

# Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

IF YOU CAN STAND any more of those stories of outer-space robots landing on earth and demanding audience with kings, queens, hydrants, pinball machines and what-not, there's a new one about the Martian who caught his first glance of a blinker light at an intersection. A crafty look came into his metallic eyes. "Oh, no, you don't," he chuckled, "my mother warned me in advance about dames like you."



Howard Lindsay tells about a Hollywood star and his wife who rented a farm for a summer vacation in Vermont. They loved everything about it. To accommodate visitors, they built an extra washroom in a shack in the back garden. They returned happily a year later, but alas! the extra washroom had disappeared. The farmer was apologetic but firm. "I had to take it down," he admitted. "The neighbors began saying I had gone high-hat."

**GETS PROMOTION**  
Salem—(UPI)—Warren H. Cyrus, Agriculture Department employee, has been promoted to supervisor of the federal-state shipping point inspection district at Hood River. He succeeds J. M. Wilson, who retired after almost 35 years of state service, 30 of which were as the Hood River district supervisor.

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# Brown, Robinson To Speak Thursday

Carroll E. Brown, supervisor of Rogue River National forest, and Wally Robinson, land staff manager, will speak at a meeting of the Northwestern Mining Council in the Jackson County courthouse auditorium at 8 p.m. Thursday.

They will discuss the multiple use mining law of 1955 and how it affects claim holders. They also plan to show a film by the forest service, "Woodland Wildfire."

Frank E. Ross of the Council's Centennial committee has asked anyone who has ore samples for a display in the Centennial stockade on Siskiyou summit to submit them at the meeting.

# New Bridge Being Completed by FS

A new bridge across Palmer creek on the Kinney creek rd. near the Big Applegate rd., is being completed by a Rogue River National forest crew under Daid Thompson, according to Carroll Brown, forest supervisor.

The 30-foot bridge eliminates the usual stringers, Brown said.

The bridge is designed to give more clearance for the stream channel and is necessary for timber hauling in Kinney creek drainage, the Kinney creek drainage, Brown explained.

Crews also are repairing damage done last winter by floods on the new Steve's access rd. The road was completed a year ago by the bureau of public roads. Several sections were washed out last fall by high water and heavy rains during the winter caused some slides which made the road impassable, Brown said. Road maintenance on the Applegate district is being continued.

Canada has seven time zones, the Yukon being five and a half hours slower than Newfoundland standard time.

# Grange News

**Upper Applegate Grange**  
An interesting resume of the history of atomic energy, with a glimpse of a few of the benefits it can afford, were outlined by H. P. Bosworth Jr., Medford, at a meeting in Upper Applegate Grange hall March 27.

Nothing in the previous history of man has had such phenomenal growth in such a brief period of time as has atomic energy, the speaker asserted, offering as evidence the fact that in 1939 the U. S. government appropriated a total of \$6,000 for atomic energy development, while in 1958, only 19 years later, appropriations for this purpose totalled \$2 billion, \$300 million, with physical property held by the Atomic Energy commission valued at \$8 billion.

# State Bond, Boxing Groups Abolished

Salem—(UPI)—Bills to abolish the State Bond and Boxing Commissions were signed by Gov. Mark Hatfield Tuesday.

The Bond Commission duties are being transferred to the state treasurer. The Boxing Commission consisted of the governor, secretary of state and attorney general and had advised local officials on conduct of boxing events.

Hatfield also signed a bill to increase witness fees in court trials from \$2 to \$5 a day.

# Dulles Takes Swim In Florida Sunshine

Hobe Sound, Fla.—(UPI)—Secretary of State John Foster Dulles, recuperating from cancer treatments, went for a swim and basked under the warm Florida sun Tuesday.

But aides said he was keeping in daily contact with State Department headquarters in Washington by telephone.

Dulles, his wife, and a small staff arrived at Jupiter Island, a millionaire's vacation retreat, Monday afternoon.

In the last five years, during which private industry has been given access to information in regard to atomic energy, Bosworth has made a special study of its possibilities as a source of power, in connection with his work as vice president of Copco, he stated. It is his belief that it will be in active competition with coal, gas, oil, and hydroelectric power within a period of 12 to 15 years. However, he is convinced it is probable that within an additional 50-year period, atomic energy, in turn, will become obsolete and will be superseded by hydrogen energy derived from sea water.

One cubic mile of sea water could supply sufficient hydrogen energy to meet total power needs for the entire world at present levels for 300 years. Hydrogen energy possesses a marked advantage over atomic energy, he stated, in that it is not radio-active, and hence creates no dangerous wastes which must be disposed of.

Since our present knowledge extends only to methods for unleashing hydrogen power, the primary problem is to learn how to control it. Even more basic than that, the speaker feels, is the necessity for man to learn to control himself in order that his mental and spiritual progress may equal what he has achieved scientifically, "lest we inevitably come a cropper."

Commenting on the conference now in progress in Geneva which seeks to ban further testing of nuclear weapons, Bosworth stated that agreement has already been reached on seven articles of the proposed treaty, which, when completed, will be unique in the annals of international pacts in that it is to be administered, not by the signatories, but by the United Nations, and that it will be open to any nation desiring to sign it.

A film, "Workshop for Peace," portraying the day-to-day work of the United Nations was also presented by the speaker, who stressed that the role of the UN is a dual one, its purpose being not only to keep the peace, but also to work constantly to remove the causes of war.

Preceding the discussion and film, Bob Church, of Medford, representing the U. S. weather bureau, presented pins to Veva Saltmarsh and Christine Harr denoting 15 years of faithful service as volunteer weather observers, the former in the Little Applegate region, and the latter in the area near Copper.

In keeping with the Easter season, a Grange chorus sang "The Old Rugged Cross," and the program concluded with community singing, following which refreshments of sandwiches and coffee were served. Decorations in the hall and dining room combined spring blossoms and Easter motifs and were arranged by Mrs. Kathleen Scovell and Mrs. Anna Scott. Mrs. Marie Bosworth, Oregon's Mother of the Year, was presented during the refreshment hour. She was responsible for the display table which featured UN literature and interesting, hand-made items from the United Nations gift shop which she secured during her recent visit to UN headquarters in New York.

In the regular business session of the Grange which followed, Curtis O. and Eva Gearhart of Applegate were elected to membership in the order and plans were made for their initiation.

Report of the relief committee indicated Mrs. Ethel West is recovering following minor throat surgery; Mrs. Dorothy Post is improving from a severe illness caused by a heart condition; Mrs. Mary France is convalescing at her home after being in a Medford hospital where she underwent major surgery; Harry Helms is also at home after being hospitalized; and Robert Baylor is being treated for a spinal condition in Rogue Valley hospital.

Following the report of Legislative Chairman Anna Scott, a motion was passed authorizing the secretary to express to Senator Edwin Durno and Representatives Robert Duncan and Eye Nye the opposition of Upper Applegate Grange to Senate Bill 222, the so-called hay bill, which would set up rules and regulations for farmers hauling hay for their own use; to Senate Bill 470 pertaining to the muzzling of dogs running at large on property of their owners; and to express approval of the Grange to House Bill 629, which pertains to the humane slaughtering of animals.

A total of \$30 for use of the hall for two Centennial events was turned in to the treasurer together with \$21.25 from the square dance workshop now completed. Public square dances were announced for the evenings of March 28 and April 11, and for the second Saturday night in each succeeding month thereafter, by Fred West, co-chairman of

the ways and means committee.

A brief report of the Pomona visitation to Phoenix Grange March 24 was given by Secretary Irene Culy, who stated that 18 officers and members attended from Upper Applegate Grange.

Chairman of the four units

Into which the membership was divided last year for the presentation of open house programs will be honored at a 6:30 pot luck dinner preceding the next regular meeting of the Grange April 10, it was announced. Those to be honored include Gerald and Grace Buck, John and Pearl

Byrne, George and Mildred Redhead, and Fred and Ethel West.

A large supply of trees of several different varieties, the gift of Eagle Point Grange, were distributed to the members.

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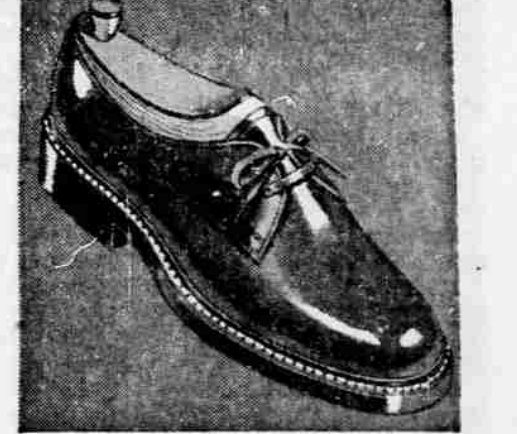
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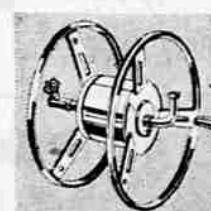
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