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GROHGE F. ALDRICH, Agent Birmincham.

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There have been "doin's" at the pleagaft home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burtraw the past week. Mrs. Anna Henry of Linden, Mich., and Mrs. O. W. Amerman of Waters, Mich., were the happy guests. During their stay here the guests, together with Mr. and Mrs. Burtraw and Mrs. M. D. Masters, visued the Detroit O. F. S. Schares, visued the Detroit O. F. S. Schares. traw and Mrs. M. D. Masters, vistied the Detriot O. E. S., chapter
No. 116, and were royally entertained. A pleasing event which
took place during the visit was the
marriage of Mrs. Amerman to. Mr.,
Mundy of thoi. This good ccuple
were made one by one of Detroits,
were made most popular clergymen in the pres-ence of their friends, and after supence of their friends, and after sup-per Mr. and Mrs. Mundy left for their new Ohio home.

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To run a newspaper all a fellow has to do is to be able to write poems, discuss the tariff and money question, umpire a base ball game, question, umpire a base ball game, report a wedding, saw wood, beat a lawyer, describe a fire so that the readers will shed their wraps, make a dollar do the work of ten, shine at a soiree, address an horticultural society, measure cloth, abuse the liquer traffic, test whiskey, subscribe to charity, go without meals, sneer at snobbery, wear diamonds, invent advertisements, overlook scandal, praise babies, delight pumpkin growers, minister to the afflicted, fight to a finish, set type, mold pubopinion, sweep the office, speak at prayer meeting and stand in with everybody and everything.

FASTÉR THAN THE "ERIE."

Expected Eastern States and Western States Will Make a New Record.

ew steamers, reasers of the states are rapidly nearing com-The Eistern States was ready ness the first of June, and her sister 1 be ready in a week or so. One of erworks have gazed in admiration a big pumping engines there. These ar-M horse-power each, and it would take it 10 of them to develop as much power he engine on one of these new boats

to do with normal steam pressure and number of revolutions per minute. The instant pressure or revolutions is increased the horse-power is correspondingly raised. In the Erie-Tashmoo race, the Erie's engine designed for 4.00 ran up to 8.00, while the Tashmoo's engine, normally 2,000, indicated as high as 3,000 man who designed all these boays is the best judge of them, and these boays is the best judge of them, and these boays is the best judge of them, and these boays is the best judge of them, and there boays is the best judge of them, and the produce of the present the property of the to tomage on the new boats is nearly the to tomage on the new boats in nearly the tot tomage on the new boats in nearly the tot tomage on the new boats in nearly the tot tomage on the new boats in nearly the tot tomage on the new boats in nearly the taken are much larger boats, and with the same ratio of horse-power to tonage should beat the Erie."

My little soon had an attack of whooping cough and was threatened with pneumonia; but for Chamberlain's Cough Deneumonia; but

Good That Men Do

conception.

Capf. Robert Richard Randall was
the founder. Toward the end of the
18th century he purchased a tract of
land in Manhattan Island, which to
land in Manhattan Island, which to
day comprises nearly 11 city blocks
by a will drawn up in June 1801, be
left this property to be applied to the
founding of a home for the care of
aged, decreptly and worn-out sallors
At its start the institution was capable
of carring for only 30 old sallors, now as start the institution was car of caring for only 30 odd sallors, it has 900 inmates. There are 50 buildings comprised in the h The property yields an annual in of \$380,000.

To be admitted to the Sailors' Snu Harbor one must furnish satisfactor evidence that he has sailed at leas five years under the flag of the Unite States, either in the merchant of naval service.



on Staten Island. In 1884 a monume o him was erected over his grave

tobert Treat Paine Has Unique Ideas on Subject of Charity.

The subject of this sketch was born in Boston sixty-six years ago, graduled from Harvard and spent two ears in foreign travel before he utided law. He was well established in the legal profession, when, some tripy years ago, he determined to bandon law and devote himself to the foremost in the organization of the Associated Charitles of Boston, hich has done so much to alleviate existence cannot be helped primarily by charity or philanthropy, but by co-

