

Pro Actor Secret Returns To UNC In Green's 'Sing All A Green Willow'

By JOE SIMMONS

If you watch Jimmy Secret rehearsing Paul Green's new folk-satire, "Sing All A Green Willow," you know you're seeing a pro work.

While an undergraduate Dramatic Arts major whines

actors' and can't be bothered with anything else. Too bad." As a Playmaker, Jimmy was seen as Willie Baxter in "Seventeen," as Jimmy in "The Rainmaker," and as Lysander in "A Midsummer Night's Dream," as well as a score of other roles.

festivities to be held in conjunction with "Sing All A Green Willow." "I got the part because of Blackmer," Secret recalled. "Several people at the audition could have played the part but Blackmer pointed me out and said to the director, 'Him!' and that was it." In Chicago, a notoriously tough theatre town, Secret won the Chicagoland Drama Critics Award as the best actor of 1965 for his role as Ensign Pulver in "Mr. Roberts," co-starring with Robert Wagner, star of the current TV series "To Catch a Thief." Jimmy's first Broadway assignment, "The Girl in the Freudian Slip," followed, and he repeated that role in Chicago with Alan Young.

In Hollywood, Jimmy has appeared in the movie, "Fate is the Hunter," and in the series, "Rawhide," "Dr. Kildare," "12 O'clock High," "Honey West," and as Dr. Hamilton in the daytime show "General Hospital."

There are always roles of which an actor isn't very proud

and Secret did one in Rome, Italy in what is known in the trade as a "Spaghetti Western," that he described as "a quickie filmed with an international cast but with all the earmarks of an American Western." "I was broken up most of the time we were shooting because I was speaking English, the director was speaking Italian and the leading lady who was supposed to be an Amanda Blake type ("Gunsmoke") went running around the set saying, "Zeig Heil! Zeig Heil!" and the director had to use a translator with everyone.

"Of course, later they dubbed whatever languages they wanted the film distributed in but during shooting it was just terrible," Secret never told me the title of the film.

Part of an actor's job is keeping his name before the public and Jimmy has done this by appearing on panel and quiz shows on television. Last April he was a winner on "The Dating Game," being selected over two other fellows by a young model who selected him because he said that re-finishing furniture was one of his hobbies.

They won a weekend at the Seaview Inn in Mansfield, Ohio.

In "Sing All A Green Willow," Secret plays the role of Shad, a young man who tries to save a girl from falling under the spell of a fanatical religious sect. Also featured in the production is Carol Case Erskine, as the young girl, Ian O'Connell and Elizabeth Tanner as her parents and Joel Carter as a holiness preacher and healer.

Other actors who will appear in the three night run on March 28, 29 and 30 are Ben Jones, Priscilla Speare, Jan Davidson, Doug Baldwin, Tom Bynum, Frank Hall, Timothy Toney, Margaret Dorn, Linda Wright, Gayle Everhart, Pamela Davis, Ann Perry, and Carole Vacher. "Sing All A Green Willow" will feature a parrot named "Holy Ghost" and a talking horse called "Old Nick". The setting will include a roadway across the orchestra pit and dancing flowers onstage as well as some filmed sequences.

The word is around rehearsals that in this one Paul Green "lets it all hang out." Tickets sale begin on Wednesday for season subscribers and on Monday, March 24 for the general public.



Jimmy Secret Appeared With Robert Wagner In 'Mr. Roberts'

... now he's with the Playmakers in 'Sing All A Green Willow.'

DTH Playmakers Preview

about having to rehearse on Saturday and the rest of the cast is taking a break, Jimmy is going over and over a bit of action which involves picking up a girl from the floor and walking offstage with her in his arms. When director Sam Selden has difficulty getting everyone's attention during one of the "crowd" scenes, Secret moves closer to the little man in order to concentrate on what is being said.

The impression you get is that Jimmy will know exactly what he's doing when the show opens a three night run on Friday, March 28.

Secret is "jobbing" the role of Shadrach in the innovative new folk satire, as Mr. Green calls the play. He was hired for the role and will be leaving for New York as soon as the show closes.

"Being a professional actor doesn't depend solely on whether or not you're getting paid," Jimmy said. "Professionalism is a state of mind."

Although he is near thirty, he has that good head of hair and intense eyes, characteristic of the eternal juvenile. "The theatre is hallowed ground to me," he said. "When I walk in a house and see a soft drink cup on the floor, I pick it up." For an actor who has appeared on Broadway, in movies, and has guest starred on eight television series, this is quite an attitude.

"When I was at Chapel Hill—as Jimmy Secret—I participated in every phase of the theatre, and I mean every phase—from ushering to acting. I don't see too many kids who want to do that now. They are

"I desperately wanted them to let me do Tom in Robert Anderson's, "Tea and Sympathy" when I was here—when I was eighteen like Tom was, but it never happened. When I finally got to do the part I was twenty-four!"

Secret has appeared with five stock companies across the country and worked at Washington's famed Arena Stage as resident juvenile. In Los Angeles he did "Come Back Little Sheba" with Shirley Booth and Sidney Blackmer, who is also a former Playmaker and will be returning to Chapel Hill to participate in the homecoming

Items Lost & Found

LOST

NOTEBOOK, MATH 34 text "2nd Course in Calculus" and "Twelve Who Ruled." In Woolen Gym. Contact John McCarthy, 643 Ehringhaus, 933-5380. Reward.

GIRL'S BRACELET, 7 pearls with gold spiral links. Lost on campus, maybe between Cobb Dorm and Gimghoul Road. Sentimental value. Call Corinne, 968-9020. Reward.

DOG, PART WIRE-HAIR, black and white with brown face. Call Bill Hilliard, 929-4043.

WHITE SOC. 52 Composition Book (D.A. 31 notes inside). Midterm approaching. Call 968-3691.

SET OF CAR KEYS in red case. Call 933-2105.

FOUND

MYERS PARK 1966 School

ring. Call 933-2042, extension 5.

LADIES EYEGLASSES found in Dey Hall. Call 933-2042, extension 5.

GERMAN SHEPHERD-TYPE mutt, with lacerations on legs and shoulder. Found on Franklin St. Can be claimed at Vine's Vet.

Campus Calendar

ROCK HUDSON and Leslie Caron star in "A Very Special Favor," tonight's free flick at 7, 9:30 and 11:30 p.m. in Carroll Hall.

ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES and Engineering seminar in room 228 of the School of Public Health, at 10 a.m. Ellis Cowling, Professor of Plant Pathology, N.C. State, will speak on "Biological Degradation of Cellulose and Wood."

APPLICATIONS are available for both international and American students who desire to live in the International Student Center next fall. Interested male students can pick up applications in the ISC programs office. Deadline for returning applications is March 19.

UNC YEAR-AT-LYON Program reminds students that only two weeks remain before the 1969-70 applications deadline of April 1. Membership in this junior year abroad program is open to all students, and is not restricted to French majors. Descriptive pamphlets and application forms are available in 219 Dey Hall.

SEND ALL CONTRIBUTIONS for Senior Scholarship to: 1969 Scholarship Fund, P.O. Box 1080, Chapel Hill, N.C.

INCOME TAX INFORMATION, 1040 and 1040A forms filled out with intent to save you money. Call 967-2803 in evenings.

BARBEQUE sponsored by the Frank Porter Graham School and Lincoln School P.T.A.'s will be held Saturday, March 15, 3-7 p.m. Prices are \$1.25 and \$1.75 for barbeque chicken.

Freshman Camp

The YMCA Freshman Camp program has announced the selections of directors for next fall's camp.

Director of the camp will be Carl Younger. Also chosen were Tim Haigh, assistant director, Curtis Weaver, program director, Ray Ball, athletic director, and Tom Kates, publicity.

The Freshman camp is designed to acquaint incoming freshmen with Carolina life informally. This is done informally by contact with the counselor through his knowledge of the school and by talks with professors, administrators and other students.

Younger said the program was praised by people who had gone through the program who found it better than the regular orientation. He also said 24 counseling positions are now open and applications can be picked up at the YMCA office. All who are interested are encouraged by Younger to come by and get an application.

Snake Eyed

Any persons interested in establishing a UNC snake charming school should contact Richard L. Davis immediately at 434 James or call 933-4541.

The charming Davis is a noted authority on foreign and domestic snakes and has studied several years under Guru Weldon Bhampistali in mastering the art.

The only prerequisites for the school are slit eyes, forked tongue, and scales (rattle preferred).

DAILY CROSSWORD

- ACROSS
- 1. Hourly measure
- 6. Reveals
- 11. Semblance
- 12. Subside
- 13. English breed of cattle
- 14. Capital of the Latvian Republic: poss.
- 15. Before
- 16. Transacted
- 18. Inquire
- 19. French coin
- 22. Fake
- 25. The highest point
- 28. Nimble
- 30. Stir up
- 31. Apprehend
- 33. Ice and Iron, for example
- 34. Other-worldly
- 35. Chinese dynasty
- 37. Social insects
- 39. Heart of Dixie state: abbr.
- 42. Low, hoarse cry
- 45. Port
- 47. Unit of prevention
- 48. Live
- 49. Furtive glances
- 50. Eyrie and others

- 21. Shoshonean Indians
- 22. Shetlands fishing grounds
- 23. Monster dance
- 24. Breezy
- 26. Biblical city
- 27. Lament
- 29. Plural ending
- 32. Article
- 36. Pale
- 37. Kind of road
- 38. Pieces out
- 39. Bird: Latin
- 40. For fear that
- 41. See 37 Across
- 42. — a plea
- 43. Regret
- 44. Unity
- 46. Hewing tool

Yesterday's Answer

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11					12				
13					14				
15			16	17					
18					19	20	21		
22	23	24		25	26	27			
28			29	30					
31			32	33					
34			35	36					
37			38	39					
40			41	42					
43	44	45	46						
47			48						
49			50						

DOWN

- 1. Conceal

HERE'S THE WORLD-FAMOUS ASTRONAUT RETURNING FROM THE MOON... TWO HUNDRED AND FORTY THOUSAND MILES THROUGH SPACE... WHAT COURAGE! WHAT FORTITUDE! YOU CAN TELL I'M RETURNING BECAUSE I'M FACING THE OTHER WAY!

YER WANT T' WATCH WHO Y' PUSHIN' MATE—! GET LOST! 'E'S AFTER A FIGHT, PET - LET'S POP IN 'ERE OUT OF 'IS WAY... WERE YER REALLY FRIGHTENED OF THAT BLOKE, ANDY? WHICH BLOKE?

Don Knotts "The Ghost and Mr. Chicken" A UNIVERSAL PICTURE

Grads Apply: World Affairs Study

The Institute of World Affairs, Inc. will hold its 46th annual graduate student seminar in International Relations on the topic "Rapid Change in World Order."

The seminar, which will be held from July 7-August 21 at Maude Minor Hadden Campus in Salisbury, Conn., is designed to prepare recommended graduate students from many countries and of diverse cultural backgrounds for active participation in public affairs and to assert leadership toward world understanding.

Students and faculty will live and work at the Institute's Educational Center. The academic study will be under the direction of Dr. Bruce L.R. Smith, associate professor of political science at Columbia University. Other faculty will

be announced later.

The daily program will include morning seminars on topics related to the theme of the institute's study. Students will divide into separate commissions for consideration of special papers, studies, reports and for discussion of pertinent questions. Guest leaders of national and international reputation will speak and respond to questions

from the students.

The cost of the tuition, room and meals is \$600, payable no later than June 20. A registration fee of \$35 is required immediately upon notice of acceptance.

The seminar is open to student candidates for advanced degrees. All students must be in a field related to International Relations Studies.

Partial or full scholarships are available to qualified students.

The Institute of World Affairs was founded in Geneva, Switzerland. It is a non-profit, non-government, educational institution incorporated under the laws of the states of New York and Connecticut. Its financial support is by voluntary contributions from individuals and corporate entities.

Gordon Lightfoot Appears In Folk Concert At Duke

In the first concert by a major folk artist on the Duke campus since last spring's Folk Festival, Canadian singer

Gordon Lightfoot will appear in Baldwin Auditorium tonight at 7 p.m.

Lightfoot, 30, has been the top make vocalist in his native Canada since 1967, but until very recently he has been known in the U.S. only among dedicated folk enthusiasts. In the past several months, though, a series of appearances in this country, accompanied by enthusiastic reviews, has brought Lightfoot to the attention of the American general public.

While many other stars have followed the more lucrative path of folk-rock, Lightfoot has endeared himself to fans of true folk music by remaining a purist. His truly fine voice and remarkable guitar technique, assets which many currently popular folk stars noticeably lack, further mark him as a traditionalist.

Lightfoot's songwriting ability, his third major talent, shows that a "traditionalist" may be contemporary. "Black Day in July," for instance, is a commentary upon the 1967 Chicago riots. He has composed over 130 songs, many of which have been used by other singers.

Judy Collins made a memorable recording of Lightfoot's "Early Morning Rain," and Peter, Paul and Mary first achieved national exposure with their version of his song "For Lovin' Me."

In concert, accompanied by a bassist and a second guitarist, Lightfoot puts on a very exciting show, and is known for his ability to achieve a rapport with any audience.

Tickets for \$2.50 are available at Page Box Office.

Senior Presents Recital

A piano recital by Paula Jean Wise, senior from Charlotte, will be presented at Hill Hall Sunday night at 8 p.m.

She will offer Bach's Toccata in E Minor; Eric Satie's Gymnopédie Nos. 1 & 2 and La Pledge de Meduse; Beethoven's Sonata quasi una

Fantasia, Opus 27, No. 1; Chopin's Ballade in A Flat Major; and Prokofiev's Sonata No. 4 in C Minor.

Miss Wise is a student of Mrs. Barbara Rowan, and is currently a candidate for the Bachelor of Music Education degree.

A veteran music student at Converse College and the Indiana University School of Music, Miss Wise is currently serving as vice-president of the Carolina Choir and a member of the planning committee for the 1969 Fine Arts Festival. She is a member of the Phi Mu sorority.

Luxurious **Carolina** ROCKING CHAIR THEATRE

NOW PLAYING Shows 1-3-5-7-9

who cares about a 35 year old virgin?



joanne woodward
in the PAUL NEWMAN production of **rachel, rachel**

SUGGESTED FOR MATURE AUDIENCES
TECHNICOLOR® FROM WARNER BROS.-SEVEN ARTS W

Children's Matinee Sat. 9 A.M.
Children 50c
Adults \$1.00

Don Knotts
"The Ghost and Mr. Chicken"
TECHNICOLOR A UNIVERSAL PICTURE

OVERSEAS OPPORTUNITIES

IN FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

A limited number of the following specialized positions are available in Vietnam with the AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ASSISTANT REFUGEE OFFICERS

Advise (or participate with) Vietnamese and U.S. Governmental officials in planning and operation of refugee relief programs. Activities include: initial reception and registration; emergency medical attention; providing temporary shelter; furnishing of subsistence commodities; organizing work projects and self-help programs; resettlement. Desire appropriate overseas experience in community organizations or volunteer agencies or related state-side experience which demonstrates substantial aptitude for the previously described duties. College degree with major in a Social Science desirable. Outstanding academic record considered in lieu of actual experience. STARTING SALARY RANGE: \$7,000 TO \$11,000 PER YEAR, PLUS 25% HARDSHIP BONUS, FURNISHED QUARTERS, AND OTHER BENEFITS.

ASSISTANT RURAL DEVELOPMENT OFFICERS

Assist Vietnamese governmental officials in planning and coordinating a wide range of A.I.D. development activities in such fields as community development, health, agricultural education, irrigation, and cooperatives. Requires a Bachelor's degree, preferably in public administration, political science, economics, or related fields and recent experience either stateside or overseas in leadership positions in community development and management. Outstanding academic record considered in lieu of actual experience. STARTING SALARY RANGE: \$7,000 TO \$11,000 PER YEAR, PLUS 25% HARDSHIP BONUS, FURNISHED QUARTERS AND OTHER BENEFITS.

AUDITOR CONTROLLER TRAINEES

(Vietnam and Other Free World Countries)

Will participate in training programs designed to develop auditors who will be able to assume responsibilities for the Agency's overseas audit functions. Requires Bachelor's degree (major in accounting) from a recognized institution, with 24 credit hours in accounting preferred, plus two years' experience in public accounting and/or internal auditing with private industry or government desired. Outstanding academic record considered in lieu of actual experience. STARTING SALARY RANGE: \$7,000 TO \$11,000 PER YEAR, PLUS HARDSHIP BONUS IN SOME COUNTRIES, (25% IN VIETNAM), FURNISHED QUARTERS OR HOUSING ALLOWANCE, AND OTHER BENEFITS.

Applicants for these positions must be U.S. citizens for at least 5 years; in excellent physical condition; willing to serve a minimum of 18 months abroad (without families in Vietnam); qualify in a test for ability to learn a foreign language (some positions).

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA

INTERVIEWS ON CAMPUS

Tues., March 18 and Wed., March 19 FOR APPOINTMENT CALL

PLACEMENT OFFICE GARDNER HALL

(919) 933-2056

A.I.D. Is An Equal Opportunity Employer