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Thursday, March 14, 1929



To be able to ask a question clearly is two-thirds of the way to getting answered.—RUSKIN.

Ozona and Crockett County have received several thousand dollars worth of publicity in the last week at no cost to the citizens. The Kansas City Star and Kansas City Times each carried nearly a page write-up of Ozona and Crockett County with pictures in issues of Sunday, March 3.

The story was written by a staff correspondent of the two papers who visited Ozona several weeks ago, gathering data and getting pictures. This staff representative of the Kansas City papers was sent all the way to this section just to get a story of Ozona and Crockett County, considered the most unusual county in the United States. Several state papers have also carried editorial comment on this

county in the last week.

As a result of this publicity, this newspaper, county officials and local booster organizations have been flooded with letters from people in other states who want to locate in this section. Last year a high-powered advertising salesman for a big state paper visited Ozona and collected some \$400 for a half page publicity story of Ozona in a special edition, and the Kansas City papers, with possibly several times the circulation of the Texas paper, considered the item news and devoted more space without a penny's charge. And now, this state paper is trying to build up a circulation in Ozona.

Several disastrous prairie fires have been reported in this section in the last few weeks, two of them on land owned by S. E. Couch near Ozona. Reagan County ranchmen have also suffered considerable losses recently from fires. Prairie fires are usually the result of carelessness and most fires are started through carelessness of someone from another section of the state who is not familiar with this section. An educational campaign should be carried on in West Texas, through road signs and general publicity in an effort to acquaint the stranger with the importance of using care at all times with fires.

Crockett County's third annual Rodeo, Race Meet and Stock Show will be held in Ozona July 3, 4 and 5, just a little over three months from now. This year's show, according to present plans of fair officials, will far outstrip any previous effort. The biggest rodeo, race meet and stock show west of Fort Worth is going to be bigger and better than ever this year. It is time now to begin spreading the gospel to the world about what Crockett County is going to have this year. Lend a hand to the fair association in putting over ample publicity for the show this year.

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ful in the delicate oval face—perfect in its outline, perfect in its faint coloring and poise? She was walking slowly, her every movement full of a distinctive and deliberate grace, and her head a little upturned, as though her thoughts were far away among the softly burning stars, rather than concerned with the fashionable and picturesque crowd which thronged around her. A remark from her companion, a girl of somewhat slighter stature and darker complexion, caused her to lower her eyes, and in doing so they fell upon the eager, impassioned gaze of the young Englishman.

Afterwards he was never ashamed to confess that that moment brought with it a peculiar lingering sweetness which never altogether died away. It was the birth of a new sensation, the most poignant of all sensations, although philosophers deny and materialists scoff at it. After all, there is something more than refined sensation in love which has so sudden a dawning; there is a certain innate spirituality which sublimates and purifies it, so that the flame burns softly but brightly still through joy and grief, mocking at satiety, surviving the sorrow of gray hairs, triumphing over the desolation of old age, and sweetening the passage to the grave. He was a headstrong, chivalrous young man, passionate, loyal, and faithful, among all his faults. That first love of his never grew cold, never lessened. It lasted forever. For some men it is not impossible to give the better part of themselves up to the worship of a pure woman; selfishness forbids it. But this young Englishman who sat there spellbound, absorbed in the consciousness of this new and sweet emotion, was not one of these.

Suddenly she withdrew her eyes with a faint, conscious blush, and as she did so she saw for the first time the Sicilian. Her whole aspect swiftly changed. A terrified shudder swept across her features, and her lips parted with fear.

"Who is she?" the Englishman asked abruptly.

"I fear that I do not quite understand you," he said quietly, al-

though his voice and limbs were trembling with passion; "to whom do you allude?"

"The girl in white who passed just now. You knew her! Tell me her name!"

"Why should I?"

"I wish to know it."

"Possibly. But that is no reason why I should tell it to you. That lady is a friend of mine, certainly, but it is not the custom in my country, however it may be in yours, to bandy a lady's name about a public place."

At the door of the hotel the Englishman paused for a moment, and then, instead of joining the stream of promenaders, he entered and slowly ascended the broad marble staircase toward his room. Just as he reached the first landing, however, he felt a light touch on his arm, and a guttural voice in his ear. He turned sharply round, and found before him one of the waiters—the one who had served him with his coffee outside.

"Well! what do you want?" he asked.

The man answered in a low tone, with his eyes glancing suspiciously around all the time.

"The Signor was inquiring the name of the lady who passed by," he said apologetically.

"Well?"

"I can tell it to the Signor."

"Look sharp then!"

"The Signor is generous," he remarked, with a cunning look. "I have risked my place by leaving the terrace without permission to bring him this news, and I am poor—very, very poor," he added, with a sudden drop in his voice which resembled a whine.

The Englishman threw a piece of gold into the brown, greedy palm.

"The Signor is noble. The beautiful lady's name is Signorina Adrienne Cartuccio."

"The singer?"

"The same, Signor. The divine singer."

"Ah!"

"The Englishman turned toward the wide, open window, and gazed steadfastly at the place in the crowd where she had vanished.

ON the brow of the Hill Foillesse, at a sharp angle in the white dusty road, a man and woman stood talking. On one side of them was a grove of flowering magnolias, and on the other a high, closely-trim-

med hedge skirted the grounds of the Villa Foillesse. There was not another soul in sight, but, as though the place were not secure enough from interruption, the girl, every now and then, glanced half fearfully around her, and more than once paused in the middle of a sentence to listen. At last her fears escaped from her lips.

"Leonardo, I wish that you had not come!" she cried. "What is the good of it? I shall have no rest till I know that you are beyond the sea again."

"Beyond the seas, while my heart is chained forever here, Margharita!" he answered. "Ah! I have tried, and I know the bitterness of it. You cannot tell what exile has been like to me. I could bear it no longer. Tell me, child! I watched you climb this hill together. You looked back and saw me, and waited. Did she see me, too? Quick! answer me! I will know! She saw me on the Marina. Did she know that I was following her?"

"I think she saw you. She said nothing when I lingered behind. It was as though she knew."

The Sicilian clasped his hands, and looked away over the sea. The moonlight fell upon his weary pallid face, and glistened in his dark sad eyes. He spoke more to himself than to her.

"She knew! And yet she would wait to speak a single word to me! Ah! it is cruel! If only she could know how night by night, in these far-distant countries, I have lain on the mountain tops, and wandered through the valleys, thinking and dreaming of her—always of her! It has been an evil time with me, my sister, a time of dreary day and sleepless nights. And this is the end of it! My heart is faint and sick with longing, and I hastened here before it should break. I must see her, Margharita! Let us hasten on to the villa!"

She laid her hand upon his arm. Her eyes were soft with coming tears.

"Leonardo, listen," she cried. "It is best to tell you: She will not see you. She is quite firm. She is angry with you for coming."

"Angry with me! Angry because I love her, so that I risk my life just to see her, to hear her speak! Ah! but this cruel! Let me go in and speak to her. Let

me plead with her in my own fashion!"

She shook her head.

"Leonardo, the truth is best," she said softly. "Adrienne does not love you. She is quite determined not to see you again. Even I, pleading with tears in my eyes, could not persuade her. She has locked herself in her room while she prepares for the concert. You could not force yourself upon her, and that would not do."

"No, I would not do that," he answered wearily. "Margharita, there is a question; I must ask it, though the answer kill me. Is there—any one else?"

She shook her head.

"There is no one else, Leonardo, yet. But what matter is that, since it cannot be you? Some day it will come. All that a sister could do I have done. She pities you, Leonardo, but she does not love you. She never will!"

He moved from the open space, where the moonlight fell upon his marble face, to the shadow of the magnolia grove. He stood there quite silent for a moment. Then he spoke in a strained, hard voice, which she scarcely recognized.

"Margharita, you have done your best for me. You do not know what a man's love is, or you would not wonder that I suffer so much. Yet if it must be, it must. I will go back to my exile and forget her. Yet since I am here, grant me a last favor. Let me see her to say farewell."

She looked up at him in distress.

"Leonardo, how can I? She has given orders that under no circumstances whatever are you to be admitted."

"But to say farewell!"

"She would not believe it. It has been so before, Leonardo, and then you have been passionate, and pleaded your cause all over again. I have promised that I will never ask her to see you again."

"Then let me see her without asking. You can find an opportunity, if you will. For my sake, Margharita!"

(Continued Next Week)

Cole Longley arrived last Wednesday from San Angelo where he has been attending a business school to take up his duties with the Humble wholesale station which was recently erected here.

Dean Phillips returned Saturday from Abilene where he has been attending a business school.

Frank Neblitt of Stephenville is spending a few weeks with his sister here, Mrs. Rusty Smith.

Mrs. J. T. Keeton and two children are reported to be ill with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Marshall Brown of Midland arrived last week-end to spend a few days with Mrs. Brown's parents, Judge and Mrs. Chas. E. Davidson.

Louis Hall of Hall Brothers Grain Company of San Angelo and D. I. Taylor of the Barnhart branch of the same concern were in Ozona on business Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. John L. Bishop is confined to her home by illness.

Bert Kincaid of Ft. Stockton was in Ozona over the week-end.

Rob and Roy Miller were in Barnhart Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Childress were in San Angelo this last week-end.

**Monday and Tuesday**

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by E. Phillips Oppenheim

FIRST INSTALLMENT

PALERMO is like a night blossom which opens only with the first breath of evening. By day, it is parched and sleepy and stupid; by night, it is alive and joyous—the place itself becomes an al fresco paradise.

By day, those who can, sleep; by night, they awake and don their daintest clothing, and Palermo is gay.

The terrace of the Hotel de l'Europe extends to the very verge of the promenade, and, night by night, it is crowded with men of all conditions and nations, who sit before little marble tables facing the sea. At one of these, so close to the promenade that the dresses of the passers-by almost touched them, two men were seated.

One was of an order and race easily to be distinguished in any quarter of the globe—an English country gentleman. He was tall and handsome, and young enough not to have outlived enthusiasm, for he was looking out upon the gay scene with keen interest. His features were well cut—his eyes were blue, and his bronze face was smooth, save for a slight, well-formed moustache. He wore a brown tweed coat and waistcoat, flannel trousers, a straw hat tilted over his eyes, and he was smoking a briar pipe.

His companion was of a different type. He was of medium height only, and thin; his complexion was sallow, and his eyes and hair were black. His features, though not altogether pleasing, were regular, and almost classical in outline. His clothes displayed

him to the worst possible advantage. He wore black trousers and a dark frock coat, tightly fitting, which accentuated the narrowness of his shoulders. The only relief to the sombreness of his attire consisted in a white flower carefully fastened in his buttonhole.

They were only acquaintances, these two men; chance had brought them together for some evil purpose of her own. They had become for a while companions, albeit silent ones.

The Englishman was in far too good a humor with himself, the place, and his surroundings, to hold his peace for long. He exchanged his pipe for a Havana, and commenced to talk.

"It's very stupid of me, but, do you know, I've quite forgotten your name for the moment. I remember my cousin, Cis Davenport, introducing us at Rome, and I knew you again directly I saw you. But I'm hanged if I can think of your name! I always had a precious bad memory."

The Sicilian looked none too well pleased at the implied request.

"I do not object to telling you my name," he said in a low tone, sunk almost to a whisper, "but you will pardon me if I make a request which may appear somewhat singular to you. I do not wish you to address me by it here, or to mention it. To be frank, there are reasons for wishing my presence in this neighborhood—not to be known. You are a gentleman, and you will understand."

"Oh, perfectly," the Englishman answered him, in a tone of blank bewilderment.

"My name is Leonardo di Martioni!"

"By Jove! of course it is!" the Englishman exclaimed. "I should have thought of it in a moment."

"You will not forget my request, and if you have occasion to address me, perhaps you will be so good as to do so by the name of 'Cortegi.' It is the name by which I am known here, and to which I have some right."

The Englishman nodded.

"All right, I'll remember. By the bye," he went on, "I had the pleasure of meeting your sister in Naples, I believe. She is engaged to marry Martin Briscoe, isn't she?"

The Sicilian's face darkened into a scowl; the thin lips were tightly compressed, and his eyes flashed with angry light.

"I was not aware of it," he answered haughtily.

There was a brief lull in the stream of promenaders.

The Englishman looked into the eyes of the most beautiful woman he had ever seen. A flood of silver moonlight lay upon the Marina, glancing away across the dark blue waters of the bay, and the soft dazzling light gently touched her hair, and gleamed in her dark, sweet eyes. She was tall, and clad in white flowing draperies clinging softly around her slim, girlish figure, and giving to her appearance an inexpressible daintiness, as though they were indeed emblematic of the spotless purity of that fair young being. Was it the chastened light, or was there indeed something spiritual, something more than humanly beautiful?

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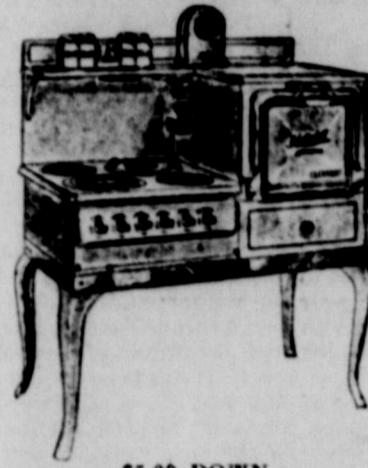
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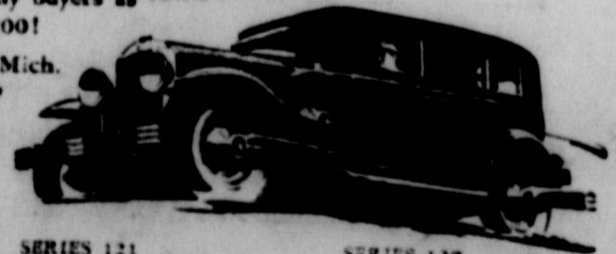
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### Two Grass Fires On Couch Land

#### Several Head Sheep Killed In Fires Near Ozona

Two grass fires in succession, believed to have started from camp fires along the pipe line being laid through that section, burned over nearly two sections of land in the S. E. Couch pastures west of Ozona last week.

Several head of sheep, not more than half a dozen it is believed,

were burned to death in the fires. The last fire Saturday is believed to have started from smoldering embers from the previous outbreak a few days before.

Judge and Mrs. Chas. E. Davidson left Thursday morning for Winfield, Iowa, where they will visit Judge Davidson's brother, R. P. Davidson, who has been ill for some time. Miss Elizabeth Davidson and Mrs. Bryan McDonald took them to San Angelo where they took the train for Iowa.

What is Easter without a new hat? Step out in a new Stetson. See the new one at Jones Saddlery. Itc.

### Ozona Natl. Gives Bond As Custodian Of County's Funds

Bonds of the Ozona National Bank totalling \$100,000 were approved by the County Commissioners Court at its session this week, making it possible for the local bank to act as custodian of funds of the county and of the schools.

The bond as county depository was fixed at \$40,000 and was signed by W. E. West, Roy Henderson, P. L. Childress, Wayne West and S. E. Couch as sureties. The school depository bond was fixed at \$60,000 and the same signatures were affixed to this bond.

### Prisoners In Texas Doubled Since 1910

Washington, D. C., March 13, 1929.—The Department of Commerce makes the following announcement for the State of Texas concerning results of the 1927 census of state prisons and reformatories.

The Texas State Prison had a total of 2,325 prisoners received from the courts during the year 1927, as compared with 1,131 in the year 1910.

The increase in the number of prison admissions in Texas between 1910 and 1927 was relatively greater than the growth in the State's population during the same period, as shown by the fact that the prisoners received from the courts in 1927 numbered 43.1 per 100,000 of population, as compared with 29 in 1910. The number of prisoners received from courts and also the ratio of such prisoners to the general population increased steadily from 1910 to 1927.

The number of prisoners confined in the Texas State Prison on Jan. 1, 1928 was 3,864, as compared with 3,523 on Jan. 1, 1910; but the ratio of such prisoners per 100,000 of general population decreased from 90.4 on Jan. 1, 1910 to 70.9 on Jan. 1, 1928.

Of the prisoners from the courts in Texas during the year 1927, 2,282 were males, and 43 were females; and of the prisoners present on Jan. 1, 1928, 3,797 were males and 67 were females.

### ENTERTAINS WITH BRIDGE

Mrs. Early Baggett entertained her night bridge club at her ranch home last Thursday night. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oberkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Joe North, Judge and Mrs. Chas. E. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baggett, Mrs. L. B. Adams and Mrs. W. J. Grimmer.

Get hot for Easter in a new Stetson Hat. See Jones Saddlery for one to fit your style of beauty.

Papers were signed Wednesday completing the sale of about two sections of ranch land sold by Ed Smith to E. L. (Son) Chapman some time ago. The land lies west of the Pecos opposite Pandale, and adjoins land already owned by Chapman.—Del Rio Herald.

C. B. Sauer of the Meriwether & Sauer's Construction Company of Harlingen, builders of the local new Baptist Church, was here last week-end attending to business.

Lois Deland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Deland, was taken to San Angelo last week for medical examination and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Durant McElreath have rented an apartment in the S. L. Butler residence across the draw.

Mrs. Jessie Williams of Miles was here last week-end visiting friends and relatives. Mrs. Williams was formerly Miss Alva Smith.

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Prices from  
98c to \$39.<sup>50</sup>

— is to be found in the many different types of frocks which make up Lemmons' Spring Style Collection!

No matter what you want — sport frocks, afternoon frocks — dressy frocks — or even colorful little house dresses—we have them in their smartest interpretation. Silks . . . fine, soft Woolens . . . and the exceptionally smart cotton fabrics are the outstanding materials. The colors are more than lovely, and include every shade which is in style for Spring, 1929!

Your Spring Wardrobe cannot afford to have you overlook these charming frocks!

## The Footwear Mode



Offers Coloured Kids and Reptiles as its important Spring successes!

They are the most popular—yes—but there are many other materials which are equally smart— notably the new fashion of tweed—acorns to match your tweed ensemble. Lemmons carries shoes of all types, priced from

\$3.50 to \$11.50

## The Millinery Mode



Features Felt and Straw as the Popular 1929 Spring Combination!

Felt and straw are indeed the accepted materials—but that is not what makes these hats so lovely. It is the colours—gay or soft—dark or light—which are most exceptional; and their subtle lines, which breathe Paris in every inch!

\$3.98 to \$10.00

## Lingerie Is Dainty and Gaily Feminine

Pastel Shades Gleam in Silks or Rayons!

No woman can help but admit a sneaking fondness for lovely underthings! So every one will be charmed by the daintiness and beauty displayed in Lemmons' lingerie collection for this season.

We also have an important group of pajamas—fashioned of silk and rayon—and glowing with a thousand brilliant colours. The pajama and nightgown ensembles—with matching coats—are new-comers in the nightwear fashion world.

Step-ins	.98 to 7.50
Teddies	.85 to 4.50
Bloomers	.95 to 4.50
Pajamas	1.95 to 9.50
Brassieres	.50 to 2.00
Nightgowns	1.25 to 12.95

## Silken Hose For All Occasions

Featuring this Season's Exceptionally Attractive Colours!

This season—we wear different shades of hosiery at various hours in the day, as well as changing our hosiery with every differently colored frock.

You will have no trouble in making a selection from the wide variety of hosiery shades to be found here—in chiffon or service weight, fancy heels and shaded clocks.

Service Weight, from .95 to 1.50  
Chiffon, 1.50 to 3.00

# LEMMONS

## DRY GOODS Co.

Ozona, Texas

Announces Its Formal 1929

# Spring Opening



**W**e have just completed a five weeks' buying trip in Saint Louis, Chicago, and the East. During all that time we were searching for the very best merchandise to be found anywhere!

**A**nd we know we succeeded in finding it! You will, too, when you see our Spring line — for it represents all the New Style trends of the season — combined with the same Quality and Low Price which you can always count on finding at Lemmons'.

**T**here is no place where you can find prices any lower than at Lemmons' — and sometimes you'll have trouble in finding them as low! Yet we pride ourselves in the fact that the Quality of any article we sell is the Best for the Price! — that its Style is Right! — and that we have an unusually varied selection!

Come in and see the lovely things we have gathered for our Spring season. There are sizes for everyone — colours and styles to suit every taste — and the unquestionable reliability of every piece of Lemmons' merchandise!

# New Styles In Men's Suits



Men's Suits  
24.<sup>50</sup> to 35.

Extra Trousers  
3.<sup>50</sup> to 7.<sup>50</sup>

Are here now — Values are here always!

The well-dressed man should be wholly unconscious of his clothes—should be so confident of the style—so comfortable in fit—and so becomingly attired that he can afford to forget his clothes!

One way of achieving this happy state is to buy your clothes at Lemmons'. We offer you definite assurance of distinguished style, perfect tailoring, and rich, long-wearing materials to be found in such brands as Hart-Schaffner & Marx, Curlee and other reliable brands for the young man, father and son.

## We Chose Hats and Neckties

as Representatives of our Great Men's Furnishings Department



If you find a place where you can buy a hat that fits your head and is becoming—then you can be almost certain that the other accessories are equally good. The "Stetsons" carried by Lemmons' need no praise for their worth to be properly valued!

Priced from 5.00 to 40.00



As for our ties—well, you know how much effort you spend in getting just the right one for the particular suit and shirt combination you have in mind. It won't be quite such a task at Lemmons', for we have such wonderful assortments—every colour—every pattern—numerous materials. And every tie is well-made!

Priced from 1.00 to 2.50

## The Younger Generation Trades at Lemmons

For mothers know that they will get the same quality and fit in their children's clothes as in their own—if they come from Lemmons'.

Frocks  
For Tiny Tots  
are quaintly charming.

Little bloomer dresses—crisp lawns and organdies—sturdy gingham—for the Toddlers who boast two to six years. And all are marvelously inexpensive!

\$1.25 to \$6.95

The  
Junior Miss  
will be well-pleased

with Lemmons' Spring selections for her. The frocks are so trim and smart—hats have a most jaunty air—coats with just the right amount of sophistication. Prices for dresses range from

\$1.25 to \$39.50

Little Boys'  
Wash Suits  
in many modes

In nicely made-up patterns in broadcloth or linen. Well tailored garments that will give long wear and furnish a dressy mode.

\$1.25 to \$3.95

## Declares Sargon "Just Wonderful"

Thousands of Texas people are now taking the Sargon Treatment with the most astonishing and gratifying results and scores of



H. M. MAXFIELD

men and women are daily telling what it has done for them.

Among the latest to give enthusiastic praise is H. M. Maxfield, of 304 East 15th St., Ft. Worth, who says:

"I wouldn't take any amount of money for the good Sargon did me. About three years ago I became terribly run-down, nervous and anaemic. My liver was out of order and I nearly always was constipated and bilious. Nothing I ate agreed with me. I tried dieting, but that didn't help. Gas pains would shoot through my stomach and up into my chest, I would taste my food and frequently was so weak and sick I could hardly stay on my feet.

"I was so nervous I couldn't sleep and would stay awake half the night. My breath was bad, my tongue coated and I lost weight and strength. I didn't have any energy. I was susceptible to colds, and they were very stubborn and would hang on for weeks.

"I got some Sargon and right from the first dose I began to feel better. I never saw anything like it. My appetite is good and I eat what I want without a sign of dis-

treas. I sleep like a tired boy and in the morning I just feel fine. All my nervousness is gone and I am brimful of new strength and energy and I haven't had a cold since I started taking it.

"Sargon Soft Mass Pills are the most wonderful laxative I ever took. They ended my constipation without upsetting my system or making me sick in the least."

Sargon may be obtained in Ozona from the Ozona Drug Company.—Adv.

### FORTY-TWO PARTY

Mrs. Joe T. Davidson entertained the Thursday Forty-Two Club with an Easter party at her home last week. The color scheme was yellow. The home was decorated with yellow jonquils. The table decorations were Easter bunnies that served as baskets for Jordan almonds. Pear salad, sandwiches, potato chips, cakes and iced tea were served.

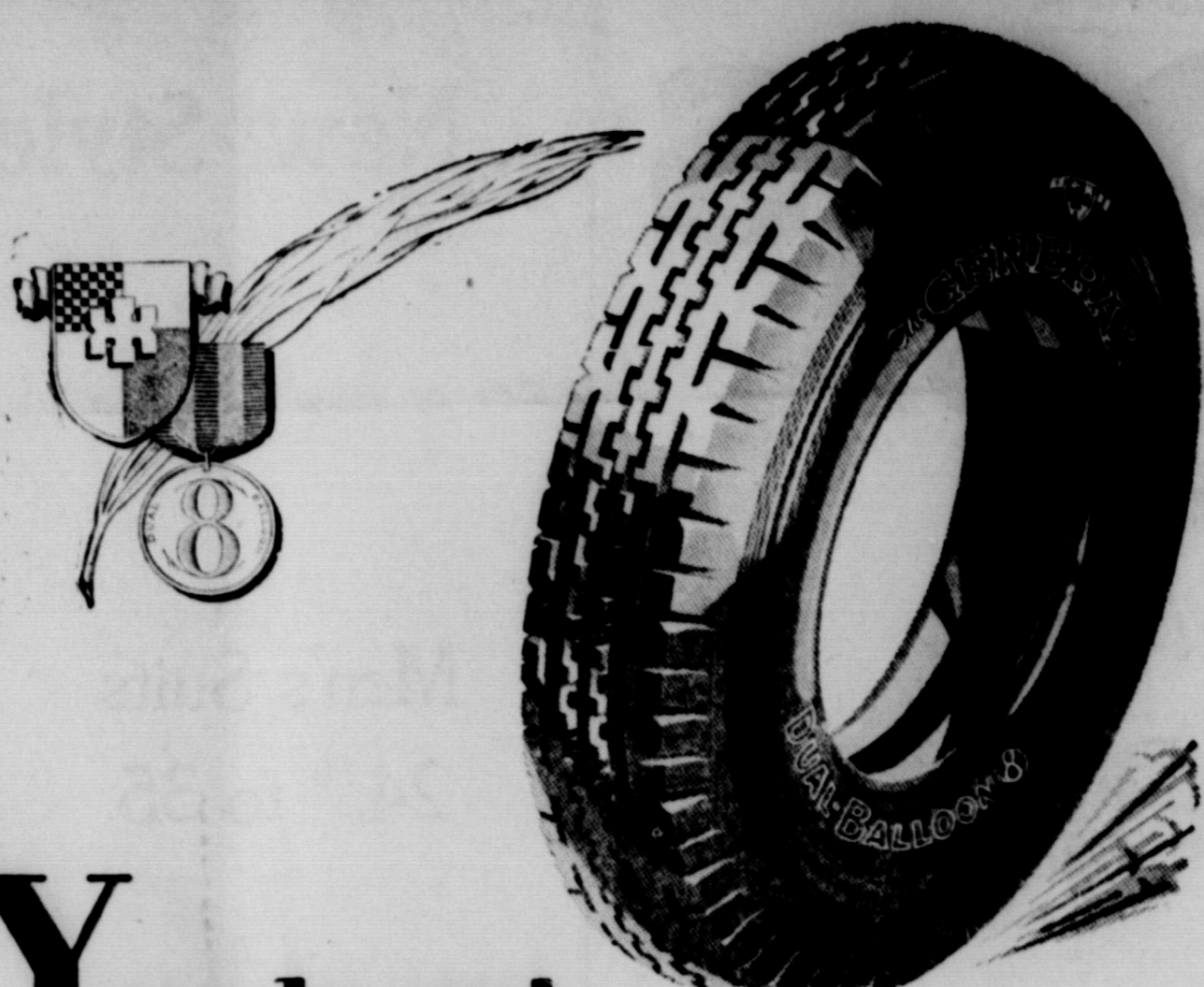
Those present were Mesdames Bascomb Cox, W. R. Baggett, L. J. Kittle, Joe Pierce, Joe Oberkamp, Pen Senhorn, J. C. Montgomery, Morris Dudley, Fred Deaton, Max Schneemann, Mary Perner, Chas. E. Davidson, Sr., Mary Childress, Bryan McDonald, W. J. Grimmer, J. W. North, N. W. Graham, Roy Henderson, Welton Bunger, Roger Dudley and Miss Hester Bunger.

Arthur Phillips returned from Temple Wednesday where he had been for the past week receiving treatment for his injured eye. Mrs. Phillips met him in San Angelo.

Miss Catherine Baggett arrived home from Southwestern University at Georgetown Wednesday to spend the vacation terms. She was met in San Angelo by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Baggett.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher Powell and family and Miss Ethel Kaderli will go to Big Spring this week-end. Miss Kaderli will go from there to Stanton to spend the week-end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Young were up this week from Ozona paying a visit to their son Walter Young and family, and to be present at the birthday celebration of their little granddaughter, Dorothy Elmer Young.—Big Lake Wildcat.



# You do not trade "riding comfort" for the added miles

The new Dual-Balloon completely reverses the tendency of today toward high-pressure or moderate-pressure in tires. It adds to General's already famous mileage without compromising, in the least, the comforts of low-pressure operation.

Thus, two great forward steps in tire progress have been achieved.

The new Dual-Balloon principle alone has been successful in combining greater mileage with regular balloon low-pressure.

This maximum cushioning for the car has many advantages: It means protection for the car investment, too—

a very noticeable saving in upkeep cost and the extra satisfaction of riding without the annoyance of body squeaks or the rattle of loosened parts.

The longer life of the car; your pleasure in driving as long as you keep the car; and its greater ultimate trade-in value—all of these are simply added features of service that go hand in hand with the Dual-Balloon's outstanding low-pressure efficiency coupled with greater mileage. Only the Dual-Balloon can give you this assurance of luxurious riding comfort with big mileage economy. You do not trade "riding comfort" for the added miles.



## The Age of Power

It is frequently and similarly stated that the age in which we live is a "machine age." This is only partially correct. Actually, the present age is a POWER AGE.

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**West Texas Utilities Company**

## The New GENERAL Dual-Balloon 8

### Our Special TRADE-IN SALE

Our special Trade-In Sale enables you to take fullest advantage of today's low cost of crude rubber. The new Dual-Balloon "8" and the regular super-lines of 4-ply, 6-ply and 8-ply Generals are all included in this event. Don't fail to come in while this special Trade-In event continues. Full value for the unused mileage in your present tires.

**WILSON MOTOR Co.**

Ozona

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Big Lake

# STRICTLY Confidential by Vera

**Puzzled**

Dear Miss Vera,  
I am a young girl of eighteen and I went with a boy for a couple of months. He only came on Sundays. All at once he quit without telling me. Now I wouldn't have thought a thing about it if he wouldn't have said that he loved me and cared a lot for me. I rather fell for him.

I saw him uptown and asked him if he were mad. I didn't want to ask him right out why he quit. He didn't say a word except that he wasn't mad. Don't you think he has been stringing me along?

Don't you think if he meant all he said he wouldn't have quit?

PUZZLED.

Dear Puzzled, of course everything seems to point to the fact that he has been stringing you along, as you say, but if I were you I wouldn't be too sure of that. He may be keeping away under some misconception or other, and you ought to try to find out. Next time you see him ask him why he doesn't call on you any more. Why not find out instead of being puzzled?

See the new Spring models in John B. Stetson hats at the Jones Saddlery Co. Inc.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**

By regular attendance, and participation in all church services, and by every means within our power, let us testify to the world our faith in God and our allegiance to His church, that others may be won to the same resolve.

**Church Calendar**

Preaching and Worship 10 a. m.  
Young Men's Service 3 p. m.  
Young People's Service 6:45 p. m.  
Evening Preaching 7:45 p. m.  
Ladies Bible Study Wed. 3 p. m.  
Mid-week service Wed. 7:45 p. m.  
— W. R. Swinney, Minister.

**CHRIST FOR ALL—ALL FOR CHRIST**  
**The Word of God**  
**BIBLE THOUGHT AND PRAYER**

If parents will have their children memorize the daily Bible selections, it will prove a precious heritage to them in after years.

**Jesus, Friend Of The Helpless**

Mark 1:40,41. And there came a leper to him, beseeching him, and kneeling down to him, and saying unto him, If thou wilt, thou canst make me clean. 41. And Jesus, moved with compassion, put forth his hand, and touched him, and saith unto him, I will; be thou clean.

Mark 2:5,11. When Jesus saw their faith, he said unto the sick of the palsy, Son, thy sins be forgiven thee. 11. Arise, and take up thy bed, and go thy way into thine house.

PRAYER: O Lord our Lord, Thou art mighty and able to the uttermost all that come unto God through Thee.

J. S. Pierce, Sr., was operated upon for the second time at a Temple hospital Tuesday. Mrs. J. S. Pierce, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. V. I. Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith went up Tuesday to be with him.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**  
**THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
**TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY**  
**CONSTABLE OF CROCKETT**  
**COUNTY, GREETING:**

You are hereby commanded to summons Bentura Pena, by making publication of this Citation once each week for four consecutive weeks, previous to the return date hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Crockett County, to be holden at the Court House thereof in Ozona, on the 5th Monday in April, 1929, the same being the 29th day of April, 1929, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court on the 1st day of March, 1929, in a Suit numbered on the Docket of said court No. 473, wherein Elopia Pena is Plaintiff and Bentura Pena is defendant. Said Petition alleges that on the 12th day of September, 1919, in Crockett County, Texas, Plaintiff was lawfully married to Defendant and that on or about the 1st day of January, 1922, Defendant permanently abandoned Plaintiff,

since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife, and Plaintiff prays for Judgment dissolving said marriage relation. Herein fail not but have you before said Court on the said 1st day of the next term thereof this Writ, with your return thereon showing

how you have executed the same. Witness: George Russell, Clerk of the District Court of Crockett County. GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court in the town of Ozona, this the 1st day of March, A. D. 1929.

George Russell, Clerk of the District Court of Crockett County. Issued this the 1st day of March A. D. 1929. George Russell, Clerk of the District Court of Crockett County. 48-4tc.

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**OZONA GARAGE**

Ozona, Texas



### Schumann-Heink In Angelo Apr. 12

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artist in the history of American music has rivalled the unique position of Schumann-Heink. Thousands have marvelled at her wonderful vocal power, but millions have been drawn to her by the grandeur of her art and the charm of her personality and character, which have made her virtually an American institution.

This historically significant tour is taking Madame Schumann-Heink from coast to coast through the leading American cities, and will include her return to the Metropolitan Opera Company to sing again the great Wagnerian roles which she has made famous in this country.

Refreshed by an extended rest and prepared fully for these appearances which lie before her, Schumann-Heink will return to her public in the glow of health and art which seems destined to carry her to a climax greater than any in her great career.

#### FRIDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Evert White entertained the Friday bridge club at her home last week with a St. Patrick's party. Those present were: Mesdames W. J. Grimmer, Bryan McDonald, Joe Pierce, V. I. Pierce, S. M. Harvick, Lee Childress, Roy Hender-

son, Joe Oberkamp, J. C. Montgomery, L. B. Adams, Ben Robertson, N. W. Graham, Early Baggett, W. W. West, C. C. Coates and Tom Smith.

#### METHODIST NOTES

Preaching Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Subject, "Stewardship with Fellowship." Preaching Sunday night at 7:30. Beginning Monday night, March 25, we will preach a series of sermons leading up to the final climax in the life of Christ which is celebrated on Easter Sunday.

Monday night, "Jesus and His Friends."  
Tuesday night, "Jesus and His Enemies."  
Wednesday night, "Jesus and His Relatives."  
Thursday night, "Jesus and His Church."  
Friday night, "Jesus and the Children."

This will be an illustrated sermon and we want all the children to see and hear it.

—J. H. Meredith, P. C.

#### REV. SWINNEY TALKS ON "THE MAN NOBODY KNOWS"

On Monday morning of this week Rev. W. R. Swinney, minister of the Church of Christ, brought a most interesting address to the high school group. The subject, "The Man Nobody Knows" was taken from the book by that name, written by Bruce Barton, a nationally known writer. In discussing

this subject, Rev. Swinney talked on four main points, as follows: "The Mastery of Christ," in which he pointed out that Christ was the master of himself and that one

must accomplish self-control before he can master his environment. In the second place Christ was pointed out as being not a weakling, but one of athletic type,

and a close student of nature. Thirdly, Christ was referred to as a scholar and the last point was a discussion of Christ's work as a

teacher. Rev. Swinney brought a brilliant message which was enjoyed immensely by both the student body and faculty.

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

**POSTED**  
All our pastures in Crockett County are posted. Hunting and all trespassing positively forbidden. W. R. & J. M. Baggett. 39-52tc

**PRAIRIE DOG NOTICE!**  
The Commissioners Court is again giving notice that Prairie Dogs in Crockett County must be exterminated. The County has on hand quite a quantity of strychnine purchased at wholesale prices and will turn it over to the taxpayers at cost to county. The county clerk has charge of it.

This notice is not meant to require operations at once, but merely as notice to all parties that the court will insist that every prairie dog in Crockett County be killed during the next six months.  
Chas. E. Davidson,  
County Judge.  
32-1f.

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