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FRIDAY, Dec. 25, 1914.

The Christmas Tree

Out before the Court House already the Christmas Tree is standing awaiting the coming of the Christmas tide. And it stands there as an invitation to you all to come out and hear the exercises that are to be given. They will be worth your while and every one should be there for the music is to be very good and the children are interested in the exercises and have done every thing they can to make this a success. Every one has been working for this tree and we are sure that it will be a success. Now make it one by your aid.

A Call For
The Needy.

Last Sabbath the committee appointed to gather the names of those who are in need in our community met with Mrs Swann and a list of persons who are most worthy of help during this time of winter and at the Christmas time and there is a great many calls upon us, if you could but see the list. We offer to the people of Marshall a chance to choose for there are twenty five different places where you can place your gifts and they will be well placed. We are sure that the good people of Marshall will listen to the call and give liberally. Don't wait to be asked to give just think well I am going to help these people at this time and then bring the things to the Court House or send them and the committees will see that they go to the place needed. These twenty five chances to give represent that number of places and in the whole there are about 70 persons to whom you can give clothes will be acceptable in some of the cases and send these in. Then in other cases food stockings shoes any thing that you would think good to give and we are sure that some of the little ones might like toys also and we will see that these are delivered. Don't fail any of you to give something and we hope that no one will be forgetful of it. Remember a Christmas for all and a division of ours with the others.

Box Supper

Box Supper at the Court House on night of Dec. 31st to watch the old year out and welcome the new.

Every girl in town come with a box and every boy celebrate the out going year by buying a box. This party is for the benefit of the Community Tree.

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The Road to Bethlehem

By ARTHUR KETCHUM

Who goes to-night to Bethlehem?
The weary way, the winding way—
The roadside vineyards are stripped bare,
The little trees are gray.
Mary the Mother bowed her head,
"The way is long," she said.

Who goes to-night to Bethlehem?
The dark begins to fall—
The village lights shine in the dusk,
There's food and fire for all.
Mary the Mother bowed her head,
"There is no room," she said.

Who goes to-night to Bethlehem?
There is no open door—
The wide-eyed oxen give them place,
The hay is on the floor.
Mary the Mother bowed her head,
"Oh, fold me close," she said.

Who goes to-night to Bethlehem?
The East is kindled light—
The air is silver with a song,
And wings flash near and white.
Mary the Mother bowed her head,
"My little Son," she said.

To Stop The Ship-
ment of Liquor

Don't fail to sign the petition that is circulated around and which is to go to the General Assembly at Raleigh. It is time to get relief from the imposition of those who are forcing upon us is something that we voted out 6 years ago. There is a petition in your neighborhood. We have sent these out all over the county and we wish them to return by the 10th of January. It is constitutional to keep it out and several counties have prohibited the shipment of liquor into their boundaries for over a year and the law has stood the test and the people are better off without the liquor. We can rid ourselves of it if we but will.

Look around and hunt up the man who had it and when he asks you to sign don't refuse him for he is doing a good thing. At this time what better thing could we do than put our name on a paper that will help bring the reign of the Prince of Peace into our county. We want 15,000 names and to get that many we need yours. Write your name and in the writing sign the death warrant of liquor in this county.

Recorders Court

Owing to the fact that we are going to press two days earlier than usual the full report of the Recorder's Court could not be had. The following cases were disposed of:

State vs J. M. Sams a. d. w. \$25.00 and cost.
State vs J. M. Sams c. c. w. \$25.00 and cost.

A large number of cases were before the Court for trial, and in our next weeks issue will be found a complete list of defendants.

Attachment Proceedings.

A. G. Betts, President of the Laurel River Logging Co., has attached all the holdings of that corporation in Madison county, claiming the Company are indebted to him in a large sum. This is the largest incorporated concern in this county and has been greatly instrumental in the development of the Laurel section by the construction of the Madison County Railroad and their large holdings of timber in the county. Their band mill at Runyon is one of the best equipped in the South and the company has always been rated A 1 financially speaking.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Roberts have gone to Ocracoke, for a three or four days visit to his parents who recently moved there.

"IS 'E COMIN'
TERNIGHT?"

WILBUR D. NESBIT

HIT'S de las' thing I heah when I tun out de light:
'Is 'e comin' ternight, mammy? Comin' ternight?'
En de good Lawd knows, dough I see 'Not yet.'
Dey's a-sittin' me still whut dey gwine fer git.
En I prolijk en plan, en I skimp en squeeze,
En I hurries apas' all de winders I sees,
'Case de chilluns espec's dat he'll bring 'em a lot —
En dey think he's de same dat de White Folks got.

'Is 'e comin' ternight, mammy? Comin' ternight?'
Lawd, I wisht-in mah soul dat 'e would en he might!
I wisht in mah soul dat 'e'd come down de flue
Lak I useter believe dat 'e sholy would do.
When de chilluns ondress en dey Jump in-to bald,
En I tuok up de quilt 'roun' each po' I'd hald,
Den I set down en wish, en I wish lak I pray,
Dat 'e find out de place 'fo' hit come Chris'mas Day.



Why, de chilluns believes! Dey is aho' dat hit so.
En dey countin' on him lak a man dat dey know,
En dey talk er de things dat he sutten ter bring.
'Twell dey set up in bald en dees holler en sing.
En I tell 'em w'y aho' good ole Sanny 'll come
Wid a loll en a sled en a railroad en drum.
En dey drif' off ter sleep wid a smile on dey faces—
En dey ain' not a cent I kin spash in de place!

HIT'S de las' thing I heah when I tun out de light:
'Is 'e comin' ternight, mammy? Comin' ternight?'
En I laughs wid dem all w'en dey plan whut dey do
Wid de things dat he'll bring—en I say hit's all true!
En de white chillun up whah I's wukin', dey 'low
Dat ole Sanny he'll come, en won't miss 'em nohow.
'Is 'e comin' ternight?' Lawd, I wisht hit 'ud be
Dat he's com' hush en fix up dis 'oblem for me!

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NOTICE

North Carolina } In the Superior
Madison County } Court.

J. M. Gudger, Jr., et al
vs.
Henry Berger, Sarah
Johnston Berger, Max
Gudger, Jackson Gudger, et al.

The Defendants, Henry Berger, Sarah Johnston, Berger, Max Gudger and Jackson Gudger above named, will take notice that the action entitled J. M. Gudger Jr., et al, vs. Henry Berger, et al, has been commenced in the Superior Court of Madison County before the Clerk of the said Court for the purpose of subjecting certain lands named in the petition in Madison County for the sale and distribution of the proceeds, in which the said Defendants have an interest, and the said Defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear in the Superior Court of Madison County, before the Clerk of the said Court on Thursday the 14, day of January 1915, at the Court House in said County, and State of North Carolina, and answer or demur to the petition in the action, or the petitioners will apply to the Court for relief demanded in said petition.

W. A. WEST,
Clerk Superior Court Madison County.
12-11-14.

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North Carolina }
Madison County }

Lakie Fox, Plaintiff,
vs.
Jesse Fox, Defendant

Take notice, that on the 11th day, of January 1915, at 2 o'clock P. M. and thereafter before W. V. Jones, Notary Public, at the home of Miss Nancy Fox, Rural Route No. 2, Del Rio, Tennessee, Cooke County, the undersigned will take the deposition of Mrs. Nancy Fox, to be read as evidence for the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which is now pending in the Superior Court of Madison County, State of North Carolina.

This the 14th day of December, 1914.
LAKIE FOX,
Plaintiff.

12-18-14 (-t.

Schedule of appointments for the Hot Springs and Marshall charge of the Methodist Church. Rev. W. L. Rexford pastor, Hot Springs—Preaching on the 1st Sunday morning and 3rd Sunday night—The 5th Sunday night will also be given at Hot Springs. Marshall Preaching 1st Sunday night, 3rd and 5th Sunday mornings—Both morning and night on 2nd and 4th Sundays—All are invited to these services.
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