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# CASTORIA

Fletcher's Castoria is strictly a remedy for Infants and Children. Foods are specially prepared for babies. A baby's medicine is even more essential for Baby. Remedies primarily prepared for grown-ups are not interchangeable. It was the need of a remedy for the common ailments of Infants and Children that brought Castoria before the public after years of research, and no claim has been made for it that its use for over 30 years has not proven.

## What is CASTORIA?

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## Two Great Earthquake Belts

There are two earthquake belts which encircle the world. One of them runs through the Mediterranean region and Asia Minor to the Himalayas and beyond, crossing the Pacific to Central America and the Caribbean.

The other encircles the Pacific Ocean running northward along the Andes, in South America, following the west coast of North America, continuing on by way of the Aleutian chain to Kamchatka, and passing through the Japanese Islands to the Philippines and New Zealand.

The two belts cross each other in the Andes and in the western Pacific. Within them occur 94 per cent of all the earthquakes recorded on the terrestrial globe.

## Committed For Trial On Theft And Arson Charge

Liverpool N. S., Dec. 14—The preliminary examination of Robbie Lohner, the watchman, who was arrested in connection with the burning of the No. 4 Scotia Shipbuilding Company's plant last November, was concluded today before S. J. Spindler, J. C. Pyke. He was committed for trial on charges of theft and arson.

The crown found that there was no evidence whatever against Holmes A. Frank, of Newmarket, N. B., the manager and part owner of the plant, of having any connection with the affair, and he was discharged from custody.

Frank was arrested on a warrant following a statement made by Robbie Lohner to Detective Kennedy.



## Standing Alone

In a very real sense, every man stands alone. Just as alone as though he were the only man in the world. While there are times when we may think "en masse" and work in gangs, and trade in corporations, and pray by congregations, and sing in choruses—nevertheless, the e comes to each of us the time when we must do these things alone. When a young fellow starts out in his musical career, taking his place in a chorus, he is not particularly disturbed if he fails to make good upon every occasion, because he knows that one or more of his neighbors in the chorus will do so, so that his failure will not be noticed. But when he begins to sing solo parts, he knows that it is strictly high "G" or low "F" clear and strong, without faltering or uncertainty. For the time being, he feels the only man in the chorus. Each of us has our solo part in life—occasions when we cannot depend upon our neighbors in the chorus to do our part. Nor can we "fake" the score which we have imperfectly learned. Inefficiency, or ignorance, or weakness, cannot then be given as an excuse. This does not mean that we shall be expected to lay another's part, any more than you expect a bass voice to sing the soprano solo. There is variety enough in life to give each of us a solo, fitted to our peculiar range. If you cannot take high "C" comfortably, you may sing the tones of the middle register with greater power and effectiveness.

—Rev. Charles Steale.

## The Noon Hour

"Let me have sleeping accommodation on the train to Ottawa," I said to the man at the window, who didn't seem at all concerned whether I took the trip or stayed at home. "For a single passenger?" he finally said. "No," I replied, "I'm married but I'm not taking anybody with me. A single shelf will answer." "Upper or lower?" he asked. "What's the difference?" I enquired. "A difference of fifty cents," came the answer. "Prices to Ottawa are \$2.50 and \$3.00." "You understand of course," explained the agent, "the lower is higher than the upper. The higher price is for the lower berth. If you want a lower you'll have to go higher. We'll all the upper lower than the lower. I didn't used to be so, but we found everybody wanted the lower, in other words the higher the fewer." "Why do they all prefer the lower?" I broke in. "On account of its convenience," he replied. "Most persons don't like to be lower, although it's lower, on account of it being higher, and because when you occupy an upper you have to get up to go to bed, and then get down when you get up. I would advise you to take the lower, although it's higher than the upper, or the reason I have stated, that the upper is lower than the lower because it is higher. You can have the lower if you pay higher; but if you're willing to go higher it will be lower."

—Set Square, Toronto

## BONAR LAW GOT

### QUITE A SCARE

London, Dec. 12—In the days of Sinn Fein scares, British ministers are to be circumspect as to statements who may utter in the vicinity. The Leader of the House of Commons was walking from Westminster back to Downing street the other evening when Dr. Addison, Minister of Health came up to him and said, "Do you know, Bonar Law, that you are being followed?"

They looked back, and sure enough, a very Sinn Feinish looking individual in a black hat, was coming slowly behind them. They let him pass, obviously scrutinizing him carefully yet not wishing to attract notice.

Mr. Bonar Law said Dr. Addison went on talking about some business, when the latter said suddenly:

"Look out! He's got his hand in his pocket!"

Mr. Bonar Law wheeled round quickly and saw the stranger a few yards off struggling to drag something heavy out of his coat pocket. Making certain that the object was a pistol, he determined to chance a glancing shot, and started to rush his assailant. Just as the Unionist leader reached him the man got his arm free. It was—an autograph book! "Would you kindly, please, Mr. Bonar Law—"

He did.

## Lord Beaver Brook Answers Critic

London, Nov. 23—(By Mail, Canada.) In an editorial in The Nation, a weekly review of the intellectual and critical school, contains the following letter from Lord Beaverbrook in a recent issue:

I notice in the last two weeks the Nation has paid a flattering amount of attention to the views of the Daily Express, the Sunday Express, and of my humble self.

In the first article you mention me among the long list of newspaper proprietors as one tied by some obscure bond of interest or reward to the heart of the coalition government. I do not in the least mind what you say about me personally. Any man who accepts a peerage stands to be shot at—and most of them are. My only point is the absurdity of the suggestion that the Daily Express or the Sunday Express are in any way tied to government organs. It is only necessary to read either newspaper to know that it is not so.

You yourself, Sir, in a London Diary of last week, show at once that you read them and that you regard them as the critics of the administration. You quote at some length from an article by 'Realist' in last Sunday's Express, and your deep regard for Mr. Lloyd George and his fellow-Liberals seems almost shocked by the virility of the criticism and the strength of the metaphors employed. In this the product of an organ tied to the administration?

In a footnote the editor of the Nation adds: "Certainly Lord Beaverbrook appears to have strayed from the fold of late."

## Newcastle Hens In Fourth Place

A pen of Farrow Plymouth Rocks belonging to the Invicta Farm, Ormoco, is still leading all competitors in the Experimental Farm egg-laying contest. This pen laid 40 eggs during the week, which brings its total up to 170 for the six weeks. The next in order is a pen of White Wyandottes from the Experimental Farm which has a total of 140 eggs. A pen of Farrow Rocks also from the Experimental Farm occupies third position. Fourth place is held by a pen of White Wyandottes, belonging to H. H. Hinton of Newcastle with 101 eggs and the White Wyandotte pen owned by Mrs. George Danby of North Devon has moved up to fifth place with a total of 99 eggs. One of Mrs. Danby's pullets has the highest individual standing so far with a total of 34 eggs for the six weeks.

There are ten pullets in each pen and only in the case of the first Invicta Farm pen are they all laying. In the Experimental Farm pen of White Wyandottes nine birds are on the job. All of the twenty-one pens in the contest, except a pen of White Rocks, are now laying.

The total number of eggs laid during the week was 361, and the grand total to date is 1428, or 119 dozen. When the contestants get properly speeded up they are expected to produce a total of 1000 eggs a week or more.

## Report Kirkwood School Standing

- Grade V. (a)—Gordon Touchie 69
  - Grade V. (b)—Mary Carmalt 76.
  - Grade IV. (a)—Guy Touchie 80½
  - Grade IV. (b)—Honor McKinley 79; Kathleen Kirke 72½.
  - Grade III. (a)—Burton Touchie 75½; Gerbie McKiel 6½; Frank Ramsay 64.
  - Grade II. (b)—Margaret Dawson 84; Eulah Hubbard 82½.
  - Grade I.—Wilson Corcoran
- Present every day:—Gordon Touchie, Guy Touchie, Kathleen Kirke, Burton Touchie, Honor McKinley and Eugene Touchie. Absent not more than two days:—Lilla Fairly, Vincent Kirke, Henry Corcoran, Frank Ramsay, Kathryn Dawson and Mary Carmalt.

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## Trout Fishing in Canada



Fishing near St. Marguerite, P.Q.

More benefit is derived from recreation in the open country than from any other form of amusement, and fishing is one of the healthiest and most health giving of pastimes. Summer is fishing time, and Canada has numerous lakes and rivers where there is abundance of fish of all varieties to tempt the angler. Trout fishing is amongst the most popular forms of this sport.

To fish successfully for trout his habits must be known. His habits in one part of the country will be different from the habits of his fellows in the lakes and streams of other different sections of the country. The trout love clear swift running streams, whether large or small, the bottoms of which are filled with boulders and gravel. He is wont to hide under the overhanging banks of the stream. He also loves to hide in the deep holes, and along these constructions of the current. It is particularly advantageous to look for trout among the fast moving rapids, or in the eddies along the banks. The trout feeds largely on insects, and is especially fond of the mayfly, and he is often seen feeding the small minnows during the middle of the day, and now and then leaping to the surface to catch flies and worms. He also feeds on beetles, and fish eggs.



Trout Fishing at Banff

In the white-capped bounding waters below a fall in the stream. Kaslo, B.C., is the headquarters for trout fishing on the upper Kootenay lake. Holiday makers who are visiting beautiful Banff may catch excellent trout in the Bow river. Spent did trout fishing may be had in Kootenay, Ontario, and in the rivers and lakes among the Laurentian Mountains, Quebec; in fact there is trout fishing to be had in nearly all Canadian waters of any great extent. But those who are seeking a big head should go to places that are not too much frequented.

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