(From the New Orleans Times.)

If there is a merchant in New Orlcans who can sell goods at any price he chooses to fix on them, Rube Heffenstein, who keeps a clothing and shoe store on Poydras street, is the man, A few days ago a customer entered his establishment and in-

quired: 'Have you got any low-quar-

ter gaiters?'

'Certainly, my frent.I had any sdyle you vish und someding dot vos neat und vill last all de summer dime out. Now, here vas a pair uv gaiters vat is made uv Prussian ledder, de best kind dot vas known, und I dinks dey vill suit you. Subbose you dry dem on.

'All right.' replied the custom-

'Vait, my frent, und I'll put a leedle powder in. Now dry dem. Ah! vat better shoe you vant den dat. It vits shust as if somepody dake your measure.' It's too tight across the instep,

said the customer, rubbing the spot with his fingers. 'It vill sdretch, my dear sir,'

replied Hoffenstein, persuasively Dat ledder vas made exbressly for sdretching.

'But the shoe pinches my toes

'Dot is noding; it vill go vay de first dime it gets vet. You don't vant to puy a pair of shoes more as dree sises too big und go around the ladies mit your feet looking like a couple uf rail road scrapers. It vould be a shame, you know.'

'What do you ask for the shoes?'

Only seex dollars.

Jerusalem! that's too much. Vell, my dear sir, you must regolect dat dem shoes vas made uf Prussian ledder und ledder dere vas scaree. My uncle vat lifs dere writes me last veek und said dat ledder vas so scarce dey don't make harness mit it any longer. All the harness is now made uf wool.

I'll tell you what I'll do, said the customer, examining the shoe closely, "I'll give you four dollars.'

'My gr-r-r-acious, a Prussian ledder shoe for four dollars ven it cost me more as five dollars and fifty cents laid at de depot down, und de profit on dem don't pay for de gas. My gr-r-rracious, vat's de matter mit de beople? Do you know, my frent dat my own foder vas in de retail shoe business, and he sold de same kine uf shoes for four dollars, und vat you dink become of him?'

I don't know, replied the

customer. Well, my dear sir, he kept on selling dem Prussian leader shoes for four dollars until he got

so poor dat de hogs eat him. Well. I'm not going to give six dollars for these shoes,' said the customer, moving toward the door; they are not worth it.

Vell, my frent,dake dem along for four dollars und call around again some oder day.

The customer paid for the

shoes, and taking his parcel left SHERIFF'S SALE. the store.

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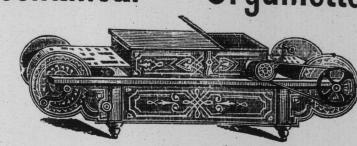
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Aug. 18th. Our contemporary has not ye apologized for publishing fals figures of exports, as we prove by reference to the Blue-book, a recent issue. To poison the stream of public opinion is a offense the morning organ ha too often attempted to commit But the eyes of the people an open to tricks like that now, an deception is not so easy as used to be in old times. Mean time we have to observe that our contemporary will consu the last returns of trade an commerce it will find that th N. P. has just fulfilled the ver condition demanded, It will fine under the signature of Mr. John son, a table of statistics which shows that the value of the ex ports from the Dominion in 188 exceeded in value those of an other year since 1874, and th value was only exceeded in tw years, viz., 1873 and 1874, sinc the date of Confederation, also shows a result never show before in the Dominion statistics viz.: an excess of exports ove imports, the amount of such excess being, over total imports \$1,421,711, and over value of goods entered for consumption \$16,129,109. The amount of import and export Customs du. ties collected. \$14,138,849.22 was exceeded in 1874 by \$283,-

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