

**CITRIC ACID.**

**The Way the Secret of Its Manufacture Was Stolen.**

The proprietor of an old chemist's shop, close by Temple Bar, in days gone by enjoyed the monopoly of making citric acid. More favorably circumstanced than other secret manufacturers, his was a process that required no assistance. He employed no workmen. Experts came to sample and assort and bottle his products, but they never entered the laboratory. The mystic operations by which he grew rich were confined to himself. One day, having locked the doors and drawn the window blinds as usual, the chemist went home to his dinner. A chimney sweep, or a boy disguised as such, wide awake in chemistry, was on the watch and followed the secret keeper to Charing Cross, and sure that he would not return that day, the sooty philosopher hied rapidly back to Temple Bar, ascended the low building, dropped down the fire, saw all he wanted to and returned, carrying with him the mystery of making citric acid. The monopoly of the inventor was gone a few months after, and the price was reduced by four-fifths. The poor man was heartbroken and died shortly afterwards, ignorant of the trick by which he had been victimized.—London Spare Moments.

**THE LOG JAM.**

**Quick and Sure Must Be the Workers When It Goes Out.**

Log jams are not an abnormal part of the riverman's work, as most people suppose, but a regular incident of the day's business. In the breaking of them the jam crew must be quick and sure. I know of no finer sight than the going out of a tall jam. The men pry, heave and tug sometimes for hours. Then all at once the apparently solid surface begins to creak and settle. The men zigzag rapidly to shore. A crash and spout of waters mark where the first tier is already toppling into the current. The front melts like sugar. A vast, formidable movement agitates the brown tangle as far as you can see, and then with another sudden and mighty crash the whole river bursts into a torrent of motion.

If everything has gone well, the men are all safe ashore, leaning on their peavies, but ready at any instant to hasten out for the purpose of discouraging by quick, hard work and tendency to plug on the part of the moving timbers. I have seen men out of braids jump from the breast of a jam just as it was breaking down to a floating log ahead, thus to be carried in the sweep and rush far down the river. A single slip meant death.—Stewart Edward White in Outing Magazine.

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**NOTICE TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS**

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, MERCER COUNTY, to-wit: Mary Jane Mainor, Complainant. Vs. James R. Mainor, Defendant. Pending in the Circuit Court of Mercer County.

The above named defendant will TAKE NOTICE that on Wednesday the 10th, day of July, 1907, the complainant above named, will take the depositions of Judge J. B. McConnell and various other witnesses to be used as evidence in the trial of the above styled cause, in behalf of the complainant, at the law office of Brown & Martin, in the city of Catlettsburg, in the state of Kentucky, between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m. of said day. And if from any cause the taking of said depositions be not commenced on that day, or if commenced but not completed, the same will be continued from day to day, or from time to time, and place to place, until completed.

MARY JANE MAINOR. By Sexton & Roberts, her Attorneys. 6-6-4Thur.

WEST VIRGINIA:—At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Mercer on the 3rd day of June, 1907.

Mary Jane Mainor, Plaintiff, against James R. Mainor, Defendant. The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant a divorce, a vinculo matrimonii from the said defendant and the custody of three infant children named in the bill and for other relief.

And it appearing from an affidavit made and filed with the papers in his cause that the plaintiff has used due diligence to ascertain in what county the defendant is without effect, it is therefore, on motion of the plaintiff, by counsel, ordered that said defendant do appear at the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Mercer County within one month after the date of the first publication of this order and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Attest: W. B. Honaker, Clerk. Sexton Roberts, P. Q. 6-6-4Thurs.

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8:33 p. m. for Roanoke, Lynchburg, Richmond, Norfolk, Pullman sleeper East Radford to Norfolk and Lynchburg to Richmond. Cafe Car. Trains arrive at Bluefield from the east at 8:58 a. m., 2:10 p. m., 8:10 p. m., and 9:20, p. m.

From the west at 8:00 a. m. 9:20 a. m., 2:05 p. m., and 8:18 p. m. Leave Bluefield at 8:20 p. m. for Kenova, Columbus and all points west and northwest Pullman sleepers for Columbus and Cincinnati, O. Cafe car.

9:08 a. m. for Kenova, Cincinnati, Portsmouth, Columbus, St. Louis Through Pullman sleepers to Columbus. Cafe car. Leave 9:15 a. m. and 2:25 p. m.

daily for Tazewell, Norton, and all stations on Clinch Valley division. Arrive from Norton and all points on the Clinch Valley division at 2:10 and 7:55 p. m. Leave 6:50 a. m. for Kenova and intermediate stations via Wayne. Leave 6:00 and 2:40 p. m. for Welch and intermediate stations. For Pocahontas 6:50 a. m. 9:00 a. m. 2:40 p. m. and 8:10 p. m. Arrive from Pocahontas at 8:00 a. m. 2:05 p. m. and 8:18 p. m. For Bramwell, leave Bluefield 5:50 a. m. 9:08 a. m. 2:40 p. m. and 8:20 p. m. Call on agent Norfolk and Western Railway, for tickets, maps, and additional information.

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