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HAIL TO OUR COUNTRY.

Across the land from strand to strand... Hail to our country! Strong she stands...

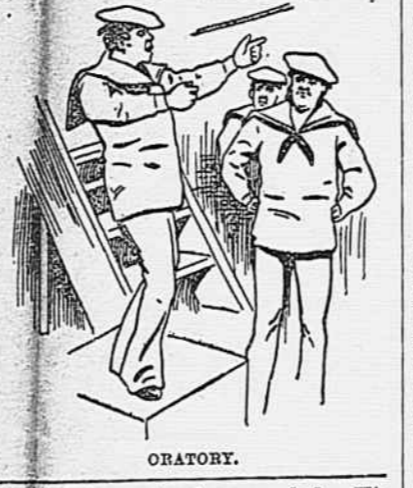
'AN AWKWARD FIX'

Chapoulot is a good-tempered and easy-going as one would expect in a man of sixty... 'AN AWKWARD FIX' continues with a humorous story.

JACK'S LIFE ABOARD. How Uncle Sam's Sailors Spend Their Leisure Hours.

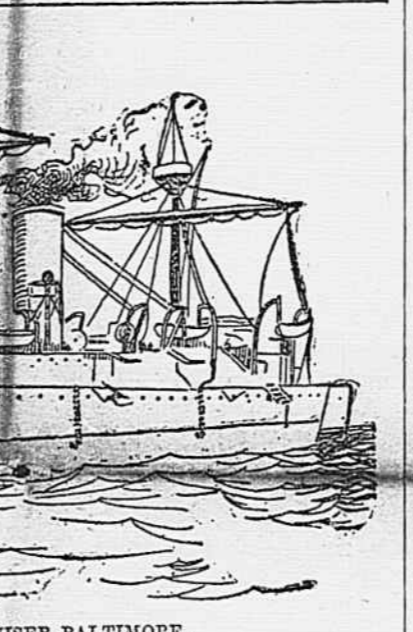
The enlisted man of the navy of the United States, says the Washington Star, is even more interesting as an individual and as a man of the flag than the enlisted man of the army... JACK'S LIFE ABOARD continues with a detailed account of a sailor's life.

and making a cheerful uproar not unlike the dancing bees still to be seen at some of the Southern cotton ports.



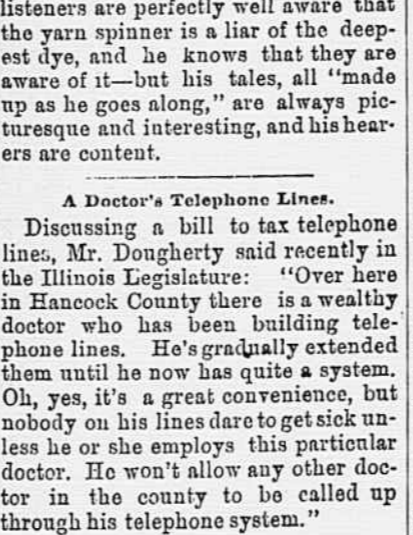
ORATORY.

It seems to me that a manager should receive pay in proportion to his ability to make the farm pay; and if he cannot make enough to pay expenses, including himself, and enough to allow a fair interest on the investment, he should not expect any one to furnish money not earned on the farm to pay him a large salary.



UNITED STATES CRUISER BALTIMORE.

Locations For Orchards. A dry, gravelly or sandy ridge is not a good place to plant apple or pear trees for profit.



DOING A STEP.

A Doctor's Telephone Lines. Discussing a bill to tax telephone lines, Mr. Dougherty said recently in the Illinois Legislature: "Over here in Hancock County there is a wealthy doctor who has been building telephone lines."

A Sixth Sense in Pigeons. Captain Renaud, the French specialist in charge of the military pigeon service, is a firm believer in a sixth sense in pigeons and other birds...



FARM AND GARDEN.

'book farming,' are practicing that way. The cow cannot change the proportions of her milk to any extent. As she was born to do so must she continue to do so.

A Petrified Snake. Near the Cascade, three miles from Susquehanna, Penn., a party of blue-stone quarrymen found a round stone projecting from the ground.

The Trouble with You. "The trouble with you," said Mr. Ruffledge's wife after a warm debate, "is that you are a confirmed dyspeptic."

Under the above heading Hoards' Dairyman says: Strictly speaking, the matter of feeding for milk is yet a long way from being an exact science.

Some Ancient Keys. Keys of iron and bronze have been found in Greece and Italy dating from at least the seventh century B. C.

The Part of a Friend. Honest men esteem the value of nothing so much in this world as a real friend. Such a one is, as it were, another self, to whom we impart our most secret thoughts...

'HEIMGANG.' As we go forth each hopeful, beckoning day... 'HEIMGANG' is a short story.

HUMOR OF THE DAY.

Chappy—"Ah! Miss Mand, would you give me a penny for my thoughts?" Mand—"You're exorbitant!"—Standard. "In the case of many a suspected murderer the innocent often suffer."