

Editorial office of the Western Union Company in New York. Later he read law and entered the office of one of the leading legal firms of the metropolis.

Returning to his home in Washington he took at once a prominent place at the bar of that town and has since enjoyed a large and lucrative practice there. He has been very successful as a lawyer and very successful as a business man. He is endowed with a very fine legal mind indeed. He has been frequently brought forward for Congress by his friends in the first district, and has been chairman of the democratic Congressional committee in a number of campaigns. He was a delegate to the St. Louis Convention that nominated Hancock, and was a delegate from the State at large to the democratic convention at Chicago. This year he is a presidential elector.

He is as true to Democratic principle as the needle to the pole and has ever been steadfast, earnest, enthusiastic in the faith.

A pleasing coincidence is the fact that both he and Judge Shepherd, whom he succeeds, and who, by the way, is a brother-in-law of his, began life as telegraph operators. Possibly this as much as anything else may account for the warm personal friendship that now exists between the two distinguished gentlemen.

Judge Bynum is about 45 years old and is a son of John Gray Bynum, Sr., of Burke, a nephew of Wm. Preston Bynum, a grandson of Capt. Charles McDowell, of Burke, and a great-grandson of Gen. Charles McDowell, of the Revolution. He was for a short time in the 7th regiment during the war, afterwards in the treasury and later still was pursuer of the famous Advance. He was captured and taken to Fort Warren. After the war he studied law with Judge Pearson—his stepfather, by the way—and has practiced law since 1868 in Burke county with conspicuous success.

He was a member of the legislature of '78 and has been prominent in his action and in the State at large for years.

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and able Richard B. Haywood, Raleigh, a household name in North Carolina. There is John F. Hoke, whom, in connection with Bridgers and Dancy, I have already named, and just here I recall one, whom I have passed over in alphabetic succession, William J. Clarke, of Raleigh, soldier, lawyer and judge. Then there is, still living, the honored and learned Montfort McGehee, of Raleigh, late Commissioner of Agriculture. And there comes up as one of the chiefest honors of the class Sam McPheters—will his familiar sobriquet ever be forgotten by those who knew him?—the genial humorist, the endeared associate, subsequently, the humble and sincere Christian, the beloved pastor, the distinguished divine. Truly his eminence in all the high traits of personal character and splendor of Christian life and service provide the crown of glory for his class. Then come the two Phillips, Charles and Sam, the first, the long distinguished scholar, professor and divine; the last with national fame as a lawyer and long filling a prominent governmental trust. There was Thomas Rufin, of Franklin county, moving to Missouri after graduation, acquiring reputation in that State as a lawyer, returning to North Carolina, and dying as a member of Congress from the Wayne District. Then there was Jess G. Shepherd, of Cumberland, Speaker of the House of Commons, a distinguished lawyer, and dying as judge on the circuit court bench. There was Robert Strange, of Fayetteville, subsequently leading in Wilmington on a life of distinguished honor and usefulness, a learned lawyer, an eloquent advocate, a useful citizen, an elegant gentleman, and an humble christian, everywhere admired, beloved and respected. There was Thomas B. Wetmore, of Fayetteville, long a resident of Alabama, still living, a distinguished lawyer and most valuable citizen. And lastly, though I have no doubt omitted in the long list, recalled from memory, other names quite worthy to be recalled for useful and distinguished lives, is James H. Viser, of Alabama, who contested with Bridgers for the first honors and obtained the Latin Salutatory. I think he became a distinguished educator in Mississippi, and is now dead.

I think that it will be admitted that this large class, as a rule, performed well the duty with which it was charged.

The Greensboro Musical Association, Cor. of the News and Observer.

GREENSBORO, N. C., Dec. 17. The most notable musical event that has taken place for a long time in Greensboro, is the formation of the Greensboro Musical Association which was formally organized at a meeting of the musical people of this city held at the Female College Thursday night, Dec. 13.

The Association already numbers over 60 members and more are likely to join.

The organization of Prof. Walter Power Sullivan, from the grand Conservatory of Music in New York City, who is now musical director of the Greensboro Female College and the Association has elected him its musical director.

Prof. Sullivan began his work in the College at the beginning of the present year. His experience has been wide and successful and the Association is fortunate in securing the benefit of his training and the impulse of his enthusiasm.

No music but that of the highest order will be studied, and Prof. Sullivan intends to begin at once to train the chorus in giving selections from the standard operas, oratorios and masses. He hopes to have the society sufficiently trained to warrant the production of Haydn's Imperial Mass (No. 3 in D) and Gail's lovely cantata, "The Holy City," about Easter-tide. The latter has been seldom given in this country and never, we believe, in the South. A most decided impetus has been given to musical affairs in Greensboro during the autumn, and as there is such unusual and versatile talent in this city, the association has a wide and unbroken field in which to work and succeed.

The State Printing. Mr. Atty. News.

We endorse the News and Observer for the State Printing. This sound old Democratic daily deserves it, and we hope Mr. Wagh, our representative, will do his best for our daily at the State's headquarters. The News and Observer has a hard struggle and is justly entitled to this little without a bit of begging. We could make out a long list of good reasons for thus insisting, but the Democrats of North Carolina know their duty and will do the solid thing, surely.

Gov. Foraker, of Ohio, indulges in some lofty talk concerning intimations that he knifed Sherman, but makes no denial of the allegation.

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