TAKE UP CASE

Gran Jury Considers Charge Against Thos. B. Felder, of Atlanta

BRIBERY IS CHARGED

Accused of Trying to Corrupt H. H. Evans, While He Was Chairman of Control by Offering Him a Bribe to Purchase Liquor.

In the Court of General Sessions at Newberry on last Monday morning a bill of indictment was handed to the grand jury, charging Thomas B. Felder, of Atlanta, with attempting to bribe H. H. Evans in 1905, while Evans was chairman of the board of directors of the State dispensary. At that time Evans was on the board with John Bell Towill, of Batesburg, and L. W. Boykin, of Camden.

Evans, Towill and Boykin were sworn as witnesses before the grand jury. Governor Blease was in Court at the time the indictment was handed out by Solicitor Cooper. The indictment follows a warrant sworn out some months ago by B. Frank Kelley, then secretary of the dispensary winding-up commission.

This warrant was placed in the hands of Sheriff Buford of Newberry county, who went to Atlanta for Felder, but was powerless to arrest him, because Governor Brown, of Georgia, refused to honor the requisition issued by Governor Blease of South Carolina.

The indictment comes after an investigation by the winding-up commission. Judge Gage charged the grand jury that they should find a true bill if the testimony before them satisfied them beyond a reasonable doubt; if not, to find a "no bill." In addition to the former members of this dispensary board sent before the grand jury, it is understood that several letters purporting to have been written by Felder to Evans and other were submitted to the jury.

The bill of indictment is drawn under Section 261 of the Criminal Code and contains three counts, In effect, it charges that Felder, on or about October 2nd, 1905, offered H. H. Evans, of Newberry, then chairman of the State dispensary board, a large amount of stock in a company organized by Felder, to influence Evan's vote to secure orders for liquors from the company organized. The first count charges that on the date named Felder offered Evans \$50,000 of the capital stock of this company organized under the laws of one of the States of the United States. said State being to the jurors known. The second count charges Felder

with offering Evans \$250,000 of the preferred stock of this company and the third count charges the offer by Felder to Evans of the \$250,000 in lawful money of the United States, being practically a repetition of the second count in a different form.

The famous "T. P." letter, addressed "Dear Hub," which was some time ago given to the press by Governor Blease, as a letter written by Felder to Evans, bears date Atlanta, October 2, 1905, and the indictment appears to be grounded upon the matters set out in this letter.

When Court reconvened after the dinner recess Judge Gage suggested to the grand jury that if all the witnesses had testified before them in the Felder case, since this case could not be tried at this term of Court, and as the Court was waiting upon the findings of the grand jury on other bills handed them, that they postpone consideration of the Felder case until they had disposed of other indictments, in order that the Court might be kept busy.

HANGED HIMSELF IN BARN.

Lifeless Body of Oconee County

Youth Found.

The body of a young 16-year-old son of John F. Rice, who lives sevhanging from the end of a rope in the barn on Mr. Rice's place Saturday afternoon. Young Rice nad never been strong mertally, and it is thought that in a temporary fit of insanity he ended his life. His body the body was still warm, though life mitted to the qualified voters. was extinct. The body was taken down with the assistance of neighbors, who were called in. The rope used was a long one, and when found the unfortunate youth's feet were touching the floor.

One Dead, Another Injured. At Waynesboro, Ga., Tollen Lawrey was fatally and Jule H. Reynolds very seriously hurt when their automobile turned a somersault near that place Wednesday. Reynolds, while driving, attempted to light a cigarette and lost control of the car. Lowrey lived several Lours. Reynolds was injured about the head and several of his ribs were crushed in. Lowrey originally was from Columbia, S. C., but recently has resided in Augusta, Ga.

Thief Ate Too Much.

A large catamount was killed in one of the busiest sections of Huntsthrough the hole it had entered.

Peculiar Skin Disease.

white at Chillicothe, Mo., is dead, and efforts will be made by the Missouri Medical Society to ascertain the cause of the peculiar skin disease, which has baffled physicans for sev- and his son, William Snell, was faeral years. Splotches appeared on tally wounded during a fight at Payne's hands and then spread to the church service at Orangeville, La., upper part of the body.

Convict Sees His Dying Babe. Thomas Edgar Stripling, former police chief of Danville, Va., and now parties are farmers. Georgia convict and inmate of the state farm at Milledgeville, in chains and under guard, reached the home of his wife at Columbus, Ga., and used for wall covering in place of seems big to you today, you have embraced his dying baby.

DIVE KEEPER'S WILL

ONCE NOTORIOUS WOMAN GAVE BIG SUM TO CHARITY.

Six Months Ago She Gave Her Former Resort to City for an Emergency

Miss Anna Wilson's gift of practically \$500,000 to charity, the accumulation of 40 year's profits from the Old State Dispensary Board of the most notorious dive Omaha, Neb. has ever known, has brought out more reminiscenses and caused more talk than any single event in the Middle West in years.

Miss Wilson was sixty years of age when she died a few days ago, and in her will she makes no individual gifts, except of a trust fund, but leaves all that she had saved to the city as her greatest possible restitution. It is the second largest gift to charity ever made by an Omaha resident. Six months ago Miss Wilson closed her dive and presented the building, with \$75,000, to the city as an emergency hospital.

Anna Wilson went to Omaha when t was a frontier town several years before the Union Pacific railroad was completed in 1867. Her first appearance was on a music hall stage She was bright and pretty. Also she was well educated. Just who she really was has always been a mystery. She freely acknowledged that "Anna Wilson" was not her true name, but her real identity has never been revealed.

The young girl remained on the stage only a short time. When the music hall went to the wall she was without an engagement. In the emergency she took up with a noted 'square" gambler, Dan Allen, and became his common law wife. This relation she sustained for 20 years until Allen died. Allen is said to have furnished the money with which Miss Wilson opened the most notorious dive in the city. In the 40 years of its existence, however, there were few arrests made there.

When Allen died he left a \$10,000 policy, made in favor of Miss Wilson. She notified his brothers that at her death the money would be handed over to them. Some years ago one of them asked Miss Wilson for a portion of the money and was given \$1,000. In her will \$9,000 is left to Dan Allen's brothers.

Six years ago Miss Wilson leased her home, purchased a \$15,000 residence in Krountze place, an exclusive residential district, and went to live in her new home. With her, she brought one of the best Shakespear ian libraries in the West.

Among her books is an illustrated Bible, which cost many thousands of dollars, and which Miss Wilson is said to have been fond of reading and studying. Her library ran into thousands of volumes, and pictures and works of art fairly filled her home. Her flower garden and home were the wonder of the town.

DRINK TOO MUCH LIQUOR.

Remarkable Statement Made by the Commission.

Royal E. Cabell, United States Commissioner of Internal Revenue, has made some remarkable statements in his annual report showing that the internal revenue receipts

ious banner year. aggregated 63,216,851 barrels, or but without avail. nearly 4,000,000 barrels more than in There are now in the bonded warereport is that there has been a very eral miles from Walhalla, was found ture of liquor in North Carolina, panies." South Carolina, Georgia, Tennessee

and Virginia. was found by his brother, who went only in towns in which the question ton and other large cities. to the barn late in the afternoon and of the sale of the stuff has been sub-

WOMAN CLOTHES CHICKEN.

Puts Coats and Pajamas on Fowls to "Keep Them Warm."

Rather than see her chickens which had molted late in the season

these frosty mornings, suffer, Mrs. made neatly fitting red coats, which button under the wings, and soft Flannel pajamas and caps tastily fastened with ribbons under the beak. and now her flock gives "Jack Frost" the laugh. The chickens strut about apparently proud of their clothes. Mrs. Stoker says that the bens, to show their gratitude, and lying eggs every day.

Frozen to Death,

A flock of ducks, their feet frozen ville, Ala. The animal raided the to the ground, was found in a field henhouse of William Fletcher and en- near Williams, Ind., during the retered a coop in which there were cent blizzard. It is believed the this trust throttles individual enterseven pigeons. It ate all of the pig- ducks had alighted in the field to prise." he said. eons and several chickens, and after spend the night and that the sudden its feast was unable to get out change in temperature caused the wet ground to freeze holding them prisoners. Many of the birds were caught by farmers in the vicinity, Dudley Payne, the negro who turn- who cut them loose from the ground with axes.

> Fatal Fight in Church. F. M. Snowden was shot and killed

Sunday night. W. R. Dowden, who .nd George Dowden and William Simmons, were placed in jail. All the

Aluminum in Place of Paper. Pressed sheets of aluminum are paper.

BOUGHT TEDDY

Philadelphia Banker Tells a Sensationa Story About Election.

Says Roosevelt Made a Corrupt Bar-Business for Their Support in His Race for President of the United

States. Wharton Barker, a retired banker, of Philadelphia, sprang a sensation State commerce Tuesday, when he alleged that a New York financier told him in 1904 that the financial Baltimore confiagrations. interests would support Theodore Roosevelt for President, because Roosevelt had "made a bargain with

them on the railroad question." nidst of a vigorous attack on the been given the details of the impending panic of 1907 several months before it happened, but took no action

to prevent it. Mr. Barker also declared that the ldrich currency plan was the handifirm of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., of New after. York, and that a fund of \$100,000 had been started to secure its adop-

"Three or four weeks before the election in 1904," said Mr. Barker, 'I was walking down Broadway when met one of the most distinguished money kings in New York, a man now dead. He said to me: 'We are going to elect Roosevelt.' I expressed surprise and asked if he had given up and the unfavorable outlook. the support of Parker. He said yes, that they had frightened Roosevelt so he had made a bargain with them.

"He is to holler all he wants to, he told me, 'but by and by a railroad bill will be brought in by recommendation of the President, cutting off the railroads to make pooling ar- ards by the insurance men. rangements and providing for maximum rates.'

The railroad man added, said Mr Barker, that under the latter authority it would be possible to add from \$300,000,000 to \$400,000,000 to the total freight charges paid by the American public.

"I told him I did not believe Roosevelt had made any such agreement," said Mr. Barker, "but when the annual message of 1905 went to Congress he recommended most of those things. I wrote to President Roosevelt and told him what I had heard, and that I had thought the man lied, but now I must believe he had not. It was the only letter of Delivers to Sheriff Laurens Boy mine Mr. Roosevelt ever failed to

Members of the committee asked Mr. Barker to give the name of the Roosevelt was to be elected.

"I cannot do it," said Mr. Barker, 'but subsequently somebody was alleged to have stolen some correspondence between Mr. Harriman and the President, telling of \$250,000 put up for election expenses in the city of New York."

Referring to the panic of 1907, Mr. last year were the best in the history Barker said a man who was present of the Government, amounting to at a conference at J. P. Morgan's \$322,526,299. Another very remark- house in May, came to him in Philaable statement of Mr. Cabell is that delphia and wanted him to use his last year the production of distilled influence with President Roosevelt to jail. spirits in the United States was 175,- stop a plan that had been mapped 402,395 gallons, or nearly 7,000,000 out, he alleged, by the financial leadgallons more than in 1907, the prevers. This man was a captain in the Rough Riders, he said, and bad used The production of beer, ale, etc., his own influence with the President,

"The plan," said Mr. Barker, "conthe previous banner year, 1910. templated the curtailment of loans, mule by the reins and bringing the the withdrawal of credits, the putting houses of the United States, ripen- away of money by those interested ing for use, 249,279,346 gallons of in- where they could get it when they that the young ladies get out. Withtoxicating liquors. Still another very needed it to stop the panic, and the remarkable statement in Mr. Cabell's enforcement of the various State laws rade an effort to force them to alight, regarding the holding of cash re- when the screams of both frightened large increase in the illicit manufac- serves by the banks and trust com-

Mr. Barker said that in October. when the financial upheaval reached The first four of these States are its crisis, he urged President Roosesupposed to be prohibition and in velt to distribute the \$145,000,000 Virginia the stuff is sold only in in- of cash in the treasury among the corporated cities and towns and then banks of Chicago, Philadelphia, Bos-

"He wanted to do it," he said, "but he called in Mr. Knox, Mr. Cortelyon and Mr. Root, and instead of depositing in the outside cities, he plunged the whole amount into Wall Street. It broke the county, but it saved the gamblers."

The Philadelphia man, whose bankng house at one time was fiscal agent for the Russian Government, declared that those who backed the Aldrich and were running about featherless monetary plan had been a "propaganda" in which it was proposed to E. Stocker of Colorado City, Col., has spend \$1,000,000 to secure the enforsement of the proposed currency

> "Yesterday a banker in Philadelphia started to collect that city's share of the money, \$100,000" he

> He declared that the great "money oligarchy" of New York controlled all the lines of finance, industry and transportation, and that no legislation designed to break up the trusts would strike at the root of the trou-

"Few people appreciate how, by ontrol of the money of trust companies, savings banks and State banks

He urged a law that would compel national banks to hold their legal reserve in cash instead of having the power to redeposit part of it in the banks of New York.

"Nothing but those immense re erves, varying from \$250,000,000 to \$350 000 000 makes New York the money power it is," said Mr. Barker.

Kills His Wife and Self.

While his five children, the eldest aged 11, lay asleep in an adjoining room. O. C. Allison, a farmer Monis alleged to have shot the Snowdens day shot and killed his wife and shot himself to death in his home at Ne- at Oriental, Pa., held up, robbed and vada, Mo.

> Daily Thought. If what you have done yesterday done nothing to

LOSS HEAVY BY FIRE

TY MILLION YEARLY.

Carelessness Is the Chief Cause, and People Should Be Taught How to Prevent Fires.

Present indications are that the fire losses in the United States and Cangain With the Railroads and Big ada for 1911 will exceed \$260,000,-000. The figures for the first seven months of the year show a total of \$126,076,800 during the same period

last year. The losses for 1910 were \$234, on the State committee on Inter- year, the 1911 losses may approach ceeds last year's work by over 1,000 \$300,000,000. This will exceed any examinations. year in the history of the country, except those of the San Francisco and Government officials, underwriters

the recent fires, which have attracted 'Money Trust," in which he alleges companied, were due to the carelessoccupants, or municipal authorities.

New York has been spending \$10 .-000,000 a year for fire extinguishment and only \$10,000 for fire prevention. The recent shirt waist factory fire aroused the public and the but of Mr. Warbur, of the banking be made much more prominent here-

> The most important consideration sonal responsibility on the part of year. property owners for the excessive fire waste, which is daining the resources of the country and weakening its insurance companies have retired from the field already this year, because of the heavy losses last year

Disasters like the recent factory fire at Newark, N. J., in which 20 girls were killed and 50 seriously injured, are chiefly due to carelessness. In this case both municipality and not seen to the proper fire escapes rebates and free passes, which suits and exits, although the owners had us who own the railroads, perlitting been frequently warned by the haz-

> fact that the greatest care is retressing fatalities each year in the smaller cities and towns which never lessness of these products. get headlines in the papers, because only one or two persons were burned

MOB LISTENS TO REASON.

Charged With Serious Offense.

The prompt action, Wednesday and Rural Policeman Sullivan, and crowd of citizens bent on meeting tials. out of the negro summary vengeance for his alleged conduct towards two girls of Laurens. The trouble occurred in the vicinity of Watts Cotton Mills, near the city, and after an apits course, Moody was delivered to of health of New York city, and of the officers and by them lodged in the city of Charleston, and to the

It seems that Moody late Tuesday afternoon accosted the young girls tories in Washington." as they were returning home in a buggy from the mill, where the older of the two is employed. Springing from hiding on the roadside the negro, so the story goes, seized the team to a stop, sprang to the side of the buggy and demanded with oaths out waiting, it is said, the boy then

him away. Driving hurriedly to their home, the girls reported the matter. Quickly, the news of the alleged attempt of the ngero spread and soon a crowd collected for the purpose of running down the offender. Suspifound at home and promptly taken in hand by the members of the man hunting crowd. The negro was taken before the girls and positively identified as their would-be assailant. Moody denied anything, but it is said that there is strong proof that he is the right man. No other trouble is expected, and the law will take its

CONDITIONS ARE APPALLING.

People in Asiatic Russia Suffer From

Fancine.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg, Russia, says the sufferings experienced in the famine of 1891 are being repeated in the province of Oren-Russia, is famine stricken. The ining to towns, preparing for death and begging for the adm'ustration of the east communion. The crops in the province of Orenburg are \$6 per cent below the average, and Bishop T. C. Helyabinsk has issued an appeal to the government asking aid for peas-

More Deaths Than Births.

ication of official statistics. These cover the first six months in 1911 and show an excess of death over births of 18,279. The figures are all the more discouraging from the fact that for the same period in 1910 the births exceeded the death by 21,184.

Traps Station Robbers.

When robbers entered the station eat Operator A. L. Carroll they were unaware of the fact that he threw a

WORK BEING DONE

ABOUT TWO HUNDRED AND SIX- DR. COWARD TELLS OF RESULTS

OF THE LABORATORY.

Efficiency of Commercial Disinfectants Now Being Sold in the State TARIFF to be Tested.

The report on the work done in the laboratory during the year was made to the State board of health at the annual meeting Friday by Dr. F A. Coward, director. Some interest-\$154,992,900, as compared with ing statistics are given in the report. "Over 3,850 examinations of all kinds have been made," said Dr. Coward. "The number of each kind 406,650, and if the present ratio of and the results obtained are set forth increase continue throughout the in the attached table 'A.' This ex-

"One hundred and fourteen people have received immunizing treatment against rabies; one of the cases developed the dread disease and died in years of factional fighting, the Demand firemen agree that the majority spite of the treatment; this was a of these fires are due to carelessness small boy, badly bitten about the ings of God, will remain so." and are easily preventable. All of mouth. For the past two months we have been sending the treatment by he added. "I had lots of help, and Mr. Barker's statement came in the public attention because of the heavy nearl to those requesting it, thus per- every Democrat who participated in loss of life with which they were ac- mitting home treatment by the fam- that troublesome, laudable work deily physician. No bad results have serves his full share of the honor. also that President Roosevelt had ness and indifference of the owners, been reported from patients thus While there was once despair in treated.

"The preparation and distribution now." of typhoid bacterin was begun on Aumunizing doses have been sent out- made indirect reply to criticisms of work, not of former Senator Aldrich, authorities, and fire prevention is to vere reaction has been reported from liam Jennings Bryan, as to the Speakis the development of a sense of per- will be adopted during the coming and wisdom among the Democrats to

"The method of technique of preparing the vaccine is patterned after that of the army medical school at insurance capital. A score of fire Washington. The laboratory has been from a political standpoint," said he fortunate in enlisting the services of J. R. Cain. To his painstaking and er, worked together, fought together careful work the success of the year's and won together. We replaced the outine work is largely due. Arthur old habit of defeat with the new habit Williams has also rendered much- of victory, the bad fashion of quarneeded help with the hookworm di- reiling among ourselves with the betagnoses.

"For the assistance of these gentiemen we are indebted to the Rocke- astonished enemy. owner are responsible. The city had feller sanitary commission, without whose aid their employment would ward the Democrats. President Taft's not have been possible.

"It is the intention of the director to make a through test of the effi-The public should be brought to ciency of commercial disinfectants tion proved that, wherever the tariff ealize the excessive danger involved now being sold in South Carolina, was the sole or the principal issue in the handling of gasoline and the and to issue a bulletin showing the the Democrats won, and that when results of these tests. Much fraud is Mr. Taft vetoed the tariff bills, it was quired at all times. Its increasing now being practiced in connection inevitable that the tariff would be domestic use renders more important with the exploiting and selling of the leading issue next year. the education of the public in this such goods. The time has come regard, as there are hundreds of dis- when your board must take a definite stand as to the value or worth-

The yearly increase in diagnostic work at the laboratory leads me tion of Canada. There is not a fact to suggest that all municipalities es- in the universe on which to base such tablish diagnosis laboratories. These a slander. I never at any time or can be managed at moderate expense place stated, or even hinted, such : if the work be confined strictly to wicked and kuixotic scheme to any board of health work. It is our in- human being. I have never dreamed tention to issue a bulletin giving a of such a thing, and would oppose it list of necessary apparatus, the cost to the uttermost. of same and methods and formulae "I have frequently for years exfor the various tests. Then a course pressed the hope that there might be night, of Sheriff Owings, Deputy Reid of three or four weeks' free instruction will be offered at our laboratory the cool conduct of the officers after to prepare men to conduct such local arriving upon the grounds, probably laboratories, each municipality being friendly suggestion, because we are saved Robert Moody, a 16-year-old allowed to send one applicant and to

"This will give the laboratory at Columbia more time for research and experiment work on some of our en demic, unconquered diseases. For many courtesies and much assistance peal to the crowd to let the law take the director is indebted to the board Rquirements for Success in Protectdirectors of the hygienic laboratory and the army medical school labora-

BOTH ARE TURNED LOOSE.

Jury Sets Old Man and Woman Free of Murder Charge.

Charged with the murder of William A. Abbott, a young printer, in utilization of the infested trunks or Spartanburg in September, 1879, treatment at direct expense in cases Richard Abernathy, the aged chair- where the wood cannot be utilized. maker of Blacksburg, was found not as specified in Part IV. of this. guilty at 10 o'clock Friday night, af- The attachments of the best sucter the jury had been out four hours coss from the practical application of and after a trial which consumed any of these methods will depend the whole day in general sessions on their adaptation to local conditions court. Mrs. Dora Abernathy, wife of and requirements for disposing of the Richard's cousin, and alleged acces- infested timber and strict adherence sory of the murder, because of whose to certain details which are absocion pointed to Moody and he was illicit relations with Abbott, accord- lately necessary to the destruction ing to the State, the printer was of the broods.

SEVENTY YEARS SENTENCE.

verdict being directed by Judge Er-

Man Given a Long Prison Term For Trying to Kill.

Dalmatian who fired four shots at ers in each community if they are Herr Mochenburger, minister of jus- sufficiently informed on the essential tice, during the session of the Austri- facts. an reichsrath on October 5, was sentenced to 70 years' hard labor. The or conclusions as to the most economtrial lasted two days. Njegus had pro- ical and effective method of procedof the lower house of the reichsrath forred until certain information is at burg and Tural territory, Asiatic on October 5 during a debate on the hand in regard to the local condition ty-one previous visits, he was wel- Motorman and Dispatcher Hurt, Butseverity of some sentences imposed as to : (a) the character and extent habitants of these regions are flock- on rioters who had protested against of the infestation; (b) the interest greeted as kindly as it would have the high cost of food. He fired de- manifested by the people of the com- been if it were the first born. liberately at the ministerial bench munity in the value to them to the Sturgkh were seated but the bullets did not strike any one.

Hotel Clerk Killed by Convict Guard. and W. H. Malett, a convict guard, is under arrest charged with the kill-The serious attention of the public ing of Hicks, the outcome of an arguas again been called to the popula- ment as to the ownership of an overion question in France, by the pub- coat. The shooting occurred late Friday in a hotel at Jackson, Miss.

> Died From Football Injuries. Charles D. Benson, the 17-year-old

left halfback of the Newport News, Va., high school football team, who had his neck broken in the game against Fredericksburg College Friday, died there that night." Found in Federal Prison

red signal as they entered the place. in the federal penitentiary yard at The signal stopped a train and both- Fort Leavenworth, late Friday prob- caped. Dogs followed his trail for robbers were caught ransacking the ably prevented a wholesale outbreak miles, only to lose it, and there is no taken from the pinions of one goose with \$132 in cash and check's of government prisoners.

Champ Clark Says Hope Succeeds Dispair in Democratic Hearts.

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After Years of Labor, Declares Speaker, Replying to Bryan's Criticism, Efforts of Himself and Other Leaders Have Entirely Eliminated Discussion Within Party's Ranks.

Speaker Champ Clark, who is in Washington, declared Monday that he had devoted the last three years chiefly to getting the House Democrats together and holding them together, and that, after seventeen ocrats are "united, and, by the bless

"I did not do it all by a long shot," Democratic hearts, there is high hope

In this way the titular head of the gust 16. Since that time 3,550 im- Democratic lower house of Congress no untoward results, infection or se- former Presidential Candidate Wilthe use of this vaccine. The con- ership no longer carrying the leader teiner now used has not proved en- ship of the House. Mr. Clark referrtirely satisfactory, and a batter one ed to the great importance of unity draw voters not belonging to the Democratic party.

"The most important feature of the extraordinary session of Congress ter fashion of taking counsel together and then presenting a solid front to

"The trend of public opinion is tolong trip seems to have left things in statu quo."

The speaker says the recent elec

"One of the most preposterous canards put into print since Guttenberg invented movable type," added the speaker, "is the charge that I am in favor of the forcible annexa-

union of the two countries by mutual consent and for the good of both. It always seemed to me a neighbors, of the same blood and negro boy from the hands of an angry provide him with the proper creden-speaking the same language, but as that, there is an end to it."

THE DYING PINE-THE REMEDY.

ing the Living Pine. The requirements for success in

Southern pine beetle is the destruc- daughter, Josephine, four years old, tion of the broods of the Southern pine beetle in the bark of the main trunks of the dying infested trees before they leave the bark. This is wandered about the city. As mornor more different methods of direct haunted Marchesi, so he said, that he innocent and they acted on that be-

The period in which to locate and slain, was also found not guilty, the mark the trees that are actually innest Gary in her-case earlier in the fested and in which the marked trees children with brown eyes, but only should be utilized or treated to kill with blue eyes. If both parents have the broods is between the 1st of No- brown eyes simplex, then one in four vember and the 1st of the following of the children will have blue eyes. If March, but in some cases the period one parent has simplex brown eyes may be extended to the 1st of May.

The adoption of the method of de- of the children will have blue eyes stroying the broods,, which in each But if in both or either one of the case is the most economical and effec- parents the blue iris pigmentation > At Vienna, Austria, Njegus, the tual, can be determined by the own-duplex, all of the offspring will have cent for him to make any prediction.

Detailed advice, recommendations where Herr Mochenburger and Count pine and the importance of protecting it as the source of future rev enue; (c) the assurance of the majority of the owners that concerted action will be taken according to a Samuel E. Hicks, a clerk, is dead definite plan and purpose, and finally, i' a demonstration is desired, that local facilities will be offered for its successful prosecution.

If the owners of pine will consider the protection of their timber from the standpoint of a common interest and will realize the necessity for concerted action in the control work, success will be assured.

Eludes Dogs and Men. Though all the county officers and three hundred volunteers searched

far and wide Wednesday, T. B. Walker, the negro condemned to die on the gallows at Washington, Ga., Wednes-The finding of twelve loaded re- day, but who escaped from officers volvers and four sticks of dynamite Tuesday night, is yet at large. He was handcuffed securely when he esclue now as to where he is.

Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

THIS BRIDEGROOM SAT DOWN

Didn't See Why He Should Stand While the Bride Plighted Her Troth at the Altar.

They strolled into the parsonage of suburban town in New Jersey and asked to get married They were from back in the country and both seemed anxious to get the ceremony over and done with and get back to their work. Thrifty young people of German blood, they were, with no time to waste on foolishness

The minister called in his wife and servant to witness the ceremony and proceeded promptly. He had the couple stand before him, asked the usual preliminary of estions, and then got from the bridegroom the pledge that tied him for life to the bride. He had just started with "Do you take this man," when he was aston-

ished to see the bridgeroom walk over to a sofn ore - 'mly sit down. "What do you mean by that?" asked the minister "Don't you want to finish the ceremony?" "Sure," said the bridegroom.

you're through with me I've said my part, and I'll sit here until she says hers. I'm tired." "You'll come back here and stand up until it is over," said the parson in

The man got up and came back. His bride had not minded his action In the least After they had gone the minister spoke his mind: "The woman is going .o get the

worst of that matrimonial bargain."

And for once his wife agreed with

ADMITS CRIME TO PRIEST.

Had Killed His Wife and the Man He

Found With Her. Tortured by the mental picture of his heedless wife and her paramour, whom he had slew, Pasquale Marchesi, 27 years old, a merchant of Kenasha, Wis., confessed to a priest covered. He was turned over to the police who are closely guarding held his ingers and elaculated: him for fear of possible mob violence. According to Marchesi, he went home and found his wife, Rosari, and the Canadians do not seem to want his cousin and namesake making love.

heads of the two lovers. Taking his baby, two months old from the arms of his slain wife, Marchesi washed the blood from its face. carried it to the home of his brother any effort to protect the living pine and said that his wife was ill. He of labor, tears came into Mr. Gompfrom the destructive attack of the returned to the house, dressed his ers eyes as he answered:

and took her to his brother's. Marchesi then returned to the was forced to confess.

Color of the Eye. Brown eyes are due to a brown pigment laid down in the iris; blue eyes are due to : lack of such pigment. When both parents are brown-eyed ests of the country that they were the children get the tendency to form | innocent men. tris pigment from both sides of the house, and the condition of the pigment is said to be duplex. If the children ger the tendency from one parent only, they will have brown eyes, but the condition is said to be sim plex. Two parents lacking brown in the iris (blue eyed) will never have and the other has blue eyes, one-half

brown eyes. Twenty-Second Child.

There is rejoicing in the home of sible special meeting it is too early to Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Davis of Car- say.' bondale. Pa., for the stork has paid cured admission to the public gallery ure for any given area should be de- another visit to their home and although the old bird had made twencomed and his burden, a son, was

Leg Cui Off by Box Car. While standing on a passenger track at Spartanburg Junction Tuesday afternoon, watching a southbound train pull out, General Foreman J. W. Rideout, of the Southern Railway, was struck by a box car. which was backed up against him. He was dragged ten or fifteen feet and his left leg completely severed from his body.

Have Located Him at Last.

From a description and a photograph, the man who registered at the around Wylam, a place near Ensley, Hotel Astor in New York as Maurice where transfers are not allowed un-Stuart and shot himself through the der the new arrangement. heart on November 6 was unofficially identified Monday as Edward Westmoreland Barret, who had said he was the head of the company bearing a white man with his face blackened his name of London.

Quills and Their Uses. Quills are things that are sometimes to spread the opinions of another.

ASTOUNDED GOMPERS

PRESIDENT OF AMERICAN FED ERATION OF LABOR.

Says He Has Been Deceived But is Not Apprehensive as to Effect of

Development on Labor. "I am astounded, I am astounded. My credulity has been imposed upon. It is a bolt out of a clear

The exclamations were those of Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, when advised of the pleas of guilty in the

Mr. Gompers was on his way from Washington when he was awakened at a New Jersey station by an Associated Press reporter. He went to the rear of the car and read carefully the account of the sensational developments of the Los Angeles dynamiting case. The labor leader was visibly moved

as he read how the men in whose

defense he had spoken and worked so untiringly had admitted their guilt. Tears came into his eyes and the hand that held the pages shook. He said nothing, however, until he had finished the story and then he broke forth with his exclamations of astorishment and indignation. "If this is all true my credulity has been imposed upon," he declared. "I as astonished at this news. We have

us by every one connected with the trial, either directly, or indirectly, that these men were innocent." Asked if he would have anything to say about the prisoners personally,

had the gravest assurances given to

he replied: "No, I shan't add to the misery by condemnation of them." "What effect do you imagine this will have on labor unions?"

To this inquiry Mr. Gompers up-"None!" Referring to the explosion Mr.

Gompers continued: "We have discouraged acts like Without allowing his presence to be- those. We have patriotic and peacecome known, Marcesi went to a loving men, and we have only a wish woodshed, procured a hand axe, crept, to call out the best elements in huinto the house and chopped off the man nature. Those two men must have been crazy. It is an act that I

condemn with all the force that is in me." Asked again if he believed that developments would injure the cause

"They are not going to do it any good, but I want to repeat that the cause of labor has been imposed uphouse; concealed the hatchet and on both by supposed friends and enemies. The men of labor were led to accomplished by the adoption of one ing begun to dawn, the spectres so believe that the McNamara boys were lief. I received letters from them myself protesting their innocence. and it was only in September that I visited them in their cells in the Los Angeles jail when they asked me to deliver a message to the labor inter-

> "The cause af labor can not win by such methods as these men pursued. Damage to property and destruction of life we have denounced and done all in our power to prevent. Such methods as these we have got to

> "This unexpected self-conviction is nothing more or less than a failure of two individuals to live up to the high principles of organized labor and can not reflect just condemnation upon the cause as a whole."

stamp out.

Asked what action the American Federation of Labor might take, Mr. Gompers said the news was too re-"The American Federation of Lab-

Thursday." he added. "As to a pos-

CAR DYNAMITED.

or only closed its annual meeting

Passengers Escaped Injuries. At Birmingham, Ala., on Friday an interurban car on the South Ensiey line was blown up by dynamite at Ensley Highland station shortly after 7 o'clock. Motorman Johnson was seriously injured and Dispatcher Parsons was cut about the face by flying glass. Conductor J. D. Lee and the passengers escaped unin-

Feeling against the local traction company has been aroused by signing last Saturday by the city commissioners of a new contract with the company affecting street car rates. transfers and the prices of electricity. The chief seat of objection has been

Hold Up Cashiers. At Kansas City, Mo., a negro and

Friday held up employes in the cashier's office of the Missouri Pacific freight depot and after shooting two men, one probably fatally, escaped amounting to \$958.