

# THE GOLD RUSH'

Exhibitors Campaign Book

This book outlines publicity, advertising and exploitation matter that will enable any exhibitor, in any sized city, to put this Charlie Chaplin feature over to big box-office results. There are many newspaper stories, one, two and three column advertising cuts, one, two and three column scene cuts for newspaper use, reproductions of the lithograph posters, the lobby display cards and slides, and the music cue sheet.



# Exhibitor's Campaign Book

# CHARLIE CHAPLIN

IN

# "The Gold Rush"

A DRAMATIC COMEDY

Written and Directed by Charlie Chaplin

Released by United Artists Corporation

#### Nation-wide Song, Record and Radio Tie-up For Charlie Chaplin's "The Gold Rush" Biggest Thing ever put up for Exhibitors

Perfect exploitation of a film means the impression of an indelible record of that film on the minds of every film-goer in the country.

By a concerted arrangement with two of the widest mediums of public approach, United Artists Corporation has obtained for Charlie Chaplin's new feature comedy, "The Gold Rush" a national exploitation tie-up which every exhibitor in the country can turn to direct local benefit, with tremenodus box-office stimulation resulting.

Songs and Records

It is a tie-up with two of the largest song publishing houses and a phonograph record manufacturing concern whose combined product circulation reaches practically into every home in the country in which there is a film theatre patron.

These songs and records insure, for the first time in the history of the cinema, a perfect radio tie-up, nation-wide in scope. Such a tie-up has been sought by distributors and producers since the popularity of

The genius of Chaplin dominates this extraordinary arrangement, joining the exhibitor and the music houses in this instance in a natural link of mutual benefit.

Extent of Tie-up

The tie-up is built around two fox trot ballads composed by the world's greatest comedian. Both are expected to become big song hits, and the concerns issuing them are prepared to spend big sums exploiting them to show their confidence in their success.

The music publishing houses are Irving Berlin, Inc. and M. Witmark and Sons, the two largest song hit publishers in the world.

The phonograph manufacturer is the Brunswick Company, one of the leaders in the record reproducing field.

These three tremendous concerns have agreed to throw their entire resources for public contact, embracing a combined representation of over 35,000 dealers.

Tremendous Co-operation

Newspapers, window displays, radio and all manner of advertising devices which these concerns employ in bringing their products before the public will all make direct reference to Charlie Chaplin as the star of "The Gold Rush."

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#### What Music Tie-up Means

Every exhibitor should study in detail the account of the music exploitation tie-up on "The Gold Rush," Charlie Chaplin's greatest film comedy, consisting of two song numbers written by Chaplin to be issued in sheet form and on phonograph records.

It is the most wide-reaching scheme for public contact ever arranged.

It links with the showing of "The Gold Rush":-

The national publicity and advertising resources of Irving Berlin, Inc., and M. Witmark and Sons, the two biggest song publishing houses in the country.

The publicity and advertising resources of the Brunswick phonograph record company, one of the nation's most extensive advertisers.

A total of 35,000 dealers handling the product of the three concerns named above.

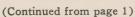
A perfect, nation-wide radio tie-up. These songs, written during the filming of "The Gold Rush," will be sung coincident with the showing of the picture, on every broadcasting program

The announcement of Charlie Chaplin in "The Gold Rush" in all advertising and on the covers of each of the Chaplin songs which the Berlin and Witmark houses will issue, and similarly in the advertising of the new double disc Brunswick record.

An opportunity for exhibitors to get direct mention of the showing of the picture at their theatre in the local advertising of music houses, and to use these songs as features of their musical programs.

#### Cuts Showing Sheet Music on Chaplin Songs





Exhibitors can cooperate with the dealers advertising these products locally so that the names of their theatres playing "The Gold Rush" may be included in this advertising copy.

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Newspaper critics have loudly acclaimed "The Gold Rush" as not only the greatest comedy ever filmed, but the surpassing film contribution to the screen since "The Birth of a Nation."

It again brings to the screen the Charlie Chaplin which the world knows and loves—the wistful little figure who seems to embody all the pathos of humanity. These songs, from the gifted pen of the comedy genius, will focus public attention indelibly on this great comedy.

Music Publishers Helping

The three music houses are cooperating with United Artists Corporation with a thoroughness that has never been surpassed. They have obtained from United Artists Corporation the names of every exhibitor who has booked "The Gold Rush" to date, and are forwarding these names to their respective local dealers with instructions to cooperate with these exhibitors to the fullest. As additional bookings are made, the names of exhibitors will be sent out.

Irving Berlin, Inc., has brought out a fox trot number "Sing a Song," by Charlie Chaplin, Abe Lyman and Gus Arnheim.

On the title page of the song is an announcement of "The Gold Rush," Chaplin's greatest comedy, and a picture of Chaplin.

Publicity contacts will be maintained through advertising and exploitation matter to be furnished the 8,000 dealers who deal directly through Irving Berlin.

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M. Witmark and Sons is publishing "With You, Dear, in Bombay," an oriental fox trot by Chaplin which is expected to create a furore. Words and music are by Chaplin.

On the cover of this song is a full length picture of Chaplin in old-time character make-up, and a circular insert of the Charlie of real life, with his signature below.

with his signature below. Beside the picture of the derby hat and baggy-trousered Charlie is the caption "As he appears in his latest feature picture 'The Gold Rush.'"

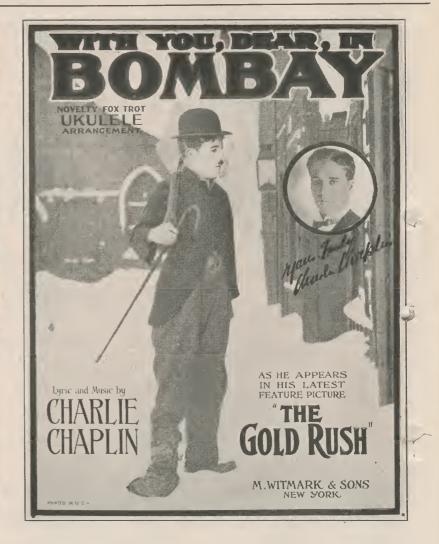
Free Copies for Radio

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Both sheet music houses will supply free through their dealers all necessary copies of vocal and dance orchestrations which exhibitors may require for radio purposes, or for use in their theatres as features of their musical programs and exit numbers.

Irving Berlin, Inc. and M. Witmark and Sons will furnish as many title pages as desired for window tie-ups and in return, exhibitors can furnish stills from the "Gold Rush" for windows.

All dealers will put cards in windows announcing the date and theatre which will make the theatre tie-up 100%. theatre which will make the theatre tie-up 100%.



Dealers have been instructed to get in touch with the exhibitors whose names are supplied them, BUT UNITED ARTISTS CORPORATION ADVISES EXHIBITORS NOT TO WAIT FOR THE DEALER TO SEEK THEM OUT to take advantage of this offer.

Direct information can be had at Irving Berlin, Inc., from that company advertising manager, Ben Bloom, at the Berlin offices, 49th Street and Broadway, New York City; or Jules Witmark, care of M. Witmark & Sons, 1650 Broadway, New York City.

These companies will cooperate further in lending the services of their staff pluggers for whatever radio, concert and theatre appearances exhibitors may suggest.

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Phonograph Advertising Aid

Equally whole-hearted cooperation will be extended by the Brunswick Equally whole-hearted cooperation will be extended by the Brunswick Phonograph Company, which is bringing out the two Chaplin songs on a double disc record, which will be ready for public release about the same time as "The Gold Rush."

The Brunswick Company also is supplying the exhibitor booking list to its dealers. This record is listed as No. 2912, and was recorded by Abe Lyman's famous California orchestra—WITH CHARLIE CHAPLY PLAYING THE VIOLIN.

The Brunswick Company is an extensive advertiser. In all national

The Brunswick Company is an extensive advertiser. In all national and local advertising and publicity campaigns for this record, direct mention will be made of "The Gold Rush."

Exhibitors booking the picture should get in touch with Brunswick dealers in their district and cooperate to get the name of their theatres included in the phonograph ads.

In return the exhibitor can stage some kind of contest for which Chaplin records will be offered as prizes.

Dealers and Window Displays

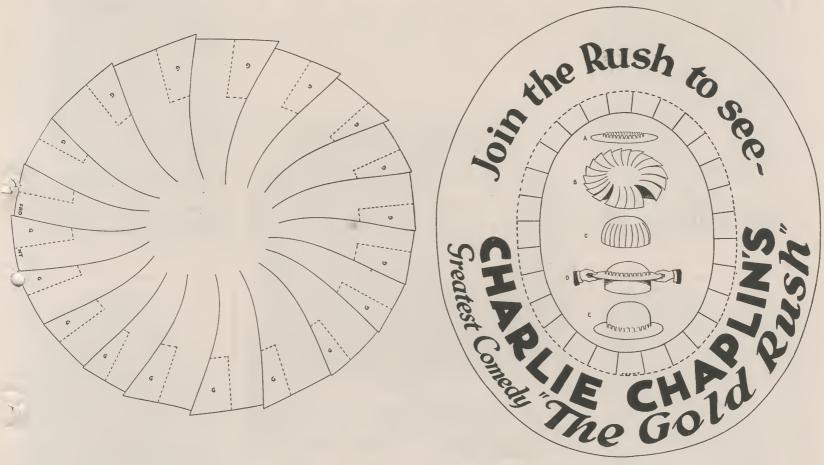
Every Brunswick dealer will use stills in windows along with phonograph records and cards carrying theatre and date of showing, giving you

another 100 per cent window tie-up.
For direct communication with Brunswick regarding this feature, exhibitors should refer to H. Don Leopold, advertising manager, Brunswick Phonograph Co., 635 South Wabash Ave., Chicago.

As an example of what this cooperation means, 300 music dealers in New York agreed through Emerson Yorke to cooperate in direct tie-ups when "The Gold Rush" opened at the Mark Strand Theatre.

With national radio scope, national and local advertising and publicity and the exploitation stunts to which the songs of the comedy genius lend themselves, this tie-up offers exhibitors one of the greatest opportunities for perfect exploitation ever devised, in the opinion of Hiram Abrams, president of United Artists Corporation.

#### Stir Up Your City With Famous Chaplin Hat



#### How to Make the Chaplin Derby

The United Artists Corporation exploitation department has devised a paper cut-out of a Chaplin derby which you can secure, as explained elsewhere in the exploitation book, to give away to your patrons. You might arrange with a local paper to print these cut-outs as a Sunday children's page feature. You can get advertising by supplying these hats

Other Chaplin features which will find favor with the kids are mustaches and canes, which you can get at very slight cost from local manufacturers to be distributed to your patrons.

FIRST: Cut out the brim of the hat around its outline and cut out the oval center piece inside the brim. Now cut apart all the little flaps that are around the inside of the brim and when they are all cut bend each one up on its dotted line so that they all stand up straight. The brim

SECOND: Cut out the oval-shaped crown of the hat along its ir-

regular saw-toothed outline. Now cut in toward the center along the solid curved lines. Each flap has upon it a portion bound by a dotted line with the letter G in the center. Put GLUE on these portions, one at a time, being sure to get it even along the dotted vertical line near the center of each flap. When you have glue on one flap slide it under the next flap to the left far enough to meet the vertical dotted line and raised enough to have the bottom of each flap in line with the ones next to it. After four or five flaps are glued together the crown will begin to take shape and will look like B.

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The flaps all being pasted together the crown will look like C.

THIRD: Put a band of glue on the OUTSIDE of the crown all around the bottom part. The glue should be about one-half inch high.

FOURTH: Take the brim in both hands and pull it down over the crown like D, and attach the flaps to the band of glue on the crown.

The CHARLIE CHAPLIN HAT is now finished and should look

Shoe Store Tie-up

Candy Store Scheme

Such an arrangement can be made with some confectioner in your city. They make an attractive advertising feature for both the candy company and your theatre.

A "Gold Rush" sundae could be made the soda fountain feature of a refreshment place in the vicinity of your theatre.

Order the Charlie Chaplin hat direct from Pace Press, No. 207 West 25th Street, New York City. Price-\$9.50 a Thousand, with an additional \$1.50 for imprinting.

#### Signed Chaplin Statement

Here is a signed statement by Charlie Chaplin which every bank will be glad to give a big play:

"The only 'Gold Rush' in which every man, woman and child can be absolutely sure of finding riches is the rush to the bank with the weekly pay check. Habit is the hardest thing in life to overcome-that's why I think everybody should form the habit of saving as early as possible."

(signed) Charles Spencer Chaplin 

#### Essay Contest on Saving

Another tie-up bank suggestion is an essay contest on saving for school children. The bank should announce this contest, advising children to see "The Gold Rush" at your theatre. For the best letters from a school child pointing out why the gold-seekers would have been better off by staying at home and saving systematically—or on a subject of kindred thought—prizes should be offered.



Poster Prices-One sheet, 12 cents; three sheet, 36 cents; six sheet, 72 cents; 24-sheet, \$2.00

### Special 24-Sheet, Window Card and Two Slides



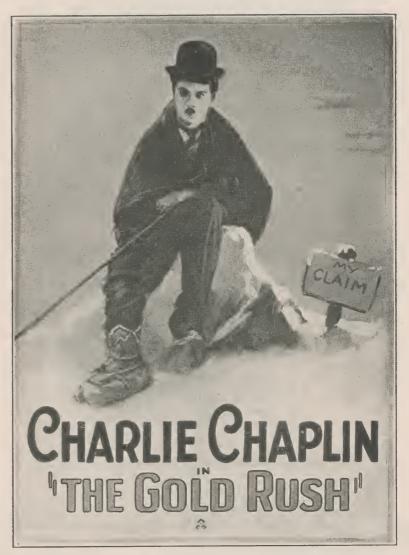
Special Block Letter 24-Shect-Price \$2.00



Slide No. 1-Price 15 cents



Slide No. 2-Price 15 cents



Window Card-Price 10 cents

Trailers on "The Gold Rush" can be ordered by exhibitors direct from National Screen Service, Inc., No. 126 West 46th Street, New York City; No. 845 South Wabash Avenue, Chicago, or No. 917 S. Olive Street, Los Angeles.

## Exceptional Hand-Colored Lobby Display



CHARLIE CHAPLIN in "THE GOLD RUSH"

#### General Exploitation and Prologue Suggestions

#### "The Gold Rush" a Tremendous Magnet That Will Draw Dollars Into the Box-office

Follow the rush to "The Gold Rush."

Mr. Exhibitor, here is the greatest gold field uncovered since the Klondike rush to Alaska in '96.

You don't have to trek across wastes of blinding snow and ice to

tap the riches of this gold mine.

Charlie Chaplin's greatest comedy, "The Gold Rush" is a lodestone—a magnet which will bring prospectors in search of amusement right

You, Mr. Exhibitor, know that you don't have to struggle like those prospectors who fought their way to Alaska in order to find gold with a Charlie Chaplin comedy. And when you book Chaplin you don't gamble on a claim that won't "pan out."

Every Chaplin comedy you ever staked out has been a pay claim!

You know that.

Greatest Chaplin Comedy

And now, in "The Gold Rush," you have the greatest comedy Charlie Chaplin has ever made. Critics are unanimous in declaring it so, and the results in cities where "The Gold Rush" is now being shown are

the results in cities where "The Gold Rush" is now being shown are proving overwhelmingly that the critics are right.

For centuries scientists have been laboring in a fanatical effort to manufacture gold. It has remained for the inimitable Charlie to prove t alchemy is possible. In "The Gold Rush" Chaplin, by his comedy genius, will make gold for you, Mr. Exhibitor. He has done it often before, but never as handsomely as he will now—no matter what the cost is to you. Your box office window will show the benefit long after "The Gold Rush" has had its run.

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Charlie Chaplin spent nearly two years of tireless labor making "The Gold Rush" not only the supreme effort of his illustrious career—but THE GREATEST COMEDY EVER MADE.

That he more than succeeded is evidenced by the verdict of authorities in rating it on a par with the greatest films of any kind ever made, even comparing it favorably with "The Birth of a Nation."

Public Everywhere Anxious

The public knows the verdict that critics have placed on "The Gold Rush." The public that has waited for Charlie the weary months he spent in the absorption of this mighty effort, is anticipating the date of the opening at your theatre in order to start a gold rush for you, Mr. Ex-

Such a great comedy and great event as the coming of "The Gold Rush" to your theatre needs no strenuous exploiting.

You do not need the laborious methods of the men who mush over the snowy wastes of Alaska to "moil for gold" in order to extract the pay ore.

The mere fact that Charlie Chaplin is coming to your theatre in the

greatest comedy ever filmed is an exploitation fact sufficient to draw you capacity houses throughout the run of "The Gold Rush."

But, in the spirit of the miner, United Artists Corporation exploitation department is including in this press book exploitation suggestions which will help you work your claim more efficiently.

**Exploitation Suggestions** 

Don't forget that Charlie Chaplin is the best loved friend of the children. Capitalize on this popularity. There is a new generation of youngsters to add to the past generation who have taken Charlie to their

heart.

The Chaplin walk, the Chaplin hat, shoes, cane, and costume should be restored in favor with the youngsters. In this press book will be found suggestions which will help you carry out this feature.

You have the greatest box-office magent ever offered in "The Gold Rush." Let your slogan be: "Follow the Rush to 'The Gold Rush.'"

Don't overlook the chance "The Gold Rush" offers to tie-up with your local banks.

The big savings banks advertise in newspapers. Pick out one that will cooperate with you.

You might try this idea. Announce in your lobby that any child in your theatre neighborhood under ten years of age, whose parents take

your theatre neighborhood under ten years of age, whose parents take it to see Charlie Chaplin in "The Gold Rush," will receive a ticket, which, when taken to a designated bank, or neighborhood branch, will entitle it to \$1 credit toward the opening of a savings account. A bank which offers to open such accounts for children should be willing to make the offer through your theatre—as long as it gets the business.

Another Bank Tie-up

A "Gold Rush" window display would be an attractive and appropriate window tie-up with banks. Supplementing stills from "The Gold Rush" and a large photograph of Charlie Chaplin should be posters emphasizing the golden results of thrift and systematic savings.

An example of a window card is the following:

SEE Charlie Chaplin in his great comedy, "The Gold Rush"

Theatre this week.

empty handed.

SAVE yourself the empty-handedness of chasing a vain lure.

Save yourself the empty-handedness of chasing a vain lure. By the slower but certain method of putting part of your earnings into a savings account you will be better provided for in old age than those who follow the lure of "The Gold Rush."

#### Description of Prologue Used by Sid Grauman for "The Gold Rush"

Curtain rises on an Arctic scene. A panorama of gleaming hummocks of ice receding in notched tiers into a snowy mountainside. A few Eskimo igloos huddled together. A couple of sea lions flounder about as the scene opens, then waddle slowly off.

There is a flurry of snow, and out through the drift labors the figure of a man, in whose familiar walk and garb is an impersonation of Charlie. Picking out a convenient ice hummock, he stretches out and falls fast

He dreams, and out of the vision of his slumber gorgeous female apparitions, clad in glistening silver raiment of fantastic design, emerge

beautiful and shimmering from a trap below stage.

They represent the spirit of the North. They promenade around the stage until, at a signal, they vanish back into the trap. Following closely after comes a white clad solo dancer, pirouetting gracefully, and wafting an air ball through the maizes of a beautiful dance.

The dancer gives way before a swarm of eighteen white fur-robed figures—six men and twelve girls—who rush on and do a gay skating dance to waltz time. This number is especially well received by the

The scene then switches to an interior of an Alaskan saloon.
The scene changes. The stage dims, and the Arctic exterior is blocked out by a black drop, the center of which is cut out. The center lights up to reveal a portion of the interior of an Alaskan saloon, in which is grouped typical characters of a gold rush camp. There are several songs

The scene cuts back to the sleeping Charlie, alone on his ice hummock. It storms again, and through the drift pass a string of men, to pass in single file up the icy mountainside—the fortune hunters of the gold rush.

Charlie awakes and waddles up the icy path to join them in a grand

march as a finale.

Then the picture.

#### The Charlie Chaplin Walk

The "Charlie Chaplin Walk" is still as provocative of laughter as ever. Besides, there is a newer generation coming up, and the Chaplinesque antics have become a tradition which will survive with boydom like

tops, marbles, etc.
Stage a Charlie Chaplin walking contest for the kids in your neighborhood. The kids can dig up derbies, coats and pants discarded by

#### Street Ballyhoo

For a street ballyhoo, nothing can surpass a Chaplin imitation, playing pranks on passers-by, walking in the Chaplin manner, etc.

A variation of this, based on "The Gold Rush" would be Charlie with

a pack mule, carrying over the saddle bags signs announcing the showing of "The Gold Rush" at your theatre.

Another Chaplin ballyhoo would be a person dressed like Charlie, with

a pack on his back suspended from his cane, consisting of a sock, a tooth-brush and a handkerchief, with an announcement sign spread across his

#### Road Mapping Idea

#### "THE GOLD RUSH"

Beautifully colored, handsomely made and attractively printed heralds on "The Gold Rush" can be obtained by exhibitors only from

#### The LONGACRE PRESS, Inc.

427-431 WEST 42nd STREET NEW YORK, N. Y.

The heralds Must Be Ordered Direct from Longacre Press. Do not order from United Artists Corporation Exchanges.

The prices are as follows;

1,000 to 5,000 at \$3.75 per M. 6,000 to 10,000 at \$3.50 per M. 11,000 and over at \$3.25 per M. Dating extra at \$1.25 per M.

Send Money Order or New York Draft Longacre Press will send parcel-post C.O.D charges col.

#### Postal Telegraph Company Tie-up



Form 16

2795 PK 20 2 EXTRA

HOLLYWOOD CALIF 450P JULY 9 1925

CHARLES CHAPLIN

CHAPLIN STUDIO HOLLYWOOD CALIF CONGRATULATIONS ON THE SUCCESS THE GOLD RUSH IS ENJOYING AT HOLLYWOOD EGYPTIAN THEATRE STOP ITS A GREAT PICTURE

> MARY PICKFORD DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS

> > 501P

#### Details of Postal Telegraph Company Tie-up and How to Get Best Results

The Postal Telegraph Company is going to carry the message of Charlie Chaplin's triumph in the greatest comedy ever filmed, "The Gold Rush."

Through a tie-up arranged by United Artists Corporation exploitation department, the Postal is going to display in the windows of all its offices everywhere, wires from the idols of filmdom congratulating Chaplin on the showing of "The Gold Rush" at its world's premiere, Los Angeles, and

which they attended.

The Postal Telegraph Company has 1,200 branch offices in the United

Each local branch will display during the run of "The Gold Rush"

in your city a tie-up poster.

In the center of the poster will be a photograph of Charlie, surrounded by the messages of congratulations from the most famous personages in the world—the great screen stars.

This poster will be a direct tie-up with your showing of "The Gold

Rush" by announcing that it is playing at your theatre.

The messages will be signed by Mary Pickford, Douglas Fairbanks, Rudolph Valentino, William S. Hart, Norma Talmadge, Constance Talmadge and Buster Keaton.

What better commendation can the public get as an incentive for seeing "The Gold Rush" than the glowing tributes the biggest stars paid to Charlie Chaplin the night of the world opening of his picture?

The telegrams are copies of those sent personally by the above named stars on the opening night.

Hollywood's motion picture industry does a tremendous business with the Postal Telegraph Company. In return, this great organization is entering heartily into the proposal to let the world see what the biggest stars in their personal telegrams think of "The Gold Rush."

"The Gold Rush" opened at Grauman's Egyptian Theatre, Hollywood, to the most brilliant assemblage which ever graced such an occasion.

Telegrams in great volume inundated Chaplin, proclaiming "The Gold

Rush" the greatest screen achievement, not only in comedy but in all the field of photoplay art, since "The Birth of a Nation."

This tie-up was arranged through the courtesy of E. L. Thornbourgh, national advertising director of the Postal Telegraph Company, who has offered all the facilities of his company to assure perfect co-operation.

On another page in the press book of "The Gold Rush" exhibitors will find copies of the telegrams used in this tie-up. United Artists Corporation strongly urges exhibitors to use them in their lobby display.

Also use one each day in your newspaper advertising, as the public will be very interested in reading the opinions and commendations of such great stars whose names are signed to the wires.

#### Here Are the Telegrams

Get sending blanks from your local Postal agency and copy these messages just as given here with typewriter and then make a lobby display of them. The above cut on this page will show what messages, properly copied, will look like. Here they are:

279S PK 20 2 EXTRA

HOLLYWOOD CALIF 450P JULY 9 1925 CHARLES CHAPLIN

CHAPLIN STUDIO HOLLYWOOD CALIF CONGRATULATIONS ON THE SUCCESS THE GOLD RUSH IS ENJOYING AT HOLLYWOOD EGYPTIAN THEATRE STOP ITS A GREAT PICTURE

> MARY PICKFORD DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS 50IP

#### Chaplin Telegram and One Column Newspaper Cuts

HOLLYWOOD CALIF 107P JUNE 27 1925

CHARLES CHAPLIN

CHARLES CHAPLIN STUDIOS

1420 LA BREA HOLLYWOOD CALIF PLEASE ACCEPT MY WARMEST CONGRATULATIONS ON THE GOLD RUSH ONCE MORE YOU HAVE BEEN THE BIG FACTOR IN MAKING MOTION PICTURE HISTORY BEST WISHES ALWAYS

NORMA TALMADGE

127 PM

178S U 40

HOLLYWOOD CALIF 105P JUNE 27 1925 CHARLES CHAPLIN

CHARLES CHAPLIN STUDIOS

1420 LA BREA HOLLYWOOD CALIF I HAVE JUST SEEN THE GOLD RUSH AND CANNOT RESIST THE URGE TO TELL YOU HOW MARVELOUS I CONSIDER IT TO BE CERTAINLY IT IS YEARS AHEAD OF ANY PICTURE OF THE KIND AND UNDOUBTEDLY WILL BE AN OVERWHELMING SUCCESS

CONSTANCE TALMADGE

134 PM

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HOLLYWOOD CALIF 1125A JUNE 27 1925

CHARLES CHAPLIN

GRAUMANS EGYPTIAN THEATRE HOLLYWOOD CAL CONGRATULATIONS ON THE GOLD RUSH IT IS MARVELOUS I NEVER LAUGHED SO MUCH IT HAS A SUBTLE ARTISTRY AND DEEP UNDERSTANDING OF LIFE KINDEST PERSONAL REGARDS

RUDOLPH VALENTINO

1145A

194S U 59

HOLLYWOOD CALIF 1256P JUNE 29th 1925

CHARLES CHAPLIN

CHAPLIN STUDIO HOLLYWOOD CALIF GOLD IS WHEREVER WE FIND IT THE POCKET WAS IN YOUR BRAIN GOING TO ALASKA MERELY MADE IT A TIGHER GRADE DONT LET ATTAINMENT BE THE END OF DESIRE PUT YOUR THUMB PRINT ON A WHOLE LOT MORE YOUR DRAMA IS GREAT AND AS FOR THE COMEDY I HAVENT HAD ROOM FOR A LAUGH SINCE SEEING THE GOLD RUSH

BILL HART

125P

174S U 14

HOLLYWOOD CALIF 107P JUNE 27 1925

CHARLES CHAPLIN

CHARLES CHAPLIN STUDIOS

1420 LA BREA HOLLYWOOD CALIF

CONGRATULATIONS ON THE GOLD RUSH IT IS

CERTAINLY THE MOST IMPRESSIVE COMEDY EVER MADE

BUSTER KEATON

126P



CHARLIE CHAPLIN in

BB-1—One Column Scene Cut (coarse) for Newspaper Use. Price 30 cents. CHARLIE CHAPLIN in THE GOLD RUSH'
Mats 5 cents



BB-2-One Column Scene Cut (coarse) for Newspaper Use. Pr Mats 5 cents Price 30 cents.



Charlie Chaplin and his white Chow in a scene in his new ten-reel comedy, "The Gold Rush," which is being heralded everywhere as the being heralded everywhere as a corporation.

greatest laugh special ever made. Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall release Special Publicity—One Column Cut for It is scheduled for early fall



Charlie Chaplin coming in out of the cold in his new feature length comedy, "The Gold Rush," which is scheduled for early United Artists Corporation release .- A.

Special Publicity—One Column Cut for Newspapers. Price 30 cents. Mats 5 cents. Order by Letter B

#### Two and Three Column Scene Cuts for New spapers



CHARLIE CHAPLIN in 'THE GOLD RUSH"

BB-3—Two Column Cut (coarse) for Newspaper Use.

Price 50 cents. Mats 10 cents



CHARLIE CHAPLIN in 'THE GOLD RUSH"

BB-4—Two Column Cut (coarse) for Newspaper Use.

Price 50 cents. Mats 10 cents



CHARLIE CHAPLIN in 'THE GOLD RUSH"

BB-5—Three Column Cut (coarse) for Newspaper Use. Price 75 cents. Mats 20 cents

#### Three Column Special Publicity Cuts



The famous Charlie Chaplin feet being warmed in a "fireless cooker" in an Alaskan miner's hu: The scene is from Chaplin's forthcoming ten-reel comedy, "The Gold Rush," scheduled for early fall release through United Artists Corporation. The story deals with the early days of the Klondyke gold stampede.—E.

Special Publicity—Three Column Cut for Newspaper Use. Price 75 cents. Mats 20 cents. Order by Letter E



"Greater love hath no man than this." A scene from Charlie Chaplin's new feature length comedy. "The Gold Rush," which deals with the early Klondyke stampede days and is scheduled for early fall release through United Artists Corporation.—F

Special Publicity—Three Column Cut for Newspaper Use. Price 75 cents. Mats 20 cents. Order by Letter F

#### Special Publicity and Special Advertising Cuts



A sad-looking Charlie Chaplin in his greatest laugh-producing comedy, "The Gold Rush," which is being made ready for early fall release through United Artists Corporation. The picture deals with the early tampedes into the Klondyke country.—C.

Special Publicity—Two Column Cut for Newspapers. Price 50 cents.

Mats 10 cents. Order by Letter C



If there is any doubt as to the identity of the man in the foreground, just look at the trick cane and the funny feet. Then you'll know it's a scene from Charlie Chaplin's forthcoming feature length comedy, "The Gold Rush," scheduled for early fall release through United Artists Corporation.—D.

Special Publicity—Two Column Cut for Newspapers. Price 50 cents.

Mats 10 cents. Order by Letter D



BBD-6—Two Column Special Advertising Cut To Be Used for Any Sized Display. Price 50 cents. Mats 10 cents



A Dramatic Comedy Written and Directed by CHARLIE CHAPLIN

"This is the picture that I want to be remembered by"
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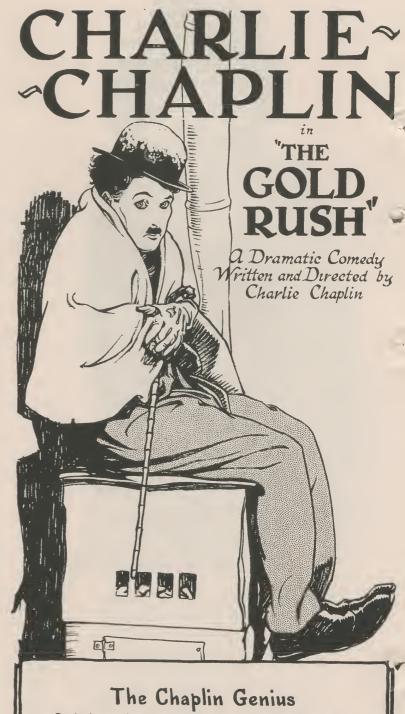
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Heartaches
become rib - ticklers.

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Of the Klondike stampede made to seem uproariously funny.

#### Hunger Pangs

The basis of antics so clever that they make you forget pain.

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#### First Advance Stories—Cast and Synopsis

#### "THE GOLD RUSH" IS CHAPLIN'S GREATEST

Attraction by the Blank Theatre Manager

At last, the world's foremost comedian, Charlie Chaplin, has launched his greatest comedy, "The Gold Rush," on the sea of popular fancy. Announcement is made by Manager ..... of the ......Theatre, that he has paid the record price for any photoplay ever shown in ......and that the celebrated star's new United Artists Corporation release comes here

For sixteen months, Charlie Chaplin worked on this production. During that time he was practically a hermitrecluse to all, save his studio associates. Only the vaguest announcements of progress on "The Gold Rush" came from his studio.

The factory system of movies, and the consequent mediocrity as an art, have in Charlie Chaplin an example of the opposite production method in this dramatic comedy. It has been made with the artist's necessary leisure. It was never restricted by definite schedule or time-clock methods, but inspired by

or time-clock methods, but inspired by Chaplin with a passion for perfection as his only taskmaster.

When Chaplin works, he burrows into solitude. He broods, agonizes, sweats comedy and its dramatic counterbalance from his soul. He creates by inspiration. When the mood is upon him, he toils feverishly. Then he may rest and brood again for weeks—and always when the productive throes are upon him he is sensitive to the thumpings of him he is sensitive to the thumpings of

the outside world.

Chaplin senses, and expresses more than any other entertainer, the close af-finity between the ludicrous and the pathetic; his comedy springs from within

more as a matter of mood than of circumstance. Usually he needs very little story structure to his comedy, but in "The Gold Rush" he has created a in "The Gold Rush" he has created a rugged story in which laughter surges from the spectacle of a valiant weakling; facing perils which strewed the paths of the early gold seekers with skeletons

In the role of a hardluck sourdough, dressed in the baggy pants, the floppy shoes, the old derby and funny cane of early association, Charlie twists the sufferings of the Alaskan pioneers into a strange commingling of humor and tragedy. He thaws fun from a frosty, forbidding background. The treatment is whelly unlike anything hitherto done forbidding background. The treatment is wholly unlike anything hitherto done, and strikes a new note in photo drama-

Charlie Chaplin's "The Gold Rush" contains comedy, drama, satire, melo-drama, farce. Not to forget a little slapstick—and everything else in the way of entertainment all rolled into one big ten reeled film.

This great picture will be shown in at the ..... Theatre for the first time next evening, and Manager has made special arrangements for the handling of the crowds. Also first aid treatment will be rendered to those overcome by laughter.

Maker Ever Produced

The Alaska of the days of the Klondike gold rush; the lone prospector; miners, big and little and old and young; dance-halls and dance-hall girls and

#### PATHOS AND COMEDY IN CHAPLIN FILM

Super-Comedy Booked as Feature Great Comedian Seen as Pathetic Tenderfoot in "The Gold Rush"

> In "The Gold Rush," called Charlie Chaplin's greatest comedy, and coming next ..... to the ..... under a United Artists Corporation release, the world's most famous comedian is seen as a pathetic tenderfoot struggling along with hundreds of others who are in search of gold in the

Poetic pathos and whimsical comedy are cleverly blended in this film. There is one scene in which Charlie, a bedraggled bit of humanity, finds a sympathizer and sweetheart—a girl in a dance hall. She dances with the little tramp who beams over her shoulder into the eyes of his rival, a wealthy miner.

There is Jim McKay, a giant as strong as an ox. McKay is enraged and Charlie trembles as the big man menaces him. The little man thinks after all that death is better than the loss of the queen of the dance-hall.

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To have the right types in Truckee, in Northern California, where many scenes of this picture were produced. Chaplin took out a special trainload of hoboes with well-seared countenances and tattered clothes.

In several sequences it seems an end-less line of ragged humanity that is crossing the Chilkoot Pass. A blizzard rages and men are blown about helplessly. They fight on doggedly, as this winding path cut through the snows over a precipitous mountainside, gateway to their goal, the Klondike.

Then in another stretch there is

Then in another stretch there is Black Larsen, who lives in terror of the police. He builds a hut in the Alaska mountains and lives as a hermit amid snow and ice. To this hut comes the pathetic Chaplin. He knocks at the door for a rest before plodding along to the land of gold. Larsen does not care who starves, as he is not going to take any chances of the police apprehending him. hending him.

The scenes aboard a big steamship are full of human interest. The luxury and comfort of the first cabin are contrasted with the misery, want and sickness in the steerage. There is the little man, who a few years before went on the long hike to the Klondike, and who now aboard the great vessel, is seen wrapped in costly furs. He is unhappy because he has lost his girl. But in the steerage there is a girl returning home from Alaska wishing she could find her dear little trays again. little tramp again.

BILLING, CAST AND SYNOPSIS

#### CHARLIE CHAPLIN

"THE GOLD RUSH"

A Dramatic Comedy Written and Directed by CHARLIE CHAPLIN

Released by United Artists Corporation

THE CAST

THE LONE PROSPECTOR

Big Jim McKay

Mack Swain

Black Larsen

Tom Murray

The Girl

Georgia Hale

Jack Cameron

Malcolm Waite

Hank Curtis

Miners, Dancehall Girls and Habitues, Inhabitants, Officers, Assayers,

Ships Officers, Passengers, Reporters, Photographers, Etc.

Locale: The Alaskan Northwest.

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#### STUDIO STAFF

Associate Director, Charles F. Reisner; Assistant Director, H. d'Abbadie d'Arrast; Technical Director, Charles D. Hall; Cinematographer, Roland H. Totheroh; Cameraman, Jack Wilson; Editorial, Edward Manson; General Manager, Alfred Reeves.

#### THE SYNOPSIS'

The picture opens with a long line of human ants toiling up a snow-clad mountain side. The story, presented against a rugged background of Alaskan Northwest, for the time being, concerns only three individuals.

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#### KLONDIKE STAMPEDE CHAPLIN FILM THEME

"The Gold Rush" Called Greatest Comedy Celebrated Laugh-

hangerson; mining camp types of all at the ..... theatre and the sorts; assayers; ships' officers and crews; incoming and outgoing passengers; newspaper correspondents and photographers—this is the locale and these are the people pictured in Charlie Chaplin's new motion picture comedy, "The Gold Rush," heralded by critics and experts as the greatest of all Chaplin portrays the lone prospector, and others in the cast are Mock Sprain

#### Advance Stories for Newspapers

#### TEARS AND TRAGEDY TURNED TO COMEDY

Career in "The Gold Rush," New Film

Charlie Chaplin's new picture, "The Gold Rush," coming to the ..... theatre next ..... is announced as a comedy drama with a story of laughter and tears and of hope deferred. It is a rugged story with the spectacle of a valiant weakling in search of gold in the biting blizzards of the

"The Gold Rush," a United Artists Corporation release, brings Charlie Chaplin to the topmost peak of his dazzling career. His work in this picture will place him secure as the greatest pantomimist of all recorded time.

This story of the Alaskan gold rush; interwoven with all the jabbings of fate that well can come to one who is typical of life-almost reaching the goal, and watching its shadow disappear with the pained expression that only a Chaplin can wear-is a story crowned with the majesty of enterprise and the futility of

This comedy-drama-tragedy of the Alaska of byegone days is called Chaplin's greatest picture for two reasons. It is said to represent his intellectual and artistic growth fresh from his dramatic triumph, "A Woman of Paris," and secondly, it runs the entire gamut of human emotions; the blended panorama of life, the subtle and vital essence of it, the defeat and the victory and growth of a soul in struggle.

And through all the picture Charlie has not forgotten the children. There is a tenderness in the little comedian for the children of the nations. They were his first admirers and well he knows it. It was their response that led him on to fame and fortune. And always, in the making of comedy, he considers them.

And yet, in his role of the hardluck sourdough, Chaplin presents the biography of a life with complete understanding and sympathy. And while the pathos and sufferings of the characters are converted into laughter, there is linked to the picture a chain of circumstantial tragedy that is relieved by the great comedian's ribald mastery of pantomime and comedy.

Charlie Chaplin in "The Gold Rush," fresh from its triumphant presentations in New York, Chicago, Los Angeles and other large cities will be shown in ..... for the first time next ..... evening at the ...... Theatre where it is booked for a limited engagement.

#### CHAPLIN'S COMEDY **BUILT ON TRAGEDY**

Charlie Chaplin at Peak of His Human Hardships Turned Into "The Gold Rush" Called Greatest Hilarity by Comedian in "The Gold Rush"

> The new Charlie Chaplin motion picture comedy, "The Gold Rush," has been described by those closely associated with the world's greatest comedian as a symbolical autobiography of the great star himself.

> With that genius which peculiarly is Chaplin's own, and against a background of the Klondike gold stampede into Alaska, the screen-comedian has depicted with subtly tender and delicate master strokes, the struggle of man's eternal search for happiness, its heartbreaks and its tears; its humor, its laughter and its joys.

> Charlie of the little derby hat, the tricky little cane, the baggy trousers, the mustache, the waddling walk and big shoes,—the man who has made more laughs for the world than any other living comedian has built in "The Gold comedian has built in Rush," a delightful structure of fun and hilariousness, which comes to the.....theatre next ..... under a theatre next ...... under United Artists Corporation release.

> On the tragedy and misery suffered by the pioneers who first journeyed into Alaska, and on the dramatics of the soul sufferings of the "sourdough" who braved mountains, ice, snow, starvation, leath, in their mad rush for gold, Charlie Chaplin has built the funniest and most laugh-producing comedy of his career.

> He has cast himself in the role of the hard-luck "sourdough" who chases rain-bows of the heart and of the soul in the midst of a struggling mob that pursues one thing only—gold, and nothing but gold. Pathos and suffering are converted by the Chaplin genius into laughter and comedy; and there is a laugh in every one of the nearly nine thousand feet of film in "The Gold Rush."

#### CHAPLIN'S COMEDY AN AUTOBIOGRAPHY

Laugh Producer of Star's Career

That Charlie Chaplin has made in "The Gold Rush," his new screen feature, his greatest comedy is the claim all Chaplin comedies—the public will see advanced by those who have seen it in its completed form.

The little comedian in his famous character of old has created, in one episode, more laughs than are usually shown in feature comedies of many thousands of feet. But laughs alone are not relied upon to make this United by those who have seen it as far and Artists Corporation release, Charlie's greatest. The story and dramatics of the production are revolutionary.

"The Gold Rush" is really Charlie's screened autobiography, symbolized against the background of Alaskan gold rush days. The stirring days of the Klondike rushes, the hardships endured by the pioneers who journeyed to that icebound country are depicted with intense realism of one who in his early life, has had to live through the tragedy of hunger and misery.

"Chilkoot Pass," that famous gateway to the great Klondike cut through the snows over a precipitous mountain side, the pass which struck terror in the heart of the bravest and where many faltered, has been duplicated and its hardships re-enacted by one who in the first stages of his career has had to fight his way inch by inch in a tremendous struggle for recognition and final ma-

terial, ease.

The gold and the riches that finally "successful" prospector in come to the "The Gold Rush" do not bring him the happiness—as the material success that Charlie Chaplin's at last has never

#### \$6,000 TO FILM A CHAPLIN SCENE

Chilkoot Pass Portrayed in "The Gold Rush" Cost Small Fortune

The famed Chilkoot Pass, the gunsight notch through which gold-seek-

The panorama of the pass was filmed near the summit of the high Sierras at an elevation of 9850 feet and cost Chaplin more than \$50,000 for the filming. The upper slopes of Mt. Lincoln, far above timber line where eternal snows are banked, was the locale

clivity from a narrow basin, known as "The Sugar Bowl," where a rude min-

The task of gathering the men was easier than it appears, for the prospect of appearing in a picture with the most famed of vagabonds brought tramps from far and wide, and they realistically battled the snow like the lure was

#### **NEW COMEDY NOTE** IN CHAPLIN'S FILM

But the Chaplin of Old Also Is Found in New Feature, "The Gold Rush"

Though a new note is sounded in the showing of Charlie Chaplin's new ninereel comedy feature photoplay, "The Gold Rush," described as the greatest of also all the Chaplin tricks that have put this picture star in a class entirely by

"The Gold Rush," a United Artists Corporation release, which is scheduled as the feature attraction for the..... theatre next ..... is described away the best piece of work Chaplin

has ever done; and by far, the funniest. It also presents a biographic symbolization of the real Charlie Chaplin; his life from the days of an unknown to the best known man in the world is portrayed between a range of deep pathos and hilarious comedy against a background of hardships as one of the gold seekers in the early stampede days in the frozen wastes of Alaska.

the frozen wastes of Alaska.

A new note in comedy dramatics is sounded; an advanced departure in character portrayal and delineation is revealed with Chaplin in "The Gold Rush." But, in addition, there is the Charlie of old—the Charlie of the little derby, the trick cane, the baggy trousers, the little mustache, the sloppy shoes and the funny walk. All of Chaplin, and a lot more is to be found in this and a lot more, is to be found in this new picture.

#### **FUNNIEST CHAPLIN** IN "THE GOLD RUSH"

"The Gold Rush," Charlie Chaplin's new screen feature coming next..... to the ...... theatre under a United Artists Corporation release, is a symbolical autobiography by Chaplin

With that genius which is peculiarly his own, and against the background of old Klondike gold rush days of Chaplinesque conception, the greatest screen-comedian has depicted with subtly tender and delicate masterstrokes the struggle of man's eternal hunt for happiness, its hearthreaks and tears and its piness, its heartbreaks and tears and its laughter and joy.

Charlie Chaplin of the derby, cane, baggy trousers, funny mustache and waddling walk who has made the whole world laugh more than any other mere comedian that ever lived, has built in "The Gold Rush" a delightful structure of fun and laughter.

On the tragedy and misery suffered by the pioneers who first journeyed to the ice-bound Alaska, and on the drama of the soul sufferings of the sourdough who braved mountains, ice, snow and starvation and death in their mad rush for gold, Chaplin has built the funniest and most hilarious comedy of his career.

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ing camp was constructed.

The locale is nine miles from the railroad and a trail had to be cut through an immense fir forest to make possible the bringing up the huge quantities of paraphernalia necessary to build the camp and film the pan-

The pass opened and mining camp constructed, the Southern Pacific was asked to round up an army of 2,500 extras to present the prospectors in the Klondike dash. In two days the company had assembled the greatest band of human derelicts ever as-sembled, their blanket rolls carrying all their personal belongings.

gold itself and not just a day's pay.

The frigid temperature and the la-

To construct the pass, professional ski jumpers were employed to notch out steps of a pathway 2300 feet long rising 1,000 feet up the precipitous de-

#### During Run Stories Newspapers Will Use

#### Klondike's Chilkoot Pass Built for Chaplin Movie

Famous Gateway to Alaskan Gold Fields Reproduced with Startling Realism in "The Gold Rush," Called Greatest Comedy of Master Screen Comedian

wealth, which drew the multitude ever on and on, in rainbow promise to the uttermost recesses of its wilderness and desolation. Tens of thousands who gave, and still are giving of their best years, to a struggle which has no parallel in the annals of human history. A far pilgrimage from civilization to the frozen solitudes of the Alaskan Northwest; marked with the life blood of men whose shallow graves dot the bleak hillsides of many a mountain pass. The long trail whose drama stretched from the shores of Puget Sound to the Arctic ocean.

"The Gold Rush"-Charlie Chaplin's conception of the Alaska which confronted the early gold seekers is presented in the opening scenes, and are merely shown as atmospheric introduction to the comedy classic. These scenes represent an expenditure of upward of \$50,000—and were made in the High Sierras of the California Rockies. "The Gold Rush" comes to the

theatre next ..... under a United Artists Corporation release.

The famous "Chilkoot Pass"—the gateway to the Klondike gold fields—is suggested by Chaplin. The rugged camps of the pioneers are pictured, cluttering at the base of frozen cliffs. To make the pass, a pathway 2300 feet long was cut through the snow, rising to an ascent of 1000 feet on elevations of 250 feet. of 1,000 feet at an elevation of 9,850 feet. Winding through a narrow defile to the top of Mt. Lincoln, the pass was only made possible because of the drifts of eternal snow against the mountainside. The exact location was accomplished in a narrow basin—a natural formation known as the "Sugar Bowl."

To reach this spot, trail was broken through the big trees and deep snow, a distance of nine miles from the railroad, and all paraphernalia was hauled through an immense fir forest. There a construc-

Alaska—A land of mystery and fabled tion camp was laid for the building of ealth, which drew the multitude ever the pioneers' city. To make possible the cutting out of the pass, a club of young men, professional ski-jumpers, were employed to dig steps in the frozen snows at the temperature of the pass. at the topmost point—as there the pass is perpendicular and the ascent was made

only after strenuous effort.

With the building of the mining camp, and the completion of the pass, special agents of the Southern Pacific railway were asked to round up 2500 men for this scene. In two days a great gathering of derelicts had assembled. They came with their own blanket packs on their backs; the frayed wanderers of the western nation. It was beggary on a holiday,

A more rugged and picturesque gather ing of men could hardly be imagined They arrived at the improvised scene of Chilkoot Pass in special trains—and what is more—special trains of dining cars went ahead of them. It was thought best to keep the diners in full view of the derelicts.

To see them going through the "scene' was a study in the fine qualities of human nature. They responded to Chaplin and his director as if by magic. These wasted men trudged through the heavy snow of the narrow pass as if gold were actually to be their reward—and not just a day's To them, what mattered, they were to be seen in a picture with Chaplin—the mightiest vagabond of them all. It would be a red-letter day in their lives—the day they went over Chilkoot Pass with Char-

lie Chaplin.

The comedian himself played the role of director general. He was here, there, and everywhere; giving instructions; leading the men—and on occasions mixing with them throughout the day. It was possibly the most successfully handled mob scene ever assembled before a movie camera. This short episode of Chilkoot Pass will bewilder and charm the most blase movie fan.

#### **NEW CHAPLIN FILM** PROVES SUPREMACY

"The Gold Rush," Latest Comedy, Places Him in Place of Undisputed Leadership

The question of leadership in the photoplay has, seemingly, once and for all time been decisively settled. And filmdom's crown now rests with the one and only Charlie Chaplin.

The crowds surging to the ..... theatre to see his latest and greatest comedy, "The Gold Rush," a United Artists Corporation release, proves conclusively that the owner of the most famous feet in the world-more famous than Trilby's, though, perhaps not so beautiful-has parked them firmly and triumphantly on the pedestal of popular fancy.

With Chaplin away from the screen for over two years, it has been easy for other comedians to surge toward the front line of popularity. It was natural that picturegoers should lend an ear to their claims in the comedy field and forget somewhat of the man who once won their unswerving allegiance.

Now, with the showing of "The Gold Rush," the Charlie the whole world has known is brought back, the Charlie with the big shoes, the funny little derby hat, the baggy pants and the trick cane; not to forget the famous mouse mustache-

is back to prove that he still stands un-challenged; the king of all comedians. "This is the picture I want to be re-membered by," is the only comment that Charlie has to make regarding his tri-umphant return to leadership. And as

Manager remarks:

"How could anyone who sees 'The Gold Rush' ever forget Charlie Chaplin.
The laughter and enjoyment he has brought to the world will be remembered

#### LURKING TRAGEDY TURNED TO COMEDY

Charlie Chaplin Does It in His New Feature, "The Gold Rush"

It is related that it is much harder to move audiences to laughter than to tears, and odd devices often are used by studio and stage technicians to produce mirth by contrasts.

There isn't anything particularly funny about a double-barrelled shotgun. In fact this particular weapon and other firearms are tragedy props ten times where they appear in a comedy once.

Yet what has been pronounced one of the funniest scenes in Charlie Chaplin's comedy-drama of the frozen North, "The Gold Rush," now at the ...... Theatre, revolves about a

two-barrelled fowling piece.

The comedy is achieved by Chaplin's ludicrous efforts to keep out of the range of the muzzle of the gun, while stark tragedy impends with two men fighting for their lives over the possession of the weapon. The scene is said to present Chaplinesque comedy at its

Again, in a later scene of the picture, Chaplin uses the weapon as a mirth-provoker by his efforts to hide the gun from "Big Jim McKay," played by Mack Swain, when the latter loses his reason through the ravages of hunger and seeks the life of the comedian.

In each case lurking tragedy is the background employed to move people to mirth through contrast with the lu-dicrous. It is said Chaplin senses more than any other entertainer this affinity between seeming opposites.

#### ANIMAL ACTORS IN CHAPLIN PICTURES

John Brown, a Bear, and Gyp, a Dog, Have Roles in "The Gold Rush"

Not the least important of the players in "The Gold Rush," Charlie Chaplin's new comedy-drama, now showing at the ...... theatre, are two furry-coated actors who never change their costumes.

John Brown, who plays the role of himself, the big brown bear, was one member of the company on location who really revelled in the snow coun-

After spending his days and nights in Southern California, John Brown was taken up into the high Sierras and no sooner had he sniffed the mountain air than he apparently thought he had returned to the freedom of the

as he sought to tear up his cage. A stockade was built for him, and for days, hour in and hour out, while the company was on location, he frolicked

in the snow to his heart's content.
On the days when he appeared before the camera, his happiness reached its zenith, as following each "take" he was turned loose and permitted to scamper off among the trees, to be re-captured only after much difficulty when it was necessary to send him through a scene again, or corral him for the night.

Gyp, the dog in "The Gold Rush." a United Artists Corporation release, is a permanent part of the Chaplin studio organization. He was saved from the lethal chamber in Hollywood city pound to enter the films, and his past is shrouded in mystery

But his future is assured, for after he appeared in "The Gold Rush" he became a pensioner with Bill, the actor pup who appeared in "A Dog's Life" with Charlie Chaplin. The two now share honors in assisting the gate-For the first few days he was unmanageable, and it was necessary to give him as much freedom as possible, the first few days he was unstange to relate, apparently without the jealousy that is evidenced by stars of a higher scale of intelligence.

#### ONE MAN POWER IN CHAPLIN PICTURE

"The Gold Rush" Written, Directed and Produced by Famous Comedian

In these days of stupendous and hurried effort on the part of producers in the studios, a motion picture of ten parts written, directed and produced by one man at his necessary leisure constitutes a distinct novelty.

Such a production is "The Gold

and action, said to be one of the se-crets of Chaplin successes, required months more.

schedules in the Chaplin studio, as filming is not done when the master comedian is not there.

It is sæid that "The Gold Rush" was made by Chaplin largely through inspiration. At times he toiled feverishly on the production for days at a time, calling for the utmost efforts from his studio staff to meet his requirements. Again, he rested for weeks of studied reflection, until the necessary urge brought him to activity with new ideas

for the picture.
Usually Chaplin needs very little story structure to his comedy, but in "The Gold Rush" he is the center of a real drama of the frozen North in the role of a hardluck sourdough, dressed in the baggy pants, the floppy shoes, the old derby and cane of early association. Chaplin is credited with a keen sense of the affinity between the ludicrous and the pathetic, and his tenpart comedy-drama is hailed as an innovation in photo-dramatics.

The comedian himself directed prac-

tically every foot of the film, even to handling an army of 2,500 men on lomonths more.

In contrast to ordinary methods of production, there are no time-clock feature of the picture.

#### Stories About The Players in the Picture

#### FROM GRAND OPERA TO CHAPLIN COMEDY

Harvey Bergman Has Important Role in "The Gold Rush," Charlie's New Movie

Henry Bergman who plays the role of Hank Curtis in Charlie Chaplin's com-edy, "The Gold Rush," a United Artists Corporation production, now playing at

His first appearance in pictures was with Pathe in New York. Later he came to Hollywood and joined Charlie Chaplin's company, since then having appeared in all of Charlie's comedies for the last ten years.

#### FILM ACTOR WED TO ONE WIFE 25 YEARS

Mack Swain Working in Twenty-Fifth Picture in "The Gold Rush"

During the making of Charlie Chap-lin's United Artists Corporation com-edy, "The Gold Rush," now playing at 

Swain says his part in this picture is the finest role he has ever played in his entire stage and screen career of thirtyfive years. Swain creates a fine heavy and foil for Charlie's characterization, and is always a sympathetic and inspirational co-worker.

#### **ANKLE SPRAIN PUT** GIRL INTO PICTURES

Georgia Hale's First Work Toward Stardom Seen in Chaplin's Comedy

A twist of the wrist has brought fame and fortune to many a man, but it was a twist of the ankle that placed Georgia Hale, "The Girl, Georgia" in Charlie Chaplin's comedy-drama "The Gold Rush" in a position where the

gates of stardom in pictures were opened to her.

Born in St. Joseph, Missouri, of English and French parents, Miss Hale spent most of her life in Chicago, where she studied voice and dancing,

where she studied voice and dancing, intending to make the stage her profession, but always with dreams of a motion picture career in California.

Entering a Chicago beauty contest in 1922, Miss Hale's personality and charms won for her the honor of representing the Windy City in the Atlantic City national contest as "Miss Chicago." Best of all, she received a cash prize of \$1,250, which meant the realization of her dreams of a trip to Hollywood.

At Atlantic City she lost in the com-

At Atlantic City she lost in the competition for the honor of "Miss America," but made ready for the journey to Hollywood. Arriving in the cinema capital in July, 1923, Miss Hale got her first opportunity in doing a bit in a dancing scene, with a bright outlook for a real future. outlook for a real future.

But Fate intervened when she fell and severely sprained her ankle. She was compelled to hobble on crutches for nearly six months, and when her parents arrived in California at the end of this time, they found Georgia with only \$12,—still lame and unhappy.

Inspired by the timely arrival of her two sisters, her mother and father, she evidenced her courage by seeking work as an "extra." She accepted an offer as an "extra." She accepted an offer to pose before the camera without salary in a picture being screened Joseph von Sternberg, titled "The Salvation Hunters"—for the opinion of Charlie Chaplin and Douglas Fair-

Opportunity had returned for she immediately attracted the attention of the producers, and Charlie's enthusiasm for her work in upholding the dramatic values of this picture, encouraged Fairbanks to place her under contract. Chaplin did not forget her, and when he sought a leading lady for his great comedy-drama of Alaska, Miss Hale won over scores of aspirants for the honor of playing with the master com-edian.

#### VAUDEVILLE STAR IN CHAPLIN MOVIE

Tom Murray, Veteran Song and Dance Man, Villain in "The Gold Rush"

partner, doing a black face song and partner, doing a black tace song and dance act. This partnership act of Gillihan & Murray has played in every English speaking part of the world. And today these two boys put on the burnt cork between pictures and step out doing their old song and dance act—the only addition to their repertoire being that Tom has learned to play his learned to play his power accompaniment on the utwalete. own accompaniment on the ukulele.

#### **HOW GEORGIA HALE GOT INTO PICTURES**

Leading Woman in Charlie Chap- Mack Swain, Long Close Friend lin's "Gold Rush" Tells Experiences

The following is a simple little story told by a young lady, unaffected by the prominence that success has brought her as Charlie Chaplin's leading lady in "The Gold

#### By Georgia Hale

"When six years old, the longing to express myself came into my consciousness. Dancing and singing seemed to be my childhood means to this expression. I never could understand-nor be understood-by other children. By this I mean; they were ever satisfied with the things within reach.

"My heart was set on becoming a singer. To enable me to study and take vocal lessons, I spent all my spare hours posing for calendars and kiddie fashions. Even this work seemed to make me happy. I kept it a secret from my schoolmates, and with this secret I liked to imagine myself quite the mysterious, important

"At school I played the leading role in 'Pinafore' and other plays put on for special class days. Then the desire to go on the stage seemed to take hold of me, and I became restless for this work. I started at the bottom, practically doing nothing—one of many aspirants for fame on the stage. When my first chance came to sing solos, this, I remember, was the greatest height I ever cared to reach.

"But the attainment of our desire ends there. And I started looking higher, hoping to find in the next step the goal of happiness. Motion pictures began unconsciously to usurp the place

of music in my mind.
"I entered the Chicago beauty contest of 1922, and won. As 'Miss Chicago' I was sent to Atlantic City, and my desire was now centered on the screen. With the money I received from the pageant contest I came to Hollywood.

"They say it is always darkest just before the dawn. So it was with me here in Hollywood, 'The Salvation Hunters' 'caught' in its net a lot of us who were in a dejected state and placed us on dry land—out in the sunshine, as it were.

"I cannot express how it feels to have attained the certain success which I have strived for—only the desire seems to be real. It is to concentrate your whole being on one object. Then to be able to encircle that object with your heart while you absorb all in thoughts of happiness, achievement and strength. Then comes the work of living up to the expectations. Out of hard work we learn failure is due to our wrong thoughts and that desires are only displaced by desires."

#### **FUNNIEST VILLAIN** IN CHAPLIN MOVIE

of Comedian, in "The Gold Rush"

Mack Moroni Swain is the name borne by "the funniest villain" in the role of Big Jim McKay with Charlie Chaplin in "The Gold Rush," a United Artists Corporation release, now playing at the .....Theatre.

Swain was born February 16, 1876, in Salt Lake City, Utah. His middle name-Moroni-he gets from the angel who blows the trumpet upon the tower of the Mormon temple in Salt Lakeas his parents were Mormon pioneers, both his father and his mother having crossed the country to Brigham Young's pioneer settlement.

His mother, a Norwegian, was Mary Ingoberg Jensen, while his father, Robert H. Swain, was an Englishman. He was a stonemason, and, as such, helped build the present great Mormon Tem-

Mack started out on his histrionic career at the age of seven, when he emptied his penny bank of its twenty cents-which he gave to a printer for making cards which bore this legend: "Mack Swain's Mammoth Minstrels." With these as admission tickets, the 'minstrels" in his father's barn were a financial, social, and artistic success.

Then followed some years' of showing his amateur talents at Salt Lake church entertainments-at which he sang and danced.

Then, fifteen years of age, Mack left home to go on with a minstrel show. This was his first step up the theatrical ladder, and in his ascent he took a fling at every angle of the busiess, from stage hand to his own proess, from stage hand to his own producer. During this time he appeared in vaudeville, "straight" drama, and musical comedy. Also he met with varied success as actor, producer and manager.

During an engagement in Chicago twenty-five years ago with the Kempton & Graves stock company, he married Cora King, the company's leading lady—and she still is his wife—which perhaps is worthy of mention.

Swain's first picture work was in 1013 when he became a member of the

1913, when he became a member of the old Keystone Comedy Company, join-ing this organization at just about the same time as did Charlie Chaplin. And it was with Chaplin that he "grew up' on the screen. Both appeared to-gether in almost all the early Keystone comedies. A great friendship exists between the two.

between the two.

Commonly known and identified by the movie fans as "Ambrose," a love-sick youth, Swain became a figure insick youth, Swain became a figure indeed in these old-time comedies. The name "Ambrose" was tacked onto Mack by P. S. Harrison, a cinema critic of note in those early days. In a review of "The Fatal Mallet," he referred in words of praise to the playing of "that big fellow Ambrose" (Swain weighs nearly 300 pounds.)

#### Special "Gold Rush" Feature Stories

#### Chaplin Makes Laughs of Heartaches and Tragedies

World's Greatest Screen Comedian, Thru Artistic Genius Poetic Pathos and Whimsical Comedy Cleverly Blended and Sense of Humor, Makes Hilarious Comedy Out of the Hardships Besetting Klondike Gold Stampeders

An artistic genius and a sense of humor himself from the mob of thousands of that can convert tears and heartaches into joy and laughter—that can cause the tear only stubbornly to go his own lonely way joy and laughter—that can cause the tear of pathos to lose itself in the wrinkles of the motion picture screen.

the motion picture screen.

But this is just what Charlie Chaplin does in his new film comedy, "The Gold Rush," a United Artists Corporation release, which is described by picture experts and competent critics as the greatest Chaplin comedy ever produced. "The Gold Rush" comes to the

theatre next Out of a situation where a half-starved wanderer throws himself into a self-enforced faint at the door of a gold prospector's cabin, so the prospector will pick him to carry him in the self-enforced. him up, carry him inside and revive him with hot coffee and a much needed meal, Chaplin builds a comedy scene that is

said to excel anything he has ever done.
"The Gold Rush" deals with the stampede into the Klondike, and Chaplin has cast himself in the role of a tenderfoot and lone prospector. And when he tears associates.

"The Gold Rush," Great Comedy Drama, Largely Product

of Inspiration

NO TIME CLOCKS

through a blizzard that shreds his shabby fun—is a combination seldom met in real clothing and finally blows him like a piece life, and much less often encountered on of paper into the cabin of a fugitive from of paper into the cabin of a fugitive from justice-again tragedy is turned into hilarious comedy.

There are tears and laughter, too, when Charlie is the wrong recipient of an endearing note of apology written to his rival by the girl whom he adores, and the note—not meant for him at all sends him into the seventh heaven of enamored delight.

amored delight.

Again Charlie's all important love affair is rudely interrupted by Big Jim McKay whose one and only interest in life is the search for gold. McKay literally carries the lone little prospector away from his sweetheart—and straight to the tracture that is the realist learn better. to the treasure that is to make them both rich beyond their dreams.

"There is a laugh in every one of the nearly nine thousand feet of film in 'The Gold Rush'," says one of Chaplin's close

#### **CHAPLIN AS CHICKEN**

His Latest Film, "The

Gold Rush"

Efficiency experts, time clocks and other modern methods to speed up production played no part in the making of "The Gold Rush," and for this reason Charlie Chaplin took nearly two full years in painting the celluloid panorama of the humorous side of life in the Klondike in his great comedy-

drama now showing at the ......Theatre under a United Artists Corporation release.

Every detail from the most insignificant subtitle to the prospector's trudging over Chilkoot Pass, 2500 of them in all, in a blinding blizzard, had the personal attention of Chaplin, the man who wrote the story, directed the principle and himself already the other story. picture and himself played the star

Actual filming of the picture was started by Chaplin on February 7, 1924, after months of preparation, and 1924, after months of preparation, and the final scenes were taken on April 16, 1925. More than five hundred thousand feet of film were used in the making, and the task of cutting and editing required months more.

It is stated that "The Gold Rush" was made by Chaplin largely through inspiration. At times he toiled feverishly on the production for days at a

inspiration. At times ne toiled fever-ishly on the production for days at a time, calling for utmost efforts from his studio staff to meet his require-ments. Again, he rested for days away from the studio until new ideas brought him to activity again.

Usually Chaplin employs very little structure to his comedy, but in "The Gold Rush" he is the center of a real drama of the frozen North in the role of a hardluck "sourdough," dressed in the baggy pants, the floppy shoes, the old dcrby, and the cane of early association.

IN CHAPLIN STUDIO CREATES COMMENT Comedian Actually Plays Role in

> Ever since Charlie Chaplin presented The Gold Rush" at the ..... Theatre, his friends have been accusing him of having spent most of his spare time in a barnyard so perfect in his delineation of a chicken in this great com-

> And at the same time it has been questioned as to who it is inside the feathers. Is it really Charlie?

> .... is authority for Manager ..... the statement that none other than the one and only Charlie Chaplin plays the part of the chicken, and that it is his keen observation of life in all its phases that enables him to give such perfect portrayal of the unusual.

of this scene with Charlie in his character is carried through to the point of the "dissolve." The camera is stopped the "dissolve." The camera is stopped and all action is held—the film is turned back a certain number of pictures, and, Charlie encased in the chicken frame, which weighs over 150 pounds, takes up his position in exactly the same action and continues the scene as the chicken. Great care and infinite patience is exercised in the making of these dissolves, a shoe is offensive to good taste, but the slightest difference of position is a shoe is offensive to good taste, but the slightest difference of position is a shoe is offensive to good taste, but the slightest difference of position is a shoe is offensive to good taste, but the

as the slightest difference of position means the tedious re-taking of the en-

#### Tears Trickle Into Laugh Wrinkles In Chaplin Film

in "The Gold Rush" in Which Tragedies and Heartaches Are Turned Into Hilarious Laughter

Charlie Chaplin as a pathetic tender-foot struggling along with hundreds of others in search of gold in the Klondike, plus the Charlie Chaplin of comedy fame, with all the Chaplin tricks of old—this is the keynote of what has been described as the greatest Chaplin comedy ever filmed—"The Gold Rush," which is announced as the feature attraction for next ..... at the ..... theatre.

Poetic pathos and whimsical comedy are blended cleverly in "The Gold Rush," which was more than a year in the making, which will be shown in nine reels, and which has in it all the elements of "big production" which have been lacking the earlier and short films of this

laugh producing genius of the screen.

The picture has its bits of deepest pathos which are swept instantly into moments of hilarious comedy; a picture where the tear of pathos loses itself in the wrinkles of laughter.

the wrinkles of laughter.

There is the scene, for instance, where Chaplin, the tenderfoot, a lone bit of human flotsam and jetsam, just a bedraggled bit of lonely humanity, finds a sympathizer and a sweetheart—a girl in a dance-hall. In her garish finery she dances with the sad, little tramp, who beams over her shoulder into the eyes of his rival a wealthy miner.

of his rival, a wealthy miner.

There is Big Jim McKay, a giant with ox-like strength. He is enraged and the little Lone Prospector trembles as the big man menaces him. And the little man thinks that death, after all, is better than the loss of the gueen of the dance. than the loss of the queen of the dance-

To have the right types in Truckee, in Northern California, where many of the scenes of the picture were photographed, Chaplin took a special trainload of tramps, with well-seared faces and tattered garb. In several sequences it seems an endless line of ragged humanity that is crossing the Chilkoot Pass. A blizzard rages, and men are blown about helplessly and hopelessly. They fight on doggedly, as this winding path cut through the snows over a precipitous mountainside, is the gateway to their

goal—the Klondike, and Gold.

In another stretch in the film is Black
Larson a fugitive. He builds a little
hut in the Alaskan mountains, and there
lives as a hermit, amid snow and ice. To the hut comes the pathetic little tramp-Chaplin. He knocks at the door for rest and a bite of food, ere plodding on to the land of promised gold. Larsen does not care who starves. His only thought

is of the police.

The scenes aboard a steamship show human interest at its big height. The luxury and comfort of the first cabin are contrasted with the misery, want and are contrasted with the inisery, want and illness in the steerage. There is the little man, who a few years before went on the long hike to the Klondike, and now on board the ship is seen in rich raiment and costly furs. He is unhappy because he has lost his sweetheart. And in the steerage—there is a girl returning from Alaska, dreaming of, and wishing she could find her dear little tramp again.

#### EATING BOILED SHOE **MADE COMEDY SCENE**

And Charlie Chaplin's Genius Robs It of Repulsiveness in "The Gold Rush"

To eat one's own shoe—boiled—is

something.

But, to eat that same shoe—artistically

is an achievement!

This, is done by Charlie Chaplin in his famous comedy, "The Gold Rush," 

The photographing of these scenes is a matter of great interest—and much credit is due the photographer for the synchronizing and timing of what is known as a "lap-dissolve." The action of great artistry, the public sees Charlie Chaplin as the Lone Prospector and Mack Swain as Big Jim McKay in a lonely cabin; stormbound in the barren wastes of Alaska. been starying for days. In desperation, Charlie has removed one of his big, wornout, dilapidated shoes, boiling it with tender care, he serves it a la Ritz Chef.

The two eat this shoe. And in doing

shading of this subject-which could so means the tedious re-taking of the entire scene. However, all this is recompensed by the reception accorded this truly great dramatic comedy of Charlie Chaplin's.

easily be made repulsive—is so deftly in pantomime.

The question now arises how will laughter, the spectator will always remember the scene as one of the delicious high lights of "The Gold Rush."

#### CHAPLIN LOSES ONE OF FAMOUS SHOES

What Became of It Is Explained in "The Gold Rush," Comedy Drama

Extra! Extra! Another great tragedy in Movie

Land. Charlie Chaplin will never be able

to wear his big shoes again.

Isolated in the vast snow wastes of Alaska. Lost and without food. Alone save for that grim companion, hunger. Starvation stalking outside his windblown cabin—driven to desperation by the pangs of an empty stomach, he— as others in like places have done be-fore—eats his good friend, tho' that friend has carried him over the road to success, to the topmost peak of fame. But what is one friend to a man hungry—fame does not fill the stomach.

So, Charlie eats one of his famous

shoes. In "The Gold Rush," now playing cy and relish that is an artistic triumph

#### Use These Newspaper Stories During The Run

#### CENTENARIAN IN CHAPLIN COMEDY

Dances and Shadow-boxes in "The Gold Rush"

"Daddy" Taylor, a beloved old character of the Hollywood "movie extras brigade," was given his chance to do his stuff in Charlie Chaplin's comedy, "The Gold Rush," now playing at the.....

"Daddy" who says he is now in his one hundredth year, boasts of his youthful agility. Some of his stunts, for the amusement of the players on the Chaplin set consisted of shadow boxing, doing a buck and wing dance, followed by turning a couple of cartwheels.

Charlie was amazed and amused at seeing the old fellow "cutting-up" and immediately arranged an added bit to "The Gold Rush." And in the dance hall scene, there the public will see "Daddy" Taylor doing his stuff.

Taylor is a civil war yeteron from Minimum and the see "Daddy" and the see "Daddy" are the see "Daddy".

Taylor is a civil war veteran from Virginia and prior to his fighting for his South was a U. S. government scout. His veteran papers and scout credentials attest to the authenticity of his age.

#### SHOT GUN COMEDY IN CHAPLIN FILM

Usually Terrifying Muzzle Made Funny in Comedian's "The Gold Rush"

There is nothing particularly amusing about a double-barrelled shotgun in itself, yet this weapon plays an im-portant part in the drollery of Charlie Chaplin's comedy-drama, "The Gold Theatre.

the Lone Prospector, to keep away from the muzzle when Black Larsen, played by Tom Murray, and Big Jim McKay, portrayed by Mack Swain, are engaged in deadly combat, is regarded by many as one of the funniest scenes of the picture.

The shotgun again plays an important part when the Lone Prospector and McKay are stormbound in a cabin and the latter, maddened by hunger, seeks to slay his companion.

#### **OLD-TIME MUSIC IN** CHAPLIN COMEDY

Old time memories are recalled by 

Strains of famous old time melodies, ich as: "On the Bowery," "My Wild ish Rose," "Auld Lang Syne," Strains of famous old time melodies, such as: "On the Bowery," "My Wild Irish Rose," "Auld Lang Syne," "Loch Lomond," "Waltz Me Around Again, Willie," "Pretty Maiden Milking a Cow," "Fascination Waltz," "A Thousand Kisses Waltz," "The Wandering Minstrel," "When I Look Into the Heart of a Rose" and many of the other old-timers are rendered during the showing of "The Gold Rush." On hearing them reminiscent thought goes. hearing them reminiscent thought goes back to the days when these beautiful melodies held sway and jazz was a thing unheard of.

#### FROM ENGINEERING TO MOTION PICTURES

Role in New Chaplin Comedy

Malcolm Waite who plays the role of Jack Cameron-Jack, the ladies' manin Charlie Chaplin's comedy "The Gold Rush," a United Artists Corporation release, now playing at the ..... Theatre, is a comparative newcomer to the screen.

Born in Menominee, Mich., thirty two years ago and educated in New York, he completed his schooling at the MacKenzie School, Dobbs Ferry, N. Y. Waite started on a career of engineering. While on a visit to Hollywood in 1924, at the request of his friend, Jack Pickford, he appeared in a picture with Jack. Later Waite played the part of Perkins in Mary Pickford's "Dorothy

Waite has played. He brings to the screen a naturalness of delineation which promises to prove very popular with the public and we would like to with the public and we would like to life's ironies is what makes "The Gold see more of this type of acting on the Rush" the great picture it has been ac-

#### CHAPLIN PORTRAYS **GREAT LONELINESS**

Old Time Confederate Veteran Malcolm Waite Has Important But He Makes Comedy of It All in His New Film, "The Gold Rush"

> Were you ever out in the great alone. When the moon was awful clear, And the icy mountains hemmed you in With a silence you 'most could hear.

Then you have a hunch what it means to be alone in a crowd, a stranger in a strange land-among strange people where every man is for himself. If you don't know what this feels like, then see Charlie Chaplin in his great comedy "The Gold Rush," a United Artists Corporation release now playing at the Theatre.

See the little tramp, a disappointed prospector, amble into the dance-hall, seeking, searching for a little companion-ship—surrounded by the merry makers, Vernon of Haddon Hall."

His appearance in "The Gold Rush" is the first real part which Malcolm

We haddon Hall."

but with never a sign of welcome from anyone. Then left alone while the crowd of lucky ones go on with the dance.

Until, a smile from "the girl" seems

to kindle a spark, and as he steps forward to the greeting—finds that it is for someone else.

This, and many other little touches of

claimed by press and public.

#### **COMEDY AND PATHOS** COMBINED IN FILM

usual in New Picture "The Gold Rush"

It has been said that to combine comedy and pathos in a film production and not destroy the illusions of the audience requires a truly great

In "The Gold Rush," his great comedy-drama of Alaska in ten parts, now at ...... Theatre, Charlie Chaplin seeks the sympathies in the role of a weakling prospector, a hard luck "sourdough" in the Alaskan wilder-

One of the most touching scenes is where Chaplin prepares what to him is a banquet, but really is a pitiful attempt at an elaborate dinner, to entertain Georgia, the dancehall girl, and

His guests fail to arrive and it gradually dawns on him that they do not intend to come and that he is the victim of a ghastly joke.

"The Gold Rush" is now showing at the .....theatre under a United Artists Corporation release.

#### FILM CHILKOOT PASS WITHOUT ACCIDENT

Charlie Chaplin Does the Un- Big Scene in Chaplin's Comedy, "The Gold Rush," a Most Difficult One

> During the making of Charlie Chaplin's great comedy-drama "The Gold Rush," coming to the ..... atre, in a scene where 2500 men were employed as "sourdoughs" for the crossing of "Chilkoot Pass," the most disappointed man in the whole outfit was the company physician.

> Not a man was hurt in the entire filming of this scene. This is remarkable from the fact that these men, untrained to "mushing" through deep snows and climbing over frozen ledges were compelled to take many chances, and carrying packs on their back-hauling sleighs and other equipment over steep, precipitous places. It is miraculous that this successful scene was not marred by accident.

On the last day and the close of the scene, one of the "sourdoughs" in some way got a slight cut on the side of the head. Then the doctor was happy. With great enthusiasm he started winding bandages around this poor fortunate's head—and when through, he had used up enough bandages to make a turban for a desert sheik, and the "sourdough" looked like he had been hit by a bomb.

#### PICTURE SCENES SHOT 9.850 FEET UP

Chilkoot Pass Filmed for Charlie Chaplin's Comedy "The Gold Rush"

What has been pronounced by experts as one of the most extraordinary panoramas ever filmed is the spectacle of the famed Chilkoot Pass, gateway to the Klondike gold fields, in "The Gold Rush," Charlie Chaplin's most pretentious comedy-drama which is being presented at the .....Theatre under a United Artists Corporation release.

The awe-inspiring reproduction of e pass was made at an elevation of 9,850 feet, near the summit of the high Sierras and cost Chaplin more than \$50,000 to film. The locale was near the crest of Mt. Lincoln, far above timber line, on granite ledges where glisten eternal snows.

Professional ski jumpers were hired to cut a pathway 2300 feet long through the deeply banked snow, the ascent rising to a height of 1,000 feet above a narrow basin, known as "The Sugar Bowl," where rude camps of the prospectors were constructed.

To reach the locale, a trail had to be broken nine miles from the railroad through an immense fir forest to provide a roadway for the vast amount of material used in filming the majestic

The mining camp constructed and the pass opened, Chaplin called upon the Southern Pacific railroad to round up 2,500 men to portray the gold seektheir packs on their packs, a huge gathering of human derelicts was as-sembled, representing beggary on a holiday.

The prospect of appearing in a picture with Chaplin, the most famed of vagabonds, brought rovers from far and wide, and they realistically fought their way through the snow as if gold itself was to be their reward rather than a mere day's pay.

Chaplin himself directed the scene

giving instructions and personally leading the men as is his custom in all his productions. The frigid temperatures and the laborious ascent in the thin atmosphere of high altitude made the picture climb up the precipitous mountainside a marvel in scenic pro-

#### IN ALL CHAPLIN PICTURES

Henry Bergman who plays the part of Hank Curtis in Charlie Chaplin's comedy, "The Gold Rush," now playing at the ..... theatre, holds the unique

record of having appeared in every Chaplin comedy for the past ten years.

Bergman is one of the best known figures amongst the Hollywood Boulevardiers, and to his friends is known as "Charlie Chaplin's Cast," due to the fact that he ways live plays one or more parts that he usually plays one or more parts, having appeared in "Shoulder Arms," in four different characters. In "A Woman of Paris," he was reduced to only one part, that of the head waiter, and also in "The Gold Rush," he is identified only as Hank Curtis. But that part will well be remembered for the merriment it causes—and the laughs that ensue.

#### Publicity Stories For Use Any Time

#### Children of All Nations First to Bow to Chaplin

Celebrated Screen Comedian First Found Himself and Then Children of All Nations Soon Crowned Him "King of Laughter"—"The Gold Rush" Called His Greatest

comedian, and his early discovery, that it concerning his discovery.

As a matter of absolute fact, Charlie Chaplin was discovered by the children of all the world. He was not broke when he entered motion pictures—a young man just over twenty years old. Instead, he had several thousand dollars, a considerable sum for a young actor. Besides, he had been well known in England and America as a juvenile comedian for several years. It is well to bear in mind that he was recognized by shrewd theatrical men at that early age.

Another fact, not generally known-Chaplin was the biggest man on the comedy lot from the time he made his first comedy. Mack Swain, the giant comedian, called the "funniest villain" for his portrayal of Big Jim McKay in "The Gold Rush," the new Chaplin supercomedy, was one of the first men to appear with Chaplin in that seemingly long-ago period.

From no less authority than Swain comes the statement that Charlie Chaplin, from the very first day, divined and went beyond what was expected of him. Within a short time from his entry into pic-theatre.

So much has been said of the genius tures, directors complained to the powersof Charlie Chaplin, celebrated screen that-be that Chaplin wanted his own way and would not "take direction." It was may not come amiss to relate, as from great talent trying to assert itself, to one who has been close to him, something climb out of the embryo into the uniform of the greatest actor in the world. He was conscious of ability in his soul, as great talent ever is.

> Charlie's greatest problem in his early picture days was his struggle with the comedy makers to allow him to portray his parts and ideas as he felt them. He fought to wear the baggy trousers and the battered hat. He wanted from the first to instill ideas, humor characterization into his work. When, after much effort, he was allowed to do this he found himself-and then the children found him. They soon greeted him as the crowned King of Laughter. And within eighteen months he was world-famous-and earning a million a year.

> That Charlie Chaplin was born to be a great actor is obvious-and no one man "discovered" him at all. He first discovered himself, and the children responded. The highbrows came later—as

> they always do.
> "The Gold Rush," a United Artists Corporation production, is announced as the feature attraction for next ..... by the management of the .....

#### 500 SKILLED MEN WORKED ON MOVIE

Vast Quantities of Material in Charlie Chaplin's Comedy "The Gold Rush"

Few persons realize the vast quantities of raw material that go into the making of a picture of the magnitude of Charlie Chaplin's new film feature, "The Gold Rush," or the great army of artisans required to work these huge amounts into the ingenuous sets that feature a ten-part production, such as Chaplin's great comedy-drama now showing at the .....theatre under a United Artists Corporation re-

More than 500 skilled workmen specially trained in scenic art labored to produce the settings used in the Chaplin studio in the two years of the filming of the picture.

Lumber to the extent of 239,577 feet comprised the framework; chicken wire of 22,750 lineal feet, with 22,000 feet of burlap spread upon it, formed the covering for the artificial ice mountains used in studio panoramas of "The Gold Rush." It required 200 tons of Gold Rush." It required 200 tons of plaster, 285 tons of salt and 100 barrels of flour artificially to produce the ice and snow. In addition four car-loads of confetti were employed in pro-ducing blizzard and snow scenes.

The tools used, including 300 picks and shovels, would constitute a year's stock for a large hardware store. Other miscellaneous items of hardware that entered into the picture include 2,000 feet of garden hose, 7,000 feet of rope, four tons of steel, five tons of coke, four tons of asbestos, thirty-five tons of cement, 400 kegs of nails, 3,000 bolts, and several tons of other smaller

These items include only the material used in the studio sets and do not account for the great quantities of material transported to the summit of the high Sierras, where a very large proportion of the scenes in the picture were taken, with a great army of ex-tras and the necessary artisans in at-

On the studio lot in Hollywood were constructed huge mountains that were visible for a long distance; so realistic that many strangers in the cinema capital were deceived by the artistry of the technical heads of Chaplin's organization. Glistening in the sunlight, the artificial snow-capped peaks gave the appearance of a huge section of the snow-crowned summit of some Sierra peak transferred to Hollywood, and hundreds of visitors made pilgrimages to the neighborhood for a closer

These snow mountains were employed for close-up views, and as backgrounds for scenes not practicable to shoot in the real snowbanks them-selves. Even with the large force of workmen employed, weeks were quired to fabricate these settings. Only production at a time occupies Chaplin's attention, and the entire studio was given over to the settings used in "The Gold Rush" until the last foot of film had met with the master com-edian's approval.

#### TELLS OF CHAPLIN'S FIRST MOVIE IDEA

Present General Manager's Story Explains Growth to "The Gold Rush"

The following interesting little story cout Charlie Chaplin is told by Alfred Reeves, his present general manager who was also manager of the company in which Chaplin appeared before he entered pictures. Mr. Reeves has known Charlie from his fifteenth birthday. He has seen Charlie Chaplin's father on the stage and pronounced him one of the most talented actors of the day. It is the period of 1910 of which

Mr. Reeves speaks:
"While we played in New York,
Charlie conceived the idea of utilizing his spare time away from the theatre in the making of picture comedies. He outlined his idea to all the members of the company-thinking then that all

he needed was a camera.

"Charlie and myself, always the best of friends, agreed at the time to put up \$1,000 each for the purchase of a cam-We thought then that all we had to do was to play as in our vaudeville act, in the open air, and it would register on the screen. The idea of scenes made in short lengths, long shots and close-ups, and inserts being taken sep-arately and later assembled was never dreamed of by us. The cutting of the film, in which Charlie has no equal, was never thought of by him then.

"We entered into this agreement in all seriousness, but because our work took us away from New York, it was abandoned. But, Charlie always carried the idea in his mind. Since then we have often wondered what the outcome would have been had we carried out the would have been had we carried out the original agreement. Perhaps such a gigantic comedy as "The Gold Rush," the new Chaplin United Artists Corporation production, would have come

"On returning to England in the summer of 1912, we combined business with mer of 1912, we combined business with pleasure by playing the theatres of the Channel Islands. While playing the theatre on the Island of Jersey, there was a street parade and carnival in progress and a news weekly cameraman recorded the event. He was here, there and everywhere, but wherever he went a very pompous gentleman, who was apparently in charge of affairs, would always be found in front of the camera He would shake hands with the lens. local dignitaries and always turn away from them and face the camera as he did so. He might be termed the first 'camera hog.' Always would he bow and register his greeting to the camera while his guests stood in the background, or off to one side.

completely "Charlie was fascinated by this bit of business, and told me then that some day he would put it in a picture. In an early picture of his—'Kids Auto Races'—you will find the fulfill-

Auto Races'—you will find the fulfillment of his resolve.

"We returned to America shortly afterward for a second tour—and while playing in Philadelphia, upon response to a wire from Kessel and Bauman—Charlie went to New York—and there signed his first picture contract.

"And so, contrary to the general idea that Charlie was 'discovered' for pictures while playing in Los Angeles he

tures while playing in Los Angeles, he went to California with a one-year picture contract in his pocket. The rest of Charlie's history is written by the children of the nation and himself."

#### MOVIE BROWN BEAR FROLICS IN SNOWS

Big Beast in Charlie Chaplin's "The Gold Rush" Enjoyed Blizzard Scenes

John Brown who plays the role of himself—the big brown bear which fol-lows Charlie Chaplin around in "The Gold Rush," his new United Artists Corporation release, now playing at the of the company on location that really enjoyed his sojourn up in the snow

It was springtime and John Brown had been spending his days and nights in Southern California, but when taken out to the mountains he thought he had returned to his one-time freedom of the For the first few days he was uncontrollable, and it was necessary to give him as much freedom as possible. He tried to break from his cage—and was showing signs of a bad temper until a stockade was built for him in the snows. Then he was happy, and for days, hour in and hour out, he frolicked to his heart's content.

mate in happiness came

On the day of his scenes, the ulti-ate in happiness came for John

**BOILED SHOE FOR** FILM COMEDY MEAL

Famous Chaplin Footwear Serves Odd Purpose in "The Gold Rush"

The Chaplinesque scene of "Chilkoot ies, almost on the exact locale where the first pioneers crossed—the Donner Party, famous in history of the early

This valiant band of pioneers crossed this range of mountains and in crossing suffered great privations. Many died of starvation, and it is a matter of rec-ord that they were compelled to eat ord that they were competed to ear their shoes, making a meal of roasted shoe leather. It is from this authentic data revealed in research that Charlie Chaplin conceived the idea for one of his great scenes in "The Gold Rush."

Charlie, as the Lone Prospector, and Mark Syspin as Rig Jim McKay are

Mack Swain, as Big Jim McKay, are isolated in the barren wastes of Alaska.
Storm bound in a deserted cabin they are without food. Converting the grim tragedy of the Donner party into Brown, as then he was turned loose and following each "take"—he scampered famous the trees, to be captured after much difficulty and sent through his scene again.

The mappiness came for John are without root. Convering the simple famous, convering the simple famous into giving the simple famous shoes, and boiling it, the two make a meal of this for their Thankshis scene again.

#### Two Splendid Chaplin Magazine Features

#### Chaplin's Genius Supreme On set in Famous Studio

Neither Mobs Nor Megaphones and a Minimum of Noise During Scene in His New Super-Comedy, "The Gold Rush," and the Inimitable Comedian Reigns Over All

(Special feature to be signed by Photoplay Editor or Staff Writer.)

The Charlie Chaplin studio is differentiated from most other habitats of the photoplay by the use of the word itself.

Essentially it is a studio-not an aggregation of buildings where scores of superiority-complexed individuals turn out animated pictures simultaneously. One set at a time is used; the rest of the stages are dark. The handful of people clustered around the two inseparable cameras might appear to the average film magnate to be doing anything but making

There are present neither mobs nor There is a minimum of noise. The cameramen, property men, electricians, all talk among themselves in hushed whispers, when they speak at all. For the most part they look into the center of the set in much the same way as the Sunday flock looks at its pastor. For there gesticulates Charlie

The set. A little cabin in Alaska. The bare wooden walls re-echo the emotions of two starving men-one almost insane from the want of food-the other passive in submission.

"Great! Now just once more—for luck."

The speaker is the little man in very baggy trousers and a funny bob-tailed coat. He is wearing one huge, turned-up, long worn-out shoe; his other foot is untidily wrapped in sacking. His collar and shirt are affinities in dirt, and his face is the composite mirror of souls which have gone before him.

Strange how that queer get-up is unable to wipe the pathos from his eyes—how utterly those ragged trousers and the trick mustache fail to rob his brow of the Beethoven sweep. One looks at the patched coat-tails and thinks of Hamlet; hears the voice of the Jester and thinks The speaker is the little man in very

hears the voice of the Jester and thinks of a cardinal. He acts and directs the scene, conceives and considers—Charlot might equally have become a poet or a prime minister, an actor or an arch-

Opposite him on the set is Mack Swain, man almost counterbalanced in avoir dupois and art. A long time ago he used to wear a silk high hat and answer to the name of "Ambrose." It was in those leaner days that Charlie met him; custard pies then were theirs, both to give

and receive.

Now they have gone back further than the era of custard pies, for the present scene brings memories of the gold rush to those, that is, who suffer memories. Charlie and Mack are miners starving in the cabin. Mack in particular, because he's making an awful lot of noise about Also, it appears, he is temporarily insane with the hallucination that Charlie is a chicken, and that such a chicken would still the void in his aching stomach. Wherefore he stalks Charlie with intent to kill, only to be outwitted by the nimble Charlie and the advent of a huge black

Only three scenes were taken in one entire afternoon, but the proof that Chaplin is without doubt the hardest working individual in Hollywood is that each scene is shot at least twenty times. Any one of the twenty would transport almost any director other than Charlie; he does 'em over and over again, seeking just the shade to blend with the mood. And his moods are even more numerous than his

"Just once more-we'll get it this time!" It is his continual cry, ceaseless as the waves of the sea. And each additional take means just three times as much work for him as for anyone else.

Perhaps in the middle of a scene when everything seems to be superlative, he will stop the action with a gesture, "Cut" -he walks over to a little stool beside one of the cameras and leans his head upon the tripod. The cameramen stand silently beside their cranks; everyone virtually holds his breath until Charlie jumps up with an enthusiastic cry.

"I've got it Mack, you should cry: Food! Food!—I must have food! You're starving and you are going to pieces. See—like this!"

Mack Swain, a veteran trooper, watches intently as Charlie goes through every detail of the action.

"Let's take it!" Charlie suddenly exclaims-"What do you say, Mack?"

"Sure" answers Mack.

And again the scene is re-enacted and recorded in celluloid by the tireless cam-

Charlie Chaplin calls his newest picture, "The Gold Rush," a comedy. This because he has on his comedy makeup, and because his principal purpose for the time being is to make people laugh. But Charlie is drama personified; he couldn't possibly create a chuckle with-out shading it with the accompanying tear, for so utterly is he the artist that the precisely modulated contrast is in-

Clowns buffooning around the throne, have ruled empires. But a clown upon the throne would be incongruous were he other than the one and only Charles. "A Night in a London Music Hall"— "A Woman of Paris." Between them a meteoric career comparable with nothing in the cinema sphere, even as Chaplin is himself comparable with no one else

To the man on the street Charlie is a darling of the gods; as a matter of fact, one surmises that the gods, far from fondling him, have dealt him many a smack. An hour or two on his set shows that only his infinite energy and his mental agility have enabled him to

laugh at them.

"The Gold Rush," a United Artists feature attraction for next ..... at the ..... theatre.

#### Chaplin The Laugh Maker Shows a Philosophic Side

English Writer Pictures Famous Comedian's Efforts to Learn Life's Secrets and Set World Aright for Benefit of Boys Who Face Hardships of Poverty

To Exhibitors—The following special feature story can be handed as an exclusive to the dramatic or Sunday editor of your best newspaper for use prior to or during the run of "The Gold Rush,"

#### By Hannen Swaffer

I often wondered what Charlie Chaplin thought of it all, this life of ours, I mean with its mistakes and its blunders -its sorrows and its joys-its virtues and its crimes. He hadn't summed it up when I saw him last, although pondering over it for hours had made his soul a gloomy one for years. For, a poor boy once, he had risen to great wealth and world-wide fame. And he wanted to put the world right in his wondering way, so that other boys should not suffer as he had done, so that people might understand each other more.

In London, where I spent many hours in his company when he came back a national hero, Charlie Chaplin would walk around the streets in the places where he was young, discovering his boyhood again. He spent nearly every night in London trying to be a Peter Pan, a boy who grew up because he couldn't forget. And he liked being with H. G. Wells, and Tom Burke, the author, and me. For we saw into the soul of a man' whom the world thinks merely a comedian.

Charlie has spoken to me and his friends, through half the night, often of his doubts and fears. He has read Wells and Turgeneff and Dostoievsky; but everywhere he has failed to find the secret that would put this sorry world aright. For they talk without hope, most of these people. It is only gloom thev see.

Chaplin walked down to the Thames embankment, late one night, when he was in London last, and stooping suddenly, darted his fingers along a groove about four feet from the ground, a groove upon

"What are you doing?" I said.
"I am being a little boy again," replied the great comedian. "When I was six, I used to walk along beside this wall and I couldn't see over the top. My fingers reached as high as that, and I always wondered what was on the other side. Now that I know, I don't want to know, because water doesn't seem new, does it?"

Then, across Westminster Bridge he walked, and pointed to a palace of pain facing the House of Commons—St. Thomas's Hospital, with its hundreds of

"Do you see that third light in that block of buildings?" he asked, "There is the bed where my father died. When I was a boy I stood here all night, just where we are standing now, crying and wondering when the end would be. you know why that light is burning there pity them." still? Somebody else is dying, and it goes on and no one can stop it—not all said it—but, oh, how wisely! I wonder

are some steps.

"I walked down these steps one day to look at the river," he said, "and I fell in, and a dog swam in and saved me. Everybody else has forgotten that. It was just one of the little incidents of a poor boy's boyhood; but I shall never

Just around the corner, at the end of Westminster Bridge, he stopped again.

"When I was a boy," he explained, 'nearly thirty years ago, a man stood there selling tomatoes and dying of consumption, 'Who'll have a ripe tomato?' I used to watch him for hours. I walked across the bridge last week and he was still there-still dying of consumption and still selling ripe tomatoes. Only, now he sits down. There is just that

"When I was a boy, people slept in the arches all night, and though I have grown up, I see them still sleeping under the arches. I am living at the Ritz Hotel; but they still live in the open air. I have been trying to be a boy again, all the weeks I have been in London.

"Now I will try to be a fairy; fairies

are little boys.

"How much money have you? Give me all the money that you have and I will give you all the money that I have. We will empty our pockets and creep along a row of sleeping people and drop money in their pockets without waking money in their pockets without waking them, and, when they wake up, they will be rich; or think they are rich."

And so saying, he crept along and put all sorts of money into the clothes of the

sleeping outcasts.

I tried to get him to tell me what was the most beautiful thing he had seen in London, and the most tragic thing, and the most expensive thing, and the most wonderful thing.

"You cannot answer questions like that." he said. "Life doesn't answer questions. But, wait! The most wonderful thing I have ever seen in London is what we have just seen outside—the spectacle of people sleeping out of doors, while we enjoy luxury. They do it, too, apparently without complaint-just en-

during it.

"I have been spending a month trying have been spending a month trying and I see to get back into my boyhood, and I see just the same things that I saw thirty years ago. Some of the same people are still enduring them, and some new people are enduring them; and it goes on and on, and, if I gave away all my money it wouldn't do any good, and, if I keep it all, it won't do any good. We cannot look over the Wall of Life even when we grow up, and, if we do, we don't see

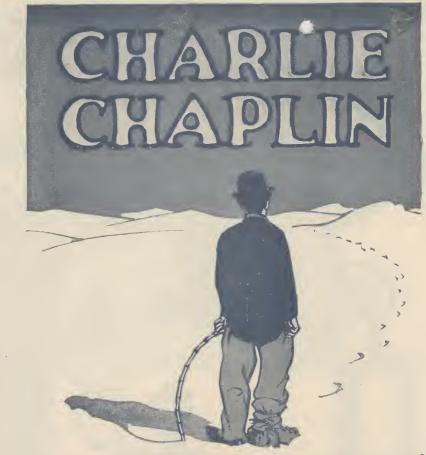
anything."

"All of us are seeking good," he says.

"All of us are blindness. The ignor-"We sin only in blindness. The ignor-ant condemn our mistakes, but the wise

"The Gold Rush," a United Artists the money I have, nor all the popularity if any great writer living now, or any Corporation release is announced as the I have, nor anything." And by Westminster Bridge, too, there shades, could have put it more beautifully or with more simpleness.





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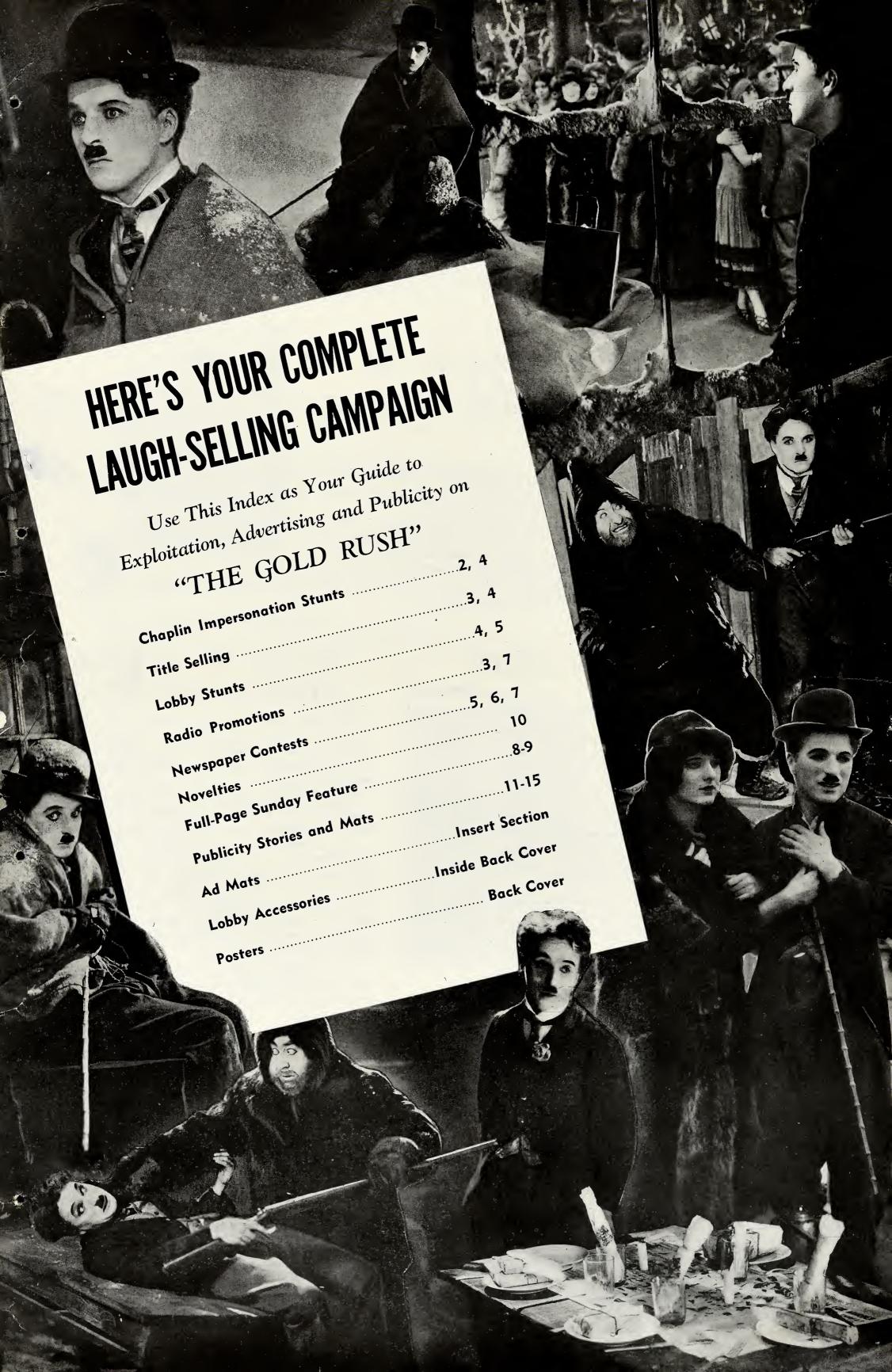
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On this and the following pages are some of the ways in which you can use the Chaplin impersonation gag to sell the hilarity voltage of "The Gold Rush" to the youth, as well as the older generation, of your locality.



#### CHAPLIN COSTUME PARTY

You'll create a real publicity spl enough different possible versions of with one of the welfare organizationany laughs and a real contest. stage a costume ball at which male gash in your town by getting together version of Charlie Chaplin. The bes or national defense committees to evening's grand prize—and there are uests must be costumed in their own a Charlie Chaplin get-up to assure mst costume of course should win the

#### PRIZES TO KIDS FOR CHAPLIN IMITATIONS

Through school classes and groups, through boy scout troops, boys' clubs and other juvenile groups, organize Charlie Chapin impersonation contests with prizes for the best imitation of the renowned Chaplin costume, makeup, and comedy antics.

Chaplin impersonations are a standard sport among American kids. You'll have no difficulty in rounding up town-wide interest in such a contest. Organize it on as big a scale as you can, giving every kid in town a chance to participate. You can arrange preliminaries to be held in the school playgrounds or at boys' club or scout meeting places, and hold the semi-finals and finals in your lobby. In publicizing the contest use some of the numerous stills that show Charlie with pick or shovel, or with his foot wrapped in burlap, and encourage the kids to adopt this special Chaplin character in their impersonations.

It's a stunt that will set your whole town laughingand a stunt that assures you the most effective show-selling on your Chaplin picture.



#### "CHAPLIN DOUBLES"

A stunt that paves the way to extra large-scale newspaper breaks on your "Gold Rush" campaign, the "Chaplin Doubles Popularity Contest" can be run either separately or as an adjunct to your citywide impersonation contest.

Get your paper to run a daily coupon along with blurb stories on the Popularity Contest, and invite readers to send in votes for their favorite Chaplin impersonator—the kid in their family or neighborhood who they think can do the best Charlie Chaplin impersonation in town. The local kids will immediately start organizing their campaigns for votes and showing their Chaplin imitating talents to the neighbors—all of which will add up to more "Gold Rush" show-selling.

When the ballots are all in, you might make the half dozen or so kids who poll the most votes compete in a run-off impersonation contest in your lobby or on the stage, awarding a prize to the best of the lot.

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# "BLIZZARD" SETPIECE FOR YOUR LOBBY

Here's your idea for a lobby setpiece that they simply can't pass by. Blow up a cut-out of Charlie, using still No. 275A, or one of the other good full-length Chaplin stills. Place it in a glass-enclosed or cellophane-enclosed box in a corner of your lobby and turn an electric fan on it, with a quantity of white confetti or torn bits of white paper to make a good swirling snow storm blowing around the cut-out. For additional eye-catching effect, put a pair of baggy cloth trousers on Charlie which will be whipped and blown in the wind from the fan. Placard your display as follows: "SEE the Greatest Laugh-Blizzard of All Time—Charlie Chaplin in 'The Gold Rush'!"



#### "Gold Rush" Treasure Hunt

A "Gold Rush" treasure hunt fits in so smoothly with your campaign of picture title promotion, and offers such important show-selling aid through dealer tieups, that you'll want to make it a leading stunt in your "Gold Rush" selling lineup.

Contact your town's leading department store and arrange a customers' Treasure Hunt based on "The Gold Rush." The stunt is worked by printing "treasure" clues on a certain number of the sales slips or receipts given with purchases in the various departments of the store on a certain day. Each clue, which bears your theatre imprint and playdate, leads the customer to another department of the store where another purchase is necessary to obtain the next clue. The fifth or sixth clue received should lead to the "treasure" in the form of a souvenir award, a discount coupon, or a grand prize of cash or merchandise.

With proper advance promotion by the store, this co-operative stunt should build up wide publicity and direct ticket-selling for your "Gold Rush" engagement.

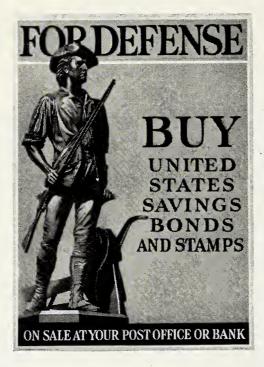


#### "GOLD RUSH" ON THE AIR

Virtually all radio stations, large and small, have one or more prize programs in which cash or other awards are given to contestants — usually for answering questions. For such a program "The Gold Rush" is a perfect title—full of profit-promising come-hither both for contestants and for the listening audience. See if you can get the station or sponsor running one of these prize programs either to change its name to "The Gold Rush" or to use your picture title as a subtitle for the radio show. As a further inducement other tieups can be offered to the station, such as a special reading trailer on your screen plugging "The Gold Rush" radio show in exchange for air plugs for the picture.



#### CO-OPERATE ON DEFENSE BONDS



In the "Gold Rush" title and in Charlie Chaplin's personality, you have a real attention-stirring tieup to offer the Treasury Department agency and other mediums through which U. S. Defense Bonds are sold in your town. Here is a chance, which no showman should overlook, to turn your show-selling effort into channels which will contribute importantly to the nation's war program. Suggest newspaper ads and displays in which the familiar Defense Bond poster, illustrated here, will be used together with scene stills from the picture, with tieup copy along the lines of: "Join the Gold Rush—Buy U. S. Defense Bonds for Your Present Safety and Your Future Profit!"

As a further tieup aiding the defense effort, see that any local merchant offering co-operative contest prizes in connection with your show, gives these prizes in the form of Defense Savings Stamps.

#### SET "GOLD RUSH" SAVINGS BANK TIEUPS

Savings Banks will also see a potent tieup for promotion of deposits by using the "Gold Rush" theme. Many banks or banking associations are going in for vigorous promotional campaigns to increase their lists of depositors. You have a perfect slogan and an eye-catching pictorial approach to offer them. Shoot for newspaper ads, window and indoor displays using the slogan, "The Gold Rush Begins at Your Savings Bank—Provide Now for Your Future," etc.



#### BALLY CHAPLIN THE PROSPECTOR!

Send out a Chaplin impersonator in the guise of a prospector, complete with pick or shovel, and pack mule which he can lead through the busier sections of town. The impromptu comedy which a clever impersonator can perform with this getup is sure to stop traffic anywhere. Have your bally man hand out large quantities of yellow-colored stage money imprinted with the following words: "The Gold Rush is on"—Rivoli Theatre—Now!"



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For maximum attention value, synchronize this animated display with a hilarity laugh record (see Page 7), played on your P.A. system and piped through a speaker mounted behind the marquee.

For the lower part of the front and entrance, we recommend Stills Nos. 11, 12, 13, 27, 30, 275, 476, 859 and 930 for effective blowups.



## "GOLD RUSH"-BOYS' ATHLETIC EVENTS



If a boys' athletic meet can be arranged by the local schools, boys' clubs, scouts or other kid organizations during the period before your opening of "The Gold Rush," you have an opportunity for widespread selling among the younger generation by offering to sponsor one of the races, and naming the event "The Gold Rush." A small money prize in the form of Defense Stamps, either put up by you or promoted through a tieup with a sporting goods house, will provide ample reason for the "Gold Rush" appellation, and will also open the way to publicity through the participating schools or organizations. See that Chaplin stills, theatre and picture credit are included in any announcement of your "Gold Rush" event.

#### YOUR PERFECT CO-OP AD TITLE

A "Gold Rush" of Values, "Gold Rush" Bargain Day, A Money-Saving "Gold Rush"—these are some of the streamer heads that immediately suggest themselves for a dealers' co-op ad page or double truck promotion that's a honey for money at your box-office.

"The Gold Rush" is obviously a made-to-order title for dealer tieups that sell shoppers the idea of money in their pockets through bargain prices. Any commodity or service will fit in smoothly with this sales appeal; and the high-voltage attention value which a Charlie Chaplin feature gives it will make any merchant eager to join with the tieup.

Shoot for big display ads and windows on this dealer co-op theme as a means of boosting your ticket take on "The Gold Rush"!

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## "Gold Rush" Standee For Your Lobby

This arresting lobby standee can easily be constructed by your house artist, and will effectively get across the flavor and charm of the "Gold Rush" comedy. The Chaplin cutout is from Still No. 13; the signboard can be made from compo board or light wood. Set it up in your lobby well in advance, preferably under a colored spot for maximum effectiveness. Move it out in front of the theatre when your showing begins, changing the words "I'm With You" to "See Me Now."

#### KIDS' PARADE TO THEATRE

Organize local kids into a "Gold Rush" parade to your theatre—to consist of a procession of youngsters in Chaplin makeup carrying banners proclaiming, "We're Joining the GOLD RUSH at the Rivoli Theatre." Festoon it with local kid bands such as school bands, scout fife-and-drum corps, etc. Municipal bands should also be enlisted if available.

See if you can get a potent store tieup with the stunt by arranging with a local department store to observe a "Gold Rush" Bargain Day, and have the kid parade start off from the store.

#### ARROWS POINT TO GOLD RUSH

"This Way to THE GOLD RUSH" is a slogan that's certain to startle your town into attention and curiosity about your show. Print it in big letters on large cutout arrows and snipe them on every available fence, telephone pole, etc., pointing toward your theatre. The slogan and arrow can also be placed on sidewalks if local regulations permit.

## "GOLD RUSH BEGINS IN TOWN"— SURPRINT HEADLINE

"GOLD RUSH BEGINS IN TOWN"—that's the newspaper streamer headline that's guaranteed to create one of the greatest sensations your community has ever known!

You can get this sensational headline on the front pages of at least one edition of a local paper by tying up for a surprint stunt—printing the headline in color over the regular edition,

and getting newsboys to cover the town crying, "Read all about the Gold Rush—Gold Rush hits town," etc. The streamer head should be followed by another headline in somewhat smaller type, tying the stunt directly in with your opening, such as: "Chaplin Picture Opens Tonight at Rivoli Theatre." It's a cinch for a sellout—both for the newspaper and for your show!



# SELLING points the way to RUSH at your Ticket Wicket!

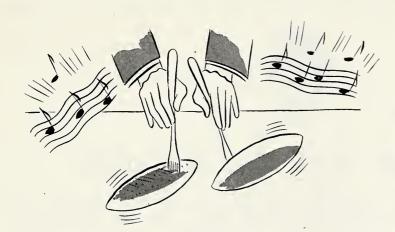
## UNIQUE CONTEST SELLS CHAPLIN TALKIE ANGLE

The sparkling commentary, spoken and written by Charlie Chaplin, that runs through the entire action of "The Gold Rush," is something unique in pictures and one of the sensational laugh-creating features of this show. As the action proceeds, Chaplin's pungent comments point up each hilarious sequence and make it even funnier.

You'll sell the fans on this unprecedented entertainment appeal of your picture by joining forces with your local newspaper to run a novel "Commentary Contest"—a stunt that offers fans a chance to write their own commentary to a number of Charlie Chaplin scenes in "The Gold Rush" and see if they can make them as funny as Charlie does. A set of two-column contest mats, shown here in reduced size, is ready for planting in a big six-day Charlie Chaplin Commentary Contest that provides Chaplin fun for the fans and a socko series of running breaks for your show. Set a maximum limit of twenty words to the captions—the shorter the better—and suggest to fans that they write them either in prose or in rhyme. Here's a sample Chaplin Commentary for the first scene shown:

"As a Gold Rush prospector our Charlie's well posted— He sees that his tootsies are thoroughly toasted!"

Set this ticket-selling contest in your paper well in advance! Order the complete set of contest art on Mat No. 48B—30c; Cut—50c.



# Get 'Em All Doing "The Oceana Roll"

One of the most famous sequences in all film history is of course the great Oceana Roll scene in "The Gold Rush," in which Charlie Chaplin inserts the point of a fork into each of a pair of frankfurter rolls and, treating them as a pair of ballet dancer's feet, makes them do an exquisite dance on a dinner table. The delightful humor and pantomime artistry of this scene make it an unforgettable classic.

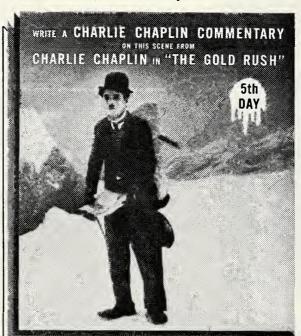
An "Oceana Roll" contest for patrons in your lobby, on your stage or in a promoted auditorium, is a made-to-order stunt that can't fail to get the town talking. Many people have already tried it in their homes. Set up a small table in your lobby, provide the necessary rolls and forks, and then invite the fans to try it to the accompaniment of some snappy recorded dance music. The best performances given by contestants at stated times during the day can be awarded guest tickets or cash prizes promoted through a tieup with a local baking concern.

It's a stunt that will make for hilarity, whether the Oceana Roll performances are good or bad. See that it's well covered by the press, with pictures and feature stories.

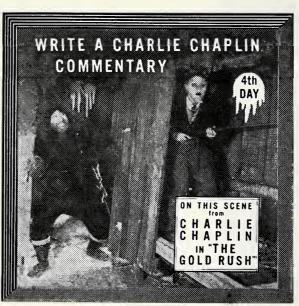




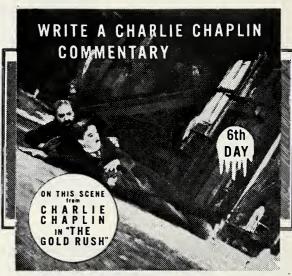
First Day



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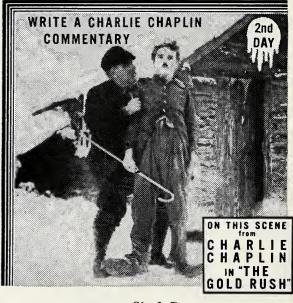
Fifth Day



Second Day



Fourth Day



Sixth Day

## Sell It Through the Schools Student Essays on Charlie

The value of humorous entertainment as an aid to national morale furnishes a vital theme for compositions and essays by school children. Local school authorities and teachers should be more than willing to sponsor essay contests on such themes as "The Importance of Charlie Chaplin Comedy to America in These Times." Comparison can be made with previous times of national crisis, when the famous comedians of the day contributed vitally to the morale of the public and the armed forces.

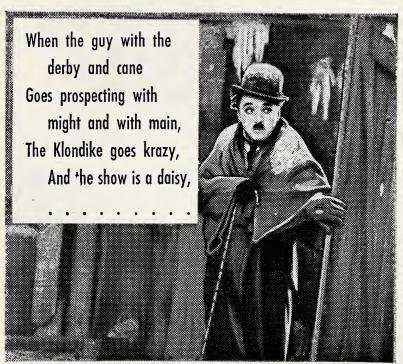
#### "Gold Rush" Poster Contest

Charlie Chaplin is an irresistible subject for kid artists, and a "Gold Rush" poster contest run in conjunction with elementary school and high school art classes is a certainty for widespread participation—the kind of participation that will clinch the appeal of your show both with the youngsters and their elders. Show them some of the regular "Gold Rush" posters for an idea of possible treatment, with scene stills as suggestions for subject matter with which they can work.

You'll probably get some results good enough in quality to merit reproduction in your local paper for added publicity; and you can also display the winning poster in your lobby.



# PLANT BREEZY RHYME CONTEST.



First Day



Second Day



When Charlie goes hunting for treasure, It's a Gold Rush of cinema pleasure! No moment is quiet As laughter runs riot,

Fourth Day

## Gay, Gaggy Last-line Limericks Sell Charlie Chaplin Fun

This set of snappy, breezy limerick last-liners is perfect for clinching the carefree hilarity of "The Gold Rush" in the minds of newspaper readers. A limerick competition on Charlie Chaplin is one that will attract all the amateur versifiers—and that means practically everybody.

Many of the rib-busting comedy situations in the picture are hinted at in this series of matted scenes and the accompanying jingles. Use the "Gold Rush" idea in your copy in making your announcement of prizes for the best last lines. A blowup display of the best completed limericks can be used for an extra lobby selling shot, illustrated with stills. Order the complete series of 2-column Mats as No. 47B—30c; Cut—50c.

(Sample Publicity Story)

## Fans-"The Gold Rush" Is On! Win Cash Prizes For Chaplin Rhymes!

Step up and sharpen your pencils, all you amateur rhymesters! Here's a chance to have fun with your hobby—and to get in line for a "gold rush" of prizes while doing it!

Charlie Chaplin's coming to town in "The Gold Rush," and we're celebrating the event in rhyme! Beginning today, and continuing open next ...., are: 1st Prize, \$20; GRAPH. Winners will be anfor five days, the TELEGRAPH 2nd Prize, \$15; 3rd Prize, \$10; and nounced within five days after the will run a four-line limerick (last line missing), based on the hilari- Gold Rush" for the runner-ups. ous comedy in this Chaplin feature, agreed by all preview critics to be his funniest film, with words and music by Charlie himself. The lines limerick contest! Prizes will be words and music which he himself are bright, snappy and rhymeable awarded on the basis of the com- has written for this film make it -and there are attractive prizes | plete set of five rhymes. Hold the | the top picture on your "must" list

ten pairs of guest tickets to "The contest ends.

So oil up your vocabulary, dust this limerick "Gold Rush," don't off the old rhyming dictionary, and forget that Charlie Chaplin's ribget set for the "Gold Rush" busting comedy, and the delightful for the best, funniest sets of last entire set until the last day of the of entertainment!

lines. The prizes, offered by the | contest, then send them with your TELEGRAPH and the Rivoli Thea- name and address to "The Gold tre, where the "Gold Rush" will Rush" editor, c/o THE TELE-

And whether or not you join in



## HEADLINE "THE GOLD RUSH"

The smart showman will bend every effort to cash in on the patness of the words "Gold Rush" as part of the American language, by seeing that this phrase gets thorough newspaper usage in headlines during his campaign on this Chaplin laugh smash.

Contact the editors and copyreaders (headline writers) of the local press and plant the words "Gold Rush" in their minds as a short, convenient, expressive phrase that can be used in connection with many types of news stories. In short, it's a headline writer's delight! For example, a story on a boom in defense employment in your vicinity could be headlined, "Defense Job Gold Rush Grows." A story on a stock dividend or an employees' bonus or wage rise also suggests the words "Gold Rush" in the heading. And so on. Here's a smoth opportunity to keep your picture title before the eyes of the local populace.



The scene stills from which these mats were made are in the regular "Gold Rush" exploitation set. The still numbers are, reading from top down: 13, 39L, 476, 31, 41. If the stills are desired for local makeup on this feature, order them by the above numbers at 10c each.

## THREE-DAY COLORING CONTEST

## Selling the Youngsters Means Selling the Grownups

Always a popular sport with the younger set, a picture-coloring contest takes on added fascination when the subject is that famous screen pantaloon, Charlie Chaplin. Here are three drawings of Charlie as he appears in "The Gold Rush," made in outline by a well-known artist, ready for the crayons or paint sets of kids who want to have some fun and win free tickets to the show.

This art is available to you in mat form, each two columns wide—same size as shown here. Get the contest set for three consecutive days of show-selling breaks in your local paper, offering guest tickets for the best entries. The amount of newspaper space you get on this contest will depend on the effort you put into it—and don't forget that when you sell the kids you've sold their parents as well!

Order the complete set of Chaplin Coloring Contest drawings on Mat No. 46B —30c; Cut—50c.



## BROADCAST THE LAUGHS FROM YOUR LOBBY

Give the fans a sample of the laughs that ring through your theatre when you're playing "The Gold Rush" by playing an uproarious laugh record in the lobby over your P.A. system. It's a staple, laugh-selling exploitation stunt that becomes a "must" when you have a picture with the all-out hilarity of "The Gold Rush." For a boisterous laugh record with repeat line for continuous playing, order Record No. 4024, at \$2.00, from T. J. VALENTINO, 1600 Broadway, New York.



## "BIGGEST LAUGH" CONTEST ON AMATEUR SHOW

Plant a laughing contest on your local station's amateur show, billing it as "suggested by Charlie Chaplin's funniest picture, "The Gold Rush.' Prize should be awarded for the biggest, longest, loudest, funniest laugh sent across by a contestant. This happy, laugh-bubbling gag will sell the contagion of explosive fun and all-out hilarity that marks "The Gold Rush" as a comedy apart from any other.

Contestants may be judged by the volume or duration of their laughs—or if there is a studio audience, by the choice of the listeners present.

This stunt is also a natural for a lobby gag, with a Chaplin impersonator acting as moster of ceremonies. Likewise, it would prove an attention-getting and talk-generating feature for your theatre stage during the week preceding your "Gold Rush" date.

## Copy for Local Quiz Shows

For the ever-popular quiz show on your local station, here's a fascinating question with a timely twist that makes its use compulsory—and the plug for "The Gold Rush" comes in neatly in the answer:

"If the lend-lease principle were applied to morale-boosting entertainers as well as to more direct forms of munitions material, what four famous screen actors would England deserve credit for lend-leasing to the United States?"

Here's another question that will add up to a mention of Chaplin in "The Gold Rush" when used on

the personality-identification type of quiz show such as the "What's My Name" program. The contestant identifies the personality from the biographical facts given; and if the answer should come through before the plug has been given, the m. c. can add the information about the picture and theatre date in his ad lib commentary. Here's the copy:

"I was born in London in 1889, and performed in the music halls there in my youth . . . In 1910 I came to America with a vaudeville troupe . . . My first films were one and two-reel comedies, and they soon gained me a universal reputation as the world's foremost comedian . . I have been director of all my feature pictures, and wrote the words and music for the funniest of them all, "The Gold Rush," which incidentally will open tomorrow at the Theatre . . . Who am I?"



First Day



Second Day



Third Day

## GET BREAKS ON JUVENILE RADIO PROGRAMS

Most local radio stations carry at least one program devoted to chatter, humor, advice, etc. for kids. Charlie Chaplin is dear to the heart of the American youngster, and the fact that Charlie is coming to town in the funniest picture he has ever made, is big news for them. Prime the local kid program chatterer with plenty of facts about the uproarious comedy in "The Gold Rush," and see that he gives it a number of plugs preceding your opening.

# Why Chaplin Leaves 'Em Laughing!

Times Change—Wars Come—Empires Go— But the Basis of Great Comedy Never Alters

is as funny now as he was twentyeight years ago, and as funny as
his pictures will be one hundred
and twenty-eight years from now.
The amazing thing about Chaplin is his adaptability. Chaplin
was a pioneer in motion pictures,
and today he is still a pioneer. Almost more amazing than this is
the fact that he has accomplished
this feat without basically chang-

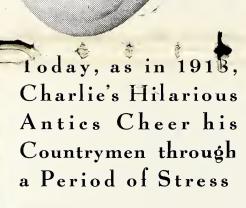
and today he is still a pioneer. Almost more amazing than this is the fact that he has accomplished this feat without basically changing his theory or practice of humor one whit in the passing years. The Chaplin conception of humor is as basic as Lie conception of humor itself. It need not, must not, be changed.

The critics claimed that in "The Great Dictator Chaplin changed his style and approach. He had become they said, a satirist. Chaplin himself lau is at this appraisal. His style and approach have always been confined to one thing—making people laugh. It still is. As for the charge that he had become a satirist, what else has he ever been? In "The Rink," he satirized fancy skaters; in "The Rounders" he satirized the police; in "Shoulder Arms" he satirized war and soldiers; in "City Lights" he satirized industry. In "The Gold Rush," Chaplin's current picture heing released by United Artists, he satirizes man's lust for gold.

The important thing is, that no matter what Chaplin satirizes, he is always funny. Essentially, what Chaplin satirizes is people. He does not depart from this rule in "The Gold Rush," and as a consequence, he is funny indeed.



Chaplin's delightful comedy in his World War I travesty, "Shoulder Arms", proved by the manner in which the world took it to its bosom that laughter is most welcome when things are at their grimmest.





Satire is the cornerstone of Chaplin's humor, and in "The Gold Rush" he creates hilarious situations by poking fun at the oft-romanticized yearning for gold.

"The Kid", one of Chaplin's first full-length pictures, established him securely as one of the great comedians of all time - miles ahead of his competitors.

As a soft-hearted waif in "City Lights", the versatile star showed another facet of his genius by playing a role in which real tragedy alternated with comedy.

By being funny, he justifies his purpose—to make people laugh, in good times and bad.

Charlie has been, and remains, court jester to the empirical follies of his age. Clad in baggy pants and funny shoes in place of the traditional cap and bells, he



In "The Gold Rush", his current picture and his funniest, Charlie Chaplin reverts to his best-known, best-loved character—that of a forlorn tramp with a heart as big as all the world.

carefully bastes it with gravy, and, when Big Jim passes his plate, delicately wipes it before depositing the shoe on it.

Then comes some of the most exquisite particomine ever conceived, even in a Chaplin picture. To the melody of a salon orchestra playing dinner music, he sharpens his knife professionally. Gold Rush is the Coeana With all the elaborate motions of carving, Charlie separates the upper from the sole, passing the portion with the nails to Big Jim, who resentfully returns it, taking the upper for himself.

Charlie, with the extravagant manners of a gourmet, proceeds to devour his portion of the shoe. The color of the shoe which he twirls expertly as one just reward. After suffering the



The matchless comedy of Charlie Chaplin in "The Gold Rush" is punched across with compelling art and absorbing human-interest copy in this Sunday Feature story, matted complete ready for planting. Order the mat and get it set on the feature page of your local paper for a sock fullpage break. Price of Mat, \$1.20. Order direct from Exploitation Dept., 729 Seventh Avenue, New York, N. Y.



## FULL-SIZE CHAPLIN DERBIES

Here is your Number One Chaplin accessory—an exact replica of the celebrated derby which is the symbol of Chaplin hilarity the world over! Made of real felt, these derbies are the real thing and will stand any normal wear. They are also full size, suitable for your doorman and ushers, as well as newsboys, taxi drivers and the kids who'll want to wear them around town.

Chaplin derbies come with a white cloth hatband  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " wide, showing picture title in prominent letters with plenty of space for your imprint. Bands come separately to allow for local imprinting, and are easily attached with staple or safety pin.

Every "Gold Rush" derby worn in your town will result in many added ticket sales! Get your order in well in advance for a sufficient quantity to assure you ample coverage. Price 25 cents each. Order from Economy Novelty Company

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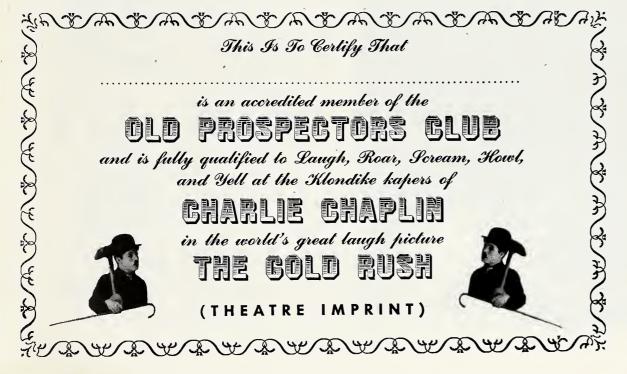
## Chaplin Mustache

A "must" item in your "Gold Rush" selling campaign is this Charlie Chaplin cardboard mustache to go with the life-size derby, in any Chaplin impersonation stunt and for all the kids in town who'll want them. Diecut to the exact shape and size of Charlie's own mustache, the two prongs will fit securely in any nose and hold firmly in place. Foster that "making-like-Chaplin" craze by distributing them all over. Printed on durable cardboard, with star name, picture title and theatre imprint on reverse side. Price, including imprint, \$5.00 per M. Order from Economy Novelty Co.



### Door and Auto Hanger

The appealing figure of Charlie as a forlorn little "Gold Rush" prospector will sell many tickets for you through this attractive diecut doorknob hanger. Get them up on apartment doorknobs, street doors, office and car doors. Hole and slit in top make it possible to place these hangers on any size or style of doorknob. Size 11" high (nearly 4 times the size shown here), printed on attractively colored cardboard. Prices, with theatre imprint: 500—\$5.00; 1M—\$6.50; 5M—\$6.00 per M. Order from Economy Novelty Co.





Answers: 1. Charlie Chaplin; 2. Charlie Chaplin; 3. Charlie Chaplin.

#### PLANT CHAPLIN CARTOON

Syndicate artist Larry Sobel devotes this issue of his "What Do You Know About Movies" series to Charlie Chaplin and "The Gold Rush," with a smooth plug for the Chaplin voice and the Chaplin original script and music as heard in the picture. It's an art feature of unusual interest that your editor will want! Order 2-Col. Mat No. 49B—30c; Cut—50c.



## Cardboard Masks

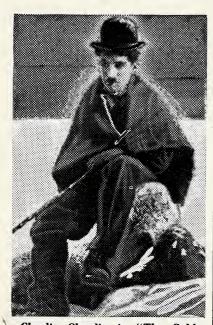
These laugh-making Charlie Chaplin masks, in two colors, are indispensable for your exploitation stunts based on Charlie Chaplin impersonations, contests, parades, or for general giveaway. Made of durable cardboard, they are inexpensive enough for wide distribution. Size 9" x 11" overall, diecut with holes for eyes and slits for nose and mouth. Strings furnished ready for inserting. Prices, including imprint: 1M—\$15.00; 3M—\$14.00 per M; 5M—\$13.00 per M; 500—\$8.75. Order from Economy Novelty Co.

## "Old Prospectors' Club"

There's nothing kids love more than joining a club. Here's one that's ready-made for "Gold Rush" show-selling—the "Old Prospectors Club" complete with a handsome certificate of membership ready for your distribution to every kid in town. It's a gadget that the youngsters will keep and proudly show around—and it does a keen exploitation job for your picture all the way. Printed on gay-colored heavy paper; size as shown here. Prices 1M—\$4.00; 5M—\$3.75 per M. Order from Economy Novelty Co.



## CHAPLIN'S FAMOUS LITTLE MAN WINS ROMANCE IN "GOLD RUSH"



Charlie Chaplin in "The Gold Rush."

16A—One Col. Scene (Mat .15; Cut .25)

## Snow-CappedPass Is Scenic Locale Of Chaplin Story

(Advance Feature)

The famed Chilkoot Pass, the gun-sight notch through which gold-seekers passed in the mad rush to the Klondike, is realistically presented in Charlie Chaplin's great comedy, "The Gold Rush," which will start a run at the ...... Theatre on ...... through United Artists release.

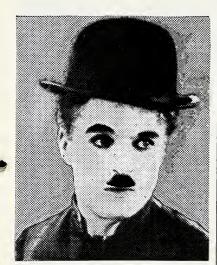
The pangrama of the pass was

The panorama of the pass was filmed near the summit of the high Sierras at an elevation of 9850 feet. Professional ski jumpers were employed to notch out steps of a pathway 2200 feet long. steps of a pathway 2300 feet long and rising 1000 feet up a precipitous declivity from a narrow basin, known as "The Sugar Bowl," where a rude mining camp was constructed.

Twenty-five hundred extras appear as "sourdoughs" for the crossing of the pass and it is reported, not a single man was hurt when this scene was filmed. This was considered remarkable since these men, untrained to "mushing" through deep snows and climbing over frozen ledges, were compelled to take many chances while carrying packs on their backs and hauling sleighs and other equipment over steep, precipitous places. The locale was near the crest of Mt. Lincoln, far above the timber line, on granite ledges, where eternal snows are banked.

#### Comic Tenderfoot

In "The Gold Rush," called Charlie Chaplin's greatest comedy and due for its premiere at the . Theatre on ....., the world's most famous comedian is seen as a pathetic tenderfoot struggling with hundreds of others who are in search of gold in the Klondike.



Charlie Chaplin as the Little Fellow in "The Gold Rush."

13A-One Col. Head (Mat .15; Cut .25)

## Charlie Is At His Funniest In Comedy About Adventurer In The Klondike

(Advance Reader)

One of the many factors which stand out in the minds of the audience after seeing a Charlie Chaplin picture is that the film invariably closes with the Little Fellow walking away from the camera alone—his pathetically jaunty figure trudging toward the horizon—in the hope of better things to come.

So, the audience leaves the theatre with a laugh on its lips but a lump in its throat, for such frustration in the case of the Little Fellow doesn't seem fair. Life never metes out to him his fair proportion of the good things he deserves. For Charlie's famous character is the symbol of all that is pathetic, good and kind in the human race. He never rebels except at an unkindness or injustice done to some person other that himself.

However, in "The Gold Rush," which is slated for its local premiere at the ...... Theatre on ....., Charlie veers away from the usual Chaplin formula. Perhaps when Charlie was writing this particular story, he, too, rebelled at life's rough treatment of the Little Fellow. At any rate, in "The Gold Rush," the popular little tramp not only gets the girl of his dreams but becomes a multi-millionaire to boot.
The story of "The Gold Rush"

tells of the famous gold rush days in the Klondike where our hero suffers the rigors of cold, hunger and unbelievable hardships and nurses an aching heart all the while he goes on prospecting for the treasure hidden in the earth's sur-

face.

Charlie appears in the role of the Lone Prospector and his supporting cast is headed by Mack Swain, Tom Murray, Henry Bergman, Malcolm Waite and Georgia Hale. Charlie himself wrote and directed "The Gold Rush" and he also composed the music which was directed by Max Terr.

The setting of "The Gold Rush" is the Alaska of the Kondike gold rush with its dance-halls and dance-

rush with its dance-halls and dancehall girls; with its miners old and young; with toughs and hangerson; with newspaper correspondents and photographers-a locale that teems with color and excitement, drama, comedy and romance.



The beloved Little Fellow, portrayed by Charlie Chaplin, and Big Jim, played by Mack Swain, get into an argument over the gold situation in "The Gold Rush," Charlie's brilliant comedy, which is slated for its premiere at the ...... Theatre on ......

9B—Two Col. Scene (Mat .30; Cut .50)

## Charlie's Beloved Tramp Is Chip Off The Old Block

## "The Gold Rush" Is Called Symbolical Autobiography of Great Comedian

(Advance Reader)

"The Gold Rush," Charlie Chaplin's next screen feature at . Theatre, beginning on ....., is said to be a symbolical autobiography by Chaplin himself.

With that genius which is peculiarly his own, and against the back-ground of the old Klondike gold rush days of Chaplinesque concep-tion, the greatest screen comedian depicts with subtly tender and delicate masterstrokes the struggle delicate masterstrokes the struggle of man's eternal hunt for happiness, his heartbreak and tears and his laughter and joy.

Charlie, of course, wears the derby, the cane, the baggy trousers, the funny mustache and the genteel cutaway. He waddles instead of walks, he is easily bewildered but he is also easily aroused when the

bully is trying to put one over on any little fellow anywhere.

Chaplin portrays a hard-luck sourdough who chases rainbows of the soul and heart in the midst of the soul and heart in the midst of a mob that is chasing only one thing—gold. He is supported in the film, which he wrote and directed himself, by Mack Swain, Georgia Hale, Tom Murray, Henry Bergman and Malcolm Waite. Chaplin composed the musical score and it was directed by Max Terr.



Charlie Chaplin, the Little Fellow, is obviously in dire trouble as his pal, Mack Swain, goes mad from hunger in their Klondike cabin in "The Gold Rush," Charlie's hilarious comedy at the ...... Theatre.

7B-Two Col. Scene (Mat .30; Cut .50)

## Comic Does Oceana Role With Finesse and Artistry

## Charlie's Dance In "The Gold Rush" Provides Laugh-Packed Scene

(Advance Feature)

Of course, the rhumba, La Conga and the rhum boogie have already taken the country by storm with the Samba now enjoying a wide vogue. But what about the Oceana Roll? That, in case you haven't heard, is the dance created and

featured by Charlie Chaplin, the world's greatest comedian, in "The Gold Rush," which is slated for its gala premiere at the ..... Theatre on ......

With the dexterity that puts the Little Tramp's pantomime in a class by itself, Charlie takes two buns, a fork stuck in each, and does a dance with them on the tablecloth with such grace, such incomparable finesse, such outstanding artistry, that it becomes an unforgettable masterpiece. The poignant fade-out to this unusual scene, in which Charlie has been entertaining in his dreams the girl he loves, shows the little tramp forlornly asleep, alone in the midst of all his pathetic home-made decorations.

This scene, of course, is only one of the many which Chaplin uses to illustrate and accent the many ironies of life as well as its sorrows and pathos. Another equally unforgettable scene depicted in "The Gold Rush" shows Charlie serving a boiled dilapidated shoe in the best manner of a Ritz chef.

## Gay Comedy Scene In "Gold Rush"

When Charlie Chaplin's "The Gold Rush" is unreeled at the Theatre next ....., through United Artists release, audiences will see King Clown performing as he has never performed

Among the most touching and humorous scenes in the film, Char-lie is seen doing the Oceana Roll in his shabby little cabin on New Year's eve, entertaining the lady of his heart—present only in his dream. Later his cabin totters on the edge of the precipice — and eternity, but the little tramp goes merrily about his business. And when he and his fellow prospector are slowly but surely starving to death, Charlie boils an old shoe and eats the laces with relish as if he were doing away with a plate of delicious steaming-hot spaghetti.

#### Dance-Hall Drama In Film Comedy

Charlie Chaplin as a pathetic tenderfoot struggling along with hundreds of others in search of gold in the Klondike plus the Charlie Chaplin with the funny walk, the odd clothes and the bewildered expression keynote the comedy and the drama that are unreeled in "The Gold Rush," which will have its first showing at the 

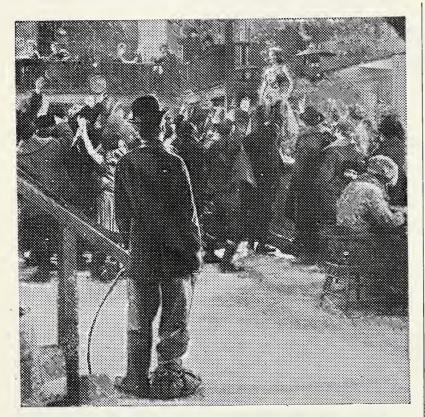
Charlie, as a lone bit of human flotsam and jetsam, finds a sympathizer and a sweetheart—a girl in a dancehall, played by Georgia Hale. In her garish finery, she dances with the sad little tramp, who beams over her shoulder into the eyes of his rival, a wealthy min-er. He becomes enraged and Charlie, the Lone Prospector, trembles as he is menaced and decides that death, after all, is better than the loss of his dancehall queen.



Charlie Chaplin in "The Gold Rush."

19A—One Col. Head (Mat.15; Cut.25)

# PUBLICITY



Charlie Chaplin, the Little Fellow, gets his first glimpse of the glamorous dance-hall queen, played by Georgia Hale, in his greatest comedy, "The Gold Rush," coming on . . . . . . to the . . . . . Theatre.

4B—Two Col. Scene (Mat .30; Cut .50)

## Charlie Is Funny— So Everybody Laughs

## Charlie's Humor In "The Gold Rush" Mixes Slapstick With Pathos

(Current Feature)

It is quite some time now since the long-haired boys and the short-haired girls have made cults out of anything and everything generally regarded as profane. It is a long time, for

instance, since they first foisted their cultism on the innocent head of Charlie Chaplin. Their defeat on this score didn't occur a moment too soon, for they were attempting to take Charlie away from the people and make him their sole property. What finally licked them was their own belated recognition of the fact that Charlie Chaplin was funny not because of any abstruse intellectual qualities, but merely because he was very funny!

This was a conclusion at which the common man had arrived many, years before. The whole story is: people laugh at Chaplin because he is funny. For even though humor has been defined in various ways by various highbrows, humor still remains something at which people laugh.

The people laugh at Charlie Chaplin. When they see "The Gold Rush," coming on ....... to the ...... Theatre, the chances are that not one out of a million will stop to consider why he laughs. They laugh whether it is Chaplin eluding an amorous bear in "The Gold Rush" or Chaplin the butt of the feeding machine in "Modern Times." The point is that Chaplin is being funny at all times — whether he is being merely zany, whether he is being satiric, or whether he is mixing fun with

## Max Terr Directs Comedy Music

Max Terr, who scored and conducted the music for Charlie Chaplin's "The Gold Rush," the current attraction at the ..... Theatre through United Artists release, was born in Russia, but came to the United States before he was two years old. An accomplished pianist, arranger, composer and conductor of choirs, he is not, however from a musical family

ever, from a musical family.

In his early twenties he played at such famous New York landmarks as the Old Waldorf-Astoria, Delmonico's, Sherry's—the meeting places of the best people.



Charlie Chaplin is way up in the Klondike in "The Gold Rush."

17A—One Col. Scene (Mat .15; Cut .25)

#### Music Interprets Comic Action

When Charlie Chaplin composed the musical score for "The Gold Rush," which will have its local premiere at the ...... Theatre on ......, he stated that he wanted the music to interpret the action rather than to merely height-

en the background, as is usually the case in most pictures.

It was Charlie's idea, in a word, to have the music correlate the picture—that is, speak for the characters and the action, which is,

of course, an entirely new approach

in motion picture technique.

Thus, in places where no narration is heard, the music as well as the film footage tells the story. The narration also hits a new note in telling a story. Chaplin himself does the narrating, giving only the essence of story and characterization, the film and music telling the

# WORLD'S TOP COMEDIAN RULES COLORFUL THREE-RING CIRCUS

# Charlie Stresses Fun and Laughs In His Work

Genius, somebody has said, is the word Hollywood gives to success it is unable or unwilling to explain by any other means. There are no unsuccessful geniuses in Hollywood and, conversely, there is nobody who has not, at one time or another, been a genius. It is a convenient expression, but also a misleading one.

It is, as a matter of fact, such divine hedging as this that has hidden Charlie Chaplin for so long from the clear-eyed view of the public. His critics so unanimously admit his genius that it has never seemed necessary to amplify this statement, and Charlie has remained an almost mythical figure, shrouded in reverential mystery.

Nobody is more annoyed by this attitude than Chaplin himself. He is a comedian, not an oracle, and it irritates him to have his laughter taken so seriously. He is, and wants to be, before everything else, a clown. Now, that Charlie is soon to be seen in "The Gold Rush," which is slated for its first show-

#### Charlie's Fans

Who discovered Charlie Chaplin? The critics? The so-called intelligentsia? Not at all. The general public, and in particular the children, can be credited with the discovery of the greatest comedian of our times.

median of our times.

Charlie evolved the costume and character he was to make world-famous after several shorts for Sennett. Shortly afterwards children all over the country were imitating his now famous walk, wearing replicas of the big shoes and baggy pants, and in only a matter of months, the public—convulsed by his antics—made Charlie Chaplin a national figure.

Charlie, who is now appearing in "The Gold Rush" at the.....
Theatre, has always looked upon the little man he created as a clown who knows how to be funny even when he is pitting himself against the powers that be and suffers the heartbreak and frustration common to every one at some time.

ing at the ...... Theatre on....., it is a fitting time to reconsider why he is the most famous actor in the world today and probably the most popular that has ever lived.

The simplest and most likely explanation lies in the fact that Char-

**Fun Formula** 

Charlie Chaplin, hero of "The

Gold Rush," now at the .........
Theatre, is an indefatigable worker

himself, but he believes there is

sound psychology in getting fun

out of any job. His formula for his

staff combines politeness, calm and

fun for relaxation.

# Comedian Insists Genius Is Not In His Line

lie Chaplin represents the Lowest Common Denominator of humor. His humor is the quintessence of all comedy which by its very simplicity is of universal appeal. When the little tramp with the big shoes and the wobbly cane makes his funny pathetic stand against the forces of regimentation, the whole world understands and laughs.

When in "The Gold Rush," Charlie pretends on New Year's eve in his shabby little cabin in the Klondike, that he is playing host to a brilliant assemblage and does his famous dance, the Oceana Roll, with two forks and two buns, his language is universal language. And though there is pathos and heartbreak, too, the inherent humor can be understood by everybody. That is why, Will Rogers once said, "Charlie Chaplin is better known among the Zulus than Garbo is in Arkansas."

"The Gold Rush," which was written and directed by Chaplin himself, is being released by United Artists.

## Ersatz Roast Served In Style By Charlie

(Week-End Feature)

In the war-torn countries of Europe today over which the aggressors rule, much is made of the new word "ersatz," which is the German word for "substitute." Ersatz clothing of wood

pulp, ersatz food—also of wood pulp—these and many more are being brought into general use, not by the people's wishes but by government decree.

It is Thanksgiving. Inside the shabby little Klondike cabin, a pot is boiling. Big Jim, the rotund companion of Charlie, is delirious from lack of food. Charlie, no better off, but still retaining his senses, is diligently stirring the pot as Big Jim watches.

With all the nuances of a French chef, Charlie lifts a big boot from the smoking pot, expertly presses a fork against the boot to see if it is cooked to the proper turn. He nods to himself, then taking the shoe from the pot, carefully bastes it with gravy. Big Jim passes his plate. Charlie, deftly wiping it, puts the shoe on it.

Then follows some of Charlie's most exquisite pantomime. To the melody of a salon orchestra playing dinner music, he professionally sharpens his knife. Then with all the elaborate motions of carving, Charlie separates the shoe from the sole, passing the portion with the nails to Big Jim who resentfully returns the seemingly less desirable part, taking the upper for himself.

Charlie attacks the sole with the most exquisite relish. Then the shoe laces, which he dexterously twirls as one would spaghetti. Finally he approaches the nails reverently, as an epicure would humming bird wings, ending this episode with the discovery of a nail bent in the shape of a wishbone which he holds out to his bewildered companion.

## Press Department Works In Reverse

Charlie Chaplin—perhaps the most publicized person in the amusement world — maintains a press department, of course. But unlike other studios, instead of a staff, it is manned by one person. And that person's chief job is to suppress publicity rather than further it.

suppress publicity rather than further it.

For Charlie, who will be seen in "The Gold Rush" at the .......

Theatre on ......, believes that fundamentally the public is interested in a star for but one reason —his pictures. If they aren't good, he maintains, all the publicity in the world means nothing.

And to that end, his studios con-

And to that end, his studios concentrate not on Charlie—what he thinks, eats, wears, likes or dislikes—but the movies he makes. Then and only then, does news come from his publicity offices. His publicity department, however, is always flooded with mail—all wanting news or something of King Charlot.



10B-Two Col. Scene (Mat .30; Cut .50)



## Charlie, The Expert, Is Expert Burlesquer

The Master Mimic and Pantomimist Is Skillful At All Trades

(Current Feature)

Expertness has always been a characteristic greatly admired by the American people. The average citizen swoons with respect at the thought of anyone so expert that he can typewrite sixty words a minute with a pair of sugar tongs, or anyone so expert that he can fly an airplane upside down.

It is a strange situation, therefore, to find an expert who incites laughter. The expert in question is Charlie Chaplin, who is currently starring in "The Gold Rush" at the ..... Theatre. Charlie Chaplin is an expert at all professions. So expert, in fact, that he becomes over-expert, and in that manner extracts humor from a situation. Although people have admiration for expertness, Chaplin knows that the admiration turns to laughter when the expertness becomes plu-perfect.

Chaplin, the master mimic and pantomimist, is a cinematic expert at all arts, crafts and trades. When he dances, as in "The Gold Rush," his dancing is so exaggeratedly graceful and finished that it ends by being a caricature of good dancing. When he boxes, as in "City Lights," his skill at weaving, bobbing, ducking and jabbing cannot be improved upon. He weaves, bobs, ducks and jabs with greater precision than a world champion.

In the cabaret scene in "Modern Times" Charlie was a waiter. Again, his expertness was so complete that it burlesqued the profession. He carried a tray through a crowded dance floor at a highly precarious angle without dropping it. He maneuvered over the dance floor like an All-American brokenfield runner. And, finally, he delivered the food to his table with the deftness and grace of a superheadwaiter.

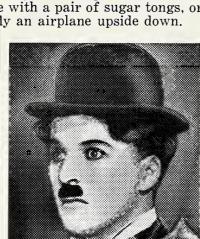
## One-Man Studio Run by Chaplin

Charlie Chaplin begins work on a picture in the same manner as creative artists in other fields begin theirs. He mulls an idea in his mind for many months. Then, finally, he gets into the studio for actual production. As the picture progresses, under Chaplin's directorship, he repairs to the cutting room he completion of each sequence He runs every foot of film through the movieola, and assembles the footage with the aid of his filmcutter. Charles is his own supervisor and editor, even at this stage.

Charlie writes the major portion of the music for his pictures; he did so for "City Lights," for "Modern Times," for "The Great Dictator" and for "The Gold Rush," which is now on view at the ..... Theatre through United Artists release. Charlie cannot read music, so he sits at the piano, improvising, as the picture is run before him. An arranger, with blank music sheets before him, performs the function of a musical stenographer.

## The Little Tramp Tricks The Bully

Charlie Chaplin loves slapstick. In "The Gold Rush," now at the ..... Theatre, the little man who is the stooge, not for any individual, but for the vagaries of fate itself, covers the whole field of comedy from the most arrant slapstick to the most delicate satire. His burlesque and ridicule are directed against the traditional Chaplin enemy—the bully.



Charlie Chaplin in "The Gold Rush." 14A-One Col. Head (Mat .15; Cut .25)

## Famous Star Has Many Avocations

Few people are aware that Charlie Chaplin, who is starring in "The Gold Rush," the current attraction at the ..... Theatre through United Artists release, numbers drawing among his many accomplishments. Among his accomplishments are two bookplates which he designed for his library and a great many personal sketches which he has distributed among close friends. A self-sketched caricature brought a sizeable sum at an auction sale in a London art gallery when he was making "Modern

In "The Gold Rush," Charlie plays the role of the Lone Prospector in the mad Klondike gold rush days. He wrote and directed the production and composed most of the music.

## Fillers

Charlie Chaplin, hero of "The Gold Rush," the current attraction at the ..... Theatre, is an expert tennis player, angler, musician and a recognized authority on economics.

2500 extras appear in the gold rush scenes in the Klondike, locale of Charlie Chaplin's "The Gold Rush," which is due for its local premiere at the ..... Theatre on ..... through United Artists release. Charlie both wrote and directed the film and composed most of its music.

The famed Chilkoot Pass, the gunsight notch through which goldseekers passed in the mad rush to the Klondike, is most realistically presented in Charlie Chaplin's great comedy-drama, "The Gold Rush," now showing at the ..... Theatre through United Artists release. The panorama of the pass was filmed near the summit of the high Sierras at an elevation of 9850 feet.

John Brown, who plays the role of himself, the big brown bear in Charlie Chaplin's "The Gold Rush," slated to start an engagement at the ...... Theatre on ....., was one member of the company who revelled in the snow country way up high in the Sierras.

A rude mining camp and hundreds of shabby cabins for the miners is part of the background seen in Charlie Chaplin's "The Gold Rush," which will be premiered at the ..... Theatre on ...... through United Artists release.

Professional ski jumpers are credited with having cut the pathway 2300 feet long through the deeply banked snow of the high Sierras for the location scenes of "The Gold Rush," now at the....

## Charlie Chaplin Cuts Own Film

Did you know that Charlie Chaplin has never employed a film cut-ter, but actually enters the cutting room at the completion of shooting, and personally cuts his films foot

Currently, Charlie's production of "The Gold Rush," which mirrors the hectic days of the Klondike gold hunt, is on view at the ...... Theatre through United Artists re-



Charlie Chaplin has at long last taken the offensive against Mack Swain in this dramatic scene from Charlie's laugh-packed comedy of the Klondike, "The Gold Rush," now playing an engagement at the ....... Theatre through United Artists release.

6B-Two Col. Scene (Mat .30; Cut .50)



Mack Swain, as Big Jim, and Charlie Chaplin, as the Lone Prospector, face perilous danger when their Klondike cabin teeters on a cliff in "The Gold Rush," Chaplin's brilliant comedy now at the..... Theatre.

2B—Two Col. Scene (Mat .30; Cut .50)

## **Great And Near Great** Pay Tribute To Chaplin

## Now Contemporary Youngsters Can Judge Charlie In "Gold Rush"

(Current Feature)

The slightly older generation remembers Charlie Chaplin much as it remembers its own youth. At the mention of his magic name, the mustache, the derby, the cane, the baggy thousers flash across the mind—an unforgettable scene from a favorite picture brings a smile to the lips.

Now the release of "The Gold Rush," one of Charlie's most brilliant comedies which is currently on view at the ..... Theatre, will be welcomed by a generation which knows Charlie only through "The Great Dictator." Thus the teen-age youngsters of today will have a chance to judge for themselves and to ponder the tributes that have been showard upon that have been showered upon Charlie's head by the great and near-great.

George Bernard Shaw called him "the only genius in motion pictures." Alexander Woollcott said: "His like has not passed this way before and we shall not see his like again!" The late Will Rogers described him as "the only genius developed in the films since they started."

Now, the contemporary generation, is set to have its say on the basis of his genius which flows so richly in "The Gold Rush." In this picture, the world's greatest co-median impersonates the Lone Prospector in the mad gold rush days in the Klondike. Chaplin wrote and directed the production, in which he is first and forested. in which he is first and foremost the beloved little tramp who wears an air of romantic hunger-forever seeking romance and forever taking a pathetic stand against the powers that be. But in "The Gold Rush," the little tramp succeeds in getting the girl and the money.

## CHARLIE CHAPLIN

## "THE GOLD RUSH"

Written and Directed by Charles Chaplin Narrative written and spoken by Charles Chaplin Released through United Artists

THE CAST

The Loue Prospector
Big Jim
Black Larson
Hank Curtis
Jack
Georgia

	TECHNICAL STAFF				
	Original Compositions				
	Musical Direction				
١	Photography				
	Sound Recording Peter Decker & W. M. Dalgleish				
	Film Editor				
	In charge of Production				

# **PUBLICITY**



Divine romance comes at last to Charlie Chaplin as he dances with the dance-hall queen, Georgia Hale, in "The Gold Rush," his fun-packed comedy now showing at the ...... Theatre through United Artists release.

5B-Two Col. Scene (Mat .30; Cut .50)

## Chaplin Reveals Origin Of His Beloved Costume

### Famous Derby, Cane And Baggy Pants Were Assembled For Second Film

(Advance Featured)

As varied and fanciful as they are plentiful are the stories concerning the origin of Charlie Chaplin's famous screen costume. But for the authentic explanation, we must go to the

**Country Needs** 

Reel Laughter,

**Says Comedian** 

In spite of what the highbrows

say about the Chaplin brand of

comedy and humor being just a

step away from tragedy Charlie

insists that his one aim in picture-

making is to be funny and to make

Charlie believes that the world

today needs laughter more than it

ever did before. Since the serious

trend world conditions have taken.

people need a tonic for the nerves,

an opportunity to brush away the

impending sense of disaster which

overtakes us in our daily grind.

People, says Charlie, don't want stories of futility, heartache, dis-

appointment, frustration. They

need the sunshine and release of

So, Charlie is presenting the

world with "The Gold Rush," which will have its premiere at the .....

Theatre on ....., so that audi-

ences can be refreshed by an even-

ing of hilarious fun such as only

the genius of Chaplin can produce. Charlie wrote and directed "The Gold Rush," and his supporting cast includes Mack Swain, Tom Murray, Henry Bergman, Malcolm

CAT AND DOG!

There are two tenants at the

Charles Chaplin studios who get special attention from the master

of comics himself. They are Topaze,

the cat, and Teddy, the dog. When Charlie, who will be seen in "The Gold Rush" at the Theatre, beginning on , leaves Hollywood, he leaves com-

plete instructions at the studio for their care and feeding. "The Gold Rush" was written and directed by

Charlie and is being releasd by United Artists.

Waite and Georgia Hale.

people laugh

laughter.

brilliant comedian himself. Charlie, who is starring in "The Gold Rush," which will have its first showing at the ...... Theatre on ....., says:

"Contrary to general belief, I did not wear the costume so familiar to you all in my first picture, in which I was a newspaper reporter. It was my second. I was hurriedly told to 'put on funny makeup.' I went to the wardrobe and got a pair of baggy pants, a tight coat, a small derby and a large pair of shoes.

"I wanted the clothes to be a mass of contradictions, knowing pictorially the figure would be vividly outlined on the screen. To add a comic touch to my face, I wore a small mustache which would not hide my expression. The clothes seemed to imbue me with a spirit of the character. He actually became a man with a soul-a point of

"In defining the type of person he was, I explained: he wears an air of romantic hunger—forever seeking romance, but his feet won't

And perhaps in this last simple sentence, Chaplin himself has explained the little tramp's philoso-



Georgia Hale and Charlie Chaplin in "The Gold Rush."

11A—One Col Scene (Mat .15; Cut .25)

## ManyHobbies On Roster Of **Famous Comic**

## Star's Interests Include Sports And Music

(Advance Feature)

How does Charlie Chaplin spend his time when he doffs the famous derby, cane and shoes and calls it a day?

The interests of the great comedian, who is starring in "The Gold Rush," which will be premiered at the ...... Theatre on ...., are varied and his hobbies numerous. Few people know that his home contains one of the finest libraries in the country. His Napoleonic collection boasts every book ever printed about the "little

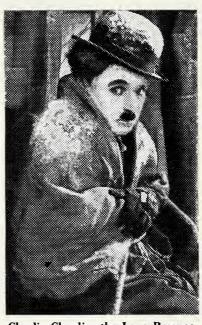
Charlie is a musician of ability, playing the organ, the piano, the cello, accordian and even the humble harmonica. His collection of ancient Japanese prints is the envy of connoiseurs and within recent years he has become a collector of old Staffordshire ware.

Also, Charlie is an expert deepsea fisherman and holds the button of honor presented by the Tuna Club for a record catch. He plays a fast game of tennis, likes handball and keeps himself in trim by sprinting. It is not generally known that the comedian was at one time an amateur long distance runner



A moment of sentiment for Charlie Chaplin and his pal in "The Gold Rush."

12A—One Col. Scene (Mat .15; Cut .25)



Charlie Chaplin, the Lone Prospector, still hasn't struck it rich in "The Gold Rush."

15A—One Col. Scene

## Most Comedians Work In Deepest Secrecy

Newspaper men—and others—so often ask, "Why doesn't Chaplin allow visitors on his sets?"

As a matter of fact, he does—but very seldom.

Anyone familiar with the basis of comedy knows that it is built on what is called in the profession "gag situations." While of course all good comedies must have a story the pictures rely mainly on story, the pictures rely mainly on funny situations—some of which are so closely interwoven with the

story itself as to be inseparable. All prominent picture comedians work on closed sets. Harold Lloyd and the Marx Brothers, in particu-

lar are adamant about this. Were outsiders allowed to view the picture in shooting, naturally the situations would be disclosed and the denoument would be ruined. This is especially true of a Chap-

Whether Charlie is right can be seen when "The Gold Rush" starts a run at the ..... Theatre



Plenty of trouble ahead for Charlie Chaplin when Big Jim, played by Mack Swain, blames the Little Fellow for their misfortunes in "The Gold Rush," Charlie's brilliant comedy coming on ..... to

the ..... Theatre. 3B-Two Col. Scene (Mat .30; Cut .50)

## Fifth Column Gets Stymied In Hollywood

## Chaplin Reveals Spy Defense In Studio

(Advance Feature)

During the production of each of his pictures, Charlie Chaplin insists on secrecy. This is merely a sound merchandising principle, which other producers have also tried, but somehow only Chaplin has been able to enforce it. Whether from compulsion or devotion, the people who work for him guard the details of each film as zealously as if they were military secrets.

This leads in time to espionage. Because every newspaper is anxious to publish a Charlie Chaplin scoop and because every hostess in Hollywood is equally eager to be the first with genuine gossip, spies try to get in and out of the Chaplin studio during a production. They are, for the most part, extras who are not above selling to the enemy the information they pick up on the set in spite of Chaplin's reiterated warnings. When such fifth columnists are discovered they are dealt with summarily, but on the whole they are unable to do much damage. In his years of making movies, Chaplin has developed a powerful defense against such

To begin with, Chaplin, whose "The Gold Rush" will start a run at the ...... Theatre on ....., shoots his pictures in such a way that not even the players know what the story is about until the film is screened for them. For when it comes to putting out a picture, Charlie does not believe in taking everybody into his confidence.

## For Audiences

It has been said that to combine comedy and pathos in a film production and not destroy the illusions of the audience requires a truly

great artist.

In "The Gold Rush," his brilliant comedy of the Alaska gold rush. coming on ..... to the ......

Theatre, Charlie Chaplin seeks the sympathies of the audience in the role of a weakling prospector, a hard-luck sourdough in the Alaskan wilderness. kan wilderness.

One of the most touching scenes is where Chaplin prepares what to him is a banquet, but really is a pitiful attempt at an elaborate dinner, to entertain Georgia, the dancehall girl, and her friends. His guests fail to arrive and it gradually dawns on him that he is the

victim of a ghastly joke.

Charlie thereupon pretends that his girl has come and proceeds to entertain her with a dance, called the Oceana Roll, in which he employs two forks and two buns. His dance is so finished, so polished that it almost becomes a take-off on good

#### FRENCH CHEF!

In "The Gold Rush," the next attraction at the .... Theatre, beginning on ...., Charlie Chaplin gives a perfect exhibition of French chef when he presides with finesse at a boiled-boot dinner.
In "The Great Dictator" Charlie

was a barber. Again, he had completely mastered the movements and the skill of this profession. He stropped a razor with absolute authority. He worked up a soap lather with felicity. He applied the lather to his patron's face with abandon, but he managed to keep it out of his mouth and he didn't cut his patron's throat.

Chaplin is always the expert



## Chaplin Made Debut As Boy In Gay Revue

## Sennet Credited With Discovery Of Chaplin

(Special Feature)

The history of Charlie Chaplin, even in its most abbreviated form, is a most implausible chronicle. Not because of any novel features contained in it, but for exactly the opposite reason. It is an almost impossible collection of biographical cliches. Even Horatio Alger, the world's most prolific fabricator of tales, would have scorned it. Of course, we can hardly blame Chaplin for this triteness. He just had the misfortune to live it.

Even his parents were in character. His father was a kindly man but an uncertain provider; his mother a fine woman who had to cope with the trials and privations of small-time English vaudeville and the squalor of the slums of London.

Charlie's education, early and late, was sketchy and sporadic and at a tender age he was helping to support his mother. He became a printer's devil until he finally decided to go on the stage and joined the Karno Repertory Company. At night, he practiced dance steps and acrobatics.

That this diligence was worthwhile was proved when he came to this country in "A Night In An English Music Hall." Chaplin's talent was immediately recognized and he was signed by Mack Sennett to make pictures. From that time

he was on his way.

Even today, Chaplin doesn't coast because he is successful. In addition to starring, directing and producing, Chaplin writes his own intures and all of them including 

#### FOR TOPAZE

When Charlie Chaplin, now starring in "The Gold Rush" at the ........ Theatre, goes to Hollywood's swankiest eating places, he never neglects to bring back a paper plate dotted with choice morsels which he personally foods to sels which he personally feeds to Topaze, a black cat that Charlie found when he was just a stray kitten. For ever since Topaze pur-red his way into the comedian's heart, the best is none too good for him.



Charlie Chaplin's adventures in "The Gold Rush," which is now on view at the through United Artists release, are unfolded against the snow-capped peaks of the Klondike, with Charlie, the Lone Prospector, finally winning romance, the girl and a gigantic fortune in gold.

1C-Three Col. Scene (Mat .46; Cut .75)

## Program Shorts

Charlie Chaplin, hero of "The Gold Rush," which is slated for its initial showing at the .. Theatre on ...... through United Artists release, can play any musical instrument, although he never took a lesson in his life. In fact, Chaplin composes nearly all of the music for his pictures; he sits at the piano while a musical stenographer stands-by and transfers to paper what Charlie improvises on the keyboard.

**MUSEUM PIECES** 

The original suit, cane, hat and shoes that Charlie Chaplin, star of "The Gold Rush," which will start an engagement at the ...... Theatre on ...... through United Artists release, wore in his early screen appearances are on view at the Los Angeles Museum to which he donated them. Also, there is to be seen a replica of Charlie's famous form and figure sculptured to wear the costume.

**CLEVER LINGUIST** 

Although he is no linguist by his own admission, Charlie Chap-

lin, who is now presenting "The Gold Rush," his brilliant comedy of the Alaska days at the...... Theatre thru United Artists release, can hoodwink foreigners into believing he is talking their language. He does it by clever intonation and is most proficient in deceiving the Chinese. In "The Great Dictator," he exhibited his skill at deception by speaking in a deep, harsh, familiar guttural.

NO CLOCK-WATCHER

When Charlie Chaplin is working on a picture, he labors with regularity and conscientiousness. His only attention to the clock is in the morning—he arrives at the studio promptly at eight. Some days he will leave at five, more often at eight, nine, ten, or well after midnight. He is a painstaking worker, and he figures out "business" and "gags" down to the minutest detail. Currently, he is appearing in "The Gold Rush" at the..... Theatre thru United Artists re-

POTPOURRI

Although he has talked less for publication than any celebrity, Charlie Chaplin, now starring in "The Gold Rush," his brilliant comedy now showing at the..... publicity than anyone in the picture industry. Although Charlie wears the biggest shoes on the screen—size 14—in private life he wears size 5.

PAST AND PRESENT

Once, way back, Charlie Chaplin, hero of "The Gold Rush," which will start an engagement at the

... Theatre on .... thru United Artists release, led Sousa's band through two numbers of the old New York Hippodrome. Now, Charlie lets others conduct the background music for his pictures.

**TEMPURA** 

If you have never heard of Japanese Tempura, ask Charlie Chap-lin for the lowdown. The master comedian, now starred in his own production, "The Gold Rush," com-Theatre, says that it is one of his favorite dishes. It is an Oriental concoction made of fried shrimp.

MUSTACHE LORE

Charlie Chaplin, who can now be seen in one of his funniest and most brilliant comedies, "The Gold 

is very fussy about that famous mustache he wears in his films. He makes a fresh one each morning himself whenever he is working before the cameras. Charlie is a stickler about everything when p inaking is concerned, because he is practically a one-man organization.

**PHOTOGRAPHS** 

Charlie Chaplin, who may currently be seen in "The Gold Rush," his funniest comedy, at the ......
Theatre, holds the record for having been photographed with celebrities. Among his camera companions have been Kine Edward VIII (then Prince of Wales), Franklin D. Roosevelt (then Secretary of the Navy), Ramsay Mac-Donald, Mahatma Ghandi, H. G. Wells and G. B. Shaw.

## Comic Claims Hard Work Is Best Formula

## Charlie Spurned The Easy Life As Beginner

(Current Feature)

One of the most amazing success stories in the world is Charlie Chaplin's.

At the age of 28, he was not only one of the most famous and best loved men in the world, but wealthy in his own right. The same year he built the Chaplin Studios starting his own producing company which, since its inception in 1918, has never produced anything but artistic as well as financial successes.

The son of theatrical parents, he earned his own living from the time he was nine years old. By his own admission, his schooling was spasmodic. But even as a very young boy, those who knew him say Charlie was studious. When he joined the Karno Repertoire Company as a lad in his teens, he was never to be found in the "gay spots" when the day's work was done, as did the other young fellows in the troupe. Instead, he stayed at home and figured out

"funny business" for his routines.

That he succeeded as a result of his industry was proved when he was spotted by Mack Sennett shortly after he arrived in America. From that memorable day when he entered pictures his rise was meteoric and now he is the reigning comedian of the screen world. Currently, Charlie is starring in his production of "The Gold Rush," the current attraction at the

Theatre thru United Artists re-



Charlie Chaplin portrays the Lone Prospector in "The Gold Rush,"

18A-One Col. Scene (Mat .15; Cut .25)

Snowy Background In "Gold Rush"

In "The Gold Rush," which is 

has endeared to millions, but this time the serio-comic figure wanders through the snow-capped peaks and mountains of the wilder-

ness of the Klondike during the

hectic gold rush days. We see him first as the Lone Prospector, buffeted by a cruel fate as well as by

little figure never ceases to produce new wrinkles. In fact, there have been so many variations on an old theme—most of them as gargantuan as old-fashioned myths—that Charlie, whose "The Gold Rush" starts a run at the . . . . . . Theatre on . . . . . , once more elucidates

In this simple sentence, of course, Chaplin explains the whole philosophy and magnetism of the little tramp. He does it without all the fol-de-rol and pseudo-analysis which have appeared from time to time in the newsprints. And it is this same familiar figure who again wanders through a series of fun-filled, side-splitting comedy situations

## Little Tramp's Philosophy

Although the philosophy of his Little Tramp has been clearly explained in all of his pictures, parlor speculation about the beloved for the benefit of those who want to hear.

In defining the type of person he is, says Charlie, I would say that he wears an air of romantic hunger—he is forever seeking romance but he cannot find it because his feet won't let him.

Chaplin wrote, directed and produced "The Gold Rush" and it is being released through United Artists.

## cruel toughs. Subsequently, romance enters his dreary life in the shape of a dance-hall queen. But she is only an adventuress at heart and brings more pathos into the life of the little man—but at the end, Charlie actually wins the girl and becomes

multi-millionaire, to boot.

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Charlie Chaplin's delightful antics are known around the globe and here he demonstrates his finesse with the foot in a scene from "The Gold Rush," which will have its local premiere at the . . . . Theatre on . . . .



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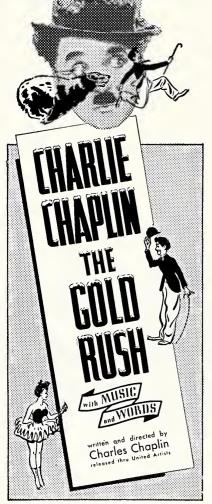


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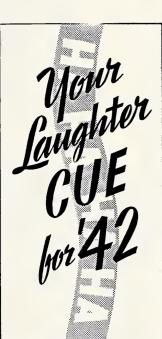


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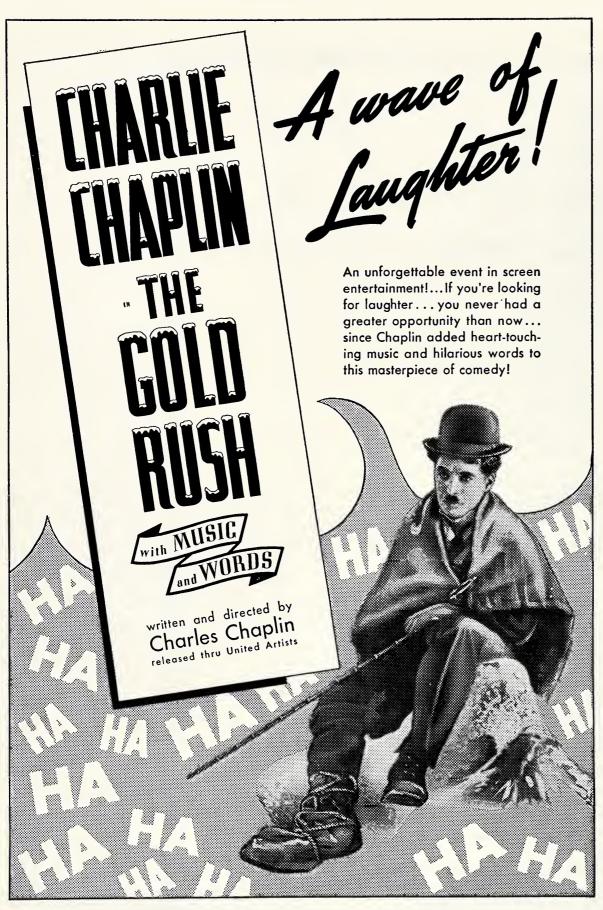
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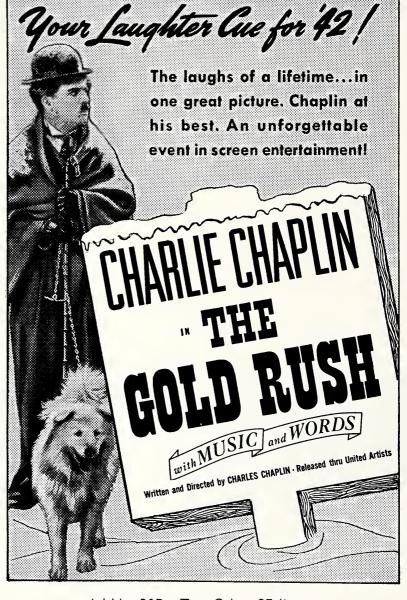
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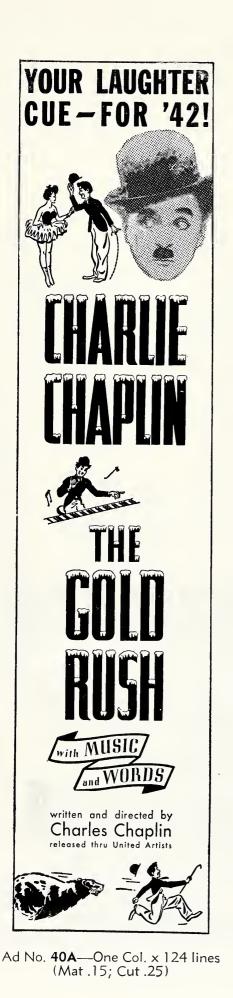


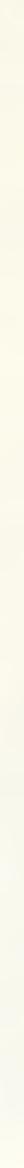
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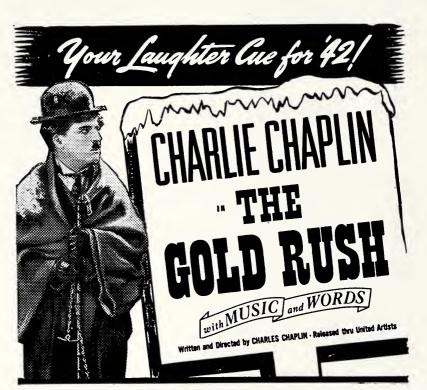


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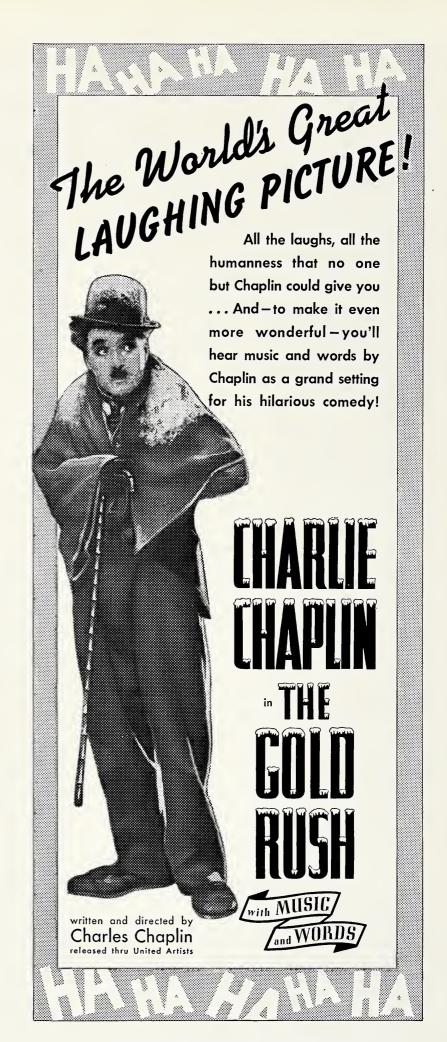
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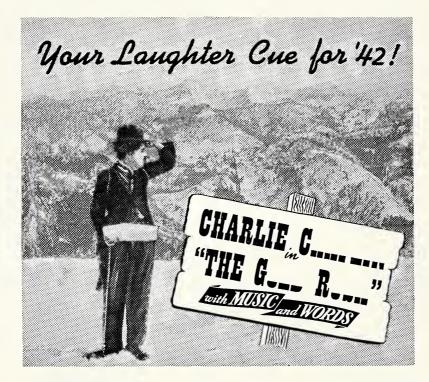


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