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### HARRY HANSON presents the Court Players in "MY WIFE'S LODGER"

By Dominic Roche

Characters in order of their appearance :

Maggie Ann Higginbotham .....	DIANA GLYNN
Mrs. Worswick, her mother .....	EDNA LANDOR
Eunice Higginbotham, her daughter .....	JOHANNA BROOKS
Willie Higginbotham, her husband .....	FRANK MIDDLEMASS
Norman Higginbotham, her son .....	DAVID WHITAKER
Bert Smith, her lodger .....	J. W. TERRY
Mrs. Entwistle, her neighbour .....	MARIGOLD SHARMAN
Tex Sebastian, an American soldier .....	PETER NEWELL
Sharpe, a plain clothes detective .....	HUGH TATE

The Play produced by DAVID BEECHING. Settings designed and executed by KENNETH BROCKLESS.

#### SYNOPSIS OF SCENES :

The action takes place in the living room of the Higginbotham's home, in an industrial town in the North of England.

- ACT 1. An autumn evening.
- ACT 2. A short time later.
- ACT 3. The next morning.

Manager .....	David Beeching	Stage Manager .....	Nan Daly
Stage Director .....	Hugh Tate	Scenic Designer .....	Kenneth Brockless

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