

Poll Report Shows Democrats Would Retain House Control

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 PRINCETON, N. J. — Results of the latest nationwide "trial heat" of voter preference for Congress (House of Representatives) by Princeton Research Service's United States Poll show Democratic candidates for the House of Representatives running ahead of Republican candidates by a margin of 6 percent.

Today's results are of special significance because they provide an excellent indication of the basic strengths of the two major political parties in the nation some 13½ months before the all-important Presidential and Congressional Elections.

Here are the figures that show present-day Democratic-Republican strength across the U. S. A. "If you were voting for Congressman TODAY, would you be most likely to vote for the Republican, the Democratic, or the candidate of some other party?"

NATIONWIDE

	Democratic	Republican
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gress (House of Representatives) by a margin of 5.16 percent.

The official vote shows that the Democrats took 52.58 percent of the major party vote; the Republicans, 47.42 percent. (The United States Poll predicted the vote within three-fourths of one percent — seventy-two hundredths of one percent to be exact.)

When today's results are stacked up alongside the national Congressional vote in the 1946, 1948, 1950, 1952, and 1954 Elections, the trend looks like this:

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Thrill Show Is Set For Cleveland Fair

SHELBY, Sept. 14 — "Auto Race Day" at the colorful Cleveland County Fair, Saturday afternoon, Sept. 24, already promises to surpass all others for dazzling speed and nerve-chilling thrills.

Six events, highlighting a 20-lap Cleveland County Fair sweepstakes, brings back to the fair skilled drivers of the crack United Racing Club (URC). The program is under the direction of Sam Uanis Speedways.

Harry Johnson, URC president of Philadelphia, Pa., already has hand-picked the club's leading drivers for the coming fair races. He announced that there was a strong possibility the drivers would sweep all of the standing records off the books and enter new marks this year.

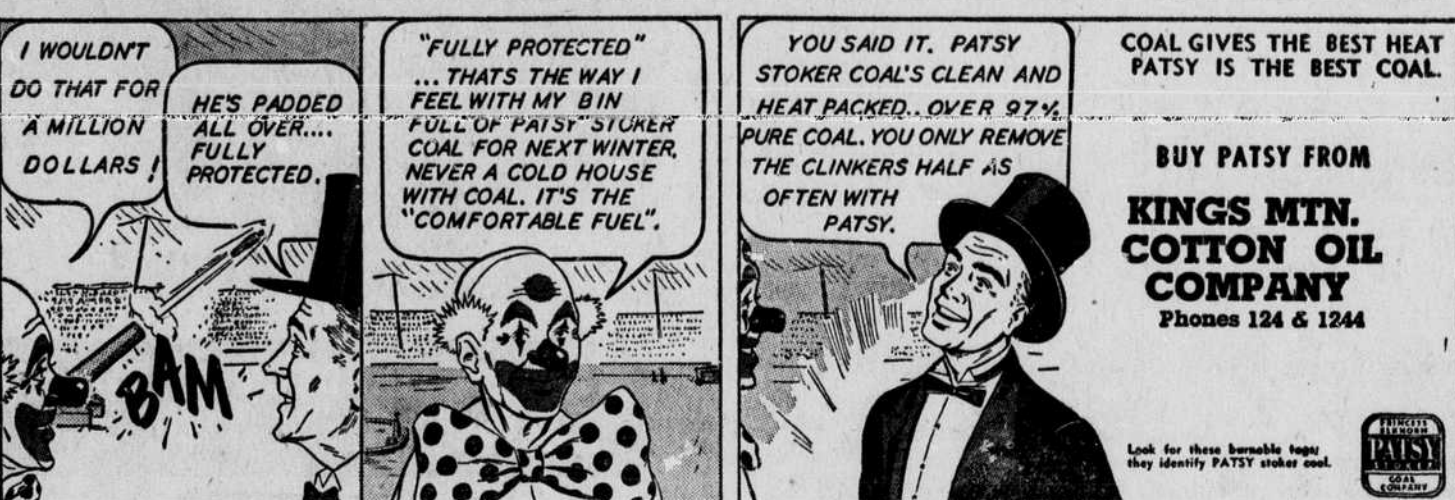
That being the case, it will be possible for the speedsters to hang up at least three new records in the events coming up. Qualifying time trials (one lap) and four eight-lap heat races precede the 20-lap feature on Sept. 24.

Dr. J. S. Dorton, Cleveland County Fair president, this year as usual is going all out to assure the fans of top-flight auto races. The fairground half-mile track is to be resealed "ready ready" for the events, and many tons of dust-withholding chloride applied prior to starting time, he stated.

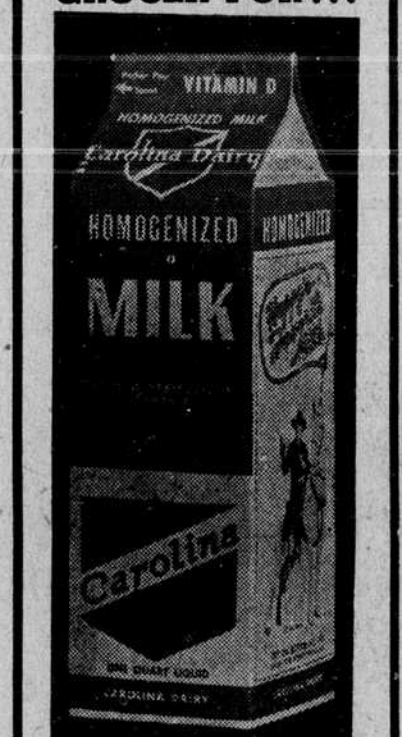
Starting time for the fair races is 1 p. m. for the time trials and 2:30 p. m. for the opening race.

Prexy Johnson disclosed that he'll endeavor to have all of the drivers that thrilled the fair audience last year, plus many others, on hand for the races on Sept. 24.

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LIVING ROOM — WHAT TO DO DAILY: Empty wastepaper baskets and ash trays, discard newspapers.

Wipe off and rearrange table, desk, mantel top, bookcases.

Vacuum upholstery if necessary.

Adjust window and lamp shades, slip covers, pillows, etc.

WHAT TO DO WEEKLY: Clear room of week's accumulation of magazines, etc.

Clean ashes out of fireplace. Open windows.

Cancer Clinic Opened Tuesday

The Cleveland county cancer detection clinic opened Sept. 6 in Shelby with 30 patients visiting the clinic. Dr. Avery McMurray, clinic director, reported Wednesday.

Dr. McMurray noted that there were no evidences of cancer but that of the total patients examined, 23 revealed abnormal findings. Cases of 14 patients were forwarded to the patient's personal physicians, he added.

Voluntary helpers at the clinic listed by Dr. McMurray, include Mrs. R. H. Pruitt, Mrs. Jessie Hammock, Mrs. Zella Sweezy, Mrs. Avery McMurray, Mrs. Sadie Hamrick, Mrs. Parrish, Mrs. Lowery Austell, Mrs. Margaret Brown, Mrs. J. R. Horne, and Miss Addie Moss.

Vacuum ceilings, mouldings, walls, doors, draperies and light fixtures.

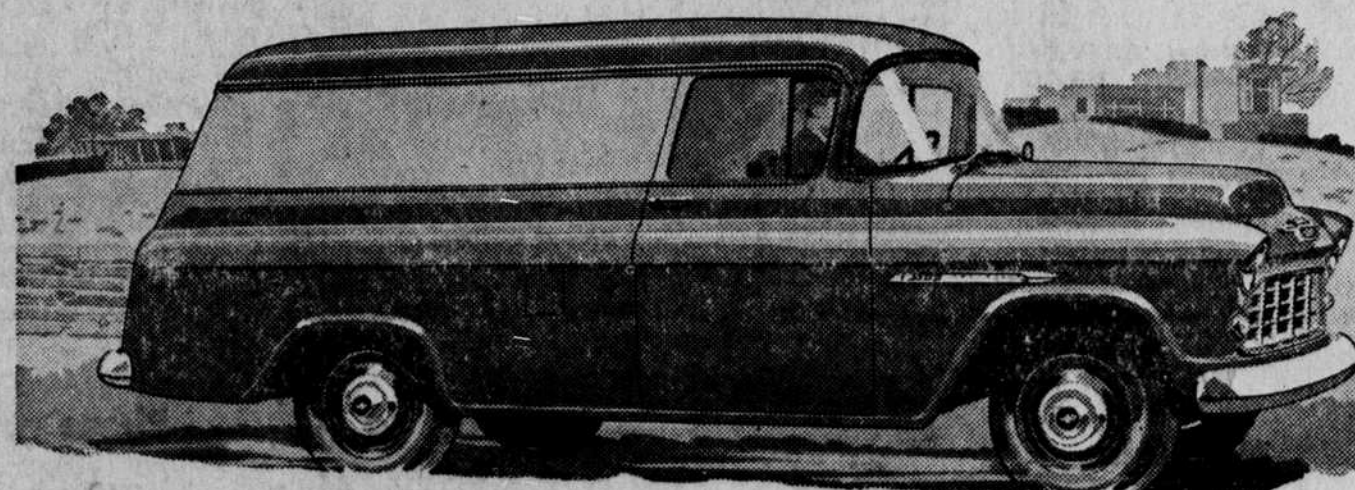
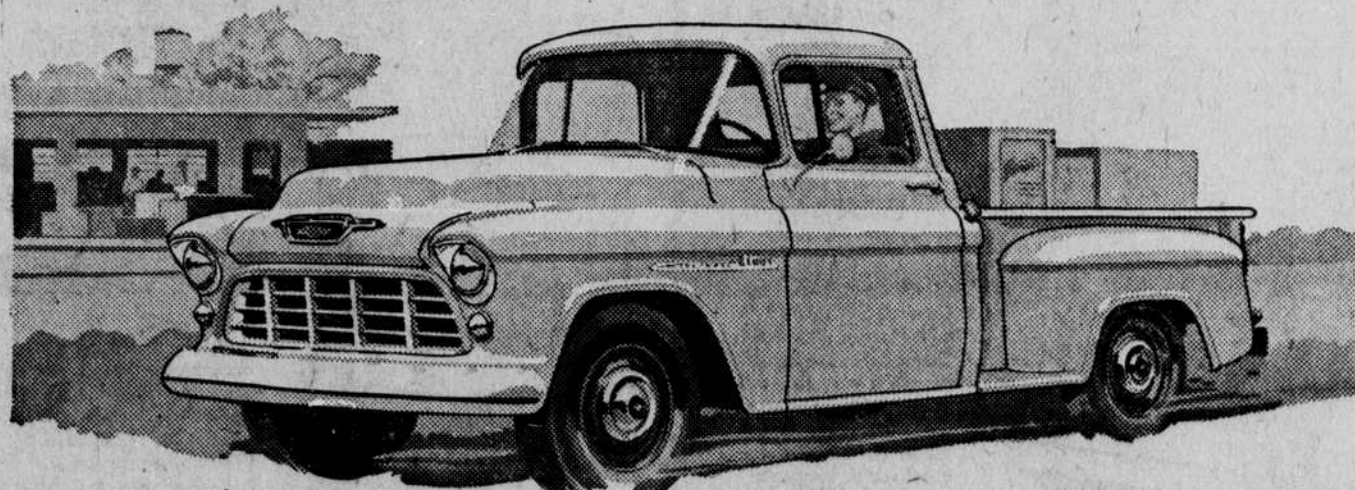
Clean vases, mirrors, light bulbs, lamp reflectors, etc.

Vacuum upholstery, lamp shades, bookshelves, Venetian blinds.

Vacuum bare floors, baseboards. Wax or polish floors.

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