

## NOTICE OF THE County Treasurer

The Books of the County Treasurer will be opened for the collection of State, County and Commutation Road Taxes for fiscal year, 1912, at the Treasurer's Office from October 15th to December 31st, 1912. After December 31st, one per cent will be added. After January 31st, two per cent will be added, and after February 28th, seven per cent will be added till the 15th day of March, 1913, when the books will be closed.

All persons owning property in more than one Township are requested to call for receipts in each of the several Townships in which the property is located. This is important, as additional cost and penalty may be attached.

All able-bodied male citizens between the ages of 21 and 60 years of age are liable to pay a poll tax of \$1.00 except old soldiers, who are exempt at 50 years of age. Commutation Road Tax \$1.50 in lieu of road duty.

The Tax levy is as follows:

For State purposes	. . . . .5% mills
For Constitutional School Tax	3 mills
For Ordinary County purposes	3 mills
For Interest on Railroad Bonds	1 mill
For Road and Bridge Bonds	3 mills
For Court House Bonds	. . . . .2 mills
Total	. . . . .17% mills

Special Schools—Laurens Township.	
Laurens No. 11	. . . . .7 mills
Trinity Ridge No. 1	. . . . .4 mills
Maddens No. 2	. . . . .2 mills
Narrie No. 3	. . . . .5 mills
Balleys No. 4	. . . . .2 mills
Mills No. 5	. . . . .2 mills
Oak Grove No. 6	. . . . .2 mills
Ora No. 12	. . . . .4 mills

Special Schools—Youngs Township.	
Youngs No. 3	. . . . .2 mills
Youngs No. 2	. . . . .4 mills
Youngs No. 4	. . . . .4 mills
Youngs No. 5	. . . . .3 mills
Fountain Inn No. 3B	. . . . .15 mills
Lanford No. 10	. . . . .6 1/2 mills
Ora No. 12	. . . . .4 mills
Youngs No. 1	. . . . .3 mills
Central No. 6	. . . . .2 mills

Special Schools—Dials Township.	
Green Pond No. 1	. . . . .4 mills
Dials No. 2	. . . . .3 mills
Shloh No. 3	. . . . .4 mills
Gray Court-Owings No. 5	. . . . .4 mills
Barksdale No. 6	. . . . .2 mills
Dials Church No. 7	. . . . .2 mills
Fountain Inn No. 3B	. . . . .15 mills
Merna No. 8	. . . . .2 mills

Special Schools—Sullivan Township.	
Mt. Bethel No. 2	. . . . .3 mills
Princeton No. 1	. . . . .3 mills
Poplar Springs No. 3	. . . . .4 mills
Rabun No. 4	. . . . .4 mills
Hendersonville No. 5	. . . . .4 mills
Friendship No. 6	. . . . .2 1/2 mills
Brewerton No. 7	. . . . .3 mills
Sullivan Township R. R. Bonds	4 mills
Merna No. 8	. . . . .2 mills

Special Schools—Waterloo Township.	
Waterloo No. 14	. . . . .4 mills
Mt. Gallagher No. 1	. . . . .3 mills
Bethlehem No. 2	. . . . .2 mills
Ekorn No. 3	. . . . .4 mills
Centerpoint No. 4	. . . . .2 mills
Oakville No. 5	. . . . .3 mills
Mt. Pleasant No. 6	. . . . .2 mills
Mt. Olive No. 7	. . . . .2 mills
Reedy Grove No. 8	. . . . .2 mills

Special Schools—Cross Hill Township.	
Cross Hill No. 13	. . . . .6 mills
Cross Hill No. 1	. . . . .2 mills
Cross Hill No. 2	. . . . .2 mills
Cross Hill No. 4	. . . . .2 mills
Cross Hill No. 5	. . . . .2 mills
Cross Hill No. 6	. . . . .2 mills

Special Schools—Hunter Township.	
Mountville No. 16	. . . . .4 1/2 mills
Hunter No. 2	. . . . .2 mills
Hunter No. 3	. . . . .2 mills
Clinton No. 5	. . . . .6 mills
Hunter No. 8	. . . . .3 mills
Wadsworth No. 4	. . . . .2 mills

Special Schools—Jacks Township.	
Odeils No. 6	. . . . .3 mills
Hurricane No. 15	. . . . .3 mills
Shady Grove No. 2	. . . . .3 mills

Special Schools—Scuffletown Township.	
Langston Church No. 3	. . . . .3 mills
Scuffletown No. 1	. . . . .2 mills
Lanford No. 10	. . . . .6 1/2 mills
Ora No. 12	. . . . .4 mills

Prompt attention will be given those who wish to pay their Taxes through the mail by check, money order, etc. Persons sending in lists of names to be taken off are requested to send them early, and give the Township of each, as the Treasurer is very busy during the month of December.

ROSS D. YOUNG,  
County Treasurer.

October 2, 1912.—td.

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## Held Seances Over Body of Dead Child

Trying to Restore It to Life. Sheriff Makes Arrest after Two Weeks Continuation.

Greenville, March 7.—A white man, an itinerant sign painter named L. J. Free, was jailed last night by Sheriff Rector to save him from violence at the hands of a mob that had gathered about a suburban home, incensed over the man's attempt to restore life to an infant that had died last Monday night. There is another white man for whom the sheriff is searching, it being alleged that he was the ring-leader in the grewsome performance that had gone on in this house continuously since the death of the child. It is one of the most horrible cases in the annals of crime—if it can be so designated—that has come to light in this county, and is so revolting in detail that it is hard for one to realize that such an orgy could be enacted in a civilized country.

From what can be gathered of the affair, seems that Free and another "holiness" fanatic, having heard of the death of the little babe of James Ballew, went to his home and told the sorrowing mother and father that they could restore life to the child. The parents, crazed in grief and swayed by the pleadings of the two charlatans, allowed the men to begin their grewsome work. Every day and night since the child died it is alleged these men have resorted to Ballew's house and have held seances that surpass anything ever heard of among Orientals.

Late yesterday afternoon a citizen of that section of the city called Sheriff Rector over the telephone and related to him what had been going on at this house, and advised him that a crowd of some 200 people had fattered about the place with the intention of taking the two charlatans off to the woods and chastising them severely. When Sheriff Rector arrived on the scene one of the men had fled, but Free was taken in charge. He protested loudly against arrest, unless the Lord commanded it. From what Sheriff Rector gathered, the man was practically insane; and on the way to jail loudly proclaimed that he was in the custody of the Lord.

A resident of the section of the city where this performance had been going on telephoned The News last night that the "holiness" preachers had been working with the child's body since the night it died, and had so twisted and pulled at its limbs that they were perfectly limber and the body blue from bruises. The child was but five weeks old. This party stated that some of the residents of the neighborhood had dubbed one of the charlatans "Daniel the Prophet," and that they claimed that they were interpreters of the "unknown tongue," a lingo which religious fanatics have been heard to use in this vicinity for a number of years.

It seems that the matter went so far that the more level-headed people of the community became so indignant over the grewsome affair that they resolved to use violence, if necessary, to drive the fakirs from the community. It was when a crowd, estimated at some 200, gathered last night about the house for this purpose, someone informed the sheriff of what was about to take place.

Coroner Black went to the scene with Sheriff Rector. He called in a physician and had an examination of the body made, the physician arriving at the conclusion that the child died of natural causes.

While investigating the matter last night Sheriff Rector arrested two white men, A. C. Roberts and W. R. Scott, who had with them three and one-half gallons of contraband whiskey. Sheriff Rector states that these men attended the seance over the child's body on Wednesday night and had come back last night for the purpose of attending another performance. The men were placed in the county jail and charges of transporting contraband whiskey entered against them.

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## DICKINSON ACQUITTED.

Man who Killed Paul Riley at Bamberg Given Freedom by Jury. Verdict Expected.

Bamberg, March 5.—G. Moyer Dickinson, who killed Paul Riley here September 12, last, was acquitted of the charge of murder late this afternoon. The verdict was reached after deliberations of the jurors lasting but three minutes and came at the end of a busy court day, involving the testimony of nine witnesses on direct and cross-examination, able arguments by four of the seven attorneys appearing in the case and a forceful charge to the jury by Judge Spain. The defense offered no testimony.

G. Moyer Dickinson and the late Paul Riley were among the most prominent citizens of Bamberg, town and county, and the progress of the case has been followed with the closest interest. Many visitors were here from nearby towns and the Bamberg county court room was crowded with spectators throughout the day. The defendant sat surrounded by members of his family and other relatives. Many relatives of the Riley family were also in court.

## CAPT. CALDWELL RESIGNS.

Has Been Commandant of Old Soldiers Home at Columbia for About a Year.

Columbia, S. C., March 6.—Capt. A. M. Black, of York county has been elected commandant of the Confederate infirmary to succeed Capt. J. P. Caldwell, whose resignation will take effect immediately.

The members of the board of commissioners of the Confederate infirmary are: Maj. H. A. Richardson, Dr. F. W. P. Butler and R. A. Dickert. It is said that other changes will be made in the management of the Confederate infirmary by the board when it meets next Saturday.

## Card of Thanks.

We want to extend our thanks to the people for their kindness shown us in the death of our beloved boy, Lewis Martin, which occurred on March 1st. We also thank our physician for the attention shown in this tragical accident. We shall always have for them a warm place in our hearts. May God's richest blessings rest and abide with them forever.

J. E. Martin and Family.  
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