

# HALLEY'S COMET, 1910: Fire in the Sky

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*The celestial visitor ought to terrify no one in the civilized part of the world. Anyone, however, who knows the persistence of superstitious ignorance knows that millions will be frightened, as all will be amazed; that religious revivals will flourish, that men will go insane, that the best of us will read not without apprehension of the fearsome cyanogen tail through which we are to pass.*

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