

M'QUEEN GIVES UP HIS WOULD-BE BRIDE

The Fountain Inn Abduction Case Compromised.

YOUNG MAN'S AFFIDAVIT

Promises to Leave the State and Forget Girl Whom He is Charged With Abducting.

The Greenville News has the following, of interest in this county:

D. L. McQueen, the young white man recently charged with having abducted Miss Grace Cannon, the 14-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cannon, of Fountain Inn, was released from the tolls of the law Friday at noon when his attorneys Martin and Martin, and Attorney J. J. McSwain, representing the prosecution, got together and effected a compromise.

Several hundred people assembled early yesterday morning in Magistrate Stradley's office to hear the case of the young man and all parties interested in the case were in the city ready for the trial. After a long conference it was decided to end the matter by a compromise.

In an affidavit young McQueen agrees to leave the state forever, discontinue his affections for the young girl. In his affidavit the young man swears that he holds the highest regard and esteem for the young lady, and that his intentions of marriage were noble and pure and that he really loves the girl. He agreed, after studying the matter over thoroughly, that her tenderness of years must be a barrier between them and that he must learn to forget the firm steady face of the little girl.

Following is a copy of the affidavit made by McQueen:

State of South Carolina,
County of Greenville.

Now comes D. L. McQueen, who, after being sworn to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, deposes as follows:

That he is now under arrest, but out on bond, pending a prosecution under Section 287 of the Criminal Code, for the unlawful taking away from her parents, J. A. Cannon, and his wife, Lizzie Cannon, of Fountain Inn, South Carolina, their infant daughter, Grace, who, as deponent is now informed and believes by her said parents, will be fourteen years of age on February 28, 1910, without the knowledge and consent, and against the will of the parents of the said infant daughter. That deponent is 21 years of age, and, in order to correct certain mis-statements of fact in connection with said affair that have been published in several newspapers, and in order to exonerate said infant daughter and her said parents from any wrong doing, deponent now makes the following statement of fact connected with said matter: That he has been acquainted with said infant daughter, Grace Cannon, only about six weeks, but deponent had never been formally introduced to the father of said Grace Cannon, and had never been introduced at all to her mother. Deponent had never been to the home of the said J. A. Cannon, nor had he ever asked to visit said home, and deponent does not know that either said J. A. Cannon or his wife, Lizzie Cannon had ever known or heard that deponent was acquainted with their said daughter. Deponent admits that he had several meetings with said daughter, at a near by home, but that such meetings were always accompanied by the highest decorum in the presence of other persons. Deponent further says that upon the profession of his devout affection for the said Grace Cannon, he persuaded her to meet him on the street near the Fountain Inn Cotton oil mill, where she appeared in company with a school girl friend, on the morning of February 14, 1910, and that she did so meet him where he was waiting with a buggy, and immediately drove with her toward Woodruff, South Carolina. That such drive was continuing toward Woodruff when deponent was overtaken by three men riding horse back, and within a few minutes thereafter, a number of other persons came up, and among them a constable, with a warrant, who immediately arrested deponent and carried him to Fountain Inn, South Carolina, and some of said party carried said Grace Cannon, in another buggy, back to Fountain Inn and her home. That deponent has never seen the said Grace Cannon since, and, upon being informed of her extreme youth, and being repentant for his act of carrying her away, has made a resolve to repress his affection for her, and never to approach her again, and in reparation for the wrong he has done her by thus persuading her away from her parents and her home, agrees to leave the state of South Carolina, forthwith, and never to renew his acquaintance with her by correspondence or otherwise, and

never to come back to the state of South Carolina.

D. L. McQueen,
Sworn to and subscribed before me,
February 18, 1910.

J. J. McSwain,
Not. Pub., S. C.

PRINCETON NEWS NOTES.

Sunday was Bad Day For Preaching—Other Items.

Princeton, Feb. 21.—The services at the Baptist church Saturday and Sunday were attended by small congregations, the weather being very bad. Rev. G. M. Sexton of Greenville, the pastor came down on Saturday to fill his place.

Among the Sunday visitors were: Mrs. J. B. Britt and daughter of Troy, Mr. Jeter McCuen and Miss Annie Lee Arnold of Honea Patia.

Prof. Cork visited his parents at Ware Shoals Saturday.

Mr. Willie Bramblett, who has a position with the Ware Shoals Mfg. Co. spent Sunday with his parents.

Mr. John McCuen of Abbeville is visiting his parents here.

Mrs. Calvin Poore of Williamston spent the latter part of last week with her sister, Mrs. F. L. Bramblett.

Mrs. W. M. Woods of Greenville was a visitor here last week.

Mrs. F. L. Bramblett went to Williamston, and Cross Hill last week to visit her sister.

Several of the young people gave a surprise party to Miss Beattie Senn and brother on Wednesday night.

Some of the W. O. W. of Tumbling Shoals visited the camp here Friday night.

Mr. Tobe McDaniel Very Ill.

Mr. Tobe McDaniel, one of the most substantial citizens of Waterloo township is in the Columbia hospital, suffering from cancer of the stomach. It is understood that Mr. McDaniel's condition is very grave, and that little hope for his recovery is entertained.

Benefit Performance Thursday.

The management of the motion picture shows announce that a benefit performance will be given on Thursday of this week for the Laurens orchestra. The orchestra is composed of young men of the city who are endeavoring to perfect a well trained band of musicians. They need money for new instruments, and the people are urged to patronize the shows on Thursday evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Regular shows are being given every evening, with matinee on Saturday. For Thursday evening special pictures have been ordered and the singing will be good.

Mr. R. R. Welch To Lecture.

Mr. R. R. Welch, in charge of the government dairy work at Clemson college, will be in Laurens on next Tuesday and address those who are on hand to join the dairyman's association.

Featherstone For Governor.

It is perhaps a little early to express a preference for governor, but of the probable candidates, we feel constrained to support Hon. C. C. Featherstone of Laurens. Mr. Featherstone has been the champion of the prohibition movement in the state for many years, and is withal a clean high-toned Christian gentleman, such a man as we would like to see in the governor's office, and we believe it is but fair and right that he be the first prohibition governor of South Carolina. Other good men will doubtless offer, but at this time we believe Featherstone is the most suitable man in the state, and as we view the matter now, he is our man for office.—Walterboro Press and Standard.

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MR. O. M. JAMIESON DEAD.

Former Resident of Laurens Dies at Newberry.

Newberry, Feb. 21.—Orlando Meek Jamieson died at the Newberry hotel on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock of bright's disease. He had been in feeble health for some time, but did not take to his bed until the preceding Wednesday. The body will be buried at Corinth, Miss. Mr. Jamieson leaves two sisters. He was born in Chester county, but his parents moved to Mississippi when he was a small boy, and he grew up in that state. He came to Newberry in 1884 and entered the clothing business, in which he had much success, retiring six years ago. He was 51 years of age and was unmarried. He was a man of fine judgment. He had many friends. He was a devoted member of the Presbyterian church.

NOTICE OF SALE.

The Oil Mill at Cross Hill, S. C., will be sold at Laurens, S. C., on the 7th day of March, 1910.

United States of America,
District of South Carolina,
In District Court.

In Re, Cross Hill Oil Mill, Bankrupt.

In Bankruptcy.

In obedience to an order and decree of sale passed in the above case by his Honor, John J. Earle, Referee in Bankruptcy, on the 15th day of Feb'y, 1910, we will sell to the highest bidder at Laurens Court House in the city of Laurens, in Laurens county, South Carolina, for cash, at public auction, on the 7th day of March 1910, the same being the first Monday in said month between the hours of eleven (11) o'clock in the forenoon and three (3) o'clock in the afternoon of said day, the property belonging to the Cross Hill Oil Mill, bankrupt, as follows:—

The Oil Mill Plant at Cross Hill, S. C., consisting of one lot of land with the Oil Mill buildings thereon, and the Oil Mill machinery, contained in said buildings and on said lot, belonging to the Bankrupt; the said lot consists of one-half of an acre of land, more or less, bounded on the North by a street, on the East by the track of the Seaboard Air Line Railway; on the South by Church lot and on the West by Knitting mill lot, and being more particularly described in a deed executed by M. S. Bailey and W. J. Bailey to the Cross Hill Oil Mill, Oct. 1st, 1908, and recorded in book 23 at page 162, in the Clerk's office at Laurens, S. C. The purchaser to pay for deed; if the purchaser does not comply with the terms of sale, the said property shall be resold on same or on some subsequent sales day as provided under the State laws, at the risk of the defaulting purchaser; when the property is knocked down to the highest bidder, he shall immediately pay to the trustees the sum of one hundred dollars to bind the bargain and if he fails to do so the property shall be immediately resold at his risk.

This property was sold by us on sales day in January, 1910, and was bid off by Mr. J. R. C. Boyer, through his attorney, who has failed to comply with the terms of sale and the resale of said property will be at the risk of the said J. R. C. Boyer.

C. C. Featherstone,
R. A. Cooper,
Trustees.

Laurens, S. C., Feb. 15, 1910.

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RABUN ITEMS OF NEWS.

Mr. Tulley F. Babb Loses Fine Horse—Matters of Personal Interest.

Rabun, Feb. 21st.—Mrs. Rebecca Owens spent last Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. John Hellams, of the Shiloh community.

Mr. Samuel Bolt who has been quite sick is improving.

The people of this community regret to learn that Mr. S. E. Boney, editor of The Advertiser, has resigned and will move to Charleston; however, their best wishes go with him in his new field of work.

Mr. Tully F. Babb had the misfortune of losing his fine horse Thursday evening.

Mr. Solomon Mahaffey of the Eden community spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Babb.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wasson of Friendship spent Sunday afternoon with her brother, Mr. Markus Owens. Miss Allie Babb after spending several weeks in Laurens visiting friends and relatives returned to her home last Thursday.

Mrs. Ina Clardy Green Dead.

News of the death Sunday morning in Anderson of Mrs. Ina Clardy Green, wife of Mr. W. P. Green, was received in Laurens Monday. Mrs. Green was a daughter of the late J. Stacy Clardy of this county and was married about ten years ago to Mr. Green, formerly of Toccoa, Ga. She was about 30 years of age and is survived by several children. Two brothers, Messrs G. W. and W. P. Clardy of the county are among her surviving relatives.

Mr. Fred Greene Married.

A simple but impressive wedding ceremony occurred this morning at the Baptist parsonage when Fred Greene of Laurens and Miss Maud Young were married by Rev. L. M. Roper. The marriage was witnessed by a few intimate friends. The bride is a cousin of J. Y. Goodiet of this city and is a graduate of Lander college. The groom was once connected with Bready's Bakery several years ago but for the past year was manager of a bakery at Laurens.

Mr. and Mrs. Green left at noon today for New Orleans and Dallas, Texas.—Spartanburg Journal.

Mr. Edwin Lucas spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. W. E. Lucas, returning to Wofford college on Monday.

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Notice.

There will be an election by the qualified voters of Waterloo special school district No. 14, at Waterloo, S. C., on Saturday, March 5 from 1 o'clock to 3 o'clock p. m. to vote for or against a special school tax.

W. H. Wharton,
Clerk.
February 19 1910.

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