

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM

Be careful for nothing; but in ev ery thing by prayer and supplica tion with thanksgiving let your re quests be made known unto God.-Philippians 4:6.

NAME OF WEALTHY

MAN IS WITHHELD

AFTER NEW PROBE

Indictment Returned

By Grand Jury as

Ruth Tells All

PHOENIX, Dec. 30. (UP)-The grand jury investigating the murder of Agnes Ann Leroi, for which

Winnie Ruth Judd was convicted,

indicted a prominent wealthy local

man charged as "an accessory" aft-er the slaying of Mrs. Leroi and Miss Hedvig Samuelson. Name of the man was withheld. The incident followed three days of investigation when Mrs. Judd was brought from prison, where she is scheduled to hang Feb. 17, for ouestioning.

scheduled to hang reb. 11, for questioning. She was reported to have "told all". It was said that she testified that the man offered to help her dispose of the bodies after the mur-

Husband After

HOLLYWOOD. — A record for short lived Hollywood marriages was established by Elinor Fairc, dark-haired actress when she an-nounced she would seek an annul-ment of her marriage to John Dan-iels young broker.

The couple flew to Yuma, Ariz., for the ceremony three days ago, returned three hours later and sep-arated immediately, the actress re-

ealed. Characterizing the marriage as just a big mistake," Miss Faire promptly became engaged to Frank

Spite Wedding

Actress Quits

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RUTH JUDD INCRIMINATES M Illegal Oil Movers to Be Investigated at Tyler Jan. 12

EMPLOYES MAY BE SUBJECTED TO AN **EARNEST PROBING**

Move Gives Time for Completion of New Order

AUSTIN, Dec. 30. (UP)—Investi-gation of pipe line practices and hunt for illegal oil movers was set by the railroad commission today for Jan. 12 at Tyler. The move was made to give time for completion of the new proration order Jan. 1 when the East Texas shut down evpires

Additional nominations indicated a demand for an allowable produc-tion of 841,000 barrels daily. Most of the increase was in East Texas, of the increase demand for 332 barindicating a demand for 332 bar

rels. Commissioner Thompson prom-ised a thorough probe of illegal moving "and if we have any crook-ed employes we will find it out."

Judge Inclines To Whiskey Tenor For Celebrants

SAN ANGELO.—A whistling boy who didn't care anything about singing and a man overcome by Christmas spirits who wanted noth-ing but singing met on the streets here Christmas day. The inebri-ated one first asked the lad to sing a little bit. But the whistler trilled on John Barleycorn's friend became insistent, so much so that the lad picked up an old sign and hit the drunken one over the head. Both were taken to police court. where Judge T. S. Sharpe Tuesday morning declared that the boy should have tried one song, at least. He dismissed them both. Charges of drunkenness against fourteen persons over the Christmas holiday were dismissed.

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Four Suffer

Burns in Fire

KIRBYVILLE, Dec. 30. (UP) .--John McClung, 16, of Jasper was burned fatally and his mother and



FORT HUACHUCA, Ariz., Dec. 30.-In a sudden, crazed onslaught, a negro private sped about this historic western army camp with a pistol Thursday, slew two cap-tains and their wives and seriously wounded a lieutenant before he was killed by the mili-

tary guard. **COMMITTEE OF** The apparently demented negro was shot down by the guard as he **HOUSE TO LOOK** was firing at Lieut. Harvie R. Matthews.

AT TAX AGAIN

AI IAA AGAIN WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (UP)— The house ways and means com-mittee will get an opportunity to consider Wednesday a manufactur-med solar tax despite opportunity of Army post officers said the reaers' sales tax, despite opposition of President-elect Roosevelt. Chairman Collier announced today that con-

APPROPRIATIONS BILL GREATLY REDUCED

eral levy.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (UP)-The appropriations committee re-ported to the house today that the appropriation bill has been reduced \$12,255,000 under President Hoover's budget recommendations. stands at \$31,421,000.

CONNALLY BITTERLY INVEIGHS FORT MOVE

Probe Aid Cause

FORT WORTH, Dec. 30. (UP)-

Terming himself "conceived of God," Paul Oakley, 20, above, is WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (UP)held in the "divine heating murof three-year-old Bernice Clayton at Linden, Texas. The child's father and Oakley's broth-

er also are held. They are accused of having caused the death of the child during "healing" rites in which they sought to "drive the

devils" out of the child, an infantile paralysis victim.

Is Good for Year

The whole carnage, which 'took the lives of two officers who were

Collier announced today that con-sideration would be given to Repre-sentative McLeod's bill providing a one and three-fourths per cent gen-eral levy. determined. Abernathy, they said, started his murderous rampage by shooting and instantly killing Captain Wesselv at the army gasoline service station. where Abernathy was attendant. The negro took the officer's auto-mobile, drove to the captain's home and killed Mrs. Wessely. He rode to the home of the Palmers and shot them.

Coming outside, Abernathy wound ed Lieutenant Matthews and then was shot dead himself by the mili-

that the was shot dead himself by the min-tary guard. Gol. R. S. Knox, commanding of-It now ficer of the 25th infantry, to which the officers belonged, left Nogales by automobile for Fort Huachuce to direct an investigation. The col-onel was informed of the tragedy by army radio

by army radio. Regiment Being Moved



Bodies from Mine that Killed 54

Christmas was a day of horror and despair for Moweaqua, III., as nearly all the people of the little mining town stood about the en-trance to the shaft beneath which 54 men were entombed. An explo-

sion the night before Christmas shut them off from frantic res-cue efforts. The above picture shows the body of one of the vic-tims being carried from the shaft of the community-operated mine,

Liability of discontinuance of the air mail line across the southerp route of Texas is seen unless pound-age increase is shown. The El Paso

age increase is shown. The El Paso chamber of commerce is urging in-creased use of air mail and invites Midland business houses and indi-viduals to help retain this fast mail service by giving increased patron-age to the air mail.

County tax collectors in Texas are not permitted to sell automobile ii-cense tags to residents of another county and penalty for non-compli-fance may be a fine of not more than \$200, county collectors have been notified by L. G. Phares, chief of the state highway patrol. Phares also urges operators of motor vehicles to obtain their 1932 plates as soon as possible and not wait until the last few days before paying their fees. He said that 1933 plates are legal until midnight of Feb. 1. More than 230 cars and 30 trucks had been registered here to-day.

All operators of commercial ve-hicles this year are required to fur-nish an affidavit as to the weight of the registered machine at the time the license is applied for. This is to secure the weight in connection with the enforcement of the maxi-

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS: REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

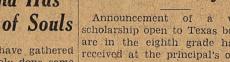
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Tag in County

Air Mail Line



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two other women were burned se-riously while attempting to rescue him as fire destroyed a hotel here Girls, Here's Your Chance—Gwyn Offer

The boy fainted when the flames broke out. The women, Mrs. Myrta McClung, Mrs. H. H. Chapman and Miss Mary Emma Chapman, car-ried him to a second story window where they jumped to safety.

Cotton Yield Is

Least in Years

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (UP)-WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (UP)— The department of agriculture to-day estimated the 1932 world cot-ton production at 24,00,000 bales, the smallest in five years. The fig-ure is 3,500,000 under last year's crop. November consumption was the largest of any month in the past year and a half.

Sub Killer and

Victims to Feast

CHICAGO.—On next Feb. 4, 5, and 6 over 1900 veterans who were survivors of the torpedoed troop ship Tuscania will hold their 15th annual reunion in Chicago. They have surprised the world by inviting as their guest of honor Dr. Wilhelm Meyer of Saarbrucken, Germany, who was the commander of the German U-boat 77 that tor-pedoed and sank the Tuscania off the north coast of Ireland the night of Feb. 5, 1918.

the north coast of Ireland the night of Feb. 5, 1918. Dr. H. F. Simon, the German consul general in Chicago and Dr. Frederich von Prittwitz and Gaf-fron, the German ambassador in Washington, have sanctioned the invitation. The North German Lloyd steamship line has expressed a willingness to help finance the trip.

It required a story in The Report-er-Telegram to convince Ray Gwyn he is an eligible bachelor—and he oes almost wild with abandon at sale of intoxicants.

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AUSTIN, Dec. 30. (UP)—A state-wide meeting of united forces for prohibition will be held Jan. 13, it was announced today, to organize opposition to efforts to legalize the role of interiments

Of Death Attempt Attending the officers' training school during the war, he received his first regular commission in 1921

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DE GLADYS PARKER

An untidy dresser is generally a lost and found bureau.

stay from electrocution last night by Governor Sterling's last minute "Energive..." "There has been considerable in sanity in the negro's family," Sterl-ing said. WEST TEXAS ASSOCIATION.

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THE "SUB" LEARNS TO WALK

When Simon Lake sent his new "baby submarine" to the bottom of Long Island Sound a few days ago and proved that the tiny craft might have some real com- who mercial and scientific uses, he took a step that has been prayer meetings and poker games.

mercial and scientific uses, he took a step that has been awaited ever since the first submarine took its first trip. The submarine, beyond question, is one of the most ingenious mechanical devices of modern days. It makes reality of a very old dream—the dream of sailing the seas na boat that could dive under water whenever its skip-per felt like it. But so far it has had only one use; it has had to be a warship or nothing. Jules Verne, of course, foresaw other uses for such craft. His Captain Nemo had a submarine that was a kind of fun. But so far no submarine has lived up to that ro-to f fun. But so far no submarine has lived up to that ro-to f fun. But so far no submarine has lived up to that ro-mantic forecast. As a means of destruction the submarine

of fun. But so far no submarine has lived up to that ro-mantic forecast. As a means of destruction the submarine a skirt hanging on a clothes line.

mathle forecast. As a means of destruction the submarine is an exceedingly effective instrument; no one, however, has ever been able to put it to work in any other field.
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Not long ago there was an attempt to use a submarine rement and not for the expensation. But the results weren't as startling more ought have been. At the end the submarine rement and not for the expensation of political leeches.
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(Reserves the right to "quack"

about everything without taking a stand on anything.)

known some "sorry" fellows to boast of that fact, but they can't do it any more. Every person who buys anything or eats anything is taxed somewhere down the line.

The Golden Rule!

A friend of mine was referred to the other day as the type of man who is very much interested in

"All of these "items are indicative of the fact that business actualities in any one industry are part and parcel of the sum total of the economic structure which may be na

nomic structure which may be na-tion-wide or even world-wide in its fundamental features. The Persian cancellation reflects the possibili-ties of political action influencing business activities. There has been some talk that the Shah's action may be connected with the attitude of Soviet Russia. Curtailment in production in Texas and the Mid-Continent is closely associated with declining demands for gasoline. "For instance, not only has gaso-line consumption for 1932 been con-t siderably lower month by month, ex-cept for January and June, than it was in 1931, but the summer of 1932 failed to register the usual seasonal expansion. For the ten months ending Nov. 1, the total de-mand for gasoline in the United States was 8 per cent less than for the corresponding period of 1931. "Crude of prices have been fair-ly well stabilized during the past 12 months and especially so during the rest aight months.

this afternoon for Lamesa, where she will visit relatives.

Miss Vernell Powell has returned to her home in Rankin after a visit with her sister, Miss Willie Ruth Powell.

Studio to Resume

Personals

Mrs. Carl W. Covington will leave Dance and

Work Monday

In nearly all discourses abent the Golden Rule there is too much "mush." Too much "brother" stuff. The "square deal" rather than "love" should be stressed. Men will not love each other. Put way might he induced to be Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Inman have had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dulin and Miss Fanny Lan-caster of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gammill and Miss Bernice Adams of Justin. Mrs. Dulin and Mrs. Gammill are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Imman and Mrs. Inman. Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Bobo and daughter have returned from East Texas, where they have visited for

a week Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Baker have re-turned from a buying trip to Dallas.

Mrs. H. N. Phillips left this morn ing for Sylvester, where she was called to the bedside of her sister, ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. J. C. Hudman and daughter, Lou Nell, left Thursday for Dallas, where they will visit with relatives. Oliver Haag left this morning on

Miss Katherine Sue Ralston will arrive today to visit Miss Ruth Nor-wood. Miss Ralston and Miss Nor-wood were roommates in T. W. C.

at Fort Worth.

Mrs. Evelyn Herrinyton of Wink s visiting friends in Midland.

A. R. Crooks, land man for the California company in Dallas, is in

Mrs. Allan Hargrave has as her guests Miss Elizabeth Lawton of Dallas, and her brother, William Smeading of Dallas.

Midland on a three-day leave.

Miss Edna Hanna has returned from a visit with relatives in Little Rock, Ark. ernoon at 3:30.

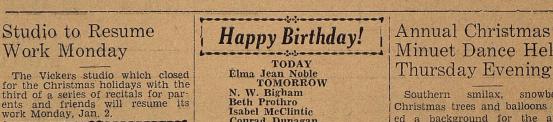
Mr. and Mrs. Butler Hurley have returned from a vacation trip spent visiting relatives at Sulphur Springs.

J. J. Head of Texico, N. M., has returned to his new home after a business trip here.

Charles Lehman of San Antonio is in Midland on a business trip. G. M. Gillispie of Houston is a pusiness visitor in Midland.

A. E. Jones of Abilene is in Mid-land transacting business.

Miss Walter Faye Cowden, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cowden, during the holidays, spent a few days this week with friends in Sweetwater and Snyder.



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Conrad Dunagan

Anti Club Gives

Bridge Party

Mills.

Minuet Dance Held Thursday Evening

Friday, December 30, 1932

Southern smilax, snowberries, Christmas trees and balloons formed a background for the annual Minuet club dance Thursday even-ing in the Crystal ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer. The ballroom and reception rooms

were adorned with red and green balloons, Christmas trees and smil-

Frenchy's orchestra furnished the At one o'clock a buffet supper was

served in the private dining room. The table was centered with a mininture frosted tree and banks of smilax and snowberries. A red and silver motif was predominant. Members of the club and their guests attended.

Mid-week service Wednesday at

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Kenneth C. Minter, Pastor 9:45—Sunday school. George Phil-

Jess Edythe Carlisle, Alma Lee Nor-wood, Irene Lord and Lois Walker and Mrs. Olen Fryar, Messrs. James Carter, C. C. Foster, Ray Parker, Harvel and Whitzel Whitmire, Wil-ton Orson, Conklin Crabb, Alfred Johnson, Joe Phillips and John B. Mills

Lloyd George Gets

LONDON. (UP) — David Lloyd George, Britains 'Grand Old Man'' of the war, receives a pension of \$10,000 yearly from the U. S. ac-cording to "Everyman." Lloyd George and John Burns, it is claimed, are Carnegie political pensioners

when Andrew Carnegie became a

When Andrew Carnegie became a British radical and controlled sever-al Radical newspapers, he is said to have endowed four Radicals. Two of them are Lloyd George and John Burns. The other two were the late Lord Morley and the late Thomas Burt, who was a member of parlia-ment. The pension granted to "L. G." as the wartime prime minister of Britain is sometimes called, was \$10,000. Burns receives \$5,000 annu-

Need Creomulsion

Bronchial troubles may lead to something serious. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a new medical discovery with two-fold ac-tion; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth. Of all known drugs, creosote is recog-nized by high medical authorities as one of the greatest healing agencies for per-sistent coughs and colds and other forms of throat troubles. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing ele-ments which soothe and heal the infected Morning worship begins at 11:00. Sermon subject: "Taking Inven-

membranes and stop the irritation and in flammation, while the creosote goes on to the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and checks the growth of the germs.

It used to be that a man could say he wasn't a tax payer. I've even mean. The trouble with Satan is that he says many nice things he doesn't ly 26,000,000; the number estimated

Belton.

She will return Sunday night to reher school work at Baylor

J. Howard Hodge, manager of the Ritz theatre, left Thursday night for Dallas for a brief business trip.

Members of the Anti club enter-tained Thursday evening with a bridge party and dance at the home of Miss Annie Faye Dunagan, 210 South Pecos. The home was decorated with a color scheme of wine and silver.

color scheme of wine and silver. Tallies corresponded. In bridge, Miss Lucille McMul-lan won high for girls and Joe Bailey for men. Attending were Misses Imogene Cox, Marguerite Bivins, McMullan, Dunagan, Mary Katherine Hogsett, Jess Edythe Carlisle, Alma Lee Nor-wood Lyrene Lord and Lois Wolker.

Churches

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS

Women's Bible class Tuesday aft

Junior Endeavor at 3:30. "The New Year" will be the sub-

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

A glad welcome for all.

Christian Science services held ev

7:30.

9.45—Sunday school, etcol, etcol, and lipus, superintendent. 11:00 — Morning worship and preaching by the pastor. Subject, "Times for Beginning Again." 6:30—Evening session of the bunch school

church school. 7:30—Preaching by the pastor, "The Thing Called Sin."

American Pension

ery Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer. Sunday school at 9:45.

0. W. Roberts, Pastor Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Weekly prayer meeting on Thurs-ay evening at 8 p. m. Evening preaching at 8 p. m.

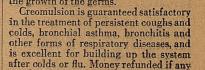
LUTHERAN CHURCH W. G. Buchschacher, Pastor Services every second Sunday and fourth Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Trinity chapel, corner Colorado and Wall.

CHURCH OF CHRIST J. A. McCall, Pastor Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching services at 11 o'clock. Communion at 12 o'clock. Young people's class at 6:30. Preaching and communion at 7:30. Women's Bible class Tuesday afte \$10,000. Burns receives \$5,000 annu-

February, on the average, is the least rainy month of London's year.

Bronchial Troubles

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH W. J. Coleman, Pastor Sunday school at 9:45. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Christian Endeavor at 6:45. Evening service at 7:45. ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH J. A. Sirois, Pastor Mass at 10 o'clock, sermon in English, and at 8 o'clock, sermon in Spanish. Thursday mass at 7:30. CHRISTIAN CHURCH E. B. Chancellor, Pastor Beginning next Sunday our even ing services will open at 7 o'clock. Sunday school meets at 9:45 a. m



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business trip to Dallas.

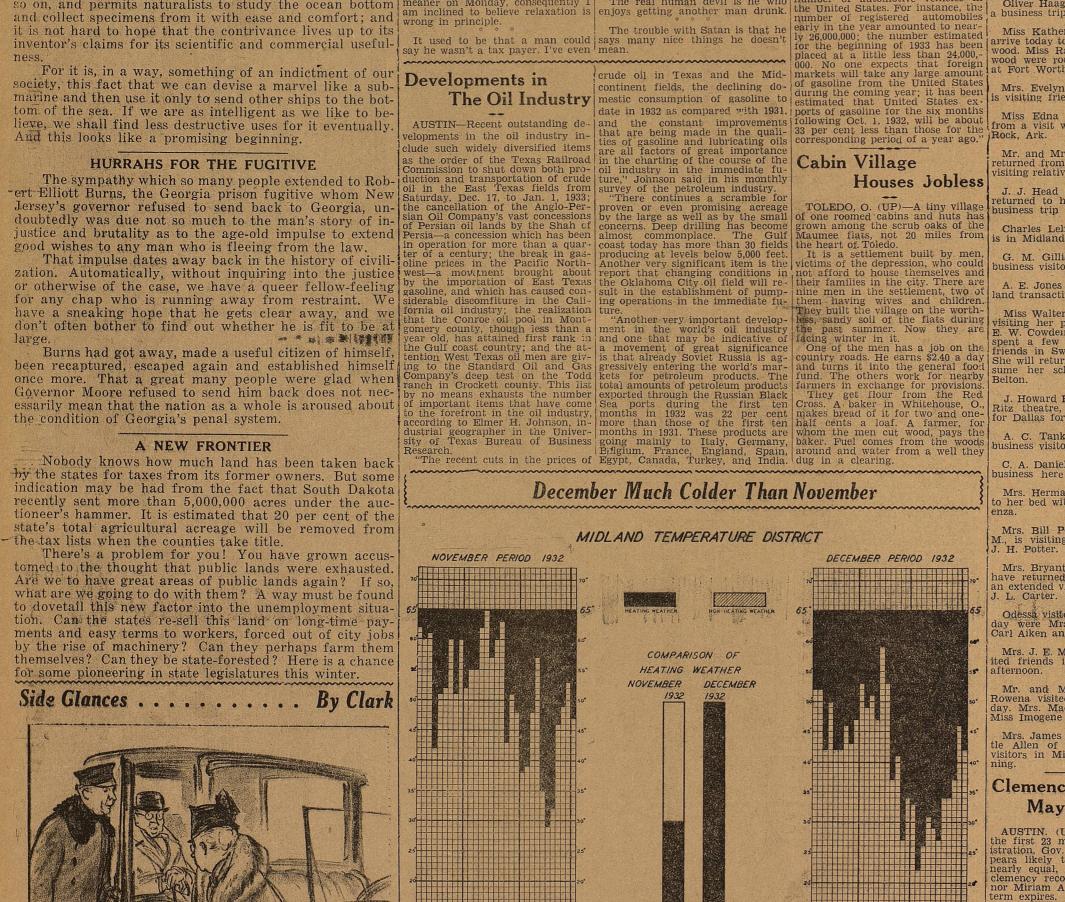
by the states for taxes from its former owners. But some indication may be had from the fact that South Dakota recently sent more than 5,000,000 acres under the auctioneer's hammer. It is estimated that 20 per cent of the state's total agricultural acreage will be removed from the tax lists when the counties take title.

There's a problem for you! You have grown accus-tomed to the thought that public lands were exhausted. Are we to have great areas of public lands again? If so, what are we going to do with them? A way must be found to dovetail this new factor into the unemployment situation. Can the states re-sell this land on long-time payments and easy terms to workers, forced out of city jobs by the rise of machinery? Can they perhaps farm them themselves? Can they be state-forested? Here is a chance for some pioneering in state legislatures this winter.

Side Glances **By Clark**



"Now, I'll be right back and I don't want to have to hunt for you men in some pool hall."



HEATING WEATHER FOR DECEMBER PERIOD 1932 WAS IS TIMES AS GREAT AS NOVEMBER PERIOD 1932.

son, as will be noted in the accom-panying charts. Degree-days are the gauges of heating weather to the heating en-gineer. Thus, Dec. 21, had a mean or average temperature in Midland of 42 degrees, which was 23 degrees lower than the temperature at which heat is required for comfort. That particular day, therefore was given a heat requirement rating of

Midland thought November was an unusually cold month this year -and it was, in comparison with the same month in previous years. But December has made November eem like summer time in compari-on, as will be noted in the accom-ianying charts. And a construction of the period of the period. On Dec. 9, and again on the period. The December period had 1.67 times the home and office heating requirement of the previous month. There was not a single day during the December period when heating was not necessary for comfort; Sloan field.

Comparison with Other Temperature Districts

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| or the December period, the | Midland District | 40.93 | | 432 | |
| land temperature district scored | Lubbock District | 36.56 | 853 | 434 | |
| remarkable total of 722 degree | Plainview District | 36.50 | 858 | 478 | |
| s as compared with 432 degree | Clayton District | 32.83 | | 615 | |
| for November. This was made | Dalhart District | 29.83 | 1055 | 635 | |

A. C. Tanksley of El Paso is a business visitor in Midland today. Winston F. Borum, Pastor 9:45-Sunday school. 11:00 - Morning worship and C. A. Daniels of Pecos transacted preaching. 6:15—Training service. 7:30—Evening service. usiness here Thursday afternoon.

tory

Mrs. Herman Philipp is confined to her bed with an attack of influ-

Mrs. Bill Potter of Carlsbad, N. M., is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Potter.

Mrs. Bryant and son of Wingate have returned to their home after an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs.

Odessa visitors in Midland Thurs-day were Mrs. H. C. Bruce, Mrs. Carl Aiken and Miss Guyrene Mott.

Mrs. J. E. Moffett of Stanton vis-ited friends in Midland Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Machotka of Rowena visited in Midland Thurs-day. Mrs. Machotka is the former Miss Imogene Aiken of Odessa.

Mrs. James Moan and Mrs. Myr-tle Allen of Crane were business visitors in Midland Thursday eve-

Clemency Record May Be Equalled

AUSTIN. (UP)—On the basis of the first 23 months of his admin-istration, Gov. Ross S. Sterling ap-pears likely to equal, or at least nearly equal, the highly publicized clemency record of Former-Gover-nor Miriam A. Ferguson before his term expires

nor Miriam A. Ferguson before his term expires. Up to Dec. 22, Governor Sterling has issued 2,106 acts of clemency. Included therein were 2,085 general paroles and only 21 pardons. In her first administration, Mrs. Ferguson granted 2,343 acts of clem-ency. Her list varied from Sterling's however, in that only 215 of her proclamations were general paroles whereas 1,328 were full pardons and 800 conditional pardons. Authorities point out that a gen-eral parole generally has the same effect as a pardon except it leaves the government with a "string" on the released prisoner.

the government with a "string" on the released prisoner. Mrs. Ferguson became nationally famous during her administration for her acts of elemency, winning both high praise and severe criti-cism. She frequently was depicted as the "mother" who sympathized deeply with the prisoners. During the 24 months of her ten-ure of office, she averaged 98 acts of elemency a month. Governor Sterling's average has been 91. At that rate, in the less than a month total acts of elemency would fall just short of the 2,000 mark, or in the neighborhood of 150 less than Mrs. Ferguson. Mrs. Ferguson.

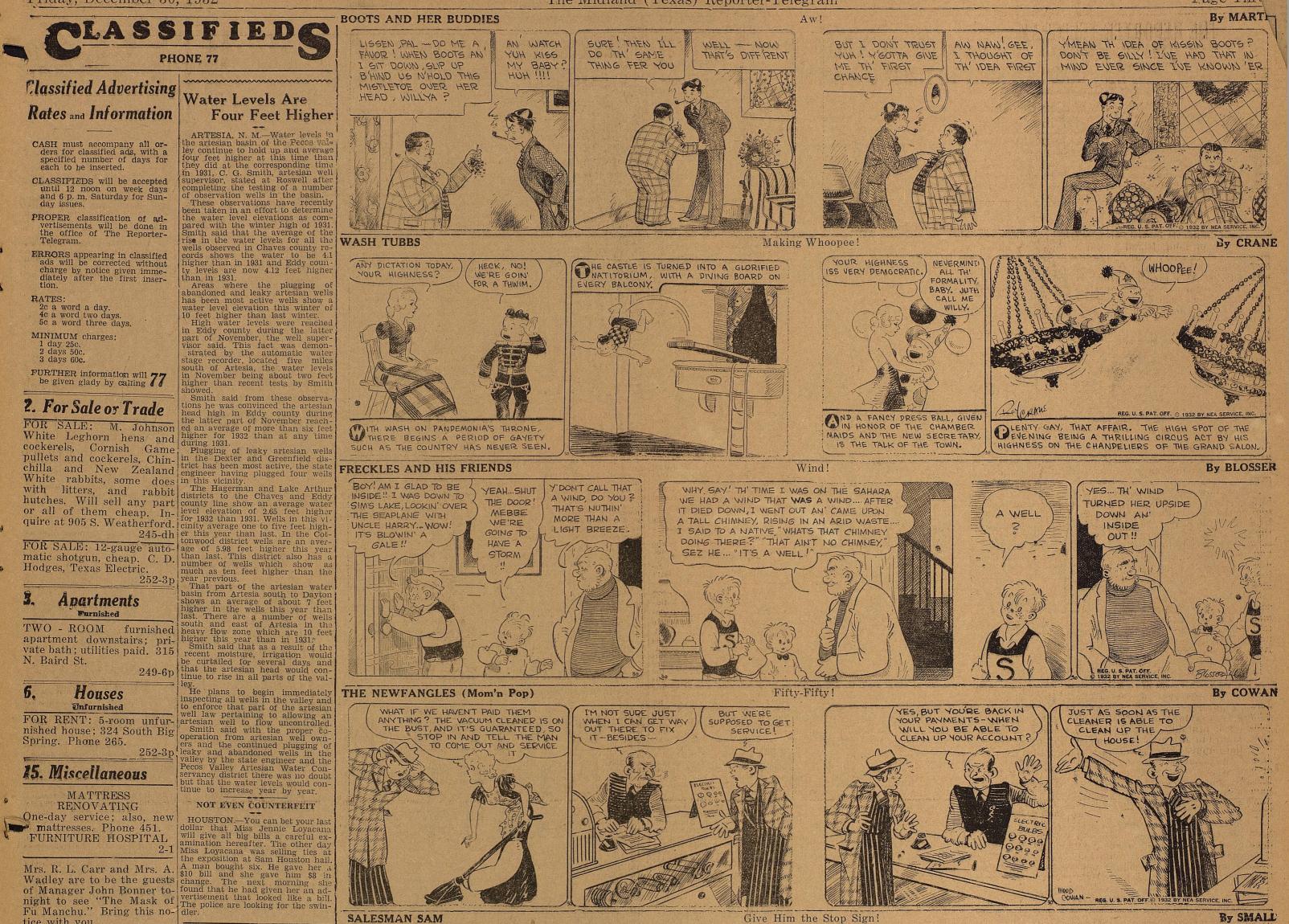
Prof. E. E. Slosson reports that the Orion stars are the most mas-sive and hottest of all the stars. Their surface temperatures are be-lieved to be at least as high as 20,-000 degrees.

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Shaw High-Hats Us On World Trip and Will Not Visit Us

By MILTON BRONNER European Manager, NEA Service LONDON.—A cat may look at a king. At least there is a proverb

that says so. America, the cat which ha been the special target for George Shaw's verbal brickbats for 30 years, won't get even a look at the man she has helped crown king of the literary world.

George Bernard Shaw (now you know him) is on his way around the world on a cruise: But that world won't include America. The Empress of Britain will halt mo-Empress of Britain will halt mo-mentarily in Los Angeles harbor be-fore going through the Panama Ca-nal, and probably will also call at New York. But Ireland's Shaw doesn't plan to land. "I may meet a few friends and do a little broadcasting. I have made no arrangements. But every con-ceivable person in America seems to be making arrangements about

be making arrangements about. This will mean nothing to me, to them. Really, I shall just k in at America—and look out

Chose Policy Deliberately

Chose Policy Deliberately Shaw, as a satiric young play-write of the 90's and the first two decades of this century, shocked and thrilled two continents with his social reform lectures painlessly delivered through the medium of brilliant plays. Appreciating to the full the value of the old American slogan that "it pays to advertise," Shaw has always oscillated between pulling the British lion's tail and panning America by turns. Amerianning America by turns. Ameri a, especially, loved it, though ; as become less fun recently, nov that we are panning America our

characteristic shrewdnes With Shaw early pounced upon the idea that nothing could make him mor-talked about in America than to at tack the United States and its peo He himself put his program i distinct words

myself have been particularly "I myself have been particularly careful never to say a civil word so the United States. I have scoffed at their inhabitants as a nation of villagers. I have defined the 100 per cent American as 99 per cent idiot And they just adore me and will go on adoring me."

on adoring me. "Liberty" Too Ironic On another occasion explaining hy he did not go to the United States, he said:

why he did not go to the United States, he said: "I do not want to see the Statue of Liberty, I am a master of comic irony. But even my appetite for irony does not go as far as that." In May, 1928, he called upon Adolphe Menjou, the film star, who told Shaw he ought really to visit the United States as the folks would be crazy about him. To which Shaw blandly replied: "I am getting too old for that; besides there is no point in it. All nice Americans go to England and then come straight to see me." One of the oddities about George is that he does not seem to be able to keep off the topic of America for long. If he talks about Russia he contrasts it with America. In Oct. 1931, knowing that he was a rabid dry, the World Prohibition Federation asked him to speak to them at Caxton Hall in London. To the astonishment of the drys, most of his speech was taken up with an expose of what he called the evils of prohibition in the United States. He said the bootleggers had discov-ered they had the police and the courts corrupted and intimidated, and gangsters then arose.

d gangsters then arose. G. B. S.'s Favorite Topic

Then he went on to contrast the United States with Soviet Russia where he said the Bolsheviks would give bootleggers or gangsters ten

AND SATURDAY TO THE YUCCA HOUSE 'The Mask of Fu Manchu," film-Under the Dome Of the Capital

MASK OF FU MANCHU COMING FRIDAY

Weird Chinese Tortures The dramatic thrills include the kidnapping of the scientist and his shipment'to Shanghai in a mummy case, the weird torture of the bell, the torture of the spiked room, the great Feast of the Manguls, the hurding of the man-made light-ning, the test of the sword of Ghen-gis Khan, the adventures in the strange laboratory of Fu Manchu and the rescue of his victims. Hun-dreds of extras appear in the many

A laughable incident occur-red in the recent trial of For-mer Gocernor James E. Fergu-son's application for an injunc-tion against the state highway tion against the state highway commission. Attorney General James V. Allred and Attorney Ocie Speer, former member of the commis-sion to assist the supreme court argued back and forth over ad-missibility of 'testimony about an item

They both discovered that it had been admitted as a fact in the case, the day before.

John N. Thomas of Tahoka, who will represent an area larger than some states in the 43rd Texas legis-lature, has been on the plains 26 years. His district comprises Lub-

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The believe anybody with the responsibility of spending \$50,000,000 eshould be accountable to the peotes is a booster for Texas Tech and for education in general and the sponsibility of her sponsibility of her the heads of state school work, in working for adetature.
Thomas, a Georgian, spent most to Texas when he was 22 years old and moved to Lynn county in 1905, going to "what is now Tahoka."
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Harold Kayton of San Antonio, coming back for his fifth consecu-tive term in the state legislature, still believes in Santa Claus and government of the people, by the people, for the people. The depres-

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"LET ROOSEVELT DO IT" SEEMS TO BE **ATTITUDE OF LAME DUCK CONTINGENT**

By RODNEY DUTCHER NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON .- Among all the

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system was unjust even before and after the war; now under the ex-traordinary economic conditions pre-vailing in the United States, the tax system is unbearable and intol-erable to the farmer. He must be relieved of this dis-crimination, which can be accom-plished only by revision of methods of state and local taxation. Such tax revision will require substitute taxes—income, sales, excise—in lieu of the excessive general prop-erty levies now imposed. This shifting of the burden will natur-ally evoke opposition, notwith-standing its fairness. However, such revision of state and local of them. So he is prepared to han-dle all those rather important is-sues by himself, along with such other issues as he was sure would

standing its fairness. However, such revision of state and local taxing methods must come; the farmer cannot be expected to bear the tax burden of the country forhave to be reserved for him in any

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ernments for the purpose of devel-oping any new ports or creating any new inland waterways for purposes of commercial navigation, "it be-ing our belief that the development of additional ports and waterways will serve only to complicate the present transportation situation that such development will benefit the interests only of those communities which happen to be located on or An Indian Princess who was nam-ed in tribal ceremony of the Sioux "Princess White Cloud" will dress in interests only of those communities which happen to be located on or very near such ports and water-ways." Resolutions also deplored the "fact that our national government is spending large sums of money on surveys and investigations looking to possible development of addition-al navigation facilities."

Movement Criticized STAMFORD, Dec. 30.—Setting out that "the West, South and East Texas chambers of commerce are co-ordinated through the all-state council," and "that any duplication of interests and organization for the general welfare is ill-advised and tends to disruption," Chas. E. Coombes, president of the Stamford chamber of commerce, and former president of the West Texas cham-ber of commerce, wired Wilbur C. Hawk, WTCC president, and A. B. Davis, Lubbock, secretary-host to the regional meeting of the Interior Protective and Development associ-ation, mildly protesting organiza-

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tion of the association. "The purposes of the Interior Pro-tective and Devolpment association are vague and obscure," Coombes' message said. "If selfish, we are op-posed to it. If legitmiate, it is a duplication of the West Teras cham-ber of commerce and weakens our strength and security. If the move-ment is good, why not further it through our own organization? "We, therefore, protest against this organization and call upon our member towns to stand with us in fighting our battles for West Tex-as' interests within our own well-organized regional chamber of com-merce without outside interference."

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The U. S. government distribut ed more than 7,000,000,000 fish fry and eggs last year.

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Farm Taxes Discriminate

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