

NEW THEATRE

ASSEMBLY ROOMS, DEVIZES

Lessee, MR E DAVIS, RESIDENT AT MRS PLAITED'S

ST JOHN STREET

MR DAVIS, in respectfully announcing to the Nobility, Gentry, and Inhabitants of Devizes, and the surrounding Villages, the opening of the Theatre for a very short season thinks it necessary to state simply, that it will be his most earnest endeavour to maintain the Establishment of which he has the responsible charge, in so efficient a condition in every respect, as shall render it the attractive source of refined and intellectual recreation, worthy the attention of all he has the honor to address; Mr Davis confidently believes it will give satisfaction if he assures the Public, that in pursuance of this object he has secured a

MOST EFFICIENT AND HIGHLY TALENTED

COMPANY,

Competent to the representation of the First Class of Dramatic Composition. Every effort will be made to render the STAGE DEPARTMENT, SCENERY, &c, complete and classical in character, whilst the costumes will be found entirely new and of the most gorgeous description.

Leader of the	Orchestra	Mr.	HARRISON
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Second violin......Mr POWELL

Viola.....Mr HERVEY

Violoncello.....Mr SMITH

The season will be limited to one month.

THIS (THURSDAY) EVENING, May 7th, 1846, the Performances will commence with Kearney's admired comedy, in 3 Acts of

SWEETHEARTS AND WIVES

OR HEARTS of OAK, and BLUE JACKETs in HARBOUR.

Admiral Franklin	Mr OSBORNE - CURTIS	Mr GUY
Eugenie	Mrs GURNER - Susan	Mrs OSBORNE
Mrs Bell	Mrs Gates - Laura	Mrs DAVIS

INCIDENTAL TO THE PIECE

SONG - 'Why are you wandering here, I pray' by Mr Davis

SONG - 'Billy Lackady's Lament' by Mrs Fraser

A DANCE.....by Mrs HATCLIFF

COMIC SONG.....by Mrs FRASER

The whole to conclude with the truly laughable Farce called

MRS WHITE

Major Pepper......Mr GATES, Frank Brown......Mr Osborne

Peter White......Mr FRASER, Widow White.....Mrs DAVIS

IN THE COURSE OF THE FARCE,

DUET, - 'Don't you remember, Peter, the Day' by

Mrs Davis and Mrs Fraser

With a BURLESQUE, GAVOTTE and MINUET.

A few Box and Pit SEASON TICKETS to dispose of.

Tickets and Prices for the Boxes to be had of Mr Davis at Mrs Plaistead's Lodgings, St John Street, and of Mr BULL, Bookseller, Saint John Street, where a Box Plan is kept.

The doors will be opened at ½ before 7, the Curtain rise precisely at ¼ past 7, and the performances terminate by 11 o'clock.

Boxes, 3s – Pit, 2s – Gallery 1s. Second Account at 9 o'clock – Boxes, 2s, Pit – 1s – Gallery 6d. Children under 10 years of age, and schools, admitted from the commencement at the second account prices!

N.B. The Theatre will be open every evening during the stay of

The R.W.Y.C.

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