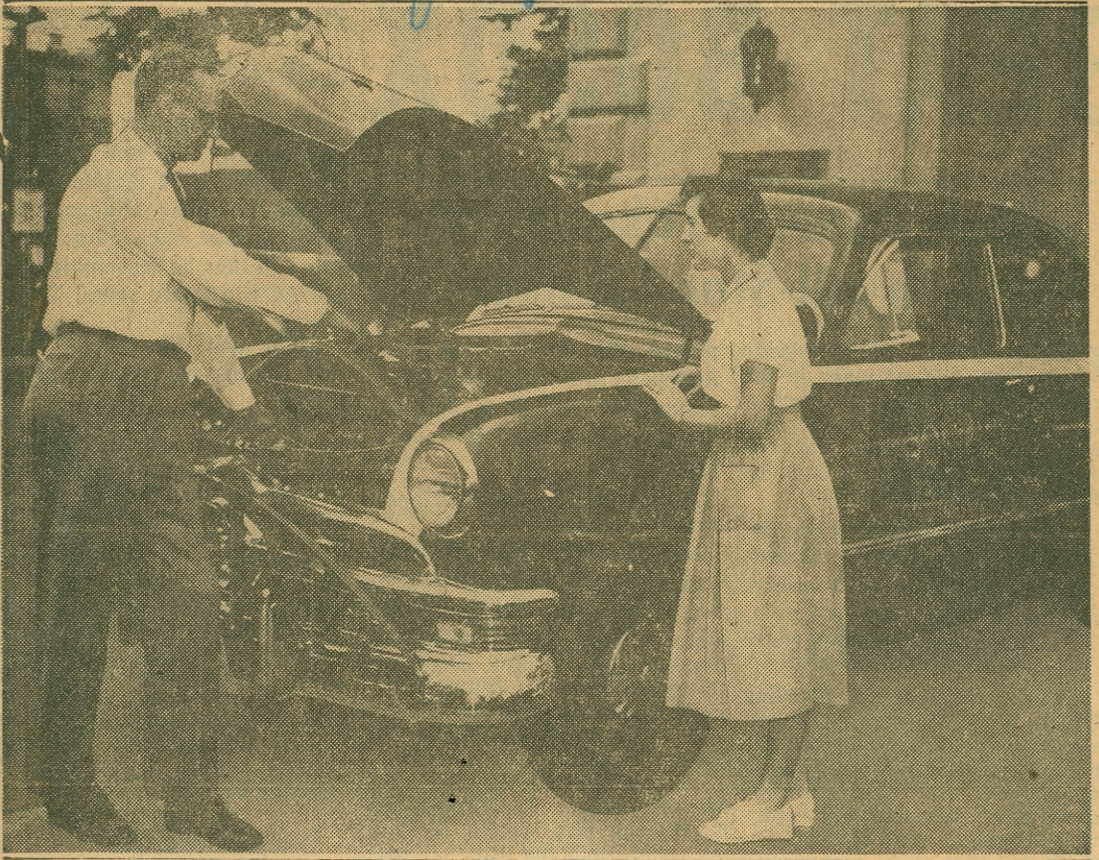


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DON'T TRY TO GET AWAY FROM CARS LIKE THIS ONE, POLICE WARN

Sergeant Matthews points out high-speed motor to Mrs. Mary Brown, 1429½ Fernwood Ave.

Police Prepare New Fleet To Battle Hot-Rodders

Hot-rodgers and other motor-ing law breakers can expect a bad time in the near future.

Toledo police have received 20 new specially-constructed high-speed automobiles. The cars will be put into operation very soon.

The vehicles, manufactured exclusively for the nation's law enforcement agencies, are now being painted and equipped at the municipal garage.

Powered by 110-horsepower

motors, the cars are capable of reaching speeds between 110 and 115 miles an hour and have exceedingly rapid pick up.

They have been described by local police officers who have tested them as the fastest cars on the road today.

Sergt. Lynn Matthews, police motor vehicle chief, has only the highest praise for the vehicles and said they will put an end to police being out-distanced by motorists.

In tests the cars have hit more than 65 miles an hour in second gear, Sergeant Matthews said.

The cars were designed and produced by the Ford Motor Co. and are being used by many large city police departments.