

**[Undated handbill advertising an appearance at Davidge's Royal Surrey Theatre (Lambeth, London) by the German Lilliputian Family and General Tom Thumb].**

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## EVERY EVENING!

### THE LILLIPUTIAN FAMILY

Henrick Christian, Maria Catherina,  
And Christian Henri Brockstedt,

Ages **22 13 & 13 Years**, Height, **36, 32 & 26 Inches**,  
The Rarest Prodigies Nature ever produced  
Being Two Brothers and a Sister—they are more remarkable  
instances of Diminutive Perfection than the

### General TOM THUMB!

These Extraordinary Beings have been engaged at an Enormous  
Expence, and have been pronounced the

**Greatest Wonders yet Exhibited;**

they have been patronised by all the


**Principal Courts & Crowned Heads** <sup>on the</sup> **Continent**  
and bear Testimonials of the admiration they created.

### The Opinions of the Public Press,

as appeared in *The Post* and *Chronicle* on June 6 are submitted  
to the Patrons of this Establishment, in order that they may judge  
for themselves the singularity of the almost incredible Phenomena  
they are about to witness:—

London is this season remarkably favored with visitors; we are now favored  
with a visit from the THREE LILLIPUTIANS, said to be from Germany,  
though they might be veritable inhabitants of the Isle of Laputa. The party  
consists of two Brothers and a Sister. The eldest, Henrick Brockstedt, who  
has entered his twenty-third year, presents the appearance of a finished gentle-  
man who has attained his full growth; he is well shaped, has an expressive  
countenance, and possesses the manners of a man, though but one third the  
height of ordinary manhood; he measures thirty-six inches, and weighs the exact  
number of pounds. The young lady, Maria Brockstedt, is eighteen years of age  
thirty-two inches high, and weighs twenty-two pounds; she is inclined to be  
stout, is rather good looking, and has the perfect form of a woman in miniature.  
The younger brother, Christian Brockstedt, is the greatest curiosity, he is only  
one pound heavier than Tom Thumb, though some years the General's senior;  
his age is thirteen, height twenty-eight inches, and weight sixteen pounds;  
this miniature of personation of humanity performs on a bugle nearly as large  
as himself, and blows a blast as strong as if it came from the lungs of Lablache.  
We seriously pronounce them to be certainly the GREATEST WONDERS  
YET EXHIBITED.—MORNING POST.

THE GERMAN DWARFS, THREE IN NUMBER.—One of our new visitors Chris-  
tain Brockstedt is thirteen years old—"bona fide; right up and straight down,  
and no mistake," to quote the classic Jack Bragg—it may be known to all men  
by the certificate of his baptism and birth, duly signed and sealed by the local  
authorities; he is only one inch taller, though some years older, than the  
abridged AMERICAN, and weighs but one pound more. Moreover, the German  
blows lustily on the horn, and smokes no end of cigars. Then there is his sister,  
Maria Brockstedt, eighteen years old, thirty-two inches high, and weighs  
twenty-two pounds; a very nice little woman indeed, chubby, rosy and smiling,  
dressed in a silk dress of mature form, with a good head of hair, dressed a-la-  
mode. Indeed we are by no means clear that these Soidisants Brockstedts are not  
a party of those charming little folks to whom Grimm and Meuse have introduced us,  
come to earth, as was their wont, to do a good turn to some fortunate mortal;  
at all events, they are something very much out of the common, and we doubt  
not will prove the greatest Lions of the day.—MORNING CHRONICLE.

 They will perform **EVERY EVENING**  
in a **Ballet d'Action**, entitled

## NAPOLEON'S GENEROSITY!

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