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### Once More the Threat to Close the Navy Yard.

A special dispatch to The New Orleans Times-Democrat, printed elsewhere in The Journal, announces that the navy officers to whom was assigned the task of discovering what reforms are necessary in the branch of the service to which they belong will soon make their report.

The report, as a whole, will be interesting; but Pensacola will be especially concerned by the announcement that one of the recommendations of these gentlemen will be the closing of the navy yards at Charleston, Key West, Pensacola and New Orleans. It has long been rumored that this recommendation would be made, and it seems but reasonable to believe a rumor backed by such strong evidence of its truth.

Of course the decision of this board of officers will by no means settle the matter. The question of closing any one or two or all of the navy yards named will be brought before the congress. There will, of course, be a hard fight put up—a fight whose result it is difficult to calculate. But it may be safely assumed that politics and pull will play no small part in congressional action. It certainly will, unless a wondrous change shall have come over the heart and the methods of the national legislature.

The fight, however, will not by any means be confined to the claims of the cities named as put forth by those who will work in their respective interests. It will be largely a battle royal between the naval authorities who wish to abolish these yards and the large body of congressmen who will resent such unjust and detrimental action—detrimental, because every day that draws the completion of the Panama canal nearer to a close makes more obvious to the observant mind the fact that a great naval base, perhaps the most extensive in the country, MUST be established on the Gulf of Mexico.

Fights of this character usually end in a compromise, and it is in the final adjustment of such compromises that, not always the best cause, but the cause that has the strongest backing and has been the longest and most insistently advocated comes out the winner.

So The Journal feels in duty bound once more to call upon those citizens of Pensacola who devote much of their thought and time to the development of West Florida's port of entry to wage a persistent and strenuous campaign for the protection of Pensacola's interests. There is much they will have to contend against; but, on the other hand, there is much they will have in their favor. The principal point which in itself should insure them a victory if properly insisted on, is the fact which no man may truthfully gainsay, that there is no port so accessible, so commodious and at the same time so well protected and therefore peculiarly adapted to the maintenance of a naval base as Pensacola.

But The Journal frankly gives warning that the time to commence the campaign is TODAY. "DELAYS ARE DANGEROUS" and, moreover, "A STITCH IN TIME SAVES NINE."

So far reports do not say if Mars is "wet."—Apalachicola Times.

No, but they do say it's "dry."

Florida turpentine men ought to be in high spirits when they meet in Jacksonville the 20th and 21st of this month.

Brother C. E. Howard makes his bow as editor of the Orange County Citizen, of Orlando. 'Tis gracefully done, with hand upon heart.

PRESIDENT SOUTHERN EXPRESS.  
 New York, Oct. 7.—T. W. Leary, of Atlanta, Ga., was elected president of the Southern Express Company by directors here today.

35 and 40 were assembled. The "supper," which was a success from every standpoint, began with the serving of a fine chowder, several of the ladies having kindly given their assistance in this particular feature. Mr. W. S. Garfield was appointed toast master, and after a few appropriate remarks, called on various persons present to address the crowd. Among those who spoke were Prof. B. Gillmore, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., who touched along the lines as represented in his branch of the work; Prof. John Bradford, of the boys' department, who used the "Boys'" of course, as his theme, and Secretary Sherrill, who discoursed on the Y. M. C. A. night school. Others who spoke were Mr. Frank L. Mayes, Judge W. B. Sheppard, Mr. C. F. Zeek, Judge E. D. Egges and Mr. Harry Hoppen.

Reports Untrue. London, Oct. 7.—Reports current that England is supporting Spain in the scheme of aggrandizement at the expense of Morocco were declared by foreign officers today to be untrue.

Imperfect Digestion means less nutrition and in consequence less vitality. When the liver fails to secrete bile, the blood becomes loaded with bilious properties, the digestion becomes impaired and the bowels constipated. Herbine will rectify this; it gives tone to the stomach, liver and kidneys, strengthens the appetite, clears and improves the complexion, infuses new life and vigor to the whole system. 50 cents a bottle. Sold by W. A. D'Alemberte, druggist and apothecary, 121 S. Palafox St.

NOTICE. I have decided to withdraw from the practice of law in order to associate myself with the Pensacola Contracting Company, with headquarters on the seventh floor of the American National Bank Building. I will of course give my best attention to all unfinished matters pertaining to my former practice.

Hatton Writes About the DeVillier St. Sewer Outlet

(Continued From First Page) of the manhole, the reason was quite apparent. It was caused by the rain water from Butcher Pen pond, which was then drained into the upper end of DeVilliers street sewer, but this has since been cut out. "I examined the settling basin at the foot of DeVilliers street last Friday and found it well filled with solid matter, saw Mr. O'Donovan about it and requested that he clean it out at once. He promised to do this and when done I think it will greatly relieve the situation, but I am quite

# Are You a Woman?

## You Need a Tonic

Weak women need a tonic, to build up their constitution. All women feel weak, at times, and then they need a tonic worse than those who are always weak.

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"I just want to say that your Cardui is the best medicine in the world. Last winter I wasn't able to do my work for 5 weeks. I couldn't stand on my feet but a short time, I had such bearing down misery. One day I got my husband to buy me a bottle of Cardui, and by night I felt like a different woman. I have now been taking Cardui for four months and cannot praise it too highly for the good it has done me."



Cardui, the woman's tonic, is a safe, harmless, vegetable extract, and should be taken by all women, young and old. Try it. It will help you.

# CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

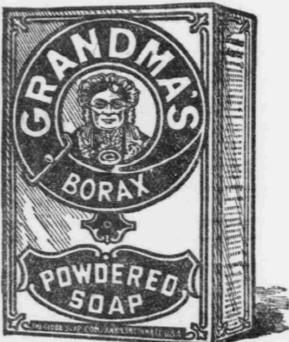
## Keep your hands young Many women of 30 have hands that look 50

This is due to the use of strong alkali soaps and common washing powders that women have had to use.

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Use Grandma—treat your hands right

sure it will not do so entirely, as I fear something has gotten into the main outlet pipe which has no business there, and which is affording a partial stoppage.

"This outlet pipe has been twice broken, and while we have had it repaired as best we could under the circumstances, we are not absolutely positive that some broken pieces of pipe are not remaining inside, as we had to employ a diver to do the work were removed. Not being divers ourselves, we had to repose confidence in him and he may have given us the facts but to me it has every indication that something is in this outlet pipe which should not be there.

"When I examined it on Friday last, there seemed to be quite a deposit of sand, or some such matter in the shore end of the pipe. This may con-

time much further in than I suspect.

"I also examined the cast iron outlet pipe on Friday, at the end of Ninth avenue, and found that this was working just as I had originally designed it to work, although the catch basin needed a thorough cleaning. Now these two pipes were laid with the same relative positions with respect to elevations and of like designs, and why one works satisfactorily and the other does not is more than I can say with my present information, especially in view of the fact that the Ninth avenue sewer is carrying much more sewage than the DeVillier street outlet. I would suggest first that an opening be made in the section of the terra cotta pipe at the foot of DeVillier street between the shore and the catch basin, and allow the DeVillier street pipe to drain out directly into the bay temporarily during examination. If this permits the land end of the pipe to lower, and empty, an examination can readily be made of this portion of the pipe. If any deposits are found therein, they can be easily removed.

"If the difficulty is not found in the shore end, I would advise that the cast iron outlet be rodded with one

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inch wrought iron pipe from the shore to the caisson. This operation will readily find any defect or temporary stoppage that may be in the pipe, and when found I think I will be able to recommend a method for its removal. In the meantime if the water creates a nuisance at the manhole at Zarragossa and DeVillier streets, I would advise that the top of the manhole be made water tight so that sewage will flow out under pressure.

"I would respectfully call your attention to the fact that the surface of the street at DeVilliers and Zarragossa streets is very low, it only being 11-10 feet above mean high tide in the bay, so that when the water in the bay rises 11-10 feet above mean high tide, the liquid is found to come to the surface at Zarragossa street; this of course is unavoidable and can only be overcome by putting a small pumping station at the foot of DeVillier street and operating it only when tide is high.

"I am very sorry indeed that I am unable to give you any better infor-

mation but I have endeavored to write you all I know myself about the matter, which is the very best I can do, and stand ready at all times to aid you all I can in overcoming the apparent trouble with this outlet.

"Very respectfully submitted by T. CHALKLEY HATTON, Consulting Engineer."

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