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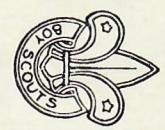
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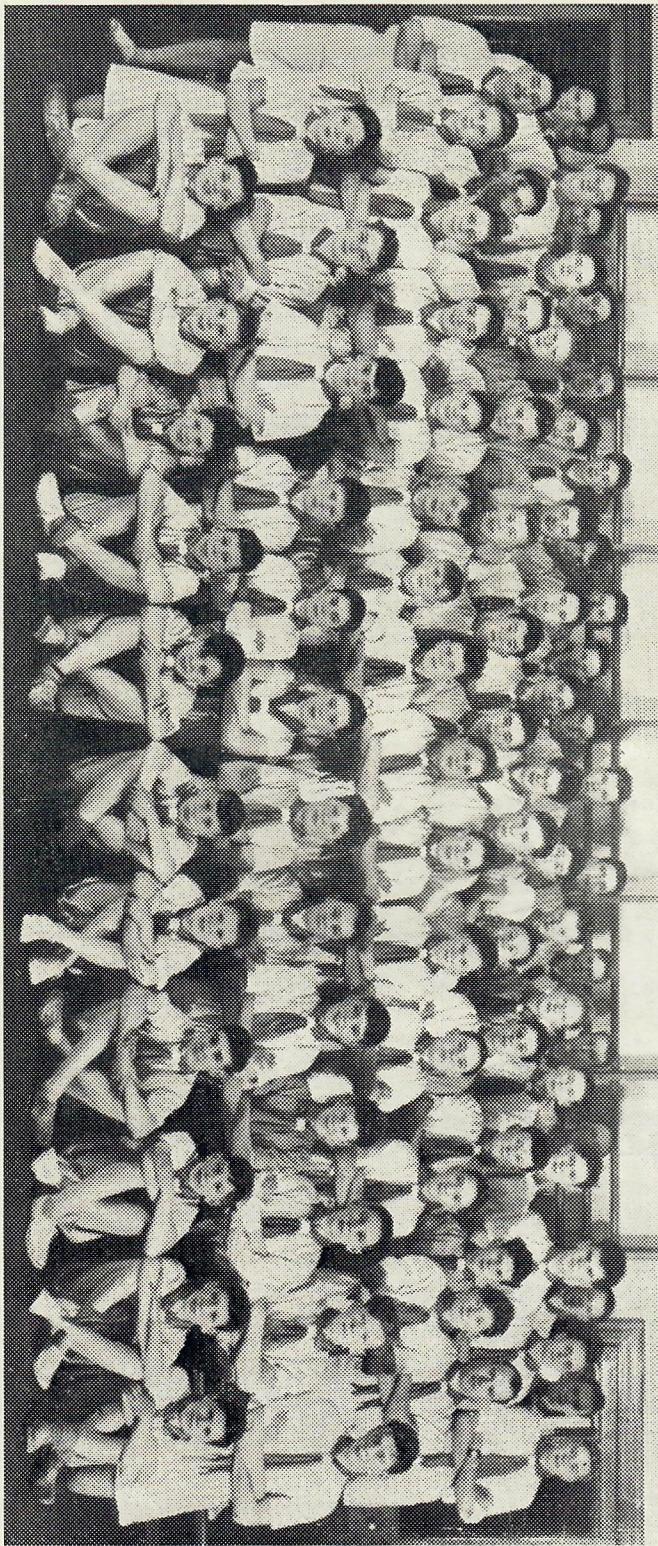
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Bryan Atherton	Harold Faulkner	Eric Manley	Stanley Speed
Ken Barton	Roy Fisher	Peter Massey	Bill Swift
Tom Bateman	Ronald France	Brian Melling	Robin Taylor
Pete Behan	Colin Gardiner	Terry Mole	Jim Thomas
Arnold Bell	John Garton	Roger Needham	Robin Thomas
Len Bithell	John Gittins	Brian Neve	George Thompson
Keith Brassington	David Goodwin	John Nicholson	Phil Turner
Leslie Brooks	Don Greig	Mike Nixon	Mike Watson
Peter Butler	Peter Griffiths	Mike O'Donnell	Tom Wainwright
Howard Carter	Mervyn Griffiths	David Oxley	Peter Walker
Ted Cotgreave	Brian Harris	Peter Parry	Peter Williams
Bob Coupland	Graham Hart	David Paterson	Mike Woodcock
David Cowley	Graham Hartley	Les Pearson	Ray Woodfine
Mike Cuttle	Geoffrey Harrop	John Poole	John Youde
John Davies	David Higgins	Gordon Powell	
	Graham Hough	Ray Prescott	
	Tom Hughes	Roy Rimmer	
	John Hurd	Donald Robinson	
	Tony Hyde	Tony Robinson	
	Iain Jolly	Jim Rocke	



PROGRAMME

One - - - - - SHOW TIME
Two - - - - - SENIOR SCOUTS!
Three - - - - - THE SWEET SHOP
Four - - - - - EXERCISE
Five - - - - - CHOIR BOYS
Six - - - - - JINGLE OF THE JUNGLE
Seven - - - - - THE CAROL SINGERS
Eight - - - - - UNTIL THAT DAY
Nine - - - - - LET'S HAVE A PARADE
Ten - - - - - OVER THE GARDEN WALL
Eleven - - - - - RED, WHITE AND BLUE
 INTERVAL



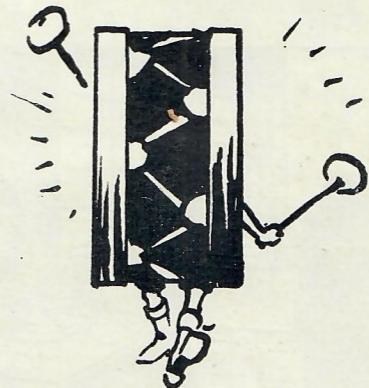
ORCHESTRA

Leader/Piano
Trumpet
Trombone
Alto Saxophone/Clarinet
Tenor Saxophone/Clarinet
Guitar
Bass
Drums

Billy Brickland
 Derek Mitchell
 Dave Glazzard
 Ray Cumin
 Dave Pearse
 Ken Morgan
 Keith Kennerley
 Ron Cooke

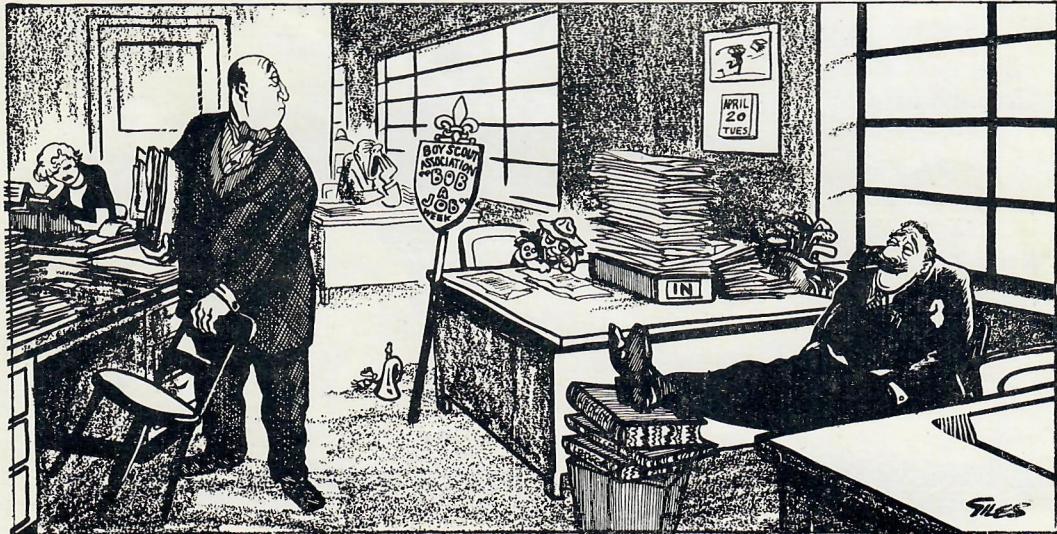


Twelve - - - - - SING
Thirteen - - - - - SENIOR SCOUTS AGAIN!
Fourteen - - - - - TELEVISION
Fifteen - - - - - KEEP LOOKING FOR A BLUEBIRD
Sixteen - - - - - HIS MAJESTY THE KING
Seventeen - - - - - THE AMATEURS PRESENT
Eighteen - - - - - THE BALLET
Nineteen - - - - - PICNIC
Twenty - - - - - BRITISH PANTOMIME
Twenty-one - - - - - HOME ON THE RANGE
Twenty-two - - - - - FINALE
 THE QUEEN



THIS is our third edition of Scoutabout. This year the 8th and 13th Chester Groups have been joined by the 1st Upton Group, whose members are included in the cast of nearly 100. We are very glad to have them with us. We are grateful, too, for the help so willingly given by members of the 2nd Chester and 1st Christleton Groups.

We appreciated your support for our shows in 1953 and 1954 and we hope that you will enjoy this year's performance. We ask you to accept our effort in the spirit in which we offer it—a spot of homely fun, written and presented by Scouts—for your entertainment. Shows such as ours are being presented at this time of the year all over the country ; and last December we were all very proud when Her Majesty The Queen attended the Gang Show at the Golders Green Hippodrome—the same type of show you will see tonight. Where the boys are taking the part of girls this is intended as burlesque ; they are dressed as girls, not pretending to be girls !



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Properties. PETER BEHAN and GEOFFREY LONG.

Settings. GEORGE THOMPSON, TOM WAINWRIGHT, IDA THOMPSON, GEORGE MCLEOD and REG. ASTBURY.

Lighting. DAVID WILLIAMSON and JOHN KING.

Costumes. Wardrobe Mistress MABELLE ROBINSON and Wardrobe Mistress ETHEL FAULKNER. Assisted by the Sewing Team : VIOLET ATHERTON, LUCY BATEMAN, EVALINE BEHAN, VIOLET CUTTLE, EDITH ELLISON, DOROTHY HARRISON, HARRIET HARROP, ANNE HEALEY, PATRICIA JOLLY, MEGAN JONES, EDITH KELLY, FRANCES MASSEY, GLADYS MELLING, AMY NEWTON, HANNAH POWELL, MABEL SHONE, H. SMITH, MAY SMITH, JESSIE THOMSON, MARY TURNER, LILIAN WATSON.

Dancing. Under the Direction of NANCY JONES.

Dressers. Ladies of the 8th Chester, 13th Chester and 1st Upton Scout Groups.

Make-Up. Director : ROSAMUND BANKS, assisted by RUTH BEAL, GILLIAN BROWN, RUTH CALLOWAY, EILEEN GOODMAN, JANE JAMES, HILDA JOBLING, MARY MENDHAM, BERYL NEEDHAM, JOAN NEWSTEAD, AUDREY TWEED, EDITH WEBB.

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