

human beings. A complete list is difficult to draw up and need not engage us here.

It is more important to deal with certain orders of Reality which take us to a large extent out of the physical world with which the Realities just mentioned, namely, those of number, sound, position in space, and others, are intimately connected.

But before entering on this new inquiry which will lead us into an entirely different region of Reality, it is well to note one property which belongs to what we term external things, and which does not belong to any of the other orders of Reality which we have just referred to, such as musical notes, numbers, geometrical figures, &c. This is the property of external things which arises out of our sense of touch and feeling of resistance or pressure.

Through the sense of touch and muscular feeling we are led not only to a contemplative or passive reception of the varied experiences of Sensation, Perception, and Thought; but we are also affected in an entirely different way, the habitual restlessness which seems a characteristic connected with the earliest signs of life is checked or directed in a manner which reveals at the same moment both a subjective feeling and something that is felt.

This double experience which is peculiar to the sense of touch and resistance (and to a smaller degree to the senses of taste and smell), is quite absent in the higher senses of sight and hearing which, as it were, take us entirely out of ourselves, pushing into the background the distinct or shadowy surroundings which we call our Ego or Self, and this to such an extent that they