

THEATRICAL

There is a heap of intense human interest in Robert Edeson's new starring vehicle, "His Brother's Keeper," from his own pen, and in which he will be seen at the Academy matinee and night, on Wednesday, January 24, if many of the critics of the larger cities visited by the organization are to be believed.

The play is in four acts, with a powerful theme for its foundation, and is said to be most skillfully handled by both the author and the presenting company. Its characters are drawn true to life, and the lesson it teaches while driven home as though by barbed darts, is told in an interesting manner, so that one feels that he has been amused instead of sermonized.

In brief the plot deals with a doctor, who rather than stray from the path which his high ideals of honor and ethics have led him in, to save the family name, marries his adopted sister, whom his younger brother has made love to, and who has deserted to marry his employer's daughter; later the big brother who has never experienced any romance in his life, he being, as he thinks, past that stage, falls in love with another woman, but is still too much of a gentleman to leave the girl or apply to the divorce courts, a promise she exacted from him before allowing him to make the sacrifice. In unravelling the story many intense and sympathetic moments are experienced, at the same time there are several of its characters whose humor lends much to lighten the more tragic periods.

Mr. Lyle D. Andrews, who presents Mr. Edeson, has given the play an elaborate dress, and offers one of the best supporting companies seen in the modern drama this season, among whom may be found the Messrs. Hallett Bosworth, Wilfred Lytell, Henry Hamill, K. Mattus and the Misses DeWolfe Newcombe, Ada C. Neviell, Helela Barnes, Mrs. Lytell and others.

ROYAL'S SHOW A BIG ONE.
Lew Jac Williams and his all-star aggregation of Yawkee Doodle Girls and Comedy Players, put on one of the very best shows of the entire season at the Royal yesterday afternoon, and judging from remarks heard after the first performance it is really the best liked bunch of the season.

This show is possessed of absolutely the most comely bunch of girls that have been seen in Wilmington this season, and who is there—man or woman—who does not delight in resting their eyes on feminine beauty? They're here, and what is more, they are able to act and to perform. They form the finest, best-trained and best-voiced dancing and singing chorus of many a day, and their numbers are full of the bang and snap that puts them over big every performance.

Lew Jac Williams, the popular matinee musical comedy star, made a distinct hit with everyone, especially the feminine element; the Waylands gave many a laugh in their song.

ROYAL

ASK 'EM!

Those Who Saw it Yesterday—
If the Show at the Royal This Week Isn't a Hummer!

Prettiest Girls

You Have Seen This Season—
and They Can Dance and Sing, Too.

LEW JAC WILLIAMS
The Popular Musical Comedy Star

THE WAYLANDS
In a Brand New Comedy Act.
And the Wonderful Electrical Atlantic City Bathing Scene as a Finale!

GRAND

TOMORROW

Essanay Presents

HENRY B. WALTHALL

—with—

ANTOINETTE WALKER

In His Marvelous Super-Feature

THE STING OF VICTORY

dance and foolishness act, later to be capped by Master Wayland, in his imitation of Charlie Chaplin and song and dance. The last event, a wonderfully realistic scenic and mechanical electrical bathing scene at Atlantic City as copied from the New York Hippodrome show, was indeed a wonderful illusion, with the pretty maidens disporting themselves in the waves.

This really wonderful show goes on for the last time tonight, a brand new show being presented tomorrow matinee.

"THE STING OF VICTORY."
Henry Walthall, the powerful and dominant figure in that greatest of all pictures, "The Birth of a Nation," comes to the Grand tomorrow in a mammoth six-reel Essanay super-drama, "The Sting of Victory," one of the most powerful characterizations that this wonderful screen actor has ever portrayed on the celluloid.

This is a Walthall picture in every sense. Walthall plays two different and contrasting roles and plays them remarkably well, the play being designed to bring out his very best work, and he has been given a great opportunity to show just how fine an actor he really is. He plays the role of two brothers, well contrasted. The character of the older brother is emphasized and of this youth who clings to his principles even when he must sacrifice for them all he holds dear, and in this portrayal he has drawn a distinct and sympathetic portrait in his best manner.

It is a story of the Civil War, a role that lovers of Walthall in "The Birth of a Nation," will welcome. In his duties as military commander he tries to be just even when passing sentence upon those dear to him. Imagine the chance for superb acting when his own brother is brought before him accused of murder, he is ready to sentence him to death unless he is proved innocent.

The sting of victory comes when the girl he loves turns from him and weds another, and the pathos and suspense of the final scenes are among the most touching ever screened. He is supported by Antoinette Walker.

NERVOUSNESS CURED.
Miss Mamie C. Hage, Goldsboro, N. C. Suffered fearfully with her back, brought on by going up and down stairs at school. She was in exceedingly nervous condition. Seven bottles of Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy cured her. If your case is similar, let us hear from you.

Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy puts new life in your veins, builds up your system with invigorating blood. New life to nervous run down people. Ask your Druggist or write Person's Remedy Company, Charlotte, N. C. Accept no substitute. Price \$1.00 per bottle, 3 for \$2.75, 6 for \$5.00, prepaid. Send for free testimonials.

Hanover Drug Co., Hardin's Pharmacy, Southside Drug Co., J. M. Hall, Burnett Drug Co., Elvington's Pharmacy, H. L. Fentress, C. F. Green, Greenfield Pharmacy.—Advt.

"LIGHT MEN" TO MEET ON NEW BERN MAT

(Special to The Dispatch.)
New Bern, Jan. 16.—New Bern mat devotees have grown tired of heavy-weight wrestling bouts and there has been such an insistent demand for more of the middleweight matches that the management of the bouts here have decided to revive these for a period. The first match will take place at Starly Hall next Thursday night when Max Smith, the local favorite, will meet John Kilonis, the Greek demon.

Max is too well known here to describe his ability further than to say that when it comes down to real hard work and true effort he is there with the goods and when a crowd of fans go out to see him wrestle they are assured there will be no crooked work going on, and that if he is thrown the other man will just be a better chap.

Kilonis is well known here and is known to be a wrestler of ability and there is not the least doubt but that the bout will prove to be a big success.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS.

By virtue of and pursuant to a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, duly entered at the December Term, 1916, of said court, in a cause therein pending wherein American Bank and Trust Company is plaintiff and Alexander Newton, et al, are defendants, the undersigned Commissioner appointed by said decree will sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder at the court house door of New Hanover County, on Monday, the 15th day of February, 1917, at 12 o'clock m., that certain tract or parcel of land situated in Cape Fear Township, County of New Hanover, State of North Carolina, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a small gum tree at high-water mark on the North bank of Cape Fear river 100 feet west (up said river) from the rice field bank on the west side of a large canal leading from said river north to the rice mill and barn of the late W. F. Potter; thence north 5 3/4 degrees east 430 feet to a stake in a rice field; thence north 84 1/2 degrees west 300 feet to a stake; thence south 5 2/4 degrees west 430 feet to said river; thence east down said river 300 feet to Beginning; being the same tract of land which is described in a deed from William F. Potter and wife to J. O. Bowden, which deed is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for New Hanover County in Book KKK, at page 520, which said deed of mortgage is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County in Book 71, at page 470, et seq.

This sale will be made subject to confirmation by the court.

Dated and posted this December 19th, 1916.

ROBERT RUARK, Commissioner.

NOTICE.
North Carolina, New Hanover County.
Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of John J. Austin, deceased late of New Hanover County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at 708 Campbell street between Seventh and Eighth streets on or before the 15th day of December 1917, or this notice will be pleaded in lieu of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 12 day of December 1916.
EVELINA AUSTIN,
Administratrix of John J. Austin.
12-12-16 6v-j-tues

OUCH! BACKACHE! RUB LUMBAGO OR STIFFNESS AWAY

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer. Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacob's Oil" at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right on your aching back, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone.

Don't stay crippled! This soothing, penetrating oil needs to be used only once. It takes the pain right out and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica, backache or rheumatism so promptly. It never disappoints!—Advt.

BINGHAM REOPENS WITH EVERY CADET BACK

(Special to The Dispatch.)
Bingham School, Mebane, Jan. 16.—Every cadet at Bingham who took the mid-term examination has reported for duty at the school. The new cadets are being rapidly drilled into shape, that they may enter the battalion the first moment possible.

Two new college men have been added to the faculty by President Gray. Major Hugh R. Olinckescales, B. A. M. A. LL. B., of Clemson College, and University of South Carolina, who taught at Bingham the sessions of 1910-11-12-13, has returned, and Captain John B. Sligh, A. B., of Newberry college, a man of experience, has taken charge of the department of English, penmanship and bookkeeping at the school.

All indications point to a highly successful spring term.

NEW BERN MAYOR SAYS N. Y. IS PROSPEROUS

(Special to The Dispatch.)
New Bern, Jan. 16.—Mayor Albert H. Bangert, of this city, has returned from a fifteen-day visit to New York and other Northern cities, and in Western North Carolina. He was a member of a party of New Bernians who went to Gotham to attend the New Year festivities there, and in speaking of these he declares that it was a most enjoyable occasion.

He was greatly impressed with the signs of prosperity that he saw on every side and declares that everywhere that he went everyone seemed to have an abundance of money.

IF BACK HURTS BEGIN ON SALTS

Flush Your Kidneys Occasionally if You Eat Meat Regularly.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.—Advt.

NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of North Carolina, asking for the pardon of Sam Glover, who was convicted of murder at the July term of 1908, of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, and all people opposing pardon will please forward objections to the Governor at once.

E. M. KOONCE, 1-6-17.

KINKY HAIR

Becomes Straight, Soft, Glossy, Long by Using

HEROLIN

HAIR DRESSING NEW DISCOVERY—NOT STICKY OR GUMMY—
You see the kinks in your hair disappear. All your nappy, coarse, stubborn, kinky hair turns straight, smooth, silky, glossy. Herolin Hair Dressing makes hair grow fast, long, beautiful, stopping dandruff and itching of the scalp and falling hair at once. Stop using hot water, soap, and harsh hair oils. Send 25c (stamp or coin) for trial bottle. Money back if Herolin doesn't satisfy you.

HEROLIN MEDICINE CO., Atlanta, Ga.
AGENTS WANTED EVERYWHERE. Terms.

THE VAPORUB TWINS

WOW! GURGLE ERK WAH!

WHAT'S TH' MATTER WITH 'EM?

CROUP?

HURRY!

WOW!

IT WORKS LIKE MAGIC.

THEY ARE SOUND ASLEEP.

KEEP A LITTLE BODY GUARD IN YOUR HOME.

VICKS VAPORUB SALVE

Blasting the Way for Charging Thousands!

See!

—the beaching of artillery behind the lines, protecting the advance of the troops far ahead—see these thousands spring up from field after field—miles upon miles of men—see them charge under the screaming hail of their own shells—SEE THIS HUMAN TIDAL WAVE BREAK OVER THE ENEMY TRENCHES, WITH ITS GLITTERING CREST OF BAYONETS, SWEEPING FORWARD, FORWARD, FORWARD, UNTIL ALL OPPOSITION LIES OVERWHELMED!!!

8,000 Feet of Thrilling Battles, Charges and Bombardments ON THE FIRING LINE WITH THE GERMANS

JUST BROUGHT BACK BY WILBUR H. DURBOROUGH, WAR PHOTOGRAPHER, WHO TOOK THEM ON THE BATTLEFIELD WHILE WITH THE GERMAN ARMY

See actually more of the German battle lines than many German soldiers witness. See with the eye of a motion picture camera that traveled by auto with the vanguard of Von Hindenburg's army—that peered over the first line trenches of the enemy—that dashed through shot and shell, over the battle in a war aeroplane.

Witness the Germans assailing the fortress of Novo Georgievsk—declared impregnable—with infantry, artillery, machine guns, cavalry, aeroplanes—constantly attacking day and night for a full week. They captured trench after trench by desperate open field charges against a hail of bullets. Then the big guns wrecked the last rampart of Russian Poland.

See these thrilling, vivid, terrific spectacles. See seven consecutive months of the war—Hospitals, Armies, Prisoners, Camps, Great Supply Trains as well as the battles.

Don't miss this brilliant photoplay of events you read about just a short time ago — brought direct from the reach of deadly bullets.

WILL BE SHOWN AT

Victoria Theatre

Under the Auspices of The Wilmington Dispatch

MONDAY & TUESDAY, JAN. 22 and 23