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Our Producer . . .

The Society has been fortunate indeed in obtaining the services of Laurie Swindell as Producer for its 1960 production, "The Student Prince."

Mrs. Swindell has had considerable experience over a number of years in repertory work, and has taken part in and produced many stage shows. She is also well known for her work in radio.

Musical comedy has been a new experience for her, and a major undertaking. We trust that in the many successes yet to come she will be happy to assist the Society as its Producer.

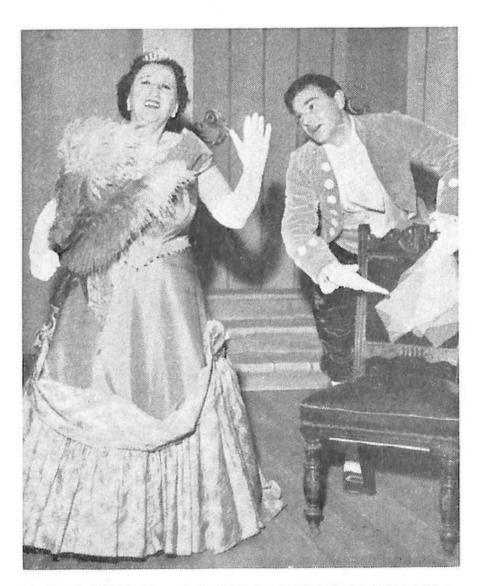


MAY MACDONALD

The Society is deeply grateful to May MacDonald for her untiring efforts in this year's production of "The Student Prince" and the major success of "Show Boat" and "Rio Rita." May the happy memories of these productions and all those associated with them endure through the years.

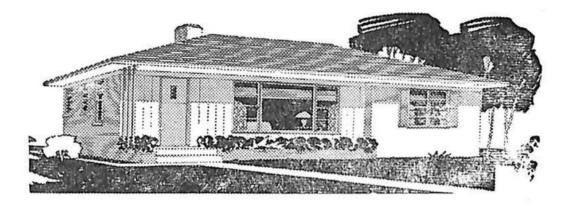


LAURIE SWINDELL



SADIE BROWN as GRAND DUCHESS ANASTASIA.

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The Student Prince Choruses and Ballet

LADIES OF THE CHORUS

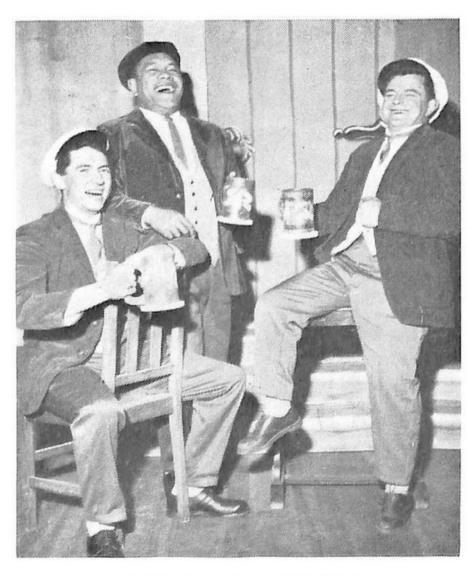
Olive Andrews, Barbara Burnett, Hannah Cotter, Gladys Ferris, Camillia Hapi, Hine Hapi, Hinemaka Hapi, Grace Hunt, Kathleen Jones, Pat Lewis, Ruth O'Connor, Joyce Parahi, June Parahi, Kara Parahi, Lydia Poto, Rose Puriri, Judith Taylor, Mavis Waihi, Sarah Wainohu, Pam Wood, Myra Woodham, Judy Williams, Jessie Swanson.

GENTLEMEN OF THE CHORUS

Anthony Bewley, Boydie Campbell, Bill Christian, Charles Couch, Tama Edwards, George Ferris, Steve Francis, Ian Gordon, Peter Hapi, Rangi Hapi, Turoa Hapi, Peter Jones, Mervyn Kelman, Frank Kerrigan, George Mitchell, Spadie Onekawa, Tangi Osborne, Malcolm Palmer, Leo Pere, Bryan Petrie, Sam Poto, Jim Rosenberg, Erle Rouse, Peter Trask.

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Yvonne Eastwood, Julie Hamilton, Gloria Jones, Staveley Keenan, Annette Liddington, Naida Robb, Molly Porteous, Joy Sleeman.



RAY BEGG as VON ASTERBERG. GOOCH PARAHI as LUCAS. BOB MURRAY as DETLIFF.

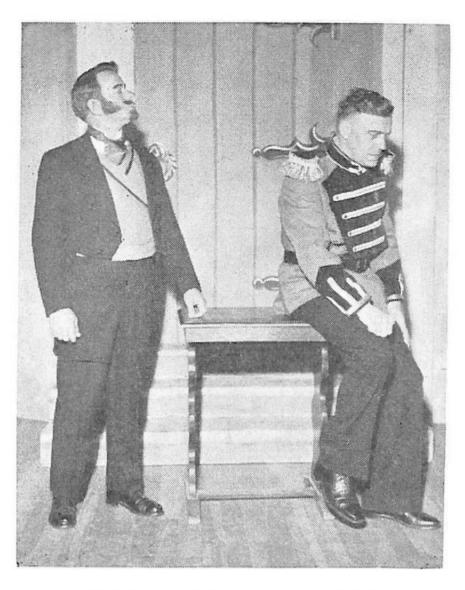


PAT O'LEARY as GRETCHEN.

DEREK BELCHER as HUBERT.



SANDRA HALDANE as PRINCESS MARGARET. ANTHONY BEWLEY as CAPTAIN TARNITZ.



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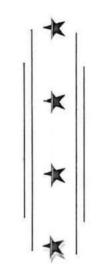
The Student

Prince

* Cast

(In order of appearance)

HANS RANGI HAPI HEINZ TUROA HAPI HEINRICH LEO PERE HERTZEL GEORGE FERRIS VON MARK GORDON JOHANSON DOCTOR ENGEL JAMES PURIRI PRINCE KARL FRANZ RAY DALTON RUDER BILL WILSON GRETCHEN PAT O'LEARY TONI CEDRIC CATTON DETLEF BOB MURRAY



* Cast

(In order of appearance)

GOOCH PARAHI LUCAS VON ASTERBERG RAY BEGG KATHIE JUDY SMITH JAMES PAXIE LUTZ DERECK BELCHER HUBERT GRAND DUCHESS ANASTASIA SADIE BROWN PRINCESS MARGARET SANDRA HALDANE CAPTAIN TARNITZ ANTHONY BEWLEY COUNTESS LEYDON PATRICIA SCOTT BILL CHRISTIAN BARON ARNHEIM

Synopsis of Scenes

TIME—SPRING, 1860

PROLOGUE: Antechamber in the Palace at Karlsberg.

ACT 1: Garden of the Inn of the "Three Golden Apples" at the University of Heidelberg.

ACT 2: Sitting-room of Prince Karl, at the Inn. Four months later.

Two years later.

ACT 4: Same as Act 1. The next day.

Musical Director: ARTHUR YOUNG

Chorus Mistress: MARY BELL

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ACT 3: A Room of State in the Royal Palace at Karlsberg.

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The Student Prince Musical Numbers

FINALE

ACT I PROLOGUE (Down Where the Neckar Flows) DUET (Prince and Engel)—"Golden Days" BALLET (Garlands Bright) CHANGE OF SCENE AND CHORUS OF GIRLS NICOLAS' PIPE (Flute Solo) (To the Inn We're Marching) ENTRANCE OF STUDENTS AND KATHIE (Drink! Drink! Drink!) CHORUS OF STUDENTS—"Drinking Song" (Where is the Maid?) And CONCERTED NUMBER (Drink, Drink, Let the Toast Start) REPRISE—"Drinking Song" (To the Inn We're Marching) EXIT OF STUDENTS (Heidelberg, Beloved Vision) ENTRANCE OF PRINCE AND ENGEL (Gaudeamus Igitur) UNACCOMPANIED MALE CHORUS—"Gaudeamus" (Golden Days, in the Sunshine) REPRISE (Engel)—"Golden Days" ... DUET (Kathie and Prince)-"Deep in My Heart, Dear" (Of Love I've Often Heard) BALLET (Come, Sir, Will You Join?) FINALE (Overhead the Moon is Beaming) CONCERTED NUMBER—"Serenade" ACT II INTRODUCTION OPENING CHORUS (Student Life is Gay) CONCERTED NUMBER—"Student Life" INCIDENTAL MUSIC FLUTE SOLO (Thoughts Will Come Back to Me) FINALE ACT III OPENING AND BALLET INCIDENTAL MUSIC DUET (Princess and Tarnitz) AND CHORUS—"Just We Two" (Just We Two! If They Knew) BALLET ENSEMBLE AND GAVOTTE (The Flag That Flies Above Us) INCIDENTAL MUSIC FINALE (What Memories, Sweet Rose) SERENADE INTERMEZZO ACT IV BALLET OPENING CHORUS (Let Us Sing a Song) INCIDENTAL MUSIC

(To the Inn We're Marching)



STUDENTS

Our Musical Director . . .

Mr. ARTHUR YOUNG has been a member of the Society for many years, and was its Musical Director for many of its past successes.

We extend to him our grateful thanks for once again taking up the baton.

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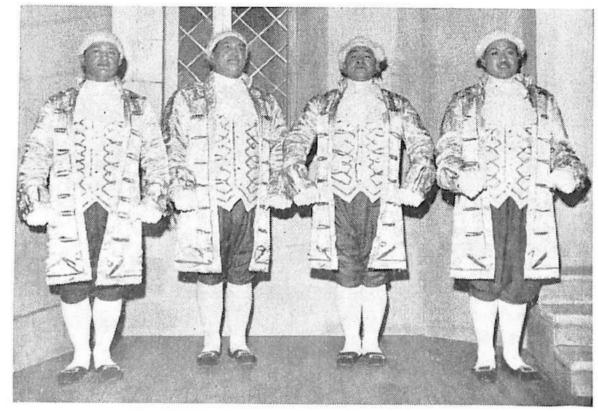


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RANGI HAPI as HANS
TUROA HAPI as HEINZ
LEO PERE as HEINRICH
GEORGE FERRIS as HERTZEL







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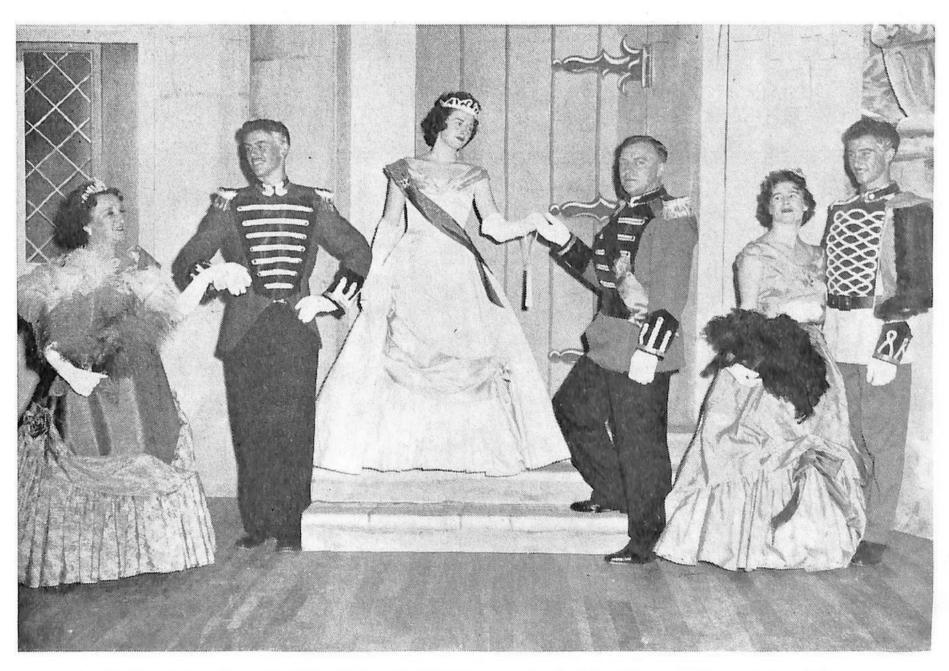
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