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# SALEM

MASSACHUSETTS



BILLIE BURKE IN "LOVE WATCHES" FRIDAY, MARCH 5th.

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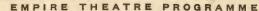


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SYNOPSIS:

ACT I-The Garrison at Fort Thomas. ACT II-Same as Act I. The accusation. ACT III-Quarters of Lieutenant Bryce. Run to Earth. NOTE-There are no pistol shots fired during this play.

TUESDAY EVENING and THURSDAY MATINEE "THE THIRD GENERATION "

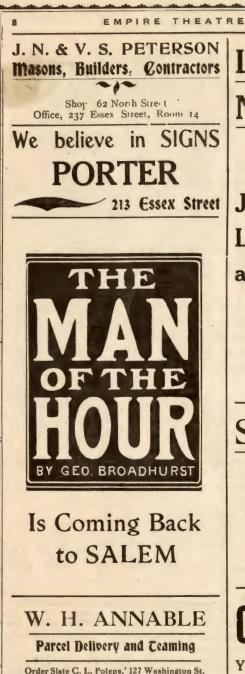
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# Empire Theatre

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Seats on sale four days in advance of each attraction.

Ticket office open from 9 A. M. until after the close of every performance.

Tickets for this Theatre can be ordered by Telephone-897, or Mail or Telegraph, and will be held twenty-four hours, except when ordered on the day of the performance for which they are to be used, when they will be held until 12.30 M. for Matinees and until 7 P. M. for Evenings. Tickets ordered by mail and paid for will be held until called for unless otherwise ordered.

The wearing of head covering of any description is not permitted in this theatre.

Ladies room right of orchestra floor.

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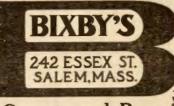
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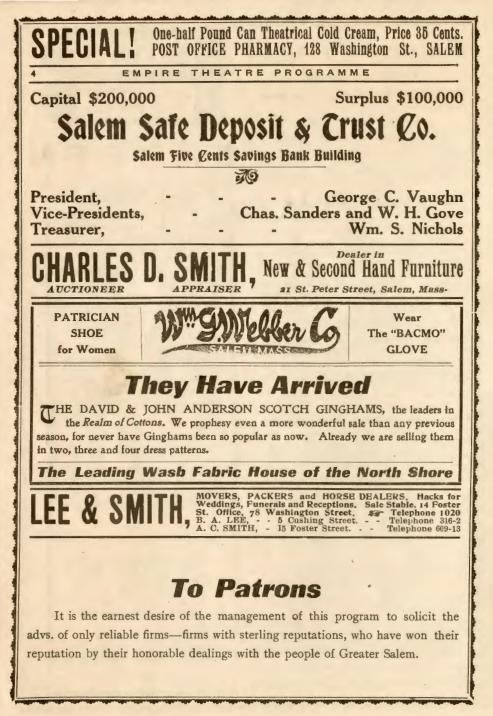
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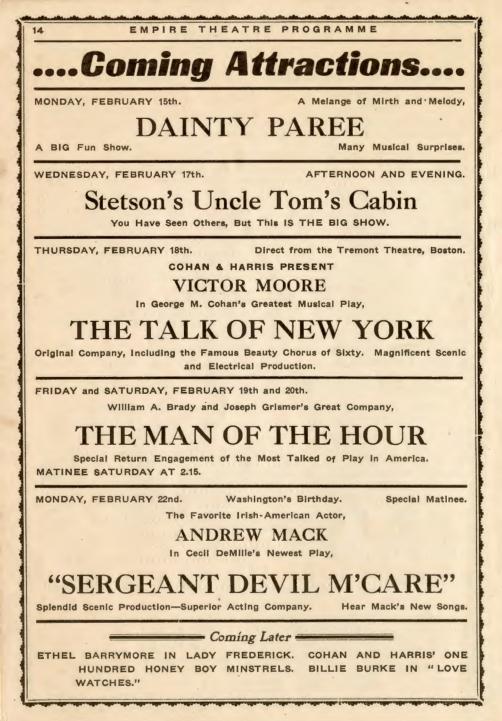
FRANKIE, as......WILDCAT MAB

SYNOPSIS:

ACT I—David Helmway's workshop. ACT II—Deacon Doolittle's store, Village square. ACT III—The Cliffs. ACT IV—Same as Act I. NOTE—There are no pistol shots fired during this play.

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HARRY ROCKABEE, a Mining EngineerWI	ILLARD ROBERTSON
SAM LANE, Looking for the best of it	THOMAS B. DUNN
JED PRESCOTT, Looking for the best of it	W. I. CLARK
STUTTS, a farm hand	WALLACE YOUNG
LITTLE BILLIE, Warner's son	BILLY RHODES
MRS. HARDING	FLORA FROST
GRACE HARDING, her daughter	MABEL FROST
JANET DRUCE, Gale's poor relative	MARION BENSON
and	

FRANKIE as......CHERRY GALE, the Little Govn'r

#### SYNOPSIS:

ACT I—Living room in Gale's farmhouse. Christmas, 1873. ACT II— Gale's house and grounds, fifteen years and six months later. ACT III—The same, a few hours later. ACT IV—Same as Act I. The next morning.

#### WEDNESDAY EVENING and FRIDAY MATINEE

#### "GIRL OF EAGLE RANCH "

#### CAST OF CHARACTERS:

COL. HENRY CARVER, an Eastern gentleman	W. I. CLARK
JAMES BRANDON, known as "Lurky Jim,"	FERDINAND TIDMARSH
RICHARD BRANDON, his younger brother	
"SANDY " O'BRIEN, Cherry's uncle	THOMAS B. DUNN
"CURLEY" HARRIS, Sheriff of Plaza County	JERE GRADY
SANTO RIVERRA, a Mexican mine speculator	B. B. BYRON
"JUST BILL," a miner	WALLACE YOUNG
JUNE CARVER, the Colonel's daughter	MABEL FROST
BESS STARLIGHT, Queen of Burlesque	FLORA FROST

and

FRANKIE as......CHERRY O'BRIEN, commonly called "Girl"

#### SYNOPSIS:

ACT I—The Eagle Saloon, O'Brien & O'Brien, Proprietors. Waiting to say Goodbye. ACT II—Eagle Pass. Exterior of Saloon. ACT III—The deserted cabin in the mountains. ACT IV—Parlor of the Mountain House, Denver, Colorado. "The dumb speaks."

NOTE-There are no pistol shots fired during this play.



EMPIRE THEATRE PROGRAMME

BILLIE BURKE'S APPEARANCE A SOCIAL EVENT.

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BILLIE BURKE in "LOVE WATCHES."

Billie Burke's coming to the Empire Theatre on Friday evening, March 5th, will be the event of a more or less busy theatrical season. The young woman who charmed everybody by her delightful simplicity and insinuating personality as John Drew's leading woman, is said to have a play of even more delightful humor than "My Wife," in the new French comedy "Love Watches."

What is more, the critics seem to have agreed that in addition to all of her piquant charm, Miss Billie Burke is an actress of some ability and destined to do really serious things some day. On the other hand, one sees no particular reason why she should not continue to play ingenue roles, for which she is undoubtedly so well suited, especially as there are so few genuinely capable ingenues in this country.

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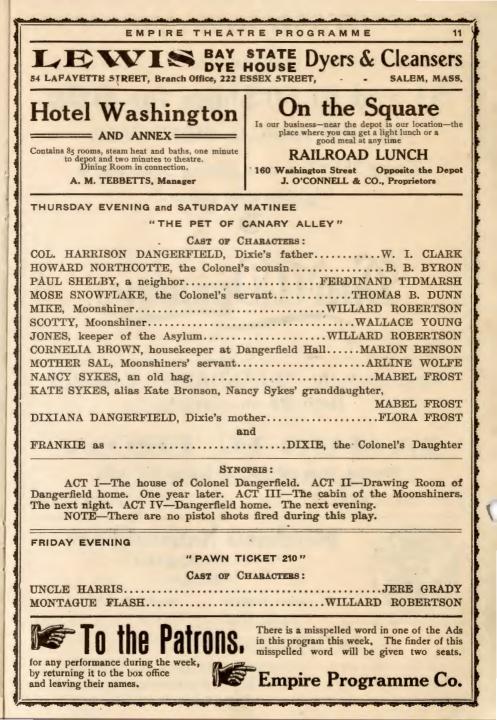
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