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### EDISON

Think for a minute of what one man, still active in his 84th year, has done to change the world in a single lifetime. He made the telephone a practical instrument. He invented the incandescent light. He invented the phonograph. He invented the motion picture. Imagine a world without those inventions. It is impossible, except to those whose memories, like my own go back to the time when Edison was known only as the inventor of the multiplex telegraph.

Now he has found a way to get rubber out of goldenrod, not as a commercial product but as a war reserve resource. And he is still working.

"A man can't die so long as he keeps busy," he told me once.

### MUSIC

Good music is increasing in popularity, but there are more musicians out of work than ever before. We are getting our music more and more by mechanical methods of reproduction.

First, the phonograph, then the radio, now the sound motion pictures, have brought the very best music played and sung by the highest grade of musical talent, within reach of everybody. The largest piano company in America went into bankruptcy recently. Pianos are still sold, and always will be. There will always be youngsters with talent coming along to produce the good music of tomorrow. And there are more "freak" instruments being sold than ever—saxophones, ukuleles and the like. There are probably more first-class singers of American birth and train, appearing in public now than ever before. But the second-rate and hopelessly third-rate musicians no longer command audiences. The American people have developed a higher taste in music.

### CHURCHES

"I could empty every country church and half the city churches on Sunday mornings by broadcasting better sermons and services than all but a few great churches offer," the head of one of the great broadcasting chains said to me the other day.

The time is coming when small-town churches will install radio sets and get their music and their sermons out of the air. They will need no local preacher, but instead will become centers for community work in the name of God, making it their charge to protect the moral and physical health of their communities, to inspire the amusements and elevate the educational standards of their young folk.

### RUBBER

Rubber gets its name because its first use was to rub out pencil marks. The Spanish conquistadores found Mexican and Brazilian children playing with balls of this peculiar gum, but it was three hundred years before it became a commercial product. Mackintosh, the Scotchman, used it first to water-proof cloth; Goodyear, the American, found how to take the stickiness out while retaining the elasticity.

A very small amount of commercial rubber is grown in the United States, in California and Arizona, where it is produced from the guayule shrub. Most of it comes from the East Indies and South America. Harvey Firestone is planting a million acres to rubber trees in Liberia, Africa. Unskilled cheap labor is necessary to keep the price of rubber down. A difference of 50 cents a pound in the price of crude rubber may mean a difference of \$10 in the price of automobile tires.

The next step will be the discovery of a method of reclaiming old rubber and using it again.

## WOMAN'S CLUB TO SPONSOR YARD CONTEST

Prizes To Be Given For Prettiest Premises Here

JUDGED JULY 1ST

Out-Of-Town Judges To Be Chosen For Award Of Prizes

A "Yard Beautiful" contest in which prizes are to be awarded residents of Ozona who take pride in the general appearance of their homes and premises, was gotten under way here this week by the Ozona Woman's Club, sponsors of the contest, which has as its object the general beautification of the city.

The contest, which begins immediately, will come to a close on July 1, this year, when a committee of out-of-town judges will come here to judge every home in Ozona and grade each one according to a score chart worked out by the club committee.

In order that the contest may be made fair to all residents, it is to be divided into two classes of homes, Class A homes to be those costing over \$3,500 and Class B, those costing up to \$3,500. Both home owners and renters are included in the contest without discrimination, except in the requirements of painting and general improvements which the tenant is unable to provide, this fact to be taken into consideration in the judging. With this exception the same score chart will be used in judging both classes. To encourage interest in the contest and to lend every assistance possible toward making Ozona one of the prettiest cities in West Texas, the Woman's Club will also maintain a "plant and seed exchange" during the coming spring and summer months. This "seed exchange" will be operated with a view to getting wide distribution of all kinds of flower and plant seeds or cuttings over the city.

Through the plant and seed exchange any resident of the city may get any kind of plant or seed they want free of charge if the exchange has the kind desired. The supply will be made up from seed and plants donated to the exchange. Any person who has a surplus of any kind of seed or plants and who will turn these over to the committee in charge of the exchange will be helping materially toward the general beautification of the city.

The Woman's Club committee in charge of the "Yard Beautiful" contest has divided the city into districts and district chairmen will act as the seed and plant exchange medium of their respective districts. Persons who have plants or seed to give to the exchange are requested to call the district chairmen of the area in which they live and arrangements will be made to get the donation. Similarly, those who want seed or plants are asked to get in touch with the district chairman.

The Club committee in charge of the contest and plant exchange is composed of Mrs. Scott Peters, chairman, Mrs. J. W. Henderson, Jr., Mrs. W. E. Smith, Mrs. Joe Oberkamp and Mrs. Strick Harvick.

Mrs. Peters is chairman of the north end of the city, Mrs. Smith the southwest section, Mrs. Harvick the east end, Mrs. Oberkamp across the draw and Mrs. Henderson the central part of town.

The score card, which will be used by the judges in judging the premises on July 1, follows:

- Cleanliness of Front Yard—20
- Cleanliness of Back Yard—25
- Flowers—10
- Shrubs—10
- Trees—5
- Cleanliness of chicken coops, pens, outbuildings, etc. in back yard—20
- Whitewashed or painted fences,

## B. H. Murphy New Hotel Manager

Man Of Twelve Years Experience Takes Over Local Hotel

B. H. Murphy, brother of E. E. (Pat) Murphy of San Angelo, candidate for Congressman to succeed Claude B. Hudspeth, arrived Tuesday morning with Mrs. Murphy to take charge of the Hotel Ozona as manager.

Mr. Murphy has had twelve years experience as hotel manager. For the last few months he has been in San Angelo assisting his brother in his political race, but for three years prior to that time he was manager of the Gholson Hotel in Ranger. He has served as manager of the Grace Hotel in Abilene and the Amarillo Hotel in Amarillo.

The hotel dining room will be opened for business beginning next Sunday, Mr. Murphy said, serving table d'hote meals and club style breakfasts.

Installation of room telephone and an office exchange will be the next major improvement in the local hotel, it was announced by the management. The exchange has already been ordered and the system is expected to be in operation about the first of May.

Mr. Murphy is anxious to have the people of Ozona visit the hotel, hold their meetings, parties and the like in the hotel.

"This hotel belongs to the people and I would like to see them use it more," Mr. Murphy said.

"The mezzanine is always available for small bridge parties or socials of any nature and the ball room can be used for larger parties, banquet, etc. Make your hotel a social center."

## Courthouse Gets New Coat Paint

District Courtroom Refinished; Order New Furniture

District Judge Joe Montague and other court officials have a pleasant surprise in store when they open the regular April term of the Crockett County district court here Monday morning.

The court will open in an entirely refinished interior, a district courtroom glistening with newly calcimined walls in a rich cream color and newly refinished furniture, including the interior woodwork, judge's and clerk's benches and chairs. An order has also been placed for new seats for spectators, but these will not arrive for installation this term of court.

Painters have been at work several days doing the refinishing work on the interior of the upstairs rooms of the courthouse and the exterior woodwork around windows and doors. In addition to the work of the painters, the floor of the district courtroom is being given a thorough scrubbing and the place will be spic and span when the court opens Monday.

outbuildings and general neat appearance—10

Possible Points—100  
Another division may be added to this contest, also, it was declared. The committee is considering fostering a contest among business houses, offering a prize to the business house which has the highest rating for general neat appearance, cleanliness and beauty. Such a contest would no doubt include cleanliness of interior and exterior of store or office, cleanliness of sidewalks and street in front, screens, paint, cleanliness of windows and front, awnings, etc. Definite announcement of this contest will be made later.

The committee is not able at this time to announce the prizes which will be awarded. Some of the prizes will no doubt be donated and announcement will be made of these at a later date.

## Ozona Giants Meet Mike Couch Team In Game Here Sun.

The Ozona Giants, Manager Jack Sharp's motley herd of stars and near-stars of the diamond, will be seen in action for the first time this season in an exhibition game here Sunday afternoon against a team placed in the field by Mike Couch.

The Giants have been going through daily work-outs for the last few weeks and some good material is available for a winning team this year.

Mike Couch's aggregation is more or less of an unknown quantity. They also have been seeing some strenuous practice hours and according to Skipper Couch his "dark horses" will give the Giants a stiff work-out in their Sunday match.

## Car Belonging To R. J. Cooke Stolen Here Thurs. Night

A Model A Ford roadster with pick-up body, belonging to R. J. Cooke, manager of the Ozona Meat Market, was stolen here last Thursday night and no trace had been found of the missing car Wednesday.

Sheriff W. S. Willis has learned the name and description of the man who is believed to have taken the car and has sent out such description of the man and car to all peace officers in this section in an effort to find the car and the thief.

## Ranchers Win Truck Rate Fight In R. R. Commission Ruling

AUSTIN, March 31.—The Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association and the State Sheep and Goat Raisers Association and other livestock interests today won their exception to rates for trucks hauling cattle and feedstuff as fixed by the Railroad Commission.

The commission issued an order excepting cattle, salt, cottonseed cake, meal, hulls and other commodities used by stockmen, from the rates fixed by trucks based on the tariff applying to shipments over railroads.

## Attack On Stranger Costs Ozona Man \$70 And Night In Jail

A disturbance in a local restaurant in which a stranger in the city suffered a bruised face as a result of a fistic encounter, cost Ralph Jones of this city more than \$70 last Saturday night. Jones was placed in the Crockett County jail following the disturbance and pleaded guilty the following morning to a charge of drunkenness and disturbing the peace.

During the night, bedclothing in the cell occupied by Jones was fired and Sheriff Willis had difficulty in releasing the prisoner from the cell, which was filled with smoke from the burning bedclothing. The prisoner was required to reimburse the county for the bedclothing destroyed, a total of approximately \$40.

## League Organization Held Up By Failure Of Towns To Meet

Organization of an independent baseball league to include five or six towns in this area, which was to have been accomplished at a called meeting in Sonora Monday night, was postponed when several of the towns proposed for the league failed to send representatives.

Jack Sharp, manager of the Ozona town team, and Joe Oberkamp were on hand for the meeting representing Ozona. Although no arrangements have been made for a second call for a meeting, it is expected that an effort will be made soon to interest other towns to the extent of getting an independent league in operation.

## Co. Declamation Winners Chosen

Good Crowd Attends Contests Here Friday Night

Champion declaimers of Crockett County were selected at the county meet held at the Church of Christ last Friday evening by a committee of judges composed of Houston Smith, Rev. W. R. Swinney and Rev. M. M. Fulmer. Junior spelling championship was also decided in the meet.

There were approximately thirty pupils taking part in the declamation contests, the declaimers being divided into four groups, junior girls, junior boys, senior girls and senior boys. A good crowd was present to hear the declamations and the winners were picked as follows.

JUNIOR GIRLS—Helen Adams, first; Dorothy Johnigan, second; and Willie V. Coose, third.

JUNIOR BOYS—John Henderson, first; Rob Roy Currie, second; and Earl Langford, third.

SENIOR GIRLS—Ada Word, first; Tommie Smith, second; and Carolyn Montgomery, third.

SENIOR BOYS—Engene Montgomery, first; Marvin Greer Rape, second; and Massie Ray Smith, third.

JUNIOR SPELLING—Pauline Williams, first; Annis Mae Brock, second; and Vicky Pierce, third.

## Pierce Retains Wrestling Title

Subdues Myers In Mat Classic Here; Sharp Kayoes Carlo

Cyclone Pierce won his third local wrestling bout Wednesday night when he subdued Lee Myers of Houston, who has established an enviable reputation in West Texas as a wrestler, in the best exhibition of the mat art seen here this season in the series being promoted by Tot Grimmer.

Pierce took the first fall from Myers with a toe hold in 18 minutes. The second fall went to Myers with a leg split. Pierce took the match in the next go in about ten minutes when he butted Myers into the ropes in attempting to snatch a hold and Myers went down with his breath knocked out and forfeited the match.

A six-round boxing exhibition between Kid Sharp, the "Louisiana Buzz Saw," and Johnny Carlo, former featherweight champion of the Army, was a preliminary feature and turned out to be about as thrilling as the main event when Sharp administered a clean knock-out in the fourth round with a right handed upper cut to the chin which sent Carlo to the mat with a thud and to sleep for nearly an hour.

Sharp, who began his fighting career in Port Arthur in June of 1929, has fought 27 fights over most of the southern states, losing only three out of that number, one of them being to Scrip DeOlive, a veteran and southwestern title holder, in a ten-round bout, four of which were called a draw, Scrip taking six.

Carlo has fought in 36 different states. He trained in Jack Dempsey's quarters in Los Angeles and has fought in some of Dempsey's battles in the preliminaries. He has fought in preliminaries in important battles in Madison Square Garden in New York and was featherweight champion of the Army from 1926 to 1928. Carlo has hopes of engaging in other fights in the Ozona ring and especially is he anxious for a return match with Sharp.

### MUSIC CLUB TO ELECT

Election of officers will feature the next meeting of the Ozona Music Club to be held next Thursday afternoon, April 10, at the home of Mrs. Strick Harvick. The election of new officers for the coming year will be followed by chor-

## DIST. COURT OPENS HERE MON. MORNING

Regular April Term To Get Under Way At 10 A. M.

JURORS SELECTED

Grand Jury To Be Impaneled At Opening Of Term

The regular April term of the Crockett County district court will get under way here at 10 o'clock Monday morning, April 7, when District Judge Joe Montague calls the court to order at that hour.

Impanelling of the grand jury for the term will probably be the first business to be taken up by the court. Setting of cases on the civil and criminal dockets will then be made and the court will get down to the business of the term.

Dockets for the term are heavy enough to require a full two weeks term if there are enough ready for trial, court officials declare. The civil docket is especially heavy compared with other terms, it is declared, and a number of important cases are slated for hearing at this term. There are a few criminal cases carried over from former terms, but the results of the grand jury sessions will determine the importance of criminal matters at this term.

The grand jury panel from which the twelve investigators for the April term will be selected is as follows:

Paul Perner, J. O. Secrest, Chas. Coates, Joe Davidson, T. A. Kincaid, Jr., W. J. Grimmer, Roy Henderson, V. B. Cox, W. A. Kay, Scott Peters, Geo. Harrell, Jeff Owens, E. B. Baggett, Jr., Hugh Childress, Joe Pierce, Jr., A. W. Jones.

The petit jury for the term is as follows:

John Mitchell, Ele Hagelstein, Hugh Gray, G. H. Eppler, Lamar Claabeer, Sam Cox, W. H. Blanks, Chas. Black, Albert Brock, Ray Dunlap, Boyd Clayton, Ed Bean, Early Baggett, Geo. Atkins, S. M. Harvick, Leo Richardson, Frank McMullen, John Williams, Tom Smith, Leonard Hensley, Rex Russell, Marbury Morrison, J. T. Keeton, Rob Miller, E. E. Sparkman, Carl Pettit, Sherman Taylor, C. G. Posey, Lee Perkins, Arthur Phillips, Massie West, Ray Piner, C. C. Luther, Joe Weaver, Geo. Montgomery and Rice P. Lynn.

## Enlarged Generating Plant Utilities Co. To Be Ready April 10th

With more than 100 men working full time, construction on the Concho Generating Station enlargement in San Angelo, Texas, which will more than double the output capacity of the plant, will be completed by April 10th, according to engineer reports of the West Texas Utilities Company.

The project which will, when completed, add 15,000 Kilowatts to the present 10,000 Kw facilities, entails the enlargement of the building and accompanying substation. The boiler room has been extended 25 ft. by 115 ft. and the switch room 40 by 50 feet. Included with the addition of the 15,000 unit are raw water filters, a water distilling tank, two boilers of 1,000 horsepower each, a steam turbine, and condenser all of which have been completed. The men, at present, are working on the various pipe connections in the building and are completing the piping system in the new mammoth spray pond.

Mrs. S. E. Couch and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cox returned Wednesday from a visit to Waco and Temple.

al practice. All members of the club are urged to be present.



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Any erroneous reflection upon the character of any person or firm appearing in these columns will be gladly and promptly corrected upon calling the attention of the management to the article in question.

Notice of church entertainments where admission is charged, card of thanks, resolution of respect and all matters not news, will be charged for at regular advertising rates.

Announcement is made this week by the Ozona Woman's Club of the inauguration of a Yard Beautiful contest in Ozona. This contest is being staged by the Woman's Club with the purpose of making Ozona a more beautiful town and to generate an interest on the part of residents in the general appearance of their premises.

The contest is to be judged on a number of different factors, points being given for the different phases in proportion to importance. Cleanliness, according to the score cards, will count for more than horticultural effort. Cleanliness in the back yard, cleanliness in the front yard and clean, good-appearing back fences and outhouses will count for more than pretty flowers, trim grass, shapely shrubs, etc., but these latter will contribute the balance to the total score.

In other words, the contest is for the purpose of improving the general appearance of the town. Out-of-town judges will be selected and an impartial judging of contestants will be made. Every resident of Ozona will be considered an entrant in the contest. Every home in the city will be judged, whether occupied by the owner or a tenant. Every home will be graded on its appearance at the end of the contest, announced for July 1.

To make the contest fair, homes of the city have been divided into two classes, those costing less than \$3,500 and those costing more than that figure. Both classes will be judged on the same score chart, however, and the same general appearances will be the deciding factors in the selection of the winner.

Every resident of Ozona is urged to get into the spirit of the contest. It is not necessary that you have beautiful flower plots, trees, shrubs and the like. You may win the contest on cleanliness and neatness. If a person has a beautifully kept front yard, with thriving flowers, grass, shrubs, etc., and then maintains a dirty, ill-kept back yard, there is little chance for the contestant to win, for the back yard counts for more in this contest than the front, this system of grading being selected to encourage cleanliness and beauty over the entire premises. Enter the contest with a determination to win and help make yours a beautiful town. There will be a number of prizes offered and the effort may be worth your while from that standpoint as well as from the standpoint of the personal satisfaction that comes from knowing that you have done your best toward making your home and yard beautiful.

**POSTED**—My ranches lying in Crockett and Val Verde Counties. Trespassing positively forbidden. T. A. Kincaid. —tfr

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

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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## The Value of Little Things

The story is being told of a lazy young man who got a job on an English railroad. He started "at the bottom" but didn't like the hard work. He asked the management for a "thinking job" and was told that if he would think of one idea a year which would save the company money they would give a salary proportioned to what he saved them. After a week he came back with his first big idea. He had noticed that all the rolling stock of the road bore the initials of the Great Western Railway in gilt letters. Anybody could tell by looking at them, he said, that they belonged to a railway, so why point on the unnecessary "R. W." The company officials, whose head is an American, by the way, had an idea made and found they could save \$33,000 a year by using "G. W." instead of "G. W. R." On the lazy young man's salary is \$3,000 a year.

A famous economist once estimated that every inhabitant of China would make some millions of profit annually for the Manchester cotton mills. A boy in the stationary stock room of a big manufacturing concern worked out a plan for reducing all printed forms to a few standard sizes and grades of paper and saving the company \$25,000 a year. When the first Ford car to cross the Rocky Mountains under its own power came back to the factory, Mr. Ford noticed that one bolt was missing. He learned that it had been lost east of Denver. "We do not need it, then," he said. The car design was changed to omit the unnecessary bolt, costing four or five cents to make and install. The saving on the next twelve million Model T's was more than half a million dollars.

Sometimes it pays to spend money liberally. It always pays to cut off unnecessary expense.

### Ground For Encouragement

The first detailed report of the National Business Survey Conference appointed last Fall by President Hoover is encouraging to everybody except chronic pessimists and those who for personal or political reasons would like to make conditions appear worse than they are.

In many lines of industry, Chairman Barnes reports, conditions are actually better than they were a year ago. In the few where they are not so good, the difference between this period of 1930 and the

corresponding period of 1929 is very small, and is diminishing.

Credit is getting easier everywhere. A third more long-term bonds have been marketed this winter than last year. Bank rates are steadily declining. Saving deposits are increasing in the East. Life insurance companies wrote 3 percent more business in February than one year earlier, thus justifying the estimate of increased investment reserves in their hands. Building and loan associations report increased deposits. More farm loans are being made, but there is a marked falling off in foreclosures and delinquencies. Installment sales are up to last year's and payments are being kept up. Public utilities have begun a program of new construction which will run about \$100,000,000 more than 1929. Construction work, except in residential building, is much ahead of last year. Road building contracts let in January and February are 32 percent over 1929. New building contracts in the second week in March were the highest in eight weeks, and are expected to increase as mortgage money becomes more freely available. Railroads have orders out for more rails, more locomotives and almost as many new cars as last year, and railroad payrolls for February were higher than in February 1929. The commitments of the railroads call for spending \$140,000,000 more in the first six months of this year than in the first half of last year. Electric railways are spending \$44,000,000 more for the year. Shipyards are active, employing 28 percent more men in February than in February a year ago and 10 percent more than in November.

Telephone expenditures for the year will run \$66,000,000 above 1929. More radio sets were sold since New Year's than a year ago. Electric light and power companies are carrying out their promise to spend \$65,000,000 more this year than last. Iron and steel output is increasing. Automobile production is proceeding at rate to build 4,600,000 cars this year, with payrolls in the industry for February 25 percent higher than January and 28 percent above December. Farm implements business is about 5 percent off. Textiles are from four to 17 percent below normal for the season. Book and job printing was two percent greater than last year and newspaper production three percent higher in

## February.

Those are not generalizations or guesses. They are specific facts. They are something to show to the grumbler who declares that things are getting worse instead of better. As a matter of cold fact, this country has never before experienced so wide-spread a depression from which recovery began so quickly. It started in the East, and recovery is coming first in the East, but the reestablishment of the high level of industrial and commercial activity and general prosperity which we were enjoying a year ago is bound to overtake the wave of depression everywhere before the Summer is over, unless all signs fail.

### BEN INGHAM RETURNS

Ben Ingham, County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, and Mrs. Ingham returned Monday afternoon from Temple where Mr. Ingham has been undergoing treatment for nearly three months as a result of X-Ray burns suffered in San Angelo when doctors there were attempting to remove a piece of steel from his shoulder.

Mr. Ingham is greatly improved and doctors now believe that it

will not be necessary to graft new skin on the burned area. It is now nearly two-thirds healed over and Temple surgeons are of the opinion that it will heal entirely without the necessity of skin-grafting.

Mrs. Lee Childress entertained the Friday Bridge Club last week.

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R. E. THOMASON—El Paso.

For County Tax Assessor—

O. W. SMITH (Re-election)

W. M. JOHNSON

U. S. (RUSTY) SMITH

For Sheriff—

W. S. WILLIS (Re-election)

For County Treasurer—

TOM CASBEER (Re-election)

For County and District Clerk—

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Serving The Following Table d'Hote

### DINNER

\$1.00

Bluepoint Oyster Cocktail

Celery Hearts — Mixed Olives

Cream of Tomato Soup

Choice of Meats

Roast Young Turkey — Oyster Dressing

Virginia Ham Steak — Currant Sauce

Supreme Steak — Metaul' Sauce

Buttered Carrots — Creamed Potatoes — Green Beans

Boston Apple Cobbler — Sweet Cream

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# GUNMAN'S BLUFF

By *Edgar Wallace*

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"Grafton Street," she said, in a businesslike tone. "Pull up opposite the Rean Club."

He thought she was testing his driving ability, for he had to pass through three traffic blocks before he brought the machine to a standstill at a place she indicated.

"Now you understand," she said, dropping her voice and speaking rapidly. "I'm going in to see my husband."

She looked him straight in the eyes.

"If he makes a fuss I shall expect you to help me. If he doesn't make a fuss, we'll drive quietly away down Albermarle Street, make for Vauxhall Bridge and Tooting Common."

"Your husband?" he stammered. She gave him one quick look of suspicion.

"That is what you tell the flat-tie if there is any fuss."

What a flat-tie was she did not explain, and was gone before he could ask her. He kept the engine running according to instructions. She was gone some twenty minutes. Presently, looking out, he saw her turn the corner from Bond Street and walk with apparent unconcern toward him. As she stepped into the car, a man in his shirt sleeves darted around the corner, flew at her, and gripped her by the arm. She tried to wrench herself free, and before Luke realized what he was doing he had struck her assailant and sent him tumbling to the pavement.

"Drive!" she snapped, and mechanically Luke Maddison sent the machine leaping forward.

They crossed Oxford Street, down St. James's Street, through the park, and were over the Vauxhall Bridge before he partly realized what had happened.

"Why did that fellow grab you?" he asked.

"My husband—I had a row with him," she said calmly. And then: "I knew Connor was wrong," she

said, and whistled. "If I hadn't had my wits about me and started that husband story, I'd have been half-way to Holloway!"

He saw her look at every policeman they passed, out of the corner of her eye, and his heart was beating faster as they came to the edge of Tooting Common, and at her command he stopped the car.

"We'll get out here," she said. "You can go back by bus, I'll take a taxi. If Connor comes tonight, tell him I've got the stuff."

She turned to go, but he caught her by the arm.

"What stuff?" he asked sternly. And then he saw the flat case she carried under her leather coat.

"My God!" gasped Luke Maddison.

"You stole that!" There was amusement in her fine eyes as she nodded.

"Of course I did, you poor simp!"

A taxicab was passing and she hailed it. Slowly his grip on her arm relaxed. He watched the taxi recede like a man in a dream, too stunned even to think. He could never remember that journey back to Lambeth. He had crossed Westminster Bridge when he saw a newsboy with a placard: "Daring West End Robbery." He stood dead still, gazing open-mouthed at the contents bill, and then he felt in his pocket and dropped a penny from his trembling hand into the newsboy's palm.

He dared not look inside the newspaper until he was in a quiet street. Then he read:

**DARING WEST END ROBBERY**

Bearded Man and Pretty Girl Rob Taffany's of 20,000 Pound Diamond Necklace

A daring robbery was committed this afternoon at Messrs. Taffany's jewel shop in Bond Street. At about 3:50 a well-dressed woman walked into the shop and

asked to be shown some plain gold rings. Whilst the assistant's back was turned, she must have broken a glass case with a rubber-headed hammer. When he came back, he found not only the woman but a valuable diamond necklace had disappeared. He flew out into the street and overtook the woman as she was entering a motor car. He was immediately struck down by her companion, who is described as a man of great height, with a fair, well-trimmed beard, dressed in a gray tweed suit . . .

"That's me!" groaned Luke Maddison, and almost swooned.

For a quarter of an hour he sat and watched his tea growing cold, his mind vacillating between horror and amusement. He, Luke Maddison, was a thief, a gangster, an active member of an organization which had robbed Taffany's! He knew Taffany's rather well; he had bought Margaret's engagement ring over the very glass counter that had been smashed. He was helpless—the idea of going to the police and betraying his associates never occurred to him. There was only one thing to be done and that was to steal away

at the first opportunity. He had written for his check book to be sent to Ronda, and it was a simple matter to reach Spain. Was it, thought?

With a gasp he realized that he had no passport! And without a passport it was impossible to reach Spain, of all countries, where every man and woman who passed across the frontier were closely scrutinized. If he had not dismissed his servant it would be easy to creep back to his flat one night, pack a bag, and fade away into a Continental limbo. But probably his solicitor had the key of the flat. A new hope awakened. Hulbert had an apartment in St. James Street. He was a bachelor and accessible.

Luke dismissed from his mind his experience of the afternoon. That was something not to be thought of without a shudder—he was whistling cheerfully when Mrs. Fraser came with a pair of bright, new scissors to collect the gray tweed suit he had discarded, and to bring him a pair of brown shoes, so hideously bright that they dazzled him.

"Connor says you'd better leave your mustache," she suggested. "Where is Connor? Is he on the premises?"

She shook her head. "No, he phoned me."

"I didn't know you had a phone," he said in surprise.

Mrs. Fraser smiled cryptically.

"We've got lots of things here that people don't know anything

about," she said.

She came back a little later with a tube of shaving paste, a brand new lather brush, and a razor which had evidently been purchased recently, for when he opened the case he found it still enclosed in oil paper. Shaving was a painful process in spite of this, but apparently the results were

satisfactory, for when the woman brought him some food later she stood in the doorway and gaped at her approval.

"Well, I should never have known you, Mr. Smith," she said, "and I'll bet your best friend wouldn't know you!"

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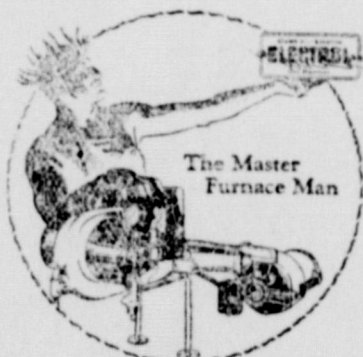
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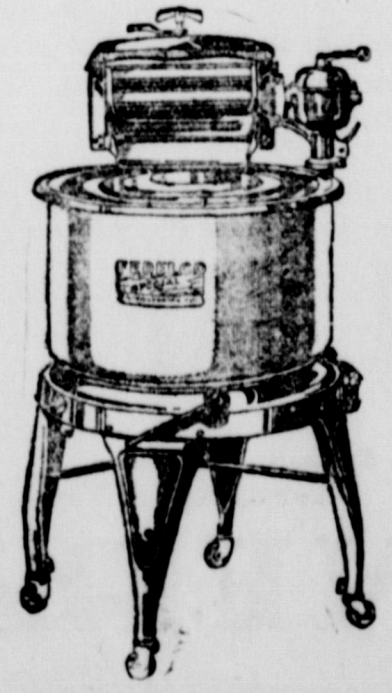
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## BIRTH CONTROL

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I am a believer in rational birth

control, obtaining my convincing evidence from my environment. I understand that both Church and State oppose the movement.

I know of many families that could support two children, and make of them respectable citizens, that utterly founder on six. The day of quails and manna being showered over the Israelites has

passed; it is only the man who can pass the cash over the counter that can afford to eat. We need educated, enlightened citizenry in America now more than ever before. The dozen poor children huddled together in rags, with no money to buy clothing and school equipment, preaches a sermon for birth control stronger than words can portray.

These starvelings grow up into men and women the same as all animals grow up—with the one distinction that they vote. What they vote for can better be imagined than described. They are compelled to pay for what they consume—or do without; the bonus of crime is nearly strangled; they have little dread of prison life; they may live

better in prison than at "home." Their battered, hungry natures crave stimulation—they get it if they have to kill for it. If they marry and reproduce, it is in conformity with the inexorable law that like begets like.

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METHODIST NOTES

Preaching Sunday morning at eleven. This will be the fourth sermon of the series on the Apostles Creed. Subject "I Believe in the Holy Ghost." This is also the Communion Sunday.

Preaching Sunday night at eight o'clock. Subject "Other Spirits, the World, the Flesh and the Devil."

Prayer meeting every Wednesday night. Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45.

J. H. Meredith, Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Adams were in from their Pecos County ranch the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bright Baggett returned from Temple Monday night. Mrs. Baggett has been receiving medical attention.

Mrs. Winnie Fox, Miss Carolyn Fox and Miss Mildred North were in San Angelo Wednesday.

Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Jr., Mrs. Rice Lynn, Mrs. Marbury Morrison and Miss Mary Kincaid were in San Angelo Tuesday and Wednesday.

Ladies of the Baptist Missionary Society will pack the spring box for Buckner's Orphans Home next Monday afternoon, April 7, at 2:30. Any one having things for the box please call Mrs. C. J. Watts at 169.

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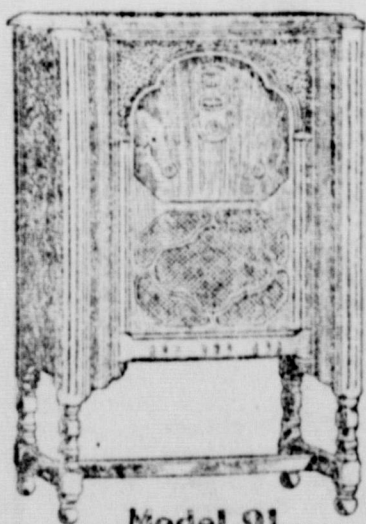
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**"GUNMAN'S BLUFF"**  
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As to this Luke was perfectly convinced. What an extraordinary change a mustache made in a man's appearance! To him it lent a touch of the sinister—he stood gazing, fascinated, at his reflection in the mirror.

Mrs. Fraser seemed more inclined to be conversational than she had been before; asked him if he was married, and before he could answer announced herself as a widow.

"At least, practically," she amended the statement. "My husband got a life two years ago."

She was quite cheerful about this calamity, and Luke gathered that life had not run any too smoothly for the woman.

"He asked for it," she said. "Shot a copper and nearly killed him; and naturally, Connor would

not stand for that. Connor says a gun's all right for the heads but not for the unders. Fraser was that kind—flash! He tried everything—"

"Had he been in prison before?" She smiled amusedly.

"Why, of course! He did two stretches."

Luke did not ask what a stretch might be; he had a vague idea that it meant penal servitude.

"He did one stretch," said the communicative Mrs. Fraser, "for a swindle up in Manchester—he and Danty were in it—"

Luke's jaw dropped.

"Danty?" he said incredulously. "Who is he?"

"He's a con man—you must have heard of him. I think he's straight now, but you can never tell. He lives up west, knows all the swells, and has got a flat up in Half Moon Street. He and Gunner Haynes used to work together—"

"Gunner Haynes—you know him?" asked Luke quickly.

From her expression and tone he gathered that Haynes was a person of some importance in the hierarchy of the underworld.

"No, I don't know him, I've only heard of him. But what do they call Danty now?" She frowned in an effort of memory. "I had it on the tip of my tongue—a swell name Danton Morell—that's it! Connor told me only the other day about him."

The room seemed to swim before Luke Madison's eyes. Danton Morell—a confidence man, an ex-convict? It was incredible! And then suddenly he had the stunning realization that Danty Morell was his wife's best friend!

"What is he like in appearance?"

"Danty? I've seen him two or three times. . . ."

She described Morell in her

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**NOTICE OF AN ELECTION**

Be it remembered that on this 10th day of March A.D. 1930, the Honorable Commissioners Court of Crockett County met in regular session, present Hon. Chas. E. Davidson, County Judge, Max Schneemann, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, J. W. Owens, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, W. S. Willis, Sheriff, and George Russell, county clerk, whereupon the following business was transacted:

WHEREAS, there has been filed in the Commissioners Court of Crockett County, Texas, a petition for an Election signed by P. L. Calhoun and more than one hundred other property tax-paying voters, residents of Crockett County, Texas, reading as follows: "PETITION FOR ELECTION Ozona, Texas March 10, 1930.

TO THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS:

We the undersigned, resident property tax-paying voters of Crockett County, Texas, hereby respectfully petition your Honorable Body to order an Election to be held in said Crockett County, to determine whether or not the bonds of said County shall be issued in an amount of Three Hundred-Seventy-five Thousand (\$375,000.00) dollars, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, in connection with State or Federal aid or both on Highway 27 and the Ozona and Barnhart road in this county, and at such Election to have submitted to the resident property tax paying voters of said county, the question whether or not taxes shall be levied on all taxable property of said Crockett County, subject to taxation for the purpose of paying interest on said Bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity, specifying in your order the amount of Bonds proposed to be issued and that they be issued in denominations of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) each and also specifying in said order that said bonds shall bear five per cent interest per annum, payable semi-annually, and mature thirty years after their date, with option of paying one or more of said denominations at any interest payment date five years after the date of said bonds,"

and it appearing that under the law it is mandatory on this Court to order such election, it is therefore ordered that an election be held throughout Crockett County, in the several election precincts thereof on the 12th day of April, A.D. 1930, to determine whether or not bonds of said County shall be issued in an amount of Three Hundred Seventy-five Thousand (\$375,000.00) dollars to be used in connection with State or Federal aid or both, for the purpose of construction and operation of a macadamized, graveled or paved road through said Crockett County, (this court having this day passed an order designating Highway No. 27 and the Ozona-Barnhart Road as the Highways on which the funds derived from said bonds shall be expended), such bonds to be issued in denominations of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars each and bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually and to mature thirty years after their date, with option of paying one or more of said denominations at any interest payment date five years after the date of said bonds; and that ad valorem taxes are to be levied annually on all taxable property within said county sufficient to pay the annual interest on such bonds and to provide a sinking fund to pay such bonds at the maturity thereof. Such election to be held and returns made as in general elections and notice of the election shall be given by publication in a newspaper published in Crockett County, for three successive weeks and in addition thereto for three weeks prior to said election notices shall be posted at least four public places in Crockett County, one of which shall be at the Court House door thereof. All qualified voters who are property tax paying may vote at said election. All voters desiring to support the proposition shall have written or printed upon their ballot the words "for the issuance of bonds" and those opposed, the words "against the issuance of bonds."

It is further ordered that the foregoing be published in the Ozona Stockman for three successive weeks beginning with this week and that the Clerk of this court issue the notices and see that same are properly published and posted as above ordered.

CHAS. E. DAVIDSON  
County Judge.  
ATTEST: GEORGE RUSSELL,  
County Clerk.  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF CROCKETT  
I, GEORGE RUSSELL, Clerk of the county court in and for said County and State, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Order for an Election ordered by the Commissioners Court of Crockett County, as the same appears on

record in my office in Vol. 3, page 301. Commissioners Court Minutes of Crockett County.  
Given under my hand and seal of office at Ozona, Texas, this the 11th day of March A.D. 1930.  
(SEAL) George Russell,  
County Clerk, Crockett County, Texas.  
Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Clayton were in from their Pecos County ranch for a week-end visit with relatives.

**"GUNMAN'S BLUFF"**

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homely language. There was no doubt at all that this was the man! It was more vitally necessary than ever that he should escape from this environment and reappear as Luke Maddison.  
His vague plans became definite. He could leave the house that night, seek out Hulbert, and tell

him the truth.  
At nine o'clock that night he was preparing to leave when an unexpected difficulty arose. He was just about to turn out the light when Mrs. Fraser appeared. She closed the door behind her, and from her manner he gathered that something serious had happened.  
"Two of the Lewing crowd are down below," she said in a low voice. "I haven't had a chance to call up Connor; the phone is in

the parlor, and they came in before I knew what was happening."  
She had something hidden under her apron, and when she withdrew her hand he saw that it was a small Browning pistol.  
"Put that in your sky," she said urgently. "You don't know what these fellows are after."  
"In my—?" he began, bewildered.  
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4.50-21 (30x4.50)	17.45	12.30	4.75-20 (29x4.75)		2.10
4.75-19 (28x4.75)	19.25	12.70	4.40-21 (29x4.40)		1.90
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5.50-18 (28x5.50)	25.20	16.25	5.50-18 (28x5.50)	4.35	2.75
5.50-19 (29x5.50)	26.25	16.85	5.50-19 (29x5.50)	4.45	2.85
5.50-20 (30x5.50)	27.75	17.85	5.50-20 (30x5.50)	4.55	2.95
6.00-18 (30x6.00)	28.10	17.95	6.00-18 (30x6.00)	4.35	2.95
6.00-19 (31x6.00)	28.85	18.50	6.00-19 (31x6.00)	4.55	3.10
6.00-20 (32x6.00)	29.35	18.85	6.00-20 (32x6.00)	4.70	3.35
6.00-21 (33x6.00)	30.35	19.50	6.00-21 (33x6.00)	5.30	3.60
6.00-22 (34x6.00)		20.30	6.00-22 (34x6.00)		
6.00-23 (35x6.00)	32.95	21.15	6.00-23 (35x6.00)	5.30	
6.50-18 (30x6.50)	33.75	21.85	6.00-23 (35x6.00)		
6.50-19 (31x6.50)	34.15	22.30	6.50-18 (30x6.50)	5.50	3.25
6.50-20 (32x6.50)	34.50	22.60	6.50-19 (31x6.50)	5.65	3.50
6.50-21 (33x6.50)		23.25	6.50-20 (32x6.50)	5.75	3.75
7.00-18 (30x6.75)	36.75	23.15	6.50-21 (33x6.50)		
7.00-19 (31x6.75)	37.75	23.50	7.00-18 (30x6.75)	6.00	4.00
7.00-20 (32x6.75)	38.75	24.40	7.00-19 (31x6.75)	6.10	4.10
7.00-21 (33x6.75)	40.10	25.25	7.00-20 (32x6.75)	6.15	4.15
			7.00-21 (33x6.75)	6.45	4.40
<b>HIGH PRESSURE CASINGS</b>			<b>TRUCK AND BUS TUBES</b>		
30x3 1/2 H. D. A.-W. 6-ply	11.25		30x5	3.35	2.45
30x3 1/2 Oversize Pathfinder	5.60		32x6	5.60	4.35
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**THE WAY OF LIFE**  
BY BRUCE BARTON

I ran across this paragraph in the notebooks of Samuel Butler:

"I imagine that life can give nothing much better or much worse than what I have myself experienced. I should say I have proved pretty well the extremes of mental pleasure and pain; and so I believe, each in his own way, does almost every man."

Charles M. Schwab, at last reports, had more money than I—but just what can he buy with it?

Three meals a day. They will cost more to serve than my three, but if Charlie enjoys them any more he is going home.

A roof over his head. It will be a wider and steeper roof than mine and more rain will run off it; but the rain that runs off mine will be just as wet, and underneath I shall be just as dry.

A good night's sleep—if he's lucky.

He can own more of the world's surface than I. But, try as he may, he can not breathe up any more of its air; he cannot absorb any more of its sunshine; he can not bribe the ocean to give him any more invigorating bath; nor the evening stars to shine any brighter over his estate.

The world is full of pleasant sights and sounds and smells, and his ears and nose and eyes do not bring him any sensation a particle more sweet than mine bring to me.

Compared with the blessings we have in common, the few blessings which he has and I have not are insignificant.

The habit of contentment is formed, not from without, but from within.

"There is no duty we so much underestimate," says Stevenson, "as the duty of being happy. By being happy, we sow anonymous benefits upon the world which remain unknown even to ourselves; or, when they are disclosed, surprise nobody so much as the benefactor. A happy man or woman is a better thing to find than a five-pound note. He or she is a radiating focus of good will, and their entrance into a room is as though another candle had been lighted."

It is strange that contentment should not be more widespread, considering how very common and close at hand are the elements that go into it.

Work is one big ingredient. Simple tastes—the power of finding great satisfaction in little things—is another.

The power to take things as they come, and enjoy them to the limit, is another. St. Paul, for instance, did a good-sized job, and left a shining record.

He was forever "pressing forward to his goal." Yet it was he who also wrote:

"For I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, therewith to be content."

Mrs. A. W. Jones and daughter, Miss Leila Beth Jones, were visitors in San Angelo last Friday.

Luther and Newberry have purchased the Quick Service Station stock and equipment from Herbert Kittle and have assumed operation of the station.

Order your new Easter suit now. Finest tailor-made clothing on the market. Roy Parker Men's Shop.

Mrs. Wren Jackson of near Best was here Wednesday visiting her brother, A. W. Jones and family. She was on her way to San Angelo for a visit.

Lee Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rutledge went to San Antonio Sunday in Mr. Wilson's airplane, returning early Monday morning. Mr. Wilson made the flight back to Ozona from San Antonio in two hours.

Mrs. N. W. Graham and Mrs. Leta Hawkins and baby spent the week-end visiting Mrs. Graham's mother near San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Childress were here from San Angelo over the week-end.

Mrs. W. A. Kay and Mrs. A. E. Deland attended the Sixth District Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teachers Association in Ballinger last week.

Dye your shoes to match your dress. We dye them any color, no matter what their color now. Jones Saddlery.—1c.

Abe Mayer, Jr., was here from San Angelo recently signing up wool growers in the wool co-operative marketing association.

Your order must be in by Monday night if you want your new Spring suit here for Easter, April 20. Roy Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Taylor were visitors in Ozona the first of the week from their ranch.

Mrs. Winnie Fox was reported ill here the first of the week.

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