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Special to The Christian Science Monitor New York The Austrian Government has bestowed on Ernest S. Pisko, assistant to the overseas news editor of The Christian Science Monitor, the Golden Medal of Honor "for his distinguished service to the Austrian Republic."

Foreign Minister Dr. Bruno Kreisky presented the medal in a dignified ceremony at the Austrian Mission to the United Nations on Friday.

Dr. Kreisky said that The Christian Science Monitor, "one of the world's leading newspapers," had through its objective and constructive reporting on his country's postwar development greatly furthered international understanding of Austria's nature and problems.

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