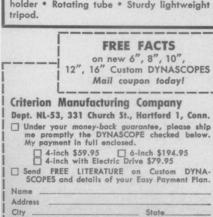


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THE DISTURBED CHILD: Recognition and Psychoeducational Therapy in the Classroom—Pearl H. Berkowitz and Esther P. Rothman—N. Y. Univ. Press, 204 p., \$4. Concise study of early diagnosis and treatment of the emotionally unstable child.

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THE FUTURE OF SCIENCE, with a "Self-Portrait" of the Author—Bertrand Russell— Portrait" of the Author—Bertrand Russell— Philosophical Lib., 86 p., \$2.75. Reprint of 1924 essay, and transcript of a recent BBC interview.

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THE NTH COUNTRY PROBLEM AND ARMS CON-TROL: A Statement by the NPA Special Project Committee on Security through Arms Control and A Technical Report—W. Davidon, M. Kalkstein and C. Hohenemser—Nat. Planning Assn., 60 p., paper, \$1. See story p. 131.

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Progress in Inorganic Chemistry, Vol. I-Albert Cotton, Ed.—Interscience, 566 p., illus., \$14.50. Articles on leading research in the field.

THE RADIO AMATEUR'S HANDBOOK—Staff of American Radio Relay League—Am. Radio, 37th ed., 584 p., index, \$6; paper, \$3.50. Standard manual of amateur radio communication.

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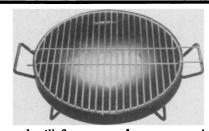
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#### Celestial Time Table for March

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2	7:32 p.m.	Algol (variable star in Perseus) at minimum brightness
5	6:06 a.m.	Moon in first quarter
-	9:00 p.m.	Moon farthest, distance 251,-
		300 miles
10	4:00 p.m.	Mercury in same direction as
		sun
13	3:26 a.m.	Full moon, total lunar eclipse
17	3:38 a.m.	
19	2:00 a.m.	
		miles
20	12:27 a.m.	Algol at minimum
	1:41 a.m.	Moon in last quarter
	6:00 a.m.	Moon passes Jupiter
	9:43 a.m.	Sun over equator; spring com-
		mences in Northern Hemis-
		phere
2 I	9:00 <b>a.m</b> .	Moon passes Saturn
22	9:17 p.m.	Algol at minimum
23	11:00 p.m.	Moon passes Mars
25	7:00 a.m.	Moon passes Venus
	6:06 p.m.	Algol at minimum
27	2:38 a.m.	New moon, partial solar

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