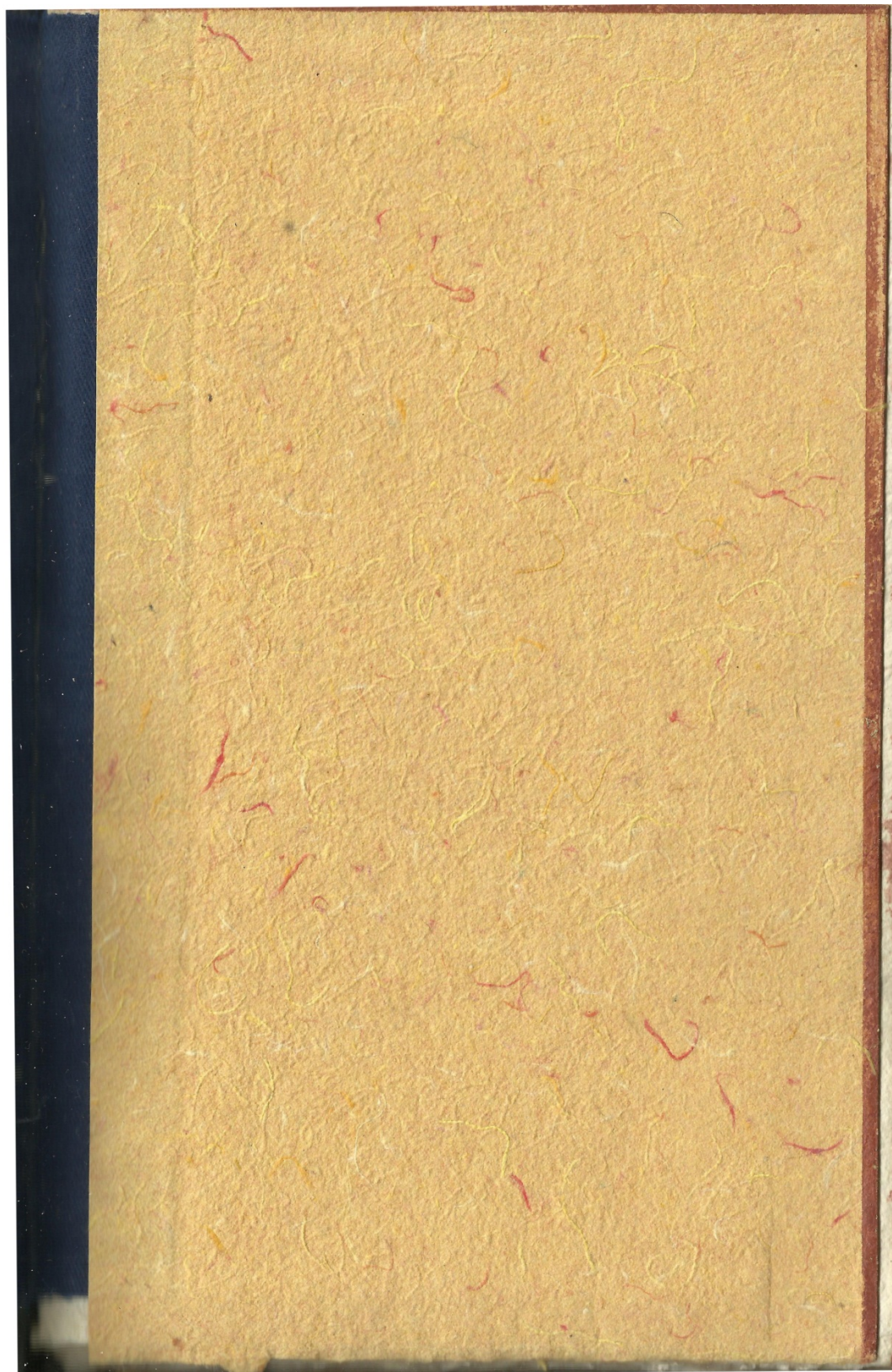
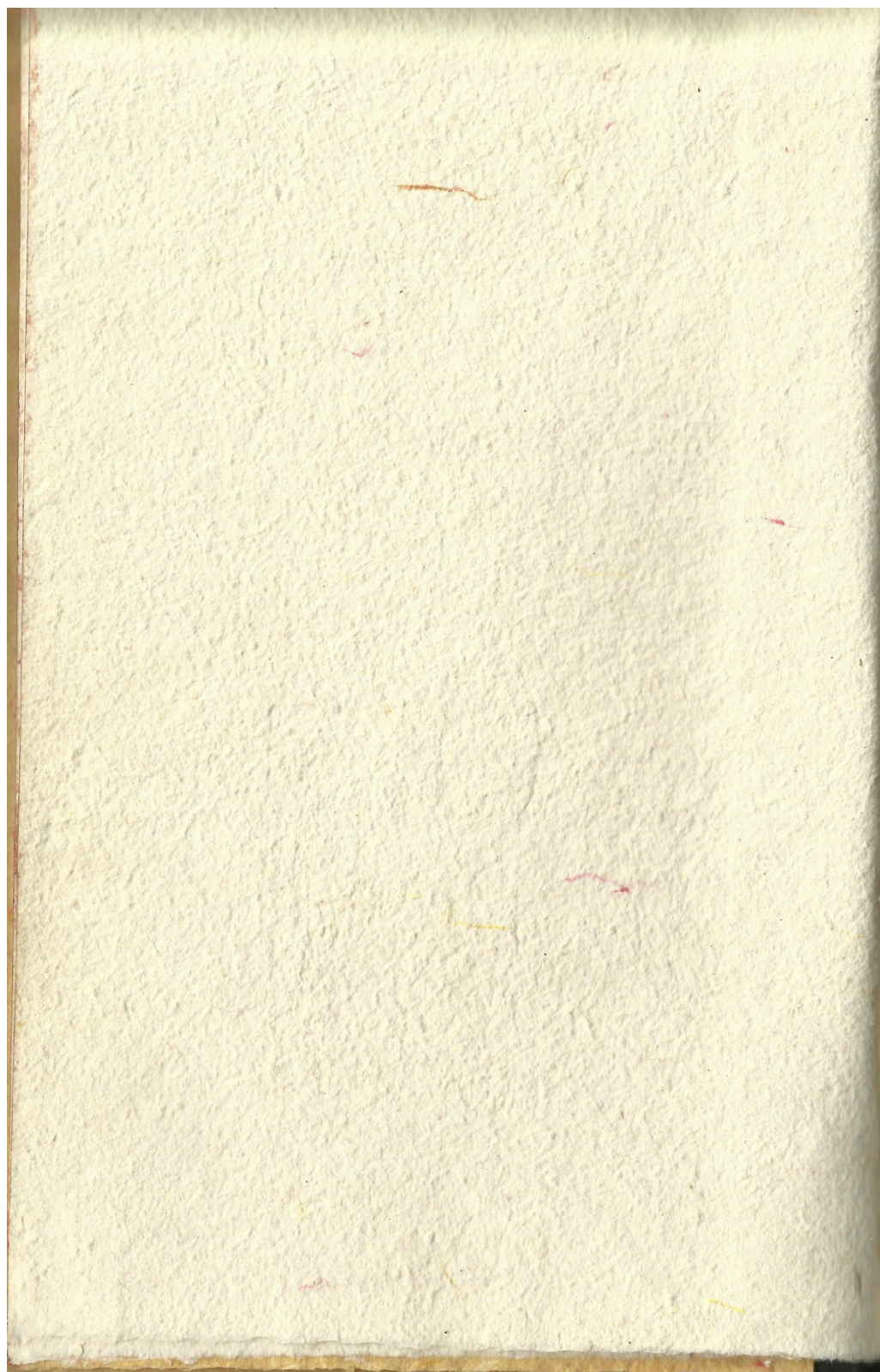


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The Cosmos is vast, even to infinite, and full of many astonishing Events. Is this Immensity directed by God, Who understands the infinite Consequences of every Event, and in fact perceives Himself as the Whole, and is conscious — or are we a part of Chaos and Confusion, whose only Law is the Average of Randomness?

It is not by Accident that this Question illustrates the first and the second of the Mysteries of Nature; in fact, it is universal and inevitable. God is alive, and We manifest as a Principle of Order, whereby he who seeks after Light may obtain a Vision of Clarity and comprehend the infinite Wisdom.

The Mysteries of Nature are infinite, but they may be arranged in an Order

which itself illustrates the universal Pattern of Order, which facilitates their Comprehension.



To begin with, the ultimate Mystery of the Point of Origin is alone and ineffable.

From there, the unfolding of the manifold Mysteries may be separated into two Categories for maximum Illumination. Taking the Numbers of Mathematics as the least limited abstract Universe, we will say that the "even numbered Mysteries" form one Category, all of whose Mysteries are analogous to each other in the way that they are all opposite to the "odd numbered Mysteries."

Each even numbered Mystery repeats a manifest Expansion on a successively larger

Scale, while each odd numbered Mystery repeats that eternal Moment of infinite Nonbeing which we call the Philosophers' Stone.

Now, if the Illumination of each Mystery is not yet clear, at least it becomes possible to make a List of what the Principle Mysteries must be, by means of the Forms they must take. For Example, there will be one pre-eminent Mystery, the First Arcanum, about which Nothing more can be said. The Second Arcanum, as the first Presentation of the manifest Expansion, is the most important and fundamental Mystery of practical Application. The Third Arcanum, as the Confluence of the first two, illustrates the first complete Illumination of the Pattern of Order.

From here, the established Pattern is

expounded by ever expanding Microcosms,
punctuated by ever more astonishing Per-
spectives illuminating the infinite Wisdom.

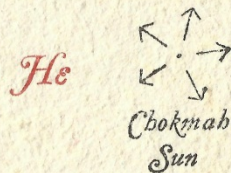
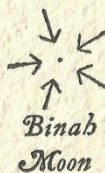


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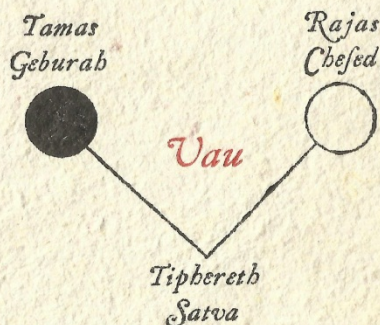
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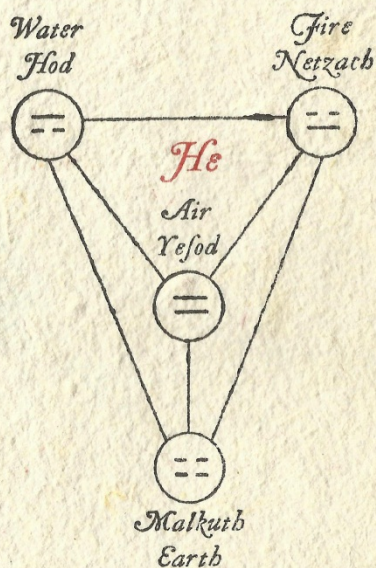
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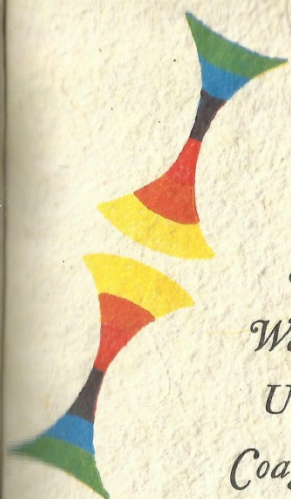
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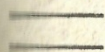
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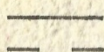
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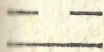
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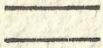
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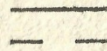
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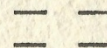
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Chen

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Arousing

Mars

Iron

TO EXPAND

COAGULA

Gold

Sun

Creative

Heaven

Ch'ien



TO RECEIVE

Copper

Venus

Gentle

Wind, Wood

Sun

K'an

Water

Abyssal

Moon

Silver

PEACE

Ken

Mountain

Keeping Still

Saturn

Lead

TO CONTRACT



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Earth

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