



Seek Passenger Rocket—Stanley Hiller, Jr., (left), of Palo Alto, Calif., and E. L. Bennett check models of a proposed rocket to carry 2 passengers to the upper atmosphere.

FILM MOGULS SCARED

What Effect Is Television To Have on the Movies?

New York (AP)—Hollywood has the jitters, Producer Stan Kramer said today, because "television is a snowball rolling down the hill and Hollywood is the playhouse that it's going to hit."

Kramer has the eye of the industry right now because of a couple of slick ones he put over. He's 35, alert, friendly and calls himself "flexible," which he says is what it's going to take to survive the rough and tumble competition ahead in the movie industry.

What effect is television going to have on movies?

"There are a lot of big shots who are trying to ignore it, hoping that will stamp it out. But television is here to stay.

"It represents biggest challenge to the industry and the greatest spur to production since sound put the old silent film to quick death," Kramer said.

"The basic thing is that television is going to need material. The motion picture industry eventually will produce 90 per cent of that. But they won't be multi-million dollar epics. There's no way you can pay for these things, even if you put a coin-meter on every television set in the country and charge 30 cents a night to operate it."

Now comes the problem, Kramer said. Major studios, with their complex setups have an overhead of "30 to 40 per cent on every film."

The small independents who don't have the overhead can't get the financial backing because of the present scare throughout the industry.

"So the industry does have the jitters. The big mogul is

scared. But so is the little man, because he finds it difficult to get capital to stay in the race."

So what are the results going to be?

"It's going to be healthy when it's all over. In order to keep the regular motion picture house audience, and reclaim a lot of those who have been lost because of bad pictures, we're going to have to start giving some good entertainment. It's got to be something more than a lush musical with a boy and a girl."

That means, Kramer said, that the industry is going to have to ignore a lot of box office taboos and pressure groups and "make pictures about things people are talking about."

That is where the quick operator comes in.

A good thing comes along, and every producer tries to be the first out with a picture on that theme.

Kramer is exultant about producing a picture and keeping it a complete secret until it was released. Called "Home of the Brave," it deals with the Negro question.

Visit Pendleton Farm

Amity—Mrs. Rose Wood and grandson, made a trip to Pendleton last week for a visit with her brother, Charles Wanless, who is managing a farm for the Burlington-Meeker company.

F. A. Harness Speaks Here

The federal government's propaganda methods in behalf of administration-blessed programs will be aired by a former Indiana congressman at 8 p. m. Wednesday, April 27, in the Salem Chamber of Commerce auditorium.

Forest A. Harness, who served 10 years in congress before retiring after the 80th session, will speak on "Federal Thought Control" under sponsorship of the Salem Junior Chamber of Commerce.

During the 80th congress, Harness made a careful investigation of the government's propaganda machine as chairman of a congressional sub-committee on government publicity and propaganda. The committee's findings stirred a nationwide controversy.

In a recent Readers' Digest article, Harness wrote that in the course of its investigation the committee came across "startling evidence of attempts by federal officials to make big government bigger and to extend, by another vast grant of power, the authority of the state over the lives of all of us."

The committee's reports, according to the article, reveal that government propagandists spend many thousands of dollars on domestic and international travel, seeking information to bolster the administration programs in the public eye. Unfavorable information is ignored by these experts, he said.

Stayton Farm Sold

Stayton—C. R. Gilbert of the Kingwell agency here report sale of the Ray Wallis farm at West Stayton to Henry Minten of Stayton.

George Baker and Janice Hard. From Mrs. Folston's room, Jimmy Berry and Joanna Beardley. The Keizer school band will play in the parade Friday afternoon. In the fourth grade, Mrs. Preissler's pupils were entertained by Mr. Wiley, ex-army pilot. He gave a talk on airplanes and showed them some of his models. The pupils of her room gave an Easter program for the pupils of Mrs. Folston's fourth grade.

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Keizer School Notes

By FRED ROSE

Preparation for the 4-H county fair is the chief objective at Keizer these days. Monday, April 25, the exhibits were taken to Silverton where the fair is to be held. The pupils going to set up the woodworking projects are from Miss Burche's room, Darrel Turnbull and Dale Schuh; from Mrs. Dixon's room, Gordon Elwood and Dick Gettis; from Mr. Goddard's room, Bert Ridpath and Ronald Lowery; from Mrs. Weddle's room, Claude Goldsby and Fred Rose. The sewing exhibits are to be placed in their spots by Jean Rickard and Shirley Ponge from Miss Purche's seventh grade. From the eighth grade, Donna Lane and Lois Dodson will set their clothing exhibits out.

Mrs. Shidler's seventh grade sewing club will make two demonstrations at Silverton Wednesday. Priscilla Durham and Reba Smallwood will tell how to make a needle case, Kay Shidler and Nancy Ragan will tell how to make a table mat.

A healthiest boy and girl contest was held Monday at Silverton. Those participating from Keizer are Mrs. Weddle's eighth grade, Jimmy Gilmore and Shirley Brantner. From Mrs. Dixon's seventh grade, Reba Smallwood and Howie Pingel. From Miss Burche's seventh grade, Arlene Kleman and Clifford Estes. From Mrs. Langeland's sixth grade, Howard Lilligh and Inece Goldsby. From Mrs. Yung's room, Donald Angus and Mary Jane McClanahan or Sandra McMorris. In Mrs. Mehner's fifth, they are Joyce Mount and Perry Stubberfield. In Mrs. Macnamara's fifth, Janice Radke is going. In Mrs. Preissler's fourth grade,



Bette Emotes—Bette Davis, screen and radio star, appears in this candid study made during a rehearsal for a broadcast in N. Y. She was heard later in Arch Oboler's "The Word."

Increase Noted By Stayton Bank

Stayton—An increase in the amount of deposits and in the discounts and loans of the Stayton branch of the First National Bank of Portland, has been noted at the call of the comp-

troller of the currency April 11, according to G. W. Schachtsick, manager.

Total deposits were listed at \$3,017,688.51, and loans and discounts amounted to \$1,125,137.36. Year-end call figures were deposits, \$2,907,465.10, making a gain of \$110,223.41. Loans listed at the year's end were \$966,574.91, an increase of \$158,562.45.

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Manolis Plans Drive-in Cafe

Gates, April 26—Real estate transfers that have been completed here in the past week include the sale of 22 acres by Mr. and Mrs. Steve Champ to Mr. and Mrs. George Manolis. This property is located on the highway with a 700 foot frontage.

It is reported that Mr. and Mrs. Manolis, who operate restaurants in the state capital in Salem and one in Silverton, will install a drive-in restaurant on the place just purchased here, also a dine and dance in the building 40x80 feet which they plan to erect, according to reports. Two buildings, a duplex now under construction and the Champ home will be moved back from the highway. Mr. and Mrs. Champ are still undecided where they will live in the future.

Robert Cunningham, of Salem, purchased 100 feet front-

age on the highway from Dave Epps, of Sweet Home, formerly of Mill City. This lot will be used for business purposes.

T. W. Lord of Salem bought four lots from Jerry Lyons, that lie adjacent to his home, which is across the R. R. track from the highway.

Floyd Volkel and Fay Collins, both from Salem, are now the new owners of the tourist cabins and trailer camp formerly owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Dan Morrison.

Work started on the housing project which is to be built by Paul Davis and Wilson Park.

Benefit for Gervais

Gervais—The St. Rita Altar Society will sponsor a benefit card party at the parish hall, Sunday night, May 1. This benefit is given for school needs. Mrs. Martin Seifer is chairman in charge of the arrangements and the public is invited.

Classified is diversified. It's fun to read the ads.

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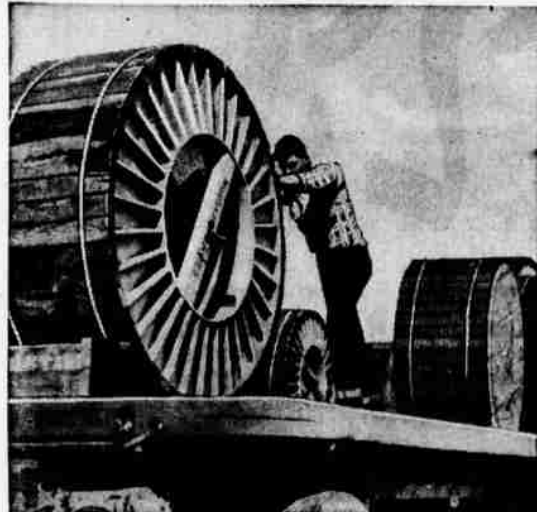
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