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**EMPLOYMENT FOR ALL**  
**THOMAS EDISON A YOUNG MAN**  
**17,000 YEARS FROM STONE AGE**

"If a drop of salt water could talk it would tell the whole story of the Pacific."

One Santa Fe freight train going through the Kansas City yards to Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas grain fields told the story of progress and prosperity in this country and promised a solution of its labor problem, aggravated by immigration restrictions.

That train of thirty-one cars carried \$250,000 worth of "Combine Harvesters" and will soon be followed by as many thousands of those labor-saving machines. They cut grain, thresh it, pile up the straw, deliver the grain in sacks or by spout to miniature grain elevators. In Kansas last year they saved the work of 40,000 men.

Employment conditions are not satisfactory in New York State and Governor Smith instructs public officials to help "take up the slack" by putting men to work on public enterprises.

That should be, automatically, part of National and State programmes. A farmer finds something for his farm hands and his own hands to do in winter, when crops are in. A good farmer keeps his horses at work, earning their keep in winter, haying wood or otherwise.

National and State governments, all needing roads, canals, drainage, all sorts of improvements, should find work for everybody willing to work, and at decent pay.

Thomas A. Edison says he is really 162 years old, because he has done two days' work every day of his eighty-one years.

He did ten thousand years' work when he changed man's lighting system from kerosene to electricity. His habit of working two days in one accounts for the fact that mentally he is forty, not eighty-one.

An active mind stays young in man or woman.

Women grow old prematurely because badly organized civilization gives them nothing to do except talk and dress when their children are grown.

Eskimos, within reach of civilization, sell their valuable furs to white traders and wear coats of leather and cleop, ready-made suits. They can sympathize with some farmers that sell cream and butter to cities and eat oleomargarine.

"Flaming youth," dancing, drinking or shooting worries other countries also. Lawyers from Japan, France and Britain are watching a Berlin murder trial. Hans Krantz, aged nineteen, helped his young friend, Scheiler, and Scheiler's sister, Hildegard, to pass an evening pleasantly with dancing, tobacco and much drink. Hildegard, only sixteen, smuggled a friend, Otto Stephan, into her bedroom, and Hans, attached to Hildegard, told the girl's brother he ought to kill Stephan. He did it, then killed himself.

The question is, did Krantz commit murder when he told his friend, "Avenge your sister's honor or by killing the man?"

Americans talk today of many things—prosperity, politics, assorted crimes, sports. News that will interest future generations is the fact that actual moving pictures of human beings were sent through the ether, without wires, across the Atlantic Ocean.

Human beings actually saw each other, separated by three thousand miles of water.

If that is done by a race only 17,000 years from the Stone Age, who can doubt that a million years hence our race will see pictures, coming through the ether, of life on other planets.

Mr. Bonfils, through his Denver Post, tells the world he wants "every family in the United States to own a radio," because "this would tremendously increase the happiness and prosperity of all our people."

It would have seemed preposterous in Rome to suggest that anybody but the Emperor and a few of the great should own a bathtub. There was serious protest against installing the first bathtub in the White House, on the ground that it was not democratic. The Bonfils' trinity of comfort—home, automobile and radio—for every family will be realized, plus freedom from worry in old age, more important than the other three.

## OZONA PLANS BIGGEST FAIR JUNE 27-28-29

Program Outlined For Three Days Racing Rodeo, Stock Show

OVER \$4000 PRIZES

C. H. McMillan Starter For Races; Stockman To Print Programs

Officials of the Crockett County Fair Association are rapidly formulating plans for the greatest Rodeo, Race Meet and Stock Show in the history of Ozona on the occasion of the semi-annual event to be held here three days, June 27, 28, and 29, according to announcement made by Joe Pierce, president of the association.

The three days program for the affair have been tentatively outlined and entry blanks for the stock show will be mailed out in a few days. The Ozona Stockman has again been awarded the contract for printing the souvenir program booklets and data for this catalogue, which will be bigger and better than last year's booklet, is now being assembled.

Stock show premiums and rodeo and race meet prizes will reach a total of over \$4,000 this year, fair officials announce. More than \$1200 of this amount will go to exhibitors in the stock show division, which will include, horses, cattle, sheep and goats. The stock sales, as has been the case in the past, will be one of the main features of the three days program, and breeders from all over the country are expected to have fine animals here both for show entries and for the sales ring.

C. H. McMillan of Okmulgee, Okla., one of the best known race starters in Oklahoma and Texas, has been secured as secretary and starter of all races here this summer. Mr. McMillan was starter for the San Angelo fair races last year and his work won the praise of spectators and officials there.

A wool show which is expected to draw attention from producers all over this section, is another special feature of this year's Ozona fair. Approximately \$60 in prizes are offered for the best fleeces in two divisions, the best 8 months clip and the best 12 months clip. W. H. Dameron of the A. & M. Sub-Station near Sonora, and formerly in charge of the wool scouring plant at the College, will judge the fleeces. Jones Miller of Ozona is chairman of the wool show.

Following is the tentative program for the three day's entertainment:

FIRST DAY—JUNE 27  
8 a.m.—Sheep Sale and Cow Show, \$400 Prizes.  
1:30 p.m.—Steer Breakaway, \$50 1st, \$25 2nd, \$75 Final.  
2:30—Bronc Riding, \$25 Day, \$75 Final.  
3:30—Cow Milking, \$25 Day, \$50 Final.  
4:30—Calf Roping, \$75 1st, \$25 2nd, \$75 Final.  
5:30—1/2 Mi. Maiden Race \$50 1st, \$25 2nd.  
6:00—3/4 Mi. Race, \$75 1st, \$25 2nd.  
6:30—1/2 Mi. Race, \$75 1st, \$25 2nd.

SECOND DAY—JUNE 28  
8 a.m.—Sheep Sale and Cow Show, \$400 Prizes.  
1:30—Steer Breakaway, \$50 1st, \$25 2nd, \$75 Final.  
2:30—Bronc Riding, \$25 Day, \$75 Final.  
3:30—Cow Milking, \$25 Day, \$50 Final.  
4:30—Calf Roping, \$75 1st, \$25 2nd, \$75 Final.  
5:30—1/2 Mi. Race "Ozona Derby," \$200 1st, \$50 2nd.  
6:00—3/4 Mi. Race, \$75 1st, \$25 2nd.  
6:30—1/2 Mi. Race, Crockett County 2-year-olds, \$50 1st, \$25 2nd.

THIRD DAY—JUNE 29  
7 a.m.—Sheep Show, \$350 Prizes.  
1:30—Steer Breakaway, \$50 1st, \$25 2nd, \$75 Final.

## Seniors Score Hit With Mystery Play

Ozona Theatre Packed For Presentation Of "Oh Kay"

"Oh Kay" was O. K. with the audience that packed the Ozona Theatre Friday night to witness the play presented by the Senior Class of the Ozona High School. A clever play well acted made the 1928 Senior play one of the biggest home talent hits of the season and the house was filled to capacity for the event.

The play, which was directed by J. A. Floyd, Senior sponsor, had to do with the activities of the "Black Terror" a mysterious person who had committed various robberies under the cloak of a disguise. Action came thick and fast when three practical jokers enlisted the aid of friends in posing as the "Black Terror" and these three phony "Terrors" and the real one mixed things up considerably. Darkened stage, blood-curdling screams and a rich seasoning of comedy made the play interesting until the final curtain.

A shortage of boys in the '28 graduating class made it necessary for girls to take some of the boy parts. Johnnie Cross as Arthur Whitman and Mary Childress as "Gramp" Pembroke were exceptionally good in male roles. Kathryn Baggett was a knock-out as "Gram" Pembroke, owner of the jewels for which the "Black Terror" was seeking entrance and ardent advocate of a full medicine chest. Pauline Perner as Kay Millis, female detective and heart snatcher, Ethel Bennett as Edith Whitman, authoress, and Eleanor Ingham as Evelyn Whitman, Edith's mother, handled other leading parts with credit. Clara Patrick, Mildred Davis and Velma Richardson garbed as "Black Terror" were a part of the practical jokes while the part of the real "Terror" was taken by Cam Longley. Arthur Kyle was the only other male member of the cast, taking the part of Captain George Whitman, who was waylaid by the real "Terror" who took his uniform to gain entrance to the home.

The Crockett County band, with about twenty members out, furnished excellent music before and after the performance and between the acts.

## Southwestern Univ. Choral Club Will Appear Here Mar. 25

Southwestern University Choral Club, composed of twenty girls who are students in the Georgetown school and the picks of the vocal and instrumental talent of the University, will appear in concert to be given at the Ozona Methodist Church Sunday evening, March 25, according to announcement received by the pastor Rev. J. B. Meredith.

The Choral Club will present a program of music, solo and ensemble selections, classical and favorite numbers, readings, instrumental selections and Gypsy and Indian Groups in costume.

The program will be presented in the church auditorium and everybody is cordially invited to attend. There will be no admission charge.

Mrs. Lee Henderson of San Angelo is spending a few days here visiting relatives.

2:30—Bronc Riding, \$25 Day, \$75 Final.  
3:30—Cow Milking, \$25 Day, \$50 Final.  
4:30—Calf Roping, \$75 1st, \$25 2nd, \$75 Final.  
5:30—3/4 Mi. Race, \$100 1st, \$50 2nd.  
6:00—1/2 Mi. Race, \$100 1st, \$50 2nd.  
6:30—1/4 Mi. Race, Roping Horses only, \$50 1st, \$25 2nd.  
Cow Show, Horse Show and Wool Show will be arranged at convenient hours.  
Polo, Baseball, Dancing and other entertainment features will be arranged.

## JOHN L. BISHOP ELECTED SUPT. OZONA SCHOOL

Principal Elected To Succeed C. C. Minatra Who Resigned

BEEN HERE 2 YEARS

Chosen For Post Over Many Applicants From Outside

The School Board early this week took action that makes good news for all Ozona School patrons. High School Principal John L. Bishop was elected to the school superintendency for the term 19-28-29. This action was taken as a promotion for the excellent record shown by Prin. Bishop the last two years in steering the fortunes of the Ozona High School and because of the universal favor shown by Ozona patrons for his candidacy for the superintendency's post.

Mr. Bishop will succeed Superintendent C. C. Minatra, who has resigned the post effective at the expiration of his present term. Mr. Minatra has served as superintendent of the Ozona schools for six years, coming here from Haskell where he was superintendent for several years. He has his B. A. degree from Colorado State Teachers College and plans to take his M. A. degree from Leland Stanford University in California next year. Further than that, Mr. Minatra has not announced his plans, but it is understood that he is considering accepting a proffered promotion in his chosen profession as soon as he has completed his M. A. work.

Mr. Bishop is a graduate of Baylor University, with an excellent record to his credit. He served as principal of Killeen High School three years before coming to Ozona. He was elected at Ozona on the basis of the excellent reputation achieved in Baylor University and at Killeen. The promotion to the Ozona superintendency comes merely as reward for continued brilliant service.

Supt.-elect Bishop comes into office with the full confidence and best wishes of all Ozona, including the present administration. He is thoroughly conversant with the policies and work of the school. The future of our schools is in safe hands. The Board and present administration bespeak for Mr. Bishop the support and co-operation that he so richly merits.

## Slaying Of Marauding Wolf Reward Of 3 Boys And Bull Pup After Night's Vigil

Pup Proudest Of Quarter, Though Boys Awarded \$35 Purse

A pot shot at close range at a big coyote that had preyed on sheep in and near Ozona for several years and which had successfully eluded many bloodthirsty hunting parties composed of ranch men whose flocks had been depredated, was the reward of three Ozona boys and a bull pup last Thursday night after an all-night vigil.

The animal was riddled with buckshot and heavy bird shot fired at close range from shotguns in the hands of the boys who had perched on top of the G. L. Bunker barn to wait for the sheep killer to come to the Bunker tank for water.

The successful wolf hunters were Robert and Thalis Elledge, Lee Patrick and the little bull pup whose willing spirit and weak flesh brought about the wolf's undoing.

A purse of \$35, made up by Lee Childress and Floyd Henderson, in whose pastures the wolf had preyed on sheep, was given the three boys, but the bull pup was the proudest of the quartet at the capture.

The movements of the wolf had been studied for months by R. J. Cooke and others in that vicinity,

## Trucks To Collect Trash On April 1

County To Furnish Crew Of Workers And Trucks To Haul It

A fleet of county trucks manned by a crew of workers furnished by the county, will make the rounds of Ozona the first week in April to collect and haul off all rubbish and trash accumulated in the clean-up campaign now in progress under the direction of the Civic Department of the Ozona Woman's Club.

The use of the county trucks and workers was donated by Commissioner J. M. Baggett of this precinct. The clean-up campaign started last week, but the trucks will not be sent around until April in order that everybody will have an opportunity to get their premises thoroughly cleaned and all rubbish sacked and ready to be hauled off, it was declared.

The trucks will make the rounds of both the residence and business sections and will collect and haul off all rubbish and trash free of charge. All trash must be sacked or boxed in convenient containers and placed outside the premises either at front or at back where trucks can pass down an alley. Every resident of Ozona is urged to seize this opportunity of having all trash hauled off free, and to see that their own as well as near by vacant lots are thoroughly cleaned.

## SCHOOL CLUB MEETS

The Four Leaf Clover Club met for the third time on March 14, 1928. The humorous and clever program was rendered by four high school girls and directed by Miss Garrett.

The four girls gave a playlet entitled, "Mrs. Oklee's Telephone." The cast was as follows: Mrs. Oklee—Leila Beth Jones. Mary, the cook—Dorothy Miller. Enma, the French maid, Eunice Nolan.

Miss Constance, a lady friend—Ena Meinecke.

The Club has selected a pin and an order for them will be made soon.

Refreshments, which consisted of olives, potato chips, chicken salad, butter sandwiches and iced tea, were served by Kathryn Baggett, Mary Childress, Mildred Davis, Kaleta Cox, Helen Chapman and Johnnie Cross.

—Mildred Davis, reporter.

## J. J. NORTH IS LAID TO REST HERE TUESDAY

Impressive Masonic Services Held At Grave; Long Procession

DIED MON. MORN.

Blood Transfusion Is Futile; Never Rallied From Operation

One of the longest funeral processions in the history of Ozona followed the last remains of Joe J. North, prominent Crockett County ranchman, to its last resting place in Cedar Hills Cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. North died early Monday morning in a Temple hospital where he underwent an operation Saturday. Although a blood transfusion was resorted to prior to the operation to give him strength to stand the operation, he never rallied from the ordeal and the end came early Monday morning with the entire family at his bedside. His son, J. W. North, submitted his blood in the transfusion operation.

The body was brought back over the Santa Fe to San Angelo Tuesday morning and from there to Ozona in the hearse. The family accompanied the remains home, the party reaching here about 4 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Funeral services were held at the family residence at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. J. H. Meredith, pastor of the Ozona Methodist church, officiating. After the ceremony at the home, the local Masonic lodge, assisted by members of the lodge from Sonora had charge of the services at the grave. The impressive Masonic burial ceremony was carried out at the graveside, where hundreds of mourning friends paid last tribute to the memory of one of the most prominent ranchmen in this territory.

Floral offerings from hundreds of friends here and in other sections of West Texas, were banded high around the casket at the home and covered the grave at the cemetery, attesting the high regard in which Mr. North was held by friends throughout West Texas.

It was estimated that fully 150 automobiles loaded with friends of the dead man followed the body to the cemetery. Most of these, of course, were Ozona people, friends who had known him and loved him for many years, but there were also many others from out of town.

Mr. North was 54 years old and had been identified with the development of Ozona and the ranching interest in this county for a round 30 years. He came here as a young man, married here and spent several years in various business enterprises here. He later moved to Sonora where he spent a few years, returning to Ozona about eight years ago to buy out the interest of the Miller Brothers in the Ozona Garage, which he operated until a few years ago when failing health forced him to retire and sell a major interest in the garage to his son, J. W. North.

Mr. North was born in Kerr County April 27, 1874, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. North. He was married to Miss Hattie Bellows July 19, 1896. He united with the Methodist church in Kerr County and was a member of the Masonic Lodge and the Odd Fellows.

Mr. North leaves to mourn him his widow and six children, three sons, J. W., Carl and Hilton North, and three daughters, Mrs. Wayne West, Mrs. A. A. Perry, Jr., and Miss Mildred North, a student in Simmons University at Abilene. He is also survived by one brother, T. C. North of Miami, Ariz., and one sister, Mrs. J. D. Elwood of Dallas.

Otto Drake, local commercial manager for the West Texas Utilities Company, is in Sonora this week in connection with the company's plans to take over the light plant there in April.

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Ozona, Texas, Thursday, March 15, 1928.

Ozona Public Schools will lose a good man and gain a good man with the expiration of the present school term. Superintendent C. C. Minatra, a good man, will step down from the position of local school superintendent with the expiration of his present term, and John L. Bishop, principal, another good man, will succeed to the post. Of course, Mr. Bishop is untried as superintendent of the Ozona schools, but one can feel fairly safe in assuming that he will be successful in the administration of the affairs of the schools. This conclusion can be based on his record of the past two years as high school principal. In that capacity he has shown considerable ability in his profession and has won a definite place in the life of this community.

He is well qualified by education for the position he will assume with the opening of the next school term. He is a graduate of Baylor University and had three years experience as principal of the Killbuck high school before coming to Ozona. He is acquainted with local conditions as a result of his two years residence here and was a happy choice on the part of the school board for the superintendency.

The elation of Ozona people at the election of Mr. Bishop to the superintendent's post is dimmed only by the loss of Mr. Minatra. In six years at the helm of local schools, Mr. Minatra has been largely instrumental in bringing Ozona schools to a higher level than they had ever reached before. He has demonstrated a rare insight into the executive problems of the public schools that has marked him as a school man of the first rank.

Love of the work, educational qualifications that fit him for the most responsible post in the profession and a mind capable of deep thought are attributes which Mr. Minatra possesses that are destined to carry him far in his chosen profession. Most Ozona people have realized long ago that their superintendent was a man whose services would be sought after by communities more able to offer him greater inducements than this and these admirers have felt apprehension each year that he might leave.

Although Ozona has been pleased with his services and would like to have him stay as long as he would, we also realize that his field is limited here and that there are greater opportunities awaiting him outside and we bid him godspeed in his work among others.

Everybody knows why it's called crude oil.

Charity not only begins at home but in most cases ends there, too.

None of these companionate marriages can be successful until the exact status of the mother-in-law is revealed.

The office should seek the man, but if a man waited for it to seek him every morning he might have to go hungry.

Some one should see to it that the Democratic donkey gets new shoes before he's turned loose with all those Texas longhorns.

The human body is a marvelous piece of machinery, all right, but no matter how much it's used the tongue never seems to wear out.

The Englishman's record of 207 miles an hour in an automobile will probably stand, but we'll swear some drivers have passed us on a dirt road going faster than that.

The poor murderer is certainly to be pitied these days, since the jury will decide he's crazy if he pleads insanity and the public will decide he's crazy if he doesn't.

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Nobody seems to understand just what psychiatrist does and it is a little hard to tell except that in general he finds either for the defense or prosecution according to which side hires him, according to the current evidence.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**  
NO. 433, E. C. MARRS, VS. R. L. BASSETT, IN THE DISTRICT COURT, CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS To The Sheriff or any Constable of Crockett County—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Crockett once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon R. L. Bassett, who is alleged to be non-resident of the State of Texas, to be and appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Crockett County to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Ozona, the fourth Monday in April, A. D. 1928, the same being the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 3 day of March, A. D. 1928, in a suit, numbered on the Docket

of said Court, No. 433 wherein E. C. Marrs, is plaintiff, and R. L. Bassett, is defendant; the nature of plaintiff's demand being substantially, as follows, to-wit:

FIRST: That the plaintiff and the defendant are the sole joint owners and of the property herein after described, and that plaintiff is a resident citizen of Bexar County, Texas, and the defendant is a citizen of Texas, but a non-resident of the State of Texas, and is now residing at Tampico, in old Mexico.

SECOND: That the property of which plaintiff and defendant are the sole joint owners is described as follows, to-wit:

All that certain Sur. No. 3, Cert. No. 5001, G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. Sur., containing 320 acres of land, more or less, located and situated in Crockett County, State of Texas, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Said Sur. is No. 3, in Crockett County, Texas, situated on the waters of Pecos River, a tributary of Rio Grande river, about 35 miles N 49 W from Fort Lancaster, beginning at a stk the South cor. of Sec. 26, in block 35 H. & T. C. R. Co. and on the N. E. line sec. 37 block 31 same ca. Thence N. 40 E. 2549 vrs. to a stk the N.E. Cor. Sur. No. 26 on the S.W. line survey No. 3 G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. Thence S. 50 E. 930 vrs. stk S.W. line same Thence S 40 W 1843 vrs. to a stk on N.East line No. 38, block 31, H. & T. C. R. Co. Thence N. 50 W. 801 vrs. to a stk the N. cor. same; Thence S. 40 W. 706 vrs. to a stk the N.E. Cor. Sur. No. 37 H. & T. C. R. Co. Thence N. 50 W. 129 vrs. to the place of beginning.

THIRD: That plaintiff is the

owner of an undivided one-half interest in the said tract of land and that the defendant is a owner of an undivided one-half interest in said tract of land.

FOURTH: That the said tract of land is of the estimated value of \$1800.00.

FIFTH: That the plaintiff and defendant are the sole joint owners in equal shares of the said tract of land, in fee simple from and under the sovereignty.

SIXTH: That plaintiff desires to have said land partitioned and is entitled to have the same partitioned by the judgment of this Court.

WHEREFORE, premises considered, plaintiff prays for citations to the defendant, and upon hearing hereof that said real estate be partitioned between this plaintiff and the defendant as provided by law, and that this Court determine if said property is susceptible of partition in kind, and if found to be so, that this Court appoint commissioners to partition said real estate and if determined to be not susceptible of partition in kind, that this Court appoint a receiver and order a sale of said real estate for purpose of partition in manner and form prescribed by law, and for costs of suit and general and special relief at law and in equity and will ever pray.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on the said first day of next term thereof this writ with your return thereon.

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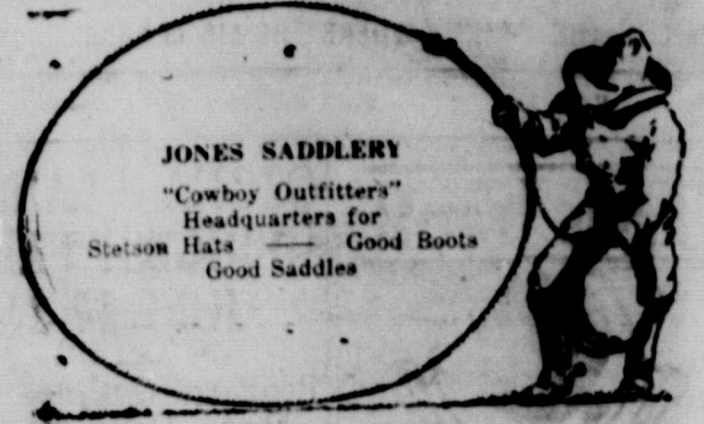
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March A. D. 1928.

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Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Ozona, this the 8th day of Crockett County, Texas.

WITNESS, E. B. Baggett, Jr., Clerk of District Court in and for



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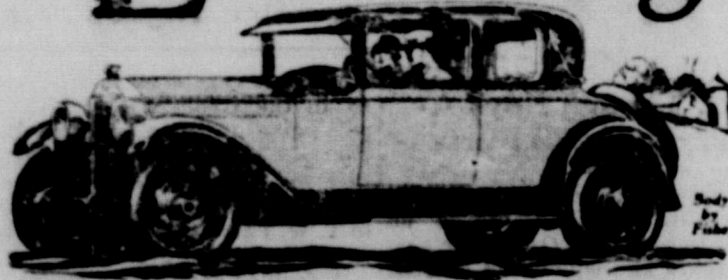
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### WHO'S WHO IN THE STORY

**GRIMSTEAD.** "the pirate," who is stranded on a California mountain side.

**BURTON,** his daughter, is with him against her will.

**ROSS GARDINER,** "second in command," and

**SIMMINS,** butler-chauffeur, is given a lift by

**DAVENPORT,** a young man whose car runs on electricity, and who wins a \$10,000 bet from Gardiner by predicting rain. He also makes a bet with Gardiner that his battery will run for four days.

### CHAPTER IX

#### A Marvelous Discovery

Grimstead put on his poker face to conceal his inner excitement. This offer was more than he had hoped.

"I should like to very much," he replied.

"So should I," spoke up Burton, "but I want to hear it in words of one syllable."

"It is not at all complicated. Now you know if you put copper plate and zinc plate side by side in an acid solution and connect them with wires you generate electricity. That is the simple wet battery.

"All right. If you run a dynamo you also generate electricity, this time by induction.

"Where does that electricity come from? You might say chemical action in the one case or mechanical action in the other, but they are actually only a means to an end. The world lies in a great field of static or inert magnetism. The cell and the dynamo are merely means by which this inert elec-

tricity is livened up, made into kinetic or active electricity; they actually produce nothing in themselves. Is that clear?"

"Perfectly," said Burton.

"When we have used this kinetic electricity, or it becomes 'grounded' it returns to the reservoir of static. All I've done is to make a short cut between the static electricity in which we are immersed and the kinetic electricity we can use."

"That is self-evident, young man," remarked Grimstead drily.

"I am just making it clear for Miss Burton. Go back to the wet cell. It is heavy and awkward and short lived. My battery is just like a wet cell without those disadvantages. The wet cell consists of two plates of different metal in a solution. Mine consists of two plates of different metals side by side in air. The wet cell transforms or produces its electricity by or through, a chemical action that is limited in effectiveness and in duration. My battery transforms the static from the air into kinetic, without chemical action—apparently; and in much greater quantity in proportion to the size of the plates."

Grimstead was sitting up now in his interest.

"There must be chemical action!" he cried. "You can't lift yourself by your bootstraps."

"Of course; there probably is," agreed Davenport. "I only said there was apparently none. It must be very slight—like the apparent loss in radium, I suppose, for, as I say, I have used this battery to drive my car eleven hundred miles without any wear I can determine by looking at it."

"What metals do you use?"

"Pardon," returned the young man, "but there, of course, you're asking my secret. I will say this, however. They are alloys of metals easily procurable. The alloy must be exact and the distance between the plates must be exact. I have a micrometer screw to adjust my plates."

"You say the metals are easily procurable. How much do you estimate it cost you to build such a battery?"

"Mine up to now have been experimental and built piecemeal by experiment," Davenport pointed out. "But in quantity they could be built—of that size—for somewhere between fifty and a hundred and fifty dollars. It isn't the materials; it's the accuracy, and I don't know just what workmen of the necessary skill would cost."

Grimstead's poker face was still doing business, but his cigar butt was chewed to a frazzle.

"You say that battery there will run a brake test of forty horsepower?" he asked.

"About that."

"Will a larger battery develop more horsepower in proportion? What are the limits in capacity?"

"I haven't the slightest idea. There's no limit apparently to the amount of static you can take by means of dynamos; why should there be any more limit to what you can take by other means? Of course, I don't know; I'm just beginning to try it out."

"Well, you may have something, though it sounds pretty radical," yawned Grimstead, as though the subject had ceased to interest him. Burton hopped from the log on which she sat.

"The moonlight is heavenly."

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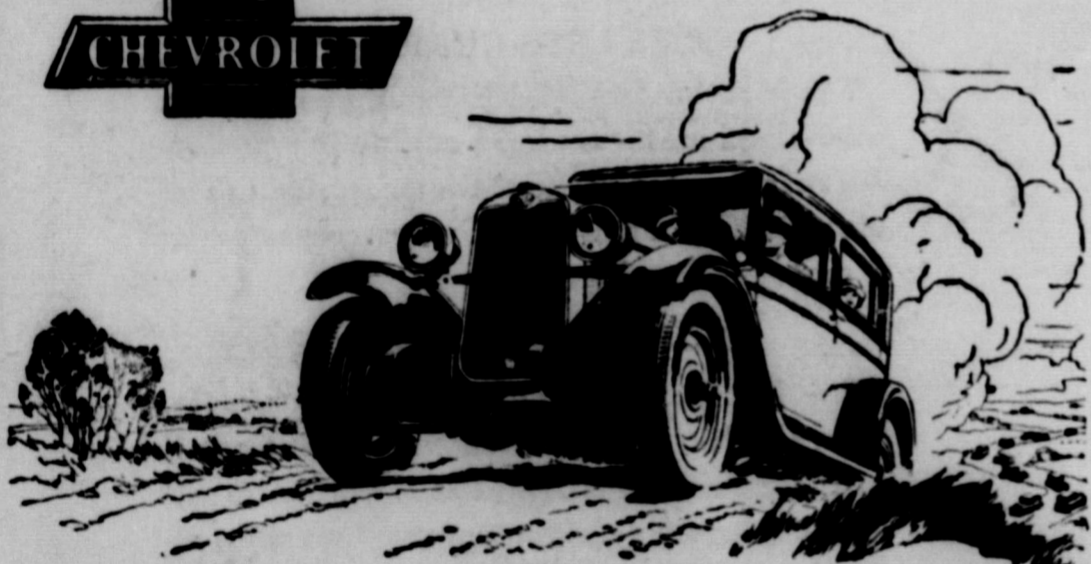
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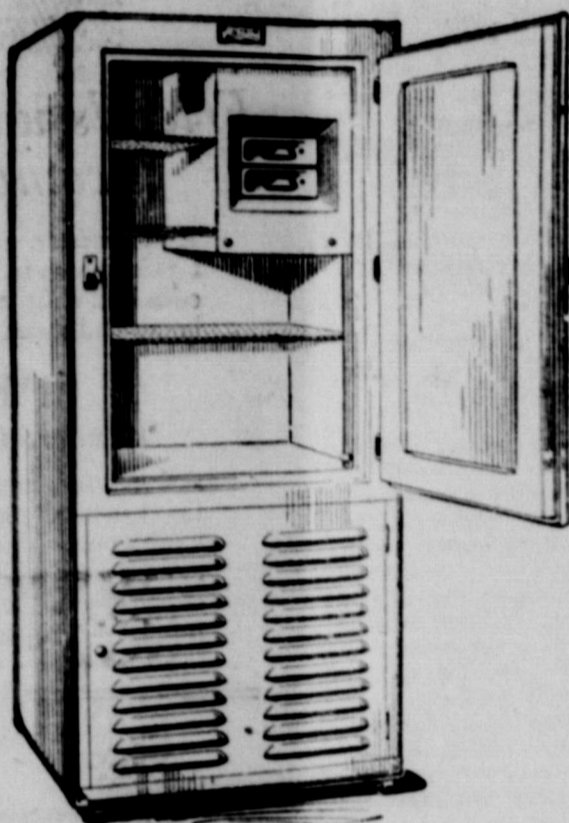


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Over 75 per cent of the electric refrigerators now in use in this country are Frigidaires. The fact that a half million Frigidaires are now in use and giving satisfaction should remove all doubt as to their dependability. Nor is the government the only large organization that has adopted Frigidaire. The Carnegie Steel Co. of Pittsburgh, Pa. after a careful investigation placed an order for \$145,000 worth of Frigidaire water coolers. The largest ice cream manufacturers in the country have purchased several million dollars worth of Frigidaire ice cream cabinets. The world's largest apartment house in New York purchased over \$100,000 worth of Frigidaires for its apartments.

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### NO UGLY PROJECTIONS

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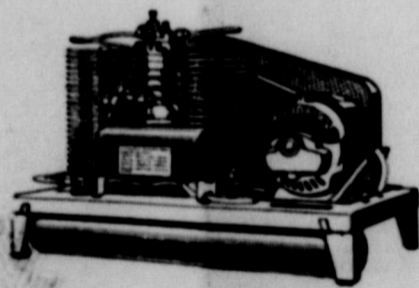
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"ON TIPTOE"

she declared. "I must see it through the big trees. Will you go with me, Mr. Davenport, outside the firelight?"

CHAPTER X

"The" Larry Davenport

They walked for 100 yards, feeling their way in the black and white contrasts of moonlight; then sat side by side on a log.

things. In a little while Davenport was talking eagerly, openly. The subject was his battery.

"It ought to be tremendously valuable. You'll probably make a million or so out of it. I hope you do," the girl said.

"Yes, of course. I'd like to make something out of it. But that isn't the real point. Do you mind if I talk a little about it?"

"Oh, please!"

"Don't you see what it will mean to the world," he said, "the poor struggling old world? What a burden it does carry. Lord, what a task it has assumed just in feeding itself and clothing itself and keeping itself warm. And it has to hustle just to do that."

He twisted on the log more nearly to face her. "Look here," he demanded, "what is the greatest material need, the very greatest need of the world?"

"Davenport's batteries," she replied promptly.

He threw his head back and laughed boyishly.

"I was getting rather preachy, wasn't I? Well, the thing the world needs most is breathing time to play more and to soak up the things that never come to a man when he's in a hurry or surrounded by the buzz-flies of detail. What the work-a-day world needs most is leisure, a little leisure."

"The trouble is," said Burton, "people are never satisfied. If they'd be contented to go without so many frills they'd have leisure enough."

"No, you're wrong. They should have the frills. The frills represent the grace and beauty of life. We all have an instinct for frills; and real instincts should be gratified—in proportion. But the point is, frills are too hard to get. Heaven forbid we should ever get anything without working for it; that is absolutely fatal. But there's no sense in having to perform soul-deadening and grinding toil for it."

"But what has the battery to do with this?"

"Why don't you see? Every invention that reduces the labor necessary to produce things is a step toward that leisure for the race. It's a step toward supplying more frills, besides more abundant necessities, with the same amount of labor."

With vivid sentences he sketched

the world as he saw it; a reorganized world, free to put its energies into the positive creation of those things which men's true instincts crave; producing its abundance by honest, sincere, necessary labor, without the exhaustion of squalor.

It was no impossible Utopia; it was an absurd dream of an impossible "equality;" but it was a world of opportunity released from pressure. What men did with the opportunity would still be, as it had always been, a matter for themselves.

But no longer would there be any reason or necessity for the submergence under inexorable circumstance of the man whose hands reached toward the stars.

That is what he visioned; and that is what Burton, kindling to his ideas, saw too. And as she had not lived with the idea, as had he, and was accustomed to it, she was the more eagerly afire.

They sat silent for a time.

"Tell me about yourself?" she said suddenly.

"I was born of poor but honest parents and my friends call me Larry," he began.

"You're not the Lawrence Davenport?" she gasped.

"I'm the only one I know about. There may be others I know not."

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Montgomery left for their home in Sanderson Friday after a visit here with friends and relatives.

Fresh Country Butter. Made by Oscar Gibson. 60 Cents a pound. Ozona Meat Market. —Adv.

Bascomb Cox has let the contract for a modern home to be erected on the lot south of his mother's home.

Mrs. Mary Perner is in receipt of a letter from her son, Harry Perner who resides in Parral, Chihuahua, Mexico, in which he included pictures and gave an account of a fishing trip he and his wife and son, John, took to La Boquilla lake in Chihuahua. They caught between 15 and 20 big mouth black bass, some of them weighing as much as 5 1/2 pounds. The pictures of the big fellows would make any fisherman's mouth water.

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Misses Wanda and Gussie Watson, students at Baylor College, been confined to his home on account of illness for the last two weeks, left this week for Del Rio.

Rev. M. M. Fulmer, who has been confined to his home on account of illness for the last two weeks, left this week for Del Rio for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dudley were in Graham this week visiting Mrs. Dudley's parents.

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Rapid progress is being made on the two modern stucco cottages being built by J. R. Kersey west of the J. J. North residence.

A. Gray received a sport model coupe, and a Mr. Brewster of Big Lake took a Master Town Brougham.

LOST—Plain gold pin, shaped like a lily, about 1/2 inch across. Believed to have been lost near Mike Couch store. Valued as an heirloom. Reward for return to Mrs. Otho Drake. —49-ltc.

Howard Wilson went to Dallas Friday to bring back a new Buick automobile for the Wilson Motor Company.

Howard and Taylor Word were in Abilene Friday on business.

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Greene Cooke, Will Miller, F. A. Gray and George Harrell, local members of the Odd Fellows lodge, will leave this week-end for Fort Worth to attend a state convention of the order.

Pleas Childress has recently had his home painted.

W. J. Grimer, local Ford agent, was in Dallas and Fort Worth the first of the week on business. Mr. Grimmer expected to be able to bring back one of the new Fords on his return trip and indicated that regular shipments of the new models would begin in a few days.

Painters were at work this week putting a new coat of paint on the home of John Bailey.

L. B. Adams is making his home on Powell Avenue attractive with new shrubbery, hedges etc.

Mrs. Hugh Childress has been confined to her home several days this week on account of illness.

Mrs. Tom Smith has returned from Temple where she recently underwent an operation.

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D. A. Clark Dies At Home Of W. T. Brown Buried Here Sunday

D. A. Clark, a resident of Texas for 45 years, died at 10 o'clock Saturday morning at the home of W. Tom Brown on Live Oak in this county. Mrs. Brown is a niece of Mrs. Clark.

The body was brought to Ozona for burial, funeral services being held Sunday afternoon at Cedar Hill Cemetery, the Rev. J. H. Meredith, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark had made their home with Mr. and Mrs. Brown for several years. They had no children. Mr. Clark was born in Tennessee and was 85 years of age at the time of his death.

Three Cases Smallpox Recently At El Masho

Echo of a recent outbreak of smallpox in the new town of El Masho, formerly Grube, in the Thompson oil field area on the Pecos River in this county, were heard at the commissioners court sessions this week when bills for maintaining quarantine quarters, boarding patients and nursing them were presented to the court.

There were three cases of the disease reported from the town. Victims of the outbreak were J. T. Goen, Roy Demming and Mrs. Roy Demming.

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Bert Kincaid Buys 30 Section Tract In Pecos From Childress

A deal is reported virtually completed this week in which Bert sections of land in Pecos County Kincaid of Ozona purchased 30 from Walter Childress.

The purchase represented the tract of land purchased by Mr. Childress several weeks ago with three other Ozona ranchers from the Scharbrauer Cattle Company of Midland. The four Ozona ranchers, including Mr. Childress, J. C. Montgomery, Roy and Floyd Henderson, purchased 147 sections out of the Scharbrauer Cattle Company holdings. Of thirty sections purchased jointly, 17 sections were purchased by W. A. Adams of Ozona, 4 by Clayton Bros. of Ozona and 9 by Mr. Price.

Mr. Kincaid is reported to have paid \$7.50 an acre for the 30 sections purchased from Mr. Childress.

Ozona Chapter No. 237 R. A. M. Meets first Saturday on or after the new moon each month.

Political Announcements

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For County and District Clerk— E. B. BAGGETT, JR.

For Treasurer— TOM CASBEER

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The regular meeting of the Ozona chapter of the Eastern Star will take place on the 3rd Tuesday night of each month.

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Advertisement for Clay Adams lingerie. Includes an illustration of a woman in a dress and text: "We have just received a new shipment of the latest fashions in lingerie—dainty silk, georgette, satin, and jersey combinations, step-ins, teds, pajamas etc. We have some special buys in colored step ins and brassiere sets that are not only novel and pretty, but are serviceable as well. You will buy one of these outfits on sight. We invite your inspection of this new stock. Clay Adams"

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**"ON TIPTOE"**

of; but be assured, O Lady, that they are nothing but spurious imitations."

"Why, I've read all your books and I've just loved them!"

"Long and patient study has not yet revealed to me the suitable answer to one who claims she loves your books," sadly confessed Davenport.

Burton began to chuckle, then to laugh aloud.

"I'm thinking of the joke on us," she explained, "of Dad. We tho't you were a garage mechanic!"

"And me with such gentlemanly manners," he mourned, "and my diction, faulty as it is, yet observes the rules of grammar."

"Your funny little car misled us I suppose," she explained, "and then you were so handy about everything."

"You relieve me. The car was the cheapest I could get for a pure experiment."

"And the battery?"

"Come to me just like a story, a little at a time. I'm no mechanic. No one could be worse fitted than I to be an inventor. But I couldn't help noticing from time to time the incredible amount of power everywhere going to waste, and one day when I was filling the starting battery of my car—I have got a car—it struck me what a nuisance it was, and I wondered if would work with air."

"And then you figured it out."

"I did not," he disclaimed. "I merely kept it in mind, the way I do a story, and it worked out its own plot, bit by bit. It took me some time to tumble to the fact that the plates had to be just exactly so far apart. But at last I got it to work and to work hard for a long time. One horrible thought occurred to me; that maybe it will only work near electric plants already in operation under the old methods."

"Stealing what's already been made! I see!"

"That's why I'm up in this wild country, bag and baggage. I'm going to find out. It seems to be all right, though."

"You don't know how I appreciate your telling me all this, Mr. Davenport," then said she.

"I told you my friends call me Larry," he pointed out; then at

her slight withdrawal. "Now, really, look at me. Am I a Larry looking person or a Davenport looking person?" He cocked his eye comically in her direction.

"You're right—Larry," she said

**CHAPTER XI**

In the morning the famous battery, lashed to the running board, had been connected up with the self-starter which was now turning over in the laborious and vociferous manner peculiar to the species. Grimstead and Gardiner were inclined to stand and watch it in fascination; but Davenport was quite unimpressed.

"That's all there is to it," said he. "Now all we have to watch out for is that she doesn't run dry of lubrication. Simmins can keep track of that."

He turned away.

"Now we've got a good morning's work in front of us," he announced cheerfully. "I picked a good place for camp, before breakfast. We must move camp, and then we must make a start on our road out."

"I'm going fishing this afternoon," warned Grimstead.

The evening meal that night was a jolly one, thanks to a large trout Grimstead's high good humor over its capture carried all temperamental differences before it. Even the taciturn Gardiner unbent to tell an anecdote.

Burton was in the highest spirits, also, for she had what she considered a very intriguing secret, which she intended to keep for the time being at least, in the hope of extracting from the situation still further amusement.

In this she was abetted by Larry Davenport himself. Now that that young man really understood the position in the social structure he was supposed to fill, he played up and became the Perfect Garage Mechanic. When this performance drew Simmins' puzzled eye Larry was happy.

"Now, sighed Grimstead, comfortably, as he struggled to his thick legs after supper, "if you young people will excuse us, Ross and I have a little business to talk over."

He lighted a cigar and, followed by Gardiner, disappeared in the darkness.

"Now," he demanded of Gardi-

ner, once they were settled on a convenient log. "How about it?"

His benign good humor had fallen from him and his whole being had tautened into a hard alertness.

"It's been running without a break, and without apparent loss of energy at any time up to five o'clock," answered Gardiner.

"We've got to tie this thing up before somebody else gets hold of it," declared Grimstead. "I wonder if anybody has? He might be tied up already."

"May be," agreed Gardiner, "but I don't think so. This seems to be his first test of the thing."

"Well, we must tie him up," said Grimstead.

"Going to buy him out chief? You could probably get it cheap, comparatively."

"Gardiner," said the pirate, "I sometimes wonder a little about you."

"What do you mean?" asked Gardiner.

"I gather you think we could drive a cheap bargain with this young man."

Gardiner considered his reply for a moment.

"Yes," he said finally, with conviction. "I think we could—before he gets talking with some one else."

"Of course we could, but we won't. I'll offer him the very largest share I can, or the highest royalties possible consistent with control and good business. See why?"

Gardiner shook his head.

"Well, either this is a whooping big thing, or it is a flivver. If it's a flivver it doesn't matter if we give him the whole works; it would be giving him nothing. But suppose it turns out to be a world beater and we've made a sharp bar-

gain. Either he, or some one else, is going to buck. Then there's law suits without end. If, however, we have at the very start, before the thing is proved up at all, given him a full share, then when it turns out big he'll stay with us."

"Well, young man," said Grimstead when they had returned to the fire, "your battery seems to be making good. There's no doubt that you have a big thing there. I don't know just how big, but it's good enough to market as it is. Ever thought of it?"

"Yes, of course. But I've never been sure enough it was going to work to do anything about it."

Grimstead cast an eye of triumph toward Gardiner.

"Well," said he, "I am considerably in the electric line myself. What would you say of taking up with me?"

"I was going to propose it myself, after you had satisfied yourself the thing was going to run."

"Good! Now I'm not going to in-



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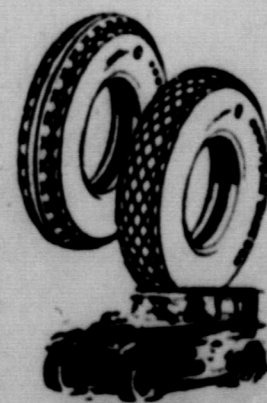
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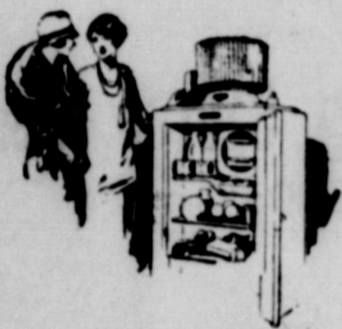
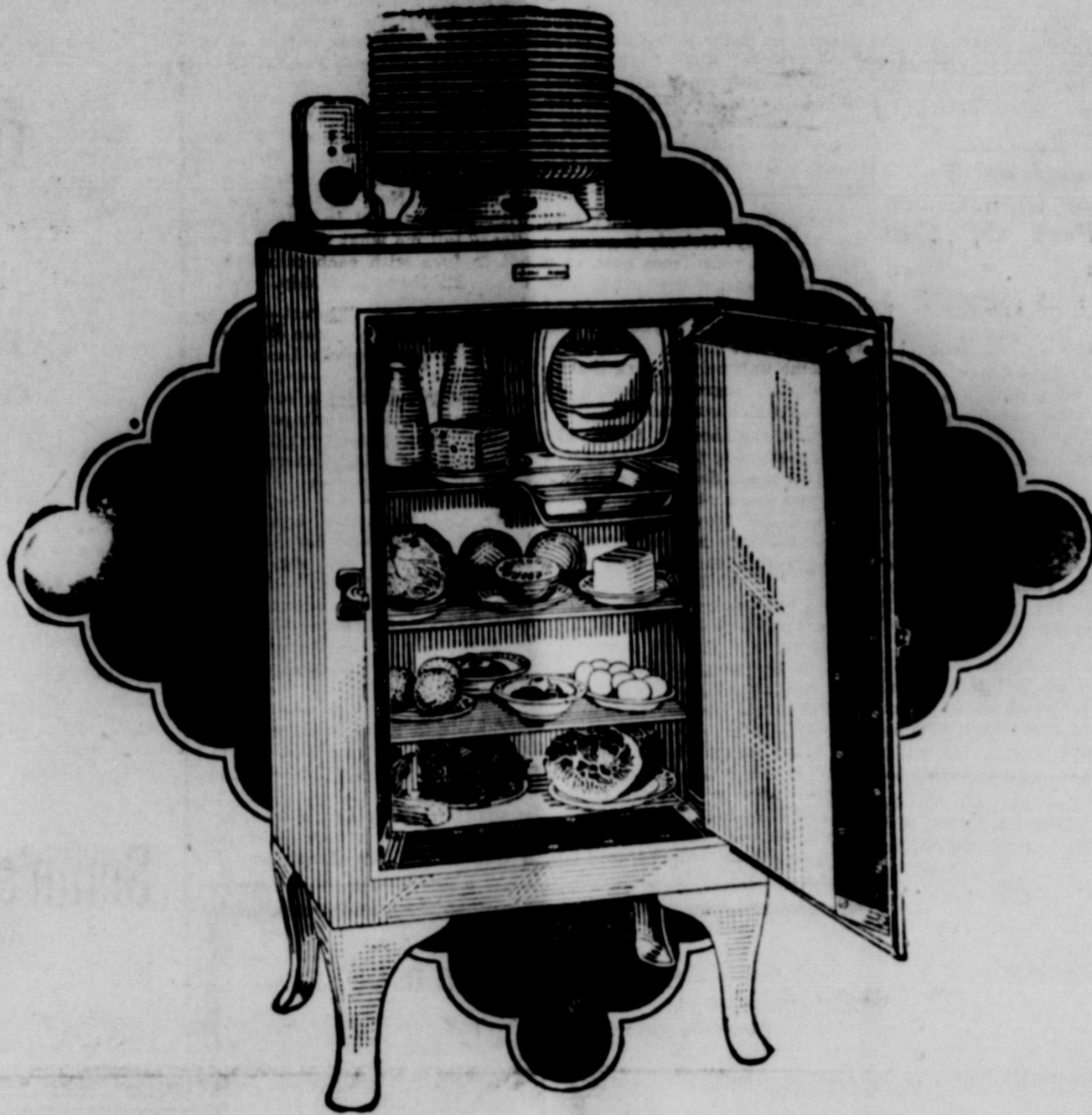
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It never needs to be oiled. And it can be placed anywhere.



One hermetically sealed casing holds all the mechanism.

## Listen Folks, and Don't be Misled

Just who is General Electric Company? What does the symbol GE mean anyway? For more than a quarter of a century the General Electric Monogram has been an apparatus developed to make Electricity and to turn it into useful Light, Heat and Power. The Mazda Lamp in your Home is a development of the General Electric Laboratories. The Electric current you use here in your own Home is generated by General Electric equipment. Your Hotpoint Electric Range that you prize so highly is built by General Electric. The application of Electrical energy, from the smallest toaster to the Gigantic Turbine is made possible through General Electric equipment. You are backed up when you buy a GE Electric Refrigerator, with the tremendous facilities and resources of the largest electrical manufacturing organization in the whole world. 15 years of experiment and research, 64 Electrical Engineers, 4000 models of different types, made and tested, before GE perfected the new Electric Refrigerator. Remember the high points of GE that no other has; **SIMPLICITY**: It has not a single exposed moving part. Get that for that means something to you. It hasn't a BELT, or FAN, or a DRAIN PIPE. It has no CONNECTIONS or STUFFING BOXES. It never needs OILING because the hermetically sealed casing which holds ALL the mechanism also holds a permanent supply of oil, so bear that in mind **IT NEVER NEEDS OILING**. So you just forget this old cry of servicing a life time for when you buy a GE you have no need for Service Man.

### Economy

A specially designed Motor of low horse-power, but high efficiency, uses very little current. Then too, the top Unit design allows all the heat (extracted from the box and generated by the tiny motor) to be dissipated above the box—not to rise through it as others do—thereby causing the mechanism to be compelled to run more than it otherwise would on account of the heat rising up into the box. This noise about a BIG motor is all the Bunk. You may as well say that your pleasure car should have truck motor so as to handle an overload. GE designed this motor for economical operation and it has been thoroughly tried out under every known condition that an Electric Refrigerator can be subjected to and will operate on less current, and quieter than any other Refrigerator. Remember that GE motors are used universally and there are more GE motors in use than ALL OTHERS COMBINED, so you can rest assured that you have the latest and best and most powerful motor in your GE Unit.

### Quietness

Now we invite your most careful comparison as to quietness. Step back 10 feet and you can't tell whether your mechanism is running or not. It makes no more noise than your clock and not near as much as some 8 day clocks. There is no slipping or grinding or squeaking noise as your motor starts. You don't

hear that little annoying squeak, squeak, squeak that some of the others make on account of the compressor unit being suspended by springs to take up the vibration.

### Roominess

The remarkable compactness of the chilling chamber gives each model a greater shelf area than any other of the same size overall. Don't judge the food capacity by the overall dimensions. Open the doors and see how much shelf area the box has. And too, the GE chilling chamber is made of spotless porcelain, easy to clean, more sanitary, no metal housing or box to take up space. The Ice Cube trays are free and easy to remove as they are not cramped up in one little place to freeze, top, sides and bottom and have to pour hot water on same to be able to remove same. All corners inside are rounded, to make easy to clean.

### Clean

The interior is spotless Porcelain, sanitary and everlasting, easy to clean. The exterior can be had in Duco finish and also porcelain at a slight additional cost. The Boxes are on legs and easy to get at floors to polish or clean. There is no machinery in the lower part of the Cabinet to accumulate dust. The entire moving parts are sealed airtight on top of the Refrigerator and the circulation of air through the coils draws dust and any heat away from top of Refrigerator and this en-

tire unit is finished in White baked Enamel. It is a thing of beauty, neat and compact.

### Capacity

GE can be had in 6 different sizes from 5½ sq. feet shelf area to 24 sq. feet shelf area. There are 12 different models and finishes to make selection from. You can make from 7 to 12 lbs. of crystal ice cubes at a time and will freeze same in about 4 hours or less.

### Service

Just forget that when you buy a GE. We personally guarantee GE Electric Refrigerators unconditionally. We positively will give you a new Entire Unit free of charge or your MONEY back if it fails to work. We do not call around at regular intervals to service a GE because it doesn't need SERVICING, that is built into it just like it is built into your Electric light Bulbs, you don't service them. Well, the only difference is if your lamp burns out you go buy a new one, but if your GE fails to work we GIVE you a new one or your money back. This is no idle talk, we mean just what we say.

### Last

Be modern, get a GE Electric Refrigerator and have the latest improved and the best Refrigerator that money can buy. We will gladly put one in your home on approval if you will call our salesman.

You can buy a GE with small down payment, balance in monthly installments.

## Wilson Motor Company

Lee Wilson Proprietor.

OZONA

BIG LAKE



**Marauding Wolf Slain**

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 boys lay in wait, with cocked guns. As the wolf came in range with the pup leading by a few yards, all three boys opened fire with shot-guns and kept pumping the guns until the wolf lay still. They found the animal with three legs broken and half of his head blown off by the buckshot.

To see his ancient enemy bite the dust in this manner, while daring to insult the civilized breed by chasing him in that ignoble fashion, was reward enough for the bull pup. He strutted around the wolf's carcass until morning and when neighbors went out to look at the kill the next morning, the bull pup was the happiest of the lot.

**Grube Changes Its Name to "El Masho," New Town Growing**

Crockett County's new oil town of Grube on the Pecos River is no more. Instead of Grube, 'El Masho' has bloomed out as a flourishing town in the center of one of the most active Crockett County oil fields.

The change in name of the new town was decided on recently by the stockholders of the townsite company and the change was recorded in a dedication filed in the county clerk's office this week.

The change was decided upon for several reasons, according to M. R. Showalter, an official in the townsite company, but the principal reason was in order to secure a more euphonious name. Many objections had been raised to the name of Grube as being harsh.

"We wanted to name the new town in honor of Geo. L. Thompson owner of the land on which the new oil field is located," Mr. Showalter declared while here on business Tuesday. "We were unable to name the town after Mr. Thompson, however, on account of conflicts in postoffice names."

El Masho is a combination of Spanish and Indian words meaning literally "The River View." The town is located on the Pecos River and that name was chosen as one of the most apt suggested.

**NOTICE**

Any one finding old fashioned hand made waist last day of children's play "The Sewing Club" at school house, please return to Stockman office. 49-t.

**Road Completed To El Masho; Com. Court Pays Part Of Cost**

A 4 1/2 mile stretch of road from the O. W. Parker ranch house to El Masho, new Crockett County oil town on the Pecos River in the Thompson field, has been completed and graded, according to a report of the work submitted this week to the Commissioners Court by Commissioner J. W. Owens, in charge of this work.


The total cost of the road was \$1644.62, borne by Geo. L. Thompson, the court was informed. The court ordered that Crockett County pay \$1328.28 of this amount to reimburse Mr. Thompson, citing the fact that the people of El Masho had agreed to pay a part of the cost.

Supt. C. C. Minatra left Wednesday afternoon for Ennis to be at the bedside of his father who is reported critically ill.

Charter No. 7748 Reserve Dist. No. 11  
**REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE OZONA NATIONAL BANK AT OZONA IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON FEBRUARY 28, 1928.**

RESOURCES	
1. a Loans and discounts, including rediscunts, acceptances of other banks and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank	\$536,686.95
Total Loans	\$536,686.95
2. Overdrafts, unsecured	\$4,616.27
3. U. S. Government Securities owned:	
a Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	75,000.00
Total	75,000.00
4. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc. owned	3,750.00
5. Banking House	5,000.00
6. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	65,894.03
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks	446,447.93
Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	446,447.93
14. b Miscellaneous cash items	141.71
15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	3,750.00
16. Other assets, if any	4,960.01
Total	\$1,146,246.90
19. Capital stock paid in	100,000.00
20. Surplus fund	25,000.00
21. a Undivided profits	98,840.89
b Reserved for	98,840.89
c Less current expenses paid	4,525.05
23. Circulating notes outstanding	94,315.84
24. Individual deposits subject to check	75,000.00
25. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	629,601.09
26. State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond	27,000.00
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 30, 31, 32, 33, and 34	115,064.81
27. Savings deposits (including time certificates of deposit other than for money borrowed)	771,665.90
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 35, 36, 37, and 38	74,800.00
40. Liabilities other than above stated	74,800.00
Total	5,465.16
Total	\$1,146,246.90

State of Texas, County of Crockett, ss:  
 I, Scott Peters, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
 Scott Peters, Cashier.  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of March, 1928.  
 (SEAL) Houston S. Smith, Notary Public  
 Correct—Attest: J. W. Young, W. R. Baggett, W. E. West, Dir.

**Confidence** 

Readers desiring a personal reply can address Miss Flo, in care of this newspaper.

Dear Miss Flo:—  
 Please tell me how I can overcome self-consciousness. I am a young man of twenty-two—fairly intelligent but people with whom I come in contact would never guess it—for when I am out I'm afraid to open my mouth for fear I'll say the wrong thing. I seldom think of anything worth saying—but when I do, I don't know how to start. How can I overcome this handicap?  
 N. K.

For goodness sake—don't take it so seriously! Nobody is going to remember a year from now, or a week from now, or even a day from now, if you do say the wrong thing. There isn't anybody living who can boast never to have dropped some untimely remark that he immediately regretted—and blushed many times remembering it.

Don't think about it. Don't make such an effort to talk, and you will find it a great deal easier. Everytime you have stage-fright when you are in a crowd, start talking. Say something—say anything. It's the only way to get over your trouble.

Talk until you get your balance—and don't ask yourself if it is worth while saying. Remember that all the original things have been said ages ago.

Don't avoid people. Talk to everybody. Each contact will develop a new idea and it won't be long until you will talk with confidence and your ideas will flow so rapidly you will have to talk long and fast to keep up with them.

A question is always a good talk

starter—and the weather is as good a topic of conversation as it ever was.

And don't forget for an instant—that it is just as much of an art to be a good listener as it is to be a brilliant conversationalist.

Dear Miss Flo:—  
 For the last year and a half I have been going out with a man who works in my office. We have always been very good friends until recently. Now he is going out with another girl in the office. Please tell me what to do. We are not in love with each other—but I miss his companionship.

If he has lost interest in you, there isn't much you can do to revive it. It is evident he has transferred his affections—and if you are wise, you will let it go at that. And who knows—perhaps when he sees that you don't mind his indifference he will be more interested in you than ever.

Mr. and Mrs. Rice Lynn will leave this week-end for San Antonio where they will stay a few days arranging business matters before going to Porto Rico to make their home. Mr. Lynn and his business partner in San Antonio will be associated in an enterprise in Porto Rico.

Three new Buick autos were delivered by the Wilson Motor Company of Ozona and Big Lake during the past week, according to announcement by Lee Wilson, proprietor. Will Odom was delivered a Standard Town Brougham, F.

**METHODIST NOTES**

We shall begin a series of evangelistic sermons. Subject Sunday morning, "The Way Into the Kingdom," text Matt. 16:17-18-19. Sunday night, "How Shall I Find God?" John 14:8-9.

Some questions to think about: Where is the Kingdom of God? In seeking the kingdom is man to get an angry God in a good humor,

or get himself in harmony with a righteous God? Is the key to the kingdom an act of worship, or the discovery of a spiritual truth and power? J. H. Meredith, P. C.

POSTED—My ranch lands lying in Crockett County. Trespassing without my consent positively forbidden. S. E. Couch. —29-tfc



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Del Monte No. 1 Bartlett Pears	23c
5lb Meal	23c
Espequet Sauce	34c
Champion Petit Pois Peas	28c
Fruit Salad No. 2	38c
25lb Spuds	1.00
Onions, per lb	08c
Cabbage, per lb	05c
Salt Pork, per lb	17c
8lb Jewel Lard	1.37
Libby Veal Loaf	26c
6oz. Beechnut Peanut Butter	19c
Raisin Bran, 2 for	25c

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