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**THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE TEXTBOOK:
A WORKSHOP ON TEXT-INTERPRETATION**

Chapter V
ANIMAL MAGNETISM UNMASKED
(Tape Code C-2AN)

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ABBREVIATIONS

M, Sp, So, P, Li, T, Lo	= Mind, Spirit, Soul, Principle, Life, Truth, Love.
W, X, Xty, Sc	= Word, Christ, Christianity, Science.
M – Lo	= the sequence of Mind through Love.
M/M – M/P	= Mind in its subtones of M, Sp, So, P (Mind as Mind, etc.).
MIND, SPIRIT, etc.	= in all capitals means that tone is the main tone.
<i>S&H</i>	= <i>Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures</i> , by Mary Baker Eddy

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Animal Magnetism Unmasked

Subject(s): An update to the subject of Chapter V, Animal Magnetism Unmasked in *Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures*, by Mary Baker Eddy

Related books:

By Max Kappeler:

The Structure of the Christian Science Textbook—our Way of life

Animal Magnetism—Unmasked

By Mary Baker Eddy:

Science and Health with Key to Scriptures

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Max Kappeler discusses the necessity of handling evil by knowing that evil, animal magnetism, must be understood as nothing. Anything that is not derived from God has neither power nor influence. God, good, alone translates itself constantly to mankind, putting mankind only under the influence of God.

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- Mesmerism

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Epitomes of the Chapter:

Mind: The effects of animal magnetism are due to the influence of the imagination—to illusion.

Spirit: Animal magnetism is a mere negation of the allness of the one God, Spirit.

Soul: Through spiritual understanding we can free ourselves from the mental despotism of animal magnetism.

Principle: Mind-science operates in accordance with the divine Principle; animal magnetism has no divine Principle.

Life: The practice of animal magnetism has no place in divine being

Truth: The divine justice of Truth condemns animal magnetism

Love: The law of Love does not sanction animal magnetism

How animal magnetism is dealt with through the seven main tones

Layout of the chapter

- The question of “mind over matter”
- The mental age
- Mrs. Eddy’s development from metaphysics to Science
- Formulation of the laws of animal magnetism