

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Local forecast for Pensacola and vicinity:
 Last tonight; Friday warmer and threatening;
 Saturday to Sunday, mostly cloudy. Maximum temperature yesterday, 77 degrees; minimum in last night, 55.

Mr. McKiern of Kansas City is a guest at the Escambia.

It is a wise candidate who knows the number of his supporters.

J. L. Barsbait of Louisville arrived at the Escambia yesterday.

A. Sanders and J. A. McDuffie of Mobile are stopping at Hotel Escambia.

Mrs. R. B. King has gone to her home, Detroit, to spend the summer.

R. A. Goldsmith and E. D. Moor of Montgomery are guests at the Merchants.

N. and J. R. Lindsey of Morrilton are among the guests at the Merchants.

Mrs. W. H. Knowles departed last night on a visit to relatives in North Carolina.

Dr. and Mrs. M. McCreary are now pleasantly domiciled at Hotel Escambia.

Special Agent J. A. Davis of the pension department is here on official business.

Judge Walter Tate is home from a business visit to Baltimore and other eastern cities.

B. L. Kingsland of St. Louis was among this morning's arrivals at Hotel Escambia.

Prof. C. J. Bell left this morning for Mobile on a canvassing tour among the voters.

Remember the Little Folk's minstrel Wednesday evening April 16 Square tickets early.

W. R. McDuffie, Jr., of Florida, Ala., is among those registered at the Merchants to-day.

W. C. Hahn of Newton, N. J., arrived here this morning and registered at the Merchants.

M. J. Thompson of Columbus, Ga., arrived in the city last night and is a guest at the Merchants.

Mrs. A. B. Fairies, a sister of Mrs. H. S. White of this city, died yesterday at her home, Okolona, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Radcliff are now at home in their handsome new residence on North Alcaniz street.

A regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce is called for 7 o'clock to-night. A full attendance of members is requested.

Mr. B. C. Tunison will leave tomorrow morning for Havana, via Tampa, on professional business, to be absent for some weeks.

J. C. Van Pelt, candidate for sheriff, has fully recovered from his recent illness and is making an active canvass among the voters.

The fishing boats Ida and Sadie Cohen arrived this morning with 12,000 pounds of spanish mackerel. The A. J. Chapman brought 1,000 snappers.

Mrs. J. E. Creary of Bagdad and E. E. Campodonico of Bay Point were among the passengers who arrived here this morning on the City of Tampa.

Keep your eye on the Yellow River railroad. There are indications that it will soon develop into a great trunk line, with Pensacola as its Gulf terminus.

There will be a meeting of Rathbone Lodge No. 30, K. of P., at 7:30 to-night. There will be a discussion of the uniform rank, also work on the second rank.

After next Tuesday there will not be so many candidates for county offices as there now are, but those who fail to capture the plums will work for those who do.

Robert Gore, colored, charged with attempting rape upon the person of the six-year-old daughter of Pauline Morris some time ago, had a hearing yesterday before Judge Boy-

kin Jones and was exonerated, there being no case against him.

Dr. Reginald Allmon is confined to his bed to-day with illness.

Deputy Sheriff H. A. Cowart left on the 12:45 train to-day for Bluff Springs on a business trip.

Dr. W. A. Mills, pension examining surgeon, was here yesterday on official business and returned to Milton to-day.

The choir of St. Michael's church are holding frequent rehearsals and will present a splendid musical program Easter Sunday.

The weather bureau announces that frost fell at Macon, Ga., this morning and that possibly a light frost may occur in extreme Northern Florida to-night.

After a delightful visit to relatives and friends here, Mrs. H. W. Oppenheim and son, Master Henry, will leave tomorrow for home, much to the regret of their many friends.

N. C. Pettit, a prominent Odd Fellow, who now has extensive mining interests in Mexico, stopped here yesterday to visit his friends T. C. Watson and A. V. Clubbs. He is en route to his old home, Waldo.

P. Devine, who resides on West Romana street, has at his home a half acre of magnificent strawberries, which will soon be ripe and ready for market. He expects to market 2,000 boxes from the half acre.

State finances are in such good condition that Governor Bloxham, by authority vested in him by law, has issued instructions that the state tax proper for 1900 shall be two and a half mills on the dollar, a reduction of a half mill from the levy of last year.

Mr. James McLean, father of Mrs. A. D. Morrison of this city, died at his home at Knox Hill, Walton county, March 31, 1899, aged about 91 years. Mr. McLean was one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Walton county, having lived there since 1822.

Division No. 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, at their meeting last night, decided to give a grand Dewey Day demonstration at Kupfrian's park May 1. Committees were appointed and an elaborate program will be prepared. Dewey Day last year, under the same auspices, was a grand event. The Hibernians say

they are going to make the 1900 demonstration outshine that of last year.

The ladies of Muscogee wharf Methodist church, assisted by ladies of the Palafox street Methodist church, will give a supper at the new church, to-morrow night. All are cordially invited.

Itsozic collar and cuff buttons are what men have long been wanting. They save the finger nails and do away with the morning swear words while making your toilet. You can have one for the asking by calling at John White's.

The following party escorted the war vessels to the mouth of the harbor yesterday on the yacht Wallace: Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Swales, Detroit; Mrs. George B. Woodward and P. S. Woodward, Louisville; Mrs. F. H. Creston, city; Mrs. H. S. Risby, Elgin, Ill.; Z. Inez Cranston, city; Minnie and May Brown, Harp; Frank M. Urch, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bushnell, Sidney Anderson, Mrs. C. D. Byers, city, and J. P. Prairie, Charlotte, S. C.

A Powder Mill Explosion
 Removes everything in sight; so do drastic mineral pills, but both are mighty dangerous. Don't dynamite the delicate machinery of your body with calomel, croton oil or aloes pills, when Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are gentle as a summer breeze, do the work perfectly. Cures Headaches, Constipation. Only 25 cts. at W. A. D'Alemberte's.

Some folks' pretences to always undersell the world are rather tiresome. No one has monopoly of brains and money. It will be a sorry day for this town when competition ceases. White's.

Nobby Spring Suits for young men at White's.

Pepsin Peppermint Wafers aid digestion. Ask your dealer for them.

Nobby Boys' Knee Pants, with Double Breasted Vests, at White's.

The best 5 cent Cigar on the market is the DURHAM. Try them at D'Alemberte's.

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 by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

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By order W. M. L. C. BENNETT, Secretary.

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Some Interesting Figures.

Capital of the Four Great Banks of the World.	
Bank of England,	\$86,047,935
Bank of France,	36,500,000
Imperial Bank of Germany,	28,560,000
Bank of Russia,	25,714,920
Total,	\$176,822,855

FUNDS HELD BY THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY FOR THE PAYMENT OF ITS POLICIES, DECEMBER 31, 1899, \$301,844,537

Or \$125,021,682 more than the combined capital of these famous banks.

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We are conducting the most up-to-date store in Pensacola. We use the most up-to-date methods. We buy in great quantities, and so close the cost that the goods go out of the store almost as soon as we unpack them. A little bit of profit on a great many sales is the guiding star of this business. The "Pulley Bells" of Ribbon and Leather we are selling for 40 and 50 cents are very neat. If you make them yourself you have the Ribbon, Buckle, Rings, Etc. Ladies' Ties, washable, the latest, 25 cents each; Ladies' Ties, silk, for 50 and 75 cents, are beauties.

RIBBONS.

We have just received 100 pieces of plain Taffetas and Lace Stripe Ribbons, worth 30, 40 and 50 cents yard, our price, 20, 25 and 30 cents yard.

We want every mother in Pensacola to call and see our line of Sailor Hats for Children.

DAVES STORE.

We don't expect you to buy unless you can't help yourself.

Every Dollar spent in our store entitles you to a ticket which gives you a chance for the beautiful Machine displayed in our show window. Lucky number announced May 1.

PENSACOLA BAR.

Congressman Sparkman Stirs up the Chart Makers.

In reply to his telegram to Congressman S. M. Sparkman relative to the proper depth of water through the channel to Pensacola harbor not being shown on the coast and geodetic charts, Hon. J. Ed. O'Brien to-day received a letter from Mr. Sparkman in which he says:

"I was around to the coast and Geodetic Survey to-day, where I saw the chart about which you wired me, and which shows something like 22 feet of water on the bar. I called their attention to the fact that there was much more water than that, but they said that the chart was gotten up last year, while the report of the chief of engineers made after June 30 was not received until sometime later. This report, however, only showed about 25 feet of water. I called the attention of the superintendent to the further fact that since the engineer's report was made, the channel had been deepened some five or six feet. He at last promised to write immediately for the report of the chief of engineers and have another chart printed, which I dare say he will do. I afterwards called on Col. McKenzie, who promised to send down immediately the latest reports."

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NEW ARRIVALS!

OUR first announcement of New Arrivals of Spring Apparel. A generous assortment, large variety of colors and styles to select from of Ladies' Waists. We carry all kinds; the largest assortment in the city of well known brands. Among them the famous "Griffon Brand," famous for fit, style and finish—in fact the best fitting Waist in the land. This fact no dealer or customer can deny. You may form some idea of our offerings by a glance at our large exclusive **Shirt Waist Window**, and they are cheaper than heretofore by reason of our Motto: "SELL CHEAP AND THEREBY INCREASE THE BUSINESS."

New Arrivals! LACES AND EMBROIDERIES! New Arrivals!

Our Centre Tables are groaning beneath a goodly share of the Newest Things in Laces and Embroideries. Swiss Edging and Insertion. Hamburg Edging and Insertion. Valencia Lace and Insertions. Machine Torchon Edging and Insertion. German Torchon Edging. Applique Lace and Insertion. Point de Spret, Oriental and Plat Val, Laces. 500 Remnants Hamburg Edging, six yard lengths, worth 75c, to go at 60c.

*** Sweeping Sale of Muslin Underwear! ***

One Lot Child's Drawers, hemmed and tucked, sizes 1 and 2, at...10c pair
 Sizes 3, 4, 5 and 6, only...15c pair
 One Lot Child's Trimmed Drawers at Cost Mark.
 One Lot Child's Trimmed Gowns at Cost Mark.
 One Lot Child's Trimmed Skirts at Cost Mark.
 One Lot Misses' Trimmed Gowns at Cost Mark.
 One Lot Ladies' Trimmed Chemise, worth 35c for...20c each
 One Lot Ladies' Trimmed Cambric Chemise, worth 75c for...45c each

One Lot Odds and Ends
 In Ladies' Skirts and Gowns to Close Out at Cost Mark Price.

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 We are selling dining room tables at bargain prices; also stoves, bed-springs, mattresses, kitchen safes, and kitchen cabinets with bread boards, chests for flour, and drawers for kitchen utensils and tableware. Call and examine them at O. M. Pryor's Bargain Furniture House.

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