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THERE is never rain enough in the world to drown all the roses. There is always one for Love to wear on his breast.

Should misfortune overtake you, retrench, work harder, but never retreat; confront difficulties with unflinching perseverance. Should you then fail, you will be honored; but shrink, and you will be despised.

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Taking the world as we find it is good philosophy, but trying to take it all is quite a different matter.

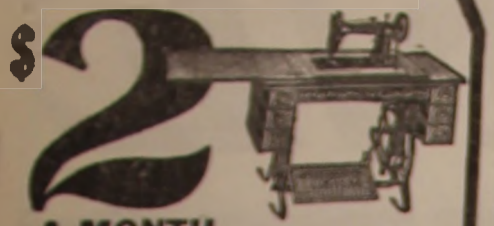
Queer about this thing happiness. The more of it you give to others the more you have.

A little expression of praise and appreciation to one who is trying to do right and be of some use in the world will often fill his heart with happiness of the kind which will make him, though discouraged, take heart again.

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Experiences in Psychic Phenomena

Written for Our Magazine

By J. M. Scott

SINCE time immemorial people have been interested in solving the problem of the supernatural, the unknown or psychic phenomena. We read of the priests of India, Persia, Chaldea and Egypt denying the flesh to become in rapport with the spirit world, in the hope that some tangible knowledge of the power might be obtained. Zoroaster, Ostanos, Chaldean sages and Egyptian priests were the primitive possessors of the secret traditions, claiming some to have been handed down from the Magi. To-day the most renowned investigators along this line are the Society of Psychic Research of London, which learned body has done much to break down the barriers of prejudice and superstition that heretofore existed among the English-speaking race. Throughout the length and breadth of our own country are countless societies interested in the phenomena banded together for the purpose of ascertaining what might be regarded as authentic along this line.

While there are many skeptics with regard to this study, and many credulous persons scoff at the idea of the return of the spirit or any form of communication being possible between living beings and those who have passed to the great beyond, the writer wishes to cite some occurrences within the past few years, allowing the reader to draw his or her own conclusions therefrom. Two years ago a certain major in the United States Army, stationed off the Massachusetts coast, was suddenly stricken with a contagious disease. He was at once taken to the hospital and isolated. He was a man of most

“Three years ago, December 1, having retired about 10 P. M., I was for a time very restless and seemed nervous, and it was with great difficulty that I at last fell to sleep. Then I dreamed my brother Joe was beside me, looking very thin and white. He held out his hand and asked that I forgive him. ‘Forgive what?’ I inquired. Then he stated that he had cheated sister and I. That father had left considerable property which he had appropriated, but had cleared everything by making a will, in which the share rightfully belonging to my sister and I would be placed at our disposal. He stated that he had passed out of this life, but could not be happy until he was forgiven. He looked at me so pleadingly,” continued Mrs. M., “that I extended my hand and said, ‘Joe, I forgive you’—this last in such a loud voice that it awakened my husband, who inquired what was wrong. I related my dream to him, but he laughed; and in the morning I went to see my sister, telling her of my strange experience. Neither of us could believe such a wrong of Joe, and decided it was a bad dream. Imagine, however, our complete surprise when, about two weeks later, we received word of the death of our brother, together with a letter from his solicitors, stating that considerable property had been left to us.”

The above is corroborated by Mrs. M.'s husband, and the pretty cottage they enjoy now is the one purchased by the money received from her brother. It would seem that this matter had weighed on the mind of this subject and had communicated itself to her in the dream.



“He said the house was in darkness but he saw a light on the stairs”

boasting of being an atheist and with no tolerance for anything which had no positive proof. In fact, “he was from Missouri,” as the vernacular goes. There was a tender spot in the major's heart, and that was for his little granddaughter, a bright, healthy child of seven. She spent much of her time at the fort and had been with him the day previous to his illness. She was then in the best of condition, so he had no cause to worry. About the fifth night at the hospital he was awakened by hearing a low cry, as of a child in distress, and awakening, saw to his horror the thin vapor form of the grandchild hovering above his bed. He watched the apparition speechless for a few seconds, when it slowly faded away, and he then called to the nurse, who tried to reassure him and convince him that it was a dream. He was not so easily convinced, however, and insisted that his daughter be sent for in the morning, as he “felt” something was wrong with the child. The next morning, however, he was in a delirious condition, and it was not until a week later that he returned to consciousness, when he demanded an interview with the child's mother. When his daughter arrived she burst into tears on seeing him, and told how the little one had been stricken with a malignant disease and died in a few hours, passing out about the time the major had seen the vision, and in her last moments had called repeatedly for her grandfather. This from a man who would scoff at a ghost story and had no tolerance with anything in the supernatural. Again the same man, just a year later, was one day busily engaged on some special government work, when he was suddenly annoyed by hearing his name called very distinctly. He paused in his work, listened, and again the call. Remembering the incident of the granddaughter, he became alarmed, but sat still and waited. Again came the voice, calling “John,” then “Come.” That was all he could hear. Having a brother “John” in the far West, he felt uneasy. Perhaps something had happened to him. He immediately sent a wire asking if everything was all right, but his telegram had scarcely time to start before a message came to him that his brother “John” had passed away suddenly of apoplexy. There had always existed a deep affection between him and his brother John, hence it is a possible reason why he was the only one of six brothers and sisters that should have any premonition of the end.

Another instance: Mrs. Marton, residing in Rhode Island, born in England, had one brother and one sister. Upon the death of her father the girls came to America, leaving the brother, who had been appointed administrator of the estate. To each of his sisters he paid £50, claiming that to be the amount left by the father. The girls did not question—having absolute confidence in their brother. Then, Mrs. M. tells the following:

Mrs. T., living in Pennsylvania, had as her guest her aged father as well as myself about a year ago. Her husband, a traveling salesman, was away from home. One morning, on coming to breakfast, she told the following dream:

“I appeared to be awakened, and, hearing someone call my name, walked to the dining-room, and here seemed to follow a force that led me to the window. I looked out, and there beheld the most wonderful sunset, while in the midst of the beautiful clouds was a great cross of brightest gold. I gazed spellbound until the clouds took on a more sombre hue and the cross gradually faded from view. So real was the vision that this morning, on awakening, I hurried to the window to see if there was a trace of it, but, of course, I saw only the blue sky.” Her father said, “Lucy, that cross means trouble. Your mother saw it before she passed on. I am afraid something is going to happen to George” (her husband). “We were all slightly nervous about it that day, and next morning I was awakened by my hostess hurrying into my room, throwing herself on the bed and sobbing. Then she told me of a repetition of the dream; only this time, her father led her to the window. ‘Oh, my father is going to die,’ she cried. I tried to soothe her, but she was extremely wrought up over the dream and scarcely allowed her father out of her sight all day. Two days passed without anything unusual happening, and the household was again getting normal, when her father was taken suddenly ill. The doctor was sent for and gave very little hope, on account of the extreme age of the patient (seventy-six). A weak heart was the diagnosis. The following day the old gentleman, on taking his medicine, remarked: ‘I guess that cross was for me.’ Three days later he breathed his last.”

Mrs. B., also in Pennsylvania, a highly-cultured woman, interested in the occult sciences. Her husband was also a student along the same lines, and they had frequently tried telepathy, with good success; on a certain afternoon, while holding a reception, Mrs. B. heard her name called, and believing her husband was “experimenting,” went to his study, expecting to find him there. On entering, however, she was disappointed at his absence, and, thinking he was only joking, she returned to her guests. A few minutes later she heard her name again, and, this time, the voice calling appeared distressed—the call being imperative. She hurried to his study, then called the maid and asked where he was. On being told that he was at the carriage house, she hurried there, only to find him on the floor unconscious. She had him carried to the house and sent for a physician just in time to save his life. He had a stroke of paralysis, and had she not discovered him in the nick of time, he would probably have passed over. For the special study of telepathy, a class was formed and was very successful. Frequently a person would be selected to

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Editorial

All Things are Possible

As you see the Light, beloved, as you enter the true Path, so you improve and progress. And by and through your development, so much is the world the better.

Thus we face the law of personal responsibility—You and I. As our light commences to shine in our hearts, just so soon do the rays spread out to and for others.

You are learning this, O Dear One. And it is one of the chief lessons we can acquire. From this knowledge there comes that wonderful happiness and tranquil peace which transforms the shadows into sunshine, that reveal as beautiful flowers what you once regarded as weeds.

Yea, verily, the beginning of true wisdom is this blessed realization, the consciousness that as we sow the seeds of kindness and love, the flowers that spring from them are for others and ourselves.

All is One and One is All. We learn that we cannot injure another without injuring ourselves. Also, we cannot help another without helping ourselves.

The true radiance of the Holy One of God is being projected everywhere. The golden doctrine of Love is sweeping away the hideous dogma of Hate and Revenge. The Star is in the heavens. Shining for you and for me. The light is in our hearts. Let us gratefully tend the sacred flame.

The blessings that will surely come to you are exceedingly great. They are the blissful harvest of your sowing—for, as ye sow, so also shall ye reap.

But the Law, the grand immutable Law requires us to work and to watch and pray.

Day by day you will fight against the sins that so easily beset you. The sins and mistakes and errors of hasty speech, loss of self-control, quick judgment and uncharitableness that we are all prone to, Guard against these!

Many and many a slip will there be for you, Dear One. But the heart's regret, the true penitence are acceptable to the angels and help and counsel will be given to you.

And each victory strengthens wonderfully. The exercise of the spiritual faculties develops your latent powers. You will thrill with the joy of realization—that the soul within you is capable of possibilities you never appreciated before.

You will achieve a mastery, a veritable triumph and with the spiritual blessings come temporal. As we deserve, we receive. As we show desire to prove worthy, we are abundantly assisted.

Remember that we need material things on this material plane. Our Lord understood this fully and His promise and assurance was "Seek ye first the Kingdom of God and His Righteousness and all these shall be added unto you."

Claim the promise, therefore, Beloved! Go forth confident and trustful. Do your part—YOUR BEST, and the Eternal Love will recognize, unfold and reward you.

Everything you do, every thought you think, is built and imbedded into your character structure. The practical realization of this truth enables you to watch and safeguard, so take care that the materials you add to your character building are good materials. For

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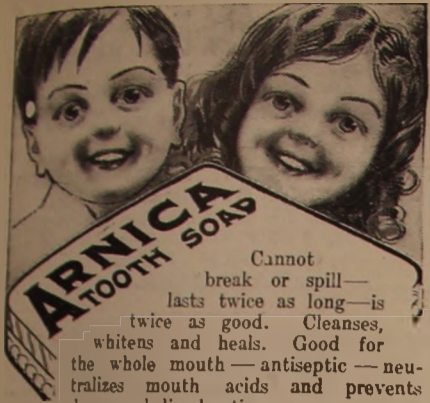
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Heart Talks

By WILDIE THAYER

DON'T worry, for to have anxious thought is an insult to the all-powerful Father who has promised to strengthen and to help you. He is your loving Father who cares for you, who has said that it would be more natural for a mother to forget her child than for him to forget you. Realize his ever presence, his love, and with the realization get the blessedness of the pure in heart who see God. And yet "no man hath seen God at any time." He is not to be seen with the eyes, but he is to be realized until the heart sees him as living love. Every man sees something of God, although not all are conscious of seeing him. The blind man realizes your presence and says he is glad to see you.

The condition necessary for seeing God with the eyes of the soul is purity or singleness of purpose, for "if thine eye be single thy whole body shall be full of light." This purity is freedom from mixture with evil, devotion to God's service.

To realize God in daily life will be to sense his presence and power as one takes in the breath of the early morning, to live, move and be in Him at all times, to realize his smile, to see the Creator in all things, in the changing seasons, the sky, the flowers and the music of all nature; yes, to see him in humanity. We do not need to ascend into heaven to bring God to our side, for we are always with him and we cannot escape him if we would.

To see God is a delight to the pure in heart. Come to him for rest from Life's burdens, for he is ready to give rest and comfort to the weary and heavy laden. Come to him in perplexity and from his calm wisdom learn how to live and what to do; come to him in trouble and learn to walk over the raging waters of sorrow unharmed and unafraid; come to him in joy and tell him of your gratitude for all his love and mercy; come to him in health and thank him for this great blessing.

Come to him in sickness and learn how sweet it is to find help in helplessness and know that God not only helps those who help themselves, but he also helps those who cannot help themselves.

Realize the sweet, tender fatherhood and motherhood of God. Come to him in prayer and talk to him in the silences, in the crowd, with all the love and confidence with which a trusting child comes to the parents who love it. There is no experience so sweet as the consciousness of God's ever present love and care. How it sweetens the bitter experiences of life, how it softens the hard things, how it kindles hope, inspires ambition, awakens faith and creates charity. How it deepens life for us.

Are you poor? Do you envy those who have more of this world's goods than yourself? But think, perhaps you have a dear child or a brother or sister, father or mother or friend, and what money could buy these from you? Have you eyes? Would you sell them for millions, would you sell your hearing, your senses, any of your manifold blessings? Then if you have that which money cannot buy, are you not wealthy?

I can see a dear little woman, now in the spirit land, and I can again feel the pity I felt for her when I realized that she was crippled and could not walk at all. I can see how hard she tried to get the use of her poor feet, which had done her such good service. "It seems so hard, so strange," she would say, "that I, who have always been so well, have become so helpless. It cannot be that I shall never walk again," and then how hard she would try to walk, for she did so want to live for her dear ones on earth.

"I never realized what feet meant," she would say, "until I had them taken from me, and now if I was penniless and without shelter or clothing, but had my two feet, I think I would be rich beyond expression. It is so wonderful to walk, to go out of doors, to be able to pick the flowers."

Yet when the end came she said, "God's will, not mine," and went to the spirit land with a smile, and now she can walk, and some day in the sweet sometime, soon, she will run to meet me when I, too, leave this earthly temple.

We must count our blessings to know how rich we are. We must learn that God is seen with the pure heart, and cultivate the gift which will make him visible to the soul.

The most beautiful things of life and those which give us the most happiness are the unseen. Love, faith, trust, patience, sympathy, hope, all these things are unseen.

There is a story of a blind girl who after suffering a very critical operation recovered her eyesight, which she had lost when an infant. She had never beheld the earth with its beauties. The sight almost frightened her and everything seemed so strange. She looked upon her friends in surprise, and had to close her eyes and touch their faces to be sure she recognized them. "Can I see everything and everybody I ever knew?" she asked, and when told that she could she said, "Let me see God." She was told that God could not be seen. Then she said, with joy in her eyes, "Oh, then God will remain beautiful and invisible as before. I can keep him in my old happy world."

Our Father in heaven who made us
Has told us to him we are dear,
His children, his care, heirs to glory,
And yet we insult him with fear.
No command in his Word is more earnest
Than "Fear not," no words more sincere
Than "Lo, I am with thee forever,"
Oh, there's nothing to fear but fear.

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No matter how beautiful you may be, walk to your mirror now and ask yourself if there is not room for further improvement. Is your face wrinkled and lined with marks of trouble, worry and ill health? Is your bust as firm and well developed as you would like? Are you troubled with superfluous hair? Are your neck and cheeks full, well rounded and glowing with the pink of perfect health and youth, or are they thin, hollow, scrawny and dull or fishy white? Is your hair glossy and abundant, and do you dress it in the manner most becoming to you? Is your complexion beautiful and skin a soft, velvety, creamy white? Ask yourself these questions frankly. Answer them without evasion and then use the Coupon below, and secure your copy of this great book to-day. All these and a hundred other things every woman wants to know have been revealed to them by ten of the greatest living experts on Womanly Beauty.

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Its significance is as great to you, dear brothers and sisters, as it was to those in the early days of our country's struggle to attain it.

Perhaps you even see more than the heroes who fought and won our glorious liberty ever did themselves. Perhaps you realize that underlying all the joy of a nation at the attainment of liberty is the joy of every individual who participates in its celebration. Perhaps you realize that the right to liberty is only equalized by its possession.

Perhaps you even look deeper than this and see that the celebration of the day of Independence by the United States is, in truth, the celebration of *United Brothers* as well.

Why not enter into the fraternal as well as the civil celebration of this Fourth of July?

Why not glorify the spirit of liberty by a grand demonstration of its twin spirit, the Spirit of Brotherly love?

Why not see in the magnificent and undying words of our great Declaration of Independence the underlying tie that makes every man, woman and child of one blood and one Brotherhood? Every soul is "born free and equal" and "entitled to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness."

To the end that you may celebrate this day as never before, in the spirit of Brotherhood and Familyhood, we ask you *all*—friends, subscribers, readers and lovers of *Our Magazine*—to *take care of the people*.

See that the children are careful in shooting firecrackers or toy pistols. See that everybody stands far enough away from the fireworks. In short, *make it your business*, without being in the way, to have a watchful eye and a loving word for those who need special looking after.

The boy who might have an eye put out or a leg broken, look after him as though he were *your own boy*. He is as dear to his mother and father as your boy is to you. *Be akin to him*.

Those little girls who might be in dangerous places or playing with dangerous toys, hover near them, teach them how to hold the punk or throw the torpedo. Take the children on picnics into the country. Have them play patriotic games or ordinary old time well known games, offering flags as prizes. Find a thousand sane and safe ways of giving the kiddies a good time on the Fourth of July. Let it be their day. They are easily guided by good *judgment* and *kindness* into the better way of celebrating the *Nation's Holiday*. Make yourself one with the children and *love will find a way*.

Spend your Fourth in this spirit of love, and you will say at its close that you understand as never before the *Spirit of Liberty*.

You know this kind of *practical work*, this great unity of spirit and purpose to bring about the Christly command, *Love one another*, is the mission of *Our Magazine*. Yes, THE NEW YORK MAGAZINE OF MYSTERIES urges that you first of all love God, then your Brothers. It teaches and believes that, *this done*, not only *individuals*, but *nations*—all the families of God—shall see the fulfilment of His promises of HEALTH, HAPPINESS and PROSPERITY.

"The good of one is the good of all."

Our Magazine wishes every member of its circle a bright, happy, wholesome Fourth of July.

Our Colors

By Laura E. Richards

RED! 'tis the hue of battle,
The pledge of victory;
In sunset light, in northern night,
It flashes brave and free.
"Then paint with red thy banner,"
Quoth Freedom to the Land,
"And when thy sons go forth to war,
This sign be in their hand!"

White! 'tis the sign of purity,
Of everlasting truth;
The snowy robe of childhood,
The stainless mail of youth.
Then paint with white thy banner,
And pure as northern snow
May these thy stately children
In truth and honor go.

Blue! 'tis the tint of heaven,
The morning's gold-shot arch,
The burning deeps of noontide,
The stars' unending march.
Then paint with blue thy banner,
And bid thy children raise,
At daybreak, noon and eventide,
Their hymn of love and praise.

Valor and truth and righteousness,
In threefold strength to-day
Raise high the flag triumphant,
The banner glad and gay.
"And keep thou well thy colors,"
Quoth Freedom to the Land,
"And 'gainst a world of evil
Thy sons' sons and thou shalt stand."



MYSTIC SUCCESS CLUB

Words of Cheer

Read these letters, all who want to get more out of life. You will find that the cheery, grateful letters our members write seem to contain a tonic, inspiring quality, which is wonderfully helpful. These letters are full of human interest. They show what has been done, what can be done and **WHAT WILL BE DONE.** They illustrate and prove that the Mystic Success Club brings the things into your life that are essential to Health, Happiness and Prosperity.

Surely you realize what life can be and what it ought to be! Our Club is the greatest and grandest organization in the world for the promotion of everything which makes life worth living. I know therefore that you will be deeply interested in the Club, the purpose of which is to guide and lead its members so that they may acquire Health both in body and mind, Happiness in its broadest sense and Attractiveness and Success.

I wish that I could show you the thousands of letters we have received from our members. They come from all parts of the world and from people of all ages, nations and creeds and also from those of no creed at all, but whom our broad, true teachings have helped and inspired.

Yours faithfully,
BROTHER THEODORE.

Send Me Your Photographs

I want to thank the sisters and brothers who have already sent me their photographs. I wonder if you realize what pleasure and interest these pictures are to me. My collection of members' photographs is growing delightfully and I study each photograph, and you know how pictures of friends seem to bring them close to you.

These photographs are not for publication. They are for my gallery of our Club Members' pictures, and some day I am planning to have them all arranged and framed, so that they will adorn the walls of my office. Think what a satisfaction this will be to be surrounded with the faces of my comrades of the Club, to be able to look at pictures of sisters and brothers who have become near and dear to me and whom it has been my privilege to commune with.

The size of the picture does not matter particularly, as I will have them arranged suitably, so I ask every friend who has not already sent me a picture to please do so as soon as possible. Furthermore, the new members who will join the Club every month are included in this request. I want you all to understand that it is one of the day's pleasures when I receive my mail to find your photographs in it and thus be in closer personal touch with you.

Brother Theodore

Health Returns

"Dear Mystic Success Club:
I have just finished working out my Third Degree, and I am happy to say that I have never felt so happy and calm in all my life as I do now. I cannot describe the blessings that have been handed down to me since I have been studying these Degrees. My health that I have lost for over eleven years is returning to me rapidly. It was a blessed day when a friend of mine lent a Magazine of Mysteries to me, for he did not only lend, but gave me bread to feed my hungry soul. I thank God I have done to others as others have done to me. God be with us, Dear Brothers and Sisters."
CHRISTOPHER E. SEABY,
Trinidad, West Indies.

The Great Good

"I am returning my Third Degree report herewith. I cannot express the great good that I have received since joining the dear Mystic Success Club. The love of God is guiding me night and day. God bless all, is my constant prayer."
Yours in the great work,
G. S. FELTMAN.

Realizing

"I have worked all Four of the Degrees. I am realizing a calm tranquil joy that is worth, oh, so much. I can't tell how much it does mean to me for everything to go smoothly with no worry or vexation of mind. I shall go over my Degrees again, as each time I get more out of them."
M. E. V. THURSHUR.

Health—Happiness—Prosperity

My Dear Reader:

You who are not already a member of the Mystic Success Club wonder what we do for our members. You also notice the grateful letters from members that I publish on this page every month, but remember that these letters are only a very few of what I receive.

The Mystic Success Club was started by some great souls who loved humanity and had gained unusual wisdom and experience, and who wanted to help their brothers and sisters of God's great family.

You are in this world with your many problems and puzzles and trials and joys and sorrows. Many of you are highly sensitive and keenly feel slights and unkindness, and suffer in nerves and mind, and wonder why disappointment and sorrows should come.

There are laws which govern everything. For instance, if you break any of the health laws, you suffer in consequence. On the other hand, if you live according to the health laws you will stay well.

It is exactly the same with the other laws—the laws that govern happiness, popularity, progress and success. They are easy and simple when they have been shown to you, but like the health laws, it took a long time for the human race to recognize or appreciate them.

The great teachers of the Mystic Success Club know these laws. They studied them for years. I, who am talking to you now, sought the world over for this knowledge and I obtained it, mostly from India.

I want you to have our four wonderful Degrees. You will find that our First Degree is a special Health Degree, composed for the special purpose of starting members right; with a good, healthy, properly working physical body on this physical plane—to impart peace of mind, quiet, tranquil nerves and sound refreshing sleep, so that the mind is clear and calm, so that the understanding is keen and able. We are thoroughly practical, and each step is thoroughly tested AND JUST WHAT YOU NEED.

We give you the Four Degrees, one each month for four months. Each Degree is to be studied for a few minutes every day during the month in which you receive it. You will find that the work has been made delightfully easy and a real pleasure for you, and it will help you wonderfully with your day's duties, and it produces results which delight and astonish new members. And when I say this I include those who joined us, even in a doubting and unbelieving spirit. They did not see how it could be. I might add here that they cannot see the electric current traveling along the wire, but that invisible electricity produces marvelous results which all know of afterward. Therefore these great mystic laws that have been studied, appreciated and understood are now given to you in such simple form, so easily understood, that anyone and everyone may benefit.

The other Degrees that I shall send you teach you how to become receptive, how to have a mind open for the truths and knowledge that will come to you. Furthermore, I show you how to become magnetic and attractive, whereby one gains friends and opportunities.

After you have had your Four Degrees, I have a course of Confidential Messages for you and a set of Sealed Instructions, but these, for certain good reasons, I cannot let anyone have until the Four Degrees have been faithfully worked through. I now expect you to carefully observe the directions which I send to new members after they have joined the Club, and later on I want you to tell me of your gain and progress.

The Club does not charge anything for membership. It was organized for the purpose of spreading Health, Happiness and Prosperity and extending the mission of the Magazine of Mysteries, which is true and good that to distribute this Magazine is the most valuable and surest way of spreading uplift and righteous influence. Therefore in order to get the Magazine into more homes, we give a life membership, in the Mystic Success Club, together with its benefits and advantages, to any sister or brother who will send four one-dollar subscriptions to the Magazine of Mysteries to any U. S. A. address. Some people get their friends to subscribe and collect the four dollars and send them in, while others who are in better financial circumstances give the four subscriptions as presents to four friends. I want you to send in four subscriptions from anywhere in the United States in any way most convenient to yourself, and remember that for each dollar received the Magazine will be sent for four whole years, whereas the former subscription price was \$1.00 for one year instead of, as now, \$1.00 for four years. So you see that this offer is very liberal, and it is certainly easy to get a person to subscribe a dollar for this magazine of good cheer and uplift.

Now, friends, I want a special addition to our Club during the next sixty days. Take this as a personal message from me, get your subscriptions, send them to the Magazine, and I will have you made a Life Member of the Mystic Success Club.

Yours faithfully,

BROTHER THEODORE.

THE MYSTIC SUCCESS CLUB,
OF THE NEW YORK MAGAZINE OF MYSTERIES

SPECIAL DIRECTIONS FOR THIS MONTH

from Brother Theodore

Easily Read with Member's Key

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The Wonderful Degrees
"May all the blessings from the planes through the Eternal One and angels, be ever with you. I am so glad that I am privileged to be a member of such a noble, kind and loving Brotherhood, realizing your helpful prayers and that you all have mine. The Degrees are wonderful. The Third Degree is so wonderful and rich with blessings that it gives me awe and I tremble."
Mrs. A. PERRY

The Best Medicine

"Dear Brother Theodore:

"When I first received my Degree, I did not realize that it would do me any good. I had tried so many faith cures and without getting the right help. My brother, it is certainly grand and I am the happiest person in God's beautiful world to belong to such a grand and happy club as your Success Club. It is the best medicine and tonic for both health and body and may God, the loving Father, help me to bring some more to this beautiful Light."
Yours truly,
S. C.
St. Louis, Mo.

Life Looks More Beautiful

"I have received many blessings since I joined the Mystic Success Club; blessings I never thought of. The First and Second Degrees were beautiful, and especially the prayer of the Second Degree. I will always hold that prayer in mind. Life looks more beautiful to me now. I will never part with my Four Degrees. It is easy for me to go into the Silence when alone, as I have been since a little girl spiritually inclined, and have had dreams and visions that came true. I will pray often for the blessings of Providence to rest upon the founders and members of the 'Mystic Success Club.'"
A Life Member,
ALVERDA F. PINDILL

Cause for Rejoicing

"Oct. 14, 1916.
"To the Blessed Success Club:

"I am sending in my Third Degree. I have been ready for the Fourth. It has been so much help to me. Oh, I feel so thankful that I joined the Success Club. There have been so many great and grand blessings bestowed on me. Since I joined, everything is so much brighter; the way so much smoother; my mind so much calmer, and everybody is so kind and lovely. I am not worried at all and my health is so much better."
MRS. ALICE R.

Never Found Its Equal

"I give thanks to God and to the blessed Club for the benefits I have received. I have just finished my Fourth and last Degree, and I wish to say that in the fifty years of my life I have never found anything that would equal it. I have been benefited in every way. My health is better. I have spiritual blessing and I have temporal blessing. I have been guided and strengthened through death and sorrow. The wonderfulness of these Degrees is more than I can express."
RACHEL L. EVANS

Better in Every Way

"Hope I will be ready for my Fourth Degree, which I will be anxiously awaiting, for I love to work out these Degrees. Since I joined the Mystic Success Club I feel more calm, cheerful and hopeful; and work that once seemed a drudgery to me now seems a pleasure. I can work hard all day and don't get tired like I used to. I feel much better in every way.
"Wishing you all much happiness and prosperity."
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WANTED TO SLEEP

Curious That a Tired Preacher Should Have Such Desire.

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The Air We Breathe

By Jean Holland

Written especially for The New York Magazine of Mysteries

The health of the mental and bodily functions, the spirit, temper, disposition, the correctness of the judgment and brilliancy of the imagination, depend directly upon pure air.—*Huxley and Towns, Physiol.*
It seems as if the intellect resembled that law of nature by which we now inspire, now expire the breath.—*Emerson.*

THE air we breathe is the only thing we have which comes to us absolutely free and without cost. It is priceless because it is the one thing necessary to sustain life. Without it we die instantly. We may be able to live for many days without food, a much shorter time without water, but never without air to fill our lungs.

Man owns the earth, and to a great extent controls the water supply; but "God breathed into man the breath of life" and has sustained him with an everlasting supply of air, which no single individual, corporation or Trust has been able to monopolize.

There is supposed to be as much difference in the quality of air as of water or food, but our manner of inhaling it and expelling it from our lungs determines our health, happiness and long life.

The mountain air seems fresher and more invigorating than the confined air of the valley or the house. The sea air has another quality, and gives new life and energy to those having always lived in the interior; but is at times too strong for sensitive persons long accustomed to it, who in turn find benefit from the inland. The air from the pines is said to be healing, like balsam taken into the stomach. Many physicians send their patients to Southern California, to Florida, France

ment; while we do not breathe as much air when asleep as when awake and active, we must try and have it always pure.

It has become quite a fad for consumptives, and also for perfectly healthy people, to sleep out of doors, even in winter, protected by a veranda and the warmest clothing.

People now select the upper floors of the "sky-scraping apartment houses" in the city, thinking that they get more of God's sunshine, better air and less dust from the street than can be obtained on the first or second floors.

We all love to inhale the breath of the honeysuckle and the rose while comfortably seated on the veranda of our country homes. As before stated, the special advantage of air in different localities is largely a mental condition. You can in any place breathe in the breath of everlasting life if you only breathe out the breath of Infinite Love to all mankind.

On the day of Pentecost, when the disciples acted like men drunken with wine, because of the activity of the Divine Spirit, was the air surrounding them different from that of other days? No. They were filled with the Holy Ghost—spirit, or breath—"and they spake the word of God with boldness."

The holy spirit of breath came from the inner, and was not the outer or physical breath. This was inspiration direct from God, and is, in a measure, the inspiration of the poet and all who come close to the Divine Power.

The fact that many of the most inspired writings have been written under adverse conditions—on beds of sickness, in caves and prison cells—is proof that the power

Faith

I set my feet upon the rock
Of Thy divine all-righteousness;
And, thus secure, I wait and knock,
Knowing Thou wilt receive and bless.

For every soul must stand alone
And speak the word that makes him free;
The Master, standing near the throne,
Is listening, and will answer thee.

So, firmly speak and boldly knock;
Thou hast the key; will it unlock
The door of every mystery:
Then softly breathe that Name divine—
It will unvail the inner shrine.

Nettie Eliot McIntosh

and Italy for the air, which is universal, but which, to the mind of man, is of different quality in these different countries. Dr. Garrett Newkirk says:

"The first problem is to get pure air and to get it all the time. Pure air is to be had out of doors, never in a house. Furthermore, pure air is not to be had in a neighborhood of houses, barns and of many animals. To obtain air, the freest from contaminating dust, pure lung food, one must go to a place where there is little else but air between the earth and the sky. The secret of all good in Southern California air consists in the fact that between the mountains and the sea there lies a zone protected and equalized in its temperature, with infrequent rainfall. These conditions make possible the living out of houses in the open." Yet Dr. Newkirk adds: "The air in itself is everywhere practically the same," and "that as many die in California as elsewhere who might live, but—if, if," etc.

The whole truth in a nutshell is, not the kind of air we breathe, or in what place, but in our manner of breathing it and the attitude of mind that controls the act. If we are told by one whom we look upon as authority that we must go to this place or that in order to live, we must go, unless we can rally our God-given rights to think and act for ourselves.

We know that the air of the daytime is different from the air of night, because during the day the air is warmed and vitalized by the sun. The air at night is good air to breathe, and it is important that we freely admit it into our sleeping-rooms, else we breathe over and over again the confined air of the closed apart-

was not dependent upon the inhalation of the outer or physical air alone.

By breathing impure air we generate impure thoughts, and unless we have control over our mental condition such thinking leads us into evil, sickness and finally death.

However, one need not go to Mt. Pisgah, the Vale of Cashmere or to Pasadena to witness the "Tournament of Roses" that welcomes the New Year on each January 1; but you must reach the mountain-top of consciousness to obtain that which is called *inspiration*.

Coming back to the everyday side of the subject we are told that among the "Fresh Air Children" who are annually transplanted from the city slums into the green fields of the country, there was one who grew weary and sick at heart and said he "didn't like it, and wanted to go home." In his childish simplicity he spoke his mind. Of what benefit was the change of air and scene to the homesick lad, who longed for mother and the familiar scenes of the street?

So with the man of business and responsibility. He does not want to be told what he needs. To go away at a critical time means an extra tug to his already overloaded mind; but when he is free from his care he can go in peace, with a light heart, and all the world looks good and beautiful to him.

Happy the one who does not leave the Supreme Power as a "last resort," and does not trust alone to air or sea or sky, for "the kingdom of heaven is within you," and the God that creates is the power that heals.

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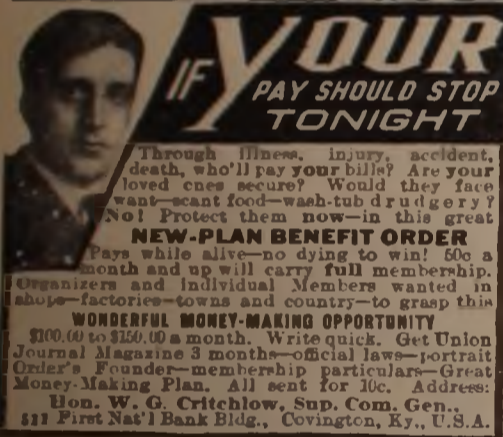
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"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God."—Matt. v. 8.

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"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called the children of God."—Matt. i. 9.

BELOVED, That you may cleanse your mind and heart of all that would screen you from the Highest we present this text for your purification and renewal. Ask yourself these questions: What is it to be pure in heart? Is it to be free from malice, from unkindness, from worry and all evil thinking? Is it to be open toward love and loveliness, so the whole heart is white with purity? **AM I PURE IN HEART?**

When with all your heart you desire this purity you will become as a little child, clean, pure and trustful. When you long for this with a great longing you may say, "BLESSED ARE THE PURE IN HEART, FOR THEY SHALL SEE GOD," and you will begin to PERCEIVE AND KNOW THE PERFECT GOOD. You will be able to discern truth and to be established in peace.

This text will open many avenues of thought to you, Beloved, that will cause you to see a new world and new people around you. You will see beneath the crust of selfishness, ignorance, and impurity the white light of purity—that wonderful spark of the Great Fire—the consuming Love which is God, and you will judge by this the real nature of people you have before condemned. Then it will be possible to forgive them and love them with that white, warm love which makes you a CONNECTED PART of God.

Be faithful at the noontime, if only a few moments, to say, BLESSED ARE THE PURE IN HEART, FOR THEY SHALL SEE GOD.

The evening text will follow the one at noonday as naturally as the night follows the day.

Who that is pure can fail to have peace? Is not the pure one he who is close to God, receiving every moment a clearer vision of heavenly things, a better understanding of Life and the living?

What better preparation than this for the title of peacemaker—one who restores harmony, one who, like the rosy light of a summer dawn, reveals what was before hidden, though it be the "beauty of holiness," rather than the beauty of earth?

BLESSED ARE THE PEACEMAKERS, FOR THEY SHALL BE CALLED THE CHILDREN OF GOD.

Yes, because they give EVIDENCE of their sonship.

If you are in a strange city or country and can give satisfactory EVIDENCE of your honorable family, whose credit has been established through worthy ancestors, will you not be received with honor and given every opportunity to prove YOURSELF equally worthy, and when you have so proven, will you not be called into immediate and active positions of trust and responsibility?

So it is with all the family of God. Wherever they go, if they give EVIDENCE of their birthright and individual worth, they will be given name, place and work.

You are already a child of God, Beloved, but are you a peacemaker?

When you are a peacemaker you will be known and accepted of all the world AS a child of God. Your credentials will never be questioned, because, being a peacemaker, you prove your right to the name and the work.

The whole world will be open to you, and the key of its cities will be given you.

As you enter your chamber at night, this beautiful "BLESSED ARE THE PEACEMAKERS" upon your lips and in your heart, you will be able, through the power of your love and thought, to go forth as a ministering angel, saying, "Peace" to troubled hearts, "peace" where anger rages, "peace" where fear overwhelms, "peace" where death threatens.

And the star of peace shall be upon your brow and the peace that passeth understanding in your heart.

BLESSED ARE THE PEACEMAKERS, FOR THEY SHALL BE CALLED THE CHILDREN OF GOD.

Realization

By Florence M. Pierce

A GREAT white Presence brooding o'er the earth,
A great white Silence brooding in the soul;
My love, that once divided by itself,
Wedded to Thee, now makes a perfect whole.

The flowers and birds are hushed to dreamless sleep,
The Earth's mother-breast soothes many a tired head;
And in the starry heavens Thine eyes keep watch
For wayworn souls and weary, straying feet.

Only a little journey back to Thee
But, wiffully, we choose a winding, devious way,
And climb the steep, with garments soiled and torn,
With bleeding feet, and eyes that cannot see.

Behold the day is flushing all the East,
Earth springs to life and dons her lovely robes;
The birds burst forth in one melodious strain—
Wake, Love, it is the Heavenly Marriage Feast!

Every charitable act is a stepping-stone toward Heaven.—HENRY WARD BEECHER.

Suffice it that he never brought
His conscience to the public mart;
But lived himself the truth he taught.
White-souled, clean-handed, pure of heart.

Whittier.

Better to buy a cheap bouquet
And give it to your friend this very day,
Than a bushel of roses, white and red,
To put on his coffin when he is dead.

A bone to the dog is not charity.
Charity is the bone shared with the dog
when you are just as hungry as the dog.

HOW I KILLED MY SUPERFLUOUS HAIR

Even After Beauty Doctors, Electricity, Powders, Pastes and Liquid Depilatories Failed.

(From a Correspondent)

"Killed" seems a strong word to use, but it is just what I wanted to do to the hair that figured my face and arms—I wanted to kill it root and all, so that it would never grow again. It spoiled my looks, made me seem old and business success.

I tried the ordinary dissolvents and depilatories, but found them worthless—even dangerous. From a so-called specialist, I secured electrical treatment. It was painful and expensive, but I would have stood the suffering and cost had I not found the needle (electricity) often leaves scars that are even worse than the disfiguring hair itself.



So I gave up hope and in despair resigned myself to being called the "hairy lady" for the rest of my life, until a travelled friend persuaded me to try a new and easy method learned from the Japanese. In it I found a way to actually kill the hair, and I permanently removed the superfluous growth, at the same time improving my complexion.

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Travels in Astral Body.—SAM C. Your experience is a rather common one. The astral or real self sees distant countries and people, and this is accomplished in one of two ways. The astral self or real individual leaves the sleeping body or temporary physical plane and travels, sometimes, the wide world over and even visits other planets, although this latter experience is not so common. Or else the astral self becomes so liberated that from where it may be it realizes cosmic consciousness, becoming thus a conscious part of the All.

Using the Planchette.—ELISA, N. J. During the past two years, since I have been connected with the Magazine, I have often advised my readers to leave the Planchette, the Ouija Board and all forms of automatic writing and mediumship severely alone. There are many and great dangers connected with tampering with the astral plane and good spirits will not come and use the personality of those still in the flesh. They know that they have no right to trespass in this way and are therefore considerate. The evil or earthbound spirits lack this consideration, but in order to gain an entrance they claim to be other than what they are and at first will be careful and conservative regarding their statements. But as time goes on, all who are foolish enough or unwise enough to submit to automatic writing will find, just as you have done, that the communications become untruthful, unreliable and bad in many ways.

Help Given.—It is pleasant to receive letters, thanking one for advice which has been beneficial, and help which is appreciated. While I do not accept any fees or remuneration for anything I do, yet the vibrations of gratitude are helpful and encouraging. For instance, one dear reader who required special help and to whom I have given it, writes that the advice and instructions I sent made her look many years younger and she also says: "My health, since you gave me the special instructions, has improved steadily and people are amazed." She adds as follows: "Any ill will or feeling I had for this, that or the other person I have blown from my fingers like thistle-down. They no longer wound me with their petty spite, rather I feel pity for them as I look down upon them from a height as it were. How foolish it is to waste one's time so; if they would only open their eyes and hearts to the finer things of life they would be brighter also and renew their youth." This sister tells me also of certain visions, and I wish to inform her that the colors she has observed in them are conclusive proof that she has made unusual progress, and I congratulate her most sincerely.

The Higher Development.—A. V., Australia. I recognize and advocate kinship to animals and the sanctity of life, but when it comes to parasites and venomous reptiles which endeavor to prey upon you or injure and even destroy you, the law of self-preservation is the law to justly observe. Reincarnation is the only way whereby the inequalities you speak of can be explained, and astrology is part and parcel of reincarnation. However reincarnation can and does go on in other spheres and upon other planets. What

COMES A TIME

When Coffee Shows What It Has Been Doing.

"Of late years coffee has disagreed with me," writes a matron from Rome, N. Y. "Its lightest punishment being to make me 'logy' and dizzy, and it seemed to thicken up my blood.

"The heaviest was when it upset my stomach completely, destroying my appetite and making me nervous and irritable, and sent me to my bed. After one of these attacks, in which I nearly lost my life, I concluded to quit the coffee and try Postum.

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you speak of as your experiences during sleep are easily explained. The astral self or real YOU is liberated during sleep from the earthly and temporary envelope and therefore sees and understands things which it cannot when limited by the physical body during waking moments. I quite appreciate the sense of loss you experience sometimes in "coming back," but remember that the physical is a school in which we are placed to gain certain experiences.

Passing It On.—A reader sent me on a postal card the following: "Whatever you have done to the least among you—that you have done to me, shall be justified in you—dear Brother Servator." This applies just as much to any of us who try to help those who are in need of help.

Prudence Necessary.—O. M. B. I want you and all my readers to be careful about your health and to especially avoid speculation of any form, from the end of this summer. A judicious small investment in real estate is all right, but I want to warn you all regarding stocks and shares. Better let them alone.

War.—OSCAR M. You are quite wrong. War is not necessary and could be done away with. Why, my dear man, you argue in favor of war just as people used to mistakenly argue about fighting duels. What a silly, senseless, cruel, uncivilized method of settling a dispute dueling was! War is dueling by masses of men instead of by individuals. War is wholesale murder. How can you talk in favor of people killing each other, making widows and orphans, causing endless misery and suffering over a dispute or misunderstanding that can be easily settled by arbitration? In spite of the fact that many navies and armies are increasing, the sentiment against war is increasing still more rapidly, and in ten years the leading nations will never battle again with each other.

Thin and Run Down People.—F. J. M. You and many others have asked me how to put on flesh and how to get over the nervous, languid physical condition. I happen to know and can tell you, so I want to tell it that all my readers may profit by the knowledge. The safest and quickest method is to take a teaspoonful of Kada-Yaga, the Body Builder, three times a day, and it is the only sure way that I can give you. Drugs and medicines won't do you any good. In fact, they do harm and the increase of sickness, nervousness, constipation, dyspepsia, hospitals and asylums all plainly prove that drugs and medicines have been worse than useless. WAKE UP TO THE ACTUAL LAW OF CAUSE AND EFFECT. You cannot build a house without building material. You cannot build up your body and strength without proper materials also. Drugs and medicines are not materials for you any more than they would be for a house. I want you to write to Mr. James R. Allison, 647 W. 43d St., New York City, and he will take a personal interest in the letters from any of my readers.

Just a word how people run down. Most people nowadays do not get the proper kind of food. For instance, wheat has all its best and most nourishing elements rejected and given to animals, and the human race simply gets the white flour, which has very little nourishment in it. Besides this, the exhausted flour clogs and constipates and causes most of the appendicitis cases, to say nothing of other ailments. Also, people get foods preserved with chemicals, hastily swallowed meals and suffer from the artificial life of modern civilization. It is a pace that taxes the nervous system, to say nothing of the awful wear and tear in the body and brain. All this shows that the body cells and the nervous system and the brain should be specially supplied and are in urgent need of true nourishment, and in Kada-Yaga there is JUST EXACTLY WHAT IS NEEDED. No drugs in Kada-Yaga, but perfect nourishment in the form of the tonic building principles extracted from special foods. These are highly condensed and scientifically combined, and let me say that it is a slow, careful process to extract these food principles, and in Kada-Yaga there is the best of the best, the safest, the purest and the surest of anything on the earth for you. I have personally known of hundreds benefited by Kada-Yaga. They considered it marvelous, some of them almost thought it was a miracle, but there again we have the law of cause and effect. Kada-Yaga gives just what the starving cells crave, and these cells eagerly absorb the Kada-Yaga. Every grain is condensed energy and nourishment, which is liberated in the stomach and taken by the body for its own good.

At a meeting of doctors one night I brought up the subject of Kada-Yaga and

told them what it was composed of and how it was made, and they agreed with me that it was about the finest builder and flesh creator and health restorer of anything that the world possesses. One of these physicians jokingly said: "If every one knew of Kada-Yaga, we doctors would have no business." You can take it from me that Kada-Yaga is absolutely safe and can be given with every advantage even to a sick baby. So to anyone who feels depressed, ailing and weak or wants to get plumper, which also means improved looks, write at once, for the sooner you start to take Kada-Yaga the sooner you will be restored to health and good condition. The old proverb, "A stitch in time saves nine," holds good with you right now. They send a box containing six days' supply of Kada-Yaga for ten cents. A box containing thirty days' supply costs \$1.00 and do as you please about the size of the box you are going to get, but personally I should advise you to get the large box so that your treatment will not be interrupted, and it only costs about three cents a day. Prepare for the summer's trials. Fortify yourself and get strong and well, because you will find that everything comes so much easier for you, both work and social duties, and you will get sound, refreshing sleep and find that you are happier and more contented. So write to Mr. James R. Allison, 647 W. 43d St., New York City, and start with your Kada-Yaga immediately.

Our Responsibility.—O. C. There's a disposition to gravitate toward the true, the good, the real. It is the law of affinity—a cosmic-chemical law—and when you understand it you realize the responsibility and moral obligation that rests on every one of us. For instance, take the oft-seen case of a church congregation singing out of tune, off the key, out of time and so on. Suddenly one clear, true voice will sound out from the rest and naturally and instantly every voice and every singer will fall into accord, rhythm and pitch. Also, take the little kindnesses we can do and SHOULD do. A crowd, as a rule, will overlook these opportunities to perform little kindnesses and courtesies. Nay, more, the crowd will be prone to ridicule and jeer. Anyway it's a question of the start. A leader can readily turn the tide in one direction or the other. The other evening I was in a restaurant where a new orchestra had been engaged. The players were merely boys, new to playing in public, and their work was something horrible. The people at the various tables commenced to laugh and presently to jeer. I saw what was the trouble, so said to a few of them near me, "Those boys are so frightened and nervous that

they can't do themselves justice. Let us encourage them and give the young fellows a chance." So at the conclusion of the piece, we applauded. The rest of the people looked surprised and then realized what we were after. They joined in the applause. They were really glad to be set on the track of kindly impulse. So the young musicians took heart and they played the next piece very well indeed. After that they were all right and the applause they received later was general, generous and sincere. And every man and woman there felt glad that the Golden Rule had been observed. They always are, and it's just as easy to be kind as to be cruel and the satisfaction is a lasting one.

Imperfect Bodily Development.—S. M. T. I have received a large number of requests from women, asking how to develop an imperfect bust, how to round out hollow places and how to remove wrinkles. To some people these requests might seem to result from vanity, but I do not regard them so. It is the natural desire of everyone to look their best, to do themselves justice, and an undeveloped bust or hollows where there ought to be curves give many good people a great deal of uneasiness and worry. These unfortunate conditions are physical, they are the result of atrophy, or shrinkage of certain cells, tissues and glands. There is a sure, safe and natural way to overcome these defects, and as I have not the time to answer all the inquiries about them by letter, I herewith tell my readers where and how they can obtain results that they can depend upon. Write to Mr. James R. Allison, 647 W. 43d St., New York City, upon this subject and mark your envelope "Personal." Mr. Allison can and will send you what you need and what will remedy the trouble. He has something which is safe and efficient and which solves this problem and anything you may write to him will be considered as confidential.

The Future.—T. W. M. I know four people in this country, and others abroad, upon whom has been conferred ability to read the future. Each of them is often rendered sad by this ability. But, after all, the present is our concern, for it MAKES the future. Live each day as best and as fully as you can.

Oh, give me not to know the hidden future! I would not look beyond at weal or woe—But grant, instead, a heart that for the present is well content; I shall be happy so. Not living in the past where shadows deepen, But looking ever upward, while I say, "Thank God for this." My only need of caution Is how I meet the duties of to-day. SERVATOR.

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God is love; to all mankind,
God is love; the dear words thrill us
To be brave and good and strong.

God is love; oh, children, sing it!
God is love; oh, wondrous song!
Fill the hearts of those about us
With the love of God for man.

God is love; His goodness leads us
To the realms of light beyond.
God is love; oh, hear the message
Which shall make the Nation strong!
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THERE is but one God, and He is the Supreme All! In Him we live, and move and have our being.

The Blessed Lord said: I am the Source of the forthcoming of the whole universe, and likewise the place of its dissolving. I am the radiance in moon and sun, the word of power in all the Vedas; sound in ether and virility in men. The pure fragrance of earth am I. The life of all beings am I, and the austerity in ascetics.

And whosoever is the seed of all beings that am I. Nor is there aught moving or unmoving, that may exist bereft of me. There is no end to my Divine powers.

Whatsoever is glorious, good, beautiful and mighty, understand thou that to go forth from a fragment of my splendors.

God is Great, God is Good, God is All. This suffices.
MISS AGNES E. MARSHLAND,
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I wish to add my tribute to the help from THE MAGAZINE OF MYSTERIES. month I look forward to its receipt, and it is late it is a great disappointment. E. SMITH, Trehan Rd., Cadoston-Barry
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Dear Sirs.—I wish to tell you that your magazine more than any other I have ever taken and find it full of information.
MRS. FRANK, Portland, Ore.

Psychic Experiences

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Every month I receive accounts of visions, dreams and occult happenings from our readers. They come from good, earnest people everywhere—Europe, Asia, Australia, Africa and North and South America—for we have readers all over the world.

I am glad to get all the accounts I can of any spiritistic experience or telepathy, etc. Needless to say, I only want true, actual occurrences. We all have a duty together. Let us observe it.

What a lot of people do get such experiences. And, as the spiritual faculties in the human race are developing, slowly, but surely, more men and women receive these proofs of spirit return, of clairvoyance, of a curious ability to dream of future happenings which come true.

Yes, friends, the general progress and development along the lines of our latent powers and possibilities are so pronounced and unquestionable that the idle scoffer simply admits that he or she has given no thought or investigation to this all-important subject. They betray the confidence of ignorance.

I want you to send me true accounts of psychic experiences. I do not publish names or addresses, unless you specially ask me to do so. But we all have a responsibility in this Dawn of the New Light. So write and let your sisters and brothers know.

Phantasms of the Living

"An elderly lady—friend of mine—had a peculiar experience recently. One of her brothers, a middle-aged man, died, and my friend went to the funeral at her old home. The house being full, she and her husband slept at a hotel, but, after the funeral, the lady went to her old home, while the husband returned to business. It turned out then that the only vacant bed was the one recently occupied by the dead man; but, not being of a nervous disposition, the lady made no objection to sleeping there alone, and so, she went to bed. Some hours later she awoke feeling that she was not alone and saw sitting by the bedside, with his hands over his face, as if in trouble, her other brother (not the one that had just died), dressed in his trousers and waist coat and wearing a black and white check shirt. Seeing he was in trouble she remained silent for a time, but at last got out and lighted the gas, intending to try and comfort him. To her horror he vanished as soon as the gas was lighted. She had no idea that it was not really her brother in his physical body. Next morning as she went down to breakfast she passed her brother in the bathroom, dressed exactly as she had seen him during the night, and, on being questioned, he said he had not slept well and was grieving for his dead brother, of whom he was very fond; that he almost went down to her to be comforted, but refrained, as he did not wish to disturb her rest. This lady is a most matter-of-fact, practical worldly one—not in the least inclined towards anything psychic or occult, and I was much surprised when her daughter told me of the occurrence.

"Last Friday a rather striking thing happened to me. A gentleman musician whom I only know slightly was to play two violin solos at a big concert. Quite by accident I heard his accompanist say that he was to rehearse the solos at 5 o'clock previous to the concert. At 5:15, when I was having my tea, I suddenly turned sick and cold, exactly as if I were a nervous person, performing in public, and, at the same moment, I heard most lovely music. I knew that the soloist was rehearsing, although I did not know either what it was nor what he was to play at the concert. For quite half an hour I was screwed up to concert pitch, just as he must have been too.

"He played that very music at night and I recognized it at once, although I had never heard it before, and shall be pleased to know if any of your readers can remember any such similar event. I did not even know the music—it could not have been a trick of memory."

MRS. A. W.

Spirit Return

"On July 21st I saw my spirit husband and another person. I did not know the other person, but recognized my husband. This occurred about 9:30 at night. He passed to spirit land in 1899. A few months later I saw a nice looking couple sitting on a rustic seat, both looking intently at me. In a few seconds they passed from view. Then a young man came back to me. He was dressed in a broadcloth suit, plug hat, with gloves and cane. He stopped and looked at me for quite a while, but did not speak. I did not know him then. In a few nights his name came to me. It was my first lover who was drowned in the Mississippi River. One night I had a sick headache. About 9 p. m. I sensed the presence of some one in the room; a hand was laid heavily on my head. I shook it off. The next moment I felt the same hand again; this time it was laid gently on my head. I dropped off to sleep and rested until morning."

MRS. L. P.

Was It a Ghost?

"In September number of the Magazine of Mysteries appeared the story of the Beresford case, which recalled to my mind an incident in my own life based on that same story. In my young days I spent a great deal of time in

my sister's family. My brother-in-law loved to argue about the churches. I had read about Lady Beresford's black ribbon, so one day, I banteringly told him, 'If you die first, and it is possible, come and tell us who is right.' In after years, when I was not the same romantic girl, I asked him to dissolve the compact, but he only smiled. He lived to be eighty-four years old and about four years ago he passed on. About three months afterward, I retired one night as usual. I was not asleep, but I suddenly found my astral self down-stairs in the room which we had just left. The room itself was transformed. There was a fireplace and in it burned a cheerful fire. The east end stretched away in a green grove of small shrubbery. At the edge of this grove, facing the fireplace, his hand resting on top of his cane and looking just as he did in life, sat my brother-in-law. My husband sat close by talking to him, to which he would reply by a look or a nod, no spoken word. I straightened up, and, looking toward the clock, I remarked: 'Twenty-five minutes to 12 o'clock.' Then, my brother-in-law spoke for the first time, in slow, measured tones: 'Twenty-five minutes to midnight,' and then the scene faded out gradually. What was it, if it was not clairvoyance? I have seen other things equally strange."

E. M. J.

Unseen Comforter

"The first psychic experience I had was a very comforting experience. I had moved to a new place and everything was very strange. I had an errand to do and had to go out in the evening. I asked my husband to go with me and he refused, so I went alone. When I returned the house was in darkness and my husband had gone out, so I had to go in alone. I was very much afraid for I thought a man had followed me and I could not see which way he went. When I got to my door it was so dark I could not see to unlock it. All at once there was a clear white light. It seemed to cover me and surround me. As I went into the house it followed me and all fears left me. I went to my room and went to bed, and, as I lay thinking of my troubles, I heard the voice of my sister that is in the spirit world. She called my name and told me not to care as it would be all right to go to sleep and rest."

MRS. A. S.

Psychic Faculties

"Just a year ago last December, I with my husband went to the hospital. After undergoing my operation, I recovered rapidly; and along about the tenth day after being at the hospital I awoke one night at the twelfth hour and commenced wringing my hands, seeming to be in great trouble. Then I seemed to hurt all over. By that time awakening my husband and telling him this, something told me the baby was sick. Yet this babe was twenty miles from me in good care of my mother. My husband assured me this was all imagination and that I should put my mind at ease, but seemingly I could not do this and continued

having this misery until daylight. All the time my mind would keep saying, 'The baby is sick.' The following noon came a letter stating the baby was real sick last night, about midnight, but is much better this morning. Another time, just a few days ago, I had left the baby with mother, and went to Columbus on business. At about eleven o'clock, something came over me, 'the baby is hurt,' but, feeling no pain myself, I let that pass from my mind. When returning home, mother said 'the window had fallen down on my baby's finger and mashed it fearfully.' I inquired of the time of this happening and mother said, 'Just about dinner time.' But something more serious than this is coming to me. Just a year and six months ago, tapping came upon my bed, always followed first with a call of my name and an awakening; and these knockings or rappings have left my bed and are on a certain door. Twice I have seen a certain favorite uncle laying in full uniform (he is a soldier) in his beautiful basket. But no death as yet. My father and mother have also heard these knockings."

Mrs. M. F.

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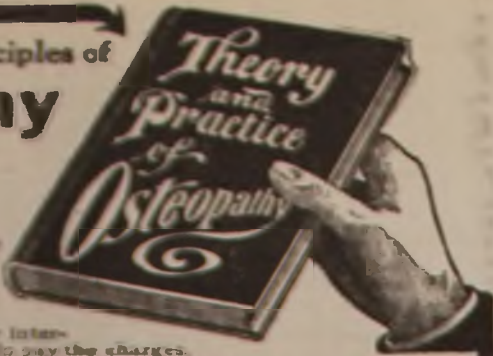


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Experiences in Psychic Phenomena

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be sent from the room, while the remainder of the class would decide upon an article which the subject would call for on entering. On one occasion we decided on the word "glass," and, on the return of the subject, he touched a mirror. The idea was a drinking-glass, but we had not specified so clearly, hence "glass" might mean mirror. Another occasion the subject was to touch a certain gas jet in the room, and, on entering, he walked directly across the room, touched the particular jet, although there were four jets in the room. He got this correctly, because we thought "gas jet over the table." Two of the class decided to send a message to one another on a certain day at a given hour with the following results: Miss B. received, "Will see you to-morrow." The complete message was, "Will see you to-morrow afternoon." The last word, however, was not clear, as Miss J. on sending the message to Miss B. was somewhat dubious about whether it would be afternoon or evening, hence the subjective mind caught the doubt and Miss B. did not receive the last word, as Miss J. had not concentrated on it positively as she had the first of the message, which admitted of no doubt in her mind.

Much has been related of the wonders of clairvoyance, but the writer's only experience has been with hypnotic clairvoyance, or what is termed by some psychists as "soul flight."

A certain very successful hypnotist, whom we will call Mr. G., was greatly interested in this phase of the science. He had several very good subjects, but his most successful one was a small boy, about ten. So frequently had he been under the influence of Mr. G. that he never resisted. Mr. G. brought the boy before the class and gazing at him intensely, said, "You wish to go to sleep, Ted." The boy nodded his assent and assumed a comfortable position in the chair. After a few soothing passes and a few words in monotone, he was fast asleep. Mr. G. then asked that we test the clairvoyant powers of the subject. One of the gentlemen—who, by the way, was a physician—asked that the boy be sent to his home, and describe same. None of us had ever seen the physician's home and were delighted with the idea. He gave the street and number, which the operator communicated to the subject. In a few minutes the boy answered that he was there. The operator advised that he enter the house, and in a short time he began to describe the furnishings of the house in a manner that amazed the doctor. He laid special stress on a walnut card-table and a mahogany-cased mirror, which were especially prized by the doctor, having been in his mother's family for years. He stated that everything as the boy described was accurate and marveled at the power. One of the ladies asked that he go to her home, which was about eight miles from the city. Having the direction of travel given him by the operator, the street and number, the boy remained quiet for several minutes, then, "I'm there." He was directed to enter. Apparently trying the door, he stated it was locked. (Here the lady in question looked skeptical, as the front was a store, and never closed until midnight; It was now barely 9 p. m.) He repeated that the door was locked, and was told to go to the rear and enter the kitchen. This he did, and started back, as two dogs were barking at him. This she stated as correct, as she had two dogs. He described them both, adding, "You got cheated on the white one" (which was true, as discovered later). He said the house was in darkness, but he saw a light on the stairs. On being told to go upstairs, he hesitated a minute, being afraid. Then he went up and immediately got excited. Rapidly he described the scene. A large man in bed with a doctor bandaging his leg. A small, dark woman standing near. This seemed so far out of the way that the lady immediately called her home to prove to Mr. G. that his subject was in error. Imagine her surprise to learn that her husband had met with an accident, was in bed, her sister, who had been attending the store, having closed same, and gone to assist the doctor in bandaging the injured limb. Surely this was a convincing instance of the power of the clairvoyant.

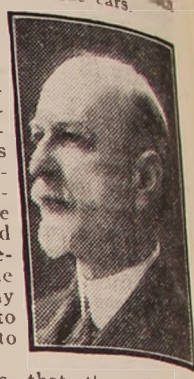
Again the same subject was brought before the class hypnotized, and this time directed to go to the local theatre, where a performance was booked. On passing into a sound sleep, he seemed delighted at the opportunity of going to a show. He became animated and clapped his hands. On being directed how to get there, he answered, "Oh, I know the way." Arriving at the theatre, he was very hesitant about going in, on account of having no money for a ticket. Being told by the operator to go in, he no longer hesitated, and laughed as he "sneaked" by the ticket taker. Then he seated himself in the balcony, and referred to it as the first time he had been in the part where they had the "cushion" seats. During the overture he was all enthused, clapped his hands loudly at the close and leaned far over the chair when the curtain rose on the first act. His facial expression was a study as the act progressed, and when Mr. G. told him to leave his seat and go behind the stage, he did so very reluctantly. He spoke of passing through the "pit" and

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For the preservation of his subject and that he might not be abused by other operators, Mr. G. had "locked" this subject. He had given him a suggestion while asleep that no one could induce hypnosis in him, and, after awakening, while Ted expressed his willingness to be hypnotized by any of the class, none of us were able to affect him, although we were all quite proficient in this line. Another feature was that while he was asleep he heard only the voice of the operator. We were all anxious to ask questions of him, and did so, but he was deaf to all sounds but the voice of the operator.

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Heart Talks

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Consider the lilies, they toil not, They spin not, but listen and know The dearest flower secret of blooming. They fear not, but trustfully grow. "Fear not"—the command is God-given. Obey, for the mandate is clear; And as sure as God is your Father There is nothing to fear but fear.

Our Father is rich, he is mighty, The heavens and earth he has made, And we are his children, he keeps us, Why need a King's child be afraid? Let's claim our great birthright—be royal—Courageous, reliant, sincere, Be worthy, be daring and loving For there's nothing to fear but fear.

Fear not—this means be afraid of nothing. All things which we feel that we ought to do we can do with the help of our all-powerful, all-loving, kindly Father; all things we know we ought not to do we will be kept from doing if we put our trust in Him. He is always ready to help and there is nothing to be afraid of. All through life he will help us, and when we come to the valley of the death shadow he will still be with us.

Fear nothing. God will take care of us, for he cares for us. We have only to do our best. "Our best" is the electric button which we are to push and manage. It will turn on the electric currents of heavenly strength and wisdom, and God will do the rest, after we have done our best.

And let me tell you something. These little duties, these little cares which so fret you must be done bravely and cheerfully and the very best you can do them. For they are fitting you for the great experiences when they come. It is only by doing the little things well and faithfully that power comes for the greater experiences, just as the tiny drops of water make the rushing river and the separate sunbeams make the all-glorious sun.

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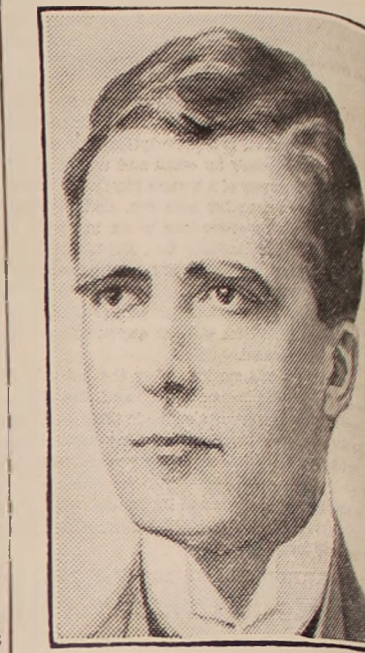
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The Choir Invisible

My heart was heavy with a load of care
 The empty soul had a voice in prayer
 I wondered, forth arose to ease my pain,
 Thinking purchase to find my God again.

'Twas eventide, all nature lay at rest,
 Only my soul was heavy and oppressed:
 For life seemed empty now, so near bereft
 Was I of joy, there seemed no gladness left.

Amid the silence of God's acre! lone with grief
 I wandered 'mong the turrets, some sweet belief
 In mother's teachings, memories of prayer
 Bids o'er my addled spirit unaware.

"Thy will be done! on earth as it is in
 Heaven."
 Oh, Father, may such grace to me be given!
 Speak, Lord, what is thy will for me?
 Will Thou not set my weary spirit free?"

Then through the shadows swept a soft refrain
 Of tender music, comforting my pain:
 "Abide with Me, for falls the eventide,
 The darkness deepens, oh, with me abide!"

Flowers and surging through the silent place
 Came the sweet bidding of my Father's grace:
 "Abide with Me," the spirit seemed to say,
 Cling close to love, and cast thy fears away.

I entered quietly, the church was dim,
 Hardly the organ played my mother's hymn.
 Then from some curtained niche hid from my sight
 Sweet voices sang again: "Lead, kindly light."

Thus sang that choir invisible, until there came
 A blessed sense of peace: and once again
 My heart could answer, 'mid the shadowy gloom,
 "Thy will, O Father, not mine own be done."

Soft swelled the organ tones, sweet voices rang,
 Through the dim aisles, as once again they sang:
 "For ever with the Lord, Amen, so let it be,
 Life from the dead is in that word, 'tis Immortality."

Fast flowed my tears, the first mine eyes had shed,
 But oh! my heart's deep pain was comforted,
 And now for me, "those angel faces smile
 Whom I have loved long since and lost awhile."

Mrs. J. Harris Roberts.

Love

Love is the life we live for God.
 In loving the fruits my life has increase.
 In loving the flowers my life grows beautiful.
 In loving the birds my life is winged
 with newer joys. In loving the beasts
 strength and gentleness minister their fullness
 unto me. Then my love helps them to become
 a finer grape, a richer flower, a happier bird,
 a nobler horse—my love is a worship acceptable
 unto God. My love is the life I live for God.
 When I love what He has made, my love is a joy
 unto Him. His delight in a bird completes when I am
 at joy in its song.

As I worship He ministers to me the sacrament
 and sings to me the hymn. I cannot but yield
 my life unto Him! I cannot but passionately love
 Him! I cannot but devotedly serve Him! He is my
 life, the life I live. I am His life, the life He
 lives that He may be known and loved of men.

In the meadow flock of sheep! Their voices
 are the voices of love. He gently calls to her.
 As gently she replies, Love unto love, and
 motherhood enters into her glory. Another has
 come to be. And so the flocks come across the
 wasting centuries. Abraham's filled the plains
 before his eyes and passed. But here before my
 eyes are flocks, and flocks will be unto the end.
 How endlessly God lives His life for us! The
 sheep gives its treasures of wool. I am clothed,
 clothed by the love of God! And my horse? Is
 he not, too, fashioned of the love of God? Is it
 not God's love that is as the fires of life within
 him? Then, O marvel of love! God pulls my
 burdens and plows my fields. In Christ He not
 only gives Himself, but in everything! In every-
 thing is His love living for us. I cannot but
 worship Him in the strength of my horse. I cannot
 but in my horse be kind to Him who beyond
 measure is kind to me. I may say grace in a
 prayer of gratitude. This He will not refuse.
 But kindness is the grace we pay unto God. In
 such grace is His deeper delight. I cannot reach
 unto the skies to be kind to Him. He must have
 kindness there that my poor need of service He
 would not miss. But here! Here in my horse I
 may be kind unto Him, and gratefully He will
 receive that grace of me. I may be kind to Him
 in all the lives in which He lives His love for
 us. I may feed a hungry bird, and the kindness
 is unto Him. I may bind up the wound of a dog,
 and the kindness is unto Him. The Maha-Bharata
 tells us that King Yudhi-Sthira forsook his
 kingdom to find Indra, and he united infinitely
 with the Almighty God. His faithful dog follows
 him clear to the heavenly gates to which he was
 allowed to go without death. The gates would
 open for him, but shut to his dog. He says to
 Indra:

"This hound hath ate with me,
 Followed me, loved me; must I leave
 him now?"

Gratitude

The holiest altar fire I can kindle is gratitude
 in another's heart. In that fire he is as certainly
 as in any burning bush. The sweetest sound I can
 hymn to Him is the voice of my brother shaping a
 gratitude for a kindness done. I may lie on the
 grass and look into the blue depths of His sky,
 reaching out my hand and yearning that His hands
 clasp mine. My hands will be empty of His touch.
 But when a friend's hand holds mine, my desire to
 feel the clasp of God's hand is fulfilled. How beautiful
 that He comes so by the tender indication of my
 lovers and friends! How wonderful that the word of
 His love is made flesh that I may behold His glory
 in the face of my friend, that I may hear him speak
 to me in the voice of my friend. How true? How
 true? that

Love is the life God lives for us.

How can I help loving him? How can I find a joy
 other than serving him? I need not distress my heart
 with learned theologies about Him. Whatever anyone
 may say I need not fear Him, for He is love, and
 in love there is no hurt or hatred, no wickedness
 of wrath to wreck. I need not worry that He does
 not send angels unto me to tell me His will. Perplexity
 ends in this—that simply by loving I am knowing
 God, and experiencing the holiness of His life.

Let your hand be a helpful hand, never shadowed
 with an unkindness. Love your friends and be happy
 with them. Love your lovers and rejoice in them.
 Love life, Delight in it as a little child delights in
 it. All love is of God. In all love He lives. In love
 we find Him. His love that is in all and through
 all is able to overcome all our discords, and attune
 us to perfect life. Simply let love have her perfect
 work. Grapes of gladness grow because God is love.
 Everything lives because God is love. You are
 because God is love. Love is everywhere in every-
 thing, and love is the life God lives for us.

Truth

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 Our highest truths are but half-truths.
 Think not to settle down forever in truth.
 Make use of it as a tent in which to pass a
 summer night, but build no house of it
 or it will be your tomb.
 When you find the old truth irksome and
 confining,
 When you first have an inkling of
 insufficiency, and begin to desert a
 counter-truth looming up beyond,
 Then weep not, but give thanks.
 It is the Lord's voice, whispering, "Get
 up thy bed and walk."

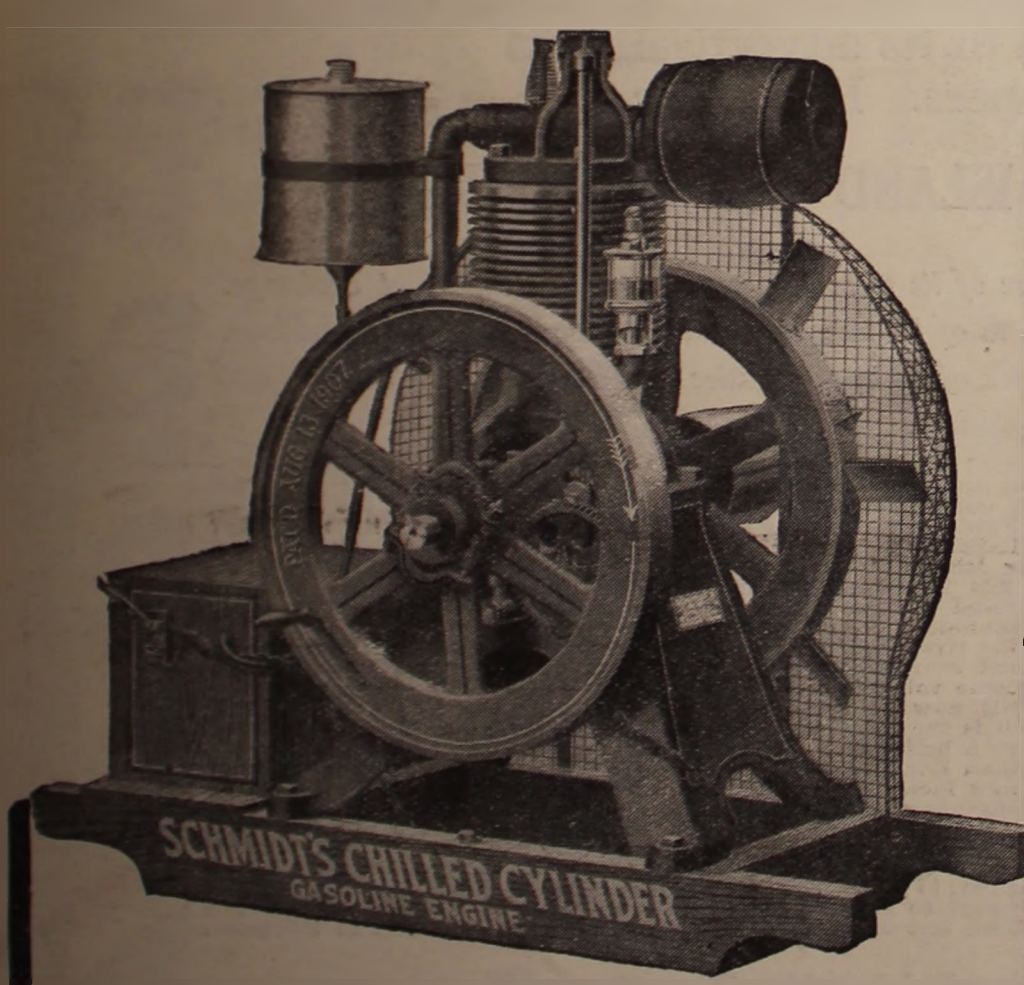
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 The truth is one with the way and the life.
 It is the climbing, zigzag road which
 must travel:
 It is the irrepressible growth which
 must experience.
 Hail the new truth as the old truth
 from the dead;
 Hail it, but forget not that it, too, will
 prove to be a half-truth;
 For sooner or later we shall have to descend
 it also at another and loftier stage
 of our journey.

Do not fear to hope. Can poet's brain
 More than the father's heart rich
 invent?
 Each time we smell the autumn's daisy
 scent
 We know the primrose time will
 again.

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Scatter Sunshine—there's enough
 shadow along life's way;
 Enough of sorrow and want and woe;
 So the thing to do is, be brave and true,
 And scatter Sunshine where'er you go.

A little thing, a sunny smile,
 A loving word at Morn,
 And all day long the sun shone bright,
 The cares of life were made more light,
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