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Saturday, December 1st

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NOVELTY THRILLS

TIM MCCOY

in

THE BUSHRANGER

A Robin Hood of the Australian "bush"—here's an exciting role as Tim McCoy has ever had!

You must see him make his escape and outwit his pursuers with the native weapons of boomerang and bullwhip! It's a new thrill, just one of scores!

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Add Unit To Project

Oak Grove Plant Development Starts Next Summer

Plans for the further development of the Oak Grove hydro-electric project on the Clackamas river will be undertaken next summer during the low water period, according to an announcement of Franklin T. Griffith, president of the Portland Electric Power company to the Oregon Public Utility Information Bureau.

The plant, which was started in 1921, was placed in operation in 1923, and has a capacity of 38,000 horse power. The ultimate development of the project will be 100,000 horse power, but unit additions will be made from time to time, as demands of the service become necessary.

During the summer of 1929 the power house foundations will be extended, with a view to adding a second unit of 35,000 horse power, as it will not be possible to provide for the foundations and install the generating machinery in a single year.

The Oak Grove project is the latest of three hydro-electric plants constructed on the Clackamas river by the Portland Electric Power company, the others being at Cazadero and at River Mill.

No official statement has been made as to just when the new unit of 35,000 horse power will be installed, but after the foundation operations are completed in 1929, it will be possible to proceed with the generating machinery without delay whenever it may be required.

Two important events in the construction of the new Baker community hotel building occurred recently with the arrival of a carload of structural steel from Los Angeles and the pouring of the first concrete into the floor.

Robert Poinsett, a 77-year-old pioneer of Hubbard, was given a birthday surprise when the members of the Congregational church were hosts at a banquet in his honor. Mr. Poinsett is hale and hearty and takes an active part in all community work.

MOVIE NOTES

MCCOY IN "THE BUSHRANGER"

Using the Australian bullwhip as a cowboy in the West does his lariat to extricate himself from countless difficulties, hurling a boomerang into a lamp to escape when cornered in a crowded room, and performing other thrilling feats with the native weapons of Australia, Tim McCoy romps through a thrilling series of adventures in "The Bushranger," his new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer vehicle, coming to the Moro Theater Saturday, December 1st.

The new picture, the first all-Australian romance to be filmed in America, is a stirring story of frontier days in the Antipodes. McCoy, as a bushranger, or sort of latter-day Robin Hood, thrills crowds, rights wrongs, has hairbreadth escapes from Her Majesty's troopers and figures in one of the most stirring film romances in years. While crammed with thrills, the play has a charming love story running through it.

McCoy plays a young English officer, who, shouldering the guilt of another, flees to Australia where, when all men's hands are turned against him, he takes to the bush and becomes an outlaw. Leading a desperate band, he holds sway over the countryside in a series of sensational exploits, and the dramatic climax sees him vindicated and forgiven.

Throughout the picture his weapons are the Australian stockwhip, with which he disarms enemies, ties up pursuers and which he uses to effect an escape in the cliffs, and also the boomerang, a distinctly Australian weapon. Sensational riding feats are also staged in a rapid-fire sequence of exciting details.

Marian Douglas, herself a native of Australia, plays the heroine, and Dale Austen ("Miss New Zealand") appears in the picture. Russell Simpson, Arthur Lubin, Edwin A. Brady and many others of note are in the cast.

Chester Withey, well-known director of Western adventure stories, directed the new play from an original scenario by Madeline Ruthven.

Jantzen Head Resents

President of Knitting Mills Makes Position Clear

Resenting the inclusion of the Jantzen Knitting Mills among a list of manufacturing plants listed for political purposes during the recent municipal campaign in Portland, J. A. Zehnbauser, president of the concern that markets its products throughout the world, has issued a public statement, through the Oregonian, affirming his preference for privately owned and operated electric light and power plants.

"We strongly resent having our name used in this fashion," declares Mr. Zehnbauser, "as it naturally would convey the impression that we were in favor of a municipally owned electric plant for Portland, when exactly opposite is the case."

"The danger of drifting into governmentally owned projects is too great, and once a community is in the clutches of a group of politicians who operate the public service corporations, and who build up their political voting machines to perpetuate their jobs in office, that community is in a sad state. Examples of this are plentiful throughout the world. The writer has had an opportunity of witnessing probably the most horrible example of it in Australia and New Zealand."

"In Australia practically all of the railroads, all of the telegraphs and telephones, and all of the street railways, as well as many other industries, are owned and operated by the government. Employees of these numerous industries vote for the politicians who favor them most."

"You will find, without exception, the municipally operated industries are over-manned, non-progressive, and otherwise mismanaged, and the service to the public is almost intolerable. These conditions are known and deplored by the majority of the citizens, but the vote of the personally interested employee and his friends is so overwhelming that the politician who is most careless with the public funds in employing his friends who continue to re-elect him is perpetuated in office. Therefore, the little profit that might accrue to the public, thru municipal ownership, amounts to nothing as compared to the loss sustained thru mismanagement and graft."

"I believe many folks are misled into believing that municipal ownership is a good thing because of certain industries municipalities are now successfully operating. One or two may be successfully operated and we are led into believing that everything could be operated in the same manner, and before we know it we have too great a number of our people working for the government, and a political machine is built up which will perpetuate the poorest managers of these industries, such as have been built up in other countries of the world."

New Relief Bill Ready

Senator McNary is prepared to introduce a new farm relief measure at the short session of congress next month and thinks it can be passed before March, also that it is now shaped to meet the objection of President Coolidge. It provides for a federal board of twelve members to handle the marketing of surplus crops and the cost of such service is to be paid by the government, the equalization fee having been abandoned. It is also announced that the tariff schedule will be amended so as to better protect farm products from foreign competition.

How The Counties Voted

The Grange Income Tax bill, which was defeated at the recent election, had a majority in fifteen counties—Baker, Clackamas, Columbia, Hood River, Linn, Lane, Lincoln, Polk, Sherman, Union, Umatilla, Walla Walla, Wasco, Washington and Yamhill. Curry county is reported as a tie and the other twenty gave majorities against it, the total vote being 117,885 for and 130,713 against. Leaving Multnomah county out, the bill received a majority in the rest of the state, 75,977 yes to 73,323 no.

Hate's battle cry in all ages: "Damn you; be as I am."



THE NEW WORLD'S CHAMPION COWBOY

Photo shows Bob Crosby, the new world's champion cowboy, with the cup that he won at the Pendleton, Oregon, roundup. The trophy was awarded by the Roosevelt Hotel, New York, in memory of the love that Theodore Roosevelt had for cowboy sports.

County Notes

KENT LOCAL ITEMS

Warren Norton is back again and is working in the J. E. Norton store. Guy Haynes and wife drove here from Yamhill Sunday and will visit until after Thanksgiving.

Some of the men and boys are out nearly every morning after geese but don't seem to be getting any.

A. A. Dunlap and G. C. Young, with several from Grass Valley, went to Portland Monday to attend a Masonic meeting of some kind.

Twenty-five voted at the special road election held here Saturday to vote on the question of raising \$10,000 special road tax. Result tax carried 14 to 11.

J. C. Wilson left again for Portland Saturday. His horses are still sick but none of them have died yet. Several are still reporting that the disease is among their stock.

B. H. Grady of The Dalles was here Monday and Tuesday getting samples of wheat that his company is shipping to Minneapolis. He is district manager for Straus & Co. Inc.

Frank Haynes and A. E. Murphy made a trip to Arlington Sunday to look at the gymnasium building there. It is expected that the Legion here will erect a building with the lower room to be used as a gym.

SHANIKO LOCAL ITEMS

Millard Holt of Maupin was a visitor here Monday.

H. C. Rooper of Antelope was a business visitor here Friday.

Mrs. Chas. Rees and son of Antelope were visitors here Saturday.

Harvey Pullen made a trip to The Dalles Saturday returning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson were guests Sunday at the W. Gott home.

Mrs. M. Pullen was a visitor in Moro Wednesday having dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bennett returned Wednesday from a trip to The Dalles.

Mr. Jackson of the Wasco meat market was a business visitor here Friday.

Jack Kelly and his friend Mr. Pierce of Kent were visitors here Sunday.

Harvey Pullen and E. K. Pullen were business visitors in Maupin Thursday.

Mrs. Maggie McLennan of Bend was a visitor here Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller and son Junior were visitors in The Dalles Wednesday.

Walter Wilson, George Wilson and L. Schadevitz of Kent were visitors here Sunday.

Miss Francois and Miss Hendricks, teachers of lower Bakeoven, were visitors here Sunday.

Joe Fitzgerald, who spent the summer here doing carpenter work, left Saturday for his home in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Harris of Portland arrived Sunday for a visit with Mr. Harris and mother, Mrs. Rosa Harris.

Joe Dimick was a visitor here Sunday while en route to his home at Wasco after a weeks visit at Crescent and Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Plaster spent Saturday night at the home of Mr. Plaster's mother, Mrs. W. Aldridge of Bakeoven.

Among those from here to attend the dance at Clarno Saturday night were Than Cavin, George Cavin and Chas. Kramer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Degroote and son of Antelope stopped a while here Sunday while en route to the valley for Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Pullen, who spent the past week here at the home of their son Harvey Pullen, left Saturday for their home in The Dalles.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McKinley and children, Lorena and Gloria, returned here for the winter after spending the summer in Washington and Hood River.

The Del Howell livery barn, one of Shaniko's old land marks, has been bought by Alex Ross and is being torn down to be made into camp cabins.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kramer and children, Allen and Maxine, who have been working on the Riley ranch, have moved into town for the winter; Allen and Maxine started school Monday here.

The first trap shoot ever held in Shaniko was sponsored by Andy Brown here Sunday. A large crowd attended, most everyone winning a turkey. Among out of town visitors were Alfred Bennett, Matt Asher, John Silvertooth and Tom Barrett of Antelope and Mrs. Chestnut of Willowsdale.

Arch Descon Cressy, assisted by Capt. Lewis, Capt. Buchanan, Capt. Wilde and Capt. Estabrook, held services at the school house here Wednesday. After services a reception was held for the teachers of Shaniko, singing of old time songs occupied the evening. Mrs. Rees, Mrs. Gott and Mrs. S. H. Reeder, assisted by the younger people, served a delicious lunch.

The Sherman County Observer prints all the news.

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A gear pump in the bottom of the oil pan raises the oil to the valve chamber reservoir. From here it flows on to the main crankshaft bearings and the front camshaft bearing. Overflow oil drops into the oil pan tray and runs into troughs through which the connecting rods pass.

As the ends of these rods strike the oil they scoop up a supply for the connecting rod bearing. At the same time they set up a fine spray that lubricates the pistons and other moving parts.

From the tray the oil runs into the bottom of the pan, and is again drawn up through a fine mesh screen and pumped to the valve chamber.

This system is so effective that the five-quart contents of the oil pan pass through the pump twice in every mile when you are traveling at only 30 miles an hour. Yet there is only one movable part—the oil pump.

As a matter of fact, the lubrication system for the new Ford is so simple in design and so carefully made that it requires practically no service attention.

There is just one thing for you to do, but it is a very important thing... watch the oil! Change the oil every 500 miles and be sure the indicator rod never registers below "L".

If the oil level is allowed to fall below low, the supply becomes insufficient to oil all parts as they should be oiled.

To insure best performance it is also advisable to have the chassis of your car lubricated every 500 miles. This has been made easy in the new Ford through the use of the high pressure grease gun system.

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