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The dying sun freckles the trees
Tendrils fluttering on the breeze
Dancing sparks -- Evening hush --
Quiet hour -- friendly, warm
Numbing, deadening when no one comes
No one, Anyone, never ever someone,
no one comes.

Twilight, our time, ours together,
Hands clasped in the meadow
Gently embracing,
Wading a cool current.

Warm knowing
Someone there, ever ever
Someone who cares

Then,
An under current --
An infirm wall of restraint
A something between
Widened, expanded -- drowning warmth
Now
No one, Anyone, never ever someone,
no one comes.

Miss Cabe, a Senior at Western Carolina College, has attended summer school there this summer. She will finish her work sometime during the coming year. A major in Art and Drama, Miss Cabe is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Cabe of Highlands.

FOXES REVIEW

Breaking all box office records at the Highlands Community Theatre last week, The Little Foxes provided a fine evening of theatrical entertainment. With Virginia Wilcox bitingly portraying Regina Giddend in Lillian Hellman's powerful drama, the entire cast followed her inspiration. Morton Lewis as Ben the shy, subtle fox; Tom Crumpler as Oscar, arrogant and hot-tempered; Ben's subservient dupe Leo, John David Richardson, jerking to the strings pulled by Ben and Oscar, -- the Little foxes eating up the earth.

Watching warily or unwarily, the other members of the Hubbard family follow their preying leads--Beverly Matthews as Birdie Hubbard, covering under Oscar's glare; Bob Dupree as Horace, the unfortunate husband of Regina, unable even to die in peace; Alexander, Laura Dorsey, trembling under the pressure of evil she cannot understand. Addie and Cal, Edna Faxon and Bob Duncan, hovering around the family they serve trying to hold the pieces together.

Although there were a few weak spots in the production, as a whole, characters and action were blended in a smooth interpretation. Mrs. Wilcox provided the dynamic quality needed to show the power of the Hubbards and Morton Lewis ably abetted her in creating the picture of their slyness and cruelty. As it usually happens in a production pitting seasonal performers against less professionally trained ones, the "working together" harmony loses a little spark. However, expecting this, the audience can accept the quality of interpretation and make allowances. Laura Dorsey in her first stage role turned in a commendable job, and showed improvement even over the four nights, even though her portrayal still lacked spirit enough to justify Regina's parting remarks to her. Mrs. Matthews was a little too weak as Birdie, but seemed to fit the role and turned in a fine performance in her "nipping" scene. All in all, the performers fitted in The Little Foxes with alacrity and Miss Hellman's drama was brought to life in a fine production.

Ella Cabe

PERSONALS.....

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loving of Easton, Md. will arrive Friday for a visit with Mrs. Loving's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Kleinpeter. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Kleinpeter III and four children of Key Biscayne, Fla. arrived Wednesday to a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Kleinpeter.

Mrs. Louise Miller will leave Sunday for a week in Greensboro, N. C., where she will attend the Vocational Home Economics Educational Convention at the Woman's College of U. N. C.

Miss Mary Alice Arnold, of Columbus, Ga. is the houseguest of Mrs. Newton G. Hardie for several weeks.