

Movie Triumph for Makers

A troupe of 100 Hollywood actors and technicians spent five weeks on location in Utah filming the adventurous Pathecolor production, "Southwest Passage," costarring Rod Cameron, Joanne Dru and John Ireland, coming Thursday to the Liberty theater.

"Southwest Passage" by building a four-mile road into the otherwise inaccessible prairie so that tractors could haul camera equipment and other gear to the shooting sites selected by director Ray Nazarro in sand dunes and atop craggy ridges.

The company sweated through many days when the temperature reached 122 degrees. A cyclone struck their location, sweeping equipment before it in a rage of wind and rain. The western street built for the picture's opening sequence was destroyed and had to be rebuilt before production could continue.

Bottled Water Sent In

During the intensely hot weather, 10,000 gallons of bottled water, 3600 gallons of ice cream and 5000 gallons of iced tea were sent to the location to help the company through its ordeal.

The state of Utah co-operated fully with the producers of

Liz, Gassman Emote in Bill

Elizabeth Taylor in a vibrant love story is the attraction to be offered starting Friday at J. J. Parker's United Artists theater in "Rhapsody," M-G-M Technicolor drama costarring Vittorio Gassman, John Ericson and Louis Calhern.

With such colorful locales as Zurich, Paris, Rome, St. Moritz and the French Riviera for its plot backgrounds, "Rhapsody" tells the story of Louise Durant, music student at the Zurich conservatory, who becomes romantically involved with Paul Bronte, a violinist. When the latter jilts her, she turns on the rebound to James Guest, who is willing to sacrifice his career as a concert pianist to marry Louise.

The outcome of this one-sided marriage and the ultimate fate of James' musical career are resolved in a narrative emoted with dramatic and emotional intensity.

Featured



Patti Patton is appearing with the "Three Dizzy Darlings," tune revue, in Frontier Room, Vancouver, for second week.

RIDER KNOWS HORSE

HOLLYWOOD—If Dale Robertson's scenes as a beautiful horse in RKO's "Son of Sinbad" give the appearance of being poetry in motion it could be because 1. the horse is one of Dale's own thoroughbreds. 2. Dale is one of Hollywood's finest riders.

ACTOR ONCE WRITER

HOLLYWOOD—Richard Todd, starting in the title role of the Walt Disney-RKO film, "Rob Roy, The Highland Rogue," originally planned to make a career of playwrighting.

Reed Readies 'Penzance'

Operetta Planned For Three Nights

"Pirates of Penzance" by Gilbert and Sullivan opens Friday at 8:30 p. m., in the Reed college auditorium on the Boisdale campus. The operetta, a renewal of Reed's Gilbert and Sullivan tradition, will be given Saturday and Sunday nights at the same time and place.

Directing the production is Herbert B. Gladstone, assisted by James W. Andrews and Katherine Lee. Sets for the musical have been designed by Jan Maire. Bill Rudy and Lloyd Reynolds are in charge of costumes and makeup respectively, and special lighting is under the management of Bill Hunt.

Rita Hartshorne will take the female lead as Mabel, and Harold Gillette as the pirate, the pirate king will be Apperetta. The pirate king will be Apperetta, with Tom Russell as his right-hand man, June Burlingame has been chosen as Ruth, a pirate maid, and George Cole as Major General Stanley. His three daughters will be Jean Seward, Patricia Paulson and Bette Jane Warlock (as Edith, Kate and Isabel).

Appearing as police sergeant, the same role he played in 1947, is William Alderson, associate professor of literature, supporting him is an all-faculty chorus of Kenneth Davis, Arthur Livermore, Marshall Cronyn, Warren Sussman, G. M. Ostrander, Leonard Marsak, Edwin Garland, Kaspar Locher, Lloyd Williams, Jack Dyer and Robert Canon. The operetta boasts a pirate chorus of 18 men as well as a chorus of 18 general's daughters.

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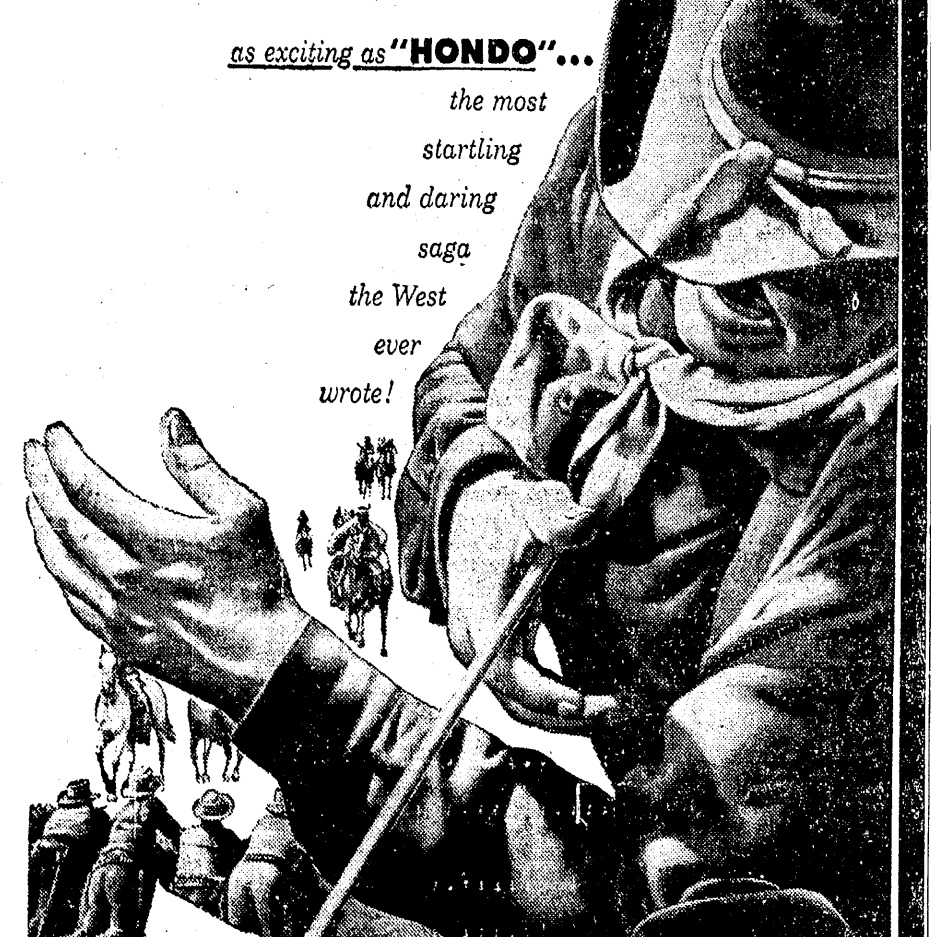
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Extras on 'Jamie' Slated at Civic

First of four extra performances of the box office success "Three Wishes for Jamie," is slated for Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. at the Civic theater. The production created such a demand for tickets that Director James Cameron has held it over for the remainder of this week.

The musical features gay melodies, sparkling costumes and bright stage settings. Among its more popular vocal numbers are "We're For Love," "My Home's a Highway," "My Heart's Darling," "Going On a Hayride" and "It Must Be Spring." Major roles are handled by Elliott Savage, a newcomer to the local theater, and Jan Marsh. Ron Myron captivates audiences in his first Civic theater singing role as the jovial matchmaker while Ken Hathaway and Patricia MacDonald provide the comedy action.

Ring' Run to Close

Final two performances of Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night" will be given Friday and Saturday nights in Oumansky's Magic Ring theater. Members of the repletionary company are Suzanne Waldron, Bevins Haley, Electra Gailas, Dick Fair, Paul Robinson, Bob Brennan, Jack White, Jim Fuscaldo, Rone Coleman, Roc Barrow and H. Paul Kliss.

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In Star-Packed Drama



Among the long list of top players in "Executive Suite," opening this Wednesday at J. J. Parker's Broadway theater, are June Allyson and William Holden. Robert Wise directed.

Wednesday Movie Guide

STAGE THEATRE—"Three Wishes for Jamie," 8:30.

NEW FILMS
BROADWAY—"Executive Suite," 12:35, 2:55, 5:15, 7:40, 10.
CENTURY—"War of the Worlds," 1:25, 3:25, 7:30, 10:25. "When Worlds Collide," 12, 3, 6, 9.
GUILD—"The Living Desert," 6:20, 8:15, 10:10.
LIBERTY—"Lucky Me," 11:25, 1:40, 3:50, 6:05, 8:15, 10:25, 2:55.
ORPHEUM—"Prince Valiant," 12:40, 3, 5:20, 7:40, 10.
PARAMOUNT—"She Couldn't Say No," 1:15, 4:15, 7:20, 10:25. "Dangerous Mission," 12, 3, 6, 9:10.
UNIFIED ARTISTS—"Should Happen in You," 12:05, 2:05, 4:05, 6:10, 8:10.

OTHER FILMS
AMPHITHEATRE DRIVE-IN—"Wings of the Hawk," "Easy to Love."
BARBUR DRIVE-IN—"Red Garters," "Boy from Oklahoma."
BLUE MOUSE—"Go For Broke," "Arena," "Small Town Girl."
DAPILO—"Burlesque."
HOLLYWOOD—"April in Paris," "Captive Williams."
FAMILY DRIVE-IN—"Mogambo," "The Great Diamond Robbery."
HOLLYWOOD—"Miller Time," "Great Dragonfly Squadron."
OREGON CITY DRIVE-IN—"Botany Bay."
POWELL DRIVE-IN—"Take the High Ground," "The High Ground."
ROXY—"Abbott and Costello Meet Captain Jack," "Dangerous When Wet."
SANDY DRIVE-IN—"Little Fugitive," "Red Garters."
SUPER 89 DRIVE-IN—"Little Fugitive," "Gypsy Colt," "82nd Drive-In," "Cowboy and the Girl," "Easy to Love."
SUBURBAN
Academy, 7818 S. E. Powell—"Joe Louis Aladdin," "Milwaukee at Work."
Aladdin, Milwaukie at Park—"I Love Albert," "Thunder in the East."
Albion, 18th and Alberta—"Thunder in the East," "Alberta Slick From Punkin' Crick."
Amen, S. E. 54th and Foster—"Long, Long Avalon," "34th and Belmont," "Forever Female" and "Key Largo."
Bardad, S. E. 37th-Hawthorne—"Dragonfly Squadron" and "Highway Dragnet."
Bob White, 65th and Foster—"From Here to Eternity" and "Alaskan Eskimo."
Colonial, Alberta and Killingsworth—"The Robe."
Crest, 2716 N. Lombard—"The Paratrooper" and "Blowing Wild."
Egyptian, Union and Russell—"The Command" and "Rob Roy."
Esquire, N. W. 23d and Kearney—"Red Garters" and "Gypsy Colt."

Comedy Due on L&C Stage

George Bernard Shaw's three-act comedy, "Candida," will go on the Lewis and Clark college stage for a three-night run at 8:30 p. m. Thursday under direction of Dr. Clifford Hamar.

Western Fare Orpheum Bill

"Three Young Texans" starring Mitzi Gaynor, Kette Brasselle and Jeffrey Hunter, will be teamed with "The Siege of Red River," starring Richard Boone, on the screen of the Orpheum theater starting Friday.

"Three Young Texans" is based on a story by William MacLeod Raine and deals with cattle rustlers, a train robbery, hard-riding posses and the efforts of a gang of Mexican bandits to get away with a \$50,000 payroll stolen by one of the young Texans who does a neat one-man train hold-up to shield his father from disgrace and ruin.

Miss Gaynor and Jeff Hunter furnish the romantic interest. The action takes place in Colorado, New Mexico and south of the Rio Grande in Mexico.

Portlander Elected

Julian R. Smith '30 was elected president of the board of directors of the Portland alumni association of the University of Oregon at the annual meeting last week. Mr. Smith succeeds R. Robert Smith '40. Other officers elected were: Harold C. '18, vice president and treasurer, and Miss Gretchen Grondahl '52, secretary. Newly elected board members are: Mrs. William F. Hutchinson (Joane Paine) '38, Tom Lawson McCall '36, and William J. Macy '44. Holdover board members are: Miss Dana Lind '51, Jack F. Campbell '36, and Everett Cobb Jr. '48.

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