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# **NIGHTMARE ABBEY**

*(A Dramatisation of T. L. Peacock's Novel)*

*by*

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**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10th, 1957**

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11th**

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12th**

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13th**

**at 6.45 p.m.**

THE SCHOOL HALL : BULWELL  
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## Characters :

<b>Mr. Glowry</b> , master of Nightmare Abbey ...	J. A. T. Holloway
<b>Scythrop</b> , his son ...	M. A. Hammett
<b>Raven</b> , his butler ...	T. D. Adams
<b>Crow</b> , his steward ...	J. R. Adams
<b>Mr. Toobad</b>	R. K. Paterson
<b>Mr. Flosky</b> ...	His R. W. Layton
<b>The Hon. Mr. Listless</b> ...	Guests M. F. Onley
<b>Mr. Hilary</b> ...	L. M. Simpson
<b>Miss Marionetta O'Carroll</b> ...	A. W. Marshall
<b>Stella</b> , a stranger ...	P. J. Severn
<b>Fatout</b> , valet to Listless ...	M. A. Carson



The scene is Nightmare Abbey, Lincolnshire; the time, July, 1818.

## ACT ONE

Scene I : The Library.

Scene II : The same, some days later.

Scene III : The same, a week later.

## ACT TWO

Prelude : A Summerhouse.

Scene I : Scythrop's Apartment in the Tower.

Scene II : The same, a few days later.

Scene III : The same, the following Thursday evening.



There will be an Interval of ten minutes  
between the Acts.



Stage Managers : S. J. Herbert, H. D. Noble.

Stage Effects : M. W. Green, J. D. Hole.

Properties : C. Bunting, G. T. M. Revill.

Lighting : A. J. Rushforth, P. J. H. Whyte, W. K. Whitehead,  
F. E. Willmott.

Costumes : P. Branney, M. Elton.

Scenery : J. V. Bell, D. Chambers, N. Cossons.



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