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SOME POINTS BEARING ON THE ASSOCIATION OF SENSORY DISORDERS AND VISCERAL DISEASE.

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IN the following pages I deal in a somewhat discursive and desultory manner with the result of several years' enquiry into the symptoms evoked in the sensory nervous system by disease of the viscera. For many years the subject has been present in my mind, and although for a long time I could not appreciate the value of all the phenomena, yet by carefully noticing each circumstance in every case, and by grouping the symptoms together, I formulated for myself certain tentative laws of a somewhat vague nature, trusting that with extended experience these would become more defined and be of a less general nature. What I have published on this subject¹ does not fully accord with the results obtained by Dr. Head,² and although in many respects his results are more reliable than mine, there are a few points on which we are in conflict. These points may seem to be here unduly emphasised, but my object in stating them is that a subject of such importance and of such practical utility should be established on a basis

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² BRAIN, Part I. 1893.