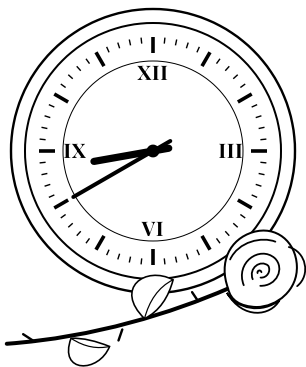




FROM THE HOUSEHOLD OF THE BRIDE

The Dead Wedding

The ceremony was set for twenty minutes to nine. The clocks were stopped at that hour, and have not been started since. You are asked to attend as a witness.

THE DAY _____

ARRIVE _____

AT _____

DRESS *Finery gone yellow, or full mourning* _____

REGRETS TO _____

“The day came, but not the bridegroom.”

CHARLES DICKENS, GREAT EXPECTATIONS