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TWISTERS WIN FIRST GAME OF LOOP PLAYOFFS

Robert Lee's Rabbit Twisters defeated Jax Inc. in San Angelo last Sunday by a score of 17 to 8. It was the opener of the best two out of three first round series of the Concho Basin league Shaughnessy playoff. The second game is scheduled for the Robert Lee diamond next Sunday at 3.

At the same time Magnolia blasted Sonora 18 to 4 in the other bracket. They will go at it again next Sunday at Guinn Field in San Angelo. Winners of the first round series will then engage in a final playoff for a \$275 cash purse.

Jax started out like they meant business and put over three tallies before Clarence Tinkler was called in to take over hurling chores from Tommy Franks. Tinkler gave up only three hits but errors allowed Jax to score in the third inning and twice in both the fifth and sixth frames.

Robert Lee tied things up in the second inning, scoring four times as a result of hits by Marlon McCutchen, Lew Heuvel, Franky Percifull and a triple by Franks. Eight runs were manufactured by the Twisters in the big sixth inning. Two Jax errors proved costly and homerun wallops were delivered by McCutchen and Heuvel, Percifull hit a double and Franks contributed a single.

The Twisters went on another scoring splurge in the eighth. Three walks, two errors and McCutchen's second homerun accounted for the tallies.

Wesley Harrison, Jax hurler, retired near the latter part of the game and was succeeded by Satterfield. Robert Lee made a total of 14 hits, several of them for extra bases.

Norman Roberts is back in Robert Lee and will be at his regular position in the Twister lineup for the remainder of the season. Marlon McCutchen will be off on vacation this week, but The Twisters have several capable substitutes who are ready for action.

A good crowd is expected here Sunday afternoon. If Robert Lee wins this one they will earn the right to compete in the final playoff series.

HOSPITAL NEWS

July 13 — Aubrey Denman, Mrs. Della Brandon dismissed.

July 14 — J. B. Faries, Mrs. Jimmie Jones, Mrs. Billie Baker admitted. William Roy Hood, Mrs. J. E. Roane, Mrs. Cecil Moore and infant son, Mrs. Fred McDonald, Mrs. Elmo Bell, D. W. Smith dismissed.

July 15 — Aubrey Denman, Joe Dodson, Sr. admitted.

July 16 — Joe Dodson, Sr., Aubrey Denman, Mrs. Jimmie Jones, Frank Smith dismissed.

July 17 — Mrs. Charles Sims admitted. Mrs. Billie Baker dismissed. Judge Jeff Dean transferred to Comanche Hospital.

July 18 — Baylor Walker, L. E. Goswick, Mrs. L. C. Ivey, Jr., Jack Thomason, Eldon Dodson, Craig Thomason admitted.

July 19 — Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Yarbrough, Mrs. L. F. Gholson, Larry Chatham, Melvin Duncan admitted.

July 20 — Jack Thomason dismissed.

JULY MUSICAL POSTPONED

Eddy Garvin states that the Green Mountain Grand Ole Opera will not be held this month because of the Revival Meeting in progress at Pecan Baptist Church. But the musical program will occur on schedule the 24th of August and every fourth Friday night in the month thereafter.

METHODIST CHURCH

In the absence of the pastor, who is this week attending the National Town and Country Conference in Bloomington, Ind., the Reverend B. B. Edmiaston of Bronte will fill the pulpit for both the morning and evening service. Brother Edmiaston, well known here as one of the former pastor's, is now retired from the active pastorate but still most active in the Kingdom's work.

Elbert Davidson Wildcat Drilling West of Edith

A wildcat oil test was started the past week on Elbert Davidson, 11 miles west of Robert Lee and 2 1/4 miles southeast of the Millican field. Ginther, Warner and Ginther of Houston are the operators.

Rotary drilling, to 7,300 feet began the first of the week. Elevation is 2,058 feet.

Location, on a 305.6 acre lease, is 662 feet from the north and 660 feet from the east lines of 239-2-H&TC.

The prospector is separated from the Millican field by a dry hole, Sun Oil Co. 1 Schooler, 1 1/8 miles to the west. It was abandoned in July, 1954, at 7,246 feet. The Ellenburger was topped at 7,180 feet on elevation of 2,253 feet.

It is also 1 3/8 northwest of Stanolind 1-A Burns, Ellenburger failure abandoned July 23, 1954, at 6,950 feet. The following tops were reported on elevation of 2,121 feet: Strawn, 6,429 feet; Ellenburger 6,960 feet. The base of the Saddle Creek was 4,165 feet.

AT FIREMEN'S SCHOOL

Jack R. Denman, Sun Oil Company employee and member of the Robert Lee Volunteer Fire Department, returned Saturday from College Station where he attended the Firemen's Training School at A & M College. The Sun Oil Company granted Mr. Denman a week's leave of absence in order to attend this school. City property owners will receive a discount in the insurance key rate because of the Robert Lee Fire Department having a member taking the course and owe a debt of gratitude to the Sun Oil Company for making it possible for Mr. Denman to attend.

SAW GOOD BALL GAME

More than 200 persons were on hand for "Coke County Night" at the league ball game in San Angelo last Friday night. The event was arranged as a goodwill gesture toward our friend and former County resident, A. E. (Skinny) Adams. Skinny is president of the San Angelo Colts and has done much to keep organized baseball going in San Angelo. Spectators were rewarded with a wonderful game in which Roswell nosed out the Colts 5 to 4. A string band accompanied the Coke County delegation and furnished music before the game. Members of the group were Jerome Sheppard, Donny Duncan, Sammy Joe Duncan, Donald Mauldin and Richard Beck.

Rites Held For J. R. Smith, 92, Coke Pioneer

J. R. Smith, 92, long time and widely known Coke County resident died at 10:35 Thursday night of last week in the Sweetwater Hospital. He had been a patient in the hospital more than four months, following a stroke. For the past three years he made his home with a son, J. J. S. Smith of 313 Grape St., Sweetwater.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Saturday at the Bronte Baptist Church where Mr. Smith had been a deacon for years and where he was active up until a few years ago. Officiating was Rev. J. C. Shipman of Robert Lee and Rev. George R. Wilson, pastor of First Baptist Church in Sweetwater.

The body was brought to Cliff Funeral Home in Bronte on Friday. Burial was in the Bronte cemetery with grandsons serving as pallbearers.

James Russell Smith was born in Macon, Miss., on August 16, 1862. He married Miss Fannie Sue Eiland in Macon on Feb. 19, 1889. He had previously come to Nolan County where he did construction work several years.

After their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Smith moved to Coke County and settled on their farm on the north side of the Colorado River between Robert Lee and Bronte. Mr. Smith retained possession of the place at the time of his death.

Mrs. Smith died in 1937. His second marriage was to Mrs. Nell Saunders of San Antonio in 1946. She passed away in 1952. Mr. Smith was active in the farming and ranching business throughout his life until failing health caused him to retire a few years ago. He resided in San Antonio for several years prior to moving to Sweetwater.

Survivors include two sons, Lake E. Smith of Bronte and J. J. S. Smith of Sweetwater; six daughters, Mrs. L. L. Thomas of Dallas, Mrs. J. W. Davis of San Antonio, Mrs. C. E. Sherill of San Angelo, Mrs. Howard E. Golden of Lubbock, Mrs. Lee L. Johnson of Canyon and Mrs. L. G. Campbell of Happy; two sisters, Mrs. Duvergene McCockadale of Birmingham, Ala., and Mrs. Neva Shomaker of Laura, Miss.; and 22 grandchildren and 30 great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer F. Ivey of Corpus Christi have been visiting in the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. (Buck) Ivey. Karen, 8, and Jimmy, 2 years old, remained here with their grandparents while their parents took a vacation trip into Colorado.

Pony Leaguers Win at Sterling

Robert Lee's pony league baseball team won a 9 to 1 victory at Sterling City Monday night. Jerry Tinkler struck out 9 men in the first four innings and his brother, Paul, whiffed three in a row in the fifth and final inning.

Sam Ed Skipworth socked three two-base hits against Sterling City. Melvin Duncan is doing a good job at the catchers position for Robert Lee.

A Robert Lee soft ball team lost to Sterling City 5 to 10 to make up the second half of the double bill. Melvin Bahlman and J. C. Wallace Jr. made up the local battery.

NEW HIGHWAY SIGNS

The Highway Department the past week has taken steps to regulate traffic here. The improvement was made at the intersection of Highways 208 and 158 at the east edge of the city. A triangular safety island was constructed and stop signals installed governing traffic from the south going into Robert Lee. Traffic from Bronte on 158 will also have to stop before emerging Highway 208 toward San Angelo. City and county officials gave their approval of the safety move and it is hoped that additional regulations will be put into effect, slowing down traffic through town and at the intersection where Highway 158 branches off toward Edith.

SECOND POLIO SHOTS WILL BE GIVEN AT ONCE

Second shots of Salk vaccine to prevent polio will be given to Coke County first and second grade pupils in the near future.

Dr. J. D. McDaniel advised The Observer that pupils from Silver have been requested to come to the hospital here between 1 and 2 on Thursday and Friday of this week.

Pupils from the Robert Lee school are to report at the hospital between 1 and 2 next Tuesday.

A supply of vaccine has been delivered to Dr. John R. Harris of Bronte for inoculation of youngsters in the eastern part of the county.

Only those pupils who received the first shots in May will be eligible for second shots, Dr. McDaniel stated.

While the delay of two months has caused some uneasiness among parents, it is pointed out that vaccine now being released has undergone strict tests under government regulations.

The new supply of vaccine received in Coke County was put out by the Lilly Company of Indianapolis, which firm also supplied the vaccine used here for the first shots. No adverse reaction was reported from any of the 180 Coke County children who received the first shots.

Since some provisions may not be available now because of vacations, later provisions will be made for those who are unable to be inoculated at the times specified above.

BACK FROM CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Fikes returned Monday night from a two weeks visit with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wally Stratford, at Pedro Valley, a suburb of San Francisco, Calif. Besides enjoying the hospitality of their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Fikes enjoyed numerous sight seeing tours to various sections of the fascinating San Francisco Bay area. The Robert Lee couple made the journey in comfort over the Santa Fe and were delighted upon their return to learn that a good rain had fallen recently at their farm north of town.

CLEARANCE SALE

Roach's Dry Goods of Robert Lee opens a big 10-days Clearance Sale Friday of this week. Read the display ad in this newspaper.

If You Don't Get the Observer You Don't Get the News

ROBERT TUBB DROWNS SELF AT BLACKWELL

Robert Tubb, 74, retired stock farmer of Blackwell and former Silver resident, drowned Wednesday in Oak Creek Lake near Blackwell. Justice of the Peace C. E. Bruton of Bronte, presiding over a coroner's inquest, and returned a verdict of suicide by drowning.

According to relatives Mr. Tubb left his home around 8 o'clock Wednesday morning to get his mail and purchase some washing powder. When he did not return for some time, his wife became worried and asked friends and neighbors to search for him.

Later it was learned that he was seen walking south along the railroad track, and the search was centered in that direction. It continued to his favorite fishing spot on an inlet to the lake where his hat, a daily newspaper and a package of washing powder were discovered on the bank.

Steps were immediately taken to drag the lake and divers helped with the search. The body was recovered about 1:30 p. m. in water ten feet deep.

Sheriff Paul Good assisted in conducting the inquest and a dozen witnesses were of the opinion that Mr. Tubb had voluntarily walked off into the deep water. There had been no persons seen in that area during the day.

It is believed that Robert was despondent over ill health.

The body was removed to a funeral home in Roscoe in a Cliff ambulance.

Funeral services were scheduled for Thursday afternoon in the Baptist Church in Blackwell, with burial in Decker cemetery.

Robert grew up in the Silver community and married Jettie Jameson. They purchased a ranch a few miles northwest of Blackwell where they resided more than 30 years until retiring to Blackwell a few years ago.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Mrs. Wornock Hipp of Bronte, Mrs. Josie Hipp of Blackwell and Mrs. Ruth Hartgraves of Douglas, Ariz.; a son, Melvin Tubb of Blackwell; a brother, Willie I. Tubb of Silver; two sisters, Mrs. D. M. Millican of Robert Lee and Mrs. L. D. Rogers of Lamesa; and 10 grandchildren.

Little League Base Ball News

Manager Bruce Allen took his Little League ball club to Sterling City last Friday night, winning by the one sided score of 29 to 4. Robert Lee batters could not be stopped by the opposing hurlers.

Friday night of this week the pick of the Silver and Robert Lee Little League clubs will journey to Sweetwater for a contest with an All-Star team selected from the various teams of that city. A return game will be played at Silver at a date to be announced.

STERLING HERE MONDAY

Little League and Pony League teams from Sterling City will return to Robert Lee for a double header on the local field next Monday night. First game starts at 6 p. m.

Mrs. Nell Pruitt of Paris, Tex., is a guest in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cumbie Ivey, Jr.

Donnie Edwards Opens His Own Mop Factory

Note: The following news article is reprinted from the San Angelo Standard-Times. Mrs. Edwards is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben L. Keyes of Christoval, and is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCutchen of Robert Lee and the late Mrs. Mattie Bell Read.)

Donnie Edwards, outstanding former Tom Green County 4-H Club boy who was blinded by a dynamite explosion in March, 1954, has opened a new business in Midland.

He has established the Midland Mop Manufacturing Co., to make household, roofing and janitors mops, as well as mopheads for lever-type mops.

Now 20, young Edwards will market his merchandise under the trade name, Gold Star.

He was awarded the Gold Star highest honor a county 4-H Club can bestow upon a member, before the accident cost his eyesight. For many years he was one of the county's outstanding lamb feeders.

In 1952 he sold a grand champion lamb for \$1,026 in San Antonio.

Reared on a farm near Wall, he is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards. He was married in 1953 to Miss Koleta Keyes of Christoval. They have a year-old son, Lee.

The accident occurred while Edwards was blasting post holes for a new fence. He was hospitalized 62 days. Upon release he entered the business enterprise program sponsored by the State Commission for the Blind. He spent some time at Morristown, N. J., where he obtained a German Shepherd seeing-eye dog.

At the end of his training period, he began making inquiries about setting up his business in Midland. Delbert Downing, manager of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, helped him with his survey.

Mrs. B. B. Pierce and her sister, Mrs. Jesse Parker and children of Bronte left Wednesday for Quinlan where they will visit relatives and look after business matters.

Mrs. Jack Cowley and daughter, Brenda, visited a couple of days last week at Colorado City with the former's sister, Mrs. Floyd Higgins, and family.

JUNE FORD SALES

Ivey Motor Co. of Robert Lee reports the following sales of new Ford units during June:

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Waymond Robertson, Customline Tudor

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Walter Gillis, F-100 Pickup
Ivey Eubanks, Customline Tudor
Dolf Richards, F-100 Pickup
T. C. Coffey, Jr, Fairlane Fordor
Vera Millholland, Fairlane Fordor.

Ernest Bates, Fairlane Victoria.

LOCAL NEWS

Zelda Caraway returned Monday to her work in the Robert Lee State Bank after a two weeks' vacation. Mildred Wallace took her vacation period from the telephone office at the same time, and the two young women did some traveling to various sections of the state.

Mrs. Cam Lilly advises she has returned to Ozona after a stay of several weeks at her farm north of Bronte. She is the former Mrs. Eddie Roberts of Robert Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Daryl Childress of Phoenix, Ariz., have been guests in the home of his brother, Melvin Childress, and family. They left Tuesday morning for a three weeks visit with kinfolks of Mrs. Childress in Kentucky. Daryl and his wife plan to stop here for a short time on their return home.

Mrs. S. C. Schooley, Mrs. S. M. Lewis, H. C. and Wanda Gail Schooley of Ft. Worth have been visiting in the Turney Casey home and with Mrs. Mabel Williams. Mrs. Lewis is the mother of Mrs. Schooley and Mrs. Williams. Phebe Casey returned home with her grandmother for a visit.

Leslie Nell Wink left last week for Alpine. She plans to work there for her uncle during the remainder of the summer and will attend Sul Ross College this fall. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wink, Leslie Nell graduated from Robert Lee high school last May.

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Sermonette

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JUDGING OTHERS

The source of greatest friction between people, the cause that gives rise to the ugliest feelings is very likely found in the self-indulgent practice of talking about one another; that all too common activity of life known of as gossip, passing judgement on our neighbor or using ourselves as a sort of broadcast station through which we reveal his activities.

Now if we want to do something about bettering the relations between people in our community — and our world — here is a place where we can start. Before we say anything ill about any person or any person's children, we should hold these things in mind: First, our Christian commandment: "Judge not, that you be not judged..." Matt. 7:1. And he goes

on to say that as we judge others God will in the same measure judge us!

If that's not enough to quiet our talking let us recall that we maybe aren't so perfect ourselves — occasionally we make a mistake, or do or say the wrong thing. This brings to mind the old proverb "There is so much good in the worst of us, and so much bad in the best of us, that it doesn't behoove any of us to talk about the rest of us!"

And even more: Just what authority do we have to say what is right or wrong; who has set us up as one to pass judgement? Could it be that there is uncertainty and misunderstanding on our part? Or are we so expert in managing our own lives? As we find in a little saying taken from "Moments", "How can we judge the deeds of others when so many times we can't understand what we do ourselves." Is this not enough? Think about these things the next time

you start to talk to someone. Very likely your conversation will be turned to some more fruitful subject, and in so doing you will start a chain of good-will instead of extending the chain of ill-will.

FRIENDSHIP HD CLUB

The Friendship W. H. D. Club met July 14 with Mrs. A. D. Fields. There were 8 members, one visitor and two children present.

Salad recipes were exchanged. It was voted to have a family night picnic supper August 26 at 8 p. m. with Mrs. Frank Bryan. Mrs. Bryan, Mrs. Fields and Mrs. Roane were elected as food committee.

Women's encampment is to be Aug. 11 and 12. Delegates, Mrs. T. M. Wylie, Jr., Mrs. C. E. Arrott and Mrs. Pat Rives are to go to State Meeting in Fort Worth Aug. 3, 4 & 5.

Next meeting is July 28 with Mrs. Pat Rives. — Mrs. Pat Rives, Sec. & Treas.

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VISITED OLD FRIENDS

Mrs. J. O. O'Bannon, son, Gary, and daughter, Mrs. H. K. Moore, came in from Acme, New Mex., for a visit over the weekend with Robert Lee friends and were Sunday night guests in the Jett Hood home. Mrs. Moore is the former Jean O'Bannon, having married eight months ago. Her husband has been stationed at the Roswell Air Base and is now on a flight to Greenland. He will be discharged in August and the couple will then move to Norman, Okla., where he will study law at the University of Oklahoma. Mrs. O'Bannon reports good rains in their locality this year. They have continued to run a good sized herd of cattle on their 15-section ranch located 25 miles northeast of Roswell.

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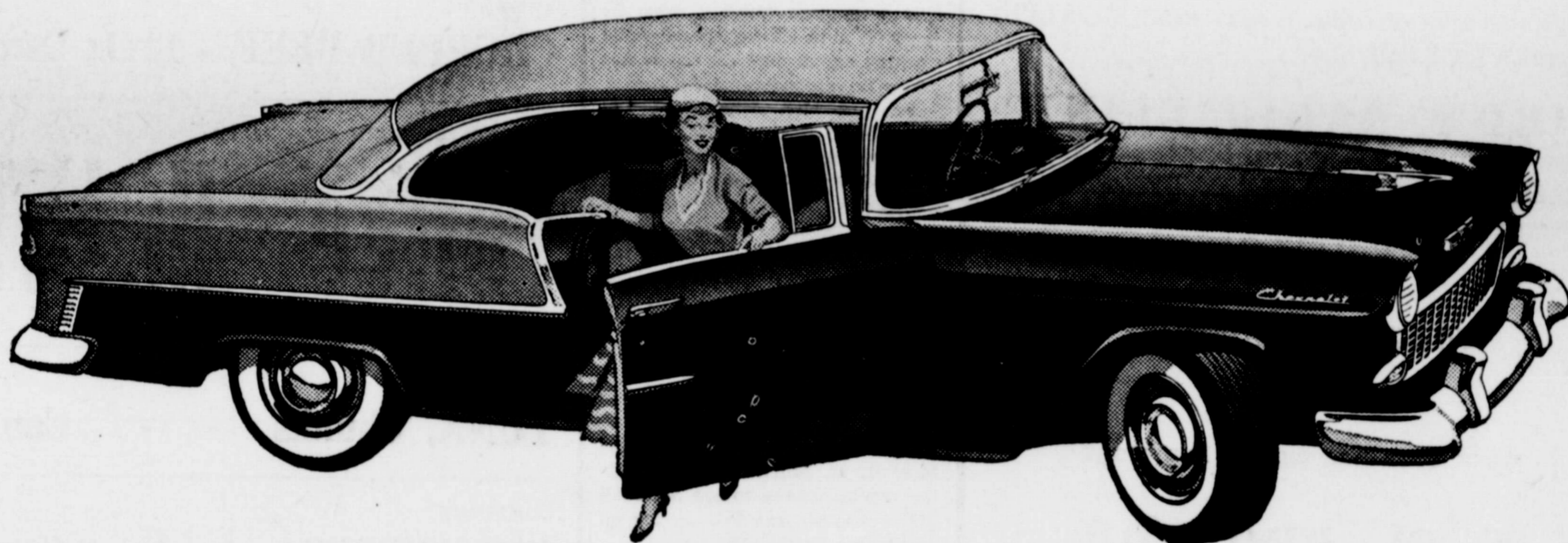
PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Casey recently enjoyed a vacation trip to the Gulf. They visited in Baytown, Texas City, Galveston and Houston. At Baytown they visited Martin's brother, W. H. Casey and son, Troy. In Houston there was a get together attended by Mrs. Casey's brothers, Roy and Joe Bessent, at the Dick Bessent home. The Robert Lee folks also visited Mrs. Casey's sister, Mrs. R. W. Welch and family, at Kerrville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bilbo returned last Wednesday from a trip to northeastern Oklahoma where they visited the Jarvis Littlefield family at Afton. They made the trip with the Robert Borens of Snyder. Both Mrs. Boren and Mrs. Littlefield are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Bilbo.

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AT COMANCHE RESORT
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condition has been much more serious, has not felt a favorable reaction as yet. The health center near Comanche has received wide publicity and as many as 150 patients are being treated there daily.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to Dr. McDaniel, the nurses and to all who have been so very kind to me during my stay in Shannon Hospital. Also for the beautiful cards and flowers. Again may I say thank you. — Mrs. E. A. Burgess.

PERSONALS

Jack, 4-year-old son of Mrs. Jerry Thomason, received a badly cut foot when he got into a rotary type electric mower. The accident occurred late Monday evening at the Thomason home at the east edge of Robert Lee. Jack was rushed to the hospital where surgery was required to repair the wound. He was released from the hospital Wednesday morning.

Bob Godwin and family left Thursday morning for McCamey to visit his brother, John P. Godwin, and family. Bob is a pumper for Sun in the Millican field west of Edith and is enjoying his annual vacation.

Melvin Duncan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Duncan, received a badly sprained shoulder while playing ball Tuesday evening. He was hospitalized following the accident, but X-ray pictures failed to disclose a fracture. Melvin is first string catcher on the Pony League team.

Olene's Beauty Shop has been closed this week while the owner, Mrs. Charles Sims, has been a medical patient in Coke County Memorial Hospital. She is making improvement and expects to be dismissed by the end of the week.

Willis Wayne Smith is taking a two weeks' vacation from his position in the Robert Lee State Bank. In company with a cousin from Waco, Willis Wayne and his wife left early Saturday on a trip to the Yellowstone National Park. The Smith children remained at home in the care of their grandmother, Mrs. Jim Mauldin.

Eldon Dodson has been hospitalized here since Monday when he received a bad knee sprain while working on an oil field truck. His injury is responding to treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ward and daughter of Decatur, Ala., visited here Monday in the Bobbie Hatley home. The ladies are sisters. The Wards were enroute home from a visit with relatives in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Sparks left Wednesday for their home in Tucson, Ariz., after a week's visit with Coke County relatives. Mrs. Sparks is a sister of Mrs. Frank Smith and Ell Hatley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Adkins spent a few days last week at Brownsboro with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Mitchell. They made the trip especially to see Marshall Mitchell, who was leaving for an enlistment in the Air Force.

Mrs. Howard Eaton was in Bangs on Sunday where she attended a reunion of the Cox family. She was one of three sisters and five brothers who attended the annual gathering with their families. The event was held in the Bangs American Legion Hall.

Mrs. Mattie Tinkler and son, Chilly, visited Tuesday night with their son and brother, Miles Tinkler of Mereta, who is a medical patient in a San Angelo hospital.

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Hamburger Meat lb. 39c

7-BONE

Roast lb. 43c

ROBERTS GROCERY & MARKET

SANCO MEETING

A Sanco Community Association meeting has been set for Thursday night, July 28. The event begins at 8 o'clock at the community center building.

Glenn Ivey and wife of Los Angeles, Calif., are here for a week's visit with the former's brother, Earl H. Ivey, and family. Glenn is a detective on the Los Angeles police force.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wallace, Jr. and children and Carl Bloodworth spent the weekend in Crane with the Willie R. Price family. Edd Price, who has been visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bloodworth at Silver, returned to his home with them. Carl, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bloodworth of Silver, remained at Crane for a week's visit in the Price home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDonald Jr. left Wednesday noon on a motor trip to Delafield, Wis., where their children are spending the summer. Freddie, who is in St. John's boys camp, is recovering from a shoulder injury received while engaged in camp sport events. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald expect to be gone two weeks.

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SILVER NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. R. Bunch and daughters, June and Joan, of Premont visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Holleyman. June and Joan also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boggus. They are sisters of Mrs. Jack Mowbray, former resident of Silver.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Walker returned recently from a two weeks' vacation when they visited various points in South and East Texas and Louisiana. Two grandchildren, Jaye and Jancene Eaton of Pasadena, returned with the Walkers for a few weeks' visit.

Roy Overturf had the misfortune to get some small particles of steel in his right eye last Sunday. He consulted a specialist in Big Spring Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Overturf is acting chief clerk in the gas plant office while Bob Edwards is on a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jett are parents of their first child, a daughter, born Monday at 7:30 p. m. in the Colorado City hospital. The baby weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces. Mr. Jett is district mechanic for Sun Pipeline Co.

Joe Warren and family will be given a farewell community party Friday night at Sun recreation hall. Mr. Warren has served as chemist in the Jameson gasoline plant here. He resigned recently to accept a similar position with Honolulu Oil Co. at Levelland. The Warrens will move to their new home this week.

Tom Hunter, recently transferred to Silver from Sun Field, has taken over a field position in Sun's gas department formerly held by Richard Parrish. Tom, a native of Dallas, served in the Korean War and is a graduate of North Texas State College at Denton. He has a wife and son, Robert, 1½ years old. They are living in Colorado City.

Pete Ashmore and family returned Saturday from an enjoyable two weeks' vacation. They visited his parents at Liberty and also spent several days at Chicot State Park near Jennings, La. Pete reports good fishing there, with white perch as large as 2 pounds. Mr. Ashmore is chief clerk in the Sun Pipeline office here.

L. T. McKinnon, Sun Pipeline station engineer, has taken his family on a four weeks' vacation. They will visit points in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Gladehorn and daughter of Ingleside are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McClusky.

Jerry Gallier has returned to his work at Sun Pipeline Co. after a two weeks' vacation. He and his family visited kinfolks in the Beaumont and Lake Charles areas.

New black top paving is to be constructed around Sun Pipeline Company's pumping station and office on the Fred Jameson lease. The work has been delayed several days because of rain.

George Fugate, Sun pumper has returned with his family from a two weeks' vacation spent in Dallas Bonham, Waco and Austin.

A Pony League base ball game has been scheduled for Thursday night of this week when Silver entertains Roscoe. A good game is expected.

C. A. Ramsey and his family leave Friday on a two weeks vacation trip. They will visit relatives in East Texas. Mr. Ramsey, a Sun pumper, resides on the John Walker lease across the river.

Jack Byrd leaves Friday when he will fly east for a two weeks period of active duty with the Naval Air Corps Reserve at Brunswick, Maine. He is a field clerk in Sun's production office.

M. A. Wingit recently transferred from Arp to take over as chief clerk for Sun Oil Co. at Forsan. He has two sons working for Sun, one at Silver and the other at Odessa.

Doug Keith has been transferred from Forsan to Colorado City as Sun area clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Key of Dallas visited here recently with their son, Bob, clerk in Sun's production office. They were returning from a vacation trip to Banff, Jasper Park and other vacation spots in Canada.

Guests over the Fourth in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Walker were Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ballard and three sons of Brownwood, J. S. Ballard of Waco, Mrs. J. K. Eaton and two children of Pasadena, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Scuddy and daughter of Rankin and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Robertson and little daughter of Robert Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mathers and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tubb of Robert Lee returned Monday from a ten days' trip to Glenrock Wyo., where they enjoyed a reunion of the Batten family.

Mrs. J. Jameson is leaving Thursday of this week for an extended visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe (Buz-

zy) Thorp at Burns, Tenn. Mrs. Thorp is the former Billie Fred Jameson.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jameson and their sons, Myrle and Ramey, and their families, have returned from a two weeks' vacation trip to California.

Paul Baker has returned to his home at Lawton, Okla., after a visit of several weeks with his grandmother, Mrs. M. L. Baker, and his uncle, Hank Baker. Paul played with the Little League base ball team during his stay in Silver.

Mrs. Joe Russell Ash has resigned as assistant home demonstration agent in Tom Green County, effective Aug. 1. She is the former Donna Jean Jameson and will return here to the ranch home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jameson. Her husband was inducted into the army three weeks ago and is stationed at Fort Ord, Calif.

The children of Rev. and Mrs. Warren Ellis are enjoying a visit with grandparents in South Texas while their parents are on a trip to Indiana.

H. S. Lewis, Jr. was in Odessa Saturday where he attended a meeting of postmasters from this area of West Texas.

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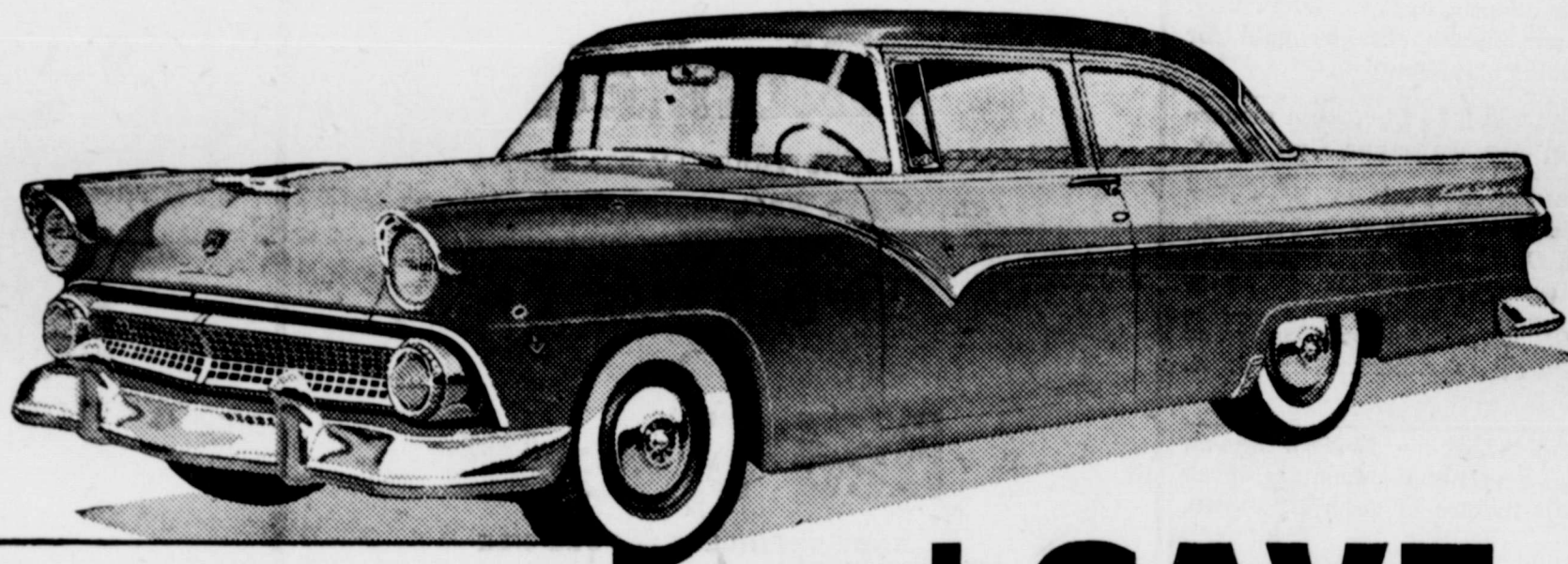
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SMALL TALK

By A. J. K.

Dear Editor: It's bad enough to have to watch these ball games, but when the entire paper is used to tell about them, well that's going a little too far: Let's have a little news and less ball. — Yours truly, a friend?

A postcard bearing the above message was found in The Observer mail box last Friday morning. Don't know whether it was a friend or not. Sounds something like the party who asked me the other day why I didn't stay up north.

There were a good many other items of interest in last week's paper. Really think it was above the average. I worked hard at it, too. But this "friend" never comes around to say anything good about us.

Maybe the party (it could be a woman) just wants to bellyache. My hide is tough. Let 'er rip!

Some of these days someone will write a book on "How to Get Out of Doing It Yourself." And he'll make a fortune.

A few weeks ago Hugh Smith killed a porcupine on his place out southwest in the Wildcat community. The animal was in a feed box in the barn and dogs drew Hugh's attention to it. Strange indeed for a porcupine to be found in this locality, as they usually live in the piney woods country. However one was killed on the Alvin Counts place last week, so it may have been a pair that got into Coke County in some mysterious manner.

Mr. Smith brought the animal to town to show the natives, many of whom had never seen a porcupine. The animal weighed from 15 to 20 pounds. Sharp spines covered its back and wide tail. It is said the porcupine can shoot its quills some distance, but Hugh don't think so.

The Highway Department has finally started doing something about regulating traffic in Robert Lee. Stop signs have been put up at the intersection of Highways 208 and 158 on the east side of town. Local residents are hoping that the speed will be reduced on through town and some additional regulations posted at the intersection where 158 branches off toward Edith.

This column two weeks ago mentioned something about the lack of traffic regulations in Robert Lee, adding that neither the Highway Department nor local officials were doing anything about it. Mayor Sid Ferrell wasn't quite satisfied with the statement, as he had already been advised that something was to be done right away. We apologize, your honor, and hope there are no permanent hard feelings.

Note to hubby; "Night before last you came home yesterday. Last night you came home this

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morning. If you come home today tomorrow, I'll have gone home to mother yesterday.

Am still getting ribbed about eating so many strawberries on that recent trip up north. One party (a woman this time) wondered if I

had broken out with a strawberry rash.

Mrs. Viola Gramling left Wednesday of last week to attend the Baptist Encampment at Glorietta, New Mex.

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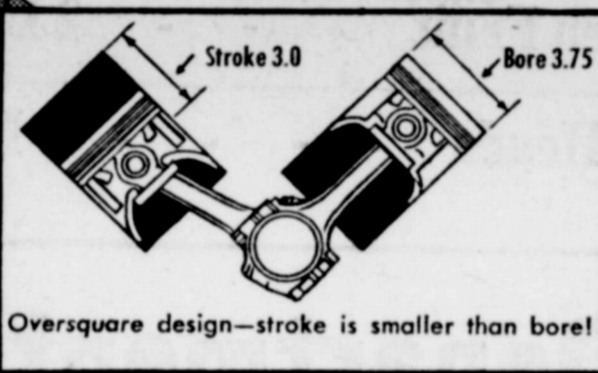
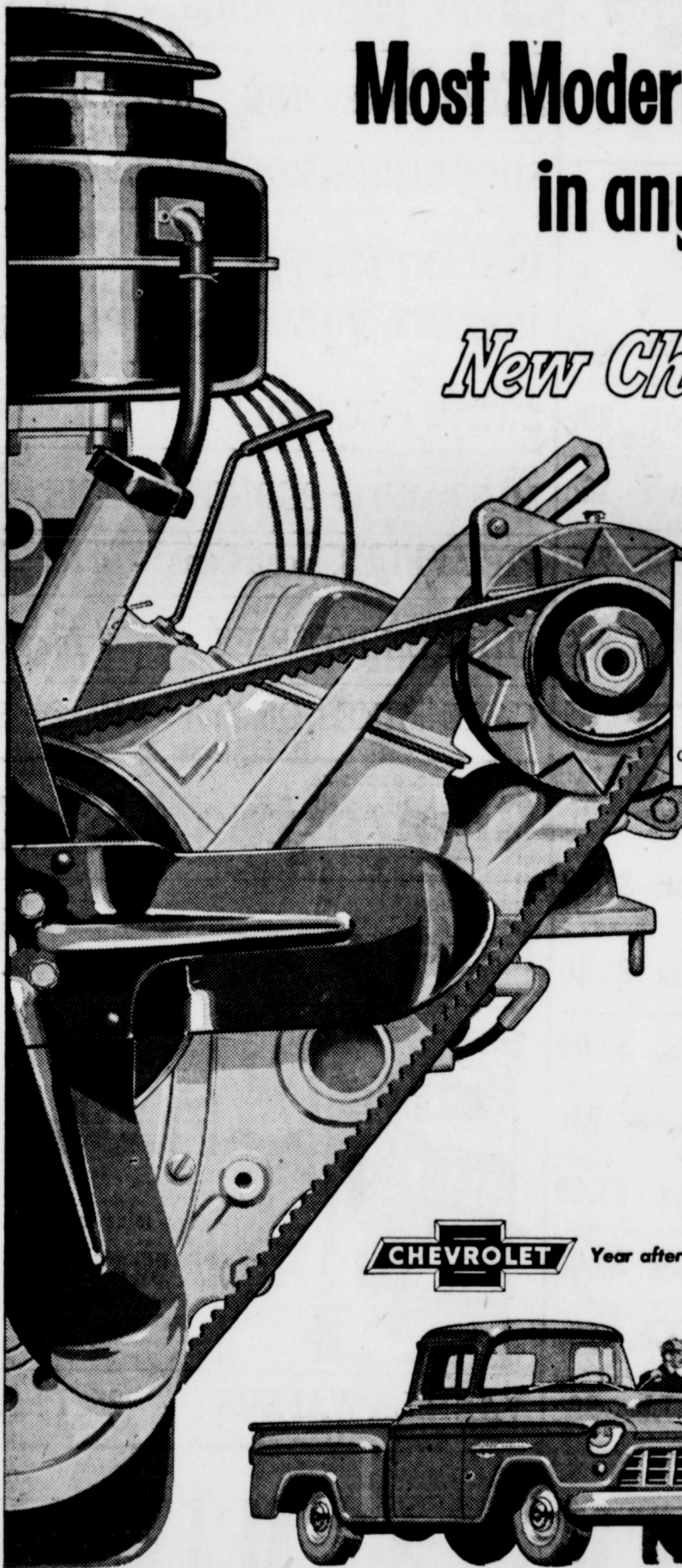
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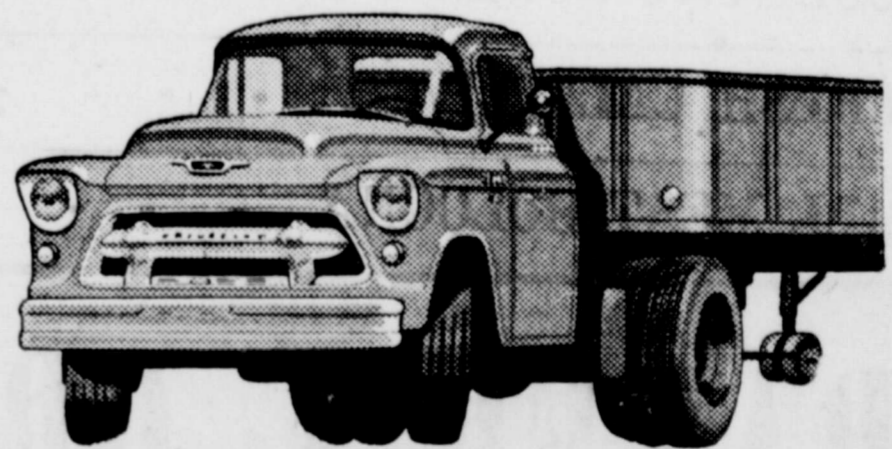
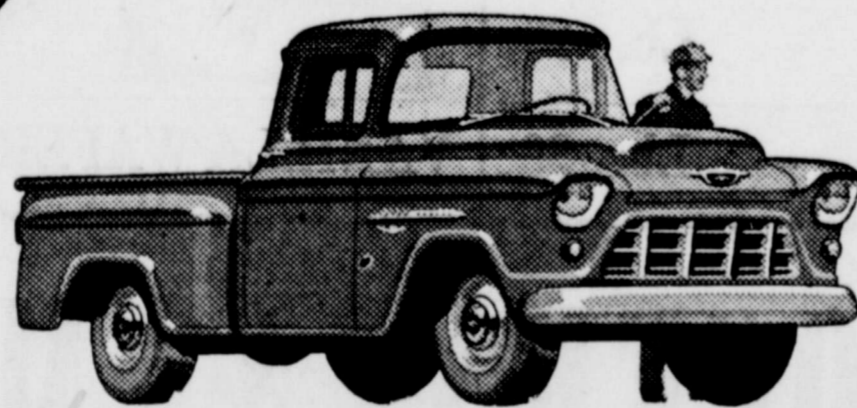
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