

# Ability

## SLP ISSUE FIVE FEATURED AT CONGRESS

Sorry if you missed the Congress - we had a wonderful time. It was just about the happiest and most worthwhile four days any group ever had. The data was terrific, and if you want to get some high certainty on "something can be done about it", then look up the person in your area who did get to the Congress. What they got there at the Shoreham was quite a package - high-level, advanced data, both on theory and on processing technology, a considerable amount of actual training in the seminars, and about ten hours of real, rough; tough group processing. The seminars were without any doubt the most successful ever held at a congress, and were acclaimed as such by everyone.

People were saying they got more questions answered and learned more about Scientology in the congress seminars than in any year of discussions before.

Fantastically good fidelity tape recording gave the congress six hours of London lectures by L. Ron Hubbard. The Park Room is well set up with good amplifiers, and Don Breeding had worked hard on the tapes to get them up in quality for the congress, and they were superb.

The tapes from Ron covered the "new style auditing" and the processes of SLP Issue 5, Levels One through Six; they covered the subject of "vacuums" and handling of same, which is the most spectacular gain in theory and technique to date; then there was the famous lecture on INTENTIONS, and the new LONDON LECTURE on the Stable Datum and its use in the handling of sciences. Here for the first time was discussed the "Data Clear", a fascinating phenomenon.

Supplementing Ron's lectures the staff had a four-day ball giving full-dress talks to the Congress on various and many aspects of Scientology and its activities. Nibs gave the Welcoming Address and got the congress off to a very happy and interested start. Although Bill Young was the guy who so ably organized the Congress, as he did the last one, in June, he preferred to stay off the platform and let Nibs handle the master-of-ceremonying throughout. It's really wonderful hearing L. Ron Hubbard, Jr., (Nibs) talk at length about Scientology, a subject he knows extremely well.

Richard F. Steves, who has recently founded the N.Y. branch of the Founding Church gave reports on his New York adventures. We might mention here that the job Dick is doing up in New York is the best single contribution to the progress of Scientology as a subject known and liked by the public at large that has ever been carried out in the field. His lecture drew from a fabulous range of experience.

Dr. Julia Lewis, Director of Processing at the Hubbard Guidance Center talked about the very interesting subject of human evaluation and psychometric and Scien-

tometric testing. Julia's an expert in the field, and her presentation of the now available American Personality Analysis, which she developed for use by professional auditors in their practice, was worth in itself more than any dozen text-books on the subject.

D.Sc. Pat McPheeters, also of the Guidance Center staff gave a talk on group activities for children and Ability Clubs. She has done a lot with kids' groups in Tucson, and is now scheduled to give us more on this in ABILITY.

Featured speaker on the third day of the Congress was Ken Barrett, D.D., D.Sc., Instructor of the H.C.A. Course at the Academy. Ken talked about training and about the Six Levels of Processing. Emphasizing Levels One and Two, Ken gave in his hour and a half an intensive indoctrination course on present-day auditing.

Rev. Bob Nichols, D.D., D.Sc. had the feature spot on Saturday, and talked about talking about Scientology. He gave in his talk the key information to successful group activity and how to build a Scientology Congregation. He also gave the key to the field auditor - how to keep in shape. The answer - just keep running a group of fifty or more people with regular activities, and you won't have to worry about "your case".

The group processing was done by Bob Nichols, Earl Wood, L. Ron Hubbard, Jr., Nadja Binhak and Dick Steves.

This was tone-boosting processing and people were cogniting bigger and faster on the new data as the processing went on.

Seminars were led by Hubbard Guidance Center staff auditors Fernando Estrada, Dick Morley, Pat McPheeters and London veteran Tom Reid, and Nadja Binhak, whose success with the Academy Indoctrination Course is getting high praise from D.Sc.'s refreshing at the Academy and beginner students alike.

H.G.C. auditor Fernando Estrada gave during the Congress finale the first public speech of his career because he had some things to say about auditing.

Nadja gave a completely delightful talk during the finale, and at the very end Congress Manager Bill Young finally made a platform appearance and did the formal wind-up of the Congress. The appreciation of the job Bill had done was general and genuinely felt.

Academy students Norma Larson and Roy Justin were married by the Rev. Ken Barrett before the full Congress, and they all looked wonderful. Norma was lovely in her blue and white gown with veil. Senor and Senora Humberto Gonzalez were best man and bride's maid, and Lincoln Burstein gave the bride away.

It was a very pretty after-note for the Congress and prelude to the Congress New Year's Eve party in the Shoreham's West Ballroom.

The party was a great success, permitting the year 1956 to consider itself properly ushered in.

#### L. RON HUBBARD'S PABs BOOK I

Coming just barely in time for the Congress, the first PAB Book is the third in the series of books that people are calling "ABILITY BOOKS".

If you wondered where the handsome format ABILITY Magazine was developing last summer disappeared to, it disappeared into the "ABILITY BOOKS". These are very fine looking editions. The first of these book-press editions was Dianetics, printed in a magazine for scientists in 1949, before Dianetics: The Modern Science

of Mental Health was even contemplated. This book gives the best picture available of just how Ron went about putting together the first summary of theory and technology of early Dianetics. Scientology precedes Dianetics as a subject and as a word, although many do not know this, and it was with more years of development in Scientology than actually in the newer subject of Dianetics behind him that Ron wrote this very exciting and thoroughly non-controversial though radically right book. The editor of the magazine in which this book-length article appeared has recently complained in his magazine about anyone being so consistently right as L. Ron Hubbard, and it is in this early article that that editor even today forages for the ideas behind many of his editorials.

Dianetics: The Evolution of a Science, is a first and a must for anyone who wants to keep up with the swift developments that continue to follow that opening gun.

The second of the new series of Ability Books is the CO-AUDITOR'S MANUAL OF SCIENTOLOGY by L. Ron Hubbard and John Sanborn. The first printing of this manual, so great was the need for this in the field, sold out prepublication, and the second printing was barely ready for the Congress, arriving the day it started. Designed for use by co-auditing teams all over the world, the Co-Auditor's Manual is a very modern array of data and battery of processes. Auditors and groups everywhere are writing in to the Distribution Center thanking us for this book. Designed for beginners and old-timers alike, it is actually very advanced as to actual auditing style and practice.

One aspect of the Co-Auditor's Manual is its teachability. This is a very good text for use in your Spiritual Counselor and Basic Auditor courses conducted in the field by professional auditors. The material is put in in a form in which it is expected that the auditor and team of co-auditors will go over and over and over the material and, as they master it more and more fully, to find greater and greater ability to handle cases and to align data of any sort.

There ARE never SLPs, and the Academy teaches these intensively and at length. But everything in the Co-Auditor's Manual should be known very, very well by an auditor, and you may be sure that at the Academy they are making sure of this basic material. Anyone trained less recently than three months or so ago will find in this book an up-to-dating on the new-style auditing. And he will find a battery of techniques in six levels which wins with and for cases.

This type of book is best had in lots of five, ten or more. It's written for groups of co-auditors and every member of a co-auditing team should have a copy. In the discussion of prices later in this review you will discover that it only costs a dollar a copy, so it is easily acquired in plenty.

Newest in the Ability Book series is L. Ron Hubbard's PABS BOOK #1. This is a condensed and corrected version of the Professional Auditor's Bulletins, numbers 1 to 15, written and selected by L. Ron Hubbard for issuance to Dianetic and Scientology Auditors throughout the world. The text of these PABs has been corrected and improved extensively and the first 15 PABs makes a much larger book than you expected. It is such famous material among Dianeticists and Scientologists the world over, that it is good to be able now to have these bulletins all in one volume, making exciting continuous reading.

Professionals may not feel inclined to sit down and read straight through their PABs, with a couple perhaps missing here and there, but you'll find that in this format it sweeps along in a panorama of Scientology development, and in this format has more rather than less of the swift action that characterises Ron's

writing in the PABs. Of course, anyone who has not been a Professional or Special Member at that early date has a terrific experience waiting for him or her in these pages.

Ability Books are priced at \$2.00 per copy for non-subscribers and \$1.00 for subscribers to ABILITY Magazine.

Dianetics: The Evolution of a Science, The Co-Auditors Manual and L. Ron Hubbard's PABs, Book 1, are all available NOW from the Distribution Center of Dianetics and Scientology, Box 242, Silver Spring, Maryland. When sending a check or money order make it out to the H.A.S.I.

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FIELD PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES ANNOUNCED

This Congress was very thoroughly a professional meeting, most of the Congress being experienced auditors of H.C.A., B.ScN., D.ScN. rank. Everyone thought this a very good thing, and we decided it ought to happen more often.

Detroit D.ScN. Ernie Wirick made the suggestion and it was taken up fast by the auditors that an auditors conference be held regularly in Washington for the auditors in the field to get a fast briefing on the latest processes and projects. Since this is such a wonderful idea it is already set up and a meeting of all the auditors at least within 5 hours by plane will be held in Washington every other month. The first meeting is set for February 26. All the meetings will run all day Sunday. They will include the latest in tapes from Ron, staff lectures, questions and answer sessions and discussions including anything the auditors want. The day will wind up with a social dinner where everyone will probably talk shop anyway, but might not, at some good place.

These Professional Auditors Conferences were announced by General Manager Bill Young of the Founding Church of Scientology right after the Congress. They are to be free of charge, says Bill, and will give the auditor all the best information that can be packed into one day. We in Washington assure you that these conferences are going to be worth plenty to auditors in the field who want to speed up and keep in present time their efficiency as auditors and leaders in their areas.

Ron closely supervises all aspects of the Washington operation, both Academy training and Hubbard Guidance Center processing, and he hails this new opportunity for professional auditors to "get it direct" as something we certainly can use in this time of increased effectiveness in auditing and in getting Scientology across to "the man on the planet".

When Ron returns to Washington, at the completion of his mission in England, it seems very likely that he will want to attend these every-other-month meetings personally.

So make plans now for being here for the first Field Professional Conference in Washington on February 26th. Plan to be ready to start session early. It will be a very full day.

Drop a line to Bill Young, General Manager of the Founding Church, and let him know you're coming. He and all the staff here look forward to seeing you.

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CHURCH DECALS TERRIFIC FOR REAR CAR WINDOW OR OFFICE DOOR OR WINDOW

These are in deep blue back-ground with silver Scientology Cross and the words "Founding Church of Scientology". Oval in shape, they are 5 inches high and 3 3/4 inches across. Cost is \$1.25 a piece.

BRITISH CARTOONIST'S VERSION OF TONE SCALE

a 12 inch by 22 inch (approximately) British cartoonist's version of the tone scale both minus and plus, with some very funny and nicely drawn figures depicting the different levels, is now available in a many-colored nice-looking reproduction...\$1.50 from Box 242, Silver Spring, Maryland.

CREATIVE LEARNING

Here's a book written for a special and important public - the school teacher. The authors, Victor Silcox and Len Maynard, both London-trained Scientologists, are also school teachers in the British public schools (called private schools). Silcox and Maynard have approached the subject of Scientology for the classroom in what in England would be considered a fairly conservative manner, and in America would be considered fairly radical. There is probably nowhere so conservative at best a teaching clan as the American public school teacher. But quite a few copies of Creative Learning have now gotten around among the U.S. Schooling profession, and they are evidently being well received.

The book is extremely interesting, absorbing reading. It does a great deal of surveying on the various schools of thinkingness about education and how to deliver one. The first half, approximately, of Creative Learning is written from the point of view of the school teacher who is looking un-biasedly at Scientology. It's written coolly and dis-passionately. Then comes a fast switch, and the authors are now Scientologists!

There is a very good processing section, at the end of the book, of sessions which have been tested in British and American schools and school-age groups.

It's a good book to pass on to a scholarly friend and you ought to have a copy. In Britain it is available from 1 Brunswick House, 83 Palace Gardens Terrace, London W 8, England, % H.A.S.I.

American sales handled from the Distribution Center of Dianetics and Scientology, Box 242, Silver Spring, Maryland.

Checks should be made out to the H.A.S.I. Creative Learning is \$3.00 a copy.

PHOTO REPRODUCTION OF LRH STATUE

A very good photographic reproduction of sculptor D.Scen. Joyce Barrett's life-size bust of Ron is available from Silver Spring. This piece of sculpture is the best artistic facsimile of Ron we have seen. It catches a feeling of Ron's personality and so does the photo.

The size of the Photo is approximately 8 1/2 by 11 inches. Sells for \$1.00

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AXIOM 15. CREATION IS ACCOMPLISHED BY THE POSTULATION OF AN AS-IS-NESS.

BROCHURES FOR GOOD PROMOTION

Members and professional auditors (ministers) - a few here and there - are getting the idea, and doing something about promoting the subject of Scientology. They are going out and talking to people about life and telling them that something can be done. People have been sold the line for a long time - that "nothing can be done about it". You've got to keep punching in there with the idea that something can be done. Sometimes you have to tell a human being that something can be done about it many, many times before he even receives the communication. It's a good idea to have a simple brochure to hand to someone. They take it and read it over many times, and they show it to others and talk it over. Then most often they come around to ask you what this is, this Scientology, and you invite them to your regular church service, where they will hear a short talk on some aspect of Scientology, and they will get a standard group processing session.

We now have four brochures, two of which are available in quantity and two of which were sold out at the Congress. Scientologist Dave Wintermeyer in Baltimore is now getting a reprint of Brochure #3 and #4 set up in type, and he's offering this at the cost only of the paper, so we'll be able to keep the prices down on these. He's doing this on his own spare time, so it may be a month or two before we have them.

You can write in for samples of these brochures for about 5¢ a piece or less. And #1 and #2 are available at the following rates: 5¢ a piece, \$5 per hundred, on orders from 100 to 400, \$3 per hundred from 500 to 900, \$25 per thousand on orders from 1000 to 9000. \$20 per thousand on orders of 10,000 or more. On orders of 5,000 or more this includes the time, name and address of your local church. On orders less than 5,000 your local time, name and address costs \$10 extra.

GENERAL MANAGER OF FOUNDING CHURCH

Named as General Manager of the Founding Church of Scientology on November 17, 1955, the Reverend William H. Young, D.Sc., D.D. has as his job the co-ordination of all agencies of the Founding Church, including its own services and congregation in Washington, the Academy of Religious Arts and Sciences, and the Hubbard Guidance Center. A veteran Scientologist, Bill Young founded in 1953 the Scientology Foundation of Washington, D.C. and then in 1954 the Church of Scientology of Washington, D.C. He has been busy training, processing and bringing new people into Scientology here in the nation's capital ever since.

In October of 1955 he took the post of Ministerial Advisor, instructing students and graduates of the Academy on the goals, programs and technicalities of the ministry of Scientology. When the new training program was ready for introduction into Academy curriculum the job became Bill's of making a smooth and efficient operation for Washington Scientology. Recently designated the rank of Dean of Scientology, Dr. Young is one of the best qualified Scientologists in the world.

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AXIOM 16. COMPLETE DESTRUCTION IS ACCOMPLISHED BY THE POSTULATION OF THE AS-IS-NESS OF ANY EXISTENCE AND THE PARTS THEREOF.

STAMFORD D.SCN.S ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT NEW TRAINING

D.Scns, D.D.s Dick and Jan Halpern, who recently opened with D.D., D.Scns. Sylvan Stein a full-scale church and Guidance operation in Stamford stayed on after the Congress for their two-week refresher course at the Academy. Promoted rapidly, and solely on merit, from Indoctrination Course to H.C.A. Class and from there to H.A.A., the Halperns are having a wonderful time, and liking the new training and the advanced S.L.P.s better than anything they have seen or even seen of. ("Seeing of" is, by the way, the practice of looking at pictures: ed.)

Sylvan is up in Connecticut awaiting his turn at the Great Washington Retread. He and his wife, Lois, who serves as secretary to the Stamford operation, are keeping plenty busy up there.

CHICAGO INVADES ALSO

So pleased with what they got in just one week of retread at the Academy D.D., D.Scns. Ival Mainard and his H.C.A. wife had to hurry back to give their group and students and preclears the latest. Ival says they got in the first three days of refreshing more than they ever even thought of expecting from a two-week ago.

Readers will begin to get the idea that ABILITY Magazine is happy about this new state of affairs in Scientology Central.

We were pleased to see B.Scns. Inez Graf in, also from the old Chi area. She's doing a refresher also, and is winding up in the Hubbard Advanced Auditor class. Says it's wonderful.

JOHN AND MARGEE McCORMICK'S SAN DIEGO REPRESENTED IN WASHINGTON

BY JOHN AND MARGEE McCORMICK

For a long time just about the only good news that ever came out of weathery, dewey-eyed California was news of what John McCormick, D.D., D.Scns. and his Church of Scientology of San Diego was doing. Now in large part due to John's success in carrying out a sensible program in his area that large state is the occasional source of good report in several places. Working closely with Charles Berner, J. Burton Farber, Chester Maydole and Bernie McNow, Russ Goodwin, Tom Lovejoy (all having churches), considerable is being done. There are now quite a number of going-concern church Scientology operations there between the Rogue River and Tiajuana.

John and his charming Scientologist wife Margee came to the Congress with plans to stay over for Academy refresher courses, which they are getting. They, too, are happy with the State of the Art and Science, and are getting what they came for and more.

With lots of the Veteran Scientologists of the A.C.C. courses now getting their Academy refreshers an interesting thing has been noticed here. People have liked the Indoctrination Week in the past, but never has there been such praise for this feature of Academy training as instructoress Nadja Binhak has been getting from the guys and girls that were trained by Ron in the A.C.C. Units. These remain the best-trained in the world, and they still cognite faster on data and auditing than any other ilk. To be sure, verily D.Scns have many of them allowed

themselves to get sorely behind on the progress of the material since their courses. But just as verily, auditors personally trained by Ron are very quick to learn and to modernize themselves. They never would have gotten through the Indoctrination Week and then the H.C.A. Course and reached the exacting heights of Director Nibs' H.A.A. Course during their two weeks if they weren't well trained and battle wise veterans of the Field in the first place.

#### TEXAS LUCKY AND GETTING LUCKIER

D.D., D.ScN. Ann Sharpe of Houston is here for retraining also. This means, in short, that one of the best in the world is getting even better and that anyone who lives in Texas or adjoining is in very good shape as regards opportunities to get it straight. Ann teaches H.C.A. Course, runs Congregation, gets Scientology to the average Texan, assists groups, audits groups and individuals and generally behaves like a good and expert Thetan. We were glad to see her at the Congress, and now the Academy.

#### AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND DOING FINE

Communications from Down Under from John Farrell of the H.A.S.I. Australia are showing gains in that whole area, which includes a lot of area, as John found out on his recent trip to and around New Zealand. Lecturing, group processing, and communicating widely with Zealand auditors, Farrell found the organization and membership to be doing fine. He says a trip the length of New Zealand is longer than you think. In Australia ABILITY Magazine is being reprinted and a supplement for that area added which gets the copies to subscribers there much faster. We send a copy air mail, they copy the copy and mail it out. Boat mail to that side of the globe is, by the way, fabulous, but, it isn't really as fast as all that. Let's just call it slow. Air mail on the other hand is fairly fast, but tremendously expensive.

Your editor used to ply some of those same waters during World War VIII,2, called by the press the Second World War, in PT Boats (Plywood Torpedo), and can state that air mail is almost worth the expense.

#### RUDIMENTS OF AUDITING HOTTEST THING IN SIGHT, SAY D.SCN.S

A bulletin just came in from Ron. It concerns many items, and one of these is an item of the arrangement of processes in Level One of the SLP (Six Levels of Processing) now under intensive test and winning on cases in London. In order to keep closely in touch with Academy and Hubbard Guidance Center matters, Ron began 12 weeks ago to send these Operational Bulletins not only to Washington Academy, Guidance Center and Distribution Center staffs, but also to key organizational points on all continents. It is a fairly simple matter for the experienced and personally trained by Ron personnel to take each slight change in the arrangement of processes and put them to immediate use in training and processing. It is somewhat another thing, however, to hand out without preparedness of any kind the kind of data here dealt with. There are several very simple considerations on which are aligned and straightened out and understood just about any class of data that would come to your attention as an auditor. This brings to a very crucial

point of attack the RUDIMENTS OF AUDITING.

What would the field be like if all the boys and girls would get their rudiments up to where they owned them and could use them alone without benefit of other processes to solve any case that comes to hand? And what would the WORLD be like if all the boys and girls in the field could and did do this? We now have on deck a large number of D.SCN.S, some of the very best in the field, who have come in for refresher courses. These experienced auditors, every one of them with a number of miracles to his routine and casual credit that would cause a riot in the college of cardinals, are selecting out as the most important advance, among very spectacular advances, the present elucidation of the Rudiments, and the codification of these in the present Level One of SLP. Gone is the hey-day of the para-Scientologist or other wandering auditor, though if you wanted to get some of the things that have been classed as Para straight as just data, you would find they knew and could tell you. The present big news is three-fold: auditors are getting the rudiments of auditing, the new SLP is developing into the best Standard Procedure by far ever in use, new goals are emerging from the new-won data. These new goals have to do with ability and are at the moment in the readying stage of operation. There will be more on this sometime in 1956.

What we want to see get done in the field is simply, getting the field more numerous with new people, and getting the data and practice level of the field, individuals and congregations up to a high level. This is the intention of the organizations of Scientology.

It is called to the attention of the membership in Dianetics and Scientology world-wide that we organizationally consider our mission to be primarily one of serving our auditors and membership in the job of assisting the world toward a desirable state of civilization and morale. We do not consider our mission to be primarily one of helping our members, but one of helping our members to help others. Therefore we are very anxious to release to all auditors and potential auditors the maximum of information which can be used effectively by them. Hence our special concern with Rudiments. A considerable amount of material and coaching on the Rudiments is found throughout the Co-Auditor's Manual. The Rudiments are taken up and stated as such for the first time anywhere in the Manual on Straight Wire, by L. Ron Hubbard (1955). Both of these are inexpensively available from Box 242. Some tapes of London lectures by Ron on Rudiments are to be released by Don Breeding here probably in the near future. This is the material that the world's best-trained and most experienced, the A.C.C. grads, are calling the biggest advance they have seen. There is more excitement just now in Washington about modern processing than we have ever seen. The Hubbard Guidance Center Auditors, and not only the auditors but the preclears, are going around these days with a cocky air of confidence. Academy students are getting insouciant and indestructible.

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ACADEMY TECHNICAL BULLETIN NO. 1

A NEW HANDLING OF THE PROBLEM OF UNIVERSES

by L. Ron Hubbard, Jr. and Kenneth D. Barrett

Just a short time ago Ron developed a new method of processing universes. Instead of the long arduous hours it used to take to bust someone free from a universe (valence), with this new process the time is cut down by a tremendous percentage. The goal of this process is to break the pc loose from the "low or non-havingness" universes and "non-creative" universes. After you have run these out of the pc, and separated him from these universes, he will be able to have some reality on having possessions in the MEST universe; he will also be able to mock-up masses, terminals, various sensations, etc.

The influence of a "non-havingness" universe on the pc is such that each time the pc thinks of something he wants or something he wants to get, he then has the feeling that this isn't for him, or that he doesn't deserve it, or that something about this isn't quite right for him. These are, of course, justifications for the feeling that he can't have it. So, for cases who may have had a lot of processing and yet are still hung up with a difficulty in havingness or an inability to create, it is suggested that you use this process exactly as given.

This is the first in a series of four Academy technical bulletins which will cover this process, what it does, what happens when the process is working, what happens when it is not, so that you will have a full understanding of it. It is to be done by sections so that each time you get new material in the bulletins to follow you will have had the experience of the previous ones, and it will have more meaning for you.

We are dealing here with the "no havingness", or "not-caringness" universe. Let's look first of all at the "not-havingness universe". The basic definition of Havingness is, MASS. To remedy someone's havingness completely, you would have to put the Thetan in a position where he would be able to accept or reject mass in any condition, under any conditions.

There are two forms of havingness aberrations. Those people who can not accept, and those people who cannot reject. Both are equally bad conditions to be in. The inability to accept may become the person who is always giving things away. The self-sacrificing type, the person who is compulsively doing things for other people, and giving away everything he has. As an exaggerated example, people who will give you sirloin steak and eat bread crumbs themselves. Ones who are always doing things for you, and never letting you do something yourself. Or sacrificing themselves for your career (which most times is the career which they have mocked up for you.) The people who give you objects, possessions, and money without letting you put forth anything for it. Also, they will not let you do anything for them. Or, they are very, very reluctant to accept possessions.

The "not-caringness" universe, or the person who does not care, cannot accept or reject. It is clear that this is a low-havingness universe, and that the person himself feels that nothing belongs to him, and therefore that he cannot make a decision about it, and thus relies on others to decide whether he should have something, whether he should go someplace, or what he should do.

Now, the universe that one is looking for in this process, is the most collapsed universe. This universe is the one that the preclear feels that he is

most being like; the one that the pc talks about the least; the one that is the most occluded to the pc; the one that he would least like to have present at this moment, etc. There is a certain basic characteristic in low-havingness universes, in that they must be below 2.0 on the tone scale, for it is below that level that people cannot have things. Now, if a person is below 2.0 on the tone scale, he constantly and consistently uses some form of mis-emotion to get things, or to get rid of things. You will also find, of course, that the most collapsed universe is the person who had a great deal of difficulty communicating, who stopped other people communicating, who stopped motion, and in general used his particular forms of mis-emotion to control others. One should, therefore, by two-way communication, locate in the pc, the most collapsed universe. The ones you are after are NOT recent acquaintances, but people very early in the pc's life.

Having located this universe on the pc, the command that is to be used is: "WHAT SPECIFIC PROBLEM COULD (INDICATE PERSON) BE TO YOU". Now, before starting to use this command in the process on a pc, one establishes the goals of this process, which are to free the pc of any particular compulsion, inhibition, or difficulties that he has picked up from this collapsed universe, and to get the pc so he can have things. When the pc understands this goal, and/or goals, and willingly accepts it as the goal for the process, one then "clears" the command for the pc. This means that the pc must have a full understanding of what the command means, to the extent that he can then find a specific problem that that person could be to him. When the command has been "cleared", then one establishes an agreement with the pc to run this process.

Then, the auditor would ask the pc the auditing question, "WHAT SPECIFIC PROBLEM COULD-----BE TO YOU". Here, the command must be used exactly as given, and one would not say, "Give me another problem, etc.", for this would take the pc's attention off of "What specific problem", and thus diffuse the attention of the pc. Now, there are only two things that the auditor must pay particular heed to on this process. One is, that the pc is getting the problem, meaning that this is a problem to the pc in that he does feel some form of resistance, dislike, annoyance, doesn't want it, or something of this nature, so that it is a problem that has some reality to the pc. Second, one must get it down to the point where it is a specific problem, meaning not that the pc would say, "Well, father could get angry at me". Instead, you would have the pc ascertain a particular situation where the pc would do a certain thing, and then father would get mad in a certain way, and say or do a certain thing. The speed of running of the process, and the effectiveness of the process, is controlled and determined by these two factors.

Now, having established that the pc is getting problems that are real to him, and that he is getting specific problems; occasionally the auditor would say to the pc, "HOW WOULD THIS BE A PROBLEM TO YOU". Other than this, all that the auditor has to do is keep up a good flow of two-way communication and get the pc to originate communication by asking him question, or getting him to continue talking about something when he tends to stop, and for the auditor himself to originate comments and experiences of his own on a similar level (of course without invalidation or evaluation for the pc).

This should clarify this sufficiently to run this on a pc. Now this is the first in a series of four articles to come out in the following issues of ABILITY, which will give further explanations and developments of this process. It is suggested that you audit at least 2 hours a session, 2 sessions a week

until you receive the next ABILITY. Thus by the time you receive the next installment of this series, you will have some ideas on what happens on this process, and the information which follows will have a greater meaning to you. We wish you good roads, and fair weather.

#### CONGRESS NURSERY ALSO BIG HIT

The three youngest Scientologists at the Congress have insisted on being mentioned. The youngest was Davy Estrada, sponsored by Fernando and Marcia. He was born the day before Christmas. Had a fine time. Next youngest was Allyn Guy Breeding. He's about three months old, regarding present mock-up. One afternoon at the Congress there was sign on his crib saying "Don't pick up unless smiling." He was sponsored by Don and Judy. Then the biggest of the three was Karen, six months, and she was sponsored by ABILITY editor Sanborn and especially by the editor's nice wife, Madelynn. These youngsters set a pattern of fine behavior that was surely an inspiration to all, with special thanks to kindly Congress Manager Bill Young, who was always checking on the kids to see if they wanted room service or anything.

#### From Operational Bulletin Number 12 -

Ron, writing about the new developments in SLP: "A most interesting fact here is that these processes have been empirically derived. Out of the large number of processes used on low level cases it has been discovered that these processes each one have been responsible for starting one or more hitherto impossible case. Similarly, the old ladder of processes, Six Basic Processes were similarly arranged, which is to say empirically. The original Six Basic Processes were compiled from a number of processes and were adopted when it was discovered that each one of the Six Basics had been responsible for solving one or more difficult cases, and were always responsible, one or more of them, in the progress of any case. It will be found that the arranged order of the steps lead a preclear into the acquisition of various abilities he will need in order to run higher levels of processes.

This is not necessarily the final arrangement which will become SLP Issue 8 but it is the level one series order which is to be used now on preclears coming in for staff auditing. This arrangement has already broken one famous case, and in view of the fact that at this writing the arrangement is not forty eight hours old, presages a very happy future for it. Additional adjustments and steps will undoubtedly be made, as experience is gained.

What we are watching here with Six Levels of Processing is the evolution of a new ladder. Six Basic Processes were standard for so long that this period of change of processes probably seems upsetting to many auditors as they might figure that we are unsure of what we are doing. We are sure of what we are doing, but some preclears aren't sure of what they are doing. It is our goal in Six Levels of Processing to pick up any and all cases, even the psychotics, and start them in and move them on without specialties or exceptions. Our success with any one of these processes has been pronounced in each of several cases.

The important thing to know about Level One of SLP Issue 7 is that it is "run to cognition". The primary fault field auditors have had in using the Six Levels of Processing is that they have tried to run each and every part of old SLP 5 until it is entirely completely crushed flat, eradicated, flattened, and wiped out with the preclear. This is not an optimum thing to do with processing. As Dr. John Sanborn has noticed, a process will run flat, and then will unflatten and then run flat again, and unflatten almost infinitely. A preclear is thereby "stuck" by the auditor, not that the preclear is actually stuck on the track but he is stuck on the ladder of processing because the auditor isn't advancing up the ladder. The way one overcomes this is to change the process when the preclear has a cognition. When the preclear has actually gained a new understanding of what himself or life is all about the auditor takes that point to throw in a communication bridge and change the process. This is the essence of running such a process as any of those found in Level One. One might say the first basic cognition of the preclear is that an auditor is present, but auditors have a tendency to go over this point every time with the preclear when it is entirely obvious that the preclear cognited before he started for his session appointment that an auditor would be there. In other words, a cognition has already taken place on this point and need not be further stressed. It is a waste of time in other words, to ask the preclear if an auditor is present. It is quite obvious that the preclear knows this. Of course, the formula of "is an auditor here, etc." furnishes some chitchat for an auditor who has nothing else to talk about, but is really not vital. Here we have a necessary cognition before this session can continue beyond this point. It is very often the case that the auditor fails to recognize the fact that the preclear has had a cognition and if he does recognize it to tend to invalidate the cognition by asking the preclear if he is very sure now that he knows that or some such thing.

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To help get some of this info out to the auditors all over the world, Nibs and Ken got together and decided to put out the Academy Technical Bulletins, of which number 1 is in this issue on pages 10, 11 and 12. The first intention in these bulletins is to get some of the cases rolling that have not been rolling because one or another rudiment or essential of processing has been for some or no reason neglected on these cases. Many of these are simply auditors who have gotten too little auditing compared with the amount they were giving. This was a difficulty in earlier processing, though it doesn't seem to be one with present SLPs. The handling of universes, or valences, as given in Nibs and Ken's article, the first of a series of four on this subject, is the one that has been paying off with old-time auditors, guys who could get results right along on pcs but where it was all no-change for themselves. We sure hope you will follow along with these as Nibs and Ken develop them for you. Just take a process in this issue and run it and at least get the feel of what is happening there, and the next articles will expand the whole thing out for you in very practicle and usable fashion.

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