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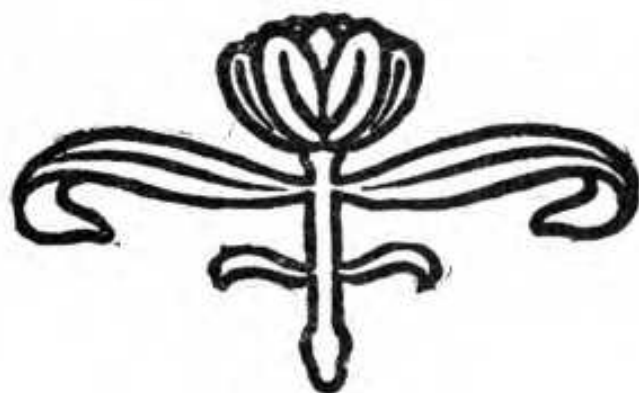
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THE PERSONS OF THE PLAY

(As cast in the original production at the Gaiety Theatre, New York,
December 4, 1911, and later at the Fulton Theatre.)

JAMES MADISON, Congressman from Virginia; afterwards Secretary of State in Thomas Jefferson's cabinet	Lowell Sherman.
AARON BURR, Senator from New York; afterwards Vice-President of the United States	Frederick Perry.
BOHLEN PINCKNEY, the President's Secretary	Regan Hughston.
SIR ANTHONY MERRY, British Minister at Washington	William Hawtrey.
DON CARLOS MARTINEZ, MARQUIS D'YREJO, Spanish Minister at Washington	William David.
MYNHEER VAN BERCKEL, Minister from the Netherlands	Carl Hartberg.
LOUIS ANDRÉ PICHON, Chargé d' Affaires for France	John Prescott.
JENNINGS, servant at Dolly Todd's; later at Madison's	Luke Martin.
DE VAUX, Major-Domo at White House	Francis Bonn.
THE COOK	Lawrence Windom.
THE HAIR-DRESSER	Edward Stewart.
DOLLY TODD, afterwards Mrs. James Madison	Elsie Ferguson.
SALLY MCKEAN, afterwards Marchioness D'Yrujo	Beatrice Noyes.
MRS. SPARKLE	Maud Hosford.
SOPHIA SPARKLE, her daughter; afterwards Madame Pichon	Helen Bond.
LADY MERRY	Rose Coghlan.
THE HONOURABLE ENA FERRAR, Lady Merry's sister	Helen Macbeth.
VEOU VAN BERCKEL	Myra Brook.
MINISTER FROM RUSSIA and COUNTESS DASHKOFF	} Silent figures in Act III.
MINISTER FROM TURKEY	
CLOTILDE, maid at Dolly Todd's	Georgette Passadott.
FOOTMEN, VALETS, SERVANTS, ETC.	



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