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Discouraged Mother in Oakland, Cal., Threw Herself in Front of Train.

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Aggravated With Poverty and Remorseful Over Whipping Her Innocent Child She Acted Rashly.

Oakland. Oct. 24.-Smarting beneath the consciousness that she had whipped her little daughter on the false report of a neighbor, when the child was innocent, and driven to the verge of madness by wicked stories of her intoxication circulated to rob her family of the little support extended by the Board of supervisors, Mrs. Mary Francis, aged 47 years, threw herself in front of the Alameda local on First stret, near Harrison, with suicidal intent. The pilot struck her hurling her body off the track, and although she is seriously injured, Dr Lilly, who is attending her, believes she will recover,

Writhing with pain from an ugly gash on her head and many bruises about her body, the woman is now in the hands of neighbors at her little home, 151 Second street; there, too, her little children are crowded about her, and when asked this morning why she attempted to take her life she calmly answered:

"I have suffered a great deal during the two years I have lived here in Oakland. We are so poor that during the past four days we have had scarcely anything to eat. Tony, my oldest boy, aged 20 years, is out of work, and the others cannot work. My husband is a cripple, but he has managed to work some. Now he has worked four days. He will get \$8 but our rent of \$7 came due Wednesday; we'll have to pay that or get out. Supervisor Joe Kelly has been doing a little for us. He's very kind but a certain neighbor has been going about saying that I don't deserve help; that I get drunk, GoJ knows get some milk once in a while for our coffee.

"Yesterday afternoon a Mrs. Petro of a fighting man. came to me and complained about one of my little girls. I whipped the child, and afterwards learned that the little one was innocent of any wrong. I was so sorry I thought my heart would break. Then I became discouraged. I dressed myself and went to the track."

Mrs. Francis is the mother of eight living children, the oldest 20, the youngest 5; and five children are

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of two banqueters, but it was equally probable that it might carry off the head of some student. Yet no one flinched. The chances were equal to

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