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CONGRESS CONVENES
AND SOON ADJOURNS.

President's Message Was
Read Tuesday.

SQUABBLE IN HOUSE

Richardson Leads Fight
Against Old Rules.

IMPORTANT DECISION.

(Special To New Era.)

WASHINGTON, D. C. Dec. 5.—Both houses of congress convened at noon today and both branches were promptly adjourned. The house of representatives, with David S. Henderson, of Iowa, as speaker, and James D. Richardson, of Tennessee, as the leader of the Democratic majority. The vice president, having been elected by the electoral college, is to be inaugurated on January 20, 1921. The president's message was read Tuesday.

The final offerings on the desks of the members are larger today than ever before.

Supreme court today handed down an opinion in the "fortress" diamond case, deciding against the government. The court holds that the government has no right to levy duty on imports from the Philippines.

This means that congress will have to take immediate action on the Philippine tariff question.

President Roosevelt's message will be read tomorrow.

The senate, after adjourning the president of congress, adjourned until Tuesday next of respect to the late Senator Kyle.

The house had a squabble over the adoption of rules. Richardson led the fight against the re-adoption of the old rules.

Charge filed against George Lieberth, whose appointment as collector of internal revenue for the Sixth district of Kentucky at Lexington has been held up, alleging drinking and gambling.

FELL BACK
ON FIREARMS

When Indiana Clerk Re-
fused Marriage License.

A Hopkinsville Boy, With
Sweetheart And Gun,
Visits Evansville.

The Evansville Courier tells the following tale:

When Claude Hall, a Kentucky lad, was refused a marriage license here he drew into a rage and pulled his revolver from his pocket threatened to clean out the courthouse. It wasn't long until he was in the care of an officer.

Hall lives at Hopkinsville, Ky., and for several weeks has been employed as a guard at the St. Bernard coal mines at Bartlett, Ky. He came to Evansville Saturday with his sweetheart, Miss Jeanie Foster, to get married.

After seeing the sights of the city they wound up at the courthouse about four o'clock and sought the office of the county clerk. Deputy Clerk O. G. Foster was behind the big counter when Hall and his girl came to see about a marriage license. Deputy Clerk Foster informed him that as his girl lived in Kentucky he could not grant him a license.

"Well, I have a mighty poor opinion of your law in this state, anyway," said the young man.

"That don't cut any ice with us over here," replied Mr. Foster. "I guess the people of Indiana look in the same way upon the laws of Kentucky. So there you are."

Hall looked into the eye of the deputy clerk for a few seconds, and then reached out his hand to his hip and pulled out a revolver. He placed this under the nose of the deputy clerk with this remark: "This is what we use over our way to make people respect the laws of Kentucky. Do you see?"

Mr. Foster did not say a word. He was helpless and his hair stood on ends. He is not a coward, but that was one time in his life he looked into the barrel of a gun and the experience was calculated to make his hair stand on ends or something worse.

Deputy Sheriff Joe Schnepf happened into the room about this time and told the Kentucky youth he would have to place him under arrest.

"But under the laws of the state of Kentucky," responded the stranger, "I am a deputy sheriff. You have no right to arrest me."

Deputy Sheriff Schnepf said he could not help what he was but he was going to take charge of him just the same. He summoned Herman Baker, who was standing near, and the young man was marched to the office of Justice Eben O. Pool in Fourth street. As Hall walked and was in much danger, when the servant burst into the room and carried him to a place of safety.

The house, which had eight rooms, was wholly consumed, together with practically all of its contents. Many valuable heirlooms were burned, and all of the furniture was destroyed. Some of the silverware was saved. The loss is estimated at between \$4,000 and \$5,000, with no insurance.

LATHAM-GAYLORD.

Ceremony Will Be Performed Dec. 10.
No invitations issued.

Saturday's Louisville Times says:

A wedding of wide interest will be that of Miss Elsie Gaylord, of this city, and Mr. John O. Latham, of New York, which will take place on the evening of December 10 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Reed, 1408 Third avenue. No invitations will be issued.

The Rev. George Clever, of New York, a relative of the bride will be the officiating clergyman. There will be no attendants.

Mr. Latham, accompanied by Mr. William Bristle and Mr. Harry Allen, of New York, will reach the city on Sunday, Dec. 9.

Miss Gaylord is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gaylord and since her entrance into society has been greatly admired.

FROM ANOTHER STATE.

Young Lovers United in Wedlock in The
Pee Dee Vicinity.

From Monday's daily.

Mr. Willard F. Evans and Miss Gertrude L. West were married this afternoon at 5 o'clock at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. B. B. Hanson, in the Pee Dee vicinity. The ceremony was witnessed by only the family and a few friends. Rev. J. N. J. Stricker, of the Baptist church, officiated.

The bride is a popular young lady of Memphis, Ill., and Mr. Evans is a wealthy business man of Ocala, Fla. in the same state. They married here to avoid the trouble of a wedding at home.

GOES TO AURORA.

Rev. E. J. Willis was in the city Saturday having just closed a revival in this county. He will leave today for Aurora to begin a meeting.

Let's See What's New.

One who smaller after seeing Allen's Foot-Balm, a powder to be shaken into the shoes. It makes tight or new shoes feel easy; gives instant relief to corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Cures and prevents swollen feet, blisters, calluses and sore spots. Allen's Foot-Balm is a certain cure for sweating, hot, itching feet. As all druggists and shoe stores, etc. Trial package FREE by mail. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

NEW SCHOOL
IS OPENED.

Handsome Building With
Most Modern Equipment.

Credit To Community--
District Meeting--State
Supt.'s Report.

From Monday's daily.

After enjoying the Thanksgiving holidays the students of the schools and colleges have settled down to work. Today is important in the history of the public schools as it marks the opening of the new school building on South Virginia street. This handsome and commodious structure is a credit to the city, and to the trustees under whose intelligent and progressive plan it has been built, and the board could not be too highly praised for their enterprise and fidelity to duty in planning and making arrangements for its construction. It is a superb model of architectural beauty, and an ornament to the city. It is practically has four stories, having in addition to the two stories a large hall under the roof for entertainment and a finished basement with many day play rooms. The interior is perfectly appointed, equipped with all conveniences and modern appliances. It has a perfect system of ventilation and is heated by steam, and the temperature of the rooms controlled automatically. The building is a one up to six and one-half feet, with track above this, dressed stone trimmings and slate roof. Forbes & Bro. were the contractors. The building is a completed one over \$20,000.

The Second Congressional district teachers' association closed its sessions at Henderson Saturday afternoon after a meeting of the association at the next place of meeting, and Sup. McHenry Rhoads, of Owensboro, by a unanimous vote, as president. Vice president, L. W. Turner, of Seaford; secretary, T. H. Smith, of Madisonville; treasurer, Miss L. N. Harris, of Uniontown; executive committee, Mr. H. Newman, J. D. Kelly, H. L. Allen, Miss Elsie Worthington, and W. J. Craig, all of Owensboro. Among the Christian county educators present were Misses Katie McDonald, Jennie West, Kate M. Townes, Mattie Clark and Lizzie Smithson and Walter Wayland.

The State Superintendent of Schools E. C. Chesney has completed his biennial report, and makes the following recommendations to the legislature: That the third class teacher certificate be abolished; that the individual certificate be given to the holder of the certificate; that the county be divided into districts; that the present system of grading be changed so as to have only one trustee in a district, appointed by a county board of education; that this county board of education to consist of the county superintendent and one member from each legislative district, elected by the people on the regular quadrennial election; the members to give bond for the faithful performance of duty, and to be paid \$5 per day for each day they are actually in session in one year to be limited by statute; the board to be clothed with authority to build all school houses, purchase all material for same and to purchase all furniture and apparatus; also to have authority to employ all teachers except in graded school districts.

Don't forget to see Little Prickly Aches Bitters whenever the stomach or bowels are disordered. It quickly cures such troubles and makes you feel bright and cheerful. JAS. O. COOK.

PERSONAL NOTES.

From Monday's daily.

Dr. John D. Olmsted, of Newstead, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bonte, of Hopkinsville, arrived in the city last night to visit relatives--Owensboro local time.

Mr. R. A. Harrison, of Nashville, is visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. W. P. Wiatree.

Mr. M. F. Griffin went to Hopkinsville today. Paducah News-Democrat.

Miss Georgia Rushing, who came home to attend the wedding of her sister, Miss Mattie Rushing, to Capt. G. W. Phelps, of Hopkinsville, and has been the guest of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Rushing, left yesterday for Hopkinsville to resume her studies at the Bethel Female college--Owensboro local time.

Hon. J. W. Downer, of Hopkinsville, arrived in the city yesterday to visit the family of Mr. F. T. Gauthier. A news-bureau messenger.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reed entertained Mr. Geo. Kivich and bride Thanksgiving on route to their home in Nashville after a two weeks' visit North.

R. M. Arnold spent yesterday in Madisonville with some of the members of Co. D.

The Treble Clef club will meet Wednesday in December, 8:30 p. m. with Miss Rosalie Depp.

VICTIM OF APPENDICITIS.

Mrs. J. O. Bosley Dies at Her Home in
Pembroke.

Mrs. J. O. Bosley died at her home in Pembroke last week of appendicitis, after an illness of only a few days. Mrs. Bosley had a wide circle of relatives and friends in Christian county who mourn her sudden death.

A coated tongue, foul breath and clay-colored stools in the bowels suggest the use of Prickly Aches Bitters. It is just what for such ailments.

JAS. O. COOK.

SHERIFF OF TRIGG COUNTY
PUTS BULLET IN BRAIN

Committed Suicide While
At H. S. Desk.

A POPULAR OFFICER.

His Books Are Believed
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LEAVES A FAMILY.

(Special To New Era.)

OADIZ, Ky., Dec. 5.—M. Foster Pollard, sheriff of Trigg county, committed suicide this morning at ten o'clock, while sitting at his desk in his office. He had just finished writing a letter to the state auditor in which he had asked a check for money he had collected for taxes.

City Marshal Messer was sitting in the office looking over a newspaper. He crossed in reading, he had not looked in Mr. Pollard's direction until he heard the report of a pistol in the room.

He started by the sound, his spring to his feet, and as he did so, Sheriff Pollard, with a groan, fell from his chair to the floor, and a thirty-eight calibre revolver slipped from his finger.

He had placed the muzzle of the weapon under his right ear and pulled the trigger.

The ball sped through his brain and lodged against the top of the skull.

He was unconscious when Officer Messer reached him, but was not dead. He was moved to his residence where he expired a half an hour later.

It is supposed that his books are involved and that this was the motive of his suicide.

Final court at 11 this morning for the purpose of making a settlement with Mr. Pollard. The sheriff informed one of the magistrates half an hour before he shot himself that he was not going to turn over his books.

Mr. Pollard was one of the most popular men in the county. He was fifty-one years of age and leaves a wife and four children. He was a Presbyterian and was elected four years ago on a tax collector ticket. He ran for the office of county clerk this year on the Republican ticket but was defeated.

From Friday's daily.

George Carter, a section foreman on the Louisville and Nashville railroad, was shot in the back near Oakley Wednesday night and probably fatally wounded. Will Brown, a brakeman, is said to have done the shooting.

Freight train No. 31, about dark, had stalled on the hill south of Oakley and had backed into the station to get a start to make the grade. Mr. Carter boarded the train and rode up the grade, jumping off at the top of the hill. He started to walk back to the station, but had proceeded only a few yards when he was fired on three times from the rear end of the train. One of the bullets struck him in the back, and he fell to the ground. The train was stopped and the engine backed up to get a start to make the grade.

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CADIZ CULLINGS.

(The Record.)

The work of trying to get on the rail road is moving right along. They are now at work on the Joe Walker place, and expect to reach the Montgomery place house by Saturday evening. The first of next week you will see various signs of town boys marching off of the picket line evening to see the working of the locomotive.

Jack Hanberry, of Hopkinsville, sent his cousin Mr. of this city, word last week by Prentice Thomas that in the event of the death of the Pope of Rome, which is expected at any time, that he make the race for the vacancy.

We are not in favor of a man's wife trying to kill him by putting place like the Pope at it, even if he has been defrocked for some of the more important positions he has run for.

An attack on the business house of Bob Collins at Oatons last Friday night came very near being a serious consequence. Over a hundred shots were fired at the building and every window and door riddled with bullets. All the clerks were in the house at the time, and were compelled to seek protection and save their lives by dodging behind boxes, barrels, stoves and every conceivable object that would shield them from the bullets. No warrants have been issued or arrests made.

One of the largest deeds ever lodged for record in Trigg county was filed with County Clerk Gray last week. It is from Harrison, Simons, etc., to the Hillman Land and Iron Company, and includes many thousands of acres of mining and timbered land in Trigg, Lyon, Livingston and Hopkins counties. The Hillman land in this county recently sold to Harrison, at a part of the purchase. The consideration was \$500,000, and the stamp tax on the deed amounted to \$408.75.

The Trigg County Fiscal Court met in Oatons area Monday. Settlement with the Sheriff is the most important matter that will come before the board.

She Didn't Wear a Mask.

Her beauty was completely hidden by cover, blotches and pimples till she used Buckle's Astringent. Then they vanished as will all eruptions, fever sores, boils, ulcers, carbuncles and festers from its use. Infallible for cuts, corns, burns, scalds and piles. Only 25 cents. Guaranteed by Anderson & Fowler Co. W. J. J. Cook, L. L. Egan, etc.

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Last November Brown had a midnight duel with Tull Oakley. Keeper L. Smith, whose office he was burglarizing. He had tried to murder Mr. Smith before the latter could secure a pistol.

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CRUTCH-BOUND

The man with the crutch never fails to arouse the deepest sympathy and awaken the tenderest emotions of his more fortunate fellow being. The haggard countenance, swollen joints and twisted and deformed limbs tell a pathetic story of suffering such as Rheumatism alone can inflict. Only those who are painfully and slowly hobbling through life can fully realize what it means to be crutch-bound. They feel most keenly their helplessness and dependent condition when it dawns upon them that they are no longer workers but unwilling drones in the busy world.

Rheumatism should not be neglected because the pains at first are wandering and slight. These are only the rumblings of an approaching storm of pains and aches that may transfer you from a life of activity to the ranks of the crutch-bound cripples.

Rheumatism is due to acid, gritty particles being deposited in the joints, muscles and nerves by an impure and too-acid blood, and the strongest constitutions or muscles of iron and nerves of steel can long withstand these corroding poisons. They penetrate to every fibre of the body, and no liniment, lotion or other external application can reach and dislodge them.

Finally the natural oils are consumed when there is a creaking, grinding noise with every movement of the limbs, the joints become locked and immovable, the muscles wither or contract, the nervous system gives way and the patient becomes a physical wreck and crutch-bound cripple. Rubbing with liniments may produce counter-irritation and afford temporary ease, but they cannot reach and destroy these corrosive particles, which are daily forming in the blood.

The correct treatment—the true cure for Rheumatism—is a remedy that will dissolve and wash out this inflammatory matter and expel it from the system, and no medicine does this so promptly and thoroughly as S. S. S. It neutralizes and eliminates from the blood current all poisonous, noxious substances and makes the blood pure and strong again, and as it circulates through the body, all effete matter is gathered up and sent out through the proper channels. This rich new blood cools the feverish, throbbing muscles and joints and refreshes the tired nerves, and welcome relief comes to the wretched sufferer.

S. S. S. contains no Potash, Opium, Anodyne or mineral of any description, but is a Guaranteed Purely Vegetable Compound. The strong minerals that are usually prescribed in Rheumatic cases act very injuriously upon the lining tissues of the stomach, causing inflammation and a most distressing form of dyspepsia.

S. S. S. not only purifies the blood, but at the same time invigorates and tones up the whole system, increases the appetite, strengthens the digestion and restores the rheumatic sufferer to sound health again.

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**County Board Urged To
Take Action.**

**Spread Of Smallpox Fear-
ed.--Eruption Hospitals
Should Be Ready.**

At a meeting of the state board of health, it was decided to adopt stringent measures to prevent the spread of smallpox in the state this winter.

The secretary was instructed to issue an appeal to every county board of health in the state, asking that eruptive hospitals be erected and preparations made to fight the disease should it appear.

The secretary was also instructed to appeal to every person in the state who has not been vaccinated to conform to the law immediately.

According to the reports of the board smallpox is now prevalent in ten counties of the state. It is not expected that it will spread if the people conform to the law.

Dr. McCormick, however, says that the situation is critical, and that active measures are necessary at once to prevent the spread of the disease.

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