

"WE SURE EARNED BONUS," CITY BOYS CLAIM ON BALLOT

No noticeable change in evident in the referendum ballots that Wayne county service men continue to send into the Palladium office.

They all want a bonus of some kind, and they are nearly unanimous for a cash one. Requests for more money for the overseas men than for the boys who stayed on this side still come in.

More ballots are marked for the same compensation for all than in any previous counting, although those favoring bonus according to time are still leading.

Want Lot on Ballot

In the remarks column one Richmond young man not only wants a cash bonus, but also writes: "Give us a Republican president."

Some ask for everything printed on the ballot, and others for things not mentioned. One boy voiced the belief of most of them when he said: "We sure earned it."

CORNELIUS VANDERBILT, JR.

WEDS MISS LITTLETON

NEW YORK, April 30.—The eyes of New York society were focused Thursday on the wedding in St. Thomas Church of Miss Rachel Littleton, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Littleton, of Chattanooga, Tenn., to Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr.

"Birth" Is Indorsed by High Medical Authorities Will Save Many Lives

In obtaining "Birth" the New York maternity hospital film for a Richmond showing, a scoop has been gotten in as much as only a limited number of cities in the state are to see it, but it is a big step forward in the national better baby movement.

The Richmond theatre will show the film here beginning Sunday for three days and everything will be done to give the film the proper presentation and every one an opportunity of viewing what is claimed to be the most remarkable film of its kind ever made for a public showing.

"Birth" comes to Richmond with the highest endorsement of prominent medical authorities and health officials and social workers from coast to coast.

The picture was filmed under the personal supervision of well known eastern medical authorities in one of New York's largest maternity hospitals as the first big film in a nationwide better baby campaign. The many delicate phases regarding the proper care of the infant are shown in detail as well as the latest and most up-to-date scientific methods now in use in the larger hospitals of the east.

After viewing "Birth" one can easily see why it is claimed that if the methods shown on the screen were

followed out in all of the hospitals and homes of the country that the lives of over 300,000 infants and many thousands of ignorant mothers could be saved each year.

Children and young people under the age of 18 will not be admitted.

The Theatres

WASHINGTON

That matrimony is "the woman game" in the same sense that business is "the man game" and that a woman may use any weapon in her power to obtain her objective the same as a man operating in Wall Street and carrying on any sort of business, is the theme in "The Woman Game," the latest Selznick picture-play starring beautiful Elaine Hammerstein, which is playing at the Washington theatre today and tomorrow.

Elaine Hammerstein is seen in the role of an impoverished society beauty, who seeks to make a good marriage because of the lament of her mother who impresses upon the girl that this is her duty.

As Amy, Miss Hammerstein is splendid. She is surrounded by a capable cast and the entire production is another big success for the Selznick studios. The wealth of detail noticeable in all Selznick pictures is present and the usual wonderful interior scenes are much in evidence.

MURRETTE

An unusual and quaint form of plotting is one of the more intensely interesting features of Marshall Neelan's first independent production, "The River's End," from the story by James Oliver Curwood and distributed by First National, which is showing here at the Murrette theatre on Friday and Saturday for the last times.

The introductory scenes of the film find John Keith, haunted by years by the murder of Judge Kirkstone, captured by Derwent Conniston of the Canadian Mounted Police. A striking resemblance between the two men in build and facial characteristics leads the officer, when suddenly stricken

HOW'S YOUR BLOOD? Pimples and Eruptions Mean Bad Blood

People who have impure or impoverished blood should be careful to take only a temperance remedy made of wild roots and barks, such as Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is and has been for nearly 50 years. Ingredients printed on wrapper.

The first day you start to take this reliable medicine, impure germs and accumulations begin to separate in the blood and are then expelled through the eliminative organs.

In place of the impurities, the arteries and veins gradually get fresh vitalized blood and the action of this good blood on the skin means that pimples, boils, carbuncles, eczema, rash, acne and many skin blemishes will disappear. Then you must remember that when the blood is right, the liver, stomach, bowels and kidneys become healthy, active and vigorous and you will have no more trouble with indigestion, backache, headache.

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PALACE

—TODAY—

MARY PICKFORD

In a Paramount-Artcraft special

"THE PRIDE OF THE CLAN"

A wonderful story of the East coast

—Also—

Jack Perrin

In a sensational western

"THE LION MAN"

And for a big laugh MUTT AND JEFF

—SUNDAY—

WILLIAM S. HART

—in—

"SQUARE DEAL SANDERSON"

DON'T MARRY

Until you See the Richmond Theatre's Astounding Film Revelation



NOT FOR THE MORBID OR CURIOUS

for the whole world who want to know their origin.

STARTS SUNDAY

RICHMOND THEATRE

YOU'LL SEE IT!

with a fatal disease, to urge Keith to impersonate him and return to the Post and an account of Keith's death.

The climax of the picture is summed up in the surprise that awaits Keith—"At The River's End."

MURRAY

Pride of family is revealed as a trait as strongly entrenched in the character of rustic, rugged provincial mountaineers of the south as among the royalty of Europe in Vitagraph's latest picture, "The Birth of a Soul." This production, with Harry T. Morey in the stellar role, will be presented at the Murray theatre on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

The picture sets forth in its dramatic action how every native of the mountain and honor of his family. Riches do not count. Education and refinement are unheard of, but the mountaineers, according to this picture, hold their heads high with thoughts of the sacredness of their word and every element of honor.

"The Birth of a Soul" was edited by Mr. and Mrs. George Randolph Chester, famous writers, who have studied the mountain character.

MURRAY VAUDEVILLE

Ten ex-U. S. navy sailors discharged from the U. S. "George Washington" are putting on a girl(?) act this last half at the Murray with more vim and gusto than some of the bonafide girl acts we have seen. It is the same cast and play exactly as presented before President Wilson and wife at sea during their recent voyage to Europe, and, as stated by one of the boys preceding the act, won the president's personal commendation. During the progress of the offering a vamp of the vampish nature is introduced, a soprano with a decidedly pleasing voice, and a chorus of gingery girls, who wear all the

frills and go through all the evolutions of the regular girlie chorus. This act is a decided novelty and it scored a whale of a hit with the audience last evening. Ben Linn, a likeable chap of Arbutklean proportions, opens the show with songs and heavy-weight dancing. His comedy is clean, pleasing, and the folks out in front evidenced their approval of his efforts. Jennings and O'Brien have a very pleasing singing and talking act, with the burden of the work falling upon the woman, who sings some very good character songs in a clever manner. Harry T. Morey, in "The Birth of a Soul," a story of a Kentucky feud, completes an excellent assortment of entertainment, which plays the entire last half.

Theatre Beautiful

MURRETTE

"WHERE THE STARS TWINKLE FIRST"

Hear Our Pipe Organ, Jazz Orchestra

ANOTHER RECORD DAY FOR THE BIGGEST PICTURE OF THE YEAR!

Only 2 Days More Today and Saturday

"The River's End"

Marshall Neelan's Masterful production of James Oliver Curwood's Greatest Story of "God's Country".

Show Starts at 1:45 P. M.

Yesterday was the largest Thursday crowd we have ever shown to. Everyone says it's the greatest thing since "The Spoilers". See it and be convinced.

Come Early, Idea That's the



—Three Other Features—

Sunshine Comedy, "HER NAUGHTY WINK" Mr. Chas. Pasco at the Organ and the Risk-Skinner Trio in "Music a la Jazz" Remember only 2 more days—Come to the Matinees

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RICHMOND THEATRE

Between 6th and 7th on Main "Come on Skinny, I'll Take you to the Richmond Friday to see Bill Farnum.

Look for the free coupon in last night's Palladium.

LAST TIMES TODAY

WM. DUNCAN

In "THE SILENT AVENGER"

EVELYN GREELEY

—in—

"PHIL FOR SHORT"

And a Billy West Comedy

SELECT VAUDEVILLE

MURRAY

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HEAR OUR PIPE ORGAN CONCERT ORCHESTRA

Biggest Bill of the Season Now Playing—Today and Last Half

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Ten ex-U. S. Navy Sailors, featuring Harry Downing and Al Van Zandt and a "Jazzy, Shimmey Chorus of Girlie Gobs." As produced at sea aboard the U. S. S. "George Washington" for the entertainment of President Wilson and wife.

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The costliest and greatest novelty act of the season.

YOU'LL SCREAM!

YOU'LL WANT TO SEE IT TWICE

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—in— "Original Songs and Sayings"—man and woman comedy team who are one genuine hit.

BEN LINN

"Big Ben" himself. You might not like to hear your Big Ben but you will enjoy hearing this Big Ben

HARRY T. MOREY

—in—

"THE BIRTH OF A SOUL"

Five-reel Vitaphone feature. A story of the Kentucky Mountains and the sacrifice of a man for the woman he loves.



ELAINE HAMMERSTEIN

in Frank Dazey and Leighton Osmun's

"The WOMAN GAME"

Direction—William P.S. Earle
Scenario by G. Marion Burton

No longer do people live within the strict confines of provincial localities. The farmer boy or girl of today may be the financier or the business woman of tomorrow. Steam and electric trains—and even airplanes—are making people move a lot more easily and quickly than they used to. The marriageable boy or girl of today should know the whole world in order that he may choose his or her mate.

TODAY

—and— TOMORROW



"HUCKLEBERRY FINN"

—is coming— SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY

