

# STOMACH MISERY GAS, INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diapepsin" fixes sick, sour, gassy stomachs in five minutes.

Time it! In five minutes all stomach distress will go. No indigestion, heart-burn, sourness or belching of gas, acid, or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, or foul breath.

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### Not Like Him.

Crank—Jack Speed, our boss baseball catcher, is playing in vaudeville this winter.

Fleud—Well, judging from his batting average, he won't make a hit.

### To Fortify the System

Against Winter Cold  
Many users of GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC make it a practice to take a number of bottles in the fall to strengthen and fortify the system against the cold weather during the winter. Everyone knows the tonic effect of Quinine and Iron which this preparation contains in a tasteless and acceptable form. It purifies and enriches the blood and builds up the whole system. 50c.

### Task for the Jury.

A witness, a jolly, plump old lady, on a trial in the supreme court at Worcester, was asked at what time a certain train of cars passed her house. She replied that she began knitting at three o'clock and had knit twice around the leg of a stocking before they came along. The next question, of course, was how long it would take her to knit twice around. The judge here, in his usual quiet humor suggested that that would depend upon the size of the stocking. To this the witness remarked that the stocking was for herself and they could exercise their own judgment as to the size, and guess how long it would take.

### Slightly Embarrassing.

The witness was asked to sympathize with a quiet and retiring citizen who occupied a seat near the door of a crowded street car, when a masterful woman entered. Having a newspaper behind which to hide, he was fixed and subjugated by her glittering eye. He rose and offered his place to her.

Seating herself—without thanking him—she exclaimed in tones that reached to the farthest end of the car: "What do you want to stand up there for? Come here and sit on my lap."

"Madam," gasped the man, as his face became scarlet, "I fear I am not deserving of such an honor."

"What do you mean?" shrieked the woman. "You know very well I was speaking to my niece there behind you."—Pathfinder.

### PRESSED HARD

Coffee's Weight on Old Age.

When people realize the injurious effects of coffee and the better health that a change to Postum can bring, they are usually glad to lend their testimony for the benefit of others. "My mother, since her early childhood, was an inveterate coffee drinker, had been troubled with her heart for a number of years and complained of that 'weak-all-over' feeling and sick stomach."

"Some time ago I was making a visit to a distant part of the country and took dinner with one of the merchants of the place. I noticed a somewhat unusual flavor of the 'coffee' and asked him concerning it. He replied that it was Postum.

"I was so pleased with it that I bought a package to carry home with me, and had wife prepare some for the next meal. The whole family liked it so well that we discontinued coffee and used Postum entirely.

"I had been very anxious concerning my mother's condition, but we noticed that after using Postum for a short time she felt much better, had little trouble with her heart, and no sick stomach; that the headaches were not so frequent, and her general condition much improved. This continued until she was well and hearty.

"I know Postum has benefited myself and the other members of the family, especially my mother, as she was a victim of long standing." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms: Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both kinds are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup. "There's a Reason" for Postum. —sold by Grocers.

# FOR PROHIBITION THAT PROHIBITS

FIRST BILL OF SESSION TO BE ORDERED FOR RATIFICATION. —VOTE 61 TO 52.

## A LAW ENFORCEMENT FUND

Ways and Means Committee Reports Favorably Bill Appropriating \$50,000 to Enforce Prohibition. Columbia.

Further evidence of a determination on the part of the majority in the house of representatives to make hard the way of the drunkard and of the transgressor against prohibition has developed.

After lively debate the lower branch refused to recommit the senate bill, brought over from last year, making drunkenness on the highway a misdemeanor in itself. Thereafter the bill passed its third reading and was enrolled for ratification, being the first measure to reach that stage during the current session.

The ways and means committee returned a favorable report on the bill of Messrs. Crum, Sellers and Wagnon to appropriate \$50,000 for the enforcement of the prohibition and gallon a month laws of South Carolina.

Without debate the house passed to third reading Mr. Arnold's bill requiring textile manufacturers to provide water coolers and to enforce the use of individual drinking cups in connection therewith. Violation of the measure calls for a fine of \$25 to \$300, the money to go to the public schools of the district. Enforcement of the law is devolved upon the commissioner of agriculture.

The house offered the use of the hall to the University of South Carolina for the annual Founders' day exercises, which will be held January 27. On a division vote the speaker was instructed to invite Clarence Poe, editor of The Progressive Farmer, to address the lower branch on night of January 20. Other invitations to attend addresses were accepted.

The general assembly, on invitation of Gov. Manning, visited the State Hospital for the Insane, where many improvements have been made as a result of the increased appropriation given in 1915.

Mr. Belsor of Sumter moved that Senator Beaumgard's bill relating to disorderly conduct, which passed second reading in the house be recommitted to the judiciary committee from which it received an unanimously unfavorable report. Mr. Belsor maintained that it was too binding in that any overzealous policeman may arrest any person for taking just a few drinks of liquor.

J. W. Boyd pointed out that obscenity and disorder are punishable under other statutes. He claimed that the people of the state do not want simple drunkenness made a crime. He said that the state already has laws sufficient for the proper handling of drunken people.

Mr. Fromberg said that he was against those "narrow minded bills attempting to encroach upon the harmless personal liberties of a man." He said that the bill had dangerous tendencies.

Mr. Dixon of Fairfield called attention to the unfairness of the bill in that any person, apparently drunk, may be arrested and proven a criminal. He brought up the expense of giving the accused a jury trial.

Mr. Dew, in favoring the bill, said that he saw in the measure a means of protecting the people of the country in like manner to the ordinances prevailing in the state's municipalities.

Mr. Bickett, showing the "members the errors of their ways" in passing the bill, read the existing statutes on drunkenness and disorderly conduct. The Beaufort representative discoursed on the varying categories and degrees of drunkenness. He proposed the question, "When is a man drunk?" showing the multiplicity of definitions. He called upon the legislators to protect rather than punish the "man who can not refuse."

Mr. Zimmerman called attention to the unfairness of the proposed legislation and asked that the bill be killed.

**Drunken Man a Menace.**  
J. T. Liles spoke in favor of the bill, saying that there is nothing in the argument that a man with a few drinks in him will be arrested under the proposed statute. He asked for a definition of the line of demarcation between orderly and disorderly conduct of a drunken man. He called the drunken man a "menace to our women and children while on the public highway."

Mr. Massey said that arguments for and against the bill itself are ridiculous. He moved the previous question on which Mr. Bradford demanded the yeas and nays.

**Bill Passes.**  
By a vote of 55 to 52 the house refused to recommit the bill to the judiciary committee. The house then voted on the passage of the bill, resulting in 61 yeas and 52 nays. The bill was ordered enrolled for ratification, the first of the 1916 session.

Mr. Graydon's house bill regulating the liability of insurance companies on their policies was sent to the senate.

**Conditions at State Hospital.**  
A general review of conditions at the state hospital for the insane under the new administration is contained in the annual report of the board of regents. Members of the board are: R. B. Scarborough, Conway; S. C. Baker, M. D., Sumter; Christie Benet, Columbia; B. W. Segars, Oswego, and J. E. Sirrine, Greenville.

"No great reform is brought about by a single effort," says the board. "Reforms are generally the result of years of persistent agitation; and what we shall attempt to point out as improvements under the present administration are but the fulfillment of purposes and plans that have been in the making for several years. We would not disparage the efforts of any single individual or give undue credit to any one person." The board says that practically all of the recommendations made by Dr. A. P. Herring, Gov. Manning's expert, were made by Dr. J. W. Babcock, former superintendent of the institution.

Concerning the visit by the board of several of the larger hospitals of the country the board says: "In all the institutions we visited, we found that, as far as possible, all patients are allowed to engage in some form of work, and that occupation of some kind is considered of greater efficiency in treating patients than drugs." The board says that the occupational treatment has been introduced at the hospital by Superintendent Williams with splendid results.

Discussing the improvements on the buildings the board says that the ends sought were: safety, health and comfort and proper facilities for administering to the mental and physical needs of the patients in every way.

The board says that no new policy with regard to the admission of patients has been adopted by the administration.

### Session Will Run Forty Days.

House and senate leaders said that no serious attempt would be made to secure adjournment of the general assembly by February 10. The session will continue 40 days, it was said. The results of the first few days would indicate that this is going to be a working session.

The ways and means committee of the house and the finance committee of the senate are holding joint sessions daily and the claims of the departments and institutions are being disposed of at a rapid pace. J. T. Liles, chairman of the ways and means committee, said that every effort would be made to send the appropriation bill to the house at the earliest possible moment.

Reports from the committee would indicate that the members are trying to follow as closely as possible the terms of the resolution to hold down the appropriations to \$2,000,000. If this resolution is carried out, the state tax levy will be reduced.

Gov. Manning is receiving many messages congratulating him upon his position taken in the annual message that no expensive undertakings be proposed at this session.

### Governor Sends Special Message.

Governor Manning in a special message to the legislature announced that he had vetoed the act, passed at the last session, to prohibit non-residents from operating automobile trucks in the counties of Alken, Clarendon and York counties, without procuring an annual license.

"The constitution provides," said Gov. Manning in this message, "under article 3, section 34, subdivision 9, that where a general law can be made applicable, no special law shall be enacted. This is reason enough for a veto; but, in addition, the bill is, in my judgment, discriminatory against citizens of other counties of the state, as well as those from other states.

"I am constrained, therefore, to return the bill without my signature. An effort will be made to enact a general law on this subject at this session."

### Suffrage Issue Gets Start.

When Senator Carlisle's joint resolution to allow women to hold the office of notary public and school trustee was called in the senate, the first inkling of the session of woman's suffrage was heard in the upper house.

Senator Carlisle had stated that he thought this a good time to consider this bill and had made a few remarks in favor of the measure, when Senator Wightman of Saluda moved to strike out the enacting words.

### GENERAL ASSEMBLY NOTES.

A mahogany gavel made in Columbia was presented to the senate by Senator Alan Johnstone of Newberry on behalf of the Richland Lumber Company. The gavel is in keeping with the handsome astrum recently erected.

The house resolution indorsing President Wilson and his administration came over to the senate, but as Senator Epps wished to offer a slight amendment consideration was postponed.

Mr. Harris has proposed a joint resolution, looking to the amendment of the constitution so that the term of office of the governor will be made four years and that the incumbent will be ineligible for re-election.

Without debate the house passed to third reading of the bill by Mr. Graydon, requiring railroad companies to transport free any sheriff or deputy sheriff when traveling on official business in South Carolina.

Mr. Lynch of Florence has introduced in the house a bill to extend the time of paying taxes, without penalty, until March 1, 1916.

# HUNTER TO HEAD LIVE STOCK MEN

SOUTH CAROLINA STATE ASSOCIATION GIVES INDORSEMENT TO TICK ERADICATION.

## MANY EXPERTS ARE HEARD

Breeders Are Told by Federal Agents How to Begin Keeping Good Beef Cattle.

Columbia. — The South Carolina Live Stock Association closed its annual convention with the election of officers after indorsing the proposed \$30,000 appropriation for tick eradication and a bill to inspect all stallions and jacks. The association will convene again next January in Columbia.

The officers for the ensuing year are: G. Y. Hunter, M. D., of Prosperity, president; Walter Sorrell of Camden, secretary and treasurer; vice presidents, James S. McKeown of Cornwell, E. J. Watson of Columbia, R. M. Claffy of Fort Motte and R. M. Cooper of Wisacky.

Addresses were made by S. H. Ray of the United States department of agriculture on "How to Begin Keeping Beef Cattle" and by W. K. Lewis, who reported on the tick accomplished under the cattle tick appropriation. Mr. Lewis said that the work was progressing well and that it was almost a year in advance of what he had expected. Mr. Ray stressed the importance of breeding pure bred bulls on the common stock and also the necessity of growing sufficient feed before breeding is begun.

The live stock industry as an agency for warding off the ravages of the advancing boll weevil was stressed by speakers before the association.

### Winthrop Instructs Agents.

Rock Hill.—The course of study for the home demonstration agents of South Carolina, which is being held at Winthrop College this month, began January 5 under the most auspicious conditions. The majority of the agents who are to conduct the work in the 30 organized counties are present, only one or two have not yet arrived, and are pursuing the course outlined with earnestness and zeal. The course outlined includes every phase of the work to be taken up in the field during the year, thus giving each agent practical knowledge of what she will have to do during the year.

### Moore Working For Militia.

Washington.—W. W. Moore, adjutant general of South Carolina, who has been in Washington for the past day or two attending the meetings of the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice, visited both the war and navy departments in the interest of the South Carolina militia.

Gen. Moore said that he would probably have some interesting information to make public upon his return home.

While in Washington Gen. Moore will see the members of the South Carolina delegation in congress and ascertain how they stand on the militia pay bill.

### Schools Benefit By Hunting Fees.

Columbia.—"The results of the hunters' license law, passed at the 1915 session of the legislature, have not only been eminently satisfactory but most serviceable to the schools. Going into effect July 1, this law has now been operative only six months. The hunting season opened in the fall, hence its benefits can be judged only from a part of the present season," said J. E. Swearingen, state superintendent of education, in commenting on this situation.

### Favors Torrens System.

Columbia.—That the Torrens land title registration system be incorporated into the statute law is recommended in a section of the report of Commissioner Watson to the legislature. He also asks that the activities of the state bureau of marketing be enlarged by special legislation.

### Stricter on Charleston Police.

Charleston.—Orders to immediately cut out all smoking while in uniform either on or off duty and to cease at once the playing of cards and cribbage, games with which the policemen have been accustomed to pass away the time while off duty, marked the incoming of a new administration at the police station. Aside from the appointment of the new chief and the resignation of Special Officer Friend, no changes had been made in the membership of the department to date.

### Accidentally Electrocuted.

Spartanburg.—Roy H. Wingo, a line-man employed by the South Carolina Light, Power and Railway Co., was killed here supposedly from coming in contact with a live wire while at work in the plant of an ice cream manufacturing company on Ezell street. The young man was heard to scream and when those nearby ran to his assistance he was found in an unconscious condition on the floor under an incandescent drop light and died within a few minutes, before a physician could reach him.

## GARDENS FOR MILL SCHOOLS

Pupils Undertake New Feature With Zeal and Interest.—Tax Levy Is Advocated.

Columbia.—George D. Brown, Jr., state superintendent of mill schools, gave the first week of the new year to the schools of Union county. In his work there he encouraged the people to employ additional teachers to relieve the crowded condition of the schools, to apply the compulsory feature of the public school law so that the children out of school may be taught and to vote an extra school tax for better schools facilities. He said the Arkwright mill school in Spartanburg county had voted a four mill tax without a dissenting voice, the vote being 53 to 0.

Just now Mr. Brown is elated over the work that is being done to the Mollohon mill school district in Newberry, where 46 pupils in the advanced grades are working special garden plots under the immediate supervision of the public school teachers. This training is properly correlated with the class room work, and the English exercise is based directly on the garden cultivation, the students being required to summarize their results in regular class exercises. In commenting on this feature, Mr. Brown, said:

"Forty-six children of advanced grades in the Mollohon mill school have plot 17 by 22 feet each, planted in garden peas, onions, sweet peas, radish, cabbage, lettuce and mustard. Three times each week the children, under the supervision of the teacher and with the assistance of Ernest Anderson, superintendent of the Newberry schools, work the garden. This takes the place of the class room work. Results of the work are written for the lesson in English, which is much better than using some deep and dry subject. The children go home and work the home garden as directed at school in working the school garden. The children are interested in the work, so much so that they are anxious to work when the earth is too wet. They come to school in order to work in the garden. Many of the mills have such gardens and I believe most of the teachers would take to the work if they had had knowledge of gardening."

### Find Skeleton in York.

York.—While hunting on Springstein farm near Rock Hill a party of young white men made a very gruesome discovery when one of them stumbled over the skeleton of a human being. The young men returned to their homes where they secured assistance and again visited the scene. The Rock Hill officials and the coroner of York county were then notified and they made an examination, discovering that the skeleton was that of a man and a few remnants of clothing were also discovered. Physicians who examined the skeleton said that it had evidently been in its position for something like six months. Other physicians who examined the remains said that the skeleton was evidently that of a very old man.

### Major Moore Retires.

York.—After 25 years continuous service in the National Guard of South Carolina, Maj. W. B. Moore of York, major of the First Infantry, South Carolina National Guard, forwarded his resignation to Gov. Richard I. Manning, commander in chief of the National Guard. The resignation went through the hands of Col. E. M. Blythe of Greenville, in his letter of resignation Maj. Moore says: "I find it necessary, owing to other pressing engagements, to tender here with my resignation."

### Pepper Growers Organized.

Columbia.—The Carolina Pepper Association of Ebenezer has been commissioned by the secretary of state with a capital of \$1,500. The petitioners are: R. L. Reeves, H. K. Rogers and J. O. Finklea. The association will promote the pepper industry. An important industry has been developed around Florence in the growing of condimental plants.

### SOUTH CAROLINA NEWS ITEMS.

Only a few violations of the prohibition law have been reported. President Wilson has just nominated R. T. King to be postmaster at Georgetown, W. J. Spears at Lamar and A. C. Ligon at Orangeburg.

A small warehouse at Olanta with the entire stock of coffins and caskets owned by E. Willis was destroyed by fire recently. There was \$300 insurance on the building and \$450 insurance on the coffins and caskets. The origin of the fire is unknown.

G. E. Moore, editor of the Honea Path Chronicle, has been elected mayor of Honea Path.

Former Gov. John Gary Evans, chairman of the Democratic executive committee of South Carolina, has asked William F. McCombs, chairman of the Democratic national committee, for an interpretation of his recent notice of the meeting of the national convention of the Democratic party to be held in St. Louis in which it appears that the convention plan of electing delegates to the national convention will have to be abandoned and a primary held instead.

# "CASCARETS" FOR SLUGGISH BOWELS

No sick headache, sour stomach, biliousness or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box now. Turn the rascals out—the headache, biliousness, indigestion, the sick, sour stomach and foul gases—turn them out to-night and keep them out with Cascarets.

Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never know the misery caused by a lazy liver, clogged bowels or an upset stomach.

Don't put in another day of distress. Let Cascarets cleanse your stomach; remove the sour, fermenting food; take the excess bile from your liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels. Then you will feel great.

A Cascaret to-night straightens you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from any drug store means a clear head, sweet stomach and clean, healthy liver and bowel action for months. Children love Cascarets because they never gripe or sicken. Adv.

### Cruel to Cows.

Bill—See Mrs. Addie F. Howie of the School of Agriculture at the University of Wisconsin says cows have souls and respond to music when milked.

Jill—But doesn't Addie think it cruel to frighten milk out of a poor cow like that?—Yonkers Statesman.

## SALTS IF BACKACHE OR KIDNEYS TROUBLE YOU

Eat Less Meat if Your Kidneys Aren't Acting Right or if Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers You.

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and laggard.

When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channells often get sore, water seals and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is a life saver for regular meat eaters. It is inexpensive, cannot injure and makes a delightful, effervescent lithia-water drink.—Adv.

Easy. "She's the limit at flirting with soda-water clerks."

"How long can she keep up the flirtation?"

"Oh, about five sodas."

# IS CHILD CROSS, FEVERISH, SICK

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

Just One Glance. Phyllis—She married for money. Maude—How do you know? Phyllis—I've seen him.

Not Gray Hair but Tired Eyes. Keep your eyes young and you will look young. After the Movie Murine Your Eyes. Don't tell your age. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, Sends Eye Book on request.

But love renders a man color blind to complexions.