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Kentwood Players

present

All the  King's Men

by

ROBERT PENN WARREN

PLAY NO 49.

WELCOME

Kentwood Players welcome you to the eighth production in our "own" theater, Westchester Playhouse, which opened June 16, 1961. Since that time we have spent many hours improving the appearance of our building. Faithful patrons will be happy to notice a bit of added heat, a new box office, drapes, paint, stage lights, and perhaps during this production new seat covers (the material for which has been purchased at one dollar a seat by those interested in helping our group). To date not quite half of the covers have been bought . . . dollars, anyone? We hope you enjoy this play and will tell others about this and our future productions. Theater parties may be arranged through Sue Beber at OR 8-3529 or OR. 4-9567.



Regular monthly meetings of our group are held the third Wednesday. Anyone interested in any phase of little theater is welcome to attend.

Workshop presentations are offered at the end of the business meeting. If you would like to appear in or direct a workshop contact Jerry Silvers at a meeting or call OR. 0-1207.



Cards are available in the lobby if you wish your name added to our mailing list.

Betty Weiss, membership chairman, will be happy to discuss any phase of Kentwood Players with those interested in joining our group and may be reached at 645-1421. For those who prefer to sit and watch, Michelle Richards at VE. 7-2392 will explain patron and subscription memberships.

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Cast in order of appearance

Professor	Norman Andrews
Tiny Duffy	Dave Mizrahi
William Larsen	Farnol Francis
Tom Stark	Charles Briles
Frey	Ronnie Sutton
Jack Burden	Chuck Reynolds
Lucy Stark	Nancy Matlack
Adam Stanton	Henry Fairbanks
Anne Stanton	Doris Brown
Judge Irwin	Frank Pitt
Sugar Boy	Fred Fulgenzi
Sadie Burke	Elsa Pierce
Willie Stark	James Wilson
Mrs. Burden	Reita Pitt
Man from Mason City	*
Lou	Jean Klipper
Preacher	Farnol Francis
Mr. Sandeen	*
Doris	Jean Klipper
Man at the Capitol	*

*The parts of Man from Mason City, Man at the Capitol and Mr. Sandeen were not cast as program went to press.

Produced through arrangements with Dramatists Play Service Inc.

Directed by
Fred Stuthman

The action takes place in a state of the deep South.
Prologue and three acts

Dates of play: March 9, 10, 16, 17, 23, 24, 30, 31

Reservations: 9-1 mornings OR 4-8387
1-6 afternoons EX 1-6057

Admission \$1.65

Curtain 8:30 p.m.

After act one coffee will be served in the foyer courtesy of Kentwood Players. Cokes are available at fifteen cents.

ABOUT THE DIRECTOR

FRED STUTHMAN was last associated with Kentwood Players as director of "Blithe Spirit" at the Pumphouse. Fred's background includes acting and directing for radio as well as acting roles and directing in little theater. He has appeared locally at Morgan Theater in Santa Monica.



ABOUT THE CAST

NORMAN ANDREWS as the Professor is new to Kentwood but has had vast experience with many groups including five seasons of summer stock, motion pictures, UCLA, Morgan Theater and Wilcoxon Players. Norman has had roles in "The Glass Menagerie," "On Borrowed Time," "The Hollow" and numerous other plays.

DAVID MIZRAHI (Duffy) makes his fourth appearance for K.P. having been previously seen in "Big Knife," "Detective Story," "The Rainmaker" and "Lullaby." For a number of years Dave was a member of various quartettes of the barber shop variety, has toured extensively in night clubs and has had singing roles in "Panama Hattie" and "The Desert Song" for the Westchester Temple.

FARNOL FRANCIS as Larsen is a charter member of K.P. and has acted and directed for our group. His last appearance was in the role of File in "The Rainmaker." Farnol also appears as the preacher in this production.

CHARLES BRILES in the role of Tom Stark first appeared with Kentwood in "The Red Shoes" and last December did the part of the General in "The Emperor's New Clothes." Charles studied with Jack LaCerte at Morningside High.

RONNIE SUTTON as Frey is also new to K.P. having appeared at Northridge Playhouse and Valley Players. Ronnie has also worked as a singer and dancer in CBS TV "Comedy Hour."

CHUCK REYNOLDS as Jack Burden is well known to Kentwood audiences for both his fine acting and his unusual set designs. Chuck last appeared in the title role of "The Rainmaker."

Lucy Stark is played by NANCY MATLACK who has been acting since her school days from L.A. to Colorado to Florida. Her last role with K.P. was that of "Lizzie" in "The Rainmaker." Nancy also lends her talented hands to set construction and costuming. Nancy received the K.P. Masque for best actress for her portrayal of Mary in "Detective Story."

HENRY FAIRBANKS as Adam is playing his second role with K.P. having been seen as Dr. Sanderson in "Harvey." Hank has been active at Occidental College and Glendale Center Theaters.

DORIS BROWN is presently most active as General Chairman for K.P. and has appeared in several productions for Morgan and Kentwood. Doris received the Masque award for best actress for "Streetcar Named Desire" and will be remembered for her delightful portrayal of Elvira in "Blithe Spirit."

Judge Irwin is played by FRANK PITT who was last seen in the company of a six foot white rabbit — "Harvey." Frank is V.P. of K.P., house manager, in charge of concessions and is Production Manager of this play.

FRED FULGENZI as Duffy is making his first appearance for Kentwood Players. He was last seen at the Morgan Theater in "Once in a Lifetime."

ELSA PIERCE returning to the footlights in the role of Sadie Burke. Elsa as a charter member has worked in every phase of our group activities but is making her first stage appearance since "THE BIG KNIFE."

Willie Stark is played by JIM WILSON who has just completed his role of Beauregard in Chapel Theater's production of "Auntie Mame." Jim has done plays for Hampton Players, Phoenix West and was last seen for Kentwood in "Detective Story." It's difficult to believe but Jim tells us that he did his first play almost exactly thirty-five years ago.

Mrs. Burden is played by REITA PITT who was last seen in "Make a Million." Reita has had much experience in little theater in Canada, serves with her husband as house manager and handled props for "Harvey." She is currently sewing on little things for her expected grandchild.

JEAN KLIPPER as Doris has done roles at Playhouse 26, Westchester Theater Group and was seen in Kentwood's production of "The Emperor's New Clothes." Jean studied at UCLA and appears in monologue and variety acts for various groups.

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