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AUDTION NOTICE

**Theatre on the Road and Bannerman Castle Trust Inc. present
ARSENIC AND OLD LACE**

Performances are on Bannerman Island, July 25, 26, 27 and 28 and Unison Arts Center in New Paltz on August 3rd.

Actors will be paid a stipend for each performance. Rehearsals will be scheduled in June and July and will be held at Unison Arts Center and at Studio KTM in Red Hook.

We are looking to cast male actors as the Brewster sisters, Abby and Martha, and they will perform in drag. Some of the smaller male roles will be combined.

To schedule an audition date and time with director Frank Marquette email theatreontheroad@gmail.com.

Character descriptions:

Abby Brewster: A darling lady in her sixties who poisons elderly men. Abby is the sister of Martha and an aunt to Teddy, Jonathan, and Mortimer.

Martha Brewster: A sweet elderly woman with Victorian charm who poisons elderly men, Martha is the sister of Abby and an aunt to Teddy, Jonathan, and Mortimer.

The Rev. Dr. Harper: Minister and father of Elaine

Teddy Brewster: Nephew of Abby and Martha Brewster, Teddy is a man in his forties who thinks that he is Theodore Roosevelt.

Officer Brophy: A police officer

Officer Klein: A police officer

Elaine Harper: An attractive girl in her twenties and Mortimer's fiancée, Elaine is the daughter of the Rev. Dr. Harper. She is surprisingly wise in the ways of the world for a minister daughter.

Mortimer Brewster: Nephew of Abby and Martha, Mortimer is a drama critic who is engaged to Elaine. He is a nice man who cares for his aunts.

Mr. Gibbs: A man who wishes to rent a room from the Brewster sisters

Jonathan Brewster: Nephew of Abby and Martha Brewster, Jonathan is a psychopath who has had plastic surgery and now looks like Boris Karloff

Dr. Einstein: A plastic surgeon and an alcoholic who is in his fifties, Dr. Einstein has changed Jonathan's face three times.

Officer O'Hara: A police officer, O'Hara is a would-be playwright who pesters Mortimer to read his play.

Lieutenant Rooney: A tough and dominating police officer

Mr. Witherspoon: The superintendent of Happy Dale