



NEEWOLLAH

CALENDAR OF EVENTS
NEEWOLLAH 1973

"Hello, Dolly"

8:00 P.M.
Memorial Hall
October 23-24

The Amazing 'Kreskin'

8:00 P.M.
Memorial Hall
October 25

Coronation of Queen Neelah XXXII

8:00 P.M.
Memorial Hall
October 26

**Tommy Overstreet
Diana Trask
Nashville Express**

8:00 P.M.
Memorial Hall
October 27

Country & Western Dance

Featuring
Rodney Lay
Civic Center
Saturday, October 27

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26

Kiddies Parade — 4:00 P.M.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27

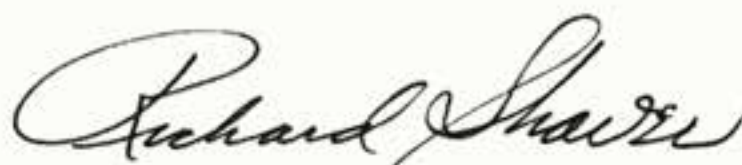
Grand Parade — 11:00 A.M.

CARNIVAL and FREE STREET ACTS



Happiness Is —

Neewollah, the spirit of Independence, that spirit of cooperation, comradeship, and unselfish giving that makes Independence. To the newcomers who have been attracted to this spirit, we bid you welcome to Neewollah, we hope you enjoy it, and that you will become part of it. To the many, many people who have given so graciously of their time, money, and energies to the success of Neewollah '73, my heartfelt thanks.



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NEEWOLLAH PRESENTS

"HELLO, DOLLY!"

Book by Michael Stewart

Music and lyrics by Jerry Herman

Based on the play *THE MATCHMAKER* by Thornton Wilder

Original production directed and choreographed by Gower Champion

Produced for the Broadway stage by David Merrick and Champion-Five, Inc.

First performance at the St. James Theatre, New York, January 16, 1964

DAVID TORBETT, PRODUCER

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"Hello, Dolly!" is presented by special arrangement with Tams-Witmark Musical Library, Inc., New York.

SCENES

ACT ONE

- Scene 1: Street scene in New York City in the late 1890's. Grand Central Station.
- Scene 2: Horace Vandergelder's feed store. Yonkers, N. Y.
Yonkers Railroad Station.
- Scene 3: A street in New York City.
Mrs. Molloy's hat shop.
Fourteenth Street Parade.

ACT TWO

- Scene 1: Outside the Hoffman House Hotel.
- Scene 2: Harmonia Gardens Restaurant.
- Scene 3: Courtroom.
- Scene 4: Vandergelder's feed store.

A number of the costumes used in this production were provided by special arrangement with the Parsons Recreation Commission, Winfield Community Theatre, Southwestern College of Winfield, and the Oxford Costume Rental Company.

Rehearsal accompanist has been Virginia Riley.

Orchestra Personnel

REEDS

Jo Oliver
George Jones
Dick Datson
Harold Burris
John Hensley

BASS

Kevin Goeting

PIANO

Regina Hille

BRASS

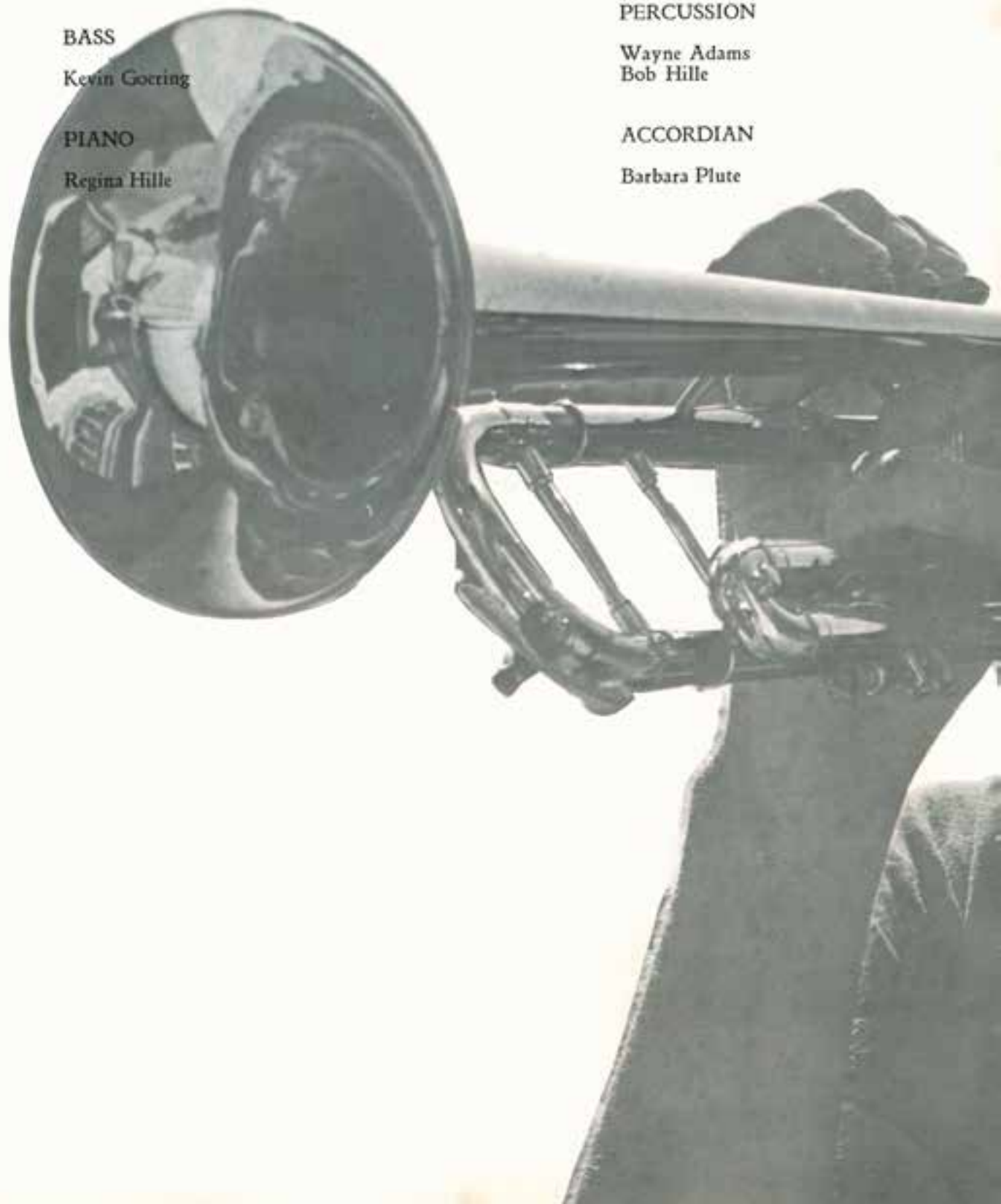
Mark Dice
Rebecca Frankenbury
Doug Aitken
John Byrne

PERCUSSION

Wayne Adams
Bob Hille

ACCORDIAN

Barbara Plute



The Cast



Mrs. Dolly Gallagher Levi	LIZ MIESSLER
Ernestina	JOAN VERON
Ambrose Kemper	DON PURYEAR
Horace Vandergelder	JAMES JOHNSON
Ermengarde	BECKY WELCH
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Barnaby Tucker	PAUL YATES
Irene Molloy	BARBARA SCHMIDT
Minnie Fay	KATHY MCGEE
Mrs. Rose	NONA BOYD
Rudolph	RAY ROTHGEB
Judge	GARY MITCHELL
Court Clerk/Paper Hanger	BERNIE NORDBERG

Waiters: Howard McMurray
David Nickel
Gary Mitchell
John Wight

Bill Bradley
Bill Ketchum
Maurice Dean
Mark Mitchell

Townspople:

Ray Rothgeb, Sandy Stegelman, Maurice Dean, Carol Hunnycutt, John Wight, Julie Sauder, Howard McMurray, Anke Dodson, Dale Carr, Mary Nickel, Don Puryear, Dolly Cook, Stephanie Hall, Connie Baird, Chandis Fischer, Del Nordberg, Geri Miller, George Bernheimer, Brian Boyd, John Brewer, Cheryl Aitken, Diane Bernheimer, Bernie Nordberg, Gary Mitchell, Mark Mitchell, Scott Reid.

"HELLO,



"Don't protest, Minnie! All millineresses are suspected of being wicked women."

"We're going to be in danger, we're going



"You're lookin' swell, Manny."



"It takes a woman all powdered and pink

DOLLY!



...end our money, we're going to be arrested."

"We got elegance, if you ain't got elegance, you can never every carry it off."



...iously clean out the drain in the sink. . ."



"If I had any intention of marrying again, Horace, it would be to a far more pleasure loving man than you."



"HELLO, DOLLY!"

COMMITTEES

COSTUMES:	Evvie Reid, chairman, Rose Carlyle, Mable Cook, Liz Barbera, Donna Rothgeb, Frances Foster, Bea Cummins and Marguerite Hall.
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SPECIAL ASSISTANT:	Gary Mitchell.
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STAGE CREW:	Bill Ketchum, manager, Jim Carpenter, Charles Daneke, Olin Hamlin, Dale Hamlin, Gregg Thomas, Larry Marshall, Keith Bloomfield, Stan Small, Mike Rush, Daniel Hill, Dennis Daneke, David Penn, John Wright, David Lewis, Mike Robinson and Ray Rothgeb.
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PROGRAM:	Pat Springer and Stan Small, assistant.
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CAST PARTY:	Jacque Layton, and Carol Leonard.
COFFEE BREAKS:	Xi Kappa Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority.
CIVIC CENTER COMMUNICATIONS:	Bea Cummins.

"HELLO, DOLLY!"

Production Staff



DAVID TORBETT
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Director



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Special Advisors

Coronation of Queen Neelah XXXII

Crowning by Robert B. Docking, Governor of Kansas

Friday, October 26

8 P.M.

Memorial Hall

Master of Ceremonies John Sanders

Organ Prelude Mrs. Phil Atkisson

Neelah Debs Dance Act

Presentation of Queen Candidates (Division I)

Selected Talent Acts

1. _____
2. _____

Presentation of Queen Candidates (Division II)

3. _____
4. _____

Presentation of Queen Candidates (Division III)

Salute to Special Guests

Announcement of Category Winners

- Miss Talent _____
- Miss Congeniality _____
- Miss Originality _____
- Miss Personality _____
- Miss Fashion _____
- Miss Beauty _____

Announcement of Finalists

- 2nd Runner-up _____
- 1st Runner-up _____
- Queen Neelah XXXII _____

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Neelah Debs Mrs. William Reeder, Co-Chairman;
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Mary Jo Wint, Choreographer

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Queen's Trophy Hackney & Sons, Midwest Inc.

Other Trophies 1st Runnerup - Wilson's Gift Shop;
2nd Runnerup - Lion's Club
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Miss Congeniality - Automotive Control Corporation
Miss Fashion - Fabrific
Miss Originality - Gansel's Jewelry Store
Miss Personality - Hille Music Company
Miss Talent - Kansas Gas and Electric Company

Escorts Assisting on Stage Steve Leonard and Jeff Tindle

Stage Manager Mike Carpenter

Judges Bill Munson of Topeka;
Harry Wiles of Topeka; Mrs. Ruth Fincham of Iuka

Special Guests Robert Docking, Governor of Kansas and Mrs. Docking
Queen Neelah XXXI, Ruth Ann Pittman;
Jeannie Hughes, Miss 'La Petite' of Cherryvale

Organ Prelude Mrs. Phil Atkisson



NEELAH DEBS

FRONT ROW:

Karen Shawger, Janet Washburn, and Paula Coder.

MIDDLE ROW:

Kristi Briggs, Jennifer Bally, Kathy Worl, and Lisa Knuth.

BACK ROW:

Debbie Ferguson, Angelyn Clark, Marilyn Chase, Debbie Donnally,
and Kathy Vining.



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SPECIAL ENTERTAINMENT

**THURSDAY, OCT. 25
THE AMAZING 'KRESKIN'
8 P.M. MEMORIAL HALL**

**SATURDAY, OCT. 27
TOMMY OVERSTREET
DIANA TRASK
NASHVILLE EXPRESS
8 P.M. MEMORIAL HALL**

**SATURDAY STREET
ENTERTAINMENT
THE SPURRLOWS**

3 Shows:

12:30 p.m., 2:00 p.m., 3:30 p.m.



THURSDAY AND SATURDAY



The Amazing 'Kreskin'

... the mental wizard ... Starting at the early age of 8 he started "fooling around" with ESP. Since then he has invented the "check test" in which he invites anyone to hide the fee for his performance, and if he can't find it through ESP he forfeits payment. He claims he has forfeited a fee on only one occasion where he was suffering from an eye infection and could not concentrate.



Diana Trask

Guest appearances:

A week on Don McNeill's "Breakfast Club."

Jack Benny's T.V. Show.

She was a regular on "Sing Along With Mitch."

Albums include:

"Country Soul."



Tommy Overstreet

Hit songs:

"There's a Little Bit of Devil in My Angel."

"If You're Looking for a Fool."

"I Don't Know You Anymore."

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