

For a change--- it's nice to be able to look upon a phase of atomic energy, which is not intended for the destruction of the human race. And it's even nicer to be able to say that this atomic power station --- to be devoted entirely to peaceful uses --- is being built in Britain; and it's the first of its kind anywhere in the world. ↗

It's at Calder Hall, in Cumberland --- and it has been unofficially estimated that it may be working next year. It is designed for the creation of electricity; but the assembling of the plant is, in itself, a major problem; requiring, among other things, cranes capable of lifting a hundred and fifty tons. ↘

The main units of this new kind of power station, are two atomic piles of uranium. Yet --- oddly enough --- this complicated and ultra-modern process for producing power, also relies on that old-fashioned urge --- known as steam. ↘