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Section One

**Thousands Attribute Their Happiness
and Success to Dr. J. Ross Deamude**

Dr. Deamude is the man who discovered, and definitely formulated The Twelve Laws of the Subconscious Mind, on which *all* knowledge of occult science is based.

Dr. Deamude *can* and *will* teach you more about *how* to become master of your conditions, circumstances, environment, social prestige, happiness and success than you can possibly learn elsewhere.

Dr. Deamude says:

"It is your sacred duty to yourself to get ALL the happiness; ALL the love; ALL the luxury and ALL the success you *can*, from now on during the rest of your life!"

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The Most Important Thing In Life To You

YOUR Success and YOUR Happiness in business, love, marriage and health, are *the Most Important Things in Life to YOU.*

How much would life be worth—if you *knew* that you were *doomed to failure* in business; to *failure* in love; failure to obtain the *luxuries, happiness, money and comforts* you crave AND ARE ENTITLED TO? If you knew that you were doomed to such an existence, would life be worth the struggle?

Thousands today concede that they are *failures*—needlessly failures in business, in *love*, in the *home* and elsewhere. Think of the pity, the sorrow, sadness, want and despair in the hearts of the thousands of unhappy individuals; and that it's ALL UNNECESSARY! No one is *willingly* enslaved to such a fate; *no one* of normal intelligence *need be* enslaved to such unfortunate circumstances; and yet it is a fact that thousands of people have unconsciously *sentenced themselves* to such a sad existence.

Knowledge Will Make You Free

This book contains not only startling facts about *psychology*, but brings you a message of *priceless value*, if you seek happiness, success and health. It introduces you to many amazing possibilities. It asks you questions of profound importance to yourself, and reveals the answers.

Have you struggled in vain to attain happiness and success? Then read carefully and thoughtfully clear to the end of this "Little Messenger," until you are face to face with the *real test*. Then, take the next step forward with *boldness* and *decision*, and the door to realization will swing wide open for you.

You ask: "*by what power or agency can success be brought about?*"

In order clearly to answer this question you are requested to consider a strange fact.

An Amazing Revelation of Mysterious Powers

Is it merely a coincidence that a "promise" which was made long ago by the Prophets, Seers, Sages and Saviours of past ages about "A power within you, capable of getting anything you desire," is also made today by noted scientists?

The old seers *promised* this. Scientists today *prove* that *there is* a power within you that can be harnessed, directed and used to make *YOUR* greatest wish in life come true. Is this coincidence? No! It is a "*TRUTH*, stranger than fiction."

Science has discovered a *force, an energy, a power* which permeated the hearts of prophets, seers and sages centuries ago, and inspired their souls to proclaim "truths" they could not fully understand at that time; but *science now proves that, this force within you will enable you to obtain* the greatest wish of your life if you will take advantage of it. Therefore if the shackles which bind you to failure and unhappiness can be broken, and the in-harmony, failure, sickness, lack of money and other misfortunes which chain you to a "hum drum" existence can be overcome, and thereby free you from "unhappy plodding," why should you not take advantage of it? Your answer is, "*I should.*" Thousands of others have done so, whose happiness and success you see proof of every day of your life.

You realize that it is your sacred duty to *yourself* to get all the happiness; all the success; all the love and all the luxury you *can*, from *now on*, during the rest of your life; and right *now* you are taking the first great step toward *getting* what you have long been hoping for, longing for and striving for.

The way is made easy for you. Wonderful scientific disclosures made recently about startling powers of mind, now enable you, if you have an "Intense desire," to *obtain* your greatest wish in life, and *overcome* misfortune forever. Thousands have proven this true for *themselves*. So can YOU.

Stop worrying *today* over past disappointments and **START IN NOW** to get the cream of happiness; the maximum of love, and a joy of such intensity as you have not known before. The new knowledge will bring harmony to the home which is a delight to behold.

Do You Know How To Get What Belongs To You?

Whatever belongs to you, *you feel* an "Intense Desire" to possess. Nothing is promised by the psychic to those who lack "Intense desire." The *successful* use of occult force is only for those who can *feel deeply*, and who long to possess some definite thing.

So great are the recent discoveries of the powers which this lesson will point out to you that one of the leading broad-minded ministers of this nation has said, "*The discoveries of these forces in the creative mind constitute the greatest discovery with which mankind has been blessed in a thousand years.*"

Herein you will gain an insight into mysterious forces of the mind which the world never knew until *now*.



Priceless Information

By PROF. J. ROSS DEAMUDE

Section One

Each passing generation is blessed with some revelation about Nature's secret forces, which results in new and startling discoveries of untold benefit to the race.

Any real attempt to draw a picture of the stages of thought and action, about even so short a period as from the Stone Age to the Steam Age, would stagger the wildest imagination.

Man has conquered the mountains and valleys. He has harnessed the water falls and the tide. He has mastered the sea, and conquered the regions of the clouds. He now talks across the ocean without wires, and has explored the universe for trillions of miles, revealing suns which are a thousand times larger than our own sun.

Man has been so busy exploring the "forces" of Nature, apart from himself that, few have suspected the existence of a wonderful creative, dynamic power concealed within man, which can be drawn upon to lift him into the realm of happiness, health and success, the same as "harnessed electricity" has enabled him to produce what he could not produce before he had harnessed it.

Men have known about the existence of electricity for centuries, but could not use it. Men have known of the existence of the transforming powers of mind for centuries, but neither did they know how to use these forces. Just now the attention of the whole world is being called to the powers of "Mind." Thought is now being centered on mastering the mysterious powers which have been proven to surge through the brain of every man, every moment of his life, both night and day.

The waves of the radio crash through a thousand hills, and on through a million homes, and produce music. The waves of the mind are similar and are now used to produce just what we want in our lives. This new attention which is being centered on "The powers of mind" has led to knowledge which is revolutionizing human life.

The writer has conducted psychological experiments during the past thirty years with thousands of men and women, boys and girls, sick and well; with successes and failures; with people of high and low degree, rich and poor, in shops, in the stores, offices and in the "street", among the victims of vice, in the dope dens and hovels. He has utilized the results of these experiments in helping thousands to "Master Self," and get the money, love and happiness they desired.

All through Dr. Deamude's course, facts are told you in language you can understand. Reasons "*why*" are given, with definite cases illustrating the *laws in actual operation*, so you can easily see *how to apply them in your own case to GET WHAT YOU WANT*.

You will be led step by step, in this course, to see "why," "where," "when" and "how." In the same way that your understanding of arithmetic, geometry, or mastering a language depends upon your first fundamental lesson, just so it is with applied occult or psychic power.

Let us proceed to consider facts which lead us rapidly, step by step, to definite knowledge which will serve you in "Attaining a Mastery of occult influences."

As late as the last two centuries, history records waves of strange, unexplainable periods of mysterious mental influences and puzzling psychic phenomena. Even the novice who delves into history can see that such mysterious influences not only have swayed the minds and affected the welfare of millions of people, but they have upset empires, *moulded the destiny of nations and determined the fate of millions of individuals*. No community, church, state or country in Europe or America escaped that

victimizing power which we now call "evil and destructive mob psychosis." It is viciously at work here in America today, gnawing at the souls of millions.

At first it was the duty of science, and now it becomes *your privilege* to learn the truth, the cause, the source, extent and possible use and *control* of this force.

When wisely used, this force blesses the user, and makes happiness in his surroundings, but when unwisely used by demagogues this force becomes a national menace, for it is a force which is used for evil as well as good.

We formerly thought that these mysterious influences were the work of Devils. Today we know they are *Nature's wonderful laws*, and of priceless value to millions who are now using them to bless their own lives and make happy and successful the lives of others.

Modern Experiments Reveal Priceless Knowledge

As early as 1895, certain phenomena occurred with this writer during the healing of a paralyzed boy, which people called a miracle. Modesty forbids our mentioning the case in detail, but we do mention it as a factor which inspired him to leave no stone unturned until the mystery was solved. He, therefore, began to experiment definitely, in 1896, in the cure of disease; the correction of vice and in the development of latent abilities. He soon found in many instances that, as a result of an application of his discoveries to certain individuals, *their earning ability was doubled*. This was especially true of those who had previously been held down by destructive influences; those who had tried to succeed and who at last concluded that "Fate" was against them.

During 1897 and '98 the most unbelievable results were observed. From 1900 to 1905 several thousand experiments were performed which resulted, not only in establishing certain facts of inestimable value to all mankind, but of immediate and lasting value to all who desired to gain success, love and happiness.

Many large volumes would be required to present the experiments in detail and give the results. This of course would here be impractical, as it is outside the intended scope of this lesson. However, we *shall* mention some general experiments, and the conclusions which were reached after careful comparison of the resulting phenomena. These conclusions were reached as a result of experiments conducted in many parts of the United States, and which are indispensable to the student who desires to get what he is entitled to get, in love, money, luxury and happiness.

What the World USED To Believe

Almost two thousand years of the practice of medicine resulted in no knowledge of the mind and little about the body, because physicians were not permitted to experiment or state an opinion contrary to church law.

- (1) *Medical men were certain for centuries that the brain was a cooling apparatus for the blood.*
- (2) *They believed that the brain had nothing to do with thought.*
- (3) *They knew (?) that the soul dwelt in the liver.*
- (4) *They were certain (?) that the arteries served no purpose other than to carry air to the brain, thus getting the name, "Arteries."*
- (5) *Physicians had no idea that blood circulated until Harvey's time.*

Fear and superstition gripped the throat of humanity for centuries like helpless victims gripped in the jaws of a huge vice.

It was not until late in the latter half of the last century that the shackles of superstition were broken which bound the hands of the physician and surgeon who desired to learn something about the human body, the mind and its wondrous powers. Then for the first time in all history physicians were enabled to seek truth without fear of being tortured on the rack, burned at the stake or blinded and left to die in the dungeon.

Thanks to these men who pioneered, we now know thousands of facts of great importance to every human being. But important as were the findings of these earlier investigators, it must be admitted that many conflicting theories were injected into their findings.

Startling Truths the World Never Knew Till Now

In the beginning of our American experiments in 1897, '98, '99 and 1900, we took nothing for granted as to previous experiments. We believed man to be the result of thousands of years of Nature's selection of the suitable, and rejection of the unsuitable; that man has within himself, forces which, if known, understood and wisely used, would be found to be as definite in their laws of action as are the laws of electricity, heat, light, gravity, magnetism and other natural laws which are now fairly well known.

We realized that all "The great natural forces" are invisible to our eyes, but nevertheless real and powerful. No one ever saw gravity, but we see its effect. No one ever saw the force which pulls the compass needle toward the North Pole, but it does pull it. No one ever made or saw an instrument to isolate nervous energy; but all physicians recognize that life and consciousness depend upon its free and untrammelled circulation throughout the body.

We therefore assumed that, under the possible directions of man's own free will there was an energy; an invisible force; a something which was wisely beneficent in its constructive and transforming possibilities *if used correctly* which probably would be capable of making us a success or a failure; well or sick, happy or unhappy; that it was capable of wrecking our lives if this force were not controlled, just as fire, or great floods bring death and destruction when uncontrolled. How long would you live without water and fire intelligently used? *Are you using* your psychic force *intelligently*? **THAT** is just as necessary to your success, health and happiness, as eating and warmth.

We felt certain in the beginning that, so far *all this was true*; but that *until we learned HOW these psychic forces worked, WHY they worked, and just HOW to harness them* to rebuild our own lives, influence others and accomplish our purposes *by applying them intelligently*, our experiments could not benefit humanity to any great extent.

Are You Ready For Truths Which Changed the Whole World

Thousands of people say, "I want to know the truth." *Few* mean it. Too often when "truth" clashes with some long cherished notion we have held, we much prefer to cling to the "notion", for the truth will upset us. But *why be afraid of the truth?* Did not the greatest Friend this world ever knew say to us, "*the truth will make you free?*" Then let us *not* try to conceal truth, but *reveal* it, so long as it is some Law of Nature which will *benefit humanity*.

If therefore, *you* really mean it, and are determined to know the truth; if you are brave enough to follow where it leads you, then follow us in our experiments here with the mind, and you shall soon know the truth.

You will quickly see how all the laws which underlie the wonders of occult power were discovered; and how they are applied and practiced successfully today by thousands who formerly were failures in business, unhappy in love and whose bodies were wracked with pain.

The Story of the Discovery of Modern Occult Science

In 1897, Dr. Eskridge, of Denver, Colo., a noted physician, psychologist and brain surgeon, gave a lecture at the observatory at Colorado College, Colorado Springs, Colo. His subject on that occasion being, "Brain, Mind and Nervous Disturbances."

This lecture was attended by several members of the faculty, including Dr. Slocum, then president of the college. It was open to the public and well attended.

To assist him in illustrating certain facts, he hypnotized a young lady whom he had brought with him from Denver. He had lectured for half an hour before he began his experiments with her. Then turning to her abruptly, in the midst of his lecture, he said emphatically, "Sleep! Sleep! Sleep!" pointing his finger at her dramatically. She seemed almost instantly to fall asleep.

"You will hear every word I say to you, but you will not hear one word I say to the audience." He repeated this twice. Then turning to the audience he said, "This may sound strange to you, but nevertheless it is true that she will not hear or take any cognizance of anything said to the audience. She is now in a state of hypnotism, into which condition I have placed her in order that you may see the proof of what I have said and will yet say and do, during the remainder of this lecture."

He then continued, "I have made statements this afternoon which will be meaningless to you unless I can illustrate them. That is why I have brought this young lady with me today. She is an expert shorthand writer. She can take the most rapid lecture perfectly. She is a court stenographer."

Resuming, he said, "I have stated that *belief* seems to control the sense of feeling or pain. I shall now attempt to prove this by sticking a pin in this lady's scalp, clear to the bone, after making her *believe* that it will not cause her any pain." He borrowed a pin and asked if there were any local physicians present; and invited them to come upon the platform. Two responded. After brief exchange of remarks between themselves he continued. "Miss———, you have no feeling in the top of your head. All sensation has left the top of your head. You have no feeling there, no sensation, and can have no pain." Instantly he brought the point of the pin down on the top of her head, thrusting its point to the bone. People throughout the audience cringed.

The doctor then assured us that she felt no pain; and evidently, judging from her appearance, she did not feel any pain. He re-

peated the "Pin sticking" again, stating that, "Now, simply by saying so to her, she will have no feeling in any part of her body, and this pin can be inserted into her flesh without pain or harm."

Remarks were heard in the audience that, "she might have a rubber skull cap." The doctor disabused our minds instantly by requesting the physicians to examine her scalp. Then he said, "When I stick the pin in her scalp, she will evince no pain; but if either of you physicians insert the pin, she will jump with pain."

"You will notice that her eyes are now closed tightly. Suppose we three (he and the two other physicians) stand behind her and entwine our arms in a confusing manner, and try it." It was done several times in such a way that all present had to admit the experiment fair, and that what he said was true. When the other physicians pricked her with the pin, even though lightly, she would cringe with pain. But when Dr. Eskridge plunged the pin into her scalp, she made no sign that she noticed it.

He repeated the proof with a hatpin through the skin on the arm with the same success, and not a drop of blood exuded.

He next had the other physicians take her pulse and announce it to the audience. It was normal.

"Your heart is beating stronger, faster, stronger; *faster, faster, faster, faster,*" he then told her. One minute later the physicians and President Slocum announced that the pulse was beating over one hundred per minute. Then by the same process the pulse was lowered, by simply saying to her, "Your heart is beating *slower, slower, slower,* etc.

He then caused the pulse in the left arm to become so feeble that it could be scarcely detected, *but the pulse was unusually strong in the right arm.* In another moment he reversed the phenomenon, simply by telling her it was "SO."

At this point in his discourse, Dr. Eskridge gave explanation as to the cause of the phenomena and related incidents to supplement the points he had made.

"However," he continued, "this is by no means the strangest thing about the power of the mind. I have hypnotized many

people in my professional capacity, and have discovered that there are hardly two persons who behave alike or exhibit the same mental powers while under hypnosis, when directed by suggestion. This lady, whom we here have hypnotized, is known as a somnambulist. That is, she was formerly in the habit of walking in her sleep, in difficult and dangerous places, during the darkest nights, apparently with perfect safety. Her eyes would be tightly closed, and she would remain sound asleep. She always returned to her room while still asleep, *except on one occasion*. However, she would not remember anything about her wanderings afterwards."

He here related his professional experiences as to how he knew this to be true in her case, and how he had cured her of sleep-walking. The details are most interesting but are out of place here.

He then stated, "I desire to show you something for which I offer no solution. It is a power or faculty which I have found in several other patients, but in a lesser degree, and not as dependable as it has been with her. Few hypnotic subjects exhibit this talent, power, or gift, even though under great suggestive pressure; and yet, the human brain is alike in all people, except in rare cases where the corpus collosum has been found to be absent.

Previous to this statement he had invited other members of the faculty present, to select a magazine from a pile on a nearby table. It was done. He then asked another member of the faculty to open the magazine at any place where there was solid reading matter. This was done by Professor Laud, who was one of the ten greatest mathematicians of the world.

Dr. Eskridge then asked the audience to be patient a moment until he familiarized himself with the article, which he did, and then continued to remark as follows: "I want some members of the faculty to act as a committee." His request was complied with, and his discourse was resumed. "As stated previously, Miss——— is a rapid shorthand writer. Note carefully now what I am about to say and do." Turning to the hypnotized girl he said, "Whenever I am reading from this article, you will accurately write every word; but when I *improvise*, and talk about this subject as though I were reading the same article, but doing so in

such a way that no one in this audience can detect it except the committee (who were looking over his shoulder), you will cease writing instantly. You will continue your writing whenever and wherever I again resume reading."

This extraordinary feat seemed impossible of accomplishment. It seemed clearly a ridiculous thing to say or attempt. But *was it?* Wait and see.

He then explained to the audience and the committee that when he ceased reading and began to improvise, he would mark the margin suitably with a pencil (the committee watching) and where the margin was *not* marked, would indicate the paragraphs which he would again begin to read.

The young lady had her "court reporter's" pad and pencil ready. He began reading aloud. The girl instantly began to write. He and the committee stood at one side and behind her. *A moment later she ceased writing.* The doctor continued his remarks in such a way that no one but the committee knew he was not reading, but improvising, and they indicated this to the audience. Suddenly she resumed her writing. And instantly the committee signaled that the doctor had again begun actually to read.

This "writing" and ceasing to "write" were repeated until she had written several pages, when suddenly the doctor abruptly ceased reading and turned to President Slocum and said, "Doctor, I wish you would take all her written pages from her; and as fast as she writes another page or half page, or small part of a page, please tear that off the tablet also. I shall explain my reason later."

Dr. Slocum complied with this request, and Dr. Eskridge continued until he had read sufficient material for his purpose.

"Now," said he, "*here I hope to show you the strangest phenomenon my experimental work or professional duties have ever permitted me to witness!*"

"With this young lady, phenomena often occur which are strangely suggestive of an inherent mental power of every one of us. However, this is only theory as far as I know at this time.

"Strange as it may seem, this young lady will now read all that I have read, exactly as I have read it, though her eyes are closed. Furthermore she will read it from the blank pages of her tablet. You see that Dr. Slocum has in his hands every page she has written."

He then asked her to read what she had written. She fumbled her tablet for a moment, trying to "turn back" the pages which she had written. Seeming to be somewhat confused, Dr. Eskridge assured her that, "You have them all arranged now." Promptly she began rapidly to read from her blank pages; turning the first blank page as she had completed reading what she *really had written on the first page*, and which had been taken from her by Dr. Slocum. She continued reading the dictation as given, word for word, pausing only at points where he had changed from *actually reading*, to *extemporizing*, and continued to read, without using her eyes (being heavily blindfolded) and from blank paper, until she had finished it.

This writer attended this lecture. He sat in the front row not exceeding twelve feet from Dr. Eskridge and the girl, having arrived early, carrying a copy of "Gray's Anatomy," which will be mentioned later. The opportunity he sought to ask a question came sooner than he had expected for the meeting was thrown open to those who desired to ask questions.

While the blindfolded girl was "reading" from blank paper, the writer decided what to do. He had held the copy of "Gray's Anatomy" close to his body, open in such a manner that no one could possibly see what was being done. He then wrote some disconnected notations on a very small piece of paper somewhat as follows: "One, three, five, seven—ten, seventeen, twenty-one. I believe this phenomenal reading is a trick. Read this if you can." The paper was then rolled up into a tiny paper wad. When an opportunity presented itself, he asked an epoch-making question!

"Dr. Eskridge," the writer began, "may I ask a lengthy question?" "Glad to have you," replied Dr. Eskridge, most pleasantly.

"I myself have done some hypnotic work," the writer said, "but never have I witnessed phenomena such as you have produced here today. You and the committee stood at one side, and behind

Miss ————. Her eyes were closed tightly. She did not turn her head. Yet it seems that *she has seen what YOU saw*. She could not see around a corner and then, in addition to this, around the edge of the book.

"It seems to me that the phenomena we have witnessed cannot be explained on any known hypothesis, unless it is granted that she can see without the use of her physical eyes or that her memory is word perfect while in this state of sub-consciousness or both," the writer stated. Then continuing, *"I have just prepared an experiment which, if you are willing, I would like very much to try."*

"What is it?" asked the doctor.

"On a piece of paper which I have rolled up tightly, and now hold securely between the pages of this book (holding up the copy of 'Gray's Anatomy'), I have written something which I am certain no one else has seen. Therefore no one could communicate it to you, and she cannot have heard it, nor seen it. I would like to have you ask President Slocum to hold this book over her head, and then I wish you to TELL HER THAT SHE CAN SEE THROUGH THE BOOK. I would like to see if she *can* read it. I am deeply interested in the powers of the mind, and do not ask this experiment out of curiosity. Based upon reason, it seems that if she can do the marvelous things just demonstrated, perhaps she could do this also?"

Many in the audience smiled at the writer's question, but the great physician came to the writer's rescue instantly, and saved him much embarrassment.

"This is a sensible question," the doctor explained. "However, the girl has now been in a hypnotic state, under a great nervous strain, for nearly one and three-quarter hours. I have never tried any such experiment with her, but we will try it, *though I do not promise any favorable results.*"

"Gray's Anatomy," it should be explained, is a very large book. The paper ball containing the numbers, statement and question was in the center of the tightly closed book, which was then handed to President Slocum. He held it over her head as requested.

Dr. Eskridge stepped to her side and spoke to her as follows: "Look straight up through the top of your head! There is a book over your head. Look into it! There is a paper in it. On it is written something. Look! Tell us what it is!"

She began slowly to shake her head in the negative, whispering, "Doctor, I can't! I can't!"

"YES, YOU CAN," he sharply commanded. "Be quiet! Don't be nervous! Look sharply! Look at it! READ IT. Tell us what it is!"

Again she replied that she could not, and accompanied her answer with a prolonged expression of great facial contortions, showing plainly her nervousness and intense desire to be freed from any such effort.

Once again, however, the doctor insisted. Bringing his foot down hard on the floor, and bringing his open hands together sharply, he said loudly and dramatically, "You CAN do it! I COMMAND YOU TO READ IT! Tell us what it is!"

She stiffened herself in her chair as if under a great mental and physical strain, and read every number and word correctly. We say "Read" if you wish to call it "Reading."

The feat was marvelously gratifying to everyone present. The lecture was ended. The audience dismissed. Excited groups of people stood around and offered many weird comments. But it was all a mystery. *Collusion was clearly out of the question.*

During those moments, was erected a new mile post in Occult Science. It had been a sort of joke up to that time. *Like a flash of lightning out of a clear sky, a fixed purpose was firmly established in the writer's mind!* He was convinced that these tests proved plainly the existence of unbelievable powers of mind, which could be used to benefit unfortunate humanity. He declared to himself then and there that if Dr. Eskridge or any other human being could produce such results he also could do it, and *would* do it! He determined *then and there* to go far beyond the application made by this great brain surgeon, and become a pioneer in a field yet unexplored, and bring the results within reach of those who could never hope, of their own efforts to *blaze the trail for themselves.*

The writer's former experiments with the mind and the emotions, and creative powers of the soul, were renewed in earnest. During the following ten years he traveled throughout the United States and conducted several thousand experiments with individuals and groups of individuals, using hypnotism as the basis of his experiments, because that enabled him literally to lay bare the subconscious mind (that part of man which is believed to be the very soul itself), and offered a means of solving the sorrows of millions of people, and thereby bring them happiness, love and success.

These experiments (usually performed while patients were in a deep hypnotic condition) resulted in the discovery of wonderful powers, which are locked up in the subconscious mind. They disclosed the LAWS which govern all psychic operations, showing just how to release and use these forces.

This meant years of intense study and research, at great expense; but the sacrifices would gladly be made again, because the priceless knowledge obtained more than justified the time and effort expended. Such knowledge can now be YOURS.

Special Notice

PLEASE LET IT BE DEEPLY IMPRESSED UPON YOUR MIND THAT HYPNOTISM PLAYS NO PART IN OCCULT SCIENCE.

Hypnotism was used *only* in *DISCOVERING* the LAWS of MIND which have enabled thousands of unfortunate people to accomplish miracles in their own lives. *YOU*, yourself, are now privileged to accomplish miracles in *YOUR* own life, through *knowledge* of these definitely established LAWS.

Twelve Basic Laws of Mind

Twelve basic laws of mind were discovered and established by this writer, in collaboration with other experimenters. These laws are of supreme importance to every student who desires to better

his condition in life. They reveal the underlying principles of all that the world knows about this subject.

To those who are delving into the realm of Occult Science for the first time, it should be made clear at this point that man seemingly has TWO MINDS. *He has at least two distinct PHASES of consciousness.*

One of these minds (or phases of consciousness) is known as the "Waking," "Objective," or "CONSCIOUS MIND." The other is known as the "Subjective," or "SUBCONSCIOUS MIND."

The CONSCIOUS MIND is that mind, or that part of the mind (or consciousness), which *analyzes, compares and reasons objectively* or consciously *from cause to effect*. It functions as the result of external stimulus to brain cells, in the cortex of the brain, directed by *incoming, or afferent (sensory) impressions.**

The conscious mind functions when we are awake. It seems to operate scarcely at all during sound, natural sleep, or during sleep artificially produced as in hypnosis.

One of its most important functions is to act as a Sentinel at the doorway to the Subconscious Mind and to decide what shall pass, and be *accepted* by the subconscious mind.

The SUBCONSCIOUS MIND seems to reside in the Cerebellum (the lower brain) and in the medulla oblongata, which connects the cerebellum with the spinal cord. *There is considerable evidence to warrant one in believing that it occupies the entire human body.*

The Subconscious Mind seems to be the living, immortal Soul of man, if man has a soul. This, the writer not only assumes to be true, *but affirms that MAN IS A SOUL—NOW!*

*The "afferent" and "efferent" *psychic law* is explained for the first time in Section Four of this series. We know of no reference to it by any other writer or lecturer. It is now conceded to be *the most important discovery of mankind during the past ten years.*

Laws of the Subconscious Mind

Numbered For Your Convenience

SPECIAL NOTICE: *No attempt is made to detail these laws in the order of their greater or lesser importance.*

(1) THE SUBCONSCIOUS MIND begins to function before birth, in controlling cell growth, cell life, cell change, cell development, and cell deposit, etc.

(2) THE SUBCONSCIOUS MIND controls breathing, circulation of the blood, circulation of nerve fluid, and all the involuntary muscles, while asleep as well as while awake. *It never sleeps.* We say, "nerve fluid!" No one knows what nervous energy is. Therefore one word is as good as another in mentioning it.

(3) THE SUBCONSCIOUS MIND controls every function and sensation of the body.

(4) THE SUBCONSCIOUS MIND is the seat and home of all sensations, all habits, all emotions, all passions—good and bad—including love, hate, grief, remorse, joy, sorrow, fear, rage, optimism, gloom, and many other emotions too numerous to mention.

(5) THE SUBCONSCIOUS MIND never forgets. Its memory is perfect.

(6) THE SUBCONSCIOUS MIND can see without the use of the physical eye under certain circumstances. One of the simple proofs of this is seen in sleep-walking, with closed eyes, and by feats in the hypnotic state.

(7) THE SUBCONSCIOUS MIND seems to be able to travel, or reach far out from the body during natural sleep, partial sleep or deep trance. Distance is not a complete barrier to it.

(8) THE SUBCONSCIOUS MIND often reaches and imparts information *to* and receives information *from* another subconscious mind at a great distance.

(9) THE SUBCONSCIOUS MIND may and often does retain such information for long periods of time without our knowing it or being conscious of its presence.

(10) THE SUBCONSCIOUS MIND under certain conditions can project elementary psychic forces or substances, and therewith produce a likeness of itself, and make itself (an image of one's own person) as visible as if present in the body, many miles from its own body.

(11) THE SUBCONSCIOUS MIND *can and often does influence the life* and mind of another person, at a distance—sometimes *consciously* and often *unconsciously*.* (See foot note.)

(12) THIS WONDERFUL SUBCONSCIOUS MIND, or entity, or soul (call it what you will), *can be controlled by the power of BELIEF, seemingly, up to the limit of its moral responsibility—its sense of right and wrong.* This is conceded to be one of the greatest discoveries of the age, because of the good which can be done and is being done in producing health, happiness, love and wealth for those who were formerly denied these blessings. If you are really determined to gain your heart's greatest desire and produce gratifying and amazing results in your life, study and carefully compare these numbered paragraphs, or "Psychic laws."

Caution!

This lesson alone will not enable you to transform your life. Priceless powers are not mastered over night. Additional knowledge and instruction as to the USE of these laws, are necessary to enable you to OPERATE them effectually.

This additional knowledge can be had by continuing the study of Dr. Deamude's strange and amazing revelations, weird facts

*This eleventh law, however, is difficult to prove to the general public beyond peradventure, because of the very *nature* of cases of this kind; and because men have a tendency to *prove* or *disprove* any notion they become prejudiced for or against.

and startling experiences, and by seeing the practical application of these laws as revealed in the next two sections of this course.

THE EIGHT ADDITIONAL "SECTIONS," are filled with priceless information showing rich and rare personal experiences of Dr. Deamude's private practice during *thirty-two years of "Helping individuals to ATTAIN their greatest desires in life."*

It is not possible here to convey any idea of the wonderful truths disclosed therein; nor can any idea be here given about priceless facts which the world never knew until now, which are revealed in those sections.

YOU HAVE NOW TAKEN THE FIRST GREAT STEP toward making YOUR fondest hopes in life come *true!* Do not miss reading a single line of this little booklet. If you have omitted to read any of it, *you* are the loser.

YOU NOW POSSESS THE KEY of THE OUTER DOOR to Happiness and Success. You are *on the threshold* of a new world of *understanding*—understanding of a "Power," of infinitely more *value* to you than all the so-called "knowledge" you may previously have acquired. It is "*understanding*" that will *enable* you absolutely to ATTAIN YOUR HIGHEST HOPES, ASPIRATIONS and SECRET DESIRES. *Let nothing stand in your way!* Be not cheated out of the LOVE, or the AFFECTION, or the SUCCESS in life, which rightly BELONGS TO YOU. God intended you to *have* what you *crave*, or you *would not* and *could not* *crave* it.

Where before you have been perplexed, bewildered, confused and ineffectual in your efforts, you need not be worried or in doubt any longer. You will understand WHY you desire a thing; the reason for your failure to attain it and exactly how to go about it to get it. *You will understand the relationship* between "CAUSE" and "EFFECT" in every fortunate and unfortunate experience you have had in your life. YOU WILL BE ABLE QUICKLY to CHANGE YOUR WHOLE LIFE, and TRANSFORM IT to EXACTLY THE CONDITIONS YOU YEARN to EXPERIENCE.

Nothing within the power of your imagination to conceive will be denied to you, once you *Learn and Apply* the great LAWS OF MIND. For the first time, you are offered knowledge which long has been jealously guarded. The operation of these forces is as easy as 2 times 2 are 4. *All will be explained in the remaining Eight Sections of this Course in OCCULT SCIENCE, and you will be assisted personally by Dr. Deamude, to whatever extent you require!*

Do You Desire

WEALTH beyond your greatest previous hopes?

HAPPINESS such as you never thought existed?

HEALTH that will make you tingle with joy and thankfulness?

LOVE that inspires, thrills and satisfies your soul and makes the world a paradise for you?

These four priceless possessions have been promised by all the sages, all the seers and all the prophets of old—to ALL persons who *WILL SEEK, FIND and USE* the "Kingdom of Power Within." For centuries, nearly all knowledge of this great "kingdom of power" has been withheld from the general public, and jealously guarded by the most successful and powerful men and women of their respective times. Now—at last—the priceless secrets which have *enabled* the greatest men and women in all history to *achieve* their greatness are within your grasp and understanding.

☐ **SUCCESS, WEALTH, HAPPINESS, HEALTH and LOVE** can now be **YOURS**.

Dr. Deamude Has Helped Thousands, He Will Help You

At this moment the things your heart desires are within your grasp. ☐ Will you reach out your hand and **TAKE** that which is rightfully **YOURS**?

If you have the "will power" to carry you over the threshold, you will yield to that impulse you feel, urging you on, and *act now*—without a moment's hesitation. Decide *now* to obtain that to which you are entitled.

Resolve, with all the emotional force within you, to GET, to DO, to HAVE, to OBTAIN, and ENJOY that on which your heart has long been set. Determine to leave no stone unturned; to *let nothing stand between YOU, and the ATTAINMENT OF YOUR DESIRE.*

The Way is clear before you. GET STARTED THIS VERY MINUTE—go and see Dr. Deamude TODAY. Arrange definitely for the *Personal Instruction* which will enable you to GET what you long for *while* you have the determination and the Opportunity. *KILL INDECISION once and for all!* Your sacred duty to *yourself*—NOW—is to get ALL the success; ALL the luxury, ALL the money, ALL the love and ALL the happiness you can during the rest of your life. The Time for action has come! The hour of Destiny has struck! You are now ready for the great truths which await you at the next "step."

