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Atmosphere on Mars! The immense markings on Mars were once thought to be ditches or canals. That theory had to be abandoned, as the canals moved sideways. Then it was conjectured that the markings were patches of vegetation. But vegetation would mean that there was water present. It has been ascertained by studying the light spectrum of Mars that very little water is in its atmosphere. It is believed that Mars can have only about five per cent. of the water that the earth has, and the spectroscope does reveal a very small amount.
