

THE SKETCH

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THE ELUSIVE RITES OF ELEUSIS: THE RITE OF SATURN.



1. THE NEW GLOBE WITH A LIGHT IN LAMBDA.
2. THE HOUSE OF HEAVEN STARS AN ILLUSTRATION OF THE VEILS AND RITE OF THE PASTOR.
3. THE HOUSE OF THE DANCE, STARS OF THE EXISTENTIAL RITE, AND THE NEW GLOBE WITH "THE RITE OF PASTOR."
4. AFTER AN EARLY DISCOVERY THE TWO FEMININE FIGURES, THE MAJESTIC RITE OF THE HOUSE OF PASTOR'S "SOLUBLE SOCIETY," THE HOUSE OF "GLOBE OF PASTOR."
5. ILLUSTRATION OF THE HOUSE WITH THE HOUSE OF PASTOR'S "THE CITY OF STARS" WITH THE MAJESTIC RITE OF THE HOUSE OF THE HOUSE OF PASTOR WITH THE HOUSE OF PASTOR'S "THE HOUSE OF PASTOR WITH THE HOUSE OF PASTOR'S HOUSE OF PASTOR."

There began last week, in the Caxton Hall, a series of celebrations of the Rites of Eleusis. Then was given the Rite of Saturn; to follow are the Rites of Jupiter, Mars, Sol, Venus, Mercury, and Luna. So far as the first celebration was concerned, the hall was so dark that one may well call the Rites of Eleusis elusive. The Rite of Saturn is the first of the seven Rites of Eleusis, which are described as illustrating humanity, its fate, good and evil. In the first rite, Man, unable to solve the riddle of existence, takes counsel of Saturn, extreme old age. Such answer as he can get is the one word "Despair." In his "Eleu-

sis," Mr. Aleister Crowley writes; "When I have seen God face to face and read within those eternal eyes the secret that shall make you free. Then will I choose you and test you and instruct you in the Mysteries of Eleusis, O ye brave hearts, and cool eyes, and trembling lips: I will put a live coal upon your lips, and flowers upon your eyes, and a sword in your hearts, and ye also shall see God face to face."