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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Admiral Schley's appeal from the
finding of the court of inquiry has
been delivered to the President.
John L. Pearce, a prominent citizen
of Norfolk, Va., found dead in a small
stiff in Roanoke dock.
The Senate debated the Philippine tariff
bill yesterday; in the House the urgent
deficiency bill was discussed.
Telegraphers of the South will hold a
fast sending tournament in Atlanta,
February 23.
The N. & W. R. R.
Co. has placed an order for thirty
locomotives.
Negro who assaulted
a white lady near Norfolk,
Va., last Saturday was tried yesterday,
convicted and sentenced to be hanged
March 13th.
Every steamship
line trading between England and
America except one, has agreed to
form a freight combination upon a
basis considerably higher than the
rates at present in force.
Fitzsimmons, the pugilist, fell down stairs
at a theatre in Brooklyn, N. Y., and
was seriously injured.
An attempt
to burn the town of Spianston,
Ohio, yesterday was unsuccessful.
Boat at the Hamilton Lumber Camp,
W. Va., burned and seven lives were
lost.
Mrs. Webber, of Lynch-
burg, Va., identified the negro Joe
Higginbotham as the man who as-
saulted her, the negro broke down
and confessed the crime.
New York market: Money on call
steady at 3 1/2 to 4 per cent; cotton quiet
at 15 to 16; flour market was firm and
moderately active; wheat—spot firm,
No. 2 red 85 1/2; corn—spot easy, No.
2 85; spirits—turpentine and rosin
unchanged.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.
WATER BUREAU.
WILMINGTON, N. C., JAN. 21.
Temperatures: 8 A. M., 59 degrees;
9 P. M., 49 degrees; maximum, 62 de-
grees; minimum, 41 degrees; mean, 52
degrees.
Rainfall for the day, .95; rainfall
since 1st of the month to date, 1.15
inches.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—For North
Carolina: Fair Wednesday, colder
and clear; Thursday fair; brisk to
high westerly winds, slowly diminish-
ing.

PORT ALMANAC—JANUARY 22.

Rises: 7:07 A. M.
Sets: 5:17 P. M.
High Water at Southport: 6:23 A. M.
High Water Wilmington: 8:52 A. M.

King Oscar, of Sweden, can speak
and write fluently in eight languages,
and can therefore hold his own in
the domestic fold.

Sir Alfred L. Jones, the largest
individual ship owner in Great
Britain, was a good climber. He
began at the bottom rung of the
ladder and climbed all the way up.

The Tokio Densha Tisudo Ma-
shinka Kaisha is the title of a
new electric street car company in
Tokyo, Japan. An infant which can
carry such a name as that must be
very robust.

A Japanese surgeon has discovered
that with the use of adrenaline
bloodless surgery may be performed.
But as this stuff costs about seven
thousand dollars a pound the aver-
age person will have to be out up in
the usual way.

Renderville, a suburb of Pitts-
burg, is owned entirely by employes
of the Panhandle railroad. A
hundred men bought the land and
divided it up into lots on which
they built. The railroad carries
them in and out gratis.

A congregation in the town of
Findlay, Ohio, has just discharged
the preacher because he lacked phys-
ical energy and didn't prance around
and bang the pulpit enough for
them. Here is a chance for some
reformed ex-prize fighter.

John A. Kurz, of Mt. Joy, Pa.,
was a man of few words, and made
his will accordingly. It contained
few words, all monosyllables—and
read: "Leave all to my wife." There
wasn't enough of it for the lawyers
to get into a scrimmage over.

A New Jersey man, who has re-
cently died, never smoked, chewed,
drank, went to a circus or theatre,
played cards, checkers or dominoes,
never skated with a girl, was never
in love and never married. What a
lot of fun that fellow missed.

It is said that a thimbleful of bat-
ter ordinarily contains about 45,000,
000 germs, and if it wasn't salted
would be all germs. As a general
thing, however, these germs are of a
harmless variety, although they be-
come somewhat offensive to aesthetic
tastes as they grow large and active.

For LaGrippe and In-
fluenza use O'NEIL'S
EXPECTORANT.

LADIES' BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

(Continued.)

The Executive Committee of the
Ladies' Benevolent Society wish to
make a statement to the citizens of
Wilmington, and to the ladies particu-
larly. They hope that this article will
be carefully considered and that each
person will feel that the information
contained therein is intended for her
benefit.

It is nearly seven years since we pur-
chased the new Home, and by careful
management we have met our expenses
without calling upon the people except
to ask for membership fees and con-
tributions in provisions. Our aim has
been to support the institution by the
membership fees alone. We prefer do-
ing this to being constantly asking aid
from the people; indeed, we think the
Ladies' Benevolent Society is far too
important an institution for us to con-
template this uncertain method of
maintaining it.

We have an income of nearly \$400 a
year, including the interest on the
money bequeathed us by the late James
Walker. Without this income it would
be impossible to meet the expenses of
the Home, and the Ladies' Benevolent
community is of such a meagre nature
that alone it would go only a part of
the way towards defraying our ex-
penses.

We earnestly ask for a larger mem-
bership; that the people will volun-
tarily send us the fee of \$1.00 without
waiting to be asked for it. The cost
of collecting the dues is too arduous
for us to undertake, and it is a small
matter for each person to send her fee
to any one of the Executive Com-
mittee.

For the last two or three years we
have seen the necessity of enlarging
our quarters, and with this end in
view we have had the admission fees of
the inmates, hoping for more interest
on the part of this community in the
work of a guaranteed support for an
increased number of members of our
household at the Home.

It is a source of congratulation that
we can add a number of rooms with-
out calling for help from the citizens.
Many are laboring under the impres-
sion that when they contribute to
the Associated Charities they are
essentially helping the Home indirectly.
This is entirely an erroneous impres-
sion.

When the Associated Charities are
organized in our city for the purpose
of relieving the necessities of the poor,
the responsibility which devolved upon
the Ladies' Benevolent Society, and
which has been the cause of our addi-
tional amount of charitable work which
relieves us of a heavy burden, and give
us more time to devote to the care of
the Home, so we gladly turned that
portion of the work over to the new
organization.

Results have shown that we acted
wisely, as well as magnani-
mously, in this leaving no room for
possible friction between the two or-
ganizations.

When the county gave \$125 per
month to the Associated Charities it
was not necessary for the Ladies' Bene-
volent Society to continue to send
\$125 to the Old Ladies' Home, as the
county had been doing for several
years; so one can see that contribu-
tions from citizens to the Associated
Charities are in no sense a help to
the Catherine Kennedy Home.

The two organizations are sepa-
rate and distinct in the line of work
carried on by them respectively.

Having made the situation clear that
we have the money for additional
contributions from citizens to the
charity are presented to the men and
women of Wilmington.

A visit to the Home will confirm all
we claim for it. In it there are over
70, one 80, five over 60 and only two
under 60. All have been sur-
rounded with comforts in the past, and
more than that—there is not a single
one who is strong enough
physically, to support herself outside
of the Home. For lack of room we
had to turn away three during the
past year. Surely the need of such a
refuge is apparent to all and this ap-
peal will be met with a large number
of responses for many years. We
need 1,000 members at \$1 each, for all
time—then the support of the Home
will be an assured fact and we can
proceed at once with our building.

Membership fees can be sent to any
one of the officers named below, and
who form the Executive Committee:
Mrs. Roger Moore, (president), Mrs.
Phil. Pearsall, (vice president), Miss
Louise Harlow, (secretary) and Mrs.
W. R. French, (treasurer).

News of the Collectors.

Reports from Washington yesterday
added confirmation to the story that
Mr. B. F. Keith would get the Wil-
mington Collectors' Association. Al-
though the appointment was still not made, yester-
day, both Senator Pritchard and Sec-
retary Gage telegraphed here yester-
day for the full name of Mr. Keith,
and it is presumed very naturally that
this was wanted for filling in the nec-
essary papers. Mr. Keith returned
home yesterday evening but as he left
Washington early in the morning, he
knew nothing more than that the ap-
pointment is his. It is expected that
his name will be sent to the Senate to-
day.

Will Erect Handsome Residence.

Maj. D. O'Connor, Wilmington's
enterprising real estate agent, has let
the contract to Architect H. E. Bonitz
for the tearing away of the residence,
No. 11 South Fifth street, formerly
occupied by Mr. E. J. Powers, and in
its stead Maj. O'Connor will erect a
handsome residence for himself. Work
was begun several days ago in remov-
ing the house from the lot.

Rice Mills Sold.

By deed of date Jan. 1st, 1902, and
filed yesterday for record at the Court
House, Adolph Ostinger and wife, of
Goldboro, transferred to the Carolina
Rice Mills, of Goldboro, the property
of the old Wilmington rice mill on
the north side of Chesnut between
Front and Water streets; consideration,
\$15,000.

The Associated Charities.

On account of the very ineloquent
weather yesterday the annual meeting
of the Associated Charities was not
held as appointed. It will be held
later this week at the call of the pres-
ident, Dr. Blackwell.

THE SUPERIOR COURT

Term of the Trial of Civil Cases
Only Will be Convened
Next Monday.

ARRANGEMENT OF CALENDAR.

One Furnished for Publication is That
Fixed by Judge Timberlake—Cases
Set for First Three Days With
Provision for Continuance.

The January term of New Hanover
Superior Court will be convened
Monday by Judge E. W. Timberlake,
who is now at Jacksonville, N. C.,
holding the Oaslow term.

The STAR yesterday referred to the
differences existing between Judge
Timberlake and members of the Wil-
mington bar in regard to the arrange-
ment of a calendar and it is quite like-
ly that some concession will result on
the opening, but Judge Timberlake is
persistent in his demands for his cal-
endar and it will more than likely be
the one that will be used. At any rate
it is the one that yesterday went
into the hands of the printers by or-
der of the Judge.

All the cases on the trial docket are
set for the first three days of the two
week's term as follows:

Monday—Meta H. Hullen vs. City
of Wilmington; Edw. Moseley vs.
M. G. Chadwick; City of Wilmington
vs. Caroline Ariat; Monarch Cycle
Co. vs. M. F. Taylor, Jr., et al.;
Sterling Cycle Co. vs. M. F. Taylor et
al.; J. W. Atkinson vs. Wm. Sheehan;
Emilie Mack vs. City of Wilming-
ton; J. E. Taylor vs. W. H. Howe;
J. C. & J. B. King vs. Michael Griffin;
J. H. Sloan vs. J. B. Hines.

Tuesday—J. R. Straus, ex. vs.
City of Wilmington; Navassa Guano
Co. vs. McNair & Pearsall; R. C.
Merritt et al. vs. Cornelia Alderman;
S. P. Cowan Livery Co. vs. City of
Wilmington et al.; Graham Murray
vs. City of Wilmington and Charles
T. Harper; Ocean View Co. vs. Mercer
& Phares; B. F. Penny vs. A. C. L.
R. R. Co.; W. E. Worth vs. City of
Wilmington; Grace A. Nixon et al. vs.
Mary Wilson.

Wednesday—W. T. Dorch admr.
vs. W. T. Banneman; I. J. Sternber-
ger vs. I. Shrier and wife; City of
Wilmington vs. C. N. Davis; T. G.
Williams vs. Interstate Tel. and Tel.
Co.; W. H. Howe vs. Stone, Rouk &
Co. et al.; Sam'l. J. Jones vs. Clyde
Steamship Co.; City of Wilmington
vs. J. S. Armstrong et al.; A. G.
Ricard, receiver, vs. Alderman &
Flanner.

In connection with the calendar
Judge Timberlake has made the fol-
lowing order, which is printed on the
same: "Cases will be called
peremptorily on day set, and if not
reached that day will be tried when
reached, unless continued by consent
or upon legal grounds."

The custom heretofore has been to
set the cases with regard to their
length and if they are not reached
upon the day set, then they are to be
continued until next term. It has
been a rule of the bar here for several
years and was designed for the con-
venience of many witnesses who are
often brought to the court from a dis-
tance and who, by the late rule, would
not be required to be in attendance
until the day on which was set the
particular case in which they were in-
terested.

The Sewerage Work and the Rate.

An ugly state of affairs followed in
the wake of the sewerage contractors
on the south side of Market between
Front and Second streets yesterday
during the heavy rainfall. Nearly
two weeks ago pipe was laid along the
streets the excavations refilled and the
cobble stones relaid. Yesterday when
the rain struck the job it made it look
worse than the proverbial "thirty
cents." The cobbles were undermined
and serious results came near follow-
ing. A horse belonging to the J. C.
Stevenson Company stepped on the
pavement and shot downward about
three feet in the mud and slush; a
horse belonging to Mr. James A.
Northam met almost a similar ex-
perience, and in other parts of the city
there were said to be places almost as
bad. And there went up murmuring
from the people to a degree that will
perhaps have its effect upon the
contractors in restoring the streets.

Rain Storm Yesterday.

Although the rain fell in torrents
yesterday and the wind came almost
with the violence of a tornado, it makes
us feel skeptical to read that only
ninety-five one hundredths of an inch
fell. Truth is, there was so much
wind with the rain that it got all over
"creation" at once and made the fall
look much larger than it really was.
No damage to shipping was reported
at Southport and the storm predicted
by the Weather Bureau at 10 A. M.
yesterday has likely passed.

Another Successful Engagement.

Another large audience greeted the
Una Clayton Company at the Opera
House last evening; indeed, it was
the largest second night's attendance
given any repertoire company at the
Wilmington theatre in recent years.
The bill was "Dangers of New York"
and while it savored rather much of
Goldboro, transferred to the Carolina
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PERMANENT STREET WORK MUST STOP.

Appropriation Exhausted, There Are No
More Funds in Immediate Sight—The
Board of Audit and Finance.

The permanent street improvement
will cease this week for lack of funds,
the original appropriation of \$15,000
for the fiscal year ending in April
having been exhausted Jan. 1st.

A hall was called at last night's regu-
lar semi-monthly meeting of the Board
of Audit and Finance, upon which
there is attendance chairman E. C.
McQueen and members J. A. Orrell,
C. W. Yates and S. P. McNair.

The decision to request the Alder-
men to cease the work came after the
reading of a statement from City Clerk
and Treasurer B. F. King, in which it
was estimated that on April 1st, the
beginning of the new fiscal year, there
will have been collected for the entire
year a revenue of \$178,000, where-
as of that amount \$178,000 has
already been appropriated, leaving
a margin of only \$3,000 for any
contingencies that may arise.

There is left, however, a rebate from
property owners on the Princess street
improvement which will amount to about
\$8,400, but this will not be available
until after the work is completed and
collections can be made, which places
it very remote.

The street force is now engaged in
permanently improving Orange street,
but it is presumed the Board of Alder-
men will adopt the suggestion of the
Audit and Finance Board and stop the
work very soon.

In this connection it was called to
the attention of the Board that the
sewerage contractors are now receiv-
ing rock from the quarry to mend the
Slate on top when it cost the city 70
cents to produce it. It is learned that
the attention of the Aldermen will
also be called to that matter.

The other business before the Board
last night was chiefly of a routine
character. City Clerk and Treasurer
King submitted his usual monthly
statement of receipts and disburse-
ments for December, which shows a
balance on hand from November,
\$8,372.88; receipts, \$37,320.88; total,
\$45,693.46. Of this fund, \$21,670.61
was disbursed during the month, \$10,-
000 of which was in notes for money
borrowed in the Summer to meet cur-
rent expenses until tax gathering time.
The balance to January account was
\$24,022.85.

THE NEW CITY DIRECTORY.

Issued to Subscribers by the Hill Printing
Company Yesterday—Great Praise
Noted—Many Industries Here.

The 1902 edition of the Wilmington
City Directory was being distributed
to subscribers yesterday by the pub-
lishers, The Hill Directory Company,
of Richmond, Va. The directory this
year is a volume of 379 pages, neatly
bound, and is a decided improvement
over the edition of 1900, when 251 pages
were printed. The price remains the
same, \$3 to subscribers and to non-
subscribers. Including the volume to
subscribers, the publishers say:
"That Wilmington is progressive
and has progressed greatly since our
last issue, an examination of its pages
will clearly show. A great increase
will be noted in the number of man-
ufacturing concerns, one of the sure
indications of prosperity in a town.
Situations within easy reach of the
ocean, the great waterway of the na-
tions, and reached by railroads run-
ning North, South and West, Wilming-
ton is doubly assured of continued
growth and prosperity."

In addition to a fund of other valu-
able information not contained in pre-
vious directories is a classified business
tabulation from which it is gleaned
there are in Wilmington 33 lawyers,
28 physicians, 26 barber shops,
7 building and loan associa-
tions, 12 butchers, 14 contracting
firms, 20 exclusive clothing stores,
14 commission merchants, 12 confec-
tioners, 4 dairies, 10 dentists, 15 drug-
gists, three of them wholesale, 20 dry
goods and notion stores, 5 wholesale
dry goods stores, 3 fish and oyster
dealers, (wholesale), 8 undertakers, 14
furniture stores, 155 retail grocers, 26
wholesale grocers, 6 hotels, including
beaches, 10 insurance agencies, 6 jewel-
ry stores, 4 livery stables, 7 loan offices,
3 machine shops, 11 merchandise
brokers, 6 merchant tailors, 10 saw
mills, 7 naval store dealers, 7 sign
painters, 4 paper hangers, 4 wholesale
peanut dealers, 5 photographers, 9
plumbers, 9 print shops, 5 real estate
agencies, 56 saloons, 9 private schools,
8 ship brokers and chandlers, 20 retail
and 3 wholesale shoe stores, 11 shoe-
makers, and various others too numer-
ous to mention.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—R. E. Buck, Charlotte, and
David Bell, Esfeld, N. C., are at The
Orton.

—Mr. Dan McRae, of White-
ville, arrived last night and is at The
Orton.

—Mr. J. A. Westbrook, of
Mount Olive, was an Orion guest yester-
day.

—Mr. George E. Brooks, of Sea-
side, Brunswick county, was in the
city yesterday on a business trip.

—Rev. J. M. Wells, pastor First
Presbyterian church, and Col. Walker
Taylor left yesterday morning for
Richmond.

—Miss Sophie Busbee returned
to her home at Raleigh yesterday,
after a visit of several months to
friends in Wilmington.

—Mr. John C. Chase, of New
Hampshire, who has been the guest of
Maj. W. F. Robertson, left yesterday
for Charleston to visit the Exposition.

—Misses Nellie and Annie Hinds-
dale, of Raleigh, who have been
guests in the city of Miss Eliza Metts
and Miss Louise Bunting, returned
home yesterday morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pennington
and Mrs. J. H. Hinton left yesterday
for Charleston to visit the Exposition.
They are guests of Mr. J. H. Hinton,
manager of the Hotel Arzyle.

Dr. Robert Strang II.
Richmond Dispatch 21st: "It was
arrogantly reported yesterday that
Rev. Robert Strang, rector of St.
Paul's Episcopal church, fainted after
leaving the church Sunday night. The
fact is, that Dr. Strang, who occupied
a seat in the chancel—a visiting minis-
ter preaching—left the church shortly
before the end of the sermon, feeling a
slight faintness. He reached home,
however, without succumbing, and
later recovered. A member of the
congregation fainted during the ser-
vice.

—The STAR regrets to note that
Mrs. W. C. Smith is very ill.

THE ANNUAL MEETING

Stockholders of Carolina Insur-
ance Company in Annual
Session Yesterday.

THE ELECTION OF DIRECTORS.

Reports of All Officers Were Very Sat-
isfactory and Indicative of Substantial
Growth—Additional Office
Apartments Necessary.

The annual meeting of the stock-
holders of the Carolina Insurance
Company was held yesterday at noon
at the office of the company on Princess
street, Capt. Henry Savage presiding
and Mr. M. S. Willard acting as secre-
tary.

Mr. Jno. D. Bellamy, Jr., and the
secretary, a committee to verify pro-
cesses, reported that 1,324 shares were
represented in person and 1,568 by
proxy, whereupon the chairman de-
clared the meeting duly organized.

After reports of all officers, which
showed the finances of the company in
a most flourishing condition, the fol-
lowing directors were chosen for the
ensuing year: Messrs. D. L. Gore, C.
W. Worth, S. Solomon, H. L. Vol-
lers, Donald MacRae, H. C. McQueen
and R. E. Bellamy.

One of the most interesting and
comprehensive of the reports submitted
was by Mr. D. L. Gore, the president,
and read by the secretary, as follows:
"To the Stockholders of the Carolina
Insurance Company:
"A detailed report of the financial
condition of the company and a state-
ment of its business for the past 12
months will be read by the Secretary.
"Since the last annual meeting we
have paid for losses, \$5,935.55; divi-
dends, \$3,000.00.

The losses were all paid in cash on
the day of loss, and we have not
without claiming the usual delay of
60 days, or deducting interest for ad-
vance payments. This will continue to
be the policy of the company.
"During the 12 months we have
made the following gains: Increase
in assets, \$3,317.50; reserve \$1,006.99;
surplus \$1,113.15.

"This, we think, is very satisfactory
showing, when we consider the fact
that to most companies the result of
the year's business was very unprofit-
able.

"The company is prepared to write
insurance on desirable property for
any insurance agent in Wilmington.
The policy is in the name of the insur-
ance company. A property owner who
wishes to place his insurance business
with the Carolina Insurance Company,
can now do both by directing his
agent to have his policy written in the
Carolina Insurance Company name.
If property owners would
write in the name of the Carolina In-
surance Company, it would do a great
deal towards promoting the com-
pany.

"The company is very conservative
in the amount of insurance it will
carry in one block, and has continued
the arrangement it has had for years
with one of the largest companies in
the country, the usual agent of an in-
surance company, and it may have offered.
The Carolina Insurance Company is
now firmly established in the con-
fidence of the property-owners of
the State, and we believe in the future
policy that has prevailed in the settle-
ment of its losses, and it will continue
to commend itself by pursuing the
same course in the future.

"During the past year the business of
the company has so increased as to re-
quire additional office room. To meet
this exigency the Carolina building on
Princess street has been materially en-
larged by the addition of another office
apartment in the rear. The old ware-
house which formerly stood back of
the building has been overhauled and
renovated in every respect to make the
additional rooms all that could be de-
sired for insurance purposes.

"The company by this addition now
has about double the floor space as for-
merly.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR RENT.

The spacious quarters on Princess street
formerly occupied by the Atlantic National
Bank, equipped with all the modern con-
veniences of water, gas and electricity. These
quarters offer excellent opportunities for the
conducting of any class of business.
For particulars apply to
Jas. H. H. ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK.

THE CLIMAX.

The Climax Barber Shop, as its name in-
dicates, has reached the highest point of style and
elevation. Give us a trial and you will receive
polite attention and high class workmanship.
GUION & DAVIS,
7 South Front St.

At The Unlucky Corner

NORTH CAROLINA HAMS.
Springfield Ham,
Jesse Ham,
Premium Ham,
Gold Band Ham,
Diamond Ham,
Picnic Ham, Sliced Ham,
Deviled Ham, Potted Ham
and Abrahams.

S. W. SANDERS.

One solid week, commencing Mon-
day, January 20th.
MATINEE SATURDAY 3 P. M.

MISS UNA CLAYTON.

Wednesday night the first time at popular
price the great Madison Square
Theatre season.
"ESMERALDA."
Specialties by members of the company, in-
cluding the famous PAVLOVA TRIO.
A variety change of specialties each perform-
ance.
Prices—10, 20 and 30 cents. Jan 22 11

IN ADDITION

To carrying the largest stock of Furniture
in the State, we have a specialty of Uphol-
stering, Mattress renovating, Curtains and
A wide range of specialties each perform-
ance. Laying, Flocking, Hanging and Soiling.
We make and sample downy quilts, and
out of town orders solicited.

N. F. PARKER,

Furniture and Furniture Novelties,
Bell Phone 613
111 Market Street,
1st Floor State St.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The *Algonquin* proceeded to
Southport yesterday at noon for one
of her regular monthly cruises along
the coast.

—The local market for crude
turpentine opened yesterday firm at
\$1.00@3.00, but closed firm at \$1.35@
2.50. Spirits turpentine remained
steady yesterday at 41@42 cents.

—"Emeralda," which will be
presented by the Una Clayton Com-
pany at the Opera House this evening,
is a story of North Carolina life, and
is for the first time being played in
the South at popular prices.

—Florence Times: "Two ex-
press messengers, McLeod, a North
Carolinian, and Saunders, of Sumter,
got into a fight on their car on the
C. & N. E. road yesterday and Sau-
nders shot McLeod through the thigh."