

# Manon Lescaut

(in Italian)

Opera in four acts by Giacomo Puccini  
Libretto by Illica, Giacosa, Ricordi, Praga, Oliva  
Based on Abbé Prévost's novel

*Conductor*

Gaetano Merola

*Stage Director*

Armando Agnini

*Chorus Master*

Giuseppe Papi

## CAST

<i>Manon Lescaut</i>	Claudia Muzio
<i>Lescaut, her brother, Sergeant in the King's Guard</i>	Desiré Defrère
<i>Chevalier des Grieux, a student</i>	Antonio Cortis
<i>Geronte di Ravoir, Finance Minister</i>	Vittorio Trevisan
<i>Edmondo, a student</i>	Lodovico Oliviero
<i>Master of the Ballet</i>	Lodovico Oliviero
<i>A Lamplighter</i>	Lodovico Oliviero
<i>A Hairdresser</i>	Amerigo Frediani
<i>A Captain</i>	Victor Vogel
<i>A Sergeant</i>	Prosper Reiter
<i>A Musician</i>	Irene Fremont
<i>Innkeeper</i>	Evaristo Alibertini

\*Role debut †U.S. opera debut

PLACE AND TIME: Second half of the 18th century

Tuesday, September 28 1926, at 8:00 PM

Act I -- A square in Amiens

Act II -- Room in Geronte's home in Paris

Act III -- Havre, a square near the harbour

Act IV -- In America, "Vast plain" in Louisiana

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**Notes:**