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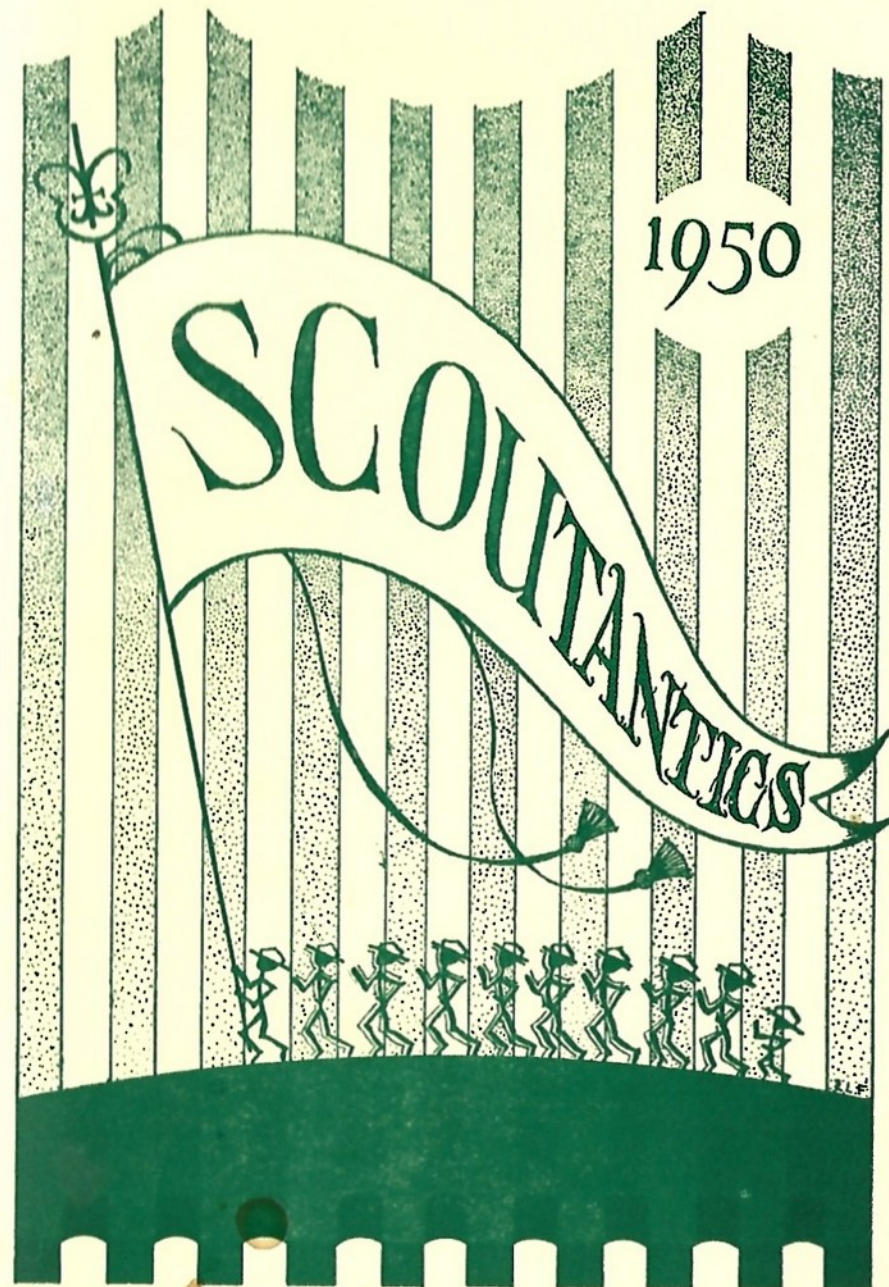
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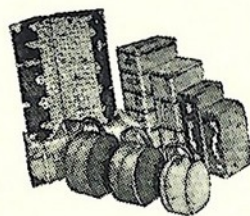
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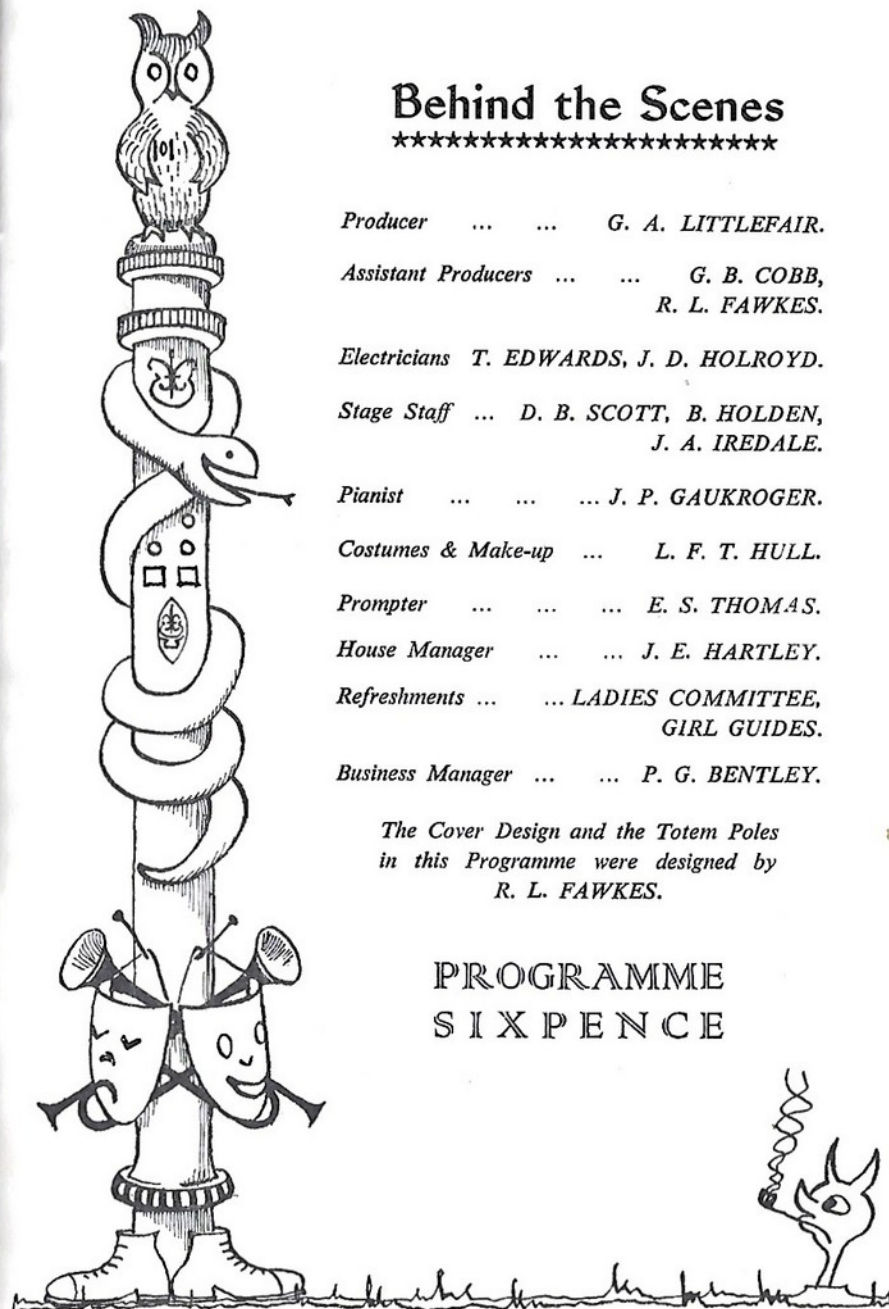
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Scoutantics News . .

Here it is ladies and gentlemen, "SCOUTANTICS" Number One, although we gave a show last year we then had no definite name.

People said some flattering things about the last show and each success is a challenge to go one better.

We hope your patronage will produce a handsome profit as this year we are sharing this with our sisters, that is, with members of the Princess Mary High School Guides, who are badly in need of new Headquarters.

We are often asked why we do not book the Hall for a week or longer and so make much more profit as well as letting hundreds more see the show?

The answer is simple. It would not be fair on the boys. It's an experience not without its value in Scout Training to be in "SCOUTANTICS" every two years, but there are the late nights, homework, etc., which can not be ignored by a movement whose programme seeks to supplement the influence of Church, Home and School.

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OUR GROUP

Doubtless, had there been Scouts 353 years ago when our School was founded, our Group would have dated from then. It is, however, interesting to recall that the 2nd Halifax Group is the oldest in town and was formed in September 1909—just a few months after the then Sir Robert Baden Powell had founded the Boy Scout movement.

Since then, despite two World Wars and a host of more minor calamities, we have carried on. Before the late war we had four Troops of Scouts, a Cub Pack and Rover Crew, but unfortunately two Troops were unable to continue owing to lack of Scouters. Then, when the new Education Act resulted in the closing of the Junior School, our Cub Pack had to be discontinued. We are still strong in numbers though, the last census revealing that no fewer than 49 Scouts, 13 Senior Scouts, 15 Rovers, 11 Scouters and 10 Old Scouts are members of the Group.

In our Scouting activities we have taken part in Jamborees, Rover Moots, Conferences, Rallies and many other momentous Scouting occasions; we have camped on every site within reasonable distance of our Town and have enjoyed many camps in France. We have won the Halifax Local Association Camping Competition on more occasions than has any other Group in Town. With the Progress Shield and Beadon Cup we have not such a proud story to tell, never having won the former and unable to win the later until last year, when we gained 1st and 2nd places. The first time this Cup has been held by Heath.

We look forward to the many happy days of Scouting which are ahead of us and hope that we may live in peace with brother Scouts of every Nation so that together we may share our problems on the path of progress, unhindered by war or the threat of war.

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