## HURLED TO DEATH

#### Explosion in Distillery Costs Seven Lives.

#### MEN SUFFER INJURIES

A Great Copper Cylinder Bursts, Crashes Through Two Walls, and Lands 200 Feet Away From Place of Its Start.

PEORIA, III., Oct. 3.-Seven men were killed and five others injured by an ex-plosion at Cornings' distillery here today. One large section of the five-story building was thrown into the air by the burstdag of a copper cylinder 20 feet in length and eight feet in diameter. Every man who was in the building at the time of the explosion was instantly killed, the injured being men who were on the out-

JAMES McMANUS, cookerman CHARLES C. POWELL, assistant engine

JAMES O'KEEFE, laborer. ED SCHAEFER, waterboy

GEORGE C. GEORGE, mealman.

GUY BRENNAN, yeastmaker. JOHN WILSON, United States storekeeper. The most seriously hurt are: James Velch, United States gauger, face and body badly scalded; Daniel Sachen, labor-er, right leg broken at knee; Charles Lane, laborer, badly cut and scalded.

The great cylinder of copper crashed through the east wall of the cooker-room, and on through the mill as though the wall had been tissue-paper, shot in an ob-lique and downward course through the air, cut down a large tree in its flight, scattered a pile of lumber as if beams and timbers had been so many straws, and landed 200 feet away from the start of its flight. of its flight

Three or four walls of the building ere blown out. Great gaps were rent in them from top to bottom, pulling the roof with them, and underneath that mass of brick, mortar, beams and twisted ma-chinery lies the mangled corpse of John Wilson, which may not be got out for a

Nobody has a clear idea of what caused the explosion. The damage to the build-ings and machinery is estimated at about 100,000, and it will be three months before the plant will be in operation again. Fire alarms were immediately sent in for the entire department and police and am-bulances were hurriedly summoned. Fortunately, the wreckage did not take fire and the firemen immediately assisted the distillery employes who had escaped the fate of their less fortunate fellow-work-

The cooker is a steel contrivance about 80 feet by 20 feet in diameter, used in cooking the mashes. It is presumed that a vacuum was formed, and when the steam was turned on to cook today's mash the explosion followed.

Purser's Daughters Lost in Wreck. NEW YORK, Oct. 3 .- Two little daughters of the purser of the British steamer Laurel Branch were lost when the steamer stranded Tuesday between Port Pringle and Stewart's Bay, according to a Herald dispatch from Valparaiso, Chile. As previously reported, all the members of the crew were saved. The vessel is a total

Burned to Death at Bonfire.

SALT LAKE, Oct. 2.-Mabel Lillian Rus

sell, the 6-year-old daughter of the president of the Utah Rubber Company, was fatally burned at 2 o'clock this afternoon playing around a bonfire in the

## Ex-Lieutenant - Governor Tillman Will Make Defense This Week.

LEXINGTON, S. C., Oct. 3.-The trial of ex-Lieutenant-Governor James H. Till-man has been in progress just one week, and the state has not formally rested its case. Solicitor Thurmond today an-nounced, when the last witness for the prosecution had left the stand, that the state practically was ready to close, but desired to pass the closing until next week as there is further testimony the estate may desire to submit.

One of the witnesses for the defense was

heard today, the state having disposed of all its witnesses present some little time prior to the hour appointed for adent. No afternoon sessions were held today, and the trial will not be resumed until Tuesday morning because of other matters demanding the attention of court Monday. Only four witnesses for the state were examined today.

CAUGHT AFTER A LONG CHASE, Negro Butler Is Alleged to Have Stolen Diamonds Worth \$4200.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3 .- After chasing Wil-Ham Hayes Bonner, alias William Bar-nard, a negro, formerly a butler in the home of Alexander Niedrinhaus, a wealthy paving contractor of St. Louis, from St. Louis to New York, thence to Cleveland and from there to Chicago detectives last night arrested the man. He is wanted for the theft of diamonds enlined at \$4000 and \$300 in cash from Mrs. Niedringhaus. The theft is said to have been committed by Bonner while Mr. Niedringhaus and his wife were attending R party

When arrested Bonner had only 19 cents, and refused to tell where he had disposed of the gems. Detectives were assigned to find them, and it is believed

they will be recovered in Chicago.

Folk Gets Grain Broker Indicted. ST. LOUIS, Oct, 2.-The grand jury, which concluded its work today and was charged, handed down the indictr f Major Hugh C. Dennis, president of the tiaito Grain & Securities Company, whose ffices were raided several days ago or order of Circuit Attorney Folk. Den is is charged on four counts with grand roeny. It is believed that addition etments have been found, but none

bennis was indicted on five counts, as Three counts charging grand laceny, one charging the operation of a buket-shop, and the fifth, the one in wich Thomas B. Harlan, an attorney, is nated as defendant, charging conspiracy

Mgor Dennis was at once arrested and take before Judge Douglas, accompanied by hs attorney, C. H. Krum. He immediater began preparations to secure his

Swindler Robs and Stabs Him. PUELLO, Colo., Oct. 3.-H. E. Williams a young man on his way from Denver to Kaness City, was futally stabled last night on the Santa Fe train by a stranger who jumped off when the train was swindled Williams out of some money, and when the latter tried to compel him to give it up the man stabbed him in the abdomen with a knife. Williams in a hospital in a dying condition.

Again Sentenced to Be Hanged. SALT LAKE, Oct. 3.-For the second time within the past year, a death sen-ience has been passed upon Peter Moriensen for the murder of James R. Hay, in this city, several months ago. The State Supreme Court recently refused an | Loss, \$125.000.

appeal for a new trial, and today District Judge Mprse fixed upon Friday, No-vember 20, as the date when Mortensen shall suffer the death penalty by being shot to death. Before sentence was nounced today. Mortensen appealed a new trial in a speech lasting an hour and a half. The burden of his remarks was that he had not been given a fair

Embezzler Under Heavy Bond. NEW YORK, Oct. 2-Mrs. Mary Lay-ton Johnson, wife of a Fifth avenue den-tist, who is alleged to have committed a series of embezziements aggregating \$3,-000, from a Cincinnati firm, was today held in \$10,000 bail for examination. The hearing was set for Tuesday.

# AN INCREASE OF MILLIONS

New York Central Reports Big Jump in Gross Earnings for Year.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.-An increase of nearly \$7,000,000 in the gross earnings of the New York Central Railroad system for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1903, is shown by the annual report just issued. Owing to extraordinary increases in the items charged to operating expenses, the net earnings were only \$100,084 in excess of the previous year.

#### RAILROADS IN A BOX.

Face to Face With Greatest Car Shortage in Their History.

promises to be the greatest car shortage the ticket. in their history. Despite the fact that most liberal orders for new equipment have been given by all the railroads during the last 12 months, they now find ton Cutting, J. Edward Swanstrom, Anthemselves unable to accept all the traffic drew T. Sullivan and Henry Hentz. Jothat is ordered.

The condition of affairs is outlined by Vice-President W. C. Brown, of the Lake Shore, who says that the company is in three names are being considered. The urgent need of 1500 bexcars daily. On the men are Thomas M. Muley, Stepnen Farother systems, with a much greater relly and Frank C. Travers, Herman A. snore, who says that the company is in urgent need of 1500 bexcars daily. On other systems, with a much greater mileage than the Lake Shore, large num-bers of cars are needed for immediate

#### JUDGE BEAN IS NAMED.

Oregon Jurist on Important Bar Association Committee.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 3.-President James Hagerman, of the American Bar Asso-Hagerman, of the American Bar Association, tonight announced the appointment of a committee of 52 members of the association to act in co-operation with the committee of authorities of the Louisiana Purchuse Exposition, for the Universal Congress of Lawyers and Jurists in St. Louis during September, 1904 Among the members are: W. J. Hills, Juneau. Alaska: David L. Withington, Hawali; Bamford A. Robb, Boise, Ida.; William W. Dixon, Butte, Mont.; R. S. Bean, Salem. Or.; David Walker Yancey, Lucens Tayabas, P. I.; George M. Forster, Spokane, Wash.

### PRISON CONGRESS MEETS

The National Association Delegates Crowd Hall to Sufficiation.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 3.—The National Prison Association of the United States held the opening session of its annual congress here tonight, the delegates crowding Music Hall almost to suffocation. The opening session was devoted for the most part to welcoming addresses by state and city officials and to responses by officers of the association. The congress will continue for six days, and nearly every state and Canada is represented.

ine feature of tonight's session was the address of the president, Henry Wolfer, Warden of the State Penitentiary, Still-water, Minn., in which he condemned

### KAIN IS VERY WEAK.

Attendants of the Archbishop Fear for the Worst.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 3.-The condition of archbishop Kain was reported by the atworst.

Mrs. Davis Rapidly Recovering. BUFFALO, Oct. 2.-Mrs. Jefferson Davis is rapidly recovering from her ill-ness. Her physicians believe she will ness. Her physicians believe sne will be able to leave for her Winter home in New York next week.

#### WILL NOT SUCCEED MELLEN President of the Burlington Will

Not Be Northern Pacific President. CHICAGO, Oct. 3 .- Darius Miller, first vice-president of the Burlington, today declared that there was no truth in the report that President George B. Harris was to succeed C. S. Mellen as president of the Northern Pacific.

"There will be no changes here what-soever," said he, "I do not know who is to succeed Mr. Mellen."

Register, Matthew E. I Clerk, Edward Kauffman.

#### MILES NOT A CANDIDATE Famous General Declares He Has

No Eyes on the Presidency. CHICAGO, Oct. 2.-A dispatch to the Record-Herald from Dallas, Tex., says; General Nelson A. Miles made this state-ment last night. "I am not a candidate for any office, and don't expect to be, not even for President of the United States or Governor of Texas."

Says Lyons Was Not Drunk. The Bricklayers' Union, at the meeting

last evening, ordered the corressecretary to issue the following statement in regard to the death of John Lyons: "We, as bricklayers, refute the charge of Officer Kerrigan of Brother John Lyons being intoxicated Wednesday night, September 22. Knowing positively that he was sober on that night, and by the eviice of the Coroner's jury we believe he was murdered and laid on the track to hide the crime, and consider the charge a stigma upon the good name of our mem-CHAS, T. STOKES, "Corresponding Secretary."

Trustee for Cement Concern. DETROIT, Oct. 3.-The Hecia Portland ement & Coal Company, with a factory at Bay City, has filed a trust mortgag for \$731,518, conveying all its property in Bay City, Iosco, Ogemaw and Alpena to the Detroit Trust Company as trustee. The mortgage is given for the benefit of creditors, to raise funds for the liquidation of indebtedness and to make po

certain necessary changes in the plant. Hawaii Cables Appreciation. Hawaii Cables Appreciation.

HONOLULU, Oct. 2, 1:25 P. M.—George
E. Carter, Secretary of the Territory of
Hawaii, today notified Territorial Treasurer Keporkai of the decision of the
Treasury Department at Washington to
accept Hawaiian bonds as security for dereasure for circulation. The ferritorial posits for circulation. The territorial government promptly cabled its apprecia-tion of the extraordinary favor shown the territory by the Administration in thus assisting it to place its bonds.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 2.-Seven China men were arrested when they arrived here on a train from Buffalo today, on the charge that they had entered the United States in violation of the law,

Iron Works Destroyed by Fire, SAVANNAH, Ga., Oct. 1-The from works and marine railway of John Re & Co. were destroyed by fire too were destroyed by fire tonight

Fusionists Sized Him Up Wrongly at Convention.

HE CANNOT STAY ON TICKET

Mayor Low Says a Man Must Be Fo or Against Tummany-Kings Democrats Will Knife Grout and Fornes.

.. CW YORK, Oct. 3,-The feature of the political situation today was Mr. Grout's formal declaration that he would resist all efforts to force him off the Fusion ticket. What legal steps will be taken by him to maintain his position, or by the Fusionists to compel his retirement, are yet undetermined. Tonight, the situation is practically unchanged, the Fusionists waiting for their convention on Wednesday; the Democrats waiting for their op-CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—The railroads of the ponents to make the first move before they entire country are face to face with what

As it stands now, four men are being considered for the office of Controller, should Grout be ousted. They are R. Ful-ton Cutting, J. Edward Swanstrom, Anseph C. Hendrix and Julian D. Fairchild have been dropped.

For president of the Board of Aldermen, Metz has been dropped from considera-At the headquarters of the Republican

committee, the failure to consider Metz and Fairchild was also announced. It

was also learned that Joseph C. Hendrix had refused to allow his name to be con-Low in Accord With Fusionists. Mayor Low returned from Chicago today. After a long conference tonight at his residence with leading Fusionists, the Mayor made public a letter written by him today to R. Fulton Cutting, in which he expressed himself as being in accord with Mr. Cutting on the attitude of Grout and Fusion and and Mr. Cutting on the attitude of Grout and Fusion and and fusion had a second and according to the cutting on the attitude of Grout and Europe and and according to the cutting of t and Fornes, and said Mr. Grout had, a few days after his nomination, suggested that Tammany might indorse his nomina-

tion, but in that event he would attack Tammany just the same, and give his support to Mr. Low. In conclusion, Mayor Low says:
"As the situation now stands, I think I may properly quote these words which I had penned for my letter of acceptance before the difficulties transpired:

'In this battle, as it seems to me, there

can be no neutrals. He that is not against Tammany is for it." R. Fulton Cutting, chairman of the Citi-zens' Union committee, sent a response today to the letter of Mr. Grout, in which the latter declared Grout had proven un-equal to the situation, and was apparent-ly blinded "to the disastrous effects upon the good government movement involved in the election of a Tammany Mayor."

Mr. Cutting, proceeding further, says:
"Surely, you cannot imagine for one instant that the Citizens' Union convention would ever have nominated you had you written your letter of October 1 before their convention, and had they known you as they know you now."

Grout's Counsel States His Plans. NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Henry Yonge is-sued the following statement as counsel

"No trick or device secured any nor ination for Mr. Grout. No trick or device, whether by way of editorial abuse, pri-vate threat or altered record, will induce him to withdraw from any nomination of deprive him of any such nomination."

changed. The prelate remains very weak, however, and his attendants fear for the Kings County Convention Keeps Up

Fight on Fornes and Grout. NEW YORK, Oct. 2.-Contrary to general expectation, the Kings County Demo-cratic convention, held in Brooklyn to-night passed off quietly and without the predicted bolt of the city ticket. Resolutions indersing the nomination of Mr. McClelland for Mayor were adopted, but making no mention of the names of Grout and Fornes beyond the indorsement and commendation of the action of the Kings County delegates in opposing their nomi-nation in the city convention.

This was taken as an indication that the fight will be carried to the polis, and that the Tammany candidates for Controller and Aldermanic President will be general ly knifed by the followers of Hugh Mc Laughlin. These nominations were made For Borough President, Martin W. Little ton; District Attorney, John F. Clarke; Register, Matthew E. Dooley; County

### Holy Rosary Church.

Corner Clackamas and Third streets Today, being the first Sunday in October, rill be Rosary Sunday, or the great feast day of the most holy rosary, one of the most remarkable feast days in the cal-endar of the Catholic Church. The great indulgence called the "Totles Quoties "as many times," can be gained by all the faithful, who being contrite, and having received the sacraments of penance and the holy eucharist visit the altar of the most holy rosary in this Dominican Church; any time from 2 o'clock P. M. next Saturday till sundown on Sunday; praying during each visit for the intention

of the supreme pontiff.

No particular prayers are required to be said; neither is there any special length of time prescribed for these visits. The masses on Rosary Sunday in Holy Rosary Church will be at 6:30 A. M., 7:30 A. M., 8:30 A. M. and solemn high mass at 19:30 A. M., which will be celebrated by Very Ross Feether A. S. Leviller and S. D. Saider and S. Leviller and S. Levil Rev. Father A. S. Lawier, O. P., assisted by Rev. Father H. S. Shaw, O. P., as deacon, and Rev. Father C. V. Lamb, O. P. as subdeacon. The sermon will be de livered by Rev. Father J. D. O'Brien, O. P., the eloquent Dominican orator. At solemn high mass the choir, all male voices, will render the following pro-

gramme: "Gloria in Excelsis Deo".... Mercadante 

The regular choir consists of the follow ing: First and second tenor, J. P. Wild-man, D. A. Morris, J. H. Cass, J. E. Malley, Albert King, J. H. Duggan, J. Be and William Sandercock; first and second basses, Thomas Nuson, Benjamin Winne-man, E. J. Alstock, J. Hoben, Edward Atkinson and A. Morris, Frank Barrett, A. J. Brault, A. Kane and others will assist

Organist, Miss Nora Shelland. After the mass there will be a procession of the holy rosary, in which the whole congregation will take part, carrying in their hands a rose which had been blessed and presented to the rosarian before the ning of the mass,

In the evening there will be rosary de-votion and litany, followed by solemn benediction of the most blessed sacrament during which religious exercises the Very Rev. Father A. S. Lawler, O. P., will preach on devotion to the Immaculate Mother of God.

Great efforts are being made to induce English farm laborers to settle in Canada.



# **OVERCOATS** RAINCOATS

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Powers Can Leave Balkans to Russia and Austria.

REFORMS AGAIN AGREED UPON

Programme Is Extended and Elaborated-Czar and Emperor Conclude Their Conference, and the Former Says Farewell.

VIENNA, Oct. 3.—M. Sawinski, Foreign Minister Lamsdorff's secretary, has is-sued a statement regarding the result of the conferences in Austria between Count Lamsdorff and Count Goluchowski, the Austrian-Hungarian Foreign Minister. om which it appears that they reache a determination that the two powers shall continue the Balkan policy arranged last Winter. The programme for reform in Macedonia then drawn up has, however,

been essentially extended and elaborated. The secretary characterized the statement that Russia had demanded the free passage of her ships through the Dardanelles as being quite incorrect, and added that the Ministers' conference in-cluded the whole area of Eastern Europe, with the exception of Old Albania, and gave repeated evidence of entire accord in the views of Count Lamsdorff and Count Goluchowski, and that in con quence of the agreement the powers need not fear war between Turkey and Bulgaria, nor any great difficulty in the exe-cution of the reforms.

Repatriation of Macedonians.

VIENNA. Oct. 3.-The Neue Freye Presse's correspondent at Muerzsteg, near which place the Czar and Emperor Francis Joseph are hunting, telegraphs that the repatriation of the Macedonians who have fled to Bulgaria was also discussed at the conferences between Counts Lams-dorf and Goluchowski, and all the signatories to the treaty of Berlin will be apprised of the agreements reached by means of identical notes, which will be published simultaneously.

Rulers Say Farewell.

VIENNA, Oct. 2.-The Czar and his parleft the railroad station at Meldling, bree miles from here, for Darmstadt to-The imperial train from Muerzstes arrived at the Southern Station, Meidling, at 5 o'clock. Emperor Francis Joseph and Archduke Francis Ferdinand accompanied the Czar to that point, where they all alighted. Their Majesties cordially bid each other farewell and kissed each other

MANY ARE LIVING ON ROOTS. Red Cross So Represents in Its Ap-

peal for Admission. CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 3.-The folowing is the text of the petition signed by Il men and women constituting the American missions at Monastir, Philippopolis, Salonica and Samakov, recently pre-sented to United States Minister Leish-mann and to the British Ambassador, Sir Nicholas O'Connor, requesting them to se-cure the admission of a corps of the Red

NEEU NUI FEAR WAR that a state of insurrection exists in parts of European Turkey, and that great suffering will certainly result therefrom, the

petition proceeds: "Without a canvass of the districts in question we do not care to estimate the number of homeless people who are suf-fering from lack of food, clothing, medical attention, etc. We are morally certain, however, that the number runs into the thousands. In some places they are living on roots and grasses, even now, at the end of the harvest. We have the testimony of eye-witnesses that in some places the wounded are lying without medical atten-tion and with no remedies within reach of their friends. We humbly and urgently petition the governments of the United States and of Great Britain to take active measures to induce the Red Cross Societies of America and England to bring relief to the stricken districts and also to encourage the opening of popular subscriptions, The Ottoman government should welcome with avidity the offer of such relief for

its suffering subjects." SHIFT BLAME FOR ATROCITY. Turks Accuse the Insurgents of

Massacre at Mehomia. SOFIA, Oct. 2.-Courier dispatches re-ceived at the Macedonian revolutionary headquarters today repeat the reports of the masacsre of all the Christians in the town of Razlog (Mehomia) by Turkish troops last Sunday. The Bulgarian government is not represented in Eastern Macedonia, hence no official information is obtainable, but the Foreign Office believes that several hundred Christians

According to Turkish reports the revolutionists massecred the people, burned the town of Raziog and the Turkish population and troops departed, leaving the place in the hands of insurgents. These reports the insurgents deny.

MANY TURKS ARE SLAIN. Four Hundred Houses in Village of Kobcharina Burned. SALONICA, Oct. 3.-At the village of

Kobcharina, inhabited by Turks, 400 houses are reported to have been burned, most of the inhabitants being killed. It is reported that a Turkish convoy was recently attacked in the Florina reg and that 80 of the soldiers were killed.

Shows War is Not Expected. SOFIA, Bulgaria, Oct. 3.-Prince Ferdiand, accompanied by his mother and chil-

A bad cold; a good doctor. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

"Thanks."

ing at this time is regarded as tending

New Valt Reaches Beirut, BEIRUT, Oct. 3.-Khalid Pasha, the new Vall of Beirut, has arrived here.

LYNCHINGS EXCITE BERLIN.

Attacks of Toughs on Negroes Ascribed to American News Reports, BERLIN, Oct. 3.-The negro residents here of whom there are about 200, mostly American, have complained to the po-lice of various attacks made on colored men by stone-throwing, etc. In two or have lockjaw, three instances in the East End, where most of them live, negroes have been subjected to severe beatings. These occurrences are ascribed to the lynching news which the New York correspondents of German papers are particularly fend of cabling, the impression being produced on the East Side roughs that this is the proper way to treat negroes.

The members of the Black and White

Society (Schwartzweiss Verein) composed of both races, has issued a protest to the public against this brutality. Colored men have a measure of social equality. Some of them marry white women.

Postponed in Honor of Herbert. LONDON, Oct. 3.-The Pilgrim's Club nquet to the Alaskan Boundary Commissioners, scheduled for October 6, has been postponed in consequence funeral of Sir Michael Herbert, the late Ambassador to the United States, occurring on the same date. The commissioners have also declared off the meeting set for that date.

Report on Canal Bill Today. BOGOTA, Colombia, Oct. 2, via Buena Ventura, Oct. 2.—The report on the bill authorizing the President to hegotiate a new canal treaty with the United States will be presented tomorrow.

PEKIN, Oct. 2.-United States Minister Conger arrived today from Shanghal for the purpose of signing the commercial treaty with the Chinese commissioners. Jewish Massacre Is Denied.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 3.-Leading

Jews here declare the story of a massacre

at Mohileff-Podolsky to be untrue.

Conger Arrives to Sign Treaty.

Bubonio Plague in Rio Janiero. RIO JANEIRO, Oct. 3.-Some cases of bubonic plague have been discovered at Campos, State of Rio Janeiro.

The Rest Told Storles

Joplin (Mo.) News-Herald. A preacher at the conclusion of one of his sermons said: "Let all in the house who are paying their debts stand up." In-stantly every man, woman and child, with one exception, rose to their feet. The preacher seated them and said: "Now every man not paying his debts stand up." The The exception noted, a careworn, hungry-looking individual, clothed in his last Summer's suit, slowly assumed a perpendicular position. "How is it, my friend," asked the minister, "that you are the only man not to meet his obligations?" "I run a perwanger," he meekly approved "and provide harm can result from their continued. newspaper," he meekly answered, "and the brethren here who just stood up are my subscribers, and—" "Let us pray," exclaimed the minister.

High Heels May Cause Her Death. Philadelphia North American.

Minnie Rhomhild's first pair of high-heeled shoes may cause her death. Her schoolmates had high-heeled shoes.

NEED NOT EEAD WAD Cross Society into Turkey. After reciting dren, arrived here this morning. His com- ter on the heel. The blister broke and became infected. Blood poison set in. The muscles of the leg became putrified from the heel almost to the knee. The little girl was taken to the Children's Homeo-

pathic Hospital.

Drs. Schwank and Long opened the leg. scraped the bone and removed as much of the poisonous matter from the flesh as possible. Massage and electrical treatment were used in conjunction with the operation, but despite their efforts the sur-geons say that amputation of the leg is the only means of saving their patient's

life As though her present trouble were not enough, there is danger that the girl will

Can You Swallow the Geese!

New York Mall and Express. "An old Scotchman and neighbor of mine," says an enthusiastic angler from Rockland County, "has a method of taking fresh water fish which, to my way of thinking, excels all others for the ease repose and success with which it is conducted. The fisherman living on the border of Rockland Lake desires, we will say, a mess of pike, perch or pickerel with which the waters are amply stocked Well, he simply goes out to his barnyard and selects a big goose or a half-dozen geese, as the case may be, and ties a

baited line about five feet long to their feet.
"On reaching the edge of the lake with a basket containing one or more geese the fisherman turns the birds in the water The geese swim out and the old Scotchman lights his pipe and sits down. In a few minutes a fish sees the balt and seizes it, giving the goose a good pull. The bird starts for the shore at full speed, frightened half to death, dragging the fish upor the bank where it is unbooked."

THE VALUE OF CHARCOAL,

Few People Know How Useful It Is in Preserving Health and Beauty.

Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose. Charcoal is a remedy that the more you take of it the better; it is not a drug at all, but simply absorbs the gases and impurities always present in the stomach and intestines and carries them out of the system.

Charcoal sweetens the breath after smoking. drinking or after eating onions and other odorous vegetables.

Charcoal effectually clears and improves the

complexion, it whitens the teeth and further acts as a natural and eminently safe cathar it absorbs the injurious gazes which collect in the stomach and bowels; it disinfects the mouth and throat from the poison of catarrh.

All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Absorbent Lozenges: they are composed of the finest powdered Willow charcoal, and other harmless antiseptics in tablet form or rather in the

purer blood, and the heauty of it is, that no possible harm can result from their continued use, but on the contrary, great benefit.

A Buffalo physician in speaking of the benefits of charcoal, says: "I advise Stuart's Absorbent Locenges to all patients suffering from gas in stomach and bowels, and to clear the complexion and purify the heath, mouth and throat." I also helives the liver is greatly head.

throat; I also believe the liver is greatly bene-fited by the daily use of them; they cost but twenty-five cents a box at drug stores, and, and Minnle, thought that she, being 13
years old, had a right to follow the styles.

The shoe of the right foot wore a blisthe ordinary charcoal tablets."