

THE PLAYGOERS WEEKLY TALK

This season in Philadelphia has been the most lucrative financially in the history of local theatricals. The attractions have ranged through good, bad and indifferent, preponderatingly the latter, that is, straight dramas or musical shows with a fair amount of entertainment, but without any distinction of literary or historical or great value.

As "LIGHTNING" John Golden's play, featuring Frank Bacon, has played to capacity audiences on Broadway for two seasons, it appears that the regular theatre-going population of Manhattan has been drawn to the city.

THE same line of reasoning applies with equal force to a number of the new rapidly waning season. "Deceased," with Miss Barrymore, "John Ferguson," as presented by the same organization, "Clarence," Booth Tarkenton's really American comedy which is distinguished by the presence of a sense of craftsmanship denied to all other first big hits.

THE other big cities of the country which help to keep the managers financed have due rights which players are honestly obligated to honor.

MARIE BRYAR, who is "Cutie" Bird, one of the care-free ladies of the assembly—the one from Troy, to be exact—with Grace George in "The Ruined Lady."

SHUBERT Last Mat. Today LAST TIME TONIGHT JOHN HENRY MEARS Announces

ADDELPHI Last Time Tonight GRACE GEORGE in "The Ruined Lady"

METROPOLITAN LAST 3 SHOWS THE FUNNIEST CONVEY EVER MADE MARY SENEFF'S REEL CONVULSION "DOWN TOWN"

BEGINNING MONDAY MATINEE DORIS KEANE ROMANCE

ACADEMY OF MUSIC—TONIGHT at 8:15 P.M. GRAND OPERA COMPANY FAREWELL PERFORMANCE RIGOLETTO

THE JANE P. C. MILLER DANCING CONSERVATORY 3029 WALNUT 127 PRIVATE LESSONS DAILY DANCING PHYSICAL CULTURE

PLAYERS OF THE SCREEN AND STAGE

NAZIMOVA THE HEART OF A CHILD Stanley
LEW CODY THE BUTTERFLY MAN Arcadia
WM. FARNUM THE ADVENTURER Victoria
GEO. WALSH A MANHATTAN KNIGHT Regent

WOODSIDE New and Up-to-the-Minute Amusements
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THE MUSICAL COMEDY SENSATION OF PHILADELPHIA CHARLOTTE GREENWOOD

Broad Street Theatre WEEK OF JUNE 17TH
Matinee, Saturday, June 12th Twenty-eighth Annual Performance of the
Philopatrian Players under management and personal direction of James A. Sullivan

B.F. Keith's CHESTNUT BELOW 13th & 14th STREETS
A BILL OF EXTRAORDINARY FEATURES! THE MOST REMARKABLE WOMAN IN THE WORLD!
STAR OF HAPPINESS HELEN KELLER IN "NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH"

SHORE LINES FEATURING ALICE LAKE
A SENSATIONAL PICTURIZED VERSION OF JAMES A. HERNE'S CELEBRATED STAGE PLAY
GARRICK BROAD AND JUNIPER STREETS
COURTENAY CIVILIAN CLOTHES

AIMS AT CONCERT CAREER

"Letty" Prima Donna Working to Goal in Light Opera
With her ambitious leaning toward a concert career, Olga Roller, who plays Mayme in "Linger Longer Letty," decided to attain her end by securing a thorough training first in the legitimate field.

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The EYES OF THE WORLD California's Cyclonic Love Story. BY HAROLD BELL WRIGHT
LYRIC EVENINGS AT 8:15 MATINEES WED. & SAT. AT 2:15

COURTENAY CIVILIAN CLOTHES
A POSITIVE LAUGHING SENSATION A MAYTIME FEAST OF FUN ASK YOUR NEIGHBOR!

Stanley Direction Stanley Company of America
MARKET STREET Ab. 16th Next Week—A Metro First Presentation
NAZIMOVA IN A STORY THAT STIRS AND CHARMIS AND LEAVES YOU CONVINCED THAT THE WORLD IS CONSIDERABLY BETTER THAN HAD.

PALACE 1214 MARKET STREET
Next Week—JOSEPH M. SCHENCK Presents
NORMA TALMADGE IN HER MOST RECENT SUCCESS THE WOMAN GIVES

ARCADIA CHESTNUT ST. 16th
Next Week—Mrs. Temple's Telegram
LEW CODY SUPPORTED BY THREE LEADING WOMEN

VICTORIA MARKET Ab. 9th
WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY
WILLIAM FOX Presents WILLIAM FARNUM IN THE ADVENTURER

CAPITOL 724 MARKET STREET
GEORGE WALSH IN FIRST SHOWING OF A MANHATTAN KNIGHT

COLONIAL 6th & Walnut
THE RIVER'S END Thursday, Friday and Saturday

ALLEGHENY FRANKFORD AVE.
CHARLIE CHAPLIN MARIE DRESSLER MABEL NORMAND CHESTER CONKLIN MACK SWAIN

BROADWAY BROAD & SPIDER AVENUE
Mme. RIALTO and COMPANY Presenting a Novelty—"LOOK" First South Philadelphia Showing

WILLIAMS, BRACK & CO. Kirby, Quinn and Anger "ON THE STREET"
Hewitt & Mitchell TOM MIX IN THE DAREDEVIL