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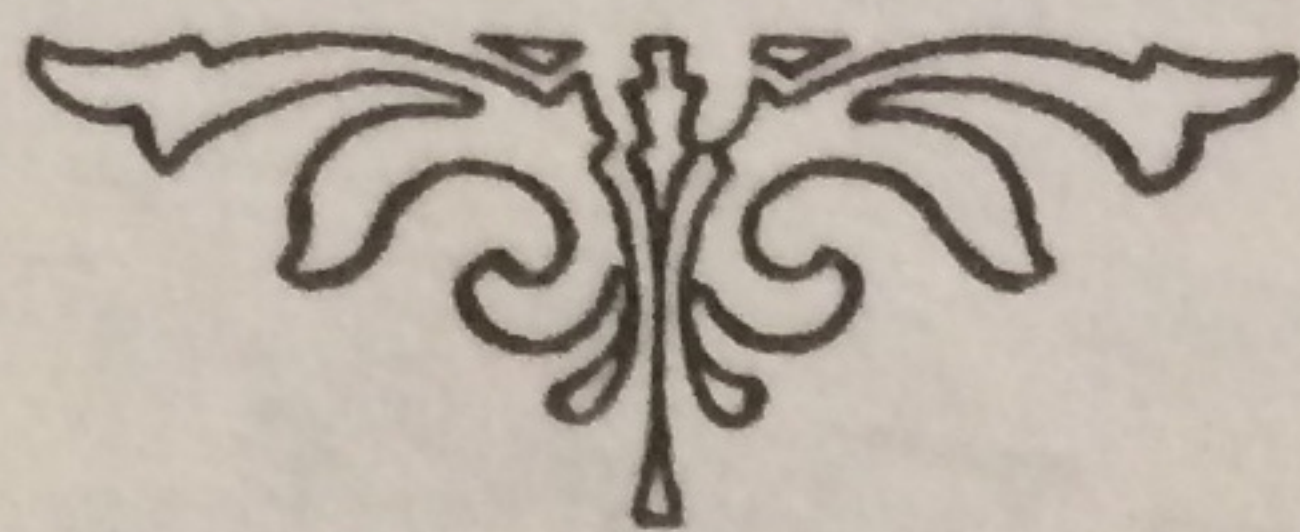
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“A LITTLE CHILD SHALL LEAD THEM”

“The wolf also shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the kid; and the calf and the young lion and the fatling together; and a little child shall lead them.” — ISAIAH 11:6



A LITTLE boy, between five and six years old, came to his father one day and said: “Father, I have something good to tell, and I want you to write just what I tell you.” Without a word his father took up a pencil and wrote as follows:—

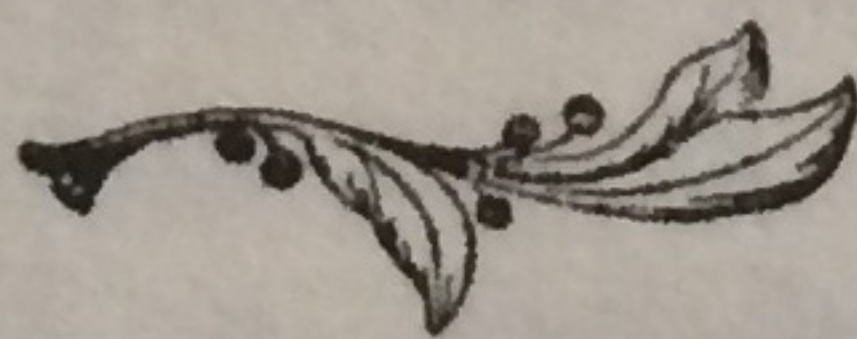
THE SERMON OF THE FIVE-YEAR-OLD CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST.

“All mortals ought to commence Christian Science, and take it up and keep it up. You must never get weary, no matter how long it takes you to make a demonstration.

“I tell you there is nothing like the Truth. No matter what it [the claim] is, you must demonstrate it over.

“No one but a pure person, like Jesus, could raise anyone from the dead, because anyone who is not pure would fear, and could not raise one from the dead. I heard a little girl say, ‘You crazy ape.’ Now that is just as bad as swearing, because that is a slang word. You cannot get me to say anything like that, if I know it’s bad.

“If we live the Truth, it will do lots of great things for us. Now, Truth is not just for fun, but we must live it and be harmonious.”—*W. B. D., Kansas City, Mo.*



I WISH to tell of a demonstration which I had on the sixth of October. I was struck by an electric car as I attempted to cross the street and was thrown right underneath the car. At first I thought I was in Sunday School and my teacher who first taught me holding my hand and repeat-

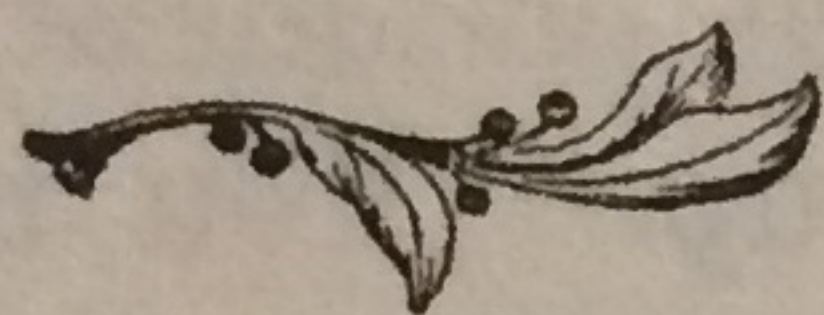
“BY THEIR FRUITS YE SHALL KNOW THEM”

ing the Scientific Statement of Being in my ear. Instantly I began to realize that God was All-in-all, and kept helping myself until they got me out. Everybody who saw what happened said it was a miracle that I was not killed, but I knew that it was Truth that saved me. I am a little girl seven years old. I read Science and Health, the *Journal*, and *Sentinel*.—*Margaret Lumley, Ottawa, Ont.*



I AM a little boy eight years old, and I want to tell you about my demonstration. I was thrown from our wagon, falling on my head and shoulders. We denied it, and in about an hour I was all right.

Arthur D. Monger, La Junta, Col.



I am a little girl eight years old, and I want to tell you what I have done for God. I was at grandma's house and I went out in the kitchen and Annie, the girl, had a headache, and she asked me to treat her, because I had treated her once before. I went into the dining-room and declared that God was Good, and didn't make headaches, therefore Annie did not have any headache, and mortal mind couldn't say she had any. After five or ten minutes' treatment I went out and asked her how she was; she said she was very much better but not all healed. Then I realized Truth a little more and went out to play, and after dinner I went again into the kitchen and she said she was all well.

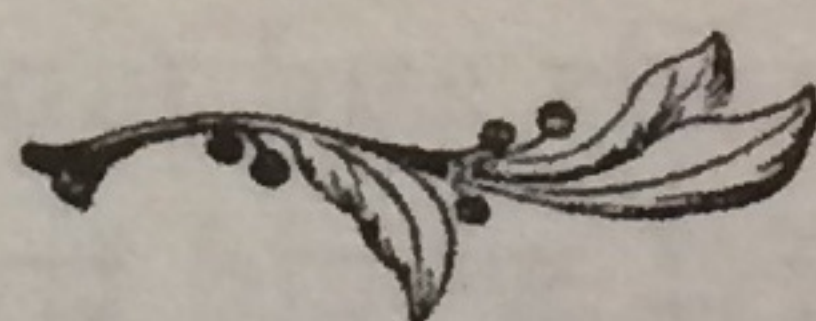
One night while I was at grandma's I had a claim of sore throat, and grandma is not a Christian Scientist, and mamma was here in Boston, and so I began to cry. Just as soon as I began to cry I thought of God and stopped right off, and began to demonstrate. I thought God was all, for Life was all Good, and matter had no place, it didn't exist, and I said, "Get behind me, Satan," and then in a few minutes I felt all well and haven't had any sore throat since.

CHILDREN'S TESTIMONIES

While I was up in the mountains this summer I was walking up a hill bare-footed, there was some poison ivy around, and I stepped on some and the next day I had a claim of it on my hands and feet, and papa said it would last two weeks; but I said it wouldn't, and so mamma and I read *Science and Health* and demonstrated that the power of Good was all there is, much powerfuller than mortal mind, for there is no mortal mind. There is only God's Mind that is Love, and that is all there is, there is no other mind. We said God never made poison, and therefore it didn't exist, and a few days afterward it was all gone.

One day my brother Stuart and I were playing, and he took something of mine to look at and I began to whine, and mamma heard me and asked me not to do it—to try to demonstrate over it. She had asked me two or three times before, and I didn't seem to do it, but I did this time, because I thought it wasn't nice to fret and bother mamma, and I began treating myself. I said, "Error, you don't exist, and you can't make me whine and fret, for God governs me." And mamma says that she hasn't heard me whine and fret since. I am so glad that our dear Mother, Mrs. Eddy, is so good and kind to give us this beautiful Truth, that helps us to manifest God—Good.

Adelaide Chase, Boston, Mass.



A Girl's Appreciation of Science and Health.

I would like to add my testimony to the healing power of Truth. I am a schoolgirl fifteen years old. This afternoon in school a bad headache came upon me. After school, at my earliest opportunity, I went to my room and studied the lesson on "Unreality" for September 23, 1900. When I finished the lesson, I suddenly realized that not a trace of the trouble was left. None of my family are Christian Scientists, so I could not turn to them for aid. I am so thankful for this beautiful Truth, and my greatest desire is that I may become worthy of the name of a true, loyal Christian Scientist. *Science and Health* is the dearest book I own.—H. S., Chicago, Ill.

“BY THEIR FRUITS YE SHALL KNOW THEM”

I AM a little girl nine years old. Mamma and papa have been Christian Scientists for over five years, and I have been thinking of writing to the dear JOURNAL for a good while. We have Bible class at our house every Sunday. My little brother and sister, younger than I, repeat the Golden text and the Scientific Statement of Being. When their turn comes to read, they repeat texts that they have learned from the Quarterly.

I must tell you what a demonstration we had with my little kitty. It was lying on the steps, and my older sister stepped on it and broke its little leg off between the knee and paw, until it hung down. Papa said that we should put it in the cellar, so that my sister couldn't get it, for she played with it so much. But it soon got out of the cellar, and she got it and played with it. In a couple of days its little leg quit hanging down, but seemed crooked. And in about a week its little leg was straight, and it could run and play as though there was nothing wrong or seemed wrong. Some people at our house saw the kitty when it was hurt, and saw it when it was well.

I had the end of my little finger ground off. It was so bad looking that the neighbors said that it never would have a nail on it. But it did get well and got a new nail, and without a Dr. or his laws, for the laws of God overruled the laws of matter, and I got a new end on my finger, also a new nail.

Our neighbor's little baby had eaten some lye, and its mother was putting salve on its hands and mouth. I pitied it so, I told her if she would wash it off I would treat it. She did so, and in a few days it was well. Sure, God is Love. — A. H., PENNA.



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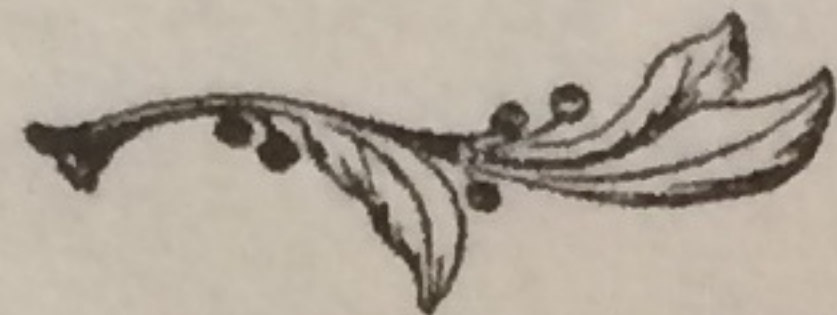
The doctors couldn't help me and then I was helped by Christian Science, and now I can read the book and help myself. I am so thankful to our Mother, Mrs. Eddy, for giving us the book to show us the way to be well and happy. I never had been able to go to school regularly until I had read Science and Health, now I can go all the time. I am

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thirteen years old, and I would rather have the book than anything else, and so I got up early every morning and scrubbed the steps for one of the neighbors for fifty cents a week, until I had five dollars for my book. Please send the book to my address.

Laura Mauntel.

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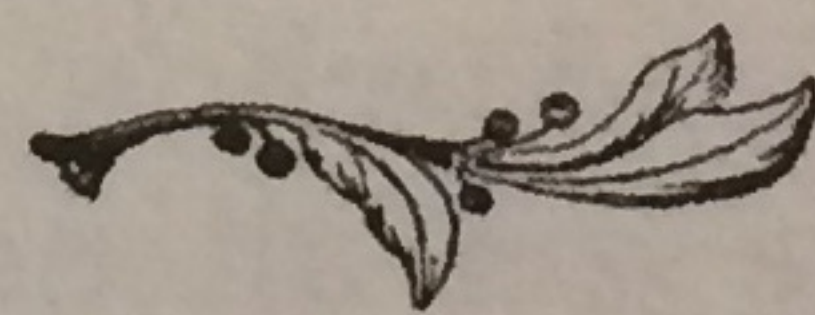
I AM a little boy of nine years old. When I was about six, I had whooping-cough very bad. My mamma was just looking into the Science, and told a Scientist that I had the cough, and in thirty-six hours it was all gone. Since then I have been brought up in the thought.

Nearly all the children's diseases have come to me, but were met so quickly few knew I ever had them. I never have to suffer long with toothache or anything else.

Last summer a hornet stung me on the chin. I thought it was very bad, but just as soon as I stopped my crying, and obeyed manma by saying the "Scientific Statement," it was all over.

I am so glad I know of Science while I am a little boy.

W. W. G., Salt Lake City, Utah.



I WOULD like to tell of a demonstration which I have had. I am eleven years old. My eyes had been troubling me for some time. I tried to demonstrate. The pain did not go away at first, but I kept on working and realized that God was my sight.

I treated myself every day, and read Science and Health every evening. My eyes were all right in a very short time.

I have had a great many lovely demonstrations. I have always known of Christian Science, and I am trying to bring it out in all my work.

Frances J. Eddy Mann, Boston, Mass.