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William Fox Presents

"The Primitive Call"

with

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PASTIME TODAY

MOTION PICTURE NEWS

What the Picture Theaters Have to Tell You.

NEW FILM GIVES NOVEL TREATMENT OF INDIAN LIFE.

Gladys Coburn in "The Primitive Call," Hank Mann in "The Cloud Puncher," Pastime Today. As a rule in moving pictures, it is the Indian who tricks the white man. In William Fox's new photoplay, "The Primitive Call," the situation has been reversed; this time the white man tricks the Indian, but he does so through the medium of a white girl, Betty Malcolim.

Betty is played by Gladys Coburn, and Fritz Leiber takes the part of the Indian, Brain Eikhorn. Brain has known Betty in the east, while he was in the college. He meets her again when she comes west to influence him to gain her own ends.

Betty's father is trying to put through a land deal with Brain's father, and the old Indian is awaiting his son's advice in the matter. Lured on by the wiles of the girl, Brain tells his father to sign the deed. Then Betty reveals to him that she has been playing a game, and she had won.

The Indian then takes her prisoner, and makes her work as a slave in the encampment. When he thinks he has worked out her penance, he lets her go. Betty returns to civilization, but she has a pang of jealousy and regret when she sees an Indian girl in the arms of Brain.

The "Cloud Puncher," Funniest Fox-film Comedy Yet Produced. "The Cloud Puncher," featuring Hank Mann, tells the story of a village that is dry by an act of Providence rather than by an act of the state legislature. It hasn't rained for weeks and there are no symptoms of coming rain to be found.

An itinerant artist carrying a huge canvas, rambles along the country road. He comes eventually to the hut of a hermit inventor who is dying of thirst. The artist paints a picture of a reservoir so realistically that the water overflows and fills a cup which he holds in his hand. To reward his benefactor, the hermit gives the artist a number of rifle shells which when fired at the sky will produce rain.

In the meantime, Al K. Hall, the village villain attempts to kidnap the heroine, but is prevented by the artist who has started on his way against with his rain shells.

To try out the invention the artist fires a shell at the sky and brings on a sun shower. The villain steals the rest of the shells, put them in a cannon and ties the heroine to the cannon ball. When this charge is fired, a cloudburst descends upon the village and wipes it off the map.

The heroine who had been carried to the clouds is rescued by the artist who converts himself into an airship by using an electric fan as a propeller.

The villain is foiled and the artist and the maiden are wed in the water-soaked village.

"The Sainly Sinner," a Bluebird photoplay to be exhibited at the County theater Tuesday and Friday, with Ruth Stonehouse in the stellar role, will satirize the various "cuits" that seek to uplift humanity. The "fad" of prison reform, the languid purpose of the society "settlement work-ers," and the various practices of the idle rich who occupy only their spare time in charity pursuits will be reflected. The heroine of the story is a girl, falsely accused and finally convicted of a crime she never committed. Once she has served her time and emerges into a life of freedom, the stigma of a prison record counts against her and the "uplift" cuits turn their backs upon the struggler. No wonder the girl becomes embittered and starts to revenge herself upon the man who has caused her downfall.

"The Sainly Sinner" tells a gripping story in exciting episodes, and carries its purpose to convincing ends. It is old fashioned melodrama brought up to date and well done—for Bluebird has a fashion of doing things right in photoplaying.

Hex Beach's Greatest Story. Alta today. "The Ne'er-Do-Well," filmed as a spectacular drama by the Selig Polyscope Co., is considered by many as Rex Beach's greatest story. In "The Ne'er-Do-Well," fascinating Panama scenery is shown, including the work of digging the Panama canal, the interiors of old Spanish houses, glimpses of the interior of the tropical jungle, and odds and interesting nooks and corners. The cast in "The Ne'er-Do-Well" includes Kathryn Williams, Eugenie Bessner, Wheeler Oakman, Frank Clark and others. Almost the same cast of stars that added to the realism of the "Spillers," Beach's other great story, filmed by the Selig Co., appear in "The Ne'er-Do-Well." Charming Kathryn Williams enacts the strongest character role in her career as Mrs. Stephen Cortlandt, the woman diplomat. The role of Kirk Antony, the ne'er-do-well, is enacted by Wheeler Oakman.

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

The new high school paper, "The Lantern," continues to grow. Subscriptions are coming thick and fast and everything indicates success. In the race among the different classes to get most paid subscriptions from their class the freshmen were far in the lead yesterday noon but today the junior class "whipped up" and are now leading by two subscriptions. The "rooks," however, are close behind. The sophomores are next, while the senior class is far in the rear.

The COSY BLUEBIRD

Thursday and Friday PRESENTS THE NEW DRAMATIC STAR

RUTH STONEHOUSE in "THE SAINTLY SINNER"

A Melo Drama of the Old School Brought Strictly Up-to-Date. EXCITING SCENES THRILLS WITHOUT NUMBER SENSATIONAL SCENES THE ACME OF GRIPPING SCREEN ENTERTAINMENT. COMEDIES—"THE NEWLY WEDS MISTAKE," "THE WHITE TURKEY"

TWENTY-EIGHT SIGN AS MEMBERS OF PENDLETON RED CROSS CHAPTER

At a meeting called by the Civic Club yesterday evening in the County library a chapter of the American Red Cross was organized by Mrs. Sibbie Paige Morton, widow of General Charles Morton of the United States army. The following officers were elected: Mrs. H. H. Hattery, chairman; Mrs. J. P. Robinson, first vice president; Mrs. Thomas Thompson, second vice president; Mrs. John Vert, secretary; W. L. Thompson treasurer; George Hartman, auditor. Prior to the election of officers a very interesting talk was given by Mrs. Morton on the origin of the Red Cross organization in Geneva, Switzerland, in 1859.

The American Red Cross organization in this country in 1881, brought about by the personal efforts of Clara Barton and its reorganization in 1905," says Mrs. Morton, "is the only volunteer agency commissioned for relief by the government in case of overwhelming disaster. The president of the United States is always the active president of the American Red Cross society. The Red Cross reports to congress. Its accounts are audited by the war department and all that it does is open to public scrutiny. No other agency provides so practical an opportunity for helping humanity in times of great crisis when need is urgent and the measures for relief must be prompt and adequate. Japan with a population of forty millions has a Red Cross membership of 1,500,000. Germany with a population of 67,000,000 has a Red Cross membership of 1,400,000, and the United States with

a population of one hundred million has a Red Cross membership of 250,000."

Eighty people were present at the meeting last evening and 28 signed as members. After plans are more matured it is the intention to call a mass meeting and enroll 1000 members for the chapter. A vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Morton.

IMMEDIATE RELEASE OF CONSULS IS ASKED

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Immediate release of four American consuls being detained in Germany was asked in a note sent the Berlin government last night by the United States.

The request was made in reply to a note received from Germany earlier in the day in which it was announced that the American officials would be allowed to travel to new posts in Europe when the Berlin government had been officially informed that the German consuls in this country ordered to South and Central America had been permitted to proceed.

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- Karo Syrup, blue 1/2 gal. 35c; gal. 65c
- Karo Syrup, red 1/2 gal. 40c; gal. 70c
- Crisco, small 45c; med. 80c; large \$1.55
- Sauer Kraut, No. 3 tins, still 15c
- Hominy, No. 3 tins, still 2 for 25c
- Matches, 6 boxes 25c
- Macaroni and Spaghetti, 5 lb. box 40c
- Eastern Corn Meal, 9 lb. sack 43c
- Eastern Hominy, 9 lb. sack 45c
- Krinkle Corn Flakes, 3 for 25c
- Van Camps Soups, still 10c
- Van Camps Pork and Beans No. 1 10c
- No. 2 15c
- Churchs Grape Juice, pints 20c; quarts 40c
- Oysters, 4 ounce can 10c
- Yellow Free Peaches, large 2 1/2 cans 20c
- Folgers Baking Powder, Best Made, 1 lb. 40c; 2 1/2 lbs. 90c; 5 lbs. \$1.75.
- Comrade Coffee 1 lb. 30c; 3 for 85c; 5 for \$1.25.
- Albers Flap Jack and Olympic Pan Cake 30c
- Flour 30c
- Italian Prunes, 25 lb. box \$2.25, 3 lbs. 25c

HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY TO PLAY BOYS TEAM

Will Be Followed by Last Basketball Game of Season When Team Plays Return Engagement With La Grande.

(High School Correspondence.) There is to be excitement aplenty tomorrow night at the high school gym when the school faculty's men team lines up against the high school freshmen. Both sides are determined to win. Weight and experience are all with the faculty team but the "rooks" declare they will overcome this by superior strategy. After this will come the last game of the season for our local boys' team. It is a return game with La Grande. Our boys say they are going to "even up" the score made by La Grande last week. In any rate it will be a scrappy game. Anyone attending is sure to get their money's worth.

The lineup for the faculty is Whitman and Drill, guards; Virgil Pendall and C. Tubbs forwards and R. E. Chloupek center.

The dance to be given in the gym after the game will be the last dance of the season and a large crowd is expected.

British Continue Pursuit. LONDON, March 1.—It is announced the British cavalry and gunboats are chasing the Turks beyond Kuf. They have captured six guns, three mortars and eight mine throwers, thirty pontoons and one river or vessel.