## July 22, 1921

## REAL STORM AT SEA SHOWN IN WILLIAM FARNUM PICTURE

One of the most thrilling sights possible on the screen is the sinking of a ship in a storm-even if the storm is "made to order." But there are storms-and storms. Those who were concerned in the making of the storm scene in "The Scuttlers," which will be shown at the Opera House, Wednesday and Thursday, July 27 and 28 declare they got the thrill of their lives.

Even William Farnum, the popular William Fox star, who has been in many thrilling scenes, says this scene surely made his red blood run fast. And the camera-men who photographed the picture are willing to sign a statement that they want no more thrills of this calibre.

The action took place outside of San Francisco on board of a 250-foot ship, taken over by the Fox company for the purpose. J. Gordon Edwards was di-recting the picture. The day was rather mean and threatening, but this gave the grey light necessary for the scenes. Mr Edwards intended to pump the storm from the ocean in the customary motion picture way; but the vessel had hardly pushed its way beyond the three-mile limit when rain began to fall, and a high wind dashed the waves over the ship. At first Mr. Edwards, as he balances himself on the rolling deck, thought it would

be well to return to port. "Just the kind of weather we want," Farnum insisted. "Put an umbrella over the camera, Gordon-and this ought to be corking stuff."

So a shelter was made for the camera and the storm scenes taken. Little rehearsal was needed. The real action was there. The company didn't try to act. What the members endeavored to do was to keep on their feet. Their faces, too, expressed the right emotion. One man became too realistic. He got seasick and had to be taken out of the line of the camera

In "The Scuttlers" are other remarkable scenes, embodied in a peculiarly thrilling story of romance and adthrilling story of romance According to report, Farnum, venture. in this picture, is seen at his best. Don't Miss It.

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GRAND PRE AND HORTONVILLE Miss Lucy Greig is visiting here, the lest of Mrs. R. Woodman. Miss Muriel Jones, of Halifax, is the guest of Mrs. James MacRae.

Miss Josephine Sanford, of Malden, Mass., is visiting at the home of J. A. Vaughan Miss Mary Graham, of Nordegg, Alta.

formerly of Grand Pre, arrived here last week to spend the summer with her aunt, Mrs. R. L. Harvey, She is being welcomed

Master Frederick Curry, who has been spending the past winter with his aunt, Mrs. Ayerton Johnson, left on Monday for his home in Madison, N. J.

Mr. E. O. Misaner spent Sunday in Windsor visiting friends, Mrs. Charles Magee and family are

visiting at the home of Miss Annie M. Stuart. Miss Edna Fielding, of Yonkers, N. Y.

is visiting her aunt, Miss Cassie Burgess. Misses Mildred Vaughan and Grace Rodgerson are spending a week in Wolf-ville guests of the former's aunt, Mrs.



Westwood Hospital. Mrs. Fred Rand and little son are spend-Wolfe, in die happ ng a few days with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Kennedy pattle Mrs. Shaffner and daughter, of Halifax,

are visiting here, guests of Mrs. C. S. Pickford.

NOT A WHISPER

One day the children were having an object lesson on the blue heron. The teacher called attention to the small tail, by a large circle of friends. Mrs. Fred H, Crane has been spending Next day she asked the scholars to write a few days with her sister, Mrs. P. W. a description of the bird, and a little girl shaw, Falmouth , N.S. wound up by saying: "The blue heron wound up by saying: "The blue hero has a tail but it must not be talked about.

> In Dublin a zealous policeman caught a cab driver in the act of driving reckless The officer stopped him and said ly.

> "What's your name??" "Ye'd better try and find out," said

the driver peevishly. "Sure and I will," said the policeman

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