LOCAL ITEMS.

The Sea Weed is again in the hospital. She is reported convalescent and will be out in about three weeks.

Messrs. Robbins Boddington and Co. cleared on the 19th the British bark Elly, captain Ti. holt, for Liverpool with 35,322 cubic feet lumber, valued at

The three masted schooner Lemeine, captain Leach, arrived on Tuesday to Conant & Emmons with 300 tons ice, 15 tons hay, and 138 barrels lime.

The officers of the Russian ship the Askold, entertained the officers of the fleet and their ladies at an elegant break- by an organ accompainment. fast yesterday.

save such heavy rents.

The Store on the Hobony plantation on the Combahee belonging to J. B. Bissel was destroyed by fire on Wedneslay night. It is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

Mrs. H. N. K, Goff of Philadelphia lectured on the subject of Temperance in this place on Sunday and Monday, and will repeat the lecture this evening at the Methodist Church. There is a good op ning here for labor in her field and we wish tised his appointments for collection in her success.

Whitman "surprised" them with a visit and the tax duplicate has not received on Tuesday evening, and had such a pleas ant time that the cock crew before the of Governor Chamberlain should have party could think of dispersing. A bountiful supper and excellent music were a a special agent of the Hampton governpart only of the attractions on this occa. ment is remitting taxes by the thousands.

The presence of Tom Hamilton on the streets of Charleston last Saturday created such a commotion that Tom had to be locked up in the station house to induced him to believe that laboring on get rid of the crowd.

Mr. Kressel has opened a stall in the market which will be supplied with fine fat beef from Charle-ton every day at prices much lower than that at which beef is sold here now.

Up to Saturday evening last M: Sams, special agent for the ten per cen tax, had collected \$1704, from 900 taxpayers 107 of whom were colored and remitted to Columbia \$1.600. Mr. Sams is still out collecting and expects to reala harvest during the present week. He is in Savannah to day, and will finish bicircuit at Banason next Thursday

Mr. Addison, Probate Judge, is now prepared to attend to the duties of his of fice, and will be in Beaufort on the fire Monday in each month as ann sunced his advertisement in another column.

The roof of the Club House wa discovered on fire about noon on Monday last, and the engines were on the groun in a few minutes. The Phœnix thees the first stream, but were unable to reach the fire, but the Union No. 1, a minute later got to work and very soon extinguished the fire. The steamer was sent to the top of the house with the aid of that the grate of the fire box had been removed and a new one had not yet been put in, and the engineer was short of fuel which accounted for the delay. After waiting several minutes the engine got to work but her services were not needed. The damage will not exceed \$100, and inot insured. The report that the tiger had escaped and would annihilate the crowd caused some excitement but when the unsophisticated were assured that this dreaded beast only devoured those who offered themselves voluntarily at his board the scare was abated.

Shipments of Phosphate Rock.

foreign countries. This does not include the rock shipped to northern ports and dily, the number of vessels in 1876 begives employment to hundreds of laborthe way of wages to the great benefit of our merchants.

Comparative Statement of Exports of Crude Dried Phosphate Rock in Foreign Vessels, from St. Helena Sound, District of Beaufort, S. C., for the years 1875 and 1876.

Names of Companies	Number of Vessels for 1875.	Amount of Rock in Tons for 1875.	Number of Vessels for 1876.	Amount of Rock in Tons for 1876.
C msaw Mining Co	47	24882		46976 19770
Oak Point Mining Co Pacific Mining Co		16185 2722		11348
Total	71	43789	134	78094

This celebrated trotting -tallion, Mambrino Idol, Jr., was found dead in his the 19th. The supposition is he got his head entangled under the manger and in

trying to extricate it, he broke his neck. familiarly kn wn here as "Dexter," forded July 10, 1867; was sold for \$6,000 Port Royal Saw Mills.

when three years old and entered for a Transfers of Real Estate in Bear. \$30,000 purse in Lexington, Ky., when for County since Feb. 1, 1877; The U. S. S. Huron sailed for he made a record of 2.28. Owing to the C. Ward, to Joe Rob inson. 19 zeres St. Hele-Charleston last Monday to give the off. excessive hard work he was put to in H. F. Dutton, to Daphne Brisman 1912 acres cers and men an opportunity to celebrate | training, he partially lost his eyesight, and was bought and brought here by H. F. Dutton, to Tamar Green 11 acres St. Capt. Pettengill, who sold him to the Hon. Samuel Green of this county, who subsequently sold him to Col. Ed. F. v.s. English, of St. Helena, for \$1,000, who owned him at the time of his death. As a stock stallion he was unsurpassed, be- Hardy Harrison, to Emma A. Gooding 300 ing one of the finest in the country.

We are informed that the Beaufort Oratorio Society whose singing was so acceptably received on the 24th of last month, will give another concert on Wednesday eve. F b. 28. at the African Methodist Church. The entertainment on this occasion will consist of songs W. T. Breland, to L. S. Breland 30 acres not presented before, and their really meritorious rendering will be enhanced

Mr. Langley has written us a note The building occupied by the Wash- characteristic of the man requesting us ington Engine Company has been leased to correct the statement that he ceased by the town for another year at the rate work on the tax duplicate when he reof \$ 400. The taxpayers will soon find it ceived notice from the Hampton governto their interest to build a Town Hall and ment that he was relieved of the duties of County Auditor.

The plain facts are that it was Mr. Langly's duty to have the books ready for the County Treasurer, and he agreed to have them completed by January 25th the day advertised by Dr. Wilder that he would be ready to receive taxes. We are not aware of the amount of work done on the books, nor do we care, but Dr. Wilder has not yet received the large duplicate but is informed that it is not ready although for three weeks he has adverthe county. Since Mr. Langley received the notice above mentioned he had been The friends of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. employed by an ex-official on other work that attention that an ardent supporter given it more especially at the time when The elevation of Mr. Langley to membership of the Beaufort Bar may have temporarily unfitted him for the arduous duties of County Auditor, or the slight study necessary to be admitted may have tax duplicates is not his calling.

FOOT POINT.

An Excursion to the Celebrated Spot.

A number of gentlemen, interested in the development of Foot Point and Spring department of Florida, for 50,000 weal-Island, arrived at the Sea Island Hotel on thy Mennonites to emigrate to the orange Tuesday evening last, accompanied by sev- groves. eral ladies, for the purpose of visiting the site of the City of the Future.

Wednesday morning the party secured the steamer Pettit, through the kindness and to sell the same at public or private The above will be sold in small lots 'o of Me-srs. Robbins, Boddington & Co., sale. and accompanied by a few ladies and genclemen from Beaufo.t started for he Chethessie here they hope the government will soon establish a navy-yard and, a rail oad is to be built from that point conrecting with the Port Royal railroad near Yourasee. Among the company were ol. Johnstone, Gen. D ayton, Col. Ma ;kay; Judge Carpenter, Col. Cole ick Maor Jackson, Lieut. Barnhart, U. S. A., J. P. Southern and others. The day was tine and all seemed to enjoy the trip greatly. When the steamer rounded into the river that makes the bay in which the ships of all nations are some time to seek Pioche, Nev., lately perished in New ding, where they can find lists of shelter the interesting spots were pointed Guinea, an island north of Australia, out. Col. Coleock showed the spot where having been eaten by cannibals. to the tank and the members got the h se he and Gen. R. E. Lee surveyed the fleet after the capture of Hilton Head in 1861, the ladders of the Hook and Latter Co., and very appropriately the tree under first meeting in twelve years of the stock- dred with improvements on many of the and waited in vain for water. It seems which they stood has now gone to decay. A short distance off was pointed out an is room of the secretary and treasurer, Mr. those having small means, as they can and where Captain Kidd buried his treas. A. S. Johnson, at the Bank of Charles- have immediate possession by paying a ures. As the pirate captain deposited his ton, on last Friday. This company very small sum of money, and be able

Broad river as anywhere else. was that it was magnificent, while the The following are the officers elected island. ladies said it was lovely. The water at the meeting: J. M. Eason, president; is broad and deep and a high bluff a W. C. Bee, Wm. Ravenel and D. F. mile long offers advantages for building a Fleming, directors; A. S. Johnston, seccity with assurances of health. The next retary and treasurer. News and Courier thing in order of course was a speech, of Monday and Capt. Willett, elevated on the wheel We give below a statement of the house, undertook to introduce to the quantity of phosphate rock exported from audience in a humorous speech Col. St. Helena during the past two years to Mackay who smilingly assented to the programme but . efore his turn came was s ea sliding down the treacherous steps. Charleston which is considerable. It will | Col. Johnstone, however, mounted the be seen that the business is growing stea- box and made some remarks on the advantages of Foot Point and the great ing more than double that of 1875 and the future in store for it, especially under quantity of rock being about seventy-five the wise administration of those who per cent greater. The largest business is have been called to rule over us. At from Coosaw Mines. done by the Coosaw Company, which about this time the boat which was allowed to run too close in shore was found ers and expends large sums of money in to be hard aground opposite the site of the future navy-yard, and there they remained for four hours. The time was passed very pleasantly, thanks to the singing of the ladies and recitations by Messrs. D. C. Wilson and Capt. Willett. A generous supply of good things had been provided which received due attention and the party returned with only

> of Foot Point. Judge Mackey has enjoined the county auditor and treasurer of Lancaster County from collecting the tax assessed by the Mackey House.

The Supreme Court gave notice on Tuesday that the contempt case of J. stable on St. Helena on the morning of G. Thompson would be ta-en up on Fri-

D. C. Wilson, & Co., cleared Mambrino I of Jr., or, as he was more yesterday the schooner J. Bodwell, Capt. Spaulding, for Kennebunkport, Maine. was sired by Long Island Black Hawk, with 140,000 feet of lumber from the H. E. HAYNE,

Helena Township

Township U. S. to Wm. N. A. Hilbron, assessed to Wm. Riley 10 acres Beaufort Township.

acres Peeples Township

Mary T. Strad to Joe Ferall 9 acres Yemassee 32 00 W. M. Hazel to Nellie Fennic 5 acres Yemas W. C. Johnson Jr. to T. H. Marshall 70 acres

Goethe Township W. C. Johnson to W. C. Johnson 250 acres Goethe Township Sibby and Eliza Fuller to Dick Ladson 60

acres Sheldon Township Goethe Township H. C. Smart, to L. S. Breland 70 acres Goethe

Township W. S. Drayton, est. to Robt. McIntire 1471/2 acres Hilton Head Michal Mixon, to Margaret Long 100 acres

Lawton Township Wm. Wilson, to Claghorn and Cunningham 310 Margaret Long, to E. H. Peepies, 75 acres

John A. Seabrook, to Kate H. DuBois, Lot Elizabeth H. Proctor to Kate H. DuBois Lot in Bluffton

BUY ONLY THE BEST. It will be a waste of time and money for tarmers to buy inferior fertilizer because they are seemingly cheap from being low price l. Use only articles which have been tested for years, and have proved adapted to the making of Corn and Cotton. Such an article is the WILCOX, GIBBS & Cc's Manipulated Guano, which the manufacturers offer. through their agents, on very liberal terms, delivered at the depots in the interior; payable in Middling Cotton, at fifteen cents per pound, delivered at planter's nearest depot next Fall.

The Piedmont Manufacturing Com pany, near Grove Station, on the Greenville and Columbia Railroad, between Greenville and Williamston, has been in operation since July last. The profits of six months amount to \$12,687 net, with \$9.674 to balance after payment of interest and other charges. This is equal to a dividend of 17 per cent. per annum on a capital stock paid in of \$118,131.26.

Nearly 1,000 bales of cotton have been transformed into cloth, sheeting and shirting. The goods made are of excellent quality, and find ready sale in Baltimore and New York, as well as in this State.

- Inducements are offered by the land

The President has signed the act au DAY next, thorizing the Commissioners of the Free men's Bank to buy in certain real estate,

The wife of President Grant has sent a baket of flowers to the bel-side of Representative Alexander H. Stephens almost every day since his present severe Senator Jones M. Williams, of Barn-

xell County, died on the 14th instant, afer a short illuess of typhoid pneumonia w th congestive chills.

A colony of Russians have purchasel \$20,000 worth of farming land in Jefferson county Nebraska.

holders of this company was held in the parcels, and altogether desirable for spoils on every island and sand bank on bought a large tract of land during the to make a crop the present season. this coast it is just as well to believe that war near Port Royal, but nothing has special interest was transacted at the Island at a bargain:

Marine Intelligence.

ENTERED. ST. HELENA SOUND. Feb .- 1th. Bk. Dorothy, Thompson, Frostick master 46 days from Oporto, Portugal in ballast o

Feb 14th Norwegian Bk. Eunomia Olsen master 4 days from Savannah i: ballast, Campbell Wyl-

Feb. 12th Swedish Bk. "Tropic," Kellner, master for London with 743 tons of phosphase Rock

Feb. 16th Br. Bg. " Francis John " Bentley, mas-

PROCLAMATION

STATE SOUTH CAROLINA, EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, Columbia, S. C.

ter for Charleston in ballast.

TITHEREAS information has been re-VV ceived at this Department, that an atrocious murder was committed at the town of Hilton Head, Beaufort County. pleasant memories of their-in most on the night of the 5th inst., upon the body of R. C. MalNTIRE, by some percases-first visit to the famous harbor son or persons unknown.

Now therefore, I, D. H. Chamberlain, Governor of the State of South Carolina, in order that justice may be done and the majesty of the law vindicated, do hereby offer a reward of FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS for the arrest and delivery in any jail of this State, of any person connected with

Given under my hand and se of the State, at Coum i , t 20th day of Februar A D. 1877, and in t 0 , red and first year of American Independence.

D. H. CHAMBERLAIN Governor of S. C. Secretary of State.

TAX NOTICE.

105 00 by Governor Hampton as Special Agent for Beaufort County to receive and receipt for the contribution of ten percent. upon the amount of the State and County tax of 1875-76, authorized by the House of Representatives. The receipts 8 00 issued by me will be accepted as evidence of payment on the collection of taxes to be hereafter levied by the Legislature for he said fiscal year.

Until further notice, I will be found at the office of C. H. WRIGHT, next to the Express office, and will be ready to wait 300 00 upon all taxpayers from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. each day. Taxpayers must produce tax receipts for last year. Due notice will

300 00 be given of appointments for the upcountry, Savannah river and Savannah. Georgia.

B. B. SAMS, Special Agent.

Tax Notice

Having been appointed by His Excel lency Gov. Hampton, a

SPECIAL AGENT to collect the Tax contribution of 10 per cent, called for in the County of Beaufort, I hereby give notice that I will meet the people in the County at the following places:

Early Branch, Mond y, February 12th. Hoovers Station, Tuesday, Feb. 13th. Brunson, Wednesday February Lawtonville, Thursday February 15th Brighton, Friday February Gillisonville, Saturday, February 17th Grahamville, Monday February 19th

(After arrival of train) Hardeeville, Tuesday, February 20th

(Af er arrival of train) Levy's X Roads Wednesday Feb. 21st. Savannah, Thursday. February 22d

[Sheriff's Office.] Bluffton, Saturday. February 24th 26th Yemassee, Monday Feb. Altman's, Tuesday Feb. 27th 28th Varnsville, Wednesday Feb. Brunson's, Thursday March Tax-payers are requested to bring with them their tax receipts for last

B. B. SAMS, Special Agent. Bf't. S. C., Jan. 23, 1877.

Auction Sale,

Condemned Navy Stores. By JAS, M. CROFUT, Auctioneer.

At his Store on Bay Street, on S TUR-

113 BBLS. SHIP BREAD,

suit purcha ers.

Final Discharge. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I WILL

B-aufort County on the 12th Feb. 1877 for final disharge as administrator of the estate of Filly Jen-

Administrator. Bft. S. C. Jan. 12th 187

LANDS FOR SALE.

THE LANDLESS PEOPLE WHO are coming into this County to re sid will do well to call upon the sub Dr. W. H. James, a farmer resident of er.ler at his office in the TRIBUNE buil-LOTS OF LAND

which are located on all the islands, and on the main land of Beaufort County, THE FOOT POINT LAND COMP'Y. - The in tracts of from one acre to four hun-

his strong boxes repose in the sands on ever been done with it. Nothing of any mostly under cultivation on Port Royal

The looked for harbor was at last meeting, which was merely called for the ONE 20 ACRE TRACT NEAR WHITE reached and the expression of every man purpose of keeping the company alive. Church on St. Helena-best land on the

> H. G. JUDD Bft. S. C. Jan 17th 1876.

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