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The Invention of Light

Ghost Town. Edison pulls the reins. Dog named Darkness comes to the window,

the door, now pulled flat by gravity. What does Gravity have to do with night?

Edison remembers. In a dark storeroom, he held his own hands and counted light particles. Seamed between night and sleep, the open ceiling. Damp light bulb. Housing source and gas.

Electricity. The wonder of night. In a wooden bed, placed right near the window, the nightjar opens its jaws. There is no paper yet. There is no radio. Just silence seamed between sun and dark.

This Confidential file contains what Secretary Ogalt hopes to provide to all Americans:

a penny, for conduction of electricity

your own personal ghost ~ please fill in year of origin below

freedom from haunting & assurance of [haunting]

a lantern to see in the gathering darkness ~ our new Light Bulb

Please respond, with assurance of secrets kept, signed and dated below:

*I, _____, promise to keep electricity secret until such time as all of
America will know light.*






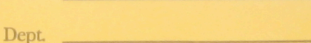
My ghost and companion was born in the year _____.

Signature _____

Date _____



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