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## Children Cry for Fletcher's

# CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of its inventor and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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## PEANUT BAGS.

For the good of the Peanut Industry, it has been determined by the members of this association, that it will be necessary to request the farmers to pack their peanuts in new 68 inch and 70 inch 8 ounce burlap bags, and when peanuts are packed in bags different from the above, a deduction will be made on the following basis:

Cotton bags, a deduction will be made 10c each. Second hand bags a deduction will be made 10c each. New 7 1-2 ounce bags 68 or 70 inches a deduction will be made of 5c each.

In view of the fact that some dealers in the past have delivered 7 1-2 ounce bags on contracts for 8 ounce bags, we would advise you to see that each bale of 500-68 inch 8 ounce bags you receive weigh 472 1-2 pounds, and each bale of 500-70 inch 8 ounce bags weigh 486 1-2 pounds, exclusive of the wrapping and cordage. If they run short of the above weight, you are receiving 7 1-2 ounce bags instead of 8 ounce bags.

NATIONAL PEANUT CLEANERS AND SHELLERS ASSOCIATION.

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## THE SUPERNATURAL IN HISTORY.

Famous Legends That Do Not Depend on Tradition Alone.

History, or historical legend, is full of the supernatural. In almost every age, except the eighteenth century, fiery armies are seen in the sky, sable fleets traverse heaven upside down, on the eve of battles generals see visions and admirals dream dreams. Nor do the legends depend on tradition alone. Constantine was strengthened by the Holy Cross in the sky, Julian abandoned by the genius of Rome, these are recorded by contemporaries in full detail. In the Middle Ages miracles are endemic, and every saint has one or two to his credit. But if we put by the Acta Sanctorum we have in England an undying King Arthur, in Germany a Barbarosa sleeping softly in a pleasant cave, while in those countries whose medieval ideas yet linger the Slav peasants of Austria think Joseph I a prisoner at Rome, and the Russian peasants await the coming of Skobelev on his famous white horse when Russia's need is sorest.

But the marvels of the modern age are not a few. Christ on the cross tells Ferdinand of Austria that he will not forsake him, the White Lady of Hohenzollern still brings fear to sentries in the castle at Berlin, there is the little red man that brought misfortune to Napoleon and the Boer prophet's vision of the death of De la Ray and the outbreak of the South African rebellion. These are perhaps mere popular legends without authority, more popular and far better attested are the visions seen of many at once, the sight of Castile's black fleet in the sky before it was seen on the sea, the dream of the Highland seer:

"A field of the dead rushes red in my sight,  
And the clans of Culloden are scattered in flight!"

—and the recorded vision of the wise men who foretold a British rout before Frenchmen at Ticonderoga, Coming direct to the most modern instances we have the battle of Prilep, where many beheld Marko Kraljevic rallying the broken Serbian ranks and leading on to victory, and that of Mons, where angelic hosts are said to have brought succor to weary Englishmen. Mankind in the mass is not so old, then, even if history is.—Contemporary Review.

## A FOOLISH DOCTOR

An old darkey was sick and his physician advised him that he must live on chicken soup and must not go out after dark. After the doctor had gone he said: "That doctor may be very smart, but he sho' was talkin' foolishness when he tell a negro he had to live on chicken soup and then not allow him to go out at night."

## CLASSIFIED.

A young woman called at the postoffice and inquired if there was a letter for her. "Business or love letter?" jokingly inquired the postmaster. "Business," was the hesitating reply, accompanied by a deep blush. As there was no such letter to be found, the young lady took her departure. She came back, however, after a little while and said, in faltering tones, "Please would you mind looking among the love letters?"—Woman's Journal.

## Her Son Subject to Croup.

"My son Edwin is subject to croup," writes Miss E. O. Irwin, New Kensington, Pa. "I put in many sleepless hours at night before I learned of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mothers need not fear this disease if they keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house and use it as directed. It always gave my boy relief." Obtainable everywhere.

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## Practical Economy

Baking powders made from alum or phosphate may be bought for a trifle less than Royal Baking Powder, which is made from cream of tartar, derived from grapes.

Alum powders are not only cheap, but they differ greatly in leavening power.

If a cheap baking powder is used for a fine cake and the cake turns out a failure there is a waste of costly materials worth more than a whole can of the cheap baking powder.

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## IT CAN BE DONE.

Somebody said that it couldn't be done.

But he, with a chuckle, replied  
That "Maybe it couldn't," but he would be one  
Who wouldn't say so till he tried.  
So he buckled right in, with a trace of a grin  
On his face. If he worried he hid it.  
He started to sing as he tackled the thing  
That couldn't be done—and he did it.

Somebody scoffed: "Oh, you'll never do that;  
At least no one ever has done it."  
But he took off his coat and he took off his hat,  
And the first thing he knew he'd begun it;  
With the lift of his chin, and a bit of a grin,  
Without any doubting or quidding,  
He started to sing as he tackled the thing  
That couldn't be done—and he did it.

There are thousands to tell you it cannot be done;  
There are thousands to prophesy failure;  
There are thousands to point out to you, one by one,  
The dangers that wait to assail you.  
But just buckle in with a bit of a grin,  
Then take off your hat and go to it;  
Just start in to sing as you tackle the thing  
That "cannot be done"—and you'll do it.

## FOR BETTER OR WORSE.

A negro man who had appeared in the court clerk's office and bought a marriage license the day before returned on the following day to the same office all battered and beaten up—his eyes black and his nose mashed—and said to the clerk:

"Here, Mr. Clerk, I want you to take this marriage license and give me back my dollar."

The clerk replied: "I can't do it, you took her for better or for worse."

"Yes," said the negro; "but she was worse than what I took her for."

## TO TAKE TEA AT BROWN'S

"James, my lad," said the grocer to his new assistant, "who bought that mouldy cheese today?"  
"Mrs. Brown, sir," was the youth's reply.  
"And the stale loaf we could not sell last night?"  
"Mrs. Brown, sir."  
"Where's that lump of rancid butter that baker refused?"  
"Mrs. Brown bought it cheap, sir," was the answer.  
"And the six eggs we could not sell a week since?"  
"Mrs. Brown. Are you ill, sir?" asked James, as the grocer turned green and groaned.  
"No, no; only I'm going to eat at Brown's tonight," replied the unhappy man as he wiped the perspiration from his face and sank into a chair.

## WONDERFUL DOG.

"Yes," said Brown, "I have a wonderful dog. Only this morning, when I came down to breakfast, after a sleepless night, and forgot to give him his usual tit-bit, he went out into the garden, pulled up a bunch of flowers, and laid them at my feet."

"And what were they?" inquired his friend.

"Forget-me-nots," answered Brown, as he hurriedly left the room.

## Pine Tar Relieves a Cold

Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey contains all the soothing elements of the pine forest. It heals the irritated membrane and by its anti-septic properties loosens the phlegm, you breathe easier, and what promised to be a severe cold has been broken up. For that stuffed-up feeling, tight chest or sore throat take a dose of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey and prevent a wearing, hacking cough dragging through the winter. At your druggist, 25c.

## A POET'S PRAYER.

By Edwin K. Hunt, The Kansas Poet.

Some day I know the evening sun will sink adown its golden lane into the west, but I'll have read the Greatest Poem of All and sought the solace of eternal rest. The little children will still play about, their laughter yet will rise upon the air, but I, who love them so, will never see, and never more for earthly things will care. Teach me, O Lord, before that time shall come, to know Thy love holds sway o'er everything, that Thou art watching all the paths we tread, from the humblest laborer unto the greatest king. O Lord, the way is sometimes hard, the thing I think a gift is a curse, but though I stumble, still I rise again, and keep on going, if for good or worse. Help me to learn the beauties of Thy world, the good that lies within my fellowmen, and that as Thou hast willed so shall it be, help me to play the game, O Lord. Amen.

## SLOW ON HIS FEET.

"Henry," said his wife reproachfully, "do you know that it was 3 o'clock when you came home this morning?"

"You are mistaken, my dear," he replied. "It was just half-past one. I looked at the clock on the church tower as I passed the corner."

"Far be it to doubt your word, Henry," answered his wife, "but if that is the case it must have taken you an hour and a half to reach the front door."

## Now Lookout.

When a cold hangs on as often happens, or when you have hardly gotten over one cold before you contract another, lookout for you are liable to contract some very serious disease. This sneezing of colds weakens the system and lowers the vitality so that you are much more liable to contract chronic catarrh, pneumonia or consumption. Cure your cold while you can. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a great reputation. It is relied upon by thousands of people and never disappoints them. Try it. It only costs a quarter. Obtainable everywhere.

Nothing please some people more than to hear disagreeable things about other people whom they don't like.

Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA

## A LEGACY OF HATE.

Antipathies Aroused by War will Be Long Passing.

In a communication to the New York Times Henry Goelet McKivkar writes:

It seems to me as if the great importance of this world war was not in its loss of treasure or loss of life, but in the death of love. There are 60,000,000 Germans who are hating 40,000,000 Englishmen, not to mention Australians and Canadians, with a hatred which is not only Satan born, but with a malice that could only emanate from a body where the mind remained but the soul had fled. This quintessence of hatred has at last filtered as thoroughly into the less impressionable nature of the English to the same degree as it exists today with the Germans. The atmosphere of this world is at present permeated with hate of a low, cunning, unscrupulous quality as never before. It seems to me as if the devil was winning his way to the front, as if the devil was on the offensive and God on the defensive; as if it were God's and Christianity's debacle. Whatever side wins, Love is dead and Hate for generations will remain supreme.

Greater than the desire to kill is the desire to hurt, and for years after this war is ended there will be no possible mingling of spirit between German and Englishman. The spirit of Christ will lie dead between two peoples.

## GOOD PICTURE OF CASEY.

Casey decided to go into business, so he bought a small livery stable and had a painter to make a sign for him showing him astride a mule. He had this sign placed in front of the stable and was quite proud of it. His friend Finnigan happened along and stood gazing at the sign.

"That's a good picture of me, ain't it?" asked Casey.

"Sure, it looks like you," said Finnigan, "but who the devil is the man on your back?"—National Monthly.

## MOREOVER THE DOG.

There was once a darkey who had a dog which he named "Moreover" and when asked where he got the name he said he got it out of the Bible; when asked to point the Scripture from which he got the name, he says don't you remember in the story of Lazarus where it says that "Moreover the dog came and licked Lazarus' sores?"

## REAL ENJOYMENT.

A man came up to a lecturer in a hotel and said:

"Well, sir, I enjoyed your lecture very much last night."

"I didn't see you there."

"Oh, I wasn't there."

"Well, what do mean by telling me you enjoyed my lecture when you were not present?"

"Oh, I bought tickets for my girl's father and mother, and they both went."—Chicago Herald.

## Rheumatism Follows Exposure.

In the rain all is generally followed by painful twinges of rheumatism or neuralgia. Sloan's Liment will give you quick relief and prevent the twinges from becoming torture. It quickly penetrates without rubbing and soothes the sore and aching joints. For sore, stiff, exhausted muscles that ache and throb from overwork, Sloan's Liment affords quick relief. Bruises, sprains, strains and other minor injuries to children are quickly soothed by Sloan's Liment. Get a bottle today at your Druggist, 25c.

Ordinarily a young man takes a girl's hand before asking for it.

## Sufferer from Indigestion Relieved

"Before taking Chamberlain's Tablets my husband suffered for several years from indigestion, causing him to have pains in the stomach and distress after eating. Chamberlain's Tablets relieved him of these spells right away," writes Mrs. Thomas Casey, Geneva, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.

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## Do You Have Sour Stomach?

If you are troubled with sour stomach you should eat slowly and masticate your food thoroughly, then take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper.

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