

# TODAY and TOMORROW

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**CLOTHES . . . . . conventions**  
After spending several weeks of the early Summer in Florida, I came back north to run into much hotter weather than I had encountered in that semi-tropical climate. But under the conventions which govern the apparel of mankind I could not, unless I wanted to appear freakish, dress in the comfortable attire which men in Florida wear. Most of the men in Florida wear no coat at all in Summer. The younger men wear by preference sleeveless "polo" shirts, open at the neck, making a necktie superfluous. A high proportion of them wear no hats.

Why, I wonder, should it be considered improper in northern cities for a man to dress appro-

prately for whatever the weather may be? I can see no sense in the convention that a man must wear a coat and a hat on the streets of New York when the thermometer is up in the 90's.

We tolerate loose, scanty clothes for outdoor sports in the country. It seems silly to ban them in town.

**WOMEN . . . . . common-sense dress**  
Women have gone farther than men in setting themselves free from the restrictions which fashion and "good form" used to place on their clothing. I often think that women are more logical than men in the matter of dress. At least, I think so until some change of fashion starts them all to wearing furs in midsummer and woolen coats and skirts for outdoor sports.

This Summer I have noticed more women wearing thin cotton prints than ever before. That is a step in the right direction. And one does not have to look very far, anywhere in America, to see girls and women going about in what their grandmothers would have called "next to nothing."

Backless blouses, or whatever the word is for the upper works of feminine attire, with abbreviated "shorts" or flimsy skirts are no longer confined to the bathing beaches.

This movement toward getting rid of superfluous clothes shocks many conservative-minded oldsters. I think it is a step in the direction of common-sense.

**INDIANS . . . . . climatic conditions**  
It is not only logical but inevitable that the people of any country should, sooner or later, adapt their costumes to the climate of the country in which they live. The white folks who live in America are not as logical as the Indians were. This is a land of climatic extremes, from torrid heat in Summer to bitter cold in Winter, over most of the nation. When the white men came to America they found the Indians going almost naked in Summer from Maine to Florida, and wrapping themselves in skins and blankets only when the Winter weather made it necessary.

The settlers from Europe, however, brought their European fash-

## Admire Bust Of Man They Resemble



COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. . . . Two men who resemble Will Rogers, A. H. Monten (left) of Seattle, Wash., but of no kin, and Gunter Lane of Bartlesville, Okla., a nephew of the late cowboy philosopher—admire the bust of Will Rogers which was unveiled on Labor Day

ions in clothing with them. We still dress by the standards of Europe, where there are no such extremes of temperature as we have in America. Over a large part of Europe one has to dress warmly even in Summer.

I see in the American tendency to discard superfluous clothes in Summer the beginning of a new American independence. I hope to live to see all Americans, men and women, freed from the chains of fashion and custom and dressing to suit the climate at all times of the year.

**MORALS . . . . . dress**  
Many good people still think it is immoral for anyone, women particularly, to go about in public, even at beaches or "the old swimming hole" without being clothed entirely from neck to knees. In their minds there is some relation between clothing and morals. The first thing the early missionaries to the South Sea islands did was to put clothes on their converts. In a climate where clothing was unnecessary, this not only made the converted savages uncomfortable but made it harder to get new converts.

A wise philosopher once said that morals are matter of latitude. They are also a matter of chronology. Many things regarded as good morals in Queen Elizabeth's time are frowned on by the accepted moral standards of today, and we approve or at least tolerate, many kinds of conduct today which were regarded as highly immoral, by our grandparents.

While I do not believe there is any necessary relation between dress and morals, I realize that each community makes its own moral standards, and until they change it is immoral, in the broad sense, to ignore those standards publicly.

**HONESTY . . . . . appearances**  
Far more important than the outward observance of prevailing moral standards is the personal character of the individual. I think we are living in an age of honesty, that there is much less pretense among the younger people of today than there used to be when I was young.

I do not believe that there is any great difference in personal private morals from one generation to another. I think it is a decided improvement in public morals when people no longer think it necessary to conform to artificial standards of attire to prove their "goodness" to the world. The young folk of today hate hypocrisy worse than anything else. They no longer believe that a bad complexion, an unbecoming dress or a black tie is proof of good character. They rather suspect the opposite. Nor do they hold that rouge and lipstick, gay clothing and reasonable sensible comfort betake moral laxity.

It is not safe to judge people by outward appearances alone. I am inclined to be suspicious of men or women who exaggerate the customs of their communities in clothing or manners, but I am equally chary of those who ignore them entirely. And I am wrong in my judgments, probably as often as I am right.

**Rules**  
If there is any rule that does not have, or should not have, its exceptions, we have yet to learn of it.

There came a loud knock on the door. The doctor, who had just settled himself for a nap, got up.

"What is it?" he asked the man at the door.

"I've been bitten by a dog," said the man unhappily.

"Well, don't you know that my hours of consultation are between twelve and three?"

"Yes," groaned the patient, "but the dog didn't know. He bit me at twenty to four."

Human beings can contract rabbit fever (Tularemia) from more than 20 animals other than rabbits.

## OCT 5 PRESS DAY AT WINSTON FAIR

Newsman to Be Guests of Fair Management and Will Be Given Swell Time

### INVITATIONS MAILED

Tuesday, October 5, will be Press Day at the big Winston-Salem and Forsyth County Fair.

At 12:30 on that day the newspaper men of North Carolina will be the guests of the hotel Robert E. Lee at luncheon on the roof. The marine roof garden of this hotel is one of the show spots of the state and the hotel management is anxious for every newspaper man in North Carolina to see this popular resort. As a convention hall, banquet hall and dance pavilion it is without equal anywhere in the South. It is decidedly popular with Winston-Salem folks and the weekly dances and other festivities have added much to the social life of the tobacco city for the past several months.

Following the luncheon on Tuesday, October 5, the visiting newspaper men and their ladies will be taken to the Forsyth County fair grounds where they will be the guests of the management on an all-day tour of the various attractions and entertainments. Every detail of the big fair will be completed by this opening day and visitors will not only see the

### NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

**MCA-1190, FOARD**  
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Noah Foard and wife, Lucy Foard, to Carolina Mortgage and Indemnity Company, Trustee, dated 1st day of January, 1926, and recorded in Book 99, page 205, Registry of Surry County, North Carolina, the undersigned as the duly appointed substituted trustee (see book 129, page 434 of said registry), will offer for sale at public auction at the Court House door in said county, in the City of Dobson, N. C., at 12 o'clock Noon, on Monday, the 25th day of October, 1937, and will sell to the highest bidder for cash the property described in said deed of trust as follows:

Certain lot or parcel of land in or near the Town of Elkin, N. C., Elkin Township, County of Surry, and more particularly described as follows:  
Lying and being in the town of Elkin, Surry County, N. C. situated on the West side of State Highway No. 26, and fronting thereon 104 feet, extending back 167 feet and more particularly described as follows:

**BEGINNING** on an iron stake on the West side of State Highway No. 26, 600 feet North of intersection of Highway No. 26 and Gwyn Avenue, runs North 13 degs. East 104 feet to an iron stake, Sam Hickerson's corner; thence South 75 degs. West 196 feet to Sam Hickerson's corner; thence South 13 degs. West 67 feet to an iron stake; thence North 87 degs. East 167 feet to the beginning.

Being that land conveyed to Noah Foard by deed from J. S. Bell and wife, L. A. Bell, dated October 15th, 1903, and filed for registration on the 7th day of January, 1926, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Surry County, State of North Carolina and recorded in Book 103, page 103.

This sale will be made subject to all outstanding and unpaid taxes and other assessments, if any. This sale is to be made on account of default in the payment of the indebtedness secured by the aforesaid deed of trust and is made pursuant to demand made upon the undersigned by the holder of said indebtedness.

This 17th day of September, 1937.  
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splendid exhibits in the agricultural buildings, but will be entertained on the midway and the race track. Here they will see the big outdoor free circus acts as well as the fast races. At night they will see the big musical revue and the fireworks, the whole making a day of sight-seeing that the management of the hotel and the fair grounds believe will be a high spot in the lives of those who attend.

Invitations have gone out to this entertainment and it is expected that seventy-five or more newspaper men will be present for

what is hoped will be an annual event.

Two men were seated in a crowded car. One, noticing that the other had his eyes closed said: "Bill, are yer feelin' well?"

"I'm all right," said Bill, "but I do 'ate to see ladies standing."

**CHEER UP!** The offer has been extended and you can still obtain a guaranteed fountain pen and pencil set absolutely free. Better come in right away. Your set is awaiting you at The Tribune office.

# SPECIALS For Fair Week

Oatmeal Cleansing Cream, Pound jar	68c	Dr. West Tooth Paste	19c
Evening In Paris Perfume, Lipstick, Rouge \$1.50 value	\$1.10	Hot Water Bottles	69c
Two 50c Tek Tooth Brushes for only	51c	Iron and Yeast Tablets	85c
Ny-Naps Sanitary Napkins	19c	100 Aspirin Tablets	39c
Quart Bottle Cod Liver Oil	98c	Yardley's Shaving Bowl	\$1.00
Quart Bottle Mineral Oil	65c	Squibb's Tooth Paste, Lg. Size	39c

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# Elk Theatre

West Main Street Elkin, N. C.

Thursday, Sept. 23—  
"IT COULD HAPPEN TO YOU"  
Comedy Adm. 10c-25c

Friday-Saturday, Matinee and Night—  
"Wildhorse Roundup"  
With Kermit Maynard  
Frank Buck Serial—Clyde Comedy Adm. 10c-25c

Monday-Tuesday, Matinee and Night—  
Joe Louis Vs. Tommy Farr  
Championship Fight Direct from the Ringside  
15 Rounds of  
Furious! Terrific! Thrilling! Action!  
In Sound and Slow Motion  
Did Louis Win? Fans Boo Decision!  
Come, Draw Your own Conclusion!  
—Also—  
"Escape By Night"  
WITH WM. HALL—ANNE NAGEL  
A Brand New Gangster Picture That Will Hold You Spellbound  
Admission 10c-30c

Wednesday, Matinee and Night—  
"DANGER TRAIL"  
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Rex and Rinty Serial Adm. 10c To All  
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