

List of corrections for:  
*1984* by George Orwell  
adapted for the stage by Michael Gene Sullivan

Pg 7:

*"In the center of the pit lies a man, WINSTON SMITH, battered and filthy. His pants and T-shirt are grimy and worn to the point of colorlessness. At each wrist he is shackled, and from each shackle is a thick electrical cord which runs to the inner edge of the pit. He appears to be asleep.*

SHOULD BE:

*"In the center of the pit lies a man, WINSTON SMITH, battered and filthy. His pants and T-shirt are grimy and worn to the point of colorlessness. At each wrist he is shackled, and connected to the inner edge of the pit by electrical cord and chains long enough for him to leave the pit, but not much more. He appears to be asleep.*

*"In the center of the pit lies a man, WINSTON SMITH, battered and filthy. His pants and T-shirt are grimy and worn to the point of colorlessness. At each wrist he is shackled, and from each shackle is a thick electrical cord which runs to the inner edge of the pit. He appears to be asleep.*

Pg 10:

*"(All begin to murmur "Big Brother" repeatedly. THIRD PARTY MEMBER replaces FIRST PARTY MEMBER on a chair and becomes "Big Brother.")*

SHOULD BE:

*"(All begin to murmur "Big Brother" repeatedly. THIRD PARTY MEMBER replaces FIRST PARTY MEMBER on a bench and becomes "Big Brother.")*

Pg 27:

**"FOURTH PARTY MEMBER.** (As PARSONS:) You know—the house-

by-house fund. For hate week! Two pounds you promised me."

SHOULD BE:

"**FOURTH PARTY MEMBER.** (As PARSONS:) You know—the house-

by-house fund. For hate week! Two dollars you promised me."

Pg. 28:

**FOURTH PARTY MEMBER.** (As PARSONS:) She got two other girls to go with her, slipped off from a hike, and spent the whole afternoon following a strange man. They kept on his tail for two hours, right through the woods, and then, when they got to the edge of town, they handed him over to the patrols. Said he was some kind of spy.

SHOULD BE:

**FOURTH PARTY MEMBER.** (As PARSONS:) She got two other girls to go with her, slipped off from a hike, and spent the whole afternoon following a strange man. They kept on his tail for two hours, right through the woods, and then, when they got to the edge of town, they reported him to the patrols. Said he was some kind of spy.

Pg. 42:

**FIRST PARTY MEMBER.** (As WINSTON:) I was reading one of your Newspeak articles in the Times the other day. You take a scholarly interest in Newspeak, I believe?

SHOULD BE:

**FOURTH PARTY MEMBER.** (As O'BRIEN:) I was reading one of your Newspeak articles in the Times the other day. You take a scholarly interest in Newspeak, I believe?

Pg 49:

**FIRST & FOURTH PARTY MEMBER.** Down with Eurasia!

**SECOND PARTY MEMBER.** Wait, that can't be right...

**WINSTON.** The most savage shouts of all came from the school- children...

*SHOULD BE:*

**FIRST & FOURTH PARTY MEMBERS.** Down with Eurasia!

**SECOND PARTY MEMBER.** (to **FOURTH PARTY MEMBER**) Wait, that can't be right...

**WINSTON.** The most savage shouts of all came from the school- children...

Pg. 51:

**WINSTON.** There was one!

(Points, as **second FOURTH PARTY MEMBER** becomes soldier

*on poster.*)

*SHOULD BE:*

(Points, as **FOURTH PARTY MEMBER** becomes soldier

*on poster.*)

Pg. 63:

(The blow lands, and **FIRST PARTY MEMBER** crumples on the floor. The guard

hoists “JULIA,” like a sack, and begins to carry her out as FOURTH PARTY MEMBER/MR. CHARRINGTON enters. He looks sharply at the broken glass.)

SHOULD BE:

(The blow lands, and FIRST PARTY MEMBER crumples on the floor. The guard hoists SECOND PARTY MEMBER/JULIA, like a sack, and begins to carry her out as FOURTH PARTY MEMBER/MR. CHARRINGTON enters. He looks sharply at the broken glass.)

Pg 63:

The THIRD PARTY MEMBER puts “JULIA,” down, scoops up pieces of glass, leaves. “MR CHARRINGTON” looks closely at “WINSTON,” and leaves. After a moment FIRST PARTY MEMBER gets up and sits on a bench.

SHOULD BE:

THIRD PARTY MEMBER puts SECOND PARTY MEMBER/JULIA down, scoops up pieces of glass, leaves. FOURTH PARTY MEMBER/MR. CHARRINGTON looks closely at FIRST PARTY MEMBER/WINSTON and leaves. FIRST PARTY MEMBER gets up, sits on a bench.

Pg 70:

(O'BRIEN *turns dial higher, jolts*  
WINSTON *again.*)

(O'BRIEN *turns the dial higher, hits the button.* WINSTON is  
racked with pain. O'BRIEN turns switch off.)