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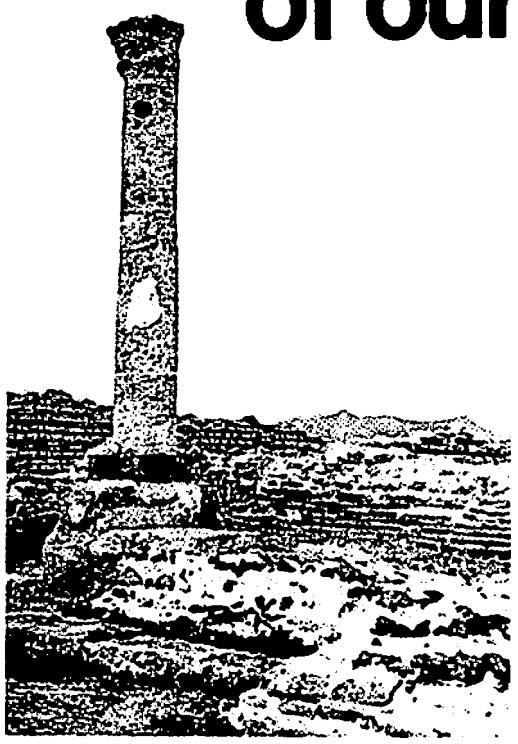
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To the Reader

Concerning a New Article from Ron

We are proud to bring you in this issue of Advance! an extraordinary new article by L. Ron Hubbard entitled, "Scientology, Current State of the Subject and Materials".

This is truly an epochal* statement by Ron. He sums up where we have arrived so far with Scientology and points the direction of new advances. He indicates there are 15 levels above OT VII just waiting for more people to fully obtain OT VI and OT VII. So if you're not that far yet, there's about 800 OT VIs and VIIs saying, "Hey, let's go, get to OT VI and VII as soon as possible, so we can all make it all the way."

Also, in this remarkable article Ron describes his current researches into the fields of nutrition and bio-chemistry, and what he is doing to make these new subjects far more valuable for the health and well-being of man.

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***Indicating a new and important period in the history of something.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Any Scientology words which are not defined immediately in the text or in footnotes will be found in the "Definitions" on page 21. Be sure that you stop to look up any words you don't understand before resuming reading.

Letters to the Editor

Letters from Advance! Mag readers are welcomed and as many as possible will be published monthly. You can express your views on the articles and any other features of the Mag as well as on other subjects of interest to Clears and OTs.

I want to say the article "Your Universe, the MEST Universe and Illusion" by Ron is an excellent article to have in your magazine. The article really keyed me out because the truth there is *so* real to me. I have my own universe, illusions and all, and I love it!

Ruth Sperling
Church of Scientology
St. Louis, Missouri

I wish to thank you for your considerations in sending me your excellently produced and inspiring magazines, Nos. 17 and 18, which I've repeatedly read and enjoyed so much. This is the best magazine ever I've read and will be pleased to pay for any back numbers you could let me have of this lovely companionable magazine.

This beautiful magazine adds to the immense debt of gratitude I owe to L. Ron Hubbard, Dianetics and Scientology.

Mike Hargaden
London, England

On recently becoming acquainted with Scientology, I have read a number of old "Advance" magazines. I was much impressed with this production and would much appreciate being placed on your mailing lists. If any old copies are available these could be put to good use also.

Douglas Atcheson
Maroubra, Australia

Every time I get my Advance mag in the mail, I really flip out. They get better and better each issue. Please continue your upstat and professional production.

"Sam" Beasley
Church of Scientology
Las Vegas, Nevada

The Advance! 19 was fantastic! The OT phenomena was, well . . . phenomenal. It continues to amaze me with each issue. I really enjoy it.

Not to nitpick or anything, but as an old comic fan, I have to tell you that Superman flew through the pages of *DC* comics and still does, not Dell comics as mentioned on page 7.

"Starman's Song" by Hans W. Lippeck was very nice also. Totally keyed me out.

I'm looking forward to No. 20. Can't wait.

One more thing, do I submit poetry to you for publication?

Skipp Press
Axioms Productions
Los Angeles, California

We would love to receive any writing or poetry you care to submit. Just send it to the Deputy Editor care of the Advanced Org. The Ed.

I just picked up Advance 19 from the Las Vegas Org. What a treat! I am going to start using my Advance mags in my dissemination of Scientology. They are the most professional publications I have ever seen from a Scientology organization. The things I like best about Advance are the photographs of Ron, the articles, OT success stories and the fact that there aren't that many ads in Advance. You have a very professional magazine . . .

Bill Curl
Las Vegas, Nevada

Your mag is *great!!* I especially love the cartoon of the drawing of the dog.

Ingrid Eckhoff
Church of Scientology
Los Angeles, California

Thank you for a really worthwhile informative magazine. I've just finished reading Advance! 16 . . . I think it's great! . . .

. . . I'm sure OT education is very beneficial to everyone, even to us preclears, and the articles I have read so far hit the target right away.

Ken Richardson
Bristol, England

Please allow me to add to the many validations the Advance and Ron's tech have already received.

Every page of the magazine is intensely interesting. As for Ron's tech I found that while I was reading the article on "Your Universe, the MEST Universe and Illusion" I had cognitions that blew more charge than a thousand tons of dynamite. It shifted loads of mass and I feel lighter and brighter. If I can get so much case gain from just reading an article by Ron, I'm on my way to get up through the OT levels.

Peter Rademeyer
Port Elizabeth, South Africa

Advance! 18 was absolutely great again. I enjoy very much the articles and the cover photos showing Ron handling MEST.

Typography also has made progress which, as I think, was quite necessary. Unfortunately (or fortunately!) I cannot give you any assistance in layout or graphic work as I am quite busy doing the art work for the Frankfurt mission.

Carl W. Voltz
Darmstadt-Eberstadt,
West Germany

We would like to receive a copy of "Advance" Nos. 17 and 18.

We would like to be put on the mailing list to continue to receive same.

It's an excellent magazine and as OTs we are very proud to show it to our staff, students and anyone for that matter.

By the way, I thought of a fun series for Clears and OTs. Instead of just plain ultra fantastic success stories one could collect some stories under the title "A funny thing happened on the way to O.T." Could be quite fun.

Doran Greene, Class 6, OT 7
Church of Scientology
Mission of Charlotte
Charlotte, North Carolina

We agree totally, Doran. *See page 16 of this issue!* *The Ed.*

Your new format for Advance! magazine is really superb, and I appreciate being on your mailing list.

The covers, both front and back, are beautifully done with their eye-catching colors and subjects. The articles are very interesting and it's difficult, indeed, not to read the magazine straight through. Keep up the good work.

Martha Cate
Dallas, Texas

'Thanks for your To the Reader advice in Advance! issue 18.

I'd like to see more insights on the subject of economics in your magazine. I find that handling money (getting it in and disbursing it properly) hangs up many of my non-org-contracted Scientology friends. Handling money also hangs up many of my non-Scientology friends in their daily lives.

Penny Corbet
Long Beach, California

To say that you deserve a commendation is only part of what you deserve for the Advance Mags you have produced recently . . . You deserve an award!

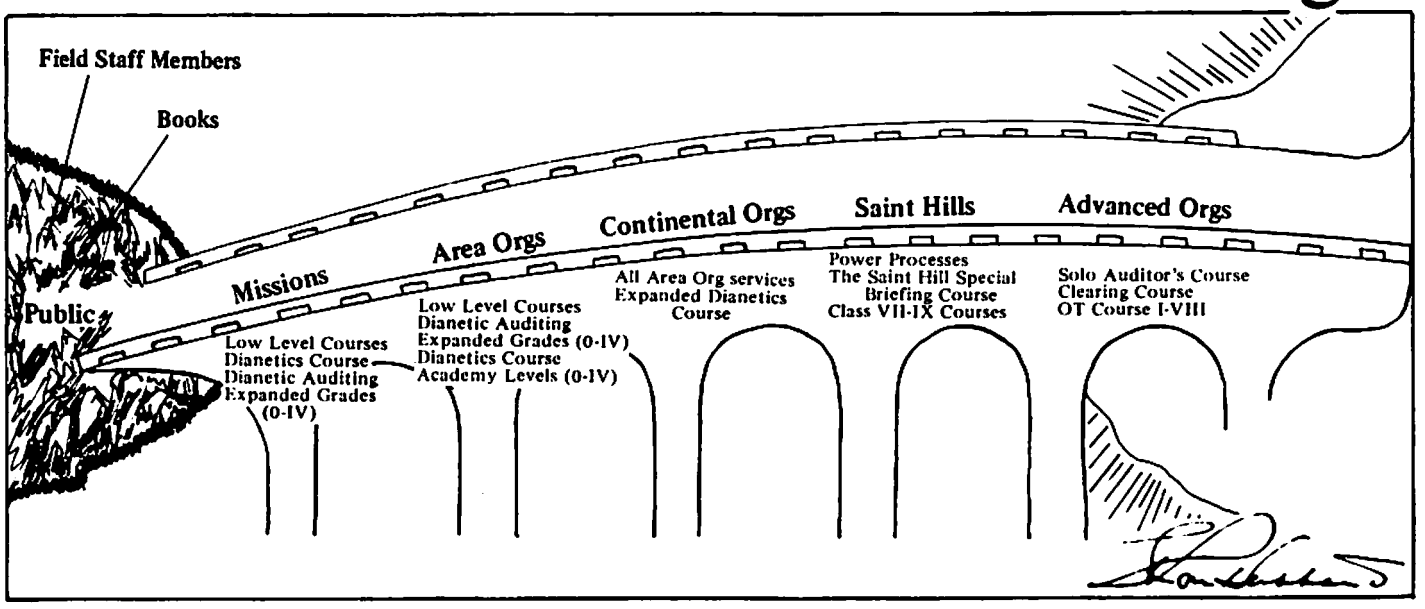
You have revolutionized Scientology mags and publications, creating a communication particle that is causing very big effects in your field.

Kathy Reed
Church of Scientology
Austin, Texas

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Take Your Next Step to Clear and OT

How to make full use of Ron's Bridge



You have probably seen the Bridge printed on the card that is enclosed with this Advance! Locate it because we're now going to go over it and find out about your route to Clear and OT!

Here are copies of each side of this card for reference or in case your card has been misplaced.

What Ron Says

Ron says, "The Bridge is a term originating in Dianetic days to symbolize travel from unknowingness to revelation . . . The lowest level is the approach to the bridge from the lower states of existence and higher levels, one by one, lead on to the higher plateau, with Clear and O.T. the highest end of the bridge and the point of egress (way out, exit) onto the plateau."

The Bridge

The actual little illustrated bridge on the card gives you the sequence of the Missions and different levels of Churches through which you will move while you are getting your Scientology training and processing as you go on up to Clear and OT. Under the Mission or Church you will find listed the services that particular organization delivers.

The Basic Steps

On the other side of the card is a chart with the Basic Steps of both the training route and the processing route.

Pick up the card and study each side carefully.

Find where you are on the Bridge, and where you are on the chart.

Now, locate your next step on the Bridge. And locate your next step on the chart.

On the chart notice that from where you are now, on up to Clear and full OT is a direct path, consisting of one course right after the other or one grade of processing right after the other.

Moving up to Clear and OT is as straight and simple as this little chart, one step right after the other.

Your Route to Clear and OT

"Clear and OT are the highest spiritual states obtainable in this universe."

SOLO AUDITING

OT VIII
OT VII
OT VI
OT V
OT IV
OT III
OT II
OT I

CLEAR

Grade VI Release
SOLO AUDITOR'S COURSE

(Advanced Orgs)

SCIENTOLOGY TRAINING

CLASS IX

CLASS VIII

CLASS VII

SAINT HILL SPECIAL BRIEFING COURSE (CLASS VI)
(Saint Hill Orgs)

ACADEMY LEVELS CLASS 0-IV
(Local Orgs)

HUBBARD STANDARD DIANETICS COURSE
(Local Orgs or Missions)

COMMUNICATION COURSE
(Local Orgs or Missions)

There are two routes to Clear and OT: the Training Route or Processing Route. On the left is the Training Route where one co-audits up to Grade IV Release and completes the Briefing Course before beginning Solo. This route is more economical and has all the immense advantages of getting trained in the philosophy and technology of Scientology. On the right is the Processing Route which has the advantage of giving a person professional HGC auditing on a straight line to the Solo Auditor's Course. One can then enroll directly onto the SHSBC after reaching Clear or above.

Write the Letter Registrar at the AO for full details or for answers to any questions you may have.

SCIENTOLOGY PROCESSING

POWER AND POWER PLUS PROCESSING
(Saint Hill Orgs)

EXPANDED GRADES 0-IV
(Local Orgs or Missions)

DIANETIC AUDITING
(Local Orgs or Missions)

LIFE REPAIR
(Local Orgs or Missions)

Full Action

The next thing for you to do is to get into action and complete the course or grade you are on or start your next level or grade. If, for some reason, you can't do this immediately, work out exactly what you do have to do and how you will accomplish this in the shortest time.

If you need assistance in the form of advice or whatever, you have a very willing person, the Registrar, waiting to see you in your local Church. If you live away from a Church you can write to the AO Letter Registrar who will be more than happy to assist you in any way she can.

In fact you can see or write your local Registrar, the AO Letter Registrar or the AO Registrar, anyway, just to tell her how you're doing or when you'll be there!

Using the Bridge

Make use of this little Bridge. Fold it on the dotted line and set it on your desk as a reminder for *you* to keep yourself going on up the Bridge and as a reminder of the fabulous states that are awaiting you at the top end – Clear and OT!

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The following article is a very special treat for Advance! readers; an exciting and important new *article by L. Ron Hubbard written July 30, 1973. Ron has a lot to say about Scientology, its use and related areas. And he has a surprise for you about OT levels! Now, settle back and get ready to enjoy yourself as Ron tells you about . . .*

Scientology, Current State of the Subject and Materials

by L. Ron Hubbard

There is a possibility that some Scientologists have not realized the extent of technical materials which exist in Dianetics and Scientology on the subject of the spirit, mind and life.

For instance, there are about 25,000,000 words on tape in archives which provide the consecutive path of discovery.

When placed chronologically with books, HCOBs, HCO PLs and other issues this gives a nearly complete record of all discoveries and applications in these subjects.

The total numbers of words or even the number of tapes and issues to date have not been reliably calculated.

From time to time various efforts have been made to transcribe and issue all the materials. The task should be done, especially before the decay of magnetic tape, some of which was of poor quality, eradicates the material. But proper and safe equipment and trustworthy technicians who would not turn out an overt product have been lacking. A project of assembly in the 1960s was balked by inadequate record pressing material available in the society around us. A more strenous and reliable effort should be made to place these archives into a more durable form than magnetic tape.

More or less complete sets of all materials exist in many places on the planet to safeguard against destruction.

It is from this tremendous archives that study packs and other materials are made up. These and their checksheets are very numerous and available.

A chronological study of materials is necessary for the complete training of a truly top grade expert in these lines. He can see how the subject progressed and so is able to see which are the highest levels of development. Not the least advantage in this is the defining of words and terms for each, when originally used, was defined, in most cases, with considerable exactitude, and one is not left with any misunderstoods. It is for this reason that the Saint Hill Briefing Course checksheet should consist only of the chronological materials, studied in chronological order, excepting only the Study Tapes (Primary Rundown) which should be done first if not previously done properly.

Duplicate Auditor 91



L. Ron Hubbard, the remarkable Founder of Dianetics and Scientology, has been no armchair philosopher. He has been an exhibition photographer, highly successful writer, master mariner, glider pilot, recognized explorer (long time member of the Explorer's Club), horticulturalist, and the list seems endless; in short, a *universal man.* As he himself says in the article "My Philosophy", "I have seen life from the top down and the bottom up. I know how it looks both ways. And I know there *is* wisdom and that there is hope."

"There are perhaps 15 levels above OT VII fully developed but existing only in unissued note form, pending more peoples' full attainment of OT VI & VII."

An enormous amount of this material does exist in issuable form. While not strictly technical, HCO PLs, almost all of them, now exist in books grouped by subjects and I think will soon exist in chronological form also. It is projected that this be done with HCOBs, but these of course should be only in chronological and complete order and the points where books and tapes were part of this track should be indicated. Transcriptions and edited versions of tapes (which do not however rearrange meaning or alter data) exist for a great many tapes and it is projected that these shall also be the subject of a future issue. For instance, the "Philadelphia Lectures" have recently been transcribed and could easily be edited into volumes for issue and should be, due to their popularity.

The subject of Scientology is to some degree developed in reverse order. The task was to undercut the current level of Man and this was the general target. Therefore one finds the higher levels publicly spoken of most frequently in the earlier books and tapes (between '51 and '55). In seeking full application to others and attainment for them of their potentials it was necessary to codify the materials and develop processes for them.

Any difficulties people were having with going Clear were handled in the mid '60s and OT levels as they exist in Advanced Orgs were completed by '68. There are perhaps 15 levels above OT VII fully developed but existing only in unissued note form, pending more peoples' full attainment of OT VI &VII.

In the early '70s the bottom was found with the discoveries of exactly what psychosis was and the development of processes to handle it. This was outside the scope of organizations at the time and is not in general use; but it did finalize the task of undercutting low enough to include all spiritual and mental materials, then, within the subject of Scientology, in a state of applicability.

Many people believe that Scientology materials contain mainly processes. They think of Scientology as processing. This is a very narrow view. It is understandable enough as processing is the way out for them. But this neglects the more considerable materials which deal with basics and fundamentals; processes are only one use of these.

Other people, having gotten their smallest toe damp as an HAS then wander off to other fields looking for answers, whereas had they taken Dianetics or Scientology Grade training, to say nothing of the Saint Hill Briefing Course, they would have found more fundamentals than exist in all other subjects combined, a fact which any advanced student of Scientology can confirm.

Still others think that the "newest" is of course the most advanced and are looking for new "processes" to be issued or new materials; whereas the process to resolve their case was most likely issued in earlier years. An amusing instance of this is one whole continental area where an exact set of principles were isolated and exact processes released that handle that exact national type; yet, waiting for something new because they did not know the old, they were found earlier this year to be ignoring this rundown even on new preclears and of course were having a hard time of it for those are the basic processes for that continent, for those people do have that barrier.

For quite a while I have had the "hat of finder of lost tech". Whole sections of knowledge drop out of view, whole arrays of processes (and administrative principles) go out of use and preclears there and the organization of the area sags; but recovery is swift the moment the "lost" knowledge is pulled out of their own file cabinets and restored.

Further, people in organizations are quite often at high case levels. They have already experienced the bridging knowledge which connects the subject to the man in the street. It is not new to **them.** They sometimes err in believing it is not new to the world. Thus gaps are permitted to exist. The solution is to recover the "lost" tech.

But it is also true that many in organizations work very hard to keep the knowledge bridge in. And do well in accomplishing it.

Within the same civilization, many other subjects than Scientology exist. Many of these other subjects are in a very primitive state while pretending a very advanced position. Psychiatry and Psychology are a pair of these. Their pretenses, inhumanities and even cruelties muddy up the field of the spirit and mind. Because they produce negative or even damaging results and because they were "authority" before Scientology began to guide the field toward saner and more civilized levels, Scientology's task of handling the public is made far more difficult than if the public had not been so harmed and made suspicious of the field of the mind. Yet the most mind-wrenching problems Psychiatry and Psychology practitioners think they have (they have not confronted the real ones) give way before the lowest most pedestrian levels of Scientology. There is an amusing story of a Scientologist who attended a social meeting of Psychiatrists and Psychologists and listened to them for a while as they moaned about their patients and their own cases and then, being compassionate, began to explain to them in a sort of technical baby talk the nature and resolution of

these "vast" "unsolvable" "problems". As he took no offense at their ignorant arrogance which first greeted him and as he did seem to have a grasp of their troubles, they kept him up until four AM going over their "problems" in detail and gave him more and more absorbed attention and began to cognite. They were very tame and very respectful when he left, certain they had heard the guru of all time: and this is amusing because he was not a trained auditor in any sense of the word and had only read a few Scientology books! Yet to them he was their dean as a professional by comparative and sensible knowledge. Many Scientologists have had similar experiences. In the field of Scientology Admin tech a staff member who had not had an Org Exec Course but had been hatted in HCO went home for a vacation. His father who, like some fathers, was certain his son was stupid, permitted him, with misgivings, to reorganize the administration of his medical clinic along Scientology lines. The son trained the small staff for only a week, lines began to whizz, patients began to get handled, records went straight, income rose and the father became absolutely convinced that his son was the brightest organizational genius in the country; yet in the org they had considered he had a long way to go to be a good Ethics Officer! Gives you some comparative idea of where the lowest rudimentary levels of Scientology sit in relation to current technologies.

Above such small bits of fringe information the bulk of Scientology knowledge towers into mountains. It is accessible in the main, to those who seek it. The only barriers are usually their own lack of command of their own language and the misconceptions of study ground into them from kindergarten on. Means of solving these are also available and are daily applied to countless newcomers over the world.

The actual barrier in the society is a failure to practice truth. Living lives of white lies, they find it difficult to grasp that truth actually exists. This can hang on as a habit during the first studies of a student and he can defeat himself utterly by continuing a dishonesty in his study – skipping this, not doing that. For Scientology is the road to truth and he who would follow it must take true steps.

Some, seeing out of their own ambitious eyes and as jealous of any imagined rival as any ferocious boy friend, seek to assert that Scientology is interested in healing. This is something like saying that a Cadillac engineer is interested only in window polish. For when you begin to handle the causative force in Man he often also gets well. The "proofs" of supposing Scientology is a healing activity are abundant enough if one sees the recovery lists in any org. But they were not processed to heal them, only to free them. A recent example of this occurred when a preclear broke her ankle and was given medical treatment. Naturally the org was anxious to get on with her program of processing and the ankle injury was in the way. After weeks in medical hands with the ankle getting worse, the engram of the injury was run out, the ankle got well and the person was again being routinely processed a few days later. The auditor could be said to have been engaged in healing. All he was doing was getting a body difficulty out of his road so he could get on with it.

Recently, having found bottom on the mind and spirit some years ago, I have been looking into physical nutrition and bio-chemistry. These latter levels lie below the spirit and mind and could be loosely considered to be an undercut as they do impede spiritual gain.

Many people are mainly fixated on the body and living as they do in an intensely materialistic society, they are caught between being a body in the work-a-day world and achieving spiritual freedom. This is of course paradoxical. The game of being a body is the only game they have in their eyes. Thus if something is wrong with their body they manifest having heavy problems and they are anxious at the thought of losing a body: in other words they have a hidden standard of body health as their measure of spiritual attainment which, though illogical, is where they are and what they are doing.

Scientology has long pursued the firm policy of sending the sick to the medical doctor. There is no place they can send the insane as to send them to psychiatry would be to condemn them to horror, and so orgs do not usually handle them at all as they are not equipt to do so even when technically able.

But the sick have been another matter. The gentlemanly thing to do was to give the doctor his due and trust that he would respect the courtesy. Instead, anxious for a total monopoly of health which he is quite incapable of delivering especially in the USA, he seeks to eradicate all fancied rivals. Thus this policy will one day come to an end. It is quite legal to heal by spiritual means and even part of the law of most states and countries and, indeed, was the sole province of religion for thousands of years before the medical doctor came along. But this is no reason why Scientology would make any effort to replace the medical doctor since he has considerable value in the mechanics of bones and structural matters. The only place he falls down is in handling general illnesses, especial-

ly of a chronic nature.

Medicine has been overtaken in healing by nutritionists and bio-chemists. They still seek to exclude these skills from their knowledge and experience. Indeed, when demanding $46,000,000 to research heart disease from a not always bright Congress in the US, medicine was contradicted by no less than the head of Health, Education and Welfare who stated that their "research" as planned did not include bio-chemistry. a rather strange omission since this is the most result-filled field. It goes without mention that the demand also excluded nutritional research. Many individual doctors are prone to attack any patients they find "on vitamins" or who timidly mention Vitamin E. And one is struck with the fact that heart disease is the largest income source, I believe, of the doctor.

Thus there is a blindness in medical circles to the most productive and curative practices in the field of illness and thus, policy or not, organizations will soon have to bend to public demand and route the bill to doctors only when they have broken bones or need surgery to get the bullets or steering wheels out, and all others to the nutritionist who does use all the modern developments in food, vitamins, minerals and advanced bio-chemistry and use them intelligently.

An estimation of this latter field was therefore in order and I have for some time now been engaged in an evaluation of it and a study of it.

What I have found is that the field lacks coordination of its knowledge, not just from nutritionist to nutritionist but in the works of the same person. A tremendous amount of material has been brought forth in the last three decades. It is in a state of near chaos.

Liquified grass and other dietary fads have become confused into the sober routine subject of nutrition. Food fadism and nutritional knowledge are interlocked in the public mind to such a degree that some unscrupulous fellow who knows better could advise people to eat only tree bark and they accommodatingly would. For instance there are books and books and books out currently, by M.D.s and others who should have done their homework, inveighing against "cholesterol". This is a bio-chemical composition of animal oils and fats. They say it gets into the arteries and causes strokes and heart attacks. Well, that is all very well. But did you also know that every glandular secretion in the body, the secretions which keep one young and functioning are all made by the glands from cholesterol? If people do not take in cholesterol bearing foods they, by simple logic, could be seen to rapidly age and die. What's wanted is the knowledge of how to keep cholesterol controlled not how to take everyone off cholesterol. One would think the American Medical Association owned shares in undertaking parlors.

A coordination of actual knowledge in these fields of nutrition and bio-chemistry is what is lacking. Apparently researchers are clever enough to isolate materials but are not wise enough to coordinate them fact against fact into an intelligible subject.

While examining this scene I have found that nutrition and bio-chemistry are the leaders, however. The subjects are actually arts and in a rather primitive state. But illnesses still puzzling medicine are in many cases quite old hat to the nutritionist.

If one wanted further proof, medical organizations, especially in the US, are fighting nutrition with their usual violence where their pocket book is threatened – black propaganda, government seizure orders and all the routine mechanisms medicine has employed in its history to "safeguard" its interests are in full play against the health food store and the vitamin counter. That is enough to prove the point that nutrition is the leader in our contemporary times where physical health body treatment is concerned.

While the medical doctor and his psychiatry branch flood out the useless and destructive "tranquilizers," the nutritionist hands out a couple tablets of magnesium which actually cool a person off beautifully and far more effectively without the physical damage carried by the tranquilizer.

The medical doctor and his psychiatry branch gave the world its greatest wave of drug addiction. Their friend the German oriented psychologist, with his man-is-animal teaching of the young and destruction of orthodox religion has given the world its greatest period of crime. They are on their way out even though they are fighting a dirty and violent rear guard action. So why bet on losers? They won't make it.

Nutrition's star is rising into a blazing sun in the field of physical treatment of the body. It is also wise enough to know and repeatedly state that spiritual and mental stress must be handled before too much result can be obtained, which is perfectly true.

Thus I have going at this particular time a project of codification and coordination of what is known in the fields of nutrition and bio-chemistry, not to be wiser than they, but to get some order into this field so that its potential can be more fully realized.

This work is almost incidental to Scientology research. I am completing something I started in 1945, which was a survey of bio-chemistry potentials in order to decide a direction of research: did the mind monitor structure or structure, as medicine thought, monitor

"Persons continuing to play the body game limit themselves in various ways..."

the mind? The former was in 1945 found to be the true case to an overwhelming degree.

But at the same time, when people are so body fixated that they have problems of a physical nature too intense to admit of any other consideration, bringing them true power and freedom becomes difficult unless one pays some attention to where their attention is fixated.

Malnutrition, deficiencies in vitamins and minerals, chronic illnesses and unhealing wounds are all needlessly distracting but they are nevertheless distracting.

There apparently exist easy ways to handle these things. There is no sense in processing someone for a hundred hours only to find his only interest is curing his headache and to discover that he has a headache because he is allergic to bread and eats bread nearly as his sole diet! Or to find that the overweight fellow is just getting processed to get his body thin and after scores of hours discover he is living on candy bars and has been diabetic for years! Not when you can simply take the former off bread and wheat and give the latter some trivalent chromium and protein and put a guard on the candy store. Make no mistake – one can process over the top of these things and even handle, for the spirit and mind dominate them. But why? It's far easier to parallel the mind and get the distraction handled so one can then get to why he got that way in the first place if he is still interested, though well. One can do things the hard way or the easy way.

So Nutrition and bio-chemistry are vital subjects and, due to medical influence, very badly neglected subjects even in the presence of positive and even vital value.

My current review of these is in the nature of an assist to processing. As such, of course, they have to embrace the factors of predisposition to, precipitation and prolongation of physical illness.

It has already been established, prior to present records, while I was working with the general field of life in 1945, and has been confirmed by contemporary researchers in nutrition and biochemistry that Stress is the basic cause in physical illness. Thus, such nutritional research cannot supplant the handling of stress. Further, conditions can exist where nutrition and biochemistry cannot work at all until stress is relieved by processing. Therefore, in lower stages of handling there is a band where thought and physical beingness tend to merge. In this lower zone, assist type processing and nutritional or bio-chemical aids seem to be simultaneously necessary. In such instances one must alternate them or coapply them.

There are also a few deficiencies which produce manifestations quite similar in appearance to insanity.

Where the illness or injury is acute and severe immediate physical attention is mandatory and can be assisted only by the lightest possible address to the mental factors, perhaps as light as simply being comforting or gentle. In a case such as a person in a long continued coma, where nutrition is intravenous, processing is still possible by gently causing the person's hand to make repeated contact on command with a pillow or the bed. Thus it can be seen, processing can reach a long way down.

Above all this physical level material of course, the subject has been for a long time wrapped up. Persons continuing to play the body game limit themselves in various ways and by the nature of life and this civilization have their ups and downs even when well processed. If they have attained a relatively high state as a bodied person they can however be rehabilitated, usually simply by running out their overt acts and withholds and restoring their exterior perception: they are, however, despite their continued physical beingness, quite capable of easily assuming their full potentials: they usually prefer to go on with the game by imposing limitations, for instance to continue using their eyes. One rarely sees them do the stunts and tricks of the Indian fakir even where they can since they have risen above exhibitionism or the need to overwhelm or prove things and they are of course continuing to play the game of human being, since that is the main game they have available around them.

There is undoubtedly a considerable amount of neating up that I could do, including making all materials more readily available, seeing to the compilation of a very extensive dictionary of terms, filling in incidental gaps where material may not have been fully recorded. These are difficulties of a minor nature compared to the research in making the result attainable.

It has been difficult working in a confused and, yes, even primitive society that is starved for workable knowledge in the humanities. The very condition that made it vital to seek out and release the material also made it difficult to do the job in the first place.

Scientology now has more than enough data and technology to handle even the broad problems in the humanities. The main task now is getting it fully used, and along this line there are hundreds of thousands working every day around the world.

Scientology is the fastest growing Religion on the planet by actual surveys and statements by sociologists. And this is the more remarkable as in this period

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CLEAR: Your Key to Total Personal Freedom and the Gateway to OT

In this issue of Advance! Ron tells us of the existence of perhaps 15 OT levels fully developed above full OT VII.

Clear is your very major and important gateway to these levels.

Here's the facts. The mind has a lot to do with a person being pinned down inside a body. So a Clear, having handled his own Reactive Mind on Ron's Clearing Course, can more easily be exterior.

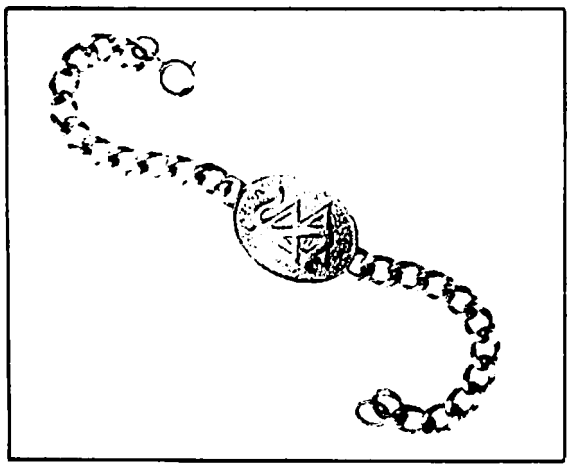
Clear is, in fact, a major and essential step to the OT levels. A Clear is free from pictures, masses, false purposes on the first dynamic (survival for self). And is ready to move into the realm of handling matter, energy, space, time, thought and life; the realm of exterior operation outside a body.

Here is what others say about Clear; a taste of Clear for you:

Fantastic! I got up this morning and everything positively glowed! I feel really stable and clear. This state is worth every effort you can make, worth every trial. I've just never been like this . . .

Alex Stewart
Clear

The part that is most real to me is the total, and I mean **total**, absence of stops in my universe. It is indeed a bright sunshiny place.



Scientology Clear Bracelet

Bill Houst
Clear

To be at Cause has been a goal of mine for most of this lifetime. Now I have achieved it! I can postulate what I want to do, and do it. I feel so light. This is really a beginning for life as it should be.

Adele Connell
Clear

Attainment of real OT has as a foundation the state of Clear

I am here! I've made it! This is what I have worked for for a long time, and it's been worth it, every single bit of it.

Now I feel totally clean and free . . .

Ingrid Hopke
Clear

We have the goal of 10,000 Clears by December 31st of this year. We want you to assist this goal by achieving Clear by that date. How about it?

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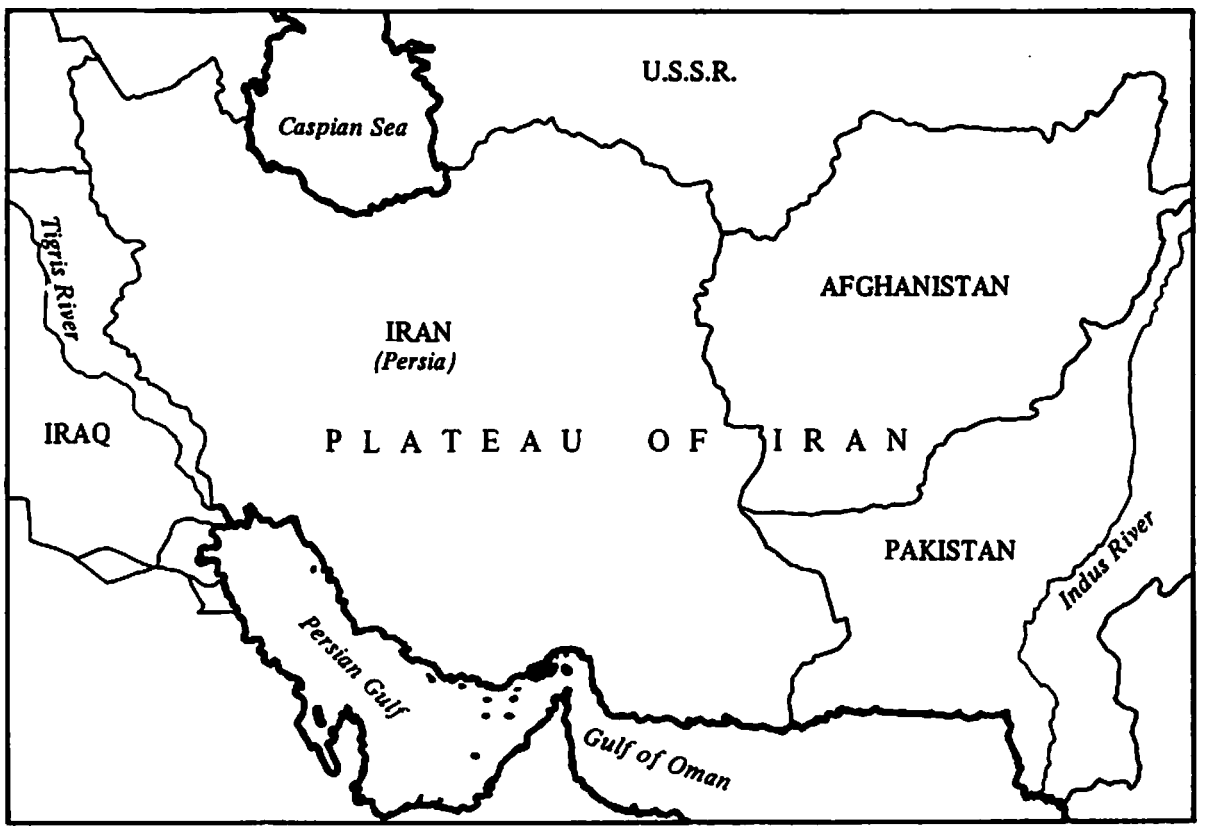
A Philosophy about

Good and Evil

Here is another article in the continuing series on man's spiritual history. Man has been trying for thousands of years to find the answers to his own existence. Now at last with Scientology we have the answers.

Down the ages countless searchers kept alive the spark of wisdom which culminated in L. Ron Hubbard's work.

It is Advance's unique privilege to delve, issue after issue, into the past and reveal the spiritual track of man, the true spiritual background of Scientology and the Advanced Courses.



The Iranian plateau pictured here with countries as they are today.

In the second millenium before our era, 2,000-3,000 years ago, an event of great importance took place in Man's spiritual history.

A group of people speaking the same language and maintaining common religious traditions moved southward: one followed the western trails and the other veered to the east.

The eastern going people carried with them the seeds which blossomed into the great hymns of the Rig Vedas – Veda, which means knowledge and Rig, praise of or hymn to.

From the Vedas stem the development of the later great religious works of India, the epochal reform of Buddhism and the imported gurus of today.

The western division of these peoples settled on the huge Iranian plateau which stretches between the Caspian Sea on the north, the Persian Gulf on the south, the Tigris River on the west and the Indus River on the east (see map).

The name of these peoples, east and west, was Aryans and the central plateau of their westward settlement became known as Airyana or Iran, meaning "the land of the Aryans."

Later this term was to become corrupted by Hitler and his racist followers who used it to describe the "master race" of the blond Germanic stock. If they had taken a trip south to the actual ancestors of the Aryans I'm afraid they would have found few blond Nordic types!

In any case, back to our story. On the Iranian plateau these spiritually prolific people developed one of the oldest enduring religions of Man, Zoroastrianism, after its prophet and founder Zoroaster.

Zarathustra

Zoroaster is the Greek form of the old Iranian Zarathustra.

Zarathustra is of course well known to western students in Neitzche's 19th century work "Thus Spake Zarathustra" which proclaimed a new code of conduct "beyond Good and Evil", the moral manifesto of the future "ethics" of the Third Reich. It is curious that Nietzche should cast Zarathustra in the role of the prophet of 20th century totalitarianism and non-ethics, as Zarathustra was above all concerned with good and evil. His philosophy was preeminently one of ethics and ethical choices open to Man.

Zarathustra is almost a legendary



(Right) Clay tablet with Inscription of Darius I the Great
(Below) Symbol of Ahura Mazda



figure in history. The very name seems to conjure up mysterious roots of knowledge under a veiled moon.

Indeed, to the ancient Greeks the figure Zoroaster was synonymous with magic. He was famous among Greek and Roman writers as the founder of the widely renowned wisdom of the Magi and his epithet was Zoroaster, the Magus[1].

The Magi were members of a priestly caste in ancient Media, an Aryan Kingdom of the first millenium B.C. on the Iranian plateau. The Magi supposedly possessed magical powers and developed various occult lore. From magi comes the word magician. Magic, itself, comes from an Aryan root (basic word from which other words may derive), magh, meaning, to be able, from which might and machine also derive. Thus in the original sense magic meant "the carrying out of intended effects" or ability.

Actually whether or not Zarathustra arose from this tradition is beside the point. His religious philosophy does not in the least concern itself with magic or esoteric lore as it is overwhelmingly involved with the ethical nature of Man's lot on earth and the coming of the kingdom of heaven.

Zarathustra's dates are open to conjecture and learned arguments exist for either 1000 B.C. or 600 B.C. The most likely date and the one most consistent with various records and evidences is the 6th century. Thus we can say with some confidence that the appearance of Zarathustra would be about 570 B.C.

He did not claim to be a god but only a man, a prophet, a spiritual authority who was in converse with God.

Of course, like Buddha, later ages deified him and record that at his birth "all nature rejoiced".

The dates of his lifetime are thus approximately 570 to 493 B.C. He was a contemporary of Buddha. It is extraordinary to look at the coincident dates of the spiritual leaders on earth at that time. These are the traditional dates:

Zarathustra	570-493 B.C.
Buddha	563-483 B.C.
Lao Tzu	604-531 B.C.
Confucius	551-479 B.C.
Socrates	469-399 B.C.

A coincidence?

Zarathustra was also contemporary with the flowering of the ancient Persian (Iranian) civilization to which he gave its spiritual vigor and impetus.

The Message

Zarathustra rejected the polytheism[2] and pagan gods of his time. He preached that man was created with free choice and that the decisive choice everyone had to make was between good and evil.

Good was identified with truth and law and the evil spirit was seen to be evidenced by falsehoods and lies.

Zoroaster's religious philosophy was possibly as monotheistic[3] as Christianity. He elevated one god prevalent during his time to the supreme position and named him Ahura (God) Mazda (wise). That the principal attribute of Ahura was wisdom indicates a high regard for knowledge.

With Ahura Mazda were six junior gods which were actually the personification of abstract ideas or attributes of the divine nature. These attributes are as follows:

1. The idea of the good, the principle that works in man inclining him to what is good.
2. The spirit of truth, good and right, upright law and rule, ideas practically synonymous for Zarathustra.
3. The power and kingdom of God.
4. The reverence for the divine.
5. Perfection.
6. Immortality.

Opposing the idea of the good was Ahriman, the evil spirit, i.e., Satan in Judaic-Christian tradition or Mara in the Hindu-Buddhist tradition. Mephistopheles[4] sure got around!

History was viewed as struggle between the good spirit of Ahura Mazda and the evil spirit of Ahriman. Good and Evil is caused, it doesn't just hap-

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[1]Magus: Magician in old Persian.

[2]Polytheism: The belief in many gods.

[3]Monotheistic: The belief in one god.

[4]Mephistopheles: The devil, from a medieval legend of Faust, or Faustus, who sells his soul to the devil in exchange for youth, knowledge and magical power.

OT Phenomena Successes

What lies ahead at OT? What sort of things can and do happen to OTs? What *can* an OT cause? Here with these success stories we join Scientology OTs to find out that OT is all each of us has ever desired, that OT *is* beyond Man's Wildest Dreams! Read on!

My friends and I were driving back to our house this evening when a very interesting event occurred.

I intended that we drive to a section of town where a friend of mine was going to get a house. I mentioned the area to the driver hoping he would take the cue and drive us there. He didn't and we continued on home.

In just the blink of an eye, very much to my companions' amazement, we – car and three passengers – were miles away in the area I had a few moments earlier intended to go.

They were saying, "How the heck did we get here? We were almost home!"

I had to let them in on the "secret".

Phil Seiflein
OT

One evening at home I felt like going into my son Greg's room (he was away attending college). Our Siamese cat "Catnip" preceded me by a few feet. Suddenly he jumped straight up about a foot then raced out of the room, stopped dead, and stared at the spot where the family room we were in joins the adjacent rooms. I looked where he was looking, and it felt like my daughter was there. "It's Cheryl, Catnip!" I said, and Catnip resumed his usual calm alertness. Then she [Cheryl] was gone.

This occurred in St. Louis and my daughter was in Los Angeles doing OT III while busy working. Since it had been a while between letters, I sat down and wrote her about this experience.

A few days later her reply arrived.

The evening of her visitation, she had sat down (with her husband, a grade release) to concentrate on an old friend whom she'd written to several times in the preceding 6 months or so, but who had moved, leaving no sure way to get in touch with her. Then she decided on a quick visit to Greg, and used his room as the location point, only to realize he was away at college in another city.



She said that her friend wrote at the same time I did, after all those months, and that it was a tremendously validative experience for her husband, as he knew it was a spontaneous decision by Cheryl to communicate with her friend and Greg that night. Catnip's and my interception was all the more unplanned!

Richard G. Kerlin
OT

One night I waited in a bus terminal for a friend. There was a snowstorm outside and it was below zero. The bus terminal was dingy and quiet. So I projected myself into the storm, above the tall buildings and I was in the storm. I could see the city lights below, hear the rasping of snowflakes brushing against each other. All the colors of the rainbow were in the flakes and each flake was a myriad of beautiful ice columns running in every direction. I was in the flake, outside the flake, above all the flakes or in them all, at will, while they swirled down among the buildings. I came "back" to the terminal with a floating needle, the same one I've had ever since I left the AO!

It's a beautiful world that flows along as smooth as a quiet mountain stream. The only problem is being so pleased with things the way they are that I have to keep reminding myself that there are more beautiful levels to go.

Tom R. Waite
OT

There I was, outside late at night, far from my body, watching two fellows suspiciously walking by an apartment house. There was a girl of about 22 inside the apartment house getting ready for bed. A short time passed and she was asleep. Then the two fellows threw a garbage can under her window, opened it and broke in. The girl didn't have a chance. She was stabbed as she attempted to yell. The place was ransacked and the men ran.

In the morning I was in quite a muddle. I knew I'd see headlines about the incident in the newspaper, but they weren't there. All of a sudden I realized it hadn't happened yet! It was going to happen tonight!

I was greatly relieved and thought "What can I do?" I decided to exteriorize at the same time that night and handle it.

That night I went there, saw the same guys doing the same thing they did the night before and the girl doing the same thing, too.

But as the two walked by the apartment this time I put out an intention to divert them from the very idea of it.

They walked right on by, never even noticing the window of the girl's apartment. She had a good night's sleep and woke up with the dawn.

Brian Sheen
OT

I was in El Paso between planes and I had a few hours to spend with my sister and her family. I rented a car at the airport to save time and trouble and drove to my sister's house. I noted that it was a 20-minute drive and planned to allow 30 minutes for the return trip to the airport. It was the best visit I've had in a long time with them and the time went rapidly. She asked "When are you leaving?" and I told how I had more than an hour's time yet.

"You forgot about daylight savings time and you have only 10 minutes!" she said.

I ran to the car and started the motor but I didn't move it. "What am I rushing for, I can't possibly make the plane. I should go back inside and see if I can't get a plane tomorrow." I almost did.

Then I remembered, I can make things happen. It was a struggle with myself to just cold bloodedly decide that the plane would be waiting for me at the airport but I did just that and drove unhurriedly to the airport. There was no one at the ticket counter when I arrived and the clerk was quite angry with me when I gave him my ticket. I asked if I could catch the plane. He said I should remember about daylight savings time and that I was late and that my plane would be leaving in ten minutes.

I apologized about being late – I did feel guilty you see.

In the waiting room I asked what had happened. The plane had been on time and was loaded on time and would have left on time except that the electrical system suddenly developed faults that could not be rectified. The plane was unloaded and a new plane was brought out.

Haskell Cooke
OT

One day while watching a live soccer game on television I became aware of the clouds overhead my house and began pushing them around. This was fun.

Then I became aware of the clouds at the location of the soccer game and began moving them around, mostly to make the sun shine on the soccer game.

Then I found a new game. I flowed a theta flow to the players on each team and the results were fantastic. The tempo of the game doubled and the players kicked the ball twice as far as they had been kicking it.

Then I stopped the flow. The game went back to normal.

Then I started the flow and the tempo of the game again doubled.

Paul Nickel
OT

One evening on my way home from work, I was in bumper to bumper freeway traffic going about 70 miles per hour, working my way up to a spot where the highway widens to three lanes so I could zip down the inside lane and pass a large pack of cars.

As we all came up a rise, I was out of the car about six feet to the left and 2 feet over the roof.

Instantly there were brake lights going on, cars swerving, tires squealing – general traffic chaos. I quickly established my space, kept all cars out of it so my vehicle wouldn't be hit and literally "latched" on to every car around me that I could find and stopped them.

One man was going off the road on a bridge which is a poor thing to do. I pulled him back, stopped all the cars, pushed some ahead, moved some over and generally readjusted the whole group of cars.

I felt like I had nice long arms and was playing chess with automobiles. This whole incident couldn't have taken 5 seconds to occur but time never seemed present; I had all the time I needed to do my thing.

I wish to add that this whole happening seemed so easy and just what I ought to be able to do. I don't recommend causing situations like that one but it was fun handling it.

Bucky Roberts
OT

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"There are perhaps 15 levels above OT VII fully developed but existing only in unissued note form, pending more peoples' full attainment of OT VI & VII."
— L. Ron Hubbard, 30 July 1973

Our Goal is 4,000 full OT VIIs within 6 months. Join us!

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How are we going to get these OT levels released by Ron? By making thousands of full OT VIIs, of course!

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So join us – make it *your* goal to be full OT VII by February 1974. Not only will you have the excitement and pleasure of the OT levels I through VII but you, too, will be ready to move on to even higher realms when these upper levels are released.

What do you have to look forward to on your journey up the OT Levels? Read on!

OT I – *Extroversion as a being and awareness of self in relation to the physical universe.*
OT II – *Ability to confront other universes.*
OT III – *Return of full self-determinism. Freedom from overwhelm.*
OT VII – *Ability to intend causatively and to place and project intention.*
OT III Expanded – *Expanded awareness of full self-determinism and freedom from overwhelm.*
OT IV – *Certainty of self as a spiritual being.*
OT V – *Refamiliarization with the physical universe as a thetan exterior.*
OT VI – *Ability to operate freely as a thetan exterior.*
Full OT VII – *Rehabilitation of ability to intend causatively and to place and project intention.*

And imagine, there are 15 more levels waiting above these fabulous states just described.

How do *you* get up to OT VII fast? Take these steps.

1. **Get onto your next step now or complete the level you are now on and keep moving up.** Consultation or advice on what to do is as near as your org Registrar or Letter Registrar. Go see or write to them. Also the AO Letter Registrar is always available to answer your questions and assist you.
2. **Pay in advance for your Clear and OT Levels.** An Advance Payment ensures you a place on your courses (which may be crowded!) and makes the Bridge to OT real and achievable to you. It's a reach for OT by you and a vital one. You also receive the 5% advance payment discount when you pay in advance.
3. **Keep moving up your levels.** Don't let anything stop or slow you. You'll be surprised when, shortly, there you are on your OT levels realizing your goals of countless thousands of years!
4. **Plan out what you're going to do when and what you need to accomplish this.** Your org or AO Registrar or Letter Registrar can assist you with this – they're experts and have helped thousands up the Bridge.

Do each of these steps fully and quickly, and we'll see you at OT VII soon!

Write to the AO Letter Registrar today and tell her how you are handling steps 1 to 4 above and tell her that you plan to be full OT VII by February 1974. Send her your advance payment for Clear and OT too.

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Funny Things OTs Do

Besides "phenomenal" experiences and actions, we find that OTs have fun – and funny – experiences. Especially when they get together with other OTs! We think you'll enjoy the following tales of OTs.

The other day we had a Saturday off and Peter decided to do a few fix up jobs around the house that were needed for some time. One was the TV in need of a repair man. Peter decided to fix it himself. So he took all the tubes out and took them to a test machine and found one bad one. So he bought a replacement. On getting home and putting the tubes back in, including the new one, the TV set was worse than ever. So he just put all the old tubes back in as they were including the old one and said "That'll fix the old so and so." *And it did!* What a heck of a way to fix a TV! Go out, buy a wrong tube that doesn't fix it, throw it out and put back in the burned out one and say "Work!" By the way, it still works, weeks later!

Here's one on me. The other night on going to bed I felt a little heavy in the tummy. I thought to myself "Hum, I could use a bit of a laxative," very casually, as it was no big problem. So as I was going to sleep I mocked up eating prunes and fell asleep. Very early in the morning I woke up with a mad rush to the W/C. This kept up during the day. So I finally got smart and started mocking up eating hard boiled eggs! Phew, that worked! The moral of the story is: If you're OT and go to bed mocking up eating prunes it's a good idea to put a **limit** on the amount! Believe me!

Doran Greene
OT 7

It was nearly my husband's birthday. Two weeks before, I decided to get him some nice underwear. Three days later he went out and bought some himself.

So – I decided then to get him a really way-out shirt and matching tie. Three days later we were invited to a celebrity wedding and he bought them himself.

At my wits end I finally went out and bought him a cassette he had wanted, only to come home and find he had bought it from a friend of his!

Wow! Trying to give a surprise present sure is tough when you are both OT!

Trudy Chamberlain
OT

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Question and Answer

Following are some questions pertinent to Advanced Courses which are frequently asked by Scientologists.

If you have any questions on any subject relating to Advance! mag write to the Advance! Deputy Editor care of your AO. We will answer your questions as completely as possible, or refer you to the source of the information.

Q. Why hasn't OT VIII been released?

A. Ron gives us the answer to this in his very recent article featured in this issue of Advance! The article begins on page 4. There he says: "There are perhaps 15 levels above OT VII fully developed but existing only in unissued note form, pending more peoples' full attainment of OT VI & VII."

So move on up fast to OT VI & VII!

Q. Is OT III Expanded a No Interference Area level? Can OT III Expanded be interrupted?

A. OT III Expanded is **not** a No Interference Area level.

The No Interference Area runs from R6EW to OT III and includes R6EW, Clear, OT I, OT II and OT III. This means that once one begins R6EW and until one completes OT III only these levels, or possibly some patchup auditing to correct the solo goofs, should be audited. No other auditing actions should be done.

OT III Expanded, like any other major grade, should not be *interrupted.* Like any other grade or level, one completes the action before going into some other major action.

Q. How can a person get Grades and Dianetics after he has gone Clear, and erased his reactive mind?

A. A Clear is Clear on the First Dynamic. Therefore there are the other dynamics to handle, including the person in relation to these other dynamics. These things can be run on a Clear and above.

It is also true that there is the phenomena of a higher harmonic (repeating characteristic) of the lower grades on the upper levels.

That a person can be or is run on lower Expanded Grade auditing or Dianetics simply means that that individual does have something on that level or levels to be audited in relation to his current state but does not infer that the person has not achieved Clear or any levels the person has attained.

To "fill in the things missed" on the route up *enhances* the gains of OT and brings them into full bloom.

One usually completes Expanded Grades, Dianetics or anything missed after OT III or OT III Expanded, before going on to the upper OT levels. This is called the OT Expansion Program. This ensures *full* gains on the upper OT levels.

Of course you will discover the full answers to this and other questions by becoming a highly trained auditor and going Clear and OT yourself!

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Clear	3767
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Take your next step to regain your full ability and power as a being!

GOOD AND EVIL

(continued from page 12)

pen. Man isn't a pawn in the game. He is a decisive factor and through his free will he chooses between one or the other force. By doing good and being ethical and not becoming corrupted by lies or falsehoods the individual can save his soul and work for the cowboys in the white hats.

As one scholar commented, in Zarathustra's philosophy "There is no place for saints who flee from the world; the saint is he who overcomes the evil in the world."

The idea of Karma, the balance of Man's good and bad deeds determining his subsequent status, is important to Zoroastrian eschatology[1]. After death every soul must approach the bridge of the accountant who weighs up the soul's ethical account. They who have a plus total go to heaven, while those with a debit go to a place very similar to the later Christian hell.

Zarathustra also preached another later Christian belief– the judgement day at the end of the world.

The Zoroastrian Bible

Now let us turn directly to the most original and possibly authentic texts of Zoroastrianism,[2] the Gathas. The Zoroastrian bible is called the Avesta which may mean "the original text"[3]. Later commentaries were added called Zend (commentaries) so the overall scriptures are known as Zend-Avesta. The Gathas are the only part of this bible which appears to have been written at the time of Zarathustra and in them he addresses us.

In the first Gatha, Zarathustra says:

> I who have set my heart on watching over the soul, in union with Good Thought, and as knowing the rewards of Mazda Ahura for our works, will while I have power and strength, teach men to seek after Right.

In the third hymn he makes a basic statement of his creed:

> Now will I proclaim to those who will hear the things that understanding man should remember . . .
>
> Hear with your ears the best things; look upon them with clear-seeing thought, for decision between the two Beliefs, each man for himself before the Great Consummation . . .
>
> Now the two primal[4] Spirits, who revealed themselves in vision as Twins, are the Better and the Bad in thought and word and action. And between these two the wise once chose correctly, the foolish not so.
>
> And when these two spirits came together in the beginning, they established Life and Not-Life, and that at the last the Worst Existence shall be to the followers of the Lie, but the Best Thought to him that follows Right . . .
>
> If, O ye mortals, ye mark those commandments that Mazda hath ordained – of happiness and pain, the long punishment for the liars, and blessings for the righteous – then hereafter shall you have bliss.

In the long fourth hymn Zarathustra states:

> He that in the beginning thus thought, "Let the blessed realms be filled with lights," he it is that by his wisdom created Right. Those realms that the Best Thought shall possess thou dost prosper, Mazda, by thy spirit, which, O Ahura, is ever the same.
>
> I conceived of thee, O Mazda, in my thought that thou, the First, art also the Last–that thou art Father of Good Thought, for thus I apprehended thee with mine eye – that thou didst truly create Right, and art the Lord to judge the actions of life.

Historical Context

The emergence of Zoroastrianism was coincident with the rise of the Persian Empire founded by Cyrus The Great.

Children in the west have long been taught that the ancient Greek-Persian wars[5] represented a fight between civilization and barbarism.

Of course, it is well known that versions of history often differ according to whose side the historian is on! For example, Cyrus The Great is a good guy in Judaic history as he fulfilled the predictions of the Hebrew prophets, allowing the Jews to return home from Babylon and rebuild their temples.

Here is an inscription of Darius The Great, a Zoroastrian, and Cyrus' successor. It shows a level of civilization well above that of barbarism!

> A great god is Ahuramazda, who created this excellent work which is seen, who created happiness for man, who bestowed wisdom and activity upon Darius the king.
>
> Says Darius the king: By the favor of Ahuramazda I am of such a sort that I am a friend to right, I am not a friend to wrong; it is not my desire that the weak man should have wrong done to him by the mighty; nor is that my desire, that the mighty man should have wrong done to him by the weak.
>
> What is right, that is my desire. I am not a friend to the man who is a Lie-follower. I am not hot-tempered. What things develop in my anger, I hold firmly under control by my will-power. I am firmly ruling over my own impulses.
>
> The man who co-operates, him according to his co-operative action, thus him do I reward. Who does harm, him according to the

[1]Eschatology: The branch of religious study and teaching dealing with death, resurrection, judgement, immortality.

[2]The Greek forms of Zoroastrian and Zoroastrianism are traditionally used instead of Zarathustrian and Zarathustrianism.

[3]Avesta as a word is almost identical to Avestan, the language of the ancient Iranians and the language in which the Avesta was written. Avestan was immediately related to Sanskrit in the Indo-European family of languages.

[4]Primal: First in importance; chief; primary.

[5]This refers to the famous Battle of Marathon and the naval Battle of Solamis, both of which terminated in Greek victories and prevented the conquest of ancient Greece by the Persians. In fact, an intermittent international war between the Greeks and Romans and the peoples of the Iranian plateau lasted over 1100 years (500 B.C. to 600 A.D.) to the detriment of each side.

damage thus I punish. It is not my desire that a man should do harm; nor indeed is that my desire, if he should do harm, he should not be punished . . .

Of such a sort is my understanding and my command: when what has been done by me thou shalt see or hear of, both in the city and in the war-camp, this is my activity over my will-power and my understanding.

Zarathustra like Muhammad was a successful prophet in his own lifetime. By the time of his death he had transformed the religious life of Iran and the new religion had been accepted at a national level.

Zoroastrianism remained a vital force in the Middle East until the arrival of Alexander The Great who conquered Persia in 331 B.C. He wrought such destruction and did such damage to the religion that he was ever after known in the Zoroastrian religious texts as the accursed Sikander (Alexander).

Thanks to Alexander who was "bringing the higher Greek civilization to the world" the bulk of the original scriptures of Zoroaster have been lost to the world. Alexander's troops razed the fire temples of Zoroastrianism (where everlasting fires were burning to symbolize the spirit of God) and entered the national archives and burned the master copy of the Avesta, which had been written upon oxhides with gold.

Greco-Persian civilization reigned for the next 500 years on the Iranian plateau. Zoroastrianism was in eclipse.

Its sun began to shine again when in 222 A.D. the Sasanian family rose to power over Iran (Persia) and revived Zoroastrianism and Iranian traditions.

Early in the reign of the Sasanian dynasty King Artakhshatar ordered the recollection of all extant Zoroastrian writings including the original Avesta. His son, Shahpuhar, according to later Zoroastrian histories, then "again brought together also the writings which were distinct from religion, about the investigation of medicine and astronomy, time, place, and quality, creation, existence, and destruction, the submission of a wild beast, evidence, and other records and resources that were scattered among the Hindus, and in Arum[1] and other lands; he ordered their collocation again with the Avesta, and the presentation of a correct copy of each to the treasury of Shapigan . . ."

The Sasanian empire held sway over Iran for 429 years. Then in 632 A.D. a new more vital force first made itself felt along the borders of the Persian Empire – Islam[2]. Within 19 years the Arab armies were masters of the plateau. Despite official Moslem proclamations of toleration of Zoroastrianism there was of course persecution. But just as the Arab generals had earlier won the day against their Persian counterparts, slowly but surely, over hundreds of years, the faith of Muhammad triumphed over the faith of Zarathustra. Today the Koran, not the Avesta, Allah, not Ahura Mazda and mosques, not fire temples, prevail in Airyana (Iran).

Yet Zoroastrianism is still a living religion. In the 7th and 8th centuries a large contingent of Persians fled Moslem persecution and emigrated to western India. Today the ancestors of the original Persian immigrants are known as Parsees. Over 100,000 live in the Bombay region. Also, a few thousand Zoroastrians still profess the faith in Iran even today.

[1]Arum: Rome

[2]Islam: The Moslem religion, a monotheistic religion in which the supreme deity is Allah and the chief prophet and founder is Muhammad.

Today

Zoroaster's message seems timely today in certain ways. There are certain parallels between his 6th century Persian civilization and ours. Like his, our civilization worships false idols. Instead of pagan gods the idols of our time are lifeless things like money, possessions, bodies and false ideologies.

Zarathustra's call for a loftier look, for higher moral standards, for the fight against evil and falsehood is not out of tune with the needs of our times.

It is fascinating to witness a religious reformer over 2,000 years ago stressing that if you're going to make it, bud, you had better be ethical and not lie.

Of course, Zoroaster lacked the actual formula which leads to right action. Nor could he answer accurately what was good and evil.

The resolution of this question waited upon L. Ron Hubbard's analysis

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of the eight dynamics[1] and his formula for determining right and wrong.

As L. Ron Hubbard states in his essay "You Can Be Right":

> What *is* right and what *is* wrong are not necessarily definable for everyone. These vary according to existing moral codes and disciplines and, before Scientology, despite their use in law as a test of "sanity" had no basis in fact but only in opinion.
>
> In Dianetics and Scientology a more precise definition arose. And the definition became as well the true definition of an overt act. An overt act is not just injuring someone or something: an overt act is an act of omission or commission which does the least good for the least number of dynamics or the most harm to the greatest number of dynamics. (See the Eight Dynamics).
>
> Thus a wrong action is wrong to the degree that it harms the greatest number of dynamics. And a right action is right to the degree that it benefits the greatest number of dynamics.
>
> Many people think that an action is an overt simply because it is destructive. To them all destructive actions or omissions are overt acts. This is not true. For an act of commission or omission to be an overt act it must harm the greater number of dynamics. A failure to destroy can be, therefore, an overt act. Assistance to something that would harm a greater number of dynamics can also be an overt act.
>
> An overt act is something that harms broadly. A beneficial act is something that helps broadly. It can be a beneficial act to harm something that would be harmful to the greater number of dynamics.

[1]See Definitions on page 21.

Conclusion

Zarathustra's shortcomings as a religious philosopher were many. He failed to provide a workable answer to human destiny and clouded man's observation of himself with invented solutions.

Yet he tried. The inspiration he lit has lasted for 2500 years and brightened the history of man.

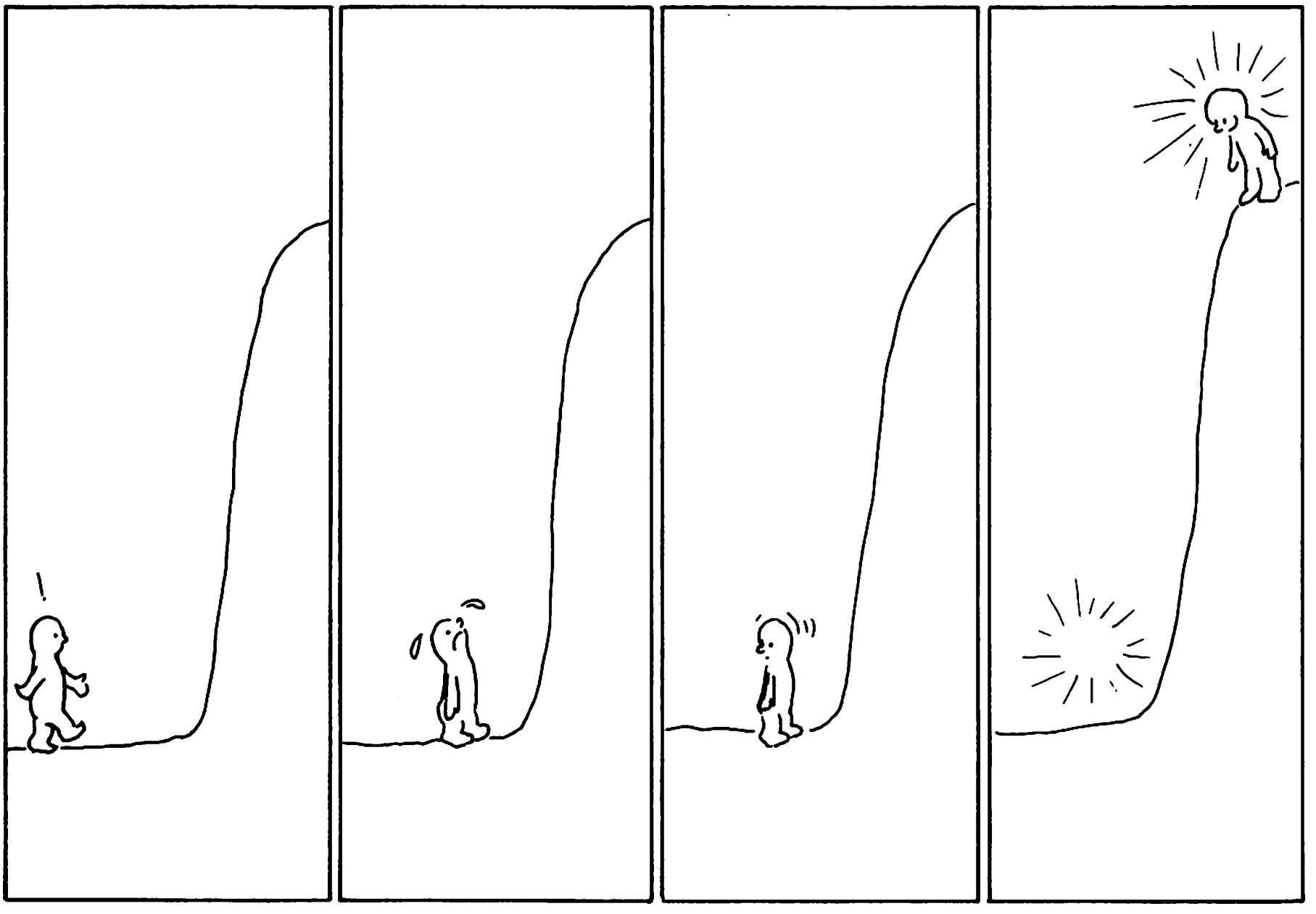
Zarathustra, you added a fascinating chapter to man's spiritual journey on this planet, helping to preserve for later ages the sacred mission of the triumph of good over evil.

Now, at last, this struggle which you correctly saw can be successfully and decisively resolved.

L. Ron Hubbard has pinpointed the actual source of evil – the reactive mind – and laid out a program how each person as a spiritual being can obtain his ultimate potential for good, his total freedom and the full truth of this universe and universes beyond.

The prophecy you made concerning the ultimate triumph of "good thought and right action" can finally come to pass – through Scientology.

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TO THE READER

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Of course, "Scientology, Current State of the Subject and Materials" makes many other fascinating points. It is possible that future generations will look upon this article by Ron as a document of major historical importance, a landmark in the history of Dianetics and Scientology.

Well, you can tell them you were there and read it in Advance! when it was first released.

That will be your privilege just as it's our privilege to publish it for you.

Your Very Own Editor

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DEFINITIONS

ADMIN: Administration.

ADVANCED COURSES: The most advanced levels of Scientology processing, starting from Clear and moving up the OT levels, on which one attains abilities which are god-given and god-like.

ASSIST TYPE PROCESSING: Simple, easily done processes that can be applied to anyone which help them to spiritually assist their own recovery from accidents, mild illness or upsets.

AUDITING: The application by a Scientology Minister or Dianetic pastoral counsellor of Scientology procedures to someone for that person's spiritual betterment.

AUDITOR: A listener or one who listens carefully to what people have to say. A Scientology Minister trained and qualified in applying Scientology processes to others for their betterment. An Ordained Minister of the Church of Scientology.

BANK: A colloquial name for the Reactive Mind.

BLACK PROPAGANDA: Covertly destroying the repute of individuals and groups.

BLOW: A colloquialism for a sudden departure.

CASE: The way a person responds to the world around him by reason of his aberrations.

CHECKSHEET: A form which sets out the exact sequence of items to be studied or done by a student, in order, item by item, on a course.

CLEAR: A being who can be cause, knowingly and at will, over mental matter, energy, space and time as regards the First Dynamic (survival for self).

COGNITION: A new realization of life. It results in a higher degree of awareness and consequently a greater ability to succeed with one's endeavors in life.

DIANETICS: Through thought or mind. Pastoral counselling.

DYNAMICS: The manifestations of the common denominator of Life; the urge, thrust and purpose of life – SURVIVE! There are eight dynamics.

EXTERIOR: The state of the thetan being outside his body.

FLOATING NEEDLE (F/N): A needle manifestation of the E-Meter of great importance. It indicates the preclear has reached a state of Release and is the end point of any process. A floating needle moves in an idle uninfluenced motion. It appears to float.

GRADE: Release Grade, a distinct and definite step toward greater levels of awareness and ability.

HAS: Hubbard Apprentice Scientologist; one who has completed the HAS (Communication) Course.

HAT: Slang for the title and work of a post in a Church of Scientology; taken from the fact that in many professions, such as railroading, the type of hat worn is the badge of the job.

HCO: Hubbard Communications Office.

HCO B: HCO Bulletin; the name given to the mimeo issue on which the technical data of the Church is printed.

HCO PL: HCO Policy Letter; the name given to the mimeo issue on which the administrative and organizational policy of the Church is printed.

KEYED-OUT: Released or separated from one's Reactive Mind or some portion of it.

MEST: The physical universe. A word coined from the initial letters of Matter, Energy, Space and Time.

MISUNDERSTOOD: A word not understood. Going past a misunderstood and not getting it defined results in confusion or inability to grasp or learn the material which follows.

MOCK-UP: An energy picture, model or construction in three dimensions, created by the thetan, and having location in space and time. A mock-up is created volitionally, and is under the control of the thetan.

OPERATING THETAN (OT): A Clear who has been familiarized with his environment to a point of total cause over matter, energy, space, time, thought and life, and who is not in a body.

ORG: An abbreviation for Organization.

ORG EXEC COURSE: Organization Executive Course; a course of very thorough training in Scientology administrative policy.

OVERT ACT (Overt): A harmful or contra-survival act.

OVERT PRODUCT: A product (result or goods produced) which is non-existent or bad.

POWER AND POWER PLUS: The processes audited only by Class VII Auditors which make Grade V (Power) and Grade VA (Power Plus) Releases.

PRECLEAR (PC): Anyone who is not Clear. It is principally used to describe a person who, through Scientology processing, is finding out more about himself and life.

PRIMARY RUNDOWN: A course on which one learns to study and becomes superliterate.

PROCESS: A set of questions asked by an auditor to help a person find out things about himself or life.

PROCESSING: That action or actions, governed by the technical disciplines and codes of Scientology, of administering spiritual counselling to a preclear in order to spiritually release or free him.

REACTIVE MIND: That portion of a person's mind which works on a stimulus-response basis (given a certain stimulus, it gives a certain response) which is not under his volitional control and which exerts force and power of command over his awareness, purposes, thoughts, body and actions.

RELEASE: A person whose Reactive Mind is not influencing him. There are eight grades or steps of release.

R6EW: Routine 6 End Words; the process used in solo auditing to release oneself and thus become a Grade VI – Whole Track – Release.

RUNDOWN: A study or auditing action carried out systematically in a particular sequence in order to achieve a specific result.

SCIENTOLOGY: An applied religious philosophy, dealing with the study of knowledge, which through the application of its technology, can bring about desirable changes in the conditions of life.

SELF-DETERMINISM: The ability to regulate and take responsibility for one's own considerations. Motivation by the thetan rather than by the environment.

SOLO: Solo Auditing. The auditing technique which one is trained to use, where one is both auditor and pc, in auditing the Advanced levels.

THETA: Energy peculiar to life or a thetan which acts upon material in the physical universe and animates it, mobilizes it and changes it.

THETAN: The person himself – not his body or name; the spirit which IS the individual. (From Theta Θ, the Greek symbol for "thought" or perhaps "spirit".)

TRACK: Time Track. The consecutive mental image pictures of facsimiles recording the consecutive moments of "now" through which the individual has lived.

WHOLE TRACK: The moment to moment record of a person's existence in this universe in picture or impression form.

WITHOLD: An unspoken, unannounced transgression against a moral code by which a person is bound.

Book Review

Mission Into Time
by L. Ron Hubbard
Published by the Church of Scientology, 1973. 120 pp.
$6.00

This is an extraordinarily interesting book.

No, it's not a science fiction story as its title may suggest to some. Neither is the title merely an advertising man's dream. It is literally true.

In the dictionary the first meaning of "mission" is: a sending or being sent on some special work or service.

The work or service in this case was a cruise in the Mediterranean Sea in the spring of 1968 aboard a 149 ft. ex-Scottish trawler which had been converted into a comfortable, serviceable yacht. The yacht was crewed by a group of nautically minded Scientologists most of whom were Clear or above. The expedition was led by L. Ron Hubbard, master mariner and a distinguished explorer who is entitled to fly the flag of the Explorer's Club.

It was fitting that the crew should be predominantly Clear or above as the mission (expedition) was actually an exercise and demonstration of OT powers, a test of whole track recall.

Based upon a recall of his lifetimes thousands of years ago Ron would describe and mock up clay models of areas he had never been in or seen this lifetime. The mission would then sail into those areas and thoroughly verify Ron's perception of the time track. This recall included such items as a hidden entrance to the temple of the Goddess Tanit in ancient Sardinia, an entrance unknown to modern archeologists.

Thus, quite literally, this book is about a *mission* into *time*. In reading it you'll enjoy your own mission into time discovering facts about the history of Man you may never have suspected, including the real reason for the decline and downfall of the ancient world.

All this is told in Ron's entertaining and inimitable style. His narrative of the adventures of the mission is interspersed with the accounts of the actual missionaires (persons who go on missions) who verified Ron's recall in detail.

Mission Into Time is illustrated with maps, diagrams, black and white and color photographs.

Introducing *Mission Into Time* is the longest and most closely documented biography of L. Ron Hubbard ever published. It is entitled "Explorer of Two Realms". The extraordinary versatility of L. Ron Hubbard's explorations on land and sea, and in the higher realms of the mind and spirit is vividly portrayed.

This biography takes us through the career of this incredible explorer, from his precocious studies in China as a young boy, to leading the first mineralogical survey of Puerto Rico at the age of 21, to his famous horticultural researches at Saint Hill, England, to the discoveries which culminated in Dianetics and Scientology.

The biography concludes that *Mission Into Time* is an "ideal expedition" where the skills of the master mariner and terrestrial explorer combine with the epochal explorer of the mind and spirit into one of the most unusual and remarkable expeditions this planet has ever seen.

In addition, the book carries a lengthy appendix. It opens with a long article by L. Ron Hubbard which summarizes the results of his research of the whole track. The appendix also includes drawings, extra data, and interesting historical data on the Mediterranean sites visited by the mission.

The book is beautifully laid out. The cover features a full color photograph of L. Ron Hubbard speeding through the water at the controls of a twin screw Chris-Craft.

Every effort has apparently been made to make *Mission Into Time* easy to read for non-Scientologists. Scientology terms have been fully and simply defined in an extensive glossary at the back of the book. Thus, the book presents no language barrier for non-Scientologists.

A great adventure story of broad appeal, this book is highly recommended to Scientologists and non-Scientologists alike. It is sure to be a very popular item.

D.Z.

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Poetry

Graffiti Found On An HGC Wall

Atlantis
Sarcophagi in the Sargasso?
I guess so.

Memo To Darwin
My dabblings in phenomenology
Show more to existence than zoology.

Volcano
Popocatepetl
went – **Pop**!

Pre-Colombian
Pity the terrible Toltec
Who disappeared for lack of tech.

–L.C.V.

Where Will You Be?

When I lie in a chrysalis
Of after - dreaming
Caught in starlight's
Bygone laughter –
Pure as the white light
Lingering after
Life and Death
Where will you be?

When I walk in the forest
Fir, pines passing
Swim in the hill stream's
Clear cold dawn
When the sun comes up
In a breath and is gone
To a farther time
Where will you be?

When I kneel
To the breath
Of a flower stirring
Grasp small hands
About suntanned limbs
And become and am one
With a thousand hymns
Sung to joy and to now
Where will you be?

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"Poem"

On a clear blue night of the first full moon
I was swept off the earth
by the tangent wind of another world;
like a ghost on the tail of a moonlight broom
I flew high.

As the river's flight to the quieting sea
by my wind was I laid
where the dark night bleeds to the starry heights;
and the earth pillowed down on her side of sleep
held my view.

There I stood alone in a heaven deep
as time's false arm is long,
with the bright sun behind – the silent source
of all this breathing globe, the green speak of the
garden's light.

And to that night sun did a liar confess
it was hard to believe
that my prisoning home at the rim of a heaven's great eye
would be free in no more than the breath of a
lifetime's turning.

Bob Warner

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L. Ron Hubbard

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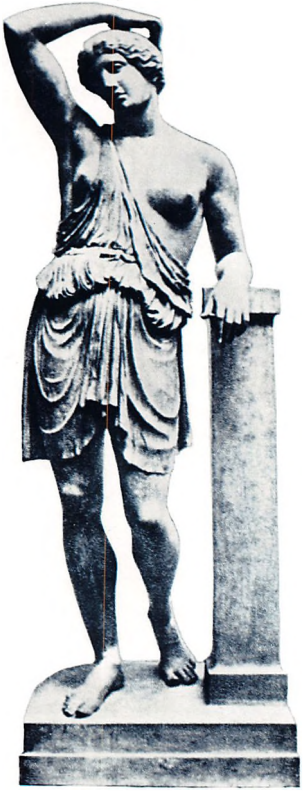
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