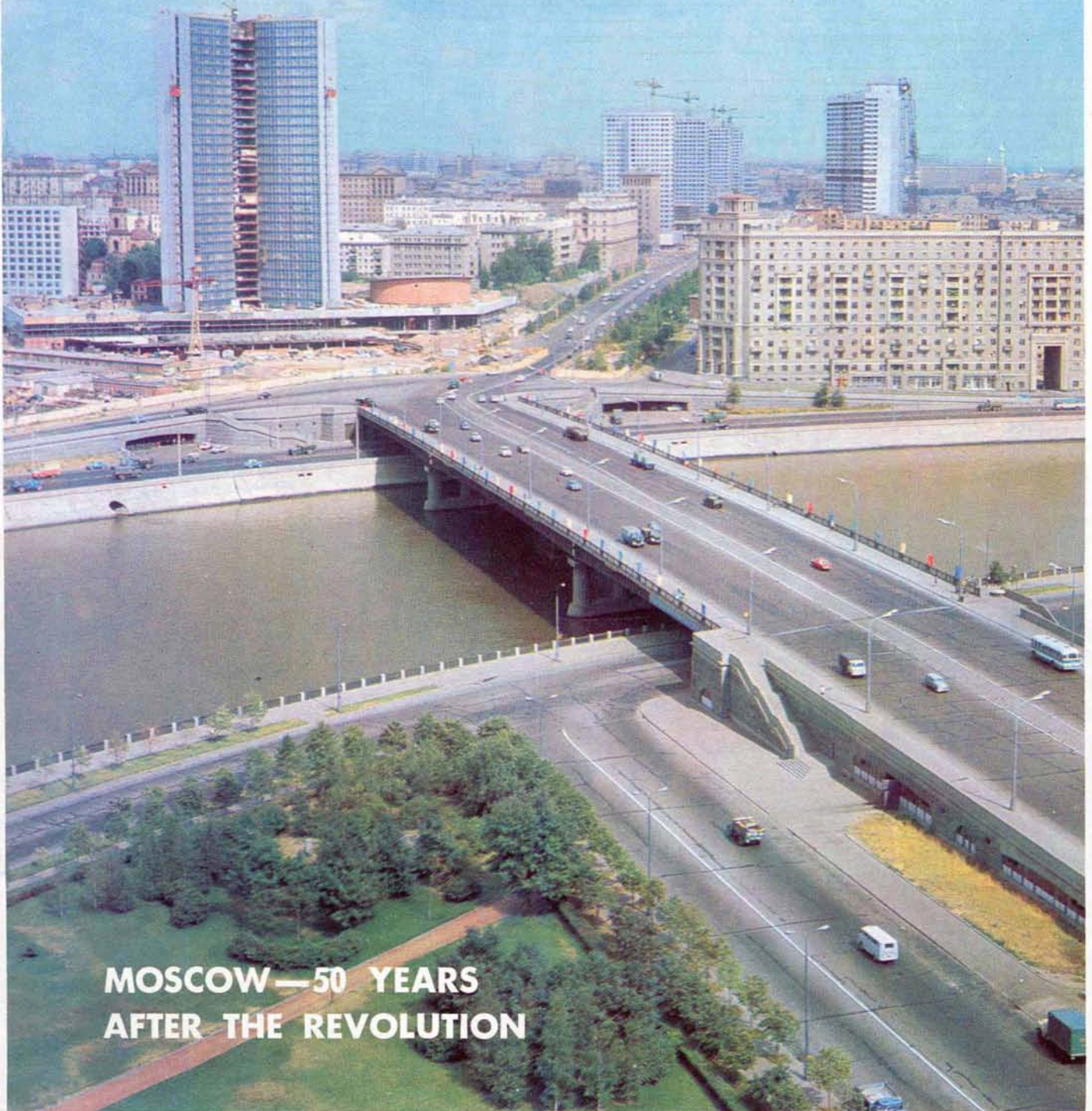


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AFTER THE REVOLUTION**

What our READERS SAY

Evolution

"Your copies of *The PLAIN TRUTH* continue to arrive regularly. I would like to see an article on the evolution of the electric eel. Did it start its evolutionary progress by just giving a mini-volt discharge instead of the full 200-volt present-day voltage?"

William M.

Kingussie, Inverness-shire, Scotland

• Ask evolutionists.

"Thanks very much for the colored pictures accompanying the evolution article. They remind me of the unknown world opened up recently by a microscopic photographer. Some of our most common flowers and insects when enlarged, show beauty utterly astounding, the 'before your very eyes' enthralling masterpieces from the Master's very fingers."

R. B. S., Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

"Here at college we find your magazine enlightening and inspiring. We especially enjoy the evolution series. It really opened our eyes to the Godless biology courses we have had at college!"

Jocelyn S., Princeton, N. J.

New Book

"I would like to acknowledge receipt of the book on America and Britain in prophecy. I had the privilege of reading the first edition on this subject and next to the Holy Bible, found it the most fascinating, thrilling, suspenseful, and staggering book I have ever read. I have started reading the new edition and it really is a truly wonderful book even better, if that is possible, than the first edition. Mr. Armstrong I just want to thank you very, very much."

M. H., Bristol, England

No Alternatives?

"You say in the last issue of *The PLAIN TRUTH* that we face two alternatives. Either there exists a living God who very soon will intervene in this world's affairs, or the end of man's

existence will quickly descend upon us. I can't see that either one is true. The truth is man faces partial annihilation and the world will still go on like some crippled old man."

Eugene H., Waco, Texas

• Really? And where did you find this "truth," Eugene? And do you look forward to being part of a world living like a "crippled old man"?

Jerusalem

I have had the pleasure to read two of your *PLAIN TRUTH* magazines, the June and July issues. I admit that I read a great amount, but I do find your magazine unbeatable. Your article about "more war in Jerusalem" made me open my eyes much wider."

Mary G., B'Kara, Malta

Pacific Comments

"I am in the U. S. Navy and I look forward each month to receive *The PLAIN TRUTH*. After I read it I pass it on to my fellow shipmates, who in turn pass it on until almost a third of the sailors on board have read *The PLAIN TRUTH*, and all say they like it."

V. P., USS A. J. Isbell,
FPO San Francisco, California

"I am presently serving a remote tour of duty on a little island — Kume Shima — off Okinawa. This morning while searching through our magazine rack, I found an October, 1966, issue of *The PLAIN TRUTH* and began reading it. In it I found your program listed for Station KSBK at noon today, so I tuned in and listened to it for the first time. You can bet it won't be the last time."

Lt. Douglas M. S.,
APO San Francisco, California

"Hippies"

"I am employed at a very large college of which the faculty and student population exceed sixteen thousand. When one sees so many of these men, supposedly adult, with hair down to

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Personal from the Editor

WE PRIDE OURSELVES on being the most advanced, enlightened, scientifically developed generation that ever lived.

We suppose that we are now on the doorstep of eradicating sickness and disease, due to the miraculous advances of medical science. We suppose the great advances in sanitary measures, in the new "wonder drugs," in preventive serums, vaccines and inoculations are bringing modern civilization into a state of wonderful health.

We couldn't be more wrong!

Modern civilization is *not* bringing health nor abolishing disease.

While the medical profession works to reduce TB, cancer, and other diseases, modern civilization is **CREATING NEW DISEASES NEVER HEARD OF A FEW GENERATIONS AGO**. Sickness and disease are on an accelerating **INCREASE!**

It may seem incredible! We frantically brush our teeth and use toothpastes supposed to produce "fewer cavities," yet there is more tooth trouble than was known in any past century. The more furiously we brush with "fewer-cavities" brands of toothpaste, the more tooth troubles we suffer!

WHY?

How can this **BE?**

I suppose many would ask: "But isn't it *natural* to be sick? Are we not made in such a way that we simply have to become sick and contract disease? And didn't God raise up medical science to combat it?"

The answer is an **EMPHATIC NO!**

Sickness and disease are **NOT natural!** We were made to **BE WELL!**

When man invents and produces a fine mechanism—a fine watch, automobile, jet plane, washing machine—he expects the fine watch to keep good time for years; the first Rolls Royce automobile ever made is still running; the huge 707 jets made the "polar flight" every day from London to the west coast of the United States without

motor failure. Of course I am not talking about a cheaply made watch, motor car or washing machine. But the most marvelous and perfectly made mechanism ever produced is the human body and mind.

The Almighty God made the human body so that—even though composed of material substance from the ground—its *normal condition* is one of robust, invigorating, radiant **GOOD HEALTH!**

Sickness and disease are **ABNORMAL**—they are the **PENALTY OF VIOLATION OF NATURAL LAWS**. They are **PHYSICAL SIN!**

I knew the philosopher-author-lecturer-publisher Elbert Hubbard, who died when a German submarine sank the Lusitania before U.S. entry into World War I. He understood something of physical health. Once when I visited him at East Aurora, N. Y., other guests and I were herded out on the veranda of Roycroft Inn, for a vigorous round of heaving the "medicine ball" at each other. It was vigorous exercise. Hubbard kept fit—watched his diet, got in plenty of exercise, natural sleep, deep breathing in fresh air.

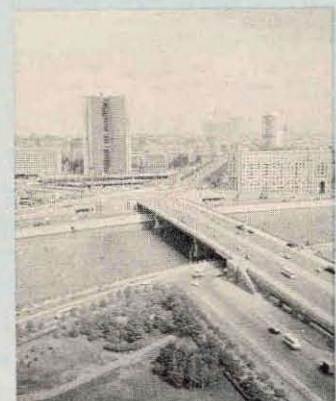
He said: "Of two things, being thrown in jail, or becoming sick, becoming sick is the *greater disgrace!*" One is thrown in jail for violation of a *man-made* law—it could be a nonsensical law—he could have been falsely accused. But when one is sick, a **NATURAL** law has been broken—and there was no false arrest.

One may break man-made civil laws and not get caught. But when you break **GOD'S LAWS**, the penalty is automatic!

And what does modern civilization do about it? It—*not God*—raised up "medical science" to try to deal with the effect—ignoring the **CAUSE**—attempting to remove the **PENALTY** which the Creator **GOD** imposed for physical violations. Treating the **EFFECT**, while ignoring the **CAUSE**, is to *encourage* the violation which **CAUSES**

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OUR COVER

An afternoon view of Moscow from the 16th floor of the Hotel Ukraine looking eastward over the Moskva River. Unfinished Comecon Building looms up in the foreground, upper left. High-rise apartment houses under construction line Kalinin Prospect, one of Moscow's main arteries, in the background. Vehicular traffic is light except during rush hours.

the sickness; to encourage SIN! Only most people never thought of it that way.

Now LOOK AT THE STAGGERING FACTS:

Children of 1910 had many diseases never heard of three generations before. They grew into young manhood by 1917. They enlisted or were drafted into the army in World War I. But in 1917, nearly one third of our young men between the ages of 18 and 31 were so UNFIT physically they could not be accepted for military duty.

Have conditions improved?

By 1964, the number unfit for military duty had climbed from slightly under 33% (in itself a disgrace!!!) to 53%. This was not all physical unfitness—a *new* sinister threat to our national progress and safety was now rising rapidly—16.2% of these *failed mental tests!*

Nearly half of all Americans—more than 67 million—are suffering with at least one chronic disease or disability. Of those over age 45, *seven out of ten* are afflicted with at least one chronic condition.

Each day some TWO MILLION Americans see a doctor! Almost THIRTY MILLION are yearly spending time in hospitals; 1½ million are hospital patients on any one day!

There are at least TWELVE MILLION surgical operations performed annually in the United States alone!

In Britain conditions are as bad—or worse.

In the United States, Canada, Britain, Australia, *our national vitality is on the wane!*

But, one asks, hasn't medical science made tremendous strides in conquering diseases? But while they are working on some diseases, several times as many NEW DISEASES appear in our midst—diseases unheard of some four generations ago! Diseases of MODERN CIVILIZATION!

Among diseases of modern civilization are diabetes, cancer, heart diseases, Bright's disease, kidney diseases, acidosis, asthma, rheumatism. There is a definite CAUSE for these.

Look at young children pouring out of public elementary schools today. Notice how many are pale, anemic, round-

shouldered, more than half of them constipated, wearing glasses, having bad teeth, diseased tonsils.

How many today live in a home where there is *never* a cold or fever, no tooth troubles, or poor eyesight, or any of these diseases? Where *no one* is ever sick? Do you know of any such home? You're a most rare person if you do! All humanity *should* live in such a home—*could!!*—and many if not most *will* in the GOD-ruled WORLD TOMORROW!

One of the greatest industries today is the cosmetics industry—selling millions of dollars (or equivalent in other monetary standards) in materials to *paint on* color that has been ROBBED from natural foods!

The very *first* trouble with our deteriorating physical status is that we take sickness for granted! We seem to assume sickness is natural and necessary. We are in IGNORANCE of the CAUSES. Modern Society treats the RESULT, but *ignores* the CAUSE!

WHAT, then, are the specific CAUSES?

One physician said to me: "We doctors are kept so busy treating sicknesses and diseases that we simply have no time to study and research into the CAUSES."

But *some* of the most noted physicians and surgeons have given thought and study into the CAUSES. And leading doctors have said that 90% to 92% of all sickness and disease results from FAULTY DIET! Some of them have said that the average American or British dining table is a dietetic HORROR! Few people, it seems, realize that FOOD has any connection with health or sickness. The actual FACTS are appalling!

Let me give you some important facts!

First, just what *are* we? Of what are we composed?

God Himself ought to know—and He says: "Dust thou art, and unto dust shalt thou return." And again, "The Eternal God formed man of the dust of the ground" (Gen. 3:19; 2:7). Dust—ground—is MATTER—material substance. In the ground are approximately 103 elements. But the human body is composed of 16 of them. And these are the 16 that grow in food.

Elements are present in the two gen-

eral forms—the organic and inorganic state. Organic elements are *living* matter. For example gold is an inorganic element. Gold does not grow through roots of a plant into the organic form. If it did, we would surely have a lot of "gold farmers," trying to get rich by growing gold. But iron, much harder than gold, *does* grow in plant life into organic or *living* matter. Beet tops are fairly rich in iron. In somewhat lesser content there is some iron in blackberries and cherries. Grapes have very little, yet an enterprising advertising man years ago took advantage of that small trace by packaging raisins in small packets at candy counters, with the slogan "Have you had your IRON today?" Supposing raisins to be rich in iron, millions bought the raisins.

One of the hardest elements known is manganese. This metal is used in bank safes. Yet small traces of this element are drunk in through rootlets of some plants and converted into *living* matter in food. Our bodies *need* manganese. But it is a good thing for us that they need only small traces of it, or we should not be able to obtain enough of it in organic form.

So it is literally true that "we are just what we eat." Our bodies started from a small ovum, no larger than the period at the end of this sentence—and even that was developed through food that grew in the ground. And that ovum had to be fertilized by a sperm cell only one-fiftieth as large. But what caused that tiny embryo to GROW until you were born? It was developed from food that grew out of soil—out of dust. But you are now much larger and heavier than when you were born. Where did all the *rest of you* come from? From FOOD, which came from the ground—FROM DUST!

So it is literally true that you *are* what you eat—and "dust thou art." Since you ARE merely *food* converted into a human body and mind, is it not plain that whatever FOOD you put into your mouth has a very great deal to do with WHAT you are—and WITH YOUR HEALTH, or lack of it.

Now let me give you more facts.

Of the *two states* in which these 16 elements exist, ONLY organic elements

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RIOTS ROCK TOKYO



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After two decades of isolation, Japan has begun to break out of its national cocoon. Japan is once again beginning to play a major role in shaping the destiny of Southeast Asia. Recent rioting has highlighted opposition to Prime Minister Sato. Here is an eyewitness account of the rioting and the reasons behind the opposition.

by Richard F. Plache

Tokyo, Japan

"SATO DON'T GO... Sato Don't Go."

This chant became the battle cry of over 3,000 militant Zengakuren college students and labor union members as they turned the approaches to Tokyo's International Airport into a bloody inferno. They were out to prevent Prime Minister Eisaku Sato from

leaving on a goodwill tour of five Southeast Asian nations.

As I and another member of *The PLAIN TRUTH* staff drove to the airport on the Sunday morning of October 8, to cover Prime Minister Sato's departure, little did we expect to find ourselves *eyewitnesses* to the worst rioting to hit Japan in over seven years. Not since the student demonstrations of 1960,

protesting the ratification of the United States-Japanese security treaty, has such massive violence erupted. Those earlier clashes led to the cancellation of President Eisenhower's planned visit to Japan in June, 1960.

Premeditated Violence

The telltale signs of big trouble developed the night before. Large groups

of Zengakuren students (members of the Anti-Communist factions of the Federation of Student Self-Government Associations), some of whom had come all the way from Kyoto, Hiroshima and other cities, had rallied at three university campuses in Tokyo. They vowed they would prevent Prime Minister Sato from leaving on the trip by blocking his way to the airport. Their leaders announced their intention of stopping him "even by force," if necessary.

This bold threat was an unexpected departure from the otherwise *normal* approach to student demonstrations. It is a recognized fact in Japan that student demonstrations are merely another form of outdoor recreation. Some young people get their "kicks" out of drag racing. Others take up one sport or another. But Japanese college students are famous for getting their "kicks" and thrills by staging very vocal and energetic protest demonstrations.

This was no routine student demonstration. It was no demonstration at all. It was a RIOT — a *carefully planned* riot. It soon became apparent that the students had one thing in mind — *intentional violence*. Chief Cabinet Secretary Toshio Kimura called it an act of "massive *criminal* violence."

When Sunday morning arrived, Tokyo's Metropolitan Police Department was taking no chances. It was prepared to meet force with force. Over 2,400 police armed with batons and wearing helmets with plastic face shields to protect them against flying gravel and rocks were mobilized and stationed at key approaches to the airport.

As we prepared to leave the Imperial Hotel in downtown Tokyo for the airport, we were unaware of the violence that had already erupted. Helmeted students and trade unionists had begun battling with police along the main road leading to the airport. Girl students formed an ammunition brigade. They were collecting and passing along baseball-sized rocks taken from a nearby construction site. The male students sent the rocks raining down upon the ranks of policemen — resulting in many injuries.

At 7:50 a.m., 1,500 students, hurling rocks and wielding six-foot bamboo poles, broke through the police cordon

at the Suzugamori entrance of the No. One Expressway and began demonstrations on the highway, paralyzing traffic. They were finally driven off the highway by the police 30 minutes later.

When we tried to enter this section of the Expressway on our way to the airport, we were unable to. It had been blocked off to all traffic. We did not know at the time the reason, since we were still unaware of the reign of violence which had already begun.

Meanwhile, hundreds of other police guarded the four bridges leading across the Ebitorigawa River to Tokyo's island-like airport. Here is where we saw the biggest battles take place. Shortly after 9:00 a.m., the students tried to crash the police blockades set up on the bridges in an attempt to swarm into the airport.

In an attempt to block the path of the students, the police had parked a number of large armored riot trucks on several of the bridges. Some of these trucks had gun turrets — equipped with high-powered fire hoses. Demonstrating unusual determination, the students succeeded in seizing a number of the police trucks. They sprayed gasoline on them and set fire to them. Before they were finished, seven trucks were aflame.

Sato Reaches Airport

Despite the violent efforts of the rioters, Prime Minister Sato and his party safely reached the airport. We arrived, after photographing some of the events taking place outside the airport, just in time to be checked through the press gate as the motorcade wheeled through the heavily guarded entrance and out onto the boarding area. Dozens of high-ranking government officials, members of the Diet (the Japanese Parliament), as well as a number of foreign ambassadors and their wives, were assembled to bid them farewell. We hurriedly took our place among the other photographers and reporters.

Prime Minister and Mrs. Sato were given a red-carpet farewell — literally. A red carpet extended from the foot of the plane's stairway down past a number of the top dignitaries.

As they ascended the stairway and finally stood at the top waving for the benefit of photographers, they could see

off in the distance the hundreds of shouting, screaming demonstrators who had managed to gain entrance to the airport. The students had gathered on the viewing ramp overlooking the area and chanted "Sato Don't Go."

Finally, at 10:35 a.m., the sleek Japan Airlines jet carrying Sato and his party took off and headed for Djakarta, Indonesia — the first stop on the tour. Below could be seen the billowing columns of smoke rising from the burning police trucks — a grim reminder of the price paid to insure the plane would be able to take off safely.

As we prepared to leave Tokyo International Airport, we thought that the violence was over. Since the rioters had failed to prevent Sato's departure, we assumed they would resign themselves to the fact that he had left and would soon disperse.

However, such was not the case, as we soon realized. The most tragic and heartbreaking event was yet ahead.

As we drove out of the main airport area, our attention was immediately attracted to renewed fighting taking place on the Benten Bridge. We parked the car and quickly made our way down near the edge of the bridge in full view of the fighting. Almost three hours were to pass before we finally left the riot area.

A Fatal Mistake

About 500 die-hard student rioters were attempting to break through a police blockade, still intent on reaching the airport — despite the fact Sato had already left. They had vowed they would reach the airport and to fail would be "losing face" — something Japanese hate to do.

In an effort to block the rioters' advance, the police had parked four large riot trucks on the bridge. Shortly after 11:00 a.m., the police were forced to abandon two of these trucks. In the hasty evacuation, the ignition key was accidentally left in one of them. This ultimately proved to be a very costly — yes, *fatal* — mistake.

Several students climbed into the truck and began to use it as a battering ram to clear the other parked vehicles off the bridge, thus opening a path for their advance. We watched as the



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Students prepare for final charge across Benten Bridge. Notice stones, sticks and bamboo poles lying in foreground — the weapons used by rioters.

student driver repeatedly threw the vehicle into reverse gear and rammed it at full speed against the vehicle parked behind it.

The plan was working. Slowly but surely the parked vehicle gave ground under these repeated hammer blows.

But at 11:27 tragedy struck! An accidental shift of gears — unexpectedly throwing the vehicle into reverse — crushed Hiroaki Yamazaki, an

18-year-old Kyoto University student, to death under the wheels.

This only served to further enrage the students. They began accusing the police of beating him to death. In reality, a fellow student was responsible for his death.

During the next hour, the students prepared for what proved to be their final charge. At the same time, the police rushed in additional reinforcements during the lull. They even used megaphones to announce to the students that they would be permitted to go to the airport if they would agree to go peacefully, single-file, and then promptly depart the environs of the airport. This offer was refused. The

police then issued an ultimatum — disperse, or tear gas would be used. Four police officers armed with tear gas guns took their positions near the airport end of the Benten Bridge.

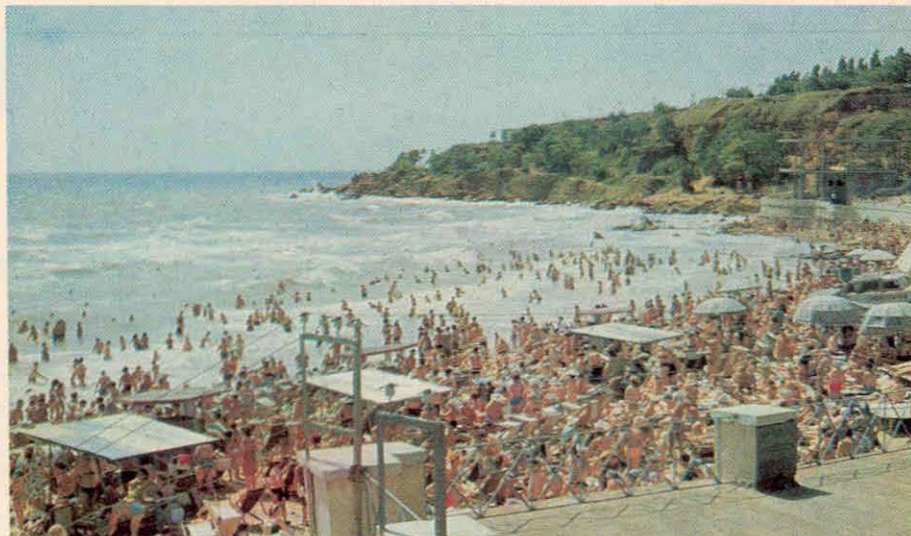
I was astonished to see the students carefully making their way around the stalled vehicles on the bridge in preparation for their final charge. I watched as a number of female students made their way up toward the front. Girls are often used to spearhead the advance, since the Japanese law prevents the policemen from so much as laying a hand on them. The students were hopelessly outnumbered. Several thousand policemen stood between

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Popular Soviet beach area, above, newly developed on Black Sea near Odessa. Left, gigantic figure of Mother Russia towers 270 feet above Mamayev Hill — scene of bloody struggle in battle for Stalingrad. Sculpturing on wall and statues remind Soviet citizens of heroic deeds against Hitler's army.

This year — 1967 — the USSR threw open its doors to visitors. To bring our readers the true picture of life under Communism — and insight into the little-known goals of the Communist Party, we continue, in this issue, the second in a series of spectacular eyewitness reports on the Soviet Union.

by Herman L. Hoeh

Moscow, USSR

ONE EARLY morning during the third week in September, 1953 a man with suitcase in hand quietly walked down the fire stairs of a New York hotel. Leaving the hotel he made a telephone call, then hired a taxi — and defected.

That man was Marek Korowicz, a member of Communist Poland's delegation to the United Nations. The day after his defection he disclosed the Master Plan of the Soviet Union.

U.S. officials were stunned by the disclosure.

Unveiling Soviet Master Plan

As a representative of a communist regime — though he himself was not a Communist — Mr. Korowicz was thoroughly instructed in the Soviet Union's program to communize the world.

The Master Plan of the Soviet Union, revealed Korowicz, calls for the overthrow of the non-Communist world between 1970 and 1980 — most probably by 1975! But — added the escaped offi-

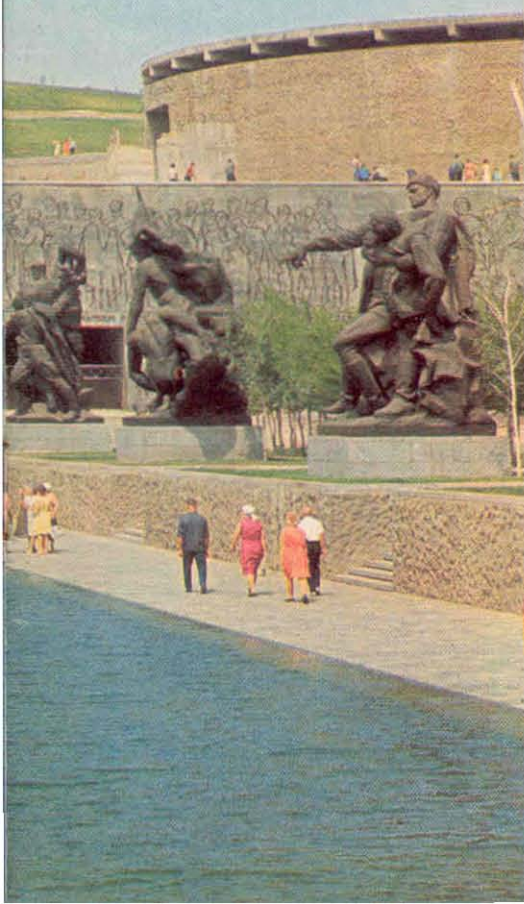
cial — "the Kremlin feels that under present circumstances, *war is not the best way to achieve their aims.*"

Communist officials know only too well that a full military confrontation with the U.S. would lead to the destruction of both nations. Russia is not going to provoke a Third World War *now*. But the Soviet Union openly admits it is plotting the overthrow of every non-Communist government.

"We Are Revolutionaries" Soviet Officials Affirm

Wherever we traveled in the Soviet Union we discussed the subject of war and world revolution. Party members and candidates for the party usually answered our questions frankly. In conferences with Soviet historians, in conversations with doctors, plant managers and peasants, the message is the same.

The Soviet Union, they reiterated, is concerned over the possibility of war with the United States. "We are not





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Pre-school child on Djerzhinsky Collective Farm, Odessa, welcomes American visitors. In USSR education in Communism begins long before the first grade. Youngsters sang rousing Song of Lenin at close of tour through the nursery.

warmongers," they would retort, "we are revolutionaries! The way to end oppression and poverty and bring peace is through revolution! But you Americans are willing to go to war to stop the forces of liberation!"

There is the key to the problem!

A Struggle the West Does NOT Understand

Communists have a goal. They have a sense of purpose. Their mission in life is to "liberate" the world from economic and religious slavery.

They see most of the world's three billion people weighted down by unhappiness, suffering, poverty, disease and oppression. They see the superstition and confusion that for centuries has masqueraded under the banner of religion. They would like peace. Only problem is — they don't know the way to peace!

Communists are dedicated to the philosophy that the only way to peace and prosperity is through revolution — through the overthrow of all governments that oppose the establishment of a Communist Utopia. Even little children — as the one seen speaking in the picture on this page — are taught this

philosophy in Soviet kindergartens and schools.

Communism is essentially a belief that the cause of the world's primary ills is *economic*.

Private ownership of means of production, said our Soviet hosts, leads to the economic oppression of one class (the workers and peasants) by another (the land and factory owners). To stop oppression, ownership of the means of production must be transferred to the State. But that cannot be achieved unless those who own the means of production are forced to give up their right to private ownership. Since they naturally will not give up their privately owned wealth, they must be liquidated. But they cannot be liquidated if the government and the police and the army support them. Hence, said our hosts, the need of revolution to overthrow the old regimes.

Most people, according to Communist Party doctrine, are misled by their capitalist and/or fascist oppressors. They would never vote for the ouster of capitalism and the establishment of Communism. Therefore, according to Communist theory, the only way to help the people is by revolution — by over-

throwing those who mislead and oppress the people. The present Cold War, said one historian to us as we rode a hydrofoil down the Volga to the Volga-Don canal, is a last-ditch attempt by capitalism to prevent the liberation of the people by revolution.

Bad economics is not the primary source of the world's ills. It is *a* cause, not *the* cause — and communism is not the answer! The real cause is rebellious, undisciplined, lawless, God-resenting human nature!

But how did Communists come to believe so naïvely that the world's ills are caused by economic oppression and need only an economic remedy?

What Founders of Communism Took for Granted

Let the Communists themselves answer — in an official publication *Lenin on State and Democracy*, by A. Spirkin. It's available in English at most any Soviet airport. It is published by the Novosti Press Agency. The "Introduction" says:

"People have long dreamed of a free and happy life. Their dreams were like a fairy tale in which fantastic pictures of universal prosperity blended with a vivid portrayal of a Utopian society where good and justice reigned supreme in relations between all its members.

"Humanity traversed a long and arduous path in the struggle for a society which liberated men from humiliating exploitation and ensured him the possibility of living a worthy life and displaying freely all his gifts. . . ."

Notice two important points. First, Communists know people would like to be happy. Second, they equate happiness with a state of fantastic universal prosperity.

Haven't *you* often thought that if only you could have more money to buy more things you would be happy? Of course you have!

And so, too, have Communists.

Prosperity, a better income, more physical conveniences can *add* to happiness. But these things are not the true source of happiness!

The founders of Communism — Marx and Engels — took for granted

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MOTH HOLES IN EVOLUTION THEORY

Today, many people are willing to compromise. They accept evolution — and yet claim to believe in God. Are the two mutually compatible? Can you really believe in GOD and evolution? Read, in this article how such ideas are full of holes — moth holes to be exact!

by Garner Ted Armstrong and Paul W. Kroll

IN THE November, 1966 issue of *The PLAIN TRUTH*, we printed a letter from a *theistic evolutionist* — one who claims to believe in evolution AND God!

Since that time, a few others have written, insisting that one can believe in both evolution and God.

Here are excerpts from a few letters:

"I consider it somewhat unfortunate that you equate belief in evolution with disbelief in God. Most educated people believe in BOTH," writes a man from an Ohio college.

Another man asked this question: "Couldn't *evolution* be GOD-DIRECTED?"

Another gives his personal belief:

"This is my personal belief — a divine creation FOLLOWED by evolution. Could God not have created, say, a blob of some sort, millions or billions of years ago, which GRADUALLY grew into life as we know it? Why could not God, after starting with the 'blob,' *work through evolution* in His creation?"

Did God Use Evolution?

These letters illustrate a *common* theological idea in circulation today.

Of course, it's not a matter of "what most educated people believe." It doesn't matter whether ONE THINKS God used evolution. The question is: "What does GOD say?" Personal opinions count for nothing. We go to the source of all authority — in this case — GOD HIMSELF!

This subject is so vitally important, that we are reprinting here some of the questions posed by the theistic evolutionist whose letter appeared in the November, 1966, *PLAIN TRUTH* — together with the proven answers.

Here is his letter:

"I have just read 'The Questions Evolution Can't Answer' in the October, 1966, *PLAIN TRUTH*.

"You seem to assume that we are all either believers or evolutionists, as if the two were mutually exclusive. I would appreciate answers to the following by you or any of your staff biologists at Ambassador."

Before continuing the letter, and answering the questions set forth in it — we should point out that none of the questions posed in our article were answered in his letter.

Our article challenged evolution — as have subsequent articles — to give *plausible answers*. The writer of the letter did not attempt to answer the questions posed in *The PLAIN TRUTH*, but asked a few of his own.

His questions were directly on the subject of whether evolution can be a fact and God can exist — both at the same time! His questions *are* answerable. Here they are.

Questions and Answers!

Question: Would you allow God to create animal species by an evolutionary process if He saw fit to do so?

Answer: We neither allow nor dis-

allow God to do anything! God is ALL powerful, RULING SUPREME — it is not a question of what WE ALLOW — but a question of WHAT DID GOD DO? The questioner seems to believe there is a God, but that God "used" evolution as the tool by which He created! If God had done this, and if He PLAINLY TOLD us He had, by revealing it to us in His sacred WORD to man, CERTAINLY we would believe it.

But God says otherwise. He *plainly* reveals in a detailed account the CREATION of all the organic life on this planet. God REVEALS how life was *created suddenly!* Genesis, the first two chapters, gives a *clear* account!

Question: If the universe appears to run on orderly laws, could the Creator not order things into being by an evolutionary process, knowing that His laws of thermodynamics, gravity, cause and effect would result in the order and beauty we see, without any need to pull out of a hat or produce woodpeckers by saying magic words?

Is the archer fish [and therefore the whole creation] any less inspiring if God allowed centuries of His evolution to produce it?

Answer: What do you mean "if" the universe appears to run on orderly laws? It DOES run according to orderly law! And the incontrovertibility of those same laws PROVES the Creator *did not* set into motion great FORCES, POWERS, and ENERGIES, and then allow those laws to *gradually* BREAK them-

selves, deny themselves, alter themselves, so as to bring about a supposed evolutionary process.

The archer fish — and all other creatures — would be not only LESS INSPIRING — but would be NONEXISTENT if it depended upon a fanciful "evolutionary" process!

Who Uses Magic?

And speaking about "magic words," how's THIS quotation from an evolutionist, published in the *Amarillo Daily News*, November 19, 1965? "Chemicals, in general, follow certain laws in combining. These laws are as binding on the chemicals as the physical laws are on falling bodies.

"Over millions and perhaps billions of years [would you believe trillions??], countless chemical reactions took place, building more and more complex compounds.

"One day one of these compounds learned a trick that no other compound could perform . . . it . . . acquired the capability of building other chemical compounds that looked and acted exactly like itself!" (Emphasis ours.)

That's quite a "trick," all right!

Who is it who feels "magic words" and "pulling rabbits out of hats" necessary for the defense of their views?

Evolutionists believe in just such "magic," while a Creationist, or a firm believer in the great God who CREATED all things, JUST AS STATED IN THE BIBLE, believes in the Divine power of His GOD, not in chemical compounds "learning" sneaky little tricks!

Here's the third question asked:

Question: Would God arrange the evidence of orderly processes and ecological adaptations and even manipulate rates of radioactive decay to give us a false idea of geological time, and then give us minds that inquire and find only consistent misinformation leading to a false doctrine of evolution?

Answer: Are you admitting evolution is a false doctrine? First, the "orderly processes" of which you speak ARE orderly. But when geneticists try to attach the LABEL of "orderly processes"

ses" to impossible CHAOTIC LEAPS from ONE SPECIES to another — there is nothing "orderly" about their theories.

Mutations Produce Evolution?

Large mutations DO occur. These mutants, however, are fundamentally degenerative deformities, not so well equipped to survive as a few of the minor mutations are.

Geneticists realize this. That is why they are forced to accept an unprovable theory of minute, micro-mutations over VAST periods of time as producing evolution. They know any sudden great change in a creature would kill it!

But this synthetic theory of slow mutations contradicts the fossil record which plainly shows the VERY SUD-DEN appearance of insects, plants, animals. Then follows supposed millions upon millions of years (as evolutionists count time) — of NO CHANGE in the order, genera or whatever.

The fossil record is clear on this.

The one contradicts the other. It's a blind alley for evolution — from which there is no logical escape.

Mutations produce only varieties WITHIN a Genesis KIND, not whole new forms as evolution claims.

Second, ecological adaptations are nothing more than normal, LAWFUL, and completely orderly changes IN INDIVIDUAL CREATURES or within defined SPECIES that fit them for their environmental conditions.

The changing of an animal's coat of fur or color with the seasons proves NOTHING for evolution — but DOES prove the great and careful DESIGN thought out by the Creator.

No, there is no conflict between TRUE science, and the Bible.

However, it is very common in today's scientific world to hear theologians espousing the self-conflicting God and evolution doctrine.

Theology Today

But what is the PURPOSE behind modern man's and liberal theology's desire to see evolution as the "tool" God used in His creation?

Is it because they desire to keep God MUTE? Many want a "first cause" type of God, a Metaphysical Dean, or a blind "force," way off in the universe,

who is not a definite RULING PERSONALITY! Men want to keep God DISTANT, UNABLE to interfere in the course of human events, unable to INTERVENE in their own private lives!

Modern man doesn't want a God who decrees laws of morality. So Theistic Evolution is man's explanation of a God man might accept.

No, Theistic Evolution, or the belief God used evolution as His process of "creation," is utterly impossible.

God CREATED. Just as He said. It's the proven, absolute truth!

We can't have the doctrine of Creation as expounded in your Bible and the theory of evolution. Each eliminates the other.

When Charles Darwin, Huxley and others began to promulgate evolution, they KNEW it was either evolution or creation! There was no middle ground.

A panelist during the Darwin Centennial at the University of Chicago admitted:

"The one fundamental Christian Doctrine to which Darwin seemed to pose the most direct threat was certainly the doctrine of creation. If evolution was right, CREATION WAS WRONG" (*Issues In Evolution*, Jaroslav Pelikan, page 30).

Anyone who believes the Bible literally KNOWS this is a fact.

Either animals, plants, insects — and man — were created SUDDENLY or you might as well throw out the Bible.

But this is the Age of Compromise. Men want to water down the truth of God. They want to be accepted by society. Since today science is God — any scientific pronouncements from the modern pulpit (even if these pronouncements VIOLATE scientific principles) are gobbled up and accepted.

For example:

"There were many others [theologians] whose VIEW of scripture allowed the acceptance of evolution.

"They interpreted the Biblical account as a symbolic and poetic rendition . . . which they found not incompatible with the picture of evolution as GOD'S WAY of creating" (*Issues in Science and Religion*, Ian G. Barbour, page 97).

Ah, did you catch it?

Phrases such as "whose view of

scripture," "they interpreted," "they found not incompatible" illustrate a point. These were MEN's ideas; men's interpretations; men's findings.

But what does your BIBLE say?

Is Bible Myth?

Men said the accounts of creation were myths. Oh, but then the *rest* of the Bible might be myth too. No, either the Bible is INFALLIBLE and gives us the basis for understanding the universe or it is of *no value*.

We've been proving in this series of articles that the *Bible is scientific*! We have proved, we are proving, and we will prove that creation, design, law in the universe PROVES God exists.

Of course there are fossils. The fossil record proves creation. You'll read some of that in this article.

We don't say the earth was created in 4004 B.C., as some do, because the Bible doesn't make that claim. As a matter of fact, upcoming in a few issues will be articles on the origin of the universe, solar system and the earth.

The universe *may be* billions of years old! Strata may be more than 6000 years old — though the fossils contained in those strata are not as old as evolutionists would have you think.

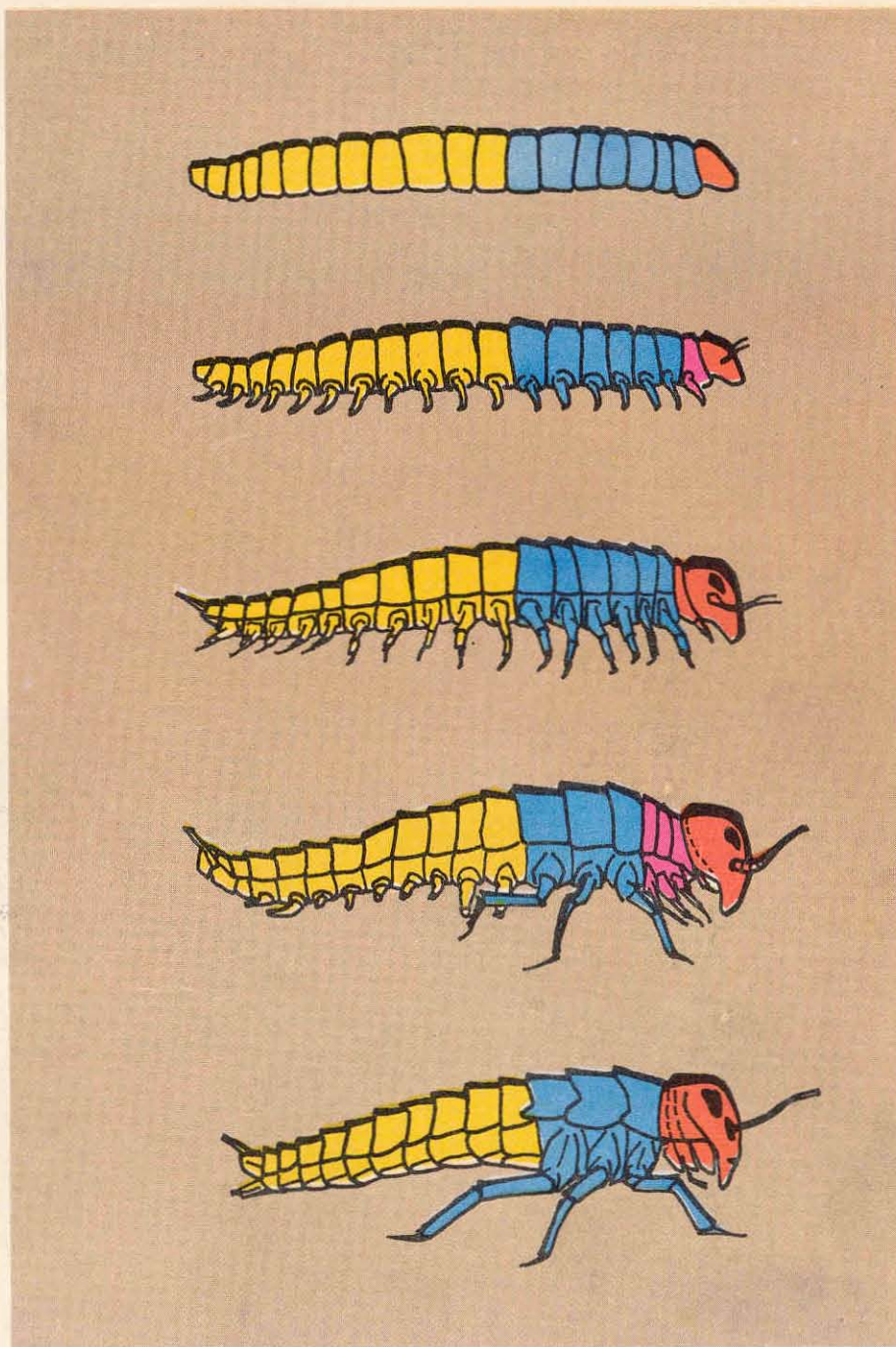
And, we'll prove this in future articles.

But the Bible PROVES that God created the universe, the earth — and ALL life upon it! And since evolutionists base their "proof" on the record of paleontology — and ESPECIALLY USE the complexity of life around us to try to prove evolution, we go to these records to show they PROVE CREATION!

In this article, we want to continue the subject of moths. This time we'll delve into the mysterious marvel of metamorphosis — and the record of paleontology of the moths.

Marvel of Metamorphosis

One of the most common occurrences in the insect world is metamorphosis — which merely means change of form. Yet, it provides another spectacular proof of God's existence.



SUPPOSED HISTORY OF INSECTS — Diagrams above show how evolutionists reason that insects evolved from segmented worms. Of course, the entire concept is a mere analogy — and is not substantiated by the fossil record. In fact, the fossil record proves no such evolution occurred.

Scientists who do not believe GOD CREATED this process simply have no plausible explanation for its existence.

One writer admits:

"The term metamorphosis has been given to this *miraculous change* of form in most insects — such as the transformation of the clumsy caterpillar into the bright-winged butterfly...

"The magical stranger in this se-

quence is the caterpillar itself — A WAYWARD FORM that has somehow interjected itself between egg and winged adult... there is *no evidence* of how such a remarkable plan of life ever came about" (*The Insects*, LIFE NATURE LIBRARY with Peter Farb, page 56).

"No evidence" — yet they *believe*

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Photos in top row, left to right, show: egg of hornworm larva next to pin-head; newly hatched larva measuring a half inch in length; full grown larva about three inches long; larva changing into pupa stage; chrysalis forming; fully formed chrysalis.

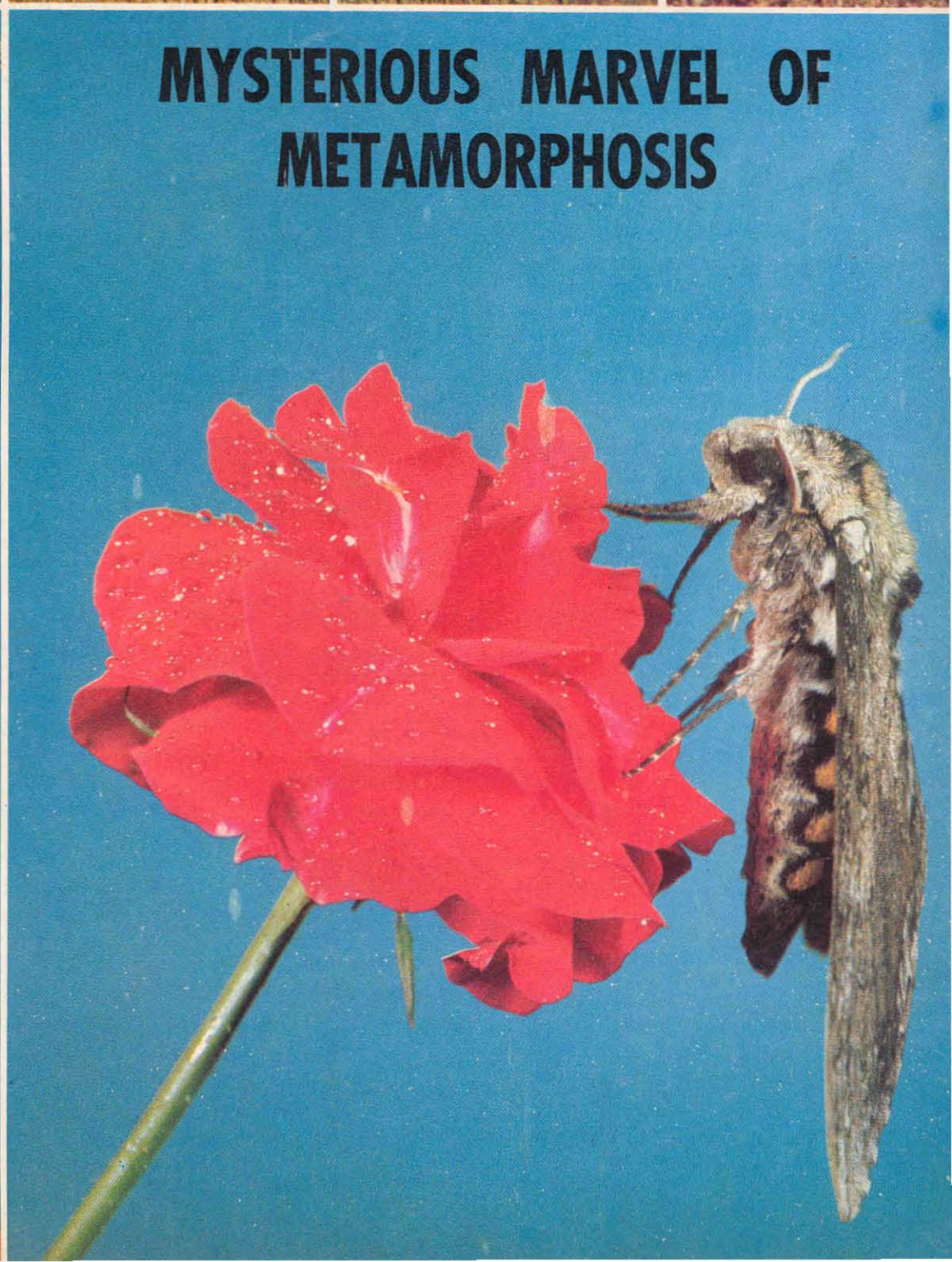
Other photos show moth cracking through pupal shell (above); newly emerged moth (below); emerged moth drying newly unfolded wings (right); fully formed Carolina Sphinx moth on flower (extreme right).

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MYSTERIOUS MARVEL OF METAMORPHOSIS



it evolved! Is this rational thinking?

Scientists refer to it as the "marvel of metamorphosis" and call it a "mystifying series of transformations." Nevertheless, some 87 percent of all insects continue to go through this remarkable metamorphosis.

To complicate matters, there are *two types* of metamorphosis in the insect world. One is *complete*, the other incomplete.

But why doesn't the moth, butterfly or other insect simply hatch from an egg — like a chicken? Why such a devious route through a larva and pupa stage — when the adult is acknowledged to be the *normal* form?

Evolutionists are hard-pressed to answer.

Trying to Answer

Here's one attempt.

"The... question, how did this process of transformation arise in the course of evolution? — *is difficult to answer.*

"The most likely *SUPPOSITION* is that there has been an independent evolution of the different 'stages' of insects... as soon as two partially independent sets of genes become separated in this way it is easy to see how the larva and the adult could proceed to evolve and change *INDEPENDENTLY* of one another.

"And when the larva and the adult come to live in different surroundings, and to feed on different foods, they will become more and more unlike one another — until a spectacular 'metamorphosis' is needed to convert the one into the other...

"*PERHAPS* the origin of the pupa is to be sought along the same lines, the *independent* evolution of an intermediate stage..." (*Life of Insects*, V. B. Wigglesworth, pages 95-97).

Can You Believe It?

We are asked to believe that possibly three widely different stages evolved *TOGETHER*. And that thousands of varieties of insects came up with the *SAME* plan — yet each doing it a *little differently!* All this without planning.

What folly!

How did genes become "separated"

— some controlling various parts of the larva, some the adult, some the *transformation* in the pupa?

What selective value would intermediate stages have? If this value was so great, why doesn't *ALL LIFE* go through such a metamorphosis?

What do you mean larva and adult come to live in *DIFFERENT* surroundings?

Generally, there is one food for a particular species of caterpillar. For example, a tomato hornworm larva will eat leaves of the tomato plant (and a few others).

But could it survive if the food supply gave out? Absolutely not. So if there wasn't enough food to eat, the larva *couldn't live* to turn into a moth. But if there were enough tomato plants around, why should the moth then turn to eat some *other* food?

And, if the food supply gave out between the larva and adult stage — how could the *ADULT MOTHS* survive? They couldn't — assuming, of course, that they ate the *same food* as the larva — which they *DON'T!*

Yet, somehow, the adult moth — though it doesn't eat any solid food — lays eggs on the food substance which the *larva stage* will *NEED* in order to survive.

Now, how did they figure that out?

How do they know on which tree, bush or weed to lay their eggs?

Also, many moths lay their eggs in a place that will give the larva *protection*. Yet, each species of moth does the job a little differently. How did different types of moth eggs arise? How did moths know *where* to lay eggs for greatest protection and food supply?

Of course, they — the moths — *DON'T KNOW*. But *GOD* knows. Because He created them and built the instinct *INTO* them.

Does Evolution Really Explain Anything?

In the Ambassador College Photographic Research Laboratory we have photographed various stages of moths and butterflies. We have obtained photographs of the complete metamorphosis marvel.

How anyone could think all

this evolved is simply *BEYOND* comprehension.

Too many people simply don't observe God's creation!

For example, as the larva prepares to enter the pupa stage, it first finds a convenient leaf, stem or whatever. Some species then proceed to spin a silk enclosure. They have glands that secrete a liquid which hardens into thread.

Here is a larva that possesses a chemical factory, has marvelous architectural abilities, and is a master builder.

The larva has never been taught this. He just does it! And of course this is only a *SMALL* part of the magnificent story.

A New Creature

In the pupa or chrysalis stage a complete transformation takes place. *NOTHING* remains unchanged. Slowly, bit by bit, a beautiful moth or butterfly appears. To recount all the marvels step by step would take an encyclopedia!

The process is very intriguing — and perfectly designed.

A moth larva eats only solid food for *tissue-building* proteins! But the adult moth — if it eats at all — takes in only nectar — rich in sugar and *energy-giving* properties.

Each has the food it needs.

The young larva is fitted for an entirely different mode of life than the adult. The larva feeds, grows, converts food into insect tissue. The adult *flies, pollinates, reproduces.*

Could any master designer have improved on this plan?

What would it take to turn a larva into a full adult moth?

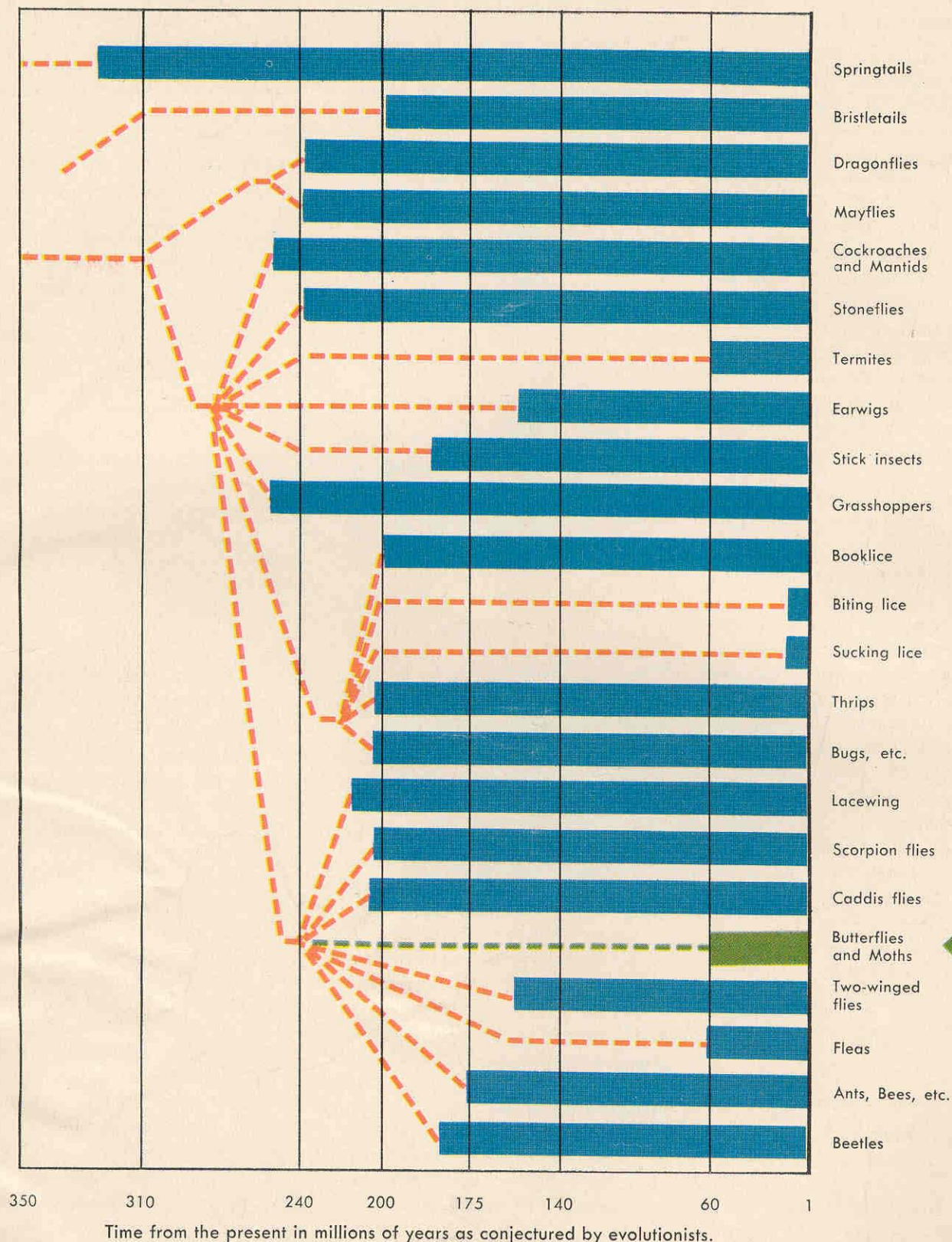
One well known entomologist gave this analogy. During the pupa stage the tissues of the *crawling* larva are torn down and rebuilt into organs for aerial life.

It's like tearing down an automobile. Then taking the automobile components and *reassembling* them *part by part* into a *PERFECT* flying jet.

And this is only a crude illustration since living things are far more complex.

Are we to believe all this accidentally

HOW EVOLUTIONISTS THINK INSECTS ARE RELATED



HYPOTHETICAL FAMILY TREE — Above is a typical attempt to show the family history of insects. Thick blue lines show supposed periods in geological time in which fossils for a particular order of insects have been found. For example, fossil cockroaches are found in so-called Permian strata — yet they look just like cock-

roaches found today! Broken orange lines show hypothetical origins and relationships of the orders. No fossils are found proving these relationships. They exist only in the minds of the entomologists who construct these nonexistent family histories. (The supposed history of moths and butterflies is shown in green.)

evolved? Pardon us if we chuckle for a moment!

How Did Moths Get Here?

It is important for PLAIN TRUTH readers to realize how most entomologists, biologists and others *reason* about the moth's supposed evolutionary history. The ideas presented are TYPICAL of the presumed evolutionary history of insects.

Here's one example:

"The most ancient fossil Lepidoptera [moths and butterflies] known are no older than early Tertiary and DIFFER LITTLE from modern types . . .

"Lepidoptera, then, are *probably descended* from aquatic ancestors, but their relationship to the primitive aquatics is NOT UNDERSTOOD.

"It is *interesting to speculate* on the functional significance of the scaly wings of the Lepidoptera. The *theory most often cited* is that the scales serve to strengthen the wings, which have comparatively few cross veins.

"THIS THEORY IS PROBABLY NOT CORRECT. There are some butterflies with naked wings, without any changes in venation to compensate for any weakness that might result.

"Another theory, which may be correct, is more involved, but is based on the IDEA that . . ." (*The Insects*, Url Lanham, page 215).

The author continues on page 265, 266 with the same thought:

"The *odd thing* about the evolutionary history of the insects is that they seem to be ESSENTIALLY THE SAME today [as in the supposedly earliest fossil insect records] in structure, diversity and abundance."

Did you notice the "speculations," "theories cited," "ideas," "odd things"? — proof evolutionists don't know!

Analyzing the Reasoning

Let's separate facts from fiction.

Fossils — supposedly 40 to 60 million years old — look just like moths today. The author says its odd?

But why?

Because he assumes they should have evolved over this period of time. But there's NO PROBLEM once you realize moths were *created*.

The fossil record plainly shows that moths, butterflies and other insects

came into being *SUDDENLY*. Then they remained unchanged.

Also, paleontologists admit insects and flowering plants seem to *SUDDENLY* appear *together* in the fossil record. Again, another proof of the *interdependency* of life and the Genesis account of creation.

But let's understand what evolutionists are doing.

They analyze the structure of moths, butterflies, caddis flies. This much is fact! But then they *compare* those structures and set up a HYPOTHETICAL FAMILY RELATIONSHIP. This is pure fancy! It is arguing by an analogy based on the theory of evolution.

Setting Up a Family Tree

Did you ever wonder how evolutionists "know" one form of life has evolved from another? Very simply. They set up "*hypothetical*" family trees and ancestors. The word itself should tell you how valid these "set-ups" are.

Here's how it's generally done.

"The HYPOTHETICAL ancestor of the insects would be a worm-like creature with its body made up of ring-like segments, each supported by a pair of appendages or limbs . . . the entire HYPOTHETICAL creature would resemble a primitive sort of centipede, probably not measuring more than a few millimetres in length."

After continuing his discussion of the insects, the author admits: "It is *generally accepted* that one form has evolved in course of time from another; but the mechanism by which evolution has been brought about is still a subject FOR CONTROVERSY. The *theory* that is best supported by evidence, and is in fact most widely accepted by biologists, is that of Charles Darwin: the theory of natural selection with the survival of the fittest.

"These notions are NOT 'PROVED' in the popular sense of our knowing as a fact that the changes during evolution did happen in that way. Like all scientific theories the 'theory of natural selection' is merely a *provisional* description of what WE BELIEVE has happened and is happening.

"There is at present no other theory which fits the facts so well; it will, therefore, BE ACCEPTED THROUGHOUT

THIS BOOK as the basis for thinking about the life of insects" (*The Life of Insects*, V.B. Wigglesworth, pages 1-3).

Here, again — notice words such as "hypothetical," "origin quite unknown," "generally accepted," "controversy," "theory," "not proved," "provisional," "we believe." Rather a *shaky foundation* to be accepted THROUGHOUT a book!

The quote should be self-explanatory.

It is first taken for granted that insects evolved. Therefore, bees, ants, beetles, fleas, two-winged flies, caddis flies, scorpions, lacewings supposedly evolved from the same ancestor as the MOTHS.

But fossil moths look like MOTHS! Fossil ants look like modern ANTS!

There are no intermediate half-moth, half-caddis-fly fossils.

Yet, IN SPITE OF THE FACTS, evolutionists claim they all evolved from a common ancestor.

Why do they say this?

The author already told us. Scientists, as a whole, take for granted that evolution is a fact.

Creation Is a Fact!

It should be quite obvious to anyone that evolution is a theory which explains NOTHING. Evolutionists cry that creation by God is too "simple" to accept. Supposedly, evolution *explains* how life came to be.

But we've shown article by article that evolution DOES NOT EXPLAIN how life came to be — and *admits* it doesn't know.

But God reveals in His Word, the Bible, that HE is Creator. God plainly tells us:

"But ask the BEASTS and they will teach you. The BIRDS of the air and they will tell you. Or the PLANTS of the earth and they will teach you. And the FISH of the sea will declare to you.

"Who among all these does not know that the HAND OF THE LORD has done this" (Job 12:7-9, *Revised Standard Version*).

Life around us *teaches us* that God is Creator. The evolutionists don't know it — but YOU can! If you're willing to humble yourself and acknowledge His authority.

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 WBNX — New York — 1380 kc., 9:15 a.m. Sun. (in Spanish).
 WWOL — Buffalo, N. Y. — 1120 kc., 10 a.m. Sun., 4 p.m. Sat.
 WHLD — Niagara Falls, N. Y. — 1270 kc., 6 a.m. Mon.-Fri.
 WWNH — Rochester, N. H. — 930 kc., 9:05 a.m. Sun., 7:05 p.m. Mon.-Sat.
 WDEV — Waterbury, Vt. — 550 kc., 8 p.m. Sun., 6:30 p.m. Mon.-Sat.
 WPOR — Portland, Me. — 1490 kc., 9 a.m. Sun.
 WCOU — Lewiston, Me. — 1240 kc., 9:30 p.m. Sun.
 *WRYT — Boston — 950 kc., 12 noon Sun., 6 a.m. Mon.-Fri., 12:30 p.m. Mon.-Sat.
 WBET — Brockton, Mass. — 1460 kc., 7:05 p.m. daily.
 WMAS — Springfield, Mass. — 1450 kc., 94.7 FM, 8:30 p.m. Sun.

WACE — Chicopee, Mass. — 730 kc., 12:30 p.m. Sun., 7 a.m. Mon.-Sat.
 WEIM — Fitchburg, Mass. — 1280 kc., 8:30 p.m. Sun.
 WHMP — Northampton, Mass. — 1400 kc., 8:30 p.m. Sun.
 WARE — Ware, Mass. — 1250 kc., 8:30 p.m. Sun.
 WJAR — Providence, R. I. — 920 kc., 6:30 p.m. Sat. & Sun., 8:30 p.m. Mon.-Fri.
 WNLC — New London, Conn. — 1510 kc., 8:30 p.m. Sun.

Central

WSPD — Toledo, Ohio — 1370 kc., 9 p.m. Sun., 9:05 p.m. Mon.-Sat.
 WSLR — Akron, Ohio — 1350 kc., 7 p.m. daily.
 WFMJ — Youngstown, Ohio — 1390 kc., 10:30 p.m. Sun., 7 p.m. Mon.-Fri., 7:05 p.m. Sat.
 WBNS — Columbus, Ohio — 1460 kc., 8:30 p.m. daily.
 WBRJ — Marietta, Ohio — 910 kc., 12:30 p.m. daily.
 WJBK — Detroit — 1500 kc., 5:30 a.m. Mon.-Sat.
 WBCK — Battle Creek, Mich. — 930 kc., 12:30 p.m. Sat., Sun., 7 p.m. Mon.-Fri.
 WIDG — St. Ignace, Mich. — 940 kc., 12:10 p.m. daily.
 *WJPD — Ishpeming, Mich. — 1240 kc., 6:30 p.m. daily.
 *KOWH — Omaha, Nebr. — 660 kc., 12 noon Sun., 6:15 a.m. Mon.-Sat.
 KRVN — Lexington, Nebr. — 1010 kc., 10:30 a.m. Sun., 3 p.m. Mon.-Sat.
 KMMJ — Grand Island, Nebr. — 750 kc., 4 p.m. daily.
 WNAX — Yankton, S. Dak. — 570 kc., 7:30 p.m. daily.
 KFGO — Fargo, N. Dak. — 790 kc., 7:05 p.m. daily.
 WEAU — Chicago — 1330 kc., 9:30 a.m. Sun., 8 a.m. Mon.-Fri., 7:30 a.m. Sat., 12 noon daily (105.1 FM, 8 p.m. Sun., 7 a.m. Mon.-Sat.).
 WJOL — Joliet, Ill. — 1340 kc., 9:30 p.m. daily.
 WITY — Danville, Ill. — 980 kc., 7 p.m. daily.
 WWCA — Gary, Ind. — 1270 kc., 4 p.m. Sun., 6:30 p.m. Mon.-Sat.
 WJOB — Hammond, Ind. — 1230 kc., 8 p.m. Sun., 9 p.m. Mon.-Sat.
 WXCL — Peoria — 1350 kc., 6:30 p.m. daily.
 WIBC — Indianapolis — 1070 kc., 10:30 p.m. Sun.
 KBHS — Hot Springs, Ark. — 590 kc., 12 noon daily.
 KFVS — Cape Girardeau, Mo. — 960 kc., 9:15 a.m. Sun., 7 a.m. Mon.-Sat.
 KWTO — Springfield, Mo. — 560 kc., 6:30 p.m. daily.
 KFEQ — St. Joseph, Mo. — 680 kc., 7 p.m. daily.
 KUDL — Kansas City, Mo. — 1380 kc., 12:30 p.m. Sun., 5:50 a.m. Mon.-Sat.
 KFSB — Joplin, Mo. — 1310 kc., 6:30 p.m. Sat. & Sun., 12:30 p.m. Mon.-Fri.
 WIBW — Topeka, Kans. — 580 kc., 9 a.m. Sun., 9:30 p.m. Mon.-Sat.
 KFDI — Wichita, Kans. — 1070 kc., 10 a.m. Sun., 10 p.m. Mon.-Sat.

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KFH—Wichita, Kans.—1330 kc., 100.3 FM, 9:30 a.m. Sun., 6:30 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 KBEA—Mission, Kans.—1480 kc., 7 p.m. daily.
 KGGF—Coffeyville, Kans.—690 kc., 6 p.m. daily.
 KUPK—Garden City, Kans.—1050 kc., 97.3 FM, 1 p.m. daily.
 KXXX—Colby, Kans.—790 kc., 11:30 a.m. Sun., 6 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 WMT—Cedar Rapids—600 kc., 11:30 a.m. Sun.
 KMA—Shenandoah, Ia.—960 kc., 8:30 p.m. daily.
 KGLO—Mason City, Ia.—1300 kc., 7:30 p.m. Sun., 6:30 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 KQRS—Minneapolis—1440 kc., 92.5 FM, 10 a.m. Sun., 6:30 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 WEBC—Duluth, Minn.—560 kc., 6:30 p.m. daily.
 WMIL—Milwaukee, Wis.—1290 kc., 4:30 p.m. Sun., 7 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 WNFL—Green Bay—1440 kc., 5 p.m. Sun., 6:30 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 WSAU—Wausau, Wis.—550 kc., 7 p.m. Sun., 7:05 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 WCOW—Sparta, Wis.—1290 kc., 10 a.m. Sun., 6:30 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 KFYR—Bismarck, N. Dak.—550 kc., 7 p.m. daily.

South

KCTA—Corpus Christi, Tex.—1030 kc., 2 p.m. Sun., 12:30 p.m. Mon-Fri., 4:30 p.m. Sat.
 KEES—Gladewater, Tex.—1430 kc., 12 noon daily.
 KTBB—Tyler, Tex.—600 kc., 12 noon daily.
 KMAC—San Antonio—630 kc., 9 a.m. Sun., 7:15 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 KTBC—Austin—590 kc., 9:30 a.m. Sun., 5:30 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 XEWG—El Paso—1240 kc., 9 a.m. Sun. (in Spanish).
 KTLU—Rusk, Tex.—1580 kc., 1 p.m. Sun.
 KGNC—Amarillo—710 kc., 9 p.m. daily.
 KWFT—Wichita Falls—620 kc., 4:30 p.m. Sun., 8:30 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 KFMJ—Tulsa—1050 kc., 12:30 p.m. daily.
 KOME—Tulsa—1300 kc., 12:30 p.m., 10 p.m. daily.
 KBYE—Oklahoma City—890 kc., 10:30 a.m. Sun., 12:30 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 KXLR—Little Rock—1150 kc., 12:30 p.m. daily.
 KWAM—Memphis—990 kc., 10 a.m. Sun., 11 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 WMQM—Memphis—1480 kc., 1 p.m. Sun., 6:25 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 WHBQ—Memphis—560 kc., 9 a.m. Sun.
 WSHO—New Orleans—800 kc., 12 noon Sun., 12:30 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 WDEF—Chattanooga—1370 kc., 92.3 FM, 7:30 p.m. daily.
 WBRC—Birmingham—960 kc., 106.9 FM, 6:30 p.m. daily.
 WAAX—Gadsden, Ala.—570 kc., 12 noon Sun., 12:30 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 WCOV—Montgomery—1170 kc., 6:30 p.m. daily.
 WMEN—Tallahassee—1330 kc., 10:30 a.m. Sun., 8 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 WFLA—Tampa—970 kc., 7:05 p.m. daily.

WINZ—Miami—940 kc., 9:30 p.m. daily.
 WGBS—Miami—710 kc., 9 a.m. Sun.
 WFAB—Miami—990 kc., 9 a.m. Sun. (in Spanish).
 *WFIV—Kissimmee, Fla.—1080 kc., 12:30 p.m. Sun., 7:30 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 WZOK—Jacksonville, Fla.—1320 kc., 12:30 & 11:30 p.m. daily.
 WEAS—Savannah, Ga.—900 kc., 12 noon daily.
 WKYX—Paducah, Ky.—570 kc., 93.3 FM, 12:30 p.m. daily.

Mountain States

KPHO—Phoenix—910 kc., 6:35 p.m. daily.
 KOY—Phoenix—550 kc., 7:30 p.m. Sun., 8 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 KCUB—Tucson—1290 kc., 9:30 a.m. Sun., 6 a.m. Mon-Fri., 7 a.m. Sat.
 KTUC—Tucson—1400 kc., 8 p.m. daily.
 *KYUM—Yuma, Ariz.—560 kc., 2 p.m. Sun., 6:30 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 KGGM—Albuquerque—610 kc., 6:30 p.m. daily.
 KLZ—Denver—560 kc., 106.7 FM, 7:30 p.m. daily.
 KMOR—Salt Lake City—1230 kc., 9 a.m. Sun., 6:30 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 *KPTL—Carson City—1300 kc., 2 p.m. Sun., 12:30 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 KBET—Reno—1340 kc., 7 p.m. Sun., 6:30 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 KIDO—Boise, Idaho—630 kc., 7:05 p.m. daily.
 KBOI—Boise—670 kc., 6:30 p.m. daily.
 KTFI—Twin Falls, Idaho—1270 kc., 7:05 p.m. daily.
 KSEI—Pocatello, Idaho—930 kc., 8 p.m. daily.
 KMON—Great Falls, Mont.—560 kc., 8 p.m. Sun., 6:30 p.m. Mon-Sat.

West Coast

KHQ—Spokane—590 kc., 8:05 p.m. daily.
 KVI—Seattle—570 kc., 8 a.m. Sun.
 KBLE—Seattle—1050 kc., 12 noon daily.
 KMO—Tacoma, Wash.—1360 kc., 8:30 p.m. daily.
 KARI—Bellingham—550 kc., 6:30 p.m. daily.
 KWJJ—Portland—1080 kc., 10 p.m. Sun., 9 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 KLIQ—Portland—1290 kc., 12 noon Sun., 7:30 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 KEX—Portland—1190 kc., 9 a.m. Sun.
 KGAY—Salem—1430 kc., 9 a.m. Sun., 6:30 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 KUGN—Eugene—590 kc., 7 p.m. daily.
 KUMA—Pendleton, Ore.—1290 kc., 6:30 p.m. daily.
 *KYJC—Medford, Ore.—1230 kc., 6:25 p.m. daily.
 KWIN—Ashland, Ore.—580 kc., 9 p.m. Sun., 7:30 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 KAGO—Klamath Falls, Ore.—1150 kc., 6:30 p.m. daily.
 KSAY—San Francisco—1010 kc., 8:30 a.m. Sun., 12:30 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 KFRC—San Francisco—610 kc., 106.1 FM, 7 a.m. Sun.
 KFAX—San Francisco—1100 kc., 10 a.m. Sun., 10:30 p.m. Sun-Fri., 4:15 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 *KFIV—Modesto—1360 kc., 9:30 a.m. Sun., 6 a.m. Mon-Sat.

KSBW—Salinas—1380 kc., 7 p.m. daily.
 KMAK—Fresno—1340 kc., 9 a.m. Sun., 6:05 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 KNKS—Hanford, Calif.—620 kc., 10 a.m. Sun., 6 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 KGEE—Bakersfield—1230 kc., 5 p.m. daily.
 KDB—Santa Barbara—1490 kc., 93.7 FM, 7 p.m. daily.
 KRKD—Los Angeles—1150 kc., 9:30 a.m., 6:30 p.m. Sun., 6:15 a.m., 7 p.m. Mon-Sat., 96.3 FM Sun. & p.m. times only.
 KTYM—Inglewood—1460 kc., 12 noon Mon-Fri.
 KFOX—Long Beach—1280 kc., 100.3 FM, 9:30 p.m. Sun., 9 p.m. Mon-Fri., 8:30 p.m. Sat.
 KBIG—Los Angeles—740 kc., 11:30 a.m. Sun.
 KACE—San Bernardino-Riverside—1570 kc., 9:30 a.m. Sun., 7:05 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 KCKC—San Bernardino—1350 kc., 9 p.m. daily.
 *KMEN—San Bernardino—1290 kc., 5:15 p.m. daily.
 KCHV—Palm Springs—970 kc., 5 p.m. Sun., 7:05 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 KOGO—San Diego—600 kc., 8:30 p.m. Sun.
 XEMO—Tijuana—860 kc., 6 p.m. daily.
 KALI—Los Angeles—1430 kc., 4:45 p.m. Sun. (in Spanish).

Alaska & Hawaii

KFQD—Anchorage, Alaska—750 kc., 7:30 p.m. daily.
 KNDI—Honolulu, Hawaii—1270 kc., 6 a.m., 6 p.m. daily.
 *KTRG—Honolulu, Hawaii—990 kc., 12 noon Sun., 5:30 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 KPOI—Honolulu, Hawaii—1380 kc., 5:30 a.m. Sun.

Television

KWHY—Los Angeles—Channel 22, 10 p.m. Mon., 6 p.m. Thurs.
 KNTV—San Jose, Calif.—Channel 11, 12 noon Sun.
 KLTU—Tyler, Texas—Channel 13, 5 p.m. Mon., 10:30 p.m. Thurs.
 ZFB—TV—Bermuda—Channel 8, 5:30 p.m. Sun.

CANADA

VOCM—St. John's Nfld.—590 kc., 6:30 p.m. Sun., 7 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 CJCH—Halifax, N. S.—920 kc., 10 p.m. Sun., 9:30 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 CFBC—St. John, N.B.—930 kc., 7 p.m. daily.
 CKCW—Moncton, N. B.—1220 kc., 6 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 CFMB—Montreal, Que.—1410 kc., 1:30 p.m. Sun., 6:30 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 CKOY—Ottawa, Ont.—1310 kc., 5:30 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 CJET—Smiths Falls, Ont.—630 kc., 10:30 a.m. Sun., 7:30 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 *CKFH—Toronto, Ont.—1430 kc., 10 a.m. Sun., 6 a.m. Mon-Sat.
 *CHIN—Toronto, Ont.—1540 kc., 12 noon Sun., 4:15 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 CKLB—Oshawa, Ont.—1350 kc., 10:30 p.m. Sun., 9:05 p.m. Mon-Sat.
 CHLO—St. Thomas, Ont.—680 kc., 2:30 p.m. Sun., 6 a.m. Mon-Sat.

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CHYR — Leamington, Ont. — 710 kc., 6:30 p.m. daily.

CKSO — Sudbury, Ont. — 790 kc., 5:30 p.m. Sun., 6 a.m. Mon.-Sat.

CKCY — Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. — 920 kc., 6:30 p.m. daily.

CJNR — Elliott Lake, Ont. — 730 kc., 6:30 p.m. daily.

CJNR — Blind River, Ont. — 730 kc., 6:30 p.m. daily.

CJLX — Fort William, Ont. — 800 kc., 7:30 p.m. daily.

CKY — Winnipeg, Man. — 580 kc., 7 a.m. Sun., 5:30 a.m. Mon.-Sat.

CKDM — Dauphin, Man. — 730 kc., 6:30 p.m. daily.

CKRM — Regina, Sask. — 980 kc., 8:30 p.m. daily.

CJGX — Yorkton, Sask. — 940 kc., 8:30 p.m. daily.

CJNB — North Battleford, Sask. — 1050 kc., 2:30 p.m. daily, 6:30 p.m. Sun., 7:30 p.m. Mon.-Sat.

CKBI — Prince Albert, Sask. — 900 kc., 2 p.m. Sun., 7:30 p.m. Mon.-Fri., 8 p.m. Sat.

CKSA — Lloydminster, Sask.-Alta. — 1080 kc., 7 p.m. daily.

CHED — Edmonton, Alta. — 6:30 kc., 9:30 a.m. Sun., 5:30 a.m. Mon.-Sat.

CFCW — Camrose, Alta. — 790 kc., 2:30 p.m. Sun., 8:30 p.m. Mon.-Sat.

CJDV — Drumheller, Alta. — 910 kc., 10:30 a.m. Sun., 6 a.m. Mon.-Sat.

CKYL — Peace River, Alta. — 610 kc., 5 p.m. Sun., 6 a.m. Mon.-Sat.

CJVI — Victoria, B. C. — 900 kc., 6 a.m. Mon.-Sat.

*CKLG — Vancouver, B. C. — 730 kc., 99.3 FM, 7:30 a.m. Sun., 6 a.m. Mon.-Sat. AM, 6:30 a.m. Mon.-Fri. FM.

In French —

CFMB — Montreal — 1410 kc., 5 p.m. Sat., Sun.

CKJL — St. Jerome, Que. — 900 kc., 10:30 a.m. Sun.

CKBL — Matane, Que. — 1250 kc., 10:45 a.m. Sat., Sun.

BERMUDA

ZBM 1 — Hamilton — 1235 kc., 8 p.m. Sun.

ZBM 2 — Hamilton — 1340 kc., 2:30 p.m. Mon.-Sat.

ZFB 1 — RADIO BERMUDA — 950 kc., 1:30 p.m. daily.

EUROPE

In English —

MANX RADIO — 188 m. (1594 kc.) medium wave, 2:45, 7:45 p.m. Sun., 10:30 a.m., 7:30 p.m. Mon.-Sat.; 89 mc. VHF 7:45 p.m. Sun., 7:30 p.m. Mon.-Sat.

In French —

RADIO LUXEMBOURG — 1293 m., 5:30 a.m. Mon., 5:15 a.m. Tues., Fri., 5:10 a.m. Thurs.

EUROPE No. ONE — Felsberg en Sarre, Germany — 182 kc. (1647 m.), 1 a.m., 6 a.m. Sun., 5:45 a.m. Wed., Sat.

† For complete Australian Radio Log, write to the Editor.

In German —

RADIO LUXEMBOURG — 49 m. (6090 kc.) shortwave, 208 m. (1439 kc.) medium wave, 6:05 a.m. Sun., 5:00 a.m. Mon., Tues., Fri.

MIDDLE EAST

In English —

HASHEMITE Broadcasting Service, Amman, Jordan — 42 m. (7160 kc.) shortwave, 2 p.m., 31.48 m. (9530 kc.), 351 m. (855 kc.) medium wave, 8 p.m. daily.

ASIA

Formosa

RADIO TAIWAN "The 3rd Network, B.C.C." —

BED23 Taichung 1380 kc.;

BED55 Taipei 960 kc.;

BED78 Tainan City 1540 kc.;

BED79 Kaohsiung 1220 kc.;

BED82 Chiayi 1460 kc.,

— 18:00 T.S.T. Wed., Fri.

Guam

RADIO GUAM — KUAM — 610 kc., 6 p.m. Sun.

Okinawa

RADIO OKINAWA — KSBK — 880 kc., 12:06 p.m. Sun.

Bangkok

HSAAA — Bangkok, Thailand — 600 kc., 9:30 a.m. Sun., 10:05 p.m. Mon.-Sat.

India and Ceylon

MALDIVES ISLANDS — 90 m. (3329 kc.), also 61 m. band. 10 p.m. Sun., 9:30 p.m. Mon.-Sat.

Philippine Islands

DZAQ — Manila — 620 kc., 8:30 p.m. daily.

DZAL — Legaspi City — 1230 kc., 8 p.m. daily.

DZGH — Sorsogon — 1480 kc., 8 p.m. daily.

DZWJ — Lucena City — 1170 kc., 12 noon Sun., 7 a.m. Mon.-Sat.

DZRB — Naga City — 750 kc., 9 p.m. Sun.

DZRI — Dagupan City — 1040 kc., 9 p.m. Sun.

DZYA — Angeles City — 1400 kc., 8:30 p.m. daily.

DZYB — Baguio City — 670 kc., 8:30 p.m. daily.

DYBC — Cebu City — 660 kc., 8:30 p.m. daily.

DYCB — Cebu City — 570 kc., 9:30 p.m. Fri.

DYHF — Iloilo City — 910 kc., 8:30 p.m. daily.

DYKR — Kalibo — 1480 kc., 8 p.m. daily except Tues. 7 p.m.

DXAW — Davao City — 640 kc., 9 p.m. Sun.

DXMB — Malaybalay — 610 kc., 7 p.m. daily.

AFRICA

RADIO LOURENCO MARQUES, MOZAMBIQUE — 3301 kc. (92 m.), 4925 kc. (60 m.), 10 p.m. Mon., Wed., Sat., 10:30 p.m. Tues., Thurs., Fri.

WNBS — Lagos — 602 kc., 8:30 p.m. daily.

WNBS — Ibadan — 656 kc., 3380 kc., 6185 kc., 9500 kc., 8:30 p.m. daily.

ENBC — Enugu, Nigeria — 620 kc., 5:30 p.m. daily.

AUSTRALIA †

2KY — Sydney, NSW — 1020 kc., 5 a.m. Sun.-Fri., 9:40 Sun., 10:15 Mon.,

8:30 Tues., 10:15 Wed., 8:15 Thurs., 10:45 Fri., all p.m. times.

2AY — Albury, NSW — 1490 kc., 5:30 a.m. & 9 p.m. Mon.-Sat.

2GN — Goulburn, NSW — 1380 kc., 8:30 p.m. Mon.-Sat.

2GZ — Orange, NSW — 990 kc., 8:45 p.m. Sun., 9:05 p.m. Mon.-Fri.

2HD — Newcastle, NSW — 1140 kc., 5 a.m. & 10:30 p.m. Sun., 5 a.m. & 9 p.m. Mon.-Fri.

2LM — Lismore, NSW — 900 kc., 8:30 p.m. Mon.-Sat.

3XY — Melbourne, Vic. — 1420 kc., 10:30 p.m. Sun., 10 p.m. Mon.-Fri.

3BA — Ballarat, Vic. — 1320 kc., 9:30 p.m. Sun.-Thurs., 4:30 p.m. Fri.

3MA — Mildura, Vic. — 1470 kc., 9 p.m. Mon.-Fri., 10 p.m. Sat.

4BK — Brisbane — 1300 kc., 9:30 p.m. Sun., 10:15 p.m. Mon.-Thurs., 10:30 p.m. Fri.

4CA — Cairns, Qld. — 1010 kc., 9:30 p.m. Sun.-Fri.

6KG — Kalgoorlie, WA — 980 kc., 10 p.m. Mon.-Sat.

6PM — Perth, WA — 1000 kc., 10 p.m. Sun., 10:15 p.m. Mon.-Fri.

7HT — Hobart, Tas. — 1080 kc., 7:30 p.m. Sun.-Fri.

7SD — Scottsdale, Tas. — 540 kc., 9:30 p.m. Sun., 9 p.m. Mon.-Fri.

LATIN AMERICA

In English —

RADIO ANTILLES — Montserrat, B. W. I. — 930 kc., 6:30 p.m. daily.

RADIO BARBADOS — Pine Hill, Barbados — 780 kc., 10:30 a.m. Sun., 9:30 a.m. Mon.-Fri., 11 a.m. Sat.

RADIO SURINAM — Paramaribo — 620 kc., Between 7 and 8:30 p.m. or Noon and 1:00 p.m. daily.

RADIO REDIFFUSION — Bridgetown, Barbados — 9:30 a.m. Sat. & Sun., 10:20 a.m. Mon.-Fri.

RADIO GUARDIAN, Trinidad — 6:15 p.m. Sun., 10 p.m. Mon.-Sat.

HOC21 — Panama City — 1115 kc.;

HP5A — Panama City — 1170 kc.;

HOK — Colon, Panama — 640 kc.;

HP5K — Colon, Panama — 6005 kc. — 7 p.m. Sun.

RADIO BELIZE (British Honduras) — 834 kc., 3:30 p.m. Mon.-Fri.

In French —

4VBM — Port au Prince, Haiti — 1430 kc., 7:45 p.m. Wed.

4VGM — Port au Prince, Haiti — 6165 kc., 7:45 p.m. Wed.

RADIO CARAIBES — St. Lucia, W. I. — 840 kc., 6:30 a.m. Mon.-Fri.

In Spanish —

XESM — México 12, D.F. — 1470 kc., 9 a.m. Sun.

WIAC — San Juan, Puerto Rico — 740 kc., 102.5 FM, 10 a.m. Sun.

RADIO ANTILLES — Montserrat, B. W. I. — 930 kc., 9 p.m. Wed.

RADIO LA CRONICA — Lima, Peru — 1320 kc., 7 p.m. Sun.

RADIO COMUNEROS — Asuncion, Paraguay — 970 kc., 8:30 p.m. Thurs.

RADIO SPORT — CXA19 — Montevideo, Uruguay — 11835 kc., 2 p.m. Wed.

RADIO CARVE — CX16, 850 kc., CXA13, 6156 kc. — Montevideo, Uruguay — 3:30 p.m. Sat.

What our READERS SAY

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their shoulders, beards that are repulsive and overalls cut to knee length, one wonders what is ahead for these people who are supposed to be educated and not from skid-row."

Albert H. B.,

West Somerville, Massachusetts

• *A shave and a bath, we hope.*

American Accent!

"I hope you won't take the next bit the wrong way, as I am sure now we are not perfect Christians, but for months and months no sooner would I hear the voice of your programme, I or my brother would switch the station off. We could not possibly stand the American accent — note, the accent,

not its messages. But such truth and realistic points and views you have brought out through the broadcast that I began to put up with your voice and now thoroughly enjoy the programme."

Betty E.,

Lilydale, Tasmania

Happy Marriage

"When I read the article 'How to Solve Family Arguments' by Garner Ted Armstrong in the last issue of *Die REINE WAHRHEIT* [German edition of *The PLAIN TRUTH*], the thoughts of the former miseries of my marriage came to mind. Exactly in the same way written there, we have banned the germ of domestic strife out of our marriage, and have found our way back with God's help to the natural beauties and joys of life. We've now become happy people."

Juan W. S.,

Canary Islands, Spain

RIOTS ROCK TOKYO

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them and their objective. There wasn't one chance in a million they could succeed in reaching the airport. It was as if a *kamikaze* spirit pervaded the students' ranks. It was do or die trying!

Just as the students began their final surge toward the police, the police opened fire with tear gas. The blinding cloud forced the students back. Others leaped from the bridge into the river below to escape the burning fumes. Quickly, the baton-wielding police surged forward and rushed into the student ranks, showing no mercy.

As I watched the tear gas cans exploding around the students' feet, I failed to notice that I happened to be standing downwind. The cloud of tear gas began to move quickly toward me. I began a hasty departure, but unfortunately, it moved faster than I did. A few seconds later, I was engulfed in the noxious fumes. A hot, burning sensation hit my eyes and face. Almost blinded from the tears which were gushing from my eyes, I painfully made my way back to the car.

The mopping-up operations took another hour or so. And when all the

grisly facts were in, one student had been killed. Over 700 had been injured — most of them policemen.

Opposed To the Vietnam War

What were the reasons which caused these frenzied rioters to attempt to prevent Prime Minister Sato from leaving on what was intended to be a *goodwill* tour?

Were they opposed to Japan's seeking to play a more responsible part in the affairs of Southeast Asia? Were they against solidifying Japan's economic interests in these nations?

No — not at all. Their rabid opposition lay in Prime Minister Sato's final stop on this tour — Saigon, South Vietnam. They didn't want him to go to Vietnam.

Just over two decades ago, Japan suffered the most devastating one-two punch in all the history of war. The awesome destructive power of the atomic bomb was unleashed for the first — and at least up until the present, the only — time against human beings. With stunning suddenness, the cities of

Hiroshima and Nagasaki were virtually wiped off the map.

No nation can experience such a crushing defeat and not be deeply affected by it. It produced a type of anti-war *psychosis*. After World War II, Japan drew up a constitution which declares that it is unconstitutional — illegal — for Japan to wage war. Japan remained in a shell of diplomatic isolation and insisted on maintaining strict neutrality regarding other nations' wars.

When Sato included a brief stop in South Vietnam on his goodwill tour, many Japanese — including the militant Zengakuren student association — accused him of making Japan "an accomplice in the war of aggression." The head of the leading opposition party — the Socialists — was quick to point out that no prime minister of a country not participating in the Vietnam war had ever visited South Vietnam.

They interpreted Sato's visit to Saigon as an act of support of the United States' position in the war — thus shattering Japan's image of strict neutrality. This made some mad — fighting mad.

What many people do not realize is that Japan has quite a sizable stake in the Vietnam war — an economic stake. The war is responsible for putting \$200 million a year into the Japanese economy. Markets opened to Japan by American industry's diversion to war production account for an additional estimated \$750 million advantage in Japan's balance of payments with other nations.

Some Japanese economists feel that an end to the Vietnam war would severely jolt the Japanese economy. When the rumor of a Vietnam peace proposal flashed through Tokyo earlier this year, stock prices tumbled 15-20 points in one day.

The Japanese are most happy to take in the profits from the war, but they are unwilling to make any open commitment.

Rising Spirit of Nationalism

Japan is no longer satisfied with the role she has been forced to play since 1945. The weak, helpless, crushed nation — the vassal of her conqueror,

December, 1967

the United States — has undergone an absolutely fantastic change. Japan has finally emerged from her diplomatic cocoon of isolationism and is once again one of the world's truly great nations. She is beginning to flex her new-found economic and political muscles.

The shame and guilt of war are gone. A new national confidence and sense of *destiny* have begun to emerge. The time has just about arrived when the new generation will insist Japan can no longer jump to the political tune played in Washington.

This increasing spirit of independence came to light in a high-level unofficial conference involving about 70 Japanese and American professors, politicians, and industrialists. The conference was held in September in Shimoda, Japan. The Japanese delegates told the American participants that Japan would become increasingly *independent* in foreign affairs over the next few years. One Japanese spokesman said that citizens of the NEW JAPAN would increasingly make their own decisions without reference to the United States or any other country.

Sato Courts U. S. Favor

Since that time has not quite arrived — and Japan still *needs* America's military protection — Prime Minister Sato is willing to "play politics" in order to get what he wants.

Many political observers see Sato's visit to South Vietnam as an obvious attempt to gain President Johnson's favor. His visit was a subtle way of throwing his support to the United States war effort. He also spoke out against any cessation of the bombing of North Vietnam unless the Communists are willing to negotiate a peaceful settlement of the war. And all this came at a very crucial time — when President Johnson's stock has hit its



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Above, Prime Minister and Mrs. Sato wave farewell to crowd at Tokyo Airport. Right, Prime Minister Sato and assembled Japanese Government officials at airport.

lowest ebb and opposition to the United States' presence in South Vietnam continues to mount.

A Return Favor

What does Sato hope to accomplish by this? What does he hope to *gain* by this political maneuvering? Surely Mr. Sato wasn't willing to pay the price of strong opposition and violent rioting at home unless he felt he had more to *gain* than lose. Exactly what does he *want* from President Johnson?

Japan wants Okinawa and the Ogasawara Islands! And the Okinawans want to be returned to Japan!

Just before Prime Minister Sato left for the United States, he met with the chairman and two other representatives of the Okinawa's Return to Japan conference at his official residence. Outside sat a group engaged in a *hunger strike* while other demonstrators were loudly shouting, "Return Okinawa to Japan!"

Mr. Sato was presented with the signatures of 200,000 Okinawans in a petition requesting the return of Okinawa to Japan. The chairman concluded his appeal with the statement: "At the risk of your political life, and at the

cost of the State of Japan, please realize the return of Okinawa to Japan!"

Mr. Sato listened carefully, and said, "I'll do my best on this." This promise was made with tears in his eyes.

He didn't succeed. But as a result of his latest talks with President Johnson, he obtained the promise of the return of the Bonin Isles to the NEW JAPAN.

But one thing is sure. Sooner or later — the flag of the rising sun will once again fly over Okinawa. And the soil on which the blood of so many

Americans was spilled will eventually be returned to the Japanese.

Yet there is far more to this story that needs to be told. What role is Japan destined to play in world affairs during the next five to ten years? Is Japan really a friend of the West? Will history repeat itself? What does Bible prophecy have to say about Japan's future?

Read the fantastic story of Japan's rebirth and the hitherto hidden identity of Japan in Bible prophecy in next month's issue.

THE BIBLE ANSWERS

Short Questions

FROM OUR READERS

HERE are the *Bible* answers to questions which can be answered briefly in a short space. *Send in your questions.* While we cannot promise that all questions will find space for answer in this department, we shall try to answer all that are vital and in the general interest of our readers.

HOW YOUR PLAIN TRUTH SUBSCRIPTION HAS BEEN PAID

So many ask: "HOW does it happen that I find my subscription price for *The PLAIN TRUTH* has already been paid? How can you publish such a high-class magazine without advertising revenue?"

The answer is as simple as it is astonishing! It is a paradox. Christ's Gospel cannot be sold like merchandise. You cannot buy salvation. Yet it does cost money to publish Christ's TRUTH and mail it to all continents on earth. It does have to be *paid for*! This is Christ's work. We solve this problem Christ's WAY!

Jesus said, "This Gospel of the Kingdom shall be preached (and published — Mark 13:10) in all the world for a witness unto all nations" (Mat. 24:14) *at this time*, just before the end of this age. A PRICE *must be paid* for the magazine, the broadcast, the Correspondence Course, or other literature. But HOW? Christ forbids us to *sell* it to those who receive it: "Freely ye have received," said Jesus to His disciples whom He was sending to proclaim His Gospel, "freely GIVE!" "It is more blessed," He said, "to GIVE than to receive."

God's WAY is the way of LOVE — and that is the way of *giving*. God expects every child of His to *give free-will* offerings and to *tithe*, as His means of paying the costs of carrying His Gospel to *others*. We, therefore, simply trust our Lord Jesus Christ to lay it on the minds and hearts of His followers to give generously, thus paying the cost of putting the precious Gospel TRUTH in the hands of *others*. Yet it must go *only* to those who themselves wish to receive it. Each must, for himself, *subscribe* — and his subscription has thus already been paid.

Thus the living, dynamic Christ Himself enables us to broadcast, worldwide, without ever asking for contributions over the air: to enroll many thousands in the Ambassador College Bible Correspondence Course with full tuition cost *already paid*; to send your PLAIN TRUTH on an *already paid* basis. God's way is GOOD!

"I am from one of the oldest English seaports, and I am well aware of the significance of sea power. I would like to understand the importance for today of the 'ships of Tarshish' mentioned so often in Bible prophecies."

J. H., Bristol, England

Today the world's biggest ship-building nation — and the nation that builds the world's biggest ships — is Japan. A generation ago Britain had that distinction.

Great Britain became the world's dominant power when she took command of the seas away from the Spanish fleets in the sixteenth century. Britain has lost that preeminent position — she has ceased being a great sea power.

These three peoples — the Japanese, Spanish and English — significantly, play an important role in Bible history and in Bible prophecies about Tarshish and the "ships of Tarshish."

Tarshish, son of Javan (Gen. 10:4),

was the ancestor of two major peoples intensely interested in sea trade. Tarshish (it's also spelled "Tharshish") was of mixed Oriental and White ancestry.

Japheth, the father of Javan, and grandfather of Tarshish, had an Oriental wife. Remember, the three primary races in the pre-Flood world passed through the Flood as a result of Japheth's and Ham's intermarriages. Japheth and Ham were white, but their wives were not. Japheth was the patriarchal ancestor of all Orientals and of many East and South European Whites.

The children of Tarshish — like other sons and grandsons of Japheth — divided. That branch of the family inheriting Oriental traits migrated into East Asia. The other branch of his family, intermarrying with some of the children of Shem, settled first in Asia Minor near the city of Tarsus (where, centuries later, Paul was born). From Tarsus this branch of the family mi-

grated through the Mediterranean into Spain and founded the great Spanish emporium of Tartessus. When Jonah fled from the Lord, he left for Tarshish on a ship out of Joppa, Israel's port on the Mediterranean (Jonah 1:3).

Ships making the distant runs to the lands of Tarshish came to be known in history as the "ships of Tarshish." The vessels that king Jehoshaphat built were called "ships of Tharshish" (I Kings 22:48). Solomon's navy was known as the "navy of Tharshish" (I Kings 10:22). Israel's naval power in Solomon's day was one of the prime reasons for her national greatness. Centuries later the English-speaking nations — the modern-day descendants of the ancient so-called Lost Ten Tribes of the House of Israel — re-acquired national greatness through sea power.

Though the United States is still a great military sea power — Britain has already lost her sea power and national greatness — a new nation in the Orient is rising to greatness through commercial sea power. That nation is Japan.

Now look at Bible history once again. Israel anciently had another seaport, Ezion-gaber, on the Red Sea. This port served shipping headed for the eastern or Oriental branch of the family of Tarshish, not the Western or Spanish branch of the family. Solomon's eastern fleet "went to Tarshish" (II Chronicles 9:21) "every three years" to bring back "gold and silver" and other commodities. Jehoshaphat's fleet at Ezion-gaber was built "to go to Tarshish" (II Chr. 20:36).

Where is *this* gold- and silver-producing eastern Tarshish?

When the Spaniards — the western or white branch of the family of Tarshish — first encountered the Japanese, they referred to them as "the Spaniards of Asia" — by which they meant the Tarshish of Asia! (San Agustin's Letter on the Filipinos, § 5, quoted in *The Philippine Islands 1493-1898*, vol. XL, p. 192.) The Spanish writer Colin, in his *Native Races and their Customs*, lists Tarshish among the ancestors of the South and East Asians: "... the principal settler of these archipelagoes was Tharsis, son of Javan, together with his brothers, as were Ophir and Hevilath of

India" (*The Philippine Islands*, vol. XL, p. 38). The name Javan is still preserved by the Javanese of Indonesia.

Japan was known in the Middle Ages as fabulous Cipango, a land of gold and silver and precious stones. It was anciently called Chryse — the land of gold. See the map in the *Theatrum Orbis Terrarum* of Abraham Ortelius, 1570. As recently as two hundred years ago English historians described Japan thus: "But the greatest riches of this empire, and in which it exceeds most others in the east, consist in the great quantity, variety, and fineness, of their metals and minerals. . . . The mines of gold, as well as golden sand, are to be found in many of their provinces.

"Silver mines are not in such great number; but some of them . . . are very rich." (*The Modern Part of an Universal History*, 1759, Vol. IX, pp. 7-9.)

The Japanese have discreetly kept silent about their immense wealth in minerals and precious metal. But Solomon knew of the wealth of Tarshish!

Today Japan is again one of the great

world powers. More goods in world trade are carried today in Japanese-built ships than in any other. The largest commercial ships afloat are Japanese-built. Is it any wonder that Bible prophecy takes note of the leading position of Japanese traders today? In speaking of trade with modern twentieth-century Europe, of which the ancient city of Tyre was a prophetic type, Ezekiel wrote: "Tarshish was thy merchant by reason of the multitude of all kind of riches; with silver, iron, tin, and lead, they traded in thy fairs" (Ezek. 27:12). The merchants of Tarshish are also mentioned in Ezekiel 38:13 in connection with a final alliance of Asian nations that will come against Palestine shortly after the return of Jesus Christ. God knew long ago the part which the children of Tarshish would play in world affairs. That is why He will have to break the "ships of Tarshish with an east wind" (Psalm 48:7) in order to bring the Japanese to their knees *and to repentance*.

THE UNFINISHED REVOLUTION

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that physical things were the source of happiness. They had been schooled in the rationalistic institutions of Germany. They accepted, without question, the tenets of German rationalism. They were atheists because their teachers were. Since they knew no God as the source of happiness, the only source they could turn to for happiness was the material world around them. Hence developed the economic philosophy of Communism — the devil's economic, social and political counterfeit of the Kingdom of God. To continue with A. Spirkin's "Introduction":

"But the real road to genuine democracy was discovered and put on a scientific basis by Karl Marx and Friedrich Engels, the founders of scientific communism. Their teaching was subsequently creatively developed by Vladimir Lenin, founder of the world's first socialist state, a state of a new type.

"In his works Lenin gave a profound and solid foundation for and a thorough analysis of the development of the socialist state and democracy and showed their

radical difference from the bourgeois state and bourgeois democracy."

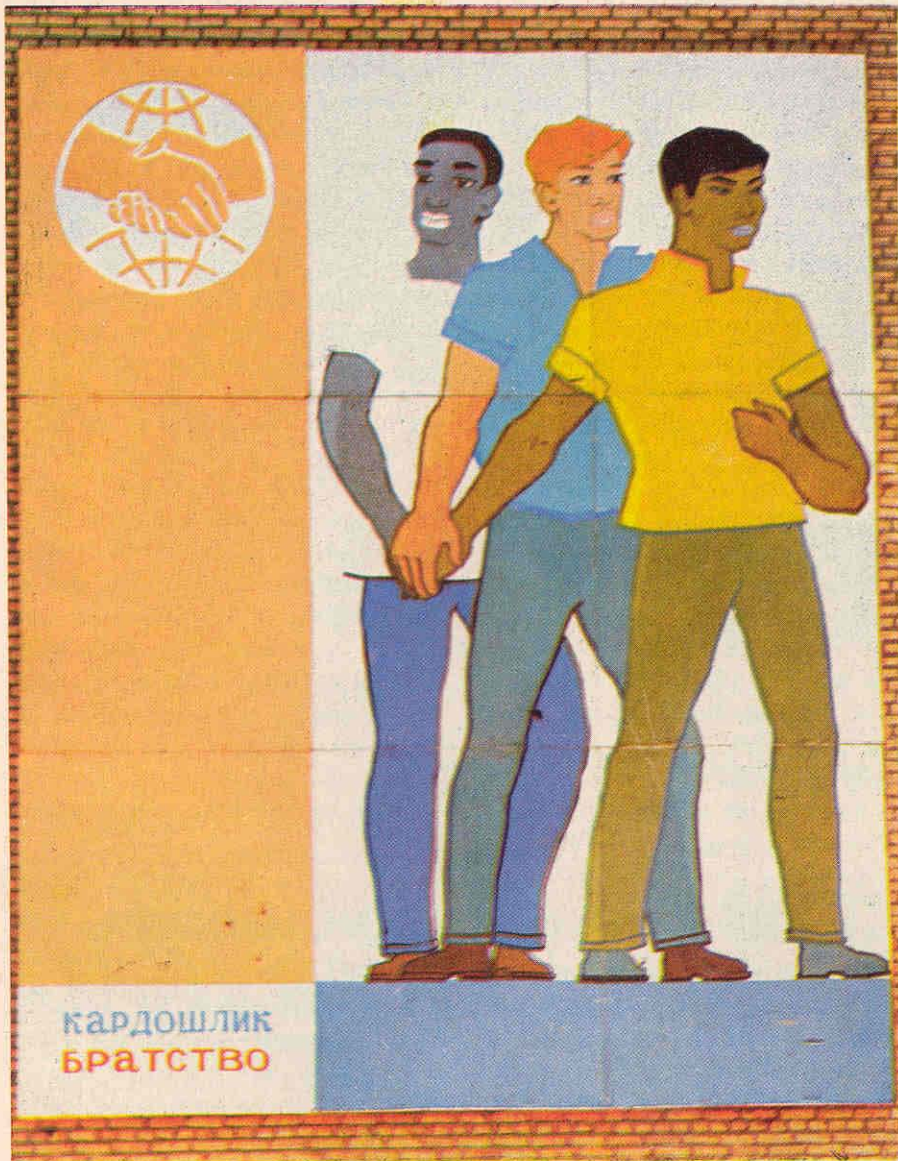
Communists use the word "bourgeois" — it's an old French word meaning a freedman of a medieval town, or a shopkeeper — to mean the capitalist West. And when Communists speak of democracy, they mean something altogether different from the Western idea of democracy or freedom of choice. As one historian told us privately at Volgograd, "Our definitions are different. We don't mean the same things you do when we use the same words!"

Indeed they don't!

Communist Double Talk

Our Communist hosts may have been sincere. But they did think Soviet definitions of democracy, of freedom, of revolution and liberation, and of the State were at least clever — worth a smile. Listen to Lenin's definition of the State: "The State is a machine for the oppression of one class by another." (Lenin, *Selected Works*, vol. 3, p. 286.)

Indeed in the Soviet Union it is —



and Soviet citizens know it — and admit it! I asked one Communist Party member in the Turkmen SSR about the old idea that the State will gradually wither away as people become better and better. "The State will never wither away," he responded. "There will always be problems that need to be solved." Solved Lenin's way — by suppression.

"The State," continued Lenin in *Collected Works*, vol. 24, p. 85, "in the proper sense of the term is domination over the people by contingents of armed men divorced from people."

Most Westerners have never been told these shocking definitions of Lenin. Western educators have too long hidden their heads in the sands of intellectual nonsense, hoping that Communism would somehow vanish.

It is time you opened your ears to what Communism has planned for you. *They* are not hiding their ideas. They discussed them openly with us. We bought their books — or were given them — from which I have taken these quotes.

Now listen to Lenin's definition of Democracy:

"Democracy is a state which recognizes the subordination of the minority to the majority, i.e. an organization for the systematic use of violence by one class against the other, by one section of the population against another." (Lenin, *Selected Works*, vol. 2, p. 87.)

You don't think the Soviet Union is a Democracy? It is — Soviet style. You don't think the USSR believes Democ-





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Young Pioneers relax after standing at attention while greeting Americans touring their camp. These children of factory workers from Volgograd receive paramilitary training at summer camp as part of their total education program. The youngsters sang, danced, played games with the tourists, diverting the visitors' attention from important aspects of summer training.



Left, above, propaganda sign, attached to an apartment building in Samarkand, proclaims Brotherhood in Uzbek and Russian. Brotherhood signs were most common in Soviet Central Asia where racial tensions are noticeable. Samarkand, like every major city in Central Asia, is multiracial. Czars first settled Russians among Asians to gain control of this vast area. Communists have continued the policy.

In Bukhara, left, red sign (center, on wall) urges Uzbeks and Russians to commemorate the fiftieth anniversary of the Great October Revolution by hard-won accomplishments.

LIFE ON A COLLECTIVE FARM



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LIFE ON A SOVIET COLLECTIVE FARM — Unlike workers on a state farm, Soviet peasants on collectives own their homes — illustrated above. Around each house is a small private plot on which a peasant family may keep a cow, a limited number of chickens, or perhaps raise vegetables and fruits. Horse-drawn wagons still provide major share of transportation even on prosperous collectives.

Poster, right, keeps peasants on the rich farmlands of this Ukrainian collective aware year around of their production goals. Figures are based on centners per hectare (1 centner=220.46 lbs.; 1 hectare=2.471 acres). Winter wheat goal for this farm is far above Soviet average. Its 40 bushels to the acre equals U. S. production on best farms. Barley goals are same. Shelled corn (maize) equals average U. S. production. Second column of poster reveals major weakness of Soviet agriculture. Goal in milk production per cow is only 5952 lbs. annually; egg production goal is 180 eggs per hen. After 50 years of Communism, the Soviet regime has abandoned its attempts to overtake U. S. milk, egg and meat production. Soviet Union simply lacks the Birthright blessings inherited by English-speaking world from their ancestor the patriarch Joseph.



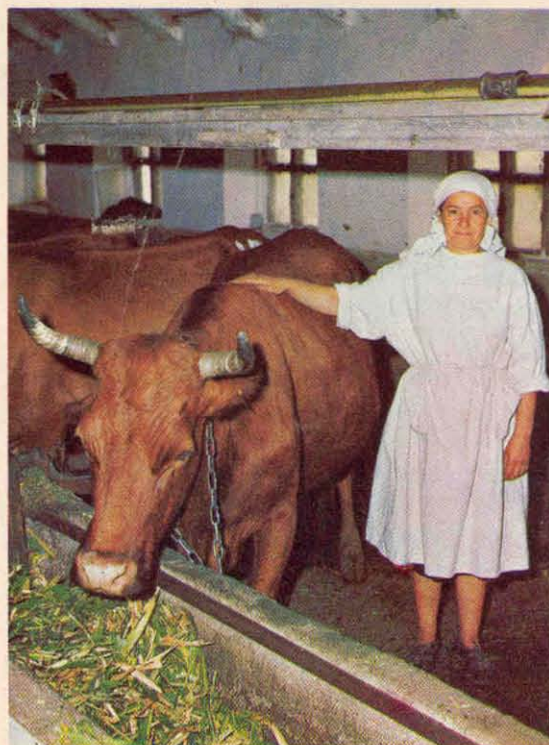


racy? It does — Soviet style. By definition, their Democracy is a State or organization for the systematic use of violence by one class against another, by one section of the population against another."

And they believe in it! — at least that section that calls itself the majority!

The leaders of the USSR believe so thoroughly in Lenin's kind of Democracy that they opened their doors to thousands of tourists this year — the fiftieth anniversary of the Unfinished Revolution. They believe their form of government is the only way to economic prosperity, peace and happiness. They believe so much in it — or are deceived so much by it — that they wanted visitors to see their efforts with their own eyes.

What we saw and heard we are reporting to you in the pages of *The PLAIN TRUTH* — and will continue to report in coming issues.



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One of 150 Red Steppe cows in milk barn on the Djerzhinsky Collective Farm outside Odessa, the Ukrainian SSR. Women milk by machine three times daily in hopes of stimulating higher production. This farm's goal for 1967 calls for each cow to produce 5940 lbs. of milk — well below the production rate for the U. S.

What's Keeping YOU from Real SUCCESS?

There are definite "keys" that can make your business — your family — your LIFE — more successful. Few know what they are!

by Roderick C. Meredith

WHY do many ASSUME that life should be drab, mediocre, uneventful?

Why, especially, do so many religious people *assume* God designed it to be that way?

It's time *you* ask yourself these questions — and *answer* them!

Did you know an *abundant, successful* life is the very thing God's WAY is intended to produce?

Let's UNDERSTAND how!

You SHOULD Be Successful

Surprising to many, the Bible directly encourages those who read it — and *believe it* — to live successful and PROSPEROUS lives.

Jesus Christ Himself said: "*I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more ABUNDANTLY*" (John 10:10). The Greek term for "abundant" means *just that* — a full, happy, prosperous and interesting life.

The apostle John was inspired by God to write a fellow Christian: "Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth" (III John 2).

Those two qualities — *health* and *prosperity* — certainly play an important role in making our physical lives *happy* and *successful*.

These New Testament scriptures clearly indicate that God *wants* us to be SUCCESSFUL and happy. However, you need to learn the WAY to success.

The Ambassador Colleges teach the principles of success to students through many classes, forums, assemblies and special activities. Through

this article, you can share some of the insights we have gained toward truly SUCCESSFUL living.

What IS Success?

Roughly speaking, there are three broad *areas* of success for the average individual.

First would be the satisfaction that comes from the continued mutual sharing of love, affection and fellowship with family and friends. Certainly this is an *extremely important* area of life — and one that will make anyone's life more complete if handled properly.

A *second* major area for success in life — and one that is often put *first* — is the area of business, career and financial success. This, of course, involves much more than making money. For the intelligent person, his interest *in* and satisfaction *from* the building of a successful career or business is one of the high points of life.

In this area of life, everyone will certainly acknowledge that there are definite "keys" which can aid one greatly toward progress and ultimate success.

The *third* area of life in which success should be achieved is the *personal* and *spiritual sphere*. This, of course, may have different meanings to different people.

However, there is no question but that the ability to find out *why* you are here, *where* you are going — whether to "excel" or not and *in what direction* — these understandings are *basic ingredients* for TRUE SUCCESS in the personal and spiritual aspects of everyone's life.

Define Your GOALS and Plan To SUCCEED

Having briefly discussed three broad *areas* in which you should work toward success, it now becomes imperative that — within these areas and perhaps others of your own choosing — you define your *specific* GOALS.

For instance, in the "family, friends and social" area you may have definite feelings about the type of family and social life which will fit your background, personality and ability and give you a deep sense of personal *satisfaction* and *fulfillment*. If you are a bachelor, you may have in mind a certain type of girl — though not too specifically, we hope — who will best complement you and *happily share with you* your overall "family-friends" goal.

If you already have a family, perhaps you may realize the need to write for our *free* booklet on *The Plain Truth About Child Rearing* so that you may become a more effective parent and have the *loving, obedient* and *disciplined* children which you realize will make *your* life, *their* lives and the lives of others more happy.

In the "business and financial" area, you may genuinely wish to remain in the field in which you find yourself but simply become more *effective* and more *successful* in this field through developing better attitudes and more successful working methods.

Or, if you are young or just starting out, you may wish to *change* the field of endeavor in which you are now beginning. This, of course, is not a thing to do lightly and should only be

done after much thought, wise counsel and advice.

In all these areas of life, however, one thing is certain—you must find out your own basic tendencies, strengths, talents, abilities as well as weaknesses and dislikes, and *choose* and *CHART* your own course toward success! Otherwise, you will simply lose by default and be buffeted about by circumstances and the winds of chance to a final destination of mediocrity or abject failure.

So in each of the above *areas* of success, *define your own personal and practical GOALS*.

Do be practical and reasonable and take your own talents, tendencies and weaknesses into account. But on the other hand, insist that your goal be high enough to give you something to "reach for" and to satisfy your own deep-down realization of what "success" *for you* should be in each particular area.

Area by area, *write these goals down!*

Have a *purpose*—*PLAN* for the future! Kindle within yourself a sense of enthusiasm, *drive* and anticipation of achieving your worthwhile goals.

Then begin to *work* toward these goals *systematically* and *continually*. *Think, read and educate yourself* toward achieving each of these goals. Don't go overboard or get unbalanced or silly. Use wisdom and common sense. Get the *advice* and *counsel* of others whom you respect on how best to achieve the goals you have in mind.

Remember that unless you want events and blind chance to control you, you will have to *set your sights* and *MASTER* yourself and your environment. You will have to define your *goals*—absolutely determine to *succeed*—and *DRIVE* toward achieving your goals with relentless zeal and enthusiasm!

Develop Successful Working Methods

Whether in planning activities in your work or business or in considering the need to spend time in family fun and fellowship or in child rearing, you need to learn to *schedule* and *organize* your time.

Nearly every successful person knows this. Very often this is one of the out-

standing *KEYS* to their success!

Taking into account your individual *goals* in the three areas of success we have described, learn to plan or write out an overall schedule for each day, week and month.

Allow yourself *enough* time in the area of business and career success including extra reading and self-education assignments. Allow plenty of time for family, friends and fun—especially to really *build* the right relationship between you and your mate, and with your children as well. Then be sure to plan and *schedule* enough time for development of personal and spiritual interests.

Many of you will find it extremely profitable to buy a book on the proper use of time in scheduling. There are several such books available which are worthwhile. One of these I personally recommend is, *How to Gain an Extra Hour Every Day*, by Ray Josephs, published by E. P. Dutton Company, Inc.

In *scheduling* your day, you should certainly allot definite periods of time for *study* and *prayer* on the *BIG* questions of life—*why* are we, *what* are we, *where* are we going and *how* are we progressing toward the real *PURPOSE* of human existence.

In your personal work day, learn to *write down* the things you want to do. This in itself saves much time and effort later on. Many people call these little slips or cards "to do" lists.

Put First Things FIRST

William I. Nichols, Editor of *This Week* magazine, says that learning to *write it down* was the equivalent of his Harvard education!

Learn to put first things *first*. Don't neglect minor issues, but *get at the big jobs* early in your working day and allow *plenty of time* for their accomplishment.

Concentrate on *one thing at a time!* As you begin on one project, learn to *discipline yourself* so that other jobs, interruptions and mind-wanderings do NOT intrude. If at all practical, stick with this one job until you finish it. Put all your *energy* and *mind-power* into this one thing and complete it with zest!

Former President Eisenhower is a

strong believer in *one thing at a time*. So is the famous Counselor of Presidents, Bernard Baruch, who says: "I find my greatest time saver is to do one thing at a time and stick to it until finished."

If you've got a particularly important job coming up on a certain day and you know that office interruptions—or "child interruptions," if you're a mother—may interfere with its accomplishment, then learn to *get up early* and get going full blast before these interruptions can interfere.

Or, if your mind and body function better the other way, occasionally *work until midnight* when the office is quiet or the children are already in bed. You will gain time for *uninterrupted* thoughts and work in this way.

It may sound old-fashioned or "difficult," but the really *top* leaders in business and industry often find themselves doing this sort of thing in order to *get the job done*.

Another key is to learn to *speed up* your routine tasks and learn to be more efficient. Again, you may wish to read and think about how to solve this problem. But you will undoubtedly find *many ways* in which certain of your tasks can be done in less time—and probably much more efficiently.

Learn to *organize* your desk or work space. You may save a great deal of time and effort simply by learning to have a definite place for everything—and *keeping everything in its place*.

A well-organized *file cabinet* and filing system is of inestimable value to a business or career man. Even in the home, a limited filing system may help the modern wife far more than she realizes until she tries it.

Making Accomplishment An Exciting Challenge

One of the most important keys to success in business and life is the sense of *zest* and *DRIVE* which really successful men and women almost universally have and cultivate in their work and in their lives. This is certainly one of the most important qualities which has made this very Work of God grow rapidly in size and scope over a period of some thirty years.

Anyone reading Mr. Herbert W.

Armstrong's *Autobiography* can sense the unusual CHALLENGE this Work of God has been to him, and the unusual ZEST and DRIVE he has put into it with God's help.

Currently, the newspaper and magazine reporters are almost fascinated by the tremendous drive and zeal which President Johnson pours into his job. For the President, who has already suffered a heart attack several years ago, rises about 6:30 in the morning and goes fast and hard all day until 10 or 11 p.m. nearly every night!

The same drive was exhibited by his predecessor, former President John F. Kennedy.

A noted Washington correspondent reported: "Kennedy is amazing many old-timers in federal government and almost horrifying others by the *speed* and *DRIVE* with which he conducts the presidency. [Emphasis mine.]

"It is quite common for the Chief Executive to stride into his office about 9 in the morning, calling to various staff members as he crosses the threshold. He wants detailed information on a certain situation in government and he wants it in a hurry; at least, before the day is over.

"This, to some veteran administrators, is quite a shock. During the past administration, they frequently had more time on comparable assignments. But what surprises these men even more is that Kennedy is waiting in his office at 7 or 8 at night when the requested report arrives."

Certainly the above description of former President Kennedy's work day indicates the *zest* with which he tackled his many responsibilities and the *DRIVE* he put into their accomplishment. In case after case, this is certainly the "key" to the success of many great leaders.

Learn the KEY of TIME

Your life itself is composed of just so much time. Viewing it in this manner, your time *is* your life.

This realization—and the guarded *use* of time that naturally follows from it—is a success "key" that has been or is being used by nearly every great leader of our time.

We are all "millionaires" in time.

Each of us has *just as much time* as the early Rockefellers, Morgans or Fords. Each of us—throughout each day—has just as much time as Einstein did.

The question is—how do we *use* this tremendous gift of TIME? You can only waste the present moment. You cannot waste tomorrow. It is kept fresh and waiting for you. You can turn over a new leaf *every hour* if you choose.

Day by day, you can learn to *use* time to tremendous advantage!

Realizing the value of time, learn to *get up early*, learn to get up when you wake up. Learn to dress quickly in the morning and prepare for the day with ZEALE.

Organizing the layout of your bathroom and your wardrobe saves a great deal of time. Housewives will find that applying *efficiency techniques* to their kitchen will save them a great deal of time in getting the family fed and off to work—and for their own activities as well.

Again, the thought of *scheduling* your time throughout each day, week and month comes into the picture. You certainly don't need to be a schedule slave, but you *DO* need to *have* a schedule!

The late Henry J. Kaiser was an extremely successful and wealthy man—the leading figure in at least *sixty* different companies. Referring to his success techniques, an article in *Reader's Digest* stated: "Henry Kaiser is one of the most time-conscious people in the world. Even the five hours he allots himself for sleep are productive. This is what he calls his 'idea period,' and he always has a pad and pencil next to his bed."

To be truly successful in every area of life, you will learn—as other successful people by the millions have—to *guard* and *CONTROL* the use of your time intelligently and zealously. You will *set your mind* to use the time God gives you in this life in an *organized* and *productive manner*. And through this very means, you will be enabled not only to accomplish your goals in business and personal areas, but you will have time for the desired and needed fun and fellowship with family and friends as well.

Learn SELF-DISCIPLINE

There comes a time when—to use the vernacular—you must "put up or shut up." If you really want success, *you must be willing to pay the PRICE.*

If you would succeed, you must learn to say "NO" to yourself.

You must learn to *turn down* invitations, social visits, TV, cards, movies, golf, and other interruptions *when these would interfere with accomplishment.*

A *balanced* life with enough sleep, exercise and recreation is absolutely prerequisite to ultimate success. But while you are "on the way up," you must *be-ware of distractions.*

As each idea of diversion presents itself, you should ask: "Will this use of time and energy help me accomplish my GOAL in life?"

You must *discipline* yourself to do the *hard jobs first!* The unpleasant job that is put off is likely never to get done. So roll up your sleeves and do it FIRST.

People who procrastinate and "put-ter" are usually putting off something unpleasant or difficult. They putter over little, inconsequential, easy things so they will not have to face what they subconsciously regard as the "big obstacle"—the real job that NEEDS to get done!

The best way to master this problem is to put the jobs you dislike at the top of each day's schedule. Then, if you roll up your sleeves and wade into it, you will soon be too busy to worry about the difficulty.

Make Yourself Produce

Keep *DRIVING* yourself until work has become a habit that is stronger than your human inclination to loaf.

Solomon was inspired to write: "He that hath no rule over his own spirit is like a city that is broken down, and without walls" (Prov. 25:28).

Self-control—self-DISCIPLINE—is a vital "keys" to real success in any area of life.

You must discipline yourself to *get started* in the morning. You must discipline yourself to *get at* your work and really *PRODUCE* instead of puttering

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WHAT DOES RUDOLPH'S RED NOSE AND EGGNOG HAVE TO DO WITH CHRIST'S BIRTHDAY?

"PEACE on earth, GOOD WILL toward men" may sound trite and hollow this year. But in SPITE of terrifying world troubles, the traditional, commercial, CHIEF of the "Christian" holidays looms on the horizon once again. Chances are, you would FLUNK MISERABLY in a simple test about its origins. Go ahead — take a chance — find out!

by Garner Ted Armstrong

THE WREATHS began appearing before Thanksgiving day, in the United States. Australian mothers began telling their children about "Santa" rowing his boat down the river soon (snow and reindeer appear rather hard to believe, even for little children, in the heat of December's summer in the land "down under").

Brace yourselves. The mad shopping rush, the jangling bells, the department store "Santas" are with us again. Church leaders cry out, "PUT CHRIST back in Christmas" this year! Many deplore the growing *commercialism* of this *most* important of the "Christian" holidays.

But was Christ ever IN "Christmas"?

Take this simple test. How well do you KNOW the chief holiday of "Christendom"?

True or False:

1. Christmas is the birthday of Jesus Christ.
2. Santa Claus was one of three wise men.
3. The holly wreath is chosen because of its red and green color — and everyone knows red and green are traditional Christmas colors.
4. The Christmas tree is an ancient, Pagan symbol.
5. Kissing under the mistletoe comes to us from an early American custom.

6. The "Christmas spirit of giving" comes to us from the example of the wise men at Christ's manger birthplace.
7. The yule log is only a strange name attached to a log our forefathers used to drag in to be burned in the fireplace.
8. We don't "wassail" anymore, because people can't hear us "wassailing" over their TV sets.
9. There are more murders in the 24-hour period including Christmas eve and Christmas day than any other comparable period in the year.
10. We observe Christmas because of the Bible example.

ANSWERS:

1. False. Scholars know Jesus was not born on or anywhere near December 25th. The Romans anciently observed their "Brumalia" on that date. It was the "Saturnalia" season when the pagan Romans petitioned their imagined "sun-god" to begin his annual journey into northerly latitudes, once more.
2. False. The Bible nowhere states three. Every evidence of history indicates there were twelve. "Santa Claus" is a derivation of an ancient title

of Nimrod, tyrant who began Babylonish civilization.

3. False. The holly berries were used as ancient sex symbols — representing the propagation of life — fertility.
4. True. Jeremiah the 10th chapter utterly condemns it.
5. False. Mistletoe is both a parasite and was formerly imagined as an aphrodisiac. Kissing under it was to "come under its spell" and was celebrated among the heathen in sex rites, in worship of fertility.
6. False in two ways.
The wise men gave their gifts to CHRIST. Modern people never do this. They exchange gifts among themselves. Further, the wise men never saw Christ in the manger. He was already in a HOUSE by the time they arrived — when he was several WEEKS of age. (Mat. 2:11.)
7. False. It was a symbol of the dead Osiris or Nimrod, from which a tiny, living tree was claimed to have sprung.
8. You may be right either way.
Wassailing could get you mugged, robbed or raped — and people don't general-

ly appreciate neighborhood singing, anyway.

9. True. The "Spirit of Christmas" in bottled form has been a direct contributor to this shocking fact from police blotters.
10. False. The Bible nowhere identifies the exact date of Jesus' birth — even conceals His age by saying He was "about" 30 at the beginning of His ministry. Rather, the Bible CONDEMNS learning pagan, heathen customs, and then using *them* to celebrate events concerning the life of the True God (Deut. 12:30-32).

Score yourself "Excellent" for 9 or more correct. "Good" for 7 to 8 correct. "Fair" for 5 to 6 correct. "Poor" for 2 to 4 correct, and "Utter flunkout" for having only ONE correct, which could have been answered either way.

Perhaps this simple — and humorous — "test" about Christmas will serve to underline the questions in the beginning of this article. No wonder "Peace on Earth" will sound empty this year, what with Vietnam, the Middle East Crisis, the Congo, the Berlin Wall, smouldering hatreds the world over, and American cities with their ugly, gutted sections from recent race riots.

What a divided world. What utter LACK of "peace."

Still, millions in the Western World will take temporary *time out* from their usual activities to become submerged in the flood tide of annual Christmas shopping, traffic jams, parties, and exchanging of gifts.

Somehow — all the clamor, noise, confusion and commercialism is supposed to have something to do with Christ's birthday.

But does it, really?

Some Plain Facts About Christmas

Ever wonder what "wassailing" had to do with wise men; mistletoe with the Magi; martinis with Mary; Santa with saints?

Look at the world for a moment. Here we are, hurtling around the corner into another frightening year —

the late 60's — with the Soviets plunging ahead in space, the world an armed camp, deepening sociological problems the world over, and millions use Christmas as a time to forget about it all.

Christmas, in its various forms in many countries today, would hardly be recognized by its earliest proponents.

But who *were* its earliest exponents? What is the real MEANING of the holly wreath, the lighting of candles, mistletoe, the yule log, the Christmas tree, with its bulbs and orbs, Santa Claus?

Did you ever think to check your encyclopedia to find out?

You'll be absolutely astounded!

First — let's admit some widely known facts. Christmas is never mentioned in the Bible. The Christmas tree is — but in very uncomplimentary language. The wise men arrived at Christ's place of birth LONG after (numerous scholars admit as much as several weeks) He was born. Scholars freely admit He was not born on or anywhere near December 25. (Read the proof in our free reprint article "When Was Jesus Born?") The Magi gave their gifts directly to CHRIST — didn't exchange them among themselves.

But in Ancient Egypt and Babylon

Christmas, say all the authorities, LONG antedates Christianity. Its origins go back to pagan Babylon, Greece, Rome, and to Egypt.

There, in various guises, *the very same customs* were observed by these ancient pagans on the birthday of *their* god — the god of the SUN, or SUN-god. They observed his fanciful birthday at the time of the "Saturnalia," or lowest ebbing of the sun toward the south (those living in the northern hemisphere), and the beginning of its journey back toward spring and summer.

They had various symbols.

Symbols stand for things. These stood for a wide variety of pagan superstitions involving the source of life — of fertility. They had a little tree, which was supposed to have grown up overnight, out of an old dead log. The tree is called a Christmas tree today; the log is named "yule."

They used round orbs, eggs, on

which they painted snakes, and other designs. This was long before the time of tinsel and glass — of course, and back then, everyone knew the eggs *stood* for something. They reminded the pagans of the source of *life*.

They had wreaths of holly, because it was one of the rare plants still producing little round berries even in the snowy north. They used mistletoe because it's a parasite, and because of a pagan superstition involving its qualities of aphrodisia. (That's why people still carry on the pagan superstition of kissing under mistletoe.)

That's not all.

They observed, in short, just about EVERYTHING a modern Christian-professing person observes — though with a different label.

What Is the Difference?

But *so what?*

Aren't these facts more or less *common knowledge*?

Sure they are — published in religious newspapers, and cheerfully admitted by religious editors each year.

Then *does it make any difference?*

Not if there isn't any God.

But what if there is?

Then it would make a LOT of difference — ESPECIALLY IF THAT GOD SAYS A GREAT DEAL ABOUT THESE VERY SAME CUSTOMS IN HIS WORD!

There *is* a God. You can PROVE it.

And God says it does make a great deal of difference!

You'll be positively amazed, *shocked*, when you read "The PLAIN TRUTH About Christmas!"

In this free booklet are facts you simply can't afford to be without — yet it costs you nothing! It's absolutely free!

Here, revealed directly from authentic historical sources, and from *your own Bible*, is the story of Christmas — and what YOU DON'T KNOW about it!

It's the biggest holiday of the year — but you've probably NEVER LOOKED INTO ITS MEANING! In this booklet you'll read the incredible TRUTH about all the accompanying paraphernalia of this season — you'll be challenged, you'll be shocked!

So, before you forget it, write for it right now!

The Bible Story

by Basil Wolverton

CHAPTER ONE HUNDRED TEN

SOLOMON BUILDS THE TEMPLE

ABIATHAR the priest, standing before angry king Solomon, expected to be executed because he had told the people of Israel that Adonijah should be their king.

God's Sentence

"You are guilty of treason!" Solomon exclaimed to Abiathar. "But I won't put you to death now because you served for so many years as priest during my father's reign and shared all his troubles. However, you are no longer to serve as a priest. Go to your home in the country outside Jerusalem and stay there." (I Kings 2:26-27.)

Abiathar's removal from priestly duties brought about the fulfillment of God's prophecy to his ancestor, the high priest Eli, who had become careless in his office back in Samuel's time. God told him that the priesthood would be taken from his family. (I Samuel 2:12-36.) Abiathar was the last of the descendants of Eli's family.

When Joab heard what had happened to his co-conspirators, Adonijah and Abiathar, his usual self-confidence suddenly left him. Fearing that he would be called before Solomon for sentencing, he followed Adonijah's example and fled to the tabernacle, where he claimed special refuge from death by clinging to the altar.

On learning what Joab was doing, Solomon sent Benaiah to drag him away from the altar and execute him. When Benaiah ordered Joab to step away from the altar or be dragged away, Joab declared that he preferred to die at the altar. Benaiah hesitated to act. Instead, he reported to Solomon what Joab had said.

"If Joab wants to die at the altar, so be it!" Solomon decreed. "Then bury him on his property out in the desert."

The grim order was carried out, ending the life of a man who had been a very capable army commander, but who for years faced the penalty of death because of his brazen acts of treacherous murder. (I Kings 2:28-34; II Samuel 3:26-27; 20:8-10.)

Benaiah then became the undisputed commander of the army of Israel, something that hadn't been possible while Joab and his supporters had been around to



Two of Shimei's servants, unhappy with their lot, escaped from Jerusalem and raced away to the Philistine city of Gath.

interfere. At the same time Solomon put Zadok the priest in Abiathar's place. (I Kings 2:35.) Zadok was of the Family of Eleazar, and thus the priesthood returned to the family God had first chosen to be priests. (I Chronicles 6.)

No Mollycoddling of Criminals

Next Solomon sent for Shimei, the Benjamite who had cursed David. David had told Solomon that such an untrustworthy man shouldn't be allowed to live too long.

"Get a home for yourself here in Jerusalem," Solomon ordered Shimei. "Then stay here. If you ever go outside the walls, you'll meet with death. If you wish to continue living, stay in this city."

"You are a good man," Shimei grinned with relief at the king as he bowed low. "Your humble and thankful servant will do as you say." (I Kings 2:36-38.)

Three years later two of Shimei's servants ran away from his home and hid themselves in the Philistine city of Gath. Shimei was determined to get the two back.

When he was told where they were, he took other servants to Gath, found the runaway couple and brought them back to Jerusalem. All this was reported to Solomon, who had Shimei brought before him.

"I warned you that if you ever left Jerusalem you would be responsible for your death," Solomon reminded the trembling Benjamite. "You promised then that you would obey that restriction. Why have you broken your word? Don't you realize that you're now subject to death? But even if you hadn't gone out of Jerusalem, you are still guilty of cursing my father the king, and for that wickedness it's God's judgment that you pay the death penalty."

By this time Shimei was too frightened to answer. At a gesture from the king, soldiers removed Shimei from the palace. A little later he was executed. (I Kings 2:39-46.)

Solomon Marries Pharaoh's Daughter

Although God had told the Israelites that they shouldn't intermarry with those of other nations, Solomon desired to marry a daughter of the king of Egypt. There were many beautiful women in Israel, but the king had received reports that the Egyptian princess was so beautiful that he made a special effort to become friendly with the Egyptian king. Pharaoh was pleased that Israel's leader would make such harmonious gestures. It wasn't difficult, after that, to arrange for the Egyptian woman to be brought to Jerusalem, where she was married to Solomon. (I Kings 3:1.)

At that time Solomon built a new palace and continued construction on a stronger wall around Jerusalem, started by David. Because matters went so well in Israel, Solomon declared a special day of worship at Gibeon, where the tabernacle was. In front of it was the brass altar that had been made by the Israelites when they were on their way from Egypt to Canaan. There Solomon and many of his people sacrificed to God. (I Kings 3:2-4; II Chronicles 1:1-6.)

That night Solomon was weary from the many activities of the day, which included a moving speech to the men of high rank in the nation. The king fell into a deep sleep. He dreamed that he met God, and that God told him that because he had been obedient in so many things, he could have anything he wished to ask for as a special gift from the Creator.

"You have already given me much by being so merciful to my father and allowing me to sit on the throne of Israel," Solomon said. "I don't have the wisdom I should have as king. There are problems and decisions that perplex me. I don't know sometimes which way to turn. I want to choose the right ways because a great nation should have great leadership. Above all things I choose to ask you for

special wisdom with which to rightly and justly rule your people." (I Kings 3:5-9; II Chronicles 1:7-10.)

Solomon dreamed that he prostrated himself before God during an uncomfortable silence that followed. Had God expected him to ask for something greater than wisdom? Should he have asked for good health for his people or for some other thing that would have been less personal?

Finally God spoke.

A Divine Gift of Wisdom

"Because you have asked for wisdom with which to rule well, I shall grant you wisdom that is greater than that of any man. Your wisdom will surpass that of anyone who has ever lived, and will be greater than that of anyone to live in the future. I am pleased that you didn't ask for long life, riches or death to all your enemies. Therefore I shall also give you wealth. You shall be the most honored of kings. If you obey my laws, I shall give you a long life."

When Solomon awoke he had a strange feeling that what had taken place was more than a dream. The more he pondered over it, the more clearly he realized that God had actually spoken to him. It was such an outstanding experience for him that as soon as he returned to Jerusalem, he made more burnt offerings and more peace offerings, and gave a special feast for his servants and those who worked with him in the governing of Israel. (I Kings 3:10-15; II Chronicles 1:11-13.)

An example of the wisdom God gave to Solomon is shown in the case of two women of low character who came before the king to both claim the same child. They lived in the same house. One gave birth to a baby. The other gave birth to a child three days later. The woman who had the first birth claimed that the other woman accidentally lay on her own child and smothered it.

"When she discovered it was dead," the first woman told the king, "she came into my room at night, while I was asleep, and stole my infant son from me. She put her dead son next to me. When I awoke to nurse him, I found him lifeless. I thought at the time that it was mine, but in the morning I discovered it wasn't my child. This is my child you see before you. I want him back."

"But it didn't happen the way she told it," the second woman said to Solomon. "This baby is mine. I didn't steal it from her. The dead baby is hers."

Solomon knew that one of the women wasn't telling the truth. Probably he could tell which one it was, but he wanted to show up the untruthful one before those present. He called for a soldier with a sword to come before him. When the man strode in, weapon in hand, Solomon instructed him to take the baby.

"Cut this infant in two!" the king ordered the startled soldier. "Then give half to this woman and the other half to that woman.

"Don't!" exclaimed the true mother, leaping forward in anguished excitement. "Give her the baby! Please don't harm it!"

"Don't listen to her!" the other woman blurted out.

"That's enough!" Solomon said, holding up a restraining hand toward the women and the soldier. "Give the child to the woman who doesn't want you to harm it. She tried to save it, and that proves that she is its mother."

Reports of this matter, as well as others that had to do with Solomon's decisions, spread around the nation. People could discern that Solomon was being inspired by God. Respect for the king of Israel grew with the news of how wisely he handled problems. God was keeping his promises made to Solomon in the dream. (I Kings 3:16-28.)

Solomon enjoyed a peaceable and prosperous reign as the years went on. Nearby kingdoms such as Moab, Ammon, Syria and Damascus paid tribute to him. Including all the nations that came under his authority, Solomon's kingdom extended from the Euphrates river on the north and east to Egypt and the Great Sea (the Mediterranean) on the south and west.

Solomon Grows in Fame and Influence

From all parts of the land food was brought to Solomon's table. To feed everyone in the royal establishment the provisions for just one day included two hundred and forty bushels of fine flour, four hundred and eighty bushels of meal, ten stall-fattened bulls, twenty bulls from pastures and a hundred sheep and goats. To this was added varying numbers of deer, antelope and fattened fowl. How many people were fed every day by this amount of food isn't stated in the Bible, but there must have been quite a crowd. (I Kings 4:1-25.)

God forbade Israel to maintain cavalry or chariot horses as part of a standing army. (Deuteronomy 17:14-16.) God didn't want the nation to build a mighty war machine that would cause the nation to lose sight of God as their protector and provoke the jealousy of other nations. However, Solomon accumulated thousands of war-horses. (I Kings 4:26-28; II Chronicles 1:14-17.) When war did come in a later age, the Israelites had less success in battle, using cavalry, than they did before they had any to use.

Until Solomon's time the seats of learning were presumed to be in Egypt and the east, where the Arabians, Chaldeans and Persians lived. In these nations were a few men famous for their exceptional — and sometimes unusual — knowledge.

There were seers and sages, and even wizards who received their information from demons.

Because God had imbued Solomon with an exceptional mind, good sense and an understanding of people and things, he had more wisdom than any of the so-called wise men. He also had more knowledge than most, having a God-given ability to apply himself diligently to observing, studying and remembering. He could speak with authority on anything from small insects to animals, and from minute plants to large trees. He knew much about history, mathematics, music and other subjects. Probably he had at least a basic understanding of astronomy. He wrote more than a thousand songs. Hundreds of his proverbs, of which he produced thousands, are preserved in the book of Proverbs in the Bible for our learning. Solomon's fame for wisdom and knowledge became so great that kings from all nations came in person or sent representatives to ask his opinions and advice. (I Kings 4:29-34.)

This was the result of the gift from God. When the Creator makes a promise, He carries it out in full and often unexpected measure.

Solomon Begins the Temple

Over a hundred miles north of Jerusalem, close to the territory of Asher, on the eastern edge of the Great Sea, was the little kingdom of Tyre. Hiram, king of Tyre, had always been friendly toward David. As a gesture of goodwill, he had sent craftsmen and materials, about thirty years before, for building David's home at Jerusalem. Much of it was constructed with cedar that grew near Tyre. (II Samuel 5:11; I Chronicles 14:1.)

When Hiram heard that Solomon had become king, he sent emissaries to bring congratulations. Knowing what Hiram had done for his father, Solomon was appreciative. (I Kings 5:1.) It was then that the idea came to Solomon to employ the excellent craftsmen of Tyre to work on the temple he knew should be built during his reign.

"You will remember that my father wanted to build a temple that would be dedicated to God," Solomon told Hiram in a return message taken to Tyre. "He had so many wars to fight in his time that it wasn't God's will that such a project should be undertaken. Now Israel is at peace. I intend to build that temple while my nation is free from strife. It would please me and my people if your nation would supply cedar and fir trees for lumber, for which I will pay you in gold, silver or any produce of Israel you desire. I also wish to hire your expert craftsmen to work with the men I shall supply as laborers." (I Kings 5:2-6; II Chronicles 2:1-10.)

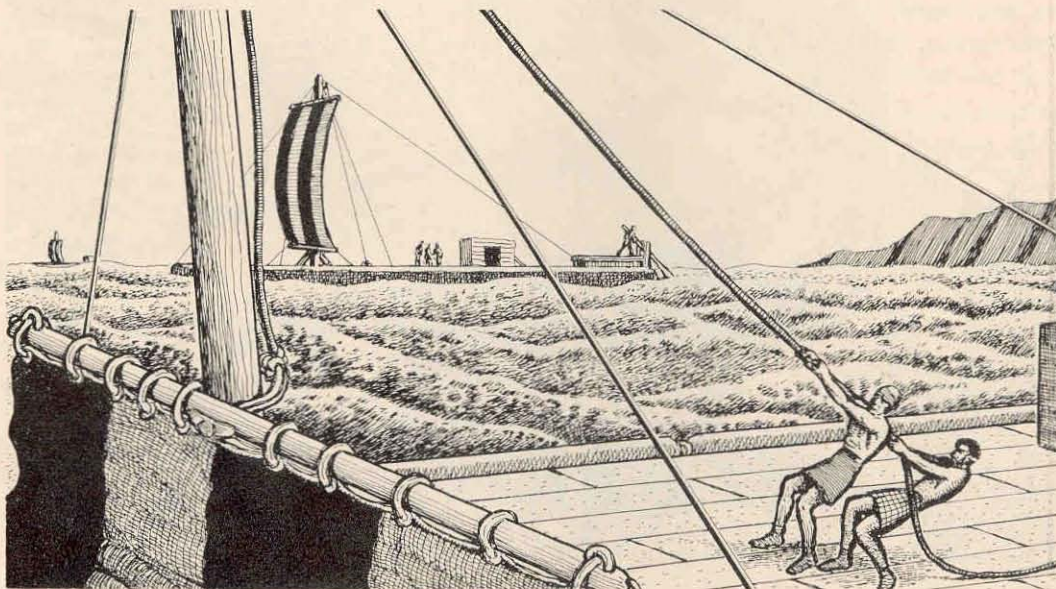
Hiram was happy to learn of this. He sent messengers back soon with a letter to the king of Israel.

"I am honored to do what I can to help you build the temple," the letter read. "I shall supply all the fir, cedar and any other kind of trees you need. My men will move the timber down from the mountains to the sea after cutting it to the sizes you require. Then they will float it southward to Joppa, and from there you can transport it to Jerusalem. In payment for this, we choose to receive produce from your country." (I Kings 5:7-9; II Chronicles 2:11-16.)

Eventually the timber, carefully cut to Solomon's orders, arrived in Jerusalem. In return, Solomon sent great amounts of wheat, barley, oil and wine. Part of it was for Hiram's workers, and part for Hiram and his household. The part for his household was sent every year for many years after that (I Kings 5:10-12.)

At that time there were many people in Israel who weren't Israelites. Some were prisoners of war from David's reign. Many others had been drawn to Israel because that nation had become so famous and respected due to Solomon's reputation for learning and wisdom. And many came because Israel was peaceful and prosperous. When Solomon found that there were 153,600 such people, he decided to use them in the preparation and transport of materials for the building of the temple, which had long before been planned by David, through God's inspiration, down to the smallest detail.

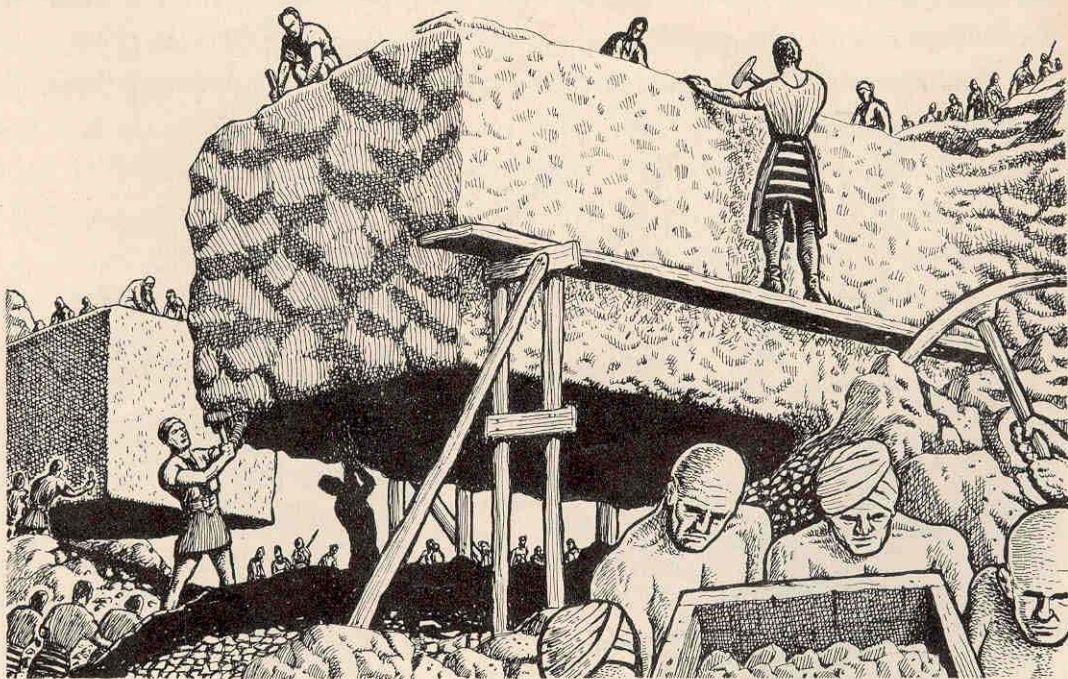
Now it was Solomon's duty to carry out those plans. He put seventy thousand



Assisted by wind and sails, timber for the temple was floated in large rafts on the western edge of the Great Sea from Tyre to Joppa.

of the aliens in Israel to work leveling the temple site and transporting stones and timbers. Eighty thousand were used to cut gigantic foundation and building stones in the nearby hills. Thirty thousand men, picked mostly from the Israelites, were sent in relays of ten thousand at a time to help the Tyrians with the cutting of timber around Mt. Lebanon. Each unit worked a month, then rested for two months while another unit worked. There were so many workers in all that more than three thousand foremen were required to oversee them. (II Chronicles 2:17-18; I Kings 5:13-18.)

For years this vast force labored to supply and prepare timber and stone for the temple. All the materials brought to Jerusalem were already cut, smoothed and grooved or bored to exact measurements, so that their placing together was the only process that remained, though that part required seven years of labor because of the care and perfection involved. Huge squared and polished stones, said by some writers to have been up to thirty feet in length and as much as six feet thick, were slowly moved into the city by large gangs of men and work animals. These were for the foundation. They were set into the top of Mt. Moriah, where a threshing floor had once been, and where David had later built an altar on which to make special sacrifices because of a plague that had come to Israel.



Huge blocks of stone were laboriously chopped out of mountains of solid rock, cut to exact measurements and slowly moved to Jerusalem for the temple foundation.

With workmen teeming over Mt. Moriah, one can imagine that there was generally quite a din. The noises of tools on wood and stone might have been heard all over the city. But it didn't happen that way. There was no sound of a metal tool because all cutting, trimming, grinding, drilling and polishing had previously taken place. (I Kings 6; II Chronicles 3.)

Slowly the temple took shape.

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What's Keeping You from Real Success?

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with trivials. You must discipline yourself to *avoid distractions* and to use your time and energy where it will COUNT.

In addition, we should state here that one of the most searching areas of self-discipline is in regard to your own *physical health*.

If you are "run-down" or sick, you simply CANNOT produce and achieve the success you wish. Therefore, you must *discipline* yourself to get enough sleep, enough vigorous exercise suited to your age and condition, eat a *balanced diet* of basically lean meats, fish, fresh fruits and vegetables with very *limited* amounts of bread, sugars, and desserts. You are invited to write for our valuable *free* article, "The Seven Laws of Radiant Health," in order to get more complete information on this subject.

But *building* and constantly *increasing* your health and energies is a vital "key to success." This will enable you to put renewed zest and DRIVE into your accomplishments and may well make the difference in many critical situations.

Another vital area in the field of self-discipline is learning to FINISH a job properly. Again, this means avoiding distractions and concentrating *completely* on the job at hand. It means mentally and spiritually helping to create a "second wind" for yourself so

that you complete a task with a final spurt of energy and zest.

As you learn to *discipline yourself* you will find yourself getting many more things done. You will also find your ability to motivate and inspire others who assist you greatly enhanced.

Learn to Employ Spiritual POWER

God says: "A good man leaveth an inheritance to his children's children" (Prov. 13:22).

A successful man is a "good" man — a man who has learned his *purpose* in life and seeks to obey His Maker. He will have strong family ties and — through hours of fun and fellowship with his children and grandchildren — he will *want* to help and assist even his grandchildren in getting a start in life. Then, as the above proverb clearly indicates, he will have God's BLESSING to be *able* to help even his grandchildren!

But Jesus showed that we must not set our heart on the physical things, but rather on *God's Kingdom* and *righteousness* (Mat. 6:33). Then, He said, all the material blessings WILL be *added unto us*.

To be truly *successful*, you need to establish *direct contact* with the true God. You need to learn *His way* — and the *real purpose* for your very existence and the breath of life you breathe.

Jesus said: "Why call ye me, Lord, Lord, and do not the things which I say?" (Luke 6:46.) Many professing Christians today do just that. They *talk about* Christ and religion — at least on rare occasions — but they seldom trouble themselves to OBEY what Christ taught in the Bible and to *live as He lived*.

You need to *build* and *cultivate* personal contact with God through PRAYER. In this way, you will come to have the inspiration, strength and divine HELP which goes far above and beyond anything you could "work up" on your own strength.

Then, you should try, test or "prove" these principles in your life by actually LIVING THEM and seeing the BLESSINGS they produce through contact with the true God and His Spirit!

As you *surrender to* and *obey* God you are promised the gift of His Holy Spirit (Acts 2:38).

Notice the qualities for *success* God's Spirit imparts: "For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of POWER, and of LOVE, and of a SOUND MIND" (II Tim. 1:7).

As you yield to God and *exercise* His Spirit, you will have direct, spiritual POWER to overcome your own weaknesses and shortcomings — to *discipline yourself* — and to become a real *success*.

You will have the outgoing concern and LOVE so that your success will not be a selfish thing — but motivated deeply by your concern toward God and fellowman. And you will be given the *soundness of mind* and WISDOM you need to keep from becoming *unbalanced*, making *wrong decisions* or

stumbling through life down *blind alleys*.

The *very help* and POWER of God can be yours if you are willing to *seek* Him and *obey* Him!

Take ACTION — and Get Results

Every one of you who wants success should also write *immediately* for Mr. Armstrong's free booklet, *The Seven Laws of Success*. This attractive free booklet contains even more extensive information than space allows in this article, and outlines seven definite *laws* for successful living.

These principles really *WORK* — so start using them *immediately*! You were created in the image of God (Gen. 1:27). You were created to be a *success*!

Personal from the Editor

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are food. Inorganic elements taken into the stomach are actually a poison — some of them, like potassium cyanide, deadly poison! For example anemic people need more iron. They have become anemic through iron deficiency. But if you are to build natural good health you must get that iron in *ORGANIC FOOD* — not in pills made of inorganic iron. *ONLY* organic elements grown through food are naturally absorbed into the bloodstream to replenish broken-down cells and supply tissue, healthy flesh and blood.

Now of the 16 *ORGANIC* elements that grow in food, *these* are present in two forms — acid and alkaline. Twelve of these 16 elements are the alkaline mineral elements. Included in these are iron, calcium, magnesium, potassium, silicon, sulphur, manganese. These supply the nourishment — replace deteriorating cells, build bone, flesh, tissue, skin, hair.

Four of the 16 elements are called carbohydrates — the acid reacting elements. These are carbon, hydrogen, oxygen, nitrogen. Principal of these is car-

bon. These are found in starch, sugar, and fats. You've read advertisements, advising, "Give your child more (the brand advertised) to supply quick energy." One thing is wrong with that: it is *TOO TRUE*!

The carbohydrates *do* supply our energy. They are — up to a certain point (and *that's* the *vital* point) absorbed into the bloodstream. On the way back to the heart the blood passes through the lungs. Your lungs are like the carburetor in your automobile. The "carbon" in your car that supplies *its* energy is the gasoline (petrol to our British and continental readers). As it passes through the carburetor, it is *fired* on mixing with the oxygen in the air. This is a little explosion, which forces the piston and thus results in propelling the car.

In like manner, as your blood passes through your lungs, it "fires" on mixing with the oxygen in the air you have inhaled. Your breath filters out the impurities the blood is carrying off, and these impurities (broken-down cells) are expelled through exhaling your breath. That's why you sometimes have "bad breath." I think you can see what happens when your lungs are filled with poisonous tobacco smoke. They simply do not perform their full duty. And *this* damage is *in addition to* what doctors are now telling us about *LUNG CANCER*! You get a *DOUBLE DOSE* of bad health!

At the same time, this "firing" of the carbon in the blood supplies not only *ENERGY*, it also supplies your bodily heat — keeping your body at normal temperature of 98.6 degrees.

Now here is a *MOST IMPORTANT FACT*! Nearly all of us, today, because of what our food factories have done to our foods, are eating several times more of the carbohydrate elements than we should for normal good health. So *WHAT HAPPENS*? If this carbon in the blood supplies not only energy but also our bodily heat, *WHY* does it not raise our bodily temperature up to two or three times the normal 98.6 degrees?

The answer to that is *IMPORTANT*!

That is something *DOCTORS ought* to be telling us. Why don't they? I guess you'll have to ask *them* — I can't answer for them. Perhaps they are just so

busy *TREATING* the *PENALTY* you have incurred by *BREAKING NATURE'S LAWS*, eating an over-abundance of the carbohydrates.

But I will tell you what happens. And YOU had better *HEED*!

If eating twice as much of the carbohydrates as you should actually *doubled* your bodily temperature, you'd die of high fever before the doctor could get to you. But *YOUR CREATOR* provided a preventive, so it does not react quite that way. Just as some taxicab companies put a "governor" on the accelerators of their cars, so that the driver can only push it down far enough to reach the controlled speed the company has predetermined — perhaps 45 — perhaps 55 or 60 miles per hour — so your Maker designed the bloodstream of your body to absorb no more carbohydrates than $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1% approximately of either the weight or volume of blood — and at the moment I do not remember which.

What, *THEN*, happens to the excess of the carbohydrates you are stuffing down your stomachs? They *do* supply a certain unnatural artificial energy — but they are primarily eliminated in an unnatural way, contrary to nature's laws, through the kidneys. And this process in time builds up and causes a whole string of these modern diseases of a law-breaking civilization! But *SOME* of it *is* carried as a toxin or poison by the blood into muscles and joints. And after so long a time, you "catch a cold" or "a fever" — so you think, not realizing that you actually *ATE* that cold or fever before you "caught it." It may go into pneumonia! A cold or fever is merely a sudden violent elimination of toxins and poisons you have injected into your body by *WRONG DIET* which has *BROKEN GOD'S PHYSICAL LAWS*!

Or, this accumulation of toxins may result in rheumatism, arthritis, or other disease.

Actually, your body requires two or three times as much of the alkaline-reacting mineral elements as of the carbohydrates — yet the average American or Briton is eating at least two or three times as much of the carbohydrates.

And *what are* the carbohydrates?

They are the starches, sugars, fats and oils.

Today nearly everything we eat passes through man's hands—or his factories—before it comes to the consumer. In the interests of bigger profits the gigantic food industry is giving us a diet of FOODLESS "foods."

Take wheat. Wheat is almost a perfect food. It contains all 16 food elements, and in perfectly balanced proportion. But they take that perfect grain of wheat apart, rob it of the 12 mineral elements, and turn it into white flour—containing the four carbohydrate elements.

Why?

Well, if they were to give you real WHOLEWHEAT flour, it would spoil after so long a time. And in the BIG BUSINESS distribution system, the flour may not reach the consumer until after it spoils. That would mean a loss to the food industry.

One dietician gave this advice: "My BASIC RULE in diet is: Eat *only* those natural foods that will spoil—and eat them before they do."

What SHOULD we do? Well, I'll tell you what we do at Ambassador College. We raise our own wheat in Kansas, our own beef and many other items of food in Texas. We have large trucks (vans—lorries)—the largest allowed on the highways—one a refrigerator truck. We bring our own hard wheat, naturally and organically grown, in our own trucks to the Pasadena and Texas campuses. There we have our own stone grinders. When our bake shops are ready to bake another batch of bread, or pastries, the wheat is ground into flour—real whole wheat flour—and immediately baked. We use honey or natural brown sugar instead of "refined" sugar (which has been robbed of its alkaline elements).

There are many things more that we do—but that serves as an illustration. We feed about a thousand students three times a day, and we try to feed them on REAL FOOD, not foodless "foods."

There is another area in which our English-speaking peoples ruin their own health. They take a good steak, or

a mixed green salad of uncooked leafy-green vegetables, or other fruits or vegetables, and then RUIN them with sauces, gravies, or dressings that will wreck any stomach—at least in time! We think we must mix foods into conglomerations of meat with starch, sugars, condiments, artificial flavors, preservatives, sea-"foods," and unhealthful mixtures—IN CONFUSION! The "best" chefs are those who can concoct the most injurious sauces and conglomerations. And then the people of this degenerate world suppose it is just NATURAL to be sick!

A little baby will put about everything in reach into his mouth. It seems most of our adults are still doing it. If we like the taste—or develop a perverted taste—we think it must be good food! But everything that grows is NOT good food. Nor is every animal good for food.

Another reason our bodies are being robbed of the alkaline minerals is the way our women cook. The other day I thought of writing an article under the headline: "How To HURRY Your DEATH!" I may still write it for a later issue of *The PLAIN TRUTH*.

Ask a woman WHY she does not feed her children steel-cut oats, and natural brown rice.

"Oh, that takes too much time!" she will probably answer. So she uses the quick-cooking minute-oats or minute rice—the kind that has been robbed of all the real food value and reduced to a starch. She *just can't afford to take time* to give her children good health. She must HURRY—and build up in their bodies anemia, and diseases that will KILL them before their time.

A MURDER is merely ending a life *before its time*. Many of you are doing that on the installment plan—doing it not only to yourselves, but also to your children.

Suggest to a woman that she cook her vegetables on slow heat—at a temperature of 180 degrees in a heavy aluminum utensil. She will probably protest that she can't take the time—and besides, hasn't she heard that one gets poisoned from food cooked in aluminum? She may have HEARD that, BUT IT IS EMPHATICALLY NOT TRUE!

That rumor has been circulated in a trade war as a means of business competition. The American Medical Association made exhaustive tests, years ago, that utterly disproved that rumor. So did the British Medical Association. However, the heavy aluminum utensils are now lined inside with a very thin layer of stainless steel.

BUT IT DOES NOT TAKE MORE TIME—because aluminum is a conductor of heat. The *sides* of the pan—and the lid—absorb the heat, and the food is not cooked from the bottom *only*, but from the sides and the top as well. Result: even though the temperature is lower, the food cooks as fast or faster.

United States Department of Agriculture chemical tests made at the University of Wisconsin have shown that when you cook at or above the boiling point, you cook out from 23% to 78% of the alkaline mineral elements—the REAL FOOD—and that steam that escaped was also the FLAVOR!

But—many women, I have found, simply are unwilling to believe that TRUTH. They think proper cooking would take more time—and THEY HAVEN'T TIME to keep their children healthy. If it means killing their own children BEFORE their time—murder on the installment plan—they simply CAN'T TAKE TIME to prevent this installment-plan murder!

Many children are raised on a diet of white bread, jellies and jams, potatoes with greasy and starchy gravy, a little meat, pie and cake and cookies and pastries, candy. Some will ask: "Well what else *can* we eat?"

Eat more vegetables—green leafy raw salad vegetables unspoiled by injurious dressings; non-starch vegetables cooked at low temperatures—about 180 degrees, and served with only butter and a little salt; fresh fruits; clean lean meats (NO FAT); whole grains; fresh raw (unpasteurized) milk, butter, cheese; eggs and clean fowl.

What about potatoes? And I mean Irish potatoes. Are they not starchy? Only when and because you women pare off the alkaline part containing the needed minerals. Slice a potato in half and notice the ring a little way inside the skin. The portion between that ring and the skin is the alkaline part. The

inside is the starch part. If you cook the whole — unpeeled — potato in a heavy aluminum pan at about 180 degrees temperature, you'll find that the skin is *very* thin and will peel right off, leaving you the **WHOLE** potato. In this form, it is called by some the king of vegetables.

If you have bony knobby knees and elbows, and would like to be more pleasantly rounded (or plump without being fat or overweight) try cutting out the *inside* of the potato, and eating often of the alkaline part. The alkaline portion outside the visible ring, a little way inside the skin of the potato, is strong in potassium. In perhaps six months you'll be surprised at what this natural, organic potassium will do.

In this editorial I have had space only to scrape the surface of this subject. Perhaps sometime I may find time to write more fully and in more detail.

But before ending, I want to give you a little of what our Creator says about health and sickness. It is God's will that we be **IN HEALTH** (III John 2). God intended us to obey His laws — His physical laws that operate in our bodies for good health as well as His Spiritual Law. Yet He knew our weaknesses and rebellious nature. When we repent of breaking His Spiritual Law and transgressing against Him, our loving and merciful Father has provided a way for removing the penalty — through Jesus' sacrifice, paying the penalty in our stead.

In like manner, when nature's laws have been broken, this is God's instruction to those who have become His begotten children:

"Is any sick among you? Let him call for the elders of the Church; and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord: and *the prayer of faith* shall save the sick, and the Lord shall raise him up; and if he have committed sins, they shall be forgiven him" (James 5:14-15).

Notice important specific points in that instruction. First, it is addressed to, and pertains to those who have become God's own begotten children — those who *are* Christ's — and in Romans 8:9 it is made plain that *only* those who have, and are being *led by*, in daily living (verse 14) His

Holy Spirit, are Christ's. Next, it says the prayer of **FAITH** shall save the sick. But James also says (chapter 1:6-7) that if one's faith wavers, he will not receive the answer. Yet also, in the "faith chapter" of the Bible, Hebrews 11, we read this: "he that cometh to God must **BELIEVE** that He *is*, and that He is a **REWARDER** of them that diligently seek Him" (verse 6).

And again, what we ask of Him we receive **BECAUSE** we keep His Commandments, and do those things that please Him (I John 3:22).

So, although God *does heal*, there are conditions — we do have our part to perform.

Notice further: When the sick came to Jesus, He healed them "...that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by Isaiah the prophet, saying, 'Himself took our infirmities, and bare our sicknesses'" (Mat. 8:17) and that "by whose *stripes* ye were healed" (I Peter 2:24). Before Jesus was crucified, He was beaten with stripes — paying the penalty of our *physical* transgressions in our stead.

This kind of healing — and nothing else *is* actual **HEALING** — is a divine miracle, **FORGIVING** physical **SIN** — and removing its penalty. It is a **MOST SERIOUS THING**, not to be taken lightly — not to be made a mockery of by fanatical and wild public demonstrations in "healing meetings." Jesus healed — the apostles healed — He gave **AUTHORITY** to His ministers to heal — but they did it quietly, without demonstration, as a ministry of **LOVE** — not as a highly publicized circus sideshow to attract crowds.

This sort of sensational "divine healing" is **NOT** the way of God. Such practices today have only brought ridicule and discredit and in no sense do I advocate or approve it! The courts and law-enforcing agencies, as a result of these **UNSCRIPTURAL** "divine healing" practices, are completely hostile to "divine healing." But what Jesus did, and commissioned His true ministers to do, **IS SOMETHING ALTOGETHER DIFFERENT.**

Real healing by God's power is a matter of **FORGIVING SIN** — sin against

the physical body. Read Luke 5:18-26. None but **GOD** can forgive sin (verse 21). Doctors, therefore, **CANNOT HEAL**. They can work *with* nature's laws — but that is not **HEALING**.

Do we, then, advise people *against* going to medical doctors? By **NO MEANS**. Doctors have their place in this world. But the healing that God performs is **NOT OF THIS WORLD**.

I have answered the call of thousands, who have come to me for prayer for healing. Many *have* been healed — miraculously — of even cancer and an advanced case, in a hospital, of leukemia. On the other hand, many *have not* been healed. Yet I have prayed with the same faith for the one as the other.

WHY are many not healed? Jesus said it is **ACCORDING TO YOUR FAITH**. Perhaps they did not fully believe. Perhaps they were not obedient. Perhaps they should read James 4:3, where it says: "Ye ask, and receive not, *because*" And you may read the answer yourself.

So let me make this plain.

I **DO NOT SAY**, don't go to the doctor of medicine. I **DO NOT KNOW** whether **YOU** will be healed by God — because I cannot know whether you have the faith, are conforming to God's conditions, have really repented and turned from violating God's laws. I do not leave people without **ANY** help — for, if they do not have the faith, have not repented, are not keeping God's commandments, they probably won't be healed, and I cannot advise them against the only help they might have — that which this world's society has set up. Healing by God is **NOT** a thing to experiment with!

But, why not solve this whole question by avoiding the **CAUSE** of sickness and disease — and **KEEPING HEALTHY** in the first place? Then there is **NO PROBLEM**, is there?

Sorry!

There is just not enough space in this issue for the **AUTOBIOGRAPHY** of Herbert W. Armstrong. Be sure to read it in the next issue.

SATURN V— 20TH CENTURY TOWER OF BABEL

Success of the Saturn V moon rocket has revived U. S. hopes of landing astronauts on the moon in late 1969. What does this sudden quickening of the space race mean?

by Richard H. Sedliacik

"THE MOST marvelous technological achievement of all time!" That's what experts called the successful launching of Saturn V November 9.

It was a triumphant comeback for the U. S. lunar program. A failure at this point would have set the U. S. moon-landing program back many more months — *if not years!*

Saturn V was an acknowledged *gamble* — what spacemen call an "all-up" mission — since several *untried* rocket parts were tested together for the FIRST TIME. The "incredible precision" with which the unmanned Apollo 4 moon capsule was shot into orbit by Saturn V and returned to earth was carried out by NEW launch and control teams from a NEW rocket complex!

Staggering Statistics

The statistics on this titanic 36-story metal monster simply stagger the imagination!

Saturn V was 33 feet in diameter. It stood 363 feet above its launching pad — 60 feet taller than the statue of liberty, and 13 times heavier!

Fully loaded with fuel, the massive rocket weighed 6.1 million pounds — over 3,000 tons! That would be like shooting a destroyer into space! (A good-sized U. S. Navy destroyer weighs only 2,200 tons.)

The total *thrust* of that huge silver bullet was 8.7 million pounds! That's the combined horsepower of 543 jet fighter aircraft, or 160 million horsepower — enough to orbit the *combined weight* of all 500 satellites launched by the U. S. in the last ten years!

The fuel pumps on the five first-stage engines pushed fuel with the force of 30 diesel locomotives. And the engines gulped propellant at the rate of 900 tons a minute! Enough liquid oxygen or "lox" was stored in the fuel tanks to fill 54 standard American-sized railroad tank cars!

And that one big blast, that one disappearing star in the brilliant blue sky over Cape Kennedy, cost the United States a minimum of over 180 million dollars!

Think of the staggering complexity of such a fantastic vehicle. It is one of the GREATEST TECHNOLOGICAL ACHIEVEMENTS of man — the culmination of over 40 *billion dollars* in expenditures!

Can your mind grasp that amount of money? That's 40,000 *million dollars* we've spent so far in hopes of getting a man to the moon! The Soviet Union has spent over 35 billion to date in trying to accomplish the same task.

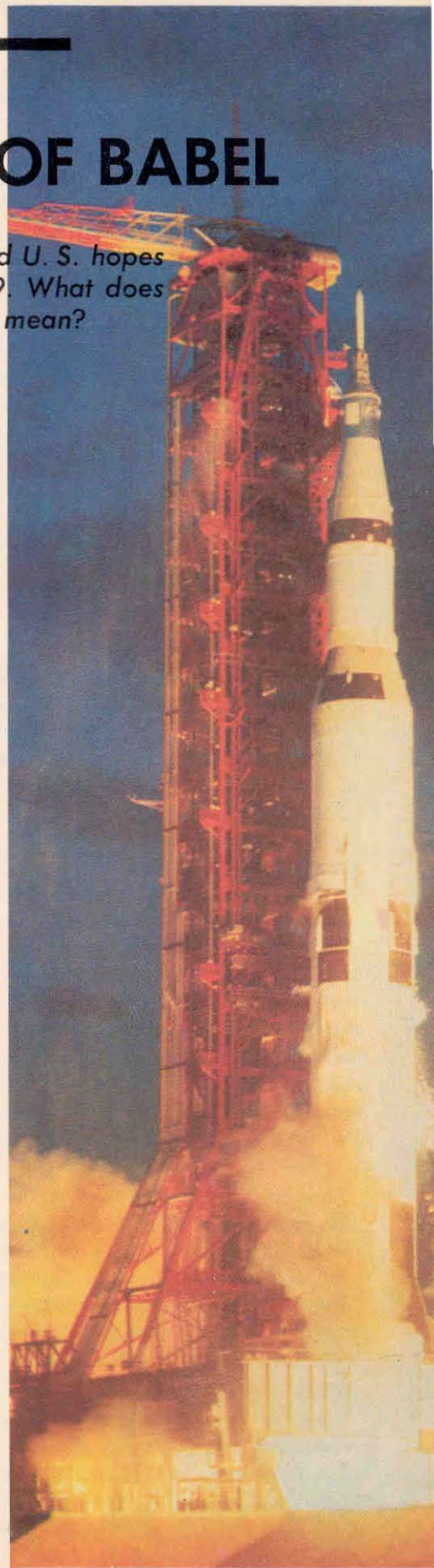
Just what are the nations really trying to accomplish?

"We Built This"

There were more than 300,000 persons in 20,000 firms across the United States who worked on some phase of the development of Apollo 4's hard-

UPI Photo

The world's mightiest rocket — the giant Saturn V — lifts slowly from its launching pad on a maiden mission into space. Launch officials termed the flight as "at least 99 percent" successful.



ware. And *every single part had to perform perfectly!*

It was a fantastic effort in cooperation and harmony in the products of one person coming into direct interaction with the products of another; the systems of one manufacturer interacting with and feeding into the systems of another contractor.

And everything performed **FLAWLESSLY** — *all two million parts!*

The Apollo 4 has been called an "Iceberg" because the public sees only a tiny fraction of the effort and equipment put into it. Apollo 4 was molded over a period of years in a hundred thousand component and engine and stage tests. The flight itself was just another in the series of tests — but a test on a grand scale, with three stages mated together.

Tremendous Accomplishment

Dr. George E. Mueller, elated Associate Administrator for Manned Space Flight, National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), said this: "No one underestimates the enormity of the task that has been accomplished and that is still waiting for us. All the blood, sweat, and anguish that went into the building of the pyramids, all the hurry-up scientific genius that went into the Manhattan atomic bomb development project, all the sixty years of preparatory aircraft work that went into the supersonic transport — **THOSE THREE COMBINED** just *begin to equal* what Americans have accomplished in the past six years leading to this launch" (SKYLINE, North American Aviation's quarterly publication, Vol. 25, Nov. 3, 1967).

Another article in the same publication reported: "Few other projects in the history of the United States have been so thoroughly integrated into the National economy. In few other projects have American workmen, *collectively*, been able to say with equal emphasis, 'WE BUILT THIS.'"

Isn't it amazing that our modern technological society is able to accomplish *collectively* such marvelous feats of stupendous scientific effort — able to build and guide huge metal monsters to precise targets — and yet *can't* plan

and steer a course to peace, happiness, security and freedom from war?

Why do our marriages fail? *Why* do so many farms and businesses go bankrupt? *Why* is the weather in revolution? *Why* are we plagued with fear of crime, with violence of all descriptions stalking our cities and towns? The nations can't seem to make society function together smoothly!

Technological feats we can accomplish! But three hundred thousand people working together to formulate some kind of a plan for harmonious living in a community would be doomed to **UTTER FAILURE!**

When it comes to building a gleaming metal giant like a modern *Tower of Babel*, people can unite with absolute determined effort to produce a nearly miraculous scientific and technological achievement!

An Amazing Parallel

Over four thousand years ago, an amazing parallel to what is happening today occurred.

Men then began to build a gigantic tower (Gen. 11:4). They wanted to build this enormous tower as a *symbol* of their government — of what they were trying to achieve.

Under the leadership of Nimrod, the world's first despot (Gen. 10:8-10), men began to organize themselves. And at that time, there were no language barriers because everyone spoke the *same* language (Gen. 11:1).

And so, "It came to pass... that they found a plain in the land of Shinar; and they dwelt there. And they said one to another... 'Let us make brick and burn them thoroughly.' And they had brick for stone, and slime [bitumen] had they for mortar. And they said... 'Let us build us a city and a tower, whose top may reach *unto heaven*...'" (verses 2-4).

These men finally built a symbol of their *God-rejecting society*. But notice what happened at this ancient Tower of Babel.

"And the Eternal came down," in verse 5, "to see the city and the tower, which the children of men builded. And the Eternal said, 'Behold, the peo-

ple is one, and they have all one language; and this they begin to do.'"

God saw this was just a *beginning!* "And now **NOTHING** WILL BE RESTRAINED FROM THEM, which they have *imagined to do*" (verse 6).

There it is! Because the earth was of *one language* and men were *unitedly working together*, absolutely **NOTHING** would be *restrained* from man's imagination!

Yes, that's exactly what God meant!

God saw that men would rapidly develop scientifically and technologically. God knew that **ABSOLUTELY NOTHING** would be too difficult for man's scientific genius — that he was already then well on the road to an explosion in scientific knowledge.

It was not yet God's time to allow mankind to advance this far — *that soon*.

God Intervenes

Notice what God did at this early stage of man's scientific and technological development. God said, "Let us go down, and there confound their language, that they may not understand one another's speech. So the Eternal scattered them abroad from thence upon the face of all the earth: and they left off to build the city" (verses 7-8).

If God had not intervened to stifle man's inventive genius by scattering humanity and confusing their language at that time, *absolutely nothing* would have stopped humanity from committing **COSMOCIDE** centuries ago!

Today man has finally succeeded in overcoming language barriers. And he is once again **UNITING** and **POOLING** his scientific genius! Witness the fantastic developments in every scientific field — the H-bomb, intercontinental rockets, and now the space race and the relentless drive to the moon!

Do you realize *how fast* man has achieved this fantastic stage of development?

It has just taken mankind only *one generation* to come to stand now on the brink of *interplanetary travel* — and on the brink of **SELF-ANNIHILATION!**

World leaders and scientists *recognize* and are constantly **WARNING** us that it is now possible to annihilate all

life from the face of this earth! No longer do they talk about the mass murder of whole cities, or even entire continents. Now they speak in terms of "OVERKILL"!

Already enough nuclear weapons are stockpiled in the U.S. and the USSR to totally annihilate all human life from this planet many times over!

Just ONCE would be enough!

It is time you learned the real meaning of the space race — the true significance behind this fantastic race to the moon. You need to find what lies beyond the purely "scientific" aspects of these technological achievements and where it is all leading.

World Rule at Stake Today!

Today we are assured that the space race is all in the interests of "peaceful scientific research and exploration" — for the promotion of scientific discovery, for inventiveness, for additional knowledge about our moon, the solar system and the universe.

But *why*?

Because man is just naturally inquisitive? Is that why the nations are prepared to spend billions upon billions of dollars on this type of experimentation and research?

That's what we're being constantly told. But the *fact* remains it is a grim and bizarre race — a race of one technology against another, one society against another — for MANNED CONTROL OF THE WORLD *from the space around it, and from the very moon itself!*

Any nation which could first master SPACE surrounding the earth, proving itself capable of building huge *space stations* — of building scientific and MILITARY BASES in space and on the moon itself — and keep others from doing so, would find itself possessing OVERWHELMING military superiority.

Don't deceive yourself. This is an OBVIOUS fact to hundreds of military men in many nations around the world!

Dr. Werner von Braun, former German rocket expert, now working for the U.S. missile program, has said: "Whether we like it or not, we are engaged in a worldwide popularity contest with the Soviets. . . . I do not think we can dismiss this grim

competition as a weight lifting contest between rival rocket teams. When the whole world sits in the audience and the heavens are the stage, pride and prestige are real issues. . . . I am convinced that he who controls the open space around us is in a *position to control the earth.*"

RULERSHIP OF THIS EARTH IS THE REAL PRIZE AT STAKE!

Politicians have tried their best to keep the *military* significance of the space race under wraps. Already dozens of secret satellites have rocketed into orbit from U.S. and Soviet launching sites. Soon, military spacemen will rocket into space, orbiting the earth in space laboratories.

No one doubts for a moment that if Soviet Russia should achieve literal colonization of the moon and put orbiting space stations equipped with nuclear weapons around the earth *before* the United States, she would use them!

Already the Soviet Union boasts the means of orbiting H-bomb warheads! With several in orbit, there would be no country or part of this earth that would be safe at any moment from a completely *unexpected* nuclear bomb attack. Then nation after nation would come under Communist domination.

The United States is in a race to *prevent* that!

The truth of the matter is that the overriding urgency of the space race is *purely military* — in spite of what anybody may say to the contrary! The nations have been plunged headlong into a race which involves ultimately the domination of the world — not just the mere acquisition of additional scientific knowledge.

Think for a moment what all this means!

It means that civilization is drawing nearer to committing COSMOCIDE — SUICIDE *of the whole human race!*

Offensive utilization of outer space would be just another step toward making the desolation of our planet that much more COMPLETE — *unless something is done to STOP IT!*

Jesus Christ predicted these terrifying times over nineteen hundred years ago. He said: "And except the Lord had shortened those days, no flesh

should be saved [ALIVE] . . ." (Mark 13:20).

Do you understand the tremendous import of those words?

They mean each new Saturn-Apollo launching will be another *awesome warning* that we are NEARER the potential destruction of all mankind! That all mankind — if God should not intervene — would be literally *blasted* off the face of this earth. That man, in trying to reach out and conquer space, and in trying to conquer the world, would finally DESTROY HIMSELF!

God Will Intervene!

There is hope! God Almighty WILL INTERVENE. He will NOT allow the scientific genius of man to destroy all life from this planet! He is going to send Jesus Christ again — this time to save us from OURSELVES! And bring us peace at last!

Yet *countless* intelligent, well-educated men and women scoff at the thought that Jesus Christ is soon to return. They RIDICULE! They are the typical product of an age that has lost sight of the *reality* of God.

This age prides itself on being the most intellectual, the most cosmopolitan and "worldly wise" that has ever existed. Yet it has completely lost sight of the true basis of all knowledge: *What* we are, *why* we are, *what* is the PURPOSE of *human existence!*

If men *knew* the answers to these questions, humanity would not now be facing total annihilation. But men have forgotten God and His revealed Word — the Bible. Christ must soon return to prevent world suicide, to rule this earth and bring us peace and happiness at last.


Be sure to write for the free booklet, *The Wonderful World Tomorrow — What It Will Be Like*. It shows exactly what's ahead in the next few years, and what this earth will be like under the rule of Jesus Christ.

Also write for our free booklets *Why Were You Born?* and *Who Will Rule Space?* These booklets answer the big questions about your very existence that you have always wondered about.

Write for them now — *before you forget!*

PROPHECY *comes alive*

IN TODAY'S WORLD NEWS



A DAY AND A HALF from national bankruptcy! That is how close to the economic brink Great Britain came before the decision was made to devalue the pound from \$2.80 to \$2.40.

The government's emergency action on Saturday night, November 18, came after weeks of attacks on the pound that had sent it to its lowest level in years. A whopping \$300,000,000 trade deficit in October, compounded by disastrous communist-inspired dock strikes, was the "last straw."

The *Times* of London reported that the Bank of England spent more than \$560,000,000 of its scarce gold and dollar reserves Friday (the day before devaluation) to buy pounds in a last-ditch effort to maintain sterling's \$2.80 level.

But it was to no avail. Britain's inability to put her economy in order had destroyed confidence in the pound. Foreign governments and their bankers, with the French talking toughest of all, demanded that Britain should settle its affairs once and for all, and decide its course by the weekend. Observers predicted that, without drastic action, the nation would go broke when foreign exchange markets reopened Monday morning.

Only Choice

London took the only logical way out—a moderate (14.3%) devaluation coupled with a promised \$1.4 billion loan from the International Monetary Fund. A larger loan with no devaluation would have placed crippling restrictions on the British economy. But far worse, a more drastic

devaluation — such as 30% — with no loan would have thrown the whole world into economic turmoil. And possible depression would have followed with nation after nation adjusting currencies downward in panic speed. Despite the pound's weakness, a third of free world trade is still transacted in pound sterling.

The 14.3% cut could be "lived with," reasoned bankers in the continental European nations, who promised no corresponding devaluation of their currencies. Britain, moreover, bought needed time. Exports should rise — if dock strikes are settled. But eventually, the higher prices Britons must now pay for imports will eat into this temporary advantage.

Watch for the full explanation of Britain's latest crisis and how it affects the United States—in next month's **PLAIN TRUTH**. You will also see the alarming facts of a gigantic worldwide **TRADE WAR** now under way.

For the moment Great Britain and the United States have narrowly escaped economic disaster — and for one reason. This Work — proclaiming the Gospel of the coming Kingdom of God, and warning our peoples of impending national calamity (Mat. 24: 14) — is not yet finished!

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"America the Violent"

Americans view the recent rampaging breakdown of authority in Communist China with bewildering contempt and disdain. But what Americans don't realize is that other nations — Europeans and Russians in particular — are looking at the United States in the same manner.

Here is what they see via their news media: anti-government rallies and violent "peace" demonstrations; riots in colleges and now even high schools; and virtual insurrections in the cities. European newspapers publish front page "battle maps" every summer showing U.S. cities wracked by riots.

Most disgraceful fact of all must be that the President, the Vice-President, and other top cabinet aides can no longer travel in complete safety within their own country. Wherever they appear, angry crowds are certain to gather.

One such ugly demonstration erupted outside a hotel in New York City November 14 when Secretary of State Dean Rusk appeared for a speaking engagement. Mr. Rusk was forced to enter the building through the garage entrance.

Some top government officials are fearful for President Johnson's life should he undertake an extensive election campaign tour in 1968. Four U.S. presidents have been assassinated in the past 102 years.

What an example the United States — the supposed bastion of freedom — is setting for the rest of the world.

"Thou makest us a reproach to our neighbors, a *scorn and derision* to them that are round about us. Thou makest us a byword among the heathen, a *shaking of the head* among the people" (Psalm 44:14-15). This Psalm is prophetic — see verse 4. It is referring to the nations descended from "Jacob" — modern United States and Britain. The same indictment is found in Ezek. 5:14-15.

Grave Implications for World

While the developed nations prepare to battle among themselves, the plight of the rest of humanity worsens by the hour. And crippling restrictions on world trade threaten to add only more misery to the underdeveloped two thirds of the world.

Rudolf A. Peterson, president of the Bank of America, warned a group of international businessmen in London on November 15 that if the economic consequences to the world of the coming trade clash seem "unpleasant, *the political reverberations are awesome.*"

"We are marching steadily toward a dangerous confrontation between the rich and poor nations of this very small planet," said Peterson.

Then, in a casual reference to the Book of Revelation, Peterson warned:

"The stork has outpaced the plow in at least two thirds of the world. *Famine*, the first of the dreaded four horsemen, is at the starting gate! Without the cohesion of the Atlantic region, the peace and prosperity — indeed the *ultimate survival* — of mankind could be in dire jeopardy."

Mr. Peterson is correct — almost. Actually, famine is the *third* of the "four horsemen" pictured in the sixth chapter of Revelation. After the "white horse" (religious deception) and the "red horse" (war) we find the "black horse" described in verse 5:

"And he that sat on him had a pair of balances in his hand. And I" — reports John in verse 6 — "heard a voice in the midst of the four beasts say, A measure of wheat for a penny and three measures of barley for a penny; and see thou hurt not the oil and the wine."

This symbolizes the spreading worldwide famine and growing scarcity of food stocks. The world is already into the beginning stages of this third "black horse" of Revelation.

"Already Too Late" says Biologists

Some of the most shocking predictions concerning food and famine were sounded November 16. In a speech at the University of Texas, Stanford University biologist Paul Ehrlich said it

is *already too late* for the world to avoid major famines.

Ehrlich said the "time of famines" is upon us and will be *at its worst and most disastrous by 1975.*

Ehrlich remarked that experts keep saying the world food supply will have to be tripled to feed the 6 or 7 billion people they expect to be living in the year 2000. "That may be possible theoretically but it is clear that it is totally impossible in practice," he said, adding that it is "shockingly apparent that the battle to feed humanity will end in a rout."

Strong words — startling words — but in Ehrlich's opinion, it is no longer any use trying to avoid the coming world famine. The best thing to do now, he believes, is to look past the "time of famines" and *hope to have a second*

chance to control world population sometime in the future.

Ehrlich said we have to *hope* that the world famines of the next 20 years will not lead to thermonuclear war and the extinction of the human species. "*We must assume man will get another chance,*" he concluded (*L. A. Times*, November 17, 1967).

Professor Ehrlich, too, is correct — *partially.* Unbelievable famines and catastrophes lie directly ahead of us.

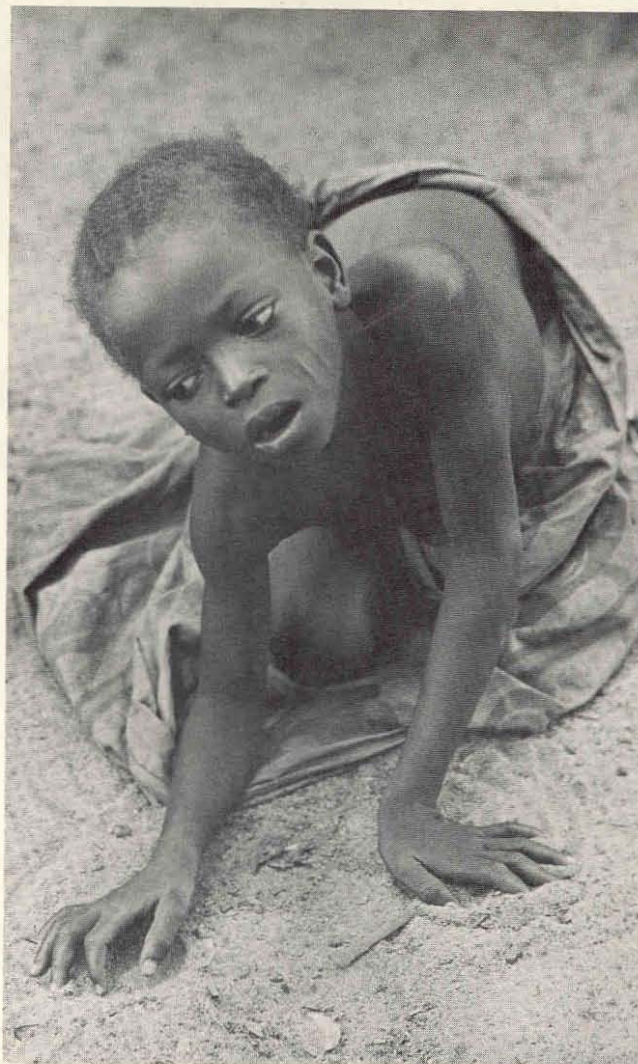
That's true. Many experts can foresee it. Book after book is suddenly being published to *shock, alarm, alert* a sleepy world of what is just around the corner.

But increasingly, the experts themselves are almost totally pessimistic. Some have said whole nations must be simply "written off" as hopeless cases. Now comes the latest belief that all is

lost, and we can only *hope* for "another chance" beyond the famines ahead.

What is the answer? The truth is we will have a new world — a world of plenty — beyond the perilous days immediately ahead. There is hope!

Our beautifully illustrated booklet, *The Wonderful World Tomorrow, What It Will Be Like* explains this coming new era of worldwide prosperity in exciting detail. Write for it. It's free. Also request the two booklets, *The Book of Revelation Unveiled at Last* and *The Key to the Book of Revelation*, which unlock for your understanding the many prophecies pertaining to today's age and the soon-coming World Tomorrow.



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A child starving from lack of protein in Africa. Every day, 12,000 people die around the world from starvation or malnutrition.

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★ RIOTS ROCK TOKYO

After two decades of isolation, Japan has begun to break out of its national cocoon. Japan is once again beginning to play a major role in shaping the destiny of Southeast Asia. Recent rioting has highlighted opposition to Prime Minister Sato. Here is an eyewitness account of the rioting and the reasons behind the opposition. See page 3.

★ THE UNFINISHED REVOLUTION

This year — 1967 — the USSR threw open its doors to visitors. To bring our readers the true picture of life under Communism — and insight into the little-known goals of the Communist Party, we continue, in this issue, the second in a series of spectacular eyewitness reports on the Soviet Union. See page 6.

★ MOTH HOLES IN EVOLUTION THEORY

Today, many people are willing to compromise. They accept evolution — and yet claim to believe in God. Are the two mutually compatible? Can you really believe in GOD and evolution? Read, in this article how such ideas are full of holes — moth holes to be exact! See page 9.

★ WHAT'S KEEPING YOU FROM REAL SUCCESS?

There are definite "keys" that can make your business — your family — your LIFE — more successful. Few know what they are! See page 28.

★ WHAT DOES RUDOLPH'S RED NOSE AND EGGNOG HAVE TO DO WITH CHRIST'S BIRTHDAY?

"PEACE on earth, GOOD WILL toward men" may sound trite and hollow this year. But in SPITE of terrifying world troubles, the traditional, commercial, CHIEF of the "Christian" holidays looms on the horizon once again. Chances are, you would FLUNK MISERABLY in a simple test about its origins. Go ahead — take a chance — find out! See page 31.

★ SATURN V — 20TH CENTURY TOWER OF BABEL

Success of the Saturn V moon rocket has revived U. S. hopes of landing astronauts on the moon in late 1969. What does this sudden quickening of the space race mean? See page 45.

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