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New Orleans, August 23, 1865-1y

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New Orleans, February 14, 1866-tf

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New Orleans, August 23, 1865-1y

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COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA.
We shall continue business as heretofore. Mr. Thos. H. Pitts, Shreveport, La., at Messrs. Walsh & Boisseau's warehouse, will represent our house in all business matters. july19 1y

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—AND—
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COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
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WHOLESALE
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NEW ORLEANS.
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CARRIAGES AND HARNESS,
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Successors of D. H. Taylor & Co., and Taylor & Raddin,
No. 87 and 89 Common street, New Orleans.
Will keep constantly on hand a full stock, suitable for city and country trade. Give us a call. [jan24-1y

G. N. MORISON,
WHOLESALE DRUGGIST
AND
DEALER IN PATENT MEDICINES, etc.,
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HAS on hand a large and select stock of **DRUGS and MEDICINES**, which are offered for sale at prices in accordance with Northern quotations, adding a small advance on cost of same, in quantities to suit the wants of purchasers.
Commission Merchants, Planters and Druggists can rely upon getting their goods put up with care and dispatch.
The following articles embrace a small portion of my stock on hand and to arrive.
2000 ounces of French and American QUININE,
600 lbs. CALOMEL—American and English.
100 ounces SULPHATE MORPHINE,
1200 lbs. Refined CAMPHOR,
150 lbs. Powdered IPECAC,
50 lbs. IPECAC ROOT,
300 lbs. CHLOROFORM—1 lb. bottles,
150 ounces of NITRATE SILVER,
125 lbs. IODIDE POTASSA,
300 lbs. SWEET SPIRITS NITRE,
10 barrels of CASTOR OIL,
50 barrels FLAX SEED—Whole and ground,
20 barrels EPSOM SALTS,
500 lbs. of INDIGO,
2000 lbs. GUM ARABIC—Fine and sorts,
1000 lbs. TARTARIC ACID,
2000 lbs. ARROW ROOT—American and Bermuda,
50 boxes of CASTILE SOAP.

PATENT MEDICINES, Etc.,
50 gross of VERMIFUGE,
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5 gross of Bryan's WAFERS,
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50 dozen of Morison's INVIGORATING BITTERS,
25 dozen of RED JACKET BITTERS,
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5 gross of Ayre's CHERRY PECTORAL,
50 dozen of Bull's SARSAPARILLA,
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50 dozen of COD LIVER OIL,
Also, a fine assortment of PERFUMERY,
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Manufacturer and
WHOLESALE DEALER IN
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Now offers to the Trade the best selected Stock of
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Composed in part of the following Staple Chemicals,
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BLUE MASS,
BLUE VITROL,
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COPPERAS,
CREOSOTE,
CREAM TARTAR,
DOVER'S POWDERS,
EPSOM SALTS,
Ether, Nitric (f. f. f.)
Ether, Sulphuric,
Glauber Salts,
Glycerin, (Amer. and Eng.,)
Hoffman's Anodyne,
Iodine Resublimed,
Iron, all prep'ns of,
Sugar Lead,
Chloride Lime,
Lunar Caustic,
Magnesia, Calcined and Carbonate,
Mercury, and the different prep'ns of,
Morphine, Acetate and Sulphate,
Potassium Cyanide,
POTASSA, and all the preparations of,
RED PRECIPITATE,
ROCHELLE SALTS,
SEIDLITZ MIXTURE,
SALACINE,
SANTONINE,
SODA, and its diff. prep'ns.
SILVER NITRATE CRIST,
STRYCHNINE,
SULPHUR,
TANNIN,
VERATRIA,
ZINC, and its prep'ns,
BILLING'S Syrup.
My stock of Pure Drugs and Medicines is large, and has been carefully selected.
Also, **Brandies, Wines, Liquors,**
And PERFUMERIES and FANCY GOODS.
Druggists, Physicians and Planters will do well to call and examine my Stock before purchasing elsewhere.
JAMES GONEGAL,
No. 20 St. Charles streets.
New Orleans, August 23, 1865-1y

GRIFFIN & PORCH,
WHOLESALE GROCERS
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Nos. 37 and 39 Tchoupitoulas Street,
NEW ORLEANS. jan10-1y

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Direct from the Manufacturers and Importers, and sold at the lowest market price.

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Wholesale and Retail Druggist,
SHREVEPORT, LA.,
Has now completed his stock, and to which monthly additions will be made in order to keep constantly on hand a large and complete assortment of **Drugs, Medicines and Chemicals**, Paints, Oils, Varnishes and Dye Stuffs, Kerosine Oil and Lamps, Glass and Glassware, Perfumery, Soaps, Hair Preparations, Combs and Brushes, with an endless variety of articles for the toilet.
PURE WINES AND LIQUORS for Medical use,
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PHYSICIANS POCKET CASES AND SADDLEBAGS,
TRUSSES AND SUPPORTERS,
SHOULDER BRACES, &c.,
BOOKS AND STATIONERY.
Blank Books, School Books, Miscellaneous and Medical Works, Letter, Cap and Note Paper, Envelopes, &c., with all the other articles appertaining to the Stationery business.
In addition to my general stock, I have selected with care a lot of
DOUBLE and SINGLE BARREL SHOT GUNS,
IMPROVED BREACH LOADING RIFLES,
PISTOLS, SHOT, CAPS, POWDER, WADDING,
FLASKS AND POUCHES,
Also a choice lot of Pocket Cutlery, Fish Hooks, &c.
Country Merchants and the public generally are invited to call and examine my stock and prices, for I am confident that I can fill all bills in my line of business, lower than any other house in this section of country. feb14-tf

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WRIGHT, HARRISON & Co.,
SUCCESSORS TO J. C. MURPHY,
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—GENERAL DEALERS IN—
DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, Ready-made Clothing, Hats, Boots,
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Large Brick Warehouse on the Levee,
And Brick Store under Freeman's Hall, Dalla Street,
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Particular attention paid to the sale of Ploughs, Heapers, Stoves, Iron, Steel, Mills, Machinery, and every other class of Implements, Merchandise, or Produce, consigned to them. [oct4-1y

LANCASTER, DURKEE & MAPLES,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
WHOLESALE GROCERS,
AND DEALERS IN
HARDWARE AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,
No. 15 LEVEE STREET,
Shreveport, Louisiana. jan10-1y

REMOVAL.
THE undersigned has removed his CARPET STORE to No. 8 Carondelet street, two doors from Canal, where a full and complete assortment in his line may be seen. New patterns of VELVETS, BRUSSELS, TAPESTRY, 3-ply, and INGRAINS, are just being received.
LEWIS ELKIN,
nov22 6m] No. 8 Carondelet street, New Orleans.

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—AT—
REDUCED PRICES.
HARRISON & DOWNING.
No. 1 Magazine street, corner of Canal st.,
NEW ORLEANS,
ARE offering their complete assortment of Clothing and furnishing Goods at
TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. REDUCTION on former prices.
Country merchants will find it to their advantage to give us a call before purchasing. [mh28 2m

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BAZAAR OF FASHION.
J. H. McDERMOTT,
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Millinery,
Ladies' Furnishing Goods,
Trimmings, &c.,
ever brought to this market, would respectfully call the attention of his customers and the public generally to the following imperfect enumeration of stock. In
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will be found—
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GRENADINES,
SILK TISSUES,
FRENCH ORGANDIES,
PRINTED MUSLINS,
CRAPE MORETTS,
Plain and figured SWISS,
PERCALES,
BRILLIANTINES,
LAWNS,
BAREGES, &c., &c.
—Also—
BASQUINES, SCARFS, MANTILLAS, LACE SHAWLS, &c., of the latest styles, in great variety.
Embroideries.
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Millinery.
BONNETS, HATS, for Infants, Misses and Ladies, Ladies' UNDERGARMENTS, of every description, ready made.
Ladies and Children's SHOES, all styles and qualities.
In short, a complete assortment of Ladies' Goods,
From a Paper of Pins to a Wedding Outfit.
This portion of the stock was selected, with great care, by Mrs. WELLS, who, by business experience in this market of twelve years, perfectly understands the requirements of Ladies in this section, and who feels confident she can please the most fastidious, both in goods and prices.
J. H. McDERMOTT is determined to establish an exclusive
LADIES' STORE,
that will prove creditable to himself and beneficial to his customers. In view of which, he has purchased the most tremendous stock of goods ever brought to this market, in the Ladies' line, and being determined to secure the Ladies' trade, he pledges himself to sell
Cheaper than the Cheapest,
which he can do and make a living profit, which is all he desires. Ladies who favor him with their custom may rest assured that they will get goods at legitimate prices, whether judges or not, for he has established a
One Price System,
which cannot fail to give satisfaction, as it is based upon "small profits and quick returns." Mrs. Wells superintends the Millinery and Dress making Departments, where she will be pleased to see and wait upon her old friends and customers. Both of these branches are under the management of first class artistes, who are thoroughly "posted" on the latest fashions.
To the Gentlemen, McDermott would say that he has a fine stock of
SPRING and SUMMER CLOTHING,
BOOTS, SHOES,
HATS, and
FURNISHING GOODS, &c.,
which he will sell cheaper than any one else in town, as he is going out of gents' goods entirely, in order to devote his exclusive attention to the establishment of a first class Ladies' store. [mh28 tf

W. E. HAMILTON. E. J. HAMILTON. W. B. HAMILTON. E. F. CONNELL.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,
CLOTHING,
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,
Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps,
HARDWARE, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, &c.,
7.....**TEXAS STREET**.....7
SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA.
THE following is a synopsis of the goods we have in store, and are now offering for sale:
DOMESTICS,
Brown and Bleached,
Cotton Yarns, Osnaburgs,
Denims, Stripes, &c.
PRINTS,
All kinds of American Prints,
French and English Prints.
DRESS GOODS,
French and English, of all kinds.
LINEN GOODS,
Linen Damasks,
Towels, crash,
Handkerchiefs, Diapers,
Shirt Fronts,
WHITE GOODS,
Jaconets, Cambrics,
Nansooks, Checks,
Stripes, Lawns, &c.
EMBROIDERIES,
Of every description,
Hamburg Trimmings, &c.
IMPORTED HOSIERY and GLOVES,
Containing every article in the Trade.
DOMESTIC HOSIERY,
And Underwear of every description.
CLOTHING,
And MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, of all kinds.
SILK HANDKERCHIEFS,
Pongees, Bandannas, Twills, Corahs, &c.
FLANNELS,
All grades, widths and colors, imported and domestic.
WOOLENS,
Summer Cassimeres and Cloths, French and English.
YANKEE NOTIONS,
Including Buttons, Braids, Spool Cotton, Bindings, &c.
HARDWARE, of every description.
CROCKERY and GLASSWARE,
WOOD and WILLOW-WARE.
CUTLERY,
Table and Pocket, from best manufacturers.
SMOKING and CHEWING TOBACCO. [mh21 tf

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BATEMAN & BROTHER,
RECEIVING, FORWARDING and Commission Merchants.
AND DEALERS IN
STAPLE DRY GOODS and GROCERIES,
PLANTATION SUPPIES &c.,
JEFFERSON, TEXAS.
HAVING leased the large and commodious Fire Proof Ware House, owned by W. FREEMAN, in connection with our Brick Store on the Levee, are prepared to do an unlimited Receiving, Forwarding and Storage business.
Constantly on hand, a large stock of Staple Dry Goods and Groceries, and will give entire satisfaction to our numerous friends by giving our personal attention to all business entrusted to our care. To those not acquainted with us, we refer them to every man, woman and child in north-eastern Texas, who are old citizens. We most respectfully solicit a share of patronage. Give us a trial.
☞ Personal attention given to the sale of Cotton, Wool, Hides, Flour, and all kinds of Produce, and will make prompt remittance.
Jefferson, September 6, 1866.

SHREVEPORT BREWERY.
THE undersigned respectfully informs the public that he has purchased from Mr. A. Schaffner, the well-known **Shreveport Brewery**, for the purpose of continuing the manufacture of LAGER BEER. All orders from either the city or country, promptly filled.
Address Box 261, Shreveport, La. H. LINMAN.
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TWELVE Lots of Ground, 50 feet by 150 feet each with two large Warehouses thereon, the dimensions of one being 50 feet wide by 150 feet long, and the other 50 feet wide by 100 feet long, just completed, situated immediately on the bank of the bayou, at the Steamboat Landing for Jefferson, Texas.
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JAS. E. PHELPS. R. L. DOLBEAR. R. A. PHELPS

PHELPS & CO.,
WHOLESALE GROCERS,
Receiving, Forwarding,
—AND—
GENERAL COMMISSION
MERCHANTS,
Nos. 16, 17, 18 and 19 Commerce Street,
Cor. Crockett street,
SHREVEPORT LOUISIANA,
REFERRING our old friends and customers, and all others who may favor us with their patronage, to the above card, we would call their attention to the fact that our extensive brick Warehouses have storage capacity for
8000 Bales Cotton and 25,000 Barrels.
Our Receiving and Forwarding arrangements are thoroughly systematised, and all freights consigned to us will meet with prompt and faithful attention.
Orders for the Purchase of Goods,
either here, in New Orleans, or elsewhere, will be filled when accompanied by cash, with dispatch and accuracy. In connection with this, we will remark that our arrangements with the house in New Orleans will enable us to compete successfully with any other house in the Southwest.
GROCERIES, &c.
We will keep constantly on hand a full and complete assortment of goods in our line, to which fresh additions are made by nearly every boat, and which we continue to offer at a slight advance on cost.
Our stock will embrace, in part,
Texas Flour, (Williams'),
Western Flour,
Brown Sugar,
White Sugar, crushed and pulv.
WHISKY—
Bourbon,
Monongahela,
Dexter, &c., &c.
COFFEE—Rio and Java.
Bacon, Tea, Mackerel, in kits, ¼ and ½ kits, bbls. and ½ bbls.
SALT—Liverpool and Kanawha.
Western Cheese,
Irish Potatoes,
Onions,
Can Oysters,
Can Fruits,
of every variety.
TOBACCO—Smoking and Chewing.
Champagne,
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—Also—
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MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN
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—AND—
SADDLERY HARDWARE,
No. 14.....Levee Street.....No. 14.
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E. & B. JACOBS,
Dealers in
GROCERIES, LIQUORS,
Dry Goods, Hardware, &c., &c., &c.,
Texas Street, Shreveport,
WOULD respectfully inform their old friends and the public generally that they have on hand a very large and extensive stock, which is offered at the lowest price. Their stock consists of every variety of
FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
HARDWARE,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
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As our purchases, foreign and domestic, are made direct of the manufacturer, we will be able to supply all descriptions of Plantation and Family goods and supplies at New Orleans prices.
Purchasers are solicited to call and examine our stock and prices before making their purchases.
E. & B. JACOBS.
Shreveport, March 21, 1866.

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Or others wishing to engage in Business.
THE subscribers, being about to remove to New Orleans, offer for sale their
ENTIRE STOCK OF
STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,
CLOTHING, HATS, BOOTS, SHOES, &c.,
At original cost and carriage. The stock is completely assorted, and recently purchased at New York and New Orleans for cash.
Parties wishing to engage in Mercantile business will find this a rare opportunity.
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PITTS & THAYER,
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(Stacy & Poland's large Warehouse, foot of Texas street, left of H. B. Orton & Co.'s),
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CONSIGNMENTS of every description, at private or public sale, respectfully solicited. All business entrusted to our care will receive prompt attention.
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—Also—
Agents for the
Ætna Life Insurance Company, of Hartford, Connecticut;
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DEALERS IN
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Corner of Texas and Market Streets,
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KEEP constantly on hand a **large, well selected and fine stock** of the above articles, which will be sold cheap. Terms—Cash. [feb21-tf

TO RENT FOR THE YEAR 1866.
THE WILDERNESS PLANTATION, on Bayou Pierre, immediately west of Mrs. Powell's on Red river. There is about three hundred and fifty acres of open land; on the place, there is a good dwelling house, negro cabins, cisterns, cribs, mill, gin and press; all the improvements are new, and in good repair. There is some corn and fodder on the place, which the person renting, can have.
Apply to the undersigned, 2½ miles from Shreveport.
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KEEP constantly on hand Fresh Beef, Pork, Mutton and Veal.
☞ Steamboats and Hotels supplied either in the day or night. [d20 tf

NOTICE.
Shreveport, January 19, 1866.
MAJOR W. H. ELSNER, is my duly authorized agent, during my temporary absence from this place [jan24] J. C. ELSTNER.

The Speech of the President to the Soldiers

AND SAILORS.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—In reply to the crowd of soldiers and sailors assembled at the white house this evening to pay their respects to the president, president Johnson said: I confess that in the present posture of public affairs your presence and address give encouragement and confidence to me in my efforts to discharge the duties incumbent on me as chief magistrate of the republic, and in what I have to say I shall address you in the character of citizens, sailors and soldiers. [Applause.] We are to-day involved in one of the most critical and trying situations that has occurred since the government came into existence. A nation has another test still to undergo, and that is, to give evidence to the nations of the earth and to its own citizens that it has the power to restore internal peace; that it has strength enough to put down treachery and treason within its own borders. [Cheers.] We have commenced an ordeal, and I trust in God we will pass through it successfully. [Cheers.] I feel complimented by the allusion of one present to the fact that in the senate, in 1860 and 1861, when the nation was entering on this ordeal, I raised my hands against treason, treachery and traitors. [Cheers, and cries of "good."] I stand here to-day holding to and maintaining the same position which I then occupied. [Cheers.] I stand here to-day opposing traitors and treason wherever they may be, in the south or in the north. [Loud cheers.] I stand here to-day as I then stood—using all my powers, mental and physical, to preserve the nation in going through the third phase of its existence. The organised forces and combined powers that recently stood arrayed against us are disbanded and driven from the field, but it does not follow that there are still no enemies against our present form of government and our free institutions. [Applause.] I then stood in the senate of the United States, denying the doctrine of septration and secession. I denied then, as I do now, that any State has the right of its own will to separate itself from the other States, and the right to destroy the Union and break up the government; and I think I have given some evidence that I have been sincere and in earnest. And now I want to know why it is that the whole train of slanderers and calumniators have been barking and snapping at my heels? [Cheers.] Why is it they have arrayed themselves against me? Is it because I stand on the side of the people? And when I say people, I include sailors and soldiers. [Cheers.] Why is it that they are arrayed in traducing and falsifying and calumniating me? Where were they during the rebellion just ended? Ever at home in bed. [Laughter.] In the senate I raised my voice against it; and when it was believed that it would be to the interest of the nation that I should assist in putting down the rebellion, did I not leave my place in the senate, a place of emolument, ease and distinction, and take my position where the enemy could be reached, and where men's lives were in danger? [Cheers, and cries of "that's so."] While I was thus exposed personally and publicly, some of my present traducers and calumniators were far removed from the foe, and were enjoying ease and comfort. [Cheers and laughter.] But I care not for them; I care not what slander the foul whelp has turned against me; I care not for all that they may tell you to-day. Although pretty well advanced in life, I feel that I shall live long enough to live down the whole pack of traducers and slanderers. [Applause.] They have turned the whole pack loose to lower me in your estimation. Verily they can't do it. Tray, Blanche and Sweetheart, little dogs and all, come along snapping and snarling at my heels, but I heed them not. [Cheers.] The American people—citizens, soldiers and sailors—know that from my advent into public life to the present moment I have always stood unwaveringly the advocate and defender of their rights and interests. [Cheers.] We are now in the nations third ordeal—we are not yet through. We denied that States could go out of the Union. We denied the doctrine of secession, and we have demonstrated that we were right. We demonstrated it by the strong arm. Yes, the soldiers and the sailors, God bless them! have demonstrated by their patriotism and strong arms that States have not power to leave the Union. [Applause.] What followed? The Confederate armies were overpowered and disbanded, and there was a willingness on the part of the people of those States to come back in obedience to the law and acknowledge the supremacy of the constitution of our fathers. For what have we passed through this third ordeal? It was to prove the principle that no State had the power to break up the government. It was to put down rebellion. The rebellion has been put down, and for what? Was it to destroy the States? Verily, never. For what have all these lives been sacrificed, and all this treasure expended? Was it for the purpose of destroying the States? No. It was for the purpose of preserving the union of the States. That is what we have been contending for, and to establish the fact that the nation can lift its own head above and beyond internal wars and treason and traitors at home. When the rebellion in Massachusetts was put down, did that put Massachusetts out of the Union and destroy the State? When the rebellion in Pennsylvania was put down, did that destroy the State and put it out of the Union? So when the great rebellion was put down, and the constitution and laws of the country restored, the States engaged in the rebellion being crushed, the law restored and the constitution acknowledged in them, stood in the Union and constitution, a portion of this glorious bright galaxy of States. In passing through this ordeal, which has been done in them under the direction of my lamented predecessor, we commenced the work of reform. We succeeded, before I came here, in restoring the relations which had existed between Tennessee and the rest of the Union, with one exception—the relation of representation. I came to Washington, and, under extraordinary circumstances, succeeded to the presidential chair. The congress of the United States had adjourned, without prescribing any plan. I then proceeded, as I had done in my own State in reconstructing the government, to restore the other States. And how did we begin? We found that the people had no courts, and we said to the judges, district attorneys, and marshals, go down there and hold your courts—the people need the tribunals of justice to be opened. Was there anything wrong in that? The courts were opened. What else? We looked out and saw that the people had no mails. They had been interrupted and cut off by the operations of the rebellion. We said to the postmaster general, let the people have facilities for mails, and let them again begin to understand what we all feel and think. We are one people. We looked out again, and saw that owing to a blockade the custom houses were all closed. We said, open the doors of the custom houses and remove the blockade; let the pursuits of peace go on, and it was done. We thus traveled on step by step, opening the custom houses, appointing collectors, establishing the mail facilities, and restoring all the railroads that had been interrupted by the rebellion. Was there anything undertaken to be done here that was not authorised by the constitution? that was not justified by the great necessity of the case, and that has not been clearly consistent with the constitution and with the generous spirit of our government? [Cheers.] What remained to be done? One other thing remained to show the civilized world that we had passed successfully through the trying ordeal of our national existence, and prove that our government was popular. A great principle was to be resolved, which was established in our revolution, when our fathers were contending against the power of Great Britain. What was one of the principal causes of their complaint? It was