

Some of the 60 belles in "The Girl in the Moon" spectacle under the Big Top coming to Salem Thursday.

Heh Kiddies! Circus Coming

The "Greatest Show on Earth" comes to Salem Thursday. Ringling Brothers and Barnum and Bailey circus, always heralded as the number one "big top" show, both in size and quality, pitches its huge tents on the State Fair grounds 18th street parking lot Thursday for two performances, 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.

The circus combines a well-rounded display of intricacy and comedy, plus a huge menagerie and performance of animal acts.

The atmosphere of the mighty spectacle actually gets under way early Thursday morning, when the first of four circus trains unloads at the fair grounds. This will be at about 4:30 a.m. The general public will probably be more interested in the unloading of the elephants and other animals at about 7 a.m.

Salem school children will be given an opportunity to witness the circus without skipping classes. School will let out early enough Thursday to allow any pupil so desiring a chance to see the afternoon show. Elementary schools will dismiss at 12:30 p.m. and junior and senior highs at 1:30. Classes in all schools will run straight through from morning opening hour, with no break for lunch.

Advance ticket sale for the Ringling Brothers and Barnum and Bailey circus is being handled by the Fred Meyer store at 148 North Liberty street, where tickets are now on sale.

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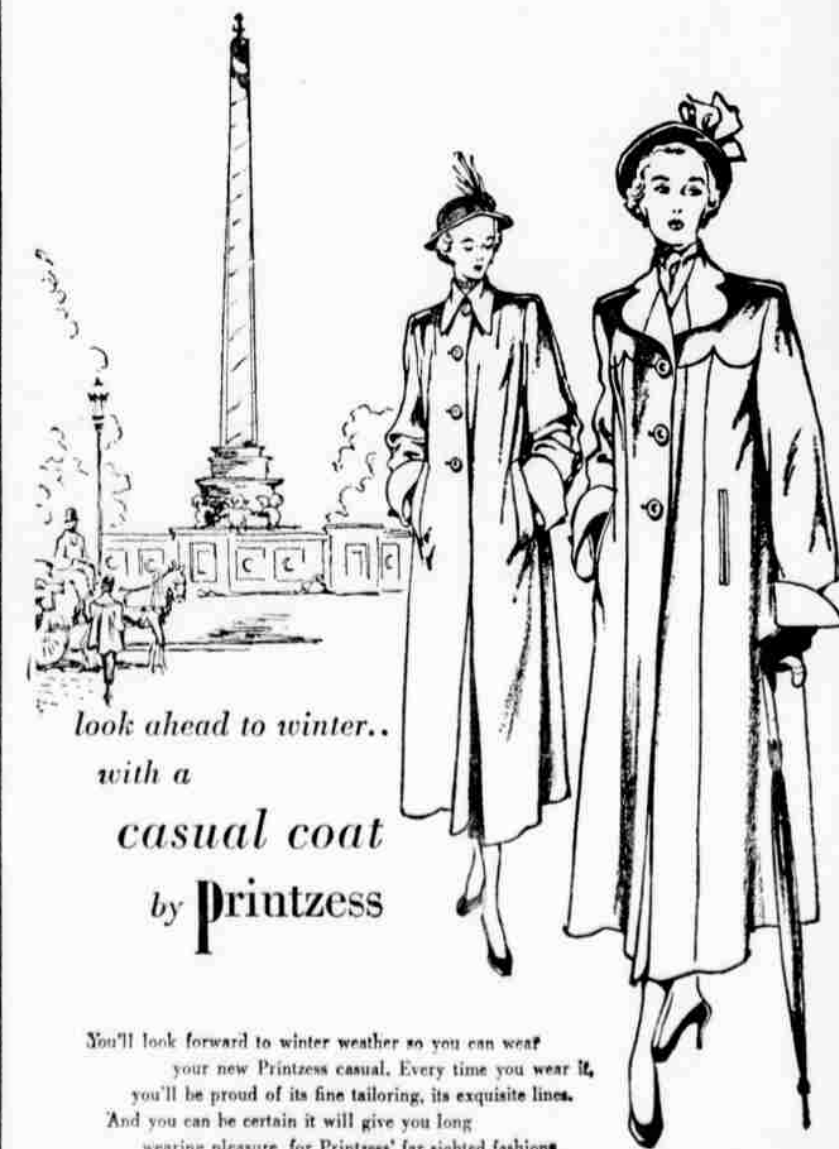
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ADVANCE MEN ALREADY HERE

'Greatest Show on Earth' Pulls Into Salem Thursday

Thursday is circus today. Today is a 24-hour work day for the 24-hour men of the Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey organization, as they are "bringing Big Bertha in."

Headed by Willie Carr, senior agent, they are fixing the crossings on the sidings of the Southern Pacific railroad, where early Thursday the four long trains of "The Greatest Show on Earth" will be uncoupled. They are also making certain that the streets from the unloading crossings to the State Fair grounds parking lot are clear for the red wagons, the elephants, horses and the wild animal cages, including the two-story giraffe rolling corals.

With the city traffic police, this route is carefully plotted, for 276 heavy vehicles will roll over it, including the new portable, all steel grandstand trucks and the two cell-blocks-on-wheels that house Mr. and Mrs. Gargantua the Great, the world famous gorillas.

The 24-hour-men today are laying out the lot, where tomorrow performances will be given at 2:15 and 8:15 p.m., with doors open at 1 and 7.

There are 41 tents to spot, including the world's largest big top and the new, redesigned menagerie—a plotting job that only experienced "Big Show" agents can figure, as there are many difficult problems. The circus city must have its streets and alleys behind the scenes, and so on.

In some cities the 24-hour-men are compelled to "make" a show lot—grading, filling in and leveling, with bull dozers and rollers huffing and puffing about for days.

It's big business bringing the Big Show to town.

Today the busy agents must also expedite deliveries of all

supplies—fuel, oil, stock, feed, fruits, bread, vegetables, eggs, water and meats. They must be on the lot and ready for the cookhouse and dining department, which feeds some 1450 people, and is the first unit to arrive thereon daily and get going.

Such items as hay, straw, smithy coal, coke, etc., are delivered today, but the bulk of the supplies is delivered with the show day's dawn.

The supplies, of course are contracted weeks ahead by circus contracting agents, and are purchased in the towns played, day by day. Only in the rare event of an extraordinary railroad run, compelling a full day of travel, are supplies bought for it in the preceding stand.

For the convenience of the public, reserved chair tickets are now available at Fred Meyer, 148 North Liberty, Salem, through Thursday, as well as at the circus grounds.

General admission seat tickets for sale only at show grounds. The general admission seats have aisles and foot rests this year, all on steel decks.



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