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## AN OPEN LETTER TO MOTHERS.

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DR. SAMUEL PITCHER, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "CASTORIA," the same that has borne and does now bear
the fac-simile signature of Chat t letchens. wrapper. This is the original "CASTORIA" which has been used in the homes of the Mothers of America for over thirty years. LOOK CAREFULLY at the wrapper and see that it is
the kind you have always bought
and has the signature of the kind you have always bought and has the signature of Chatsfletcturs. wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name excent
The Centaur Company, of which Chas. H. Fletcher is President. March 24, 1898.

Clinul Pither -an.D. Do Not Be Deeeived.
 (because he makes a few more pennies on it), the in-
gredients of which even he does not know, "The Kind You Have Always Bought


Insist on Having
The Kind That Never Failed You.



##  <br> Spain Will Likely Instruct Cam bon to Sign the Peace Protocol Today. <br> col Today.


Washington, Aug. 10.-The preliminary negotiations looking secretary of state and the French ambassador agreed upon the terms
upon which the future vegotiations for a treaty are to be conduocted,
and reduced thess to the is yet to be signed, and is to be submitted to the Spanish government
before the formal signatures are sfixied, but the administration's view
as to the progress made todsy wes set out in Secretary Day's atetement




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NEw Yonk, Aug. 11.-The Herald has the following from Uape
San Jann, Porto lico, ander tien date of August 10th: "There was a
two hoars' fight before daybreak yesterday.. Eight handred Spaniards
attempted to retake the lighthouse, which was gaarded by 40 of our
sailors, commanded by Lieatenant Atwater, Asistant Eugineer Jen-
kins, Engineer Brownson and Guaner Campbell. The Spaniardis were
driven back by the shells from the Amphitrite, Cincinasti and Ley-
don. Refagees report 100 Spaniarda killed. William H, Boartman
of the Amphitrite, of Lawrence, Mass, a second-class man in the aaval
academy, was serionsly wounded."

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by B. . P. Pagae, of the Uoited States de partment of agriieulture, statioued at
Portinand, for the week ending Aug. 8 th "The temperature was alightyly lower
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