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Theatre with a message

“**THROUGH** the Garden Wall” which has opened at the Alexander Theatre in Johannesburg, ran for nine months at London’s Westminster Theatre.

This West End theatre was acquired by the Westminster Memorial Trust in 1946 as a living memorial to the men who gave their lives in World War II.

It produces plays that send people out of the theatre with more courage and zest for life than when they came in—plays that entertain hilariously, thoughtfully, movingly and

give insight into how to live in this nuclear age.

Inspired by this concept, a group of businessmen associated with Moral Re Armament in Johannesburg have formed a theatre association under the title of “MRA—Modern Theatre Productions.”

It was decided to launch the association with the production of “Through the Garden Wall,” with a cast of professional actors, namely Margaret Inglis, Robert Langford, Ken Barber, George Konelin, Louis Iffe, Gordon Wales, Anthony James and Patsy Kerr.