

**Greatest Circus On Golden Jubilee Tour**

Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Combined Celebrating Ringling Brothers' 50th Anniversary with Mighty Spectacle. Hundreds of New Features, Including Royal Pading Giraffe — Neck Women From Burma.

The greatest show on earth, Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey combined circus—this season celebrating the Golden Jubilee of the Ringling Brothers, who fifty years ago began their triumphal march to world circus supremacy—is definitely scheduled to exhibit in Greensboro, October 14th.

Outstanding among the almost countless new features of the Golden Jubilee gala performances is the most magnificent opening spectacle ever produced by this colossus among amusement enterprises. It is an authentic and dazzling reproduction of The Durbar, the world famous coronation ceremonial at Delhi, India. The Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Pageantry, opulent and staggering in its immensity, employs over 2,000 people and animals, including fifty elephants in gem-studded coronation robes and lavish headdresses. East India Marimbo and British Imperial foot guard bands, scores of festival tongas, bearing rajahs and ranees, will be in the van of the pageant. A golden temple, designed by Gandhi Moodi of Delhi, ornate ceremonial cars and gorgeous royal howdahs add immeasurably to the splendor of The Durbar.

Vying with the resplendent impressiveness of The Durbar is the most unusual and weird show on Earth ever brought out of the Orient—the Royal Pading giraffe-neck women from Burma. These strange oriental women, with their incredibly long necks encircled with brass and copper rings, carrying sixty pounds of copper ornaments on their arms and legs, are unbelievably aloof from all mankind. They are like no other racial group in all the teeming East. The rings, soldered upon their necks, are constantly superimposed from infancy until maturity, until these sloe-eyed oriental beauties resemble nothing so much as the giraffe. Never was so sensational a feature exhibited in the main performance of the Ringling Bros and Barnum & Bailey Combined Circus.

The Golden Jubilee five-ring four-stage program features displays in units of fifty, with the stars of all lands competing in the air, rings and hippodrome track and on the stages. There are more than 800 performers. The circus bears on its four long trains of 100 double-length steel railroad cars over 1600 people, 50 elephants, 1009 menagerie animals and 700 horses.

The great Con Colleano, tumbling, forward-somersaulting tight wire star, has been recalled from European triumphs to join the Big Show constellation of stars, as has the famous Alfredo Codona, world's only triple mid-air somersaulter to a sensational catch. Vabanque, French leap-of-death trapezist is a new star. Marcellus' Parisian Flying Ballet; the Uyeno, Yacopi, Danwill Rubio, Ben Hamid somersaulting acrobatic troupe; the Wallenda and Gretona high wire thrillers; the Flying Codonas, Concellous and Haroldis; the riding Rieffenaechs, Walters and Davenport; Dorothy Herbert, world's most sensational horsewoman; Maximo and Mijares, slack wire stars; Zachini, human projectile; Lucita Leers, aerial star, and Al Powell, flying bowknot—these are a few of the headliners among the better known acts. There are 100 of the world's most famous clowns in the Golden Jubilee gala performances.

**SO FAR, NO SUBSTITUTE OFFERED**

All forms of transportation have their uses and advantages—but when, in time of emergency or otherwise, we need fast and certain facilities for mass movement of men and materials, we invariably turn to the railroads.

We have witnessed an example this year, in the case of the Civilian Conservation Corps. During April, May and June, the rails carried 400,000 of these men without interrupting regular service, and without a hitch. At one time, at Camp Knox, Kentucky, a train left every two hours, bound for points as far distant as Vancouver, Washington.

During late years, there has been a good deal of talk to the effect that the rails are outliving their usefulness, but there has been no convincing evidence. The question, "What will replace them?" is unanswered. Not airplanes—they are expensive and can handle the merest fraction of passenger and freight. Not buses and trucks, which are unable to meet railroad service in long-haul business. Not waterways, which are tremendously localized in the territories they can serve and are dependent on climatic conditions. The railroad has innate advantages which none of its competitors can duplicate.

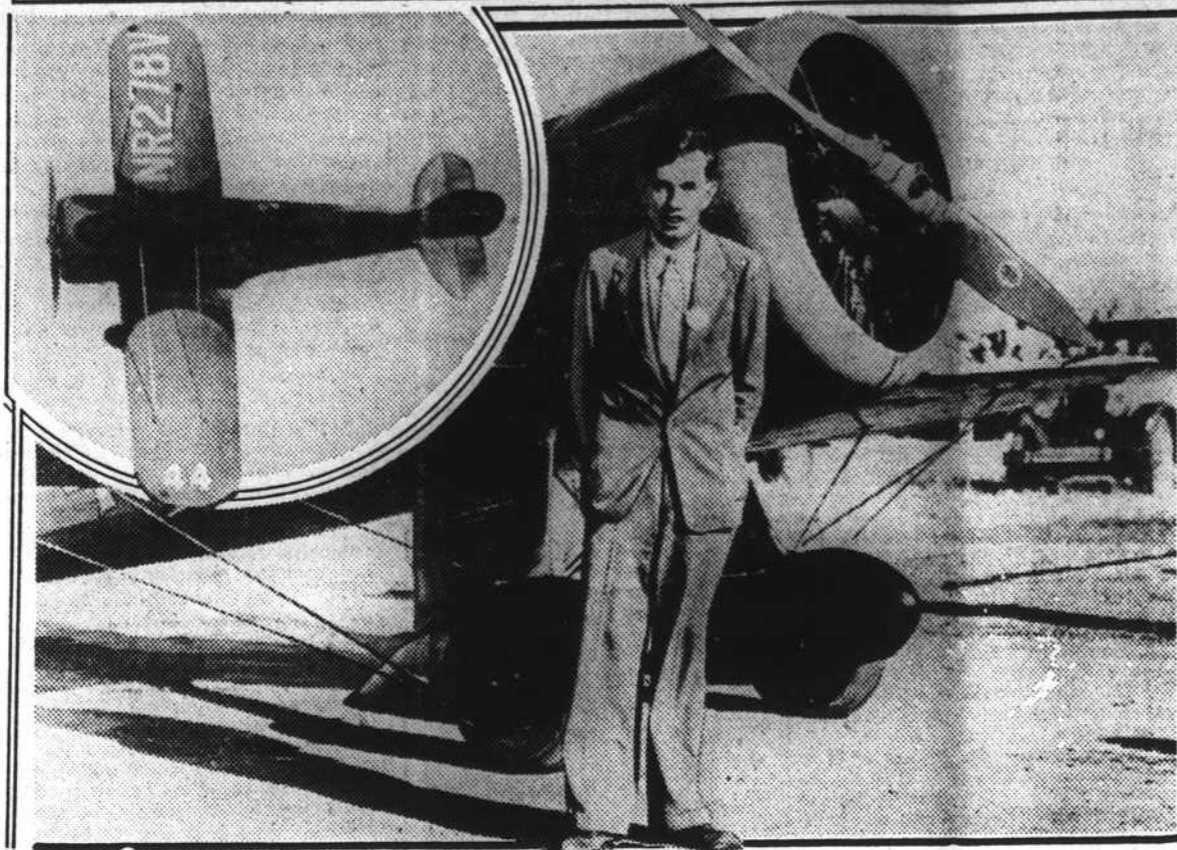
Prosperous and progressive railroads are one of the greatest assets of every country.

**MISS BETTY WEAVER WINS IN THE BEAUTY CONTEST**

Miss Betty Weaver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weaver, of Archdale, was winner of the beauty pageant at the Randolph county fair. The preliminaries, held on Wednesday evening, eliminated all contestants but twelve of which Miss Weaver was mentioned. At the finals Thursday evening, Miss Weaver was declared winner and will receive a free trip to the Century of Progress Exposition at Chicago.

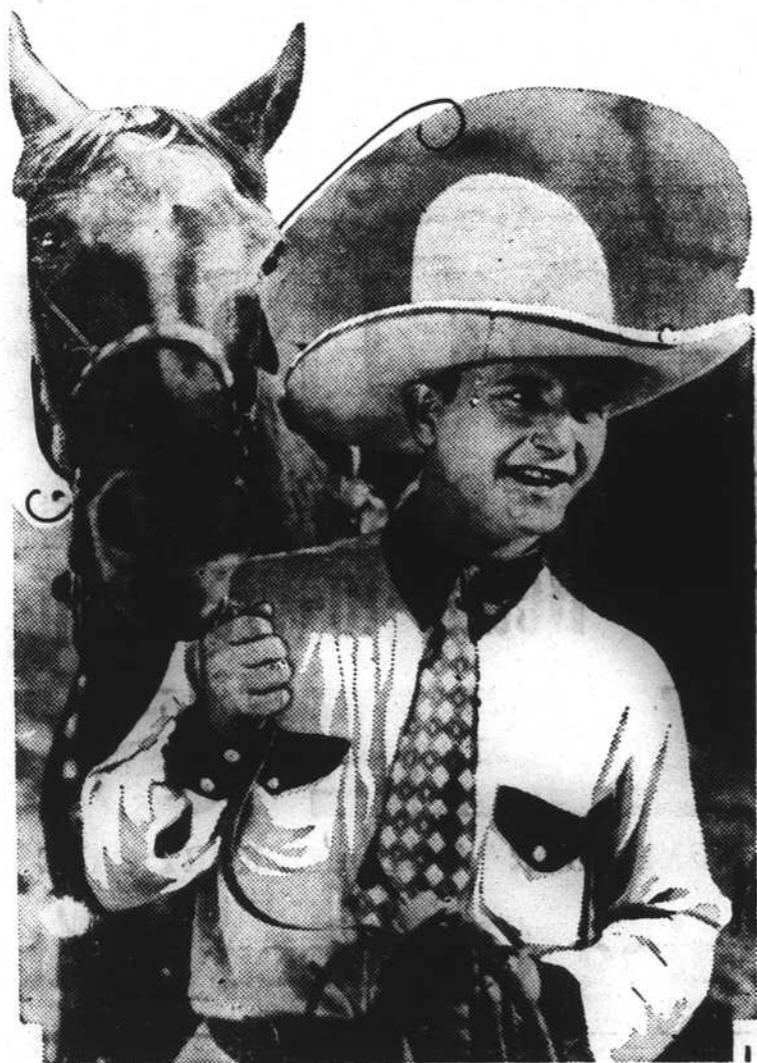
Catawba county poultrymen are eating eggs preserved in water glass last spring when the products were selling for ten cents a dozen and are selling their fresh eggs at 28 cents a dozen.

**South Heads 'New Deal' in Transportation With Dixie Flyer's 5-Mile-a-Minute Mark**



WITH the establishment at Chicago of a new land plane record of 305.33 miles an hour by James R. Wedell of Louisiana, the old South once pictured as an easy-going land of leisure, adds leadership in the "new deal" in transportation to its modern industrial achievements. While all America is taking notice of the new trends in streamlined trains, automobiles, boats and airplanes, Louisiana's Wedell carries the modern theory of reducing air resistance to a world's record in his famous "44," a streamlined ship largely of his own design. His flight in the air pageant, held in connection with A Century of Progress, did more than direct new attention to the South's growing commercial and scientific supremacy. This is indicated by the interest evinced in the Dixie flyer's achievement by engineers and scientists now busy with the problem of converting land vehicles from obsolete forms to the sleek flowing designs of the new era. Photo shows Wedell and his "44." Inset: the plane in flight.

**Bud Horne—Famous Screen Star With World Brothers Circus**



**World Bros. Circus And Bud Horne Wild West Show To Exhibit In Asheboro Saturday, Oct. 14**

World Bros. circus, combined with the Bud Horne Wild West and the Buckley Bros. Equine Paradox is billed to exhibit in Asheboro on Saturday, October 14.

The big combined circus and wild west which is making its first tour of the Carolinas has been on the road all summer as a part of the well known Walter L. Main circus and has been touring the east. The circus, although the largest ever presented at popular prices, has a program of more than twenty feature acts and they are presented in a big ring and steel arena. Heading the list is Capt. Walker, who battles in the arena with a group of forest bred Nubian lions. The Captain has them not only leap over hurdles but through hoops of fire. As a special feature of the Wild West, Bud Horne, the popular western screen star, is making a personal appearance with a full acting company and his favorite picture horses. He will present scenes from his latest releases and show the audience just how pictures are shot at Hollywood. There are twenty cow boys and girls in the wild west.

**TIMELY FARM QUESTIONS ASKED AND ANSWERED**

Question: What is the best treatment for the root knot disease in tobacco?

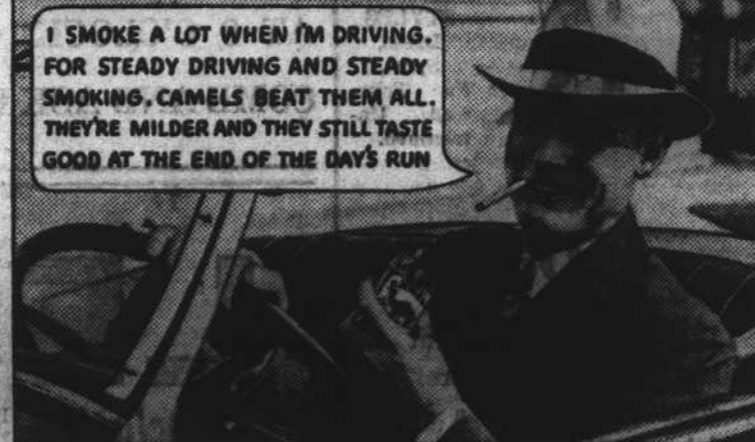
Answer: A three year rotation of resistant crops such as peanuts, Laredo soybeans, and early Bradham cowpeas is the only cure for this disease. A two year rotation will sometimes give good results but the three year rotation is best. Where tobacco must be planted on infected soil year after year, early planting will aid in the control for one or two years.

Question: What causes limberneck in poultry and how can it be cured?

Answer: This disease is caused by poison coming from a germ which breeds in decayed animal and vegetable matter. Eating maggots from this material will cause this disease. Where the flock is infected, all birds should be put up until the source of infection is found and destroyed. While the flock is confined give them an Epsom salts treatment using three-quarters of a pound of salts to two and one-half gallons of water.

Question: What are the best planting dates for hay crops seeded in the

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most valuable single way to avoid catching and spreading colds.

The things which tend to promote general health, such as fresh air, exercise, simple foods, rest, moderation—evidently play a part in protecting the body against infectious disease.

Communicable diseases reported to the Health Department this week were as follows: Scarlet Fever 2; Influenza 1; Pellagra 1; Venereal Diseases 1.

**Animals Commit Suicide Because of Their Grief**

There are people who argue that animals never kill themselves. Yet, says an authority in the Montreal Herald, almost every day we hear of cats and dogs that die of starvation after the loss of their master, and there is the story of the elephant who broke his skull against the wall of his stable because his driver had left him. Loneliness is one of the outstanding motives of animal despair.

Quite remarkable is the case of the black cat which was the inseparable companion of the famous racing horse Godolphin. When the horse died the cat would not move from its body. Chased away it disappeared, and was found dead a few days later in a nearby barn.

Monkeys suffer greatly when isolated from their kind. Male and female are amazingly faithful to each other. A French naturalist reports the case of a couple of marmosets. When the female died in captivity the male sat mourning beside her body. Finally, when he realized what his fortune had befallen him, he withdrew into a corner. He covered his eyes with his hands and died soon afterwards.

**Much Romantic Interest in Cape Chestnut Tree**

It seems fitting that the history of the Cape Chestnut tree (Calodendrum capensis), often considered the most beautiful of all evergreen flowering trees in southern California, should also be full of romantic interest.

The Cape Chestnut is a native of the Cape of Good Hope, in South Africa, and is noted for its abundant lavender-pink flowers which appear in large clusters or panicles. It has large oval leaves resembling some of the varieties of avocado. The general shape of the tree is rounded and spreading, attaining a height of 35 to 40 feet.

The name Calodendrum is from the Greek words, "Calo," beautiful, and "dendron," tree. Probably the first part of "California" was originally derived from the Greek word "Calo." While the tree does not belong to the regular chestnut family the back seeds or nuts appear in pairs in a rough burr, resembling the edible chestnut.—Los Angeles Times.

**Follow the Leader**

When you go to the circus notice the way the trainer will devote his—or her—attention to just one elephant. That one is the leader. The others will follow the leader. And the whole act will travel at top speed or just drag along, according to the mood of the leader. And heaven help the elephant which tries to "solder" through the performance. The leader will issue a warning blast through its trunk and—if that fails to get action—will butt the offender. One such "butt" is enough. Do they communicate with each other? All the time. The "bull line" is the clearing house for the gossip of the animal performers, just as out back some one performer's tent will be the clearing house for the circus gossip about the human performers.—Boston Herald.

**Deer Intelligent**

The deer of Sequoia National park in California, are credited with an unusually high intelligence ratio by persons observing their actions. Those frequenting the neighborhood of Ash Mountain headquarters in the park, it is said, never mistake the early rising gong for the breakfast gong, which sounds exactly like it. But they invariably respond to the latter by trooping toward the mess house at the same time that the men put in their appearance. The animals have learned from experience that if they cluster about the windows of the building while the men are eating they may look for handouts, and that scraps from the kitchen will be forthcoming later.

**Career of Hope Diamond**

The Hope diamond has had a notorious career. It has traveled the world, and its sapphire blue has enchanted Indian rajahs, royalty, dukes and earls and merchant princes. Its kindest abode, perhaps, was the splendor of Versailles, and its most purple possessor the Grand Louis, though a sultan of Turkey, if he heard himself rated inferior, say, to a "Christian dog," would doubtless toss the offending assessor into the Bosphorus. It has found proud asylum in a lordly English house, and a queen of song has worn it with a thrill. And always evil fortune has attended it.

**Miss America Taller**

To prove that Miss America is growing taller and heavier, a professor has made a study of 1,017 mothers and daughters at Wellesley, Vassar, Smith and Mt. Holyoke colleges, and he has discovered that the daughters average five feet four and eight-tenths inches, which makes them more than an inch taller than their mothers were at the same age. They weigh, on an average, 124 pounds, whereas their mothers weighed only 110½.

**It's a Habit**

Falconers, who train hawks to hunt birds and small game, give a low whistle whenever the falcon swallows its food. The falcon soon learns to associate this sound with feeding time, and will grip with its talons and bend down to feel for its food whenever it hears the sound.—Pathfinder Magazine.



**Astonishing? YES! But TRUE!**

Back in the Wild West days the U. S. Patent Office actually granted a patent to the inventor of a gun with a curved barrel which was supposed to shoot around corners.

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