

AT THE SHOWHOUSES

Thrills of Fact—Not Fancy or Fiction.

The most thrilling and most extraordinary pictures of fact—not of fancy or fiction—known in the history of motion photography will be presented by Lyman H. Howe at the Academy of Music Thursday, February 8, when he will unfold the amazing film record of Sir Douglas Mawson's explorations and practical discovery of the world's seventh continent—Antarctica.

Although this presentation represents a tremendous expenditure Mr. Howe will not yield to the popular tendency to raise prices. The same prices will prevail as have always been in force for his exhibition, but because the demand for seats, here as in other cities, will probably far exceed the capacity, patrons are urged to book their seats as early as possible to insure their witnessing the greatest feature ever presented.

Some of the noblest scenery in America will also be shown during a ride through Yosemite National Park. It abounds with memorable views of jagged peaks, incomparable vistas of nature and rivers strolling majestically from dizzy heights. Then, too, a rich measure of merriment and humor are provided by the quaint antics and rollicking humor and cleverly new and original animated cartoons.

Robert Edeson in "His Brother's Keeper." Seats will be placed on sale Thursday morning at Hawley's Pharmacy for the engagement at the Academy of Music Saturday, matinee and night, February 10, of the distinguished American star, Robert Edeson, and his entire original supporting company.

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NEWS OF INTEREST FROM THOMASVILLE

Special to The Observer. Thomasville, Feb. 3.—L. W. Elliott, one of Thomasville's oldest citizens, is critically ill at his home on Main street. No hope is entertained for his recovery.

W. C. Durland, of Jamaica, N. Y., has been in this community for the past week. While here he sold all the machinery of the Emmons mine to C. D. Jones and A. H. Ragan. He also stated that arrangements are prepared for the early opening of the Old copper mine. This is said to be very valuable ore.

The town board at a meeting on Wednesday postponed for ten days the consideration of granting a town election for the purpose of issuing \$30,000 bonds for the extension of the C. and Y. lines through the streets of the city. There seems to be a general sentiment against the move, while many of the manufacturers favor it.

26 COUNTIES WILL EXHIBIT PRODUCTS

Special to The Observer. Gastonia, Feb. 3.—County Demonstrator Gray is busy arranging in the Armory building spaces for the different exhibits of 26 county demonstrators during the days of February 5, 6, 7 and 8. These 26 exhibits represent 26 counties embraced by the Third North Carolina District.

There are three districts in the State, 40 counties being in the western district, but only 26 so far having county demonstrators. Agriculture products of these counties will be seen at their best, being results effected by the direction of these demonstrators, each one of whom has been scientifically trained to his work.

JO-JO SAYS

Warmer



Fair and warmer today; fair Monday.

Some people are so cautious that they wouldn't even build castles in the air without being sure of their ground.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Forecast for North and South Carolina: Fair Sunday and Monday; warmer Sunday.

Local Office United States Weather Bureau, Charlotte, Feb. 3.

Temperature in Degrees: 7:20 a. m. 54 p. m. 8 a. m. 76 4 p. m. 27 Noon 19 8 p. m. 24

Highest temperature 39 Lowest temperature 15 Mean temperature 18 Deficiency for the day 7.5 Mean temperature this date last year 34

Precipitation (in inches): Total for 24 hours ending 8 p. m. 60 Total for the month to date 22 Deficiency for month 93 Deficiency for year 1.23 Prevailing wind direction S. by E. Maximum wind velocity, 27 miles from S.W. O. O. ATTO, Meteorologist.

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HEAR REPORTS ON UNION COUNTY ROADS CONDITION

Roads as Whole Reported in Good Shape, Though Some Need Rebuilding.

Special to The Observer. Monroe, Feb. 3.—The magistrates of Union County, who constitute the road supervisors for the several townships, held meetings today throughout the county to receive reports from the overseers of the many roads.

Some of the roads were reported in bad condition, but as a whole it is considered the roads are in favorable condition despite the continued rains and freezes during the past few weeks. The worst piece of road in the county is that leading from Monroe to Charlotte. The section, formerly macadamized, in Mecklenburg County, is the worst part of the distance, but the entire road is bad enough.

SALISBURY MAN DIES

Salisbury, Feb. 3.—Albert M. Sheets, aged 55 years, died last night at his home on North Fulton street, following a long illness. Mr. Sheets was a widower and leaves two sons, Gomer, of Lexington, and Benjamen, of Salisbury. The funeral was conducted this afternoon and the interment was in Chestnut Hill.

BRAZIL MAY FOLLOW

Rio Janeiro, Feb. 3.—In an interview here today Augusto de Souza Silva, deputy from Rio Janeiro, predicted that the United States would be drawn into the war and said that it would be supported by Brazil. The deputy praised the efforts of President Wilson for peace.

ACADEMY, Thursday, Feb. 8



LYMAN H. HOWE'S TRAVEL FESTIVAL

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FAINTED AND FELL IN OPEN FIRE, DYING FROM INJURIES

Special to The Observer. Durham, Feb. 3.—Mrs. J. W. Mitchell, of East Durham, died here tonight as result of burns she sustained early today, when she fainted and fell into an open grate fire.

TURNER GETS THREE YEARS AT HARD LABOR

Special to The Observer. Lincoln, Feb. 3.—Neal Turner, convicted yesterday of manslaughter, was today sentenced by Judge Frank Carter to three years at hard labor. Turner shot Plato Hoyle during Christmas week, the tragedy occurring in Lincoln County.

Doctor Tells How to Strengthen Eyesight 50 per cent In One Week's Time In Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home. Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye weakness? If so you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of this wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it: "I was almost blind, could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would burn dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed heavy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can even read fine print without glasses. It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multiply a more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by following the simple rules. Here is the prescription: Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Bone-Opto tablets. Drop one Bone-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and allow to dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start and inflammation will quickly disappear. If your eyes are bothering you, even a little, take steps to save them now before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind might have been saved if they had cared for their eyes in time. Note: Another prominent physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Bone-Opto is a very remarkable remedy. Its constituent ingredients are well known to eminent eye specialists and widely prescribed by them. The manufacturers guarantee it to strengthen eyesight 50 per cent in one week's time in many instances or refund the money. It can be obtained from any good druggist and is one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family." It is sold in Charlotte by R. H. Jordan & Co., Beatty's (1) Drug Store and other druggists.

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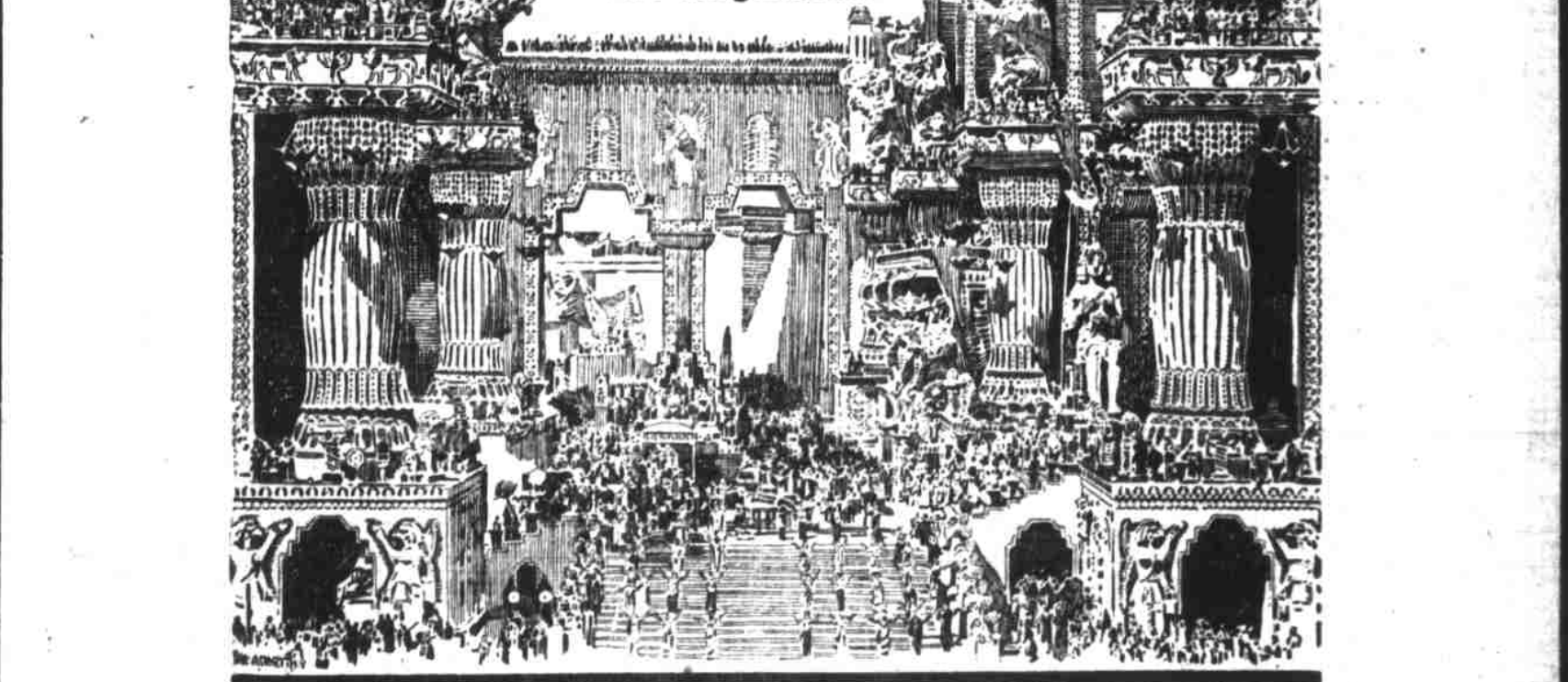
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