

# THE OLD VIC THEATRE

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THE OLD VIC COMPANY

## A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM

William Shakespeare

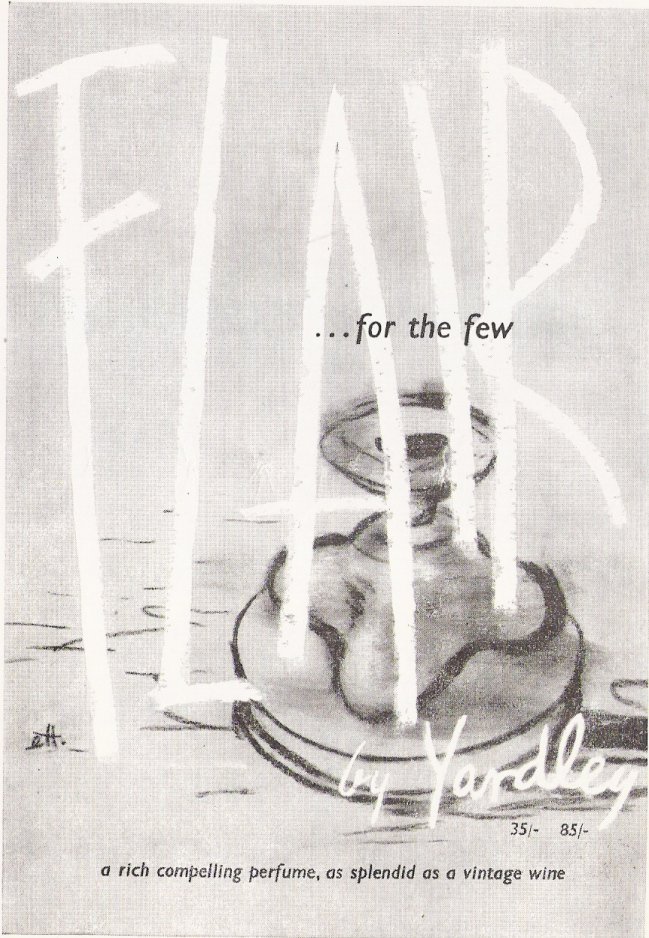
Director of The Old Vic :  
TYRONE GUTHRIE

Administrative Director :  
HUGH HUNT

Produced at the Old Vic Theatre on Wednesday, December 26th, 1951

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## PARTY BOOKING

The habit of party booking is becoming more and more a feature of modern theatre-going. Patrons living a little outside London find that by gathering together a group of friends and acquaintances and by engaging coach transport, a visit to the theatre becomes less costly and may be enjoyed in greater comfort with the convenience of "door-to-door" transportation.

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### "THE TWO GENTLEMEN OF VERONA"

The Management is pleased to announce that "The Two Gentlemen of Verona" will be presented at this Theatre by the Bristol Old Vic Company for two weeks from Tuesday, February 19th. The production will be by Denis Carey, Director of the Bristol Old Vic, and the Company will include Laurence Payne, Pamela Alan, Michael Aldridge, Newton Blick and John Neville, with sets and costumes by Hutchinson Scott. This is an opportunity not only to see a Shakespeare play of great charm, which is rarely performed, but also to welcome to its parent Theatre a Company which has established a reputation in the West of England of which it may be justly proud.

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During the run of "A Midsummer Night's Dream," these two plays are being presented on an extensive tour of Northern Europe and the Scandinavian countries, including Finland. "King Lear" will have its first performance at the Vic on the 3rd March and will then be played in repertory with "The Clandestine Marriage" for five weeks. Stephen Murray plays *King Lear*, Freda Jackson *Goneril*, Coral Browne *Regan* and André Morell *Kent*. The producer is Hugh Hunt and the designer Reece Pemberton.

Particulars of the performances of these two plays are in the programme leaflets, which are obtainable in the vestibule.

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