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### PRES. EISENHOWER NOTES BIRTH OF DAVID HAMILTON



#### NEWS OF ARRIVAL REACHES WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON (AP) - The President of the United States, Dwight D. Eisenhower, proclaimed that today be a day of national celebration, heralding the birth of David Hamilton on Saturday, Jan. 1, 1955.

The White House sent a bouquet of carnations, the flower for the month of January, to the family.

### Celebrities Share Jan 1st Birthday

January 1st seems to be a popular day to be born, at least according to the impressive list of rich and famous people born on that day! Also born this date are Xavier Cugat, Dana Andrews, Don Novello, Frank Langella, Nancy Lopez, and Paul Revere.

It's interesting to note that as of Thursday, Jan. 1, 2009, David will have been alive for 19,724 days!

### Dodgers Win 1955 World Series

BROOKLYN - It was celebration time in Brooklyn as the Dodgers captured the 1955 world title. It was a hard loss for the New York Yankees of the American League, as the National League team took the series four games to three.



### Congress Debates Consumer Prices

CAPITOL HILL (UPI) - Heated discussion marked the House floor today as Congress debated the state of consumer prices. Many congressmen complained that the average American just can't afford a new house at today's price of \$16,870.00.

Split along party lines, many Republicans felt that forty-six cents for a half gallon of milk was a solid consumer bargain, while Democrats pointed out that sixty-six cents for a pound of bacon was too expensive for many. Since the average U.S. worker now earns a record annual wage of \$4,421.00, many members of the House felt that eighteen cents for a loaf of bread was quite affordable.

Vice-President Richard M. Nixon noted that while ten pounds of potatoes had risen to fifty-six cents, he said that the American public had, in 1955, more buying power than ever before.

### NEWS AROUND THE WORLD Making Headlines In 1955



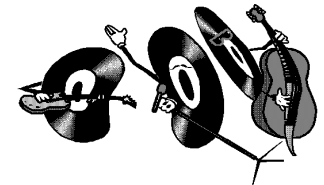
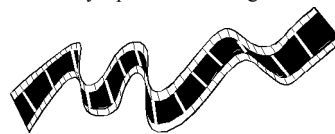
- Allies Recognize Austria's Independence
- UHF Radio Waves Developed At M.I.T.
- Jonas Salk Develops Polio Vaccine
- S. Vietnam Is Proclaimed A Republic
- In Argentina, Juan Peron Is Exiled

### The 28th Annual Academy Awards

"May I Have The Envelope, Please?"

HOLLYWOOD (TBC) - It was the stars' night out as The Academy of Motion Picture Arts & Sciences honored the industry's finest. The most eagerly awaited award of the evening was Best Picture of 1955, won by "Marty."

Best Actor honors went to Ernest Borgnine, and Anna Magnani took center stage for Best Actress. Rounding out the evening's ceremony was the Oscar for Best Song, captured by "Love Is A Many-Splendored Thing".



### Music, Music, Music The Top Hits of '55

What a year it has been for the music industry! With hit songs like "Sixteen Tons," and "Love Is A Many Splendored Thing," success was assured. Who could forget the enchanting melody of "Yellow Rose Of Texas," or stop humming, "Rock Around The Clock," one of the year's most popular songs? Yes, the tunes of 1955 will remain in our hearts for a long time to come.

### Chinese Celebrate Year of The Horse

CHINATOWN - It only seems natural that the birth of David Hamilton might be cause for great joy in the Chinese community. After all, this lucky person was born during the Chinese Lunar Year 4,622, the year of the Horse, a very auspicious year!

Persons born in this year are said to be popular, attractive and impatient. Today's fortune cookie says, "Look Beyond The Immediate!"

