

Members' Articles

SCIENCE

The Sovereignty of Science - R.A. McConnell

(6 pp., from Journal of Scientific Exploration, Vol. 14, No. 1, pp. 115-120, 2000).

Explores why people accept the 'pronouncements of science' on parapsychology instead of personal mastery of its evidential structure.

***Inherent Duality of the Natural Process** - Judah Tzoref

(10 pp., from Fronter Sciences Bulletin).

Proposes a new interpretation for the unresolved features of natural indeterminism. It is suggested that the natural process is a combination of the following two fundamental states: kinematic and free. The kinematic state binds the natural process to causal evolution according to the laws of motion, whereas the free state induces a non-causal motion oriented to produce an effect.

***Vacuum Kinematics** - Judah Tzoref (14 pp.)

Argues that the apparent inability of current physics to establish a quantitative grand unified theory may reflect an inherent feature of reality. The paper suggests that reality may manifest qualitative unified features which do not necessarily lead to a unified quantitative model whereby all natural phenomena are reducible to a basic mathematical set. It further proposes that fundamental particles and interactions are manifestations of vacuum geometry and kinematics.

MEDICINE/HEALTH

Changes in Heart Transplant Recipients that Parallel the Personalities of their Donors - Paul

Pearsall, Gary E.R. Schwartz, Linda G.S. Russek

(29 pp., from Integrative Medicine)

Reviews a number of fascinating case histories and finds between two and five parallels per case between changes following cardiac surgery and the histories of the donors. Proposes a cellular memory hypothesis to explain the data.

Emotional Healing - Andrew Tresidder (6 pp.)

A few extracts based on Andrew's recent book *The Lazy Person's Guide to Emotional Healing - Using Flower Essences Successfully*.

PHILOSOPHY/RELIGION

***Immortality** - Larry Dossey (29 pp. from Alternative Therapies, pp. 12-17, 108-115)

A major review article - compulsory reading for those interested in this issue.

***The Principles of Love and Wisdom in Emanuel Swedenborg and Beinsa Douno**, - David Lorimer (5 pp).

Presidential address at the Swedenborg Society outlining parallels and differences in the understanding of love and wisdom in Swedenborg and Beinsa Douno. *Mind Consciousness and Independent Thinking - Margot Kirtikar (7 pp.) Gives the author's view of our current situation: An Age of Independent Thinking; An Information Age; An Age of Communication and An Age of Consciousness Awareness. Suggests that the individual who is quick to learn, quick to adapt, intuitive and creative is in now in great demand. Contains valuable insights into the workings of the mind.

To Science, One Door Will Always be Closed - (William Rees-Mogg 1p. from The Times)
Marshals evidence for the existence of God and suggests that science will never be able to explain religious experience away.

***Good and Evil: A Principle of Polarity** - Paul von Ward (3 pp.)

A short reflection on good and evil in relation to balance, harmony and equilibrium, with special reference to reducing social violence.

See also www.vonward.com

PSYCHOLOGY

Complementarity is a Useful Concept for Consciousness Studies - A Reminder - Harald Walach and Hartman Römer (12 pp., from Endocrinology Letters 2000, 21:221-232)
Argues that complementarity is a useful concept for studies involving the interface of conscious phenomena and physical reality. Applies it in the history of psychology and to the mind-brain problem and suggests that it may be a key concept to understanding EPR-like correlated systems.

***Death, Transition and the Spirit Realms** - Roger Woolger (9 pp.)

Draws on Roger's clinical experience of past life therapy as well as reading. Shows how healing can enable people to move to another level.

GENERAL

The Transmodern Hypothesis: Towards a Dialogue of Cultures - Marc Luyckx (12 pp., from Futures 31, 1999, 971-982).

Proposes that we are in transition to a transmodern way of thinking that combines intuition and spirituality with rational brainwork; and that 21st century conflicts will likely be not between religions and cultures but within them, between premodern, modern and transmodern world views.

The Paragonian Institute - Draft Proposal and Introduction - Paul Hague (33 pp.)

Outlines the purpose and vision of this new proposed institute based on helping to awaken the unconditioned intelligence of those who are passionately seeking Wholeness, Truth, Love, Peace and Freedom.

Omniology - Paul Hague (14 pp.)

Outlines Paul's approach and book - 'to turn science inwards so that we can discover what is causing us to behave in the way we do today'. The essence of the radical transformation is the postulate that Consciousness rather than the physical universe is fundamental.

Introduction to the Timewave Series - Chris Turner (12 pp.)

Proposes a synthesis of astrology, psychology and physics.

Aphorisms on Science, Religion and Magic - Lionel Snell (3 pp.)

Some stimulating reflections from an experienced writer: 'observe the chaos of the normal and you begin to see its patterns'.

Preparing the World Consciousness and Expanding Our Horizons into the Universe -

Baroness Edmee di Pauli (8 pp.)

A talk to the Association of Spiritual Academies International.