

The Semi-Weekly News.

Published on Tuesday and Friday.

POETRY.

When I Mean to Marry.

BY J. G. S.

When do I mean to marry?—Well—
Tis idle to dispute with fate;
But if you choose to hear me tell,
Pray listen while I fix the date.

A Disappointed Woman.

A few months since, a gentleman
had the misfortune to lose his wife—
a literary lady of some reputation.
After grieving for a number of weeks,
a bright thought entered the head of
the widower.

Receipt for Making Tallow Candles.—12lbs of tallow, dissolve
into one pint of boiling water.
half pound each of alum and salt-
petre, dissolve the above solution with
the tallow, simmer over a slow fire
until it ceases to throw off steam
then a half pint of new sweet milk,
skim off the impurities that may arise
on the surface. Mould in the com-
mon way and you will have a superior
chalk white candle. Double the
quantity of alum and saltpetre will
do for hog's lard but no milk. Pre-
pare your wick in a strong solution
of salt-petre and alum and dry them
perfectly before moulding.

WOOL MARKET.

In the city of Shreveport buyers
are offering for first quality, 35 cents
per lb., second quality 25.

New Orleans Cattle Market.

Carefully revised by the latest N.
O. papers.
Arrived on the 26th, 27th inst., 65
Texas cattle, 65 hogs, 00 sheep and
00 veal cattle. Sales, 205 Texas
cattle, 224 hogs, and 128 veal cattle.
Stock on sale, 830 Texas cattle, 1905
hogs, 000 sheep, 261 veal cattle, and
7 milch cows. The quotations are:
Texas, per head, 1st qty 25 00@35 00
2d qty 15 00@25 00
Veal Cattle, per head 11 00@13 00
Sheep, per head, 1st qty 4 00@ 5 00
Inferior 2 00@ 3 00
Hogs, per 100 lbs gross, 10 00@12 50
Milch Cows, per head, 45 00@60 00
2d quality 00@— 00

Branch of the Citizens' Bank,
SHREVEPORT, 23d Sept., 1861.
THIS BANK will, hereafter, pay
and receive at its counter, at par,
the Treasury Notes of the Confede-
rate States, and the Notes of the other
Banks of New Orleans.

Owners of paper deposited in this
Bank for collection, unless willing to
be governed by this regulation, are
requested to withdraw the same.
ULGER LAUVE,
Cashier.

Dissolution.
THE firm of HYAMS & BRO., was dis-
solved on the 1st of January, inst., the
business will be continued by I. R.
HYAMS.

SOUTHERN

MARBLE WORKS.

Corner of Texas and Edward Sts
HAVING permanently located in
Shreveport, I am prepared to man-
ufacture from the raw material, and
right at home.

MARBLE MONUMENTS,

TOMBS,

TABLETS & TOMB STONES,
Of every description, in the best work-
manlike manner.

IRON FENCING.

The undersigned having made ar-
rangements with the manufacturers,
is now prepared to order every de-
scription of
IRON FENCING,
suitable for enclosing buildings, gar-
dens, cemetery lots, etc., also
IRON RAILINGS,
for galleries and balconies, which
will be sold at MANUFACTURERS
PRICES (adding transportation).
Purchasers are invited to call and
examine the various styles, at the
Southern Marble Works of
W. HECOX,
Corner of Texas and Edwards Sts.
My Post Office is Shreveport, La.
no 6—dly.



I wish I had it, but I didn't.
I got my job,
Printed at
Dickinson's

Job Printing Office.



BOOK AND JOB
Printing,

LAWYERS' BRIEFS.
CARDS,

Pamphlets, Blanks,
CIRCULARS,

BILLS OF LADING,
PLAIN AND FANCY

SHOW CARDS, and
HANDBILLS,

BILL-HEADS,

BALL TICKETS,

WEDDING INVITATIONS,

WAGON RECEIPTS,

CATALOGUES,

And every description of Jobs,

EXECUTED WITH NEATNESS.

Our facilities for doing job work
are unsurpassed by any establishment
in the State, and we feel confident that
satisfaction will be given to those
who may favor us with their patronage.
We have on hand a good article of
BILL-HEAD PAPER,
NOTE PAPER,
and a fine assortment of fine business
cards,
SATIN,
IVORY,
and CHINA surfaced.
White and colored.

D. D. O'BRIEN,

Newspaper Advertising
AND
COLLECTING AGENT,
Office corner Canal St. and Exchange
Place, No. 6.
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
Weekly City Correspondence in
English, French, German and Span-
ish Languages, furnished on moder-
ate terms.

THE MAILS.

New Orleans—Tri-weekly—Arrives
Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sun-
days at 6 p. m. Departs Mondays,
Wednesdays & Saturdays at 4 a. m.
Texas Mails—Tri-weekly—Arrives
Tuesdays, Thursdays and Satur-
days at 6 p. m. Departs Mondays,
Wednesdays and Fridays at 4 a. m.
Arkansas Mails—Tri-weekly—Arrives
Wednesdays, Fridays and Sundays
at 6 p. m. Departs Tuesday, Thurs-
days and Saturdays at 4 a. m.
Monroe Mail—Daily—Arrives daily
at 7 a. m. Departs daily at 5 p. m.
Albany Mail—Semi-Weekly—Ar-
rives Tuesdays and Saturdays at 6
p. m. Departs Mondays and Fri-
days at 6 a. m.
Natchitoches Mail—Weekly—Arrives
Thursdays at 12 m. Departs Thurs-
days at 1 p. m.
Office hours—From 8 to 12 a. m.; from
2 to 6 p. m.
Sundays, from 8 to 9 a. m.
H. HUNSICKER, P. M.

BARGAINS FOR PRINTERS!!!

Low state of Red River no drawback.

Attention Publishers.

Publishers of Newspapers
in North Louisiana, and
Texas, who may wish to
dispose of their establishments in
whole or part, by sending me particu-
lars, and locality, will find it to their
advantage to address me as below.
Persons desirous of establishing
Newspaper or Job Establishments in
the interior, will be furnished with
Estimates free of charge, by address-
ing me. And if they order Printing
Material or paper, cards and card
boards, through me, will be furnished
—for cash only or its equivalent—
the best bargains, at Foundry prices.
I offer the following establishments
for cash, or good negroes with unen-
cumbered titles.
An old established Book and Job
Printing Office, in a large city. Price
\$7000.
The material of a Job office, in a
city. Price \$5000.

The Cheapest,
Printing Materials and
PRINTING OFFICES
EVER OFFERED.

A Newspaper establishment and
Job Office connected. Price \$2300.
A Newspaper establishment and
good Job Office connected. Price
\$1800.
A Newspaper and Job Printing es-
tablishment. Price \$4000.
An Adam's Book Power Press,
second hand, in good order, medium
size. Price \$1000.
A Ruggles Card and Bill Head
press, will print any ordinary size job
at the rate of 1500 to 2000 impres-
sions per hour. (New.) Price \$225.
A Ruggles Card and Bill Head
press, old size, second hand. Price
\$150.

Fine Printers' blank cards, China,
Satin Enamelled, and India, from \$1
to \$3 per thousand. Funeral, Note,
and other paper.

None but cash orders will re-
ceive any attention. Paper 24x36
to arrive.

I have also for sale, the following
second hand materials:

A font of 500 lbs. Brevier,
" " " 260 " "
" " " 150 " "
" " " 510 " Long Primer,
6 fonts 2 line Brevier,
4 " Long Primer Condensed.

Together with the column, head, ad-
vertising and dash rules, leads, &c.
Also—A Medium Printing Press,
Roller Mould, &c., all complete, and
the following materials used for a
short time in the publication of a
weekly paper: About 850 lbs. of
Bourgeois and Minion, with two line
letter; column, head, advertising and
dash rules, cases, chases, etc.

These materials will be sold low
for cash.
All the requisite materials for a
paper 21x28, will be furnished for
\$750, decidedly cheap.

An entire outfit for a paper 26x40,
I have the disposal of, for the exceed-
ingly low price of \$1000.

The Job Type of a well assorted
Job Office, together with the cabinet,
and Job Press, Lead and Brass Rule
Cutter, etc. Price \$550.

JNO. DICKINSON,
Shreveport, La.

Vicksburg Whig.

Published in Vicksburg, Miss. by
M. Shannon. Terms, in advance,
Daily per annum, \$8; Weekly, \$3.

NEWSPAPER LAW.

Subscribers who do not give expres-
notice to the contrary, are considered
as wishing to continue the subscrip-
tion.
If subscribers order the disconti-
nuance of their papers, the publishers
may continue to send them till all that
s due be paid.
If subscribers remove to other places
without informing the publisher, and
the paper is sent to the former direc-
tion, they are held responsible.
The courts have decided that refus-
ing to take a paper or periodical from
the office, is prima facie evidence of fraud

COMMERCIAL.

Shreveport Prices Current.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Price, and Unit. Includes SUGAR, COFFEE, RICE, BACON, SHOULDER, HAMS, SIDES, LARD, ROPE, IRON, IRON COTTON TIES, CANDLES, CHEESE, SPUNYARN, LEAD, WHISKY, MOLASSES, OIL, FLOUR, VINEGAR, CEMENT, POTATOES, BAGGING, CORN, OATS, BRAN, HAY, POWDER, NAILS, SHOT, SALT, UP FURIGHT, DOWN, COTTON.

Shreveport Cotton Market

Table with 2 columns: Quality and Price. Includes Inferior, Ordinary, Good Ordinary, Low Middling, Middling, Good Middling.

New Orleans Prices Current.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Price, and Unit. Includes SUGAR, COFFEE, RICE, BACON, SHOULDER, HAMS, SIDES, LARD, ROPE, IRON, CANDLES, CHEESE, SPUNYARN, LEAD, WHISKY, MOLASSES, LARD OIL, FLOUR, PORK, LIME, VINEGAR, CEMENT, POTATOES, BAGGING, CORN, OATS, BRAN, HAY, POWDER, NAILS, SHOT, SALT.

Shreveport Hide Market.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes DRY HIDES, GREEN do, DEER SKINS, COON do, OTTER do, BEES WAX, TALLOW.

BEAUREGARD WOUNDED!

THE undersigned wishes to ob-
tain a situation as Teacher of Eng-
lish and Mathematics in some well
established Male or Female School,
or as private instructor. He has
been successfully engaged in teach-
ing during the last six years, and has
reason to expect a liberal salary.
He refers to all his patrons here,
and to the Faculty of the Georgia
Military Institute. He prefers a sit-
uation in Louisiana.
J. T. STROTHER.
Quitman, Wood Co. Texas, Oct. 17
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