THE EVENT OF SALEM'S SEASON.

Cupid Wings a Happy Shaft.

On this bright, spring-like and starry night of December the 20th, 1894, the beauty and chivalry of upper, middle and lower Salem, assembled in massed and bright array, at historic old Midway Church to witness the marriage ceremony of the lovely and accomplished Miss Bessie McFadden, and the talented and popular Mr. Henry J. Wheeler.

At 7 o'clock p. m., the bridal party entered the church which was decorated with elaborate floral designs, taking well-timed steps to the beautiful music rendered by Mrs. John E. Cousar. With a graceful execution of intricate march and counter-march, the following couples, in full evening dress and handsome toilettes, arranged themselves on right and left of the altar:

Mr. A. T. Cooper and Miss Eddie Wheeler, Mr. S. E. McFadden and Miss Cooper DuRant, Mr. Henry Smith and Miss Mabel McFadden, Dr. T. M. McCutchen and Miss Helen McLaurin, Mr. G. W. McBride and Miss Rosa Burgess, Mr. W. B. Dickson and Miss Olivia McFadden.

The groom attended by Mr. W. R. Burgess, and the bride, led by Miss Janie Wheeler, took their places gracefully at the altar, beneath an exquisite evergreen arch. In response to a sacred and solemn service by the Rev. James McDowell, the holy marriage vows were taken, and to the strains of joyous and sweet music the happy wedded pair and their graceful attendants went out to the carriage, where the bride and groom were showered with the congratulations of their many friends.

The party then hastened to the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Thos. Shannon, and there the congratulations of the attendants were formally yet merrily given. The handsome presents were displayed and praised; gold, silver, cut-glass, china, majolica, clocks, lamps, pictures, etc., presented an array that defies listing. The ejaculations of exquisite, lovely, beautiful—were cut short by the announcement of the wedding supper—a banquet. The tables bent with the profusion and abundance of good cheer. Meats for the strong, fruits and sweets for the fair, and "coffees for the old." Full justice being done to the bounteous repast, the parlors were once more thronged, and for three happy hours wit and humor sparkled, and jest and repartee enlivened the festal occasion. But happy hours fly with sweet wings, and all too soon came the departure of the bride and groom for their wedding tour. At eleven o'clock they started for the Land of Flowers, via Charleston; thence by sea, on the commodious and elegantly appointed Clyde steamer—"Seminole," for Jacksonville.

The rest is soon told. The ring-cake was cut with many a joke and guess as to whom the fates would give the pledge for the next happy wedding. The lucky man was Salem's young doctor, T. M. McCutchen. That matter being settled to the dissatisfaction of some, and the amusement of all; the bride's cake was cut and the dream tickets prepared. Good byes were said, and many were "the eyes that looked love to eyes that spoke again"—all hied them to their homes and dreamed of rings and orange blossoms.

PRINCE.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the *Gazette*, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough, with the best results." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Dr. A. J. China.

THE SUMTER TELEPHONE EXCHANGE.

Its Difficulties, Growth and Present Success.

For all around pluck, enterprise and persistency the Sumter Telephone Exchange takes the cake. Very few, if any enterprises, ever have undergone as many drawbacks and came out as victorious as has this Exchange.

In January 1891 it was decided to establish a Telephone Exchange in Sumter. A company was organized with a capital stock of $2,000.

The Bell Patents were then in force and they could not put in an electric system without infringing. So the Shaver Molecular Telephone, a mechanical instrument, which was highly recommended, was used. The Exchange began business with the Central Office in the old Independent Fire Engine Hall, on June 15th, 1891, and after a faithful trial of about one year, the mechanical telephone did not give satisfaction as an exchange system. The Exchange was then closed and a few private lines successfully operated until the fall of 1892, when arrangements were made with Mason Bros., to transform the mechanical telephone into electrical phones, looking forward to the expiration of the Bell Patents in the Spring of 1893, when telephones of the Bell Patent could be made without infringement.

It was an uphill business to transform the mechanical phones as they could get no Bell Phones as a pattern. Mason Bros., however, with their characteristic inventive ingenuity and persistent efforts, kept experimenting and testing for about one year and succeeded. They would make models and the Sumter Telephone Company would put them up and test them and whatever feature proved satisfactory they would adopt and those unsatisfactory would be discarded and new ones made and tested, until the present Mason phone was the result, which has been tested alongside the original Bell telephone, and found equal to the Bell and in many instances it has replaced the orignal Bell phone. Finally on the first of October, 1893, the exchange was again started in the second story of the Winn building, being the first electrical telephone exchange in the United States to operate successfully, which was due to the perfected Mason Telephone.

This had the effect of bringing down upon the Sumter Company the special enmity of the American Bell Telephone Company, who repeatedly sent experts here to pry into the workings and make of the perfected instruments, and attempts were made to intimidate the Sumter Company and bluff the Sumter Exchange into closing. This attempt was due to the fact that the Bell Telephone claimed that their patents had not expired inasmuch as they had only filed a statement of the make of their instruments and a model in the patent office, and had never made regular application for a patent, hoping that when the time allowed by law expired they could make application and renew their patent for seventeen years more. The matter was taken to the U. S. Court, however, and pending a decision the Sumter Exchange went ahead, and it was not until a few weeks ago that the courts decided that the Bell patents had expired. When the Exchange was started in 1893 there were 26 lines and subscribers, and the subscribers have now increased to 57. On Nov. 28th of this year it was found necessary to increase the capital stock from $2,000 to $5,000.

Heretofore their hours of service have been from 7 a. m. to 9 or 10 p. m, but arrangements are being made for an all night service. This all night service will necessitate considerable additional expense as an additional line of wire will have to be put up in dorer to counteract the effect of the electric light wire when the lights are burning.

The charges of the Sumter Exchange are $3.00 per month for business houses, and $2. per month for residences, while the charges of the American Bell telephone exchanges all over the country are at the very lowest, $50.00 per year. All of the telephones and lines are now being overhauled and repaired.

Two young ladies are now employed at the Central office up stairs in the Winn building. From time to time the list of the subscribers will be published in *The Daily Item*, and all new subscribers will be added to this list.

So after much trouble and expense, we find that Sumter at last has one of the finest electrical telephone exchanges in the world, and we have to thank the pluck, enterprise and perseverance of the Sumter Telephone Company and Mason Bros., for it, and the people of Sumter should show their appreciation by every one subscribing to the exchange. The Mason telephone is being used from Main to Mexico. Thousands of them are in use, and they have hundreds of written testimonials to show that the Mason instruments are the recognized leaders.

NEW YEAR GREETINGS TO MY CONGREGATION.

A Quarterly Calender of subjects to be discussed at the Methodist Church during the first Quarter of our ecclesiastical year. Clip these subjects from the paper and place the list in your Bible or Sermon Record Book. There are several new hymns: let the choir look ahead and learn these new pieces. One of my objects is to get the congregation to become more familiar with the unusual meters in our hymnal. I publish these themes that the congregation may know the subject prior to the time it is discussed; having thought about it, you will be more interested in the discussion. Familiarize yourselves with the texts and contexts; this will enable you to appreciate more thoroughly the sermons. In your reading have an eye to these subjects. If in reading the texts, studying the subjects, or otherwise, a good practical thought comes to you, send it to your pastor on a slip of paper, a few days prior to the time the subject is to be discussed—you may thus be the means of helping some soul. It is my honest desire to put the best work of my life on these sermons. Help me Let the whole church study along the lines indicated, for three months, and I assure you much good will be accomplished. Let every member determine to hear every sermon from *first* to *last*. A happy and peaceful New Year to every body. Those who are not identified with any church will always find a hearty welcome at the Methodist Church. Our seats are free, and we want to help you to a better life. Come and cheer us by your presence. May God's blessings rest richly on all of His children of every name and order, and may all the churches of our city be wonderfully built up and strengthened during the year 1895, is the prayer of your humble servant,

J. W. DANIEL.

LIST OF SUBJECTS FOR THREE MONTHS.

Sunday, January 6, 11 *o'clock a. m.*—"How to Enter the New Year." Text, Jno. 21: 15. Hymns, Nos. 34, 48, 57.

Sunday January 13, 11 *o'clock a. m.*—"The Rainbow." (Illustrated by black-board drawings.) Text, Gen. 9: 13. Hymns, Nos. 267, 182, 181.

7.30 *o'clock p, m.*—"The Throne Girded by a Rainbow." Text, Rev. 4: 3. Hymns, Nos. 147, 120, 123.

Sunday, January 20, 11 *o'clock a. m.*—"A Door of Hope in the Valley of Trouble." Text, Hos. 2: 15. Hymns, Nos. 561, 570, 561.

7.30 *o'clock p. m.*—"Stones Rolled Away." Text, Mark 16: 3-4. Hymns, Nos 891, 868, 862.

Sunday January 27, 11 *o'clock a. m.*—"Jacob's Ladder." Text, Gen. 28: 10-15. (Illustrated.) Hymns, Nos. 157, 159, 158.

7.30 *o'clock p. m.*—"Heaven Opened" Text, Jno. 1: 51. Hymns, Nos. 652, 650, 639.

Sunday February 3, 11 *o'clock a. m.*—"A Sermon to Young Women." Text, I Pet. 3: 5. Hymns, Nos. 460, 497, 701. To be sung by a choir of young ladies.

Sunday Feruary 10, 11 *o'clock a. m.*—"Prayer." Text, Jas. 1: 5-7. Hmyns, Nos. 767, 769, 777.

7.30 *o'clock p m.*—"How to Grow." Text, Jno. 12: 16. Hymns, Nos. 473, 468, 462.

Sunday February 17, 11 *o'clock a. m.*—"The Believer's Standing Place." Text, Ex. 33: 21. Hymns, Nos. 458, 546, 557.

7.30 *o'clock p. m.*—"Individual Obedience." Text, Jno 21: 21, 22. Hymns, Nos. 463, 478. 466.

Sunday February 24, 11 *o'clock a. m.*—"Christ Died for the Ungodly." Text, Rom. 5: 6. Hymns, Nos. 134, 155, 128.

7.30 *o'clock p. m.*—"Partaking of Other Men's Sins." Text, II Chron. 19: 2. Hymns Nos. 540, 494, 408.

Sunday March 3, 11 *o'clock a. m.*—"What Will You do With Christ?" Text, Matt. 27: 22. Hymns, Nos. 302, 132, 859.

Sunday March 10, 11 *o'clock a. m.*—"The Philosophy of the Atonement" Text, Luke 2: 34, 35. Hymns, Nos. 149, 151, 103.

8 *o'clock p. m.*—"Spiritual Diplophia." Text, Matt. 6: 22. Hymns, Nos. 525, 451, 337.

Sunday March 17, 11 *o'clock a. m.*—"The Weaned Child." Text, Ps. 131: 2. Hymns, Nos. 341, 363, 391.

8 *o'clock p. m.*—"Preparatory Education." Text, Dan. 1: 3-4. Hymns, Nos. 704, 698, 700.

Sunday March 24, 11 *o'clock a. m.*—"A Place of Safety May be a Place of Danger." Text, Ex. 14: 22-23. Hymns, Nos. 440, 55, 554.

8 *o'clock p. m.*—"The Adverse Nature of Two Tribes." Text, Matt. 28: 12, 13. Hymns, Nos. 107, 126, 112.

Sunday March 24, 11 *o'clock a. m.*—"The Temptation of Christ." Text, Matt. 4: 1-15 Hymns, Nos. 27, 79, 83.

8 *o'clock p. m.*—"Gehazi, or A Lesson to Back-sliders." Text, II Kings 4: 31. Hymns, Nos. 353, 359, 363.

WHAT IS THE MATTER WITH THE S. L. I?

What is the matter with the Sumter Light Infantry? They have not had a meeting in three months. No dues have been collected, and no drills have been held for three months. A number of resignations of officers and members are on file for action at the first meeting and some of the officers have gone away. The hall rent and other expenses, amounting to $25 or $30 per month is going right on, but that crack military company, once the pride of Sumter County, seems to have suddenly collapsed. The annual State appropriation has been received but remains idle. There seems to be something peculiar in the sudden relaxation of interest and enthusiasm so characteristic of the members of that gallant corps.

It requires the sweet faces and winning ways of the Game Cock City ladies to enthuse spirit into the breast of our noble soldier boys, so *The Item* suggests that the ladies take it upon themselves to court martial the S. L. I. boys. It is not necessary to do so in a body, but it can be done in the evenings. Stir them up and make them feel chivalrous, for if there is anything that is calculated to arouse the chivalry of the soldiers it is the influence of the Southern women.

It is very important that the military organization be kept up, and if there is any outside assistance needed, the company should tell the citizens their tale of woe, and they can rest assured that they will be backed up in any thing they desire to undertake.

Lead Pencils from 5 cts per dozen up, at H. G. Osteen & Co's.

Fighting in Peru.

Pierola Meets With Reverses—Caceres Gains Ground.

NEW YORK, December, 31.—The Herald's special cable from Lima, Peru, says: As a consequence of the last battles, Pierola has abandoned the entire valley as far as La Oroya. Moreover, the valley of Sisicaya has been taken. The guerrilla troops are flying in every direction, and are being pursued.

(Signed)

The Secretary of His Excellency, President Caceres.

The expedition of the coalitionists against Moquegua was routed at Los Angeles by Colonel Garcia, who took a number of prisoners and wounded from the field.

Sing Sing Singed.

Midnight Fire in the Great Prison—Convicts Behave Well.

SING SING, Dec. 31.—At 1 o'clock Sunday morning fire was discovered in the storehouse and laundry of Sing Sing prison. Although the firemen responded promptly the flames had gained considerable headway and it was not until 3 o'clock that the fire was extinguished. The loss is estimated at $25,000 and is not covered by insurance, none of the prison property being insured.

All the convicts were aroused by the noise and bustle incident to the outbreak of the flames, but although a number of the prisoners could plainly see the blaze and some excitement was occasioned by a fire thus occurring in the middle of the night, all behaved well and no disorder prevailed.

Parkhurst Pursuing.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Dr. Parkhurst to-night made public the statement he has promised regarding the handling of Superintendent Byrnes by the Lexow committee, while that official was in the witness chair. The statement which is very lengthy ly, begins with the reverend gentleman expressing appreciation for the splendid work of the committee and its talented counsel up to a certain point in its proceedings.

"Late in November," he continued, "the indications were clear that the investigation was not to be pushed to its close with the same energetic and unsparing manner that had been followed up to that date.

A good many days went by in which cases were discussed which wearied the public, which made no substantial addition to the knawledge already gained and which were frittering away the time that we knew ought be expended on the inspectors and the superintendent. We knew that the character of the police force was a reflection from the character of its chief executive and his immediate subordinates and that however many captains might be besmirched and however many sergeants might be cashiered, the genius of the matter would not be reached until we had arrived at the quality of the five men, who together constitute its executive headship.

"In view of all this we are justified in saying that while the committee stood up to the rack magnificently through all the earlier portions of the investigation, they flinched at the crisis As long ago as when Mr. Moss attempted to adduce evidence against Mr. Byrnes in the Marrett matter, the investigating committee sprang to Byrnes' defense Now that is not a thing to be debated. Their attitude was instantly recognized by those in attendance, and distinctly stated in the journals of the next morning The pursuit of lines that might possibly have conduced to the real inwardness of Byrnes' conduct and character was discouraged as it had been discouraged in the case of no other man.

Reports of stormy weather continue to be received from all parts of Europe. Numerous wrecks and casualties are reported in Great Britain and Ireland. Many lives were saved by life boats. A severe gale is blowing on the Baltic and navigation is suspended at Copenhagen. A heavy snow has fallen in the north of Scotland and two railway trains have been blocked on the tracks.

Boats and wreckage washed ashore on the coast of Lancashire, England, indicate that the British bark Loweswater has been lost. She left Gaston in tow on December 1 with fifteen persons aboard. The hawser with which she was being towed parted in a gale, and the tug took refuage at Liandudno on December 22, since which time nothing has been heard of the Loweswater

At Hamburg the lower parts of the city are inundated as they were a week ago. A storm in the North Sea last evening caused many wrecks of Heliogland. Stade and Rostock.

Jas H. Roberston, ex-Mayor, of Peekskill, N. Y, was found frozen to death on the streets of that city yesterday morning. Of late he has been a confirmed drunkard and little better than a vagabond.

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The Ban Binds.

The Papal Decree Concerning Secret Societies is Final.

WASHINGTON, Dec 31.—Owing to a misapprehension caused by the publication of the statement that the decree concerning secret societies was not final and was submitted to bishops in order to secure from them their opinions thereon, Mgr. Satolli offers the following brief statement of facts to set at rest the misapprehension and possible misrepresentation: The archbishops of the United States have taken counsel with respect to three societies, namely, the Odd Fellows, the Sons of Temperance and the Knights of Pythias. The archbishops decided that the whole question should be submitted to the Apostolic See. In a communication from His Eminence Cardinal Monaco to Mgr. Satolli, the action of the general congregation of cardinals, to whom His Holiness submitted the question, is made. The congregration, after considering carefully the matter, made a decree. This decree His Holiness fully confirmed, and gave it complete effect. The decree is, therefore, transmitted to all archbishops, bishops and other ordinaries of the United States, to be by them carried into effect. Mgr. Satolli has acted merely as the medium of transmission. But in view of contradictory and confusing reports emanating from various parts of the country, the facts are thus briefly stated.

Breckinridge is not a drawing card as of lecturer. At St. Louis he had only 150 in his audience.

The Alabama great Southern train was held up near York, Ala., last night and the express car robbed.

The Southern Railway Company will complete the half million dollar shops commenced by the E. T. V. & Ga, in Knoxville, Tenn. Twenty five hundred men will be employed.

Twelve thousand men returned to work in the Carnegie mills, in the vicinity of Pittsburg, yesterday.

The New York Chamber of Commerce has asked that all the departments of the city Government be investigated by a Legislative committee.

It was learned yesterday that thirteen persons perished in the Hotel Delavan fire, Albany, N. Y.

President Martin of the New York police department has resigned.

The First Baptist church, of Chattanooga, Tenn., was burned Sunday. It was built of brownstone, cost $75,000 and was probably the handsomest in the South.

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State of South Carolina,

COUNTY OF SUMTER.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Samuel C. C. Richardson, Plaintiff against William B. Moore, Margaret G. Lenoir, and William B. Burns, Defendants.

SUMMONS FOR RELIEF.
Coomplaint Served.

To the Defendants above named:

You are hereby Summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, of which a copy is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their office in the City of Sumter, in said State, within twenty days after the service hereof exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated August 20th, A. D. 1894.

HAYNSWORTHS & COOPER,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

To the Defendant, WILLIAM B. MOORE:

Take notice that the Summons and Complaint in this action of which Summons the foregoing is a copy, were filed in the office of the Clerk of the above-named Court at Sumter, in the County of Sumter and State of South Carolina, on the 26th day of December, 1894.

HAYNSWORTHS & COOPER,
Dec. 26. Plaintiff's Attorneys.

State of South Carolina,

COUNTY OF SUMTER.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

William S. Manning, Plaintiff, against William Lenoir, James Lenoir, Elizabeth Lenoir, Walter M. Lenoir, Mary B. Lenoir and Eugene W. Lenoir and Alberta L. Lenoir Defendants.

SUMMONS FOR RELIEF.
Complaint Not Served

To the Defendants above named:

You are hereby Summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which has been this day filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, for the said County, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their office in the City of Sumter in said County and State, within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

December 26th, A. D. 1894.

HAYNSWORTH & HAYNSWORTH.
Dec. 26. Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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