

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Charming Entertainers.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Weathers entertained quite a large number of young people at their beautiful home a few miles from the city, last Thursday evening in honor of Miss Macey Thompson of Simpsonville. The feature of the evening was a guessing contest in which Miss Mamie Rowland was awarded the first prize, a bottle of cologne, and Miss Lottie Young second prize, a dainty box of stationery. After the prizes had been awarded the guests were invited to the dining room where delicious refreshments were served.

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Delightful Ball.

The first annual Thanksgiving Ball of Branch 35 Glass Blowers Association was given last Thursday in the Armory of the Traynham Guards. A large number of Laurens young couples were present and a most delightful evening was spent in dancing. Those who attended were given chances at two prizes offered by the hosts. The prizes consisted of very beautiful pieces of glass work done at the local works. The winning numbers were 25 and 52 and the holders of these can obtain the prizes by presenting these tickets at Davis-Roper Company's store.

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Barnett-Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. David E. Barnett have issued invitations to the approaching marriage of their daughter, Clare, and Dr. Cornelius Hampton Davis, of Williamsburg, Va. Miss Barnett is a graduate of Winthrop college and is a young woman of bright personality and many lovable traits of character. Dr. Davis is a prominent dentist of Williamsburg. The wedding will take place December 14, at the home of the bride's parents.

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Entertained in Woodruff.

A particularly charming affair of Friday evening was a reception which Mrs. Thomas Jones gave at her home on West Georgia street in compliment to her sister, Miss Kate Wright, of Laurens, and her niece Miss Simpson, of Spartanburg. Mrs. Jones invited the faculty of the graded school and a few friends. Several musical numbers were enjoyed by all. Mrs. Jones sang several lovely songs, Mrs. Waters gave a few selections on the violin with Miss Simpson at the piano. The affair was delightfully informal. The evening will be remembered with lasting pleasure by all present. Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Jones and Miss Kilgo. Those who enjoyed Mrs. Jones hospitality were: Misses Maggie Arnold, Sipple, Byrd, Agnes Adams, Eva Goodlet, Waters, Ruth and Florence Drummond, Kate Wright, Simpson, Dell Kilgore and Elizabeth Floyd—Messrs. Hicks, Drummond, Claud and Bruce Arnold, Grover Lanford, D. R. Irby, Will Riddle, Tom Kilgore, and Brooks Patterson.—Spartanburg Herald.

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Johnson-Byers.

The most prominent social event of the week in Lanford was the marriage of Miss Harvie E. Johnson and Mr. James F. Byers, Wednesday afternoon in the Baptist church. The decorations were beautiful in their simplicity, only handsome pot plants and ever greens being used, the color scheme being white and green. While Mendelssohn's Wedding March was played by Mrs. Lola J. Cox, sister of the bride, the bridal party came down the aisle. First Miss Mattie Ray, of Spartanburg, and

Mr. John W. Johnson, brother of the bride, next Miss Caddie Byers, sister of the groom, and Mr. Vance Johnson, of Spartanburg. Preceding the bride came little Miss Pauline Waldreps, with a basket of tiny rose buds, strewing them down the aisle. Then came the ring-bearer, little Miss Estelle Nelson with the ring on a handsome white satin pillow.

The bride entered with her maid of honor, Miss Ila May Bryant of Due West and was met at the altar by the groom and his best man, Mr. W. Edward Cunningham of Asheville, N. C. The bridesmaids wore handsome cloth traveling suits, and big black picture hats, gloves and shoes to match and carried big armfuls of chrysanthemums tied with white tulle. The bride was never prettier than on this happy occasion, dressed in one of the new shades of blue messaline, trimmed in Irish lace, with gloves and shoes to match. She wore a black picture hat with long willow plumes and carried a bunch of brides roses and lillies of the valley. The maid of honor, an old college chum of the bride was charming in a cream embroidered net over soft silk, with pastelle hands, with hat and gloves to match.

At the close of the ceremony the bridal party marched in reverse order, and together with a large number of friends and relatives repaired to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Johnson, where a sumptuous wedding dinner was served. Such a feast as was spread on this occasion, both in variety and abundance, is seldom seen. The residence was beautifully decorated in the same color scheme, of white and green, being used here as at the church.

In the large front room on the second floor were displayed tokens of affection and esteem from friends in all parts of both North and South Carolina.

The groom is a prominent business man of Hendersonville, N. C. The bride is the charming and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Johnson and by her sweet spirit and charm of manner has made friends of all who know her. Their many friends wish for them long and useful lives.

Mr. and Mrs. Byers left on the six o'clock train for a tour of Southern cities. The bride's going away dress was an elegant blue silk serge, with hat, gloves, shoes, and purse to match. They will be at home to their friends in Hendersonville, N. C. after December 20th.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. W. E. Cunningham of Asheville, N. C., Mr. J. A. Ridley of Spartanburg, Mr. Vance Johnson, Misses Caddie Byers and Mattie Ray of Spartanburg, Miss Leila Ray of Woodruff, Miss Ila May Bryant of Due West, Mr. J. W. Johnson of Concord, N. C. and Mr. E. C. Burnett of Spartanburg.

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**GOVERNOR BLEASE
SUSPENDS GOODMAN**

(Continued from Page One.)

According to Mr. Goodman, the governor refused to look at the papers, but told him instead that if he did not resign right away that he would "chop his head off." Mr. Goodman thereupon took up his papers and returned home. Sunday morning the dispatches above appeared and Mr. Goodman was suspended at about the same time.

At the invitation of The Advertiser to lay his case before the people Mr. Goodman came to this office yesterday. With him he brought his records and a list of the fines he had paid in to the County Treasurer this year. The list showed that he had paid in over \$800. The list was certified to by Treasurer Young. According to his version of the affair under discussion, Mr. Goodman stated emphatically that he was entirely innocent of the charge against him and that he would have the matter gone thoroughly into. He also stated that Mr. W. C. Hipp had told him recently that he was entirely satisfied with his statement of the way the affair came about.

Mr. Hipp is the employer of the two negroes involved and the man who signed the affidavit sent to Gov. Blease. According to Mr. Goodman the fines were first imposed upon the negroes at \$20 each. One of the negroes, Johnnie Jones, who was fined for carrying a pair of knucks, later showed to Mr. Goodman's satisfaction that he had merely found the pair of knucks and was carrying them home. Mr. Goodman states that he then reduced the fine from \$20 to \$10 and returned the overcharge to the negro himself instead of to Mr. Hipp who had furnished the original \$20. In the case of Doc Brown, Mr. Goodman states that he at first fined the negro \$20 and that later when the negro said that he only had \$15 he reduced the fine to that much and the payment was made. This was done, according to Mr. Goodman, with the full knowledge of Policeman Madden who stated at the time that the pistol which had been taken from the negro would balance off the account. This pistol, according to Judge Goodman, is the same one that resulted in Policeman Madden's trial. How Mr. Hipp became involved in the affair was by paying the original fine of Johnnie Jones. He paid the \$20 fine, but when Magistrate Goodman returned part of it he returned it to the negro instead of to Mr. Hipp. The negroes, according to Mr. Goodman, have admitted the reduction in fines.

Policeman Madden claims that Magistrate Goodman "packed" the jury in the first trial in which he was convicted. Mr. Goodman denies this and stated yesterday that he took especial pains to empanel a fair and impartial jury and that he instructed his deputy not to summon three men whom he knew had already expressed an opinion against the rural policeman. He also stated that when the trial came off the state objected to six of the jurors and that Policeman Madden objected to five.

Mr. Madden when told that Mr. Goodman had said that he could prove that he was innocent of the charge against him stated that he hoped that he could.

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