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Ereface

HE alliance between women and portraiture, close as it has been in all ages since first the art of portrayal was employed, ought not to be set down as wholly an affair of vanity. Doubtless there be feminine Narcissus'; but may not benevolence have somewhat to do with beauty's desire to secure for a larger audience a more enduring impression of itself than the one fleetingly mirrored in a cheval glass?

Artists have been the most potent factor in stimulating woman's penchant for painted semblances of her charms, the guild having dedicated the highest qualities of its art to the service of perpetuating her loveliness. In these later times photography also has added its beguilements, and on every side it offers opportunities for seeing ourselves as others see us, or more properly, for seeing ourselves as we hope others see us—the subtle art of practical flattery being not unknown to the manipulators of cameras.

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