

In the Year 1978

OPERATIC SOCIETY Inc.

PROUDLY PRESENTS

in its Tabard Theatre

Under the Direction of that noted Entrepreneur Madame Dawn Unsworth

Theatrical Agent for Artistes of Quality and for the

Terpsichorial Interpretations.



Mistress of the Massed Pianoforte Miss Victoria Mason







SONG SHEET & BILLING FOR





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Stage Manager Supreme: Mr ROBERT LOCKYER

Ladies & Gents Modish Fashions: Madame LOIS REEFMAN

Mistress of Properties: Madame KATHERINE SINGLETON and willing helpers

Gaslight Design: Mr GWYN ACE

Gaslight Operator: Madame ALLISON WRIGHT Set and Stage Preparation Experts: MALCOLM KENAH, BARRY BROWNE, BOB DRINKWATER, PETER

SHEPHERD and ALEC WALLACE

Champion Flyman: NEIL SMITH

Call Steward: JEANETTE MURRAY

Mistresses of Powder & Paint: Madames DAWN McCOWATT and MINNIE WRIGHT

Music Ensemble: Messrs LEON SPEAKMAN, MAURICE BARTLETT and BARRY NICHOLS.

Cooks & Bottle Washers Supreme: Mesdames LYNDSAY BROWNE, FRANCIS MURRAY and other willing helpers Hostesses Devine: Madame JILLIAN LEE and her team of shapely assistants

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Oh Danny Boy, the Pipes, the pipes are calling. From Glen to Glen, and down the mountain side The Summer's gone and all the roses falling. It's you, It's you must go—and I must bide.
But come ye back when Summer's in the meadow,
Or when the valley's hushed and white with snow.
I'll be here in sunshine or in shadow Oh Danny Boy, Oh Danny Boy I love you so.

BELIEVE ME

Believe me, if all those endearing young charms Which I gaze on so fondly today Were to change by tomorrow, and fleet in my arms, Like fairy gifts fading away. Thou wouldst still be adored As this moment thou art. Let thy loveliness fade as it will. And around the dear ruin each wish of my heart, Would entwine itself verdantly still.



When Irish eyes are smiling, Sure it's like a morn in Spring. In the lilt of Irish laughter, you can hear the angels sing. When Irish hearts are happy, all the world seems light and

But when Irish hearts are smiling, sure it steals your heart away.

Mrs MURPHY'S CHOWDER
Who threw the overalls in Mrs Murphy's chowder? Nobody spoke, so he shouted all the louder. It's a Irish trick, that's true. I can lick that mick that threw The overalls in Mrs Murphy's chowder.

YANKEE DOODLE

Yankee Doodle went to London Riding on a pony, Stuck a feather in his hat And called it macaroni. Yankee Doodle keep it up Yankee Doodle Dandy, Mind the music and the step And with the girls be handy. Oh I'm a Yankee Doodle Dandy Yankee Doodle do or die, A real live nephew of my Uncle Sam Born on the Fourth of July.



WHEN THE SAINTS COME MARCHING IN



POLLY WOLLY DOODLE
Oh I went down south for to see my Sal,
Sing Polly Wolly Doodle all the way. My Sally am a spunky gal, Sing Polly Wolly Doodle all the day. Fare thee well, fare thee well, Fare thee well my fairy fay. Oh I'm off to Louisiana, For to see my Susy Anna. Singing Polly Wolly Doodle all the day,

(Repeat) Fare thee well, etc.

OH SUSANNAH I come from Alabama wid my banjo On my knee. I'm gwine to Lousiana my true love For to see. It rained all night de day I left De weather if was dry, De sun so hot I froze to death Susannah don't you cry. Oh Susannah, oh don't you cry for me, I've come from Alabama with my Banjo on my knee.



I wish I was in de land of cotton Old times dar am not forgotten, Look away, look away, look away, Dixie land. In Dixie land whar I was born in Early on one frosty mornin. Look away, lookaway, look away Dixie land Den I wish I was in Dixie, hooray, Hooray.
In Dixie land I'll take my stand
To live and die in Dixie.
Away (away, away (away), Away down south in Dixie Away, away, away down south in



Golden slippers ise gwine to wear

To walk de golden street.

GLORY GLORY HALLELUJAH

Mine eyes have seen the glory
Of the coming of the Lord,
He is tramping out the vintage
Where the grapes of wrath are stored.
He has loosed the fateful lightning Of his terrible swift sword, His Truth is marching on. Glory glory hallelujah, Glory glory hallelujah, Glory glory hallelujah, His soul is marching on.



I'LL BE YOUR SWEETHEART I'll be your sweetheart If you will be mine. All my life I'll be your Valentine. Bluebells we'll gather, Keep them and be true When I'm a man my plan Will be to marry you.

HONEYSUCKLE

You are my honey honeysuckle I am the bee. I'd like to sip the honey sweet From those red lips you see. I love you dearly dearly And I want you to love me. You are my honey honeysuckle I am the bee.

APPLE TREE
In the shade of the old apple tree, Where the love in your eyes I could see, When the voice that I heard Like the song of the bird, Seemed to whisper sweet music to me. I could hear the dull buzz of the bee In the blossoms when you said to me, With a heart that is true I'll be waiting for you, In the shade of the old apple tree.

IF YOU WERE THE ONLY GIRL IN THE WORLD If you were the only girl in the world, And I were the only boy, Nothing else would matter in the world today We could go on loving the same old way.

A Garden of Eden just made for two,

With nothing to mar our joy.

I would say just wonderful things to you, There would be such wonderful things to do. If you were the only girl in the world And I were the only boy.



Then pretty Jane my dearest Jane, Ah never look so shy, But meet me meet me in the evening, While the bloom is on the rye.

TIPTOE THROUGH THE TULIPS Tip toe to the window, the window That is where I'll be Come tiptoe Thru the tulips with me. Tiptoe from your pillow, To the shadow of a willow tree, And tiptoe thru the tulips with me. Knee deep in flowers we'll stray, We'll keep the showers away, And if I kiss you in the garden, In the moonlight, Will you pardon me? Come tiptoe thru the tulips with me.



PUT ON YOUR TATA Put on your tata little girlie Do do what I want you to! Far from the busy hurly-burly I've got lots to say to you. My head's completely twirly-whirly My girl I want you to be, So put on your ta-ta, your pretty little ta-ta And come out a-ta-ta with me.



JUST A SONG AT TWILIGHT Just a song at twilight, When the lights are low, And the flickering shadows Softly come and go. Though the heart be weary, Sad the day and long. Still to us at twilight Comes love's old song Comes love's old sweet song

COME TO THE FAIR The sun is ashining to welcome the day, Heigh-ho Come to the fair. The folk are all singing so merry and gay, Heigh-ho Come to the fair. All the stalls on the green are as fine as can be With trinkets and tokens so pretty to see So it's come then, maidens and men, To the fair in the pride of the morning So deck yourselves out in your finest array, With a heigh-ho Come to the fair.

STRAWBERRY FAIR As I was going to Strawberry Fair Rifol, rifol, tolly diddle ay doh, I met a maiden taking her ware, Folly dee, Her eyes were blue and gold in her hair As she went on to Strawberry Fair. Rifol, rifol, tolly diddle ay doh, Rifol, rifol, tolly diddle dee.

UNCLE TOM COBLEIGH AND ALL Tom Pearce, Tom Pearce, lend me your grey mare All along, down along, out along lee
For I want for to go to Widdicombe Fair
With Bill Brewer, Jan Stewer, Peter Gurney,
Peter Davy, Dan'l Whiddon, Henry Hawke
Old Uncle Tom Cobleigh an all, Old Uncle Tom Cobleigh and all.

And when shall I see again my grey mare? All along, down along out along lee By Friday soon or Saturday noon.



They're changing guard at Buckingham Palace. Christopher Robin went down with Alice.

THE ROAST BEEF OF OLD ENGLAND Since mighty roast beef is an Englishman's food, It accounts for the freedom that runs in his blood, For generous living's the step to all good. Oh, The roast beef of old England!
And oh! The old English roast beef!
Our Fathers of old were robust, stout, and strong, And kept open house with good cheer all day long. Which made their plump tenants rejoice in this song, Oh! The roast beef of old England!

Three cheers for the red white and blue Three cheers for the red white and blue, Three cheers for the army and the navy, Three cheers for the red white and blue.



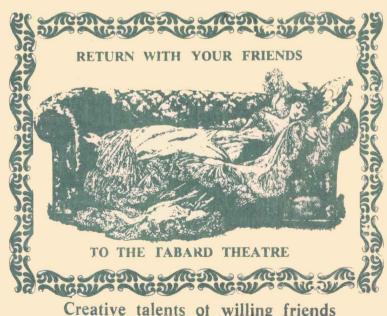
BRITISH GRENADIERS Some talk of Alexander and some of Hercules, Of Hector and Lysander and such great Names as these. But of all the world's brave heroes There's none that can compare, With a tow row row row row row To the British Grenadiers.

Rule Britannia, Britannia rule the waves. Britons never never never shall be slaves

LAND OF HOPE AND GLORY Land of hope and glory Mother of the free, How can we extol thee Who are born of thee. Wider still and wider Shall our bonds be met God who made thee mighty Make thee mightier yet. God who made thee mighty Make thee mightier yet.



JERUSALEM And did those feet in ancient time, Walk upon England's mountains green, And was the Holy Lamb of God on England's Pleasant pastures seen, And did the countenance divine Shine forth upon our clouded hills And was Jerusalem builded here Among these dark santanic mills



Creative talents of willing friends have added to your comfort and enjoyment.

LONDON COCKNEY SCENE 1 Let's all go down the Strand, Let's all go down the Strand, Let's all go down the Strand,
I'll be leader, you can march behind,
Come with me and see what we can find.
Let's all go down the Strand,
Oh what a happy land.
That's the place for fun and noise,
All among the girls and boys,
So let's all go down the Strand.



BULL AND BUSH Come, come, come and make eyes at me Down at the old Bull and Bush Come, come, drink some port wine with me Down at the old Bull and Bush. Hear the little German Band, Just let me hold your hand dear.
Do, do come and have a drink or two
Down at the old Bull and Bush.

TAVERN IN THE TOWN There is a tavern in the town, in the town, And there my true love sits him down, sits him down, And drinks his wine mid laughter free, And never never thinks of me. Fare-thee-well for I must leave thee Do not let this parting grieve thee And remember that the best of friends must Part, must part,
Adieu, adieu kind friends
Adieu, adieu, adieu.
I can no longer stay with you Stay with you.
I'll hang my harp on a weeping
Willow tree, And may the world go well with thee.

BROWN JUG Ha ha ha you and me, Little brown jug don't I love thee, Ha ha ha you and me Little brown jug don't I love thee.

> Sally, Sally, don't ever wander
> Away from the alley and me.
> Sally, Sally, marry me Sally
> And happy forever I'll be.
> When skies are blue you're beguiling.
> When they are grey you're still smiling. Smiling, Sally, Sally pride of our alley

> You're more than the whole world to me.



LONDON PRIDE
London pride has been handed down to us,
London pride is a flower that's free.
London pride means our own dear town to us,
And our pride it for ever will be.
Woa Liza, see the coster barrows
Vegetable marrows, and the fruit piled high.
Woa Liza, little London sparrows.
Covent Garden market where the costers cry.
Cockney feet mark the beat of history,
Every street pins a memory down.
Nothing ever can quite replace the grace of London
London town.

MAYBE IT'S BECAUSE I'M A LONDONER Maybe it's because I'm a Londoner, That I love London so. Maybe it's because I'm a Londoner That I think of her, wherever I go. I get a funny feeling inside of me Just walking up and down. Maybe it's because I'm a Londoner, That I love London Town.

IF YOU'RE IRISH If you're Irish come into the parlour, There's a welcome there for you. If your name is Timothy or Pat, So long as you come from Ireland
There's a welcome on the mat.
If you come from the Mountains of Morne Or Killarney's lakes so blue, Wherever you are you are one of us, Come right in and we'll make a fuss. If you're Irish this is the place for you.

THE ENTIRE & EXTENSIVE PROGRAMME OF ENTERTAINMENT FOR YOUR ENJOYMENT AND EDIFICATION

Introduction

Chairman

LONDON SCENA

Opening Resident Chorus

Comedian de luxe

Mr BARRY GARLAND "I Parted my Hair in the Middle"

"Somnambulist"

THE MORALITY SONGSTERS:

Madame LEE LOCKYER "Always Take Mother's Advice"

Miss RUTH TURNER "A Mother's Appeal to Her Boy"

Miss JILLIAN SWEENEY "The Gypsy's Warning"

Mr HAROLD UNSWORTH Scotia Songster Supreme "I'm Fou the Noo"

Madame VALARIE SHAW Statuesque Artiste par excellence

"When Song is Sweet"

IRISH SCENA

County Cork Chorale

Madame MOYRA BEWLEY Scintillating Serio-Comic

"The Simple Little Maiden"

Mr WAYNE LISTER "The Spaniard That Blighted My Life" The Incomparable Comic King

Madame CHRISTINA GALE Musetta's Waltz Song World renowned Singer of Opera

AMERICAN SCENA The International Vaudeville Ensemble

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"The Road to Mandalay"

The Internationally famed heroic bass baritone

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"Archibald, Certainly Not"

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Titillating Terpsichorians and Chorus

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"The English Rose"

Mr HAROLD UNSWORTH

"The Pigtail of Li Fang Fu"

Mr PAUL WARING Star of Opera

"A Welcome in the Hillside"

Mrs JAN WARK

Comic of Considerable Consequence

"It's All Right in the Summertime"

FINALE: A Poignant Patriotic Salute to the Throne
The Ensemble

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