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- "Our remedies oft in ourselves do lie,
- "Which we ascribe to heaven: the fated sky
- "Gives us free scope; only doth backward pull
- "Our slow designs, when we ourselves are dull."

SHAKSPEARE.



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"The mass of men, simply because they are a mass of men, receive with difficulty every new idea, unless it lies in the track of their own knowledge; and this opposition, which every new idea must vanquish, becomes tenfold greater when the idea is promulgated from a source not in itself authoritative."

LEWES' LIFE OF GOETHE.

"It is the duty of scholars and philosopher to shrink from holding and expressing what men of the world call quixotic opinions; for, if I read the history of the world rightly, the victory of reason over unreason, and the whole progress of our race, have generally been achieved by such fools as ourselves "rushing in where angels fear to tread," till after a time the track becomes neaten, and even angels are no longer afraid."

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