

## Mother Writes Letter Filled With Joy and Gratitude

Mrs. J. H. Baker is a most estimable woman, well known to hundreds of people in her locality, a prominent church worker and highly thought of by who have the pleasure of her acquaintance. Mrs. Baker letter follows:

Drumhill, N. C.,  
November 27, '18.

Dr. J. E. Masrow,  
Norfolk, Va.,

Dear Doctor:

Pardon me for not writing to you before this for I have thought several times I would write, but something always hindered me. I want you to publish a testimonial of our daughter's nerve trouble and her wonderful cure by the glasses you adjusted to her eyes.

We consider her cure almost a miracle—and in so short a time!

Her condition was two hundred per cent better in two weeks' time after your first treatment. It is with a heart fairly bursting with gratitude to you for the wonderful cure you performed.

How I wish you could see her now, looking the picture of health—cheeks red and rosy, no more like her former self than if she wasn't the same child. Her nerves are as quiet as if there had never been any trouble with them. We wouldn't take our estate (although small) for what you have done and your charges were so much less than what we had expected them to be.

No one knows the anguish of a mother's heart, only those who have been through such a trial as I passed through. You are at liberty to write the testimonial in your own words, for you are aware of Rosa's condition when I took her to you. Tell all about the wonderful change in her in two weeks' time, for words fail me to express my appreciation for what you did for her.

With best wishes for your welfare,  
Sincerely yours,  
MRS. J. H. BAKER.

If you had been told years ago that eye-strain was the cause not only of eye troubles, but headaches, nervousness, stomach, liver and kidney troubles, menstrual difficulties, impaired memory, stupidity in children, St. Vitus' dance and many other chronic nervous ills, you would have thought it ridiculous. If you had been told that relief and permanent cure could be effected by correcting the eye defects by wearing the proper glasses, you probably would have declared it impossible. Yet all the ailments have been completely cured by this very simple method. Of course some people will not believe it yet, but the remarkable case told of in this article affords most convincing proof.

### GIRL OF 14 VICTIM OF MOST DISTRESSING TROUBLES.

Miss Rosa Baker, who resides with her parents at Drumhill, N. C., weighed only 90 pounds a short time ago, after suffering the tortures of extreme nervousness. St. Vitus' dance and other distressing ailments which many young girls just budding into womanhood suffer. Her parents placed her in care of a physician, but the doctor's attention and medicines utterly failed to benefit her. In fact, her condition grew from bad to worse until as her mother says, had she kept on suffering just a short time longer it would have killed her.

### GAINED 17 POUNDS IN JUST ABOUT TWO WEEKS TIME.

At the urgent request of a number of her friends and neighbors the parents of Rosa brought her to Norfolk to have her eyes examined by Dr. Masrow, the well known eyesight specialist of Norfolk, Va. With masterful skill, Dr. Masrow quickly located the cause of all the trouble and adjusted a pair of glasses to her eyes, and in almost unbelievably short time, all her troubles were banished, she gained 17 pounds in weight and is now a strong robust, healthy girl.

## "SAFETY FIRST" MAN'S WIFE HAD BAD TEMPER

The lives of thousands of people who cross the Chowan river, on the Atlantic Coast Line, at Tunis, N. C., are practically in the hands of Henry Lawrence, the ever-alert gatekeeper at this point. Among numerous other ailments, the "Safety First" man's wife had an almost ungovernable temper, caused by her miserable physical condition, which made life anything but pleasant for him. But now everything is bright and cheerful in the Lawrence home, as the following letter attests:

Tunis, Hertford Co., N. C.,  
April 27, 1918.

Dr. J. E. Masrow,  
Norfolk, Va.

Dear Dr. Masrow:—

My wife has been an awful sufferer from headaches and nervousness for the past fifteen years. She also had an unusually bad temper, the result of her constant suffering, no doubt. Having heard of the wonderful relief afforded other people by wearing your glasses, we called to see you on February 20th, this year. After examining my wife's eyes, you laid all blame for her suffering on the bad condition of her eyes. After wearing a pair of your glasses only a few days her headaches and nervousness, as well as her bad temper left her entirely. She is once more well and happy, cheerful and amiable—and we both thank you for the great change your glasses have brought about. You are at perfect liberty to publish this letter, if you care to, as it may be of some help to others who suffer as my wife suffered for so long a time.

Gratefully yours,  
HENRY LAWRENCE.

## Tax Collector's Words of Praise

Another North Carolinian comes to the front with a glowing tribute to the skill of Dr. Masrow, the eyesight specialist. Last week there appeared in these columns a strong testimonial letter from a well-known Hertford County man, and now right on the heels of it comes one from another man in the same county—W. J. Hill, tax collector and farmer, of Como, which reads as follows:

Como, April 30, 1918.  
Hertford County,  
North Carolina.

Dr. J. E. Masrow,  
Norfolk, Va.

Dear Dr. Masrow:

I have been wearing glasses for the past twenty-five years, but for the past ten years I have been having considerable trouble with my eyes, which caused intense nervousness and almost constant headaches. I consulted several specialists without getting permanent relief—I just could not get lenses to fit me properly. Upon the recommendation of a number of my friends and neighbors, I made up my mind to see you about my condition. It gives me very great pleasure to advise you that after wearing glasses fitted by you less than a year ago, I have been entirely relieved of the nervousness, headaches and awful pain in my eyes. I cannot say too much in your behalf—your work is nothing short of wonderful.

Very truly yours,  
(Signed) W. J. HILL.

## 25--Years Practice Marked by Pronounced Success

Dr. Masrow's Record as an Eyesight Specialist Places Him in the Very Front Rank of His Profession; Thousands of Remarkable Achievements Placed to His Credit.

The best evidence of man's ability to do all that he claims to be able to do is the written testimony of those



DR. J. E. MASROW

who have had need of his service. In this connection, Dr. J. E. Masrow, Norfolk's well-known eyesight specialist, can proudly point to the great mass of letters he has received from his patrons, during the twenty-five years he has been practicing in the state of Virginia, a long period of this time having been spent in Norfolk where his work has won for him, an enviable reputation and a highly successful patronage.

Dr. Masrow's position in the local field is unique, in that he is the best equipped eyesight specialist in the city enjoying an exclusive office practice. His office, located in the Dickson building, corner of Granby and Tazewell streets, is fully equipped with the most scientific instruments necessary to the correct diagnosis of the thousands of cases that come under his observation, the most delicately constructed eye-testing devices forming the major part of the equipment. This splendid outfit, combined with his long and varied experience, gives Dr. Masrow a most pronounced leadership in his profession and assures lasting comfort and satisfaction to his patrons.

The letters published here are but a few of the many hundreds received by Dr. Masrow from North Carolina. Readers who may doubt the authenticity of any of these letters are urged to write their authors who will cheerfully verify every statement they contain.

## Gatesville Farmer Praises Specialist

Mr. H. L. Baines Tells of the Wonderful Benefit His Wife Derived from Wearing Glasses fitted by Dr. Masrow.

Dr. J. E. Masrow,  
Norfolk, Va.

Dear Sir:

My wife has been a sufferer from headaches and nervousness for 12 years. She had been to three specialists without any relief. Last January she consulted you and you made glasses for her.

I must say that your glasses gave her entire relief from her headaches and nervousness. I will certainly recommend all my friends who are having headaches, nervousness, eye troubles, or in need of glasses to see you.

I am, Yours truly,  
H. L. BAINES,

Gatesville, N. C.

## Two Specialists Fails to Help

Well-known Elizabeth City Woman Finally Consulted Dr. Masrow and Found Relief.

"Truth is stranger than fiction" as everybody knows. The best evidence of Dr. Masrow's remarkable almost daily receipt by him of letters of praise and gratitude from his patrons. The writer of the following letter is the wife of a prosperous contrac-

tor of Elizabeth City and has resided in the city proper for the past twenty years, and is well-known to the people of the community. Here's her letter, read it:

Elizabeth City, N. C.,  
May 15, 1918.

Dr. J. E. Masrow,  
Norfolk, Va.

Dear Doctor:

Because of the poor condition of my eyes, which caused severe headaches and a general run-down condition of my health, I consulted you regarding my eyes. That was on the 12th of February, this year. I have been wearing glasses for about twelve years, and in the past three years I consulted two specialists in the city, neither of whom could give me the proper glasses to relieve my trouble. I remembered seeing a testimonial letter to you in the Norfolk and Elizabeth City papers from Mrs. Cartwright, of Weeksville, N. C. On the strength of that letter I called to see you and I am happy to say that the glasses you fitted to my eyes have given entire satisfaction. My eyes now feel comfortable, the headache is greatly relieved and I feel much better in general. I can and do highly recommend you to all my friends who need the services of an eyesight specialist. I am giving you permission to publish this letter and I hope that you will benefit others as you have benefited men. Thanking you for your kind attention and good work, I am,

Very truly yours,  
(Signed) MRS. C. W. WHALEY,  
885 Euclid Heights.

## Ahoskie Prosperous Farmer Praises

J. C. Benthall, a well known prosperous farmer and business man of Ahoskie, writes to Dr. Masrow a letter requesting that he publish same.

R. F. D. No. 2,  
Ahoskie, N. C.,  
March 29, 1917.

Dr. J. E. Masrow,  
Norfolk, Va.

Dear Doctor:

About twelve years ago when you were located on Main street, you fitted me with a pair of glasses, I used them for seven years and they have given me perfect satisfaction. After you moved your office from Main street I could not locate you so I have been compelled to consult three other specialists during the last five years seeking relief, but none of them have been able to relieve me as as your first pair of glasses did.

Within the last five years I have been a sufferer from headaches and my eyes would smart and burn, pain me terribly, not allowing me to read the paper for over ten minutes at a time. In fact, I have been in a general distressed condition and suffered continuously with my eyes and head.

About three months ago I noticed in the Virginia-Pilot that your office was now on Granby street, so I came to Norfolk specially to see you.

Since I have started wearing your glasses with which you fitted me two months ago they immediately caused all my ailments to leave me entirely and I feel like a new man.

I can cheerfully recommend you to all my friends who are suffering with any eye troubles, headaches and nervousness, or who are in need of glasses to consult you.

I would appreciate it if you would publish this letter in your Norfolk papers and also in my home town paper so that others may be benefited as I have.

Wishing you the best success, I remain,

Yours very truly,  
J. C. BENTHALL.

Dr. Masrow has received thousands of just such letters as the above, telling of the wonderful work of the doctor, praising his skill, thanking him for the benefits derived from his

glasses, commending his up-to-date methods and endorsing him to friends and relatives.

His offices are in Suits 405 and 405 1-2 Dickson building, over Smith and Welton's store, corner Granby and Tazewell; office hours from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Sunday's from 11 to 12.

## North Carolina Prominent Lady

Mrs. M. A. Cartwright of Weeksville, North Carolina, Pasquotank County, is Praising Dr. Masrow for His Successful Work.

Weeksville, N. C.,

R. F. D. No. 1,

Feb. 21, 1917.

Dr. J. E. Masrow,

Norfolk, Va.

My dear Doctor:

It is with pleasure that I can inform you of how much good your glasses have done me already. On October 9, 1916, I called on you to have my eyes examined and you advised me that my heaches were due to the condition that my eyes were in so I requested you to make me a pair of glasses, which gave me almost instant relief. I was also suffering from inflamed eyes and that too has been greatly relieved. With the glasses that you fitted me I can see how to read, sew and at a distance. My eyes feel cool and pleasant. I must say I have tried several specialists in the past 20 years and not one gave me the relief you have.

I can certainly recommend you to all of my relatives and friends in this section if they have any eye trouble or are in need of glasses. It would pay to make a trip to Norfolk and consult you. Wishing you continued success, I am,

Yours very truly,

MRS. M. A. CARTWRIGHT,  
Weeksville, N. C.  
Pasquotank county.

## Geo. W. Browne of Kelford, N. C.

Writes letter of praise and appreciation for the wonderful relief he and his wife received from the glasses he prescribed with hopes it may be of benefit to the public.

Dr. J. E. Masrow,  
405 Dickson building,

Norfolk, Va.

Dear Doctor:

My wife has been a sufferer from headaches and nervousness for several years. Seeing so much in the Norfolk papers about your wonderful work; of the way you had relieved so many people of the above troubles, we decided to consult you, after my sister-in-law, Mrs. W. D. Brown, received so much relief from the glasses fitted by you, on May 26th we called to see you at your office and upon your decision that nothing else but the glasses would relieve her headaches and nervousness. After wearing them one month her troubles were greatly relieved. You had given my wife such relief that I myself decided to see you about my eyes and you fitted me with glasses also, and they have proved entirely satisfactory. I can now read as well as I can sincerely recommend you to any one of my friends in need of a competent eyesight specialist. I am,

Yours very truly,

GEO. W. BROWNE,  
Kelford, N. C.