

ROUND THE PICTURE SHOWS.

EVERYBODY'S.

A story pulsating with humanity and tenderness is involved in "Gladiola," the principal film at Everybody's this week, featuring Miss Viola Dana, the Broadway star. Gladiola is a bewitching country maid with aspirations to see life. She ignores an honest farmer's love and comes under the fascination of a city youth, with whom she flees. Later she is forsaken by her betrayer, and returns to her old home with her child. Here she lives down her disgrace to some extent, her former bucolic admirer standing by her through thick and thin. Then comes along the man who should have made her his wife. He asks Gladiola's forgiveness and begs her to marry him to redeem the past. Gladiola, however, has found in the interim that she really loves her country lover, and not even to cover up her first mistake will she accept marriage from her child's father. Interest and sympathy are held throughout, and Gladiola's ultimate decision makes a happy but unexpected ending. "Whiffles in War Time" is a merry adjunct, while "Making Big

Shells" covers an informative series. The main attraction for next week will be the emotional picture drama "A Garret in Bohemia," a story of love and passion, in which Edna Flugarth is seen to great advantage as the heroine, Miriam West, whose romance with the young composer Kenneth Douglas is certain to make a strong appeal to the audience. "She Took a Chance" (featuring Kate Price and William Shea) and "The Bath Tub Mystery" are two great merrymaking films, while the Pathe Gazette and "How Certain-teed Roofing is Made" are both pictures of exceptional interest.

KING'S THEATRE.

Life in all its selfishness and all its purity is pictured in "Gladiola," an enchanting story with a country mouse as the heroine. Miss Viola Dana, in the title role, has never been seen to more charming advantage, and in transferring her power to the screen she carries the audience through many an appealing scene with rare force and intensity. Gladiola's peaceful farm life and the part two lovers play in it supply all the requisite parts for a forceful "movie" story. "The Beachcombers" is another absorbing drama with a strong heart interest, combining love

EVERYBODY'S THEATRE. QUEEN STREET.

CONTINUOUS PICTURES 11 A.M. TILL 10.30 P.M. This Week's Programme, Star Picture. GLADIOLA, Featuring Viola Dana in a Romance of Thrilling Interest. Next Week's Attraction. Commencing Monday, March 27— A GARRET IN BOHEMIA, Featuring Edna Flugarth in a Pretty Romance. Other Films Include: "How Certain-teed Roofing is Made," "She Took a Chance," "The Bath Tub Mystery," and The Pathe Gazette.

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and adventure. Comedy is present in "Whiffles in War Time," while the Pathe Gazette and "Making Big Shells" add to the merit of the programme. The star film for Monday next will be "A Garret in Bohemia," featuring Edna Flugarth in a pathetic and beautiful romantic drama, depicting the love story of a young composer, Kenneth Douglas, and a teacher of painting, Miriam West. Other films will include "How Certain-teed Roofing is Made," "The Girl on the Bridge," "She Took a Chance," "The Bath Tub Mystery" (comic) and the Pathe Gazette.

Mr. E. J. Gravestock, manager for Messrs. J. and N. Tait, arrived from Sydney on Monday by the R.M.S. Makura to arrange for Mr. Ashmead Bartlett's New Zealand tour, which opens in Wellington on April 13th. Mr. Ashmead Bartlett's Australian tour has, Mr. Gravestock reports, been a remarkable success, and everywhere the famous war correspondent has been feted by all kinds of public and private associations, who have been anxious to show their gratitude and appreciation of the work done by Mr. Ashmead Bartlett in his position as official representative of the British press at the Dardanelles, in placing the wonderful doings of the Australian and New Zealand troops before the world in such a brilliant fashion, as he did in his memorable despatches.

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