

Sounds and Superstition.

Sounds often prove a source of terror and alarm, especially among the uneducated, when they spring from causes unseen and unknown.

The statue of Memnon, probably, was one of the most early contrivances of this kind. Strabo says: "It uttered a melodious sound at sunrise and sunset, the cause of which puzzled all the travelers of his time."

The power of the imagination to reproduce sounds when in a state between sleeping and waking, is a fact that no one can deny.

In one of the baronial castles of the north, which had been uninhabited for years, there were heard at times such extraordinary noises as to confirm the opinion among the people that the place was haunted.

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As the noises were a subject of real terror to his tenants, he determined to sleep in the castle on the night he took possession, in order to do away with these superstitious fears.

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Old-Fashioned Love Letters.

Letters between the first Governor of Massachusetts and his wife, about the year 1625.

My most sweet husband—How dearly welcome thy kind letter was to me, I am not able to express.

My good wife, yet having so fit an opportunity, I must write to thee again; for I do esteem one little, sweet, short letter of thine (such as the last) to be worthy of two or three from me.

I began this letter yesterday, at two o'clock, thinking to have been at my business days to an end.

My faithful husband, JOHN WINTHROP. Most loving and good husband—I have received your letters.

Until we can read the heart of another without doubt, and know all the circumstances of his life, all the many links in the chain of accident that have surrounded him, we should not blame him too much or be too wrathful with him.

Money goes, no one knows. Where it goeth, no one knoweth. Here and there, everywhere. Run, run, run, run, spend, spend, spend; lend, lend, lend; pay, pay, pay; short, short; borrow, borrow.

Tricks of Speech.

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Again, a trick by no means unusual; your friend is telling you of some event, or making you the participant in some feat.

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