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ALADDIN ON £3 SCENERY.

The scenery for the pantomine "Aladdin", to be produced in mid-December by a Home Counties R.A.F. station, has been made for \$3. The seven scenes include the Cave of Treasure, the Emperor's Palace and Street in Pekin.

Odd pieces of camouflage netting and other "scrounge" material went to the making of back drops and wings.

A village church hall is to be the playhouse and the show is being given from December 14 to 17, with a special matinee on December 18 for the children of the officers and men and those of the villagers.

Principal boy is a W.A.A.F. corporal, a 6-foot 3-inches squadron-leader air gunner is Widow Twankey, and the producer and magician is Squadron-Leader Dion Matthews, who has had years of previous stage experience in this capacity.

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