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The Tacoma Little Theatre in conjunction with Ballet Tacoma will present "The Nutcracker Suite", under the direction of Jan Collum.

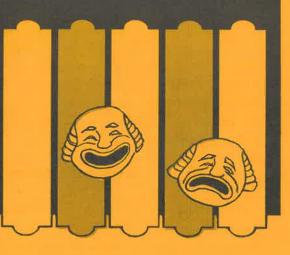
Performances will be — 8:00 p.m. - Dec. 16, 17, 18, 21, 22, 23 2:00 p.m. - Dec. 17 & 18

Prices — Adults - \$3.50 Senior Citizens/Students - \$2.50 Children - \$2.00

Tickets can be purchased through the Tacoma Little Theatre box office. Since this production is an addition to our regular season of plays, Season Tickets will not be accepted for "The Nutcracker Suite".

Tacoma Little Theatre

210 North "Eye"



Presents

"THE BAT"

by Mary Roberts Rinehart and Avery Hopwood

Directed by

Tom Birkeland

October 28, 29 November 4, 5, 11, 12, 1977

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Director	Tom Birkeland	
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Technical Director	Gerry lanuzzi	
Set Designer	Jerry Hooker	
Lighting Designer	LuCindy Devlin	
Set Construction Gerry lanux	zzi, Jerry Hooker, Ronda McFarland, Cheryl McCoury, Loren Brown and Mary Ladenburg	
Set Decor	Patsy Glaser and Dianna Darland	
	Ida Bateman	
Properties Betty Minor, Pat Estefan and Marianne Bichsel		
Lights and Sound LuCindy Devlin and Les Pugnetti		
Stage Manager	Cheryl McCoury	
	Bev Pflugmacher	
	Ronda McFarland	

CAST OF CHARACTERS

(In Order of their Appearance)

Lizzie	Maria Batayola
Miss Cornelia Van Gorder	Beverly Williams
Billy	Bill King
Brooks	David Sides
Miss Dale Ogden	Patricia Steen
Doctor Wells	Frank Morgan Howe
The Detective	
Fleming	Brian Wilson
Beresford	
Unknown Man	Alan Cowan

SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

- ACT I. The living room in Miss Van Gorder's Long Island house (There will be a short intermission)
- ACT II. The same.

INTERMISSION

ACT III. The garret of the same house.

The time of the play is in the late 1920's.



The lobby art display is through the courtesy of the NORTHWEST WOODCARVERS



WHO'S WHO

by Suzanne Fletcher

Bev Williams is active in Tacoma area theater. She appeared in "Best Laid Plans" at TLT and has worked with Lakewood, Fort Steilacoom and Peninsula theater groups. Bev is currently involved with Interaction/Transition, a group that works with inmates at Monroe, Purdy and McNeil Island. Patricia Steen teaches Drama at Hunt Junior High and Junior Theater at TLT. She was last seen in "The Land is Bright" with the Asbury Players. Michael Minor now teaches at Wilson High after 8 years at Jason Lee. He appeared in "Sleuth" and "The Children's Hour" last season at TLT and is a member of TLT's Executive Board. Michael received a coveted "Dickie Award" for his role in "Sleuth". Frank Howe is a theater veteran. His last play for TLT was "The Queen's Husband" in 1931. Maria Batayola is remembered for her role of Morgan Lefey in the Real World Player production of "Camelot" this last August. Jim Haygood appeared in TLT's "The Sunshine Boys" and is planning to attend PLU's School of Nursing. Bill King is a graduate of Fife High School and an Air Force veteran. Bill is married and plans to attend TCC. This is his first show for TLT. Dave Sides appeared in his first play just last January, "A View From The Bridge" at TCC. A student at UPS, Bryan Wilson will be remembered for his role of the oldest son in the TLT production of "Life With Father". Alan Cowan has done many shows in Lakewood and appeared last at TLT in "40 Carats". Tom Birkeland is this year's President of TLT and received a "Dickie Award" for his role in "Sleuth" last year.



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OUR NEXT PRODUCTION

"H. M. S. Pinafore", popular operetta by Gilbert and Sullivan, will be our first production of the new year. Directed by Mike Self, "H. M. S. Pinafore" will be presented Jan. 20 thru Feb. 4, 1978. Make your reservations early.



AcknowledgementOur special thanks to Milo Glaser.