

## 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 put a drop of it, and 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 five days everything seemed clear. I can even read fine print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitudes more will be able

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.

## Victoria Chapter, R.S.C.

Victoria Chapter No. 1, R. S. C., L. O. A., held their annual meeting and election of officers at the Victoria Hall last night. The reports of the past year were read and adopted, after which the election of officers took place and was conducted by Past W. C. in C. G. Langmead and resulted as follows:—

Comp. W. T. Penny—Elected W. C. in C.  
Comp. T. Noseworthy—Elected E. C. in C.  
Comp. John Norman—Re-elected Chaplain.  
Comp. Frank Jones—Elected Scribe.  
Comp. B. Norman—Elected Treasurer.  
Comp. Chas. Moore—Elected Sr. H. at Arms.  
Comp. Jas. Wiseman—Elected 1st Lecturer.  
Comp. N. Heater—Re-elected 2nd Lecturer.  
Comp. J. A. Rogers—Re-elected 1st Conductor.  
Comp. I. Chafe, Re-elected 2nd Conductor.  
Comp. A. Harris—Elected Inner Herald.  
Comp. Thos. Adams—Re-elected Outer Herald.

## N.B.S. Election.

The Newfoundland British Society held its annual meeting and election of officers last night. The various reports for the year ending 1916 were read and ordered to be received. The sympathy of the members present was expressed to the bereaved families of seven of the late brethren who passed away during the year just ended. Included in the departed was their beloved President, Bro. W. H. Goodland, whose memory will ever remain fresh in the minds of the members of the N. B. S. The election of officers for the ensuing year was conducted by Bros. Maunders, R. J. Peavy and H. Hammond and resulted as follows:—

President—J. M. Carberry, elected.  
Vice-Pres.—Henry Cowan, elected.  
Secretary—Reginald Dowden, elected.  
Treasurer—G. H. Cook, re-elected.  
1st Committeeman—Henry Rex Cook, elected.  
2nd Committeeman—Jas. Rendell, elected.  
3rd Committeeman—Thos. Dowden, elected.  
4th Committeeman—Mark Downton, elected.  
5th Committeeman—Robert Hammond, elected.  
6th Committeeman—Chas. Bowden, elected.  
7th Committeeman—Thomas Volsey, elected.  
8th Committeeman—Wm. Benson, elected.  
9th Committeeman—Wm. Rowe, elected.

**QUICK AND EASY.**—The Giant Junior Safety Razor, 225,000 sold to the soldiers on the Western front; 50c. with 7 blades; extra blades, 40 cents per dozen, or 2 for 10 cents. CHESLEY WOODS, 232 Duckworth St., head McBride's Hill, Sole Distributor. Wholesale only. For sale at advertised stores.—oct5,tf

## Child Was Nervous, Irritable, Tired Out.

She Had No Appetite, and Her Complexion Was Pale and Sallow.

How many parents realize the strain which going to school means to the child who is naturally nervous and of delicate health?

You see them come from the schools daily with pale faces, many wearing glasses, and looking tired and worn. At home they are irritable, do not sleep well at nights, and are upset by a little extra excitement.

If they are to grow to healthy manhood and womanhood their systems must have attention now. Such treatment as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food does for children in this condition. We are constantly receiving letters from grateful parents telling what the Nerve Food has done for their children. This one is a fair sample:

Mrs. Stephen Hartman, Italy Cross, Lunenburg Co., N.S., writes: "My little sister at eleven years of age became nervous, irritable and seemed all tired out. She had no appetite, was

lifeless and drowsy and her complexion grew pale and sallow. Finally she had to keep her bed and have somebody with her all the time. She was afraid of everything, would get excited and tremble till the bed would shake. As she seemed to be getting worse under the doctor's treatment, mother decided to try Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. After she had used about four boxes, improvement was noticeable and it was wonderful to see how much brighter and stronger she grew week by week. She used ten boxes altogether and they cured her. She got fat and rosy and went to school every day with an ambition that she never seemed to have before. I do not hesitate to recommend Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to anyone, for it was indeed wonderful what it did for her."

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

## Patriotic Hockey



The proposed hockey match, the first for the season, between a team from the Regiment and a picked seven from the City is eliciting much interest. The proceeds are to be given to the W. P. A. Funds and this in itself is sufficient guarantee that there will be a big attendance, apart from the fact that the game will probably be the fastest for the season. The Regiment seven are practicing hard now at the C. L. B. Armoury and are filled with the hopes of giving their opponents a trimming.

## Two of Artizan's Crew Drowned.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. P. J. Shea received a message from across the Atlantic from Capt. J. Callahan, of the schr. Artizan, informing him that Herbert Score, son of the late John Score, of St. John's, and J. Aspell, of Cape Broyle, a married man, had been washed overboard and drowned.

The Artizan left here St. Stephen's Day, December 26th, with a full cargo of codfish for foreign markets and shortly after leaving this port must have experienced very unfavourable weather, as ships which entered this port on the 27th and 28th reported having met it rough on the date the Artizan put out to sea. It is supposed the unfortunate seamen lost their lives during that storm.

Capt. Callahan is one of the oldest and best known mariners sailing from St. John's, and as far as we can learn never before had to report the loss of any of his crew of the different ships in which he was in command. The trip across was made in seventeen days and was an exceptionally good one.

## Cleanses Your Hair Makes It Beautiful, Thick, Glossy, Wavy

Try this! All dandruff disappears and hair stops coming out.

Surely try a "Dandeline Hair Cleanser" if you wish to immediately double the beauty of your hair. Just moisten a cloth with Dandeline and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; this will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or any excessive oil—in a few minutes you will be amazed. Your hair will be wavy, fluffy and abundant and possess an incomparable softness, lustre and luxuriance.

Besides beautifying the hair, one application of Dandeline dissolves every particle of dandruff; invigorates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair.

Dandeline is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

You can surely have pretty, soft, lustrous hair, and lots of it, if you will just get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Dandeline from any drug store or toilet counter and try it as directed.

## Thetis Refitted.

The work of re-fitting the S. S. Thetis is finished. The ship has been practically re-classed, as she is in better condition than when she came here from the Pacific Coast six months ago. Next month she will prepare for the seal fishery. She will prosecute on the front of the country and will be commanded by Capt. "Billy" Winsor.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited. Gentlemen,—Last winter I received great benefit from the use of MINARD'S LINIMENT in a severe attack of LaGrippe, and I have frequently proved it to be very effective in cases of inflammation.

Yours,  
W. A. HUTCHINSON.

## Highlanders Parade.

Last evening A and B Companies of the Nfld. Highlanders held drill. Captain Henderson put the lads through various exercises. Surgeon-Major Paterson, of the Nfld. Regiment and formerly Lieut.-Col. of the brigade, was present. Arrangements were then made for a concert to be held at the Presbyterian Hall on Burns' Night.

**RELIGIOUS RECEPTION.**—On December 13th Miss Katie Walsh and Regina Ledwell, of Caplin Bay, entered the nunhood at Iowa. The former is known in religion as Sister M. Teresine and the latter as Sister Patricia.

All cottons and linsens in the weekly wash should be thoroughly soaped before rubbing.

## W. P. A.

Princeton—10 prs. socks.  
Pouch Cove—20 prs. socks.  
Seldom-Come-By—31 prs. socks, 2 shirts.  
Fogo—132 prs. socks, 10 prs. mitts, 44 prs. socks.  
Burlin—75 prs. mitts, 24 prs. socks, 41 handkerchiefs, 5 shirts.  
Grand Bank—102 prs. socks.  
Winterton—18 prs. socks, 5 prs. mitts.  
Tizard's Hr.—29 prs. socks, 6 prs. mitts.  
Burgeon—16 prs. socks, 10 shirts.  
Shamblers Cove—7 prs. socks, 10 prs. mitts, 11 scarves.  
Pool's Cove—11 prs. socks.  
Western Bay—39 prs. socks.  
Birchy Bay—12 prs. socks.  
Caplin Bay—1 pr. mitts, old white material.  
Flat Island—2 prs. socks.  
Moreton's Hr.—13 prs. socks, 31 prs. mitts.  
Loon Bay—10 prs. socks.  
Bay Bulls Arm—96 prs. socks, old white material.  
Port Saunders—21 prs. socks.  
Lamaline—19 prs. socks.  
LaScie—14 prs. socks.  
Fortune—23 prs. socks, 6 prs. mitts.  
Carmanville—10 prs. socks.  
Mrs. Miles and Mrs. Gould, Open Hall—5 prs. socks.  
Old Pelican—7 prs. socks, 12 prs. mitts.  
Channel—5 prs. socks, 7 prs. mitts.  
West Point—2 prs. socks, 1 pr. mitts.  
Exploits—3 prs. socks, 3 prs. mitts.  
ANNIE H. HAYWARD,  
Convenor Packing and Shipping Committee.

## Here and There.

Turkeys, Ducks, Geese and Chickens at ELLIS.

**ANNUAL TREAT.**—This afternoon the members of the Juvenile T. A. and B. Society will be given their annual treat.

**Over 30,000 bottles of Stafford's Liniment sold last year.** jan2,tf

**PRODUCE SHIPMENT.**—A big shipment of potatoes, turnips, hay and oats reached here last night from Charlottetown.

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

**GOES WEST.**—The S. S. Portia sails to-morrow morning for the Westward, only going as far as Channel this trip.

**NEW STOCK.**—We have just received a large shipment of Giant Junior Safety Razors. Price 50 cents with 7 blades. CHESLEY WOODS, 232 Duckworth St.—jan3,tf

**STORMY WEATHER.**—A strong S. W. gale and heavy sea raged all yesterday at Cape Spear. Conditions were similar at Cape Race.

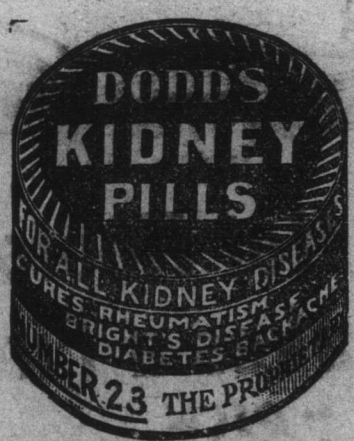
**Have your Suit or Overcoat Cleaned or Pressed for New Year.** Phone or send to SPUR-RELL, 365 Water Street. Telephone 574.—dec28,eod,tf

**ANNUAL TRIDUUM.**—To-morrow evening the annual Triduum for the Holy Name Society will commence at the Cathedral and St. Patrick's, concluding on Friday.

**TROUTERS DO WELL.**—Many 'gads' of speckled beauties came to the city last evening, their captors having spent the day by the suburban rivers and ponds.

**Don't forget the Congregational Sociable on Wednesday, Jan. 17th, at 8 p.m. Admission 30c. Candy and Ice Cream for sale, and an excellent programme as usual.**—jan13,16

**MORE DIPHTHERIA.**—Another case of diphtheria was reported to the Health Authorities yesterday afternoon from Rennie's Mill Road. The patient, a domestic, was removed to the Fever Hospital.



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Useful household goods are being offered now at the above price, single and combined, articles which are needful and handy to make work light and pleasant.

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## Embroidered Side Board Cloths,

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Men's Fancy Colored Stripe

## Negligee Shirts. Price: \$1.20.

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