Rat-Killing Extraordinary.
The most extmordinary nt hilling
mateh probabily ever witheesed in thifecity maten probathy ever withemest in this iecity police siation recently. There is alt polire sataiton recootly. There is $a$ siaug
tor hoone adjoining it on the east tata hati burrowed beneath the sidewalle from the slaughter hoise Into the pellar of the station and thence found their way tuto the building, dofying the abie.bodied tom. cats and bolaly livviding the lodgiige rooms and nibbling the tees of the slum was the banqueting hanil for the rodentea decided to dig up hisa purement, fill up the were uncovered nud the Whenteren the latim magea, in numbersers sunfliciently labyrinthene to antitify a dozen Sylvanus Cobbs, were opened up, astream cf nots poured forth:
The buther, with the quickness of a tert or, smancthed rat nferer rat as they ran from Che boles nud dasted them ngainst the
brick wall. Ho contimued this lightuing work uutil he bad killed 185 in lese than an hour. Ho did not receive a wound while dentroy ling the pesta. Some or the police. men wio wituessed the slaughter offerec itition. $-P$ phlajer to kill rats at an exh

This moning, alout $40^{\circ}$ clock, Mr. $\Delta$ awakened from a wound sleep by bis youug Nowfaudland dog, who occupied the
same chamber with
limself. The dog aroused dis manater by leaping on the bued
aud pawing his five. Upon being fully reant aiarm, that his howee wen on the thit that his sleeping apartment was filled with
Hastily sescaping from his perilous posihiov, carrying his faithruil and intelligen with the aid of the fire depatment, the Iamee, whilh Lad origianted in the kitclien ose of $\$ 1,000$.
nd tur is confident that wot or the city, ug given by the dog he would towe warn ome by the smoke as to be unamict to stand Then canied into tho yard. The friends
fintelligeot brutes will be pleased toloarr te intelligenene dimpinyed by tim will no was instinet or reason prompted his actiones. - Philla. Star of I 16 th inst.

A Catifish's Deadyl Bite. Audrew Norman a prominent farmer
iving a few miles north of Newcomestom from the effects of what in sutical condition
 ow weoks ngo, and white holding a, buge
atfish it hoorued himm through tioo hand.Ho suddenty becamo very ill and his hand
oud arm began swelling to enormous proportions. Ho lis not sinco been able to
eave hits house and his sufferings are to. enve, his whole body at times being very kular part of the caso is that when Mr. with the torritiod thoonght that it would
 titi 'clings to him and he seems uaable ot
iveest his miut of the dreadfal conelusion.

The New come
Williaur R. Brooks, of the Red Horse uservatory, Phelps, N. Y., announces,
unte of August 15, that Schaelberles comet which, ut the time of discovery, aud
for some time aficr, was only visible in the cen in the cvening low down in the wort iorthwent. Guod observations were ob-
ained by me last evening and the evenirg is bright, large, and very diffused; the ail manow and straight, and pointiog the sun and earth about the twentifeth fint, may develop unusual brilliancy after it Rather Romantic.
A letter written from Salem Va saya
ne of the moat remarkable characters of the day arrived here on Friday night. Ho was no other than a colored man named When the war closed he found himsel cee and his oid master and mistress penn education while a siave, which to mado use of by eutering college and beeoming the knonledge thus gained M. D. Wit tuiment, the sale of which has netted tit $a$ fortane. While on the high road to prosparity he never lost sight of bis forme kept them uy in thiere former mityle of livin while they remained on earth. He the seoding thim to coiliege of their for then rozsonn I stylo William Key a remarkable man, beoulbe there are not many ex-blaven
fiat woald bave done aa be did. He car
ries thè ntrongest testamonialn I ever read. It is igigued by the Mayor of Sholbyville and the Clerk
county, Tenn.

Attempt to Wreok a Train.
Gasivgros, Texis, August 16.-A special to the Nents from San Antouio aays: yesterday to wreck an anter wan mad havivg on board 550 men, women and ehildren, by laying cross ties nerons the track. The traiu was golug at the rate of ing the the an hour, and the engine strik Five men whio them in every direction. catclier were badly bruised,

A Bad Woman.
Hiram Berry of Louisville took a young wife, though he is 70 . His sons and daughters made to much trouble on the
subject that the reluctantly obtained diverce, the claracter of the bride enabling But to regain bis freedom without difficulty, But he could not voluntarily give hier up,
after all, and at thie end of a few months sought to renew his courtalip. Sthe threw a can of concentrated lye thto bis fuoe burning him $\infty$ seriously that be may never nee again

What a Woman Dug For A policeman saw a woman digging in her garien at Paris, Ky, berore daylight,
She was not noted for induatrious tubits, and therefore he covertly watoled her until she brought out a box containing
$8-0,000$, the proceeds of a bank robbery.
tzr" Northifield, Mian., woman's big toe and worked through, coning out of the top of her foot in sixteen day.
Speaking of Governors ruggests the men-
tion of an tiem we received from Mr. Hem
ion ry A. Knight, Foremana at Charles Waters
it Co.s Goveror and Valve Works, Bos
on ton, Mass,: I have used St. Jacobs on emplogees and find that
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