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25 YEARS AGO

From Mason News Dec. 14, 1894—

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wartenbach, a girl on the 11th. Mrs. Todd visited relatives in Brenham last week.

Mrs. P. C. Baird has returned after a visit in Llano.

Mrs. Elliot has returned from San Antonio where she went with her mother, Mrs. Kooek.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Muhl, a girl on the 11th.

Miss Constance Schmidt left Sunday for Kerrville to visit relatives for several weeks.

Marriage license—Max H. Reichenau and Miss Amelia Ruegger. Mrs. Anna Martin returned Sunday from a visit to relatives in Brenham.

H. Zork & Co., have on a sale of men's suits, selling from \$3.75 to \$8.00.

15 YEARS AGO

From Mason News, Dec. 9, 1904—

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rurgner, a boy on the 2nd. Cap Bellows and B. L. Thorne left last week for Ballinger to sell washing machines.

Dr. R. J. Baze left Monday for San Antonio to assist in the breaking and resetting of Max Reichenau's leg.

Little Ruth Reeder was struck in the head Thursday of last week by a baseball and severely hurt.

Marriage license—W. J. Johnson and Mrs. Ada Gallegley; J. W. Baze and Miss Verdie Fikes.

A. Tinsley and S. B. Kendrick each secured a big buck on their hunt last week.

The News is in receipt of an invitation to the wedding of Miss Lena Arminta and Mr. Bernhard C. Kassel, to take place on the 15th in Chicago.

Max Bogusch was quite painfully hurt last Thursday while playing baseball.

Money to Lend—Runge & Runge

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WITH J. S. KING, THE JEWELER

PUBLIC SPEAKING

Judge Ed R. Kone from the State Department of Agriculture will be in Mason Friday and Saturday, December 11 and 12. He will speak to the students of the Mason High School on Friday, and will make a public address Saturday afternoon at two o'clock at the court house. Everybody invited.

 * Men with the intellect of *
 * a moderate sized rabbit by *
 * means of a Bank Account *
 * have become rich. Men of *
 * brilliant intellects without a *
 * Bank Account have become *
 * poor. *
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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father Mrs. Aug. Puenneke and Children.

Exquisite Norris Box Chocolates at Vedder Drug Co.

Strikes are common enough—but this orphan's Great Prune Strike in "Daddy Long Legs" takes the sandwiches and cider.

F. W. Lemburg, Sec. and Treas. of the Stroud Motor Co., reports having sold Stroud stock to quite a number of new stockholders during his recent visit to Mason.

Chocolate Almonds, Burnt Almonds, Marshmallows, Hershey's Chocolates at Vedder Drug Co.

Walton Reynolds left the first of the week for Galveston to be out of town several days on business.

The News \$1.50 per year, and is worth it.

Don't forget the show at the Star Opera House each Saturday night. The show starts promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

GIRL OF PRUNES AND SOUP AND CHILD OF MEATS AND SWEETS IN "DADDY LONG LEGS"

Orphan Waifs and Silk-clad Children Contrasted in First Production by Mary Pickford's Own Company

Startling is the comparison in the rearing of children as pictured in "Daddy Long Legs," screen version of the celebrated story by Jean Webster, and the newest Mary Pickford super-feature which will be shown at the Star Opera House on January 1. Miss Pickford has the role of Judy Abbott, a child who has been thrown upon the world a few hours after birth by her unknown parents. She is found, a wee pathetic bundle in an ash can, by a policeman. She is taken to the John Grier Orphan Asylum, where she is given a name from the telephone book.

Prunes—Soup—Soup—Prunes

Then she starts a life which is one meal of prunes and thin soup after another. Clad in the eternal striped gingham and forced to take the cuffs of an inhuman head matron who never smiles or says a kind word unless the trustees are due, Judy becomes a twin sister to rebellion.

In contrast to her rearing is shown the life of Angelica Wycokoff, a hot house flower, who has had from her birth every luxury and comfort to give her a most disagreeable disposition. Later, when the little orphan girl is given her big chance to go to college, and to choose between the love of two fine men, the former visitor at the home, Angelica, who tried to bully Judy as a child, rises to haunt the asylum girl with whisperings of her past.

\$40,000 cash was paid by Mary Pickford for the screen rights to the play "Daddy Long Legs."

WILLIE MAE LAND

Died at her home in our city Saturday morning at 6:50 o'clock Little Miss Willie Mae Land daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harver Land, aged 9 years and 20 days. Her death was caused from typhoid-pneumonia.

Thus over a happy home the shadow of a little grave has fallen; and as another has said, it is wonderful how long a shadow a little grave can throw. We feel the emptiness of human words in times of bitter sorrow, yet he who has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows will comfort and sustain. Above all should come the comforting thought that the gentle child has been spared our cares and sorrows that her memory but forms another cord to draw her loved ones to the brighter home beyond.

Loving hands tenderly laid the little form to rest in the Gooch cemetery on Saturday afternoon at four o'clock. Rev. Rader conducted the funeral services.

The NEWS joins the many friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Land in offering sympathy in their great bereavement.

I will go right straight to the Mason Drug Company and buy an Edison for Xmas.

HIGH SCHOOL PLAY

The Mason High School will present the play "Scenes in a Union Depot" at the Star Opera House Thursday night, December 18, 1919. Admission 35 cents. Reserved seats 50 cents. Show will start at 7:45.

Seats on sale at Vedder Drug Company.

You may have seen funnier films than the first two reels of "Daddy Long Legs"—but we haven't.

BAPTIST SERVICES

Rev. E. L. Springer will hold services at the Baptist church on Saturday night at 7 o'clock Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday night at 7 o'clock. All invited.



CAMELS are in a class by themselves—easily the most refreshing, the most likable cigarette you ever smoked. You can prove that! Simply compare Camels puff-by-puff with any cigarette in the world at any price! Put quality, flavor and cigarette satisfaction to the utmost test!

Made to meet your taste, Camels never tire it, no matter how liberally you smoke them! The expert blend of choice Turkish and choice Domestic tobaccos makes Camels delightful—so full-bodied, yet so fascinatingly smooth and mellow-mild. Every time you light one you get new and keener enjoyment!

Freedom from any unpleasant cigaretty after taste or any unpleasant cigaretty odor makes Camels as unusual as they are enjoyable.

In fact, Camels appeal to the most fastidious smoker in so many new ways you never will miss the absence of coupons, premiums or gifts. You'll prefer Camel Quality!

Cigarettes

STOMACH TROUBLE

Mr. Marion Holcomb, of Nancy, Ky., says: "For quite a long while I suffered with stomach trouble. I would have pains and a heavy feeling after my meals, a most disagreeable taste in my mouth. If I ate anything with butter, oil or grease, I would spit it up. I began to have regular sick headache. I had used pills and tablets, but after a course of these, I would be constipated. It just seemed to tear my stomach all up. I found they were no go at all for my trouble. I heard

THE FORD'S

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recommended very highly, so began to use it. It cured me. I keep it in the house all the time. It is the best liver medicine made. I do not have sick headache or stomach trouble any more." Black-Draught acts on the jaded liver and helps it to do its important work of throwing out waste materials and poisons from the system. This medicine should be in every household for use in time of need. Get a package today. If you feel sluggish, take a dose tonight. You will feel fresh tomorrow. Price 25c a package. All druggists.

ONE CENT A DOSE

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HOERSTER--JORDAN

On Wednesday evening last at the M. E. Church South at 7 o'clock, occurred the marriage of Mr. Dan J. Hoerster and Miss Pearl Laura Jordan.

Proceeding the ceremony Miss Louise Gross sang very sweetly "Ours Fleeting Hour". As the beautiful strains of the wedding march rendered by Miss Maybelle Long led through the arched bride party entered, proceeded by Rev. Henry Jordan who spoke the words which united the two hearts for the remainder of life's journey.

The bride was attired in a beautiful field mouse chiffon broad crepe suit with accessories to match. The groom and groomsmen Mr. M. T. Plueneke, wore the usual conventional black. Miss Bertha Jordan, maid of honor, looked most charming in a navy blue suit with accessories to match.

Miss Long at the piano, played "At the End of a Perfect Day" throughout the ceremony.

The happy marriage was witnessed by many immediate relatives and a few invited friends of the contracting parties. Shortly after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Hoerster repaired to the Howard Smith residence which the groom has rented and had elegantly furnished, awaiting the arrival of his bride.

The pretty and lovable bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jordan. She is a young lady of many graces of mind and person and is a leader in church and so-

cial circles of this city. She is capable of filling the home she will adorn with happiness and will prove to be a truly helpful and companion for the husband she has chosen to honor with her hand.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoerster and by those who know him, he is considered a very worthy and highly respected young man. He holds a responsible position in the Commercial Bank of this city.

The congratulations on the happy event are numerous and the NEWS wishes to add its hearty good wishes to those being so freely extended.

GET MORE EGGS

By Feeding Martin's Egg Producer. Double your money back in eggs or your money back in cash. Martin's Roup Cure cures roup and all fowl complaints. Guaranteed by Mason Drug Co. 2-5

Mrs. H. F. Kothmann was an agreeable caller at the News office while in town Wednesday. Mrs. Kothmann expects to leave in a short time for a visit with her sister in New Orleans.

E. L. Horton is local representative of the Stroud Motor Manufacturing Ass'n. Parties interested in buying stock in this Ass'n will find Mr. Horton willing at all times to explain and give full information. n271f

Use your phone and tell the News the news. Phone 57.

John Hubbard was in Mason Saturday from his farm north of town. He says that his father is better satisfied with New Mexico and will likely remove to Mason as he formerly anticipated.

WANT YOUR FURS

I am in the market for furs of all kinds. Will pay best prices at all times. See me at Hofmann's ware house. A. L. Simon. d4p

WOMAN SPEAKER TELLS OF CONDITIONS IN SOUTH AMERICA

MRS. IDA CLYDE CLARKE, TRAVELER OF WIDE EXPERIENCE, FINDS EXCEPTIONAL FIELD FOR WORK AMONG WOMEN.

By Mary Corner Raymond

With contagious humor and in picturesque descriptive style, Mrs. Ida Clyde Clarke, newspaper woman, traveler, magazine writer, author and contributing editor to Pictorial Review, held a delighted audience in smiles and wrapt attention at the evening session of the Southwestern field con-

ference of the Y. W. C. A. at Dallas while she related her experiences and observations during a six months' trip in South America. Her subject was "The Challenge of South America to the Y. W. C. A."

True to her newspaper training and the characteristic temperament of the newspaper writer—ready for any emergency, from a fire to a sudden trip to South America—Mrs. Clarke picked up her hat and handbags on short notice and went to South America last January with a commission of three other women sent by the national board of the Y. W. C. A. to study the conditions and needs of women and girls in the Southern continent. Many appeals had come to the national board to send Y. W. C. A. workers to South America. As it is the policy of the association never to send workers anywhere for permanent work without first making an investigation as to the practicability of the enterprise, Mrs. Clarke, because of her experience as a traveler, was asked to be a member of this survey commission.

On the principal that a newspaper woman may go anywhere or do anything within the law, no matter what the traditions or customs of a country may be, Mrs. Clarke met presidents and diplomats, women of high and low degrees; made trips into countries where she was told women travelers never went alone, and everywhere, she said, she was treated with characteristic Latin courtesy. In every country she was struck with the immense wealth and culture of the higher classes, a universal eagerness for the progressive methods of North America, a universal desire for social and welfare work among women, and with it all she marveled at the vast resources of the country—forests of mahogany untouched by the ax and territory visited by no commercial enterprise except packers.

Social work among girls and women is as undeveloped as many of the natural resources of the country, she said, and the much-abused packers are doing in some places for their girl and women employes Y. W. C. A. work—not in the name of the Y. W. C. A., to be sure, for there is no organization there; but the heads of packing industries are trying to meet some of the needs the Y. W. C. A. meets with employed girls in the United States. The Y. W. C. A., she said, is also doing as far as it can Y. W. C. A. work because there is so much need of work for women.

The efforts of the men to provide opportunities for girls such as they have in North America were humorously illustrated by an enterprise undertaken in Brazil. A young President of one of the States of Brazil visited the United States and was greatly impressed with advantages afforded girls here. Like a regular Ad Clubber or Rotarian, he went back to his home city, interested all the other progressive young business men and they built a school for girls. It was elaborately equipped for teaching domestic science, thinking that first of all girls should be trained to be homemakers. Courses were announced for "graduate wifehood and motherhood." The school, plenty of money to conduct it, pupils—everything but teachers were found. Again they turned to the United States and got a faculty of young women about 21 years of age to teach wifehood and motherhood. The school is now closed and the "faculty" have sought more suitable vocations.

At Rio Janeiro, a city of 1,000,000 population, she said, were 20,000 employed women and not a building where such a woman might have lunch, while every third door is a coffee house for men. "When eating in your scientific cafeterias and in the lunch-rooms provided by factories and department stores for women employes, think of the girls of Rio Janeiro, eating a sandwich and a banana wherever they can find a spot to stand or sit.

The one thing the matter with the woman movement in South America," Mrs. Clarke said, "is that it has no self-starter.

"If I were free to do so, I should go to South America tomorrow to help do the social and welfare work among girls and women that all classes of women are asking for."

Attending the conference were representative women from Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico. Much interest was manifested in the conditions as described by Mrs. Clarke and the appeal made to extend the work of the Young Women's Christian Association in South America. Members of the Association and other interested women in the Southwest will co-operate with the National Y. W. C. A. in sending Y. W. C. A. secretaries to establish permanent work in new centers in the Southern Continent.

A MISTAKE

You often hear the remark made that a nickle won't buy anything now days. The News' want ad rates are a nickle a line. Invest a few nickles in a want ad in the News and you will find out just how much a nickle will do.

LATEST

Phonograph Records

Just received, over 400 Phonograph Records, including the latest popular Songs, also

- ORCHESTRA RECORDS
- BAND RECORDS
- COMIC RECORDS
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We also handle the celebrated

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THE NEXT TO GO

FIGHT TUBERCULOSIS!
Red Cross Christmas Seal Campaign

This is the poster selected by the the National Tuberculosis Association officials for the Red Cross Christmas Seal sale. It will appear throughout the country on the eve of the seal sale—Dec. 1-10.

Will Not be One Day Without

PE-RU-NA

This Lady TELLS Her FRIENDS

Mrs. Mary Fricke, 507 Bornman St., Belleville, Ill., is just one of the many thousands of ladies throughout the country who, after an agony of years, have at last found health, strength and vigor in PE-RU-NA.

Her own words tell of her suffering and recovery better than we can do it: "I suffered with my stomach, had awful cramps and headaches so I often could not lay on a pillow. Saw your book, tried PE-RU-NA and got good results from the first bottle. To be sure of a cure I took twelve bottles. I have recommended PE-RU-NA to my friends and all are well pleased with results. I will not be one day without PE-RU-NA. Have not had a doctor since I started with PE-RU-NA, which was about fifteen years ago. I am now sixty-three years old, hale, hearty and well. Can do as much work as my daughters. I feel strong and healthy and weigh near two hundred pounds. Before, I weighed as little as one hundred. I hope lots of people use PE-RU-NA and get the results I did." An experience like that of Mrs. Fricke is an inspiration to every sick and suffering woman.



If you have catarrh, whether it be of the nose, throat, stomach, bowels, or other organs, PE-RU-NA is the remedy. It is not new; it is not an experiment. PE-RU-NA has been tried. PE-RU-NA has been used by thousands who once were sick and are now well. To prevent coughs, colds, grip and influenza and to hasten recovery there is nothing better.

PE-RU-NA will improve the appetite and digestion, purify the blood, sooth the irritated mucous linings, eradicate the waste material and corruption from the system. It will tone up the nerves, give you health, strength, vigor and the joy of living. Do what Mrs. Mary Fricke and thousands more have done—try PE-RU-NA. You will be glad, happy, thankful.

Tablet or Liquid. Sold Everywhere.

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- SIGNET RINGS
- LAVALLIERS. BRACELETS
- BRACELET WATCHES
- BRUCHES. CUFF LINKS
- WATCH FOBS. NECK CHAINS
- SCARF PINS
- LA TUSCA PEARL
- GILLETTE RAZORS
- WATCHES & CLOCKS
- CUT GLASS & SILVERWARE
- IVORY TOILET SETS
- IVORY MANICURE SETS

BEFORE BUYING INSPECT A FIRST-CLASS LINE

J. S. King

Jeweler

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BURT'S SALVE

Burt's Salve, formerly called Burt's Cure is especially compounded for the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ring worm, and Tetter, and is sold by the druggist on the strict guarantee that the purchase price, 75c, will be promptly refunded to any dissatisfied customer. Try Burt's Salve at our risk. For sale locally by VEDDER DRUG CO.

THREE GREAT FACTORY PRODUCTS

The Stroud "All-in-One" Tractor The Stroud Truck The Stroud Passenger Car

You can have a part and voice in the building of these, the latest and best in motor driven machines, and also share in the large profits they earn, by investing in shares of the Stroud Motor Manufacturing Association.

STOCK SOON TO ADVANCE FROM \$10 PER SHARE TO \$12.50 PER SHARE Factory Now Building

Fill out the attached coupon and mail it today to E. L. Horton, Mason, Texas, and you will be told all about it.

 * E. L. Horton, Agent,
 * Mason, Texas.
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 * Dear Sir—I am interested in the shares of the Stroud
 * Motor Manufacturing Association, of San Antonio, Texas and
 * would like further information. This does not obligate me
 * in any way.
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 * Name
 * Address
 * Business
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E. L. HORTON, Mason County Representative
Stroud Motor Manufacturing Association
San Antonio, Texas

HIGH SCHOOL PLAY
 The Mason High School will present the play "Seems in a Union Depot" at the Star Opera House Thursday night, December 18, 1919. Admission 35 cents. Reserved seats 50 cents. Show will start at 7:45.
 Seats on sale at Vedder Drug Company.
 Elegant Line of French Ivory at Vedder Drug Co.
 Money to Lend—Runge & Runge

Buy your holiday goods early. We have the biggest assortment in town Vedder Drug Co.
 Mary Pickford herself says that "Daddy Long Legs" is her greatest picture—and she couldn't afford to say so unless she felt certain the public would agree with her.
 Christmas goods of every description at our store
 Mason Drug Company

Gates Double-Mileage Tires. Walker & Walker
 The News is in receipt of a letter from J. W. Butler, asking us to change his paper from Clifton to Fort Worth, where he is located temporarily. Mr. Butler is now Vice-President of the State Department of Banks and Bankers, and later will make Galveston his home.
 We are ready at any and all times to fill your prescriptions.
 Vedder Drug Co.

Bituminous coal mines east of the Mississippi River in 1917 made "what might be termed fabulous profits," the general average being from 100 to 150 per cent on invested capital, according to a statement issued Thursday by Secretary Glass, on data furnished by experts of the internal revenue bureau.
 Declaring there is "no legal foundation nor principle of international law" upon which the United States bases its demand for the immediate release of William O. Jenkins, United States consular agent at Puebla, the Mexican government through Hilario Medina, undersecretary of foreign relations, Wednesday stated it was impossible to accede to the request of the American state department.

AN XMAS GIFT
 Suitable and appropriate for your mother, father, wife, husband, sister, brother, sweetheart or baby. What? Why an Ever Sharp Pencil. (In Gold or Silver.) Price from \$1.00 to \$4.00. Buy one before they are all sold. See Vedder Drug Co. at once.
 lions against the spread of the cattle fever tick and tick fever by order of the department of agriculture were announced Monday by the bureau of animal industry as follows: Bowie, Hamilton, Llano, Madison, Menard, Tarrant and Van Zandt, and the remainder of Johnson, Hood, McCullough and Parker.

PROGRAM AT THE STAR THEATRE

SATURDAY NIGHT December 13 ALICE JOYCE in "LION AND THE MOUSE" 6 reel feature ADM 10-15-20 CENTS	SATURDAY NIGHT December 20 HARRY MOREY in "SILENT STRENGTH" 5 reel feature ADM 10-15-20 CENTS	SATURDAY NIGHT December 27 ANITA STEWART in "SHADOWS OF THE PAST" 5 reel feature ADM 10-15-20 CENTS
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THURSDAY NIGHT, DECEMBER 25

Feeling that our patrons prefer something special for the holiday season, we have secured "Daring Hearts" to be screened on the night of December 25th. This is a 5 reel feature starred by Francis X. Bushman and Beverley Baynes. The expense of this picture will necessitate our charging 35 cents admission for all. [7 years and up]

THURSDAY NIGHT, JANUARY 1

"Daddy Long Legs" starred by Mary Pickford in 7 reels, will be shown on New Year's night. Admission 50 cents. [7 years and up.] This is a high-priced picture, it has been very highly recommended to us and we have had many requests to show it. People who have seen it say everybody should see it. Show will start at 7 o'clock sharp.

SATURDAY NIGHT
January 3
GLADYS LESLIE in
"MISS DULCIE FROM DIXIE"
5 reel feature
ADM. 10-15-20 CENTS

SATURDAY NIGHT
January 10
ALICE JOYCE in
"THE CAMBRIC MASK"
5 reel feature
ADM. 10-15-20 CENTS

Desertions from the army from March 1 to November 17 of this year averaged more than 800 per month, with less than 15 per cent of the men apprehended, the war department announced this week.

The government served notice on soft coal miners and operators Friday that interference with coal production would not be tolerated. Warning that legal prosecution would be employed to thwart conspiracies by either side and troops sent wherever necessary to protect miners willing to work, came from the department of justice after members of the cabinet had considered every phase of the fuel situation, admittedly critical, in view of the abrupt breaking off of negotiations.

General Pershing will leave Washington December 3 to begin his nationwide inspection of the military resources of the country. He will visit the Southeastern department first. He then will go to the Southern department, visiting the district adjacent to the Mexican border.

A final study of the selective draft records, made public Tuesday, fixes the military strength of the United States at 18,000,000 in potential manpower. Registrations for the draft between the ages of 18 and 45 totaled 18,908,576, almost 80 per cent of whom were listed as "physically fit for military service."

STATE AND DOMESTIC NEWS.
 Texas counties released December 1 from the federal quarantine restric-

Texas won an initial victory in the Red River boundary fight between Oklahoma and Texas Sunday when the United States attorney general's department refused to back Oklahoma in her suit before the supreme court. Claims in the suit involve 64,000 acres of the richest of the oil lands. The land is being controlled by a receiver appointed by Texas courts.

The strike of railway switchmen at Kansas City, which began Saturday, was called off by the strikers Sunday.

That a meteor of tremendous size plunged into Lake Michigan Wednesday night caused earth tremors felt in a dozen Southern Michigan cities, and sending a pillar of flame hundreds of feet into the air which was visible for a radius of more than fifty miles, is the theory generally accepted in explanation of the earth shock which at first was believed to have been caused by a terrific explosion at some industrial plant.

Vanderbilt University at Nashville, Tenn., has been given \$4,000,000 by the general education board to effect an entire reorganization of its medical school, it was announced Thursday.

With several thousand of the 6000 teachers in attendance on the meeting of the State Teachers' Association today, Dr. R. E. Vinson, president of the University of Texas, was elected president of the association at a business meeting in the auditorium, Houston, Texas, Friday.

Toilet and Manicure sets at Mason Drug Company

The Snappiest Clothes Exhibit in This "Neck o' the Woods"

That's what the boys tell us.

We specialize in dressing up the young fellows and men who like to look young. Quite often we are told, "You're as new as the city in style and in prices have them beat a mile." But you needn't take our word for it--just ask some of the careful dressers around you--see if they don't trade with us.

Too, Hart Schaffner & Marx and Style Pants and Overcoats are always worth the money--your money back anytime you think they're not.

Our showing of Suits and Overcoats, Hats, Caps, Shirts, Shoes, Neckwear and other furnishings are much out of the ordinary. Phone or write us an order--it will have the best attention. Or better still, come to see us.



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STEHLING BROS.

Men's Furnishers and Tailors
FREDERICKSBURG

Victor for the sixth time in more than a quarter of a century of inter-collegiate play over its ancient rival, Texas A. and M. Thursday at College Station, Texas, wound up a remarkable football season by defeating the University of Texas 7 to 0.

The Southern Newspaper Publishers' Association, meeting at Birmingham, Ala., Monday, to consider the white paper problem, agreed that consumption must be curtailed of the smaller newspapers are to survive.

Take in the picture show at the Star Opera House each Saturday night. You'll enjoy it. The show starts promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

John Rogers and little son were pleasant callers at the News office Saturday. Mr. Rogers says that worms are not so bad with stock as they have been.

CANDY

Due to the shortage of sugar, buy your Christmas candy while we have it.

Mason Drug Company

Dave Gibbs was in Mason Saturday from the Fredonia section. Dave says that the cotton crop is not more than half gathered in that section.

Ajax Road King, white rubber tires. Walker & Walker.

PRESCRIPTIONS

Accurately compounded day and night at Mason Drug Co.

We now have a complete line of Christmas toys on display at Mason Drug Company

Overland

Tested 250,000 Miles

Three-Point Cantilever Springs
Greatest Improvement
Since Pneumatic Tires

250,000 miles of mountain trails, desert sand, heat, cold, mud and dust demonstrated the quality of every part of the car long before it was offered to the public.

Come in and see this car.
Ask for demonstration.

McCollum Auto Co.

URGE RED CROSS SEAL DAY IN ALL SCHOOLS

Surgeon General Blue Asks That Churches Also Join in Movement to Further Sale

Surgeon General Rupert Blue has issued an appeal to observe Christmas Seal Day in the schools and in all places of worship in the United States, December 5, 6 and 7. The appeal follows:

"Over one hundred and fifty thousand Americans die annually from tuberculosis. This is an appalling waste of life when we consider that tuberculosis is classed as a preventable disease. Moreover, because this loss of life occurs almost entirely in the ranks of the young adult population, health authorities the world over have come to consider the control of tuberculosis as still the most pressing health problem confronting them. Every year the National Tuberculosis Association, by selling Red Cross Christmas seals, raises a considerable sum of money to be used in a nation wide campaign to combat tuberculosis. This year a special effort is being made to interest school children in this work and December fifth, sixth and seventh have been designated as days on which the seals are to be sold in the public schools, synagogues and churches. Because of the seriousness of the situation, I trust that the campaign this year will be particularly successful.

"RUPERT BLUE, Surgeon General, United States Public Health Service".

CHRISTMAS SEAL FUNDS

Within two weeks over a billion Red Cross Christmas Seals will be on sale in every nook and corner of the United States. These seals are sold to finance the campaign against tuberculosis in this country. Of every dollar received from the sale of Red Cross Christmas Seals, 91.7c remains in the state where the seals are sold for the benefit of the organized anti-tuberculosis campaign in that state.

Out of the remaining 8.3%, the expenses of running the campaign are first deducted, and whatever is left is then divided between the American Red Cross and the National Tuberculosis Association.

The Red Cross Christmas Seal campaign is not for the purpose of financing the work of the American Red Cross or its chapters. It is for the purpose of financing the National Tuberculosis Association and the various state tuberculosis associations. The

Red Cross Christmas Seal, launched in 1908 by the American Red Cross, has been issued in the name of the Red Cross since that date. In March 1919 the American Red Cross agreed to allow the National Tuberculosis Association to use its name and emblem on the usual Christmas seal. This year the Red Cross has no other part in the Tuberculosis Seal Campaign. The Red Cross Seal is a Tuberculosis Seal. Those who buy it are supporting the tuberculosis work in their own communities.

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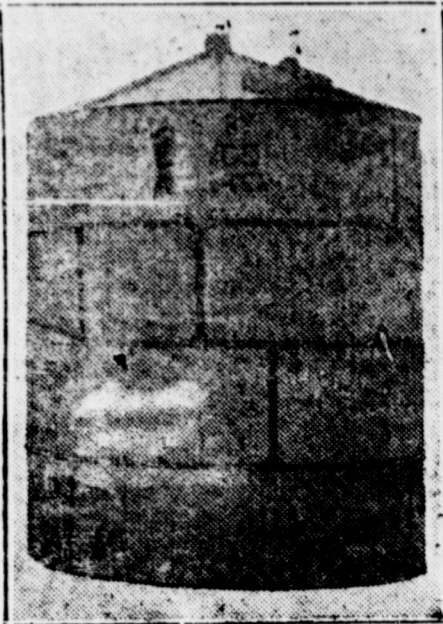
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leo, at 6:35 a. m. Wednesday. How-
ever, he had never recognized the
present government as representing
Mexico.

The specific charge against Angeles
was rebellion. He was found guilty by
four Carranza generals, sitting as a
court-martial at Chihuahua City, at
10:45 o'clock Tuesday night, after a
session that had lasted almost contin-
uously for approximately thirty-nine
hours.

Juarez.—General Felipe Angeles and
his two companions, Major Encisco de
Arce, and Soldier Antonia Trillo, cap-
tured near Parral, Chihuahua, Novem-
ber 15, by Major Gabino Sandival,
were found guilty by a court-martial
at Chihuahua City Tuesday and sen-
tenced to be shot at noon Wednesday,
according to information received by
Judge Gonzales Medina of the Mexican
federal court Tuesday.

The formal charge against the pris-
oner was that of rebellion against the
Carranza government.

The sentence was not carried out,
it was said, because the attorneys for
Angeles appealed to the federal court
at Juarez and the supreme court of
Mexico at Mexico City for a stay of
execution by applying for a writ of
habeas corpus.

The Juarez court denied the appeal.
Judge Medina holding his court had
no jurisdiction and the supreme court
was the only tribunal which could act.
Besides the supreme court, President
Carranza also could save the condem-
ned men with a pardon.

It was said by court officials that if
the supreme court granted the applica-
tion it simply means that court will
only review the proceedings of the
court-martial and that if no errors are
found it will mean carrying out of the
sentence, unless Carranza intervenes.
Carranza already has many petitions
seeking clemency for General Angeles.

General Angeles, intellectual leader
of the Villista movement and famous
throughout the world as an artillery
expert, went to trial Monday.
For three hours General Angeles
faced the military court of four Car-
ranza generals and defended the ac-
tions of himself and his companions.
Two of the four men captured with
him already have been executed by
Carranza soldiers. The soldier, Trillo,
on trial with Angeles, is but 17 years
old.

During his address to the court Gen-
eral Angeles praised America and
Americans. In this connection he was
reported to have said:

"The Mexican people always viewed
with dislike and apprehension the
great American nation; always being
brought up to believe their powerful
neighbors are harboring thoughts of
our conquest. Nothing is more er-
roneous.

"Our great neighboring nation, head-
ed by its great president, Mr. Wilson,
has only kindest feeling for us and
our welfare. It is often said here that

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casion. Those present to enjoy
the dinner and to congratulate
Mrs. Martin on her 76th anniver-
sary were—Rev. and Mrs. Peters,
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Sundays at 11 a. m. and 6:45 p. m.
Grit, 3rd Sunday at 2:30 p. m.
Loyal Valley, 4th Sunday at
11 a. m. and 6:45 p. m.
Prayermeeting at Mason each
Wednesday at 7 p. m.

Roy G. Rader, P. C.
Rev. Gregory, Presiding Elder,
will be in Mason on December 18
to hold quarterly conference. The
conference will be at 2 o'clock in
the afternoon. Night services at
7 o'clock.

FIRST SESSION OF FIRING SQUAD TAKES 66TH CONGRESS ENDS LIFE OF GEN. ANGELES

Important Legislation Was Exacted at Extraordinary Session.

Washington.—While consideration
of the treaty of Versailles was the
outstanding event of the first session
of the sixty-sixth congress—the first
in six years in which republicans have
controlled both branches—considera-
ble important legislation was com-
pleted and many other measures prepared
for disposal when the regular meeting
begins Dec. 1.

The session closing Thursday was
an extraordinary one convened May
19 under a call cabled from Paris by
President Wilson to consider, primar-
ly, the appropriation bills which failed
at the session ending last March 3.
Among the principal legislative
achievements were:

Submission of the woman suffrage
constitutional amendment to the states
for ratification.

The prohibition enforcement bill,
providing for enforcing wartime and
constitutional prohibition, passed over
President Wilson's veto.

The act repealing the daylight sav-
ing law, also passed over the presi-
dent's veto.

Providing for return of telegraph,
telephone and cable wire lines to
private operation.

Continuing government control of
dyes to Jan. 15 next.

Extension of the Lever food and
fuel control law to clothing and other
necessaries and penalizing hoarding
and profiteering.

Granting permanent rank to General
Pershing.

Providing for demobilizing the army
to a peace basis of approximately
200,000 men, pending permanent peace-
time legislation.

Authorizing completion of the gov-
ernment railroads in Alaska.

Continuing wartime passport restric-
tions so as to prevent an influx of
radical aliens.

Ten appropriation bills, aggregating
about \$3,000,000,000, also were passed.
They included \$750,000,000 for the rail-
road administration, \$772,000,000 for
the army, \$616,000,000 for the navy,
and a sundry civil budget of \$613,
000,000.

The French treaty, providing an
American guarantee to assist France
in the event of unprovoked German
aggression was submitted to the sen-
ate by the president July 29, after
demand from senate republicans, but
still remains in the foreign relations
committee.

Another treaty, the Panama Canal
settlement with Colombia, proposing
payment of \$25,000,000 by the United
States, also remains in committee.

Several important legislative mea-
sures went over for final action at the
regular session.

The oil, coal, gas and phosphate
land leasing bill was passed by both
bodies and remains in conference, as
does the Edge bill authorizing organ-
ization of corporations to help finance
American export trade.

The Esch railroad bill passed the
house and will be taken up with the
senate interstate commerce commit-
tee's bill at the December session. The
house also passed and sent to the
senate bills providing for development
of waterpower projects, for the estab-
lishment of a federal budget system,
and providing a permanent govern-
ment shipping policy.

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Revolutionary Leader Is Executed as Traitor to the Mexican Government.

El Paso, Tex.—General Felipe An-
geles, Mexican revolutionary leader
and enemy of the Carranza govern-
ment, declared a patriot by his follow-
ers and friends, was executed as a
traitor to the Mexican government by
a firing squad at Chihuahua City, Mex.



Mrs. W. H. Neill and baby are
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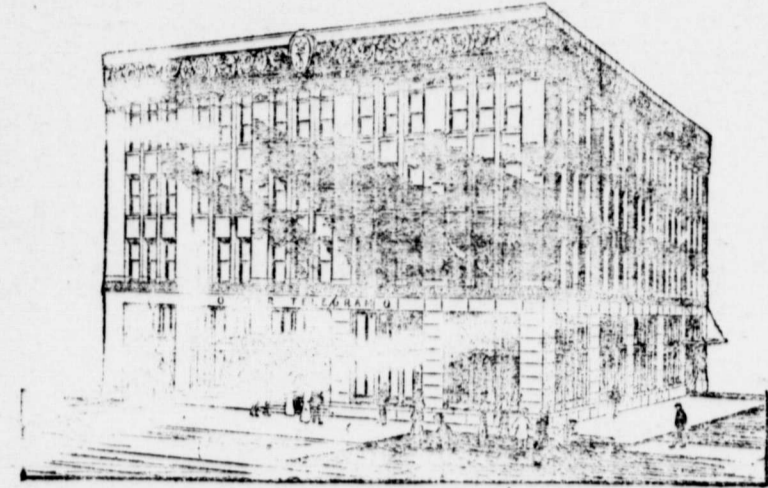
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Holding that the authority of the railroad administration over rates, schedules and classifications was necessary to enable it to promptly meet operating emergencies arising during the existing period of heavy traffic, President Wilson Tuesday vetoed the senate bill restoring prewar rate making powers of the interstate commerce commission.

Compromise moves to rescue the peace treaty from a threatened deadlock made such progress this week that its friends declared it had more than an even chance for life.

The government by an opinion Monday in the supreme court won its fight to have cancelled patents for 6000 acres of California oil land, valued at \$10,000,000, alleged to have been obtained by the Southern Pacific Company.

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15,384 Officers and Men Decorated.
Washington.—From the passage by congress in July, 1918, of an act authorizing the acceptance of foreign medals and insignia 15,384 officers and enlisted men of the American army have been decorated by powers associated with the United States in the world war, the annual report of the adjutant general, Major General P. C. Harris, issued this week, shows.

Big Gas Field Discovered.
Pittsburgh, Pa.—Drillers and gas experts who have inspected the new gas field in South Versailles township, near McKeesport, expressed the opinion that it was one of the best producing regions in the United States. In the three months since the first "strike" was made, the field has produced more than \$1,000,000 worth of gas.

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New York.—The first of four aerial freighters, capable of carrying from 3000 to 6000 pounds, is under construction for the air mail service at College Point, Long Island, it was announced this week.

Kentucky Voted Dry.
Frankfort, Ky.—Kentucky voted itself "dry" at the state election by a majority of 10,716, according to official count completed Tuesday of the vote cast Nov. 4 on a prohibition amendment to the state constitution.

Big Air Freighters Planned.
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Welfare Commission.
Austin, Tex.—The industrial welfare commission will hold a public hearing at San Antonio Dec. 11-13, inclusive, according to announcement today by Mrs. Frances E. Sutherland, secretary of the commission.

Valley Cabbage \$55 Per Ton.
San Benito, Tex.—The first carload of cabbage of the season from the Lower Rio Grande valley, was shipped Thursday from Olmito, 10 miles south of San Benito. It comprised 12 tons and was sold in Houston at \$55 a ton f. o. b. Olmito.

Many Young Men and Women Offer Themselves For Christian Service

Southern Baptists Will Have Ample Working Force for New Program—Campaign Hopes to Strengthen Local Churches and Win 2,500,000 Lost to Christ During Next Five Years.



Group of Young Women Volunteers, Preparing Themselves for Special Christian Service at Baptist Women's Training School, Fort Worth, Texas.

Probably the most encouraging development that has come to the Baptist 75 Million Campaign, so far, is the large number of young men and women throughout the South and Southwest who have volunteered their services for special Christian work wherever God may need them. A special day was set apart in the Baptist schools and churches for "calling out the called," when it was expected to secure a minimum of 5,000 volunteers for special Christian service, this number being necessary, it was held, if the enlarged program of the campaign was to be carried out. Returns from these services are still coming in with the prospect that the number will reach at least 7,500.

These volunteers will enter the ministry, go as missionaries, Christian doctors, nurses and teachers to foreign lands, labor in the homeland for the advancement of the kingdom of God or serve in any special capacity where they feel the Lord directs them. Baylor College, Belton, Texas, an institution for young women, led the list of schools with 430 volunteers; Bessie Tift College, Forsythe, Ga., responded with 248; Louisiana College, Pineville, La., 93; Women's Training School, Louisville, Ky., 115; Southwestern Theological Seminary, Ft. Worth, Tex., 83 for the foreign field alone; Oklahoma Baptist University, Shawnee, 57; while similar responses came from numerous other institutions in the various states comprising the territory of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Prominent among the many interesting accounts of the special services held in the churches was a report from Rev. E. Allison, a Baptist minister of Etowah, N. C., who, now in his eighth

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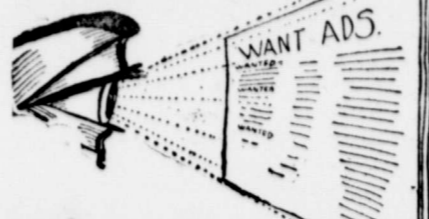
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FOR SALE—4 three months old registered Duroc Jersey pigs at \$15 each. 11-616 Wm. Willmann.

FOR SALE—My Koochville property 5 1/2 acres land with good rock house on same. Louis Schmidt.

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The association offers the following rewards for evidence leading to conviction of parties violating the following rules:

Twenty-five dollars reward for any party or parties caught trespassing on any of the land or lands owned, leased or controlled by us without a written permit, with dog, trap or gun.

Fifty dollars reward for party or parties killing a buck out of season or a doe or spotted fawn at any time.

One hundred dollars reward for party or parties caught hunting on any premises of the undersigned with what is called "head lights."

A posted sign painted in red has been adopted by the association and all parties will take notice of the posted sign.

Signed:
H. C. Keyser, Pres.
Henry Kothe, Sec. & Treas.
Henry W. Keller, Ass't Sec. & Treas.

Ben Kidd
Ruben Kidd
Jim Kidd
Wm. Lehmann.
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POSTED—All my pastures are posted against hunting, trapping, peccan gathering or trespassing of any kind. jlpd
C. L. Martin.

POSTED
My James River ranch in Mason and Kimble Counties are posted against hunting, fishing, trapping or trespassing of any kind, and parties are hereby warned to stay out. Will pay \$25 reward for information leading to conviction of trespassing on my lands. jlpd S. L. Jeffers.

POSTED
My pastures are posted against all kinds of trespassing, such as hunting, trapping or peccan gathering. Any party or parties violating this notice will be prosecuted. 101223 Max Martin.

POSTED
All lands owned or controlled by me are posted against hunting, with dog or gun, trapping or trespassing of any kind. jlpd F. W. Schmidt.

POSTED—All parties are hereby warned against hunting, trapping or trespassing on any of the lands owned or controlled by the undersigned. Violators will be prosecuted. jlp
John Geistweidt,
Wm. Geistweidt,
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Frank Geistweidt,
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AMERICAN DEAD ARE NOT TO BE EXHUMED

French Proposed Law Did Not Pass at Last Session of the Chamber of Deputies.

Paris.—The 65,000 American dead in France must be left in the graves they now occupy until the French are ready to exhume their own dead, which, it is hoped, will be before Jan. 1, 1922.

The foreign office has promised to consider the latest request of the American government for the return of its fallen soldiers, but later the following announcement was made:

"It has been definitely decided that allies who fell together for the same cause should remain together in death until circumstances permit of the returning of the bodies to the families for whom they sacrificed themselves."

The proposed law forbidding the exhumation of the soldier dead for three years did not pass at the last session of the chamber of deputies, but the foreign office expects that it will be adopted soon. This bill specifies a delay in exhumation of three years from the promulgation of the law, but it is expected that this period will be shortened.

At the foreign office it is said to be probable that the exhumation will begin considerably before January, 1922.

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