

A Correspondence

Editorial note:

We can have only admiration for the sincere and dignified manner in which Dr. Elsworth F. Baker has countered the condemnable action of a group of physicians who, under the disguise of "authority," have consistently avoided taking cognizance of a vast, neglected field of human pathology and looking into microscopes to see obvious natural phenomena.

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Personal

Dr. Elsworth F. Baker
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Dear Dr. Baker:

Replying to your recent inquiry about your candidacy for advancement to Fellowship, I am afraid that there is little of promise I can tell you. The Committee on Credentials has regularly deferred action. You lack the support of a number of our Fellows in New Jersey, due principally to your reported practise of the teaching of a cult known as vegetotherapy, a system that is largely condemned by the American Medical Association, the American Psychiatric Association and others. The College has been waiting for a report from those organizations and, of course, it is already familiar with the action taken by the Deputy Commissioner of State Institutions and Agencies.

Sincerely yours,

E. R. Loveland
Executive Secretary

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E. R. Loveland, Executive Secretary
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Dear Mr. Loveland:

Thank you very much for your report on my status. I appreciate your frankness. Since the College is familiar with the Deputy Commissioner's decision, I presume they are also aware that two weeks after Dr. Henry Cotton rendered that decision he died from an overdose of sleeping tablets.

I am already familiar with the reaction of official medicine toward orgone biophysics and can quote for example, The Menninger Clinic reprinting in their *Bulletin* an article entitled, "The Strange Case of Wilhelm Reich," by Mildred Edie Brady, a very vicious article filled with half-truths, untruths and misstatements; and again *The Journal of The American Medical Association* printing a supposedly scientific opinion of the orgone accumulator without having experimented with it nor even having read the literature but merely quoting from a review of Dr. Reich's book *THE CANCER BIOPATHY*. Apparently The American College finds it necessary to judge orgone biophysics from such authorities, whereas the opinion of one who has worked intensively in orgone biophysics for four years and is at the same time a Fellow of both The American Medical Association and The American Psychiatric Association, bears little weight.

The Fellowship is not as important to me as my duty to my patients and any others I am in a position to give some relief from their misery. I have been able to do this more effectively since I have had the knowledge and technique of orgone therapy. I feel it therefore my duty to use this method even though orthodox medicine does not approve and even ostracizes me.

I wish you would explain to the College that I do not belong to any cult. The American Association for Medical Orgonomy is composed of members who are physicians graduated from a class A medical school with one year's internship, at least a year of psychiatry, a complete reconstructing through personal orgone therapy and three years of clinical, seminar and laboratory training in orgone biophysics. We find ourselves in the position

psychoanalysis was forty years ago and the reaction we receive is comparable to that received by Semmelweis, Pasteur, Lister and Freud. It seems it must always be so.

I wish therefore to submit my resignation to the College.

Very respectfully yours,

Elsworth F. Baker, M.D.

Projeto Arte Org Redescobrimo e reinterpretando W. Reich

Caro Leitor

Infelizmente, no que se refere a orgonomia, seguir os passos de Wilhelm Reich e de sua equipe de investigadores é uma questão bastante difícil, polêmica e contraditória, cheia de diferentes interpretações que mais confundem do que ajudam.

Por isto, nós decidimos trabalhar com o material bibliográfico presente nos microfilmes (Wilhelm Reich Collected Works Microfilms) em forma de PDF, disponibilizados por Eva Reich que já se encontra circulado pela internet, e que abarca o desenvolvimento da orgonomia de 1941 a 1957.

Dividimos este “material” de acordo com as revistas publicadas pelo instituto de orgonomia do qual o Reich era o diretor.

01- International Journal of Sex Economy and Orgone Research (1942-1945).

02- Orgone Energy Bulletin (1949-1953)

03- CORE Cosmic Orgone Engineering (1954-1956)

E logo dividimos estas revistas de acordo com seus artigos, apresentando-os de forma separada (em PDF), o que facilita a organizá-los por assunto ou temas.

Assim, cada qual pode seguir o rumo de suas leituras de acordo com os temas de seu interesse.

Todo o material estará disponível em inglês na nuvem e poderá ser acessado a partir de nossas páginas Web.

Sendo que nosso intuito aqui é simplesmente divulgar a orgonomia, e as questões que a ela se refere, de acordo com o próprio Reich e seus colaboradores diretos relativos e restritos ao tempo e momento do próprio Reich.

Quanto ao caminho e as postulações de cada um destes colaboradores depois da morte de Reich, já é uma questão que extrapola nossas possibilidades e nossos interesses. Sendo que aqui somente podemos ser responsáveis por nós mesmos e com muitas restrições.

Alguns destes artigos, de acordo com nossas possibilidades e interesse, já estamos traduzindo.

Não somos tradutores especializados e, portanto, pedimos a sua compreensão para possíveis erros que venham a encontrar.

Em nome da comunidade Arte Org.

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