TV work.

Ida Mae Kempton (Mrs.) Lolo, was featured in the Oleo of one of TLT's summer shows some time ago. That was before she changed her name from Hughes to Kempton, and before she went to New York. Now she says she's home to stay, and all we can say is, it's New York's loss and our gain. Mrs. Kempton is a soloist at the First Presbyterian Church. Her hobby is swimming, and perhaps that's why she has a yen for a trip to Hawaii. Her ambition? Television.

Virgil Groff, Nikoff, is appearing for the seventh time in a Tacoma Little Theatre production. You saw him last as Spetique in Charlie's Aunt. Mr. Groff is owner of Groff's Natural Food Store, at 1105 Market Street. We forgot to ask him about his family, but we know there is a very charming Mrs. Groff. His hobbies are playacting handball and swimming, and his ambition is TLT Television.

Jerry Ferris Gullett (Mrs. Hal) Merry Widow, played Tena in Knickerbocker Holiday, the show that opened the present Tacoma Little Theatre. She also appeared in the Oleo of one of our summer shows. Mrs. Gullett is soloist at Mason Methodist Church, and works at the School for Crippled Children. She has three daughters, Kathy, II, Lynn, 9, and Chris, 4. Her hobby is singing.



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Nelson Harbert, M. Derval, who appeared last in Detective Story, has quite a number of TLT performances chalked up behind his name. This despite the fact he is the busy Sales Manager for Boyle and Company Pharmaceutical. Besides Mrs. Harbert, his family includes Rynald, 13, Linda, II, and Colleen, 5. His hobbies are acting, singing, golf, and athletics of all kinds.

Claire Hoffner (Mrs. James), Natasha, is new to TLT audiences. She works in The Record Shop, and Sunday morning finds her in the Church of Truth, either singing or playing. Music is her hobby, and she says her ambition is to become a good

Irene Fearn Hopp (Mrs. Ernest), Merry Widow, is also a newcomer to our stage. She has been a soloist at the First Presbyterian Church, and is now teacher of language, arts and dramatics at Puyallup Junior High. Her hobby is music, and her ambition—television.

Margaret Jones (Mrs. Carl), Mme. Derval, appeared ten years ago in Outward Bound, and then, due to circumstances beyond our control, she left town. Since her return, however, she's made up for lost time, appearing in The Two Mrs. Carrolls, Dodsworth, Charlie's Aunt, and in Seven-

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teen, along with her two sons, Dick, 19, and Terry, 17. She says her hobby is Little Theatre Work—all phases of it.

Betty Jane McGuigan, Fifi, was last seen as Amy in Charlie's Aunt. She also appeared in last summer's "Extravaganza," as one of the can-can girls. Betty Jane works for the Puget Sound Bank, and she says her hobby is singing popular songs. Her ambition is to be a popular song stylist.

Hugh McWhirter, Prince, last performed for TLT in 1942 when he was in Die Fledermaus, another musical comedy. He calls Tacoma his home town, and he is employed by the Telephone Company, where he works in the engineering department. Other members of his family are his wife and their 14-month-old daughter, Gail. He is a soloist at the First Methodist Church, and his hobby is music in general, and record collecting, in particular.

Mildred Ness (Mrs. Ingvald), Natasha, is making her TLT debut in this production. She's a homemaker, and lives in Fife. She has a boy and a girl, Jerry K., II, and Michael, 9. She says she hasn't time for a hobby other than music. She has appeared four seasons with Seattle's Music Under The Stars.

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William Phillips, Raymond de la Fosse, is another new and welcome addition to the TLT talent roster. It's about time, too, for he's been here three years, coming from Los Angeles. He's choir director at Epworth Methodist Church, and he teaches art at McCarver Jr. High. His family includes his wife and son, Scott, 6, and two daughters, Carol Elaine, II/2, and Terry Ann, who arrived last December 31st. Mr. Phillip's hobby is painting, and he exhibited at the Puyaliup Fair last year. His ambition? To see world conditions settled amicably.

Emily Roudebush (Mrs. Rex S.) Madame Nikoff, last appeared as Mrs. Lawson in Chicken Every Sunday. Previous to that, she was in several TLT productions. At present, she is a member of the board of the Tacoma Little Theatre, which means she puts in many extra hours in our behalf. Mrs. Roudebush is a homemaker, and lists the Tacoma Little Theatre as her hobby.

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Waldo F. Stone, de la Kroche, already has two fine performances to his credit this season—Dodsworth, and First Lady—to say nothing of his "coonskin cap role" as Kefauver in the Oleo of last summer's play. He's an attorney, and says he works for himself at 9371/2 Commerce, where he's maintained a low office for two years. His hobbies are tennis and golf.

Louis K. Woodford, II, M. de Marquis Zanagra, the junior half of a famouh TLT father and son team, has appeared in Angel Street, Chicken Every Sunday, Beggar On Horseback, and has served the theatre in various other capacities. He works for the Globe Ticket Company, and his family includes his wife and daughter, Leah Rae, 8, and son Louis K the Third, age 3. This thespian's hobby is acting, and his ambition is to star with Waldo Stone in a comedy.

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Louis K. Woodford, Sr., Baron Popoff, has something of a record, when it comes to number of TLT performances. This is the 30th show in which he's appearing. What's more, he's been treasurer of Tacoma Little Theatre for lo, these many years, and always manages to keep us well accounted for. His hobby is the Tacoma Little Theatre, but he also enjoys gardening, although he claims his wife does most of the work. His ambition is to live to see the year 2000. We can see him now—playing the part of a Martian General in a space ship drama sometime in the "nineties!"

Margaret Zaferin, Diane de Rochfort, appeared in Good News, Goodbye My Fancy, Strange Bedfellows, and Smilin' Through, and was on TLT Board of Directors last year. She works at Mt. Rainier Ordnance Depot. Her hobby is music.

Wish we could tell you something about all the wonderful people who are in the chorus and who are dancing in the show, as well as the back stage artists responsible for the sets. Space does not permit, and the best we can do is list their names. It's people like these who make possible such ambitious and lovely presentations as The Merry Widow Chorus:

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