THE GILBERT & SULLIVAN SOCIETY OF WA

presents

**COX AND BOX**
by F.C. Burnand and Arthur Sullivan

and

**TRIAL BY JURY**
By W.S. Gilbert and Arthur Sullivan

Subiaco Arts Centre, 14-17 October 2015
Director: Alan Needham
Musical Director: Michael Brett

**COX AND BOX**
A delightful farce set in a Victorian bed-sitter. Mr Cox and Mr Box do not know each other, even though they share a single room in a lodging house. Cox works by day and Box works by night, and their unscrupulous landlord, Mr Bouncer, collects rent from both of them. One day, Cox returns early from work and discovers a stranger in his room. Chaos ensues!

**Cast**
James John Cox (A Journeyman Hatter)......................... Baritone
John James Box (A Journeyman Printer).............................. Tenor
Sergeant Bouncer (A Landlord with Military Reminiscences).... Baritone

**TRIAL BY JURY**
The very first of the surviving G&S comic operas. Edwin, a dastardly young “scamp of a rover”, is being sued by Angelina for breach of promise of marriage. Even before he appears in court, he has been found guilty by all present, and when the “tragic”, jilted bride arrives, everyone, the judge included, falls in love with her. All seems lost for Edwin, but he has a trick or two up his sleeve…

**Cast**
The Learned Judge................................................................. Baritone
The Plaintiff ........................................................................... Soprano
The Defendant ........................................................................... Tenor
Counsel for the Plaintiff............................................................ Baritone
Usher......................................................................................... Bass Baritone
Foreman of the Jury................................................................. Baritone
Bridesmaids............................................................................. Sopranos, Altos
Gentlemen of the Jury, Members of the Public

**AUDITIONS**
SATURDAY 11TH AND SUNDAY 12TH JULY
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**REHEARSALS**
MONDAY AND WEDNESDAY EVENINGS AND SOME SUNDAY AFTERNOONS, COMMENCING 3RD AUGUST.