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## The New Masonic Temple.

The corner stone of this magnificent building is to be laid with Masonic honors, on Monday the 16th of June. On that occasion the fraternity of all the western States, it is expected, will assemble in this city, as extensive preparations are making to render it a gala day for Masonry. The work of demolition to the old church on the corner of Green and Fourth streets commenced to day, and as the foundation of the new hall has been laid, with the exception of that part of the ground occupied by the church, but little delay will be experienced in pressing their grand and magnificent structure to completion. We congratulate the fraternity of Louisville, and the west and south, upon the bright prospect before them. We, in the name of the noble hearted Masons of this city, extend a cordial invitation to their brethren of Kentucky and the West, to be present at the laying of the corner stone.