

## Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

A BRAHAM LINCOLN liked to tell about a pernickety horse owned by a neighbor in Springfield, Ill. The neighbor was riding it down the main street one morning when without warning the nag began kicking vigorously, and got his hind hoof tangled in the left stirrup.

Lincoln's neighbor saw what was happening and hastily declared, "Daw-gone, if you're gittin' on, I'm gittin' off!"

When 8-year-old Tricia volunteered to check hats and coats at her parents' anniversary reception, they indulgently accepted her offer. Unobserved, she then sequestered a china saucer from the pantry, put a quarter in it, and left it on a table next to the coat closet.

When the party was over, the parents were astonished to discover their daughter counting the profits—something over eleven dollars!

In New London, Conn., they're telling about the near-sighted whale who fell in love with a U.S. submarine and followed it clear around the world. Every time the sub fired a torpedo, the proud whale passed out cigars.

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## In the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

From Moscow: Premier Khrushchev this week painted a bright picture of the Soviet economy before a meeting of the Communist party central committee. His speech took five and a half hours, and in the course of it he indicated his belief that the Soviet citizen never had it so good.

FROM Washington: Personal income climbed \$2.1 BILLION last month to a record annual rate of \$446.6 billion. The gain was the largest since April, bringing the total income of individuals to a rate 5 per cent above that of a year ago.

HMMMMMMMM. If we take the word of the politicians for it, we are living in what Voltaire called in his *Candide* "this best of all worlds."

So we have nothing to worry about.

WITH that out of the way, let's get back to Oregon.

where, at the recent election, some rather startling sums were spent in an effort to influence the choice of a U.S. Senator.

With the figures presumably all in, it appears that the cost of the campaign to re-elect Senator Morse came to the somewhat startling total of \$218,961. When we add to that the \$132,322 reported as having been spent by Senator Morse's Republican opponent, Sig Unander, we get a total of \$351,283.

That's a lot of money to be spent to influence the vote for U.S. Senator in a state the size of Oregon.

LET'S put it this way: The salary of a U.S. Senator is \$22,500 a year. The term of a Senator is six years. During his six-year term, a U.S. Senator receives a total of \$135,000.

Which is to say: In this year's campaign in Oregon, Senator Morse spent \$83,961 MORE than he will receive in salary during the six years of the term for which he has just been elected.

AND—When we add to the \$218,961 spent in behalf of Senator Morse the \$132,322 reported as having been spent in behalf of Senator Morse's Republican opponent, Sig Unander, we get a total of \$351,283 — which is TWO AND A HALF TIMES the total salary received by a U.S. Senator during the entire six years of his term.

To most of us, that just doesn't seem to make sense.

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**French Fishermen Protest Russians**

Le Havre, France (AP)—Sixty French trawlers abandoned herring fishing grounds off Calais Wednesday to protest the arrival of 150 Russian trawlers, according to reports here.

Spokesmen for the owners said the French fishing boats were moving in on large schools of herring when the Russian vessels showed up. Russian fishing methods were likely to disperse the fish, the spokesmen quoted the French fishermen as saying.

### LOOKING AHEAD

Westerly, R. I. — The Westerly Republican town committee Wednesday announced plans for the 1964 elections. Rhode Island's gubernatorial race of last Nov. 6 still has to be decided.

## Many Government Jobs in 60 Fields Said Available

Eugene — There will be approximately 12,000 government job openings in 60 different fields for college graduates next year, and a "quest for quality" to fill them, is currently being conducted in America's colleges and universities.

Robert F. Mello, director of college relations and recruitment for the U.S. civil service commission at Washington, D.C., was in Eugene this week talking to faculty and staff members at the University of Oregon.

He stressed the need for providing college students with a better understanding of governmental services, especially in the early phases of their college education, so they may prepare themselves for the career they want.

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## Closed-Circuit TV Show Slated on Eugene Campus

Eugene — An array of entertainers are rehearsing for a two-hour closed-circuit television extravaganza to be televised to select audiences in about 150 U.S. cities, including Eugene, Nov. 29.

Eugene is the only city in Oregon where the program will be shown. The University of Oregon Student Union board is sponsoring the performance which will be seen in Mac Arthur Court at 6:30 p.m.

The object of the program is to raise a \$5 million down payment on a \$30 million National Cultural Center in Washington, D.C.

Almost every area of the performing arts has been drawn upon for the occasion. Singer Harry Belafonte, cellist Pablo Casals, actress Florence Eldridge, opera singer Dorothy Kirsten and jazzman Benny Goodman are a few of the entertainers who will appear on the closed-circuit telecast.

**Dramatic Segment**

Miss Eldridge, Fredric March and Jason Robards, Jr., will give a dramatic segment titled "O'Neill on O'Neill." Gene Kelly and Tammy Grimes will create a "Cavalade of American Songs and Dance." Hal Holbrook will perform part of his one-man Mark Twain show.

Danny Kaye will present a satire on classical music. For those who prefer to take their

serious music seriously, there will be Casals, violinist Alexander Schneider, Miss Kirsten and Richard Tucker. Jerome Robbins is to present "an artist at work on a ballet."

Tickets for the benefit performance may be obtained by writing to: National Cultural Center Tickets, Erb Memorial Student Union, University of Oregon, Eugene. They are also on sale at the main desk in the Erb Memorial Student Union.

**Dr. Green to Visit Faculty at College**

Ashland-Dr. Mark Greene, chairman of the Oregon state system of higher education committee on non-salary compensation benefits for system members, will attend a Southern Oregon college faculty meeting Nov. 29, in Britt Student Center.

Dr. Greene has been coordinating the work of the Oregon committee with members of similar committees throughout the United States. From studies made in this area, the committee has come up with a number of recommendations designed to bring the Oregon system in line with the national standard.

Dr. Fred Rosentreter, associate professor of social science, is general chairman for the luncheon.

and Mattox's Pipe Store in Eugene.

Half of the net proceeds will help build the Center along the Potomac river in Washington, D.C. The other half will remain here to establish a fund to investigate and promote the possibility of a joint university and community facility for the performing arts.

The building, which is estimated to cost \$30 million, will be erected starting next

year, on a 13-acre park site, in accordance with the National Cultural Center Act, passed in 1958. The Act stipulated that funds to erect the building should be contributed by the American public.

Mrs. John F. Kennedy and Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower are honorary co-chairmen of the Center.

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State Senator  
Jackson County

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