

**THE ALLEN COUNTY ARTS COUNCIL, INC.**

presents

# **A THURBER CARNIVAL**

by

James Thurber

Original Music by Don Elliott

Production Staged and Directed

by

Richard G. Scharine

Musical Direction

by

Dale P. Creitz

Produced by Special Arrangement with Samuel French, Inc.

## Cast In Order of Appearance

First Man . . . . .	DON HEIMAN
Second Man . . . . .	LARRY BLAKE
Third Man . . . . .	JOHN COPENING
Fourth Man . . . . .	RICHARD SPENCER
First Woman . . . . .	CAROL HABIGER
Second Woman . . . . .	KATHY STEPHENS
Third Woman . . . . .	JUDY DOOLITTLE
Fourth Woman . . . . .	KATHY McENDREE
Fifth Woman . . . . .	COLLEEN GREWING

## Musical Quintet

Piano . . . . .	Rona Garner
Saxophone . . . . .	Chris McKean
Bass . . . . .	Bill Copening
Drums . . . . .	Bill Pence

## Production Staff

Costumes . . . . .	Diane Peeler
Makeup . . . . .	Linda Abts
Lighting . . . . .	Tom Wheat, Larry Blake
Sound . . . . .	Joe Myers
Art Work . . . . .	Penny Gregg
Choreography . . . . .	Carol Habiger
Painting . . . . .	Lee Lane

## Scenes

### Act One

Word Dance I

The Night the Bed Fell

Fables For Our Time

    The Wolf at the Door

    The Unicorn In The Garden

    The Little Girl and the Wolf

If Grant Had Been Drinking at Appomattox

Casuals of the Keys

The Macbeth Murder Mystery

The Last Flower

### Act Two

The Pet Department

File and Forget

Mr. Preble Gets Rid of His Wife

Take Her Up Tenderly

The Secret Life of Walter Mitty

Word Dance II

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## Director's Note

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