

# NEGRO ACCUSED OF ATTACK UPON AUTO SPOONERS

BALTIMORE, Jan. 3.—(P)—A negro believed by police to be the one who killed Reuben Heyman and attacked Mrs. Dorothy Bur-

gess last night was captured today at Lutherville, about 15 miles north of here, after a gun battle in which one policeman was wounded in the hand.

BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 3.—(P)—Reuben Heyman, 24, was shot to death last night on a lonely road outside the city and a patrolman found his companion, Mrs. Dorothy Burgess, 24, sitting on a curbstone in the city early today, sobbing that she had been attacked by a negro who killed Heyman.

First word of the shooting was a telephone call by Mrs. Burgess to Heyman's parents, saying he had been killed, but she was so hysterical they could not understand her message and notified po-

lice headquarters. When the young woman was found, her story directed searchers to the spot where Heyman's body lay with his automobile in a ditch about 100 feet away.

Mrs. Burgess told police she and Heyman were sitting in his parked automobile near Druid Hill reservoir when the negro approached with a pistol and forced them to drive to the road where Heyman's body and automobile were found. Her assailant refused offers of money, she said, and when they tried to fight him off, Heyman was killed.

Portland.—Plans underway for remodeling main body of the auditorium at cost of \$14,200.

# S. P. MAY ISSUE TWO MILLION MORE SHARES

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—(P)—Directors of the Southern Pacific railway today recommended a 2,000,000 share increase in the authorized common stock to provide additional capital for expansion and improvement.

The directors adopted a resolution requesting the stockholders to approve the increase at their regular annual meeting April 9.

It was explained that the company does not plan to make any present use of the additional stock, or to offer stockholders subscription rights at this time. The increase is proposed merely to give the company additional authorized capital to fortify it against future needs.

There are at present outstanding approximately 3,700,000 shares of \$100 par value stock. The additional shares proposed would also be of \$100 par value.

and of the third class, amount the cost per pupil per day:

Eagle Point	\$1.06
Sams Valley	.95
Rogue River	1.23
Prospect	1.55
Butte Falls	2.45

The figures cover the period from 1925 to 1929.

Salaries Cost \$14,055

The yearly salaries paid to teachers in the Butte Falls district total \$14,055, twice the salary totals in all the third class districts save Rogue River, which has more pupils enrolled, and whose yearly salary bill is slightly in excess of \$10,000.

Superintendent Carter said: "I believe quite a reduction could be made in the Butte Falls budget without impairing the efficiency of the school." The school head submitted a chart to show the costs of education in Butte Falls as compared to other third class districts of the county.

This afternoon, she will submit figures to show that pay for janitors at Butte Falls is about twice that paid in other similar districts of the county. Attorney Kelly, in his questioning, declared "there is something else that should be pared."

It was also shown that the budget receipts for the year, as estimated by the Butte Falls board, were \$200 in excess of what they would actually be.

Documents Introduced

Superintendent Carter will likely be the only witness called by the petitioners, but a mass of documentary evidence was introduced. There was a fair sized crowd of Butte Falls residents, including a number of the teachers, who were interested spectators at the hearing.

The school board is represented by Attorney Gus Newbury, and the petitioners by Kelly & Kelly, attorneys, and Attorney Porter J. Neff.

The boundary board is composed of the county court and school superintendent. Commissioner Victor Bursell was absent today, owing to serious illness in his family. County Judge Alex Sparrow presided.

It is probable that the hearing will take all of today and a portion of tomorrow, at the morning rate of progress.

# BABY STARS FAVORED FOR WAMPAS CHOICE



Associated Press Photo

These three baby film stars are among the candidates for Wampas nominations announced annually in Hollywood. Left to right: Jeanette Loff, June Clyde and Mae Clark.

# MARTIN COSTELLO OF GREAT NORTHERN DEAD

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 3.—(P)—Martin J. Costello of Seattle, Wash. western traffic manager for the Great Northern railroad, fell dead on a downtown street here today.

# CRASH NEAR REDDING KILLS IDAHO YOUTH

REDDING, Cal., Jan. 3.—(P)—Carl E. Tattling, 19, son of J. P. Tattling of Twin Falls, Idaho, was fatally injured when a car driven by Allen Elwood, 18, also of Twin Falls, became unmanageable and crashed into a tree, 22 miles north of here. The boys were en route to modest to visit Elwood's aunt.

# DR. STEINER DISCLAIMS GUBERNATORIAL HOPES

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 3.—(P)—Dr. R. E. Steiner, for 23 years superintendent of the state hospital for the insane, today denied press reports that he may be a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor.

"I am not and never have been a candidate for governor," said Dr. Steiner.

# Ruins of Wicked City of Bible Story May Have Been Located

JERUSALEM.—(P)—Archaeologists working in Palestine wonder whether the ruins of Sodom, which the Bible says was so wicked it was burned to the ground, finally have been found.

An expedition of the Pontifical Bible institute of Jerusalem excavated ruins of a city hitherto unknown to science in which all the houses and buildings were covered by a layer of ashes.

Investigators, taking note of relics found, assumed the place was burned in the bronze age and never has been inhabited since.

The ruins are located in the eastern plain of the Jordan about six kilometers north of the Dead Sea.

Father Malloy, heading the investigation, said it was too early to classify the ruins as those of Sodom. The Bible records a visitation of fire and brimstone on Sodom and its twin city, Gomorrah, because of the wickedness of their inhabitants.

# CLEVELANDERS SEE BRILLIANT METEOR

CLEVELAND, Jan. 3.—(P)—Hundreds of Clevelanders were witnesses at 5:30 a. m. today of the spectacular "fall" of an unusually large meteor. Flashing through the outer rim of the earth's atmosphere for a few seconds, it lighted the sky nearly as brilliantly as daylight. Apparently it burned out before reaching the earth.

# FERRYBOAT HITS TUG IN NEW YORK HARBOR

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—(P)—Running blindly in a dense fog which threw her two miles off her course, the ferryboat William R. Hearst crashed into the tugboat Mutual today at Hearst's dry dock, Brooklyn, throwing 18 men into the water and injuring four of them seriously.

The tugboat, which was tied up at the breakwater, sank shortly after the collision.



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### TEN DIE IN AIR CRASH

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Kenneth Hawks, 32, Hollywood, motion picture director, husband of Mary Astor, film actress. Body not recovered.

Max Gold, 2, Hollywood, assistant director, married. Body recovered.

Conrad Wells, 31, Hollywood, cameraman, married. Body recovered.

George Eastman, 29, Santa Monica, cameraman, married. Body not recovered.

Ilen Frankel, 26, Hollywood, assistant cameraman, unmarried. Body recovered.

Otto Jordan, 26, Hollywood, assistant cameraman, unmarried. Body not recovered.

Tom Harris, 25, Hollywood, property man, unmarried. Body not recovered.

Hank Johannes, 24, Hollywood, property man, unmarried. Body not recovered.

Ross Cook, 28, Santa Monica, pilot, unmarried. Body not recovered.

Hallock House, 29, Santa Monica, pilot, unmarried. Body not recovered.

Death Halts Scene

Jacob Triebwasser, parachute jumper, who had expected to risk his life in a hazardous leap into the sea, had not yet entered the scene when death stepped in as director.

He and his pilot, Lt. Col. Roscoe Turner, and two companions, Fred Osborne and Bert White, motion picture technicians, soared away unscathed, their plane not yet having been maneuvered into line with the camera ships.

Triebwasser was posing for his jump, waiting for the word from White, who was responsible for the timing of the leap, was watching the camera planes, when a thin cry wafted through the roar of the motors:

"They're crashing!"

Turner, 500 feet below the doomed camera planes, wheeled his ship well into the clear before the shrieking, fire-streamed wreckage plunged by.

CLAIM BOARD WASTEFUL.

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Falls with the Eagle Point district, which he said "is a district where the taxpayers bear the burden, instead of a timber company."

Under questioning, Superintendent Carter said that the country school costs showed an upward trend, and presented the following figures for sister districts of Butte Falls

### SAFETY OFFICIALS WILL BE WITHDRAWN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(P)—President Hoover has decided to withdraw from senate consideration the nomination of Alf Oftedal to be internal revenue collector at San Francisco.

Senate action on the nomination has been held up as a result of a controversy between Senators Shortridge and Johnson of California, both Republicans, with Shortridge favoring confirmation.

Senator Johnson has insisted that Oftedal, who formerly was assistant prohibition commissioner is not a resident of California and consequently should not be appointed to a federal office in that state.

### AUTO TAG APPLICANTS TAX PORTLAND BUREAU

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 3.—(P)—With only 17,000 of the 80,000 automobiles registered in Multnomah county operating with 1929 license slips, a mob of applicants packed the entrance to the state license bureau all day Thursday and returned in full force this morning. Thirty-five hundred licenses were issued Thursday.

The law declares that January 1 is the date for utilizing the new tags, and anyone operating without them does so on his own responsibility.

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