

A FEW CASE REPORTS FROM THE SYNTONIST'S OFFICE

By Dr. Roscoe Freitas

Editorial Note, Subject: Color Vision

Dr. Roscoe Freitas has sent in a few of his photostatic copies of letters that he received from his grateful patients who benefited by the Syntonic principle. As their main problem was color deficiency, they certainly owe a lot of gratitude to Dr. Freitas and Syntonics. As we all have these patients come to our office, we should try to do something for them. Take note of this Dr. L. C. Hoblitzell. The Syntonic Rx is to be found on the last page.

Stockton, California
June 10, 1943

Roscoe M. Freitas, O.D.
35 N. California St.
Stockton, California

Dear Doctor:

I am writing this letter for a two-fold purpose. First, I want to thank you for making it possible, as a result of your treatments, for me to successfully pass the navy color perception test. Secondly, to say good-bye to both you and your very able assistant, Miss Adams, before leaving for active duty in the Navy.

I recall that the first time I attempted to read both the Ishihara and American Optical color plates, I found it difficult to recognize more than two or three of them. The results of your methods of light therapy treatments are obvious because after 38 applications I was able to pass the Navy test without a hitch. Thanking you again,

I Remain, Your Friend

Officer A. Osborne #393
California Highway Patrol
San Joaquin County Squad:
Stockton, California

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Roscoe M. Freitas, O.D.
35 North California Street
Stockton, California

Dear Sir,

Approximately one month ago, I went to a San Francisco recruiting office for enlistment as an officer candidate. After taking a physical examination, I was told that I was color blind as badly that to attempt correction would be futile and, of course, this rejected my application.

Even though I was advised that nothing could be done, I sought correction from several Stockton Optometrists with no encouragement. Finally, I heard that you had—had some success in correcting color perception so decided it was worth a try.

After twenty-six treatments, you not only brought my color perception to normal, but I was able to qualify as an Aviation Cadet in the U.S. Army Air Corps.

I am indeed grateful for our services.

Very, truly yours,

Charles Ned Ware



Buckley Field, Colorado
February 4, 1944

Dear Doctor,

This has been a long-delayed letter I know. I have been in the Air Corps just a month now. I have taken many mental exams and three physicals. I have been given the color blind charts and passed the all.

If you remember when I cam up to your office the first of October, I couldn't make out one number in those charts. After I had taken your treatments, I had no trouble whatsoever with those charts; thanks to you.

Here at Buckley Field I have been taking test after test. Yesterday I took my last physical. It's called the "six four" and is the toughest of them all. I passed it including the color blindness part of it.

I am truly grateful to you, Doctor.

Yours truly,

Wendall A. Harold



Kearns, Utah
September 23, 1943

Dr. Roscoe Freitas

Dear Sir:

In February 1942 I was rejected from Naval Air Corps because of color blindness. In 1942 in September, I was rejected as a cadet from Army Air Corps because of color blindness.

I heard about your success on curing color blindness. About 5 months ago I decided to see if there was anything to it. I only passed 4 out of 20. I started taking your treatments and your advice about Vitamin A. I took the treatments for about two months.

Today 9-23-43 I passed Army Air Cadet 67 physical. There was a complete color vision test. I passed the test 100% and showed o effect of color blindness.

I attribute my success on this color vision examination to your treatments.

Very Cordially Yours,

Lester Warner

Dr. Freitas cases on color deficiency:

I found that most of the color deficiency cases were using margarine for spread instead of butter, also heavy fried food consumer. This was stopped and told to use butter for a spread and to broil or bake instead of fries. The reason for this is, that with the syntonics applications, I had the patient take from 100,000 to 150,000 units of Vitamin A each day and I believe Vitamin A is not absorbed in the system with synthetic or vegetable fats of any kind.

When I say color deficiency I mean just that, a totally color blind person is devoid of all colors, everything looked at is either dark or light, these persons are beyond any correction Syntonically or other wise as far as I have been able to improve.

RX for Color deficiencies:

N/L = Alpha-Delta, 15 flash

N/L = Mu Theta, 15 flash on 1/1 basis

Dr. Simpson's Syntonic Rx:

Mu-Theta & Theta 10 minutes combined with prism base out incorporated
In Rx during Syntonization.

A - N/L", Alpha Omega 10". Alternated with N/L 3", Mu Upsilon 10", Mu Theta 10".

The same Rx was used for both. Syntonics was used every day and sometimes twice a day for two or three weeks. However, this is not an Rx to be used in all cases. I quite frequently observe the lens carefully with the mediascope and there has been no reoccurrence of the opacity. Possibly we should repeat, "there is little hope of any surgical benefit for these cases if the progression has gone beyond he first or second stage. Nor do we hold any hope for the type which starts with an even blue or milky appearance.

Dr. Mason Isiminger, Houndsville, W. Va. Has a very interesting case to report. He is one of our newer Syntonists and from all indications seems to be getting good results. Dr. Isiminger has a busy practice which he built up by doing vision training.

This is case # 2367-4 with reference to the clearing of a corneal opacity. #2367-4 was first examined October 21, 1953 at age 4 years. External Ocular O.D. normal O.S. corneal opacity - - hazy central anterior cornea.

April of last year patient had measles which settled in the left eye. The eye seems to have a scum coming over it. Holds books very close. Complains of headache temple-ward of O.D. No history of injury. Physical condition is good. (Patient's own words).

Patient was referred to Dr. David Brown, M.D. for diagnostic Prognosis. Opacity was noted but prognosis was not favorable. Unaided V.A. at this time was 20/20 O.D. At near 20/25 O.D. Finger O.S. 20/20 O.S. Ophthalmoscopy was negative.

Patient returned January 10, 1956 at which time the history was same as above except patient complained of a drawing of the eyes. Eyes hurt. Prescribed + .50 20/20 + .75 20/50

Patient complains of eyes tiring and must lie down to rest after doing near work. This patient was last examined on December 6, 1957, at which time no trace could be found of the corneal opacity. The Rx prescribed is:

+ .25 O.D.
+ 2.25 O.S.

There still remains 2 degrees of ESO at far. Patient showed 20/20 O.D. 20/40 + 3 O.S. with the Rx.

Parents extremely happy with results. Patient has changed completely from a tense, withdrawn child to a happy little extrovert.

Dr. Isiminger's Syntonic Rx used on corneal opacity cases:

Mu-Upsilon

Very truly yours,

W. Mason Isiminger, O.D.