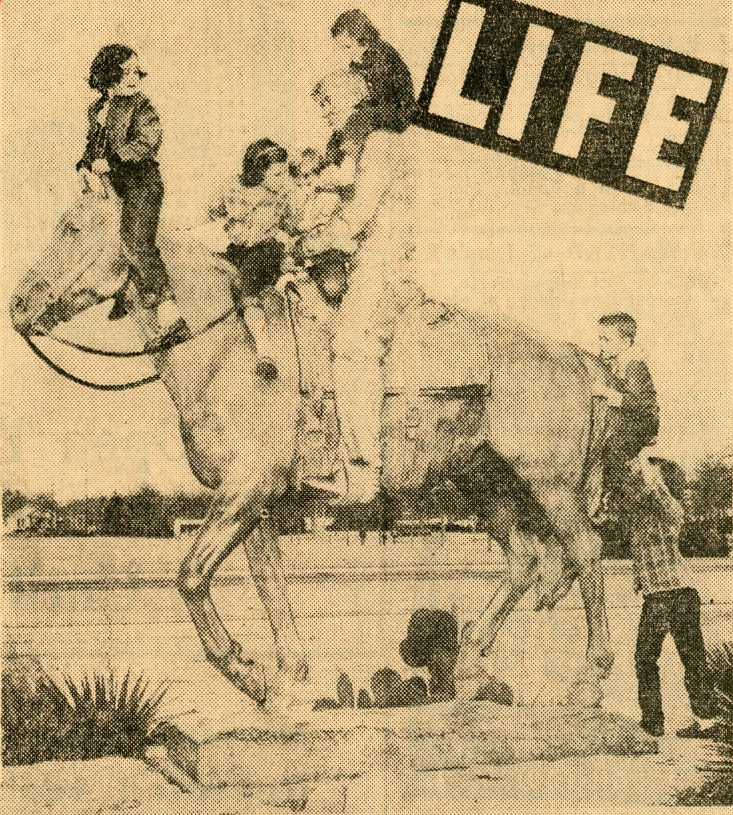


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WILL'S PLAYMATES

In Fort Worth a photograph caught four girls and two boys in what seemed to be an act of low mimicry of the statue of Will Rogers, a man the Southwesterner has previously derided. But the picture

he took also caught a tolerant look on the bronze statue's face that suggested one of his wisest aphorisms: "A comedian can only live till he is not being taken himself—either as his audience or as his workman."

—Photo by John Mazziotta

THEY RIDE WITH WILL—Fort Worth's most photographed object, the Will Rogers statue, has turned up as the picture of the week in Life. The children probably don't realize that Will Rogers would have been the first to get a good laugh from the picture.