

THE FEVER.

That dreadful scourge, yellow fever, is once more among us, or if not in our immediate town it is having a dreadful harvest in the neighboring city of Port Royal, only four miles from us.

Yesterday morning the matter was finally settled when Dr. Stuart reported that Fritz Hollenberger had died the previous evening of yellow fever with black vomit, and that four others undoubtedly had yellow fever.

In the meantime, notwithstanding Senator Conkling's opposition, a large mass meeting has been called by prominent New York Republicans at Cooper Institute on October 10th for the purpose of declaring their unabated faith and confidence in the integrity, ability and patriotism of President Hayes.

President MacMahon has undertaken to drag the French nation into submission to his imperial authority. He has at length issued his manifesto, in which he assumes to dictate to the people how they shall vote at the coming election.

OFFICIAL PLUNDER.

It seems almost superfluous to say that the most alarming symptom of corruption under the form of Government with which this country should be blest, in every sense, has been the unblushing venality to be traced in so many official quarters.

at the mountains of debt—State, municipal and corporate—piled up within the last decade, large portions of the avails of which were stolen by those who had the handling of the funds.

EX-SENATOR SAWYER IN JAIL.

In the case of the United States vs. ex-Senator and ex-Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Sawyer tried in Washington last Saturday the jury rendered a verdict of guilty, and he was sent to jail.

In the course of a recent interview with a member of Congress the President remarked that from what he had seen during his late trip to the South, he believed that the whites of that section were really anxious to accord to the colored people their full civil and political rights.

The Herald asserts that if an election were to be held in Newberry two weeks hence, and the County Democratic Convention, as now constituted, were to nominate candidates, those candidates would certainly be beaten by an Independent ticket.

The elegant and costly steam fire engine is being restored for ailments which seem to increase in number as the intricate machinery is overhauled and brought to light.

Our exchanges still assure us of increasing trade and better prospects in almost every direction. The bountiful harvest, and fair if not high, prices obtained for our various products are apparently sure grounds of confidence.

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The capital which covered the West with a network of iron roads came mostly from the East and from abroad. The disasters of the railroads have resulted in some positive advantage to the West, through reduced transportation charges and consequent increased profits on its crops.

A boiler in the Charleston Mining and Manufacturing works, near Charleston, exploded last Thursday instantly killing one colored man and scalding two others so severely that they died next day.

The Treasury Department had upon the Union Pacific Railroad train recently attacked by robbers in Wyoming 300,000 ounces of silver bullion. This was, however, in large bars, and was so heavy that the robbers were unable to carry it with them, and not an ounce was lost.

While the wife of Mr. C. J. Langdon, was riding near Elmira, N. Y., with her child and nurse, a few days ago, the horses ran away, and were stopped by a colored man named John F. Lewis, who was rewarded by a present of \$1,000 from Mr. Langdon, with a quit claim for a mortgage of \$400 on his farm.

In the Patent Office the most valuable relics lost were Eli Whitney's cotton gin and Robert Fulton's original model of a steamboat. The original sewing machine was not destroyed, as supposed. Some bystander, knowing its value, seized it before the flames reached it, and was arrested in the act of carrying it off.

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The ninth annual fair of the State Agricultural and Mechanical Society will be held at Columbia from the 13th to the 16th of November next, and promises to be an unusually interesting exhibit of the progress made in our State in field crops, stock raising and the mechanical arts.

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A convention was in progress at Lima, Ohio at which the county auditor was making a furious speech in favor of "reform," when he was suddenly snatched up by the constables and carried off to jail where he found his friend and political enemy, Lewis Meyers, also incarcerated. Meyers was the treasurer of Auglaize county who was discovered a few weeks ago in his office bound, and a gag in his mouth.

years. The tax-payers are very much exasperated and are considering the propriety of lynching both auditor and treasurer.

Dr. J. G. Stoncy, Dentist of Beaufort will return on the 10th of October.

OFFICE COUNTY AUDITOR. BEAUFORT COUNTY. Beaufort S. C. October 2nd, 1877. All persons who have had conveyances of real estate placed on record in the Clerk's Office since June 9th are hereby notified that the law requires a record of the same to be made in this office as heretofore.

TAX NOTICE. OFFICE COUNTY TREASURER. BEAUFORT COUNTY. Beaufort S. C. October 1st, 1877. The County Treasurer will attend at the following places named by the Board of Equalization for the collection of the second installment of State and County Taxes, for the fiscal year beginning 1st November 1876, viz:

Bluffton, Wednesday, October 10th. Puffinbarger, Thursday, " 11th. Levy's X Roads, Friday, " 12th. Hardeville, Saturday, " 13th. Gillisonville, Tuesday, " 16th. Nixville, Wednesday, " 17th. Robertsonville, Thursday, " 18th. Lexington, Saturday, " 20th. Gifford's Store, Monday, " 22nd. Brunson, Tuesday, " 23rd. Hoover's Wednesday, " 24th. Early Branch, Thursday, " 25th. Yemassee, Friday, " 26th. Gardner's Corner (Sheldon Mills) Oct. 27th.

PROBATE NOTICE. STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. Beaufort County. By A. B. ADDISON Esqr., Judge of Probate. WHEREAS W. B. McKee has made suit to me to grant him letters of administration of the estate and effects of Henry McKee with the Will annexed.

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OFFICE STATE INSPECTOR OF PHOSPHATES. Charleston, August 1, 1877. The following is published for the benefit of whom it may concern: An Act to Prohibit the Digging, Mining or Removing of Phosphate Rocks and Phosphate Deposits without license, and the purchase of the same from unauthorized persons.

INSURANCE. THE MASSACHUSETTS LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SPRINGFIELD MASS. Capital and Surplus \$6,500,000. THE HOME FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK. Cash Assets over \$6,000,000.

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TORRENT & DUKE. General STEVEDORES. PORT ROYAL, S. C.

Official Notices.

Notice To Tax Payers. OFFICE COUNTY TREASURER, BEAUFORT COUNTY. Beaufort, S. C. Sept. 28, 1877. Notice is hereby given that this Office will be open for the receipt of the second installment of State and County Taxes on Monday the first day of October next, and continue open until the 31st day of October 1877 inclusive.

TAX NOTICE. Town of Port Royal. TOWN TREASURER OFFICE. Port Royal, S. C. August 31st, 1877. Notice is hereby given that the books for the collection of taxes for the year 1877, levied by the Town of Port Royal, are now open, and will remain open until the 15th day of September next.

QUARANTINE NOTICE. TO ALL OWNERS AND MASTERS OF VESSELS. You are hereby notified that a Quarantine of thirty days will be enforced on all vessels coming from Fernandina, Florida to this place from this date until further notice.

NOTICE. Having been appointed by E. W. Moise Esq. A. and J. General, State of South Carolina, to collect arms and munitions in Beaufort county, all persons having such arms munitions &c. in their possession and are not prepared for inspection to be held on the 19th of October, to turn them over to me or have them in readiness when called for.

PROBATE NOTICE. STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. Beaufort County. Court of Common Pleas. C. J. C. HUTTON, Referee. Summons for Plaintiff against Sarah E. Glover (complaint not served). To the defendant, Sarah E. Glover: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action which has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for the said County, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office at McPhersonville S. C. (Yemassee P. O. S. C.) within twenty days after service hereof exclusive of the day of service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for relief demanded in the complaint.

OFFICIAL. By virtue of orders from the office of the Adjutant and Inspector General, I hereby notify all parties in Beaufort County who have in their possession any arms or accoutrements belonging to the State, and who are not properly authorized to retain them, to turn over the same to Col. Wm. Stokes, or any other field officer of the 2nd Regiment of Mounted Rifles, to the commanding officer of any company of said Regiment or to the undersigned.

NOTICE. All persons furnishing supplies to the Town of Beaufort are informed that the Committee on Accounts will audit no bills unless the same are accompanied with the orders for the articles furnished.

NOTICE TO LIQUOR DEALERS. OFFICE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, BEAUFORT COUNTY. Beaufort, S. C. Sept. 28th, 1877. The Board of County Commissioners will meet at the Court House in the Town of Beaufort on Monday October 1st for the purpose of examining candidates for the position of teachers in the public schools in this county during the coming year.

NOTICE. All authority heretofore given by any one to purchase cattle on my account is hereby revoked and I will not be responsible for transactions or any one claiming to represent me in such transactions.

Travellers Guide, LOW RATES.

THE STR. HOWARD DRAKE. CAPTAIN TOWNSEND. Will run regularly, leaving CHARLESTON every Thursday, stopping at BEAUFORT Mondays. Returning will leave BEAUFORT Fridays. Freight carried at lower rates than by the other routes.

NEW YORK & PORT ROYAL STEAMSHIP LINE. THE FIRST-CLASS STEAMSHIPS. CITY OF DALLAS, CAPT. HINES. CITY OF AUSTIN, CAPT. CHESTER. Are intended to leave Port Royal for New York, alternately, every FRIDAY at 12 m. For freight and passage—having unsurpassed accommodations, apply to RICH'D. P. BUNDLE, Agent, Port Royal, S. C.

Magnolia Passenger Route. PORT ROYAL RAILROAD, AUGUSTA, GA., August 24th, 1877. THE FOLLOWING PASSENGER SCHEDULE will be operated on and after Monday, August 27th, 1877.

FAST MAIL, DAILY. NO. 1-GOING SOUTH. Leave Augusta..... 6:45 a. m. Arrive at Beaufort..... 10:05 a. m. Arrive at Port Royal..... 10:20 a. m. Arrive at Charleston..... 5:30 p. m. Arrive at Savannah..... 10:40 a. m.

NO. 2-GOING NORTH. Leave Savannah..... 2:20 p. m. Leave Port Royal..... 2:30 p. m. Leave Beaufort..... 2:40 p. m. Arrive at Augusta..... 8:15 p. m. DAY ACCOMMODATION—DAILY, SUNDAY EXCEPTED.

NO. 3-GOING SOUTH. Leave Augusta..... 6:50 a. m. Arrive at Beaufort..... 9:30 a. m. Arrive at Port Royal..... 9:40 a. m. Arrive at Charleston..... 4:30 p. m. Arrive at Savannah..... 9:40 p. m.

NO. 4-GOING NORTH. Leave Savannah..... 2:30 a. m. Leave Charleston..... 1:55 a. m. Leave Beaufort..... 2:30 a. m. Leave Port Royal..... 2:40 a. m. Arrive at Augusta..... 7:20 p. m.

GRAND SPRING OPENING! E. A. Schepher, The Leader in Low Prices. [S] now prepared to show his friends and customers of Beaufort and surrounding country the choicest and cheapest stock of Dress Goods.

DOMESTIC SEWING MACHINE, DOMESTIC PAPER FASHIONS, DOMESTIC UNDERBRAIDERS, DOMESTIC MACHINE FIND'GS, DOMESTIC MONTHLY. THE LIGHT-RUNNING "DOMESTIC" SEWING MACHINE IS THE BEST GREATEST RANGE OF WORK, BEST QUALITY OF WORK, LIGHTEST TO RUN, ALWAYS IN ORDER.

Groceries and Provisions.

GEO. WATERHOUSE. BAY ST. DEALER IN TEAS, COFFEES, SUGARS, STRUTS, MOLASSES, CHEESE, LARD, HAMS, BACON, BEEF, YORK, FLOUR, HONEY, SALES, RICE, ARENA, CRUSHED WHEAT, AND FAJNA, CANDIES, STANDARD KEROSINE OIL, PURE CIDER VINEGAR, PICKLES, IN PINTS QTS & HALF GALL JARS, LYE, SAL-SODA, CREAM TARTAR, NATIONAL YEAST CAKES, STAR-BRAND MUSTARD, PIPES, CHAIRS & TORACOS, BY THE CASE, WHOLE & GROUNDSPICES WANTED PURE, DRIED & GREEN APPLES POTATOES, A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF CROCKERY AND GLASS WARE, LAMPS BRACKETS, CHINA SALES, AT WHOLESALE, CHOICE WESTERN N.Y. BUTTER IN TUBS, MACK RELIN IN LITTS.

J. F. HUCHTING, Wholesale and Retail Grocer. COUNTRY MERCHANTS. Will find at my store at all times a large and complete stock of Meats of all kinds. The only place in Beaufort where is kept Charleston Grist, An article superior to be found in Beaufort. A full stock of STAPLE GROCERIES, CROCKERY, WILLOW and TIN WARE. FRESH GARDEN SEEDS, &c. Jan. 18-17

JAS E. BOYCE, Wholesale and Retail Grocer, Dealer in—ALES, WINES, LIQUORS, TOBACCOS, SEGARS, HARDWARE, FISH LINES, &c. A pure article of WHEAT WHISKEY, Double Sweet MASI CORN WHISKEY, Jo. Gibbons, Sons & Co's. Cabinet, and Nectar Whiskey. JUST RECEIVED 300 Lbs. TENNESSEE BOLOGNA SAUSAGE. 2 Casks of Celebrated Boston Ginger ALE. 1 Cask of TROTH LAGER, Cheap Meat, a specialty. Country Merchants will find it to their advantage to give me a trial.

JUST OPEN! JUST OPEN!! ASHORE ON SEVENTH STREET FOURDOORS FROM BAY WHICH consists of the best grade of patent medicines, also many kinds of all kinds. Why not see Dr. Dennis S. J. & H. P. Syrup a severe bilious remedy. It will reach any sickness that the most skillful Physicians have failed to discover.

TUTT'S PILLS. A Noted Divine says They are worth their weight in gold. READ WHAT HE SAYS: Dr. TUTT'S Pills: For ten years I have been a martyr to Dyspepsia, Constipation, and Piles. Last spring your pills were recommended to me; I used them (but with little faith). I am now a well man, have good appetite, digestion perfect, regular stools, piles gone, and I have gained forty pounds solid flesh. They are worth their weight in gold. REV. R. L. SIMPSON, Louisville, Ky.

TUTT'S PILLS. OVER BILIOUS HEAD-ACHE. TUTT'S PILLS. OVER DYSPEPSIA. TUTT'S PILLS. OVER CONSTIPATION. TUTT'S PILLS. OVER PILES. TUTT'S PILLS. OVER FEVER AND AGUE. TUTT'S PILLS. OVER HELIUS SOLIO. TUTT'S PILLS. OVER KIDNEY COMPLAINT. TUTT'S PILLS. OVER TORPID LIVER.

TRIUMPH OF SCIENCE. Gray Hair can be changed to young hair by the application of Dr. TUTT'S Hair Dye. It acts like magic, and is warranted as harmless as water. Price \$1.00. Office 35 Murray St.

WHAT IS QUEEN'S DELIGHT? Read the Answer. It is a plant that grows in the South, and is specially adapted to the cure of diseases of that climate. NATURE'S OWN REMEDY. Entering at once into the blood, expelling all scrofulous, syphilitic, and rheumatic poisons, it cures discharges from the eyes, skin, and bowels, dropsy, kidney complaint, evil effects of diseases, disordered liver and spleen. Its use strengthens the nervous system, repairs a fair complexion, and builds up the body with HEALTHY SOLID FLESH. As an antidote to syphilitic poison it is strongly recommended. Hundreds of cases of the worst type have been radically cured by its use. Being purely vegetable, it does no harm. The best medicine for the cure of the same and Fall of 1877.