The South-Western.

SHREVEPORT:

WEDNESDAY.....MAY 27, 1868.

We give below an extract from the New York Sun, which we commend to the careful consideration of our readers. There are expressions in it very well calculated, but, most probably, not designed to make us wince. The article seems to be written in no partisan spirit, although, in the opinion of the writer, our crime was great and terribly have we expiated it. Our equanimity, too, under the trying circumstances, may have exceeded the reasonable expectations of our good friends North, who have stood by and philosophically witnessed our visible motions between the upper and the lower millstones. Our fall, indeed, put our proud people to many tests. They have stood them well, in the estimation of our philosophic friends of the Sun school, notwithstanding the floods of misrepresentation from mendicant loyalty in search of office. But it is now practically of no importance, whether as a people we have behaved well or ill, whether we have deserved the admiration of our good friends for our patient endurance, or whether these dubious compliments are very acceptable to us. It is, however, of moment for us to know whether the congressional plan is a success or not. In this view, the Sun's article is worthy of careful consideration:

The Southern elections indicate with precision the drift of the current on the subject of reconstruction. The congressional plan has been ratified in Arkansas, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, and Louisiana. In Alabama, the constitution received nearly all the votes cast, but as the law required that a majority of all who had registered should vote on the question, it barely failed. By an act of Congress now pending, which will soon be passed, it will be resubmitted to the people, when its ratification will be probable. The test is yet to be made in Virginia, Florida, Mississippi and Texas, when the like result is pretty sure to follow, except, perhaps in the case of Texas. Should any of these States reject their new constitutions at the first trial, Congress will no doubt provide for the resubmission of the question, and should Mr. Wade then occupy the Executive chair, they will most likely be adopted. In each of the six States which have voted, the governors and legislatures that have been elected are favorable to the policy of Congress. A large majority of the houses of representatives chosen at these elections are Republicans, and the composition of the legislatures is such as to insure the choice of senators of the same politics. In fine, the congressional plan may be regarded as triumphant in these six States.

In the remaining four States the ultimate result will probably be of the same character; so that, ere the occurrence of the next presidential election, the then States will all be restored to their old-time relations to the Union, and again resume their political affairs under constitutions framed by themselves, and subject to the rule of governors, legisatures and other civil officers, chosen by a majority of their electors. They will be represented in both branches of Congress, and will crown the work of reconstruction by participating in the election of a President in November next.

Of course, this plan of restoration is not entirely congenial to a large mass of those who took an active part in the rebellion. This is not surprising. It is not in the nature of things that the conquered party in such a conflict as that through which the country has passed during the last seven years, should submit without grievous repinings and a certain show of resistance to the terms imposed by the victors. The South were a proud, a gallant people. Their hopes of independence had been raised to the highest pitch. They had staked their property, they had pledged their honor, they had shed their best blood, to achieve a triumph. Their defeat whelmed them in impoverishment and ruin, tarnished their fame, crushed their lofty aspirations, and exposed them to the penalties of treason. The consciousness that the terms of reconciliation have no parallel for magnanimity in the history of the great civil wars does not replenish their exhausted finances, nor revive their drooping industry, nor heal their wounded honor, nor restore to life their slain sons. Nevertheless, in view of all the circumstances, the defeated class in the South have accepted their new and trying situation with as much equanimity as could have reasonably been anticipated. Their crime was great, and terribly have they expiated it. Their fall has put poor, proud human nature to one of its severest tests, and they have stood the cast of the die with as much self-control as any people in like circumstances in all history. When they shall realise that the change has become irrevocably fixed, they will no doubt find it far more tolerable than they expected, and may yet discover that even negro suffrage, under the kindly and skillful management of the old dominating class, will soon cease to be a source of annoyance and ultimately become an element of power.

Miscellaneous Items.

Young Jerome Bonaparte, of the French army, has sailed for America to visit his parents and grandmother. The latter is now in her eighty-sixth year, and resides in Baltimore.

Six thousand people are said to have left Memphis within the past ninety days, in search of new homes. Rows of stores in the most eligible business quarter are to let, and business is almost entirely prostrated. So says the Post.

D'Israeli is not a Jew, according to the Jewish Chronicle. His father and mother were, but his father seceded from his synagogue when Dizzy was a child, and didn't train him up in the way the Chronicle thinks he should go.

A young Indian girl, who had curiously watched the process of making barrel heads in a flouring mill in Winona, Minn., stole in one day and, taking possession of the stencils, ornamented her blanket with the words, "Ellsworth's Choice," and paraded the street in great delight, but to the disgust of Mr. Ellsworth, who is a bachelor and has made no such choice.

It is said that at the election in Savannah, a wag supplied some negroes with labels of "Costar's rat exterminator," which they voted as ballots. One negro, seeing the picture of a rat on his ballot, asked what it meant, and was told that it stood for the "*ratification* of the constitution." That convinced the freedman, and he shoved in his ticket.

A Washington special says official information which has now been received shows that one hundred and twenty members of the South Carolina State convention collectively paid $700 taxes. Of this amount one conservative member paid $200, and one hundred and ten members paid only $1 each. The entire carpet-bag legislature just elected will pay, collectively, $1000. One hundred and ten members of that body pay, in the aggregate, $160 taxes.

Death of Judge Pope.—The Montgomery (Ala.) Mail, of the 12th, says:

Judge B. F. Pope, the late victim of the petty military tyrant at Jacksonville, died at Gadsden at 11 o'clock on last Thursday night. It will be remembered that Judge Pope was incarcerated by a lieutenant, because the officer construed the laws differently from the Judge. Judge Pope was said to be a man of very respectable abilities, and to have been a consistent Union man throughout the war.

The Allentown (Penn.) Democrat of a late date, says:

Many of our ladies will remember being called upon at their residences, last fall, by a "lady" agent going around and selling ladies' "corsets," and fitting them, at a remarkably low price. Recently, in an interior town in this State, the very same "woman," by the cheapness of her stock, and a decided and unwarranted attachment shown a beautiful lady customer, aroused suspicion, and on the "lady" being arrested, she was found to be a young man in disguise—fitting and selling just for the fun of the thing. He says he has passed through Easton, Allentown, Reading, Pottsville, and many other towns, fitting corsets to several thousand young ladies.

Remonstrance Against the South Carolina Constitution.—The following is a summary of the remarks made by the South Carolina delegation before the Reconstruction Committee, a meagre account of which was given in our telegraphic dispatches:

Col. Thomas, chairman, remarked that in analysing the proposition of the constitution for South Carolina, there were two objections which stood out in bold relief: unqualified negro suffrage and the taxation power. He argued to show their disastrous effects upon both races. The constitution established taxation without representation. Those who have no propery are to tax those who have all the property. Under the constitution $2,000,000 might be raised in way of taxes, $1,000,000 of it for educational purposes, and yet those advantages were to be enjoyed by the blacks alone, as white children would not attend black schools.

The State heretofore, in its most prosperous days, had not been able to bear tax more than from $3,000,000 to $4,000,000 annually. Col. Thomas, in conclusion, said he felt it to be his duty to state to the committee that the whites are willing to concede to the negroes all of the civil rights and qualified suffrage, yet the white race would never acquiesce to negro rule.

You may make us pass, he said, under the yoke, and we shall have to do so; but by every means which God and Congress have left us, under the Constitution and laws, we shall resist this domination of an inferior race. By peaceful means, by political efforts, and by industrial efforts, we will carry on this political contest until we gain that control which of right belongs to the power of mind.

Nor, said Col. Thomas, can you have prosperity in in the South under your reconstruction scheme; but give the South a fair showing, restore the States to the Union on a joint basis, and again will our people return with willing hearts to the Union, and the same energy, that same self-sacrifice, and the same valor which they gave to the lost cause will they give to the Union, provided you meet them in a spirit of magnanimity, and concede to them rights to which they deem themselves entitled.

Dr. Livingstone—Letter from the Great African Explorer.

A letter was received in Edinburg from Dr. Livingstone, by a friend of the celebrated traveler. The following are extracts:

Country of the Chipeta,
November 10, 1866.

It has been quite impossible to send a letter coastwise ever since we left the Rovuma. The Arab slave traders take to their heels as soon as they hear that the English are on the road. I am a perfect bugbear to them. Eight parties thus skedaddled, and last of all my Johanna men, frightened out of their wits by stories told them by a member of a ninth party who had been plundered of his slaves, walked off and left me to face the terrible Mazitu with nine Nassick boys. The fear which the English name has struck into the souls of the slave traders has thus been an inconvenience. I could not go round the north end of the lake for fear that my Johanna men, at sight of danger, would do there what they actually did at the southern end, and the owners of the two shows on the lake kept them out of sight, lest I should burn them as slavers, and I could not cross in the middle. Round the southern end, we got up Kirk's range, and among Manganja, not yet made slave-sellers. This was a great treat, for like all who have not been contaminated with that blight, they were very kind, and, having been worried enough by unwilling Sepoys and cowardly Johanna men, I followed my bent by easy marches among friendly, generous people, to whom I tried to impart some new ideas in return for their hospitality. The country is elevated and the climate cool. One of the wonders told of us in successive villages was that we slept without fires. The boys having blankets did not need fire, while the inhabitants, being scantily clad, have their huts plastered inside and out, and even the roofs, to make themselves comfortable. Our progress since has been slow from other and less agreeable causes. Some parts have been denuded of food by marauding Mazitu or Zulus; we have been fain to avoid these and gone zigzag. Once we nearly walked into the hands of a party, and several times we have been detained by rumors of the enemy in front. January, 1867.—I mention several causes of delay. I must add the rainy season is more potent than all, except hunger. In passing through the Babisa country, we found that food was not to be had. The Babisa are great slave-traders, and have, in consequence, little industry. This seems to be the cause of their having no food to spare. The rains, too, are more copious than I ever saw them anywhere in Africa; but we shall get on in time. February 1—I am in Bemba or Lobemba, and at the chief man's place, which has three stockades around it, and a deep dry ditch round the inner one. He seems a fine fellow, and gave us a cow to slaughter on our arrival yesterday. We are going to hold a Christmas feast to-morrow, as I promised the boys a blow out when we came to a place of plenty. We have had precious hard lines, and I would not complain if it had not been gnawing hunger for many a day, and our bones sticking through as if they would burst the skin. When we were in a part where game abounded I filled the pot with a first-rate rifle given me by Capt. Fraser; but elsewhere we had but very short rations of a species of millet called "macre," which passed the stomach almost unchanged. The sorest grief of all was the loss of the medicine box which your friend at Apothecaries' Hall so kindly fitted up. All other things I divided among the bundles, so that if one or two were lost we should not be rendered destitute of such articles; but this I gave to a steady boy and trusted him. He exchanged for a march with two volunteers, who behaved remarkably well, till at last hungry marches through dripping forests, cold hungry nights, and fatiguing days overcame their virtue, and they made off with "Steady's" load—all his clothes, oil plates, dishes, much of our powder and two guns, and it was impossible to track them after the first drenching shower, which fell immediately after they left us. The forests are so dense and leafy that one cannot see fifty yards on any side. This loss, with all our medicine, fell on my heart like a sentence of death by fever, as was the case with poor Bishop McKenzie; but I shall try native remedies, trusting Him who has led me hitherto to help me still. We have been mostly on elevated land, between 3000 and 5000 feet above the sea. I think we are now on the water shed for which I was to seek. We are 4500 feet above the sea level, and will begin to descend when we go. This may be put down as 10deg. 10min. south latitude, and longitude 31deg. 50min. 2sec. We found a party of black half-caste Arab slaves here, and one promises to take letters to Zanzibar, but they give me only half a day to write. I shall send what I can, and hope they will be as good as their word. We have not had a single difficulty with the people, but we have been very slow. eight miles a day is a good march for us, loaded as the boys are; and we have often been obliged to go zigzag, as I mentioned. Blessings on you all. Love to Mrs. ——. From yours, ever affectionately,

DAVID LIVINGSTONE.

A Slam at the Carpet-Baggers.—Mr. Halstead, senior editor of the Cincinnati Commercial, not having the fear of Forney, Bullock & Co. before his eyes, writes these plain truths about that interesting class yclept "carpet baggers":

There are already Senators here from Arkansas. The New South Carolina Senators are expected soon to arrive. It is anticipated that Republicans throughout the North will, upon the appearance of these men, break forth in songs of thanksgiving over a restored Union, and of praise at the faithful action of this wise Congress. We beg to call a halt on that proposition. Do we want any more rotten borough States in the Union? Could anything be more fatal to our perpetual public content and good order than the admission of such States? We have enough of them now. Nevada and Nebraska, that should yet for years have been territories, are as weighty in that Senate that proposes to rule the nation, as New York and Ohio. Now, there is no reason to believe that the persons presenting themselves here as Senators of the United States from Arkansas and South Carolina, represent even the negroes in these States. They are adventurers, representatives of little more than their own audacity; and they will become, if permitted to enter the Senate, the most abject of party serfs, because they will have no possible vitality outside their party. This may be a recommendation to Congress, but I do not believe it is to the people. If the Arkansas and South Carolina reconstruction is the sort of thing Ben Wade is wanted in the White House to promote, the less we have of it the better.

The Mixture of Races.—Agassiz, in his lately published work on Brazil, has the following on the mixture of races: "Let any one who doubts the evil of this mixture of races, and is inclined, from a mistaken philanthropy, to break down the barriers between them, come to Brazil. He cannot deny the deterioration consequent upon an amalgamation of races more widespread here than in any other country in the world, and which is rapidly effacing the best qualities of the white man, the negro and the Indian, leaving a mongrel nondescript type, deficient in physical and mental energy. At a time when the new social status of the negro is a subject of vital importance in our statesmanship, we should profit by the experience of a country where, though slavery exists, there is far more liberality toward the free negro than he has ever enjoyed in the United States. Let us learn the double lesson; open all the advantages of education to the negro, and give him every chance of success which culture gives to the man who knows how to use it; but respect the laws of nature, and let all our dealings with the black man tend to preserve, as far as possible, the distinctness of his national characteristics, and the integrity of our own."

A Five Thousand Mile Walk by Weston.—A dispatch dated New York, May 9, says:

Weston, the pedestrian, is backed for a 5000 mile walk from Bangor to St. Paul and return to Buffalo. The wager is $25,000 a side, and the time one hundred days; he not to travel Sundays, which are included in the one hundred days. He starts about August 18, and will be accompanied by six sworn judges. A purse of $2500 is also being raised to be presented to Weston if he should accomplish the feat. He will also have to walk one hundred miles in twenty-three consecutive hours five times during the march, and should he fail in doing this once he forfeits all claim to the $2500 purse, and forfeits $2000 for each event, to be deducted from the backers on time in the wager. He will also walk fifty miles in ten consecutive hours once in each one thousand miles. In both these feats he will be allowed two trials at each event.

California is rapidly filling up with immigrants from the Atlantic States. The exceedingly low fares, caused by the competition of the rival lines of steamers to California, it is said, are flooding San Francisco with more people than can find employment, and the newspapers of that city are beginning to complain of the rapidly increasing surplus of population. They say trade is dull, wages low and provisions high, and that persons of limited means, who are able to raise the money to get out there, find themselves unable to get back. They deny also that San Francisco is any longer a "new country," in the sense of needing fresh emigration. Whilst this is the declaration about immigration from the Atlantic States, it seems strange that the California authorities should be thinking of sending agents to Prussia, to make known the inducements offered by their State for immigration. Yet such is the present announcement.

Size of Nails.—The following table will show any one at a glance the length of the various sizes and the number of nails in a pound. They are rated from "3-penny" up to "20-penny." The first column gives the number, the second the length in inches, and the third the number per pound:

3-penny	1 inch,	277	nails per pound
4-penny	1¼ inch,	253	" " "
5-peuny	1¾ inch,	232	" " "
6-penny	2 inches,	167	" " "
7-penny	2¼ inches,	141	" " "
8-penny	2½ inches,	104	" " "
10-penny	2¾ inches,	68	" " "
12-penny	3 inches,	54	" " "
20-penny	3½ inches,	34	" " "
Spikes	4 inches,	16	" " "
Spikes	4½ inches,	12	" " "
Spikes	5 inches,	10	" " "
Spikes	6 inches,	7	" " "
Spikes	7 inches,	5	" " "

From this table an estimate of quantity and suitable sizes for any job of work can easily be made.

Street gloves for gentlemen are now worn in very brilliant and gay colors—yellow, lemon, orange and bismarck being the fashionable tint. Lavender and flesh color are in vogue among the ladies.

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and all kinds of **Farming Implements,** which they offer to the trade at as **Low Prices** as they can be obtained outside of New Orleans.

Having had their commodious Warehouses thoroughly overhauled and repaired, with entire new brick walls around their Cotton Shed, their facilities for storage purposes are unsurpassed, and their charges will be as reasonable as any other house in Shreveport.

This, with their long experience in the business, leads them to hope for a continuance of the patronage heretofore so liberally extended to them, and for which they return thanks to their friends and customers.
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Shreveport, December 20, 1865.

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FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,

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GROCERIES,
HARDWARE,
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20.....TEXAS STREET.....20

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All kinds of of Watches Repaired, for all kinds of people, at all kinds of prices; and all kinds of money taken in payment.
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PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES,

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HYAMS & KENNEDY,

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Paints,

Oils, Glass and Glassware, Cutlery, Perfumery, Soaps, Hair Preparations, Combs and Brushes, with and endless variety of

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Our stocks have been purchased on the most advantageous terms, and we can assure customers that they will find our prices such as will give entire satisfaction.

We have a large and magnificent assortment of

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Stationery in all its varieties, and on the most reasonable terms.

We shall not enumerate the various articles embraced in our stock, but solicit a call from wholesale and retail buyers, feeling assured that they will be pleased, on an examination. [o3 1y

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J. W. Smith, Agent. mh27 tf

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SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA.

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Cigars—Domestic and Imported,
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Brandies,
Whisky, and Box Goods of every description,
Pickles and Ketchups, of all sorts and sizes,
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Also—

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Also—

Raisins,
Figs,
Preserved Fruits of all kinds,

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FULL ASSORTMENT OF DRY GOODS,

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French and American Prints,
Bleached and unbleached Domestics,
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A large assortment of Fall and Winter Clothing, of the best materials, superior workmanship, and most fashionable styles, embracing in part—

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Blanket Coats,
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Plain, Fancy,
Col'd Cassimere,
Cloth, Satinet,
Jeans, Cottonades and every description of Pantaloons;
Black,
Fancy,
Figured Silk,
Satin,
Velvet,
Cloth,
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