The Herald and News.

FIGHTING THE TRUSTS.

[illegible] fight against the trusts proceeding under instructions given him by the last session of the general assembly to institute an investigation to determine by what authority the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company is doing business in this State whether such company and all other foreign corporations have complied with the laws of this State [illegible] corporations [illegible] or any person or persons [illegible] be engaged in any business within this State has violated or is violating the provisions of the laws of this State prohibiting trusts and combinations" and requiring him to institute "such proceedings, civil or criminal, as may be necessary to prevent and punish the [illegible] of such laws against trusts and combinations." The action was begun on last Saturday when [illegible] Circuit of the Columbia [illegible] purpose of the corporation which [illegible] out to the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company [illegible] in this State and seeking to settle free competition [illegible] established by the act [illegible] trusts and combinations. [illegible] this State the attorney general finally asks "that the said Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company be adjudged and decreed to have forfeited its right to recognition as a corporation in the courts of this State."

This same fight against the trusts has been made in some other states and in most instances has failed. The fight in this State will be watched with interest throughout the country. The report of the attorney general to the legislature, reviewing the whole ground, will be published now in a few days.

ANOTHER YEAR.

Today closes another year and marks another milestone on life's journey. The past year has been a hard one with many of our people, and especially will the year upon which we are entering be a trying one on many, especially those who till the soil. The corn crop has been short and in many places the yield of cotton has been below the average. And the price of corn and flour continues to go up and the end does not seem to be in sight. The lesson to learn from this condition is to plant more of the things we need to eat and not depend on one crop.

The trouble with this country is that everything is run on the credit basis and most of the crop is spent before it is made. The credit system has a tendency to make people extravagant. We will never be prosperous until we get off the credit system and get on the cash basis.

Our farmers should learn the lesson we have tried so often to impress, namely: to grow on the farm everything needed on the farm. When this is done we will be a prosperous and independent section.

What we want to do is to look hopefully to the future and not pine over the past. We live in the best section of the world and our farmers could be the most independent people in the world if they only would. We hope they may soon realize the fact and make themselves independent. They have the solution in their own grasp.

The Herald and News wishes all its readers and all the people a happy and a prosperous New Year. We will continue to give you the news and hope to deserve and receive your encouragement and support.

Owing to the number of loafers, especially negroes, at the depots every time a train comes in, it is getting to be almost impossible for a lady to get on or off the trains. There is a State law against loafing around the depots and also a town ordinance, and it might be well if it were put into effect in Newberry for awhile, at least.

The streets around the depots are getting in bad shape and need working again. Even in dry weather buggies can hardly be driven up to the platform of the C., N. and L. depot.

The fight against child labor seems to be growing. The Southern Educational Association in session in Columbia last week passed the following resolution: "That the association condemns the employment in our mines, mills and factories of children of immature age, and urges the immediate enactment of such State legislation as shall offer us just and humane restrictions upon child labor in the mines and manufacturing establishments in the southern states."

We are glad to note that our cotemporary, the Observer, has returned to an advocacy of Democratic measures, having, we suppose, found all other unsuitable to the taste of our people.

Tot Causes Night Alarm.

"One night my brother baby was taken with Croup," writes Mrs. J. C. Sinder, of Crittenden, Ky., "it seemed it would strangle before we could get a doctor, so we gave it Dr. King's New Discovery, which gave quick relief and permanently cured it. We always keep it in the house to protect our children from Croup and Whooping Cough. It cured me of a chronic bronchial trouble that no other remedy would relieve." Infallible for Coughs, Colds, Throat and Lung troubles. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free at all druggists.

THE UNIVERSITY CONCERT.

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Following is the year's programme [illegible] Miss Mary Wise [illegible] Dunlap on Christmas morning [illegible] Christmas permit. [illegible] The parents were [illegible] the occasion and the attendance was the largest [illegible] The ladies were handsomely costumed, and the occasion was [illegible]

The guests were [illegible]

Miss Fannie Strother with Mr. W. F. Bowman, Jr.

Miss Clara Schumpert with Mr. T. H. Dominick.

Miss Carrie Jones with Mr. W. [illegible] Schoch.

Miss Bessie Schumpert with Mr. [illegible] Kohn.

Miss Louise Wheeler with Dr. [illegible]

Miss [illegible] Schumpert with Mr. [illegible] Schoch.

Miss Clara Mae Wilson with Mr. [illegible]

Miss Neville Pope with Mr. C. F. Pelham.

Miss Lucy Stoner Fair with Mr. J. B. Boozer.

Miss Lizzie Glenn with Mr. T. H. Pope.

Miss Maud Langford with Mr. J. T. Copeland, of Jamison.

Miss Bessie Gilder with Mr. W. F. Bowman.

Miss Sue Dunlap, of Kentucky, with Mr. W. C. Tarrer.

Miss Laura Bowman with Mr. J. E. Renwick.

Miss Julia Paisley with Mr. T. K. Johnstone.

Miss Lizzie Glenn with Mr. H. A. Copeland.

Miss Kate Moore, of Columbia, with Mr. R. P. Fair.

Miss Genevieve Evans with Mr. I. H. McLean.

Miss Mattie Tabb, of Kentucky, with Mr. S. L. Cash.

Miss Kate Ashley, of Trenton, with Mr. M. L. Spearman.

Miss Janie Vance, of Clinton, with Dr. P. G. Eilesor.

Miss Clara Vance, of New Orleans, with Mr. E. W. Wilson, of Columbia.

Miss Raber, of Washington, with Mr. O. O. Copeland.

Miss Strother, of Johnston, with Mr. J. R. Fair.

Stags: Messrs. Coleman of Whitmires, T. T. Moore, Jr., of Columbia, C. J. Moore, J. G. Daniels, Ned Flynn, H. T. Renwick, W. A. Jamieson, Jr., D. A. Langford, Z. F. Wright, Burton, and Moore of Columbia.

Chaperones: Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Schumpert, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Schumpert, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Voss, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Pifer, Dr. J. K. Gilder, Mr. J. C. Chappell, and Hon. H. H. Evans.

THE COSTUMES.

Miss Fannie Strother—red silk, with black applique.

Miss Carrie Jones—Beautiful costume of pink embroidered mull.

Miss Kate Moore, of Columbia—lovely red silk crepe de chine.

Miss Neville Pope—black lace over silk with touch of nile green.

Miss Bessie Schumpert—Beautiful costume of blue silk with silver gauze waist, and chiffon trimmings.

Miss Genevieve Evans—white organdie and pink ribbons.

Miss Raber, Washington—white mull over pink silk, nile green trimmings and white lace.

Miss Janie Vance, Clinton—blue silk, white applique and chiffon trimmings, white lace.

Miss Sue Dunlap, Kentucky—white mull, green ribbons.

Miss Tabb, Kentucky—white taffeta silk, real lace bodice.

Miss Mary Nance Fair—black net over silk, pink trimmings.

Miss Azile Pool—canary silk with white lace trimmings.

Miss Ashley, Trenton—white chiffon with satin ribbon over silk.

Miss Lizzie Glenn—white organdie with satin trimmings.

Miss Laura Bowman—pink organdie, black applique of lace.

Miss Maud Fant—blue organdie.

Miss Clara Vance, New Orleans—white chiffon with satin ribbons.

Miss Julia Paisley—white organdie with satin ribbons.

Miss Maud Langford—blue silk mull with white lace applique.

Miss Myrtie Schumpert—white taffeta silk, chiffon, and silver gauze.

Miss Thyra Schumpert—white organdie trimmed in white satin ribbon, the bodice handsomely trimmed in silver irridescent.

Miss Bessie Gilder—white chiffon beautifully embroidered.

Miss Gordon Weeks—black lace over pink silk, handsome jet trimmings.

Miss Vinnie Mae Wilson—black organdie with irridescent trimmings.

A Deep Mystery.

It is a mystery why women endure Backache, Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells when thousands have proved that Electric Bitters will quickly cure such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Phebe Cherley, of Peterson, Ia., "and a lame back pained me so I could not dress myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me, and, although 73 years old, I now am able to do all my housework." It overcomes Constipation, improves Appetite, gives perfect health. Only 50c at all druggists.

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Miss Annie Mae Bedenbaugh spent a few days of the past week with her friend, Miss Jessie Moseley.

Frank Dreher, Esq., of Lexington, was in town Friday shaking hands with his friends.

Mrs. J. R. Swearington and children, of Columbia, spent the holidays with her sister, Mrs. M. C. Morris.

Mr. Conrad Hartz, of the Junior class in Newberry College, spent the holidays with Mr. T. A. Dominick.

Mr. B. Taylor, of Greenwood county, spent last Tuesday night with Mr. J. P. Bowers.

Miss Margarite Hunter has resigned her position in the Prosperity Graded school. We are very sorry to lose her from the school room. She is an excellent instructor and highly thought of by the people here. She was compelled to resign on account of her health.

One of the pleasantest occasions for our young folks during the holidays was a social at Mr. L. S. Bowers' last Friday evening.

Misses Fannie and Archie Ehrhardt, of Ehrhardts, spent the holidays with Miss Virga Ehrhardt, at Mr. T. H. Dominick's.

Mr. A. M. Counts and family spent last Friday with Mr. R. C. Counts.

Prof. H. B. Dominick and wife, of Easley, visited relatives in town during the holidays.

Miss Della Bowers, after spending the holidays with her parents, will return to Fort Motte the last of this week.

The Christmas chimney and tree at Grace church was a success. The church was prettily decorated and the music was good. Santa Claus made his appearance to the delight of the children. He was a real Santa—Mr. S. D. Duncan.

Dr. Wingard spent a few days last week at his home in Columbia.

Home from College—Mr. Geo. Brown, of Due West college; Miss Lena Moseley, of College for Women, in Columbia; Misses Annie Belle Wise, Ygenia and Mollie Harmon, of Elizabeth; Miss Estelle Stewart, Messrs. Sam Hawkins, Bushnell Bowers, Oscar Simpson, Birge Wise, and Norris Hawkins, of Newberry college.

Miss Nannie Simpson, the popular teacher at Kinards, spent the holidays with her parents.

Mrs. Turnipseed, of Greenville, and Miss Carrie Mars, of Mt. Carmel, visited Mrs. J. H. Hunter the past week.

Mrs. Barrier, of Monroe, N. C., is in the county visiting relatives. She spent a few days here with her sister, Mrs. S. J. Kohn.

Miss Aull, daughter of Mr. Geo. B. Aull of Pomaria, visited relatives in town during the holidays.

Miss Mamie Lee Kinard, of Greenwood, spent a few days of the past week with Miss Cora Dominick.

Burr Long, colored, during the early part of last Tuesday night took the meat knife from the store of Maffet & Co., and later in the night he cut his wife about the face and throat badly. He probably would have killed her had not the police made his appearance. Burr is now on the dodge.

The merry Christmas season is nearing a close. What joys we recall during these holidays! It brings to many of our minds [illegible]

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THE COUNTY HOME.

Report of Keeper John A. Sohn, Of Its Affairs Since He Took Charge.

Number of inmates found in County Home Jan. 1st, 1899 and names of each:

White—Rachel Spillers, Mary Ann Wilson, Mary Waddell, Manervia Livingston.

Colored—Jim Gray, Charlie Roberts, Lander Cannon, Allen Spearman, Lila Valentine.

Number of inmates moved to County Home in 1899, 1900 and 1901, and names of each:

NAME.	DATE.		COLOR.
Sam Cromer	Jan. 3,	1899	white.
Nancy Cromer	" 4,	"	"
Hester Cromer	" 4,	"	"
H. D. Cox	April 3,	"	"
Sam Pierson	" 8,	"	col.
Paul Watson	Aug. 7,	"	"
Mid Kinard	" 8,	"	"
Lucia Sheppard	" 29,	"	"
William Knight	Dec. 23,	"	white.
Bob Martin	Jan. 9,	1900	col.
Susie Ann Cromer	" 15,	"	"
Brooks Motes	" 28,	"	white.
Berry Gilliam	Feb. 6,	"	col.
Wash Halter	June 23,	"	"
Noah Young	Aug. 4,	"	"
Green Batey	" 25,	"	"
Bob Grimes	Sept. 8,	"	"
Dora Epps	Nov. 12,	"	"
George Watson	" 29,	"	"
Mack Glenn	Dec. 1,	"	"
Robert King	Feb. 4,	1901	"
Laura Suber	April 24,	"	"
Shed Kibler	May 20,	"	"
Kokely Rutherford	" 21	"	"
Isabella Jackson	July 2,	"	"
Jim Rikard	Aug. 18,	"	white.
Jane Bowers	Sept. 9,	"	col.
John Henry	" 7,	"	"
John Smith	" 18,	"	white.

Number of deaths in 1899, 1900 and 1901, and names of each:

NAME.	DATE.		COLOR.
Mary Ann Wilson	Jan. 22,	1899	white.
Sam Cromer	" 28,	"	"
Charlie Roberts	Aug. 19,	"	col.
Mid Kinark	" 20,	"	"
Susie Ann Cromer	Jan. 20,	1900	col.
Berry Gilliam	Feb. 10,	"	"
Rob Martin	" 12,	"	"
Green Batey	Aug. 3,	"	"
Noah Young	Nov. 4,	"	"
George Watson	Jan. 10,	1901	"
Robert King	Feb. 15,	"	"
Manervia Livingston	Mar. 1,	"	white.
Laura Suber	May 21,	"	col.
H. D. Cox	June 18,	"	white.
Isabella Jackson	July 15,	"	col.
Jane Bowers	Sept. 9,	"	"
Jim Rikard	Dec. 24,	"	white

Number of inmates that left County Home 1899, 1900 and 1901, and names of each:

NAME.	DATE.	COLOR.
Lucia Sheppard	Oct. 29, 1899	col.
Brooks Motes	May 1, 1900	white.
John Henry	Nov. 22, 1901	col.

Jno. A. Sohn, (Keeper).

An Announcement.

I beg to announce that I have associated with me in business my son, Robt. E. Leavell, and the firm name will hereafter be R. Y. Leavell & Son.

We propose to maintain the same high standard of the past thirty years, and hope to merit the public patronage and commendation in all our dealings. We will continue to handle an up-to-date line of Furniture, etc.

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All favors shown us will be appreciated. R. Y. LEAVELL.

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Master's Sales.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA—COUNTY OF NEWBERRY—IN COMMON PLEAS.

Geo. S. Mower, Plaintiff, against J. H. Counts et al., Defendants. Partition.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT herein, I will sell at public outcry before the Court House at Newberry between the legal hours of sale, on the first Monday in January, 1902, all that tract or plantation of land, known as "The Little Mountain Tract," situate partly in Newberry County and partly in Lexington County, in the State aforesaid, containing Four Hundred and Forty-two and One-half (442½) acres, more or less, and bounded by lands of, or formerly of, A. N. Boland, D. P. Palmer, J. I. Epting, L. W. Bowers and Frank Shealy.

I will also sell on Tuesday, January, 7th, 1902, during the legal hours of sale at Irmo, in Lexington County, State aforesaid, all that tract or parcel of land, containing Sixty (60) acres, more or less, formerly belonging to the Piedmont Land Improvement and Investment Company to be sold in parcels or lots, as shown by maps in my office, and with J. H. Counts, at Irmo.

Terms of Sale:—One-third cash and the balance on a credit of one and two years, the credit portion to be secured by bonds of the purchaser and mortgage of the premises sold, with interest thereon from date of sale, with leave to the purchaser to anticipate payments in full. Purchaser to pay for all papers and revenue stamps.

H. H. RIKARD, Master.
Master's Office, Dec. 19, 1901.

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE

THE NEWAERRY LAND AND Security Company will sell at public sale on saleday in January, 1902, that very desirable Six-Room House and all necessary out buildings and Thirty Acres of Land, situated just outside the corporate limits of the town of Newberry, known as the Phil Livingston place. Said premises contain a fine [illegible] and a well of pure water. Also [illegible] and adjoining [illegible] located on public road leading from town of Newberry.

Terms of sale: One-third cash, balance in four equal annual payments with interest at 8 per cent from day of sale. Purchaser to pay for papers and insure the house for benefit of company.

[illegible] Atlanta, Ga.

Master's Sales.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF NEWBERRY—IN COMMON PLEAS.

Fannie C. Russell et al. Administrators, Plaintiffs, against D. A. Russell et al., Defendants.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT herein, I will sell at public outcry before the Court House at Newberry, between the legal hours of sale, on the first Monday in January, 1902, all that lot of land, situate, lying and being in the town of Newberry, County of Newberry, State of South Carolina, measuring 40 feet in width and 72 feet 6 inches in length, and bounded on the south by Friend street, east by lot of Mrs. Harriett Y. Lane, north by estate of Jacob S. Russell, and west by lot of, or formerly of, Wm. Langford.

Also that lot of land in town of Newberry on Main or Pratt street, measuring 40 feet in width, and 127 feet 6 inches in length, bounded on the north by Main or Pratt street, east by lot of Mrs. Harriett Y. Lane, south by estate of Jacob S. Russell, and west by lot of, or formerly of, Wm. Langford.

All that lot of land in town of Newberry, said County and State, containing Nine Hundredth (9-100) of an acre, more or less, known as lot No. 2 of the mill lot, fronting on Main or Pratt street, otherwise bounded by lots of Nos. 1, 3 and 6 of said mill lot.

Also lot No. 12, in block 13, of the Newport News, Hampton and Old Point Developing Company's, addition to the town of Newport News, Warwick County, in the State of Virginia.

Terms of Sale:—Newport News lot, cash. The other lots, one-half cash, balance on a credit of twelve months with interest from day of sale until paid at 8 per cent. per annum, to be secured by bonds of the purchasers and mortgages of the premises sold. Purchaser to day for all papers.

H. H. RIKARD, Master.
Master's office, Dec. 10, 1901.

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA—COUNY OF NEWBERRY—IN COMMON PLEAS.

Reuben S. Maybin, Plaintiff, against Lucy C. Longshore and W. D. Hardy, as Master of Newberry County, Defendants.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT herein, I will sell at public outcry, before the Court House at Newberry, within the legal hours of sale, on the first Monday in January, 1902, all that tract, parcel or plantation of land situate, lying and being in the County of Newberry, State aforesaid, containing One Hundred and Twenty-Eight (128) Acres, more or less, bounded by lands of Thomas F. Harmon, lands of the estate of W. W. Waldrop and the public road leading from Newberry to iron bridge.

Terms of Sale: One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash, the balance in two equal installments payable in one and two years, with interest from day of sale on the credit portion, to be secured by a bond of the purchaser and a mortgage of the premises sold, with leave to purchaser to pay his entire bid in cash. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.

H. H. RIKARD, Master N. C.
Dec. 14, 1901.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF NEWBERRY—IN COMMON PLEAS.

Albert C. Crooks, Charles D. Crooks and Joseph L. Crooks, Plaintiffs, against Mattie K. Glymph, Harry H. Holland, Lillie Bell Holland, F. Earle Holland, Jno. W. Holland and J. D. Crooks, Defendants.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT herein I will sell at public outcry before the Court House at Newberry, S. C., between the legal hours of sale, on the first Monday in January, 1902, all that tract or plantation of land situated, lying and being in No. 11 Township, County of Newberry, State aforesaid, containing One Hundred and Twenty-five Acres (125), more or less, bounded by the Columbia road, which separates it from lands of J. D. Crooks and lands of W. A. Hentz, Bettie Lever, David Hipp and others.

Terms of sale are as follows, to wit: One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash, the balance upon a credit of twelve months from day of sale, the credit portion to be secured by a bond of the purchaser and a mortgage of the premises sold, with leave to the purchaser to pay all or any portion of his bid in cash. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.

H. H. RIKARD,
MASTER.
Newberry, S. C., Dec. 12, 1901.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF NEWBERRY—IN COMMON PLEAS.

Carey M. Williams et al, Plantiffs, against Della Wheeler, et al., Defendants.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT herein, I will sell at public outcry before the Court House at Newberry between the legal hours of sale, on the first Monday in January, 1902, all that tract or plantation of land, situate, lying and being in the county of Newberry, State of South Carolina, containing One Hundred and Fourteen (114) Acres, more or less, known as the [illegible] place, and bounded by lands of, or formerly of, J. [illegible] Williams, Mrs. Della Wheeler, estate of J. M. Jones and others.

Terms of sale:—One-third cash, balance on a credit of twelve months, interest from day of sale, to be secured by bond of purchaser and mortgage of the premises sold, with leave to the purchaser to anticipate his payment in whole or in part from time to time. Purchaser to pay for all papers and revenue stamps.

H. H. RIKARD, Master.
Master's Office, Dec. 14, 1901.

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