

# CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 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. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

### GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS

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The CASTORIA COMPANY, 27 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

### AGRICULTURAL.

#### POINTS ON SUGAR MAKING.

During the past four years the Vermont Experiment station has conducted a series of experiments dealing with the flow and composition of sap in the sugar maple. In spite of the poor seasons a large amount of data has been secured bearing on many points of practical as well as scientific interest.

Among the findings are some that throw light on the question, which side of the tree gives the most sap?

In the season of 1901 four trees were selected for this work and tapped at the usual height on the north, east, south and west sides. The trees presented as nearly as possible all conditions of exposure. The results expressed in pounds of sugar obtained may be seen from the following table:

	North.	South.	East.	West.
Tree 1.	0.95	0.75	1.05	1.09
Tree 2.	0.44	1.49	0.80	0.92
Tree 3.	0.87	1.05	1.35	0.87
Tree 4.	2.59	3.54	3.37	2.26
Average.	1.31	1.65	1.59	1.31

It is thus seen that the difference in favor of the south and east sides of a tree is quite pronounced, amounting to three-tenths of a pound. Similar trials comparing north and south tappings made in 1899 and 1900 also give results that favor the south side.

On typical sap days it seems unquestionably true that a south exposure will yield the most sap. On a cloudy day when all sides of a tree warm up equally fast it is more nearly an even thing.

A review of the figures also calls attention to a remarkable difference between trees. Number 4, from which the greatest yield of the richest sap was obtained, was a large vigorous tree standing in the open. As is well known such trees give large amounts of rich sap. This is due to the increased leaf area and full exposure of sunlight during the summer season make starch from materials gathered from air and soil. This starch is stored throughout the tree and is the source of sugar in the spring. Sunlight, exposure and leaf area are therefore important factors in maple sugar production.

The percentage of sugar in sap from different sides of the same tree is found to vary but slightly.—Vermont Experiment Station.

#### Saved Him from Torture.

There is no more agonizing trouble than piles. The constant itching and burning make life intolerable. The torture is increased by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures piles at once. For skin diseases, cuts, burns, bruises, all kinds of wounds it is unnumbered. J. A. Merrill, 11 Paul, Ark. says: "I am 100 years old and have suffered with the piles for many years. I have used many remedies but nothing helped me until I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A few boxes completely cured me." Beware of counterfeits. W. E. Terrell & Co., Chicago.

#### FEEDING FOR MARKET AND FOR EGGS.

A fat fowl contains the materials within its body for creating warmth, the fat serving as fuel, the bird itself being a storage receptacle. If the food allowed is of a kind and quantity that will supply all the warmth necessary in cold weather there will be no loss of weight; but should the food be insufficient there will be drawn from the stored fat to supply that

which may be lacking in the food.

It is really a double loss to allow a fowl to utilize the fat of its body for supplying animal heat, as the farmer must regain every pound lost before he will secure an increase; hence no fowl that has reached a certain weight should be allowed to fall off a single ounce. Feed for heavier weight and hold on to all that has been gained when feeding for market. The birds require more food in severely cold weather than in warmer seasons, a portion of the food going to the creation of warmth. Clean, warm and dry quarters will lessen the demand for food, as shelter protects against wind and storms. The laying hens, however, in the winter time, should have meat as well as grain. Too much corn or wheat retards laying, as the hens become excessively fat and are then in no condition for producing eggs. If fowls are to be made fat they should be separated from the laying flocks. Meat and ground bone are the materials that serve to promote egg production, because they supply substances not so abundant in grains. An ounce of lean meat three times a week to each hen will not be an expensive diet, as the production of eggs will be largely increased by its use. Liver, blood mixed with meal, and the cheap portions of beef answer as well as the best, but the fat portions of the meat should be removed. The bones will supply lime for the eggshells.

#### GERMS IN THE CAPITOL.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Elliott Woods, leading architect of the Capitol, who, in addition to his regular profession, is a bacteriological expert, has discovered that the Capitol building is full of germs.

Mr. Woods says that the Capitol is the happy home of the microbe, and that among the germs that dwell in the building are those of lockjaw, tuberculosis, typhoid and grip, the latter, he says, being largely in the majority.

Several millions of microbes were found upon a piece of carpet one inch square taken from the floor of the House of Representatives. The proportion of microbes found in the Senate and House of Representatives was as seven in the former to twenty-three in the latter, the disparity being due, Mr. Woods says, to the improved system of ventilation in the Senate chamber.

#### A Legacy of the Crip

It often a mind-down system. Weakness, nervousness, lack of appetite, energy and ambition, with disordered liver and kidneys often follow an attack of the wrecker of disease. The greatest need then is Electric Bitters, the splendid tonic, blood purifier and regulator of Stomach, Liver and Kidneys. Thousands have proved that they wonderfully strengthen the nerves, build up the system, and restore to health and good spirits after an attack of grip. If you are suffering from this, Perfect Satisfaction guaranteed by C. Blatky.

### Weekly Market Report.

#### Boston Produce Market.

FLOUR.	
Common extra	2.40 to 2.60
Choice extra	2.60 to 2.80
Minnesota clear and straight	3.00 to 3.20
New York clear and straight	3.00 to 3.20
Ohio and St. Louis straight	2.80 to 3.00
Wisconsin and Michigan	2.80 to 3.00
COIN MEAL.	
Granulated, barrel	3.20 to 3.50
Common barrel	2.75 to 3.00
MILL FEED.	
Midlings, sacked, per ton	21.00 to 22.00
Brass, sacked, winter	22.00 to 23.00
Brass, sacked, spring	22.00 to 23.00
Cottonseed meal	26.00 to 27.00
EGGS.	
Eastern, choice fresh	28 to 30
Western, choice fresh	28 to 30
Vi. and N. H., choice fresh	28 to 30
CORN.	
Steamer yellow	65 to 70
No. 2 yellow	60 to 65
No. 3 yellow	55 to 60
Good, no grain	50 to 55
POTATOES.	
Aronstook Hebrons	55 to 60
New Hampshire Hebrons	55 to 60
Vermont Hebrons	55 to 60
GOATS.	
No. 1, clipped white	51 to 52
No. 2, clipped white	48 to 49
No. 3 white	45 to 46
Rejected white	42 to 43
HAY AND STRAW.	
Hay, N. Y. and Can., choice to fancy	18.00 to 19.00
Hay, N. Y. and Can., fair to good	17.00 to 18.00
Hay, eastern, choice to fancy	16.00 to 17.00
Hay, eastern, ordinary to fair	15.00 to 16.00
Hay, eastern, medium to good	14.00 to 15.00
Hay, eastern, common to good	13.00 to 14.00
Hay, eastern, minimum fine	12.00 to 13.00
PROVISIONS.	
Pork	
Boas, lb.	19.00 to 19.50
Short cut clear	18.00 to 18.50
Clean	17.00 to 17.50
Lean	16.00 to 16.50
La d.	
Cure rendered pure, lb.	8 to 9
Western compound	6 to 7
Pure lard, rendered	6 to 7
Sauerkraut	
Boston, medium	11 to 12
Boston, large	11 to 12
FRESH MEATS.	
Beef, choice, lb.	10 to 11
Beef, light choice, lb.	9 to 10
Beef, heavy, lb.	8 to 9
Beef, good, lb.	7 to 8
Beef, hindquarters, common to good	10 to 11
Beef, forequarters, common to good	9 to 10
Beef, forequarters, choice	10 to 11
Beef, forequarters, extra	11 to 12
Veal, common to good	8 to 9
Veal, choice to good	9 to 10
Veal, common	8 to 9

#### Boston Wool Market.

MICHIGAN.	
X and above	23 to 24
No. 1	22 to 23
No. 2	21 to 22
Fine uncombed	19 to 20
No. 1, combed, 1/2 and 3/4 blood	21 to 22
No. 2, combed, 1/2 and 3/4 blood	20 to 21
Dollar	19 to 20
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# Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

The stomach controls the man. It governs him both physically and mentally. The man is just what his stomach makes him. When the stomach is right, the man is all right; he feels good, he is happy, he is cheerful, the world to him is all sunshine.

When the stomach is wrong the man is all wrong. He is out of sorts, he is nervous, he is irritable, he is gloomy and despondent, he is "cranky". His general disposition is such that nobody wants to have anything to do with him.

The stomach is the organ on which the whole human system must depend for subsistence and existence. If the stomach fails, then what is to become of the rest of the body? Where does the force of life come from? Doesn't it come largely from the food? You know that if you stop eating, you die. But the mere eating of food does not give life. Food can no more give life without digestion than coal can give heat without combustion. It is not what we eat but what we digest that keeps up the motor force of the body.

Undigested food is not only useless but harmful. It ferments and decays in the stomach, the evidence of which you have in the distress you experience, that feeling of fullness, especially after eating, flatulence (wind on the stomach) belching and vomit-

ing. These symptoms are simply nature's warnings to you that something is wrong and that you should do something.

This decayed food poisons the blood, through which the entire system becomes impure and diseased. When the blood is bad it is certain to cause disease of the kidneys, the liver, the heart, the lungs or any of the organs which it is intended to nourish. Properly digested food makes pure healthy blood which in turn makes a healthy man by making every organ of his body healthy.

Now how are we to get perfectly digested food? We are all entitled to this but by ignoring or abusing nature's laws we are deprived of it unless we make other provisions. We can do this only by taking the remedy which nature has provided, the remedy which contains a perfect combination of all the elements which make up the digestive fluids as they exist in the human digestive organs.

In no other way can we perfectly digest all we eat. Such a preparation is **Kodol Dyspepsia Cure.**

It actually digests the food itself and prepares it to be taken up by the blood. It does this with no assistance whatever from the digestive organs or their juices. Food

## Digests what you Eat

in tubes is digested in our laboratory tests as completely and perfectly as it would be in the most healthy stomach. Is it any wonder then that Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is effecting such seemingly wonderful cures. It can't hurt but benefits. It's perfectly simple, just as simple as dissolving a handful of salt in a pail of water, because Kodol Dyspepsia Cure contains all the necessary elements to digest all kinds of food.

When taking this preparation, nothing else is necessary. You don't have to restrict your eating to a few "diets". That's nonsense. Nature demands a variety of foods.

It requires all kinds of food to supply the numerous demands of the body. That's why nature gives us such a generous variety. Eat all your appetite calls for. That's what your appetite is for, to let you know what element of nutrition you need and that's why your appetite or desire for different food changes occasionally. Eat all you want, Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will digest it and make a new person of you. It will give you new life, new strength, new ambition and a new appetite.

It will enable you to enjoy living as you never enjoyed it before.

It will make you feel more like living to enjoy the good things in life.

## A man is no stronger than his stomach.

After suffering for several years all the torments incident to that terrible malady known as dyspepsia or indigestion, I commenced using Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, and from the first dose I could feel relief. I continued its use till I had taken several bottles. Now I can sleep well and eat almost anything that comes before me without experiencing those terrible pains and horrible nightmares that follow indigestion. The cold and clammy night sweats have disappeared and I am steadily gaining in strength. I take great pleasure in recommending Kodol Dyspepsia Cure to those afflicted with stomach trouble.—George B. Orr, Notary Public, McCutchenville, Ohio.

Before me, L. G. Westfall, notary public in and for the county of Big Stone and State of Minnesota, personally came W. H. Shipman, who being by me duly sworn according to law, deposes and says: That he is a resident of the Village of Beardsley and that for the last twenty-five years, here and elsewhere, he has been a constant sufferer from dyspepsia, that during all this time he has tried various doctors, various remedies and all kinds of diet, with little or no relief, until recently when he was induced by a friend to try Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. One bottle had such a satisfactory effect that he felt encouraged to go on with it and now after taking three bottles he

feels about cured, can eat what he wants with so bad effect whatever, that he sleeps well at night and rises in the morning refreshed and like a new man.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of March, 1900.—L. G. Westfall, Notary Public, Big Stone County, Minn.

Gentlemen:—During the last few years my stomach was in such a terrible condition I couldn't retain the food I ate. Two months ago I commenced using Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I have taken four bottles and it has cured me entirely, so that I can now eat and enjoy anything I want.—Henry Williams, Booneville, Mo.

Prepared by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. The \$1.00 bottle contains 2½ times as much (by actual measurement) as the trial size which sells for 50 cents.

## Cures all stomach troubles

Combing, head..... 20 to 21  
Combing, 1/2 blood..... 19 to 20  
Combing, 3/4 blood..... 20 to 21  
Combing, extra..... 21 to 22

**FILLED AND SPOURED.**  
A fine..... 42 to 43  
B super..... 43 to 44  
C super..... 44 to 45  
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V super..... 63 to 64  
W super..... 64 to 65  
X super..... 65 to 66  
Y super..... 66 to 67  
Z super..... 67 to 68

**Vermont Markets.**  
**PRODUCE.**  
Butter, fresh in 5 lb. boxes, lb..... 21 to 22  
Butter, fresh in 10 lb. boxes, lb..... 20 to 21  
Egg, doz, fresh..... 19 to 20  
Spring lamb, lb..... 15 to 16  
Potatoes, bushel..... 7 to 8  
Hogs, dressed, lb..... 7 to 8  
Hogs, fresh, lb..... 7 to 8  
Veal, lb..... 8 to 9  
Chicken, lb..... 10 to 11  
Turkeys, lb..... 14 to 15

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