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PRINCE'S THEATRE BRADFORD

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MONDAY, JULY 30th and during the week

Twice Nightly at 5.45 and 8.0 p.m.

HARRY HANSON

(For Penge Court Players Ltd.)

presents

The Court Players

in

"THE TRIAL OF MARY DUGAN"

By Bayard Veiller

WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY, JULY 30th, 1956

The Court Players

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Cast:

(in the order of their appearance)

Court Attendant 1	JACK MIDGELEY
Court Attendant 2	THOMAS CAYGILL
Court Stenographer	MARGARET BROOK
Clerk of the Court	RONALD ELMS
Doctor Welcome (Medical Examiner)	BRIAN BAINES
James Madison (Lift Boy)	WILLIAM LINFOOT
Edward West (Mary Dugan's Attorney)	GEORGE WOOLLEY
Police Inspector Hunt	BRIAN HEWITT-JONES
District Attorney Galway	MARTIN CARROLL
Mary Dugan (known as Mona Tree)	ANN KENNEDY
Judge Nash	CYRIL SPENCER
Pauline Agguerro	DOREEN BOWER
Police Captain Price	DOEL LUSCOMBE
Dagmar Lorne (of the Follies)	JEAN KITSON
May Harris (of the Scandals)	MARY BROPHY
Jimmie Dugan	AUSTIN STEELE
Mrs. Edgard Rice	SYLVIA MELVILLE
Patrick Kearney	JOHN BUFFHAM
Marie Ducrot	JILL HIXON
Henry Plaisted	F. ASKEY

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Synopsis of Scenes:

The action of the play takes place in the Court Room. Part 31 of the Supreme Court.

ACT ONE
THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE TRIAL

INTERVAL

ACT TWO
THE NEXT MORNING

INTERVAL

ACT THREE
ONE HOUR LATER

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THE PLAY PRODUCED BY DOEL LUSCOMBE

The Settings designed and painted by CLARENCE RAYNER

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Stage Director	RONALD ELMS
Stage Manager	DOREEN BOWER

(For Harry Hanson)

At the Piano : ARCHIE MOZLEY who will play :
Polonaise in C Sharp Minor (Chopin) :: Bitter Sweet
In A Monastery Garden

The Management reserve the right to make any alteration in the cast which may be rendered necessary by illness or other cause.

NEXT WEEK : The Evergreen Romantic Comedy

"PADDY, THE NEXT BEST THING"

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ABOUT NEXT WEEK'S PLAY

Next week's play is a story of a girl who really should have been a boy if her father's wishes had been granted, but they were not and the little stranger was therefore known as "Paddy the next best thing".

Paddy had a loyal heart with all her hoydenish ways and when she found that Laurence Blake, who was supposed to be in love with her sister Eileen was paying her more attention than circumstances warranted, she snubbed him unmercifully. Well, you know what comes of snubbing a member of the opposite sex in all well-regulated love stories, and this story is no exception to the rule. It is all good fun and this revival of "Paddy" should prove welcome to the "PRINCES" Audiences.

SYLVIA MELVILLE

Sylvia Melville comes of an old theatrical family, her Father and Grandfather ran their own Companies for many years. Although Sylvia has never had a "permanent" home she can count herself a Yorkshirewoman. She met Martin Carroll, her husband in Huddersfield, was married in Bridlington and her daughter Janet was born in Leeds. Sylvia made her first stage appearance at the age of three weeks in a play called "Muldoon's Picnic"—her first speaking part at four years old in "Home Sweet Home" and on leaving school she joined one of her Father's companies where she did every job in the Theatre thereby gaining valuable experience. She played in various Repertory Companies, Pantomimes, and Touring Plays before joining "THE COURT PLAYERS" in 1942 and has remained with Mr. Hanson since then apart for a period with E.N.S.A. in 1945 when she toured Germany, France and Belgium in Shaw's "Pygmalion". Sylvia's hobbies are reading, walking and cooking but her favourite occupation is playing a good part to an appreciative audience.



NEWS FLASH! It's good to see George Woolley back again after his rest. A welcome, too, to the members of the Bradford Amateur Societies who have come along to play for us this week.

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