

Doctor Tells How To Strengthen Eyesight 50 per cent In One Week's Time In Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home.

Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye weaknesses? If so, you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of this wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it: "I was almost blind; could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would pain dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can even read the print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitude more will be able to.

To strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by following the simple rules. Here is the prescription: Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one Bon-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and allow to dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start and inflammation will quickly disappear. If your eyes are bothering you, even a little, take steps to save them now before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind might have been saved if they had cared for their eyes in time.

Note: Another prominent physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Bon-Opto is a very remarkable remedy. In cases where the eyes are well known to contain cataracts and where the patient is old, the remedy is of little use. But in many instances of eye trouble, the remedy is of great value. It is a very safe and reliable preparation and should be kept on hand for ready use in almost every family."

Our Volunteers.

Seventeen young men presented themselves for enlistment at Recruiting Headquarters during the past two days. Their names are:—Jas. Pollett, Bonne Bay; John Moxley, Bonne Bay; Thos. Corbin, Corner Brook, Bay of Islands; Wm. Tracey, Carrol's Cove, Labrador; David Bulger, West St. Modiste; Mark Odell, West St. Modiste; Reuben Osborn, Grand Bank; Joe Taeggaell, Pushthrough, H. B. Jno. Simmons, Botwood; Art Pollard, Botwood; Jacob Noseworthy, Pouch Cove; Harold Snow, Hr. Grace; Geo. Bradbury, Hr. Grace; Raymond Turner, St. John's; Thos. Hall, St. John's; Pierce Parsons, Lewisporte, N.D.B.; Jno. Curtis, S.W. Arm, St. Mary's Bay.

The number of enrolments thus far is 4,993. Lieut. H. Winter had a platoon of men at the Southside Rifle Range yesterday. The shooting was good, conditions considered.

Juvenile T. A. B. S. Annual Treat.

The annual treat for the juvenile members of the T. A. and B. Society took place yesterday afternoon and was attended by close on four hundred abstainers. At 5 p.m. they attended a free picture show at the Crescent Theatre and after an hour's enjoyment they formed ranks and marched to their hall where the young people were sat around long tables loaded down with good things prepared by the lady friends of the Society. After the tea the children indulged in various games and before leaving for home were each given a bag containing candles, fruit and cake. At night the senior branch of the Society held a successful dance. About 150 couples attended, the T. A. Band furnishing the music. The promoters and those who assisted are to be congratulated on the successful manner in which the affair was run off.

LORD BISHOP RECOVERING.—His Lordship Bishop Jones is recovering from his illness, a fact that the community in general and his parishioners in particular will learn with no small amount of pleasure.

Stafford's Drug Store (Theatre Hill) is open every night till 9.30.—jan2,tf

Sealing Fleet, 1916

The sealing fleet this spring will probably comprise thirteen ships, as follows:—Sable I, Seal, Neptune, The-tis, Eagle, Terra Nova, Viking, Ranger, Njord, Bloodhound, Erik, Diana and Kite. It is not yet known exactly how many of these will prosecute in the Gulf, but for certain, we hear, three, at least, of them will. About 2,300 men will go out on the thirteen steamers.



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If you have skin trouble of any kind, get a bottle of D. D. D. Prescription to-day. Sold Everywhere. Recommended by T. McMurdo & Co., A. W. Kennedy, M. Connors, Peter O'Mara.

NO ICE NORTH.—It is expected that the Prospero will get as far north as Griquet this trip, owing to the absence of ice in either Green or White Bays. She left Greenspond this morning.

Empire Lodge Installation.

The installation of officers of Lodge Empire, No. 270, S.O.E., took place last night at the Oddfellows Hall. D.D. Bro. T. Thompson performed the ceremony in the presence of a very large gathering of members including visiting brethren. The officers are: President, Bro. W. J. Pike; Vice-President, Bro. C. K. Miller; Chaplain, Bro. A. G. Williams; Recording Secretary, Bro. C. E. Hunt; Financial Secretary, Bro. W. H. Strong; Treas., Bro. J. Taylor; 1st Guide, Bro. Gordon Pike; 2nd Guide, Bro. H. Sexton; 3rd Guide, Bro. A. Crane; 4th Guide, Bro. W. Chafe; 5th Guide, Bro. Lieut. C. Strong; 6th Guide, Bro. A. Rice; Inside Guard, Bro. L. Crane; Outside Guard, Bro. L. Crane; The District Deputy in addressing the Lodge, spoke of its progress and exhorted all present to make every effort to continue the good work. President W. J. Pike, on behalf of the Lodge, extended a hearty welcome to Lieut. C. Strong and Royal Naval Reservist Albert Rice whom he was greatly pleased to have with them. He made reference to the late Lieut. "Sam" Elsbary and Co-Sergeant Major W. Miles, who had made the supreme sacrifice, and Privates Snelgrove and Geo. Pike who were reported as missing since the famous charge of July 1st. All were members in good standing and greatly liked by those who knew them. At the request of the Lodge, Lieut. Strong and Reservist Rice gave short addresses, relating their experiences in both branches of the service. The former spoke of the trying days at Gallipoli and France, and the latter of the great Jutland Battle. The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

Pneumonia and LaGrippe Spreading.

Pneumonia and LaGrippe are fast spreading in the city and as a consequence hundreds of people, old and young, are daily being confined to their homes. Since the close of 1916 close on 15 deaths have occurred from the former, the majority of which were of men of old or middle age. The form of La Grippe that is going the rounds is of a different nature from the usual. It is estimated that upwards of ten per cent. of school children are suffering from the latter and whopping cough. All the city doctors are kept busy.

Hr. Grace Notes.

At a meeting of the Local Council of the F.P.U., held in the British Hall on Friday night, 50 names were added to the roll—total number to date 200. Another meeting will be held to-night in St. Patrick's Hall.

Rev. Mr. Mercer, of Western Bay, occupied the pulpit in the Methodist Church here yesterday, owing to the illness of Rev. A. A. Holmes.

There was no service at St. Andrew's Church last evening, owing to the illness of Rev. F. S. Coffin.

Rev. Mr. Higgitt, of St. Paul's Church, was also confined to his home yesterday and unable to take the service. Rev. Canon Noel took the service in his stead.

Mr. H. Simmons, who has had charge of the sch. St. Clair this summer, arrived home last week on a few weeks' visit to his family. The St. Clair is owned by Mr. L. Simmons, of Whitbourne.

The pupils of Victoria St. School are preparing a concert to be held in Coughlan Hall on the 1st of February.

The annual meeting of the Harbor Grace Volunteer Fire Brigade takes place to-night in the Fire Hall, Bannerman St.

Miss Sarah McCarthy died on Friday night after a long illness at the home of her sister, Mrs. William Spurdle, Harvey Street. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon and was attended by a large number of friends. Interment at the R. C. Cemetery.

The newly elected officers of the Local Council of the F.P.U. are: George T. Gordon, Chairman; John E. Walker, Deputy Chairman; Wesley Parsons (teacher), Treasurer; and John Downing, Secretary.

Hr. Grace, Jan. 15, 1917.

BUYERS LEAVE.—There left yesterday's express en route to the Old Country, amongst other buyers, Mr. J. R. Stick and Miss May Stick, who will visit Lieuts. Bob and Len at Arr during their trip. Other buyers who left were Miss Seymour of the Royal Stores, Ltd.; Mr. W. White, Nfld. Clothing Co., Ltd.; and Mr. J. B. Urquhart.

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AMBULANCE CALL.—William Ivamy, suffering from internal trouble, was taken from his home on the Higher Levels to the Hospital in the ambulance yesterday afternoon.

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SAILING EXTENDED.—Owing to the unusually large freight offering, the S. S. Portia will not get away for the Westward until three o'clock this afternoon. Channel will be her terminus this trip.

FOUR FUNERALS.—Yesterday afternoon there were four funerals together at the R. C. Cathedral, namely, William O'Donnell, Mrs. Lannigan, Mrs. Hurley and A. Perks. Rev. Dr. Carter officiated.

C. C. C. DANCE.—A dance is being held by the C. C. C. to-morrow night, the proceeds to be devoted towards defraying the expenses of their new hall. The battalion band will supply the music which is ample assurance of an enjoyable time.

SCOTT'S DRIVES OUT COLDS. SEMULSION

VESSEL WENT ADRIFT.—As a result of the heavy swell running in the harbour yesterday the schooner Helen Stewart, which lay in the stream, drifted from her moorings and would have gone ashore at the Southside but for the timely aid of a tug.

INFECTIOUS DISEASE.—Infectious disease as well as other ailments is on the increase in the city and yesterday evening the Health Authorities were apprised of a case of scarlet fever and three new cases of diphtheria. All four patients were removed to the Fever Hospital.

THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY. THERAPION No. 1 CURES RHEUMATISM, GOUT, NEURALGIA, MIGRAINE, SCIATICA, LUMBAGO, BRUISES, SWELLINGS, BURNS, SCALDS, AND ALL PAINFUL AFFECTIONS. **THERAPION No. 2** CURES BRUISES, SWELLINGS, BURNS, SCALDS, AND ALL PAINFUL AFFECTIONS. **THERAPION No. 3** CURES BRUISES, SWELLINGS, BURNS, SCALDS, AND ALL PAINFUL AFFECTIONS. **THERAPION No. 4** CURES BRUISES, SWELLINGS, BURNS, SCALDS, AND ALL PAINFUL AFFECTIONS. **THERAPION No. 5** CURES BRUISES, SWELLINGS, BURNS, SCALDS, AND ALL PAINFUL AFFECTIONS. **THERAPION No. 6** CURES BRUISES, SWELLINGS, BURNS, SCALDS, AND ALL PAINFUL AFFECTIONS. **THERAPION No. 7** CURES BRUISES, SWELLINGS, BURNS, SCALDS, AND ALL PAINFUL AFFECTIONS. **THERAPION No. 8** CURES BRUISES, SWELLINGS, BURNS, SCALDS, AND ALL PAINFUL AFFECTIONS. **THERAPION No. 9** CURES BRUISES, SWELLINGS, BURNS, SCALDS, AND ALL PAINFUL AFFECTIONS. **THERAPION No. 10** CURES BRUISES, SWELLINGS, BURNS, SCALDS, AND ALL PAINFUL AFFECTIONS.

AT THE CRESCENT.

"The Two Orphans" is the feature at the Crescent Picture Palace to-day. This magnificent offering of Kate Claxton's celebrated drama is produced in three reels by the Selig Co., featuring Kathleen Williams, Thomas J. Carrigan and Myrtle Steadman. "Taking a Chance" is a western drama of thrills and heart throbs with the daring cowboy actor Tom Mix. "The Foxey Trotters" is a Vitagraph comedy with all the Vitagraph comedy stars. Professor McCarthy plays a splendid programme of music for this great show; don't miss it.

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