

The Birthday Post



Sunday, June 15, 1958

President/V.P. - Dwight D. Eisenhower/Richard M. Nixon

Sample Name

Turning back the clock to the day you were born

Events of the Month



In Washington, D.C., President Eisenhower meets with British Prime Minister Harold Macmillan to discuss global affairs. The U. S. Supreme Court prohibits passport denials to suspected communists. In Geneva, the Soviet Union authorizes the International Labor Organization to observe Soviet labor practices. Americans Deltev Bronk and Linus Pauling are elected to the Soviet Academy of Science. Former Hungarian Premier Imre Nagy is executed for not supporting the new pro-Soviet regime in Hungary. The Greek government discontinues military ties with Turkey.

Popular Music



Back in 1958, the popular songs were: "At the Hop" performed by Danny & The Juniors; "Bird Dog" performed by The Everly Brothers; "Catch a Falling Star" by Perry Como; as well as "Don't" by Elvis Presley. Also topping the musical charts: "Get a Job" by The Silhouettes; "Sugartime" by McGuire Sisters; "Tequila" by The Champs; and the ever popular "The Purple People Eater" by Sheb Wooley.

Then vs. Now Cost of Living Comparisons



	1958	2025
Gallon of Milk	\$1.01	\$4.42
Loaf of Bread	\$0.19	\$1.94
Basic New Car	\$2,200.00	\$36,994.00
Gallon of Gas	\$0.24	\$3.33
New House	\$30,000.00	\$385,000.00
Yearly Income	\$4,650.00	\$60,580.00
Dow Jones	583.65	44,722.06

The Year's Sports Highlights



The New York Yankees defeated the Milwaukee Braves in the seventh game to win the World Series. Basketball star Wilt Chamberlain signs with the Harlem Globetrotters. In football, the Baltimore Colts defeat the New York Giants 23-17 to win the NFL title. Jimmy Byran wins the Indy 500 with an average speed of 133.8 mph. The Brazilian soccer team defeats Sweden 5-2 to win the World Cup. A horse named Tim Tam wins the Kentucky Derby. Floyd Patterson knocks out Roy Harris in the 12th round in Los Angeles to remain heavyweight champion.

Yearly Income



Academy Award Winning Movies



Best Movie Best Actor Best Actress "Gigi"- Directed by Vicente Minnelli David Niven - "Separate Tables" Susan Hayward - "I Want to Live"