

MOLLYCODDLE LAXATIVES

Of the many laxatives on the market, most merely clear the intestinal tract, but do not release the dammed-up Bile, which is the great poison-destroyer of the body.

To relieve such trouble as bad breath, headache, dizziness, loss of appetite, constipation, biliousness, you must release the dammed-up Bile. Merely washing out the intestines with salts, mineral waters, oils and other mollycoddle laxatives will not release the Bile.

Podophyllin is the one perfect and harmless substitute for calomel, but its bitter taste and griping, nauseating effects made it unpopular.

Podolax Releases the Bile.

For years chemists have been trying to take the bitterness, gripe and nausea out of Podophyllin, recognizing that it would then be the ideal liver regulator. At last this has been done and given to the world under the name of Podolax.

Podolax is a Podophyllin formula with all undesirable features taken out. Podolax is for every member of the family—young or old. It should be in every medicine cabinet. You will thank us for explaining it after you have tried it. Get a bottle today and use it every morning until you have a clean tongue and bad breath. Start the Bile—Nature does the rest.

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OLD PEOPLE GAIN

Strength by Taking Vinol. Here is Proof.

So many cases like this are constantly coming to our attention that we publish it for the benefit of others.—Mr. John Widmayer of Jackson Mich., says: "I am nearly 70 years of age, and was in a feeble condition but Vinol has done wonders for me. It is the best medicine to create strength I have ever seen and I have taken a good many of them: Last spring I was run down and worn out but I took Vinol and soon regained my strength. Vinol is certainly an invigorating tonic for old people."

It is the medicinal curative elements of the cod liver oil without oil aided by the blood-making and strength-creating properties of tonic iron which are contained in Vinol that makes it so efficient in such cases.

If you have an aged father, mother or anyone in your family who needs a strength-creating tonic, try Vinol on our offer to give back your money if it fails to benefit.

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It is a subject that all women should be familiar with as "Mother's Friend" has been in use many years, has been given the most severe tests under most all trying conditions and is recommended by women who to-day are grandmothers and who in their earlier years learned to rely upon this splendid aid to women.

"Mother's Friend" is declared by a multitude of women to be just what expectant mothers need.

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COAL MINING INSTITUTE AT CUMBERLAND

Will Be Held June 2, 3 and 4 According to Announcement Made by the Secretary.

CHARLESTON, April 27.—The semi-annual meeting of the West Virginia Coal Mining Institute will be held at Cumberland, Md., June 2, 3, and 4. The announcement to this effect has been made by Prof. E. N. Zern, of the School of Mines at the University of West Virginia, the secretary of the organization. Prof. Zern made his announcement after the choice of Cumberland by the members of the executive committee had been confirmed by President Neil Robinson.

The invitation, which came from the business organizations of Cumberland, was received some time ago as were invitations from several cities in the northern part of the state. Cumberland was selected because of its easy accessibility and because a number of the Maryland operators and miners wanted to entertain the West Virginians.

The coming session of the institute will be "practical." A number of interesting papers will be read on practical mining questions rather than theoretical subjects. Practical mining men from the surrounding coal mining states will attend the institute meeting and will take part in the proceedings. The detailed program will be announced later.

Membership in the West Virginia Mining Institute is open to operators and miners and other persons connected with the coal industry of the state and it is expected that more than two hundred persons will attend the Cumberland meeting.

TO SUCCEED STRATHCONA.

Sir Richard McBride, premier of British Columbia, will succeed to the position of high commissioner for Canada in London, made vacant by the death of Lord Strathcona.

WIFE OF RECTOR.

Mrs. Mary J. H. Skrine, author of "Bedesman 4," is the wife of the rector of St. Peter in the East, Oxford, which is reputed to be the second oldest church in England. She has written all her life.

TO VISIT NEW YORK.

William Caine, whose "The Irrisible Intruder," has just been published, will soon visit New York. Mr. Caine's father was a member of parliament and also a member of Gladstone's government. Mrs. Caine, who accompanies her husband, is a Bostonian.

GETS HIGHEST AWARD.

Mary Cassatt, a Philadelphia painter of children and family life, has been awarded the gold medal of honor of the Academy of Fine Arts, the highest award within the gift of the academy and one of the most valued trophies in the American art world.

The most common letter is E. In 1,000 letters E occurs 137 times in English, 189 times in French, 145

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times in Spanish and 178 times in German.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF CORPORATION.

Notice is hereby given that, at a meeting of the stockholders of the Paw Paw Gas Company, a corporation, created and organized under the laws of the State of West Virginia, held at Clarksburg, W. Va., on the 5th day of February, 1914, the following resolutions were adopted.

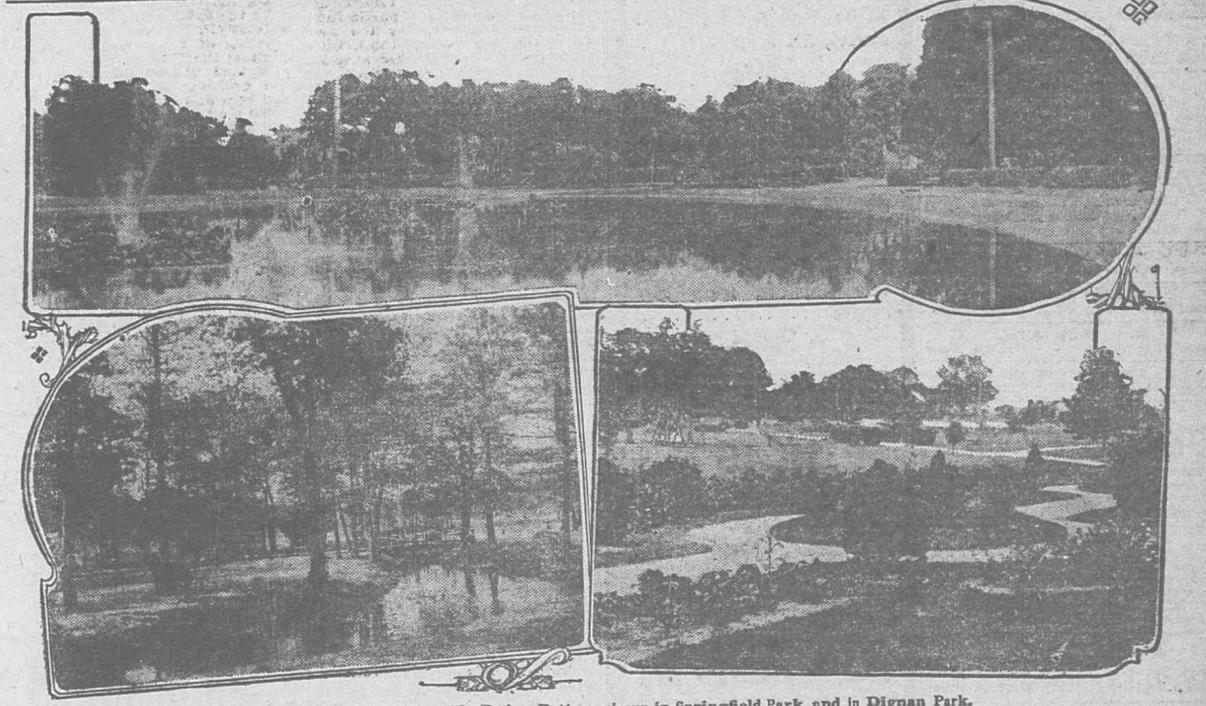
RESOLVED, FIRST, That the Paw Paw Gas Company, a corporation created and organized under the laws of the State of West Virginia, does hereby discontinue business as a corporation and surrenders to said State its charter and corporate franchises. The board of directors will proceed to convert the property, choses in action and all assets of this corporation into cash, and pay off and discharge all its debts, liabilities and obligations; and after fully discharging all such debts, liabilities and obligations, divide the remaining among the stockholders pro rata with their several holdings of stock, but no such payment shall be made to any stockholder until after the publication of the notice hereinafter provided.

RESOLVED, SECOND, That the president of this corporation cause notice of the adoption of the foregoing resolution to be published in some newspaper of general circulation, published near the principal office or place of business of this corporation once a week for four successive weeks; and that he certify these resolutions to the secretary of the State of West Virginia, and deliver to him a certificate showing the publication of said notice, as provided by law.

Given under my hand this 6th day of February, 1914.

JOHN L. RUHL,
President of Paw Paw Gas Company.

CONFEDERATE VETERANS TO CAMP IN BEAUTIFUL PARKS AT JACKSONVILLE



Top, a crystal lake in Riverside Park. Bottom, views in Springfield Park and in Dignan Park.

This city's splendid public parks and playgrounds will be used for the comfort of the Confederate veterans and their friends during the reunion May 6-8, inclusive.

The camp for the veterans will be located in parts of two of the most attractive parks in Jacksonville. Tents to the number of 1,000 to 1,200 will be pitched among the native forest trees and shrubbery of these parks for three days, where the veterans will enjoy themselves in companionship.

There has been wonderful improvement in the public park system of Jacksonville during the past ten or a dozen years. Not very many years ago the city had but one park, Hemming park, located in the heart of the present business district of Jacksonville. Now every suburb has a park and children's playground, that excites the admiration of all visitors. At the present time Jacksonville has about 100 acres in beautifully

kept and well located public parks, under the care of an experienced superintendent. In connection with some, if not all, of these parks playgrounds for children are equipped and well maintained. Dignan park and Springfield park are especially attractive and modern. It is along the sides of these beautiful parks that the Confederate camp will be located.

Honor Southern Women.

During the past year a beautiful monument to the Daughters of the Confederacy has been erected in Dignan park at a cost of \$25,000, said to be the handsomest monument to southern women in the entire south. This park is provided with various amusement devices, and during the summer nights free motion pictures are provided for the public. Athletic games are also a specialty.

Among Jacksonville's public parks are Riverside park, Springfield park, Fairfield park, Hemming park, Dignan park, Oakland park, City Hall park, La Villa park, East Jackson-

ville park and others. The city has built these parks at comparatively small expense. Low lands and swamps have been filled, converting practically worthless land into some of the finest parks in the country. The conservative value of the public parks of Jacksonville is \$3,000,000.

All of this "great improvement work has been done in recent years and the extension of the park system is a part of the policy of the city government. The residents of each of the nine wards of the city are in close touch with some public park, and while the parks are ornamental to a high degree they are useful to the people as places of recreation and amusement. It is not an unusual sight to see several thousand children playing in these parks in the shade of forest trees, enjoying the many devices of amusement that have been supplied by the public.

Lots of Recreation.

In addition to the public parks of the city, there are a number of attractive private parks in the suburbs where people find recreation and entertainment. The suburban parks are reached by trolley cars in a few minutes' ride from the center of the city.

During the Confederate reunion in May, additional provision will be made in Jacksonville's parks for the pleasure and comfort of the veterans and their friends. In May the parks are a-bloom with beautiful flowers and tropical plants. Artificial lakes add interest to the surroundings, while in nearly all of the parks there are many live oaks which furnish cooling shade to the visitors. May day festivities by several thousand school children will be postponed until the reunion dates and given in one of the largest parks for the entertainment of the veterans and other reunion visitors who are expected here in thousands. The May day festivities will be one of the most attractive features of the reunion and a most interesting program. It will be especially pleasing to the old soldiers, for whom it is being arranged.

COL. HAGERMAN COOL AND QUICK

Widely Known Circus Officer's Duty is to Keep Persons of Bad Repute Away.

Col. Charles Hagerman, head of the detective department of the Hagenbeck-Wallace circus, which comes to Clarksburg Thursday, May 7, for performances at 2 and 8 p. m., is one of the best known circus officers in the world. His coolness of nerve and quickness of hand and eye have been the talk of police officers the world over. It is the duty of Col. Hagerman and his assistants to see that no persons of bad repute be allowed to operate in a city where the show is to exhibit.

Change for Better.

"The personality of circus men has changed materially for the better in recent years," said Col. Hagerman recently in an interview. "Time was when they invariably wore high silk hats and clothes of many checks and hues. To be without a 'fat' full of 'rocks' or well decorated 'shirt or necktie was a standing reproach to

the profession. Nowadays the circus man wears little jewelry and in his attire and speech he differs not from the ordinary person. He surrounds himself with associates of good character and business integrity, and cherishes highly his good standing in the community.

Booted Out at Once.

"A generation ago it was the custom to think that circus followers were a bad lot of men. Of course in a small city there are a few bad fellows. There are more than 1,000 employees of the Hagenbeck-Wallace circus. It is a little tented city in itself. Now it is but natural to follow that there are a few fellows who are not as good as they should be. As quickly as we discover a dishonest man in our ranks, we eliminate him, and, at the same time we cultivate the honest, conscientious workman."

Profit Not Large.

"A great many people have an idea that circuses make an enormous profit. Nothing is more erroneous. Our circus is valued at \$4,000,000 and if in the fall our books show that we have earned a ten per cent profit, we are very well pleased. The wear and tear is hard, and the death of a single rare animal will eat up the profit for days."

The value of gold produced in the Gold Coast and Ashanti during 1913 was \$2,045,465, the largest production on record.

Try a pound of Gandy's Home-Bolled Ham, opposite Gold building—Advertisement.

EARNINGS OF RAILROADS ON DECREASE

As Shown by Their Reports for First Eight Months of Current Fiscal Year.

BALTIMORE, April 27.—The thirty-five railroad systems in official classification territory which are applying for a five per cent increase in freight rates have compiled and just filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission data setting forth results of operations for the first eight months of the present fiscal year.

During the period from July 1, 1913, to February 28, 1914, the revenues of these companies decreased from \$931,508,361 to \$910,346,537 as compared with the previous year.

For the same period, expenses increased from \$645,404,193 to \$685,364,514.

There was thus a decrease in revenues of \$21,161,824, and an increase in expenses amounting to \$37,960,321—or a loss in net operating income of \$59,122,145.

When to the foregoing fact is added an increase in taxes of \$2,507,471 and a decrease in net revenue from outside operations, there is shown a loss in operating income of \$65,555,331, or twenty-six per cent.

Assuming that no additional money has been invested in these properties since July 1 of last year, the returns for the current eight months show 4.47 per cent earned on property investment, as against 5.53 per cent in the corresponding eight months of last year.

The Pennsylvania's system in the same period shows 4.92 per cent, as against 5.56 per cent in 1913.

The New York Central lines show 3.56 per cent as against 5.63 per cent in 1913.

The Baltimore and Ohio system shows 4.10 per cent as against 4.63 per cent in 1913.

The Erie system shows 2.75 per cent as against 3.91 per cent in 1913.

The Pennsylvania railroad system, Baltimore and Ohio system and New York Central lines show 4.22 per cent as against 5.44 per cent in 1913.

The rate of return on property investment that is shown by all these railroads for this portion of the present year is the smallest of any year in the last fifteen years.