

Doctor Tells How to Strengthen Eyesight 50 per cent. in One Week's Time in Many Instances

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Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 6.—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 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 expenses 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.

A prominent City Physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Bon-Opto is a very remarkable remedy. Its constituent ingredients are well known to eminent eye specialists and widely prescribed by them. It can be obtained from any good druggist and is one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family."

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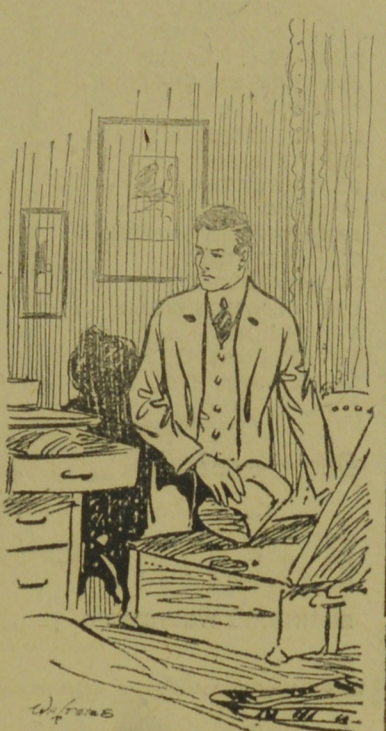
BLACK IS WHITE

CHAPTER IX.

The Sorceress.

The next day, after a sleepless night, Frederic announced to his stepmother that he could no longer remain under his father's roof. He would find something to do in order to support himself. It was impossible to go on pretending that he loved or respected his father, and the sooner the farce was ended the better it would be for both of them.

She, too, had passed a restless night, a night filled with waking dreams as well as those which came in sleep. There was always an ugly, wriggly kink in those dreams of hers, and a



He Was Getting His Few Things Together in His Room.

brown hand that was forever fascinating her with its uncanny deftness. Twice in the night she had clutched her husband's shoulder in the terror of a dream, and he had soothed her with the comfort of his strong arms. She was like a little child "afraid of the dark."

Her influence alone prevented the young man from carrying out his threat. At first he was as firm as a rock in his determination. He was getting his few possessions together in his room when she tapped on his

door. After a while he abandoned the task and followed her rather dazedly to the boudoir, promising to listen to reason. For an hour she argued and pleaded with him, and in the end he agreed to give up what she was pleased to call his preposterous plan.

"Now, that being settled," she said, with a sigh of relief, "let us go and talk it all over with Lydia."

He started guiltily. "I'd—I'd rather not, Yvonne," he said. "There's no use worrying her with the thing now. As a matter of fact, I'd prefer that she—er—well, somehow I don't like the idea of explaining matters to her."

She was watching him narrowly. "It has seemed to me of late, Frederic, that you and Lydia are not quite so—what shall I say?—so enamored of each other. What has happened?" she inquired so innocently, so naively, that he looked at her in astonishment.

"I am sure you fairly live at her house. You are there nearly every day, and yet—well, I can feel rather than see the change in both of you. I hope—"

"I've been behaving like an infernal mean," Yvonne, cried her conscience-stricken. "She's the finest, noblest girl in all this world, and I've been treating her shamefully."

"Dear me! In what way, may I enquire?"

"Why we used to—oh, but why go into all that? It would only amuse you. You'd laugh at us for silly fools. But I can't help saying this much—she doesn't deserve to be treated as I'm treating her now, Yvonne. It's hurting her dreadfully and—"

She laughed softly. "I'm afraid you are seeing too much of your poor stepmother," she said.

His eyes narrowed. "You've made me over, that's true. You've made all of us over—the house as well. I am not happy unless I am with you. It used to make me happy to be with Lydia—and we were always together. But I—I don't care now—at least, I am not unhappy when we are apart. You've done it, Yvonne. You've made me worth living. You've made me see everything differently. You—"

She stood up facing him. She appeared to be frightened.

"Are you trying to tell me that you are in love with me?" she demanded, and there was no longer mockery, raillery in her voice.

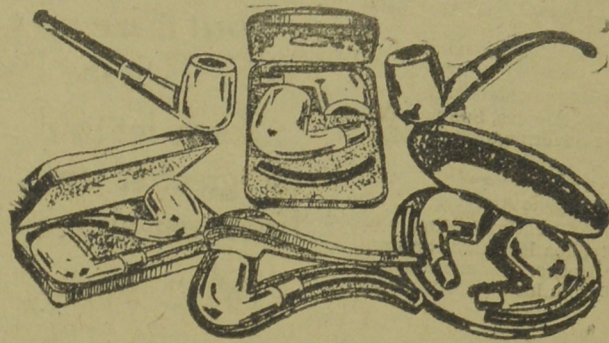
His eyes swept her from head to foot. He was deathly white.

"If you were not my father's wife I would say yes," said he, hoarsely.

She laughed. "I shall pay no attention to such nonsense. You are an honest fool and I don't blame you. Wiser men than you have fallen in love with me, so why not you? I like you, Freddy, I like you very, very much. I—"

"You like me because I am his son?" he cried hotly.

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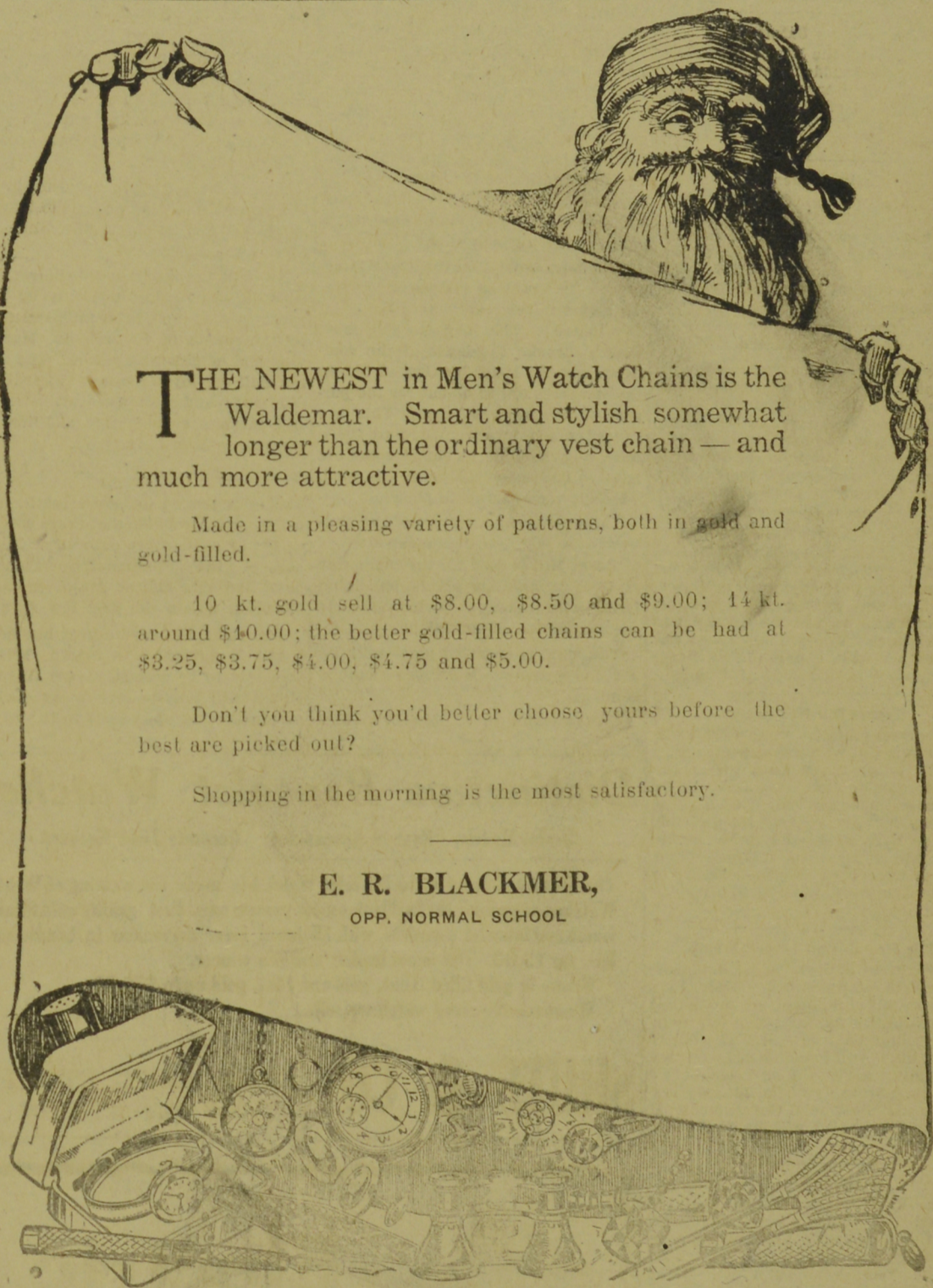
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