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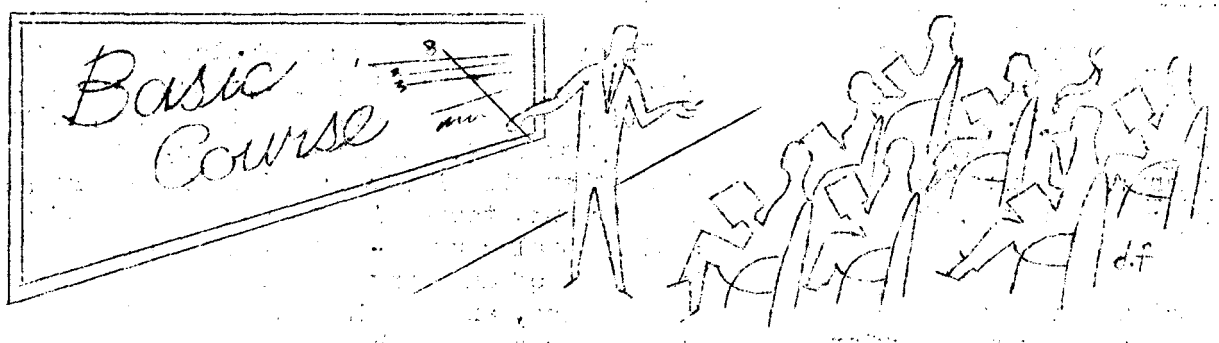
U.S. PROFESSIONAL TRAINING CENTRALIZED

by John Sanborn

With the new BASIC COURSE being now the training activity toward which all field activity aims, no professional training will be in the future given by auditors anywhere in the field. D.Scn.s with the HASI right to train are now switching over to Basic Courses entirely, and the only HCA training they will do in the future is that which is necessary to finishing up and graduating those students right now at this moment in training under them. Many a D.Scn. has now to his credit an impressive number of HCA graduates. These field-trained HCAs were trained in the Six Basic Processes, and they have been for a year and a half doing a fine job with the old Six Basics, and the Six Basics continue to get the results.

During this year, however, Scientology has not, and L. Ron Hubbard has not been sitting under its laurels. Ron has, during this period, been developing something. This something is called the Six Levels of Processing.

Professional training has been standardized upon SLP (Six Levels of Processing) Issue 8. Requiring an indoctrination and an intensiveness of training beyond any earlier issue, the present SLP calls for skills and experience in auditing comparable to the highest levels of auditing. These skills and the experience necessary for modern auditing have to be acquired in intensive training and can be had at this time only at the Academy in Washington and the HASUK



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in London. For the present they can be had no where else.

It is something on the order of training auditors to audit at a level of certainty and effectiveness such as would have been expected earlier only of L. Ron Hubbard.

About a year ago in Phoenix it was noticed that in a long series of cases where the test results were compared between the staff intensives (25 hours) and the intensives being given by Ron at that time (5 hours in length), L. Ron's preclears were making routinely better gains than the preclears of the staff auditors. The gains were very great that were made by the staff auditors. Ron was very surprised when the tests came in and showed his own 5-hour preclears (admittedly a very small length of time to audit a preclear) pushing ahead of those staff preclears.

Where auditing results are concerned it is an easy thing to arouse the curiosity of L. Ron Hubbard. He gets curious very very easily. These test results didn't surprise the rest of us very much, but for a year now Ron has been following this lead. He has been looking into and testing the factors that make the difference between excellent auditing and more excellent auditing. And out of this research and investigation has come SLP.

No formula has yet been discovered or even envisioned wherein top professional auditors could be created without many hundreds of hours in training under close instruction and supervision, and the fact emerges that the training of an auditor and Scientologist depends very much on the soundness of his basics - thus we have the Indoctrination Course as the first step in all training.

In other words, a year of close study and observation of auditing difference - with Ron's auditing on the one side and the fine auditing done by staff D.Scns on the other, it was found that the difference lies in the things that are now taught in the FIRST weeks of a professional course - INDOCTRINATION. The Rudiments of auditing, the actual attitude of the auditor, and the important thing known as auditor Presence - these are the things which when codified gave us modern auditing style.

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PROCESSING in SCIENTOLOGY

by Don Breeding

Processing today is not hard to come by for anyone living within reach of civilization. There are Scientology offices in every continent on Earth, and in every major city in the English speaking world there are at least a few, but usually a number of professional Scientologists. There is often free group processing. There are well-informed Scientology Groups and Congregations to which one can belong. These are usually headed by one or several professional auditors.

The very best processing that can be had is from the Hubbard Guidance Center in Washington and from the H.A.S.U.K. Clinic in London. These are the centers where the best trained and most closely supervised by L. Ron Hubbard auditors are operating. The staffs are large, and they represent among them considerable personableness and wisdom as well as professional skill and, one might say, daring. It is not unknown to the Scientology world that the role of the auditor is occasionally an adventurous one, not one for the uneasy and timorous being. The "auditor presence" of a Washington HGC or a London Clinic auditor has become will known to thousands of people and has served many hundreds of preclears. Scientology can well be proud of its two major auditing centers.

Professional auditing is also widely available in the many cities where one finds a single auditor doing his job alone or where one finds a panel of professionals working as a team in their areas.

The fact that a casual glance at the world today tells you that the world and the people in it could stand quite a lot of processing should not be allowed by anyone to lead them to the conclusion that without processing one can do nothing. There are many things that one can do both for himself and for others and for all the Dynamics. To name only one of these, there is a very great deal that one can accomplish by the completion of a short and inexpensive Basic Course in Scientology.

We can find today in almost every rural place and city, people who with Scientology are creating a richer life for themselves, their friends, their community.

In notable instances people are achieving this without the benefits of professional training or processing. People singly, people in groups and congregations, peoples in town and country are everywhere gaining on all Dynamics a greater understanding and fuller livingness.

They do this by the reading of books, the listening of tapes, and conversation with friends; by group processing and group discussion with the trained auditor.

Lucky is today's Basic Course Graduate, he who has the important data in its most precise codification - data such as the dynamics. If you glance across

the Dynamics you see immediately a stabilizing factor for living. SURVIVAL along the Dynamics. Survival FOR self, family, group, species and so on to an infinity of survival. Survival then, not as a rugged fight, but as a harmonious rhythm of living. There is no life greater than one living the Dynamics. NOT at the expense of or with the specialization of one Dynamic over another... not as one but as many.

The picture of the "ONLY ONE" is a sad picture. For he has LOST, not gained, an impregnable position. He is haunted by the other Dynamics, not aided. And he can give no aid. His only chance is an awakening to LIFE not a further closing down of life.

Thus such a Datum as the Dynamics, with A-R-C, the Tone Scale, the Cycle of Action, in any community brings about an immediate and effective increase of that community's Livingness.

Scientology communicates and with this communication is occuring the most widespread and effective processing we have. There had to be people before there were auditors and now that we are auditors we are finding again people, people, who at each training level are, in their use of Scientology, processing.

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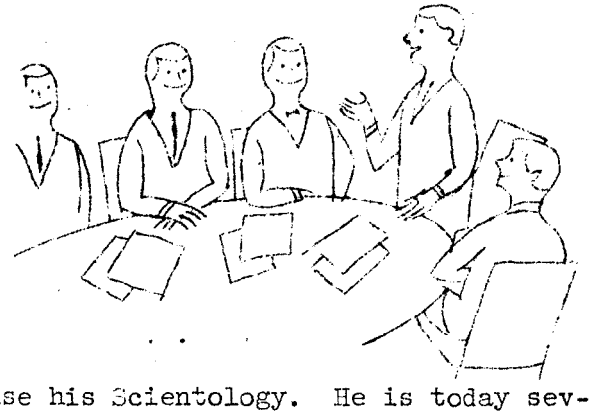
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What we all found was that where L. Ron Hubbard excels as an auditor he excels because he follows so closely and exactly these basic rudiments. Now that these things are actually taught at the Academy and at the HASUK in London, we are closing some of the gap between levels of auditing, which have yawned more or less wide lo these many years.

In the HCA Course, taught by Kenneth D. Barrett in Washington (and the HPA Course taught by Dennis Stephens in London), after Indoctrination is completed (takes about two weeks), the student is given six weeks of very steady slugging and hammering away at the technology of professional auditing.

The SLP as we now have it from Ron in Dublin is taught, with thorough schooling and much actual experience with each of the six levels. The HCA student gets about 72 hours of experience in DOING these processes, and then another 72 hours of auditing time where he receives auditing on these levels. All this is closely supervised by the instructor with large amounts of personal coaching in addition to the regular daily Student Auditor Conference, where the emphasis is very nicely placed by Instructor Ken on NOT the "case" of the student but on what the auditor learned about auditing during the day's sessions.



The purpose and goal of the HCA Course is a high one. The graduate is expected to become and must become a full-fledged professional auditor who knows and can put to confident use his Scientology. He is today several cuts above the earlier HCA, mainly because in Indoctrination he learns to audit, even before he is given an actual technique to run on an actual preclear. Another factor is the advance represented by SLP over the Six Basics. And another is the fact that you have today a better instruction team than in days of yore.

The fact that an HCA coming out of the Academy now is expected to conduct a BASIC COURSE in his own bailiwick is of special note here on what we think of the modern HCA.

With the Basic Course very new in the field we have yet already some proof of our correctness in estimating our HCA high. Several are already going full blast on the Basic Courses and doing a good job.

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