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The Recruiting Officer

by

George Farquhar

Presented by

PROSCENIUM

May 7, 8 & 9, 1959

6d.

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A COMEDY

By **GEORGE FARQUHAR**

Mr. Balance	} Two Justices	...	DENIS GRIST
Mr. Scale		...	GEORGE WOOLLANDS
Mr. Worthy, a Gentleman of Shropshire			ROY JACKSON
Captain Plume	} Two Recruiting Officers		BARRY BROWN
Captain Brazen			DEREK LEROY
Kite, Sergeant to Plume		...	RODERICK JONES
Drummer		...	CHRISTOPHER TANNER
Bullock		...	SAM THORNTON
Costar Pearmain		...	LAWRENCE SMITH
Thomas Appletree		...	OWEN CHAPPELL
Pluck, a Butcher		...	HASLETT CONNOR
Constable		...	CHRISTOPHER TANNER
First Prisoner		...	HASLETT CONNOR
Second Prisoner		...	LAWRENCE SMITH
Serving Boy		...	IAN HENLEY
Melinda, a Lady of Fortune		...	KATHLEEN JONES
Silvia, Daughter to Balance, in love with Plume			BARBARA SIDDALL
Lucy, Melinda's Maid		...	MARY WARNER
Rose		...	JEAN ABRAHAM
Maid to Mr. Balance		...	JULIA PEARCE
Wife to First Prisoner		...	RUTH COOK

Play produced by JOHN M. GOBEY.

The action of the play takes place in and near Shrewsbury.

ACT I

Scene 1 The Street.
 Scene 2 Melinda's Apartment.
 Scene 3 Justice Balance's House.
 Scene 4 The Street.

ACT II

Scene 1 The Street.
 Scene 2 The Walk by the River.
 Scene 3 The same.
 Scene 4 A Chamber.

ACT III

Scene 1 Justice Balance's House.
 Scene 2 Melinda's Apartment.
 Scene 3 The Street.
 Scene 4 A Court of Justice.
 Scene 5 The Fields.
 Scene 6 Justice Balance's House.

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

The Ladies' and other Costumes by PROSCENIUM,
 under the direction of RENÉE PEARSON.

Uniforms, etc., by CHAS. H. FOX and M. & J. LUXTON.
 Wigs by BERT. Curtains by KING OF TABS.

Music arranged by DENIS GRIST.

Additional Lighting by STRAND ELECTRIC & ENG. Co. Ltd.

Period Furniture by BULLEN'S LTD.

Stage Manager PATRICIA SMITH

Assistant Stage Managers ROBIN ANDREWS
 RUTH COOK

Lighting PETER GREAVES

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