

CHARACTERS

THOMAS GAINSBOROUGH	The Artist.
GEORGE, PRINCE OF WALES	Afterwards George IV.
JOHANN FISCHER	Oboe player to the Prince of Wales.
SIR THOMAS TOLLEY	Leading supporter of Charles James Fox.
BEADLE	
JAMES	Footman at Gainsborough's House.
LORD ELDERMERE	Equerry to the Prince of Wales.
LORD ASPEN	Friend of the Prince of Wales.
LORD BEECHMASTER	" " " " " "
MASTER OF CEREMONIES	
GEORGIANA, DUCHESS OF DEVONSHIRE	
MRS. GAINSBOROUGH	Wife of the Artist.
MOLLY	Gainsborough's eldest daughter, in love with Fischer.
PEGGY	Gainsborough's younger daughter.
MISS FOYLE	A Harpist.
LADY BETTY FOSTER	Intimate friend of the Duchess.
FREDA	Maid to the Duchess.

Lords and Ladies of the Court.
 Guests at Ranelagh.
 Musicians and Canvassers.

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SCENE 1
Front Sittingroom in Gainsborough's House
SCENE 2
Gainsborough's Studio

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SCENE 1
The Grounds at Ranelagh
SCENE 2
The Royal Pavilion

A C T III

SCENE 1
The Duchess of Devonshire's Boudoir
SCENE 2
Gainsborough's Studio

Act I - Morning
Act II - Evening of the same day
Act III - The following morning

