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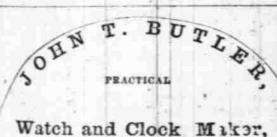
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pared, but the coachman, the wagoner, and all

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COTTON GINS. CHARLOTTE, N. C., June 18, 1870.

MESSRS. BREM, BROWN & Co :- Gentlemen : We. the undersigned, Cotton buyers and Grocery dealers of this City, have bought cotton ginned on the Gullett Steel Brush Gin, and have found it to be free from trash and dirt, and of superior lint, (fibre un-broken and free from nap.) and good cotton sold for half a cent per pound and poor and stained cotton from one to two cents per pound over cotton of the same classification ginned on other Gins.

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We are Agents, and keep on hand a supply of the above Gins. Any one in want of a Gin should call and examine them before buying. Call or send for Circular

BREM, BROWN & CO. June 20, 1870 State of North Carolina. Mecklenburg county.

In Superior Court. Sarah Ross against the Heirs of John P. Ross, dec'd Special Proceeding for Dower. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that

Wm. C. Ross, one of the defendants in the above proceeding, is a non-resident of the State, on motion it is ordered by the Court that publication be made in the "Western Democrat," a newspaper published &c., and the purchase of Gunny Cloths and Merchan- in the City of Charlotte, for six weeks successively, notifying the said W. C Ross to be and appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court for said county within twenty days from the service of this notice, then and there to answer the complaints of the plaintiff, or judgment pro confesso will be entered | o. w. BADGER.

Witness, E. A. Osborne, Clerk of our Superior. Court for said county, at office in Charlotte this the 20th day of July, 1870. E. A. OSBORNE,

Clerk Superior Court

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BITTERS.

This invaluable remedy in the following innumer-Col Wm Johnston, Pres. Charlotte and Augusta Rail-Chills and Fever, &c., has stood the TEST OF AN HUNDRED YEARS and now stands unequalled in the Southern States. As an Appetizer and Stomachic, its powers are im-

mediately experienced, and so pleasantly, that it cannot be said to be physic. Thousands of Soldiers In the Southern army, suffering from the above

Hundreds of families who now use it with unvarying success, have volunteered their certificates of

Dar Country Merchants are especially invited to its merits. This is no new or untried Medicine, but has been used in Germany for the last half century; and the recipe has been in possession of my father's family for 60 years past, and during the last fifteen years

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should never be without a bottle in the bouse. In marshy and swampy districts, where the malarial influences are so deadly poisonous, this Bitters is the only SURE REMEDY known which will prevent its attack and insure a freedom from its poison-

July 18, 1870.

For Sale by all Druggists. B. KOPMANN. Charlotte, N. C.

An Atrocious Crime.

Dr. Lemly, formerly of this place, but now of cher, who was employed at Penn's Store, return- these ponderous hubs the axles project for a dised home at night and found his little one lying tance of seven inches, being three inches in helpless upon the bed, with her head and body diameter where they come through. What for medical assistance, but, upon his return with hit against everything in the way, belongs to a physician, the child was dead. The physician | Chinese civilization to determine. On to these insisted upon looking at the body, and saw at axles, which are very heavy and strong, are atpoor little victim had been beaten to death. running from the mules' heads across the axle, While pursuing his inquiries, the guilty step- to which the frame is made fast by strong bands mother sat silent and trembling in the room, and bolts of iron. There is nothing in the shape while the father seemed almost beside himself of a spring, or thorough-brace, or any such Charlotte, N. C.,

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while the father seemed almost beside himself of a spring, or thorough brace, or any such with grief and apprehension. The next day thing. The Chinese have not got along to these the coroner was notified of the affair, and on the things yet in their civilization. On to this third day after its occurrence, a jury was em- frame is fastened the thing to which you are to panneled, the body disinterred and a post mor- be imprisoned during your trip to the capital of tem performed by Drs. Lemly and Dillard. It the Celestial Empire. It is only large enough was very plain that the child had been foully for one person, who is expected to sit with dealt with, and the evidence elicited fastened crossed legs on the bottom of the machine. the crime on the step-mother. A verdict "This strange cage is a kind of a cross between to that effect was rendered, whereupon Mrs. a hen coop and a dog kennel. It is made of Fulcher was arrested and imprisoned in the hard wood, and very strong, the sides being county jail on the charge of murder. - Salem | made to resemble the windows in a penitentiary,

attempted to cowhide a Methodist preacher, and steady yourself, as a protection against the terwas choked so bad that it was feared he would rible jerks you suddenly get from side to side as have to be put into his own name.

At the opening of a breach of promise case in somewhat resembles an old-fashioned Pennsyl-Kentucky, the court asked the counsel for the vania or Kentucky freight wagon, bating the plaintiff how long the trial would probably last. size, only the ribs of your inclosure are much It will be to your interest to see us before buying dred and eighty four love letters, written by de- to prevent the rain or dust from coming in, or eastern side of Woerth, there was more than an credit of the Prussian soldier, I can state that fendant to my client, to read."

LAND FOR SALE.

As Administrators of the late John Black, we will Land, subject to the widow's dower: One tract known as the Smith Land, containing 70 Acres, adjoining the lands of J. B. Williamson, A. G. Reid and others.

One tract known as the McCall place, 35 Acres, adjoining the above. All woodland. One tract known as the Joe Black tract, 33 Acres, adjoining R. B. Weddington, E. C. Grier and others. And one tract known as the Porter tract, 26 Acres, djoining J. M. Matthews, D. M. Lee and others. TERMS .- Six months credit for bond and approved MARY T. BLACK,

Aug 15, 1870 7w Valuable City Property for Sale.

As Attorneys for Isaac Loewenstein, we will sell at Public Auction, at the Court House door in Charlotte, on Friday, the 2d day of September, 1870, TWO BRICK STORE HOUSES on Trade Street, adjoining the property of Thos. H. Brem and others, and known as the Kahnweiler property, and we are enabled to state that all difficulties in reference to the title have been adjusted, and a perfectly good title will now be guaranteed.

Terms half cash and half 6 months credit. J. H. WILSON, VANCE & DOWD.

As the Attorney of E. S. Jaffray & Co., who have a claim on the above property, I consent to this sale, and will unite in the title, rendering it undoubted. Aug. 8, 1870 4w RUFUS BARRINGER.

Public Gin.

Prompt attention will be given to Ginning Cotton at my Plantation near Charlotte. Aug 8, 1870 2m J. S. MYERS.

FOR SALE.

Manufactured at Macon, Ga. Every one warranted. Call and examine before buying. We warrant them equal to any Gin made in the United States. One always on hand for inspection. E. M HOLT & SON. July 25, 1870 2m

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the Depot of the Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta

Railroad and sold by the Inspector's Receipt. Also

all Flour shipped by Railroad to this point for sale

will be subject to inspection. This is no new regulation, but one that was generally enforced before C. H. ELMS. City Inspector. Charlotte, Aug 8, 1870 3m

BADGER BROS.,

Having purchased the entire Stock of J. D. PALMER would respectfully inform the public that they will keep constantly on hand a good stock of Groceries, Wines and Liquors, Tobacco, Cigars. &c.

Their Sample Room will be furnished with the Ale, Cider, Lager Beer, Wines,

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Charlotte Female Institute. CHARLOTTE, N. C.

The 13th Annual Session of this Institution commences the 30th of September and continues until 30th of June, 1871. An accomplished corps of Teachers has been em-

ployed in all branches -usually taught in first-class Female Seminaries. For Circular and Catalogue containing full particulars as to terms, &c., address REV. R. BURWELL & SON.

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T W Dewey, Banking House Tate & Dewey, " Hon R Y McAden, Pres't 1st Nat. Bank, " Rev A W Miller, D D, Col Jno Y Bryce, Rev Chas Phillips, D D, Davidson College, N C. Prof J R Blake, July 18, 1870.

Wheat Wanted. Bushels Wheat wanted, for which the highest market price will be W. J. BLACK. July 11th, 1870.

Chinese Vehicles.

A contributor to the Coach-Makers' Monthly Henry county, Va., gives us an account of a describes in a humorous manner the vehicles shocking affair which recently occurred in that used by the Chinese. He says: "The vehiccounty, just across the North Carolina line. It les used for the journey are carts, one to each seems that some months ago, one Hardin Ful-cher, a widower with a promising little daughter hubs of the carts, although designed to carry some three years of age, remarried. The step- but one man and the driver, are as large as those mother soon conceived a violent dislike to the of our strongest drays in the United States, and child, and frequently threatened to kill it unless the wheels as strong and full of rivets as the its father sent it away. On the 26th ult., Ful- | wheels in Ezekiel's vision were of eyes. Through covered with bruises. Horrified, he hastened good this projection of the axle does, except to once from the character of the injuries, that the tached heavy frames, made of two scantlings fighting and of this heavy loss shows how serious though the poor fellows' faces showed much pain

the checkered bars being of hard, strong wood instead of iron. There is no seat of any kind. The Hon. Robert Toombs of Georgia, recently nor anything on which you can lay hold to your cart drops into the ruts of ages, and is jerked out again by mule power. Your prison

your quarters. thing like a comfortable seat, your head will hit had suffered much. There were steel breastagainst the top, and if your head barely escapes the top of the roof in the middle, it will be sure Administrators. to hit the sloping sides as soon as the lateral tions might be counted by hundreds. motion begins, and that is the moment the cart gets under way."

The Mare is mine now.

An old gentleman had an only son, and concluded to put all his property into his hands on condition that his son would maintain him. As they had but one horse, the father rode and the son walked to the justice's office to get the business done. The writings were drawn and executed, and the son put the deeds in his pocket. The old gentleman then walked out of the room and was in the act of mounting, when John steps up, takes the bridle out of his hand, and rides off, saying, "Father the mare is mine now," and left the poor old man to trudge home alone. Next day, the father, who kept his sorrow to

he called his son and said: "Johnny, I have been thinking of some more property which was omitted in the deed yester-Griswold's Improved Cotton Gins day, and I don't know whether it is best to give it to you now, or wait till I have done with it." "Oh," said the son, "the deeds have not been sent away to the register, and it is best that the

himself, was sitting before a blazing fire, when

business should all be done together." "Well then," says the father "get the papers." The son hastened to his old bureau, and brought them to him. The father asked if they were

"Yes," says John. Then the father tucked them under the fire stick, and turning around, cried out: "Johnny the mare is mine now."

Cheaper than Ever.

We are daily receiving fresh Groceries, such as Coffee. Rio and Java; Sugars of all grades; Molasses, from the cheapest to the best New Orleans; Porter and Ale, of the very best brands. Also, a large lot July 18, 1870. GRIER & ALEXANDER.

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A small FARM for sale with the growing crop n good repair and well improved-seven miles North | tack on both sides, it being difficult to say which of Charlotte and one mile and a halt of Capps' Gold BENJAMIN KINNEY. Mine. August 8, 1870 4wpd

Lincolnton FEMALE SEMINARY. The exercises of this Institution will be resumed

on Monday the 5th September, under the direction of Judge and Mrs. Brevard, assisted by competent nstructors. For terms, &c., apply to T. W. BREVARD, Principal, Aug. 15, 1870. Lincolnton, N.

Edgeworth Female Seminary.

The next Session will commence on the first Monday of September. Each boarder will furnish her own lights and towels, and also a pair of Sheets and Pillow Cases. This Seminary is equal to the best, and it is the cheapest among the best schools of the the German troops as much as to anything in For Circulars address

J. M. M. CALDWELL, Greensboro, N August 8, 1870 Wool! Wool!!

We want to purchase a large amount of WOO.

MCMURRAY, DAVIS & CO.

Seed Wheat,

for which we will pay the highest market price.

An excellent article for sale by STENHOUSE, MACAULAY & CO. The Battle of Woerth.

Scenes on the Battle-Field-Evidences of a Terrible Struggle-Over a Hundred Thousand

senburg, resulting in complete success to the misfortune. The Germans and Frenchmen German arms, was but a foretaste of the storm which threatened the northern part of Alsace. On the second day after that of Weissenburg the common enemy being the jolting wagon. came the battle of Woerth, and the Crown Prince gained a victory over the ablest general in France. It is admitted that the French fought with reck- Prussians and Bavarians, Turcos and French less courage, and that they inflicted a heavy loss men of the line. They bore the misery of the on their opponents; but the fact of this hard road in equal silence. It was rare to hear a cry, a defeat was sustained by McMahon.

Battle-field Scenes .- I traversed the field while the dead still lay unburied on the trampled ground, and could form a good notion of how the fight had gone by the ghastly evidence which remained. Woerth is at the bottom of a fertile valley, between two ridges of cultivated ground. There is much of wooded land in the neighborhood; and especially behind the French posi-tion or on the western side of the valley, there is a strip of forest which forms a cover for retreating troops.

The little river Bruder, not big enough in summer time to float a skiff, flows through the village, and a high road comes winding down toward the village on the eastern side of the valley, flanked by trees. Here was the Prussian position. Stretching far to the right and left along this road were heaps of spiked hemlets to be seen, and cart-loads of needle-guns were collected under the trees. At a distance the French musketry fire had told more heavily than the they belong. Here they are furnished with German, and I heard that the French artillery their uniforms, kits and arms, and are ready had been very well served.

will mention as one item that I have three hun- placed a covering of strong, blue cotton muslin, parties were busy with the German dead on the with which everything proceeds. To the great you from seeing out except in front. This exchange of slaughterous work on the western since my arrival in the country I have not seen cover is made to come down in front of you, so side. Here the Prussians and Bavarians had a single man in uniform the worse for liquor. that you must crouch to see out even in front, pushed forward in strong force, and their fire Glory indirectly makes a man more thirsty than like a dog looking out of his kennel, or a chick- had told fearfully upon the French. The high does patriotism. It is at a crisis like the presell at the Court House door in Charlotte, on the en looking out from under the old hen on a spirit and rigid discipline of the one army had sent that the full value of the Prussian military first day of October next, the following tracts of rainy day. You must first get on to the shaft, been more than a match for the desperate resis- system is evident. The whole of the regiments and then crawl backward through this hole to tance of the other. Whole companies of French- belong to various localities, from which they are "Bed and bed-clothes, carpet-sacks and shawls to check the enemy's advance. It had been a has a regiment of reserve composed exclusively are packed away in this little cramped concern, tolerably equal fight in some places, for the of the men who have served their time in that and you endeavor to adjust them so that your ground was strewed with German dead; but regiment. Consequently when the reserve is, bones may escape being broken against the more and more Frenchmen had fallen in propor- as at present, called in. every man finds himself rough sides of your narrow cage. But the roof tion. Black Turcos and wide-trowsered Zouaves among friends. By his side is his younger is so low that if you put in enough to make any- lay thick at many points, and the cuiraissiers brother, around him are neighbors. He is at plates and brass helmets scattered thickly on the to distinguish himself in action, for he knows line of retreat, while the dead horses in all direc-

And so westward through the wood went the traces of increasing disaster; officers and men lying grimly where they had fallen. Some in quiet, shady spots, as though upon a picnic, French had rallied, and the dead of both sides lay thick. Turces were there who had evidently pieces as they lay. Frenchmen of the line regiments had here and there fallen in numbers, as though they had halted and faced about in regu-

lar order. But the aspect of the fields beyond the wood seemed to indicate a hasty retreat. Wagons were overturned, baggage was thrown out upon | Boston market, gave his experience and observathe roadside; many knapsacks were to be seen. No one who had passed over that battle-ground ing of the Caledonia county farmers' club. He of Woerth when I did, could have failed to said the main object of the farmer was to get realize that a great disaster had befallen the the most out of his fodder. It does not pay to French arms, though my observations were made feed grain to a poor creature, one that does not when most of the wounded had been removed.

The Loss on both sides .- On so large a scene of action it would have been impossible to judge of the exact loss sustained. I see no reason, however, to doubt the official return on the German side, which gives about 10,000 Frenchmen and 7,000 Germans hors du combat, and about 7,000 prisoners taken by the victors-4,000 in the battle and 3,000 in the pursuit. These losses, with the further loss of cannon and colors, made the battle of Woerth an evil day for France. Well might the wounded Germans raise themselves to cheer the Crown Prince as he passed, and cry that Germany is safe. It will often be told how the armies met on the 6th of August, and how McMahon made an unsuccessful attempt of Flour-all of which we will sell cheap for cash. to repel the invasion of Alsace; how the Prussians held the left of the line, and the Bavarians and Wurtemburgers the right, and how a few Baden troops held in reserve by the Crown Prince were brought up just in time to share the honors of the day. There was a fierce at party began the fight. Gradually, as the German troops pressed round upon their opponents' line of retreat, the French were forced to so hasty a retrogade movement that the retreat became very hearly a rout.

The Needle Gun and the Chassepot.-The needle gun proved itself to be fully the equal of the chassepot, and perhaps more than that-at least so say the German soldiers, with apparently good reason. Moreover, the Prussians knew their weapon better, having long been accustomed to it, and the Crown Prince handled his army so as to make the most of the deadly fire of his infantry. The cavalry was not used for an attack in the first instance, but was sent in pursuit

when the enemy began his retreat. It was a victory due to the patriotic ardor of their discipline or tactics, but we must not forget that the French showed ardor likewise, and the scale was turned for the Germans at Woerth by | The Radicals will never have a better chance. their intelligent understanding of the breechloader drill, and by their steadiness in firing. These matters take time to learn. We see the glorious results which Germany is reaping from

her careful preparation.

The French Prisoners.—The prisoners were assembled near the first station of the re-opened

We drove past them very slowly, for the road was blocked with ammunition wagons, and I noticed that they seemed wofully discouraged. There were no songs and no laughter to be heard Men Engaged.

The special correspondent of one of the New York papers writes on the 11th from the headquarter of the Crown Prince an account of the battle of Woerth.

The swift and skillful movement against Weis-

> As we neared Woerth there was a constant stream of wagons, bringing down wounded men, They were a sadder sight in their blood stained bandages than the men who lay grimly on the

hillside. Woerth itself was a mere hospital, and all the inhabitants were either nursing the wounded or burying the dead. It was an evil fate for the picturesque little place, that more than 100,000 men on one and the other side should have sottled their quarrel so near at hand.

The Prussian Soldiers. [Berlin Correspondence London Standard]

It is impossible to conceive finer bodies of menthan those which daily arrive in Prussia to join their regiments. They belong to the first reserve, and all between the age of 23 and 28. very large number of them wear the decorat they wore in the Austrian war, and all are trained soldiers. As the trains arrive they are met by a small party of soldiers, and the men are escorted to the barracks of the corps to which in balf an hour to take their place in the ranks. I can't say exactly," replied the counsel, "but nearer together and stronger. Then over all is Piles of the Dead .- But though the burying Nothing can exceed the order and regularity men had been mowed down in their wild attempts | exclusively raised. Each regiment of the line home at once, and has besides every incentive that his neighbors are looking on, and that every deed of daring will be noted and told at home. It would be difficult to imagine any system so calculated to make heroes. In regiments raised like those of England, the local connection exists only in name, and a soldier can scarcely hope seemed asleep. Pools of blood remained where that his deeds of bravery in the field will become the wounded had been found. There were the common talk of his neighbors and townsknapsacks, rifles and overcoats, either thrown people, and that the girl he loves will look with away in flight or left by the wounded on the pride upon him as the acknowledged hero of the Then I came upon a spot where the locality. Of course, under our present voluntary system this could not be carried out in England, but when the time comes that our fought to the last, and had tried to fire their long-talked of reserve is to become a reality, it is to be hoped that this important feature of the Prussian system will not be lost sight of.

> A DROVER ON FATTENING CATTLE .- Mr. Bela S.-Hastings, who is one of the leading drovers from Vermont, in supplying cattle for the tion in relation to fattening stock, at a late meettake on flesh rapidly. Farmers will do better to dispose of such stock for what it will bring, and procure animals of good style. He believed that one-half of the grain fed was wasted by not being fed to good cattle. Another important point is, farmers do not feed heavy enough. Ha would commence with as much feed as they could bear at first, and then increase. In feeding 22 quarts of meal, the last four quarts are worth twice as much as the first four for fattening purposes. Some farmers complain that they do not get pay for the grain they feed out, but he had noticed that it was only those that feed light that thus complain. Whether the animal was to be fed a long or a short time, he would recommend heavy feeding. Mr. Hastings said he knew nothing better than corn meal. The cob is not worth much, if anything. Those persons of whom he purchased fat stock, who were the most successful, and made it most profitable, were those who fed meal largely. If a farmer has potatoes or other roots, it is well enough to feed those in part, but a farmer will do better to exchange some of his roots for corn than to feed roots altogether. It is important to feed regularly and not too often, as the stock will lie down and ruminate. It is better to feed cattle but three times a day, and sheep but once.

KENTUCKY.-The Louisville Journal sums up the victory as follows: "The Democratic . majority in Kentucky will exceed fifty thousand. The Radicals have not carried a single county in the State. With all their efforts-with the aid of the independents-with the sequisition of the negro vote-with perfect organization arrayed against a party whose strength has made it weak at least in discipline—they have been able to achieve nothing. They had the eager, undeveloped assurance of a new hope to inspire them. They had a body of census takers in every neighborhood to instruct them. They encountered an undrilled antagonist. The result is an overwhelming victory for the Democratic party. They have shown themselves strong enough to consolidate the Democratic elements and to enforce strict Democratic discipline."

A mother of a waggish boy, having bottled up a lot of nice preserves, labled them, "Put up by Mrs. D——." Johnny, having discovered railway through Weissenburg. I could distin- them, soon ate the contents of one bottle, and guish many Turcos and Zouaves among them, wrote on the bottom of the label, "Put down by