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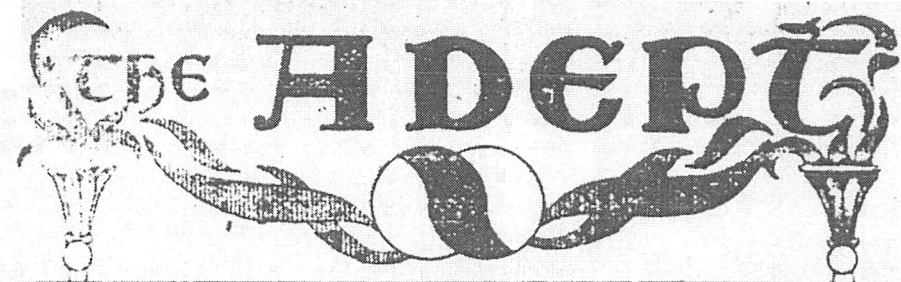
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## THE OUTLOOK FOR FEBRUARY, 1921.

The New Moon for February occurs on the 7th at 6:36 p. m. The Full of the Moon on the 22nd at 3:32 a. m. Central Standard time, or one hour later for N. Y., one our before for Denver time and two hours earlier for Pacific time.

At the time of the New Moon, the Sun is  $18^{\circ} 44'$  in the sign Aquarius and has no exact aspects for several days. Jupiter and Saturn are in the ascendant and Uranus, Mercury and Mars in the 7th house. I judge that this combine will make the month coming somewhat changeable and uncertain in a Business way; Congress will have much to debate over and I doubt if they will accomplish very much, that may be really necessary for the good of the country. The close aspect of Jupiter to Saturn and both retrograde means slow business, much hesitating among those who make business active. Speculation not as active and the Markets quite changeable off and on with considerable weakness at times. As Mercury passes the conjunction of Uranus in Pisces, the Markets may be very weak for a few days early in the month, especially those days when Mercury or the Moon have bad aspects.

The weather indications are not quite as favorable for February as they have been previous; as the Sun passes the aspects of Uranus, Saturn and Jupiter, the weather will be less settled, and with more stormy conditions, much wind and rain or snow.

At the Full of the Moon, the Sun is coming to the conjunction of Uranus and opposite Jupiter, with Mercury Retrograding and it will retrograde to a conjunction of Uranus early in March and for a few days in this period I look for quite unsettled conditions in the Markets of the world and a great deal of discontent, unsettled conditions generally, process may be quite unsettled in late February and part of March.

My judgment is that there may be radical Breaks in the various Markets, Cereals and Stocks in February and Early March. Those who speculate do well to be quite cautious and expect sudden changes. However, we have no need to fear for the Outcome. Business will brace up and be very active after the early spring months. Things will settle down to quite an extent for a few months before Jupiter again gets closely aspected to Saturn in the fall months.

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### THE DAYS FOR FEBRUARY, 1921.

- 1st. Moon  $4^{\circ}$  Sagittarius, Noon, Central time, square with Uranus is somewhat changeable and uncertain, avoid unnecessary risks.
- 2nd. Moon  $16^{\circ}$  Sagittarius, square with Mars, Jupiter and Saturn, is very uncertain, unfavorable. Avoid all risks and changes.
- 3rd. Moon  $28^{\circ}$  Sagittarius, sextile with Mercury; your judgment good, go ahead, and do as looks best.
- 4th. Moon  $10^{\circ}$  Capricorn, trine with Jupiter, is slightly beneficial.
- 5th. Moon  $21^{\circ}$  Capricorn, trine with Saturn, is somewhat dull and quiet, not real favorable for starting any new affairs.
- 6th. Sunday. Moon  $3^{\circ}$  Aquarius, sextile with Venus; very good for such affairs as may come up.
- 7th. Moon  $15^{\circ}$  Aquarius, with Sun, is not good for risks, changes or new affairs.
- 8th. Moon  $27^{\circ}$  Aquarius. Parallel Jupiter, generally favorable; use your judgment and go ahead.
- 9th. Moon  $9^{\circ}$  Pisces. Opposite Jupiter in p. m. Avoid extravagance, and avoid business risks; attend only to regular affairs.
- 10th. Moon  $22^{\circ}$  Pisces, opposite Saturn; unfavorable and dull; avoid risks, guard against deceit, etc.
- 11th. Moon  $4^{\circ}$  in Aries with Venus, is generally favorable; go ahead and push regular affairs.
- 12th. Moon  $16^{\circ}$  Aries, sextile with Sun; fairly good for all affairs, your judgment good.
- 13th. Sunday. Moon  $29^{\circ}$  Aries. Good only for Sunday affairs.
- 14th. Moon  $12^{\circ}$  in Taurus. Trine with Jupiter, generally good and even but somewhat dull and quiet; Jupiter is retrograde and not at its best.
- 15th. Moon  $26^{\circ}$  Taurus, square with Sun; avoid risks and unnecessary changes.
- 16th. Moon  $9^{\circ}$  Gemini, sextile with Venus, is good; go ahead and use your judgment and do as you feel is best.
- 17th. Moon  $23^{\circ}$  Gemini, square with Saturn; be careful, avoid risks, guard against deceit.
- 18th. Moon  $8^{\circ}$  Cancer, square with Venus; avoid extravagance, avoid speculations, risky investments, etc.
- 19th. Moon  $22^{\circ}$  Cancer, Sextile with Saturn; somewhat quiet, dull, not good for important moves or changes.
- 20th. Moon  $7^{\circ}$  Leo. Good for such affairs as come up on Sunday.
- 21st. Moon  $23^{\circ}$  Leo, parallel with Venus; generally favorable, go ahead and push affairs.
- 22nd. Moon  $8^{\circ}$  Virgo, with Jupiter; even and good for regular affairs; not good for starting important new affairs.
- 23rd. Moon  $22^{\circ}$  Virgo with Saturn, is dull, unfavorable; avoid risks and all unnecessary changes.
- 24th. Moon  $7^{\circ}$  Libra, Parallel with Jupiter; favorable, go ahead and push affairs.
- 25th. Moon  $21^{\circ}$  Libra, opposite Venus; go ahead with regular

affairs, avoid new affairs, guard against extravagance, etc.

26th. Moon  $4^{\circ}$  Scorpio, trine with Uranus, favors good judgment; go ahead, make any reasonable moves or changes.

27th. Sunday. Moon  $17^{\circ}$  Scorpio sextile with Saturn, is dull, quiet, altho favors general every day affairs only.

28th. Moon  $30^{\circ}$  Scorpio, square with Uranus and Sun; avoid unnecessary risks and changes.

### THE HOROSCOPE OF RAPHAEL VI.

By Prof. Weston.

In Raphael's Ephemeris for the year 1913 the horoscope of Raphael VI is printed for the inspection of astrologers. It was evidently intended that someone should make some remark in regard to it, or it would not have been printed, as I take it, but as I have not read any remarks regarding that horoscope in all the seven years that it has been before us, I have concluded to say a word or two about it myself.

The horoscope is that of Mr. R. W. Cross, who is the Sixth Raphael, of London. In Alan Leo's "Thousand and One Notable Nativities" it is Number 38.

In this nativity the Sun is almost exactly on the cusp of the second house, hence its polar elevation will be in the radix about  $41^{\circ}$ . Assuming this to be its pole, or near its pole, then I find that at the age of 76 years and 6 weeks it will be by converse motion at about  $28^{\circ} 08'$  Capricorn, and we see that position will be sesquiquadrate with the radical Jupiter and also in square with the radical Uranus, the one planet being in the native's sixth house and the other in his first, the houses governing his life.

The Moon is practically on the nadir of the chart and we may, therefore, without much chance for great error, carry her converse upon the circle of right ascension to the 76th year of the age, and upon doing this we find her at about  $23^{\circ} 30'$  Aries. The secondary Saturn has progressed to about  $21^{\circ}$  Aries, so the Moon will be on the secondary Saturn and very near the radical Uranus, in this 76th year of age. This action takes place in the first house, also. The Lunar secondary is also in Aries and will transit the 21st degree rather late in the 76th year of age.

Considering these fundamental positions, along with some other testimonies, including the transits for the time, I am very much inclined to conclude that Mr. R. W. Cross, of London, will never see his 77th birthday.

Some astrologers may want to use the ascendant for the hyleg. If so, they will find it in the 76th year in this horoscope at about the  $16^{\circ}$  or the  $15^{\circ}$  of Sagittarius, near a square with Jupiter and in exact opposition with the radical Mercury. This is also sesquiquadrate with the radical Mars.

If this man gets past his 77th year I am going to revise my ideas about astrology. I will begin to think we have either got

wrong birth data before us or else our art is not sufficiently well understood to permit of accurate forecasting.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS AND CRITICISMS.

Many thanks to the great number who have renewed their Subscriptions in December. I think more renewals on time than for any month in the past year. The Numbers following the address on the wrapper of The Adept shows when the subscription expires. 1-21, means that this is the last number paid for. 2-21, means that February is the last one.

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There is more and more inquiry every day from educated people who wish to look into the science of Astrology. It begins to look reasonable to a great many, that there is a Psychological influence from all large bodies of matter and that every chemical has its affinity or the opposite. The Spirit of Man or the Soul or the Mind, is certainly something, even tho Webster says that it is immaterial, and if it is something, it is Matter, no matter what Mary Baker says about it. When her Sun ceased to shine, she left for Parts unknown. The weather Bureau is finding that Sun spots effect the weather and soon they will find that various spots effect business and effect Men singly and collectively.

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Those who study Astrology find that it is the foundation of all religions and they can understand more clearly why certain ones have more or less, (principally less) religion than others. The only way the world can stop the people generally from finding the source of all Religions is to keep them from studying Mythology, Astronomy and Astrology. Some people know that they are creatures of Infinite Law, and such do not fear God, but in reality are the only ones who really worship God.

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Since Uranus turned Direct in motion, the Russians have made considerable headway, and have arranged to Trade with England, and soon expect to trade with the U. S. No doubt some new party will eventually get controll of Russia, its Government, for as long as we have the love of money, it will buy anything, even the souls of men and women. Lenine and Trotsky have been credited with trying to abolish money in Russia, but they cannot abolish value. It is as natural for some to want to accumulate as it is for others to be careless, and so long as there is ambition, we cannot have a world without strife and strife means war eventually.

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During the 16th and 17th Century, Religious Liberty was the one great point of controversy, and Religious liberty has won, and never again will the time come when there will not be some locations where one can believe what looks reasonable to him and be able to express his opinions freely. In the 19th century, the right to



choose your own ruler was the leading line of thought, and the U. S. liberated the Black man and allowed him to choose his ruler, and recently the women were allowed to make their mark on the dotted line; eventually, will be allowed to have three primaries, the first one to nominate a number and the second one to eliminate all but two and the third one to elect the Ruler. In the next century, Liberty of Labor will be the leading question; and it is not more than a Century ahead of us, till every man will have an equal chance with every other man; it will be impossible for a man to loaf so that he will be surrounded by those who will support him, while he takes his ease. Every one should do his share of work and either mentally or physically, give to the nation as much as he takes from the nation.

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What is your opinion of a man, who will, for so much per, take one or the other side of a question? For example, have you a very good opinion of a man who will work against Free Trade for so much or for a Tariff for so much. I know it's considered all right, to work for or against anything, if you are paid for it, but I can not see good morality in such a proposition. It does not look good to see a Judge select a Lawyer to defend a criminal that is practically guilty of a crime, or is caught right in the act.

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Several of the Subscribers of The Adept have inquired about Ireland, What is the outcome of the present war (?), etc.

Ireland is said to be ruled by Taurus and Venus; Lillys Astrology states this, but it does not look to Ye Editor as the Venus was exerting a very strong influence over that part of the world at present or has been for the last few years. Possibly Lilly was wrong in making this statement, but if he was correct, it is unfortunate that he did not say more and give a fellow something to work from. IF we had the Radical chart for Ireland, or something besides "Taurus" to guide us, we might make some statements, but under the conditions, it is impossible to use good judgment in regard to this affair, from an astrological standpoint.

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The Number of Subscribers who have made any comments in regard to publishing the Outlook for the month a month ahead are generally in favor of having it that way, a very few, wish the Forecast for the same month as the Cover Shows. Later we may be able to arrange it so that it will be exactly correct for all interested.

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Some readers do not care at all for the Good and Bad days of the months; and are inclined to think that nothing can be figured so closely as a day. To these I will say: It does not necessarily mean, that because there are bad aspects on a certain day or good aspects on another day, that You may have good or bad conditions

on these days, but the object is to take advantage of good influences and avoid unfavorable ones. For twenty-five years I have studied and investigated the effects of aspects between the planets, and thousands of times I have found that events started on good days or when there were good aspects, the outcome was good, quick and satisfactory to all concerned; and just the reverse on days when there were bad aspects. If you make investments, run unusual or unnecessary risks on days when the aspects are unfavorable, eventually if not on that day, something annoying comes up.

Suppose that you do not believe in Astrology; it would make no difference then, whether you act on a good or bad day according to your belief, and as it makes no difference, for the sake of investigation, go ahead with some real important business and start some real important affairs on a so called bad day, and see if you get good results.

The greatest benefit that can be had from a knowledge of Astrology, is to be able to pick a favorable time for changes, new affairs, etc., and to be able to see the unfavorable indications and avoid them.

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In Horoscopes that have the aspects generally good, the most favorable periods often come when the aspects by Transit, or every day motions of the planets are Bad. If you have the Sun and Moon in Trine with Jupiter, you get very good results when the Sun or Moon are passing a square or opposition of Jupiter. But if you have unfavorable aspects or none at all, then your best times are when there are good aspects by the daily motions and by the progressed motions also.

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Uranus in the sign Pisces does not seem to have as good or beneficial effect on Finances and Business as it had in Capricorn and Aquarius. If you notice when a planet first enters a sign (any of the four larger ones) the Moon's aspects once around the Zodiac will show what the nature of the planet is in that sign. Note this on the speculative markets. In the past few years, whenever the Moon formed any good aspect to Uranus, the Cereal markets were very strong. Mercury aspecting Uranus, sometimes by a bad aspect caused strength in the markets, and those who were born with Uranus in Capricorn or Aquarius, will get some benefit from all the strong aspects of the Moon to Uranus as they get older. In Pisces, the aspects generally have been causing depressions in the markets, quarrels, discord, etc., and I look for Uranus to make more disturbance in the next few years and bring reforms and radical changes in various ways. Pisces is a reform sign. Somewhere among the old authors I have seen the statement that when Jupiter and Saturn both are in Pisces together, a great reformer is born; I think it is well to add, that when Uranus is in Pisces, great reforms are started.

A wave of Crime seems to be passing over the country, or having a vacation here; one or the other, for more people are engaged in sandbagging and evening robbery than ever before; Banks being robbed, sometimes two or three a day and the Bandits escaping in a high powered car. Various reasons are given; but the One great reason is that the Big Men (so called) of the world set the example. The Kaiser started to Rob France, Servia and Russia. It did not pan out as expected, the Boot was on the other foot. England and France got a lot of Territory and are looking for more; all those Buck Privates who did not stand well were court marshalled, and Von Terpits and the rest of the Bloods are writing Books and setting all the Marks they can Bale up for them.

Since education was compulsory in the U. S. it has compelled many to think and use their minds. It may look all right to a King, Emperor or President, for any one of them to start into the killing business and murder all who come in their way; but the average man who thinks at all, believes that he has as much right to kill as a king or Emperor. What is right for a nation, is right for an individual, so some think, and it does not look very unreasonable to Ye Editor.

The Socialists of Germany would have put the Kaiser out of his job if he had not started his war; and would probably have taken his money, and might have presented him with a telegraph pole. He chose to be the cause of six millions of deaths and save his money, which he did.

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A request from two subscribers to give the Rising sign for each day of the year. All the 12 signs of the Zodiac ascend every day, two hours apart. If you know which sign the Sun is in each day of the month, the sign that the Sun is in will always be rising with the Sun, and in about two hours the same degree of the next sign.

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The Average person who has an Astrological Reading, reads it over once or more, and waits for events to occur. If a good aspect is mentioned, they wait for Fate to bring it, and if an unfavorable aspect is mentioned, they also wait for fate to bring it. Only one who has studied Astrology or is intuitive enough to know that the Planets effect every one, will try to take advantage of good aspects or repel bad ones.

The Astrologer who is familiar with his client, will use different judgment when predicting for those who wait and those who have confidence in the predictions; with one who has confidence, it is only necessary to say, you have such and such good indications. Push affairs and try and take advantage of them and make them better. To the one who is simply curious, he can say: You will have such and such events, if the Horoscope shows them clearly, and can depend upon it that they will wait for the bad as well as the good and probably get both in regular order.

Ptolemy in his Centiloquy says: No one can predict an actual event without Divine assistance, meaning something outside of Astrology, intuition, etc. The Astrologer who has had experience will note the aspects formed and advise what events generally come under such, but not claim that they are sure to bring the exact events, or in other words, Astrologers will predict tendencies and not the actual events.

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When only the day of birth is given, (with month and year, of course) no astrologer can give the details as would be indicated by the hour of birth. A great deal can be foretold from the day of birth alone, but much more from the hour of birth. When the hour is not known, it is often possible to judge from the Description of one, as to what sign was ascending at the hour of birth, and from this, the dates of some events in ones life may show the exact minute.

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The Land and Real Estate Business looks to be quite favorable for 1921 till the Fall of the year. It is not a good year to invest in land, for the indications favor lower prices and less activity in such in 1922 as Saturn enters Libra an airy sign. Those who have Real Estate to sell, do best to sell during the first half of 1921 or before October, for after that the chances are not as favorable, but this does not mean that no sales will be made or no profits made in real estate, it simply will not be as active, and the opportunities not as good.

### JUDGING THE HOROSCOPE.

You must have a system and an exact, correct one and follow it in detail if you wish to judge the Nativity correctly. The first point to Judge in every chart, is Mentality. The Horoscope may have a great many bad aspects at first sight, but on closer inspection, a great many very good ones.

The cusp of the ascendant, that point that was on the Horizon at the time of birth is the important point. The mentality will be according to the nature of that sign, and of that sign that the ruling planet is in, and aspects to the cusp of the ascendant and in judging aspects, you must use judgment regarding how close the aspects are. A planet that has a close aspect of two or three degrees is much stronger than one that is 12 degrees away.

The Native may have good aspects of the Moon and Mercury to each other and to other planets, but if the cusp of the ascendant has no good aspects, the mind has not the capacity that one who has good aspects has.

Mercury closely aspected gives expression and the ability to express. Mars gives executive ability, Jupiter calculation and Uranus comparison and the power to estimate correctly. Venus gives order, etc. Bad aspects to the ascendant make one changeable and

uncertain, lacking in concentration and caution. In my judgment, the aspects to the cusp of the ascendant are much more important than between the planets.

A planet in the ascendant square with one in the 4th or 10th is not necessarily unfavorable, or a planet in the 7th opposite a planet in 1st is not necessarily unfavorable. All depending on the nature of the planet and the sign it is in.

J. A. Watkins, 606 Hudson Ave., Oklahoma City. Dear Sir:— I note your statement in the Adept of the two babies, the above are their Charts. Simonite says, "If the Hyleg be much afflicted, the child dies in its infantile state."

Oxley quoting from Argel says, "If the Moon be in the 8th house in opposition Saturn or Mars it testifies DEATH in infancy." In the Chart of the Child born at 9:32 a. m. we have the Moon in the 8th house in conjunction Uranus with the latter in elevation above the luminary. The Moon is just past the opposition of Saturn. We have the Sun as Hyleg in conjunction Mars, Mars in elevation. And the Sun and Mars square Saturn, and also square Moon and Uranus, making a triangle of which Sun is the apex.

Ptolemy says: "Mars is exceedingly pernicious when succeedant Sun and Saturn when seccedant Moon. But a converse effect takes place when either of these planets may be in opposition Sun or Moon or in elevation above them."

The baby born at 9:32 a. m. died when the Moon came to the opposition Sun, June 11, a little after noon.

Permit me to venture the opinion that it was not necessary to kill one of the babies to tell them apart.

The child that died was large boned, broad shouldered, large staring eyes, yellow hair with an oval face.

The child that is alive is of slender build, long thin face, dark hair, narrow chin and narrow chest.

In relation to the complexion this varies with the nationality and race, as a person born of parents from Southern Europe is dark and from Northern Europe is light, and a negro is always black, yet, aside from the complexion, the above distinguishable points of description will apply.

I submit that the child born in the evening is alive.

Yours truly,

ALLYN SMITH.

#### NEW FILMS.

"MATA THE MAGICIAN" and "LINKED LIVES," two metaphysical novels by ISABELLA INGALESE, celebrated writer of Occult and Philosophical works, with which many of our readers are doubtless familiar, have been acquired by the NEW ERA FILM

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#### A PASSING WORD OR TWO.

People who are getting their eyes open to falsities and erroneous ideas advanced by religious zealots in the promotion of their self-glorifications and their selfish and dogmatic CHURCHISMS, should not be so enthusiastic, or so dogmatic themselves in their endeavor to foist a "New Psychology" upon the world, as to drop into errors themselves. They only trouble with RELIGION is that it is MIXED and TANGLED and has fallen largely into the hands of people who are psychologized, hypnotized or mesmerized by financial, social or emotional customs or moralities, and who are so much under the spell of their religious hypnosis that they think that GOD and CHRIST were words manufactured solely for them. "GOD" is a term that signifies STRENGTH; that strength which prevails in ALL things. And, that Strength, which has immaculate power to move or change one thing into another, in due process of Time and under the laws of Cause and Effect, is the TRUE ALCHEMIST of ancient days. It was termed "THE MAGICIAN," "THE LORD," or some equivalent term, from time to time. The several bodies of people well understood it, as well as we understand terms which we use today. The Paracelsus yarns distorted by religious zealots, or the "Art of changing base metals into gold" are modern credulities. Alchemy is a Spiritual Science whilst Chemistry is a Material Science. Religionists for years denounced anything which bore the appellation of "Science," and the great majority of them have not

yet recovered from that form of ignorance. That is one of the greatest reasons why so many people of today are "Unchurched." When people learn truths for themselves and can prove them to their own satisfaction, they are not foolish enough to permit dogmatic people whom they can prove to be ignorant, to cram falsities and folder vols down their throats, just because of the sacredness of certain terms which the whole world has learned to more or less reverence. No church has any patent right to Christianity or even to Religion. When people learn enough to draw distinction between the meanings of popular terms they are quite apt to do so, and, they are not easily frightened by some ignoramus telling them that they "will go to hell," for so doing. But, people of the present, newspaper publishers and others, are not so afraid of Old Watts' Hell, as they are of the Particular Hells which dogmatic religionists threaten to kick up, if some more worthy persons do not walk after the religious ways and moralities, arbitrarily laid down by the various churches. Christianity means "A square deal, One man as good as another," and especially, Free speech, a free press and life, liberty and a right to the pursuit of happiness.

"CHRIST" is a term which refers to a SACRED IDEALITY, and not to any particular person of ancient or modern times. It refers to Jesus of Nazareth no more than it does to any other person who is able to emulate the character of the pictorial Christ. Thousands of religionists have been taught to believe that Jesus was given the name "Christ," by Divine prescience, when the name was an astrologic significance thousands of years before Jesus was born. The term "Christ" and equivalent terms, and all of the principles which they denote, belong to Ancient Astrology, and to ancient Magic, and to ancient alchemy. They mean the Freedom of Equilibrium, which is also Justice, Righteousness, Balance and Wisdom. Through all the vicissitudes of the rivalrous religions since the Grecian Mundane era, 7000 to 8000 years ago, rivalrous religions and rivalrous nations would change the names of certain principles and popular facts which were credited to other religions and nations, and by passing them off upon their people as something new, would appropriate the credit of discovering the principle to themselves. The same method of chicanery, religious occultism and deceit, is going on today in all walks of life, with money and self-glorification as the roots of the evil. It does seem as if man preferred to be humbugged in order that he may be less conscious-stricken in humbugging someone else. But, ASTROLOGERS, of all classes of the people, should be most careful not to get into such damnableness; because, they have been for years tabooed with a bad name. It takes hundreds of years to overcome an unrighteous prejudice. The least slip of the tongue or the pen will instantly call forth some ignorant venom, which is hard to counteract, because the policy of religionists or rivalrous-minded is, to ignore, sneer at, or boycott those whom they would defame. They dare not argue for TRUTH. If they make any reply to an honest fact, they do it by some deluding

stigma upon personality.

I read a book by a very interesting teacher of primary star lore. He unnecessarily slopped over, by saying to the childish minds of his readers: "There are no such things as lucky or unlucky stars. Such assertions are due to superstitious astrology of the middle ages." No such thing. Astrology NEVER WAS superstitious. It could not be ASTROLOGY and be superstitious. It was due to religionists who were enemies to astrology; or to fakirs who pretended to be astrologers and who used fortune-telling language. A True astrologer would never speak of a star as LUCKY or UNLUCKY. They might speak of good or malefic-influences in connection with a star, just as JOB spoke of the "Sweet Influence of the Pleadies." Theosophists and psychologists and new Cultists, who are trying to work around into astrology without offending social religionists, should also be careful and not throw into the wastebasket too many of the mythical stories contained in the Bible, for the greatest of truths are often taught in myths and novels and moving pictures, and, the Bible, aside from the heavens themselves, is the greatest supporter of astrology that I have ever been able to find. What would astrology be without its Genesis. The Genesis of astrology and the Genesis of the Bible, particularly the first chapter, are essentially the same. The more we study the bible in the light of Astrology, or astrology in the light of the Bible, the more enlightened we become relative to Truths contained in both. But, beware of the religious or churchy bias of the expounders. Be an Arian Pioneer. Be sure that you are right, then go ahead. Prove all things. Hold fast to the Good. WEBBER.

### BLUE LAWS IN THIRTY-FIVE STATES.

By Prof. Weston.

According to a late newspaper article the enactment of laws calling for strict enforcement of the Christian Sabbath will be urged in the legislatures of at least 35 States during 1921, by the Lord's Day Alliance. An effort will be made to stop "commercialization" of the Sabbath, said Dr. Harry L. Bowley, secretary of the alliance, with elimination of Sunday professional baseball, motion pictures and automobiling. All stores would be closed.

To state the case in plain, clear English, so that all may know the meaning of this movement, I will say that the Christian Church is now making a concerted move to plaster Sunday laws all over the United States and they seem to see their way clear at this time to use the state legislatures for this purpose. They propose to prostitute the state legislative bodies to their uses and ride rough shod over the country, arresting and imprisoning people who do not kow-tow to them and join them in their fanaticism. They propose to carry religious fanaticism and priestly faking right into the law making bodies and thus force all the people to do their bidding.

There may be no way of resisting this wave of bigotry and in



tolerance. It seems likely to sweep us into a kind of moral slavery under the last of a heartless horde of religious fanatics, dominated by a clerical organization bent on nothing less than universal dominion not only over the opinions of men but over their business, their life and their families. We are to receive dictation from a priestly crew who are foisting upon us a false religion, a false morality and a fiendish suppression of all real philosophical thought and study.

I have a book written, but not yet published, owing to a lack of financial backing, in which I prove to absolute demonstration that all Sundays, with certain exceptions, are not Sundays at all, that such days as are now called Sundays are not at all authorized in the Bible and were never used as sacred days by the early Christians. I prove positively that the common calendar Sunday can not possibly be the true Sunday more than once in seven times. I also show that Sunday is not a sacred day, but is a day stolen by the Christians from ancient astrological practice and falsified after the theft.

In the book I give a calendar showing all the Sundays in the year just past and all in the year next to come and explain fully why a Sunday is a Sunday and where and when it is a real Sunday, anywhere on the Earth. Does anyone want the truth, instead of the cheap Christian fakery?

#### WHAT IS CAUSING IT.

We are told that some 30,000,000 Chinese will have to die of starvation in the next few months, because help cannot reach them in time. This is caused by a Drought or famine in that part of China. Likewise, some millions of children are very hungry in Poland, Germany and in Europe generally; caused by the after conditions of the war; and this was naturally expected, and those German leaders who started the war, knew it would come and cared not one D--- if it did; yet, they live in luxury. We are told by those who come from Europe that the Rich and those who made money from the war, are spending large sums for Drink of the most expensive kind; which, of course, makes no difference to the children, as they would not use the drink, and would not be benefitted by it. The question is: Why, when a nation is starving, that others should have plenty of food in store and hang onto it? It seems to me that if I had 100 barrels of flour in my home, and my neighbors were starving, that I should be inclined to give them what was necessary, and request them to pay it back, when they got on their feet. But, of course, the answer to this is: They would not pay it back. Now when we consider some of these facts, is it the business of the U. S. to keep ungrateful and dishonest people alive? IF humanity is such as they claim, if the Heathen are genuine heathen, and the Christians, just the same, how will we treat them? Suppose that the U. S., just to show a Genuine Christian spirit, agrees to donate one half of one per cent of the

wealth of every person in the country to put Europe on its feet, First getting rid of those that started this trouble in Europe so that they can't abuse us for helping their miserable subjects. This would take one cent for every two dollars of wealth that every one has. Who would be so stingy that they would not give this willingly and cheerfully. It is doubtful if you could find a man or woman alive, in or out of any means, that would object to it, but those who have a great deal of wealth, mostly inherited, and not earned, would object seriously.

Real Christians are those that are Charitable. Giving a thousand dollars out of a million is the same as giving one tenth of one per cent of what you have. Compare the charity of the Well-to-do with that of the poorer classes and judge for yourself who are the Liberal ones.

Some Law of Nature is causing this starvation; some lack of wisdom somewhere. Astrologically, some peculiar combination of the planets.

Who is there among the Occult students that can show this? How long ago was there a like condition? Let us find this and look for the cycles, for they all repeat time after time.

#### SCHOOL TEACHERS.

I have noticed in the Horoscope of many school teachers that I had the curiosity to study, that Saturn often held a very prominent position. I have also noticed that many school teachers do not marry as young as the average person, often some of them do not marry at all.

There is an old saying, that Teachers are not made except by Nature; in other words, Teachers of all kinds are Born for Teachers, not educated for teachers. Teaching is an art, a Gift, requiring skill, an intuitive knowledge of Human nature.

The Average School teacher knows what is in the text books and little more than that, and what is in the Text Books, they try to put into the head of the scholars, and even if they would teach the young idea how to shoot or the young person to use their mind and reason out things, in a majority of cases, the Superintendent of the Schools, especially in the cities, will not allow them to do so. In other words, the Teacher in the schools is much the same as in some of the Sunday schools where a child is not allowed to ask "leading questions" in regard to the scriptures.

In old times or 40 years ago, when I went to school, Mental Arithmetic was quite a fad and a very good one to develop the mental faculties; today, such is quite unusual.

Suppose that School Children, after reaching the age when they are required to debate, Declaim, etc., should be required to Argue the cases that come up, make it necessary for them to Read both sides of any public question; and study it up thoroughly so they could argue it intelligently; what would be the Result? In my judgment, Things would change radically for the better, for the coming generation is to take the place of the present one, and time has

shown that the younger generations are always smarter than the past ones, else Progression would not be as it is. Occasionally we find some individual who has nerve, ambition out of the common and one who dares to express his opinions, and the result is that he becomes a leader, while millions of other children who have better ability, better reasoning power and better judgment, but not having had the independence THIS leader has, simply follow him and the result is that they make some serious errors, when they could have had good results, with some practice and education along the same line of thought.

How long will it be in this Country, "The Land of the Free and the home of the Brave," that the children will be allowed to let their reasoning faculties sleep and let some of the sharp and crafty minds lead them?

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