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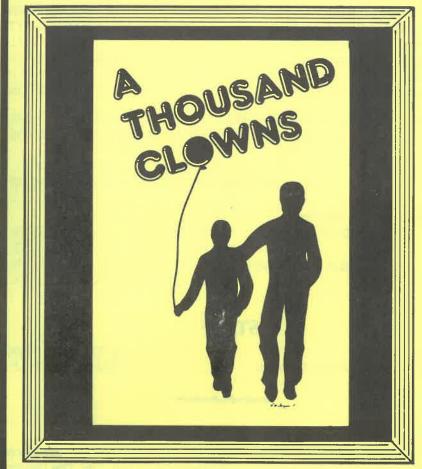
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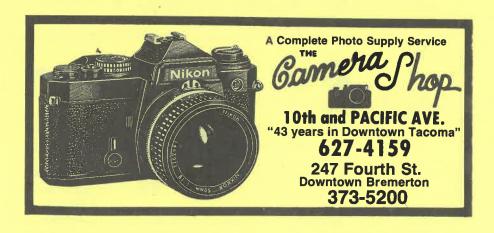
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## **THE 1981-82 SEASON**

"A THOUSAND CLOWNS" by Herb Gardner

September 4-19

"THE ROYAL FAMILY" by George S. Kaufman and Edna Ferber October 23-31;

November 1-7

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June 4-26

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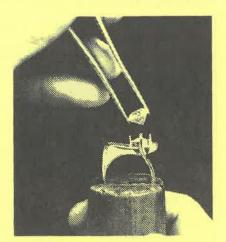
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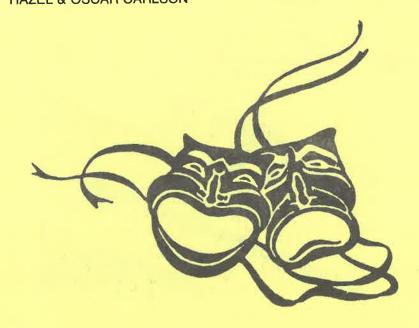
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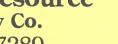
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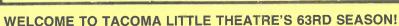
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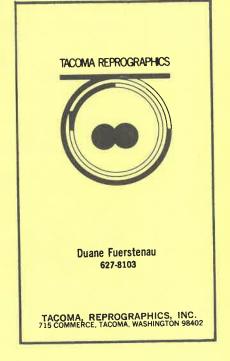
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