

PROSCENIUM

Season 1953/4

EAST OF SUEZ

by W. SOMERSET MAUGHAM

Friday, April 30th and Saturday, May 1st

IN THIS HALL

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*Ring Round  
the Moon*

by

JEAN ANOUILH

adapted by

CHRISTOPHER FRY

Presented by

PROSCENIUM

Friday, Feb. 26 & Saturday, Feb. 27 1954

4D.

# RING ROUND THE MOON

*A Charade with Music*

by JEAN ANOUILH

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**Characters in order of appearance:**

**Joshua**, a crumbling butler . . . . . RONALD BLOOM  
**Hugo**, a young man-about-town . . . . . RODERICK JONES  
**Frederic**, his twin brother, in love with . . . RODERICK JONES  
**Diana Messerschmann**, engaged to Frederic,  
secretly in love with Hugo . JOAN HARRINGTON  
**Lady India**, Messerschmann's mistress,  
secretly in love with . KATHLEEN JONES  
**Patrice Bombelles**,  
Messerschmann's private Secretary . DEREK LEROY  
**Madame Desmortes**, Aunt to Hugo,  
Frederic and Lady India . MARGARET RENDLE  
**Capulet**, her faded companion . . . . . WENDY HAWKINS  
**Messerschmann**,  
a melancholy millionaire . GEORGE WOOLLANDS  
**Romainville**, a lepidopterist, Patron of . . . . JOHN GOBEY  
**Isabelle**, a ballet dancer . . . . . SHIRLEY EDGE  
**Her Mother**, a teacher of the pianoforte . . . . JOYCE GOBEY  
**A General** . . . . . HASLETT CONNOR  
**Maids** . . . . . MARIAN RENDLE  
SEONAIID MACDONALD

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The play produced by GEORGE W. WOOLLANDS

## SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

The action of the play passes in a Winter Garden in Spring.

ACT 1. Scene 1. Morning.

Scene 2. The same evening. Before the Ball.

ACT 2. The same evening. The Ball.

ACT 3. Scene 1. The same evening. After supper.

Scene 2. Dawn.

There will be an interval of ten minutes between each act.

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**Scene designed by Michael Davies**

**Costumes designed by Myfanwy May**

Wigs by Nathanwigs.

Invalid chair kindly loaned by Mount Vernon Hospital.

Lighting by Strand Electric & Eng. Co.

Music selected and arranged by Denis Grist.

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**Stage Manager** . . . . . HERBERT CHUBB

**Asst. Stage Manager** . . . . . SEONAIID MACDONALD

**Wardrobe Mistress** . . . . . MYFANWY MAY

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