

# Shreveport Daily News.

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## The Shreveport Daily News,

Published every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday morning.

Office, on Texas Street, above Spring, near the Mayor's office.

### TERMS:

Daily, per year in advance, \$8.00  
Delivered by carrier, 20 cents per week.  
Weekly (Monday) in advance, 2.50

### ADVERTISING RATES: FOR THE WEEKLY:

For each square of twelve lines or less for the first insertion, \$1.00  
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Advertisements not marked on the copy for a specified time, will be inserted till paid, and payment exacted.

Marriages and deaths will be published as news; obituaries, tributes of respect, and funeral invitations as other advertisements.

### MEDICAL.

DR. A. F. CLARK,

Office at T. H. Morris' Drug Store.

### Residence,

Corner of Spring and Fannin Sts.

SHREVEPORT, LA.

No 9—dly.

SMITH & LEWIS,

### DEALERS IN

Drugs, Paints, Oils, Varnishes &c

Signs of the GOLDEN MORTAR,

Shreveport, Texas St.

No 9—dly

### DENTAL SURGEONS.

S. HINSON,

### DENTIST,

Office nearly opposite the

Post Office,

SHREVEPORT, LA.

GEO. W. KENDALL,

### DENTIST,

Office, corner Market and Milam sts.,

Opposite the Bank.

SHREVEPORT, LA.

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.

### Just Arrived and for Sale.

A LARGE lot of FLOUR, from

Williams' Mill, at Bonham, Fauin

county, Texas, superior to any Extra

from the West.

E. & B. JACOBS,

1wd-1tw

### ATTORNEYS AT LAW.

HODGE & AUSTIN,  
Attorneys at Law,  
Office over Childers & Beard's Store,  
Cor. Texas and Spring sts.,  
n1-lyd  
SHREVEPORT, LA.

J. C. MONCURE,  
Attorney at Law,  
SHREVEPORT, LA.  
Office with L. M. Nutt, corner of  
Milam and Market streets. n34d-ly

EMMET D. CRAIG,  
Attorney and Counselor at Law,  
Office, opposite Post Office,  
SHREVEPORT, LA.

Will practice in the Courts of  
Caddo, DeSoto, and Bossier. 1dly

L. M. NUTT,  
Attorney at Law,  
Office, corner Milam & Market Streets,  
SHREVEPORT, LA.

Practices in Caddo, Bossier and  
DeSoto. n10-lyd

LEON D. MARKS. THOS. G. POLLOCK.  
Attorneys & Counsellors at Law,  
Shreveport, La.

PRACTICE in copartnership in all  
the courts held in the city of Shreve-  
port, and in the parishes of De Soto  
and Bossier.

Office on Market street near Milam.  
n3-d-y.

ROBT. J. LOONEY. SAM'L WELLS.  
LOONEY & WELLS,  
Attorneys & Counsellors at Law.

WILL practice in the Courts of  
Caddo and surrounding parishes, and  
in the Supreme Court at Monroe and  
Alexandria. Office on Market street,  
near the Postoffice, Shreveport, La.  
4-lyd

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

J. E. PHELPS. J. V. ROGERS  
Phelps & Rogers,  
(Successors to T. H. Etheridge)  
Grocers & Commission Merchants  
Cor. Commerce and Milam sts.,  
SHREVEPORT, LA.

Keep constantly on hand a large as-  
sortment of Staple and Fancy Gro-  
ceries, Hay, Corn, Oats, &c.

Advances made on consignments to  
our friends in New Orleans. n18dly

J. R. Simpson. G. M. Calhoun.  
Simpson & Calhoun,  
WAREHOUSE & COMMISSION  
MERCHANTS,  
Receiving and Forwarding Agents,  
SHREVEPORT, LA.

Having leased the popular and commodi-  
ous 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 satisfac-  
tion in all business entrusted to our care.  
All we ask is a trial. n225

ASSOCIATIONS.

I. O. O. F.  
The regular meetings of  
NEITH LODGE, No. 21, are held  
on Wednesday evenings, at 7 o'clock,  
at their Lodge Room on Texas street.  
JNO. DICKINSON, N. G.  
N. SELIGMAN, Secretary. n10

MASONIC.  
SHREVEPORT LODGE of F.  
and A. M. No. 115, meets  
every Friday at 7 P. M.  
JOHN W. JONES, W. M.  
J. H. Brownlee, Sec'y.

Shreveport Chapter of R. A. M. No. 10,  
meets on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each  
month, at 7 P. M. J. G. McWILLIAMS,  
T. C. Waller, Recorder. H. P.

Shreveport Council, R. and S. M. No. 5,  
meets on the 1st and 3d Saturday of each  
month, at 7 P. M. EMMET D. CRAIG,  
Henry Levy, Recorder. T. G. M

Place of meeting, at the Masonic Hall  
on Texas street, over Mayor's office. n24

### MISCELLANEOUS.

#### NOTICE.

The Era No. 6, Captain  
John Kouns, will run be-  
tween this place and New Orleans  
giving through bills of Lading.  
Oct. 12th 1861.

#### To Correspondents.

We will be pleased to receive con-  
tributions from our friends, in and  
around Shreveport. An occasional  
article from our planters, relative to  
the crops, will be very acceptable.—  
In fact, we desire correspondence  
from every section of the States.

Personal articles will not be pub-  
lished, either as communications or  
advertisements.

Those friendly to our undertaking,  
who may hear of any local, or other  
items, that will prove of interest to  
our readers, will favor us by handing  
in the same at the office of the News.

In writing, be brief and concise,  
bearing in mind, that lengthy com-  
munications are seldom appreciated  
by newspaper readers.

Job Work must be paid for on de-  
livery.

#### AGENTS.

Mr. JOHN W. TABER, is our au-  
thorized agent in Natchitoches.

Mr. D. D. O'BRIEN, No. 6, Ex-  
change Place, New Orleans, is our  
authorized Agent for that city.

Mr. H. C. CLARKE, Bookseller, is  
our authorized agent for Vicksburg  
and Natchez.

Mr. J. H. LOFTON, is our agent  
at Bellevue, Bossier Parish.

Mr. A. L. HAY, of the News De-  
pot, is our authorized agent in Jeff-  
erson, Texas.

Reported Recognition of the South-  
ern Confederacy by England.—The  
Richmond Examiner, of the 21st has  
the following:

A most extraordinary statement  
obtained yesterday, in the highest  
official circles, of the recognition of  
the Confederacy by Great Britain.—  
It is certain that a dispatch agent ar-  
rived here yesterday from England,  
having landed in the British posses-  
sions and essaying to reach the South  
through Michigan and the West. His  
report is understood to be that he was  
arrested in Ohio and robbed of his dis-  
patches, subsequently effecting his  
escape to this city.

The assertion of the agent is that  
the dispatches contained assurances  
of the immediate recognition of our  
Government by that of Great Britain.  
We give this statement, which is  
made in the most positive manner,  
without adding any opinion of our  
own, or professing to know how the  
Government has verified or credited  
the report, beyond semi-official ex-  
pressions of confidence in its truth, which  
reached us last night.

Decision.

Hesitation is a sign of weakness,  
for inasmuch as the good and evil of  
the different modes of action about  
which we hesitate are seldom equal-  
ly balanced a strong mind should  
perceive the slightest inclination of  
the beam, particularly as there are cases  
where the preponderance will be very  
minute, even though there be life  
in one scale, and death in the other.

It is recorded of the late earl Berk-  
ley that he was suddenly awakened  
at night in his carriage by a high-  
wayman, who forcing a pistol through  
a window and presenting it close to  
his breast, demanded his money, ex-  
claiming at the same time that he  
had heard that his lordship had boast-  
ed that he would never be robbed  
by a single highwayman, but he now  
should be taught to the contrary.  
His lordship putting his hand in  
his pocket replied: 'Neither would I  
now be robbed, if it were not for that  
fellow who is looking over your

shoulder.' The robber turned his  
head, when his lordship, who had  
drawn a pistol from his pocket in-  
stead of a purse, shot him dead on  
the spot.

Some writers make books, imagin-  
ing they have written. Some ora-  
tors fill the air with sound, imagin-  
ing they have spoken.

There is no more disgusting, as  
well as useless habit, than swearing.  
Washington said that an oath is a  
crime for which there is no tempta-  
tion.

The following is from a Rich-  
mond paper of the 9th inst.:

We learn with surprise that three  
hundred residents of this city and  
vicinity, who have hitherto been re-  
garded as good Southern citizens,  
have announced and registered their  
names as "alien enemies," and re-  
quested permission to withdraw to the  
North; and we hear with amaze-  
ment and alarm that the authorities  
have given orders to allow them to  
depart, with passports blank as to  
the description of their persons.

For ourselves, we should infinite-  
ly prefer to see three hundred of the  
prisoners in our tobacco factories set  
free, than to see these newly avow-  
ed alien enemies, familiar with every  
fact that could be of value to the  
enemy, allowed to depart from our  
midst. The report we have alluded  
to seems incredible. The people  
themselves ought to arrest and de-  
tain these "aliens," if no more regu-  
lar means can be adopted of securing  
their detention.

Specimen copies of either of the  
above will be forwarded to such as  
desire subscribing.

The columns will contain articles,  
selected and original, which will prove  
of interest and tend to the welfare of  
its readers. It will be devoted to the  
interests of the South; and internal  
improvements in the Parish and vi-  
cinity, will receive the undivided at-  
tention of the publisher.

The columns of the News will be  
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tisements,) be published.

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As an advertising medium, the  
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New Orleans.

JNO. DICKINSON,  
Proprietor.

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port, Parish of Caddo, every Tuesday,  
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and  
Saturday morning, at the low price of  
\$8 to mail subscribers. The (Mon-  
day) Weekly News is published at  
\$2 50 per annum. The News will  
not be forwarded to any address, until  
the subscription money is received,  
as it is published on the cash princi-  
ple; and the terms being put at low  
figures, will not admit of credit.

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### Read.

To Country Printers, & Merchants.

The facilities of the Shreveport  
Daily News

JOB OFFICE,  
are such as to enable us to do print-  
ing

Of any description, at the shortest no-  
tice.

Printers sending orders, can have  
JOBS done at sufficient low prices to  
enable them to realize a fair profit, on  
the same.

The Money must always accompany  
the order.

Country merchants, can save time,  
trouble, and expense, by sending all  
their orders for JOB PRINTING, at  
the News Office, Shreveport, La.

D. LE ROSEN,  
Daguerrean Artist.

Would respectfully inform the citi-  
zens of Shreveport, that he will re-  
main in their place a few days, for  
the purpose of taking Pictures upon  
Glass, Silver, Iron; Paper, Patent  
Leather, etc., etc., in the highest  
style of art.

Ambrotypes taken for \$1  
Satisfaction guaranteed in every  
case.

Rooms at the Art Gallery, over  
Sour & Newburger's Store, where he  
invites an examination of specimen  
Pictures.

EDMONSTON'S BATTALION  
COMPANIES will receive their  
arms and equipments, ready for mus-  
ter, at Headquarters, 36 Natchez  
street. Reference E. & B. Jacobs.