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September 2, 1856-1y

Notice.

HAVING obtained Letters of Administration upon the estate of W. P. Trotter, deceased, I we notice to all persons indebted to the late firm d T. Trotter & Son, by note or book sevared and pay the same without delay, and teby save cost, as the concern must be set THOS. TROTTER, Adm'r and Surviving Partner. 31-if

The Watch and Jewelry business will in the sture be conducted by the subscriber, who will are no pains or expense to give general satiswithout. Watch repairing done in a superior man-THOS. TROTTER.

House & Lot for Sale. THE subscriber offers his Dwelling House, known as the "Crystal Pal ace," for sale. The house is pleasantly situated on the corner of

nanca and Eighth streets, opposite the residence Mr George Cross. On the premises are all the eessary out-buildings, in good repair. For arther information apply to the undersigned or to J. P. Smith. Terms moderate. J. R. DANIEL. February 17, 1857

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(Graduate of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery.) Having located permanently, tenders his professional services to the citizens of Charlotte, N. C., and

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DISSOLUTION

The firm of LOWRIE & ENNISS i

this day dissolved by mutual consent. All will please present them to P. J. Lowrie for settlement, who alone is authorized to settle the same. LOWRIE & ENNISS.

March 16, 1857.

NOTICE

Having sold out to Mr P. J. Lowrie all my attenst in the Books, accounts, notes, &c., longing to the firm of Lowrie & Enniss, al hase indebted will make payment to him, as he s alone authorized to settle the sam J. H. ENNISS, March 16, 1857.

NOTICE. All persons indebted to the late firm of Lowrie & Enniss are requested to settle the same immediately, as the business of the late firm must be closed. I will continue the Book business on my own hook. Call and see me. P. J. LOWRIE.

The Charlotte Mutual Fire Insurance Company,

CONTINUES to take risks against loss by usual rates. Office nearly opposite Kerr's Hotel. President-M. B. TAYLOR. Vice President-C. OVERMAN. Sec'y & Treas'r-E. NYE HUTCHISON.

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ing Company, at manufacturer's prices. 17 cents per foot. 3 inch, 3 ply 22 27 73 BOONE & CO.

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SPRING & SUMMER TRADE, As fine an Assortment of Boots and Shoes

As has ever been offered to a Southern People.

BOONE & CO'S STORE. RE" Terms, CASH.

March 17, 1857.

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WHEAT FANS. The subscribers are now engaged at Monroe Inion county, N. C. in putting up the above named Faus. In their manner of construction and operations and entire adaptation to the purnoses for which they are designed, these Fans are unequalled by any that have heretofore been offered to the public. They are constructed or he best materials, and none but the best workmen are employed. An experience of five years in the business justifies the belief that entire

atisfaction will be given. All our work is warranted. All orders will receive prompt attention and the machinery delivered according to order.

D. A. Covington, J. P. Houston, Munroc, N C. James B Robinson, Benj Morrow, Mecklenburg Wm G Smith, Dr Wadkins, Anson county

ROSE & STEEL. MONROE, Union county, March 20th. 6m

LAND FOR SALE The subscriber offers for sale the situation known as "White Beall,"

In the Steele Creek neighborhood, Directly on the main road leading from Charlotte to Yorkville, seven and a half miles from the former place and about four miles from the Charlotte and S. C. Railroad.

The tract contains FOUR HUNDRED AND FORTY ACRES, of which about one-fourth is uncleared, the remainder nearly all under fence, and mostly in a good state of cultivation. The fences are in good repair and the buildings second to none in the country. The Steele Creek lands are noted for their fertility, and this place ranks among the best. There are four churches. a flourishing Male Academy, and female school within convenient distances.

The community is unsurpassed in the persons having claims against the late firm general intelligence, public spirit, hightoned morality, and social qualities of its Persons wishing to purchase will apply

to M. N. Hart, Esq. to W. S. Prather on the premises, or to the subscriber in the immediate neighborhood. An indulgence of one, two, and three ears will be given. J. B. WATT.

March 9, 1857.

SOMETHING NEEDED. A New Tailoring Estab-

lishment. JAMES BRIANT informs his friends and ormer patrons, that he has reopened his TAIL-ORING ESTABLISHMENT in the up-stairs of the Building next to the Bank of the State, where he will be happy to see all those wanting any thing done in his line. All work warranted. Oct. 28th, 1856.

FOR THE LADIES

A large assortment of Fancy Hair and Tooth Fire on Houses, Goods, Produce, &c., at Brushes of every quality; French, English and isual rates. Office nearly opposite Kerr's Notel. American Pomades for the hair; Lubin's Extracts of Jockey club, violet, marechale, tea rose, cedar, heleotrope, rose, new mown hay, sweet scented shrub, sweet pea, mouseline, bouquet Napoleon, summer, blossom, milleflowers, upper ten. jasmine, caroline, musk. Cologne, Verbena, Jasmine, and Geraniun

Waters, &c. Just received at SCARR & CO'S April 14th. Drug Store

Soap Potash. Just received a fresh barrel of Potash, at SCARR & CO'S

April 14th.

Charlotte Drug Store. Ready-Made Clothing Furnishing Establishment.

SPRINGS & HEATH RESPECTFULLY inform their friends and the public generally that they have received and

are receiving an extensive assortment of Ready-Made Clothing at their old stand on the north side of Mint street, to which they invite atten-Gentlemen's COATS: Among their stock may be found Black Cloth Coats, single and double breasted; black and rab Alpacea in Sacks, Frocks and Raglans; French and English Drap-d'Ete; plain and faney Cassimeres, gotten up in nice suits; plain and

Drill and Linen Duck; each style embracing the different cuts, Sacks Frocks and Raglans. PANTALOONS: Pants of French and American Cassimeres black and fancy; black and fancy Alpacca, steel cloth and French and English Drap-d'Ete; plain and fanev Linen and Marseilles of all grades

ancy Linen Marseilles, in suits; white Linen

They would call especial attention to their lot VESTS. both single and double breasted, embracing black and figured Silk, black Satin, and the prettiest lot of Marseilles Vests ever offered in this market. Gents Furnishing Goods,

The largest lot in this market, consisting in part of plain and fancy Linen and Cotton SHIRTS: Collars, Byron & Bishop; linen and cotton Drawrs; plain and tancy Hosiery; Gloves, silk, kid, &e.; a variety of Cravats, silk and linen; Hand-

kerchiefs, silk and linen; Suspenders, &c., &c. ALSO, A fine lot of HATS for the Summer wear, emoracing all the latest styles of the Silk, Cassimere

and Felt Hats; Straw, Leghorn, and Panama do.

They offer the above Goods VERY LOW FOR CASH. or to punctual dealers on time, with the express understanding that accounts are due when they They return their thanks to their customers for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon

them, and hope to merit a continuance of the same by diligence in business and untiring efforts to please. Call and examine their Goods.

SPRINGS & HEATH. CHARLOTTE, N. C. April 7, 1857.

Cigar, Tobacco, FRUIT STORE.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Charlotte and surrounding country, that he has just received a splendid assortment of

SPANISH CIGARS of the choicest brands. Also, a fine article of

CHEWING TOBACCO, FRUITS & CONFECTIONERIES JAS. D. PALMER, Opposite Boone & Co.'s Shoe Stere.

Charlotte, April 7, 1857. A Rare Chance To get Bargains at Flint Rock.

Catawba county, N. C. The undersigned, not having sufficient water-power to drive all their machinery profitably, are determined to sell the aricles named below, and therefore offer them at the very low prices annexed: Power Loom \$40, and Cotton Gia \$40. Apply to T. & M. M. MOSER. Flint Rock, N C, April 7. 6m-pd

State of North Carolina. Office Court of Equity-Cleaveland County. NOTICE is hereby given that, I. Durham and wife Ann, Jacob Carroll and wife Sarah, B. D. Durham and wife Elizabeth, John Cline and wife Lucinda, Thompson Evans, Thomas Evans, and Louis Evans non-residents of this State, be and appear before me at my office in Shelby, on Monday the first day of June next, then and there to their several and respective claims to the oney arising from the sale of the lands of Jesse and county: that their several claims may be reported to the next term of the Court of Equity for leaveland county, to be held at the Fourt-House Sheiby, on the 11th Monday after the 4th Mony in March, A. D., 1857, for the further orders of the Court. By order of the Court of Equity for Cleaveland county, N. C., 11th Monday after the th Monday in September, 1856. THOS. WILLIAMS, C. & M. E.

Shelby, North Carolina.

April 7, 1857.—40-6w [Pr's fee \$6.]

Lightning Rods.

L. J. HAWLEY & CO. offer their serbeen engaged in the business for over six years in Virginia and North Carolina, and being provided with the best recommendations, I hope to be able to give entire satisfaction to all who may employ me.

Having permanently located in this place, all work done by me will be kept in good repair Orders addressed to me through the Post Office, or left at the Residence of N. Wilkinson, will meet with prompt attention.

L. J. HAWLEY & CO.

Charlotte, April 7, 1857. MRS. M. J. CRAIG, Dress Maker. Three doors below Trotter's Carriage Manufactory CHARLOTTE. April 22, 1856.-1y

WESTERN DEMOCRAT WCHARLOTTE. 700

THE NATIONAL HOTEL MALADY .- The Washington Union says: "While we are not disposed to give coun-

tenance or currency to the dark insinuations which have been made by several of our most respected cotemporaries in regard to what is termed "the National Hotel poisoning;" and while we are satisfied that most of the reports in regard to this lamentable affair are greatly exaggerated, if not wholly unfounded; still there is a sufficient left of a fearful reality to call for the strictest and most searching official investigation .-Such an investigation should have taken place weeks ago. It cannot with propriety or safety be postponed a day longer. It is alike due to the good name and best interests of the federal capital; and the city authorities owe it to themselves and to their constituents to meet the inside and outside pressure of public opinion in this matter promptly, energetically, and without fear

COLORED CANDY IS POISONOUS .- At a recent meeting of the Select Committee of the British House of Commons to inquire into the adulterations of all articles sold for food, &c., Dr. Taylor, the celebrated Pro fessor of Chemistry at Guy's Hospital, made the following statement in regard to colored confectionaries :

"In red candy, vermillion and red lead were used; and in the yellow, oxide of lead and chromate of red, which was very dangerous, and had been known to be the cause of the death of a child in 1853. The extract of bitter almonds, which was very much used in confections, was a most powerful poison, as it contains from six to twelve per cent, of prussic acid. Twenty drops of the oil killed a woman forty-nine years of age in half an hour. A compound of it called 'almond flavor' was much used, but was very dangerous. There was an instance in which half an ounce had killed a woman thirty-six years of age in half an hour."

A FRENCH GUNPOWDER PLOT.-It is confidently stated that there was ground for the rumor, that dangerous plots against the life of Louis Napoleon were discovered recently, at the last moment before the time appointed for their execution. The Guardian says:

end to the Emperor's life, but for committing murder wholesale, after the fashion of the gunpowder plot. The details have been confined, with comparatively wonderful secrecy, to the people about the Tulleries and prefecture of the police. The affair would seem to have been organized for some tolerably long while, and the moment of action was fixed for the first night when the court should visit the Theatre Français This theatre, situated at the end of the Rue Richelieu, and annexed to the Paiais Royal, is, for the greater part, built over a ground floor of shops. Most of these are authorities; but in the narrow and somewhat dark passage which runs from one entrance door of the theatre into the Palais Royal, there is a collection of small shops, one of which was unoccupied, and had escaped the notice of the police.

The line of shops lies immediately under the imperial box at the Theatre Français, and this shop was accordingly hired by the individuals who meditated the attack I am A complete sett of Carding Machines. \$400. going to relate. Little by little, and as they hoped, unperceived, they had introduced combustibles of all sorts into this closed shop, which was thus representing Guy Faux's cellar. The day before the Emperor's visit to the theatre, however, to witness the performance of "Fiammina," the locality being minutely examined, this shop excited attention, and the very day of the state visit, it was opened, entered into, and the whole of what it contained discovered. The plan had been to blow up the imperial box and all that side of the lyans, dec'd., late of Rutherford, now Cleave- theatre; but it is said that, had the combination even not been discovered, there was not a sufficient quantity of combustibles amassed to have made the execution pos-

A Western editor once apologized to his readers somewhat after this fashion:

"We intended to have a death and a marriage to publish this week, but a violent storm prevented the wedding, and the buildings with LIGHTNING RODS. Having recovered, and we are accordingly cheated

> Men are like bugles-the more brass they contain, the further you can hear them. Women are like flowers-the more modest and retiring they appear, the better you love them.

Hitchabobpackwack Debating Society: We await the decision with much interest. is ready for use.

CAPTURE OF AN AMERICAN SLAVER.

HORRIBLE SCENE ON BOARD .- We learn from the Kingston Journal that, on the 16th of April, Her Britannie Majesty's brig came into St. Ann's Bay, having in tow an American schooner with 373 slaves on board from Africa bound for Cuba. The name of the schooner is not given. Great excitement prevailed at St. Ann's in consequence of this affair. It was rumored that another slaver was off the coast from Africa, and

a British steamer had started in pursuit. On boarding the schooner a horrible scene presented itself. The captives were in a most wretched condition-all of them were naked-and a majority of them on the verge of starvation! They were packed very closely together, and covered with vermin, and it is stated that 137 of the misrable captives had died on the voyage. Another account says:

The slave schooner has two decks, and between the captives were packed in such manner that they had scarcely room to move. During each day of the voyage they sat in a painful posture, eighteen inches only being allowed for each to turn in, and in a deckroom 30 feet in length. 300 human beings were stowed away, and prought up in platoons once every day to get a small portion of fresh air. schooner draws but six feet of water, is of great breadth, and flat-bottomed, and was thus built to enable her, in case of pursuit, to run into a port where there is not much depth of water. The interpreter states that when slave-trading captains cannot escape craisers they make their way to a particular point of land on the Cuban coast, run the wessel ashore, and leave the slaves to perish. The place alluded to is surrounded with rocks-none but flat-bottom boats can get in-and the whole of that portion

It was also ascertained through the interpreter that several vessels were left on the African coast-that they were soon to have sailed with full cargoes-that upon an average two vessels departed weekly, each with 500 to 700 slaves on board- that the trade was rapidly increasing-and that the slaves on being landed in Cuba were worth from \$500 to \$700 each

THE GREAT EASTERN. We learn by the late news from England that it is expected that this monster steamship, now being completed in the Thames, Paris correspondent of the Manchester | will be ready for launching in August. Being 680 feet long, she is to be let in the A plan did exist, not only for putting an river sideways, and will truly represent a town going into the water. Lengthwise she would stretch nearly across the stream. Her tonnage is 22.500, which would enable her to take in the united bulk of the Collins and Cunard lines of steamers and sail off with them as a soldier sails off with his breakfast. With all this great bulk the Great Eastern will draw but 36 feet of water, and that too with 1,200 tons of coal in er bunkers. It is thought that the first port she will touch at here will be that of

Portland. She will be a sight to see. There will be in all 22 engines, including all sizes: 4 for working the paddle wheels, occupied by tradesmen well known to the 2 for working the capstan, getting up anchors, and pumping out ship, 2 for revolvng the screw, (to prevent its creating resistance when uncoupled and the ship is working under sail and paddle wheels, and 10 donkey engines, or steam pumps, for fill ing up boilers. The large screw engines are also fitted with a separate steam cylinder, to aid in starting and reversing, which cylinder might also be rated as a still addi-

The tonnage of this ship, by our government measurement, would be about 22,000 ons. The displacement of water, or the actual supporting capacity, will be about 27,000 tons. The weight of the hull, rigging, and enginery will be about 7,000 tons, and a sufficient quantity of coal for a full Australian voyage is estimated at from 5,000 to 6,000 tons, leaving a clear capacity for freight of about 14,000 tons.

If the very gigantic clipper ship Great Republic, the mammoth steamship of war Niagara, and the Collins steamer Adriatic. at this date the largest steamships a float, were each to be fully loaded, and then transferred bodily, with their loads, into the hold of the Great Eastern, it would appear but a fair cargo for this novel chart." Porter's Spirit.

SCRATCHES IN HORSES.—It is said that this often troublesome disease unless very had, may be cured by washing thoroughly doctor being taken sick himself, the patient with lard fried out of salt meat. Keep clean fornia Chronicle, of a late date, says: and wash with grease every other day until a cure is effected. Leaving mud to dry upon the legs of a horse is one great cause of this disease, and many horses are injured by want of care and cleanliness when in muddy weather.

TO MAKE WHITEWASH THAT WILL NOT RUB OFF -Mix up half a pailful of lime The following question is now before the and water ready to put on the wall; then take one gill of flour and mix it with the which has ruined the most men-giving water; then pour on it boiling water sufficredit or getting trusted?" We should not cient to thicken it; pour it while hot into wonder if this led to a considerable wrangle. | the whitewash ; stir all well together, and it

TERRIFIC SCENE IN CHURCH!! Marriage Ceremony Interrupted!

The Lancaster (Penn.) Express of Wediesday, says:

"A scene of the wildest excitament occurred last evening at St. James' (Episcopal) Church, in this city, which, for a time threatened to be very serious in its consequences. It having become generally known that the marriage of two young ladies, both highly esteemed and enjoying an extensive circle of friends and acquaintances was to take place in the church, the one at seven and the other at eight o'clock, an unusually large congregation collected to witness the ceremonies. Long before the hour named for the first marriage, the church was crowded to its utmost capacity. The pews, galleries and stairways and vestibule, were packed full of men, women and children, and by the time the bridal party ar rived many persons were unable to gain admittance, who consequently collected at the windows on the street.

The appearance of Mr Fisher and Mis-Diller, at about 74 o'clock, was the signal for a general and disgraceful scramble for available positions for witnessing the cere monies. Many of those present appeared to have no regard for their own decency or the sacred character of the house. They stood on the seats and even scrambled on the backs of the pews, the spectacle presented being more like what is sometimes seen in a theatre than we ever witnesed in a church. Amid this confusion the solemn and impressive ceremony was commenced by Rev. Jacob W. Diller, brother of the happy bride; but before its conclusion the confusion was renewed in consequence of many persons becoming alarmed by the creaking of a bench in one of the galleries which they supposed was the gallery itself giving way under the great weight upon it The ceremony being over, the bridal par-

ty had scarcely retired from the church, when an old bench which had formerly been carried into the organ gallery gave way under the weight of those standing upon it .-The crash started a frightful panic. Some person in the gallery cried out that the gal lery was falling, and a general stampede commenced in all parts of the church. The lower windows were thrown up, and used by many as a means of exit. One young gentleman was so terribly frightened, that he quite forgot the lady he had escorted to the church, and made a break through the nearest window, carrying with him the entire lower section of sash. He was quickly followed by a couple of ladies, and others were prevented from leaping out by those on the inside who had presence of mine sufficient to see that there was no real danger, except that which arose from the panic Several ladies got out of one of the gallery windows, descending on the vestry roof and from thence into the church-yard. A number of ladies fainted, which, with the screaming and praying, the rattling of blinds and broken glasses, presented a frightful spectacle. Those under the gallery supposed to be falling, made a rush in the direction of the pulpit, overturning and slightly damaging the baptismal font, and carrying away the bannister in front of the

Dr. Atlee, who had been sent for to at tend to those supposed to be injured, finally somewhat quieted the tumult by announcing that nobody was hurt and that there was no real danger. But the crowd still lingered to witness the nuptials of Mr Ehler and Miss Calder, until Dr. Bowman announced that the ceremony would not be performed in the church. Even then many persons regarded this as a ruse on the part of the Doctor to get clear of the crowd, and it was not until the Sexton began to turn off the gas that the church was cleared. The seof the bride's father, where the ceremony their wedding tour in the evening train.

HIGH PRICE FOR CORN .- Corn is selling Sioux city, Iowa, at \$3 a bushel. Through the middle portion of the State hay is in demand at \$20 per ton.

THE COOLIE TRADE AND ITS HORRORS. A few weeks since, 1322 coolies arrived in from the figures that the whole would make | Cuba, in four vessels, and of this aggregate, four hundred and fifty, or more than onethird, perished on the passage. The total night and day, is 900 gallons per day .number that arrived on the Island, from There is room in the building, however, for the passage. The trade, so far as Cuba is 3,000 gallons per day. We are glad to see concerned, is said to equal, in all its revolt- this movement in the South. It is the first with castile soap suds, and then rubbing ing features, the African slave. The Cali- attempt of the kind in that section of the

"We hear of these wretched beings dying on their passage from Canton to Callao of hunger, thirst, and foul disease engendered by close confinement, without air or nutriment, in the holds of ships. We hear of these unfortunates murdering one another -The Sheriff of St. Clair county advertises in the agony of their suffering; and yet, a negro man for sale at public auction, he although the thing is plain and palpable, being guilty of the "high misdemeanor" of before our very eyes, the civilized, the having come into the State of Illinois and Christian world, shrugs its shoulders, ex- remaining there for ten days, for which ofclaims "horrible," and leaves the helpless fence he was fined \$50, as provided by the creatures to their fate."

is economy-economy of money and econo- which he was found is directed to sell him my of time,

BEAUFORT, N. C.

The town itself is beautifully situated on a small peninsula formed by the waters of the Harbor, Newport and North rivers, and streams tributary to these. The channel of the Harbor sweeps around the town in the form of a semi-circle, from Lennoxville on the east or near Gallant's point on the northwest. South and east. Shackleford Banks, a low line of sandy beach, stretches many miles, while on the south and west Bogue Banks, of similar character extend, both protecting the entire harbor from the fury of the winds. In front of the town lies the opening of the harbor, less than half a mile in width between the extreme points of the two banks of which we have spoken. On the eastern extremity of Bogue banks, and directly in front of Beaufort, is situated Fort Macon. West of us lies Shepard's Point, the Eastern terminus of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad, and the site of a future city. This locality is separated from us by Newport river, which running a north and north-west course, bounds Beau-

fort on the west. The town is regularly laid off in squares, containing four acres, each square being subdivided into eight lots of half acre each. The streets, crossing each other at right angles, run nearly north and south, east and west. Front street, following the shore line, presents an irregular appearance, but little pains having been taken, either in posi ion or construction of the places of business located thereon. The residences at the western end of the street, as well as those farther east have been placed more symmetrically. The buildings which have been erected in the past three years, and those now in process of erection are decided improvements n those built at an earlier date.

Beaufort contains two Methodist (one of these is an African Church) and one Baptist Church, and on the 14th of the present month the corner-stone of an Episcopal Church was laid, that denomination using for the present, the Court-room, for its services. When the last named church is completed there will be ample room for the entire population, the present churches affording seats for 1,200. There are in successful operation several Male and Female Schools, which will favorably compare with those in other localities of the State. The average attendance upon the schools is about 200, which number will undoubtedly increase when the advantages which this point presents for the establishment and permanency of schools shall be properly

The Hotel accommodations, at all times, except for a few weeks during mid-summer are sufficient, and are not surpassed by any of the hotels in the State, all things considered. We lack seriously a good market, and any man of industry and perseverance. who is acquainted with the business, would find it greatly to his pecuniary advantage to keep this market well supplied with the necessaries and delicacies of life.

The population of Beaufort consist of bout 1600 souls, generally thrifty, but, with few exceptions, not given to habits of great industry. Why the mass of this population does not present an appearance of industry to a casual observer, is easily accounted for. Their wants are not numerous, and nature has been so bountiful here, that those wants are easily supplied .-Hence, no great exertion is requisite. No town of our acquaintance is so free from glaring vices and immoralities as is this .-

Beaufort Journal. The Atlantic Railroad will make a con-

nection between Charlotte and Beaufort. ----SOUTHERN ENTERPRISE.

The New Orleans Crescent contains quite an interesting account of a factory for the manufacture of cotton seed oil, that cond bridal party repaired to the residence has just been established in that city, at a cost of \$65,000. The seed is hulled by a was performed by Dr. Bowman, and the machine-the hulls are used for fuel-and happy pair at once prepared to start on the kernels, which descend upon a heated iron table, are cut into fine pieces and placed in bags, which are subjected to a pressure of two thousand tons in a press worked by steam admitted from below .--The oil runs into a vat, from whence it is numped into the clarifying house, where it is clarified and barreled, ready for transportation. It is sold readily for one dollar a gallon, while the cake commands thirty dollars per ton, for feeding cattle. The present capacity of the mill, which runs April, 1857, was 10,534, and 1,789 died on machinery sufficient to turn out 2,500 or Union. A mill of a similar class is in successful operation at Providence, Rhode Island, and last year consumed no less than 14,000,000 pounds of seed.

SELLING A MAN AT ACCTION IN ILLINOIS. Black Law of 1853, and in default of pay-The most important element of success ing which fine, the Sheriff of the county in to anybody willing to pay the \$50.