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REMARKABLE EXPERIENCE

Oakland, Cal., Feb. 4—James S. Richardson, of 386 Tenth street, has just passed through a remarkable experience. He has been blind for five years in his right eye, and was gradually losing the sight of his left eye. Yesterday, while bathing his left eye, the sight of his right suddenly returned, and now he can see as well as ever out of the optic that he will recover his eyesight.

Mr. Richardson's case is puzzling the doctors. They told him he would become totally blind in time but now he has reason to believe that he will recover his eyesight.

Yesterday Richardson was bathing his left eye. As he finished and was covering the good eye, a flash of light appeared before the right eye. This was the first indication to him that there was any life in the right eye. The left eye was carefully bandaged up, and then Richardson experimented with the blind eye. He held the newspaper up to the light and the black line across the page gradually loomed up until Richardson could read.

"I can see! I can see!" he shouted.

Mrs. Richardson, somewhat alarmed over the excitement of her husband, rushed into the room.

"What in the world is the matter James?" she asked.

"Why, I can see! I can see!" he shouted again.

Mrs. Richardson now realized that a great change had come over her husband. She wanted a test made, though, that would be satisfactory to her. She shut out the light from the left eye, and the husband was asked to read the paper. For the first time in five years he read the news of the day with his right eye.

A LARGE EXODUS.

An uncommonly large crowd departed from here on the California-bound steamer last night, principally in the steerage. The larger number of passengers were laboring men out of work, with a trifle more than there passage money in their pockets. Many had been living here for years, and was loth to go, but believed their prospects of obtaining immediate employment in California to be good, because of an open winter there.

An unusual sight on the steam ship dock was the large number of women, bidding au revoir to their departing husbands, fathers and brothers, in search of work to keep an angry wolf from the door. In many instances this was the first separation between husband and wife, and copious tears were shed. An old Union soldier present remarked that the scene was reminiscent of partings he had witnessed during the days of the Rebellion, when raw recruits took their first leave from their female relatives, just prior to going to the front.

But last night's leave-taking was not so serious, as most of those who sailed on that ship will return when the inevitable period of prosperity sets in here.

"I would rather remain here at a dollar a day than live in California for \$1.50," said a man leaving a wife and four children behind; "but I'm almost down to my last \$5 piece, after having involuntarily been idle for more than a year. There are 50 other men in the same plight on this steamer. I have lived in Portland 15 years, and 1895 was the first year that I was unable to make a living for my family. If times grow better here next summer, most of us will return.—Telegram of the 4th.

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