



**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 multi-plex 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 the 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 ver-saxophones, ukeleles and the like. There are probably more first-class singers of American birth and training, 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 waterproof 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.

**LAWS**

It ought to be apparent by this time that the effort to make people good by passing laws is a failure. The other day a judge in New York sentenced a young woman to prison for life. He had no option; it was her fourth conviction for larceny and under the Baumes law a fourth offender must be locked up until he or she dies. That isn't going to do this girl or society any good. The time when something could have been done about her case was when she was a child. She grew up without education, without moral sense, without any feeling of responsibility.

The only reason we put people in prison or execute them is because we are afraid of them. Our prison population has doubled in twenty years. As we grow more prosperous we become more afraid of the unprosperous. It might be a good plan to spend as much money trying to keep people out of prison as we spend now to keep them in it.

**CLUB PLAYS BRIDGE**

Members of the Eastern Star Social club met Saturday afternoon at the Masonic temple to take part in a bridge party at which Miss Mary Patterson and Mrs. W. R. Poulsen were hostesses. Six tables were in play with honors going to Mrs. C. W. McNamer and Mrs. Charles Vaughn. The St. Patrick's motif was carried out in the party. Refreshments of cottage cheese, ribbon cheese sandwiches, green fruit gelatin salad, in shamrock design, and coffee were served by the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McCarty were in Heppner from The Dalles Sunday visiting friends and relatives.

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WILL BE IN HEPPNER ALL DAY SATURDAY, MARCH 22

**Hints for the Home**  
by Nancy Hart

**Cottage Pie**  
Cut cold mutton into inch dice and place in baking dish. Cover with hot gravy. A thinly sliced onion may be added if liked. Boil, mash and season one quart of potatoes and heap on the pudding dish. Bake in the oven until the potatoes are browned.

**To Frost the Cake**  
The making of a cake is in the frosting. That is, a good cake may be ruined by poor frosting and a mediocre cake may be much improved by good frosting. Marshmallow frosting is delicious. This is the way to make it:

Heat in a double boiler one-fourth a pound of marshmallows cut up into small pieces. When very soft add two tablespoons of boiling water, cover, and let cook until smooth. Meantime, heat six tablespoons of sugar in two tablespoons of milk over the fire; stir until sugar is

melted, then let boil with constant stirring five or six minutes, and immediately beat into the softened marshmallows. Continue beating until nearly cool; add flavoring to taste, and spread at once over the cake.

**Curried Beef Moulds**  
Half pound cold beef, four ounces breadcrumbs, two ounces butter, one egg, a seasoning of salt and pepper, half teaspoon curry powder, two tablespoons gravy, one tablespoon chutney, mashed potatoes or rice. Put the meat through a mincer, mix with it the pepper and salt, curry powder mixed with the gravy, the melted butter, breadcrumbs and the beaten egg. Press firmly into small buttered moulds and steam gently for three-quarters of an hour. Serve turned out and surrounded with well-seasoned mashed potatoes, or rice sprinkled with chutney.

**Chicken Croquettes**  
Two cups minced chicken, half cup fine breadcrumbs, some gravy or melted butter, one well-beaten egg, two hard-boiled eggs (yolks only), pepper, salt, chopped parsley to taste, flour, and fat for frying. Mix into paste the chicken, breadcrumbs and egg, adding enough gravy to moisten the whole. Next put in the seasonings and the yolks of the hard-boiled eggs, rubbed fine with a silver spoon. Mix into a paste, which must not be too wet, with the gravy or melted

butter. Flour your hands, and shape the mixture into croquettes with your fingers, coating them well with fat. Fry a few at a time in hot fat.

**INSTITUTE COMING**

Twenty-two Epworth leaguers attended the mid-winter Epworth League institute at Pendleton from Heppner, March 14 to 16. It was indeed a helpful and inspiring time, reports Rev. Glen P. White, pastor of the Methodist church. Next year the mid-winter institute is to be held at Heppner. This will bring 75 to 100 visiting leaguers from the eastern district.

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**EDITORIAL**  
Local fishermen are complaining that oil is bad for fish, which possibly explains the worried expression we have noticed on the faces of sardines.

**ALBERT ADKINS, Manager, Editor.**

The Literary Digest's poll on prohibition shows the wets ahead but then the returns are mostly from New York and Chicago. Just wait until we Americans get a vote.

There are a lot of substitutes being used in building that are taking the place of wood but there never has been anything to properly take the place of a wood shingle applied in the woodshed.

Buy a Home.

The hand that rocks the cradle confuses the world when it is stuck out to signal for a turn.

**A MESSAGE TO HOUSE WIVES.**  
While you are in the midst of Spring Cleaning why not think of making needed alterations and repairs on your old home? A bit of architectural planning by the Tum-A-Lum, a few inexpensive additions and changes in your old home will sometimes transform it from a shabby, unsightly shack, into a home of comfort, charm and value. It will cost you nothing to inquire about our plans of remodeling and financing.

No, Panatrophe, the Voistead Act is not in vaudeville.

Monday was a big day for the Irish. St. Patrick cleaned up the Emerald Isle and gave us a day to either wear green or look natural.

"Agnes, you don't love me, and since you'll never love me, there's only one thing I can do. I'll kill myself," said the young man passionately.

"How?" she inquired.

"I'll shoot myself."

"Then won't you be so kind as to buy the revolver in James' hardware store. James is my fiance, and I would like to help him whenever possible."

This is also our idea, buy at home whenever possible.

R. W. Wigglesworth, on the Bell ranch north of Lexington, was in town yesterday after a load of lumber.

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