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WELCOME
TO THE CONGRESS

It's wonderful to have you here again "live", and all of us in Washington and Silver Spring are pleased with all of you much more than you know.

This Radiation Congress, or ANTI-Radiation Congress, is a very important occasion, and we wish the Radiation part of it was less important.

Let's remember this, thought, that no emergency situation such as the radiation situation is equal to the subject of the construction of universes and the role played in them by a spiritual being, and the background of masses, spaces, energy, thought, and its relative positions, person to person, dynamic to dynamic, which is what Scientology is and is the main, central line of search and research for all of us here. It is a very broad, technical subject, but you don't therefore ignore it because it is what it is.

Dianetics is also a subject. It goes up to the fourth Dynamic, and no science has done that before, and it handles a mental image picture called an engram, and nobody has ever noticed, handles and defined that before, either, and that is Dianetics. It discovered that these mental image pictures were housed, kept, maintained, stowed, hidden stashed in a reactive mind which was "over this way", and on some preclears that-a-way, and on other preclears it was a little electric train that went across with a little word in each car.

But it went up to the FOURTH DYNAMIC, and so, Dianetics, though perhaps in some ways superceded but never abandoned by Scientology, has the job of handling nuclear fission products and the consequences to man thereof.

This is a Dianetics Congress as much as it is an emergency Congress as much as it is a Scientology Congress, with some important things to be covered on all counts.

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MEMBERSHIP STREAMLINE

One price, one scale, one discount, one WORLD MEMBERSHIP. For a long time with General, Special, Professional memberships we have wanted to abolish the whole class system and call a member a member.

It is now at this great Congress being done.

A membership means a membership in the Hubbard Association of Scientologists, International.

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His only difference is that he, to be a pro, MUST be an HASI member.

The two old membership prices were $8.50 and $25.00 per year.

The one NEW price for HASI membership is $15.00.

Up from General, down from pro.

Compromise. A definite meeting of minds.

Now there is a difference in SERVICES here.

One thing is that we are getting steadily better and better at giving the world and the membership what we in Scientology have to give. We are after many years of finding out how to do what none of us ever did before just how expertly to do it.

Just as processes are today fabulously more high-powered and precise and effective, so are the comm-lines of your own organization the HASI. There are other organizations and there have been wars and empires and civilizations but the HASI stays.

THAT is a stable datum. People persist even in calling the Founding Church of Washington the HASI, so stable is that datum.

Well one of the services new to this form of membership is helpful to the pocketbook - the new discount.

20% for everyone.

Now here's another. PABs. EVERY EACH AND ALL MEMBERS will henceforth get the Professional Auditor's Bulletins every two

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THE ROENTGEN TEST

This short test designed to size up briefly the individual's status with regard to certain radiation phenomena observed in Dianetics-Scientology research and other related sources is printed here for your use and for our information in forwarding this research. Far from being a comprehensive check-over of the situation it is simply a preliminary broad survey. It contains a certain degree of accuracy, however, and with respect to processing is a proven weathervane of the pc.

If you would like to have your test evaluated, fill it out completely and send it in to the Editor of ABILITY Magazine at Box 242, Silver Spring, Maryland. We will report to you the compared result.

We will appreciate it very much if every one of you will do the test and send it in, and give the test to your friends, using another sheet, if you would like to, as the information is vital here. We'll send the results on them, too.

DIRECTIONS for doing the test are implied in the questions, calling in most cases for a check mark ✓ for yes or no, etc., and where it calls for a year please put the approximate year that applies, and where you are very certain of the year, please underscore. Interpretation of the questions should assume that we are after TRENDS in many cases, even if the trend was overcome in one way or another. An example of this would be where, for instance, you would have been effected greatly by something but it happened that you had had some good processing and the thing didn't actually effect you greatly at all. We are after the unaccountable tendency, the trend, the odd phenomenon, rather than the event just as it transpired. However, the event serves for an answer, too, because if it happened the tendency for it to happen was evidently present. This isn't an IBM machine corrected test.

1. Since (year)_____ I have experienced a phenomenon of lessened creativeness or interest in creation and new activities.

   yes___no___.

2. The above change was ABRUPT___GRADUAL___.

3. My attitude about my own chances of SURVIVAL as a human being has declined. yes___no___.

4. I generally avoid or ignore the subject of atomic war.

   yes___no___.

5. I generally avoid or ignore the subject of radiation caused by hydrogen bomb "tests". yes___no___.

6. I have become in recent years less eager to join or be drawn into a group, new business, or community activity. yes___no___.

7. I have had an unusual number of "virus" attacks, "flu", "sinus troubles", etc., during the past few years. yes___no___.

8. (If 7 was "yes") Especially since (year)_____.

9. (have changed my mind abruptly about desiring to have more or less children since (year)_____.

10. I have "stayed changed" on that point. yes___no___.

11. (Was it toward more or less children?) more___less___.

12. I am less intensely interested in the arts (such as theater or dancing) than I used to be before (year)_____. yes___no___.

13. I have given up playing a musical instrument, writing, painting, or doing some other art. yes___no___.

14. I have had odd illnesses, such as a non-contagious "measles" or other peculiar somatics every once in a while in very recent MONTHS. yes___no___.

15. My health was usually very good, but I have been subject to various illnesses since (year)_____ that previously would not have happened to me. yes___no___.

16. I have had a great many X-Ray tests taken on various parts of my body (includes dental). yes___no___.

17. I have had X-Ray "treatments" in my lifetime. yes___no___.

18. I have been exposed to considerable radiation in the line of my occupation or other activities. yes___no___.

19. I watch too much TV. yes___no___.

20. I have watched TV only occassionally. yes___no___.

21. Recently I have "felt" radiation coming off people a great deal. yes___no___.

ANTI-RADIATION IS DIANETICS

Gamma radiation etc. is not a side-issue or a mere odd phenomenon, potent and destructive. It is part and parcel of the Mest universe and is the repeated, old, customary Whole-Track phenomenon that turns up in every case audited and in every incident packing anything approaching an engram on the track anywhere.

It might be found that radiation itself fits into the cycle of action of the physical universe. In CREATE-SURVIVE-DESTROY it might be found that there is a point of track which may be DESTROY and which always contains radioactive particle flow.

If so, the creation of a radiation crisis would be an old story of the dramatization of the physical universe. This seems very likely, that the development of bigger and bigger fission bombs would be the reactive dramatization of a "law" of the Mest universe.

The total theory and observation of radiation phenomena would be a matter for Scientology. The tackling of this fourth-dynamic emergency is peculiarly the business of DIANETICS.

A radioactive mass is essentially CHAOS. An engram is produced in a moment of chaos to the individual. A group engram is produced for group storage and group subservience in a moment of group chaos sufficiently sudden or sufficiently continuous to produce unconsciousness.

Here we have on Earth thetans engaged in the creation and persistence of a race homo sapiens, but suppressed by engrams, secondaries and locks, attempting to survive without looking at present conditions but only at a few present conditions and largely at facsimiles, succumbing to the fact that men do not communicate enough with men to get together and harness the power set up by atomic reactors and take it out of the military scene.

And this is the emergency faced by this small Congress of Dianeticists and Scientologists in Washington, 1956.

Of course it's all very well to say that somebody else will do something. But you can also point out that within the last decade nobody else HAS done anything about it. And that kind of saddles anybody who CAN do something about it with the idea <u>of</u> doing something about it.

Now this seems very presumptuous of us to get together and call an emergency Congress about this and to gather up our forces and start doing something about this world situation, and continue the playing field a bit, and make the game itself worth playing, and it seems rather self-centered and conceited of us to believe that we might do this.

But modesty isn't the only virtue ever to be sought. "I don't think it would be quite right," says Ron, "to let our sense of MODESTY kill us ten to twenty years from now. I think that would be paying too high a price for modesty."

Well, why is it that it takes Dianetics and Scientology to handle the situation Earth is in today?

WHEN A WORLD SITUATION DETERIORATES TO THE EXTENT THAT THE DYNAMICS ARE SPLIT UP, INDIVIDUATED, AND MISALIGNED, NO SINGLE DYNAMIC CAN REHABILITATE THE SITUATION.

And WE happen to be standing here with Dianetics and Scientology, which, when you outline the problems of Man today, and the direction of the only possible attack on the problems, seems to be made to order for this specific situation. It isn't. Dianetics and Scientology are made to order for, respectively, Man and Life. The specifications for such a science as Dianetics are very clearly stated in DIANETICS: THE EVOLUTION OF A SCIENCE, written in 1949 by L. Ron Hubbard. The specs for Scientology are to be found clearly stated in page 401 of the original edition of DIANETICS, Book One.

So we, all of us, have inherited a whirlwind, and isn't it lucky that we happen to know about whirlwinds!

THE PROBLEMS OF WORK

by L. Ron Hubbard

This is the first of the books to be published by Scientology Consultants, Inc., and though you might not expect so from the sound of that, it's a worker's book. The working person's Scientology book. It's written not for the ivory tower or the "intellectual" but for the people who keep this world running at least---the guys who do the things that get done. In politics it's called "labor and management" or labor versus management. It means you and me. A book was written for the people who work because they are smarter. They cognite better, they figure better, they estimate better, they live better, they are practical, they are the bright ones of Earth. That's no surprise to any auditor.

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weeks, L. Ron Hubbard's personal data line to his auditors on five continents.

If you had a "General Membership" and still have one, you will now start getting in on the oldest and most direct if often technical communication line in this Earth and Galaxy. The PABs are the oldest important publication on the planet. They have been coming out since 1953!!!!!

If there be any feature of this that gives difficulties to anyone, please let US, HERE IN WASHINGTON know about it, because WE DID IT.

Now we are going to extend this single membership to Man.

All of him.

As things proceed and progress we will be increasing the services and participations of The Hubbard Association of Scientologists, International, and all of us will be finding all of it more exciting and more and more successful. Success, when struck straight into all the dynamics makes more success. And you are the dynamics.

REBUILD YOUR D&S LIBRARY

DIANETICS: THE ORIGINAL THESIS by L. Ron Hubbard ($2.50).

This was issued and went into many unofficial "editions" long before it was published in hard covers in 1952. It was first issued in 1948 for presentation to the medical and "psychiatric" professions, a straightforward gesture to the doctor crowd of a subject that should have interested them and did interest many M.D.'s. The Original Thesis was written very simply and in the best, accepted journalistic form. From the first carbon copies the thesis got around and was soon mimeographed, hectographed and copied out straight on typewriters by engineers others and doctors, and people existed as recently as 1953 who were doing processing out of that book and did not know that any later techniques had been developed, for it travelled from hand to hand and its students deluged Ron with technical letters much earlier than the issuance of Book One. Ron then had no recourse but to issue a popular text on the subject. This book is testimony that the medical and psychiatric professions were given ample opportunity to study and get two years ahead of the public on the subject. The public overtook them with the greatest of ease in 1950 and has since left them at the gate.

DIANETICS: THE MODERN SCIENCE OF MENTAL HEALTH by L. Ron Hubbard ($4.00). It still outsells them all and is now available in plenty in the AMERICAN EDITION. Contains the important material on engram-running and the anatomy of the reactive and analytical minds. Prerequisite to Scientology.

SCIENCE OF SURVIVAL With the Hubbard Chart of Human Evaluation by L. Ron Hubbard ($5.00). The evaluation, prediction and handling of human behaviour. This book is built on the Chart and on the Tone Scale.

DIANETICS 55! The Textbook of Human Communication by L. Ron Hubbard ($3.00). New hard cover edition with jacket designed after "Book One". Anyone who knows anything about modern auditing knows this book. It's loaded!!!

SCIENTOLOGY: 8-8008 by L. Ron Hubbard ($2.50). The hard cover edition of the first comprehensive professional course textbook of Scientology. Written as a self-contained unit it conveys the maximum amount of information in a staccato, crisp style unknown to the writing world as applied to the sciences or the humanities. It gives the anatomy of universes, the physical universe, and it takes apart homo sapiens into his various portions.

THE CREATION OF HUMAN ABILITY by L. Ron Hubbard ($5.00). The professional auditor's storehouse of techniques, this compact volume contains over seventy-five basic processes as well as a great deal of closely informative text. Pocket-size, black leatherette binding, bible paper, gold edges.

CREATIVE LEARNING: A Scientological Experiment in Schools by Silcox and Maynard ($3.00). This has become an extremely well known book in educational circles in both England and America, selling to colleges, universities and lower-form school teachers and administrators. The accent is wholly on children and is as valuable for the parent as for the school. The processing section was designed specifically for children. Scientology is well presented here.

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