SUBSCRIPTIONS. One Year,

Six Months, Advertisements will be inserted at the Advertisements will be inserted at the by the Sheriff, it the c.s. of R. G. loon. Lucker's store, Von Bolen's large tass, for the first insertion; subsequen | Holmes defendant is false and malicious. | store and dwelling attached. Messinger inestions by contract.

The State Democratic Executive com mittee have issued a farewell address and in conclusion urges every one to re same the ordinary routine of business and seek to widen the avenues of mate rail prosperity. This is good advice a the close of a campaign that has cost its party so much time and effort and engen dered so much bitterness. Let us have

THE Charleston News of the 16th be "This seems to indicate that the faith o interested democrats are in Gov. Chamberlain's authority as Govornor, and that they take no chances by applying to Gen'l Hampton for commissions. A bird in the hand is worth two in the

GENERAL Gordon says Governor Chamberlain is not the legal governor because he was not sworn in by the chief ju-tiee. How about Hampton being sworn in by a trial justice and Tom

Mackey.

and education.

Our electoral troubles cause perhaps more astonishment, not to say anxiety. and friends borrow no trouble; we a wholesale scale. Does not these state but we come out "all right." In a country like ours, where; to use the; celebra ted words of PERE HYACINTHE Notre Dene, "every man is a citizen, a king and a priest unto God," there is hope as long as the majority have, intelligence

IMPIGRATION, to the United States continues to decline, and it begins to look as though it were near its end There was a falling off of 22,000 arrivals for the year ending November 1, 1876, the number of immigrants for that year being 62, 550 against 84, 500 for the pre oeding year. Estimating the value of an average immigrant at \$1,000, the standard generally accepted in our commercial calculations, the pecuniary loss sinvolved in this falling off is \$22,900,000. In 1872 the number of immigrants who ar rived on our shores was 294,581-a num ber which appears enormous when compared with the insignificant arrivals of the last year.

It is very noticeable that many, of the more influential newspapers prophesying a general break-up in our political sys. tem as one result of the present agita tion. Thus we find the New York Tribune speaking of the electoral system as practically dead already; and the Journal of Commerce anticipates an early dis appearance of both the leading political

Speaking of the recent fall of a theatre floor in that city, the Sacremento Record Union says: While all was darkness after the fall, and the air was fall of shouts. groans and prayers of the terror stricken mass of strugling humanity, one man, who, it subsequently transpired, was scarcely injured, knelt down and prayed loudly and fervently: but was interrup el persently by a voice from beneath him. which said very mildly, as if hesitating to finterrupt. "Won't you please stop prry ing for a moment and move off my face.

From the New York Herald of Tuesday.

In all human probability Mr. Hayes w 1; be our next President, and if the Democratic party is patriotic and magmanimous enough to accept this result when it finds that appeals to Congress and public opinion cannot prevent it, there is no reason for fearing that he will not treat it with fairnes and justice. We have no doubt that the South would be as well governed under him as under Mt Tilden We have no doubt that he would take the advice of the best class of South erners in his treatment of that section. We believe that his policy would be in all respects considerate and conciliatory if the Democratic party gives him fair treatment after his inauguration. A'! his sympathies are with the liberal element of the Republican party. With one branch of Congress opposed to him good behavior, even if fairness was not pile of smouldering ashes. The business All that other piece parcel or tract of land sit the leading trait of his character. It would be madness for the Democratic party to resort to violence against such a ing the government in the hands of Hampton and Simpson, and will render less, commonly called "Neitle Hill." Grant

weat on the 4th of March.

ty of Cosawhatchie to include all cerritory in this county above the Savannah and Charleston Rail Road.

WE are authorized to say that the ence to the property advertised for sale

## -----FROM COLUMBIA.

tion, politically considered certainly propounds a set of what may be termed centennial communicans, the solution of which involves the question of the existance of the republican party in South Carolina. Here we have a party who have been howling about the corruption and fraud of the republican party yet seeking by a most stupendous fraud to secure to themselves the government of the igins a long editorial on the condition of State despite the will of the majority of effeirs by asking "Where do the people the voting population of the State. I of South Carolina stand to day? and after has already been established that at least two columes on the jerisis in the state," five thousand votes cast in the countles answer the question in the following bordering on the Georgia line, were cast language. Already the Columbia co. by Georgians, not citizens of the State of respondent of the New York South Carolina. Not that on the day of Times boasts that "while the Hampton election five thousand men from Georgia "Assembly and the Moses Court are deny erossed the line and voted, but this numing that Chamberlain is Governor of ber of democratic votes was cast by bands me. " South Carolina the Democrats, all over of armed Georgia repeaters, who publicly "the State, who were elected as Sh rifs | gave it out at some of the polis that t'ev "County Clerks, Coroners, &c, are daily had come from Georgia for the purpose "sending for their commissions to be of redeeming the State. This fact is per-"signed by Governor Chamberlain." feetly well known to the leaders of the There is neither consistency nor decency democratic parry, and when one of them of wool, which he sells at thirty cents per in such conduct as this. Recognition in was asked, who by the by is a member of pour d. one thing is recognition as every thing. the democratic executive committee, how he could account for the large majority in Edgefield county, remarked: "well I suppose it was necessary," and yet in the face of this knowledge they go through the hollow farce of declaring Hampton and Simpson elected, and performed the blasphemous mockery of swearing them and calling upon Heaven to bless their acts, the consumation of fraud and vio ence. The people of Beaufort county know but little of the terrorism and intimid tion resorted to in the adjouning counties of Aiken, Barnwell and Edgefield where on the day of election the approach es to several of the polls were picketed by armed bands of men, who refused to al in Burepe than here. It is feared, as low any person, a known republican or the foreign press express it that these one who admitted to them that he was difficulties, which presents themselves for | going to east a republican ticket, to pass. the fret time in the history of the Amer | in many instance firing at these men whom ton Republic, may prove a real peril for they turned back from the polls. The rethe country. Let our European cousins | peating in all these counties was done on through great trials in this country ments of facts raise the question as to whether the majority of the people of the State are going to allow their rights of ticulars, samples worth several dollars to comsuffrage to be made a nullity, or that the | mence work on, and a sopy of Home and Fireside United States government is going to sit calmly by and allow its constitution which guarantees a republican form of government, and sustains the equal politica' rights of the humblest, to be trampled under foot in the manner in which the opposition have attempted by violence. intimidation and fraud, to do? I take it that neither the one or the other will.

The situation has remained unchanged since the inauguration (?) of Hampton and Simpson, except the issuance of the bill by the State democratic excentive committee, calling for no surrender and no payment of taxes to usurpers, and the manifesto of the would-be Lieut-Governor Simpson, who in spite of the frauds on the face of the returns only received 13; more votes than Gleaves, which informs the senate that he is now in town, a face that has been well known for over a month. This communication has been referred to the judiciary committee, but as there are two other committees yet to which it can be referred—the privilege and election and lastly and very appror'ately, to the committee on claims-it is not likely that this invitation to step down and out to Lieut-Gov. Gleaves, wlo received a majority of the legal votes of the State, will be heard from for some time. In the meantime the democrats will proceed to inaugurate their government which like the McEnery govern ment in Louisiana, will be a government in name only. The senate have recognized the Mackey House, and the demo- Davis and R. G. Holmes. eratic members by remaining in their seats and taking part in the business while Mr. Gleaves acts as president by virtue of his position as Lieut Governor, is actually the admission of the legality of his claim to having been legally elected. But democraev thy name is inconsistency, for some of the members on adjournment of the senate at the State House go down to the little confederate house 'round the corner, as the rifle companies house of assembly has been very appropriately called and muct in joint assembly and take part lands of Jas. Stoney; south by lands of Jas. Stoney in the farce of trying to cleet a U. S. Serator, when in the person of D. T. Corbin, a plat thereof made by Felix W. Tuten, 7th Novem-Eso, has already been elected. In passing I might say that the selection of such a man in this crisis in this State is one of the best acts that the legislature has done and one that will strengthen our cause with the national government. He posses es the force of will and energy of character, and knowledge of the facts necessa-

ry to throw a flood of light on the manner

in which the opposition has conducted

the recent capvass. I don't apprehend

any serious trouble, although it must be

admitted that but for the presence of the

the scene of bloodshed and in all proba-

bility fair Columbia would to day be a

NAr Myers has introduced a bill in the by violence, intimidation and fraud will and Burrell Tuten, and west by the line of the Port Constitutional House to create the Coun. be resorted to by the democrats to secure two acres more or less. possession of the State.

THE Blackville fire. The loss by the shop of John Newton, Weissbaum's sa- B. Peeples. & Diefenthal's store, John R. Beilinger's law office. Storne's store, the store of Gyles & Bro., the Palmetto Hotel, Vose's Columbia, S. C. Dec. 17.-The situastore and Kearse's store, Dr. Storne's unoccupied dwelling, guano shed, &c. Simon Brown's barn was burned, but h's store, a two story brick building, was

She was foud of conundrums, and when she learned that muller was Latin for women, she thought she had a good one. So she asked her husband what the difference between herself and a mule her by guessing, but kindly remarked that he had not been able to see any.

A Philadelphia merehant wrote to his wife that he had become a convert to ciemation, and she said: "Go ahead: have your ashes returned C. O. D. to

D. Ayres, of Camallia, Ga has three thousand five hundred sheep which cost him annually per head, fourteen cents. From each sheep he clips three pounds

The New Orleans Times says the swamps in Louisiana are drier than they have been for thirty-five years: A man may ride on horseback or a wagon may be driven through tracts of country heretofore impassable within the memory of of men.

The verses, "I love to steal a while a weigh," are supposed to have been written by a grocer given to short measures.

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Sheriff's Sales. SHERIFF'S SALE.

ter for London, with 416 tons of phosphate rock

J. A. J. Cresswell, R. H. T. Leipold, and Robt. Pur vis, Commissioners of the Freedman's Saving and Trust Company, vs. R. G. Holmes. Judgement for fore-lo-ure and sale.

By virtue of a judgement for foreclosure and sale in the above stated case to me directed I will sell a public outery in front of my office in the town of Beaufort on the first Tuesday in January next, 1877 being the second day of said month during the legal hours of sale, the following property to wit:

All that plantation or tract of land situate lying and being in Prince Williams' Parish, in the couny of Beaufort and State of South Carolina, purchased from Wm, F. Colcock, in 1853, by W. H. Thomp son, containing by a recent survey made by Melli champ, four thousand five hundred and eighty acrebounded north by lands of R. Stoney, I. Stoney, B. Stoney and estate of Davis; east by lands of Thley McRae and others; south by lands of Felix Tuten . Rivers and others; and west by Pulaski Goodwin Stanley and others, excepting and always reserving out of this present demise, three hundred acres > the said tract of land lying on the northeast co ner thereof, recently conveyed by the said R. G. Holmes to J. H. Goothe.

All that other piece, parcel or lot of land situate lying and being in Prince Williams' Parish, county and State aforesaid, known as the Prescott farm containing fifty acres more or less; bounded north by lands of the estate of Wm. Davis, east by lands or the estate Wm. Davis and R. G. Holmes; south by lands of R. G. Holmes, and west by lands of Wm.

All that other piece parcel or tract of land situate ly ing and being in the county and State aforesaid containing five handred and sixty acres more of ess, knewn as part of the Rivers land; bounded north by lands of R. G. Holmes, east by lands of C. T. Lowndes, and J. M. Mixon; south by lands of A Peeples, and west by lands of Felix W. Tuten and and divided by a small tract of land apportioned to Robt. Rivers.

All that other piece parcel or tract of land situate lying and being in the county and State aforesaid, bounded north by lands of R. G. Holmes; east by and H. Tuten, and west by lands of R. G. Holme containing one hundred and ten acres according to

All that other piece pare I or tract of land situate Iring and being in the county and State aforesaid bounded north and northeast by lands of R G. Holmes: east and southeast by lands of Felix W. Tuten; south and west by lands of the estate of Jas. Bennett and R. G. Holmes, and west by lands of D Stanley and Gooding, containing two hundred acres

All that other piece parcel or tract of land situate lying and being in the county and State aforesaid

sounded north by lands of R. G. Holines, east by hundred and seventy-three acres more or less.

THE latest talk is that the Illine is Leg- stars that elections didn't come every Holmes in and to all that other piece parcel or trace suit of Thos. F. Screven Executor. islature will elect Grant to be United year, and Hampton and Simpson and the fland situate lying and being in the county and States Sanator, so that he can take his executive commit ce will retire to private Banett and Miles Bennett; cast by lands of James life, when after two years similar effort 'nuley and others; south by lands of Henry Tu

Royal railroad, containing six handred and twenty

All the right title and interest of said R. G. Holmes in and to all that other piece parcel or track of land situate lying and being in Peoples township in Blackville fire is over \$40,000. The pro- the county and State aforesaid, comprising all the perty burned is as follows : The store of land lying be weed the line of the Port Royal R. R. statement made by THE Tribune in refer H. Asher, the office of Dr. Lartigue, the and the Bay known as "Bee Treee Bay" that was on the 15th day of February owned by Alexander Me-

All that other ofees parcel or tract of land situate lying and being in the county and State aforesald adjoining lands of W. C. Davis, James Glover, Ely Solomons and others; containing two hundred and seventy, nine acres more or less, being a part of the tract assessed to K. D. Hagood, and sold at Belinquent land sale for unpaid taxes for the years 1870 and 1871, and purchased by said R. G. Holmes at said

All that other piece parcel or tract of land situate ying and being in Peoples Township, county and State aforesaid: containing four hundred acres more or I as, adjoining lands of W. C. Davis, K. D. Hagood, and others, the same being the tract of land conveyed by the Auditor of said county to Emma M. French by deed bearing date the 15th day of Au-And as he had been married several gust 1872, and since concysed by the said Emma M. years, he was too thoughtful to trouble French to the said R. G. Holmes by deed bearing Bellows on the morning of the 24th inst. date 15th February, 1873.

At the same time and place the following personal properly to wit: one saw mill; one fifty horse power engine; one boiler; and other articles of machinery and implements of every kind and description whatsoever, attached to or constituting a part of the said saw mill now standing upon the tract of land herein above numbered eight, on the Port Royal railroad.

Terms for real estate:-One-third cash-balance in one and two years, s. cured by bond of the purchaser and mortgage of the premises. Terms for personal property, cash.

WM. WILSON

Bft S. C. Dec. 12 1876, SHERIFF'S SALE.

Petition for Partition. Richard Washington, vs. Chas. Talbird, Mary Tal-

bird.I hoebe Talbird et. al. By virtue of an order of petition of R. K. Carle ton. Probate Judge, in the above stated case to me directed, I will sell at public outery in front of my office in the town of Braufort on the first Tuesday a January next, 1877, being the second day of said month during the legal hours of sale the following property to wit:

All that piece parcel or lot of hand situate lying and being on Port Royal Island, in the county B aufort, and State of South Carolina and designated as lots 50 and 51 in section 26. In and 2w; containing twenty acres more or less, Terms cash. Purchasers to pay for papers.

WM. WILSON,

Bft. S. C. Dec. 12, 1876.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Henry Gooding Exor. vs. Rolert W. Barnwell.

By virtue of sundry writs of fleri facias to medi rected and lodged in my office, I will sell at public outery in front of my office in the Town of Beanfort on the first Tuesday in January next 1877 being the second day of said month during the legal ours of sale the following property to wit :

All the right title and interest of Robert W Barnwell in and to all that plantation or tract of land situate lying and being on Port Royal Island in the County of Beaufort and State of South Carolinalcommonly known as "Woodward, "bounded with by Whale Branch and lands formerly owner by Gabriel Capers, east by land of R. W. Barnwell and lands formerly of W. H. Barnwell known a "Laurel Say" and west by Broad River, contaking four hundred acres more or less.

ill that other plantation or treet of land situate ly. ng and being on stid island in the County and state aforesaid, known as " Plgeon Swamp, " bounled south and west by lands of R. W. Basnwell known as woodward and lands force rly of W. H. Barnwell north and west by lands formerly of Cabrief Capers and east by lands of Eastis et. al. containing five hundred and seventy 4 vo acres more

all that other tract of land situate. Tying and being an said island in the Co. and state aforesaid known is Raccoon Tayern bounded north by selt water ereck, south by the Pick week, t tract, east by landformerly owned by Henry M. Fuller and west by lands formerly owned by H. M. Stuart, containing twenty two acres more or tess levied upon so the property of Robert W. Barnwell at the soit of Henry Gooding Exor.

Terms cash Purchasers to pay for papers, WM. WILSON. S. G. C.

William T. Breland vs. B. H. Johnson, J. J. Brun-

All the right title and interest of R. H. Johnson n and to eighty three acres of land situate lying and being in the County and state aforesaid being the portion cut off from the hornestead set off to-R. H. Johnson on the 31st day of May 1876 which

said eighty-three acres shall be the south eastern boundary of said homestead, levied upon as the property of R. H. Johnson at the suit of William T. Breland.

Terms Cash Purchasers to pay for papers. WM. WILSON

SHERIFF'S SALE. A. R. Stokes, adm'r vs. J. W. Eiley Executor et. al

By virtie of a Judgement of the Court of Comme Pleas and Decretal Order, and an amended order of His Honor P. L. Wiggin Judge of the second circuit. I will sell at outlic outery in front of my of fice in the Town of Beaufort on the first Tues by

in January next 1877; being the second day of said month, during the legal hour of sale the following property to wit : All that lot of land in the town of Brunson on the Port Royal Railroad numbered on the plat of the said town lot No. 18 said plat executed by B. J. Manker District Surveyor, in June 1870 and boun-

led by the P. R. R. R. and lands of Samuel J Lewis, Levin, and Edgar Brunson, and containing one-half of an acre, more or less All that tract or plantation of land situate in the County of Beaufort, and known as the "Black Creek Place ' containing sixteen hundred across more or less, and bounded by lands of W. J. Whip

per W. C. Youmans F. J. Parmell, M. P. Bassett A J. Gill J.S. Youmans and lands of the Estate of Terms eash Purchasers to pay for papers. WM. WILSON.

Bft. S. C. Dec. 14th 1376.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Thos. F. Screven Executor, vs. Alfred Williams. By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed and lodged in my office I will sell at public outcry U. S. troops, this city would have been and west by lands of R. G. Holmes, containing one in front of my office in the town of Beaufort on the first Tuesday in January next 1877 being the second day of said month during the lega hours of sale the following property to wit: All the right title and interest of Alfred W

interests of the State will in a short time lying and being in the county and State aforesaid. in and to all that lot of land situate lying and bebounded north by lands of R. G. Holm's; east by ing in the town of Beaufort County of Beaufort lecome tired of the turmoil and loss re- bounded north by lands of R. G. Holm's; cast by ing in the town of beauton county of ands now or lately W. H. Thompson, south by Rice and State of South Carolina known on the plat sulting from the unsettled condition of Hope; and west by lands of R. G. Hol es contain-; said town as lot No. 306 Bounded north by Craven Sth. For all dealers in spirituous the State occasioned by the claims of ing one hundred and forty-six acres more or St. east by Newcastle St. south by Bay St. and west by lot 333. The said premisis being known according to the U. S. District Tax Crmmissioner's plot of said Town as lot in Block levied sar's-1 my their taxes, and thank their All the right title and interest of the said R. G upon as the property of said Alfred Williams at the

> Terms cash Purchasers to pay for papers. S. P. C.

Dec. 14th -\$77.

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Notice to Taxpayers.

TOWN TREASURER'S OFFICE, Dec. 20th., 1876. The board of assessors will be in session daily from Tuesday, Dec. 26th, to Monday Jan. 1st., inclusive, during which time the assessment book will be kept during which time the assessment open for inspection and revision, J. C. RICHMOND,

NOTICE.

TOWN TREASURER'S OFFICE. Dec. 20th., 1876 This office will be opened Morday January 1, 1877 or the collection of taxes and remain open unti-J. C. RICHMOND,

Town Treasurer.

Final Discharge.

N OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I VVII.I apply to the Hon. R. K. Carleton Judge of Probate on the 26th day of January 1877 for final discharge as Administrato, of the estate of F. Kren-

Bit. S. C. Dec 20th 1876. PROPOSALS

For ATTENDANCE.

USEMER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ) BEAUFORT, COUNTY. Beaufort, S. C. December 13, 1876. SEALED PROPOSALS VVILL BE RECEIVED at this office until January 15th 1877 for Medical Attendance to the poor and the prisoners of Beau fort County for the year 1877. Said proposals to b made separately. The Beard reserves the right to

reject any or all bids, P. PRITCHARD, M. D.

THOS. H. WHEELER, Elerk of Board.

PROPOSALS FOR. FEEDING THE POOR

Scaled Propesuls will be received until Jan. 15th 877, by the County Commissioners for feeding th. poor for the year 1877 the ration to be as follows Six quarts of hominy

Three lbs, of meat, One quart of rice Quarter pound coale or equivalent in tera the quart molass's Half pound C. sugar,

Half pound soap, Two ox, t-baces and pipes. The board reserves the sight to reject any and al PAUL PRITCHARD, M. D. Gualrman Co Com'ts, Bit County. Thou II, WHERLER.

Clerk of band. PROBATE NOTICE.

LY RIDGEY K. CARLETON, Esq., PROBATE JUDG W horees, John Perry, farmer, bath made suit to where the grant this letters of administration to the direction and effects of Scipio Perry. These are therefore to cite and primarish all and Devid Poberison. gular the kindred and emditors of the said in Perry, deceased that they be and appear, befort, in said county on the 20th day of Dec. inst. George Grant. after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the foreafter pushes the case, if any they have, why the said administration should not be cranted.

Given under my wand, this 15th day of Dec. Wm. Wilson, sheriff secount .. Wm. Wilson, sheriff account ...... Wm. Wilsen, sheriff at ount ...

Anno Domizi, 1876. RIDLEY K. CARLETON.

AN ORDINANCE

To raise supplies for the Year 1877. and for other purposes:

Be it ordained by the Intendant and Wardens of the town of Beaufort in council assembled: That a tax for the year Benty F. Creaves, 877 for the sums a d in the manner hereinafter prescribed, shall be raised and paid into the treasury of the town for the ise and services thereof; that is to say Sec. 1. That after the passage of this ordinance there shall be paid into the own treasury, one hundred and twentyfive cents on every hundred dollars of the value of every house, builling, lot, wharf or other landed estate, within the limits of the town, excepting such property as Benj. R. Boszick, belongs to, and is secupied by religious. Wm. C. Danuer, haritable or literary associations; one I. J. Cohen, hundred cents on every hundred dollars of | Dick White. the value of personal or posse-sory prop- | W. C; Morrison, erty of every kind, including money on W. M. Frinch, hand or on deposit; bonds or other evi- P. R. Appleby, dences of indebtedness, and exclusive of Jack B mett, household turniture to the value of one sack Brown,

hundred dollars. Sec. 2. That immediately after the passage of this ordinance all persons or corporations doing business within the limits of the town shall be, and are hereby required to pay special taxes for the same into the town treasury as hereafter presecibed to wit:

1st. For every dray, cart, buggy or other vehiele kept for hire, \$ 5 00 2d. For non-residents of the town selling, or offering for sale, wares or merchandise, by

sample or otherwise, not

to exceed \$40 nor less than at the discretion of the Intendant. 3d. For any person or persons sell ing wares or merchondise, and offering in connection therewith any prize or re-

ward to be given by lot or 500 00 decided by chance, 4th. For every show, circus or public performance from \$5 at the discretion of the In-

25 00 For telegraph companies, For photographers and other similar artists, from \$5 to 25 00 at the discretion of the Intendant, liquors, and hotels where

For express companies.

liquor are seld. 9th. For ginning cotton, 10th F. r steam as a motive power, 10 00 | Wmi. Chisolm: 11th For every auctioneer, per month. or yearly license, 12th For every undertaker,

13th For every junk dealer,

tendant.

14th For every commission merchant. 15th For every dentist, non-resi dent.

16th For all persons non-residents selling horses or mules. \$2 to 20 00 17th For all persons non residents selling mules or horses, 2 to 20 00 8th For every bagatelle or billiard talle, or bowling alley, kept for public use,

Richd, O. Bright,

John Hamilton.

James Kelson.

Jos. O. Wyne.

Thos. B; rues,

Dick White,

Caesar White,

Peter Smalls,

J. H. Harrison

Geo. M. Goe be

Geo. Curtis.

Elias Butler.

Moses Brown.

Jack Brown,

Jack Bennett.

Wm. H. Heape,

W H MeGHI

Quash Polite.

G. F. Ricker,

Saml, Russel.

Brister White

P. R. Appleby.

Riley Cope,

Chance Smith,

Joseph Green,

Saml, Cohen,

Saml. Green,

Jos. Cohen

Robert Robinson.

John D. Rivers,

Jacob W. Bowers

Barn well Howard,

Geo. F. Lawton,

W. H. Middleton, '

G. Haynes,

P. Green.

19th For each bank for savings or deposits. 20th Traders who have commenced business since Jan. I. 1877, shall pay in lieu of the tax on personal proper-

ty a special tax for the bal-

ance of the year, at the

rate of per month, Sec. 3. That all taxes upon personal property imposed by the provisions of this ordinance, shall have reference as to possession and valuation to the first day of December, 1876, and be for the year beginning January 1, 1877 to December 31.

Sec. 4. That the committee appointed to raise supplies for the year 1877, shall constitute, together with the Intendant, the board of a sessers, whose duty it shall be to assess each person, or corporation such amounts as in their judgement they may deem just and proper, which assessm nt shall be duly recorded in a book which shall be open for inspection and revision for the space of one week from date of puelic notice; within which time the parties so assessed shall have the privilere of correcting the same under oath, before the board of assessors, if he she or hey shall deem themselves over assessed. and all persons so offering to reduce their assessment shall answer on oath to council all such questions in relation to their taxable income, receipts or property, as members of council shal ask.

Sec. 6. That all taxes not paid on or before the 5th of February 1877, shall be liable to a penalty in accordance with the ordinance entitled "an ordinance to raise supplies for the year 1868, and for other purposes," ratified in council April 29th, Prince Jefferson, Sec. 6. That no appeal for abatement

of tax or reduction of assessment shall be | wm. Middleton, made after second Wednesday in January 1877, and all petitions relating to tax shall be in writing. Sec. 7. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance ex

ler, tatified March 9th 1869 are hereby revoked. Ratified in council this 20th day of December, 1876. A. WILLIAMS,

BILLS AUDITED

J. C. RICHMOND,

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George F. Ricker,

John D. Rivers,

Samuel Russel.

Chance Smith,

Bristoe White,

Peter Smalls,

Caesar White,

Joseph O. Wyne,

Alonzo Patterson

Thos. Barnes,

5 00 | Adam Parker, juror.

10 00 Ben Maxwell,

Gabriel Haynes,

Clerk Council

By the County Commissioners during the Year Ending Oct 31. 1876

| Nature of Claims. | Amount ..... 33 00 Thos, H. Wheeler, clerk of Board ..... A. B. Addison, sulitor's ceruficate No. 5...... 25 00 assessment L. Langley, Howard and Pritchard, building New River bridge.... Ned Jones, witness ticke

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9 00 Alfred Williams, acting clerk ... 9 50 P. L. Wiggin Solicitor .... 6 99 W. H. Gregorie, trial justice...

15 00 15 00 H. G. Judd, contingent account ...... 9 75 10 50 10 00 C. L. Valentine , Auditor,s check. 6 00 C. W. Mitchell, jall. 6 75 W. J. Goodings auditor check ... 6 75 N. B. Myers, auditor check. 15 60 J. A. Tyson, building bridge..... 6 60 J. A. Johnson, deputy coroner... 2 00 Dr. Pritchard, port mortem. 7 00 H. M. Stuart, medicine for jail.....

14 00 A. W. Muckenfuss, coroner ...... 10 00 | H. G. Judd, admr .... 15 00 T. P. Riley, lumber for bridge..... 6 53 T. H. Wheeler, clerk's salary.... 9 00 John Conant, jury commisn'r... 10 00 Jerry Savage, work on jall, ..... 9 (0 Ben Jenkins, repairs jail .....

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