

WHAT SCARED THEM?

For a very short while there was a thing called the Alaska Mental Health Bill. Senator Molly Malone accurately called it something like the "Alaskan Siberia Bill".

Well, you may remember we slammed into that one rather hard. We didn't exactly want to see that precedent set — a law providing for the easy liquidation of American citizens and incarceration as "insane" in the ten million acres set aside for the purpose in Alaska.

Well, we killed the bill. It was like attacking a sparrow with an elephant gun.

But a funny thing happened. As soon as our attack began to arrive around the country the psychiatrists and their national headquarters started to quiver. Then they bolted — right into the arms of the CLERGY!

Psychiatry, a dead duck in fact, is now pretty well known around as a dead duck by reputation. A gone goose.

The reason: brainwash doesn't work.

RADIATION CONGRESS READY

The Radiation Congress is all arranged, rounded up and ready to go. The location has been announced and it is the HALL OF NATIONS in the Hotel Washington at 15th Street N.W. and Pennsylvania Avenue. That's downtown near the Hall of Justice and overlooking the White House — the focal center of the nation's capital.

A large group of rooms has been set aside by the Hotel management for Congress members. The rates are \$8.50 for a single, \$13.00 for a double.

You can contact the hotel direct for your reservations, and mention that you are attending the Congress.

So now it's December 29th and the Opening Address by L. Ron Hubbard and away we go with another great Congress. This one is going to be a heavy. We've got a lot to get handled in those

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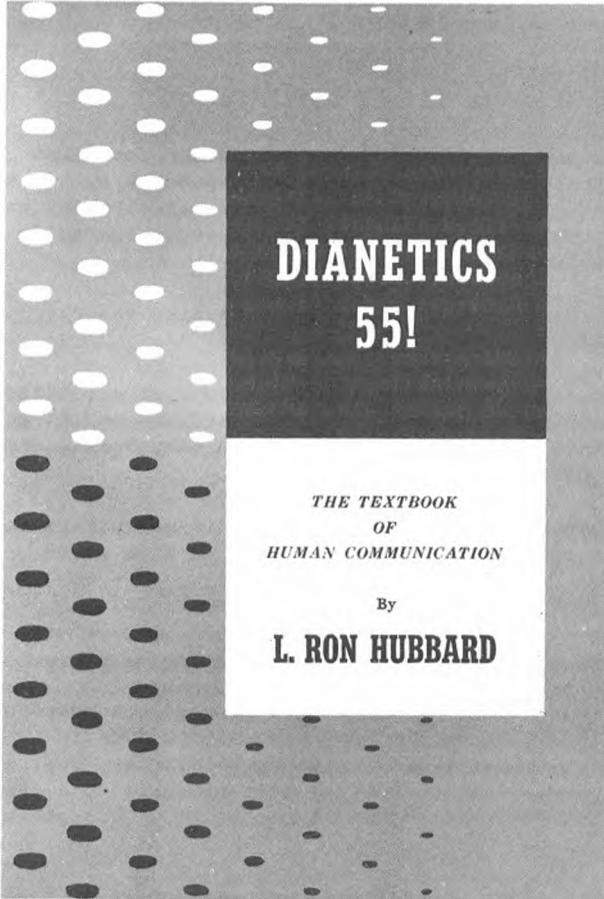
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three days. Ron is going to give the Congress Scientology, 1957 as well as the full business of the radiation situation.

These are not completely separate subjects. And the political situation and the role of Scientologists in it is not a side issue either. Though it comes at the usual New Year's time of year this is an emergency Congress.

ACC BUILDING SPARKLES

Now that we're mentioning Congress accommodations some of the best accommodations any time are our own, here in Washington. The Hubbard Guidance Center has in its own building from the very beginning of operation, offered several very comfortable and cheerfully decorated rooms for out-of-town preclears who prefer sociable comfort to hotel living. They make their own coffee and late snacks in the well-equipped kitchen at the Center and feel like they really belong. They do.

Now, due to the patience and at least slight inconvenience of ACC 15 students we have also at 1810 19th Street, N.W. a larger number of rooms, these available to students of the Academy and the Advanced Clinical Courses.

We've been hearing lots of comments on the ACC building's good-looking rooms. Let us know, if you're coming in for the 16th ACC, if you want a place saved. Some are singles, in some you would have a room-mate. One room is a very large one shared during the 15th by three of the women students.

Ron's office on the first floor, by the way, is a beauty. Very well arranged and designed.

The other Scientology building in Washington, The Academy, you wouldn't recognize. New paint, new walls, new numbers on doors, new everything.

LRH PABS HIT HUNDRED MARK!!

The oldest continuous publication in Dianetics and Scientology, the Professional Auditor's Bulletins have just passed the hundred mark in providing auditors all over the world with direct and exact information from the desk of L. Ron Hubbard. Being the oldest and most directly professional publication in Scientology the PABS have also been responsible for a very great part of the standardization of information, which means keeping the standards high with the latest and best.

Beginning in 1953 at a time when, in London, Ron was pushing forward on research and development and creating a terminal in the British Isles, the PABS have made it possible for Scientology communication lines to weather many a storm. That was before psychiatry and communists gave up on trying to de-rail Diane-

tics, Scientology and L. Ron.

Now the earlier PABs are available not only to professional auditors and Special Members of the HASI and HDRF but to the field generally. There are now FOUR book editions of PABs, each available for one dollar.

They represent in total a very broad sweep of the development of Scientology and probably the best source of chronological information on the progress of theory, research, training and processing.

You wouldn't today begin a professional practice in Scientology without knowing this material from PAB One through to this week's PAB 100 plus.

NEW BOOK BY L. RON

Ready at the printers is a new book by L. Ron Hubbard, **THE PROBLEMS OF WORK**. This new book in the dollar series is something you will be hearing about especially from students in the Personnel Efficiency courses.

This one is a special, and something very new in Scientology since it is a specific application of Scientology to a single area of human experience.

Written on the Queen Elizabeth by Ron enroute to England for the London Congress, the material is the result of half a year of research in the field, mainly in Dublin.

Its processes and technology are modern.

HAVE A BOLD CHRISTMAS

There's always somebody you still haven't told about Scientology.

There's sometimes somebody you have some difficulty telling about Scientology. Sometimes that person is a relative or an old acquaintance.

There is however somebody who doesn't have any trouble telling people about Scientology. That's L. Ron Hubbard.

Why not get a sizable stack of copies of SCIENTOLOGY: The Fundamentals of Thought and be bold and cause some effects. Take your Christmas List and go right on down the list and send everyone a copy with Season's Greetings.

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"WHAT TO AUDIT"

Ron has WHAT TO AUDIT also known as "HISTORY OF MAN" scheduled for rewrite and publishing in hard covers. It will hit the bookstores.

A. P. & A. REPRINT

One of the finest books in the whole subject of auditing, as modern as you would ever ask but first issued in 1951, ADVANCED PROCEDURES AND AXIOMS by L. Ron Hubbard is being revised by ABILITY Editor Sanborn for a new edition. Not definite whether this will be hard cover or a dollar book. Sanborn says it ought to be a hard cover and ought to hit the bookstores too. It's a fabulous book anyway.

FIRST APPRENTICE

The new training plan for outstanding Academy graduates who want the most complete training in the world is the HGC Apprenticeship program. It covers a full year of very active and professional activity in staff auditing and teaching experience and leads to the new certificate, granted by the Hubbard Guidance Center, of HUBBARD STAFF AUDITOR.

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All who would like further information on the Staff Auditor Apprenticeship training program should write immediately to Mary Sue Hubbard, Superintendent of the Academy, 1812 19th St., N.W., Washington, D.C.

"SCHOOL OF LIFE"

It's the Academy's own PE Course. Everywhere else it's called the Personnel Efficiency Course, but at the Academy of Religious Arts and Sciences in Washington, D.C. it's just called "THE SCHOOL OF LIFE". Same difference.

The free, one-week, evening course in basic Scientology is taught in Washington by veteran HGC auditor Kent Maurer.

Anytime you happen to be coming to the Nation's Capital on business or pleasure with a week to spend here, you are very

welcome to come in for a week of evenings and get Kent's very good course. Drop him a line, if you like, at THE SCHOOL OF LIFE, 1812 19th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

CRANDELL IN CHARGE OF LOCATIONS

Send your change of address to Don Crandell promptly for correct delivery of ABILITY, Certainty and other material. Though most receipt-of-issue problems have been solved now by the new Memberships Director, you may have one, and Don is the man you write to. He's located at the Distribution Center, Inc. and the mail address, Box 242, Silver Spring, Maryland.

WHAT NIBS DOES BETWEEN COURSES

He staff audits the staff. A recognized auditing genius, Nibs (L. Ron Hubbard, Jr.) is five Clearing Corps rolled in one. His auditing of the staff includes all kinds of things such as High School Indoctrination, engram running, Whole Track, and the latest scale of processes out of the latest ACC.

He takes on all staff comers, Academy, HGC, Distribution Center, HASI, HDRF, HCO.

In addition to that he runs the Sunday Evening Sessions at the Academy, open to the public and well attended.

HGC—STEADY SUCCESS

The Hubbard Guidance Center, with Julia Lewis at the helm and with Ron conferencing regularly with the auditors on all cases, has the best staff of auditors and the best level of wins by those auditors ever. The processes today are beefed up enormously, and the training and experience of the auditors is very important.

They are handling the newest processes straight out of SLP Issue 8 as if they had been running them since May, 1950. A great bunch of auditors.

THE ACADEMY'S AUDITORS

We've got auditors in the field today like we never had before. They come from the Academy with an HCA or an HAA and HGA and if they go home at all they go home and change it. They start new groups with the greatest of ease. They gather up people from all walks of life into their courses and their auditing sessions and make Scientologists out of them. They take for granted the fact that they have the answers and this is what is changing the picture of the field today.

Academy courses start on Mondays and they don't require a Ph.D. or a College Education. They require a person who knows

the address and name of the Academy and who can dig up the tuition and who can confront the people and condition and present time of Earth and want to do something.

Probably it also includes a willingness or desire to be of some assistance to Man also. That's not too necessary, though, because after a person has been in contact with a little of Scientology and gotten a little of the processing and done a little of the Indoctrination, he wakes up human, even if he's Al Capone to start with. The Academy makes ability.

"ORGANIZATIONAL SERIES"

This tape program, announced in the newsheet accompanying Issue #37, is proving both very popular among professionals and very valuable for the various lines of activity in the field. They consist of two-hour reels of lectures by L. Ron Hubbard to all students and all staff members in Washington and Silver Spring. They are set at record low cost, recorded at high fidelity by Don Breeding on Ampex at 3 3/4 i.p.s.

The program will be continued and to date there are eight available reels. Available only to Professional Members of the HASI, the series is not to be used except by the auditor himself for his own information. It is never to be played for other persons, groups, or class members.

Professional Scientologists are expected to keep up with this material. At only \$10.00 per two-hour reel it is proving feasible to any auditor.

Use the order form in the newsheet accompanying Issue #37 or order by letter from the Distribution Center, Inc., Box 242, Silver Spring, Maryland, U.S.A. Organizational Series Tapes must be ordered starting with Reel One. They snowball.

Order your first ones immediately if not yesterday to keep you up with the latest confidential professional level data.

I. D.

On page 2 of the last issue (38) the picture is correct but the names are not. Burton Farber (18) is not Phil Bennett (17) and 17 is not Farber and Phil Bennett was not missing. He is in the picture but not on the list of names. We hurried into print too soon that time.

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Why do we have to have hi-fi? Because it's better communication. Because your Distribution Center has spent a fortune on equipment for duplicating the tape recordings of L. Ron Hubbard's lectures. Scientology is way ahead of everyone on this method of dissemination. Tape recording companies go goggled-eyed at our programs. It wows 'em.

You can use this neat, compact beautiful system for anything. You can get a phonograph turntable to plug into your hi-fi system for \$44 (with cartridge) or use the one you have if it's high quality. This will really boom the music into your home.

If you have a good radio-phono console you can get the tape deck and preamplifier for just \$70 and have an extremely adequate system. All this will be seen at the Congress.

And — IF YOU WANT YOUR HI-FI RECORDS TO LAST, then get this terrific set-up and then send us your records and we'll tape them in our labs for just the materials and labor costs to us. \$4 per hour at 7 1/2 i.p.s. and \$3 at 3 3/4 i.p.s. Don't worry about the slower speed (3 3/4). There isn't any broadcast company however large that can exceed our rerecording equipment.

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