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AT THE MOVIES

AT SHERRY'S.

Tomorrow Only

William F. Russell, or, as he is known more familiarly to moving picture fans all over the country, "Big Bill," star in the Mutual Masterpiece, De Luxe Edition "The Bruiser," a five part drama which comes to the Sherry theatre tomorrow, is one of the most proficient of living boxers. Many expert writers on prize fighting say that he easily could have been one of the leading pugilists had he chosen a ring career instead of the silent drama.

His knowledge of boxing stand him in good stead in his latest production, as he is forced to go four gruelling rounds with Al Kauffman, a pugilist of considerable reputation and more than ordinary skill. This bout is no mere lovefest, but approaches closer to the real thing than any similar scene ever photographed. Real blows

are exchanged between the fighters, and the action is beyond the ability of any suggestions from the director, as the men enjoy the sport and go at it as if it were in earnest.

Not only does Mr. Russell shine as a boxer, but is equally proficient at baseball, football and rowing. While at college he was a noted all round athlete and established several records which still stand.

AT ARCADE.

Willard Mack in Island Drama.

Willard Mack, who is well known for his acting and authorship of "Kick In" and "So Much For So Much," will gain new laurels when he appears in "Aloha Oe," the Triangle production at the Arcade Wednesday and Thursday. It is a spectacular Ince supervised drama of love

and adventure, the main acting being in the south sea islands.

The production will serve to introduce Mack as a screen artist. Though a comedian by training and experience on the stage, Mack is a virile dramatic actor, and for that reason in their collaboration J. G. Hawks and Thomas H. Ince made the role assigned to him one of intensity. It is the part of a young attorney who through the use of intoxicants finds courage and forcefulness enough to win an important criminal case. The story of his subsequent physical decline and ultimate redemption affords Mack unusual opportunities.

Enid Markey, who scored so heavily in the support of Dustin Farnum in "The Iron Strain," is happily cast opposite Mack. Miss Markey has the difficult role of Kalaniweo, daughter of the chieftain of the tribe in a tropical island, yet she interpreted it, it is declared with even greater skill than she did that of Octavia Van Ness in the Farnum story.

Other important members of the cast are Margaret Thompson, Frank Borzage, J. Frank Burke and J. Barney Sherry.

Raymond Hitchcock in "Village Scandal."

Good old rollicking humor, the kind that is infectious, will appear in the new Triangle-Keystone, "The Village Scandal," at the Arcade theater Wednesday and Thursday. Raymond Hitchcock and Roscoe Arbuckle are each of them funny, and each separately would keep an audience highly entertained, but playing together in this production they carry everything before them.

CITES MISTAKES.

C. D. Huffman Comments on Good Roads Issues.

La Grande, May 15.—(To the Editor)—On my return from the State grange at Grants Pass I found on my desk the Elgin Recorder containing arguments for a road bond issue. I notice among other things statements regarding road building in the state of

Washington. Now, in the name of all fairness, why do they not refer to the counties in Oregon where bonds have been voted? Jackson county where they bonded for \$500,000 has seventeen miles of hard surfaced road; about 20 miles more graded road which is ready for surfacing and are now using 20 per cent of the state highway fund to help out. Washington county bonded to the limit, with practically no hard surface and grades in such a shape that the roads are in worse condition than before the bonds were voted. Clatsop county bonded for roads. The only hard surface they have is laid on the gravel road they already had built, so they practically got no benefit from it. Hood River county bonded to the limit has only half the grade made and are asking the state to come to their relief and finish it.

Why don't they refer to the city of Spokane where they own their own road building plant, and are actually building bitulithic pavement at a cost of 80 cents per yard. This I got from the city engineer at Spokane.

Voters, think before you vote for this bond issue.

As to the amount of the cost to remain in the county after the road is built, I refer you to the city of La Grande and any other city having their streets paved by any of the paving companies.

C. D. HUFFMAN.

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