



**"MADAME X" TELLS GRAPHIC STORY IN STIRRING ALL TALKING FILM**

"Madame X," famous stage play, vehicle for Sarah Bernhardt, for Pauline Frederick, for Dorothy Donnelly and many other famous actresses, come Monday and Tuesday to the Macon theatre in its ultra modern form, as Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's latest all-talking drama of the screen.

With Ruth Chatterton, celebrated stage star, in the title role, and directed by Lionel Barrymore, erstwhile stage idol, and lately turned film director, the play, while it tells the same graphic story as the older stage version, is produced on ultra modern lines, with rapid fire action and dialogue worked out for the screen by Willard Mack.

The new picture is gorgeously staged, locales all over the world being shown in its swift action, and one of the most notable casts of former stage celebrities, ever assembled for a screen drama, appears.

Lewis Stone plays the husband, and Raymond Hackett, of "The Trial of Mary Dugan" fame, the son and attorney for the defense. Richard Carle, old-time Broadway star and now a screen player, Mitchell Lewis, Eugenie Besserer, Holmes Herbert, Ullric Haupt, Sydney Toler, and many others are in the cast.

The play opens in Paris, and then

follows the tragic "Madame X" in her dramatic wanderings to China, the Islands of South America and other colorful locales, showing in vivid and terrible fashion her slow degradation, until she reaches the depth of despair where she commits murder.

It is Barrymore's first directorial effort with a feature length drama, and follows his recent sensational success "Confession." Carrol Nye who played in the former picture, incidentally, plays in "Madame X," and Hackett, who plays the youthful attorney, once supported Barrymore on the stage in "The Copperhead."

The construction of the modernized version is a clever mingling of screen and stage technique. The dialogue is handled much after the stage fashion, but the plot and movement is based entirely on the swift action of the silent picture. For the first time "closeups" and other devices of the silent screen have been successfully used in the talking drama, unique effects thus being worked out.

Iota, N. C., Dec. 2, 1929.

Dear Old Santa;—

I am a little girl five years old with blonde hair and blue eyes.

I haven't forgotten your kindness last year so I have been very good since then and I hope you will be so good this year as to bring me a baby doll that can wear shoes, a set of dishes with pictures on them, a kitchen cabinet and a little broom. Of course you'll bring me oranges, candy and apples.

I hope you don't forget brother and sister, dear old mother and father, and please dear old Santa don't forget all the little children that may not know you.

I'm hoping to see you soon.

Love,

ANNIE LOIS SHIELDS.

Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga., Dec. 2, 1929.

Dear Santa Claus,

We are two little brothers 5 and 10 years old, and we want you to bring us a tricycle, some candy, and oranges, and apples, and that's all. We will thank you if you will bring that for us So I will close for this time. Your little boys, EDWARD and JUNIOR CARPENTER.

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North Carolina, Macon County.

In The Superior Court, Before The Clerk.

George B. Farmer, Administrator of the Estate of J. M. Farmer, deceased, Lexie Ledford and husband, Oscar Ledford, George B. Farmer, individually, and wife, Frances Farmer

AS PLAINTIFFS, Flora Farmer, widow of J. M. Farmer, deceased, Blanche Patton and husband, Tom Patton, James Farmer and wife, Zoä Farmer, Hettie Coward and husband, Claude Coward, John Farmer and wife, Lillian Farmer, and Charlie Farmer

The defendants, Claude Coward,

Hettie Coward and Charlie Farmer in the above named cause will take notice that an action as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Macon County, North Carolina, to the end that lands of which J. M. Farmer died seized may be sold to make assets to pay existing debts against the estate of said J. M. Farmer, and the defendants will take notice that they are required to appear within thirty days from the 2nd day of January, 1930, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Macon county, North Carolina and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded.

This the 2nd day of December, 1929.

FRANK I. MURRAY, Clerk of the Superior Court, Macon County, N. C.

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