

# THEATRE

**At the Spencer.**  
One of the most interesting casts secured this season will surround Clara Kimball Young in her next big production, "Eyes of Youth," showing at the Spencer tonight for four days.  
The cast has been selected from the very highest ranks of both stage and screen, and there is hardly a bit in the production that is not being played by an artist of start qualities. Miss Young is playing the role of Gita Ashling, which was created in the New York production, one of the most sensational successes of the season, by Marjorie Rambeau. One of the really big parts of the play is that of Paolo Saivo, the Italian impresario, who inveigles Gita into accompanying him to Europe for an operatic career.

**At the Rialto.**  
Stealing cattle from the extensive ranch of Cheyenne Harry Henderson became a nightly occurrence. In vain Cheyenne appealed to the sheriff of his county to stop the depredations. In vain Cheyenne's men pleaded with him to let them take the law into their own hands. Their pleadings were without avail, for the sheriff of Yucca county was crooked, and Cheyenne Harry was a law-abiding citizen so far as the law of the land of those days went.  
But something did happen that caused Cheyenne to throw his hat in the air with a yell of rage and tell the world that he was "sure bustin' loose from peace." The story will be told in "The Ace of the Saddle," Harry Carey's latest Universal made western, which is to be shown at the Rialto theatre Christmas.

**At the Fifth Avenue.**  
All those who have seen on the legitimate stage or in opera, Prosper Merimee's immortal story of "Carmen," will find in this picturization of the story for Geraldine Farrar, one of the most thrilling photoplays seen here in many years. "Carmen" will be shown at the Fifth Avenue theatre tonight, and doubtless will be acclaimed as one of the most popular of the Farrar series of photoplays.

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**At the Palace.**  
A bill of surpassing excellence has been arranged by Manager Walter Dunn of the Palace for the patrons of his theatre, starting tomorrow. The program was secured with the object in view of providing only the highest class of vaudeville as a special Christmas entertainment for theatregoers.  
Laura Bennett & Co. headlines the all-star attraction with "You Never Can Tell." This is a musical act of unusual merit and has everywhere won the commendation of critics of the stage. It is full of wholesome comedy and is certain to please even the most confirmed grouch.  
Gardner and Revere will appear in bits of vaudeville. This pair of entertainers are recognized as

**At the Black Hawk.**  
A remarkably clever comedy-drama, filled with surprises and with sustained mystery element is "Too Many Crooks," the Gladys Leslie picture, which will be seen in the Black Hawk theatre tonight.  
Miss Leslie is cast as Queen of the Crooks, who are honored house party guests in a neighborhood of millionaires, and the action centers about what she does, not alone to material goods that happens across, but to the affections of the staid citizens who take her for a college girl rather than the "sleekest confidence woman this side of the Atlantic."  
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In his new comedy triumph of "Love, Laughter and Life"  
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Hear Mr. O'Hara's New Songs Special Augmented Orchestra  
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among the best in all stageland. Manager Dunn feels especially well pleased at being able to secure their act for his theatre at this time.  
Belle Barchus & Co. present a comedy skit entitled, "An Inside Job." The act has all the exciting moments of an intense drama with natural comedy cleverly brought out in its lines.  
Manning and Hall bill themselves as "That Kiever Comedy Couple." Advance notices indicate that the act is everything that the title implies, and even more.  
Robert and Demont put the finishing touches to the bill. They have an act de luxe, featured by their singing and dancing.

**At The Majestic.**  
Elsie Ferguson is among the distinguished artists of the stage and screen who believe that the late war has exercised a powerful influence upon the future development of the drama and the photoplay.  
A charter that is wholly in keeping with Miss Ferguson's words is portrayed by the talented star in her new Paramount-Artcraft picture, "Counterfeit," at the Majestic Christmas and Friday.  
Vivian Martin, the dainty little start, who has gained a widespread reputation for her excellent work in clever, wholesome roles, will be the attraction at the Majestic theatre tonight in "The Third Kiss," a Paramount-Artcraft picture which will win her many new admirers. Her latest success is a charming love story of a factory girl who is not quite what she seems and a big-

**A Christmas Greeting**

OUR sincere thanks to all loyal friends, who by their good will and patronage have helped to make the closing year the biggest and best in our history.

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The serial of a thousand sensations  
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—IN—  
**"AMBROSE'S RAPID RISE"**  
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A Christie Comedy  
Tomorrow and Friday  
**J. WARREN KERRIGAN**  
—IN—  
**THREE X GORDON**  
A Good Comedy  
Cosy Quiet Comfortable  
**Black Hawk Theatre**  
1102 Twelfth Avenue  
TONIGHT  
**GLADYS LESLIE** in  
**"TOO MANY CROOKS"**  
Also a good comedy  
Tomorrow  
Christmas Day  
Special Continuous Show 8 p. m. to 11 p. m.  
**DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS** in  
**"MANHATTEN MADNESS"**  
Also a two-reel Sunshine Comedy  
Friday  
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**DOROTHY PHILLIPS**  
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Continuous shows from 1 p. m. to 11 p. m.  
**Harry Carey**  
in "The Ace of the Saddle"

**Fifth Avenue**  
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**GERALDINE FARRAR**  
Supported by Wallace Reid  
—IN—  
Cecil De Mille's Masterly Production of  
**"CARMEN"**  
Notable Picturization of Immortal Stage Success  
ALSO  
**Mack Sennett Comedy**  
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—CHRISTMAS DAY—  
**CHARLIE CHAPLIN**  
—IN—  
**"POLICE"**  
Added Attractions:  
**"The Amateur Adventurers"**  
Starring  
**Emmy Wehlen**  
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