

Boone Drama "Horn In The West" Open 1953 Season Friday Night

BOONE, N. C. — Northwestern North Carolina's big outdoor drama success, "Horn In The West", will open Friday night, June 26, with 64 performances scheduled for its second season at the open air Daniel Boone Theatre, Boone.

"The play will be given nightly except Mondays at 8:15 p. m., through September 7. During its 58 performances in 1952, the drama drew a total attendance of more than 53,000 from 47 states.

As the opening performance nears, the theatre is bustling with activity. Final dress rehearsals are now in progress on the three stages, while the box office reports a brisk advance sale of tickets, both over-the-counter and by mail. The theatre, which is only six miles from the Blue Ridge Parkway, is popular with sightseers and picnickers.

No lengthy ceremonies are planned in connection with the opening. Dr. I. G. Greer of Chapel Hill, president of the Southern Appalachian Historical Association, will welcome the first-night audience. Author Kermit Hunter will attend the opening. Newspaper editors from North Carolina and four other states will be present for the second annual "Editors Night," which is being held in conjunction with the opening this year with Rupert Gillett, associate editor of the Charlotte Observer, as chairman.

"Horn In The West" features a talented cast representing many states. The majority of the performers are residents of North Carolina or alumni of its colleges and universities.

Irvine N. Smith of Carlisle, Pa. will play the leading role of Dr. Geoffrey Stuart, a British-born physician who moves west to the Appalachian mountains after the battle of Alamance. Martha Eardy of Chapel Hill will play the

feminine lead as Martha Stuart. John Miller, of Signal Mountain, Tenn., will play John Sevier, and Ned Austin of Boone will play Daniel Boone.

Director Kai Jurgensen announces that other principal roles in the drama are being played by the following:

Toby Miller, Harry LaTler, Chicago, Ill.; Richard Cameron, Phillip Kennedy, Charlotte; Jack Stuart, William Waddell, Galax, Va.; Michael Holt, Ben Goforth, Kings Mountain; Gov. William Tryon, Roger Grier, Gastonia; John Stuart, Homer Keever, Statesville; Colonel McKenzie, William Ross, Boone; Jessie Howard, Jean Stephens, Raleigh; Amos Howard, Charles Elledge, Marlon; Betsy Howard, Jean Hillman, Newark, Del.; Nancy Ward, Louise Lamont, Chapel Hill; Medicine Man, Harry Coble (choreographer) native of High Point; Atakulla, Stanley South, Boone; Black Tomahawk, Willard Tolley, New York City; Cobbler, Richard Chapline, Philadelphia, Pa.; Sam Phillips, David Ashburn, Winston-Salem; James Robertson, John Van Noppen, Boone; Mrs. Adams, Jacqueline Craven, Troy; Rev. Samuel Doak, Rogers Whitener, Lakeland, Fla.; Mary, Jane Walton, Salisbury; John Carter, Glenn Causey, Greensboro; Mrs. Morris, Nancy Smith, Carlisle, Pa.; General Tarleton, Dan Harvat, Raleigh.

The catch of fish and shellfish in the United States and Alaska during 1952 declined slightly in both quantity and quality from 1951, according to the American Peoples Encyclopedia 1953 Yearbook which will be published soon. It amounted to 4,300,000,000 pounds with a value of \$335,000,000. This was approximately 100,000,000 pounds and \$10,000,000 less than 1951.

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Large Attendance By 30th Division Men At Training Camp Revival Rites

FORT McLELLAN, ALA. — High attendance marked the religious revival services of the 30th "Old Hickory" Division as its first week of summer training came to a close.

Daily mass was held during the week on the post by two Catholic chaplains who reported the attendance as "good." Some 1,000 men attended seven Wednesday meetings held for Protestants on the post and in the field, Jewish services were held Wednesday night by Rabbi Harold Fineberg who was secured by the post chaplain. Chaplains were available to the men for counsel at all times during the week.

Major General Paul H. Jordan, Chattanooga, Tennessee, who is the 30th commander innovated the unique revival. General Jordan explained that the purpose of the revival is to send the guardsmen home at the end of training "physically, mentally, morally, and spiritually improved."

Pleased with the attendance of the past week's services Lt. Col. James N. Kelly, Division Chaplain from Shelbyville, Tennessee, said, "This is certainly the best response we have had in any summer camp of the 30th so far."

Prior to Sunday services a concert will be given by the 30th Division Band. Prayer meetings on the post at five chapels and services will be held in the field Wednesday.

Many units are still moving into the field as a continued part of their two weeks of training. Much work is still ahead of the North Carolina and Tennessee men but ample facilities are being provided for their off-duty relaxation by Major Charles C. Scott, Special Services Officer, and Sfc. Charles Gaddy, enlisted chief of the Special Services Section.

"Curtain Call," a musical variety show, was given in the post amphitheatre for the men Wednesday night by the Army Special Services of Ft. Benning, Ga. Afterwards, young ladies from nearby Gadsden, Anniston, and Jacksonville College in Jacksonville,

Alabama found many willing partners among the men of the 30th as a dance was held on the paved area in front of one of Ft. McClellan's enlisted men's service clubs.

Further entertainment arranged by Major Scott and his staff will include a wrestling match Saturday night and a 106-team softball tournament.

Among the units making up the 30th division is Hq. & Hq. Co., 120th Inf. Reg., from Kings Mountain, N. C.

An increase in acreage and generally good yield prospects in early summer States (including North Carolina) are expected to result in a large crop this season. In southeastern Alabama harvest began May 20, two weeks earlier than normal, but hot, dry weather has impaired quality and resulted in a heavy drop of blooms. In northern Alabama the crop was late going in but made satisfactory progress and is now in good condition. The Virginia tomato crop is in good condition and the Eastern Shore section should begin harvesting greens the week of June 15, which is two weeks earlier than normal. Wet weather delayed setting of the Kentucky tomato acreage and there will apparently be few tomatoes harvested there in June.

A preliminary estimate of cantaloup acreage for North Carolina shows 4,500 acres for 1953—15 percent above the 3,900 acres harvested in 1952, but 4 percent below the 1949-51 average of 4,700 acres. June 1 condition reports indicate a production of 270,000 crates — a yield of 60 crates per acre. Production last year was 176,000 crates with an average yield of 45 crates per acre.

Rites Are Held For Mrs. Smith

Funeral services for Mrs. Willie Mae Smith, 50, resident of Lincolnton, were conducted Sunday at 2:30 o'clock from Bessemer City First Baptist church.

Burial was in Mountain Rest cemetery here.

Mrs. Smith died in a Lincolnton hospital Friday following a short illness.

Survivors include three sons, Jack F. Smith of London, England, Raymond W. Smith of Paoli, S. C., Vernon P. Smith of Dallas, Texas, and three daughters, Mrs. D. J. Stalcup of Bessemer City, Mrs. Dalton Davidson of Lincolnton, and Miss Shirley Lee Smith of Lincolnton.

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TIMELY FARM QUESTIONS

QUESTION: How can I get rid of Johnson Grass?

ANSWER: Following a thorough disking during the early part of the growing season, apply 60 to 100 pounds of trichloroacetic acid equivalent in 40.50 gallons of water per acre. However, TCA renders the soil sterile for 30 to 90 days.

QUESTION: Just what is required to make cotton seed meet certified seed growers regulations?

ANSWER: Cotton seed must be produced from breeders seed or second generation certified seed.

QUESTION: Could you give me some idea how the different beef grades dress out as far as weight is concerned?

ANSWER: Percentages given are estimates and on a chilled weight bases, Prime, 62 per cent and over; Choice, 59 to 62 per cent; Good, 56 to 59 per cent; Commercial, 53 to 56 per cent; Utility, 47 to 53 per cent; and Canner and Canner, 43 to 47 per cent.

Where farming operations are successful, farm buildings generally will be in good condition.

Postal Boxholders Paying More Rent

Kings Mountain postoffice boxholders began paying increased rental fees last Saturday, when they received "Rent Due" reminder notices for the third quarter. The new schedule of rental charges is based on postal receipts and is the first adjustment in postoffice box rental fees since 1907, the bulletin stated.

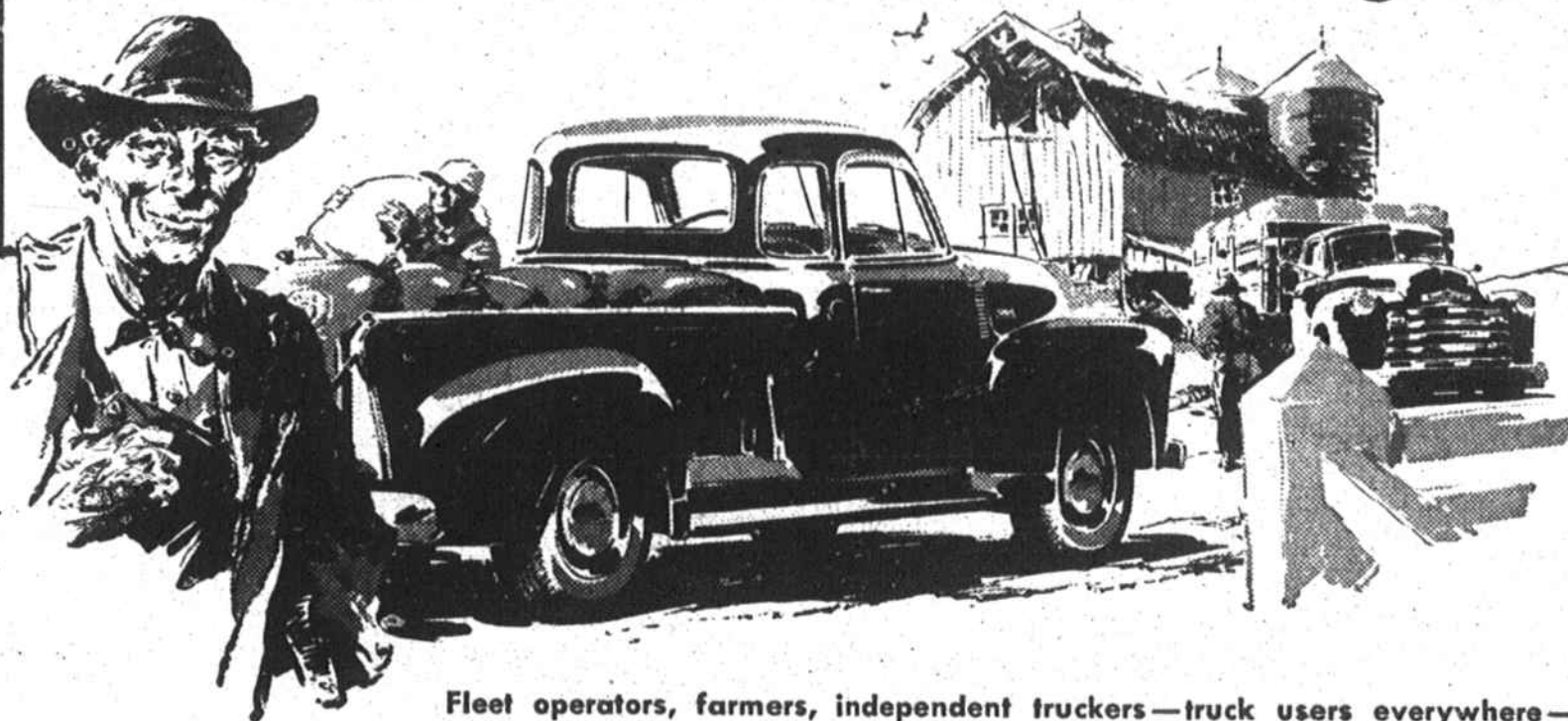
Here is the quarterly rate schedule as it applies at Kings Mountain postoffice:

	Old rate	New rate
No. 1 lock box	75c	\$1.10
No. 2 lock box	\$1.00	\$1.50
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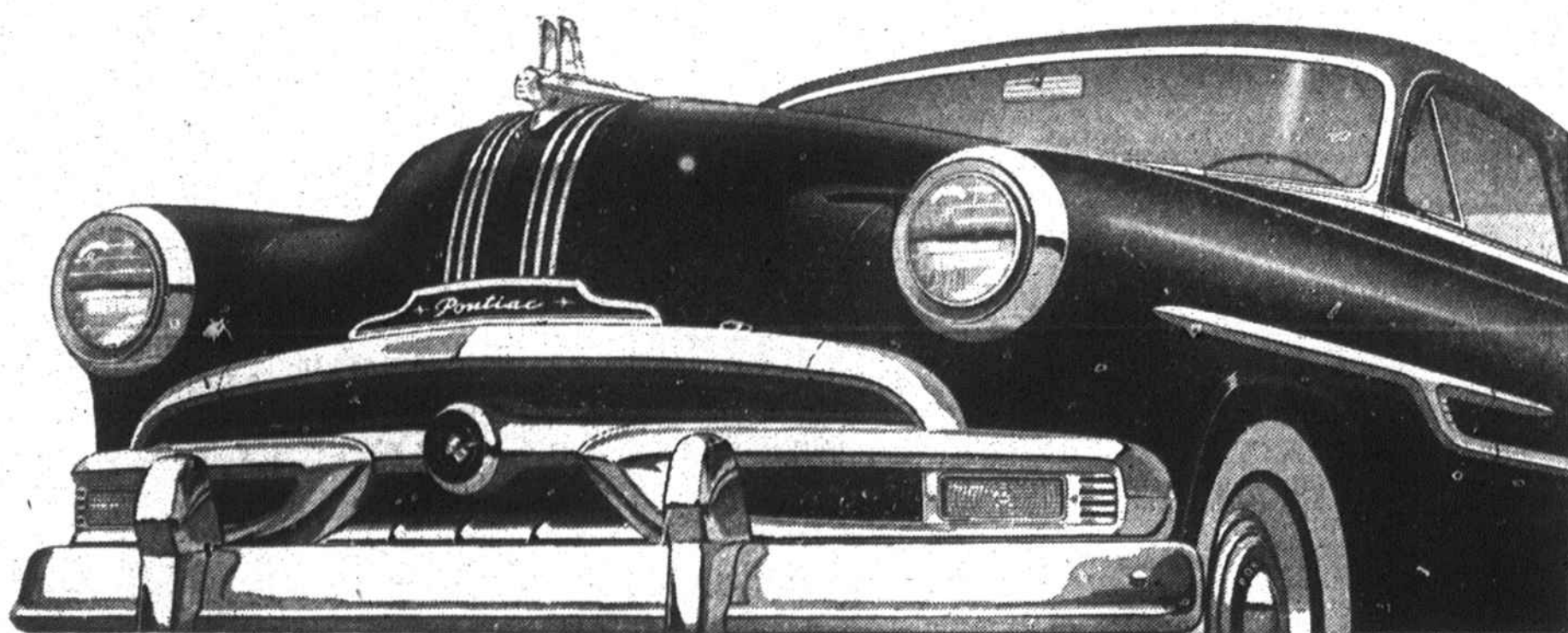
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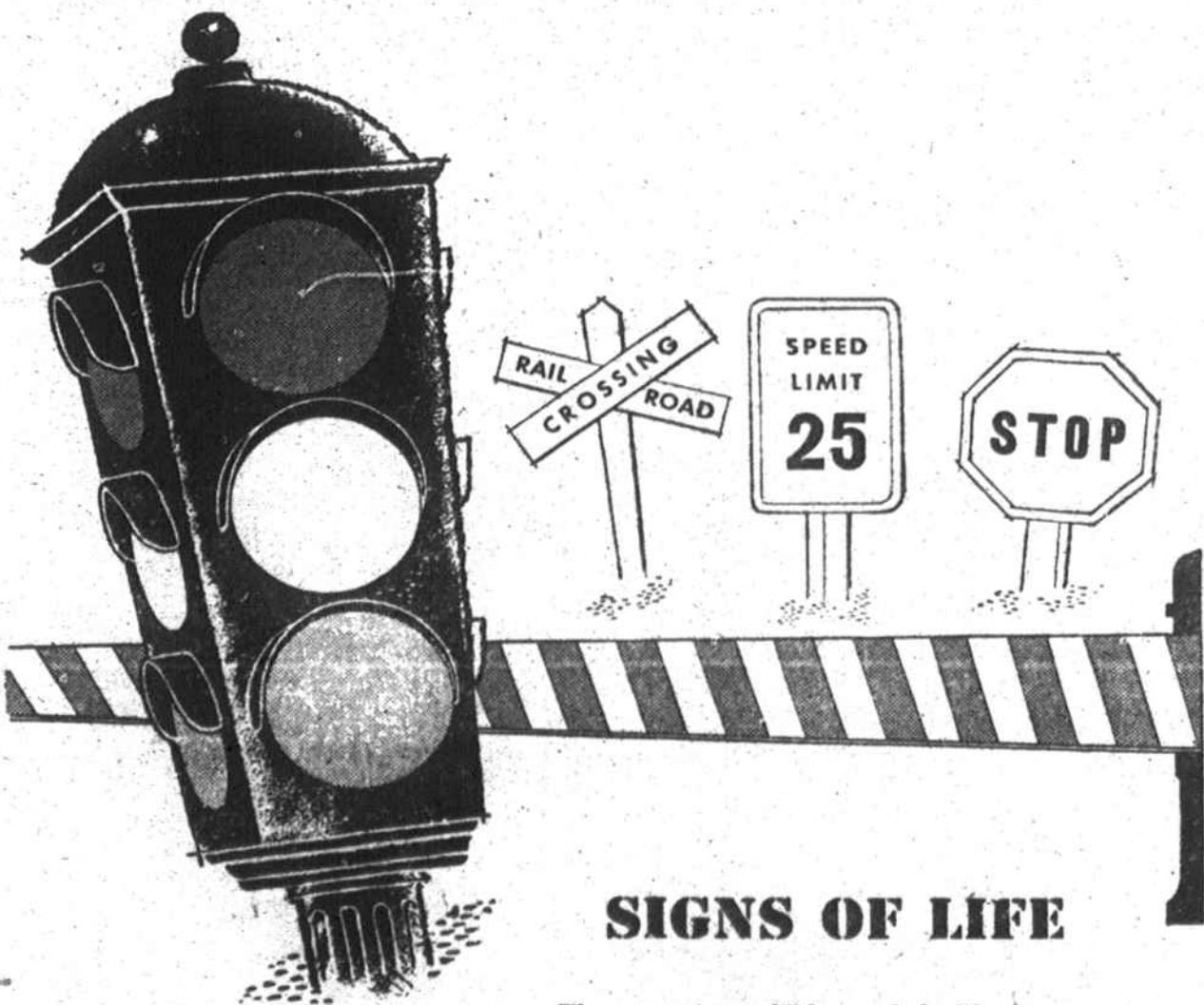
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The doctor often orders drugs to be mixed with Simple Syrup. Let us see just how "simple" Simple Syrup is when prepared according to the rigid standards of the Pharmacopoeia of the United States. Here is the "recipe": — Heat 450 cc of distilled water to the boiling point and add 850 gm. of sugar. Continue to heat cautiously, stirring until all the sugar is dissolved and the syrup has a temperature of 100 degrees Centigrade. Then filter it through purified cotton and pass enough distilled water through the cotton to make the product measure 1000 cc when cold. We believe this demonstrates that there is nothing "simple" in pharmacy. The importance of each step in compounding medicine demands that it be taken with painstaking care.

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