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THE EDITOR'S OBSERVATORY.

The Astrological Congress.

The Astrological Congress will be held in London on Wednesday and Thursday, July 27th and 28th.

As it is impossible to state where it is to be held, or to settle all the details in time for this issue, I make the following preliminary announcements.

The Congress will open on each day at 2.30 p.m. Invitations will be sent out to Astrologers in this country, and they will be asked to prepare short papers to be read at the meetings, which will be open to astrological students and those interested in the science. Admission will be by ticket, and applications for such tickets must be made to me, on or before the 15th July. Matters affecting the advancement of the science will be discussed, and schemes for developing and extending the science throughout the country will be brought forward. An adjournment for Tea will be made at 5 p.m., and the meetings will be resumed at 6 p.m. and close at 10.

As I am writing this announcement, there comes to me from our colleagues in America, that the National Astrological Convention will take place at Hollywood, California, on July 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 1927.

If our friends on the Continent can hold a

Congress, and those in the States can hold a Convention, is England to be backward, and let the great opportunity slip? Uranus is now in Aries, and Jupiter is coming to the conjunction, with the Sun in Leo and Saturn in Sagittarius both in trine aspect.

The celestial clock is striking the hour for the rising of the star of Astrology. The time is ripe for reinstating Astrology in its original and rightful position as a branch of scientific knowledge. I not only appeal to my colleagues, I call upon them to come forward and put their shoulders to the wheel, and lend a hand to the gathering of the Ancient Clan in London, on July 27th and 28th.

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Astronomical Phenomena

JULY, 1927.

Moon's Phases.

First Quarter	-	7th	-	0h. 52m. morn
Full Moon	-	14th	-	7h. 22m. after
Last Quarter	-	21st	-	2h. 43m. after
New Moon	-	28th	-	5h. 36m. after

Planetary Positions.

- ☉ The SUN is in Cancer, enters Leo on 23rd at 9.17 p.m.
 ☿ MERCURY is in Leo, retrogrades into Cancer 14th.
 ♀ VENUS is in Leo, enters Virgo on 7th, ☿ ♀ on 2nd.
 ♂ MARS is in Leo, enters Virgo on 25th, ☿ ♀ on 18th.
 ♃ JUPITER is in Aries, ☿ ♀ on 15th.
 ♄ SATURN is in Sagittarius.
 ♅ URANUS is in Aries.
 ♆ NEPTUNE is in Leo.
 D The following table shows the Moon's *sign* position at noon on each day of the month:—

Aries - - - 20, 21	Libra - - - 6, 7
Taurus - - - 22, 23	Scorpio - 8, 9, 10
Gemini - - - 24, 25	Sagittarius - 11, 12
Cancer - - - 26, 27	Capricorn - 13, 14
Leo - 1, 2, 28, 29, 30	Aquarius - 15, 16, 17
Virgo - - 3, 4, 5, 31	Pisces - - 18, 19

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For Business and Pleasure, July, 1927.

DATE	MOON	ADVICE
1	6 ♉ 31	Travel early, make plans. Avoid worry.
2	18 50	An evil day. Avoid opposite sex. Guard against fraud.
3	1 ♋ 19	Sunday. Study, write letters, safeguard health.
4	13 34	A doubtful and uncertain day. Attend to ordinary duties.
5	25 37	A quiet day. Do nothing important.
6	7 ♋ 33	Variable influences prevail. Act carefully.
7	19 26	Travel, seek work, make changes.
8	1 ♎ 21	Pay calls a.m., avoid wrangling p.m.
9	13 22	Visit friends, seek work, ask favours till 6 p.m. Act carefully after that time.
10	25 34	Sunday. Avoid wrangling and disputes a.m. Study, write letters p.m.
11	8 ♏ 0	An uncertain day. Attend to ordinary duties.
12	20 44	Travel, push business, start new work.
13	3 ♐ 47	Act carefully a.m. Visit friends, but avoid disputes p.m.
14	17 10	An evil day. Do nothing important.
15	0 ♐ 51	Avoid wrangling a.m. Push business, ask favours, travel, change p.m.
16	14 49	An evil day. Act carefully and safeguard health.
17	28 59	Sunday. A day for quiet and rest. Avoid disputes.
18	13 ♑ 17	Avoid deception, and act discreetly in all things.
19	27 38	Push business, ask favours, seek work, write letters a.m., visit elders p.m.
20	11 ♒ 58	An uncertain day. Do nothing important.
21	26 13	Avoid wrangling a.m. Push business. Visit friends p.m.
22	10 ♓ 21	Pay calls p.m. Guard against disputes p.m.
23	24 21	Write letters a.m. Guard against accidents and disputes p.m.
24	8 ♐ 11	Sunday. A day for rest and contemplation. Pay no visits.
25	21 50	Uncertain a.m. Visit amusements evening.
26	5 ♑ 18	An evil day. Do nothing important.
27	18 34	Travel, change, visit associations. Write letters.
28	1 ♏ 37	Deal with elders. Attend Astrological meetings.
29	14 27	An uncertain day. Do nothing important.
30	27 3	Guard against deception. Safeguard health.
31	9 ♋ 25	Sunday. Safeguard health. Avoid accidents and disputes.

HOROSCOPE OF THE MONTH.

By E. H. BAILEY.

CHARLES AUGUSTIN SAINTE-BEUVE.

The subject of our study this month was born at Boulogne-sur-Mer on December 23rd, 1804, three months after the death of his father, a native of Picardy and a commissioner of Taxes. His maternal grandmother was English. The birth time is recorded as 11 a.m., and corrected by the Epochal rules 11h. 8m. 5s. a.m. (G.M.T

and died in Paris on October 13th, 1869. The directions for this latter event were:—

Sun conjunction ascendant R.

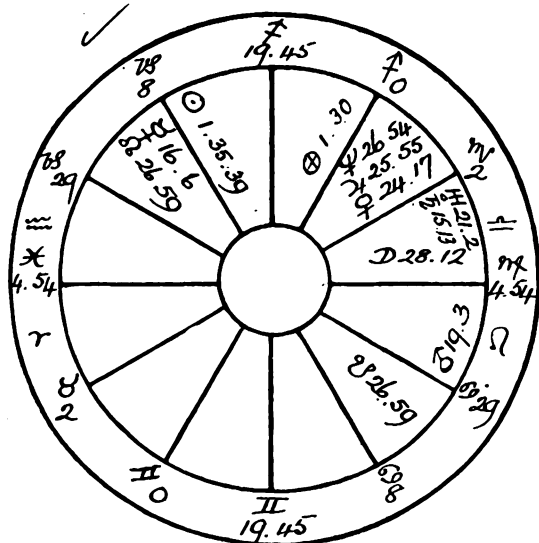
Moon conjunction Fortuna R.

Ascendant P. square Moon.

Sainte-Beuve was the greatest literary critic of his time and his criticism are of permanent value. Jupiter, his ruler in Scorpio, conjoined with Neptune, and in sextile to the Moon in Virgo, gave him his critical ability, while the square of Saturn to Mercury also accentuated this power to a degree of severity.

The prenatal Epoch took place on March 23rd, 1804, at 5.39. 24 p.m., Mercury being in Pisces conjoined with Mars and sextile with Venus. The Moon was opposed to Mars, and applying to the opposition of Mercury.

At the time of death, the Sun was directed to the square of the Moon, and Saturn also had progressed to the same aspect with the radical Moon.



11h. 1m. 17s. a.m.) for which time the horoscope is drawn.

The sign Pisces rises with Jupiter, ruler in Scorpio, conjoined with Venus and Neptune and sextile to the Moon. He first came into prominence as a writer of verse, in 1828, under the directions of the Sun to the sextiles of Venus, Jupiter and Neptune, trine Moon, and conjunction Dragon's Head.

He afterwards gave up verse for the work of historian and critic, and his most important work. "L'Histoire de Port-Royal," 5 Vols., 1840-1848, appeared under the directions of M.C. ♂ ♀ R, * ♀, ♄ ♀, ♃ ♄, and Sun trine Saturn.

He was a professor in the College de France, was made a Senator in 1865 (♄ ♂ ♄, ♀ ♂ ♄)

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THE KALEIDOSCOPE.

By SEPHARIAL.

LOOKING AHEAD.—A valued correspondent has communicated the following notes, which will be found of exceptional interest in the light of recent developments:—

"We must keep in mind the peculiar conditions of the next European war, which will be mainly aerial, submarine and chemical. Further, any civilised nation that goes to war in future must know that failure means annihilation and practical enslavement at the hands of the victors. The effect of the first blow delivered from modern apparatus would be prodigious, and the ease and speed with which this blow would be delivered will render the temptation of a sudden and unexpected attack almost too great to be resisted. Our enemies, the Reds, will throw the whole weight of their organisation on the side of an attack without previous declaration of war. Whether Germany would assent to such a proposal is doubtful, but in favour of it there are the following considerations: The main leaders of the Soviet are not Russian, but were born with German names, *e.g.*, Bronstein, Rosenfeldt, Apfelbaum, Sobelsohn, etc. The financial House that arranged the first loan to Lenin was German-American. The international financiers who control such a huge proportion of the wealth of the United States have German names and sympathies. The same people were responsible for the inflation of the German mark, which, while beggaring many of the officer class in Germany, enabled the financiers to buy up German industries at gravel price. They are now exploiting Russia as an outlet for German talent and industry. The Prussian officer class have been very hard hit, and would welcome an opportunity of getting some of their own back. A combination of International Finance and Junkerdom under a grateful reinstated Monarchy must seem very attractive to the financiers with the German names. (Hindenburg might be persuaded to change his mind in regard to the Tin Hat display, which recently had place in Berlin, and from which celebration he was an absentee.) Should war break out against such a combination, the former Entente Powers, terribly debilitated by post-war depression, could only survive if the British Empire threw the whole of its strength on their side (which shows the objective of the main Soviet attack on British prestige). Supposing, however, that the heart of the

Empire, already weakened by Asiatic troubles on a large scale (*e.g.*, China, India, Persia and other areas exploited by Russian intrigue), and by industrial strife and class bitterness at home, were to be attacked by air and chemicals, and its most unstable slum populations made suddenly to suffer modern warfare in its most awful and devastating form, then presumably the die would be cast before the Allies could mobilise." A consoling picture, surely, but one that is probably nearer the truth than most of us care to admit. John Bull is a great worker, but also a heavy sleeper, and it takes considerable time and energy to rouse him to a sense even of his own danger. I want to shake him, and tell him plainly that there are two great forces hammering at his gates—on the one hand a combination of International Financiers, who have practically the industrial savings of the entire world in the hollow of their hands, and a Chemical Combine, which has the power of blasting the world into a heap of rubble—and John has got to get a move on, and work swiftly and wisely to prevent these two forces from ever forming an unholy alliance. We invented chemicals for the expansion of our industries. The Devil has another use for them. It may be said, however, with perfect safety that wholesale decimation of the industrial populace would bring International Finance down with a crash, and for the rest, do we not all drink at the same fountain, and breathe the same air? Only God can change the wind.

GOLDEN WEDGE OF OPHIR.—One of the most interesting geographical discoveries of modern times is that effected by Commander Crauford, who gave the details of his discovery in a lecture at the Royal United Services Institution. For twenty years Commander Crauford had been in quest of the ancient site of Ophir, and by a process akin to "reconstructing the crime," he revived the conditions under which the fleet of Hiram, commissioned to the service of King Solomon, took sail from Ezion Geber to the land of Ophir, bringing back with other treasure of merchandise, four hundred and twenty talents of gold for the building and decoration of the Temple. "Hiram's fleet," we are told, "traded all the way from Ezion Geber down the Red Sea, across the ocean to Socotra Island, then on to Ceylon through the Persian Gulf and

down the East coast of Arabia." They made use of dhows and were served by the trade winds. Commander Crauford followed the same route in the same kind of craft and came at length to Ophir, with its ruined temples half way on the cruise. "Many a seaman and many a political officer has visited that ancient port, but they merely saw a litter of massive ruins. Digging is sometimes weary work, but you are richly repaid if you find a jewel like Ophir." Outside the natural harbour there is a coral reef, and it was this that, in the opinion of Commander Crauford, strangled the life out of Ophir, who envisages a wonderful development of the natural wealth of this ancient site and its great future in connection with our Palestinian interests.

It may be of interest to observe that Ophir is named after one of the thirteen sons of Joktan, who was one of the two sons of Eber, and brother of Peleg. Havilah is another of Joktan's sons who gave his name to a great gold-bearing country. The dwelling place of Joktan and his family was "from Mesha, as thou goest unto Sephar, a mount of the East."

Ezion Geber is at the north end of the Red Sea at the extremity of the fork on the East of the Peninsula of Sinai. Close to it is Eloth, a seaside place. Both places are mentioned in the Bible in connection with Ophir. Ezion Geber is in latitude $29\frac{1}{2}$ North and longitude 35 East. Sheba was another son of Joktan who gave his name to a country that is identified with a portion of the modern Yemen in Arabia, and the Queen of that country was contributory to the great wealth which King Solomon lavished upon the Temple in Jerusalem.

MUSSOLINI THE PROPHET.—On the occasion of the meeting of the Italian Chamber on Thursday, the 26th May last, Mussolini defined the objective of the Fascist regimen, the weeding, the preparation of the soil, the seed sowing and the harvest. He stated that 1,527 common criminals had been sent into confinement, 1,541 had been warned, 958 had been summoned before the judicial authorities, and 698 had been banished. The nature and magnitude of their several offences did not transpire. They were not "common criminals," since these are separately noted. It is to be inferred therefore, that they were persons whose views ran counter to the Fascist regime. Mussolini further stated that banished politicians were concentrated on two islands and that "no amnesty would be granted before 1932." Mussolini is a prophet. Why else should he have defined the year 1932 as that of political amnesty, when he has further

stated that the vital moment of political history would not be reached until between 1935 and 1940? He is careful to insist upon the statement that the Dictatorship is not a Reign of Terror but of strictness, a matter of social hygiene. Opposition parties in Italy were finished with; an Opposition was not necessary and was superfluous in a solid regime like the Fascist State. Observe the "Fascist State" as distinguished from the Italian Monarchy on the one hand and the Papal Authority on the other. At the end of five years of this Fascist regime Mussolini is able to show a "compact, solid and unshakable political body. Discipline was inflexible. The Fascist Party had improved its ranks in the Government of the country. No other Government had a vaster or deeper foundation than the Italian Government."

With so much by way of preface Mussolini has decided that he must himself carry out the task of governing. He feels that he has a precise duty to the revolution and to Italy. "Three great tasks must be accomplished—the perfecting of all the armed forces of the State, the economic and financial battle, and the Constitutional Reform." One sees the trend of his thought in placing the "armed forces of the country" as the foremost objective, so that an effective power will be at the back of the economic and financial battle, and eventually the cryptic "Constitutional Reform" which he is careful at this stage not to define. How completely the mind of Mussolini is possessed by the idea of an "invincible Italy" is shown in the concluding statement to the obedient Chamber:—

"The duty of Italy was to perfect all her armed forces on land and sea and in the air. They must be able at a moment's notice to mobilise 5,000,000 men and to arm them. They must reinforce their Navy, and their Air Forces must be so numerous, so powerful that the surface of their wings must obscure the Sun over their land. They would then be able, when between 1935 and 1940 they reached the vital moment of European history, to make their voice heard and to see their rights finally acknowledged. —Reuter."

If Signor Mussolini had said less than this I should have been surprised, but that he should define the political amnesty as happening only in 1932 is surely a sub-conscious prescience of the inevitable. When, however, he goes on to define the "vital moment of political history" as occurring between 1935 and 1940, he is positively reading the book of human destiny in advance of events. But that does not warrant the inference that Mussolini will then be directing the affairs

of State in Rome. He was born on the 29th July, 1883, and Virgo 3 was on the midheaven. The period of $45\frac{1}{2}$ years reaching to January, 1929, brings Libra $18\frac{1}{2}$ to the midheaven, when the 25th degree of the sign Sagittarius will be rising at Rome. Mars and Saturn will form their opposition on the horizon of the horoscope. This is a sequel to the eclipse of 4th June, 1928, whereat the Moon is in direct opposition to the place of Mars in Mussolini's horoscope. In 1931, Neptune will be stationary on his radical midheaven in Virgo 3, and in 1932, Uranus will be in opposition to the midheaven for that year, Aries 22. This is reflected in the state of the heavens at 49 days after the Duce's birth, when the Sun and Uranus are conjoined, and the Moon in opposition to them. Truly the "best laid plans of mice and men gang aft agley!" There will be an amnesty in regard to all political prisoners in 1932 without doubt. Circumstances are bound to arise very soon to moderate the superlative ambitions of Imperial Caesar, and the suggestion of the *Daily Mail* that Italy should be invited to relieve France of the mandate over Syria, is one that is fraught with more danger to the peace of the world than this usually well-informed newspaper has imagined. Needless to say Italy jumps to the suggestion. The *Impero* says: "We think England has given proof of the greatest sense of justice and historical realism by this proposal." The suggestion was a choice of Palestine or Mesopotamia. Is it for a moment to be doubted which territory the Italian choice would favour? Without identifying "England" with the policy of the *Daily Mail*, it would seem that neither need go out of their way to fulfil prophecy to the extent here suggested. More plainly speaks the *Messaggero*: "An Italian mandate over Palestine should be well accepted by Catholics, who should favour the extension of the influence of Rome, the seat of the Papacy over Palestine, the birthplace of Christianity." I fail to see the connection of Romanism with the birthplace of Christianity, or for that matter, with Christianity as taught by Christ in any connection whatever; but the ambitions of the Papacy are well enough defined by the *Messaggero* to leave us in no doubt as to the unthinkable iniquity of Israel handing over the custody of Jerusalem to the Romans. Did not Rome govern Judea for 666 years from 29 B.C. to 637 A.D. Was not the Messiah arraigned and executed under a Roman mandate, and when Jerusalem lay like a bleeding corpse under the sword of Titus, was not the ambition of Rome sated? "For where the carcass is there will the Eagles be gathered together." History moves in cycles.

THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.—My readers will be disturbed to know that the portents from the Queen's horoscope are not of the best. On the anniversary of the 26th May, 1927, Saturn is opposed to the Sun, which at the Queen's birth was in quadrature to the Moon. Consequently the transit of Saturn through the early degrees of Sagittarius will be in evil aspect to the luminaries for the greater part of the present year. Fortunately the position of the Sun is upheld by the good aspects of Jupiter and Uranus in conjunction during the present year. Her Majesty is supposed to have been born at midnight. In such case the transit of Saturn would be over the meridian of the horoscope, and would portend grave political troubles during the period of its transit, and a general state of political depression during the ensuing four years. A point to be observed in this connection is that the benefic planet Jupiter was in conjunction with the Moon at the birth, and in trine aspect to Uranus, the Moon holding the vital prerogative, whereas the Sun does not hold any such powers, being in the nadir. Therefore, presuming the time to be approximately correct, there is no fear of and personal danger to Her Majesty from this opposition transit of Saturn. Rather it would reflect upon the Sun, the regional ruler of the 7th house, where the planet Mars holds sway in quadrature to Saturn. Reference to these astral conditions will be called for during the ensuing year, and will doubtless be cited in evidence.

FURTHER PYRAMID MEASURES.—From the base of the Pyramid to the floor of the King's Chamber is 1701.87 inches. To this we add the height of the Chamber itself, which is 230.39 inches, and obtain the extreme height from base of structure to roof of the ultimate feature, the Chamber of the Presence. The sum is 1932.26. These are the years of upbuilding. Let us presume, as doubtless we are entitled to do, that the symbolism of the Pyramid is in terms of its modern revelation, and therefore, adapted to the peculiarities of our modern calendar. This being so, the epoch 1932.26 stands for a definite date. The question is what it stands for, and by what means it may be proved. Obviously the years completed at the rate of an inch per year are 1932. The fractional part represented by .26 is derived from its multiplication by 366, the days in the year denominated 1932, which is a leap year. This is a terminal date according to the symbolism employed. But we are told that "power was given to the beast to continue for 42 months," and this is equal to $3\frac{1}{2}$ years. Then from 1932.26 take 3.50 and

1928.76 is the remainder. Now .76 by 366 yields 277 days, which, counted from the beginning of 1928 brings us to the 3rd October, 1928, as the symbolic date of our entry upon the last low passage, or time of tribulation. How can we prove this? If it be correct, there must be a complete prophetic period involved in the measure, which leads up to it, and a complete prophetic period which defines it. Is this the case? I say that it is, and the computation is as follows:—

From the Great Step face to the date 10th November, 1921, as defined by the South face of the Granite Leaf (the Portcullis or Gateway) is 149 inches. To this date add a period of "seven times" or 2,520 days, and derive the date 3rd October, 1928. The prophetic significance of the Second or Last Low Passage is therefore related to the entry of our nation (Israel) into the "Tribulation of Jacob." The duration is already given as "a time times and a half time" by Daniel, and as "forty-two months" by St. John in the Apocalypse. This period is 1,260 days. It reaches to the 16th March, 1932. What are the astronomical portents attending these important epochs? Firstly, there is an eclipse of the Sun, visible over England, on the 29th June, 1927, which falls in the longitude 96° 29' (Cancer 6.29). This will have the transit of Mars, in October, 1928. It is the Ascendant for the year 1928 in the Royal Horoscope. Necessarily the exact dating of the Granite Leaf South face will depend entirely on the point of departure. This is given by Mr. Davidson as 2nd August, 1909, at the Great Step face. From that date to the end of 1909 there are 151 days, and in the years 1910 to 1920 inclusive there are 4,018 days, making a total of 4,169 days. Then to the 10th November, there are 314 days, making 4,483 days from 2nd August, 1909, to 10th November, 1921. The entire length of the passage from the Great Step face to the South face of the Granite Leaf should therefore be 149.43 inches. On p. 390 of "The Great Pyramid" it will be seen that Mr. Davidson gives this value as 149.44, which is exact to one-hundredth part of an inch, equal to a third of a day nearly in time. We may therefore accept these figures.

There is an ecliptic conjunction in the beginning of Capricorn on Christmas Eve of the present year. This falls on the midheaven of the Royal Horoscope and has the transit of Mars on the 8th October, 1928. The eclipse of Sun 19th May, 1928, will fall on the meridian of the great Financial Centres of New York and London, and will have the transit of Mars on the 6th August of that year. This is the primary

indication of the general chaos portended by the Last Low Passage. The eclipse of 4th June, which falls on the place of the Sun in the Royal Horoscope, has the transit of Mars at the end of August, and that of Saturn at the end of July. Consequently, from the beginning of June, 1928, there will be increasing public apprehension of an international crisis, depression will become intensified at the end of July—"men's hearts failing them for fear regarding those things that are coming upon the earth"—and by the 6th August, 1928, Great Britain at all events will know to what great task her incomparable destiny has committed her. Without doubt every effort will be made to negotiate the situation and to stabilise the fiscal position thence arising, but the early days of October will prove how imperious are the demands of Destiny, and how implacable the urge that moves to their realisation. In November, 1928, Mars will be stationary close to the place of the eclipse of the Sun, 29th June, 1927, and then turns retrograde and passes the line of the solar eclipse of December, 1927, and comes to the opposition of the midheaven in the Royal Horoscope, and then passes the opposition of the ascendant in the Great Mutation horoscope, and the place of the Moon in the horoscope for the conjunction of Saturn and Jupiter, 1921. Within a month Saturn forms its opposition with Mars on the horizon of the Great Mutation horoscope 1842. Undoubtedly, Empire Day, 1927, was a day pregnant with great issue. On that day we put Russia on the right side of the ditch and defined once for all our position in regard to atheistical Communism. A bold step, but one that had to be taken in the "scorn of consequence." In my belief our people came nearer to the Feet of God by that act than at any time since the Great War, and I do not doubt that it will be brought into remembrance as marking the beginning of the end for all that spells Sedition, Anarchy, Terrorism, Atheism, Negation. "If these deny Me even the stones will cry out." Verily the stones are crying aloud from the very foundations of the Great Pyramid.

Now in regard to the terminal date, we have some definite data to work upon. The first of these is the period of 1,260 days after the 3rd October, 1928, which we have seen to extend to the 16th March, 1932. The next is the explicit statement that "*Immediately after* the tribulation of those days, the Sun shall be darkened and the Moon shall cease to give her light, and the powers of the heavens shall be shaken." There are eclipses of the Sun on the 8th March and 31st August, and eclipses of the Moon on

the 22nd March and 15th September, in the year 1932, but whichever of these successive portents may be signalised, it is important to remember that "seven months," during which the dead of Hamon Gog are buried after the final conflict, must expire. The final conflict is called the Day of Renown and it is clear, I think, that the "House of Israel" will have to finish its task that the land may be cleansed from the unsavoury vestiges of those bodies which the fowls of the air and wild beasts have not consumed. The month will then be October, which is the memorable month of the Nativity.

If we take the actual distance traversed in the upward and onward progress from the Nativity date to the end of the Granite Leaf, we shall find that there are just $2,000\frac{1}{4}$. Thus the Grand Gallery is 1815.5 inches, the Great Step 36 inches, to 1st Low Passage 61 inches, extent of Passage 51.23 inches, to N. face of Leaf 20.27 inches, thickness of Leaf 16.25 inches, giving total of $2,000\frac{1}{4}$ inches. Thus in the course of 6,000 years from the Adamic Epoch—3,999, the Great Work will be finished.

BEGINNING AND END.—Few people are aware that the extreme points of the Christian Dispensation were prophetically defined by the Hebrew prophet, Daniel. He was but the mouthpiece of the Angel who inspired his mind with a knowledge of the measure of the times, and who in turn was the express Messenger of the Spirit of Truth. Thus Christ testified to Himself through the mouth of His holy prophet. "Wise men of old spake as they were moved by the Holy Spirit." The age of prophecy is over. Christ came to fulfil both the Law and the Prophets. To-day we can aspire only to be faithful interpreters of prophecy and of the signs of the times in which we live.

Daniel defined the beginning of the Ministry of Christ in these words: "Seventy weeks are determined (defined) upon thy people and upon thy Holy City." What are these seventy weeks? They are 70 by 7 days, which prophetically define 490 years. To what purpose were they determined or limited? the prophet says: "to finish the transgression and make an end of sins—to make reconciliation for iniquity and bring in everlasting righteousness—and to close the vision and prophecy and anoint the Most Holy." And these seventy "weeks" or 490 years were to be divided into three parts, "seven weeks" or 49 years, "threescore and two weeks" or 434 years, and "one week" or 7 years, and they were to be consecutive as a single period cut off (determined) or defined as having a set beginning

and a set end. The starting point was to be "the going forth of the commandment to restore Jerusalem." This was not effected in Daniel's time, but in "the 7th year of Artaxerxes," which is chronologically the year -453, or from that to 454. Now "seven weeks and threescore and two weeks" makes 69 weeks, or 483 year-days, and subtracting the seventh year of Artaxerxes from this we have the year $29\frac{1}{2}$ A.D. as that of the "reconciliation" in Christ. This began with the ending of the "69 weeks" or 483 years. There remains "one week" to complete the "seventy weeks." This week closes the vision and the prophecy. Later in the same prophetic book we have the period defined by another collateral measure. It is said that "From the time of the taking away of the daily sacrifice and the setting up of the abomination that maketh desolate, there shall be one thousand two hundred and ninety days." The taking away of the daily sacrifice was made permanently effectual by the construction of the Mosque of Omar, the Othoman, on the site of the Temple. This event had place in the year A.D. 637 $\frac{1}{2}$ and adding 1,290 years we arrive at the significant year 1928 A.D. But Daniel goes further and says: "Blessed is he that continueth and cometh to the one thousand three hundred and thirty-five days." These "days" are years, and these years are lunar years of 354 days each. They are equal in extent to 1294.7 solar years of 365 days each. Added to A.D. 637 $\frac{1}{2}$ we arrive at the year A.D. 1932 as that of the closing of the vision and the prophecy and the anointing of the Most Holy.

The question then arises as to what becomes of the "one week" over and above the 69 weeks required to complete the "seventy weeks" of the entire prophetic period? Various interpretations are before us. Perhaps the most general is that which regards the seven years as terminal, and divided into two parts, the first part being that of the "covenant formed with many," which is broken "in the midst of the week," i.e., after $3\frac{1}{2}$ years, and gives place to $3\frac{1}{2}$ years of persecution under the Tyrant. This closing week will therefore extend from 1925 to 1932 and will be divided into two parts, namely, under the Treaty for $3\frac{1}{2}$ years, and under the Tyranny for $3\frac{1}{2}$ years. Another interpretation refers the first half of the "week" to the Ministry of Christ and the last half to the persecution of the Jews in Palestine. But this falsifies the accredited date of the Nativity which is -3, the entire years of Christ on earth being 32 $\frac{1}{2}$ years. As the Nativity is placed in October -3, the Lord would be 30 in the Autumn of A.D. 27 and

32½ in the Spring of A.D. 30. This agrees with the fact that the year of the Crucifixion is fixed by *Friday*, being the 15th day of the seventh month in that year and not in any other. It was the Passover Feast and also "the eve of the Sabbath." This year was 30 A.D.

We may, therefore, look to the guarantee of the Balfour Concession holding good for 3½ years, i.e., from 1924 to 1928, and in October, 1928, we may expect the revelation to proceed by the breaking of the Treaty confirming the security of Jewish development in Palestine, and the consequent revelation of the Man of Sin, who, together with the False Prophet and the Sea Beast, is to meet destruction at Har-Megiddo 3½ years or "forty-two months" later, in 1932. What are the astral portents confirmatory of this interpretation? There was a conjunction of the two great planets, Jupiter and Saturn, on the 10th September, 1921, at 4.15 in the morning, G.M.T. The time at Jerusalem was then 6.36 a.m. The 28th degree of Gemini was then on the Midheaven and the Moon in the nadir in quadrate aspect to the conjoined planets which were then just rising. In 1929 Saturn will be in direct and retrograde transit over the place of the Moon and in opposition to the Midheaven, Mars being in transit in March of that year. But we can go further back to the conjunction of November 28th, 1901, when these planets were conjoined in Capricorn 13.59 and Mars setting on the horizon of Jerusalem at the time of their ecliptic conjunction, which fell in the western angle in opposition to the Moon rising in Cancer. Mars will transit the ascendant of the horoscope in December, 1928. The eclipse of June 29th, 1927, fell close to the ascendant of this horoscope and will have the same transit of Mars.

THE SIGNAL BOX.—There were some remarkable earthquakes recorded immediately after the quadrature of Mercury to Uranus and Jupiter, six shocks being registered in Ecuador and Peru. Venus is geodetic par. to Saturn on the 5th, was further indication of stress. The indications are bad for the Government of this country about the 9th and 18th; the Sun forming bad aspects at the end of June, and leading up to a critical issue on the latter date. This is a great earthquake date, and subversive forces will be in operation for a further nine days to the 26th, at least. Trade conditions will steadily improve. Destructive fires and damage to property by storms will occur in the last fortnight. The seaside exodus will be exceptional

and caterers will do well. Some Labour difficulties arise in connection with the engineering section. There will be a shortage in some essential supplies, and food stuffs will be dearer. On the 15th there is a conjunction of Uranus and Jupiter, followed on the 18th by one of Neptune and Mars, and on the 27th, a quadrature of Saturn and Mars. These indications are likely to affect Brazil, the Azores and the northern parts of Japan and New Guinea, while eastern Australia is not exempt from danger of physical disasters, due to these configurations. Following upon eclipses, planetary configurations have unusual significance, and for this reason notice is specially called to them at this period. Communism will now make a strong bid for recognition by Labour. It is up to British Industry to recognise the source of its increasing prosperity, and the fulness of its political liberty.

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THE RIDDLE OF THE AQUARIAN AGE.

THE EDITOR'S FINAL COMMENTS AND CRITICISM
OF MR. BENNET'S ARGUMENTS AND CONTENTIONS.

The supposition that the Equinox has already precessed into the sign Aquarius, and that the Aquarian Age has commenced, is one of those pseudo scientific bogeys, which from time to time are put forward. The end of the world has already been predicted to take place on several occasions, and what with various American stunts and alarmist predictions, it tends to make one disgusted with the base uses to which astrological science is put. This Aquarian Age stunt is a purely American supposition, based on wrong observation, inaccurate deduction and ignorance of astronomical factors. It is on a par with many other "stunts" and "cults" which are found in that country. Witness the one which has just been given me, *viz.*, that King David, who is to be the King of the new Dispensation, is already in Los Angeles, and my correspondent is in "active communication with him" (?)

That we are actually nearing the end of the present dispensation is not denied, for we are told in Holy Writ that "Many shall come in my name . . . working signs and wonders, deceiving, if it were possible, the very elect." Again we have it, "In the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits and doctrines of devils." "For the time will come when they will no more endure sound doctrine, but after their own lusts shall they heap up to themselves teachers having itching ears." We are also warned "that we be no more children, tossed to and fro and carried about by every wind of doctrine, by the sleight of man and cunning craftiness, whereby they lay wait to deceive." "And for this cause God shall send them a strong delusion, *whereby they shall believe a lie.*"

All this is evidenced in Astrology and the Occult more so than in anything else. We have too many latter-day revelators and would-be Messiahs; people who are trying to deceive the world and seduce them from the truth. I write these preliminary remarks as a fitting opening to my exposure of this erroneous, misleading and

absurd idea of the Aquarian Age being about to commence, and which according to some, has already commenced. My readers can take it from me, and I am not in the habit of making statements which I cannot prove (and in this matter I shall bring abundant and conclusive proof) that we are *not* in the Aquarian Age; that the equinox is still in the sign Pisces, as proved by all authentic star maps, and that the actual Age of Aquarius will not commence for more than another 500 years.

I am prepared to prove my assertions by Biblical prophecies, by Pyramid measurements, by Astronomical and Astrological factors, and by mathematical laws, and all the proofs I shall bring forward, each and every one conclusively define the actual commencement of the Aquarian Age as 2481 A.D., being exactly 6,480 years from the commencement of the present dispensation, which began with a full Moon at the Equinox of October 24th, -3999.

I shall also prove by means of Polar motion, and the Obliquity of the Ecliptic, that it is not possible for the Aquarian age to actually commence until the inclination of the earth's axis is much less than it is at present. Mr. Bennet does not appear to have taken this very important factor into consideration, and is apparently not aware that the inclination of the earth's axis decreases 3.36' in every Platonic year, and that 100 of these years are required for the complete revolution of the earth's axis. This factor cannot be ignored in dealing with this matter.

First of all I refer to the prophecy of Esdras, which has been quoted in these pages. "The world is divided into twelve parts, of which ten parts are gone already, and the half of a tenth part, and there remaineth that which is over, after the half of a tenth part. "The twelve parts are equal to 2,160 years each; a tenth part to 2,592 years and the half of a tenth part to 1,296 years. So we have the following simple calculation:—

2,160 years by 10	21.600 years
Half of a tenth part	1.296

22.896 years expired.

This taken from 25.920 gives 3.024 years to expire. Now it is well known that this prophecy was written in the year 543 B.C., so that the 3.024 years would expire in 2.481 A.D.

Confirmation of this is shown in the actual figures for the precession of the equinoxes, which I will give later. The coincidence of the equinox with the constellations was in 321 A.D., which will also be proved by the above figures.

With regard to the unexpired period of 3,024 years from the prophecy of Esdras, it is to be noted that it is 12 times 36 years multiplied by 7. The half of the tenth part 1,296 is equal to the number of conjunctions of Jupiter and Saturn in an entire age of 25,920 years; one in every 20 years. Further, it is known that the great cycle of 25,920 years is divided into 960 years twenty-seven times; this 960 being the number of years in which these conjunctions of Jupiter and Saturn take to go through the entire zodiac. Further, it may be pointed out that there are 27 asterisms in the zodiac, of 13.20 each, and the precession amounts to this arc in 960 years. Again each asterism is sub-divided into four parts of 3.20, which takes 240 years, for the precession of the equinoxes, so that each quarter or *padam* is equal to the passage of the conjunction of Jupiter and Saturn through one triplicity.

We have the following tabulation:—

3° 20' or 1 *padam* = 240 years = 24 ϕ η in one triplicity.

13° 20' or 4 *padams* or 1 asterism = 960 years = 24 ϕ η in entire zodiac.

90° 0' or 27 *padams* or 3 signs = 6,480 years = one dispensation.

360° 0' or 27 asterisms or 12 signs = 25,920 years = one platonic year.

Reference has already been made to the year 2001, which is stated to show the termination of the upward reach of the grand gallery in the pyramid. If the year 2481 is taken as the actual point of time of the precession of the equinox into Aquarius, this date 2001 is 480 years anterior, and represents two periods of 240 years and two *padams* or 6.40'. This will bring the equinox in the year 2001 as Pisces 6.40, actually at the commencement of the Leo *navamsa* of that sign. During the 240 years preceding 2001, the equinox has been passing through the Virgo *navamsa* of Pisces, coincident with the great industrial development and the emancipation of the working classes, ruled by Virgo. During the major part of these 240 years, the conjunctions of Jupiter and Saturn have been passing through the earthy triplicity, of which Virgo is one of the constituent signs.

Another aspect of the question is contained in the fact that following this assumption of the year 2481 as the end of the age, the Flood which took place in November, 2343, coincides with the transit of the Pleiades over the equinox.

I now refer to the last issue of the B.J.A., page 135-6. Remarkable confirmation of Pyramid displacement factor.

Here we have further evidence which leads directly to the year 2481. On page 136, column 2, appears the following: "From the Flood -2343 to Christ -3 is a period of 2,340 years. . . . From Christ to the year 2337 is a period of 2340. . . . The year A.D. 2337 is defined in the Pyramid as the topmost point in the south Wall of the King's Chamber. . . ." The year 2337 is exactly 144 years anterior to 2481, which is equivalent to two degrees of precession (72 years each degree). It is an accepted rule in mundane astrology (and equally so in Natal), that when a fixed star has reached 28 degrees of a sign, it is considered as having entered the next. Therefore, reversing the process we have the two degree limit reached in the year 2337 A.D. Again it is shown that by adding half the value of the Displacement factor to 2337, we come to the year 2480-1, which again nearly coincides with the other factors.

We can turn to some Biblical measurements for further confirmation. From the Flood, 2343 B.C. to the destruction of Jerusalem by fire A.D. 69 is 2412 years. This added to A.D. 69 gives 2481.

There are exactly 5,944 inches to the middle of the King's Chamber in the Pyramid. Subtracting 3999 from this gives 1945 as the beginning of the sub-cycle of 36 years, under the rule of Aquarius in the World Horoscope. There were 536 years from the Edict of Cyrus to the Messiah. 1945 plus 536 gives 2481.

From -3999 to 2481 A.D. is a period of 6,480 years, one quarter of the great year, and equal to 10 eclipse cycles, another point of importance in celestial measurements.

Reverting to Mr. Bennet's book, which I have read and re-read several times, in order to find a rational basis for his contentions and calculations, it is quite clear that his chief fault lies in the fact that he "assumes" too many things, and bases his contentions on factors which are imaginary and unproved. We cannot get away from the fact that the period of the Great year is 25,920 of our years, and this implies a precessional mean motion of 50" per annum. That this motion is not uniform has never been denied, and as the solar path is that of an ellipse, it is only natural that the annual motion will vary, in exactly the same way as the Sun's apparent daily motion varies from 61.11 to 57.12 according to the time of the year.

In the next issue I will show the present position of the equinox in the signs and constellations, and give the necessary calculations and maps.

NEW FACTORS IN DIRECTING.

By E. H. BAILEY.

THE PART OF FORTUNE.

(Continued from page 138.)

As mentioned in the last issue, it was Ptolemy who first introduced Fortuna as a "lunar horoscope or ascendant," and that it would be necessary to adopt Ptolemy's method of erecting horoscopes in order to explain his theory.

Now the horoscope of Lord Northcliffe (*vide* page 138, last issue) has M 27.32 rising, so that by Ptolemy's method of house division, Q 27.32 would be on the M.C., and Fortuna in Q 27.31.

By direction from this figure Fortuna was δ h at the time of death; apart from the direction of H δ \oplus R.

The Lunar horoscope would have Q 27.31 rising and the same degree, and minute of each sign on the cusps of the other house, γ 27.31 on the meridian. By direction the ascendant would be δ h , δ D , also H δ ascendant.

The conventional method of erecting the Lunar horoscope yields no such potent evidence as this.

As a further illustration take the horoscope of the late King Edward VII. Fortuna is in M 7.38. On the equal division Q 7.38 would be on the meridian. The mean arc for death is 67.31. The prog. M.C. of the Lunar figure would be 15.9 \approx , and the ascendant P. 15.9 *vs* exactly conjunction δ R.

These illustrations emphasize the fact that the equal division system yields important results.

FORTUNA AND THE DURNAL HOROSCOPE.

In the Durnal horoscope, which is a figure erected for every day at the birth time, the position of Fortuna should always be marked. As a Daily Guide more than for actual purposes of directing, it is of great value, and when taken in conjunction with directions acts as a time measure, and defines the action of major directions. In these figures Fortuna will make a complete revolution round the horoscope in a month.

FORTUNA AND THE LUNAR EQUIVALENT.

In the Lunar equivalent, or monthly horoscope, the same procedure should be adopted. As an illustration I refer to page 107 of the supposed birth on June 1st, 1927, at noon, at London, the procedure of which has been challenged by an able student of the science, but through a misunderstanding of the method. The lunar equivalent, as is well understood, is the erecting of monthly horoscope, on the same day of the

month as the birthday by adding successively 2h. 0m. 19.86s. to the R.A. of the horoscope and Progressed Horoscope, calculating the planets' places for each successive two hours, and making the entire horoscope revolve in a year.

The illustration on page 107 gave R.A.M.C. 4h. 35m. 54s., ascendant m 15.11, \odot m 10.0, D m 1.15, \oplus m 6.26. Now by adding the motion for two months successively to the R.A.M.C. we have the following tabulation:—

Time	Date	ascdt	\odot	D	\oplus
June 1. noon	1927 June 1	15 m 11	10 II 0	1 2 15	6 \pm 26
2. p.m.	July 1	6 \pm 24	10 4	2 23	28 43
4. p.m.	Aug 1	27 33	10 9	3. 32	20 m 56
6 p.m.	Sept 1	15 m 33	10 14	4 41	13 f 0
8 p.m.	Oct 1	10 f 20	10 19	5 49	5 m 50
10 p.m.	Nov 1	5 m 57	10 24	6 57	2 \pm 30
12 p.m.	Dec 1	15 \pm 30	10 28	8 5	13 h 7
June 2 2 a.m.	1928 Jan 1	22 T 26	10 33	9 13	21 8 6
4 a.m.	Feb 1	12 II 13	10 38	10 21	11 2 56
6 a.m.	Mar 1	11 2 4	10 43	11 29	11 9 50
8 a.m.	Apr 1	3 9 40	10 48	12 36	5 m 28
10 a.m.	May 1	24 49	10 52	13 43	27 40
Noon	June 1	15 m 52	10 57	14 50	19 \pm 45

This agrees with the further statement on page 107, that at the age of one year, the progressed \oplus will be in \approx 19.45.

What does not appear to be understood is that the progression of Fortuna from \approx 6.26 to 19.45 is a separate and distinct progression from the table given above which is the progression in the lunar equivalent.

To put the whole question into a nutshell, there are four separate progressions to take into account. In the horoscope, the major progression of Fortuna at the same rate as the ascendant, and the minor progression based on the combined motion of the Sun, Moon (secondary) and ascendant, as shown in pars 6 and 7 on page 107, which is a well known and proved method of directing, and which does not actually originate with myself.

In the lunar equivalent, which is a secondary progression of the horoscope, Fortuna progresses as shown in the above Table. In the

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THE INFLUENCE OF NEPTUNE.

By E. H. BAILEY.

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Tenth house.—The influence of Neptune in the tenth house is a unique one, and much can be written on this particular position. It generally points to some parental troubles, or to some mystery connected with birth and parentage. Several notable examples could be given. One particular case comes to memory which I had occasion to deal with a few years ago. A lady required a horoscope to be calculated, the time of birth of which was doubtful, though approximately known. My calculations produced a map in which Neptune, Mercury and the Moon were all conjoined on the meridian in trine to Jupiter in Leo in the second. The lady demurred as to the time, suggesting that it was later. My answer was that my time could be proved by the statement, that if correct, there was a mystery connected with the man's birth and parentage. It proved correct, for the man was the claimant to an Earldom, and was about to bring his claim into court. He did so and lost, owing to the fact that at the time the Sun was directed to the square of Jupiter in his second house. The fact that he had this remarkable conjunction of planets in the meridian in trine to Neptune was in my opinion a strong indication that there might have been some proof of his claim, but he contested the matter when under adverse influences, and in consequence lost his case.

This position of Neptune often brings an opportunist; a man who attains notoriety by covert means. A well-known politician and ex-minister has this position, and the secret of his parentage, although denied by some, is well known to myself, as I possess a written statement on the subject, from a personal friend of his mother.

The position of Neptune conjoined with Mars in the tenth house is well known in the horoscope of the ex-Kaiser of Germany. It is also interesting to note that Napoleon Bonaparte had the same position in Virgo in the tenth house.

The position is a sure sign of scandal, and often moral ruin, when Neptune is badly afflicted. In any case it is not a good influence, and even when well aspected, the element of doubt and uncertainty exists.

Eleventh house.—Neptune in the eleventh brings peculiar and sometimes romantic experiences through friends and acquaintances. It denotes spiritual friendships and the acquaintance of highly developed people, but on the other hand it is a sure indication of treachery, deceit and duplicity through friends, and also denotes a very heartsearching experience at some time of the life through friends and acquaintances.

Twelfth house.—Neptune in the twelfth house is an evil influence and one which brings serious moral as well as physical dangers. Secret enemies of a very treacherous nature are shown; people who would not scruple to do the lowest action in order to obtain a revenge. It often shows seclusion and confinement. It is connected with hospitals and institutions and frequently people with this position have work to do with such places, or may even be confined therein. In one particular case I have, with Mars conjoined with Neptune in Aries in the twelfth, the person, although having the Moon in trine with Mercury, was subject to periodic attacks of mania, and had to be placed in an asylum.

All the information I have given in connection with the influence of this planet is the result of personal investigation, and obtained from horoscopes which have come under my notice.

I shall now publish verbatim, in the coming issues of the JOURNAL, the actual Lectures delivered by me during the last few years.

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NEW FACTORS IN DIRECTING.

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diurnal horoscope, the actual position of Fortuna, at the time of birth, every day of the life.

With these explanations I will leave the subject of Fortuna, and in the August and September issue, will deal with the directions of the Moon's nodes, on which some unpublished information will be given.

NEXT MONTH.

Horoscope of George Sand, French Novelist.

The Influence of Neptune.

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The Moon's Nodes in Directions.

ASTROLOGY AND HEALTH.

By E. H. BAILEY.

EXTRACTS FROM A LECTURE ON THE CHEMISTRY OF THE TWELVE SIGNS.

What is Health? The late Dr. Simmonite, in his "Herbal Guide to Health," defines Health in these words: "Health is that state of the human body, whether its growth be complete or not, in which the structure of the parts is sound, and their functions properly performed; rendering the individual fit for the duties and enjoyments of life. When a body has received a sound constitution from nature, its health is to be preserved by a proper regulation of the various circumstances, internal and external on which animal life depends. These are principally food and drink, the excretions and discharges, air and exercise, sleeping and walking, and the management of the passions of the mind."

The same writer, in the same book, speaking of disease, uses these words: "Disease is that condition of the body in which its vitality is either so diminished or impaired, that some, at least, of the animal and the vital functions are imperfectly performed. But in affirming that vitality is diminished or impaired, it must not be supposed that any change takes place in the principle of vitality: on the contrary, this continues the same, although the organs in a diseased state of body, are less sustained by its influence. As the system, therefore, cannot in this condition, resist the influence of common matter acting by its own laws, the power which holds the different parts of the body together, gives way, and at length the whole becomes a victim of the ordinary laws of the affinity of its compounds, or in familiar language, death ensues."

To sum it up in a few words, health is that condition of the body, when it is in a state of ease. Disease implies a lack of ease or a state of bodily pain and discomfort.

Let us analyse the word "dis-ease." There are many others of a similar nature. You hear it said, so and so has consumption or cancer, or some other complaint, as though they actually had something additional, which ought not to be there. That, however, is just where the fundamental mistake is made. Dis-ease, Dis-order, Dis-trust, Dis-harmony. What do we mean by these words.

Dis-order does not mean something more than order, but something less, a lack of order. Dis-trust implies a lack of trust. Dis-harmony cannot mean something more than harmony, but the actual lacking of it. Hence it is so with Dis-ease. It does not mean that a person has something additional, which he ought not to have, but that it is, what the word actually means, *viz.*, a lack of ease. There is something lacking in the system, which has caused certain organs to become affected. If an organ becomes diseased, it is not that there is something extra there, but that it is lacking in the proper chemical constituent, which is its particular nutriment. Each organ of the body requires its own proper food. We take food to keep the body as a whole, alive, but do we each take the proper food, which certain particular organs of the body require. We do not all suffer from the same complaints: we are not all of the same temperament and bodily constitution; therefore we do not all require the same kind of food. We can tell from our horoscopes which organ of the body is the weakest, or liable to affection, and we can, therefore, take into our systems the particular food, which contains the necessary chemical constituent belonging to the particular organ.

The symptoms or sensations of disease are the results of lacking material; a deficiency in the dynamic molecules that carry on the orderly procedure of life. A shadow cannot be removed by chemicals, neither can a disease be removed by poisons. There is nothing to be removed in either case. If light is supplied to the space covered by the shadow, then it will disappear. The diseases will also disappear when the proper food necessary for the organ affected is supplied. The human body is a receptacle for a storage battery, and will always run aright, when the chemicals are present in proper quantity and combination, as surely as a motor car will run when charged and supplied with the necessary ingredients, to vibrate or cause motion.

These necessary chemicals are found in food, and are thus carried to the blood, where they carry on the process of life, and by the law of chemical affinity, keep the human form, bodily functions, and vital forces in proper condition. When a deficiency occurs in any of these actions, through a non-assimilation of food, poor action of the liver or digestive process, then dematerialisation of the body commences. So disease is actually a deficiency in some of the chemical constituents that carry on the regular procedure of life.

(To be continued.)

Weather Forecasts.

JULY, 1927.

1st. Much cloud over U.K., except in E. and N.E. England, rain will fall over most of England, Wales and Ireland before the close. 2nd. S.W. or W., rising temperatures, rain will fall in Ireland, N. England, Scotland and parts of W. England, sunshine small generally, except Kent and Essex. 3rd. W. in S. to S. in N., showery in many districts, thunderstorms in some, rainy Ireland, Wales, S.W. England, little sunshine over Scotland, 80° F. in S.E. England. 4th. Westerly moderate or fresh, backing in W. Ireland later, fair or fine as a rule, slight rain general, rain later in W., several hours sunshine S. Britain. 5th. Large depression skirting our W. coasts, S'ly in W. and N., S.W. in S., fine and sunny in S., more cloud further N., rain in W. of Britain and Ireland, also W. Scotland, temperatures highest in S.E. and E. England. 6th. Similar to yesterday, warmer. 7th. S.W. winds, less settled in W. and N., heavy rainfall in parts of Ireland, terrific thunderstorms in Midlands, also Yorkshire, much sunshine over Wales and S.W. England. 8th. S. and S.W. winds, fresh W. and N. coasts, changeable, showers, thunderstorms in places, considerable sunshine in S.E., little elsewhere. 9th. Fresh to strong S.W. over England, veering to W. in Ireland, S.E. over Scotland, rain will fall over nearly all U.K., thunderstorms over N. Ireland, N. England and N. Wales, also over S. Lincolnshire, temperatures below normal generally. 10th. Showers many districts, a thunderstorm probable over N. England, cloudy Ireland, little sunshine Central U.K. 11th. S.W. in S. of U.K. to S.E. in N., sunshine small except in S.W., rain will fall in most districts, England later. 12th. About same as yesterday, with thunderstorms over N. England and W. Scotland. 13th. Changeable and unsettled, still thundery especially over Yorkshire. 14th. Winds veering to W. or N.W. over most of U.K., showers will be general in W., heavy in Cornwall and Devon, thunder heard over Southern England, fog about Shetlands. 15th. N.W. or N. winds, except S.E. areas, temperatures low for season, rain general, heavy in places, thunderstorms in E. and S.E. England, sunshine small. 16th. Northerly winds over most of U.K., strong on N.E. and N.W. coasts, rain in nearly all districts, temperatures 60° to 65° in S. and S.W. 17th. Light N. or N.E., fine and sunny over Scotland, cold in many parts of England during morning, cold

for season. 18th. Slight rain in S. early, thunder heard, to finer further N. and W., light N. to E., a good deal of cloud over E. and Midlands. 19th. Fair or fine generally, sunshine very variable. 20th. Continuing fine, except in S. and S.E., barometer falling generally. 21st. Light W. or S.W. in S., more Southerly further W. and N., little sunshine in N. and E. England, rain E. and S.E. England, rain later over Ireland. 22nd. W. to S. winds, high temperatures about S. and S.E. England, showers in W. and N. of U.K., little sunshine in S.W., become cloudy or dull later. 23rd. Considerable gradient in N., most sunshine on E. coasts, showers in many parts and very threatening in S.W. later. 24th. S. or S.W. winds over U.K., summerlike in E., S.E. and S. England, more cloud further W. and N. and showers in many places, temperatures very high in S.E. England, raining over Ireland. 25th. Strong breeze from Southerly N. Scotland, some rain parts of Ireland and Scotland, to finer over S. England, foggy about Holyhead. 26th. High temperatures over Southern England, terrific thunderstorms will break out over Northern England, accompanied by hail in places, extending perhaps to Midlands, floods in many parts, long sunshine records in S., raining in Ireland, finer Scotland. 27th. Further thundery showers in parts of England, cloudy or dull generally, thunderstorms about Channel at night, hot over S.E. England. 28th. Brilliantly fine, 12 to 13 hours in many places, perhaps fog N.E. coast of England, thunderstorms may break out about E. England, with hail and much damage, probably hot and above 80° F. over most of England. 29th. Easterly over most of U.K., brilliantly fine, except on N.E. coast of England, heat wave will be increasing in intensity, above 80° F. nearly all England. 30th. N. to E. winds, fog in N.E. England and parts of Scotland, rest of U.K. brilliantly fine and hot, heat wave continuing. 31st. Still fine and brilliant but probably rather cooler.

A great cyclone in Canada about Saskatchewan on the 14th.

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BIRTHDAY INFLUENCES.

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30. Business gains, danger of deception, and indisposition. A child born will be clever, but impressionable, and have many obstacles to meet.

31. Danger of indisposition or bereavement, accidents or disputes, and much worry and deception. A child born will be rash, hasty, impetuous; will have many difficulties to meet and be unfortunate in life.

Birthday Influences during July.

1. Business gains, changes, recognition, financial gains, journeys. A very successful year. A child born will be clever, reliable, generous, original and inventive, and will rise in life.

2. Deception, indisposition, intrigue, danger of disputes and accidents. A child born will be rash, hasty, deceptive, unreliable and often involved in trouble.

3. Social and business gains, danger of disputes and indisposition. A child born will be clever and affectionate, but hasty and rash, and have many trials in life.

4. Success in employ, many worries. A child born will be popular and kind, and be successful in employ.

5. Financial worries and difficulties. A child born will be extravagant and unreliable, and not very successful in life.

6. Business gains, recognition, danger of losses, reverses and annoyances. A child born will be clever, industrious and reliable, but extravagant, and will meet with many ups and downs in life.

7. Activity, changes, new work, danger of indisposition. A child born will be energetic and impressionable but proud, and meet with many difficulties.

8. Social gains, pleasure, danger of scandal and annoyances. A child born will be affectionate, but erratic and untruthful.

9. Social gains, success in employ, danger of indisposition, grief, and difficulties. A child born will be affectionate and popular, but will have many serious difficulties to face.

10. Business gains, danger of disputes, accidents, deception and indisposition. A child born will be clever, industrious, but rash, hasty, unreliable, and unfortunate.

11. Financial gains, changes, journeys, danger of grief and ill-health. A child born will be generous, original and inventive, but careless and subject to many difficulties in life.

12. Success in employ, new work and opportunities. A child born will be enterprising and active, and have a successful career.

13. Social gains, financial losses and reverses, danger of disputes. A child born will be affectionate, but extravagant and erratic, hasty and unreliable.

14. Difficulties in employ, disappointments. A child born will be proud and haughty, and unsuccessful in a career.

15. Recognition, financial gains, journeys and changes, important developments in life, danger of scandal and annoyances. A child born will be steady, generous and original, but very erratic and changeable in thought.

16. Indisposition or bereavement. A child born will be erratic and have many obstacles to contend against.

17. Business gains, danger of disputes, accidents, treachery, indisposition and many trials. A child born will be clever, but hasty, revengeful and impetuous, and meet with many serious troubles in life.

18. Disappointments, danger of disputes and accidents, much annoyance. A child born will be hasty and dictatorial, careless and apt to take a very high-handed attitude in life.

19. Business gains, success in employ, social benefits, recognition, financial success but danger of reverses. A child born will be clever, artistic, steady, generous, but erratic, and have a successful life.

20. Financial gains, but much worry and annoyance. A child born will be generous but erratic and hasty, and have many difficulties to encounter.

21. Activity, changes, social gains, danger of scandal, trouble in employ and worry. A child born will be enterprising, affectionate and impressionable, but proud, untruthful and unreliable.

22. Social gains, danger of disputes. A child born will be affectionate but rash and impetuous.

23. Business gains, success in employ, danger of deception, accident or dispute, and indisposition. A child born will be clever, and popular, but rash, deceptive and unreliable, and have many difficulties to deal with.

24. Financial gains, changes and journeys, danger of disappointments and indisposition. A child born will be original, inventive, generous, but careless and untidy.

25. Popularity and recognition. A child born will be fond of responsibility, and will obtain to a good position in life.

26. Activity, changes, danger of reverses and financial losses. A child born will be enterprising, but erratic and extravagant.

27. Social gains, financial benefits, changes, journeys, danger of disputes, accidents, business changes. A child born will be clever, generous, popular, affectionate; will meet with remarkable success but be in danger of accidents.

28. Recognition, financial gains, changes, new work, and considerable success. A child born will be reliable, steady, original, inventive, generous and successful in life.

29. Reverses, annoyances, danger of indisposition. A child born will be erratic, extravagant and unreliable, and have many difficulties to overcome.

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