



This quotation from the writings of C. G. Jung impressed me so am passing it along to my readers. It was printed on the front page of our church bulletin on May 23rd.—"Fulfill something you are able to fulfill, rather than run after what you will never achieve. Nobody is perfect. Remember the saying 'None is good by God alone.' It is an illusion. We can modestly strive to fulfill ourselves and to be as complete human beings possible; and that will give us trouble enough."

I have suggested, many times, that you select the proper plant for the proper location before you

use it in your landscape. If you are not familiar with the growth characteristics of a plant, try to find out from your county agent, your nurseryman or by reading books and articles on plant materials. This will prevent costly mistakes.

Two examples. A friend called and requested that I drop by and have a look at her backyard. Admittedly, it had been neglected and now she was trying to get things in better order.

She had set ligustrum plants along her back fence about eight feet apart. With proper pruning and care, this could have been made into a nice screening hedge;

but with neglect, the plants had grown to a height of about thirty feet with heavy naked trunks; some six to eight inches in diameter.

She had a yard crew cut all plants back to a height of about six feet. This left a number of naked trunks that would be impossible to renovate in any order and acceptable manner. On top of this, her husband was insisting that other selected plants be set between the ligustrum stumps. I advised against this and suggested that she wait until fall because I was sure that she would not be happy until she completely removed the old ligustrum plants and replaced them with suitable plant materials.

The other example of selecting the wrong plant for a wrong location. She had planted an Osmanthus fortunei in one of her crowded borders. This plant will grow to a height of about 20 feet and will have a spread of about 20 feet. It should never be crowded but rather given ample room

## This Is The Law

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(For the N. C. Bar Association)  
**PARENT'S LIABILITY FOR CHILD'S ACT**

Your neighbor's six-year-old child enters the back door of your home, while you are mowing the grass on your front lawn, and does considerable harm to your property therein. May you sue the child's father for the damages sustained?

No. A parent is ordinarily not liable for the wrongful and destructive acts of his child. This is the rule everywhere in the absence of a positive statute to the contrary.

The mere relationship of parent and child is not alone sufficient for development. It is a very attractive plant and loaded with small white very fragrant flowers in late fall.

cient to make a parent responsible for the wrongful acts of his child. It must be shown that the father has approved such acts or that the child was his servant or agent at the time.

If your neighbor has sent his child to your home on an errand, and the child during the course of the errand carelessly or negligently damages your property, you may in a legal action recover from the child's parent the monetary value of your damages. The liability in this instance does not depend upon the relationship of the parties as parent and child, but upon their relationship as principal and agent, and is governed by the rules governing other cases of agency.

When a father knows that his minor child is destroying another's property, and makes no effort to restrain him, he will be deemed to have consented and authorized the wrongful act.

Is the father liable for the damages caused by his child in the handling of some dangerous instrument such as a gun or pistol?

This would depend upon the age and competency of the particular child, the knowledge of the father, and the nature of the dangerous instrument.

If a parent knows that his child is careless and incompetent to handle a dangerous instrument such as a pistol or gun, he will be liable for injuries committed by the wrongful and negligent use thereof, not because he is the child's father, but because of his own negligence in giving the dangerous instrument to the child, or in leaving it where the child can get it, or in permitting the child to keep and use it after the parent knows he has it.

## "Oz" Opens Second Season

BANNER ELK, N. C.—The Land of Oz, which last year began North Carolina's all time leading tourist attraction, will open its second season June 10.

More than 100 youngsters from

knowingly permitted any incompetent person to drive your car and he negligently injured another person or his property. So don't turn the keys of your car over to a person who is staggering and under the influence of intoxicating liquor, unless you are willing to be responsible for his wrongful or negligent acts. You would not be liable if you lent your car to a sober and competent driver, and subsequently, unknown to you, he should become intoxicated and negligently injure with your car the person or property of another.

7 states arrived at Beech Mountain Saturday to begin trying out and rehearsing for roles as Dorothy, the Scarecrow, Tinman, Cowardly Lion, Wicked Witch of the West, among others. The young people were selected from almost one thousand applicants.

Several will be selected for each role, since characters are required along the Yellow Brick Road and in Emerald City.

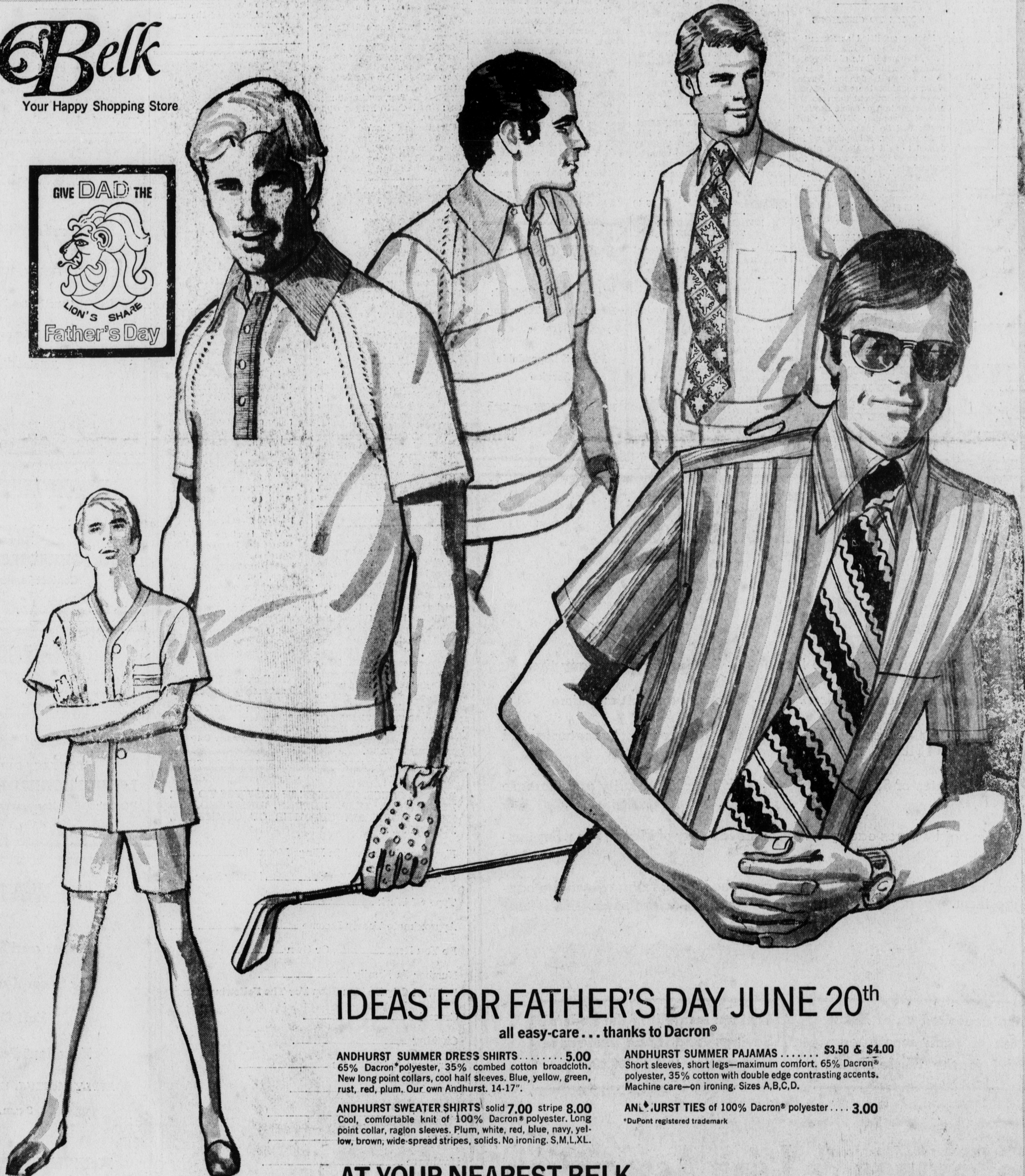
Oz is a themed adventure park that lets visitors walk through the entire story of "The Wizard of Oz." In its first season last year, it drew 301,332 visitors. Ernie Rhymer, General Manager, says he expects half a million persons through the park this season.

### INSTALLATION SET

Mrs. Eugene McCarter will install new officers of the Junior Woman's club Monday night at 7:30 at the Woman's club.

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