

made after January 1912 – when he was in Paris already – because a letter exists from the Civil Registry in Amersfoort, dated January 30 1912, in which Mondrian receives the time of his birth, which is needed to make an exact birth horoscope.

Which prognoses were in the trial horoscope, which may explain his rather sudden move to Paris?

The years corresponding with certain prognoses were written in the margin by Adriaan afterwards. Marked by '1911' it reads: 'You are now more susceptible and more impressionable than usual, sensitive to the dispositions of your surroundings.' Then, struck out: 'During the last months you have tied new knots and you will do this during the next four months.' This deletion may indicate that at the time Mondrian received this horoscope, this transit had already passed. Or that he did this after he was firmly settled in Paris.

Left from the section on 1912 Mondrian wrote 'Jan.[uary]' over the date '1912' written by Adriaan in the margin. Then Adriaan wrote 1912 left from it again. It looks as if the two men had been discussing the horoscope together and that at that moment the dates were written in the margin. The astrological aspect in question was the influence of Uranus, because Adrian hinted at 'sudden and temporary changes'. His explanation reads: 'The time is favorable for applying some new idea to practice, your sphere of influence is growing just as your frame of mind.'

The year 1913 would bring Mondrian new ties, '... yes, it can even be the case that you decide to marry.' The aspect concerned was the Moon (feelings) moving through the seventh house of partnerships from the end of 1912 and at the same time Mars conjunct Venus.

This prediction was contrary to Mondrian's current opinion about relationships; he had broken off his engagement to Greta Heijbroek not long before. Or did he break off the engagement, because of the hidden promises in his horoscope? However, nothing is known about a love relationship in 1913, let alone a plan to marry.

Well, astrological prognoses are interpretations of energy constellations, and these interpretations contain advices as to how you could and should go with the flow of aspects and transits, because these belong to your unique 'learning curve' in life. Opposing them will only cause needless