

The human body is structurally composed of three systems, each made up of five different classes of tissues and organs.

The harmonious working of the different parts of the organism does not result from the influence which they exert upon one another, but from the co-ordination of forces operating from a higher plane and after a definite plan.

Throughout Nature function corresponds to structure. The different systems of the human body, by controlling the character of the forces operating through them, determine permanency of effect in corresponding function, thus giving temperament and character.

Vital force is never isolated in its action within the human body. Its action is never confined to one channel to the exclusion of all others. It is the predominant activity that determines its character.

The three temperaments—mental, vital and motive—corresponding to the three systems, never exist alone, but in combination, one or the other predominating. The different combinations may be tabulated as follows:

I.	II.	III.
NERVOUS { Vital. Motive.	VITAL { Nervous. Motive.	MOTIVE { Nervous. Vital.

All the different combinations of temperaments met with in the human race may be embodied within this classification.

The same law governs the manifestation of motion, life, within the body as without, the *media* determine