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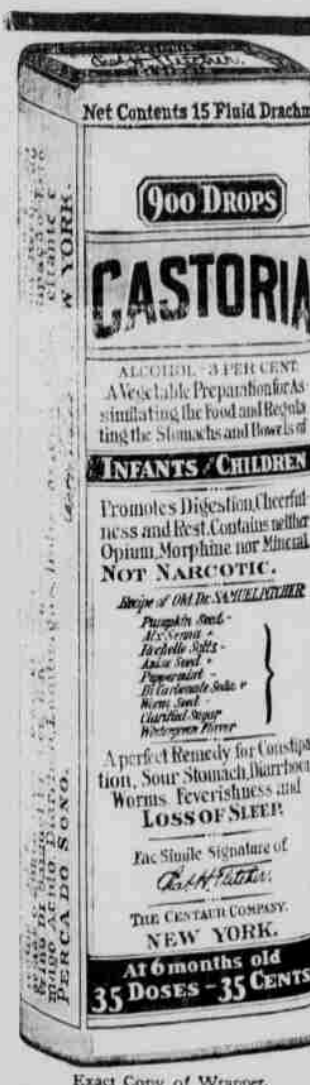
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**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
**Mothers Know That**  
Genuine Castoria  
Always  
Bears the  
Signature  
of  
*Charles H. Fletcher*  
For Over  
Thirty Years  
**CASTORIA**

### GARDENING.

I do not like to dig and till the garden—it's too hard a chore; I'd rather take a dollar bill and buy my onions at the store. When first the vernal breezes blow, men feel desire to hew the soil, and with their spades and rakes they go, and sing and chortle as they toil. But vernal breezes soon expire; the sizzling wind of summer blows, and sets the toilers beard afire, and fans his neck and bakes his nose. And as he sweats 'neath burning skies, and gives the noxious weeds a whack, a million ants and bugs and flies crawl up his legs and bite his back. And then he hates his sawed-off farm, he grows enough for seven cents; his cauliflowers lose all their charm his string beans look like 20 cents. Oh, I have gardened in the past, and know the fervor born of spring glows bright a while, but does not last; it is an evanescent thing. I do not like the rake and hoe, I will not ply them any more; when I want turnips I will go and buy the blighted things at the store.—Uncle Walt Mason.

### SOME DEFINITIONS.

College Freshman—Rah material.  
Eupremism—Calling a bum tune a vacant melody.  
Marriage—A necessary preliminary to securing alimony.  
Fragile—The way we describe a skinny girl we like.  
Hermite—a sort of non-resident human family.  
Doughnut—a hole surrounded by a compound mixture of dyspepsia.  
Bachelor—a man who causes happiness to some woman by not marrying her.  
Pessimist—a grinch who believes there are bacteria even in the milk of human kindness.

### Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA SURE SIGNS.

A certain young man's friends thought he was dead, but he was only in a state of coma. When, in ample time to avoid being buried, he showed signs of life, he was asked how it seemed to be dead. "Dead!" he exclaimed. "I wasn't dead. And I knew all the time what was going on. And I knew I wasn't dead, too, because my feet were cold and I was hungry." "But how did that fact make you think you were alive?" asked one of the curious. "Well, this way. I knew that if I were in Heaven I wouldn't be hungry. And if I were in the other place my feet wouldn't be cold.—United Presbyterian.

Parent leather shoes never remain as black as they are polished.

A narrow mind overlooks a charitable act and looks for the motive.

### HUSBAND OBJECTS TO OPERATION

Wife Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound



Des Moines, Iowa.—"Four years ago I was very sick and my life was nearly spent. The doctors stated that I would never get well without an operation and that without it I would not live one year. My husband objected to any operation and got me some of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it and commenced to get better and am now well, am stout and able to do my own housework. I can recommend the Vegetable Compound to any woman who is sick and run down as a wonderful strength and health restorer. My husband says I would have been in my grave ere this if it had not been for your Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. BLANCHE JEFFERSON, 703 Lyon St., Des Moines, Iowa.

Before submitting to a surgical operation it is wise to try to build up the female system and cure its derangements with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; it has saved many women from surgical operations.  
Write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., 253 N. Mass., for advice—it will be confidential.

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

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No Alum—No Phosphate

### NEW EVERY MORNING.

Every day is a fresh beginning.  
Every morn is the world made new;  
You are weary of sorrow and singing.  
Here is a beautiful hope for you—  
A hope for me and a hope for you.

At the past things are gone and over.  
The tasks are done and the tears are shed,  
Yesterday's errors let yesterday cover;  
Yesterday's wounds, which smarted and bed,  
Are healed with the healing which night has shed.

Yesterday is a part forever,  
Bound up in the sheath which God holds tight,  
With the glad days and sad days and bad days which never  
Shall visit us more with their bloom or their blight,  
Their fullness of sunshine or sorrowful night.

Let them go since we cannot relieve them,  
Cannot undo or cannot atone;  
God in His mercy receive and forgive them,  
Only the new days are our own—  
Today is ours today alone.

Here are the skies all burnished brightly,  
Here is the spent earth all reborn;  
Here are the tired limbs springing lightly  
To greet the sun and share with the morn  
In its chrisom of dew and cool of the dawn.

Every day is a fresh beginning,  
Listen, my soul, to the glad refrain,  
And in spite of old sorrow and older sinning,  
And trouble forecasted or possible pain,  
Take heart with the new day and begin again.

—Susan Coolidge.

### HOPE.

Who thinks to-morrow will not bring him more  
Than the sad days and years he's passed before,  
Who thinks that joy is false and love a cheat,  
That since some things are bitter, none are sweet,  
Has cast away—or lost—his kindest friend,  
Hope; which all men should cherish to the end.

Cling fast to hope! What though she show to thee  
Visions of gladness which shall never be,  
Wouldst thou walk blindly through a darkened vale  
Because the sun shows heights thou canst not scale?  
Would thou tear down the drapery of thy halls  
Because it hides the rough and jagged walls?

Man of the downcast face, lift up thine eyes,  
Look on the world which all around thee lies,  
To left and right full many a path thou'lt see  
Whose first long stage was grief and misery,  
And yet which ended in the ways of ease,  
Leading along cool brooks 'mid flowers and trees.

Remember this: That in a life whose sum  
Includes both joy and sorrow, there must come  
A time when sorrow, having spent his all  
Of wrath upon thy head, must then let fall  
His shattered sword, and give unwilling place  
To joy, who follows him with shining face.

So when, the end approaching, thou lookest back  
Over the lights and shadows of thy track,  
And by the clear rays of the setting sun  
Seest plain what blessings thou hast lost or won,  
Thou then canst lift thy voice and raise thine eyes,  
And thank the God above thee in the skies  
That in the darkness where thou oft didst grope  
There was not lost thy greatest treasure, hope.

### CALL TO YOUNG MEN.

PROFESSOR GEORGE B. MCCLELLAN, OF PRINCETON UNIVERSITY, AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

THIS is your day and your opportunity, not so much because you are young and the world is before you, as because you are men of education, and by the grace of God you are Americans. It is your duty, the duty you owe your country, as men of education and as Americans to give your lives to the work of guiding the people to the way of righteousness and truth, so that our civilization may be preserved for the greater good and the greater glory of our country.

I do not suggest that it is the duty of all of you, by any means, to devote your lives to the holding of public office. It is not necessary to enter public life, for public opinion is not made by politicians, but in the shops and the factories, in the offices and stores, in the clubs and on the street corners, everywhere that men and women gather together throughout the land. It is the duty of every one of you, according to the opportunity and grace that God gives you, to answer the call from the people for knowledge, and information, and light, to become a moulder of public opinion, to become a leader of men, to help the American people work out the problem they have set themselves to solve, government by the majority.

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Honey, Pine-Tar and Glycerine are recognized cold remedies. In Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey these are combined with other cough medicine in a pleasant syrup. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey quickly stops your cough, checks your cold, soothes irritation of the throat. Excellent for young, adult and aged. Its one of the best cough syrups made. Formula on every bottle. You know just what you are trading and your doctor knows its good for coughs and colds. Only on Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. Only 25c. at Druggists.

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### WHAT IS SPRING FEVER?

"But I do not need to diet," you may say; "I've got spring fever, but we all get that at this time of year."  
What is spring fever but a cry from the system for a needed rest and change? A disinclination to do very strenuous work or play, a chronic tired feeling, a slight headache, a roughness of the skin on the face, the upper part of the arms, or the back; these are all symptoms of the needed rest for the digestion. If the rest is not given, the foundation is being laid for future digestive and nerve troubles that may require a doctor to cure. The old home-made tonics that our grandparents believed in giving children in the spring time were composed of herbs and roots and containing practically the same properties as are found in fruits and green vegetables that the modern mother gives her family at this season. So eat what you should and avoid the tonics and the nerve cures.—Winifred Raymond, in April Southern Woman's.

### Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA VERY ARID.

He—The town you live in is rather arid, socially, isn't it?  
She—Arid? Well, I should say so. Why, the soil there is so arid socially that you can't even raise your eyebrows.

**Should Not Feel Discouraged**  
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At forty a man knows about half as much as he thought he knew at twenty.

### Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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In buying this remedy, besides securing an absolute guarantee of its efficiency from these druggists, you also get about eight times as much medicine as you would in buying most any of the old-fashioned, ready-made kinds, which average from 20 to 32 teaspoonful, because 25c worth makes a whole pint (128 teaspoonful) when mixed at home with simply one pint of sugar and one-half pint of water. This remedy positively does not contain chloroform, opium, morphine or any other narcotic. It is pleasant to take and children are fond of it. You will be the sole judge, and under this positive guarantee absolutely no risk is run in buying this remedy. Druggists everywhere are authorized to sell it under the same guarantee as Schiffmann's famous Asthmador of "Money Back" if not perfectly satisfactory. R. J. Schiffmann, Proprietor, Saint Paul, Minn. Guaranteed here by W. M. Colton.

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