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THE OBSERVER'S JOB DEPARTMENT Has been thoroughly supplied with every needed

Dry Goods.

Alexander & Harris, Are now opening a very large and beautiful stock of

DRESS GOODS

Ladies' Neckwear, A tremendous stock of Table Linens, all grades.

Ready-Made Clothing

FOR GENTLEMEN AND YOUTHS, THIS SEASON.

"Foster"



Alexander & Harris.

Boots and Shoes

1881 Fall & Winter 1881

FALL & WINTER STOCK

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Best Brands at Latest Styles.

LADIES', MISSES', CHILDREN'S, GENTS', BOYS', AND YOUTHS'

FINE BOOTS & SHOES

A SPECIALTY.

Stetson and Other Hats.

A PRETTY LINE

TRUNKS, VALISES AND SATCHELS

ALL SIZES AND PRICES.

PEGRAM & CO.

Railroads.

Condensed Time Table—North Carolina R.R.

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SALEM BRANCH.

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Gen. Pass. and Ticket Agent, Wilmington, N.C.

Dry Goods, Clothing, &c.

OCTOBER 1st

Our Prices Are Low

OUR DEALINGS FAIR,

AND

All Goods Warranted as Represented

OR PURCHASE MONEY REFUNDED.

A fine line of

Ladies' Cloths and Flannel Suitings

IN ALL LEADING COLORS.

We have added WARNER'S FLEXIBLE HIP CORSETS to our stock, already the largest and best selected in the city.

T. L. Seigle & Co.

Medical.

PERRY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER

IS A PURELY VEGETABLE REMEDY

FOR INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL USE.

PAIN KILLER according to printed directions

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A Farmer's Views on Cotton and

What Must Be Done to Make it

Profitable to the Planter.

To the Editor of the Observer:

My attention has been called to an

article entitled "Cotton and its king-

dom," by Henry W. Grady, which occu-

pies a prominent place in the October

number of the Observer. The writer

seems to be thoroughly informed

himself on this subject and his

deductions are most practical, and my

purpose in this article is to suggest

a trial of a plan of farming about

Carolina, based on facts and figures

which his researches have proved to

have been employed with eminent suc-

cess in Georgia and Louisiana. I will

not attempt to quote from so copious

a writer, except for a few things to what

I shall say.

It cannot be denied that our present

tenancy system must be abandoned

and that the planter must again be

resorted to when an intelligent super-

vision can be had over the

workers of the soil. The reason that

croppers are so very poor, that they are

forced to work away from the farm a

great portion of the time, and that

labor is necessary for the successful

working of the crop. Again, they can-

not for the same reason devote the

requisite time in preparation of the

land. Again, in the fall season picking

cotton, pulling fodder and gathering

corn (to say nothing of camp-meetings)

interferes with the preparation of the

land for wheat and oats and sowing

seed. And if none of these demands

were on the planter's mind, but he

being unable to feed them during this

season and must needs to chop wood, &c.

to keep up their families. It is the cus-

tom of the average chopper to go in

New Story About General Grant.

Detroit Free Press.

It has just leaked out that while

General Grant was traveling in Asia

he expressed a desire to get a shot at

a lion. Not wishing to expose him to

danger the natives secured a stuffed

lion, set up in a jungle and then took

the illustrious traveler out for a hunt.

When the beast was sighted the Gen-

eral was all excitement, and crawling

up to a favorable position began to

blaze away at the animal with no per-

ceptible effect. After firing about

twenty shots he began to get mad, and

taking off his coat, he settled down for

a regular siege. Fearing his wrath

when he discovered the seal, the atten-

dants endeavored to induce him to give

up the attempt to kill the beast, telling

him that it bore a charmed life and

that he could not possibly injure it.

He told them to go to thunder; that

he was after blood, and was going to

have. After a vain assault of a

half of an hour he arose to his feet,

gnashing his teeth with rage, threw his

suspenders off his shoulders, rolled up

his sleeves, and grabbed his rifle by the

barrel, so he could use it as a club.

The attendants again begged him to

desist; but he politely, though forcibly,

informed them that he would have

that cuss or leave his honored remains

strewn promiscuously all through that

jungle, and with a wild cry of "I'll

fight it out on this lion if it takes all

summer!" he rushed upon the beast,

and with one well-directed blow, laid

it over on its side. Then he chased the

beast, and in a few minutes he was

being better acquainted with the country,

they got away from him in safety.

Quickly and Womanly Sympathy.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 28.—

Our Stock is Complete.

WE HAVE ALL COLORS AND QUALITIES IN

Velvets and Velvetene.

Anyone wishing to buy a Velvet Suit, will find it to their advantage to examine our stock before purchasing.

DOLMANS, CLOAKS, ULSTERS and JACKETS

A handsome line of goods for making the above.

We have a few Mosquito Canopies that we are offering very cheap, to close. All Wool Black Bunting at 15c per yard.

HARGRAVES & WILHELM.

Fall and Winter Clothing

Arriving Daily in Large Quantities.

A Full Line of our Celebrated Own Manufactured Clothing.

A Full Line of Boys' School Suits.

A Full Line Gents' Furnishing Goods, and the hand-

somest Line of Neckwear ever exhibited in this State.

Call and see us before making your purchases elsewhere, as it will save you Time and Money.

L. BERWANGER & BRO.,

Leading Clothiers and Tailors.

A handsome line of samples for garments to be made to order.

CHINA PALACE

Lotteries.

A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY TO WIN A FOR-

TUNE—10TH GRAND DISTRIBUTION.

CLASS K, AT NEW ORLEANS,

Tuesday, October 11th, 1881—187th Monthly

Louisiana State Lottery Company.

Incorporated in 1868 for 25 years by the Legis-

lature for Educational and Charitable purposes

with a capital of \$1,000,000—of which a reserve

fund of over \$420,000 has since been added.

By an overwhelming popular vote its franchise

was made a part of the present State Constitution

adopted December 10th, A. D. 1878.

Its GRAND SINGLE NUMBER Drawings will

take place monthly.

It never scales or postpones. Look at the follow-

ing distribution:

CAPITAL PRIZE, \$30,000.

100,000 Tickets at Two Dollars each. Half-Tick-

ets, One Dollar.

LIST OF PRIZES:

1 Capital Prize, \$30,000

100,000 Tickets at Two Dollars each

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Miscellaneous.

\$10 REWARD.

STOLEN from the Charlotte cotton platform on

Thursday night the 29th, one bale of cotton,

277, with the letters H. & S. stenciled on the side.

The above reward will be paid for any informa-

tion leading to its recovery or the apprehension of

the thief.

R. M. MILLER & SONS.

Rust-Proof Wheat.

I HAVE

350 BUSHELS

Rust-Proof Wheat for sale, cleaned, ready for

seed. J. W. WADSWORTH,

Charlotte, N. C.

TAX NOTICE.

TO THE TAXPAYERS OF MCKENNA COUNTY:

The Tax Books have been placed

in my hands, and I will attend at the times and

places mentioned below for the purpose of col-

lecting the State and county taxes for 1881:

Steel Creek, Monday, Oct. 28, 1881

Four Creek, Tuesday, " 29, "

Long Creek, Thursday, " 30, "

Lawson, Friday, " 31, "

Davidson College, Monday, " 1st, "

Hunterville, Tuesday, " 2nd, "

Wadsworth, Wednesday, " 3rd, "

Crab Orchard, Thursday, " 4th, "

J. Brookfield & Co.

New Goods Arriving Daily.

JUST RECEIVED,

A Shipment of Fine Porcelain.

Made in English and appearance to China and

more beautiful in design, costing less than half

the price of China. The Royal Worcester pattern

is the latest style. Royal Worcester tea sets, 44

pieces, \$6.00; Minton tea, \$2.00. The latest

styles cups and saucers.

A Warning.

The "steward" New York Commercial

Advertiser says: "Mr. Arthur is

the President, and will carve out his

own way. If factionists in this State

persist in keeping up divisions in the

party, they will be utterly crushed

suddenly and themselves dumped over-

board. They need not be surprised at the

transformation of the President calls

men about him in whom he has confi-

dence, on whose judgment he relies, and

whose sympathy he may expect, he

is not to be abused until it is seen that

the men in these positions are incap-

able or resolved on a course inimical to

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Wholesale and Retail.

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