

November 13 - 18, 1967

MEADOW PLAYERS LIMITED

in association with the Arts Council
of Great Britain

present

AN OXFORD PLAYHOUSE COMPANY
PRODUCTION

The Wild Duck

by Henrik Ibsen

Translated by Michael Meyer

Costumes designed by Natasha Kornilof

Settings designed by Franco Colavecchia

Directed by Harold Lang

"To sit there getting deeper into that Ekdal home and getting deeper and deeper into your own life all the time until you forget that you are in a theatre; to look on with horror and pity at a profound tragedy, shaking with laughter all the time at an irresistible comedy; to go out not from a diversion but from an experience deeper than real life ever brings to most men or often brings to any man; that is what 'The Wild Duck' was like"

Bernard Shaw.

The Wild Duck

CAST in order of appearance :

Pettersen, servant to Haakon Werle PHILIP VOSS

Jensen, a hired waiter JONATHAN TURNER

Mrs. Soerby, housekeeper to

Haakon Werle HILDA FENEMORE

Haakon Werle, a wholesale merchant ... MICHAEL LYNCH

Gregers Werle, his son JAMES LAURENSEN

Hjalmar Ekdal, a photographer MAURICE GOOD

Graaberg, a clerk NICHOLAS ARNOLD

Old Ekdāl AIDAN TURNER

Hedvig, daughter of Hjalmar

and Gina Ekdal HELENA DE CRESPO

Gina Ekdal HEATHER CHASEN

Relling, a doctor DAVID COLLINGS

Molvik, sometime student of theology ... CLIVE MERRISON

Guests ARNOLD LOCKE

CLIVE MERRISON, NIGEL RAMAGE

FRANK WILSON TAYLOR

Waiter MICHAEL DAVIES

The first act takes place in Haakon Werle's house, the remaining four acts in Hjalmar Ekdal's studio.

ACT I

ACT II

Interval

ACT III

ACT IV

Interval

ACT V

During the intervals the fully-licensed Theatre Bar will be open. Coffee, soft drinks and chocolates also available.

Ladies' costumes made by BARBARA HIGGINS

The Company wish to thank the Royal Norwegian Embassy for their help and advice over details in this production.

For Meadow Players Limited

Director of Productions
General Manager
Accountant
Public Relations Officer
Assistant to the Director
Administrative Assistant
Stage Manager
Deputy Stage Managers

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Lighting operators, sound technicians and stage staff provided by Students Union Stage Administration Group.

NEXT PRODUCTION AT THIS THEATRE

November 22 - 25 (Wednesday to Saturday)

The Empire Builders

by Boris Vian

Translated from the French by Simon Watson Taylor
Presented by Southampton University Theatre Group as their entry for the National Union of Students' Drama Festival.

8 p.m.

All seats 6/6

Box Office Tel. 55028

In accordance with the requirements of the licensing authority :

- 1 The audience may leave at the end of the performance by all exit doors.
- 2 All gangways, corridors, staircases, and passageways which afford a means of exit shall be kept entirely free from obstruction.
- 3 Persons shall not be permitted to stand or sit in any of the gangways except in positions authorised by the licensing authority and in the numbers indicated in the notices exhibited in those positions.
- 4 The safety curtain shall be lowered and raised at each performance in the presence of the audience.

The management reserves the right to refuse admission, also to make any alteration in the cast which may be rendered necessary by illness or other unavoidable causes.

THE TAKING OF PHOTOGRAPHS IN THE THEATRE IS FORBIDDEN