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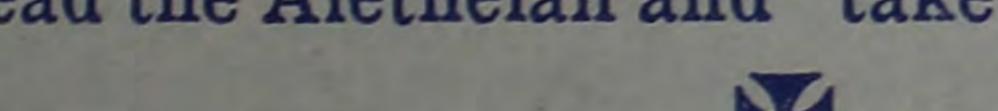
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Peace!

Nevermore sound ye the call, "to arms!"
Stop, ye bullet—stay, thrust of knife,
Bootless your clamor and vain your strife:
Voice of despot, and priest and king,
Urging to battle no more shall ring.
Loud o'er the dirge of the wailing world
Brotherhood's mightier voice is hurled;
Bow, bow, ye despots, all,
False in power, at last ye fall!

Rise, rise, ye Sons of the Soil, Crushed in your last undoing, March, march, ye Noble in Toil, The olive branch bestrewing!

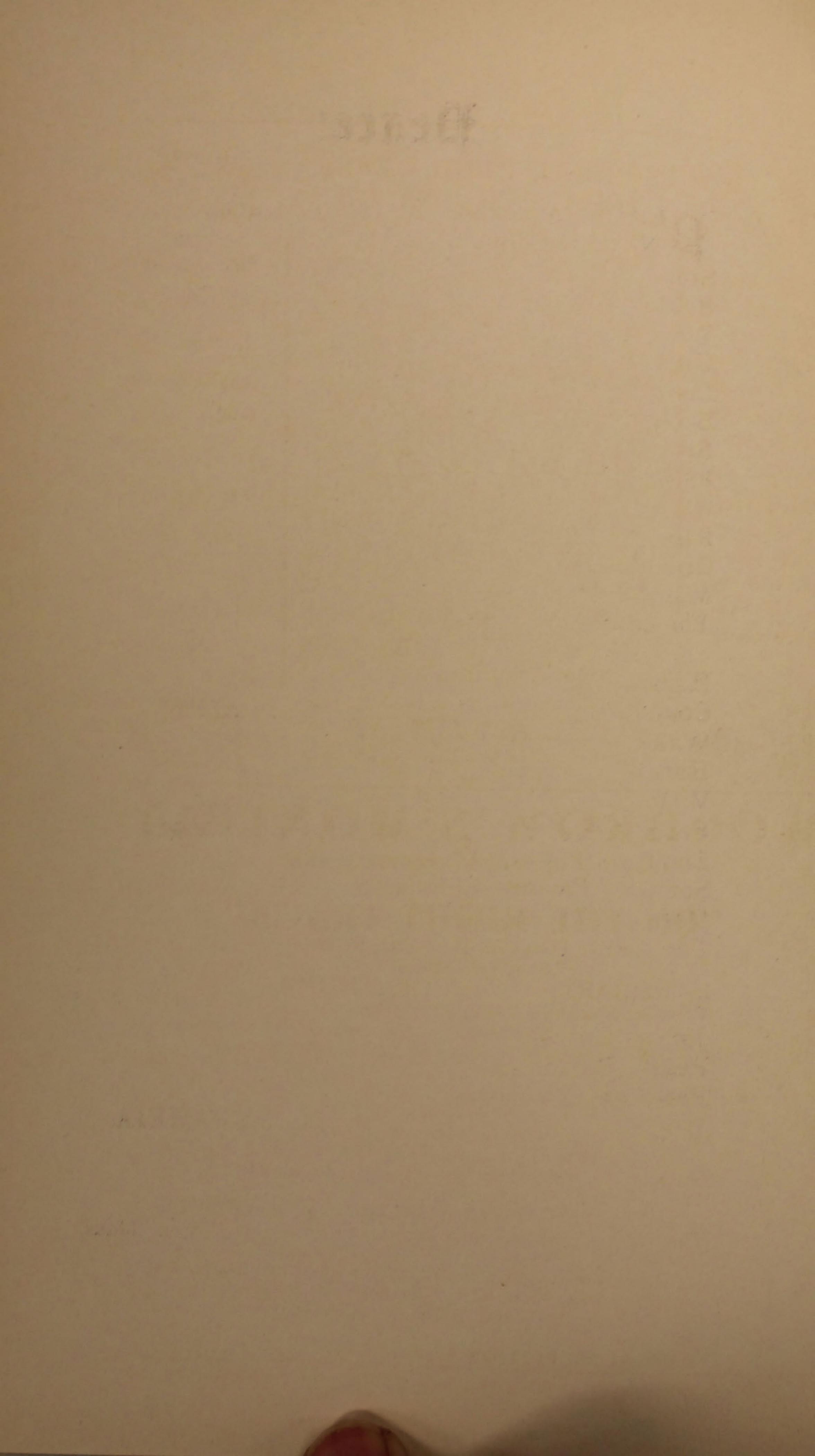
Hark to the Word, to the Higher-Will, Counselling: "Brothers of Earth, be still!" Wake ye worlds, to the Voice of Peace, Hatred, yield ye, to Love's increase, Victor o'er thrones and crowns and kings, From realm to realm Truth's mandate rings: Loud o'er the sob of the mourning seas, Soft and clear on the morning breeze, Deep in all true souls sounding—The message of Peace resounding:

Peace, peace ye myriad hosts, Join in the World's acclaim! Peace, Peace! cries the Holy-Breath, Peace in Brotherhood's Name!

-ALETHEIA.

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Unto the War-Lords of Earth.

NTO ye that are chosen to become the Fathers of Peace, these words are given: Read and keep with thee for a testimony in times to come.

Thy lips shall no longer deny TRUTH as thou hast done,

even seventy times seven unto this day.

Continually thy lips utter what thy hearts deny. Making excuses for thine own shortcomings with lies, thou stirrest up strife: for this thy brother battles.

Have done with falsehood and thou shalt have done with war: then shall the world fear no evil, for where TRUTH IS fear findeth no dwelling place. If thou unto thine ownselves be true none others shall be false to thee. Lies, tyranny, unjust tribute are as evil seed and terrible is the harvest thereof.

Thine own errors were forgiven thee until thou didst require vengeance of another: then was thy heart evil and in the unjust imaginations thou didst evoke anger, malice, warfare, slaying thy brothers! Thy homes are desolate, thy lands laid waste, in just rebuke of thine own uncharity. When thou dost meet evil rebuke it, but seek not to justify thine own greed and thine own errors by protestations of thine innocence of all wrong-doing.

There is no earth child so great that he is continually able to bear injustice and untruth. There is no loyalty so enduring that it may not falter and sicken under oppression and calumny! From Man, thy brother, thou hast required all that he hath, even to the laying down of his life. What is required of thee in return? That kings and crowns shall cease: that monarchies and plutocracies shall forever fall: that nations, warring shall be swallowed up and UNITY prevail!

Kings, Emperors, Despots shorn of power, the Voice of TRUTH is calling for recompense. Retrieve your crimes while yet ye may! Renounce forever the false powers ye have, for ages long, usurped. Reaping as ye have sown, think ye Justice shall not also reap?

O brothers of Spirit, in thy last earth sleep, Peace be with thee! Thou art soon to reap peace. Truth and harmony shall guard the flower of Perfect LOVE that bloometh fadelessly forever!

O ye Dwellers-in-Darkness, look up! Behold the light of Truth, of Peace, and stay the slayer's hand: then, then only, shall there be light and love and Brotherhood in all the Earth, So be it.

—Given through Aletheia

August 27th, 1914.

A Psychic Revelation.

VOICE, spanning space, brought me these words: "I have just been assassinated! The man who killed me

was a spy in the pay of the House of Hapsburg!"

My lips galvanized into action by some unseen force uttered the words aloud, my friends pausing in their conversation waited, aghast for an explanation. It came. Swift visions, elucidated in strange tongues voiced the truth, more clearly. First a man's form that had fallen forward upon a table, still half seated in a chair. A crowd pouring into a room, two figures in the uniform of French Gendarmes, seen dimly as through a haze of smoke their drawn rapiers were crossed and a bright light seemed to stream full upon them, all else was dimly seen and rapidly faded from my vision. I heard many voices the language appeared to be German, and other tongues with which I am unfamiliar. Repeated allusions to Von Moltke-The Reichstag, the House of Hapsburg, are all that fixed themselves upon my memory as I do not speak the language that was spoken through my lips in describing the terrible affair. Still under the spell of this unseen power I walked to the piano and played several chords of a funeral dirge. Though in a normal state I can not play at all. Then again a vision came before me. I seemed to be gazing into the depths of a black oozy sea. The indescribable depths and blackness of it can only be likened to ink. Suddenly upthrusting from the waves I saw an arm. It bore an extinguished torch. It was dripping with great black tears and as they fell back into the sea, I heard a voice proclaim:

"From the all-engulfing depths of the midnight Stygian Sea, I lift the torch of freedom, and the voice of Liberty!"

After an instant's pause these words were added:

While Franz-Joseph and the Kaiser cry "Let loose the dogs of War!

A greater, nobler William sends the Peace-Dove from afar."

Profoundly impressed as the vision was given to my hearers, we began to speculate as to what it might portend. We decided that a great socialist leader had met his death by assassination. We decided to record the event and watch the papers for confirmation of these remarkable telepathic messages, and clairvoyant pictures. There were present besides myself, Mr. Arthur Wilson, a real estate broker, of Boston, and Mrs. Millicent Wilson, his wife. Mr. Wilson noting the time, found that it was then about nine P. M., July 31. I had begun to receive the messages and pictures at about eight-twenty to eight-thirty, as nearly as we could judge the time. At that very hour, allowing for the differ-

ence in Paris time, Jean Leon Jaures, the great Socialist of France was assassinated as he sat at table, in a restaurant in Paris. This I learned through the columns of the Boston Post, early next day. Remarkable was the fact that in this paper the features of Jean Leon Jaures were depicted side by side with those of Von Moltke, the German commander. Not until two days later, however, was the news given out through the papers that "Our Own William" Jennings Bryan and the President had indeed cabled their offer of mediation, between the Powers.

Signed: Aletheia Dilopoulo.

The above is an accurate and faithful transcription of the psychic manifestations given through "ALETHEIA" between eight-thirty and nine o'clock on the evening of July 31, in the presence of Mr. Arthur E. Wilson and Mrs. Millicent Wilson, of Somerville, Boston, Mass.

Signed: { Millicent Wilson Arthur E. Wilson

RE-INCARNATION—OR SPIRIT VOICES?

HE writer has met a number of individuals who were sure that each was the re-imbodied Cleopatra. Three others claimed they were Madame Du-Barry: several were absolutely positive they had once been the Virgin Mary! So on adinfinitum! These good people were all of brilliant intellect and quite normal in all other phases of their existence.

Until enlightened by a Higher Intelligence, the writer was almost persuaded to fancy that she was the re-incarnated Sappho, the Immortal Grecian poetess. This feeling grew so strong that

she had but to whisper:

"Sappho, Sappho," to find poetic fancies and Elysian fields outspread before her enraptured vision, while a voice seemed to murmur:

"I am thine other self, called Sappho once, in times long, long agone. Behold the Hellenes! Athen's purple crowned fields and fair Olympian heights unfold in vistas, sweet memories woven for thy gaze! Sit thou, in silence, while the bells of heaven ring proclamations of the long lost past. Gaze on these hyacinthine fields, 'neath azure skies outspread! Behold the Aegean sea! 'Midst Grecia's Isles mark Sappho's flowing garments and her sunkissed head: Her sandalled feet, swift, pressing once again, sweet violets in the ground—"

'Tis but a vision, but so real, so beautiful, so imbued with life,—with seeming memories,—the heart beats faster as with

tenderest recollections: then-

A Presence whispers:

"This is Sappho. Yes, yes 'tis true!"

The voice of Reason questions:

Who, then, Child of Earth, are you?

Who, then, is Atthis, or Alcaeus, sometime called

Poet and friend of Sappho, whom ye likewise know

Who are these many more?

The illustrious Ones live on.

To thee, their spirits speak,

Unto thy listening soul, their vibrant voices call, Unto thy mirroring brain reflected visions send, Until thy heart doth feel the power of their pain, The glory of their presence as their voices speak again;

That thou and mortal kind shall know

There is no Death—but progress—birth to Life

Radiant, unending!

The flower buds and blooms: the seed.
Brings other flowers, blossoming to brightness.
Infant and youth and age pass on
To great immortal spheres whence, quickening,
Radiant waves vibrate to souls on earth:
Their voices penetrate our consciousness,
And endless inspirations thus are given
To draw man closer to the highest heaven.

-Aletheia.

GOD'S LOVE

AR in illimitable space where time
Is all unknown, a single atom placed
By God's free will, inscrutable, sublime—
Developed to a lovely star and graced
The universe: it cannot be effaced
Save by the Power which placed it where it glows,
When sombre night the fading sun o'erflows
And countless planets sparkle interlaced.

It is our Earth with beauty all replete,
Peopled with human beings who but toy
With the object of creation which complete
Would make a realm of happiness and joy:
Created by Jehovah, with alloy
Of human nature; let no one despair
For those who turn for guidance to His fair
Protecting love, He never will destroy.

THE CAT'S PAW.

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a "cat's paw" in the hands of unscrupulous individuals.

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NCERTAINTY, doubt, fear seized upon her consciousness, rendering Fanny but faintly responsive to the warning "voice."

She called to the sergeant saying: "I don't like to seem suspicious of any one, but if this man is not what he represents himself to be I shall hold you strictly accountable, and must warn you that Major Silvester will hold you accountable. She was quite sure that the sergeant started. There was a look between the two men, and a smile that she interpreted as one of incredulity. The stranger insisted, again reiterating the message purporting to come from Mr. Bone. Too weary to combat longer Fanny began to pour out the details of the past few weeks. She rapidly outlined the situation; producing the letter from Smalley that had been intercepted in the Wasgood offices. The first trace of real interest gleamed in the man's eyes. He interrupted her saying:

"Well, now you let me take this letter and all the papers you have to the "Herald's" lawyer and he will be in court on Monday

morning to protect you."

"Monday," repeated Fanny, and it struck her as singular that he should know so much about the case. "How do you know it will be Monday?

"Well, I,—er, these Saturday night cases are generally heard

Monday, you know."

"But that warrant was issued last Thursday and not served until nine o'clock to-night. That was deliberately done so that I would not be able to get cash bail after banking hours, don't you see?"

"Well, we won't talk about that now. Just let me have the papers and the evidence that you have and rest easy until Monday

morning."

With her soul rebelling, like a person in a hypnotic trance, Fanny gave him the required papers and letter, but even as she took up the package something warned her to withhold two papers. He was watching her with an eagle eye.

"What are those?" he said.

"Those are my vindications from the sergeant-at-arms at the Capitol and from the captain of police there that I am innocent of any wrong doing in the Senate or House. These I shall keep with me, and if your lawyer wants them I will show them to him at the trial."

"But, those are just what we want. You are enough of a newspaper woman to know that an editor will not take any story

unless it is substantiated."

"A strange editor, perhaps, but not Mr. Bone, who you say,

sent you with a promise of his friendly help."

He reached out his hand to take them from her almost by force, it seemed, and all her first suspicions of the man were re-aroused. She put the papers behind her, saying with decision: "You can't have them, and I think you had better leave the others with me also."

At this he tried to re-assure her and finding Fanny obdurate, retained the papers that he held. He said: "Well, it is all right. You need not bother to see the other fellows. I'll give them the

story."

Fanny's heart misgave her. Ill, exhausted and almost overcome as she was, she instinctively realized that had she been in the position of the other reporters she would have resented not having been permitted to hear the entire interview with the first reporter, so she went out on the stairway and called down to the assembled group: "Gentlemen, I hope you will pardon me if I have done wrong in seeing one of you without the others, but this young man claims that he came with a special offer from Mr. Bone, editor of the "Herald," to whom I am known, to provide a lawyer, so I have given him all the facts. He has promised that nothing will be printed concerning the case until after trial on Monday. He will give you the statement and I only ask that you, too, refrain from publishing anything until you can publish the truth, which will surely be brought out at the trial."

There was a murmur of something that did not sound like assent, and Fanny could not fail to see the look of disgust on the faces of the reporters from the other papers and the smirk of satisfaction in the face of the "Herald" man. She was then locked in the room and retired to rest, little realizing what awaited

her. (To be continued)

"Build as thou wilt, unspoiled by praise or blame, Build as thou wilt, and as thy light is given, Then if at last the airy structure fall, Dissolve and vanish, take to thyself no shame, They fail, and they alone, who have not striven."

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-Selected.

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EACHES that all Truth—through Spirit Impulse, or Inspiration, finds expression through psychology—the Science of the Soul.

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ALETHEIAN, thou must become immune to error, deaf to criticism, mute to censure, impervious to flattery, unmoved by praise, yet giving kindness ever, if thou wouldst walk in the way of Truth.

HINK purely, speak truth only, uplift, hearken to no evil communications, bear no malice, heal the sick, help to raise the fallen, annihilate error, live in charity for all mankind, disseminating only Light, Love and Truth.

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TRIVE not only to enter into soul consciousness, but to dwell therein. There shalt thou walk in beauty midst celestial light, while yet thy spirit is united to the mortal flesh... The earth body is but a garment to them that are pure in heart, and as a garment, the spirit may cast off the body and resume it at will. When in silence the spirit is invited to dwell within the living temple of the soul; soul and body become as spirit, receiving and reflecting and radiating all light, all love, all truth.

E invite all readers who earnestly desire the betterment of material and spiritual conditions for the universe to become active members of the Aletheia—or Truth—society Write to us suggestions that you may have for the universal uplift, here and now. We will gladly co-operate with you as far as lies within our powers. The Aletheian maintains a free reading room, open to all. Address all inquiries to the Secretary-General. A. S. A. 1140 Columbus Avenue, Boston, Mass.

SPIRITUAL MEDIUMSHIP

IBRATE on a chord of a musical instrument, and all the rest of the same tension will vibrate in harmony; influence from the spiritual spheres, sustains similar relations with spirits that musical chords do to each other. Thus spirit undulates to spirit. The greater the harmony, the more perfect the responsive undulation. As if comprehending this beautiful law, Jesus prayed that his "disciples might be one with him as he was one with the Father."

The manifestations of mediumship are graded really according to the constituent structure of the organism. The outer electric sphere surrounding media, and others, also, is composed of emanations, not only from the body, but from each of its organs. Indeed, each brain faculty has its distinctive radiation. By this, both spirits and clairvoyants measure our mental states. Man's spiritual sphere, being interior, emanates from the more ethereal and vitalized substances. The predominance of man's electric sphere from the more gross or material—under control of corresponding spirit—is especially adapted to physical manitestations; while the predominance of his spiritual sphere, allies him more intimately with the "inner life," in harmony with the spiritual of the spirit world.

As a general division of mediumship, the following is war-

rantable:—

I. Physical. II. Psychological. III. Inspirational.

Under the physical is comprehended the rappings, tippings, mechanical writing, spasmodic motions, movements of extraneous bodies, etc. To inductionists, and the masses generally, these are like letters of the alphabet, important in arresting attention and giving tests of spirit identity and the transfer of intelligence, leading the more interior and substantial.

Under the second heading may be classed psychological presentations, trance, vision, dream, dependent clairvoyance, spirit painting, discovery of mineral and oil treasures, and poetical

musical improvisation, etc.

Under the thirds may be enumerated impressions, symbolic pictures, inventions, prophecies, illumined perceptions, exalted inspirations, independent seership, communion with superior in-

telligences from the heavens, etc.

Spiritual circles should be formed upon scientific principles. The voltaic pile, constructed of copper and zinc plates, in alternation, to evolve the galvanic fluid, is highly suggestive of the best method. It is well to seat in these circles male and female, alternately, as positives and negatives, with a discriminating eye to temperament and adaptation.

Man is not necessarily positive nor woman negative. In the harmonial man or woman, the attractive and repellant are equally balanced. Joining the hands induces a more unitive intermingling of the magnetic forces. Honest skepticism is no hindrance to success, but angularities and jealousies are. The circle once formed in order, there should be no intrusion—no change of conditions. Minds should be passive, the aspirations heavenly, the heart purely centered upon the elucidation of truth with a patient, devotional spirit; and light will surely reveal what the candid soul is seeking—the demonstration of angel presence.

When the inquiries have advanced into the real inner life of spirituality, there is little or no need for the circle to center the magnetic forces. Through true development such have come into complete rapport with their spirit guides, rendering the circle no longer a necessity. They virtually become one of the circle, constituting its earthly polarity, receiving by sympathetic inspiration

the enlightened unfoldment of angelic life.

-J. M. Peebles in "Self Culture."

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

"How can I overcome a compelling influence that I know to be bad for me," writes H. K. of New York.

The fact that your own consciousness warns you that this influence is "compelling and bad" is proof positive that it is an hypnotic influence. In order to counteract hypnotic suggestion you must use counter-suggestion. The first principle is to mentally erect about your consciousness an imaginary non-conductor.

Imagine yourself placed in a glass receptacle, with floor and walls intact, through which you are able to perceive clearly yet through which no undue suggestion may reach you; reasoning from the standpoint that the "glass" is a non-conductor. This glass represents the strength of the spiritual and magnetic currents ever seeking to surround you. Hold this thought, saying to yourself mentally that it does surround you. If you are forced to come into the presence of this adverse influence, immediately remind yourself that you have entered into the security of your spiritual protective walls; that while you are negative to good you have become positive to repel evil. Do not allow yourself to say "This person is all right, he means well," but say to yourself, seeing clearly through your non-conducting glass; "He is what he is" and mentally repulse every undue suggestion or untruthful suggestion by which he seeks to gain a control over you. Send out from your own soul mentally as well as orally, if necessary, a strong, fearless, repelling, "NO!" yet a kindly one.

-Aletheia

THE RULE OF THE PEOPLE SHALL BE BY VOTE OF ALL INTELLIGENT CITIZENS, REGARDLESS OF SEX.

TRENGTH, courage, earning capacity, and ability are not a matter of sex, but of brains and not confined to any one species. Looking deeply into the history of the world we are forced to take cognizance of the fact that the male beast fights for appetite, for conquest, for self-gratification, and for the love of fighting: But the female fights for the protection of her young and, when cornered will fight for herself; but never until she is antagonized. The feminine tendency to self-preservation expressed only under provocation is not confined to the animal kingdom, but even the female insects possess the same characteristics. Is it strange then, that woman who has made this fight silently, uncomplainingly, and unswervingly from the beginning of all time, should awaken at last to the fact that only through open recognition of her fighting qualities will the reasons for that fight cease to exist.

The Creator made the female of the species responsible for all created things. The female bears the burdens of pro-creation, The dangers, sufferings and anxieties incidental thereto, are hers; the responsibility of training the young is hers also. The mother awakens and controls the intellect of the young, while the male parent at best, merely provides for the physical needs of his offspring during the earlier years of their lives, while their minds and intellects are developing, their characteristics and habits of

thought being formed.

The intellect of the mother is transmitted to the child, while the physical qualities of the father are more often reproduced. Why?—Merely because the wife who loves her husband carries his image in her heart, imprinted in her mind; that image is transmitted through the brain cells into the embryo of the child. If the mother knows nothing but housekeeping and the trivial happenings of the day, her offspring, even when a male, will be a dullard and an inefficient, a drone in the hive of busy men. If the unintellectual type of woman married an intellectual, but stingy man, who doles out her housekeeping expenses with a niggardly hand, forcing her to keep her thoughts constantly upon money, she will breed sons who are merely avaricious, money-grubbing animals, her daughters will be the sort of women who sell themselves, whether their unions be legalized or not. When a brilliant woman mates with a mental derelict a near-do-well-a roysterer —that brilliant and courageous woman will still produce sons of mighty brain and brawn, and daughters of intellect and unusual courage. Why is this? Because her heart enshrines an ideal man, such a man as she herself might have been, filling her ideal

of all that is noble, good and perfect. The desirability of this ideal is the more potent, the more impressive, by reason of contrast with the actual. This ideal may have no physical existence, but fills her mind with pictures of what might be; and the embryo receives these impressions. Her children come forth resplendent, strong, beautiful, in body and in mind, because of this mental impregnation of the mother's soul, as well as body. Think you such a mother can see her son go forth to become the prey of the vampire, the unjust employer, the creature of political thugs, all because the balance of power is in the hands of the ignorant majority? The great majority; ignorant, thoughtless, and only too often actually criminal in one sense or another.

Some men say, "Oh, well, it is the custom. These things have always existed. Politics is a rotten game, anyhow. We can't

change things."

The woman steps forward and says, "If you can't change things we can. We will. We will not allow our sons to follow such customs." "Look at the son I have brought forth," says woman in the aggregate. "Was that drunken imbecile his father? Will my boy become like that? No. God gave the Spirit, and I have nurtured it. I will not let my son become the prey of drunkenness." Another looks at the man whose name she bears, a name that stands for power in the political world. She knows him as a thief, a bribe-taking, vote-selling politician posing as a statesman. The woman cries out in her anguish, "Is that my son's father? No. The Creator only shall be his father. I will give him my prayers, my inspiration, my love of truth, my courage. And I shall bring forth a man, not a beast!"

These are the women who demand the vote to change "custom," to eradicate misapplied law, bribery, and corruption. Women demand the vote in order that they may oppose traffic in liquor, in drugs, and in white slave trade. For these three go hand in hand, forming a circle, whose emblem is the snake, and the trail

of the serpent is over all the land.

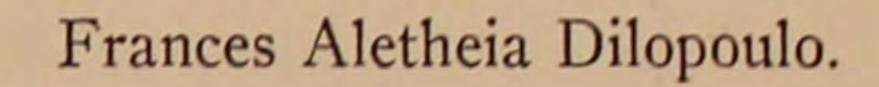
The prohibitionist has not declared for woman's suffrage. Yet, if he is against woman's suffrage he is fighting on the side of the liquor traffic. You, who have never studied this question, go out into the world. Ask the question of the men and women of all types, and they will tell you that the saloon keeper and the dive keeper, the strong arm police, the pickpocket, and some of the judges appointed by men whose source of income is the liquor traffic are those who are against equal suffrage. The men who are for equal suffrage are the honorable men, regardless of what profession, business or trade they follow.

Woman, in casting the vote, in exercising a privilege that

need only take her a few squares away from her home for the space of an hour at best, has nothing to lose, and all to gain, by

equal suffrage and equal citizenship.

Note the fruit of the union of a noble courageous woman, and a brilliant, courageous and spiritually endowed man. Then there comes into the world a man of power, who will inevitably rise through their combined qualities to a position that neither coercion, intimidation, nor selfish ambition has power to sway. Behold a man absolutely fearless, fighting for the principles that are bigger than he, yet with a mind big enough to grasp them, and to promulgate them, absolutely free from human domination. When woman in the aggregate rises to her better self she forces man to keep pace with her. Under such conditions the whole race of man will become a mighty race, and a fearless one.



THE CONQUERORS

IVING is loving and serving, War not with words or swords, Stay the swift blow of sneer or knife Striking unnumbered hordes. Stretch forth your hand lest your brother, Discouraged, shall falter and fail: Hearts that are masked with smiling Oft sorrow while stars grow pale. Give of your gifts, O heroes, Be strong in your sympathy, Mighty his hand that shall sway The course of his destiny! The goal of all effort at last Thro' mist and shadow shall gleam, Dauntless courage, o'er failures past, Climbs to heights supreme.

-Aletheia

REVELATION

Thou art Truth's Spirit, at thy words Do Love and Faith shine full upon my soul That waiting, wearyeth not At Time's slow flight, Altho' but yesternight That soul in gloom enwrapt, an anguish, Saw no light. What cheer thy message brings, That voicing hidden things Interprets all aright. Heart half blind, groping toward the light, Clasps now the wondrous hand that points the way, Nor counts Time slow, Comes fast the Afterglow And Truth unveiled and Love interpreted Shine full and fair, O, fetterless, free soul! Written May 5th, 1893—republished by request. -Aletheia.

"GOD MOST HIGH"

By Leslie Clare Manchester.

God is the highest that we know;
The noblest moral yet evoked!
God is the over-arching bow
Of dimming mists at length dissolved!
God is the joy of ev'ry thing:
The bursting bud; the airy wing;
The song at twilight's starry eve;
The dream that fearless souls receive.

God is a fortress, crown and cross; God is a triumph in the end, When from the ashes of each loss We see the lily bloom ascend! God is the soul—aspiring, pure; The water in the golden ewer; The growing GOOD where'er defined In earth and time, in man and mind.

From the "Spiritual Alliance Weekly."

SPARKS FROM THE ANVIL OF TRUTH

Prophets do not speak as man directs but as Truth inspires, therefore hearken to the Voice of the Truth if ye would speak truth by inspiration.

Through enforced physical rest, the Spirit is oftimes able to rise to heights unattainable while the soul is fettered by overarduous material labor.

"Peace Cometh in the Morning." Aye, in that dawn when ALL peoples shall inherit the earth and the fullness thereof, when one's work and one's achievement shall be the standard of excellence and of authority.

The laborer worthy of, and gaining, his hire, in peace and justice, shall do so in equality of effort and distribution of labor.

The voice of all people shall be of equal weight in the making of rules of conduct for all and in the carrying out of the Law.

Man's mate shall be in truth his mate; neither bond-woman, task-mistress, nor parasite, but an equal partner in all his privileges as in his perils.

If men or women tell you that they possess occult power, question their belief in the Creator. You may then set at rest your doubts as to whether their powers are hypnotic or magnetic and psychic.

The magnetic soul will be the first to acknowledge Divinity. The hypnotic, the first to deny. This is a well-nigh infallible test.

The magnetic, psychic being reverences love and holds it sacred:

The hypnotist revels in lust and is faithful to nothing under the canopy of heaven. Not even to his own teachings.

It has been said a wise man shall be answered according to his wisdom and a fool according to his folly. But I say unto you, some are called fools that open their ears to the words of wisdom and some that are called wise too often hear with asses' ears.

-Aletheia.



What We Have To Say

HIS ISSUE of September twentieth completes the third year of the ALETHEIAN'S existence as an exponent of Spiritual and human endeavor. It has helped to right many wrongs, to annihilate untold error and to aid in the upliftment of many through bringing to the world a clearer understanding of the Divine Will, through interpretive soul science.

The marvellous progress made by and through the Aletheian reveals the source from whence it springs. In obedience to the Supreme Will it expresses the All-Light through spiritual illumination: it teaches and guides mankind through fidelity to Truth,

devoid of fear.

The Aletheian has overcome every obstacle, weathered every storm poured out upon the devoted heads of its messengers of TRUTH. It LIVES, radiant in the peace of Divine Love, powerful through Divine Power, Potent in Healing and Prophecy through unquestioning and humble obedience to Divine Impulse. Reverently, devoutly grateful to receive the all embracing Love that wraps it close, and ever more closely, in the protecting mantle of LIGHT conferred upon it by the ALL-LIGHT, THE ALL-LOVE, THE ALL-PEACE.

N May Fifth, 1913, at her residence in Somerville, in the presence of five persons, in response to a question concerning the probability of a war with Japan, anent the California controversy, Aletheia positively reiterated that there would be "no war in the United States." Her statement was scoffingly received by one of the parties present, whereupon an unknown entity completely entranced ALETHEIA, delivering through her voice a powerful oration detailing, in prophecy, the great wars now occuring in Europe and promising that Peace would still be maintained in the United States. The full details of this prophecy, comprising nearly two thousand words were recorded and will be published in full in the next Aletheian, with names of witnesses. At this writing ALETHEIA voices the message that the wars will terminate with Europe laid waste and Russia and Japan victorious. That there will be established a new form of Government that is practically to be a universal Brotherhood in the old world. The religion of the Universe will be a return to primitive Christianity, illumined by a higher and clearer concept of the guiding and directing force of the Creator through ministering angels. Man will be able to receive these illuminations from the higher spheres through the cultivation of his higher nature through Soul Science.

ON NOVEMBER TWENTIETH we enter the fourth year

of our efforts: on that date our Anniversary number will be issued; A number that will contain special articles by both old and new friends of TRUTH. Among our contributors will be M. H. Curtis, Catharine Flynn, Daniel Kimball, Lydia E. Lange, Carmela Ruvo, Sylvia Sterling, "Aletheia" and others, including the Editor. Those desiring several copies of this issue may obtain same at wholesale rates, by ordering ten days in advance of date of publication. Note our new subscription offer on last page of present issue.

SUBSCRIBERS in arrears will kindly forward renewal slips with cheques or money orders at their earliest convenience. We have recently recovered through the Post Office Department at Washington several money orders that have been months in reaching us owing to mail lost, or stolen in transit. We again warn subscribers that currency sent by mail is easily detected by expert post office thieves and seldom reaches those for whom it

is intended.

As domestic money orders are no longer preceded by advices, we have no means of knowing that yours may have disappeared enroute, unless you notify us of the fact it has been sent.

All who may have sent money, stamps or orders without receiving a direct response from this office will confer a favor by

notifying the Aletheian at once.

Through notification sent to us by Miss R. Bester of Hagerstown, Maryland; we recovered a money order that she had sent to us August 1913! We obtained the money for this on August 9th, 1914! Another order from a Mrs. O'Donnel, of Halifax, N. S. issued October 1913 has just reached us. We will appreciate the correct address of Mrs. O'Donnel as the Post Office seems unable to supply it. We can not otherwise get into direct communication with Mrs. O'Donnel nor supply her long delayed

books with any security that they will ever reach her.

Numerous complaints have reached us of books not delivered. We are most anxious to have notifications from all subscribers who have failed to receive their magazines regularly. We trust that this statement will not only mollify those who have been defrauded of their orders for so long but that it may call the attention of the Postmaster General to a much needed reform in the Postal Service. We hail with delight the announcement that the Post Office may be taken out of "Civil Service," for in no other way is it possible to eliminate the widespread chicanery interfering with legitimate business all over this broad land. All honor to Postmaster General Burleson, the Man-from-Texas, who has awakened to the situation! We also hail from the Lone Star State where they breed Men and Women of truth and wisdom and fearlessness, for which we are devoutly thankful.

-The Aletheian.

WHAT THE STARS FORETELL

HE Planets influence, but do not decide your destiny. YOU shall make or mar your own future.

As the potter shapes the clay so character is moulded. Shape your own patiently, wisely and well; thus you shall fashion a beautiful product from even the commonest clay.

Character reading of J. L.—Based upon the Planetary aspects of the Sign of Scorpio, in the Cycle of Mars, Ruled by

Venus. Birth Date, October 27, 1877.

You reason entirely from your own judgment; are so outspoken and brusque, at times very apt to give offence. You respect neither position, wealth, nor conventions, deciding for yourself and selecting for yourself such friends and associates as appeal to your own peculiar temperament. You often offend persons in high position by this independence of thought and lack of deference.

You can be fascinating and agreeable when you desire, but consult your own wishes entirely in your choice of friends and flatly refuse to even see callers who do not appeal to you.

You are quick and intelligent in business, make an excellent critic and would make a fine journalist. You are original in ex-

pression, and have a wide view-point.

You see all around a subject and deeply into it at the first glance. You are so very quick and energetic, when you wish to be so, that your friends marvel at your accomplishments and your powers of endurance.

You have a remarkable business capacity at times, at others

your soul is filled with dreams and poetry.

Your temper is very fiery, easily aroused, at times even violent, never from malice; more often from a sense of injustice and

indignation, if you feel imposed upon.

You are slow to move to anger, and equally slow to forgive. You hold a deep feeling of resentment, and as your anger cools down, it becomes more dangerous. If you allow revengefulness to dominate you will be relentless and act quickly and recklessly. You must always be careful to tone down these qualities, or serious dangers will arise.

You possess no fear, the dangers that assail you are the effects of your thought and actions upon yourself, rather than any

harm that might come to you from outside sources.

You can be very stubborn, and at times disagreeably aggressive. In early life more than one accident is foreshown, but always a miraculous escape.

Headaches, fevers and neuralgic troubles are sure to follow over-exertion, whether it take the form of work or pleasure.

While some unusual and severe illnesses are shown through-

out your life, perfect recovery usually follows.

There is an early marriage foreshadowed by your planetary aspects, in fact, two marriages, as an early widowhood or separation is shown in the event of the first marriage taking place prior to the 23rd year.

Persons born in your sign seldom find their true mate until after 30; a second union is positively forecast before the 37th year. Because of the extreme intensity of your nature, deep heart sorrows are liable to come by the early loss (before the age of 30) of a dearly loved one, either spouse or sweetheart. You will take many long journeys both by land and sea, many of these will not be very fortunate, still your success and occupation will necessitate much travel.

Your early life shows much effort and unceasing industry, yet, your heedless, independent nature makes much of this go for naught. Persistence will eventually bring to you success and wealth from your own efforts. You will have many friends and much favor from those in the highest positions in life, yet one friend whom you will meet in a business way, and whom you might grow to love deeply, will cause you great uneasiness and sorrow, unless you exercise caution, judgment and self-restraint.

You will make some enemies so very active and bitter toward you that they will make personal attacks and attempt to harm you in covert, and underhand methods. You have a remarkable propensity to escape dangers.

The talismanic stones are diamonds, opals and topaz.

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-The Astrologer.

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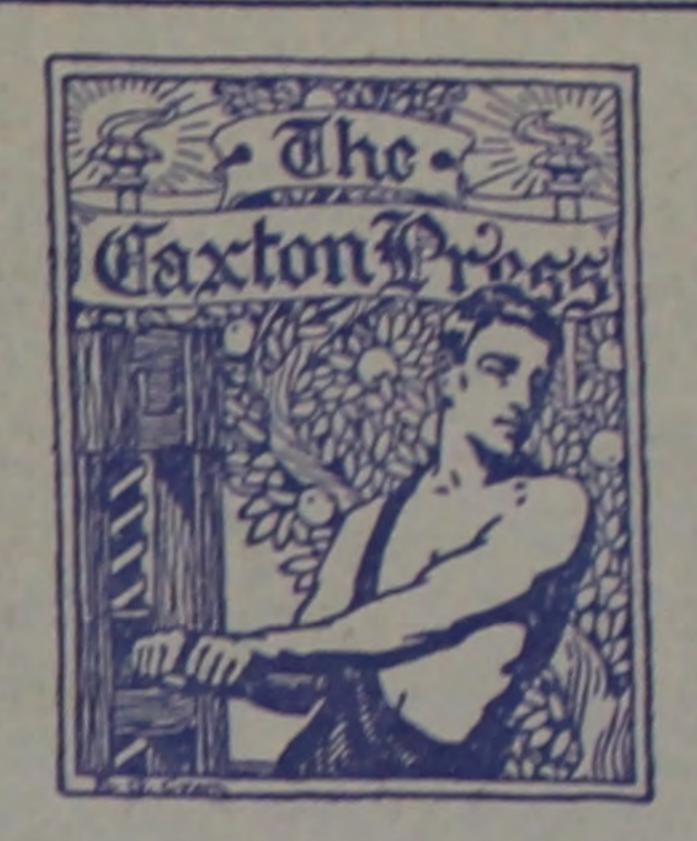
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