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Original Poetry.

I KNOW I PASS.

I know I pass from Here to There Without a moment's pause; I know that There will be more fair, That life is God's great cause.

I know I take the all I am That I may better be, Advancing to the great I AM Through all eternity.

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I know I'll quicker grow by strife, Fulfilling cause and plan, And conquering sin, I leave this life To rise a nobler man. —FRANK SPEAIGHT.

B THERE A LIFE AFTER DEATH?"

QUEEN'S HALL DEBATE.

A LARGE AUDIENCE almost filled the Queen's Hall to to Mr. Chapman Cohen and Mr. Maurice Barbanell ing on this subject. Both speakers received a great of applause at the close of their respective speeches. ust have been difficult for both Spiritualists and Freeters present to remain silent while their "faiths" were sattacked, yet with the exception of some excitement be end, the audience listened with earnest attention. fact emerges from this debate, and that is Spiritualists nothing to fear as long as they build their philosophy the sound foundation of well-attested evidence. Again again Mr. Barbanell insisted that the importance of tualism was not whether it was desirable or not, but her it was true. While it was easy to ridicule and scoff, ^t always were the facts to be explained. It was interg to note throughout the whole evening that Mr. Cohen every little attempt to deal with the facts presented.

Mr. Barbanell commenced his speech by reading a passfrom Mr. Cohen's book, "On the Other Side of Death," th was "To assert survival beyond death is to say that his incapable of proof." This, he maintained, was not attitude of Free Thought. He himself believed that onalists and Freethinkers had in days gone by done a at deal of service to the cause of truth, and he appread their position, as he himself was originally a Ration-To-night it was his business to present some of the tence for survival.

He recited the experiences of Mr. Robert Blatchford, at a sitting with Mrs. Osborne Leonard, received coning testimony from his wife, including four unknown which he subsequently verified. How, in addition, and the actual voice of his wife speak to him in her old shire dialect. "Now, if fraud is to be the alleged anation, I want Mr. Cohen to explain that voice," said Barbanell. Mr. Hannen Swaffer, who also had a sitting Mrs. Leonard, heard the voice of Lord Northcliffe, and Bradley at another sitting heard the voice of one of his

Ir. Barbanell also dealt with the Valiantine medium-He pointed out that voices had spoken to sitters in ets of Spanish, German, Russian and Italian, and on occasions the voice of the medium and the voice the trumpet were heard simultaneously. Subsequently Mr. Bradley himself developed voice mediumship. Now, said Mr. Barbanell, it is sometimes alleged that fraud is the explanation, and he would challenge Mr. Cohen that night to call Mr. Bradley a fraud, but he would remind him if he did that there was the law of libel. He also related in detail the phenomena associated with "Margery," and read part of an address given by Mr. Malcolm Bird in Paris in 1927. He particularly stressed the mirror thumb prints received, and pointed out the impossibility of this being fraud. In addition to the thumb prints, there was the direct voice of Walter, the medium's brother, to be explained, and, further, the cross-correspondence, particulars of which were given.

Mr. Cohen, however, did not attempt to deal with any of these facts in his first speech. He merely made some remarks about his desire not to live forever, and accused his opponent of presenting distorted facts full of omissions and exaggerations. He maintained that no scientific evidence had been produced. His own feeling of the phenomena cited was that either the evidence as recorded did not take place, or that if it did, it was the result of trickery, or else, if genuine, could be explained along lines of abnormal psychology. During the whole evening no explanation was given as to how abnormal psychology could explain these phenomena. He referred as an example of trickery to the exposure of Harold Evans For the rest he mentioned Richet, who accepted the phenomena, but not the Spiritualist hypothesis.

In regard to "Margery," he maintained that Houdini had exposed her on several occasions.

The second speech of Mr. Barbanell was a direct onslaught on the statements made by Mr. Cohen. He said it was all very well for Mr. Cohen to attempt

to be humorous, and to offer his humour with an air of spontaneity, but he noticed that every joke related by him had been told over and over again in the years gone by. We were not discussing whether Mr. Cohen desired to live after death. The laws of Nature would operate irrespective of Mr. Cohen's desire. If survival be a law of Nature, then Mr. Cohen would survive. No one consulted him whether he wished to be born ; he may have had no such desire. It was all very well to be accused of exaggeration and omissions, but Mr. Cohen cited Richet without mentioning Richet's statement that after 30 years of research the spirit hypothesis was the most likely one. As for Harold Evans, Spiritualists had exposed him first. They generally do. They alone knew the difference between genuine and fraudulent phenomena. In Mr. Cohen's book the names of Wm. James and Flammarion were cited to support his theories, but nowhere in this book was it mentioned that both these men were Spiritualists, and yet it was Mr. Cohen who made the accusation of "omissions."

Further, if the explanation of mediumship is to be found in psychology, he wanted to know how Mr. Cohen would deal with Dr. Wm. Brown, one of Europe's leading psychologists, who accepted the genuineness of the "Margery" phenomena. The name of Dr. Tillyard was used by Mr. Cohen with the suggestion that he believed the "Margery' mediumship to be fraudulent, but Dr. Tillyard is to-day a convinced Spiritualist on account of this very phenomena He noticed too that Mr. Blatchford was now disowned by the Freethinkers. He ventured to assert that if Mr. Blatchford had reported adversely on these investigations he would be hailed as one of their great leaders. They always dis-owned men when they became convinced of survival, 694

They are only men of importance as long as their verdict is against Spiritualism. Yet they claimed to be Freethinkers. Referring to the life of Wm. Archer, written by Mr.

J. M. Robertson, no mention is therein made of Archer's investigation into Spiritualism, although he put some of his experiences on record. In addition to the facts already cited, Mr. Barbanell gave in detail the story of Dr. Cushman, who received a very excellent spirit photo of his own daughter in circumstances which clearly dismissed the idea of fraud.

Mr. Cohen was obviously nettled, and adopted a very high-handed attitude in his reply, but was completely silent on the subject of Wm. Archer, the Cushman photo. Mr. James, and Dr. Wm. Brown. He made such misstatements as that at every sitting Dr. Crandon always held the medium's hand. He misquoted Mr. Bradley's statement, instead of dealing with his evidence, and made a personal attack on him. Again, instead of dealing with the Northcliffe voice heard by Mr. Swaffer. he attacked Northcliffe, and accused him of lowering the standard of British journalism. He claimed to have submitted a copy of the Walter thumb print to Scotland Yard, and to have received a reply to the effect that it was too faint for them to draw any deductions as to its resemblance to the supernormal thumb print. No indications were given as to how he was able to do this.

He cited the name of Mr. Dingwall as one who refused to believe the validity of "Margery's" mediumship. He maintained that Mrs. Piper and Slade were detected in trickery. Mr. Barbanell said he was amazed to hear the name of Dingwall cited. He himself had debated with Dingwall at Caxton Hall three years ago, and Dingwall stated that he had never seen or heard any phenomena of any kind, and yet at that meeting there was read a letter from Dingwall in which he affirmed the phenomena he had witnessed with Rudi Schneider. That was sufficient to put Mr. Dingwall out of court. It was not true to say that Dr. Crandon always held the medium's hand. Mr. Cohen was obviously in error. The truth of Spiritualism did not depend upon the phenomena which occurred 20 or 30 years ago. There was the cumulative evidence of 80 years, and the fact that every day men and women of noted integrity. intelligence, and psychical training were observing and recording our facts. Spiritualists had been accused of the will to believe in advance, but Freethinkers could be accused of the will to disbelieve, which was just as potent.

Whenever scientists had examined our phenomena, and had gone on with their investigations, they had accepted its validity. Mr. Cohen had no answer to make to our evidence. Long after his theories had been forgotten, the facts of Spiritualism would stand, because they *were* facts. He maintained that the only explanation of the phenomena, after eliminating a small percentage of fraudulent cases, was that men and women survive death.

The final speech was made by Mr. Cohen, who maintained that even if he alleged fraud it was not his business to give an explanation.

He accused Spiritualists of trading on the memories of the dead. He even went out of his way to make an uncalled-for attack on Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. Rising to a point of order, Mr. Barbanell pointed out the unfairness of attacking any man who could not make his reply.

The proceedings closed with a vote of thanks to the Chairman, Mr. Thurtle, M.P., who, although a Rationalist, maintained perfect impartiality throughout the evening.

Both speakers received a great ovation at the conclusion of their speeches, and it was to be observed that the debate was still taking place among members of the audience long after the Queen's Hall was closed.

LIFE is an ever-stepping onward, perfection growing by the conquering of sin.—FRANK SPEAIGHT.

I HAVE the strongest conviction that spirit materialisation takes place. I know this, because I have interviewed my own children who now live in the spirit world.—DR. JAMES M. GUILY.

REMINISCENCES OF A MEDIUM

By A. VOUT PETERS.

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I.-WITH CECIL HUSK AND FLORENCE COOK.

I HAVE had many experiences with materialising a diums which would not have come to the ordinary person. I am a medium myself. I have been admitted into same which very few people have seen.

The first medium I sat with was Mr. Husk. Floren Marryat has written much about Mr. Husk in the two box on Spiritualism. "There Is No Death" and the Spirit Web

In the year 1898 I was introduced into a seance of Husk's by a man who knew me, and at that time I was known to the large public of London. I knew Mr. His had never heard my name. His house was a small a just outside London. We were received by his wife, are sweet, motherly woman about fifty years old. We we taken into the seance room. This was a room at the so of the house, containing only a table, some chairs no p tures; some brown paper pasted over the window exclut the daylight, but the room was illuminated by one cast

After being introduced to Mr. Husk, who was blinks sat round the table, Mrs. Husk sitting on Mr. Husk's in hand and another lady on his left. We were told to be hands and not to break the circle, and Mrs. Husk blev of the candle. We then started singing, and Mr. Husk pass into a deep trance.

Lights appeared, and a voice which purported to that of Cardinal Newman came and blessed us. Then us of two different spirits, "Uncle" and "Christopher," ar and spoke, and it appeared to me they were workers or nected with the circle. Soon a very rich deep bass we came and greeted us with "Good evening, friends. (a bless you."

We were told that this voice belonged to John Kis the principal worker of Husk's circle. Then two lumins cards which we had placed on the table were lifted, and all saw the strong face of a man with a very dark beak who floated round the circle holding one card so that we could all see, staying for a minute or two as Mrs. His introduced us to him by name. He repeated the name and wished us personally good evening. He then relittle in the centre of the circle, which was still round is table, and we watched him descend until the whole for melted in front of us and the card fell on the table.

We were told to sing. We obeyed, and the card as suddenly lifted again, and a face appeared before one of a sitters, which was that of a friend who had passed thread death. Sometimes the forms spoke, for there was only face and part of the shoulders. Sometimes the faces we veiled, and at other times perfectly clear and recogniza-Many faces like that appeared, and the seance finished will a beautiful tenor voice singing something which we we told was part of the service of the Greek Church.

I frequently went to Mr. Husk, and managed to a with me a friend of mine who had often sat with our mediums. I did this because I could control Mr. Hust movements. She always sat holding his left hand, and or trived to rest herright arm on his left arm, and during the seance could feel every movement that his body man She told me that his hands became perfectly cold and st and towards the end of the seance her hand had lost ere sensation after having been held for an hour and a half two hours by him. Just before the faces materialised slight shiver went through the body of Mr. Husk. Atom times there was no perceptible movement at all. As the faces were materialised we saw underneath a mass of who we called drapery—a white material like linen.

At one seance John King said he would show us in he made the drapery. He placed the luminous card of it table, with the luminous side facing upwards, and on luminous portion he placed his left hand. We all saw in King standing between my friend—Mrs. Davis—and Hus who was in a deep trance. Then, lifting his right hand told us to watch. From his right hand streamed and looked to be smoke, and he waved the hand up and do

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mer the left hand. The smoke was then quickly condensed, and we saw the left hand covered by what looked to be muslin, which before our eyes became thicker and hicker, until the hand was covered and completely hidden. Then with a laugh he said, "That is how we make drapery his very easy when you know it."

Mrs. Davis afterwards told me she felt the form of John King, perfectly solid, between Mr. Husk and herself. I saw two of my brothers materialised, and at nearly very seance my spirit friend, "Moonstone," materialised, and once or twice sang a little Indian song in a weak and tembling voice.

One Sunday I was addressing an audience in the exteme west of London, and I was told that there would be scance at which Mrs. Corner (Florence Cook) would be the medium. I was given permission to attend and to bring a triend, who was Mrs. Davis, to whom I have already relered.

The evening was very hot. The seance room was a drawing-room over a boot shop. The room was crowded, and the poor medium looked very uncomfortable and attemely disagreeable, sitting in one corner of the room with her daughter. In another corner of the room some artains were hung—we were told that they formed the abinet.

At the commencement of the seance the daylight was achded by pulling down the blinds before the windows. A small jet of gas was lit, making the room clear enough for us to see the time by our watches. We were asked to talk quietly together, but were not asked to sing, for which I may very thankful. Mrs. Corner then retired behind the matains into the cabinet, where a chair had been placed previously, and one of the circle tied her to the chair by then tape round the waist.

The curtains were draped. We heard the medium give a deep sigh. Then a voice proceeded from the cabinet, speaking in French, and saying that the conditions were rery bad, but they would do their best. Then I was asked b change my seat, and sit as near the medium as I could. The next thing that happened was a curious phenomenon, thich I have never seen before or since. Outside on the solid curtain, not in the opening, a mist appeared, which quickly condensed, and there was in front of us the right am and hand of a woman, from the elbow. This hand was volid that I was able to touch and hold it. It very quickly isappeared. Then a woman's leg was thrust out between the curtains. The voice then told us in French that the muit people were doing their best under the bad conditions. We were rather startled by Mrs. Corner, who was not in a tance, bursting into peals of laughter. We asked her what be amusement was about, and she told u: that in front of her was the face of a little old man with a beard, who looked ple a monkey.

Very soon after the curtains opened, and the face of by control and spirit friend, "Moonstone," appeared at the sping—the same face that had materialised at Mr. Hask's, only very much smaller, no larger than a monley's. Then Mrs. Corner came out of the cabinet for a rest. In a few minutes she returned into the cabinet, and aned rather heavily on Mrs. Boddington, a well-known mblic worker in England, who was outside the cabinet. It this portion of the seance she was not tied, but we all aw her form resting upon Mrs. Boddington. The curtains we hilled, and in the opening stood the fully materialized im of "Moonstone." He greeted me by speaking the ords: "Medi (short for medium), look." I just said in ather a loud whisper, "Moonstone," and he disappeared.

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PERFECTION comes through failing, the recognition of we own imperfection and the striving for betterment.— PRANK SPEAIGHT.

LOVE is a sort of algebracal equation, two imperfect seases, each one supplying what is wanting to the other, siving the sense of fulness of Being and joy forever.—

MEMORIAL TO SIR ARTHUR CONAN DOYLE.

AN APPEAL.

THE myriad admirers of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, whether his innumerable personal friends, his ubiquitous general readers, or the world-spread fraternity of Spiritualists, will rejoice to learn of the definite inauguration of a Conan Doyle Memorial Fund designed to perpetuate his memory by giving expression to his ideals and establishing the work of his latter years. A little delay has ensued, as ideas regarding the precise form the Memorial should take were so numerous that there has been difficulty in coordinating them. After several consultative meetings of some of the leading Spiritualists of this country, it was found possible to incorporate the suggestions favoured. The outcome was a meeting held in London on Oct. 14th, Mr. Ernest W. Oaten presiding.

The Honorary Trustees appointed are Sir Robert Gower, D.C.L., O.B.E., J.P., M.P., Vice-Admiral Armstrong, Major D. D. Milne, and A. C. Grigg, Esq., of Lloyd's Bank' Limited.

Mr. Grigg was also appointed Honorary Treasurer. Messrs. Milne, Gregg and Turnbull, of 16, St. James's Street, London, S.W.1., were elected auditors.

The Preliminary Executive Committee is composed as follows: Mr. Ernest W. Oaten (Editor of THE TWO WORLDS), Lady Conan Doyle, Miss Mary Conan Doyle, Denis Conan Doyle, Esq., Mr. John Lewis (Editor of *The International Psychic Gazette*), Mr. S. O. Cox, and Mr. W. R. Bradbrook, who also accepted the office of Honorary Secretary, to whom correspondence may be addressed at Bank Buildings, 16, St. James's Street, London, S.W.1.

Preliminary notices to the general press have already been issued. An appeal to Spiritualists throughout the world, which is to be made after the next meeting, will undoubtedly strike a more intimate note as indicating the directions in which it is proposed to further the great work so dear to Sir Arthur's heart.

Leading Spiritualists of all nations are being invited to organise the fund in their respective countries.

The Executive rightly hold very practical ideas with regard to the ultimate scope of the Memorial, depending as it does upon the amount realised. The scheme for collection will be most comprehensive, giving opportunities for rich and poor alike to give expression to the fullest possible extent to their admiration for Sir Arthur and their devotion to his principles and ideals.

The Memorial must accordingly prove to be a positively unifying Centre—a radiating influence rather than a palatial institution. It is believed that adequate means will be forthcoming so establish and endow in connection therewith an English Home of Welcome to Spiritualists of every nation visiting London; to raise the standard generally of mediumship and propaganda work; and to ensure care, comfort, and sympathetic companionship to all workers who have become sick, weary and worn in the service.

In brief, the sacred edifice that Sir Arthur Conan Doyle was building, stone by stone, was neither church, nor mosque, nor pagoda, but a Temple wide as the world, with windows open to every breeze from heaven; that Truth, Justice, Mercy, Tolerance and Love might make their abode therein. We must build on !

Donations may be sent forthwith to A. C. Grigg, Esq., Lloyd's Bank Limited, 121/5, Oxford Street, London, W.1. Cheques and postal orders should be crossed "Conan Doyle Memorial Fund."

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WE have acquired proof of the existence of an invisible world which can enter into relation with humanity.—PROF. J. C. ZOLLNER.

LET me tell you that I know that the phenomena of Spiritualism are true, substantially as alleged.—PROF. ELLIOT COUES. THE annual meeting of the Grand Committee of the I.S.F. was held at Maison de Spirites, Paris, on Wedensday, Oct. 15th, Mr. E. W. Oaten (President) in the chair.

The Chairman offered a hearty welcome to the assembled delegates, and a special word of greeting to Mr. P. Goedhart and his colleague from Holland, who were present with special reference to the International Congress to be held at The Hague next year. He expressed his regret at the absence of Mr. John Meyer (Vice-President), who was still in the South of France in consequence of the uncertain state of his health. Votes of sympathy were passed with Messrs. Meyer, Pauchard (Switzerland), and Bruns (Germany), whose absence was due to illness.

In consequence of the lateness of this meeting, it was resolved that the Grand Committee meet each year between the 1st and the 15tk of September.

The General Secretary (Mr. A. Ripert) presented his report, which opened with deep regret that the Honorary President of the Federation (Sir Arthur Conan Doyle) had passed beyond the veil. "To his wife and family," said the report, "we record our deep and heartfelt sentiments and sympathies. Sir Arthur has left us a living memory, not only as an author, but as an example of an earnest Spiritualist, whose life was an application of his convictions. While his departure is a loss, his memory remains a joy and associates him with the great figures of the ages, whose service is represented not only by their sufferings, but by the joy of a great mission fulfilled. Sir Arthur died as he lived, joyously confirming his convictions of life eternal, and his example must be a constant inspiration."

The report further indicated the steady growth of Spiritualism in all lands in response to the necessities of our time. The law of evolution was operating here as in all other departments of life, running down from transcendental sources to material issues. At no time in our history was human life more directly menaced in its spiritual essence, and never had man deeper problems to deal with than those of the present. The spirituality of the Churches appeared to have lost its power. Religions themselves appeared to have lost faith, and men were concentrating upon the material order of things and upon the unstable things of life. The moral values existing before the war had certainly been disturbed, while the economic values of life were making international activities difficult. There was evidence of danger in the fact that no philosophic or moral school dare show the extent of their spiritual deteriorations. It was a call to every Spiritualist to emphasise the fact that spirituality is to-day as ever the only standard which can ultimately govern the reorganisation of the world.

The Spiritualist philosophy affirms that, in the words of Sir Oliver Lodge, "if only the commandment of love to our neighbour could be introduced into the world generally it would simplify and purify life." There would be no more crime, and no one would seek to injure another, for love is the fulfilling of the law." The report emphasised the fact that the Spiritualist doctrine could take its place in shaping the spiritual destinies of the future.

The organisation of the forthcoming Conference at The Hague would need all their attention, and the prospects were bright. Papers were beginning to be received already for presentation. The Spiritualists of Holland had been busy, and would shortly issue an invitation to the people of the world to attend the Conferences. Special attention would be devoted at the Congress to the legal and material conditions governing healing in all countries. Application for membership had been received from the Hispano (American) Association, and the usual inquiries were on foot.

On behalf of the Treasurer, he (the Secretary) would make a strong appeal to all members of the Federation to forward contributions as soon as possible, in order to enable the Federation to meet the unusual expenses preliminary to the next Conference, The report appealed for assistance and co-operation from the invisible world, in order to make the next Congress a success, and was accepted with thanks.

On behalf of the Treasurer, the accounts were examined and approved, subject to audit. They showed an improvment on last year's figures.

The Secretary reported that the "Transactions" of the last Congress in 1928 had now been translated into Portaguese and published. The demand for these "Transactions" was gratifying, and only 120 copies of the French-Englis had been left. The invitation and appeal to the Spirituaists of the world to attend the 1931 Conference, which will be held on Sept. 1st to 10th, at the Pulchri Studio, La Haga, were approved, and arrangements were made for its publication in French, English, Spanish, and German. The detailed programme of the Proceedings at such Conference was also determined, and it was decided to invite Lady Conan Doyle to honour the Conference by becoming its Honorary President, in the place of Sir Arthur.

The Chairman outlined the suggestions for the proposed Doyle Memorial in London, and the Committee expressed its full sympathy therewith, and voted £10 towards the object, regretting the fact that its finances did not permit further help.

A new application for membership was received from South Austria. Further progress was made towards the compilation of a Psychic Dictionary or Glossary, and it was resolved to build this up by slow and careful stages, in order to secure accuracy.

On the motion of the Chairman, it was resolved that a resolution be presented at the International Congress stressing the need for world peace, and recording the pestive attitude of the Spiritualists of the world towards the ideal.

The meeting ended with reports offered by the various delegates concerning the growth of the movement in the various countries. The reports from Portugal and Spain were particularly gratifying. The Spanish delegate alluded to the difficulties which they had to contend with from the rigid religion of their land, which was represented by 100.000 priests. Nonetheless, the Society at Barcelona had doubled its membership since the last meeting of the Committee and it was well within the bounds of possibility that invitations may be extended to the Federation to hold a future Congress there.

Italy, Spain, Holland and France, together with Eucland and it the United States, showed steady progress, while the written reports from South America were particularly gratifying.

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WE are reminded of the passing of time by the receipt of two welcome publications, viz., the Spiritualist Diary. 1931, issued by the S.N.U. at 1/9, containing in addition to the usual diary information, particulars concerning the organisation of the 460 Societies embraced within the S.N.U. It has the usual diary arrangements of a week to a page, an engagement calendar for 1932, and is a well-produced diary at the price.

The second is a Spiritualist Calendar compiled by Heather B., and is issued by the London Spiritualist Mission, London. It is in tear-off sheet form, 10in. by 74mvery tastefully got up. It is an artistic production, which does no violence to the drawing-room, and in addition to a monthly calendar on each page, it contains useful quotations from Spiritualist writers. It is issued at 1/s, and may be obtained from the London Spiritual Mission of the Psychic Bookshop, London. Either publication may be obtained from this office at the published price, plus 24postage.

A MIND endowed with wonder, love, reason, and rever ence is a perpetual feast to itself and a liberal education to those who can approach it.—FITZGERALD.

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REV. ARTHUR FORD IN THE NORTH.

ALTHOUGH he has previously toured extensively in this country, the Rev. Arthur Ford's presence in Manchester during the week-end Oct. 25th to 27th marked his first rist to that important city as a Spiritualistic propagandist. In Saturday he gave a brief lecture at the Manchester central Spiritualist Church, Deansgate, followed by some ridential messages. He was again the speaker and demonstrator at the Central Church on the Sunday morning and rening following.

Several of Mr. Ford's descriptions were very evidenial, and all were recognised. "I have a man here who says be wants to speak to his wife," he said on one occasion, panting to a member of the audience. "She has never had message before. His first name is David. Then I hear the name Lincoln. He says he is just beginning to get over the shock. On the 14th of July he seems to have been rashed by something. 'It is now all right,' he says. I har the name Katherine. He says he wants you to know that he has found the baby over here. She is about 18 or 2 now, isn't he? Now he says, 'I met my own mother and my brother Tom, who, you remember, came over durlagthe war. Don't cry for me, because I would not be back in the body again if ever I had the chance—except for one thing, and that is to help with the kiddies.'" To another sitter : "I hear someone calling out the

To another sitter: "I hear someone calling out the name of Mary Elizabeth, and she wants to come to you, sr. You have a wife in the spirit world. This is her. You have in the spirit world a large number of relatives—several wothers and sisters. She says, 'God bless you, dear, for what you have done for the children. I am always with you when you are resting and thinking of the past, as you often do.' She is bringing with her someone who calls the name Jenny Harrison. There is also a James who comes back to you. Now your wife says, 'Don't worry about the health condition (Indicated). They are watching over you and doing their best."

The Rev. Arthur Ford conveyed to those assembled the greetings and good wishes of the Spiritualists in America, which were heartily reciprocated.

LONDON PROPAGANDA.

THE Norbury Cinema has a seating capacity of 900, but this proved insufficient to accommodate the crowd which assembled there on Sunday evening, Oct. 19th, to avail iself of the attractive programme provided by the organisers of the meeting. A large number who had not followed the mjunction on the posters to "Come early to secure a seat," where unable to gain admittance.

The speakers were Messrs. Hannen Swaffer and Maurice Barbanell, clairvoyance being given by Mrs. Estelle Roberts. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Croydon National Spiritualist Church, the chair being taken by Mr. J. M. Stewart, the President.

Mr. Barbanell, who spoke first, dealt in a convincing manner with the problems confronting the man in the street a his investigation of Spiritualism. Before communication could be established with the spirit world, he said, the well between the spiritual and physical had to be broken down, and the veil was made more difficult to penetrate because of the preconceived ideas of many people, especially the materialists and the so-called "free"-thinkers.

Regarding the question of fraud, Mr. Barbanell said the small percentage met with did not detract from the reat mass of evidence in proof of a life after death which spiritualism had given to the world. What should we think of a man who refused to draw his salary at the end of the wesk because he had heard that there were fraudulent a shilling notes in circulation? The fact that a few ten failing notes were forged did not shake the confidence of the public in the Bank of England.

Mr. Hannen Swaffer ably presented the philosophical apeet of Spiritualism, and related how Sir Henry Seasave and other famous people had been warned of impendag danger through spirit messages. Spiritualism was a help to Christianity, and not a hindrance. It found support in the records and sacred books of all ages and nations. Mahomet, the camel driver; Jesus, the Jew; and Joan of Arc, the uneducated farm girl, were all mediums in close touch with the world of spirits.

Mrs. Estelle Roberts gave several convincing spirit messages, and a vote of thanks proposed by Mr. Snowdon Hall was carried with acclamation.

A special collection for the S.N.U. Fund of Benevolence realised five guineas.

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THE BRITISH MEDIUMS' UNION.

THE annual meeting was held at the Maskell Street (Manchester) Church on Saturday, Oct. 18th, at 4-20 p.m., Mr. W. E. Bentley (Vice-President) in the chair. The minutes were read and confirmed.

Arising out of the correspondence were letters of sympathy to be sent to Mrs. Ellen Cropper, of Ashton-under-Lyne, and Mrs. Francis Lynch, of Bury. The Vice-President read Mr. Tinker's address as President, in which many points of interest were noted and valuable advice given. The address was accepted, and it was resolved that a letter of thanks be sent to Mr. Tinker.

The Secretary gave his report, showing the progress of the Union's activities. The Treasurer's and Auditors' reports were accepted with thanks. The meeting then adjourned for tea.

On the resumption the election of officers resulted as follows: Mr. F. W. Bacon, president; Mr. J. Bell, vicepresident; Mr. W. W. Ely, secretary; Mr. W. Ridgway, treasurer; Mr. J. W. Kirk, propaganda secretary; Mr. Bentley and Mr. Dransfield, auditors; council: Mesdames Rothwell and Adcock (Blackpool), Messrs. W. E. Bentley, J. R. Charnley, W. Tonge; S.N.U. delegate, Mr. E. Ship-. ley; L.D.C. and M.D.G. delegates, Mr. Shipley and Mr. Ely,

Much discussion arose in reference to propaganda work, and the new General Secretary (Mr. W. W. Ely, of Manchester) announced that he would be pleased to send speakers' lists, etc., to any Society desiring them.

The meeting terminated shortly after 9 p.m.-W.W.E.

TRANSITIONS.

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MR. J. FRASER HEWES (NOTTINGHAM).

We have to record with regret the promotion of Mr. J. Fraser Hewes, President of the Nottingham Spiritual Evidence Society, which occurred at his residence, "Clavelands," Chestnut Grove, on Saturday, Oct. 11th, after an unbroken record of thirty years in office.

The funeral took place at St. Andrew's Church Cemetery on Tuesday, Oct. 14th, when the Rev. J. Waring conducted the service. A large number of relatives and friends assembled, including prominent members of the Anti-Vivisection Society, of which Mr. Hewes was President, and the various Spiritualist Churches in the vicinity.

LOVE is the infinite flood of the Divine life pressing into the narrow limits of our earthly nature, and giving us hope of something better in the future.—BRAMSTON.

HALIFAX ST. PAUL'S.—On Oct. 23rd a highly successful special service was held, when two handsome bronze memorial tablets were unveiled to the memory of the pioneer workers, Mr. John Culpan and Mr. Hanson G. Hey. Mr. J. Wilby unveiled the former, and Mrs. T. E. Meadowcroft, of U.S.A., an old member, the latter. Mr. Ben Carter presided over the large gathering, and Mrs. D. Wrather (Leeds) gave a fine address on "Lest We Forget," and clairvoyance. During the evening Mrs. H. Holmes presented a handsome ivory necklace to Mrs. Meadowcroft on behalf of the members and friends, and Mr. Walter Burrows gave a message of great encouragement to all the workers, also wishing M.s. Meadowcroft bon voyage.

THE LARGER WORLD.

PERSECUTION IN SOUTH AFRIÇA.

The Rand Daily Mail published in a recent issue particulars of a case of persecution in Pretoria, South Africa, when a woman Spiritualist medium was charged with "practising fortune telling for the purpose of gain."

Mr. Norman Price was for the defence and Mr. C. A. Humphreys prosecuted, says the *Mail*.

W. Neser, a detective, said he was warned in an interview with accused that he would have a motor cycle accident within three weeks unless he was very careful. He paid 5s. for this information.

"I went specially to trap the accused," Neser said. Witness admitted that when he asked what the fee was, accused replied : "I make no charge, but people sometimes make me presents."

He denied that Mrs. Maelich had said she did not want the money.

Mr. Price: Mrs. Maelich denies that she is a fortune-teller, but admits that she is a Spiritualistic medium. Where were you going to have the accident ?—In St. Andries Street. I never go down there if I can avoid it, but when I do I am-very careful.

Then you have got something for your money.

In her defence the medium said she had cured hundreds of blind and dropsy cases which doctors had given up. She was a Spiritualistist medium. She told the witnesses so, and added that she was not a fortune-teller. She could only pass on spirit messages.

A fine of £5 was imposed upon the medium.

THE ROMAN CATHOLIC ATTITUDE.

The attitude of the Roman Catholics to spirit communication was discussed by the Rev. Father George in *The Messenger* (America) recently.

Whilst we can not believe in such a communication, except it be by the permission of God, and then only for a serious purpose, we believe that communion with the dead can be had not only by a sweet memory, but the church does not forbid us to think that our dead are not gone from us, but that they are still near us, though invisible to our senses (he observed). We do not feel the body present, but the soul, which God filled with affection for us.

Why is it (he asks) that a sudden thought of our dead immediately urges us to fervent prayer for them ? Why is it that, after praying for the poor souls, we feel such satisfaction and peace of mind, if it be not that they are near and wish to reward us by carrying such sweetness to our hearts ?

A NAPLES MEDIUM.

Mondo Occulto (Naples) publishes a description of the life and mediumship of Giuseppe Magno, a young medium of remarkable power, who is rapidly building up a reputation. He has survived the most severe tests conducted by judges, lawyers, and distinguished investigators. The following are extracts from the article :—

Giuseppe Magno is a young man, now twentythree years of age, serious, modest, pensive, and is gifted with mediumistic qualities which are astounding even to the most hardened sceptic, even though the latter be-as usual-as positive as he may be ignorant. It was quite by chance that Signor del Mercato discovered the mediumship of Magno. This young man is of humble birth, his father being a basket-maker. He followed his father's trade, and only went for a very short time to an elementary school, where, indeed, he barely learned to read. He had musical talents, and was advised to ask the help and counsel of Signor del Mercato, who was known to be of a very kindly disposition, and who was himself a good musician. During one of the musical evenings at the house of Signor del Mercato the mediumistic faculties of Magno appeared unexpectedly. I was not present, and cannot describe the details of the phenomenon, but the hos, looking at the young basket-maker, was amazed to see the indubitable signs of an approaching trance. A few minutes later Magno fell clearly into a state of trance. He rose from his chair, walked slowly and stiffly to the piano, sat down upon the stool which was vacated at a low word from Del Mercato, ran his fingers over the keys after the manner of a good pianist desiring to exercise the muscles for a moment, and then promptly porceeded to play with skill an instrument which he had never touched before, and of the technique of which he was completely ignorant.

Under control Giuseppe has given wonderful exhibitions of violin playing also, despite the fact that he has never had a lesson in his life. "Following upon these experiences, some efforts have been made to teach him music," reports the journal. "He has proved a very refractory pupil, hardly able to learn anything, yet in a trance state he plays on several instruments perfectly."

FACTS WELL ATTESTED.

Reviewing a book, "Psychic Certainties," by H. Prevost Battersby, *The Seer* (Carthage) says :—

"The man who reads this book and remains unconvinced, is either drunk, unintelligent, or a deliberate and wilful sceptic—and the latter is the most painful of the three. The reader who desires to know what scientific certitude does attach to psychical research cannot do better than read this little work. If his brains are moderately active it will be enough to convince him; if they are sluggish he may add to his reading Carrington's 'History of Psychic Science' and Richet's 'Thirty Years of Psychical Reasearch.' after which, should he still remain inert, a visit to a brain specialist will be in order.''

Years ago the phenomena of Spiritualism were absolutely denied, but to-day we appear to have gained a point. Dispute no longer is confined to the *reality* of the phenomena, which has had, by sheer force, to be admitted. Now it is the explanation of the phenomena which is commanding the greatest attention. GLEANER.

LEEDS DISTRICT COMMITTEE.

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THE monthly conference was held at Hemsworth N.S. Church on Sunday, Oct. 12th. The President occupied the chair. A hearty welcome to the conference was given by Mr. Martin, and accepted by the President. Roll was called, when the following churches responded : Castleford, Hemsworth, Featherstone, Leeds (Brunswick Place), Morley (Cross Church Street), South Elmsall, South Kirkby, and Wakefield; total constituting the conference being 8 churches, represented by 8 delegates, with 3 associates and 4 church officers. Minutes and correspondence were read and accepted with little discussion. The financial statement was also read and accepted. The Y.D.C. report was given by Mr. Crabtree, and the Leeds L.D.C. report was read by the Secretary, both being accepted. The church reports were very much as usual. One associate was made. A scheme submitted by Mrs. Dixon for providing the churches with more efficient speakers was considered and it was decided to send it back to the churches for their consideration. It was decided to co-operate with the Y.D.C. in a propaganda effort, and also to engage in special propaganda work throughout the district.

In the evening a well-attended meeting was conducted by Mr. Crabtree, who was supported by Mrs. Betteridge and Messrs. Davies, Jenkins, Hargate, W. Smith, and the Secretary.

Is IT NOT worth all the trials, all the farewells, all the losses of time, to learn how to love for eternity—to gain a heart capable of facing the life eternal, through the hope that comes of trusting God for all eternity.—FITZGERALD.

THE TWO WORLDS

NEWSY NOTES.

REEVES AND THE PRESS.

Fleet Street has changed. At one time journalists are amongst the greatest critics of Spiritualism. They end at it. ridiculed it, and tried vainly to expose it. smen Swaffer, Cuming Walters, George Leathem, and aham Moffat all now go on to the platform to fight for a truth, but they are not the only prominent journalists to are Spiritualists to-day. Nearly every newspaper are in the country has its quota of Spiritualists. And, arby year, the band goes on increasing.

STRANGE CIRCLE.

Many, it is true, keep their belief to themselves, for pite the measure of respect that Spiritualists can now mand, it is still somewhat of a material risk for an ividual to indulge in strong Spiritualistic propaganda. vention dies a slow death. When, a few months ago, I in a seance which was held in the editorial sanctum of of the most important provincial evening journals, there represent its Editor, the Assistant Editor, and the erary Editor, all greatly interested in the quest. The ture, from a psychic point of view, was perhaps a risky but it proved to be worth while. That seance was behind barred and locked doors, although the building deserted, and was arranged with the utmost secrecy. they are all like that. When they are investigating y do not like you to know. When they are convinced . We can remember that stage ourselves.

E "INTERESTED."

There are still a few journalists, like James Douglas, is know the facts, but who are afraid to admit them. In will find them in London attending Spiritualist meetts. In Manchester they consult fortune-tellers in Oxford and Yes! Fleet Street has changed. Some of us can will the time when the lords of the pen were regarded with at and trembling, but now they, too, are sensing that without and trembling, but now they, too, are sensing that without and trembling, but now they, too, are sensing that without and trembling, but now they, too, are sensing that without and trembling, but now they, too, are sensing that without and trembling, but now they the sensitive of their lives. I device the state of the greatest "story" of their lives. I device the state of the sensitive of the sense of the sense is to lose its fascination, for not until men have answered in themselves can they know whether life here is worth the. And Fleet Street, thrusting aside its "exposures," at last treating the subject seriously. The *Daily Distill*, when Sir Arthur Conan Doyle died, gave perhaps the st due to the change by publishing a front page "splash" like Albert Hall meeting, and signing it "By a Spiritualist."

CHURCHILL A PSYCHIC ?

One passage in Mr. Winston Churchill's new book, by Early Life" (Thornton Butterworth, 21/-), struck me particularly significant. As a boy, he says. "I had no be for learning. It was not until the winter of 1896, in I had almost completed my second year, that the me for learning came upon me. I began to feel myself uting . . I caught myself using a good many is the meaning of which I could not define precisely." The that moment Mr. Churchill has steadily gone forward. In cannot recall, however, a similar experience ? Many is have had, by some sudden inspiration, to alter the de course of our lives before finding success. May we sider the spirits in searching for the explanation ?

"PSYCHIC" ESCAPE.

Mr. Churchill's psychic power at one time probably ad his life. When, during the Boer War, he was acting correspondent for one of the London newspapers, he captured and imprisoned, but in less than a month escaped. "Every bridge had its watchers," he says, I passed them all. Suddenly, without the slightest and all my doubts disappeared. It was certainly by process of logic that they were dispelled. I had some in former years held a planchette pencil and written to there touched my wrist or hand. I acted in exactly same unconsious or subconscious manner now." He walked up to a house, and found himself in the safe keeping of friends. "We are British here," they said. "We will see you through." It was the only house within twenty miles where he would not have been handed over.

THE FILM BAN.

Why did the Film Censor ban "Outward Bound"? Because, we are told, he has decided not to pass plays dealing with the question of life after death. The subject, it is said, would lend itself to abuse. That is a story which has been told before. It has been made to apply to other subjects, too, but one by one the bans have been lifted. Why does the Censor not ban the films dealing with divorce and sex, most of which do need his attention? Every subject throws itself open to abuse, and if the Censor's ruling in regard to pictures dealing with an after-life is to be made fair, it must be applied to other subjects also. But then there would be no films at all. But what about "Smiling Through," "Earthbound," and "Peter Grimm."

MIRABELLI VISITING EUROPE.

Readers will remember the amazing phenomena which wore described in this journal some months ago, and which came through the mediumship of Carlos Mirabelli, the wonderful Brazilian medium. They included levitation, the transportion of the medium, direct voice, and materialisation, and occurred consistently in *broad daylight*. La *Revue Spirite*, of Paris, now announces that it is probable that Mirabelli will visit The Hagne. Holland, for the Conference of the International Federation in September, 1931, and it is very probable that an attempt will be made to bring the famous medium over to England to give sittings here.

ON JUDGMENT.

The ordinary individual, when he reads of a theft or a murder, judges it by its effect. The ordianry Spiritualist believes that his life in the next world will be the result of the one he has lived here. Is this so? Acts and lives should, I think, be judged rather by their motives than by their effects. Rockefeller may, for instance, present £5,000 to charity, but it is questionable whether his gift, viewed from the other side, would be a greater one than the £5 presented by Mr. Everyman. A man may appear to live a life of good on this side, but on the other (where there are no "appearances") his true self might be a very different spectacle. Which leads one to the observation that another difference between this world and the next is that whereas in the spirit world causes are revealed, on earth only effects are usually known.

PROPAGANDA SPEAKERS.

Where are the little army of workers known as "propagandists"? Messrs. Hannen Swaffer and Barbanell seem to be booked up for the season. Mr. Shaw Desmond is very difficult to obtain. Miss Lind-af-Hageby and the Duchess of Hamilton and Brandon have been touring abroad in the interests of the Anti-Vivisection movement, which they have helped along considerably. The Rev. G. Vale Owen has had to cancel all his engagements outside Central London in consequence of over-strain, and it is unlikely that he will be able to book engagements in the provinces for some time to come. Mrs. Hincheliffe is unable to take meetings outside London. The Rev. C. Drayton Thomas writes me that he is "declining, as far as possible, further engagements this winter. I have already more in hand than I am sure of being able to do full justice to." Why this dearth of propaganda workers? London is over-served, but pity the poor provinces !

OBSERVER.

"MAN is a thinking being," as Aristotle said. "All we can do is to turn his thoughts in the right way, for think he must, whether he will or not."

THE greater the complexity and the finer the differentiations of the nervous system, the more intense is the union of the spiritually correlated pair.—FITZGERALD.



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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1930.

YOUR CLOSEST COMPANION.

"You waste more time in brooding over the past which you cannot recall, or in anticipating the evils of the future which you may never meet, than would help you to possess your soul in the living present. What you do not seem to see is that the soul is not a mere abstraction. It is the power which enables you to do all things."—Letters from Julia.

ONE of the results of the hurry and bustle of the present day; of the continual search for pleasure and business and relaxation; of the continual hunt after new truth and new knowledge through the avenues of research ; is that the attention of men is continuously directed to the things outside them. The world has become a vast treasure chamber, in which men are continuously seeking and prospecting for new sensations, new treasures, new varieties of experience. All this is to the good. What man neglects to recognise is that the greatest treasure in the treasure chamber is the seeker himself, for it is he who shall presently attain to mastery of the environment. It is still true that the search which is most neglected is the search after man's inner nature, the attempt to find the reality which lies behind this ephemeral manifestation of bodily form.

When men looked upon themselves as bodies-physical organisations sent here to manifest for a time-such an attitude was excusable, but the whole trend of thought to-day, materialistic and scientific, as well as Spiritualistic, is to trace the centre of all activities into the unseen and immaterial, and gradually there is growing up even in the most materialistic minds the idea that the outer manifestation of the thing we cognise as man, is but the symbol of an inward and indwelling reality. Men like James and Lodge and other researchers have postulated the theory that the whole of the manifesting consciousness of a human being is but a fragment of a greater and more perfect ego, the majority of which ever remains hidden ; and yet the success of that fragment of the outer consciousness which is brought into manifestation must and does depend upon its unity with its great and probably illimitable centre.

How many men are striving to know themselves? How many men are taking the trouble to make their own acquaintance? We have talked with no less than half-adozen individuals of late who assure us that to be left alone for a few hours or days is the most terrifying experience of their lives. They cannot stand their own company, and one might well ask if they cannot enjoy their own company, how on earth can they expect other people to enjoy it. On the other hand, we have in mind an individual who, when asked if she did not feel lonely, replied, "When I am alone I know I am in good company. When I am with others I cannot always be sure." The sweet serenity of such a mind can only be accounted for by the fact that there is another realm—a mental realm, maybe a realm d ideality, which opens to the mind as surely as the physical realm is revealed by the eyes, and happy indeed is the man or woman who can realise the enduring reality behind the changing scenes of the physical plane.

One of the great changes which is effected by deathis that it does bring a man face to face with himself. The limited theologian used to find himself puzzled by the question of rewards and punishments in the next life, and the ancient philosophers had to invent a judgment seata judgment day-a trial of sheep and goats-because the supposed man's earth life had to be reviewed before som judge or arbiter, like the examiner in "Outward Bound. What they failed to take into consideration was the fa that a man must presently stand face to face with himse must look into the mirror of memory, and see the panoram of his past, in a realm where the perceptions are not veile or blunted by the dull machinery of the body, which deg and fetters our spiritual activities, far more than the afford facilities for exercising them. The drowning ma tells us that at the moment when his life seems to be at a end, the whole panorama of his past passes before hi as a cinema picture in the fraction of a second-as quick indeed as event stranspire in dreams when the mentalit is not fettered by the retarding effect of the physical sense

This and other experiences provide an inference that when at last we are freed from physical limitations we be come conscious of ourselves in an inner and deeper sense. We stand, so to speak, before the mirror of our true selves and see a complete and perfect reflection, not of what we appear to be, but of what we are. And this self, which is thus reflected in the spiritual memory, is the individual we have to meet upon the other side of life in a plane where all the senses are acute, where apologies and excuses are regated to their true position, and not partially covered by the veil of flesh. We each have to meet this inner man a some time. Why not make his acquaintance now ? Why not get to know ourselves, not as others know us, but as we really are ?

Such considerations are particularly interesting to the psychic and the medium. How many clairvoyant for instance, know the percentage of their visions white arise from activities peculiar to themselves, as apart from those arising from their sitters or audiences. How man sensitives who have healing power feel pains, which the imagine are their own, and subsequently find to be only the reflex of their surroundings. We remember a case of a men who was out of work, who was presented with a pa of boots formerly owned by an individual who had suffere much from rheumatism and arthritis, but who had pass behind the veil. The recipient gladly accepted the book and proceeded to wear them. Within a few days he had pains and disabilities peculiar to the previous possessor a the boots, and believed himself to be really ill. By the aid of a psychometrist the cause was traced, the book demagnetised, and the trouble ended. Not everyone, course, is sufficiently sensitive to be so effected to the same degree, but it is quite possible that we all suffe vicariously, more or less, from the disabilities of other both physical, mental, and spiritual. The man who know himself is enabled to discriminate immediately between what is himself and what is not, and such knowledge is decided advantage. It is only the earthly manifestatic of a spiritual fact.

You have been keeping yourself company throughout the whole of your earthly life. You will continue to the closest companion of yourself, not only up to the moment of your transition, but afterwards. Present you will stand face to face with yourself upon a further shore. Why not get to know yourself now, and in the know ing help to govern and control more effectually the activities of your own life. Self-knowledge is not incompatible with all the activities of earthly life. He who went in the silence and seclusion of the Mount of Olives was to individual who was best enabled to "go about doing good and sure it is that he who knows himself best can me effectively marshall his forces and take his true place b the outer and active world. All life is an equilibrium between opposite poles, and a search into the outer world should be accompanied by a deeper consciousness of the inner self of the man who makes the search. The river may flow through its visible bed, but the springs beneath its source are its primary cause, and they are hidden in the deeps beneath the surface.

-------CURRENT TOPICS.

With the coming of November all thoughts will turn to the Anniversary THE COMING of the Armistice which ended the active ARMISTICE hostilities of the Great War, and through-ANNIVERSRAY.

out the whole country memory will turn once again to those who went through the horror and turmoil arising from human jealousies and misunderstandings, and eventuated in war. In these days of depression few people stop to think that much of our present distress may be due to the fact that thousands of the best brains which the nations had produced were sacrificed. The young men who left their bodies on the plains of Flanders and in a dozen other countries would (had they lived) to-day have been the vigour of the business world. It is, of course, easy to talk of the loss in a personal sense, and count the deprivation sustained by those who passed away. The loss to the nations is more difficult to compute, but is none the less substantial.

OUR PART IN THE PEACE.

And since the Armistice and the signing of certain pacts, we have been accustomed to believe that peace prevails. Yet no one who knows the inner jealousies and continual striving after

military efficiency, can believe that anything more than an armed truce exists. Many of the men who gave their lives in the war conscientiously believed that they were fighting in "the war which was to end war." It is for us who remain to make their dream a reality. We must think peace. We must live peace. We hope that every Spiritualist Church on Nov. 9th will make a point of seeing that the services strike the note of pcace throughout. It is well to remember the boys whose influence is still at work in this world, and we believe it is by co-operation between them and us that peace will presently be stablished. Let us not wait until the audiences are assembled in order to arrange our service. Let hymns of peace be chosen will ahead. Let a reading, if necessary, be selected well ahead. Let us arrange with our speakers that whatever else is said or whatever else is omitted, the value and virtue of peace is sounded in every address. And incidentally it may be as well if the practise of peace within our Societies, as well as its preaching from the platform, ^{tas} specially emphasised. Let us remember that peace annot be obtained by pugnacity, but by sacrifice and condence. Such sacrifice should always be honourable, but t should be real.

DOWNING STREET.

In view of the possible pre entation at SPIRITUALISM IN an early date of a Bill to Parliament to relieve the disabilities under which Spiritualists suffer, it is notable that Sir Oliver

Lodge spoke at No. 11, Downing Street the residence of the Chancellor of the Exchequer) on Tuesday last on "The Reality of a Spiritual World." The his-^{tory} of Spiritualism shows that the subject has often been presented in high places, and many of the notable mediums of the past were the personal friends of monarchs, and held sances in State chambers. It speaks well for the demotacy of the times in which we are living, however, when the of our leading scientists is asked to present the case at ^{a select} gathering at the official home of the Chancellor of the Exchequer. Speaking before the event, Mr. Snowden aid, "Although I am taking the chair, I shall have no emarks to make on the subject of Spiritualism. In the ^{ast} place, I am not a Spiritualist, although I take the same aterest in the subject as any other intelligent person. My

function as chairman will be simply to introduce the speaker, and I would not dream of encroaching on the speake.'s time." The attendance was about two hundred, and the meeting was held in aid of the funds of the Y.W.C.A. We understand that Sir Oliver had an excellent reception.

SIR ARTHUR DOYLE IS STILL ACTIVE. The Daily Herald claims that Lady Doyle has received further authentic messages from the late Sir Arthur Conan Doyle in the privacy of their home. The Rev. Arthur Ford (through whom the test

message from Houdini was conveyed to his wife) paid a visit to Crowborough, and Lady Doyle and her two sons were completely satisfied that they had spoken with Sir Arthur. The Rev. Arthur Ford had excellent meetings in Manchester on the 25th and 26th of October, and made many friends. In a letter from Lady Doyle to the Editor we are informed that Herr Florizel yon Reuter has also been down to Windlesham, and that in his presence further very evidential communications were received from Sir Arthur, This is as it should be.

A WARNING.

In a message to the Daily Herald Lady Doyle says, "We must expect to have messages received all over the world

which are described as coming from my dear husband, but which might not be in the least respect authentic." That Sir Arthur should communicate with his intimate friends and relatives is the most natural thing in the world, and he himself had sufficient sense of the fitness of things to realise that his first duty was to his own loved ones, but we are afraid the respect and affection in which Sir Arthur was held by the general public is giving rise to a great deal of activity stimulated far more by emotion and affection than by his actual presence. What is necessary is that the individuals who receive such messages should apply commonsense tests to them, and the test after all is : Does the message convey any information known to Sir Arthur which could not have been known by anyone present ? After all, spirit communication is not a matter of self-suggestion or sentiment. It is a matter in which the laws of evidence must be strictly applied. That Sir Arthur has communicated on dozens of occasions cannot be denied by those who know the facts, but a large number of messages come into this office which it is pretty certain could not have emanated from Sir Arthur.

IT IS FOOLISH TO ASSERT NEGATIVES.

Sir Arthur Keith, the noted anthropologist and anatomist, asserts that "modern science teaches that death ends all." Had he confined himself to his own domain and claimed that death dis-

sociates the man from his body and precludes him from using that body any further, he would have been wise : but there are specialists in other departments of life quite as eminent as Sir Arthur Keith, who claim that there are other sciences than those specialised i . by Sir Arthur Keith, and they claim that these present facts which should not be ignored, which point in direct opposition to Sir Arthur Keitn's opinion. After all, a man is a specialist and an expert upon his own subject, and not necessarily on any other. We have been told this so often that it has become a commonplace, and yet the individuals who hurl such a statement at Spiritualists fail to recognise that if this be so the Spiritualist who has devoted years to the study of certain phenomena, and who can recognise the real thing as easily as a diamond merchant distinguishes between the pure stone and the imitation, is the expert whose opinion is worth while. The experts on Spiritualism are the Spiritualists, or at least that proportion of Spiritualists who have set out to seriously study and investigate causes and methods as well as to observe results. When Sir Arthur Keith has devoted as much time and attention to the study of psychic phenomena as some of those who call themselves Spiritualists, his opinions on the subject must be worth while. Till then, he would be wise to remain a king in his own domain, and to become a subject in others.

SOCIETY ADVERTISEMENTS.

South Manchester National Spiritualist

Church and Lyceum, PRINCESS HALL, PRINCESS ROAD, MOSS SIDE, MANCHESTER.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 2-30, LYCEUM. At 6-30, MRS. ELLEN GREEN. At 8-15, MRS. WOLFENDALE. MONDAY, at 3, MRS. EATON. At 8, MEMBERS' CLASS. TUESDAY, at 8, OPEN CIRCLE. THURSDAY, at 3 and 8, MISS GOODWIN. FRIDAY, at 8, WHIST TOURNEY. 1/-. SUNDAY NOV 9TH MR MUSCROVE SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MR. MUSGROVE.

Manchester Central Spiritualist Church 5, Parsonage, Blackfriars Street.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 11, DEVOTIONAL MEETING.

At 6-30, SERVICE AT ARDWICK PICTURE THEATRE.

MONDAY, at 8, MR. BADEN DOREA. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, at 10-45, Service at Co-OP. HALL, DOWNING STREET. At 6-30, MR. C. N. PORTER (Sheffield). SILVER COLLECTION at all Meetings.

Manchester Society of Spiritualists, 38, MASKELL STREET.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 10-30, LYCEUM. At 6-30, ADMIRAL J. G. ARMSTRONG R.N., (London), at Ardwick Picture Theeatre.

MONDAY, at 8, MISS BARTON. WEDNESDAY, at 3 and 8, MRS. KELLY.

Collyhurst National Spiritualist Church COLLYHURST ST., MANCHESTER.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 10-30, LYCEUM. At 3, 6-30 and 8, MRS. GARDNER. MONDAY, at 3 and 8, MRS. TOMKINSON. WEDNESDAY, at 3 and 8, MRS. FROST. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MR. ROBERTS, Roll of Honour.

Longsight National Spiritualist Society SHEPLEY STREET (opposite Pit Entrance, King's Theatre).

SATURDAY, NOV. 1ST, at 7-30, SOCIAL AND DANCE. Tickets 9d. inclusive. SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 2-30, LYCEUM. At 6-45 and 8, MRS. HOLT. MONDAY, at 8, OPEN CIRCLE for Heal-

MONDAY, at 8, OPEN CIRCLE for Heat-ing and Clairvoyance. TUESDAY, at 8, MRS. GERSHON. THURSDAY, at 8, MRS. WOLFENDALE. SATURDAY, at 8, OPEN CIRCLE. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MRS. BENSON.

Miles Platting Progressive Sp. Church Coglan Street, Lodge Street.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 3, CIRCLE. At 6-30 and 8, MRS. BIRTWELL. MONDAY, at 3 and 8, MRS. APPLEBY. WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, at 8, PUBLIC CIRCLES. THURSDAY, at 3, MR. MUDD. At 8, MR. OGDEN. SUMMAY NOV 974 MR. MUDD.

SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MR. MUDD

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SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 2-45, LYCEUM. At 6-30 and 8-15, MISS RENTON. TUESDAY, at 8-15, OPEN CIRCLE. THURSDAY, at 3-15 and 8-15, MRS. GERSHON. SATURDAY, at 8-15, OPEN CIRCLE

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SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 10-30, LYCEUM. At 3, OPEN CIRCLE. At 6-30, MISS PARKES. WEDNESDAY, at S, MR. R. MORGAN.

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Salford Central Spiritualist Church, ST. PHILIP'S PLACE, CHAPEL STREET

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 2, LYCEUM. At 3-15, CIRCLE, MR. BOLD. At 6-30 and 8, MRS. SPENCER (Dipl.)

MONDAY, at 3 and 8, MRS. ENTWISTLE. TUESDAY, at 8, MR. MINNERY, CIRCLE. WEDNESDAY, at 2 and 8, MRS. OAKES. THURSDAY, at 8, MEMBERS' CLASS, Conducted by MRS. LEE.

SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MRS. TILEY.

Every SATURDAY at 7-30, SOCIAL, 1s. Refreshments included.

Blackpool National Spiritualist Church and Lyceum, ALBERT ROAD.

SERVICES :

SUNDAYS: LYCEUM at 9-30, PUBLIC CIRCLE at 11, SERVICES at 3 and 6-30.

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Nov. 2.—OPEN. Nov. 9.—Lyceum Anniversary, Mrs. Nurse, D.N.U., Rochdale. Nov. 16.—Mr. C. E. Timms. Nov. 23.—Miss Bee,

Bournemouth Christian Spiritualist Church, COMMERCIAL ROAD, opposite Electric Theatre.

Services SUNDAY, at 11 and 6-30, Address and Clairvoyance. TUESDAY, at 3, Psychometry. WEDNESDAY, 7 to 9, Healing Treatment

FRIDAY, at 7-30, Psychometry.

Bournemouth Spiritualist Church, (Affiliated to the S.N.U.) 16, BATH ROAD

Resident Minister, MR. FRANKT. BLAKE

SUNDAY SERVICES at 11 and 6-30. TUESDAY, at 8, PHENOMENA. THURSDAY, at 3, PHENOMENA. At 8, EDUCATIVE LECTURE and

FRIDAY, at 6, HEALING. Guild in at-tendance to give treatment to sufferers.

Bournemouth Spiritualist Mission, HARMINSTER RD. (opposite Richmond Wood Road), BOURNEMOUTH. CHAR

SUNDAYS at 11 and 6-30, ADDRESS and CLAIRVOYANCE. TUESDAYS at 7-30 & THURSDAYS at 3. CLAIRVOYANCE and SPIRIT MESSAGES. THURSDAYS, at 7-30, ADDRESS and CLAIRVOYANCE. Local Clairvoyant : MRS. W. G. HAYTER

Brighton Central Spiritualist Church, CENTRAL HALL, 147, NORTH STREET (Facing Ship Street).

SUNDAY, Nov. 2ND, at 11-15 and MR. PUNTER, Address and Clairvoyance. Monday, at 8, HEALING CIRCLE. THURSDAY, at 8, ADDRESS and CLAIRVOYANCE. 11-15 and 7.

National Spiritualist Church, Brighton MIGHELL STREET HALL.

SUNDAY, Nov. 2ND, at 11-15 and 7, MRS. B. STOCK, Address and Clairvoyance. MONDAY, at 7-45, PUBLIC HEALING

CIRCLE. WEDNESDAY, at 8, PUBLIC MEETING.

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SATURDAY, NOV. 1ST, at 7-30, and SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 11 and 6-30, MR. ERIC SISSON, Address and Clairvoyance.

Eastbourne Spiritualist Society, DICKENS FELLOWSHIP HALL, UPPERTON ROAD.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 3-30 and 6-30, MRS. LUCAS. At 8. OPEN CIRCLE. WEDNESDAY, at 7-45, Mediums present

Kenton Spiritualist Church,

NORTHWICK PARK HALL. Stations: Northwick Park (Met.) and Kenton (Bakerloo).

SUNDAY, Nov. 2ND, at 6-30, "CRUSADER," Address." TUESDAY, at 3, LADIES' MEETING. THURSDAY, at 8, MRS. HOLLOWAY, Address and Clairvoyance.

Ramsgate National Spiritualist Church CHATHAM STREET, RAMSGATE.

SATURDAY, NOV. 1ST, at 7, and SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 3 and 6-30, MADAM BISHOP ANDERSON. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MR. NICKELS.

Richmond Spiritualist Church (THE FREE CHURCH), ORMOND ROAD, RICHMOND, SURBEY

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 7, MR. & MRS. A. H. BAIN, Address and Clairvoyance. WEDNESDAY, at 7-30, MRS. J. YORKE, Address and Clairvoyance.

Ryde Christian Spiritualist Church, Isle of Wight, NEWPORT STREET, OFF HIGH STREET.

Services : SUNDAY at 6-30. Enquiry Class : WEDNESDAY, at 7-30.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, MRS. KIDGELL of Gosport, Address and Clairvoyance. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MRS. PODMORE.

Isle of Wight. Ryde National Spiritualist Church,

BELVEDERE HALL, BELVEDERE STREET

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 3, LYCEUM. At 6-30, MISS V. CROXFORD. THURSDAY, at 7, MR. J. ROLLASON,

Southend Spiritualist Church, Corner of HILDAVILLE DRIVE and WESTBOROUGH ROAD, WESTCLIFFE (near Chalkwell Park).

SUNDAY, Nov. 2ND, at 11 and 6-30, MISS L. GEORGE. THURSDAY, at 8, MRS. B. STOCK.

Sutton Spiritualist Society. Co-OPERATIVE HALL, BENHILL STREET

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 6-30, MR. HORACE LAEF, Address and Clairvoyance. DAY, NOV. 9TH, MRS. KINSGTONE, Address and Clairvoyance. SUNDAY,

> Worthing Spiritualist Church, GRAFTON ROAD.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 11 and 6-30, MRS. QUINEY. THURSDAY, at 3, MEMBERS ONLY. At 6-30, MRS. CLEGHORN.

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Barnsbury Spiritual Church, HILLMARTEN RD., HOLLOWAY, N.7

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 7, MR. SERJEANT, Address and Clairvoyance. WEDNESDAY, at 8, ADDRESS and CLAIRVOYANCE. XNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MISS F. DAUNTON.

Battersea Spiritualist Church, ENTERLEY HALL, BENNERLEY ROAD, NORTHCOTE ROAD, BATTERSEA (Affiliated to S.N.U.).

XXDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 11, MISS JOAN PROUD. At 3, LYCEUM. At 6-30, MRS. NUTLAND, Address and Clairvoyance. NOXDAY, at 3, MRS. S. D. KENT. WENDAY, at 8, REV. BEATRICE BURN-BAM (San Francisco, U.S.A.), Public Clairvoyance Meeting.

ittersea Christian Spiritualist Church HALL, FALCON GRO Near Clapham Junction, S.W.

MAY, NOV. 2ND, at 11, CIRCLE. At 6-30, MRS. CALWAY, Address and Clairvoyance.
MAY, at 2-30, LADIES' MEETING, MRS. H. V. PRIOR.
MURDAY, at 7-30, HEALING CIRCLE and PSYCHOMETRY.
MNDAY, NOV. 9TH, REV. RANDALL.

bunds Green Christian Spiritualist Church, NING HALL, CANNING CRESCENT, HIGH ROAD, WOOD GREEN.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 7, Mr. H. J. KING. SDAY, at 8, Mrs. EDITH HINES. DAY, NOV. 9TH, Mrs. S. D. KENT.

Bowes Park and Palmer's Green Spiritualist Church, PTESBURY HALL, BOWES PARK.

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on Spiritual Brotherhood Church

DAY, NOV. 2ND, at 11-15, SERVICE. At 3, LYCEUM.
U.7, MR. AND MRS. F. BROWN, Address and Clairvoyance.
DAY, at 7-30, LADIES PUBLIC CIR.
DIAY, at 8, MEMBERS' CIRCLE.
DIREDAY, at 8-15, PUBLIC CIRCLE.
DAY, NOV. 9TH, MRS. N. MELLOY.

Ital London Spiritualists' Society,
 HATTON GARDEN, E.C.1.
 (Note New Address.)

FRDAY, OCT, 31ST, at 7-30 MISS V. M. THORNDICK. SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 7, MRS. HOLLOWAY. 47, NOV. 7TH, MR. L. BANCROFT. 47, NOV. 9TH, MISS J. B. PROUD. 48 after every SUNDAY Service.

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Chiswick Christian Spiritualist Church, HARVARD TOWERS, 56, HARVARD RD. (Off Wellesley Road, in rear of Gunnersbury Station)

SUNDAY, Nov. 2 ND, at 11, SERVICE. At 6-45, SERVICE. WEDNESDAY, at 7-45, SERVICE.

Clapham Spiritualist Church, Opposite CLAPHAM NORTH STATION, BEDFORD ROAD, CLAPHAM, S.W.4.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 11, OPEN CIRCLE At 3, LYCEUM. At 6-45 for 7, MRS. MARY CROWDER. MONDAY, at 3, Ladies' Meeting, Psy-chometry.

MONDAY, at 8, Healing Circle. Mag-netic Healing. THURSDAY, at 8, Open Discussion Group. Subject, "Do Miracles Happen Now?"

FRIDAY, at 8, Service for Clairvoyance. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MRS. G. COOKE.

Cricklewood Christian Spiritualist Soc Ashford Hall, 41, Ashford Road, CRICKLEWOOD, N.W.2.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 3 and 6-30, MR. E. KEITH, Address and Clairvoyance. WEDNESDAY, at 3, CIRCLE. At 8, MRS. N. HARRINGTON, Address and Clairvoyance.

Croydon National Spiritualist Church BROAD GREEN HALL, HANDCROFT RD. nr. junction London Rd., West Croydon

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 3-15, LYCEUM. At 6-30, MR. SNOWDON HALL, Address and Clairvoyance. WEDNESDAY, at 7-45, MRS. F. LANE. Clairvoyance. THURSDAY, at 3, LADIES' MEETING. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MRS. J. WESLEY ADAMS, Address and Clairvoyance.

The Spiritualist Fellowship (KENTISH TOWN), "THIRTEEN, MOR-TIMER TERRACE, HIGHGATE ROAD. Cars, 7 15, 25, Gordon House Stop.

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SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, MR. S. OUSELEY. THURSDAY, NOV.6TH, MRS. DONALDSON SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MR. J. COATES.

Ealing Spiritualist Church, 8, Bakers Lane, Broadway, Ealing

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND. at 11-15, MR. COUZENS. At 3, LYCEUM. At 7, MR. H. E. HUNT. WEDNESDAY, at 8, MRS. F. TYLER. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MRS. ARNOLD.

East London Spiritualist Mission, EARLHAM HALL, FOREST GATE.

SPEAKERS FOR NOVEMBER : Nov. 2.—Mrs. Carrie Young. Nov. 9.—Mrs. Barrell. Nov. 16.—Mr. H. Bryceson. Nov. 23.—Miss Vanstone. Nov. 30.—Mrs. Laws.

Forest Hill Christian Spiritualist Church BEADNELL ROAD, FOREST HILL, SE23.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 11-15, PUBLIC CIRCLE. At 3, LYCEUM. At 7, MRS. FLORENCE LANE. TUESDAY, at 3, MRS. FILLMORE. At 7-50, HEALING CIRCLE. WEDNESDAY, at 8, PUBLIC DISCUSSION MEETING. THURSDAY, at 8, PUBLIC CIRCLE. FRIDAY, at 8, MEMBERS' CIRCLE. SUNDAY, at 7, MR. A. H. BAIN.

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Finchley Spiritual Mission, FERN BANK HALL, GRAVEL HILL HENDON LANE, CHURCH END, N.3. Trams and Buses to "Queen's Head."

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 7, CAPTAIN JACK FROST. THURSDAY, at 8, MRS. S. PODMORE, Address and Clairvoyance.

Hackney Spiritualist Church, 240A, AMHURST ROAD, N.16.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 3, LYCEUM. At 7, MR. H. BOLTON. MONDAY, at 8, MRS. DUNN. TUESDAY, at 8, MEMBERS ONLY. WEDNESDAY, at 8, FREE HEALING. THURSDAY, at 8, FSYCHOMETRY. Silver Collection. FRIDAY, at 8, LYCEUM MEETING. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MRS. E. NEVILLE.

Hackney Independent Lyceum Church PEMBURY HALL, 41, PEMBURY ROAD (First Gateway on left in Downs Park Road).

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 3, LYCEUM. At 6-30, MR. GEORGE BARKER, Address and Clairvoyance.

OPEN CIRCLE after Service. MONDAY, at 8, FREE HEALING by appointment. THURSDAY, at 8, MISS ROSE WARD, Psychometry. Silver Collection. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MRS. L. LEWIS.

Harringay Christian Spiritualist Mission 1, Salisbury Parade, ST. Ann's RD. (Side Door, Boot Shop).

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 11, SERVICE. At 7, MRS. CHESTERMAN, TUESDAY, at 8, FREE HEALING OIRCLE. MR. CUMINGS in attendance. WEDNESDAY, at 8, MISS J. PROUD.

Harrow Spiritualist Society, GREENHILL HALL, STATION ROAD, HARROW-ON-THE-HILL.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 6-30, MR. T. W. ELLA, Address and Questions. WEDNESDAY, at 8, MRS. MAUNDER, Address and Clairvoyance. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MRS. WIRDNAM.

Independ at Spiritualist Church, NEW MO RIS HALL, BEDFORD ROAD, CLAPHAM, N.

SUNDAY, Nov. 2ND, at 6-45, MRS. N. HARRINGTON, Address and Clairvoyance. J THURSDAY, at 7-45, MRS. DONALDSON, Psychometry. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MRS. RAYFIELD, TUESDAY, at 8, HEALING. LYCEUM STUDY GROUP, SUNDAY at 3.

Hendon and Golders Green National Spiritualist Fellowship, THE LIBERAL ROOM, 1, BELL TERRACE HENDON (op. "The Bell" bus stop).

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 6-45, MISS EVA CLARK, Address and Clairvoyance. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MR. C. G. BOTHAM.

Hounslow Spiritual Mission, Corner of DOUGLAS ROAD, HANWORTH ROAD (op. Congregational Church).

SUNDAY, Nov. 2ND, at 6-45, THE TEACHER, Speaker and Demonstrator. TUESDAY, at 8, HEALING CIRCLE. WEDNESDAY, at 3, LADIES' GUILD, MRS. KENT. At 8, MR. BURTENSHAW. LYCEUM every SUNDAY at 3.

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THURSDAY, at 3, Ladies' Meeting, MRS. EDEY, Address and Clairvoyance. FRIDAY, at 8, MRS. E. CLEMENTS, Address and Clairvoyance. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, at 7, MRS. STOCK, Address and Clairvoyance.

Kensington Spiritualist Church, LINDSAY HALL, THE MALL, NOTTING HILL GATE.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND. at 6-30, MRS. M. LINES. MONDAY, at 8, in Small Hall, MRS. G. ELLIOTT, Psychometry. THURSDAY, at 8, in Small Hall, OPEN DEVELOPING CIRCLE, MRS. M. LINES.

Kingston Spiritualist Church, VILLIERS ROAD, KINGSTON.

SUNDAY, Nov. 2ND, at 11 and 6-30, MRS. R. DARBY, Address and Clairvoyance. At 3, Lyceum. Monday, at 3, MRS. Ruth DARBY. WEDNESDAY, at 7-30, MISS THORNDICK SUNDAY, Nov. 9th, MR. BUCHAN FORD

Lewisham Spiritualist Church, LIMES HALL, LIMES GROVE, LEWISHAM (op. Prince of Wales Playhouse).

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 11-15, CIRCLE. At 6-30, Mr. A. VOUT PETERS, Address and Clairvoyance. MONDAY, at 3, LADIES' OWN, MRS. PRINCE, Address and Clairvoyance. WEDNESDAY, at 8, MRS. A. NUTLAND, Address and Clairvoyance. FRIDAY, at 8, MEMBERS' DEVELOPING CIRCLE.

CIRCLE.

Little Ilford Christian Spiritualist Church,

THIRD AVENUE, MANOR PARK, E.12

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 7, ALDERMAN D. J. DAVIS, Address and Clairvoyance. Monday, at 3, MRS. MURRAY. TUESDAY, at 8, HEALING CIRCLE. WEDNESDAY, at 8, MRS. CLEGHORN, An Evening of Clairvoyance. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MR. G. PRIOR.

Manor Park Spiritualist Church, Corner of SHREWSBURY ROAD and STRONE ROAD.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 11, HEALING CIRCLE. At 3, LYVEUM. At 6-30, Mr. J. G. POLLARD, Address THURSDAY, at 3 and 8, MRS. MAUNDERS SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, NR. G. T. GWINN,

New Southgate National Spiritualist Church, ADULT SCHOOL HALL, PALMER'S ROAD

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 7, MRS. HELEN JOLLY. WEDNESDAY, at 8, MRS. TUFNELL. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MR. ED. KEITH.

Shepherds Bush Spiritualist Society, 73, BECKLOW RD., ASKEW RD., W.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 11-15, OPEN CIRCLE. At 6-30, MRS. LAURA LEWIS. THURSDAY, at 8, MRS. BOLAN, Psychometry.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL. — MRS. FLOR-ENCE SUTTON has removed to Lanark Lodge, 2a, Lanark Villas, Maida Vale (Lower Door). Developing Class, Tues-days at 8. Psychometry, fridays at 8. Buses from all parts. Alight at Clifton Boad Road.

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South London Spiritualist Mission, LAUSANNE HALL, LAUSANNE ROAD, PECKHAM, S.E.15.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 11-30, CIRCLE. At 7, MRS. A. GREGG, Address and Clairvoyance

THURSDAY, at 8-15, MRS. E. EDEY, Address and Clairvoyance. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH. MRS. TULLETT. Monday, Nov. 10th, Mrs. Tullett.

SATURDAY, NOV. 15TH, at 7, LYCEUM SOCIAL EVENING.

HEALING CIRCLE, TUESDAYS at 8-15. LYCEUM every SUNDAY at 3.

Southall Spiritualist Society, CO-OPERATIVE HALL, KING STREET,

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 7, MISS LEONARD, Address and Clairvoyance. TUESDAY, at 3, LADIES' MEETING, held at 16, Osterley Park Road. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MRS. STOCKWELL.

Stratford Spiritualist Church, IDMISTON ROAD (Sixth Turning down Forest Lane going from Maryland Point Station).

SUNDAY, NOV. 2NO. at 11, FORWARD MOVEMENT. At 3, LYCEUM. At 6-30, MR. H. J. OSBORN. MONDAY, at 8, SPECIAL MEMBERS' MEETING. TURSDAY, A 8, MEALING CHECKE

TUESDAY, at 8, HEALING CIRCLE. WEDNESDAY, at 3, Ladies' Meeting, MRS. TRODD. FHURSDAY, at 8, Evening of Clairvoy-

ance

SATURDAY, at 7-30, SOCIAL EVENING. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MRS. G. BYCROFT.

Streatham Spiritual Brotherhood, STREATHAM SCHOOL OF MUSIC (almost opposite STREATHAM Station).

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 6-30, MRS. B. HIRST, Circle after Service. Free Healing. THURSDAY, at 3, MRS. LOGAN. At 8, MRS. JARMAN. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MRS. CAMPBELL. Soloist, MISS LOUISE MURRAY.

Streatham Christian Spiritualist Church TUDOR HALL, PINFOLD ROAD (Adjoining Streatham Library).

SUNDAY, Nov. 2ND, at 11, SERVICE & CIRCLE. At 6-30, Mr. E. MEADS, Address. WEDNESDAY, at 3 (Ladies' Meeting) & 8, Mrs. V. CROXFORD, Address and Clairvoyance. SUNDAY, Nov. 9TH, Mr. T. W. ELLA.

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SUNDAY SERVICES-Lyceum at 3. Service at 7. After Circle

Nov. 2.-MADAME PUSTERLA. Nov. 9.-Mrs. Yorke.

MRS. WILLIAM EDWARDS. At home Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, 3 to 5. Open Circle, Tuesday, 8 p.m.-15, Champion Grove, Denmark Hill, SE5.

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The Fellowship of the Spirit, 78, LANCASTER GATE, W.2.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 6-30, Address, Miss SIEGENTHALER. Personal Messages, W. E. LONG. Circle : The Guides of W. E. Low

The Church of the Spirit, 24A, CHURCH ROAD, CROYDON.

SUNDAY. NOV. 2ND, at 11 and 6-30, MR. PERCY SCHOLEY. WEDNESDAY, at 8, MR. PERCY SCHOLEY Address and Demonstrations

Wembley Spiritualist Society, UNION HALL, EALING RD., WEMBLEY

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 6-30, REV. D. MILLS, Address. MRS. BETTS, Clairvoyance. SUNDAY, NOV. 9TH, MRS. CANNOCK LYCEUM EVERY SUNDAY at 3.

West Eating Spiritualist Church, HESSEL ROAD.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 6-30, MRS. WALTERS.

Address and Clairvoyance. WEDNESDAY, at 7-45, MR. W. SPE

Wood Green Christian Spiritualist Ghurch, BRADLEY HALL, BRADLEY ROAD, STATION ROAD.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2ND, at 11-15, SERVICE At 7, "THE STRANGER." WEDNESDAY, at 8, MR. J. WAUE LYCEUM every SUNDAY at 3.

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WED. at 3, FREE HEALING CIRCLE SATURDAY, NOV. 29TH, "TEA" at 5. Write for Syllabus, or Call. Phone : Paddington 2312. All Welcome.

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MR. C. S. COLLEN-SMITH is nor booking for 1931. Trance or normal addresses and questions. Some data for 1930. See also Miscellaneous advis 3, Old Quebec Street, W.1. Padd. 1659

MR. F. BROWN, Inspirational Speake Clairvoyance; Healing, has a few oper dates for 1930. South coast.-72, For ton Road, Gosport, Hants.

MR. HENRY LEON JAMES. Lecture and Demonstrator, has a few open dates for 1930. Now booking for 1931. Distance no object. 36, Denbigh St. S.W.1. Phone, Park 4796.

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HOUNSLOW SPIRITUAL CHURCH 100. C C. SHARPE, Sec. pro tem., 100 mill Rd., Brentford, Middlesex.

CENTAL LONDON.

The Central London Church her The Central London Church has their annual harvest thanksgiving se vice on Sunday, Oct. 12th, when the was a large congregation. Gifts flowers, fruit, and eggs, of which the was a good quantity, were afterwark sent to the Royal Free and Queen Hospitals, where they were much appreciated. Mrs. Mary Crowder again conducted the services. conducted the services.

Surbiton Christian Spiritualist Church

SUNDAY, Nov. 2ND, at 3, MR. F. WALL, Address and Psychometry. At 6-30, REV. B. BURNHAM, Address and Clairvoyance. WEDNESDAY, at 3, MRS. HENDERSON, Psychometry. At 7-30, MISS MARY MILLS, Lecture on "Numbers."

Tottenham Christian Spiritualist Church

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

RONALD BRAILEY, Clairvoyant and Psychometrist, at home daily. Post orrespondence. Circles Tuesdays and, Thursdays at 8.—90, Sunny Gardens, X.W.4. Tel.: Hendon 1888.

B. D. MANSFIELD, Trance Medium, bolds a Scance every Wednesday and Priday at 8.—4, Westmoreland Street, Victoria, S.W.1.

MARIAN MORETON, Clairvoyant, Clairaudient, Speaker. At home, Monday to Friday, 1 to 5.—64, Newman Street, Oxford Street, W.1.

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