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Episode 16 "The Crystal Lake" (2 reels)

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JACK escapes with Dolores from the clutches of aStan's men by a clever ruse. While Satan's men are searching the island he sneaks back and seizes the bandit chief. While he struggles with Satan, Jack manages to snatch the ring and gives it to Dolores. As Merton is telling Dolores to run off in the boat with the ring Satan frees his gag and yells for help.

The gangsters race up and rescue their leader and overpower Jack whom they tie to a tree. They then set out to overtake Dolores who has reached the boat and is frantically rowing to the mainland. The bandits obtain a boat and slowly but surely creep up on Dolores' skiff. Jack is left on the island securely tied to the tree.

The Mystery Woman again comes to Jack's recuse and frees him from his bonds. They both race toward the bridge to the mainland in an effort to head off Satan and his men before they can overtake Dolores, who has the ring in her possession. The pair reaches the bridge just as Satan and his men draw up alongside the boat containing the terrified Dolores.

The Mystery Woman begs Jack not to attempt a rescue as he faces almost certain death in battling four desperate men. Jack shakes her off and dives from the high bridge into the water. He swims to Satan's boat and over turns it. Dolores rows away and reaches the shore bu is captured by two of Satan's men who have been sent to look for her. The bandits who are floundering in the water attack Jack, who goes under.

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