

## “THE SORCERER”

### PRINCIPAL ROLES

**Sir Marmaduke Pointdextre KCB.** ( Bass-Baritone) A wealthy aristocrat , playing age somewhere between 50-60 something .

**Alexis Pointdextre** ( Tenor) Sir Marmaduke’s son , privileged , aristocratic, in the military, headstrong and idealistic , playing age between 20’s to 30’s. The role requires a strong actor as well as good tenor voice.

**Dr Daly** (Baritone ) Vicar of Ploverleigh , playing age somewhere between 40 – 50 something. A mild –mannered country Vicar ,nostalgic for his youth as romantic heartthrob to all the ladies in the parish.

**The Notary** – ( Bass/Baritone) playing age 66 (decrepit and hard of hearing).

**John Wellington Wells** of J.W. Wells & Co. Family Sorcerers ( Patter Baritone)

The epitome of a highly respectable Victorian tradesman even though he’s sold his soul to the devil and deals in the black arts. Playing age anywhere from 30 something up to 50 something.

**HERCULES** ( speaking role) A servant in the Pointdextre household – usually physically the opposite of what his name would imply .....

**AHRIMANES** ( cameo role) The devil , needs someone with very strong presence and movement ability . ( OPEN TO ALL MALE OR FEMALE )!

**Lady Sangazure** –( Contralto ) A lady of Ancient Lineage – ( playing age similar to Sir Marmaduke ie 50 something ), less of the usual G and S formidable battleaxe more refined and elegant and aristocratic with a secret past love for Sir Marmaduke.

**Aline** ,(Soprano) Lady Sangazure’s daughter, betrothed to Alexis playing age late teens to mid twenties. Strong of character and will she is one of the few voices of reason in the piece- much more likeable as a character than her husband to be.

She is one of Gilbert’s feistier heroines.

**Mrs Partlet** (Contralto ) Described as a “Pew Opener” lower class socially but ever so “respectable” Seems to be a widow as there is no Mr Partlet. Probably the village busy body and gossip . Playing age around 50 something.

**Constance** ( Soprano) Mrs Partlet’s daughter. Playing age 17. Madly in love with Dr Daly.