## LEEDS ARTS CENTRE

## FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER

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Hopefully, Spring is just around the corner although you wouldn't think so with the weather we are having to suffer at present...so what better than our offering this evening of that well-known Northern comedy by Bill Naughton "SPRING AND PORT WINE". You may remember the film version in which James Mason played Rafe Crompton, a self-made man who has known hardship in his youth and is determined that his children should be brought up in an atmosphere of truth and self-reliance. A sequence of events conspires to split the family unit...will Rafe see the dangers in his somewhat overbearing attitude before it is too late...you will see as the play unfolds.

We are now more than half way through our current season and the next production from 23rd to 27th April will be Alan Bennett's "OFFICE SUITE", two one-act plays "A Visit from Miss Prothero" and "Green Forms" combine to provide a light-hearted evening's entertainment.

There has not been much time for other L.A.C. activities, but we managed a Green Room production of Tom Stoppard's "The Real Inspector Hound" which provided an evening "off" from the current rehearsal schedule and there are several events in the pipeline. Of course we had a "jolly" Christmas gathering since we saw you last but that seems ages ago now and the April Jumble Sale looms large!!!

We hope you enjoy "Spring and Port Wine" and look forward to seeing you again in April for "Office Suite", when hopefully the weather will be more "clement".