

BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES FOR PAST WEEK

A DOZEN BIRTHS REPORTED AS AGAINST BUT HALF THAT NUMBER OF DEATHS, BUT ONE OF LATTER BEING WHITE.

One dozen births, with half that number of deaths was the vital statistical report for the past week. There were three white and nine colored deaths, reported at the office of the city clerk during the past seven days. They were as follows:

White Births.
To James Monroe Livingston and wife, a boy.
To Edward J. Landt and wife, a boy.
To Wm. Thos. Boyd and wife, a girl.

Colored Births.
To George Murphy and wife, a girl.
To Eugene Turner and Willie Bell Cunningham, a boy.
To Alfred Bryant and wife, a girl.
To Charley Hudgins and wife, a girl.

To James Woods and wife, a girl.
To Sylvester Soto and wife, a girl.
To F. O. Borrass and wife, a girl.
To Henry L. Coleman and wife, a boy.
To Samuel Stallworth and wife, a boy.

White Deaths.
Charles Nelson Levy, 76 years, 4 months, 16 days, Apoplexy.

Colored Deaths.
Infant Alfred Bryant and wife, stillborn.
Edna D. Faulks, 19 years, 3 months, 29 days, tuberculosis.
Infant Willie Bell Cunningham, premature.

Frank Peterson, 6 months, 17 days, enteric colitis.
George Wilson, 38 years, heart trouble.
The following licenses to marry were issued during the past week from the office of the county judge:

White Marriages.
Edward Kropp and Roland.
Stephen Mathis and Mattie Lou Albritton.
Charles Christopher Hartman and Florence Lorena Bazzell.
Charles A. Nicholas and Katherine Herrin.

Colored Marriages.
Dave Herger and Georgia Beard.
W. A. C. Darley and Minnie Burnett.
John Johnson and Corinne Riley.
Ben Clemson and Mattie Owens.
Will Jones and Lizzie Talley.
Eddie Robinson and Bessie Patten.
Narwood V. Miller and Neeley E. Marshall.
John Register and Versie Going.

WAR TAXES ARE SATISFACTORY

FINANCIAL AUTHORITIES OF THE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT HAVE NO COMPLAINT TO MAKE OF ASSESSMENT.

Berlin, May 30.—The financial authorities of the Imperial Government are more than satisfied with the results of the assessment of the new war taxes. Instead of the \$240,000,000 that the new legislation was designed to raise it is now expected that the total amount will be at least \$500,000,000 greater. This result is attributed in large part to the fact that new laws threatened extremely severe sentences against tax-dodgers and at the same time guaranteed tax-payers who now give true returns against prosecution for past under-assessments.

The emperor, as head of the state church, has ordered the inclusion in the litany of the following invocation for aviators:
"Protect the royal army and the entire German battle fleet on land and water, especially the ships and the flying machines upon their voyages."
Captain Ronald Amundsen has just been visiting Johannisthal aerodrome near Berlin and studying the merits of the German aeroplane with a view to buying one or more for his north pole expedition which he now plans to make in 1915. The explorer was accompanied by a Norwegian expert aviator, Captain Jacobsen, under whom Amundsen himself is learning to handle a flying machine. Dr. Fitchner, who will join Amundsen next year, is also in training as an aviator at Johannisthal.

Germany maintains its lead in the publishing world according to reports read at the Congress of Associated Book Dealers of Germany at Leipzig. The German production of books during 1913 reached the total of 25,078 separate works, a slight gain over the previous year, and an increase of 10,000 since 1901.

The government's new licensing bill, now before the Reichstag for action, contains an interesting paragraph of which no notice has been taken until now. It gives the licensing authorities power to restrict or to forbid entirely the use of absinthe in any of its forms. Thus far absinthe has never become popular in Germany, and there has been no occasion to regulate its production and sale, but the authorities desire to have a weapon against its possible extension into the country. It is reported that the Reichstag will accept the bill, and thus far there have been no protests from the liquor trade against any of its provisions.

Notwithstanding the great increase of the army and of the enormous military taxation voted by the Reichstag only last year the German Defense Society is not yet satisfied that enough has been done to protect the Empire from its foes. At its annual meeting held at Posen resolutions were adopted calling for universal military service, and pointing to the fact that even after the increased recruitments of October, 1913, as provided for by the new law, there has been a surplus of 38,000 able-bodied young men left over.

SACRED HEART SCHOOL CLOSES ON WEDNESDAY

COMMENCEMENT WILL BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT OF THIS WEEK AND EXTENDED PROGRAM WILL BE GIVEN.

Quite an extended program will be rendered this week at the commencement exercises of the Sacred Heart Academy and Parochial School, and patrons are urged to be on hand promptly as the exercises will start at 7 o'clock in the evening. The program is as follows:
Program of Exercises.
Coronation March from the Opera of Fulkner.—Professor Seel's Orchestra.
Opening Chorus—"This Summer."
Military March (Trio)—Misses N. F. Lowe, L. Camp, M. Born.
Friendship March (Trio)—B. Reinhardt, M. Born, M. Thorsen.
Adonis Gallio (Trio)—L. Camp, R. Gonzalez, A. M. ...

SNEDS.

Sneds, May 30.—Quite a number of the L. & N. railroad officials were in town Sunday to attend the funeral of Capt. Thornton, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Locklin, in Clifton, Ga., Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Wilson and Miss Pearl Kennedy spent the day in Marianna Monday. They went in Mr. Wilson's car.
Mr. J. D. Ferrell, formerly of this place, but now of Marianna, spent several days here last week fishing. Mr. R. R. Carpenter spent about a week in Marianna, guest of her mother, Mrs. J. D. Ferrell.
Miss Lula Griffin, who taught the past term in Lyle Oak, has returned to her home here.
Mrs. E. L. Revis of Marianna, spent a few days here last week as the guest of Mrs. W. L. Pender.
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Boone visited relatives in Greenwood last week.
Miss Mattie Williams and Daisy Lanier spent the week-end in Marianna and Greenwood, as the guests of friends.
Mr. G. E. Stone of The Pensacola Journal, spent the Sabbath with home-folks.
There was a car load of Irish potatoes shipped from here last week. This shows what Jackson county can produce.
Miss Dot Renfro of Marianna, was the guest of Miss Julia Burke Saturday and Sunday.
The high school here closed Friday. The primary and intermediate grades will give a play Friday night, under the able management of their teachers, Misses Daisy Lanier and Mattie Williams.
Mr. and Mrs. Mathis, of Pensacola, are the guests of Mrs. J. Q. Kennedy this week.
Mr. John Boone made a flying trip to Marianna Sunday.
Miss Cleo Woodridge returned from Kissimmee last week, where she has finished a very successful term of school.
Mrs. J. R. Lanier returned last week having spent some time in Jacksonville and Pablo Beach.
The many friends of Mrs. J. F. Hunter regret to learn that she is quite sick.
Miss Viola Sternberg, who has been attending school at Florida Women's College at Tallahassee, the past term is now at home.
Miss Lillie Lanier has returned to her home here after having taught a term at Arcadia, Fla.
Mr. Hermann Roberts of Bristol, spent Sunday here.
Mrs. L. B. Liddon and attractive children visited relatives in Marianna last week.

HARBOR AND MARINE NEWS

PASSED SAND KEY.

May 29, 6 p. m. steamer Kiowa, bound midnight, steamer El Norte, bound west.
May 30, 2 a. m. steamer Illinois, towing Magnolia, bound west; 6:30 a. m. steamer Carolina, bound west; 7:30 a. m. steamer Louisiana, bound east; 2:30 p. m. steamer Guffy line, towing large, bound east; 3 p. m. steamer Radiant and tow, bound west.

VESSLS IN PORT.

Strathairn, Br. 3008, Browne, Mobile, to John A. Merritt & Co.
Kasana, Br. 4109, Bister, Tampa, to John A. Merritt & Company.
Earlwood, Br. 1480, Cuthbert, Galveston, to M. A. Quinn Export Co.
Napierian, Br. 4107, Trickey, Liverpool via way ports, to John A. Merritt & Co.

Ships.
Wallaceown, Ital. 1567, Caraco, Montevideo, to H. Baars Co.
Bris. Nor. 973, Malhoassen, Pernambuco, to A. Zellus.
Maria, Ital. 894, Ambrosio, Rio Janeiro, to Rosasco Bros.
Nargaret, N. 1504, Svensson, Buenos Ayres, to Order.
Vesuvio, Ital. 1643, Scognamiglio, to Rosasco Bros.

Barkentines.
St. Paul, Br. 300, Marcial, Havana, to Master.
Schooners.
John Francis, Am. 255, Bowers, Cayes, to John A. Merritt & Co.
Mount Hope, Br. 593, Warren, Baltimore, to U. S. Government.
Edith H. Symington, Am. 881, Styles, Key West, to Order.
Beatrice, Br. 300, Roberts, Nipe to A. Zellus.
L. N. Dantzer, Br. 117, Tremont, Casilda, (lin distress).

WOMEN COPS IN ENGLAND SOON

BILL TO ENABLE POLICE AUTHORITIES TO ENROLL FEMALE CONSTABLES WILL SHORTLY BE INTRODUCED DESPITE VERY STRONG OPPOSITION.

London, May 29.—A bill to enable the police authorities to enroll women constables is to be introduced in the house of commons by Lord Henry Cavendish Bentinck, unionist member for South Nottinghamshire.

The officials of Scotland Yard have declared themselves opposed to the measure. A spokesman said bluntly: "We are against the suggestion. We employ special women for special purposes, such as vigilance work, and in all cases intimately connected with women or young girls, to a far greater extent than the public realizes. Moreover, in all our police stations women are employed to look after female prisoners and whenever there is a female prisoner a woman is constantly on the premises. Then, again, we work in close touch and sympathy with the excellent societies that employ women detectives and watchers, and we step in with our constables on a hint from them. So that, on the whole, women constables are not only unnecessary but objectionable, because they would

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MUCH FEELING AGAINST JAPS

ANTI-JAPANESE SPIRIT IS BEING SO STRONGLY CULTIVATED THAT JAPAN HAS SENT OUT MISSIONS TO COUNTERACT IT.

By Associated Press.
London, May 30.—The Japanese government has become so seriously concerned over the anti-Japanese spirit that is being cultivated in Australia, New Zealand and Canada, that missions have been sent to England and the Dominions named to counteract this feeling.

THE LOSS OF JOHNSON, AINSMITH AND MILAN WOULD CRIPPLE SENATORS

Left to right: Milan, Johnson and Ainsmith.

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