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A BUSINESS DISPUTE.

supply this want, are often dis- Eatman's Wife and Son Also Injured.

in country and town are opened Lamm, Wilson, N. C. about six The colored girl is thought to Army at Belknap, and formerly but once a week, while the miles from town, Pearson Eatman be out of danger. schoolhouses are occupied only was killed Saturday night about from 9 to 4. Millions of dol- 8 o'clock by T. R. Lamm, and lars are invested in these build Lamm is in a critical condition eentury proves that no other preparaings that are but half used. from the effects of a pistol ball tion of the kind stops coughing and There is a general movement on fired by Eatman. Full facts ap- allays irritation of the throat and foot to throw open both schools pear hard to get as yet, but from effectually as this. and churches, for objects of this the best information it appears kind, during the hours they are that Eatman, who is a tenant of VISITS HEAVEN IN TRANCES. not used for their original pur. Lamm, was dissatisfied with a pose. The idea is the right one settlement between him and his A special from Cardiff, N. Y., The schoolhouse should be the laudlord, and they fell out over says: Mrs. Truman Wright, center of learning and pleasure the settlement, and Eatman shot aged 86, the wife of a farmer and for old as well as young; the Lamm with a pistol. Lamm old residenter, has had several church should be a home of stamped Eatman to death and trances in the past two weeks. intellectual and social inspiras kicked and stamped Eatman's She says she has been to heaven, tion week days, instead of be- son and knocked his wife down. and described the golden streets ing occupied only on Sunday. Young Eatman was badly bruised and the congregation of angels, This means better homes, better up, but neither he or Mrs. Eat- and declared that she had stood man were seriously injured in the incomparable presence of The ball entered Lamn's breast the Lord, who had given her and it is not yet known whether messages to be conveyed to her

> dangerous men, and there is very through her son Truman, who little surprise expressed by the claims to also have had a vision community over the homicide. of the spirit world. Lamm is a wealthy man, having accumulated considerable money in the past few years.

or not it will prove fatal.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT OF IT. miles west of Wilson, All einds of rumors were affoat, a first it was heard that all the par ties who engaged in the frightful duella were killed. From reliable authority we learn that only one man is dead and two, perhaps mortally wounded, the dead man being Mr. Pearson from the War Department for an Eatman, who met his death at appropriation to make Beaufort the hands of Mr. T. R. Lamm.

were tenants of Mr. Lamm, and several days ago a dispute arose night went to Lamm's Store and the parties to disperse, where- will no doubt see to it that the The Superior Court judge deupon Pearson Eatman turned his appropriation is tacked on it in cides in his favor and the State weapon, a 38 calibre pistol, upon the Senate in the shape of an appeals. Lamm and fired. Lamm then knocked his assailiant down and stamped him to death, crushing his head into a mass of jelly, Lamm then turned upon Eatman's son, knocked him down and largerated his head in a terrible manner with his foot, crusing in the cerebellum and sever- gyman will be wondering "where ing one ear from his head.

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#### BITTEN BY A MAD DOG.

White Girl Will go to Philadelphia.

rent. Yet most of the churches At the residence of T. R. to Philadelphia for treatment. chaplain of the United States

friends on earth. These mess Eatman and Lamm were both sages, she says, are to be revealed

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> Between the preacher in Jers sey City who is conducting a And that is more important than makhe is at," or whither the process sion is tending.



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Rev. O. L. Stringfield in Tyrrel on the Interest of Baptist University.

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SHE MARRIES AN INDIAN. THE GENERAL CONFER-ENCE.

> Among Members of the South ern Methodist Church

they are being thoroughly car-

divided between ministers and laymen. Among the laymen Truck are some of the most distin Of the four women now in the guished men of the South. It University, only one will be will be presided over by the graduated with the class of '9? bishops of the church in the or--Miss Sallie Stockard. She i der of their seniority. Business an alumna of Guilford College, sessions will be held in the having been graduated at that morning, extending, probably institution last June. Miss into the early afternoon. The Stockard will be the first woman greater part of the afternoons who has ever enjoyed the dis- will be given up to committee Shipping. tinction of receiving a diploma work, and at night mass meetfrom the University of North ings in behalf of the general in "Coeds," is taking a high stand public gatherings will be held.

a cousin of the poet, Henry day of the Conterence there will Jerome Stockard .- The Tar Heel. be a big public reception to the Self-denial is the one thing most Conference by the Southern is expected to be present.

In addition to receptions that will be given by the various Southern Methodist Churches of Baltimore, a number of side trips to places of interest in the neighborhood of Baltimore will be arranged. These will include from license [tax those hotels a trip to Washington and excurwhose business is under \$1,000 sions down the bay. The Epworth League mass meeting is expected to be one of the big events of the season.

creased of recent years.

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The Conference, which is the supreme body of the Southern Methodist Church, is composed of about 500 members, equally

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