

# GM, Ford Battle For Sales Volume

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DETROIT (AP) - The General Motors-Ford battle for sales volume in 1955 promises to be another sizzler.

At different periods in 1954 these industrial giants accounted for from 81 to 84 per cent of the American car market. They took a major share of the export business. Their competitive fight made pretty much of a two-company affair out of 1954 auto industry operations.

Industry sources already are speculating on whether this situation will prevail again in 1955. Of course it could. But many industry analysts are saying Chrysler will rise in some of its lost market volume.

Chrysler can regain little of it at the expense of the smaller companies without wiping out one or more of them. If Chrysler comes back on a substantial basis GM or some sales volume.

# Englishman Makes Money From Other People's Errors

By ROBERT MUSEL  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
LONDON (AP) - "Stradivarius violin for sale cheap. Almost new."

Denys Parsons, who knows that one man's misprint can be another's fortune, neatly extracted that newspaper advertisement from the collection written for him by the fumbling fingers of writers and printers the world over.

# Railroads Sue To Halt 3-Cent Airmail Plan

WASHINGTON (AP) - Five Western railroads filed suit in federal district court Saturday to prevent the postmaster general from starting an air lift for first class mail between 20 West Coast cities.

The West Coast experiment in carrying 3-cent mail by airplane is scheduled to begin Monday. A similar experiment has been conducted by the Post Office Department since October, 1953, between several cities in the South and East.

# Hells Canyon Group Still for High Dam

PORTLAND (AP) - The National Hells Canyon Assn., elated by the recent election of two Oregon Democrats to Congress, Saturday reaffirmed its position in favor of a high federal dam at the Snake River site.

The organization, holding its second annual meeting here, also announced its opposition to a proposal by a group of four Pacific Northwest private utilities to develop the Mountain Sheep and Pleasant Valley sites downstream from Hells Canyon on the Snake.

# Merchants, Industrial Unit to Meet

Directors of the Industrial Development Committee have been invited to attend the dinner meeting of the Downtown Merchants Association Tuesday evening at the Senator hotel and give a progress report on the committee's work.

# Hearing Set on Bias Charge Against Judge

WASHINGTON (AP) - Sen. Langer (R-ND) Saturday invited Atty. Gen. Brownell and U.S. District Judge Luther W. Youngdahl to a public hearing on Tuesday to investigate "the conduct of the Department of Justice in filing an affidavit of bias against the judge."

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# 100 Million Planets in Universe Probably Adapted to Support Higher Forms of Life

By ALTON L. BLAKESLEE  
Associated Press Science Reporter  
NEW YORK (AP) - Is there life like ours on other planets, somewhere in the starry universe?

Present techniques in astronomy can't answer whether nearby stars have planets of about the earth's size. The stars are too bright, and any small pull by planets on their motions is difficult to measure.

But evidence has been found for a huge planet circling around a star, named 61 Cygni, which is about 11 light years away.

# Betty Hutton Interrupts Retirement

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (UP) - Bouncy singing star Betty Hutton insisted Saturday she still was in retirement despite the fact she replaced injured entertainer Sammy Davis Jr. in a nightclub show.

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## STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Sunday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Let	37 Could	61 It
2 Exit	32 For	62 Difficult
3 Throw	33 Details	63 Spend
4 People	34 To	64 And
5 Strong	35 You	65 You
6 Take	36 Where	66 Of
7 Unexpected	37 Money	67 Popular
8 Word	38 You	68 Problems
9 The	39 That	69 Stand
10 There's	40 Trouble	70 Feel
11 Some	41 Work	71 Hurt
12 A	42 Make	72 Day
13 Your	43 Extra	73 Obligations
14 Folk	44 May	74 That
15 Love	45 Could	75 Seclusion
16 Outlook	46 Keep	76 Trouble
17 Comes	47 You	77 You
18 Oh	48 Trouble	78 Better
19 Deception	49 Should	79 Your
20 Desires	50 Help	80 Be
21 Need	51 Makes	81 Money
22 And	52 You	82 Too
23 Day	53 Rest	83 Patient
24 Charm	54 Annoy	84 Much
25 Know	55 Care	85 Conduct
26 Of	56 Be	86 Matters
27 Brightens	57 Personal	87 Depress
28 Today	58 Definitely	88 Under
29 Pessimism	59 Could	89 You
30 In	60 In	90 Wraps

Good (G) Adverse (A) Neutral (N)

# Troops to Get Rome Paper

WASHINGTON (UP) - The Army ordered the 30-day trial period in a telegram to Gen. William M. Hoge, U. S. Army commander at Heidelberg, Germany.

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