



PLAYERS NEWSLETTER

APRIL 2026

JOIN US FOR OUR NEXT **NEW FACES** SHOW

AT THE CAA

FRIDAY, 15TH MAY at 7.15pm

(Doors open 6.45pm)

Our worthy Chairman, **Mr Richard Gauntlett**, will lead us in a joyous evening of all things Music Hall.

Mr Fenton Gray will entertain us with a celebration of his great-grandfather, **Dan Crawley**,

A star of his day, **Dan Crawley** shared the stage with legends, toured internationally, and delighted audiences with his comic songs and eccentric character turns — yet history has almost let him slip through the cracks. Now his great-grandson, Fenton Gray, sets the record straight — reviving his work through a selection of his original songs, including *“It’s Only A Way I’ve Got”*, *“Father Keeps On Doing It”* and *“I Thought It Was My Birthday Come!”*

Part tribute, part investigation, and entirely entertaining — a Music Hall life, back where it belongs, with a personal connection that makes the past feel strikingly present

This will be followed by some more of our **New Faces** who will delight us as always.

NOT TO BE MISSED !

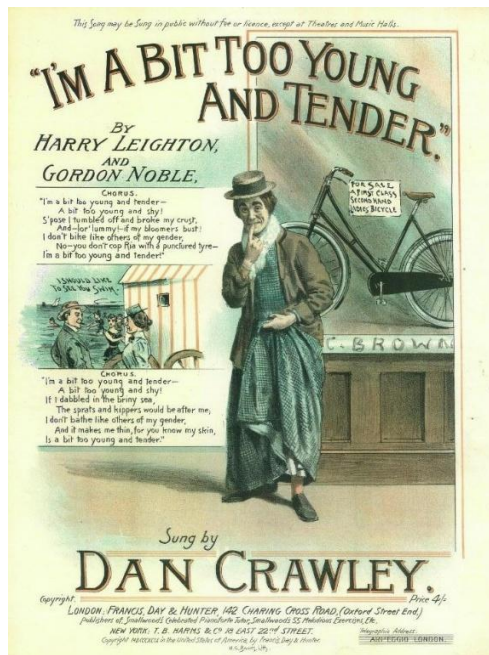
Entry by donation (£20 is suggested to include a glass of fizz in the interval)

Please email if you would like us to reserve a seat for you.

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CAA : 20 Bedford Street, London WC2E 9HP

CAA & BMHS Members warmly welcomed



The PLAYERS continue to be dedicated to keeping the Music Hall genre alive and are committed to encouraging NEW FACES . Workshops are held and shows built around them

Another Date for your diary :

**THE PLAYERS RETURN TO WILTON'S
TO CELEBRATE ITS 90TH BIRTHDAY
WEDNESDAY, 21ST OCTOBER**

Details available soon

SAD NEWS

We have just heard of the death of a Players' favourite, Julia Sutton.

Julia was a Music Hall legend and a wonderful performer. Everyone associated with the Players will miss her . Our thoughts are with her family and friends.