

1955 Chrysler Sales 78% Over Last Jan.

Sales of 1955 Chryslers and Imperials for the second 10 days of January, 1955, increased more than 78 per cent over the same period a year ago, reports E. M. Braden, general sales manager, Chrysler Division, Chrysler Corporation.

Dealers delivered 4,755 of the new cars to owners during the second 10 days of January, 1955, compared to deliveries of 2,670 cars for the same period in 1954.

Chrysler sales are not only rising this month—they're going to move on upward as the weeks pass, Braden said.

The new multi-million-dollar manufacturing plant announced recently by Chrysler Division will help fill the demand we anticipate for Chryslers and Imperials in the future, Braden pointed out.

Not only are new car sales up among Chrysler dealers—used car sales are up as well. For the 10-day period ending January 20, Chrysler dealers sold 13,555 used cars, a gain of 24 per cent over the 11,013 used cars sold in the previous 10-day period.

Reasons for Chrysler and Imperial's accelerated sales this year aren't hard to find, said Braden. "Our two new V-8 engines—the 250 horsepower Firepower V-8 and the 188 horsepower Spit-Fire V-8 give Chrysler

and Imperial performance leadership." Design leadership is provided by fully automatic PowerFlite transmission with selector lever on the dash, double-wide-pedal power brakes and full-time coaxial power steering, Braden said.

A total of 87 new features, plus the flashing new Forward Look styling of Chrysler and Imperial in 1955 are bringing us the greatest public acceptance in Chrysler's 31-year history, Braden concluded.

Heart Symposium In Gastonia Feb. 14th

Invitations have been issued to physicians of Gaston County and the surrounding thirty counties in North Carolina as well as nearby counties in South Carolina to attend a Heart Symposium to be held at the Masonic Temple in Gastonia on February 14th at 8:00 p.m.

Dr. Benjamin Manchester, an outstanding cardiologist, will address the medical meeting on the subject, "Advances in Cardiovascular Diseases."

Heart Specialist To Speak In Gastonia On February 14th

Dr. Benjamin Manchester, one of the country's leading heart specialists, will talk at the Gastonia High School Auditorium at 8:00 p.m. on February 14th. Dr. W. A. Anthony, President of the Gaston County Heart Association, will introduce the speaker.

Dr. John G. Smith, President of the North Carolina Heart Association, will be present at the meeting to tell what is being done in North Carolina to improve conditions concerning heart disease, our country's number one killer.

After Dr. Manchester's talk, the audience will have an opportunity to ask questions of Dr. Manchester at the University of North Carolina School of Medicine. Dr. Robert McMillan, from Bowman Gray School of Medicine, and Dr. Manchester, The Heart Association hopes that as many people as possible will be present at this meeting which is being presented for the

benefit of the public. Here is a chance to get an answer to your questions concerning your heart. Hearts come only one to a customer. Protect yours!

Announcing a statewide goal of \$100,000, the North Carolina Heart Association, under the chairmanship of William Muirhead of Durham, today launched its sixth annual month-long Heart Campaign, the public appeal through which the heart program is made possible.

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Looking Backward

50 YEARS AGO Items taken from the first copy of The Eagle published, August 31st, 1905, 50 years ago: Mrs. J. R. Beam is visiting her father, Moses Stroup, near Bessemer City, this week.

W. O. Harrelson, a jolly farmer of the Pan-Handle section was among the many visitors to Cherryville last week. Messrs. Lewis and William Allan, Jacob McGinnas and Presley Styers attended the children's day at Bess's Chapel Sunday.

Miss Annie Dotz, the efficient stenographer at Kendrick Motor Co., is on a vacation. She is visiting friends in Shelby at present. Rev. E. H. Kohn made a pleasant trip to Gastonia Monday.

Mr. Bessie Kendrick returned yesterday from a pleasant visit to relatives in Kings Mountain. J. B. Houser has been on the sick list this week. He is glad to announce that he is improving. There will be a picnic held at Old Furnace Saturday. Every body is cordially invited to attend.

Evon L. Houser, of the Eagle office, is somewhat indisposed. We hope for him a speedy recovery. General Ford and two sisters, Margie and Dottie, of Bessemer City, visited at J. A. Allan's Sunday.

Dr. R. J. Morrison has a new car. Buy one and have a complete theatre in your home. Dr. W. A. Goble, of Waco, was about recovered from an attack of typhoid fever, but it is hoped he will soon be able to enter upon his duties.

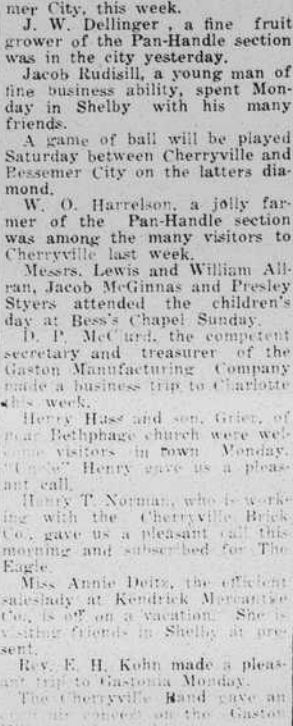
Huss Austin Company A charter was issued last week to the Huss Austin Company, of Salisbury, for the sale of spirituous liquors at a capital of \$10,000. J. H. Woodley, J. W. Huss and others. These gentlemen formerly resided here and their fine business abilities bespeak for them a successful career.

Clayd meat should be smoked for adequate protection and wise management of our soil, water, national forest, grassland and wildlife resources. President Eisenhower will honor the White House during Boy Scout Week the 12 Boy Scouts and Explorers having the most outstanding records of conservation.

Key speakers at Lenoir Rhyne College campaign State-Wide assembly at St. Andrews Church, Hickory, February 3. (Left to Right) The Rev. J. R. Brookhoff, D. D., Pastor of St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Charlotte, who will address the morning session of the assembly on "The Challenge of Christian Higher Education," and Dr. I. G. Greer, Executive Vice President of the Business Foundation of North Carolina, Inc., Chapel Hill who will speak at the evening session on "The Church College in a Free Society."

SCOUTS, OBSERVE 45th BIRTHDAY

Building FOR A BETTER Tomorrow



Boy Scout Week, Feb. 6 to 12, marking the 45th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America, will be observed throughout the nation by more than 3,660,000 boys and adult leaders. Since 1910, more than 22,750,000 boys and men have been members.

Through many varied activities the nation's 3,660,000 Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Explorers and adult leaders will observe the 45th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America during Boy Scout Week, Feb. 6 to 12, with its theme, "Building for a Better Tomorrow."

Boy Scout Week is the largest annual single observance by young citizens. Since Scouting's incorporation in Washington, D. C., Feb. 8, 1910, more than 22,750,000 boys and leaders have been enrolled.

The 55,000 units in all parts of the nation, its territories and overseas bases, will dramatize through demonstrations, exhibits, service projects and "not luck" programs with parents participating the purpose of Scouting and the rich heritage it has in this country.

Boy Scout Week commences the National Conservation Good Turn which has undertaken at the request of President Eisenhower, the Honorary President, Members will report at their sponsoring institutions and public officials have been notified in advising the public recognition of the need for adequate protection and wise management of our soil, water, national forest, grassland and wildlife resources.

Some will "fill" government positions an hour or two to learn the functions of public office. At high schools many will use recess periods to demonstrate tree planting and outdoor manners and also school conservation exhibits.

Boy Scout Sunday will be observed Feb. 6 in thousands of churches with Scouts and leaders attending services in uniform. Those of Jewish faith will observe Boy Scout Sabbath in synagogues and temples Friday evening and members recommit themselves to Saturday, Feb. 4 and 5.

GASTONIA SOLDIER IN TRAINING MANEUVER

U. S. Forces, Alaska—Sergeant First Class James B. Melton, whose wife, Rachel, lives at 353 E. Rich, Gastonia, N. C., is participating in "Exercise Snow Bird," a joint Army-Air Force training maneuver, in Alaska.

Airborne units, ground troops and equipment are being tested in the exercise for operation in temperatures as low as 50 degrees below zero.

Melton, son of J. C. Melton, is a section sergeant in Medical Company of the 71st Infantry Division's 53d Regiment. He entered the Army in 1951 and was previously assigned at Fort Bragg, N. C.

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GASTONIA SOLDIER SPENDS LEAVE IN TOKYO, JAPAN

Tokyo—PFC Carl Mecum, 19, son of Mrs. J. Mecum, Gastonia, N. C., recently spent a week's leave in Tokyo from his unit in Korea. Tokyo is Japan's largest metropolitan area and one of the largest cities in the world.

Mecum, regularly stationed in Korea with the 67th Ordnance Ammunition Battalion's Headquarters Detachment, entered the Army in June 1953 and arrived overseas in December of the same year.

Among commissioned vessels in the U. S. Navy, destroyer escorts are ships out among all others. That includes the whole list—warships, amphibious vessels, mine warfare, patrol and auxiliary vessels.

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