

Most Determined Roman of Them All



Here is J. W. Roman, fruit vendor, pictured before his fruit stand which he refuses to move off the site of the new Breckenridge, Texas, postoffice. Roman has turned a deaf ear to the threats and entreaties of city, state and federal authorities and says he will move only when requested by the proper authority. President Roosevelt, Roman suspects a trick of a competitor in the attempt to remove him, and even ignored telegrams from the U. S. Attorney General and head of public lands, saying: "I don't know none of them fellers." (Texas News Photos.)

INVESTING IN BETTER LIVING

To buy a modern home, small or large, expensive or inexpensive, is to make an investment in better living. Construction has stood still the past few years, ever since it tumbled to the depths with depression, but contractors, designers, builders and equipment manufacturers have continued to improve their services and commodities. They have given us not only more comfortable, but more efficient homes—homes in which four or five rooms do the work that six rooms used to do. They have given us new ideas of eating, ventilation, air-conditioning, furnishing, designing. They have given us mechanical

equipment which can be adequately described only by the word "marvelous"—equipment which is more-than-human in doing work inexpensively and quickly, that used to take back-breaking hours before a furnace or over a washboard.

And, to cap the climax, building costs are still well below normal levels. There are plenty of skilled and unskilled workmen. When we build we give men jobs and not only get a bargain for ourselves, but advance recovery by stimulating purchasing power and industrial production.

There are few better slogans than "Build Now—Repair Now!"

The pecan is the adopted tree of Tex.

Alabama Girl Gets Fair Medal



Nelda Brown, of Birmingham, Ala., receiving a medal from Rufus C. Dawes, president of A Century of Progress, as the two-millionth visitor to the Ford Exposition.

CHICAGO—A pretty Alabama girl, Nelda Brown, of Birmingham, was honored at A Century of Progress, Chicago, on July 3, when she received a medal as the 2,000,000th visitor to the Ford exposition. The presentation was made by Rufus Dawes, president of The World's Fair.

To a fanfare of trumpets, Miss Brown, undoubtedly the most surprised girl on the entire Fair grounds, was escorted by sixteen uniformed guards of the Ford building to the Court of the World, where Mr. Dawes and Ulysses Grant-Smith, chief of protocol, were waiting.

"I congratulate you on being the 2,000,000th visitor to the Ford Exposition," said President Dawes as

he presented Miss Brown with the medal and certificate commemorating the occasion. "I hope you enjoy your visit and that when you go home you will tell all your friends about it."

The 1934 World's Fair has been open forty days and forty nights and the total figure of 2,000,000 brings the daily average attendance in the Ford exhibit up to 50,000, which is more than 75 per cent of the total Century of Progress attendance. The figure of 2,000,000 applies to the main Ford building alone and is in addition to the throngs attending the concerts in the Ford Symphony Gardens, visitors to the Roads of the World and the Industrialized Barn.

FAIR PLANS BIG FARM PROGRAM

Barn Dance, Rural Events Featured at Chicago Aug. 11 to 18.

Chicago.—Four million persons have entered the gates of the new World's Fair since it opened here May 26. Most of the throngs that have thrilled to the new spectacle, the new "foreign villages," which offer in themselves a "tour of the world," the new shows and the new free entertainment projects, are city dwellers. Chicagoans, visitors from other cities all over the United States and visitors from foreign countries have poured in, in large numbers.

But the real 'farmer-visitors' invasion of A Century of Progress has not yet begun. It will reach its peak when the Fair celebrates Farm Week, from August 11 to August 18, inclusive.

Last year Farm Week accounted for the largest single week's attendance of the entire Fair. Plans to make the celebration interesting and important to farmers are even more elaborate now than last year, according to the events division of the exposition.

WLS Barn Dance at Fair.

Saturday, August 11, will lead off the program with a massive farm parade, including bands, farm implements, machinery and equipment and farm animals. Depicting the modernization of agriculture, it will be one of the longest and most comprehensive pageants of the entire exposition.

Sunday, August 12, will see special music and farm programs interlinked with the observation of Chicago Incorporation day, with Chicago acting as host to the out-of-town multitudes.

Rexford Tugwell, assistant secretary of agriculture, has been invited to be the principal speaker of the Farm Organization day program Monday, Tuesday will be farm radio day, with the entire WLS "Barn Dance" presenting a program in the Court of States; 40,000 persons saw this event in 1933.

Aerial Sham Battle Planned.

The farmer's wife will have her day Wednesday, August 15, which has been named Farm Women's day, with special programs arranged to pay tribute to the women who battled to carve a nation out of the wilderness. Farm Youth day, Thursday, will be full of recognition of the future farmers of the land, with emphasis on 4-H club work.

Programs of interest to rural newspapers and magazines will feature Farm Press day, Friday, Saturday, August 18, will be farm music day, with its high spot the gigantic Chicago and National Music Festival in Soldier Field, adjoining the Fair grounds. This annual event has attracted more than a half million persons in the four years of its existence. This day will also see many special contests, such as milk-maid, husband-calling and hog-calling contests.

Saturday is also Illinois day. There will be a review of 10,000 troops and demonstrations by anti-aircraft artillery units, shooting with tracer bullets at balloon targets towed by airplanes.

Farm Exhibits Are Many.

During Farm Week parties of farmers will be taken on free guided tours of the Fair grounds. Farm visitors, with only a limited time to spend, will in this way be able to see everything of vital interest to them.

Henry Ford's industrialized barn, where he shows how the farmer may, at low cost, raise soy beans, obtain the residue and process it himself, making industrial products for which he can obtain a profitable revenue, is one of the new exhibits. Another is the International Harvester company's radio-controlled tractor, which demonstrates how farming may be done from an easy chair on the veranda. Model farm homes will attract many rural sightseers, as will the exhibits of the great packing plants and the automobile manufacturers.

The Brook Hill Dairy farm, with its model farm of 1950, shows the last word in modern milk production, from cow to bottle. The International Egg Laying contest is a huge laboratory where the farmer may study the latest egg-production methods first-hand. Scores of commercial exhibitors will have displays of prime interest to Farm-Week visitors.

Special Rates Lower Cost.

Special railroad and bus rates will make it easier for the farmer to get to the Fair this summer. Automobile agencies and oil stations will give him assistance in highway travel. At the Fair, he will find costs surprisingly low. Restaurants are cheaper, transportation is cheaper, there is plentiful free entertainment and eighty per cent of all the comfort stations are free.

Probably one of the leading attractions for rural visitors will be the foreign villages, so faithful in reproductions of life and scenes in fifteen countries that they offer the equivalent of a tour of the world, right on the Fair grounds.

GEOLOGICAL CREW LOCATES AT SEMINOLE THIS WEEK

A crew of twenty-five men, many of whom have families arrived here this week and will do geological work in this and adjoining counties for the Shell oil interests.

A difficult task was encountered finding living quarters for these people, and it was necessary for many citizens to open their homes, furnishing rooms and quarters for them.

Seminole is full up—houses are not to be had—rooms are likewise filled to capacity, and if this town does not offer better quarters in the way of hotels and rooms, others wanting to carry on business activities here will be forced to go to nearby towns for quarters.—Seminole Sentinel.

ODD TREE YIELDS APPLES AND PEARS

Ridge field, Wash., Aug. 12. An exceedingly versatile pear tree is the property of William E. Morris of Ridgefield, whose principal hobby is horticulture.

The tree is an 8 year old Winter Nellis pear tree or, that is, it originally was a pear tree. During the past few years Morris has grafted so many different plants to the tree that it now produces six different varieties of apples as well as two different kinds of pears.

According to Morris, who will attempt to graft quinces, cherries and plums to the tree next year, the success of grafting depends largely upon the season.

LOANS APPROVED

SEAGRAVES.—Total of 139 emergency crop loans, amounting to \$13,904, have been approved by Gaine county farmers and ranchers, it was announced here. The money will be used to buy feed for livestock.

WORK IS RESUMED

SEAGRAVES.—Work on highway 83, east of Seminole, has been resumed with two shifts of about 3 men each working. The dirt is being graded and caliche will be spread later. State highway crews rebuild culverts.

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALS

Sugar	10 lb. Bag	53c
VANILLA EXTRACT , 4 oz.		13c
LUX FLAKES , small pkg.		10c
RAISINS , 2 lb. pkg.		14c
Post Toasties Pkg.		10c
SYRUP , Staley's Sorghum, gal.		49c
MATCHES , box		4c
Pineapple , sliced or crushed, No. 1 can		8c
Tasty Flakes		
Crackers 2 lb. Box		19c
MILK , 2 large cans or 4 small		13c
PEANUT BUTTER , quart jar		23c
JELLO , pkg.	6c	OATS 3 1/2 lb. 14c
GIANT SIZE		
Soap 4 bars		15c
Kellogg's Whole Wheat Biscuit , pkg.		10c
Macaroni or Spaghetti , pkg.		5c
Tomatoes , lb.	7c	Oranges , doz. 19c
Cabbage , lb.	3 1/2c	Limes , doz. 10c

IN THE MARKET

Steak, short cuts , lb.	12 1/2c
Steak, Seven Cuts , lb.	10c
Chuck Roast , lb.	8c
Roll Roast , lb.	10c
Hamburger Meat , lb.	7 1/2c
Stew Meat , lb.	8c
Barbecue , lb.	12c
Weiners , lb.	15c

PLENTY OF FRYERS ALREADY DRESSED FRESH SHIPMENT CATFISH

COUNTY WIDE NEWS IS SOLD TO CARTER

LITTLEFIELD, Aug 13.—Otis D. Carter, former owner of the Gaines County News, Scagraves, has purchased the County Wide News of Littlefield from Charles F. Hearldston and C. D. Dial.

Mr. Carter was formerly with the O'Donnell Index, the Scurry County Times and the Lamesa Reporter before purchasing the Scagraves Signal which he changed into the Gaines County News. He sold the property some months ago.

The new owner is now in charge. Mr. Hearldston is remaining with the paper, in the mechanical department.

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