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"TAKE ME ALONG" — "ONCE UPON A MATTRESS" — "BLOOMER GIRL" — "PAINT YOUR WAGON"  
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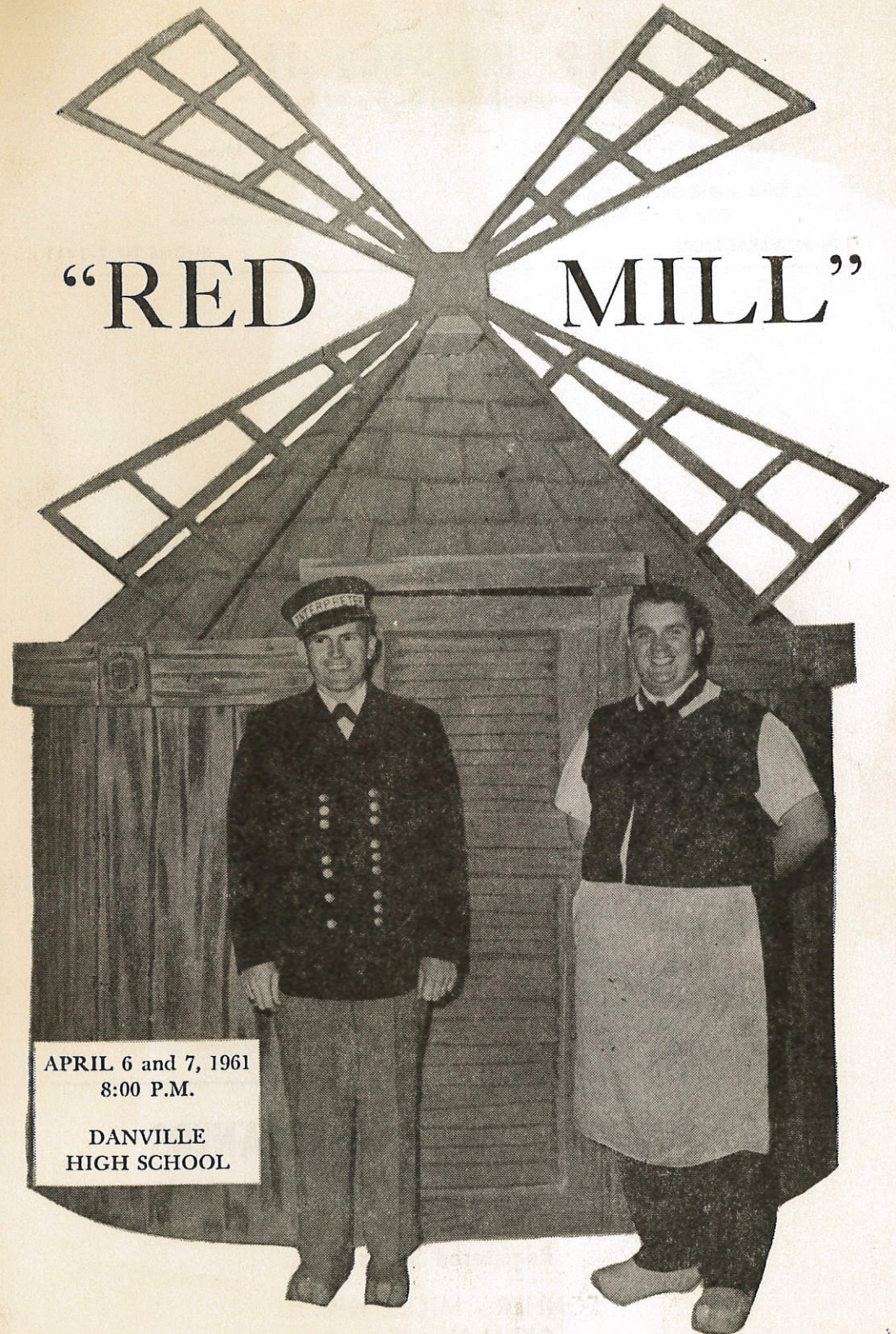
On May 9, at 8:00 p.m., at the Y.W.C.A., the Danville Light Opera Co. will hold its annual general meeting. At this time a slate of twelve nominees, for election to the board of directors, will be presented. Of these twelve, six will be elected at this meeting to fill two year terms on the Danville Light Opera board. There may also be nominations from the floor. Anyone who has a Light Opera membership is entitled to vote.

We hope you will all show your interest in the future of Danville Light Opera by attending this very important meeting.



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CHILDREN.....	Stephanie Dougherty, Kim Jones, Debbie Norris, Denise Owens, Debbie Pollitt, Billy Everts, Lee Nethery, Berry Rosen, Donnie Studebaker, Kenny Studebaker
ORCHESTRAL ACCOMPANIMENT.....	Piano, Mary Schroeder; Organ, Helen Wolff; Violins, Magdalen Hartshorn, Phyllis Pergakes, Doris Campbell, Sharon Lane, Jean Van Dell; Viola, Susan Champlin; Cello, James M. Bre- ner; Flute, Marilyn Ribbe; Clarinet, Willard Underwood; Drum, James Dodd

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Stage Crew.....Robert Congleton, Jack Belton, Pete Todd, Ron Boyd  
Lighting and Sound.....Earl Hartshorn, Pat French, Alan Westwater  
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Costumes.....Chairman, Jan Echard; Louise Owens,  
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ACT TWO: Scene 1. Legend of the Haunted Mill.

Scene 2. In the Burgomaster's house.

Our plot revolves around the escapades of two American tourists stranded in Holland.

The pair, "Con" Kidder and "Kid" Conner, try to leave without paying their bill at the "Sign of the Red Mill Inn," but are caught by the Burgomaster. Willem, the innkeeper, agrees to let them work out their indebtedness, with Con assigned as an interpreter and Kid as a waiter.

Con and Kid cook up a scheme to save the Burgomaster's daughter Gretchen from a distasteful marriage, with the Governor of Zeeland, and help her elope with her lover, Capt. Hendrik Van Damm. The Burgomaster hears of the scheme and locks his daughter up in the old Red Mill, and has Hendrik arrested.

The Americans free Gretchen, and the Burgomaster is faced with a wedding and no bride. Con and Kid show up later, and using a ruse, arrange for the arrest of the Sheriff and trick the Burgomaster into releasing Van Damm.

Gretchen's disappearance revives the ghostly legend of the mill—which is told by the aunt to the townspeople, with a ballet sequence revealing how the apparition of a lovely young girl is said to haunt the mill.

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