Pioneer in Treatment Given

been treating blind Senator Gore, has | normal.' been doing for a number of years. Dr. Bates, who says that he was for ten FOR GOOD VOCAL TEACHERS years assistant to the late Dr. Henry D. Noyes, in his day one of the foremost eye doctors in the world, and Deplores the Quality of Those that he assisted a number of other prominent eye specialist, has been working for 36 years to prevent and cure imperfect sight so that glasses

150 years ahead of his times. Dr. Bates as one who knew about his for more well trained and qualified of foreign parentage and poor. If methods of treatment and acknowl- vocal teachers. edged an indebtedness to the latter That many planists and organists way, think what it would mean to for some of his ideas. -Dr. Bates does are teaching the voice, and thus have them to hear a great orchestra. Who not treat patients by electrical means. is due to staring and strain and that sensitive organs that compose it, when be quickened into being? What a coal dealers, I Broadway, Manhattan,

of the eye muscles.

Suffer From Strain. short, rhythmical and easy, and each have to a greater or less degree

seen all alike at one time." able to benefit even patients suffer- and madames are almost invariably ing from atrophy of the optic nerve failures as teachers of the great fundastrain was corrected, there was noted reason. an improvement of vision.

the vision of the patient had been must be a well-trained and artistic now is it crucial to make the younger restored even after it had appeared, singer, preferably one who has had generation, in whose hands lies the after viewing the eye through an to learn to sing, and knows the whole future, appreciate what is the real ophthalmoscope, that there was no path that he is to ask his pupils to thing. optic nerve left. In cases of glau- tread. Second, he must have a natcoma, or hardening of the eyeball, he urally correct ear for the judgment continued, when the strain was cor- of tone quality, so that he can deter rected and perfect relaxation brought invariably any approximation on the about the eyeball had become soft. | part of the pupil to the ideal tone

ball becomes normal in tension very study, a thorough knowledge of the quickly," said he. "I think that the methods that have been tested by most valuable discovery I have made many teachers in the past generations is that all cases of imperfect sight are and are known to be logical and lea associated with eye strain. It is an ing to Nature's own true methinteresting fact that the normal eye Fourth, he must have the ability at rest is always in motion and this impart his knowledge to the pupil can be demonstrated readily. When simple, direct language, without comthat motion is interfered with there plication, and by example and precept is strain. When the normal eye to secure in the pupil's mind a conimagines a letter moving from side to scious and comprehensive knowledge side everything it sees has a swing. of Nature's method that will make This swing is very short, rhythmical him a reliable and trustworthy singer. and restful. When there is strain the Fifth, the ideal teacher will be patient, motion of the eye is jerky." Explains-"swinging Cure."

discarded after the doctor had treated young wage earners of our great city, her. She said she had suffered from to study the voice; and if there were If your sight is imperfect, the letter

will appear to be stationary. The unconscious shifting of the eye. The lack of movement is due to the fact that the eye stares, or looks too long at one point. This is an invariable symptom of imperfect sight, and may often be relieved by the following

with the palms of the hands so as to American forces there to about oneexclude all light, and shift mentally half of the present strength of 13,500 from one side of a black letter to officers and men. The reduction will the other. As you do this, the mental be accomplished by the middle of next picture of the letter will appear to March.

may be difficult, you will find tha your memory of it will be much less

Senator Gore Says Strain Al- at one side and then at the other the real letter. If it appears to move ways Marks Imperfect Sight. in a direction opposite to the move

Who Are Now Teaching.

By G. WARING STEBBINS. To state what is Brooklyn's greatest the best? may be discarded. He holds clinics musical need is a task that the writer at the Harlem Hospital every other does not feel qualified to fulfill; but day. Dr. Bates' friends say that he is a real musical need, as evidenced by Dr. Harris mentioned the name of a large experience in the subject,

Dr. Bates says that imperfect vision under their care the delicate and knows what latent artist soul might the secret of overcoming this strain these musicians have little or no seats at each symphony or philand improving the vision to the point knowledge of the voice, and cannot harmonic concert could be awarde lies in relaxation, rest and exercise sing one correct, well formed and high school students (who are music director of the Metropolitan Museum of placed tone, is a matter of amazement, students) as a reward for good but all too true.

Another class of pseudo vocal teachare under a strain," said he. "Per- ers who do immense harm is composed sons with perfect sight and perfect of singers who, by virtue of more or its story. There was rapt attention imagination experience no strain. The less ability to sing, think that this and later I received a letter signed When the vision is naturally entitles them to teach. The "they normal the movements of the eye are fallacy here is that most good singers, music could mean those successive point fixed is seen better natural method, and actually do not how to listen to music, than any other point. In the eye know how they sing, thus automaticalare longer, irregular and accompanied by preventing them from imparting by strain. The points fixed are not knowledge of method to the young. seen best, so that the object may be The broken-down opera singers mak-Dr. Bates said that he had been ing up the great number of signors

The necessary qualifications for a He had known cases, he said, where capable vocal teacher are: First, he through the individual, and especially "With perfect relaxation the eye- Third, he must have, by reading and

> giving himself unreservedly to the pupil, and at all times earnest in en There is a widespread desire, especially among the great numbers of | Cleans NICKEL Beautifully an adequate number of well-trained teachers Brooklyn would in less tha

courteous and above all conscientious.

WITHDRAWAL OF RHINE FORCE TO BE GRADUAL

Washington, Oct. 22-The gradual withdrawal of American troops from Germany, expected to start within two weeks, will involve a reduction of the

MUSIC A NECESSITY

By AMELIA GRAY-CLARKE.

whose offices are at 300 Madison ave. | imagine the swing of the letter as patrons of opera and to inculcate desires | Dempsey's went off and the bullet | Manhattan, claim for him that he was well with your eyes open as with your certs. Civic pride and community for the better things. l'arents seem passed through Gallo's abdomen. the pioneer in the work which Dr. eyes closed, as short, as regular and spirit should prompt them also to be running along the lines of least Dempsey is a deputy sheriff and had Samuel J. Harris of Boston, who has as continuous, your vision will be support the clubs and musical organi- resistance. I digress! But it is a a permit issued by Justice of the zations. People join Manhattan clubs thought for consideration. to hear "wonderful" soloists. Those same soloists would be attainable in |-to soften the heart-to bring aspiraour own clubs if the proper support | tion to the spirit and solace to the and financial backing were assured. among people of the cultured class as nothing else can do (save the population as a whole? How are well

> During "Music Week" in the schools played seriously. " Most of them were | -giving a boon and a benison to all. they felt any thrill of pleasure in

That day I talked a bit about music I played-explaining the terpretation-analyzing bits-telli a There is a need for people to know

Schools teach the history of art. Students see examples of pictures and sculpture, they read the masterpieces of literature, but the knowledge and appreciation of music is not fostered by hearing the world's great compositions. Schools should be equippe should be engaged by the Board of and that sooner or later, when the mentals of the voice for this latter Education to present the best in music to the young people. Interest in music must be built up !

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sorrowing-to bind in sympathy a There is a deep interest in music polyglot gathering in our cosmopolis

A civilization which supports its to be a real music loving people un- arts elevates its manners and morals; Baron of a cabaret revue headed by less the people have a chance to know a jazz-nurtured nation will quickly degenerate and disintegrate. So I suggest that press and philan- less attractive is the quintet of jazz last spring I played at one of the high thropist, parent and pedagogue work experts. small together for good in bringing music orchestra of girl students. They to the people and the people to music entirely renovated. There will be no

SAMUEL T. PETERS DIES

Samuel Twyford Peters, 67 years old, enior member of Williams & Peters, country home in Islip, L. I. He was a Riding Club and a member of numerus clubs and organizations. Services will be held today at 2 p.m. at St. Mark's Church, Islip, I. I. Interment will be private. He leaves his wife and two children, Mrs. Harold H. saying Weekes and Harry T. Peters.

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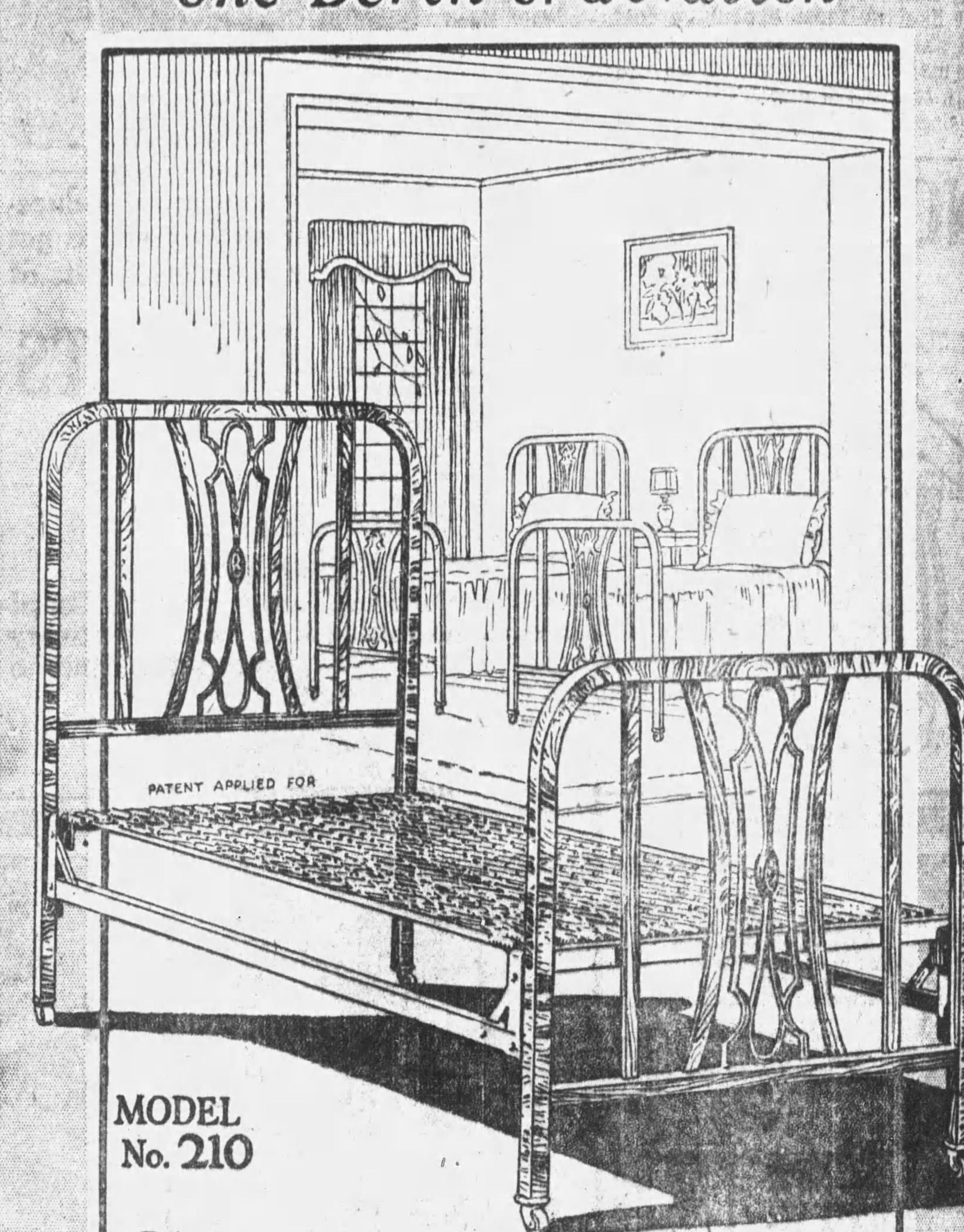
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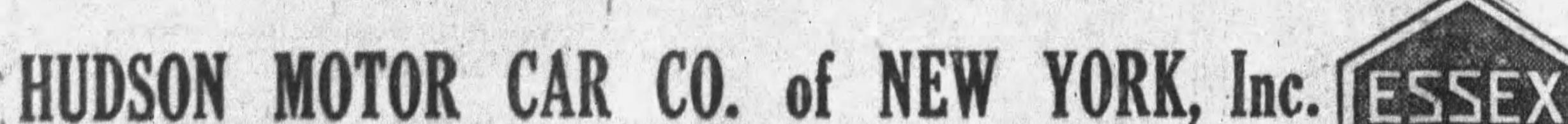
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