

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Wind and Lion Antiques
Diving Locker
Canadian Broadcasting Corporation
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COMING ATTRACTIONS

The Tragedy of King Lear

Directed by Donald Soule

The Frederic Wood Theatre
March 3 - 13
8:00 p.m.

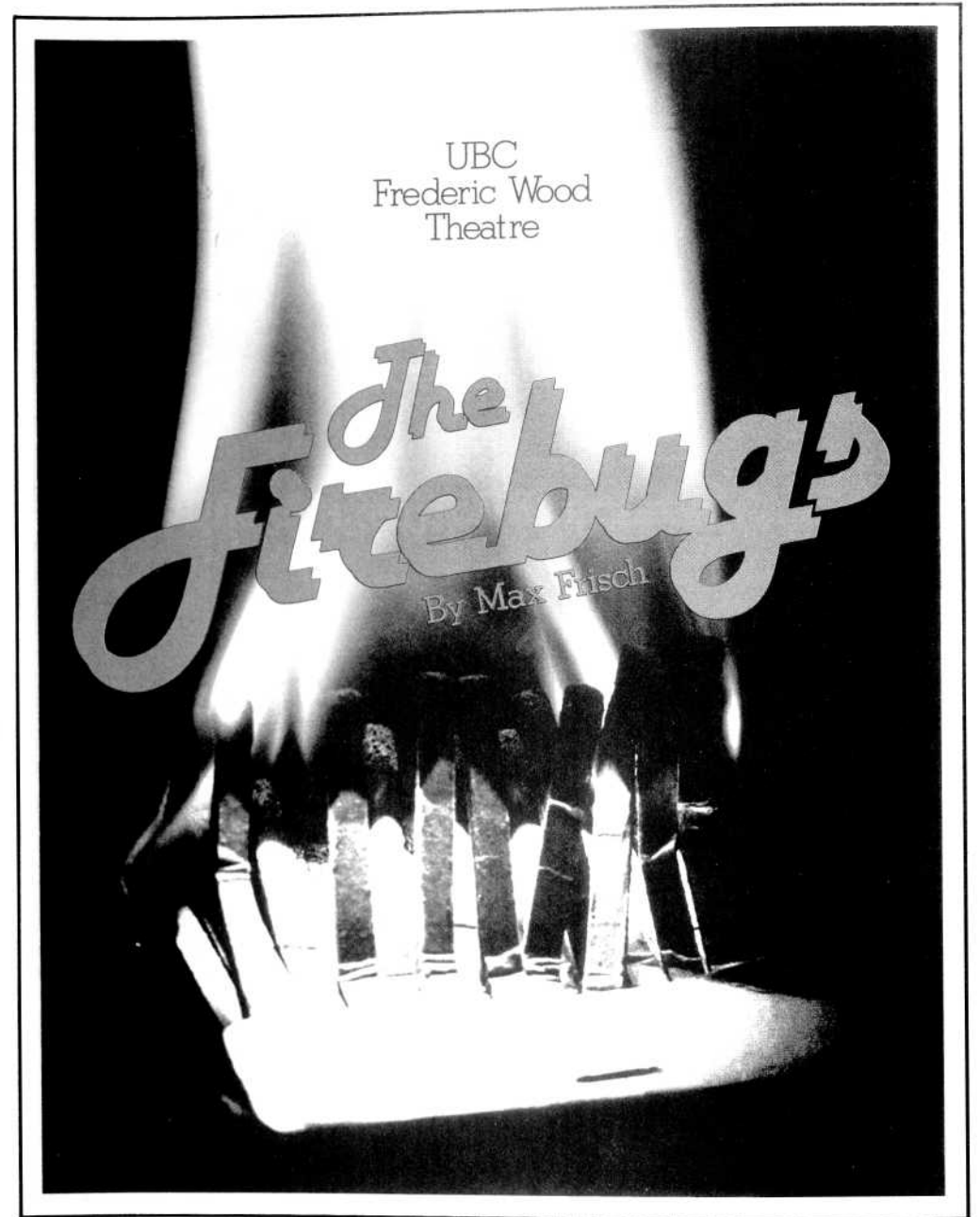
U.B.C. Musical Theatre Society
Rodgers & Hammerstein
South Pacific
U.B.C. Old Auditorium
January 29 - February 6
8:00 p.m.

The Firebugs

Frederic Wood Theatre

University of British Columbia

January 13 - 23, 1982



THE FIREBUGS

by
Max Frisch

Directed by
LEON POWNALL

Production Designed by
TERRY A. BENNETT

CAST

EISENRING Dermot Hennelly *
SCHMITZ Matthew Walker *
BIEDERMANN Paul Persofsky
BABETTE Barb Stepkowski
ANNA Kim Falconer
POLICEMAN Stephen Woodhouse
MRS. KNECHTLING Sherry Darcus

THE CHORUS

REPORTER Luc Corbeil
DISC JOCKEY Don Foran
FIRECHIEF Ian Forsyth FIRECHIEF'S WIFE Nan Gregory
FIREMAN Larry Antrim FIREMAN'S WIFE Tracey Brauckmann
FIREMAN Richard Side FIREMAN'S WIFE Trish Barclay
FIREMAN Bob Twaites FIREMAN'S WIFE ... Sharron Kearney
FIREMAN Stephen Woodhouse FIREMAN'S WIFE Laurel Bryson

THERE WILL BE ONE FIFTEEN MINUTE INTERMISSION

*Appearing through the courtesy of
Canadian Actors' Equity Association

A DIRECTOR'S NOTIONS

An Alarm. The Alarm bell. Take heed or "it" will pass by, consuming all. Apocalypse. Revelation. Alpha and Omega ... And the fifth angel sounded and to him was given the key of the bottomless pit ... and there arose a smoke out of the pit, as the smoke of a great furnace; and the sun and the air were darkened by reason of the smoke of the pit ... Reagan loses "N-card" - commander-in-chief's key to trigger a nuclear war ... France explodes two nuclear weapons ... Regime in Warsaw launches attack on Jews (Headlines, December 1981). Alarm ... District of Abbotsford Fire Hall burned to the ground while the Volunteer Fire Department danced the night away at a Fireman's Ball - to raise money for a new fire hall ... Arson is North America's most expensive crime ... and the band played on. The stock market crashed and they sat on flag poles and danced for days for money ... Hitler burned Jews and the allies bombed Hiroshima and the big bands played on and O how they danced ... Viet Nam, Johnson and Nixon and Reagan and always Russia and hippies and sex and drugs and Rock and Roll ... Disco and O how they danced! Alarm ... I don't want to set the world on fire, I just want to start a flame in your heart ...

Leon Pownall
December 28th, 1981

PRODUCTION

TECHNICAL DIRECTOR Ian Pratt
PROPERTIES Sherry Darcus
COSTUME SUPERVISOR Rosemarie Heselton
SET CONSTRUCTION Don Griffiths and John Henrickson
LIGHTING EXECUTION Bob Eberle
ASSISTANT TO THE DIRECTOR Bev Siver
STAGE MANAGER Teddy Babichuk
WARDROBE MISTRESS Lily Yuen
STAGE CREW The Students of Theatre 250/350
SOUND Cameron McGill
HOUSE MANAGER Cameron McGill
BOX OFFICE Carol Fisher, RoseAnn Janzen and Drew Young
BUSINESS MANAGER Marjorie Fordham
PRODUCTION MANAGER Norman Young

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