

Children Cry for Fletcher's

# CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over thirty years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* 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.

## What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS

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*Chas. H. Fletcher*

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

—White and yellow corn are raised in about equal quantities in this country, according to the county crop reporters of the Bureau of Crop Estimates.

—The mean monthly price of veal calves to producers in 1918 was \$11.18 a 100 pounds, advancing from \$6.45 in 1912 and \$10.47 in 1917. The price in 1918 went as high as \$12.57 in September.

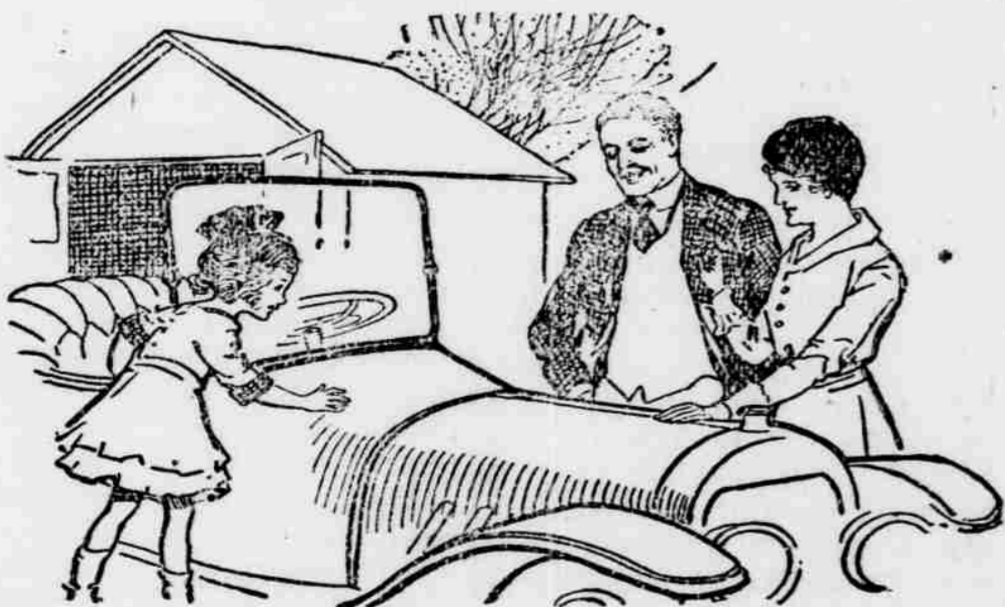
FLOWER OF FRANCE  
FREELY OFFERED FOR  
FREEDOM'S SAKE

Six millions of the youth and chivalry of France have been offered that Freedom might live. The world will ever remember this heroic sacrifice and outpouring of his blood of its youth. It is likewise not unmindful of the great service to the world rendered by the French peasants who have given it a perfect remedy for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, relieving it is said, incalculable suffering, saving thousands of lives and preventing innumerable surgical operations. The ingredients are imported and placed on sale in this country over the name of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy by Geo. H. Mayr, a leading Chicago chemist. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Hamilton Drug Co., and druggists everywhere.

—Dr. T. L. Bray, superintendent of the Atlantic Coast Line Hospital at Rocky Mount the past two years, has resigned, effective April 1.



What if You Can't Get a New Car in 1919?  
817,000 cars were "scrapped" in 1917



"Mother, the old car certainly deserves the best we can do for it!"

"Surely our old friend Car ought to have a new Eveready battery to carry it through the long year ahead. It will be little enough for all he has done for us."

"We can't any of us afford to gamble on whether the car will stand up to the work in 1919, and its got to. So I move, Mother, that we get an Eveready right now—it's guaranteed for a year and a half—and I'll bet the whole family will second the motion. The Eveready Service Station has just the size we need for the car, and they're mighty decent people at testing the battery and keeping it up to the mark."

"Make it unanimous—don't let the old car think we are pikers."

R. A. WIGGINS,  
OXFORD, N. C.

We test and repair all makes of batteries **EVEREADY** Our repair work is fully guaranteed

WAR LOSSES OF FRANCE  
PUT AT \$24,000,000,000

Paris.—The budget committee of the chamber of deputies has drawn up a report fixing the damages caused by the war in France, the total reaching \$24,000,000,000. Of this amount \$20,000,000,000 is entailed by direct damages and \$4,000,000,000 by indirect damage through loss of income or the impossibility of carrying on the work.

Starting Housekeepers Right.

A home demonstration agent in the District of Columbia obtains the names of prospective brides from the marriage license bureau and writes each a personal invitation to join one of her home making classes. The response has indicated that nearly every girl is anxious to get her home started right, and welcomes an opportunity to obtain information on the subject. Once started to thinking about modern methods of living and saving work, she is likely to be permanently interested.

Tobacco Acreages Estimated.

Seven per cent of Virginia's tobacco acreage in 1918 was devoted to sun-cured tobacco, 36 per cent to Virginia dark, and 56 per cent to old bright tobacco. In North Carolina old bright tobacco was on 34 per cent of the acreage and new bright on 66 per cent. In leading tobacco State, Kentucky, 44 per cent of the tobacco acreage was devoted to burley, 18 per cent to stemming tobacco, 8 per cent to One-sucker, 16 per cent to the Paducah district and 13 per cent to the Clarksville and Hopkinsville district.

Cutting Toll of Smuts.

The estimated national loss due to wheat smuts in 1918 crop is 25,500,000 bushels.

The estimated national loss due to oat smuts in the same crop is 110,000,000 bushels, and to barley smuts 6,000,000 bushels—a total loss of 141,500,000 bushels of grain.

In September, 1917, the United States Department of Agriculture began a campaign for the prevention of cereal smuts.

Methods of seed treatment to prevent smut were demonstrated to 113,090 farmers in 43 states, and 21,500 farmers were personally advised on their farms regarding smut and smut prevention.

Twenty-five per cent more farmers treated seed than formerly.

And the campaign has just fairly begun.

—Most girls think they have killing ways—some of them have.

FEELING BLUE  
LIVER LAZY  
TAKE A CALOTAB

WONDERFUL HOW YOUNG AND  
ENERGETIC YOU FEEL AFTER  
TAKING THIS DELIGHTFUL  
NAUSEALESS CALOMEL

If you have not tried Calotabs you have a delightful surprise awaiting you. The wonderful liver-cleansing and system-purifying properties of calomel may now be enjoyed without the slightest unpleasantness, for Calotabs are calomel with the liver benefits left in and the sting taken out. A Calotab at bedtime with a swallow of water, that's all. No taste, no nausea, no salts, nor the slightest unpleasant after-effects. You wake up in the morning feeling fine. Your liver is clean, your system is purified, your appetite hearty. Eat what you wish, no danger, and no risk of salivation. The next time you feel lazy, mean, nervous, blue or discouraged give your liver a thorough cleansing with a Calotab. They are so delightful and effective that your druggist is authorized to refund the price as a guarantee that you will be delighted.

For your protection, Calotabs are sold only in original, sealed packages, price thirty-five cents. At all drug stores.—(adv.)

DOCTOR SAYS  
VINOL IS THE  
BEST TONIC

Honest Opinion Doctor Gave  
His Patient

Bedford, Ohio.—"I was in a pitiful condition, weak, nervous and run down so I could not do my housework. I had doctored for years and tried everything under the sun. A friend told me about Vinol. I asked my doctor about it, and he replied, 'It certainly is the best medicine that can be had today. I couldn't give you any better.' I took it, and today I am as well and strong as any woman could wish to be, and it was Vinol that saved me."—Mrs. Frank A. Horky, Ash St., Bedford, Ohio.

We guarantee this famous cod liver and iron tonic for all such conditions.  
J. G. HALL, Druggist,  
And Druggists Everywhere.



New lot of Carpet Sweepers just arrived, price \$5.00; and they are Bissells, the good kind.

A big lot of Linoleum just arrived and many patterns to select from.

Two thousand dollars worth of Druggets, Rugs, Matting, etc., just arrived. Many patterns that are entirely new; you have to see them to appreciate them.

Don't forget our bed room suits in the different finishes, the prices are reasonable.

Parlor Suits in Mahogany are beauties; have them in 3 and 5 Piece Suits to match.

Davenport, Davenets and Couches.

## Upchurch & Currin

Funeral Directors and Embalmers,  
OXFORD, N. C.

HALF LABRADOR'S PEOPLE  
DIED DURING WINTER

Fifty per cent of the inhabitants of Northern Labrador perished during the winter from an epidemic of influenza, smallpox and measles.

—The Salisbury Post learns that Mr. Mac Wilhelm, of Morgan township, Rowan county, has a five day old calf that weighs 120 pounds. The udder of the mother of the calf measured six feet around.

—The school board of Salisbury, has decided to increase the present term of school to nine months, there by making up some of the time lost during the epidemic.

## PERUNA

THE BEST MEDICINE  
FOR COUGHS AND COLDS

Miss Ivy Gray, Fairview,  
Kentucky, writes:

"I have taken Peruna, and would say that it is the best medicine for coughs and colds I ever saw. I find that it always cures a cold in a short while. It also strengthens and builds up the system."

Sold Everywhere

I Ever  
Saw

Miss Gray's letter breathes hope to the ailing. It is an inspiration to the sick and infirm.

Liquid or Tablet Form

PRINCE ALBERT  
the national joy smoke

PUT a pipe in your face that's filled cheerily brimful of Prince Albert, if you're on the trail of smoke peace! For, P. A. will sing you a song of tobacco joy that will make you wish your life job was to see how much of the national joy smoke you could get away with every twenty-four hours!

You can "carry on" with Prince Albert through thick and thin. You'll be after laying down a smoke barrage that'll make the boys think of the old front line in France!

P. A. never tires your taste because it has the quality! And, let it slip into your think-tank that P. A. is made by our exclusive patented process that cuts out bite and parch—assurance that you can hit smoke-record-high-spots seven days out of every week without any comeback but real smoke joy!

R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, Winston-Salem, N. C.

Tippy red bags, tidy red tins, handsome pound and half-pound tin humidors—and—that class, practical pound crystal glass humidors with sponge moistener top that keeps the tobacco in such perfect condition.

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