

# AT THE THEATRES

## OREGON

"The Pony Express" with Betty Compson, Ricardo Cortez, Ernest Torrence, Wallace Beery.

### 'PONY EXPRESS' NOW PLAYING AT OREGON

Thrilling Picture of Early Days Said Better Than "Covered Wagon"

"The Pony Express," produced for Paramount by James Cruze and now playing at the Oregon theatre, is a well-knit and thrilling story of the West just prior to the election of President Lincoln, when California was hesitating between North and South, showing the inauguration and operation of the famous Pony Express and giving a glimpse of the young Mark Twain.

Jack Weston, a debonair gambler and a dead shot, has been condemned to die because of his anti-slavery orations by Senator Glen, who leads the Southern cause in California, but he escapes and goes to Julesburg, where he becomes a Pony Express rider.

His rival for the hand of Molly Stevens is Slade, superintendent of the Overland Stage company, a notorious "bad man" who tries to discredit Weston in the eyes of Molly and who later makes an unsuccessful attempt on his life. Slade has arranged with Glen to suppress the news of Lincoln's election in order that California may be swung over to the Southern side, this state being an important factor in the fight against slavery.

The story tells of the defeat of Slade's plans by Weston's wit and daring. Weston assists in the defense of Julesburg against a band of Indians led by a half-breed in league with Slade. Weston wins the girl and is later elected to political office.

This is a story combining historical fact with the element of romance that distinguished the West of former days.

Betty Compson, Ricardo Cortez, Ernest Torrence and Wallace Beery are featured in the cast of the production. The story is by Henry James Forman and Walter Woods.

The biggest thing Cruze has done yet is what Paramount claims of "The Pony Express."

## HEILIG

Norma Shearer in "A Slave of Fashion."

### 'WHITE CARGO' IS COMING HERE SOON

Great Stage Success Is to Be Shown at the Heilig Theatre on Nov. 12

"How do you like painting from head to foot every day?" This unique question was asked Isabelle Herbert.

For the benefit of those initiated in the knowledge of the character of Tomdeleyo, which she will play at the Heilig Thursday, November 12, suffice to say that it is one which requires the services of a colored maid to completely cover Miss Herbert's body with a coat of light tan from head to foot. Tomdeleyo in "White Cargo" is an alluring primitive vamp whose blood contains a mixture of French and native West African, combining the impulsive character of the Parisienne with the primitive passions of the jungle woman, and as she correctly describes herself, "most white."

Miss Herbert's makeup is an elaborate one to put on and to take off, so, in order to play the primitive she requires all the modern, up to date plumbing systems. However, modern theatres of today are equipped with baths and showers. The producer, Earl Carroll, has provided against contingencies by carrying a collapsible bath tub, so that Miss Herbert, with the help of her maid, can be boiled white after each performance.

"If cleanliness is next to Godliness, then I'm sure of it, for I've done much scrubbing and washing in this part," she said.

The interviewer said: "Miss Herbert, you look familiar to me, but your wonderful makeup hides your features. I just can't place where I've seen you before." Miss Herbert smilingly replied: "I'm glad something is hid, for this part requires so few clothes that at times I am ashamed to go on. You know in playing the character of a native vamp, the costumes which I

## BLIGH

Hippodrome Vaudeville and Pictures.

### FINE VAUDEVILLE OFFERED BY BLIGH

Five Acts Provide Amusement of Every Description; Bill Varied

Heading the new show at the Bligh today is Florence McNally and her American ballet. Seven people make up the company, and each is an artist. This number is considered one of the cleverest revues seen here this season.

Ryan and Moore will offer their singing and talking turn called "Fall Is Here." This duo has a new line of material and there is plenty of fun in their offering.

Revolving Collins will do some hair-raising stunts on roller skates for his part of the show. Some real spins are the features in his offering.

A popular pair will be Lamey and Pearson. They sing and chat, in fact do a little bit of everything to entertain.

To close the show Kenny and Burt known as the Flying Sailors will work on the rings, and feature strong-arm stunts, for their part of the program. The bill is well balanced and offers plenty of comedy.

wear are an exact reproduction of what they wear out there; or possibly, I should say, what they don't wear."

That inimitable team, Wallace Beery and Raymond Hatton, will again be seen in action in "Behind the Front," a Paramount picture adapted from a story by Hugh Wiley. This is the picture which will make the return of Mildred Davis (Mrs. Harold Loyd) to the screen.

Mary Brian, Paramount's pretty little featured player, who has just finished a leading role with Raymond Griffith in "He's a Prince," is enjoying a few days vacation at Big Bear Lake, in southern California.

Prior to her departure for New York last week, Bessie Love entertained with a party at the Hotel Ambassador in Los Angeles. A score of film favorites who received an invitation claimed it to be the most novel and most entertaining party of the year.

Valentino now spells his first name Rudolph instead of Rodolph. J. D. Williams, president of Ritz-Carlton Pictures, under whose banner Valentino is producing "Cobra," now spells his Jaydee.

Star Dust  
Pola Negri and her mother are living at a hotel while their home is being redecorated.

Patsy Ruth Miller is planning to go on the musical comedy stage.

Marie Prevost and Kenneth Harlan recently celebrated their first wedding anniversary.

Irene Rich is now in Europe.

Norman Kerry has gone deer hunting and has promised the whole studio deer meat.

Lon Chaney carries a union card in the stage hand's organization. He once performed the double duty of scene shifter and manager.

Universal has insured the life of Reginald Denny for \$50,000.

## NEWS BRIEFS

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Speeders Arrested—Clifford Bryngelson of 252 North Cottage street was arrested for speeding by Officer Edwards late Friday night. A. L. Sams of Albany was arrested Saturday by Officer Hickman on a charge of speeding and was fined \$5.

E. Lesocke of Portland was arrested Saturday by Officer Hickman for speeding.

Fined for Parking—F. Koschnider and Frank Durbin, Jr., were fined \$1 each for parking overtime Saturday.

Town Quiet—With the exception of several small children breaking a few flower pots and scribbling on windows, Salem was unusually quiet for Halloween night. No serious damages were reported, and the police department was not forced

to put on special officers for the evening.

Landers at Corvallis—President J. S. Landers of the Oregon Normal school at Monmouth is attending the Benton County Teachers' institute in Corvallis on Friday. Miss Emma Henkle and Miss Katherine Arbuthnot of the Normal school go to the Linn County Institute in Albany after attending institute in Corvallis.

Edison Tone Test Concert—Edison tone test concert this year is on Nov. 17th at the Armory. Elizabeth Spencer will sing.

Film at Church—A moving picture, that is a real heart-gripping picture of true life, "A Maker of Men," will be shown at the evening service today at the First Congregational church, according to an announcement made by Rev. Charles E. Ward, pastor of the church. James K. Shields is the author of the play which has an engrossing plot from start to finish.

Alumni Magazine Prospect—At a meeting of the executive committee of the Willamette university board of trustees Saturday the creation of an alumni magazine was discussed although no definite action has yet been taken by the board. The committee also discussed the workmen's compensation act in regard to Willamette employees.

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Employment Report Filed—During the past week 61 men and 2 women received employment through the Salem Y.M.C.A. employment bureau, according to report filed by Sims Phillips, head of the bureau. There were 126 requests for male help. For these places 70 men were referred.

Twelve women registered for jobs, and 4 calls for female help were received at the office. Two women were referred and both placed.

Tomorrow is the Day—To hear the new Orthophonic Victrola at Stiff's.

15 Acres Trim Tract—Good bldg. Mostly in small fruits. Excellent condition. Close to Salem. \$6500. Real reason to sell. Becke & Hendricks, 189 N. High. Hellig Bldg.

New Members Reported—The Salem Chamber of Commerce has received five new members during the week, according to word received Saturday. Archie Holt, manager of the Heilig theatre was brought into the club by W. W. Chadwick, president of the Central Stage Terminal and hotel company. W. L. Van Loan, supervisor of social studies in the Salem junior high schools, was brought in by J. O. Hayes, Jr. Mose P. Adams, manager of the Skyline walnut orchards, was a special guest last Monday, and decided to join the club. W. P. Robinson, owner of the Cascade orchards also joined. H. F. Woodry of Woodry & Son, Auctioneers, was brought in by C. F. Giese of the Giese-Powers Furniture company.

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For Rent—Two Room—Apartment close in, 267 N. High. Rent, \$25.

Play Presented—The play, "You and I" by Phillip Barry, was presented by the Willamette chapter of the Theta Alpha Phi national dramatic fraternity Saturday night in Waller hall. The play, which received a full house, was enthusiastically received. The work of Miss Reed, Nancy White and Alvin Bond as Maitland White being especially lauded. The play was directed by Prof. Horace Rahskopf of Willamette university.

"Angry"—Snappy foxtro; with a very pleasing rhythm. Records Dept. at Stiff's.

Orey Coffey—Serves real eats at the Lunch Box, 181 S. Liberty.

Fundamentalist to Lecture—Guy Fitch Phelps, famous writer and fundamentalist, is to give a three weeks' series of lectures in defense of fundamentalism at the First Evangelical church of Salem of which Rev. C. C. Poling, father in-law of Mr. Phelps, is pastor. The first lecture will be given on Monday evening, November 2. The

Large Rummage Sale—Beginning Tuesday, Nov. 3rd, at 455 Ferry street, auspices Thursday Bridge Luncheon club, for benefit laboratory equipment for Salem hospital.

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Road Districts to Meet—For the purpose of deciding whether or not to assess special road district levies, 34 road districts to date have intimated that they will meet on November 7. As there still remains a brief time allowed by law for the filing of petitions for special district meetings, it is probable that the number of districts to meet will be increased. Special taxes amounting to over \$58,000 were voted last year by 42 road districts. But there was special enticement last year as the county was awarding special bonuses from the general fund when special taxes were voted. This is not done this year.

Tulips and Narcissus—Bulb planting time. A large number of varieties of each. Plant now while weather is good. Franklin-Young Tulip Farm, Wallace Road. Phone 52F14.

## Forrest Taylor



Forrest Taylor Leading Role In "Hell Bent for Heaven"

"Hell Bent for Heaven," one of the strangest and most entertaining dramas ever written, which comes to the Heilig theater in this city Tuesday night, November 2, is declared to be the best dramatic vehicle in which Forrest Taylor has ever appeared. The Taylor players, with Miss Anne Berryman in the leading feminine role, presented this drama at the Heilig theater in Portland for five performances last week, and played before capacity houses at each performance. It proved so popular that word comes from Portland that Mr. Taylor is being urged to repeat it at a later engagement. Portland reviewers gave Mr. Taylor's role the most laudable notices ever given a production in that city.

"Hell Bent for Heaven" was written by Hatcher Hughes, and was awarded the Pulitzer prize of 1924 as the best dramatic offering of that season. It tells a picture-

lectures, however, are to be inter-denominational, several pastors of Salem cooperating in bringing Mr. Phelps here. He has already given a lecture on fundamentalism at the Kimball school of theology.

Minger Upheld—John Minger was awarded \$2,000 and \$250 in attorney's fees by the verdict brought in by the jury in circuit court in the case of Minger vs. Luis Ashlman, executor of the estate of Adele Minger. By the verdict, the jury discredited the claim that Minger had forged the \$2000 note in connection with the estate of Adele Minger. Minger asserted that the note had been drawn in his favor by his wife before her death, but Ashlman contended that it was a forgery and enlisted the services of handwriting experts, W. I. Stanley, Roy Burton and Harold Eakin in an attempt to prove his contention.

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5—BIG ACTS—5

KENNY and BURY in "The Gals" RYAN and MOORE in "The Gals" LANEY and PEARSON in "The Gals" REVOLVING COLLINS in "The Gals"

## FLORENCE McNAULEY AND HER AMERICAN BALLET A TRIP TO DANCE LAND

## THEATRE NOTES

At the finish of each production Malcolm St. Clair, Paramount director, has a gift ready for each player in the cast. The gifts are large caricatures of the players drawn by St. Clair, who was formerly a newspaper cartoonist.

Wishing is more productive of results than prophesying. In the opinion of Holmes Herbert, noted actor of the stage and screen. While playing the role of the prophet in "The Wanderer" he expressed the wish to play opposite Pola Negri in one of her forthcoming productions. He has just been chosen for the male lead in her new Paramount starring picture, an adaptation of Carl

Van Vechters "The Tattooed Countess."

More than 200 Paramount players are living temporarily in Santa Ana, California, at a location camp by the Santa Ana river. The players are busily engaged in filming scenes for "Lord Jim," which Victor Fleming is making for Paramount.

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