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THREE WORD BRAND

Photoplay in seven reels

Written for the screen by Lambert Hillyer

From story by Will Reynolds

Directed by Lambert Hillyer

Author of the photoplay (Under Sec. 62)

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In a prologue, Ben Trego, a pioneer, traveling with his twin sons, both little chaps, finds himself surrounded by savages in the wilds of Utah. He manages to put the boys on a trail and when the Indians close in upon him, he blows himself and the savages up by igniting a keg of gunpowder. The children are picked up by two riders and carried to a settlement.

The boys are separated in some way and one becomes a rancher known as "Three Word Brand," because of his habit of using only three words when addressed, while the other is elected governor. "Three Word Brand" is in partnership with a man who is accused of murder by enemies although he is innocent. A bill to control water rights and thus deprive the ranchers of the valley of their supply, is before Governor Marsden but before he signs the bill he decides to visit the valley.

Brand is in a saloon when the govenor arrives. He is unseen by the governor and, observing that the executive resembles him greatly, Brand gets an idea. He gets his foreman to act as Marsden's guide with instructions to keep him on the trail for five days. Brand appropriates the governor's clothing and goes to the capitol at Salt Lake City where he assumes the governor's place. He destroys the obnoxious water bill and signs a pardon for his pardner who is accused of murder.

Meanwhile, the governor returns to Brand's ranch with the foreman, where he is wounded in ambush by men who believe him to be Brand. The latter returns to the ranch just in time to prevent the governor from being murdered, and he is able to even scores with his enemies, and, incidentally, to convince Ethel Barton, sister of his pardner, that he is a man worthy of being her husband.

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THREE WORD BRAND (7 reels)

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