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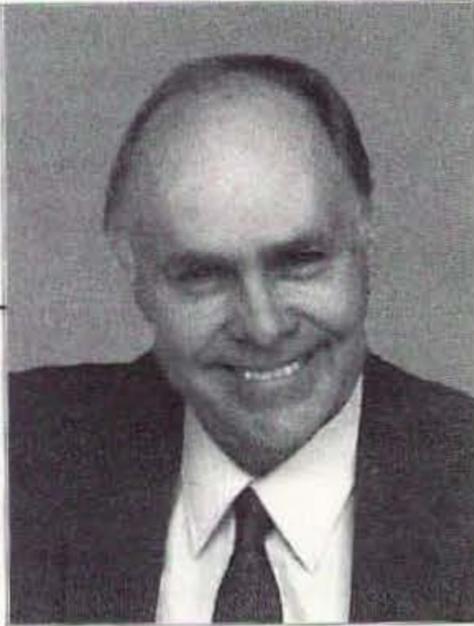
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NEVER SAY DIE

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Elect a Ham

Last month I proposed the first step toward the solution of a lot of our problems; that every ham club in the country make a major effort to get a local ham elected to their state legislature. We desperately need hams in high places to protect us. And not only will a bunch of hams in the state legislatures give us one heck of a louder voice with our states, but also with the Feds.

With the FCC (and Congress) wising up to how much money they can take in selling or leasing the spectrum to commercial users, they're looking for more to sell, and guess which group has the largest hunk of relatively unused microwave frequencies? We either start building some political clout or we'll be blown away.

We need state clout to stop the growing number of antenna-limiting laws and ordinances. But most of all, we need it to get our schools to start teaching electronics, communications and computers. This will get us more hams and help make it so America can compete better in the information age—the 21st century.

I was hoping the Dayton HamVention would allow me give a talk on this, but the ARRL apparently has them under such tight control that this wasn't possible, even considering the importance of the message.

As you read my editorial this month I think you'll see many opportunities where ham legislators could make a difference in education, health care, government, and so on.

If you have any say with the organizers of a hamfest or convention, and they're not totally controlled by the ARRL, maybe

you can get me on the speaker's list. I'm not charging anything beyond the costs for Sherry and me being there, which is what any speaker normally gets covered. However, between demands for keynote talks at education, music, and science conferences, my available time is limited.

Your Government at Work

Last year one of those TV shows devoted to the weird did a show interviewing farmers and their children who were involved with that alleged 1947 UFO crash in New Mexico. They sure made a good case for the reality of a crashed UFO and its dead occupants being covered up by the government. It definitely was enough to cause any intelligent person to shake off the bindings of "conventional wisdom" and start looking for more information. Or should that be called "conventional ignorance?"

Of course, having always been interested in the UFO phenomenon, I've done a lot of homework. I've read dozens of books over the last 50 years or so, some very thoroughly researched, others a waste of time. I think I mentioned that back in 1963. Jay Stanton (darn, I forget his call!), a writer friend who was a total UFO skeptic, set off to expose the whole UFO business as bunk. About two years later, no longer a skeptic, his book telling about his conversion was published. He cited some most convincing cases.

I've read enough books, talked with enough people who have had personal experiences, and had enough experiences of my own to know that something real is happening. I also know

from several incidents that our beloved government is up to here in a cover-up. Yeah, I know, the old government cover-up baloney.

Well, if I hadn't had a firsthand inside experience with the cover-up in the Amelia Earhart case, which is still being covered up, I might be less easily convinced.

Then, a few days ago, there was another TV weirdo show on the New Mexico UFO crash. This program interviewed the children of some of the Air Force people who were involved. They, like the farmers, had seen the ETs. And their parents, like the farmers, had been threatened by government agents to keep quiet. Or else. Again, their story was most compelling.

But a federal agency wouldn't threaten private citizens, would they? Well, they did *me*. One federal agency got me into a room and explained that if I ever wrote or even published anything about that agency again they would put me in prison and guaranteed I'd never get out. No, I have never written about them again. And I won't, except in my memoirs, where I will have a whole lot of interesting things to write about. But unless you start paying attention to nutrition, the chances are good I'm going to outlive you.

Green's Rocker

A book came a couple days ago from a reader who wanted to swap it for copies of some of my books. This one sure got my attention. I was busy trying to find out more about dowsing from a couple of new books I'd just bought, but this one made me put everything else down.

My first reaction was probably what yours will be. It's *NASA Mooned America!*, by René, 196p, 1994. The ridiculous claim is that the Apollo missions to the moon never actually happened. Oh, Lordy, give me a break! What is this, some Flat Earth Society-type crappola? However, not being completely controlled by what I have been conditioned to believe, I read on. René has done a masterful job of destroying what little faith I had left in NASA. He shows evidence that many of their photographs of the moon missions are clearly bogus; he proves beyond a reasonable doubt that nobody can survive in space beyond the protection of the Van Allen Belt; and so on. By the time he's through, there's just no doubt that our government has produced a \$40 billion space opera for us.

Yes, of course, Wayne has gone off his rocker with this one. Sure. Okay, smarty, what's the temperature in space? Hot? Cold? We all know it's awfully cold, right? The fact is, when the sun is shining on anything it gets blistering hot. The surface of the moon is 243°F in the sun and -279°F for the two weeks of night. Our astronauts were just there in the daylight, so they were dealing with an environment that was around 250°, with nowhere near enough power to run the cooling system needed to deal with that. René goes into every aspect of the inability of any living thing to survive the solar flares that occurred during the missions with the little shielding used, the temperatures involved in space and on the moon. The astronauts reported that the LEM blasted a deep crater in landing on the moon. Why has not one NASA photo of the LEM on the moon ever shown a hint of this crater? They do show undisturbed dirt, complete with footprints (more about *that impossibility* later).

There are endless holes in the NASA production. Wait'll you see the not quite hidden power cords in some photos supposedly taken on the moon. Then there's one photo in the book of Aldrin and Armstrong saluting the flag, where they claim the sun is at about 13°, but Aldrin's photo was taken when the sun was at 26.4° and Armstrong's was taken with the sun at 34.9°, if one goes by the shadows they

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