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WIMBORNE DRAMA

presents



the ghost train

a drama by Arnold Ridley

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As the Drama Club now meet and rehearse in part of the old Wimborne Station, it is probably almost inevitable that we should choose to present *The Ghost Train* at some time!

One of the 'golden-oldest', written in the mid-twenties by Arnold Ridley (Mr. Godfrey of Dad's Army on the television) the play still retains its spine-chilling quality.

We have not tried to convert it to diesel!

Christopher Hope-King, although an experienced amateur performer, has not acted with us before, and we hope you will enjoy his portrayal of the newly-wed Charles Murdoch.

We need new acting and non-acting members. If you are interested, please contact us, or come to one of our meetings, normally on the last Thursday of each month at 8 p.m., at the Railway Station. Our next meeting, for obvious reasons, is being held on 6th November.

Our next production, in the Spring, will be *'Move over Mrs. Markham'*.



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by

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SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

The action of the play takes place in the small General Waiting-Room at Fal Vale, a wayside station on the South Cornwall Joint Railway.

ACT 1 10.00 p.m.

ACT 2 11.30 p.m.

ACT 3 12.30 p.m.

There will be an interval of 15 minutes after Act 2

Our thanks to all those who helped us by supplying decorations, furniture or fittings for the set, and to those whose advertisements appear in this programme for their valued support.

CHARACTERS (in order of appearance)

SAUL HODGKIN	John Anthony
Stationmaster at Fal Vale Station.	
RICHARD WINTHROP	Michael Waring
ELSIE, his wife	Elizabeth Knight
CHARLES MURDOCH	Christopher Hope-King
junior partner in Murdoch & Son	
PEGGY MURDOCH	Janine Brockes
his newly married wife.	
MISS BOURNE	Elizabeth Anthony
TEDDIE DEAKIN	Russ Guillaume
JULIA PRICE	Jennifer Waring
HERBERT PRICE	Grahame Browne
JOHN STERLING	Arthur Brooks
JACKSON	Edmund Henbest

PRODUCER

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