Two hundred bushels of po-AHY SKIPPERS LIKE DERENCTS. BABY'S BUSINESS. SEWERAGE PROBLEM. tatoes remove cighty pounds THE COUNTY TAX LEVY. THE CRIMINAL COURT North in a tenement with fifty me Only Way For Sea Captains to Get The Meekly Star. A healthy baby is comfortof "actual" Potash from the of his kind. Rich Nowadays. "The highest ambition of a sea captain soil. Unless this quantity Magistrates Met Yesterday at Noon and If he is the right kind of a negro, able; and that is enough for a these days is to pick up deserted wrecks," Two Hours' Discussion by Al Adopted Rate -- About the Issuance The Day's Proceedings Yesterday industrious and rightly disposed, is returned to the soil WILLIAM H. BERNARI declared an old skipper who arrived in baby. His business in life is of Bonds for County Roads. "It's the only chance port the other day. and has sense enough to know when Were Without Special Interdermen in Special Session the following crop will Editor and Proprietor he has to get rich.' he is best off, he will be much bet-"I'm the unluckiest dog alive," he addto grow. materially decrease, Availed Nothing. est to General Public. ter off in his 'little log cabin" than ed. "I've been to sea for nearly 40 years The magistrates of the county met WILMINGTON, N. C. now and have never had the good for-Aside from acute diseases, at noon yesterday at the Court House, he would be in the North, where he We have books telling about tune to run on a single wreck. That's FRIDAY, - - JUNE 7, 1901 66 out of 89 having answered to roll DISPOSAL PLANT PERMIT. his food is the cause of most the only way for us to make any money, composition, use and value of has his race difficulty to confront ONE SENTENCE TO ROADS. fertilizers for variety copy They are sent lice. call. Mr. C. W. Worth was made him and where the struggle to get you see. "If a skipper can't haul into port one chairman by acclamation and Chairof his troubles. But Scott's NORTHERN VIEWS OF THE along, save in rare exceptions, is or two derelicts during his lifetime, he GERMAN KALI WORKS t Was the Cause of a Vigorous Speech by And Judgment Reserved in Cases of Sevman D. McEachern, of the Board of emulsion of cod-liver oil delivstands a fair show of dying poor as a incomparably harder than it is in NEGRO. 93 Nastan St. eral Other Defendants-Jurors Sum-County Commissioners, by request, Mayor in Reply to Resolution-Muchurch mouse. Even one good find will the South. There may be negroes New York fix a man up fairly well, and two or three Within the past few years the stated that the object of the meeting nicipal Ownership and Sewerers him from it, moned for To-day-Term May will settle him for life. I know several who are doing better in the North was to pass upon the tax levy for the views of the particular "friends" of He isn't sick; only a little Extend Into Next Week. age Commission Suggested. lucky dogs who haul in something in the than they could have done in the current year as fixed by the commisthe negro in the North have underway of, a wreck once in every two or hitch, somewhere, in his masioners. He then stated the action of South, but they are the exceptions three years, but somehow I can't land Yesterday's session of the Criminal gone a decided change, and for For two long hours the Board of any myself. "Why, I spend half my time looking the Board in fixing the tax levy at 45 and very few exceptions at that. some reason they have come to un-Court, though lasting practically all chine for turning food into Aldermen wrestled with the sewerage cents per hundred dollars on real and The extracts we print above are around the horizon to see if I can catch day, was without special interest. derstand the negro and the negro proposition last night and when ad sight of a deserted vessel of some kind. personal property and \$1.35 on the In printing yesterday's proceed growth. but a few of many that might be journment was reached, the status of question better. It is true we still Of course, I'd rather she'd be lodged fair poll. This, upon motion of Maj. W. H. cited to show the change of sentiings of the court, the name of Mr. F. and square on some sand bank, out of hear some talk about the "rights" affairs was no more definite than when It is a great thing to do, for Bernard, was adopted, and by amend reach of the waves, but I wouldn't comment in the North on the negro T. Mills appeared on the docket as of the negro and some criticism of ment of Capt. Jno. H. Hanby, the the meeting began. a baby, to help him over a hitch plain at finding her flat on the botton charged with assault and battery with Mayor Waddell presided and each question. written report of Chairman Mcthe movement in Southern States with nothing but the tip of her mainpa **GIRL STRIKERS IN A RIOT** a deadly weapon. The matter has almember was in his seat, when the wiss mere food-the emulsion showing above the surface. Even then the Eachern in detail was adopted and the to restrict the ballot, but there ready been adjusted, Mr. Mills having salvage money would be worth having. Board was called to order. The Clerk newspapers of the city requested to is comparatively little of that when is food that has the tact to get "How much a skipper gets out of a submitted it at the beginning of the MUST LOOK TO AMERICA. read the original proposition of Mr. Another Outbreak at Passaic's Handker. derelict depends on its condition, of publish the same, as follows: we remember how, not so many term, paid the cost and cleared it from Andrew Carnegie, who is a pretty Darby, offering, under conditions, course. If he hauls it into port practicalthere. chief Factory-Mob Dispersed by The Board of County Commission years ago, the Republican politicians ly uninjured, he gets a big pile of money, the calendar. \$10,000 for a franchise and a suppleers of New Hanover recommend the long-headed fellow, seems to be Firemen With a Line of Hose. The tact to get there is medand organs howled and demanded although the owners of his own vesse The following proceedings were had following tax levy for the current mental proposition, giving the city and two or three middlemen take a hand under the impression, judging from Prop. Pols. Est. Rev. political equality for the negro vear. the power to purchase the plant under resterday: icine. in dividing the spoils. But he gets some-Gen'l fund 23 his remarks reported in the press 69 \$22,000 By Telegraph to the Morning Star King Bell, assault and battery ; judgwith the white man, and the perthing for just finding a wreck, and it the same conditions as those offered R'ds and br'ges. 12 36 18 10,000 dispatches yesterday, that Great We'l lsend you a little to try i f you like. NEW YORK, June 5.-There was doesn't make any difference what has sistent attempts that were made to ment open. by the Wilmington Sewerage Com-4.800SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl street, New Fork another outbreak on the part of the happened to her or why she was deserted, Britain is in more danger from a 12 Ann Pollock, larceny; not guilty. 4,000 force this equality. There is little pany. Upon motion of Alderman just so long as the crew has left her. girl strikers at Acheson-Harden Com-Leroy Perry, submitted to assault combine of the continental powers of that now although there are some Harriss, the communication went to Their leaving makes her a derelict, and LOCOMOTIVE EXPLODED 135 40,800 pany's handkerchief factory at Passaic and battery; three months on road. than this country is, and he is probher owners have to pony up to the lucky the Sewerage Committee. Mayor With this proviso that if the election N. J., to day. The force of policepoliticians who threaten to punish cuss that finds her. ably right. This makes the friend-Juo. Rowland, assault and battery Waddell then stated that in accordor good roads is decided in favor of men on guard at the factory had been Accident Near Nashville, N. C.-Engineer the States which adopt restricted "Nowadays we skippers get low sala with deadly weapon; not guilty. the bond issue, then in that event the ship of this country absolutely necreduced to two. The strikers took ance with a written request of seven aries and lots of work, and we don't suffrage by reducing their represen-Killed and Others Injured. Commissioners are authorized to elimadvantage of this and made a fierce essary to her, which may go a long Wm. Simon, concealed weapons often own shares in our ships, as the old members of the Board, he had called inate the tax of 12 cents property and attack not only on the girls who retation in Congress and in the electime masters did. Yes, sir, our only Special Star Telegram. submitted; fined \$5 and costs. way towards accounting for the 36 poll tax and substitute therefor a the special meeting and now awaited ported for work but on the factory chance is to nick up a wreck, and that's trai college. The reason, and about King Bell, concealed weapons, sub NASHVILLE, N. C., June 5.-A ma tax of 5 cents on property and 15 what we're all looking for."-New York tself. Volleys of stones were thrown friendly disposition shown in late its pleasure. the only reason, why there is any mitted; judgment open. cents on poll as a special road sinking at the building and a number of win terial train, loaded with cross ties, was Times. Mr. West then raised the point of years by the Britons for this counand interest fund, making the total protest against the South's settling dows were smashed. The two police The grand jury returned the follow wrecked and almost demolished about order that Mr. Bailey's motion to retry, notably in the Spanish-Ameritax for county for all purposes 38 cents on property and \$1.14 on the BEATEN BY A REPORTER. men charged on the strikers but were ing true bills: George W. Price, Jr. this question in her own way is on one mile below the station here to-day. consider the matter of approval of the received with a shower of stones. A disposing of mortgaged property (two Newspaper Man's Revenge For can war. Engineer Brown was instantly killed. account of the negro votes in some plans of the Wilmington Sewerage call was made to headquarters for results From a Candidate. cases); John Hudson, concealed But this drawing together began In connection with the bond issue His body was dreadfully mangled and Company was not in order, upon the of the Northern States, where in nforcement, A good story and one with a moral is weapons; John Hudson, assault and election, the act passed by the Legis-The police arrested three of the girl before the Spanish-American war, mutilated; his head being entirely ground that he did not ask to have his related by a well known southern writer. close elections the negroes hold the lature is mandatory upon the Combattery with deadly weapon; L. Herstrikers and one man, who tried to "No great statesman with good hard for when Thomas Francis Bayard blown off; but his hand was found vote recorded in the affirmative at the missioners to order such an election. balance of power. horse sense ever went out of his way to ring, larceny; Tony Hart, false prerescue the girls from the hands of the was Ambassador at London he soft upon the throttle of the exploded enwhich has been done. original meeting until after the vote offend a newspaper man," he says. police. The prisoners were hurried When we speak of the particula tence; Mary Campbell, concealed As to the results thereof and its gine. The fireman is severely injured, sodered the British and the British was announced, and upon the further "Some years ago there was a very hot into a patrol wagon, which started at "friends of the negroes in the effects, if decided against the issue weapons. and the switchman was probably facampaign in Georgia for a big office a rapid rate for police headquarters. in turn soft sodered the Americans, ground that the Board did not grant would mean the payment yearly of a mob numbering 300 following the North" we, of course, mean the Re-The following talesmen were sum "In a distant city lived a candidate tally injured. The cars broke loose him the right to so change. The recand the meetings where both particisufficient taxes to continue the road who was confident of election. He was moned for duty today: John C. wagon, hooting and yelling at the publicans, for the Democrats of the work i. e., about \$10,000 and even from the locomotive and the engineer, ords were appealed to, and in the abproud and haughty and thought only of pated were a sort of love feasts. Mr. police and throwing stones. The mob Boesch, S. Sneeden, J. B. Hewlett, endeavoring to keep out of reach of North never played fool on that this would not allow the work to be himself. pursued the wagon the whole way to sence of objection at the time, the Bayard went so far on that line as done in the most economy, as if dethe approaching cars, the engine "A young newspaper man was detailed H. L. Barden, J. H. Boatwright, J. question and have stood by the headquarters, and after the prisoners Mayor did not sustain Mr. West. to evoke some pretty tart criticism cided in favor of the issue, the latter jumped the track, went so high as to by the managing editor to accompany the O. Brown, J. S. Brock, J. B. Sandlin, had been rushed inside the building South in holding that indiscrimi-Mr. Johnson then offered a resolustatesman and report his speeches. would give available funds for work get over the top of the telegraph wire, B. F. King, W. G. Webb, W. N. they stormed the doors, but were upby Americans who didn't have as 'Now comes the funny part of the

nate negro suffrage is an outrage, and that the South ought to be allowed to settle that question in the way that she deems best.

But there has been with the mass of the Republicans and with the large majority of the Republican organs a radical change on that question and they no longer get excited and rabid when the

They have realized the fact that England is a thoroughly isolated week. "brother in black" is not recognation, without a friend among the nized as the equal of the white man CITY HOSPITAL MANAGERS nations, unless she can call this na-Possibly the large influx of negroes tion friend, and they feel that the into Northern States has had some-**Regular Monthly Meeting Yesterday Af** only thing between England and asthing to do with this change, by sault by other nations is her great ternoon-Report for May of Dr. Harthrowing the races so much closer navy, with which none of them riss, Acting Superintendent. together and giving the white man single-handed can cope. To do this up there a better opportunity to effectively there must be combina-The Board of City Hospital Manastudy the negro at close range, to gers met vesterday afternoon, Chairtion, and coming events may favor see the living, breathing negro in man McEachern and Messrs. Holmes, that and make it practicable. the flesh and not the negro of fic-Montgomery and VonGlahn having In that event Great Britain would tion and of emotional sentiment. been present. The only matter of inbe in a sorry plight without some And perhaps the "object lessons" terest to come before the Board was the strong arm to rely upon, and hence to which we have called attention adoption of the monthly report of Dr. she looks across the Atlantic to the from time to time when the mob A. H. Harriss, acting superintendent, only power that she hasn't thorwas invoked to punish the crimes which in part, is as follows: oughly alienated and that doesn't of black brutes may have had some PATIENTS TREATED. thoroughly hate her. thing to do with it, but certain City. County Pay Total. White male ... 10 02 09 01 13 it is that the "man and the " female 08 03 20 brother" does not fill the place C'ld male.....16 03 19 06 -NORTH CAROLINA MARBLE. ' female05 01 in the Northern Republican mind We found the following a few that he did a few years ago. It is morally certain, too, that if the days ago in the Charlotte Observer: Twenty-five patients were remain-North forty years ago knew as much The following letter comes to a gening in the hospital May 1st, and 33 about the negro as it knows now tleman in this city from a Boston archwere admitted during the month, making a total of 58, of which number, durthere never would have been much "22 DEVONSHIRE ST., ing May, 27 were discharged, 3 died if any agitation of the negro "BOSTON, MASS. and 28 were remaining June 1. Treat-"Dear Sir: I have your favor of the problem which precipitated the war ment and rations were furnished dur-Oth inst., and am much obliged to you between the States and created the for your kind remembrance regarding ing the month to 164 pay patients and other problems with which the my inquiry about marbles and the 608 charity patients; rations were furcompanies in the South who might furcountry has since .been perplexed nished to employes 465 days, making ther them. The addresses that you and which are yet but partially with other expenses, the average cost send I notice are all the Tennessee solved. marbles, of which I have already used per capita per day 18 cents. For suba large amount, and with whose stone Another thing is quite apparent istence \$228.62 was expended during am familiar. May; for general expenses \$199.43 and and that is that the country is com-"My inquiry made when you were or pay roll, \$221.45, making the total ing to the conviction that the South n Boston referred more especially to some marble of great beauty, samples \$649.50. The receipts during the month best understands the negro, the of which were shown in Boston, ten were \$44.40 for prescriptions; pay panegro problem and how to solve it. or fifteen years ago at an exhibition. tients, \$369.30; city, \$166.66; county, It may be observed, also, that while and which came from North Carolina, the Democratic papers show much as I remember it. I suppose they \$250; total, \$830.36. The receipts over the Democratic papers show much came from up among the hills. I supexpenditures were \$180.86. less disposition to discuss it than the pose however, not having heard from them since nor seen any notice of them Republican papers do, the latter dis-Death of Mr. Jno. N. Bennett. that the quarries cannot have been cuss it in an entirely different spirit opened The STAR chronicles with regret from that which characterized their From the above it would seem as this morning the death of Mr. John though it would pay somebody in the State to take hold of the development discussions some years ago. Many Nelson Bennett, a native and one of of them candidly admit that the the most prominent men of Brunsof these sppecial marbles. wick county, which occurred Sunday Southern white people are better There are in Cherokee county, in friends of the negro than they can night at 10 o'clock at his home at Taylor. his State, practically unexhaustible hope to find in the North and that Winnabow, after a lingering illness deposits of marble, of fine quality with dropsy and Brights disease. the best place for the negro is in the and of numerous varieties, from the The funeral was held at 5 o'clock yes-South, where he is best understood, terday afternoon from the late resi snow white to the ebony black, his good and weak points best known with various shades between, and dence with interment at Zion Methoand where there is the most induldist church. Mr. Bennett has served combinations of colors. There were gence for his weakness and even for his county in various capacities all some years ago, and doubtless are his folly, when it does not grow into his life and was elected for two terms yet, in the State museum at Raviciousness that makes him intolereach in the Legislature and State Senleigh, specimens of forty different able, an outcast and an outlaw. In ate from his county and district. He kinds of marble, all from this one is survived by four daughters and speaking of this the Boston Herald county, and it is more than likely three sons, all of whom have the sym-88Y8: that exploration would show its pathy of hundreds of friends. They "The place of the negro is in th presence in adjoining counties. are Mrs. T. J. Gore and H. J. Bennett, South. He is better off there than in But whether or not, there is enough of Wilmington; Mr. D. A. Bennett, of the Northern cities, and to remove him Brunswick; Mr. J. N. Bennett, of entirely from the country is impracin that one county to form the basis ticable, if it were desirable. It is clear, Wilmington; Mrs. E. W. Wells, of of an immense industry. also, to our mind, that the South Cronly; Miss Mary E. and Miss Amanneeds him where he is, admitting all The owners of marble properties da Bennett, of Winnabow. his faults. He is the natural laborer n Georgia and Tennessee are active in that section, and to deprive the in bringing their marbles before the South of him in that capacity would Rev. W. B. Oliver Bereaved. builders in other Stetes, with the be to take from her what is vitally A dispatch from Rev. W. B. Oliver essential to her prosperity. result that Georgia quarries have yesterday announced the death of his This is a Boston view of it and is, issue. secured some big contracts for their second son, Andrew, a promising

possible dispatch to clean up the docket, but it is believed that the session will extend over into the coming

and L. J. Mason. The court adjourned at 5:30 o'clock force would enable us to keep the until to-day at 9:30 A. M. Solicitor machinery and quarry at work all the Duffy and Judge Bryan are using all time, whereas now we can only work one at a time. As to the economy of paying inte rest, the Treasurer has made arrange ments, whereby interest will be paid

ing a much larger force than we now tion, which contained the "milk in have or can maintain and they could the cocoanut," to the effect that the be worked under the supervision of Mayor and Superintendent of Health same paid employes we now have, be ordered to revoke their action in which would of course reduce the net cost of road material and an increased granting a permit to the Wilmington Sewerage Company to begin work on its disposal plant in the extreme northeastern section of the city, after authority to grant permits for certain excavations had been delegated to these officials at Monday night's meet-

by the savings banks of this city on funds derived from said bonds while ing. Mayor pro-tem West was called to Although, if it is decided to issue the chair and Mayor Waddell made a he bonds, the Commissioners will speech defending his position and that carefully consider whether it is best to sell the bonds at once or sell only as of Dr. Harper. He traced the history

and exploded, causing the terrible WF8CK. Here to Install Pipe Organ.

Mr. J. O. Funkhauser, of Hagers

town, Md., arrived yesterday to arrange for installing the new pipe organ in Grace M. E. Church. Mr. Funkhauser, accompanied by Mrs. W. H. Shaw, president of the Organ Fund Society, and Mr. Chas. E McMillen, inspected the interior of the church yesterday morning and found that

"Once when they were riding in buggy through the country they stopped at a spring. The statesman cooled a bottle of wine in the spring and drank it all. without offering the journalist a drop. "Then he helped himself to a cigar from his valise and resumed his seat in the buggy. 'Drive on!' he said.

without any consideration.

exactly what.

man had to do with it.

ly so.

"The newspaper man hated and de-spised the cold blooded politician, but he his work to do.

story. The statesman ignored his com-

introduced him to nobody-treated him

nanion-left him to take care of himself-

same building with the police headquarters, and the police finding that the mob showed no disposition to disperse called upon the firemen for as sistance. The latter responded, and dragging out a line of hose to the pavement soon had a powerful stream of water directed at the mob. This had the immediate effect of dispersing the crowd. The three girls and the man who were arrested were fined \$5 each.

able to effect an entrance. The engine

house of fire company No. 1 is in the

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as far as the negro's being better

much admiration for our British

cousins as he had. The gravitating

tendency has been marked ever

since, a strong impetus being given

to it by the prospective combining

predicted by Mr. Carnegie, a belief

which is doubtless shared by no

small number of Englishmen.

stone in Boston, Providence, New youth of ten years. His life-long off in the South than in the North, York, Philadelphia, Washington friend, Rev. D. W. Herring, went over

Cronly, H. W. Konig, W. F. LeGwin

T. C. Bray, J. H. Taylor, J. W.

Cooper, R. H, Brady, P. T. Stevenson

funds are needed. This question is of the much talked of excavation ordi merely a matter of calculation as to nance of a few weeks ago and of the whether the premium we would de action of Monday night's meeting in rive from sale of the bonds in one granting he and Dr. Harper the autholock together with the interest (4 per cent) from the savings banks rity, which they had exercised. The would more than off set the saving of excavations he said in the disposal interest by not issuing the bonds explant instance were not to dig for cept as funds are needed.

We think the increased taxes de ived from property improvised by building the roads will nearly or quite pay the interest on the bonds. Last year the levy was 46% cents of personal property and 52% on rea estate, with poll tax \$1.40. This yea the real and personal property levy i made uniform and less than last year The poll levy is also less. The meet-

ing adjourned sine die.

Editor's Awfal Plight.

F. M. Higgins, Editor Seneca (Ills., News, was afflicted for years with piles that no doctor or remedy helped until he tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve. He writes two boxes wholly cured him. terests or in the interests of another It's the surest Pile cure on earth and sewerage company, he gave the Board he best salve in the world. Cure warning that he washed his hands guaranteed. Only 25 cents. Sold by clear of any litigation that would R. R. BELLAMY, Druggist.

follow an attempt of that character. The Mayor concluded by saying, he SHADELAND DAIRY BURNED.

considered the resolution a rebuke **Buildings Totally Consumed With About** and one which he could not ignore, hence his plain-spoken statemens. One-half Insurance - Will be Rebuilt. A motion was then made that the "Shadeland Dairy," situated one Mayor's action be endorsed, but the mile from the city, on the Market vote stood five to five. Messrs. Bailey, street road, and belonging to Mr. Johnson, Mann, Harriss and Von-Alex. O. McEachern, of Wilmington, Glain voting nay. The Mayor was totally consumed by fire, which refused to cast the deciding vote on originated yesterday morning about 10:30 o'clock, presumably from a de- a question pertaining to himself and a second vote was called for by Mr. fective flue leading through the roof Maunder with no change of result. of the milk house. Thirty-two cows

and two horses were gotten out of the building without injury. Mr. McEachern's loss is about \$1,000 with insurance amounting to \$600, of which amount \$400 is with Col. Walker tion of municipal ownership of a plant

The dairy will be rebuilt at once and there will be no interference with the filling of orders as usual.

THE \$50,000 BOND ISSUE.

Read This If You Are Interested in the **Bond Election**

Remember these facts: Unless you either way in the bond election to be of the plans of the Wilmington Sewerheld June 18th.

If you wish to vote for the issuance next meeting and it was so ordered. of the bonds for county road improvement you must both register and vote. If you are opposed to the issu- for the establishment of a system and ance of the bonds (\$50,000) you must register. Then your vote will count against bonds, whether polled or not. It requires a majority of the registered vote, not a majority Esq. counsel for Mr. Darby, and of the vote cast, to authorize the bond

Do not overlook the fact that an Commission be appointed and comentirely new registration is required posed of two Aldermen, one member for this special election.

some few alterations are necessary in the rear of the church, of which Mr. McMillen will have charge. It is hoped to have the organ completed by thing was lacking, but he could not tell the first of November.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continsewerage or to lay pipes, but to conually in back and sides, no appetitestruct a building a mile from the City gradually growing weaker day by day. Hall and a half mile from all habitabree physicians had given me up. tion-to remove about two feet of Fortunately, a friend advised trying Electric Bitters; and to my great joy sand at a point beyond where the and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now well man I know they saved my ife, and robbed the grave of another victim." None should fail to try Only 50 cents, guaranteed, at them. R. R. BELLAMY'S Drug Store.

A PAWNBROKER'S RULE.

To Him a Fiddle Is a Fiddle, and He Will Loan Not More Than \$1 on It. "On a violin I will loan \$1: no more." declared a little old pawnbroker of the local Latin quarter, replying to the question of a casual curio hunter who was looking over the strange medley of odds and ends that littered the dusty counters. "Yes?" said the visitor politely. "But you refer, I suppose, to the general run When an instrument is of violins. real value, you make an exception, of course." "Of course I do not." retorted the pawnbroker sharply. "To me a vio-lin is a violin, and \$1 is what I lend. Oh, to be sure, they protest-often some times they shed tears. They assure me it is old, rare, worth I don't know what. Very well,' I reply; 'then take it to a musician. Me, I am a pawnbroker, and I lend \$1 on fiddles, provided they are in

good order. "No, I did not always have this rule, admitted the old man, smiling grimly "I thought once that I knew something about violins myself. My father was musician and played for 20 years in the Alderman Johnson then offered a rchestra at the French Opera House resolution emphasizing the importance I was brought up, as you might say, among fiddles. But pshaw, let me tell of a sanitary sewerage system and proyou what they did! One day a man viding for a submission of the quescame here with a dirty old case under his arm. He took me back in the pasto a popular vote of the city. The sage to open it and said, 'Sh-s-s, it is a Strad!' Well, to tell you the truth, i resolution was put to the meeting and was a very fine looking instrument. I examined it carefully, and it had all the marks. It was signed. 'A. S.' As for the man, he told the usual story-poverty and so on-but he told it well. I was more than half convinced, still 1 took him to my friend Edgardo, who had a repair shop on the next corner and was known connoisseur. When Edgardo saw the fiddle, his eyes stuck out. 'Antonio Stradivarius!' he whispered in my ear. I led him into the hall. 'Are you sure it is genuine?' I asked. 'I stake my life,' said he. Well, I lent the man \$300 and promised to keep the fiddle for him The magazine is a fine one, constructed six months. "In a week or so another musician i

distress showed up-a friend of the first man. He had a Maggini burnt amber varnish, seventeenth century. I took him also to Edgardo, who was enchanted. 'You are in luck,' he said privately. 'There s a colony of these fellows, just from Euope. They are very poor and have magnificent fiddles. You will get them all. I lent \$250 on the Maggini. In a month I had three more-a Guarnerius and two Gaglianos. Altogether I advanced \$575 on them. Then one day the orchestra leader from the French opera came into the shop. He was a distinguished man and wore the red rosette of the Legion in his buttonhole. We got to talking about violins, and, to surprise him, I brought out the Strad. I give you my word that

"He reported the speeches and cam-COTTON AND CORN. naign incidents, but in a quiet way he knifed the statesman. The big man read the reports and was conscious that some-

Weather Generally Unfavorable-Crops Suffering for Cultivation.

"The newspaper man simply stuck to By Telegraph to the Morning Star. facts and damned the candidate with WASHINGTON, June 4. - The Weather faint praise. He left out the element of Bureau's weekly summary of crop enthusiasm. He was dull and deliberateconditions is as follows:

"The candidate was defeated, and he Practically an entire absence of rain never knew how much the newspaper over a large part of the Missouri and "Of course he did not dream that his upper Mississippi valleys has intensi fied the drought conditions previously own conduct had injured him. No mean man ever makes the discovery that he is existing in these districts, while the greater part of the region extending mean."-New York Mail and Express. rom the East Gulf coast to the lower

Ingenious Tippling lake region and New England suffered A most ingenious and laughable plan further from excessive rains. was that-evolved by in: stes at the On the whole, the week has been Oneida county home to outwit the suvery unfavorable to corn, which owing perintendent to low temperatures has made very When they have hard colds, they are

slow growth throughout the principa given a bottle of cough sirup, which is corn States, damage by cut worms made at the home in large quantities, being extensively reported. containing rum and molasses. One of Cotton has n ade very slow growth the inmates devised a scheme whereby generally throughout the cotton belt he could extract the rum from the mo and is suffering for cultivation in the lasses, so that he could get the rum out eastern and over portions of the cen-tral districts. Warmth, and in the without contaminating his stomach with the molasses. He placed the bottle on the window sill in the sun and discovereastern districts dry weather, is gen

ed that the molasses came to the top. erally needed for cotton. leaving the rum at the bottom. Procuring a straw at the barn, he in serted it in the bottle below the molasses and proceeded to drink the rum from the bottom of the bottle .- Utica (N. Y.) Observer. To Take the Places of Striking Machinists

It is characteristic of those who are se-

vere on others that they cannot bear se-

of his day, was one day dining with a

verity. Dean Swift, the severest satirist

company of gentlemen, one of whom he

had made the butt of his ridicule, with

repeated sallies. At last the dean pour-

ed upon a piece of duck some gravy in

tended to be eaten with a roasted goose.

The unfortunate gentleman, seeing this,

immediately said: "My good dean, you

goose." The company roared, and the poor

dean was so confused and mortified that

NO DANGER OF EXPLOSION.

Twenty Tons of Smokeless Powder Barn-

ing Up at Mare Island.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

smokeless powder, became ignited this

morning by chemical action. The

powder did not explode but generated

enough gas and smoke to force the

now slowly burning. It is far re-

moved from the black powder and

there is no danger of an explosion.

in 1857 at a cost of several hundred

dollars. It will be a total loss. It is

located on the end of the island and

there seems to be no danger of an ex

plosion or of damage to any of the

buildings on the island except the

- Monroe Journal: Mr. John H.

Benton sold and caused to be sold in

Union county last year about 75,000

fruit cans. That means 75,000 quarts

of fruit, vegetables and berries saved

that otherwise would have been lost.

At ten cents a can, the value of this

fruit, etc., is \$7,500. More fruit and

magazine.

he flew into a rage and left the table.

surprise me. You eat a duck like

Joke on Dean Swift.

in Railroad Shops. By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PHILADELPHIA, June 5.-Word has been received at the machinists' headquarters here from A. M. Reddy, business agent at Fernandina, Fla. announcing that non union men are being shipped from this city to take the places of striking machinists in the South. Mr. Reddy's letter, dated Fernandina, is as follows:

SHIPPING MEN SOUTH.

'They are getting men in Philadel phis to come down here, represent ing to them that they are to be given employment a few miles of Baltimore. When the south men are under way they are kept guarded and landed at Americus, Ga., Savannah and Fernandina. There have been two car loads shipped here in that way.

The letter further states that the imported men are housed in passenger coaches on the company's property at VALLEJO, CAL., June 5.- A maga-Fernandina, being kept under guard zine at the Mare Island navy yard, and not permitted to leave the prem containing about twenty tons of ises.

PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION.

top off the magazine. The powder is | Fire in a Midway Show Caused a Panic

Two Performers Injured.

sy Telegraph to the Morning Star

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 5 .- A fire which for a time threatened to assume serious proportions, occurred at the Pan-American Exposition grounds to night. The blaze started in the Orient a midway show. Two of the perform ers were badly burned while trying to extinguish the flames. Just before the theatre performance was ended, smoke was seen coming from one of the small buildings in the concession. The cry of fire almost caused a panic in the theatre. There was a mad rush for the exits, but fortunately the crowd was not large and no one was injured. The Exposition fire department revegetables were saved in the county sponded to the alarm and the flames

a five to five vote resulted, the Mayor voting nay and explaining his action in so doing A vote was then called upon the original motion of Mr. Johnson in regard to the disposal plant, but after some further discussion, the motion was withdrawn. register anew your vote will not count his motion to reconsider the approval

Alderman Bailey then moved that age Company be deferred until the Mr. Darby then addressed the Board at some length upon his proposition was followed by Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy, counsel for the Wilmington

Sewerage Company. Mr. Bellamy was followed by Brooke G. Empie, upon the conclusion of his remarks, Mr. Bailey moved that a Sewerage

visst of city garbage is left by carts in the city cleaning service. He went on to say that before granting the permit, the Board of Health had been called together as a safeguard and the physicians and other members of same had unanimously agreed that the pub lic, health would not be endangered by the excavations asked for. If it was the purpose of the Board to hold up the work, for other than healthful in-

