

# Pianist to join Clark orchestra

Pianist Dr. Kathy Edsill-Charles will join the Clark College orchestra in a performance of Rachmaninoff's *Rhapsody on a theme by Paganini* Wed., Dec. 2, 7:30 p.m., at the Vancouver School of Arts and Academics, 3101 Main St., Vancouver.

Dr. German Caceres, music director of the El Salvador State Symphony, will be guest conductor.

The program will also include Franck's *Symphony in d minor*.

The concert is free and open to the public.

Edsill-Charles has taught piano at Clark College for three years and accompanies choirs at the college as well as at Washington State University. She has performed in opera, music theater and symphony productions in Europe, Asia, the midwest and the Pacific Northwest. She maintains a private piano studio at her home and is an active member of the Clark County Music Teachers Association and the Oregon Music Teachers Association. Before moving to Van-

couver, she was on the faculty at the University of Northern Iowa and at Wartburg College, also in Iowa.

German Caceres holds two degrees from Juilliard School of Music where he studied oboe, chamber music and composition. He received the National Prize of Culture in El Salvador,



**DR. KATHY EDSILL-CHARLES**

along with prizes in Germany and France. He has served as guest conductor with orchestra in Mexico, Central America, South America and the United States.

The Dec. 2 concert is free and open to the public. Information is available by calling Peggy Winston, 992-2662.