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Patterson seems in a fair way to get his reward. The Senate committee on Fe'eral relations recommended inaction on the ground that the matter was in the courts, where it properly belonged, and that the General Assembly had no right to interfere with the duty of a co-ordinate department of the government and the resolutions looking towards his expulsion from the U. S. Senate were tabled.

Mr. Corbin has had introduced in the U. S. Senate a resolution directing an investigation in regard to the election of U.S. Senator from this State last Fall and if the Republicans choose to take up his fight there may be many a skirmish over the subject yet.

Gen. Butler has also introduced a resolution to appoint a committee to inquire into the charges that promise or reward was the price on his part that induced Patterson and Conover to vote for his admission. So far as he (Mr. Butler)-was concerned he desired, he might say he demanded, that the fullest investigation be made touching his conduct in connection with his admission to the Senate.

The bill for the formation of Palmetto county was so amended last Thursday as to authorize the Governor to appoint a special commission of two from Palmetto. two from Beaufort and one from some other county, to arrange the present indebtedness of Beaufort equitably between the two. The bill was discussed by Messra, Youmans, Myers and Miller, and

was finally passed. We are finally in favor of the divisfuture. ion of the county. In the first place the county is a very large one with varied and diverse interests. The division of the county would give us more low country representation, would ensure one more unequivocal Democratic county to the State, would be according but a fair representation of interests to that section which is as thoroughly peopled by a white majority as this part of the old county is with colored. We are a trading and commercial people while the upper section of the present county as a whole is agricultural. The only interests affected by the change is that of the offices of Sheriff and Clerk of Court, both of whom derive a large part of their lees from the upper part. It is fair that the county having so large a proportion of the office expenses to pay should have a share in them which they never can have so long as the negro population outvotes them for all the offices of honor, profit or trust. We say let them depart in peace. It was reported last week that two government inspectors were in town commissioned to examine the proposed site for a naval station here and report to the authorities at Washington. The hotel register showed the names of the two gentlemen, one hailing from Ohio and the other from New York. but as they were on a secret mission nobody showed them any attention and they seemed to be easily satisfied of the cordition of things, for, after taking a buggy ride to Old Fort and without going near the naval anchorage, nor exchanging a word with a naval officer. they got vexed at some seeming omission in their entertainment and left by the next train. This is often the way government agents conduct themselves and if these are bona fide inspectors they will return to Washington well prepared to report in full all the advantages offered here for the establishment of a naval station.

amendment to the Constitution of the State relative to the office and tenure of the Justices of the the Supreme Court and Judges of the Court of General Sessions, then came up. It makes the tenure of office of the Justices and Judges

last during good behavior. In the House on Saturday last Mr. Brown introduced a resolution directing the medical committee to make inquirry

to Port Royal, and how the "Gordon" was brought in. The bill to amend the act prohibiting the sale of seed cotton at night, by extending the prohibition to Sunday, and including in it rough rice, then came up. Mr. Brown moved to further amend by including all agricultural products. Mr. Myers of Beaufort, spoke earnestly against the full, and moved to strike out the enacting clause. The matter was finally compromised by reference of the bill to a special committee of the Georgetown, Colleton, Beaufort and

Charleston delegations. The bill creating the County of Palmetto was reported engrossed, and ratified. where, as we have no representative to oppose or favor it, it will slip through easily enough and Beaufort County will be divided, for which we are all prepared and no one seems to object.

The Hon. Geo. D. Tillman will remain at his home until after the Congressional recess. As regards his seat in the House of Representatives, there is no doubt of his eventually getting it. In all probability it will be yielded to him by a vote of the House. But even should a new elec-

Senator Gordon, of Georgia, says that seven cotton mills have been constructed in the South during the past year, and as a rule their machinery are of the latest and most advanced patterns, built with the certain knowledge that the South in manufactures must compete with the skill and experience of the East and of England. He also says that the mills of the South have been generally successful, and the errors and want of experience of the past, will doubtless be corrected in the

DELINQUENT LAND SALES.

List of Lands in Beaufort County on which Taxes, Penalties and Assessments remain unpaid for the fiscal year 1876, as returned by W. J. Gooding, Esq., Treasurer of the said County. BEAUFORT TOWNSHIP.

Appleton, D. F. 1081 acres, 22 . buildings, Appleton, D. F. 886 acres, 11 buildings. Anderson, Cupid 20 acres arable. Atkins, Lymus 10 acres arable. Barnwell, Paul 7 acres arable Barnwell, Paul 7 acres arable Barnes, Lymus 15 acres arable and wood Bennett, Stephen 6 acres arable, (Paris Isid. Beaufort Bath House Co. 1 building Brian Richard 9 acres arable. Bellinger. Eli 1 lot 12building.

Singleton, Toney cst 10 arable. Scabrook, Thos. 20 arable. Sinasham, Sam est. 30 arable & wood. Sinasham, Sam est. 30 arable & wood. Sinith, Sam 5 arable. Sherman, Harry 11 arable. Taggart, Howard, 5 arable 1 building. Washington, Harry 14½ arable & wood. Washington, March 12 arable. Williams, Monday W. 49 arable. Woods, Geo. P. 10 arable 1 building. Wright, Betsy 20 wood Wallace, Geo. 10 arable. Wallace, Geo. 10 arable. Wallace, Wim. 10 arrble. Wallace, Wim. 10 arrble. LADIES ISLAND TOWNSHIP. Brown, Maria 10 acres. Duilding. Broks, Dick 10 acres wood.

Brooks, Dick 10 acres wood. Brown, Jacob 12 acres. Black, Caroline 10 acres. Brown, James 20 acres. Brown, James 20 acres. Deveaux, Simon Jr. (Pleasant Point) 10 arable. Dagan, Jackson 1 building Fields, Joe 10 arable. Gadsden, Geo. 10 acres arable and wood Gardner, James 8 acres arabe and we Goodwine, Pompey est. 10 acres. Green, Peter Sr. 10 acres wood.

Grayson, Sally 10 arable. Getters, Larry 10 acres wood or marsh. Gillison, Tom 20 arable. Green, Peter Jr. 50 wood, 30 arable. Green, Lymus 10 acres. -Huggins, est. Joe 1 building Jenkins, Adam 10 acres arable add wood Middleton, Jane 10 arable. Rivers B. S. 14 wood. Rivers, Ned 5 arable. Scott, Nelly 14% arable. Washington; Emanuel 10 acres arable and wood

BLUFFTON TOWNSHIP. Beecher, & Miles 200 acres. Edwards est Geo. 3000 acres 3 buildings. Same 500 acres. Easan J. M. & H. B. 875 acres and 5 buildings.

Finley, Mrs. M. E, 87 acres Greaves: Charles & Philip 119 acres. Hodge, Wm. H. 500 acres. Est James 3000 1 lot 1 building. Lowndes, James 800 acres 1 building.

Lowndes, James 800 acres 1 building. Law, Geo. W. Jr. 159 acres. ", Robert 159 acres. Lawrence, Mrs, A. M. 200 acres 1 lot. " "700 acres 1 building. McKenzie, Hamilton 1 lot. Post, Albert C. 838 acres 10 buildings Post, Alfred A. 762 arable and wood Simmons, Benj. Jr. 2 lots and 1 building Verdier, F. H. Trustee 80 acres 1 lot. Wiggins. B. W. 159 acres.

COOSAWHATCHIE TOWNSHIP. Anderson, Lawrence 30 acres. Brinton, G. R. 69 acres Buckner, P. F. 700 acres.

Elkerenkoetter, Joe 145 acres arable'and wood Finley, Mary E. 400 acres. Gregorie, Mrs. M. H. 944 acres 2 buildings 2 lots. Gillison Mrs. M. S 1 lot. Gelston, est John 1 lot. Jones, J. G. 139 acres. Johnson, Jas. M. 200 acres.

same 100 acres, Law, O. P. 1226 acres 5 buildings. Law, O. P. 527 acres arable and wood. Law, Mrs. Jane 19 acres. Law, Mrs. Jane 19 acres. Labatut, Henry T 1 lot 3 buildings. Malphrus, Jane A. 90 acres. Meeker, John 100 acres 1 building. Meeker, John 100 acres i building. Mew, B. J. 424 acres arable and wood Murchison, Bey. A 10 acres 1 building. Reynolds, John 75 acres P. Mrs E M. 277 acres 1 building. m 65 acres, y A 65 acres James 15 acres el 1 loi, South Arust est. Mrs. Josiah arable and wood Tuten, W. P. 19 acres. Tind al, Geo. 100 acres. E. 450 scres scret

Trowell, Jno. F. 220 acres. Woods, Mrs. Elizabeth 110 acres 1 building. GOETHE TOWNSHIP. Anderson, Wm. J 420 acres. DeLoach, Mrs. B. J. 787 acres DuPree, Peter 75 acres Goethe, Sarah C 60 acres Griner, J. B. 205 acres. Ginn, Susan A. 154 scres. Gibson, Samuel T. 52 acres. Gordon, Elliott 11 1-2 acres forton, Sarah 100 Horton, Sarah 1000 Laveigne, Dan P 203 acres Mixson, Lydia 500 acres 1 building Robinson, Penny 50 acres Sams, Lewis R. 10 acres Speaks, Julia 850 acres HILTON HEAD TOWNSHIP. Barnwell, Jos; W. Assignee 400 arable. Hardee, Jno. L. Trustee, 596 arable LAWTON TOWNSHIP. Bealer, Allen 30 arable and wood.





The Official Count.

The Commissioners of Election met at the Court House last Thursday to canvas the vote cast at the late election for Senator. Owing to the strenuous efforts of the attorneys of each candidate to have many of the boxes thrown out for various causes the count lasted until Friday evening. The total vote as near as we could get at it, leaving out the Matthews' Bluff box which came in so late that it was not opened at all, was, Collins, 4.329; Elliott, 1,534. The Commissioners deeided to throw out six boxes, viz: Brick Church, because the return was signed by only one of the managers; Hilton Head for the same reason, two of the managers appointed having refused to serve; Lawtonville because the return was signed by the clerk to the managers instead of the managers themselves; Grahamville because the box was forwarded by express and not delivered by one of the managers as required by law; Gardner's Corners because the box was left at the place of business of the chairman of the Commissioners during his absence and he claimed to have no official knowledge of its delivery or what precipct it came from; Bellinger Hill because there was but one manager.

The rejected boxes contained 1,334 votes for Mr. Collins and 216 for Col. El-Kott, leaving in the boxes as passed by the board 2995 votes for Collins and 1.318 for Elliott, or a majority of 1,677. The fight is expected to be renewed in Columhis and it is not unpossible that the whole election will be thrown out on account of the many technical irregularities attending it. In the House Friday, the bill to permit the Greenwood and Augusta Railroad to pay the hire of convicts in its own stock at par passed to a third reading, with an amendment providing that the State should never be liable for assessments. The joint, resolution proposing an

Barnett, Wm. 4 acres. arable. Barnett, Jack 10 acres arable Baynard, Chas. 7% acres, arable. Barnwell, Katie 10 acres, arable. Barnwell, Katte 10 acres, arable. Bowman, Joe 10 acres, arable. Curtis, George 49 acres, arable. Church, Horse Pond 8 acres, arable. Campbell, Rev. J. B. 1 arabli Deveaux, Ben 10 acres, 1 lot Donogal Abram 10 arable Edwards, Cuffee 19½ arable Elv. H. G. 1 lot. Ely, H. G. 1 lot. Ford, est. James 10 acres arable and wood Fripp, Alfred 10 acres arable and wood Fripp, Prince Jr., 20 arable. Fields, Renty 10 arable. Gillison, Toby 20 acres arable and wood Green, Clara & Husband 16 arable. Grant, Chas. 20 arable. Grant, Simon C. 20 arable, 1 lot & 2 buildings. Grant, London 20 arable. Grant, London 20 arable. Green, Ellen 20 arable. Gadsden, Tom 3-10 arable. Garrett, Daphnie 10 arable. Garriner, Sam 1 building, Beaufort. Haynes, Est. Nancy 10 arable, 1 building. Holmes. Minis 10 arable. Holmes, Minta 10 arable. Heyward, Joseph (Habershams) 10 marsh and wood. arable marsh and wood. Heyward, Brinton 10 arable. Heyward Middleton 10 arable, and wood. Heyward, N. W. 15 acres wood. Hamilton, Sam 10 arable. Hamilton. Hoor Thos. 2 lot 3 buildings. Jenkins, Diannah 1 lot 1 building Jenkens, Billy 13 arable. (Campbell's Farm. Lenkens Eat Kitt 20 arable Jenkens, Est. Kitt 20 arable. Jones, Edward 30 arable, & wood, Jones, A. O. 1,209 arable, 2 buildings. Jones, Mrs. Estell 1 lot & 3 buildings, Jackson, Robin 10 arable. Judge, John 40 arable, and wood. Jackson March 7 1-2 arable. Kressel, Wm. 1 lot and 2 buildings. Lawton, Mrs. Cefia 1 lot & 1 building. Murray, Jacob 10 acres arable and wood Murray, William 1 lot Middleton Gordon 10 arable. Mitchell Flora 5 arab Middleton, Scipio 5 arable. Murray, Andrew 30 arable. wood. Middleton Binah 10 arable. Middleton, Jacob 10 arable. Middleton, Jacob 10 arable. Myers Diana 10 arable. Mattis, Wm. 30 arable Manigault Rollin 1 lot. Maverick Stephen 20 arable, wood. Nolan & Winsey, 1 lot in Beaufort. Port Royal & Beaufort Turnpike Co., ½ mile shelf Road 1 building. Perry, John 10 arable. Port Royal Lumber Cotton Co., 884 arable 2 building. building. Polite James 10 arable. Parker. Toney (Stuart Point, 10 arable. Perry Scipio 40 acres wood. Pettigru, Jacob, 10 arable P. I. Robinson Peter, 1 lot 1 building, Minta, Robinson 20 arable. Rivers, J. C. 1 lot Beaufort. Rivers, J. C. 1 lot Beaufort. Robinson, Neptune 10 acres arable and wood Rutledge, Ralph 10 arable. Rafe, Diana 5 arable. Simmons, Moses 20 acres arable and wood Small, Prince 5 acres and 1 lot Stuart, James 20 acres arable and wood Simmins, Tom Rose (swamp) 20 acres. Small, David 20 arable and wood. Scott, Waarke 20 acrebie Scott, Maurice 20 arable. Scott, Martha 10 arable. Stevens, est. Ben 20 arable. Turner, Hannah 10 acres arable and wood Turner, Hannah 10 acres arable and wood Thomas, Joe 10 arable. Taylor, Toby 20 arable. Wright, J. J. 10 arable and 2 building. Wright, Monday 10 arable. Williams, Alfred 1 lot 8 buildings. Williams, Wm. (P. I.) 10 arable. Williams, Monday 50 arable, 8 buildings and 8 lots Williams & Mitchel 1s arable. Walker, Rev. E. T. 600 acres and 1 building. ST HELENA TOWNSHIP. Appleton, D. F. 256 acres 1 building. Appeton, D. F. 255 acres a table Bryan, Daniel 5 acres a table Bobian, est. Moses 1 lot 1 building Brown, Jos. 10 acres arable. Brown, est Dau. Hopes 10 acres arable. Brown, Fhilip 16 acres arable. Baily, Toney McTurous, 4 acres arable. Barnwell, Thos. 10 acres wood & meadow. Barnwell, Kit 10 acres arable. Chisom, Emma 12 acres. Chisolm, Ned 14 acres arable. Chisolm, Ned 14 acres arable. Currie, David 250 acres 1 building Capers, F. T. 1 lot. Davis, Edwd. or Edmond 160 acres. Davis, W. B. agent 608 acres buildings. Edwards, 5 acres wood or marsh. Eddings, Scott 15 acres wood (Bay Point Island Ford, Toney 10 acres arable and wood Fripp, Billy 10 acres. Giover, Harry 10 acres. Gordan, James S acres arable. Gordan, James 8 acres arable. Heyward, Teney 1 lot Heywood, Hereules 29 acres arable & wood. Holmes, Cornelia 2½ acres Hazel, John 10 acres. Johnson, Amanda 10 acres. Johnson, Amanda 10 acres. Jenkins, Isaac 1st 4 lots 1 building. Jenkins, Jas. Coffn Pt. 21 acres arable. Jenkins, Orchard 2 acres arable. Johnson, Sampson 1 lot.

Brantly Joe 40 arable and wo Brantly, Joe to arable and wood. Davis, E. T. 30 arable and wood. DELoach Wm. 1st 169 arable and wood. Dason, James 34 arable and wood. Goethe, Ellen 300 arable and wood. Ginn, Mrs. C. 100 acres 1 building. Holmes. R. G. Agt. 310 arable. and wood Holmes, K. G. Agt. 310 analo Johnson, Gideon 100 arable. Jaudon. Isaac 13% arable. Kittles, Est.A. 150 arable. Lawton, Catharine 16 arable. Miller, & Bissel 216 arable. Orr, John J. 60 arable. Orr, Jamos 30 arable. Orr, Isaiah 114 arable. Russell. Jane 100 arable. Russell, Jane 100 arable. Speaks, Mrs S. F. 286 acres arable and wood Stone, B. M. 224 arable. Tuten, A. G. 279 arable. PEEPLES TOWNSHIP, Bennett, Miles A. 117 arable. Bass, Elizabeth 129 arable. Ellis, Samuel F. 700 acres, 1 building. Edwards, Harry 108 arable. Harvey, Ann E. 408 acres 1 building. Hadwin, Eleanor 100 arable. Hadwin, Wm. 1 lot. Building Samb 45 arable. Phillips, Sarah 66 arable Pulaski, J E 94 arable Rivers, W. W. 268 arable Rentz, W. A. 1 lot 1 building. Tuten, Mrs. M. A. 170 arable. Rivers, Cato and Jos. 222 acres 1 building. Webb Martha A. 1 lot 1 building. Williams, O. P. 1088 acres arable and wood. POCOTALIGO TOWNSHIP. Brown. Renty Sr., 1 lot. Elliott, M. C. 400 acres, 4 buildings. wood Gregorie, Thos, H Trustee 500 arable. Fuller, R. B. Exor. 10 acres arable and wood Heape, Mary S. 48 arable. Levin, A. agent 25 arable. Mitchell, J. E. M. 600 arable. Oakman, R. 509 arable. Richardson, Mrs. M. A. 2400 arable and wood 2 building ROBERT TOWNSHIP Buckner, Mrs. S. A. 537 aacres Bealet, George 105 acres Bentley Esau 50 arable. nb. A. S. 100 arable Bascomb, Jno. H 200 arable. Brown, Prince 60 arable. Cuyler. James 100 arable. Cuyler. James 100 arabie. Choven, Rev. C. E. 1,292 acres, 1 building. Crapse, Catharine J. 77 acres, 4 buildings. Ferrebee, Mrs. Adeline E. 840 arable. Ferrebee, est, John 584 arable. Same 391 arable. Same 426 arable. English, Vena 50 arable. Golding Toussant 425 arable. Jenkens, Hannah 50 arable. Kennedy Toney 60 arable and wood. Malphrus, Jane H. 90 acres arable and wood McKenzie, B. R. 367 arable " Overstreet, Nancy 110 arable " Prowman Lewis, B. 20 arable. " Proctor, John 70 arable. " Porter, A. G. est, 334 arable. " Same 177 arable. " Richardson Z. 440 arable " Turner, Martha 40 arable Williams, F. S. 340 arable White, Emma 20 arable Wright Francis 10 arable Woods W, H, 97 arable SHELDON TOWNSHIP. Colcock, C. J. Jr. agent, 1700 acres 17 buildings. Cokely, Richmond 100 acres. Desaussure, est Dr L. 560 acres. Fields, Maria 7 1-2 acres. Jones, Clement G. 14 acres Welsman, J. T. 997 acres, YEMASSEE TOWNSHIP. Bolin, Abram 50 acres Bright, Jacob 10 acres Dibly, Wm. 5 acres Deas, Betsy 10 acres Fraser, Sam 40 acres Grant, May est 25 scres Givens' Tom 52 1-2 acres Green, Moses To acres Goldwin, Wm. 180 acres Hartiege, est A. S. 2350 acres Hardee, J. L. Trustee 1107 acres. Jenkins, Ishmael 5 acres. King, Wm. 10 acres. Lacy, Quash 20 acres. Lacy, Quash 20 acres. Lacy, Andrew J. C. 100 acres 3 buildings. Ladson, Poupey 5 acres. Miller, Jacob 5 acres. Miller, Nouty 5 acres. Oliver, George 10 acres. Rafe, Grace 10 acres. Reynolds, R. B. 1 lot 1 building. Small, Sandy 20 acres. Smith, Mrs. Rosens & C T Bland 450 acres. Shadd, R. E. 40 acres arable and wood Scott, Ben Jr. 25 acres. Scott, Amanda 10 acres. Thompson, Bill 25 acres. Uton, Elijah 25 acres. Walker, Wm, 50 acres. Walls, Elias 10 acres. Wilder, Dr. F. E. 1 lot 1 building. OFFICE AUDITOR BEAUFORT COUNTY

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