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**CAUGHT IN BALTIMORE.**

**Man Charged With Defrauding Edgefield Bank.**

Edgefield, June 2.—Charged with defrauding the Farmers' bank of Edgefield through the use of a forged check, J. D. King was arrested in Baltimore this week and will be brought home tomorrow by Sheriff Swearingen, who left yesterday to get him. King was identified by W. A. Byrd, assistant cashier of the Farmers' bank, as the man who had placed on deposit a cashier's check on the Georgia Railroad bank of Augusta for \$1,310, which subsequently proved to be fraudulent.

The check was accepted by the Farmers' bank, and King, it is alleged, then borrowed \$700 from a bank in Augusta, placing the certificate of deposit from the Edgefield bank as security.

It became known in Augusta too that King held a certificate of deposit for a small amount from the Bank of Johnston.

The clue that led to the arrest of King was furnished from Baltimore Wednesday, when a lithographing firm of that city telegraphed the Bank of Johnston to know whether a certain Mr. Jones had the authority to order blank certificates of deposit. The bank at once reported the matter to the officers of the Farmers' bank at Edgefield and the authorities in Baltimore were instructed to arrest the party and hold him for identification. W. A. Byrd, the assistant cashier of the Farmers' bank, went to Baltimore yesterday and identified the man who attempted to purchase the blank certificates of deposit as King.

The same day that King attempted to order certificates of deposit in the name of the Bank of Johnston from a lithographing house in Baltimore, another lithographing firm in the same city reported to the bank of Edgefield that a man had tried to purchase from it blank certificates of deposit in the name of the bank. So it appears that King was planning to involve several banks in this section.

Sheriff Swearingen left this morning for Baltimore for King. Mr. Byrd having telegraphed that King will voluntarily return to South Carolina. The sheriff and Mr. Byrd are expected to arrive tomorrow with the man.

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**MINISTER IS ARRESTED.**

**Has Trouble With Wife Over Possession of Child.**

Sumter, May 30.—The Rev. W. T. Belvin, of Walhalla, a member of the Upper South Carolina conference, was arrested here yesterday at the Atlantic Coast Line station by local police officers charged with disorderly conduct and carrying unlawful weapons. He was committed to jail, but later released on bail.

Not long ago it seems that Mr. Belvin had some differences with his wife and as a result Mrs. Belvin moved to Lee county to live with her people, carrying with her their two-year-old child, Sarah; that learning of the intention of Mrs. Belvin to keep the child, Mr. Belvin left Walhalla, coming to Sumter with the intention of taking the child back with him. He went to the home where his wife was, took the child in his arms and jumped into a waiting automobile and came in the direction of Sumter. His wife immediately got an automobile and followed him. They met at the station and upon learning that he had bought a ticket for Columbia, she did likewise. As the train was coming in she made an effort to take the child from her husband, and in the struggle for the child, Mrs. Belvin, it seems, was rendered unconscious by a blow. As she fell, Mr. Belvin grabbed the child and made his way toward the train, pulling from his pocket a pistol and ordered the crowd to clear the road. At this juncture the police, who had been telephoned of the impending trouble, arrived on the scene and Mr. Belvin was taken into custody.

This afternoon counsel for Mrs. Belvin obtained a writ a habeas corpus from Judge Wilson returnable Friday, June 1, at which time the fight for the custody of the child will be continued. In the meantime by order of the court the child was left in charge of Sheriff Bradford. Much interest has been manifested in the outcome of the legal proceedings instituted for the possession of the child. Arguments, affidavits and other proceedings incident to a case of this kind will be presented to Judge Wilson at his chambers at Manning on the date above stated.

In the meantime Mr. Belvin has been placed under a heavy peace bond by the magistrate and will also be required to appear in the city court for disorderly conduct and carrying unlawful weapons. He is out on bail pending trial of these issues.

**Winthrop College. SCHOLARSHIP AND ENTRANCE EXAMINATION**

The examination for the award of vacant scholarships in Winthrop College and for the admission of new students will be held at the county court house on Friday, July 6, at 9 a. m. Applicants must not be less than sixteen years of age. When Scholarships are vacant after July 6 they will be awarded to those making the highest average at this examination, provided they meet the conditions governing the award. Applicants for Scholarships should write to President Johnson for Scholarship examination blanks. These blanks, properly filled out by the applicant, should be filed with President Johnson by July 1st. Scholarships are worth \$100 and free tuition. The next session will open September 19, 1917. For further information and catalogue, address PRESIDENT D. B. JOHNSON, Rock Hill, S. C. 7-6.

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