

GOLD HILL PASTOR DELIVERS SERMON DIVINE HEALING

GOLD HILL, Ore., Dec. 19.—(Special correspondence). That a manifest interest exists in Gold Hill concerning Dr. Price's divine healing was evidenced by a sermon delivered by Dr. M. M. Reid, pastor of the M. E. church last Sunday evening which contemplates a like sermon recently delivered by Rev. Leach of the Baptist church at Medford. Following are extracts of Dr. Reid's sermon:

"Some seem to think that miracles and the power to heal passed with the Apostolic age, and others do not. In order to get a logical solution of this question, let us first consider what a miracle is. The dictionary says that 'it is a wonderful thing; a marvel; a deviation from the known laws of nature.' Now notice that it does not say 'a deviation from the laws of nature, but from the known laws of nature.'"

I have an idea, that had Jesus proved to the mariners of His day that the world was round, and by sailing west you could have arrived at an eastern port, or if he could have demonstrated that the force of gravity in a mountain stream could be directed to light the world or move its commerce, or have shown the marvels of a present day radio, that the people of that age would have classed these things as miraculous as healing the body or calming the sea.

When the disciples were wondering at the miracles of Jesus, He told them to "Marvel not for greater things than these shall ye do for I must go to the Father." Then He told them why He must go to the Father in order that the Comforter, the Holy Spirit might come. And when he is come he will lead you into all truth. He also told them "Ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free."

Why then are we 1900 years after these promises still suffering from ignorance, superstition, and disease? Simply because we have gone to the wrong source for our wisdom, and more than that, we have done all we could to quench the one who has gone to the right source.

As the school children tapped their



Royal Marshall with Mitzi in "Lady Billy" at Page theatre Christmas matinee and night.

heads as Columbus passed by, and Edison's teacher sent him home with a note to his mother, that she had better take him out of school, because he was a dreamer and she could teach him nothing, so we are in the habit of dealing with true genius.

The fact is, that any one who looks within for wisdom, the place where Christ said, that this great Teacher, the Holy Spirit resided, is dubbed a fool or crazy, a dreamer.

The truth is that they have tapped through intuition either consciously or unconsciously the superconscious mind or God mind which is in every individual.

There is one consolation, however, that after these men have endured the ridicule, and humanity has been forced

to accept the truth they brought, and our text books (those messengers of truth?) have been changed and we are enjoying the blessing of it all, we then erect a monument to their memory.

All students of any philosophy will agree that all discoverers of truth are highly intuitive. I say discoverers instead of originators for all truths are of divine origin. "God is Truth."

We are true beings. We have a physical, a mental and a spiritual body. The faculties of mind through which these are developed are instinct, intuition, and inspiration. Instinct is to the physical; what intuition is to the mental, and what inspiration is to the spiritual.

Upon the development and cultivation of these faculties depends our progress and success in life. And yet the one who has the temerity to sponsor such idea is dubbed a fool or crazy by the self constituted guardians of truth. With the knowledge of how we have treated the discoverers of truth in the past we are still ready to measure out the same to any now or later.

When we learn to cultivate these atrophied faculties which will place us in touch with the Divine Mind then the miracles of divine healing will be no more unexplainable than the transference of the force of gravity in the waterfall to the electric light or the railway train.

In fact all healing is Divine healing, or is brought about by the operation of Divine law. Whether it is carrying a potato in the pocket to cure rheumatism, or taking a bread pill for heart disease, or depending on a Higher Power to cure nerve exhaustion. In either case it is the attitude of mind placed toward the agency involved, which directs the universal life forces to do the desired work. And the result will be according to the faith, or the attitude of the mind toward the respective agency. "God is no respecter of persons." This is in accord with human experience as well as the word of God.

God through His laws honors the faith of man regardless of whether a man honors God in the imposition of that faith.

I think that it is about time that we were honoring God with our faith, as well as looking to Him for that wisdom and truth which is to set us free. When we shall have done this, the bible statement that, "The eye hath not seen, nor the ear heard, neither hath it entered into the heart of man the things God has prepared for them that wait upon Him" will mean something to us, and the healing of the body will only be the stepping stone to these greater things which Christ said that we should do.

The doctor in his midweek lectures on health dealing on the physical, mental and spiritual plane of man, is leading up to divine healing and miracles and will discuss these subjects to a finale. This sermon was delivered to define his position on these questions which have been put to him daily in his new charge.

Christmas Stockings. Christmas stockings, according to the family breadwinner, not only grow larger, but multiply at a rapid rate.

The Weather
Tonight and Wednesday occasional rain west, snow and warmer east.

"The Kaiser Gives His Support to the American Legion"



Page Theater Christmas Day

LABOR PARTY KEEN FOR CANDIDATE IN COMING CAMPAIGN

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Delegates of the farmer labor party who attended the recent conference for progressive political action at Cleveland, soon will ask the national committee of their party to define the future relations of the party to the conference and will recommend that a national convention be held early in 1923 to plan the 1924 presidential campaign, J. G. Brown, the national secretary, announced today.

The conference at Cleveland decided against independent political action.

The groups meeting at Cleveland formed a "tightly bound organization with a written constitution," Mr. Brown said in a statement. "Therefore, certain questions arise: 'What is the status of the constituent bodies of this new organization? Is there any place in it for a sincere party organized for independent political action by hand and brain workers?'"

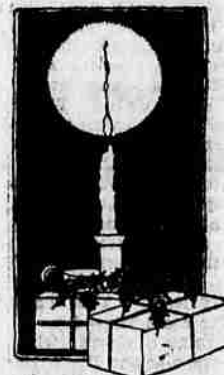
Mr. Brown stated that "those groups, especially in the western states, which through experience have learned the folly of trying to advance the cause of the workers through either of the old parties," would be invited to participate in the national convention of the farmer-labor party.

WINNING PUGILIST IS HELD IN BASTILE

WENATCHEE, Wash., Dec. 19.—Young O'Dowd, Seattle lightweight, fought Art Serano, Los Angeles, to a four round draw here last night at the Wenatchee athletic club smoker. Serano was placed under arrest after the fight and spent the night in jail. He is held on a charge of evading immigration officers at the Mexican line. The charge is said to be six years old.

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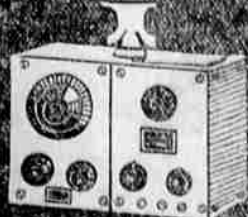
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High grade H. P. Cup and Saucer.....75c
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Bronze finish Vase, 8 inch.....75c
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Lacquer Tea Trays, large size.....\$1.25, \$1.50
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