

## 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 *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

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## GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS

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THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

## OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

## SEPARATE SKIRTS.

The popularity of the long coat has most certainly smoothed the way for the separate skirt, and there is wide variety in the styles and materials used.

Soft silks are used for draped models. Fancy silks, novelty materials, plaid and stripe serges, poplins and velours are successfully manipulated into pleated models, each one having an individual style.

Box pleats are used in connection with narrow cluster side pleats while a side pleated skirt of plaid may have an inserted flounce on the bias. This idea is very smart.

## THE NEW NECKWEAR.

Among the neck wear novelties is a very fine hand kerchief collar

Across the back is a high rolling collar which is wired. In the front is a low rolling turnover with points projecting on either side. This rolls over an oval bib effect which is finished with a scalloped ruffle.

An unusual model has a rolling collar of pink net with a ruffle of white lace finished around the edge with small French roses. The collar rolls over a two inch band of raspberry ribbon which extends down the front in streamers.

Beads of all colors are used to trim neckwear, and wool and chenille embroidery still holds good.

## TO PREPARE CEREAL.

Shake the grains into water that is boiling rapidly. This should be done in a double boiler, lifted out and set directly over the burn-

er. Allow the rapid boiling to continue for five minutes (until it begins to thicken), then set the inner part in the outer, which has been filled with boiling water. Place the boiler over the simmering burner and cook for at least one hour.

Rice may be cooked in the same way, allowing one part rice to three of water. However, the slow boiling need to be continued only for three-quarters of an hour.

APPEAL FROM  
OPPOSITION  
CANDIDATES

To the Men of York.

Gentlemen,—Having been unanimously chosen at a large convention to oppose the candidates of the present government in this county, we submit ourselves to the electorate and ask for support. The convention at which we were chosen did not represent one political party only, but was composed in large measure of men who in the past supported the present administration, but who have resolved to follow in this election the dictates of conscience rather than party and who have made up their minds that they cannot, by supporting the candidates of the government approve of wrong doing.

The administration in charge of the affairs of this province since 1912 has been convicted of the gravest wrong doing. The Hon. J. K. Flemming while Premier was found guilty of stamping with his approval the collecting of large sums for grossly improper purposes from the holders of Crown land licenses. The Hon. J. A. Murray, the Premier, supported in the Legislature a resolution expressing approval of this conduct of Mr. Flemming after a Royal Commission appointed by this government had found him guilty; and now the same Mr. Murray, in the manifesto which he has issued to the people of the Province, brazenly states that he will, if elected, attempt to follow in the same footsteps.

WE APPEAL TO YOU TO VOTE AGAINST SUCH GROSS DISHONEST PRACTICES. We also appeal to you upon the platform of reform adopted by the Opposition in provincial convention in January, 1916. The present government has since the adoption and publication of that platform, attempted to follow to some extent a few of its provisions. One of the planks of this platform was the adoption of province-wide prohibition of the sale of intoxicating liquors; another was that the taxes levied on automobiles should be used for the construction of permanent roads.

The Hon. B. F. Smith has lately appropriated to his own use part of this plank concerning the use of automobile taxes and the Legislature has since the adoption of the Opposition platform passed a Prohibition Act. That statute was therefore passed with the approval of both the Government and the Opposition. There is now nothing required to be done except the enforcing of the act, and we assure you that if elected we will not lend support to any measure tending to weaken its effect, and we will provide for its proper administration.

It will be impossible for us to see personally a very large number of the electors between now and election day. The government has decided to hold the present elections on the shortest possible notice and in the dead of winter, when the roads are blocked with snow and many of the men are away from their homes. There is only one explanation for this, namely, that the Government fears to have the light of public discussion thrown upon its nefarious transactions. Although we cannot see you all, we assure you that if elected we will devote our best energies to the best interests of the county and the province. We are Yours very truly,

ELWOOD BURTT.  
ALFONSE B. KITCHEN.  
PETER J. HUGHES.  
WILLIAM P. LAWSON.

Candidates for the Opposition in the County of York.

## "WORKS BOTH WAYS."

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IMPORTANT MATTERS  
BEFORE U. S. CONGRESS

Washington, Feb. 19.—Congress today started its next to the last week of the session with the general legislative programme somewhat as follows:

In the Senate the espionage and anti-conspiracy bill come up for final action. Next the revenue bill and naval bill, carrying \$553,000,000, will be pushed. Most of the legislative congestion exists in the Senate.

In the House the Danish West Indies bill was up today and the army bill will probably be passed tomorrow. The post office appropriation bill, with its Senate "bone dry" prohibition amendment may also be called up Tuesday.

What national emergency issue is to be passed during the remaining two weeks rests largely with President Wilson and the development of the submarine situation, but considerable effort will be made to get action on the bill to empower the government to control merchant shipping in case of war. Some doubt seems to exist among Congressional leaders whether railroad labor legislation, the rivers and harbors bill and other general measures can be passed before adjournment.

The House rules committee met today to draft its report on the "leak" investigation, which probably will be presented late this week.

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## THE QUESTION OF INTEREST.

For the fiscal year 1907, the last year of the old government, the amount paid for interest, as shown by the Auditor General's report, was \$178,569.70.

In the fiscal year ending October 31st, 1916, the interest charge, according to the Auditor General's statement, was \$351,004.99.

Increase in nine years under the present government, \$172,435.29, an average of \$19,159.47 per year, or at the rate of \$53 per day.

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"I was an hungered, and ye gave me meat; I was thirsty, and ye gave me drink..... naked, and ye clothed me....."

Then shall they answer him, saying— "Lord, when saw we thee an hungered, and fed thee? or thirsty, and gave thee drink? ....or naked, and clothed thee?"

And the King shall answer.....

"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me".

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