

CHEKHOV CENTENARY

THREE SISTERS

THE QUESTORS THEATRE
APRIL 30th—MAY 12th, 1960

PROGRAMME — 6d.

● VISIT THE EXHIBITION OF PICTURES NOW
in the BERNARD SHAW ROOM
PROCEEDS IN AID OF THE NEW THEATRE FUND

● BOOK NOW for SUNDAY, MAY 22nd at 7.30
FROM HER RECENT TOURS OF AMERICA AND THE NETHERLANDS

VIVIENNE BENNETT in
“CHARACTERS FROM THE CLASSICS”
SEATS AT USUAL PRICES

● NOTE that a New Play Festival opens on June 11th

“THREE SISTERS”

by ANTON PAVLOVICH CHEKHOV

Characters (in order of appearance):

Olga	} the Prozorov sisters {	ELIZABETH ODDIE
Masha		FFRANGCON WHELAN
Irina		DOROTHY BOYD-TAYLOR
Baron Tusenbach (Nikolay Lvovich), Lieutenant		ROY MONTGOMERY
Solyony (Vassily Vassilich), Captain ...		STUART HARTLEY
Chebutykin (Ivan Romanich), Army Doctor		FRANCIS W. SMITH
Anfisa, an old nurse to the Prozorovs ...		CARLA SHACKELL
Ferapont, an old porter from the Rural Board		PATRICK BACON
Lt.-Col. Vershinin (Alexandr Ignatyevich), Battery Commander		KENNETH CONINGTON
Andrey Sergeyevich Prozorov, brother to the three sisters		NED GETHINGS
Kuligin (Fyodor Ilyich), a High School teacher, married to Masha		PAUL IMBUSCH
Natasha (Natalya Ivanovna)		UNA CHAPMAN
Fedotik, Second Lieutenant		VICTOR POMPINI
Roddey, Second Lieutenant		LAURENCE IRVIN
A maid		JOAN GREEN
An orderly		GORDON BEAVIS

The play produced by ALFRED EMMET
The settings designed by JANE KINGSHILL
The costumes designed by JULIETTE HOWARD

Smoking is not permitted in the Auditorium at any time. Will members wishing to smoke in the intervals kindly use the Bernard Shaw Room.

BOX OFFICE (6.30-8.00 p.m.) EAL 5184

The action of the play takes place in a provincial town in Russia about 1900.

Act I. The drawing room and dining room of the Prozorovs' house. Spring. Midday.

Act II. The same. Winter. About eighteen months later. Evening.

Act III. The bedroom of Olga and Irina. Summer. About eighteen months later. Night.

Act IV. The garden. Autumn. A few months later. Midday.

There will be a 15-minute interval between Acts II and III during which light refreshments will be served in the Bernard Shaw Room. There will be only short intervals between the other acts.

Coffee - 7d. per cup. Tea - 4d. per cup.

If you have enjoyed the play this evening why not come again on Thursday, May 12th, and bring a friend? On this night any member may buy two seats for the price of one but members' free seats, as such, are not available.

The DISCUSSION on this production will take place on SUNDAY, MAY 15th, at 7.30 p.m., in the Bernard Shaw Room.

Stage Manager	JOHN DEUTSCH. Deputy, MARGARET McKENZIE ✓
assisted by ...	✓ JUDY HARRISON, TERESA HOSKINS, FRANCES MORRIS, CLIVE ROBINSON and BRIAN WARNER
Set constructed by	FRED CANN and BARRIE PHILPOT ✓
Costumes made by	JOAN PYLE, HILDA COLLINS and other members of The Questors wardrobe
Properties by ...	MARY VENUS, assisted by SHIRLEY HAYTER, DOROTHEA PATTERSON, JUDY FROST and AVRIL QUIGGIN ✓
Lighting	✓ TONY SHIPLEY and ANDY ANDERSON
Sound	✓ NORMAN GRANGER
Production Secretary	✓ JUDITH REED
House Manager	BILL COLLINS
Theatre Manager	RENA RICE