

SOLUTIONS PRE-INTERMEDIATE 4

UNIT 8: CRIME

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Grammar

Reported speech (1)

I can report what other people have said.

1 What did the people say? Rewrite the reported speech as direct speech.

1 She said that she wasn't going out.
'I'm not going out.'

2 He said that he wanted to go to bed.

3 They said they were arriving at six o'clock.

4 She said that she didn't like cheese.

5 He said he had been to Italy in 2009.

6 She said that she was reading a good book.

7 They said they had received a lot of good advice.

8 He said that he wasn't going to do the washing-up.

2 Complete the reported speech.

- 1 'Somebody stole my wallet,' said James.
James said somebody *had stolen* his wallet.
- 2 'The suspect is at the police station,' said Alex.
Alex said that the suspect _____ at the police station.
- 3 'The police are appealing for witnesses,' said the reporter.
The reporter said the police _____ for witnesses.
- 4 'I'm going to search the house,' said the officer.
The officer said she _____ the house.
- 5 'The police launched an investigation into the muggings,' said George.
George said that the police _____ an investigation into the muggings.
- 6 'In London the police make hundreds of arrests every day,' said the TV announcer.
The TV announcer said the police _____ hundreds of arrests every day.
- 7 'I think arson is worse than burglary,' said Jane.
Jane said she _____ that arson _____ worse than burglary.

3 Rewrite the direct speech as reported speech. You may have to change pronouns and references to time or place.

1 'We arrested the culprits last Tuesday,' said the police inspector.

The police inspector said that they had arrested the culprits the Tuesday before.

2 'Somebody broke into our house last night,' said Mike.

3 'People sometimes sell drugs outside my school,' said Kate.

4 'We are going to study the CCTV footage today,' said the police officer.

5 'Jack stole a camera from a shop yesterday,' said Fred.

6 'The police are looking for the thief who stole my car,' said Sam.

4 Read the police officer's radio report. Then rewrite it as reported speech below.

Police officer: The suspects are outside the bank ... They arrived two minutes ago ... They're getting out of their car ... I recognise one of them ... He robbed a bank in London four years ago ... They look nervous ... One of them is carrying a large black bag ... They are going into the bank ... I'm going to follow them.



1 The police officer said that the suspects were outside the bank.

2 She said _____

3 She said _____

4 She said _____

5 She said _____

6 She said _____

7 She said _____

8 She said _____

9 She said _____





AMERICAN WILD WEST



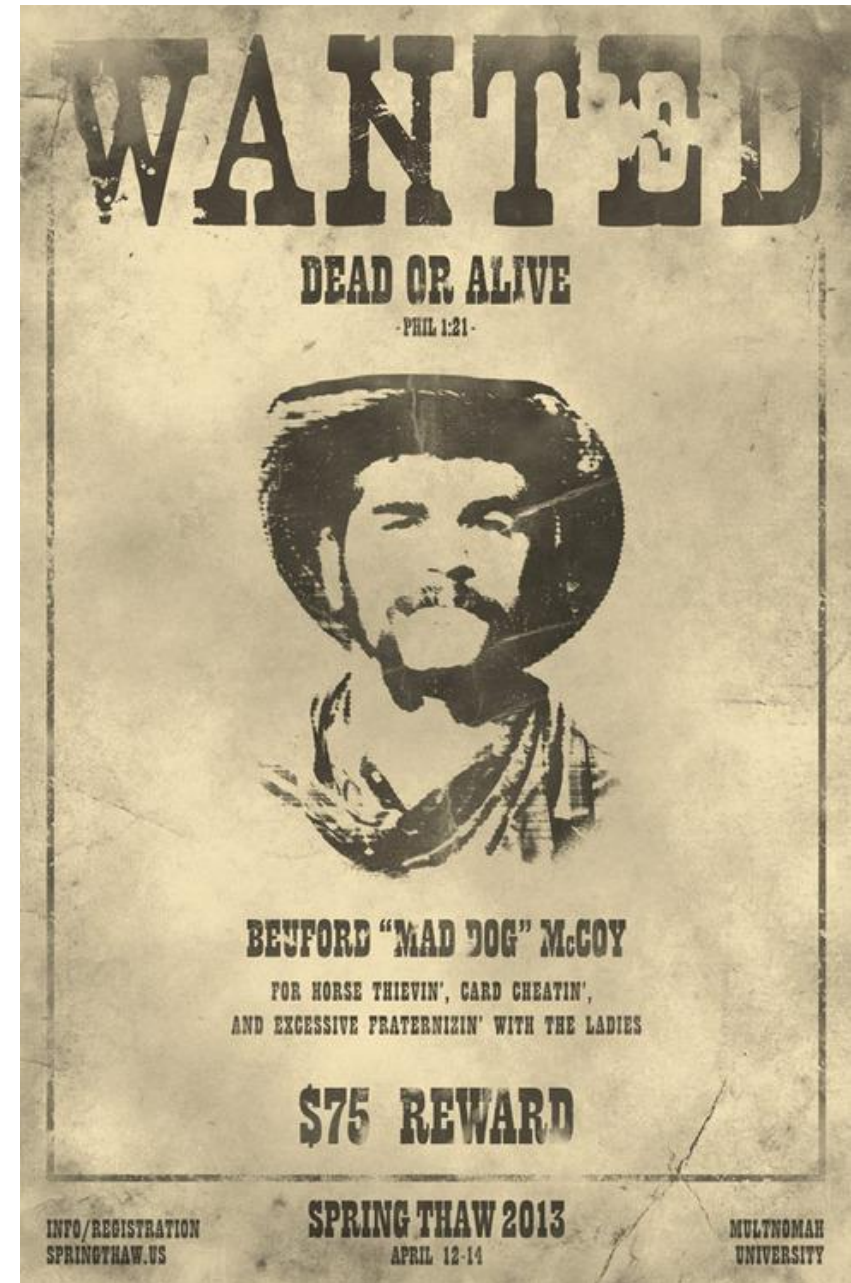
A vintage black and white photograph of four men standing in a row outdoors. They are dressed in Western-style clothing, including long-sleeved shirts, dark vests, and trousers. Each man is holding a long rifle. The man on the far left has a patterned necktie and a belt with a holster. The man on the far right is wearing a wide-brimmed hat. The background is a natural, outdoor setting with some foliage.

**GUNSLINGER
OR
GUNFIGHTER**

- Gunslingers or gunfighters (also called gunmen in the 19th and early 20th centuries) were individuals in the American Old West who gained a reputation of being dangerous with a gun and participated in gunfights and shootouts.



- An outlaw is a person declared as outside the protection of the law. In pre-modern societies, all legal protection was withdrawn from the criminal, so that anyone was legally empowered to persecute or kill them.
- Outlawry was thus one of the harshest penalties in the legal system.



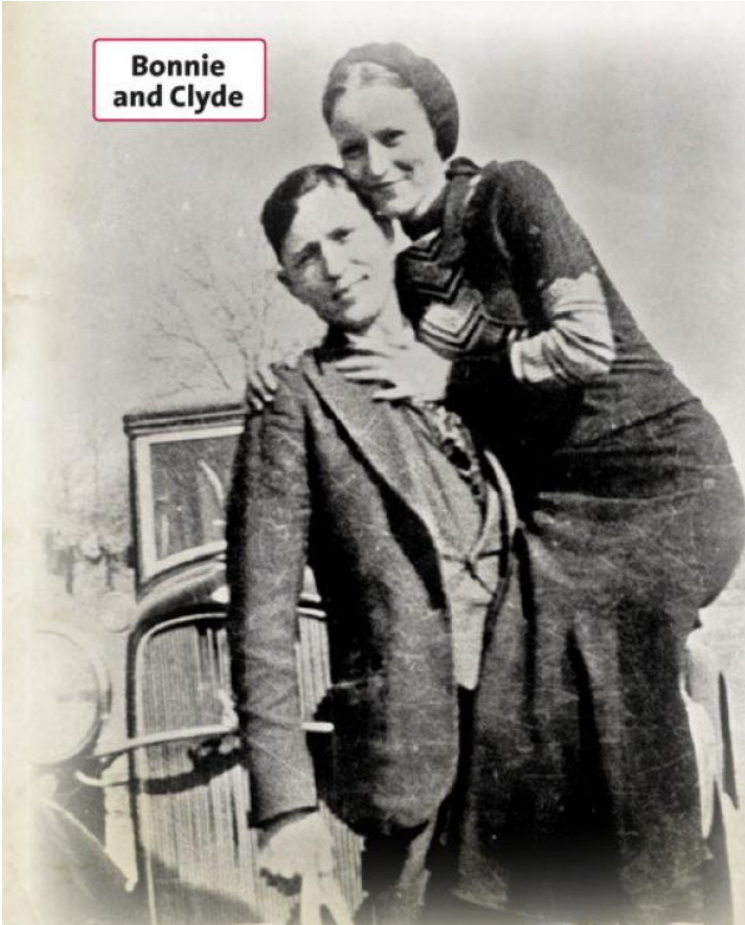


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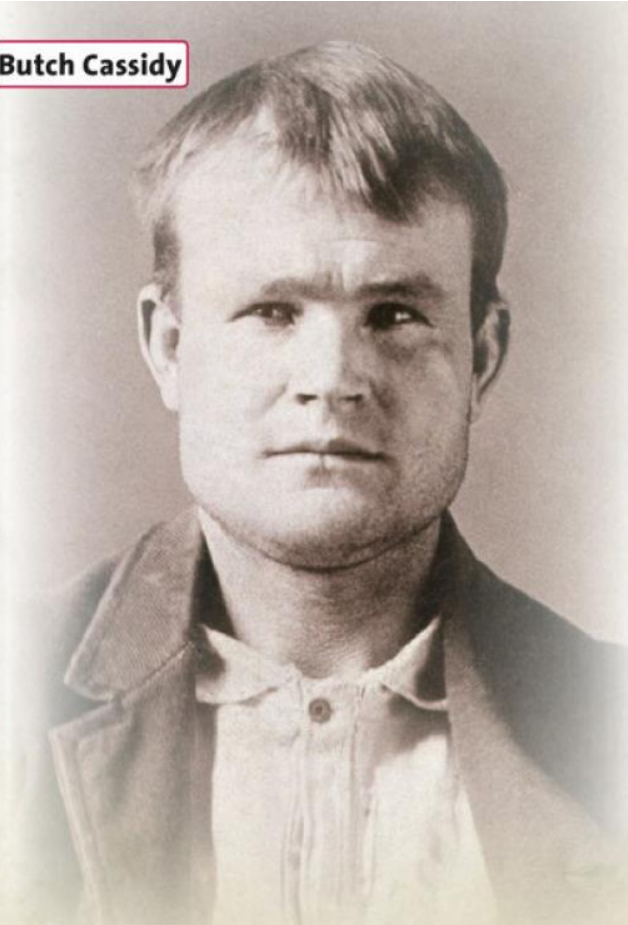


- 1 Look at the pictures of famous outlaws. What do you know about them? What nationality were they? When did they live? What crimes did they commit?

**Bonnie
and Clyde**



Butch Cassidy



Billy the Kid



BONNIE AND CLYDE

Bonnie and Clyde were both American. They were shot and killed by the police on 23 May 1934. Clyde was wanted for murder, robbery and kidnapping.



BUTCH CASSIDY

Butch Cassidy (1866–1908) was an American train robber, bank robber and leader of a gang in the American Old West.



BILLY THE KID

Billy the Kid (1859–1881) was an Irish-American gunman who became an outlaw in the American West. According to legend, he killed 21 men.




Listening Strategy

The information that you need to understand in the recorded text may be expressed differently in the task. Listen out for synonyms (e.g. *hate / can't stand*) and antonyms (e.g. *win / lose*), but also for information and ideas that are 'paraphrased' (worded differently).

2 Read the **Listening Strategy**. Then read the sentences below and try to think of synonyms or ways of paraphrasing the underlined words and phrases.

- a The police arrested the woman they think committed the crime. *suspect*
- b The police arrested the people who started the fire.
- c They burgled the house and stole some expensive rings and necklaces.
- d They searched for the culprits.
- e They attacked the young man in the street and stole his wallet and phone.

3  **3.02** Now listen to five sentences and match them with the paraphrased versions in exercise 2 (a–e).


1 ____

2 ____


3 ____

4 ____

5 ____

4  **3.03** Listen to a historian being interviewed about Bonnie and Clyde, the famous American outlaws. Answer the questions.

- 1 How many people did Bonnie and Clyde kill?
- 2 How old were they when they died?

5  3.03 Listen again. Circle the correct answers. Sometimes both answers are correct.

- 1 Bonnie Parker
 - a was clever.
 - b got married before she left school.
- 2 Clyde Barrow's family
 - a were not very well off.
 - b worked on a farm which didn't belong to them.
- 3 The couple couldn't find a job when Clyde left prison because
 - a Clyde had a criminal record.
 - b unemployment was very high.
- 4 Bonnie and Clyde
 - a frequently stole cars.
 - b stayed in regular contact with their families.
- 5 Bonnie and Clyde
 - a were constantly travelling around.
 - b were fighting for ordinary people.

6 How is the information in the correct options expressed in the listening?

Bonnie Parker was clever. – *'Bonnie was a bright student.'*



GREEDY



7 SPEAKING Outlaws are 'on the side of ordinary people, and against authority'. Do you agree? Give reasons. Use the ideas below to help you.

For not hurt ordinary people steal from the rich
romantic young free always travelling
hide from the police live by their own rules

Against violent cruel and heartless murdered people
greedy people ignore the truth false image unrealistic

8 INTERNET RESEARCH Find out and write about another famous outlaw. Include some or all of the information below.

- Where / When were they born?
- What crimes did they commit?
- How / When / Where did they die?

8B

Reported speech (1)

1 Write the direct speech from these reported speech sentences.

- 1 He said that he had seen a burglary the day before. *'I saw a burglary yesterday.'* _____ he said.
- 2 She said that she heard about terrible crimes every day. _____ she said.
- 3 He said his uncle was calling the police. _____ he said.
- 4 She said that I had stolen her brother's phone. _____ she said.
- 5 He said that our cousins weren't vandals. _____ he said.
- 6 She said that Richard didn't know about the problems with crime there. _____
_____ she said.
- 7 He said they were looting the jewellery shop. _____ he said.
- 8 She said that the police hadn't interviewed the suspect. _____ she said.

2 Read the direct speech and then complete the police report.



3 a **SPEAKING** Work in pairs. Ask your partner these questions and make a note of his/her answers.

- Where do you live?
- What have you got in your bag at the moment?
- What are you studying this term? Do you like it? Why? / Why not?
- What did you do yesterday evening?

b Swap partners. Tell your new partner what you found out about your first partner.

Anna said that she lived in a small apartment in Prague. She said that she ...

Police Report:

The suspect said that ¹_____ a mistake. He said that ²_____ that house, but that he ³_____. He said that ⁴_____ shopping, but he ⁵_____ keys with ⁶_____. He ⁷_____ neighbour, but she ⁸_____ at home ⁹_____. So he said that he ¹⁰_____ to break the back door. He said that ¹¹_____ the axe from ¹²_____ garden shed.

**ASSIGNMENT:
WORKBOOK 8C
LISTENING(PAMPHLET)**

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