

THE MARPLE DRAMATIC AND LITERARY SOCIETY
LIST OF FULL LENGTH PRODUCTIONS GIVEN BY THE SOCIETY

1906/7	The Rivals	Sheridan	
1907/8	She Stoops to Conquer	Goldsmith	
	Pillars of Society	Ibson	
	The Devils Disciple	Shaw	G.B.
1908/9	The Miser	Moliere	G
	Twelfth Night	Shakespeare	Wm
	Charity	Gilbert	W S
1909/10	Arms and the Man	Shaw	G.B.
	The Merry Wives of Windsor	Shakespeare	Wm
	Joy	Goldsworthy	J
1910/11	John Bulls Other Island	Shaw	G B
	The Merchant of Venice	Shakespeare	Wm
	The Silver Box	Goldsworthy	J
	The Building Fund	Boyle	Wm
1911/12	Civil War	Dukes	Ashley
	You Never Can Tell	Shaw	G.B.
	The School for Scandal	Sheridan	
	Dealing in Futures	Brighthouse	
	David Ballard	McEvoy	Chas
1912/13	What the Public Wants	Bennett	
	As You Like It	Shakespeare	Wm
	The Fountain	Calderon	
1913/14	A Dolls House	Ibson	
	The Tempest	Shakespeare	Wm
	Caste	Robertson	
	The Younger Generation	Houghton	
	The Street	Williams	A R
1914/15	She Stoops to Conquer	Goldsmith	
	The Amateur Socialist	Tarpey	Kingsley
	The Tragedy of Nan	Masefield	
1915/16	Undercurrents	Hills	Ross
1918/20	Young Imeson	Gregson	
	The Mock Doctor	Moliere	
	The Builder of Bridges	Sutro	
1920/21	The Two Mr Wetherbys	Hankin	
	Twelfth Night	Shakespeare	Wm
1921/22	The Whiteheaded Boy	Robinson	
	Midsummer Nights Dream	Shakespeare	Wm
	The Vale of Content	Suderman	
1922/23	The Trial of Charles the First	Norbury	H
	The Silver Box	Galsworthy	J
	King Lear at Hordle	Gilbert	
1923/24	The Romantic Young Lady	Sierra	M
	Andromache	Murray	G
	Thompson	Hankin & Galderon	
1924/25	T Marsdens	Gregson	
	Ayuli	Binyon	
	Androcles and the Lion	Shaw	G.B.
1925/26	Pygmalion	Shaw	G.B.
	Midsummer Fire	Suderman	
1926/27	The Skin Game	Gulsworthy	
	The Merry Wives of Windsor	Shakespeare	Wm
	Magic	Chesterton	G.K.
1927/28	The Devils Disciple	Shaw	G.B.
	The Great Adventure	Bennett	A.
1928/29	The Devil a Saint	Gregson	
	The Education of Mr Surrage	Monkhouse	
	You Never Can Tell	Shaw	G.B.
	Robin Hood	Panto	
1929/30	Young Imeson	Gregson	

	The Runaway Princess	Gregson	
	Caesar and Cleopatra	Shaw	G.B.
1930/31	Major Barbara	Shaw	G.B.
	What's Become of the Fairies	Juniors Sect	
	The Tempest	Shakespeare	Wm
	The Cradle Song	Sierra	M
	The Fools Errand	Housman	
1931/32	Doctor Knock	Romain	J.
	Aladdin	Panto Junior Section	
	The Man With a Load of Mischief	Dukes	A.
	Loyalties	Gulsworthy	
1932/33	The Dover Road	Milne	A.A.
	Katawampus	Junior Section	
	Sarah Ann Holds Fast	Owen	
	The Celebrity	Jerome	
1933/34	The First Mrs Fraser	Ervine	
	The Bluebird	Maeterlink - Junior Section	
	Letitia Meets the Family	Hills	R.
	The White Blackbird	Robinson	
	She Passed Through Lorraine	Hale	
1934/35	A Democrat From Debrett	Gregson	
	Tangles	Junior Section	
	The Great Broxopp	Milne	A.A.
	Fannys First Play	Shaw	G.B.
1935/36	Hail Nero	Mrs Stocks	
	The Old Man	Wallace	E.
	A Royal Jester	Junior Section	
	Mrs Moonlight	Levy	Dan
	Les Cloches de Cornville	Planquette (an opera)	
1936/37	Bird in Hand	Drinkwater	
	The Rebel Maid	Phillips (an opera)	
	Dick Whittington	Panto Junior Section	
	Genius At Home	Drew	E.
1937/38	London Wall	Van Druten	
	Florodora	Stuart (an opera)	
	What Every Woman Knows	Barrie	J.M.
	Babes in the Wood	Panto Junior Section	
	The Mocking Bird	Hale	L.
1938/39	When Knights Were Bold	Jay	H.
	Sixteen	Stuart	A. & P.
	Our Peg	Simpson (an opera)	
	Storm in a Teacup	Bridie	
1939/40	The Devil a Saint	Gregson	
1944/45	Tons of Money	Evans & Valentine	
	Suspect	Percy & Denham	
1945/46	Ambrose Applejohns Adventure	Hackett	
	Ladies in Retirement	Percy & Denham	
	Goldilocks	Panto Junior Section	
	Rebecca	du Maurier	D.
1947/48	Fresh Fields	Novello	
	Lady Killer	Campion	
	Young Mrs Barrington	Strode	C.
	George and Margaret	Savory	
	Gay Japan	Junior Section	
1948/49	Arsenic and Old Lace	Kesselring	
	Shop At Sly Corner	Percy	
	Sleeping Beauty	Panto Junior Section	
	While The Sun Shines	Rattigan	T.
	Double Door	McFadden	Eliz.
1949/50	See How They Run	King	Philip
	The Guinea Pig	Strode	C.
	Humpty Dumpty	Panto Junior Section	
	The Cure For Love	Greenwood	
	Grand National Night	Stuart	A. & P.
	The Chiltern Hundreds	Douglas Home	Wm.

1950/51	Tony Draws a Horse	Storm	L.
	The Paragon	Pertwee	R. & M.
	Little Red Riding Hood	Panto Junior Section	
	The Bridge of Estoban	Swinson	A.
	Boulevard	Revue - Junior Section	
1951/52	Night Must Fall	Williams	
	Jack and the Beanstalk	Panto Junior Section	
	Two Dozen Red Roses	Horne	K.
	Hindle Wakes	Houghton	
1952/53	Don't Listen Ladies	Guitry	S.
	Madelaine	Campion	C.
	Ali-Baba	Panto Junior Section	
	Jane Steps Out	Horne	K.
	Safe Harbour	Harper	B.
	Yank in Lancashire	Bell	W.
1953/54	The Hollow	Christie	A.
	Sarah Ann Hold's Fast	Owen	Armitage
	Dick Whittington	Panto Junior Section	
	The White Sheep of the Family	du Garde Peach	L.
	Roger Downs	Duckworth	H.A.
	Promenade	Revue - Junior Section	
1954/55	Home at Seven	Sherriff	R.C.
	When We Are Married	Priestley	J.B.
	Cinderella	Panto Junior section	
	Castle In The Air	Melville	Alan
	A Bit o'Peace and Quiet	Vickers	John
	The Importance Of Being Earnest	Wilde	Oscar
1955/6	As Long as They're Happy	Sylvaine	V.
	Trial and Error	Horne	K.
	Puss in Boots	Panto Junior Sect.	
	Job for the Boy	Driscoll	D.
	Waiting for Gillian	Miller	R.
	Carvercade	Revue Junior Sect.	
1956/7	Playbill	Rattigan	T.
	Too Many Cooks	Douglas	A.
	Jumping for Joy	Revue Junior Sect.	
	Blithe Spirit	Coward	N.
	Reluctant Heroes	Morris	C.
1957/8	This Happy Breed	Coward	N.
	The Love Match	Melvyn	G.
	Jack and Jill	Panto Junior Sect.	
	Intent to Murder	Sands	L.
	Simon and Laura	Melville	A.
1958/9	The Reluctant Debutante	Home	W.D.
	The Whole Truth	Mackie	P.
	Aladdin	Panto Junior Sect.	
	Seagulls Over Sorrento	Hastings	H.
	Book of the Month	Thomas	B.
1959/60	On Monday Next	King	P.
	The Chalk Garden	Bagnold	E.
	Goody Two Shoes	Panto Junior Sect.	
	Night Was Our Friend	Pertwee	M.
	Cure For Love	Greenwood	W.
	Sleeping Partnership	Home	K.
1960/1	The Bride and the Bachelor	Millar	R.
	The House by the Lake	Mills	H.
	Mother Goose	Panto Junior Sect.	
	Breath of Spring	Coke	P.
	Sailor Beware	King & Cary	
1961/2	Fools' Paradise	Coke	P.
	Friends and Neighbours	Steele	A.
	Robinson Crusoe	Panto Junior Sect.	
	Dear Delinquent	Popplewell	J.
	Watch It, Sailor	King & Cary	
1962/3	Pool's Paradise	King	P.

	When We Are Married	Priestlet	J.B.
	Cinderella	Panto Junior Sect.	
	The Boy Friend	Wilson	S.
1963/4	The Happy Marriage	Clements	J.
	Celebration	Waterhouse & Hall	
	Goldilocks	Panto Junior Sect.	
	Something to Hide	Sands	L.
	A Letter from the General	McLoughlin	M.
1964/5	No No Nanette	Mandal, Harbach, Caesar & Youmans	
	Beauty and the Beast	Panto Junior Sect.	
	Brush With a Body	McLoughlin	M.
	Rape of the Belt	Levy	B.W.
1965/6	My Three Angels	Spewack	S. & V.
	Sinbad the Sailor	Panto Junior Sect.	
	The Amorous Prawn	Kimmins	A.
	Goodnight Mrs. Puffin	Lovegrove	A.
1966/7	Lord Arthur Savile's Crime	Cox	C.
	Wizard of Oz	Baum, Harburg & Arlen	
	Tell Tale Murder	Weathers	F.
	The Love Match	Melvyn	G.
	A Midsummer Night's Dream	Shakespeare	W.
1967/8	No Time for Fig Leaves	Greenwood & King	
	Dick Whittington	Panto Junior Sect.	
	An Inspector Calls	Priestley	J.B.
	Hay Fever	Coward	N.
	Free as Air	Reynolds & Slade	
1968/9	Bonaventur	Hastings	C.
	John Willy & the Bee People	Cullen	A.
	Trap for a Lonely Man	Thomas	R.
	Mary Mary	Kerr	T.
	Rattle of a Simple Man	Dyer	C.
1969/70	Say Who You Are	Waterhouse & Hall	
	Babes in the Wood	Panto Junior Sect.	
	A Taste of Honey	Dahl	R.
	Wait Until Dark	Knott	F.
	Rally Revue		
1970/1	Boeing Boeing	Camoletti	M.
	Ladykiller	Campion	C.
	Sleeping Beauty	Panto Junior Sect.	
	Hostile Witness	Roffey	J.
	Relatively Speaking	Ayckbourn	A.
1971/2	Your Money or Your Life	Bannister	A.
	Spring and Port Wine	Naughton	W.
	Rumpelstiltskin	Panto Junior Sect.	
	Go Bang Your Tambourine	King	P.
	Bell, Book and Candle	Van Druten	J.
1972/3	She Stoops to Conquer	Goldsmith	O.
	Every Other Evening	Campaux	F.
	Toad of Toad Hall	Junior Section	
	I'll Get My Man	King	P.
	Semi-Detached	Turner	D.
1973/4	Present Laughter	Coward	N.
	The Man Most Likely To	Rayburn	J.
	Cinderella	Panto Junior Sect.	
	The Vigil	Fodor	
	Birds on the Wing	Veldham	P.
1974/5	How the Other Half Loves	Ayckbourn	A.
	Murder in Company	King & Bolland	
	Aladdin	Panto Junior Sect.	
	Hobson's Choice	Brighthouse	H.
	The Killing of Sister George	Marcus	F.
1975/6	The Secretary Bird	Home	R.D.
	Suddenly at Home	Durbridge	F.
	Pinnochio	Way	B.

	Ring Round the Moon	Anouilh	J.
	When We Are Married	Priestley	J.B.
1976/7	Rookery Nook	Travers	B.
	The Day After the Fair	Harvey	F.
	Mother Goose	Morgan	V.
	Separate Tables	Rattigan	T.
	Move Over Mrs.Markham	Cooney & Chapman	
1977/8	All Things Bright and Beautiful	Waterhouse & Hall	
	Who Killed Santa Claus	Feely	J.
	Jack and the Beanstalk	Morgan	V.
	Ladies in Retirement	Percy & Dinham	
	The Patrick Pearse Motel	Leonard	H.
1978/9	Summer of the Seventeenth Doll	Lawler	R.
	Habeas Corpus	Bennett	A.
	Sinbad the Sailor	Morgan	V.
	A Ghost on Tiptoe	Morley & Sissons	
	See How They Run	King	P.
1979/80	Not Now Darling	Cooney & Chapman	
	Red Riding Hood	Ward	M.
	The Crucible	Miller	A.
	Two and Two Make Sex	Harris & Darbon	
1980/1	Time and Time Again	Ayckbourn	A.
	All in Good Time	Naughton	W.
	Snow White & the Seven Dwarfs	Braham White	
	Cause Celebre	Rattigan	T.
	Getting On	Bennett	A.
1981/2	Don't Just Lie There Say Something	Pertwee	M.
	Someone Waiting	Williams	E.
	Cinderella	Robbins	N.
	Gigi	Collette & Loos A.	
	The Cure For Love	Greenwood	W.
1982/3	There Goes the Bride	Cooney & Chapman	
	Last of the Red Hot Lovers	Simon	N.
	Robinson Crusoe	Pantomime	
	Little Boxes	Bowen	J.
	Ten Times Table	Ayckbourn	A.
1983/4	On Approval	Lonsdale	F.
	Murder in Mind	Feely	J.
	Babes in the Wood	Morgan	V.
	The Accrington Pals	Whelan	P.
	Barefoot in the Park	Simon	N.
1984/5	Blithe Spirit	Coward	N.
	Death Trap	Levin	I.
	Dick Whittington	Caddy	L.H.
	The Diary of Anne Frank	Goodrich & Hackett	
	Outside Edge	Harris	R.
1985/6	Bedful of Foreigners	Freeman	D.
	Season's Greetings	Ayckbourn	A.
	There Was an Old Woman	Wood	D.
	The Dresser	Harwood	R.
	Bonny Brid	Church	M.
	Educating Rita	Russell	W.
1986/7	The Anniversary	MacIlwraith	W.
	The Exorcism	Taylor	D.
	Aladdin	Caddy	L.H.
	Cider With Rosie	Darke	N.
	Rebecca	du Maurier	D.
1987/8	California Suite	Simon	N.
	Pack of Lies	Whitemore	H.
	Humpty Dumpty	Bewley	G.
	84, Charing Cross Road	Hanff	H.
	Move Over Mrs.Markham	Cooney & Chapman	
1988/9	And a Nightingale Sang	Taylor	C.P.
	Deadly Nightcap	Durbridge	F.
	Cinderella	Bewley	G.

	Arms and the Man	Shaw	G.B.
	Who Goes Bare	Harris & Darbon	
	Charlie & the Chocolate Factory	Dahl	R.
	Seven Years Solitary	Broughton	J.& A.
1989/90	Out of Sight, Out of Murder	Carmichael	F.
	Love on the Dole	Gow & Greenwood	
	Jack & the Beanstalk	Hall	R.
	Breezblock Park	Russell	W.
	Stepping Out	Harris	R.
	The Snow Queen	Magito & Weil	
1990/1	Shock	Clemens	B.
	Noises Off	Frayn	M.
	Goldilocks & the Three Bears	Marlowe	R.
	The Corn is Green	Williams	E.
	Daisy Pulls It Off	Deagan	D.
	Our Day Out	Russell	W.
1991/2	French Without Tears	Rattigan	T.
	Veronica's Room	Levin	I.
	Babes in the Wood	Lodge	D.
	And a Little Love Besides	Plater	A.
	A Chorus of Disapproval	Ayckbourn	A.
1992/3	Dangerous Obsession	Crisp	N.J.
	The Farndale Avenue Housing Estate Townswomen's Guild Dramatic Society		
	Murder Mystery	McGillivray & Zerlin	
	Rumpelstilzkin	Robbins	N.
	The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie	Presson Allen	J.
	Tons of Money adapted by	Ayckbourn	A.
	Old Time Music Hall	Lodge	D.
1993/4	I'll Be Back Before Midnight	Colley	P.
	Celebration	Waterhouse & Hall	
	Pinocchio	Swan	D.
	Hard Times	Dickens	C.
	Bedroom Farce	Ayckbourn	A.
1994/5	One for the Road	Russell	W.
	The Importance of Being Earnest	Wilde	O.
	Sleeping Beauty	Hall	R.
	Edge of Darkness	Clemens	B.
	Run for Your Wife	Cooney	R.
	Let the People Sing	Lodge	D.
1995/6	On Golden Pond	Thompson	E.
	Hobson's Choice	Brighouse	H.
	Frankenstein - the Panto	Swann	D.
	Out of Order	Cooney	R.
	The Chalk Garden	Bagnold	E.
1996/7	Relatively Speaking	Ayckbourn	A.
	An Inspector Calls	Priestley	J.B.
	Beauty and the Beast	Hills	R.
	Twelfth Night	Shakespeare W.	
	See How They Run	King	P.
1997/8	Business of Murder	Harris	R.
	When We Are Married	Priestley	J.B.
	A Christmas Carol	Dickens adapted by	Lodge
	It Runs in the Family	Cooney	R.
	The Winslow Boy	Rattigan	T.
1998/9	A Passionate Woman	Mellor	K.
	Breaking the Code	Whitemore	H.
	Wizard of Oz - the Panto	Caddy	L.
	Hindle Wakes	Houghton	S.
	Cold Comfort Farm	Doust	
1999/2000	The Cemetery Club	Menchell	I.
	Shadowlands	Nicholson	W.
	Hickory Dickory & the Millenium Bug	Sperinck	J.
	Time and the Conways	Priestley	J.B..
	Funny Money	Cooney	R.
	Summer Showcase	Junior Section	

2000/1	Murder by Misadventure	Taylor	E.
	Jane Eyre	Charlotte Bronte adapted by Jerome H.	
	Twinkle Twinkle Little Star	Buchanan-Smith	M.
	We Found Love and an Exquisite set of Porcelain Figurines		
	Aboard the SS Farndale Avenue	McGillivray & Zerlin	
	Dancing at Lughnasa	Friel	B.
2001/2	Two	Cartwright	J.
	My Cousin Rachel	du Maurier adapted by Morgan	
	Cinderella	Sperinck	J.
	Disposing of the Body	Whitemore	H.
	The Steamie	Roper	A.
2002/3	Bazaar and Rummage	Townsend	S.
	Gaslight	Hamilton	P.
	Dick Whittington	Sperinck	J.
	Amy's View	Hare	D.
	Rumours	Simon	N.
2003/4	A Month of Sundays	Larbey	B.
	Haywire	Chappell	E.
	Aladdin	Swan	D.
	The Memory of Water	Stephenson	S.
	Neville's Island	Firth	T.
2004/5	Steel Magnolias	Harling	R.
	The Real Inspector Hound and After Magritt	Stoppard	T.
	Jack and the Beanstalk	Denyer	P.
	Dead Guilty	Harris	R.
	The Odd Couple (Female version)	Simon	N.
2005/6	Caught in the Net	Cooney	R.
	Season's Greetings	Ayckbourn	A.
	Snow White and the 7 Dwarfs	Wilson	R.
	Murdered to Death	Gordon	P.
	All of You Mine	Cameron	R.
2006/7	Don't Dress for Dinner	Camoletti	Marc
	Spring and Port Wine	Naughton	Bill
	Babes in the Wood	Panto Junior Section	
	Cat's Cradle	Sands	Leslie
	Humble Boy	Jones	C.