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THREATEN TO JUNK 63 PUBLIC PLAYGROUNDS

Children to Be Robbed of Fun Unless State Legislature and Chicago Parent-Teachers' Ass'n Get Results Before April 1—Called a Calamity.

All the 63 public school playgrounds of Chicago will be junked next month—no good—nothing doing and no fun for anybody—unless the state legislature and the Chicago Parent-Teachers' ass'n are able to get results this month.

The school board auditor, Edward H. Brackett, today ordered names of all playground attendants taken off the payroll. Under instructions from

the school board he is also preparing to stop payments of any and all money for running public school playgrounds.

Max Loeb, school trustee, goes to Springfield tomorrow to ask for changes in the Juul law. If he gets what he wants there will be a special fund of \$500,000 raised yearly through taxes for running the public school playground system.