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More than one-half of 45,000 children lately examined in Germany were found to be suffering from defective vision. In total of \$166,000. The expenditure of some schools the proportion of the the Graniteville factory were \$36,000, shortsighted was as high as 70 and 86 per cent. In the Heidelberg gymnasium fits were \$125,000. The dividends paid it was 100 per cent.; every lad in the school had bad eyesight, According to Professor Pfluger, this state of things arises from insufficiently lighted schoolrooms, bad print and bad paper, the method of writing in vogue and illcontrived desks.

made at the commercial exchanges in whether it would be remarkably enterfavor of the projected Florida ship taining and encouraging to those of the canal. The president of the company, North. It shows of what this section who has recently been enlisting the is capable, and will undoubtedly give a support of the New Orleans and Mobile fresh start to cotton manufacturing Chambers of Commerce and Boards of enterprises here, Already we hear of Trade, will be in New York this week many new factories in contemplation- Point Caswell Mission ..... June 5 in the expectation of enlisting Northern | some of which we are assured will be capital for the prosecution of the work, built immediately. A short time since which, it is claimed, will shorten the the leading business men of Florence, distance between the Gulf and Atlantic | S. C., and vicinity begun to agitate the ports nearly eight hundred miles.

The LeMore Brothers were French makers of gray cloth. The New Orleans branch house supplied the Confederate army. After Butler captured New Orleans they continued to send in the midst of a rich cotton producing gray cloth to the Confederates. For this he arrested them and punished them without trial. A ball and chain was put on one. They brought a claim for reparation before the Franco-American claims commission, which has awarded \$10,000 to the one who wore the ball and chain and \$4,000 to the other.

The movement for putting all the electrical wires underground in New York seems to be taking positive form. The committee on underground wires has issued a call for a meeting of the twenty-one electrical companies doing business in that city, with a view of finding some feasible plan for putting all their wires underground, as is now done by the Edison Electric Light Company. The circular of the committee says it is reasonable to hope that an inclusive single system may be found which will take in the telegraph, fire alarm, district messenger and telephone wires, For each company to have a separate system would involve an unbearable expense, and would 21. seriously disturb the use of the streets. There are 350 devices already patented, and these will be considered by the committee.

It would seem that two of the officers for the Tallapoosa got a much deserved drubbing at the hands of an indignant citizen of St. Augustine while the steamer was lying at that port. The Jacksonville Herald gives the following version of the affair:

On Sunday night in St. Augustine an emeute occurred that may result in the dismissal from the United States Navy of Officer Reaves and another officer of the U. S. steamship Tallapoosa whose name we have not learned. As nearly as we can gather the facts from the sources of information at our command two officers of the Tatlapoosa went ashore on Sanday night, and in a state of semi-intoxication were grossly discourteous to two ladies walking on or near the Plaza. The ed. As nearly as we can gather the dies walking on or near the Plaza. The was attached to the guardship stalladies were near relatives of Messrs. I. tioned there. Conova and Morey Irwin, of St. Augustine. The first of these was near enough to the parties to hear the offen sive remark. He immediately chal- O'Connor, of Galesburg, is not related lenged the officer to know what he to the celebrated Charles O'Connor. said. The latter repeated his remark He says: "Samaritan Nervine cured when Conova pluckily pitched into me of dyspepsia and general debility." both of them, and but for the interfer ence of bystanders would have gotten the best of the fight. The officers re-tired to their hotels, and shortly afterward Mr. Irwin, hearing of the affair. repaired thither, and personally invited challenge they of course declined. So far as we could learn public sentiment is strongly against the naval officers, office. and many good people of St. Augus-tine applauded the action of Conova. The affair created considerable excitement for a time. The officers were up on Monday before Secretary Chandler cords of wood to get a red squirrel that and Commader Kellogg, of the Talla- wasn't there. Then they cracked a poosa, and no decision had been reach- commandment.—Osweyo Record. ed on Monday noon. It is probable the officers will be eiher suspended or dis-

The Savannah News. however, publishes a different account, which it derives from the officers of the ship, crooked. There is much less of probability in this account than in the other:

Two officers of the Tallapoosa, while walking in the streets of St. Augustine, within a stone's throw of the hotel ing boy arrived at your house it wasn't where the President and Secretary of the mother who went about doing the the Navy were staying, were assaulted by a man named Conova. He accused them of saying something to his nieces. northern part of Iowa to procure some The officers were astonished. With them at the time of the assault was a gentleman from New York, who was thunderstruck. He could not understand why the assault had been committed. He was with the officers, and assured Mr. Conova that he was mistaken; that

matter, and reported to Secretary that he dismissed the whole matter at gratifying results."

### GOOD DIVIDENDS.

At the annual meeting of the Graniteville Manufacturing Company, of Auof the president showed that the profits cy "Buchu-paiba." \$1. of Vaucluse for the year were \$63,000 and of Graniteville \$103,000, making a and of Vaucluse \$5,000. The net produring the year were \$60,000. For new machinery \$28,000 has been ex- gists. pended. The President says that notwithstanding the unfavorable year just passed "we have made near 21 per cent net on our capital, after paying all necessary expenses and \$21,000 interest."

This is interesting reading to the A vigorous movement is about to be people of the South, though we doubt scheme of a factory in their midst and in a few days \$100,000 had been subscribed. Darlington, S. C., a few miles from Florence, is now working for the same object, and with a fair prospect of its accomplishment. Both towns are country and everything looks favorable for the projected enterprises.

But cotton factories are not all that are needed. The manufacture of furniture, carriages, hats and paper can be made as profitable here as the manufacture of cotton, and the growing importance imperatively for many dependent industries which must be established here, which are essential to the full development of the profits to be obtained from the manufacture of the staple.

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### PERSONAL.

Ex-President Davis will deliver the opening address at a meeting of the Southern Historical Society, which will be held in Vicksburg, Miss., May part at once, in their names, either their purpose or the ingredients which compose them."

During the absence of the President, young Arthur runs the White House. The other night he gave a grand dinner in the great dining hall to the Princeton College Glee Club.

The Louisville Courier-Journal charges Senator Logan with "making ancient history sick of its existence in addition to his repeated crime of 'putting dynamite under the country's grammar.'l

Ex-Gov. St. John, of Kansas, had better stick to lecturing outside his State where they appreciate him. He has added to his exploit of being defeated for Governor of a strong Republican State the achievement of being defeated for mayor in his own city of Leavenworth.

Commander R. A. Newman, who died in England on April 1, aged ninety

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It seems probable that Mr. Michael

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not only were the officers gentlemen, but that he knew that they had not said one word to any one. Conova was either mistaken in the identity of the men or else was disposed to get satisfaction for the alleged insult from anyone. Capt. Kellogg, of the Tallapoosa, took great pains next day to investigate the

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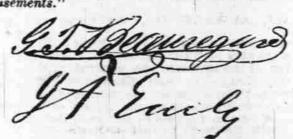
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