



PONIES AID FUND—Misty, a Chintheague pony of book and film fame, and her youngest filly, Stormy, are shown as they appeared at Fairfax City, Va., to help raise funds for the restoration of the storm-ravaged island off the Virginia coast. The Misty Disaster Fund will be used partly to buy back Chintheague ponies to replenish the wild herd that roams neighboring Assateague Island. (UPI)

Florida Opening Undeveloped Areas

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United Press International

The new frontiers aren't all in Washington, Florida, which attracts 12 million vacationers each year and 3,000 new permanent residents each week, has had to open up previously undeveloped areas because its long-established coastal resorts are too crowded for comfort and too expensive for many Americans, especially those with families.

Since World War II, a super city in the sun has developed along the 90 mile stretch of beach between Miami and Palm Beach, occupying every inch of waterfront property and stretching well into the interior. The Tampa-St. Petersburg-Sarasota area on the Gulf Coast also is highly populated and available real estate is scarce.

4-H NEWS

Westside Improvement

The members of the Westside Home Improvement 4-H club and five other 4-H home economic clubs were recent guests of the Knit-in Kittens club at a potluck dinner. Entertainment was by the club members. Susan Truly and Louise Herzog played a selection and Wren Winniford and Dorothy Franek gave a skit.

Later members of the club met at the Winniford home. We each brought a cake. Mrs. Winniford gave us a lesson on cake decorating. Then on Saturday, April 21 we held a cake sale in Central Point.

The club met again on April 23 at the Winniford home. We made plans for a Grandmother tea to be held May 7 at the Franek home. At our next meeting we will have lessons on making corsages. Our leader discussed our permanent records. Louise Herzog was elected treasurer. Refreshments were served.

Dorothy Franek, Reporter

All-Things Club
The All-Things 4-H club was called to order by Faye Chapman, president. Mrs. Chapman showed us how to shrink material. After you shrink material you have to spread it over a rack to dry.

We have a junior leader, she is Nelda Chapman.

Pioneer Knitters
The Pioneer Knitters 4-H club held their meeting April 19. The business meeting was called to order by the president, Marta Heffner. Mrs. Kliever, our leader, taught us how to rib knit, and started us on our projects for the year. Our next meeting will be held on May 17.

Pam McCay, Reporter

Central Point Club
The meeting of the Central Point 4-H Beef club was called to order by the president, Bob Bray, at the home of the leader, Mr. Charley. The secretary was not there so there was no business.

We talked about the family day we are going to have at the Bray place. There will be a rodeo and the Westside Beef club is invited. There will also be a picnic and swimming if desired. It will be held May 20.

Christine Burns is a new member.
The meeting was adjourned and refreshments served.
Marilyn Lathrop, Reporter

AGE DIMS HEARING

Boston - (UPI) - Women regain perfect hearing better than men, the New England Journal of Medicine reports. Hearing loss, it has been found, goes with age; the older the less keen the hearing.

Mobile Classrooms Approved in Chicago

Chicago - (UPI) - Following a month's trial use of two mobile classrooms, the Chicago Board of Education approved plans to spend \$1.3 million for 150 of the units.

GOOD CUSTOMER

Rio de Janeiro - (UPI) - Brazil is the largest export market for U.S. motor vehicles, particularly for trucks. Last year, Brazil bought 50,000 trucks and 1,000 passenger cars from the United States.

Oxygen Tents Can Be Helpful to Animals

Chicago - (UPI) - Chemetron Corp. has come up with an oxygen tent for Tabby and Rover.

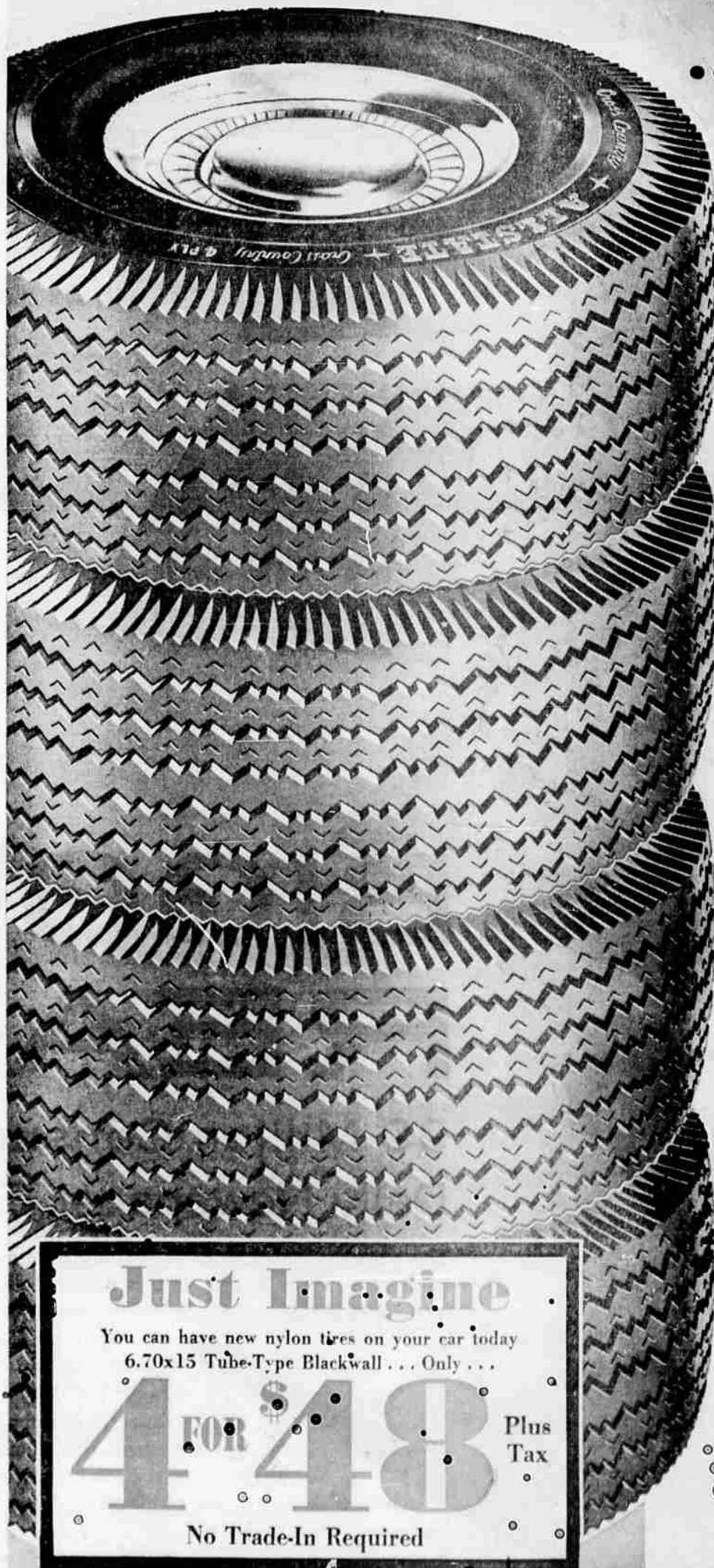
Placed in lightweight, "pet tents," animals can be given oxygen for respiratory distress, heat prostration, shock and other problems - including giving birth and care to newborn litters.

STEELWORKERS' GAINS

New York - (UPI) - During the period from 1946 through 1961, steelworkers in the nation received 13 increases in basic wage rates, not including six cost-of-living increases, Steel Facts reports.

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