RULAS IN SELF-DEFENSE.

A. Stewart Shoots Thrice and In-tently Kills Will Young, Who Was dynatching on Him With a Knife-courred in Iredell, Near Alexan-er Line-Slayer Acquitted. chai to The Observer.

Newart's, near Fulbright's store, Mednesday afternoon. Young was here, was under the influence of there, was under the influence of Iquor and was troublesome. During the sale he assaulted or threatened J. E. Miller, Ed. Johnson and J. B. list. on, and it is said that he put a shell in his gun, for the purpose of shooting Deputy Sheriff L. Gilbert. shooting Deputy Sheriff L. Gilbert This was believed by some to be his purpose, although he did not make the attempt. After the sale, Young went to Fulbright's store. J. B. Johnston and H. A. Stewart were in the sitting on the counter. Young was drinking, had several bottles of iquor in his pocket and was very

igiy. Immediately on entering the store, he began to curse and abuse J. B. Johnston. Mr. Fulbright saw that trouble was coming, and made as if he was going to close the store, in order to bet the men out. Young conthused to curse Johnston and, becom-ing agitated, Johnson said he would sessions have been well attended and stand little more. Up to this time, there had been no remarks between Stewart and Young and, so far as could be learned, they had had no during the day, and were not m bad terms. Young turned to Rewart and asked him if he wanted on bad terms. to take up the quarrel, and accused him of being the cause of the trou-ble at the sale. Stewart denied it, and Young called him a liar. Stewart went out of the store, and

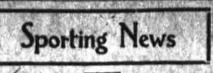
Young followed. Stewart warned him to stop, but he continued, in the mean time taking out his knife, and cursing all the while. As Young failed to stop, after repeated warning from Suswart, the latter, when Young was six feet from him, pulled a **38-calibre** pistol from his right coat pocket and fired three times rapidly. foung pitched forward on his face open knife was found in his right Fubright immdiately placed Stew-art under arrest and he slept with an officer last night. There was a wait coroner's inquest this morning. but it was not considered necessary wart is a nice-looking young man, respected in his community. Young was a worthless character, and the coffee. county is rid of a bad man. The killconsiderable excitement and feeling.

BURKE IMPROVING.

Condition of Young Man Stabbed at is Encouraging-Famine in Salisbury Sugar.

Special to The Observer. Salisbury. Dec. 20.-What has

proven to be an unusual thing is a sugar famine in Salisbury, due primarily to the inability of the railroads to get their cars into the city to the



### The Races at New Orleans.

des Line-Slaver Acquitted.
Special to The Observer.
Statesville, Dec. 20.—At fae store of D. J. Fulbright, Esq., in northeast iredell, near the Alexander line, yester is a grant of a ball near the Alexander line, yester is a son of a ball of the second races at City Park to-day. Again in the fourth race lucks hoys made good winnings on Nedra, which opened at 26 to 1 and was backed to 16 to 1 at 05 thme. Nedra led from start to fin-shantiny killed Will Young. 36 years old, who leaves a wife and five chlipter. Stewart was arraigned before with a start was arraigned before a fatemoon, and was discharged on the pround of self-defense. He was required to give a \$50 bond for his appearance at court for carrying conceled weapons.
Stewart is a son of Mr. H. B. Stewart is a son

New York, Dec. 20 .- The New York Evening World to-day received a telegram from James J. Jeffries at Los Angeles, saying that he would not fight Jack Johnson the colored pugi-

STRUCK BY A DRAY.

Rev. E. C. Glenn Meets With Accident-Greensboro Electric Plant Must Shut Down-After Officer Skeenes.

Special to The Observer.

Greensboro, Dec. 20 .- The State Normal and Industrial College and

the Greensboro Female College closed to-day for the fall term. The girls began leaving last week, and to-day nearly all who attend the two schools have gone to their homes. The fall most successful in every way. The city schools will take a recess tomorrow until after the holidays.

While attempting to avoid an approaching street car last night about o'clock, Rev. E. C. Glenn, the wellknown evangelist, was struck by a dray and seriously injured. He was picked up by friends, and in a short while was able to go to his home on West Market street. Two street cars were approaching Mr. Giell in opposite directions when he started across the street. He attempted to avoid these, and in doing so was struck by the dray, which was drawn by a very

unruly animal. He was getting along very well to-day. The members of the city fire department met last night in the hall of the Eagle Hose Company for an oyster supper, Chief Taylor explaining that they were the guests of friend of the department, who, however, did not want his name to be known. A long table provided for the purpose was spread, and about 60 members gathered about it. A lunchcon was served, consisting of stewed and fried oysters, hard-boiled eggs,

pickles, crackers ham sandwiches and On account of the scarcity of coal and the poor railway facilities it looks as if the Greensboro Electric Company will be obliged to shut down the

plant in a few days, unless something is done to relieve the situation. Early yesterday morning the plant had barely enough fuel to last through the day, and, but for the timely aid of the Proximity Manufacturing Company, the city would have been in darkness last night. Two cars of coal were borrowed, and this will re-

# THE BASEBALL SETUATION.

Only a Few Fans Were Present at Meeting Called for Last Night and Action Was Postponed—Oonly 12 of the Necessary 20 Subscribers Secur-ed—A Misconception on the Part of

Only a few of the faithful were present at the meeting of baseball enthusiasts at the city hall last night and no organization was effected as had been hoped, action being postponed until a meeting to be called later. The committee appointed to secure 20 men who will subscribe five shares of stock at \$50 a share and form the company, which shall apply for a franchise in the South Atlantic League and be responsible for and control the team should the franchise be secured, had not been as successful in its undertaking as had been expected. A dozen men have agreed to put up the amout specified, leaving eight to

be secured. There is a misconception on the part of many fans in regard to the plan intended to be pursued. It is thought that after a company has been formed to make the application and manage the team, there will be little or no trouble in securing voluntary contributions amounting to \$1,-500 or \$2,000 with which to help put the organization and team on their It is a business proposition. feet. It is thought that the team will be self-supporing, and if this be the case, all the \$5,000 capital will not be consumed. The \$250 will not be a contribution but a subscription of stock with assets to back it in the

shape of franchise, ball park, etc., and with a probability of dividends within a year or two. The committee that has been work-

ing to get the 20 men to subscribe the necessary sock to form the corporation has been very earnest and has worked hard. Two or three have agreed to take more than \$250 of stock if they can get enough including this to make the \$5,000. On account of the fact that everyone is busy on account of the holiday season, all efforts to get a good attendance at the meetings have been unsuccessful and it is

be called until after Christmas. VETERANS WANT MORE PENSION

probable that no other meeting will

#### Old Soldiers of Cabarrus Ask For Increase of Tax For This Purpose

Concord Tribune. Cabarrus, veterans have adopted a set of resolutions, asking the Legisla-ture to increase the pensions to the needy soldiers and widows of the Confedericy. The meeting was called and attended by Confederate veterans of Cabarrus Camp No. 212 who do not draw pensions and who do not expect such. At the meeting the fol-lowing were adopted:

winds.

fair.

winds. Louisiana, eastern Texas, fair Friday and Saturday; light to fresh west winds, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Indian Territory, western Texas, fair Friday and Satur-

day. Tennessee, Kentucky, fair Friday and Saturday, preceded by rain Friday in

east portion. West Virginia, rain Friday; Saturday

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2nd. That the present pension to each soldier and widow is a mere pittance unworthy of the great State of North Carolina and insignificant as a recognition of the services freely and loyally given, of those to whom pen-

ions are now granted. 3rd, That we appeal to our comrades all over North Carolina to at once adopt the two foregoing resolutions in every county in this State by camps, where such exist, and where no camp exists in the county, then by a meeting of all Confederate veterans in such county, and that copies



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lieve the situation temporarily Should the plant be shut down the city wholesale dealers. Yesterday house-wives were without the commodity would be without light, water or street cars. and the merchants throughout the

Meeting Anticipated.

Manufacturers' Association of North

Carolina and the freight agents and

traffic managers of the Association of

nas, and a meeting of the executive

composed of the following named: W.

Manufacturers'

rious inequalities in freight rates on

railroad people and such conferences

ing interests of the State.

the Cotton

Messers, Broadhurst & Stern, who city were powerless to relieve the distress. Some few cars were brought in to-day, but the grocers are far from being supplied with the article, and there is some fear that they will not be equal to the Christ-mas drade mas trade.

Harvey Burke, who spent last night n a dangerous condition at the Whitehead-Stokes Sanatorium, as the deadly weapon, and the hearing in the case will be held in a few days. result of a stab from a knife in the The officer's conduct was placed under fire at an investigation before hands of Leander Burton, is improvng and his case is now so hopeful the board of aldermen Tuesday night. that Burton's father will ask bail for and the board exenerated him. son. He has retained Congressthe negroes and attorneys are not man Theo. F. Kluttz and T. F. Hudcontent, and will carry the case to of the local bar, to represent the Superior Court. son, hm. Young Burton says Burke was in the attitude of striking him, and FOR BETTER FREIGHT RATES. had a piece of pipe in his hands when

he was stabbed. It was the narrowest escape for both of them, the knife barely missing the young man's heart. Mr. Burke started to pursue Burton, not at first realizing the extent of his injuries.

A sister of the wounded man, i well-known professional nurse of Charlotte, came up last night and will attend her brother through the period of recovery. The hearing will most likely be to-morrow.

The Brown Clothing Company has in its store a hat for probably the head in North Carolina, at argest least a head belonging to a normal Railways of Virginia and the Caroli-man. It is No. 8 1-4, and belongy nas, and a meeting of the executive to a gentleman affectionately known committee of the manufacturers' as-as "Daddy Smith." Mr. Smith's ev-sociation. The Traffic committee was ceas of circumference is all good, and he is a man of more than ordi-

and he is a man of many intelligence. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Price have have have charman; Ceasar Cone, Greens-chosen next week as the time of boro; A. A. Thompson, Raleigh; D. A. Tompkins, Charlotte. A. Tompkins, Charlotte. rice has sold his law office on lawyers' row, and B. B. Miller has butchased it. Their going away means tion of North Carolina, stated to an the temporary loss of Mr. and Mrs. Observer representative that "The Price, though they hope to return yet committee made an exceedingly strong o live here. Mr. Price has a good showing before the railroad situation in a law office in Jackson- not only pointing out to them the vaville and will go at once into the actice of his profession. both incoming and outgoing freight

He has well earned the reputation in Virginia and North Carolina, for an able, high-toned advocate, and making a strong appeal and backing in the government's service as as- their appeal up with indisputable istant district attorney, has done his facts showing that the manufacturduty honestly. He made a vigoronal ers are entitled to a reduction in the service, took up his prac- committee was received kindly by the om the service, took up his prachere, where he left it when apolinted by President McKinley as his will do good. The manufacturers rst official act after the second retion. Mr. Price has borne many to do what is right and isn by more, and is yet an exceptional Mr. Erwin deserves especial com-ming man. He has been elector-at-rge and, though not a politician, has the committee." ad honors thrust upon him.

Mrs. Price is a favorite here, too, d the fact that Salisbury loses her cause she has lost her health, ightens the sorrow that naturally with her departure.

#### New Enterprise Launched at Reids. ville,

#### ecial to The Observer.

Reidsville, Dec. 20.—The BuBsiness en's Association has launched its st enterprise since its organization Arst enterprise since its organization few days ago. It is the Incorporat-of Insurance, Real Estate and Build-ns and Loan Agency. The company is just been organized. It is the purpose of the new organization to and money, build houses for client, ind insure their lives and property. The agency will be incorporated at an arry date. Coil J. W. Craig is to be createry and treasurer. Mr. George A. Miller, of Danville, Ya., has purchased the Cotten real-tence in the northern part of town. The family will occupy it

of these two foregoing resolutions, duly authenticated, be forwarded to the President of the Senate and to the Speaker of the House of the next General Assembly of North Carolina.

4th, That we kindly appeal to evnewspaper in North Carolina ry friendly to this noble cause, to publish all these resolutions for thirty days successively as their gracious recognition of the Confederate veterans and rant has been issued for the officer their widows of this State, whether charging him with assault with a pensioners or not. H. B. PARKS, Com.,

Camp 212, Cabarrus county. W. M. WEDDINGTON, Secretary and Treasurer.

## TO VISIT REIDSVILLE. Corporation Commission Will Investi-

the

gate Needs-Talk of Warehouse. pecial to The Observer. Reidsville, Dec. 20.-The members of the North Carolina corporation

Traffic Committee of the Cotton Manuunmission will vist Reidsville Friday facturers' Association of North Carpersonaly see what the town reolina Holds Conference With Freigh Agents and Traffic Managers der that they may of a depot, in or--Lower Rates on Coal Especially gently pass upon the plans and speci-fications to be submitted by the Wanted-Good Results From the Southern Railwaq. The need of the new depot here has been forcibly in-Messrs. R. M. Miller, Jr., and D. A. Tompkins returned home yesterday morning from Pinehurst, where they diacted the past few days. The freight department has been unable went to attend a conference between receive the incoming freight, and the traffic committee of the Cotton

But

ix cars of merchandise could not be unloaded yesterday, until after the out-going freight had been loaded inthe cars. The local agent, Mr. N. Thompson, has seen the need of better depot facilities here for some time, but his efforts to induce the ompany to durnish them did not wall, until the people of the place got behind the movement.

There are guite a number of peowho believe that a workhouse is one of the things needed in this coun The matter has never been carried beyond a discussion.

In speaking of the meeting yester-day, Mr. Miller, who is president of At the last prize drill of the Reidsville Rifles Sergeant James Mobley von the gold medal for his proficiency in the manual of arms. A large rowd of interested spectators was present. people The local Bell Telephone system is

installing another section to its switchboard, the present one being taxed to its capacity.

#### WEDDED IN SPARTANBURG.

Mr. W. A. Miller, of Winston-Şalem, ' and Miss Ruby Woolen are Married. Special to The Observer.

Spartanburg, & C., Dec. 20.--A marriage of much interest to North Carolinians was that of Mr. W. A. Miller, of Winston-Salem, N. C., and Miss Ruby V. Woolen, whose home, for the past several months, has been in Spartanburg.

Mr. Miller stated that much inter-The ceremony was performed at est was manifested at the meeting of the executive committee in what the the Church of the Advent, Rev. Dr. Crosland, of Winston-Salem, officiattraffic committee might accomplish in the way of good for the manufacturing. Among those present were sev-eral North Carolinians who arrived this morning. Mr. and Mrs. Miller left on the 6 o'clock train, going North, During her residence in Spartanburg Mrs. Miller as Miss Woolen, made many friends, who con-Teachers and Students off Famous



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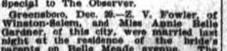
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were a number of British subjects and one American. In several places in the interior to-day troops were compelled to use force in order to open the doors of the seminaries. <u>Cosmetics will ruin the complexion</u> There's no beauty practice equal to the effects of Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tes. It keeps the entire body in perfect beath. Tes. or Tablets, is cents. E. H. Jordan & Co.

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