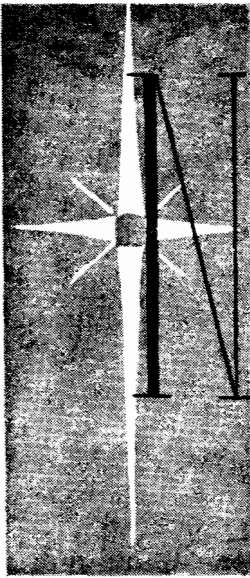




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KEITH WENZEL (T. John Blessington) has been a devotee of Civic Theatre for over three years, and has been a favorite among audiences as well as theatre members. Tonight marks his fifth role with the group. Keith has been in demand by both Hinsdale Theatre and Boulder Hill.

CHARLES BUDACH (Alfred Metcalfe) makes his debut with us tonight as the money mad, power grasping president of General Products. His efforts with our portable lighting has made our traveling shows quite a bit easier to put on.

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JOHN PALMQUIST (Clifford Snell) is a newcomer to our stage, but no newcomer to the theatre. He has worked with Edythe Busch Little Theatre of St. Paul, Minnesota, and St. Thomas College Players of St. Paul. He is a graduate of the St. Paul College of Law, from which he holds a B.S. of Law degree.

LAURA GRANT (Laura Partridge) is a four year member of our group. She has been seen in "Craig's Wife" and "Sabrina Fair." Props, costumes, make-up and all the various workings of the world behind the set have seen Lauras helping hand. She is also a professional dancing instructor.

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LEE KENNEY (Mark Jenkins) comes to us from the East. He is a Sales Engineer. He has spent 15 years in the services, and makes his acting debut on our stage tonight. His hobbies are skiing and golfing.

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BETSY TABER (Miss L'Arriere) will be remembered by last year's audiences as one of the servants in "Amphitryon 38." In the two years that Betsy has been with the group she has been a member of back-stage crews many times.

GEORGE HANSEN (Edward L. McKeever) has been with the group for 7 years. He is this and next year's president. He has been instrumental in the many unusual lighting effects for our plays. Last year's audiences will remember his Jupiter in "Amphitryon 38."

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JOHN BURNS (A. P. and Bill Parker) is another Easterner making his acting debut with us tonight. He holds a B.A., M.A. and Ph.D. in Physical Chemistry. He is employed by Argonne National Labs in Palos Park, Ill.

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WILLIAM MOERY (U. P. and Dwight Brookfield) is a brand new member making his debut with us this evening. He comes to us from Nogales, Arizona, where he spent a year with the Little Theatre group there. He is a Civil Engineer graduated from the State College of New Mexico.

ED MANNION (I. N. S.) is also a new member making his debut. Ed comes to us from Sioux Falls, South Dakota, and is a graduate of South Dakota State College. He holds a degree in Industrial Engineering.

MILLIE PARKER (Little Old Lady) is this and next season's Secretary. She has been with the group for over a year now and is as active back-stage as she is on the stage. She will be remembered for her portrayal of one of the school teachers in "Picnic."

JUDY COOMES WENZEL (Estelle Evans) is remembered for her unusually sensitive role as the teenage sister in "Picnic" She has been with the group for just over a year, where she met and married Keith Wenzel. She has worked backstage on all phases of theatre.

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Set Design by William Harris

C A S T

(In order of appearance)

Narrator	Elan Wolf	Miss Logan	Jan Seeds
T. John Blessington.....	Keith Wenzel	The Associated Press Man.....	John Burns*
Alfred Metcalfe	Charles Budach*	The United Press Man	William Moery*
Warren Gillie	John Murphy*	International News Service Man ..	Ed Mannion*
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Laura Partridge	Laura Grant	NEWS BROADCASTERS:	
Amelia Shotgraven	Diane Vanderhoof	Bill Parker	John Burns*
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- SCENE 2—Mrs. Partridge's Office - Several Days Later
- SCENE 3—Blessington's Office
- SCENE 4—Mrs. Partridge's Office
- SCENE 5—Conference Room
- SCENE 6—McKeevers Office in Washington
- SCENE 7—Various Television Broadcasting Studios
- SCENE 8—Conference Room - Next Day

ACT II

- SCENE 1—Conference Room - Several Days Later
- SCENE 2—Mrs. Partridge's Office
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- SCENE 5—Mrs. Partridge's Office
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PropertiesMary Ann Jensen, Bob Jensen, Al Dulin, Virginia Harris,
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