Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his per-Chart Hilitary Soral supervision since its influery.
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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotie substance. Its age is its guarantee, It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrheea and Wind Colle, It releves Teething Troubles, cures Constitution and Flattiency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the domach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea-The Mother's Friend.

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State of North Carolina Depository. Halifax County Depository. Town of Weldon Depository.

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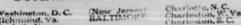


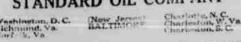
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A building association is a mutual, co-operative institution, purely local in its operation, confining its investments and loans to the community where it is located. It is officered managed, and operated by its mem-

Each person who deposits money to a voice in the election of its office and in fixing its policy,-K. V. Hay-

BUILDING ASSOCIATIONS. which loans are repayable in small periodical installments, either weekly, monthly, or semi-annually, as may be agreed on when the loan is made These periodical payments are of a sum sufficient to pay all accrued m-terest and a small balance to apply on the debt. The loan continues without renewal until these periodical pay-ments have paid off the debt in full. These loans may be made to run for a term of ten to lifteen years, as may be agreed on. The right is always reserved to the borrower to make pay-

#### HUMOR AND LAUGHTER.

nents of larger sums in any amount

at any time, and to pay off his loan in

Secret Of Health and Happiness Is In the Mental Attitude.

The eternal gospel of laughter is an antidote for many of the misfortunes of life, and the person who can spread his or her infectious humor of laughter broadcast is a blessing. We Americans love fun and humor in the most strenuous and true and who spreads a conragion of mirth-he is the man we so weakly through the veins and "tickle the risibles." The hostile forces of disease can be driven back by the benevolent microbes of mirth.

Bullets, brickbars and bottles are poor ammunitions for the battles of life-and "the blues." Lay in a supply of laughter. Store up a battery of smiles. Stuff the magazine with mirth. These are the ammunition to win your hard battles. Charge your enemy with bayonets of wit. Train humor upon him, and shoot him full of chuckles. Undermine him with laughter and let it explode. All teries of fun.

Then let us laugh! It is the cheapest luxury man can enjoy, and, as Charles Lamb says, "is worth a hundred groans in any state of the market." It stirs up the blood; expands the chest; electrifies the nerves; clears away the cobwebs from the brain, and gives the whole system a shock to which the voltaspile is as nothing. Its delicious alchemy converts even tears into the quintes-

routh and frolic laugh some more. - Everything.

But a man usually drops his prosperous look when a bill collector calls.

A homely girl can seldom understand why people think some men are mashers.

What has become of the oldfashioned boy who would rather

And many a good husband has Get a bottle of Sloan's. 25c. and 50c. the courage of his wife's convic- \$1 bottle holds six times as much as

A woman isn't necessarily levelheaded because her hat is on

## a Message

Those of Middle Age Especially.

When you have found no remedy for the horrors that oppress you during change of life, when through the long hours of the day it seems as though your back would break, when your head aches constantly, you are nervous, de-pressed and suffer from those dreadful bearing down pains, don't forget that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the safest and surest remedy, and has carried hundreds of women safely through this critical period.

Read what these three women say:

From Mrs. Hornung, Buffalo, N. Y.

Buffalo, N. Y.—"I am writing to let you know how much your medicine has done for me. I failed terribly during the last winter and summer and every one remarked about my appearance. I suffered from a female trouble and always had pains in my back, no appetite and at times was very weak.

"I was visiting at a friend's house one day and she thought I needed Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it and have gained eight pounds, have a good appetite and am feeling better every day. Everybody is asking me what I am doing and I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. You may publish this letter if you wish and I hope others who have the same complaint will see it and get health from your medicine as I did."—Mrs. A. Honnuno, 91 Stanton St., Buffalo, N. Y.

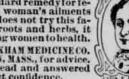
Made Me Well and Strong.

MACEDON, N.Y.—"I was all run down and very thin in flesh, nervous, no appetite, could not sleep and was weak, and felt badly all the time. The doctors said I had poor blood and what I had was turning to water. I took different medicines which did not help me, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made me well and strong, and I am recommending it to my friends."—Mrs. Free Chace, R. No. 2, Macedon, N.Y.

The Change of Life.

Beltsville, Md.—"By the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I have successfully passed through a most trying time, the Change of Life. I suffered with a weakness, and had to stay in bed three days at a time. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored me to perfect health, and I am praising it for the benefit of other women who suffer as I did."—Mrs. W. S. Duvall, Route No. 1, Beltsville, Md.

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable (Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No one sick with woman's ailments does justice to herself if she does not try this famous medicine made from roots and herbs, it has restored so many suffering women to health. Write to LYDIA E.PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. (CONFIDENTIAL) LYNN, MASS, for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



#### SWEETHEARTS.

of times. The whole-souled well- Sweetheart, we've traveled far toward the setting of the sun. balanced man of healtny body and For you and me, dear wife of mine, the race is nearly run. mind dearly enjoys a laugh. The But, lass, we fared with merry heart life's sunny summer ways. man of grouch is disappearing. And found the haunts of happiness when winter crossed our days.

and we are glad to see him go. We ringed the clock with joy around on many a morn in May. The man with the smile and the And now December's frosty breath has turned your tresses gray. RECTORS—W. R. Smith, W. E. Daniel, J. O. Diake, W. M. Cohen, twinkle, whose laugh rings hearty You're just as fair to me, dear heart, as when we both were young, and true and who spreads a con-And lightly on the highway, lass, your tripping footstep rung.

welcome everywhere. That kind And still your voice is sweet as when in frolic days of old of a man is everybody's friend. Your laughter rippled down the wind in notes of liquid gold. Let a few thrills of humor run ever Though sorrow shadowed us at times, we've had our share of fun: And hand in hand, sweetheart, we'll greet the setting of the sun.

#### FIVE SIMPLE RULES.

Cultivate the happiness of always looking upon the bright side of

every experience. Worry and anxiety are the great killers. Worry has the physical

effect of breaking down the nerve centers and making one less able to do one's work or to meet any difficulty. Don't cross the bridge before you come to it. Meet every trouble as it arises.

Accept cheerfully your place in life while you are in it, believing that it is the best possible place for you.

This does not mean that one should not strive to better his condition, the armies of grouch will be put to but it means that while you are in one position make the most of it and route by the cheerful charge of don't be envious, fretful, and jealous of others. "Oh," you say, "if I your merry heart and their bat- just had something else, or were in some other situation, I could be happy." No you would not be. If you cannot command happiness in your present position you could not find it in another.

Throw your whole soul and spirit into your work, and do it the best you know how.

No matter what your work is, while you are in it you must make a delight of doing it well or you will never be happy.

Get into the habit of doing bits of kindness and courtesies to all those

who touch your life each day.

This means at home, principally. Any one can be polite and plesant and thoughtful when out on dress parade. But the folks who love sence of merriment, and makes ye most and whom you most love are those in your own household wrinkles themselves expressive of or immediate surroundings. Try thoughtfulness, kindness and courtesy with them-husband to wife, wife to husband, children to parents, Laugh all you can. And then parents to children, brothers to sisters and sisters to brothers.

> Adopt and maintain a simple, childlike attitude of confidence and Life Pills. Take a dose tonight and trust in God as your own Father.-From a report of Dr. Charles E. Barker's lecture, "How to Live to be One Hundred Years Old.

Rheumatism and Allied Pains They Must Go!

The congestion of the blood in its flow

distress in the stomach after meals. It a true hero. causes pain. Sloan's Liniment pene. is due to indigestion and easily remetrates to the congestion and starts the died by taking one of Chamberlain's blood to flow freely. The body's warmth Tablets after meals. Mrs. Henry Padis restored; pain is gone. The "man or ghan, Victor, N. Y., writes: "For some stay at home and work than go to woman who has rheumatism, neuralgia time I was troubled with headache and or other pain and fails to keep Sloan's distress in my stomach after cating also Liniment in their home is like a drowning man refusing a rope." Why suffer ing man refusing a rope. Why suffer if they regulated the action of my bowels and the headache and other annoyances

> Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S ASTORIA

#### Distress In the Stomach There are many people who have a

with constination Aboutsix months ago ceased in a short time." Obtainable everywhere.

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### HELP DEPARTMENT

Many People Refuse to Give Information Regarding Cause of Fire.

#### SHOULD BE INTERESTED

Public Forgets Fact That Insurance Companies Base Claims on Losses And in the End it is Paid by Honest insurers.

In the investigation of fires and their suspicious origin, this department is severely handleapped because people who are able to throw some light on the conditions before and after the fire return to sive microsation, giving as then reasons that they are not interested and do not wish to be mixed up in the matter. The firebug is one of the most dangerous of criminals, and unless he is caught radialized in the act or confesses, it is almost Impossible to secure a conviction. The sympathy of the publi to a great extent is with the man accused, as the people go on the theory that us the loss comes out of the in surance companies pobody is damag once conjuntes have their premiums upon losses, and that every crooked fire loss in in the end paid by the honest insurer.-Fire Marchall J. K.

#### WORTH-WHILE DONT'S.

Don't leave a lamp burning whee Don't leave a lamp turned low; it is liable to cause an explosion

Don't use swing lamps near an open Don't use any but safety matches.

Don't permit rasoline, benzine or maphths to be kept in the house

#### HOTELS.

Carelessness with matches and the careless smoker are two of the chief causes of hotel fires. The way for proprietors to protect their property is to guard in every way against fire Employees are often permited to smoke and other hazards allowed to exist endangering the lives of the occupants. Rubbish is allowed to guther. These causes are accountable for Thus the hotel proprietor can help in a great degree in the elimination of fires and the destruction of valuables hotel property and the great risk of the lives of their guests.

#### ASHES.

Ashes are often carelessly disposed of, being thrown out in back lanes or left or wooden boxes against fences while a few live coals may still be in them, and the first wind that starts omy far them into a flame, and thus cause, it may be, a very disastrous

#### PUTTING ON WINGS.

"Run up stairs, Tommy, and oring baby's nightgown,"

'Don't want to' said Tommy. "Oh, Tommy! If you are not kind to your new little sister she'll

Tommy's reply came: "Well, let her put on her wings and fly up stairs for her nightgown! New York Mail.

put on her wings and fly back to

Colds Do Not Leave Willingly.

Recause a cold is stobborn is no year son why you should be instead of "weating" it out, get sure relief by tak ing Dr. King's New Discovery. Dangerous bronchist and lung ailments often follow a gold which less been merdeeted at the beginning As your body faithfully buttles those cold germs, no better aid can be given than the use of this semedy. Its merits has been tested by old and young. Get a bottle today. 50e and \$1.

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Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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