

THE BALLAD OF

"And now—" the Monster said anon,
Growling in awful glee
To see Tsoqalem dote upon
Such hospitality—

"And now, according to our plan,—
Thine eyes! . . . He did right well,
Did Qaiyakwetsten, medicinc-man;
But there was more to tell.

"He gave thee eyes, and made thee wise,
And taught thee wrong from right;
But I shall give thee Wonder-Eyes—
The eyes which see by night!

"He gave thee much who gave thee both
The store-house and the store,
And did according to his oath;
But I shall give thee more,
Tsoqalem, who art nothing loth
To learn my Wonder-Lorc."