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Six Persons Indicted By Grand Jury Here

Six men were indicted by the grand jury here Monday morning. During the day, three of the indicted men, pleaded guilty and were sentenced by Judge Joe Mays. Donald Thomas Barton, 25, and Jack Phelps, 43, both of Houston, were assessed three-year prison terms after pleading guilty to burglary charges. The pair was charged with burglarizing the Sterling City School in February, 1955. Sheriff Bill Green said the two took about 30 cents and a pencil vending machine in the burglary.

Salvatore Sosa Loera, 24, of Big Spring, was assessed a three-year adult probation after pleading guilty to a charge of theft. District Attorney Justin A. Keever said Loera and Oscar DeLaRosa, 25, of San Antonio, were charged with taking a truck Oct. 22 from Robert Whiteley of San Angelo.

Also indicted were James Oley Fuqua of Big Spring, second offense of driving while intoxicated; Walter Carl Nast, 35, of Ft. Worth, swindling; Orberry Glenn Walker, second offense DWI; and George Brown, about 53, of Rocksprings, second offense, DWI.

Petit Jury to Meet November 18

A petit jury has been summoned for jury duty on Monday, November 18. Such panel will be on hand for any jury cases that might arise out of the indictments above.

SLOW RAINS BENEFIT RANGES

Slow rains over the week-end and the first part of this week have benefitted the ranges of West Texas appreciably. Here in Sterling County up to an inch and one-half of moisture has fallen, with almost an inch in the town proper and more in the ranch areas to the east and south of town.

On top of the moisture of the moisture of recent weeks, the soil has plenty of "season" in it for the winter and feeding can be light this winter. Winter grass and weeds are assured of ample moisture now.

In fact, the soil is so full of moisture the earthworms may be observed crawling around on top of the ground and a light sprinkle will have water standing in puddles for more than a day. The ground is practically "water-logged."

Holiday Here Monday

NOVEMBER 11th

Next Monday, November 11th, is one of the usual holidays taken by the Sterling merchants. The holiday set-up has included Armistice day for the past five or six years and will be observed here Monday.

Most of the retail businesses and offices will be closed here as usual. Grocery merchants remind customers to do their buying on Saturday.

C. R. Johnson Buys Ford Agency Here

C. R. Johnson has bought out the Sterling Motor Company from M. C. Reed, effective November 1. Johnson is a long-time Ford man, serving as sales manager of the Big Spring Motor Company for 14 years; he was nine years with the Ford dealer, Dabney Motor Co., in Sweetwater; and for the past two years he has been with the Oleaner Motor Co. in Texas City.

Martin Reed, who sold his agency has had the Ford agency here since it was activated following World War II. Reed also handled the Mercury line of cars while in business. The new dealer and Mrs. Johnson were on hand showing the '58 Fords at the open house here yesterday. The new Fords are on display the rest of the week with open house.

Reed's office manager, John Curry, took a job with the Edsel dealer, Kennedy Motor Co. in San Angelo. As a long-time Ford man, Mr. Johnson invites everyone in to see the new cars.

Church of Christ Area Youth Meeting Sunday

The local Church of Christ is host for an area young people's meeting here Sunday at 3:00 p.m. The meeting will be held in the school auditorium and will consist of singing, skits and a fellowship hour, according to local minister Marion H. Hays.

Young people of school age from Sterling and surrounding areas are cordially invited to attend the affair. Bro. Hays cordially invited all local young people, regardless of their church affiliation.

A quartet from Abilene Christian College will be on hand to present a feature, said Hays.

Sterling Voters Approve All Three Amendments

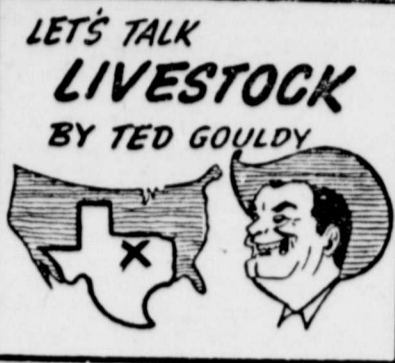
Sterling voters approved all the constitutional amendments at the special election here Tuesday. The three amendments carried over the state as a whole, too.

Sterling voters all voted at the courthouse. This saved the extra expense of holding elections at the other four boxes in the county.

Voters here voted 40 to 15 for the retirement fund amendment for the state employees.

Voters approved the raise in the amount of money to go for old age pensions by a vote of 49 to 6.

The water bond amendment carried by a vote of 37 to 18.



CATTLE AND CALVES SLOW IN OPENING TRADE

FORT WORTH—Trade on stocker cattle and calves at Fort Worth Monday turned uneven, as the lighter and thinner types sold about steady, but other replacements were inclined to drift lower.

The settling tendency in the market appeared to stem from a combination sympathetic weakness toward developments late last week around the country when stockers slowed up. There was also indications that the recent sharp advances had brought some caution as buyers feared a "too high" level had been reached.

In the packer trade there was some effort also to cheapen costs, especially on fed cattle, and some bids in that department were 25 to 50 cents lower. Cows and bulls ruled steady, and slaughter calves sold pretty much in line with a wee ago, except for a slow tendency which appeared to reflect some of the stocker trade's drag.

Comparative prices: Good and choice steers and heifers \$19.00—22.50; common and medium \$13.00—19.00; fat cows \$13.00—15.00; canners and cutters \$9.00—13.50; bulls \$11.00—16.00; good and choice fat calves \$19.00—21.00; common and medium \$14.00—18.00; culls \$11.00—13.00; stocker steer calves \$20.00—25.00; heifer calves \$22.00 down; stocker steer yearlings \$21.50 down; replacement cows \$10.00—16.00.

CORNBELT BUYERS ARE WARNED ON PRICES

Advices reaching Fort Worth this week indicate that observers in the Cornbelt are advising farmers there that further waiting for "cheaper" stockers and feeders is useless. The improved conditions in the former drouth area are resulting in many cattle being held at home and many others going into restocking programs in the area.

Reports reaching here this week from Western and Western Cornbelt areas indicate that this Fall the offerings of stocker and feeder calves and yearlings have been far below last year, in many cases well established special stocker sales drew only 50 percent as many.

The same pattern developed in the special stocker and feeder sales at Fort Worth this season as offerings were well below last year in each event.

GOATS OPEN HIGHER, SHEEP, LAMBS STEADY

Demand for goats continued very strong at Fort Worth in the opening trade Monday prices were strong to 50c or more higher. Some sales were as much as \$1 higher. Prices on slaughter goats ranged from \$5.50 to \$8, the lower figure on hard canners.

Sheep and lambs were in small supply. Good grade yearling wethers sold from \$18 down, a shipment of wethers from Colorado at the \$18 mark. Recently shorn old wethers sold from \$13 down. Slaughter ewes cashed at \$8 to \$9.

A few fat lambs sold at \$21 to \$22, and some medium to good feeder lambs sold from \$18 to \$20.50.

LAMBS TERMED BEST BET FOR LONG TIME TO COME

Market observers in Fort Worth in recent weeks in commenting on the quick buildup in sheep population in the Southwest this year were agreed that sheep look like a "best bet." Their reason is "lambs will not be a surplus commodity for a long, long time." The sharp reduction in sheep population in the apst years seems to guarantee this view.

Sheep and lamb numbers in 1942 and 1943 were around 55 to 56 million head in the United States. Estimated less than 31 million in 1957, leaves room for an increase since the big drouth is apparently history.

Collapse of the wool market, plus the drouth, caused the decline. Biggest buildup is in the farm sized flocks, which have been steady money makers for the past several years.

HOGS STEADY AFTER SHAKY START MONDAY

Hogs opened 25 cents lower and later sold steady at Fort Worth

Eagles Hurdle Past Forsan 41-16 Friday

Lions Club to Sponsor Sterling Livestock Show

The Lions Club members voted to sponsor the annual Sterling County Club Boys Livestock Show here in January. Such action was taken at the regular weekly luncheon meeting Wednesday noon at the community center.

The actual date has not yet been set for the show, but a committee meeting will be held next week to work up plans for the show, said Fred Igo, vocational agriculture instructor at the school.

Coach Diddle Young told of the Eagles winning the game with the Forsan Buffaloes last week and of the approaching game with Christoval this Friday.

The members voted to invite John Reed to a club meeting soon and express the club's appreciation for the cattle used in the cutting horse contest at the rodeo and the other courtesies extended by Reed at the matched roping here.

Guests at the meeting included Jimmy McRee, J. D. Dilbreth, Jim Davis, and Nelson Page.

Play Christoval There Tonight at 8

The Sterling City Eagles came off victor in a game with the Forsan Buffaloes last Friday night, 41-16. Coach Young's boys were the second team to defeat the larger Buffaloes this season—Mertzon had beaten Forsan earlier in the season.

Sterling kicked off to Forsan as the game opened. The first play from scrimmage gave the Buffaloes a one-yard gain. But on the next play Starr took the ball a long way for a touchdown. Then the Forsan boys added 2 more points by kicking a goal. They were in the lead—and early in the game.

Forsan kicked off to Sterling as play resumed and Melvin Foster picked up 7 yards on a run, and Wilbur Stone added enough to it for a first down on the second play. Nathan Morris went through the line for 5 yards. Following a fumble Melvin Foster took a pass from Stone and scampered over for six points for the Eagles. The kick for the extra points was blocked. The score was Forsan 8, Sterling 6.

As play resumed Foster passed to Jim Davis for 30 yards and two plays later, Stone passed to Drennan for a TD. Then Stone kicked the extra 2 points, making the score Sterling 14, Forsan 8 at the close of the first quarter.

The second quarter was marked by desultory play with the exception of a beautiful touchdown run by Jim Davis. He took a short pass from Stone and made a long run for the TD.

As the second half got underway Forsan kicked off to Sterling City. Melvin Foster made 11 yards on a plunge, but the Eagles failed to rack up 15 yards, so the ball went over to the Buffaloes. The Forsan boys hit a stalemate and the ball went back to Sterling. Stone passed to Nathan and picked up a first down on that long pass down to the 14 yard line. And on the next play Stone passed over the goal line to Davis for six points. Following a fumble on the kick try, Stone heaved the pigskin to Morris for 1 point making the score Sterling 27, Forsan 8. Such was the score as the third quarter ended.

Early in the fourth quarter, Jim Davis nailed a Forsan back way behind the line of scrimmage and the Eagles took over. Stone, on a reverse, long run made a TD, but it was called back and nullified by a clipping penalty against the Sterling team. Later Stone got another long run almost to the goal line, but it, too, was called back and nullified by a clipping penalty against his teammates.

Not to be done out of his TD a little later, Stone on a pass play, a reverse, ran all the way for a TD. Robert Quintana did some mighty good blocking on that play, and, in fact, he turned in a good game of ball playing all the game.

Stone somewhat earlier in the 4th quarter, had passed to Wayne Drennan for 6 points and then kick for the 2 extra points.

On the Forsan side, Starr picked up 3 points on a pass from White in the fourth quarter and Milton Bardwell kicked for the 2 extra points for the Buffaloes.

TO CHRISTOVAL TONIGHT

The Eagles journey to Christoval tonight for the next to the last conference game of the season. The Christoval Cougars have not been rated too much of a threat this year, but that was the score too, last year, and the Cougars gave the Eagles the only loss of the year at the Eagle-Cougar tilt.

Coach Young's boys have one real hard game ahead of them—the one with the Mertzon Hornets here on November 15. The Hornets have won all their conference games, as well as the Eagles and pose a real threat to the defending champions.

J. T. Davis returned home last week from a trip to Little Rock, Arkansas where he visited with a brother, Jack Davis. Jack is in the real estate loan department of the First National Bank of Little Rock. J. T., president of the First National Bank here, also visited a brother, L. J. Davis, in Dallas.

Methodist Revival Starts November 17

A revival will be held at the First Methodist Church here on November 17-24. The Rev. Barcus Moore, pastor of the St. Luke's Methodist Church in Corpus Christi will be the revival preacher. Rev. Moore is serving his ninth year as pastor of his present church.

All week-day morning services will be held at 7 o'clock and the evening services will be held at 7. Regular church service hours will be observed each Sunday. The Rev. Moore will not arrive in time for services the first Sunday nor the early Monday morning service on November 18, said local pastor, L. S. Dubberly.

Stewards will serve coffee and doughnuts each morning before 7 as a fellowship program before the preaching service. Everyone in the town has a cordial invitation to attend the services and hear the well-known visiting speaker.

Special Methodist Service Sunday

Next Sunday morning at the worship service at the Methodist Church there will be a special service officially establishing a Memorial Building Fund. Rufus Foster will present to the chairman of the memorial fund, Jack Douthit, a stand that he made in his work shop. The stand will contain the record of those who donate money to the fund in memory of loved ones or friends. This money will be used only in the construction of the Memorial Building. This will be a part of the morning service.

Wimodausis Club Has Fine Arts Program

The members of the Wimodausis Club had a fine arts program when they met at the home of Mrs. Lester Foster Wednesday afternoon.

Fourteen members answered the "oll call with "My Secret Artistic Desire."

Mrs. Frank Cole gave the report of the Federation Counselor. Mrs. Roy Morgan gave an interesting paper on "Interesting Arts and Customs of Germany." Mrs. Horace F. Donaldson gave an interesting paper of German music composers. Records from some of these composers were played by Mrs. Foster.

Mrs. Ray Lane and Mrs. L. S. Dubberly were hostesses. They served assorted homemade cookies and tea and coffee.

The next meeting of the club will be the Thanksgiving meeting with Mrs. Harvey Glass on November 20. Hostesses will be Mrs. Glass and Mrs. Nick Reed.

Monday. Lighter supplies in the Cornbelt enabled salesmen to successfully resist lower bids for the most part.

Choice hogs ranged from \$17.50 to \$18, mostly \$17.75. Medium and good hogs sold from \$16.50 to \$17.25. Sows drew \$16.50 to \$17.25.

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
L. S. Dubberly, Pastor
 Church School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 MYF 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Wed. Choir Practice ... 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Marion H. Hays, Minister
 Bible School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Young People's Classes... 6:30 p.m.
 Evening worship 7:00 p.m.
 Service 7:00 p.m.
 Service 7:30 p.m.
 Tues. Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Claude B. Stovall, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Mid-week Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Lewis G. Petmecky, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

School Children To Gather Clothing for Needy Children

During the week of December 2, school children of Sterling City will collect good used clothing for orphaned and needy children, and adults, in the United States and 34 countries overseas, it was announced today by superintendent of schools O. T. Jones.

The drive, which is part of World Clothing Week, will continue here for five days, December 2 through December 6. Superintendent Jones expressed the hope that every family in Sterling City will begin now to gather up all the outgrown and worn clothing which accumulates in nearly every household and send it to school during World Clothing Week. All types of infants, children and adult clothing and shoes are needed. Bedding, too, can be put to good use.

Mr. Jones stated: "Statistics show that nearly half the world's children are inadequately clothed, housed and fed. Thousands of children in our own United States cannot attend school regularly because

they lack proper clothing. Overseas, orphaned and other needy children and adults desperately need help. Through World Clothing Week, the school children of Sterling City and the entire community, can make a substantial contribution toward alleviating the distress of these unfortunate ones."

World Clothing Week is conducted under the auspices of the Christian Children's Fund, Inc. Since 1938, C.C.F. has been active in child welfare work. Today, it provides vital assistance to orphaned and needy children in 250 orphanages in 35 countries. In addition to the United States, C.C.F. operates its programs in thirty-five foreign countries.

Dr. W. R. Carmichael, superintendent of schools in Bryan is chairman of the Texas drive.

FOR SALE—Big fat hamburgers and sandwiches of all kinds. Try Carter's Drive In Grocery & Cafe.

WELDON SNODGRASS ATTENDS CONVENTION

Weldon Snodgrass, high school principal here, was one of 600 high school principals who attended the Annual Conference, Texas Association of Secondary School Principals in Fort Worth October 27-29.

Addresses were given by Dr. Paul E. Elicker, executive secretary of the National Association of Secondary School Principals; Dr. Travis White, President of Midwestern University; and Mr. Fred Smith of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Group meetings were held for the discussion of school problems as related to principals.

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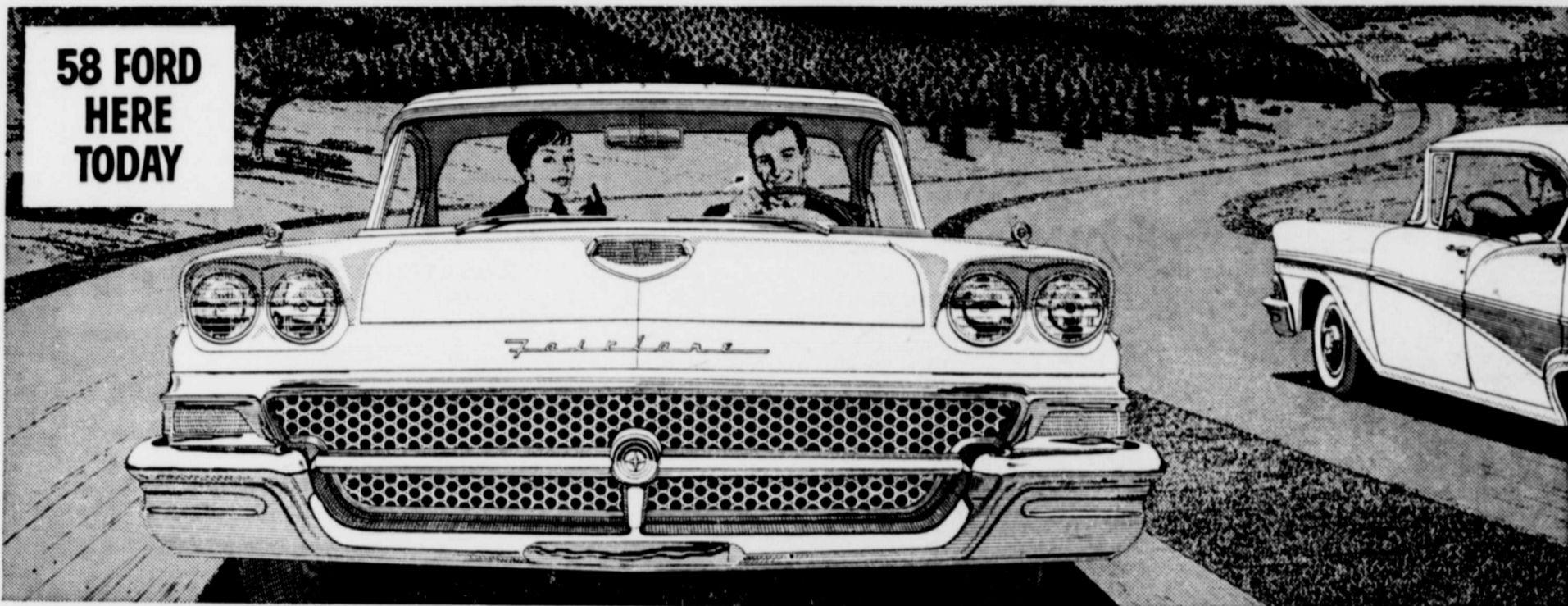
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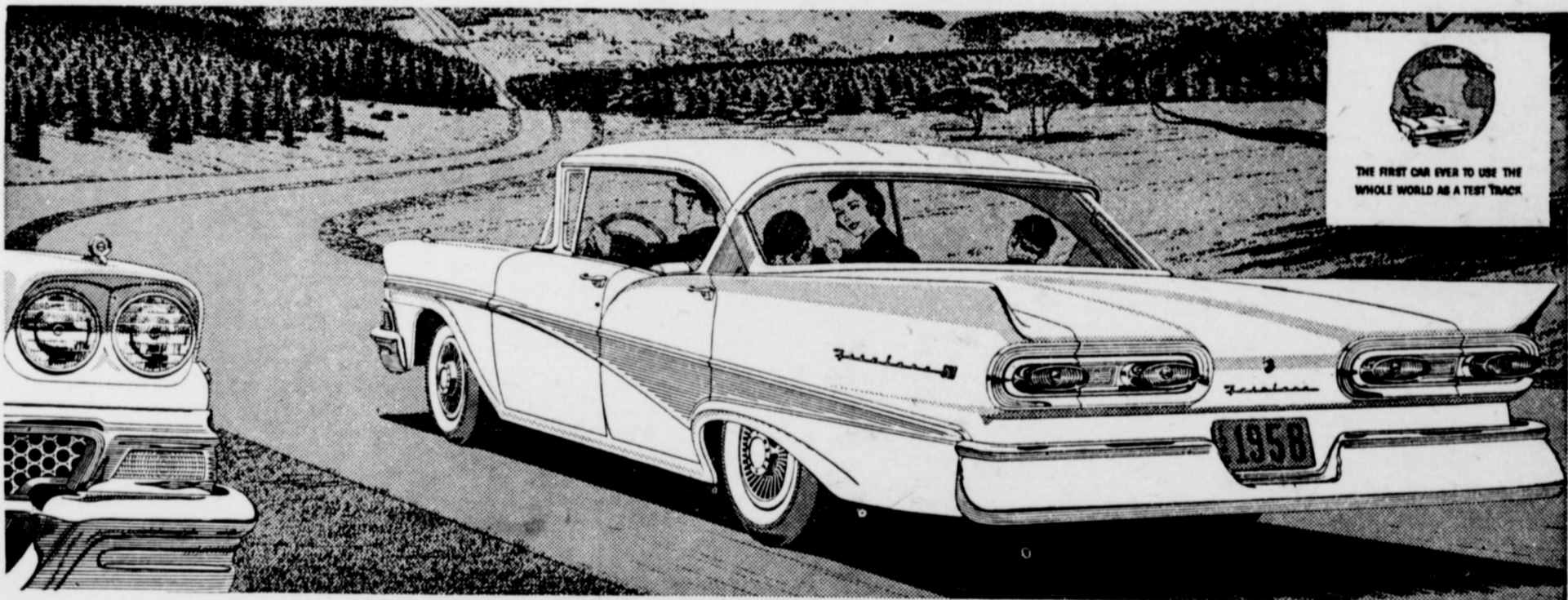
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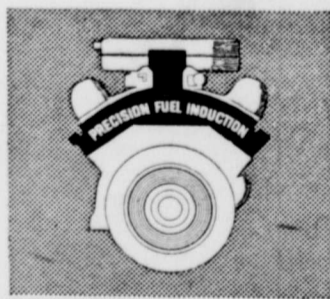


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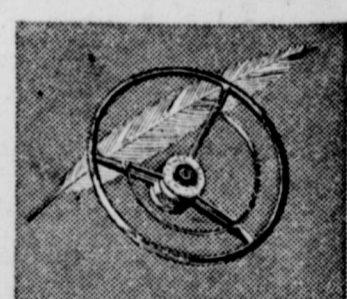
You'll be ahead with Ford's new Interceptor V-8 and Precision Fuel Induction. There's nothing newer than these engines that give you up to 300 hp. Smoother power! From less gas! One secret is Precision Fuel Induction, a wonderful new carburetion, fuel feeding, and combustion system.



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Mrs. Victor McCabe, 41, Dies Here Sunday

Mrs. Victor McCabe, 41, died at the Sterling County Hospital at 6 a.m. Sunday. She had been seriously ill for several months.

Services were held in the First Baptist Church, Colorado City on Monday afternoon at 2. Burial was in the McKensie Cemetery, 20 miles southeast of Colorado City near Silver. Kiker and Son Funeral Home of Colorado City was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. McCabe was born October 8, 1916, in San Angelo and was married there to Victor McCabe on November 3, 1934. After her marriage, she moved from Sterling to Coke County, where the McCabes ranched. In 1949 they moved to Colorado City.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Truett McCabe of Andrews; a daughter, Vicki, of Colorado City; her father, Jack Matthews of Carlsbad; two sisters, Mrs. Edwin Aiken of Sweetwater and Mrs. Forrest Foster of Sterling City; and a brother, Jackie Matthews of Abilene.

Attends TFWC Board Meeting in Houston

Miss Ethel Foster attended the Board Meeting of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs in Houston the first part of this week. She left on Sunday morning and was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hildebrand.

To Cancer Directors Meet

On Wednesday of this week, Miss Foster was in Austin for a director's meeting of the Texas State Cancer Society.

Rubber Stamps at News-Record.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week included—

Mrs. Neal Reed
 Neill Munn
 Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Glass
 Mrs. Claude Ditmore
 Mrs. Clinton Hodges
 Sheri Snodgrass

Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week include—

Mrs. M. E. Churchill
 Mrs. C. J. Copeland
 Mrs. H. L. Bailey
 J. S. Cole
 Mrs. Victor McCabe, deceased
 Richie Reynolds

Mrs. W. L. Emery is in a San Angelo hospital in a serious condition.

Superintendent O. T. Jones Attends Interscholastic League Council Meeting in Austin

Superintendent of Schools here, O. T. Jones, attended a council meeting of the Interscholastic League the first part of this week. Mr. Jones was recently named a member of the council. He will serve as representative from this area.

The meeting was mostly routine, said Mr. Jones. One thing he did remark on was that the league adopted a resolution to put in a science testing program soon.

Fish Sticks Top A Casserole

By Betty Barclay

THERE are only four ingredients in this tasty, time-saving casserole—two come from the freezer, one from the pantry shelf, one from the refrigerator. Combine them for a delicious supper or luncheon dish.



Fish Stick Topped Casserole

1 package (10 ounces) Birds Eye Mixed Garden Vegetables; 1 can condensed cream of mushroom soup; 1/4 cup milk; 1 package (8 ounces) quick-frozen pre-cooked fish sticks.

Cook mixed garden vegetables as directed on package. Drain. Add soup and milk and mix. Pour into shallow casserole or baking dish. Cover and heat in a hot oven (425° F.) 10 minutes. Remove from oven, and place fish sticks in a single layer on top of vegetables. Then continue to heat, uncovered, about 12 minutes longer, or until fish sticks are well browned and thoroughly heated. Makes 3 or 4 servings.

Chocolate Chip Treat

By Betty Barclay

"WONDERFUL eating for little effort" is what you'll say when you've tasted this delightful dessert.



Sundae Chocolate Chip Cake

1 package instant chocolate chip cake mix; 1 cup water; 2 eggs, unbeaten; Vanilla ice cream; Quick Chocolate Sauce.

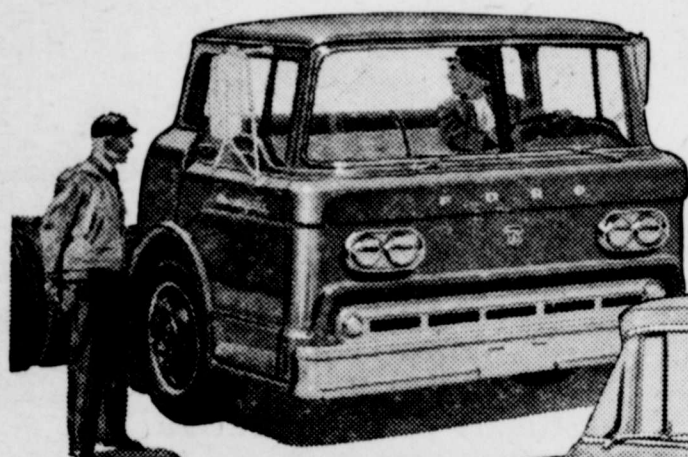
Empty cake mix into bowl. Add water and eggs. Beat 3 minutes until batter is smooth and creamy. Pour batter into 13x9x2-inch pan, which has been lined on bottom with paper, and bake in moderate oven (375° F.) 30 to 35 minutes.

Cut in squares and serve warm with a topping of vanilla ice cream and Quick Chocolate Sauce.

Quick Chocolate Sauce. Combine 1 cup chocolate chips, 1/4 cup light corn syrup, 1/2 cup water and 1/8 teaspoon salt in saucepan. Heat over low heat until chocolate is melted, stirring constantly. Then increase heat and boil 3 minutes, stirring constantly. Makes about 1 1/4 cups.

Step in...

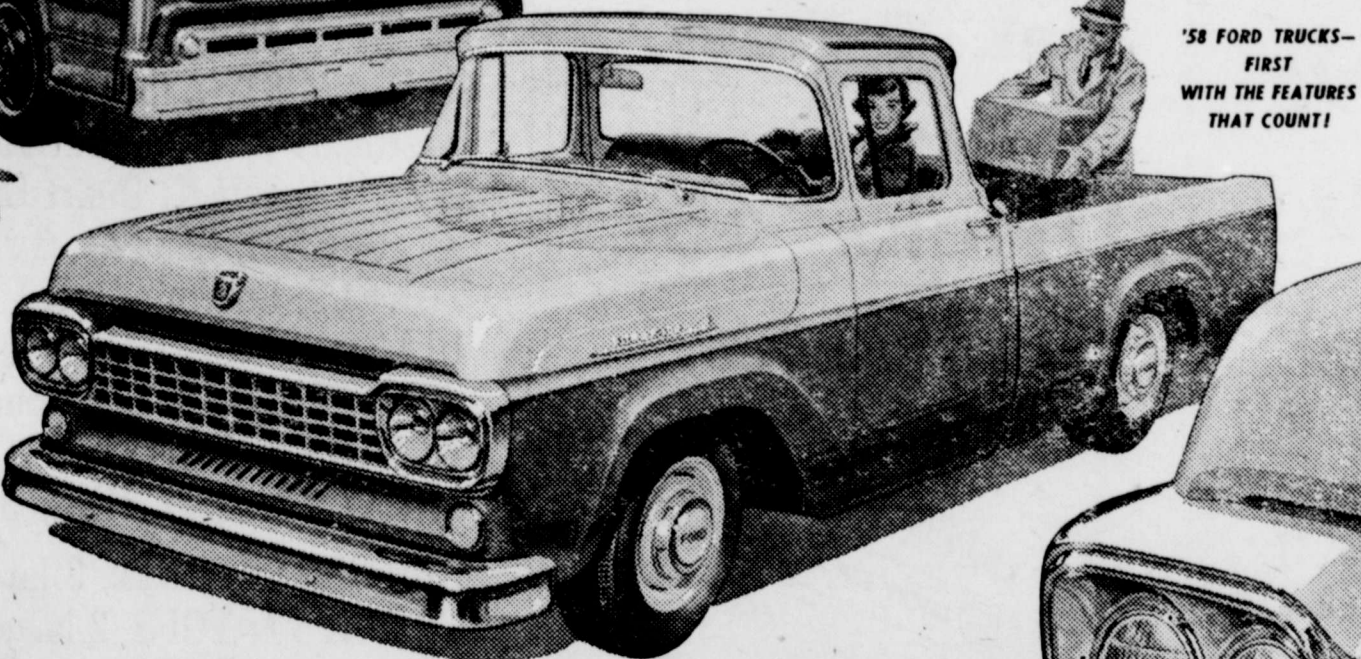
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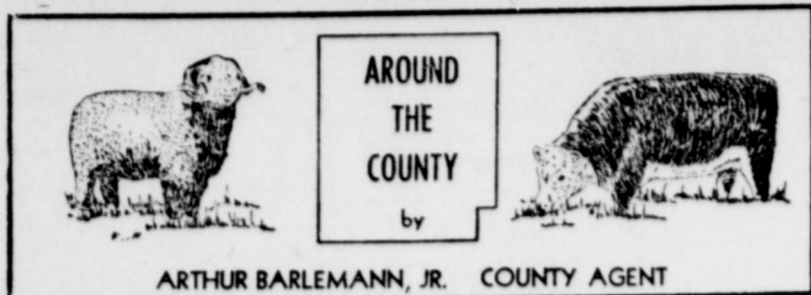
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Pecan growers will have to be on the alert to get their pecans if they are to keep them from sprouting in the hull. The wet weather we are having at the present time often causes the nuts to sprout in the hull and cuts down on the crop materially.

The hulls are split and the nuts fail to turn loose as they should. Ordinarily most varieties are not very susceptible to this condition but with weather conditions such as they are, many of them that would otherwise turn loose and fall will hang in the hull and sprout. The best thing to do is to watch the trees and as soon as the hulls are split sufficiently, thresh the trees and get the nuts that are ready. Leave the ones that are still green and they will ripen in time.

Census figures show a steady decline in livestock numbers in Sterling County. These figures show a decrease of fifty percent in the number of ewes since 1945 and a seventeen percent in the number of cows during the same period.

The 1945 census showed 113,613 ewes on ranches in the county; by 1950 the total had dropped to 90,783, and by 1955 it had dropped to 65,720. However, weights of wool have increased. In 1949, the last year figures are available on the wool clip, average fleece weight was 9.0 pounds; in 1954 average fleece weight was 10.2 pounds and in 1955 it had increased to 10.4 pounds.

This increase can be attributed to two factors during the drought. As herds were culled, the better ewes were kept. Also, and probably the biggest factor in the increase, is the feed which the ewes received. This accounted for a better wool crop. Another factor which can be charged with some degree of increase is the increased dirt in the wool due to the dust storms and dry, dusty ranges. Figures are not available on lamb weights but it is probable that weaning weights were increased due to the feed put into ewes and lambs as well.

In the cattle department, numbers have followed the same steady decline from 1945 when there were

9,263 head of cows in the county. In 1950 there were 9,056, and in 1955 there were 7,749 head of cows shown on the census.

Percentage wise in the 22 county area from Bandera to Taylor and Kimble to Sterling, the decrease was 44% in the ewes on the land. In the same area cattle numbers showed a drop of 33.5% for the ten year period.

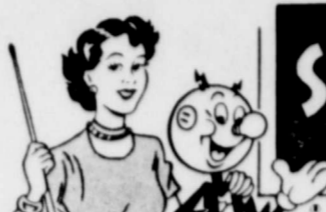
Goats followed the cycle in the area. The area change was a decrease of 33.3% during the period 1945 to 1955. In Sterling County, goat numbers decreased from 10,121 in 1945 to 4,554 in 1950. From 1950 to 1955 there was a further decrease with only 3,963 shown on the census.

Bill Reed, who placed the sale cattle in the Hill Country Hereford Sale in Mason last week, has been chosen to place the sale cattle for the North Concho Hereford Association Sale in San Angelo on January 9. From reports, Mr. Reed did a very good job at Mason with a good bunch of cattle.

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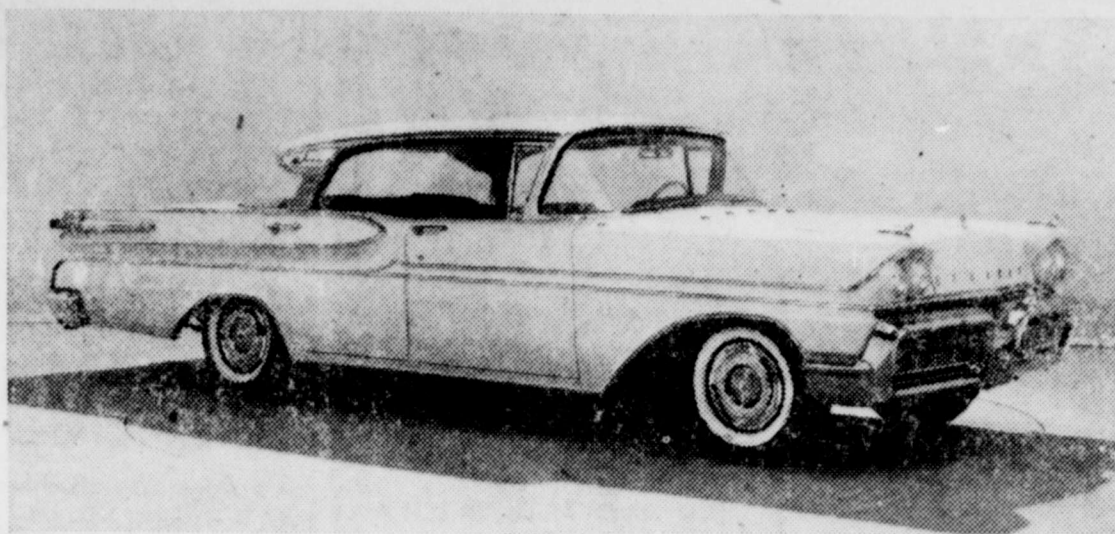
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8-BALL
Well, my goodness, alive! Or something. It seems that a real flying saucer or something has been calling on the earth this week. Now, that comes under the heading of real news. Cause it could be something of ours, or one of theirs—or, what you can possibly think is a visitor from another planet. A planet such as Mars—or Jupiter or any of the other millions of planets that astronomers say are out in the universe. I've always like to read the science fiction stories of space travel and the life on other planets. It has always fascinated me. When I was a kid the Amazing Stories and other magazines kept me enthralled with space travel stories. Those pseudo scientific stories and here of late, the articles on real, sure enough business along that line, have been enough to set a person tingling.

8-BALL
I still like to think about the possibilities of space travel, etc. Guess I always will. Sure wish that thing would stop my automobile. And let me get a good look at it. And maybe get a picture. I'd even keep real quiet about it. No one would really believe anything you said anyway—except maybe your own kids—or family.

And too, the more you told the story the better it's get—if you didn't pop off too loud right at first—and have to stick to your story.

8-BALL
And those Russians! Hows do they get that way? They can't get too far ahead of us in this satellite race. Our big boys are now about ready to turn loose some money for "moon" rockets and research, etc. The Russians used a little dog. Now, doggone it, there's plenty of Chinese and other kinds of Reds that might make good passengers. Heck, why didn't they use former Marshal Zhukov—or Molotov? They seem to be expendable.

I guess those Russians are pretty smart boys. Our hats should be off to them for their achievements. But, we've got to try and catch up with them now. They announced in one of their regular magazines that they were going to send up a baby moon at the time they did—they also told of the 2nd one. Not too much secret about it. Now they plan to shoot the moon before too long.

In the race for space ships, the Rusians can be first as far as I'm concerned. They can take the first few rides—and iron out all the little wrinkles that will no doubt need ironing out. I'll wait until the things are perfected, I guess.

8-BALL
If Sputnik II flew over Sterling only a few hundred yards high this week, no one could see it for the low clouds, the mist and the drizzles that have been with us all week. This sure is becoming a wet country. Maybe the drouth is over.

8-BALL
Now that things are a lot more newsworthy than the Little Rock story, maybe lke will pull out the troops from Arkansas. And let that business settle—one way or the other.

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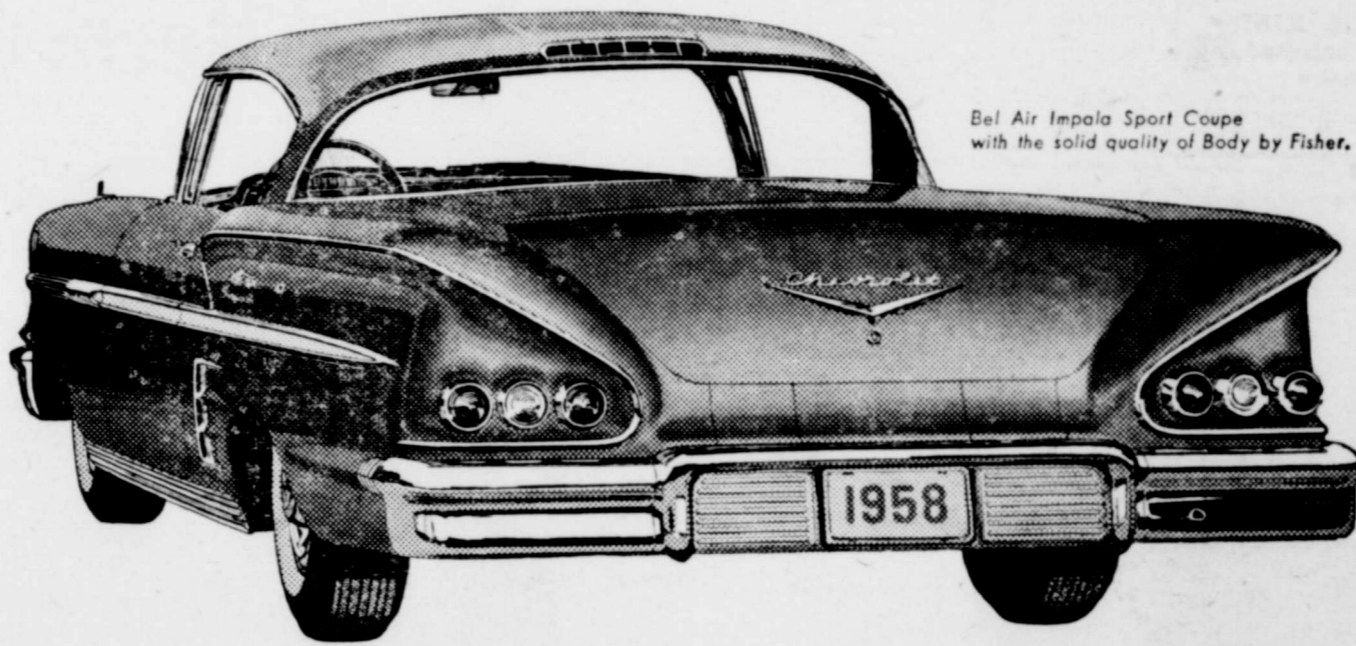
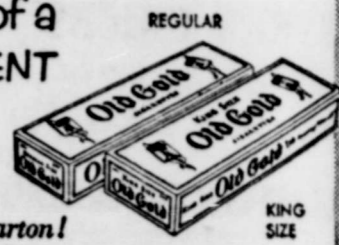


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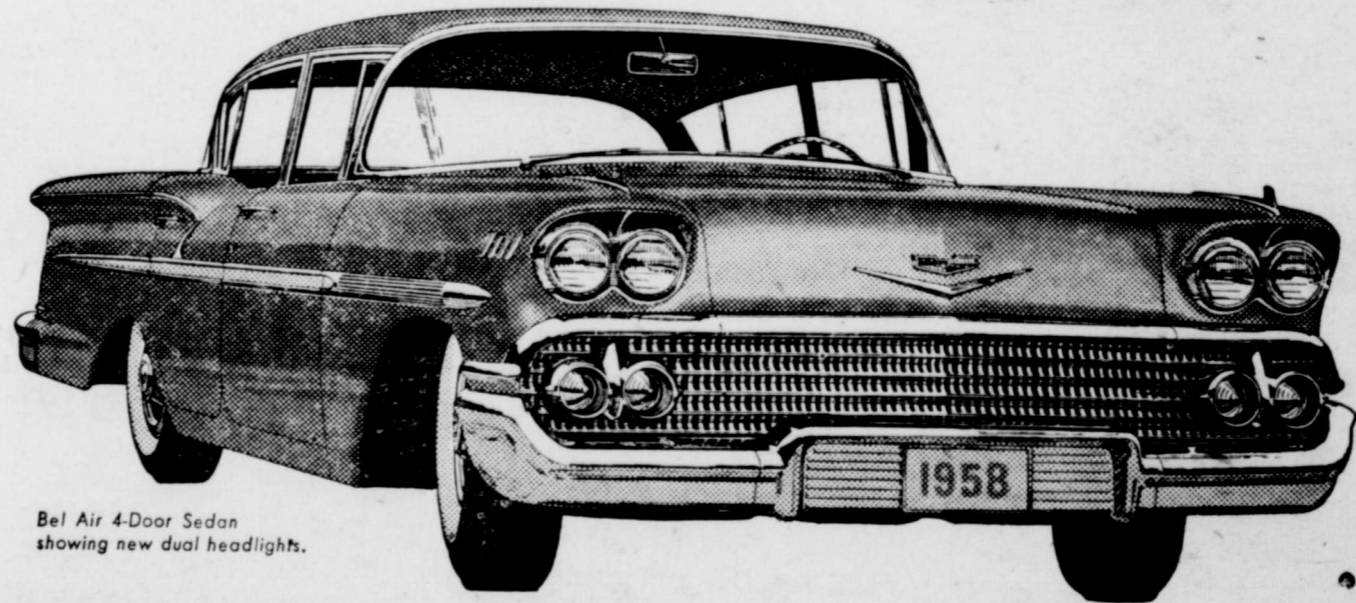
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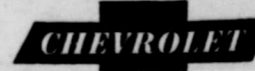
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