

Coldwater Community Theatre
presents

NIGHT WATCH

A
MYSTERY
DRAMA

Directed by
LARRY CARRICO
Produced by
CATHY CLARK LEES

CAST OF CHARACTERS (In order of appearance)

ELAINE WHEELER.....*Diadra Tuttle*
JOHN WHEELER.....*Jim Roe*
HELGA, The Maid.....*Barbara Strobel*
PATROLMAN VANELLI.....*Tom Short*
CURTIS APPLEBY.....*Louis Leeg*
BLANCHE COOKE.....*Donna Horton*
LIEUTENANT WALKER.....*J. Richard Colbeck*
DR. TRACEY LAKE.....*Julie Shoop*
SAM HOKE.....*Louis B. Anchill*

SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

ACT 1: The sitting room of the Wheeler Apartment during the winter.
Time: The present.
SCENE 1: 5 AM of a winters morning in New York City.
SCENE 2: 5 PM in the evening of the same day.
ACT 2: Same as Act 1.
SCENE 1: 20 minutes later.
SCENE 2: 3 days later 9 PM in the evening.

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LARRY CARRICO - Director
Larry directed the first Coldwater Community Theatre production "Bell, Book and Candle" and has served in some capacity, usually technical, on almost every CCT production since. Before coming to Tibbits, he taught speech and drama at Mercy College, Detroit and worked in professional theatre in the Detroit area. He is a member of the Michigan Council for the Arts, Community Arts advisory board and works for the Council in an advisory capacity to many theatre and arts groups throughout the state. Larry has been employed by the Tibbits Opera Foundation as Executive Director for the past fifteen years. He is producer of Tibbits Summer Theatre; and will be in New York for auditions this play opens.

PRODUCTION STAFF

Written by.....*Lucille Fletcher*
Directed by.....*Larry Carrico*
Assistant Director.....*Joyce Minkler Pickering*
Produced by.....*Cathy Clark Lees*
Set Designers.....*Nancy Canon & Bob Pickering*
Set Construction Manager.....*Bill Shoop*
Set Dresser.....*Eeke Cooper*
Stage Manager.....*Joyce Bemis*
Lighting Designer.....*Sean Carrico*
Lighting Engineer.....*James Lyons*
Sound Engineer.....*Lou Anchill*
Assistant Sound Engineer.....*Kevin Ireland*
Costumes.....*Alvena Franklin*
Props Manager.....*Irene Grimes*
Assistant Props.....*Bernice Ketcham & Carole Tyson*
House Manager.....*Tom Rebenitsch*
Set Construction.....*Cathy Hansen, Lou Anchill, Mary Craig, John O'Toole, Jeannine Rebenitsch, Julie Shoop, Tom Rebenitsch, Bob Pickering, Linda Craig, Nancy Canon, and others*
Tickets.....*Cheri Kucke*
*Publicity.....*Bob Lees*
**Assistant Publicity.....*Lee Ann Haughley*
Poster Distribution.....*Carole Tyson*
Program and Poster Design.....*Don C. Lees*
Hair Styles and Make-up.....*Fair Lady Hair Shoppe*



DIEDRA TUTTLE

It seems that she has always been on stage since she has been singing, dancing, and acting since the age of six. A recent resident of Coldwater from Canton, Ohio where she was an active member of the North Canton Players, and was seen in leading and supporting roles in such productions as "West Side Story", "Unsinkable Molly Brown", "Lil Abner", "Ask Any Girl", and is no stranger to the role of Elaine in "Night Watch", since this play is also one of her credits. In Canton, she taught drama at Walsh College, summers, she directed their fine arts camp for children. She was Associate Director of CCT's fall production of "Plaza Suite". She lives with her husband, and two children on Iyopawa Island.

JIM ROE

When not teaching school or coaching football, Jim loves to be on stage. He started in theatre 8 years ago at the stone village in Jackson as "File" in "The Rainmaker", since then he has appeared in about 20 plays such as "6 Rm Riv Vu" with Albion Civic Theater, "The Wager" with the Jackson Civic Theater, and "Strange Bedfellows" with Tecumseh Civic Theater, this summer he was the King in "The King and I" with the Chelsea Players. We welcome Jim to the Tibbits stage, and hope he is a regular with Coldwater Community Theatre. He is a teacher, and head football coach at Hamilton, Indiana.



J. RICHARD COLBECK

One of the most difficult tasks one could have is to keep Dick off stage. This versatile performer was seen in the last three CCT productions. From the premier performance of "Slight Exaggeration" after performing in Detroit, and Minneapolis, he showed up in CCT's production of "The Torch Bearers", and appeared in our fall production of "Plaza Suite". He appeared in several Tibbit's Summer Theatre productions including "Hello Dolly", "Carousel", and "The King and I". Always "On the Go" we hope he sticks around for lots more appearances on our stage.



DONNA HORTON

She has lived in Coldwater since 1969, and has been a member of CCT before, and since it was reorganized in the fall of 1979. Another versatile performer, she sings too, has been seen in such productions as "A Kind Lady", "Beggar on Horseback", "Our Town", "The Curious Savage", "The Time of Your Life", and a major role in the premier performance of "Slight Exaggeration". Was property mistress for "Sabrina Fair", and "Its Never Too Late". Also appeared in Tibbits Summer Theatre productions of "Showboat", "The Sound of Music", and "The King and I". Mother of four daughters. A load of talent, with experience to share both on and back stage.

BARBARA A. STROBEL

Barb has lived in Coldwater for the past 8 years, has a husband, and six kids, works for St. Charles Parish, and still takes the time to be a very active member of Coldwater Community Theatre, with time left over to be a part of Tibbits Summer Theatre where she was in the Chorus of "Carousel", and "The King and I". She has been assistant director for CCT's "Torch Bearers", and props chairperson for "Plaza Suite". She also assisted with Tibbits Children's production of the "The Wizard of Oz". A busy lady we are proud of.



JULIE SHOOP

A native of Coldwater, CCT's secretary, this is her first CCT acting role, she was Assistant Director for our fall production of "Plaza Suite". No one is more dedicated to CCT than she, her pleasant personality shines through everything she does. Works part time for husband Bill, another CCT regular, and full time for their six children. We hope to see lots more of Julie on stage.



TOM SHORT

Is currently a student at Coldwater High, taking pre College courses. This is his first appearance on stage this year, and its only March. He has been in 3 other plays including "Our Town", "Trudy and the Minstrel", and "Bye Bye Birdie". His future plans include college, and becoming a regular of CCT, and to get more experience in theatre.



LOUIS B. ANCHILL

Sound Engineer for CCT's production of "Plaza Suite", and Sound Engineer for Junior Miss State Finals in Marshall this year. Resident of Coldwater for 8 years, he has performed street theatre in Miami Beach, San Francisco, and Houston...while in College did "Brecht on Brecht", a dramatic satire reading; appeared as Brutus in "Julius Ceasar", and did some Greek Classic Tragedy in College. A "Rare Coin" indeed, a real find for CCT.

LOUIS LEGG

From Okemos, Michigan, with a B.A. from Michigan State University and a Master's Degree in Fine Arts from the University of Oregon in Creative Writing. He played Leary in University of Detroit's production of "Sherlock Holmes". This is his first appearance as a member of CCT, and is currently building condominiums in Coldwater for Legg Lumber, and discussing "Shakespear" with sub contractors. CCT welcomes Louis to our stage, and hope to see more of him.



The members of Coldwater Community Theatre would like to suggest that our audience might be interested in looking into making a donation to the Tibbits Opera Foundation. They'd appreciate your interest in keeping this beautiful community facility going. You know, without the Tibbits, CCT would not be! Phone 278-6029 and find out how you can help.

Thank you!!!