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--Baron FRARY von BLOMBERG (THE VOICE, December 1958)

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Correspondence: Please write clearly - I do not guarantee to read illegible letters. I cannot personally take on any more regular pen-friends, as I want to spread my time, money and energy fairly among the greatest possible number of people.

--p.c.

FROM

PAKISTAN: Guest Editorial... and...

SPECIAL
FEATURE
ARTICLE

UNITY & BROTHERHOOD

by

ZAWAR-WA-ALHAJ ABBASSI GHULAM MUHAMMED

"UNITY" means, essentially, concord, agreement in aim and one-ness.

"BROTHERHOOD" is derived from the word "brother," the definitions of which are:- one having the same parents; a kinsman of the same family; or, in a more general sense, a fellow-man. Therefore brotherhood is an attitude of brotherly attachment, implying fraternity, fellowship and association.

This unity and brotherhood is according to the commandments of the Almighty Lord. When all nations are made to unite together, then automatically and naturally a brotherhood will arise. How can this unity be gained? This unity and brotherhood will alone be achieved by adopting the following measures on a world-wide basis:

1/ By forming and adopting an international language such as Volapuk, Esperanto, Globaqo, etc., for the purpose of Universalised communication throughout the entire body of Mankind. In my humble view, Globaqo could be the best medium of all.

2/ By introducing international pen-friendship, which is a most beneficial way to achieve brotherhood by exchange of thoughts, views and gifts.

3/ By creating a parliament of members of all communities and nationalities; this should be elected from among commoners, and not nominated by governments. This body should decide disputes on a fair, sound basis to safeguard peace.

4/ There should be no distinction of caste, creed, religion or colour. Let a working-class person of any race become a great personality or prominent figure by his honest work and genuine character. All should enjoy the rights of those who are born with a silver spoon in their mouth.

5/ There should Freedom of customs, religious rites, trade, press, speech and travel. Equal sharing of natural resources by all peoples. There should be an International Code of Law, based on the laws of religion and the will of the people.

6/ It should be the duty of each government to safeguard the interests and boundaries of their neighbouring countries, in accordance with international law. There should be international law for the upkeep of currency, postal and other communications, and transportation systems.

7/ The public should establish associations and committees for the cause of peace, unity and brotherhood, not only for the sake of their own country, but also for the peace of the whole world. By doing so, they would set an example for the younger generation to follow. This object can only be achieved by means of wide publicity, with the aid of free literature, public speeches, films and lantern-slides on the topic.

8/ It should be the duty of all countries to donate liberally to nations which suffer calamities, e.g. famines, floods, epidemics, earthquakes and other distresses. Likewise, the at present more-advanced countries should make contributions of food and other commodities to the underdeveloped lands; and should award scholarships to worthy students from such lands.

9/ There should be World-Citizen rights, which would enable any qualifying citizen to travel or live in any country.

10/ People of all nations should be assured, through the medium of international law, of the right to employment; and should have social insurance to cover accident, sickness and old age.

11/ Such international laws should be framed as would create good morality in the minds of the people, and should promote the physical, moral, spiritual, economical religious and social welfare of all people. The leadership should obviously be guided by spiritual values, and not take the form of materialistic domination.

12/ Wars should be discouraged and put to an end.

ADVANTAGES OF UNITY & BROTHERHOOD

1. There will be a single language known to all people.

2. There will reign peace and happiness, rather than war and pain.

3. There will be no dearth of any food-stuff, clothing, machinery or other commodities of every day's requirement.

4. Education will spread throughout the world, reaching every nook and corner. Young and old will be educated and more civilised. By studying the laws of nature there will be no more ill-health.

5. Full employment will remove poverty and personal conflict; it would result in less crime.

6. Due to free trade and freedom of the seas, the price of all commodities would fall, bringing all produce within the reach of everyone. People of every nation could go freely to distant places, whether for pilgrimage or pleasure-trip, at a very low cost.

7. There would be no more hatred, vengeance, enmity, untouchability or backwardness.

PEACE - SEEKING INSTITUTIONS

There are so many institutions who have come forward for the cause of Unity and Brotherhood throughout the world, and a list of very few is given here:-

1. Universal Alliance, Bougie, Algeria (Director: Prof. Gabriel Canet).
2. Moumento par la Universal, Argentina.
3. Cominidade Religion, Brazil.
4. International Buddhist Mission, Burma.
5. Greater World Christian Spiritualist League, England.
6. The Federation of East & West, Windermere, England.
7. THE VOICE UNIVERSAL, 8 Watling Road, Southwick, Sussex, England.
8. The New Jerusalem Fellowship, Fairhaven, Undercliff, Leigh, England.
9. General Welfare Movement, 68 Rutland Crescent, Trowbridge, England.
10. United Nations Assn., 25 Charles Street, London (branches everywhere)
11. Ananai-Kyo, Shimizu City, Japan.
12. Cosmopolitan Society, West Germany.
13. Unified World Communion, 9 Chalfont Road, London S.E.25, England.
14. Divine Life Society, Rishikesh, U.P., India: and Yoga-Vedanta University, same address - both headed by Sri Swami Sivananda.
15. Spiritual Fellowship, 807 North Maria Avenue, Redondo Beach, Calif.
16. Bibliateca Portenspea, Italy.
17. Associated councils of Social Engineers, Box 2137, Fullerton, Calif.
18. The Pak Free Circulating Library, Latoria, Larkana, Sind, Pakistan.
19. Volunteers of U.N., Box 19, Cambridge 33, Mass., U.S.A.
20. World peace Assn., ~~Minneapolis~~ Jenkins, Minn., U.S.A.
21. World University Roundtable, P.O.Box 68, Huntingdon Park, Calif, USA
22. Around The World Circulating Library, 1264 Gamble Avenue, Escondido, California, U.S.A.
23. Caravan East & West, 132 East 65th, New York 21, N.Y., U.S.A.
24. World Committee on Peaceful Cooperation, 1920 N.Gramercy Place, Los Angeles 23, Calif., U.S.A. (Treasurer: C.W.Thorlow).

To conclude this, I appeal to all peace-loving individuals of all nations to come in contact with and co-operate with such societies and institutions, in action and spirit, so that International Unity and Brotherhood may be established throughout the world as early as possible.

-- Zawar-Wa-Alhaj Abbassi Ghulam Muhammed, near Primary School, Muhalla Latoria, Larkana (Sind), West Pakistan.

The FEDERATION of EAST & WEST

AN INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY DESIGNED TO PROMOTE THE COLLECTIVE WELFARE OF ALL LIFE

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THE EDITOR'S LETTER

15 April 1961

Dear Folks,

It is rather a long time since you last saw EAST & WEST NEWS, but here we are again. In the meantime we've had various publications, such as "proceedings" of the FEW Federal Council, address-lists, etc. Also I've written a lot of letters and done other things too miscellaneous to mention. In the three months of January, February and March 1961 I used over 600 postage stamps.... which is one indice of our activity....

Many thanks for all the letters and magazines which you sent recently - including EQUALITARIAN BULLETIN and other items sent in bulk for distribution.

The plan for our future publishing program is to concentrate all contact-addresses, library stocklists, etc., into EAST & WEST NEWS, produce EWN more frequently (our older readers will smile cynically at that oft-used phrase!), and avoid minor separate Publications.

I wonder how many readers we will lose through adding "SOVIET NEWS Reprints" to our regular features. Even in the FEW there are those ostriches who say "I don't wish to know that !" and hide their heads in the sand. However, after Yuri Gagarin's space-flight, I think even the most hard-boiled westerner would like to know more of the inside story of USSR and the other "Socialist Countries." Such knowledge is the price of survival.

1961 is my tenth year of publishing, although it doesn't seem that long. Here's a summary of the record:-

- 1st year (1952): I started with a bulletin called HORSE-LAUGH.
- 2nd year: ANDROMEDA - a science-fiction fan-magazine of 50 pages.
- 3rd year: ANDROMEDA's circulation reached 250.
- 4th year: ANDROMEDA continued as a monthly, in its final year.
- 5th year: EAST & WEST, frontier-science magazine, started.
- 6th year: EAST & WEST increased (temporarily) to 1,000 copies.
- 7th year: Formation of the Federation of East & West.
- 8th year: The magazine became EAST & WEST NEWS (circulation 500).
- 9th year: The SECTIONAL DIRECTORY of F.E.W. members.
- 10th year (1961): E.W.N. is now stabilised at 1,000 copies of each issue; no less would be enough, no more is possible.

I celebrated the occasion by getting a new typewriter and a new duplicator. The duplicator, which came today, is a Gestetner 300 - a fine piece of engineering; they cost £85, but I got it cheaper as a result of an extremely favourable trade-in for my old machine. Eleven pages of this magazine are being printed on it.... (work of the old Gestetner Six can sometimes be identified by 'fading' at the right-hand side of the page, due to a worn roller).

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The typewriter is a Royalux 450 at about £37. When received, it had to immediately go in again for overhauling; but I think it will cut good sharp stencils when we finally get it into working order....

By the year-end, April 30, I'll be more than £180 in the red; the loss would have been ever greater if it was not for a number of large 'pay As You Like' gifts which various members sent last year. Notable contributions included sums of from £1-0-0 to £3-4-0 from Hemlata Devi, Lucie D. Trachim, Mr. Waspe, Agnes Ritchie, Dr. H. Bourne Taylor, Frank Lockwood, Dr. J.P. Grant, Stanley Nelson, Dr. G.B. Gardner, George Arnsby Jones, Mr. Rickwood, Charles Nelson Stewart, William Wheeler, Mrs. Freida H. -parker and the Rev. C.A. Cady. Besides these were many other gifts of between 1/- and 2.00 dollars; and numerous people sent stamps, books, magazines, duplicating ink and other things of use to us.

Our earnest thanks are due to all these worthy supporters.

F.E.W. news: Dr. Janos Foldi, our crippled member in Kisujszallas, Hungary, was married in December to a lady named Lia. Helmut Bein and Helga Bacher, of the Halle district in eastern Germany, are engaged. Valida Diehl (Escondido, California) is still recovering from her auto accident of early last year.

The FEW affiliation with the Around-The-World Circulating Library (run by Valida and Harry Diehl) was endorsed by a vote of 317 for, none against, in the FEW Federal Council. This is the heaviest voting ever. We are also now affiliated with LUFORO - London UFO Research Organisation - which publishes the extremely informative LUFORO BULLETIN: if you're interested in flying saucers (UFO: Unidentified Flying Object) be sure to send an inquiry to Miss Susanne R. Stebbing, Hon. Sec. LUFORO, 26 Walmington Fold, London N.12. An affiliation between the Commonwealth of World Citizens and the FEW is currently being negotiated by Geoff Cooper, who is a very active member of both organisations.

A new Constitution, long needed, is being drafted for the FEW; any member who wishes to see an advance copy of the draft should apply to me, and will have an opportunity to vote for or against the acceptance of it. Yours truly was very pleased to receive an honorary degree of Doctor in Literature from the Ministerial Training College (Doncaster, England), in recognition of my "work in creative writing." The Library Stocklist in this issue is not complete, and will be continued in future issues. The books can be borrowed from my address; pay postage if you can. Many items have been passed to other libraries in the "FEW Chain of Associated Libraries." An FEW Emblem Contest will be held soon. I had hoped to announce the rules in this issue, but as arrangements are only half-made yet, it is better to wait until next issue. Don't send any entries yet.....just think about it, and about what the F.E.W. stands for !

Best wishes;

pete Campbell

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PHILOSOPHY OF LIVING

by R U S E L J A Q U E

FREEFOLK FACE FACTS

(condensed from
FREEFOLK GUIDE)

UP FROM THE abyss of untamed wills.....out of the dense fog of state-church-craft, slavery, exploitation.....free from dogma, fear, violence
.....appear the freefolk economy of individual freedom.

Free-will, free-being, free-talk.....so comes freedom in ancient China, in classic Greece, in present-day America ! Free-living follows free-viewpoint. Free viewpoint comes from facing facts. Facts refer to possibilities actually experienced by someone, somewhere, sometime. Some individuals disregard facts: consequently they suffer from exploitation, poverty, hunger, disease, insanity, war. Other people freely consider facts of experience. They select best-present possibilities, now !

So, let us review the facts of civilisation's present lapse:

1--Centralisation of industry, congestion of inhabitants in cities and metropolitan areas, highspeed air and auto traffic have lowered the public health level, fostering, wage-slavery, disease, accidents, gangsterism and political machines.

2--Over-taxation, big-business and power-politics have built top-heavy bureaucracy, for military dictatorship of the world.

3--The average worker pays taxes equal to 70 to 80 days income.

4--Monopolies of money, credit, patents, copyrights, rent, taxes, power, water and land, enslave workers to the profit-debt system.

5--Sectarianism of schools, churches, religions, nations, alliances and ideologies, conceal the inherent freedom of man.

6--Semantic blockages (complexes acquired in use of words) perpetuate fanaticism, political chicanery, nationalism and purges.

7--Atmosphere permeated with carbon monoxide from automobiles or heaters poisons the bloodstream of breathers. Known poisons carried by tobacco-smoke enter the bloodstream within seconds of inhalation.

8--Medicines compounded from inorganic chemicals are non-assimilable in the human organism. Witness: mineral oil, epsom salts, etc., and all coal-tar products or derivatives such as aspirin and saccharine.

9--Practically all fruits and vegetables on public markets contain the residue of poisonous chemical sprays and fertilisers.

10--Chlorinated city water remains inimical to health, and is an incident of cancer. Witness: Dr.C.S.Cameron, American Cancer Society.

Unavoidable conclusion: Millions of human mortals for over two thousand years have accepted myths, legends, forgeries, bibles, korans to live by and die by. They have permitted themselves to be enslaved to mere words, and ideas of questionable origin and purpose. Civilisation looms as a diabolical temple that builders of 'christianism' ignorantly fabricated, where before there stood nature's amphitheatre !

Mankind has arrived at the termination of the capitalistic, industrial, munitionary age. Political-machine gangsters in high office, corruption, bankruptcy, liquidation of British Empire, atomic arms race, frantic efforts to confine Russia by rearming western Europe, currency devaluation, widespread strikes, all these things mark the funeral march of present civilisation's artificial economy.

Next issue, Rusel Jaque presents his personal way of living, as a solution to the problems indicated above. Watch for "Freefolk Find Freedom" !

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((By arrangement with Mr. Charles Witt of the I.C.F. U.K. Branch, the International Cultural Forum and Crusading For Health are now closely associated with the Federation of East & West. Some one hundred people have joint membership in all three organisations. We welcome I.C.F. and C.F.H. supporters to the F.E.W. circle, and hope that this affiliation will give all who read this a new impetus to continue working for our cause - An International Community Designed To Promote the Common Welfare of All LIFE ! --peter campbell))

the CONTACTS COLUMN

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Ernst Eigel, Rather, Schochwitz, bei Halle. 17. Peace, physics, electrical amateur. L: German, English, Russian.

Rudolf Kleemann, Fienstedt, bei Halle. 16. Stamps, pf. L;
German, English, Russian.

Karlheinz Pflug, Neuendorf, Königswusterhausen. 21. Peace, stamps. L: German, English, Russian, French.

Wolfgang Rabin, Gorlitz, Rothenburgerstrasse 34,. Viewcards, stamps, FDCs, magazines. 21. L: German, English, a little French.

Walter Roc Raedler, Horka NL, Kr.Niesky. Middle-aged; L: German, Interlingua.

Wolfgang Rausch, Fienstedt, bei Halle. 16; peace; stamps, sport. L: German, English, Russian.

Miss Karin Slatosch, Beesenstedt, uber Halle, Karl Marxstrasse 15. pf., films, stamps, books, peace. Age 16. L: German. Russian.

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Ladli prashad, 260 Shukrawara. "My aims are to promote uni-
versal friendship and unity among nations, bringing peace, Justice
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Udaya Kumar Kekre, C/o Arun Bhuwan, Subhash Road. pf, stamps.13.

Rajendra Kumar Verma, 39 Shivajiganj. Pf., stamps.

Premprakash Jhavar, 17 Shivajiganj. pf., stamps.

Kant Poranik, C/o Mr. Raja Bhav Poranik, Shivajiganj. Age 15;
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AVERAGE LENGTH of WORKING WEEK in U. S. S. R. is under 39½ HOURS

THE AVERAGE length of the working week in the USSR is 39.4 hours, said Leonid Solovyov, secretary of the All-Union Central Council of Trade Unions, speaking on April 11 at the international seminar of representatives of trade-union organisations of 23 countries of Asia, Africa, Latin America and Europe, now being held in Tashkent, the capital of Uzbekistan.

"The Soviet trade-unions with their membership of 56 millions," Solovyov said, "have unlimited opportunities for raising with the government and economic organisations any questions concerning production, labour and the life of the factory and office workers.

"For instance, it was on the initiative of the trade-unions that new laws were promulgated on pensions, on higher wages for the lower-paid categories and on shorter working hours."

After stressing the steady growth of the earnings of Soviet workers, Solovyov pointed out that the living standard of the Soviet working people is not determined by the size of their earnings alone. They also get paid holidays, and free medical services and education, and pay little or nothing when their children go to kindergartens and nurseries.

Solovyov said Soviet trade-unions were now maintaining contact with trade-unions in 80 countries. He regretted the fact that in recent years the leaders of the CIO of the United States and the British TUC had unilaterally broken off that co-operation which at one time had played an important part in the peoples' struggle against the fascist aggressors and in strengthening the unity of the working people of all countries.

"Our conviction," he said, "is that it is necessary and possible to put an end to the split in the trade-union movement. All the necessary conditions for this exist." ((SOVIET NEWS 13-4-61))

APPLICATIONS to STUDY at FRIENDSHIP UNIVERSITY

SEVEN HUNDRED students will be enrolled this year at the Peoples' Friendship University in Moscow. About two thousand applications have already been received from young people of Asia, Africa and Latin America. The deadline for applications is April 30 and the university council will begin selecting candidates early in May. All applicants will receive answers informing them of the council's decision before the end of May. ((SOVIET NEWS 11-4-61))

As the commercialised press give such poor coverage to Soviet news, we will include "SOVIET NEWS Reprints" in each issue of E.W.N.

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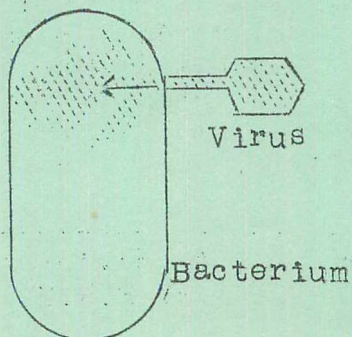
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by C. NELSON STEWART, M.A.
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RECENTLY I had the privilege, and indeed excitement, of listening to Professor George W. Beadle of the University of Oxford, lecturing on GENES AND THE NATURE OF LIFE. A Nobel Prize winner and former worker at CalTech, Professor Beadle has the gift of exposition which seems to come naturally to many of those who are profound masters of their subjects.

Since we all of us grew from a fertilised egg, it is now obvious that what we grow into is somehow coded into the nucleic particles of that first cell. Experimental investigation and proof of this is impossible in our case. We have some clues that haemoglobin, for instance, a protein with amino-acids with iron, etc., has about 300 amino-acids per half-molecule. The "instructions" which link the molecules are subject to chance (an open end to a closed end). So that we can get a variant like S-haemoglobin, or sickle-cell haemoglobin, which has one glutamic amino-acid in an abnormal position in the string of 300: but the consequences can be serious.

We need the simplest beings with quick reproduction to be able to study this question of how information is built in. Even in a bacterium there may be 10,000 kinds of molecules: but there is a still simpler form of life -- a virus. Is a virus really living? Some can be crystallised. Does it have the qualities of true life? Professor Beadle said we might define Life as "the ability to replicate by using 'building-blocks', and also of having the ability to mutate."

The simplest virus has two kinds of molecules -- all have protein coats, but also nucleic acids. A virus which attacks bacteria is the most convenient object of study, because it is simple and its cycle of life extremely rapid. It has a polygonal



head or body and a tube-like tail which fastens on the coat of the bacterium. Processes take place which result in the nucleic content of the virus being squirted along the tube and into the interior of the bacterium. There replication begins from the material surrounding. The nucleus doubles in each $1\frac{1}{2}$ minutes, and the bacterium starts

making the protein suitable for virus coats. In 20 minutes the bacterium bursts, liberating the new host of virus particles.

It has been proved by radio-active labelling that it is the virus nucleus which carries the instructions. (Radio-active sulphur S35 in the virus coats, or radio-phosphorus P32 in the nucleic acid.) So the wonderful substance DNA (De-oxy-ribo-nucleic acid) obviously carries the information for self-replication and also the information for making virus protein.

But does it mutate and evolve? Yes. In one hour about one in a million of bacteria mutates and is resistant to the virus. If we grow a resistant strain and then put in a larger number of virus particles, we find that about one in a million of the virus will have a tail that fits the new electro-static charge on the mutated bacterium. This occurs spontaneously.

DNA is made up of nucleotides with four kinds of linkages. In our case -- human beings -- we have 400,000,000 per nucleus. So the coding capacity is four to the four-hundred-millionth power.

In the immense variety of arrangements possible in the long molecule consisting of two linked parallel chains, lies the origin of all creatures. According to the linkages, there develops an elephant, a rabbit, a man; or nothing, if the links make nonsense! Mistakes in linkage occur just like typographical errors - omissions and wrong links. The capacity of this fundamental 'book of life' is staggering. Professor Beadle told us that in the fertilised human egg with its 4 to the 400-millionth coding power, the DNA of a single cell could take the whole of the ENCYCLOPAEDIA BRITANNICA using only 2 per cent of its coding power!

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THE RIGID RIGHTEOUS

A MAN can have grasped some of the lesser principles of the Ageless Wisdom so clearly and be so convinced of their correctness that the bigger whole is forgotten, and he builds a thought-form about the partial truth which he has seen which can prove a limitation, and hold him back from progress. He is so sure of his possession of truth that he can see the truth of no one else. He can be so convinced of the reality of his own embodied concept of what the truth may be that he forgets his own brain limitations and that the truth has come to him via his own soul and is consequently coloured by his 'ray,' being subsequently built into form by his personal separative mind. He lives for that little truth; he can see no other; he forces his thought-form on other people; he becomes the obsessed fanatic, and so mentally unbalanced, even if the world regards him as sane.

--ALICE A. BAILEY

PERHAPS THE most characteristic feature which separates the educated from the uneducated man lies in the fact that the former takes in good part, and in the spirit in which it is meant, any little corrections that come his way; whereas the latter immediately stiffens his back and becomes huffy. To allude to a defect, even in the most tactful and well-meaning way is, with these small-minded folk, apt to cause an immediate hardness and remoteness of bearing, and the very foundations of the relationship begin to tremble.

--THEODORA THOMPSON

NOTHING CAN inhibit the esoteric life more than the purely devotional and unquestioning acceptance of any formulated teaching. It is such an attitude which builds up a "Bible" or final authority. A sense of inner insecurity and a lack of individual spiritual experience is often compensated for by a projected reliance upon a "Bible." Nothing, we repeat, can be more detrimental.....

NOTHING IS more dangerous than a general idea in a narrow mind. It ferments there like yeast, coming in time to dominate all the mental activity of the individual concerned, until, in the most literal sense, he is "possessed."

--TAINÉ

THE VAINER a man is, the tighter he'll cling to his preconceived notions of any matter; he's afraid of someone accusing him of changing his mind, which would show that he hadn't been the all-wise possessor of all knowledge from the moment of his birth.

--KENNETH ROBERTS

A MAN who cannot think is not an educated man, however many college degrees he may have acquired.

--HENRY FORD

THE FOOL who knows his folly - he is even wise in that respect; but the fool who thinks himself wise - he is a fool indeed.

--DHAMMAPADA

HOWEVER PROFOUND may be our ignorance of our ignorance, at least we should realise that to describe (when using language strictly) any scheme of belief as wholly false which has even imperfectly met the needs of mankind is the height of arrogance, and that to claim for any beliefs which we happen to approve that they are wholly true is the height of absurdity.

--A. J. BALFOUR

BE NOT RIGHTEOUS over much; neither make thyself over wise. Why shouldst thou be destroyed?

--SOLOMON

MY SON, these maxims make a rule,
And lump them aye together;
The RIGID RIGHTEOUS is a fool,
The RIGID WISE another.

--ROBERT BURNS

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EZEKIEL A. EGUAKUN:

I like correspondence and would like you to print my name and address in EAST & WEST NEWS with those of other members. I beg to introduce myself that I am a reader of THE VOICE UNIVERSAL, also I am very happy to be a member of the Federation of East & West. In the matter of "Unity", "Love" and "Friendship", I cannot thank you enough for the work you are doing by making the whole wide world united - being as children under the same father and mother. May god bless you.

--16 Aerodrome Road, Adesogbe Quarter, Benin City, Nigeria.

((I was pleased to get your neatly typed letters in red and blue. Any member of the Federation will find it a pleasure to exchange correspondence with you. --p.c.))

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--near Primary School, Lahoria, Larkana, Sind, West Pakistan.

((A few books have been sent. I am glad to help members to set up libraries, stamp-exchange bureaux, F.E.W. branches or clubs, etc., wherever they will be of service. --p.c.))

Dr. J. P. GRANT:

I am happy now to be enrolled in the Federation of East & West. The more the East and West get together and realise that the whole earth is the home of all, the better. Some of the money allocated to the manufacture of weapons could be better used, I feel, to transport well-wishers on visits to other countries: thus all would see that other nationalities are little different from their own, and that the desire for peace is real everywhere.

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I am a high-school student. Kindly write me addresses of Institutes which could help me in my keen wish to learn radio engineering. There is no technical training available here.

--C/o B.P.Chandravanshi, Garipura, Harda, M.P., India.

((Write to International Correspondence Schools, Parkgate Road, London S.W.11, England, for free book on their Radio Engineering courses and address of their Indian office. For technical training in radio transmitter work, write to any Indian broadcasting station. (It will be necessary to have a good high-school record before taking advanced technical education, I think.) For other useful information, ask your headmaster, or write to the Education Ministry of M.P. state. --p.c., F.E.W. Org.Bureau))

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--The Witches Mill, Castletown, Isle of Man, U.K.

((Dr.Gardner, anthropologist specialising in magical and witchcraft practices of all countries, is Curator of the Museum of Magic and Witchcraft at the above address. --p.c.))

Miss SUSANNE R. STEBBING:

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DAUGHTER OF ATLANTIS by Jacqueline Murray (Regency Press, Pp.166, 15s).

ALTHOUGH THIS might be described as an autobiographical novel, the recollections belong to a life in long-ago Atlantis, when Miss Murray was the daughter of the High Priest. We follow her story and the experiences of her family from her birth to the end of life. The narration has a great deal of charm and convincing detail, somewhat marred for me by the language (discussed below).

The authoress refers to "the island continent of Atlantis," so it seems probable that she is referring to the last phase, when Poseidonis in the Atlantic was the main surviving portion of the much larger areas. It does not seem to me that new information has been given about Atlantis, except perhaps in regard to the use of occult powers within the priesthood. We are told that Atlantis will rise again, but I think that it is Mu or Lemuria - a pacific continent - which rises first.

One must make some comment on the style and language of the book, which is obviously in greater part adopted to give an archaic, other-world atmosphere. There are over fifty named characters, some borrowed from Greek, as Helio, Helio-Arcan, Helio-Arcanophus, Danae, Didon. A few are frankly Egyptian, like Ptah or Amenti; some Welsh, like Elwyn, Ceridwen and Jenni; and a mixed bag of modified and invented titles. There is no great objection to calling a horse a "Tarsia" (evidently a borrowing from science-fiction), but why change the Egyptian sistrum (a jangling rattle used in Isis temples) to sistrun, and speak of it as twanging? The most disconcerting device, however, is the continual use of "union" in an unusual way: "my unioned one" is just "my husband," and "to union" instead of "to marry." Then there are other unsuccessful distortions of plain English. In startling contrast we find modern phrases like "father quipped in return," or "lying third" (in a race).

Nevertheless, this is a most readable tale, and has many exciting passages. In dealing with occult ceremonies and the psychic battle of the priests against the evil forces launched by the Dark Powers, some of the scenes are described with such deep sincerity as to be moving.

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Cruel man so long his chance has cast:
How far, they ask, will his folly go ?

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For those who live in Greater New York, there is a club of people who work for each other free in their spare time, getting each other's labor and goods without charge. We have our own "yellow pages." We call it our Freedom Book, and all our goods and services are listed in it alphabetically. When one of us wants anything, all he has to do is look it up. If it's in the book, it's his free! Often, it isn't, and he has to buy it. That's why we want more members. Each new member means a new skill or talent or service available to all the rest of us.

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Membership also includes the supplement, issued periodically to all members without charge.

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Membership is absolutely free. There are no fees or dues of any kind, other than as described a few lines above.

FURTHER IMPLICATIONS

If your work involves something that is not of use to the individual or the small businessman, you may still join; your obligation then is to spend your spare time talking up the club and recruiting new members, for the bigger the club is, the less the members will have to buy, the more they can get free, and the more people will be able to work full-time for their fellow members, working as much or as little as they please, and getting everything they want for nothing.

Shortly after you join, you will notice that you have a lot of money to spare that you didn't used to. Keep track of about how much that is, and when the call goes out for money, send in about half of it. It will be used to buy tools, equipment, machinery or even a shop for those members who know how to use these things; or rent for the ones who are working full-time within the Plan until we have our own buildings and land. What the full-timers make and/or sell will be yours free -- again, with the understanding that workers are to be reimbursed what they paid for materials, and businessmen what they paid for merchandise -- so you will save still more money. And all money resulting from sales to the general public by full-timers with their own shops will belong to the members. You can see the possibilities. All this full-time labor that is not being charged for, and all this extra cash income, will enable us to expand still further, until, when we are big enough, the govern-
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ment will have lost so much in taxes (how can you tax a man's income if he has none, yet gets everything he needs free?) and business will have lost so much in profits (who will buy a book or a radish or a house or a shirt that their fellow club members will happily print or grow or build or sew for them free?) that neither will be able any longer to exist, and they will have to turn the country over to the people.

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ONE: Millions of man-hours now spent on money -- counting it, recording it, changing it, receipting it, guarding it, collecting it, totalling it, insuring it, printing it in the first place, filling out forms for it, scheming how to get more of it, etc., etc. -- would be freed for useful work.

TWO: Most tax money is spent on war; and if it were not for war, and war preparations, there could be enough schools, roads, hospitals, homes, food, libraries, and so on, for everyone in the world.

THREE: There is, right now, enough food for everybody, and it is stored among the plump and withheld from the lean only because of our economic system, of which there is none in the club.

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