

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE INTERPRETS BIBLE SPIRITUALLY

By Theodore Burkhardt, Christian Science Committee on Publication for Oregon.

To the Editor: Unjust and misleading criticism in your community, charging Christian Science with being contradictory and unscriptural...

"He came unto his own and his own received him not" (John 1:11) was St. John's way of telling what an unwelcome reception the Jews accorded to Christ Jesus...

Nineteen hundred years ago Jesus brought the good news that God is not a God afar off but a loving Father near at hand...

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though Jesus had said "the works that I do shall you do also", and "these signs shall follow you that believe"—whereas he had plainly stated "he" that believeth should do the works which he did...

Finally, in this present age, a gentle, spiritually-minded woman, Mary Eddy Baker, made the discovery that the healing power of God is as available to us today, and in as many ways, as ever it was to Jesus and his immediate followers...

Some, however, who reject Christian Science and the blessings which accompany its faithful practice, attempt to show the fallacy of Mrs. Eddy's teachings by "comparing and contrasting" them with those of the Bible...

The critics of Christian Science sometimes attempt to discredit it by quoting selected passages from Mrs. Eddy's writings, which, when thus separated from their context, pervert and misrepresent, and such a method is manifestly unfair...

in quantity. As a drop of water is one with the ocean, a ray of light one with the sun, even so God and man, Father and son, are one in being" (page 361).

Considered from the same standpoint,—that of enlightened spiritual understanding,—all of Mrs. Eddy's writings are likewise found logical and in accord with the Bible and with each other...

Christian Science being demonstrable Truth, it is healing all manner of sin and disease, not infrequently after all other means have failed. Jesus said, "By their fruits ye shall know them"...

INTERESTING NOTES OF COUNTY SCHOOLS

By Elizabeth Perry, County School Superintendent.

The annual teachers' institute of Columbia county will be held this year at St. Helens on October 11, 12 and 13.

Among the speakers and instructors who will address the institute are: Professor Edwin T. Reed, of Oregon Agricultural college; Dr. Thomas H. Gentle, head of the training department of the Oregon Normal school; Mr. J. E. Calavan, from the state department of education; Mr. S. S. Duncan, county school superintendent of Yamhill county; Mr. Frank R. Shepherd, of the Oregon Agricultural college; Mrs. Emily DeVore, from the Oregon Normal school and Dr. Carl Gregg Doney, president of Willamette university.

All of these speakers are specialists in their particular lines and many of the addresses given should prove to be of interest to the general public as well as to the teachers of the county.

Fifteen of the schools of the county were well represented at the county fair this year. The prize for the best exhibit was awarded to Houlton, with the McBride school (Houlton) second in the class for smaller schools with Heaver Homes second, which was gratifying considering the fact that that was the first time an exhibit had ever been made by that school.

decorated booth St. Helens was given first prize, Deer Island second and Rainier third.

The two high scoring girls in club work who won a free trip to the state fair were Ida Naegeli of Deer Island and Eva Urie of Houlton. The boys were Angelo Pasero of Houlton and Fred Cox of Deer Island. The winning judging team, who were also entitled to a free trip, were Kenneth VanTassel of Yankton, Edward Madsen of Bachelor Flat, and Shirley Briggs of Yankton.

Several schools of the county are now organizing the club work for next year and plans are being formed for an exhibit at the state fair next year.

To Gain a Good Reputation...

The way to gain a good reputation is to endeavor to be what you appear. That is precisely the manner in which Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has gained its reputation as a curing cough, cold, croup and whooping cough. Every bottle that has ever been put out by the manufacturer standard of excellence claimed for it. People have found that it can be depended upon for relief and cure of these ailments and that it is pleasant and safe to take.

Salem—State tax levy for 1922 to be lower. Handon to have record cranberry crop.

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The Foremost International Mono-Dramatic Artist and Fraternal Entertainer. NEWTON BEERS. Characterizing in Monodrama his Powerful and Picturesque Biblical Play. The Shepherd and the King. Depicting the Immortal Heroes JONATHAN AND DAVID during the reign of King Saul, as they now live in the TRIPLE LINK BROTHERHOOD, will be given at St. Helens City Hall on Thursday, October 12th. 8:00 p. m. Admission, 50c Children, 25c. Under auspices St. Helens Lodge, No. 117, I. O. O. F. Every Odd Fellow and Rebekah should attend. The public cordially invited. Committee in Charge: W. D. White, Chairman; Frank Bacon, Herman A. Colt, Allen W. Mason.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK at Scappoose, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business on September 15, 1922. RESOURCES: 1. Loans and discounts, including redemptions, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank... \$137,799.00. 2. Overdrafts, unsecured, \$535.70... 535.70. 4. U. S. Government securities owned: a Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value) 25,000.00. b All other United States Government securities (including premiums, etc., if any) 400.00. 5. Other Bonds, Stock, Securities, Etc. 28,876.93. 6. Banking house, \$9,843.50; Furniture and fixtures, \$7,673.65... 17,517.15. 7. Real estate owned other than banking house 9,499.36. 8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank 7,958.32. 10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks 9,069.35. b Miscellaneous cash items 2.50. 15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer 1,250.00. TOTAL \$237,749.31. LIABILITIES: 17. Capital stock paid in \$ 25,000.00. 18. Surplus fund 5,999.00. b Reserved for 4,009.83. c Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid 3,359.04. 20. Circulating notes outstanding 25,999.00. 22. Amount due to national banks 2,182.61. 25. Cashier's checks outstanding 262.41. Total of Items 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25 Demand Deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days): 26. Individual deposits subject to check 66,179.87. 27. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed) 1.50. 28. State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond 18,814.88. Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31 84,996.25. Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings): 22. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed) 2,795.00. 33. State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank bank or surety bond 6,000.00. 34. Other time deposits 71,361.23. Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 32, 33, 34, and 35 80,156.23. 39. Bills payable (including all obligations representing money borrowed other than redemptions) 14,500.00. TOTAL \$237,749.31. STATE OF OREGON, County of Multnomah, ss. I, E. E. Wist, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. E. E. WIST, Cashier. Correct—Attest: Albert D. Ridgeway, Sinclair A. Wilson, J. G. Watts, Directors. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of September, 1922. M. J. LAIDLAW, Notary Public. (My commission expires February 20, 1924.)

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