

# The Tryon Daily Bulletin

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## Peeler Moves

J. F. Peeler, Tryon jeweler for the past five years, has withdrawn from the firm of Jones & Peeler and will move on Monday to the Tryon Theatre building where he will operate his jewelry repair business. Mr. Peeler has built up an excellent reputation since coming to Tryon. Mr. E. H. Jones will continue to operate his jewelry business in the same location.

## Hunting Dates

Tryon hounds hunting dates for week beginning Monday, April 1: Monday—No meeting.

Wednesday — Mrs. Calhoun's woods.

Saturday — Scriven's upper place.

Hounds will leave kennels Wednesday and Saturday at 9:30 a. m.

## Troy at Kiwanis

Joe E. Troy, superintendent of the silk mill at Columbus, will have charge of the Kiwanis program on Tuesday, noon, at Edgewood Inn.

## Miss Holden Coming

Miss Euphemia Holden will arrive in Tryon next week from New York.

## Senator Thomas T Ballenger Dies In Atlanta, Georgia

Thomas Theodore Ballenger, 82, died Friday afternoon at 3:30 at his home, 60 East 16th street Atlanta, Ga., after an illness of several months.

Mr. Ballenger was born in Spartanburg county, South Carolina. While a young man he came to Tryon in 1881 and took a leading part in building Tryon and the surrounding section. For 45 years he was active in the religious, political, business and civic life of the community and county. Twice he was elected to the state senate. For 16 years he was a trustee of the North Carolina State college at Raleigh. He loved Tryon and North Carolina as attested by his continued interest in local affairs. Although living in Atlanta, Ga., for the past 20 years he would not move his citizenship from Polk county and continued to vote here and to make frequent visits. He was a true pioneer citizen. At 24 he married Miss Anna Garrison of Tryon. He and his father-in-law built Oak Hall hotel. He founded the Ballenger Company, was postmaster, railroad agent, when the train terminal was here, road supervisor, school trustee and organizer of the Tryon Baptist church. There is so much of the building of Tryon attributed to his efforts. His life was bound up with the best interests of the people. For Tryon he had the love of a father for his children and was proud of everything for the betterment of the community.

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