

Notice

## MEMORANDUM

February 7, 1939

Remitter: Pillar of Fire (7664)--Class A.

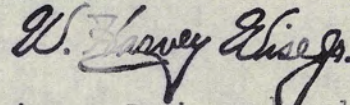
Title: "Why I Do Not Eat Meat."

Question: Division of opinion as to whether correspondence should be conducted because notice of copyright has year date corrected to 1939.

The application for registration of this reissued work gives the date of publication as January 10, 1939. The copies deposited show a copyright notice in which the year date has been corrected to read "Copyright 1939 by Alma White."

It is the opinion of Mr. Wise, Mr. Smith, and Mr. Pierce that registration should be made as applied for. In the event that an earlier date does appear on some copies distributed the only harm to result therefrom might be the loss of the corresponding years in copyright protection. Mrs. Brady, on the other hand, feels that correspondence should be conducted and the Office inquire whether the notice has been corrected on all copies published.

Respectfully submitted,



Chairman, Revisory Board

Enter--order of Mr. Howell 2/10/39--"Affidavit gives date of printing December 1, 1938, and publication January 10, 1939. It seems clear that they used 1938 in notice, but finding it not feasible to publish before the New Year, changed to 1939."