SOIL AND CROP.

Work of the United States Ag-- ricultural Department.

IMPROVING COPTON

Experiments in South Carolina. The Selection of the Best Seed Improves the Standard Varieties of otton and Ohter Crops. Tea Grown in this State.

The annual report of the secretary of agricultura for the year 1905 ha just become available and contains much interesting information relative to soil, crops, methods of planting,

etc., in South Carolina. In the breeding and improvements of cotton the first experiments were made in 1899. At this time little had been published concerning action breeding. The frequency of natural crossing in the field has been given might be grown without risk of mix ing and deteriorating. Toe correlation of characters, the law governing the splitting of hybrids, the form of plant and other important matters have been carefully studied. The most important problem in the co.ton industry is the securing of varieties as productive as ordinary staple sorts,

but producing better and longer lint This can be done by two distinctly different methods. The first method is to secure hybrids of the long sta ple, see island cotton with the stand ard short staples, with a view towards securing new sorts which combine. first, improved length of staple with large bolls, opening well; and, see ond, the productive character of the plant of the short staple The department has secured h, b ids, one threatening to fire through the trunk post himself being blown to bits as a ning and skill of certain students that Hammond and his wife had been from the county. The negroes con- schmidt, immediately accepted the class of which is a distinctly upland type and produces large round 5 lock ed bolls, has fine silkly lint from 1 1 2 other varieties secured by the depart-

aging only 1 3 8 inches. A second method of securing im proved staple, which has giv n very striking so-ults, is the straight selec tion of the standard short staple va rieties. It was found by careful ex amination of such varieties as Ru. sell and Jones improved, that there length of lint produced by different plants. Careful experiments have been made with both these varieties and the average length of lint in the breed ing stock of these two varieties has increased from the ordinary 1 to 1 1 8

ment are similar, but have lint aver

and all other good characters. All varieties of cotton have been found to vary greatly in their produc tivity in the case of d fferent individ uals and d ff rent strains of the same variety. One strain, Pride of Geor gia, which has for several years been selected for increased yield by a careful system of pedigree breeding, has distributed to planters in the spring the latter exerted their strength to doors of the building were suddenly of 1906, and in 1907, a still higher grade of select seed of the same va

a riety will be available. In the boll weevil infested ares there is great demand for earlier va rieties of big boll types. The extensive experiments inaugurated in 1904 in this line have not yet reached a stage where safe conclusions can be drawn. but preliminary experiments stated the year preceding have given one very early strain, selected from a na tive Texas big boil-sort, with which it has been compared. A limited trial distribution of the seed of this variety will be made in the spring of 1906. A large quantity of Egyptain c. tton

is imported into this country annually and used in the mills. It is not improb atle that in some sections of the cotton growing area suitable soils for this could be found.

During the last two years the bu the woman's rigid arm lay the corpse ground. This was where the Russian of the three-year-old baby, its hood, cavalry, the dreded Cossacks, resulty coat and mixtens one, and a piece of mowed down by hundreds the rioters. trouble along this line has been re work, however, in this connection, has been the field demonstration work which has had for its object the bring ing home to the people practical meth ods of tillage, cultivation and plant ing to enable them to grow cotton de spite the presence of the weevil. Rice has received special attention

during the last six or seven years. The Japanese, or K'ushu variety was brought into the country and dissim inated. Since this introduction the development of the rice industry in development of the rice industry in the telegram says, after an exchange the south has been phenomenal. Beinated. Since this introduction the Rafael Castillo, who organized the tween 1899 and 1904 the rice acreage of Louisiana and Taxas increased from 210,396 acres, yielding 179,919 293 pounds of rough rice, in 1896 to 610, 700 acres in 1904, yielding 869 426,800 pounds, an increase of upward of 190 por cant in acreage, but far the great est increase being in Taxas. In 1889 est increase being in Texas. In 1889
Texas had 178 acres of rice, in 1899
8,711 acres, while in 1904 the acreage had increased to 376,600, or more than forty-three times the area un der this grop mix years ago.

In the drug plant investigations a field study of small areas of many kinds of drug producing plant has wen made in South Carolina and othr states, and it has been shown that

pany of the most important kinds will do well where tried, a ch as popy, belladonna, d gitalis, wormwood oppermint, etc. American wirmseed ias been grown in Scuth Carolina as e field crop with a profit comparing very favorably with that of corn, cot on and tob soco. Experiments have been made dur

g the last year in tea raising, and aring this time 9 000 pounds of tea vere made at Sun m rv.lle. I i mak ng these experiments it has been cund that the most important varieles of the tea plant that from Oeylon scep (d makes growth and give a ield comparing very favorably with he results produced in their own land. It has also been shown that iegro colldren make expert tea pick ers when properly trained.

BRIDEGROOM RODS IN TRUNK

Ran Short of Cash While on Western Wedding Journey.

Because he ran short of money on nis wedding tour and had only cas anough for one ticket, Gaorge France sent his wife through from Dinver to C ileago on a passerger train, and he aimself attempted to make the trip attention, so that different varieties in a trunk as his wife's baggage. He fearless Trepoff to quit his place as was taken out of the trunk at Omaha Nab., about three-quarters dead, bu the wife got through her journey all right. They had secured a large trunk put in some provisions and water, braced it thoroughly, cut holes in it for air, and after Facels took hi place the b x was securely locked and strapped. Then it was taken to the depot and checked through to Chi-

After being smashed around, the trunk was heaved into a Union Pacific baggage car and journey began. Just before reaching Onsha, Wednesday night, the baggageman heard a groan from a pile of baggage. An investigation resulted in his locating the source and with a gun in his hand he demanded to know who was inside unless he was answered.

In muffled tones came the answer sian rioters. and the story, with a request that the . This high off ial of the Czar's emand lower grades of sea island. Two water bottles had been broken soon the King of Spain. He was surround He was merely the too willing tool of dead. after the trunk was fastened. He rounded by members of the Enperor's the autocracy. He might be terribly had been without water for nearly court and several titled women as well punished and some good might follow. two days. He was taken to police as many of his own staff officers. The took, and I dont want any more of it scant attention to the pictures ah wo said Francis.

Attacked By Hugh Python

stricken as he felt the colls of the he was thoroughly interested. long python envelop his body and Quick as lightness the square in by means of ropes so painted that slowly begin to tighten. Keeper Et of Governor General Trepoff's palace they would not be seen in the picward Coyne and three assistants rush in St. Fetersburg, with his own ture. shown marked improvement. A con mir beat the reptile over the head to foreground, replaced the den of the and the sections hung in the air beers body. They did not succeed un a fine carriage and spired norses draw ty. Fiu gal was u conscious when nor's resideuce.

to fright. Whole Family Slain.

Near Independance, Iowa, Mrs. den, ranging from three to eighteen will do so he well knows. be innocent. Each person had been followed by a st. ff off er. Then the killed with a hammer blow on the carriage drove rapidly away. against the boll weevil, and wherever buttered bread in one hand. The as well as many innocent people who baby had been killed by one blow of were merely onlokers. Along the ported, experiments have at one a hammer on the head, The other splendid street cashed a carriage been commerced. The most important children lay about the house, dressed which Trepoff as well as every other

in working clothes. Fighting in Cuba.

The first shots between the rural guards and insurrectionists were exchanged recently near the center of Havana province. A telegram has surrectionists led by Marin R bau and which had gather d.

tionally olever boxer.

BADLY SCARED.

Moving Pictures Shows General

Trepoff, The Tyrant, His

OWN ASSASSINATION

The Ingeniously Cruel Trick by Which The Savage Russian General Was

Forced to Cease Butchering Innocent Women and Chil-

dren and Resigns,

A letter frem St, Petersburg, Russia, to the New Y rk American, says four very unusual moving pc ures have just suce ded in wielding a more to keep the s orting public gaz: from powerful it flience over General Tre- their master in his terror and agony, p ff than the usands of strikers, armed they could not, and the authors of the nobs, plotting annihilists, hired assassins and ang y men, women and children shouting for vengence. The must have seen that they had beer pictures, it is said, have caused the successful. dictator of Russia, chief of police and Governor General of St, Petersburg, une the office of Governor of the They have succeeded in thoroughly Imperial Palace at Peterhof. The

in fact, almost to death. It is reported that the entire set of moving pictures which, it is declared, ed to the military command of St nave cowed this bitberto dauntless Petersburg. man into abdicating his nearly bound less powers c uid not be preserved in his recent resignation.

TREPOFF SEES HIMSELF. The pictures had just shown Tre. It was due to the worderful cun-

beadquarters and later released. 'It distinguished party was goeslping. on the canvas.

Siddenly the Spanish pictures vanished and a vaulted darkened room Rudolph Fluegal, an anim il keeper stood upon the white screen. Around was considerable variation in the at the Cincinnati Gardens, had a nar- a table were crowded ab ut a dezen row eacape this afternoon from being men in the act of taking a solemn crushed to death in the folds of a oath. Their hands were outstreicied nuce python quartered in the snake and their heads were bent low. Lots cage. Finega: had gone into the cage were drawn. Two men, selected for to sweep it out tu; neglected to take some mission, qu ckly left the room.

the usual precaution of throwing a Then it was that Trepoff, who had inches until it is now from 1 1 4 to 1 placket over the reptile, which is one up to that time been more interested 3-8 inohes; meanwhile the plants have of the largest in captivity. While he in his conversation with the fair Rus maintained their full productiveness was at work the immense snake at- sian women, turned toward the can tacked him from the rear, sinking its vas for the mysterious change in views fange into his back. The keeper's the pictures on a band of supposedly pioding some fishing powder in heavy coat protected him from ser Russian plotters natturally excited his narmiess quantty. The next view icus lacerations, but he was panic curiosity. He was still unmoved, but was made by suspending the carriage him he was going into Canada. The eur, of St. Armand, Quebec Another and the cruiser Dnieper and a

rescued and it was an hour before the Tien Trep if saw, to his ami 2 ment prostrated by the nervins shock due by members of the staff, whom he as bing siezed and arrested. also recognized, emerge from the pal-

years in age, were slain at their farm Down the broad granite steps the home and the husband and father has party moved, and in the next instant te n charged with killing the members the (zar's military lieutenant saw of his family. He declares himself to himself spring into his own carriage. That the plotters must have had ac- and hips.

head, Mrs. McWilliams was atro N vaki Prospect appear d next with been inflicted on the crushed b. dy. In drives and stately towers in the backperson in the theatre recognized in

stantiv as his own. A man ian forward toward the

great carriage horses were scattered and had just married a third,

in fragments far and near in the road way. High shows the wrick of the v b'c's and flying among the leces o the dismembered horses were arms. legs and bodies of two men-he oc

oupants of the carriage, Trepoff an Trepoff sank far back in his seat and before his attendants could

gather around him to shield him from the stare of difteen hundred pairs (1 eyes be was seen to cover his fec with his hands and collapse. Two of the wowen in the official b.x with Ir p ff fainted.

Secret service officials and the po lice rushed toward the cinsmatograp! Some person had inserted the assassination views among those, which had been prepared for the tight's enter nent. T e machine was stopped or the instant and the whole parapher aslis, it is reported, was taken.

Trepeff had b en tricker! He knev it in an instant after he had collaps ed, but too late The nervous stock nad been aiministered, the object lesson blasted home with the picture

of a bomb. The governor general was more carried than led from the theatre box to his carriage. Try as his suite die plot, to show Trepoff a moving pie ture of himself being assassinatei, a they had so often threatened him

Trepost has resigned. He is at unnerved man for the time at least. He will leave St. Petersburg to as rightening Trepeff-in scaring him, office of Minister of Police for the em pire is to be abolished. The Grand Dake Nicholas will likely be appoint

In preparing the assassination scanes duplicates were made of four tact for all time. It is reported that of the pictures in the series. In their they have been destroyed by some of search for the machinery and pic ures the government's secret police, but the government officials knew nothing not, however, before the pictures had of them, for they had been made and done the work for which they were kept by the Nanilists who had con intended, and to them many attribute c cted and executed the plot. It is esca ped.

To make the pictures of the assassanation was the fi st thing and then was the most remarkable ride I ever whispering and jesting, paying but to insert them in the roll of fi ma for the performance at the theatre when Trepoff should be pre ent was the other requisite. The whole matone end of a wide room a scene paintand the driveway before it was

and hung in the same manner. The carriage c ntaining the supposed Prepotf was driven before it, Fig. its wheels being taken off, in the all

unwrap its coils from about the keep- thrown open and at the same m ment bered sections of dummy horses were mond is in or near Montreal. scattered around and portions of dumtill it had been beaten into insensibil ing it drew up in front of the gover- my men were hung conspicously in on the verge of nervous collapse on in the pharmacy. The alcohol was No details of the casualties or of the foreground. I'me bomb thrower the trip toward Canada. At Rouse's ru chased last week as regular alcohol the damage suffered by the town are runs from the : ce se the moment he physicians resusciated him. He is moving pictures of himself attended nurls the explosive. He is then shown

in spite of all of the eff irts of the his wife. ace. They were surrounded by guards secret service of Rissta and of all of complices among the men in charg of There seems to be little doubt that the state theatres cinematograph is the murder was committed on the fird's uncle, an Englishman named probable, but if they any the Govern- afternoon of Sunday, November 12, clously beaten, a few knife thru ts had its fine buildings, broad carriage ment with its cunning of generations for neighbors on that day heard the and its great secret service machinery piano played as she often played it,

The Japanese admiralty has entered upon an elab rate scheme of naval ex pansion which is expected to be approved at the coming session of the house later that day. diet, according to advice received frem Tokio. Ships with heavier the first floor of the house, which was armamen's and higher speed will be vehicle, raising his right arm, in the built. The Jiji Shimpo says that the hand of which he was sholding some battleships of the future navy of Ja- s farm, and would be absent several thing which was smoking. Pausing pan will display 22,000 tons armament days. Havana province. A telegram has been received from the captain of the complete the carriage and grand jury, been received from the captain of the captain of the carriage and of ject right under the carriage and ment discovered a party of twenty in the little crowd ment discovered a party of twenty in the savings bank, at first receiving a New York the amount of dames and the amount of the amount of dames and the amount of th rural guards saying that his detach. of ject right under the carriage and of twenty knots, while the future which had gather d.

There was a flish upward of blinding immense gun factory, with twenty of damages about the manual flowers and the first receiving a New York ties, Nebraska. Frank Lamber, the amount of damages about draft, but next day exchanging it for and Harry Welch are made joint dethe telegram says, after an exchange of shots, fled, some towards the mountain this connection is the men are held in \$5,000 bond. Cases one to trial at the January wheels had been phenomenal. Be1899 and 1904 the rice acreage of shots, fled, some towards the mountain mid air. In an declared to be Hammond or the men are held in \$5,000 bond. Cases come to trial at the January wheels had been phenomenal. Be1899 and 1904 the rice acreage of shots, fled, some towards the mountain mid air. In an declared to be Hammond or the men are held in \$5,000 bond. Cases come to trial at the January wheels had been phenomenal. Be1899 and 1904 the rice acreage of shots, fled, some towards the mountain mid air. In an declared to be Hammond or the men are held in \$5,000 bond. Cases come to trial at the January wheels had been phenomenal. Be1899 and 1904 the rice acreage of shots, fled, some towards the mountain mid air. In an declared to be Hammond or the men are held in \$5,000 bond. Cases come to trial at the January wheels had been phenomenal. Be1890 and 1904 the rice acreage of shots, fled, some towards the mountain mid air. In an declared to be Hammond or the men are held in \$5,000 bond. Cases come to trial at the January wheels had been phenomenal. Be1890 and 1904 the rice acreage of shots, fled, some towards the mountain mid air. In an declared to be Hammond or the men are held in \$5,000 bond. Cases come to trial at the January wheels had been phenomenal. Be1890 and 1904 the rice acreage of the man declared to be Hammond or the men are held in \$5,000 bond. Cases come to trial at the January wheels had been phenomenal. Be1890 and 1904 the rice acreage of the man declared to be Hammond or the men are held in \$5,000 bond. Cases come to trial at the January wheels had been phenomenal. Be1890 and 1904 the rice acreage of the men are held in \$5,000 bond. Cases can be a second to the later than the men are held in \$5,000 bond. Cases can be a second to the later than the later than the later than the later than the

thrown from his horse. It is report of that Robau is wounded, but this is not confirmed.

The king of Spain is a skillful and fear eas rid r, a keen motorist, a candy shot with either rifls or revolver, a spiendid fencer and an exception of the carriage were seen flying through the air and the very a spiendid fencer and an exception of the carriage were seen flying through the air and the thorse of the carriage were seen flying through the air and the their home in Dorothy, Pa., a little game between University of New York on Saturday as the left what was supposed to be two ten-dollar bills, but when the clerk examined them, after the left what was supposed to be two ten-dollar bills, but when the clerk examined them, after the left what was supposed to be two ten-dollar bills, but when the clerk examined them, after the left what was supposed to be two ten-dollar bills, but when the clerk examined them, after the left what was supposed to be two ten-dollar bills, but when the clerk examined them, after the left what was supposed to be two ten-dollar bills, but when the clerk examined them, after the left what was supposed to be two ten-dollar bills, but when the clerk examined them, after the left what was supposed to be two ten-dollar bills, but when the clerk examined them, after the left what was supposed to be two ten-dollar bills, but when the clerk examined them, after the left what was supposed to be two ten-dollar bills, but when the clerk examined them, after the left what was supposed to be two ten-dollar bills, but when the clerk examined them, after the left what was supposed to be two ten-dollar bills, but when the clerk examined them, after the left what was supposed to be two ten-dollar bills, but when the clerk examined them, after the left what was supposed to be two ten-dollar bills, but when the clerk examined them, after the left what was supposed to be two ten-dollar bills, but when the clerk examined them, after the left what was supposed to be two ten-dollar bills, but when the clerk exa

Whom He Had Beaten to Death, Hammond.

AND THEN RAN AWAY

in a Big Trunk,

The Brute of a Husband, Who Took Two Thouseud Dollars of His Victims Money, Tells His Wife's

Mother That Fight Start-

ed About Whiskey.

Through confession of his own nother, and uncle and brother-in law John Hammond now stands ac used of the murder of his wife, whose body was found squeez d into a trunk in the fireplace of their home on South Forry street, A.bany, N. Y. The po-

mminent. Al hough Hammond showed extrardinary foresight in preventing the vidences of his alleged crime from at racting attention, he could not, acsording to his relauves, bear the burlen of his guilt alone. Before going o Montreal on Nov. mber 14, he told als mother and brother in law that ne had killed his wife and concealed ier body in a trunk.

er in law, was arrested Tuesday in at home. She paid him a stated sum to guarantee the correctness of this Cohoes, and brought to Albany. He a week for complying with her wish old the police that on the night of ss. She gradually cut down his allow the telegraph, details of the battle N wember 14 Hammond called on him ance. He demanded more, and quarare difficult to obtain, but as the Asand induced him to accompany him to rels were or m non with them. R use's Point. On the way there both men took a number of drinks, and Hammond finally told Mangini that in this manner that these pictures on Sunday before he and his wife had

quarrelled According to Mangini's story, both aight by citiz as of Dublin and run commander of the Otobakoff, Lient. punishment for his repression of Rus the assassination of Trep if was pro irinking. Hammond wanted another fessed to being members of a "Black challenge, replying with both batter. duced in picture form before his eyes | drink and his wife would not let him | Har d" society which had sent threat-At secret meetings it was decided have it. In a fit of rage he picked up ening letters to chief of Palice J. L. to 1 5 8 inches in length and a smooth trunk be broken open and the man pire was attending a performance in that, while Treposit was a reasonable an empty bottle and hit her on the Cowart. They also confessed to have black seed, so that it may be easily inside be liberted. This was done and one of the State theatres and was object of hatred, he was not really need. He left her lying on the floor ing sent a vary insulting and obscene ginned on roller gins is desired, the Francis was assisted out. His trunk watching cinematographic views of so bad and desiring of assassination and went into the next room for more letter to G. W. Williams, a member fiber of this will rival the Egyptian had been delayed one train, and his of President Loubat's recent visit to as had been the Grand Duke Sargius. If quor. When he came back she was of the legislature, from Laurens, general staff, informed the Ass class

Hammond showed him a roll contain- and there is great surprise that they ter was left to a selected band. In ing \$2,000 in bills. It was learned should be guilty of such conduct. ed to represent Trepoff's mansion was committed Hammond induced his after Caristian had been whipped. banks. On Monday, the day follow and Alderman N. M. Moore were Nevski Prospect was represented ing the murder, he bought a \$200 fur threatened. overcost.

Hammond's story of the crime, as told by Mangini, does not agree with ures gathered, one man rushed out the conclusions reached by the physi- White, a druggist, his son Almon and holding an empty bomb with burn- class who examined Mrs. Hammond's his daughter Eva were arrested, charging fuse atta hed. He threw it. body and who found unmistable marks ed with manslaughter in causing the chine guns and riffes against the Then another scene was made by ex of strangulation and many bruises. death by poisoning of three persons, tacking infantry. During an engage

Rouse's Point, where Hammond told causing the death of Mary Lagrond. police are searching in Montreal and | warrant charges the father, son and he vicinity. The Hammonds are a Can- daughter with causing the death of been badly wounded, surren adian-French family and it is thought Marshall S. Smith, and a third war entire equadron. The mutinous mil-that the hughand of the murdered rant alleges manulaughter against on snore surrendered to the Bress that the husband of the murdered rant alleges manslaughter against ed in to the cage, and while the for- stately mansion prominent in the The carriage was taken to pieces woman may be hiding with one of his Waite and his son in causing the Canadian relatives. The Coboes police death of Nelson Royeson. It has been siderable quantity of this seed will be make it release its hold on Fluegal, conspirators on the screen. The front fore the same backgroun i as though late Tu sday night declared that they alleged by the police that the deaths they were being on wn up. Dismem had definite information that Ham were caused by wood alcohol, which kin, was injured below the water line

Point they went together to visit an and Smith annd R yeson died Friday, uncle of Hammond to whom the fugi a few nours after dringing the liquids admiralty, but owing to the confined tive also confined that he had killed Mr. Legrondeur succumbed Saturday, space in which the action was fought,

The autopsy upon the woman's body for the Russians have long promised the Czar's police the students who has shown that she was stranged with to kill Trepost the moment they get devised and executed the plot to pe great violence, and that before death William McWilliams and her five chil the slightest opportunity. That they which awaited him if he continued The strangler gripped her so tightly ols career, have escaped. No arrests that the hyoid bone at the base of after having resigned his position on stituent assembly and the comhave followed under direct charge of the tongue was fractured. The body the police force. Over night, so to say, realization of the liberties pro this crime for crime it is in Russia. has many bruises on the face, chest he has become a rich man, and one of

plane played as she often played it. in rathroad appliances and, being old railway extension work between Ji for she was a musician of considerable and a batchelor, made an affort to find per, Ind., and French Lick, Wedn ability. The neighbors say that the some of his poor relatives, to let them day evening. A posse, playing stopped abruptly, and that after that no sound was heard from nad no use. George Stratford is one pursued Scott and early Thursday me the Hammond apartment; though of the nephews of the old n an and turned to town with the infe Hammond himself was seen about the

Hammond told a woman living on owned by Mrs. Hammond, that his wife had gone down the river to buy

When the house was searched Monday morning a new po ketbook was fourd behind the plane. It had a small lock, but had been cut to pieces It is believed that this contained the money drawn from the bank by Mrs.

The house where the murder coonred was formerly used as a police sta tion, and at least three suicides and several fires are said to he ve occurred there. The families now living there are respectable folk. A funeral in the upper story of the

South Ferry street house Tuesday led to the discovery of the murder. A large gathering of people was drawn o the house to attend the funeral. The doors of the Hammond rooms vere found locked. The pol co were called in and the body was fou d. The autopsy just pe fir ed by Corener's Physic an Io ey shows that Mrs. Hammond was strangled to Teath two weeks age," Chief of P ice Hyatt said Tu sday night. "It nay develop later that poison was given her also. This must be deter mined by the police investigation and

the chemical analysis. "I have obtained a photograph the woman's youthful husband and have had copies of his peare sent broadcast over the country. He was last s en on Nov. 11 as be went from the apartments. The autop y shows lice learned Tuesday right that Ham- that the woman met death about this cruiser O chak ff, which now lies a no d was in M ntr. a' and his arrest is time. Her jewels and she had many burning wreck off Admiralty Point,

of the m-are m'ssing." Mrs. Hammond conducted a millinery business, by which she manag- ed down. Many of the crew of the ed to make a srug little fortune. She O chakoff were killed or wounded. Aswas a widow fifty years old when she married Hammond two years ago. She the mutineers was carried by storm was exceedingly jealous of him, and after the mutinous firet, which is said soon began to charge him with firt- to have numbered 10 vessels, had suring with young girls. He denied it. To keep him from temptation, Mrs.

Hammond had him give up his em

Made to Leave.

At Dublin, Ga., H. C. Cristian, a

Tals letter was sent to Atlanta, and Then Hammond, according to Man- was mailed there. They implicated received from Sabastopol shower zini's story, roped her body and put it Will Ansley and Cisco Wilson, two in the trunk, taking pains to stop up negro barbers. Ansley is in jail but riddled, with its revolutionary the doors and windows and to sprinkle Wason made his escape. It is not hauted down, but he was une chloride of lime over the body and the believe that there will be any seri. give more definite information. Mangini says that on the train heretofore borne good reputations, Tuesday that shortly before the crime Chief ric ived two of the letters, one wife to draw large sums from several In the letters all of the policeman

Wood Alcohol Fatal.

At Renford, Va., Wallace W. was solo, it was charged, by White and a torpedo boat is ashore on the Mangini says that Hammond was and his colidren, who acted as clerks rocks.

> George Starford, who had been a policeman in Jersey City for the last left Thursday for Los Angeles, Cal, the prospective heirs to a fortune estimated at about \$50,000,000. Strat-Thomas Critchiow, made an enormous fortune by some important it ventions of the tunnel gang on the Sint when his rich uncle invited bim to that the body of the negro had well feathered nest.

Mixed in Land Fraud. Rev. George Ware, rector of the

Episcopal Church of Lead, S. D. has peen indicted by a federal grand jury, fendants with Ware. Each of the Des Moines, Iowa, The

BATTLE WACED

In the Harbor of Sebastopol Between Mutineers and Troops.

THE LATTER GIVE UP

Several of the lasurgent Ships Were Sunk and the Others Surrendered to the Russian Authorities.

> Great Damage Was Done the Cly by Shells.

A dispatch from St. Patersburg, Russia, says Sebastopol was on Wecnesday the scene of a desperate battle between the mutinous sailors and the troops in the forts on shore. During the battle the town and the forts were bombarded by the guns of the its huil riddled with shells and its flaunting red sign of revolution haulcording to one report the barracks of rendered and the whole position is now in the hands of the troops un the command of Gan. Keplust. Toe James Mangini, Hammond's broth- ployment as a carpenter and remain Associated Press, however, to unable report. Owing to the interruption of sociated Press is authoritatively informed by the naval general staff

Thusday night, the battle was begun by the troops on shore, who ope barber, and Will B thea, a laborer, fire on the Oschatoff, which was dewere severely whipped Weinesday flantly displaying the red flag. The on the Fort Alexander batteries on the north shore.

Captain Z llotti, aide de-camp to Admiral Wirenius, chief of the na Press that the latest de the Otchakoff was on fire and hadly

ous trouble. The barbers have According to a more detailed report from another source and purporting to and there is great surprise that they began at 3 o'clock Thursday after when Lieut. Schmidt, not receiving reply to the demands of the m opened fire from a flact of 10 ships to which the northern batteries at Fort Alexander, artillery the shore and several versi

remained loyal replied. Daring the naval battle the mile on the shore entrenched in the be racks defended their position w Mangini left his brother-in-law at White and his son are charged with ment lasting two and a half hours, Rouse's Point, where Hammond told causing the death of Mary Legrond, with the Olchake ff riddled and on fire vessel sunk, Lieut. Schmidt, who h and Bielostok regiments.

According to this report the Panteleimon, formerly the Knias Potes

obtainable at this time by the is is improbable that the town ed without heavy damage.

The demands of the mu said to have included, besides the fittwo years at a salary of \$83 33 a month | toon proposals dealing with service conditions, the convocation of a c the imperial manifesto.

Too Many Bullet Holes

Jake Scott, colored shot and mortally wounded John Walls, foreme enjoy part of his wealth, for which he the workman associated with Walle come to him, did not hesitate to pull found in the woods and that he he up stakes in the East to drop into a committed suicide. Later the bady was found at the place described by the workman. There were thirty eight bullet holes in the body.

Miss Ella Hamilton thinks

Deadly Fuetball.

Carl Osborne, aged 18, was in ly killed on Saturday at Ro