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The HYDROGEN BOMB *Shifts Trend*

*Drift now sharply toward WAR! Germans
coming back twelve years sooner than before.*

THE TREND once again is turning SHARPLY TOWARD WAR!

President Truman's decision to go ahead with producing the HYDROGEN bomb may prove the most fateful decision ever made by man! It is SPEEDING UP the race toward war.

AMERICA TODAY STANDS IN MORTAL PERIL, AND DOESN'T KNOW IT! America today is too absorbed with pleasures, more things to ENJOY, lower taxes, hoping for greater prosperity in a PEACEFUL world to become actually CONSCIOUS of the REALITY of things—to even REALIZE the HARD, CRUEL FACTS THAT EXIST.

AMERICA TODAY IS ASLEEP—and it doesn't want to wake up!

Here Are Startling Facts

Here are some EXISTING FACTS America is unwilling to FACE! While Russia was, it's true, checked in advancing westward further into Europe, the COLD WAR is still on—being very much revived—and RUSSIA IS WINNING IN A GIGANTIC WAY to which we seem totally indifferent, in ASIA. Sooner or later this will force U.S. countermoves.

Meanwhile, the U.S. adopts a policy of TALKING TOUGH to Russia. But tough TALK must have some-

thing to BACK IT UP. It's very important to convince the other fellow, FIRST, that you have the POWER to back up your tough talk, and second, that YOU ARE NOT FOOLING!

And right now WE ARE NOT SHOWING THAT POWER, nor is Stalin convinced that the U.S. would ACT.

Now here are the facts: FIRST of all, tho we have the atom bomb, and are going to build the hydrogen bomb, from ten to a thousand times more devastating, STALIN DOESN'T BELIEVE WE'D EVER USE THEM UNTIL WE ARE DIRECTLY ATTACKED AND INVADED. But, tho we have some atom bombs, WE ARE NOT AS STRONG AS OUR PUBLIC BELIEVES—and Stalin knows better than our general public just what our strength is.

We have a DECLINING NAVY—only ONE battleship now in active service—the Missouri—and that one recently out of commission several days grounded on a shoal; we have 10 divisions of troops scattered from Tokio to Berlin; we have some big bombers declared by scientific appraisers to be of declining value; we have a few defense planes.

AND YET THIS RICHEST NATION ON EARTH IS SPENDING

ONE THIRD OF ITS ENTIRE VAST INCOME ON ARMAMENTS, and DEFENSE!

The U.S. is now TALKING tough—but, tho it's spending vast sums of money, it is ACTING SOFT! And Stalin knows better than we do that the American people are demanding MORE THINGS TO ENJOY, and are now TOO MUCH CONCERNED WITH HOPING FOR PROSPERITY AND HAVING A GOOD TIME TO BACK UP MR. TRUMAN AND MR. ACHE-SON IN GETTING TOUGH, WITH RUSSIA!

Talking Tough—Acting Soft

But with the U.S. making big threats without any follow-up WALLOP, the time will come when it will become necessary to either shut our big mouth or throw some punches—and when we do, it may be too late to prevent WAR!

Meanwhile, Russia is running all over Asia, growing stronger and stronger. Russia is not going to stop with CHINA. Russia is headed toward Indo-China, Burma, INDIA, then JAPAN. In a few years, unless we stop Russia in the Orient, and we are MAKING NO MOVE TO STOP HER, we'll be shoved back to Guadalcanal, and then shoved out of the Orient altogether.

MEANWHILE, and MOST impor-

tant of all, as the OUTLOOK from here is for a continued DRIFT at Washington—tough talk, but NO TOUGH ACTION—the nations of Europe, directly in the very SHADOW of the great Russian bear, are becoming disturbed, distrustful of America, and thinking more and more about UNITING themselves into a UNITED STATES OF EUROPE.

All that's lacking now is for the NEW SUPREME LEADER—the successor of ADOLPH HITLER—to rise up and ASSERT HIMSELF, and TAKE COMMAND.

The stage is all set! And while we totter perilously on the very brink of war with Russia, still, our REAL DANGER is this coming UNITED STATES OF EUROPE which will resurrect the ancient ROMAN EMPIRE, and yet we're not even COGNIZANT of the danger!

IT'S TIME THIS NATION KNEW WHAT LIES IN STORE FOR IT DURING THE NEXT 5, 10, and 15 years—years destined to be FAR MORE MOMENTOUS THAN ANYTHING WE HAVE LIVED THRU SO FAR! IT'S TIME FOR YOU to WAKE UP!

Germans Coming Back 12 Years Sooner

The GERMANS are starting their comeback TWELVE YEARS sooner than they were able after World War I. *This* time their plans for coming back and launching World War III were methodically begun DURING World War II. The day that war ended the Nazi organization WENT UNDERGROUND. Their plans for coming back have been proceeding, UNDER COVER, for five years already.

After the first world war the Germans were unorganized, unable to even START their comeback until the Hitler organization got into power in 1933—15 years after the war.

And even *then* they were only STARTING. It required another two years after Hitler was in office to recapture the Saar, and still another year before Hitler felt strong enough to send troops into the Rhineland.

THIS time the Germans have been operating toward their revival from the day the war ended—SECRETLY, UNDERGROUND. THIS time the Germans are not having to wait 17 years to start asserting themselves, taking open action.

THIS time, after less than five years, the Germans are daring to start open arguments with the French over the coal mines of the Saar. THIS time, the Germans, due to this UNDERGROUND activity the past five years, and secretly perfected ORGANIZA-

TION, feel strong enough and bold enough to start challenging the allies already—less than FIVE YEARS after the war! They have started their drive to repossess the Saar TWELVE YEARS SOONER than they dared after the KAISER was defeated.

THIS time, altho the Ruhr is ostensibly under allied control, they have been able to maneuver NAZIS into actual key control positions—LESS THAN FIVE YEARS after the war! THIS time, re-establishment of the GERMAN ARMY is already being openly talked about—less than five years after war's end!—and THIS time the German army has actually REMAINED secretly organized—under cover—ready to develop into full strength VERY quickly, once they dare appear ABOVE ground! Last time it took the Germans 17 years to begin exerting actual pressure to gain concessions from the allies. THIS TIME, they are beginning, after only 4½ years, to exert pressure strong enough to exact sizeable concessions from the allies!

The Germans are coming back MUCH FASTER this time!

What of Your Next 10 Years?

While WE'VE been so busily engaged in sparring diplomatically and in the COLD war with RUSSIA, the No. 1 enemy has been perfecting its plans SECRETLY, UNDER COVER.

Well, what has all this to do with *your* next ten years? How will events in Russia, in China, in Europe, and political and economic conditions here in the U.S., affect *your* job, *your* business, *your* home and *your* personal life during the next ten years?

Why should YOU be interested in these amazing world events, and WHERE are they leading us—WHAT'S GOING TO HAPPEN, from here on?

I can tell you EXACTLY what's going to happen—and *it isn't what the world expects!* I can't give you every detail, and I can't tell you in advance the exact DATES, or even the YEARS in which these various things will actually occur—but I *can* tell you, vividly, the main high points and trends in world events, and domestic conditions here in the United States. And let me repeat, *it won't be what the world expects!*

STILL MORE of these CRAZY SHIFTS in world conditions are destined to take place during the NEXT five, ten, and fifteen years.

What's Now Prophesied

So LISTEN CAREFULLY! Here's what's PROPHESED! Here's what's destined to occur—here's what YOU are going to live thru—and it's as *cer-*

tain as the rising and setting of the sun!

First, here in America the outlook for the immediate present is continued good economic conditions. Remember, as I've repeatedly stated, 1947 and 1948 and a part of 1949 were abnormal BOOM years—not normal prosperity. The post-war BOOM is over. But conditions probably will continue good thru most, or all, of this present year. An economic DOWN is somewhere ahead of us, but not immediately in sight. This may prove a CURSE in disguise, not a blessing, because it will make Americans CARELESS, when they should be sacrificing to help WARN the people, keep their interests centered upon MATERIAL pleasures, desires and pursuits, keep their eyes OFF the REAL DANGERS developing ahead!

Meanwhile we're growing fat and soft. We won't admit it, but morals continue to relax, standards continue DOWN, and, while there has been a lot of religious curiosity and casual interest during and following the war, we are fast becoming spiritually BANKRUPT!—AND WE DON'T KNOW IT, OR WON'T ADMIT IT! Yes, we are going the way of ancient ROME—going SOFT—living laxly and loosely in ease and pleasure and luxury—foolishly permitting ourselves to be SOFTENED UP FOR THE MOST COLOSSAL FALL THAT EVER YET HAPPENED TO A NATION!

Now, while WE'RE basking in the pleasurable sunshine of ease and luxury, a frightfully terrible BLACK CLOUD is developing over in Europe. We don't yet see it, because it is just now starting to emerge from UNDERGROUND.

The Germans are not only COMING BACK, as they did after World War I, but this time, MUCH FASTER! This time the Nazis have been already organized—secretly, UNDERground, under COVER—and developing their Master-Plan for the comeback, from V-E day! YES, IT'S LATER THAN YOU THINK, and these world events are moving FASTER than people realize!

Already Nazi school teachers are back in German schools—Nazis are in key positions in the Ruhr—the Germans again have their own government in West Germany—they are openly challenging France and the allies and already gaining important concessions—they are openly talking of, and planning—WITH AMERICAN AID—to restore the German ARMY. THAT'S all emerging ABOVE ground already. But the elaborate development of plans SECRETLY, UNDERground, ready at

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Putting the EVOLUTION Concept Into YOUR CHILD'S MIND

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the first article ever written for The PLAIN TRUTH. But it never before has been published. This was written five years before the first issue of The PLAIN TRUTH was published, and by that time it had been forgotten in an old file. Recently I found it, and thought our readers would enjoy reading it.)

Most of us are outraged when we hear of the wrong being inflicted upon Russian childhood by Russian propagandists. The Soviet Government has compelled the teaching of Communism to Russian children. Thus the Bolsheviks expect to make Russia safe for their particular beliefs.

Yet we give our silent assent to the practise of far more dangerous methods upon our own children.

This device of controlling education, so that the citizen's ideas are fixed long before he arrives at the years of discretion, is one of the oldest of human customs. If children are caught young enough, their minds can be definitely shaped to accept partisan propaganda for truth.

And now the propagandists for evolutionary science — a theory utterly unproved and by its very nature not subject to definite proof—a theory which makes it impossible to believe the Bible—a theory which strikes at the very roots of fundamental Christian doctrine—have succeeded in having their doctrine taught as established truth in our colleges not only, BUT THEY ARE PUTTING THE BASIC FOUNDATION OF THE EVOLUTIONARY CONCEPT INTO YOUR CHILD'S MIND IN THE HIGH SCHOOLS, AND EVEN IN THE GRADES.

So subtly is this done that few, indeed, have realized it. We have simply failed to realize the deep-rooted nature of the doctrine of evolution. And so we left wide open the door of our own children's minds to receive teachings which, later, lead to an easy acceptance of evolution as truth—and a consequent rejection of fundamental Christianity.

It is highly important for us to realize that evolution is the very basis upon which most of the natural sciences have been developed.

Evolution is, in fact, itself a basic CONCEPT. It is a POINT OF VIEW, directly antagonistic to the fundamental Christian point of view. It is the concept that life has developed and advanced, over long ages of time—millions of years—from the simple to the complex—from unintelligence to mod-

ern civilization. It is the point of view that we are always *advancing* — everything growing better and better. It is the antithesis of a belief in the fall of man, the need of redemption, or of any sudden supernatural Creation. It is the concept of NATURALISM—the viewpoint that miracles and all things supernatural are an utter impossibility. It is the concept which discards every miracle—every mention of the supernatural—in the Bible as the silly superstitious folklore of an undeveloped past. It is the concept which looks upon man as sufficient unto himself—which denies the possibility of any interference from God — WHICH HOLDS THAT ALL THINGS ARE POSSIBLE WITH MAN, BUT NOTHING IS POSSIBLE WITH GOD.

That is the evolutionary concept. That is the point of view from which every orthodox scientist proceeds. That, then, has become the *approach* by which all subjects are studied and *scientific* (so-called), dogmas fixed. That is the concept—the viewpoint—which is injected INTO THE TEXTBOOKS USED IN HIGH SCHOOLS, AND EVEN IN THE GRADES. That is the concept which our tax-supported public schools are injecting subtly into the immature young minds of your children and mine. Even grade school textbooks are written from this point of view. You'll find it in the geographies, and the histories. It is time for us to awake to the danger.

Listen to the words of Maynard Shipley, president of the Science League of America, and a foremost evolutionist. Evolution, says Mr. Shipley, is the very root of the entire tree of modern natural science. "If you destroy the root," says Shipley, "the tree will fall." Let us realize, too, that evolution strikes at the very ROOT of the entire tree of fundamental Christianity. And if we permit evolution to destroy the root, the entire tree will fall.

"What the friends of science are really supporting, or trying to protect," says Shipley, in a recent article in which he defends the teaching of evolution in tax-supported schools, "is the validity of the *method of science*, and the moral right

and duty of the workers in field and laboratory to make known to the students in our tax-supported educational institutions the full results of their researches." In other words, science is fighting for the right to teach your children and mine, in the tax-supported schools, "the full results of their researches," which means, simply, the evolutionary concept—the anti-Bible point of view—the Antichrist doctrine with which Satan is poisoning the minds of millions.

By that harmless-sounding phrase "the method of science," Shipley means human investigation and research, proceeding from this anti-Bible point of view. "Science commands our respect," he proceeds, "on the ground that its *method* is for all time true—the method, not of tradition or revelation or authority, (that is, not of belief in the authority of the Scriptures or of revelation) but of discovery, careful observation, research, experimentation, comparison, testing, analysis, synthesis. We want to know, not what somebody said that somebody else said, many centuries ago (what Moses said God said), but precisely: 'What are the present facts in the case?' These facts, as fast as discovered, must be set in order, then *interpreted* and accounted for: (according to the evolutionary concept, of course), not in accordance with tradition or unsupported logic, but in accordance with all the knowledge at the moment available. OUR BOYS AND GIRLS ARE ENTITLED TO THE FULL BENEFITS OF THIS METHOD—THE METHOD OF SCIENCE.

"Why, indeed," continues Shipley, "should not all boys and girls be taught at least the elementary principles of biology and geology and astronomy, all of which, I repeat, *are dependent on evolution for their proper understanding?* . . . Perhaps few would deny that we owe the best that modern culture affords to 'all the children of all the people.' TOMORROW THEY WILL BE VOTERS, who may be called upon to decide whether Biology and Geology, *which necessarily involve processes of evolution*, shall be taught at all in Twentieth Century America. Above all, OUR CHILDREN MUST LEARN THAT

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Heart to Heart Talk With the Editor

GREETINGS, CO-WORKERS!

This is SPECIAL, and very URGENT!

I'm writing you from the desert. I've come here, with Mrs. Armstrong, to accomplish, thru a long rest, and a fast, a complete rejuvenation physically and mentally and spiritually. I had gotten into such physical condition that I could not have carried on the work another three months. The very life of this great work depended on my getting away to recharge the energy-batteries.

I have not been sick, in the usual sense of the word. I'm never sick. But the intense pressure of the heavy responsibilities I carry—the many duties I have to perform—the stress and strain of fighting on, almost night and day, doing several men's work, has brought about a condition where I have just tightened up, become so nervously tense, that I have approached a nervous break-down—my food doesn't digest properly, and even tho I carefully watch the diet, my stomach is constantly upset.

Even Jesus had to get away once in a while, and REST. The fierce drive of mental work is far harder on the physical constitution than the hardest manual labor.

But before I can start my FAST, and let down and totally relax and rest, I must record 30 broadcasts ahead, so the program will continue on the air. As soon as that is accomplished, I shall then be free to totally relax, God willing, and rest for 30 days, and fast for a good portion of that period. I will come back to my desk in the office, my classroom in the college, and our radio studio, a completely rejuvenated man—God willing!

But I think it only fair to tell you I

have found I have a FIGHT on my hands, even to get those 30 broadcasts recorded ahead. For over two months I had tried desperately to accomplish it before leaving Pasadena. But the constant interruptions, and pressures upon me simply didn't permit. So, to make it possible, I brought professional portable tape-recording equipment along, and we came out here to get away from interference and interruptions, and to get these extra programs recorded out here.

But I've found I was in worse shape than I thought, and it is taking much longer than I expected. I have simply been thru a fight in trying to accomplish this. Many of the broadcasts you've been hearing on the air the past two weeks or so have been started five or ten times, before I could get one into the microphone fit to go on the air. I've been overly nervous. I tighten up, get tense, often say the wrong word. Sometimes, after I've been speaking into the microphone 5, 10, or even 15 minutes, I have to stop, erase all I had recorded on the tape, and start all over again—sometimes many times over, before I can send in a program to go out on the air.

Often I have found I simply can't ad-lib the program, and I have to sit down and write it out in script—and that takes 3 to 4 hours for a single program. Ordinarily I speak to you over the air without any script, but sometimes, in my present condition, I simply have to write it down to get it properly connected. The result is that in over three weeks out here on the desert, I have been able only to hold

my own, with a broadcast being used on the air each day, and to gain 15 programs ahead in addition.

Frankly, I thought I would be able to record as high as six programs a day. But I simply have not been able. Probably you do not realize the nervous energy it takes for every broadcast. Just one half-hour broadcast has as much work, in nerve tension and strain, as an 8-hour full day of manual labor.

But the last few days, I am gaining. Several times I have managed to record three programs in a day. I hope now that in four or five more days I shall have my 30 done ahead, and then I can RELAX, and REST, and start my fast, at last!

I just want you co-workers to know I AM DOING MY VERY BEST. And I have to, first THANK YOU from the bottom of my heart for your loyalty, and for holding up my hands so far, and for your generosity and sacrifice in tithes and offerings, and, secondly, to ASK YOU TO CONTINUE TO KEEP THIS GREAT WORK DYNAMICALLY ALIVE BY YOUR LIBERAL OFFERINGS IN ADDITION TO TITHES, WHILE I AM AWAY!

God bless you, I know you will! We MUST warn America, and get CHRIST'S TRUE MESSAGE to the world which hasn't heard it!

And, by the grace of God, WE WILL!

Now I announce a DEFINITE POLICY regarding The PLAIN TRUTH. While I'm here, I am simply not able to write the articles for the full 16-page issue I've been announcing over the air. I simply can't pile more work on myself—unless I do concentrate on just ONE THING, now—getting those 30 programs ahead so I can DROP ALL WORK COMPLETELY, and relax totally, and fast, there just won't be any more Plain Truths at all, or any more broadcasts—because I've simply reached the end of my endurance.

So, meantime, I have decided on a policy that will keep The PLAIN TRUTH coming to you EVERY MONTH, in spite of these circumstances.

Until I am back in harness full steam ahead myself personally, I will have my staff prepare an 8-page issue every month from articles reprinted from former issues—some 10, 12, or 15 years ago, which most of you have never read. These will go ONLY TO OUR ACTIVE CO-WORKERS.

We will continue this policy of issuing The PLAIN TRUTH every month. If, in later months, you co-workers have not supplied enough money to pay for a full 16-page number for the entire vast mailing list, then we will send only

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an 8-page issue to CO-WORKERS ONLY. But at least you co-workers will get a new Plain Truth every month. We will do as much, therefore, as you co-workers make possible.

Now, meanwhile, it costs thousands of dollars a month to keep the broadcasts on the air—to keep the college going, and to publish The PLAIN TRUTH and all the tons of booklets we send out.

I had a long-distance call from the office today saying money is dropping off again, and again the situation begins to look serious at the office. I KNOW YOU CO-WORKERS WILL KEEP THIS GREAT WORK GOING WHILE I'M AWAY! Of course I could not stay here and get back into shape unless you did. So, please keep sending in the most generous sums you can, even at great sacrifice, REGULARLY, every week if possible. GOD BLESS YOU, I KNOW YOU'LL STAND BY ME AND MAKE THIS REST POSSIBLE.

The Hydrogen Bomb

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any time to emerge, has not been realized at all by the world!

A New Hitler

Well, here's the way it will develop! At the right time—it may be in six months or a few years—the new German LEADER will suddenly appear. He's already in ACTION underground. Meanwhile, the movement started by TITO against Stalin will continue to plague the Russians in the Balkan nations. The Russians will continue to lose their grip in Europe—but they will continue to TIGHTEN their grip to the East—in the populous Orient. In due time—it COULD be in one or two years, it may be longer—a powerful leader will rise in Europe—probably a German—who will perfect a NEW THING on the world political scene which will simply STUN the world! It will DUMBFOUND America—it will TERRIFY Stalin, and speed him up in consolidating the ORIENT!

Suddenly the world will behold a UNITED STATES OF EUROPE! Some of the Balkan nations which have been under Russia's boot will be members of it! TEN dictators in Europe will unite, in a gigantic European COMBINE, turning their united military power and resources over to the new LEADER of Europe! Not only this, but a great RELIGIOUS LEADER—the Pope at Rome—will also emerge, in a world-shaking pact with the military leader which will far overshadow the effect of the Hitler-Stalin non-aggression pact of 1939!

It will be a UNION of Church and State. The RELIGIOUS influence will

be used to cement together, and unify, these ten nations in Europe. These will include Germany and Italy, probably Spain and Portugal and France, Greece, and probably some of the Balkan nations from among Yugoslavia, Austria, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Bulgaria, Rumania, or others. I can't tell you now exactly which nations. But in all probability Belgium, Holland, Denmark, Norway, Sweden and Switzerland will NOT join this federation. Definitely Britain will not be in it. And definitely, the whole thing will be FASCIST—and it's well to bear in mind that Nazism is merely the German form of FASCISM—so it will be in fact a NAZI revival.

The "BEAST" Emerges

Only this time it will not be Germany ALONE, first attacking and conquering and occupying other European nations. THIS time ten powerful European nations will COMBINE their forces. It will be a gigantic, powerful EMPIRE! It will field the combined armies of ten nations totalling 250 to 300 millions of people. It will comprise the resources of most of all Europe! It will resurrect once again, and for the last time, the ROMAN EMPIRE! It will be able to field an army larger than RUSSIA'S—larger than the combined forces possible for the U.S., Britain, and the democratic nations of northwestern Europe combined!

But, MORE than that—the GERMANS are the only nation who have done actual work on the HYDROGEN BOMB. Undoubtedly they will have the super-Hydrogen bomb, together with rocket weapons for delivering it! The Nazi scientists are AT WORK NOW, underground, on these very weapons!

It will take a few years for all this to develop to a point where this Nazi-Fascist rebirth of the ROMAN EMPIRE will be ready to STRIKE with the most tremendous power ever conceived by man. But it's already developing—and FAST! Much more rapidly than people know! Most certainly it is easily possible the thing will be fully developed and ready to strike in SEVEN years! Yes, TIME IS RUNNING OUT ON US, FAST, AND WE'RE TOO SOUND ASLEEP TO REALIZE IT!

The sole PURPOSE in the diabolical minds of the LEADERS of this great power will be to CONQUER AMERICA, BRITAIN, AND ULTIMATELY TO CONQUER AND RULE THE ENTIRE WORLD!

But the FIRST blow will be delivered, suddenly, one night without warning, at the CITIES of America and the British isles!

A Super-Drought Coming
Now a while ago I said America

will continue for a little while in comparative economic prosperity. But, by the time this European colossus has emerged and is ready to STRIKE with atomic bombs, we shall have drifted into depression—and we shall be suffering the most overwhelming tragedy of our history in FAMINE, and uncontrollable epidemics of DISEASE.

It may come from intense DROUGHT. It may come from a combination of DROUGHT in some parts of the U.S. and floods in others. We're in the beginning of a famine right NOW, and we don't know it—a famine of the needed MINERALS and VITAMINS which no longer grow into our foods because our soil is WORN OUT, and our food FACTORIES are removing much of what there IS!

And all this BECAUSE MAN IS IN DEFIANCE AGAINST HIS MAKER! Whatever man's hand comes in contact with, he pollutes, perverts, and ruins! Man refuses to conform to ANY of the laws the ETERNAL has set in motion! God has revealed that the land needs to lie idle every seventh year but man thinks he's found a BETTER way.

At the same time this dread plague of FAMINE and DISEASE strikes us, there will be another epidemic of locusts and crop-destroying bugs and insects that will make the invasion of 1934 look small!

ONE THIRD of our people will die from starvation, malnutrition, and epidemics of disease in the greatest national tragedy ever to hit the world up to that time! And this is not a fanciful fairy story—this is PROPHESED, and CERTAIN—and in the next FEW YEARS!

Hydrogen Bombs to Hit Us

While we are stricken with this great tragedy, people dying in nearly every home, the Nazi-Fascist colossus will STRIKE SUDDENLY, unexpectedly, utterly destroying our major CITIES, striking furiously at our sources of raw materials—oil, coal, iron—destroying our great industrial plants, rendering us incapable of fighting back or winning any war, THIS time! And ANOTHER THIRD of our entire population—FIFTY MILLION PEOPLE—will be killed by this lightning and unparalleled HYDROGEN bomb attack!

I know this is not pleasant to contemplate! I know well it won't be believed! I know well that this nation will heedlessly and foolishly refuse to take WARNING! But I also know this is as certain to strike us as tomorrow's sun is to rise and set—unless this entire nation WILL heed the warning, REPENT of its ways, RETURN to its God and HIS LAWS AND WAYS OF LIFE! And therefore, KNOWING this

unbelievable thing is coming, *I HAVE TO WARN YOU!*

Only ONE THIRD—a bare 50 million out of our 150 million population—will be LEFT ALIVE! *Two thirds* of the people YOU know—of YOUR FRIENDS, acquaintances, relatives, members of your family—will be killed!

Americans to Become Slaves

And the remaining third will be UPROOTED from their homes, and transported as SLAVES to Europe, possibly some to South America. There they not only will shine Nazi BOOTS, and do the work of slaves under lashes of cruel task-masters—but they will be forced to GIVE UP any belief in real BIBLE Christianity—they will be literally FORCED to accept the PAGAN beliefs and customs that will masquerade as Christianity, or state police will arrest them, and TORTURE them until they either give in, or finally DIE under the inhuman fiendish tortures!

It will be the supreme time of trouble for Americans and British—and for real and true Christians. This fanatical and unheard-of persecution and martyrdom of all true Christians will continue three and a half years—and THEN IT WILL BE SUDDENLY CUT SHORT!

During this time, there will be NO RELIGIOUS FREEDOM—the entire world will be under this revived ROMAN empire, and under Russia—and neither will permit any real GOSPEL preaching of any kind whatsoever! Yes, there will then be an entire FAMINE of hearing the true Word of GOD—and MILLIONS who spurn it and treat it lightly now, will wish THEN they had heeded!

But then suddenly GOD ALMIGHTY will step in and supernaturally intervene. Something will suddenly happen PHYSICALLY to this earth! Terrible, dreadful things will throw all humanity into a frantic PANIC!

Just WHAT will happen, and HOW it will take place I cannot now reveal, but one scientist I know believes that the WAY it will occur will be that this ENTIRE EARTH will be suddenly JERKED OUT OF ITS PLACE (there's a PROPHECY to that effect), and taken at the speed of light or swifter thru space, AWAY from the sun and our solar system. At any rate, the SUN will become DARK, and also the moon, and there will be the APPEARANCE of thousands of stars falling to the earth in such a frightful display that men will faint from fear and stark terror!

GOD ALMIGHTY WILL SHAKE THIS EARTH IN SUCH MANNER that a God-rejecting, God-ignoring, God-defying mankind will suddenly be-

come very much AWARE of God's existence and His CLOSENESS, and DIRECT INTERFERENCE!

When Our Work Will Bear Fruit

Then HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS—perhaps MILLIONS—remembering the TRUE MESSAGE FROM GOD going out freely to the world AT THIS TIME, on "The WORLD TOMORROW" program will cry out to God for mercy, and frantically beseech Him for protection, deliverance, and salvation! And these hundreds of thousands will find that the ALMIGHTY is more merciful to them who really SEEK Him and the RIGHT ways of life than the heavens are high above the earth! Yes, THEY'LL FIND HIM, and he'll accept them as His begotten CHILDREN and HIS PROTECTION will be upon them thru the STILL MORE TERRIBLE PLAGUES YET TO COME UPON THE EARTH—this time sent by God Almighty Himself—the PLAGUES of His judgments against these diabolical Fascist powers who have united to destroy and torture American and British peoples!

Then God will send PLAGUES, terrible beyond description upon this European land IN PUNISHMENT for their unprecedented evil! Also at that time, RUSSIA shall have organized an army of ONE HUNDRED MILLION, from among Russians, Chinese, and others under the RUSSIAN orbit—and these vast hordes will then SWEEP ACROSS EUROPE, utterly DESTROYING ALL EUROPE!

Meanwhile, the FUHRER, or whatever the Leader will be called, together with the Pope, will have moved their capital to JERUSALEM, which they shall have captured at the outset of the war. They will have a large armed force in Palestine, as well as forces on other fronts in the war against Russia.

Finally . . . the WORLD TOMORROW

And at THIS juncture, JESUS CHRIST—the *same* Jesus Christ who trod this earth 1900 years ago—who rose from the dead and ascended to heaven—will RETURN VISIBLY, PERSONALLY, BODILY, TO THIS EARTH, and all the holy angels of heaven will accompany Him. But THIS time He will not come as the humble carpenter of Nazareth.

THIS time He will come in all the supreme POWER, and GLORY of the CREATOR OF THE ENTIRE UNIVERSE—to TAKE OVER, and to rule EVERY NATION ON EARTH—to SAVE HUMANITY FROM UTTERLY DESTROYING ITSELF!

All who have been TRULY converted, filled with the very Spirit of God, who have OVERCOME their own natures,

who have GROWN spiritually and in character, will then be resurrected from their graves thruout the world—or, if living, they shall be suddenly CHANGED to immortality, and all will RISE, to MEET the descending KING of kings in the clouds in the air!

They will all come down at once together, on the Mount of Olives, a half mile east of Jerusalem. The FASCIST armies in Palestine will gather in the valley of Megiddo, 70 miles N.W. of Jerusalem, to FIGHT the returning Christ, and His army of angels. But their flesh will supernaturally consume away from off their bones! ALL AMERICANS and BRITISH who have been SLAVES of this ROMAN "beast" will be immediately set free, and transportation TO PALESTINE will be furnished them BY their former CAPTORS, who will NOW become the servants of our people—they and their children for a thousand years to come!

Christ will set up WORLD RULE, with the world capital at Jerusalem. But the nations will not accept His rule at once. On some of them He will send famine—on others plagues—until they submit to the RIGHT ways and LAWS of God. The RUSSIANS, left victorious over the Fascist EUROPEAN empire, will organize and send their vast hordes of soldiers against Palestine—AGAINST the AMERICANS AND BRITISH THEN happily restored to prosperity in Palestine. THAT is the real fulfilment of the prophecy of Ezek. 38 and 39, contrary to what most so-called prophetic students believe. But THEY will meet a supernatural defeat—five-sixths of their forces will be destroyed. And so, Micah 4:1-3 will finally be fulfilled. The world will prosper in PEACE—when it has learned that its own ways have failed, and it has turned to God, and, HIS laws rule the earth!

But if we are faithful, doing our utmost now to warn the world, and are watching and praying always, we shall escape all these horrible things to come.

The Evolution Concept

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ALL CONTEMPORARY INVESTIGATION IS FIRMLY BASED UPON THE EVOLUTIONARY CONCEPT."

Does the overwhelming significance of Mr. Shipley's remarks break upon your mind? Surely Mr. Shipley, president of the Science League of America, has thrown down the challenge. His statements should prove a stirring call to arms to every fundamentalist Christian! By way of illustrating further the Satanic spirit back of the whole movement, the same issue of the same magazine which printed Mr. Shipley's article also printed

an excellent outline of fundamental Christian belief, under the glaring caption "FUNNYMENTALS," in a spirit of ridicule.

The forces of Antichrist are organized. The war is on. Not a war of flesh and blood—of firearms and armies and navies—but a subtle, insidious war ON OUR CHILDREN'S MINDS AND SOULS. Better a thousand times to have our children's bodies slain in a physical war, than have their minds and souls destroyed in this intellectual war of Satan. I repeat, that EVOLUTION IS SATAN'S MOST POWERFUL MODERN WEAPON. It is Christianity's greatest enemy.

I want you to note briefly, now, a few examples of the method of attack upon our children. I quote from the opening paragraphs of the Ancient History textbook of Myers, used in many high-schools:

"1. *The Antiquity of Man.*—We do not know when man first appeared upon the earth. We only know that in ages long past, when both the climate and the outline of the continents were very different from what they are at present, primitive man roamed over them with animals now extinct; and that, about 5000 B.C., when the historic curtain first rises, in some favored regions there were nations and civilizations already venerable with age, and possessing arts, governments, and institutions that bear evidence of slow growth through very long periods of time.

"2. *The Prehistoric and the Historic Age.*—The uncounted milleniums which lie back of the time when man began to keep written records of what he thought and did, and of what befell him, are called the Prehistoric Age. The comparatively few centuries of human life which are made known to us through written records comprise the Historic Age.

"3. *How We Learn About Prehistoric Man.*—How, in the absence of written records, are we to find out anything about prehistoric man? In many ways we are able to learn much about him. Thus, for instance, we may regard existing savage and semi-savage races as representing the prehistoric state of the advanced races. As it has been put, what they now are, we once were.

"4. *Divisions of Prehistoric Times.*—The long period of prehistoric times is divided into different ages which are named from the material which man used in the manufacture of his weapons and tools. The earliest epoch is known as the Paleolithic, or Old Stone Age; the following as the Neolithic, or New Stone Age; and the later period as the Age of Metals. . . . The man of the Old Stone Age saw the retreating glaciers of the last great ice age, of which geolo-

gy tells us. . . . The length of the Old Stone Age no one knows; we do not attempt to reckon its duration by centuries or milleniums even, but by geological epochs. But we do know—and this is something of vastly greater moment than a knowledge of the duration of the age—that the long slow epochs did not pass away without some progress having been made by primeval man, which assures us that though so lowly a creature, he was a creature endowed with capacity for growth and improvement. Before the end of the age man had learned to use fire."

Can you reconcile these teachings with the veracity of Holy Scripture? Here, in a high-school textbook, is a common example of the evolutionary concept as the basis of knowledge. The high school student is taught, not as theory, but as indisputable *fact*, the imaginary existence of long geological ages—that our forefathers were low savage and semi-savage races, from which modern civilization has developed. Does the high-school youth question the authority of such statements? Naturally not. He accepts them as truth. And thus the evolutionary point of view is planted securely in his mind. He takes this concept for granted. A young mind in which such basic ideas have been grounded is well prepared to accept evolution as such when he reaches his freshman year in college.

The tools of modern science are OBSERVATION, and REASON. Science, especially the natural and philosophical branches, is largely occupied with *explaining* things observed. The errors of science lie not in inaccurate observation and measurement. The mistakes and absurdities of science may be traced to its uniform insistence of explaining and interpreting everything observed from the evolutionary concept. Dr. More, in his book, "The Dogma of Evolution," well says: "Scientific men do carefully sift the accuracy of observations and measurements, while they are at the same time *singularly indifferent toward the manifest absurdity of many of the 'scientific' hypotheses.*"

I do not say that all science is false. Indeed, there is no conflict whatever between TRUE science and TRUE religion, or a true interpretation of the Bible. True science is Truth. True religion is Truth. And the word of God is Truth. Truth does not contradict itself. Religion, indeed, owes much to modern science. The more practical and mechanical branches of science have produced much which contributes toward our daily comfort, happiness, and well-being. We may well realize that, insofar as the modern scientist confines his efforts to pure observation and measurement, he is invariably careful, cautious, accurate,

and trustworthy. His tremendous mistake consists in his false REASONING, from the viewpoint which rejects the power of God, and the inspiration of the Holy Scriptures as the Word of God. "The fear of the ETERNAL is the BEGINNING of wisdom," and of knowledge. When our learned scientist scoffs at the miracles of the Bible; when he denies to God the power to interfere in any supernatural way with the works of His own Creation, and "receiveth not the things of the Spirit of God," which "are foolishness unto him";—then his vaunted "wisdom of this world is FOOLISHNESS with God." That, as nearly as I can express it, is the Bible definition of when we may accept the findings of science, and when they should be rejected.

It is well for us to bear in mind that all of the phenomena of nature which our modern scientists explain from the evolutionary viewpoint are more rationally explained from the viewpoint of "the fear of the ETERNAL," which is the BEGINNING of wisdom and knowledge.

The pity of it all is that, when the modern scientific movement was generated by such men as Copernicus and Galileo, humanity was groping in a degenerated age of darkness, ignorance, and superstition. Paganism, falsely labeled "CHRISTIANITY" held a deceived world in ignorance. The world was supposed to be flat. The sun and the moon were thought to be only a few miles distant. Religion revolved on a concept of God as literally near to the earth. Such ignorant conceptions were taught as Bible doctrine. Indeed, many scientists today believe such ridiculous notions *to be* the teaching of the Bible. But the Bible nowhere says the earth is flat. Job knew the earth was round, and he knew of the distance from the earth of the various planets and the stars. The ignorant conceptions associated with a flat earth were merely the heritage of the medieval dark ages, under a degenerate, apostate, and paganized religious domination.

Yet, today science holds up the example of how, in the day of Copernicus, Religion fought the development of a true knowledge of astronomy by science, and how today we realize that Religion was wrong, and Science was right. This is held up as an example of the present struggle between Science and Religion over the question of Evolution, and Science assures us we will one day look back with the same amusement at present-day fundamental conceptions of a Creating God, that we now look back upon the Dark-Age belief in a flat earth. The fact is, that, developing in an age of ignorance and mental degeneration, the exponents of modern science have ac-

cepted the Middle-Age concept of religion which was pure paganism, the antithesis of the BIBLE teaching, and proceeded upon their present evolutionary concept *more* because of their reluctance to accept the religious doctrines of ignorant paganism falsely *calling* itself Christian, and the BIBLE doctrine of Special Creation, than because of any *evidence of evolution*. Evolution is wholly the result of inductive processes of reasoning.

The greatest weapon against the insidious poison of evolutionary propaganda is sound Bible TRUTH. Not the ridiculous ideas of the ignorant Middle Ages—but SOUND BIBLE TRUTH. It is *lack* of sound Bible teaching which alone must be blamed for the spread of the Devil's greatest intellectual weapon. Science never has, and never will discover any evidences in nature which contradict *sound* Bible Truth. They may find much which disputes careless, willful, and false interpretations of the Bible. And the ASSUMPTIONS, GUESSES, HYPOTHESES, THEORIES, and INTERPRETATIONS and CONCLUSIONS placed by science upon its observed and measured findings may run diametrically counter to sound Bible doctrine, and to Truth. But a true UNDERSTANDING of the Bible—a rare thing, indeed—will always prove the key and the very basis for the understanding of all things. Truly, of all the things in which human man falls short, he has no greater shortcoming than a lack of UNDERSTANDING.

We come, now, to the question:

What can we do about it?

Our schools and our colleges are handicapping your child and mine, before they start out in life, by substituting false propaganda for Truth—by implanting

the ready-made doctrines of Antichrist in the plastic minds of youth. Virtually every college graduate is an evolutionist, today. The evolutionist confidently assures us that only the ignorant and the superstitious reject the "truth" of evolution.

Science is fighting for the right to teach all children—the FUTURE VOTERS, as Mr. Shipley so significantly remarks—the atheistic, Bible-rejecting evolutionary concept. It is fighting to destroy, in youth, all belief in a Creating God and in the Word of God. Science knows we poor human beings are prone to formulate our views and opinions according to what we have been taught—we *take for GRANTED* that which we are taught from childhood. It knows that if it succeeds in its present insidious crusade, another generation will take evolution for granted as a pure matter of course. A doctrine unproved and unprovable will thus—and only thus—be universally accepted as Truth. Christianity will be destroyed. Religion will degenerate to the low plane of pure morality—a morality which will be *outmoded*.

This gigantic trend is the latter-day spirit of Antichrist. It is the final, mighty, masterful, crowning thrust of Satan—by far the most effective weapon he ever managed to employ.

Out of it already has sprung the *new* religion of Antichrist, popularly known as Modernism—A religion which accepts the moral teachings of Jesus, but denies everything fundamental in God's Word. A religion which answers the true Bible definition of the religion of Antichrist—that which "denies that Jesus Christ *is come in the flesh*."

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"CHRISTIANITY," wrote Elbert Hubbard, "supplies a Hell for the people who disagree with you and a Heaven for your friends. The distinguishing feature of Christianity is the hypothesis that . . . thru Adam's fall we sinned all. Christianity is a combination of morality and superstition, and they never form a chemical mixture. Man is the only creature in the animal kingdom that sits in judgment on the work of the Creator and finds it bad." But Elbert Hubbard knew nothing of TRUE Christianity. He knew about the paganized religion in its hundreds of denominations, falsely branded "Christianity." Had Elbert Hubbard, Robert Ingersoll, Tom Paine, Emerson, Jefferson, and other skeptics, agnostics and atheists known the PLAIN TRUTH as revealed in the Bible, they never would have been infidels or agnostics. They lived in a deceived world of spiritual darkness, where TRUTH was turned into irrational superstition.

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