

**CENSUS BUREAU WANTS ACCURATE VITAL STATISTICS**

Appeal to Health Officers and Others Concerned Issued by Bureau, With Documental Matter Intended to Aid.

Washington, Dec. 27.—In furtherance of its advocacy of the extension of the registration of deaths and births throughout the United States, the census bureau is issuing to the health officers and medical students of the country a physician pocket reference to the International List of Causes of Death.

The progress of the movement for better vital statistics for the United States is briefly summarized, and the essential principles of registration as embodied in the model law adopted by the American Public Health Association and approved by the bureau of the census, are stated as follows:

**Principles to be Observed.**  
 (1) Immediate registration (deaths before interment, births within 10 days and, compulsorily, not less than three days in rural districts); (2) standard certificates (copies on request); (3) compulsory burial or removal permits for deaths, and some effective check on the accuracy of registration for births (by deaths of infants under 1 year, special enumeration, newspapers); (4) efficient local registrars, properly compensated (25 cents) for each certificate registered and returned in compliance with law only, and so distributed that the least possible inconvenience will be caused by physicians and undertakers in filing certificates; (5) sole responsibility for registering deaths and obtaining burial or removal permits in advance of interment upon undertaker or person disposing of body and sole responsibility for registering births, within the time limit set by law, upon the attending physician or midwife (parent in absence of such attendant); (6) an efficient state registrar, with full power and responsibility to enforce the law, in direct connection with the local registrars (any county official intervening in any capacity between the state registrar and local registrars means failure of the law); (7) prompt monthly returns of the original certificates from the local registrars to the state registrar, with report of "No births" or "No deaths" when such was the case and official statement of completeness of registration or report of delinquency; (8) all this is useless to secure complete legal records and statistics of the highest practical value unless penalties are provided in the law and those penalties are enforced.

"The worthlessness of a great part of our birth registration laws depends upon the nonenforcement of the penalties of the laws by those officials who are charged with their enforcement, largely from unwillingness to antagonize prominent members of the medical profession who occasionally or regularly disregard their duties relative to the registration of births. The profession should encourage the effective administration of such laws by cheerfully and promptly complying with them, and by supporting the efforts of health officers and other registration officials in the performance of their plain duty. Have you failed, doctor, to record any birth that has occurred in your practice? Your neglect may mean loss of money, lack of proof of legitimacy, difficulty in proof of age for the requirements of school and labor laws and may perhaps work an irreparable wrong to the child in future years. If so, please complete your service to the family by registering the birth. Do it now!"

The census bureau will, upon request, supply physicians' reference leaflets, specimen copies of the Revised United States Standard Certificate of Death, and of the model registration law.

**CRUEL HUSBAND CUTS OFF WIFE'S HAIR AND SHE ATTEMPTS SUICIDE**  
 (United Press Leased Wire.)  
 San Francisco, Dec. 27.—Charging that her husband is to blame because he shaved off her hair, Mrs. Ida Stoor is near death today at the Central Emergency hospital. Without her tresses, Mrs. Stoor said, life was not worth living, so she drank poison. Mrs. Stoor is the wife of a butcher. She told the hospital authorities that her husband cut off her locks at the climax of a family quarrel.

**TEACH ARABS TO RESPECT THE BRITISH SOLDIERS**  
 (United Press Leased Wire.)  
 London, Dec. 27.—Four British soldiers were killed and nine wounded in an engagement with Arabian gun runners at Dibal, on the Persian gulf, according to reports received at the admiralty. One British soldier is missing. The tribesmen were routed with heavy loss.

**Five Saloons for Tillamook.**  
 Tillamook, Or., Dec. 27.—Tillamook now has five saloons. Last week it was a dry town. The licenses have been fixed at \$100 each, and those who obtained licenses are: Ed Hadley, Clyde Clements, W. J. Stephens, Johnson & Laughlin and Patterson & Waynick. The first four names have been convicted for bootlegging in the city. The latter are newcomers.

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**BONITA LEADS ORPHEUM BILL**

Appears in Hodgepodge From "Wine, Women and Song"; Other Good Features.

Possibly the last two bills at the Orpheum theatre have boosted ideals and whetted desires for more like them, so that any falling off in attractions is more keenly felt, but, taking all this into consideration, and truth to tell, the new bill is only mediocre.

Hailed as the headliner comes Bonita, the beautiful, in a little hodgepodge from "Wine, Women and Song." She is assisted by Lew Hearn, the diminutive and by the way, when you are laughing at the size of them, just remember that it is Mr. and Mrs. Hearn in real life. Bonita is just as beautiful, just as individual and makes just as big a hit with her "Mendelssohn Spring Song." Lew Hearn is just as funny, sings as well as of yore and the act was well received, but it hardly seems such stuff as headliners are made of.

Featured as joint headliners are Hanson brothers, in "Just Phor Phun", strongly reminiscent of the popular old superba and some of its fellows. The most remarkable trick is the mirror illusion which is wonderful. There is other good pantomime and laughable and good features.

One of the most enjoyable acts was furnished by Charles B. Lawlor and daughters, Mabel and Alice who do an interesting musical character sketch, "Night and Day on the Sidewalks of New York." Their voices are pretty and songs and business well executed.

Bowman brothers present a blackface act which goes well. The best part of the turn is their singing, which, it is to be regretted, there was not more of. A Victor H. Smalley sketch, "Hand-cuffed," is the vehicle of Mona Ryan and company. It is nothing but a little burlesque on suffragettes. It has many bright lines and drew its measure of laughs and applause.

Elsie, Wulff and Waldorf appear in a knock-about-skit, "After the Football Game," in which they do some fair tumbling and good casting tricks.

La Vivia De Witt sings and plays the coronet.

**EXPECT LARGE CROWDS AT MIDNIGHT MATINEES**  
 As New Year's eve draws near interest in the midnight matinees of the Theatrical Mechanical association increases. The big annual event has now grown to such proportions that this year the three largest and best theatres in the city have been secured—the Hallie, Baker and Orpheum—which, judging from all present indications, will be packed to the doors next Saturday night when the affair opens. It will start in all three at once, at 11 o'clock, and continue till after midnight. It is now the most popular way to watch the old year out amongst all those who like a little jollification and yet are opposed to the grill route into the new year. Many new features in the way of programs are announced, including all the best acts from the vaudeville houses, as well as members

of Baker Stock company and the Loric company, Francis Richter, the phenomenal boy pianist, and Virginia Dorothy Hill, the marvelous dramatic soprano who will appear in any three playhouses. Tickets are now selling fast and can be obtained at any theatre box office in the city or from members of the association, all of whom are theatrical people. The proceeds from the benefit are all applied to charity and great good is accomplished with them every year. After the programs owl cars will leave for all parts of the city.

**Near Serious Runaway.**  
 (Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
 Lebanon, Or., Dec. 27.—A runaway accident in which five prominent Lebanon persons figured occurred last Saturday evening, when the hack in which they were riding overturned and the frightened horses ran, dragging the closed hack on its side with three of the occupants piled up in a corner, momentarily expecting death. The horses broke loose from the hack, however, and none of the occupants was injured, except for a few bruises. As the hack overturned the driver, M. A. Bruer, and wife, were hurled to the ground. Mrs. Bruer was uninjured, but Mr. Bruer suffered a fractured leg.

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