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Telephone Bookings must be claimed 15 minutes before rise of curtain.

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HARRY HANSON  
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**"The Gold Earring"**  
by  
NAOMI WATERS

### CHARACTERS (in order of appearance)

Peter Rodgers ..... JACK MEDLEY  
Cheryl Rodgers ..... DORRIE TOMLINSON  
Maid ..... ROSEMARY CREWS  
Patrick Malone ..... BRIAN WILLIAMS  
Insp. John Masters ..... ARTHUR REES  
Jules Van de Helf ..... RICHARD WILDING  
Bessie Glover ..... JESSIE BALL  
Sgt. Barnett ..... RAYMOND BESWICK

Play produced by IAN CUNNINGHAM  
Decor—GRIFFITH JAMES

Setting Designed and Painted by  
RAYMOND BESWICK

**SYNOPSIS OF SCENES**  
The action of the play is set in two sitting rooms  
in private suites in the Hotel Trafford, Tours.

### PROLOGUE

A November night

ACT I.

Next Morning—10-30 a.m.

The curtain is lowered

The Flat above

The curtain is lowered

The Rodgers' Flat

ACT II

The same immediately following

ACT III.

4-30 p.m. of the same day

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