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PRACTICE in copartnership in all the courts held in the city of Shreveport, and in the parishes of De Soto and Bossier.
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Attorney at Law,

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Cor. Texas and Spring sts.,

n1-lyd SHREVEPORT, LA.

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Office nearly opposite the

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Office, corner Market and Milam sts.,

Opposite the Bank.

n1 SHREVEPORT, LA.

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Office, opposite Post Office,

SHREVEPORT, LA.

Will practice in the Courts of

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V. SHIDET,

Watchmaker,

JEWELER,

AND DEALER IN

FINE WATCHES, JEWELRY, AND

DIAMONDS,

TEXAS STREET,

Between Spring and Market, A

SHREVEPORT, LA.

Watches and Jewelry Repaired

and Warranted. n1-ly

SOUTHERN MARBLE WORKS.

Corner of Texas and Edward Sts.

HAVING permanently located in Shreveport, we are prepared to manufacture from the raw material, and right at home.

MARBLE MONUMENTS, TOMBS,

TABLETS & TOMB STONES. Of every description, in the best workmanlike manner.

IRON FENCING.

The undersigned having made arrangements with the manufacturers, are now prepared to order every description of

IRON FENCING, suitable for enclosing buildings, gardens, 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

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J. BAER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

FAMILY & FANCY GROCERIES,

Liquors and Tobacco,

CIGARS,

BOAT & BAR STORES.

TEXAS STREET,

Shreveport, La.

A good assortment of the above-named articles constantly on hand.

No 6—dly.

THOMAS W. JONES,

(2 doors below E. & B. Jacobs.)

Texas Street, Shreveport, Louisiana.

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

WANTED TO PURCHASE.

IN the suburbs, a neat Cottage

House, with two or more lots. Ad-

dress Box 54, Postoffice. n4-tf

REGULAR NEW ORLEANS & SHREVEPORT PACKET.

The splendid packet W.

BURTON, F. A. BOISEAT,

Master. Will leave as above, On

Thursday the 18th inst., at 5 o'clock,

P. M.

For Freight or passage apply on

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AND

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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.

Bills sent for Collection from any of

your friends, will be promptly atten-

ded to. n1*

EDWARD CONERY,

Wholesale Grocer,

AND DEALER IN

WESTERN PRODUCE,

Nos. 2 Front and 10 Fulton Streets,

NEW-ORLEANS.

n1—ly.

EXTRA!

Special Dispatch to the News.

THREE CHEERS

FOR

VIRGINIA!

While sitting in our sanctum last night, thinking that we were to have

some rest, we were aroused from our reflections by the receipt of the fol-

lowing glorious intelligence, relative to the "Old Dominion." The news

is so cheering, that we consider we would be doing an injustice to our

readers if we failed in getting out an extra. Now that Virginia is out, we

may expect Kentucky and the other backward States to follow her ex-

ample:

SANDERS DECLINES!

POSTMASTERSHIP!!

Committee of Safety Appointed!

Tennessee Sound!

GOV. HARRIS REPLIES TO CAMERON.

NARY MAN FOR COERCION!

BUT 50,000 FOR DEFENSE OF Southern Rights!

PRESIDENT DAVIS IN THE FIELD!

Privateers Invited to make War on Northern Commerce:

Memphis, April 18.—Sanders declines the postmastership. A committee of safety has been appointed. The resistance feeling is unanimous. Cannon are being cast here,

Nashville, April 18.—Gov. Harris replied to Cameron's call on Tennessee for two regiments, that Tennessee would not furnish a single man for coercion, but fifty thousand if necessary, for the defence of our rights and those of our Southern brothers.

Cincinnati, April 17.—The Council have tendered \$200,000 to Gov. Den-

nison.

St. Louis, April 18.—Gov. Jackson replies to Cameron that his requis-

tion is illegal, unconstitutional revolutionary, inhuman, diabolical, and cannot be complied with. Missouri will not furnish a man in such an unholy crusade.

St. Paul, April 18.—The Governor of Minnesota has issued a proclamation for a regiment, in compliance with Lincoln's call.

Madison, Ind., April 18.—The excitement is daily increasing.

Washington, April 18.—It is not credited that Harper's Ferry has been seized, or that Jefferson Davis is in Richmond.

Boston, April 18.—The city is filled with soldiers.

Providence, R. I., April 18.—The Legislature appropriated half a million of dollars to military purposes.

Montgomery, April 18.—President Davis has issued a proclamation inviting privateers to make war on Northern commerce by letters of marque or reprisal.

Harrisburg, April 18.—The Legislature convenes to-day. It is rumored that the President ordered a fresh levy of troops from Pennsylvania.

Charleston, April 18.—Private intelligence says that President Davis will take command at Pensacola.

New York.—City more quiet.—Cole Ellsworth is organizing a Zouave regiment, composed of good men, from the Fire Department.

New York, April 18.—It is reported that Meigs, with the sappers and miners, have gone to Fort Pickens.

Jersey City, April 18.—The Zouaves, German Turners, and others have volunteered.

Vicksburg, April 18.—Our city Council has appropriated \$5000 for the defense of the city.

LATER!

VIRGINIA OUT!

New Orleans, April 18, 2 o'clock P. M.—Virginia has gone "clean out" of the old Union now.

Glory enough for one day. Sic transit gloria Lincoln!

Salutes are being fired in honor of it.

The Scotch Marriage Law.—The Glasgow Journal has the following remarks on the above subject:

Our marriage law declares that, where men and women live together, and pass in society as married persons, they shall be held to be married, and be bound to perform all the duties and bear all the obligations of married life. It is remarkable what a salutary moral effect this closing of the back door exerts on people of an erratic and lawless disposition. Perceiving that concubinage affords them little or no exit from the bonds of matrimony, they very rarely try the

unavailing experiment. But what, it will be asked, about the excessive amount of illegitimacy in Scotland?

Let us first answer this question by asking another. Why does the illegitimacy of Scotland appear excessive as compared with that of England?

Simply because every illegitimate birth is here recorded, while in England only a fractional portion of such births are known to the public. The offspring of all the countiee concubines of England pass in the books of the registers as legitimate, although they are illegitimate. The distinction in Scotland betwixt married and unmarried life is so distinctly drawn, that it is impossible to pass off a birth as other than it really is.

There is no doubtful middle ground of concubinage here over which to throw a veil of external decency, while all within is illegitimate and immoral; and this alone is the cause why the illegitimacy of Scotland figures so disproportionately to her moral reputation in our birth statistics. The great object of our marriage law is to strengthen the weaker sex, and in this object it has succeed beyond reasonable calculation. In no country is reckless and unprincipled seduction more difficult, and consequently more rare, than in Scotland.

The California Legislature have passed an act prohibiting the marriage of a white man with a negro, mulatto, Chinese or Indian; the offence to be punished with fine or imprisonment and its proof to be admitted as prima face evidence that the person committing it is not a white citizen, nor entitled to privilege as such.

Cincinnati Municipal Election.—The Cincinnati Gazette, (Republican,) says that its party, by the recent election in that city, has been "cleaned out."

The returns do not present a single redeeming feature—every candidate on the Fusion ticket has been elected by a sweeping majority. In November, at the Presidential election, the Republicans, although they carried the city by a plurality, were in a minority of 2,400. The average Fusion majority is now judging from the returns at hand up to present writing, over 4,000. The Republicans were exceedingly lukewarm. Very little work was done at the polls or elsewhere. The opposition, on the other hand, worked hard, and for this they are rewarded by an overwhelming victory.

Why is a loafer in a printing office like a shade tree? Because we are glad when he leaves.

A beautiful day, Mr. Jenkins." yes, very pleasant, indeed." "Good day for the race," "Race, what race?" "The human race." "Oh, go along with your stupid jokes; get up a good one like the one with which I sold Day." "Day, what Day?" "The day we celebrate," said Jenkins, who went on his way rejoicing.

THOS. H. SHIELDS, ARTHUR W. HYATT.

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