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 Alexis — his son Atti Bianco
 Dr. Daly Graham Saunders
 Notary Deryck Garner
 John Wellington Wells Paul Bianco
 Lady Sangazure Sadie Taylor
 Aline — her daughter Margaret Harvey
 Mrs. Partlett Brenda Wrigglesworth
 Constance — her daughter Susan Mole

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Concert for Christmas

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MUSICAL CONTENTS

ACT I

Overture	
The Air is charged	Dr. Daly
Time was when love	Dr. Daly
Ring forth ye Bells	Chorus
Constance my daughter	Mrs. Partlett & Constance
When he is here	Constance
Minuet	Sir Marmaduke, Dr. Daly & Alexis
With heart and with voice	Chorus
Happy young Heart	Aline
With heart and with voice	Chorus
Welcome Joy	Lady Sangazure & Sir Marmaduke
All is prepared	Chorus
For love alone	Alexis
My name is John Wellington Wells	Wells
Incantation	Alexis, Wells, Aline & Chorus
Now to the Banquet we press	Ensemble

ACT II

Trio & Chorus	Aline, Alexis, Wells & Chorus
Dear Friends	Ensemble
It is not love	Alexis
I rejoice	Aline, Alexis, Dr. Daly, Sir Marmaduke & Mrs. Partlett
Oh I have wrought such evil	Lady Sangazure & Wells
Alexis doubt me not	Aline
Engaged to so-and-so	Dr. Daly
Oh joyous boon	Ensemble
Prepare now for sad surprises	Alexis
Finale	Ensemble


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A year later they were to see the production of 'The Sorcerer' based on this piece with the music written by A. S. Sullivan. The Sorcerer was the beginning of what were to become the Savoy Operas and in it was the start of the characterisations which were to become the hallmark of their music; the beginning of typecasting—the major generals, the haughty ladies, the beautiful maidens. Gilbert & Sullivan had decided to disregard the grand operatic voices and popular West End actors and cast people who could do justice to the words as well as the music. The story of a magic potion administered to the people of Ploverleigh and the strange things that befall make for a light operatic production. The Society trust that you enjoy this new form of production of a little performed work and look forward to your continued support.

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