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MERRY CHRISTMAS.

Children, be satisfied with what mother and father give you. They will do their best.

Don't make resolutions if you are not going to carry them out. They are better not made than made and then broken.

Many plans have been laid for Christmas, and we hope the prospects of all, especially the children, will be fully realized.

Boys, don't treat some other boy's sister better than you do your own. Girls, do not treat some other girl's brother better than your own.

Don't forget MOTHER. If you are away from her, write that you remember her and wish her a happy Christmas. Don't forget dear mother.

Don't forget to feed and shelter and water your stock at any time, and especially in the cold, snowy weather. Be thoughtful of the dumb animals.

The solons are contemplating raising their salaries from \$5,000 to \$7,500. Well, we don't blame them, since Uncle Sam's treasury is full to overflowing.

This weather makes some people happy because they're only a two-legged and not a four-legged dog. The former never gets fat enough to kill—they are too hoggish.

We have no ill-felling towards anyone, and we hope no has for us, but if they have they may forward it to us by express, C. O. D., and we'll pay charges and send a receipt. We wish all the editors and publishers and reporters a merry and enjoyable Christmas.

Has Edgefield lost her pride? Our public square, known as "the park," looks like a barn lot. It serves as a place for all sorts of refuse. Ashes are emptied in the road, and the trash from the stores remains in the "park" days and weeks at a time. This is a filthy practice and the attention of the proper authorities is directed to the condition of our park.

Christmas is here and we are too, and if there is naught else for us to rejoice over we should be glad that we have been permitted to live to see this great anniversary of the birth of Christ. To each of our readers we wish the merriest time possible and the little germs are hatched. What about it, Mr. Mayor, and gentlemen of the town counsel?

MASTER'S SALE. State of South Carolina—Edgefield County—Court of Common Pleas—General P M McNure, et al., against Hope McNure, et al. PURSUANT to the decree in this cause I will offer for sale at public outcry, before the Court House, in town of Edgefield, and State of South Carolina, on the first Monday in January, 1902, the same being the 6th day of said month, between the legal hours of sale, the following described realty, to wit:

"All that tract or parcel of land, situate in Edgefield County and State of South Carolina, on the waters of Shaw's Creek, containing sixty-eight (68) acres, more or less, and bounded by the lands of John Bettis, J L Quinby, E McHughes, and T H Clark."

Terms of Sale—Cash. Purchaser to pay for papers.

W F ROATH, Master Edgefield County, December 11, 1901.

MASTER'S SALE, State of South Carolina—Edgefield County—Court of Common Pleas—The American Freehold Land and Mortgage Co, of London, Limited, against Levi D. Reese

PURSUANT to the decree in this cause, I will offer for sale at public outcry before the Court House, town of Edgefield and County and State above named, on the first Monday in January, 1902, the same being the 6th day of said month, between the legal hours of sale, the following described realty, to wit:

"All of that tract of land in the County of Edgefield and State of South Carolina, in Meriwether Township, containing three hundred and forty-one and one-half (341 1/2) acres, more or less, adjoining lands of T O Thurmound and Charles McClendon, and bounded on the east by Steven's Creek."

Terms of Sale—One half cash and the balance on a credit of one year, with interest from the day of sale. Purchaser to give bond and a mortgage of the premises sold to secure the payment of the credit portion, or all cash, at the purchaser's option.

Purchaser to pay for papers. December 11, 1901.

MASTER'S SALE. State of South Carolina—Edgefield County—Court of Common Pleas—Willie S Parks, et al., against F. M. Parks.

PURSUANT to the decree in this cause I will offer for sale at public outcry, before the Court House in town of Edgefield, and State of South Carolina, on the first Monday in January, 1902, the same being the 6th day of said month, between the legal hours of sale, the above realty, to wit:

"ALL THAT LOT OF LAND, situate at the depot of Plum Branch, S. C., adjoining lands of Martha Blackwell, and bounded on the west by right of way of the railroad, being a small lot purchased by P O Cox from Martha Blackwell in January, 1880. Said deed is duly recorded in office of R M C, in Edgefield, S C., in Book 10, Page 399."

Terms of sale—Cash. And if the terms are not complied with, Master is authorized to resell the same within one hour, at the risk of the former purchaser.

Purchaser to pay for papers.

W F ROATH, Master Edgefield County, December 11, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of an Order by the Probate Court of Edgefield County, South Carolina, I will proceed to sell at Public Outcry, at the late residence of W. H. Bussey, deceased near Modoc, S. C., on Thursday, the 19th day of December, 1901, all of the personal property belonging to the estate of W. H. Bussey, deceased. Property consists of Horses, Mules, Cow, Hogs, Buggy, Wagon, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Farm Produce, Farming Implements and various other articles.

The sale will begin at 10 o'clock, a. m.—Terms, Cash.

NOTICE is further given to persons indebted to said estate to come forward and settle—And creditors of said estate are hereby notified to present their claims, duly attested, to the Judge of Probate, at Edgefield, S. C.

THOS. T. BUSSEY, Administrator, Nov. 30, 1901.



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TREASURER'S NOTICE. The County Treasurer's office will be open at Edgefield court house from the 15th day of October, 1901, to the 31st day of December, 1901, for the purpose of collecting taxes, charged as follows: For state 5 mills levy. For county 4 mills levy. For school 3 mills levy. For Shaw R R Bonds 2 1/2 mills. For court costs and attorneys fees 1/4 of mill on all property in Pickens and Wise Townships.

County Auditor's Notice. The County Auditor's office will be open for the purpose of receiving tax returns, of both personal and real estate for taxation for the year 1902, from January the 1st, 1902, to February the 20th, 1902.

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Notice to Creditors. ALL PERSONS holding claims against the Estate of J S McNure and Rosie McNure are hereby required to prove the same before me on or before the 13th of December, 1901, or they will be barred.

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