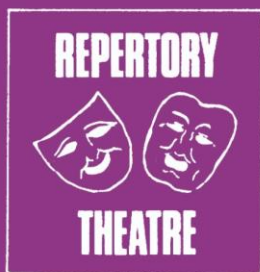


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Directed by
PETER LEGGE

The action of the Play passes in the living-room of Emma and Olive's home in Carlton, a suburb of Melbourne

ACT 1

Scene I About 5 o'clock on a Sunday afternoon, early in December.

Scene II The following morning.

ACT 2

Scene I Just before midnight on New Year's Eve.

Scene II The following Friday evening.

ACT 3

The following morning.

Time: the present

Setting designed by PETER AND VERITY HADDOW
and built by THE REPERTORY PLAYERS

Music Adviser: EDWIN DUTTON

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