

DECLARES GOOD MANIFESTS ITSELF

Winnetka Christian Scientists Hear Lecture

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Good always manifests itself. Inasmuch as God hath "left not himself without witness" in any nation, and in every nation he that feareth Him, and worketh righteousness, is accepted with Him, it follows that heathen and pagan lands are not entirely bereft of heavenly aspirations and tokens of good. In the Analects of Confucius, in the wise and noble statements of Socrates, and in the lofty and humane sayings of Marcus Aurelius are caught glimpses of eternal good. These representatives of pre-Christian times were seekers after good—God; and Christian Science, which is the all-embracing truth, takes note of their endeavors to know God. Even the Jews saw good in the Roman Centurion and said of him: "He loveth our nation, and he hath built us a synagogue." And Jesus, by his act, acknowledged the truth of the statement. Under the influence of Christianity good's manifestation became clearer.

The Wider View

During the Boxer rebellion in China, when many white Christians were marked out for execution, a young Christian girl begged the privilege of taking the place of a gray-haired missionary. In that act the young girl saw God and revealed God—good. In the great war of recent memory, a British soldier who had suffered intensely at the hands of his German captors was large-hearted enough to tell how, on a later occasion, a German officer treated him with tender consideration. In that act both these men saw God and manifested God—good. When that courtly gentleman, A. Bronson Alcott, went out of his way to speak a word of cheer and comfort to Mary Baker Eddy when all the world seemed against her, in that act Mr. Alcott saw God, and revealed God—good. Deep down in the roots of human experience, underlying all superficial phenomena, is a tie that binds all men together. It is foreign to no peoples, to no age. It is the unity,—the oneness of good. And the pre-eminent work of Christian Science is to awaken this seemingly slumbering sense of good into loving activity and fuller recognition.

Christian Science Healing

This awakening from the dream of self-righteousness and sickness and sin to the experience and appreciation of good, comes through Christian Science healing. It is God, working in one's thought, both giving one the desire for good and the ability to realize it. Because spiritual man is like his Father, God, it follows that he reflects the healing power of God. God's channels of activity are through His spiritual creation, including man. He has none other. He acted through Moses, Elijah, Elisha, Jesus, the twelve, the seventy. The book of the Acts, being a record of Christian work for nearly seventy years, is a long catalogue of God's healing activities, through His obedient servants. Since the discovery of the lost element of healing, by Mrs. Eddy, in 1866, the sons of God have gone forth to war against sickness and sin with marvelous results. Great is the company of Christian Science practitioners, and according to the measure of their understanding and faithfulness and love they are bringing to multitudes the consciousness and the enjoyment of good.

Another Point of Approach

On page 271 of Science and Health Mrs. Eddy writes: "Christ's Christianity is the chain of scientific being re-appearing in all ages, maintaining its obvious correspondence with the Scriptures and uniting all periods in the design of God." This is not only a profound but also a radiant statement. It teaches what scholars are wont to call the philosophy of history. Like the pearl diver who plunges beneath the water and rises with a prize, so Mrs. Eddy, in lonely and consecrated endeavor, plunged beneath so-called material causation and brought up from the depths a clear apprehension and comprehension of the eternal kinship of all good. She alone of all who have written commentaries on the Bible has given us a Key to the Scriptures which makes the Jewish and Christian writings into a mosaic of harmony.

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HORACE MANN PUPILS DELIGHT WITH PLAYS

Several plays were presented by the children of the Horace Mann school this week as part of the closing events of the school year. The plays represented a wide range of material drawn from school studies. They included a Japanese play, a bird play, embodying the idea of the conservation of song birds, one based on propaganda for the extermination of the fly, a King Arthur play, and the service ritual, visualizing the recognition of citizenship service to the school.

The Japanese play, given by Miss Ruth Smith's class, was based on a Japanese tale and included scenes from a Japanese tea party, a lullaby and a dance. The children made their own Japanese kimonos, lanterns, fans and wisteria blossoms for stage decoration. The sixth grade class will present their King Arthur play Tuesday morning, June 16.

Miss Jean Hislop has prepared the music for all the plays and the incidental dances were arranged by Miss Elizabeth Kirchner. The plays were directed by the class teachers and by Miss Douglass Whitehead, supervisor of socialized activities in the Winnetka school.

Winnetka Teachers Carry Message of Newer System

Numerous Winnetka teachers will be engaged in teaching Winnetka methods of instruction in various schools in different parts of the country, this summer. Carleton W. Washburne, superintendent of schools, will give a course on individual instruction at the Colorado State Teachers' college, at Greeley, Colo.; Willard W. Beatty, principal of Skokie school, will give courses in principles and methods of individual instruction and educational psychology at Northwestern university, and Miss Hazel Hartwell, principal of the Horace Mann school, will teach at the University of Ohio, at Athens, O. Besides these several others will teach during the summer.



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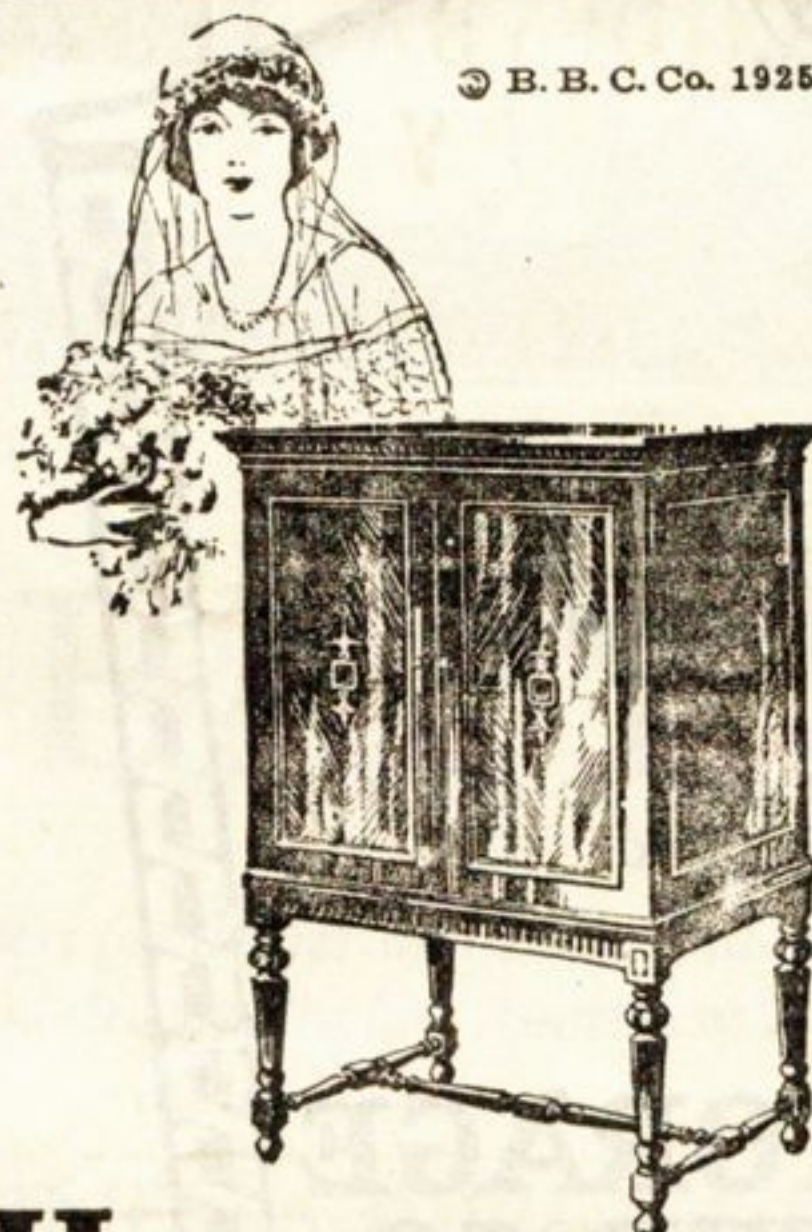
Rev. James Austin Richards left yesterday to be absent from the village throughout the summer months. He proceeded directly to Cambridge, Mass., where he is scheduled to deliver a sermon at the 25th anniversary of his class. Later he will go to Newton Highlands, Mass., where he will visit with a sister until joined by his family. He will spend the remainder of the season at his summer place at Bridgton, Me.

Mr. Richards has not made as rapid progress as anticipated in recovering from his illness of last winter and physicians decided he must enjoy a complete rest this summer.

Supply pastors at the church for the summer months have not as yet been announced.

Pupils Receive Service Awards at Horace Mann

Five pupils of the Horace Mann school were honored at the annual "service ritual" held at the school Friday of this week. They were Robert Conway, Ann Palmer, Hugo Hartmann, Leroy Keehn and Robert Chapman.



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Seven other pupils received honorable mention. They were Morris Swa-

bacher, Sievert Anderson, Virginia Nichols, Mary Jane Mess, Robert Pierce, Victor Luensman and Ralph Rockwood. Eugene Schuett was given a two weeks scholarship at Adventure Island camp. This was donated by Charles Kinney, owner and director of the camp.

Mr. Krauss says: "Panama, Leghorn and Straw Hats for both men and women cleaned, bleached and blocked in the same manner as when first made into hats, not the slip-shod, covered-up-with-powder-method employed by so-called hat cleaners. And of course wearing apparel and household goods of all kinds cleanable are our regular every-day work."

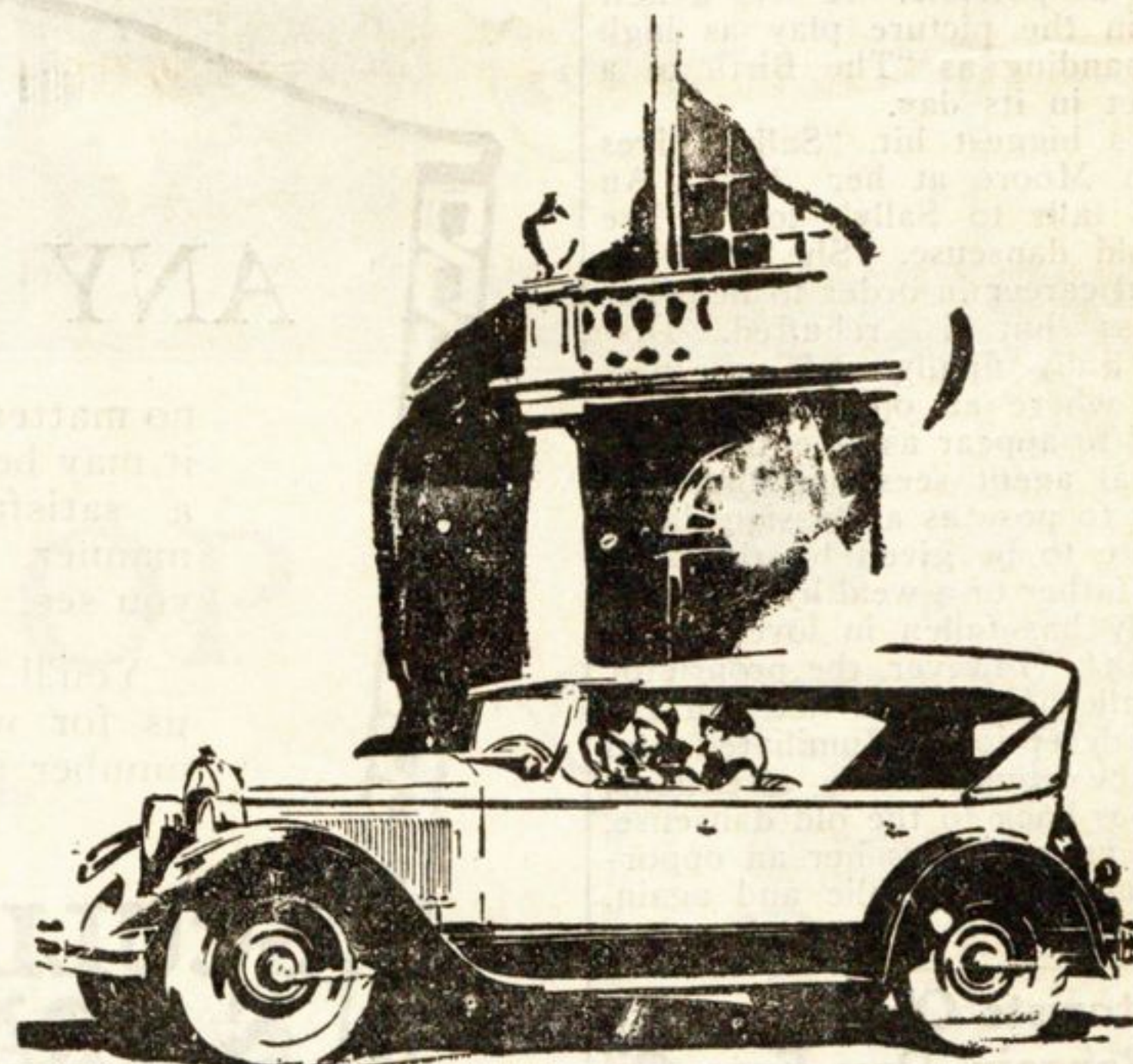
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