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PREFACE.

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January 1st, 1902, PLANETS AND PEOPLE enters its Eighth year in the field of Astronomy, Astrology and Occult Science. We have just passed one of the most eventful periods in the history of the world. Everything we predicted for the year 1901 has been fulfilled.

In our preface one year ago we stated, referring to the planets Mars and Neptune:

"These two elements, therefore, have a direct and important bearing upon the General Outlook, and the nature of these two magnets are very bad for War, Disaster, Conflagrations, Internal Discords and general recklessness. They forebode severe Strikes, Duels, Murders and Tragedies out of the ordinary before the year is over. People in high places will be under the severest of this stress of forces, as the sign of position and prestige of Government and Religion are all stronger than for some years past and the afflictions are severe."

"The great swell given all branches of business during the past two years will continue to expand the business of this year and keep the wheels of progress moving forward in this important interest of the people. So we may all take hold and press on in the struggle for wealth the whole season through and make no mistake as to good times."

"That terrible warfare will be carried on under the dominating forces of the solar circle could not be avoided except there be a general knowledge of the law that underlies the whole situation. This not being the case, the natural impulses of the physical man rule the situation and it means that blood alone will determine the results in hard-fought battles."

Is it not plain to be seen that people are governed by the vibrations of the planets when we experience such striking fulfillments of predictions of this kind as the past year has shown?

Our President was one of the unfortunates of this time. The conditions were ripe for such disaster, and it came by the unerring power of the law.

Strikes, Duels, Murders and Crimes of various kinds were fully as severe as was anticipated. The business of the year was in accord with expectations, all branches being large in volume, though not as profitable as anticipated by investors.

War was a special feature in the year's doings, though it was reported as being practically over when the year began. The law said war, and we had war. The end is not yet.

Many failures were avoided by the merging of so many interests into trusts. This movement closed many plants and shifted the activities to other points. It still remains to be seen what the final reckoning will reveal.

We trust that our readers will appreciate the fact that the subject we have in hand is one of such magnitude that only a fragment of the conditions involved in its elucidation can be touched upon in a work of this nature; but we aim to give such suggestions as will enable the average reader to grasp the idea of how the various experiences of life are brought about. The Universal Vibration of substance is the basis of the law. The angles of relatedness between condensations of matter which we call worlds, determine the sensations and movements of things. All prediction is based upon this law, and our aim in publishing this yearly messenger is to awaken a wider interest in the study of Planets and People. THE AUTHOR.

GENERAL FORECAST

1902.

The year before us is one which starts under somewhat strained conditions. Neptune is the ruling planet, and being in a sign of mental power, next to the strongest, we may look for a new line of thinking in the realm of business and finance. The tendency under this stress of conditions is to overdo large undertakings, and with the same tendency which has been in force for the past eight months or so, and which has not produced the results sought for, it appears like a time for new movements and readjustments. People will think longer and reason more deeply than for some years past. They will be more conservative in investment, and as the money market will be under a contracting influence for three months longer, the year will start rather slowly and more cautiously among the holders of large interests.

Yes, money will be tight for some time, and new ventures will lag and discourage investors until Jupiter makes a new sign in March. Then we may look for a renewal of activities with a good prospect for a return of prosperity and confidence. We will then have a round-the-world

movement which will extend the business of all nations as never before. International relationships will be the absorbing theme of trade and commerce. It is a propitious period for the blending of the civilized and, so-called, uncivilized peoples' interests. Special lines for the handling of the world's output will then be established which will encircle the globe. Combinations of magnitude will develop which will surpass all previous attempts at great undertakings.

This is to be an important year in mental activities, and the movements in the direction of education will be such as will open up to the nations of the earth every facility for enlightenment in all branches of learning. The great mass of humanity will thus be lifted a few points higher in the scale of progress and intellectual development.

Machinery of all kinds will be in greater demand than ever before, and manufacturers will reap rich returns for their efforts and ingenuity. This will have a tendency to cause governments to change their policies relative to emigration, as well as to the tariff laws. It means a nearer approach to the condition of free-trade with all the world.

The extension of railroad lines will be an important feature of the year's doings. New countries will be opened up in this manner and new peoples will enter the field of competition for business in many directions new to them. It is a broadening-out time for all nations.

All this points toward a general improvement of conditions at home, though the absorbing interest will be in things more distant. Realty will be enhanced by the demand for goods for foreign trade. Importers will reap a rich harvest by the operations of the year. Shippers will grow rich and closer ties of sympathy and good will, so desirable between nations, will be a marked feature of the net result.

THE QUESTION OF LABOR.

There is some tendency and probability that trouble will be worked up in labor circles during the months of April, May and June, as the planets show some contentious. vibrations which we must necessarily pass through, but with the exception of this there is every reason to expect a better state of affairs for all concerned. Some erratic movements are due the first of the year, but the conservative minds who wield the money will cause such a tightness in the medium of exchange that no important results need be expected by labor combinations. Better keep quiet and let the cash get free and easy. People who have not worked for years will have an opportunity this season.

About the first of October there is another period for labor disturbances a little out of the ordinary. Make a note of this. The culminating time is in November, when the business situation is very much afflicted. A more liberal policy will be the trend of the times in the treatment of laboring people by the men of wealth. Demands should be avoided, however, when the general business is under a ban of any kind. There are times for favorable adjustments. Observe the law and all will be well.

RELIGION.

The conditions which produce the striking change in the thought of the world will have much to do in opening up the minds of people relative to religious propositions. It is a liberalizing era and we may look for a general promulgation of many foreign cults in this country during the present year.

People will have a chance to compare notes on this important topic, for the time is here when people are going to break the ties of creed and dogma and do a little thinking for themselves. We may expect some important developments in the fall months bearing upon these things. October will be the time for new and influential movements. Religion and science must unite on the broad humanitarian lines that make for progress and individual emancipation. It is the quiet and somewhat secret work in this line which will be carried on more extensively than the more pretentious sermonizing and exhortation. It is the faiths and knowledges of other races, quietly penetrating the homes

of the awakened ones within our borders. These are the signs of the times.

WAR.

The conditions for a larger measure of peace among nations is shown to a greater extent this year than last, and while there are unfinished engagements of this kind, which will continue indefinitely, there is less cause for new and severe measures in such undertakings. The two or three bad spells mentioned in regard to labor troubles may cause some outbreaks of the larger kind, owing to the fact that those periods are quite long ones. However, the trade relations are so promising that the dogs of war cannot accomplish so very much, even though they create some excitement and lead governments into dispute and danger. The African and Philippine struggles will continue, without doubt. until some equitable adjustment is proposed by the dominating powers.

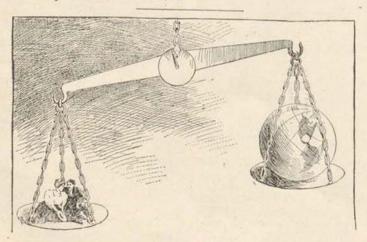
The year as a whole promises much Intellectually, Physically, Financially, and Religiously. The world will improve as a whole to a greater extent than for many a decade.

There will probably be some severe periods which will shake up the Volcanoes and cause Earthquake and Atmospheric disturbances, and probably January will be the worst month for these things. However, there need be no fear for the general safety of mankind. The special delineations farther on in this work will give the times for the severest of the elemental states.

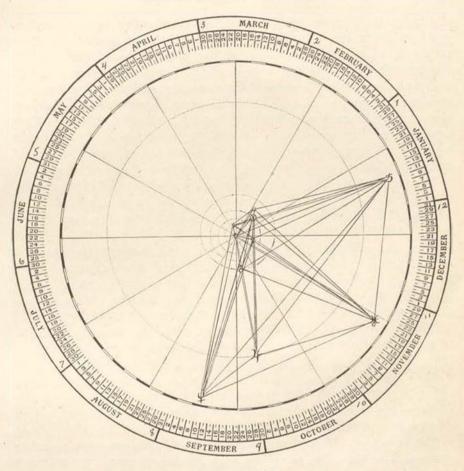
With a year showing such an all round the world influence, it must be expected that the demand upon the Ocean lines will be great, hence, many disasters will result. More probably than usual.

THE HOPE.

The promise of easier monetary conditions and a wider and more liberal range of thought and feeling is the hope of the year. It must and will result in great good to the whole people. Take courage then and press forward in the pursuit of those things which thy soul yearneth for and all will be well.



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VIBRATION.

The above cut illustrates how the planets vibrate each other and produce those angles of influence which form the basis of Occult Astronomy.

What is your Vibration? Your personal horoscope will explain. Your personal magnetism is the result of these currents of force at the time of your birth. Can you afford to go through life without a knowledge of your own state? It is important to every man, woman and child. See last pages for terms, or send for our new catalog of books, charts, etc.

INTRODUCTION.

To those not familiar with the law of life and being as exemplified by the science of Astronomy and Astrology, a brief introduction to the subject of a personal horoscope may be an advantage in giving a clearer idea of its importance. The positions of the planets, including the earth on which we live, in the several signs of the Zodiac, show

the magnetic relations of the great forces of nature which particularly influence the phenomena of the earth by reason of the close proximity of the bodies comprising our solar system. The moon is the nearest body, and on account of its more rapid movement and frequent changes in the signs it influences or produces more frequent changes in the mental and physical states of not only people, but changes in all other manifestations of life. Gardeners and agriculturists generally watch very closely the positions of the moon in seeding and transplanting, lest they operate out of season or out of harmony with the creative principles of nature. To plant or sow out of harmony with the moon means a poor crop, but in harmony with it, the crop is assured. The same law applies to people in all their affairs. The tides are calculated years ahead by the law of the moon. All life is affected by it.

The sun and planets, though not so rapid in producing changed conditions, are, nevertheless, as important and much more powerful in their action upon animated nature. The natures of these great bodies in space are determined by their size, density, distance from the center or sun, and the elipticity of their orbits. Quick moving bodies produce quick changes or results, while the larger ones relate to the slower and more lasting conditions or interests of a person's life.

The law is identical with that peculiar manifestation of force exemplified by wireless telegraphy. The forces of nature—of the planets—are silent. Their influences are very subtle and far-reaching. At the time of one's birth the magnetic condition of the earth, which is the result of the action of all the planets, is stamped upon or charged into the little organism with its first breath. Thus is one stamped "in the image of God." This magnetic stamp determines the nature and shows to what particular interests the various planets relate.

Long ages of study and research have developed a scientific method for determining the lines of individual expression, and the information embodied in a personal horoscope enables one to more clearly understand himself, enlarging his comprehension of life and his relation to the great power we call God.

The horoscopes for the 52 weeks of the year are delineated with a view of showing how people as a race are swayed by the ever-changing conditions and aspects which they present, as they move about the sun in their respective orbits. The only personal application is that which relates to the birth of children. In a general sense the nature, characteristics and adaptations of offspring may be quite clearly stated, but a personal horoscope is necessary to a fuller elucidation of the specific conditions which each little change may produce.

The idea is to call attention to the one great fact that the Law of

Vibration explains all of the conditions of life, and that the special influences of the various planets are the causes of the varying experiences, mental and physical, which the people will have to pass through during the year.

A little attention given to the suggestions thus presented will soon convince the most skeptical mind that it pays to have knowledge relative to these things.

Signs and Abreviations.

The Planets.—⊙ Sun. ◊ Mercury. ♀ Venus. ⊕ Earth. ● ⊃ ⓒ ℂ Moon. ♂ Mars. ⅔ Jupiter. ♭ Saturn. ₩ Uranus. Ψ Neptune.

The Zodiac.— γ Aries. \aleph Taurus. \square Gemini. 25 Cancer. \Re Leo. \mathfrak{M} Virgo. \preceq Libra. \mathfrak{M} Scorpio. f Sagittarius. \mathcal{V} Capricornus. \mathfrak{M} Aquarius. \mathfrak{K} Pisces.

The Aspects. $-\delta$ Conjunction. ϑ Opposition. \square Square. * Sextile. \triangle Trine.

Initials.—(P) Parallel. (S) South Latitude. (N) North Latitude. (R) Retrograde. (D) Direct.



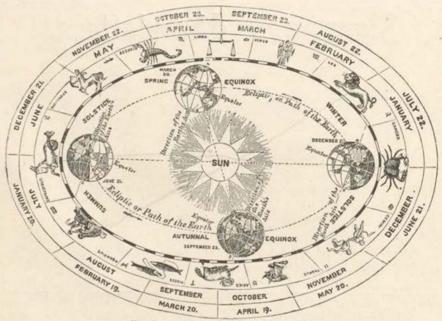
ORIGINAL BASIS OF THE SIGNS.

The signs of the planets as made in type form are not just in harmony with the original types, which were made up by combining the circle, the cross and the crescent. This particular cross was taken from the Equinoxes and the lines of the Summer and Winter solstices. The crescent, of course, was copied from the moon and the circle from the orbital circle, or from the globular or round appearance of full moon or the sun. It is well in making these signs to follow the original designs, as they each have a meaning.

TO DISTINGUISH PLANETS IN THE WEEKLY DIAGRAMS.

Those not familiar with the weekly figures or horoscopes as given in this work, may readily distinguish them by observing that they are placed according to their relative distances from the sun. Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, Neptune, in regu-

lar order. The orbits of the first five are shown by the fine lines or circles, while Saturn is indicated by 8 moons and two points from the main body to represent the rings, Uranus by 4 moons and Neptune by 1 moon. With very little study one may become familiar with them, when there will be no difficulty in calling them on sight. The reason they are not made according to the original design is because of the difficulty in carving so many, a task which it is necessary to do by hand.



The Constellations, Seasons, Equinoxes, &c.

The above diagram illustrates the Earth at the four cardinal points beginning the four seasons, Spring, Summer, Autumn and Winter. The months are given both Geo-centrically and Helio-centrically. The inside circle shows where the Earth is each month, and the outside circle shows the corresponding position of the Sun.

The first day of Winter is the shortest day of the year, the first day of Summer the longest. The Spring and Autumn Equinoxes show the only days of the year having equal day and night.

LATITUDINAL CHANGES OF THE PLANETS.

For 1902.

Mercury enters South Latitude on the following dates: Jan. 1st, March 13th, June 9th, Sept. 5th, and Dec. 1st.

Mercury enters North Latitude, Feb. 3d, May 1st, July 29th, and Oct. 25th.

Venus enters South Latitude, April 25th and Dec. 5th.

Venus enters North Latitude, Jan. 3d and Aug. 17th.

Mars is in South Latitude Jan. 1st, and changes to North Latitude on June 7th.

Jupiter is about one degree in South Latitude all the year.

Saturn is in North Latitude a few minutes until May 25th, when it changes to South Latitude.

Uranus is about 5 minutes in South Latitude all the year.

Neptune is about 1 degree 8 minutes in South Latitude all the year.

The moon changes may be found in the special table of its phenomena, on the following page. The planetary aspects for each day, Geo-centrically, may also be seen by reference to the table following that of the moon.

ECLIPSES FOR THE YEAR 1902.

Eclipse of the moon April 22nd, when the earth is between the moon and the sun.

Eclipse of the sun May 7th, when the moon is between the earth and the sun.

Another eclipse of the moon occurs October 17th.

A second eclipse of the sun on October 31st.

All the eclipses mentioned occur when the planets are in severe positions, and some may attribute some of the doings of the times to this close relation of the heavenly bodies. They simply intensify the conditions which the other bodies produce and mark the times as culminating periods.

FARMERS' GUIDE. Seeding, Surgery, Etc.

In order to obtain the most prolific and fruitful growths in agricultural pursuits, it is necessary to observe the movements and signs of the moon in combination with planetary positions. It is the polarization of force which determines the nature of results. Hard-headed cabbages may be produced by sowing and transplanting when the moon is in Aries. Larger heads, though not quite so hard and compact, result when the moon is in Cancer. These two signs are especially productive of good results with all of those products which come to maturity at the top of the stalk, such, for example, as wheat, rve, barley. rice and seed grass in the cereal line, and cabbage, top onions, cauliflower, etc., in the vegetable line.

Oats are more abundant if sown when the moon is in Taurus, as they co-ordinate with the nerves and find an easier expression and more prolific from the influence of this universal nerve center.

Corn, beans, peas and all fruitages coming to maturity on the bodies of the stalks will produce more abundantly if the seed is sown when the moon is in Cancer. Scorpio, however, is a fairly good sign for peas, beans and all leguminous growths.

All roots should be planted when the moon is in the sign Pisces.

SPECIAL DATES FOR THIS YEAR We will classify these products as Head fruitage, Body fruitage and Root fruitage, and by reference to the tables of the moon elsewhere in this work, the matter may readily be understood.

HEAD FRUITAGE.

March 10th to 12th; March 17-18. Sow for large cabbage the 17th. This is quite a good time, but not the best.

In April the days are 7-8th, 13-14th. All of the time between the 6th and 15th may be utilized for seeding wheat, and those who get the bulk of their crop in during this period will reap the best results. However, the conditions do not look so promising for cereals this year as they have the past few years. Blights are apt to be more numerous. Rust is indicated and some insect of destruction will undoubtedly appear and do more harm than usual.

In, May the favorable dates are the 3-4-11-12 with the wheat, or cereal run from the first to the last of these dates.

This month of May is a bad time for oats. They are very liable to rust if sown this month. They should all be in before the 5th.

May the 30-31st are two days better for wheat and late seeding of these products.

June 8-9 are good days comparatively.

FALL SEEDING.

As a great deal of seeding is now done in September we give a few dates that are especially favorable. August 24th to September 1st seems about the best time, and this looks rather bad for the crop. However, it is the best period. September 17th to 27th is the next or second best.

BODY FRUITAGE.

Plant corn, etc., March 17-18th, April 13-14th, May 11-12th. Sow peas the 20-21st of May for a late and good crop. June 8-9th are good days for the season.

ROOT FRUITAGE.

Plant potatoes, beets, carrots, etc., March 9-10th, April 5-6th, May 3-4th, 30-31st, June 26-27th.

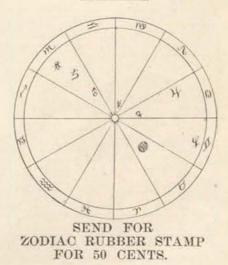
Melons, cucumbers, squash and all vinous plants will do best if planted when the moon is in Scorpio.

Make a note of these things and a little study will enable any one to proceed in harmony with the magnetic currents of the law of production. Of course one cannot follow to the letter all of these suggestions, owing to inclement weather and duties which prevent in many cases the carrying out of the plan. But if one comes very near the mark he will profit by the advice. It often occurs that the soil is very dry when seed is sown, in which case there is no action produced in the seed; this will make a difference in the germinating time and change the result very materially. If the soil is ripe for the seed and the time of sowing is in harmony with

the signs, an abundant crop is assured. The idea is to comply as near as practical with the law of magnetics and alchemy in cultivating the wonderful products of nature.

SURGERY WITH BOTH MAN AND ANIMALS.

Never use a knife on either man or beast unless the Moon is 30 degrees below the section to be opcrated upon. This is a very simple rule which any physician or mechanic can understand and follow if he will. It is better also to avoid the square angles; that is, do not operate when the moon is in square to the section to be operated upon. In performing an operation upon the throat the moon should be in Gemini for real safety and a successful healing. Castration should be performed when the moon is in Sagittarius or Capricornus. This gives a good and wholesome circulation of the blood to the parts and ensures healthy healing.

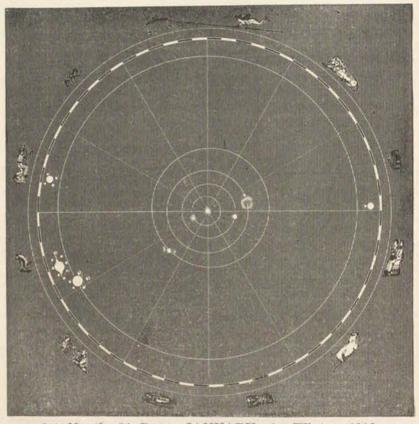


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DAY TABLE OF THE PLANETS Showing the Geocentric Conjunction, Opposition, Square, Sextile Trine and Parallel Aspects.



1st Month, 31 Days-JANUARY 1.-Winter, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Aquarius the 7th. Moon at the last quarter the 1st. Uranus is the star of the morning. All the others but Mercury are evening stars.

BUSINESS. — Wednesday, January 1st, this year, is one of the strongest days for a new-year opening we have had in nearly thirty years. It is under four very influential bodies and denotes an active and strong start in the world of trade. Very large undertakings will be launched as a result of this propitious beginning. The building trade will feel this and the extension of trade and commerce far into other countries will be carried on as never before. Railroad and shipping lines will be increased and new ways opened such as have not been known before in this or any other country. This first week is especially favorable to such movements.

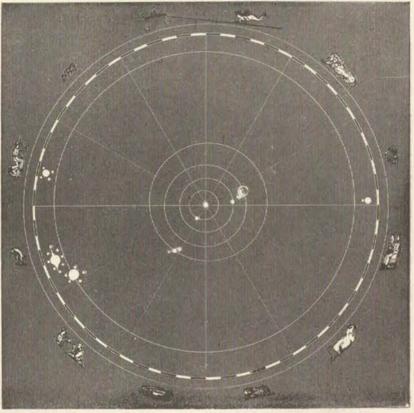
Speculation will be under quite active currents, and a wide range in prices will result. The new wave means boldness in all hazardous ventures, and the speculator will take a turn that means activity and quick results. It is a good week to be in the deal.

HEALTH.—The general conditions for health are fairly good, as no very serious complications are shown. Headaches, neuralgia and rheumatic pains are the chief trouble, while some will be more subject to colds in the head than usual. A good steam sweat is the thing.

CHILDREN.—Teachers, preachers and lawyers seem to have most of the favors among the children born into the world this week. They will be mental giants and capable men and women, leaders in social and professional life. A good horoscope for dramatic art, as well.

MARRIAGE.—The vibration for entering into the marriage relation is not as good as it might be. The 2nd and 3d the best days.

WEATHER.—This will no doubt be quite a stormy peroid, lasting about six days or so. Sharp, cutting winds. Snow and sleet.



1st Month, 31 Days-JANUARY 13.-Winter, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Pisces the 15th. Venus entered Cancer the 12th. New moon the 9th. First quarter the 16th.

Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn may be seen in the west just after sundown, as evening stars. All close to the sun.

BUSINESS.—As the year started in the middle of the week we begin this Monday morning, January 13th, in regular order. Each delineation being designed to start on Monday for each week in advance. Mercury has left the quadrate and Venus has entered since the 1st, and the business situation is about the same. We may look for a little more confidence and some reactions in the money market. These will be slight, as the figure for the week is quite a strong one. The mechanical trades will be benefited most.

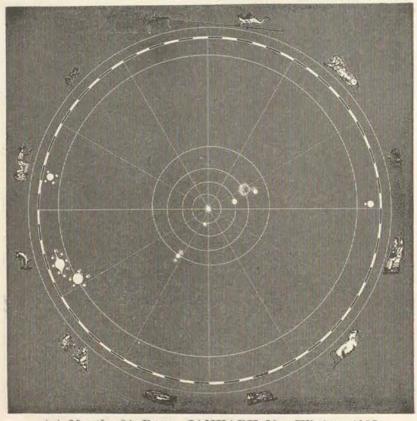
Speculation is under a more yielding vibration this week and prices will probably react some and make new figures again before the week is over. Buyers will be in the field seeking the real product and with a view of a better demand in the near future. Foreign demand will probably improve about this time. Yet the tendency will be to press prices downward, and it may be accomplished at this time.

HEALTH.—Venus will give some relief to the head the first few days of the week, but the latter part there will be a more marked depression than for some time. A feeling of indifference and unrest will cause a rather bad circulation. It is a cross-grained time.

CHILDREN.—While the little ones of this period will be Venus characters, they will be under rather intense currents from that planet and will be overzealous and apt to become extremists. Art and literature will attract them most.

MARRIAGE.-This is a very bad time indeed all week.

WEATHER.-Very erratic conditions of the elements will prevail and a fall of soft, wet snow is due. A thawing time. Beautiful trees of snow.



1st Month, 31 Days—JANUARY 20.—Winter, 1902. PLANETARY CHANGES. Earth enters Leo the 20th. Mercury enters Aries on the 21st.

Moon is full the 23d.

All the planets present the same phenomena of last week.

BUSINESS.—January 20th quite important changes occur in the business situation. The earth passing into Leo places us under the influence of Mars, which rules us all the week. This is not a very good change, yet it is not the severest time for the opposition of the planet Mars. People will be somewhat rash for a few days in their dealings, but the figure shows push and energy, and this will make business move forward with renewed effort. Trades may not be as squarely made as usual, and a little caution is needed in closing contracts and placing money. The mechanical trades will be effected more than other lines.

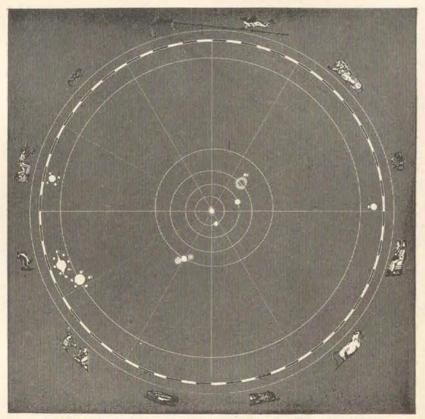
Speculation will be entered into more recklessly, and the conservative trader will profit by the movement of those who are responsive to this venturesome impulse given by Mars. The settlement of many disputes and difficulties will occur the last few days of the week preparatory to the new wave which is near at hand.

HEALTH.—The blood of the people will be affected mostly, and some vitiation of the same will be felt by the sensitive and co-ordinating natures. Iron is needed in the blood at this time to give it easy adjustment to the universal currents in translation.

the universal currents in translation. CHILDREN.—The babies of this week will be mechanics principally, and they will be inclined to rove about and make efforts in many directions. The military attraction will be quite marked, and the army will draw many to its ranks. Good soldiers and sailors will be among them.

MARRIAGE.—It is still under a ban. Wait for a better time.

WEATHER. — Cold and cutting weather is due, Freezing time, Severity to many who have little in the way of protection.



1st Month, 31 Days-JANUARY 27.-Winter, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Taurus the 28th. Venus enters Leo the 30th. Mars enters Pisces the 27th. Moon last quarter the 31st. Mercury, Venus, Mars and Neptune are evening stars.

BUSINESS .- January the 27th, and up to the 29th, we are in easy lines, with no planets to specially excite the situation. After this we have Mercury and Venus, which forms a very good vibration for the furtherance of business matters. It is a good time for the opening up of the new spring trade. Merchants will do well to have their stocks in order at this time, as the retail trade especially will receive much benefit. It is an excellent time to start out commercial travelers. Sales will be made more easily and a generally hopeful feeling will pervade the atmosphere of the marts of trade. Soicitors generally will meet with better reception while this lasts. Now is the time to move and make things count for prosperity.

Speculation will have an inning and

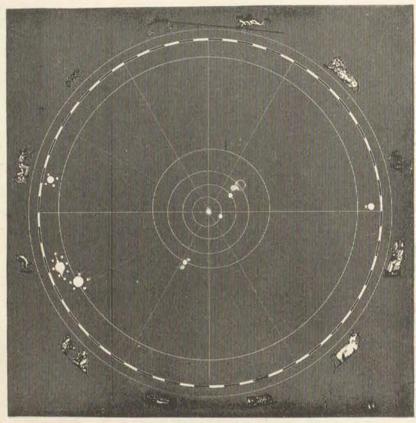
the prices will be active, especially the latter half of the week. Probably a yieding time, altho manipulation will be easy for those with money and the ability to put up a "bluff."

HEALTH.—This is a time for colds and tonsilitis. Diphtheria will also have a run about this time. Smallpox will be rampant and quite a scare will affect many of the more timid ones who believe in the delusion of the germ theory. Let all sweets alone and take plenty of exercise and frequent baths. These will keep you free.

CHILDREN.—The young of this week will be mild and even-tempered natures, but after the 29th they will be quite lively characters and will make good clerks and dealers in confections, notions and fancy goods.

MARRIAGE.—People will marry, and this is a fairly good time for so intensely an interesting proceeding. Best days are 27, 28, 29. WEATHER.—Soft, wet snows and

WEATHER.—Soft, wet snows and a general thaw is due this week; it will be quite windy after the 30th, and dangerous on the seas.



2nd Month, 28 Days-FEBRUARY 3 .- Winter, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury entered Gemini the 2nd. Mercury enters Cancer the 6th. Moon is new the 8th.

The evening stars remain the same with Venus so near the sun it is out of sight.

BUSINESS .- This Monday morning, February 3d, we are under the single ray of the planet of love and beauty, Venus. This is the season for the 'sucker" to be caught in some deal that will relieve him of his "dough." Remember this, ye people who think that "it is better to trust and be fooled than to have no faith in human kind." There are times when we can place our trust and stand a fair show of getting a just and honest return, but this is not that kind of a time. Venus characters especially will save dollars by reading this and tying a string around their fingers so they will know it if they forget to profit by it. It is a good time for business Speculation will be quite hazardous and the prices will be pushed hither and yon by the powers at the helm.

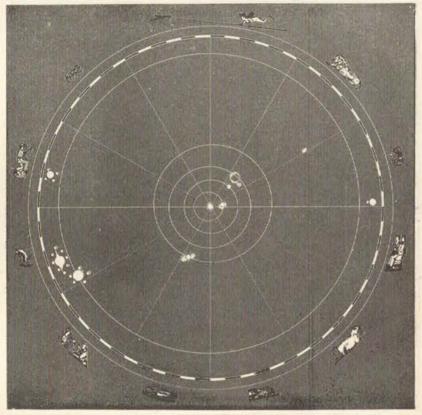
All securities will move with this vibration of the emotional man. Confidence will be great in the profits of the future, and traders will come in easy. It's a sweet time for sugar. Watch sugar and oils.

HEALTH.—This is a little better for health than the conditions of last week were, yet the same troubles will prevail. Lovesick people will suffer much, and suicides will be rampant Look out for the reports on suicide at this time.

CHILDREN.—The little folk of this time will be very deep and emotional and will suffer much from affections of the heart. They will be in love all the time and will shed tears by the barrel. If your baby born at this time cries often and for long periods do not feed it anything with a view of checking him, but place something warm over his little aching heart and he will pass into the silence of sleep.

MARRIAGE.—A fairly good time, except the 7th, 8th and 9th.

WEATHER.--Warm winds, Soft time for winter. Disasters numerous



2nd Month, 28 Days-FEBRUARY 10.-Winter, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Leo the 12th. Moon first quarter the 15th.

Mercury and Venus in the rays of the sun. Mars and Neptune are the evening stars and Jupiter, Saturn and Uranus are morning stars.

BUSINESS.—February the 10th we are still under the influence of Venus in conjunction with the earth in Leo, but a change comes on the 12th, when Mercury enters the same section and produces a very active and erratic condition relative to the business world. The purchases made by the ladles during the two weeks just passed will be taken back this week and exchanged for something else. It is a crossed-grained wave which will make people feel very much put out Speculation will be very unsteady

Speculation will be very unsteady and more or less exciting. It shows up as a weak time with considerable activity for such a market. Trades will be rather small and people will be timid, tho the range of movements should be suited to profit-taking.

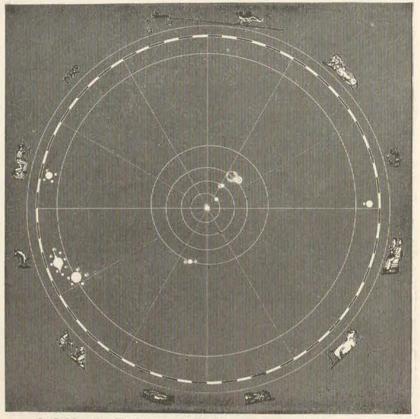
HEALTH .- We have a weekly con-

stitutional period and the "patent medicine" man will take a hand in exchanging his wares for the coin. The difficulties to contend with are skin irritations and dropsical troubles mostly. Smallpox figures in this

CHILDREN.—This is rather of an intensifier of the very tender natures mentioned last week, and we can only repeat that it is important that parents be especially careful in training and caring for these overly affectionate and easily broken-hearted souls. To scold them means suffering almost unbearable. Handle them gently and soothe their lumps of grief as best you may. Let them cry; it is the safety valve of their lives that overflow. Don't give them soothing syrup, for they need love and tenderness.

MARRIAGE.—Good time to make and experience the full expression of love.

WEATHER,—Very exciting elemental conditions. Flurries and whiriwinds. Watch the snow and dust form eddies at this time.



2nd Month, 28 Days-FEBRUARY 17.-Winter, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Virgo the 18th. Venus enters Virgo the 19th. The earth enters Virgo the 21st. Moon full the 21st.

BUSINESS.—February 17th, we are on the eve of important changes in the magnetic vibrations of the solar system upon the earth, and by Wednesday we will be under the combination of Mercury, Venus, Mars and Uranus. This is a strong force of planetary powers and the business situation is a very good one for large and important undertakings. The building boom should be prepared for while this wave is upon us. Trade in structural iron and building materials generally will be immense, and machinery of all kinds nearly will be in greater demand. Mining machinery especially will have a special impetus given it by this power from above.

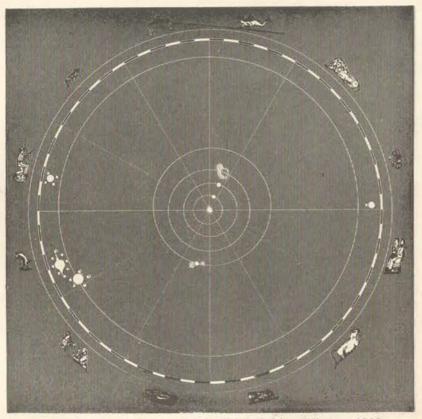
Speculation is under good lines for movements out of the ordinary, and mining and oil stocks will have a boom as a result of the intensity of the powers that play the important roles of the times. Prices rangy, up and down.

HEALTH.—This is fairly good time for health, tho it looks rather dark for many who are easily depressed and become despondent. Disasters to many. Sudden collapses and suicides. This is a bad time for the latter and a week that is prophetic of danger to those in the mining districts. Accidents and deaths numerous.

CHILDREN.—Characters with considerable capacity for getting treasure from the earth, such as gold, silver, diamonds and other precions gems. They will be quite plungers in the world of speculation and venturesome endeavor. Deep divers and high divers will be among them. Strongminded and fearless and often in love:

MARRIAGE.—Not a fit time to enter into such a momentous proposition. Better wait a few days till the tide turns.

WEATHER.—This is a bad time for the elements and much danger on land and sea. Heavy falls of snow



2nd Month, 28 Days-FEBRUARY 24.-Winter, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Libra the 25th. Moon last quarter the 31st.

Mercury, Venus and Mars are lost to sight in the sun's rays. Neptune is evening star. Jupiter, Saturn and Uranus are morning stars. BUSINESS.—The business changes

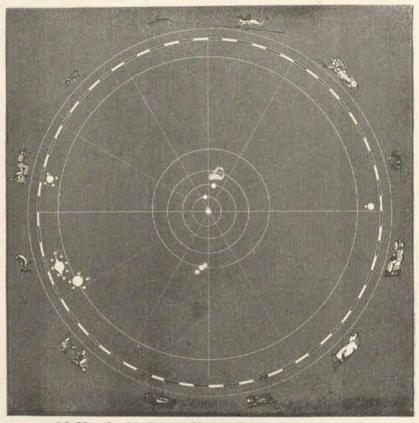
BUSINESS.—The business changes from the conditions of last week on Tuesday, when we will have less agitation and more real substantial dealing. It is a good time to press the button and let things have free play. Trade will improve under this and more confidence will be felt by the masses. The collapse of some under the downward pull will necessarily result, and we may look for some large failures. The individual who co-ordinates with this state of the planets will feel the power is more than he can bear, and he will go to the ground.

Speculation will be large and the crowd will be in for options. This is something that will extend trades far and wide. A good time to be in the market, as the opportunities for making money in this way is at hand. HEALTH.—We have better vibration for health this week and every one should begin to feel better before the week is over. The lungs will have the worst strain, tho this is not so very severe. We have the period of the grippe, and it will not trouble us again for one hundred and fifty years. Just think of it, one hundred and fifty years! CHILDREN.—We have dealers in

CHILDREN.—We have dealers in ores, lead, copper, zinc, iron, coal and all things that come from the earth in crude form. Oils and gas, as well. They will be good traders in these things and will make money.

MARRIAGE.—We see nothing favorable in this week's vibrations, but promise something very good in the near future. Take a few extra days to prepare the gown and walt the coming time.

WEATHER.—This looks a little cold for the season, but it is comparatively calm to what it has been the last few weeks. There is little danger on land or sea, the frosty mornings will continue all the week.



3d Month, 31 Days-MARCH 3 .- Winter, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Scorpio the 5th. Venus enters Libra the 9th. New moon the 9th.

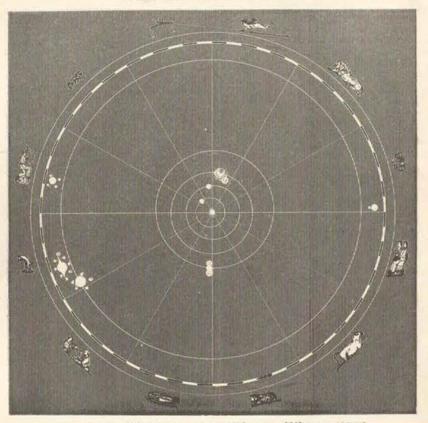
Neptune is the star of the evening. BUSINESS.—The general conditions of last week prevail all this week with very minor changes. The best days for closing deals and getting in money are the 4th and 5th. The second and third are unfavorable to culminations generally. All of the indications point more forcefully toward the mineral kingdom and values in the lower levels. Therefore, mining interests and the crude output in many lines will be most effected. This should be a real estate period and properties having hidden treasure should be in demand.

Speculation will be under propitious lines for advancement for a few days, but by Thursday there will be a reaction and a change. Have trades in good order by this latter date. Things may collapse to a certain extent about this time. It will not be for long, but enough is shown to cause many to lose heavily. HEALTH.—This phase of human life is good also until the 5th, when a change quite severe comes on and many will go down never to rise again. Self destruction is a marked feature of the figures these days and we may expect many to thus end their careers this eventful week. CHILDREN.—The boys and girls

CHILDREN.—The boys and girls who are to become the fathers and mothers of the future will be agriculturalists largely if born this week. They will love to work in the soil and dig diamonds and gather pearls of great price for the markets of the world. Regular hunters and trappers, seeking the open and natural values of nature. They will also be good mechanics and inclined to speculation.

MARRIAGE.—The 4th and 5th are the best days, but none are really good this week.

WEATHER.—Bad weather is shown and many disasters at sea. It is a good time to keep off the water. Catastrophies in mines and in the region of gas and oil paints are forcefully indicated.



ad Month, 31 Days-MARCH 10 .- Winter, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES.

Mercury enters Sagittarius the 15th. Moon first quarter the 16th in Gemini.

Mars enters Aries the 15th.

BUSINESS.—March 10th to 15th we are under the influence of Mars and Uranus. This is a good combination for large deals and special endeavor in business proceedings a little out of the ordinary. A good time for the venturesome and fearless ones to launch some stupendous deal. The parting of the powers is near at hand and a new era is about to make its appearance. This week, therefore, is prophetic of a larger and more general business improvement. The times will surely be better for all or nearly all as it is a time for a Universal readjustment of the powers which control the destinies of people and things.

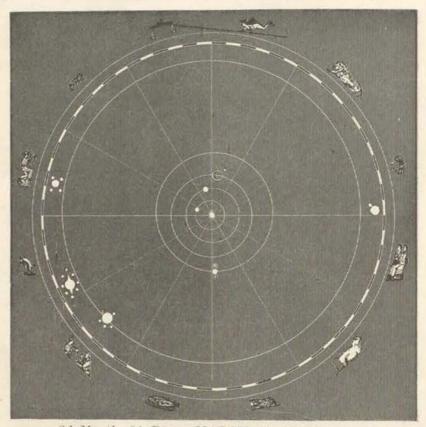
Speculation will be on a larger scale this week, and some big deals may be looked for. It is a plungy time all round, and large fortunes will be made and lost in a few days. It is no time for the small trader as he will be swallowed up and brushed from the pit. Beware of the man of nerve and will-power at this time. He is under a high vibration.

HEALTH.—The high vibrations of the week will lift many from the slough of despond which has held them on the verge of suicide and a better and more healthful feeling will prevail. The lower limbs are most effected by the vibrations of the times.

CHILDREN.—Giant minds in the world of trade will come among us from the unseen sphere this week, and they will be plungers of the most reckless type. They will need no guardians, as it will be impossible to control them after they are five years of age. So look a little out for these people. They will know what they are here for very early in life.

MARRIAGE.—Strange to say, this is not a bad week for marriage. It is more promising the 14th and 15th.

WEATHER.—A very high-flyer of a storm is due to be launched on the 15th, and it is well to keep in safe quarters while it lasts.



3d Month, 31 Days-MARCH 17.-Winter, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. The earth enters Libra the 21st. Jupiter enters Aquarius the 18th. The moon is full the 23d.

The morning and evening stars unchanged.

BUSINESS .- March 17th is a day of marked changes as Jupiter is changing lines in relation to Saturn and thus producing a complete readjustment of the business world. This is the best change we have had in a whole year. It means a better vibration and an easier time in money matters. Investments will greatly increase as soon as this new current get well under way. People who have sought loans the past year will be gratified to learn that money is more readily obtained and that the terms are easier. It will be much safer for the money loaners also than heretofore. Risks may be taken now which would not be considered a few weeks ago. All things will work more harmoniously from this time on to the end of the year 1902.

Speculation will be rather narrow as

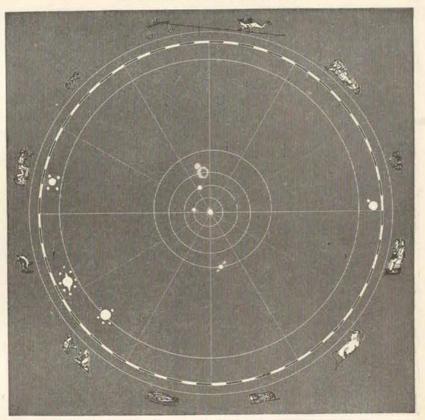
to the amount of trading for a few days, as people will feel a little fear, not knowing that it is a planetary vibration which is causing the change of feeling. Prices will be erratic, up and down.

HEALTH .-- Colds in the chest and a little run of the pleurisy is on the scroll in the way of prediction for this week. Watch this special affliction and see the law fulfilled.

CHILDREN .- The first four days we have literary people, gifted in newspaper work, reporting and in writing special matter. The last two days great generals and leaders in political matters will be born. The girls will act in tragedy and startle the world with their dramatic powers.

MARRIAGE .- The first four days are the best for marriage, the other two are not good at all.

WEATHER .- The weather under this figure appears to be quite hot and windy with a storm period beginning about the 22nd of the month. The spring equinox usually produces marked changes in the elements,



3d Month, 31 Days-MARCH 24.-Winter, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Capricornus the 26th. Venus enters Scorpio the 27th. Moon last quarter the 31st.

BUSINESS .- March 24th shows a period when the "boss" will begin to feel his power rise within him and give him an impetus to take a hand in controling and leading his associates. It appears like a striking time for the laboring people. An order from head-quarters to quit work and demand a new time scale. As things are surely improving for the man of muscle, it looks favorable for a change which will be a benefit to him. The terrible contention heretofore existing between capital and labor will not show up so much now and a new phase of the labor problem will confront the boards of arbitration. Arguments will be of hot kind and "the boss" will have a greater influence than ever before.

War will take on a new movement and develop some problems of unusual interest. Some hard battles are due about this time.

Speculation will be wild and the sit-

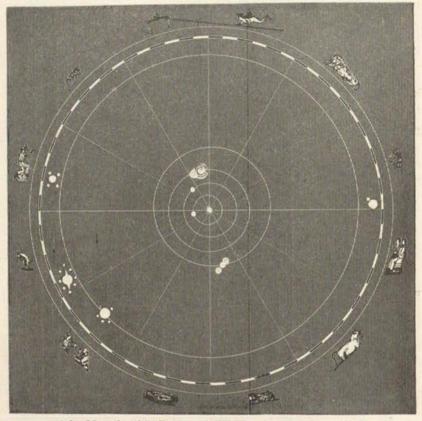
uation uncontrollable all the week. Look out for a high time and a big deal. This is a stock time though cereals should act also under such a stupendous force.

HEALTH.—The condition for health are very good generally, and no functional disorders are specially stirred up. All the forces nearly are upon the head and this will so stimulate the mind that the balance of the system will simply tremble and shake off the feelings which depress and cause trouble.

CHILDREN.—The first two days we have business characters of great ability as well as leaders in military and naval lines. The last four days they will be commercial people, but many will take to law and the stage. Educate accordingly.

MARRIAGE.—Get married last week if you can, for if you wait until this week or next week you will not

WEATHER.—A cold, rainy time is due about the 28th, lasting several days. Quite windy and dangerous on the high seas.



4th Month, 30 Days-APRIL 1.-Spring, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Aquarius the 5th. New moon the 8th in Aries.

The morning and evening stars are unchanged.

BUSINESS .- This Monday morning, April the first, we are under a highflyer for activities in the business world. This is a week for things out of the ordinary. Every effort will be put forward to press matters to a final issue and many deals will culminate as a natural result. The minds of men will be under a terrible agitation all the week and many hot words will be exchanged by those in close coordination with the present figure of the heavens. Probably more swearing will be done this week than during any other week of the year. Many rash movements, fights, quarrels and outbursts of vituperation. This is a time for strikes to take on definite proportions and become a menace to people in general. It is a warlike time, Lookout for startling headlines all this week

Speculation will be in the throes and

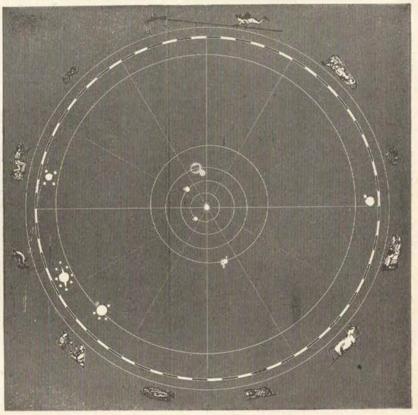
many a change will take place in the markets. Up and down, back and forth, will the prices fly until the mob is dizzy. It is the time for the wildest plungers to take a hand in the deal and cause a furore. Look out for this important date and watch the operations of wireless planetary transmission.

HEALTH.—The time is ripe for the mental and Christian science healers to say: "Arise and cast out this error forever." And they will or may arise with ease and feel the presence of the one only.

CHILDREN.—There is but one good thing to say for the little ones, both boys and girls, and that is: make them all lawyers and actors—mostly law yers. They will then have a chance

MARRIAGE.—If any one has the nerve to risk it after reading this week's predictions let him venture.

WEATHER.—Hot, hotter, hottest for the month of April. Showers and in all probability hail storms. Extreme elemental conditions. Keep off the water, especially small crafts.



4th Month, 30 Days-APRIL 7.-Spring, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Pisces the 13th. Moon first quarter the 14th.

Neptune is the evening star, Mars nil, and the balance are morning stars. BUSINESS.—The conditions for business are still reging about in the

business are still raging about in the same as they were last week. A little better for large undertakings and more evenly balanced as they relate to the people at large. Some very large deals will be made again this and it looks as if the striking vibrations were more marked if anything than they were last week. Rallroad enterprises and franchises of every kind seem to show more clearly than anything else in the way of special proceedings. War declarations and new movements in military and naval circles will give rise to many reports which will startle the people.

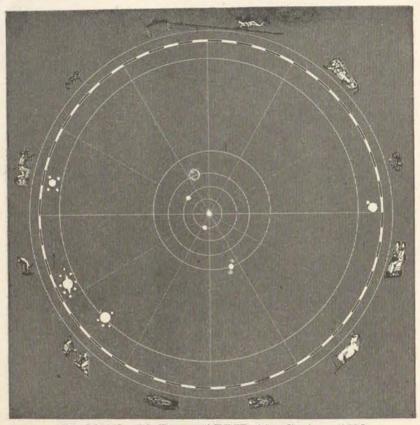
Speculation is under a steadler but stronger combination than at any previous time this year. Look out for a larger demand and possible corners in several lines. An immense trade is due this week. All will feel powerful enough to control the prices of the world. New powers will arise at this time. New lights in the centers

HEALTH.—It is a crazy time, but the general health outside the head will be good. Brain fevers are the worst we may look forward to. Appoplexy will take some and suicide and accidents will be rampant everywhere. A magnetic shampoo will be Jound very beneficial at this critical period.

CHILDREN.—Railway and steamship magnates will be among the arrivals this week. Watch them and you will see some "big fellers." They will be slave drivers to some extent, but they will get the stuff that gives them place and power in commercial and governmental affairs. It is probably the strongest horoscope of the year. MARRIAGE.—It is far better for

MARRIAGE.—It is far better for marriage than it was last week, and as to the days we would suggest, the 12th and 13th.

WEATHER.-More steady weather this week and very warm. Showers about the 12th.



4th Month, 30 Days-APRIL 14.-Spring, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Aries the 20th, Venus enters Sagittarius the 15th. Full moon the 22nd.

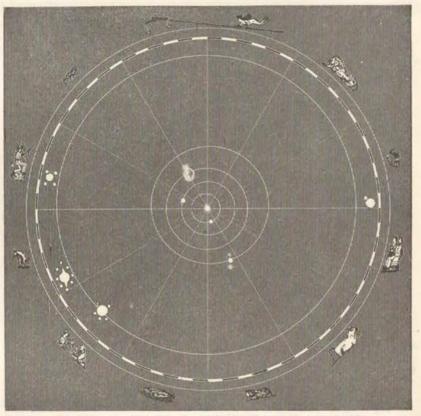
BUSINESS.—April 14th the business situation continues the same practically, though not quite so strong and favorable the first few days. A better mental condition is approaching and important changes are imminent in business circles generally. It is a good time to prepare for a new and important movement in the affairs of We will soon be under commerce. powers which give steadiness and in a way a set condition which is quite immovable. Things will take on new shapes very much to the surprise of those not conversant with the magnetic currents which influence the doings of people.

Speculation is still aspected about the same as last week with a few minor changes. Large undertakings are in order and there will be a big showing in the clearing houses as a result of the phenomenal times. Probably some striking reactions will occur ere the week is passed. There is a lower tendency in the current vibrations, although the figure is strong

HEALTH.—Good health generally is shown by the high vibrations, but there will be less stamina and force to the physical man than during the two weeks just passed. Take a little extra care of the stomach as it will be a sensitive time for those who receive these currents in a co-ordinate way.

CHILDREN.—Business characters, lawyers and military people are shown among the arrivals of the times, and we may expect to see some heavy weights in the way of generals for the army. It is a time for phenomenal characters among both sexes.

MARRIAGE.—The 14th is the best WEATHER.—It looks a little wet; yet, quite so, and copious showers are due the first of the week. The elements will be in such a state about this time that many minds will succumb to the destroying angels and disaster will be rampant in many lands. Bad time for soldiers and all who are in critical places.



4th Month, 30 Days-APRIL 21.-Spring, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Taurus the 26th. Earth enters Scorpio the 21st. Moon last quarter the 30th.

BUSINESS .- April the 21st the earth enters Scorpio and produces a marked change in the business situation, placing us once more under the benign influence of the planet Jupiter. This may be looked upon by some as an improvement of the situation, but it simply means that a more conserva-tive tendency will be manifested in the business sphere and a general inventory of assets after the terrific period just passed will be taken for the purpose of learning the true status of the situation. It is so very conservative in its nature that a slacken-ing of the pace of traders will be noticeable throughout the morts of trade. The times will not be so lively, therefore, as they have been, and we may expect that trade generally will not increase any, although it is not in any way a disastrous time.

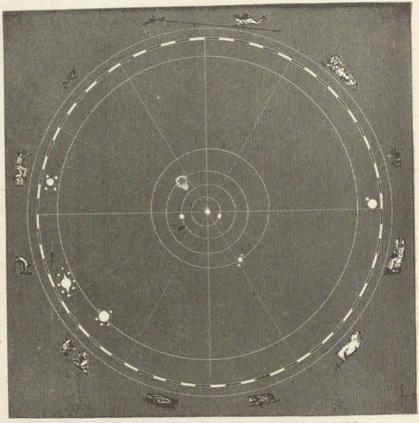
Speculation will narrow down some and prices, though firm, will be fluctuating with a downward trend toward the middle of the week.

HEALTH.—This is a week for feverous tendencies and those in the southern latitudes should increase the consumption of pepper rhubarb. These things will help to bring quick adjustment to the planetary changes due at this time. This is a short period and need cause no alarm with those in comparatively healthy condition. CHILDREN.—The children born

CHILDREN.—The children born this week will be of the commercial stamp principally, and those born about day-break will be the largest and most successful, and will become very noted in their sphere of life.

MARRIAGE.—This seems to be a very good week for marriages compared with the past two or three weeks, and if you want to start under the very best currents of the times have the ceremony celebrated at 6 a. m. The first three days are the best.

WEATHER.—Comparatively calm rules the elements nearly all the week, but by Saturday a windy time



oth Month, 31 Days-MAY 5.-Spring, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Gemini the 2nd. Mercury enters Cancer the 7th. Mars enters Taurus the 4th. Venus enters Capricornus the 4th. New moon the 7th in Taurus.

BUSINESS .- May the 5th Mars rules the deliberations of men in the world of trade and commerce. This is quite an affliction upon the business situation and the first blow we have had in some time. It is quite severe, and we would advise the open-eyed ones to arrange beforehand for this eventful pe-riod. Make all trades finish their course before this happens, for it will be a hard time to make anything win out and pay a profit. That is, if it is started under this kind of a vibration. This looks very much like a striking time for labor unions and an all-round breakup of the commercial and labor fields. A had time for war and a severe time for a large number of people in various walks of life. It means a dull week for business generally

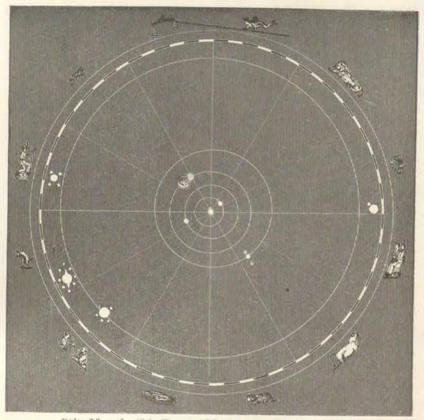
Speculation will have some sharp

turns and we may look for a calamity in the pits. It is a stagnation period after the first realizations are over, and this should be a warning to those in power to hold steady lest they become subjects in the hands of a mighty mob who seek to escape possible losses.

HEALTH.—This is a very bad time for health—the worst we have had thus far this year. The blood will be effected most, and it may be noticed by its tendency to become riley and vitiated as well as sluggish in circulation. A little raw food will help to bring about a better condition, and a few steam baths will remove the poison that results from the changing planetary currents.

CHILDREN.—This is a very bad week for offspring, and if people only knew something of the law they would cease bringing little ones in under such distressing planetary vibrations.

WEATHER.—A storm period is due the first of the week, and it will be a very disagreeable, a very dusty time. Sand storms of the worst kind.



5th Month, 31 Days-MAY 12.-Spring, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Virgo the 16th. Moon first quarter the 14th.

Mercury and Neptune are evening stars, Mars is in the sun and the balance are morning luminaries.

BUSINESS .- May the 12th Mars still rules the business world, and the combination of forces which make the vibrations of the times is: Mars as the leading power, Mercury next, fol-lowed by Jupiter. This is not a good thing at all, and we may expect rather of a dull period, comparatively for the year and season. While the general conditions for the year are good for a large volume of business, this particular week is one of the bad spells of the year. The 13th and 14th are the worst days and by the end of the week there will be some letup on the intensity of the influence. The professional man will profit most at this time. The specialist in medicine and surgery will be actively employed trying to produce a change in the feelings of people.

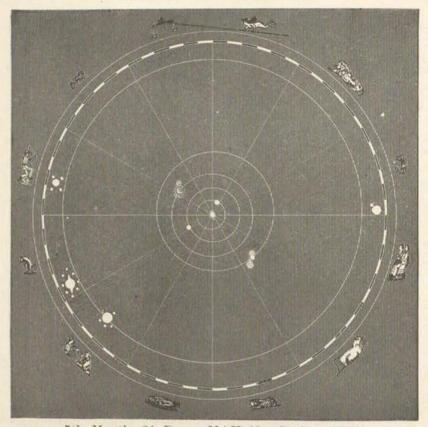
Speculation is actively influenced, but as the whole deal is under a ban, it will be a time for erratic movements and rather narrow markets. In all probability there will be slump in the price. The iron market seems to be the leader.

HEALTH.—A very bad time for health is still with us this week. The change from last week will help people a little, but it is bad for the blood and a thorough purging of the system is quite necessary to the removal of the impurities resulting from the ruined corpuscles of the blood.

CHILDREN.—Still the time is favorable for offspring, but as many are enroute we will say: they will be somewhat rash and impulsive, very high tempered and quite military in their tastes. They will not need a guardian after they are ten years of age, as no one can manage them. They are rulers and fighters of note.

MARRIAGE.—A horrible time for matrimony; yes, each and every day all the week.

WEATHER.—A very nasty, dusty and disagreeable time. Whirlwinds and a severe time for accidents.



5th Month, 31 Days-MAY 19.-Spring, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Libra the 23d. Venus enters Aquarius the 22nd. Earth enters Sagittarius the 22nd. Moon full the 22nd, in Scorpio.

BUSINESS.—May the 19th we are under Jupiter and Mars again, with Mars controling the situation. Again we have to report a bad time for business until about Wednesday, when the current changes and we pass under the influence of Uranus. This means a better time and a renewal of life and power in the affairs of trade. The improvement may be a little slow, but it is quite a promising change and will develop into a good general condition.

Religion seems to have a prominent place in the season's doings, and about this time something unusual will develop which will have an effect upon the commercial interests of the world.

Speculation will be rather tame as a conservative element is at the helm and will hold people in some fear. This will make trading rather light all the week. People will give up their holdings readily and will not care whether they make a cent or not. This will have a downward tendency, tho not a great movement.

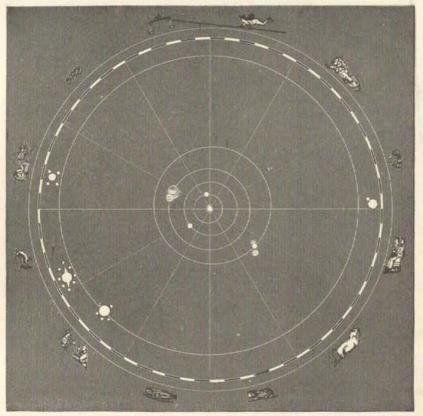
HEALTH.—A general improvement in the health of those allied to the vibrations of the past two weeks will set in about Wednesday and the effect of the medicine (?) will cause many to believe in such stuff who never believed before. No new complications are shown that need cause any thought or worry.

CHILDREN.—After Wednesday we have a few days for Psychics and Inventors to be born. This is quite a favorable week for characters of this nature. Those born in the early even ing will be clairvoyant. In fact, many will have the sight veiled when they enter this mundane sphere. Just watch this,

MARRIAGE.—As this is the best time we have had for several weeks we will give the 19th, 20th and 21st as the best days.

WEATHER.-We should have fine, pleasant and exhilerating weather all this week.

PLANETS AND PEOPLE.



5th Month, 31 Days-MAY 26.-Spring, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES.

Mercury enters Scorpio the 1st. Moon last quarter the 29th.

Mercury and Neptune are evening stars and all the rest are stars of the morning.

BUSINESS .- May the 26th we have another week under the dominating influence of the planet Uranus. This bodes good to the people and a great amount of good will result. Energy and push are shown to a greater extent than during any previous perior this year. People will take hold and work and the world of labor will be spurred on to greater effort in trying to give good and better service for the money they receive. This means a better condition all round and an increasing demand for goods and produce. Money will be more free among all classes. They will spend it without stint. A good time to put out traveling men and for pushing trade generally.

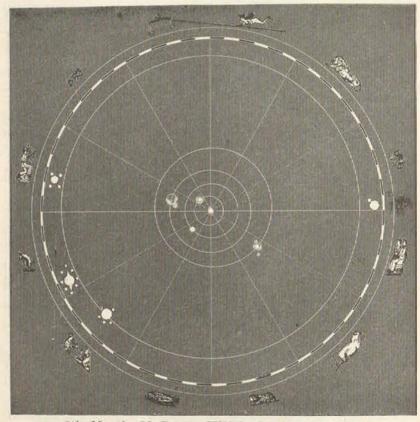
Speculation will be more steady than usual, but this week shows a larger volume of trade and probably little better prices. No great movements are booked for this period, but simply a good demand under favorable auspices.

HEALTH.—A great improvement in relation to health is shown along with the other good things. The bad vibrations are so mingled with the good ones that no serious complications can arise at this time

CHILDREN.—There is the possibility of such giant characters as was typified in the life of Jay Gould. They will be venturesome as well as capable, and will display great genius in the marts of trade, in the fields of invention and science, and will also become famous in schemes that stagger the minds of ordinary thinkers. Give them scientific courses of study and allow as much freedom to the mind and life generally as possible. There is no danger of their losing their way.

MARRIAGE.—The 26th and 27th are the best days of this week, altho the week as a whole is not a bad one.

WEATHER.—Pleasant and uninterrupted calm marks this period and a delightful time is at hand to travel



6th Month, 30 Days-JUNE 3.-Spring, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. New moon the 5th, in Gemini. The morning and evening stars are

the same as last reported.

BUSINESS.—June 2nd the business conditions are about the same as last week, so we will give a few hints on how to make good movements in conducting operations of a business nature.

In order to make a good bargain and have it culminate under a successful vibration, see your man at 11 p. m., and finish the trade before 12. This not only means power to accomplish whatever you undertake, but denotes a promising future for the deal as well. It is all the more significant for those born this month of June.

If a partnership contract is to be entered into it will be as well, if not better, to make and sign it between 8 and 9 a. m. This shows gain in such a union of forces and an agreeable companionship in business.

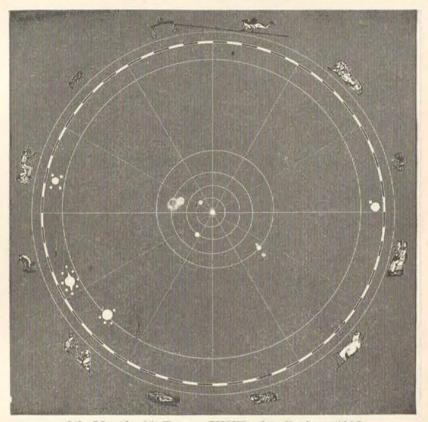
Speculation is unchanged generally and a moderate range of prices as well as a steady trend in the movements of things will be noticed most of the week. Those having the planets well placed for speculative ventures will make profits while the planets are vibrating them favorably, and if at this time it is to their interests, the week will show a profit.

HEALTH.—The conditions for health are very good and no serious complications aside from headaches need be anticipated.

CHILDREN.—The same conditions relative to children are in force that are shown for the previous week with a few minor changes. The physical forces will be a little more dominant and along with this a little better showing for health may be mentioned. This is a very good time to be born, and many happy results will be features of the young lives of the time.

MARRIAGE.—Good time to marry and the best days are the first and last day of the week.

WEATHER.-Elegant weather all the week. The month of bloom and beauty is specially favored this year



6th Month, 30 Days-JUNE 9.-Spring, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Sagittarius the 11th. Venus enters Pisces the 10th. Moon first quarter the 13th.

BUSINESS .- June the 9th we are on the eve of important changes which come on Tuesday by the passage of Venus and Mercury into other signs. This means a reconstruction of the thought and powers of business minds as well as a change in the general trend of both the retail and wholesale trades. It is a gay time all round and money will flow like water. Entertainments of all sorts will have a week of it and do a good business. Fun, wit and gaiety rule supreme. Let the dis-pensers of soft drinks, confections, etc., be ready for this outburst of the lushing desire. It is a fine time for opening up the summer gardens and resorts generally for the season's business. Watch the merry-makers at this time and note the tendency to be jolly and gay. People will feel good who never smiled before.

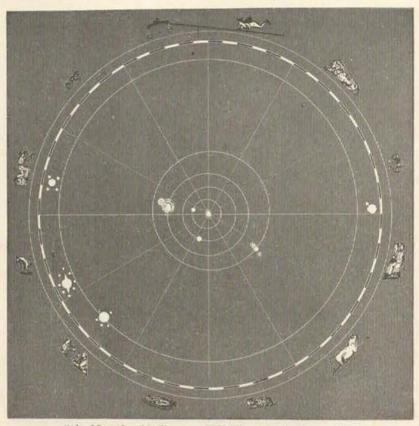
Speculation will have a lively run and the prices will fluctuate "to beat the band." People will not care much if they lose as nothing will prevent their being jolly. The short, quick trader will be in it all the week. It is a good time for him.

HEALTH.—Health galore will be on tap at this time. Throw your drugs to the dogs and forget that you ever, ever was ailing. CHILDREN.—This is a good time to

CHILDREN.—This is a good time to be born providing one wants to live alone. It is an old maid and old bachelor horoscope. Just think of the planets making old maids! Yet we must admit it or the whole scheme of the science of life is wiped from the boards. The little ones of this time will be psychics of renown. MARRIAGE.—This is more of a love making period than one of marriage.

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WEATHER.—Considerable rain is due to fall about this time. It will be a little dangerous as tornadoes and cyclones are apt to be among the phenomena.



6th Month, 30 Days-JUNE 16.-Spring, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Capricornus the 22nd.

The earth enters Capricornus the 22nd.

Moon full the 20th, in Gemini.

Mercury and Neptune are out of sight and the balance are morning stars,

BUSINESS.—June the 16th the conditions of last week continue about the same. There are no movements which show any special disturbances before Saturday. At this time we pass under new vibrations and they are of such a nature that all the world will respond to them at once. The results come next week where they are more clearly elucidated.

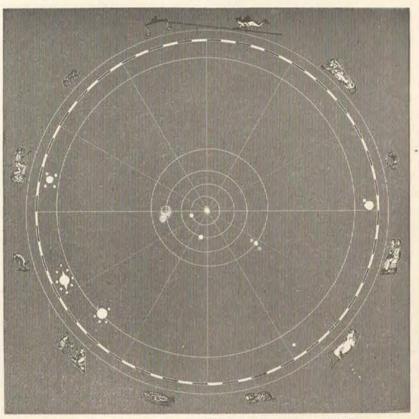
Speculation is still on the active move and will show some good results to small speculators. Trade quickly and turn from one side to the other if you wish to keep in line with the winners.

HEALTH.—This is somewhat severe on consumptives and a great many will succumb under the extreme of hemorhages. The 17th and 18th are very bad days for this. To avoid the worst of the affliction of the present positions of the planets, eat plenty of red pepper and natural foods. Spearmint and peppermint are excellent tonics for this season of the year. Make a tea from the leaves.

CHILDREN.—Those born at high noon will be very strange beings, a puzzle to the most skilled anatomist. Clairvoyants are among them also. and they will see best who are born early in the evening. They will be able to look through brick walls and tell what is going on in the other room. This is a week for phenomenons to appear. Watch for their arrival and study the wonders of creation.

MARRIAGE.—There is no change in the marriage situation since last week. The best days are the 23d and 24th.

WEATHER.—This year, about all we have met with in weather prediction, is one for a storm of more than passing notice as the earth enters Capricornus. It is due the last of the week.



6th Month, 30 Days-JUNE 23.-Spring, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Venus enters Aries the 30th. Mars enters Gemini the 27th. Moon last quarter the 28th.

Uranus, Saturn and Jupiter may be seen before 12 o'clock at night while Mercury, Venus and Mars appear in the morning just before daybreak.

BUSINESS.—After the first paralytic stroke of the change which places us under the combination of Mercury. Saturn and Uranus, we will have a gradually expanding condition in the larger lines of mercantile pursuits. Everything on wheels will have a roll about this time. Travel will be rampant. People will be crazy to get somewhere. They must travel regardless of cost and the many inconveniences which beset the wanderer. Foreign trade should be effected very much by this change and rolling stock will be in great demand.

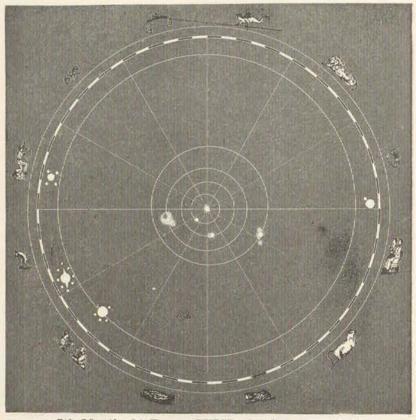
Speculation will be rather tame tho some erratic movements are due. The fluctuations will be rather narrow the first of the week, but they will broaden out toward the latter part and some good movements should result.

HEALTH.—This is not a very good time for health as many will be stricken with rheumatic difficulties and paralysis will take some to the grave. It is quite a severe time for this malady.

CHILDREN.—Peculiar characters are due to arrive this week of weeks. They will be strong mental characters but very erratic and inclined to extremes of various kinds. It is not a very favorable horoscope tho it has a good intellectual tone. Those born about 2 a, m. will come under the most favorable currents for position and power in the commercial world. They will be importers and exporters mostly. Some will take to literature. Especially the females.

MARRIAGE.—This is not a very favorable week for marriage, but the best days are the 23d and 24th.

WEATHER.—A very severe time for the elements is due and we may look for some lively winds and many accidents. It is quite a dangerous time on both land and water.



7th Month, 31 Days-JULY 1.-Summer, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Aquarius the 2nd.

New moon the 5th in Cancer.

Jupiter, Saturn and Uranus are evening stars and the balance may be seen in the early morning. BUSINESS.—July opens up under

BUSINESS.—July opens up under very good business vibrations this Tuesday morning, the 1st. It is not so favorable to local business as it is to the wholesale trade and especially to foreign commerce and shipping interests generally. Produce will be in greater demand for distant markets and cattle and hogs will be more valuable as a result. This is something that the producer should catch onto, lest he sell to the shrewd and experienced middle man or shipper. Everything pertaining to wheeled vehicles, automobiles, bicycles, wagons and freight and passenger cars will be benefitted by this week's magnetic power. Some large orders for foreign shipment should be booked before the week is past.

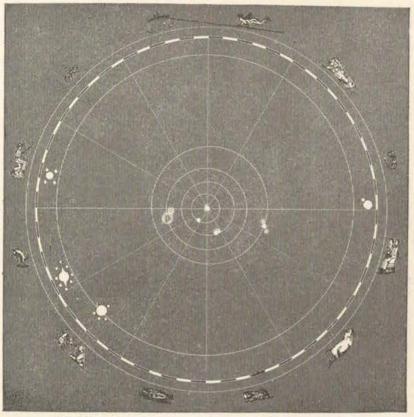
Speculation will be rangy both in price and volume. It is a big week for business all round. Prices should advance all along the list and fortunes of magnitude be made by those born in Leo, Libra and Scorpio at the favorable hours.

HEALTH.—Pleurisy is indicated very strongly by the figure, but as the season is a warm one in this latitude it will not be as severe here as in some of the colder climates. Treat with a steam bath camphorated and chlorinated. (See "Vibrations of Health.")

CHILDREN.—Foreign ministers and representatives generally as well as rallroad magnates, shippers and commission merchants, are the indications of the times. Educate the young of this week accordingly and they will make a good showing in the world.

MARRIAGE.—This is not a good week for marriages and we can not give any favorable days.

WEATHER.—We should have a clear spell of weather after the storm of the latter part of last week. It will take a few days probably to clear up, but by Wednesday the conditions should be good.



7th Month, 31 Days—JULY 7.—Summer, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Pisces the 10th. First quarter moon the 12th. No change in the morning and even-

ing stars.

BUSINESS.—This Monday morning, the 7th, we have another week before us similar to the last and every one should make the most of opportunities while it lasts and press forward with energy and determination to accomplish something. We have these periods but once in a while, therefore, to know when they are coming, a year or so in advance, it is easy to prepare for some definite and satisfactory result. The mail order business is especially favored all through this period, and the time is ripe for circulars to produce greatly increased mail receipts. Ye business men will please make a note of this and notify the multitude in time to get a benefit this week of weeks in the mail order trade.

Speculation seems to be about the same as last week with a changing condition about the last day of the week. There is danger in the situation about the 10th, but a more important change the 12th appears to be the thing to guard against most of all.

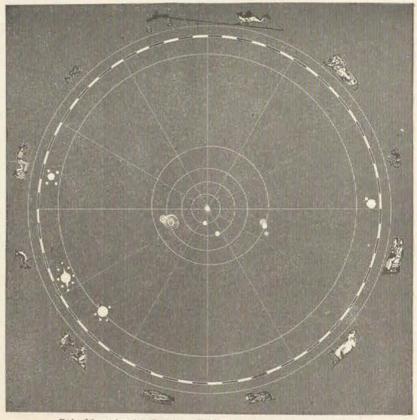
HEALTH.—Paralysis and pleuruneumonia are the things to dodge in the way of preserving of harmony and promoting good feeling in the physical organism. Those subject to paralysis should take a good massage treatment every day or two for a month before this time arrives. They should have oil used the whole length of the spinal column. Get the system in order and the troubles will be few.

CHILDREN.—More business giants will be born this week, and we may bank on those born at 70 minutes a. m. for being the heaviest weights in connection with governmental affairs and foreign trade. Those born after the 10th will not be quite so powerful.

MARRIAGE—This week is worse than last and no special days seem worth considering. Better wait till the clouds roll by.

WEATHER.—From the 10th to the 12th we will be in the atmosphere of change and a storm period is due

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7th Month, 31 Days—JULY 14.—Summer, 1902;

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Aries the 17th. Venus enters Taurus the 18th. Moon full the 20th in Cancer. Moonlight evenings.

BUSINESS .- July 14th the good time continues, and while we are on the eve of more important changes than usual, they do not get into forceful operation until Thursday. The week's doings will be less in volume, but much more exciting and with quicker results. It is a strong mental vibration which draws upon the physical forces so much that it will have more to do with intellectual pursuits and lines of trade or profession. The book and publishing business generally will have a better stimulus, and the teacher and professor may now approach the man of gold and secure a hearing and with promise of assistance in a good substantial manner. After the 18th there will be no show much for such as these. So make hay while the sun is shining and take your reward.

Speculation is made active and the

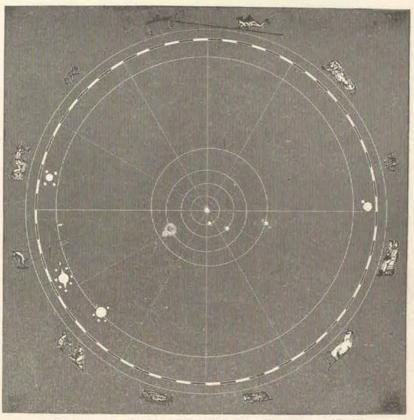
prices more fluctuating and unsteady. Short spurts and sudden reactions may be looked for. Telegraph and telephone stocks and wire lines, including bridge and cable stock, will be affected, especially while this period lasts.

HEALTH.—Still the vibration of paralysis is on and it looks very bad for accidents of a severe nature. There will be many of them during the week. It is a specially bad time.

CHILDREN.—Wire men, bridge builders, layers of cables, operators in electrical lines and characters suited to mechanical operations, machinery, etc. These are the chief signs of the times. Teach them mathematics, electricity and mechanics especially.

MARRIAGE.—This is a little better for marriage and we may say Tuesday and Saturday are the best days.

WEATHER.—We are booked for a live chase with the elements at this time. It is a wild time for tornadoes and disastrous outbursts of pent-up forces. Keep off the ocean and lakes while this lasts.



7th Month, 31 Days-JULY 21.-Summer, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Taurus the 23d. Mercury enters Gemini the 28th. Mercury enters Cancer the 2nd. Earth enters Aquarius the 23d. Moon last quarter the 28th.

BUSINESS .- July the 21st the situation is about the same as last week. but on the 23d a new wave strikes us and we pass once more under the influence of the commercial planet Jupiter. This change may not be quite as strong for large undertakings as we have had for some time past, but it is still a good condition for business, especially such lines as pertain to dress and the gratification of the sense of taste. It is more of a feasting and drinking period. The appetite will be stimulated and the palate will tickle for something more attractive than ordinary nourishment. Money will be easier and will flow freely for luxuries and ornamentation. The social season will have its best run this week. Caterers please take notice of this and watch the increased demand.

Speculation will be free and easy and

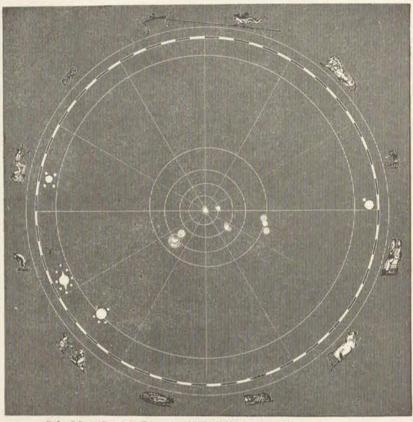
prices should be moved up and down with little effort. Confidence will be high and the crowd will respond to the winning ways of the promoter.

HEALTH.—This is the time to get well and feel like a new being. There are no severe lines in force and the changes that will come to millions of people will astonish them. Just get up and assert yourself and the translation will be complete.

CHILDREN.—Goody, goody boys and girls are the signs of the week's doings in births. The most attractive and winning ways will make them favorites wherever they appear. Good commercial salesmen, clerks, and the most beautiful and loyely of women ever landed. It is a regular girl horoscope. Oh, how sweet!

MARRIAGE.—Let everybody get married, even those that are already married, for it is a good time to come together in the holy clinch of love and devotion.

WEATHER.—This looks like a wet period all round. Copious showers are due at this time. Drink this rain



Sth Month, 31 Days-AUGUST 4.-Summer, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Leo the 7th. Venus enters Gemini the 6th. New moon the 3d in Leo.

Jupiter, Saturn and Uranus are evening stars and Venus, Mars and Neptune are morning stars. Mercury is hid in the rays of the sun.

BUSINESS .- August the 4th we are still under very fine and even plane-tary currents. The business situation is about the same as it was last week, only a little more quiet and better suited to social functions and family reunion. Everything will go on smoothly for a few days when on the 7th Mercury again puts in its influence and gives an active movement to things in general. While it means a good condition for business there is nothing very striking about the aspects and we may expect to see things move along smoothly and with little change. The money market will be iniluenced most of anything. It is good for loans. That is, a good time to secure loans.

Speculation will be more active after

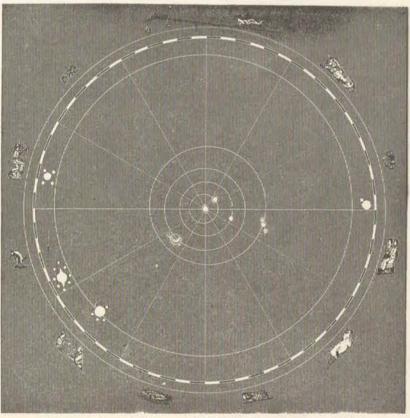
Wednesday and we may look for an upward trend, tho the choppy condition seems to be in force all the week. It is a good time to be in the deal if you are a quick trader and have a good horoscope for speculation.

HEALTH.—Still the fine currents of health are in force and they do not change with the changing conditions of the middle of the week. They are good right along through to the end.

CHILDREN.—Very good characters will be born this week and they should be given every advantage in commercial life as they will have to make their own living and do it by labor. Thus they should be taught how and in the best sphere, which is the commercial.

M A R R I A G E.—Another splendid week for the union of the sexes. The 7th and 8th are the best days.

WEATHER.—High winds and another rainy spell comes on the 8th and continues for several days. Nothing out of the ordinary in this.



Sth Month, 31 Days—AUGUST 11.—Summer, 1902. PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Virgo the 13th.

Moon first quarter the 11th.

The morning and evening stars remain the same.

BUSINESS.—August the 11th the figure is the same as for last week, but on the 13th we are under the single ray of Jupiter, and the aspect is such that business will continue good tho there will be less activity. It means a strong time for all established lines which have no speculative features. Just a good even and peaceable time. This figure is one which shows a general good to all legitimate proceedings in the business world. All lines are effected similarly, no special production or trade being vibrated to any great extent beyond others. It is a good time to make preparations for the fall season which promises to be up to and probably above the limit of last year's figures in volume of trade.

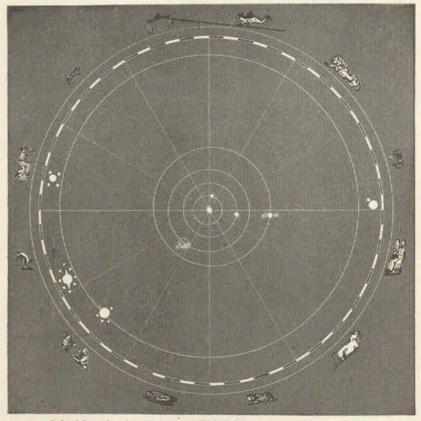
Speculation will have a steady week with strong tendencies, but rather narrow fluctuations. It appears to be quite a period for gold, and gold mining stocks should show more changes than most any other on the list. It is a time for great confidence in the future of things generally.

HEALTH.—A very good period for health will result from this Jupiter vibration, and people will assimilate and build up much faster and more substantially than at any former period this year.

CHILDREN.—Generally speaking, this is rather of an unfortunate horoscope for money and property for those born this week. There will be some exceptions according to the time differences, but it is rather slow at best. They will be good business characters and capable of making money for others, and this should be their aim together with getting a good return for the effort.

MARRIAGE.—It is not a very good time for matrimonial proceedings. However, Monday and Tuesday are the best days.

WEATHER.-Very pleasant weather may be looked for all the week.



8th Month, 31 Days-AUGUST 18.-Summer, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Libra the 19th. Full moon the 18th in Aquarius. Jupiter culminates between 11 and 12

BUSINESS.-August 18 Jupiter rules the situation all the week and we may continue in our own sweet way along the ways of trade and commerce without fear of serious happenings. Jupiter characters will be influenced more than others which will mean a conservative time among those who control large interests. It is a week of preparation and getting details well in hand and more thoroughly understood by the heads of houses. The man of money will want to know just how everything stands. Know his worth, as it were. If this Jupiter character seems a little stiff and inclined to look out for number one while these currents are in force, just take it good naturedly, for he will soon limber up again and a more active time will result.

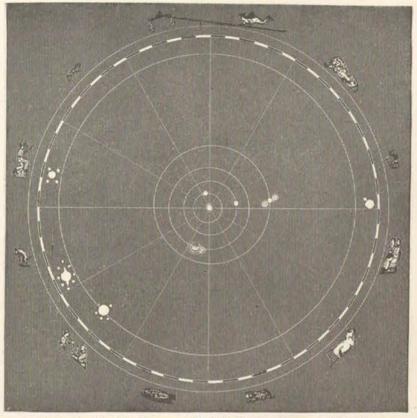
Speculation is still unchanged, but we may look for an active day this first of the week with quite positive assurance that a slump will follow and ad-

vance that is made. HEALTH.-Good conditions for the physical well being of man continue all the week. We are approaching a more severe period and it is well to get out and take in all the fresh air and sunshine possible preparatory for the change. The bathing resorts should be well patronized while Jupiter is in power as such exercise and contact with the live waters is a boon to health. Man is a fish, and he need to plunge often in the liquid blue.

CHILDREN.-Good, steady old business characters are due to appear upon the scene this week, with about the same characteristics as shown for last week. Under the favorable lines they will make a fair amount of money. They will be natural and good fathers and mothers.

MARRIAGE .- A good time in some respects, but not so fortunate as it might be. Financially weak, but the continuity is strong.

WEATHER .- Mild, calm and beautiful weather prevails all the week.



Sth Month, 31 Days-AUGUST 25.-Summer, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Scorpio the 28th. Venus enters Cancer the 24th. Mars enters Cancer the 24th. Last quarter moon the 26th. Earth entered Pisces the 23d.

BUSINESS .- August the 25th we have a complete change of the planetary aspects, and we may now expect to see new movements in many directions. This week is one especially favorable to new ventures. Scientific lines, inventions, patents and mechanical appliances will have new interest for the seeker after favorable things to invest in. Promotion of business enterprises will be pushed with greater ease than formerly. Everything large will be attractive, the small deal being ignored. Real estate should be favored some, tho it is a time for things more in the air. It is especially good for things mystical and hidden. The octhings mystical and hidden. cult book trade should profit by this change. Everything has its turn and the book trade generally will see a marked improvement in the demand for literature out of the ordinary.

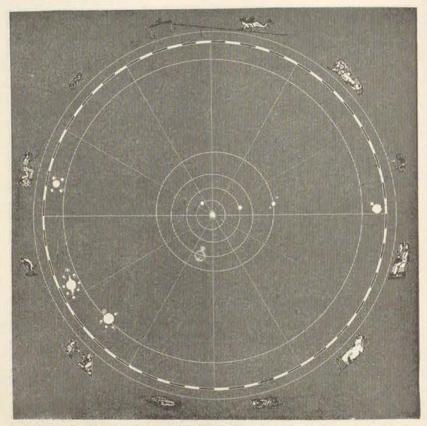
Speculation will be on a larger scale than usual, and some daring investors will make the average trader turn pale. It is a Jay Gould period. Good for the king of finance, but a little bad for the man of small means,

HEALTH.—This is a little hard on those who have reached the latter stages of consumption. It means the taking off of large numbers.

CHILDREN. — Genuine occultists, clairvoyants, genuises of various kinds and all-round plungers in the world of undertakings out of the ordinary. These are the signs of the week's doings in offspring. Teach them very little, and let them flower out the innate powers which are superb in every way.

MARRIAGE.—There are no great objections to this compact. We would suggest Monday as the best day of the week.

WEATHER.—The first of this week we may look for a severe time in the elements. A wild storm is due and it is dangerous on both land and sea. Keep near the shore.



9th Month, 30 Days-SEPTEMBER 1.-Summer, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES, Mercury enters Sagittarius the 7th. Moon new the 2nd in Virgo.

Mercury, Jupiter, Saturn and Uranus are evening stars, and Venus, Mars and Neptune are morning stars.

BUSINESS .- September the 1st we are still under the influence of the planet Uranus which ruled all last week. The business situation is, therefore, about the same. All that applies for last week also applies this week. The lines of Uranus are growing stronger and they culminate about Sunday the 7th, when they gradually recede. Those having patents to promote will do well to get them before the right people at this time. A greater interest will be manifested in such things now than at any previous time this year. We will see some new and wonderful undertakings about the middle of the week as a result of the forces stirred up by this magnet of energy and daring. Foreign matters and things pertaining to governments will be effected. Daring schemes among warriors and those who are burdened and downtrodden will be carried into effect and a surprise given to those who think themselves in the position of safety and seclusion.

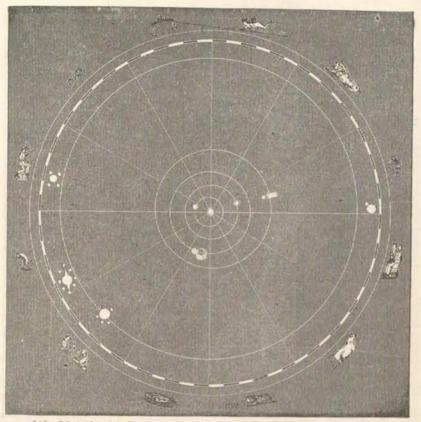
Speculation is still on the large scale with the danger point close at hand. Be careful ye little fellow or you will have to walk home. This is a week of doing some strange things.

HEALTH.—The conditions for health are about the same as they were last week. Nervous disorders will break forth some about the middle of the week, but no serious difficulties need be anticipated.

CHILDREN.—Inventors, travelers, schemers and people of mystical ways are shown again this week. There are some severe hours in this figure, but the favorable times are very good. A personal horoscope is necessary to a detailed statement of each.

MARRIAGE.—The 4th and 5th are good days and the balance of the week is just about medium.

WEATHER.-Rainy season begins about the 3d and lasts several days.



9th Month, 30 Days-SEPTEMBER 8 .- Summer, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES, Venus enters Leo the 12th.

Moon first quarter the 9th.

Close contracts from 8 to 9 in the the commercial seal upon the transaction.

evening all this week and thus place BUSINESS.—This is a specially good week for closing up all manner of business propositions. The large undertakings mentioned for the two weeks just passed may be brought to a successful climax at this time. The detail business man will be in demand now and the secretary and special correspondent will be benefited by this new turn in the vibratory sphere. Business by correspondence, especially teaching, will be better for those engaged in such lines. The mail order trade will improve and a general stimulus will be given the retail trade, especially books and scientific novelties.

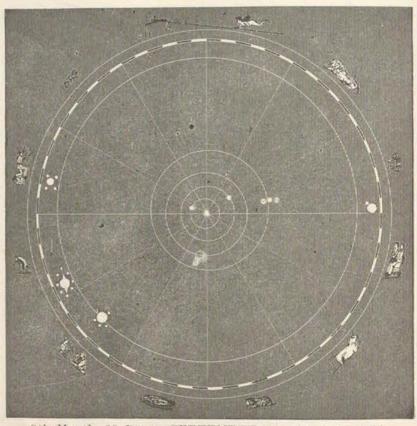
A speculative wave is on which will show sharp, quick turns and reactions. A good time for the quick trader and especially favorable to the smaller traders. The larger deals will not be so conspicuous as they have been for several weeks.

HEALTH.—This is quite a strong pull upon the nervous system and those in close co-ordination will have prickly sensations to contend with which may be removed or overcome by chlorine sweats. Exercise is needed more at this time than ordinarily as the vital forces will be at high ebb. CHILDREN.—Very good characters

CHILDREN.—Very good characters are shown for this week and they will be expert at stenography, typewriting and book-keeping as well as telegraphing and all fine detail work, such as watchmaking, optical goods and surveying instruments. They will have a high degree of genius and invention.

MARRIAGE.—A very intense period for affairs of the affections. The last of the week is better than the first part. The 13th best.

WEATHER.—A whirlwind time is due the 10th, and it looks bad for accidents of the minor type. Note that the hands and fingers are subject to cuts



9th Month, 30 Days-SEPTEMBER 15.-Summer, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES.

Mercury enters Capricornus the 17th. Full moon the 17th in Virgo.

Favorable business hours, 4 to 5 and 8 to 9 p. m.

Culminate your deals at these times of the day.

BUSINESS.—September the 15th starts the week under very promising auspices and we may look for favorable and satisfactory results the latter part of the week. The 17th important changes occur which will bring in a good time for the heavy weights again. Large deals will then be vibrated to the full and an increase of business in many directions will be the outcome. This pertains more especially to literature and artistic lines, the book trade and fine productions in mechanics and science. Occult matters will receive a few favors as well. It is a good time to branch out and seek the man of wealth for a lift.

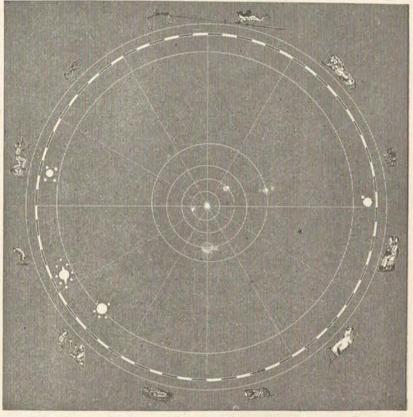
Speculation will be at high tide of activity the first few days and the balance of the week shows a more steady trend with a large volume of business. Important changes are near at hand and it will be well for those having great risks to be on the alert by Saturday, lest they be caught in the whirl of a new time adjustment.

HEALTH.—We are still under the nervous strain to some extent, but the change in the middle of the week will give relief and make for a better feeling physically and mentally. Take a few shampoos during this week

CHILDREN.—Genius and Art rule the records of production or new life this week, and the horoscope is a very good one for the month of September. The latter half shows more of the business element, and art goods, books, and literature are the lines to educate for.

MARRIAGE.—This is a very fair week for marriage and we name Sunday. Monday and Tuesday as the best days. Sunday preferred. WEATHER.—A storm period is due

WEATHER.—A storm period is due Wednesday and will probably continue the balance of the week. Rain and wind. Quite a severe time with the elements.



9th Month, 30 Days-SEPTEMBER 22.-Summer, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Aquarius the 27th. Venus enters Virgo the 30th. Earth enters Aries the 23d. Moon last quarter the 24th.

First four days rather bad for business deals. It will pay to wait a week rather than start under the wrong kind of vibrations,

BUSINESS.—This Monday morning, the 22nd of September, there is every indication of a terrific time in the world of trade. It looks very crashy. People will run wild with excitement and overstep all bounds in their effort to get right with the powers that control the marts of exchange. It is by far the craziest time we have had thus far this year. People will lose their heads and many suicides will result. This looks bad for war and for governments generally. The bullheaded plunger will be very much in evidence and trouble will come to many who are thus befuddled. The spoken word will be severe and all people will feel like swearing.

Speculation will be in the throes of

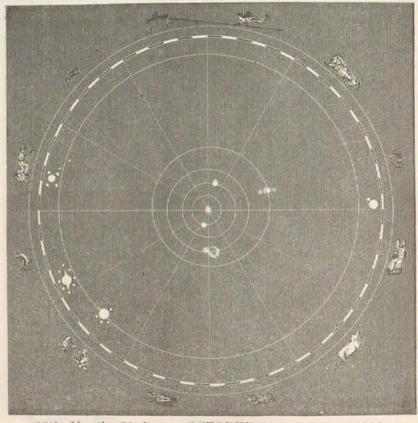
a cyclone of movements. Prices will spring into new figures at great bounds and flip-flop back and forth like a house a-fire. People will be in the wildest state of fear. Attempted corners will bring grief to many. If it were not so it would be stated thus in this work.

HEALTH.—Brain fevers and difficulties generally will be enough to drive most people mad. Bathe the head in cold rain water.

CHILDREN.—As the figure is such a hilarious one we must say for the little ones of this week that they will be mental giants and should have an occupation which will enable them to utilize this over abundance of power. MARRIAGE.—This is very argumen-

MARRIAGE.—This is very argumentative and shows quarreling in the household. Wait a week and see if a better time does not appear.

WEATHER,—The equinoctial which follows the storm period given for last week will make this time an extreme one. Cyclones, tornadoes and water spouts may be expected. It will be terrific for wind, rain and disasters.



10th Month, 31 Days-OCTOBER 6.-Autumn, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Pisces the 6th. Moon was new an the 1st.

Mars and Neptune are morning stars and Jupiter, Saturn and Uranus are evening stars. Mercury and Venus are hidden by the sun's rays.

Favorable hours from 3 to 4 and 6 to 8 p. m.

BUSINESS .- October the 6th we are under a new condition, but very much like the one just past. It is more favorable to large undertakings and more steady and safe for investments generally. Some of the largest financial projects are sure to spring into being and come before the public this week, and they will be world-wide in nature. Such things as pertain to governments and reciprocal relations and benefits, large deals in which the government plays an important partthese are the big things that come under such an array of forces. Large corporations will seek favors from governments and lobby for legislation that will be specially beneficial to promoters of schemes of traffic with other lands. This is the time to expect developments which will startle people.

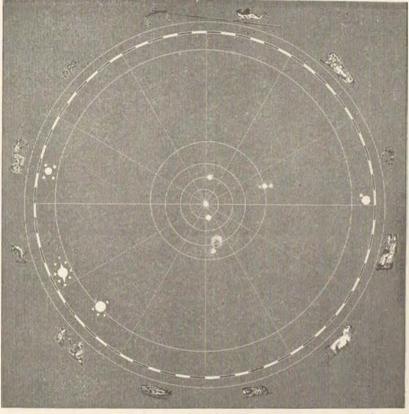
Speculation will be a raging river dangerous to stand on the bank and look at. The plunger will have his inning and he will create a sensation. No telling where prices will go. Rangy and wild.

HEALTH.—This is a fairly good time for health. The crazy brain will calm down a little and think more rationally, but it will be at a fever heat most of the time.

CHILDREN.—The lines of business to which the boys will be adapted are railroad and steamship lines, cables and street cars. They will be very influential citizens. Big guns MARRIAGE.—We do not see any-

MARRIAGE.—We do not see anything very good in this figure for the encouragement of those who are seeking a favorable vibration for the first movement in this relation.

WEATHER.—It appears like a time for snow to fall. It is a little early, but the figure shows snow for this week. A cold time, Have the late crops all in before this date.



10th Month, 31 Days-OCTOBER 13.-Autumn, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Aries the 13th. Moon first quarter the 9th. Moon full the 17th in Libra.

Mercury is the ruling planet of the week

BUSINESS .- October the 13th another wild time is before us. If anything, this looks more startling than the period of two weeks ago. It is the "Devil's" own time. There is one consolation: we have recently passed through a similar period and will be able to stand this one that much better. It will be a lively week in the business world. A terrible time for backbiting and passing the word to fight. People will lose their sense of common decency and do things they will be very sorry for. Some will commit such errors as will land them in the penitentiary. It is a bad time for crooked work of all kinds. Terrible deeds of violence will be committed. It looks bad, as did the other figure of similar nature, for those in high places. Murderous assaults will be numerous. Watch the daily press at this time. It will be a record of the blackest crimes.

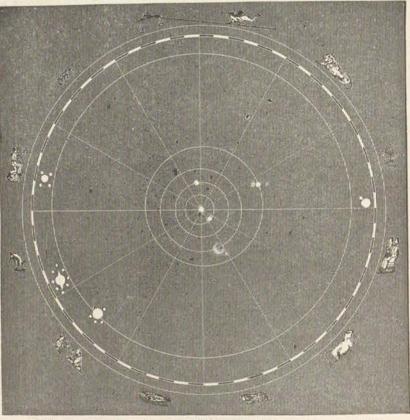
Speculation will be the most erratic and puzzling ever experienced. The

quick mover will make some money. HEALTH.—This is quite a severe time for people who are subject to bowel difficulties. Cholera morbus, sudden cramps and extreme pains will be the surprises of the times.

Special treatment for this week and for these symptoms is the application of heavy flannel and hot water. Place over the abdomen from the stomach down, covering the entire parts. Take six drops of spirits of camphor in some warm water or hot water and keep quiet. Repeat the fiannel and water application a few times. CHILDREN.—Very queer characters.

Mental pursuits. Newspaper work, reporting, etc. MARRIAGE.-No good.

WEATHER .- Whirlwinds and dust. A very disagreeable time. It is a dangerous time on water, and in aerial navigation. Air ships will explode and scatter occupants to the four corners.



10th Month, 31 Days-OCTOBER 20.-Autumn, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Taurus the 19th. Venus enters Libra the 19th. Earth enters Taurus the 24th.

Moon last quarter the 23d in Cancer. Favorable hours for the transaction of important business are 1:30 to 3 and from 5 to 6 p. m.

BUSINESS .- October the 20th the conditions shift back to the same practically that prevailed week before last, with an added power in the planet which softens and harmonizes the situation sufficiently to give new hope and greater confidence in the future. We will have but a few days of this as we enter the sign Taurus on the 24th and come under the influence of Jupiter. Therefore this is a week of important changes in the business world. It is so changeable that considerable uncertainty will be manifested, good as the Venus vibration is at this time, After the 24th it looks very steady and strong for all regular proceedings. The retail trade will be much improved and the general outlook is good.

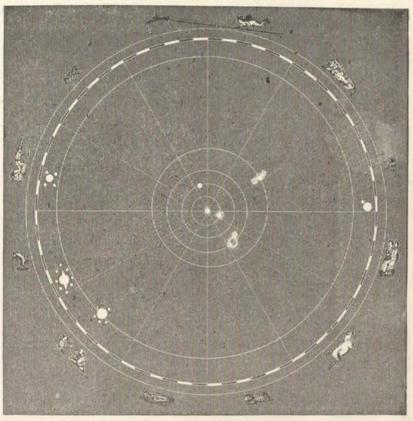
Speculation will be lively all the week. Some good movements will be made and large profit-sharing will result. It means a settling up time the last of the week. Conservatism will rule the man of money the last few days.

HEALTH.—The bowel difficulty is still a menace to the well-being of the race, and no one should lose any time in taking care of himself while these conditions prevail.

CHILDREN.—The first four days we may look for retail merchants of great power and influence. They will be mental glants and have the power to draw business in large volume. The girls as well will be leaders in the business and social world. Milliners of note will be born.

MARRIAGE.—It might be worse for marriage, and we will give as the best days the 26th and 27th.

WEATHER.-Very changeable conditions, with high winds from the northwest. Snow and rain; rather cold.



10th Month, 31 Days-OCTOBER 27.-Autumn, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Cancer the 29th. Mars enters Leo the 27th.

New moon the 31st, in Scorpio.

Make your bargains between 12 and 2 o'clock midday if you wish to have favorable lines to work with.

BUSINESS .- October 27th there is little to say that is good relative to conditions for business. It is to be a week of disappointments all round. People will be surprised at the sudden change in the feeling of business characters. Confidences will be abused all the week, and some severe trials and failures will result. It is not a good time to begin anything. Better wait for new wave, and it is not very near. There is one line which will be influenced more especially, probably, than any other, and that is builders' hardware and structural iron. Iron products generally are in the closest coordination with the magnetic currents of this time. The hardware trade, therefore, will" record the best results of the week's doings.

Speculation will be very hazardous,

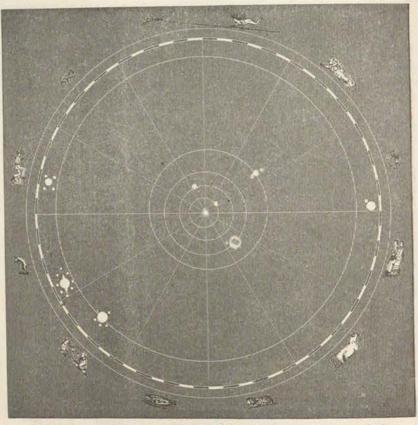
and we may expect to see some large failures under this vibration. Prices will probably drop all along the list. The recklessness of the past few weeks will be seen in the movements and culminations of this particular week.

HEALTH.—A very bad time for health, owing tJ the blood of the "Grand Man" being vitiated and rendered nil by the opposing currents of the two red planets. Eat a lot of good red pepper and give your blood some new red corpuscles.

CHILDREN.—The characters of this time will be rather rash in nature and will take to the army and navy and to mechanical trades. Those born at high noon and at sundown will be under the best of currents of the time, and they will make money and reach positions of prominence in political fields.

MARRIAGE.-There is nothing to say in favor of marriage.

WEATHER.—A cold, wet, nasty and disagreeable time is sure to show up about this time. Depressing weather at best.



11th Month, 30 Days-NOVEMBER 3 .- Autumn, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Leo the 3d. Venus enters Scorpio the 6th. Moon first quarter the 8th.

Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune are evening stars; Mercury and Mars are the stars of the morning. Venus in the sun.

Close contracts from 12 to 2 midday. Sign partnership agreements at 11:45 p. m.

BUSINESS.—November 3d we enter a new and untried period in the annals of trade and commerce. It is of short duration, but a severe time while it lasts. It is not a good time for commercial undertakings. The vibration is bad for harmony and peace. A wrong time among characters in close co-ordination with this combination. The iron industry receives the greater impetus, and edged tools, implements of warfare and destructive elements generally are more in evidence than other lines.

Deeds of violence will be the absorbing topics of the times. Men will strike at the drop of the hat, and blood will flow freely all the week. Family jars will be numerous and the divorce courts will flourish. Holdup men will be reckless and much suffering will be experienced by innocent people.

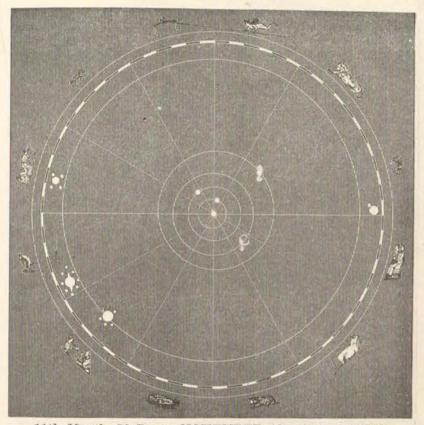
Speculation will be of the erratic and uncertain kind, and prices will turn quickly. The fool will frequent the pit and make some very bad breaks; enough to have a marked effect upon values.

HEALTH.—This is a feverish time, and rashes, erysipelas, scarlet fever and skin affections generally will be the chief allments. Drink plenty of cold water and produce a good perspiration by exercise. Yes, sweat, sweat, sweat!

CHILDREN.—The highest-tempered "kids" of the season will arrive this week. Teach them mechanics MARRIAGE.—A very bad week for

MARRIAGE.—A very bad week for partnerships of this nature.

WEATHER.-Cold, damp time, with cutting winds. Snowdrifts and blockades in the Northwest,



11th Month, 30 Days-NOVEMBER 10.-Autumn, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury entered Virgo the 9th, Full moon the 15th, in Taurus.

Favorable hours, business propositions, 12 to 1 p. m.; partnerships from 5 to 6 p. m.

BUSINESS .- This Monday morning, November 10th, we will hold the business propositions open until after election. It is a more favorable period all round, and we will suggest that the laboring man's vote will be extremely powerful this fall in the race for first place. It means quite a shift in the political situation. Men will chase after new and untried candidates to a greater extent than ever before. The Jupiter element is under somewhat of a ban, so look out for schemes that are deep and ways that are curious. Tricks out of the ordinary will be played, and the general trend of things will give rise to many suspicious movements. The early vote will be a queer one. Bold, daring and venturesome. The business conditions are better than they were last week.

Speculation will be tame and une-

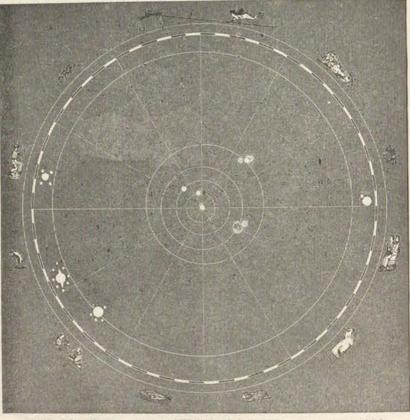
ventful, comparatively, and but slight movements in figures will result. Trading will be light, with cereals as the leading option,

HEALTH.—Much better vibrations are on for health and peace of mind. Still the change is not sufficient to clear up the blood and give that vigorous feeling which braces one up and makes for energy and power in business matters.

CHILDREN.—We have a better horoscope for children, and they will make good teachers and fairly good business characters. They will not bear great responsibilities with much success, but will be competent to take a good position in the commercial circle.

MARRIAGE.—A much better time for marriage, and we suggest that Monday and Tuesday are the best days.

WEATHER.—We should have quite a fall of snow this week and not much wind. A run of sleighing will probably result in the medium latitudes. Rather a pleasant time.



11th Month, 30 Days-NOVEMBER 17.-Autumn, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury entered Libra the 15th, Moon, last quarter the 22nd.

Favorable hours about the same as last week.

Mars is the star of the morning, BUSINESS .- November the 17th we are under the same general conditions of the previous week, with the business situation unchanged. It will be a little slow for awhile, and thus the election will have the credit of pro-ducing the result. It is not the election but the minds and hearts of the people which have been moved by the great magnets of the ether to so operate that the apparent condition seems bad. It is bad, but not disastrous. It means a more quiet and reserved time in the affairs of man. The very great excitement which has characterized the past month or two has subsided, and a new and different feeling pervades the business world.

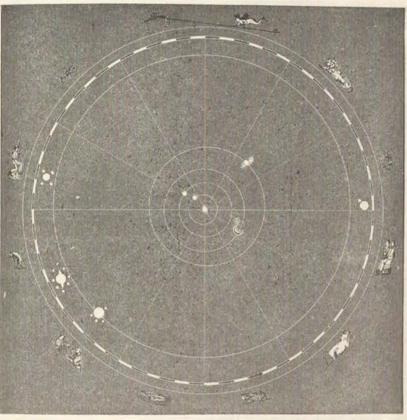
Speculation will continue to be mild and uneventful. Failures will continue to absorb the attention of speculators, and the whole trend of things will be such as will make for reserve and caution. Remember, no man can speculate successfully unless his horoscope of birth shows favors in this kind of investment. Moral: Have your business horoscope made before you lose your pile,

HEALTH.—People should continue to gain some under this figure, and by careful diet and proper exercise they should throw off most of the bad blood that has formed during the past two weeks.

CHILDREN.—About the same kind of business characters will be born this week that came upon the scene last week. They will meet with the best success in the hardware line. Tools and implements. Those born about 6 a. m. will do best in the mining sphere—iron, copper and coal.

MARRIAGE.—As the same conditions are in force relative to marriage, we give Wednesday and Thursday as the best days.

WEATHER.-Snow will be much in evidence all this week, and we may enjoy a ride on runners.



11th Month, 30 Days-NOVEMBER 24.-Autumn, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Scorpio the 24th. Venus enters Sagittarius the 25th. Earth enters Gemini the 24th. New moon the 30th, in Sagittarius.

The favorable hours are about the same as for last week.

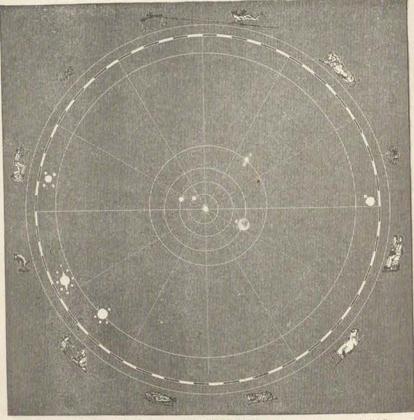
BUSINESS .- November the 24th we enter a new vibration relative to business, and as it is a favorable change we may look for new movements, which promise better results in nearly all lines of endeavor. It is a week for the man of invention to approach the capitalist and work him for an investment in some patented article. The thing is feasible and the genius should not delay the matter a moment. It is a good period for quite large undertakings. Men of large powers and executive ability will find favor with investors and the promoter will meet with success. The genius will be in high vibrations for new novelties, his mind will grasp the things which will bring profits with greater ease than for many weeks past. Speculation will be quite an inducement for investors, and the range in prices should be sufficient for good profit-sharing. Sugar seems to be the leading option. Sugar and oils. Oils will be quite an attraction. A good time to sell stock in wells of this nature. Prices should advance.

HEALTH.—An excellent time to recuperate the health and build up a new condition. The tissues will begin to clear up as this period approaches. See "VIBRATIONS OF HEALTH." It explains every disease. CHILDREN.—The loveliest babies

CHILDREN.—The loveliest babies ever born will appear this week. O, mama! What bright and funny boys and girls. O, such girls! Natural psychics and inventors. Every one will love them. The girls should be given instruction in occultism and the boys be taught mechanics.

MARRIAGE.—This will do for marriage, tho not a specially good time. It is better for babies. The first two days the best.

WEATHER.-We will have a good thaw and a soft time generally about this time. Mud and snow combined.



12th Month, 31 Days-DECEMBER 1.-Autumn, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Sagittarius December 4th.

Moon first quarter the 8th.

The favorable hours are from 11 to 12 a. m. and from 3 to 4 p. m.

BUSINESS .- December 1st the business situation is good and before the week is over it may be considered more favorable for the retail lines. It will be an especially good month for trade, as people will be very free with money and will seek novelties more freely than for many seasons past. Anything, most, will sell that is new and attractive. Toys will have a large percentage of the buyers, and mechanical appliances of the entertaining type will go like hot cakes. Now is the time to push these things, and the wide-awake merchant will display his wares early and make this first week of December the big week for business. It is still favorable for the genius, and he may approach the money god and be successful in his endeavor to enlist his interest

Speculation will be lively and some

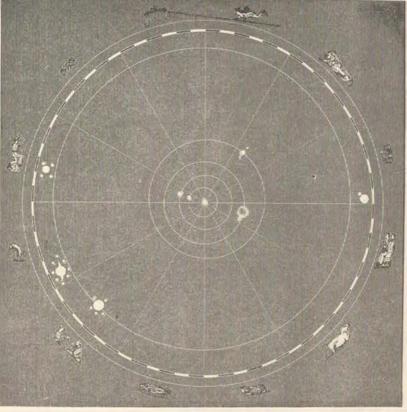
new figures will result. A very active time for movements, tho they may not show up until the latter' days of the week. It looks like an advancing market, with opportunities for the trader of small means.

HEALTH.—The very best of conditions will be on this week for the wellbeing of the physical man. There is not a single current which can cause any new attacks. Get up this Monday morning and shake yourself free and go forth with new courage and energy.

CHILDREN.—Lovely children all the week. Artists, penmen, stenographers, court reporters, copyists, cartoonists, fancy needle workers, watchmakers, musicians and some very good business characters. Teach them several lines, as they will be capable in many directions and will love change.

MARRIAGE.—A very good time for marriage, and the favorable days are the 5th and 6th.

WEATHER.—A warm wave will come in about the middle of the week and a heavy fall of soft, wet snow will result. A pleasant period



12th Month, 31 Days-DECEMBER 8 .- Autumn, 1902. PLANETARY CHANGES. movements.

Mercury enters Capricornus the 14th. Full moon the 15th, in Gemini.

The favorable hours are about the same as for last week.

Jupiter, Saturn and Neptune are evening stars, and Mars is the lone star of the morning. Mercury, Venus and Uranus are in the sun, ruling the affairs of the day. BUSINESS.—One of the best weeks

of the year for the retail trade of the land, Money will flow like water. Have your stocks in order and keep plenty of extra help, for you will need them as never before. This means a big More people will Christmas trade. make and receive presents this year than usual. A love feast is on and will continue for some time. Musical instruments should be sought more extensively than for many years.

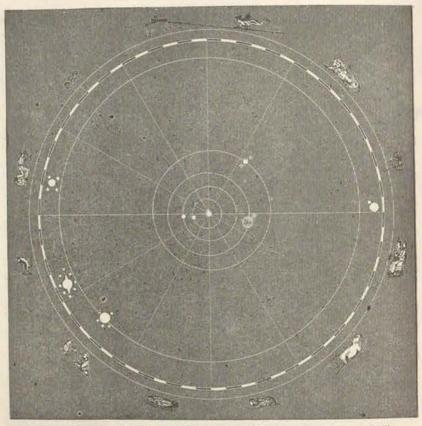
Speculation seems to share in the deal, and marked movements may be anticipated. Prices should have some good advances. It is a changeable condition, and reactions, sharp and sudden, will follow important upward

HEALTH .- Great good comes in the way of health all the week. Make the most of this time, ye sufferers, and do not fail to take plenty of exercise while it lasts. This will enable you to get in line with these harmonious translations. To be easy means that you will not profit so much by the change

CHILDREN.-The best of conditions prevail for offspring all the week. Remember this, ye people who desire these kind of children. Artists, musicians, sculptors, fancy needle workers, fine writers, authors, etc., etc., and observe that conception must take place menstruations starting from after March 3d to 10th. No other dates will produce births at this time. Conception can take place any time from March 3d up to the 15th, providing menstruation starts the 3d. Observe the law.

MARRIAGE .- Elegant time to marry: let everybody get tied up. WEATHER.—Fine sleighing if not

too soft and an elegant period



12th Month, 31 Days-DECEMBER 15.-Autumn, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES.

Mercury enters Capricornus the 15th. Venus enters Capricornus the 14th. Moon, last quarter the 21st.

Favorable hours, from 10 to 12 a.m. and 2 to 3 p.m. Get married at 8:30.

BUSINESS .- We enter a new wave of prosperity and push this Monday morning, December the 15th. It is a week of new ventures and many a large undertaking will be formulated for the new year about this time. It is very favorable for such proceedings. It is especially so for new inventions or patented articles of various kinds. Things pertaining to deep borings will be in evidence, and oil, gas and mineral propositions will receive a new impetus. The book and all literary lines will be sought more generally than usual as an investment by men of wealth. This is an excellent period for special schools in scientific lines; people will be eager to take up studies and apply themselves for definite results. Push these matters this week A period of speculation is now on

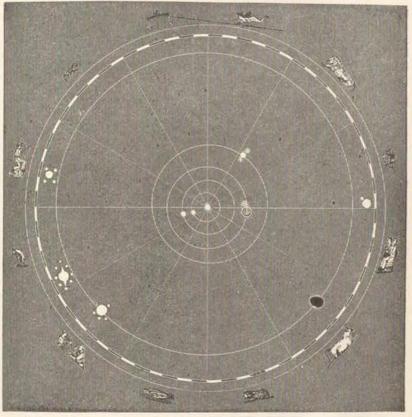
A period of speculation is now on which means some heavy trading and attempts to control and corner the trade in many directions. The small trader should be cautious at this time.

HEALTH.—Still we are in a very good vibration of health, and no one need fear for results. There is an indication of a run of smallpox in the month of December, but as smallpox is not contagious no one need go out of his way to avoid it. Only people who are constituted rightly for it have it.

CHILDREN.—This is a figure which means much to those born at this time. Great characters in the field of business, science, invention, literature, art, elocution and oratory. Teach them just two branches, language and mathematics, and they will become the leaders of men and women in the realm of science and letters.

MARRIAGE.—This is not as favorable for marriage as the last figure, but the 19th and 20th are probably the best days.

WEATHER.—A storm period is due about Monday or Tuesday, and a cold wave will sweep over the land from the Northwest.



12th Month, 31 Days-DECEMBER 22.-Autumn, 1902.

PLANETARY CHANGES. Mercury enters Aquarius the 24th. New moon the 29th, in Capricornus. Earth enters Cancer the 23d.

Mercury and Venus appear in the west immediately after sundown. Jupiter and Saturn are about 30 and 50 degrees, respectively, above the place of Venus. Neptune rises in the east at about 5 p. m.

BUSINESS.—December 22nd the ushers in the last week of the year 1902, and for a closing period it is a strong one. It is also a good week for the retail trade. Money still flows freely from the people's hands. They give it without stint or reserve. The general result of the year's doings should show up more favorably than the year 1901. And the conditions on the eve of the opening of the new year are such as promise a comparatively bright future.

Speculation should be quite brisk and new figures recorded. It will be erratic and an up and down time, but sufficiently so to give opportunities for good turns. The close for the year will probably be quite a strong one.

HEALTH.—Smallpox is the worst we may look for at this time. The planetary conditions are such as create the right vibration for this particular affliction. Those subject to this kind of a fever will break out without any apparent cause. The real cause is within, a result of planetary polarization. Vaccination does not prevent this malady. So do not poison your system under this false delusion.

NOTE.—Send and get "VIBRA-TIONS OF HEAL/TH." It tells how to treat this as well as all other diseases in a simple, clean and successful way. Only \$1.00.

CHILDREN.—Newspaper and literary people generally will come among us from the unseen sphere this week. Give them a literary education.

MARRIAGE.-There is nothing favorable to say about this subject.

WEATHER.—It looks very much like a stormy week. Snows and blows galore. Cold and severe. Much suffering from the condition of the elements.

LEGAL HOLIDAYS IN VARIOUS STATES.

January 1-New Year's Day: In all the States except Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Rhode Island.

January 8-Anniversary of the Battle of New Orleans: In Louisiana.

January 19-Lee's Birthday: In Georgia, North Carolina and Virginia.

January 12—Lincoln's Birthday: In all the States except Arkansas, Iowa and Mississippi.

February 26, 1895-Mardi-Gras: In Alabama and Louisiana.

March 2-Anniversary of the Texan Independence: In Texas.

March 4-Fireman's Anniversary: In New Orleans, La.

April 3, 1895-State Election Day: In Rhode Island.

April 12, 1895—Good Friday: In Alabama, Louisiana, Maryland, Pennsylvania and Tennessee.

April 19—Patriot's Day: In Massachusetts.

April 21-Anniversary of the Battle of San Jacinto: In Texas.

April 26-Memorial Day: In Alabama and Georgia.

May 10-Memorial Day: In North Carolina.

May 20—Anniversary of the Signing of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence: In North Carolina.

May 30—Decoration Day: In Ariz., Cal., Col., Conn., Del., D. C., Ia., Ill., Ind., Kas., Me., Md., Mass., Mich., Minn., Mont., Neb., Nev., N. H., N. J., N. Y., N. D., O., Okla., Ore., Penn., R. I., Tenn., Utah, Vermont, Wisconsin, Washington and Wyoming.

June 3-Jefferson Davis's Birthday: In Florida.

July 4-Independence Day: In all the States.

July 24-Pioneer's Day: In Utah.

September 2, 1895—Labor Day: In Ala., Cal., Col., Conn., Del., Fla., Ga., Ill., Ind., Ia., Kas., Me., Md., Mass., Mich., Mont., Neb., N. H.,

N. J., N. Y., O., Ore., Penn., Tex., Utah, Va. and Wash.

September 7, 1895—Labor Day: In Pennsylvania.

September 9-Admission Day: In California.

September 12-Labor Day: In Florida.

October 31-Admission Day: In Nevada.

November 25-Labor Day: In Louisiana.

November 25, 1895—Thanksgiving Day: Is observed in all the States.

December 25-Christmas Day: In all the States.

Arbor Day, Sundays and Fast Days are legal holidays in some States, when designated by the Governor.

There is no National holiday, not even the Fourth of July.

The Oracle.

Question No. 1—What, if any, are the advantages of the Helio-centric system of astrology over the Geo-centric system, and why do you choose that particular system? Are the same results obtained by either or are the tables different? and how can there be two opposing systems if they are perfectly scientific and reliable? C. E. E.

Answer-First, the advantages of the heliocentric system over the geocentric is this: in studying the vibratory currents of the planets it is much more simple to figure from an observation of the workings of the system known as our solar circle by taking the real center of the system as a starting point, with the planets all revolving about this center in regular order as they actually move. For by so doing one sees at once the harmony of all the lines of force which the planets and sun set up and they may be traced more accurately than will ever be possible by taking the earth, which is a point outside the real center and attempting to work from the apparent revolutions of all the bodies, including the sun, around it. The geocentric system is very difficult to grasp or understand, and the most advanced scholars of that system are confused as to the real law which produces the phenomena about us. They figure from the appearances of things. and the appearances of things are very misleading if one wishes to know the truth.

The system we use is one which originated with the writer and has been developed and simplified so that people of ordinary intelligence and understanding may readily comprehend the truths of planetary influence. The geocentric system and practice has confused the minds of men for ages, and our encyclopedias record astrology as an exploded science because of it. Some ten years ago the writer sought to find. a reason for the claims of astrology, but in all the works published on the subject, and there are hundreds . of volumes, he could find no reason. no definite statement of any law or order, therefore no scientific exposition of the subject. He then attempted to reconstruct the study. following along well established laws of force and number, the law of gravitation and living magnetism or vibrations. After years of application and demonstration the results have been given to the world and for the first time in the history of the earth a purely scientific exposition of the subject of astrology has been published. We claim for our works on the Helio-centric system, which includes the law of the Geocentric system as well, that they are the only scientific works extant. Of course the subject is a large one. and a great amount of elucidation is still necessary to give a more extended application of the knowledge in every day life, but the principles of the law and its general application is now clearly stated and thousands are becoming proficient in the practice, where a few years ago only a dozen or so were in existence.

The advantages, therefore, of the Helio-centric system over the other is its simplicity and its scientific. statement. There are no contradictions between the two systems so far as the truth-the law is concerned. During the ages that the geocentric system has been in use, there has grown up around it a world of rubbish-the theories of those who never caught a glimpse of the law and the truth of the subject, and those who take up this old mess of junk and attempt to make use of it soon become disgusted with the subject and say there is nothing in Astrology. The tables of the Helio-centric system give the Helio-centric positions of the planets and the Geo-centric tables give the Geocentric positions. The former are the real orbital positions about the center-the sun, while the latter are the apparent places as seen from the earth at any given time. There is no conflict in the tables, for mathematics do not conflict in any way.

Question No. 2—In regard to the Magic Mirror: can one not be obtained for less than \$15? and is there any question of operating one successfully, or of being able to find the right intelligence to assist? Are there any other means that would serve the same purpose; or at least, by which one could get perfectly truthful communications and the information desired?

Answer.—It is quite a difficultmatter to get up a good Magic Mirror. It is principally the labor which costs, and it requies much patience and practice to get one up that will not give out or be affected by changes of temperature, etc. The price, compared with other things, is extremely low. A person would be in penury and misery who would attempt to make it a business for a living. The price will probably be

much higher before it is any lower.

So far as operating one successfully: it is not difficult at all to use a mirror, and the motive of the operator will determine very largely the nature of the influences that will be attracted. But the nature of the manifestation precludes all but those who have a knowledge of the higher laws of mind and soul forces from giving phenomena of this kind. The reliability of messages thus received depend upon a knowledge of the communicant. It is the opinion of such an one and is usually of a high order.

There are other methods and means for communication with the astral plane of life, but the mirror is the most advanced and satisfactory thus far produced. Nearly all other methods are of the physical force type. The mirror relates to mind and soul force and of the higher intellectual sphere.

Question No. 3.—About card reading, that which is taught by occultists; can you give me information so I can learn to read them, that is true and reliable? I have no use for anything that is not absolutely true.

Answer .- Owing to many inquiries for information along this line we shall publish about January first next a complete exposition of the science of reading cards in accordance with the real law of occultism and magnetics. There are many superficial works on the subject, but none meet the requirements because they do not conform to nature's finer forces. Some works merely touch the subject of occultism in connection with readings, but none give a reliable course of procedure from start to finish.

This new work on the cards will meet the wishes of all sensitive and psychic readers and be just what is needed to set them right in this peculiar phase of occult science. The work will be illustrated and quick and easy as well as more ex-

tended formulas will be presented. The work will probably sell for two dollars.

Question No. 4.—Can you give psychic readings, or can you refer me to any one in this line who is to be relied upon perfectly? I know of Mrs. Smiley, but am interested to see others also, as it is interesting to compare them, if for no other purpose than to see how they agree or confirm each other.

Answer.—The writer used to give psychic readings, but owing to a pressure of other business he gave it up long ago. Mrs. Jessie M. Smiley, to whom you refer, is one of the very best rational psychics in this line of work. We mean by "rational" that she is fully conscious and rational while giving her readings. Never entranced or in any way affected. This is a very desirable condition for one to be in when doing work of this nature. We cheerfully recommend her as an honest and conscientious occultist.

There are others who are clever at these things, some reading by one method and some by another. Mrs. Adaline Eldred is one who is well known to readers of planets and people as she has been mentioned many times. She reads psychrometrically as well as with cards and gives good satisfaction.

Mrs. C. D. May is considered good at reading cards, altho she has been before the public but a short time in a professional way.

There are many Palmists, Cardreaders, Clairvoyants and Mediums who give readings, and some of them, if not all, please their patrons quite well. But as to the reliability of such readings it depends largely upon the manner in which one approaches a person of this peculiar temperament. Some people go to have a reading and do not seem to think it makes any difference whether things are favorable for such a proceeding or not. They expect too much for the very small fee usually charged for such sittings. They often oppose the seer from start to finish, and then deny that there is any truth in it when the sitting is finished. Such characters often get some hard hits, but they hate to admit it. Things are often said to such that never would be said if the seeker would be courteous and conduct him or herself in a respectable manner.

If we were going to have a sitting of this kind with a view of securing reliable information, we would approach the seance room something like this: We would first make up our mind to give the seer every opportunity to reach my case. We would put up a very gentle and tender attitude and not in any way combat or interfere with the harmony of the occasion. We would pay the price before the reading was given, in order to assure the seer that she would not be taken advantage of in any way. We would do this because we know it would place the seer in a much better mood and condition for the work in hand. All this would promote our interests and secure for us the very best conditions possible. Some people wait until afterwards to pay the price and often kick about the charge being so much. The seer feels this all the way through the sitting for they can sense things of this nature as well as anything else, and it is an interference with the An indifference often reading. arises from this which makes the reading unsatisfactory. The condition is thus placed upon the sensitive psychic who should, above all things, be free from the vibrations which depress or antagonize. Therefore, we say, pay your money first and produce the very best relation between yourself and the seer before you start in. This is the secret of truthful and reliable readings.

Question No. 5.—Are there any circles of Mystics or Occultists which are open to the novice to join, and how can one learn of them?

Answer .- There are numerous circles of so-called occultists here and there and everywhere, with would-be leaders having a little knowledge. These circles may or may not be a benefit to one who is seeking the truth. The truth is something that must be worked for. It cannot be taught or transferred. The way to gain truth only may be stated or taught. Mystical circles, therefore, may readily be found if a little inquiry is made. We are not in position to recommend circles of this nature, as we believe that a regular course of study, beginning with the foundation principles of the law of life and being is necessary to an understanding of mystical wisdom. The PYRAMID AND CUBE UNI-VERSITY is designed to meet this growing demand for knowledge along mystical lines. The method is one which deals with all phases of the subject, as the plan includes all of the mystical or occult phenomena known to man.

Question No. 6.—I have heard that among these adepts are occasional ones who have the power of the Christ to heal and perform all miracles, instantaneously, and that even Jesus is now reincarnated and known to some of these students of the occult. If this is true, can you tell me where to be found, and if one can in any way communicate with them or see and talk with them; particularly, if Jesus is now on earth, can you tell where to be found —or to come into communication with him?

Answer.—There are some on earth to-day who are able to perform any miracle that Jesus performed and many more than was attempted by him, and we have his own words that "Greater things than these shall ye do," etc. However, the miracles of the present seem trivial to the average mind compared with those of the past because of the false teachings of the centuries regarding the

life and character of him who was called Jesus. There are no miracles to one who understands the laws of nature, or to one who has a partial understanding of the law of cause and effect. The same laws are operative now that were in force twothousand years ago, and just as wonderful things are being done by many persons as were ever performed upon the earth. It is not a difficult matter to excite the minds of the average thinker with phenomena that seems miraculous, altho there is no such thing as an occurrence of any kind except in accordance with the simple laws of nature.

Among occultists there are many leaders, so called, but few Masters. The latter are busy people, devoting their lives to the elevation of the race as a whole, employing means which are far-reaching, taking no thought of the present except as it may by suggestion and quiet leading be influenced by the great work which is universal in its scope. The Master builds for the ages, not merely for the day and the hour. He cares not for the curious who seek for knowledge from "the say." Instead, he seeks to stimulate individual effort and ambition in others to obtain the truth through application of thought and energy, knowing that through devotion to principle and by laborious effort is it possible to attain any great height in this direction.

Concerning the reincarnation of Jesus and whether he is now on earth, it is a proposition which can be explained in but one way. No one can present the fact or prove the same to any living person, but one may be awakened to such a degree of consciousness relative to the fact, that he may know and realize the truth. We might say that Jesus is now on earth in human guise, but we cannot prove it nor can we make a person believe such a statement. It is all a matter of growth and development. First, a knowledge of occultism, such as very few on the

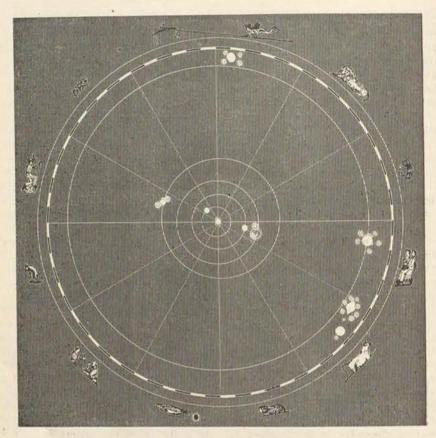
planet possess, is necessary to a comprehension of so far-reaching a proposition. To accept the mere statement that Jesus is now incarnate is to attempt to jump the whole line of development with one bound and rest on the faith placed in "the say." This does not mean a little bit of development for the one who thus falls into line and believes he has become an occultist. There is too much of this kind of mysticism. It is of very little value and may be the means of preventing real advancement by individual effort. There is no reason why Jesus may not be in the flesh at the present There are many old souls. time. who were prominent in the affairs of the people two thousand years ago, who are now dwelling in the meshes of clay firing up anew the life within. Jesus can not escape this requirement of nature any more than any other being or soul that has evolved from this sphere or planet. It should be borne in mind, however, that the present incarnation does not resemble the one of former time, and in order to recognize the individuality. the real character, it is necessary to see with the inner light well turned on. One must perceive the truth, and be able to follow down the lapse of time from away back and make connections with the present.

Jesus, as a soul, did his work two thousand years ago and as a man he served a purpose. This is the common lot of all. In each incarnation he will serve both a soul and a human purpose. That is, a physical purpose relative to his time and place in the material world. Things of this nature must not be judged, however, by the physical man lest the truth be lost sight of entirely and the spiritual vision become Too many dimmed and blighted. think only of the physical type, and expect to see perfect transparency and a wonderful illumination in the incarnated Master. They are all in common clay, and with some a microscope is necessary in the search for the divine nature. For this reason a prophet is not without honor save in his own country and in his own household.

As Jesus dwelt in the open so will he dwell in all of his incarnations. He is not a recluse except for a rest now and then. He is not recognized except by those who know the truth of things, those who understand the law of being. If he were pointed out to one upon the street, he would no doubt be the last one that would be accepted as such. Many are hunting for the Christ, but few indeed ever meet him face to face and know that they know it is he.

But why should we seek this particular character? Are there not others and many of them just as bright and just as good? Why doesn't some one ask where Confucius or Buddha, Socrates and Plato are? We will say that Peter, whom the Catholics claim and believe (poor innocents) is now attending the gates of heaven, is at the present time incarnated and may be seen upon the streets of Chicago most any day. But we cannot prove this. We merely state it as a fact. An unprovable fact. But who would care to mix with Peter. He was an ordinary fisherman in his noted seaside incarnation. Is he a fisherman now? you ask. No-Jesus taught him to become a "fisher of men" instead and thus you see the avocation of the present incarnation is different from the last.

We can come into communication with souls of this nature only by means of knowledge touching the principles involved in, not only in the incarnation of Jesus two thousand years ago, but of the principles involved in the incarnation of people in general. One may meet the Master and become well acquainted with him on the physical plane and never know that it is he.



HOROSCOPES OF CONCEP-TION AND BIRTH DATES.

Conception : Dec. 2d, 82, 10 p. m. Birth : Sept. 2d, 83, 8:45 p. m. Number of days, 274.

Culminations: Conception, Taurus. Birth, Aquarius. Difference, 90 degrees, or one-quarter of the circle.

One of our leading physicians has been kind enough to furnish us with the above data, it being a case in his own life which he was able to tabulate very accurately, being a traveling man at the time.

It is interesting to note the important points relative to the formation of life under the planetary currents.

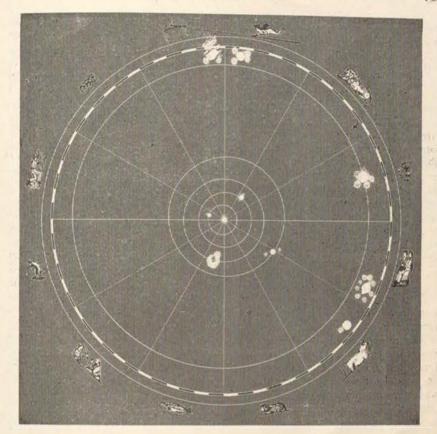
First we find that the ascendant of the birth is the mid-heaven of the conception, or the mid-heaven of birth is in opposition to the ascendant of conception.

Second: the moon culminates in the place of conception, thus completing its influence in cyclic manner. The earth, of course, is in square to its place at conception.

The other planets have changed, the most marked change being that of Mercury, which has completed three orbital revolutions and passed thirty degrees past its place at conception.

Saturn at the high point at conception falls in the second house at the birth in this case. This is not a definite result in all horoscopes, but to show how one may govern the birth and breeding of offspring, we mention this to give the law of formative expression.

These matters should be studied more generally than they are at the



present time as the breeding of offspring is a much neglected art.

However, this character was born under quite favorable conditions for Art, Embroidery, Music, etc. The painting or artistic representation of animals is one of the most favorable lines for her to follow. She should live out of doors as much as possible, among the trees and nature's budding foliage. Landscape painting comes next to animals in her line of art.

With Saturn in the place of property it will not be so easy to make money out of her work, but having Jupiter in the fourth place it shows favors and protection in this respect, and with her natural Uranian gifts, she will not be without the necessary funds to make her life comparatively easy.

RULING PLANET.

The planet Uranus dominates her whole career through life, and it is in position to give her much ability to carry forward whatever she undertakes. She is a natural worker, a little pugnacious, but she has a strong mind and a determined will. She will be known as a Genius of peculiar ways. She is not well understood by her most intimate associates. She is very precocious, ahead of her years in knowledge and powers of comprehension. She is keen and quick to grasp a point. She is high in vital power and can endure much.

She has a good magnetic condition for marriage, the very sensitive to slights or criticism. She is quite high tempered, but being born in the negative quarter and sign she will not be troubled much with this. A very good horoscope for the enjoy-

ment of life and for entertaining others and making the world about her better.

One of the most important years of her life is now on, and she will do well to keep an eve on the influence of Saturn for the next year or so. It is at the high point in her circle and tends to draw about her some who are not beneficial or desirable. The vibrations of the environment need a little attention as the mind will be wrought up and agitation generally will rule the conditions of the time. She will be popular, especially so while this wave is on. It is a good time to make a showing in the world of art. Be it \$0.

SUGGESTIONS.

If people will pay a little attention to the study of nature's finer forces they will soon discover that it is a simple matter to bring into the world children of any specific type of character. All that is necessary is to govern the conception which may be done by observing the culminating period of birth for any

given time. From the Helio-centric standpoint this is very easy and we suggest a study of this system by those interested in the subject. A few evenings will open the way to an understanding of the principles involved. The general characteristics of children born each week is given in this work, but the specific conditions for any given day, and time of day, is merely a matter of working the problem out on finer lines which are simple and readily put in practice. As a special inducement to parents, we will give the conditions of birth for any week in the last three months of 1902 upon receipt of \$1, and selection of the general weekly condition decided upon. We will give the time for conception for the most favorable result. This price applies only to the three months mentioned. It is a special offer as an inducement for those interested to try and do something rational and reasonable in connection with the perpetuity of the race.



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The recent statements attributed by the public press to Mr. Tesla relative to his late experiments in Colorado, which lead him to believe that "the inhabitants of Mars are trying to signal the earth," warrants the attention and inquiry of men of science, because of his well-known attainments in his chosen field; but it is rather remarkable that a man of his scientific attainments should be led into the error of concluding that "Martians are trying to signal the earth" because the instrument he was using recorded certain feeble movements for which he could not account in any other way, when he has thus far been unable to produce an instrument, or any one else a mechanical device, of sufficient sensitiveness to respond to or record the vibrations of the planet Mars itself or any other planet in the solar system. When we get an instrument that will respond to the vibrations of so great a magnet as a planet, we may then hope to perfect one that will receive the vibrations of so infinitesimal a magnet as an inhabitant or a group of inhabitants that may be living upon it; but until then, all efforts in that direction are fanciful.

Owing to Mr. Tesla's efforts in the field of wireless telegraphy, prior to 1899, I sent him in January of that year the following suggestions:

First—That the atmosphere surrounding the earth is made up of a series of zones of different density and quality, corresponding to the musical scale, and that the first octave in this scale from the earth outward culminates at what is popularly known as the timber line.

Second—In order to transmit vibrations any considerable distance it is necessary to strike a key in the atmospheric zones with which the instrument must co-ordinate.

Third—That the best results would be obtained operating upon the atmospheric plane at the timber line, because all things physical culminate at this point. Latitudinal lines were also suggested as important in transmitting messages in this way.

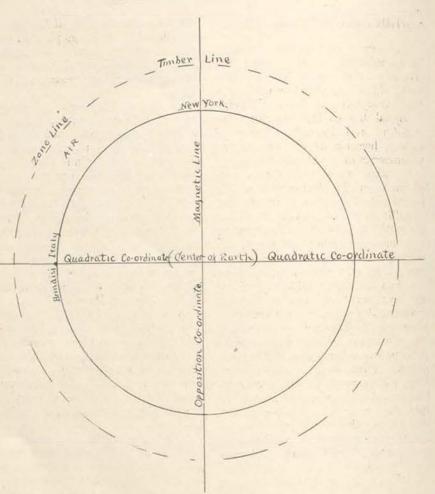
It is true that some things are carried by force above this line of physical culmination, but they do not add to their physical state or propagate their kind above this plane, and that here one may learn many secrets of physical culminations, for it offers a field for research in electrical and magnetic lines, rich in phenomena unknown at the present, time to electrical experts, and it is here that Mr. Tesla should look for an explanation of the movements of his oscillator which he attributes to the people of Mars.

Now in view of the fact that Mr. Tesla acted upon these suggestions and spent some eight months in Colorado experimenting in high altitudes, and which resulted in many new discoveries which he claims and which I believe will be of practical benefit to the world, I offer the following:

The law of vibration is gradually opening up to the mind of man the great fact that space and distance do not interfere with the transmission of vibratory waves; it is only matter in condensed form, like earth, that runs to ground, currents set in motion. Our earth, therefore, is being acted upon by innumerable currents, set in motion by an infinite variety of dynamic centers. Many of these currents may be traced to their source. An instrument by which the different currents may be recorded is, of course, the aim and goal of the electrical expert.

Electricity is a *mechanical* vibration, conveying force only. Magnetism is a *natural* vibration that conveys both force and quality. The former is lifeless. The latter is a sentient, living thing.

Investigation in the field of electricity has been pushed to an ad-



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vanced stage. Investigation in the field of magnetism is in its infancy and yet the latter offers a much wider field for investigation which will result in greater knowledge and utility to the world than the former. A message carried by means of an electric current, over a telephone or telegraph line conveys only sounds or symbols and does not carry with it the quality or character of the sender, which would be conveyed by a magnetic current. A receiving instrument that would show this quality would be of incalculable value to the world. As chimerical as the attainment of this may seem, if electrical experts will devote their energies to dealing with magnetic instead of electrical currents, they will find it a much simpler proposition than attempting to communicate with the inhabitants of Mars. In fact, the latter will never be accomplished until the former is in operation.

Magnetism always stands for a compound of some kind. Anything that is not a compound does not give out magnetic vibrations. A many may turn a crank and produce au electrical current. It is the magnetic force of the man, the compound, that sets up a mechanical movement and

electricity may convey the mechanical result to other and distant points. The man is a magnet. He vibrates magnetism which is readily felt and which conveys, at all times, the real nature and condition of the individual.

With this idea of the natures of these two separate and distinct vibratory phenomena, let us turn to the earth and observe that it is a great compound, with such a variety of ingredients that it must of necessity vibrate a wonderful and powerful magnetism. Take, for example, the moon. It causes the waters of the whole earth to oscillate back and forth and produces such striking phenomena that man is forced to admit the truth of its power. Is this an electrical force? No. It is the magnetic force which results from the combined action of the elements which compose it, as a body, together with the influences which are exerted upon it by other compound bodies.

Electricity is the result of breaking and uniting magnetic currents. The breaking and holding apart is the generating process, while reuniting the same is the phenomenal result. Magnetism may be conveyed or transferred from one object or place to another. Therefore, the vibrations of a planet are projected to other planets and recorded by instruments selected or constructed for the purpose.

It is possible now to note the magnetic pulsations of the planets very accurately and those who experiment along electrical lines, mechanically, will sooner or later, and probably in the near future, construct a mechanical psychrometer that will startle the whole world. The part electricity will play in this new revelation will be the sensitizing of certain compounds necessary to the success of the operation.

Mr. Tesla may be on the very verge of the mechanical solution of the most interesting fact in nature -the transmission of messages around the world, with but one kind of instrument, which will be both a transmitter and receiver.

I predict that the early part of the twentieth century will see the completion of an instrument, so constituted, charged and governed, that it may be spoken into and a message sent to any other like instrument, in any part of the world. without wire, at which point it will be received as given, showing the quality imparted to the message by the sender. It will be both an electrical and a magnetic instrument. Two or more of these instruments united and charged magnetically and then separated will operate at any distance apart. The application of electrical force of the same vibratory number to each instrument will increase the efficiency of the service.

Concerning the idea of sending messages through the earth, which, no doubt, is possible in a degree, I would suggest that the manner in which force is applied at the sending station 'will have much to do with the success of such an undertaking. The accompanying diagram illustrates the magnetic currents of the They vibrate to the center earth. or towards the center and have their strongest co-ordinate lines at right angles and in opposition. A current set going in New York would find a more direct line and outlet at a point 90 degrees to the east. This would make a point on the southeast coast of Italy much more favorable for a receiving station than the west coast of Portugal, where, it is stated, the experiment is to be tried by Mr. The current, therefore, Tesla. should be intensified in the direction of the center of the earth, as an electrical current will naturally follow along the magnetic currents rather than cross them or waste its power or volume in general permeation of the entire globe.

I believe, however, it will be found that the atmospheric zones will give a more even diffusion of the electrical vibration than will ever be possible through the body of the planet. It is an open way. Light is obstructed by the earth, while the atmosphere gives it reflection and added glory. That the air holds the secret of wireless messages and that the tones or zones as explained give the key to the situation is my firm conviction. F. E. ORMSBY,

EVEN THE FOOL DIVINE.

Thinketh the fool: "I rule my stars!" But by a law Supreme-Divine, That changes not whate'er the time, He finds himself within the bars. Nor could he change it if he would And thus control, for God is good.

The law Divine is just and true, And mortal man, his mind, his soul, Lives on, in time, reaches the goal; Nor changes he one jot the line. 'Tis truth that tends to make him free, And conscious of his right to be.

His right to play his part in life, To seek the harmonies that please— A place where he may rest in ease, Above the noise, the din and strife. To be content within the realm On duty. Ever at the helm.

To guide his bark as best he may, To feel his power, and from afar Be guided by his lucky star, The light of heaven far away. Tho' Nature at some previous time Ordained it—made all things Divine.

> F. E. O. Chicago, September 16, 1901.

THE RELIGION OF NATURE.

ITS BASIC TRUTHS, CEREMONIALS AND PERIODIC EVENTS.

Nature Worship, which is to be the religion of the enlightened minds of all nations beginning with the twentieth century, is based upon the Divine Law of Being. It must of necessity be scientific, with a reason for all of its claims and manifestations clearly definable and comprehensible to all who give it attention and consideration.

It takes into account the life of the present and deals with the everliving manifestations of the forces of creation, and seeks to impart such information as will enable each one to become a lover of the law of expression—the way ordained by the eternal verities that things shall be.

The Religion of Nature tends to develop an individuality which makes each person capable of communing direct with the divine principle of life from which all things of whatsoever name or nature emanate.

This divine principle, force, power, mind or whatever one chooses to call it, may be termed God, the All in All of the Universe.

It does not apply in this system to any individual or thing, especially. It is the life of the world, of all worlds, of the Infinite Universe. It is the force of Nature as a whole.

The Religion of Nature recognizes that all things of every name and nature are divine manifestations, differing according to environment. That there are no imperfections in nature, but simply differentiations due to the action of the one great force under varying conditions and stages of manifestation. It claims that each and every human being, whatever their condition, is a divine and perfect product; that each is filling a nichein the great scheme and that each and every being is under the care and protection of Divine will,

It teaches that God intends that things shall be as they are until the mind of man becomes adjusted to the law and is conscious of its possibilities when once it perceives the way of the Divine plan.

It teaches that when man becomes conscious of the way and perceives the truth of the whole, he must build and create for himself and for others such changes as will enable him to enjoy in greater measure the benefits, privileges and beauties so bounteously bestowed upon all by Nature.

The Religion of Nature is a builder of Individuality; this being its chief aim and object. It makes the individual his own Redeemer his own Creator for the future. It does not do the work for him, but merely shows him the way that is easy, suggesting such helps as will enable him to proceed wisely and in a way to make the most of his opportunities.

It teaches that each manifestation or being, though differing from all others, is, in and of itself, equally perfect with any other form, being or manifestation; that the progress and development of each is a distinct and separate proposition, and that each is destined to express, in accordance with his innate powers, qualities and environment, therefore, cannot be likened to or compared with any other; that each is perfect in his way, therefore in keeping with the divine plan.

The Religion of Nature recognizes Force as the controlling factor in the affairs of a world. It recognizes that force under varying conditions gives rise to manifestations such as are termed good and evil; that the same force under one condition produces what is termed evil, while under other conditions it produces what is termed good, and that each manifestation is in perfect harmony and accord with the divine

mind. The Religion of Nature teaches that there are no mistakes or accidents in this or any other world; that there never was or never will be; that all things have and will move in accordance with natural law.

It teaches that the worship of Nature-the study of her worksis the highest and holiest devotion possible to enter into. It teacher that there can be no set time, by man, for religious devotion, as Nature ever proceeds in the one simple way at all times. It teaches that the so-called Sunday is no more a holv day than any other, and that each being, born into the world, has a special day which corresponds to his relation to the seventh or tone principle in the action of force. It teaches that to worship according to the dictates of conscience is a divine right and privilege vouchsafed by God, and that no human mind has a right to change or interfere with it. It shows that all days are Sundays to more or less people and that no day can be set apart for true worship.

The Religion of Nature teaches that each and every one may choose his place of worship as well as the time, and that the open field is just as effective for results as the synagogue, and that the worship may consist in field sports and produce equally beneficial results with that of kneeling and praying; that there is no rule of procedure concocted by man that will apply to the desires and wishes of all people in this exercise of the religious or devotional nature of man.

UNIVERSAL TONES OR HARMONIES. To worship is to open up the mind and heart to the vibrations of Nature and seek to expand and enlarge the powers of one's being. To come into more conscious recognition of the harmonies of all the elements which go to make a world.

In watching the phenomena of

the earth it is observed that the sun has the most important influence with life and things, hence, to get out into the open and bask in the sun is devotional and religious, so long as no one else is interfered with. Probably sun-worship is the most beneficial of all the various forms of worship for the reason that it is the giver of life and the sustainer of all life on this and all other planets in our system.

There are certain times when the vibrations of the various planets and combinations of planets produce marked changes in the affairs of the people. Therefore, in order to teach people the nature of these changes and the causes therefor, various forms and ceremonies may be arranged suited to the purpose.

This brings them together for mutual benefit and for entertainment. Such an arrangement of times and seasons, expressing a recognition of universal movements, naturally places people as a whole in a more harmonious sympathy and universal brotherhood.

SOME SPECIAL DAYS.

On January 1st the earth is at the nearest orbital point to the sun. It is this which determines the beginning of the year. It is an astronomical fact. It is something that all people may readily recognize and have no controversy over. It is, therefore, a befitting time for reasoning on the conditions of things. It is a time when people should congregate together and consider the conditions for the twelve months before them. A consideration of the planetary influences as they will affect the general affairs of man would be a very appropriate theme for the day. It should be a day of recreation and new resolutions. A day of planning and starting the ventures of the year. To meet and hear some one read the meanings of the planets as affecting all branches of business and social life for one year ahead would be a most benefi-

cial form of worship to all concerned. No sermon could give one-quarter as much in the way of special blessing to the people.

Groups of people interested in the higher studies should come together and form NATURE WORSHIP CLUBS and begin to get in harmony with that which will enable them to know something of the divine plan of creation.

The next change in the vibratory currents of the system comes the 21st of January, when the earth enters the sign Leo; the sign of the heart; the emotional center. The ceremonies befitting an occasion of this kind should be for the purpose of blending the hearts, minds and interests of the people into one harmonious whole. To show the advantages of a mutual understanding relative to the relations between those in one position and those in another. A meeting of high and low, rich and poor, that the chasms that are sometimes made between classes may be bridged and the cross lines of safety made more secure. This may well be termed the Feast of Wisdom. This is a dramatic section and should be celebrated with fitting representations of the interests of all classes.

The 20th of February, the passage of the earth into the sign Virgo, calls for such devotion as will bring into play the sixth or intuitive sense. It is here that we commune with the spiritual side of life, are uplifted and refreshed from above. Lectures and demonstrations befitting the occasion should form the worship and ceremonial expressions of this transit. It may well be called The Communion of Souls.

March the 21st a complete changeoccurs, as it marks the changing of the quarter as well as the sign. This is a double time for celebration and worship. It relates to the business world, to trade and exchange. The preparation time for the casting of the die for future returns. These celebrations may be termed: The Solar Meridian for the sign and—The Quarter of Trade for the quarter.

April 21st we enter Scorpio, which relates to the seed-time. The teachings of this time should inform people relative to the law of sowing and planting in all of its branches. There can be no higher worship than the study of sowing for future returns. Let the ceremonies correspond to the time and advancement is sure to follow. Celebrate the Seed-time, therefore, at the passing of the earth over the line into the sign significant of such proceeding.

Sagittarius is reached on the 22d of May, and this is significant of the outing season, the time for field sports and recreation. Nature is all alive and teeming with blush and beauty. It is the sign of athletics, racing, rowing, etc. It may be designated as Field and Flower time. To worship Nature in the open is the most beneficial to mind and body of all the worships known to man. How beautiful to mingle with virgin fields and flowers and drink in the aromas of the budding fruitage from the seeds so recently placed in the ground! This is living in close relation with the powers that bless and give cheer to the troubled heart.

June the 22d we pass into Capricornus, the sign of the Goat. This crossing means a double change, as it is the line of the Quarter as well as the sign. It is the quarter of Labor, the Harvest time. It also relates to mechanics and labor, all of which show the importance of special instruction and entertaining ceremonial procedure. Astronomically, it is the "Tropic of Cancer" and a befitting celebration of the time would be a study of the heavens in connection with the culminations of the ripening harvests.

July 23d we enter Aquarius, the sign of Genius and skill in the af-

fairs of man. The worship of Living Waters is in keeping with this periodic change. The Springs and Singing Brooks inspire one to deepest reverence and admiration during this month of heat and thirst. Shady nooks and leafy bowers, studded here and there with flowers, make for peace and pleasure in this important transit.

The 23d of August we enter the sign of the Great Gulf and pass a period mingling with the lower levels of earthly endeavors. It is here that we delve into the pits and secret places for treasure, gather gems from the deeps and lift from nature the many and varied products which go to make up our commercial life. The polarization is toward the center. Passing the Gulf may be a suggestion for ceremonial procedure in this section.

The 23d of September we change to another quarter, the Quarter of Love. We pass from the Great Gulf over the lower celestial meridian into the sign Aries, the function of the brain. It is here that the harvest time is ended and the celebration of the event takes place. This is the sign of speech and appetite. The harvest is in and it is fitting that we have a feast of the good things which Nature has so bountifully bestowed upon us as a reward for our labor. It is here that "The Feast of the Passover" is celebrated. Sociability and good cheer should mark the time and expressions of thanksgiving and admiration for the gifts of Nature should mark the occasion. This is the most significant time for the beginning of all social functions, entertainments and general merrymaking. It is the social quarter and every one in good condition from the benefits derived during the outing and harvest season. It is the time for love-making and matrimonial ventures.

As we enter Taurus on the 24th of October we vibrate in the sphere of music as well as dramatic art. The season of song and imitation is heightened in this section. It shows the blending of the voices.

November the 23d we enter the sign of the home, where the lives of lovers blend into one. This is the sign of receptions and social functions of a special character. Our preachers should give the people at this time important suggestions relative to the home and other things suited to the times. This is the kind of worship the world needs. The kind of instruction the world of religion needs to-day.

December the 23d we enter Cancer and make the quarter of Knowledge. Knowledge results from experiences in the home just passed. At this crossing the sun stands still. (Joshua knew a few things.) It begins to move again on the 25th, and this is the reason for the Christmas time. It is ten thousand years old, this celebration of the return of the sun, and it should form a part in the celebration of the sign change and be given in proper form to the people in the way of scientific instruction.

These are a few of the changes occurring each year, but there are many special occasions which relate to transits of the planets and the various aspects they make from time to time.

These ever-changing phenomena furnish a theme for a regular Sunday evening series throughout the year. We need five hundred progressive clergymen to take up this new thought and promulgate the same from the pulpit. The people want it and they are going to have it. They are petrifying with the old worn-out doctrines that have nobasis in truth, much less sense, theoretically. God and Nature, which are one, are here and in operation now, the same and exactly the same as at any other period in the world's history. Why not recognize the fact and take up a new line of thoughtand endeavor?

THE PHENOMENA OF LOVE. the co-ordination.

We often hear it stated that a certain person has no love, is utterly devoid of any feeling that shows any semblance of that finer attribute which belongs to or in any way exemplifies that quality called love. The terrible deeds of violence and the ill feeling which prompts such acts cause many to conclude that no spark of love ever emanated from such a character, and that a nature of this kind is irredeemably lost to all sense of the divine spark of peace and harmony. All this comes from a misunderstanding of the nature of love.

Love is called by various titles, the one most common being God. God is love, they say, and this is no doubt the more truthful or the more expressive definition of love, for it is a fact that love is exemplified throughout the realms of nature. There is not a tree, plant, flower, mineral, animal or human expression that does not show the universality of love.

Love is a vibration or condition resulting from the union of two separate life currents. That is, the one coming into reciprocal harmony with the other. Wherever this occurs love is manifested and peace and contentment reigns.

As long as peace and contentment reigns the love is said to be perfect, but as all things revolve and move in orbits, there is limitation to the phenomena called love. Harmony unites while antagonism repels and separates.

Every human being has a love current of some kind along with conditions which are the opposite, apparently, though all currents are love currents in relation to some condition with which each co-ordinates.

The particular vibration which makes a person obnoxious to you may be the very one which binds him to another. It all depends upon Love is blind, it is said, because there seems to be no reason for these different feelings, judging from the standards of the world.

There is a reason, however, when the truth about the phenomena of love is found. 'All people love, but each loves the thing he loves and not the condition or person which some one else may love. He may not know why he loves as he does, but his feelings say: "This is the one. I am at peace with this one."

The intensity of the attachment called love as well as its continuity depends upon the compound nature of the individual. Some love devotedly and continuously one person for life, while others shift in their feelings, are unstable and vacillating, not knowing what it means to concentrate the affections for any considerable time upon any one.

Some love one thing and some another. Most people love money, more or less, while many are so devoted to it that it makes their love of persons or of one individual seem very small indeed. Personal magnetism is at the foundation of this varied phenomena called love. A person loves that with which he most coordinates. Some love knowledge, some horses and others dogs, etc., and their special feelings for people or for any one individual are apt to be weak and altogether a secondary consideration.

The various kinds of love, as expressed in the marriage relation or by lovers contemplating such union, may be classed under the planetary bodies as the Mercurial love, the Venus love, etc., and a person's ruling star shows the nature of the vibration which such an one will give out as a love current.

The Mercury love is one which acts spasmodically under the impulse of the moment and seeks to make the relation a very close one on short notice. This kind of love is such as give rise to many petty

annoyances and love spats, but they are soon over and a renewal of pledges starts in a new cycle. It is a very active and expressive love and usually causes people to go the limit of their feelings in expressing their devotional natures.

Venus produces a very different kind of love and it may be defined as the most harmonious and satisfactory feeling possible to conceive of. This love is static, even and steadfast. Seldom becomes ruffled or thrown into a fury. It is the most lovable love of all. It is the kind of love that calms one into silence and peace, the peace that "passeth understanding." Two persons coordinated under the Venus love are in perfect accord and sympathy in all that pertains to their mutual welfare. Their lives blend into one as a pint of hard water blends with a pint of soft water when the two are poured together. It is hard to separate such a union.

Mars is not accounted a very lovable planet, yet it has its own kind of love, and while it is not of the most harmonious quality, still it is quite enduring. The Mars love is positive and exacting. People united under the Mars current love to sit and combat one another in some argument. Their love-taps are usually direct thrusts, given for the purpose of urging the other to a physical encounter, and as soon as they touch each other there is a blending and the twain become one for a time and comparative harmony reigns in their minds and hearts. The Mars love loves to boss its opposite. The intensity of feeling is worked up by opposition and domination, not by the gentle and charming methods of the Venus current.

We next come to the love of Jupiter. This great planet produces an extreme love for valued possessions, hence, a lover is accounted a very valuable possession when secured for life. It is the love of one's own, the wife or husband, together with children and all that goes to make a grand showing. The Jupiter love is the greater love, which includes all holdings and accounts them possessions to be prized and cared for in the very best possible manner. The Jupiter love promotes industry and home-building and preserves the continuity of the race. This love is the love of grandeur and beauty. One's husband or wife in the Jupiter love is admired for grandeur and beauty and is appreciated even at some distance away.

Saturn has a very peculiar kind of a love current. It gives an intense feeling and great solicitation, coupled with much fear and wild imagery. Two people under the love current of Saturn will be very solicitous of one another's welfare, ever expressing a fear lest some great calamity comes and destroys them or one of them. Usually there is a great deal of excitement in the Saturn love. It is an agitator and it causes secrecy and reserve in the expression of its feeling. It hesitates and shifts, never being at rest. Something is out of order most of the time and ill temper mingles with the expression of its most sacred feelings for another or itsown. While the love of Venus produces the most harmonious conditions, that of Saturn gives the extreme opposite and people are apt to say: "There is no love in such characters." The intensity of feeling and the desire for its co-ordinate companion is often stronger than with any other planet, but the nature of the love current is different, hence, is little understood by people at large.

Uranus gives a very intense current of love, but it is so extremely sensitive that much suffering results over the line. Uranus co-ordinates with the nerves, hence, it makes the feeling of love such as to give rise to extreme conditions when the test of endurance is experienced. A slight shock causes the current of Uranus to break and the twain drift apart

as a result. It is intense and unchangeable, even in the severest of trials and temptations, but may be broken by a slight or a stab though carelessly made with little intent on injury of any kind.

Neptune loves to write to its own across the ocean, as the line of love from this planet never becomes taut at a less distance. The Mercury line breaks in two at thirty paces. Thus these two planets produce the two extremes of love currents. There are many united by the love of Neptune who dwell apart most of the time, living hundreds of miles from each other, meeting once a year, perhaps oftener, and sometimes not so often, and they are as devoted in reality as the mercurial combination which breaks the line at thirty paces and mixes with other lines in a hundred instances, where it occurs once with the Neptunian line.

The Moon produces those fickle flirts who flicker about like rays of light on the waves of the waters. A smile catches them and love is complete for an instant, to be repeated over and over again as the days come and go.

Most people are governed by a combination of two or more of these love currents and this it is which makes life so peculiar and interesting to the student of nature. Take a compound vibration composed of the currents of Venus and Saturn for example. Just imagine the extremes of emotion and feeling which must arise from such a combination. People are apt to say of such a one: "She has a double nature." This comes from one vibration being stronger at times than the other and vice-versa.

What is love?

Love is the attraction or harmony arising from the meeting of magnetic currents or vibrations from two individuals or things of whatsoever name or nature.

People who are born under a combination of planets in strong aspect

live under the planet that gives their first love until the cycle changes, as it often does with some, and the current of some other planetbecomes the dominating power in this particular relation. This is a natural working out of the law and because it is inherent in the very nature of the race, it is proper to seek separation and divorce whenever occasion demands it. Love alone should be the guide in all matters between the sexes, although a universal or general national law, one law for the country as a whole, regulating marriage for the protection of children and property rights should be enacted at once. It should be just as easy for a couple to separate as it is to get married, and if anything, a little easier. This would make love alone the binding factor, which it should be.

No man or woman ever left their mates without good and sufficient reasons. Some leave on slight provocations because they are so constituted that they cannot stand trials of this kind and avert tragedy. Others hang on like grim death and the twain gradually sink in misery and desolation.

The world is large enough for all the people and there is no excuse for two people remaining together when their very vibrations grind them into the dust. It is a crime to thus blight two lives which might be made comparatively comfortable under the right conditions, which they are unable to find as long as they remain together.

Love, therefore, is phenomena.

Love may come and love may go. It is changeable.

To love thy God with all thy heart and all thy mind one must seek the harmonies of the universe, of Nature, and get out and away from the conditions which cause inharmony and strife and often the ruination of one's life.

Seek ye first the law of love and the way will open for the diviner

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harmonies which makes for happiness, peace and satisfaction. Love may then seek its own without stint or hindrance. Love is something that results from the union or blending of two rays or vibrations of personal magnetism, therefore love must be manufactured. This is only possible, therefore where there is a meeting of "two souls with but a single thought, two hearts that beat as one."

- There came to me one midnight hour
- Three words, endowed with wondrous power;
- They flashed athwart my darkened sight

Like shafts of pure celestial light. And turned the night to day, complete-

Three simple words, but on, now sweet !

Love Faileth Never! Jessie M. Smiley. Chicago, October 2, 1901.

AT THE TABLE.

The years have sped since first I led You to the table, dear, And you sat over there alone

And I sat smiling here.

A year or two flew past and you No longer sat alone;

A little one was in your arms, Your darling and my own.

And then another year or so. And some one else was there. And Willie sat near me, you know, While Trottie claimed your care,

The years have sped since first I led You to the table, dear,

And you looked queenly at the foot And I felt kingly here.

Today as I look down at you, On either side I see A row of hungry little ones All gazing up at me.

We've added leaves, one after one. And you are far away-Aye, thrice as far, my dear, as on That happy, happy day.

But though we sit so far apart— You there and I up here—

Two rows of hearts from my fond heart

Stretch down to you, my dear,

Thank God for every extra leaf The table holds today, And may we never know the grief Of putting one away.

-S. E. Kiser.

NO TIME TO LOSE.

"Yes, pretty lady, the cards say that you will have four husbands." "Four husbands!"

"Yes. But do not let the idea unnerve you. Remember, it is the de-cree of fate, and you must not attempt to resist it."

"Oh, I didn't intend to do that. was just thinking that I'd better begin at once."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A WISH.

Sweeter than roses or lilies white, Brighter and higher than stars of light,

Bridging the depths of the deep blue sea,

Reaching from time to eternity;

- Greater than monarch or conqueror crowned,
- Reaching the wide world round and round.

'Tis a gem from the crowns above! What is this I would wish for thee?

This-that thy life enframed may be

In a golden setting of love. Thomasina B. Telfer.

TOO LITERAL.

Bobby's Mamma-"Now, mind, Bobby, if they pass you the cake a second time at the party you must say: 'No, thanks, I've had plenty,' and don't you forget it."

Hostess (at the party)—"Won't Bobby have some more cake?"

Bobby (who hasen't forgotten)---"Nope, thanks, I've had enough, an' don't you forget it!"-Harper's Bazar.

THE MASTER.

A great deal has been written and said relative to the Masters, the Adepts, the Sages and such characters as are supposed to exemplify the ideal life of man. Of course there are many views of the Master. many beliefs concerning his knowledge and power in the affairs of the world. Some define him as one living apart from the people-in some secret and secluded retreat, and should they be privileged to meet him, they would expect to fall upon their faces and worship him as the true representative of the living God. Others consider the fakir of the Orient as the Grand Master of all, because he has devoted his life to the acquirement of a certain kind of occult power which enables him to produce certain phenomena before the astonished gaze of common or untrained minds. Some, however, consider Jesus as the supreme Master of all because he performed certain cures among the sick and a few other phenomena of a like simple character. Therefore, we say, there are masters and there are masters, and they vary as do the carpenters and the tailors and all other classes of people.

The adaptation to mastership is always in accord with the physiological and mental constitution and the environment of birth. No two are alike, nor can they be made alike. Some have talents in certain directions, while others possess entirely different gifts. But I imagine some one asking: "Is there not some standard by which we may judge, and is it not a fact that Mastership consists in the possession of all power and all knowledge?" No! All power and all knowledge is not for mortal man to possess, neither is it for those who are not mortal.

There are degrees of attainment in various directions, along many lines of study and scientific research, and a person may be an Adept or Master in some special line and be quite deficient in others. It takes peculiar natures for some lines of development; quite different natures for other lines. The world needs all of the types and variations in environment and force polarization in order to satisfy the cravings of nature for infinite variety of expression. No one person, therefore, knows all there is to know. All may learn something more, and continue to do so through many incarnations as long as the world lasts.

A few suggestions relative to the way to Mastership may be given, but to state a definite course by which all may attain the cherished goal is practically impossible. No one way serves the purpose. All ways ultimately lead to the highest possible attainment. There is, however, a simple way of finding the fundamental truths of life and things, and to this one course of training and study we especially call attention at this time.

We will first state to what kind of Mastership it leads, as a certain result must be looked forward to by the one who seeks attainment of this kind.

This ideal Master is one who is capable of discerning the truth of things by simply coming into contact, or into vibration with them. Remember, the truth of anything is in the thing itself, not in some book or archive hidden from the sight of man and only reached by an appeal to some one who assumes to hold the key. Mathematics is a means by which certain phenomena, and, we may say, all phenomena, may be more or less elucidated; but the truth ever remains in the thing it-Each phenomena in nature self. contains within itself all the truth, all the facts, all that there is of that particular phenomena. Its relation or connection with other phenomena is another phase of the subject.

Take, for example, a rose. A person may analyze this beautiful crea-

tion and record its phenomena and to all appearances state the facts in their entirety, yet the most important and the most interesting feature may escape him and be left out. We will cite a case where two vegetables are analyzed and the nature of the various elements of which they are composed are clearly defined. From these two products starch is made and because starch is made from each they are rated as food-products according to the per cent. of starch which they contain. Now an analysis of this kind would be considered complete, so far as giving the details of the two products, and would be looked upon as final. The fact is, however, that the one essential feature of the analysis is overlooked, namely, the co-ordination of the magnetic force or life of each to other things. It calls for another study of the product before this can be determined.

Chemists tell us that starch is starch wherever found, but one who discerns the truth of things from the things themselves knows that starch has force, life, individuality and expression, and every product produces a different and distinct starch and so distinct that the influence of each upon the human economy is strikingly different.

One phase of the ideal character or Master is to be so in touch with the divine plan of nature that he can, at a glance, tell the nature and grasp the truth of a thing as quick as he sees it. To know the truth of anything and know that you know it is the key to Mastership and the ideal state. Of course one must know the truth in a way to state it to another, even though it may not be advisable to do so at all times and in all places.

If a person makes a statement in the presence of a Master the truth or falsity of the statement would be known at once, for the truth or falsity is in the expression and its vibration reveals the truth to him who understands the law as a Master must understand it.

This applies to things occult as well as to the material phenomena of life. A supposed master once said to another: "You were a woman in the incarnation previous to this one. I see you in Persian garb, the garb of a woman." A Real Master must know at once whether this is true or false, for the reason that the truth of the matter is in the living being thus spoken to. The supposed master might have been guessing, but the Real Master would have known whether he was guessing or not and also the truth of the matter had he been present.

The ideal character or Master, therefore, is one who sees the truth in things—one who can state the truth of things to others. The Master must be an Alchemist rather than a Chemist. Chemistry is the negative branch of science and knowledge.

The Master is one who knows that there are no phenomena which is not the result of the action of force under a definite and fixed principle. Knowing this he condemns not nor sees a mistake in the divine plan. He is in harmony with creation and consciously adjusts himself to his environment. He is not a follower in any sense of the term. He never accepts a truth because some one has stated it. Nor does he allow the arguments of those considered as authorities to in any way bias his judgment or influence his mind against the true way of searching for the truth. This applies to religious as well as to all of the affairs of life. Creeds and dogmas have no weight with him; he has passed far above the plane where such things are believed in and he sees with the all-seeing eve that looks to the center of things and dissects by radiation.

The Master is the ideal character who meets each and every condition and phase of life with a gentle spirit

and in a calm and tender manner. He- is charitable, he is kind and loving, radiating such potencies as meet the demands of the occasion. He responds to the truth and governs his actions with judgment and wisdom. Because he is conscious of the realities of life and things, he expresses the best that nature has bestowed upon him, and to do this is to become the greatest Master. Not that he sets aside any law of nature, nor controls worlds, suns and systems, but that he lives the highest that mortal man can live while dwelling in the meshes of clay-the magnetic currents of the elements of his environment.

To become a master is to know from whence we came and whither we are going. The way is an open one to him. He no longer wends his way in darkness, blinded by the theories and speculations of superficial thinkers and so-called leaders in advanced thought. He is not a reformer, but a builder and promoter of individuality. He is a free man because he does not interfere with the freedom of others. He aims to make all free from the dominating influences of others by emphasizing personality and a oneness with the universal life. Knowing that love is phenomena, he tempers his love with wisdom as he does his appetite for food. He knows that an overdose of love will harm him as would an overdose of food or stimulation. Knowing that love is phenomena, he radiates its harmonies to many lest he become selfish, narrow and circumscribed. To love is to give the best you have for the good of others and the Master lives the life which expresses the greater love that includes all.

The Master's knowledge is that of principles which have for a foundation the one law of the Universe, rather than of books and ancient records commingled with theories and philosophies given by word of mouth to the trusting initiate who may possess greater talent and wisdom as well as genius and executive ability. Books may contain helps, many no doubt give suggestions which make it easier for one to traverse the ground necessary to be covered before one awakens to the fact that the truth is in the thing spoken of or recorded in books.

This ideal master, is one who dwells consciously in the eternal now—lives for the day and the hour, but in such manner that all days and all hours are made the best that is possible for him. He lives in the realm of the soul which he has awakened to a state of consciousness which enables him to follow the force of living radiations to their points of interruption, where phenomena occur. And from phenomena he is able to follow the line back to the primal cause, thus knowing the truth that makes him free.

As said before, there are many ways which lead to the state of the Master, and one of the simple ways is to begin studying something that you really know is true. Take, for example, the mole on your face. If you can learn why it is there, or how it came to be there, you will find the secret to all knowledge. Take the case of an apple tree being transplanted, that is, of the original crabapple tree, which on being reset and cultivated produces a much larger and more luscious fruit. Learn the reason why the fruit becomes larger and you have the secret to the whole of creation. Every one knows that the fruit becomes larger by this process and by grafting there is still another increase in size. To know the law of this development is to know the law of the Universe-that which is at the foundation of all life-of all phenomena.

Take another case where a person gradually loses the sense of sight. Find the reason for this and you have the key to the forces of the universe, and by studying these forces the truth of all things will gradually dawn upon you.

Life is not a complex problem the varied in manifestation. The life of one thing typifies the life of all other things. There is a striking sameness in the very nature of creatures and things. Find the secret to this simple sameness and the world will open up her secrets and reveal the hidden wonders lightly veiled from the senses of man.

The Master is one who sees, knows and does. He fulfills the law, conscious of his relationship with the great Infinite Power which shapes the destiny of every living creature.

SPIRITUALLY.

Let those who seek this higher goal, Drink deep, or not at all, Lest they become entangled, And through the senses fall.

Remember, all must earn their way, All alone the journey take, And from the pure waters of life Their unquenched thirst must slake.

And as they seek in outer world, Where'er the mental part would lead, Experiences thus are gained, Most valuable indeed.

Another realm they'll surely find, In which all wisdom lies; Within their souls a mystic key Unlocks the starry skies.

The Infinite plan is there made plain, And in the silence of the night, Angels from that higher realm, Reveal the "Hidden Light."

The light that makes for man on Earth • A heaven where'er he dwells; Brings music of the vibrant spheres; The chimes of starry bells.

It gives to him who seeks aright, Inspiration and power divine; To understand all outward forms, And penetrate the inner shrine

Of embodied souls, and spirits gone, Of worlds and systems yet to be, Of all that is, or e'er has been, In the boundless cycle of Infinity.

L. of G.

This sacred light is a "Word" of might, And "Man" its counterpart on Earth, Must drink at its fountain, pure and bright, Before he wins the higher birth.

The hidden fire must consume the dross, The healing waters soothe the pain, And Mother Earth must claim her own, Ere we mount the airy heights again.

VEGETARIAN SUGGESTIONS.

The following appears on the back of one of the bills of fare found in a vegetarian restaurant in Chicago:

As many of our patrons doubtless wonder why we do not serve meat in our Pure Food Restaurant, we give below a number of reasons, exclusive of the fact that a large percentage of the meat sold in Chicago is diseased. To say nothing of tuberculosis in cattle, an average of one in every five hogs slaughtered is found to be infected with trichinæ; and while Ger-many prohibits the importation of such meat, we consume it at home here. Our attention was first called to this fact, that the diseased pork which can not be shipped abroad is sold in our butcher shops here, by learning of an United States Government inspector in the stock yards who will never eat bacon unless it is fried to a crisp, because he is afraid of contracting trichinosis.

As to whether an American can live well and be healthy in this climate on a vegetarian diet, Mr. E. H. Baker, the president of this company, has been a strict vegetarian for eight years past, eating no meat, fowl, fish, or shell-fish whatever. Previous to that time he was a hearty meat-eater. And while his health bears witness to the benefits to be derived from a nonmeat diet, his children (aged respectively four and seven), who have never eaten meat, show by their ruddy cheeks, their strength and freedom from colds and other diseases, as well as their hardy endurance of the cold of winter, the advantages of this diet.

One of the strongest arguments in favor of vegetarianism (and one that is a surprise to most people) is, that about three-quarters of the population of the globe are vegetarians now. The word "vegetarian" does not refer to vegetables, but is derived from the Latin "Vegetus Homo," meaning a strong, healthy man. TWENTY-ONE GOOD REASONS. The reasons for abstaining from the

use of flesh as food are many, very many. The list which follows does not begin to give all that are advanced by the various classes of vegetarians ethical, scientific, humanitarian, etc. but it is complete enough for this purpose:

1. It is shown from the testimony of vegetarians that they enjoy comparative immunity from disease. Many have lived to old age with scarcely a day's sickness, after adopting the vegetarian practice. After rigorous inquiry, not a single case is known of a vegetarian having been attacked with cholera, either in Europe or in America. It is a matter of common experience that the most flesh-eating nations are generally the most diseased.

most diseased. 2. The Spartans, who, "for muscular power, physical energy and ability to endure hardships, perhaps stand unequaled in the history of nations," were vegetarians, as well as the armies of Greece and Rome, in the time of their conquests, "the departure from their simple habits being soon followed by decline." "In the training for the public games in Greece, where muscular strength was exhibited in all its varied forms, vegetable food was adhered to; but when flesh-meat was adopted afterwards, those hitherto athletic men became sluggish and stupid." (See Vegetarian Messenger, Vol. 1, p. 25; also, preface to "Rollins' Ancient History.")

3. Many of those who have opened out to the world fresh tracts of thought, and traveled untrodden paths of knowledge, have, from their own private convictions, become either wholly, or for a time, vegetarians. Among others may be named Pythagoras, Plato, Plutarch, Diogenes, Zeno, St. Chrysostom, and it is believed St. James; the best of the Roman phil-

osophers, including most of the neoplatonists; Seneca (for some years); Porphyry (who wrote a treatise entitled "De Abstinentia"), John Wesley, Benjamin Franklin, Emanuel Swedenborg, John Howard, Sir Richard Phillips, Shelley, Wordsworth and Alphonse de Lamartine.

4. Those who live on vegetarian diet are, as a class, heavier, harder in muscle, capable of greater endurance. and of performing greater feats of strength, than those who live on a mixed diet; as proved by Professor Forbes from experiments on flesh-eating Englishmen, porridge-eating Scotchmen and potato-and-bread-eating Irishmen, the Scotchmen being superior in height, weight and strength to the Englishmen, and the Irishmen superior to both. (See Chamber's Information for the People, sheet on the Physical History of Man.) "The Laplanders, living on flesh, are a diminutive race, while the Finns, who inhabit the same climate, and live chiefly upon the products of the soil, are as fine a race as the Swedes or Norwegians. The difference," says Dr. Lambe, "must be attributed mainly or entirely to diet."

We should remember that meateaters, whose health has been ruined by meat-eating, but who have prolonged their life in comparative comfort by adopting and adhering to a vegetarian diet, are not fair samples of vegetarians. Their cadaverous appearance and cranky looks are the result of too much meat, not of cereals and fruits. Sir Edwin Arnold states that the finest body of men he ever saw together in his life was a regiment of native Sikhs in India, who had never tasted meat. It is also noteworthy that the big beef-eating Englishman when he goes to climb the icy Himalaya Mountains, gets a riceeating Hindu to carry him on his back.

5. Vegetarian diet gives a more youthful and beautiful appearance to the "human face divine." Adam Smith, in his "Wealth of Nations," states that the most beautiful women in the British dominions are from the lower ranks of the people of Ireland, who are generally fed with potatoes. Daniel and his companions, who ate pulse and drank water, were "fairer and fatter in flesh than all the children which did eat the portion of the king's meat." (Dan. 1, 15.)

6. Every human sense is shocked, and the best feelings of the best men and women outraged, by the quivering limbs, the horrid moans and the dying struggles of the poor animals as they receive from the "butcher" their wounds.

7. (a) Man sweats, as do herbivorous animals, but carnivorous animals do not sweat: (b) man masticates, as do the herbivora, but the varnivora do not masticate, and have no teeth suited for it; (c) man drinks, as do the herbivora, but the carnivora only lap; (d) man, as the herbivora, has abundant saliva, while the carnivora have little.

8. The matured convictions of the most eminent naturalists—Linnaeus, Daubenton, Gassendi, Sir Everard Home, Baron Cuvier, Ray the Botanist, Professor Lawrence, Lord Monboddo, Thomas Bell and others—are that the teeth, the stomach, the cellulated colon, and indeed the whole of the internal and external structure of man, clearly indicate his adaptation to a fruit, farinaceous and vegetable diet.

9. The testimony of the most eminent chemists—Liebig, Boussingault and others—proves that "vegetable albumen and animal albumen, and vegetable fibrine and animal fibrine. are identical, scarcely differing even in form."—Liebig's "Familiar Letters on Chemistry." Therefore, not the slightest advantage is obtained as regards the quality of the article by feeding on flesh.

10. Flesh contains only 36 per cent of solid nutriment, 64 parts being water, while many vegetable productions, such as grain and other farinaceous food, contain from 80 to 90 per cent of solid nutritious matter, including the flesh-forming principles, more heat-forming principle, more mineral matter for the bones, and the necessary portion of innutritious matter. Man is therefore a decided gainer from every point of view by obtaining his food directly from the vegetable kingdom.

11. The experiments of Dr. Beaumont on the body of Alexis St. Martin (who was accidentally wounded in the side by a gun-shot, in such a manner as to leave an opening to his stomach, and enable Dr. Beaumont to observe the operation of digestion), prove that when flesh is taken into the stomach it causes an excited and inflamed appearance of the coating of the stomach, somewhat similar to that produced by taking alcoholic drinks; so much so, that Dr. Beaumont calls flesh "heating and stimulating."

It is now a generally accepted theory among physicians that a large number of diseases, including gout, rheumatism, constipation, migraine, Bright's disease and the uric acid diathesis.

arise from eating meat, and before one can recover from those diseases it is necessary to stop eating meat.

12. Economy being one of the grand distinguishing features of Nature, and the productions of the vegetable kingdom four or five hundred per cent cheaper than the same amount of food derived from the flesh of animals, it is unnatural, as well as unphilosophical and unbusiness-like, to pay dearer for an inferior article.

13. A large proportion (some say nineteen out of every twenty) of the animals slaughtered for the public markets are disease, which is caused by putting the animals into an unnatural condition in order to fatten and otherwise prepare them for market.

14. While the Almighty has implanted in those animals which feed upon flesh, instincts which lead them to seek their food by night, man's natural instincts lead him to sleep by night, and to eat and work by day.

15. Those animals which, for power of endurance and rapidity of motion, are valued for our service, derive the whole of their strength and nutriment from the vegetable kingdom; such are the horse, the camel, the elephant, etc.

16. Those animals which live on flesh are vicious, savage and dangerous; while those that live on vegetable productions are mild, docile and tractable. Even animals naturally savage, by being fed on meal-porridge, bread, milk, etc., seem to lose their ferocity, as for instance, the dog and the domestic cat; while sheep and other gentle animals, have become savage and dangerous when fed on flesh.

17. Meat being a stimulant and poison, excites the passions and appetites, and thus affects the morals of mankind. It is claimed that out of millions of non-meat-eaters, not an instance can be produced of a vegetarian drunkard.

18. The flesh-eating habits of the so-called civilized world render necessary the setting apart of a whole class of men for the performance of the degrading and brutalizing office of slaughtering animals for food.

19. The physical condition of many flesh-eaters shows that the blood itself is loaded with impurities and in a state of decomposition, and persons whose blood is in this impure state are liable on very slight exposure, chill, etc., to be attacked with dangerous illness. That this condition is caused by flesh-eating is shown from the fact that it is quickly changed by the adoption of a vegetable diet.

20. The primitive injunction of the Almighty to man, when in a state of purity and holiness, was, "Behold, I have given you every herb bearing seed, which is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree, in which is the fruit of a tree yielding seed; to you it shall be for meat"; and neither Holy Scripture nor any other authority shows the mechanism or physical structure of the human body to be in any wise different now from what it was when the Creator pronounced it "good."

21. Vegetarianism is a protest against those evils which most beset wealthy nations—luxury, intemperance and vice; it entirely supersedes that sport with the miseries of innocent animals which makes us lower than barbarians; hereby also it inculcates sympathy and benevolence, encourages all movements which promote the well-being and elevation of the human family, and practically discourages war and slavery, cruelty and inhumanity, whatever shape they may take.

In China they are about one thousand years ahead of us in their methods of dealing with physicians. They pay a doctor to keep them in good health, and families give him a regular annual fee. The moment any member of the group becomes ill, however, the pay is at once stopped, and the money is withheld until the household is again free from illness. Contrary to the general opinion, the Chinese are a thoroughly healthy people. Many times consular reports to Washington of the plagues that occasionally sweep through the Orient contain surprised comment on the wonderful assistance that has been rendered by Chinese

doctors in stopping their spread. In all the mingling of knowledge, common sense, superstition, to be found in this interesting old character, the art of surgery is practically unknown, except the work of trephining and the kidney operation. Both of these, strange to say, being among our very latest new world achievements. The Chinese doctor will explain his scant knowledge of surgery to you in a very plausible manner. He says:

"You see, in our country we have no great machines, no electric cars to mangle people, no hydraulic cranes to crush them, no elevators, no steam hammers. Our people are mostly a pastoral race, and it is very seldom that any surgical operation beyond a crushed finger or foot is required."

VACCINATION A CURSE

And a Menace to Personal Liberty. This last book of Dr. Peebles', just from the press, not only bristles with facts and figures, with the horrors, deformities and startling deaths from vaccination from calf-lymph virus, but it abounds in that spicy pithiness and bold front to medical poisoning for which the Doctor is so noted. He came near losing his own life from vaccination in San Francisco. Cal., in 1860, since which time he has been gathering statistics showing the dangers and the deaths from vaccinating virus in this country, England, Australia and the far East.

Smallpox and how to treat it! childhood vaccination, blood-poisoning, eczema, and various zymotic diseases are all momentous questions, and few if any are more competent to deal with them than Dr. Peebles.

This exhaustive work of his against vaccination, of 328 pages, just printed on cream-colored paper, illustrated with childhood "deformities from vaccination," elegantly bound, treats in its various chapters of Jenner's inoculation system; of poisonous vaccine stock; of clearly-proven deaths from doctors' lancets dipped in calflymph virus; of the "optional clause" in England; of the battle and victory in San Diego, California, of anti-vaccinationists over the health and school boards; the decisions of courts against compulsory vaccination; the unconstitutionality of the compulsory law; the names of distinguished physicians in this and other countries who oppose vaccination; the 10,000 deaths in England alone caused by vaccination; the proofs that it does not prevent smallpox, but does cause skin diseases, ulcers, boils, tumors, carbuncles, consumption, leprosy, etc., etc. All these subjects and others allied thereto are treated, and the crime-the unparalleled crime of vaccinating children is fully and heroically exposed.

The following are brief selections from the book: "I must plead guilty to the charge," said J. W. Hodge, M. D., of Niagara Falls, N. Y. "Before discovering my mistake I had vaccinated more than 3,000 victims, ignorantly supposing the disease that I was propagating to be a preventative of smallpox. Having taken for granted what my medical teachers had asserted, I was a stanch believer in the alleged efficacy of vaccination as a prophylactic against smallpox. I remained in this blind and blissful state of ignorance for several years, and not until I acquired experience in the school of observation and reflection did I discover that my face was pinned to a shameful fraud." (Page 291.)

"Dr. J. A. Hensel, late surgeon of the German army, says: 'In June, 1888, I was on duty at Strasburg, and over 2,000 smallpox cases were in the pesthouse; every one successfully vaccinated but three months before, for the third time. I, myself, was laid up five weeks, although I had been vaccinated for the seventh time successfully. I am convinced that vaccination is no protection against smallpox."" (P. 320.)

"This vaccination law is so odious, so dangerous to health that it has never been enforced to any considerable extent in California. It never will be, as it is an unmitigated curse. The people are too progressive. Petitions are now being circulated for a legislative repeal. The English Parliament, be it said to the glory of old England, recently made vaccination 'optional' with the parents." (P. 154.) "In the English 'Digest of Parlia-

"In the English 'Digest of Parliamentary Returns,' No. 488, session of 1878, entitled 'Vaccination Mortality,' we find the startling statement that '25,000 children were annually slaughtered by disease, inoculated into the system by vaccination, and a far greater number are injured and maimed for life by the same unwholesome rite.'" (P. 139.)

"William Tebb, that distinguished Englishman, was prosecuted thirteen times in the London police court for refusing to allow his children vaccinated. These prosecutions so aroused his parental manliness that he fought the vaccination law, with others, till it was reduced to a mere matter of 'option' with the parents. * * * A census had been taken in about eighty towns, villages, and districts in England with a return of 2,138 cases of injury and 546 deaths from vaccination recorded up to the end of 1889. Among the papers brought before both houses of Parliament was one from that eminent medical authority, Dr. Schieferdecker, who in speaking of the dangers of vaccination, says: I. It directly endangers life. II. It nurses directly endangers life. and developes latent diseases. III. Children frequently do not thrive so well after as before vaccination. IV. It introduces new and serious disease into the system of vaccinated patients.

"Dr. Chas. Pigeon, of Forchambault, says: 'Of forty children there vaccinated, nine died within forty-eight hours. * * * On March 13, 1885, Dr. Andrieux, of Aspieres, vaccinated forty-two children. All were attacked with fever, and on the following day six were dead. Their bodies were covered with black patches."

The first man purchasing this new book was Mr. Steudor. Fort Wayne, Indiana, and this is what he writes under date of December 4: "I consider this volume the best, the most important book for humanity ever published. It should be in the hands of every board of health and every legislator in the country."

(Signed) J. M. STEUDOR.

GIRARD COLLEGE, PHILADEL-PHIA.

Referring to the famous old Girard College of Philadelphia and the fact that the founder, Stephen Girard, although a French Roman Catholic, so dreaded the influence of the priests that he excluded them and all other clergy from its privileges, a correspondent of a daily paper says:

"For almost three-fourths of a century Girard College has been doing its noble work, and thousands rise up to honor both it and its founder. It is one of the wealthiest educational in-stitutions in the world. It was founded after the death of Stephen Girard, with money left by him for the purpose, and has helped to fit hundreds of boys for good citizenship who might otherwise have sunk under the burden of poverty and orphanage. There is a rule forbidding any ordained minister of the gospel or missionary of any sect whatsoever being admitted within the gates of Girard College at any time or for any purpose or under any pretext. Should this rule ever be violated the penalty would be that the entire estate would revert to the French heirs. Mr. Girard in his will expressly disavows any intention to cast a slur on religion by this strange rul-ing, but makes it, he says, in order to prevent the possibility of any sect gaining control of the college. There are religious exercises in the chapel every day, conducted by one of the professors, and the highest moral training is inculcated among the students by both example and precept, but the choice of individual belief is left to their matured reason. Mr. Girard was by birth a Roman Catholic, and was buried by that church."

BREAKING UP THE NUNNERIES. Mexican Government Determined to to Enforce the Reform Laws.

City of Mexico, May 19.—The breaking up of the convent of the Carmelite nuns in this city is believed to be the beginning of a movement all over Mexico to drive out monks and nuns living in communities in disobedience of the reform laws. There is much agitation of the matter in religious circles, but the liberal party newspapers commend the firm action of the government, which, it is declared, will be kept up.

A PRAYING CONTEST.

An educated Chinaman, in the London Daily Mail, discussing Christian and Chinese superstitions in elucidation of his subject, made mention of the Chinese praying machines found in Thibet, of which Christians make mirth. We quote:

"Many years ago it was discovered if one wrote his prayer and placed it in a teacup, and gave it one turn, it was just as good as repeating the prayer orally. Ten turns were equal to ten prayers. This was also found true no matter to what extent the apparatus was increased in size, or the number of prayers added to it; so at the present time they put 1,000,000 prayers, written on thin paper, in a large vessel mounted on a pivot. On giving the vessel one turn it registers 1,000,000 prayers, each of which is just as effective as any other prayer."

tive as any other prayer." The Chinaman then challenged any Christian who doubted the efficacy of those machine prayers to join in a competitive contest.

Now that seems fair, and ought to settle the question. When and where shall the contest be held? and who shall be the judges?

TWIN SISTERS BEAR TRIPLETS. Six Children Born the Same Day by

the Mesdames Swanson. Huntington, W. Va., Oct. 18.—Tues-

day afternoon at 4 o'clock Mrs. Walter J. Swanson gave birth to triplets. An hour later Mrs. Howard E. Swanson similarly surpriser her husband.

The mothers are twin sisters and the fathers twin brothers. They were married at the same time less than a year ago.

Here is a demonstration of the definiteness in the eternal verities. People say there is no such thing as law and order in the manifestations of nature; that they can rule their stars and create conditions at will. Those who are able to control worlds might save a girl's wages by willing their cockroaches to do their cooking for them. But people of this stamp usually prefer something big to operate upon.

GEO-HELIO SUGGESTIONS.

TO STUDENTS OF ORMSBY'S NEW SYSTEM OF THE PLANETS AND THE ZODIAC.

Remember that a Geo-centric Square may be a Helio-centric Trine and vice-versa.

A Geo-centric Square may be stronger than a Helio-centric Trine and vice-versa.

The above can be determined only by the Helio-centric system.

A Geo-centric Conjunction may be made with one of the planets in any one of the seven Helio-centric aspects, thus showing the possible variation in the meaning of such Conjunction. As this is not shown by the Geo-centric system, it is the chief stumbling block of that system.

The Phases of the planets as shown in special lessons in Heliocentric study, reveal the volume of force of each planet in their various quarters, as well as the comparative powers in each sign. These are important points shown only by the Helio-centric law.

Without an understanding of both the Geo-centric and Helio-centric principles, only a partial analysis of a figure of birth is possible.

Remember that the nature of a planet, the phase of the planet and the nature of a sign are the three points which determine the result in any judgment. This applies to events as well as physiological conditions,

As a conjunction of planets in the mid-heaven may be divided Heliocentrically, it stands to reason that they mean much less than when they are also in Helio-centric conjunction. January 13th, 1858, 10 A. M., a child was born who has become one of the professors in a flourishing college. At noon of the same day an idiot was born who never became a conscious, intelligent being. Ye students will observe the difference in the relation to the vibrations of the several planets.

The planet Neptune being slow in movement has much to do with continuity and longevity when in favorable position and aspect, and when in unfavorable position or aspect the results are disastrous, for the long-period of a bad influence is worse than a short-period influence of similar nature.

Saturn and Neptune in combination is a strong influence for property-holdings, while Jupiter and Neptune gives greater prominence in the affairs of the world, especially the Government.

Neptune and the Moon being the two greatest extremes in the nature of vibratory influence, they denote those sudden and sharp turns in the tide of events which produce severe shoeks to the mind and heart.

Planets are often in opposition Geo-centrically when not in opposite degrees of the zodiac. Make a note of this. See our "Time Sign and Aspect Chart."

The moon produces very sudden and severe happenings when in aspect to Neptune, Uranus and Saturn because of the extreme difference in the orbital speed. The same applies to Mars and Mercury because of their elipticities, which are so very much more than that of the moon or earth. The former relate to lasting or prolonged afflictions, while the latter pertain more to accidents of common occurrence.

WHAT PEOPLE SAY

A Few Letters We Wish You to Read. Mr. Ormsby:

Dear Sir .- Please find enclosed \$1 and send me "Vibrations of Health," your new book. Am very much pleased with the course of lessons just com-, pleted. Hope to take more later on. Yours truly,

MRS. M. M.

Lowell, Mich., March 30, 1901. F. E. Ormsby, Chicago, Ill.:

Dear Sir.-In answer to your request for a letter at the close of the twelve lessons in Universal Law, I am pleased to say that I feel benefited by the Who would not? It makes course. me realize what stupendous affairs we are dealing with. It bewilders me like a look into the limitless expanse of blue and an attempt to count the gems with which it is set. When I think how long my mind has been dead to these grand truths, I realize what a waste of energy-what a misspent life -it has been, unguided, misdirected and profitless. But with the little knowledge I possess concerning planetary science I feel better, and it makes me long for more. My advance will be slow, however, for my long untrained mind cannot grasp quickly such immense problems as the science presents.

I enclose my answers to questions you sent. I have endeavored to answer them intelligently all but the third I cannot answer that satisfactorily to myself. Therefore I drew a line there and trust you will pardon me for the omission. I hope to remain

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Logan, Utah, April 2, 1901. Dear Mr. Ormsby

It is a pleasure for me to express my sentiments of the results attained at the conclusion of this course of twelve lessons in Universal Law. I am proud to be one of your students because I have received much benefit from the study. I feel a happier and better man as I now am able to look upon life as "The Law" teaches us. I hope to live in accordance with "The Law" so that I may look upon my life as one of success and not of failure, and to help others to enjoy like blessings.

I sincerely thank you for the pleasant experiences and wish you success in your great, noble labor.

Sincerely yours JOHN H. ROSENGREEN. Mr. Ormsby:

Dear Sir.-I am now in receipt of the last of the twelve lessons, for which accept my best thanks. It will take me a few years at least to properly digest your most valuable instructions and suggestions, but now I feel that I can progress much faster in the science of astrology; yet without those lessons I could not have gone much further. Still I think that a few more such courses would not only be needed, but would be a paying investment in every respect, and if there are any more courses to be given I want to be in it, although I am a poor man financially. I am also charmed with the new edition of the "Law and the Prophets." It's a gem, and the price a trifle considering the value received with my hearty well wishes I respectfully sign DTH. STEINER.

425 Dauphin St.

Mt. Washington, O., March 31, 1901. Prof. F. E. Ormsby:

Dear Sir.-Lesson No. 12 received and in due time I shall send few questions. You ask a letter from each student of this "Course of Lessons."

I believe I have in my possession books and periodicals which contain knowledge far in advance of my mental grasping, as yet-but I collect or purchase, as purse permits, that which I think will assist in education, along the line of various sciences, particularly the Universal Law.

Your course of lessons, just completed, have been a valuable help to me.

Many "suggestions" I clearly understand, some, only in part, and others are yet beyond my clear comprehension, but by studying and asking some questions in future I hope to reach a clear understanding of all that now seems mysterious.

I have not studied thoroughly The Law and Prophets (especially second part) owing to lack of time to concentrate my mind upon it. But I believe the time is near when I shall have less work, and I shall try to improve the opportunity.

Universal Law is a deep, serious, fascinating, ennobling, inspirational science. It educates, it broadens, it is charitable. It is knowledge which teaches charity toward others in its broadest sense, etc., etc., etc.,

Very truly,

ELIZABETH SUTTON.

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PLANETS AND PEOPLE.

F. E. Ormsby:

Dear Sir.—It is with pleasure I write to tell you that from my studies of your system for the past year I find it the best of all that has come to my notice in the past twenty years, and have been enabled to put some very remarkable things before the public during the past six months. Your "Planets and People" is the finest work that has ever been put in print. Your book "The Law of Prophets" is far ahead of anything yet seen by man.

You may use this in any way you see fit over my name, wishing you much success in the good work. Inclosed find \$2, which pays up for the book and my subscription for Planets and People for 1902. Send it when ready and give me a write-up for \$5, which I will send in a few days. I speculate some, and it may be useful to have as I know the markets with any one. Born January 11, 1846, 9:30 Yours very truly, Blenheim, Oct. 15, 1901. Professor Ormsby: The article that you name, "Prayer

The article that you name, "Prayer Illustrated," is fine, and its true, is fine, and its true. Kneeling in a room with my eyes closed soon makes me feel stupid and drowsy. I have stood in the orchard with my eyes closed, praying for everybody, and the very wind and trees, birds and insects-everything around me that was making a sound-would cease completely. At different times this came to me. The breathing exercises are a great benefit, and let me tell you we never grow tired of unleavened bread after your receipt. A person can study, think and write to far greater advantage with less food and of the variety that you mention.

Enclosed please find the sum of 50 cents, the amount sent for one copy of "Spiritual Law in the Natural World." Please send the book to this address.

NELLIE M. DUNN.

WM. ROBERTS.

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State briefly what you desire to have attention given to principally. We wish to give the very best we can in the way of knowledge and suggestion to those who seek for guidance in this great universal field of science.

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