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PRODUCER'S NOTE

This distinctive form of British Theatre has been associated with Yuletide entertainment by generations of children and is a source of nostalgic memories for all of us when recalling Christmasses of yesteryear.

This year's presentation of OLD MOTHER HUBBARD, like all other pantos' has no 'message' for the pseudo-intellectuals, no 'protest' innuendos — just a very sincere wish to entertain you. Should there be an animal lover among you in the audience who takes offence at Chump's and Roland's remark that "Woof" ought to be shot — please be assured that this is only poetic licence — they wouldn't harm a hair on his head, for really they are a pair of old 'softies' at heart, and love "Woof" as much as we all do.

Like all fairy tales, this play has a happy ending, but before I close I would like to take this opportunity of extending my most grateful thanks not only to the cast for all the hard work and time they put in at rehearsals, but also to the 'back room boffins' — better known as the 'back-stage workers' — who are never seen by you, but without whom there would be no show.

And to you our audience, thank you for joining us here this evening; and now all you have to do is sit back, relax and have a jolly good laugh.

A Merry Christmas to you all

Sincerely

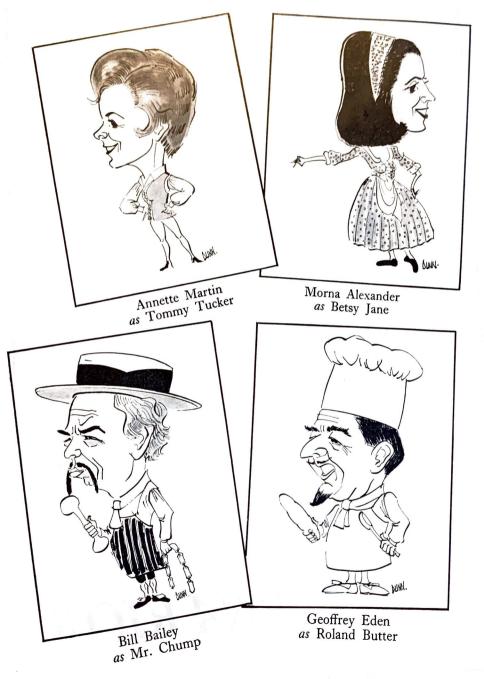


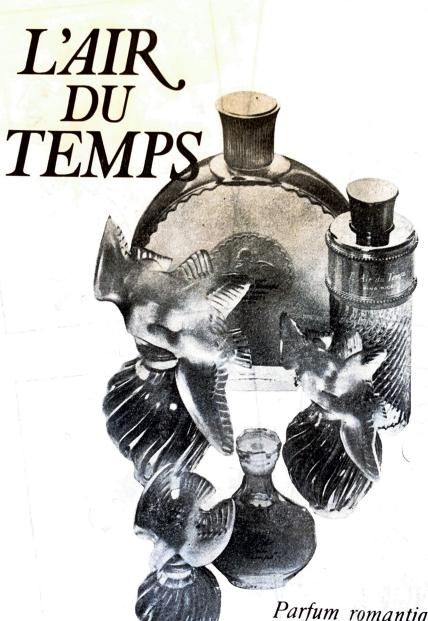
Dorothy Hart-Baker





Andrew Watson as "Woof"





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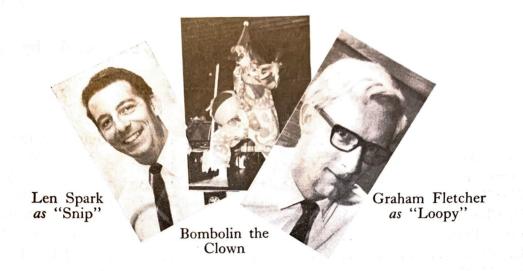


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Back row (left to right) Cynthia Maris, June Ryan, Shelagh Dewar Penny Shawe,

Erica Bridgman.

Centre (left to right) Patrick Romer, Peter Hollister, Alan Ashley, Leonard Beaty, Tony Maris.

Front row (left to right) Sylvia Quinby, Francesca Innes.

OLD MOTHER HUBBARD

Produced by DOROTHY HART-BAKER

CAST Betsy Jane Morna Alexander Tommy Tucker Annette Martin "Woof" Mr. Chump Andrew Watson Roland Butter Geoffrey Eden Mr. Toddy Miss Pippin Maureen Devereux Miss Hetty "Snip" the Tailor "Loopy" the Hatter "Nick" the Barber "Nock" the Cobbler Senor Sfitza Clowns Bombolin & Leonard Beaty. Madame Angelica and her Dancing Bear Francesca Innes George Thomson Strong Man Leonard Beaty Daffy the Cow Alan Ashley Peter Hollister Adolf & Alphonso Chorus Erica Bridgman, June Ryan, Shelagh Dewar, Cynthia Maris, Pat Fletcher, Penny Shawe, Sylvia Quinby, Francesca Innes. Peter Hollister, Tony Maris, Leonard Beaty, Brian Barker, Alan Ashley, Patrick Romer. Amanda Roberts, Judith Starling, Margaret Acrobats Chu, Elaine Macdonald, Rosemary Parish, Annelise Pederson, Patricia Flinn. Judy Tam, Lynne Loche, Joanne Wong, Julia Fisher-Short, Mabel Chau, Vera Lee, Phoebe Kwok, Lynette Taylor. Gail Pickering Rider

SCENES

ACT I

Scene 1 - Mother Hubbard's Kitchen

Scene 2 - The Market Place of Much Chortling

Scene 3 - The same

Scene 4 — The same

Interval of 10 minutes

ACT II

Scene 1 — In the Tailor's Shop

Scene 2 — The Market Place (Next day)

Interval of 10 minutes

ACT III

Scene 1 — Outside the Circus Tent
Scene 2 — Interior of the Circus Tent

Musicians	 	 ٠.	٠.	 	John Collins (Yamaha Organ)
					Garth Richardson (Piano)
					Dave Roberts (Drums)

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STAGE TEAM

Stage Manager	· · · · John Vivian
Assistant Stage Manager	· · · · John Lewcock
Stage Crew	Ian Greig, Roger Entwhistle, Henry Owen, Peter Lomas, Mick Teanby, George Thomson
Set Artist	
Set Painting	
	Loo, Mary Kirby, Peter Hollister, Mick Teanby and others
Wardrobe	 Joan Worrallo Kathleen Kiernan Marsene Ross
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