

BRITISH MOVIE TONE NEWS

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PITLOCHRY ) - - "UNVEILING PLAQUE AT HYDRO-ELECTRIC POWER STATION"

300 feet. EXTERIOR LIGHT EXCELLENT - INTERIORS DOUBTFUL.

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ROLL ONE -

. Pan from lock view to top of Dam Buildings ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ continuing pan down face of Dam and along to General view. Looking up to Dam.

ROLL TWO -

Looking down on Dam and fish ladder several shots of fish ladder up which salmon go to their spawning grounds and down which Kelt (young salmon) pass on their way to the sea. Shot in observation chamber which may show two Salmon, the larger of which estimated at 25lbs. Silhouette of watcher at window of observation tank. (Continual watch is kept and the number of salmon passing is counted to estimate the success of this method of helping the salmon to pass the obstacle of the dam. Last season 5629 salmon (average 20lbs) passed up stream, and since the beginning of this season's count five days ago 26 have gone through)

View from dam looking down salmon ladder.

ROLL THREE -

Memorial Arch at Clunie Dam. 2 shots. (The memorial built by the engineers is in the form of a section of the water pipes in the tunnels connecting the various locks and is the largest water pipe in Britain.

(UNDER BULL LIGHT) Thomas Johnston, Chairman of the M of Scotland Hydro Electric Board introducing Rt. Hon. Lord Cooper, Lord ~~XX~~ Justice General.

Lord Cooper speaking and unveiling memorial plaque to the Late Sir Edward McColl who was principal technician and designer of the whole Hydro Electric Scheme.

This ceremony is a belated marking of the completion of the work and the scheme now in full operation.

Shot of audience.

Number of shots of dam drum being turned and water flowing over including shot of Flag. Pan from Flag to piper who played the "Flowers of the Forest" Lament during the ceremony.

C.U. of Plaque being unveiled.

The great value of the whole scheme of Hydro-Electric development in Scotland is that it already saves more than 500,000 tons of coal per year and will later save  $1\frac{1}{2}$  million tons per year in addition to bringing electricity to the Highlands.

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