# A LIVE DEBATE.

Senator Tillman and Col. Towill Have a Hot Time.

### CHARGES ARE FALSE

Says Towill, and He Demands a Full Isvestigation of His Acts by the Legislative Committee. Senator

Tillman Says the Brice Bill is Unfair.

According to the reports in the daily papers the most exciting political the road he would be all right, and meeting held in South Carolina for the past twelve or fourteen years was held at Batesburg on last Saturday. The meeting was called to order by Dr. W. H. Timmerman, who intro duced as the first speaker H n C. H. Efird, of Lexington. Mr. Eitd made a good speech in favor of the dispen sary. Dr. Timmerman then presence

Senator Tillman, who was reselved

with applause. "I made up my mind before sreak ing at Marion that these specces are useless," said the sena or in or ninhis remarks, "but it will be off rent next summer." Hasaid he was here today on the invitation of the mayor and 60 or 70 other cit z ns to discuss the liquor questi r. The invi ation also stated that McL urin had been invited. He noticed that the invita tion contained one name with was underscored; it was that of John Bel Towill, whom all present knew. I seemed to him then, sadne, that this was a challenge to come to his home and say what he had said else where. "It appeared also that lathe invita tion to addres; you to a man with whom I had had in unpisasantness there was an impined challenge that I would not be here and would to ac cused of being atraid to m et nim." "I sever say any thing toas I would

not say to a man', tee h. It is a citi zen's right to ask allybidy to speak. I have no reason to fe I but that ail have respect and g - d feeling for me but I or jot to belig pieced on the same plane with a man who has betraved his trust as a Democrat, a man who in Washington is no longer regarded as a Domocrat I grew a littie small and lodignant." He said be had obeyed orders as a public servent and had maintained the truss imposed in him as dresented the impliestion by which he had been placed on a level with a man who had betrayed his trust. He had said to his teeth what he thought about his (McLaurin's) action.

This is a Democratic question we are to settle," he said with some warmth, declaring that ne would not debate the dispensary with Republicans. I am a Democrat and it is a part of my business as national committeeman to keep the party in line in South Carolina. I resented the invitation because McLaurin is not my equal. He is not my equal as a Democrat, whatever else he may be. (Applause.) Here the Senator took up the dispensary. He said but for the good women the men would have lost the seed corn of genuine religion. Don't believe in voting out the dispensary, said he, that you will get rid of liquour.

rather fall off and break his neck than to straddle any proposition. The office of United States senator, said he, returns to the people when his term expires and they could then do as they "A man on the fence in 1892 had

the dogs after him on both sides," he remarked. A majority of the people had never asked for prchibition. Pecprohibition and 48,000 voted against beyged him in God's name not to do it or did not vote at all. He argued with Childs and Nettles to accept the dispensary bill, which was passed. It any responsibility was needed for this he would take it. Well, close it up," said a voice in

the audience. "I don't know what part you had

to do with it, but I was down yonde: in charge." He said he was charged with making the dispensary a political machine during his s. cond term agoverner but he needed no political machine, as he was then going out of office. He had received a greater majority for governor than any other man except H.mptcn. Boys, we'll see 'em next year; and

we'll settle this question," shoule the Senator. He knows where his dependence is-upon the plain, com mon people. 'P litteal macoin ! the Democratic primary is the only ma chine I need," sa d e. He said that only one-third of the D-mocratic vote had been polled in the five counties which had voted out he dispensary. Taki gup the matter of pelisions, he said anytody could - ga a petition. even a free "ninger," but any hody

couldn't vote. Te que sion will be settled next su an er when all wait. men will be attic to vote. They hav tried sxt:m-s to kill the dispensary and had falled.

One of the bost men in Sout Carolina who has fiered for office. good Confederate soldier, would have been elected six years ago but for the fact that he was on the probabilities ticket. That man was Col. James A. Hoyt."

He said the opponents of the dispensary had been preparing for this ted to speak with him. fight for 12 months while its friends were picking cotton and let it go. a candidate next year for the United Greene opened a door and jumped from years old was plowing in a field near offer as witnesses, J. N. Clanton, G. "So help me God I will see there fel-States Senate, and he would then distince was unable to run the house at the time of the killing B. Edwards, J. S. Floyd and J. K.

next summer," he cried. This investigating committee has stated that he was ready and eager to been going about the State routing go before the dispensary investigation up a few thieves and Lyon and Christensen made into demigods. they try to get the board of direction that written the chairman of the com-tors?" he asked. "They have failed mittee his willingness to appear before evening at his bome at Millwood, in to call them but may do so later. them in the capacity of a witness. What have they tried to find out about the Richland Distilling com- speech the Hon. C. M. Efird arose and relied shotgun which nearly tore the posses in search of the murde; er. It Y., who was arrested last week, chargpany, which has been selling eight paid a high tribute to the honesty, head from the body. The assassin is supposed there were two of them. ed with robbing mails, committed sulyear old liquor made only six months character and integrity of John Beil fired at Murray while he was seated Dogs have been sent for. ago? They have been looking for min- Towill, and by that means endeavor- at his table eating supper, through a nows, allowing the big fish to swim ed to pour oil on the troubled waters. hole in the door, and made his escape.

please." State board because they have tram- had been in since 1892. He also said Roberts.

longer. It was not his business but flection on his character.

the governor's. The board says in its advertisements that no bid for X liquer for less than \$1 50 will be received. Towill-"Senator Tillman, that is false; you know that is not so." Tillman-' You get the advertise-

ment then and pove it." Towill-"God knows what you di when you went to Cincinnati!" Tillman-"1 didn't go to Cincinhave the money to pay for it.

"What about the request books, Mr. Towil:?"—the reply was lost in the noise which followed.

Senator Tillman then said he had that if he would get in the middle of inspires. of to do, but that he had played the devil de ing it.

Mr. Towil' arose and said somethg which was not heard by the coring."

"I am not here for any man, but or a great issue which concerns every me in South Carolina. The bars ave been let down one by one until the cows have got in and ruined the whole business," said Tillman. Referring to the famous labels, the

Senator said they contained the names of the board and next Japuars if one f the directors failed to be reclected telbl soil te worthles. Mr. Towill interrupted the speaker

and sain: "You recall in that same conversation we had on the train, you asked why we cidn't out out those cheap case goods, that they were urting the dispersor,?" fillman-"Well, why didn't you do

Towill-"Y u have made statements bout those labels and I want so explain myself. I stated what y u had said to the board and asked them to c t : u c eap c se g ods and n. more was bought after that. 'Out Crow,' 'Oc J -,' 'Rully Boys' and such bran s were d scarded. With montus "

Tilmar - War did y u buy \$500 000 more than the law allowed? W. dien't you shut 'em up (wearing she beard) because they couldn't make you do your duty." Continuing, Tillman said that if all

the people who dripk vote for him no would never want for office. At this juncture Rev. D. M. Padgett, the aged minister, with long white beard and weak of voice, interrupted the speaker, asking him to let

"Then let up on me." A sharp colleguy followed. The remainder of Tillman's speech was along lines which have heretofore been published.

At the conclusion of Senator Tillman's speech Mr. Efird arose and in a few conciliatory remarks declared that he believed Mr. Towill's actions had been straight and entirely honest and requested the sudience to remain York before had it not been that his seated and give Mr. Towill a hearing. he urged them to go home ifter which and prepare for the fight.

### MR. TOWILL'S REMARKS

Stepping upon the platform, laboring under much and tement, Mr. Towill declared the an had no personal He then made a jocular reference feeling agains to ator Tilman; was as to what Mr. Efird had said about sorry that he he lost his head and being a straddler, declaring that he would not do it again. He believed had never been on the fence in poli- Tillman had the interest of the disties. The only fences he had ever ponsary and South Carolina at heart. been on were those in crossing fields His people knew him and he was satwhen he was a boy. He said he would isfied to abid their verdict. Tillman's statements had brought edium upom him and the board. He wanted the investigating committee to bring the board before it and make a thorough investigation. When the present bourd wert into office there was \$250,000 old stock in hand and the dispensary ower \$500,000. The board had not bought quer in months by reason of the enormous purchases of the old board. ple and newspapers had lied about it Mr. Bookin and himself had thought In 1892 40,000 people had voted for seriously of resigning but Mr. Tatum

> Tillman-"It would have been beter for your reputation."

Rouming Mr. Towill said he had ever asked a member of the legisla ture to vote for him and had not spent dollar to be elected. Members had asked him if he didn't intend to solicit votes and he had told them no With \$250,000 old stock on hand we had to make some new purchases to keep up with the trade," he said. Tillman-"If the old board unload-

d a hot poker on your hands make hem exp'ain it."

not been asked.

er have I been b ibed. I am not one dollar richer and the prople of Bates ure kn wi." D Timmerman then announced the

mee i ga jure'. Ex Seretor M Laurin had been invited to so as a so but he had delices. to his spic Sastor Tulmin bitter v assailed the newspapers, naming the N ws and Courier but The S atportionar, fir their attacks upon oim. "Tat cell hound in Columbia. who is e iter of The State, has told enough lies on me to build a railroad of crossiles to bel ," declared Tillmon a one of his beared moments. Till

The Senator stated that he would be every stump in the State. He also committee as a witness. He had told "Did two of that committee personally and citizen of Ware county, Ga., was as-

is considered it an insult to be invit-

said to the governor to remove the said this was the warmest meeting he an accessory to the murder of young suicide compact with the woman, fail-

pled the law under foot and ignored he believed John Bell Towill to be an many roints in the law. They don't honorable gentleman, and he did not buy under the competitive system any in his remarks intend to cast any re-

### THIRTEEN TRAGEDIES

Occurs in One Indiana Family in a Few Years

was accidentally killed last week while leaflets are printed by the National hauling logs near Rochester, Fulton Audubon society at its headquarters, county, ludiana, is the thirteenth but many of them are written and nati, besides I had only \$25,000 to buy tragic death in one family. Four edited by Southern writers. iquer for the whole State; I had to members were murdered, three combuy liquer on credit becase I didn't mitted suicide; three died in insane one of the instructors at the State as: jums and three died by accident.

occurred within the memory of many pe sons who have lived near the family, has awakened a feeling that a ern birds for a great many years, and from the rural districts" fight any met Mr. Towill on the train shorely strange fatality attends in some way after his election on the beard and to the place and the house is now unhad congratulated him, telling him occuried because of the fear that it be of interest to the teachers and have ever had from the National The first of the family were Abra-

Towill said that was what he intend- ham Cripe and his wife, industrious people, and grandparents of Samuel Horn, who has just met death. Mrs. Oripe became discontented and wished to return to Germany. After repeatrespondent, to which Tillman replied: ed refusals by her husband she be-I haven't charged you with steal- came deranged, set fire to the barn and died in the building.

Mr. Cripe's sister fell dead while were sent to the teachers who joined better safeguarded by the \$9,000,000 raking leaves in the yard. In an investigation that followed it was shown that Mrs. Cripe the day before her leaflets will be prepared and sent to battleships and fortifications. The on the head with a whetstone, and it is, for the teachers to get the chil- mand the extension of the rural mail was from this blow that she died.

In a few months Lucan Cripe showed signs of insanity, and soon afterward was found dead in the woods, imb. Elias Cripe, a brother of Lucan up n receiving a large amount of found murdered in his barn one morning. The identity of his assailant val not discovered.

Windin two years George Crips was of Elias, were taken to an insane asylum, where both died in a short time Fre series of tragedies culminated in month. D.c. mber lest in a triple murder and saicide. Wilson Barns, who had married a daugnoter of Abraham Cripe those labels with bought it was est then murd rid Joseph Cripe and Marturned the gun on himself and killed hims f Sanuel Horn was the last of the lamily, save two.

### A BIG SYNDICATE

President Jordan and Secretary

Harvie Jordan, and Richard Cheatham, secretary of the Southern Cotton association, arrived in New York on Saturday and have since that time up on the preachers, to which Tillman been in close consultation with the capitalists who are interested in the 1, 000,000 bale purchasing syndicate project. John Martin, agent of the Farmers' Union, is also in New York, and is interested in the same matter.

Although the plan was not formally presented at the Asheville meeting. Mr. Jordan has been in constant communication with those interested since that time. He would have been in New many duties detained him in the

The project seems to meet with the hearty approval of all those who are interested in a higher price to the cotton producers for his staple, and it is said that the New York capitalists who are interested in the matter have their money ready and are willing to at once put up \$1,000,000 if it is deired to bind themselves to carry out their part of the project.

Mr. Jordan is very confident that the farmers will hold for 11 cents anyway, but thinks that this purchase sandicate would insure an 11-cent minimum price,

The plan, as has been explained before, is an agreement between a syndicate and the Southern Cotton Assowhich the syndicate agrees to buy 1,-000,000 bales of cotton at minimum price of 11 cents a pound. The associamembers, each man selling only a part Gary at the point of a piston and rob of his crop to the syndicate, and holding the rest for the minimum price.

The project, which is a most elaborate one in its details, and which ould make the syndicate the biggest and most powerful spot cotton factor in the world, has been submitted to some of the leading financiers and cankers of New York and approved by them. It is expected that an important announcement will be made in the matter in a few days.

### Fought In a Car.

John E. Ryan, of Chicago, a Pacific express messenger on passenger train No. 13, and Edward Greene, also of Mr. Tobill said he was ready and Chicago, a former express messenger, the board was ready to go before the fought with pistols in Ryan's car nies gaing committee but they had roursday. Both were seriously wounded and may die. Conflicting "I hold dear my good name," said stories are told by the combatants, Mr Towid, "and I would ratter be Greeke says that he got on the ex astreemed by Bateshurg pe ple than to pross car, intending to go to Pittsnove any office in the gift of the peo hild, to visit relatives. He was an ole. I have not been do suched reith old friend to Ryan, Greene claims, permitted him to ride. Greene says he assisted Ryan with the express a ter and that they began drinking. lokes led to a quarrel and Greene says ne and Ryan Grew pistels at the same Gre no junged in for the purpose of Edus, Tex., Thursday. The mother y to R an ther clinched and both of bodies brutally disfigured. ten with revolvers drawn, rolled on their feet in a short time and the about 100 yards away. duel continued until the train reached the outskirts of Decatur, Ill., when

## A Georgia Murder.

this county. Murray was shot in the family killed. Officers were informed At the close of Senator Tillman's back of the head with a double bar- at once and the entire county is out in of years a letter carrier in Utica, N. about and escape. The legislature has John Bell Towill declared most em- Murray was about 38 years old and left the conduct of the dispensary in phatically that he had never taken a leaves a wife and one child. He was Long was found Thursday in a room the hands of three men who do as they rebate and as to his character he would under bond in connection with the at the Burlington Hotel in St. Louis. leave that to the people who knew murder of a young man named Horace She had committed suicide with mor-He called the editors who have been him. He was willing to undergo the Roberts, in this county, some two phine. "Bert" Grimm, her fiancee, rears ago. A true bill was found who was with her, is under arrest ing to keep his agreement.

### TO PROTECT THE BIRDS.

Superintendant of Education Mar. tin Engaged in a Good Cause.

Superintendent of Elucatian Martin, as secretary of the South Caro lina branch of the Audubon society, yesterday sent out about 4,000 leaf- out in striking fashion the growth of lets to the members of the education-The death of Samuel Horn, who aldepartment of that society. These

Mr. T. Gilbert Pearson, who was summer school, and who is secretary This series of tragedies, which has of the National Audubon society, wrote quite a number of them. Prof. Pearson has been a student of South the information prepared by him, as well as by other writers, vill certain- It is the greatest boon our farmers otudents. Each leaflet contains a Government-and the rural half of picture of some well known bird, and our population certainly deserves some also a description of it, giving its hab- consideration. But it is not realits, its food and its value to the farms and gardens. In the list sent out yesterday were quicker communication between all

leaflets on the robin, the blue tird, sections, every class of people is benethe meadow lark, the flicker or yel- fited. low hammer, the sparrow hawk, the owl and mang of the most common that the real prestige and power of Two weeks after Mrs. Cripe's death and most useful birds. These leaflets America is far more strengthened and the society during the state summer spent for rural mail delivery than it school at Clemson college. Other would be by twice that sum spent for suicide, had struck her sister-in-law them from time to time. The plan interests of the entire country dedren interested in the preservation service, and it should be extended, and study of birds. The teachers even if it does involve the painful and pay a small membership fee, which unusual proposition that the farmer covers the postage on the bulletins, where he had been struck by a falling and these bulletins are put in the heavy tariff and revenue taxes he is school library and furnished to the called upon to pay. children, and thus the whole school money for his part of the estate, was may get information contained in Farmer and Cotton Plant, we say each one. Miss Minnie Macfeat, of most heartily amen. It would be bet-Winthrop College, is chairman of the ter for the country and the whole committee on membership. This world if some of the millions now membership is not confined to teach- spent on the navy and army was spent killed by a tree falling on him, and ers. Any one else who joins the so- on building up good roads and res on after said Jay and Clark, sons of clety will receive the bulletins as claiming the waste lands. Every dolthey are sent cut from time to time. lar spent on the rural mail delivery is A new builetin is prepared every money well invested. Instead of cur-

of the birds of the state will lead to a States is reached. Reduce the exbetter preservation and protection of penses of the army and navv, but let killed his vife with a shotgun and them. The legislature, at its last session, passed an act which is genermated hat they would last about 15 garet Bonbam, an aunt. He then ally known as the Budubon act, for the protection of birds. This same law has been enacted in thirty-two other states. The object of the Audubon society is to promote this pro tection and preservation by intelligent study. They think that this study in the schools will lead to more A permanent organization of the Audubon society was effected at Clemson and the educational department is only a branch of it.

### AN ERA OF CRIME.

Thugs and Highwayman Busy in All Parts of the State.

The Spartanburg Journal says South Carolina seems to be infested with a gang of bold and daring foot- The wheat crop is estimated at 704,pads and highwaymen, whose recent | 000,000 bushels; oats 930,000,000 bushbia compare with the capers cut by 283 000,000 bushels; barley 135,000,the notorious outlaws that infested | 000 bushels. the West, just after the settlers the Charlotte Chronicle, in commentcrossed the Mississippi river.

The work of the thugs at the Spartanburg junction last Friday night ever known." And it continues: when they attacked Engineer Will On the same night another caper of the point of the pistols forced Engineer Belue to run his train at a reckciation and the Farmers' Union, by endangering lives of the crew and crew

of other trains. Columbia, on one of the principal resition will obtain the cotton from its dent streets held up Judge Earnest bed h:m of a \$100 gold watch and \$28 in cash. It was a nervy piece of work on the part of the night volture. In other parts of the state bold and daring work has been practiced by thugs.

with the cash. The cities of South Carolina are

### FAMILY KILLED.

the Mother and Daughter Assaulted

Mrs. A. J. Conditt and four childime. Rad's story is that he did not ren, a daughter of 13 and three boys e- Greene in the car until the train aged from 6 to 10 years, were murderr acced Cerry Gordo. Believing that ed in cold blood at their home near robb-ry S. an fire? at bim. Accord- and daughter were assaulted and their

about on the car floor. Finally sepa- only one left alive. All of them seemed and waited for the other to expess instrument, their heads were crushed himself. Just as the train was near and their throats cut with a knife or man paid his respects to Former Sen- Decalut, Ryan says, he and Greene razor. The girl and mother were killed

The person informed ran to the place and found the five members of the

The dead body of Mrs. Nellie West

THERE is but one editor in the Ohio delinquent subscriber.

RUSAL MAIL DELIVERY. Wonderful Growth of the System in

this important branch of our postal service. "The net loss of the system exchange. "This seems rather a high

> Away back, when you were a little girl, she kissed you when no one else was tempted by your fever-tainted breath and swollen face. You were not as attractive then as you are new. And though those years of childish sunshine and shadows she was always ready to cure by the magic touch of a mother's kiss, the little dirty, chubby hands whenever they were injured in those skirmishes with the rough old world. And then the mid-night kisses with which she routed so many bad dreams as she leaned above your pillow, have all been on interest these long long years, "Of course, she is not so pretty

and kissable as you are; but if you had done your share of the work during the past ten years, the contrast would not be so marked. Her face has more wrinkles than yours, and yet if you were sick that face would appear more beautiful than an angels as it hovered to minister to your comfort, and every one of those wrinkles himself is to get back some of the would seem to be bright wavelets of sunshine chasing each other over the dear old face. 'She will leave you one of these

is a young woman, Mary Money,

whose body was horribly mutilated.

A long veil was tightly wedged in her

mouth and the police are confident

the woman was murdered in a com-

To Sztisty His Wife.

"No it isn't. I heard a man down-

"Isn't it rather late to be out of

"You're too late, anyhow, because

"O, that's all right. I'd like to ask

"Stay here until my wife can come

Revolting Cruelties.

Died Playing Cards.

Robert Millious, an old railroad man,

Tuesday night to three friends with

whom he was plaving pinechle at

Bridgeport, Conn. He had just melded

uttered a moan, threw back his head

and died. The game had been close,

and Millious' score stood 960, needing

establishment when he died.

Blown to Piecez.

At Cincinnati, Ohio, William Bell,

a guard at city workhouse, was blown

to pieces by the explosion of a box of

dynamite, which he tried to open with a hatchet. Bell was in charge of a

gang of prisoners in the stone quarry.

"I've won the game, boys," said

replied

"A-er-a-little bit,"

"What is it?"

To the above, from the Progressive down. Those rough, hard hands. that have done so many necessary things for you, will be crossed upon lips, that gave you your first baby kiss, will be forever closed, and those sad, tired eyes will have opened in tailing the system it should be exeternity, and then you will appreciate It is thought that a careful study tended until every farm in the United your mother: but it will be too late!' Brutal Murder Mystery. the rural mail delivery alone. London has another murder mys-

### A YEAR OF BIG CROPS.

pended upon to fight any proposition

And well may "the Congressmen

proposition to discontinue the service.

ly in the interest of farmers alone.

By the promotion of intelligence and

We have no doubt in the world but

to discontinue free delivery."

Let Us Be Thankful to God for A Bounty.

partment of a train on which she was But not only is this a season when traveling and her body thrown from the heart is made glad by the beautithe car. The fact that none of the general study and observation in the ful in Nature, but again too, we share doors of the train on arrival at Red know any more than a jack-rabbit had him took Bauldrick to his mother's holmes, on the farms and elsewhere. the joy of the Psalmist as he looked Hill, were open is considered to prove out on some September scene in old | conclusively, that it was not a case of | suicide. Miss Money left home Sun-Palestine centuries and centuries ago: day evening saying she would not be 'The pastures are clothed with flocks, and the valleys are covered with corn. Thou crownest the year with thy goodness, and thy paths drop fatness." For indeed this is a year of plenty. stances the young woman entered the All the great staple crops have yielded bounteously, except cotton—and the price for that is too good for there the case, the murderer disappeared to continue in the good old way, and to be much discontent as to the shortage. Our American corn crop this year. furnish no clue to the crime which it is said, will be 2,717,000,000 bushels. could not have occured anywhere bus in a railroad car divided into isolated compartments such as is used on Britoperations in Spartanburg and Colum- els; rye 30,000,000 bushels; potatoes ish railways.

"The highest previous corn yield Clarke and his fireman, Vance Hart, was 2,523,000,000 hushels. Only in mildly that it was immagination. both of whom were knocked in the 1901, when it was 748,000,000 bushels, head, for boldness and daring is un- did the wheat crop go above the 1905 stairs." paralleled in history of Spartanburg. yield. Oats never beat this year's figures except in 1902, when the output went down. To his surprise his wife's detailed at the bridge to apprehend wild and wooly west proceedings was was 988,000,000 bushels. In 1901 and suspicions were correct Seeing that the burglars. When the latter and indulged in, according to reports, 1902 rye went a little above the year's he was unarmed, the burglar covered when a man armed with a brace of level. In 1904 barley beat the 1905 him with a revolver and became quite the wagon and ran away. The police pistols boarded a through freight output by about 4,000,000 bushels, sociable. from Spartanburg to Asheville and at Potatoes have several times scored higher totals than they did this year, bed?" he remarked. but averages of the cereal crops for les rate of speed to Melrose, N. C., 1905 are much above that of an pie- John. vious year. And while cotton may be short, the prices the farmers get will I've dropped everything out of the On Saturday night highwaymen in average as good as that of the previous window, and my pals have carried them year. Taking all things into consider- off." ation, it is reasonable to say that the present year is a year of plenty, and one favor of you, though."

#### let it go at that." Broke Up His Functal.

At Patterson, N. J., all arrangements had been made for the funeral Here in Spartanburg several month of Frank Hennessey, a son of Mrs. be disappointed any longer." ago, it will be remembered, that a Mary Lyons, of 68 Marshall street, business man was knocked down and this city. Insurance papers had been robbed while on his way home from signed, mourners had gathered, and his place of business. On another oc everything was in readiness for the port of the late Count de Brazza upon dicate that he believed if Newton signed the original testimonial. casion burglars entered a green gro- rites, when Hennessey turned up, ac- his investigation of charges against married again his second wife would cery establishment, rolled the iron companied by his two brothers, officials of the French Congo, is said support him, but as much was presafe out of the pack door and after thoroughly alive. He pleaded ignor- by the Matin to contain grave charges sumed from his decision in the case. smashing it to finders with a cold ance of a telegram which his mother against the governor, Emile Centil. Newton is well known. In his counchisel and sledge hammer made off had received from Saratoga last Wed- The cruelties alleged against him are ter suit he alleged that his wife ill nesday and which read: "Your son hanging up women by their feet till treated him, and asked that she be the Adamson home Wednesday morn-Frank has died here Wednesday. Send they died and ordering negroes clubed ordered to pay alimony. Mrs. Newteeming with vagrants and in many for the body." He said he did not to death. It is stated that he is re- ton is wealthy. of the towns a vigorous effort is be- know who sent the telegram. On re- sponsible for the sacrifice of an enoring made to chase the idlers and loafer ceipt of the telegram the two brothers mous number of natives. Count de out of town or put them on the rock of the supposed dead man went to Brazza was ordered last February by Saratoga to get the body. They found the French government to proceed to the Chicago Fulton Street Methodist fire but could do nothing. It was Hennessey sitting on the veranda of a the Congo district and investigate Episcopal church, in his sermon Sun- with great difficult that the mother hotel. He had been there since the charges of irregularities and brutality day made a spirited defense of the use was restrained from throwing herseif racing season. Undertaker Nichols against the officials. He performed of tainted money for religious pur- into the flames. Elward Adamson, had been engaged to receive the body his mission, but arrived at Dakar; at the railroad station and the house | Senegamdia, September 13, in a critiwas in mourning. When the young cal condition of health, and died Sepman appeared in the flesh the trap- tember 15, thus ending a glorious pings of woe were removed and the and useful series of African explorarelatives and friends united in celebra | tions. ting his return.

### Dargan Presented.

A special from Darlington to the State says: The Darlington grand jury A baby about two years old was the made the following presentment: "We, the grand jury, present Pegram four aces, when he fell on the table, rating each soughe shelter in the car to have been killed with some blunt Dargan for abiding and abetting Robert Keith Dargan in taking his own life, by procuring and giving to his ator John L. McLaurin, saying that fired and both went down, but were in the house, the boys were killed brother, Robert Keith Dargan, carool-played the four aces the excitement of of settlers in German East Africa are the bomb. The object of the attack ic acid and other drugs, with which Mr. Conditt was away working in he took his life on the 11th day of for his heart. It is a strange fact prospect of a long and costly campaign shop on the ground floor. the rice fields. A negro boy about 12 July, 1905, in Darlington, S. C. We that he had often playfully remarked are being reckoned. The character lows on every stump in South Carolina cuss the dispensary question from and was found an hour later by the and heard the children screaming; he Doyle." R. K Dargan was president che player. He was playing cards in Maj. Gen. Leutwain of his appointment of the care was unable to run the house as the dispensary question from and was found an hour later by the saw a man running after a woman, of the Independent Cotton O.1 Comp- the back room of an undertaking ment as governor of the colony has who was running around the house. any, and of the Darlington Trust Co., Being afraid to go to the house he ran institutions which have recently fail-Mr. David H. Murray, a well known to a neighbor's and told what he had ed. Dargan committed suicide in July by taking poison.

Frederick C. Pope, for nearly a score cide on a street corner Thursday morning by taking carbolic acid. His body to the coroner stating that whiskey had been the cause of his downfall.

KISSING MOTHER,

A Short Lecture to Girls Frem Two Boys Fight for Their Lives Ladies Home Journal.

Courageous and ferocious to the A father, talking to his careless Some figures recently given out as daughter, said: "I want to speak to last gasp, an American eagle Tuesto the cost of rural mail delivery bring you about your mother. It may be day fought two boys and a dog, his that you have noticed a care-worn look upon her face lately. Of course it has not been brought there by any scene of the encouter was near Vailsact or yours, still it is your duty to burg, N. J. Felix and Elwin Bitters. up to June 30 of this year is estimated | chase it away. I want you to get up aged twelve and thirteen years, were at nine millions of dollars," says one to-morrow morning and get breakfast: on their way home from a ball game and when your mother comes in and when the huge bird swcoped down on begins to express her surprise, go price to pay, but the Congressmen right up to her and kiss her on the them from the sky, his beak open. his talons set and neck feathers ruffrom the rural districts can be de- mouth, and you can, timagine how it fled for attack. So swift was the will brighten her dear face. eagle's decent that the boys did no: "Besides, you owe her a kiss or two. see it until their dog, selping with

> the cruel claws. The animal's flesh was torn, but he go; away. Angered at his failure, the bird rose a few yards in the air and again swooped-this time at the boys. Time and time again they struck the great bird with their baseball bats, each time knocking it back, but never heavily enough to main or kill it, and with every repulse the creature returned to the assault with redoubled determination. For ten minutes the battle raged. Then, by a lucky stroke one of the lads felled the eagle to the ground. Even then it still fought them, but the dog seeing his recent enemy laid low, regained his courage and attacked it, getting for his pains several more gashes from the ugly talons. Finally, the eagle being almost exhausted, one of the boys hit it a blow that killed it and they carried it home, where it was measured

> > The Truth Huris.

to tip of its wings,

and showed sixty-six inches from tip

KILLED WITH CLU3S

With Huge Eagl'.

fear, scrambled out of the clutches of

The Burlington News says the editor of an Indiana paper became tired days. These burdens, if not lifted of being called a liar so he announced from her shoulders, will break her that he would tell the truth in the future. The first issue thereafter contained the following:

"John Bonin, the lizle t merchant her lifeless breast. These neglected in town, made a trip to Bellville Tues- in. Bauldrick then said that if Adam's

'John Coyle, our grozeryman, is do ing a poor business. His store is dirty, dusty and nexiously ederiferous. How Adams grabbed the gun, and reached can he expect to do much?" "Rev. Styx preached last Saturday

night on charity.' The sermon was punk." tery. In the present case the victim

him. James Conban, last Saturday evening | was in bad shape by this time, having at the Baptist parsonage. The bride been shot in the head when leaving is a very ordinary town girl whe does't Prince Moore's house. The men who about cocking, and never helped her house, where he was kept until Monmother three days in her life. She is day morning, when he was taken to not a beauty by any means, and has a the guard bouse at Elloree. He was gait like a fat duck. The groom is then brought to Orangeburg and lodggone long. The affair thereafter is a well known as an up-to date loafer. ed in jail .- Times and Democrat. complete mystery. No ticket was He's been living of the old folks all found on the body and no one has been his life and don't amount to shucks.

able to explain under what circum. They will have a hard life. The paper had no sooner reached train or where she was going. If she the public than a committee was sent was murdered, as is supposed to be to him bearing a petition asking him without leaving any trace. The cars stated that they believed him to be a truthful and honest man.

### Fight With Burglars.

lars on Hartford bridge in Hartford, had been murdered and the house had Conn., early Friday morning, Police- been burned to conceal the crime. The man Haves was shot through the "John," exclaimed the nervous wo- breast and hand and Officer Cowley for two years. Two years ago it is ing on the estimates, "it is said that man according to an exchange, "there's was grazed by a bullet. The burgla's stated that he beat her and threatenit is the largest production of corn a burglar in the house. I'm sure of had dynamited a safe in the store of ed to kill her. She had him arrested Howe & Son, Glastonbury, eight miles and he was sentenced to jail for a from Hartsord. The noise of the ex- short term. After the expiration of John rubbed his eyes and protested picsion awakened persons, who saw his sentence he disappeared and it the burglars drive away in a wagon. | could not be ascertained that anyone The Hartford police were notified by had heard from him. The woman sup-So John took a box of matches and telephone, and Hayes and Cowley were posed he was dead. police met, the burglars abandoned gave chase and a running fight re sulted in a dozen shots being fired. The burglars escaped through the woods. A posse is hunting them. The deserted wagon contained a full

#### of dynamite. Alimony for Husband.

A dispatch from Paris says the re- marry again. The judge did not in- White, it is said in the declaration,

Will Take Any Kind. poses. Calling down the blessings of the father, is a railway switchman. heaven on rich men who distribute and was performing his duties. 'soiled wealth," he expressed his regret at not being possessed of money gathering talent, and declared that it takes a wise man to acquire wealth.

"The cry of 'tainted money' is almost criminal," he declared. 'I will use no devilish means to make money for God, but I will take all the money I can get from the devil and put it into Godly work. It is no longer tainted when touched by heavenly hands. would like to turn the devil's barrack into Christian bulwarks."

### Settlers Murdered.

A successsion of individual murder only 40 points to win. When he winning the contest proved too much reported, and in many quarters the was the rear door of an Italian herser that he would like to die in just this of the situation is indicated by the manner, for he was an inversate pino- announcement that the resignation of been accepted and that the governor designate, Herr von Lindequist, late German consul general at Cape Town. will assume office during the month of October.

> Ends His Own Life. At New York, William R. Travers, a millionaire man of leisure, son of the celebrated wit and Wall street

When dynamite for blasting was required Bell took a hatchet and struck operator, William R. Travers, coma blow with it before the prisoners mitted suicide Friday by shooting Mr. Travers married Miss Lily Harriwhich he had been sitting. Still the

Before He le Stopped.

ELLORES. Sapt 25-Specia': We are accessomed to reading in the papers of atrocious crimes committed in different sections of the country, but last and ripping the flesh of the deg. The night this section of Orangeburg County was the scene of the most borrible outbursts of crime ever committed here. All the parties are negroes, John Bauldrick, a most desperate character, thought it was butchering time, and went out last night about seven o'clock and before he was stopped, shot and wounded no less than five persons, three women and two children.

He went first to Julia Palmer's house, on Mrs. Hattie Bairs place. and began cursing in a loud tone of voice. She became frightened and went into her house. He followed with his gun, and as she tried to jump out of the window he fired, hitting in the shoulder blade, almost severing it from her body, and shattering the arm of her little child, who was clinging around its mother's neck. They are both wounded seriously, perhaps fatal-

Bauldrick then went to Prince Mocre's hou e, ab .ut a ha f mile away from where he shot the Palmer woman and her child. Here he shot Anna R binson and one of Moore's boys, who was looking out the window. He hit the woman in the arm and the boy in the head. The woman was serlongly hart and the boy slightly. Next the desperado went to the house of Ei. Felder, who lives on J. E. Hungerpiller's place. Finding Feider's wife on the piszza and she remonstrated with him for cursing. He immediately fired into her, a few shot striking her in the back She was not seriously hurt. Not yet satisfied with his bloody

work, he went to the house of Mose Adams, and here he met his match. He asked to see Adams' wife. Adams, not knowing what had just happened, invited him in, but he declined to go wife would not come out to see him he wou'd go in. He burst through the door with his gun, and as he entered back, got his axe and struck Bauldrick with it.

Then Adams got his razor out of his pocket and cut Bauidrick's throat on "Daye Sonkey died at his home in both sides, but neither wound reachthis place. The doctor gave it out as |ed the jugular vein. The fuss created heart failure. The fact is, he was by the scuffle between Adams and drunk, and whiskey is what killed Bauldrick and the accidental discharge of the gun, caused some men to gather, "Married.—Miss Sylvia Rhodes and who caught Baldrick and tied him. He

Family Burned to Death. Early Friday morning the charred remains of Lula Wise, a colored woman, and her four children were found

in the smoking ruins of her home near Jacksonville, Fla., which was burned Friday morning tefore day. The skulls of the woman and all her children In an attempt to capture two burg- were crushed in, indicating that they woman had not lived with her husband

### A Big Suit.

At Chicago suit was begun in the superior court last weak for \$250,000 damages against the Curtis Publishing company, publishers of the Ladies Home Journal. Samuel M. Hartman of Columbus, Ohio, Proprietor of the Peruna Medicine company, is the set of burgiars' tools and a quantity plaintiff in the suit. In the August issue of The Journal, the declaration says that an advertisement of the Peruna company contained a testi-For the first time on record in monial from Congressman Geo. H. On a husband who said he was White of North Carolina. In the abused obtained an alimony judge- next issue of the magazine, the doolament at Cincinnati Friday. Judge ration alleges that the testimonial down and see you. She has been look. Smith, sitting in common pleas court, was reprinted, but with it was a signing for you every night for the last ordered Mrs. Anna P. Newton to pay ed denial from Congressman White twelve years, and I don't want her to her husband, Robert A. Newton, that he had given the testimonial to whom she sued for divorce last July, the medicine company. This denial \$1,000 and \$10 a week as long as he | Hartman alleges, was secured through lives, or until such a time as he shall a misunderstanding, as Congressman

### Burned to Death.

At Fort Doige, Iowa, five children were cremated in a fire caused by the explosion of gasoline which destroyed ing, while the inmates were asleep. The eldest child was ten and the youngest three. The father had gone to work and the mother was visiting The Rev. Dr. William Leach, of a neighbor. Neighbors discovered the

Exploded a Bomb.

A bomb filled with dynamite and a quantity of inflammable oil, was thrown at the rear of a crowded tenement house at Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Forty-third street, New York, Friday. More than a score of sleeping persons were hurled from their beds by the explosion and two were carried from the house unconscious. Within a minute after the explosion the flames had nearly enveloped the rear walls of ten tenement house. The police believe that 'black hand" Italian assassins threw

### Voted it Ont.

An election was held in York county Tuesday on the question of removing the dispensary at Yorkville, the only one in the county. Eight hundred and thirty seven votes were polled, 706 being against the dispensary, and 131 in favor of its retention. Yorkville is the home of Senator Brice, author of the law under which dispensaries are being voted out of the various counties in the state.

### Killed Rimself

At Philadelphia William H. Kilpatrick, the Philadelphia agent of could warn him. When picked up the himself through the head in his apart- the Northwestern Mutual Life Inwhere a patrolman could not fail to man's eyes were blown out, his left ments in Madison avenue. The sui- surance company, of Milwaukee, was find him. He left a letter addressed arm was blown off and the left side of cide is inexplicable, Mr. Travers be- found dead Tuesday morning in the his face was torn away. Flesh was ing in the prime of life, in fair health bathroom of his apartments with a hanging from the limbs of a tree under and the possessor of a large fortune. bullet wound in his head. He had shot himself sometime during the unfortunate man was alive. A hurry man, a sister of Mrs. W. K. Vander- night. Mr. Kilpatrick had been in three-for-a quarter editors. He had In a private conversation Tillman sgaust Murray charging him with charged with having entered into a penitentiary, and he was sent up un run of the patrol wagon failed to get bil, Jr. The couple separated three ill health for some time, and that is