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TURKS SLAUCAHTER
ARMENANS
BY KASER ADE
 according to sixteen members of the
American board of foreign missions,
who arrived from Van, Turkey, on who arrived from Van, Turkey, on
the Swedinh teemer Hellig Olav to-
day. Ernest Yarrow, one of the mis. day. Ernest Yarrow, one of the mis-
sionaries told how the Armentan population at Van, numbering 1500 , held
out agatnst 5000 Kurds and a Tur-
uish company commanded by a Gerkish company commanded by a Ger-
man officer, from April 20 to May
17 , when Ruasians arrived and re17, when Ruasians arrived and re-
lieved the town.
"We had six $A$ merican and two Red Cross flags,", said Mr. Marrow, "and
we flew these over the mission, but ch combatants. The Turkish company arrived three or four days be-
fore the Russian relief came and the Shre the Russian relief came and the
shrapnel from the Turk guns tore don all our Flags.
"We sheltered large numbers of
Armentan women and elildren, but
as moon as the Turks and Kurds had been driven away from the town, all the Armenlans turned
Turkish houses and duplicate the
atrocitiess that had been prevtousty
practiced upon the Armenians. It
was with great difficulty that they was with great difficulty that they
were restrained.
"The Tark and Kurds have de-
clared a holy war against the Armen-
ans and vowed to exterminate them."
Mr, Yarrow sald many Armenlans隹

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and Southern Nebraska was struck
by a killing frost last night. Some
damage to corn in these portions of
the state, Is reported, ehiefly where
the crop is not yetmatured.
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