

LOCAL ITEMS

Beaufort, S. C., August 2, 1877.

Mr. Charles G. Keudall, of Palmetto Island, will please accept our thanks for half a dozen splendid melons of the Augusta variety.

Mr. George Wilkins, of Ladies Island won the fine gold chain raffled by Mr. Kressel last Friday evening; 45 was the lucky number.

While money in the North is worth but two or three per cent the Town of Beaufort pays twelve per cent on \$1,150 borrowed to pay off its employees.

Lieutenant Fletcher and family who have been at the Sea Island Hotel so long left for Washington Saturday morning. Mr. Fletcher having received orders to report in that city for duty.

A tornado passed over a portion of Bluffton township last Saturday, uprooting trees and injuring the crop to a considerable extent in the neighborhood of Dr. Pritchard's plantation.

There will be a match game of baseball on the green on Monday afternoon, played by the Dauntless Club of Beaufort and the Chatham B. B. Club of Savannah.

The excursion to Charleston by rail must not be forgotten. The fare for the round trip is only \$2.00, and leaves Beaufort on Monday, August 13th., returning on the 15th.

An effort is being made by some youths of Beaufort to make arrangements for excursion tickets to New York. About twenty have agreed to go if the rates be put down low enough to suit their pockets.

Mr. Roberts has removed his grocery store next door, his old stand being about to be demolished by Mr. Scheper who will erect a handsome building on the lot the first story being a store-room with rooms for house-keeping overhead.

The town of Beaufort paid \$200 for a horse and cart last year to work on the streets. Last Friday the old horse took it into his head to go and die and his carcass was cast into the river where it floated up and down on the tides to the disgust of all who had occasion to visit the wharves.

Mr. Oscar G. Sawyer, Secretary to the Commodore commanding the New Hampshire since her arrival here, has been ordered to the Asiatic station as secretary to Admiral Patterson. Mr. Sawyer was the Port Royal correspondent of the New York Herald during the war.

At the annual meeting of Union Fire Engine Co. No. 1, held on August 1st, the following officers were elected: Wm. Mitchell, Pres't; Edward Walker, Vice Pres't; M. B. Allen, Jr., Sec'y; Wally Green, Treas.; John Jones, 1st Director; Renben Rutledge, 2nd Director; Jos. Robinson, 3rd Director; Hamilton Robinson, 4th Director.

We acknowledge the receipt of a variety of the most luscious fruit, consisting of peaches, pears, grapes and apples, raised by Smith Johnson, Esq., on his fruit farm on Lydies Island, demonstrating the adaptability of our soil and climate under careful and skillful horticulture, of producing the very finest specimens of fruits of every variety. The contents of the basket of fruit although especially intended for the editor, were shared by the fortunate devil who, as usual is around on such occasions, "saw the fruit, eat of it, and pronounced it good."

On Monday last the quiet of Bluffton was disturbed by a cry of murder and a crowd at once gathered, when it was found that Ben. Simmons a late member of the Legislature was badly cut in a melee with a boy named Manning Fields. The wounds, three in number, were considered dangerous although not necessarily fatal. Fields was arrested and bound over to appear at the October term court, but he subsequently escaped while hunting bail and went to Savannah.

Another shooting match was indulged in last Thursday, the prize being a handsome gun, which was won by Mr. Farr the lucky man, at the last contest. The two persons having the most chances and who were the most determined to conquer were Mr. Lockwood and Mr. Farr. The former shot 13 chances averaging about 13 while the latter shot 16 chances averaging about 13, but counting the scores when these two shot off (each having one score of 19, the highest) the average was almost equal being still slightly in favor of Mr. Lockwood who made 187 in 14 shots while Mr. Farr made 226 in 17 shots. Dr. Stuart, who had two chances, scored 34, or 17 each, being the best record of any of the contestants.

We are pained to announce the death of Mr. George Brodie, which occurred at the residence of his brother John, in this place, on Tuesday evening last after a very painful illness of several weeks. Mr. Brodie was a young man twenty two years of age, a native of Brooklyn, N. Y., and a printer, having learned the art in the office of the old Republic. The funeral services were held in the Episcopal Church and were largely attended.

Before his flight Mr. Gleaves executed a deed to the town of the lot which council voted to purchase of him for \$125, but the money has not yet been paid and should not be as the lot is too far out of the way for an engine house and not worth the money even if the deed was worth anything, which, it seems, it is not.

When the committee having the salvage money from the Harvey Mills applied to the Silby Manufacturing Co. for the town bond they were informed that it could only be had by paying all the interest that would be due on it at its maturity next winter. With money in

New York worth only two or three per cent interest a Beaufort bond bearing ten per cent interest is better than greenbacks. The greatest fraud connected with the purchase of the engine was in paying a high rate of interest when a smaller rate would have sufficed. We said so at the time and think so yet. It is not every manufacturer that can sell his wares and get such rates of interest on deferred payments but they like to sell on such terms when they can.

Some of our citizens are agitating the subject of a Sunday mail. It is not known to all that the mail passes by Beaufort every Sunday and that that is necessary to have it delivered to us is the lack of contract for its conveyance between the post office and the depot, the present contract only calling for it being carried six days in the week. A canvass of our merchants shows their readiness to contribute the necessary, providing the government will not pay it, to pay the carrier and nothing now remains to be done but to write to the Postmaster General and have an order issued for the mail to be opened and distributed on Sunday, when we will in reality have a daily mail.

EXCURSION TO THE MOUNTAINS. In order to afford persons from Beaufort and vicinity the opportunity of availing themselves of the excursion trip gotten up from Charleston to Greenville Spartanburg and other places in the mountains, Superintendent Fleming has authorized the issue of round trip tickets for \$3.00 on the Port Royal R. R. good for ten days from Sunday next so as to enable passengers to take the train at Augusta on that night to connect with the excursion train next day. The round trip tickets from Augusta by the S. C. R. R. to the same points are furnished at \$5.50 as from Charleston. So that for \$8.50 one may go and return from Beaufort to any of the points of interest named in the schedule viz: Greenville, Spartanburg, Walhalla, Anderson, Tryon mountain and Glen Springs.

THE TOWN COUNCIL. Council met Tuesday evening at the council chamber. The Intendant stated that in accordance with the resolution passed at the previous meeting he had borrowed \$1,050 of Mr. Lockwood to pay off the town employees. The following bills were presented and referred: G. Waterhouse, \$57.13; S. Mayo, \$38.88; Jos. Nowels, \$2.75; Byas Middleton, \$18.70; and Robinson, Boddington & Co., \$15.70. The following bills were reported favorably and ordered to be paid: Jerry Savage, \$15; J. A. Whitman \$3.67; Hesty Chisholm, \$3.40; F. W. Scheper, \$193.82 and THE TRIBUNE, \$15.50.

The Inten had announced that he had appointed J. C. Richmond, S. E. Taylor and I. R. Carleton managers of the municipal election next Monday. The Ordinance to fix the pay of the Clerk and Treasurer, of which notice was given the week before was taken up, passed and ratified. It allows the treasurer \$300 as treasurer and a salary of \$150 as clerk. The Treasurer's, Marsh's and Intenda's annual report were then read after which council adjourned after one of the quietest and most business like meetings we ever attended.

THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. The County Commissioners met on Tuesday evening. Treasurer Gooding reported the following collections: One mill in indebtedness tax, \$ 978 92 Three mill County tax, 2,936 76 From liquor licenses, 1,110 00 This is a larger amount than was expected so soon, showing that the people are ready and willing to pay their taxes under a government in which they are at liberty to have a voice, and in which they will have confidence that the money collected will be honestly and faithfully used and accounted for.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Court of Beaufort County, Common Pleas. Geo. W. White and Arthur F. White, Copy Summons for relief to parties under the style of White Brothers, Plaintiffs, against Edward Valentine, Defendant. Complaint not served. To the Defendant, Edward Valentine: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which has been filed in the office of the Clerk of Common Pleas, for the said County, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office, Beaufort, S. C., within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint. Dated July 29, 1877.

WM. ELLIOTT, BUIST & BUIST, Plaintiffs' Attorneys. S. J. RAMPFIELD, C. C. P. [Esq.] To the Defendant, Edward Valentine: Take notice that the summons in this action, of which the foregoing is a copy, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, at Beaufort, in the County of Beaufort, in the State of South Carolina, on the 2nd day of August 1877. WM. ELLIOTT, BUIST & BUIST, Plffs' Attys. Beaufort, S. C. aug 2 6t.

NOTICE. NEITHER the Captain nor the undersigned can sign the British Bark GORDON, Captain Brown, will be responsible for debts contracted by any of the crew. ROBBINS, BODINGTON & CO., Beaufort, S. C., July 26th, 1877.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. Grahamville, S. C. July 27th, 1877. All persons having demands against General John H. Howard (late deceased) of Grahamville S. C. are hereby notified to present them duly attested to WILLIAM C. HOWARD, Qualified Executor. CLEARED FROM ST HELENA SOUND. July 27th, Norwegian bark Porro, Olsten, for U. K. with 685 tons of phosphate rock from Coosaw mines. —26th, brig Maggie, Everett, for U. K. with 492 tons phosphate rock from Coosaw mines. —27th, Russian ship Omsa, Soderholm, for U. K. with 125 tons of phosphate rock from Oak Point mines. ENTERED. July 27th, British bark Kent, Roberts, 11 days

from Farlandes in ballast to Campbell, Wyllie & Co. —28th, British bark Dorothy Thompson, Froelich, 35 days from Oporto in ballast to Campbell, Wyllie & Co.

To Holders of County Checks or Audited Claims.

OFFICE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS: Beaufort, S. C., August 2, 1877. In accordance with the provision of a joint resolution entitled "A joint resolution authorizing the County Commissioners of Beaufort County to levy a special tax," approved March 21, 1876, sealed proposals will be received at this office from parties holding checks or audited claims contracted during the above years, until

MONDAY, SEPT 3rd., 1877.

at 12 o'clock, M., at which time said bids will be opened and the Board of County Commissioners will draw orders on the Treasurer to the amount of \$24,822, in favor of the person or persons who shall have offered the largest per centum discount on their checks or audited claims.

Proposals must be addressed to Robert J. Martin Chairman of the Board and endorsed "Proposals for settlement of past indebtedness of Beaufort County."

R. J. MARTIN, V. S. SCOTT, R. F. GREAVES, County Commissioners.

THOS. H. WICKELER, Clerk of Board.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

The firm of Lamb & Dando is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. S. Dando will continue the business on his own account.

JAMES M. LUMB, CHARLES S. DANDO, Gillisville, S. C., July 31, 1877.

Application For Charter.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that at the expiration of 30 days from this date, an application will be made to the Judge of the 2d Circuit, for a Charter for "The New Liverpool Improvement and Co-operative Manufacturing Company," a corporate colony for the location of settlements in Beaufort County Beaufort S. C. July 25 1877.

Special Notice.

OFFICE PROBATE COURT. Beaufort, April 3rd 1877.

All persons having business in this Court during the past four years, and whose accounts are yet unsettled will confer a favor upon the undersigned as well as benefit themselves, by submitting their papers of administration, guardianship etc. for examination, and for the proper record of such as have not been duly entered or recorded in this office. The importance of having a complete record in the Probate Court will be apparent to all concerned.

A. B. ADDISON, Judge of Probate.

FOR SALE.

AN EIGHT HORSE POWER STATIONARY STEAM ENGINE, Grist Mill, Saw Gln with 40 saws and one Utley's Lever power Cotton Press with shafting, pulleys and bands complete in running order. This machinery will be sold either separate or as a whole at a reasonable price. For particulars apply to Capt. J. G. Stipple a Grahamville or at this office.

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Will run regularly, leaving CHARLESTON every Thursday, stopping at BEAUFORT Friday. Returning will leave BEAUFORT Mondays. Freight carried at lower rates than by the other routes. No charge for Wharfage.

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DR. DENNIS, Proprietor. M. J. GRAHAM, Business manager.

TAX NOTICE.

OFFICE COUNTY TREASURER BEAUFORT COUNTY. Beaufort, S. C. June 28 1877.

Notice is hereby given that this office will be open for the receipt of STATE AND COUNTY TAXES on Monday July 2nd. The following is the tax levy for the fiscal year ending October 31st 1877:

For State purposes 7 mills For County purposes 3 mills For County past indebtedness 1 mill Poll tax per capita one dollar.

One half the above levy is due and payable from the first day of July to the first day of August, and the other half from the first day of October to the first day of November. One per cent interest per month will be charged on the first installment of this tax on all persons who fail to pay the same before the first day of August.

W. J. GOODING, Treasurer Beaufort County.

BARNES' Foot Power MACHINERY.

THIRTEEN different machines with which Builders, Cabinet Makers, Wagon Makers and Jobbers in Miscellaneous work can compete as to QUALITY and PRICE with steam power manufacturing; and amateurs, supplies, saw blades, fancy woods, and designs. Say where you read this and send for catalogue and prices. W. F. & JOHN BARNES, Rockford Illinois.

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A SLOOP RIGGED YACHT. Fast Sailer in good order and well found in every respect. Price very low, apply to J. G. Stipple & Co. St Helena Island.

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One of the most desirable situated dwellings in Beaufort: House in complete repair and conveniently arranged, with suitable out-buildings, and a garden spot equal to any in the State. Fruit in abundance—Oranges, Figs, Peaches, Pears, Apples, Plums, Cherries and Grapes; also choice Flowers, and flowering trees.

Will be sold at a bargain, and on easy terms. Enquire of H. G. Judd, on the premises. July 17th, 177.

To Rent.

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For Sale.

Block 122 in rear of the Court House Beaufort, S. C. SEVEN LOTS IN BLOCK 120. Also the following described Lots: Lot No. 19 Sec. 31 Town 1 N. Range 2 W. 10 acres formerly owned by Emanuel Simmons. Lot 47 Sec. 18 Town 1 S. Range 1 W. 10 acres, midway between Beaufort and Port Royal. Frae. 2 of Lot 21 Sec. 18 Town Range 1 N. 1 W. being an excellent water frontage on Coosaw river. For terms or other information inquire of C. H. WRIGHT, Agr. Apr-26-3m.

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Very Desirable Property, ON BAY ST. BEAUFORT, S. C. The block occupied by Odell and comprising three fine stores with capacious yards and storage in the rear and the finest water frontage on the river. For terms apply to D. C. WILSON, or to C. H. WRIGHT, Agr. Beaufort, S. C., March 20, 1877.

TO RENT.

The dwelling on Bay St., lately occupied by Capt. C. O. Boutelle. Apply to WM. ELLIOTT.

TO RENT.

Two desirable stores in the basement of the STEVENS HOUSE. Price \$10 and \$15 respectively. Apply to W. J. VERDIER, Agent.

For Sale.

ONE SIX HORSE PORTABLE BOARD & SON Steam Engine with shafting, for cash, or will barter for one or two FIRST-CLASS MULES with cash adjustment either way in accordance with appraised values. C. G. KENDALL, Port Royal.

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