

## This Week

By Arthur Brisbane

### See America

This Union Pacific "Gold Coast Limited" is crossing from Wyoming into Utah, rolling over snow covered hills 7,000 feet high. This is real American country. Colorado, Montana, Idaho, the Dakotas, Oregon, Washington, Nevada are your neighbors in this part of the world.

It looks what it is—a great and powerful country. Straight walls of stone, capped with pine trees, tower hundreds of feet above you. Telephone and telegraph wires cross in all directions. Good automobile roads run beside the track.

One stops at Salt Lake City to get acquainted with the Angel Moroni and all the land that stretches around him. Moroni, very big in bright gold, stands above the temple built by Brigham Young, for "Latter Day Saints."

Just across the way is the Federal Reserve Bank, of solid stone, and beyond towers the snow covered Ogurion Range, the wealth of the Utah copper mines hidden in it. Many things are as Brigham Young would have them and as he left them. The Angel Moroni doesn't suspect that the real authority below is the Federal Reserve Bank, the gigantic copper mine on the mountain sides, and the big Union Pacific Railroad.

D. F. Spencer, general passenger agent of the Union Pacific system, says all intelligent human beings should see the famous "Death Valley." For \$42, covering all expenses, you can spend two days motoring through the mysterious valley on your way east or west, inspecting in safety the straightest places on earth, stopping over night at a modern inn, built on Furnace Creek. In Death Valley, you stand on the warm sand, far below the level of the Pacific, and look to the west, at the white top of Mount Whitney, highest peak in the United States.

The trip must be made between October and the middle of May. In Summer, Death Valley is the hottest place on earth. During the Death Valley season, you have your comfortable automobiles.

Death Valley has everything that anybody could want—you study brilliant colors of the appropriately named "Furnace Range" on the east, and to the west the tall panamints, Uncle Sam's most precipitous mountain range, rising from the floor of Death Valley, more than 300 feet below sea level, to a height of 11,045 feet to the perpetual snow of Telescope Peak.

Picturesque and convincing are names of places in that valley, once the bed of an inland sea. Gold, silver, copper, onyx are in those mountains. Many have died searching.

What once were black molten streams of lava reach out into the desert, as they poured down from volcanoes, dead ages ago.

You walk over plains of salt a hundred feet deep. Life is scarce there, a few snakes in Summer, horned toads, the chuckwalla lizard, eaten by the Panamint Indians. Above puzzled vultures soar, wondering why the automobile doesn't die, as the donkeys did.

Brief and sufficient are the lines here and there on wooden tombstones, cracked by the heat, a name and "He Ran Out of Water."

The Angel Gabriel has watched many struggles in that valley, when the temperature went to 140.

Traditions tell of Piute Indians, standing on the mountainsides, watching one party of white men fall and die three hundred yards from a water hole. One survivor, Bennett, "struggling to a spring, found a ledge of pure silver, broke off a piece and when he reached civilization had it made into a rifle sight." Many have tried to locate that "run-sight ledge" of pure silver. You might find it.

Not far away is a beautiful date palm ranch, 178 feet below sea level. Anything will grow if you give it enough water.

And across the Amargosa Desert, you travel to the "Ghost City of Rhyolite." Once it had a population of more than 10,000, railroad stations, stores, dance halls, jail and church. All still stand at the foot of Bullfrog Hill, church, jail, mills that ground up ore from the rich gold mine, all abandoned now.

This is an interesting country, marvellously fertile fields, all the climates and all the products of the earth.

## COMMITTEE FOR HOSPITAL FUND BEGINS DRIVE

List Of Prospects Divided Among Women On Committee

### CANVASS STARTED

Committee Hopes To Complete Drive By End Of Week

A final drive to put over the hospital project in Ozona was begun this week by a committee of women, appointed at a recent meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, following a meeting of the committee Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Laura Hoover, chairman.

A list of 63 names of persons who have not yet contributed to the hospital fund was divided among members of the committee and each member was instructed to see each person on her list for a contribution.

The committee got down to work in earnest Tuesday morning and each member was checking off names on her list as she visited them. No report had been turned in to the chairman Wednesday and it is not known what progress is being made in the drive.

Mrs. Hoover, who has been handling the campaign practically alone, had secured a total of \$5,600 toward the fund at the first of the week. This amount was secured by Mrs. Hoover in a few hours work in the afternoons.

## Baker's Car Hit By Orient Train

Ozona Man Escapes Serious Injury In Mishap at Mertzon

Dick Baker of Ozona suffered slight bruises about the body Tuesday when his car was struck by an Orient engine at the crossing in Mertzon.

Mr. Baker was on his way to San Angelo and as he started across the tracks he failed to notice an engine which was backing down the tracks.

The engine caught Baker's car, a new Chevrolet, and dragged it several yards down the track before it could be brought to a halt. The car was badly damaged, but Mr. Baker, who was not thrown from the car, escaped with minor bruises. He was taken to a hospital in San Angelo where his injuries were dressed and he returned to Ozona.

## Forty Make Trip To Mertzon For Ozona High Junior Play

Approximately forty students of the Ozona Schools and local citizens accompanied players in the Junior play "The Old Maid's Club" to Mertzon Saturday where the play was staged before a fair sized audience. The play netted the class \$27. The first performance here brought the class approximately \$70 but the whole amount was stolen by a burglar who broke into the school house and pilfered the money from a desk drawer.

Among those who made the trip to Mertzon Saturday were Misses Pauline Perner, Carole Stricklen, Mildred Davis, Ethel Kaderli, Clara Patrick, Kathryn Baggett, Beulah Baggett, Inettah Cooke, Annie Lou Sapp, Mary Childress, Johnnie Cross, Eleanor Ingham, Velma Richardson, Hallie Kirkpatrick, E-na Meinecke, Florence Thompson, Annie Lee Anna Estes, Helen Chapman and Clela Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oberkamp, Mrs. W. R. Baggett, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Floyd, Bill Friend, Clayton McCollum, Edward Grimmer, Dean Phillips, Cal Word, Cam Longley, Dock Lee Robert Augustine, Jack Henderson George Bunker, Jake Young, Rex Russell.

## Who'd a-Think It

BASEBALL



Last October the idol of baseball fans as leader of the first World Champ Cardinals—and five months later in New York Giant uniform, Roger Hornsby—greatest of National League batsmen, can tell you the wheels of fate turn fast.

## Scout Program Friday Night

Sout Executive Draper May Be Here For Installation

Friday night March 25, at 8 o'clock the local troops of boy scouts will be installed publicly at the Methodist Church Auditorium. M. M. Fulmer, acting district scout commissioner, will be in charge. The public is urged to be present. The program will be of such nature to inform the citizenship of the meaning and value of scouting as a community project.

Scout Executive Draper of San Angelo, who is in charge of the Concho Valley Council of which this county is a part, has been invited and is expected to be present and take part in the program which will be as follows: Invocation—Rev. Walter Cook Music—Orchestra Why Boys Need Scouting—C. C. Minatra Scout Laws—Scouts, Troops 1 and 2 Led by Scoutmaster Bishop Scouting as a Community Asset—M. M. Fulmer Scout Oath—Led by Scoutmaster Keeton Installation of Scout Officials and Presentation of badges to Boys—Scout Executive Draper

## Wrestling Match To Be Rough One

Tiger Dixon To Meet Londos In Finish Bout Saturday

Ozona wrestling fans are promised a treat in the way of a rough and tumble scrap next Saturday night when Billy Londos, Greek champ and somewhat of a rough customer on the mat when occasion demands, will meet Tiger Dixon of Philadelphia, a vicious opponent for any wrestler.

The match is to a finish, best two falls out of three, and Sam W. Faust, promoter, declares that it is to be one of the best of the season.

Another feature of the entertainment will be a six-round boxing bout between Jack Shields of San Angelo, negro knock-out artist and Horace Hubbard of Ozona. Both negroes are heavyweights and are going through stiff workouts in preparation for the bout. The preliminaries will begin at 8:45 Saturday night. If possible Londos will be in Ozona a day or two before the match and will work out with any local enthusiasts of the game, Faust said.

P. H. I. Arthur and Henry Clay Phillips and Walter Augustine were in San Antonio on business the first of the week.

## SADDLE SHOP PURCHASED BY DEL RIO MAN

Allen W. Jones Takes Over Stand Of Late L. A. McLemore

### WIDE EXPERIENCE

New Owner Has Been In Business Many Years

Allen W. Jones, formerly of Del Rio, a saddle maker of wide experience, has purchased the stock and fixtures of the late L. A. McLemore, who was found dead in his room at the Hotel Ozona about two weeks ago, according to announcement made this week. The consideration in the deal was not announced.

Joe Oberkamp, local hardware, furniture and sportings goods dealer, took over the stock of saddles, fishing tackle, sporting goods and notions carried by Mr. McLemore. Mr. Jones taking only the stock of leather goods and equipment. The new owner of the shop will deal exclusively in high class saddles and leather goods of all kinds. The shop will in the future be known as the Jones Saddlery.

The deal was closed between Mr. Jones and J. M. McLemore of Blooming Grove, Texas, a brother of the former Ozona man. Mr. McLemore and his sister, Mrs. S. M. Woodward also of Blooming Grove spent more than a week here straightening up the affairs of their brother.

Mr. Jones has for the last two years been connected with the Prosser Martin saddle shop in Del Rio. Prior to that time he operated a shop of his own at Sabinal and worked for many years in other shops. He is recognized as one of the best saddle makers in this section and has an established clientele. He is married and has one daughter, about thirteen years old. Mr. Jones was in Del Rio over the week end disposing of his interests there and expects to bring his family here to live within the next few days.

## Here's A Negro Who Wouldn't Trust His Dogs, 'Borrows' Ford

The law of the land may be a factor to be considered most of the time, but when you're the object of the search of an irate acquaintance whose hip pocket is bulging with a nasty looking revolver the law of self preservation comes in for its inevitable play.

At any rate that's the case when the principals are negroes.

Two local negroes found it impossible to settle an argument amably Sunday night and finally came to blows, the difficulty being of such a nature that one of them hastened to other parts with the avowed intention of getting a gun to settle the dispute.

The other negro decided then that the situation was getting serious and that it was time for him to act to prevent bloodshed. But he didn't do what one of his race might have been expected to do; he didn't trust his pups to carry him to safety. Instead he hopped into one of Morris Dudley's Fords and hit for the wide open spaces.

As it happened, the negro found to his sorrow that his dogs would have been much more trust worthy than the modern gas buggy, for a few miles out on the Sheffield road, the car wouldn't hurry a long quite like the driver wished and the result was that it went into a ditch upside down and the negro is now debating whether his injuries would have been more serious had he waited for the gunman to re-appear. But he is grateful that the owner of the car understood his predicament and didn't file charges against him.

## LOST—Jersey heifer, branded F on left hip. Strayed from pen back of my store. Phone Fernine Aguierre. Adv. 43 2p

## ROAD-SCHOOL BOND ISSUE PROPOSED AT C. C. MEET COMMITTEES TO GET DATA

The first guns in a campaign for two bond issues in Crockett County, one for construction of a road between Barnhart and Ozona and another for the construction of a new school building in Ozona were fired at a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Monday night, with more than forty members of the organization present.

Two committees were appointed one to make an investigation into the possible cost of building the road and what state and federal aid the county may expect on the project, and the other to confer with architects, school authorities etc. to determine what is needed here in the way of additional school facilities and what amount of bonds would be necessary to meet the need. Members of the two committees are as follows:

- GOOD ROADS COMMITTEE  
H. B. Cox  
Aaron Cummings  
Monroe Baggett  
P. L. Childress  
J. S. Pierce, Sr.

- SCHOOL BOND COMMITTEE  
Judge C. E. Davidson  
John R. Bailey  
Jones Miller  
W. R. Baggett  
Tom Smith

These committees were instructed to gather all data possible, to report progress made from time to time and to make their final reports to the organization as soon as possible.

Mr. Bailey who is president of the School Board, pointed out that the Ozona Schools are in desperate need of more room. The state supervisor has been pointing out this need to local school authorities for several years and action must be taken soon or the Ozona school will lose its affiliation, Mr. Bailey declared.

"You can put those fellows off for a few years," he said "but not for always."

Mr. Bailey declared that it had been estimated that \$50,000 would be necessary to take care of the school building needs, but that this figure would be subject to the committee's investigation. A basement floor to be devoted to an auditorium is one of the plans in mind of school authorities, he said.

Although no vote was taken on the attitude of those present toward the proposed bond issues, the membership present voted unanimously through a rising vote for the appointment of the two committees to investigate the cost of the two projects, and to gather all preliminary data regarding the proposal.

The attendance at this week's meeting of the Chamber was better than it has been in several meetings. Twenty four enjoyed a supper given in the hotel ball room previous to the opening of the business session and approximately 20 others joined the assembly after the meal.

Those present enjoyed one of the best musical programs that has ever been presented to the body. The Ozona Orchestra volunteered its services for the evening and played several numbers while Mrs. John Henderson, Jr. varied the program with several vocal numbers that were greatly enjoyed. The orchestra at present is composed of nine members, with a well rounded aggregation of instruments. A rising vote of thanks was extended the orchestra for its splendid program.

Two interested listeners to the good roads discussion were Joe B. Johnston and Mr. Magruder of Mertzon, who were visitors to the meeting. Mr. Johnston is president of the newly organized Mertzon Chamber of Commerce and Mr. Magruder is vice president. Both addressed the local Chamber, telling of the progress of their organization and the road building pro-

ject now up for discussion in Irion County. Mr. Magruder declared that Tom Green County is almost certain to surface its roads to the Irion County line and that leaders of the movement in Irion County were confident that a bond issue would go over in that county. In that case, if Crockett County connects at Barnhart people in this section will have a good road all the way into San Angelo.

At the beginning of the business session, members of the Chamber stood for a moment in silence out of respect for the memory of the late L. A. McLemore, an ardent member of the body who died on the evening of the last meeting. A committee composed of Dr. G. L. Coates, Scott Peters and W. E. Smith was appointed to draw up suitable resolutions on his death. Victor Pierce reported on the activities of the membership committee, declaring that 27 new members of the organization had been secured.

Many persons do not attend the Chamber meetings because they are under the impression that they must attend the suppers also. Mr. Pierce reported. President Couch explained that attending the suppers was optional, that those who wished might partake of the "fed" but that others would welcome to come in for the business session.

The organization went on record as endorsing Roy Hudspeith of Del Rio for appointment to membership on the Texas Tax Revision Committee and a letter has been written to Governor Dan Moody urging him to appoint Mr. Hudspeith to that post.

## Operetta Draws A Packed House

Players Make Big Hit With Audience In Musical Playlet

A packed house greeted players in the operetta "Hearts and Blossoms" presented at the Ozona Theater Friday night by a group of local young people under the direction of Mrs. Homer Adams.

The operetta was a splendid success and was thoroughly enjoyed by the audience. The players showed the result of careful preparation and direction and the general verdict of the audience was that "Hearts and Blossoms" was one of the best local talent affairs ever staged here.

The leading roles were taken by Miss Lula Mae Evans as Mrs. Manning, Misses Floy Friend and Louise Coates as her daughters, and W. E. Friend, Jr. as Phillip Brandon and Richard Flowers as Jerry Higgins, lovers of the two Manning girls. Miss Marie Doty as Malindy, a lady of color, Kelly King the absent-minded man, and Frank Russell as Samson Bonapart, an ebony-hued bell-boy, also did well in important roles. The chorus was happily chosen, composed of Carcie Stricklen, Ethel Childress, Mattie D. Word, Robert Augustine, Bob Weaver, Edward Grimmer and Clayton McCollum.

Miss Friend and Miss Coates both did exceptionally well in their parts. They were both in splendid voice and displayed considerable histrionic ability. Miss Evans also made a hit with the audience. Although her singing parts were scarce, she was called upon for considerable acting and showed marked ability. Richard Flowers and W. E. Friend also handled difficult parts splendidly.

Wanted—One incubator of about one hundred capacity. Give make and condition of machine also price. Telephone 20. 2ip



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It takes a strong back to ride over Ozona streets in a light car. What a wonderful difference just a little grading would make.

West Texas was probably never in better condition nor with more glowing promise of further prosperity than it is at present. And with oil development looking up, there's a rose tinted future looming on the horizon for Crockett County.

More than 100 club women from all sections of the state are to be in Ozona for the three-day convention of the sixth district of the Federated Women's Clubs of Texas May 3, 4 and 5. Local club women are making elaborate preparations for that event and if plans they have outlined are carried out visitors to Ozona will have the surprise of their lives at the entertainment and careful preparation that a town the size of Ozona offers.

Some folk may consider the impression a town makes on a visitor a small matter, but the impression that Ozona makes on these visiting women is going to mean a lot. There will be women here from all parts of the state, as well as from the sixth district. This is election year in state club circles and the state convention not far distant. In view of that fact, local club women are expecting a large number of visitors from all parts of the state who are interested in various candidates for state offices. Just like the convention system of politics, the districts conventions have a heavy bearing on the final outcome, and for that reason the Ozona convention is considered of vast importance.

With the prospect for a large number of visitors it would serve Ozona well to put on her best dress for the occasion. Members of the local club can do a lot toward making preparations for the meeting and entertaining the visitors, but in order that the town might show its real hospitality, it will take the united effort of every body. Auto rides, parties, a round of golf for those who play (we hope it will be ready then,) luncheons and the like can be furnished if everybody takes a hand, and the visitors will carry off a good impression of Ozona.

Of course, it may not make any difference to you, but it does make a great deal to us — the fact that the Ozona Stockman is proving like a buttermilk-fed pig. Of course, also we wouldn't toot our own horn for the world, but just as a matter of information we'll whisper in your ear that the circulation of The Stockman has almost trebled in the last six months and is still growing.

Sleepless nights and some \$5,000 worth of additional improvements to the plant have contributed toward a realization of the ideal of the best weekly newspaper in West Texas for Crockett and adjoining counties and a printing plant capable of turning out work equal to anything in the city. We may have the guns leveled too high, but a half portion newspaper is worse than none at all—and we propose to publish a newspaper. And we believe the people of this section want a first class newspaper—otherwise we're not only badly fooled but also properly sneered at.

And while we're on the subject,

we'll drop a hint to the few who are yet in arrears on their subscriptions. You will soon receive the first of a series of three notices advising you of the dates of your expirations. We have no ambition to force this newspaper upon your expirations. We have no ambition on any reader. If it wont stand on its own feet at \$2 a year, we wont prop it up by sending it to those who do not ask for it.

It isn't a matter of not trusting one for an account. Many years of experience in the newspaper game have brought about a conclusion among publishers that the only satisfactory way both to readers and newspapers is prompt collection of subscriptions in advance or discontinuance of the paper at expiration. If that policy is pursued, a subscriber is not confronted with a bill for ten or fifteen years back subscription. Such bills make both the subscriber and the editor about as cheerful as a bull with a red rag tied to his horn. And with a policy of discontinuance of the paper at expiration after due notice has been given the subscriber the satisfaction of knowing that he can stop his paper whenever he likes and not have it come a year or so after he has ordered it stopped and then have to spend a few weeks arguing over the bill.

The proverbial dull summer months are not far distant. Of course, we don't anticipate that things will be altogether dull in Ozona, for we hope the golf course will be finished by that time and there'll be other things doing.

But just the same many folk will have some time on their hands as they usually do during those months and if there's an opportunity of livening things up a bit it should be seized.

Now, this is the idea. There is a lot of top-notch histrionic ability being wasted in Ozona. There are a lot of us who never dreamed we could act but who if given the opportunity would be a knockout. In addition to this lurking talent there is a lot of proven material in Ozona.

In fact, we believe there is ample material in Ozona for a first class Little Theater organization or a Dramatic Club at least. The little operetta staged last Friday night uncovered some rare talent and no doubt there are many others who would be just as good.

Hardly anything could more effectively put pep and ginger into community life during the summer months than a dramatic organization of this kind, staging a good play at intervals, furnishing good, high class entertainment with carefully selected talent. There is widespread interest in an undertaking of this kind and we believe that if those who are interested could get together in a meeting and talk it over, an organization could be formed and practice started on the first play in a few days.

**O. S. T. Manager Says Trail Is Now Better Than Southern Route**

The age old road conditions on the Old Spanish Trail in East Texas where cars have bogged and travel has been blocked for long periods are now matters of the past, according to announcement from Old Spanish Trail headquarters.

Over 100 miles of concrete and asphalt paving are completed; all bridges are completed. The Sabine River bridge between Texas and Louisiana, three miles long, is half completed; good ferries carry travel satisfactorily. Several short sections in East Texas are not yet paved but they will cause little trouble and they too will be completed in the next month or so. Old Spanish Trail travel may cross the 930 miles of South Texas with comfort now. O. S. T. officials state. Paving and improvements are constantly in progress at one point and another.

Because of the long distance from San Antonio to El Paso, 580 miles, Harral Ayres, the Managing Director, recently made a 1100 mile trip westward over the Old Spanish route and returned over the southern route sometimes called the Del Rio route.

On all counts the O. S. T. route through the Hill Country stood first according to his report. It is easier on the driver and on the car. There is more paving on the southern route but also more rough road and more dirt and clay. There are also 24 bumper gates and one hand gate on the southern route, and only one bumper gate on the O. S. T. route. The O. S. T. is almost completely fenced now and gates are no longer necessary. In case of storm there are more broad river beds on the southern route to maroon travelers with more chances of their being compelled to camp out in the wild country; same will be true in case of a crippled car. Both routes are scenically fine; both are well worth traveling and both are rapidly being improved.

The O. S. T. route is through the heart of the hill country and tributary to numerous prosperous and growing centers of West Texas. The hotels are satisfactorily distributed; there are three new hotels — Kerrville, Junction and Ozona while at Ft. Stockton the leading hotel is being enlarged. All the O. S. T. towns have well equipped garages.

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**SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Court-house of Ozona, Texas, on Saturday, April 2nd, 1927 for the purpose of electing two School Trustees for Common School District No. 1, of Crockett County to succeed John R. Bailey and J. J. North. We hereby appoint W. W. Childress, John W. Young and Jones Miller to hold said election.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.  
By John R. Bailey, President.  
—Adv. 42-3.

**P. H. I.**

Mrs. L. T. Schrank is a trained nurse and is open for appointment at any time. Phone 124. 42-2t.

Send your plain sewing and quilting to Mrs. S. F. Richardson, phone 129. 41-3tp

When you need windmill repair work, call me. I have a complete new outfit and will do your work promptly.  
Call 45. Drennan Hotel, J. D. Pomeroy. Adv 43-4tp

George Montgomery of Comanche who has been visiting relatives here returned home Tuesday. Mr. Montgomery is planning to return with his family to live in Ozona as soon as the present school term is finished.

T. A. Kincaid was in San Angelo on business Saturday.

**P. H. I.**

**Priced to Sell-For Cash**

**Stock Reduction Sale**

Starting 22nd and lasting until 26th.

We have some fourteen hundred dollars excess stock which we will sell in the next few days at a wholesale figure. Don't wait until the last minute—Get it now while it is still in stock.

**A FEW OF THE ITEMS and PRICES**

No. 1	19c.	Crystal White soap per cs.	\$4.60
Black handle brooms	\$1.19	20 bars	\$1.00
Yellow handle brooms	\$1.05	Preserves 5lb jar	\$1.42, 2lb 71c.
White handle brooms	\$1.10	Red Pitted Cherries per can	31c.
Kellogg Corn Flakes	10c.	Red Kidney Beans per can	12c.
2 lb Schilling coffee	\$1.10	Wesson Oil per qt.	61c. per pt. 32c
4 lb Schilling coffee	\$2.18	Lipton's Tea per lb	97c.
Almonds per lb	23c.	1/2 lb	50c.
1 qt. Grape Juice	61c.	1/4 lb	26c.
1 pt. Grape Juice	31c.	American Beauty Flour	
Marshmallow Strawberry Flavor	9c.	24 lb	\$1.28
Peaberry Coffee 50c. grade	42c.	48 lb	\$2.48
Jersey Maid hand-dipped Chocolates per lb	62c.	Spuds 20 lb	\$1.00
Puritan Malt per can	75c.	Sugar 25 lb	\$2.10
American spaghetti per can	16c.	Sugar 10 lb	96c.
K. C. Baking Powder		Sugar 5 lb	49c.
16 oz.	21c.	Calumet Baking Pwd. per lb	32c.
50 oz.	43c.	2 1/2 lb	73c. 5 lb \$1.33
80 oz.	73c.	SALMON	
No. 2 Tomatoes	12c.	Red 1 lb flat can	41c.
No. 1 Tomatoes	8c.	Red 1/2 lb flat can	28c.
No. 3 Tomatoes	16c.	Pink 1 lb	31c.
No. 2 1/2 Hominy	15c.	Breakfast Delight coffee 5lb	2.49
No. 2 Hominy	10c.	Hershey Cocoa 1 lb	44c.
Libby Salad Asparagus pts.	32c.	1/2 lb	23 c. 1/4 lb 13c.
No. 2 1/2 Pumpkin	28c.	Lipton's Cocoa 1/2 lb	21c.
Oval Sardines tomato sauce	15c.	Jolly Time Corn per can	14c.
Prince Albert per carton	\$3.40	Oxford Bacon by strips	30c.
Libby Peaches Sliced or Halves		Premium Bacon by strips	44c.
No. 2 1/2	31c.	Empire Bacon by strips	33c.
		1 lb sliced	49c.

Everything in the house reduced.

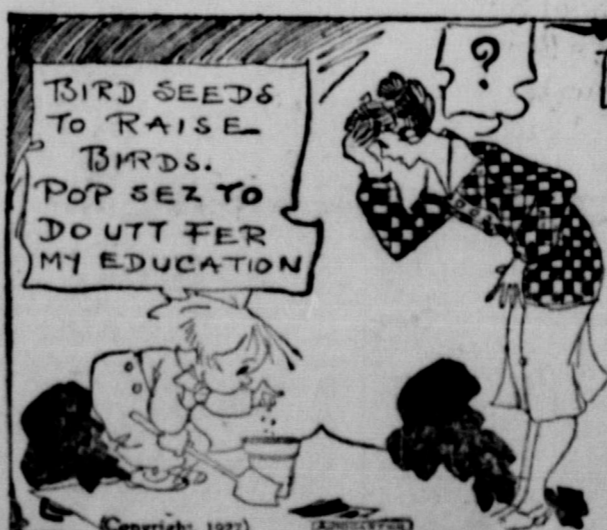
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**P. H. I.**

**JUNIOR CLASS TO MERTZON**

The hard-hit Junior Class tried Saturday to replenish its burglarized purse by carrying its "Old Maid's Club" to Merton. About \$30 was netted by the trip. Miss Thompson, Miss Kaderli, and Mr. Floyd represented the faculty on the trip. The Juniors are planning a new-type carnival to round out this \$30 into sufficient funds to stage the annual junior-senior banquet. The public is showing a sympathetic attitude toward this luckless class.

**FORTY TWO PARTY**

Mrs. Bert Kincaid, Mrs. L. B. Adams and Mrs. Ben Robertson entertained a large number of friends with a delightful forty-two party at the Hotel Ozona last Thursday night. In honor of the day all decorations were in regular St. Patrick day colors.

J. H. Young has sold his five-acre hanch east of Ozona to Geo. Harrell of this city, the deal representing a total of \$26,000.

**Former Ozona Man Writes Of West For Triple X Magazine**

Allan R. Bosworth formerly of Ozona, is now listed as one of the most popular authors whose work regularly appears in Triple-X one of the country's leading magazines of western-adventure stories published by Fawcett Publications, Inc., Robbinsdale, Minn.

Included among the stories this author has written for Triple-X are "The Sheik of Seven N", "The Sleep Buster", "When Bar-S Went Bolshevik", and his latest story, "Brands Don't Lie", which will appear in the June issue of Triple-X. Continued on page 8

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY

**CONSTABLE OF CROCKETT COUNTY—GREETING:**

**YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED** To summon Harl Stirman by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 83rd Judicial District; to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Crockett County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Ozona on the 4th Monday in April A. D. 1927; the same being the 25th day of April A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 10th day of December A. D. 1926, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court, No. 409, wherein Will P. Edwards is Plaintiff and Harl Stirman, The Wool Growers Central Storage Company, a corporation, and H. B. Cox are Defendants and the cause of action being alleged as follows:

Plaintiff sues Harl Stirman to recover the full sum of \$7,116.74 with ten per cent interest per annum thereon from April 1, 1926, and ten per cent on said debt as attorney's fees; said note dated October 3, 1925, and due and payable to plaintiff at Big Spring, Texas, April 1, 1926; Also to foreclose certain Chattel Mortgage liens given by Harl Stirman to Clayton Stewart dated June 25, 1923, and to the West Texas Loan Company, Chattel Mortgage lien dated December 20, 1923; a Chattel Mortgage lien given by Harl Stirman to the West Texas Loan Company dated June 16, 1924; a Chattel Mortgage lien given by Harl Stirman to plaintiff Will P. Edwards dated November 13, 1924 and to Chattel Mortgage given by said Harl Stirman to plaintiff March 24, 1925, and to Chattel Mortgage lien given by said Harl Stirman to plaintiff October 22, 1925,— to secure the note herein sued on. Each and all of said mortgages were given by Harl Stirman on sheep, their increase, accretions and additions purchased by him from Clayton Stewart on or about June 25, 1923. Plaintiff sets up each and all of said mortgages and alleges that each subsequent mortgage is a renewal of the other and the notes subsequent to three notes given by Harl Stirman to Clayton Stewart

in the purchase of said notes, and in renewal of the same the last note herein sued on, being the remaining part or portion of said indebtedness unpaid. The plaintiff prays the foreclosure of said mortgage liens against each and all of the defendants above named on 1500 ewes, 325 ewe lambs, now grown sheep, including about 1200 lambs, the offspring of said flock of sheep born in the Spring of 1926, which plaintiff alleges to

be of the total value of \$20,600.00. That the defendants have conspired together—the said Harl Stirman making a pretended sale of said sheep to The Wool Growers Central Storage Company, and it having made a pretended sale thereof to H. B. Cox for the purpose of defrauding and defeating plaintiff in the collection of his debt and foreclosure of his mortgage lien on said sheep. Plaintiff prays judgment against Harl Stir-

man for his debt, against all defendants foreclosing his mortgage liens on said sheep, and that they be sold to pay said debt. In the second Count in said Amended pleading, the plaintiff alleges that Harl Stirman, The Wool Growers Central Storage Company and H. B. Cox have converted said sheep to their own use and benefit, and plaintiff prays for judgment against each and all of said parties, jointly and severally, for the amount of his debt, interest, attorney fees and costs of suit, and that execution issue to enforce payment of the same. A fuller

description of said cause of action is shown by said Amended Petition now on file in this office.

**HEREIN FAIL NOT,** But have you before said Court, on said day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

**WITNESS MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL** At my office in Ozona Texas, this 13th day of December A. D. 1926.

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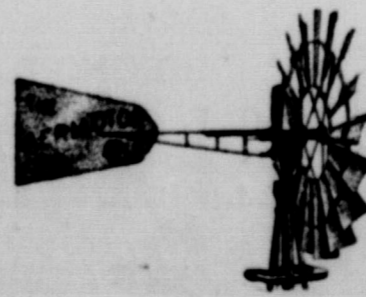
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**WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE**

It is 1868 and the Pacific Railroad has reached its newest "farthest west"—Benton, Wyoming, a town described as "roaring", as was

Frank Beeson, a young man from Albany, New York, comes here because he is in search of health and Benton is considered "high and dry".

Edna Montoyo, a fellow passenger on the train from Omaha, impresses Beeson with the beauty of her blue eyes and the style of her apparel. Equally she astonished him by taking a smile of brandy before breakfast. A brakeman tells Beeson she has followed her man to Benton.

Jim a typical western ruffian, whom she knows apparently well insults her and is floored by Frank whose prowess impresses the passengers.

Col. Lunderson and Bill Brady volunteer to entertain young Beeson.

Frank avoids being caught by any of the numerous gambling games, but is robbed of all his money.

At the "Big Tent" Beeson again meets the Lady with the Blue Eyes. At "Monte" someone turns up the corner of the winning Queen of Hearts and Beeson, his whole \$22 bet on it, turns the card which instead of being the Queen is the Eight of Clubs.

George Jenks, a teamster in a wagon train about to leave for Salt Lake City.

**For A Woman's Smile**

Jenks stiffened, bristling.

"Mind your words, Adams. I'm under no Mormon thumb. As for your brat on horseback, he'd better hold his yap."

I sprang forward. Defend her I must. She should not stand there—slight, lovely brave aflame with the helplessness of a woman alone and insulted.

"Wait!" implored. "Give her a chance. You haven't heard her story. All she wants is protection. I know the cur she's getting away from. I saw him strike her. You've got women there who'll care for her!"

I felt her instant look. She spoke palpitant.

"You have one man among you all. But I'm going. Good-night, gentlemen."

Captain Adams was frowning sternly, his heavy face unsoftened.

"Why come you here?"

"My husband has been abusing me, and I shot him."

"You killed him, woman?"

"Not yet! He's likely fleeing the public at this very moment."

"And those garments!" Captain Adams accused. "You wish to show your shape, woman, to tempt men's eye with the flesh?"

She smiled.

"Would you have me jump from a train in skirts, sir? But to soothe your mind I will say that I wore these clothes under my proper attire and cloak until the last moment."

A new voice sounded.

"She shall stay, Hyrum? For the night, at least? I will look after her."

The Captain's younger wife Rachel, had stepped to him. Pending reply I hastened directly to My Lady herself and detained her by her jacket sleeve.

"Walk," I bade.

"You would take her in, Rachel? the Captain rumbled.

"We are commanded to feed the hungry and shelter the homeless, Hyrum."

"Verily, that is so. Take her. But in God's name, clothe her for the daylight in decency. She shall not advertise her flesh to men's eyes!"

"Quick!" I whispered with a push. Rachel however, had crossed for us.

"Will you come with me, please? she invited.

"Yes," sighed My Lady, wearily. "Good-night, sir." She fleetingly smiled upon me. "I thank you, and Mr. Jenks."

They went, Rachel's arm around her.

Daniel pressed beside Captain Adams, talking eagerly.

"She's powerful party, ain't she, paw! Gosh, I never seen a woman in britches before! Did ya? Paw! She kin ride in my wagon, paw. Be you going to take her on, paw? If you be, I get room."

"Go! Tend to your stock and think of other things," boomed the father. "Remember what the Scriptures say: 'Beware of the scarlet woman!'"

Daniel galloped away, whooping like an idiot.

Our group dispersed, each man to his blanket under the wagon or in the open.

"Wall," Jenks uttered, in last words as he turned over with a grunt, "hooray! If it simmers down to you and Dan I'll be there. With that enigmatical comment he was silent save for his stertorous breathing.

Vaguely cogitating over his promise I lay toes and face up, staring at the bright stars; perplexed more and more over the immediate events of the future, warmly conscious of her astonishing proximity in this very train, prickled with the hope that she would continue with us, irritated by the various assumptions of Daniel, and somehow not at all adverse to the memory of her in "britches".

That phase of the matter seemed to have affected Daniel and me similarly. Under his hide he was human.

It was after sunup that a horseman bowed in at a gallop, over the road from the east.

"Montoyo," Jenks pronounced, in a grumble of disgust rather than with any note of alarm.

I saw him give a twitch to his holster and slightly loosen the Colt's.

As it chanced, our outfit was the first upon the gambler's way.

"Howdy, gentlemen?"

"Howdy, yourself, sir," answered Mr. Jenks. Montoyo was pale as death, his lips hard set, his peculiar gray eyes and his black moustache the only vivifying feature in his coldly menacing countenance.

He looked upon me, with a trace of recognition less to be seen than

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felt. His glance leaped to the wagon—traveled swiftly and surely and turned to Mr. Jenks.

"I'm looking for my wife, gentlemen. Have you seen her?"

"Yes, sir. We'll not beat around any bush over that," replied Jenks. He meditated, frowning a bit, eyeing us narrowly.

"I had the notion," he said. "If you have staked her to shelter, I thank you; but I aim to play the hand myself. This is strictly a private game. Where is she?"

"I call yuh, Pedro," my friend answered. "We ain't keeping cases on her, or on you. You don't find her in my outfit, that's flat. She spent the night with the Adams women. You'll find her waiting for you, on ahead." He grinned.

"She'll be powerful glad to see you He sobered. "And I'll say this: I'm kinder sorry I ain't got her, for she'd be interesting company on the road."

"The road to hell, yes," Montoyo coolly remarked. "I'll guarantee you quick passage." Good-day.

With sudden steely glare that embraced us both he jumped his mount into a gallop and tore past the team, for the front.

I could hold back no longer, and hastening on up, half running in my anxiety to face the worst; to help, if I might, for the best.

A little knot of people had formed, constantly increasing by oncomers like myself and friend

Jenks who had lumbered up behind me.

Montoyo's horse stood heaving on the outskirts; and ruthlessly pushing through I found him inside, with My Lady at bay before

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him—her eyes brilliant, her cheeks hot, her two hands clenched tightly, and the arm of the brightly flushed but calm Rachel resting

restraintfully around her. Captain Adams, at one side a-

part was talking to the gambler.

"You see here," he said. "She has had the care of my own household, for I turn nobody away. She came against my will, and she

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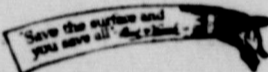
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shall go of her will. I a mnot her keeper!"

"You Mormons have the advantage of us white men, sir," Montoyo sneered. "No one of the sex seems to be denied bed and board in your establishments."

"By the help of the Lord we of the elect can manage our establishments much better than you do yours," big Hyrum responded; and his face sobered. "Who are you? A panderer to the devil, a thief with painted cardboards, a despoiler of the ignorant, and a feeder to hell—yea, a striker of women and a trafficker in flesh! Who are you to speak the name of the Lord's anointed? There she is, your chattel. Take her, or leave her. This train starts on in ten minutes."

"I'll take her or kill her," Montoyo snarled. "You call me a feeder, but she shall not be fed to your mill, Adams. You'll get on that horse pronto, Madam," he added, stepping forward (no one could question his nerve), "and we'll dis-

cuss our affairs in private."

She cast about with a swift beseeching look, as if for a friendly face or a sign of rescue. With a spring I burst in.

But somebody already had drawn fresh attention. Daniel Adams was standing between her and her husband.

"Say, mister, will you fight?" he drawled.

Montoyo surveyed him.

"Why?"

"For her, o' course."

The gambler smiled—a slow con temptuous smile while his gray eyes focused watchfully.

"It's a case where I have nothing to gain," said he. "And you've nothing to lose. I never bet in the teeth of a pat hand. Sabe? Besides, my young Mormon cub, where's your ante? For the sport of it now, what do you think of putting up, make it interesting? One of your mummies? Tut, tut!"

Daniel's right hand stiffened at his side—extended there flat and tremulous like the vibrant tail of

a rattle snake. He blurted harshly.

"I 'laow to kill you for that! Draw, you—!"

We caught breath. Montoyo's revolver poised half-way out of the scabbard, held rigidly frozen in mid-course.

For Daniel had laughed loudly over leveled barrel.

How he had achieved so quickly no man of us knew. Yet there it was—his Colt, out, cocked, wicked and yearning and ready.

"Haow'll you take it, Mister? he gibed. "I could larn an old caow to beat you on the draw. Aw, shucks! I 'laow yu'd better go back to your paste-boards. Naow git!"

Montoyo his eyes steady scarcely changed expression. He let his revolver slip down into its scabbard. Then he smiled.

"You have a pretty trick," he commented relaxing. "Some day I'd like to test it again. Just now I ask, Madam, are you coming?"

"You know I'm not," she uttered clearly.

"Your choice of company is hardly to your credit," he sneered. "Or I should say, to your education. Saintliness does not fall well upon you, madam. Of your two champions—"

And here I realized that I was standing out, one foot advanced, my fists foolishly doubled, my presence a useful factor.

"I recommend the gentleman from New York as more to your taste. But you are going of your own free will. You will always be my wife. You can't get away from that, you devil. I shall expect you in Benton, for I have a hunch that your pretty little flight will fetch you back pretty well tamed, to the place where damaged goods are not so heavily discounted."

With that he strode straight for his horse, climbed aboard (a trifle awkwardly by reason of his one arm disabled) and galloped, granting us not another glance.

Card shark and desperado that he was, his consummate aplomb nobody could deny, except Daniel,

now capering and swaggering and twirling his revolver.

"I showed him. I made him take water. I 'laow I'm about the best man with a six-shooter in these parts."

"Ketch up and stretch out," Captain Ahams ordered, disregarding. "We've no more time for foolery." My eyes met My Lady's. She smiled a little ruefully, and I responded, shamed by the poor role I had borne. With that jubilating out to the fore, certainly I cut small figure!

**Continued Next Week**

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The boys were accompanied by Scoutmaster John L. Bishop and T. K. Kirkpatrick.

Pleas Childress and L. B. Cox were in Big Lake on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boerner are here from Floydada to visit their

daughter, Mrs. J. M. Baggett and family.

**P. H. I. Bible Class Enjoys Mexican Supper At Church Thurs. Night**

Members of the Friendship Bible Class of the First Methodist Church enjoyed a Mexican supper in the banquet room of the church Thursday evening, when the young men of the class were hosts to the women.

The supper was prepared and served by the men, Richard Flowers and T. K. Kirkpatrick, garbed in typical caballero fashion, serving the steaming dishes to the guests with unexpected ability. Leonard Hensley, Mrs. Stanley Haver and Mrs. Hugh Childress presided over the kitchen.

During the meal members of the class enjoyed a splendid program by a Mexican orchestra. Jake Young also entertained with a snappy jig to the tune of "Turkey in the Straw" played by the orchestra.

Plans for a negro minstrel to be staged at an early date were discussed and a few of the parts tentatively assigned members of the class. A committee composed of Miss Marie Doty and Mr. and Mrs. Evert White was appointed to decide on a date for the minstrel and to see about arrangements. The minstrel plan was further discussed at a meeting of the class Tuesday night.

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That was Lincoln's early ambition and one which subsequent events indicate he kept through life.

Contrast with that Napoleon's professed life ambition:

"I propose to make the Mediterranean a French lake!"

In the two the whole life story of each is contained—their achievements and their place in the mind of posterity.

What is your ambition?

If you didn't have to tell anyone but just by wishing after you had gone to bed could make it come true, what one thing would you like to do most?

Would it be to have something dred thousand dollars, put it into safe bonds, and have an income

assured that would enable you to be protected from want the rest of your life?

Would it be to be elected to a high office, to write a "best seller" or get in the movies, or what?

Would it be to have something, to do something, or to be something?

Just what is your particular ambition?

There are two things to remember about ambition.

Ambition of the right sort is one of the most valuable characteristics of a worthwhile man. It is nothing to be ashamed of.

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 IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF  
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 TY-THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
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 1927.  
 TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CON-

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the nearest county where a news-  
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 J. B. Miller and if dead his heirs;  
 S. Miller, wife of J. B. Miller, and  
 if dead her heirs; Mrs. L. E. Nun-  
 nally and if dead her heirs; A. C.  
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 son, wife of D. W. McGlasson, and  
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 house thereof, in the city of Austin,  
 on the first Monday in May,  
 A. D. 1927, being the 2nd day of  
 said month, file number being 43-  
 957, then and there to answer the  
 petition of Lora Sovereign Bugbey,  
 (nee Lora Sovereign), joined by  
 her husband, Willard S. Bugbey,  
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 deed on said property to secure  
 the payment of a note for \$1633.35  
 which note afterwards became the  
 property of A. H. Esty and C. H.  
 Esty, who foreclosed said note and  
 vendor's lien in this court in cause  
 No. 13,749, styled A. H. & C. H.  
 Esty vs. J. T. Crawford, et al,  
 wherein decree of foreclosure was  
 rendered in their favor against  
 said defendants on December 22nd  
 1898, on all of said property save  
 and except said Survey No. 9,  
 which through clerical error was  
 not foreclosed on, and all of the re-  
 mainder of said property was pur-  
 chased under said foreclosure sales  
 by said A. H. Esty and C. H. Es-  
 ty and E. M. House as shown by  
 the records of this court; that  
 thereafter the said A. H. Esty and  
 C. H. Esty, as the holders and own-  
 ers of said note and vendor's lien  
 rescinded said sale as to said Sur-  
 vey No. 9, and sold and conveyed  
 said survey together with all of  
 said other surveys to E. M. House,  
 who sold and conveyed all of the  
 same person as Lora Sovereign  
 Bugbey; that the said A. C. Hun-  
 ter and if he be dead his heirs  
 hold whatever title they have to  
 said property in trust for Plain-  
 tiffs who with their said grantors  
 have been mortgagees in possession  
 of said property from and since  
 said foreclosure sales, and plain-  
 tiffs are entitled to have such title  
 as remained in said A. C. Hunter  
 and his heirs decreed by this  
 Court to be vested in them, and  
 they offer to do equity as may be  
 decreed by the Court; that the  
 plaintiffs are further claiming  
 said land under the statute of limi-  
 tation for a period of over five  
 years; plaintiffs further pray for  
 such order as they may be entitled  
 to in connection with said old suit  
 above mentioned and for general  
 relief.

All of which more fully appears  
 from Plaintiffs original petition on  
 file in this office.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have  
 you then and there before said  
 Court this writ, with your return  
 thereon, showing how you have ex-  
 ecuted the same.

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**P. H. I.**

**Programs for the Week of Prayer**  
 March 21 - 25, 1927  
 MONDAY

Subject: Americans Always.  
 Piano Solo: "The Star Spangled Banner"—Mrs. M. M. Fulmer.  
 Hymn: "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name."  
 Devotional: Mrs. Jno. Mitchell.  
 Prayer  
 Talk: The Indians and the Work of the Home Mission Board among  
 them—Mrs. C. R. Word.  
 The Jesus Way Wigwag: Mrs. J. A. Floyd.  
 Hymn: "America the Beautiful."  
 Prayer  
 Talk: The Mountain People and Their Schools—Mrs. North.  
 The Life Everlasting: Mrs. F. A. Gray.  
 Talk: Home Mission Work among the Seamen and Soldiers—  
 Mrs. H. O. Word.  
 Hymn: "Rescue the Perishing."  
 Prayer

TUESDAY

Subject: Americans by Immigration.  
 Piano Solo: "Columbia the Gem of the Ocean"—Mrs. L. L. Bewley.  
 Hymn: "Come Thou Fount."  
 Devotional: Mrs. Adams.  
 Prayer  
 Talk: Work among the Jews, the Chosen of God—Mrs. Deland.  
 Hymn: "In Loving Kindness."  
 Home Missions Truly Southern: Mrs. J. T. Keeton.  
 Talk: Work among the Foreigners—Mrs. H. Q. Lyles.  
 Hymn: "He Leadeth Me."  
 Prayer

WEDNESDAY

Subject: Evangelism and Enlistment.  
 Piano Solo: "Lest We Forget"—Mrs. M. M. Fulmer.  
 Hymn: "We Praise Thee Oh God."  
 Devotional: Mrs. Kay.  
 Prayer  
 Religious Status of the South: Mrs. Arthur Hoover.  
 Talk: Evangelism and Enlistment, work of the Home Mission Board  
 —Mrs. Fulmer.  
 How Can you Help this Church Serve this Community—Rev. Fulmer.  
 Prayer  
 Hymn: "Loyalty to Christ."  
 Prayer

THURSDAY

Subject: Near Neighbors.  
 Piano Solo: "America"—Mrs. L. L. Bewley.  
 Hymn: "Holy, Holy, Holy."  
 Devotional: Mrs. Grlmmer.  
 Talk: The Work In the Canal Zone—Mrs. Ernest Dunlap.  
 Talk: Mission Work in Cuba—Mrs. Mahler.  
 Hymn: "What a Friend We Have In Jesus."  
 Prayer  
 Heroic Giving in Cuba: Mrs. Watts.  
 Hymn: "Throw Out the Life-Line."  
 Prayer

FRIDAY

Subject: "America, America, God Shed His Grace on Thee."  
 Piano Solo: "Home, Sweet Home"—Mrs. Fulmer.  
 Devotional: Mrs. H. O. Word.  
 Hymn: "Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross."  
 Prayer  
 Discussion: The Attitude of the present-day Christians—Mrs. Lyles.  
 Discussion: The Keeping of the Sabbath Day—Mrs. O. W. Smith.  
 Come to Church on Sunday: Mrs. Patrick.  
 Hymn: "Is your Life a Channel of Blessings"  
 Prayer  
 Discussion: Do Christians Tithe—Mrs. North.  
 Discussion: Why should every Christian be a Seeker of Souls?  
 Mother Hoover.  
 Must the Missionaries do all the Sacrificing? Mrs. L. L. Bewley.  
 Hymn: "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord."  
 Prayer



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 session and for quieting of the ti-  
 tle of each and all of the land here  
 inafter described as follows:

All of those certain six sections  
 or surveys of land patented to  
 John T. Brackenridge, assignee of  
 T. W. & N. G. R. Co., and more  
 particularly described as follows:  
 Abstract No. 3394, Survey No. 5,  
 Block "G", Certificate No. 0-215,  
 T. W. & N. G. Ry. Co., 640 acres,  
 Patent No. 14, Vol. 64, and situ-  
 ated in Crockett County, Texas.

Abstract No. 3392, Survey No. 7,  
 Block "G", Certificate No. 0-205, T.  
 W. & N. G. Ry. Co., 640 acres Pat-  
 ent No. 12, Vol. 64, situated in  
 Crockett County, Texas.

Abstract No. 538, Survey No. 11,  
 Block G, Certificate No. 0-183, T.  
 W. & N. G. Ry. Co., 640 acres, Pat-  
 ent No. 9, Vol. 64, and situated in  
 Upton County, Texas.

Abstract No. 539, Survey No. 13,  
 Block "G", Certificate No. 0-192 T.  
 W. & N. G. Ry. Co., 640 acres, Pat-  
 ent No. 8, Vol. 64, and situated in  
 Upton County, Texas.

Survey No. 3, Block "G", Certi-  
 ficate No. 0-197 T. W. & N. G. Ry.  
 Co., Patent No. 15, Vol. 64, 640  
 acres, 213 acres of which is situat-  
 ed in Upton County, Texas, and  
 known as Abstract No. 540, and  
 427 acres of which is situated in  
 Crockett County, Texas, and  
 known as Abstract No. 4134.

Survey No. 9, Block "G", Certi-  
 ficate No. 0-208 T. W. & N. G. Ry.  
 Co., Patent No. 11, Vol. 64, 640  
 acres, 213 acres of which is situ-  
 ated in Upton County, Texas, and  
 known as Abstract No. 541, and  
 427 acres of which is situated in  
 Crockett County, Texas, and  
 known as Abstract No. 4133.

Plaintiffs allege that they were  
 in possession of all of the above  
 described property on March 12,  
 1927, and long prior thereto and  
 were entitled to such possession,  
 and that the defendants after-  
 wards on said date, unlawfully en-  
 tered upon and dispossessed them  
 of said property, and withhold  
 from them the possession thereof.

Plaintiffs further allege that the  
 said A. C. Hunter is the common  
 source of title to said property,  
 and that by deed dated August 8th  
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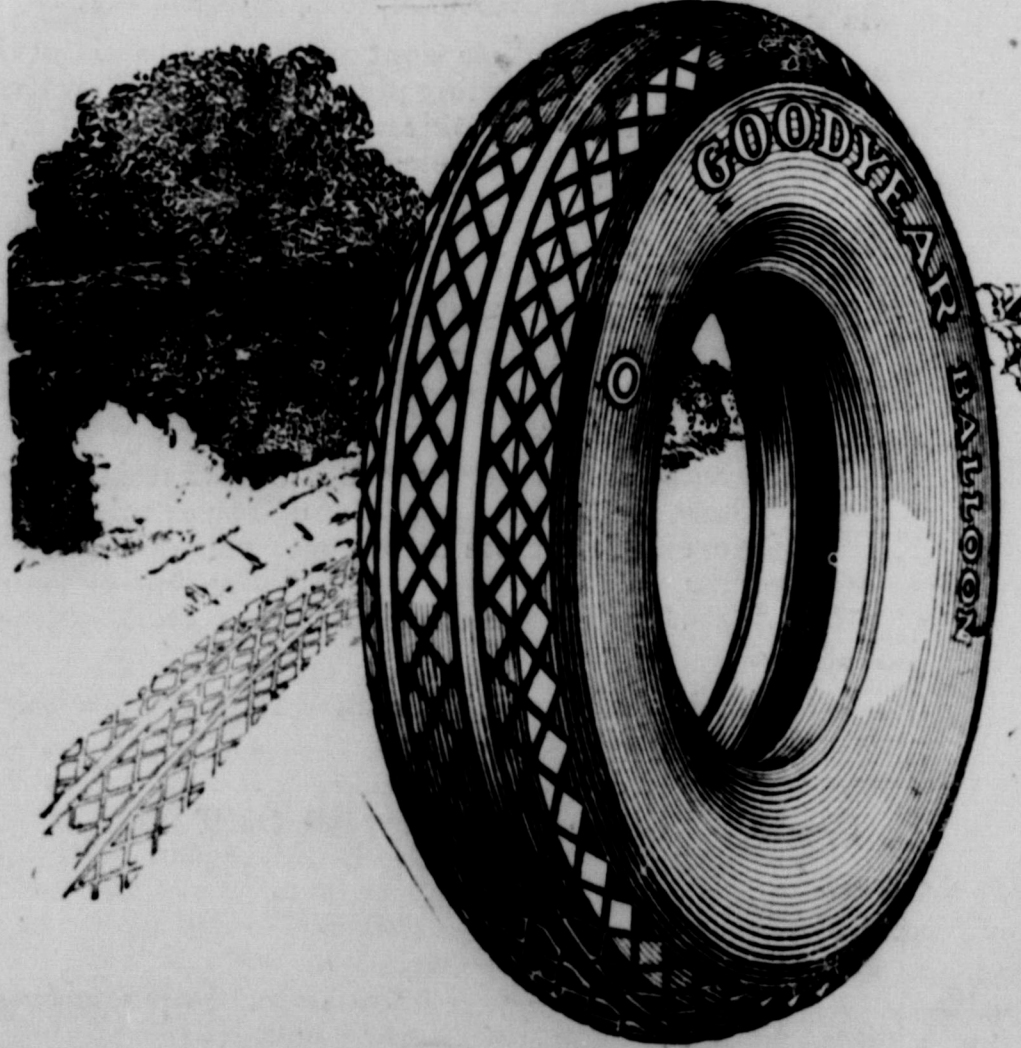
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**Primary Department Piano Nearly Paid Out**

For two weeks now the primary rooms have been enjoying the dandy little Meissner piano — "the little piano with the big tone". Two boys can easily move the piano from one room to another. The instrument is allowed to stay an equal period of time in each room. That room is music and assembly room for that period. Some splendid chapels have been held with the aid of the Meissner. A dedicatory service preceded the first chapel.

The primary rooms raised \$72 from the Tom Thumb Wedding. \$50 was already in the primary fund, while Mrs. Adams and her operetta Friday evening netted the fund another \$85 after all expenses had been met from the proceeds of \$123.80. A total of \$213 has been paid on the piano, which cost slightly less than \$300. It is hoped to clear the debt this term. Miss Doty and the Fifth Grade already have an entertainment under way looking to this end. The public is supporting the primary project in fine shape.

**Sixth Grade Carries On Correspondence With Jap Children**

Miss Chitwood and her Sixth Grade have been recently motivating their English work cultivating a correspondence with people in the places studied in geography. The most interesting of this correspondence is that carried on with Japanese and American children in Japan. Following is a sample of this correspondence.

American School in Japan  
Tokyo, Japan  
February 10th, 1927

Dear Ethel and Mary,  
Thank you very much for the interesting letter you sent us. We were very glad to receive a letter from Texas for we are going to study soon about the State of Texas. The letter that you have sent to us has given us quite an idea about Texas.

In the American School there are about a hundred and fifty boys and girls. The music teacher is a Russian, and has trained the chorus people to sing beautifully.

In summer in Japan there are many interesting games to play, but in winter the frost covers the ground that when the sun comes out and shines on it, the ground gets so muddy that we cannot play in most of the places. We run around the cement walk at recess time.

Japan is a very different than the United States. Japan is a very much quieter and there is not so much bustling as something as in the United States. The Japanese are very clever in doing things with hands, even shoes or "getas" are made of hand and many things which are manufactured by machine in America are made one by one by hand sitting down on their mats.

Since the earthquake things have changed very much in the city of Tokyo. There are many buildings up, not tall as the buildings of New York, but very flat and few stories. There are also many more motocar running up and down the street. But many people are too poor to buy motorcars so that there are many more bicycle used in Japan. Maybe Japan is one of the leading countries for bicycle use.

Also in Japan there are wonder-

P. H. I.

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ful places. That is beautiful spots. I will give you some post cards, to give an idea of Japan.

I am a Japanese a Japanese girl. In winter we spend our time in Tokyo, the capital of Japan. But in summer, we go to the seashore, Kamakura, which was the capital of Japan long ago. It is a very interesting place. We bathe everyday, and sometimes hire boats and go out to the deep places. Another place we go sometimes is Karui-zawa. It is a very good place where most of the foreign people go and spend their summer vacation.

I wish to thank you for the interesting letter.

Yours sincerely,

Haru Matsukata

P. S. Please send us some post-cards or some wool.

**YOU MUST KILL YOUR PRAIRIE DOGS**

With all kindness the Commissioners Court has given months of warning and the Court has at large expense bought for cash at wholesale the ingredients and is letting everyone have it at cost. Unfortunately the weather has not been propitious, but now the sun is shining. There is no place to stop now, and everyone knows that it is not a personal matter with the Court, but a real official duty to perform. It is so eminently unfair to let up now the Court wishes none to expect any let up in the matter of extermination of the prairie dog. Commissioners Court, Crockett Co. 7-38

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WITNESS, S. A. PHILQUIST, Clerk of the District Courts of Travis County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Austin, Texas, this 19th day of March, A. D. 1927.

(SEAL) S. A. Philquist

Clerk District Courts, Travis County, Texas. 43-4te.

Mrs. Kittle invites the ladies to call and see the line of crepe and Nellie Don dresses, also hats, underwear, fancy handkerchiefs, and corsages at Roy Parker's Tailor Shop Adv. 43-2

**CARD OF THANKS**

To the splendid and true friends of my Jimmie, who was taken so suddenly, I extend my sincere thanks and gratitude, for their wonderful consideration and love shown my Mother and me.

I pray that I may so live that I may merit even a small portion of the esteem and respect earned by Jimmie, and that I may be privileged to be as true and loyal a friend as he would have me be.

The floral messages were beautiful, and I feel those flowers waited their thoughts on to him.

Most Sincerely,

Mrs. Jim Moore

Mrs. Lucy A. Rees

J. H. Tippett, prominent rancher of Rankin, was a business visitor to Ozona Friday.

P. H. I.

WANTED—Man with car to sell complete line quality Auto Tires and Tubes. Exclusive Territory. Experience not necessary. Salary \$300.00 per month.

Milestone Rubber Company  
East Liverpool, Ohio. Adv.

Miss Mary Augustine has returned to her studies at C. I. A. Mrs. W. H. Augustine and Mrs. Hurst Meinecks took her as far as San Angelo Sunday. Mrs. Mary Augustine returned with them for a visit.

P. H. I.

Mrs. H. E. Broadus, president of the sixth district of the Federated Women's Clubs, was entertained by local club women at a luncheon given at the Hotel Ozona last Thursday on the occasion of her visit here in connection with the coming district convention to be held here in May.

Rev. and Mrs. Stanley Haver are in Goldthwaite this week where Rev. Haver is teaching a class in Sunday School organization and administration.

Misses Emma Phillips and Carolyn Fox and Mrs. Arthur Phillips spent the week end in Sterling City visiting Mrs. Phillips' mother, Mrs. C. N. Crawford. They were entertained by Mrs. Crawford with a 7-table bridge party at her home Saturday afternoon.

P. H. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Johnston of Mertzon were in Ozona the first

of the week visiting Mrs. Johnston's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Friend. Mr. Johnston also wished to attend the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Monday night.

**Cartridge Belt Of Noted Texas Bandit Given To University**

Austin Texas, Feb. 23 - In an effort to preserve as many historic relics as possible of noted figures of Texas' early history, considerable material concerning Sam Bass, the famed Texas bandit, has been gathered by the University of Texas library. The cartridge belt Bass is said to have worn in his last stand against the Texas Rangers at Round Rock in 1878 was presented the library some years ago by Sam Arnett of Lubbock Texas. There are exactly thirteen cartridges of .44 caliber remaining in the belt which gives mute evidence of hard wear. Two of the loops of leather holding the cartridges are broken and it is said they were cut by flying bullets during Bass' last fight. In addition to the belt, the University possesses considerable printed material about the Texas desperado. Original material selected by W. P. Webb, associate professor of history in the University, from the office of the adjutant general is also in the collection. Webb has spent much time following the history of the Texas Rangers.

P. H. I.

**How Doctors Treat Colds and the Flu**

To break up a cold overnight or to cut short an attack of grippe, influenza, sore throat or tonsillitis, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the purified and refined calomel compound tablet that gives you the effects of calomel and salts combined, without the unpleasant effects of either.

One or two Calotabs at bed-time with a swallow of water,—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with your eating, work or pleasure. Next morning your cold has vanished, your system is thoroughly purified and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please,—no danger.

Get a family package, containing full directions, only 35 cents. At any drug store. (adv)

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Louis Hall, Secretary-Treasurer



# What Price Beauty?

by Miss Flo



"Dear Miss Flo:  
Please tell me what to do to keep my hair from getting darker. It is bobbed, naturally curly and somewhat oily. I have been using lemon after a shampoo but it does not keep my hair light. Everybody says I should have my hair bleached as I have a naturally fair complexion. Please tell me of something harmless that I can use indefinitely without danger.

"M. L."  
In my opinion, when blonde hair begins to grow dark, the wisest thing to do is to let nature take its course, because it looks 100 per cent better when it is dark than when it is bleached, and there isn't a woman in the world who deceives any one but herself about the true color of her hair.  
It is a fact that we use cosmetics quite obviously, and we have become so accustomed to pink cheeks and rubylips that a face without makeup looks washed out and faded. But while a touch of rouge and lipstick gives freshness to even a mature face, dyed hair has quite a different effect. It hardens and coarsens the face, makes every line deeper, and every blemish more prominent.

I know of no bleach that will not dry and kill the hair if used constantly. Of course, preserving the natural color of the hair is quite different from bleaching it. Sometimes an egg shampoo is very good for keeping the hair light. Four eggs beaten up are used in place of soap for cleansing and lathering.  
The lemon rinse, while recommended usually as a preservative of the light tints, is not as satisfactory, as a rule, as it is claimed to be.  
Cammomile tea is excellent for retaining the natural color of the hair and can be used with perfect safety. Take about three table-spoonsful of the tea leaves—whch  
P. H. I.

you can purchase at any drug store for about fifteen cents—and steep them in a pint of water to which is added a little borax. Strain and use this as a rinse after the hair is thoroughly washed and free of soap.

A few drops of peroxide may be used instead of borax. It is added after the tea leaves have been strained. The drying effect of the peroxide is offset by the cammamil.

As a matter of fact, if the hair is smartly done its tint doesn't matter a bit so long as it's natural and the hair is beautifully groomed.

**POSTED**— My ranches lying in Crockett and Val Verde Counties. Trespassing positively forbidden. T. A. Kincaid. —Adv. 12-27.  
P. H. I.

A host of friends, neighbors, nieces, nephews, children and grandchildren, with her two brothers, V. A. and Quinley Cross, met at the home of V. A. Wills Wednesday with baskets filled with all kinds of eats. Mrs. Duva Levy brought the cake with 90 candles on it. Words could not express the happy look Grandma had when she was invited out in the yard to view the table that was spread in her honor.

She is very active, more especially in the art of embroidery, as she is ever toiling from day to day finishing pieces for her children and grandchildren, to give them for keep sakes. She is bright and gay, for a woman of her age. With the sweetest words that could come from human tongue, when she said yesterday, I will meet you all here next year or I hope you will meet me in the world above if I am not here.  
—Killeen Herald

Mrs. Wills is the mother of Mrs. Jones Miller of Ozona, and is well known among local people. Friends of Mrs. Miller here are

acquainted with the remarkably fine needle work done by Mrs. Wills, one of the prettiest pieces of her handiwork being a spread that is used constantly in the Church of Christ here, a gift from Mrs. Miller. Mrs. Wills at the age of 88 won first prize for embroidery work at the state fair.

**WANTED:** To hear from parties having blocks of oil leases for sale, or for drilling contracts. Please send plat and full particulars in first letter. W. A. CLINE COMPANY, Moran Kansas. 42-3tp

**NEW TEST IN CROCKETT**  
A new location is announced for the Shaffer well area in Crockett County. It is a quarter mile north and a quarter mile west of the Shaffer which is in section 9, block 47, Crockett County. It will be spudded in two weeks, and the rig is being moved in now.  
The Shaffer now is standing 400 feet in oil and after the outside casing has been pulled will be placed on the pump.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We take this means of expressing our sincere appreciation for the many loyal friends of our brother, the late L. A. McLemore, for the deeds of kindness done for him and words and expressions of sympathy to us while we were in your midst.  
May God's richest blessings always be yours.  
J. M. McLemore  
Mrs. S. M. Woodard

**BLUE LODGE**  
No. 747  
A. F. & A. M.  
Meets first Saturday on or before each full moon.  
Next meeting Saturday, April 16.  
C. J. Watts, W. M.  
Richard Flowers, Secy.  
Ozona Chapter No. 237  
R. A. M.  
Meets first Saturday on or after the new moon each month.  
Next meeting April 2



## Dance Club Is Organized Here

### Thirteen Enrolled As Charter Members Of New Body

With thirteen charter members enrolling, the Ozona Dance Club was organized at the Hotel Ozona following an impromptu dance given by a group of local enthusiasts. Officers of the club were elected as following: Chas. Davidson, Jr., President; R. L. Flowers, Vice P. H. I.

President; and Herbert Kittle, see by identifying property and paying for this ad. Call at Stockman office.

No definite dates were set for dances, this matter being left to the discretion of the officers. It was decided, however, to have a dance at the new hotel every four weeks.

Those enrolling as charter members in the organization were Richard Flowers, Leonard Hensley, Walter Kyle, Arthur Kyle, W. E. Friend, Jr., Boyd Clayton, Clay Adams, Herbert Kittle, Chas. Davidson, Jr., Marshall Montgomery, Frank Russell, Hugh Childress, Jr. and John R. Weaver.

**FOUND**— Bunch of keys in leather case. Owner may have same

by identifying property and paying for this ad. Call at Stockman office.

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All of these stories are of particular interest to West Texas in that the author has kept the locale of each story in the vicinity of the Pecos river and has accurately described the country, its manner of speech, and its customs of living. Several Crockett County brands are also used in the stories.

**FOR SALE**— One 1923 model Ford truck, \$125.00. Terms— \$25 cash and \$15 per month.  
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### GUARANTEED USED CARS

1926 Standard Buick Coupe, run 10,000 miles, fully equipped with front and rear bumpers, extra tire, motor meter. Formerly owned and driven by Ben Robertson. Just "broken in" good. A bargain.

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