

A SCOTCHMAN'S NEW RAY PROVES A WONDER

(Boston Record.)

London, Nov. 23.—"Take S-rays and keep young for a hundred years," said William Simpson, Scottish discoverer of Simpson's light, drawing forward a wheeled standard from which a spluttering electric arc gave out faint white smoke.

"You are suffering from bronchial hoarseness; let the light cure it while we talk. It has no danger ray, causes no burns, makes no martyrs; and it kills every germ within 10 seconds.

"Pasteur and Mitchinkoff taught that to kill germs is to make a new world. Without germs there can be no epidemic diseases. Also, the S-ray softens hardened arteries and loosens adhesions. That stops age, prolongs maturity and increases efficiency.

"We will yet be able to keep young for a century. Already the Royal Medical Society insists that the S-ray is the greatest thing in the medical world!

"Your hoarseness, now?"

I spoke, and my voice was entirely clear.

The handsome old inventor smiled at a marble bust of Bobby Burns.

"I call the new ray 'God's own light,' it has already done so much good. This is the beginning of an age of marvels," he confessed. "To experiment on armor plate I was seeking an intense, pure heat. My handy man, a drunken, dissolute fellow, was handicapped by a bad burn. Suddenly the open wound began to heal. That puzzled me. To prove a possibility, I gave my hand an ugly cut with a knife edge of dirty brass, and treated the wound with a dose of light. Three days later the cut was healed, leaving no scar. Then I knew that I had discovered something greater than a foundry process.

"Thus military surgery was provided with a safe ray which could stop discharges, cure stiffness or swelling, absorb scar tissue and relieve the torment of septic wounds. Only a short exposure is required, although there is no bad result from long exposure,

the electrodes being held 12 to 24 in. from the skin.

"Limbs which our soldiers feared were lost have been saved, cripples have suppleness restored, face wounds which made brave men look monstrous have been stimulated to clean healing. Since the sea battle off Jutland hundreds of British sailors have been cured by S-ray of gangrene. Killing all germs, the Simpson light creates a thin infinitesimal skin which obviates the necessity of messy dressings."

Five feet distant, electrodes of wolfram discharged invisible streams of ultra violet rays. A subtle sense of restfulness and well-being filled the atmosphere.

"And neuritis?" I suggested.

Prof. Simpson's white head nodded emphatically.

"If you please," piped a voice from the door, "I want to say thank you to my professor!"

Then she came in, a very little girl, shy, but determined. "Last month I had eczema," cried the young voice, and now I have not got it any more."

Beyond the laboratory door a slight girl in gray serge and a scarlet cape paused diffidently, a bouquet of white heather filling her hands.

The Inventor's Reward.

"My mother sent this to you, professor," she said softly. "Like you, she is Scottish. For two years I have been a war nurse. Last month the hospital authorities ordered me home, invalided from varicose veins. Doctors forbade me to walk or to stand. The War Office wants trained nurses, I have my living to earn, and a year's invalidism just now would break my heart. But every Scottish physician in England has heard of the Simpson light. There are S-ray installations in scores of military hospitals. I urged an application; three treatments cured me. Tonight I return to my post back of the front.

Freckled face smiling the thanks she could not speak, the girl nurse offered

her bouquet to Prof. Simpson.

"Heather!" he exclaimed, "Lucky heather from home. Lassie, I'll put it by Bobby Burns!"

"Nae, then, I must keep back one bit," laughed the girl nurse, and laid the spray on the standard beneath "God's own light."

Railway Men Had Close Call

Were Cut Off by Flames in Railway Y. M. A. at Columbus, O.

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 25.—More than one hundred railroad men narrowly escaped death early this morning, when fire broke out in the Railway Y. M. A. building. Rapid spread of the flames through the halls of the building cut off their exit from the upper floors, where the men were sleeping.

A general alarm brought the city's entire fire fighting force to the scene in time to control the fire and enable the railroad men to leave the building.

WANTS AN INVESTIGATION.

Swedish Government Will Make Inquiry at Berlin.

London, Nov. 25.—The Swedish government has ordered its charge d'affaires at Berlin to investigate the sinking of the Swedish steamer Arthur, according to a Stockholm despatch.

The charge d'affaires is instructed to ask the German government to explain the action of the submarine, reserving Sweden's right to a claim for reparation.

BREAKS A BAD COLD IN A JIFFY! TRY IT

You can end gripe and break up a severe cold either in head, chest, body or limbs, by taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken. It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dizziness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness. Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store.

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A Cascaret tonight will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a ten cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months.

DEATH OF A WELL KNOWN RAILWAY MAN

Montreal, Nov. 26.—David McNicoll, formerly vice-president and general manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, died at 11 o'clock today at Guelph, Ont., after a protracted period of ill health. His body is being brought to this city for burial, the funeral will take place in Montreal Tuesday afternoon. Mr. McNicoll retired from the C. P. R. two years ago.

A powerful new electric lamp for photographers is enclosed in blue glass which lessens its intensity as far as a person facing it is concerned, without affecting the raps that do the work on photographic plates.

Some folks consider themselves charitable because they give their old clothes away.

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A Message From Sir Robert Borden

In his urgent appeal for National Service, on October 23rd, Sir Robert Borden said:

"Let us never forget the solemn truth that the nation is not constituted of the living alone. There are those as well who have passed away and those yet to be born. So this great responsibility comes to us as heirs of the past and trustees of the future. But with that responsibility there has come something greater still, the opportunity of proving ourselves worthy of it; and I pray that this may not be lost."

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