THEY ARE PAROLED

GOV. BLEASE TURNS MORE CON-VICTS ON THE PEOPLE.

TWELVE SLAYERS FREE

Among Released Are One Guilty of Criminal Assault, Two of Arson, Five of Larceny-One of Burglary,

One of Highway Robbery, Several for Violating Dispensary Law.

According to papers filed with the secretary of state Monday the governor has granted fifteen paroles to prisoners serving terms in the State complete. penitentiary and the county chain gangs. Eight manslayers are included in the list of those released. The paroles were issued to the following

prisoners: Willis Perry, convicted in Greenwood in 1906 of carbreaking and larcency and sentenced to two years in his friends. One of the chief claims ly and sanely to state them. The navy department that the commandthe penitentiary.

Arthur Byrd, convicted in Newbertenced to ten years.

1913 of murder and sentenced to life paign. in the penitetinary.

Gilder P. Varn convicted in Charleston in 1904 of grand larceny and

Ely Freeman, convicted in Greenville county in 1913 of arson and sentenced to ten years in the peniten-

Amanda Truesdale convicted in tenced to six months on the chain

Bud Simmons, convicted in Saluda of manslaughter and sentenced to

Majoe Smith, convicted in Abbeville in 1909 of murder and sentenced to life. On February 20 the governor reduced his sentence to twenty years on condition that he serve on the county gang. Noy he is parolled.

Frank Williams, convicted in Horry in 1913 of manslaughter and sentenced to two years. William Gantt, convicted in Edge-

field in 1896 of murder and sentenced to life imprisonment. Stephen Turner, convicted in Marion in 1912, of manslaughter and

sentenced to ten years in the peniten-Ambrose Scruggs, convicted in

Cherokee in 1912 of manslaughter and sentenced to five years. J. W. Sykes, convicted in Cherokee of practicing dentistry without a li-

cense and sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 or serve thirty days on the chain gang. James Bull, convicted in Darling-

ton in 1906 of criminal assault and sentenced to the penitentiary for ten years. On February 17 the governor reduced his sentence to nine years and eleven months on the condition that he serve time on the county chain gang. Now he is paroled.

Herbert Tarrant, convicted in Greenville in 1913 of arson and sentenced to 12 years in the tiary.

On Thursday of last week the Governor paroled fourteen others. Three were sent up for manslaughter and one for murder. They were:

James Jeter, convicted in Cherokee in 1901, of murder and sentenced to life. Early this year his term was commuted to twenty years.

John Lawrence, convicted in Pickens in 1912 for assault and battery with intent to kill and carrying concealed weapons and sentenced

three years. Otis James, convicted in Richland in 1909 of larceny and sentenced to

ten years. E. L. Pound, convicted in Lexington in 1913 of obtaining goods under

false pretenses and sentenced to three months or a fine of \$450. John Lindsay, convicted in Newberry in 1913 of violating the dispensary law and sentenced to six months. Will Guyton, convicted in Ander-

son in 1908, of burglary and sentenced to 12 years. Cato Williams, convicted in Marion

in 1908 of highway robbery and sentenced to nine years. Dennie Wilkes, convicted in York

in 1913, of violating the dispensary law and sentenced to a fine of \$400 or serve 12 months. John Smith, convicted in York in

1913, of housebreaking and larceny and sentenced to one year. George Epps, convicted in Union in 1912 of manslaughter and sen-

tenced to four years. J. C. Judson, convicted in Williamsburg in 1912 of assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature

and carrying concealed weapons and sentenced to five years. John Walker, convicted in York

in 1912, of manslaughter and sentenced to two years.

Marmon Mansell, convicted in Pickens in 1913, of assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature and carrying concealed weapons and sentenced to two years.

J. H. Haynes, convicted in Oconee

in 1913 of violating the dispensary law and sentenced to a fine of \$100 or serve six months. Paroled on condition that a fine of \$25 be paid.

Tom Posttoon, convitced in Williamsburg of manslaughter in February of this year and sentenced to two years.

Men Overpower Watchman.

Three men who entered the department store of Timothy Smith & Co. in Roxbury, Mass., Sunday night, ov- taking effect and resulting in the erpowered the watchman and blew open the safe, escaped with several thousand dollars. The burglary was not discovered until early Monday when the watchman was found.

Killed Her for Visiting.

Because his wife, a bride of seven months, persisted in visiting her of them were injured fatally. parents, Alfonzo Zuniga, of San Antonio, Texas, Saturday killed her: wounded his mother-in-law and then probably fatally shot himself.

Drop Dead at Seeing Fight. Patrick Eagleton, 70 years old, and Mrs. Dennis Arseneault, 60 years old, of Spencer, Mass., dropped dead

UNDERWOOD VICTORIOUS,

ALABAMA SENDS HIM TO SENATE BY BIG MAJORITY.

Richmond P. Hobson is Snowed Under-Democratic House Leader FOR LAW AND EDUCATION

Will Wear Senate Toga. Oscar W. Underwood, for nearly twenty years representative of the ninth Alabama district in the lower house of congress, swept the state in his battle with Congressman Richmond Pearson Hobson for the nomination for United States senator, according to Tuesday night's returns from Monday's Democratic primaries. Mr. Hobson conceded the victory to his rival candidate before noon Tuesday, although returns still were in-

Mr. Underwood's nomination ter minated one of the most spectacular political contests in the history of the state. With the exception of a whirlwind speaking tour during the Christmas holidays, the successful candidate's campaign was conducted by ry in 1908, of manslaughter and sen- was the charge that Representative about vital matters of common good.

Mr. Hobson entered the senatorial race nearly two years ago. He visit- ples and policies they expect to advoed every county and town in the cate. sentenced to six months on the chain state. In stump speeches he charged his opponent with having been inalso charged that corporation in-Kershaw in 1914 of larceny and sen- charges were denied by Mr. Under-

> The activities of the distinguished candidates attracted nation-wide in- the aspirations of thousands of right terest in the outcome of the primaries, when Mr. Hobson sent the following telegrom to Mr. Underwood: 'Accept my congratulations upon your nomination. As the Democratic nominee you can count on my support in the election. "Richmond P. Hobson."

THE CIGARETTE SMOKER

How They Are Rendered Unfiit for Business. Mind Becomes Dull.

All narcotic poisons tend to be mental power and corrupt the moral shall be greatly disappointed.

The boy who begins to smoke cigarettes before the age of twelve will will be to lie about his being addicted to the habit.

Many a fond mother has been fooled by the heartless lies of her flendin depravity to care a rap whether he has any mother.

If such boys live to get out of their teens, they generally manage soon to get into prison cells. A large percentage of heartless

criminals are cigarette fiends. ly stated that of twenty-five thousand wealth without regard to class conor more criminals that have passed ditions or previous alliance of any before him, many of them had the sort. And even should I fail of electell-tale yellow stains on their fin- tion, I shall count the service render-

Cigarettes harden the heart for terrible deeds, and unfit the mind for any useful service.

_"Smoking cigarettes," says an im ploring mother, "has made a wreck of my son, once bright and full of brains and ambition. Now he can't think; he can't hold a subject in his mind. - He was a stenagrapher, but now he is nothing."

Japan and China have prohibited cigarettes and opium, but we Amerithe yellow races are allowing our ing. Our problems are thus largely youth to practice a habit which will economic and industrial in character. utterly ruin the nation in one generation unless checked and suppressed.

SPEAKS FOR BRYAN.

Johnson Says Commoner Has Passed

Through Criticism Unscathed

The uniforms of state department footmen, their compensation, the Panama tolls fight, Secretary Bryan's salary and his chautauqua lectures, and half a dozen other subjects, occupied the house Saturday during ed, we should set our political ma-

and judicial appropriation bills. Estimates included provision for a coach and footmen for the Bryan carriage, which provokes comment. Representative Johnson of South Carolina, in charge of the bill, read from the Bible the story of the flery fur-"criticism, sarcasm and ridicule with

SHOT THROUGH WINDOW.

Two Negroes of Grier Engage in Fatal

Shooting Scrape. After Homer Arnold's wife had locked him up in his home at Grier Monday to prevent his killing Gofer Paden, whom he had been chasing about the house with a pistol. Paden stepped around to the window of the window of the room in which Arnold was locked and fired two shots at him through the window pane, both

death of Arnold several hours later. Girder Hits Five Men.

A 20-ton steel girder broke loose from a derrick and crushed three floors of the frame work of a build-

Three Killed in Wreck.

Three persons were killed and gave way.

Bring Out Heavy Vote.

EXPLAINS ISSUES

CLINKSCALES GIVES OUT PLAT-FORM OF HIS CANDIDACY.

Wofford Professor Outlines His Views on the Importance of People Uniting for the Sake of Progress-Doesn't Want the Office at Cost of

Personal Bitterness and Hate. Dr. John G Clinkscales, professor of mathematics at Wofford college, Spartanburg, candidate for governor in the Democratic primary the coming summer, has given out the following platform in a statement to

the people: When any man presumes to offer himself for any office in the gift of the people he is expected to have reasons therefor and it is his duty frankfor recognition for their candidate people he would serve have a right to ing officer of the British cruiser Heradvanced by Mr. Underwood's friends know even beforehand what he thinks moine had been instructed to care Hobson was neglecting his duties as It has, therefore, become a custom Bud Ligon convicted in Oconee in a congressman to conduct the cam- for candidates for public office to announce a "platform" in which they are supposed to lay down the princi-

> With such an announcement I now are dear to me, and whose future "my" platform, preferring "our" platthe sentiments, the views, the hopes, to Torreon. thinking people in this great commonwealth, regardless of whether they shall vote for me or not.

Measures Not Men.

1. I believe the time has come for us to have in our political life less of control they intend to drive out the abuse of persons and more of a sane discussion of policies and principles. We can not think clearly for the common good if we have in mind the defeating of men rather than the prome no office is big enough to cause me to want it at the cost of personal bitterness and hate. If the campaign closes with my opponents not more numb the nervous system, weaken the friendly to me than when it began I

2. I believe the time has also come when we should think of ourselves as one people with common interests doubtless become a degenerate, and and hopes, and that whatever contenthe first symptom of his degeneracy tions may have divided us in the past, we are at bottom united by too much that belongs to us all not to see that whoever would disrupt us into warring factions, poison our sentiments ish cigarette offspring, too far gone towards one another with suspician and distrist, and keep stirring the unwholesome ferment of bitter class prejudices is an enemy to our peace, our prosperity, and our largest progress. I repeat, therefore, we are one people, and we must do our thinking in terms of the largest good Judge Gemmill, of Chicago, recent- to all the people of the commoned worth any cost if in my campaign Go to the cell of the neyly arrested I shall sow the seeds that shall fruit murderer, and you will see the cigar- in a greater harmony of feeling and ette in his teeth or hear him calling purpose than we have recently known in South Carolina.

Harmony and Unity. 3 In this spirit, the spirit of harmony and unity, the time has come for a study of conditions in South bors by which we get a living and all else is but a baffling dream till we cans who think ourselves superior to hope to get a little more than a liv- have done this. They grow out of what we do in shop and store and office and on the farm, gress of our entire citizenship. The world about us, other states, is on the big job of developing its natural resources in the fullest and most profitable manner. Are we on this job in South Carolina? It seems to me that our duty has at last come when realizing our common needs and gathering all the knowledge we can of what others have successfully accomplishconsideration of legislative, executive chinery to work, in the most scientific way, to advance every industrial interest. In saying this, I have in mind no special interest or pet scheme, but rather I am possessed with the conviction that we have reached a point in our history when we should begin in the spirit of pernace and declared Secretary Bryan fect fairness to apply the most mod--for example, to the great question his hair unsinged and his body un- of equitable taxation, to the efficient, betterment of both rural and urban life as far as this is a matter of legis-

lation. To these ends I solemnly a moment that as governor I should pledge what influence I have. Must Look Ahead. for the beginning of a thoroughly one day would be able to accomplish scientific effort to bring out legisla- the reforms impossible to this gentive and administrative machinery up eration. to their full standard of efficiency, and to develop our material resources for the good of all the people, we must remember that in the nature of things it is only a beginning we are making and a preparation for future realization. The achievement of the Tulsa, Okla., county jail. A waiting great ends we have in view depends absolutely on what we do with and for the human material in the State. This leads me to the subject that has been with me a lifelong passion-universal education. Democracy means, ing on lower Broadway Saturday, of course, the right to vote and equalcarrying six workmen with it. Five ity before the law. But there is a conception of it that goes deeper than this, and that is, equality of opportunity, the giving of every child the same chance to realize his best self, thirty-five injured at Attica, Ind., to conquer his surroundings intelli-Sunday when a passenger train fell gently and therefore fruitfully, and into the Wabash river. The trestle to serve co-operatively the collective interests of his community and State. From my standpoint, the child as a

future member of society can only

process called education. The right second time

AMERICA COMPLAINS

DELINEATIONS MADE TO CAR-RANZA FOR SPAIN.

Villa's Recent Order of Deportation The Comptroller-General Distributes

Issued Against All Spaniards of Torreon Causes Diplomatic Action.

Vigorous representation went from bassador Riano has been assured that nothing will be left undone to assure board. for the unfortunates at Torreon every right to which they are entitled under international law and usage.

Spain proposes to exhaust every resource to protect her people, it was made plain Tuesday, when Rear Admiral Mayor, at Tampico, called the for Spaniards at that port.

The State department, as well as the Spanish embassy at Washington, is embarrassed in dealing with the Torreon situation by a lack of exact information as to the extent of the expulsion decree and how far it has been executed. It is understood Vilcome before the people of my native la, in a public speech, told the Spanfluenced by the liquor interests. He State, whose history and traditions liards of Torreon they were to be deported en masse; that a commission fluence was behind the campaign of progress along right lines is of deep would be appointed to examine into Mr. Underwood for the presidential patriotic concern to us all. I do not each individual case and that such nomination in 1914. All of the like to describe what I have to say as of them as could establish the fact that they have rendered no aid to form in the thought that it expresses Huerta would be permitted to return

The gravity of the problem has been increased by unofficial, but credible information, that this policy of expulsion of the Spaniards is to be of general application; that as rapidly as the Constitutionalists extend their

Spaniards and seize their property. Foreseeing the gravest international complications if the Constitutionalists should undertake to apply this doctrine of wholesale expulsion of moting of measures. Certainly for aliens to other than Spaniards, the state department is expected to lay this subject before Gen. Carranza so plainly that he will exercise his full power to prevent further interference with all foreigners.

to this opportunity is, in my view, the most fundamental right in a democracy. For we get nowhere wise ly in anything except through a trained and enlightened citizenship. The costliest liability of this commonwealth is ignorance. All our progress waits upon what we do to banish it forever from us. The reform of our laws, the improvement in the efficiency of our legislative and administrative machinery, the proper regulation of our industrial interests, the development of our material resources, the all round welfare of the people-all linger and halt till we have trained our citizenship to know what ought to be done and how to do it. And this is the task of the school, the college, the university. I, therefore, have fixed in my mind the vision of a vast army of children in a school system administered liberally and efficolleges and school and college consciously moved by the high ideal of schools, the university, Clemson, the Citadel, Winthrop, shall receive my most cordial support, and I shall ask Carolina as they really are with a every denominational and private inview of applying the administrative stitution to join in friendly co-operaand legislative powers of the State to tion in hedping a great commonthe great end of promoting the mate- wealth realize its best life, social, rial welfare and progress of all the moral, political and industrial, by people. We are engaged in varied properly training all the youth of the tasks and labors, the tasks and la- State. This is our biggest job and

Observe the Law. 5. In the last place, I believe it is time for us to come to a realization of the use and meaning of the law. and concern the happiness and pro- Nothing we have is safe—life, liberty, property-unless it be protected by the law. A lawless people with justive perverted or laxly administered are a people who are relasping into not remain a lawless people. What guardians we are. If I am elected to General Braisted. It was brief and ponent's chances, but is leaving that the position of chief executive of the to the point: State, I pledge myself to try the tonic such a degree as to make South Caro- the enforcement of this order." economical administration of the lina a better place to live in functions of government, and to the and South Carolinians proud of their citizenship. We dare not go on as we are, and if I should imagine for Fatal Explosion in Caisson of Bridge have to make a truce with lawlessness of any sort, I should continue 4. But while the time has come teaching boys in the hope that they

J. G. Clinkscales.

Escape From Jail. After forcing their jailor into their cell with a pistol two youths held for

burglary Monday escaped from the automobile whisked them to safety.

Killed Trying to Escape.

ed and two others injured probably ed are being placed on boads to be fatally in an attempted break from the incorrigible ward of a Sacramento prison Saturday.

Department Store Robbid Three men entered a det .. iment

bed the safe of \$2,000. Fired in Three Places. A pyromaniac fired a building in

AMOUNTS FORWARDED TO THE VARIOUS COUNTIES.

Money to Counties-Loss of Pensioners During Year Was 283.

The State pension report was anthe American government Tuesday to nounced Monday from the office of Gen. Carranza, the Constitutionalist the comptroller-general. The total chief, urging him to modify the or- fund to be paid this year for State der of Gen. Villa expelling Spaniards pensions is \$256,488. The total numfrom Torreon. The situation is giv- ber of pensioners is 8,780. The roll ing grave concern to authorities at in 1913 was 9,102. During the past Washington. The United States had year 849 pensioners died. During undertaken to extend to Spaniards in the year there were 566 pensioners Mexico the same protection it affords added to the rolls. The applications Americans resident there, and Am- for pensions were considered at a recent meeting of the State pension

Following amounts will be sent to each county in the State:

Barnwell Beaufort Barkeley Calhoun Cherokee Chesterfield Clarendon Darlington Edgefield Fairfield Florence 2.136 Georgetown Greenwood Hampton Kershaw 8,280 2,352 Marion 11,976

8.040 FIGHT HOG CHOLERA.

4.440

Union

Williamsburg

Annual Drain on Animal Industry Seroius Menace.

culture estimate that the annual loss that we always have deemed it preferserious problems that faces the bu- toward the political conditions now have been released under paroles and

Statistics upon the annual losses good offices of the United States in from these two diseases never have behalf of foreigners, unless we be been gathered by the department of previously informed that such mediaagriculture. Texas fever and cattle tion has been requested of the United tuberculosis do not cause anything States by the interested nation." like the number of deaths as does cholera, but the loss to the cattle industry through illness, interference with reproduction and making cattle unfit for marketing is heavy. The losses run into many millions of dollars a year.

PROHIBITS DRINK.

Secretary of the Navy Will Not Allow

Any Wines in U. S. Navy. Absolute prohibition will prevail in the United States navy after July appeared confident. He gave out no barbaric conditions. But, however | 1 next. Secretary Daniels Sunday statement relative to the candidacy of easy and frequent seems the violation night made public a sweeping order, his opponent, Gov. Blease. Senator of law in this State, we simply must which not only will abolish the tradi- Smith's friends are encouraged over tional "wine mess" of the officers, but the good news he has been receiving we need is to be called back to our will bar all alcoholic liquors from on his present trip through the Pee best selves and to be reminded that every ship and shore station of the Dee, they say. They state thy are to persist in our dangerous habit of navy. This order, constituting one confident that he will defeat Gov. lawlessness is to forget what is fine of the most notable victories ever Blease by a good majority. The senin our history and traditions and to won by phoribition forces, was issued ator himself, however, while smilingbe faithless to a noble future whose at the recommendation of Surgeon ly confident, will not discuss his op-

"The use or introduction for drinkeffect of enforcing the laws without ing purposes of alcoholic liquors on on its way to passage through conregard to section or class. I believe board any naval vessel, or within gress and the immigration committhe results of such a course will be a any navy yard or station, is strictly tee, of which he is chairman, has that had come through a furnace of ern methods to conditions as they are stuffening of our moral fibre and a prohibited, and commanding officers bill before the Senate. On both meas-

NINE WORKMEN KILLED.

Being Constructed.

A dispatch from Memphis, Tenn., says between four and eleven workfrom the caisson because of the gases.

The explosion is said to have occurred when the tube was driven into tion. Rish and the other men met a pocket of gas near the Arkansas later and shots were fired. Rish fell shore. The men work in the caisson with several bullet wounds in his and said: "I'm a murderer and want in shifts of eighteen or twenty and body and expired immediately. it is said a change of shifts had just Three convicts were shot and kill- been concluded. The dead and injurcarried to Memphis.

Limits Man's Liquor Supply. According to a law enacted by the legislature of Mississippi, one gallon of whiskey and one case of beer is store of Boston Sunday night, bound the maximum quantity of intoxicants to the Rockefeller Institute for Medand gagged two watchmen and rob- that one person can legally order each ical Research of New York for the

> Car Falls and Kills Woman. A woman was killed and two men I., Saturday.

30 days.

PENSION CHECKS READY GIVEN HIGH PRAISE

CARRANZA SPEAKS HIGH OF WIL-SON AND BRYAN.

HELD IN HIGH ESTEEM

Constitutionalist Leader in Carefully Worded Paper Explains the Attitude of His Party Towards American Statesmen and Their Adopted

A carefully worded communication from Gen. Carranza dealing with the rebel foreign policy was made public Monday by Dr. Henry Allen Tupper of the International Peace Forum at El Paso, Texas. Doctor Tupper interviewed Gen. Carranza at the request Abbeville \$ 4,392 of Senator Morris Sheppard of Texas 9,912 The letter says in part:

"I possess a deep admiration for 2,688 the American people and hold in 4,320 great personal esteem President 720 Woodrow Wilson and Secretary of 3,096 State William J. Bryan. I know they 984 are men of the very highest mental-7,584 ity as well as moral and political 6,624 aims and for that reason I think that 4,248 their friendship toward me, and the 6,360 sympathy evinced for the principles 3,936, of the Mexican Constitutionalists, are 9,024 not only sincere but entirely disinterested, and are the result of the exist-3,408 ing harmony between the aims of the cause which I have the honor to rep-4,104 resent and the ideals of the Ameri-3,504 can democracy.

"As long as I am at the head of the Constitutionalist army, or in any oth- tary of State, by a correspondent of er office my policy will be to strive in 3,984 such way as to have our international obligations with foreign governments become more and more cordial, and mark he set for himself. At the an- sawmills have made great inroads especially with such countries as have nual conference of governors in Rich- into the available supply of timber their destiny linked with the politi-5.976 cal economic and personal interests Blease, in boasting of his pardon several large tracts of timber now on of Mexico.

"I sincerely regret that incidents of an international character should by the end of his second term. With likely to be within the next two years, have given rise to an interpretation a little less than a year of that sec- South Carolina's timber interests will not entirely in accord with my real ond term gone the governor's par- have been considerably lessened. attitude as the chief of the Constitut doning record has reached nearly 7,464 tionalists. I have striven to place 1,200. 6,216 myself in the legitimate light deserved by the high aims of our party, without overlooking the cordial sug- doning record is going to have on the State to markets where it would gestions which were offered me with-Spartanburg..... 17,928 in the attitude just expressed, neith- Senate. He stated after his re-elec- in touch with conditions and events 4,488 er evading responsibility nor ignor- tion in 1912 that he was proud of his you will note that when forests are 6,624 ing diplomatic customs and usage.

> us through the United States in be- mer. half of other nations, in conformity

ship which we bear towards the Unit- in addition some 57 prisoners exyoung men and young women in our disease was about \$15,000,000 more. concerning its citizens within the re- greatly curtailed. The cholera is most common in the public of Mexico. I must, however, corn states of the West and South. call your attention to the fact that service in the upbuilding of the The two other chief animal diseases we could not, without sacrificing our State. The common schools, the high are cattle tuberculosis and Texas hard-fought for prestige, consider representations made through the

OUIET IN RACE.

Senator Smith Has Nothing to Say Concerning Opponent.

United States Senator E. D. Smith did not discuss his race for re-election while in Columbia Monday en route to Washington from the Pee Dee section of the State, where he has been speaking. The junior senator was in conference with several of his political lieutenants while in the city and

until the joint debate this summer. Senator Smith's cotton bill is well cleansing of the moral atmosphere to will be held directly responsible for ures the junior senator has put in hard work and is anxious to get them

> HOMICIDE NEAR LEXINGTON. School Closing Exercise Results in

> > Fatal Duel Between Men.

Levi Rish, a farmer and trustee of men were killed and as many injured the district school, 20 miles from in an explosion of gas Monday in Lexington, known as Smith's branch Caisson No. 5 of the new J. T. Hara- school house, was killed in a gun han bridge being constructed across fight between himself and James in the world to obtain and required the Mississippi river there. The dead Clark and Elliott Gant on Saturday and injured are being removed slowly night. The three cornered duel followed a quarrel which was supposed to have arisen at a school celebra-

Double Killing.

Because his sweetheart, a house keeper, quarreled with him, George LeFauve of Peabody, Mass., Saturday shot her and her employer.

To Study Hog Cholera. James J. Hill has pledged \$50,000

Killed by Fall From Cab. Frank McQuirk of Mt. Vernon, N. Augusta Tuesday in three places, and seriously injured when their auto Y., fell from a cab at Jacksonville,

investigation of hog cholera.

No Substitutes

ETURN to the grocer all substitutes sent you for Royal Baking Powder. There is no substitute for ROYAL. Royal is a pure, cream of tartar baking powder, and healthful. Powders offered as substitutes are made from alum.

THE PARDON RECORD

GOVERNOR HAS SHOWN CLEMEN.

CY TO OVER A THOUSAND.

Looks Like He Will Carry Out His Threat to Turn All the Criminals Out of the Penitentiary.

There have been 1,176 convicts who have received clemency at the hands of Gov. Cole L. Blease since he was inaugurated for the first time on January 17, 1911. Of this number about three-fourths were released under paroles and the rest were given full pardons or had their sentences commuted. These figures were compiled Saturday morning from records in the office of R. M. McCown, Secre-The News and Courier.

With nearly 1,200 to his credit, Gov. Blease seems to have beaten the ten years and the operations of many mond, Va., in the fall of 1912 Gov. in the Palmetto State. There are he hoped to make the number 800 these are cut off, as they are quite

indulged in as to the effect the par- dressed lumber shipped outside the governor's race for the United States bring the highest prices. If you keep pardon record and that he considered cut down by these lumber operators, "In surpuance of this attitude all the people had endorsed it by relect- the small trees, which are valueless, representations and matters called to ing him over former Chief Justice are also swept away and the ground our attention by the United States in Ira B. Jones. Since that time 600 made desolate, so to speak, instead an unofficial way have, in the past, more prisoners have been freed and of cleaning out the larger trees and received our prompt attention and I there is every indication that the par- leaving the young saplings to grow assure you that hereafter the same doning record will again be one of and bring later revenue. This is one attention will be given to all repre- the main issues in the campaign for of the evils of the "timber hog". sentations and matters presented to the United States Senate this sum-

with international diplomatic usage out his declaration that he would de- in sight and ample timber to take Experts of the department of agri- and custom notwithstanding the fact populate he State penitentiary by care of immediate needs. So, why August 1. A great many prisoners worry? The average man paid little from hog cholera in the United able to avoid responsibility being have been sent back to the county heed or had no concern in the future States is \$75,000,000. They regard thrust upon the United States by oth- chain gangs of the counties from cost of timber for construction purthe eradication as one of the most er powers as a result of its attitude which they were sentenced and others poses fifteen or twenty years from reau of animal industry, for the loss existing in the republic of Mexico. pardons. There are only 186 pris- place seemed the only issue when caused by it approximately as great "I can conceive no better evidence oners left in the penitentiary, of considering the timber question. as that from all other animal diseases of the spirit of cordiality and friend- whom just 150 are men. There are by cholera in 1912 was estimated at reive unofficial representations and stated that this is much less than The question of forest reserves has The loss from hogs killed outright ed States than our willingness to re- ployed on the State farms, but it is \$60,000,000. The loss to the hog in- claims made by the United States the number necessary to work the ciently, an ever increasing body of dustry indirectly resulting from the government in regard to all matters farms and operations will have to be

SPEAKER LOUDLY HISSED.

Retired Army Major is Cat-Called

When He Attacked Wilson. Praise and blame for President Wilson's Mexican policy were min- uable tracts have been almost degled at last week's session of the stroyed by fire. In some parts of the American Academy of Political and State where long leaf pine yas plenti-Social Science, held at Philadelphia,

concensus was against intervention. Major Cassius L. Gillette, U. S. A., retired, described conditions in Mexico, and declared that it was his belief that the president would not be unwilling to become a war hero in ! order to get a second term. Loud! such a situation would come about.

resented the remarks of Major Gil-debris the amount of fire risks would lette. "Although I am a Republican have been reduced to a minimum. and have fought all my life to defeat Democrats," he said, "I will up- stances, land has been cleared of hold with all my power the president trees and stumps and converted into of my country in his Mexican policy profitable farming acreage, whereas it and in his efforts to avert war." He produced nothing before but a thirdalso resented, he said, the "dragging grade of lumber. But the point is,

Huerta". HAS GOOD RULE.

Wilson Tells How He Decides Upon

His Public Servants. President Wilson recently enunciated the principle by which he of land are planted with bland walnut chooses public servants, declaring the and at the age of 21 years the young first requisite was a spirit of justice man is indeed wealthy. This is a and fairness. He said he believed the best result came from choosing for the future entirely foreign to the those who w d consider questions fairly rather than those who would decide questions in a certain way. The president remarked to him that it seemed that justice was the thing more courage and conscience than

Asked to be Jailed for Murder. Henry Goldsby approached a Danville, Va., policeman Tuesday night, to be arrested." He claims he killed a Georgian named Hart at Douglas, her living as the one who knows well

Gunmen Rob Gamblers.

any other one thing.

Five armed men entered a New is in the country." York club early Thursday morning, broke up several poker games, grabbad \$5,000 and fled.

Explosion on Torpedo Boat. in the death of a fireman Monday.

Killed His Stepson. Van Hemphill of Gaffney Tuesday

CARE FOR FORESTS

THIS STATE IS ABOUT TO LOSE ITS VALUABLE TIMBER.

Large Tracts of Land Are Denuded of Their Natural Protection Against Floods by Indiscriminate and Careless Cutting of Young and Imma-

It will be a question of only a few years more before the timber problem of South Carolina is serious in the extreme. Great traces of timberland have been cut off during the last record, which was over 400, said that the market in South Carolina and if

Some of the largest tracts in the State have been purchased by north-There is much speculation being ern and western capital and the

South Carolina has for years regarded her timber rights with little Gov. Blease is apparently carrying regard. These seemed to be enough now. Wood sufficient for his fire-

But not so the men who have the interests of State and nation at heart. The problem of conserving our natural resources is not new. Yet it is pounding on the front doors of our legislative halls for recognition, and crying out against the shameful

wastes of timber lords and hogs who recognize no man's rights but their own personal gain. Our pine forests have become depleted and by carelessness, many valful five years ago, there is hardly a but there was general agreement that hundred trees visible. Forest fires over uncared-for tracts of timber until the land question is settled. The land prove costly. One woman in eastern North Carolina had a large tract of long leaf pine for which she refused \$75,000 and six months later

a negro, after he had been discharged, set fire to the forest and it was sold later for \$5,000. This only illustrates the extent of and long hisses came from different damage by fire possible, and further parts of the hall at once. He added emphasized the importance of caring that he knew that he said would for valuable timber tracts so that exarouse protest, and prophesied that tensive and damaging fires will be impossible. By proper trimming here Congressman S. F. Prouty of Iowa and there and cleaning up or burning

Of course, in thousands of inof the president down to the level of not enough emphasis of importance is placed upon the value of restocking our forests or providing for the future. In Germany, for instance, a certain area is replanted with young trees every year to replace the natural yearly consumption of timber through regular channels. If a man desires his son to be a rich man, at the child's birth ten or twenty acres system of conservation or providing

> average American. Our farm journals and agricultural papers are filled with column after column devoted to the ubjects of good seed, more power for the farmer, county fairs and such subjects, but not a line do you find as to the value of timber to any State and the need of restocking our waste areas

> with some good quality of timber. Prof. Charles A. Keffer says: "The farmer man or boy, woman or girl, who knows only the work of the farm, can not be as happy in his or the life surrounding him; wild birds and fishes ought to be very much a part of the society of him whose home

Prof. Keffer is right. Every farmer, and his boys should study trees, the different wood, park, branches and development. With nursery stock so cheap and the possibilities of An explosion on the torpedo boat orchards becoming more and more Aylwin stationed at Norfolk resulted apparent, there is no reason why profitable orchards could not be planted on the acreage left vacant or desolate by the woodchoppers.

> Columbia leads the league! Rise up, ye ancient hopes.

as they witnessed a fight between ballots and ended long fight between posed to the creative and developing failing to burn it. later fired it the swerved off a bridge at Winfield, L. Fla., Sunday and fatally fractured his killed his stepson in the Star Farm Underwood and Hobson, three men.