SAYS BARTHELMESS IS 'CLEAN CUT' IN ALL OF HIS ROLES

Letters From Earnest Men and Women Flood Office of Screen Star.

A disabled veteran in a United States hospital has written Richard Barthelmess, the young motion picture star, asking him for his personal photograph, with this explanation:

"From the day I saw your picture of Burke's Chinaman, I was struck with wsat so many other chaps call your 'clean cut character'. There is so much of you that I would like to be that when I see you on the screen I feel as though I were watching that part of me that should have been but never was nor will be. After seeing you or after having read about you, I always feel an urge to be better and to be more tolerant towards other people. I have been here now two years, but hope soon to be able to get out and see a motion picture show and enjoy your latest picture, but in the meantime I would appreciate a picture of my own which I can later put up in my room at home."

Enclosed in the letter was a crisp one dollar bill to pay for the expense of the photograph, which, needless to say, Mr. Barthelmess returned to the boy, enclosing a personally autographed picture of himself.

Teacher Wants Advice

The request, however, is but an example of the scores of letters from earnest men and women and boys and girls which pour into Mr. Barthelmess's every week. Of course, there are some foolish notes, but in contrast to them is the query from a teacher at Teachers' college, asking for a photograph and some advice as to how to become a motion picture actress.

"I would like to ask you very frankly your opinion of the majority of people in the business," this young woman writes. "Everywhere we hear of new characters and finer intelligence entering the field. Does a college girl stand the slightest chance? Does she need more than her college experience, and why? I grant you she must have some degree of beauty, but there are many plain women who have succeeded in the great movie world."

Looks Like Son

And a letter which Mr. Barthelmess treasures most highly and which sped one of his photographs to the home of a lonesome mother, read:

"As you are the picture of my boy whom death took away from me, I thought I would write and let you know how great you are to me. I see you in all your pictures. I pray for your success and that God will look out for you. I think you are good as my boy was. I will hope to get a photograph of yours so when I look at it I will think of my boy, for I haven't a very good picture of him. God bless you and yours."

THREE GREAT FALLS MEN ORGANIZE CIGAR COMPANY

Special to The Tribune.

Butte, Nov. 25.—The Manhattan Club Cigar company, filed articles of incorporation here Friday. A general cigar business in addition to an athletic business will be transacted. The directors are E. H. Stone, Alec Goodman and V. F. Stone, all former residents of Great Falls. The company is capitalized at $20,000 and the life is 40 years.

LEGAL ADVERTISING

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That, pursuant to the order of the District Court of the Eighth Judicial District of the State of Montana, in and for the County of Cascade, made on the 16th day of November, 1922, in the matter of the Receivership of the American Bank & Trust Company, a corporation, the undersigned, Receiver of said American Bank & Trust Company, will sell at private sale, to the highest and best bidder, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned and subject to confirmation by said court, on and after the 25th day of November, 1922, all the right, title and interest of the said American Bank & Trust Company, in and to the following described property, to-wit:

All furniture, fixtures and equipment of said American Bank & Trust Company, situated and being in the banking house of said American Bank & Trust Company at 200 Central Avenue, Great Falls, Montana.

Terms and conditions of sale, cash.

Bids or offers must be in writing and sealed, and may be for the whole or any part of said above described property.

Bids shall be filed with the Receiver of said American Bank & Trust Company, and said Receiver reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 18th day of November, 1922.

A. W. SPRINGHORN,
Receiver of American Bank & Trust Company.

NOTICE OF PLANK SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION

Office of City Engineer, Great Falls, Montana, November 24, 1922.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the City Council of the City of Great Falls, Montana, at its regular meeting on November 20th, 1922, ordered a two-plank sidewalk constructed along the east side of 29th Street from Central Avenue to 2nd Avenue South and along the south side of 2nd Avenue south from 29th Street to 30th Street, which is along the side of lots 1 and 14 in Blocks 5 and 10 Black Eagle Falls Addition and along the front of lots 1 to 7 in Block 19 Black Eagle Falls Addition.

The names of the streets along which said plank sidewalk is ordered constructed appear upon the minutes of the Council of the above date to which reference is hereby made.

All plank sidewalks remaining unbuilt at the expiration of thirty (30) days will be built by the city and all costs assessed as a special tax to the abutting property, in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 396.

M. L. MORRIS,
City Engineer.
(First Publication Nov. 24, 1922.)

POUND NOTICE

Taken up and impounded in the city of Great Falls, the following described animals:

One white horse branded ..... on left shoulder; [HT]

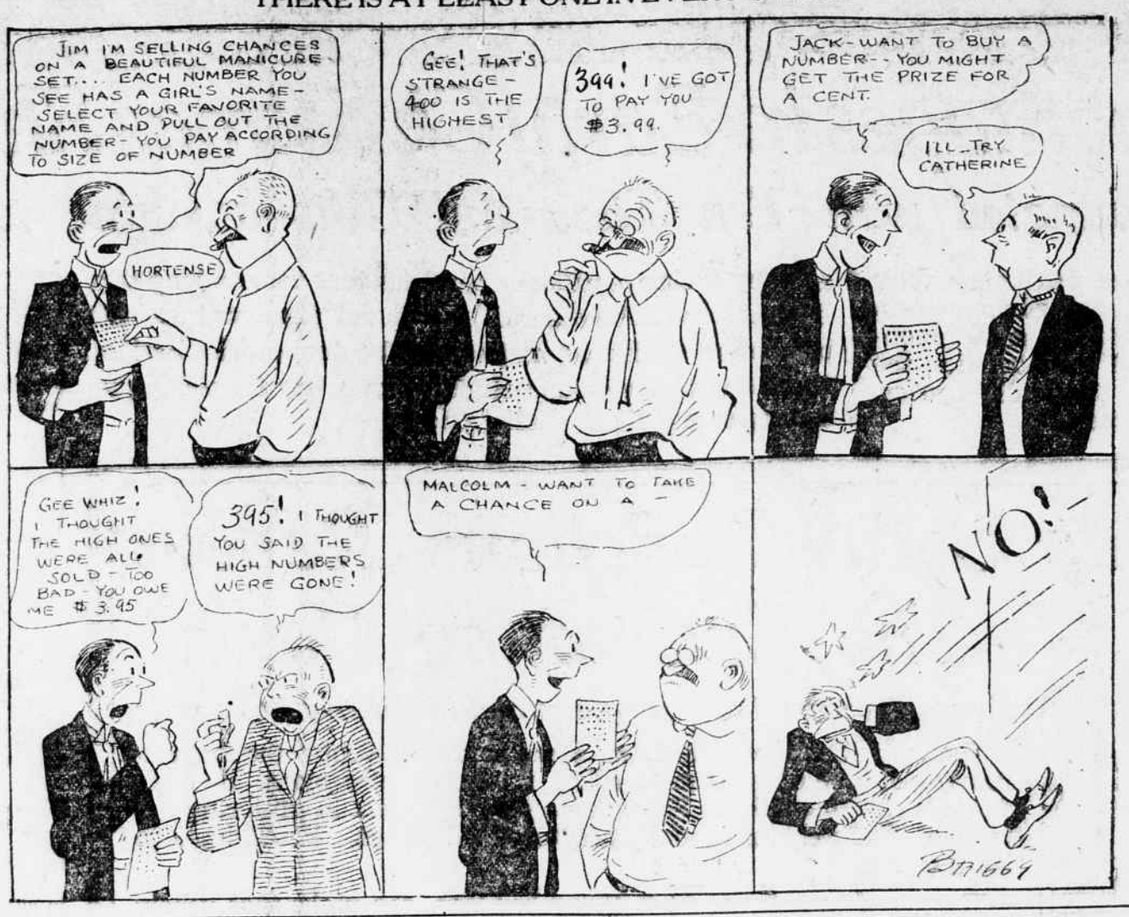
branded ..... on left hip. [S-N]

One brown mare, star on forehead, two white hind feet, branded ..... on left shoulder; [illegible]

which, unless redeemed, will be sold at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, at said pound located at City Tool House, Corner of Eighth Avenue North and Sixth Street, in said city, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on the twenty-ninth day of November, 1922.

MAC JOHNSON,
Pound Master.

THERE IS AT LEAST ONE IN EVERY OFFICE



Former Brewer Dies at Bozeman Home; in State Since 1894

Special to The Tribune.

Bozeman, Nov. 25.—Julius Lehrkind, 80 years of age, died at his home Saturday. He was born in Germany and came to America when but 17 years old. He worked in breweries until 1868, when he engaged in the brewery business in Davenport, Iowa, selling and coming to Bozeman in 1894. He established the well known Bozeman brewery, now the pure ice plant and bottling work. He had interests in Livingston and Red Lodge.

Mr. Lehrkind is survived by his wife and by one daughter, and four sons, Walter of Bozeman, Mrs. G. H. Anderson of Mt. Vernon, N. Y., Carl, Edwin, and Herman of Bozeman. The four children of his brother Fred of Kalispell, Henry of Bozeman, Paul of Livingston, and Mrs. Howard Green of Bozeman were reared in his home. Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at the home.

HARDIN MINISTER ACCEPTS PASTORATE IN LIVINGSTON

Special to The Tribune.

Livingston, Nov. 25.—The Rev. N. M. Temple, formerly of Hardin, arrived here Friday to assume the pastorate of the First Methodist Episcopal church. He succeeds the Rev. H. K. Holtzinger, who has been named superintendent of the Butte district. The Rev. and Mrs. Holtzinger have departed for Helena, where Mr. Holtzinger will maintain headquarters.

MRS. MARTIN AIDS HOME MISSION SOCIETY

Mrs. J. A. Martin, who has been making a trip to Whitefish, Kalispell and Eureka in the interest of the Women's Home Missions society, will return to Great Falls Monday.

(Advertisement)

The last of the series of open forum lectures will be given at the regular meeting of Cascade Lodge No. 34 A. F. & A. M. Tuesday evening, November 28, by Rev. Vere Loper, subject, "The Human Element in Industry". Lodge opens 7:30 p. m. All sojourning brothers welcome.

A. E. STALLING, W. M.

DANCE FORT SHAW
Thanksgiving night Eddie's Orchestra.

YEOMAN DANCE
Tuesday, Nov. 28. Carpenters hall. Everybody welcome. Admission 25c. Good music. Door rights reserved.

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By Christiahn Church ladies, December first, second, from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. Xmas tree, dolls, toys, delicious lunches served in Jap tea room. Home cooking, candy, art, domestic. Kiddy brothers come, buy your Xmas presents.

A. O. U. W.
Chicken dinner for members only. Complimentary. K. P. hall, 7 p. m., November 27.

COOKING SALE
Ladies' Aid, A. M. E. church, will have Cooking Sale in Liberty Bldg., Third street north, Tuesday, November 28. Fruit, pound, white, angel food and devils food cakes. Mince, pumpkin and apple pie. Fried chickens. Chicken salad and potato salad.

Truck hauling, ashes, coal, sand and gravel. Phone 9767.

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NOTICE
Select your Christmas presents now. Small deposits will hold any article. Same can be paid for in installments. Crown Jewelry Co., 225 Central ave.

SHRINE PATROL DANCE
Masonic Temple, Tuesday, Nov. 28. Straiton's orchestra.

Only Sixth of Crop Moved Due to Lack of Sufficient Cars

Special to The Tribune.

Valier, Nov. 25.—Farmers tributary to Valier are somewhat gloomy these days as they see their taxes coming due at a time when it is impossible to market their grain to meet them. Valier's five elevators have been blocked for two months with only occasional temporary relief and the blockade is beginning to dim the outlook so optimistic at harvest time.

Since November 6 no grain empties have been alloted to Valier and only about 10 merchandise cars have been received here. Of the 480,000 bushels to be marketed at Valeir this year only about one-sixth has been moved to date with no relief in sight.

Animals Enjoy Easy Winter in Wonderland

Special to The Tribune.

Livingston, Nov. 25.—Yellowstone park game herds are enjoying the mildest winter in history and spring will find elk, deer and antelope in splendid shape, according to Wonderland officials, who are visitors in this city. There is plenty of feed in the park this year and it will not be necessary to feed hay to elk and deer, unless heavy snowfalls occur. The snowfall in the park to date is the lightest in history.

$350 DAMAGES ALLOWED AGAINST MINING COMPANY

Special to The Tribune.

Bute, Nov. 25.—The jury hearing the case of Helen Fay Woods against the Timber Butte Milling Co. returned a verdict Friday night in favor of the plaintiff for $350. Mrs. Woods asked $9,800 damages alleging that tailings from the mill of the defendant company had overflowed and injured her property to that amount. The case started last Monday before Judge Ben B. Law of Bozeman who was called in by Judge J. J. Lynch. All three local judges had been disqualified in the case by either one of the litigants.

YOUTH SENT TO REFORMATORY FOR THEFT OF AUTOMOBILE

Special to The Tribune

Williston, N. D., Nov. 25.—Harry Thompson, who was arrested in New Mexico and brought to this city to answer the charge of having stolen an automobile at Ray, and who pleaded guilty to the charge, has been ordered sent to the training school at Mandan where he is to remain for three years until he becomes 21 years of age. John Zaren, who was traveling with him when the car was found, was discharged upon satisfactory showing that he had not been involved in the theft of the car.

FORMER LIVINGSTON MAN WINS THEATRICAL HONORS

Special to The Tribune.

Livingston, Nov. 25.—Sandy Shaw, formerly of this city, has made good in New York as an entertainer and is said to be called the second Harry Lauder.

Shaw has recently produced a number of Scotch records for phonographs and these are proving popular among his old friends in Livingston, where Shaw was prominent for several years in amateur theatricals.

We live expensively to impress people who live expensively to impress us.—Washington News.

N. B. Smith, Aged 64, Retired Lawyer, Dies After Brief Illness

Special to The Tribune.

White Sulphur Springs, Nov. 25.—N. B. Smith, aged 64, a well known retired attorney, died here Friday afternoon after an illness of several weeks. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Masonic fraternity having charge of the services at the home and at the cemetery.

A. J. Nicholson, superintendent of the White Sulphur Springs & Yellowstone park railway, who left here early in the week, was operated upon at Tacoma, Wash., Friday morning, for stomach trouble. A telegram late Saturday said that his condition was serious.

Little Virginia Butler was taken to Helena Saturday suffering from an attack of appendicitis.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN DIES AT BUTTE HOME, AGED 84

Special to The Tribune.

Butte, Nov. 25.—James Corkwell, 84, a pioneer resident of Butte and veteran of the civil war, died here Friday morning. He enlisted with the union forces in September, 1861, and served as a private in Co. C, First Iowa cavalry, until September, 1865. He was an active member of Lincoln post, G. A. R.

He came to Butte 40 years ago and had followed the carpenter trade during his residence here. He was one of the handful of surviving civil war veterans in Butte and had no surviving relatives.

If Germany really wants a loan she'd better get in touch with a few American bootleggers.—New York Tribune.

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Deaths and Funerals

TALVI—The body of Mrs. Mary Talvi will be taken from the W. H. George chapel this morning, to the church at Stokett where the funeral will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The Rev. A. G. Lunde will officiate. The burial will be in the Sand Coulee cemetery.

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11 Tons of Turkey Shipped by Fergus Growers This Year

Special to The Tribune.

Lewistown, Nov. 25.—Turkey raising is rapidly becoming an important industry in Fergus county, this development being due to the success met within growing corn, which seems to be the ideal feed for the big birds. One local house has shipped out this week 11 tons of Fergus grown turkeys. The best of the birds come from the newly developed corn belt in the Winifred, Roy and eastern Fergus districts.

OFFICERS SEIZE STILL.

Special to The Tribune.

Fort Benton, oNv. 25.—The sheriff's force this week succeeded in locating a whiskey still close to Geraldine and destroyed it with three barrels of corn mash and a barrel of peach mash. The owners or operators had evidently received word of the intended visit and were absent when the officers arrived.

Geddes Very Frank on German Finance

London.—(Corespondence of The Associated Press.)—Sir Eric Geddes did some very plain talking about German reparations as the guest of the Thirty club, of London, recently. This club is an association of advertising experts. When in parliament Sir Eric was noted for the straightforward style of speech, and since he became a business man again he is more outspoken than ever.

"In 1918 I was a politician," he said, "and I said then that we should not make a fetish of reparations; that we might find reparations a boomerang, and that the demanding of great sums from Germany might be bad. I nearly lost my seat over that statement, and I had to hedge a bit."

He was under no necessity of doing any hedging before the Thirty club, he continued. "What I said in 1918 has come absolutely true now," he declared. "We were absolutely wrong, as allies, in trying to get the last penny out of Germany. We cannot get it because it is not there.

"It is no use chasing a mirage. You can only get reparations out of Germany by either money or goods. She has no money, and if you take her goods it will mean unemployment here. If the leaders of thought could bring that home to our people, it would be a good thing for this country.

"I have just come from Germany. They are desperate there. There will never be a strong government until the people know that they can manage their own affairs. Until we and our allies come down to bed-rock, find out what Germany can pay, and tell them so, there will be no improvement. When we do that Germany will try to pay, if possible. But you cannot enslave a nation of seventy millions for generations."

The real optimist is the householder who buys ash-barrels.—Boston Transcript.

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New Yorkers Save Money, Says Report

New York.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—The popular idea that the term "New Yorker" is synonymous with prodigality in expenditures and outlay for bright light amusements, is refuted by some significant figures just compiled by the Merchants association.

On July 1, 1922, the savings banks of New York held on deposit $2,069,779,824.85, representing accounts of 1,680,625 depositors, or more than one out of every four of the entire population.

"These figures," said the statement, "are as significant relatively as positively. They prove that the habit of thrift among the wage earners in the city has grown enormously during the last 25 years.

"In 1897 the books of the New York savings banks showed deposits to a total of $529,907,247.75. The actual deposits in that period have therefore multiplied almost four times. Within the same period the number of depositors has increased from 1,222,366 to the total as indicated above. It is true that the increase in numbers of accounts is not commensurate with the increase in population, but a significant fact appears in the per capita comparison. The depositors of 1897 showed an average savings account of $432.41, while the depositors of today show an average savings deposit of $1,231.55.

The most fashionable form of entertainment this winter will be a house warming.—Detroit News.

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Auction Sale
WEDNESDAY, NOV. 29, 1922
At the Birch Ranch on Box Elder Creek four miles west of Belt and 1¾ miles south of Wayne, commencing at 11 o'clock a. m.
75 head cattle, calves, yearlings, two's and cows; 5 milch cows, 10 brood sows, 50 shoats, 50 tons hay, 400 bushels barley and wheat, one 5-ft. mower, one side delivery rake, one Overland truck with top, one Overland touring car, eight running gears 3½-inch axle, one 25-50 Avery engine, one 6-bottom John Deere plow, one 2-bottom Winnipeg gang plow, one De Laval separator, one Queen incubator, 200 egg; one fanning mill, one platform scales. Miscellaneous articles.
Free lunch at noon.
Terms of Sale:—All sums of $25 and under, cash; all over $25 one year's time will be given with bankable paper at 8% or 5% discount for cash.
BIRCH & SONS, Owners
L. E. Stiles, auctioneer; Walter Blomquist, clerk.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The American Refining Company is owned and controlled by its stockholders, numbering six hundred sixty.

It was taken out of the hands of the promoters on November 17th, a little impaired financially, but wholly solvent.

It is the aim of the new management to add necessary improvements to the plant, put it upon a sound financial basis, and make it a credit to the oil industry of the State, and a source of local pride to the City of Great Falls.

The Refinery is an infant industry here, left by cruel and soulless parents upon the doorstep of a stout-hearted foster parentage, and whatever stain of its origin has come with it, will be wholly and inefficably wiped out by giving it substantial nourishment and strength, to the end that it may become strong and lusty in its environment.

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