

## Local News.

### A Statement.

We are mailing this week to all our subscribers who are a year or more in arrears a statement of what they owe The Record, and we trust that prompt attention will be given the matter as we will be compelled to drop those from the list on April 1 who are a year or more behind in their subscriptions, in accordance with a ruling of the post-office department in Washington, D. C., which prohibits newspapers being mailed to those behind a year, except special postage be paid, which is out of the question. If any find the statement incorrect and will so advise this office, proper credit will be given, and if it is correct send in your renewal before April 1.

The Editor.

Governor R. B. Glenn will speak at Nashville on prohibition April 28th, and at Spring Hope on April 29th.

Many pretty girls, dainty costumes, funny comedians, and clever specialties will be seen here Mar. 28th, with the Lyman Twins.

King Kelly, known in North Carolina wherever baseball is played, will manage the Raleigh Eastern Carolina League team this year.

Miss Pattie Rosa, daughter of the great comedienne of that name will be seen here Mar. 28th, with the Lyman Twins big company in the part of "Sally Summers."

The town boys got back at the High School team Friday and beat out a game 12 to 10. Reinforcements to the town boys team were secured from the South Rocky Mount players.

Internal Revenue Officer Wilson captured an illicit still near Crisp last week. With it he took 300 gallons of beer, and the operators barely escaped, as the still was in operation when the officers came upon it.

Hon. W. W. Kitchin will speak at the court house in Nashville Tuesday, March 24th. Mr. Kitchin's eloquence is well known and those who go to hear him will be well repaid, if they are interested in things political.

Mr. Lewis Day, very clever and capable prescription clerk at Gorham's drug store at South Rocky Mount, was taken ill of pneumonia last week and grew worse so rapidly that his physician carried him to the Wilson sanatorium Thursday.

Mr. Ernest Rowland, who has been in the hospital at Richmond, Va., for an operation for appendicitis, returned to his home in this city Sunday, the operation having been successful, and Mr. Rowland is now on the road to recovery.

A five-year-old son of Gray Jenkins, colored, at Pinetops, got hold of a shotgun last week and while fooling with it the gun was discharged. A smaller brother was near and received the load of shot in his leg necessitating the amputation of the member above the knee.

Dorsey Battle and Robert Brown, two colored nimrods, were arrested Thursday by Game Warden Charley Carter and taken before Squire C. H. Harris on a charge of violating the game laws by shooting birds after the close season began on March 1. They were required to pay \$4.05 each, fine and costs.

Mr. J. F. Pitts, who runs a business at South Rocky Mount, is anxious to locate a quondam barber whom he started in business at South Rocky Mount a few weeks ago. The aforesaid barber departed between suns last week and carried with him the razors and all the cash taken in which amounted to about \$40 all told.

Hyman Phillips, who has been associated with G. M. T. Fountain in the study of law, expects to move to Rocky Mount in the near future. Mr. Phillips was a visitor to the twin-county town today. His new office building located on the main street of Rocky Mt. will be completed this month.—Tarboro Southerner.

Tuesday, March 17th, was St. Patrick's Day, and descendants from the "ould sod" commemorated it wherever they be. Bits of green, the national color of the Emerald Isle, were conspicuous when you saw an Irishman, and all of them wore a glad look in the celebration of the day of their patron saint.

Mr. H. L. Holden, of the Rocky Mount Mills, conducted a very interesting service at the stockade Sunday afternoon, in the interest of the spiritual welfare of the prisoners. This service inaugurated some time ago by the churches of the city will be continued, every Sunday afternoon some layman conducting it.

Four members of the faculty of the Rocky Mount graded school, Mrs. Baker, Misses Smith, Cunningham and McDearman paid a professional visit to the Tarboro graded school today, in the interest of studying our methods of instruction. They visited the rooms of the first four grades, of which grades they are teachers in Rocky Mount.—Tarboro Southerner Mar. 13.

The Lyman Twins and their big company of comedians, singers and dancers will appear here Mar. 28th.

The churches of the city have made the hour of evening services later, on account of the days growing longer, and now they are held at 7:45.

The wind dries the streets mighty fast and the dust is a serious damage to stores and stocks. It is a good time to bring the sprinkler into use.

The committee of ladies who have undertaken to raise some money to help pay off the indebtedness on the Masonic Temple, for the Masons, have gone right at it with the usual vim of Rocky Mount ladies and are meeting with success. Friday night they secured the cooperation of the "Gem" theatre managers and a benefit was given for the cause, which netted about \$25.

Eighteen lots on the Norfolk & Carolina railroad, belonging to the Planters Cotton Seed Oil Company, and adjoining the plant on the suburbs of the city, were sold at auction Thursday afternoon, and brought a total of \$2766, or a little over \$150 each, of 50 X 150 feet. Considering the stringency in money the price is held to be very satisfactory by the stockholders, and bespeaks a confidence in the city's growth.

The Spring Hope correspondent of the Nashville Graphic says "Rev. Mr. Owens, of Rocky Mount, preached an interesting sermon at the Pythian Hall last Wednesday evening to a large and appreciative congregation. There is no Episcopal church in this place, however, there are quite a number of members of that faith in our town. There is some talk of erecting a church at this place sometime in the future."

The Rocky Mount Anti-Saloon League held a business meeting in the M. P. church Tuesday night and there were many enthusiastic temperance workers in attendance, about 150 men besides the ladies. New members were enrolled, committees appointed and assignments of duty made that the campaign for State prohibition may be started and waged vigorously until election day, May 26th.

Messrs. N. L. Alcocke, Lewis Levy and W. E. Fenner went to Goldsboro yesterday to attend an important meeting of the executive committee of the Eastern Carolina Baseball League. The committee was asked to reopen the question of national association protection for the League, as Rocky Mount and Kinston will not enter the league with national association protection.

Some little stir was created in police circles Monday night when it was reported that a man who stationed himself on church street had grabbed several ladies who were passing. It is needless to add that the ladies were badly frightened. Nothing is known of the "Jack the Grabber" further than he was a white man below medium height. The police are straining every effort to locate the man and if caught he will be severely dealt with.

### "We are King," Was Good.

"We are King," at the Masonic Opera House Thursday night, was in many respects the best production offered local theatregoers this season. Mr. William Clifford in the duel role of "Hector, King of Kahburg" and "Gustavus Vender," the happy-go-lucky newspaper correspondent, displayed remarkable talent and won a warm place in the hearts of his audience. Miss Maude Shaw, as the "Princess," was happy in the role, and in fact all of the cast were good. The drama starts out very much like comic opera, but discovers a fetching plot in the second act which increases interest to a great extent. A delightful vein of humor courses through the play, and pretty nearly everything abounds to make it a very captivating drama, including its costumes and scenery.

### Wyatt Memorial Fund Growing.

Interest in the Henry L. Wyatt Memorial Fund is great in Rocky Mount and this section and much gratification is felt that success is crowning the efforts of the association to raise the fund to fittingly honor the hero of Bethel. The Bethel Heroes Chapter, U. D. C., of this city, was the second to redeem its pledge of \$100 for the fund, the William Dorsey Pender Chapter, of Tarboro, being the first by a small margin. The Newton Chapter of the U. D. C. has also sent in its pledge of \$100 to the fund and others have made smaller contributions.

### National Bank Officers Elected.

At a meeting of the directors of the First National Bank in the city held in its banking room Tuesday, at 2:30 P. M., the following officers were elected for the year: Wm. H. S. Burgwyn, president; Sidney P. Hilliard and E. L. Daughtridge, vice presidents; Paul R. Capelle, cashier; S. G. Sills, book-keeper.

The directors of the bank are W. H. S. Burgwyn, Gaston G. Levy, W. H. Horne, E. L. Daughtridge, F. Y. Ramsey, Sidney P. Hilliard, W. S. Parker, R. D. Bulluck and Jos. B. Ramsey.

### Gorham-Soden.

On Wednesday evening Mar. 11th at 7 o'clock, in the First Baptist church Mt. Frank C. Gorham and Miss Rachel Soden were happily married in the presence of a large number of their friends and admirers, who in braving the very bad storm raging attested their high regard for the young couple. Dr. I. M. Mercer performed the ceremony. The ushers, Messrs. W. A. Bulluck, Clarence Griffin, Arthur T. Shearin and Edward Batchelor, preceded the bride down the aisle to the altar, where she was met by the bridegroom, who came from the pastor's study, leaning on the arm of his best man, Mr. C. Gordon Smith. The bride, charming in a handsome close fitting blue cloth traveling suit of stylish mode and carrying a large bouquet of white carnations and ferns, entered the church on the arm of her sister, Miss Belle Soden, maid of honor, and took her position in front of the altar, where impressively and with due solemnity the troth was plighted, "for weal or for woe," and for "aye and eternity." After the ceremony and a short season in which they were heaped with congratulations, the bridal couple were driven to the depot and took the train for Sharpsburg, their home, and where the bridegroom has the responsible position of cashier of the Sharpsburg Bank. They were the recipients of numerous handsome and valuable presents, as an earnest of the high esteem in which they are held by their friends.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. Wm. Soden, Sr. She has much charm of face, form and manner, and is exceedingly popular with a wide circle of friends. She held a responsible position with the Bank of Rocky Mount, where Mr. Gorham was formerly engaged and where their daily contact developed the romance which culminated in the marriage Wednesday. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gorham, of this city, and a young man of sterling qualities whose character and ability give promise of a very successful business career. He is well known in social and business circles, where he is popular in both, and has a large and prominent family connection in this section.

### Strickland-Westray.

Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Westray, on Western Avenue, there was celebrated a pretty home wedding when Mr. Benj. A. Strickland and Miss Rosa B. Westray plighted their troth in the presence of a large number of friends. Dr. I. M. Mercer performed the ceremony, which was beautiful and impressive. Miss Coley, of Oak Ridge, charmingly played the wedding march as the bridal party entered the handsomely decorated parlor and took their places before the minister. Mr. Alphonso Hicks and Miss Lula Westray were the attendants. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Strickland left on No. 80 for Whitakers, where they will make their home.

Mr. Strickland is secretary and treasurer of the Whitakers coffin manufacturing company and a rising young business man of ability and character. The bride is an accomplished young lady who has won distinction and esteem as principal of the Sharpsburg school.

### The Lyman Twins Coming.

The famous young stars "The Lyman Twin Brothers" who have jumped with wonderful strides to the front rank as comedians, and who we will have the pleasure of seeing here soon in their latest musical hit, "The Yankee Drummers" which is said to be one of the finest and most complete musical comedy productions of the day, are comedians in a class by themselves, and entertainers who deal out comedy lines and situations in a way seldom seen.

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### Taylor-Thomas.

A quiet home wedding was celebrated on Wednesday evening, March 11th, at the home of the bride on Pearl street, when Mr. C. E. Taylor and Mrs. M. L. Thomas were happily married, Dr. I. M. Mercer, of the First Baptist church, officiating. Quite a number of the friends of the couple witnessed the ceremony and remained for the informal and very pleasant reception which followed. Both parties to the marriage are well known people of Rocky Mount and are held in high regard by their friends. Mr. Taylor is a popular member of the city police force and one of the most efficient officers on the force.

Harrison Brown, a negro lawyer of Asheville, was convicted and sentenced to 2 years on the roads, for running a blind tiger.

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**To The Voters of Nash County.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of Nash county subject to the result of the Democratic Primaries.  
Zeb V. Jenkins.

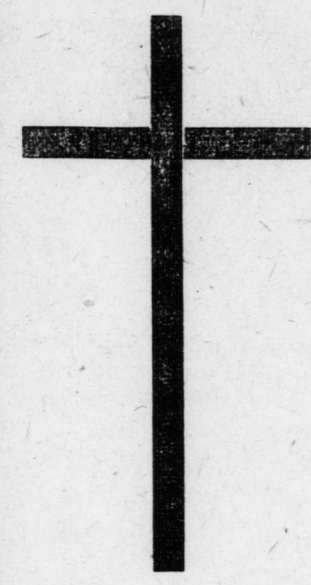
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Having qualified before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Nash county as administratrix of the estate of R. S. Herring, deceased, late of said County, this is to notify all persons holding claims against said estate to present same to me duly verified on or before March 9th 1908 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery, and all persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to me. This March 9th, 1908.  
Mrs. Ellen Herring,  
Administratrix of R. S. Herring, Decd.  
T. T. Thorne, Atty.

**Notice.**  
Having qualified before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Nash County as executor of Mrs. Lizzina Bulluck, deceased, late of said county, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present the same duly verified to me or my attorney on or before Feb. 22, 1908 as this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery, and all persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment to me. This Feb. 22, 1908.  
Dr. J. B. Bulluck,  
Executor Lizzina Bulluck.  
T. T. Thorne, Atty.

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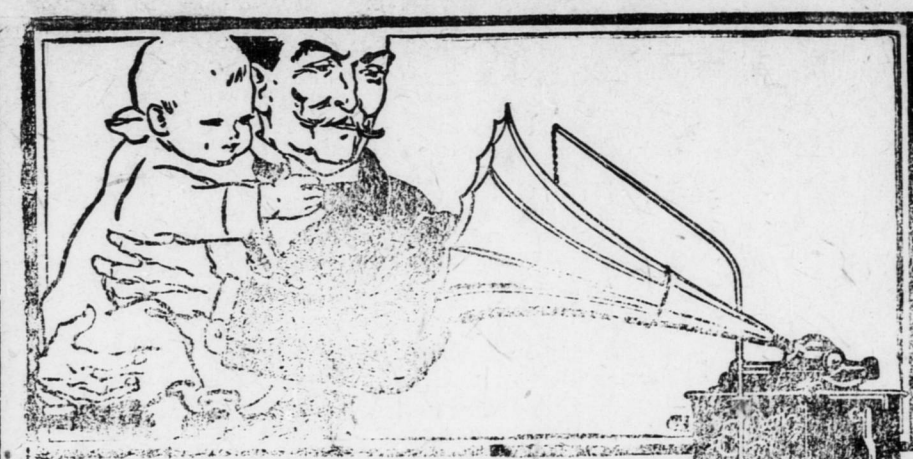
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