

Gayety Opens August 21.

The Gayety theater will open for the season of 1911-12 on Monday afternoon, August 21. Painters, decorators, upholsterers and other workmen have been busy since the house closed during May, and the house has been redecorated throughout in light green, ivory and gold, the walls of the auditorium proper being in two tones of the light green. The trimmings are in ivory and gold, while the woodwork of the lobby, the foyer and the entrance have all been changed to match the color scheme of the house.

Over the proscenium arch a beautiful painting of Miss Gayety, with lyre and mask, appears, and is flanked on each side by paintings over the boxes showing satyrs and jesters dancing to her music.

In addition to these changes, a brand new curtain has been hung, with a beautiful scene from Bonn., Germany, appearing as the main decorative feature. The management has had extra heavy linoleum put between the seats, and down all the aisles, ensuring a sanitary house.

The opening attraction will be Al Reeves and his big beauty show, than which there are few better offerings on the Eastern wheel. He brings with him quite a number of new features this year, and will offer something new in the line of burlesque.