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Frankly Speaking

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● SOMETIMES a bad start makes a good finish. To begin this week, on Sunday I made a special trip in from the ranch to attend a lecture at the Philharmonic Auditorium at 3 p.m. I probably would have missed the lecture but I had promised a friend that I would go. I was attracted to the lecture because of the two eminent religious leaders who sponsored this joint series of meetings, Dean Ernest Holmes of the Institute of Religious Sciences, whom I know and admire very much, and also Dr. Frank B. Robinson, founder of psychiana, whom I never met but have been a student of the wonderful philosophy he teaches.



As I say, a bad start makes a good finish because when I arrived in Los Angeles, I was disappointed that my friend had ignored the appointment, although I had ridden 54 miles to keep it. However, I attended the lecture alone.

In my years of business I have spent some profitable days. I have been paid well for my services, but there is not one time in my life that I believe I received as high a compensation as I did by sitting in at this meeting at the Philharmonic Auditorium last Sunday.

First of all, I learned that my disappointment was of no value and I was pleased at being in order that I might enter the vibration of that spiritual meeting. I sat among those who are interested in the great spiritual awakening that these two eminent gentlemen are trying to foster on the American public.

I was gratified to know that they are preaching a doctrine that I, myself, spoke of in this column some months ago. That is, that this war will never completely cease, no victory will ever be won until the victory is predicated upon love triumphing over hate, and peace of mind and consciousness triumphing over selfishness and creed. No matter who wins the war, whether it be the Nazis or the democracies, until men and women in all walks of life, every nation and every creed on the face of the earth realizes that peace must be predicated upon the teachings of Jesus, the Christ, that Almighty God is the Invisible Spirit of Life, and that every created thing on this earth and throughout the celestial sphere was created by the Invisible Spirit we call God; that might and not right. We know because we remember the first World War.

Dr. Robinson and Dean Holmes are asking the American people to pledge themselves in a unit to ask God to bring peace to the world. They are asking the American people to reiterate and reaffirm that they believe in the power of the living God.

I have heard two of these lectures and my hope is that I attend the other three.

Today is Thursday. Tonight is the last night of these meetings. I wish many of my friends would attend this meeting. If it does for you what it has done for me, you would not take a hundred dollars for attending this meeting.

Dr. Robinson, Dr. Holmes to Hold Meetings

Dr. Frank B. Robinson, founder of the Psychiana movement with headquarters in Moscow, Idaho, and Dr. Ernest Holmes, dean of the Institute of Religious Science of Los Angeles, will co-operate in a series of meetings in which an attempt will be made to use the spirit of God against present day world conditions of war and pestilence.

The services which will be held in Philharmonic Auditorium Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock, will have as their special aim the beginning of a spiritual awakening to combat war and to bring peace to the world.

"The Strange Autobiography of Frank B. Robinson;" Psychiana, Moscow, Idaho. Here is the true life story of the world-famous founder of Psychiana, new faith which in thirteen years has spread to 67 countries of the world to millions of people. Honest, plain-spoken and permeated with a notable faith in man as well as God, the book is a most unique volume for reading and keeping.

Dr. Frank B. Robinson's "God and Dr. Bannister," from Psychiana, Inc. (Moscow, Idaho) is an extraordinary story of the human way of stopping war through divine aid.