

ject, a number of rules will be given, which can be relied upon. Not on the principle of the bumpologist, who has to rub the head to find the supposed bumps, as if he were polishing a table top. There are certain bumps on the head that should mislead no one, as they have nothing to do with brain development. Behind each ear is one of these ; they are called the mastoid process, but are below the base of the brain. They are named by George Combe, the asses' bridge, in that all amateur phrenologists stumble across them. Another bony prominence is the occipital protuberance, situated at the centre of the back head, well marked on muscular subjects, seldom to be found on females ; it is situated between philoprogenitiveness and amativeness. Do not be misled by such bumps, but estimate the size of faculties or groups of faculties by their distance from the opening of the ear, as it is opposite this point, in the centre of the brain, that the medulla oblongata is situated, and from this point all the brain fibre radiates. The size of faculties or groups of faculties are estimated by their distance from this part. The intellectual faculties are grouped in the front of the head ; the social at the back ; the moral and spiritual at the top, and the self-preserving or selfish faculties at the sides of the head. By placing before the reader striking contrasts of those groups, which are large and small, many of them well-known characters, you will see that this difference of shape is not accidental. The first two are very marked, both in the shape of the head and in the expression of the face.

Fig. 1 is W. A. Daily, of California, who has saved thirty-two lives. He has a large head, very wide through just above the ears, which gives great force of character, but his force is regulated and controled by his large top and front head—it is like the intelligent engineer in charge of a powerful engine. He has a firm mouth, showing great determination ; large mirthfulness, shown by the width of the forehead at the top ; above that point where the hair commences the head is broad, this is the faculty of agreeableness, he will say disagreeable things, if he has to say them, in a nice way, just the sort of a husband for a sensitive woman ; large benevolence, shown by the height of the head, easily found in the infant, as it is just in front of the anterior fontanel. This faculty is gratified by doing good to others. He has also very large ideality, shown by the

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