MANNING, S. C. WEDNESDAY, MAY 11, 1910

KING DEAD

Edward, the Seventh, of England, Passes to His Eternal Reward

AFTER SHORT ILLNESS

Surrounded by Queen Alexandra and Members of the Royal Family His Majesty Succumbed to Attack of Preumonia Following Bronchitis.

Prince of Whales Become King.

King Edward VII, who returned to England from a vacation 10 days found him in his luxuriously apago in the best of health died at pointed house, where he taught phy-11:45 Friday night in the presence of his family after an illness of less than a week, which was serious hardly more than three days.

The Prince of Whales succeeded to the crown immediately, according to the laws of the kingdom, without official ceremony. His first official act was to dispatch to the lord mayor the announcement of his father's death, in pursuance of custom. His telegram read:

"I am deeply grieved to inform you that my beloved father, the king, passed away peacefully at 11.45 tonight.

("George." The physicians soon afterwards issued their official bulletin, which was as follows:

"May 6, 11.50 p. m. His majesty, the king, breathed his last at 11.45 tonight in the presence of her majesty. Queen Alexandra, Prince Victoria and Princess Louise, the Duchess of Argyll."

Pneumonia, following bronchitis is believed to have been the cause of death, but the doctors thus far have refused to make a statement. Some of the king's friends are conhim, with sleepless nights, aggravated if it did not cause the fatal illness.

Besides the nearest relatives in England, the Duke of Fife and the Archbishop of Canterbury were in the death chamber. The king's brother, the Duke of Connaught, with his family, is at Suez, hastening home from Africa. The king's daughter. Queen Maud of Norway, will start for England at once.

The intelligence that the end of King Edward's reign not a surprise at the last. The people had been exptcting to hear it bulletin was posted at Buckingham palece and flashed throughout the kingdom. The capital received it without excitement, but sadly, for the kind with his own people was unquestionably one of the most popular rulers in the world. They regarded him as one of the strongest forces making for the stability of the peace of the empire.

The fashionable restaurants were just emptying and a few groups of late theatre-goers were making their way homeward through the rain. while a small crowd still hung about the palace, when the streets were filled suddenly with newsboys shrilly crying: "Death of the King!" The papers were quickly selzed and tht people discussed the momentous event quietly and soon dispersed. The streets were deserted by one o'clock.

Within a few moments after the death of the king the home office telegraphed the intelligence to the heads of other governments and the diplomats and colonial offices over the world.

Almost to the end, the King re fused to take to his bed and was sitting up Friday in a large chair, so the palace stories go, corroborating the description of him as an unruly patient, which Dr. Ott gave at a Vienna reviewer in the evening.

One of the last utterance atrribu to the King: "Well, it is all over but I think I have done my duty. He seemed then to have reached a full realization that his end was

fast approaching. The queen and others of the royal family and four doctors had been constantly in the sick room throughout the day. Several hours before his death, the king was in a comatose condition, but he rallied slightly between 9 and 10 o'clock, and appeared to recognize his family. Then he lapsed into unconsciousness. which ended in his passing.

HUNG BY HER HEELS.

Terrible Fiendish Act of Cruelty Reported from Georgia.

The Augusta Chronicle says last Monday morning a negro girl, 12 next door, and sat down for a rest. years old, was found hanging by her The heavy mass of granite seemed beels to a pine tree in Lincoln county. The girl had been missing since Saturday two weeks ago.

dead. She had been beaten terribly and showed evidences of other ill tims. treatment. After being attended by doctors, she regained consciousness long enough to tell who had treated her so cruelly. The names of the parties are not given, but it is learned that two negro women and a negro man are in jail at Lincolnton. charged with the crime.

Nothing is known as to how long the girl had been hanging to the wild grape vines. The throngs had to allow him to speak on that subcut into her flesh and bloodpoisoning ject in the Court House. has set in. She is not expected to

live. Sheriff Wright, of Lincoln county. stands that it grew out of some contention over work on a farm in that
tention over work on a farm in that county.

BY THE POLICE AND ITS SE-CRETS MADE PUBLIC.

A Young Man, Who Claimed to Be From India, Is Charged With Abducting New York Girls.

It was a strange story which Detective Callahan told in the New York police court Thursday in describing the raid on Sunday on the Mystic Temple of "Om," a young man who is entered on the police records of Pierre A. Bernard, a native of India.

"Om" was arraigned on the charge of abduction after the detectives had sical culture and languages, surrounded by a number of pupils, mostly young women. Some of his girl pupils said Bernard represented himself as a "swami" from India. Miss Zela Hopp, a 19-year-old

milliner, who had been one of Bermard's "students" told the police the secret signal at the door to obtain admittance.

"When I pushed open the parlor doors," Callahan testified, "I saw Bernard. He was standing on a glass globe that was on a hair mattress in the center of the room. He was going through some peculiar motions and gyrations as he stood on the globe. Five girls and soveral men, all in bathing suits, were gathered around him trying to re-

peat the movements." Miss Hopp said she went to Berpard's place last October and consuited him about a method of curing her of heart weakness. Ber Royal, the Duchess of Fife, Princess nard told her she must come to the place and stay for a time, which she did, first paying him, she testified,

a fee of \$100. Miss Hopp told the magistrate that Bernard had a peculiar influence over her and that she believed he had hypnotized ber. She described things which perhaps happolitical situation which confronted pened after she went to the house Bernard.

While she was in the place she met Miss Gertrude Levy, of Tacoma, Wash., another studeat", and when she got out she thought she ought to advise Miss Levy's sister, a Mrs. Hanford of Tacoma, of what was going on. Her letters brought Mrs. Hanford to New York and the two women complained to the police. Bernard was held in \$15,000 bail for another examination.

DESERTED HER CHILDREN

at any moment since the evening And Left for Parts Unknown With Her Affinity.

> A supposed tragedy that had put the tongues of many in Rocky Mount, N. C., to wagging, when the report that Mrs. Whitfield, young white woman, had drowned herself in Tar river, has resolved itself into a situation entirely different from was first reported and after a thorough investigation by the police of the city it was learned that the woman had not gone near the river but that first reported and after a thorthe fact that she had run away from the murder the night of the assashome with an "affinity," leaving her sination. four children, the oldest 12 years old, to the care of any person into whose hands they might fall.

The woman wrote Mayor Thorne. a letter stating that she was going to take her life and after mailing the same she left the city with a man who had been paying her attention heretofore.

The executive of the city placed the children under the care of a kind neighbor, while the father of the children, who resides in Nash county, was notified of the proceeduse and told to send for the little ones. The cause of the woman's actions it is thought are due to the fact that her husband had practically deserted her and that their domestic relations had been far from pleasant

A STRANGE ACCIDENT.

Blasted Stone Falls on House Killing Two People.

A 500-pound blast of stone from an overcharge of dynamite used in blasting at the Evans quarry, 6 miles from Murphy, N. C., on the L. and N. road, landed on the roof of Chas. Guthrie's dwelling Saturday about 1 o'clock, crashing through the light ro. instantly killing Mrs. Guthrie. and her S-year-old child. The Guthrie home stands near the place of blasting and frequently through the day large quantities of stone have fallen upon the housetop. Mr. Guthrie and wife had just finished dinner when they entered the bed room, to have kept compact in the air. It made splinters of the roof. Mr. Guthrie and one of the children es-When discovered she was almost caped with their lives alhtough they were only a few feet from the vic-

Some Petty Spite.

Bryan was booked to deliver an address at Nebraska City, Neb., on Thursday night in favor of the initiative and referdum, but it had to be postponed, because the county commissioners of Otoe County, two or three of whom disagreed with Bryan on the refundum idea, refused

Name is Ryder.

"Mrs. John W. Snow of Savannah. ing, N. Y.

IMMORTAL DEN RAIDED MANY ARE DEAD

As the Result of an Earthquake at the city of Cartago, Porta Rico.

A FEARFUL DISASTER

Large Part of the City Was Destroyed and Five Hundred or More People Were Killed, and Many Hundreds More Were More or Less Injured.

A dispatch from San Juan Del Sur. Nicaragua, says a large part of Cartago, Costa Rico, was destroyed Wednesday night by a powerful seismic movement.

Details are very meagre, as the elegraph wires have been levelled between San Jose and Cartago. The operators at the latter place were killed.

The dispatch says it is known that at least five hundred persons are dead and many hundreds are injured. Scores of buildings were thrown down, among them the Palace of Justice, erected by Andrew Carnegie.

The wife and child of Dr. Bocanegra, the Guatemalian magistrate to the Central American Arbitration Court, have been killed. Panic reigns as the earthquake continues.

San Jose has also been shaken, some of the buildings being damaged, but no deaths are reported in that city. Some persons were slightly injured.

Earth shocks were also felt at everal points in Nicaragua, near the Costa Rican frontier. Reports reaching here state that here is much suffering and destitution at Cartago consequent upon the

JOHN MATHIS FOUND GUILTY.

disaster.

Slayer of Dr. C. W. Hickman Must Serve Life Sentence.

John Mathis, a negro, was conricted of the murder of Dr. C. W. lickman, at Augusta, Ga., on Wed-The assassination of Dr. Augusta for weeks. He was one of that he claimed to have purchased the most prominent citizens of 'nat city, and a practicing physician of note. He called at the home of his brother, in Summerville, on February 2, at night. Leaving there, on tions. ils return to his residence, a short distance away, he was shot to death

and his pockets were rifled. Among the articles stolen from his body was his watch. Two months later this negro Mathis, offered this watch in pawn. With this clue to guide them, the police threw a complete chain of circumstantial evidence about Mathis.

During the trial the Court gave to the accused, as counsel, Ex-Conessman W. H. Fleming and A. L. Franklin, a well known criminal lawyer. These attorneys by evidence in which no name was mentioned, set it up that a "mysterious man" was seen to leave the scene of

The counsel held that this "myser. In this way sufficient doubt was recommendation to mercy.

HAD ROW ON TRAIN.

Mob of Four Hundred Negroes Is Awed With Guns.

The Journal says from Line Creek. Ga., to Atlanta, the crew of Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic train had its hands full in keeping order among 400 riotous regro picnickers

late Monday afternoon. During the course of the larger part of the 45-mile ride the crew. seven men in all, faced the negroes with loaded guns. The train crew on the morning train going to the picnic had much trouble with the same crowd of negroes, but manage! to quiet it before Line Creek was

reached. On the train at the start of the return trip, several negroes started a crap game, which quickly resulted in a fight. Will Root, a well-known character of Pittsburg, was shot and instantly killed by Will Johnson, alias "The Soldier." During the melee a negro woman was shot in the lex and slightly hurt. Juhnson was captured after he returned to Atlanta. A negro named Burley is being held as an accomplice.

DEATH OF G. D. BELLINGER.

Prominent Columbia Lawyer Passes to the Other Side.

The Hon. G. Duncan Bellinger. State, died at 9:30 o'clock Wednes- father, mother, brother and (w) sisday night at his home in Shandon, a ters. suburb of Columbia. Gen Bellinger had been sick for some time, but following a trip to Florida, it was thought that his condition was much oldson was granted a divorce from improved. However, last Sunday he her husband, Samuel Haroldson, in was taken suddenly ill and his re- Muskogee superior court at Colum- shocked over the holocaust and was taken suddenly in and the state of the s a slight improvement Wednesday, in the court room to Joseph Debrahis condition became grave that af- bant, who was in waiting, license in ternoon and death came that night. hand. The judge who signed the di-Chronic dysentery and liver trouble was the cause of his death.

Agrees With Bryan.

"I believe fifty per cent of the sears in the United States senate Ga., was crushed to death in the can be said to have been practically yards of the Atlantic Coast Line, at purchased." This statement was 11:30 o'clock. He was in the emhas been unable to find out the cause with suicidal intent at the Hotel made recently by former United ploy of the road, and had just of the girl's treatment, but under- Knickerbocker. New York, is Miss States Senator Wm. E. Mason in an thrown a switch for a train, and was

WASTED PUBLIC MONEY

AGAINST BROCK.

Expense Account and Action of that Gentleman.

A statement issued on Wednesday at Columbia by Adjutant General Boyd, asks that Governor Ansel appoint a court of inquiry to investigate the expense account of Col. W. T. Brock, the assistant general, that was incurred by inspecting the militia of the State.

It is charged by General Boyd that Colonel Brock has wasted the money of the State. It is asked that Colonel Brock's other actions as an officer of the State be investigated. Both are in the race for adjutant general. General Boyd recently attacked Colonel Grock in a statement with reference to politics. Colonel Brock immediately asked for a court of inquiry. Governor Ansel refused to discuss the situation. The statement follows:

To the People of South Carolina: ing the past several days, has spent was necessary in making the in-

spections of the State militia. "He has wantonly wasted the State's money, and I hereby call upon him to give proof that he spent \$12 and \$33.50 (for two days) for hotel traffic, Levison told the district at- themselves. Every house was totalbills at at any hotel in South Carolina.

"The United States has made the inspections of the State militia for the past several years. His expenses traveling over the same route as Colonel Brock's were as follows: 1907. \$140; 1908, \$144; 1909 \$156.62. The first year that Colonel Brock made the inspections of the State militia he spent \$400. Last year he spent \$420. This year he in the hands of women, who found it drew out \$500. His accounts on the surface appear to be in a tangled others arrested with him for encondition.

"I would like for him to explain States army officer who accompanied him the sum of over \$180 By what right did the State of South Carolina have to defray the expense of a regular United States army officer? His itemized accounts show four mileage books. I would like for him to show to the public of South Carolina where he traveled 4 000 miles in making the inspec-

"He has extravagantly spent the itemized money of the State a statements of expense will not bear investigations.

"I hereby call upon Governor Ansel to appoint a court of inquiry to make an investigation of the expense accounts and other acts Colonel Brock has committed while in the service of the State as assistant adjutant general. J. C. Boyd."

BOY KIDNAPPTD HIMELF. Started for the West After He Had

Seen Moving Pictures.

In New York Harry Spindle, brisk little boy of 13 years, is being held by the Children's Society on his own confession that he kidterious" personage was the murder- napped himself, terrorized his parents with blackhand letters, and raised to secure from the jury the then, when they failed to procure the money he needed toget west, in vented a get-rich-quick scheme that netted him \$100 in less than a week. A string of sad little girls, his tools, and their angry mothers, his vic-

tims, corroborated his story. Harry's plan, as told by himself was to find some little girl on the street, atter her with news of how her father had just been elected president of a lodge, and then get the mother to borrow \$3, \$4 or \$5 from the corner grocer to buy flowers for a surprise to father when he came home. Then Harry would offer to run to the orists with the money, but he never came back.

With his pal, Arthur Gulden, 12 years old, Harry left home more than a week ago, fired with an ambition to go west, after having seen a thrilling moving picture show.

COMMITS SUICIDE.

1 Young Man Hangs Himself for Unknown Reason.

Frank Smith, a highly esteemed J. P. Smith, former president of the jump. Liberty cotton milis. No other cause than despondency can be asproduced temporary insanity. Mr. son in 1909 and taught in North window a little later, but was too formerly Attorney General of the Carolina last season. He leaves a late.

Made a Quick Change.

Immediately after Susie R. Harvorce decree performed the wedding ceremony.

Ground to Death.

Russell A. Welch, of Thomasville,

WHERE THE VICTIMS

GEN, BOYD MAKES THIS CHARGE SOLD IN WHITE SLAVE TRADE ARE PROCURED.

Manning Ames.

And Calls for an Investigation of the New York Trader in the Awful Business Tells of the Inside Workings of the Hellish Game.

> Harry Levison, a white man, who is under arrest in New York for selling young girls into lives of shame told the district attorney Friday that there are at least three 'slockades" in New York, in each of which "em five to ten young girls, at a k-pt ready night and day for instant delivery wherever they may be wanted. Little effort, said Levison, is made to recruit women from the street. The stockades are fille I from the bost of young girls was are unhappy at home, or who live narrow long for leisure, good clothes, gaiety and freedom from restraint.

Well-dressed women make it business to frequent cheap restaurants, moving picture theatres, sentimental matin-es and the bargain counters to single out such cases, "W. T. Brock, my assistant dur- and, first winning attention with an invitation to dinner, then describe the sleeping hours hardly any could several hundred dollars more than the ease and pleasures of the alternative they propose.

The girl delivered to the stockade, it then become the business of city in darkness. the proprietor to place his merchandise. It was in this end of the all directions, in an effort to save torney, that he was a specialist. The business was to find a house where the girl was wanted. The house paid peace court, the gift of Andrew Carthe stocate-keeper a lump sum and allowed Levison a ten per cent. com-

mission on the girl's earnings. He and others like him kept in touch with the charges, he said, and often transferred them from house to house. He had little to do with recruiting. That was almost wholly to save those who were pinned down easier to get a hearing. Levison and gaging in this hellish business, will soon be tried and it is hoped he the matter of lending the United will get what he richly deserves a long term in prison.

DEAD MAN CAME TO LIFE.

And the Mourners Are Frightened Nearly to Death.

Near Carthage, N. C., Uncle Virgil crowd sat up with the old fellow's body all Sunday night. They went to put his body in the coffic Monday morning, the room being crowded with negroes, mourners and others, one hundred and fifty or more in ail being in the house and waiting in

the yard. Suddenly as one of the watchers went to reach for the body, indicating to his aides to lay hold and help lift it, the old fellow's eyes opened, his withered arm went out and up in warning pose and a veritable voice from the dead exciaimed in sepulchral tones that struck terror to the heart of every negro spectator. "Not yet!"

It is said that there was never more complete stampede known. Instead of being overjoyed at the manifestation of returning life for the old partriach, whose dtparture they were mourning, the affrighted screams were heard for miles about, the negroes piled out of the place through every conceivable crevice Some leaping right up through the roof of the low cabin, carrying the boards off as they forced their way

It was asserted in a letter from a most reputable citizen that it is o'rtain that some of those negroes have not stopped running yet. The letter did not say what the extent of the resuscitation of the old negro was or whether he is still living.

BURNED WITH THE HOUSE.

Young Man Refused to Jump from

Window and Is Lost.

At Hickory, N. C., Mr. Clarence Seaboch, a 20-year-old youth, was burned to dtath Friday night in a second story room of his father's huse. The boy went home at 11 o'clock and at 12.10 the alarm was young man, 25 years old, ended his turned in. The old man went to life at Liberty Wednesday afternoon the window and cried to his son. by strangulation. He was a son of who was screaming for help, to

It was only about fourteen feet to the ground, but the young man seemsigned, as he left no message. His ed to be dazed. He went back into friends believe that despondency the room and not long after his agonized parent saw him, fall to his tor, has proved an alibi and has been Smith is of a very prominent family knees and the flames blotted out and his sad demise is greatly de- any fourther vision. A man climbed feel assured that they have the guilty plored. He graduated from David- on an improvised scafforld to the parties.

The charred and unrecognizable remains were found in the ashes. Young Seaboch went home at 11 o'clock, and, as he smokes it is supposed that he may have dropped a spark or left a lamp too near some inflamable material. The city is importance of fire escapes.

Attacked by Pirates.

Moro pirates attacked a settlenent in the Celeebs, and killed a number of traders and natives. The pirates are now surrounded on the Island of Manks. A Dutch cruiser is assisting in the attack upon them.

Fifteen Year Old Boy Hung.

At De Land, Fla., Irving Hanchett,

MANY ARE DEAD

Fifteen Hundred People Were Crushed to Beath at Cartago by

VIOLENT EARTHQUAKE

Citizens Caught by Hundreds and Slain .- Thousands Panic Stricken Troyo, the Great Costa Rican Poet Among the Dead .- People Pinned Under Timbers Died Horribly.

The terrible earthquake at Cartago, Costa Rico, was more destructive than at first reported. The list of dead now numbers not less than 1,500. The city was destroyed bulls and not the bears, the departives on their own earnings, and by an earthquake which lasted four seconds.

It was a tremendous movement which followed a few minor shocks, authority. during the day. It occurred at seven o'clock Wednesday evening. No one had time to run out of the houses. which lell crushing to the streets. Had the great shock come during have escaped. The railroad and telegraph lines were broken and the electric light wires fell, leaving the

Thousands ran panic-stricken in ly destroyed, including four churches and the palace of the American negie.

Some Americans are reported to have been killed, but identification, even by the records, is at present impossible. The foreign colonies set about at once to organize rescue movements and worked strenuously by the wreckage. No medical aid could be obtained

from the lack of food and water. Many died, suffering terribly. Entire families have been wiped out. Rafael Angel Troyo, the Costa Rican ed \$15 out of the price of cotton. poet, whose works are known in many countries, is among the dead. of the present day were due to short Tht college of the Silesian priests

ten children were killed. The earthquake, which brought almost total drakness and great clouds lones, t typicai "'fore de war" dar- of dust from the falling buildings, tey who was recognized at a pa- was followed by a roaring which triarch among the negroes of the came apparently from deep down in surrounding, died. Following the the earth and for six hours the dis- this Government the right to intercustom prevailing among the negroes dulyance continued. No greater fere with the purpose of affecting in the country, especially, a big disaster has occurred in the history of Costa Rica and perhaps in ali Central America.

President Gonzales Viquez and he declared, speaking of the Attor-President-elect Richarde Jiminez are personally in charge of the rescue article of export, he declared, that among the first to enter, and after work, but there is little hope that those under the rulns can escape. up. He said that while the South real situation can be determined. The monetary losses reach into the millions. Help is needed badly and must be prompt, if good is to come of Thousands are homeless and without food. Fires that broke out immediately after the destruction of the town added to the horror of the situation and heavy rains that have

fallen since have made the conditions almost unbearable even for those escaping. Hundreds of survivors are camped around the ruins of their homes which they refuse to leave. Some reports place the wounded at several thousand. Nearly all Costa Rica is afflicted as more or less damage has been caused by earthquakes at San Jose and other points.

WILL SOON HANG.

Men Who Committed Murder Near Atlanta Confesses.

Charles Walker, one of the three negroes arrested in connection with the murder of Motorman S. T. Brown and the desperate assault upon Conductor W. H. Bryson, made a full confession to the police on Saturday morning. He implicated Jim Black and Ed Weaver as his associates in

the crime. All three negroes are now in cusody and it is not unlikely that all When the confession was lows. made. Weaver had not yet been arrested, but detectives in an automobile, made a hurried trip to the grading camp where the man was Deason, at an early hour Thursday employed and secured him.

Wilker, the other negro involve! in the crime, was identified several tity of oats last fall, about which one of his assailants. Will John- to Deason's home to collect the bill son, another negro of whom a partial identification was made by Conducreleased from custody. The police

CHARGED WITH CONTEMPT. State Senator Clifton Clashes With

Magistrate.

Made Big Haul. At Charleston on Friday the dis-

case before the magistrate.

THAT COTTON POOL

SENATOR SIMMONS ARRAIGNS DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.

Which, He Said, Had Only Under taken to Prosecute the Booster

of Cotton Prices. In a speech delivered in the Senate Wednesday Senator Simmons, of North Carolina, attacked the methods of the department of justice in the matter of its prosecution of the cotton pool. He did not complain because of the suits, but because the cotton producers and spinners had

been inovived in the matter.

Complaining of partiality in the trust law. Mr. Simmons said that in undertaking to prosecute the ment had undertaken only a partial prosecution. He said that the pro- o'clock. Palos is forty miles west of ceeding amounted to a usurpation of Senator Simmons made bitter

complaint against a course which he said had had the effect of placing the real cotton men in the light of speculators when the efforts had been in exactly the opposite direc-

country will co-operate in the same line which the cotton spinners of the South are pursuing, all the exchanges of the country will be on a spot basis instead of a paper basis," he said. He contended that contracts for future sales of cotton should be for a real and not a sham delivery.

The Attorney General's attitude toward the price of cotton was sharply criticized. He said that official had attacked prices not because of the pool, but tecause he considered them a national evil. "He has the whole matter wrong: prices are not abnormally high, said Mr. Simmons, they are certainly not above the level of prices fixand the survivors suffered greatly ed by the tariff and in the interect of monopoly." He said there had been no protest from the Attorney General when the bears had squeez-He contended that the high prices

crops and other natural causes. He ell while the priests and children said prices were not high enough, were at prayer. Two priests and and he thought they would go high-"And the A torney General cannot prevent t' .t. whatever proceedings he may institute in the interests of foreign buyers," he added. Mr. Simmons refused to concede the price of the staple. "It is as startling as it is unpatriotic and it

the price of cotton should be kept Some days must elapse before the always would be the first to receive the benefit of any increase the whole country would profit. DEPLORES CHRISTIAN DIVISIONS

Bishop Anderson Urges Unity in

Evangelization. "Enough energy and money are wasted by rival railway and overlapping of the different denominations in America to preach the Gospel to the entire world. We must get together and stop this waste.' Thus spoke Bishop Charles P. Anderson, of Chicago, before the Men s their hands and crying piteously. National Missionary Congress in that

city Wednesday. "Our divisions are unchristianlike and unstar smanlike, the speaker continued. "They are unchristian. for Christlike Christians cannot be kept apart. A reunited church posessessed with faith and zeal would the world in a generation. Let us cumulation of gas in some of the old spend our lives and money unifying abandoned entries, which are rarely the church and in universalizing the visited.

ANOTEHR GEORGIA KILLING.

Gospel of Christ."

One Prominent Farmer Shoots Another About Oats

A special to the Augusta Herald three will be hung on the same gal- from Milledgeville says Edward Napier, one of the most prominent farmers and business men of this only. section, living 12 miles from that city, was shot and killed by William morning. Mr. Napier, who is an exmost valuable mines in the district. tensive farmer, sold Deason a quandays ago by Conductor Bryson as the dispute arose and Napier went and a quarrel resulted. Both men used pistols, according to the report, and information at hand. Deason is in a dying condition. Napier is a member of a prominent family and well known over the state.

> Furniture Factory Burned. The Ramseur furniture factory.

located at Ramseur, N. C., was entirely burned by fire Thursday, the State Senator John H. Clifton, of fire originated in the dry kiln. The Sumter County, is under \$2.500 loss is about \$80,000 with insurance bond, on an appeal to the supreme of \$25,000. This is one of the largcourt, following a ruling for con- est woodworking plants in the State \$5 and the cause was the alleg d had been very successful in managconduct of the Senator in arguing a ing the business.

Elephant Kills Trainer.

another fatally injured as the result or, and for cause. pensary constables captured three of an outbreak of an elephant at barrels of half pints and 50 quarts Marietta, Ohio, Monday, Samuel of whiskey, hidden among a lot of Montgomery, an animal trainer, was meat in the market. The constables trampled by the infuriated beast and also captured about 50 gallons of fatally hurt. Wm. Evans took re- a horrible death at an early hour the 15-year-old Connecticut boy, con- liquor at a farm house in suburbs of fuge on top of a wagen but fell from Friday morning, being killed outof the girl's treatment, but under-stands that it grew out of some con-

DEALT DEATH

And Destruction to Hundreds of Miners Down in the Mine

WITHOUT ANY WARNING

Nearly Two Hundred Workers Are Buried Alive in an Alabama Mine. There Is Very Little Hope that Any of the Unfortunate People Escaped Death and Are Alive.

Forty-five white men, and between enforcement of the Sherman anti- 130 and 145 negroes, are entombed in No. No. 3 coal mine at Palos. Ala., as a result of an explosion occurring Thursday afternoon at 1:30 Birmingham, and the mines are owned by the Paios Coal and Coke Company, controlled by Drennen

Brothers, of Birmingham State Mine Inspector James Hillhouse, who is on the scene thinks all of the men in the mine are dead. Two bodies were found early Thursday night, but it is expected that few of them can be recovered before morning.

The flames reaching from the explosion shot into the air from the mouth of the slope for two hundred feet, and the shock was felt for miles around. Timbers from the slope were hurled several hundred feet from the mine's mouth, and rocks from the roof of the slope caved in and made access to the mouth very difficult. The fan machinery was badly damaged, but air is being pumped into the mine in the hope that some of the men are still

Local rescuers at Palcs began at once to do what they could, but relief work was not started in earnest until the special train from Birmingham arrived in Palos, shortly after four o'clock. This special train carried State Mine Inspector James Hillhouse, J. J. Rutledge, Government expert, in charge of the geological station at Knoxville, Tenn., who happened to be in the district investigating the recent disaster at Mulga; eight physicians and surgeons, four undertakers and a num-

ber of special helpers. The hospital relief car of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Company, was also taken. This car contained helmets and all of the other necessary paraphernalia for entering

The first rescuers who went into

is as unpatriotic as it is untenable." the mine after the explosion, were overcome by fire-damp and had to be carried out. Mr. Rutlege was ney General's course. As our chief working his way 1,400 feet down the slope, found a second right entry cave-in. The two bodies recovered were in the main slope. James Gousby: a mail carrier, was

killed thirty feet from the mouth of the slope, and his body was hurled thirty feet. It was judged from this that the force of the explosion was such that none of the men on the nner side could possibly be alive. There are a number of mining

camps within two or three miles of the Palos mine, and within a short time after the explosion a great crown had gathered about the illfated slope.

Hundreds of women and children

were around the mine, wringing

The Palos mines have been worked for a number of years, and the entries were extensive. The only hope that some of the men have escaped and are still alive lies in the possibility that they were far enough away from the explosion to have missed its force. It is thought that be irresistible. It could evangelize the explosion was caused by the ac-

> The Palos Coal and Coke Company is owned entirely by the Drennens, of Birmingham. The mines have a capacity of over 600 tons and have done an enormous business for the past two or three years, working night and day. The company was one of the few in the district which has always signed up with the miners' union, and they have always worked union miners

> The mines are in what is known as the Warrior basin, and are within two miles of Flat Top and the Bessie mines, two of the largest and

The disaster is regarded as espe-

cially distressin,g as coming so soon after the Mulga explosion, Thursday April 21, in which 41 men lost their lives. The Red Cross and other relief work for the widows and orphans at Mulga has not yet been compteted. Two Government experts, J. J. Rutledge and George F. Rice, have been in the district since the Mulga explosion, investigating its cause and both of them have gone out to Palos.

The Boyd-Brock Row.

The Boyd-Brock row continues to excite a certain measure of interest at the State House. Thursday Adjt. Gen. Boyd sent Col. Brock a communication stating that his resignation would be accepted. Col. Brock declares that he will not act upon this request, and he does not consider that Gen. Boyd is qualified to make it, holding that such a re-One circus employe was killed and quest should come from the Govern-

Meet Horrible Death.

Answering to the call of duty. three of Macon's best firemen met