

TAX NOTICE

Office of County Treasurer, Lexington County, Lexington, S. C., September 20, 1912.

LEVY.

For State Purposes	5 1/4 Mills
For Ordinary County Purposes	2 Mills
For Poor Relief	2 Mills
For Road & Bridges	2 Mills
For Road	2 Mills
For Constitutional School Tax	3 Mills
Total	18 1/4 Mills

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Poll Tax \$1.00
Commutation road tax for 1912, \$3 dollars, is received at the same time as other State and county taxes.

Read instructions below before remitting:

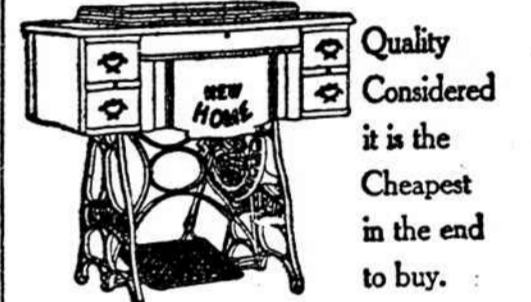
According to law the County Auditor will add the following penalties: On January 1st, 1913, 1 per cent. penalty will be added to those who have not paid. On February 1st, 1913, an additional 1 per cent. will be added to those who have not paid, making 2 per cent. penalty for February. Still an additional 5 per cent. penalty will be added on March 1st, making 7 per cent. penalty to be paid by those who have not paid by March 1st, 1913. Tax Books will close March 15, 1913. When remitting give each township or school district your property is in. Give one name in full, not initials.

Very truly,
E. L. WINGARD,
Treasurer Lexington County, S. C.

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On learning of the tragic death of her martyr husband, Mrs. Robert F. Scott, widow of Capt. Scott, the noted Antarctic explorer, said, "I must be brave as my husband would wish me to be."

And now comes the fifth candidate for Governor of South Carolina in 1914, in the person of Richard I. Manning, of Sumter. And still there's more to follow.

ROUND THE WORLD

Hungary has completely motorized its postal service.
Spain is now building diminutive Dreadnoughts.
Pennsylvania savings banks hold \$377,025,116 in deposits.
The average yearly profit at the casino, Monte Carlo, is \$5,000,000.
Chicago fortune tellers are said to have a secret union and scale of prices.
Illinois in 1912 produced 28,000,000 barrels of oil of forty-two gallons each.
Philadelphia is giving service badges to all policemen serving five years or more.

It costs \$1,000,000 a year to maintain the national pure food bureau in Washington.
Sierra Madre, Cal., now has one story apartment houses, Spanish mission style.
Brand Whitlock of Toledo says he thinks Glasgow the best governed city in Europe.

Dr. G. F. Sammis of Brooklyn has discovered that ether may be successfully used hypodermically.

Not only will the house of the future be made of glass, but the pipes, conduits and sanitary fixtures.

Five francs (96.5 cents) is more than the average laborer gets for a day's work in the Lyon district of France.

The cleansing of the bottom of an ocean going vessel is now accomplished by a machine without leaving the water.

The Astronomic society of Mexico will present a medal and diploma to every astronomer who discovers a comet.

England and Wales together have 40 special schools for the blind, 51 for the deaf and 245 for otherwise defective children.

A strong magnifying glass to be fastened to the thumb with a clip has been patented in England to help a person thread a needle.

Black opals, for several years extensively mined in New South Wales, have become exceedingly rare, hardly any having been found for nearly a year.

With the exception of local food supplies of fish, fruit and vegetables most of the food consumed in the Bahamas comes from the United States, chiefly in the form of canned goods.

Nearly three times as many British as American workmen are employed in the construction of the Panama canal. Of 62,810 in the canal zone proper Great Britain claims 30,859 as citizens, while the United States claims 11,850.

Prince Louis Alexander of Battenberg, who has become first sea lord of the British admiralty, Admiral Sir Francis Bridgeman having resigned, owing to ill health, is a naturalized British subject, having been born at Gratz, Austria, in 1854. He was naturalized and entered the British navy in 1868.

The last of the horse omnibuses of Paris disappeared from the streets Jan. 11. A long procession of motorcars and taxicabs filled with flowers solemnly accompanied it on its last journey, while immediately behind it was a motorcar covered with a pall and decorated with funeral wreaths and crosses.

A large number of time clocks have been placed on the various tramway lines of Leeds. The conductor registers each time he passes a clock, which records the time. This has done away with timekeepers and has assured more regular running of the cars. Similar clocks have been in use in Liverpool and Manchester for some time.

One of the few funds, if not the only one, left for charity by a president of the United States is used in Lancaster, Pa., for the purchase of coal for the poor at Christmas and for other good uses. The fund was left by President Buchanan, who was a resident of Lancaster, and the income now amounts to about \$3,000 a year.

If it is found possible the United States navy department will recover the cannon, bronze ornaments and other relics of the old American frigate Philadelphia, the hulk of which has rested and rotted in the mud of the harbor of Tripoli since 1804, when she was set on fire and sunk by Lieutenant Decatur to prevent her use by the pirates who had captured her.

A novelty in the way of a textbook for teaching English to foreign laborers is, it is stated, to be used by the Chicago Young Men's Christian association. It will be called "Safety First For Foreigners," and each lesson will consist of a picture showing the best way of avoiding danger. It is hoped in this way to reduce the large number of accidents to foreigners in Chicago.

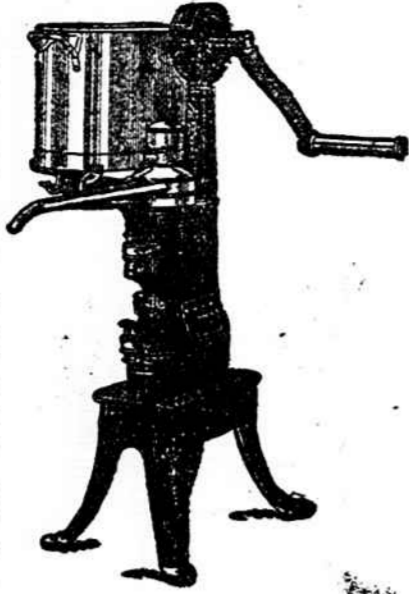
In 1813 the king of Prussia sent out from Breslau the famous "Call to my people" (Aufruf an mein Volk) that filled the city with his subjects and began the war for independence. Beginning May 1 and ending Oct. 31, 1913, Breslau will celebrate the event with an imposing historical exhibition, for which rulers, castles, museums and numerous citizens have lent their treasures of that period.

Captain Roald Amundsen, the Norwegian explorer, has just been formally recognized for the first time in the United States. The National Geographic society, at its annual banquet in Washington, at which he was the guest of honor, presented him with a medal in recognition of his attainment of the south pole. When he goes north next year in an effort to reach the north pole he intends to carry a wireless equipment which will enable him to keep in touch with civilization.

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X Roads Dots.

Plowing and hauling fertilizer are the orders of the day.
Rev. H. C. Herlong spent a recent Sunday and Sunday night at Mr. D. H. Lawson's.

Those visiting Mr. M. L. Rister's family Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Berry and Miss Lucia Bachman.

Mrs. Johnnie Sturkie spent a few days recently with her sister, Mrs. W. F. Mack.

Misses Quincy Sharpe and Adelle Hammonds were the visitors of Little Joe and family.

Mrs. Jas. A. Sharpe has returned from a visit to Sally where she visited her son, Mr. D. W. Sharpe, telegraph operator. She was accompanied by Mrs. Wise Hutto.

Mr. A. B. Sharpe spent a recent Saturday night with his daughter, Mrs. C. C. Sturkie.

Mr. A. Sturkie, who got his hand hurt some time ago, is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sharpe's baby died Sunday of last week and was buried the Monday following.

Mr. Columbus Sharpe and Little Joe spent a happy time in Edmund recently.

The school at Edmund and Gaston came to a close Friday of last week.

Everybody in this section is getting along fine especially Little Joe, and he is as fat as a rail.

LITTLE JOE.

The Cause of Rheumatism

Stomach trouble, lazy liver and deranged kidneys are the cause of rheumatism. Get your stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels in healthy condition by taking Electric Bitters, and you will not be troubled with the pains of rheumatism. Charles B. Allen, a school principal, of Sylvania, Ga., who suffered indescribable torture from rheumatism, liver and stomach trouble and diseased kidneys, writes: "All remedies failed until I used Electric Bitters, but four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me completely." Maybe your rheumatic pains come from stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Electric Bitters will give you prompt relief. 50c and \$1.00. Recommended by Harmon Drug Co.

It is generally accepted that Senator E. D. Smith will offer to succeed himself, though there is formal announcement by him following the statement that Governor Blease will offer for the senatorship.

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The Lexington Pressing Club is ready to do your fall cleaning, pressing, dyeing, etc. We have a competent force and all work promptly and neatly done. Let us fix up that old last year's suit for you. We make a specialty of this class of work.
Lexington Pressing Club.
Lem Sox, Manager.

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Letter From Florida.

The weather is fine in Florida these days. We have had one of the warmest winters we have had in a number of years. The cabbage crop is fine but it will not pay to gather them. This means that the crop will rot in the field. Oranges are not all shipped yet. They will finish up about the middle of March. There are about 150 acres in tomatoes around Wildwood and the crop is fine. Shipments to northern markets are being made daily.

FAIR FLORIDA.

Fair Florida, Land of Flowers,
Grassy dales and leafy bowers,
Land of the lillie and rose
Where the orange and citron grow.
Laud where South winds blow,
Free from ice and snow:
Land of showers and sunshine,
Dear home of mine.
Land of palmetto and pine,
Of fruits and vine,
Amidst which to spend happy hours
With singing birds and flowers.
Land of sunny skies,
Where time never flies;
But lingers by lake and stream,
Bathed in sunlight's golden gleam.
To wander by lake and stream,
On which to drift and dream,
Gently flowing onward ever,
Brooklet and mighty rivers.
Land by ocean bound,
Where health and wealth abound;
A joyous summer land,
Of sea grit, cliff and coral strand.
A broad, bounteous land,
Of hilldale and shining sand,
Country of most fertile soil,
Teeming with multiform gift of God.
Land of Eternal youth,
Flower-deck, sun-kissed queen of
the South;
Land of heaven blest,
In which to live, love, work and rest.
This is a true poem of Florida which I would be greatly obliged to you if you will publish it along with the letter.
Respectfully,
JACOB A. HARSEY,
Wildwood, Fla.



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