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# Program

## THE SHY AND LONELY

By IRWIN SHAW

DIRECTED BY ROMAN BOHNEN STAGE SETTING BY LES MARZOLF

CAST:

LARRY MOSHER.....	PHIL BROWN
PETER SIRUTIS.....	LLOYD BRIDGES
ALBERT SOWERS.....	LARRY PARKS
HARRIET TWIST.....	PHOEBE BRAND
MADGE COUNIHAN.....	CATHERINE CRAIG
ELEANOR KURLOFF.....	WINNIE MANN

Scene One: Cabin At A Summer Hotel In The Adirondacks. Evening

Scene Two: Same. Following Evening.

INTERMISSION 8 MINUTES

## THE BEAR

By ANTON CHEKOV

(In a free adaptation by Morris Carnovsky)

DIRECTED BY JULES DASSIN STAGE SETTING BY LES MARZOLF

CAST:

POPOVA.....	RUTH NELSON
LUKA.....	SHIMEN RUSKIN
SMIRNOV.....	MORRIS CARNOVSKY
STABLE HANDS: ROBERT LOWELL, HARRY LANDERS.	

The Scene: Sitting Room In Mme. Popova's Home.

## THE EVILS OF TOBACCO

By ANTON CHEKOV

THE LECTURER..... LEE J. COBB

INTERMISSION 8 MINUTES

## POUND ON DEMAND

By SEAN O'CASEY

DIRECTED BY LEE J. COBB STAGE SETTING BY LES MARZOLF

CAST:

JERRY.....	HUME CRONYN
SAMUEL ADAMS.....	ROMAN BOHNEN
POST OFFICE CLERK.....	JANET BRANDT
POLICEMAN.....	RAY TEAL
LADY.....	JODY GILBERT

The Scene: Small Suburban Post Office In Dublin, Ireland.

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## A WORD ABOUT THE LAB

On the day after Pearl Harbor the Actors' Laboratory went to war. An emergency meeting of the Executive Board was called, and a policy was adopted which has been the basis of Lab work during the past two and a half years.

The war job that the Lab has undertaken for itself has been to organize entertainment for servicemen, utilizing the talents of the legitimate actor who is neither a vaudevillian nor a star. To date the Lab has produced seven full length plays which have played and re-played most of the military camps and installations in California, using the volunteer talents of close to two hundred actors. This work has been done in close cooperation with the Hollywood Victory Committee and U.S.O. Camp Shows Inc. In line with its experimental approach to craft problems, the Lab has developed a technique of presenting plays at camps under the crudest of conditions.

To meet the changing needs of our armed forces the Lab, at the request of the War Department and U.S.O. Camp Shows is now about to undertake a new program of production with all emphasis being placed on overseas work and hospital tours. The details of this new program will be announced at an open meeting in August at which actors, directors, and writers who are interested in participating in this program will be able to sign up for specific projects.

In line with this new orientation to hospital and overseas work, a unit of four actresses organized by the Lab is at present on a tour of army hospitals in the south. This is the first unit to combine an entertainment tour with ward work. This group will do an hour variety show for ambulatory patients in hospital recreation halls and a tab version of the show in wards. These girls have received a thorough orientation course on the problems of talking to wounded men in which the best experience of actresses who are veterans in this work has been utilized. Colonel Marvin Young, during his recent visit to the Lab, saw the work of this unit and has requested four more modeled after it.

Of the ten members who attended that policy-setting Board meeting on December 8, 1941; Ist Lt. Richard Fiske is in Normandy with the Rangers, Photographers mate Jeff Corey is on the carrier U.S.S. Yorktown in the Pacific, Cpl. Herman Waldman is in the Aleutians, Staff Sgt. Danny Mann is directing shows in India, and Will Lee is doing the same in Australia. The Lab takes rightful pride in fulfilling the program these boys helped to put forward.

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