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## ABANDONS HUSBAND TO FLY WITH LOVER

J. E. Harding.

HER CHILDREN FORSAKEN

The Husband Half-Crazed with Shame and Anguish.

WAS SHE UNDER MORMON INFLUENCE

"Rememb r Me as Among the Dead, Weak But Not Foul," She Writes to Her Husband. Efforts Begun to Trace

(Special to News and Observer.)

Greensboro, N. C., July 23 .- This town woke up astonished this morning when it was learned that Mrs. Ida Stafford, one of the most attractive and highly regarded ladies in the city, wife of Mr. John E. Stafford, and mother of four bright boys from 8 to 17 years of age, had eloped with J. E. Harding, for years Mr. Hamlin says: chief book-keeper for the Revolution Mills, and a man of exemplary habits. The intelligence came like a thunder clap to the husband, the first intimation or suspicion of such a thing he ever had being the receipt last night of this let-

"Mr. Stafford:-"This letter is to tell you good-bye forever. I hope your life will be more satisfied in the future than it always has been. Be good to my boys and don't let them leave you. Look after them. not for my sake, but theirs and yours. Don't break up house, but try and get some good woman to keep house for you and hold you all and our things together. I don't want you to feel that you are to blame, for you are not. Don't try to find me and don't blame Daisy (a married adopted daughter). Please don't make any talk about my going or speak of it to the boys any more than you can help. I do not wish you to ever give me another thought. I am not worthy of any good thoughts, especially of my dear boys. You will find my money, also my rings and other things in pistol box. Do with them as you wish. Do not make my going away a subject of talk, but remember me as among the dead, weak

but not foul. "Good-bye, forever,

Mr. Stafford received in the mail this morning the engagement ring with the stamp of the Greensboro postoffice on it. The ring is a plain gold one marked "John to Ida-1882."

Neighbors of the Staffords all say they were excellent people and no breath of scandal had ever been even hinted at. Mr. Stafford says this morning that Harding had boardd with them and that he never dreamed of any undue intimacy between him and Mrs. Stafford or noted a suspicious circumstance.

The couple left on the late train yesterday, in separate coaches. Tickets were bought to Washington, but intelligence received by the chief of police this morning shows that they must have taken a train at Lynchburg for the West. Every effort is being made by Mr. Stafford to find them. He had a long conference with State Prosecuting Officer, Solicitor A. L. Brooks, this morning as to the best legal steps to take to bring the destroyer of his home to justice.

Mrs. Stafford is a woman of commanding presence, very handsome and stylish in figure, 35 years old, looking 20, with splendid dark brown hair, large blue eyes with a Cupid-bow mouth. She weighs 150 pounds and would be noticed anywhere as she is unusually bright in conversation, speaking quick and with animated

She was Miss Ida Alsop, of Richmond, sister of Messrs. Walter D. and George W. Alsop, who were for many years engineers on the Richmond and Danville fast mail between Richmond and Atlanta.

Mr. Stafford is the son of Rev. Mr. Stafford, a local minister of the Methodist church and for twenty years sheriff of Guilford county. Within the past month Mr. Stafford has been bereaved of both fater and mother, they dying in two weeks of each other at the age of

84 and 78 and leaving a large estate. J. E. Harding is the son of H. Harrison Harding, of Julian, Guilford county, and is one of the most respected and prosperous farmers, merchants and flour manufacturers of the county. Young Harding is twenty-five years old, clean shaven, with blue eyes, light brown hair, five feet, eight inches in height, weighing 180 pounds. He has a short neck. dropping in his shoulders to such an extent it is a deformity and with a quick nervous walk. He could be easily identifled anywhere. Otherwise he is a well formed, handsome man, of engaging manners. He has been the confidential bookkeeper of the Revolution Cotton Mills here for five years and his employers are

estonished at his conduct. The only clue to the destination of the couple is from a negro man, James Brown, who says he carried a trunk to the station for Mr. Harding and it had a name like "Salt Lake" on the tag. He must mean "Salt Lake, Utah," and if such is a fact, it might have been for a blind, or it might indicate that Mrs. Stafford was a victim of Mormon influences, which Harding perceived and tock

advantage of. Greensboro is headquarters of the Morshould prove true, the Mormon head-quarters here will have to go.

The conduct of these two popular peo-

the part of the wife a case of complete infatuation. The greatest sympathy is Mrs. Ida Stafford Elopes with felt for Mr. Stafford, who is almost crazed with grief, shame and indignation. He is a powerful effort. The greatest sympathy is felt for Mr. Stafford, who is almost crazed with grief, shame and indignation. He when speaking of it to this correspondent this morning he would constantly break down in a paroxysm of tears. He is anxious for the press to help find his erring wife, declaring that never in their whole married life has there ever been estrangement between them or has he had cause to doubt her absolute integrity in the least particular. She was a favorite in society, but he says she was mod-

> conduct. Mr. Stafford is prepared to offer a large reward for the apprehension of the couple and is only waiting for the arrival of Mr. Harding's father, who is momentarily expected, before naming the sum. As a means of discovery he also gives the information that the youngest child is eight months old and Mrs. Stafford was expected to be a mother again in October.

est, circumspect and correct in all her

#### HAMLIN'S REFORM PLATFORM.

On Which He Will Run For Gubernatorial Honors in Massachusetts.

(By the Associated Press.) Boston, July 23 .- Hon. Charles S. Hamlin, former Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, today announced that he was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor of Massachusetts. In a statement announcing his candidacy,

"If nominated I shall take the stump actively throughout the commonwealth in behalf of certain reforms which I believe to be vitally necessary to effective representative government among which

"The referendum as a popular check upon representative government. "Home rule and increased legislative

powers for cities and towns. "Prohibiting by law under heavy penalties interference with the Legislature, or legislators by corporations by means of campaign contributions or appointments to office.

"Rigid municipal control of public utilities with a view to ultimate municipal ownership whenever necessary to make such control effective in public in-

"Grants by the Legislature or municipalities, rights in or along the public ways or streets to be subject to revocation at the will of the grantor. When not revocable, to be for short terms, for The Loss is New Put at Seventy Thousand adequate consideration and subject to the referendum.

"Concentration of executive power in the office of governor with seats for heads of departments appointed by the governor in the Legislature."

## WEBB FAVORED FROM FIRST.

Split in Mecklenburg Important Factor in Final Result

(Special to News and Observer.) Morganton, N. C., July 23 .- Mr. E. Y. Webb received the nomination in the Ninth district on the seventh ballot over Maxwell and Dowd, of Charlotte; Tom Huffham, of Catawba, and Abernethy, of Burke, a break from the last named deciding the matter. Organization was apparent only among the Webb forces. R. R. Ray, of Gaston, was permanent chairman; Democratic editors, secretaries Mayor Tull, of Morganton, temporary presiding officer; Zachary, of Madison, and Self, of Catawba, for Huffham; Brevard, of Charlotte, for Maxwell, and Schenck, of Cleveland, made noble speeches of presentation for their men. The convention was very loyally attended, hilarious but sober, and the current ran towards the final winner from

the jump, all the sail birds favoring him Adjournment was had in time for returning delegates from the East to reach the 6 o'clock train. The split in Mecklenburg was found

impossible to heal and this was the important factor in the final result.

### ICE-CREAM DROVE HIM CRAZY. Negro Boy Thinks He is the President and a

Monkey. (By the Associated Fress.) Louisville, July 22.-A negro boy, Amos Bridgewater, aged 16 years, ate a gallon of ice cream Friday. As a consequence today he was sent in irons to the insane asylum. The boy developed violent symptoms immediately after

eating the cream. Bridgewater was a freshman at the Colored High School and was considered quite bright in his studies. He imagines by turns that he is the Mayor, the Governor, the police, President Theodore Roosevelt and a monkey.

## Loan and Building Associations.

(By the Associated Press.) Put-in-Bay, Ohio, July 23.-The tenth annual meeting of the United States League of Local Building and Loan Associations began here today with a good attendance.

President George H. Kostmaner, of New Orleans, delivered the annual ad-

Secretary H. F. Cellarius, of Cincinnati, submitted his annual report, showing that there are now in the United States 5,302 local building and loan associations, with a total membership of 1,539,593 and assets amounting to \$565,-387,966.

## Free Delivery Established.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, July 23 .- The Postoffice Department has established free delivery service, effective September 1, at Sumter. S. C., and Hampton, Va.

## mon propaganda in North Carolina, and this information given by the negro drayman is being carefully dooked into. If it should prove true the Mormon head.

Fitzsimmons Contest.

## ting Among Sports in Fayor of

(By the Associated Press.) San Francisco, July 23.-Everything is

now in readiness for the Jeffries-Fitzsimmons contest on Friday night and the attendance promises to tax the capacity of the arena. It is not likely that Jeffries will follow his usual routine of exercises from now on. He is at his best and will do just as he pleases.

He is particularly partial to sprinting at this stage of the game, as he believes that by footing it over short stretches of highway he gains in speed and strengthens his wind. Jeffries is better natured than he was a week ago. He de-clares that he feels stronger and better than he ever did before going into any fight and those who have been watching him during his training insist that he is faster than ever.

Fitzsimmons has also tapered off in his work, having passed the point where preliminary exercises will cut any figure. He says that hereafter he will do his boxing in private. After experiencing a temporary boom in betting circles Fitzsimmons chances have receded in the estimation of speculators until the original odds of 10 to 4 now prevail.

A slight defect in the ring has been found, but it will be remedied before the The heavy timbers which support the frame work about the ring were found to be rather too close to the ropes. If there was a struggle in any of the four corners there would be a possibility of either the heads or the hands of the boxers being injured. To avoid this a rope will cut off one foot of each corner, making the ring octagonal instead of square. The posts will be padded as

an extra precaution. Soldier Tom Wilson, who came from the East to act as Fitzsimmons' sparring partner, but who was shelved in favor of Hann Griffin, will not see the fight. He received orders to join his regiment at Fortress Monroe, Va., by July 29. and will leave tonight.

## THE FIRE AT CAMDEN.

Dollars.

(By the Associated Press.) Camden, S. C., July 23.-Fire, which

broke out in the principal business portion of this city late last night, destroyed one of the most substantial blocks of Camden, entailing an estimated loss of \$70,000, partially covered by insurance.

The town was entirely at the mercy of the flames, being without water protection on account of the water plant having been recently destroyed by fire. A change in the direction of the wind which swept the flames back over the burned area, checked the flames.

The fire was caused by an explosion of a lamp in an uptown store and spread rapidly through an entire block containing eleven stores and business buildings.

The Pythian Hall and the Masonic Hall were destroyed. Two stores belonging to J. C. Mann were entirely consumed.

The Bank of Camden was saved only after the most persistent efforts. The fire department of Columbia promptly answered the call for assistance, but the special train with the apparatus arrived after the flames had spent their fury.

## AVERY AND JUSTICE CHOSEN.

#### Nominees of Thirty-Fourth District For the State Senate.

(Special to the News and Observer.) Morganton, N. C., July 23.-The Thirty-fourth District Senatorial Convention which met here today nominated A. C. Avery, of Burke, and E. J. Justice, of McDowell, for the State Senate. The nomination was made on the first ballot. Edward Jones, of Caldwell, was chairman of the convention.

## FOR THE LOWER CAPE FEAR.

#### Lucas Submits an Estimate of \$300,000 For Improvements in 1904.

(By the Assocated Press.) Washington, July 23 .- The chief of engineers today received a number of reports from officers in charge of rivers and harbors, together with estimates for

the fiscal year 1904. Captain E. W. Van C. Lucas submits the following for North Carolina: Cape Fear river felow Wilmington, \$300,000.

## The O, D. Street Railway Sold.

(By the Associated Press.) Norfolk, Va., July 23 .- A report is in circulation that the Old Dominion Street Railway has been sold. There is no definite information on the subject but there is little doubt that the negotiations for the sale of the road have ma-

tured. The names of the people interested in the purchase are kept secret but things Point to the Norfolk, Portsmouth and Newport News Company, the Williams Syndicate, as the purchasers, assuming that the report of the sale is correct. It is known that the syndicate mentioned regard the property as a good one. It has been a strong competitor for business of the Norfolk, Portsmouth and

the Strikers.

Both Men Are in Spleadid Condition. The Bet- Illinois Miners Have Sent the Strikers \$100,000 in Four Weeks. Appeal to the Public

Effectiva.

(By the Associated Press.) Indianapolis, July 23.-Secretary Wilson of the United Mine Workers today received a check for \$50,000 for the strike fund from the Illinois organization. This was forwarded by him immediately to the anthracite field. The Illinois miners have, within four weeks, given the National organization \$100,000 for strike funds, and still have nearly a half mil-

lion in reserve. This donation, it is said, is the largest ever received for a strike. Wilson has received notice from indiciduals of checks for as much as \$1,000 that are now on their way to headquarters, indicating that the appeal to the public for funds has been effective.

It is believed that the miners will not attempt to keep bituminous coal out of the anthracite markets except as a last

President Mitchell left this afternoon for Chicago and tonight he will go from there to Wilkesbarre.

### LATTIMER CASE FALLS FLAT.

Jury Simply Find That He Was Killed, Accusing no One.

(By the Associated Press.) New York, July 23 .- Harry J. Parker, an insurance adjuster, who worked also as a private detective, was the first witness today in the coroner's investigation of the shooting of Albert C. Lattimer in his home in Brooklyn, on the morning of July 2. Parker testified that on May 1 this year Lattimer visited him and employed him. "Why did Albert C. Lattimer visit

asked District Attorney Clarke. "He told me he wanted to get evidence against his wife for unfaithfulness with a man whose name was given by Mr. Lattimer as Tuthill." Parker replied. "On May 2, of this year, I went with Mr. Lattimer to Tuthill's residence in Vanderbilt avenue and there I was told by Mr. Lattimer that it was Tutnill's house and I was to keep a watch on it, and report Tuthill's movements to him. On May 4 I saw Tuthill go to Lattimer's house at about 5:30 or 6 o'clock Lattimer was accustomed to reach home as late as 6:30 or 7 o'clock.

Parker testified that on one occasion Tuthill went to see Mrs. Lattimer at her home and remained there until the middle of the afternoon. Before Parker left the stand District Attorney Clarke made the following statement:

"I have had no conversation with this witness, but I understand that he can testify that the deceased told him that in case of his death he would know who killed him, mentioning the names of two persons. Now this is heresay and not admissable under the laws of evidence. It seems to me that if this declaration is to be introduced now it would be illegal, censurable and cruel; as far as I am concerned I don't purpose asking this man to make the declaration."

Maggie Fitzgerald, a servant employ ed in a house near Lattimer's, said that after the shooting she saw a man she thought was Lattimer go to a window and call for help. This witness also testified that about the time the police arrived she saw a man on the roof of the

Lattimer house. The case was then given to the jury, which brought in a verdict declaring that Lattimer was killed by a pistol shot wound. No accusation against any one was made by the jury.

## BRYAN, SHEPARD AND CARMACK.

#### These Three Speak at the New England Democratic League Banquet Today.

(By the Associated Press.) Boston, July 23.-Everything is readiness for the great banquet of the New England Democratic League which is to be held at Nantasket Beach tomorrow and at which at least four men of national reputation are to give their views on questions of political importance. The presiding officer will be Mayor Patrick A. Collins, of Boston, a former Congressman and consul general to London under President Cleveland. The speakers will be William J. Bryan, of Nebraska, Edward M. Shepard, of New York, and Senator E. W. Carmack. The visitors are expected to arrive in Boston early tomorrow. After a short rest Mr. Bryan will be at home to a few friends, but there will be no public reception. The party will leave for Nantasket at 11:20 a. m. and dinner will be served at the Rockland House at noon About 300 persons have secured tickets to the dinner. After dinner the party will adjourn to a mammoth tent, where the speaking will take place,

## ROOSEVELT'S FINE DISTINCTION.

#### Speaking Along Republican Lines This Fall He Won't Make Political Speeches-

(B ythe Associated Press.) Oyster Bay, July 23.-President Roose velt is displeased somewhat by a misinterpretation of his motives in accepting invitations to meet and speak to the people of several sections of the country this fall. It has been announced in some places that Mr. Roosevelt is to make a campaign, particularly in New York, with the idea of offsetting any aggressive opposition to his political views. Newport News line and that company, It can be said that he has no such inif rumors are true, would be glad to tention. Such invitations to speak, as he has accepted, have come from people Liverpool. It classed fully middling.

representing all shades of political opinion. While his addresses, which will be along Republican lines, so far as they may relate to politics, they will not be political speeches.

The President entertained at luncheon ple is inexplicable, it evidently being on All Ready For the Jeffries- A Check For \$50,000 For today President Jacob Gould Schurman, of Cornell University. The President and Prof. Schurman had a talk about the Philippine situation. Professor Schurman on the 14th of August, is to deliver an address at Chautaugua, in which he It is understood that he regards it as likely that the subject will resolve itself into a condition entirely satisfactorily to the Filipinos in a comparatively brief time, as the Philippine government law recently enacted by Congress will enable the natives of the archielago to particlpate in their home affairs.

#### FIVE MIDDIES FROM WAKE.

#### Five Enlist For the Navy With the Recruiting Party in Raleigh.

The United States Navy enlistment office in the postoffice building, in charge were seriously injured and his father of Ensign D. C. Hanrahan, which has may die. been enlisting recruits for the navy closed yesterday, and the recruiting officers now go to Charlotte. They have accepted five applicants for enlistment children, Vernon, 12 years old; Frank, 9 and the young men have been sent to Norfolk to go aboard the training ship Delacey, 5 years old, and Olga, 18 Franklin.

The enlisted are Messrs, Walner Owens, J. A. Sherwood, Ross Duncan, W. E. Fraten, L. S. Hickock and W. D. Martin, and of these Ross Duncan is the only one from the city.

Ensign D. C. Hanrahan, Past Assistant Surgeon J. E. Page, Chief Machinist, Burk Hanford, Chief Electrician Albert Oringer, Chief Yeoman D. A. Bachman and first class hospital apprentice B. W. Cole make up the recruiting force which has been here.

Ensign Hanrahan, who is in charge, was a class-mate of Ensign Worth Bagley at Annapolis. Yesterday he spoke very highly of the gallant young North Carolinian as he knew him in school, and said that he had never before felt so shocked and grieved at a death as at that of Bagley's. Ensign Hanrahan's ship is the Brooklyn, and he has just returned from Asia where this ship was stationed with the South Atlantic Squad-

Past Assistant Surgeon Page, the exemining physician of the recruiting force. was the surgeon on the Olympia with Dewey when the Spanish fleet was sunk at Manila Bay. Burke Hanford, a chief machinist, was aboard the Newark, the flagship of the Asiatic Squadron, during the recent war in China, and distinguished himself by conspicuous bravery in a fight with the Chinese, near Tien Tsin. For this he was rewarded with a handsome medal of honor, which is one of his most cherished possessions.

## THE ZACHARY MANTEL COMPANY.

## Raleigh H: adquarters of One of Three Incor-

porations Yesterday. There were three new corporations chartered by the Secretary of State yesterday, and one of these was a Raleigh enterprise. This was the Zachary Mantel Company of Raleigh, with a capital stock of \$25,000. The incorporators are: A. D. Zachary, John E. Bridges and R J. Hughes. The purpose of the corporation is the manufacture, buying and sale

of this kind. Another concern is the Ellott Chair Company, of Lexington, with \$20,000 capital. The incorporators are W. G. Moncastle, S. E. Williams and J. F. Ward, and the third is the Bounds Company, to deal in general merchandise, with a capital stock of \$10,000. F. J. Bounds 10th: and others are incorporators.

## Mr Latta's Condition Excellent.

Both Mr. Van Moore, who returned from New York Sunday and Mr. Ed. Lee, who came in yesterday, bring excellent reports of the condition of Mr. C. G. Latta.

Mr. Lee, who went to New York with Mrs. Latta immediately after the news of the accident was received here, has been with Mr. Latta since that time. He says that Mr. Latta is steadily improving and that the doctors are confident that he will get well, his skull rot being fractured. He is now free of pain, is conscious all the time and it is hoped will be able to sit up in bed in the course of a week.

## An Easy Raleigh Chief.

Among the visitors to Raleigh this week is a gentleman who twenty years ago was chief of Raleigh's fire department. This is Mr. Joseph Green, now of New Bern, in charge of the A, and N. C. R. R., then a resident here, master mechanic at the Raleigh and Gaston shops. In 1870 Mr. Green was the first engineer of the Rescue steamer. He still has a gold medal presented to him in 1880 by the Victor Fire Company, colored, as a token of their appreciation for his efforts in their behalf in securing necessary equipment during his term as chief of the department.

## McGraw For Congress.

(By the Associated Press.) Piedmont, W. Va., July 23 .- The Democrats of the Second district today nominated John T. McGraw, of Grafton, for Congress. McGraw was defeated by Dayton four years ago. The platform denounces Dayton for his stand against

## First New Cotton at Savannah.

Schley's recognition by Congress.

(By the Associated Press.) Savannah, Ga., July 23 .- The first bale of new cotton of the season of 1902-03 was received here yesterday and sold this morning at auction in front of the Cotton Exchange for 11 cents per pound.

Two Lives Lost Through a Boy's Terror.

### will deal with the Philippines situation. The Capiain by Heroic Efforts Rescues All But His Baby and Aged Mother Who Are Drowned.

By the Associated Press.) Savannah, Ga., July 23.-The sloop 'Lovell Dell," owned and sailed by Captain Allen N. Calder, of Thunderbolt, and having on board a pleasure party, was capsized in the Ogeechee River, near Hell Gate, during a squall yesterday afternoon, and Captain Calder's aged mother and infant daughter were drowned. Captain Calder's mother and wife

On the sloop were Dr. and Mrs. Stephen A. Calder, of Sunbury; Captain and Mrs. Allen N. Calder, of this city, their five years old; Lawrence, 7 years old; months old, who was drowned, and Mrs. Sandiford, who is sixty years old. All except Captain Calder and his son Vernon, were in the cabin at dinner. Vernon was holding the jib sheet. When the storm struck the craft Captain Calder ordered his son to slacken the sheet. The boy was frightened and became excited. Instead of doing so he pulled tight on the jib halyards, and the sloop

refused to answer her helm. Without, warning the craft was capsized and those in the cabin were instantly submerged in water. They were penned in like rats in a trap, as the

entrance to the cabin was under water. With desperate courage Captain Calder dived into the cabin and succeeded in dragging out all except the baby, Olga, whom he could not find. Mrs. Calder. the captain's mother, died soon after being brought out.

### NEW INDUSTRY FOR ASHEVILLE.

#### To Manufacture Articles of Talc. Juniors Celebrating Fifteenth Anniversary.

(Special to the News and Observer.) Asheville, N. C., July 23 .- The National Manufacturing Company, J. Shipply, manager, is to be established here shortly. The company will manufacture articles from talc. All the material will be obtained in North Carelina and home labor will be used. The market for the output s in the North and abroad. Mr. Shipply is from Chat-

tanooga. At a meeting of the Board of Trade held here tonight the opening of Ashe-

ville College was considered. J. C. Rumbaugh, son of Col. J. H. Rumbaugh, was married to Miss Florence Brightson, at Hot Springs last night.

The Junior Order United American Mechanics is celebrating ts fifteenth annversary today with sports.

## MURDERED BY LADRONES.

#### of mantels, tiling, grates and other things | The Bodies of Four Teachers Missing From Cebu Recovered.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, July 23 .- The War Department today received the following cablegram regarding the school teachers

who have been missing from Cebu, June "John E. Wells, 209 Montgomery Avenue, Providence, R. I., and his cousin, Louis A. Thomas, same address; Ernest Heger, 1413 Vine street, Cincinnati. Ohio: Clyde A. France, Berea, Ohio, missing, Cebu, murdered by ladrones, bodies recovered. Leader murderers killed; eight

## French Religious Disturbance.

others captured by the constabulary.

(By the Associated Press.) Paris, July 23 .- There is every prospect of fresh disturbances today, as a sequel to yesterday's clerical outbreaks as protests against the government's enforcement of the law against unauthorized congregations. It now appears that three hundred persons were arrested and numerous prosecutions are pending. thought the majority of the prisoners were released. Fresh meetings to protest in favor of the religious orders are expected to be held today, while the Radical and Socialist papers are urging the Republicans to meet at the Pantheon

as a counter demonstration. Several hundred persons, chiefly women and children, created a demonstration today in front of a church in the Ternes quarter, while some expelled sisters were departing. The police interfered and syral of th crowd struck them with sticns. Among those arrested were Deputies Pagliessi, Conti and Archdea-. con. They were subsequently released.

## The Losses by Goldsboro's Fire.

(Special to News and Observer.) Goldsboro, N. C., July 23 .- Nine horses perished in the fire here last night, which broke out in Lamb's stables. One hundred and fifty buggies were burned in Southerland's stables. The total losses are estimated at from, \$20,000 to \$25,000. about half of which is covered by insur-

## Over a Hundi ed Drowned.

(By the Associated Press.)

Hamburg, July 23.-It is now announced that 109 persons were drowned by the sinking Monday morning of the steamship Primus, of this port, after a collision in the river Elbe with the tug The bale will be exported at once to