

BULGIN CONVICTS HIMSELF, STATES OREGON SCIENTIST!

To the Editor: Upon returning after a week's absence, I observe in your issues of May 24th and 25th Dr. Bulgin's reply to my defense of Christian Science. I am glad to see that in at least one respect he makes admissions by which he convicts himself, presenting the inconsistency of asserting his truthfulness and yet disproving it. With reference to how much he has "studied Christian Science," he says that he did not "matriculate as a regular student," but "went there "to Boston" more in the nature of a secret service man," and "attended with another person," admitting that what ever he did learn of Christian Science in Boston or Concord was acquired in some other way than by regular class instruction. If, therefore, what he says is true, and he would be consistent, and honestly wishes to "tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth" he will never again be guilty of stating either orally or in print that he has taken "the course of lectures given by Mrs. Eddy personally, in Boston, designed for readers," which his own admissions show to be false.

He is entirely mistaken as to there being any Christian Science "course of lectures... for readers." There is class instruction provided for a limited number of students, to qualify them as practitioners and teachers, but not for Christian Science "readers" as such, nor are there any "state readers."

I would be glad to answer every one of Dr. Bulgin's questions and criticisms, for they can be answered, but it would be asking too much of you to give me the required space in your columns. I wish, however, to mention a few points not covered by my former letter.

Obedient Christian Scientists do not proselyte, nor do they press their religious convictions upon unwilling ears. If, as Dr. Bulgin complains, "ninety-five per cent of the members of the Christian Science church come out of our orthodox churches," it must be because they have found in Christian Science something which they failed to get from the so-called orthodox teachings and practice,—something practical, something far more satisfying than, as he expresses it, "mere cure of the body." We are glad indeed to offer in Christ's name a refreshing "cup of cold water" to the hungry and thirsting heart, but we do not intentionally thrust our views upon those who do not care for the healing truth which we have to offer. We strive "to do unto others as we would be done by."

What Mrs. Eddy teaches cannot be fully or fairly stated nor can it be understood by quoting such isolated passages as our critic has selected for ridicule. If subjected to similar treatment, the Bible itself would appear inconsistent, illogical, contradictory. To understand either the teachings of Christ Jesus or those of Mrs. Eddy, they must be taken in the sense or meaning the author intended to convey.

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vey, and when thus properly understood they will be found to agree. No, it is not true that Mrs. Eddy ever "disowned her own son," nor that a Unitarian or any other preacher "revised and re-wrote her book, Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures." As to how much Mrs. Eddy may have made "out of her practice of Christian Science," I cannot say off-hand,—the amount is immaterial,—but I do know what is widely acknowledged, that she never lavished money upon herself, on the contrary, she devoted her life and practically her entire fortune to the one cause of Christianity.

Any one interested in the facts about the discoverer and founder of Christian Science may find them in her own writings and in the "Life of Mary Baker Eddy" by Sibel Wilbur. So, too, can the truth as to what Christian Science teaches be best learned directly from Mrs. Eddy's works all of which may be found and consulted or read in the free Christian Science reading room in Medford.

In regard to herself, Mrs. Eddy has said "nothing has occurred in my life's experience which, if correctly narrated and understood, could injure me." And the late Clara Barton, founder of the American Red Cross and herself a great leader, once said of Mrs. Eddy: "Love permeates all of the teachings of this great woman—so great, I believe, that at this perspective we can scarcely realize how great—and looking into her life history we see nothing but self-sacrifice and selflessness. Mrs. Eddy should have the respect, admiration and love of the whole nation, for she is its greatest woman."

THEODORE BURKHART,
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C. OF COMMERCE MEETING TUESDAY

Whenever a serious condition confronts the people of Medford and such a condition is thoroughly realized, the citizens of this community have never failed to rally in the emergency and in some manner or other solve the difficulty.

A certain condition which it would be unwise to publish broadcast, now confronts Medford and a call has been issued by the Medford Chamber of Commerce for a meeting of its membership at the Public Library on Tuesday, June 7, at seven-thirty p. m. A full attendance of the membership is desired.



At the Rialto
Edith Roberts was never more lovably fascinating than she was yesterday at the Rialto theatre in the starring role of "The Fire Cat."

In the conventional black and white of the screen there is painted a drama so excitingly brilliant that the spectator can see the flashing colors of the romantic South American town where the dramatic action takes place.

Norman Dawn wrote "The Fire Cat" especially for Edith Roberts and he directed the screen lazzie in the production. With a deft touch he has given the locale additional glamour through his own familiarity with the Peruvian mountains where he has lived.

Wallace McDonald adds to the appeal of the picture as Miss Roberts' leading man. Walter Long plays the renegade American with revolting realism while Beatriz Dominguez, Arthur Jasmine, and Olga D'Mojean have equally important roles.

At the Page
"Pink Tights," shown at the Page theatre yesterday, is as clever a combination of drama, thrills and comedy as ever enlivened a local screen. The thrills of the circus, the drama that enters the life of the little performer and the humor of the small town inhabitants are brightly combined in just the proper proportions for an evening's entertainment.

"Pink Tights" will hold forth again tomorrow, giving way tonight for "Mary."

BULGIN MEETING FAVORS RECALL COUNTY SHERIFF

By Rev. F. R. Leach.

The Bulgin-Lewis Evangelistic campaign came to a close Sunday with three great meetings, in addition to the young people's rally. The people showed their appreciation of Dr. Bulgin's great services to the community by giving him a free will offering Sunday of over \$1,600. Resolutions were introduced and passed by a rising vote of the people showing their appreciation of the party's services in addition to giving the offering. A vote of thanks was also given to the Medford Daily Tribune for its generous treatment of the meetings in giving space for the reports. Mention was also made of the free electric lights furnished by the Electric Company and of the grand piano loaned by Mr. and Mrs. Beebe of Central Point. It may be of interest to some to know that Dr. Bulgin is supporting five students in college at the present time, and has put through over 20 in the past, while Mr. and Mrs. Lewis are supporting five missionaries in the foreign field.

The great audience present last night protested by a rising vote of the action of the sheriff in letting out Deputy McMahon, who has stood for enforcement of the liquor laws. The feeling expressed was strong for a recall of the sheriff. The Law and Order League which will stand for a moral clean up in Medford and county, and will have the hearty support of the people without a doubt.

A movement is on foot to buy the tabernacle for the use of the Boy Scouts. 250 people last night said they would give a dollar each for that purpose. Dr. Bulgin added ten dollars to the amount. There will be an effort today to get the balance needed to put up a building for the permanent headquarters of the Boy Scout work in the city, which will no doubt be a success.

Tuesday evening the young people are to meet at the Presbyterian church for the purpose of organizing a Young People's Workers Band. The work for the young people and boys and girls has been much appreciated and helpful.

The churches of Medford and pastors feel that notwithstanding the prejudice existing among some on account of slanderous reports of Dr. Bulgin, which are without any foundation, the effort put forth has strengthened the churches and built up the people in Christian faith. All uniting in the feeling that the preaching has been of the highest character. Some 250 have taken a stand during the meetings and many will unite with the various churches. The moral tone of the community has been lifted to a higher plane, which is needed. Many will go to Ashland to attend the meetings there, which start tonight. Friday of next week will be Medford night.

Some 35 came forward at the closing service last night, when Dr. Bulgin spoke on "Cities of Refuge." An opportunity will be given all desiring to unite with any of the churches to do so Wednesday at the prayer meetings. A big attendance is urged at all of the churches. The bringing together of all the churches has produced a fine feeling and fellowship, which will serve to strengthen the Christian forces of the city. The pastors and members of the churches outside of the city have been present and helped in the meetings, and will be benefitted. The tabernacle may remain for a time if the Boy Scouts secure it.

Dr. Bulgin has cooperated with every good movement for the betterment of the city while here, and gave great impetus to the Chautauquus helping it every way. Ashland is to be congratulated in having the rare privilege of hearing Dr. Bulgin preach for the next three weeks, and having Mr. and Mrs. Lewis as helpers, who will do a great work in other directions.

In summer many residents of cities in Afghanistan move to tents,

CAMPAIGN FOR Y. W. C. A. STARTS OUT IN 'HIGH'

- Campaign chairman, Mrs. H. G. Wortman.
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 - Mrs. C. F. Jones.
 - Miss Vera Roundtree.
 - Miss Edna Steiner.
 - Miss Jessie Wilson—Teachers.
- Business and professional women, general chairman, Dorothy Sussong.

Perhaps there is as little known of the work of the Girls' Reserve of the Y. W. C. A. as of any other branch of the organization in this city. Nevertheless they have been very busy and accomplished many things. Since last October 182 Medford girls have joined the Girls' Reserve. Throughout the United States there are 100,000 Girl Reserve, who have taken for their standard the same as Medford girls, their slogan, "To face life squarely." Their purpose: "To find and give the best." Their code, As a Girl Reserve I will be:

- "Gracious in manner, impartial in judgment;
- Ready for service, loyal to friends;
- Reaching toward the best, earnest in purpose;
- Seeing the beautiful, eager for knowledge;
- Reverent to God, victorious over self
- Ever dependable, sincere at all times."

The 182 Girl Reserves in Medford are divided into seven corps. The Wichaka corps of the Roosevelt school with Jessie Wilson as adviser. The Delta corps of the Washington school with Thome Carlin as adviser. The Notoppep corps of the Washington school with Mary Gore as adviser.

A new Washington school corps with Dora Glebers as adviser. The Xaxatina Taya corps of the Lincoln school with Mrs. Agnes Deaver as adviser. The Aux corps of the Lincoln school with Nellie Donaldson as adviser. The Student club of the high school with Margaret Cottrell, Florence Pool, and Myrtle Margaret Fuller as advisers.

The girls of the grade school are working on honors and activities under Health, Knowledge, Service and Spirit. At Thanksgiving and Christmas baskets of dainties were given which brought cheer to the aged and sick. The girls also sold tags for Albertina Kerr Home and European Relief fund, as well as helping with programs for Parent-Teachers meetings, marching as flower girls in Memorial Day parade, and holding vesper services. First aid classes and health talks have been given by Margaret Van Scoyoc, public school nurse. Besides all the helpful things being done by the girls they have parties and hikes every month which are, of course, enjoyed by all the girls. The students club of the high school with 80 members have been engaged in useful activities such as helping the Red Cross by addressing envelopes and sewing, sending Christmas gifts and letters to lonely girls, and a special effort was made to create a greater

spirit of friendliness and democracy in high school.

They are now busy earning money to go to Siltcoos lake, the state high school camp, July 6-14. Their aid being, twelve girls from Medford at Siltcoos.

The cabinet for next year is as follows: Alta Knips, president, Arline Butler, May Mordoff, Rowen Gale, Kathryn Lindley, Doris Brophy, Eileen Mordoff.

Regular meetings will be held during the summer with emphasis on recreation and service. What are you going to do for the girls of Medford?

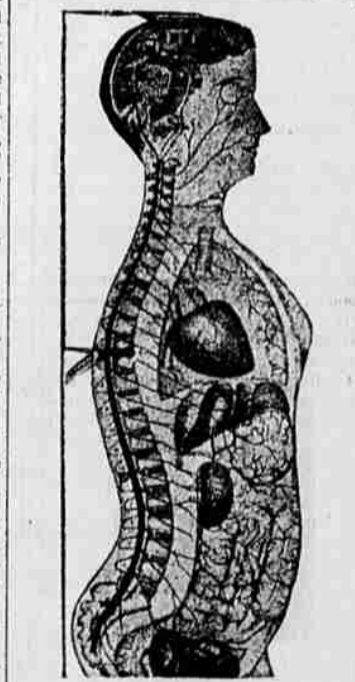
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