

"THE FOUR HORSEMEN" COMING; FIRST \$1,000,000 PHOTOPLAY

Rex Ingram Production for Metro Marks New Epoch-Ibanez Film Surpasses Stage in Grip on Emotions

HAILED AS THE SUPREME EXPRESSION OF SCREEN ART

Rex Ingram's \$1,000,000 produc-| ine and Death. tion of "The Four Horsemen of the Acocalypse," made for Metro, is announced by the Herrings Theater, Winton, for April 24th and 25th and at the RICHARD THEATRE, Ahoskie, April 28th and 29th. This will be the first showing here of the screen version of Vicente Blasco Ibanez's novel that has been acclaimed in New York, Chicago, Boston, Pittsburgh, Detroit and Los Angeles as marking a new epoch in the development of motion pictures. At its New York opening people paid \$10 a seat. Critics said the picture had definitely established the screen not only as capable of rivalling the stage at its best, but of surpassing in it its grip upon the emotions,

"The Four Horsemen" is the supreme expression of the Great War. Certainly no novel has stirred the universal appeal created by the Ibanez masterpiece. The book, now in its one hundred and sixth edition, has been read throughout the world. The monumental task of transferring it to the screen was accomplished by June Mathia, who made a scenario that from all accounts has preserved the force of the original and in many incidents heightened it. But it is the director, Rex Ingram, who has apparently achieved the most sensational success. He is reported to have set a new mark in artistry oof picturization.

Readers of the novel will receall that the story opens on the Argentine ranch of old Madariaga, whose territories are as extensive as those of the great independent barons of feudal And Madariaga rules with times. feudal power. A rioting, roystering despot, he is filled with Castilian pride of family and yearns for a male child to carry on his traditions. His two daughters have married ranch employees-one French and the other pathy to the German son-in-law brings with it a dislike of his half-German grandchildren, but when a son is born to the Frenchman, Desnoyers, the old man finds his dream realized. The boy, Julio, is selected as heir to the huge estate and is brought up as a spoiled prince of the realm. As a young man Julio becomes the companion of Madariaga's debauched adventures in Buenos Ayres tango resorts. But Madariaga dies suddenly without making a will and the German branch of the family finds itself sharing the estate equally with the Desnoyers. With this sudden wealth, the two families leave the Argentine for Euroe. The Desnoyers settle in Paris, and Julio an exert tango dancer, becomes the sensation of the fashionable dance places. He meets a fascinating little society woman, Marguerite Laurier, and the two of them are. swept into a reckless love affair that takes no count of Marguerite's elderly husband. Their butterfly mentalities do not even respond at first to the sudden shock of war that breaks about them. It is 1914 and the Germans are advancing toward Paris. Marguerite is first awakened to the realization of tremendous events. She joins the French nursing force and sacrfiices her love for Julio in order to be the constant companion of her husband, who is blinded in battle. Julio, left without the stimulation of frivolous attractions, hears the call of duty and enlists in the French army, where he meets death at the hands of his German cousin when the two face each other in a trench raid.

The cast includes Rudolph Valentino, Alice Terry, Pomeroy Cannon, Joseph Swickard, Brinsley Shaw, Alan Hale, Bridgetta Clark, Mabel Van Buren, Brodwitch (Smoke) Turner, Nigel de Brulier, John Sainpolis, Mark Fenton, Virginia Warwick, Derek Ghent, Stuart Holmes, Jean Hersholt, Henry Klaus, Edward Connelly, Georgia Woodthorpe, Kathleen Key, Wallace Berry, Jacques d'Auray, Curt Rehfeld, Mile. Dolores, "Bull" Montana, Isabel Keith, Jacques Lanoe, Noble Johnson, Harry Northrup, Minnehaha, Arthur Hoyt and Beatrice

Dominguez. The photograph is by John Seitz, and the technical direction by Amos Myers and Joseph Calder. Walter Mayo was assistant to Rex Ingram.

_0 CAN WOMAN HYPONITIZE MAN

Can woman hyponize man? Well, I should snigger. She can hyponitize anything that wears pants, from the prince at his gilded poker game, to the peasant scattering worm poison in the lowly cotton patch and revolving in his think tank the tenets of populism, and I'm not sure but the clothing store dummies and their brother dudes are simply the physical wrecks and mental ruins of her hypnotic medicine. She hypnotizes because she can't help it. She's built that way. Woman does not "operate" as do a brand-new dime to look at. She puts her dimples in evidence-maelstroms of love in a sea of beauty. She dazzles you for a moment with the dreamy splendor of her eyes, then studies the toe of a boot that would raise a Kansas corn crop for Trilby or supply Cinderella with bunions. She looks down to blush and she comes up to sighcatches you a-goin' and comin', and German. Madariaga's Latin anti- you're gone! You realize that the linchpin is slipping out of your logic, but you let 'er slip You suspect that your judgement has taken unto itself wings, and that you couldn't tell whether you are a red licker Democrat or a hard cider Prohibitionist, but you don't care. You simply bid farewell to every fear, and give the "operator" your undivided attention. She plays with a skilled hand on all your senses until the last one of them "passes with music out of sight," and leaves you a mental bankrupt. She makes you drunken with the music of Monday and Tuesday, April 24 and her voice and maddens you with the 25th.

to that little fragment of pulsing snow like a farmer to his Waterbury in a campmeeting crowd. She rewards your devotion to duty by a gentle pressure, and a magnetic thrill starts at your finger tips and goes through your system like an apple jack toddy, until it makes your toes tingle, then starts on its return trip, gathering volume as it travels, until it becomes a tidal wave that envelopes all your world. You are now uncertain as to whether you have hit the lottery for the capital prize or been nominated for justice of the peace. The amount charged for any ad can You have lost your identity, and should you chance to meet yourself in the middle of the road would need an line. introduction. The larger the supply of brains you sat in the a provide PLACE FOR RENT ON HALVES-the less you have left. You begin to Harming in plement talk incoherently, and lay the premise for a breach of promise case. You sip the hand-made nectar from the rosy slot in her face, harrow the Parisian peach bloom on her cheek with your scrubbing-brush mustache, reduce the circumference of her health corset with your manly arm, and your happiness is complete, Right there the last adumbration of responsibility ends, and complete abberration begins. You sigh like a furnace and write sonnets to your mistress' eyebrows,-you cut fantastic capers before high Heaven for the

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The Singing Class of Oxford Orphanage will give a concert in Ahoskie Friday night, April 21st. This Class has made an enviable reputation for giving concerts of a high orderconcerts that entertain and edify. From some comments already published regarding this year's concert it appears to be up to the usual high standard, and all who attend can be assured of an evening of real pleasure and profit

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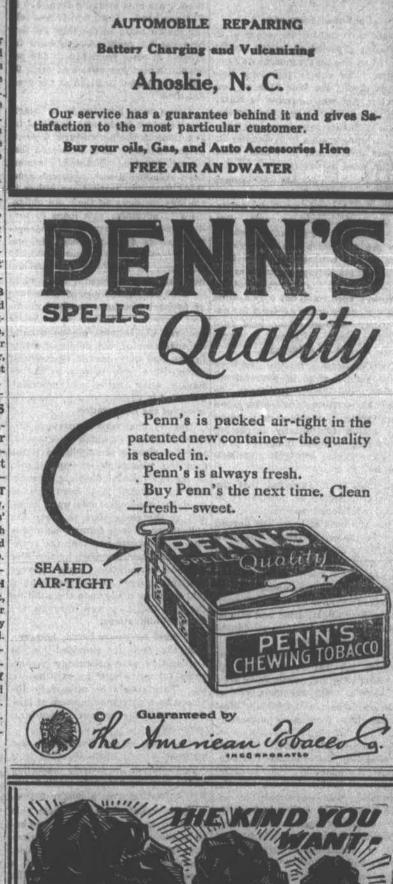
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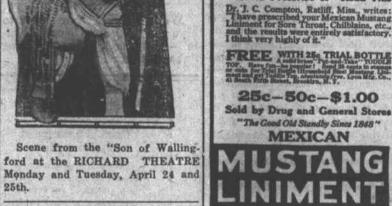
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This April 8, 1922.

E. W. SESSOMS, Mortgagee. E. J. GEROCK, Assignee W. R. JOHNSON, Atty.





Notice of Sale Under a Mortgage

By vitue of the power and authority given by a certain mortgage, executed by J. D. Cullins and wife to R. for the County of Hertford, in book H. Jernigan and E. L. Garrett which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the Countyt of Hert-Alfred Jenkins interest in that ford in book 54 on page 566, the tract of land lying and situate in following property will be sold at pub-

.That certain lot lying in Hertford County, Ahoskie Township bounded erly land and known as the Selvis as follows: A lot known as the R. E. Cowan Home, bounded on the north 4, in the land division adjoining lot by North street 119 feet, on the east number 8, and Whiteoak swamp, con- by McGlohon street, running 150 feet on the south by the land of Stanley Leary, running 119 feet on the west 126, clerk's office for Hertford county by the lands of George J. Newbern running 150 feet.

Place of sale: Courthouse door at Winton, N. C. Time of sale: Monday, May 21, 1922, at 11 o'clock a. m. Terms of sale: Cash. This April 17, 1922. R. H. JERNIGAN and E. L. GARRETT, Mortgagees. 4-21-4t.

