

St. Serf's Players

Present

“Dear

Octopus”

by

Dodie Smith.

Thursday 22nd.

Friday 23rd.

Saturday 24th. February 1951.

# PROGRAMME

## "DEAR OCTOPUS"

by  
DODIE SMITH

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Charles Randolph	.....	.....	.....	Wm. Cormack.
Dora Randolph	.....	.....	.....	Nancy Redman ✓
Hilda Randolph	} their Children	}	}	Jessie Johnston ✓
Margery Harvey				Christine Hume.
Cynthia Randolph				Jean Potter ✓
Nicholas Randolph				Ian Furnival.
Hugh Randolph				Duncan Stewart ✓
Gwen (Flouncy) Harvey	} their Grandchildren	}	}	(Thurs) Marjorie Hourston.
William (Bill) Harvey				(Fri & Sat) Irene Cormack.
Kathleen (Scrap) Kenton				(Thurs) Sheila Adams.
				(Fri & Sat) Morna Donaldson
Belle Schlessinger (their Sister-in-law)	.....	.....	.....	Jana McKirdy ✓
Edna Randolph (Hugh's Mother)	.....	.....	.....	Fiona Gordon.
Laurel Randolph (Hugh's Wife)	.....	.....	.....	Christine Reed.
Kenneth Harvey (Margery's Husband)	.....	.....	.....	John Henderson. ✓
Grace Fenning (Dora's Companion)	.....	.....	.....	Sheila Jamieson. ✓
Nanny Patching (a Nurse)	.....	.....	.....	Nancy Watson. ✓
Gertrude (a Parlourmaid)	.....	.....	.....	Marjorie Munro.

Play produced by DOROTHY WIGHT

## SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

The action of the play takes place at the Randolphs' country house in North Essex, during a week-end in late autumn.

### ACT I

The Hall. .... Friday evening.

### ACT II

The Nursery. .... Saturday

Scene 1. Morning.  
Scene 2. Afternoon.  
Scene 3. Late evening

### ACT III

The Dining-room. .... Sunday evening.

Scene 1. Before dinner.  
Scene 2. After dinner.

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Stage Manager ..... Murray Cullen.  
Lighting ..... George Walker.  
Set by Murray Cullen, James Reilly, Fred. Ainsley.