

FORECAST FOR THE YEAR 1916

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With the coming of the new year it is pleasant to forget all the horrors of 1915, but we who study the stars foresee that 1916 will transcend in startling events, upheavals of nature and waste of human life any twelve months in previous history.

There is menace for the life of President Poincaré in March and April and again in July and August. Russia has little hope of encouragement in the message of the planets. January and February should expose a chain of conspiracy extending back to June, 1915.

Earthquakes may be more numerous and more widely experienced than in previous years. The middle west and Central America may be disturbed by shocks January 26th, 30th and 31st; Canada and the central of the Atlantic states, April 17th to 24th, which time will also be dangerous for the West Indies and the Panama Canal.

Equinox are not altogether encouraging for theatrical affairs, although they indicate a period of change which will be most beneficial for the future. During the next few months motion pictures will continue under a most fortunate direction of the planets.

Many obstacles in 1916, as conditions affecting the campaign for political equality are adverse. A sensational setback or active treachery on the part of politicians probably will cause a scandal which will produce a libel case against a prominent writer or scientist.

The new year may add a long record of deaths among artists, musicians, actors and writers who have attained high place. The close of brilliant careers will mark the beginning of new schools in all lines of artistic endeavor.

The assassination of a public man is foreshadowed. He will lose his life because of some financial or political affiliation, it is foretold. With all the dangers and troubles presaged by the planets, there is the augury of many wonderful achievements in the next twelve months.

A War Of Cycles. This is a cyclic war. The sub-cycle of Mars, the warrior, began with the equinox of 1909, in the cycle of Jupiter, the builder of fame.

The Element Of Surprise. Although the United States begins the new year more blessed than any country in the world, the stars forewarn the people that they should prepare for a year of startling events.

War probably will continue until 1918, although March, 1916, may bring strong hopes of peace. As the sub-cycle of Mars continues until 1944, this will not be the last conflict of the nations of the world.

Great naval activity is predicted for the autumn. A stormy national election is prophesied. Bitter personalities, unexpected political complications and a party split of far-reaching effect are foretold.

Industrial Unrest And Casualties. In connection with the labor trouble, strikes and riots, many catastrophes are indicated. Railroad accidents and explosions are probable in the middle West.

Critical Period For The President. July probably will bring the President many anxieties, especially in regard to naval affairs, and May is also a time for more or less worry.

Duty Not Yet Plain. We have been wondering if the people of the towns and villages and rural communities, especially in our own Province of Ontario, are facing this issue as seriously as they ought.

Germany comes under a threatening way of the planets in January and March. The death of a high official, possibly a member of the royal family, is foreshadowed.

Those who speculate are warned of extraordinary fluctuations in the stock market. These will be followed by scandals caused by failures and embezzlements.

France may suffer reverses in March and April, followed by heavy losses in July and August. President Poincaré should safeguard his life.

Woman suffrage comes under adverse influences. A scandal, caused by the treachery of a political leader, is indicated. A libel case in which an author or scientist is implicated is the probability.

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England has rather a dubious augury, including sudden reverses for January, danger from air raids the first week in February and catastrophes on the sea. While the navy may gain in June, losses are likely in the middle of the month.

Farmers will reap large returns from crops, but unsatisfactory conditions may cause losses. Cold and dark weather is indicated; storms of unusual violence may cause heavy losses of livestock.

Owners and manager of theatres are forewarned of a fire or catastrophe, possibly between May 1st and May 9th. This is likely to be some where in the West or South.

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