

NEWLYN PETITION.

London --- coming up the Thames to Westminster is the fishing vessel Rosebud. She brings from the rocky coast of Cornwall a ~~deputation~~ deputation of fishermen, determined to present a petition to the Ministry of Health. They are protesting against the demolition of their picturesque cottages at Newlyn. / Moored under the eye of the Mother of Parliaments, they were welcomed by Mr Beecham, M.P. for St Ives.

GAS MASKS.

Hawkhurst --- at Dr Barnardo's Babies' Castle in Kent, officials of the Home Office Air Raid Precautions Department tested gas masks. Millions of these respirators are being accumulated by the Government, and the purpose here was to find out if the ordinary type was suitable for children. So now you see, it's necessary to have gas ~~masks~~ masks for babies --- what an age we live in!

CAT-PUTTER-OUT%

Washington --- they're mighty tough in the west, and apart from that they're full of ideas. The latest is a competition for husbands to see who can put the cat out quickest. ^ It's hard to say who is more crazy --- those who do it, or those who pay to watch it.