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The polio vaccine is among the greatest of recent medical discoveries. The vaccine is safe, marvelously effective, and it is now in abundant supply.

Yet, despite this, the national vaccination program is lagging. The situation is so critical that the trustees of the American Medical Association recently called a meeting of state and territorial medical association representatives to plan and promote a gigantic polio program. The idea was born at a prior meeting between one of the trustees and representatives of the American Academy of Pediatrics, the American Academy of General Practice, the Surgeon General of the U. S. Health Service and others. A general program was agreed upon. Points stressed are that the vaccine is both safe and effective; that everyone should be vaccinated, and especially those under 40; that inertia and apathy are primarily responsible for the failure of large segments of the public to be vaccinated, and that the medical profession should go all out in an effort to promote the use of the vaccine. It was also recognized that the principal responsibility for implementation of the program rests with state and local medical societies.

It is certainly to be hoped that the medical profession is successful in this great undertaking—and that public lethargy will be dissipated once and for all. Some 80,000 Americans have been crippled by polio—legions more will be needlessly crippled in the future if the vaccination program continues to lag. Don't be one of them!

The President on Natural Gas Regulation.

It will be remembered that, last year, the President vetoed a bill which would have freed natural gas producers from regulation by the Federal Power Commission. He did this not because he was opposed to the principal objectives of the measure, but because in his opinion inexcusable lobbying activities had been pursued on its behalf.

Now, in his new Budget message, the President has referred to the matter again. And what he says is of very great importance to the millions of people who use natural gas, and the millions more who anticipate using it in the future.

The President stated: "In returning the Harris-Fulbright natural gas bill to the 84th Congress without my approval, I stated that legislation conforming to the basic objectives of that bill was needed. I am still of that opinion. It is essential that consumers of natural gas be protected. We must endeavor to make sure that there will be continued exploration and development of adequate field supplies of gas, and that producers' sales prices are arrived at fairly and competitively. In this way, and with authority vested in the FPC to regulate interstate pipelines as to the price at which gas may be charged as an item of cost in fixing their rates, the price to the public will be fair. Legislation freeing gas producers from public utility-type regulation is essential if the incentives to find and develop new supplies of gas are to be preserved and sales of gas to interstate market are not to be discouraged to the detriment of both consumers and producers, as well as the national interest."

That last sentence tells the story—and it is a vital story indeed.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Petzell and of Cisco Sunday afternoon.
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JUST THE RELEVANT FACTS, MA'AM

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Why is that? Because we think everything that takes place in a courtroom is important. Your property, your personal or civil rights—even your family's welfare or your life or liberty—may rest upon the truth of testimony in court.

Eager as courts are for facts, their tests fall short of those of science. When a scientist doubts the outcome of an experiment, he need not rely upon somebody else's word. He just repeats the experiment in question.

But not so in court. The acts told of in courts cannot be lived over again, for the court to see first hand. For example, you cannot bring back and ask a dead man whether he signed a will or whether the accused killed a man. We cannot re-do a murder; we can only get the witnesses to tell what they know first hand.

To protect each party, there are a number of safeguards. One of these is that we put the witness under oath on pain of penalties for lying. Another is that we cross-examine the witness.

The relevancy test is still another example. Evidence which does not meet the test may be excluded from consideration in determining the facts of the particular case, upon objection by the opposing attorney.

Evidence is "relevant" only when it legitimately tends to answer some question of fact involved in the controversy or case at hand.

Lawyers may seem always to W-2's attached, but then fail to enclose their check. These fellows sure went to a lot of trouble to get their tax right and then forgot to enclose a check. Most of us know we have to pay the tax. Let's all save Uncle Sam time and money by putting in our checks with our tax return. Don't send in your check without identifying what the check is for. The tax office has thousands of payments. They have trouble finding who to credit the payment to when you don't attach the check to your return.

Taxpayers Advised To Seek Qualified Tax Practitioners

"Taxpayers finding it necessary to obtain outside assistance in the preparation of their 1956 Federal tax returns should consult qualified tax practitioners," A. E. Fogle, Jr., of Internal Revenue, said today.

"Many taxpayers are obtaining incompetent persons to assist them in the preparation of their '56 returns," Mr. Fogle revealed. "Smaller fees charged by these persons are the usual inducement. The type of person offering this 'service' usually sets up shop in some business establishment where temporary desk space may be obtained.

"Taxpayers requiring help in complex matters should consult

qualified tax practitioners whenever possible. Much highly valuable assistance, however, is being provided employees by company cashiers, auditors and bookkeepers, or bank personnel.

"Taxpayers who seek doubtful assistance in the preparation of their returns are reminded that they must stand responsibility for the accuracy of their entries and calculations."

April 15 is the deadline for filing Federal tax returns. Checks or money orders accompanying returns should be made payable to Internal Revenue Service, 2101 Pacific Avenue, Dallas, Texas.

TAX-MAN SAM SEZ:

The tax folks say that thousands of us fail to send in a check for the tax we owe when we file our income tax returns. They think a lot of people read the instructions, check their records figure their tax, check their arithmetic, get all their

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HIGGINBOTHAM'S

North Star Club Adopts 1957 Rules

The North Star Home Demonstration Club met in the club house, on the afternoon of Feb. 5, with 11 members in attendance.

Following the opening exercises, Mrs. J. C. Alford read the Standing Rules for 1957, all of which were unanimously approved.

Five dollars was voted for the March of Dimes.

Mrs. York Eberhart led a devotional, reading Act. 20-21.

Those answering roll call with a statement of "What impresses me most when I enter a home," were Meses. Will Ware, J. B. Eberhart, Viola Ellis, J. T. Carney, York Eberhart, Henry Gregg, Claud Harris, Beyrl Heath, Carl Irby, J. T. Alford, J. C. Hudson. Children present were Beverly Fisher, Jim Fisher, Larry Alford, and Scotty Harris.

—Mrs. J. C. Hudson, Reporter

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FOR THE WEEK:
 The refuge of the incompetent; the screen of those he light.

S DAY
 Day for this year here at last! Dan sally been at work HIS. His arrows at the heartstrings our students.
 "I Love You" and rt-shaped boxes are at our "dear ole" at this season of

n teachers are looky at some of the own in Twinkle City y are hoping (des t some of their nice open up their hearts ocketbooks) and get em.
 The advice, gang—if o make a hit with , just show up with andy on Thursday ou'll really be ap-

preciated!
 If nothing drastic happens (if they don't change their minds), these are our Valentine Sweet-hearts of '57:

Jerry, Davis and Karen Steel, Fred Pringle and Sandra Erwin, Howard Walker and Judy Alford, Bobby Hubbard and La Veda Boggs, Robert Needham and Betty Jenkins, Bill Rutherford and Nelda Lee, Jack Smith and Barbara Bishop, Don Hicks and Janis Jones, Don Long and Virginia Townsend.
 —Pat Howard

TRAVEL—IN AN ARMCHAIR

Want to take a trip? No, you do not have to pack. Reservations and tickets—of course not! Just turn on the television or find an interesting book of travel and ease back in your favorite chair. Your trip is about to begin.

Today one has the opportunity to travel to many places the world over and yet not leave the comfort of home. The miracle of television has brought the

world into your living room with such programs such as Wide, Wide World, This Wonderful World We Live In, and the news films from every section of the globe. Often when your imagination is free you may, by watching Kraft Theater, Kaiser Aluminum Hour, Armstrong Circle Theater, and other educational programs, work with a missionary doctor in a remote native village in the Belgian Congo, shiver with explorers in the frozen wasteland of Antarctica, run with refugees fleeing from Hungary, and help rescue passengers from a doomed ship off Nantucket. Sports lovers may journey to Pasadena, California, for a sideline view of the Rose Bowl Game and without so much as a snap of a finger they are handed tickets for a fifty yard line seat in the Cotton Bowl. You may, if you wish, watch Mickey Mantle hit a grand slam home run in Yankee Stadium or see Fuller defeat Sugar Ray Robinson in Madison Square Garden.

There are innumerable books of travel from which one may obtain a broad knowledge of any country or region. The National Geographic Magazine, Stoddard's Lectures, and encyclopedias are a few of them. In a moment's time you may find yourself on a fishing boat off the coast of Norway or exploring the ancient Aztec civilization in our neighboring country of Mexico.

Let us not forget the movies, for they too bring countries of the world into view in such pictures as Around the World in Eighty Days.

People with considerable wealth are those who are able to travel extensively; but people of moderate means need not be confined to the realms of their community, for they, too,

can see the world—in an armchair.
 Jack Smith
 English II

BAND NEWS

This week has been rather slow for the Wildcat Band but Miss Tate has already started talking about marching practice next week so I guess things will pick up soon.

We've been working on numbers which we will play for our concert the 25th of this month and we think they sound fine; we only hope that you will enjoy them too. We're looking forward to giving this concert as it will be the first one this year, and we hope to see all of you there.

Tryouts will be held soon for a new majorette as we lost one during the year. All the girls are working hard to make it and I'd like to wish them luck. It's going to be tough choosing one as they are all good.

The "Sophisticats" have some new music and we're learning or struggling I should say, to play it; but you can't play everything the first time you look at it.

I guess that's about all for this week. In the meantime, figure this out. TRSHSWBWW ILLI? —Reporter

WILL YOU—

"Roses are red,
 Violets are blue,
 Sugar is sweet,
 And we love you."

It seems like ol' Cupid is really at work in our senior class. There are several hearts being pierced around here but they are not all RSHS students.

Bobbie Erwin seems rather interested in a certain "Joe," who is in Dallas right now. Glenda Witt is sending and receiving

letters each day from her "Jackie." Ol' Cupid must have goofed for you, Jack Kaltenbaugh; although, it is rather vice versa for the other Jack. Who is that Glen is after—somebody goofed at Abilene. We haven't been able to stay up to date on Wanda and Mary Perkins, but for the other Mary (me)—well—I still have a crush on that Blanket "Rodney." And for my sister, Martha—it is harder to stay up-to-date on her than it is Wanda and Mary P. What happened to the "Jones Boy," Martha? Has anyone been able to catch on to Sandra's "Valentine"? Eldon seems to have interests other than girls—right, Eldon? Verita and Glenda Gibbard must have sneaked off to Eastland! I haven't been able to catch up on Scotty lately, either, so I guess Sally must be his heart throb. Travis, who is that little blonde from Sidney? J. C. is running off to "Cow Pastures" again to see a Patty? Then, of course, there are Fred, Jerry, Bobby and Howard, who have a crush on under classmen.

Until next week, "Be My Valentine."
 Mary Haynes
 P. S. Excuse all the romance but Dan Cupid only visits once a year.

THE JUNIOR SPIN

Put a nickel in the old juke box, place a record on the turntable, and what do you have? None other than the junior platters! We think we have a very spirited class—at least there is never a dull moment with either twenty-eight. Yes, we lost one, Wayne White, we did have twenty-nine—if only we could gain on attendance. All hopes are gone, entirely.

Pat, what about that twenty thousand ton chain you fully investigated on the back of J. H.'s truck last Thursday? Yes, we'll admit that would really sell for junk iron—at thirty dollars a ton. That would surely look good to the juniors bank account.

How do you like the little autograph books the juniors are selling. They are very cute and most of all they will be excellent memoirs of your "school days."

We "CATS" will be on the verge of going to Llano by the time this appears in the Wildcat Tales—so put a sandwich in your car, and go along to support your team. We need every bit

of it.
 A. P. J. E. T. B. A. S.
 MLD:JAK

SOPH SAYINGS

My thanks to Nelda Lee for the fine job she did last week. A big break for me, Nelda.

Speaking of girls and home-making; has anyone ever eaten a cheese pudding? Sounds good, but, well . . .

I hope no one forgot his sweetheart on Valentine's Day; but now that Valentine's Day is over, it looks like the next big event is going to take place the first of March for the Soph band members. It is the Music Festival in Brady. We leave Friday and will come back Saturday. We hope to have a wonderful time.

Has anybody been keeping up with the hit parade? I'm not trying to be different or anything, but I've made one of my own. It goes like this:

1. "Slinging the Blues"
 2. "Cinder, O Cinder"
 3. "Throw Mama Under the Train"
 4. "See You Later, Investigator" (Fresh from the U.S.S.R.)
 5. "Some Love" (Think a while on this one)
 6. "Jealous Liver"
 7. "Bandanna Boat Song" (An Extra) "Screen Door"
- Guess that about raps it up for this week. See you soon.
 Bill
 (O.A.W.R.F.)

FRESHMEN IN THE NEWS

The Fish are at it again. This time we're driving teachers nutty bouncing and throwing our little rubber balls. Mrs. Claborn, bless her, says it's only our second childhood. Who knows, maybe we never quite made it out of our first. Meanwhile, everyone is wondering, and we are bouncing our little balls. Who knows?

Does everyone know our freshmen for their true selves? Does everyone know that Jacqueline Owens is smart as a whip, willing and eager. Geraldine Owens is quiet and sweet, always ready to lend a hand. Bonnie Sue Morris is the madonna type, pretty but unassuming. Carolyn Elliott is the motherly or sisterly type; whom everyone turns to for comfort and help.

Danelia Darnell is the "brain," the "queen," the "lovely one." Nice too, what else is there to want?
 Bonnie Tyler is good-natured, loved and lovable, cheering to all.

Virginia Townsend is sweet and likable, firm but understanding.

May Bell Kendricks, is very quiet, very nice, very smart, and very much liked.

To really do all our Fish justice, we will have to continue this next week.

A few certain Fish gathered at a certain Fish house to make and circulate basketball posters. Come now, Fish, surely there are more than four who are interested in basketball.

To be good, one must first be good to himself.

A.S.F.S.A.
 Reporter—Jan
 P. S. Did you notice my "words of advice"? A regular Mortimer Snerd, eh?

SPORTS

Friday night we played Goldthwaite on our home courts. Our girls showed to be wonderful basketball players. They played ball against a team that had beaten them 27 points in our first game. Our girls were determined to let them know that Goldthwaite could be beat. Our girls proved this by staying ahead of their girls all the way through. At the end of the ball game we were tied 40-40. We had to play off the tie and our girls came through with 42-40. We are very proud of our girls and we are looking forward to closing our season soon with happy hearts and as good sports.

Next week we play Cross Plains on Tuesday night. We are all hoping we will defeat our rivals again. We beat them in our last game.

Friday night we play Llano. We go to Llano to play this game that we all know will be close and very exciting. The trip to Llano will be very long and tiresome, but I don't think our girls will mind if we manage to come back with a victory.

Last Thursday we selected our captain. There were only two seniors on our team so the girls decided to let them both be our captains.

We need you to back us. Come out and see the youths of today play!

Tressie Chambers

WHAT'S YOUR NAME?

How do you impress other people? Your name holds the clue. See what your first initial of your name stands for in the first column below, and the initial of your last name in the (Continued on Page 4.)

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- Cresada Prints, yd. 98c
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Higher Hog Prices Predicted for 1957 Cattle, Sheep Same

COLLEGE STATION. — Hog prices in 1957 will be well above early 1956 lows and will probably continue higher than last year's prices, except for seasonal fluctuations, predicts John G. McHaney, Extension Economist. Little hope is held for any major uptrend in either cattle or sheep prices.

Swine prices for the first half of 1957 will get their biggest boost from decreased slaughter because a smaller 1956 pig crop will supply slaughter animals until August of this year. It looks like the 1957 spring pig crop might equal that of 1956, due to lower corn prices and improved profit opportunities, McHaney says.

Total cattle numbers and prices will depend largely on 1957 pasture conditions. Although prices will probably be above the depressed figures of early 1956 no real gain is forecast for 1957, declares McHaney, because indications for cattle and calf slaughter in 1957 appear as large as 1956.

Sheep and lamb prices after the middle of 1957 may be below 1956 figures, while prices during the first half of the year will tend to be above those of a year ago, McHaney explains. Prolonged Southwestern drought is the main drawback against expansion in sheep production although encouragement comes from the wool incentive program and currently higher lamb prices. No reduction in sheep slaughter and no great increase in prices is likely until farmers and ranchers hold back more ewes for breeding.

Summarizing the meat animal outlook, McHaney predicts a year of large meat supplies only slightly under the 1956 record volume.

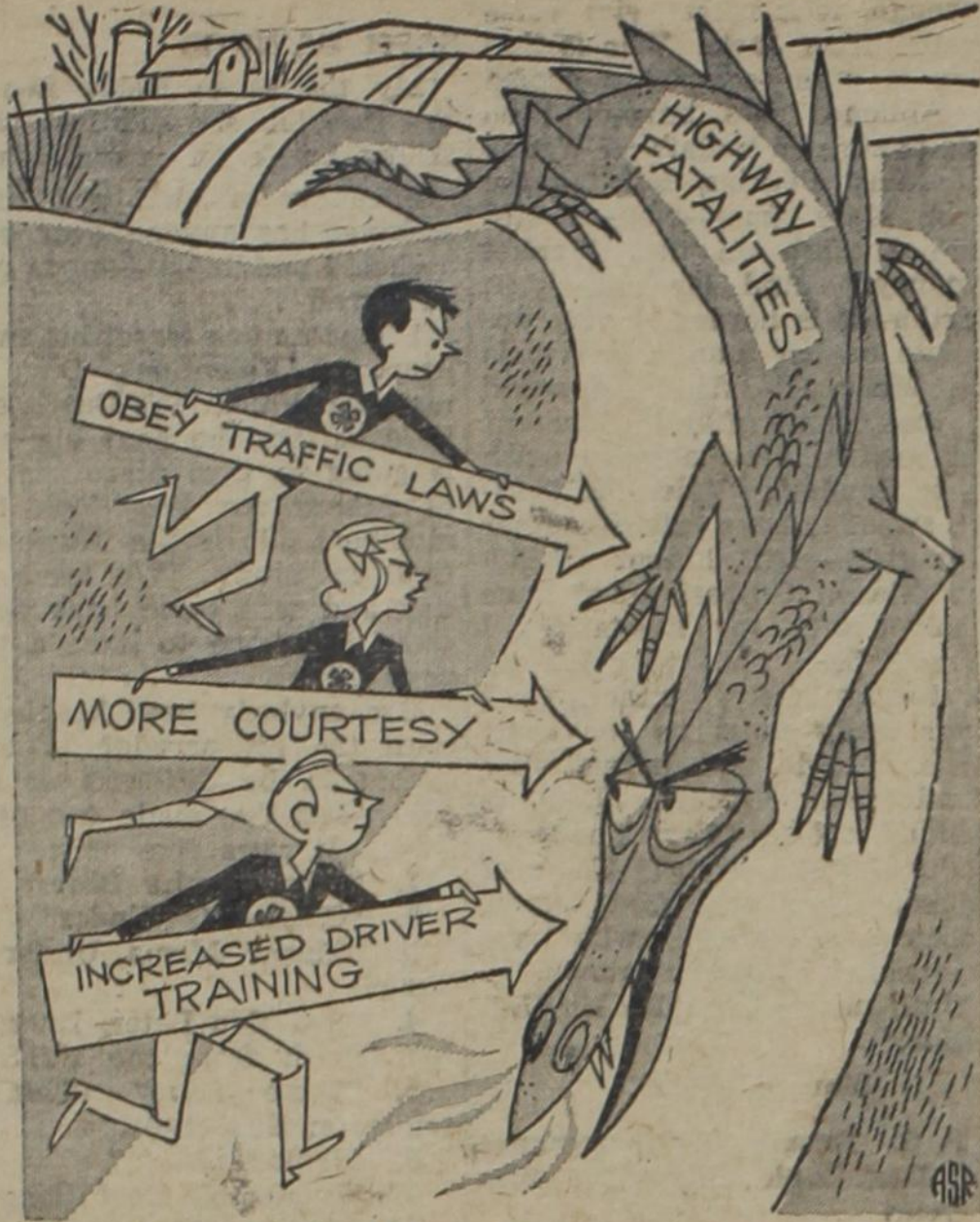
Fast Living Costs Vital Ingredient Of Life-Sleep

AUSTIN. — The supersonic speed of modern life is costing us one of the most vital ingredients of good health—sleep.

That's the considered opinion of experts at the State Department of Health who remember the easy, languid existence of days gone by—when be bop was just a hiccup.

Twenty years ago people got

4-H Vows to Slay Highway Dragon



More than two million 4-H members are waging an all-out attack on the fire breathing dragon of traffic fatalities which menaces the safety and happiness of American motorists.

Led by the eight national winners of General Motors scholarships for outstanding 4-H safety activities, the 35th National 4-H Congress has pledged to "Back the Attack on Traffic Accidents." The national winners and 34 other state winners received all-expense trips to the 4-H Congress in Chicago from General Motors, awards donor for the program for the 12th consecutive year.

"Traffic accidents take nearly 42,000 lives each year—one every thirteen minutes," the national winners told newsmen.

Young People Most Deeply Affected

Young people should be the most concerned about cutting this toll because it is our futures that are the most deeply affected. Increased driver training, more courtesy on the highway and stricter observance of traffic laws were the safety experts' suggestions for top weapons in the fight against accidents.

Typical of the group was Richard Mitchell of Denver, Colo. who is president of the Colorado Teenage Traffic Safety Association. He has staged a number of "Teenage Road-e-os" to test driving skill.

Safety Season Always Open

"If a motorist is alert, skillful and consistently careful, he has a good chance of RETURNING from his destination instead of just ARRIVING there," he said.

Other national winners included: Earl Lee Norton, Attala, Ala.; Anita Mae Wenger, Powhattan, Kansas; Richard Parsons, Parsons, Mo.; Clyde Templeton, Olin, N.C.; Ella Lou Hembree, Braman, Okla.; LoReta Hals, Spanish Fork, Utah; and Marjorie Rauwerdink, Sheboygan Falls, Wis.

Here is the slogan all the GM award winners suggest to everyone alike: THE SEASON FOR SAFETY IS ALWAYS OPEN!

plenty of sleep and were better off for it, the health men said in making recommendations for avoiding insomnia. People knew about fission in those days, but it was the hook and line variety, rather than nuclear. Things have changed.

Say you stay up for 20 hours a day. If you follow this routine for a week or so at a time, first thing you'll notice is your hands jumping from nervousness. A dull ache will begin gnawing

at the base of your skull. You'll be picky and indifferent toward food.

You'll be quarrelsome — projecting casual remarks all out of proportion. It will sound like an insult when someone says hello. You might think a good night's sleep will fix you up. Maybe it will—on the surface. The nervousness might leave you and the headache might disappear. It could be that a single night of sleep will give you the

sweet disposition that was formerly sour grapes.

But it's all on the surface. During the stretch of sleeplessness your heart may have been strained, your blood pressure increased, your digestion upset. "These things," to quote State Health Commissioner Henry A. Holle, "cannot be put aright by a mere eight hours in bed."

Sleep, the commissioner says, gives the human body a chance to recover from the fatigue of one trying day before the assault of the next. And it has to be natural to be beneficial. That's why sleeping potions are undesirable as a steady diet.

You have to plan a sound sleep, and unclutter your mind a couple of hours before retiring. Here are the department's recommendations for doing exactly that:

Do your heavy thinking before supper. Make it a rule that after the evening meal your brain gets a rest. Subdue the lights around the house. Lights keep you alert, besides being

tough on the power bill.

Get lots of fresh air. Sitting quietly on the porch might encourage the relaxation so necessary for dropping off into sound sleep. So might a short drive—if you avoid main travelled roads. Reading light fiction is also relaxing, but stay away from the gory private eye stuff.

Develop a bedtime ritual, the more sedate the better, to condition your mind for bed. And when you do retire, deliberately try to blank out those random thoughts that steal into your mind.

WILDCAT TALES—

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second. The two words with these letters tell all about you. If you're Jane Jones, you're a jolly joker, but if your name is Frank Martin, look out.

FIRST NAME — A-dorable; B-eautiful; C-ute; D-elightful; E-ntrancing; F-abulous; G-orge-

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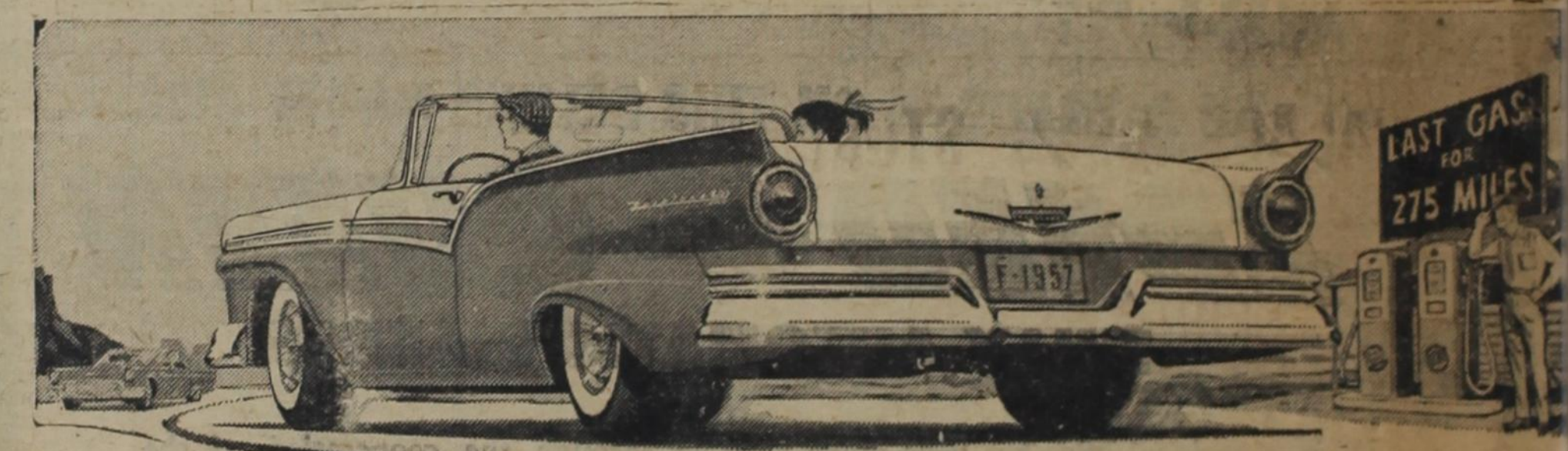
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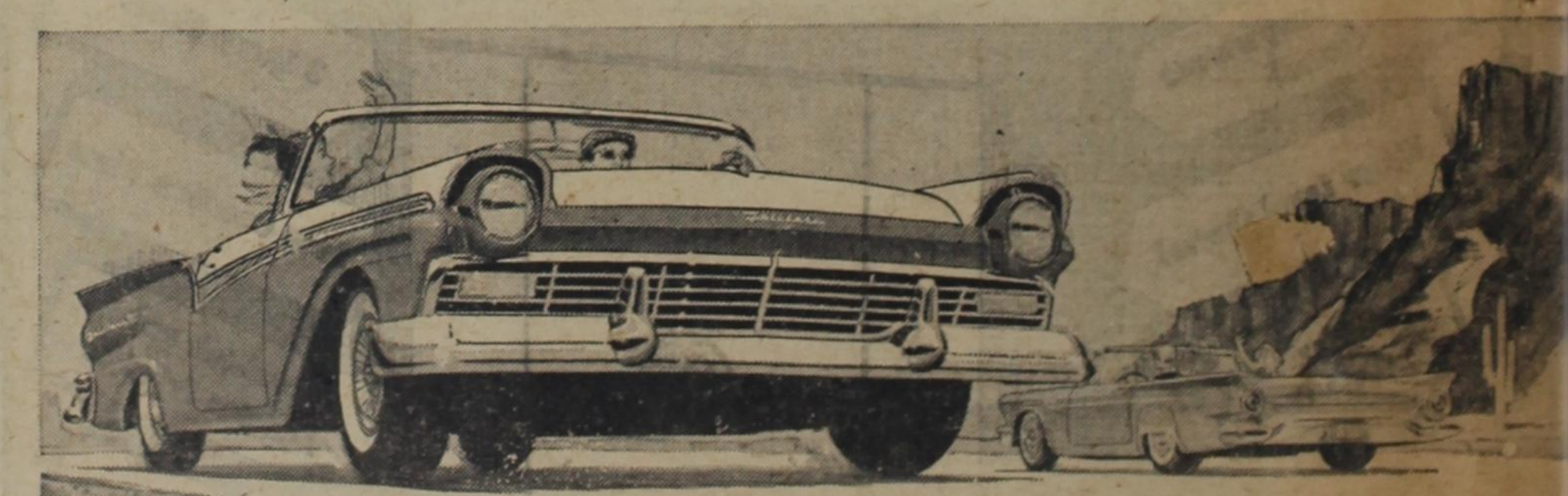
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