

"THE GONDOLIERS"

or

"The King of Barataria"

CHESTER WOLFSON
Music Director

MARIA PAYNTON
Stage Director

CAST

THE DUKE OF PLAZA-TORO (a Grandee of Spain).....	John Centenaro	
LUIZ (his Attendant)	Paul Geidel	
DON ALHAMBRA DEL BOLERO (the Grand Inquisitor).....	Jack Strangfeld	
MARCO PALMIERI	{ Peter Jay Oliff Peter O'Malley Richard Nicklaus Leonard M. Lembo Richard F. Hahn Nelson J. Fielding }	
GIUSEPPE PALMIERI		
ANTONIO		
FRANCESCO		
GIORGIO		
ANNIBALE	{ (Venetian Gondoliers)..... }	
THE DUCHESS OF PLAZA-TORO.....		Betty Buechner Lees
CASILDA (her Daughter).....		Carol Cincia
GIANETTA		{ Karen Momary Kathy Sartor Barbara Young Laraine Young-Walker Cynthia Carlsen O'Donnell }
TESSA		
FIAMETTA		
VITTORIA		
GIULIA		
INEZ (the King's Foster-Mother).....	Barbra Lewis	
FLOWER GIRLS AND DRUMMERS.....	Lauren Beth Grossman, Nancy Lewis, Theresa Lewis	
HERALDS.....	Eleanor French, Jill Reinauer	
CHORUS OF CONTADINE.....	Susan Anderson, Janice Bein, Jacqueline Blesso, Carolyn Cecere, Arlene Cooper, Harriette Dorf, Adrienne Grossman, Debbie Heller, Barbra Lewis, Robin Miller, Judith Rosenthal, Judy Ruthazer, Lyn Terry, Ruth Weber	
CHORUS OF GONDOLIERS.....	Donald J. Cottrell, Joseph Cucinella, P. Paul DuVernay, William Fetzer, Arthur Fox, Ruedi Frischknecht, Tobias Goodman, John O'Nugent Hahn, John B. Holmboe, Christopher Kaleda, William J. Keane, Mark E. P. McCullough, C. L. Shepherd, Philip Sternenber, Jay I. Weber	

ACT I — The Piazzetta, Venice, 1750

ACT II — Pavilion in the Palace of Barataria, three months later

NOTE: The unaccompanied chorus which is sung by the entire cast at the end of the performance is "Hail, Poetry!" from "The Pirates of Penzance." The singing of this beautiful chorus after every Ridgewood performance has become a tradition with the company.

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UNDERSTUDIES..... Susan Anderson (Vittoria, Giulia), P. Paul DuVernay (Francesco), Ruedi Frischknecht (Giorgio), John O'Nugent Hahn (Annibale), Barbra Lewis (Tessa), Douglas McCormack (Don Alhambra), Cynthia Carlsen O'Donnell (Casilda), Mary Fae Senn (Duchess), Philip Sternenber (Duke, Luiz, Giuseppe), Lyn Terry (Fiametta), Jay I. Weber (Antonio), Barbara Young (Gianetta)