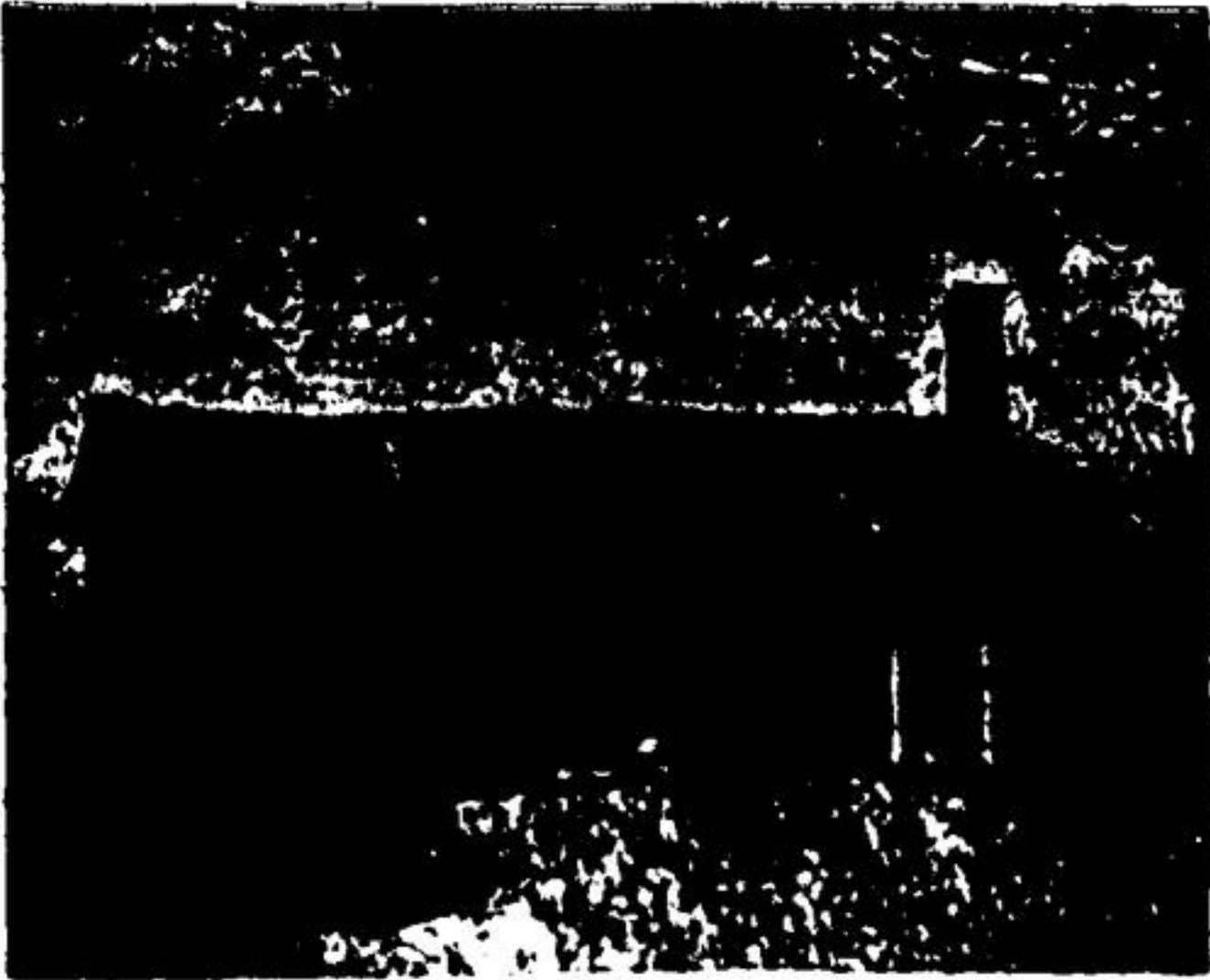
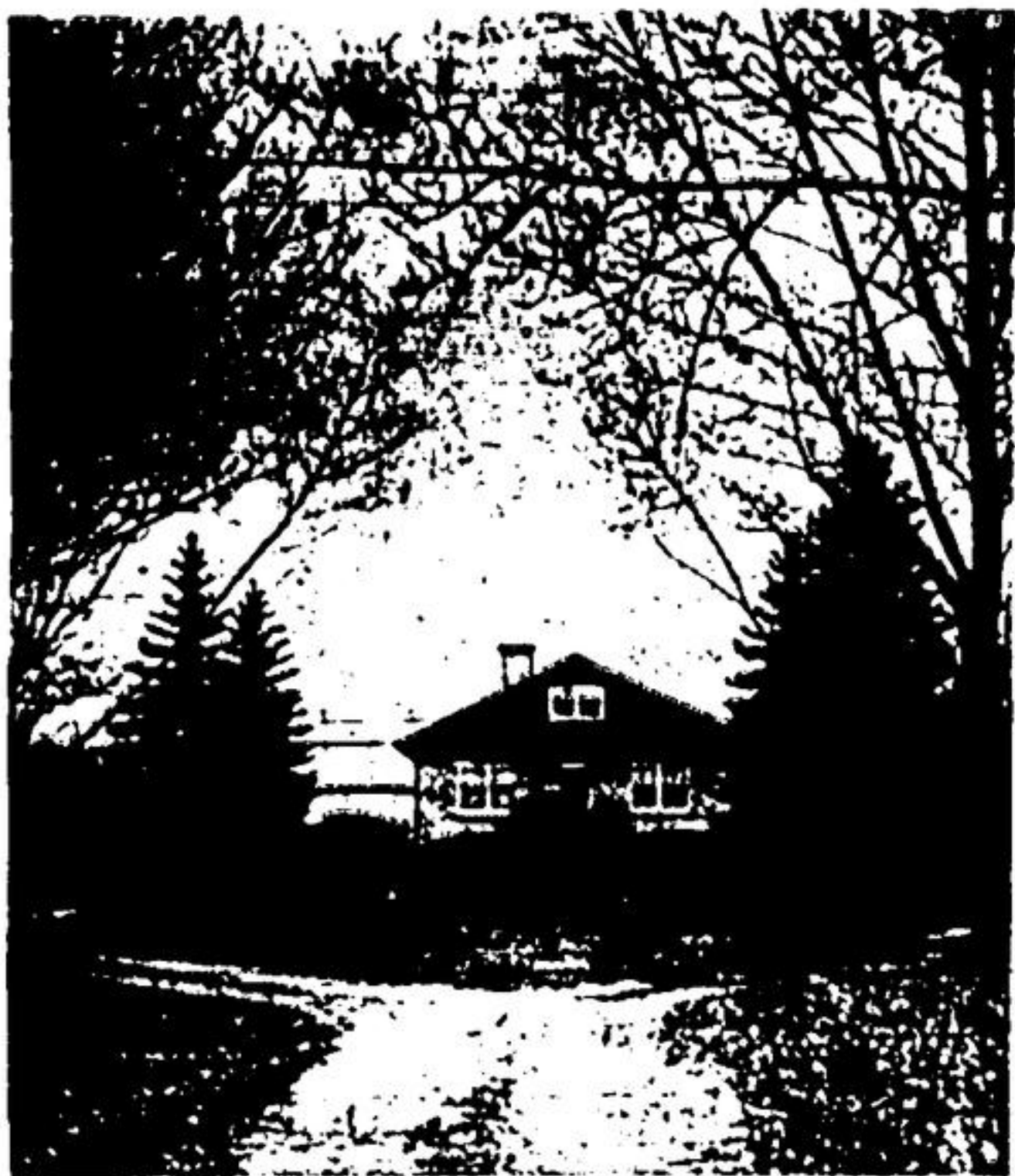


Speyside's First Log Cabin . . .



All that's left of Speyside's first log cabin



Farm home of Dr. H. A. Beatty, of Toronto

WHAT COUNCIL DID

May Convert Basement To Municipal Garage

Possibility of converting the basement of the Municipal Building into a garage and storage depot for town equipment was suggested to Georgetown Council Monday by Reeve Allen.

Cr. Thomas L. Lyons, who is property chairman, said he thought a building should be acquired for this purpose and Reeve Allen and Deputy Reeve Norton recalled last year's proposal to remodel the basement, which could be heated by the present furnace.

Two new street lights will be installed on Valleyview Road in the Orr subdivision.

Mrs. A. G. M. Bruyns and J. L. Lambert were reappointed to 3-yr. terms on the Library Board.

An offer of \$80 from Herb Poston, Sr. for the furnace last used to heat the auditorium in the old town hall was accepted by council.

Informed that Sunbeam Construction Co has asked the Dept. of Planning to approve another new subdivision which would be behind their present one under construction on the Tyers property, council withheld any action until the contractors interview them. The property is owned by Bob Lane and the subdivision would contain two new streets, Byron and Shelley.

During the discussion, it was learned that no action is contemplated by a contractor who interviewed council last year concerning a subdivision of Harold Cleave's farm. The Dept. of Planning has approved the Hewson Manor subdivision, but no building has yet been done.

Council will consider purchase of a new town truck this year. The road committee will prepare specifications for submission to the next council meeting, and at that time it will be decided whether tenders will be called.

Because of high costs of expropriating land owned by Mayor Armstrong which will be used in the Elm Street extension, council will ask an independent man to give council a report on his estimation of the property's value, and if suitable to both parties, the land will be acquired by direct purchase. The Milton assessor will be asked to act in this capacity.

Snowflakes Have Become Million Dollar Crop

The tables have turned on that fluffy, often frivolous, little child of nature—the snowflake.

Long irresponsible and playful, both a delight and torment to man, the tiny winter visitor is being put to work at last. In the mountains of the West, snow is now recognized as a "billion-dollar" crop, the difference between disaster and prosperity for millions of people.

Three melting snows provide water for reservoirs and irrigation ditches in 11 western states. So necessary are they to the economy that even reluctant snowflakes are being enticed to earth by weather-making airplanes pilots who shoot moisture-laden clouds with pellets of dry ice and other agents. This wooing may not always work, but the effort is being made.

Across the nation wherever ski enthusiasts gather in winter sports resorts, arrival of the snowflake means a successful season; non-arrival means financial loss.

Is Marquis Lafayette Forgotten By Americans?

Have Americans forgotten Lafayette?

In an obscure private cemetery in Paris, across the city from popular tourist haunts, his grave lies covered with a blanket of Massachusetts soil brought from historic Bunker Hill and marked by an American flag. Yet reports come that no visitor from the United States has called at tiny Cimetiere de Picpus for nearly a year.

It was scarcely more than a century ago when the news of Lafayette's death threw this nation into deep, well-nigh universal mourning. President Andrew Jackson ordered the same military honors accorded him as marked the passing of President George Washington 25 years earlier.

On every army post, navy station and ship 24 guns were fired at daybreak and throughout the day every half hour until sunset, a lone gun boomed solemnly. Officers wore bands of black for six months.

Origin of Agony

It is strange that a word which denotes anguish and intolerable pain should have its origin in a festive sport event, yet this is the case with agony. In ancient Greece, agony was an assembly at games and athletic contests. Agonia was the contest or struggle for the prize. From the meaning "a struggle for victory in the games," agonia gradually broadened to mean any physical struggle, an activity fraught with difficulty as well. Our own word agony, borrowed from this source, meant struggle or anguish of mind, then the throes of death, and hence any extreme bodily pain.

Start Plants Early

Early January is a good time to start cabbage, lettuce, and broccoli plants in seed boxes. Boxes should be kept in a warm room until seed sprout. However, when the first plants come through the soil or just before they come through, move boxes to a cooler place where the plants will come up in bright daylight. To produce stocky plants, they should be thinned to about two inches apart as soon as they are up. Three level tablespoons of fertilizer mixed into three inches of top soil for each box two feet square is a good rate.

Hope Diamond

Named for its one-time London owner, the 44 1/2-carat Hope Diamond is presumed to be part of the Tavernier Blue, brought from India in 1666. The Tavernier was cut and made part of the French crown jewels which were stolen in 1792. Reappearing in much reduced size as the Hope Diamond, it is associated by tradition with eleven violent deaths, and tragedy in two royal houses.

Cinderella Metal

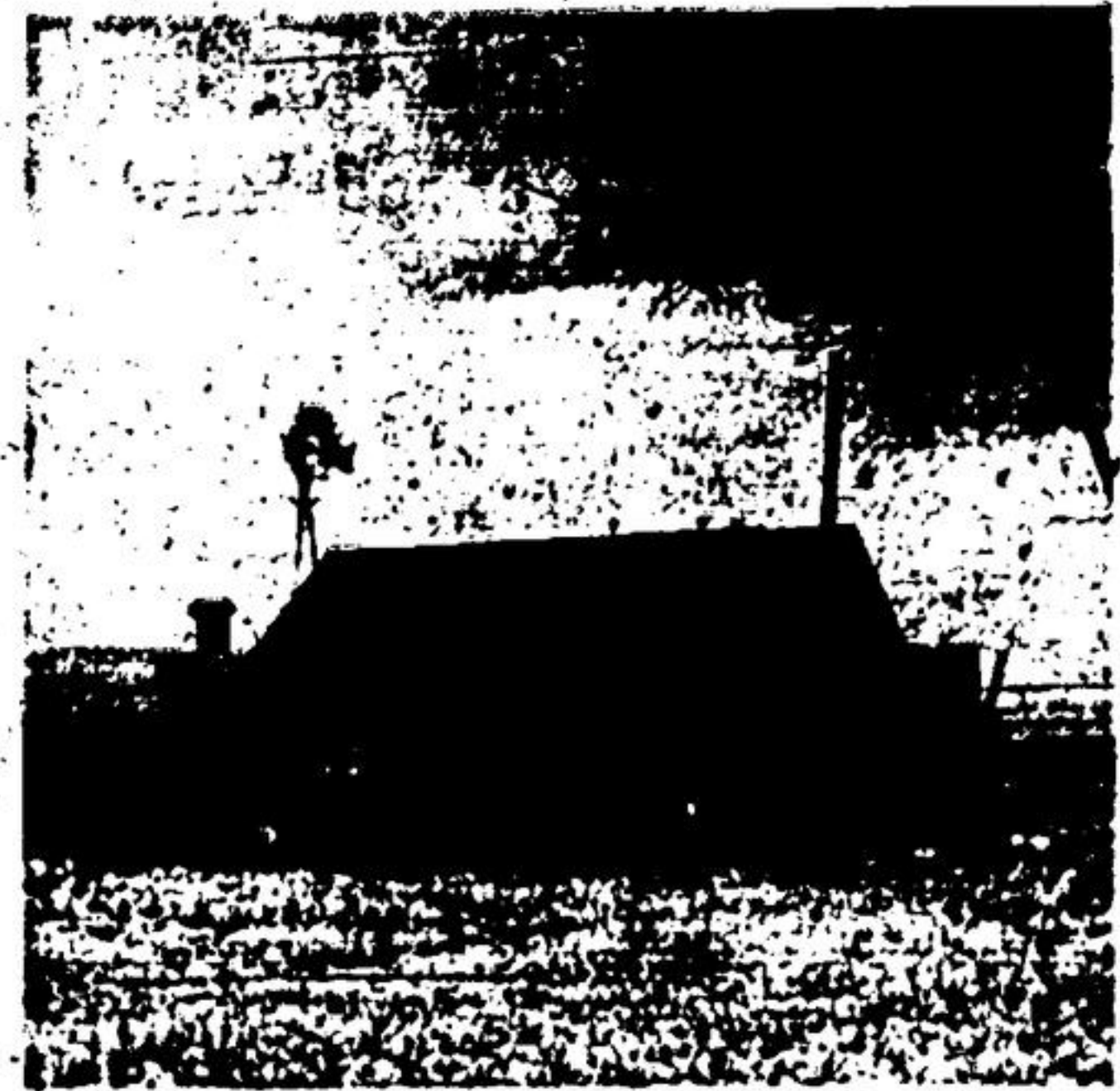
Sneered at even today by adjectives such as "tinny" and product nicknames like "tin lizzie," tin has become the Cinderella metal of modern life. The world rides on tin, with automobiles, trains, airplanes and ocean liners using tin in many different ways. Tin plate makes cans and containers for literally thousands of different products. Collapsible tin tubes make many more ready to use at the squeeze of a finger. Tinfoil wraps still others.

Dubrovnik

Dubrovnik, town of 18,000 on Yugoslavia's Adriatic Sea coast, was long known by its Italian name, Ragusa. Waxing rich as a maritime power in the Middle Ages, Ragusa launched countless ships in sea trade, notes the National Geographic Society. A Ragusan vessel was called a ragusa—from which nickname came the word argosy.

Regulations

Livestock people often rebel at state regulations governing the movement of animals. This, more often than not, is a result of a misunderstanding as to the importance of such regulations. Individuals should bear in mind that all such regulations have been adopted by the state for protection of livestock against disease.



Former Speyside post office, now farm shed

GRAND UNION

Carroll's LIMITED

CANNED GOODS SALE 2nd BIG WEEK

CORN	Aylmer Cream	2 20-OZ. TINS	29c.	Doc. Tins	\$1.69
PEAS	Aylmer Choice	2 20-OZ. TINS	37c.	Doc. Tins	\$2.19
BEANS	Aylmer With Pork	2 20-OZ. TINS	33c.	Doc. Tins	\$1.95
CATSUP	AYLMER	2	11-OZ. BTL.		39c
PEACHES	Aylmer Choice	2	20-OZ. TINS		45c
FRUIT COCKTAIL	Aylmer	2	15-OZ. TINS		45c
STRAWBERRY JAM	Aylmer Pectin	2	24-OZ. TIN		39c

BATH SIZE

Camay Soap	With 10c Coupon inside	2 Cakes	27c
Blue Cheer	With 25c Coupon in Pkg.	GIANT	79c
Maple Leaf	Soap Flakes	PACKAGE	35c, 96c

PARAMOUNT FANCY SOCKEYE

SALMON	1/2-LB. TIN	35c
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PINEAPPLE	Half Slice 20-OZ. TIN	29c
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Cheez Whiz	JAR	35c, 65c
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MUSTARD	FRENCH'S JAR	13c, 17c
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From England — Fresh

LIGORICE ALLSORTS	LB.	35c
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Tea Bags	Carroll's PACKAGE	35c, 65c, 97c
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Instant Coffee	ROMAR 2-OZ. JAR	53c
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MILK	CANADIAN MAID EVAPORATED	2 16-OZ. TINS	25c
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Buy By The Carton and Save —

Cigarettes	Popular Brands	\$2.99	Other Brands	\$2.69
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WIN A NEW FORD IN THE KRAFT CONTEST

Parkay Margarine	LB.	37c
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QUAKER OATS	5-LB. BAG	48c
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Pancake Floor	Anti-Jamming—Pkg.	21c
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Fruit Cake Mix

	AYLMER or OGILVIE'S — PKG.	69c
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Brock's Bird Seed	10-OZ. PKG.	25c
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PUSS N'BOOTS FOOD	CAT 15-OZ. TINS	35c
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KEN-L-MEAL	5-LB. BAG	32c
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GRAPEFRUIT

	SIZE 96, FLORIDA U.S. NO. 1	10 for 45c
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JONATHAN APPLES	Canada Fancy 3 lb. cello bag	39c
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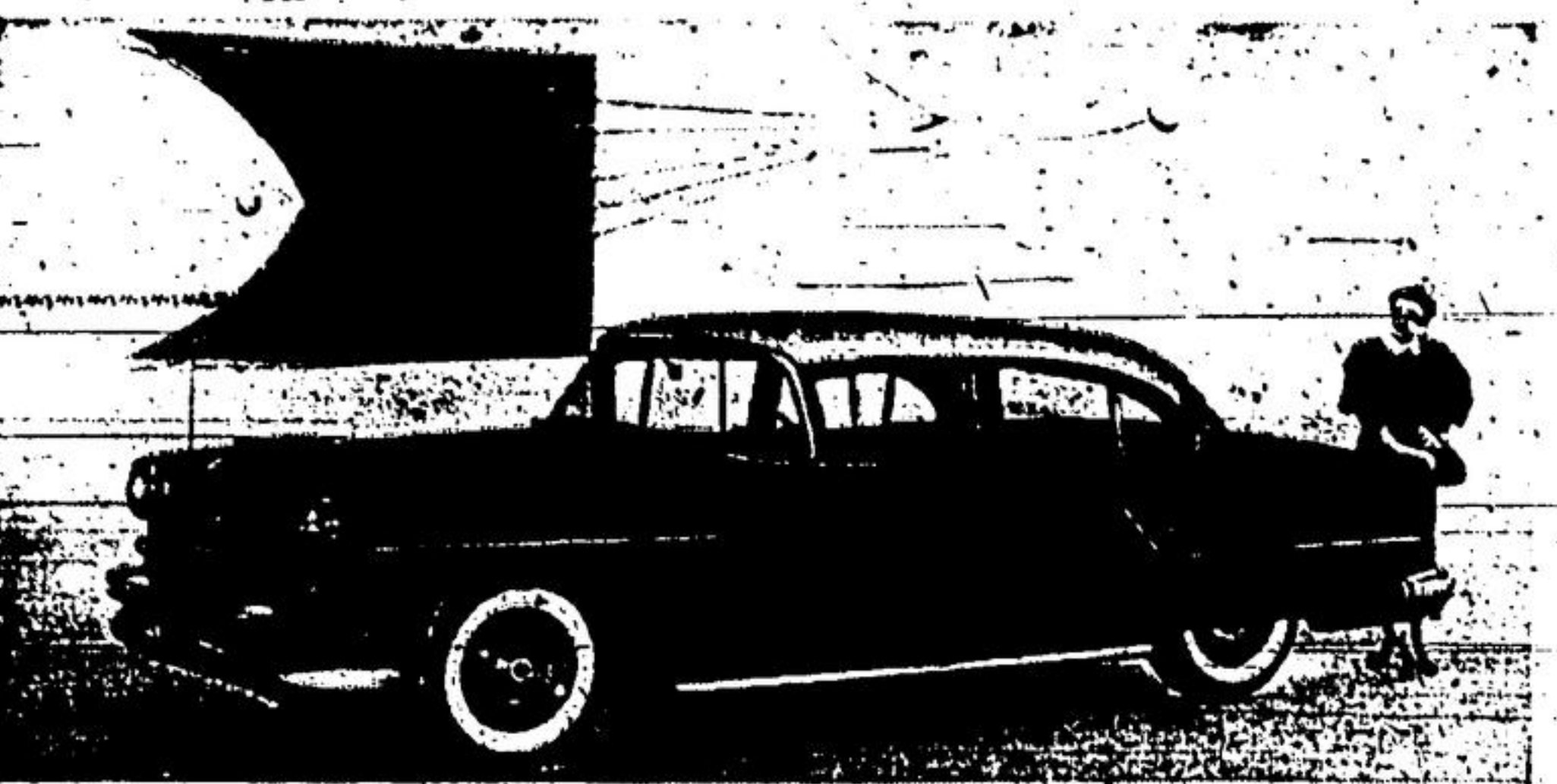
FLORIDA TOMATOES	U.S. No. 1 Cello Pkg.	19c
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HEAD LETTUCE	24's U.S. No. 1	2 for 29c
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TEXAS CABBAGE



Crawford Douglas and his mother, Mrs. Wm. Douglas



1954 OLDSMOBILE SUPER "88" FOUR-DOOR SEDAN

Road-hugging beauty and a smooth ride are characteristic of this lowest of Oldsmobiles, the 1954 model, with road height of 60.5 inches as exemplified in this Super "88" four-door sedan. The custom-styled panoramic windshield greatly increases forward vision and helps accent the low contour hood and rear deck. The wraparound windshield gracefully merges with the new keystone-shaped wind vent. The cowli-wind ventilator with stainless steel intake grille improves the heating and fresh air ventilation system, which is incorporated in a compact unit at the rear of the engine compartment. Interior appointments are luxurious, with three upholstery color choices in two types of vinyl cloth. Powering the Super "88" is a 160-hp. Oldsmobile V-8 engine with 280 cubic inches of displacement. Power windows, power door locks, and power windows are standard equipment.