

Small Businesses Get More Contracts

Chicago (UPI)—A recent Commerce Clearing House announcement revealed that a 22 per cent gain in government purchases set aside solely for competitive awards to small business concerns has been registered by the Federal Small Business Administration.

The announcement revealed that during the first eight months of the 1958 fiscal year contracts amounting to \$537,777,750 were reserved for bids by small business only. This is 22 per cent greater than the comparable period in 1957 when \$440,044,562 had been set aside.

The Clearing House said the Small Business Administration's most successful endeavor was in its voluntary set-aside program which was worked out in cooperation with other governmental departments.

Under this program proposed purchases are jointly reviewed by SBA members and officials of the agencies for possible restriction bidding, the announcement said.

Sex Hormone To Make Cattle Fatter

Hoytville, Ohio (UPI)—Ohio agricultural research scientists are using a new sex hormone to make beef cattle fatter faster.

The researchers reported that when the male sex hormone, testosterone, is implanted in beef cattle with a female hormone, stilbestrol, it results in a growth rate of 27 pound per day.

The effect of stilbestrol on growth has been known for several years. Injection is made in pellet form behind the animal's ear. The cost is about 6 cents per head.

Use of the still comparatively costly testosterone on meat animals for human consumption still must be approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

Roseburg VA Hospital Reductions Deferred

Washington (UPI)—The office of Sen. Richard L. Neuberger, said Wednesday it was advised by the chief medical officer of the Veterans Administration that the VA hospital in Roseburg, Ore., had been ordered to defer any reductions in the staff and in hospital beds.

Shrewsbury, Mass. (UPI)—Leo Errara drives his hot rod 100 mph—from the back seat. The reason he sits in back is because the engine of the drag-strip racer occupies the front.

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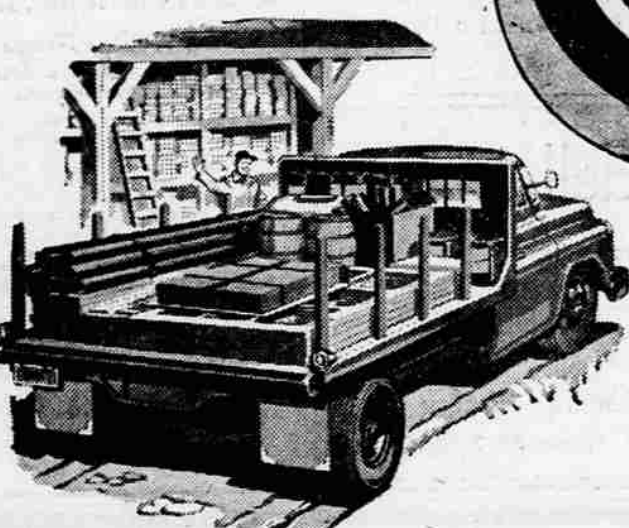
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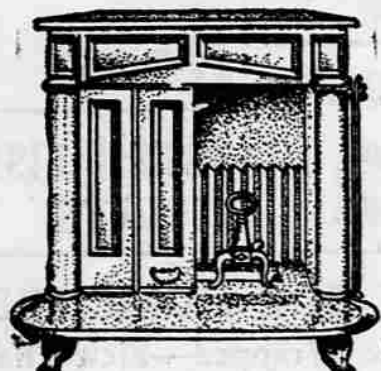
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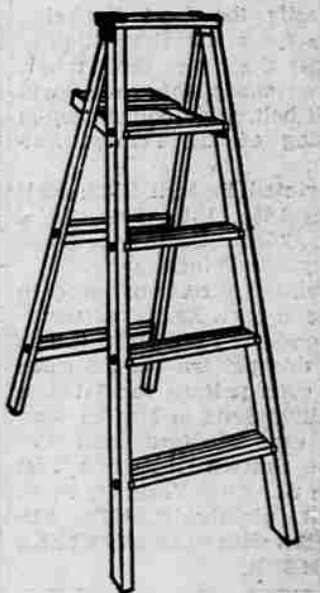
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