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Office, on Texas Street,
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TERMS:
Per Annum, (in Advance) \$5.00
Six Months, " " 2.50
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Persons sending us remittances will be good enough to send no other paper money than Louisiana State or Confederate Notes, Shreveport bills, and Texas Treasury Warrants. Other money sent will be returned.

SEMI-WEEKLY—\$3. Weekly and Semi-Weekly to one address, \$7 per year.

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One door above A. M. Hull & Co's,
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Keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Staple and Fancy Groceries, etc.

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Having leased the popular and commodious Warehouse of Messrs. Howard, Tally & Co., and having had long experience in business, we hope to receive a share of the public patronage, and pledge ourselves to do all in our power to give entire satisfaction in all business entrusted to our care.
All we ask is a trial. no25

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DEALER IN

Hardware, Iron, Castings,
Belting, Packing,
Mechanics' & Machinists' Tools, &c.
Castings of all kinds constantly on hand or made to order. n1-y-d

Office of Dr. Leslie—At the late Court House, Market street, opposite the Presbyterian Church. jun11-61

SMITH & LEWIS,
DEALERS IN

Drugs, Prints, Oils, Varnishes &c
SIGN OF THE GOLDEN MORTAR,
Shreveport, Texas St.
No 9—dly

V. SHIDET,
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JEWELER,
AND DEALER IN

FINE WATCHES, JEWELRY, AND
DIAMONDS,
TEXAS STREET,
Between Spring and Market,
SHREVEPORT, LA.

Watches and Jewelry Repaired
and Warranted. n1-ly

Texas Stage & Livery Stable.
On Milan St. opposite the Varandah Hotel.

The proprietor has been to great expense to make this the most desirable Stable in the city, it is convenient to the Steam boat landing. Horses will be boarded by the day, week or month, on the most reasonable terms. Persons visiting Shreveport or going to New Orleans, by leaving their horses at this establishment, can rest assured that they will be well attended to. Only give him a call and satisfy yourselves.
JOHN CALDWELL.
no 39—ly. A. KIMBLE,
June 6'52 Agent.

Confederate Bonds
Wanted.
The undersigned will purchase a few thousand dollars in Confederate bonds if offered immediately.
sept12-4f JONAS ROBESON.

Office of Chief Engineer,
Southern Pacific R. R. Company,
Marshal, Texas, Sept. 30, 1862.

SEALED proposals will be received, at this office, until the 15th of October next, for cross-ties delivered on the line of railroad between Jonesville, Texas, and Shreveport, La. And for the laying of Track, on the portion of the road unfinished, between the same points, (about 22 miles) sealed proposals will be received, until the 30th of October next. Specifications for cross-ties and track laying can be seen at this office. E. A. BLANCH,
Chief Engineer Southern Pacific R. R. Co.
The Southwestern will please copy.
oct3-tf

\$50 Reward.
RANAWAY from the undersigned, on the 4th inst., in the neighborhood of Kingston, De Soto Parish, STERLING, a mulatto man, aged about 48 years; about five feet eight inches high; weighs about 200 pounds; slow spoken; is by trade a Blacksmith. For the past years he has been working at his trade at Keachi, La. We will give \$50 for his apprehension and delivery to us, or \$25, if lodged in jail where we can get him.
E. & B. JACOBS,
Shreveport, La.
Oct. 10-4f

For Sale.
100 HALF BARRELS (15 gallons) iron bound @ \$4 each.
50 Whole Barrels, iron bound, @ \$5 each. Has on hand well seasoned stock for making:
600 Pork or Beef Barrels,
1500 Flour or Sugar "
1000 " " "
1000 " " "
And is fully prepared to contract to make up the same at the shortest notice. The attention of purchasers is called to the same.
The work fully guaranteed.
A. SHAFFNER,
Shreveport, October 17-6m

Strayed or Stolen.
FROM the Pasture of the subscriber 2 1/2 miles from Shreveport on the night of the 17th inst., SEVEN MULES; six of which are branded C S on the left shoulder. One a black mare mule three years old, one a bay mare mule, three years old; one sorrel horse mule, three years old; one dark iron-gray mare mule; one black horse mule and one clay-bank horse mule, all of the same age; one old mule with a slit in one ear and has but one eye—this mule does not belong to me. Said mules were purchased of Carter's Brigade, and may be making their way to Texas.
A liberal reward will be paid for their confinement or delivery to me at Shreveport La. Any information of said mules will be thankfully received. Address
oct21-4f A. W. MARSHALL.

For Sale.
IMPROVED Real Estate in the city of Shreveport. Inquire of,
A. B. LEVISEE.
Oct. 17-2m

Notice.
THE creditors of the succession of C. C. Neal, deceased, are notified to present their claims to A. B. Levisee, my attorney in all matters of said succession.
The debtors of said succession are also notified to come forward and pay up without delay.
JOSEPHINE W. SETH,
oct21-4f Administratrix.

Wanted Immediately.
At the Shreveport Foundry.
5000 well seasoned oak boards three feet long.
100 cords ash or dead cypress for firewood split.
Fire brick, any amount, however small.
All the good old cast iron that can be gathered up on the plantations or elsewhere.
The above are wanted immediately for the manufacture of ordnance for our own defense—cash will be paid on delivery.
Also, wanted to hire 15 negro laborers by the month.
Any person having the ability and energy to engage in any branch of manufacture in this vicinity that will be of benefit to the country and army in particular, such as Fire Arms, Saltpetre, Powder, Cloth, Shoes, Hats, &c., will meet with every assistance that the present condition of the country will admit, by applying to the undersigned.
T. W. JONES,
Shreveport Foundry.
oct24-4f

For Sale.
AT JONES' FOUNDRY, Bar Iron, Cast and Blister Steel, Hardware, Cutlery, Tools, Files, &c., Coppers, Alum, Saltpetre, &c.
Sept. 16-4f

Strayed.
FROM the undersigned, on the 16th inst four miles from Ware's Mill, in the direction of Shreveport; a paint PONY, about six years old; branded on the left hip with the letter G.
A liberal reward will be paid for his delivery to me at Simms' Stable in Shreveport, La.
E. H. WALPOLE.
oct24-2f

Cotton Cards.
JUST received, also Bridles, and for sale by
COURTADE & BRO.
On the Levee.
Oct 24-2f

St. Joseph's College.
NATCHITOCHE.

It is the firm purpose of the Directors of the College, regardless of all difficulties, to maintain at Natchitoches an Institution worthy of the confidence of families and in which the youth of the Diocese may be trained to letters and piety to respectful obedience and a courageous performance of duty.
With a view of affording greater facilities to parents, the terms will remain as formerly, and the produce of the country will be received in payment of dues to the College.
Parents will please, when possible, supply their children with stationery. It is very desirable that all the Students should be present at the commencement of the session.

TERMS FOR BOARDERS
Entrance Fee.....\$10 00
Collegiate Session.....\$100 00
Washing and Linen Mending.....\$25 00
Care of clothing when washing is done elsewhere.....\$5 00
Books standing, medical expenses, music, etc. form extra charges

FOR HALF BOARDERS.
Per Session.....\$100 00
TERMS FOR DAY-SCHOLARS.
Per Session.....\$50 00
Payment to be made semi-annually in advance.

The next session will commence on the second day of October. LEVEZOUET,
October 21-3m-e-o-1 President.

To the Citizens of North Louisiana.
Artillery Company!
\$50 BOUNTY.
AUTHORITY has been granted me by Major General Taylor to raise a company of Artillery, composed of men between the ages of 35 and 45. All who would desire to avoid the conscript act would do well to join this, the most preferable arm of the service; and it is to be hoped that the ranks will be speedily filled, as our services are needed to protect our own property and homes. This beautiful valley of Red River must not pass into the hands of mercenary strangers—our homes pillaged, our cities sacked, our property confiscated, our true men hanged, our wives and daughters the prey of brutal lust—without such a defence as brave men know how to make when their all is at stake. The commissioned officers will be elected by the company.
WM. A. LACY,
Shreveport, Oct. 32, 1862.

We, the undersigned, earnestly join Captain Lacy in the above call, and urge upon our fellow citizens of North Louisiana to come forward and aid us in completing our company, which will be so much needed to drive back the gunboats of our enemies. Lists will be kept by each one of us, and also sent to each parish in North Louisiana. Letters addressed to Capt. Lacy or the undersigned will receive prompt attention.
A. B. Levisee, N. E. Wright, J. W. Wheaton, A. M. Smith, E. S. Leonard, P. H. Rosson, P. O. Ragsdale, J. B. Sims, A. L. Mershon, H. A. Drew, M. S. Englander, D. C. Dashiell.

Office Semi-Weekly News,
SHREVEPORT, LA.,
Tuesday, October 28, 1862.

Richmond, October 18.—The New York Herald of the 15th has been received. Thirty counties in Pennsylvania give the republican State ticket 4,000 majority. A Republican victory throughout the State has probably been gained. Pendleton and Long (Democrats) are elected in the first and second districts.
In Ohio, Vallandigham has been defeated by Gen Schenck. At Newark City the election resulted in a Democratic triumph.
In New York, gold was quoted at 132 1/2. Exchange 147 1/2. Cotton 61 cents. All kinds of produce are excited and sold at generally higher prices.
Two days later intelligence has been received from Europe. The Paris papers have revived the recognition rumors.
The Confederate steamer Two-Hundred-and-Ninety has destroyed ten American whalers of the Western Islands.
The stock of American cotton in Liverpool was 17,000 bales.
Richmond, 19.—The Baltimore American says the latest returns from Ohio and Indiana indicate that the Democrats have probably carried both States. In Ohio they claim 10,000 majority, and 13 out of 19 mem-

bers of Congress. In the present delegation they have only six members. In Pennsylvania twelve Union men and seven Democrats elected with five districts not heard from.

A rebel force stopped the steamer Hazel Belle, at Casseyville, on Ohio river, 14th inst., and took the mails, negroes, and a quantity of goods.

Fredericksburg, Oct 17.—Northern dates received here say the Democrats have carried Pennsylvania, Indiana, and Ohio. In Pennsylvania 13 Democrats and 11 Republicans elected. In Ohio 12 Democrats and five republicans elected, three districts not heard from. Last Congress there were twelve Republicans and eight Democrats. In Indiana there were three Republicans and eight Democrats. Last Congress eight Republicans and three Democrats. In Iowa all Republicans elected to Congress. The State ticket has gone Republican by 10,000 majority. Democratic majority on State ticket in Pennsylvania 10,000; in Ohio 28,000, in Indiana 8,000. In Indiana, Colfax, Dunn and Julien were defeated. In Ohio, Gurley, Republican, Pendleton and Cox re-elected, in Penn., Grow, Speaker, defeated; Thad. Stevens re-elected.

Gen. Hancock occupied Charlestown on Thursday evening. After an artillery duel of two hours, our pickets retired to the hill this side. Enemy lost one killed and eight wounded. We lost Captain Smith, of the Richmond Artillery, and eight wounded. Two hundred of our Antietam wounded were captured. McClellan spent Thursday night at Charlestown, but returned to Washington.

Gold in New York at first Board to-day 132 1/2.

Nothing satisfactory from Kentucky. No victory claimed. They say Bragg is leaving the State, and that the Federals have occupied Lexington.

Richmond Oct. 20.—The Baltimore American of Saturday afternoon has been received. It says all information as well as dispatches from headquarters, indicates that the army of the Potomac has commenced its grand advance into Virginia. In addition to the advance upon Charlestown from Harper's Ferry, commenced yesterday, Gen. Woodbury's division also crossed the Potomac, and encamped on Thursday night near Kerneysville. The enemy will not have to wait long before they are again met by the army of the Potomac.

Gen. Schofield has telegraphed to St. Louis, that he has driven the rebels into Arkansas.
Capt. Wm. L. Hudson, U. S. Navy, died on Wednesday night, in Brooklyn.

The loss in Rosecrans' division at Perryville, was 465 killed, 1463 wounded, and 60 missing.

Voorheis has been re-elected to Congress from Indiana by twenty-five hundred majority.

Chattanooga, Oct. 20.—The last we have from Bragg's wing he was at London, Ky., falling back in good order towards Cumberland. Buell has a very large army and endeavored to flank Bragg while at camp Dick Robinson, which was prevented by this retreat. Buell is yet endeavoring to flank and there may be a battle any day.

The report of the taking of a large number of prisoners at Perryville by our army, proves to be untrue.

Mobile, Oct. 21.—A special dispatch to the Advertiser and Register dated Holly Springs 20th, says the enemy from Corinth yesterday made reconnaissance to our lines with a flag of truce under the pretext of seeing about the alleged ill treatment of their prisoners in our hands and remonstrating against guerrilla system. There is nothing reliable regarding the reported evacuation of Corinth.

Upwards of 500 prisoners were taken at Corinth and arrived at Jackson to day. Several hundred of our

wounded are now at Corinth, and well treated. Federals regard the loss on each side as equal.

Richmond Oct. 21.—Gen. Bragg's official report, dated Bryansville, Ky. Oct. 12th, says that Gen Polk commanded the Confederate forces at Perryville; that the engagement was continued furiously from that time till night, our troops never faltering—never failing in their efforts. For the time engaged, it was the severest and most desperately contested engagement within my knowledge. Fearfully outnumbered, our troops did not hesitate to engage at any odds and though checked at times, they eventually carried every position and drove the enemy two miles.

We captured 15 pieces of cannon. In his most direful charges, we killed one and wounded two Brigadier Generals and a very large number of inferior officers and men, estimated at 4,000. The ground was literally covered with dead and wounded. Our own loss is not less than 25,000 killed, wounded and missing.

Northern Reports from Richmond.

Special to the Cincinnati Commercial.]
Washington, Oct. 11.—A gentleman who left Richmond yesterday says he was on board the Merrimac No. 2 Friday last. He states contrariwise to the report published yesterday, that the Merrimac No. 2 is fully plated. She is not ready for sea, but has all the plates which it is intended to put on her, and has had for two months. Her guns are all on board, but only one of them is mounted.

Troops continue to arrive in Richmond, but in small numbers, and are hurried north to reinforce Lee.

Three or four hundred wounded arrive daily in Richmond, but are always brought in during the night, and the papers never mention the number, the desire being apparently, to hide the disaster as much as possible from the people.

The rebels are building another iron-clad, 160 feet long.
The Confederates are disgusted with Maryland. Before Lee's entrance into that State, its redemption was the theme of all the rebels.—"My Maryland," which was heard on all occasions, in parlor, hall, and on the streets, is now tabooed, and no one sings it.

First class negroes are selling in Richmond at \$1,200 apiece. Confederate money.
The treatment of Federal officers has been very much softened at rebel expense. They have also recently sent home several free negroes, who were captured at Bull Run, and who succeeded in establishing the fact that they were not fugitives from slave States.

We clip the following items from the Texas Almanac Extra:

HUNG.—We learn that Dr. Stewart of Lampasas, was taken out and hung by the citizens one day last week. The reason assigned appears to be, that the deceased had tried to influence a man to go with him to assist in killing another man who owed him some money; and the citizens, learning this, took the law into their own hands, and disposed of him in this way.

MURDER.—A brutal murder was committed in Burnett county, near the Mormon Mills, on Monday last. An old man, named Stephens, a saddle-maker by trade, had gone about a mile from his house to procure a hide, when he was shot in his wagon by some one concealed in the bushes. He had fourteen buckshot in him when brought home. A coroner's inquest was held upon the body, but no clue to the murderer could be obtained. We understand he was a quiet inoffensive citizen, and no one can account for the brutal act, which has deprived a large family of children of support.