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TAX NOTICE.

I WILL ATTEND THE FOLLOWING mentioned places for the purpose of receiving taxes for the fiscal year, 1907:

The balance of the time at Lexington Court House until December 31st, 1907, after which time the following penalties will be added by the County Auditor and collected by the County Treasurer.

On January 1, 1908, 1 per cent penalty will be added to those who have not paid.

On February 1st, 1908, an additional 1 per cent will be added to those who have not paid, making 2 per cent. For Feb. will be added on March 1st, making 7 per cent. penalty to be paid by those who have not paid by March 1st, 1908.

Tax Books will Close—March 15, 1908.

The hours for closing the tax books will positively be at 11 o'clock for the morning and 4 o'clock for the afternoon appointments.

LEVY.
For State Purposes..... 4 1/2 Mills.
For Ordinary County Purposes 3 1/2 Mills.
For Constitutional School Tax 3 Mills.

Total 11 Mills.
Special School Levy Dis. No. 15, 3 Mills
Special School Levy Dis. No. 18, 3 Mills
Special School Levy Dis. No. 19, 4 Mills
Special School Levy Dis. No. 25, 2 Mills
Special School Levy Dis. No. 34, 2 Mills
Special School Levy Dis. No. 37, 2 Mills
Special School Levy Dis. No. 42, 3 Mills
Special School Levy Dis. No. 75, 2 Mills
Poll Tax..... \$1.00

RAILROAD LEVY.
Saluda Township..... 7 1/2 Mills
Broad River Township..... 7 1/2 Mills
Fork Township..... 7 1/2 Mills
Commutation Road Tax \$3.00, payable from October 15th to March 1st, 1908.

Parties owning property in more than one township must so state to the Treasurer.

When writing for information concerning taxes always give Township or school District and name in full, not initials.

FRANK W. SHEALY,
Treasurer Lexington County.

Grippe is sweeping the country. Stop it with preventives, before it gets deeply seated. To check early colds with these little Candy Cold Cure Tablets is surely sensible and safe. Preventives contain no quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh or sickening. Pneumonia would never appear if early colds were promptly broken. Also good for feverish children. Large box, 48 tablets, 25 cents. Vest pocket boxes 5 cents. Sold by Kaufmann Drug Co.

The man who is buried in thought can write his own obituary notice.

It's funny the way a woman's figure changes according to the fashions.

The more money a man has the less he is willing to admit he has.

The Lexington Dispatch.

Wednesday, February 26, 1908.

Tillman Goes After Vagrants.

Washington, Feb. 19.—Addressing the Senate this morning in a brief speech, Senator Tillman called attention to the startling increase of crime in the District of Columbia and ascribed it largely to the negroes of the city. He made his remarks prior to the introduction of a comprehensive vagrancy bill, which is based on the Massachusetts Code dealing with this subject.

Senator Tillman declared it was important that the cause of the crime from which the District is now suffering should be removed rather than that efforts should be made to correct the evils after they had been done. He claimed the negroes of the idle and shiftless class were to a great extent responsible for the robberies and like crimes that have lately been committed, twenty-one assaults on women having been made in this city since last September. He said the same difficulty existed in all Southern cities. "Owing to the over-education of some negroes," he said, "they are made to have higher aspirations than it is possible for them to attain."

Senator Tillman's bill to define and suppress vagrancy specified in detail the persons who shall be considered vagrants. It includes all idle and immoral persons and those leading a profligate life, idle persons who have no visible means of support, persons who frequent evil resorts, persons wandering abroad and begging and various others. The bill provides that every person who is convicted of vagrancy shall be put under a \$500 bond for his good behavior for one year. Violation of the conditions of the bond will be punished by sentence to the work house for a period not to exceed one year.

A weak stomach mean weak stomach nerves, always. And this is also true of the heart and kidneys. Its a pity that sick ones continue to drug the stomach or stimulate the heart and kidneys. The weak nerves, not the organs themselves, need this help. This explains why Dr. Shoop's Restoratives has, and is promptly helping so many sick ones. It goes direct to the cause of these diseases. Test this vital truth and see. Kaufmann Drug Co.

Obituary.

Elijah Stodemire "fell asleep" at his home, near Peak, S. C., Feb. 11, 1908, at the ripe age of 91 years, one month, and one day. He was a life-long member of St. John's (Broad River) Lutheran church. In 1852, he was married to Mrs. Elizabeth Derrick. This union was blessed with two sons, both of whom survive. Here is the testimony of one who lived near and knew him well. "He was a loving husband, kind father, and a good and useful neighbor." His body was laid to rest at his late residence, the funeral services being conducted by his pastor. E. J. SOX.

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Any reader, by writing to Dr. Earl S. Sloan, 615 Albany Street, Boston, Mass., will receive "Sloan's Treatise on the Horse" free. This book tells how to treat horses, cattle, hogs and poultry.

Married.

At St. Peter's (Piney Woods) parsonage, near Chapin, Charlie O. Shealy and Pearl E. Lindler were married by the Rev. E. J. Sox, Jan. 9, 1908.

This May Interest You.

No one is immune from kidney trouble so just remember that Foley's Kidney Cure will stop the irregularities and cure any case of kidney and bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Derrick's Drug Store.

Frank K. Meyers has been appointed master in equity of Charleston by Gov. Ansel to succeed the late G. H. Sess. Mr. Meyers is the official court stenographer of the Charleston circuit.

The editor of the Memphis, Tenn., "Times" writes: "In my opinion Foley's Honey and Tar is the best remedy for coughs, colds and lung trouble, and to my own personal knowledge Foley's Honey and Tar has accomplished many permanent cures that have been little short of marvellous." Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Derrick's Drug Store.

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RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

In Regard to the Death of Sovereign
W. D. Shull.

Whereas, an all-wise God in His wisdom has seen fit to take from our midst, Sovereign W. D. Shull, a worthy member of Oak Grove Camp No. 273, Woodmen of The World, and whereas,

Brother Shull as a sovereign of this order has eminently exhibited in his life and character the nobility expected of a Woodman of The World, and set an example worthy to be emulated by all men; therefore, be it resolved,
That in his death this camp has sustained an irreparable loss and each member a true and loyal friend; That we extend our sincere and heartfelt sympathy to his sorrowing relatives, and that these resolutions be placed upon the minutes of our camp, and a copy thereof be transmitted to his family.

H. V. MURDOUGH,
P. J. WESSINGER,
M. G. CAUGHMAN,
Feb. 20, 1908. Committee.

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We will be glad to have every reader of our paper take advantage of the following offer: If you will send your name and address to the Pineule Medicine Co., 389 LaSalle Ave., Chicago, Ill., they will promptly mail you post-paid a full week's trial of their most excellent preparation.

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Final Discharge.

This is to notify all persons that we will apply to Hon. Geo. S. Drafts, Judge of Probate for Lexington county, South Carolina, on the 6th day of March, 1908, for a final discharge as executors of the estate of Benjamin Rawl.

G. H. RAWL,
H. J. RAWL,
B. H. RAWL,
Executors.

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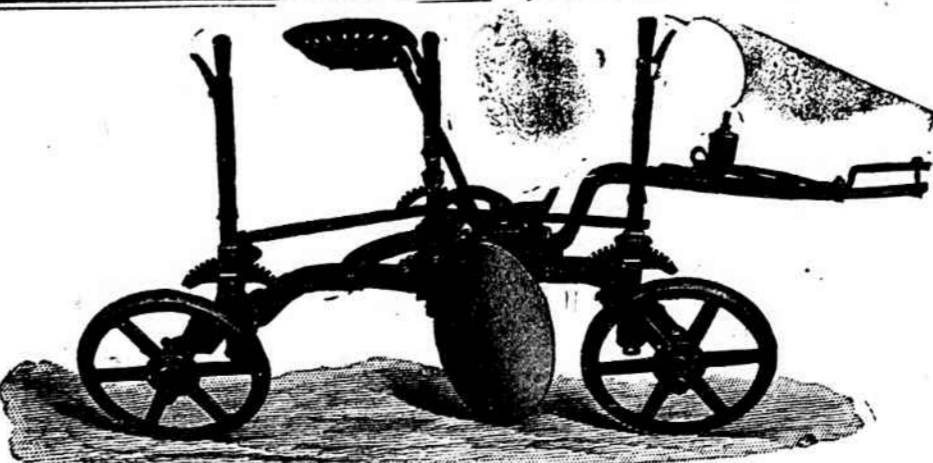
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