

And talk of men and things. The other took no paper, and le strolling in the wood, fell down and broke his crown,

killed him-as it should.

to the island before morning.

under easy sail.

His children all could read and write,

Was happier than a King's;

Had he been reading of the news, At home like neighbor Jim, I'll bet a cent that accident Would not have happened him.

Why don't you take the papers? the printer sneah you borrow from his boy er every week.

A dense cloud was first seen ap- observed that the present appearance-

proaching the pond, being apparently of his head resembled a cocoanut in a considerable distance up. Nothing the husk. This metamorphosis, the sue in this State, whether the whole particularly was thought of it, the gentleman further explained, was people shall continue in the business citizens of Langley being occupied at brought about by the pure deviltry of of drunkard making, or shall cut the time in trying to keep cool, a hard his wife. He returned home the othloose entirely from the business thing to do, with the thermometer at evening from a social entertainment by abolishing the license system. I 100° in the shade. But presently a with a few friends, and lay down on a notice that you have introduced the startling circumstance occurred. The sofa for a short nap before reposing discussion of this subject into your cloud had halted over the pond and himself finally for the night. While island, when the captain, who had come lumbering upon the deck, con- ture and fondness for the sea, he pro- on the ear. They are now in an adult columns, though it is but justice to established connection with the latnot yet left the deck, discovered off founding the crew, and greatly re- ceeded to London, where he was soon state. The sexes become distinct. you to say that you do not put the ter. A genuine water-spout had, in procured a dull pair of scissors and fact, been evolved, and an immense wrought the abominable havoc which quantity of water was rushing sky- the court was now permitted to inunderstand you, you doubt the expe- ward through the liquid conductor. spect. The wretched man pointed diency of prohibition. You think it When first seen, the water spout was out several places where the scalp would be ineffectual in suppressing in- near the dam, and traveled slowly had been abraded in the operation, temperance. Let it be granted that across the pond until it reached the and a sort of crest which had been with a prohibitory law on our statute railroad trestle work, a distance of a left on the summit of the cranium book, or a prohibitory clause in our mile and a quarter from its starting rendered his aspect exceedingly gro-State Constitution, there would be no point, when it disappeared, and the tesque. The purpose of the outrage was less drunkenness in this State than cloud moved majestically off, carry- not explained From the circumstance there is now; would that fact be any ing with it thousands of gallons of of having left a long tuft on the top constitutional provision? If the fact the pond. The latter covering an tail, it was probable that Mrs. Dickthat the law does not suppress drun- area of 600 acres was, in fact, lowered ens designed converting her husband kenness be a valid argument against fully two inches. The huge column into a Chinaman. Notwithstanding the law, then this fact is now a valid which joined the upper region to the this extreme aggravation, the court Does the license law suppress drunk- cone in form, and rotated horizontal- fied in taking the law into his own enness? What proportion of the very ly with exceeding rapidity. The hands. It is this tendency to act men who are licensed are drunkards? marvelous speed with which the col- hastily on the impulse of sudden pas-There is certainly a large amount of immediately with the idea that it was harmony of familles. drunkenness in this State, and the associated with a whirlwind. This was most probably the case, as a tre- A HUSBAND FALLS IN LOVE WITH Now, is it possible for a prohibitory mendous wind passed over Augusta HIS WIFE. law to work less effectively in this re- from the direction of Langley some The Galaxy for September tells the spect than the license law does? I hours afterward. The heavens were following story : At the gaming table am versuaded that it is not possible, brilliant with incessant flashes of the duke of Richmond incurred a In the first place a license furnishes lightning after the spoul described debt of honor to Lord Cardogan, for the business a claim to legitimacy above had disappeared. There was which he was unable to pay, and it and thus makes it respectable. It al- no rushing noise connected with it, was agreed that his son, a lad of 15, so covers the whole stock in trade as is the case in some instances. The who bore the title of earl of March, with the protection of law. Were water underneath the clouds just be- should marry a still younger daughter the business prohibited and the stock fore the spout formed was in a state of of Lord Cardogan. The boy was sent made contraband is it likely that cap- great agitation. Waves rolled angri- for from school and the girl from the ital would be risked in the business? Iy and a perceptible bulge was seen. nursery; a clergymen was in attend-Would not the very passage of such a As the cloud halled a sort of funnel ance, and the children were told that law diminish the amount of sales? protruded from it and dropped slowly they were to be married upon the It certainly would diminish the down, becoming larger as it length- spot. The girl had nothing to say; amount of open, public sales. What- ened, the broader portion or base be- the boy cried out, "They surely are ever sales were made would be made ing at the surface of the cloud. When not going to marry me to that dowclandestinely, under restraint. The it reached a point about one-fourth dy !" But married they were. A ousiness would labor under difficulty, the distance between the cloud and post-chaise was at the door; the bride and it seems preposterous to say that the pond the bulge on the surface of groom was packed off with his tutor it would thrive just as well. There the latter rose to meet it, and the two to make the grand tour, and the bride are two objects to be accomplished by at length joined, when the water from was sent back to her mother. Lord a prohibitory law : the curtailment of the pond commenced ascending into the remained abroad for another the cloud, which moved slowly tow- years, after which he returned to Lonand the prevention of drunkenness ards the trestle work. The waves in don, a well-educated bandsome young in the future. There is a large class the water-all leaping and tending man, but in no haste to meet his wife, of drinking men who would be glad toward the spout-and the spout it- whom he had never seen except upon if it were impossible for them to get self continued the verticle motions the occasion of their hasty marriage. any liquor at all. While it is easy to referred to above. The outside of the So he tarried in London to amuse him get it they will continue to drink. watery funnel was dark and not well self. One night, at the opera, his at-They declare that they are too weak defined, while the centre was much tention was attracted to a beautiful to resist the temptation. They can- lighter, being rather a bluish cast. young lady in the boxes. "Who is not pass where the fumes of alcohol This would seem to indicate that the that?" he asked of a gentleman befill the air without falling under the column was partly hollow, the dark side him, "You must be a stranger power of an appetite which is become portions representing the sides. There in London," was the reply, "not to their master. Now, is it not fair to can be no doubt but that the immense know the the toast of the fown, the conclude that the majority of this quantity of water which was trans- beautiful Lady March." The earl class of drinking men would be sav- ferred from the pond to the cloud was went straight to the box, announced ed by the removal of this business out literally sucked up. The spout final- himself, and claimed his bride. The of sight, even though the business ly disappeared, as if it had been two fell in love with each other on were not entirely suppressed? Then drawn bodily up into the cloud, while the spot, and lived long and happily. there would be less immediate drunk- the latter quietly moved off to parts together; and when the husband unknown. Not a drop of rain fell died she also died of a broken hears But I conclude also that if the pri- during the occurrence or afterward, within a few months.

PROHIBITION.

prompt and immediate service. The The armament of the lugger con- into a French port, where she was suspends the life of these worms, cargo on board the craft that rounded sisted of four small pieces of ordin- sold, and the proceeds equally divid- they immediately regain it on being the mouth of the sheltering cove, was ance and one gun amidships, revolv- ed among the crew and officers, who plunged into water. The humidity of the soil effects the same change.

ject of the commander was to land it rior metal to that of any gun on Let us follow for a moment, gentle When the sound grain germinates, safely, and return from the main land board the York. From this instru- reader, the life of this captain of the the larvæ of the diseased seed are atment of death the missiles of destruc- Dolphin, this smuggler of the Isle of tracted to the young plant, live on its pulpy matter, forming tuttions on the

rounding the northern point of the ready had the foremast of the cruiser Still actuated by a love of adven- stem and leaves, and ultimately lodge his starboard bow a vessel whose indis- tarding the means of defence. The entrusted with a large merchant ves- The female deposits her eggs, from question exactly in that shape.

Editor Nebraska Advertiser. It is evidently becoming a living is-

For howho takes the papers, mys his bills when due, Can live at peace with God and man. with the printers, too.

THE SMUGGLER - OF THE -ISLE OF MAN.

the sloop not expecting his prey at few yards of each other: this hour, was not on the lookout for A PASSAGE IN THE LIFE OF PAUL JONES.

year 1773, previous to the ancrown, the inducements for | ed with the freshening breeze. "Mr. Merrick," said the captain, fast making large quantities of water. ig from that well known spot were of the most seductive character, when silence was no longer necessary, At this moment, the eye of the cappipe the crew to quarters, sir; I tain rested upon the person of one of giving employment to a few hardy have something to say to them, that bis own foremast men on board the and during spirits, whose large profits may serve as a rough night-cap even enemy-the truth flashed in a moin their perilous trade more than comfor these sea dogs." pensated them for the continued risk The wakeful crew, most of whom was accounted for, and there stood they encountered in their nightly voyages from the Island to the chores heard of the proximity of the stran- pling irons were ordered to be thrown lugger ! of the Solway.

ger, gathered quietly aft near the sa- and the boarders piped to duty; a few This island of the Irish Sea, once a ous for numerous freebooters cred precincts of the quarter-deck, hasty words from the commander of and smugglers, is now rendered a where they stood with their hats off the Dolphin, sufficed to inform his place of no small commercial import. and their hair waving wildly in the followers that the traitor of the crew ance, as well as forming a military night air. A well disciplined ship's was on board the York ; and headed highest rank in the American navy, and naval depot for the crowded crew look upon their captain with by their brave and daring captain, ranks and numerous fleets of the much the same respect as does a cour- the lugger's men leaped on the cruis-British army and navy. Its produc- tier upon his King, save that if possi- er's deck. tive soil and highly cultivated lands, ble the former is most profound, as is "Secure the traitor, and back with its-next cottages and admirable roads, the authority of his superior more ab- you all," cried the captain, pointing cture of modern improvements, solute,

imes it wears a lively and the island, in clear weather, crew, "most of you saw that strange at bay with his flashing sword. United Kingdoms

the laiter part of August, 1772, that a three-masted lugger was seen riding course ?"

at single anchor in a quiet cove on the st side of the Island. The craft front ranks of the crew ; "but shiver | ed to relate the particulars. might have been of about a hundred dark. asym

and care had been expended. Around ship?" her hull extended a line of red, bro-

waist showed that it was intended to ing eye of their captain. a breast work to those who Serve as

ger. Altogether you would have pro- a jealous eye. I never deceive you, accomplish against superior force. and employs thirty or forty men as nounced the lugger at first sight a sus- my men ; the traitor shall receive his The Dolphin sailed for the cove on decoys or "cappers." His operations picious looking craft, and unless she punishment, though I pursue him to the eastern side of the Island, sorely are bold and almost invariably succarried the King's commission, one the foot of the throne. Enough; to shattered in hull and rigging by the cessful. Only once in his life, so far most likely bent upon some mischief. your duty."

At the hour of which I write an in- The hours passed on-the busy The logger is again anchored in the ing, and that was at the hands of an

tinct outlines, alone discernible in the York carried sixteen guns, with a sel in the West India trade, as cap- 1,200 to 1,500, as many thousands be- You discuss prohibition. But, if I darkness of the night, appeared to be complement of about one hundred tain, in which capacity he led a lu- ing found in a single grain of wheat. those of a larger craft; at the same and fifty men. She was now unable crative and adventurous life for sev- The new larvæ remain in a desicated moment the look-out forward discov- for several moments to return the eral years, subsequent to which he state till the following season, and ered and announced a sloop of war constant and destructive fire of the visited and settled in America. On may be dried and restored to life sev-

contraband and valuable, and the ob- ing upon a pivot, which was of supe- were thenceforth disbanded.

ment across his mind; the treachery

The lugger held on her course till tion were so faithfully aimed, that al- Man.

lugger, the wreck of the foremast the breaking out of the war with the eral times with impunity. In France, The course of the Dolphin was having fallen along the larboard bat- mother country, his ardent love for when such grain is sifted, it is roastchanged two or three points more terry, being the side nearest the Dol- the principles for which our fathers ed in an oven and given to fowls. northerly, in the hope of passing the phin. Both vessels were so cut up in contended, led him to offer his serv- Steeping the seed wheat in solution of strange sail at such a distance as not their rigging as to make but little ices in behalf of liberty. He was ap- arsenic, or blue vitricl or animonia to be noticed by the crew. The effort headway, and were now rising and pointed captain of a noble vessel, the kills the parasite effectively. Placing argument at all against such law or water which had been drawn from head convenient for attaching a pigwas successful; the commander of falling on swells of the sea within a first of the American navy, and his the seed for twenty-four hours in a

was the hand that raised first her flag solution of one part of vitriol and 150 Several of the heavy shots from the upon the blue water. With this ves- parts of water is a favorite remedy. the smuggler. On board the well- lugger had penetrated the York's side sel, and others with which he was The presence of the field mice and regulated lugger all was silent as the at the water line, and a large number subsequently entrusted, he gained their numerous cousin is also rapidly argument against the license law: expanse of water below resembled a held that the defendant was not justiof the Isle of Man to the night itself, while every sail expand- of the crew of the latter vessel were some of the most brilliant naval vic- rising to the dignity of a plague. piped to the pumps, as the craft was tories ever won. Through his whole When the same little barbarians inservice there was one faithful follow- vaded France in 1856, Bousingsault ar, who never left him, and whose conquered them by steeping grain in Is not the proportion quite large? umn turned impressed the beholder sion that so frequently disturbs the protecting arm twice saved his life in an arsenical solution-two ounces of the memorable battle between the arsenic to one quart of water-stir-Bon Homme Richard and the Scra- ring frequently, allowing the grain to license law has not suppressed it. soak for an hour and then dry. Eight pis, the former of which he commanded. Regder, that follower was poisoned grains will settle a mouse, were already upon deck, having the traitor. In an instant the grap- the pardoned criminal of the Dolphin but care must be taken that it does

> Would you follow this commander still further ? Congress passed a pub-

CANADA BILL-THE MONTE KING. There was published in the Interwith one hand to the trembling vil-"My lads," said the young com- lain who had betrayed them, while Ocean on Saturday last an article pearance. From the highest mander, addressing his attentive with his other he kept a score of men, clipped from an eastern paper headed "Robbers on the Rail." One of the the visitor has a view of the three sail that we passed within the hour; After securing their treacherous parties mentioned was Wm Jones, of

do you know that nothing but treach- comrade, the Dolphin's crew retreat- Omaha, a man who has acquired a It was at the close of a fine day in ery could have placed that vessel in ed swiftly to their own vessel, amid national reputation as "Canada Bill." the direct track of the Dolphin's night the astonishment of the crew of the He is best known among his class as York, who had been taken complete- "The Monte King," and is doubtless "No, I guess you will not," said Mr "It does look mighty 'spicious, your ly by surprise, the deed being accom- the most skillful and successful shark B., when he was immediately fired

fore the Union Pacific was construct-

beautifully at their various "There has been treachery, I have two vessels parted. The Dolphin, as fident of his ability to win or so desseen against the sky, showed said; is there one of my crew that she fell astern of her antagonist, gave perately bent on making good his loss. her to be a craft upon whose rig time can tell me its penalty aboard this her one raking shot, which did fear- that he immediately staked the balful havoc upon her deck. The cap- ance of his fortune, some \$80,000; on "Death at the yard arm," sounded tain of the cruiser was forced to make another throw, when Bill was placed

open port, while the height and the crew, who shrunk beneath the pierc- was run aground in a sinking condi- been interrupted, he would have lost tion. Thus ended the fight between the money. Jones is a power in the

tion be not commenced at all, the tions of the spout are described as burdened with water, moved off without dispensing any of it in the form for future operations."

This is the way a Florida man ex pects to get a partner to his bosom. He advertises as follows: "Any gal what's got a cow, a good featherbed, with comfortable linens, \$500.00 in good, genuine slap-úp greenbacks, that has had the small-pox, measles and understands tending children. can find a customer for life by ritea a a small william ducky, addressed X. Y. Z., and stick in a crack of Uncle-Billy Smith's barn, jinin' the pig-pen, where Harrison Reed is now planning-

lic vote of thanks to him for his gallant fervice, endowing him with the grateful hearts of a free people.

honor," said an old seaman in the plished in far less time than it requir- in the west. Several years ago, be-

and fifty tons burden, though her my timbers if I believe we've got Regaining his own deck, the cap- ed, turned the highest trick on recw hull gave her the appear- any body on this 'ere craft but loves tain of the lugger now backed his ord-\$38,000. It was on a Mississippi being much smaller, while the saucy Dolphin and your honor topsails, while those that remained to steamboat, and his victim was a y of her spars and rigging, too well to play them a scurvy trick." the York continued full; thus the wealthy planter who was blindly con-

ken at two points on each side by an from the deep, gutteral voices of the all speed for the shore, when the York under arrest. Of course, had they not

"It is my duty," said he, "to watch the lugger and the man-of-war, show- city he has made his home-owns navigated the vessel in times of dan- over your interests and my own with ing what cool courage and skill can three hotels and a number of saloons.

as it is known, did he suffer a worst-

game.-N. Y. Herald.

On Wednesday night Milo Bying which this day is embalmed in the ton, of Elgin, dreamed that the barn of his brother-in-law, the Hon. Geo S. Bowen, was in flames, and so im

pressed was he by the vision that. having partially dressed himself, h seized his revolver and repaired to the barn. Hearing persons inside he se creted himself to watch operations when shortly two men came out and passed around to the south end of the building; Mr. B. followed and heard one remark : "Now, you go in and get the horse, and I'll fire the thing.'

upon. The fire was instantly returned with interest, when the fellows took to their heels, one of them say ng that he was hit. Both escaped and afterward a ball of rags saturated with kerosene was found at the end of the barn, together with matches. On the night previous several buildings were burned, resulting in damages of several thousand dollars, and

doubtless the work of incendiaries.

VALUE OF FODDER CORN. At a meeting of Massachusetts

Cheese Factory Association, Addison H. Holland, a Barro farmer, read an essay on fodder corn. With seventeen cows he experimented to see enness. what its value was in producing

milk; during the month of July he mary school be closed and the educa- The formation and subsequent moturned his cows into a good pasture after having fed them with fodder

stone walls, and regards it as a valua-

ble feed for milch cows, when well

A DREAM.

not do the same for barn-door fowl or [From the Aurora (III.) Beacon.]

dividual rather below the usual height crew had landed the cargo, and in the quiet cove, and all hands are piped to Iowa farmer, who deluded him into yet commanding in appearance, in a hands of confidential agents, it was witness punishment. The traitor paying for a wagon load of cheese one seaman's garb, with a broad belt soon hidden from the most careful who had betrayed the ship had con- day in Council Bluffs. The aroma of around his waist, into which was search of the revenue officers.

for getting under weigh.

execute his orders, enlivened by the Sea. tle.

fessed his guilt, and the price of his that cheese still clings to him, and is thrust a couple of boarding pistols. The greatest danger was yet to be treachery was found upon his person. the one sore spot in his memory no was pacing the quarter deck; in his encountered. The cargo landed, the The crew were at their stations, all one can touch without ruffing his hand he held a speaking trumpet, lugger must again sail for the shelter- save six seamen chosen by lot, who temper. The Omaha papers, about which at this moment he raised to his ing protection of the island; but the stood apart from their companions two years since, inaugurated a war lips and issued the necessary orders rising moon now threw its mellow with downcast eyes and trembling against the gamblers, and attacked and unwelcome light-unwelcome at forms, for they were the agents thro' Jones as the most prominent figure

King's cruiser.

Fifty as fine fellows as ever handled least to those on board the Dolphin- whom a fellow creature was to be among them. His misdeeds were so a mariin-spike, sprang cheerfully to across the heaving swells of the Irish launched, in cool blood, into eternity. raked up and paraded under "scare Those hearts of oak, that a few hours heads," that the half reluctant au-

shrill tones of the boatswain's whis- Hardly had the hugger got under since stood fearlessly at their guns thorities were obliged to look after weigh, before the cruiser was again dealing death and destruction around, him. The sheriff, after a tedious

While all was bustle and activity discovered lying midway between the and with blood flowing like water at week of unsuccessful watching, ia a short pasture.-Rural New Yorkabout him, the captain slowly prom- English coast and the island : the their feet, now trembled! A strange caught him one afternoon in the very enaded the quarter deck, presenting course the Dolphin steered, and in quiet reigned throughout the ship; act of fleecing a countryman, and the picture of a young hero. Blend- fact the only route she could take, even the wounded seamen below had took him into custody. Out of defered in his open countenance was the would bring her in full view of the suppressed their groans, and the tick ence to popular feeling he was orderspirit of daring, but yet of noble pur- cruiser, and within range of her guns. of the captain's watch could be heard ed to jail for twenty days. By a conpose; his mild, thoughtful eye belied The captain of the lugger viewed the at any part of the quarter deck. The venient technicality, his counsel prohis otherwise spirited appearance. dilemma with a calm and quiet coun- miserable man who was now to suffer cured his release on the thirteenth His form, as we have said, was rather tenance, giving his orders in a tone stood upon a gun, his arms confined day. He instantly departed for the below the ordinary height, yet he was that inspired those about him with behind him, and a rope around his farthest west. In just one week he handsome in figure, his person evinc- fresh courage. The two vessels were neck-the cord was roven through a returned, and meeting the city editor ing great power of endurance, with now fast approaching each other, block at the extreme end of the yard of the Herald on Farhnam street, trength and agility ; he might have when a coarse hail came down across arm, and reaching down again to the took him into a bar room and exhibbeen in age about twenty-two years. the water from the sloop-"what ves- deck, the opposite extremity was pla- ited a roll of money. "There's just

"We are brought to, sir," said the sel is that ?" The captain of the lugger, knowing Contemplating this arrangement for since I got out. Take suthin." The general in Central New York. Year- "no license," then, for that jurisdic- the above 4,181,760 cubic feet would cent bounty that he paid out every first lieutenant of the lugger to his that every moment he could gain in a moment, the captain said :

"Heave round, sir," was the very delay was of the utmost importance, "Why, men, next to mutiny, I again. Over night he had straggled the acre is the custom mpt nautical reply. "Heave and in the furtherance of his purpose to know of no blacker or more accursed into a faro bank and had lost every

run the gauntlet of the cruiser's sin than treachery; that man has be- cent of it. The stories that are told A sturgeon weighing 1,250 pounds, within a State when the prohibition only two men in America who make The anchor being raised and stowed broadside, made a mumbling and in- trayed us-may heaven forgive him of his shrewdness and folly (for he is measuring twelve feet in length and is uniform throughout that State, it a speciality of the manufacture of de breadth of canvass peculiar audible reply through his trumpet, so as I do at this moment; he was se- a man of weakness) would make a two and one-half feet across the back, must be more ineffectual when here hand-organs, and yet they still live, the lugger rig formerly so well that the querry from the sloop was duced from his duty in an evil hour, very amusing book. His dupes are was recently caught in the Columbia and there, throughout the State, there and are free from the fear of assassinknown in the Bay of Biscay and the put, "What answer do you make?" when under the effect of liquor-he is not always of the clodhopper sort. River.

scholar will never be made. And so, having made up a spectacle grand in corn, and they showed a large falling if the saloon be shut up, if there be the extreme. Nothing of the kind off in their milk. He then, through no place kept for young men to treat was ever before seen in that section. August, soiled them in the stable, and be treated to intoxicating drinks, The strangest part of the phenomefeeding fodder corn, and there was a they will be less likely to begin the non was the fact that the cloud, so gain in the production of milk. career of drunkenness. In September they were again turned

There is a class of men who would into the mowing (full feed) and they probably continue to drink, if, by any of rain in the neighborhood. fell off. Mr. Holland cures his means they could get the liquor. The following interesting statement corn by spreading it upon the

They are the men who would degrade was furnished by a gentleman who themselves to clandestine drinking requested Mr. Wm. Phillips, civil and who would perjure themselves to engineer, to make the calculation : cured. He thinks fodder corn the shield those who are guilty of carry- Area of mill poud, 600 acres ; depth best crop there is to bridge over a dry ing on the clandestine sale. But I of water diminished, 2 inches by a time with: fed sixty or seventy am unwilling to believe that this class water-spout, which prevailed for pounds per cow when they are kept is very large, and therefore, I con- about ten minutes. The superficial clude that the prohibition of the traf- area of one acre is 43,560 square feet; fic would diminish the amount of the decimal for the depth of two inchdrunkenness. es is 0.1666 of a foot; hence 43.560x

But now let us suppose that prohi- 0.16-6,966 60 cubic feet is the quantibition would not diminish the amount ty taken from one acre-and then 6,of drunkenness, then would local \$69.60x600 gives us 4,181,760 cubic feet option be desirable? What is local as the whole quantity taken from the option? If I understand it, it is sim- mill pond. The cubic root of this last ply the submission of the question of is about 161 feet, so a cube of that size "license" or "no license" to the peo- would nearly measure the quantity of

ple of a precinct or county. If they water taken off. This quantity would vote license, the usual course of pro- make a column ten feet in diameter,

The practice of salting around pear ceedings is followed by those who 53,243 feet high-rather more than ien ced in the hands of six chosen by lot. \$12,000 there," said he. "I made it trees to prevent blight is becoming want license. But if the people vote miles. At 621 pounds to a cubic foot. weigh 261,360,000 pounds.

Certainly, if prohibition is ineffectual in suppressing drunkenness

are precincts in which the traffic is ation.

"Dad, if I were to see a duck or the wing, and were to shoot it, would you lick me ?" "O, no, my son ; if would show that you were a good marksman, and I would be proud of you." "Well, then, dad, I peppered our old Muscovy duck as he was fly in' over the fence to-day, and would have done you good to see him drop."

A man who had saved the life of a daughter of a Boston millionairo teceived \$2.50 from the grateful parent. He was so overcome by the magnificent of it to seventeen organ grinders. to simultaneously serenade his bene-According to the census there are factor.

> The proposition to introduce ladies as railroad conductors is objected to in view of the fact that "their traine. are always behind."

We are pained to notice that papers taking our items, and appropriating them as their own, seek to palliate the theft by publishing a column of religious miscellany. This may look well enough in the eyes of Heaven, but it don't satisfy us. - Danbury News.

next morning he was moneyless ly applications of 400 to 600 pounds to tion, there is prohibition.