"The Yeomen of the Guard"

or

"The Merryman and His Maid"

Directed by CHESTER WOLFSON Staged by BARBRA LEWIS

Accompanists—CECILE LANE and RICHARD SCHACHER

CAST:

SIR RICHARD CHOLMONDELEY (Lieutenant of the Tower) Harold Gilbert COLONEL FAIRFAX (under sentence of death) Charles R. Miello SERGEANT MERYLL (of the Yeomen of the Guard) Harold Albenberg LEONARD MERYLL (his son) Ken Bagot JACK POINT (a Strolling Jester) Thomas Kennedy WILFRED SHADBOLT (Head Jailor and Assistant Tormentor) William Paultz FIRST YEOMAN Gene Hexter SECOND YEOMAN William Heidt FIRST CITIZEN Jack Slier SECOND CITIZEN Robert Ward PRIEST Frank Wershing HEADSMAN David French PHOEBE MERYLL (Sergeant Meryll's Daughter) Marjory Edson DAME CARRUTHERS (Housekeeper of the Tower) Janet Benzell YEOMEN OF THE GUARD: Gordon Brevoort, Joel Fraites, Ken Koppenaal, John Middleton, Kenneth Van Acker, Giulio Vellucci. CITIZENS: Gini Brevoort, Kathleen Conlan, Harriette Dorf, Josie Edson,

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ACT 1-Tower Green, 16th Century

ACT 2-The same, 2 days later

NOTE: The unaccompanied chorus which is sung by the entire cast at the end of the performance is "Hail, Poetry!" from "The Pirates of Penzance." The singing of this beautiful chorus after every Ridgewood performance has become a tradition with the company.